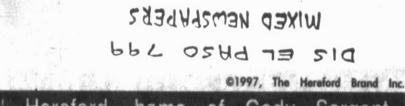
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Willey kept up contact with Clinton

WASHINGTON (AP) - After President Clinton allegedly groped Kathleen Willey in the White House, the two kept up contact as she sought an ambassadorship, a position on an international panel and a place in his re-election campaign.

The White House arranged for her to go to two international conferences and in a scrawled note to an aide about a request from Mrs. Willey, the president asked: "Can we do this for her?"

In a three-page letter to Clinton in December 1995 which she signed "Fondly, Kathleen," Mrs. Willey thanked Clinton for letting her attend a biological diversity convention in Indonesia.

Clinton's response: "The **Convention on Biological Diversity** must have been fascinating. Thanks, too, for your continued desire to serve the Administration."

The president's advisers tried Monday to use the 20 chatty handwritten letters Mrs. Willey wrote to the president from 1993 to 1997 to discredit her allegation that Clinton had embraced her, kissed her on the lips, touched her breasts and put her hand on his genitals in November 1993

The correspondence involving Mrs. Willey and Clinton, released by the White House, shows that after the alleged sexual advance, Mrs. Willey made persistent requests of Clinton and the president took the time to deal with her entreaties personally, although he was friendlier and warmer in earlier replies.



Warning system test set

The Hereford Police Department will test the city's tornado warning system tomorrow, according to Police Chief David Wagner said.

Wagner said the test of the system will be at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, weather permitting.

City land sale stays on table

By DONALD M. COOPER Brand Editor

A proposal from Roy Dale and Jacky Messer for the purchase of land didn't generate any enthusiasm among members of the Hereford City Commission

The commission agreed at the last meeting to table the sale of the Diel property and directed City Manager Messers to find out how much land consultant. they wanted to buy.

commissioners refused Monday night to remove the item from the table.

Nolen wrote he had discussed the sale of the property with both Jacky and Roy Dale Messer.

expand his operation to include a Development Corp. truck wash on the property and he is desirous of purchasing a parcel of Kansas City, which has been 12.390 acres, and Jacky would like considering the construction of a to purchase 8.312 acres to expand his \$110 million hog processing plant in trucking operation. The total of the the Panhandle, has delayed any two purchases would leave 4.534 decision on a site for at least two acres behind Wall and Sons," Nolen months. wrote.

Mayor Bob Josserand said he was based on the more stringent

the attorney representing Hereford and 49 other municipalities in their suit against Southwestern Bell, to hire a rate consultant. Although the city's approval for the hiring of the rate consultant was required, the consultant's fee will be paid by Southwestern Bell, which is proposing to raise its telephone rates. Dan Lawton of Diversified Utility

Cents

Chester Nolen to meet with the Consultants of Austin will be the

In other business, the commission-After reviewing Nolen's report, the ers approved the list of surplus items to be sold at an auction April 18 at the Deaf Smith County Bull Barn. The In a report to the commission, county also will participate in the auction.

The commission also received a report from Mike Hatley, executive "It is the intent of Roy Dale to director of the Hereford Economic

Hatley said Seaboard Farms of

He said the company's decision

Former top EM plans to retire

FORT BELVOIR, Va. (AP) - Sgt. Maj. Gene McKinney, once the Army's top enlisted man, plans to retire and "move on" after he was reprimanded and demoted one rank by a jury that convicted him of obstruction of justice in a sexual misconduct case

"We did OK," McKinney said Monday, standing by his wife, Wilhemina, after the jury sentenced him on one conviction three days after finding him innocent of 18 counts involving sexual harassment.

McKinney, 47, faced a possible five years in prison on the obstruction of justice conviction for coaching one of his six accusers about what to tell Army investigators.

The 29-year veteran also faced possible reduction of rank from sergeant major to private. He was the first black man to become sergeant major of the Army, and was forced out of the position after being charged last year

Sweepstakes company settles with states

NEWARK, N.J. (AP) - If you have the envelopes featuring Dick Clark millions of dollars just waiting to be claimed by the lucky addressee.

But it's the smaller print on the plans to the association. American Family Publishers You can claim the cash if you have that involve every teacher in the the winning number. Note the if.

Faced with lawsuits and authorities sweepstakes with the slogan, 'You're our newest winner

Walk for peace

Rudy Stolfer of Washington, D.C., believes it's time to end all wars. So the 48-year-old man began a peace walk on Thanksgiving Day 1996. Stolfer has travelled through the Deep South and arrived in Oregon last July. He started his return trip on July 13 and hopes to be back in Washington by Labor Day weekend. Through the miles he has trekked, Stolfer has pulled a two-wheeled cart with a coffin-like carrier to signify the senseless deaths caused by war.

Photo by Mauri Montgomery

didn't like the idea of breaking the permitting process resulting from Diel property into several smaller District Judge Margaret Cooper's tracts. He recommended putting the ruling that eliminated the Texas property up for sale as either one or Natural Resource Conservation two tracts. The commissioners Commission's Subchapter K. agreed, refusing to take the item off Subchapter K allowed the agency to the table.

The commissioners also approved a resolution authorizing Jim Boyle, expedite permits.

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TEACHER OF THE YEAR Science doesn't have to be murder

By DIANNA F. DANDRIDGE Staff Writer

Nothing about science is boring or unimportant, at least not to Dona son has used the lesson plan. Hendrickson, a Science I teacher at Hereford Jr. High.

science interesting to her students has paid off. The Texas Medical Association has selected her as its Science Solves a Murder.'

For this honor, Hendrickson will a mailbox, maybe you've seen them - receive \$1,000 for herself; a \$1,650 resource grant to help acquire needed and Ed McMahon trumpeting supplies for the Texas Essential Knowledge Skills curriculum, and a trip to Austin to present her lesson

Hendrickson said this is a really examine and determine what is and sweepstakes material that says it all: big lesson plan, with lots of details school.

across the country who say the scientific method. They use the lesson plan also involves police, the sweepstakes company is breaking the vocabulary and every scientific field, newspaper, a coroner's office and law, AFP will stop promoting its such as forensics, pathology and even some of the parents.

methodology, to determine who the murderer is," Hendrickson said.

changes, and it got a little more of who committed the imaginary Hendrickson's efforts to make involved and detailed, but I think the heinous act. kids really got into it and had fun

doing the investigation," she said. Teacher of the Year for her lessons several days' worth of work, a taped- Hendrickson said. revolving around "Mr. Scientific off crime scene, uncooperative witnesses and individuals who to the Texas Middle School Teachers deliberately set the investigators on Association in Houston in February the wrong path.

The students deal with every aspect of a very realistic murder, right trying similar projects. up to the point of arrest.

They develop alibis and character traits, set out misleading evidence, is not accurate, and how all the pieces fit together.

It's not just staff at Hereford "The students learn to use the Junior High that gets involved. The

After sifting through all the evidence, using correct scientific This is the second year Hendrick- method, including plastic gloves, goggles and criminal technique, the "This year, we made a few students then write up a final report

"Some of the kids get it and some don't, but it is amazing what they The murder mystery encompasses learn going through the processes,"

Hendrickson presented the lesson and had a "wonderful response" from some other schools interested in

> She said that 75-100 contacts were See TEACHER, Page 9

Dona Hendrickson, a Science I teacher at Hereford Jr. High, is the Texas Medical Association's Science Teacher of the Year.



WORD FIGHT: Dictionary publisher reviews defining offensive words

SPRINCFIELD, Mass. (AP) threatened boycott about the for the Springfield-based publisher. definition of "nigger" in its dictionaries, Merriam-Webster is words

The 150-year-old publisher for the a task force to consider whether to change the practice of listing able - uses coming first.

Still, there are no plans to remove persons. words the publisher concedes are offensive and derogatory - such as 'queer," "redneck" and "white trash ' - from its adult dictionaries.

Swamped with complaints and a Deborah Burns, marketi 3 director and bigotry. "As a reference tool, the dictionary fielded about 2,000 letters, notes and reviewing how it defines offensive if it did not list the words used in our definition since two Michigan women language

Merriam-Webster's most recent first time in its history has assigned . Collegiate Dictionary defines Williams, curator of the Museum of "nigger" first as "a black person usually taken to be offensive." Other Mich., suggested that definitions historically, with the definitions refer to "a member of any Merriam-Webster omit the word from oldest - and often the most objection- dark-skinned race," and "a member the dictionary. of a socially disadvantaged class of

> usage notes that "nigger" is the publisher if the word wasn't "perhaps the most offensive and revised. inflammatory racial slur in English"

Burns said that the company has would not be a comprehensive tool phone calls about the word's launched a protest last fall.

One of the women, Kathryn Afrikan American History in Flint,

And the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People An accompanying paragraph on threatened to lead a boycott against

In response, a special review

language experts, began reviewing offensive words this year for Merriam-Webster.

The publisher has also received a number of complaints recently about its definitions of "honky," "cracker," and "kike," Burns said Monday. Other words being reviewed "fairy," include: "Chink," 'gringo," "half-breed," "Kraut," Paddies," "Polack," "pig," "redskin," "spic" and queer," whitey.

Any changes could be included in the 1999 update to its Collegiate Dictionary, Burns said.

The style of listing definitions for a Black person.

"That would be censorship," said and is "expressive of racial hatred committee of senior editors, as well historically might be a problem, she as outside linguists and other said, because some readers have surprised at the public reaction to "become so angry that they haven't their listing, given that the dictionary read beyond the first entry." Revising entry emphatically warns that the that policy, however, would mean word "nigger" is inflammatory and changing all entries in the dictionary to conform.

Py comparison, the American Heritage Dictionary flags the word at the beginning of the entry, which may be why it has received few complaints, said Joe Pickett, message." executive editor for the dictionary published by Houghton Mifflin.

Dictionary's Collegiate edition defines "nigger" this way: "offensive slang. Used as a disparaging term

Merriam-Webster officials were insulting.

After hearing of Merriam-Webster's task force, NAACP President Kweisi Mfume said, "We are gratified that Merriam-Webster finally got the

But he said the NAACP will ask for company records on buying. The American Heritage employment, promotion and the makeup of the board of directors "to determine if a culture within the

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THE HEREFORD BRAND Local Roundup

Young Farmers meeting

The Hereford Young Farmers will have a meeting at 7 p.m., Tuesday at the Hereford Community Center. The focus of the meeting will be the county stock show. Everyone is invited to show up with their new ideas.

Partly cloudy

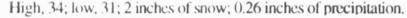
Tonight, partly cloudy, low in mid-30s and south wind 5-15 mph.

Wednesday, partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of rain, high in the upper 50s, southwest wind 10 to 20 mph, becoming northwest. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of rain, low in the lower 30s.

