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## A PRESIDENT ON TRIAL



"Our vote is whether or not to remove the president. We can admit to the fact the president has not been truthful. ... But the question is a judgment question: Do we believe it is grounds for overturning an election. The answer is no."  
Sen. Paul Wellstone, D-Minn.

## Lott sees Feb. 6 end

The Associated Press

Poised to call Monica Lewinsky and two others as witnesses, Senate Republicans today discussed a timetable that could end President Clinton's impeachment trial within 10 days. The White House said it was concerned Republicans were trying to "put a blindfold on us."

John Czwartacki, a spokesman for Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott, said the proposed schedule to end the

trial by Feb. 6 would be set back if the White House asked for defense witnesses for Clinton.

Under the GOP plan, depositions of Ms. Lewinsky, presidential friend Vernon Jordan and White House aide Sidney Blumenthal would begin as early as Thursday. Each deposition would last six hours, equally divided between the White House and House prosecutors with two senators sitting in as mediators.

The videotaped sessions and transcripts would be distributed on Monday, with votes Tuesday on whether to permit live testimony in the Senate.

The plan, "would have it over a week from Saturday," Czwartacki said, but a request for witnesses from the White House "would set it back."

The timetable would allow for live testimony and then closing statements from the House managers and White

House lawyers, the spokesman said.

Senate Republicans expected to muster party-line majorities today to defeat a Democratic motion to dismiss the impeachment case and approve witness depositions. At the same time, Democrats were ready to demonstrate the strength to block the two-thirds majority that eventually would be needed to oust Clinton from office

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## Lawmakers voice some fears about the concentration of U.S. agriculture

WASHINGTON (AP) — Farm-state senators complained before representatives of packers and big corporations Tuesday about the growing trend toward consolidation in agriculture, questioning whether recent big deals signal the end of the small family farmer.

"We are losing family farmers at a record pace," said Sen. Byron Dorgan, D-N.D., who has called for a moratorium on approving any new agribusiness mergers or acquisitions.

"We would do well by looking at an approach that says let's at least not let this get worse," he told the Senate Agriculture Committee.

Added Sen. Charles Grassley, R-Iowa: "Agriculture benefits from the resulting efficiencies. But how big is too big?"

"I'm concerned that ownership within the hands of too few within the food and feed chain could harm small and mid-sized producers," Grassley said.

Many lawmakers have expressed concerns about concentration since Cargill Inc. of Minneapolis, the nation's No. 1 grain company, announced plans to buy the worldwide operations of second-ranked Continental Grain Co.

The proposed merger comes at a time when low prices have swept both livestock and commodities markets. Many

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lawmakers worry that the Cargill-Continental deal, which is being reviewed by Justice, will further depress prices for farmers.

As of 1997, the four largest packing firms accounted for 80 percent of cattle slaughter, 54 percent of hog slaughter,

and 70 percent of sheep slaughter. USDA chief economist Keith Collins told senators.

With grain market shares of the four largest exporting firms ranged from 47 percent for wheat to almost 70 percent for corn. In storage, Collins said, the four largest firms accounted for almost 27 percent of total elevator capacity.

Sen. Kent Conrad, D-N.D., said that Attorney General Janet Reno has agreed to meet with him and Grassley in two weeks to discuss concentration.

Still, industry representatives rejected arguments that they were squeezing out small farmers.

"Cargill and Continental did not cause or even contribute to low farm prices," said Frank Sims, president of Cargill's North American Grain Division. "We believe this acquisition should be analyzed on its own merits, not as an accessory to tough times on the farm."

Sims said the combination of Cargill's 243 U.S. grain facilities with Continental's 83 U.S. grain facilities would make up only 6 percent of total commercial storage space.

"Our combined business should handle about 10 to 13 percent of the U.S. grain moving to markets," Sims said.

USDA officials, however, have expressed concern that the combined companies could stifle or drive out competition in some local markets and at key distribution points.

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Sen. Charles Grassley, R-Iowa

## Get a 'moo've on



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Bubbles, bubbles, everywhere — That's what this steer, being primped by 15-year-old Glenn Kahlich, seems to be saying. Kahlich was using a mousse-like substance on the body of the big animal and the steer seemed to think it necessary to produce some of his own.

## Steers weigh in, kick off annual livestock show

By Dianna F. Dandridge

Hereford Brand Staff Writer

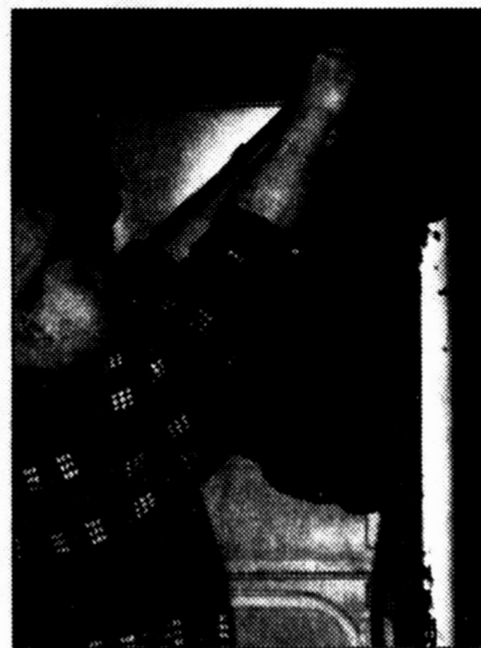
Official weigh-in of steers Tuesday evening launched the 1999 Hereford Young Farmers Stock Show at the Deaf Smith County Bull Barn.

More than 40 steers, weighing between 932 pounds and 1,636 pounds, will be shown by 37 young stockmen.

Steers represent three categories — American, cross-breed and exotic — with the exotic category drawing the most entries.

The steer judging begins at 6 this evening, with Borden County Extension Agent Dennis Poole serving as judge.

Steers aren't the only thing ready for the big show. The annual 4-H concession stand opened today for lunch, serving chili, Frito pie, barbeque, and German



**Drying time** — It's drying time again for the steer being shown by Justin Johnson at the Hereford Young Farmers Livestock Show. The steer was among the first to be washed and primped for the upcoming steer show at the Deaf Smith County Bull Barn. The annual livestock auction will begin at noon Saturday.

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smoked sausages wrapped in a tortilla.

Four-H parents got busy Tuesday preparing 200 pounds of barbeque, 716 German sausage links, and 300 pounds of hamburger chili.

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## School district teaches teachers about computers

By Dianna F. Dandridge

Hereford Brand Staff Writer

Computer technology is nothing new to students, but many teachers grew up without the modern tool and are now having to make up the deficit.

Hereford teachers and faculty have the opportunity to gain up-to-date computer skills in the new computer learning center in the Hereford Independent School District administration building.

The teacher training is part of the computer upgrade being installed on all campuses.

Computer training is taught by both special instructors provided by the Jostens program company and HISD personnel.

"We're teaching the teachers, one step at a time so they can

"At some point, all the teachers will have to have some computer skills," he said. "Eventually all the grades will be entered electronically, so the teachers will at some point need the skills."

Corky Lockmiller

get used to using it," said Corky Lockmiller, HISD assistant superintendent for educational support services.

"To teach it any other way just defeats the purpose," Lockmiller said. "Teachers have to get comfortable with each step before they can go further."

The computer training is offered to district teachers on a voluntary basis and since the opening of the training center, Lockmiller says the response has been excellent.

"At some point, all the teachers will have to have some computer skills," he said. "Eventually all

the grades will be entered electronically, so the teachers will at some point need the skills."

Lockmiller said the only way for the teachers to get the full use of the new computer system is to learn it one step at a time, from the simplest application, with hands on experience.

The new training facility consists of 24 work stations plus an overhead viewer which displays exactly what is on the instructors screen so the teacher students see exactly what is supposed to be on their screen.

Lockmiller starts each lesson with the simplest of instructions and gradually the teacher students wind their way through general word processing, Internet applications and

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## Local roundup

## 4-H parents host lunch

4-H parents leaders will be hosting a fund raiser concession stand at the Bull Barn beginning 9 a.m. Wednesday and running through the end of the stock show. A variety of sandwiches, chips, drinks and snacks will be available at reasonable prices. Everyone is invited and encouraged to support the 4-H Clubs.

## TFWC scholarships available

Texas Federation of Women's Clubs is now accepting applications for 14 scholarships, totaling \$13,000, to be awarded in May.

Applicants may be male or female, any age, or race, married or single. Applicants must have completed at least one semester with minimum of 12 hours at an accredited college or university. The exception is the 1903 University of Texas at Austin scholarship which is open to freshmen and upper classmen.

Applications may be obtained from area Federated Women's Clubs or from Bettye Green, P.O. Box 1367, Tahoka, TX 79373. Deadline for submitting applications is March 15, 1999.

## Exit test tutorials

A series of tutorial classes will be offered by Hereford Independent School District for Hereford High School sophomores who are preparing for the exit testing. The tutorials will be for the math, reading and writing sections of the examination.

A passing grade is required on the state-mandated test before a student can graduate from high school. The tests will be administered to all sophomores Feb. 23-25.

Math tutorials will be 7-8 a.m. Feb. 1-5 in Room 213 with Karen Abney as instructor. Additional tutorials will be 6:30-8:30 p.m. beginning Feb. 8 in Room 215 with Adelle Clements as instructor.

Reading and writing tutorials will be 4-5 p.m. Feb. 2-4 in Room 116.

The classes are open to all sophomores.

For more information, call counselor Stacy Lea at 363-7620.

## Golf tournament

The Beef Capital of the World Ice Breaker Open will be Feb. 27-28 at John Pitman Municipal Golf Course in Hereford.

The tournament will be a two-person scramble with a shotgun start both days. The field will be limited to the first 40 paid teams.

Teams will be flighted after the first round at the discretion of the tournament handicap committee.

