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## NEWS *in brief*

### Hereford ISD to receive \$14.5 million in grant money for construction

Hereford Independent School District has been awarded \$14.5 million in grant money for classroom construction.

HISD is among 148 school districts named by the Texas Education Agency sharing the \$200 million set aside by lawmakers during the 1997 legislative session. House Bill 4 set aside the funds to provide money for the construction of new classrooms and other instructional facilities.

The HISD administration has been working since September to put the district in a position to qualify for the funding.

Before filing its application, HISD had to submit preliminary plans and costs to the state. Part of the preliminary plans included the hiring of architect Joel Mills out of San Antonio. Mills has completed several studies, project plans and recommendations to the school board and the state.

"This grant will allow us to eliminate some portable buildings and accommodate some of the ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) codes," Superintendent Jack Patton said.

The grant money will be used for a new vocational education/tech prep center, an improved fine arts center and additional physical education facilities at the High School; and a new 30-classroom wing at Hereford Junior High. The funds for these projects will be made available starting in March. The school board and the staff will complete construction plans in the coming months.

"We're looking at possibly a two-year project, once the funds are made available to completion," Patton said.

### Filing to begin in February for four seats on City Commission; election to be May 2

Filing will begin Feb. 16 for four seats on the Hereford City Commission. The filing will run through March 18.

Early voting will be April 15-28. On election day, all ballots will be cast at the Hereford Community Center, 100 Ave. C.

Voters will be asked to elect two at-large commissioners, as well as fill two single-member district spots.

The at-large seats now are held by Roger Eades and Carey Black; the single-member district seats are held by Eugene Condarco, Place 2, and Wayne Winget, Place 4.

Condarco is completing the unexpired term of Joe Soliz Jr., who resigned last summer.

### Pope urges Cubans against fear, criticizes policy on abortion, closing of Catholic schools

HAVANA (AP) - "Be not afraid" was Pope John Paul II's message to Cubans on his first full day on the island, a day that began with criticism of government policy on abortion and the closing of Catholic schools and ended with an appeal to free some prisoners.

After a private meeting between the pope and Fidel Castro, the Vatican announced late Thursday that the government had agreed to consider freeing some prisoners who had asked the pontiff to present their cases to the Cuban leader.

Earlier in the day, amid the lilting, romantic beat of maracas and drums, the pontiff celebrated Mass in the provincial city of Santa Clara, appealing for sexual morality and restoration of Catholic education.

"The family, the school and the church must form an educational community in which the children of Cuba can 'grow in humanity.' Do not be afraid; open your families and schools to the values of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, which are never a threat to any social project," the pope said.

The pope is scheduled today to say Mass in Camaguey, an old, eastern city of white colonial buildings and lush interior gardens where the pontiff is to talk about youth.

On Thursday, the Vatican announced the possible concession on freeing prisoners after the pope met privately with President Fidel Castro, an opportunity long awaited by John Paul to set down his vision for his church in Cuba.

Requests from Cuban prisoners asking John Paul to press for an act of clemency were put forward by the Vatican's secretary of state in separate talks during the pope-Castro meeting, said papal spokesman Joaquin Navarro-Valls.

### Kaczynski pleads guilty to bring an end to Unabomber case, gets life in prison

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) - The angry rantings of Theodore Kaczynski ended the deadly reign of the Unabomber. Word by venomous word, they also helped send him to prison for the rest of his life.

Facing evidence that included diary pages filled with his own damning statements and told he could not defend himself in court, Kaczynski brought an end to the nation's longest serial bombing case Thursday with a few quiet words: "Guilty, your honor."

Kaczynski pleaded guilty to 13 federal charges covering five bombings, including two deaths in Sacramento and one in New Jersey. The agreement resolves all federal charges against Kaczynski, who also admitted his role in Unabomber attacks for which he had not been charged.

The 55-year-old mathematics professor turned mountain hermit entered the last-minute plea on the day a jury was finally to be sworn in and opening statements were to begin.

Had Kaczynski been convicted, the man diagnosed as a paranoid schizophrenic could have faced death by injection. The agreement calls for life in prison without parole when he is formally sentenced May 15.

## TEXAS vs. TOBACCO

### Judge OKs settlement, attorney fees

TEXARKANA, Texas (AP) - A federal judge has approved Texas' \$15.3 billion settlement with the tobacco industry, giving himself oversight of how the largest settlement in U.S. litigation history will be distributed.

"A brighter future for Texas and the health care of its poorest children has been sealed by the court's signature," Attorney General Dan Morales said after U.S. District Judge David Folsom signed the deal Thursday.

Morales said Texans will see lower health and insurance costs, while businesses will boost productivity because fewer workers will be out with health problems.

Under the terms of the agreement announced last week, the \$1.2 billion first-year payout was earmarked for a variety of health-care services for all Texans, children's health care, anti-smoking education and enforcement. The rest of the money is to be paid out over the next 24 years.

Folsom said he will handle any disputes over how the money is spent. The judge also said he would oversee payments made to private lawyers hired to represent Texas in its lawsuit, which sought to win compensation for the expense of providing health care to smokers.

Folsom said he thought the contracted fee of 15 percent, worth a total of \$2.3 billion, was reasonable. He instituted a \$100 million cap each year on the legal fee payments, and the money will be funded by arrangements

made in a pending national settlement or by the tobacco companies under the state's deal.

The state has questioned whether it should have to pay the attorneys 15 percent for a case that did not go to trial.

"If press reports are accurate and attorneys have been awarded \$2.3 billion in attorneys' fees, Gov. Bush believes that amount is clearly excessive and outrageous," said Karen Hughes, a spokeswoman for Gov. George W. Bush.

Florida, which reached an \$11 billion settlement with the tobacco industry in August, also has struggled with payments to 12 lawyers who assisted it in its case. On Thursday, a judge ordered that legal fees be decided by an independent, three-person panel.

Five of the lawyers object to the panel and are suing to keep an original deal in which they were entitled to receive a 25 percent contingency fee, which could amount to \$2.8 billion over 25 years.

In St. Paul, Minn., jury selection was continuing in Minnesota's lawsuit against the industry. The state and Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota are suing for \$1.75 billion in medical costs for treating smoking-related illnesses, alleging tobacco companies concealed the dangers of smoking for decades.



Tom Simons (left photo), president of the Deaf Smith County United Way board of directors, praised volunteers and companies for UW's successful year. Weldon Knabe (at left in right photo) receives Volunteer of the Year Award from Simons.

## United Way cites firms, volunteers

By DIANNA F. DANDRIDGE  
Staff Writer

Volunteers and companies who worked to help the Deaf Smith County United Way reach its goal were honored Thursday at the organization's annual meeting.

"For three consecutive years, our community has met its goal," Tom Simons, president of the UW board of directors, said.

"There were many years we did not meet our goal, but thanks to the efforts and dedication of the volunteers and the citizens of Deaf Smith County, we have met our goal."

The 1997 UW campaign met its goal of \$132,000.

Among those honored this year were the companies in the "Leadership Giving Circle."

Companies in the Silver Circle, contributors of up to \$2,000, were AZTX, Cattle Town Inc., Lion's Club, Kiwanis, Energas, Plains Insurance, Craig Smith, George Warner Seed, Garrison-Townsend Seed, Holly Sugar, Hereford Grain, Southwestern Public Service, and Deaf Smith Electric.

The Gold Circle members, contributors of up to \$3,000, were Caviness Packing and Hereford State Bank.

The Platinum Circle, contributors of up to \$5,000, is Arrowhead Mills, First Bank Southwest, Merrick Pet Foods, Nutri-Feeds and Hereford Bi-products.

The businesses which make up the PACE division - Hereford Regional

Medical Center, Hereford Independent School District, City of Hereford, Arrowhead Mills, Southwestern Public Service, First Bank Southwest, West Texas Rural Telephone and Services, Hereford State Bank, Deaf Smith Electric and Poarch Brothers - contributed \$63,700, 48 percent of the agency's goal.

Deaf Smith Electric earned the Hustler 100 award by having 100 percent employee participation.

The Mustang Award recognizes small businesses and its employees that actively support the United Way in volunteer efforts, campaign support and gifts-in-kind. This year's recipient was *The Hereford Brand* and its employees.

The Whiteface Award recognizes students in the school system who exhibit civic responsibility and positive learning attitude. Students from West Central Intermediate and Hereford Junior High shared these awards.

Dave Jorghenson of Alco was the winner of the Longhorn Award, which recognizes the contributions of a new company.

Champion of the Plains Award, the highest award given by the United Way, recognizes employees of the company that exhibits the ideal in commitment to the well being of our community through United Way, was presented to the City of Hereford.

PACE and the members of the Giving Circle contributed more than \$83,000.

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## 'ZIPPERGATE'

### Clinton's behavior called 'stupid,' if true

WASHINGTON (AP) - As details of an alleged White House affair dribbled out, many Americans were giving President Clinton the benefit of the doubt but warned that there is only so much they can stomach.

"I believe his behavior was entirely inappropriate and stupid, if it's true," said Barbara Rhodie, 55, a film producer from Heathrow, Fla.

"If it's true," said Jacki Brune, 31, of Los Angeles, "I think he should be impeached."

The buzz in bars, the talk on TV and the chatter in cafes across the country Thursday turned to the topic of Monica Lewinsky, a 24-year-old former White House intern and employee. She is said to have told a friend in secretly taped conversations that she and the president had an affair. But she later signed an affidavit in the Paula Jones sexual harassment case denying the affair.

Whitewater prosecutor Kenneth Starr is investigating whether Clinton or presidential confidant Vernon Jordan urged Lewinsky to lie. Clinton has denied the affair

and efforts to cover it up.

Polls immediately after the allegations became public suggested that a narrow majority of Americans were prepared to believe Clinton and Lewinsky had a sexual relationship. Still, most Americans said they didn't want Clinton out of office.

What has Americans most upset: The possibility that Clinton may have asked her to lie under oath. A quick ABC poll Wednesday night found that 53 percent of those surveyed said Clinton should resign if he had had an affair and told the woman to lie about it.

"Telling her to lie, that's what crosses the line," said Jamie Phace, 22, of Portland, Ore.

Julie Roe, shopping at the Kirkwood Mall in Bismarck, N.D., said he should be left alone to do his job, unless he lied under oath.

"Then he has to be impeached," Roe, 65, said. "He has to pay the consequences just like anybody else."

Others were offended by Lewinsky's age and allegations that she had sex with Clinton in the White House.

"Her age bothers me. She was just 21, probably pretty naive," said Lynn Westerman, 51, of Little Rock, Ark. "If the allegations are proven, I think it would probably be honorable to resign."

Yet many voters seemed eager to excuse any presidential affairs.

For many Americans, it's old news. He was elected in 1992 amid allegations of extramarital affairs and "they've decided to dismiss it," said Rod Strickland, a 38-year-old Detroit attorney.

A few voters wondered if Clinton is being set up.

"I could say I've had an affair with Clinton and he tried to romance me and I'm sure Ken Starr would be happy with that," said Al Blum of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., lugging a duffle bag through the Charlotte, N.C., airport.

### House to await Starr's findings before an inquiry

WASHINGTON (AP) - If Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr finds credible evidence that President Clinton tried to get a former White House intern to lie under oath, his findings could trigger a House impeachment inquiry - if the Watergate example is followed.

The House is unlikely to do anything until Starr investigates the allegations. But key lawmakers said if an impeachment inquiry eventually begins, it likely would expand far beyond the perjury allegation that enabled Starr to expand his Whitewater investigation.

Legal experts said it will not be easy for Starr to prove that Clinton tried to get former intern Monica

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## Local Roundup

### PSAT discussion

A meeting to discuss the results of the PSAT and plan test has been scheduled for 6:30 p.m., Jan. 26, at the High School Library.

Marsha Winget, junior counselor and Gayle Binder, sophomore counselor will distribute the results of the tests which were taken in October and December.

There will be a brief presentation on the interpretation of these results and how the students can use this information to plan for the future. All students who participated in this testing and their parents are encouraged to attend.

### Democratic ballot

Democratic voters will be able to let the state party know where they stand on three propositions approved for the March 10 primary ballot.

The three nonbinding propositions are:

1. Do you support a change in law requiring health maintenance organizations (HMO) to offer Texans an option to choose their own doctor?
2. Do you support a constitutional amendment prohibiting sales taxes on food and medicine?
3. Do you support a plan to better recruit and retain qualified teachers in Texas classrooms and to make computers accessible for education to all students in Texas public schools?

### County commissioners

Deaf Smith County commissioners will meet at 8 a.m. Monday in the commissioners courtroom at the courthouse, 235 E. 3rd.

The commissioners will discuss the 1998 programming events for the county extension office, appoint members to the child welfare board, consider extension of the lease with the Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services, and adopt new street names for the San Jose community.

### Mostly clear

Tonight, with low in lower 20s.

Saturday and Sunday, mostly clear, high in lower 60s and low 25 to 30.

Monday, partly cloudy, low near 30 and high in mid-50s.

#### THURSDAY RECAP

High, 48; low, 28; no precipitation.

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## Local Roundup

### Veterinarian stops screwworm infestation

SAN ANTONIO (AP) - A San Antonio veterinarian is being credited with preventing a reinfestation of screwworm flies, a pest that cost U.S. ranchers hundreds of millions of dollars and infected humans as well before it was controlled.

The threat of reinfestation has prompted federal authorities to consider tougher regulations on pets entering the United States, which currently has no domestic animal quarantine.

Federal officials say Dr. Sheryl Proctor, a veterinarian at the Ellison Drive Animal Hospital, discovered screwworm infestation last Nov. 21 in a basset hound.

Laboratory tests confirmed the infestation and federal health investigators were called in, said Dr. Dave Wilson, a senior staff entomologist with the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service in Bethesda, Md.

The dog's owners, a military family, brought the animal to the veterinarian because it was limping, Proctor said.

### Man shoots 64 emus rather than let them starve

WEATHERFORD, Texas (AP) - An elderly man shot and killed 64 of his 76 emus because he could no longer afford to feed the flightless birds, a Parker County deputy says.

Parker County Chief Deputy Larry Fowler said the 76-year-old man who lives near Cool was in the process of shooting the emus Thursday when the deputy responded to a report of gunfire and found the dead birds.

The man, who was not identified, has not been charged, but officers are investigating the incident.

Officers said the man said he decided to shoot the birds rather than let them starve to death. He had killed all but 12 when the deputy arrived.

Fowler urged other emu owners to find another way to solve their problem.

### TV reported found slain

TEMPLE, Texas (AP) - Television news reporter Kathryn Dettman had plans to start a new job next week at the CBS affiliate in Dallas. She never made it.

The 36-year-old was found beaten to death in her Temple, Texas apartment Thursday, and police are questioning a neighbor they found covered in blood who had been calling her.

Dettman had just stepped out of the shower when she was attacked. Police found no signs of a break-in at her second-floor unit at the Wildwood Apartments, police spokesman Tony Hennes said.

Charges were not filed Thursday, as the man faced more interrogation and remained in custody, Hennes said. An autopsy was pending.

"According to some friends of Kathryn, the young man ... had been calling her a lot. But she seemed unconcerned about it," Hennes said. Neighbors reported the man lived in the same complex as the victim.

### Mowbray deliberations continue

BROWNSVILLE, Texas (AP) - A jury deliberated nearly five hours without reaching a verdict in the murder retrial of a woman who spent nine years in prison for the 1987 death of her husband.

The eight-woman, four-man panel was told to return this morning to continue considering whether Susie Mowbray shot her husband to death or whether he killed himself.

