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## Agriculture in the Classroom



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Mike Doll (above) demonstrates how peanuts and oil are used to make peanut butter, while fourth-grade students (at right) act out the cotton-ginning process. The activities were part of the annual Agriculture in the Classroom Day, which was held Tuesday at the Deaf Smith County Bull Barn. The day is sponsored by a variety of agriculture-related companies and organizations.



### Fourth-graders learn how their food is produced

By Dianna F. Dandridge

Area fourth-grade students were in a different learning atmosphere Tuesday than what they are used to as they participated in the Agriculture in the Classroom Day at the Hereford Bull Barn.

Agriculture in the Classroom is more than a just a day-long field trip. It is a chance for the students to learn how agriculture affects their lives and how technology continues to boost agricultural impacts.

"We want to educate the kids about the facts, we want them to know the facts," Texas Farm Bureau representative Kenneth Schlabs said. Schlabs, one of the sponsors of the event, added the organizers "want the kids to make the best choice about agriculture, based on what they know."

Agriculture in the Classroom material, which when used in conjunction with the class curriculum, encourages students to put what they learn to an everyday use.

Schlabs said the materials

teach subjects, like state geography, with "just a little ag thrown in."

He was referring to a series of videos, which are made available to teachers that show the various agricultural enterprises of each region of the state.

"We would like the kids to be aware of where their clothes and food products come from," Schlabs said.

The teaching material is geared toward fourth grade and can be used with nearly all subjects being taught - from math and economics to

geography and science - in a form students which interests students, Schlabs said.

"The Ag in the Classroom day here at the Bull Barn is the highlight of the material being taught," Schlabs said.

Some teachers test the students on what was learned; others use the information to lead in to other projects and subject areas.

Representatives from a number of agricultural pursuits, and some that aren't necessarily just agriculture, spent the day telling more than 380 fourth-grade stu-

dents just how agriculture affects the world around them.

At each station visited by the students, they were given new information to go along with what they already know.

Students watched as a milk cow was milked; tasted homemade peanut butter, minus the sugar; and discovered the joys of running cotton through a miniature cotton gin.

Representatives from Southwestern Public Service, Corn and Wheat Producers, Texas Peanut Growers, Cotton In-

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Vanessa Cortez spent part of her visit to the Agriculture in the Classroom activities visiting the petting zone.

### Clinton: Focus will be on work

The Associated Press

On the eve of opening arguments in his trial, President Clinton said today he intends "to spend as little time thinking about" his impeachment as possible and focus instead on issues facing Americans. "I trust that the right thing will be done," he said.

Clinton's lawyers told senators in a legal brief that they had an "obligation to turn away an unwise and unwarranted" House impeachment.

"The vote the American people rendered... is hanging in the balance," the presidential lawyers said in their trial brief, arguing that there are no legal, constitutional or factual grounds for removal of the president.

"There is strong agreement among constitutional and legal scholars and historians that the substance of the articles does not amount to impeachable offenses," the attorneys wrote. They said the allegations "do not begin to satisfy the stringent showing required by our Founding Fathers to remove a duly elected president from office, either as a matter of fact or law."

### AP PRESIDENT ON TRIAL

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White House brief

#### TV coverage of impeachment trial

Broadcast networks are playing wait-and-see for how they cover the Senate trial of President Clinton, as a schedule shapes up for the trial phase expected to begin at noon CST Thursday.

"NBC will cover the opening session," spokeswoman Barbara Levin said Tuesday, "and additional coverage will be determined as the Senate schedule is released."

ABC and CBS representatives voiced similar plans. "It's a breaking news situation and we'll come on when news warrants," added ABC spokeswoman Su-Lin Nichols. PBS will provide live, gavel-to-gavel coverage, as will cable's Court TV and C-SPAN II.

Also on cable, all-news networks CNN, Fox News Channel and MSNBC plan to cover most public Senate action.

In addition, Associated Press Radio, CBS News, ABC News and National Public Radio will offer extensive radio coverage.

Clinton spoke for the first time about the crisis since his impeachment last month. "I think the Senate has to deal

with that. We filed our brief today that makes our case. The important thing for me is

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### Laney gets another term as Texas House speaker

AUSTIN (AP) — Pete Laney, kicking off his fourth term as speaker of the Texas House, says his colleagues should approach the state's budget surplus with past financial problems in mind.

"We began the 1990s struggling to emerge from the depths of an economic recession and with a continuing fiscal crisis in state government," said Laney, D-Hale Center.

