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## A PRESIDENT ON TRIAL



### White House signals it might skip witnesses

The Associated Press

Senators are struggling to reach a bipartisan timetable for the remainder of President Clinton's impeachment trial as the White House signals it may forgo defense witnesses if there's no new damaging testimony.

Senate Republican leader Trent Lott and Democratic leader Tom Daschle expressed hope they could present a proposal today to conclude the trial by Feb. 12 or sooner.

Any agreement approved in party meetings would be presented for approval in today's impeachment trial session. If a negotiated settlement for the rest of the trial eludes senators, they still would need to approve procedures for depositions of Monica Lewinsky, presidential friend Vernon Jordan and White House aide Sidney Blumenthal. These issues are expected to be the only business in the proceeding today.

White House lawyers, meanwhile, let Daschle know their views on the possibility of forgoing witnesses, according to senior presidential advisers who would not be quoted by name.

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House was comfortable to just argue the facts "and bring this to a vote."

Wednesday morning, Lott had said he was seeking a conclusion of the perjury and obstruction-of-justice case by Feb. 6, but he backed off that date when negotiations picked up in the afternoon.

Between the proposal and the negotiations, the Senate took back-to-back votes that demonstrated that Democrats have the muscle to prevent the two-thirds majority needed to convict Clinton and remove him from office.

First, senators defeated a motion by Democrat Robert Byrd of West Virginia to dismiss the case. With only 34 votes needed to block conviction, the Democrats produced 44 votes for dismissal.

Only one Democrat, Russell Feingold of Wisconsin, voted "no" along with 55 Republicans.

Moments later, senators cast their votes in favor of deposing Ms. Lewinsky, Jordan and Blumenthal. With Feingold again joining Republicans for a 56-44 margin, Democrats demonstrated a second time that the 67 votes for conviction are not there.

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After the back-to-back votes Wednesday, Republicans and Democrats turned to working separately on proposals, including different approaches to possible resolutions condemning Clinton's conduct.

Democrats worked on language that would condemn Clinton's extramarital affair with Ms. Lewinsky, but without a finding of guilt. Republicans discussed a finding that Clinton committed perjury and obstruction but separate that issue from a vote to remove him from office.

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## Best of show



Jackie Patton of the Hereford FFA (at left) shows off her 1,284-pound steer which claimed top honors as the American Breed Champion at Wednesday's steer judging at the annual Hereford Young Farmers Livestock Show. Clayton Patton (below) showed a 1,253-pound steer, which claimed Reserve Champion honors in the competition. Ben Binder, ag teacher at Hereford High School, holds the trophies.

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## Young Farmers show gets off on right hoof

By Dianna F. Dandridge

Hereford Brand Staff Writer

The 1999 Hereford Young Farmers Stock show got off on the right hoof Wednesday as two categories of American breed steers, three categories of English steers, and three classes of exotic animals vied for top honors.

Claiming the top prize of Grand Champion was a 1,185-pound exotic steer owned by Chad Christie.

Reserve Grand Champion position went to a 1,268-pound shorthorn owned by Craig Campbell.

Stephen Edwards received the Beef Cattlewomen's prize belt buckle. The organization presents the award each year to a first-time showman who exhibits considerable knowledge and skill with the animal. The buckle presentation is an effort to promote the beef industry.

Chad Christie was selected senior showman, while Catherine Beville claimed the junior showmanship award.

Jackie Patton of Hereford FFA walked away with the American breed champion with her 1,284-pound steer.

Coming in closely on the heels of the breed champion was the 1,253-pound reserve breed champion shown by Clayton Patton.

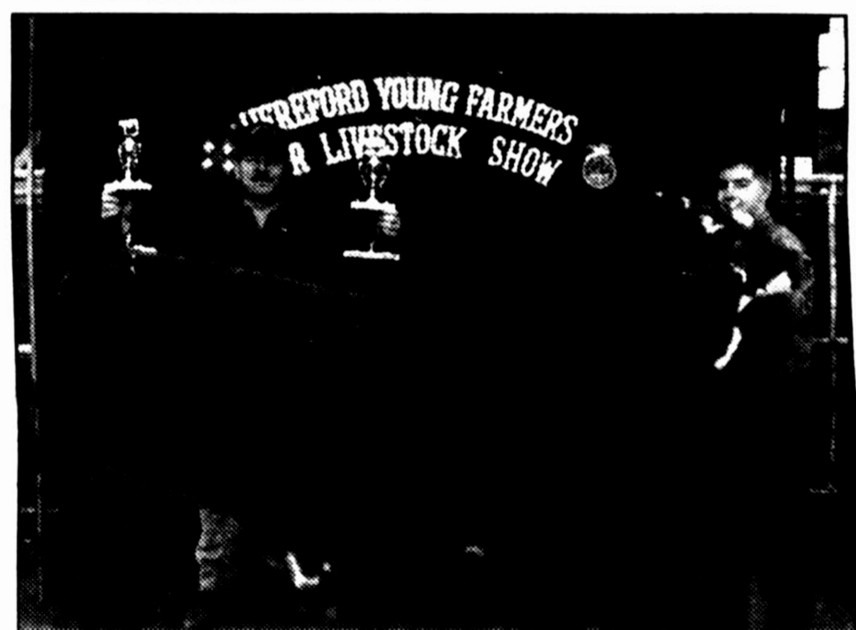
The smallest of all categories, the lightweight American breed, was won by Nelson Beville with a 1,160-pound cross. Justin Johnson was second with his 1,203-pound animal; Cory Marsh placed third.

First place in the heavyweight American category, with only four entries, went to Jackie Patton; Clayton Patton was second, Eddie Lacey placed third and Jarret May was fourth.

Craig Campbell claimed the English breed champion with his 1,287-pound shorthorn.

Reserve breed champion went to Brent Carlson with a 1,236-pound shorthorn.

Lightweight English class showed four animals, with first place going to Nelson Beville with a 1,142-pound shorthorn. Second-place English steer went to Cory Marsh with a



1,121-pound Hereford steer.

Cody Marsh showed both third- and fourth-place animals.

Medium weight English division showed four steers, with Brent Carlson's 1,236-pound shorthorn taking first place.

Ivory Isaacson's 1,156-pound Angus claimed second; Ben Sublett took third and Chelsea Campbell was fourth.

Heavyweight English steer category also showed four animals.

A 1,287-pound shorthorn owned by Craig Campbell won first in the heavyweight class. He also claimed second place with a 1,268-pound shorthorn.

Catherine Beville took third place with a 1,300-pound polled Hereford. Evan Isaacson placed fourth.

All project steers were shown and owned by members of Hereford FFA or Deaf Smith County 4-H.

Exotic breeds were divided into three categories, each showing six animals.

Taking off with exotic breed champion was the lightweight winner, shown by Chad Christie.

Reserve breed champion went to Amanda Wall with the Medium weight winner.

In the lightweight division, Chad Christie moved out in first place; Jerad Johnson took second; Ben Sublett was third.

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### Greenspan: SS bailout to require higher taxes

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan said today what President Clinton and most other politicians have avoided saying: Any permanent solution to keep Social Security from going broke will almost certainly require increasing taxes or cutting benefits.

In testimony before the Senate Budget Committee, Greenspan also repeated his criticism of one element of Clinton's plan, having the government investment around \$700 billion of Social Security money in the stock market.

"Even with Herculean efforts,"

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## Wages, benefits record highest jump in 5 years

WASHINGTON (AP) — Brisk economic growth in 1998 pushed up Americans' wages and benefits by 3.4 percent, the fastest clip in five years and a slight improvement over 1997.

The gain reported today by the Labor Department in its Employment Cost Index marked the third consecutive year of improvement. Wages and benefits rose 3.3 percent in 1997, 2.9 percent in 1996 and 2.7 percent in 1995.

Inflation has been decreasing, so workers' purchasing power has shown significant gains.

"American workers have taken full advantage of their increased spending power. Taking their fat wallets to the malls, they have propelled the economy forward," said economist Oscar Gonzalez of John Hancock in Boston.

The same numbers that

cheer employees have raised concern about the inflation-wary Federal Reserve and among businesses, particularly manufacturers, who face a profit crunch as they attempt to compete against firms operating in Asian and Latin American countries with devalued currencies.

Wage and benefit growth was more subdued in manufacturing, 2.7 percent, and in transportation and material moving, 1.4 percent. It was minuscule in health services, 0.9 percent, compared with annual rates pushing 7 percent in the late 1980s.

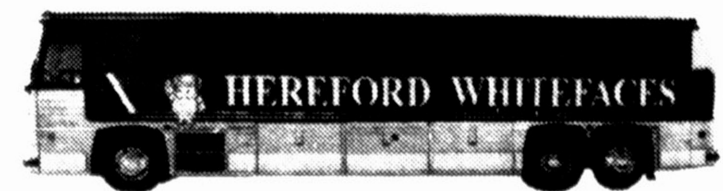
Compensation increased strongly at public utilities, 5 percent, reflecting deregulation, particularly of telephone companies, and in finance, insurance and real estate, up 5.9 percent, reflecting record home sales and an expanding mutual-fund industry.

The increases also varied considerably by region. Compensation increased 4.9 percent in the West, helped by strong growth in the high-tech sector, but just 2.6 percent in the South, where the textile and apparel industry has been hurt by imports. Compensation increased 3.3 percent in both the Northeast and Midwest.

The Labor Department said seasonally adjusted first-time applications for unemployment benefits dropped sharply last week for the second week in a row after shooting up during late December and early January.

A five-week low of 301,000 claims were filed, down from 316,000 the week before and 360,000 the week before that. A department analyst said the total appears to have returned to a level closer to the longer-term trend.