If the jury cannot reach a verdict, prosecutors said they would re-evaluate the case before deciding whether to try Mrs. Mowbray a third time.

Deliberations began Thursday just moments after a dramatic courtroom outburst by Mrs. Mowbray, who broke into tears and screamed, "I didn't do it! I didn't do it! Please don't let them do this to me again!"

Collapsing onto the defense table, Mrs. Mowbray sobbed and quivered as she continued to proclaim her innocence. The jury stared at her, stone-faced.

### Texas Supreme Court rules against ex-partner

AUSTIN (AP) - A partner who was expelled from her law firm after blowing the whistle on another partner whom she suspected of overbilling has lost an argument in the Texas Supreme Court.

In a 6-2 ruling, the Supreme Court on Thursday upheld a decision by a lower court to overturn more than \$4 million in damages awarded to Colette Bohatch, who had been a partner in the Washington office of the Houston-based law firm Butler & Binion.

Ms. Bohatch contends she was told by the firm in 1990 to find another job after she reported that the managing partner of the office, John McDonald, was overbilling Pennzoil, the office's chief client.

Ms. Bohatch said McDonald was taking long lunches, shopping trips and practicing photography during office hours and billing Pennzoil for 11- and 12-hour work days when he would only put in three to four hours.

# Riley easily handles audience queries

PORTLAND, Texas (AP) - A freshman at Gregory-Portland High School was impressed with how Education Secretary Richard Riley handled questions thrown at him during one of two "town hall" meetings he attended in Texas on Thursday.

"In the beginning when he was telling jokes I thought he would be just another old man," said Catherine Polinard, a 14-year-old Gregory-Portland freshman. "I was impressed with the way he could answer questions so quickly without thinking."

What she didn't realize was that all the questions were screened by Riley's staff in advance - kind of like a student getting to see the questions the night before a test.

The nation's top-ranking education official, along with U.S. Rep. Ruben Hinojosa, D-Mercedes, spoke Thursday morning to several hundred students at Gregory-Portland High School.

Thursday afternoon, they presided over a similar meeting in McAllen. Maria Garza, a biology and chemistry teacher who brought a group of students from Ben Bolt-Palio Blanco High School, said the visit was a good way for students to

learn about some education issues.

But she said she wished there could have been a wider forum for asking questions.

She wanted to hear about ways rural schools could find money to link up to the Internet and how they could improve vocational training programs in high school to appeal to the many students who were not interested in going to college, she said.

"If some of these programs were offered at the high school level, it would be great," Ms. Garza told the Corpus Christi Caller-Times.

Before Riley was whisked off to McAllen, students in the Corpus

Christi area had time to ask Riley only four questions - which Riley staffers handed to them minutes before his arrival, according to one of the students.

Riley urged the students to prepare now to continue their education beyond high school. Nearly all of the new jobs being created require workers to possess more skills than they will learn in high school, he said.

"Education beyond high school has never been more important than it is today," Riley told about 750 students at Gregory-Portland High School.

"In today's work world, those with solid reading and math skills, those with some college education and those with some computer skills have a good chance to get ahead, a good opportunity to get on the right course for a bright future," he said.

Neither Riley nor Hinojosa discussed ways to address the educational problems specific to South Texas.

There was also no discussion of the controversial questions surrounding bilingual education, despite publication of recent studies showing Hispanic students drop out of high school at more than twice the rate of white students.

The questions given to students selected to sit on a panel for the question-and-answer portion of the visit focused on several of the same issues that are part of President Clinton's 10-point call for improved education for the 21st century.

Regarding national education standards, Riley said it is appropriate for states and local school districts to set their own standards, but said the federal government should recommend standards based on tests given to students around the world.

Another question about federal aid to college students led Riley to discuss the \$1,500 Hope Scholarships, which provide tax credits to the families of college students, and other newly implemented tax credits geared toward vocational training programs.



### Proclamation signing

Mayor Bob Jossorand signs a proclamation declaring Jan. 25-31 as Catholic Schools Week in Hereford. Students from St. Anthony's Catholic School on hand to observe the signing were, from left, Benjamin Paetzold, Phillip Kahlich, Heather Warren and Katie Marnell. Members of the community are invited to visit St. Anthony's School any day next week.

# Attorneys challenge 'net statements

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (AP) - Authorities who may want to use statements made over the Internet in the case of a man accused of raping a 4-year-old girl would have to show the statements are authentic, a lawyer says.

David Robert Blaylock, 55, of Nimrod, is being sought in the case on 10 felony warrants.

Investigators named the suspect after a Fort Worth, Texas, couple told police of e-mail and Internet chats in which their correspondent bragged of having sex with a 4-year-old girl.

Perry County Sheriff Ray Byrd said Blaylock is an entertainer who travels for his work and said authorities don't know where he is.

Lt. Mark Krey of the Fort Worth Police Department said the couple

came forward to report their online conversations after exchanging e-mail and chatting with a man, using capabilities that allow people to exchange messages as they're typed on a computer.

The man eventually gave his chat partners a telephone number, which was used to track him down. Krey said the man had met his correspondents online.

To get any statements made over the Internet into court, authorities would have to show that they're relevant and that they're authentic, said Richard Ziegler, an attorney with the New York law firm of Cleary Gottlieb Steen and Hamilton who is knowledgeable on evidentiary issues.

"How do you attribute this statement on the Internet to a particular human being? That

certainly can be done in theory," he said.

Authorities can try to trace the statements' origin through the screen name that was used to write them, by subpoenaing the Internet service provider and finding out who has that screen name, Ziegler said.

"It may be enough for admissibility to show that screen name was his name. Maybe the burden would shift to him to show that other people used the screen name or could have used the screen name," Ziegler said.

Krey said his agency had dealt with crimes involving the Internet before, but those typically involve people using the Internet to sell or distribute child pornography. Ziegler said that if people were

more aware of how susceptible e-mail is to being read by people other than its intended recipient, they would probably be more careful of what they say online.

"There may be lots of admissions or confessions over the Internet. That's not enough. Somebody has to report it to the authorities," he said.

The concept of privacy in e-mail has become a burning issue in federal circles, Ziegler said. A recent federal law makes it a crime to intercept e-mail, he said.

But recipients can disclose e-mails they receive, Krey said.

"Once the writer of that transmits the document to another party, that document becomes the property of the recipient party. They can do with their property what they want," Krey said.

# Armed military patrol still needed

WASHINGTON (AP) - Congress should scrutinize a rumored Pentagon move to abandon the use of armed military patrols for anti-drug operations, says the author of House legislation that would authorize the deployment of up to 10,000 troops along the U.S.-Mexico border.

"Now is not the time to terminate one of the few successful initiatives we have had in stemming the flow of illegal drugs over the border," Rep. James Traficant, D-Ohio, wrote Thursday in requesting hearings of the House military personnel subcommittee. "Our country is being invaded by narco-terrorists and illegal aliens."

The Defense Department last year suspended the use of armed military personnel for border anti-drug reconnaissance after a West Texas teen-ager was fatally shot by a U.S. Marine patrolling the area near Redford, Texas. The moratorium remains in place pending completion of a Pentagon policy review.

Quoting an unnamed senior defense official, Scripps Howard News Service last week reported the decision had been made to recommend termination of the program to Defense Secretary William Cohen because of the legal liability to the troops and the modest size of the drug

seizures.

The Pentagon has declined to officially confirm that report.

Last year, military patrols operating in support of border anti-drug missions were credited with the seizure of 11,813 kilos of cocaine, 144 kilos of heroin and 135,589 kilos of marijuana, said Maureen Bossch, a spokeswoman for Joint Task Force Six, the military anti-drug detail based out of Fort Bliss in El Paso, Texas.

For every \$1 spent on JTF Six, the military seizes \$50 in drugs, Defense Department spokeswoman Cheryl Irwin said Thursday.

In his letter Thursday to Rep. Steve Buyer, R-Ind., requesting hearings of Buyer's subcommittee, Traficant wrote: "We should not abandon a sound military strategy because of one accidental shooting."

Buyer's office had no immediate comment.

Last year, the House adopted Traficant's legislation allowing the deployment of up to 10,000 troops to the border. But the legislation died when the Senate refused to go along. Traficant has vowed to try again this year.

The use of soldiers along the border has been controversial since it began in 1990 at the behest of

Congress. Critics say the deployments are in violation of an 1878 law that prohibits the military from engaging in domestic police work. Others point out that soldiers are trained for battlefield conditions, not law enforcement operations.

Even though armed patrols were suspended following the death of 18-year-old Esequiel Hernandez Jr., the military's presence along the border remains controversial.

Troops still are used to provide

support to the Border Patrol, building roads and helicopter landing pads, providing training and doing aerial reconnaissance. A new operation involving more than 500 troops brought in to South Texas to build or improve 240 miles of roads has touched off another round of criticism.

The Mexican-American Legal Defense and Educational Fund this week filed suit to halt the construction the military is doing to assist the Border Patrol, claiming that the work will adversely affect the environment.

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## Emergency services

Activities reported by emergency services personnel for Jan. 22, 1998 include the following:

#### Police Department Arrests

--An 18-year-old man was arrested in the 700 block of Avenue G for assault, domestic violence.

--A 33-year-old man was arrested in the 600 block of Irving for assault, domestic violence.

--A 38-year-old man was arrested in the 500 block of West First for public intoxication and disorderly conduct.

--An assault was reported in the 300 block of Avenue I.

--Disorderly conduct was reported in the 200 block of Avenue F.

--Criminal mischief was reported in the 700 block of South 385.

--An unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was reported in the 600 block of Bowie.

#### Accidents

--One minor accident was reported at Park Avenue and North Miles.

**LOTTO TEXAS**  
TEXAS LOTTERY  
AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Thursday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 3-3-0  
AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Thursday by the Texas Lottery: 2-17-22-28-39

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# Lifestyles



## Display of finery

Currently available for viewing in the Deaf Smith County Museum is this display of ladies "after-five" accessories. Items included in the display include evening bags, shoes, jewelry and scarves



from the late 1800s to the 1960s. The museum is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday (including most holidays) and Sundays by appointment.

## Ann Landers

**Dear Ann Landers:** My husband and I have been married for almost 20 years. We have two children, ages 7 and 11. Over the years, we have had our ups and downs, but we treat one another in a civilized manner and are dedicated parents.

About three years ago, when "George" turned 40, our marriage began to fall apart. I saw the signs but didn't know what to do about it. I am sure he would have walked out on me if it weren't for the children. I blamed myself for the problems and suggested counseling. I was very relieved when he agreed to go with me. We went for eight joint sessions, which were somewhat helpful, but then, George didn't want to continue. I am still seeing the same therapist, but George has switched to a psychologist with whom he talks on the phone. He doesn't share with me what goes on during his phone sessions.

Here is the real problem, Ann. I don't think George feels anything for me anymore. I still love him, and we have sex occasionally, but when I ask him about our relationship, he says, "It's OK."

I feel so alone. I'm sure George is just sticking around until the kids are older and then he will leave me. We still have good family times together, but I don't know if I can live another 10 years like this. Should I put up with it for the sake of the children? Should I try to get him to go back with me to the marriage counselor? What's your advice? -- Torn Up in California

**Dear California:** I recommend resuming joint counseling -- and let George pick the counselor. You say you have sex "occasionally." That's a good sign. I suggest that you have sex more often, even if you have to initiate it. A little female aggressive-

ness under the sheets never hurts a marriage. I recommend it.

**Dear Ann Landers:** Most of your how-we-met stories are really beautiful, even though some of your younger readers think they are corny. I hope you will print mine.

In 1950, I had tuberculosis and was confined at the National Jewish Hospital in Denver, one of the finest respiratory research centers in the world. While there, I met a female patient. I was from New York and Jewish. She was from Texas and Baptist. She thought I was a boisterous Yankee. I thought she had the face of an angel.

In the few months we spent at the hospital, we became good friends but nothing more. When she left Denver, we stayed in touch. Several months later, I won a contest, and the first prize was a diamond ring. I took a chance and mailed it to her. She accepted the ring, which I interpreted

as her agreement to marry me. I was right.

In 1952, we went to Denver to get married. The wedding cost all of \$16, including the taxi, the justice of the peace and the license. There were no photographs, no parties, no relatives and no gifts, but we didn't care. All we wanted was each other.

This May, we will be married 46 years. We have four wonderful children, four terrific grandchildren and a beautiful great grandchild. That \$16 was the best investment I ever made. I look at the dividends and smile. -- Still in Love in Houston

**Dear Houston:** Of all the "how we met" letters I have read over the years, yours certainly is one of the most charming. (My "butt-kissing staff" agrees.) Thank you for sending that heartwarmer my way.

**Gem of the Day** (Credit Gloria Steinem): A woman without a man is like a fish without a bicycle.

## Hospital Notes

Report from Hereford Regional Medical Center for Jan. 23:

Admitted: Zoe Williams.

Dismissed: John Balderez, Esther Boozer, Alepsa Gonzalez.

## Elton John makes deal with Citibank

MIAMI (AP) - Now that Elton John has struck a sponsorship deal with Citibank, he's already breaking new ground on the road.

John will appear in the bank's commercials in exchange for sponsorship of his "Big Picture" concert tour and a \$1 million donation to his AIDS foundation, a donation the bank made Thursday.

## Church News

### NEW HOPE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

13th and Avenue H  
Pastor Elda Olivarez and congregation invite you to worship with them.

Sunday School is at 9:30 a.m. and morning worship is at 10:30. Evening worship is at 6 on Sunday and 7 on Wednesday.

The youth meet Friday at 7 p.m. There are monthly meetings for men and women.

New Hope Church of the Nazarene was founded by Pastor Olivarez in June 1992, right in the center of the barrio. We are reaching out to single mothers, teenagers, the elderly and lots of children.

We would like to thank all who were involved in our Vision of "expanding out to reach out." Our

new addition will include four Sunday school rooms, a cry room, fellowship hall and restrooms.

We are still praying and raising funds to complete our Vision.

### CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST

Come worship with us each and every Sunday at 10:25 a.m. and 6 p.m. Bible Classes are held Sunday at 9:30 a.m. and Wednesday at 7 p.m. for all ages.

We are located at the corner of Sunset and Plains.

We would love to have you come and study God's word with us. Our minister is Tom Bailey.

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## Menus

### HEREFORD I.S.D.

#### Breakfast

MONDAY-Waffle stix with syrup; or cereal, cinnamon raisin toast, rosemary applesauce, milk choice.

TUESDAY-Breakfast pizza; or cereal, cinnamon raisin toast, orange wedges, milk choice.

WEDNESDAY-Scrambled eggs with ham, flour tortilla; or cereal, cinnamon raisin toast, diced peaches, milk choice.

THURSDAY-Little smokie, biscuit and jelly; or cereal, cinnamon raisin toast, orange juice, milk choice.

FRIDAY-Texas style cinnamon toast with honey; or cereal, cinnamon raisin toast, banana, milk choice.

#### Lunch

MONDAY-Chicken strips with gravy, fluffy potatoes, green peas, whole wheat rolls, hot apple raisin cobbler, milk choice.

TUESDAY-Baked potato with chili and cheese, cabbage, apple and raisin salad, green beans, sour cream, cornbread, strawberry apple dessert, milk choice.

WEDNESDAY-Toasted ham and

cheese sandwich, vegetable soup, tator tots with catsup, cherry frozen fruit cup, milk choice.

THURSDAY-Taco salad in edible bowl with picante sauce, lettuce and tomatoes, Spanish rice, pinto beans, cowboy bread, fruit salad, milk choice.

FRIDAY-Hamburger, burger fixings, seasoned oven fries with catsup, fresh fruit choice, applesauce cake, milk choice.