The House convened in 1991 with a \$3 billion deficit, a stark contrast to the \$5.6 billion surplus legislators have coming into this session, he said.

Remember that the state climbed out of its budget deficit with fiscal responsibility and economic growth, Laney told 149 House members who gathered for the first day of the session.

"The worst mistake we could make is to view this budget surplus simply as a pie, a pie to be divided up and parceled out among many competing interests," Laney said after being unanimously re-elected House leader.

"It should be used to set our course for a secure and prosperous future for all Texans."

While Laney was urging caution with the state's budget surplus, Senate members said goodbye to Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, who is retiring after more than 40 years in public

service.

"We're going to miss him. What a great man, what a great man, Bob Bullock is," said Gov. George W. Bush.



Pete Laney

Bullock's public service career - which began as a Texas House member - has included work as an assistant attorney general, gubernatorial aide, secretary of state and state comptroller.

"It's been the most fascinating life that I could imagine. I never dreamed that it would be so rewarding as it's been," said Bullock, 69.

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at Baylor University, where he received his law degree.

"I think the things he loves most that I've been able to determine is education and his alma mater, and we felt like that would be great way that you could honor him with, as they say, a gift that keeps on giving," said Sen. Teel Bivins, R-Amarillo, said after senators passed a resolution honoring the Democrat and announcing the Bob Bullock Scholarship Fund.

Bullock said he was surprised by the scholarship and hoped it would inspire great academic success. "I hope whoever gets it makes better grades than I did," he said.

Bullock is being replaced by Lt. Gov.-elect Rick Perry, the first Republican to serve in the post.

Perry said he wasn't nervous about his new job, but that "I'm not Bob Bullock. I can't fill his shoes." Meanwhile, Bivins was elected president pro tempore of the Senate. The designation places Bivins third in line of succession to the governor. Whenever the governor and lieutenant governor are out of the state simultaneously, Bivins will serve as governor for a day.



Teel Bivins

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## Local roundup

## Young farmers meeting

Hereford Young Farmers will have a meeting 7 p.m. Thursday at K-Bob's to discuss this year's stock show and sale. All members and anyone else that would like to join are encouraged to attend. For more information please contact Lori Urbanczyk at 364-1197.

## Project show schedule

The Deaf Smith county 4-H Project Show will be Saturday in the Little Bull Barn. This is a good opportunity for all 4-H showmen to experience, and get a jump on the livestock showing season.

All 4-H members with animals entered in the Hereford Livestock show under 4-H are invited to participate. Awards will be given to winners of each class and division.

7:30 a.m. - shear sheep  
8:00 - entry time  
8:30 - begin weighing hogs and lambs  
10:00 - hog show  
1:00 p.m. lamb show

Goat show will follow lambs; steers will follow goats.

## Senior parent meeting

There will be an HHS senior parent meeting to discuss prom sign-ups and committees, 7 p.m. Monday at the HISD Banquet Room. All parents interested in helping with prom decoration and plans are invited to attend.

## Small business seminar

Rural Assistance and Innovation Network will sponsor a small business seminar 7-9 p.m. Monday at Hereford Senior Citizens Center. A Spanish presentation will be made 7-9 p.m. Jan. 25 at San Jose Community Center.

Don Taylor, director of West Texas A&M University's Small Business Development Center will present "The Good, the Bad and the Reality of Owning Your own Business." The program is free and open to the public.

## Cloudy

Tonight, cloudy with a low 20 to 25.

Thursday, becoming partly cloudy with a high 50 to 55.

## Extended forecast

Friday, mostly clear, low around 30, high in the lower 60s.

Saturday and Sunday, partly cloudy, lows in the upper 20s to around 30, highs in the upper 50s to around 60.

## Tuesday recap

High, 62; low, 26; no precipitation.

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## News in brief

## Family wins multi-million dollar asbestos suit

TEMPLE, Texas (AP) — For years, Bernice Cavitt washed her husband's clothes after he returned home from a Central Texas factory.

That simple domestic act will end up taking her life, a jury has decided in deciding to award her family \$2.11 million in damages.

Mrs. Cavitt of Hearne is dying of lung cancer from asbestos, the family's attorney, Andy Waters, said Tuesday. Doctors testified that the housewife has asbestos fibers in her lungs.

"She received her exposure from washing her husband's clothes. He would get covered in asbestos dust and bring it home. She would wash his clothes," Waters said.

"The doctors found conclusively that she had occupational levels of asbestos fibers in her lungs, and that is what caused her to have lung cancer," he said.