Entry fee is \$120 per team and includes green fees, prizes and beef dinner following Saturday's round at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Carts will be extra.

For more information, contact the John Pitman Municipal Golf Course Pro Shop at (806) 363-7139 or (800) 687-6255.

## Benefit car wash

Hereford Independent School District custodians will hold a benefit car wash 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday at Auto Zone, 300 N. 25 Mile Ave. The proceeds from the car wash will go to help defray medical expenses for Eva Nava, who has been diagnosed with a brain tumor.

An account is open at Hereford Texas Federal Credit Union to accept donations.

## Chamber banquet

Tickets for the annual Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce banquet go on sale Feb. 1, according to chamber officials.

Tickets may be purchased from chamber board members, any Hereford Hustler or at the chamber office, 701 N. Main.

The banquet will begin at 7 p.m. Feb. 18 at the Hereford Independent School District administration building, 601 N. 25 Mile Ave.

## Mostly cloudy

Tonight, mostly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of rain late, low in the mid-30s, east to northeast wind 10-20 mph.

Thursday, rain likely early, rain changing to snow by late morning, snow may be heavy at times, high in the mid-30s. Chance of precipitation is 70 percent, northeast wind 10-20 mph with higher gusts. Thursday night, cloudy with a 60 percent chance of snow, low around 20.

## Extended forecast

Friday, mostly cloudy with a slight chance of light snow early, high in the mid-40s.

Saturday and Sunday, partly cloudy, lows in the mid- to upper 20s, highs 60 to 65.

## Tuesday recap

High, 70; low, 29; no precipitation.

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## News in brief

## Family dies from carbon monoxide

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Investigators are seeking to find out whether a man recently investigated for child abuse acted alone or had his wife's blessing when he ran a hose from his exhaust pipe into his car, asphyxiating himself, his wife and two sons.

The family of four and their dog were found in an idling Chevrolet about 9 a.m. Tuesday, dead from apparent carbon monoxide poisoning.

The parents were identified as unemployed 33-year-old Armando Nunez and Valree Nunez, 28, a sales clerk. Their children were Curtis, 7, and Robert, 4. Police said they were treating the boys as homicide — not suicide — victims.

Fort Worth police Officer Richard Carlberg said investigators believed the family had been dead for at least five hours when they were found.

Broken window glass was the only evidence from the morning's events left at the scene, the remains of a futile attempt to save the children by the first officer on the scene.

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## Teachers call for increased funding

AUSTIN (AP) — Borrowing a popular slogan from Hollywood, about 400 school teachers chanted "show me the money" on the steps of the Capitol Tuesday, demanding pay raises and more money for education.

"Give us the money we need to teach and the pay raises. The stats show we're doing a super job, so pay the teachers what they deserve," said Carrie Scott, a special education teacher at Baulter Middle School in Tyler.

The teachers at the rally organized by the Texas State

Teachers Association said they need a \$6,000 raise over two years to bring Texas salaries in line with the national average of \$39,385. The average teacher salary in Texas ranks 35th nationally, the group said.

Some of the teachers held signs that read "Will teach for food" and "If you can read this, pay a teacher."

"Our kids are doing better than they were years ago, yet every little raise we get just gets eaten up with things like rising insurance rates," said Pierre Lessard, a special education teacher at Seagoville

High School in Dallas.

Lessard said teachers also want schools to be able to pay for the most current teaching tools and textbooks.

"It's very important that a kid have a current book, not one that is eight to 10 years old," said Lessard, who said he currently teaches 20 students in courses designed for about 15.

Lt. Gov. Rick Perry said he and Gov. George W. Bush have discussed ways to send school districts \$1.6 billion to be used for teacher pay and reducing class sizes. Education funding

will be a priority during the legislative session, Perry said.

"I think there is a very clear focus on public education in the state of Texas and the teachers being the beneficiaries of a number of issues that we're going to be debating," Perry said.

Rep. Lon Burnham, D-Fort Worth, who recently accepted a teacher's challenge to take over her class for a week, said he would fight to get the teachers what they want.

"I would give you the \$6,000 pay raise but I can't do it by myself," Burnham said, urging the teachers to help him lobby other lawmakers to meet their demands.

The teachers said they oppose allow parents to use taxpayer-funded vouchers to send their children to private schools. Bush has said he supports creating a voucher pilot program to see how well it could work.

"We are not in opposition to private schools and parochial schools. But we do not think public schools should not be funded," said Reg Weaver, vice president of the National Education Association.

Private schools would have the option of rejecting problem students, allowing them to accept only the best students and leaving the others to public schools, the teachers said.

"We're told we need competition. It's easy to compete when you can pick your own students. It's like giving the Denver Broncos the top five draft picks every year," said Michael Miller, a reading specialist in the Grapevine-Colleyville Independent School District.

"We're going to have to turn the tide on vouchers," Miller said.



Tying one up— Hereford FFA member, Steven Edwards, 12, decided to change from pigs to steers this year and part of the change meant learning about the differences between the species. Tuesday afternoon Steven tied his steer up, a second and third time before the knot held.

## Benefits gained from everyday activities

CHICAGO (AP) — Couch potatoes can improve heart and lung fitness just as much by doing everyday activities like raking leaves and climbing stairs as they would working up a sweat in a gym, researchers reported today.

The authors of two studies in today's Journal of the American Medical Association say their findings are good news for anyone who doesn't exercise because they don't have time, don't like heavy workouts or can't get to a gym.

"Most of us drive to work, sit at our desks and drive home and watch TV," said Cynthia Gonzalez, who took part in a study at the Cooper Institute of Aerobics Research in Dallas.

The study followed 235 men and women, ages 35 to 60, who were divided into two groups and monitored over two

years. One group spent 20 to 60 minutes vigorously exercising — swimming or biking, for example — up to five days a week. The other incorporated 30 minutes a day of the so-called "lifestyle" exercise.

Researchers found that, at the end of six months, both groups had similar — and significant — improvements in cholesterol ratios, blood pressure and body fat percentages. However, the lifestyle group had to exercise three times longer than those at the gym to burn the same amount of calories.

The second study, which followed 40 obese women, had similar results.

The studies are among the first clinical trials to find that moderate exercise is beneficial for the one in four Americans who spend most of their time sitting and put themselves at greater risk for heart

disease, the leading cause of death in the United States.

"This is great news for the millions of Americans who are not getting enough physical activity," Dr. Claude Lenfant, director of the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute, said in a statement applauding the two studies.

Before the study, Gonzalez was doing "zero" but found ways to incorporate 30 minutes of moderate exercise — mostly walking — into her routine.

"I'd walk around the house during TV commercials. I'd park farther away at the mall," said Gonzalez, a retired AT&T saleswoman from Garland, Texas, who saw a marked improvement in her treadmill stamina.

Researchers say people who usually don't exercise are more likely to stick to a regimen of doing everyday activities than keep up with a daily gym routine.

"We can all start a program

— and most people do in January. And by February, 50 percent of those people have stopped," said Andrea Dunn, a Cooper Institute researcher and lead author of the study. "If we don't develop approaches that are easier for people ... we'll continue to have the public health problem that we have at the moment."

A recent study by the Mayo Clinic suggested that merely moving around or fidgeting can help people stay trim. But these researchers aren't recommending that people stop working out at the gym or saying that a lunchtime walk here and a set of stairs there will do the trick.

"It has to be a little more structured than that. It's not just haphazardly doing 10 minutes on Monday and 10 minutes on Tuesday," said Ross Andersen of Johns Hopkins University, who led the study of obese women. "And it has to be done at a purposeful pace."

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## Emergency services

Activities reported by emergency services personnel for Jan. 26, 1999, include the following:

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

## Arrests

— An 18-year-old man was arrested and charged with an outstanding warrant for burglary of a motor vehicle.

— A 38-year-old man was arrested and charged with driving a vehicle without a valid license, defective equipment, and failure to dim headlights for an approaching vehicle.

— A 32-year-old woman was arrested and charged with assault, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

— An adult shoplifter was arrested at a business in the 100 block of East Park Avenue.

## Incidents

— A 13-year-old high school student was charged with theft. The student allegedly stole approximately \$100 worth of school IDs.

— A social security card and birth certificate were stolen from the 400 block of Bradley.

— More than \$1,000 worth of criminal mischief was reported to a car parked in the 100 block of Avenue H.

— A woman reported being

assaulted by an ex-boyfriend in the 500 block of George.

— Charges of having an electrified fence, within city limits are expected to be filed against a man living in the 200 block of Avenue I. The fence shocked a 2-year-old child.

— Charges of reckless damage or destruction are being investigated in relation to a repossession of a motor vehicle.

— Burglary of a residence was reported in the 300 block of Avenue J.

— Theft of approximately \$56 worth of light bulbs was reported in the 400 block of Jack Griffin Avenue.

— An \$800 tailgate was stolen from a parked pickup in the Homeland parking lot.

— A criminal trespass warning was served to a 36-year-old woman, warning her not to return to a residence in the 300 block of South Texas.

— City property was recovered from a residence in the 500 block of Irving.

— A reckless driver was reported in the 200 block of Avenue F.

— A child reported hearing gunshots near her home. Investigators determined it was a malfunctioning hot water heater.

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## Obituaries

## ELIZABETH HAYGOOD

## GULLEY

Jan. 24, 1999

UVALDE — Funeral services for Elizabeth Haygood Gulley, 89, of Uvalde will be 2 p.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church of Uvalde with Rev. Jerry Scott officiating. Burial with Eastern Star graveside rites will follow in the Uvalde Cemetery. Arrangements are under the direction of Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Gulley will lie in state Saturday morning at the church.

She died Sunday at Westgate Nursing Home.

She was a great-granddaughter of Capt. William Ware, who fought for Texas Independence at the Battle of San Jacinto. He was the first to establish a permanent settlement in Uvalde County.

She was a 1927 graduate of Uvalde High School and she attended Sul Ross State University. Mrs. Gulley assisted in writing the historical accounts on state historical markers in Uvalde County.