ST. ANTHONY'S SCHOOL  
MONDAY-Ham and cheese wraps, vegetarian beans, French fries, mixed fruit, milk.

TUESDAY-Staffed baked potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, apple crisp, milk.

WEDNESDAY-Beef enchiladas, pinto beans, tossed salad, peach cobbler, milk.

THURSDAY-Turkey and gravy, mashed potatoes, sweet peas, rolls, fruity Jello, milk.

FRIDAY-Hamburgers, tator tots, lettuce/tomato, pickle slices, applesauce cake, milk.

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# Church News

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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**

Pastor Terry Cosby and the congregation of First Baptist Church invite you to come worship with them each Sunday. Services are:  
 Sunday school -- 9:45 a.m.  
 Morning Worship -- 10:50 a.m.  
 Evening Worship -- 6:30 p.m.  
 Wednesday activities include:  
 Fellowship dinner -- 5:30 p.m.  
 Children's choir -- 6:50 p.m.  
 Prayer meeting -- 6:15-7 p.m.  
 Hang Time for youth -- 7 p.m.  
 Choir practice -- 7:10 p.m. - 8 p.m.  
 Some other activities include adult Disciples University classes which begin Feb. 1 with orientation at 4 p.m.  
 Sunday classes are "Experiencing God" with Polly Hays, "The Mind of Christ" with Terry Cosby, "Wise Counsel" with Cindy Simmons and "First Place" with Jana Williams. Cost is \$10 per class. If you are interested in taking any of these courses please call the church office, 364-0696, or go by the church and sign up.  
 Baptist Men's breakfast is this Sunday. All men are invited.  
 If you are seeking a strong Bible based education program for your child ages 3 through sixth grade, we invite you to consider AWANA's which meets at 6:50 p.m. Wednesdays. Please call the church office for further information.  
 If you are seeking a warm Christ-centered atmosphere for worship and fellowship, we urge you to come join us in praise and honor of Jesus Christ.

**WESTWAY BAPTIST CHURCH**

What a privilege it is to be able to worship in the house of the Lord. We look forward each Sunday to a "blessed" worship experience together and pray that you will come to be a part of this experience Sunday by Sunday. We encourage you to spend quiet time with the Lord daily and come expecting "His" presence as you enter the doors for worship.  
 We are taught to sing, praise, and worship the Lord and we at Westway Baptist Church are learning anew to do these three things and are being blessed weekly.  
 This Super Bowl Sunday our schedule is somewhat different. It will include Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. and worship at 11 a.m. with a fellowship dinner from 12:15 p.m. to about 1:45 p.m. There will be singing, family skits, etc. from 2-3:15 p.m. then home to enjoy the Super Bowl with family and friends. We will resume our usual schedule next Sunday. We hope you will join us in this special day.

**FAITH MISSION CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**

Come and worship with us at Faith Mission Church of God in Christ, 307-309 Brevard.  
 Sunday School is at 10 a.m. We teach it like it is.  
 Morning worship is at 11 a.m. We preach it like it is.  
 Richard Collins, pastor, said, "We neither take from, nor add to, what's written in The Book."

**WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

Wesley United Methodist Church is located at 410 Irving. Our pastor is Tammy Passmore.  
 We would like to invite everyone to Wesley Church for our Sunday School at 10 a.m. and worship service at 11 a.m. The youth meet at 5 p.m. Sunday.  
 This Sunday is United Methodist Women's Sunday. The ladies of the church will conduct the worship service. We will follow a planned program by the district. Each lady will do a different part of the program. Out-going president Ellen Collins will bring her thoughts on the theme "Hope." Jennifer Eggen will do a children's sermon. The pastor will install the following new officers for the new year: Kee Ruland, president; Charlene Brownlow, vice president; Judith Scruggs, secretary; Geraldine Scott, treasurer; and Billie Jeter, program chairperson.  
 The women meet ever third Wednesday at 7 p.m.  
 Following the worship service on Sunday we will have our monthly church dinner.

**DAWN BAPTIST CHURCH**

Pastor Charles Ellingburg and congregation invite you to worship with them.  
 Sunday School is at 10 a.m. and morning worship is at 11. Nursery is provided for all services.  
 Team Kids meet each Sunday evening at 5:30 p.m. at the Dawn Community Center. Evening worship services are at 6. Pastor Ellingburg is speaking on the Ten Commandments.  
 For more information or prayer needs, contact Pastor Ellingburg at 258-7330.  
 Please join us this Sunday and every Sunday and worship with the Dawn Baptist Church.

**HEREFORD CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**

Pastor Ted Taylor and the Nazarene Church congregation cordially welcome you to our Sunday morning worship service beginning at 10:30. The sermon for is Sunday is titled "God's View of the Harvest" taken from Luke 15: 4-24. Please join us for Sunday school classes beginning at 9:30 a.m.  
 Children, Pastor Carol would like to invite all of you to join her for Children's Church Sunday morning at 10:30 where she will preach on "Evangelism - The Great Commission."  
 Heavenbound Children's Choir will meet at 4 p.m. Sunday and Wednesday at 4 p.m. after school. Teen Choir will be Sunday at 3 p.m. and Wednesday evening at 8:15. There will be a meeting with Pastor Carol at 7 p.m. Wednesday in the Adult Choir room to sign up children for children's talent competition and summer camps. Dry Gulch and Arrowhead.  
 Teens invite everyone to the Teen Dinner after Sunday morning worship service. They will serve roast, potatoes, carrots, homemade bread and desserts.  
 Sunday night Care Groups will meet from 5-5:30 p.m. followed by a "Super Bowl Party" at Pastor Jim's.  
 Join us at Nazarene Kid's Korner Day Care on Wednesdays and Fridays from kid's day out. All children are welcome to come and join in the fund, games and outings we enjoy. Call Leslie Easley at 364-8161 for more information.

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

Dr. Tom Fuller will use "If You Wait 'Til You're Strong" as his sermon topic on Sunday with the scripture lessons taken from Psalms 137: 1-4; II Corinthians 12: 7-10. The Sanctuary Choir will present "My Shepherd Will Supply My Need" as the morning's anthem, and Flint Dollar, pianist, will play "Thy World Is a Lamp Unto my Feet" as the offertory.  
 The Confirmation Class will begin the day's activities with their study session at 9 a.m., followed by church school classes for all age groups at 9:30 a.m. The morning worship is set for 10:45.  
 The youth will meet at 4 p.m. Sunday to discuss the ski trip to Angel Fire. Following the meeting they will go to their designated Super Bowl parties.  
 The church family and the community are invited to join the Koinonia Sunday School Class for a Chili Feed immediately after the morning worship on Feb. 1. A free-will donation will cover the cost, and proceeds from this fund-raiser will go to the renovation fund and to mission projects selected by the class.

**FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**

You are cordially invited to join us for our Sunday morning service to experience worship that heals, preaching that inspires, and ministry that uplifts and delivers. Our Sunday morning service begins at 10:45 and has a simultaneous Children's Church service for kids in grades kindergarten through fifth grade. Our Sunday School classes, for all ages, begin at 9:45 a.m. We also have Sunday evening services that begin at 6. A nursery is provided for all services.  
 Ladies, come join us for our Tuesday morning "Burning Bush" Women's Bible Study at 9. You will be blessed. Your kids will love our Missionettes and Royal Rangers programs (scouting programs for girls and boys). They meet each Tuesday evening from 7-8:15. They have camp-outs, sleep-overs, earn badges, do crafts and much more, yet are distinctly Christ-centered.  
 On Wednesday night is our dynamic Prayer and Bible service characterized by praise and worship, followed by in-depth teaching from the Word of God. Since all Christians are to represent Christ daily, a mid-week service is beneficial to "recharge" for the remainder of the week. The service starts at 7 p.m.  
 While the adults enjoy the Wednesday night service in the sanctuary, the youth gather in Fellowship Hall for their own Youth Service at 7 p.m.

**FIRST UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**

Pastor Warren McKibben is pleased to announce the opening of an Acts 2:38 Bible believing church. We welcome all for a truly down to earth praise and worship experience with our Lord.  
 If you are seeking answers, come and let's worship together in the name of Jesus. If you are looking for a blessing and still believe in miracles, then this is the place to come. We are one big happy family of God.  
 We invite all to attend our services at 2 p.m. Sunday.  
 For further information, call 1-800-454-6051.

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**

We at Calvary Baptist Church extend a hearty welcome for you to attend our Sunday school and church services.  
 When you come, we believe you will especially enjoy the wholesome Christian fellowship and spiritual service. There will be a Sunday school class for every member of your family.  
 Sunday school is at 9:45 a.m. and worship is at 11 a.m.  
 Ray Sanders is the pastor.

**BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**

Pastor Travis Curry and the congregation of Bible Baptist Church would welcome you to worship with us around the Word of God each Sunday at 10 a.m. (for Sunday School) and 11 a.m. (for the preaching service). We also meet at 6 p.m. on Sunday and on Wednesday at 7 p.m. for Prayer and Bible Study.  
 Come help us exalt Christ and His Holy Word. A warm and friendly welcome awaits you at 1204 Moreman. For more information, please call 364-3729, 364-3102 or 364-5157.

**COMMUNITY CHURCH**

Pastor Dorman Duggan and congregation invite you to come and worship and praise with them Sunday morning.  
 Sunday school for all ages begins at 9:30 a.m. and the morning worship service starts at 10:30. A nursery is provided.  
 The Sunday evening service is at 6 and a nursery is again provided.  
 The Intercessory Prayer Group meets Monday night at 7 p.m.  
 Tuesday morning at 9:30 the Ladies Prayer Group meets.  
 On Wednesday we have our Children's Church and Youth Group meet at 7 p.m. Also, we have our Home Groups for anyone over 18-years-of-age. Call 364-8866 for information on places and times for Home Groups.  
 For more information or if you need prayer, call 364-8866 or 364-2423.

**TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH**

Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. and the Sunday worship services are held at 11 a.m. and 5 p.m.  
 Pastor Ed Warren and the church congregation invite the public to all services at the church located on S. Hwy. 385 and Columbia St.  
 For additional information, call 364-3487.

**COUNTRY ROAD CHURCH OF GOD**

401 Country Club Drive  
 Pastor Woody Wiggins and the church congregation invite the public to attend all services and activities at the church.  
 The following is the regular schedule of services.  
 Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. and the Sunday worship services are held at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Services are conducted at 6 p.m. each Wednesday.  
 Thursday evening prayer service is at 6 p.m.  
 Gospel singing will be held the last Sunday of each month starting at 5 p.m.  
 A nursery is provided during all services.  
 Pastor Wiggins says, "Come and experience what God is doing here - a church where the Spirit is alive and God is moving by His power, a church full of love where you are somebody and Jesus is Lord."  
 Our 24 hour prayer line is 364-5390.

**GOD NEWS CHURCH**

400 N. 25 Mile Ave.  
 Sugarland Mall  
 Pastor David Alvarado and the Good News congregation invite you to come and worship the Lord Jesus Christ with us in the spirit of love.  
 Come and experience the goodness of God and His power.  
 Sunday services are at 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Wednesday services are at 7 p.m. There is also a Tuesday worship service at 10 a.m.  
 If you have any questions or you need prayer, please call Pastor David Alvarado at 364-5239. God bless you.

**NEW BEGINNINGS ASSEMBLY OF GOD BILINGUAL CHURCH**

The congregation of New Beginnings along with Pastors Rafael and Linda Rosado would cordially like to invite you to join us this Sunday morning at 9:45 for an incredible study in prophecy. There are classes for all ages, so bring your kids.  
 Sunday evening praise and worship is at 6.  
 Wednesday night Bible study is on the book of Genesis at 7.  
 Youth night service is at 7 p.m. Friday.  
 The ladies meet for prayer and Bible study on Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. If you need prayer call 363-9007 or 364-0210.  
 God bless you. See you in church. We are located at the corner of Bradley and Ironwood, across from West Park Cemetery.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

This Sunday in our 10:30 a.m. worship time, the Rev. Jeremy M. Grant will preach on I Corinthians 16: 1-2. The title of his sermon is "Choose Your Method."  
 You are more than welcome to join us for Bible study in one of our Sunday morning classes at 9:15. We have a nondenominational class for people with special needs. We also have classes for young married and singles, other adults, youth, elementary age, preschool and a nursery.  
 After church the youth will have "A Souper Bowl of Caring." Collections of canned goods and \$1 by their favorite team will be taken for the Good Shepherd Food Pantry.  
 At 10:10 a.m., we gather each Sunday for a cup of coffee, a goodie and great fellowship. Come and meet a friend this Sunday.  
 The First Presbyterian Prayer Group gathers for the lifting of joys and concerns to God at 6 p.m. on Mondays.  
 No Adult Bible Study group on Monday this week, but they will meet again on Feb. 2.  
 Little Blessings Day Care is open from 7:45 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday. Space is limited. Call 364-2472 for reservations.  
 Visitation Team meeting is the first and third Wednesday of each month at 10 a.m.  
 Adult Choir will practice on Wednesday at 7 p.m.  
 LOGOS - Winter Wonderland - meet at 5 p.m. Wednesday.  
 For more information, call the church office between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. at 364-2471.

**FELLOWSHIP OF BELIEVERS**

It is unusual for the Fellowship of Believers to have a business-type meeting. This Sunday will be one of those unusual events. Through a process of consensus, FOB will select her administrator and secretary for 1998. These two persons will guide the church in matters of management and ministry. The church will trust these two persons explicitly. Church government-by-consensus is built on a profound trust within the congregation.  
 Following the annual report by '97 Administrator Lajeane Henry, Pastor Stone will present a brief challenge to the church and to himself. Based on the lectionary epistle, First Corinthians 12:31-13:13, the pastoral challenge will be entitled, "A Still More Excellent Way." The question for consideration will be, "Assuming certain talents, gifts and abilities on the part of administrator, secretary and congregants, what is to be the essential energy that drives this organism called church?"  
 FOB is an interdenominational church...independent and honestly seeking to be both inclusive and ecumenical. The church is passionate about resisting hierarchy and politicizing. FOB embraces generosity, eating and laughter.  
 On Sundays at 9:15 a.m. the people gather to eat, laugh and yak over coffee and morning food. "Forum," at 9:35, is an open-discussion-style Sunday School for young people and adults. Topics may be presented by any of the participants. Through dialogue, honesty and limited banter the group seeks theological and biblical perspectives on real-life issues. Simple answers to hard questions are never easy to come by.  
 Morning worship, while simple, seeks to be meaningful. The informal liturgy of the Fellowship always includes a brief service of Holy Communion served by a congregant in a room adjacent to the worship center. Worship begins at 10:32 and concludes no later than 11:30 a.m.  
 A nursery is provided for all services. FOB is located at 245 North Kingwood (at Moreman). For transportation to the services please phone 364-0359.

**IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH**

Immanuel Lutheran Church located at 100 Avenue B invites you to participate with us this Sunday at 9:15 a.m. for the study of God's Word during our Sunday School and Bible class time for all ages. We conduct our worship celebration at 10:30 a.m.  
 Our worship theme this Sunday is based on Acts 9 related to the conversion of St. Paul under the message title, "Sight and Insight out of Blindness." Fellowship time for everyone is before and after worship.  
 Wednesday activities include office appointments, youth confirmation, Bible group discussion begins at 7:30 p.m. Church leaders also meet for planning ahead for mission and ministries.  
 "Operation Multiplication" Seminar in Tulia is scheduled for Saturday and Sunday.  
 For further information about Immanuel or transportation arrangements, please call Immanuel Lutheran Church office at 364-1668. Rev. Robert Kuhlmann from Amarillo is serving as interim pastor.