3-DAY FORECAST

Thursday, a chance of rain or snow, high 40 to 45. Friday, partly cloudy, low around 30, high around 50. Saturday, dry, low in the lower 30s, high in the mid-50s.

MONDAY RECAP





II massacre honored

53 years after he and 10 other near-extinct species. members of an all-black U.S. Army troops during the Battle of the Bulge.

Pfc. George Moten of Sulphur Springs was honored Monday in a ceremony at the Veteran Affairs 17, 1944

the Germans launched a surprise attack through the snow-covered Ardennes1 orest of Belgium against a group of 'American soldiers who message of balance between man and were convinced that the war would end by Christmas

dumped in a ditch in Wereth, in part for the success. Belgium. Covered by snow, the dead soldiers went unnoticed until spring (Endangered Species) Act goes too of 1945 and officially unhonored until this week.

medals and awards in a formal come to South Texas, where 98 percent ceremony

Texas soldier slain in World War of the Aplomado falcon to the Rio Grande Valley's Laguna Atascosa DALLAS (AP) - A North Texas Wildlife Refuge represents more than soldier has been honored, more than the triumphant survival of a

For Interior Secretary Bruce unit were massacred by German Babbitt, the predatory raptor's recovery is proof that his department's newest interpretation of the Endangered Species Act has been beneficial to wildlife and property Medical Center in Dallas. Moten was owners alike. The 25-year-old 22 when he was shot to death on Dec. endangered species protections long have been attacked by congressional The massacre came one day after Republicans and property-rights advocates who complain that the law is skewed against landowners.

To underline the administration's

beast, Babbitt was traveling to Military authorities said the men Harlingen today to praise the falcon's were shot and their bodies were recovery and the reforms he credits

There are those who say the far, that it hurts private property and local economies," Babbitt said in Moten's relatives received his advance of his Texas trip. "Let them of the land is privately owned. Ask

TYC adds 17 parole officers statewide

AUSTIN (AP) - Brenda Sterrett wanted state authorities to revoke her 18-year-old son's parole.

Her son, John Allen, had robbed 'a fast-food restaurant, and she feared he was plotting to target another one. Fearing for the safety of both her

to revoke her son's parole. They refused, she said.

Texas Youth Commission officials, while not commenting on

son and the rest of her family, Ms. Allen's case, citing confidentiality Sterrett pleaded with state authorities laws, defended the juvenile parole system. They say it works despite constraints faced by burdened paroleofficers.

"Our goal in parole is to try to use the least-restrictive process first,"



Springtime in the Panhandle

Springtime in the Panhandle seemed more like springtime in Alaska as freezing rain, mixed winter weather conditions.

said Christi Mallette, the commission's parole administrator. "We believe, as long as we can keep them in the community and home, the greater the success.

If a family files complaints, they must have evidence that will stand up in court, Ms. Mallette said.

If a juvenile starts missing appointments with a parole officer or other problems start to occur. authorities try to go to the juvenile's home, Ms. Mallette said. But she said parole officers in Travis, Harris, Dallas, Bexar and Tarrant counties work with about 40 juveniles each.

"I know we make mistakes, as with any agency that works social service," Ms. Mallette said. "I do thin : the Austin office has a good staff, and in the last six to eight months has had to carry some double caseloads because it's been short-staffed.'

Stephanie Emmons, a prosecutor with the Travis County district attorney's office, agreed that juvenile parole officers are overworked.

"The level of supervision for juveniles on parole is much less than the supervision for juveniles on probation - in large part due to the fact that there are not enough parole officers to go around," Ms. Emmons said.

The Youth Commission has 52 parole officers statewide and will add 17 more by the end of August with money approved by the Legislature, Ms. Mallette said. As of March 13, there were 2,739 juveniles on parole in Texas.

with snow and slush covered the ground this weekend. This photo, taken from the top of the railroad crossing at U.S. 385 show drivers are still contending with the effects of freezing

UP backed-up across Mexico border

DALLAS (AP) - Thousands of couple of weeks," said railroad customers. railroad cars waiting to cross into Mexico are backing up in South Texas, further slowing Union Pacific's attempts to clear a backlog across the nation's biggest rail freight Ferroviaria Mexicana, as well as three network

The problem has resulted in railroad cars stretching about 300 miles across Texas, according to the Icxas Railroad Commission.

Union Pacific Railroad, a unit of Dallas-based Union Pacific Corp. said in a letter to federal regulators that when Mexico crossings back up, Texas service quickly deteriorates.

the letter to the Surface Transportation Board.

spokesman John Bromley. service," said Bromley.

The rail jams into Mexico have been due to labor shortages at the Mexico railroad, Transportacion derailments south of the border in February, Bromley said.

'They've never really recovered out of that. They did reopen the line, but there's been congestion," he said of the problems getting into Mexico. A telephone message left with

TFM was not immediately returned. Union Pacific has been dealing with rail gridlock across its 36,000--"This is a crisis situation," said mile network since its 1996 takeover

Chairman Charles Matthews said he's also hearing complaints.

"We're not hearing from Mexico, Texas Railroad Commission but we're hearing from Texans.



services personnel for March 14-16, 1998 include the following:

"People aren't satisfied with the

POLICE DEPARTMENT Arrests

is believed the fire was intentionally

March 15, 1998 --3:16 p.m. Firefighters responded

abduction of wife and bank ecotourism to the area. burlary

taken a short time later, authorities say.

A warrant for aggravated kidnapping was issued Monday for Lonnie Ray Washington, 33, of Oakwood He's also under investigation for a burglary early Monday at the the First National Bank of Palestine, where his wife works.

Palestine Police Detective Larry Mars said Washington and his wife have been separated about three week- Washington's wife told police that he forced her to hand over her keys to the bank by threatening to kill her children

Elizabeth Washington, 29, told officers that she escaped and contacted police after her husband entered the bank's drive-through portion

Bank officials said \$15,000, mostly in cash and payroll checks. was taken from a teller's drawer.

Former undercover officer sentenced for stealing drugs

TYLER (AP) - A former undercover narcotics agent has been sentenced to 18 months in federal prison for stealing drugs from an evidence locker for distribution and personal use

Michael Christopher Jeter, 37, of Kilgore pleaded guilty last Nov. 21 and was sentenced Monday by U.S. District Judge William M. Steger.

Jeter had been an undercover officer with the Northeast Texas Narcotics Task Force for about a year when he was arrested and charged last Aug 2 He has been in jail ever since.

Jeter had faced up to 20 years in prison, a \$1 million fine and at least three years of supervised release. But sentencing guidelines were agreed upon at the time of his plea, allowing until his reti: ement in 1984. He was for as little as one year of incarceration

According to court documents, an informant told FBI agents the officer had taken narcotics from the task force's evidence locker and from a kit used to educate school children, had traded drugs for sex with a woman and had used and distributed narcotics.

Babbitt to highlight falcon's recovery, federal policies

ranchers and businessmen if they're East Texas man sought in hurt by the millions brought by

And, taking on the critics who PALESTINE (AP) - An East Texas contend the administration has watered man abducted his estranged wife and down endangered species protection, forced her to give him the keys to a Babbitt challenged them to talk to Texas Palestine bank where \$15,000 was conservationists who say the reforms border at Laredo, Brownsville, Eagle promote on-the-ground stewardship that works.

W.C. BEENE

March 14, 1998

1998, at the Veterans Hospital

Roby Cemetery.

Hereford

Wilford Carl "W.C." Beene, 79,

The railroad, which dominates rail lines into Mexico by controlling about 90 percent of all traffic, says there are about 5,000 cars waiting to pass over the border.

Union Pacific crosses on the Texas Pass and El Paso, with the biggest backups in Laredo, the company said.

of Southern Pacific Railroad. The problem began in the congestion-plagued Houston area and quickly arrested in the 100 block of Fuller and rippled from the ports of California charged with domestic assault. to the grain silos of the Midwest.

Union Pacific has said in weekly traffic jams have improved in most intoxication. areas, but that Texas remains a problem.

'It's been quite serious the last border, so do Union Pacific's Mexico

He is preceded in death by one

Memorials should be sent to the

daughter, Beverly Ann Carlson, in

Texas Paralyzed Veterans Nursing

GERALD D. "BOB" COKER

March 14, 1998

D. "Bob" Coker, 70, of Amarillo were

to be at 10 a.m. today in First Baptist

Church with Rev. Chester O'Brien

officiating. Burial will be in the Llano

Cemetery under the direction of

field, and had lived in Amarillo since

1980. He married Betty Jean Turner

on Jan. 15, 1948, in Friona. He was

a farmer and member of the First

Baptist Church. He was an ordained

deacon at Fellowship Baptist Church.

Coker, of the home; three sons, Jerry

Dean Coker of Amarillo, Bob Wade

Coker of Plano, and Phil Coker of

Hereford; one daughter, Lora Hanson

of Amarillo; his mother, Ina Coker

of Friona; one brother, Floyd Coker

of Hereford; one sister, Aline Turner

of Wheeler; 17 grandchildren and

three great-grandchildren.

Survivors include his wife, Jean

Mr. Coker was born in Summer-

Boxwell Bros. Funeral Directors.

AMARILLO - Services for Gerald

--A 30-year-old woman was

arrested in the 600 block of West updates filed with the STB that the First and charged with public

--A 25-year-old woman was arrested in the 700 block of Knight Now, as the traffic snarls along the and charged with domestic assault. --A 17-year-old woman was arrested in the 800 block of East Third and charged with domestic assault.

-- A 42-yean-old man was arrested in the 100 block of Pine and charged with disorderly conduct.

-- A 17-year-old man was arrested in the 1300 block of East Park Avenue and charged with driving without a license and failure to yield right of way.

-- A 24-year-old man was arrested in the 1300 block of East Park Avenue and charged with driving with a suspended license.

--A criminal mischief was reported in the 100 block of East Park Avenue. --A criminal mischief was reported in the 200 block of Centre.

--A burglary of a building was reported in the 400 block of Mormon. -- A burglary of a motor vehicle was reported in the 400 block of Avenue B.

-- An assault was reported in the 200 block of Hereford Calle.

-- An aggravated assault with a deadly weapon was reported in the 700 block of Knight.

- A runaway was reported in the 1600 block of Avenue K. Association and Kings Manor DEAF SMITH COUNTY SHERIFF

Arrests

-- A 43-year-old man was arrested for violation of probation.

--A 24-year-old woman was arrested for theft over \$1,500, under \$20,000

-- A 25-year-old man began serving time for driving with a suspended license

--A 19-year-old man began serving time for DWI and possession of a controlled substance.