## HISD to show off new activity bus



Special to The Brand

Hereford residents will get a chance to view and tour the new activity bus purchased with donations through the Whiteface Booster Club when it is formally presented to the Hereford Independent School District during ceremonies at Friday's Hereford-Palo Duro basketball games.

Tom Bailey, president of the booster club, said officials will present a plaque to school officials during the dedication ceremony and the bus will be on display outside Whiteface Gym.

The plaque, which lists 11 donors, will be permanently attached inside the bus. Fans attending the games also will be able to view the inside of the bus. The donors will be introduced at halftime of the boys' game.

The bus is one of two purchased recently, with HISD providing funds for the second vehicle. They are to be used for activity trips by students. The first bus already has carried athletic teams to River Road, Dumas and Roswell, N.M.

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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.

## Snow tonight

Winter storm warning is in effect for this afternoon and tonight. Tonight, snow, heavy at times, low in the mid-20s, additional snow accumulation, 4 to 6 inches, northeast wind 15-25 mph with higher gusts.

Friday, cloudy with a 60 percent chance of snow, high in the upper 20s, northeast wind 15-25 mph with higher gusts, additional snow accumulation, 1 to 3 inches. Friday night, cloudy with a 40 percent chance of snow, low around 20.

## Extended forecast

Saturday, a slight chance of light snow early, otherwise becoming partly cloudy with a high around 40.

Sunday and Monday, partly cloudy, lows in the mid-20s, highs in the upper 40s to around 50.

## Wednesday recap

High, 63; low, 30; no precipitation.

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## Obituaries

## MARJORIE NEELY SMITH

Jan. 27, 1999

Graveside funeral services for Marjorie Neely Smith, 90, of Hereford, will be 2 p.m. Saturday at West Park Cemetery. Arrangements are with Gililand-Watson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Smith died Wednesday at the Westgate Nursing Home in Hereford.

She was born April 15, 1908, in Amarillo to R.C. Neely and Gertrude Murrell. She married Al Smith in 1938 in Clovis, N.M. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Hereford and a

homemaker.

Survivors include four daughters, Linda Janes, of Amarillo, Charlie Warren of Dimmitt, Terry Kosub of Stephenville, Patsy Meridith of Johnson City, Tenn.; one son, Neely Kimbrough of Broken Arrow, Okla.; three brothers, R.C. Neely Jr., of Amarillo, Murrell Neely, of Lockhart, and Ralph Neely, of Cashiers, N.C.; nine grandchildren, and seven great grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be made to the First Presbyterian Children's Home or the First Presbyterian Church of Hereford.

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## Excessive force proves Texas problem

## Inmates claim Justice presides over unconstitutional prison conditions

AUSTIN (AP) — Use of excessive force by guards is a greater problem in Texas than at any other prison system he's looked at, an expert on prison conditions contends.

Allen Breed, a former director of the National Institute of Corrections, gave that testimony Wednesday during

a hearing before senior U.S. District Judge William Wayne Justice to determine if he should end his oversight of the 140,000-inmate Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

Breed's testimony was on behalf of inmates who are seeking to prolong Justice's jurisdiction over the prisons.

Justice has overseen state prison conditions for almost 20 years since presiding over a lawsuit that alleged unconstitutional conditions in Texas' then-overcrowded prisons.

Breed said Texas prisons are plagued with excessive use of force by guards and that inmates are largely helpless

to complain about it.

"This is a systemwide problem, not an isolated problem that occurred in only one facility," he said.

The state has developed a "very good" set of written policies and procedures for guards to follow when dealing with disruptive inmates, Breed said.

But Breed, who recently visited 18 prison units and examined 500 use-of-force incident reports, estimated that 70 percent of the cases involved "excessive force." He blamed them on a "culture" of violence among poorly trained guards.

The state, represented by Attorney General John Cornyn and a battery of prison-system lawyers, maintains that there are no longer any unconstitutional conditions in the prison system. The state wants Justice to terminate his role in a class-action case filed in 1972 by inmate David Ruiz.

There are "many good people" working in the system, but Breed said "there's a pattern throughout the entire system, to deal with a problem by using force."

Breed compared the situation to the "building-tender" system that Justice eliminated in the early 1980s, in which inmates were allowed to supervise — and discipline — other inmates.

Breed says that now guards with "limited training" have been thrust into the same role and often are unable to cope with the stress and pressures created by the system's rapid population growth.

"In attempting to gain control, corrections officers began to use the same techniques, the same approaches, as the building tenders used to use," Breed said.

In his review of case files, Breed, a former supervisor of California's juvenile offender system, estimated that 7 percent of inmates' allegations of excessive use of force were verified by prison officials. He said he thinks the actual percentage is much higher.

Many of the applications of excessive force, he said, were against restrained inmates who posed no danger.

The hearing, which began Jan. 21, is scheduled to last about two more weeks. The state has yet to begin its defense of prison conditions, and the inmates have used up only about half their allotted time.



Rub-a-dub-dub -- Show pigs are clean pigs and Haley Lookingbill, a member of Vega 4-H, takes this idea very seriously as she nearly stands on her head trying to clean the yuck off her somewhat-less-than-cooperative project animal. Every time she got close to his head with the brush and soap, he would turn and try to get away. Haley will be showing her project tonight as the hog show gets under way at 4 p.m. in the Deaf Smith County Bull Barn.

## Proposed power plant brings mixed reactions

JENKS, Okla. (AP) — City leaders say they could improve the streets, build a fire station or revive designs for a giant aquarium with a possible multimillion-dollar donation tied to a proposed energy plant.

But people who want to block the power plant's construction contend that the offer of a donation amounts to a payoff or bribe.

Cogentrix Energy Inc. of Charlotte, N.C., and Power Resources Group Inc. of Lewisville, Texas, would seek a five-year exemption from ad valorem taxes if they win zoning approval to build the \$300

million power plant.

If the exemption is granted, the companies propose to give Jenks half of what the taxes would have totaled "to do with as they please," said Mark Wilson, managing director of Power Resources.

"It's a goodwill gesture," Wilson said. "We want to give something back. We want to be a good community neighbor."

Jenks officials figured the corporate partners would donate more than \$4.5 million to the city during the five-year tax abatement period.

The Planning Commission will meet tonight to consider

a permit for the 850-megawatt, natural gas-fired electrical generating plant. Approval would put the project before the City Council on Monday.

Opponents say the plant would pollute the air, be noisy and reduce property values.

Joe Johnson questioned the objectivity of the council with companies "coming in and throwing money around and asking them to vote their way."

But Mayor Mike Tinker said city officials were "trying to look at this without the money."

The power plant would be built on a 41-acre site along the west bank of the Arkansas River.

## Graphic ads replace loveable dummies

## New ads target short trip drivers

WASHINGTON (AP) — They've become popular figures in shopping malls and inspired the name of a rock band, but the crash test dummies made famous in seat belt ads are taking a back seat to a new set of more shocking TV spots.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration has decided that ads featuring the dummies affectionately known as Vince and Larry will be replaced next month with a pair of graphic ads aimed at breaking through the recent plateau in seat belt usage.

Instead of seeing lifelike dummies dust themselves off after a crash, viewers will see human actors engaged in common moments that are cut short by an automobile accident.

In one spot, titled "Ice Cream," a husband out buying

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## Texas lottery

Lotto Texas  
One ticket correctly matched all six numbers drawn Wednesday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, state lottery officials said.

The ticket, worth an estimated \$29 million, was sold in Prairie View.

The numbers drawn Wednesday night from a field of 50 were:

1-3-5-12-44-49.

Saturday night's drawing will be worth an estimated \$4 million.

## Pick 3

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

1-4-4

ice cream to satisfy his pregnant wife's midnight craving has his car hit head-on as he pulls out of the driveway. In a second ad, titled "Cruising," teen-agers in two cars cruising down a street giggle until one of the cars is smashed by a speeding van.

After each scene, the caption on the screen asks, "Didn't see that coming? No one ever does. Buckle up."

"The idea behind the campaign was to really take a bold step and change our direction to reach those users who are taking short trips but not wearing their seat belts," said Ken Ulmer, spokesman for the Advertising Council. It is marketing the spots, made by the Chicago ad agency Leo Burnett, for the traffic safety administration.

"We are not reaching part-time users, people who take trips to the store or out to pick up their kids. The statis-

tics show they are at risk, too," Ulmer said.

Vince and Larry have been successful seat belt salesmen for 15 years. With their gray jumpsuits and revolving heads, they have an appeal similar to that of the hapless but durable "Star Wars" tin man, C-3PO. The pair is mobbed at mall appearances and have had their name reach into the music industry thanks to the band, "Crash Test Dummies."

Beyond their public appeal, Vince and Larry have gotten results. In 1985, about 21 percent of the driving population wore seat belts; in 1996, the figure was up to 68 percent.

That, however, is about where it has stayed.

President Clinton has announced a goal of getting seat belt usage up to 85 percent by the end of the year, but traffic safety experts concede there are some high-risk drivers who will never wear seat belts. The new campaign is focusing on the casual wearer — someone who is not against buckling

up, but who does not do so on every trip.

Dr. Ricardo Martinez, head of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and a former emergency room physician, pushed for the new advertising approach after watching a series of gruesome traffic commercials aired in Australia.

The challenge for the U.S. ad makers was to walk the fine line between spurring people to action and repulsing them into disbelief.

"What will inhibit people is if they say, 'Yes, but that's not really me,'" said Emily Soell, a member of the Advertising Council's advertising review committee.

"What was most important was the line afterwards, because that implies that the people survived and gets people to say, 'Yes, with an accident, you never see it coming, so I better buckle up.'"

Ulmer, the Advertising Council spokesman, said the crash test dummies are in "semi-retirement." He expects them to be used again in children's programming.

Soell, meanwhile, said Vince and Larry are victims of their own success.