**ST. THOMAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

"It's In The Book" is the title of the sermon by The Rev. Charles A. Wilson on The Third Sunday after the Epiphany. It is based on Nehemiah 8:2-6, 8-10; 1 Corinthians 8:2-10 and Luke 4:14-21 from the readings for the day. The Holy Eucharist, Rite II, is celebrated at 11 a.m. There is a coffee hours after the service and supervised nursery care is provided during the worship and education hours.  
 Christian Education for all ages is at 9:30 a.m. on Sunday. Children and youth meet in the Education Wing for "Living the Good News," our curriculum based on the readings in the Sunday Eucharist. Adults meet in the Ruth Warner Room for the second session in a five-part series called "Faith Development and Evangelism."  
 The regular Wednesday Public Service of Healing is at 7 p.m. and includes the Litany of Healing, the Laying-on-of-Hands with Anointing, and Holy Communion. The proper collect and readings are those for the Confession of St. Paul, transferred from Jan. 26.  
 Intercessory prayer requests from the community are most welcome. To have them included in the Prayers of the People at all services, please call 364-0146 and leave a message.  
 Heavenly Treasurers Day Care meets at St. Thomas' on Thursdays and Fridays. For information on enrollment, please call Sylvia Martinez at 363-6468.  
 In case of emergency, or to make appointments for personal conferences, please call Father Wilson in Amarillo at 353-1734.

**SUMMERFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH**

6 miles west on Hwy. 60  
 Everyone is welcome at Summerfield Baptist Church. Pastor Ellis Parson and congregation invite all to join them.  
 Sunday School is at 10 a.m. and morning worship is at 11. This Sunday is Laymen's Day. The men of the church will be in charge of the service.  
 Bible study is held at 6 p.m. on Sunday and at 7 p.m. on Wednesday.  
 If you need a ride to any of the services, call 357-2565 or 364-5657.

**CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY**

Christian Assembly is a non-denominational church desiring to minister to individual needs.  
 Join us for praise, worship, open sharing and ministry.  
 This Sunday again our special guests Richard and Donna Anderson will be visiting from Charleston, W.V. Rick will speak at the Sunday morning 10:30 service, as well as the 6 p.m. service.  
 Following the morning worship service there will be a meal centering around "Texas Style Food." We welcome everyone to come and join us.  
 We are located at 1100 S. Main. Call 364-0974 or 364-2284.

**AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH**

The congregation of Avenue Baptist Church, 130 North 25 Mile Avenue, invites you to worship with them.  
 Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. and morning worship follows at 11. Sunday evening worship begins at 6.  
 The members of Avenue Baptist Church voted unanimously to call Rev. Bill Austin of Amarillo as interim pastor. Rev. Austin accepted and is now serving in that capacity. You are cordially invited to come meet Rev. Austin and his wife Jo. You will receive a blessing from the preaching of God's word by Rev. Austin.  
 The Ladies Prayer Service and Book Study, led by Thelma Cherry, meets Monday evenings at 6:30.  
 Brian O'Donnell, music director, reminds all choir members that choir practice is Monday nights from 8-9.  
 Wednesday night prayer service is at 6:30.  
 Youth director, Carol Keyes, invites the youth to meet at 7:15 p.m. Wednesday.  
 Avenue Baptist Church will continue the Lottie Moon offering for foreign missions through the month of January. We invite you to help reach our goal of \$1,000.

**ST. ANTHONY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**

This weekend Catholics celebrate the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time. Reading of scriptures will come from Nehemiah 8:2-6, 8-10; 1 Corinthians 12:12-30; and Luke's Gospel 1:1-21. We meet for liturgy at 6 p.m. on Saturday and 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. on Sunday. We welcome all the worship with us (orthodox, unorthodox and even others.)  
 There will be a Super Bowl Party Sunday at Super Bowl kick-off time at Rance's house, 422 Avenue J., for junior high and senior high youth. Bring one of the following if you can: chips, dips, cups, drinks or ice.  
 Lectors, remember the workshop at 7 p.m. Thursday in the church. This is mandatory for all. Youth, this is also for you. To be a Minister of the Word, one must practice, and practice and practice to become more or MOST, effective.  
 "Sistering One Another," continuing a parish retreat ministry for women by Evelyn King and Madolyn Gutierrez, is from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on March 14 and 28 at the Bishop Quarterman Conference Center in Amarillo. RSVP now as seating is limited.  
 Let's stop denying the mentally ill in our churches. For training to help and work with the mentally ill, call Joy Dones at 364-2103.  
 St. Anthony's young adults are interested in starting a singles group in our parish. Please join us from 10-11 a.m. on Feb. in St. Anthony's School Teachers Lounge. Bring your ideas.

**TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH**

All the laymen of the Temple Baptist Church invite everyone to come worship with them Sunday as they bring the worship service to observe Baptist Men's Day in the church.  
 Our Sunday School classes begin at 9:45 a.m. for the study of the Bible. morning worship services begin at 11 with the men filling all the places in the service.  
 Discipleship Training is Sunday at 5:45 p.m. with John Curtis teaching "Serving God." TeamKIDS is also at 5:45 p.m. with Beverly Curtis. Evening worship will be at 7 with the laymen participating in the service.  
 Wednesday at 7 p.m. we will have our weekly prayer meeting and Bible study. The sanctuary choir will meet at 7:45 p.m.

**BARN CHURCH**

Changes are happening at Barn Church. God has provided a full-time pastor, Randy Bird. This came, spirit-filled servant of God will minister to the cowboy, western culture in our area and across the U.S. We feel privileged to have Randy and Linda Bird come be part of our lives.  
 Barn Church is a non-denominational Christian ministry. Our goal is to worship God and fellowship with each other. Barn Church is for everyone that likes things a little on the country side.  
 Join Barn Church for our February meeting at 7 p.m. on the 12th at the WTAMU Activity Center Ballroom in Canyon as we meet with the WT Rodeo Club.  
 It's come as you are, so dust off your jeans and come on out. Bring the family and tell your friends.  
 Don't forget the Team Roping Bible Camp with Dale Woodard on Jan. 31-Feb. 1 at the B Bar S Arena. The camp is limited to the first 20 headers and 20 heebers. Call Brenda Davis at 258-4672 for more information.

**FRIO BAPTIST CHURCH**

Pastor Larry Perkins and the congregation of the Frio Baptist Church invite you to join them for Sunday and Wednesday services.  
 Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. and is followed by worship at 10:45 a.m. Evening services begin with Discipleship Training at 5 which is followed by evening worship at 6.  
 We would also like to invite any youth to join us and our interim youth minister Brett Baldwin.  
 Wednesday prayer services begin at 7 p.m.

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**Friday's Games**  
 Utah at Indiana, 8 p.m.  
 Chicago at New Jersey, 8:30 p.m.  
 Portland at Philadelphia, 8:30 p.m.  
 Boston at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.  
 Orlando at Miami, 7 p.m.  
 Dallas at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.  
 Denver at Phoenix, 8 p.m.  
 Vancouver at Golden State, 9:30 p.m.

### NCAA Basketball

**EAST**  
 Boston U. 67, Towson 45  
 Delaware 79, Northeastern 63  
 Drexel 78, Maine 63  
 Fairfield 82, Marist 68, OT  
 George Washington 71, Fordham 65  
 Hofstra 67, New Hampshire 64  
 Long Island U. 98, Robert Morris 94  
 Monmouth, N.J. 58, Wagner 66  
 Mount St. Mary's, Md. 79, Cent. Connecticut 70  
 Penn St. 83, Northwestern 45  
 Rhode Island 73, Virginia Tech 66  
 St. Francis, N.Y. 68, St. Francis, Pa. 57  
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 St. Joseph's 76, Fairleigh Dickinson 74  
 St. Peter's 69, Siena 68

**SOUTH**  
 Austin Peay 80, Murray St. 72  
 Charleston Southern 90, Elon 75  
 Coll. of Charleston 65, Cent. Florida 47  
 Florida St. 83, Wake Forest 59  
 Georgia St. 77, Jacksonville St. 63  
 Jacksonville St., W. Kentucky 70  
 Liberty 57, Md.-Baltimore County 55  
 Louisiana Tech 84, SW Louisiana 42  
 Massachusetts 82, Davidson 86  
 Memphis 66, Ala.-Birmingham 70  
 Mercer 70, Samford 53  
 Miami 76, Villanova 65  
 Middle Tenn. 96, E. Kentucky 89  
 N.C. Charlotte 84, Louisville 75  
 South Florida 65, Southern Miss. 61  
 Stetson 82, Campbell 60  
 Tennessee St. 74, Tenn.-Martin 70  
 Tennessee Tech 65, Morehead St. 57  
 Va. Commonwealth 60, East Carolina 54

**MIDWEST**  
 Butler 78, Wis.-Green Bay 60  
 Marquette 66, Cincinnati 63, OT  
 Wichita St. 67, N. Iowa 57

**WISCONSIN**  
 Wis.-Milwaukee 70, Wright St. 62

**SOUTHWEST**  
 Arkansas St. 59, Lamar 56  
 Hawaii 65, Rice 63  
 New Mexico St. 93, North Texas 84  
 New Orleans 82, Ark.-Little Rock 60  
 Nicholls St. 87, Stephen F. Austin 66  
 Oral Roberts 95, NE Illinois 86  
 Sam Houston St. 59, SW Texas 56  
 Southern Meth. 80, Texas-EI Paso 57  
 Texas-Arlington 89, SE Louisiana 60

**FAR WEST**  
 Arizona 87, Oregon 57  
 CS Northridge 101, Idaho St. 77  
 Cal Poly-SLO 68, UC Santa Barbara 66  
 Cal St.-Fullerton 61, Long Beach St. 52  
 Chicago St. 81, S. Utah 70  
 Montana 52, Sacramento St. 50  
 Nevada 68, Idaho 64  
 Oregon St. 70, Arizona St. 61  
 Pacific 72, UC Irvine 63  
 Portland 59, San Diego 49  
 Santa Clara 68, San Francisco 67  
 St. Mary's, Cal. 59, Gonzaga 79  
 Stanford 82, Washington St. 72  
 UNLV 76, Brigham Young 83  
 Utah 57, Air Force 46  
 Utah St. 70, Boise St. 41  
 Washington 86, California 84, OT

### IN BRIEF

**NMJC player critical**  
**EL PASO (AP)** — Former Georgetown point guard Ed Sheffey remained in critical condition Thursday in an El Paso hospital, where he was being treated for injuries suffered in a car accident.

An official at Thomason Hospital would not discuss the accident or the extent of Sheffey's injuries. The hospital would only confirm that Sheffey was in the intensive care unit.

Sheffey recently began attending classes at New Mexico Junior College in Hobbs, N.M.

### Baseball signup

Kids Incorporated Baseball will be conducting a signup session from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Feb. 21 at the Hereford Community Center. For more information, please call 364-8364.

### Sub-varsity glance

**7th Grade boys 'A'**  
**Thursday at Hereford**  
 Canyon 6 0 8 2-16  
 Hereford 4 16 10 10-40  
 Hereford — Jose Rocco 10, Wade McNutt 8, Derek Mendoza 8.  
 Record: 7-3, 5-2  
 Next game — at Canyon Westover, 6:45 p.m. Monday.

**7th Grade boys 'B'**  
**Thursday at Hereford**  
 Canyon 1 6 3 6-16  
 Hereford 16 13 14 58-88  
 Hereford — Chris Ruckman 12, Robert Gill 11, Glen Castro 9, Patrick Jones 8.  
 Record: 6-4, 4-3  
 Next game — at Canyon Westover, 5:30 p.m. Monday.

### High School Golf

The varsity schedule of the Hereford High School girls golf team, as released Wednesday by Athletic Director Craig Yenzler and head golf coach Stacy Blixer.

Feb. 6-7, San Angelo Invitational Tournament — Bentwood Country Club, Riverside Municipal; Feb. 20-21, Snyder Invitational Tournament — Snyder Country Club, Western Texas College Golf Course;  
 March 6-7, Midland Invitational Tournament — Green Tree Country Club, Hogan Park Golf Course; March 27-28, Hereford Invitational Tournament, Pittman Municipal Golf Course;  
 April 2, Borger meet at Phillips Country Club; April 9, Hereford meet at Pittman Municipal Golf Course; April 13, Canyon meet at Canyon Country Club;  
 Regionals, TBA; State, TBA.

## Herd again to battle Caprock

By BOB VARMETTE  
 Sports Writer  
 Now that they're in the driver's seat, the Hereford Whitefaces are wary of any potential bumps in the road.

In the competitive world of District 1-4A, that means everybody. "We can't afford to relax at all," Hereford head coach Randy Dean said. "We got a tough game, going to Caprock. . . . The bottom line is we still need some more wins before we can put the wraps on anything."

Hereford (11-11, 5-1) travels to Amarillo Caprock (11-12, 3-3) tonight to play the Longhorns for the second time this season.

The Whitefaces decided on Caprock 55-45 Dec. 15, 1997, at Whiteface Gymnasium in the teams' first meeting.

The Longhorns will have ample motivation going into tonight's matchup. Not only is there the previous Hereford victory, but Caprock beat Pampa Tuesday night. A win over the Whitefaces would definitely jumble the district playoff

**Hereford (11-11, 5-1) at Amarillo Caprock (11-12, 3-3) in District 1-4A basketball, 7:30 p.m. tonight Caprock Activity Center.**

picture. "They're going to be highly motivated," Dean said. "They're going to be looking at our game and saying, 'If we beat them, then we're only one game behind them. . . . They're going to be intense, they're going to be playing with their backs against the wall.'"

Dean said the key to the Whitefaces' first win against Caprock was combating the Longhorns' size advantage. Caprock has one of the tallest guards in the district in 6-4 senior Michael Soria, and starts a 6-9 sophomore, Will Greene, at center. "Defensively, we did a real good job of handling their size," Dean said.

Dean added he doesn't foresee a change this time around.

"We're going to be outized at every position," Dean said. "We're going to have to find a way again to stop the penetration, and to battle on the boards and not give them a bunch of easy second and third shots." The Whitefaces will go with what's got them this far, according to Dean.

"I think we're playing probably our best basketball of the year right now," Dean said. "We're getting better at the things we felt like this team could do."

In the first game with the Longhorns, Hereford got 37 points from the McNutt brothers. Sophomore Eric pumped in 15 points in the first half, while senior Bryant picked up 17 of his game-high 19 points in the second half.

The Longhorns put a pair of players in double figures -- Quincy Nodine led with 14 points and Soria added 10.

In other District 1-4A boys action, Canyon Randall is at Dumas and Pampa is at Borger. Canyon has an open district date.