-- Deputies took a report of a dog bite, criminal mischief and a domestic dispute

FIRE DEPARTMENT March 13, 1998

--7:13 p.m. Firefighters responded to 510 Roosevelt to a structure fire. An electrical short damaged the fuse box and wiring. Fire department estimates the damage at approximately \$1,500. March 14, 1998

-- 12:37 a.m. Firefighters responded to vehicle fire one and a half miles east of Progressive Rd on 15th. The cause is still under investigation, it

to a smoke scare at 408 N. Main. --A 30-year-old woman was

--6:15 p.m. Firefighters responded to U.S. 385 and 15 for a wreck rescue

--8:39 p.m. Firefighters responded to a truck/train accident 4 miles East on U.S. 60. No injuries were reported. ACCIDENTS

-- An injury accident was reported at North 25 Mile Avenue and West 15th

-- A minor accident was reported in the 800 block of West Park Avenue.

-- A minor accident was reported in the 500 block of North Avenue K. --a minor accident was reported in the 1300 block of East Park Avenue.



AUSTIN (AP) - Two tickets correctly matched all six numbers drawn Saturday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, state lottery officials said.

The tickets were worth an estimated \$4 million.

The tickets were sold in Dallas and Sanger:

The numbers drawn from a field of 50 were:

1, 4, 17, 41, 44, 47 Wednesday night's drawing will be worth an estimated \$4 million.

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Saturday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

7-5-6 AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery: 1-3-8-16-28

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 3-8-5

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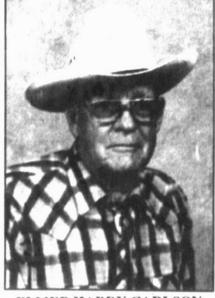
of Amarillo and formerly of Hereford, died Saturday, March 14, Funeral services were to be at 2 p.m. today in Boxwell Brothers chapel. Rev. Rob Lackey, director of pastoral care at Park Central, officiated. Burial will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday, March 18, 1998, in the Mr. Beene came to Deaf Smith County in 1957 and was employed by the U.S. Postal Service in Hereford a member of Summerfield Baptist ELMER HARDY CARLSON Church and joined First Baptist March 16, 1998 Church when the family moved into

Mr. Beene was born in Fisher Carlson, 76, of Hereford will be County April 3, 1918. He graduated 10:30 Wednesday, at the Gilillandfrom Roby High School and attended Watson Funeral Home with Pass-Texas Tech, Helived in Lubbock for more, Pastor of Westey United 11 years before moving to Summer- Methodist Church officiating. Burial field. He moved to Amarillo in 1987. will be in West Park Cemetery. A disabled veteran of World War Arrangements are under the direction II, he had been a combat soldier with of Gililland-Watson Funeral Home.

Obituaries and Po Valley campaigns. He had 29 his grandparents. He was a farmer months of overseas service with five and had worked at Hereford Ice and overseas bars. His citations included. Dawn Co-op elevator.

the European African and Middle Star. He was wounded in Italy and months of hospitalization.

Cynthia Summers and Christie Culp, both of Amarillo, Beverly Haliburton had served in a number of offices of Cuero and Elise Klussmann of involved with the Wesley United Waco; three sons, Stephen Carl of Methodist Church. Dallas, Robert of Charlotte, N.C., and James of Austin; one brother, Thomas of Hereford; two sons Larry and H. Beene; four sisters, Avinelle Leslie Carlson, both of Hereford; one Humphries, Helyn Rinks, Verna Dene sister, Vera Howe of Hulett, Wyo., Sansing, and Louise Kerby; and eight two grandchildren, two greatgrandchildren.



Funeral services for Elmer Hardy

Company 1, 361st Infantry in the Mr. Carlson was born May 26, WASHINGTON (AP) - In the Algeria-French Moroccan campaign, 1921, in Hobert, Okla., He came to Clinton administration's view, return the Tunisian, Sicilian, Rome-Arno, the Hereford area in 1936 to be near

He married Norma Hetzler on Eastern Theater Medal with a Silver Nov. 29, 1941 in Woodward. He served with the first Cavalry honorably discharged after several during World War II on the Asian and Pacific fronts.

1943

Nursing Home.

He was a member of the American Survivors include four daughters, Legion and the Good Sam Club. He Survivors include his wife Norma grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

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DALEINE T.



A bridal shower held Sunday afternoon at Community Christian Church honored Jennifer Chamberlain, center, bride-elect of Robert Walton, second from left. Greeting guests with the honoree were, from left, Rachel Chamberlain, sister of the bride-elect; Rita Chamberlain, mother of the bride-elect; and Karis Blain, future sister-in-law of the bride-elect.

Chamberlain honored with shower

of Robert Walton, was honored with a bridal shower Sunday at Community Christian Church.

April 11.

Jennifer Chamberlain, bride-elect were Rita Chamberlain, her mother; Wedding bell garland draped in Rachel Chamberlain, her sister; and Karis Blain, her future sister-in-law.

scallops accented the table.

A vacuum cleaner was the gift An assortment of finger foods, from hostesses Linda Rushing, Gail The couple plans to be married nuts, mints and teas were served from Blain, Pam Louder, Joyce Nance, a table centered with double wedding Joyce Duggan, Michelle Michael, Greeting guests with the honoree bells tied with dusty rose ribbon. Janice Brumley and Jani Duggan.

Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: I read the letter from "Just About Had It in West Va.," the woman whose husband had retired. She said he stuck to her like glue and watched every move she made. You said, "This isn't retirement. He sounds mentally ill."

When a man retires, Ann, he probably has lost the job he held for 30 years or more. He may have been a supervisor, a manager or some other authority figure. Now he is looking for another opportunity that will is driving her crazy. enable him to feel important. Unfortunately, he is at home, where at the supermarket following his wife the job has already been filled -- by his wife. My father retired two years ago. Mom worries every time he goes to town, fearing he will come home with a new computer, a car or some other lavish item. She counts every dime a hobby. Instead of becoming angry, and tries to save for when the well as I expected, he agreed. runs dry. But this is really about control, not money. Mom hides the said, "Marie, I've been thinking. I've credit cards. Dad orders new ones. He refuses to take his pills because Mom filled his pillbox. He does the laundry, and she does it over. She each other, and I slunk out of the nags and complains. He ignores her store and decided to mind my own or says, "I can't hear you." They will never divorce because Centereach, N.Y. this is how it has been for as long as I can remember. It's just more cried when I read the letter from the noticeable now. But, Ann, every time woman whose retired husband was fingers. I hope it lasts.

kiss each other goodbye. -- Their Daughter in South Dakota

Dear Daughter: Your parents the memories. Keep reading for more on this subject:

West Virginia whose retired husband

one of them heads out the door, they driving her nuts. I'm in her shoes. It is torture to watch every word

you say and every move you make because it might cause an explosion. sound a little like my grandparents -- I contacted our family doctor, and he prickly and argumentative but really referred my husband to a neurologist crazy about each other. Thanks for and psychologist for testing, but "Joe" canceled the appointments. He insists he doesn't have a problem. Dear Ann Landers: I'd like to Maybe we women who are in the comment about that poor woman in same boat should form a club. -- A

Teddy Bear Clinic will help youngsters learn about emergency room

In observance of Children and our little visitors from any stray Hospitals Week, Hereford Regional germs," Kemp said. Medical Center is hosting a special Teddy Bear Clinic and hospital tour a real ambulance and talk to the for pre-school children from 8:30 EMT's. a.m. to 11 a.m. on March 24 through March 26.

"We hope parents or teachers will bring their pre-schoolers to the Emergency Room with a favorite stuffed toy," Donna Kemp, RN, BSN, never has to be hospitalized, director of nursing at HRMC, said. realistically we know that some "Our goal is to help children learn a children will. The examination and little about the emergency room, so tour will help the child understand when they have to come on an what goes on at the hospital," Kemp emergency they are not quite so said. "Even if a child is never terrified."

their parents will register the toy, then hospital under very stress-free go back to an examining room in the circumstances, we can help the child ER where a nurse will check the toy's feel comfortable in the setting." "vitals".

'As we weigh and measure, check blood pressure and heart rate of the toy, we'll explain to the children what we're doing," Kemp said. Following the "examination", each

child and his or her toy will be given a surgical mask to wear, and then taken with their parent on a short tour of the hospital.

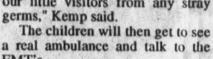
The kids like the masks, and they also serve to protect our patients and

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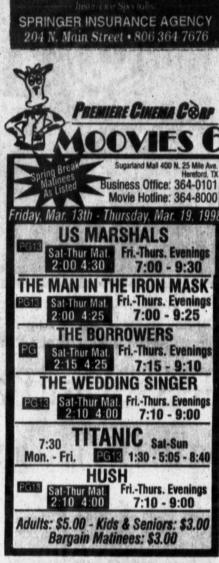
Following this tour, the children and their parents will be treated to punch and cookies by the volunteers in the cafeteria.

'Although we all hope that a child hospitalized, other members of the Kemp explained that children and family may be. By visiting the

> Kemp said that day care centers or kindergartens who are interested in bringing small groups of children on those days should call ahead.

> "We hope everyone with small children will take advantage of this special opportunity to see the hospital," she said.

> Those who plan to attend must call 364-2141, ext. 317 to register in advance for the clinic and tour.



The word mouse comes from an old Sanskrit word for thief.



I recently saw a middle-aged man around, "helping" her pick out the vegetables she had no doubt been buying by herself all her married life. When she left briefly, I brazenly approached the man and told this perfect stranger he should get himself

Just then, his wife approached. He decided to buy a sailboat." Her reply was "Like hell you will. That money is mine, too." They began to yell at business from then on. -- Beverly in

Dear Ann Landers: I actually

Wife in Pa. Dear Ann Landers: I had to

respond to "Just About Had It in West Va." My husband retired after 30 years of service with the phone company. The change in his personality was dramatic. He went from a stress-filled, impatient, short-tempered grump to an easygoing, sociable, caring human being. He busies himself with tasks inside the house and out. Tuesdays are for laundry. Fridays, he cleans. When I come home from my full-time job, dinner is on the table.

He does all these things without rearranging cabinets, changing brands or making me feel replaced in my own role. For me, his retirement has been a blessing. I consider myself --Lucky in Riverton, Wy.

Dear Lucky: Keep that four-leaf clover in your shoe, and cross your



La Madre Mia Study Club met Thursday night at the Deaf Smith were hostesses for the meeting. County Library with members of

The two clubs made 200 arrangements of spring silk flowers in to residents in local care centers.

Nancy Paetzold and Tricia Sims Foster and Missy Wilcox.

Various types of finger food, Nouvelle Amis Study Club as guests. punch and coffee were served to those working on the joint project.

Nouvelle Amis members attending baskets to be delivered before Easter were Beth Killebrew, Amanda Gallagher, Danielle Bartels, Joel

La Madre Mia members present were Linda Cumpton, Kay Hall, LaJean Henry, Mary Herring, Glenda Marcum, Gladys Merritt, Lavon Nieman, Bettye Owen, Georgia Sparks, Betty Taylor and Judy Williams.