She married rancher David Gulley on Aug. 3, 1927 in

Uvalde, who preceded her in death in 1992.

The Texas Historical Commission presented Mrs. Gulley with a citation of distinguished service and in 1962 she was named as a Woman of Distinction.

She was a member of many civic and historic societies.

Survivors include one daughter, Clarice Gulley Fisher Satel of San Antonio and Leakey; two sons, Judge David Wesley Gulley of Hereford, and Haygood Gulley of Del Rio; and five grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be made to Westgate Nursing Home.

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## Texas lottery

## Cash 5

The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Tuesday by the Texas Lottery:

2-5-28-35-38

## Pick 3

The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Tuesday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

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# LIFESTYLES

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## FCE Council plans appreciation luncheon

The annual appreciation luncheon sponsored by the Deaf Smith County Family Community Education Council and clubs was discussed at the Monday FCE Council meeting. This year's luncheon will be held Feb. 22 in the banquet room of Hereford Community Center.

Highlight of the luncheon will be naming of the FCE Club Woman of the Year. Nominees for this year are Tonie Vaughn from Draper FCE Club; Katherine Paschel, Ford FCE Club; and Thelma Auten, Wyche FCE Club.

Jo Lee, FCE Council chairman, presided at the business meeting. Prior to opening exercises by Westway FCE Club, members sang the National

Anthem.

Six clubs answered roll call with two having 100 percent attendance. Audrey Rusher was welcomed as a guest.

Recommendations for 1999 were discussed and changes will be voted on by local clubs for approval.

TAFCE chairman, Mariellen Homfeld reported on the District I meeting to be held in Borger. Delegates to the meeting are Homfeld for Bippus Club; Tonie Vaughn, Draper and Cultural clubs; Lee, Wyche Club; and Maudette Smith, Ford Club.

Preliminary plans were discussed for the Tasting Bee which will include salads of all kinds. Recipes will be available for the cookbook.

Syndicated Columnist

## Ann Landers



Ann Landers

**Dear Ann Landers:** I have two sons. My older son, "Randall," is unmarried. Last year, he had to give up his apartment when his lease ran out, so for several months, he lived with his younger brother, "Eddie," and his wife, "Gussie."

I accidentally overheard a conversation and learned that Randall and Gussie were having an affair. I immediately told Eddie what was going on. He promptly confronted his wife and brother. They confessed everything.

Now, all three of them are angry with me. Eddie has finally started to speak to me again after months of silence, but Gussie still won't talk to me. That doesn't bother me much because I never liked her. Meanwhile, Randall hasn't said one word to me since the affair.

Was I wrong to tell Eddie about the affair? I couldn't bear to see my younger son being made a fool of by his wife, and I didn't think it was right for Randall to be involved with her under any circumstances. It breaks my heart that my children are so upset with me. Is there any way to fix this? — A Sorry Mom in Iowa

**Dear Sorry Mom:** While your moral stance was understandable, you created a great deal of animosity, and it will take time to repair the damage. You owe an apology to Randall, Eddie and Gussie (even though you don't like her). I suggest that you drop a note to each of them and ask for forgiveness. This should serve as a lesson to you. Vow to carry no more tales. Sometimes, they kill the messenger.

**Dear Ann Landers:** I am a 60-year-old man who doesn't have any interest in anything or anyone. I'm bored with everybody I meet. I am bored with my job and bored with my life.

I grew up in an orphanage and am unable to show love because I never had any as a child. It is impossible for me to keep a relationship going. Either I lose interest, or the other party does. I wish there

was some way I could feel like I did 30 years ago, when I was full of ambition and looking forward to the future.

Is there any hope for me, or should I just resign myself to boredom for the rest of my life? Thanks for listening, Ann. — Bored in Brooklyn

**Dear Brooklyn:** You aren't bored; you are depressed. But you don't have to stay that way for the rest of your life. See a doctor, and ask for an anti-depressant that will help you. Along with the medication, sign up for some talking sessions with a psychologist.

You also need to become involved in activities that will help you feel better about yourself. I'm talking about service to others. Be a volunteer. When you encounter people with real problems, yours won't look so serious. Don't delay. Get going as soon as you read this. And please write again and let me know how you're doing.

**Dear Ann Landers:** I just read your column about the man whose wife was dying. He was upset when friends would say, "Get well soon," because he knew she was terminally ill and "getting well" was not a possibility.

Those people were well-meaning, but I would like to offer a suggestion. Why not say, "My prayers are with you," "I hope you have a better day tomorrow," or "I know this must be a difficult time. I just want you to know how much I care." There is no need to say anything more. — Joanna M. in Williamsport, Pa.

**Dear Joanna:** At times such as the one described, people often don't know what to say, so they say nothing, which makes them seem insensitive or indifferent. You have given them some perfect alternatives. Thank you.

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## King's Manor has new administrator

Lynn Watkins assumed the position of administrator of King's Manor Methodist Home as of Monday, Jan. 25.

This is his first position as administrator. Most recently he was quality assurance coordinator for Dallas Home for the Jewish Aged.

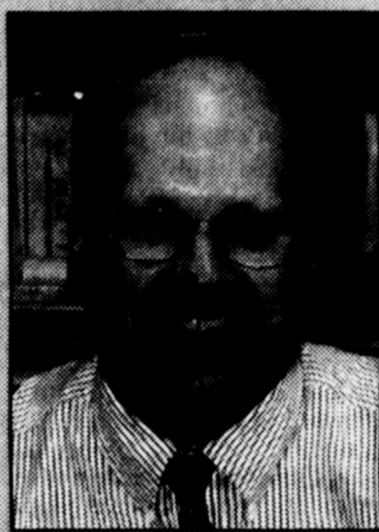
For several years after finishing college he was in a family photography business, but decided on a career change.

"I wanted to get back to dealing with people. That's what it's all about and what makes the world a better place," Watkins said.

Watkins, his wife Edie and their four sons have lived in Southlake. Currently his oldest son is a senior at the Naval Academy, the next one is a sophomore at SMU and the third is a high school senior. His youngest son is 9 years old.

"We chose Southlake because of the schools and because it was a small community, but it outgrew us," he said.

While the three oldest sons



Lynn Watkins

will not be moving here, Watkins feels that "Hereford will be a good environment to bring up our youngest."

Until his family joins him when school is out, the new administrator is living at King's Manor and "getting to know folks," he said.

As for King's Manor, Watkins said, "This is a nice facility. Like an oasis in the middle of West Texas. The whole town is really."

At the Center

## Senior Citizens

MENUS

**THURSDAY**-Mexican stack, Spanish rice, pinto beans, salad fixings, tostados, pineapple tidbits; or sliced ham.

**FRIDAY**-Salmon patties, with dill sauce, buttered parried potatoes, buttered mixed vegetables, coleslaw, French bread, lemon pudding; or wieners with sauerkraut, mixed fruit cup.

**MONDAY**-Salisbury steak, baked potato with sour cream, buttered carrots, breaded tomato, ice cream with toppings; or smothered chicken, sherbet.

**TUESDAY**-Sliced ham, sweet potato patties, Normandy vegetables, 5-cup fruit salad, chocolate cake; or Swiss steak, diet fruit salad, plain cake.

**WEDNESDAY**-Smothered chicken, mashed potatoes, seasoned green beans, Jello with applesauce, apricot cobbler; or Polish sausage, apricots.

ACTIVITIES

**THURSDAY**-Pool classes, exercise class 10-10:45 a.m., oil painting 9-11 a.m., Thrift Store open 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

**FRIDAY**-Pool classes, line dance 10-11 a.m., Thrift Store open 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

**MONDAY**-Pool classes, line dance 10-11 a.m., doll class 1-4 p.m.

**TUESDAY**-Pool classes, exercise class 10-10:45 a.m., Golden K Kiwanis 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**-Pool classes, ceramics 12:30-4:30 p.m.

### Class of '69 to make reunion plans at meeting on Thursday

Hereford High School class of 1969 is planning for its 30 year reunion to be held the weekend of Aug. 6-8. A planning meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday. For location of the meeting, call Janie Beltran Kilpatrick at 364-4123, John Stagner at 364-4587 or Sharon Worthan Pennington at 364-5025.

## Hospital Notes

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## Bell relates trip highlights to Veleda Study Club

Margaret Bell was the guest speaker at the Monday meeting of Veleda Study Club in the home of Juanita Brownnd.

Bell told about her trip to the British Isles with the Texas Plains Chorale. She also had pictures of the various places she described.

Brownnd presided at the business meeting and members answered roll call with "A trip being planned."

Members attending were Frances Crume, Bettie Dickson,

Mary Dziuk, Betty Gilbert, Della Hutto, Joyce Ritter, Norma Walden, Margaret Zinser and Brownnd.