"After a while, even the best advertising begins to blur itself because people have seen it so much that they no longer listen," she said.

"People found it so entertaining they end up paying attention more to the entertainment value: 'Oh, I wonder what the seat belt dummy is going to do now.'"

The Advertising Council, a nonprofit group that works to gain free air time and print space for public service announcements, will begin showing the commercials in all major advertising markets by mid-February.

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## Emergency services

Activities reported by emergency services personnel for Jan. 27, 1999, include the following:

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

## Incidents

— A criminal trespass was reported in the 400 block of Knight.

— A theft was reported in the 2000 block of East first.

— A runaway was reported in the 400 block of Lawton.

## SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

## Arrests

— A 37-year-old man was

arrested and charged with violation of probation on a driving while intoxicated conviction.

— A 21-year-old man was arrested and charged with reckless driving.

— A 26-year-old man began serving time on resisting arrest conviction.

— A 21-year-old man began serving time on a violation of probation charge.

— A 17-year-old man began serving time on a failure to comply with compulsory school attendance laws.



# LIFESTYLES

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**Time for supper**—Some of those in attendance at Hereford Young Farmers Stock Show Tuesday evening took time to visit the concession stand then visit with other attendees while they ate supper.

## College Report

West Texas A&M University in Canyon conferred degrees during commencement ceremonies Dec. 17.

Hereford honor graduates were Misty D. Bornemeier and Olga E. Leal, both with a Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies. Both graduated Magna Cum Laude with grade point averages of 3.75-3.89.

Other Hereford graduates were Adrian R. Allison, Bachelor of General Studies; Cameron M. Bell, Bachelor of Fine Arts in Graphic Design; Cameron P. Betzen, Bachelor of Science in Agri Business and Economics; Michael D. Campos, Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology and Lori B. Crofford, Bachelor of Arts in Mass Communications Broadcasting.

Also Ortencia Mendez, Master of Education in Administration; Jana L. Price, Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies; Martin L. Price, Bachelor of Science in Speech; Alexia S. Sciumbato, Bachelor of Business Administration in Management; and Jan A. Tardy, Bachelor of Business Administration in General Business.

## Program for Delta Xi focuses on technology

The program for the January meeting of Delta Xi Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International was presented by Jan Metcalf and Max Hudson from the Region 16 Educational Center.

They demonstrated ways that technology helps students reach their potential stressing that motivation is a major key to the success of these students.

Kris Dollar, president, presided at the meeting held in the

old HISD administration building.

There were 45 members and three guests present.

Refreshments were provided by Marie Stringer, Lois Miller, Carol Gage, Jean Ricketts, Lisa McGaw and Dollar.

Syndicated Columnist

## Ann Landers



**Ann Landers**

Dear Ann Landers: I'm writing about your response to "Perplexed Grandmother," who said she drove for hours with her "brilliant" granddaughter and there was zero communication. Not a word was spoken.

I have a brother who is also brilliant — with a Ph.D. in applied mathematics. As a child, he solved complicated mathematical problems in his sleep, but he had zero communication skills and was considered "stuck-up." As a grown man, he is still incapable of small talk, and his communication skills haven't improved. The "genius" is currently on his third wife and has very little to do with his siblings or parents. People seldom measure up to his expectations, so he writes them off.

I have a different theory on why brilliant people often have trouble establishing and maintaining relationships. Maybe their heads are so crowded with information, there is no room to think about family and friends. — Washington, D.C.

Dear D.C.: Your theory that brilliant people are incapable of forging close relationships is flawed. Normal people can have this problem, too. Keep reading for more.

From Lebanon, N.J.: Your advice to "Perplexed Grandmother," who could barely get a word out of her brilliant granddaughter on a three-hour car trip, missed the mark. My over-educated ex-husband was the same way. He has a Ph.D. in engineering from an Ivy League school and was a permanent fixture on the Dean's List. We would drive for hours, and all I would get was a grunt in response to any question or comment. Often, to get his attention, I would say, "Planet Earth calling Johnny. Come in for a landing." Tell Grandma not to be offended. Her "brilliant" granddaughter may be book smart, but she needs to brush up on her people skills if she wants to make it in this competitive world.

Bowie, Md.: I disagree with your advice to "Perplexed Grandmother," who couldn't make conversation with her granddaughter. Could it be that the young woman felt

her grandmother was bombarding her non-stop with intrusive and irritating questions? I know how she feels. A dear friend of mine says I'm a clam, while I consider a conversation with her to be a cross-examination. Add to the mix her tendency to pass on bits and pieces of our conversations, and you get the picture.

St. Catharines, Ontario: I was interested in the letter about the grandmother who was critical of her granddaughter because she couldn't get a conversation going during a three-hour car ride. That problem started long ago. I know because I have the same situation with my granddaughter. I spoke to "Mary's" mother about this, and she said, "Don't feel bad. That's the way it is with all young people today." Is she right? P.S. I never baked cookies, but I did send checks — several of them — and I paid for her education.

Dear St. Catharines: No, she is not right. The generation gap is not as difficult to bridge today as it once was. Many "grannies" are now very much with it. The problem with some granny-teenager connections is that the closeness was not established at an early age. Too bad, but it is never too late to start, and it's up to Granny to make the move.

I'm a grandmother, too, and like you, I send checks but I don't bake cookies. There is no "generation gap" between me and mine. Perhaps the work I do has kept me young. Whatever it is, it's great to know that they look to me for guidance because they know I will not be judgmental. Maybe that's the key.

Gem of the Day (Credit Jackie Mason): Eight percent of married men cheat in America. The rest cheat in Europe.

Feeling pressured to have sex? How well-informed are you? Write for Ann Landers' booklet "Sex and the Teenager." Send a self-addressed, long, business-size envelope and a check or money order for \$3.75 (this includes postage and handling) to: Teens, c/o Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562. (In Canada, send \$4.55.)

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## Trip to Ireland is topic of L'Allegra program

L'Allegra Study Club held its recent meeting at King's Manor with Claudia McBrayer giving the program about the trip she and her husband, Dr. Duffy McBrayer, made to Ireland.

She gave an account of their trip to the small village of Iona to visit an abbey that has stood since the year 500. She displayed her kilt and tams in the family tartan plaid and also items she purchased at the abbey gift shop.

Several residents of King's Manor join L'Allegra members in listening to the program, after which refreshments were served and a club business meeting was held.

Members in attendance were Melissa Clarke, Carmen Flood, Kitty Gault, Diana Griffin, Sylvia Khuri, Shelley Menke, Shelly Moss, Hilda Perales, Karen Payne, Ella Marie Viegler, Judy Wall and Jan Weishaar.

## Hospital Notes

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- Share with your child a basic skill you have learned from your favorite hobby,

whether it's knitting, wood-working, photography or gardening.

- Send a flier around the neighborhood for a winter book club. Invite adults and children to bring their favorite stories to read to each other. As the club grows, organize a weekly book exchange. If you'd like to borrow a book, bring one or more to exchange.

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Donna Erickson's book, "Donna's Day: Fun Activities that Bring the Family Together" (HarperCollins), is available in bookstores nationwide.

## Author pokes fun at 'Q-Tip' Texans

By ALLIE JOHNSON  
The Monitor

McALLEN, Texas — Alan Tibbetts believes he has every right to make fun of Winter Texans - he used to be one.

Now a permanent resident of South Padre Island, Tibbetts calls the winter visitors "Q-Tips," and has written a sort of field guide to their habits, mannerisms and migration patters, titled "Winter Texans (Or) The Q-Tip Invasion of The Rio Grande Valley."

Why Q-Tips? Tibbetts picked up the phrase from some vendors in Nuevo Progreso, Mexico, a shopping mecca of sorts for thousands of winter visitors each year. After he asked the hawkers why they used the term, they replied: "Senor, do you not see the people coming with white hair and white shoes?"

A former Green Beret who served as a chaplain during the Vietnam War, Tibbetts had to face the Viet Cong, giant mosquitoes, torrential rains and opposition from peaceniks at home. "That was a picnic compared to trying to get into a good restaurant during the Winter Texan season in the Rio Grande Valley," he jokes on the book jacket.

At Desert Bloom bookstore in Mission, the book is selling well. "It's mostly Winter Texans coming in and asking for the book. They're buying it for the humor," said Ann Knappenberger, the bookstore owner.

Tibbetts began observing Winter Texans when he joined their ranks in 1981, traveling to South Padre Island from El Paso each winter with his wife, Kathy.

"I just thought they were an interesting group when I was with them - the whole sociological makeup of people leaving the nuclear family and being gone for so long," he said from his home on Gulf Boulevard. "Then I saw they were having an awful lot of fun."

Fun, of course, is why Winter Texans are here, and Tibbetts' tome provides a list of some common Winter Texan activities. It seems the retirees enjoy everything from cribbage to Spaghetti Every Monday to Intermediate Clogging to Hamburgers With Fixin's.

In the book, Tibbetts recounts the story of a dance he attended in Reynosa. The event was held in a hotel ballroom packed with margarita-wielding Winter Texans. Not so unusual - except that the "soiree" took place at high noon.

Another form of Winter Texan entertainment, in Q-Tip lingo, is called a "Rumble," according to Tibbetts' book. This game involves 20-some Q-Tips gathering at a restaurant, taking out their hearing aids and trying to make sure the ones with the worst hearing end up at opposite ends of the table.

Tours to Mexico are great fun, and "Winter Texans love to ride the buses, chat with others and eat snacks they have hidden in their purses."

With all the free time they have on their hands, Winter Texans do an excellent job making sure they squeeze every cent they can out of their

pension checks, he writes. Some Q-Tips are Negotiators, who dicker with landlords about rent in their trailer parks.

"They are quick to explain that they are living on a fixed income. (Perhaps they fail to understand almost everyone lives on a fixed income)," Tibbetts writes.