## Defendant pleads guilty

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A Mexican Mafia federal trial was set for today minus one defendant, who has pleaded guilty to taking part in a racketeering operation allegedly fraught with drugs, theft, and murder.

Ten reputed Mexican Mafia members remained on trial as attorneys prepared to present opening statements this afternoon.

Daniel Angel Tavitas pleaded guilty before U.S. District Judge Ed Prado on Tuesday to racketeering and conspiracy to commit racketeering. Sentencing will be at a later date.

Prosecutors contend the Texas Mexican Mafia, a gang also known as the "Mexikanemi" or "La Eme," was born and controlled from inside the state's prison system beginning in the mid-1980s.

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## Condemned killer calls execution a relief

HUNTSVILLE, Texas (AP) — Death row inmate Troy Farris says his execution scheduled for tonight will be a relief for him even though he's certain the state will be putting to death an innocent man.

"It's not that I'm giving up," Farris said last week in what could have been his last conversation with reporters. "It's just that I'm tired. Anything is better than this."

Farris, 36, was set for lethal injection for the Dec. 4, 1983 shooting death of Clark Rosenbalm Jr., a Tarrant County sheriff's deputy. Rosenbalm, 27, was killed when he interrupted an illegal amphetamine buy involving Farris and two other men near Saginaw, northwest of Fort Worth.

## Cornea implants improve vision problems

ROCKVILLE, Md. (AP) — Some 20 million nearsighted Americans may soon be able to get tiny, transparent rings implanted onto their corneas to help them see better, maybe perfectly, without glasses or contact lenses.

The government is considering whether to let KeraVision Inc.'s Intacs sell as an alternative to highly popular eye surgery. The key difference: While eye surgery is permanent, the implants' effects seem reversible in most cases because they don't destroy the eye tissue.

"There's no eraser at the end of a laser," noted Dr. Marian Macsai, an ophthalmologist at West Virginia University. "This is removable — take it out" if there's a problem.

Macsai and fellow advisers to the Food and Drug Administration voted unanimously Tuesday that Intacs — transparent crescents about as thick as contact lenses that form a ring around the edge of the cornea — should be sold.

But they stressed that patients must be warned that removing the implants usually, but not always, helps if patients suffer side effects or are dissatisfied with their resulting vision.

"It's largely reversible," said panel chairman Dr. James McCulley of the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center. But "it's not an absolute certainty."

The FDA is not bound by its advisers' recommendations but typically follows them.

If approved, Intacs would cost about the same as laser surgery for nearsightedness, \$2,200 per eye. Made of the same material as lenses implanted during cataract surgery, Intacs would come in three thicknesses, for different degrees of mild to moderate nearsightedness.

Nearsightedness — poor dis-

tance vision — occurs when a person's cornea is too steeply curved. Flattening the cornea, the membrane that covers the front of the eye, helps correct nearsightedness. Hundreds of thousands of Americans have sought radial keratotomy, where surgeons slice the cornea with a knife, or laser surgery, which shaves the cornea to flatten it.

But those surgeries can be risky, sometimes causing problems with night vision, glare, seeing halos or blurry vision. Patients occasionally cannot see as well after surgery as before. e vision ranges from 20/40, where it's OK to drive but a movie is blurry without glasses, to 20/200, where patients can barely see the big "E" at the top of eye charts.

In a yearlong study of 449 eyes, 97 percent had 20/40 vision or better without glasses or contact lenses after the implant. About 74 percent had 20/20 or better vision without glasses, and 53 percent could see 20/16 — the sharper vision that chief investigator Dr. David Schanzlin of the University of California, San Diego, said is required of combat pilots.

Most patients achieved good vision a day after surgery.

Intacs aren't risk-free: Some 7 percent to 17 percent of patients suffered side effects similar to laser surgery, including glare, halos and problems with night vision.