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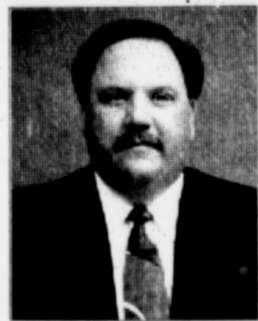
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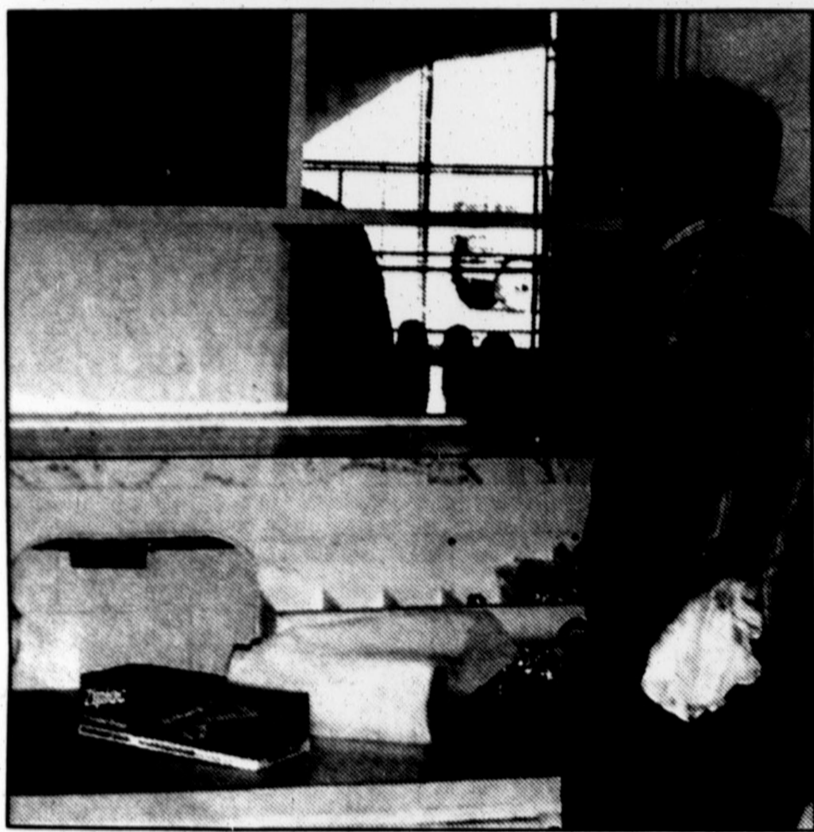
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**Just visiting**—Jim Steiert, right, and Gerald Marnell were just visiting Tuesday through the window at the concession stand at the Bull Barn prior to the start of the Hereford Young Farmers Stock Show. The concession stand, which benefits Deaf Smith County 4-H, was scheduled to open with lunch today and will continue throughout the show. Included on the menu will be barbecue sandwiches, German sausage links in tortillas and Frito pies along with drinks, candy and other snacks.

Looking Back

# Today in History

**By The Associated Press**  
Today is Wednesday, Jan. 27, the 27th day of 1999. There are 338 days left in the year.

**Today's Highlight in History:**  
On Jan. 27, 1973, the Vietnam peace accords were signed in Paris.

**On this date:**  
In 1756, Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart was born in Salzburg, Austria.

In 1880, Thomas Edison received a patent for his electric incandescent lamp.

In 1944, the Soviet Union announced the end of the deadly German siege of Leningrad, which had lasted for more than two years.

In 1945, Soviet troops liberated the Nazi concentration camps Auschwitz and Birkenau in Poland.

In 1951, an era of atomic testing in the Nevada desert began as an Air Force plane dropped a one-kilogram bomb on Frenchman Flats.

In 1967, astronauts Virgil I. "Gus" Grissom, Edward H.

White and Roger B. Chaffee died in a flash fire during a test aboard their Apollo 1 spacecraft at Cape Kennedy, Fla.

In 1967, more than 60 nations signed a treaty banning the orbiting of nuclear weapons.

In 1977, the Vatican reaffirmed the Roman Catholic Church's ban on female priests.

In 1981, President Reagan greeted the 52 former American hostages released by Iran, telling them during a visit to the White House: "Welcome home."

**Ten years ago:** President Bush held an informal White House news conference in which he defended a widely criticized pay raise for Congress scheduled to go into effect the following month.

**Five years ago:** Figure

skater Tonya Harding appeared before reporters in Portland, Ore., to say that while she'd had no prior knowledge of the attack on her rival, Nancy Kerrigan, she had failed to report what she'd learned afterward.

**One year ago:** Shaken by scandal, President Clinton sought to reassert his leadership in a crucial State of the Union address, urging Congress to "save Social Security first" before cutting taxes or increasing spending. Earlier in the day, First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton, appearing on NBC's "Today" show, charged the allegations against her husband were the work of a "vast right-wing conspiracy."

**Today's Birthdays:** Musical conductor Skitch Henderson is 81. Singer Bobby "Blue" Bland is 69. Actor Troy Donahue is 63. Actor James Cromwell is

59. Rock musician Nick Mason (Pink Floyd) is 54. Rhythm-and-blues singer Nedra Talley (The Ronettes) is 53. Ballet star Mikhail Baryshnikov is 51. Country singer Cheryl White is 44. Country singer-musician Richard Young (The Kentucky Headhunters) is 44. Actress Mimi Rogers is 43. Rock singer Margo Timmons (Cowboy Junkies) is 38. Rock musician Gillian Gilbert (New Order) is 38. Actress Bridget Fonda is 35. Country singer Tracy Lawrence is 31. Rock singer Mike Patton (Faith No More) is 31. Rock musician Mark Trojanowski (Sister Hazel) is 29. Blues musician Jonny Lang is 18.

**Thought for Today:** "How awful to reflect that what people say of us is true." — Logan Pearsall Smith, Anglo-American essayist (1865-1946).

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## Healthy meat-lovers chili will satisfy everyone on Super Bowl Sunday

On major holidays, we expect to eat certain foods. While Super Bowl Sunday may not be deemed a major holiday (yet), for football fans across America, it's certainly a day worth celebrating. And for many, chili is the food of choice for this celebration.

There must be hundreds of recipes for chili — some with beans, some without; some spicy-hot, and some "not-so-hot." However you like your chili, this recipe is sure to score a touchdown at your table!

Mexican Meatball and Salsa Chili uses extra-lean ground beef that is seasoned, then shaped into balls and baked before it is added to a zesty tomato, salsa and spice mixture. There are no beans in this healthful meat-lovers' chili that is thickened with no-fat brown gravy mix. Vary the spicy "heat" of the chili by varying the type of salsa you use.

"This recipe adds new twists — meatballs and salsa — to an old favorite. These changes are sure to please all the chili fans in the family," says Wendy

Hagerman, research and development specialist for Pioneer Flour Mills.

Serve this hearty, low-fat chili with warm-from-the-oven Cheesy Ranch Pinwheels. These easy-to-make biscuits are light and moist — and the cheesy flavor combines well with the chili.

Keep your football fans happy by making plenty of Mexican Meatball and Salsa Chili and Cheesy Ranch Pinwheels for them to enjoy as they watch the football game of the year.

**Mexican Meatball and Salsa Chili**

This meaty low-fat chili will satisfy you and your guests on Super Bowl Sunday.

- 1-½ lb. lean ground beef (90 to 93 percent lean)
- ½ cup dry bread crumbs
- ½ tsp. Salt
- ¼ tsp. Pepper
- 1 large onion, chopped (about 1 cup)
- 2 tsps. Vegetable oil
- 2-½ cups water (divided)
- 2 cans (14-½ oz. each) diced

Mexican-style or chili tomatoes

- 1 jar (16 oz.) mild, medium or hot salsa
- 2 tsps. ground cumin
- 1 tsp. chili powder
- 1 tsp. finely chopped jalapeno pepper (optional)
- 1 pkg. (1.61 oz.) brown gravy mix (no-fat or regular)

In large bowl, stir together ground beef, bread crumbs, salt and pepper; shape into 1-inch balls. Place on baking sheet; bake at 400° for 15 minutes or until no longer pink. Meanwhile, in 4-quart saucepan or Dutch oven, cook and stir onion in oil until tender. Add 2 cups water, tomatoes, salsa, cumin, chili powder and jalapeno pepper; bring to a boil. Dissolve gravy mix in ½ cup cool water; stir into boiling mixture. Add meatballs; reduce heat and simmer 10 minutes to combine flavors. Makes 8 to 10 servings.

**Cheesy Ranch Pinwheels**

- 3 cups buttermilk biscuit and baking mix
- 1 Tbsp. Chopped fresh cilantro leaves
- 1 cup skim milk
- 3 Tbsp. Prepared ranch salad dressing
- 1 cup finely shredded Colby-Jack cheese

In large bowl, stir together biscuit and baking mix, cilantro and milk to form a stiff dough. (If dough is sticky, add additional biscuit and baking mix as needed to form stiff dough.) Turn out onto surface dusted with additional biscuit and baking mix; knead 10 times. Roll dough into rectangle about ½ inch thick. Spread with salad dressing; sprinkle with cheese. Beginning with long side, roll up like a jelly roll. Cut into ½- to ¾- inch slices; place on baking sheet coated with cooking spray. Bake at 400° for 10 to 12 minutes or until biscuits are gold brown. Serve warm. Makes 12 to 14 biscuits.

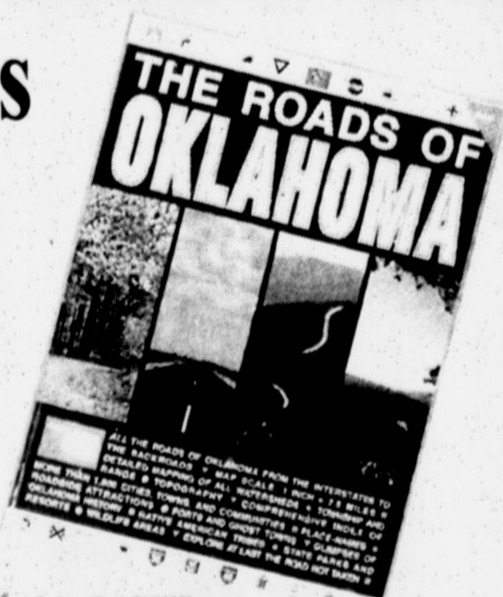


Mexican Meatball and Salsa Chili, served with Cheesy Ranch Pinwheels, might start a tradition at your house on Super Bowl Sunday.