Others are Hustlers at restaurants. "While they are eating, they commonly call for more bread. When they have carefully filled their purses and pockets with bread, they ask for bread to eat during the meal," he writes. And Buffet Bandits follow suit, gathering enough food to last for a week.

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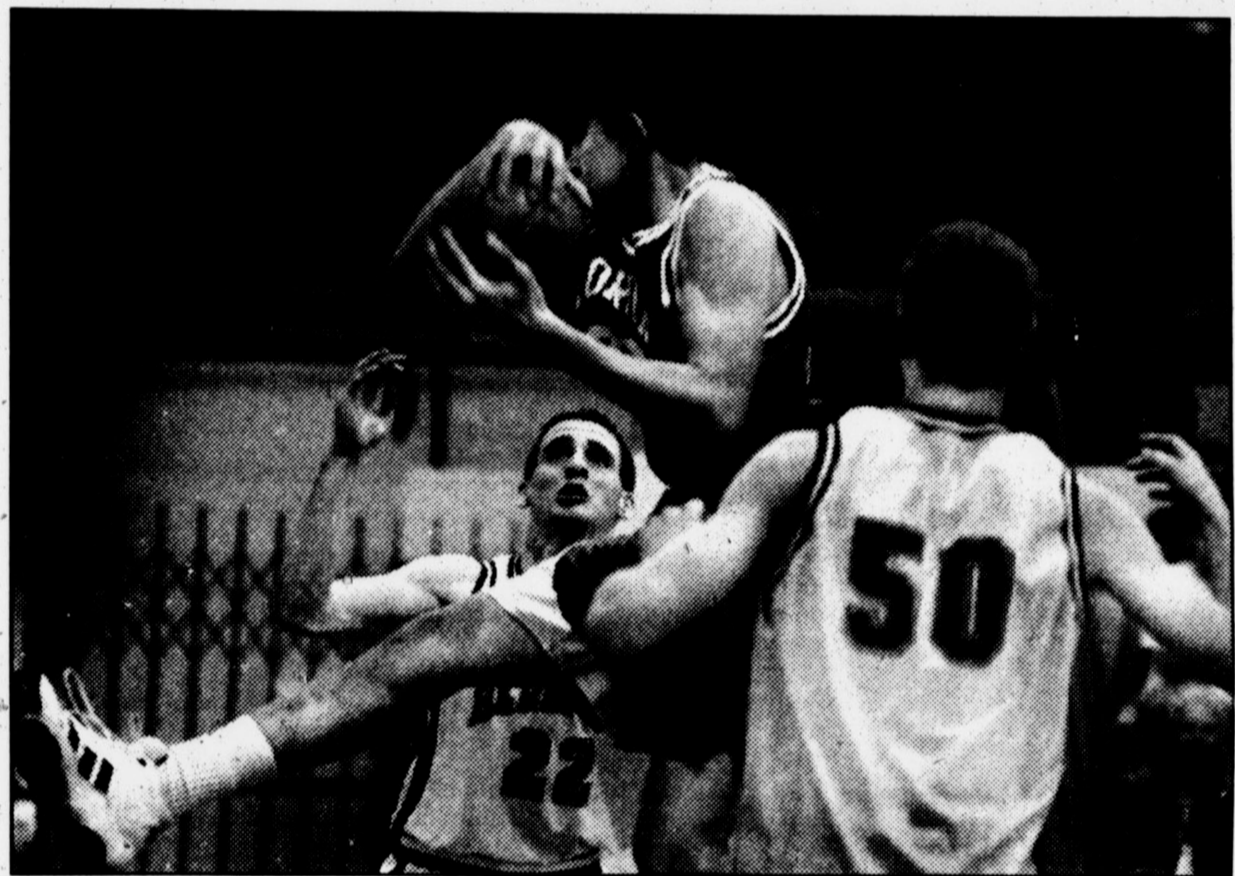
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## District 3-4A action resumes, Hereford hosts Amarillo PD



**Playing the boards** — Hereford's Cody Hodges (22) and Chase Rives (50) surround an Amarillo Caprock player as he comes down with a rebound during a recent 3-4A game between the two school's. The Whiteface boys and girls' basketball teams will meet Amarillo Palo Duro here Friday at Whiteface Gym.

The intensity of District 3-4A basketball will really heat-up Friday when area boys finish first-half loop play and the girls embark on the second round.

And the Hereford Whitefaces will be heading into the hottest part of the fire here Friday as Hereford hosts the leader of both boys and girls' leagues — the Palo Duro Dons.

The Lady Whitefaces tested that fire earlier this year, suffering a 50-40 loss to the Lady Dons.

The standings suggest their second meeting with Amarillo won't be any easier.

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The Whitefaces will meet top-ranked Palo Duro (24-1, 4-0) for the first time this year and it's a match head Whiteface coach Randy Dean isn't afraid to face.

"I think we can compete with them if we play the way we're capable of," Dean said. "But we're going to have to be able to adjust to what they will be doing."

Hereford, now 3-1 in district play, is currently tied with Borger for second place in the league after Borger lost 48-40 to the Dons Tuesday.

"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," Dean said.

The Hereford girls are coming off a Tuesday night 42-36 loss to Dumas, and will meet the Lady Dons (23-6, 5-1) sporting a 18-11 overall record and an even 3-3 mark in district play.

Led by Cody Hodges, who netted 20 points and is one of the area's leading schoolboy scorers with 300 points thus far in this year's campaign, the Whiteface boys drummed Dumas 62-44.

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## Poised for exit, Elway comeback speculated

MIAMI (AP) — John Elway is always at his best with time running out, and now there's just 60 minutes left on the clock. He'll enter Sunday's game headed for the exit, the greatest comeback quarterback in NFL history poised to bow out in the Super Bowl.

Or maybe not. The Denver Broncos seek their second consecutive league championship against the Atlanta Falcons, and as the game approaches, Elway sounds like a quarterback contemplating an audible on retirement.

"Eventually, physically, you kind of run out of gas," Elway said Wednesday, "but I don't think you ever want to stop playing. On Saturdays and Sundays in the fall, I've always been around a football game. The question of the unknown and how I'm going to react is definitely a scary thing."

Don't be fooled by the boyish grin, the daring scrambles or the strong arm. At 38, Elway is old.

Joe Montana won the last of his four Super Bowl titles at 33. Terry Bradshaw won his fourth and final Super Bowl at 31. Of the five quarterbacks taken after Elway in the first round of the 1983 draft, four

are retired, and Dan Marino pursues a Super Bowl ring with a limp.

Elway, meanwhile, can strut into his fifth Super Bowl showing scant evidence of the toll 16 seasons take. He missed three games because of injury in 1998 but still threw for 2,806 yards and 22 touchdowns, directing the most potent offense in the AFC.

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Falcons coach Dan Reeves said Elway is better than when they worked together in Denver from 1983 to 1992.

"I can't tell you how many times when I was there I'd watch him and go, 'No! No! No! Yes! Yes! Yes!'" Reeves said. "He would make so many plays just by his natural football instincts. That's what he got by on a lot early in his career

until he starting seeing things better and anticipating things.

"He's just gotten better through the years. It's part of the natural maturation process for a quarterback."

Elway was on the verge of retirement a year ago when Denver upset the Green Bay Packers in the Super Bowl.

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# Duke beats North Carolina, 89-77

To keep 15-game win streak on line

By The Associated Press

Even North Carolina couldn't stop streaking Duke. William Avery scored 21 points and Trajan Langdon added 18 as the second-ranked Blue Devils beat the No. 10 Tar Heels 89-77 Wednesday night.

Duke (20-1, 8-0 ACC) has won 15 straight overall and 33 in a row at Cameron Indoor Stadium.

"They just handled some situations a little better than we did down the stretch and got the win," said North Carolina coach Bill Guthridge, who is now 2-2 against Duke.

Ed Cota had 20 points for the Tar Heels (17-5, 5-3), while Ademola Okulaja added 18 points and nine rebounds.

Freshman Kris Lang hit a hook in the lane to bring North Carolina within 77-72 with 3:21 left. But 32 seconds

later, Langdon hit his third 3-Top 25 games, it was No. 4 Maryland 107, Florida State 87; No. 7 Auburn 64, Mississippi State 54; No. 8 Michigan State 76, No. 15 Ohio State 71; No. 9 St. John's 75, No. 17 Syracuse 70; Northwestern 54, No. 14 Purdue 50; No. 16 Iowa 84, Penn State 74; No. 21 Arkansas 86, LSU 64; Nebraska 84, No. 22 Kansas 69; No. 23 Miami 77, Seton Hall 71; and No. 25 Florida 72, Alabama 68.

**No. 4 Maryland 107, Florida St. 87**  
At College Park, Md., Obinna Ekezie scored 22 points and Maryland shot 62 percent from the field.

Steve Francis added 21 points for the Terrapins (19-2, 7-1 ACC), who topped the 100-point mark in a league game for the first time since 1994.

**No. 7 Auburn 64, Mississippi St. 54**  
At Auburn, Ala., Bryant Smith scored 16 points and freshman Mack McGadney added 15 to lead the Tigers.

Doc Robinson, who scored only one point in Auburn's loss to Kentucky, had 13 points and six assists for Auburn (19-1, 7-1 SEC).

**No. 8 Michigan St. 76, No. 15 Ohio St. 71**  
At East Lansing, Mich., Mateen Cleaves scored 10 of his 16 points in the last 2:09, and Jason Klein sparked a second-half comeback with three 3-pointers.

Klein and Charlie Bell each finished with 14 points for the Spartans (17-4, 6-1 Big Ten). Michael Redd scored 20 points for the Buckeyes (15-6, 5-3).