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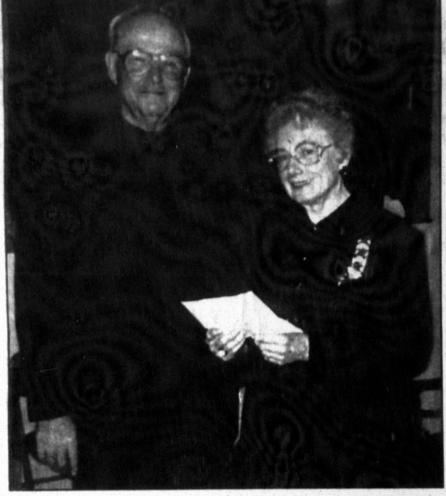
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Bob Josserand, Mayor of Hereford, was introduced as guest speaker at the recent meeting of Los Ciboleros Chapter NSDAR by conservation chairman Ruth Knox.

Josserand commends spirit of cooperation

meeting of Los Ciboleros Chapter Defender, a patriotic magazine. NSDAR, Bob Josserand, now serving his third term as mayor of Hereford, credited the excellent spirit of chamber of commerce, school and hospital for making possible several major improvements in the city.

Josserand credited the recent addition to the youth home to the cooperation of these entities and also cited the excellent cooperation of the new school superintendent with the police department in "getting a handle" on gang activity.

He praised the Hereford Volunteer Fire Department and commended 68 percent of Hereford city services customers for participating in the of the Korean War Memorial in monthly one dollar voluntary park. Washington, D.C. fund.

Josserand confessed that he cannot voted to participate in the 100th look into a crystal ball, but he thinks

As guest speaker at the recent a gift subscription to National

Knox reported that the redbud tree given to Dameron Park by Los Ciboleros Chapter had had to be cooperation between the city, replaced with another one, which was done Jan. 28.

. The President General's message, a reading of the first five items of the Bill of Responsibilities, was given by Robinson

Charlotte Clark, American history chairman, reported that the book, Panhandle Pilgrimage, had been placed in the West Central Intermediate School library in honor of Stewart Carr, who submitted the 1997 winning essay in the DAR contest.

Guest Jo Solomon showed pictures

Under new business, the group birthday celebration of Hereford in **Today in History**

By The Associated Press Today is Tuesday, March 17, the 76th day of 1998. There are 289 days left in the year. This is St. Patrick's Day.

Today's Highlight in History: On March 17, A.D. 461, according to tradition, St. Patrick, the patron saint of Ireland, died in Saul.

On this date:

In 1776, British forces evacuated Boston during the Revolutionary War.

1870, the Massachusetts In legislature authorized the incorporation of Wellesley Female Seminary, which later became Wellesley College

In 1905, Eleanor Roosevelt married Franklin D. Roosevelt in New York.

In 1906, President Theodore Roosevelt used the term "muckrake" in a speech to the Gridiron Club in Washington, D.C.

In 1910, the Camp Fire Girls organization was formed, though not formally presented to the public until exactly two years later.

In 1941, the National Gallery of Art opened in Washington, D.C.

In 1942, Gen. Douglas MacArthur arrived in Australia to become supreme commander of Allied forces in the southwest Pacific theater during World War II.

In 1950, scientists at the Universinounced they had created a new (Hole) is 26. radioactive element, which they named "californium.

In 1966, a U.S. midget submarine located a missing hydrogen bomb that had fallen from an American bomber into the Mediterranean off Spain.

Welcome

to

the World

providers of Hereford wish to

recognize these new babies recently

This week's recipients of a free,

born to Hereford parents.

commemorative baby plate:

The merchants and health care

minister of Israel. Ten years ago: Three people were

killed when a man armed with guns and grenades attacked an IRA graveside service in Belfast, Northern Ireland. Planeloads of U.S. soldiers arrived at Palmerola Air Base in Honduras in a show of strength ordered by President Reagan.

"First Lady of the American Theater," died in Nyack, N.Y., at age

One year ago: Anthony Lake asked President Clinton to withdraw his nomination to be CIA director, saying the partisan confirmation process had "gone haywire." Leftists in El Salvador won control of the capital in a mayoral election.

Today's Birthdays: Actress Mercedes McCambridge is 80. The former chairwoman of the NAACP. Myrlie Evers-Williams, is 65. Rock musician Paul Kantner is 57. Singer-songwriter Jim Weatherly is 55. Singer-songwriter John Sebastian (The Lovin' Spoonful) is 54. Rock musician Harold Brown (War) is 52. Actor Patrick Duffy is 49. Actor Kurt Russell is 47. Country singer Susie Allanson is 46. Actress Lesley-Anne Down is 44. Actor Gary Sinise is 43. Actor Rob Lowe is 34. Rock singer Billy Corgan (Smashing Pumpkins) is 31. Rock musician Van Connor (Screaming Trees) is 31. Rock ty of California at Berkeley an- musician Melissa Auf der Maur

Thought for Today: "God made the grass, the air and the rain; and the grass, the air and the rain made the Irish; and the Irish turned the grass, the air and the rain back into God." -In 1969, Golda Meir became prime Sean O'Faolain, Irish author.

NARFE district meeting will be at Senior Center

Magic Triangle Chapter 1300 of any agency thereof, or the spouse or the National Association of Retired Federal Employees will host a District 12 meeting at 9 a.m. March 23 at Hereford Senior Citizens Center.

District 12 is composed of chapters in Amarillo, Pampa and Hereford.

Juston McBride, president of the Five years ago: Helen Hayes, the local chapter, will serve as master of ceremonies.

> Membership in NARFE is open to any retired civilian employee of the Government of the United States or

more information call McBride at 364-2798 or Argen Draper at 276-5263.

eligible.

member of NARFE.

Legion to observe birthday The American Legion's 79th

Birthday Dinner will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday in the American Legion Post Home.

Following the dinner, Sgt. Guy Warren of the National Guard in Friona, who served in the Occupational Forces in Bosnia from 1995 to 1997, will discuss the conditions and his experiences in Bosnia.

Following the program, a brief Zone Meeting will be held with Post members attending from Tulia, Friona, Dimmitt, Nazareth, Hart, Vega and Hereford.

survivor of a person eligible to be or who was eligible to have been a

Any person with five years of

All such eligible persons are

welcome to attend the meeting. For

service who is subject to any of the

civilian retirement programs is also

Vegetable and/or salad dishes are welcome for the dinner.

All members and their spouses are encouraged to attend this special dinner.

Foastmasters prepare for contest

"Short Circuit."

served as toastmaster.

Hereford Toastmasters held club Varner with "Now You Know Where competitions for International Speech It Came From" and Dan Hall with and Tall Tales Contests at its regular Thursday morning meeting at the Ranch House Restaurant.

Margaret Del Toro presented a speech titled "My Heroes" in the International Speech division.

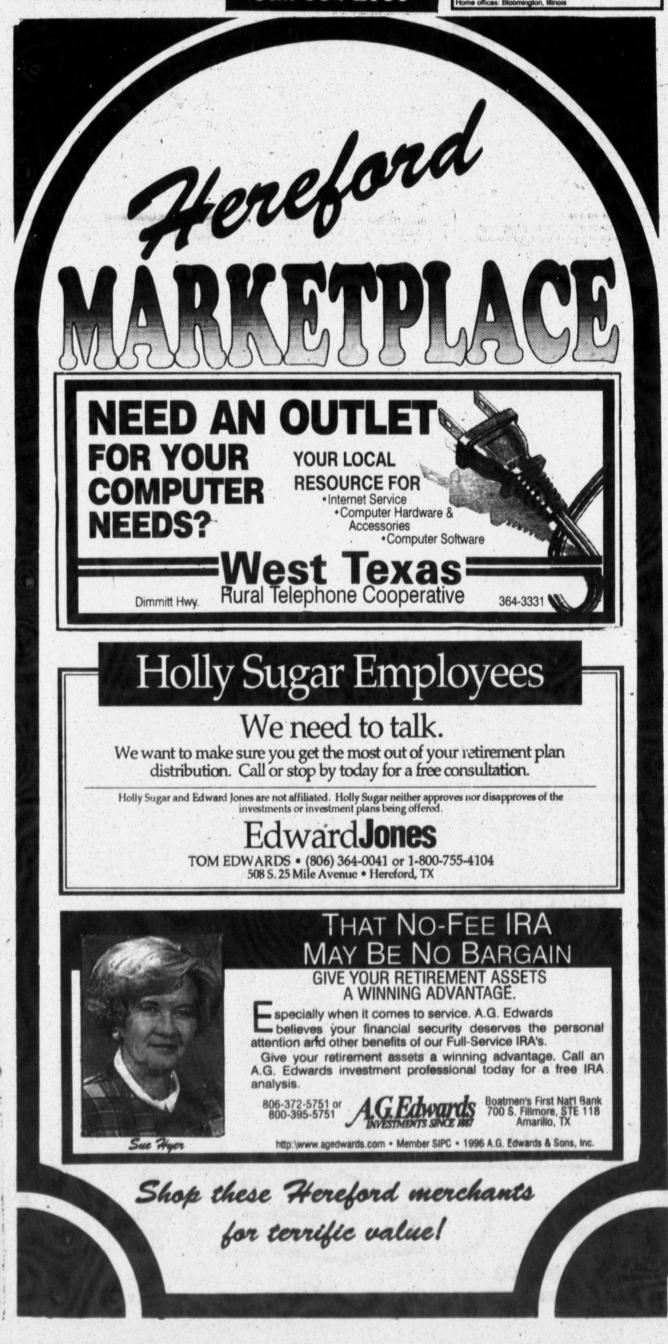
Guests present were Adolfo Del Tall Tale competitors were Pat



Toro and Oscar Barrera. To See: Ine Jerry Shipman, CLU 801 N. Main (806) 36443161

Mike Morrison was timer.

Varner presided at the meeting and



the future of Hereford is tied to agriculture-related industries.

Los Ciboleros NSDAR conservation chairman Ruth Knox introduced Mayor Josserand, who came to Hereford with his wife, Nancy, and family in 1971. He is a 1953 graduate of Colorado State University. Since 1983 he has been associated with AzTx Cattle Co. and is now owner and chairman of the board.

In 1991 Josserand was named "Man of the Year in Service to Agriculture" by Progressive Farmer magazine. In February 1993 he was inducted into the International Stockman's Hall of Fame. He was named Hereford's 1994 Citizen of the Year

Robinson, presented Josserand with Newsom.

August. A steering committee composed of Robinson, Knox, Lois Gililland, Argen Draper, Barbara Burkhalter and Ruth Newsom will be in charge.