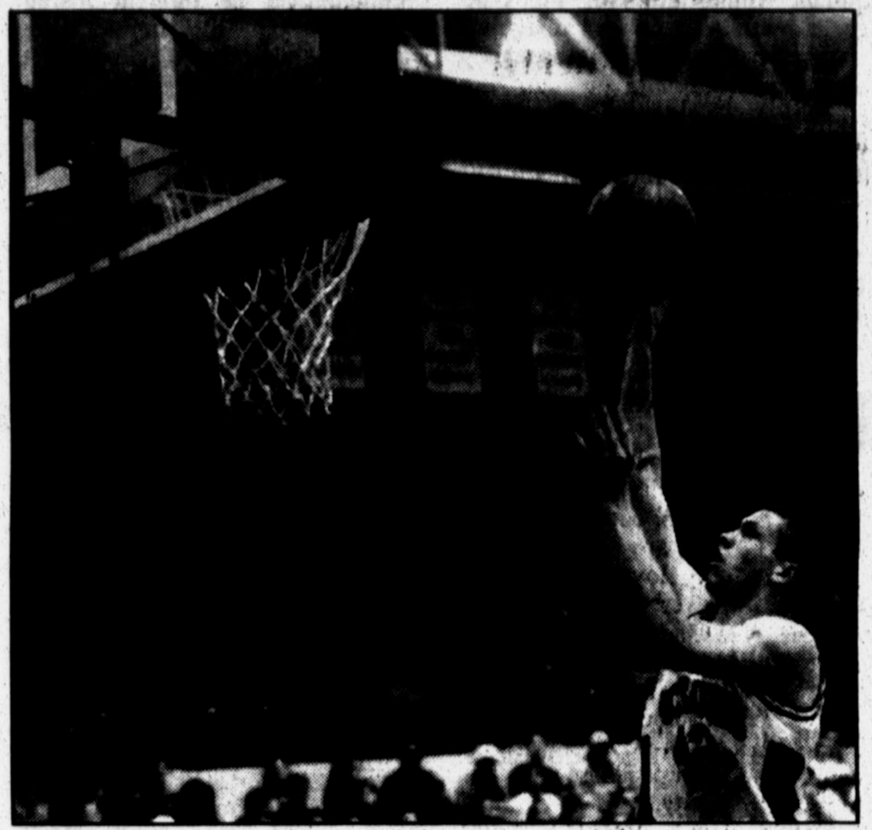


Photo by Julius Bodner

Hereford's Bryant McNutt drives for a layup during Tuesday night's District 1-4A game with Dumas at Whiteface Gymnasium.

## Rockets drop 5th straight

**CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP)** — Charlotte guard David Wesley isn't known as an explosive scorer, but the Houston Rockets have brought out the best in him this year.

Wesley scored 26 points, including consecutive 3-pointers during a crucial stretch of the fourth quarter, as the Hornets beat the Rockets 93-86 Thursday night.

Wesley, who scored a season-high 32 points at Houston on Dec. 29, sank a 3-pointer from the top of the key to tie the game at 70-70 with 9:47 left.

Ten seconds later, Wesley blocked Rodrig Rhodes' layup attempt at the other end and with 9:17 left, he hit another 3-pointer from the left wing.

"I came down and sneaked up on him," Wesley said of his 12th blocked shot of the season. "I caught him from behind. He actually took his time shooting the layup, and that gave me time to catch up because I was really beaten on he play."

"Then I think he was down there arguing with the ref, thinking it was a foul, and that gave me an opportunity on the back side. B.J. Armstrong found me for a wide-open shot."

After Houston's Clyde Drexler tied it 83-83 on a three-point play with 3:01 left, Charlotte took the lead for good with a 10-0 run that started with Glen Rice's jumper from the top of the key.

Rice scored 19 points for the Hornets, while Matt Geiger had 13 points and 16 rebounds and Anthony Mason finished with 10 points and 13

**HOUSTON (AP)**: Rhodes 4-9-2-10, Barkley 5-15-3-4-13, Willis 3-8-1-2-7, Maloney 7-7-1-1-9, Drexler 8-18-3-5-20, Davis 0-10-0-0, Johnson 2-7-1-1-5, Harrington 6-8-0-0-12, Price 0-0-0-0-0, Bullard 0-0-0-0-0. Totals: 35-73 11-18-86.

**CHARLOTTE (AP)**: Mason 4-7-2-2-10, Rice 8-17-3-4-19, Geiger 5-10-3-4-13, Wesley 9-19-8-8-28, Beck 4-8-0-0-8, Royal 2-4-0-0-4, Reid 3-8-1-1-7, Armstrong 1-10-0-2, Williams 1-20-0-2. Totals: 37-76 17-19-93.

**HOUSTON** 30 13 22 21-86  
**Charlotte** 23 28 16 26-93

3-Point goals—Houston 5-14 (Maloney 4-4, Drexler 1-4, Barkley 0-1, Willis 0-1, Davis 0-1, Johnson 0-3), Charlotte 2-6 (Wesley 2-2, Rice 0-4). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Houston 41 (Willis 11), Charlotte 43 (Geiger 16). Assists—Houston 20 (Drexler 6), Charlotte 25 (Mason 8). Total fouls—Houston 20, Charlotte 17. A—23, 603 (24, 042).

rebounds. Drexler scored 20 points for Houston, which lost its fifth straight. Matt Maloney had 19 points, and Charles Barkley finished with 13 for the Rockets.

Charlotte shot 59 percent from the field in the second quarter and outscored the Rockets 28-13 to take a 51-43 halftime lead. Rice scored eight points in the period and had 14 in the first half on 7-of-12 shooting.

Maloney led Houston with 13 points in the first half, including a pair of 3-pointers during a 14-0 run midway through the first period.

"It was another nice try," said Houston coach Rudy Tomjanovich. "It was a carbon copy of so many games this year. We just haven't had the ability to close out games."

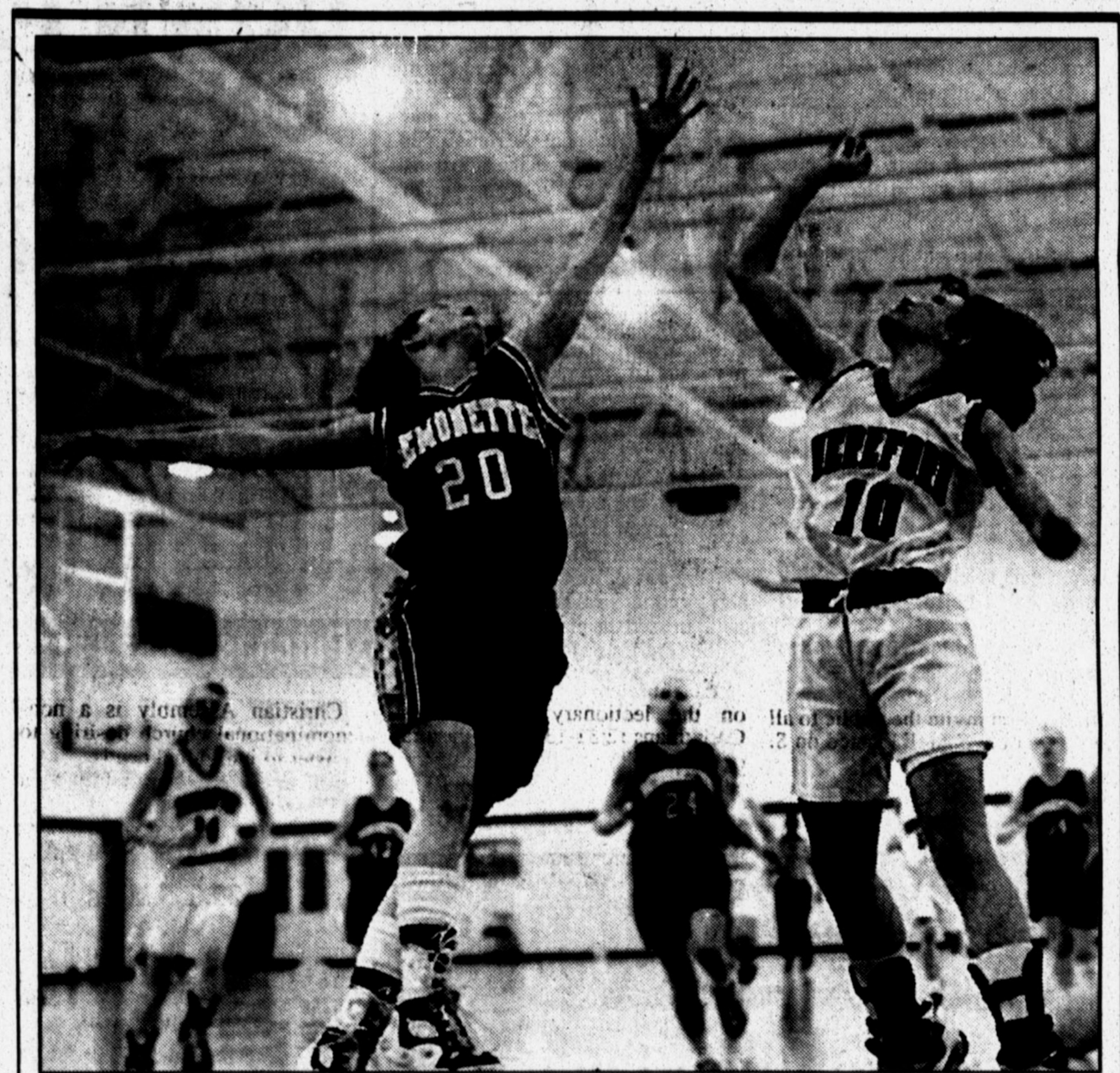


Photo by Julius Bodner

### Aerial ballet

Hereford's Janet Blakely and an unidentified Dumas player take to the air for a rebound Tuesday night during a junior varsity game at Hereford Junior High School gymnasium. The Lady Whiteface JV will play at Amarillo Caprock at 7:30 p.m. tonight.

## San Jacinto tops NCA twice

From staff reports  
**AMARILLO** — Nazarene Christian Academy dropped a pair of games Thursday night to San Jacinto Christian Academy in boys and girls basketball action.

In boys action, San Jacinto topped the Eagles, 38-25. Josh Casey led NCA with 14 points. Nathan Cole added five for the Eagles.

In the girls game, San Jacinto

edged NCA, 35-31. Alyssa Hill led the Lady Eagles with 11 points. Charlie Henson chipped in 10 points and Callie Hansard added three for NCA.

NCA will see its next action when they return to San Jacinto Monday for a girls-boys doubleheader. The girls game will tip off at 5 p.m., followed by the boys contest.

Both teams are 2-13 on the season.

## Leyland hints at finishing contract

**PITTSBURGH (AP)** — Jim Leyland, who said two months ago he probably couldn't wait for the Florida Marlins to rebuild, said Thursday he is leaning toward finishing the final four years on his contract.

Leyland quit as Pittsburgh's manager after 11 seasons when the Pirates chose to rebuild from the

bottom up, only to have the same thing happen in Florida, where the Marlins already have gutted much of their World Series championship team.

The Marlins, who claim they lost \$34 million last season, will report to spring training next month without Kevin Brown, Moises Alou, Robb Nen, Devon

White and Jeff Conine, all traded during the offseason. Also, No. 2 starter Alex Fernandez will miss 1998 following rotator cuff surgery.

But after saying in November he probably would manage the Marlins only one more season,

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## SUPER BOWL XXXII

## Davis rags-to-riches story

By BERNIE WILSON  
 AP Sports Writer  
**SAN DIEGO** — Not everyone can be as lucky as John Elway when it comes to finding a job in the NFL.

Elway, of course, headed the celebrated quarterback class of 1983, going as the top pick in the draft that year. By comparison, two other star players in Sunday's Super Bowl didn't have as lofty a draft status. Terrell Davis was surprised to even be drafted, and Brett Favre was taken behind two quarterback busts, Dan McGwire and Todd Marinovich.

And there are a whole lot more players who've taken the rags-to-riches route to Sunday's title game between the Green Bay Packers and Denver Broncos.

Davis, Denver's stellar running back, still can't believe that his roundabout career has taken him to the Super Bowl. In his hometown, no less.

"I'm probably one of the few players who knows what it feels like to not be a star player, a person who has been stepped on his entire life," Davis said Wednesday. "I really

never had that superstar status in high school or college. That's helped me get mentally prepared for what I'm taking on now."

A sixth-round draft pick in 1995, Davis is a star now. In just three NFL seasons, he's rushed for 4,377 yards. That's a pretty good accomplishment for a guy who was a nose guard as a high school junior, a fullback as a senior and whose college, Long Beach State, dropped football. He finished up at Georgia.

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## Jones discusses vacancy with Seifert

**SAN DIEGO (AP)** — Dallas owner Jerry Jones met with former San Francisco 49ers coach George Seifert for several hours Thursday to discuss the Cowboys' head coaching vacancy.

"We will meet again within the next two or three days, informally," Jones said.

**Billick calls it quits as Vikings' offensive coordinator**/Page 6A

Also on Jones' list is Green Bay Packers offensive coordinator Sherman Lewis, but NFL rules bar interviews with assistant coaches on

Super Bowl teams until after the game.

Jones spoke after attending a press conference announcing Dallas quarterback Troy Aikman as the NFL man of the year. The Cowboys' owner said he and Seifert have known each other since working on the

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Photo by Julius Bodner

### Eye on the basket

Hereford's Kristin Fangman concentrates on the basket as Dumas defender Jennifer Bonner arrives to defend during a District 1-4A game Tuesday night at Whiteface Gymnasium. Hereford won 69-43 to improve to 22-3 on the season and 6-2 in district.



# Billick resigns Vikes' offensive post

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) -- Brian Billick made good on his threat to quit the Minnesota Vikings unless he got a contract extension, resigning after nearly five seasons as the team's offensive coordinator.

Billick, who guided four of the most productive offenses in Vikings history, sent a letter of resignation to team headquarters late Wednesday. He stopped in briefly Thursday morning before flying to San Diego, and he now is a leading candidate for the same job with the Dallas Cowboys.

Vikings president Roger Headrick, reached Thursday in San Diego, acknowledged he thought losing Billick was possible after meeting with him Wednesday afternoon. But Headrick also thought Billick might take more time to make a decision.

"I was surprised more by the timing," said Headrick, who is struggling to keep his coaching staff together while negotiating to buy the team. "I thought maybe he'd use the weekend and maybe think about it, but maybe he felt he'd made a decision, that was his decision and he

was going to move on." Neither Billick nor his agent, Ray Anderson, returned telephone calls Thursday.

There was no change Thursday in the status of coach Dennis Green, Headrick said. However, Headrick indicated he had learned one or more teams might have contacted Green about a head coaching job.

Headrick said his only contact with another team about Green came two weeks ago when the Raiders called to ask if Green was under contract for 1998. The Raiders hired Joe Gruden

as their coach Thursday. The discussions Headrick said he had become aware of were lateral moves for Green, and he reiterated that none of his coaches will be allowed to leave without getting promotions.

Like Billick, Green is threatening to resign or pursue a financial settlement if Headrick doesn't give him a contract extension. Green, who also is represented by Anderson, has one year left on his contract at \$900,000. He would lose that money if he resigned.

## Leyland

Leyland seems content to keep managing a team he now believes isn't that far away from winning again.

Leyland said enough offense remains in Gary Sheffield, Bobby Bonilla, Charles Johnson and Cliff Floyd for the Marlins to be competitive again as soon as their pitching develops.

"We can be OK this season if we can just get some outs," Leyland said. "That's my big worry: Getting some outs. Dave Dombrowski (the Marlins' general manager) came back with some good young arms in those trades. They're young, and will take

some time, but we've got something to work with.

"Look at the Pirates. We knew we had some good arms in (Esteban) Loaiza, (Francisco) Cordova, (Jason) Schmidt and (Rich) Loiselle, but they took some time. Now, they can run a good pitcher out there every night."

Leyland initially decided to return to Florida this season out of loyalty to lame duck owner H. Wayne Huizenga and his coaches, who are under contract for this season. Three -- Rich Donnelly, Milt May and Tommy Sandt -- have worked with him for more than 10 years.

## TEXAS COLLEGE ROUNDUP

**No. 24 Hawaii 65, Rice 63**  
HOUSTON (AP) -- Mike Robinson hit the go-ahead free throws with 37.4 seconds to go and Micah Kroeger added a free throw and had the key defensive play at the buzzer as No. 24 Hawaii overcame Rice's school-record 133-point baskets for a 65-63 victory Thursday night.