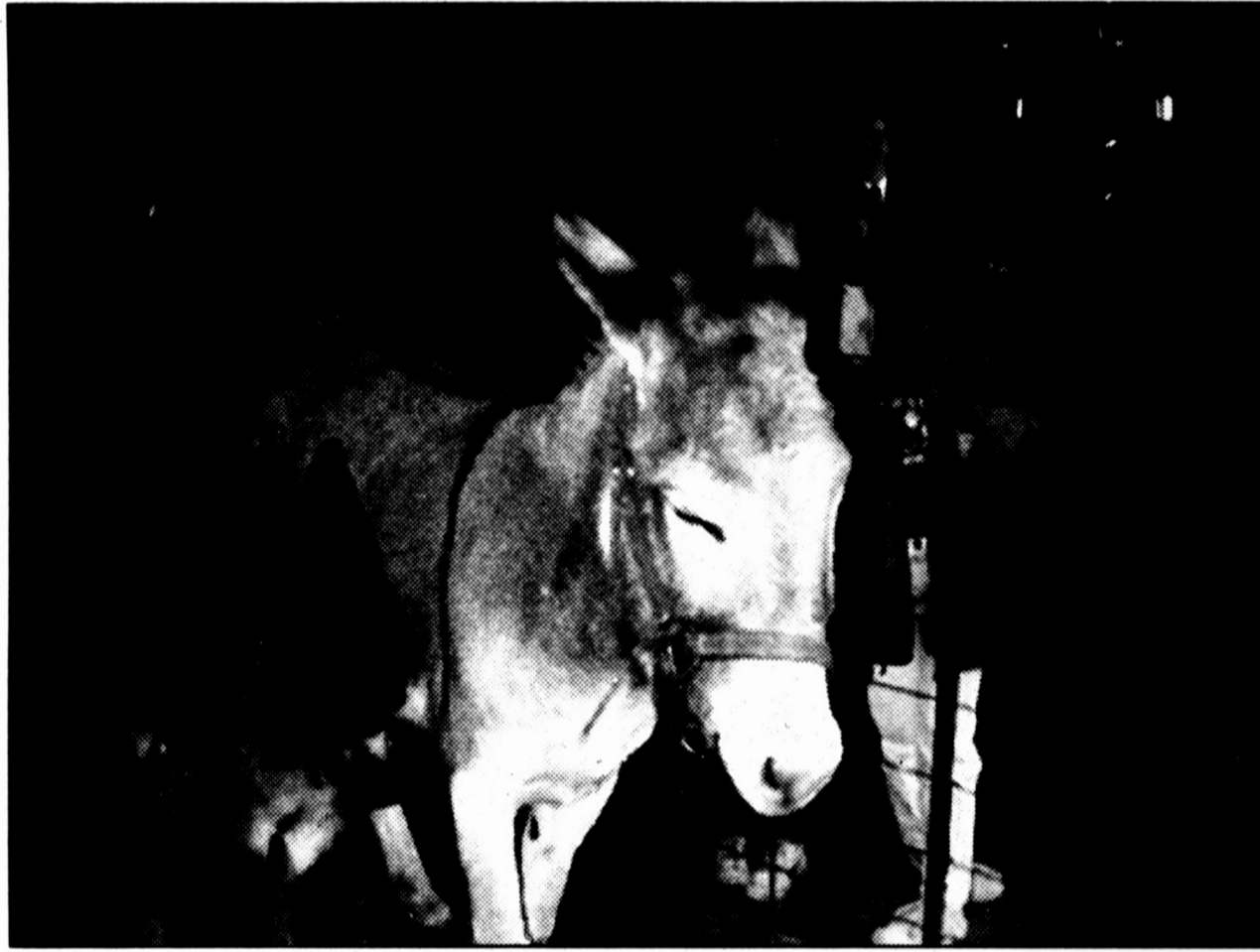
About 5 percent of patients had their implants removed. That included 14 patients dissatisfied with their vision correction and 16 who had visual side effects; some were in both categories. Removing the implant corrected more than 80 percent of those side effects, the company said.

But if patients don't see well enough, can they trade one set of Intacs for a thicker, better size? The FDA panel said KeraVision hasn't yet proved that. The company is studying thicker sizes for more severely nearsighted patients.

The operation itself is "very easy to master," said Schanzlin.

Patients get anesthetic eye drops to numb the eye, but remain awake. The doctor clamps the eyelid open, cuts a tiny pocket into the cornea and uses a special device to slip the crescents onto the cornea. The implants are made of the same material as the lenses implanted into cataract surgery patients. A single stitch closes the wound.

It takes about 15 minutes. About 15 percent of patients report some pain. As with any surgery, infection also is a risk.



Long-eared darlings -- These long-eared darlings, a female donkey, called a jenny, and her foal were favorites among the school children who visited the petting zoo during the Ag in the Classroom Day at the Hereford bull barn. The jenny and the foal might have been favorites, but the jenny just wanted to make sure no one got their hands on her baby.