Robinson announced that the next meeting will be in the Blue Room of Hereford Senior Citizens Center at 2:30 p.m. on April 9. A short video featuring a DAR school, Hillside, will be shown. Each member is to give a one to two minute sketch on their Revolutionary War ancestor.

Regent Newsom expressed the appreciation of the group to Juanita Brownd and Nell Norvell who served refreshments to Helen Rose, Mary Williamson, Margaret Bell, Jean Beene, Solomon, Gililland, Knox, Program chairman, Patricia Clark, Draper, Robinson and

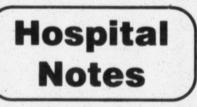
Katie Carole Narrell born Sept. 17, 1997, to Mr. and Mrs. Britt Narrell.

*Maria Luna born Feb. 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Luna.

*Eduardo Jacob Sanchez born Feb. 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Sanchez. *Mariah Danielle Rincon born March 3 to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry

Rincon *Meagan Danielle Cruz born March 3 to Danny Cruz and Carlota Ruiz.

Congratulations upon the arrival of your new born. If you have been blessed with a new baby, but we have not adequately congratulated you, please contact us at 364-7721.



Reunion attendance discussed

annual Mid-Plains Reunion to be held May 23 were the primary topic of discussion at the recent meeting of the Mid-Plains Reunion Association.

The reunion is open to all Deaf Smith County residents, their families and friends, regardless of age.

Members present were Bill Bradly,

Ways to increase attendance at the Grace Covington, Kate Bradley, Louise Streun, Alta Mae Higgins, and Medical Center for March 16: Benny and Joan Womble.

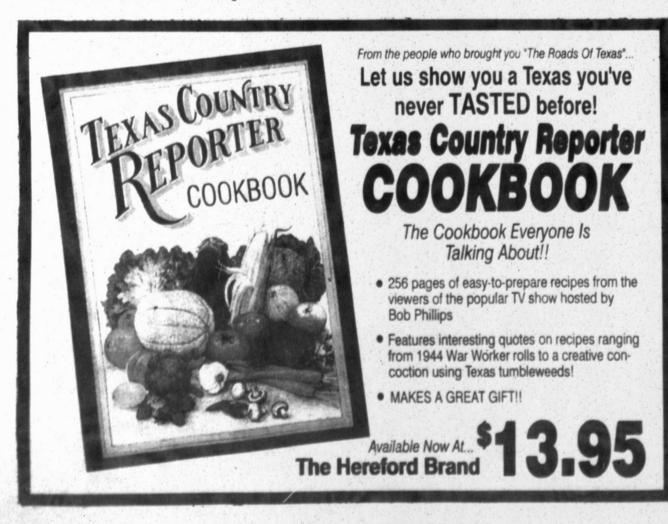
> The next reunion planning meeting will be at 1:30 p.m. May 4 in the Heritage Room of the Deaf Smith County Library. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

Report from Hereford Regional

Admitted: Essa Hollingsworth, Juanita Bennett, Virginia Palmer, Francisca Galvan, Winfred Warden. Dismissed: Celio Tafoya, William

Craig, Stacy Bridwell, Vera Jones, Betty Watkins, Albert Cardenas, Gertie Burrell, Cela Sturgeon.

Jefferson Davis, president of the Confederate States of America during the Civil War, was Secretary of War of the United States in 1853. While in office he improved infantry tactics and brought in new and better weapons that were soon used against his cause.



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On the Sidelines NHL

Monday's Games Washington 2, Phoenix 1 Boston 4, Tampa Bay 3, OT Calgary 3, Montreal 3, tie N.Y. Rangers 5, Ottawa 4 Philadelphia 4, Toronto 1 Tuesday's Games Chicago at Buffalo, 6 p.m. Vancouver at Florida, 6:30 p.m. Edmonton at Datath 6:30 p.m.

Edmonton at Detroit, 6:30 p.m. Dallas at Los Angeles, 9:30 p.m.

Jr. High Golf

Friona Tournament March 9 (9 holes)

(9 holes) Girls Team Totals: 1. Vega 202, 2. Muleshoe 206, 3. Farwell 208, 4. Amarillo Highland Park 230, 5. Canyon 230, 6. Friona 232, 7. Hereford Freshmen 268, 8. Hart 273. Hereford Freshmen 268, 8. Hart 273. Hereford Results: Kristen Hulfaker 55, Micah Reiter 69, Tessa Baker 70, Pam Klein 74, Jessle Artho 74. Thursday

Thursday

Team Totale: 1. Canyon JV 351, 2. Hereford Freshmen 359, 3. Farwell 361, 4. Bovina 378, 5. Vega 385, 6. Friona JV 390, 2. Otton 425 7. Olton 425.

Hereford Results: Brad Reinart 86, Kevin Hoffman 89, Tyler Keeling 90, Tim Dudley 94, Kane Wilt 108.

Rodeo

Tri-State High School Rodeo Association at Hereford Saturday Hereford Results Bull Riding: 1. Cody White 10 points. Barrel Racing: 4. Amanda Schumake

Breakaway Roping: 10. Tasha Bradlord

1. Calf Roping: 1. Monty Lewis 10, 4. T.J. Good 7, 10. Rodey Wilson 1. Ribbon Roping: 4. T.J. Good 7, 10. Rodey Wilson 1. Team Roping: 2. Kip Kendrick/Ty Boggeman 9, 6. Monty Lewis/Koby Smith, Lazbuddle 5, 10. Shandon Stalls, McLean/Rodey Wilson 1.

H.S. Baseball

Hereford vs. Hereford Alumni cancelled due to snow

Bowling standings Results through March 12

Results through March 12 Bullchippers 1.J&S Hydraulics 13-336,993; 2. Diana's Gifts & More 12-4 35,554; 3. Frogs 11-5 31,495; 4. Dimmitt Ready Mix 10-6 38,622; 5. Dawn Cattle Feeders 10-6 32,736; 6. New Holland 9-7 35, 179; 7. Poarch Brothers 9-7 34,325; 8. Frog Stompers 9-7 32,347; 9. Oglesby 8-8 42,309; 10. Beel N More 7-9 35,447; 11. Waterboys 7-9 28,911; 12. Hereford State Bank 5-11 35,332; 13. Fuzznuts 2-14 29, 126. Fuzznuts 2-14 29,126.

High team series--Oglesby 2,916, High team game--Oglesby 1,086. High individual series--Gary Ruckman 691, High individual

Henderson, Sargent shoot 75s at tourney

By BOB VARMETTE

Sports Writer Heath Henderson and Cody Sargent each shot 75s Saturday at the San Angelo Boys Classic to lead the Hereford Whitefaces to a tie for 12th place in the Blue Division.

Hereford shot a two-day total of 352-315--667 to tie with Plainview (356-311--667). Andrews won the Blue Division with a 309-294--603.

'I think a lot of the scores reflected the difference in golf courses," Hereford head coach Stacey Bixler said. "Bentwood is

a course where it helped to have played it before. Even our seniors hadn't played it before." Friday's first round was played

at Bentwood Country Club. Saturday's final round was played at Riverside Municipal Golf Course.

Henderson led Hereford with a two-day total of 161. He shot an 86 the first day at Bentwood. Sargent shot a 163 over the two days, firing an 88 at Bentwood Friday

"Cody and Heath have both

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Track teams 4th at Plainview

From staff reports PLAINVIEW -- The Hereford High School boys and girls track teams each finished fourth in their respective divisions at the Bulldog Relays Friday and Saturday at Plainview High School.

The Whitefaces accumulated 71 team points in the boys division. Amarillo High won the boys side with 153 total team points.

The Lady Whitefaces finished with 67 points in the girls division. Pampa won the girls side with 132 team points. The Hereford boys got only one first-place finish. The 1,600-meter

relay team of Jeremy Miller, Julian Garcia, Gilbert Hernandez and Henry Hernandez finished with a time of 3:31.35.

The Whitefaces got second-place finishes in the Triple Jump, the 400 and the 3,200.

Jeremy Miller went 43-9 1/4 to take second in the Triple Jump. In the 400-meter dash, Henry Hernandez recorded a 51.78-second time and James Mather had a 10:57.54 to take second place in the 3,200-meter race.

The Lady Whitefaces were led by pair of firsts from freshman Brione Yosten. Yosten won the 800 meters in 2:24.50 and the 3,200 meters in 11:13.65.

Hereford also got a first from senior Kate Denison. Denison won the 400 meters in 1:00.75.

The Lady Whitefaces also won the 1.600-meter Relay.

Spurs buck

Bididog Relays at Pizinview Friday-Saturday Boys Team Totals: 1. Amarillo High 153 points, 2. Plainview 133, 3. Clovis 76, 4. Hereford 71, 5. Lubbock High 61, 6. Canyon Randall 50, 7. Lubbock Cooper 8 2. Failwiew 135, 3. cloves /6,4, Referend 71,5.
Lubbock High 61, 6. Canyon Randall 50, 7.
Lubbock Cooper 8. Hereford Results
100m JV: Nick Whatley 11.34, Bryan Parrack
11.81, Leo Balderaz 12.32
100m: Tony Escamilla 11.48, Greg Ewing
11.86, Robert Chavarria 12.00
200m JV: 1. Whatley 23.93, Balderaz 25.94,
Rick Bordayo 26.88
200m: Fidencio Ruiz 23.46, Julian Garcia
24.25, Robert Chavarria 24.77
400m JV: 4. Albert Chavarria 55.81, Chayse
Rives 58.46, Jonathan Soto 58.84,
400m: 2. Henry Hernandez 51.78, Clay
Brown 55.54, Jeremy High 58.08
800m JV: 4. Gabriel Ramirez 2:17.48, Alex
Celaya 2:21.54, Austin Ayoock 2:28.33
800m: Morris Penalber 2:11.98, Tony Garcia
2:20.74, Charles Hubner 2:39.90
1,600m JV: Ramirez 5:29.77, Jason Jesko

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Girls lead Hereford tennis team

From staff reports

It was the girls again leading the way for the Hereford tennis team as Holly Weishaar, Amanda Kriegs-hauser and Diana Detten all claimed bracket titles at the Hereford Invitational Tennis Tournament Friday and Saturday at Whiteface Courts.

Weishaar captured the girls singles bracket championship, defeating Leslie Holton of Spearman 4-6, 6-4, 6-4 in the title match.

Kriegshauser and Detten teamed up to win the girls doubles crown.

Team standings were not available. On the boys side, Brent Berend of Hereford advanced to the boys single bracket championship with three straight-set victories. Chris Moore of Amarillo Tascosa ended Berend's run in the finals match, 6-3, 6-1.