**No. 9 St. John's 75, No. 17 Syracuse 70**  
At Syracuse, N.Y., Bootsy Thornton scored 21 points and Ron Artest added 19 as St. John's rallied to beat the Orangemen.

Syracuse (14-6, 5-5 Big East) built an early 15-point lead, but St. John's (17-3, 8-1), which lost to No. 2 Duke in overtime on Sunday, fought back and took a 65-62 lead on

Artest's three-point play with 9:54 left.

**Northwestern 54, No. 14 Purdue 50**  
At Evanston, Ill., Evan Eschmeyer had 17 points and 14 rebounds to become Northwestern's career rebounding leader.

Freshman Steve Lepore sank two free throws with three seconds left as the Wildcats (12-5, 4-3 Big Ten) handed the Boilermakers (15-6, 3-4) their third loss in four games.

**No. 16 Iowa 84, Penn St. 74**  
At Iowa City, Dean Oliver scored 17 points as the Hawkeyes halted a three-game losing streak.

Jess Settles added 12 points, J.R. Koch finished with 11 and Ryan Luehrmann had 10 for Iowa (14-4, 5-3 Big Ten).

**No. 21 Arkansas 86, LSU 64**  
At Fayetteville, Ark., seniors Pat Bradley, Derek Hood and Kareem Reid had big

games and eight Arkansas players made 3-pointers.

Bradley scored 19 points, Hood added 18 and Reid had 13 points, nine assists and four steals for the Razorbacks (15-5, 4-3 SEC).

**Nebraska 84, No. 22 Kansas 69**  
At Lincoln, Neb., Venson Hamilton had 20 points and 12 rebounds as Nebraska handed Kansas its second straight loss.

The Jayhawks (13-6, 5-2 Big 12), who lost to Missouri on Sunday, have lost two in a row for the first since 1994.

**No. 23 Miami 77, Seton Hall 71**

At Miami, Tim James scored a career-high 31 points

as the Hurricanes snapped a two-game home losing streak.

Miami (13-4, 7-2 Big East), which trailed 39-37 at half-time, went on a 12-0 run to open a 53-43 lead with 11:50 left. Seton Hall (11-8, 5-5) dropped its third consecutive game.

**No. 25 Florida 72, Alabama 68**  
At Gainesville, Fla., Teddy Dupay made a three-point play and Florida went 7-for-9 from the foul line down the stretch to hold off Alabama.

Dupay finished with 14 points for Florida (15-3, 6-2 Southeastern Conference). Greg Stolt also had 14 for the Gators, including four 3-pointers in the second half.

# Hingis, Mauresmo take big wins in Australian Open finals

MELBOURNE, Australia (AP) — Lindsay Davenport thought she was playing a man, a player so muscular, so quick, so relentless she was overwhelming.

France's broad-shouldered Amelie Mauresmo emerged as the latest teen sensation to invade women's tennis, reaching the Australian Open final as the top-seeded Davenport yielded to her power and youth in the brutal heat.

Mauresmo, the 19-year-old former junior Wimbledon and French champion, reeled off six of her nine aces in the final set as she wore down the U.S. Open champion Thursday 4-6, 7-5, 7-5.

"I couldn't touch some of those serves at the end, and that made the difference," said Davenport, who hadn't dropped even a set in a Grand Slam match since the quarterfinals of Wimbledon last year. "Her shoulders looked huge to me, maybe because she was wearing a tank top."

"She's a very, very strong girl. A couple of times I thought I was playing a guy, the girl was hitting it so hard. She's so strong in those shoulders. She hits the ball, y'know, not like any other girl. She hits it so hard and with so much topspin. Women's tennis is not usually played like that."

Mauresmo now goes for the title Saturday against two-time defending champion Martina Hingis, who beat Monica Seles 6-2, 6-4.

Sweden's Thomas Enqvist reached his first Grand Slam final, beating Ecuador's Nicolas Lapentti 6-3, 7-5, 6-1. Enqvist

will play for the title Sunday against the winner of Friday's match between Russia's Yevgeny Kafelnikov and Germany's Tommy Haas.

Hingis, 18, had an answer for everything Seles could muster, ending the 33-match undefeated streak of the four-time champ Down Under.

"You hate for that to happen," Seles said of the end of her streak. "I'll have to start a new one."

Seles, who won the Australian in 1991, '92, '93 and '96 but sat out the past two years, couldn't match the same inspired play she produced in the semifinals against longtime rival Steffi Graf.

Hingis, who has won 20 matches in a row in the Australian Open, absorbed Seles' power, anticipated her shots well, and kept her moving before cracking winners down the sidelines. It was the seventh time in nine meetings that Hingis has beaten Seles.

Hingis has played Mauresmo a couple of close, tough matches, winning both times.

"She's strong physically," Hingis said. "She just keeps fighting. You could see she was always pumped (against Davenport) even at 5-5 in the third."

The thick, humid heat slowed down the rubberized hard court so that it played more like clay, an advantage for Mauresmo, who beat Davenport on clay in their only other meeting in Germany last year.

Mauresmo had plenty of confidence coming into this one-

hour, 56-minute match.

"The biggest thing was that I knew I could beat her," said Mauresmo, who shrugged off Davenport's comparisons of her to a man.

"Perhaps the fact that I'm strong physically is maybe impressing her. It means that I'm a very solid player, so I take it as a compliment."

Mauresmo said she works out hard in the gym "to be the one who stays out longer on the court."

Perhaps more impressive than Mauresmo's serves or deep, angled forehands were her one-handed backhands. Most women hit two-fisted backhands or, like Graf and Jana Novotna, one-handed slices. Mauresmo hits hers with lots of topspin and power, the kind of shot that is more common on the men's tour.

Mauresmo pressured the 22-year-old Davenport from the start, making her work hard to fight off five break points before finally holding serve to 1-1 after 10 minutes.

Davenport managed to break Mauresmo a couple of times to take a 5-2 lead, but had trouble putting the set away. Mauresmo broke back to 5-3 with a brilliant, lunging forehand return crosscourt, then held to 5-4.

Davenport settled down for a moment, though, and secured the set at love after 37 min-

utes with a forehand volley.

The second set went with serve until the 12th game, when Davenport broke down with a double fault that made it love-40. Mauresmo didn't waste that opportunity, jumping on a second serve and drilling it into the corner as Davenport stared at the spot and sagged.

Davenport retreated for a long break after that set, but that rest didn't help. Mauresmo served two aces to start the set.

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ENTERTAINMENT

# String of midseason hits buoys spirit of television's executives

By David Bauder

The Associated Press  
What seemed like a dead television season has suddenly turned a little lively.

The debut of the cartoon drudge "Dilbert" achieved the highest ratings for a comedy in UPN's four-year history Monday night, the latest in a string of midseason success stories for viewer-starved networks.

NBC's uplifting "Providence" is off to a faster start than any NBC drama since "ER." Fox is pleased with its animated comedy "The PJs," and CBS has so far successfully cloned "60 Minutes" on Wednesday nights.

It's quieted — at least for now — all the talk of dying broadcast networks that had grown louder with a lackluster fall season.

"The shows that launched this midseason all have one thing in common: Generally speaking, they're excellent shows," said UPN programming chief Tom Nunan. "These shows all have an original voice to them and they're of unusual quality."

But the initial success may also force executives to rethink the wisdom of launching dozens of new shows each September, overwhelming

viewers with options. "Everybody knew they were coming," said Sandy Grushow, president of Twentieth Century Fox Television. "Why did everybody know they were coming? Well, they weren't competing with 50 other shows."

A midseason start enables networks to promote the shows one at a time, which Nunan said particularly helped "Dilbert."

January is truly prime time: Winter forces more viewers indoors and light post-holiday advertising gives networks extra time to tout their own programs, said Gene DeWitt of DeWitt Media, an advertising buying firm.

Hollywood's tradition of starting most shows in fall is largely dictated by advertisers. TV executives announce a fall schedule in May so advertisers can buy commercial time on what they think will be hot shows.

Despite critical praise for "Sportsnight," "Will & Grace" and "Cupid," none of last September's shows can be called hits.

"We are all to some extent a prisoner of the system that has been in place for so long," said Lloyd Braun, chairman of Buena Vista Television Pro-

duction. Lately that tradition has eroded. "Dawson's Creek" and "King of the Hill" are two shows that successfully launched the last few winters. CBS's "Becker" was an early-season replacement that last week made Nielsen Media Research's top 10 for the first time.

This year's lesson may mean fewer new shows next fall, Nunan said. His worry is that January will eventually become as crowded as September.

Midseason starts don't guarantee success, though. NBC's "Lateline" failed last winter and failed again when it came back this month. CBS's "Turks" hasn't broken any records.

The real test for the new hotshots will be if people come back after the initial curiosity fades, said Preston Beckman, NBC's executive vice president of program planning and scheduling.

"While it's encouraging that networks can still collect a large number of people to watch our shows, I think it will be hard on us if we convince ourselves that there's something about midseason," Beckman said. "I think there's something about great shows."

# Autry may be memorialized with a highway interchange

BURBANK, Calif. — Gene Autry's legacy as America's original singing cowboy extends beyond the dusty trails, and the late star may get a highway interchange named after him.

Just a few offramps east of Bob Hope Drive and 110 miles from the Gene Autry Trail desert thoroughfare, Gene Autry Memorial Interchange would unite Interstate 5 and Highway 134. The location is a short gallop from the Gene Autry Museum.

The idea was announced Tuesday by state Sen. Adam Schiff, who said he plans to introduce a resolution to name the interchange after Autry.

"Gene Autry was a pioneering star in the early days of music, radio, film, television and rodeo performances. I am proud to posthumously honor such an inspiring role model," said Schiff.

Autry died Oct. 2 after a long illness, three days after his 91st birthday.