## Sprouts behind salmonella outbreak

CHICAGO (AP) — Alfalfa sprouts, used as a garnish on everything from salads to hamburgers, sickened an estimated 20,000 people in the United States in two salmonella outbreaks in 1995, researchers reported today.

Consumers "should consider this danger when deciding whether to eat alfalfa sprouts," said the researchers led by Dr. Chris Van Beneden, an epidemiologist at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

Although new methods to prevent salmonella poisoning are being tried, the researchers said they may not be adequate. Their work was reported in today's Journal of

the American Medical Association.

Salmonella is a strain of bacteria found in animal feces. It generally causes nausea but can be fatal in older people, infants and those with weak immune systems.

Tainted alfalfa sprout seeds caused a 1995 outbreak in the Northwest and another one that same year from Georgia to Vermont, the researchers said. They said the same seeds sickened an undetermined number of people in Denmark.

Although only about 700 salmonella cases were reported, the researchers estimated more than 20,000

people in the United States alone were sickened since only a fraction of cases are usually reported. No one died.

The seeds were traced to a seed broker in the Netherlands. The researchers suspect the seeds were tainted either in the field by animal feces or wastewater, or by an infected worker at a seed-packaging plant.

Alfalfa sprouts were first implicated as a source of illness in 1973, but their image as a health food may have spared them the scrutiny given more widely recognized sources for salmonella like meat, chicken and eggs.

## American Civil War-era flag recovered

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Authorities have recovered a rare American flag that represented a black regiment during the Civil War and arrested a man suspected of stealing the artifact and then trying to sell it.

The flag represented the 12th Regiment Corps d'Afrique, one of the first units comprised of black soldiers in the Union army.

Charles Wilhite of Overland Park, Kan., was arrested Monday after meeting with an undercover agent at a hotel. He is charged with interstate

transportation of stolen property and theft of major artwork, and faces up to 10 years in prison and a \$500,000 fine if convicted.

Wilhite had no comment on the charges.

The flag, unveiled by the FBI Tuesday, shows signs of age — white splotches have faded some of the flag's blue background and lettering sewn in across one of the red stripes is barely visible from afar.

"The significance of the flag is that it is one of the only U.S. Colored troop flags in existence," said Steven Wright,

curator of collections at The Civil War Library & Museum in Philadelphia. "These are unbelievably rare, and absolutely priceless historically."

Authorities were tipped to the case by a Civil War relic dealer who said that Wilhite was trying to sell the flag, Special Agent Linda Vizi said.

An FBI agent posing as a buyer contacted Wilhite last month, and he tried to sell the flag for \$28,000 plus expenses at the hotel Monday, Vizi said.

Wright said the silk flag could fetch a six-figure sum if in good condition.

In Civil War history, there were only about 17 flags made to represent black regiments, said David Cole, a curator at the U.S. Army Center of Military History in Washington. Only five, including the one recovered this week, are known to be in existence.

The 12th Regiment of Corps d'Afrique was formed in the Port Hudson, La., area in 1863 by Gen. Nathaniel Banks. It was eventually incorporated into the 50th regiment of the U.S. Colored Troops when the USCT was formed in 1864.

## THE ASSOCIATED PRESS Texas lottery

**Cash 5**  
The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Tuesday by the Texas Lottery:  
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**Pick 3**  
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5-5-9

## THE HEREFORD BRAND Emergency services

Activities reported by emergency services personnel for Jan. 12, 1998, include the following:

## POLICE DEPARTMENT Incidents

- A fight was reported in the 100 block of North 25 Mile Avenue. Suspects left before police could arrive.

- Criminal mischief to a parked car was reported in the 700 block of Avenue H. Damage estimate is unknown.

- Charges have been filed against a 52-year-old woman for allowing her dog to run at large.

- A truck and car collided in the 1300 block of East Highway 60. No injuries reported.

- Disorderly conduct was reported in the 400 block of Avenue B.

- Beer theft was reported

from a convenience store on South Main.

- A prowler was reported in the 500 block of North Avenue K. Suspect turned out to be the caller's estranged husband. No charges have been filed.

- An assault was reported in the 400 block of West Second. The victim refused to file charges.

- A domestic disturbance was reported in the 200 block of Irving. No assault was reported.

- A domestic disturbance was reported in the 300 block of Brevard. No assault.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

- 12:17 p.m. - Firefighters responded to a smoke scare at the Texas Workforce Commission office. Officials report a heater malfunctioned.