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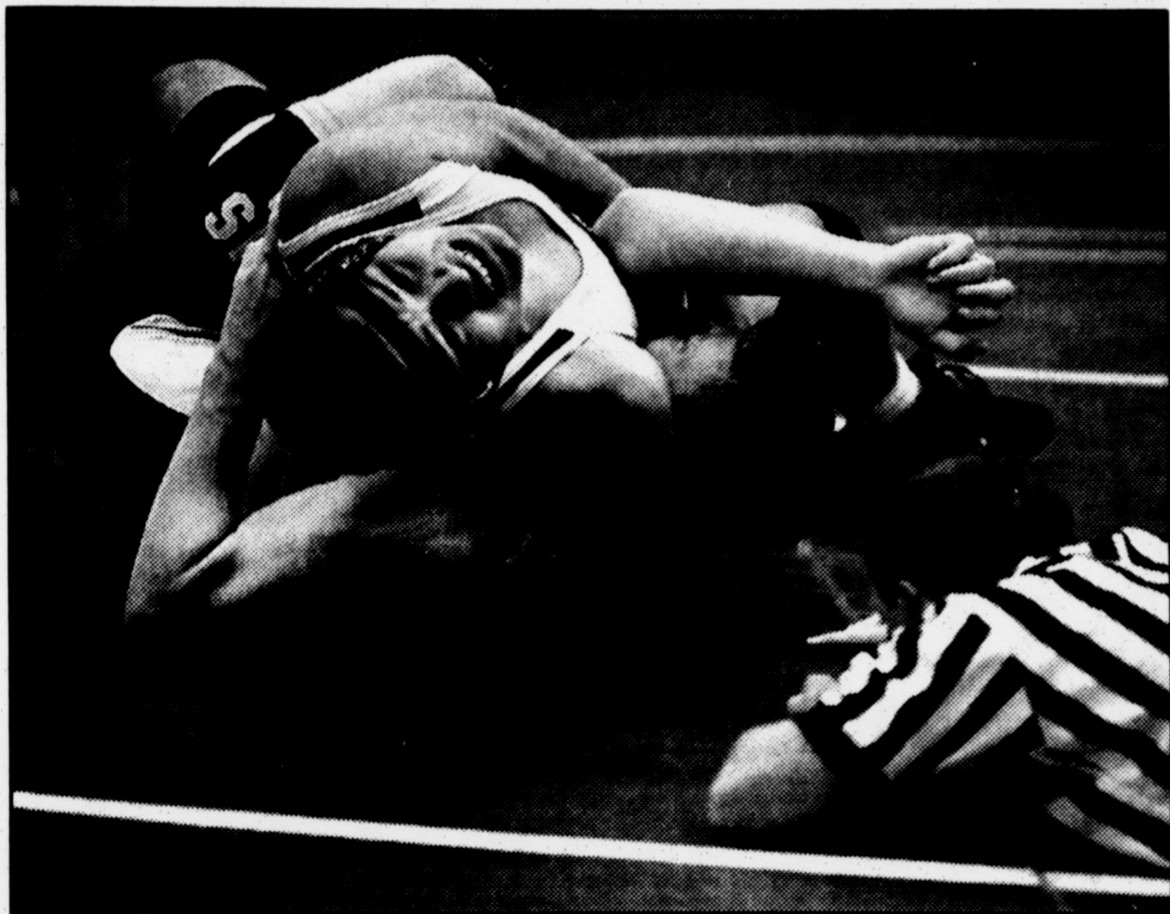
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# SPORTS

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## Tough work



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**Pushing for a pin** — Sophomore Whiteface wrestler Paul Estrada struggles to square the shoulders of Amarillo High's Seth Moore against the mat here Tuesday in a duel match between the schools at Whiteface Gym. Estrada was one of four Hereford grapplers who won their individual matches during the meet.

## Whiteface wrestlers split matches, 5-9, with Amarillo High

Hereford bows to Sandies in overall team points 54-23

By Mauri Montgomery  
Hereford Brand Publisher

First-year Hereford High School wrestling coach Mike Dominguez preferred to look at his team's duel match with Amarillo High School Tuesday at Whiteface Gym as a glass half full, rather than half empty.

He and a sparse crowd of about 100 people watched his young and inexperienced grapplers bow in total team points, 54-23, to the Sandies, but win four of eight individual matches outright.

The Whiteface wrestlers split 5-9 individual matches with Amarillo, one win coming as an AHS forfeit in 215-pound heavyweight class.

And wrangling an almost even footing with the Panhandle's granddaddy of wrestling programs (AHS has had a wrestling program since the early 1960s) is no small feat.

"We're wrestling real well right now and that's where you need to be at this point in the season," Dominguez said. "We had a little bit of bad luck, a little bit of failure at times, but where we had bodies, we were wrestling and wrestling against a much more experienced program here tonight."

Hereford, coming off a 7<sup>th</sup> place finish out of a 17-team tournament in Roswell this past weekend, has been plagued with injuries, illness and grades.

Nine of the Whitefaces' 16-player

lineup were suited-up for Tuesday's match with the Sandies.

Hereford's Javier Alonzo, 24-2 on the year, won his bout against AHS's Matt Muehling in the 135-pound class to hand the Whitefaces their first winning decision.

HHS wrestler William Shows pinned Amarillo's Daniel Shelton, and Paul Estrada and Kris Hammerbeck won their

respective matches, while Chris Gavina narrowly lost an overtime match to AHS's Justin Shaffer in the opening 103-pound division of the meet.

Still, Dominguez likes his squad's chances as the Whitefaces head into the

state qualifying meet in Dallas this Friday and Saturday, and then to the district tournament in Vernon Feb. 6.

"We've got some wrestlers that will qualify for state and I think we'll stack-up fairly well against Vernon and Randall in the district meet, despite our inexperience," Dominguez said. "This team's work ethic is great. Each of these kids are committed to the team, the program and to wrestling. You can't go wrong when you have that."

"We had a little bit of bad luck, a little bit of failure at times, but where we had bodies, we were wrestling and wrestling against a much more experienced program here tonight."

Mike Dominguez  
HHS Wrestling Coach

## Super Bowl yakking begins

MIAMI (AP) — He wore a black leather dog collar with silver studs. The only thing missing was a muzzle.

And so Ray Buchanan talked. And he talked. And he talked.

The Denver Broncos and Atlanta Falcons didn't practice Tuesday — who needs to practice five days before the Super Bowl? — so players exercised their jaws instead at media day. A pair of motormouths took charge: Buchanan for the Atlanta Falcons, Shannon Sharpe for the Denver Broncos, 60 minutes apiece before a cluster of mi-

crophones and notepads at Pro Player Stadium.

The two talked to a draw. Sharpe displayed a wit worthy of his name, but Buchanan's collar also made a statement.

"The neckwear is for the media, because everybody calls us underdogs," said Buchanan, a 27-year-old Pro Bowl cornerback. "It's actually a dog collar. I bought it at a pet store. They put it on Rottweilers."

Remember meek Wally Cox, the voice of the 1960s TV cartoon character Underdog? Buchanan sounded nothing

like that. He stood by his guarantee of a Falcons victory over the Broncos, deftly answered questions from a Comedy Central reporter ("Are you housebroken?") and waxed hyperbolic in the best Super Bowl tradition.

"The Super Bowl is big," he said. "It's bigger than life itself sometimes."

Sharpe was forced to follow Buchanan's breathtaking performance, but Sharpe barely pauses for breath anyway.

"I've pretty much lived in Georgia my whole life, and I

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## Hereford boys cripple Dumas Demons, 62-44

Lady Whitefaces stumble, 42-36 in district action

*From staff reports*  
DUMAS — The Hereford Whitefaces have elbowed their way into a second place District 3-4A tie with the Borger Bulldogs Tuesday as they rolled to 62-44 win over the Dumas Demons.

The win advanced Hereford's season record to 18-7, but more importantly brought the Whitefaces to 3-1 in loop competition — raising the bar on hopes for post-season play.

Borger was upended 48-40 by Amarillo Palo Duro, the league's bully, Tuesday in Amarillo.

The Whitefaces will test their mettle against the top-ranked Dons here Friday.

"Obviously, we would like to be sitting here with a 4-0 mark in district, but we feel like we're still in good position," said head boy's mentor Randy Dean. "We have three big ones (games) left and we're just going to have to keep getting better, improving every thing we do, each time we walk on the court."

An Eric McNutt steal and a subsequent breakaway layup by Cody Hodges, pushed the Whitefaces into an early lead in the first quarter.

The Whitefaces toasted the Demons, now 7-15 overall and winless in loop play, 18-4 in the first period.

The Herd then rifled its way to a 33-19 edge by the half and never relinquished control of the game despite a lackluster

19-35 percentage at the foul line.

Hodges led the team with 20 points, but also had double-figure help from his brother Slade and Chase Rives, who both added 10 points each to the effort.

"It was a good win for us, and an important one as we head into our game with Palo Duro

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## HHS to offer tennis course

Instruction geared to basic fundamentals

The Hereford High School tennis program has announced plans to host a six-week tennis Drill Group for 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade students beginning Feb. 9<sup>th</sup>.

Instructors for the course, which will introduce basic tennis fundamentals to students each Tuesday and Thursday from 6:30 - 8 p.m., will be Amarillo Tennis Center professional Michael Thackerson and H.H.S. assistant tennis coach Michael Brewer.

Cost for the six week course is \$100, and pre-registration is preferred.

More information regarding the course or registration for the course may be obtained by calling head H.H.S. tennis coach Ed Coplen at 364-6969 after 5 p.m.; or Michael Brewer at 364-5247 after 5 p.m.