# Television

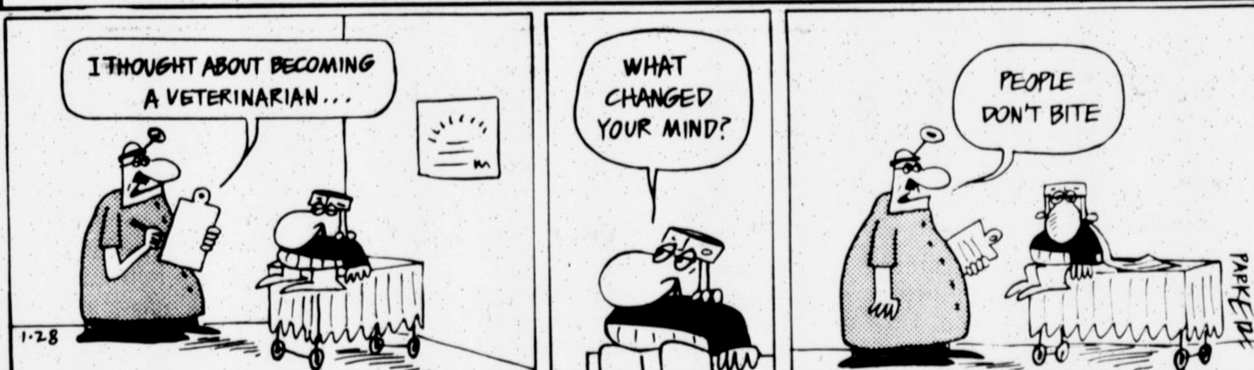
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6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	United Tastes of America	Mystery!						Charlie Rose		NewsHour
Show-Funny	Addams	Life, Camera	Life, Camera	Movie: Silverwolf (1999) Shane Meier, Michael Behn.				700 Club		Show-Funny
News	Ent. Tonight	Friends	Jesse	Frasier	Veronicas	ER		News	(35) Tonight Show	
Movie: Turner & Hooch Tom Hanks. PG	(45) Movie: Kids of the Round Table Johnny Morina.	Growing						Walt Disney Presents	Zorro	
Roseanne	Roseanne	(05) WCW Thunder	(05) WCW Thunder	(05) Movie: Lethal Weapon (1987) Mel Gibson, Danny Glover. ***				News	Seinfeld	Nightline
News	Fortune	Vengeance Unlimited	Cupid	Crime & Justice				News	(35) Late Show	
Mad	Simpsons	Wildcat Police Videos	Fox Files					Simpsons	M*A*S*H	Frasier
Sportsctr	College Basketball Wake Forest at North Carolina State			College Basketball Xavier at Cincinnati						Sportscenter
Movie: Not Without	Movie: Safe House Patrick Stewart. ***			Lincoln	RudeAwak			Movie: Original Gangster ** R		
Movie: Police Acad. 5	Movie: Cobra Sylvester Stallone * R			Movie: Under Pressure Charlie Sheen. R				Inside the NFL		Sopranos
Movie: In the Line of Duty	Movie: Friday the 13th Part VII			Movie: The Apostle (1998) Robert Duvall, Farrah Fawcett. *** PG-13				Movie: The Leopard Man (1943) ***		
Movie: Parade	Movie: Cat People (1942) ***			Movie: The Curse of the Cat People ***				Movie: The Leopard Man (1943) ***		
Wild Discovery	Extreme Rides	Shipwreck-Fitzgerald	Into the Unknown	Extreme Rides				Shipwreck		
Law & Order	Biography	Unexplained	Touch of Frost	Law & Order				Biography		
Party of Five	Chicago Hope	Movie: Fight for Justice: The Nancy Conn Story (1995)	Attitudes	Golden Girls				Golden Girls		
Last Word	Sports	Golf Heineken Classic - First Round		Sports	College Basketball Stanford at Arizona					
ER		Movie: Dirty Dancing (1987) Jennifer Grey. ***		Movie: Dirty Dancing (1987) Jennifer Grey. ***				Movie: Out		
Doug	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Cousin	Jeffersons	Jeffersons	Jeffersons	Jeffersons	Jeffersons		
Xena: Warrior Princess	Walker, Texas Ranger	Movie: The Godfather, Part III (1990) Al Pacino. ***		New York Undercover				Stalkings		
Gotta de Amor	La Usurpadora	Mentira	Lante Loco	Bienvenidos	P. Impacto	Noticiero		Mucho		
20th Century	Great Train Robbery	icemen	Modern Marvels	Trains Unlimited				Great Train		
Old House	Workshop	Almanac	How-Made?	Room	Designing	21stCentury	Dream	Almanac	How-Made?	Room
Amazing	Star Trek			Highlander: The Series	Fri. the 13th Series	Twilight Z.	Star Trek			
Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Wayans	Jamie Foxx	Harvey	For-Love	News		MacGyver		Heat

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7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
Barney	Teletubbies	Sesame Street	Arthur	Zoboo	Barney	Teletubbies	Reading	Mr Rogers	Capital	
Bad Dog	Bobby	Mork	700 Club		Kangaroo	Station	Dino Babies	Adv. Muffin	Bobby	
Today				Leeza	Sunset Beach		Judge Lane	News	Days-Lives	
Goof Troop	101Dalmits	Sing a Story	Pooh	Bear	Out of Bx	Madeline	Katie-Orbie	Mermald	Pooh	Bear
Hillbillies	Hillbillies	Little House on the Prairie	Little House on the Prairie	Griffith	Griffith			Matlock		Hunter
Good Morning America				Live - Regis & Kathie Lee	The View			Howie Mandel		News
This Morning				Ricki Lake	Price is Right			Young and the Restless		News
Magic Bus	Oggy	Garfield	Hercules	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Benny Hinn	Life in Word	Kenneth C. Robison	Angel	
Sportscenter				Sportscenter		ESPNNews	Super Bowl XXXIII	ESPNNews	Tennis	
(15) Movie: Of Love and Desire Merle Oberon. ** 1/2				Movie: Twelfth Night Helena Bonham Carter. ** PG		(15) Movie: Heart of Dixie Ally Sheedy.				
Movie: Contact (1997) Jodie Foster, Matthew McConaughey. *** PG				Movie: Dear God (1996) Greg Kinnear, Laurie Metcalf.		Movie: Strange Invaders				
(15) Movie: It Started in Naples Clark Gable. ***				Movie: Julian Po Christian Slater. PG-13		Movie: The Beautician and the Beast **		Movie:		
(6:30) Movie: Easy Living				Movie: Million Dollar Mermaid (1952) ***		Movie: Betrayed (1954) Clark Gable, Lana Turner. ***		Movie:		
Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Assignment Discovery	Home Matters		Housemart!		Interior Motives	Home		
Quincy	Quincy	Cosby Mysteries	Equalizer		Murder, She Wrote		Northern Exposure	Law & Order		
Designing	Designing	Next Door	Attitudes	Party of Five		Chicago Hope		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie:
Sports	Sports	Sports	Bodies	Health	Paid Prog.	John Brady	Baylor	Sports Tech	Okl. St.	Last Word
CHiPs				Under Suspicion	In the Heat of the Night	Movie: Out of Africa (1985) Meryl Streep, Robert Redford. *** 1/2				
Rocko's Life	Rugrats	CharlieB	Blue's Clues	Little Bear	Franklin	Gullab	Busy World	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Eureka
Major Dad	Major Dad	Foxworthy	Something	Single Guy	Boston	Wings	Wings	Videos	Videos	Movie:
(6:00) Despierta America				Malte		Maria Jose		Samantha		Rencor
Year by Year		Real West		Hidden History of Boston				War Years		Crusades
Garden	Grow	Carol Duvall	Sew Perfect	Decorating	Room	At Home	Typical Mary	Appraise It!	At-Auction	Cooking
Lost in Space		Wonder Woman	Forever Knight			DarkShad	DarkShad	Twilight Z.	Beyond	Time Trax
Tiny Toon	Animaniacs	PinkyBrain	Histeria!	Batman	Batman	Griffith	Griffith	Matlock		News