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# LIFESTYLES

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## Bicycle safety helmets not just for 'sissies'



**Ann Landers**

Syndicated Columnist

**Dear Readers:** Please bear with me as I revisit a subject that has produced an extraordinary amount of mail. I am amazed that so many readers are passionate about the importance of wearing bicycle helmets. What follows could save the life of someone very dear to you.

**Dear Ann Landers:** I am an emergency-room pediatrician and the father of four. I cannot emphasize strongly enough the importance of wearing a bicycle helmet. I frequently treat children in the emergency room who have escaped a major head injury because they were wearing a helmet. And, sadly, too often, I see children who have suffered serious, irreversible and tragic head injuries — simply because they did NOT wear a helmet.

Parents need to insist on helmets and make sure their children wear them every time they hop on a bicycle. My family and I certainly do. — Bo Kennedy, emergency physician, St. Louis Children's Hospital

**Dear Dr. Kennedy:** I appreciate your input. And now, here's the last letter on the subject. I promise.

**Dear Ann Landers:** I hope you will make room for one more response to the letter about the father who didn't want his children to wear bicycle helmets because they would "look like sissies."

I just attended the funeral of my son's best friend. He was 9 years old. This boy was riding his bike without a helmet and went through an intersection without stopping. He ran into the side of a car, was thrown backward, hit his head on a concrete and steel drainage hole and died instantly. The boy's parents and family are devastated. My son is devastated. His classmates and friends are devastated. The person who was driving the car is devastated.

Children who wear helmets are not sissies. They are smart. But more important, they are alive. My son wears his helmet when he is on his bike and will start wearing one

when he begins in-line skating. By teaching his children to disregard the law about helmets, that father is also teaching them to break any law they think is stupid. That man had better wake up and smell the coffee, or he will be attending a funeral — and it will be a funeral he will never forget. Believe me, today was the most emotionally draining day of my entire life. — Still Grieving in Louisville, Ky.

**Dear Louisville:** I'm sure your letter will move millions of readers, as it moved me. It's a chilling reminder that the simple act of putting on a helmet can make the difference between life and death.

**Dear Ann Landers:** You have printed several letters about grown children who make no provisions for their later years because they expect their parents to leave them an inheritance. I thought you might enjoy this classified ad from the Everett, Wash., Herald. It appeared in Reader's Digest.

"Dick and Pegge's 50th anniversary party has been canceled due to lack of interest. They are now going around the world — courtesy of their children's inheritance." — L.K. in Chicago

**Dear Chicago:** Beautiful! I hope your letter will encourage more seniors to do the same. Many parents scrimp and save, denying themselves the small luxuries of life so they can leave something to children and grandchildren who, too often, neither deserve nor appreciate it.

And now, this closer from E.B. in Flint, Mich.:

**Dear Ann:** Regarding inheritances, I believe as my dear departed husband did. When his will was read, it said, "I want to leave my children the same inheritance that my father left me — the whole world in which to make a living."

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Cars and art are family things with the Celaya family as evidenced by their displays at the Deaf Smith County Library this month. Nick Celaya Sr., owner of Good Guys Body Shop, does some impressive metal artwork on the side, mostly with a Native American theme. Nick Jr., a student at Hereford High School, prefers pencil or pen for his artwork. Portraits are his speciality. Victor, a car enthusiast, is displaying part of his extensive Hot Wheels collection. His favorites are the classic cars and hotrods.

## Dettman presents book review for Garden Beautiful Club

Garden Beautiful Club members answered roll call with garden tips and New Year's resolution at a meeting Friday in the home of Dorothy Noland. June Hubbard was co-hostess.

President Marguerite Cole presided at the business meeting.

Marcella McLain introduced Audine Dettman who gave a

book review on "One Day at a Time." She related the story of Christy Lane, who grew up in poverty but pursued a successful singing career to be elected Female Artist in 1979.

Refreshments were served to Vada Axe, Doris Bryant, Helen Spinks, Louise Streun, Darlene Walker, Cole, Dettman, McLain and Noland.

## Demonstrations program topic for Ladybugs

Ladybugs 4-H Club met jointly with the Goldstar Club on Monday at Hereford Community Center to hear a method demonstration from Brenda Campbell, Goldstar leader.

Reports on method demonstrations were given by 4-H members Kristin O'Rear, Kinsey Reeve and Dawn Auckerman.

The next meeting of the Ladybugs will be at 4 p.m. Feb. 8 at Nazarene Christian Academy.