Hereford Invitational **fennis** Tournament Friday-Saturday Hereford Results Boys Singles Brent Berend def. Brad Jones, Canyon, 6-4, 6-4; def. David Ty, Amarillo High, 6-0, 6-1; def. Sam McCause, Canyon, 6-3, 5-5; Chris Moore,

INNIS

Milwaukee SAN ANTONIO (AP) -- By dominating their Eastern Conference opponents, the San Antonio Spurs have stayed in contention for the

Midwest Division title. Tim Duncan had 25 points and 17 rebounds as the Spurs beat the slumping Milwaukee Bucks 96-85 Monday night.

San Antonio improved to 18-5 against Eastern teams this season, including 16 victories in its last 18 games.

"I don't think we've played the Eastern Conference teams any tougher," said Duncan, who had his NBA-best 45th double-double of the season. "Even though we have good numbers against the East, I think we play the Western Conference teams better because we match up better against them."

Duncan was backed by 21 points from David Robinson, who did not play in the fourth quarter. Vinny Del Negro added 15 points for the Spurs,

MILWAUKEE (85): Curry 1-4 6-6 8, Gilliam 4-11 0-0 8, Johnson 7-13 4-4 15, Allen 3-18 3-4 9, Perry 6-15 2-2 15, Honeycult 5-13 4-5 16, Feick 5-8 0-0 12, Lang 0-0 0-0 0, Green 0-0 2-2 2, Nordgaard 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 31-82 18-23 85. SAN ANTONIO (96): Person 0-4 0-0 0, Duncan 12-18 1-225, Robinson 9-143-521, Del Negro 5-13 5-5 15, Johnson 5-9 0-2 10, Jackson 3-7 0-0 7, Herrera 0-1 0-0 0, Rose 1-2 1-2 3, Perdue 1-1 0-02, Geary 2-4 2-26, Burton 2-22-2 7, Totals 40-74 14-20 96. Milwaukee 22 20 17 26-85

Milwaukee San Antonio 22 20 17 26-85 18 22 30 26-96 San Antonio 18 22 30 26-96 3-Point goals--Milwaukee 5-9 (Honeycutt 2-3, Feick 2-3, Perry 1-1, Allen 0-2), San Antonio 2-8 (Burton 1-1, Jackson 1-3, Geary 0-1, Person 0-3). Fouled out--None. Rebounds--Milwaukee 41 (Johnson 12), San Antonio 55 (Duncan 17). Assists--Milwaukee 20 (Perry 7), San Antonio 27 (Johnson 10). Total fouls--Milwaukee 20, San Antonio 18. Technicals--Milwaukee 11egal defense 2, San Antonio Illegal defense 2. A--19,543 (20,557).

Glenn Robinson, Terrell Brandon and Tyrone Hill.

"We gave a great effort tonight," coach Chris Ford said. "We just couldn't make baskets. We got some good looks but we just couldn't sink them."

Trailing 47-44, San Antonio went

game--Gary Ruckman, Don Leverett 268. Results through March 10 Wed. Night Men's

1. Three Stooges 27.5-12.5, 2. Dumb & Dumbers 27-13, 3. Three Blind Mice 23-17,

Dumbers 27-13, 3. Three Blind Mice 23-17, 4. Good, Bad, Ugly 17.5-22.5, 5. O'Duels 16-24, 6. Bad Boys 9-34. High team series--Three Stooges 1,943. High team game--Dumb and Dumber 226. High Ind. series--Bobby Weaver 614. High Ind. game--Gary Ruckman 226. Tuesday Night Mixed 1. Unique Creation 15-5 26,703; 2. Pin Shakers 13-3, 30,061*; 3. Beauty & Beast 12-8 33,512; 4. Team No. 2 10-10 31,921; 5. Hap Hazards 10-10 31,0921;

5. Hap Hazards 10-10 31,097; 6. Team No. 4 8-8 27,882*; 7. NCOs 4-16 26,488.

High team series--Beauty & Beast 1,833. High team game--Hap Hazards 682. High Ind. series--Roy Blevins 513, Sandi Blevins 501. High Ind. game--Key Crawlord 208, Sandi Blevins 190.

Sunday Night Mixed 1. The Jokers 39-25 18,727; 2. Dumb and Dumber 33.5-30.5 18,583; 3. Frische's 33.5-30.5 18,516; 4. He & She 32.5-31.5 18,319; 5. Me & Her 28-36 18,507; 6. Check It Out 27.5-36.5 18,162; 7. Hernandez 26-34 18,507; 8. CIO 2 22.5-41.5 18,290.

High team series -- Hernandez 1,274. High team game--The Jokers 457. High Ind. series--GAry Ruckman 619, Nancy Ruckman 524. High Ind. game--Gary ruckman 217, Nancy Ruckman 201.

St. Patrick's Day

9-Pin No-Tap 1. Debble Richardson, Sam Richardson 1,464; 2. Shelli Hernandez, James Hernandez 1,455; 3. Sandi Blevins, Roy blevins 1,399; 4. Danette Lindsey, Teddy Lindsey 1,394; 5. Danette Lindsey, Ray Lindsey 1,374; 6. Carol Berryman, Mark Berryman 1,336; 7. Tori Self, Darrel Blevins 1,334; 8. Jan Walser, Eddie Lindsey 1,303; 9. Shella McKay, Ronnie McKay 1,265.

AWBA City Tournament

Team 1. Pin Busters (Martha Emreson, Laura Field, Sharla Ruland, Lori Staffort) 2,547,2. Tweeties (Pat Fowler, Joyce Walker, Carolyn Frische, Janice Holmes) 2,429, 3. W.T. Services (Janice Robinson, Kay Behrends, Joyce Walker, Karen McPherson) 2,398. Doubles

1. Charlene Sanders/Jackle Murphy 1,266, 2. Linda Griffith/Karen McPherson 1,241. 3. Lori Hochstein/Cathy Betzen 1,238, 4. Sinelli Hernandez, Debbie Richardson

Singles 1. Shelli Hernandez 643, 2. Betty Taylor 641, 3. Jackie Murphy 640, 4. Jennette Rogers 636, 5. DAnette Lindsey 632, 6. nancy Walters 631, 7. Jana Vogler 630, 8. ne Sanders 628. All Events

1. Jackie Murphy 1.929, 2. Danette Lindsey 1.854, 3. Jana Vogler 1.821, 4. BEtty Taylor 1.817, 5. Cathy Betzen 1.816, 6. Debbie Richardson 1.799, 7. janice Holmes 1.797

"-- Incomplete results.

Bowling Signup

The following leagues are planned for this summer:

Monday: 6:30 p.m., Child/Adult League (2); 8 p.m., Mixed League. Tuesday: 6:30 p.m., Ladies League

(4); 9 p.m. Mixed League (3, any mix) Wednesday: 7 p.m., Mens League

(5) Thursday: 6:30 p.m., Singles-Only League (4); 9 p.m. 9-Pin No-Tap League (4, any mix) Friday: 6:30 p.m. Doubles League

Mixed (2); 8 p.m. Casino

Leagues will begin June 1 and conclude August 14. For more information, please contact Eddie Lindsey at 363-6899.

Casino Night Casino Night will begin at 8 p.m. Friday. Call 363-6899 for lane lane reservations.

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Rangers pummel Twins starting pitcher, win 11-3

Tom Kelly could contemplate other of the work. things, such as his club's logjam at first base.

The Twins were routed by Texas 11-3 on Monday. The Rangers battered Minnesota starter Frank Rodriguez for eight hits and five runs in only three innings.

Among first base candidates Scott Stahoviak, Orlando Merced, David Ortiz and Doug Mientkiewicz, all four bat from the left side. Twins' third baseman Ron Coomer and DH Paul Molitor can play first and hit from the right side.

"They all have a little bit of something to offer, but no one has stood out," Kelly said.

Merced, Mientkiewicz and Ortiz went into Monday's action hitting over .300 with Mientkiewicz leading the pack at .429.

The competition at first could last the longest of the spring, Kelly said, hander will grab the fourth or fifth perhaps going down to the last couple of days.

"No one has taken over the position and they all hit lefty. We will have to weed through all of that," Kelly said. "I want to be fair in selecting the right guy, but at the

FORT MYERS, Fla. (AP) -- It was · same time if we decide on someone, a day Minnesota Twins' manager he should be over there getting most

> Mientkiewicz played AA ball at New Britain, Conn. last year where he hit .255 with 15 homers. Ortiz hit .322 at New Britain and .327 in 49 at-bats for Minnesota last year.

> Merced, who has seven years in the big leagues, hit .266 with nine homers for Toronto and Stahoviak batted .229 with the Twins last year.

While he wasn't contemplating the first base situation Monday, Kelly was watching Rodriguez get belted around. Kelly felt Rodriguez's performance set the tone for the rest of the game, in which Juan Gonzalez and Fernando Tatis drilled three-run homers for the Rangers.

"He pitched well in the bullpen and couldn't do anything in the game," Kelly said.

The manager is hoping the right spot in his rotation.

Rodriguez left the game after three innings because of soreness after getting hit on the right hip. Kelly said it is nothing serious and he shouldn't miss any time.

who remained 4{ games behind first-place Utah in the Midwest.

energy and find our emotion after the third quarter. Robinson scored 13 Saturday's game," said San Antonio coach Gregg Popovich, referring to a home loss to Chicago. "We dug deep down and got going in the second half. It was good to get a lot dumb mistakes and turned the ball of people in there and see them play.

Rookie Jerald Honeycutt scored a career-high 16 points for injury-pla-

gued Milwaukee, which has lost six straight and nine of its last 10. The on in the final quarter, outscoring Bucks played without injured starters Milwaukee 10-3 to open the period.

on a 12-0 run and took a 56-47 lead "It took us a while to get our on Duncan's dunk with 6:37 left in points in the period as the Spurs stretched their lead to 70-59 entering the fourth quarter.

"We worked hard, but we made over in the first half," Robinson said. We found our rhythm in the second half. We struggled a bit, but the effort was there tonight."

San Antonio continued to pour it

Georgia Tech edges Hoyas

ATLANTA (AP) -- T.J. Vines picked the right time to play the best game of his freshman year.

a 3-pointer to start a comeback from do.' a 16-point deficit in regulation, then made a tie-breaking free throw with 11.8 seconds left in overtime Monday night, giving Georgia Tech an 80-79 win over Georgetown in the second round of the NIT.

"Sure, it has to be my best game," Vines said. "I knocked down all my shots. I think I played good defense Coming off the bench, Vines hit and I played hard. That's all I can

> Dion Glover led Georgia Tech (19-13) with 22 points and Matt Harpring added 20. The Yellow Jackets will play Penn State on

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Tech loss sparks concerns about filling Coliseum

By MARK BABINECK Associated Press Writer

LUBBOCK -- Just because few tickets are left for next weekend's Midwest Regional tournament here, it doesn't mean there won't be plenty of good seats available.