12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
Body Elec.	Painting	Paintable	TimeGrow	TimeGrow	With Health	With Health	Zoom	Science Guy	Wishbone	Arthur
Menace	Casper	Ghostbstrs	Candy	Eek!stravag.	Bad Dog	Walter M.	3 Friends	Donkey	Addams	Addams
Days-Lives	Another World	Donny & Marie		Maury			Oprah Winfrey	News	NBC News	
Amazing	101Dalmits	Goof Troop	Timon	Aladdin	Dinosaurs	GrowPains	Off the Wall	Mad Libs	GrowPains	Brotherly
Hunter	Movie: Matlock: The Don (1986) Andy Griffith. ** 1/2			Mama	Mama	Full House	Full House	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	
Jeopardy!	One Life to Live	General Hospital		Rosie O'Donnell		Brown	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	
Bold & B.	As the World Turns	Guiding Light		Roseanne Show		Hollywood	Edition	News	CBS News	
Angel	Forgive or Forget	Little House on the Prairie		Spider-Man	Hercules	Rangers	Knights	Nanny	Grace Under	
(12:00) Tennis Australian Open - Men's Semifinal				College Gymnastics Florida at Georgia			Inside PGA	Up Close	Sportsctr	
Movie: Harry and Son Paul Newman. ** PG				Movie: The Out-of-Towners *** G		(45) Movie: Renaissance Man PG-13				
Movie: (15) Movie: Good Burger Kai Mitchell. ** 1/2 PG				Lifestories		Movie: Contact (1997) Jodie Foster, Matthew McConaughey. *** PG				
(12:15) Movie: Selena Jennifer Lopez. PG				Movie: Big Top Pee-wee ** PG		Movie: Dear Jesse (1997) ** NR		Movie: So I		
(12:00) Movie: The Tartars				Movie: Gambling House (1950) **		Movie: Follow the Boys (1963) Connie Francis. ** 1/2		Movie: The Conspirators		
Home	Design	Interior Motives		Great Chefs	Great Chefs	Gimme Shelter		New House	Fix-It-Line	
Law & Order	Quincy	Cosby Mysteries	Equalizer		Murder, She Wrote		Northern Exposure			
(12:00) Movie: Double Standard (1988)				Intimate Portrait		Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Ellen	Ellen
Ultimate	Golf Heineken Classic - Second Round			Big 12 Show	Miller	NHL-Shots	Rush Hour	Sports	FOX Sports	
Movie: Out of Africa (1985)	Gilligan	Kung Fu: Legend		Babylon 5		Lois & Clark-Superman		Due South		
Allegria	Looney	Tiny Toon	Looney	Tiny Toon	Doug	Rocko's Life	Catdog	All That	Figure It Out	Alex Mack
Movie: Amazing Stories: The Movie V		Silk Stalkings		PGA Golf Phoenix Open				Hercules-Jmys		
Rencor	La Mujer de Mi Vida	Gordo	El Blablazo	Cristina		Primer Impacto		Complices	Noticiero	
Crusades	20th Century	Hidden History of Boston				War Years		Crusades		
GoodTaste	Carol Duvall	Sew Perfect	At Home	Homewise	Decorating	Kitchen	Garden	Grow It!	House Dr	Fix It Up!
Time Trax	Sightings	Movie: The Cold Equations (1996) Bill Campbell.				Seaquest DSV		Quantum Leap		
News	Empty Nest	Empty Nest	Coach	Coach	Webster	Malibu, CA	Saved-Bell	Blossom	Full House	Full House

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NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	Wash. Week	Wall St	Livelihood			Time Goes	Keeping Up	Charlie Rose		NewsHour
Movie: Summertime Switch (1994) Jason Weaver. **				Movie: All of Me (1984) Steve Martin, Lily Tomlin. ***				700 Club		Show-Funny
News	Ent. Tonight	Providence		Deteline		Homicide: Life		News	(35) Tonight Show	
Movie: Garbage-Picking, Field Goal	(35) Movie: Angels in the Endzone ** 1/2			(10) Famous Jett Jackson		Movie: Mookie-Pop		Movie: Mookie-Pop		Zorro
Roseanne	Roseanne	(05) Movie: Malice (1993) Alec Baldwin, Nicole Kidman. ** 1/2		(40) Movie: Betty's Wedding (1990) Alan Alda. ** 1/2						
News	Fortune	Two-Kind	Boy-World	Sabrina	Brothers	20/20		News	Seinfeld	Nightline
News	Home Imp.	Kids Say	Candid C.	Magnificent Seven		Nash Bridges		News	(35) Late Show	
Mad	Simpsons	Brimstone		Millennium		Simpsons	M*A*S*H	Frasier	Cops	Real TV
Sportsctr	NFL 2Night		NFL Man	Sprtsctry	Tennis Australian Open - Women's Final					Sportscenter
Movie: Renaissance Man	Movie: Color of Night (1994) Bruce Willis, Jane March. ** 1/2 R			Stargate		(15) Dead Man's Gun		Outer Limits		
Inside the NFL	Movie: Fire Down Below Steven Seagal. (45) Movie: Above the Law Steven Seagal. ** 1/2 R			Dennis M. Tracey						
Movie: So I Married	Movie: Shadow of Doubt Melanie Griffith. (45) Movie: I Know What You Did Last Summer ** 1/2 R			Emmanuelle						
Movie: The Conspirators	Movie: Huckberry Finn (1939) Mickey Rooney. ***			Movie: The Learning Tree (1969) Kyle Johnson. ***				Movie:		
Wild Discovery	Shipwreck!	News	Inferno	Storm Warning!		Shipwreck!		News		
Law & Order	Biography		L.A. Detectives	Silent Witness		Law & Order		Biography		
Oh Baby	Maggie	Chicago Hope		Movie: Serving in Silence: Margarethe Cammermeyer		Attitudes	Golden Girls	Golden Girls		
NHL Hockey Dallas Stars at Tampa Bay Lightning				Last Word		Ultimate	FOX Sports News	Sports		
ER				Movie: The Undeafated (1969) John Wayne, Rock Hudson. ***		Friday Night at the Super Bowl		Movie:		
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Tax

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On the politically sensitive issue of benefit cuts or tax increases, Greenspan said the demographics of a huge baby boom generation retiring and fewer workers left to support retirees present policy-makers with few choices.

"In all likelihood, these taxes will have to be raised, or benefits cut, given that the system as a whole is still significantly underfunded," Greenspan said.

Last week in his State of the Union message, Clinton put forward a major proposal that would reserve about 60 percent of the government's projected budget surpluses over the next 15 years, an estimated \$4.4 trillion, for shoring up the Social Security system.

Clinton said changes to Social Security will also likely be needed, but has not said what they should be. The president said he believes deep benefit cuts or increases in the payroll tax rate will not be necessary, however. Republican leaders in Congress have also said they want to avoid increasing taxes or reducing retirees' standard of living.

Greenspan in his prepared testimony made no comments about current economic conditions. The central bank cut interest rates three times last fall to keep the U.S. economy from being dragged into recession by the global financial crisis. But most analysts expect no further rate cuts unless global financial conditions once again threaten to destabilize the U.S. economy.

Greenspan's views carry great weight on Capitol Hill, given what most politicians believe has been his exceptional direction of monetary policy during the current lengthy period of prosperity.

He is also considered a top authority on Social Security. He chaired the blue-ribbon commission that recommended the last major changes to the government's giant benefits program in 1982.

Greenspan praised the main thrust of Clinton's initiative, to pay down the national debt, but he said a section of the Clinton's program that would directly invest about \$700 billion in the stock market was flawed.

The administration has argued that decisions on where to invest this money would be made by an independent board insulated from political pressures. Greenspan said he doubted this approach would work because the large sums of money being talked about would inevitably lead to pressures from elected officials to have a say in how that money was being used.

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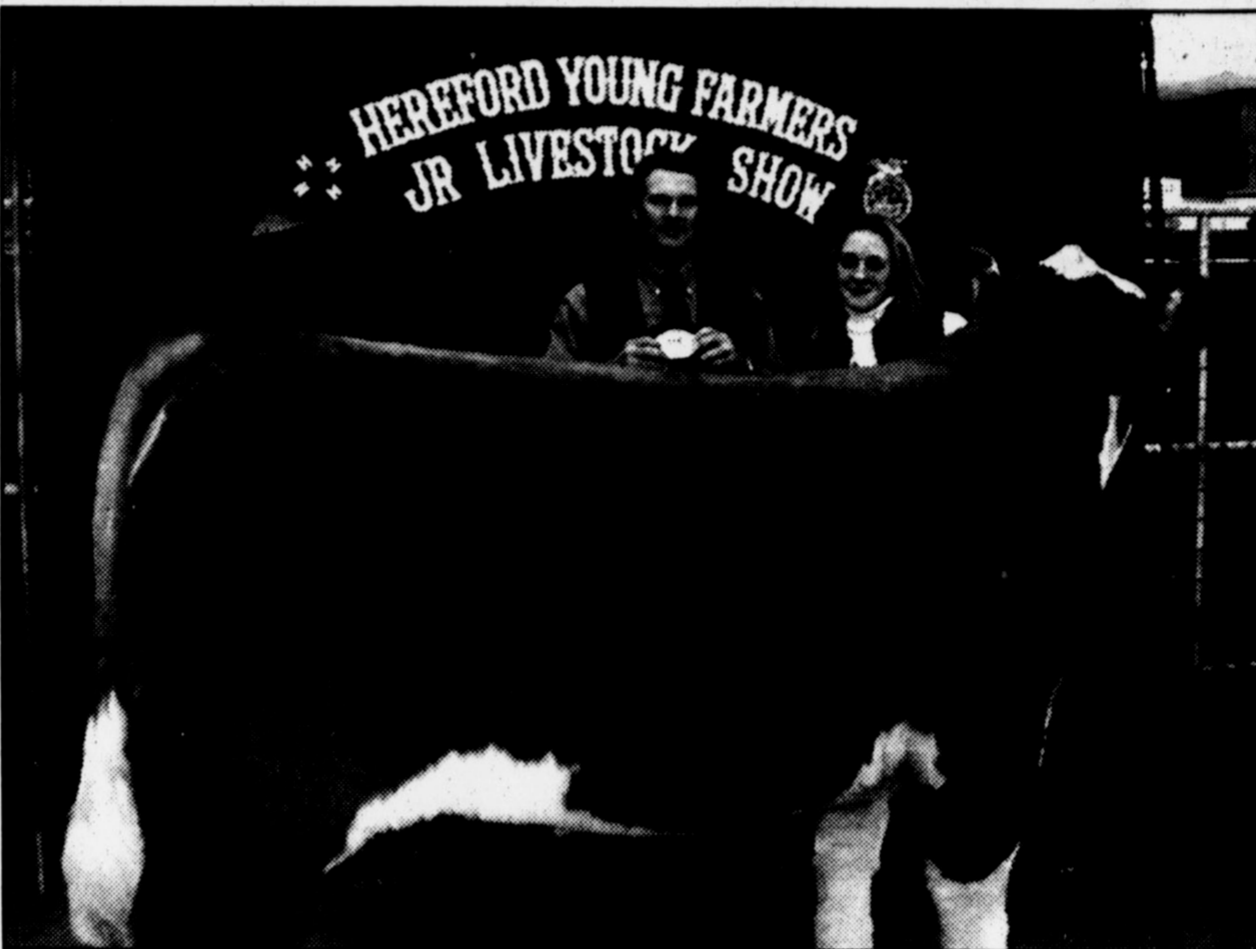
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Catherine Beville won junior showmanship.