The Rainbows (13-3, 2-2 WAC) won despite a career-high 26 points and 6-of-12 3-point shooting by Rice's Robert Johnson and 27 points by Bobby Crawford, who hit 6-of-9 3-pointers. Rice hit 13-of-27 3-point shots.

Anthony Carter led Hawaii with 16 points and six assists and was the only double-figures scorer for the Rainbows.

**SMU 60, UTEP 57**  
DALLAS (AP) -- Stephen Woods stole the ball and drove for a lay-up with 21 seconds to play, enabling Southern Methodist to hold off Texas-El Paso 60-57 Thursday night.

UTEP's Sharif Fajardo missed a 3-point shot at the final buzzer.

Jay Poerner scored 16 points to pace SMU (13-3, 6-1 WAC). William Smith led UTEP (11-5, 5-2) with 15 points.

SMU led 33-26 at the half and extended its lead to as many as 10 points in the second half. But the Miners went on a 12-1 run, and Fajardo's short jumper with 2:18 remaining gave the Miners only their second lead of the evening, 57-56.

SMU improved to 11-1 on its home court this season.

**New Mexico St. 93, North Texas 84**

DENTON (AP) -- Charles Gosa scored a career-high 29 points and pulled down 12 rebounds, leading New Mexico State to a 93-84 victory Thursday night over North Texas.

Denmark Reid added 18 points and Dominic Ellison 16 for the Aggies (12-7, 2-3 Big West).

North Texas (2-13, 1-4), which has lost four straight, was led by David Miller with 19 points and Charles Washington with 17 points.

Miller and Chuck Thrash, who had 13 points, both fouled out, hurting the Eagles' cause.

**Sam Houston State 59, SW Texas St. 56**

HUNTSVILLE (AP) -- Mike Dillard made four free throws in the last 39 seconds, keeping Sam Houston State just out of reach in a 59-56 victory Thursday night over Southwest Texas State.

Dillard's free throws came after the Bobcats had cut the lead to 55-54 with 3:30 to play.

Jeremy Burkhalter scored 18 points

to lead Sam Houston State (5-10, 3-2 Southland Conference).

Donte Mathis led Southwest Texas State (10-6, 4-2).

Sam Houston's Bearkats led 43-26 after 3:55 of the second half, but the Bobcats steadily closed the gap, getting to within a point on Jeff Foster's jumper.

**UT Arlington 89, SE Louisiana 60**  
ARLINGTON (AP) -- UT Arlington went on a 23-0 run over 7 1/2 minutes of the second half, rallying from behind to defeat Southeastern Louisiana 89-60 Thursday night.

UTA (7-9, 4-2 Southland Conference) trailed 39-33 at the half, after being outscored 20-6 in the final 7:18 of the first half.

But the Mavericks erupted shortly after intermission, holding Southeastern Louisiana (4-12, 0-6) without a field goal for 10 minutes during a 35-4 run.

The loss extended the Lions' winless streak in their first Southland Conference season to six games.

Donald Harris scored 21 points and Anthony Durham 20 points for UTA. Southeastern Louisiana, which hit only 21.2 percent of its field goals in the second half, was led by Maurice Clark, who scored all of his 10 points in the first half.

**Nicholls St. 87, Stephen F. Austin 66**

NACOGDOCHES (AP) -- Russell McCutcheon scored 22 points, leading Nicholls State past Stephen F. Austin, 87-66, Thursday night.

Linzie Green added 18 for the Colonels (8-8, 6-0 Southland Conference).

David Henry and Patrick Gusters led SFA (4-12, 0-6) with 22 points each, and Gusters added a team-high seven rebounds.

James McCutcheon led Nicholls State rebounders with nine.

The Colonels, who never trailed, led 55-29 at the half.

**Arkansas St. 59, Lamar 56**  
BEAUMONT (AP) -- Mitch Marsh scored 17 points to lead the Arkansas State Indians to a 59-56 victory over the Lamar Cardinals Thursday night.

Eric Beatty's free throw with just under three minutes left in the game put Arkansas State ahead for good.

The win lifted Arkansas State (12-5 overall, 6-1 Sun Belt Conference) into a tie with South Alabama for first place in the league.

Lamar (10-6, 4-4) lost for only the second time this season when outrebounding its opponent. The Cardinals had a 43-29 edge on the boards, led by Frank Obudo's 9.

Ronald Nunnery led Lamar with 11 points.

## Davis

Among the Broncos who've taken the less-glamorous route is safety Tyrone Braxton. He was the next-to-last player taken in the 1987 draft, when there were 12 rounds. The draft now lasts only seven rounds.

When asked about Denver's underdog role, Braxton got in a tongue-in-cheek dig at Elway, who's lost three previous Super Bowls with the Broncos.

"I've been an underdog my whole career," Braxton said. "Maybe John can't handle being an underdog. He has been a first-rounder, with a silver spoon all his life."

When Braxton was in high school, he had a job as a gravedigger. Now he's in his third Super Bowl, and trying for his first win.

Broncos backup offensive lineman David Diaz-Infante is believed to be the oldest player to make his first NFL start, doing so at age 32 in 1996. It took him nine years to break into the NFL. He played in the World League, the Canadian Football

League, was in three replacement games for the San Diego Chargers in 1987, was out of football for three seasons and spent 1995 on Denver's practice squad.

Backup defensive end Harald Hasselbach grew up playing soccer, cricket, rugby and field hockey, as well as swimming. He didn't start playing football until his final two years of high school in Canada. Born in Holland, he also lived in Suriname, Indonesia and Kenya.

Packers defensive tackle Santana Dotson went through four losing seasons in Tampa Bay before signing with the Packers and winning the Super Bowl.

Green Bay linebacker Bernardo Harris signed with the Kansas City Chiefs as an undrafted free agent in 1994, but suffered a knee injury in practice the first week of camp and was waived. He spent the remainder of the season working in the auto parts department of a BMW dealership in Chapel Hill, N.C.

## Seifert

league's competition committee.

"I feel comfortable that we could work together. ... I've got to say we would be very compatible. Going forward could be an exciting challenge for both of us," Jones said.

"You're going to find us selecting (the best) coach. If he happens to have been the coach for the 49ers, so be it."

Jones' "wish list" for a coach nearly matches Seifert's resume. Still, he denied that he has made up his mind.

"If I had, I wouldn't be talking to Sherman on Sunday," Jones said.

Seifert is the first candidate known to have interviewed for the position, which came open when Barry Switzer resigned Jan. 9. The Cowboys are coming off a 6-10 season that was their worst since going 1-15 in 1989.

## Texas inks Stevens

ARLINGTON (AP) -- The Texas Rangers have agreed to one-year contract terms with infielder Lee Stevens and right-handed pitchers Ryan Glynn, Jonathan Johnson and Tanyon Sturtze.

Stevens batted .300 with 21 homers and 74 RBI in 137 games with the Rangers in 1997.

Stevens was eligible for salary arbitration prior to Thursday's agreement. Two unsigned Rangers -- right-handed pitchers Darren Oliver and Aaron Sele -- remain eligible for arbitration.

Texas has 25 of the 39 players on its major league roster under contract for 1998.

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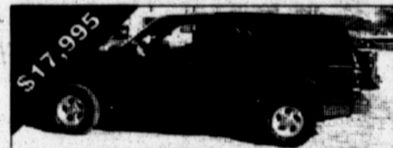











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Religion in brief

S.C. bishop plans to retire

CHARLESTON, S.C. (AP) - The Most Rev. David B. Thompson, South Carolina's top Roman Catholic clergyman, will retire this spring.

Thompson, who has headed the Diocese of Charleston for nine years, plans to retire May 29 on his 75th birthday, mandatory retirement age for all Catholic bishops.

Thompson made the announcement to the diocese's 131 priests attending a two-day convocation.

"I believe that my appointment as your bishop has been the work of the Holy Spirit," Thompson said. "And I believe the same thing about my retirement as your bishop."

Although he is asking to retire in May, he may serve in an interim of six months or longer until a new bishop is appointed.

As bishop, Thompson, has taken strong stands for ecumenical understanding and against the death penalty. His opposition to flying the Confederate flag atop the Statehouse won him a national award last year. Thompson also steered the diocese through several sexual abuse scandals involving clergy and created tough church standards for reporting and preventing such misconduct.

He may be best remembered for the Synod of Charleston, a series of meetings that ended three years ago with the approval of an 82-page blueprint for the diocese's future. It contains guidelines covering everything from the language of liturgies to the role of women in the church.

Auction nets \$20,000 from church thefts

ORO VALLEY, Ariz. (AP) - A

police auction raised nearly \$20,000 for religious groups robbed of artifacts by a man posing as a priest. The auction in this Tucson suburb drew 104 collectors, antiques dealers and onlookers.

The items were among those valued at \$100,000 found in the Oro Valley home of Michael Dongarra when he was arrested in April 1996. Dongarra, 51, was convicted on multiple theft and fraud charges and is awaiting sentencing.

Fire destroys N.C. church

ROCKY POINT, N.C. (AP) - Fire has destroyed the Antioch United Holy Church, and fire marshals and federal officials are investigating the cause.

The predominantly black church in Pender County is just down the road from Hill's Missionary Baptist Church, which was destroyed by fire, ruled accidental, in June 1996. The Hill's Missionary congregation had worshipped at Antioch until they moved into their new church in December.

IRS slaps lien on minister's home

CLEARWATER, Fla. (AP) - A tax lien of \$41,300 has been filed against Bernice V. Edwards, the convicted embezzler who owns a waterfront home with the Rev. Henry Lyons, embattled head of the National Baptist Convention USA.

The Internal Revenue Service lien was filed after a published report that Lyons planned to offer the house for sale. The house, appraised at \$700,000, is in the island town of Tierra Verde, across Boca Ciega Bay from St. Petersburg.

Preacher offers workers sanctuary

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) - The Rev. Gil Dawes is in the limelight in Iowa on the issue of undocumented workers, but it's hardly the first time he has pushed his activist brand of Christianity.

"I look back and wonder, how come I ended up thinking this way? There doesn't seem to be a lot of us out there," he says. "What happened to me, I think, is that I'm left handed."

He's serious, sort of. They didn't make allowances for lefties when Dawes, 64, went to school, so he made unusual adjustments. "The way they had you position the paper, I learned to write from the bottom of the paper to the top so I wouldn't smear," he says.

He has been turning things upside down ever since. Last year, Dawes' United Methodist congregation in Des Moines defied the law and offered sanctuary to eight illegal aliens. All said they feared for their lives if forced to return to El Salvador.

None are currently at Trinity United Methodist: One returned to El Salvador and the others received favorable changes in immigration status. But Dawes is looking for more.

"Our next test is to have a Mexican who is in danger of deportation who has come here solely for economic reasons," he says. "Economic terrorism is the predominant form of terrorism in the world."

To those who say they cannot condone sanctuary because it breaks the law, Dawes responds, "They have the idea that if they disobey the government, they disobey God."

And he adds: "There is a place for borders, for people to organize their lives in distinctive ways. But I do not think that borders are made by God. When they are man-made lines drawn by blood, when they are drawn by injustice, they are not to be honored."

Dawes first tackled the sanctuary issue more than a decade ago, as pastor of a church in Cedar Rapids. Before that, at a church in Camanche in the 1970s, he supported worker unions, even inviting communist activist Angela Davis to speak at the church. People were "hanging from the rafters," he recalls, and the late Charles Kuralt did a story there.

After seminary, Dawes earned a master's degree in counseling from Boston University. Then he headed into missionary training, during which he organized a bus load of missionaries to attend Martin Luther King's "I have a dream" speech. In the early 1960s, he left for Central and South America.

First, it was to Costa Rica for a year and then to Argentina for six more. There, he witnessed a military takeover and the start of the "dirty war," where political undesirables would simply disappear. Close to students and laborers, Dawes felt threatened.

In 1971, he was appointed pastor of St. Mark's United Methodist Church in Camanche, where he stayed for a decade, followed by another at Faith United Methodist Church in Cedar Rapids.

In 1991, he left Cedar Rapids to head PrairieFire, a rural advocacy group. Together with that part-time job, he is now pastor of both English- and Spanish-speaking congregations at Trinity.

A year ago, the church offered sanctuary to a 23-year-old Salvadoran who said his request for political asylum has been denied. Dawes calls the man's dilemma "a teaching moment about the meaning of Christianity and the nature of democracy and the shape of our foreign policy and racism."

Other immigrants such as the Irish have it easy, he says, because "they speak the right language and they're the right color." But some groups face hurdles of racism. "We don't let those Haitians in. We don't let those brown-skinned Hispanics in."

Young Cubans proud of faith, not afraid to speak

CAMAGUEY, Cuba (AP) - One refuses to take part in Communist Party work brigades. Another says she regularly astounds her university classmates by openly criticizing Fidel Castro's government.

Both young Cuban women think their country is plagued by a moral crisis and a lost sense of community.

Are Lilia Acosta and Yailyn Avila outspoken dissidents? No, just devout Roman Catholics among 10 young Cubans helping Pope John Paul II celebrate a Mass today in which the central theme is youth.

Cuban youth, depressed by economic hardship and limited career opportunities, are spiritually rudderless and seek refuge in alcohol and sex, the women said in an interview in the garden courtyard of La Merced church.

After Thursday morning's rehearsal, the two were exuberant, anticipating their once-in-a-lifetime meeting with John Paul. Acosta was to present the Eucharist to John Paul, Avila a lector in the Profession of Faith.

But the women's enthusiasm ebbed when talk turned to the state of Cuba's youth.

"We Catholics have direction, but other young people don't know where they're going. They have no hope," said Avila, 21, from nearby Las Tunas.

Avila knows she may be hurting her career prospects by refusing to join the work brigades, which perform tasks like harvesting sugar. But the special education student refuses to conform.

"The way we're living now, it's not the right road," she said. Acosta, a fifth-year medical student, shudders when she recalls treating a woman who had undergone six abortions.

The 22-year-old Camagueyan said her religion almost cost her a medical career when a teacher tried to deny her a post-secondary education nine years ago because she is a practicing Catholic.

Only 1 percent of the 300,000 people in her city, Cuba's third-largest, regularly attend Catholic services.



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**MERV GRIFFIN**  
**BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP)**—Merv Griffin thinks it's time people got out a little, so he opened a nightclub.  
 "I really think people are tired of sitting at home on their fannies," said the 72-year-old producer of "Jeopardy!" and "Wheel of Fortune."  
 Griffin's Coconut Club opened last weekend. It's his homage to the days when he sang with Freddie Martin's orchestra at the Coconut Grove.  
 "People want to go out and have a good time. And this isn't like a jazz club where you sit and don't participate. Here you dance, you eat, maybe have a drink or a smoke. It's an inexpensive night out - except for what you might have to pay the baby sitter," Griffin said.

**TIMOTHY LEARY ESTATE**  
**BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP)**—Canceled checks and a Christmas card from Ringo Starr are among the earthly possessions of LSD guru Timothy Leary that will be auctioned by Christie's.  
 The 79 items will go on the block Feb. 4 in New York City.  
 The auction house estimated Leary's tattered driver's license will go for \$600 to \$800, his 1982 passport for \$1,000 to \$1,500 and a photo of him with John Lennon and Yoko Ono for \$1,000 to \$1,500.  
 "If Tim could see how much even little things he had were worth now, he'd have a good laugh," said Vicki Marshall, who was Leary's administrative assistant.  
 The ashes of Leary, who died of prostate cancer in 1996, were rocketed into space last April.