Ladybugs members present were Jessica Shelton, Cynthia Martinez, Victoria Messer, Shayla Wilcox, Kaeli Yocum, Kimber Austin, Kinsey Reeve, Kristin O'Rear, Michelle Langehennig, Lisa McGaw and Kristin Estrada.

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## New Arrivals

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Grandparents are Jane and Ed Coplen of Hereford and Linda and Tom McMillan of Radford, Va.



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## More award winning 4-H recipes

Several Deaf Smith County 4-H members recently competed in the District 1 Food Show. Winning recipes not given in previous editions of *The Brand* are featured here.

### Vegetable Pizza

Shayla Wilcox  
2 8-ounce cans crescent dinner rolls  
1 8-ounce package cream cheese, softened (can substitute low-fat cream cheese)  
1/4 cup Italian salad dressing  
1 cup chopped broccoli florets  
1 cup chopped cauliflower flowerets  
1 cup diced red bell pepper  
1/2 cup grated carrots  
1 cup chopped cucumber  
Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Unroll crescent rolls and place on a large ungreased baking sheet. Press seams together to form a 15x12 inch rectangle. Bake for 11 to 13 minutes or until golden brown; cool completely.  
Mix cream cheese and Italian dressing until smooth. Spread mixture over baked dough. Prepare vegetables and sprinkle evenly over pizza. Cut into 32 equal-sized portions.

**Heavenly Healthy Muffins**  
Kinsey Reeve  
2 cups oatmeal  
2 cups shredded wheat (crumbled)

3 cups of 100% oat bran  
Pour 1 cup of boiling water into large bowl with all above ingredients.

Add:  
1 cup oil  
4 eggs  
4 cups brown sugar  
1 quart buttermilk  
5 cups enriched flour  
1 teaspoon salt  
5 teaspoons soda  
1 cup raisins  
Mix together with a spoon. Cover and store in refrigerator. (The batter will keep for one week.) When ready to cook, preheat oven to 400 degrees and bake in muffin tins for 15-20 minutes.

### Sesame Chinese Noodle Salad

Chelsea Campbell  
1 3-ounce package Chinese noodles (dry and crushed)  
1 head shredded Romaine and/or green leafy lettuce  
7-8 chopped green onions  
1/2 cup chopped red cabbage  
3/4 cup slivered almonds  
1/2 cup sesame seeds

Dressing:  
1/2 cup salad oil  
1/4 cup sugar  
1/3 cup rice vinegar (no substitute)  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon black pepper  
1 teaspoon seasoning enhancer  
Brown sesame seeds and

almonds in 2 tablespoons butter (set aside). Toss all other ingredients together. Just before serving, pour well-mixed dressing over salad. Add almonds, sesame seeds and dry noodles. Toss gently until lettuce is lightly coated.

### Crock Pot Spaghetti and Meatballs

Sydnee Mardell  
1 pound groundmeat, lean  
1/4 onion, small, chopped fine  
1 garlic clove, chopped fine  
1 egg  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/2 teaspoon pepper  
1 tablespoon cooking oil  
1 small package angel hair pasta  
1 large jar spaghetti sauce  
1 tablespoon cooking oil  
6 cups water

Combine ground meat, onion, garlic, egg, salt and pepper. Shape into little balls. Brown in skillet with 1 tablespoon cooking oil. Turn when brown on side. Cook thoroughly. When done, put in crockpot, after draining.

While cooking meatballs, put water in big Dutch oven and add 1 tablespoon cooking oil. Boil. When boiling, add pasta. Let cook slowly until done. Drain.

Add pasta to meatballs in crockpot, add sauce. Cook on low for 6-7 hours.



**Opening day participants**—These Hereford Girl Scouts took part in the opening day of Girl Scout Cookie Sales Saturday with total cookie orders of 2,390 boxes. Local scouts will take orders through Jan. 24. Cookies are \$2.50 per box. Returning favorites include Thin Mints, Peanut Butter Sandwich, Peanut Butter Patties, Shortbread, Lemon Pastry Creme, Five World Cinnamon and Caramel Delites, along with a new cookie - Upside Down Frosted Oatmeal. For more information, contact Melinda Henson at 364-0222.

## Christian Unity Service will feature presentations for adults, children

The annual Christian Unity Service, sponsored by Hereford Ministerial Alliance, will be held at 6 p.m. Sunday at Hereford Church of the Nazarene and will feature a special treat for children - a performance by ventriloquist and child evangelist Dennis Lee as Nana Puddin'.

Lee, who has practiced ventriloquism since the age of 10,

focuses his programs on the younger audiences.