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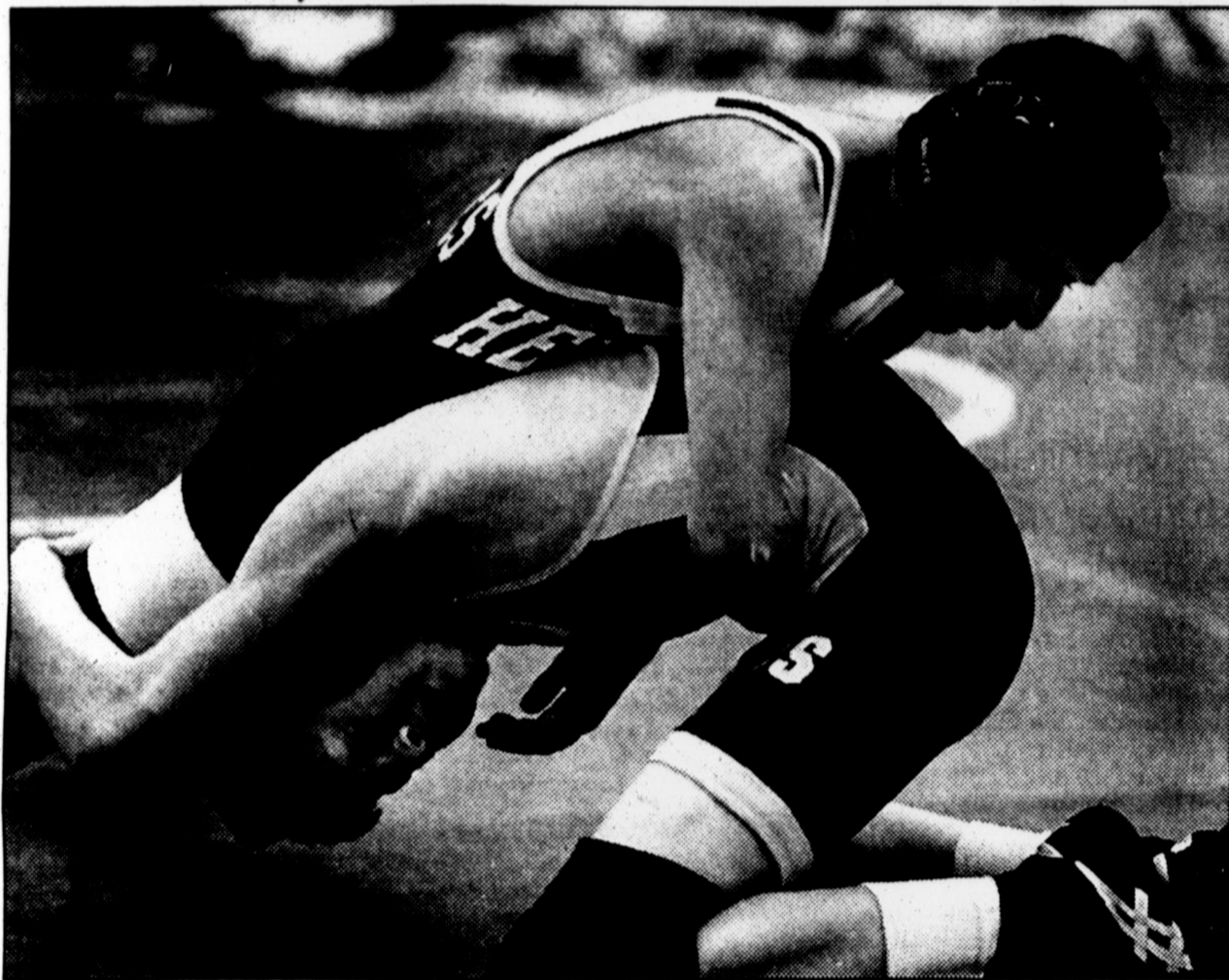
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**Pushing for an advantage** — Chris Gavina, wrestling in the 103-pound class against Amarillo High's Justin Shaffer, tries to pull the Sandie out of a crouch here Tuesday. Gavina lost the match in overtime.

## Bowl

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never liked the Falcons," said the Pro Bowl tight end, a native of Glennville, Ga., who played at Savannah State College. "What was there to like about them? They lost all the time. If you had a pair of cleats on, they'd put you in the ballgame, they were getting beat so bad. For \$20 you could sit in the luxury box with the owner."

Unlike Buchanan, Sharpe refused to risk putting his foot in his mouth with a victory guarantee. Buchanan's team is a seven-point underdog against the defending Super Bowl champions.

"He's not an underdog anymore, because he went out on a limb and guaranteed a victory," Sharpe said. "He has the luxury of saying, 'I guarantee a win,' and if they lose, so what? No one expected them to win anyway. Whereas if I were to say, 'I guarantee the Broncos are going to beat the Falcons,' what an idiot Shannon looks like if the Broncos lose."

Buchanan's pledge comes 30 years after the New York Jets fulfilled Broadway Joe Namath's guarantee of an upset victory in Miami in the third Super Bowl. The Falcons are amused by the stir their cornerback created, and coach Dan Reeves has begun referring to Buchanan as Broadway Ray.

But now that Buchanan finds himself in the Super Bowl spotlight, repeatedly answering questions about the guarantee, he realizes he may have spoken too boldly.

"I didn't know it was going to be such a big deal," he said, "but I'm not going to back

down from a fight. The guarantee is about the fact that we believe in ourselves and we have enough faith in God to have blessed us to get to this point."

Buchanan emerged only recently as a mouthpiece for Atlanta. He spent his first four NFL seasons in Indianapolis, then signed with the Falcons following their 3-13 season in 1996.

"Anybody ever hear of Ray Buchanan before he got to Atlanta?" Sharpe asked.

Sharpe, meanwhile, became the voice of the Broncos soon after they made him a seventh-round draft pick in 1990. As a rookie, he admits he did more talking than playing.

Now, Sharpe has become

the first NFL tight end to catch at least 50 passes in seven consecutive seasons. Not surprisingly, he ranks himself among the best of all time.

"If you look at Ozzie Newsome and Kellen Winslow, none of those guys ever played in a Super Bowl," said Sharpe, 30. "Here I am in my second one."

Sharpe anticipates some trash-talking Sunday with Buchanan, and in that matchup, he guarantees a victory.

"I'm the best trash-talker in the game," Sharpe said. "I'm always going to have the last word."

Not this time. "Talk," Buchanan said, "is cheap."

## HHS places four runners on TGCA All-State team

According to TGCA's January newsletter

Four Hereford runners have been selected to the Texas Girls Coaches Association All-State Cross Country team for 1998-99.

Brionne Yosten, Amy Crox, Audrey Cabezuela and Janet Blakely were the Hereford girls

named on the Class 4A team. The all-state team selections were listed in the TGCA's January newsletter. All-staters were named in the five UIL classifications. A total of 66 runners were named to the five teams.

Other area athletes picked on the all-state teams included Danette Ramaekers of Nazareth in Class 1A and Megan Beaty and Stephanie Bigham of Idalou in Class 2A.

## Hereford

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Friday," Dean said. "We like our chances if we'll just go out and play the way we can."

In the junior varsity game, the Whitefaces battled to a narrow 32-30 lead at halftime before icing the contest 60-44.

Hereford's J.P. Holman, a sophomore, drilled in 24 points to lead the team in scoring while Mike Bedolla followed with 18 for the tilt.

### Girls

Both the Lady Whiteface varsity and junior varsity teams lost their rounds Tuesday.

The varsity, following an even 8-8 score at the end of the first period, was outscored in the remaining three periods en route to a 42-36 loss.

The defeat dropped the team to 18-11 on the year and to 3-3 in district play.

Toni Eicke and Makesha Rives turned in six points apiece to lead the varsity girls in scoring.

The Lady Whiteface junior varsity lost to Dumas 44-36.

Whiteface basketball teams will host the Palo Duro Dons here Friday night at Whiteface Gym. The girl's varsity game is set to begin at 6 p.m. The boy's game will follow at 7:30 p.m.

### BOY'S RESULTS

HEREFORD 18 33 50 62  
DUMAS 4 19 29 44

H—Cody Hodges 20, Slade Hodges 10, Chase Rives 10; D—Chris Calvert 11, Joe Marion 9. RECORDS: Hereford 18-7, 3-1; Dumas 7-15, 0-4. JV: Hereford

60, Dumas 44. Sophomores: Dumas 41-Hereford 27.

### GIRL'S RESULTS

HEREFORD 8 18 20 36  
DUMAS 8 23 31 42

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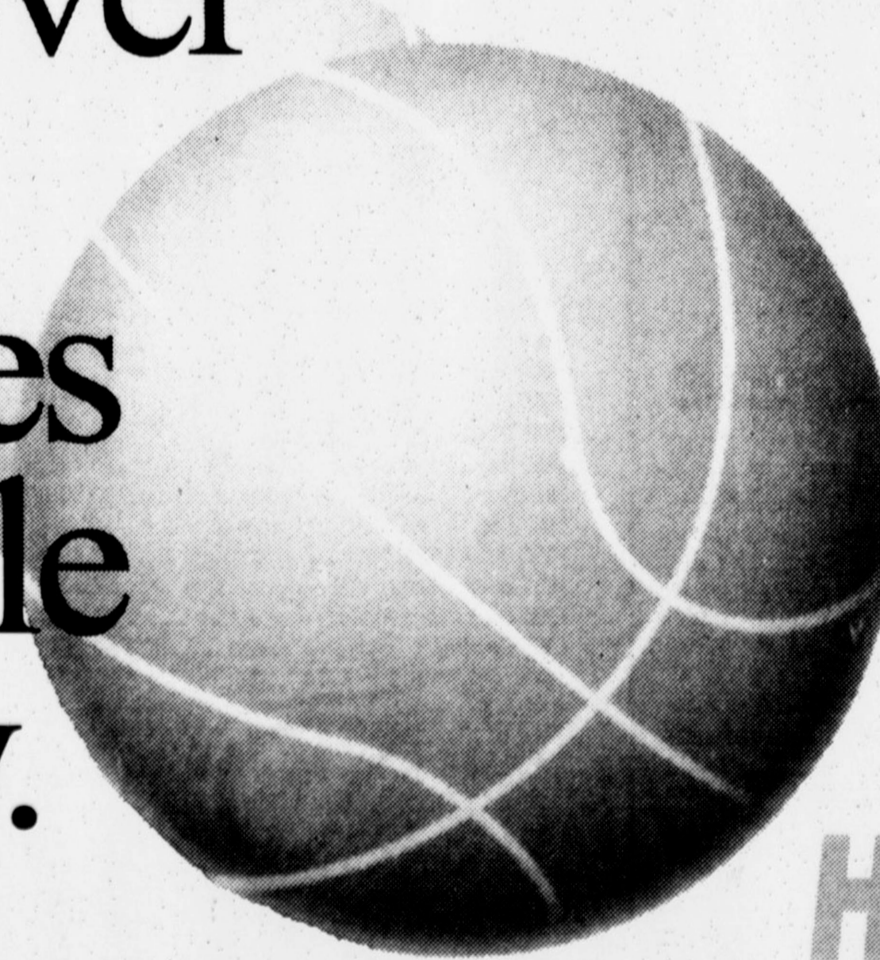
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ENTERTAINMENT

'Golden Globes,' 'ER' help NBC to ratings victory

The Associated Press

Who needs Michael Jordan? NBC has just scored its highest weekly Nielsen Media Research ratings since last June, when it was broadcasting Jordan's swan song in the NBA Finals.