More than 6,500 Tech fans bought ticket packages for the tournament's first two weeks. Because of top-seeded Tech's 74-59 upset loss to Notre Dame on Sunday, they'll have to watch four neutral teams battle for a Final Four slot, if they choose to attend.

"A lot of people have worked hard to bring this regional to Lubbock, including myself," said coach Marsha Sharp, who apologized to fans and school administrators after the loss. "I'm extremely disappointed."

Only 300 general admission tickets remain for next weekend's games, which will involve Notre Dame, Alabama and the winners of Monday's Clemson-Louisiana Tech and Colorado State-Purdue contests.

Each of the four attending schools will be allotted 200 seats. Tech ticket director Russell Warren said he hopes Tech backers will take their seats despite the lack of a rooting interest.

"I really think that once our fans get through the middle of the week, I think they'll be supportive of women's basketball," he said. "We have a basketball-knowledgeable fan base, and they know it's important to support this tournament, and they want to get it again.

Healthy crowds at the venerable 8,174-seat Lubbock Municipal Coliseum will look good to the NCAA when Tech tries to draw similar events to its new, larger facility, due to open next spring, Warren said.

If not for Notre Dame's Ruth Riley, No. 6 Tech might not have had to worry about jamming the Coliseum next Saturday and Monday. The 6-foot-5 freshman made it look easy against Tech,

grabbing the ball over the Lady Raiders' heads and pumping in easy bank shots.

She scored all 23 of her points in the second half, helping the ninth-seeded Fighting Irish end the game on a 34-15 note.

"I was thinking, 'Give it to her,' We need her to score for us to win," said point guard Mollie Peirick, who had seven assists after halftime.

Playing her last game as a Lady Raider, All-America forward Alicia Thompson fought through double- and triple-teams to score 17 points.

"They really concentrated on the post area, because we did there well (Friday)," Thompson said, referring to her 39-point game in an 87-75 first-round victory over Grambling State. "They knew where to stop us and they did."

As for filling the arena, Warren pointed to the success Missoula, Mont., had in hosting a 1997 regional without a home draw. He cited Lubbock's similarity to Missoula as a remote, small city.



Amanda Kriegshauser of Hereford returns a shot during a fall

tennis match at Whiteface Courts. Kriegshauser teamed with

Diana Detten to win the girls doubles bracket at the Hereford

Invitational Tennis Tournament Friday and Saturday.

Photo by Julius Bodner

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Their consistency can get better from the first to the second day."

Brad Gibson of Andrews was the individual medalist with a 76-67--143

"The second day, Riverside, was a more normal-type layout," Bixler said. "It was just easier for us to adjust to.

"I thought we could've shot a little bit better the first day," Bixler continued. "I expected for us to shoot lower scores the second day."

Senior Bryant McNutt played in his first tournament since finishing boys basketball. He shot a 99 the first day at Bentwood and them came back

said. "T.J. hit some great jumpers."

outplayed us," Cremins said. "We got the break tonight. The young man had a great shot. I thought it was going to go in. I thought the game was over. And the ball did not go in."

Trez Kilpatrick 19 for the Hoyas.

been said. "He had trouble with consistenplaying pretty well," Bixler said. cy off the tee, not knowing where he was going to hit it. And the greens were a little faster. There was some pressure he hasn't had because of not playing in a tournament."

San Angelo Boys Classic at Bentwood Country Club Riverside Municipal Golf Course Friday-Saturday Blue Division

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Kevin Clark added 14 of his 17

Snyder speaks out Track on **Bishop** arrest

MANHATTAN, Kan. (AP) -- aggravated battery and one count of Kansas State quarterback Michael battery stemming from an early Bishop, who was arrested but not morning brawl. charged following a fight, may have been jailed just because he's a prominent black athlete, coach Bill Snyder said.

Bishop's arrest during the fight last month in Manhattan's night club district may have resulted from Bishop being "a high-profile young guy, and unfortunately, because he is black," Snyder told The Manhattan Mercury in a story published Sunday.

Bishop, who played at Willis High

"He's suffered from this," Snyder said.

him for comment on another story. Bishop told the paper he thought the he declined to comment further.

said publicly that he was not the person who hit them. One of the men said Bishop helped him up off the ground, and a young woman said

But prosecutors later said there

Bishop protected her from the fight.

Bishop led the Wildcats to an 11-1 record last season, his first at Kansas

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-Logan Pearsall Smith

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THE OFFICE has made application with the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a Private Club Registration Permit to be located at 128 Lawton Street, City of Hereford, County of Deaf Smith, and will operate under the tradename of THE OFFICE. Officers are Lucia Guajardo, President, Norma Jean Tarango, Treasurer, Mari Guajardo, Secretary, and Odilia Hernandez, Vice-President.



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After Indiana University won the

The future vice president protested

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NEW YORK (AP) - Dana Reeve

"People come up to me in

'admire' me," she said. "I'm a very

Reeve has a new gig as the star of

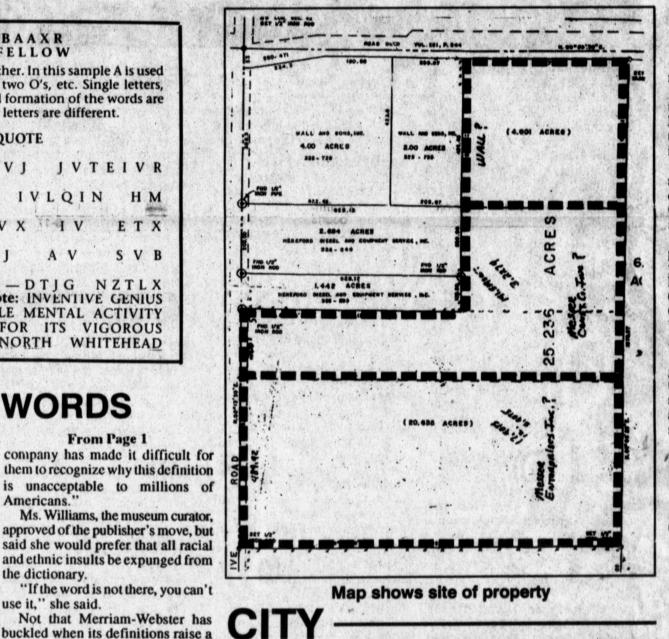
wants to be more than her husband

"an ignorant rustic."



Running to success winners

Two Tierra Blanca students, Jonathan Ortiz and Maria Bernal, were chosen by the members of the Southwestern Bell Pioneers Club as the most improved students at the school. The students each received a new pair of Nike running shoes for their efforts the past six weeks. The Southwestern Bell Pioneer organization is made of employees and retirees committed to serving the community, who believe strongly in helping others. They encourage educational pursuits in all students, but especially those who may be in the at risk category. Representing the Southwestern Bell Pioneers was Gary Stephens, Marcia Cockrell, Ed Barber, Rick Cooper and John Barnhart. Each yearthe club sponsors a new service project to encourage education.

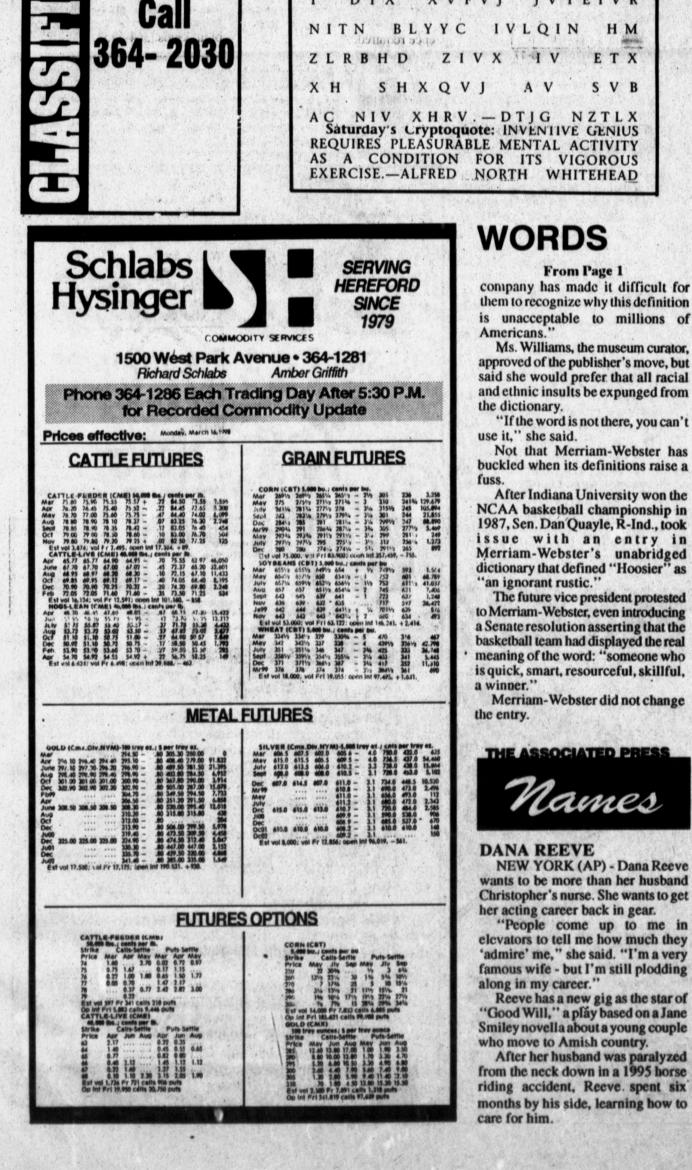


TEACHER

From Page 1 made with interested schools. Hendrickson was nominated for the award by HJHS Principal Marilyn Leisure, and is well qualified in teaching tactics that gain the students' interest.

Originally from Huntsville, Ala., she received a bachelor of science degree in education from Lubbock Christian College, specializing in secondary biology and history. Beginning in 1979, she taught

physical science at La Plata for two years. She took a two-year break in Dimmitt, where she received the Castro County Soil and Water Conservation District Teacher of the Year Award, and then returned to Hereford Junior High.



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Hatley said he has asked Texas Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry to lobby Seaboard Farms to site the plant in Texas.

He also reported American Modular Buildings now employs 20 workers, 17 of whom are Hereford

Group sees rise in inflation rate

from changes in the money supply is warning that the good news on inflation could soon be coming to an end!

The Shadow Open Market Committee, a watchdog group that meets twice a year to critique the Federal Reserve, said Monday the central bank needs to begin raising interest rates immediately to head off what could be a serious bout of higher prices.

"With high domestic demand and high utilization of labor and capital, recent monetary policy will lead to higher inflation," the group said. Members of the shadow committee

said they had become concerned by a sharp rise in the growth of the money supply - both currency in circulation and deposits in banking accounts - in the past six months. The group said money growth is running at an annual rate of 6 percent, the highest it has been at any time since growth in the money supply slows.

residents. That represents a doubling of the company's workforce, Hatley

Hatley also reported that Dallas Pallet Co. of Hereford should be in operation by the end of this week or sometime next week and should employ up to 15 people.