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Show

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Brent Carlson placed fourth, Toby Duncan was fifth and Craig Campbell placed sixth.

Medium weight exotic steers represented the biggest differences in individual animals in the steer show, with Amanda Wall placing first and Brent Carlson making second. Justin Johnson took third and fourth place. Jarret May

placed fifth and Ian Isaacson came in sixth.

The final class, heavyweight exotic steers, had as many similarities among the animals, as there were differences.

Top animal in this class went to Ivory Isaacson, with Jerad Johnson showing the second-place animal.

Amanda Wall received third place, and Stephen Edwards placed fourth. Fifth- and sixth-place honors went to Lark Duncan and Glenn Kahlich.

Borden County Agricultural Extension Agent Dennis Poole judged the steers.

Photographs of the grand and reserve champions will be published in Friday's Hereford Brand.

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Senate Finance Committee Chairman Bill Ratliff, R-Mount Pleasant

Governor gets applause, doubts about his agenda

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. George W. Bush's proposed \$2 billion school property tax cut will be hard to pass, said the Republican who heads the Senate Finance Committee. Democratic senators said meeting Texans' need for critical services is more important than cutting taxes.

The Republican governor's State of the State speech Wednesday, made in the glare of speculation over his possible run for president, put public schools as the top priority but also contained ambitious tax-slicing proposals.

"It's going to be very difficult, but nothing about this job is easy," Senate Finance Committee Chairman Bill Ratliff, R-Mount Pleasant, said of Bush's proposed property tax cut.

"I think I and many members of the Legislature, if we're going to put our priorities in order, probably education comes above tax cuts. But how much we can do of each is very difficult to say," Ratliff said.

Democratic senators said tax cuts are possible but should occur only after the state's other pressing needs are covered.

"The Democratic members of the Senate are going to make a case for public education, health care, senior citizens, and after we take care of those critical needs, if there is money left over, then we'll address a tax rebate," said Sen. John Whitmire, D-Houston.

Transportation tangles in his home district are a bipartisan headache that deserve attention, Whitmire added.

Other Democratic lawmakers also criticized the voucher plan, which supporters say would offer a choice to parents, and said they believe they have enough Senate votes to block it.

"I just wonder why, instead of just trying to make the public schools the best they can be, we would put money into vouchers. Why not invest and concentrate on making the public schools the best instead of getting out of the system?" asked Ms. Davis, head of the House Black Caucus.

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Hutchison

Hutchison, Gramm see proceeding differently

The Associated Press

Even as the Senate moved Wednesday to summon Monica Lewinsky and two other witnesses in President Clinton's impeachment trial, Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison said she believes the votes aren't there — and won't be — to remove him from office.

So the Texas Republican is searching for a way to condemn Clinton's behavior and ensure he can't walk away at the trial's conclusion proclaiming vindication.

"I ... don't think if there is an acquittal that it should be treated as a vindication of the behavior," she told reporters. "It is important, regardless of what the president's reaction is, that there be a clear signal that this country is not lessening the standards of the rule of law and the standards for perjury and obstruction of justice in this country."

Her quest isn't shared by Texas' senior senator, Republican Phil Gramm. He views an up-or-down vote on the articles of impeachment as the only path allowed under the Constitution. Censure or some other rebuke isn't constitutionally prescribed and is "fraught with danger for the separation of powers," he said.

"As far as I'm concerned, I have an obligation to do no less than see that we vote guilty or not guilty," Gramm said in an interview. "And I don't have any right to do more under the Constitution."

Gramm

As for concerns that an acquitted president may walk away vindicated, he said: "The president is not vindicated if he's not convicted. After all, he's the second president in American history that's been impeached."

The two Texans were in agreement, however, on two other issues of the day. They joined a united Republican front in fending off a Democratic motion that would have ended the trial by dismissing the charges against Clinton. A lone Democrat, Sen. Russell Feingold of Wisconsin, joined the Senate's 55 Republicans in rejecting dismissal.

Mrs. Hutchison pronounced dismissal "unthinkable," saying that it would have short-changed the constitutional process and set a bad precedent.

The Texans also voted to summon Ms. Lewinsky, presidential adviser Sidney Blumenthal and longtime Clinton friend Vernon Jordan for depositions. Again, Feingold was the only Democrat breaking ranks to join Republicans on the 56-44 vote.

"I think the House has come forward very reasonably with a small number of witnesses that do have something to add to the record," Mrs. Hutchison said, calling it "only fair" that the Senate bow to the House prosecutors' request for witnesses.

Mrs. Hutchison said she does not believe Wednesday's near party-line votes marked an end to the bipartisan tone that has characterized the Senate debate — in stark relief to the House's impeachment proceedings.

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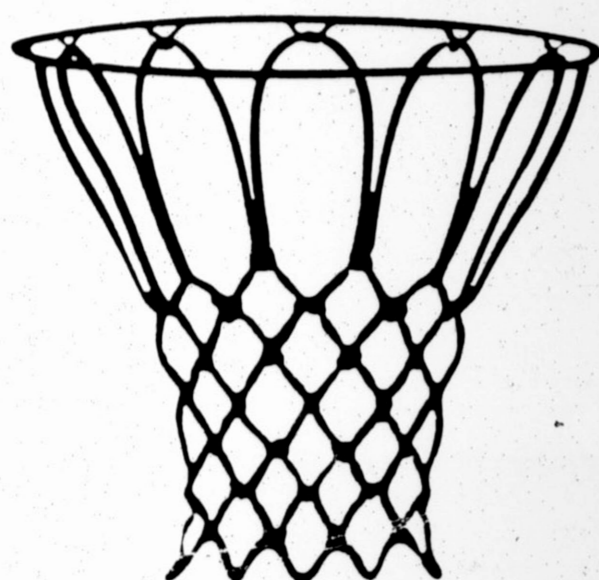


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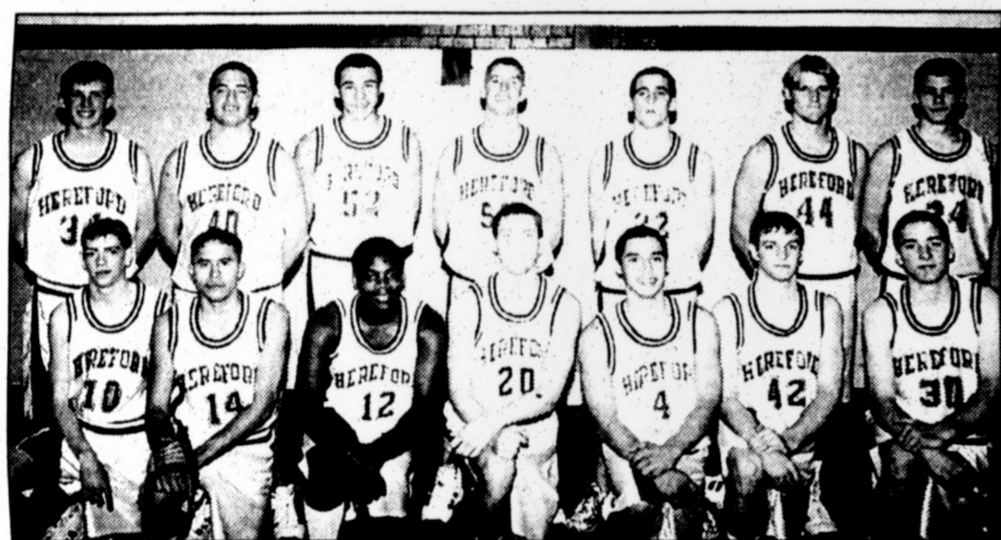
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Jan. 22	Caprock	Here JV/V	6:00-7:30
Jan. 26	Dumas	There JV/V	6:00-7:30
Jan. 29	Palo Duro	Here JV/V	6:00-7:30
Feb. 2	Pampa	Here JV/V	6:00-7:30
Feb. 5	Borger	There JV/V	6:00-7:30
Feb. 9	Caprock	There JV/V	6:00-7:30
Feb. 12	Dumas	Here JV/V	6:00-7:00
Feb. 16	Palo Duro	There JV/V	6:00-7:30

Girls			
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4 L.J. Vallejo	5'9"	Jr.
10 Mack Nielsen	5'9"	Sr.
12 Greg Ewing	5'10"	Jr.
14 Robert Chavarria	5'9"	Sr.
20 Eric McNutt	6'0"	Jr.
22 Cody Hodges	6'0"	Soph.
24 Tim Dudley	6'1"	Soph.
30 Slade Hodges	6'0"	Soph.
34 Brent Huseman	6'0"	Sr.
40 Mitch Wagner	6'1"	Sr.
42 Steven Northern	5'11"	Jr.
44 Bryan Matthews	6'2"	Sr.
50 Chayse Rives	6'2"	Soph.
52 Cody Marsh	6'2"	Fr.

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Asst. Coaches: Clint Coley, Tim Anuszkiewicz

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12 Brionne Yosten	5'-6"	Soph.
14 Valerie Guzman	5'-8"	Jr.
20 Toni Eicke	5'-8"	Jr.
32 Amanda Hill	5'-9"	Jr.
34 Makesha Rives	5'-6"	Sr.
44 Rachel Chavez	5'-9"	Sr.
50 Ashley Fangman	5'-9"	Soph.
52 Tori Walker	5'-8"	Jr.
54 Kristin Fangman	5'-10"	Sr.

Head Coach: Key Harrison  
Assistants: Donnie O'Rand, Pam Dean  
Trainer: Ed Morrow  
Managers: Emily Fry, Emily Parker, Mandi Klein, Franziska Scheuber



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