Last week, the Golden Globe Awards show and the countdown to George Clooney's departure from "ER" led NBC to a 10.4 rating and 17 share, Nielsen said Tuesday. CBS was a distant second with an 8.8 rating and 14 share.

"ER" was easily the week's most-watched show, solidifying its lead over "Friends" in the competition for the season's top-ranked series. NBC is promoting Clooney's upcoming exit, expected during next month's ratings sweep, and the awards show is becoming a major stop on the way to the Oscars.

The end of "Monday Night Football" on ABC is setting up a

strong battle for viewers. CBS's comedies "Everybody Loves Raymond" and "Becker" both scored top 10 Nielsen finishes last week, and so did their Fox competition, "Ally McBeal."

The developing networks were helped by showing entertainment programs during President Clinton's State of the Union address. The WB had a 3.6 rating and 6, UPN had a 2.1 rating and 3 share and Pax TV was at 0.8 and 1. All were above their season averages.

NBC's "Nightly News" and ABC's "World News Tonight" tied in the evening news competition with 8.6 ratings and 16 shares. The "CBS Evening News" had a 7.8 rating and 15 share.

Prime-time ratings compiled by Nielsen Media Research for Jan. 18-24. Top 10 listings include the week's ranking,

with rating for the week and season-to-date rankings in parentheses. An "X" in parentheses denotes a one-time-only presentation.

- 1. (1) "ER," NBC, 21.3, 21.1 million homes.
2. (2) "Friends," NBC, 16.8, 16.6 million homes.
3. (3) "Frasier," NBC, 16.5, 16.4 million homes.
4. (X) "Golden Globe Awards," NBC, 16.1, 16.0 million homes.
5. (6) "Jesse," NBC, 14.4, 14.3 million homes.
6. (4) "Veronica's Closet," NBC, 14.2, 14.1 million homes.
7. (7) "60 Minutes," CBS, 13.5, 13.4 million homes.
8. "Everybody Loves Raymond," CBS, 12.5, 12.4 million homes.
9. "Becker," CBS, 11.2, 11.1 million homes.
10. "Ally McBeal," Fox, 11.1, 11.0 million homes.

Spike: Do as I say, not as I did

MILWAUKEE — Spike Lee urged students to do as he says — and not necessarily as he did as an undergraduate at Morehouse College in Atlanta.

In a speech titled "Minorities in Films," the film director told students at Milwaukee Area Technical College they should get serious about their studies.

"At Morehouse, I took all my electives during the first two years, until they said to me, 'You've got to come up with a major,'" Lee said Monday. He chose mass communications.

Lee hit it big as a filmmaker but said making money isn't everything.

"I go to bed every night singing praises for being able to do what I wanted to do in life," Lee said. "And getting a lot of money for it is only part of the joy."

Sarah Ferguson COLUMBUS, Ohio — Sa-

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS People

rah Ferguson sees the silver lining in the day she confronted her own weight problem: It pointed out the need for her to speak out about women's health.

"It's a subject that's often pushed to one side, especially for women," the duchess of York told about 350 people at a fund-raising luncheon Tuesday. She said many women, especially in underdeveloped countries, are so busy working and raising families that they neglect their health.

Ferguson's visit helped raise money for the Ohio State University Medical Center's Spirit of Women Park, which is to open next year. She spent the day talking with nursing and health-science students and touring the hospital.

The duchess also painted a

ceramic tile that will be part of a fountain at the hospital. The mother of two girls then gave reporters a peek at what she painted: "Yesterday is history, tomorrow is a mystery, but today is a gift. To my little darlings."

Diane Sawyer Charles Gibson

NEW YORK — Diane Sawyer and Charles Gibson pulled in viewers during their first week as hosts of ABC's struggling "Good Morning America."

Nielsen ratings for the duo's debut week were 25 percent higher than the show's average numbers during the last three months of 1998. Sawyer and Gibson had 4.2 million viewers on their first day, and the audience declined only slightly the rest of the week.

NBC's "Today" show had an average 6.1 million viewers last week and "GMA" had 4.1 million. CBS's "This Morning" had an average of 3 million viewers.

COMICS

The Wizard of Id By Brant Parker & Johnny Hart. Panel 1: 'WOULD YOU BELIEVE THE WIZARD TURNED HIS CADDY INTO A FROG TODAY?' Panel 2: 'HOW COME?' Panel 3: 'SO HE COULD GET HIS BALL OUT OF THE POND.'

Blondie By Dean Young & Stan Drake. Panel 1: 'WE'VE BEEN TALKING ABOUT THIS PARTY FOR YEARS' Panel 2: 'AND NOW WE'RE FINALLY GOING TO DO IT!' Panel 3: 'GOOD FOR YOU! MOST PEOPLE TALK, BUT NEVER GET IT DONE' Panel 4: 'REALLY?' Panel 5: 'WELL, MAYBE WE SHOULD TALK ABOUT IT A LITTLE MORE OURSELVES' Panel 6: 'I THINK THAT'S A GOOD IDEA, HON. LET'S GO.'

Marvin By Tom Armstrong. Panel 1: 'WAY TO GO, MARVIN! YOUR LOUD YELLING SET OFF AN AVALANCHE...' Panel 2: 'COMPLETELY BLOCKING OUR ONLY WAY OUT OF HERE!' Panel 3: 'THINGS CAN'T GET ANY WORSE THAN THIS!!' Panel 4: 'MY DIAPER NEEDS CHANGING.'

Barney Google and Snuffy Smith By Fred Lasswell. Panel 1: 'HOW WAS TH' CARD GAME??' Panel 2: 'I GOT BEAT REAL BAD--THEY CAUGHT ME DEALIN' OFF TH' BOTTOM' Panel 3: 'I HOPE THAT TAUGHT YOU A LESSON' Panel 4: 'YEP--I NEED MORE PRACTICE!!'

Beetle Bailey By Mort Walker. Panel 1: 'LOOK AT THAT! A BIRD BUILT A NEST IN MY HELMET!' Panel 2: 'HERE COMES THE GENERAL' Panel 3: 'MORNING, SIR' Panel 4: 'TWEET TWEET' Panel 5: 'NOW WHAT?'

Television

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 27

Table with columns for time slots (6 PM to 11 PM) and program listings for Wednesday, January 27.

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**GRAIN FUTURES**

CORN (CBT) \$4,000 bu., cents per bu.
Mar 51.15 51.25 51.35 51.45 - 1/4 50.5 50.75 51.00
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**METAL FUTURES**

GOLD (CME Div NYM) 100 Troy oz., \$ per Troy oz.
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**FUTURES OPTIONS**

CATTLE FEEDER (CME) \$4,000 lbs., cents per lb.
Mar 74.15 74.30 74.60 74.75 - 77 79.55 80.80 82.00
Apr 74.17 74.37 74.70 74.80 - 52 78.75 80.85 82.15
May 74.17 74.22 74.80 74.15 - 47 78.25 81.70 82.90
Aug 74.17 74.22 74.81 74.15 - 47 78.00 81.50 82.70
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**Show**

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"We have this down to just nearly an art," said Beverly Harder, Deaf Smith Agriculture Extension Agent, FCE. "We know just how much to order, how much to cook and have very little left over."

The concession stand will be open daily for lunch and through the stock show events. Harder encourages area residents to visit the concession stand and support the 4-H projects, adding it has the most reasonable lunch prices in town.

The show continues Wednesday as the hogs begin arriving. More than 200 hogs will weigh in between 2 p.m. and 5 p.m., just before the steer judging begins.

Hogs will be judged at 4 p.m. Thursday by Tye Egnell. Lambs and goats will be the last to arrive for the annual show. The weigh-in for lambs and goats will be Thursday and Friday, with Kyle Smithweik starting to judge the lambs at 5:30 p.m. Friday.

The annual auction will begin at noon Saturday.

**HISD**

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finally the more difficult tasks in the system. One of the first lessons include the use of the Internet and learning basic navigation skills.

"We intend this to be a growing skill for the teachers," he said. "Once they start using it, more skill will develop." The teaching of the new system isn't just limited to skills necessary for lab managers, but also for the classroom teachers.

"One of the good things about this system is the more experienced teachers on the campuses will teach the more inexperienced," Lockmiller said. "And, the teachers themselves will discover more about it as they use it more."

Teachers coming for the computer training range in experience from those who know what it is to those who are nearly computer gurus themselves. Certificates of completion are issued to teachers as they complete different task levels of the computer training.

The certificates are placed in the employee folders and can be used as part of the teachers resume.

"It's not the computers themselves, but the ability use and recognize computer literacy as a major skill," Lockmiller said. "This is a basis to match the curriculum at all levels. That is what is so important."

The computer upgrade, including the new Jostens labs, were part of a board-funded effort to guarantee the district's students were as technologically literate as possible.