**"LI'L DEUCE COUPE"**  
**LOS ANGELES (AP)**—The 1932 Ford canonized by the Beach Boys in "Li'l Deuce Coupe" was auctioned for \$47,000.  
 The car, owned by Beach Boy Al Jardine, was one of several celebrity vehicles sold last weekend at Barrett-Jackson Classic Car Auction in Scottsdale, Ariz., organizers in Los Angeles said Thursday.

**"HOME IMPROVEMENT"** star Tim Allen's 1995 Saleen Mustang SR race car sold for \$58,800 and Tony Curtis' overall worldwide success of the film, and the fine portrayal given me."  
 Kahn sought unspecified damages in his October lawsuit accusing Stone of breach of contract and fraud and deceit. Terms of Wednesday's settlement were not disclosed.  
 The lawsuit contended producers promised to use Kahn or a professional actor for a courtroom scene in which Hustler magazine publisher Flynt appears in an American flag diaper. Lawyers for the defendants declined to comment.

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**ERIK ESTRADA**  
**LOS ANGELES (AP)**—Erik Estrada will introduce celebrity whitewater rafting, safaris to Africa, off-road trail rides and auto racing on a new TV series.  
 Estrada, who co-starred on the old "CHiPs" show, will be teamed with Laura McKenzie in hosting the syndicated "Petersen's American Adventurer."

The show will go on the air later this month, expanding on the successful format of "American Adventurer," a family show on the air for five years, Petersen Enterprises President Justin McCormack said Thursday.

"Petersen's American Adventurer" was created to appeal to a much broader broadcast audience," said McCormack, who has no affiliation with the existing show.  
 Guest stars will travel to exotic locales to participate in activities that include ballooning, skeet shooting, snow skiing, parachuting and diving for sunken treasure.

**OLIVER STONE**  
**KENNETH KAHN**  
**LOS ANGELES (AP)**—The Defense Lawyer vs. Oliver Stone is history.  
 Kenneth Kahn has settled his lawsuit against Stone. The defense lawyer alleged that the producer consulted him for the movie "The People vs. Larry Flynt" but never gave him credit or used him in the film as promised.

Co-defendants in Kahn's lawsuit included director Milos Forman.  
 "I was keenly disappointed at not being directly involved in the production of the movie inasmuch as I had met with Mr. Forman and contributed to the script," Kahn said Thursday. "I am pleased with the

overall worldwide success of the film, and the fine portrayal given me."  
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**PAT CONROY**  
**ATLANTA (AP)**—Pat Conroy may be the new man in Scarlett's life.  
 The best-selling author is negotiating with the Margaret Mitchell estate to write another sequel to "Gone With the Wind," according to published reports saying the deal might be worth \$10 million.

Conroy, who wrote "The Prince of Tides" and "The Great Santini," would be the first big-name novelist to write a "Gone With the Wind" sequel.

A Conroy agent, Carolyn Crupp, and Owen Laster, an agent for the Mitchell estate, had no comment Thursday. Conroy did not return a telephone message left at his home on Frapp Island, S.C.

Miss Mitchell's epic was published in 1936, nine years before Conroy was born in Atlanta, where "Gone With the Wind" had its 1939 movie premiere.

A 1991 sequel, Alexandra Ripley's "Scarlett," sold millions of copies, taking Scarlett O'Hara to her ancestral home in Ireland and ending with the passionate rekindling of her love for Rhett Butler.

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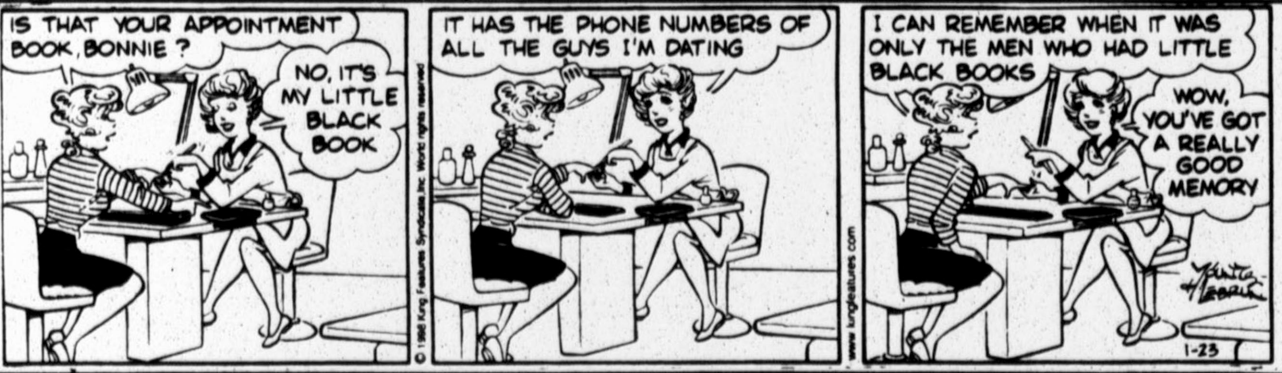
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| Chip 'n' Dale | Marmalade | Amazing | Amazing | Movie: The Chipmunk Adventure | (25) Movie: Under Wraps | Adam Wills | Baby-Sitters | Imagine | Sing a Story | Science Guy |

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**SUNDAY JANUARY 25**

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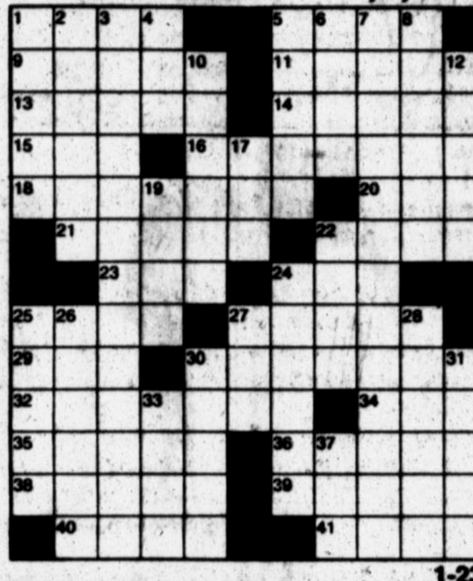
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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: IF YOU CAN SEE THE LIGHT AT THE END OF THE TUNNEL, YOU ARE LOOKING THE WRONG WAY.—BARRY COMMONER

### Shuttle zooms toward rendezvous with Mir

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — Space shuttle Endeavour sped toward Mir today, carrying one last American to live aboard the Russian space station.

With Thursday night's spectacular launch from Cape Canaveral, Fla., astronaut Andrew Thomas was on his way to Mir, where he will live for 4 months. Fellow American David Wolf, who has been aboard Mir since September, will be coming home on Endeavour.

The shuttle, expected to catch up to Mir on Saturday afternoon, will dock there for five days as the two crews swap water, food and equipment. Among the more important items to be delivered to Mir are an air conditioner and a backup computer.

### Microsoft: Settlement won't hurt bottom line

WASHINGTON (AP) — Microsoft Corp. believes its interim settlement with the Justice Department will not affect the company's business because many computer makers still will choose to have Internet Explorer pre-installed on their computers.

Industry analysts, meanwhile, declare Microsoft the winner in the first round of the Internet browser wars, as rival Netscape Communications Corp. is losing money, laying off workers and now giving away its software in a bid to boost market share.

"In the real world, Microsoft has already succeeded in nailing Netscape," said Gary Arlen, a technology analyst with Arlen Communications in Bethesda, Md. "The damage may have already been done. Microsoft may have already accomplished its goal in defeating its competitors."

# Ex-intern's lawyer says Starr puts squeeze on her

WASHINGTON (AP) — The attorney for Monica Lewinsky said today the former White House intern is a target of the Whitewater criminal investigation and prosecutors oppose any deal for immunity as they probe whether she had an affair with President Clinton and lied about it.

Attorney William Ginsburg also complained his client had been questioned in a hotel room for hours by FBI agents and prosecutors without an attorney to represent her.

"She has been targeted. She is a target," he told The Associated Press. A target, according to the manual used by federal prosecutors, is someone likely to be indicted.

Ginsburg said he is seeking a deal to gain immunity from prosecution for his client in exchange for her testimony. But Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr's investigators have rejected the idea.

"Their position is they are not going to give her immunity," he said. Prosecutors subpoenaed Ms. Lewinsky to testify before the grand jury, sources said. Ginsburg declined comment on that, citing grand jury secrecy.

Despite pressure from prosecutors and the sudden media limelight, Ginsburg said of his client "at this point, she stands by her affidavit" filed earlier this month in the Paula Jones case in which she denied an affair with Clinton.

Prosecutors, moving quickly to subpoena key players and documents, are trying to determine if Ms. Lewinsky, Clinton and Clinton confidant Vernon Jordan conspired to cover up an alleged affair. Lying in a sworn affidavit could be grounds for perjury charges.

The president and Jordan have both denied any coverup and Clinton has denied he had a sexual relationship with the young woman.

The prosecutors have tape recordings suggesting that Ms. Lewinsky, concerned she was about to be questioned in the Jones sexual harassment case against the president, talked to Clinton in December and was hooked up with Jordan to find a lawyer and a new job, lawyers familiar with the tapes said.

The White House was sharply divided over when Clinton should respond to questions raised in the Lewinsky matter. Some political advisers hoped he would hold a news conference today. But the president decided otherwise, siding with aides and attorneys who sought a cautious approach more mindful of legal pitfalls.

Clinton would like to address the issue before Tuesday night's State of the Union address, presidential spokesman Mike McCurry said. "But whether we can or not we don't know. We've got to assemble every answer to every question that you are all going to pounce on very quickly to ask," he said.

The president was meeting with his Cabinet to discuss Tuesday's speech. McCurry said Clinton probably would speak to them about the accusations.

Ginsburg said Ms. Lewinsky has been "squeezed" by prosecutors and they "managed to detain her" for eight hours of questioning without an attorney.

In an earlier interview with ABC, Ginsburg confirmed that Ms. Lewinsky was prepared to plead the Fifth Amendment — which protects against self-incrimination — and refuse to testify today if questioned in the case. That's "fairly accurate," Ginsburg said.

Ms. Lewinsky was spared by a federal judge from questioning by Jones' attorneys as Starr sought Ms. Lewinsky's cooperation for his investigation into whether there was any attempt by Clinton and Jordan to influence Ms. Lewinsky's testimony in the Jones federal lawsuit.

Jones' attorneys, relegated to a sideshow in this week's developments, called a news conference this morning to dispute speculation they were working in tandem with Starr. "I think it is safe to say there's no communication between our office and Mr. Starr's office," said Donovan Campbell. He said he welcomed the delay in Ms. Lewinsky's deposition to "allow the victim to collect her thoughts."

Ms. Lewinsky is "devastated, concerned, upset, and fearful," Ginsburg said. "She does not know what the future holds."

The crisis which has entangled Clinton began when a friend of Ms. Lewinsky provided Starr with about 20 hours of audio tapes in which she is heard describing a sexual relationship with Clinton and discussions on hushing it up.

## JOHN GUNNIF

### Business Mirror

## Taxpayers, there's relief

NEW YORK (AP) — Simply because they have never heard of a particular government form, many thousands of taxpayers will pay costly civil penalties to the Internal Revenue Service this year.

It is difficult to determine the precise number of such taxpayers, but in 1996 the Internal Revenue Service assessed 13.1 million taxpayers a total of \$1.2 billion in civil penalties for failure to pay taxes.

Many of these people could have avoided the penalties. Had they known about IRS Form 1127, they would have recognized that the IRS may allow taxpayers to delay payment by up to six months during which interest, but not penalties, are assessed.

The form is so little known that some IRS employees are unaware of its existence, and the agency does little to publicize it. Moreover, it is not readily available.

Instead, most people caught in a financial bind use IRS Form 4868, which allows for an automatic four-month extension for filing. However, in using this form both taxes and civil penalties are assessed on any tax owed in the interim.

The payment extension, as distinguished from the filing extension, is not granted automatically. Taxpayers must show that unforeseen circumstances beyond their control, such as medical bills, made it impossible for them to pay by April 15.

In each instance, however, one or the other form must be filed by the April 15 deadline. And if Form 1127 is used, the tax return itself must be filed on time.

Tax litigation consultant Dan Pilla, who teaches tax professionals the ins and outs of the tax law and who has written nine books on the tax system, has done his best to inform the public about Form 1127, but it is still little understood.

Pilla, whose offices are in the St. Paul suburb of White Bear Lake, Minn., says he's had a difficult time learning why the form is so little publicized, since inevitably there are many thousands of taxpayers who might benefit from its use.

The only explanation ever offered by the IRS, he says, is that it would create confusion, a somewhat ironic response in view of 17,000 pages of tax rules and regulations that often confuse the IRS itself.

The two forms, Forms 1127 and Form 4868, are not the only means by which pressured taxpayers can delay the inevitable. Using IRS Form 9465, a filer who owes taxes but cannot pay the full amount immediately can request an installment agreement.

In worst-case situations, there exists such a thing as tax amnesty, although this aspect of the tax law also is little known.

Using IRS Form 656, accompanied by IRS Form 433A, a taxpayer may submit an offer in compromise, conceding that the full amount is owed but pleading and proving that the total is unaffordable, and suggesting an amount that is financially feasible.

Proving such a case is not easy, but the results can be dramatic and relieve the taxpayer of mounting penalty, interest and compounding of debt that could only worsen matters. The average settlement as of last November was 13 cents on the dollar.

Pilla, a researcher who has delved into the most obscure alleyways of the IRS code, has made taxes his life's work: writing books and articles, appearing on TV and radio programs, conducting seminars and training lawyers and accountants.

Much of the information used here is contained in his Tax Amnesty Forms Kit, which includes the book "Tax Amnesty."

## Keeping an eye on Texas

### Poster contest winners

More than 10,000 Texas school children entered art work in the Texas Tomorrow Fund poster competition. First place winners, announced in January, will receive a four-year Texas Tomorrow Fund scholarship. Winners of second through fourth place will receive U.S. Savings Bonds.



Brandon Hooten, a fifth grader at Whitaker Elementary School in El Paso, won first place in the elementary school division. A detail of the entry is shown above.

Savannah White, an eighth grader at Springtown Middle School near Fort Worth, won first place in the middle school division. A detail of the entry is shown above.

Enroll by April 1: The Texas Tomorrow Fund allows families to lock in the costs of their children's future college tuition and required fees for about what they would pay today. For information, call 1-800-445-4723, or on the Internet: <http://www.window.state.tx.us>

SOURCE: John Sharp, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts.

## Echándole el ojo a Texas

### Ganadores del concurso de pósters

Más de 10,000 estudiantes Texasos sometieron dibujos para el concurso de pósters del Texas Tomorrow Fund. En enero se anunciaron los ganadores. Los estudiantes escogidos para el primer lugar recibirán una beca del Texas Tomorrow Fund para cuatro años de estudio. Los ganadores de segundo hasta cuarto lugar recibirán U.S. Savings Bonds.



Brandon Hooten, un estudiante de Whitaker Elementary School en El Paso en el quinto grado, ganó primer lugar para el nivel de primaria. Arriba se ve un detalle de su dibujo.

Savannah White, una estudiante de Springtown Middle School cercanas de Fort Worth en el octavo grado, ganó primer lugar para el nivel de secundaria. Arriba se ve un detalle de su dibujo.

La fecha límite para matricularse en el Texas Tomorrow Fund es el día 10 de abril. El programa prepagado de costos colegiados hace posible que familias paguen los costos futuros de la educación superior a casi los mismos precios de hoy. Para más información llame gratis al 1-800-445-4723 ó encuéntrelo en el Internet, la dirección es: <http://www.window.state.tx.us>

Fuente: John Sharp, Contralor Estatal de Cuentas Públicas.