The seeds of higher inflation have been and are being sown," the group said in a statement.

The shadow group is composed of some of the country's most prominent monetarists, economists who believe that changes in the rate of growth of the money supply are the best way to predict changes in inflation. Other economists argue that the links between money growth for a given period and future inflation are harder to judge.

The shadow panel called on the Fed to start raising interest rates immediately in order to slow money growth down to 4 percent at an annual

Alan Meltzer, chairman of the panel and an economist at Carnegie Mellon University in Pittsburgh, refused to predict how many rate hikes might be needed but said the Fed should keep raising rates until the

Henrickson has taught seventhgrade science for four years and feels. that Science I integrates all the sciences and allows the teacher a vast array of subjects to present to the students.

Epic back at No. 1

LOS ANGELES (AP) - The 13th consecutive weekend as the nation's top film was nothing but good luck for "Titanic," though its dominance

is slipping. "Titanic" edged "The Man in the Iron Mask" to finish first by the smallest margin yet in its meteoric run on the weekly charts. The film earned \$17.6 million, \$300,000 ahead of its competitor. Both star Leonardo DiCaprio.

The next challenge for the disaster epic will come Friday, with the debuts of "Wild Things" and "Primary Colors." "Wild Things" is a highly promoted teen thriller and "Primary Colors" is an adaptation of the best-selling novel about a philandering presidential candidate. For now, "Titanic" remains at the top of the heap. On Saturday night, "Titanic" passed "Star Wars" as the

top-grossing movie (not adjusting for inflation) in North America and has collected some \$471.4 million. "Star Wars" has earned \$461 million since its release in 1977.

"Titanic" also has matched the mark for most straight weekends at No. 1, tying the record set by 1982's "Tootsie" and 1984's "Beverly Hills

Cop." The opening for "The Man in the Iron Mask," the only new film in wide release, was disappointing. Producer MGM was hoping the period drama featuring DiCaprio in dual roles would earn more than \$20 million.



WASHINGTON (AP) - A group of economists who take their cues

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MILTON BERLE

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) - At 89, there are few jokes Milton Berle hasn't told or heard or made his own.

"You've heard of Alzheimer's disease? He's got Berlesheimer's disease. He forgets everything except other people's jokes," comic Dick Capri said.

Berle, the cigar-chomping icon who hit vaudeville as a 5-year-old and helped sell America on television with "The Texaco Star Theater" in the 1940s and 1950s, has no plans to retire.

"Waiting for me to retire is like leaving the porch light on for Jimmy Hoffa." Berle said as a roast marking almost 85 years in show business wrapped up Saturday night.

Berle, who turns 90 on July 12 ("if my wife lets me") is still as funny as ever, though there is the occasional "Now, where was I?" between one-liners.

After fellow comics Sid Caesar, Jack Carter, Norm Crosby and Capri took their shots, Berle took over and started rolling.

'It's a thrill to be here tonight," he began. "At my age, it's a thrill to be anywhere."

And then: "This just came over the wires. A tornado hit Camden, N.J. It did \$20 million worth of improvements.'

And, as he gestured to his friends: "Look at these guys. They look like they all slept with Eleanor Roosevelt. Recently!

DIAMOND RIO

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) - The country group Diamond Rio got more than just a guest appearance on the Grand Ole Opry. They also got a surprise invitation to join the cast and quickly accepted.

Bob Whittaker, Opry president and general manager, offered them a regular spot during their guest spot Saturday night on the 72-year-old country show.

On behalf of the group, lead singer Marty Roe accepted, saying, "It's a dream that has gone through generations of my family and all theirs.

The six-member Diamond Rio is the reigning Country Music Association group of the year. Their hits include "Meet in the Middle" and "Imagine That."



Truck, train collide

This tractor-trailer rig was clipped Sunday night by a Burlington Northern-Santa Fe train at a railroad crossing just east of Hereford

off U.S. Hwy. 60. Although the cattle trailer was smashed, no one was injured in the accident.

Americans still moving south, west

WASHINGTON (AP) - Reflecting decisions made at kitchen tables and in corporate beardrooms, Americans last year continued their historic passage from East and North to South and West.

Their moves left demographic maps of counties in many metropoli-tan areas looking like doughnuts, thinner than before in the central core and denser in surrounding counties. Census Bureau examples: Minneapolis-St. Paul, Atlanta, Nashville, Dallas-Fort Worth, San Antonio and others.

The shifts in population are important to the counties involved because numbers of people drive the distribution of dollars from federal and state programs. By and large, fewer people translates to less government help. More people moving to a county opens the gates a little wider.

Releasing its 1997 population estimates on the nation's 3,142 counties, the Census Bureau said that three of the fastest growing in the United States are in booming Colorado with three more in Georgia and one each in South Dakota. Nevada, Virginia and Texas.

Douglas County near Denver experienced 12.9 percent growth, the largest percentage increase of any county in America. The county, part of the Denver-Boulder-Greeley, Colo. consolidated metropolitan statistical area, has experienced more than 109 percent growth since 1990.

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Oklahoma City bomber lashes out at DA

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) -Convicted Oklahoma City bomber Timothy McVeigh lashed out at the man set to prosecute him on state murder charges, calling him a "bloodthirsty killer" obsessed with pursuing a trial.

In a two-page letter dated Feb. 25 and addressed to KOCO-TV reporter Terri Watkins, McVeigh said Oklahoma County District Attorney Robert Macy is "nothing more than a bloodthirsty killer hiding behind the law.

he understood the ramifications of his pleas and was admitting guilt because he was truly guilty.

Real set Chung's sentencing for July 20, a date that will give Chung time to be questioned by prosecutors.

Lobbyist admits lying to FBI in Espy case

ALEXANDRÍA, Va. (AP) Richard Douglas, a former lobbyist for Sun-Diamond Growers of California, pleaded guilty Monday to a charge that he lied to the FBI about giving illegal gratuities to former Agriculture Secretary Mike Espy, said Independent Counsel Donald C. Smaltz.

pleaded innocent to grand theft, and a Jan. 4 trial date was scheduled. The pair avoided eye contact and

did not speak to each other during the brief court hearing. They sat in front-row benches on opposite sides of the courtroom, Lyons surrounded by family and supporters and Ms. Edwards scated next to her attorneys

Researchers link vitamins to frog deformities MINNEAPOLIS (AP) - Scientists

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ANDREW LLOYD WEBBER

LONDON (AP) - Andrew Lloyd Webber says illness is forcing him to slow down, but he won't stop working altogether.

Lloyd Webber, whose hits on stage include "Cats," "Evita" and "Phantom of the Opera," said he began suffering inexplicable flu-like symptoms a decade ago.

'I had every allergy test and went wheat-free, milk-free, wine-free (that was the worst!) until a doctor in New York found I had picked up an amoeba and put me on some very strong drugs that knocked it out." he wrote in this week's Radio Times.

But the illness came back in September, said Lloyd Webber, who will be 50 on Sunday.

"I think I'm going to have to lock myself away and just concentrate on writing - that's the way forward," he said. "I've not been well for a long time and my doctors says I've got to cancel everything. But I can't do that. Musicals are my lifeblood."

CAT STEVENS (Yusuf Islam)

LONDON (AP) - More than 20 years after hanging up his guitar, the artist formerly known as Cat Stevens surfaced Monday to promote an album he helped record for victims of the Bosnian conflict.

Yusuf Islam, as he is now known, wrote two songs on the charity album but sings only one - "The Little Ones.

"It's a reminder of the place that music plays in the life of a Muslim, and, indeed, in everyone's life," he said, flanked by politicians at the House of Commons. "Nobody can stop songs from emanating from the human soul."

The creator of such songs as "Wild World," "Morning has Broken" and "Peace Train" abandoned his career in 1977 and dedicated his life to spreading the Muslim faith.

In 1995, Bosnia Foreign Minister Irfan Ljubijankic gave him a cassette of a song he had written and recorded. "I Have No Cannons that Roar." Ljubijankic was killed soon after, when rebel Serbs shot down his helicopter, and his death prompted Islam to create the album.

Islam plays no guitar on the album. "I personally don't want to pick up a guitar again," he said. "I don't feel like it. I'm much more of a poet.

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"In defiance of all logic and reason he seems hell bent on going ahead with a state trial," McVeigh wrote

The letter also said "if 'Cowboy Bob' and his lynch mob can't wait three short years, then I'm sure my newly appointed state trial lawyers would be happy to bill the taxpayers of Oklahoma for a year of pretrial motions anyway.

Demo fund-raiser says plea "new beginning"

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Democratic fund-raiser Johnny Chung admitted funneling \$20,000 in illegal contributions to the Clinton-Gore re-election campaign, calling his guilty plca "a new beginning of my life

Chung also said he directed \$8,000 in tainted money to the campaign of Sen. John Kerry, D-Mass., was guilty of tax evasion and fraudulently obtained a \$157,500 loan on his home.

In a statement issued by his office, Smaltz said Douglas admitted that he lied to the FBI about a variety of matters, including giving Espy about \$17,000 in illegal gratuities on behalf of Sun-Diamond Growers, which had matters pending before the Agriculture Department at the time.

Smaltz noted that a jury conviction of Douglas in San Francisco in 1997 on a charge of giving \$7,600 in illegal gratuities to Espy was set aside last month because the trial court ruled that Douglas should not have been prosecuted in the Northern District of California.

Church leader, worker enter innocent pleas

CLEARWATER, Fla. (AP) - For the first time since he was accused of misusing church funds, the president of the National Baptist Convention U.S.A. Inc. appeared with his alleged co-conspirator.

The Rev. Henry J. Lyons and "Yes, your honor," he said convicted embezzler Bernice to assist" now that the investigation repeatedly Monday as U.S. District Edwards pleaded innocent Monday has been turned over to "objective Judge Manuel Real inquired whether to racketeering charges. Lyons also and competent professionals.

trying to figure out what's causing frogs from California to Maine to sprout extra legs have come up with a possible answer that seems absurdly simple: vitamins.

A group of vitamin A compounds called retinoids may be at least partly responsible for the frog deformities that have been found in 32 states, said David Gardiner, a specialist in human limb regeneration at the University of California at Irvine.

Retinoids are vitamin A compounds and include retinoic acid, a hormone that regulates several key aspects of development in vertebrates. Excess amounts of retinoic acid produce birth defects in humans.

Ramseys say probe of police needed

DENVER (AP) - A grand jury investigation into the death of JonBenet Ramsey would be fine with the little girl's parents - if it also looks at the behavior of the police. Lawyers for John and Patsy

Ramsey lambasted police in a letter to District Attorney Alex Hunter on Monday, saying the family "is eager



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