District classrooms now have a minimum of three connections and some have up to 30.

The connections are part of an intranet system -- a system which connects just the school district campuses -- and the Internet system.

Teachers interested in signing up for computer instruction can find a copy of the training calendar on the main HISD web page at [www.wtrt.net/~HIS](http://www.wtrt.net/~HIS).

Classes are offered mornings and evenings, with each lesson building on the previously learned skills.

**Impeach**

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The White House said today that if prosecution witnesses are allowed the president's lawyers deserve a chance to review some 56,000 pages in still-secret evidence the House collected during the impeachment proceedings.

"They're now trying to put a blindfold on us," press secretary Joe Lockhart said, declining to say whether the White House would demand to slow things down or call their own witnesses. "We believe we ought to have an adequate chance to get prepared and to present a defense."

The White House remains convinced that the best course is to avoid calling witnesses altogether, he added. "We don't want this to stay open-ended. We think there is enough testimony on the record now for members to make a decision."

Lott, sensing the Senate will not remove Clinton, is considering a proposal by Sen. Susan Collins, R-Maine, to end the trial with two votes: the first on whether Clinton committed perjury and obstruction; the second on whether he should be removed.

Collins said today on ABC's "Good Morning America," that it was "well-grounded both in the Constitution and precedents to have separate findings of fact, separate from the decision on whether or not the offenses justify his removal."

"Many of us are concerned about whether an acquittal vote -- what kind of message that would send to the White House and the ...people," she said.

Sen. Paul Wellstone, D-Minn., scoffed at that proposal. "Our vote is whether or not to remove the president," he said on ABC. "We can admit to the fact the president has not been truthful. ... But the question is a judgment question: Do we believe it is grounds for overturning an election. The answer is no."

**Poll: Removal of Clinton opposed**

The Associated Press

A majority of Americans do not support the Senate calling witnesses in President Clinton's impeachment trial and an even greater number believe he will not be removed from office, according to a poll released Tuesday.

The survey, by the Pew Research Center for the People and the Press, shows that 53 percent of people oppose the Senate calling witnesses to testify. Most Americans, 63 percent, believe the president should not be removed from office and even more, 67 percent, say they don't expect the Senate to oust him.

Americans also expressed waning interest in the impeachment trial, with 88 percent saying the trial has offered little new or interesting information.

About 17 percent of Americans said they watched or listened to the proceedings on the day they were polled, during the period the survey was conducted from Jan. 19 to Jan. 25.

Asked about various causes for their inattention, 47 percent said it was because the trial would not change their mind about the president, 41 percent said they found the proceedings too partisan and 36 percent said they haven't been following the proceedings because they believe it is unlikely Clinton will be removed from office.



## Banking rules irk industry

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Regulations proposed late in 1998 by federal bank regulatory agencies as an anti-money laundering deterrent, are raising the ire of the United States banking industry according to a report released recently by the Texas Bankers Association.

The proposed "Know Your Customer" (KYC) regulations, if imposed, would require banks across the nation to increase their scrutiny of new and existing bank customers.

According to the TBA report, the KYC regulations have been targeted to take effect in April 2000.

The KYC guidelines would broaden the definition of a customer to go beyond the named person on the account and would direct banks to query secondary customers' personal and business backgrounds; sources of funds; and intended uses of private banking services, according to the report.

TBA contends banks are being charged with a new burden of administration under the proposed regulations, not because they have been involved in money laundering, but because of the unsubstantiated possibility that banks might detect and refer a greater number of suspicious transactions if they obtain more information about bank customers.

The report says regulators expect banks to not open an account for a prospective customer who won't provide any of the requested information.

# Computers likely to spur growth

WASHINGTON (AP) — Continued stellar growth in practically anything to do with computers should help offset a slowdown in industries hurt by the world economic slump and make the current expansion the longest in U.S. history, the government predicted Tuesday.

In addition to computers, other fast-growing businesses include telephone and broadcasting equipment manufacturing, space commerce, management consulting and public relations, accounting and the mutual funds industry, the Commerce Department said in its annual "U.S. Industry and Trade Outlook."

"The big winners are clearly the information sectors, which continue to plow on regardless of what's happening around the world," said Jonathan C. Menes, the department's director of trade and economic analysis.

But, many industries — from mining and construction machinery to leather goods to petroleum — will continue to suffer from either slack world demand or competition from imports produced in countries with devalued currencies.

Other businesses projected to suffer shrinking shipments in 1999 include apparel, newspapers and search and navigation equipment.

The 800-page report, produced for the department by The McGraw-Hill Companies, forecasts trends in 137 manufacturing industries and 36 service and other non-manufacturing businesses. Growth should continue in more than 80 percent of them — 144. Declines are expected in 27 areas and no change is expected for two.

If realized, the sector-by-sector forecasts add up to another year of expansion for the U.S. economy, albeit at a slower pace than 1998's nearly 4 percent growth rate, said economist David Wyss of Standard & Poor's DRI, a McGraw-Hill division.

Wyss said the recovery from the 1990-91 recession would undoubtedly continue through its eighth anniversary in March and, by next year, should surpass the record expansion of 1961-69.

"No economic expansion has made it to its ninth birthday, but I think this one will," he said.

The report offered these highlights:

### INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Projected manufacturing growth includes computer and peripherals, 8.7 percent; circuit boards, 14 percent; radio and television equipment, 10 percent; semiconductors, 10.2 percent, and telecommunications equipment, 6.9 percent. Related services expected to grow strongly include information retrieval, data processing and computer consulting.

### ELECTRONIC COMMERCE

52,000 Americans log on to the Internet for the first time, every day. Companies across the economy are exploring sales and marketing on the Internet of products including books, compact discs, newspaper articles, plane tickets, concert tickets, flowers, gardening tools, computers and even traditional durable goods such as cars and refrigerators. One early victim of the sea change: encyclopedia publishers. Encyclopaedia Britannica's sales have fallen by more than 50 percent since 1990, after Microsoft began giving away its CD-ROM encyclopedia, Encarta, to personal computer buyers.

### MOTOR VEHICLES

After a healthy 3.6 percent growth last year, shipments should increase about 1 percent this year. Imports claim just 15 percent of the U.S. market, down from 26 percent in 1986, reflecting the increased popularity of U.S.-made sport utility vehicles, vans and light trucks and the establishment of American factories by foreign companies.

### HOUSING/CONSTRUCTION

The construction industry, employing 7.1 million Americans, should increase 1 percent this year after 3 percent growth in 1998.

### HEALTH CARE

Health care expenditures should grow 5.6 percent to \$1.2 trillion in 1999, compared with 5 percent growth in 1998. Growth in spending on drugs should remain brisk, 7.9 percent in 1999 compared with 10 percent in 1998.

### ENERGY

Petroleum imports should increase 17 percent this year, increasing the U.S. dependence on foreign oil. Low coal prices, new technology and increasing competition should push electricity prices down by more than 1.5 percent a year through 2005.

## Agency warns poor nations to deal with millennium bug

WASHINGTON (AP) — The World Bank is warning poor nations that time is running out to deal with potential Year 2000 computer problems. It is urging them to make contingency plans for systems that may not be ready in time or to return to manual operations.

In a report the bank said many of these nations are so unprepared they may experience difficulties in providing their citizens with food, health care and electricity. Sub-Saharan Africa heads a list of regions where lack of preparation is acute, but Asia, Latin America and countries in the former Soviet Union could be hard hit.

"In this age of globalization and computerization, doing nothing is not an option," Joyce Amenta, the bank's Y2K coordinator, said Tuesday. "Developed and developing countries must act in their own self-interest to fix the problem, and time is getting short."

# U.S.: Attacks taking heavy toll on Iraqi defenses

WASHINGTON (AP) — A string of almost daily U.S. missile strikes on Iraq's extensive air defenses is having a "grave impact" on President Saddam Hussein's ability to challenge allied enforcement of a flight ban in northern and southern Iraq, U.S. officials say.

The Pentagon acknowledged, however, that a U.S. missile fired Monday at air defense targets near the city of Basra missed by miles and struck a residential area, where Iraq reported that five civilians were killed, 42 were injured and homes were destroyed.

Pentagon officials declined to say what caused the missile to go astray.

"It created some damage," spokesman Kenneth Bacon said Tuesday, referring to the errant AGM-130 missile launched from an Air Force F-15E strike aircraft. "We realize that and we regret any civilian casualties. But this was done in response to a provocative attack against our planes by Saddam Hussein." Bacon said he could not confirm the missile killed civilians.

"I don't think I have any independent confirmation whether it did or it didn't," he

said. Meanwhile, the Air Force will continue using the AGM-130 in "no-fly" zone enforcement missions in Iraq, Bacon said. He described the weapon as "generally very accurate" but said there are many reasons it might miss a target. He would not offer any examples.

Despite the errant missile, American planes patrolling the no-fly zones will continue firing on Iraqi air defense radars, surface-to-air missile batteries and associated communications sites as long as Saddam keeps trying to shoot down American pilots, Bacon

said. "I think that we are having a grave impact on the Iraqi air defense system, and a grave impact on the number of weapons they have to bring to bear against our planes, and we will continue to do that until the threat goes away," Bacon said.

The errant AGM-130 missile landed in the al-Jumhuriya neighborhood outside Basra, a port city in southern Iraq where U.S. planes have attacked air defenses almost daily this month in response to increased Iraqi challenges to enforcement of a no-fly zone.

Reporters who visited the al-Jumhuriya neighborhood Monday said four homes were destroyed and six were damaged. Iraq reported an unspecified number of casualties there; it said a total of three American missiles killed 11 civilians.

Bacon said only one U.S. missile went astray.

"We don't have any independent estimate of casualties or fatalities that can back up what the Iraqis have said about this," Bacon said.

The AGM-130, the Air Force missile that missed its target Monday in Iraq, is a newly modified weapon.

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