# HOUSE

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Lewinsky to lie and involved Washington attorney Vernon Jordan in the effort.

If he meets those obstacles, the criminal charge likely would be subornation of perjury, which carries a maximum penalty of five years in prison and a \$2,000 fine. Subornation is a suggestion that someone commit perjury. "Perjury is hard to prove, and subornation adds another layer, making it even harder," said James Cole, an attorney who investigated House Speaker Newt Gingrich for the House ethics committee.

Philip Heymann, former deputy attorney general and now a Harvard University law professor, said, "The very difficult burden for Ken Starr would be to prove that Vernon Jordan urged her to commit perjury, and it would be even harder to prove the president requested Jordan to do that."

Joseph diGenova, a former independent counsel, said perjury investigations are difficult because "It's usually tough to find someone to talk about it."

One GOP staff source, speaking only on condition of anonymity, said House Judiciary Committee Chairman Henry Hyde, R-Ill., would not launch an inquiry without broad support of House members.

"It can't be a vendetta," the staffer said. "You have to have Democrats of the same mind. Starr must move swiftly and make his report. Either this is the greatest political self-immolation of the 20th century or one of the greatest smears of the 20th century. Starr has to move swiftly to determine which one it is. Until he does, the House is in no place to move."

The Judiciary Committee also lacks an investigative staff to handle an impeachment inquiry, and it would be a major undertaking to hire one.

Rep. Gerald Solomon, R-N.Y., chairman of the House Rules Committee, said if an impeachment inquiry begins, it could range beyond Starr's investigation.

"Consequently, if these most recent allegations are shown to be credible, they will be part of the Rules Committee deliberations into the wide-ranging questions about illegal activities on the part of the president and his Cabinet, including prior allegations of selling influence to the White House, economic espionage and violations of national security," Solomon said.

In his 1976 memoirs, Watergate special prosecutor Leon Jaworski wrote that he had "grave doubts" that the Supreme Court would permit an indictment against a sitting president, and deferred to the House impeachment investigation of Richard Nixon.

"The proper constitutional process, it seemed to me, would be for the (Judiciary Committee) to proceed first with an impeachment inquiry," Jaworski wrote.

## UNITED WAY

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Other honorees included an award of appreciation from the American Red Cross to the United Way for its years of help to the community; Tommy Rosson, retiring principal of Tierra Blanca Primary School and retiring United Way board member, was cited for three years of service to the community and the school; and Weldon Knabe was named UW Volunteer of the Year.

UW provides funding to the American Red Cross, Big Brothers/Big Sisters, Boy Scouts, Camp Fire, children's Rehabilitation, Girl Scouts, High Plains Epilepsy, Home Delivered Meals, Kid's Inc., Salvation Army, TPMHA-HC, Women and Children's Crisis Center and the YMCA.

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# NEWS

## in brief

### Clinton administration steps up pressure on Israel, Palestinians on peace process

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Clinton administration is stepping up its role in the stymied Mideast peace process, telling Israel and the Palestinians "we need some results soon."

The next move probably will be talks in Europe between Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat brokered by Secretary of State Madeleine Albright. She insisted again Thursday on a sizable and credible Israeli pullback on the West Bank.

Declaring that remained her position, Albright confirmed President Clinton had decided on a strategy of urging a phased Israeli troop withdrawal timed to Palestinian actions against terrorism.

With Clinton making proposals and Albright likely to lead an Arafat-Netanyahu bargaining session, the administration has begun to shape the outline of a settlement - insisting, all the while, the hard decisions were up to the two leaders.

"Terrorists are waging a relentless war against Israelis," Albright said, echoing Netanyahu's complaint on this issue while disagreeing with him about a pullback. He has offered to withdraw from less than 10 percent more of the West Bank.

Arafat, for his part, demanded 60 percent more of the West Bank - he told reporters that was what agreements with Israel required - and said he had given Clinton a letter to show the Palestine National Council had nullified calls for Israel's destruction.

"So far as we're concerned that was put to rest," he said.

### Group launches appeal to save tigers

GLAND, Switzerland (AP) - With the Chinese Year of the Tiger beginning this month, the World Wide Fund for Nature launched a \$1 million appeal Thursday to help save the big cat from extinction.

"The situation for tigers is becoming increasingly precarious," spokesman Jean-Pierre d'Huart said.

The number of tigers in the world has declined by 95 percent during the last 100 years, the group said in a report. The main threats to tigers are habitat destruction, poaching and the illegal trade in tiger parts for use in traditional Chinese medicine.

Three species of tigers, the Bali, Caspian and Javan, are already extinct and the South China species risks the same fate with only 20 or 30 left in the wild, it said.

There are between 5,000 and 7,000 tigers left in the wild, mainly in national parks and protected areas. About half the world's tigers live in India.

### Formula suggested for Baby Bells, long-distance

WASHINGTON (AP) - In return for speedier regulatory action, regional Bell telephone companies would be allowed to provide local and long-distance service through separate companies in which they would have a limited financial stake, a long-distance company proposed Thursday.

LCI International Inc., the nation's sixth-largest long-distance company, offered the plan to the Federal Communications Commission. The FCC is considering how to help the Baby Bells enter the long-distance business as well as spur local phone competition.

LCI's "fast-track" proposal would not lower the regulatory bar for the Bells to provide long-distance service to local phone customers. They would still have to comply with all provisions of a 1996 telecommunications law governing long-distance entry.

Instead, the proposal would "greatly simplify the factual examination" regulators must go through when reviewing Bell companies' requests to provide long-distance, Anne Bingaman, LCI's senior vice president insisted.

But BellSouth spokesman Bill McCloskey said LCI's proposal "builds new regulatory hurdles" for Bell entry into long-distance and would delay more competition to that market. Other Bell representatives didn't like it, either.

### AFL-CTO to help organize border workers

MEXICO CITY (AP) - AFL-CIO President John J. Sweeney, who is visiting Mexico, is pledging to help organize workers at Mexican border plants.

Sweeney met privately Thursday with President Ernesto Zedillo after launching a call for "a new internationalism" in the labor movement in a speech to union members and students at Mexico's National Autonomous University.

"We want to stand with you to organize workers in the maquiladoras (border plants), beginning with the guarantee of an authentic union for the Han Young workers in Tijuana," Sweeney told the university meeting.

In one of the first tests of U.S. support for Mexican unions, workers at the Han Young truck assembly plant were allowed last week to form a new, independent union after receiving support from the U.S. labor movement.

A government labor board had refused to recognize a vote workers at the plant to form the new union in October.

### Former securities regulator sentenced

BROOKLYN (AP) - A former official in the Denver office of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission has been sentenced to 18 months in prison for his role in elaborate stock schemes.

Judge I. Leo Glasser of the U.S. District Court in Brooklyn, N.Y., on Wednesday ordered James W. Nearen to report to prison officials in March. He will be subject to three years of supervision after his release.

"Whenever a government official steps over the line, they tarnish the badge we all wear," said Daniel Shea, director of the SEC's Denver office. Nearen, a lawyer for the office from 1988 to 1995, left his job to work for convicted felons he had been investigating. In April, he became a convict himself, pleading guilty to securities fraud, money laundering and illegal conflict-of-interest charges.

### Greyhound, union reach tentative agreement

DALLAS (AP) - Greyhound Lines, Inc., said Thursday it has reached tentative agreement for a new labor contract for the bus line's drivers and mechanics.

The agreement must still be ratified by the local unit of the Amalgamated Transit Union. Specific terms of the agreement were not disclosed.

The 4,600 ATU members at Dallas-based Greyhound are now working under a six-year agreement that expires Jan. 31, 1999.

Jim Cushing-Murray, president of Local 1700, said the negotiations went well and represented a "radical departure" from previous adversarial contract talks at Greyhound.

"That's the reason we reached a fair agreement early," Cushing-murray said. Greyhound Lines is the only nationwide provider of bus transportation.

### Bono's widow to run for old House seat

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) - Despite misgivings about losing time with her children, Mary Bono plans to run for her late husband's congressional seat.

Mrs. Bono, 36, said Thursday she will be a candidate for the 44th District post held by Sonny Bono when he was killed in a skiing accident Jan. 5. A special election is scheduled April 7.

She said local Republicans and members of Congress urged her to run. In a television interview earlier this week, she worried about whether politics would leave enough time for daughter Chianna, 6, and son Cesare, 9.

"The past two weeks have been the most difficult and trying of my entire life," Mrs. Bono said in a statement.

### IMF: Asian bailouts don't cost taxpayers

WASHINGTON (AP) - The International Monetary Fund is defending its multibillion-dollar rescue packages for three Asian economies and insisting they will not cost U.S. taxpayers.

Stanley Fischer, the IMF deputy managing director, said that without IMF action, there would have been more bankruptcies, unemployment and a deeper recession that could have spread to global financial markets.

He said Thursday that the IMF's first order of business was to restore confidence in the currencies of Thailand, Indonesia and South Korea, which were targets of IMF aid totaling \$120 billion.

Replying to critics in Congress that say these bailouts come from taxpayers' pockets and constitute corporate welfare because international banks got the funds, Fischer said the IMF "does not carry out its operations at taxpayers' expense."

"On the contrary, it operates like a credit union" with subscriptions, called quotas, that earn market-rate interest when they are used in IMF lending programs.

### Researcher asks test plots of hemp

MONTPELIER, Vt. (AP) - The best way to find out whether it makes sense to grow industrial hemp - the plant from which the drug marijuana can be derived - is to plant a few test plots, a University of Vermont economist says.

Dr. Jane Kolodinsky, an associate professor of economics, told the state House and Senate Agriculture committees there is not enough information about the potential market for U.S.-grown hemp to predict whether farmers could make money growing it in Vermont.

But its success as a niche product in Europe indicates it is worth a try, Kolodinsky said.

"It seems that there are several definitely positive things about" growing industrial hemp, Kolodinsky said after a meeting of the two committees. "Unless you try something, perhaps on a small scale, you can argue about it for years and perhaps never get anywhere," she said.

Several Vermont lawmakers have been pushing to legalize hemp as a farm crop. Gov. Howard Dean, citing the drug associations, has sworn to veto any such bill that passes the Legislature. The movement to grow hemp has scattered support in several other state legislatures.

### AIDS cases jump among older Americans

ATLANTA (AP) - New AIDS cases rose more than twice as fast among those over 50 than among younger adults between 1991 and 1996, suggesting that older people aren't protecting themselves against the disease.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention said 6,400 AIDS cases were diagnosed in the United States among people at least 50 years old in 1996, a 22 percent increase from 1991.

Cases for the 13-to-49 age group rose 9 percent in the same period, to 50,300.

The CDC said most older adults who got AIDS in the early days of the epidemic probably contracted it from a tainted blood transfusion. Now, more are being infected by unprotected sex and by injecting drugs.

"These are older adults who are engaging in some risky behaviors because they don't perceive themselves to be at risk," Dr. Kimberly Holding of the CDC said Thursday.

Among older women, the number of new AIDS cases linked to unprotected sex more than doubled between 1991 and 1996 - from 340 to 700. In older men, that increase was almost as sharp, from 360 to 700.

### Doctor says false AIDS rumors hurt reputation

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) - Dr. Susan Johnson started hearing the rumors in October, before patients began calling her obstetrics-gynecology practice asking to transfer to another doctor.

They had heard Johnson had AIDS and didn't want her treating them. Her practice faltered as the rumor spread.

"It's devastating for any human being to have a lie told about you," she said Thursday.

Johnson and her husband, William Whitehurst Jr., have filed a \$5 million lawsuit against the people they claim started the rumor: two other doctors in Martin, a city of 10,000 in northwestern Tennessee.

Johnson claims Drs. Susan Lowry and Anna Hopla "were motivated to do harm" to her because she refused to take on obstetrical patients of Lowry, who was pregnant and a patient of Johnson's at the time. Lowry and Hopla were in practice together at Martin Medical Center.

The doctors became angry and retaliated by spreading the "false, scurrilous and slanderous rumor" that Johnson had AIDS, according to the lawsuit filed Jan. 14. Johnson, the doctors allegedly claimed, would write a letter to each of her patients informing them of her condition.

### Repair shops balk at switches for air bags

WASHINGTON (AP) - Drivers who want on-off switches installed for their air bags are having a hard time finding dealers or repair shops to do the job, an American Automobile Association survey indicates.

In the group's informal survey of 700 new car dealerships and other repair shops in 29 states, only 16 percent said they would install the cutoff switches for motorists with the required authorization papers from the government.

Sixty-two percent of the shops said they would not install the switches. The remaining 22 percent said they are waiting for additional information from legal advisors or vehicle manufacturers.

"I tried at least 15 dealerships in the area and not one would do it. I called everybody," Mary Gustafson, 54, said in a telephone interview from Minneapolis. "I have this permission letter, but what good does it do me? I'm so disgusted."

Gustafson, who wants a driver-side switch, got an authorization letter because she is 4-feet-10 and cannot sit far enough away from the air bag while driving.

### Medical school applications drop

PHILADELPHIA (AP) - Bradley Tevelow wasn't surprised to hear that fewer people are applying to medical school these days - the standards are tougher and business offers an "endless supply" of money.

"I have friends who have tried to make that decision between Wall Street and med school," said Tevelow, 23, a University of Pennsylvania medical student from Englewood Cliffs, N.J.

Starting salaries of \$70,000, he said, are more attractive than paying off \$180,000 in school loans over four years.

Whatever the reasons, the nation has posted its first decline in medical school applications in nearly a decade after years of robust growth. The number for the 1997 fall incoming class dropped 8.4 percent from the previous year, when a record 46,968 people applied for 16,000 first-year slots.

And the number of applications for this fall is expected to be even smaller, according to the Association of American Medical Colleges, which tracks the numbers.

### Pakistan to be sentenced in CIA shootings

FAIRFAX, Va. (AP) - Judy Becker and Frank Darling met at work, fell in love and got married. The two young CIA employees envisioned parallel careers, a house, children.

Five years ago, Darling was gunned down and even now, as a judge decides on the sentence for the gunman, his widow cannot reconcile the carefully planned future of a newlywed couple with the horrible and random death.

"Why us?" she asked. "It could have been anyone. Why that moment? Why our car? Why did he keep shooting at Frank?"

Mir Aimal Kasi, a Pakistani national, was to learn today - two days short of the fifth anniversary of the ambush outside CIA headquarters - whether he will be sentenced to death. A jury convicted him of capital murder in November and recommended the death penalty.

Fairfax Circuit Judge J. Howe Brown will sentence Kasi, after defense lawyers argue that his life be spared.

Kasi, 33, fled to Pakistan after the shootings, leaving behind the AK-47 rifle he used to kill Darling and another CIA employee, Lansing Bennett, 66. Three other men were wounded in the Jan. 25, 1993, attack that Kasi later said was in retaliation for U.S. meddling in Muslim countries.

### Men don't like Valentine's Day card shopping

CLEVELAND (AP) - Love hurts - ask any man who has to shop for a Valentine's Day card.

A survey from a greeting card company finds that while many women enjoy shopping for the romantic cards, men like it about as much as heartburn.

Some 900 million cards are purchased annually on Valentine's Day, 85 percent of them by women. The survey from card-maker American Greetings Corp. of Cleveland found that men and women buy very different kinds of cards and for different reasons.

Men often saw card-shopping as an "ordeal" which they do mostly because their wives or girlfriends expect to receive the cards, the unscientific survey found.

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