Each year Lee develops new characters and music and performs with his varied characters.

The presentation is free and all children are welcome to attend the "Nana Puddin'" performance.

Lee will perform in the new Children's Church facility, di-

rectly behind the Church of the Nazarene.

For the older audience Roger Hodges, the praise leader at Amarillo Trinity Church, will lead a special time of music and prayer for the Unity in the Community service.

Members of community, regardless of denomination, are invited to attend either part of the service.

### At the Center

## Senior Citizens

#### MENUS

**THURSDAY**-Mexican stack, Spanish rice, pinto beans, salad fixings, tostados, pineapple; or smothered chicken.

**FRIDAY**-Catfish strips with tartar sauce, cheesy hashed brown potatoes, Scandinavian vegetables, peach/cottage cheese salad, cornbread, bread pudding with lemon sauce; or McRibb, sherbet.

**MONDAY**-Beef stroganoff, seasoned noodles, stewed tomatoes, pea salad, whole wheat bread, vanilla pudding; or pork sausage in gravy, D'zerta pudding.

**TUESDAY**-Chicken strips with gravy, oriental rice, French green beans, cranberry gelatin, rolls, fruit cocktail cake; or liver and onions, pineapple.

**WEDNESDAY**-Sliced ham, scalloped potatoes, buttered

carrots, garden salad, whole wheat bread, apricot cobbler; or roast beef, apricots.

#### ACTIVITIES

**THURSDAY**-Pool classes, exercise class 10-10:45 a.m., oil painting 9-11 a.m., DSHHC BP/BS 9 a.m.-noon, 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.

**SATURDAY**-Thrift Store open 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

**MONDAY**-Pool classes, line dance 10-11 a.m., Doll class 1-4 p.m., home delivery volunteer meeting 9:30 a.m.

**TUESDAY**-Pool classes, exercise 10-10:45 a.m., Miracle Ear 9 a.m.-noon, Golden K Kiwanis noon.

**WEDNESDAY**-Pool classes, ceramics noon-4 p.m., birthday social 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

## Stringer is president of Austin firm

Hank Stringer, a former Hereford, resident and 1975 graduate of Hereford High School, was recently named president of World Hire of Austin, it was announced recently.

Stringer, the son of Marie Stringer of Hereford, originally founded the company in 1996.

The Austin-based computer software firm recently raised \$6.35 million in venture capital to expand its Internet recruiting software and increase sales and marketing efforts according to a report appearing in the Austin American-Statesman.

## Crisis Center seeks volunteers

The Women's and Children's Crisis Center, in conjunction with Hereford Regional Medical Center, will be conducting training classes for volunteers to assist victims of domestic violence and/or sexual assault.

Training begins Jan. 25 from 6:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. and will continue every Monday for 10 to 12 weeks.

Interested persons are asked to call 806-363-6727 or 1-888-235-2990 for applications. Class size is limited.

## Hospital Notes

Patients in Hereford Regional Medical Center on Jan. 13:

Milton C. Adams, Viola Bautista, Francisca Galvan, Billy J. Holliday, Katherine I. Hubbard, Alice R. Lindell, Mary L. Loyd, Frankie L. Ruland, Lorenzo Tarango.

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## College Report

Two students from Hereford, Marie Danielle Cornelius and Sarah C. Perrin, were listed on the University of Oklahoma Norman campus honor roll for the fall 1998 semester.

Students must earn a minimum 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale and be enrolled full time in at least 12 credit hours to be included on the honor roll.

## Seiver, Brown are winners of Valeda Club game night

Valeda Study Club met Monday night in the home of Margaret Zinser for a game night.

Marcella Bradley presided at a short business meeting. Members answered roll call by responding to the question, "What is your favorite game?"

Letters from Big Brothers, Big Sisters, Kids, Inc. and Boys

Ranch were discussed. After refreshments, Crazy Bridge was played. Winners were Theda Seiver and Juanita Brown.

Those present were Frances Crume, Bettie Dickson, Mary Dziuk, Della Hutto, De Ann Sissons, Norma Walden, Bradley Brown, Seiver and Zinser.

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# SPORTS

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## Randall shows Herd next level

### Raider grapplers put on clinic for Hereford in district dual, 73-9

By Bob Varmette  
Hereford Brand Sports Writer

In a year of learning experiences, Tuesday night may have been the ultimate.

Hereford got to see what the next level is — the Canyon Randall Raiders. Randall entered the dual coming off a seventh-place finish at the Liberal, Kan.,

tournament last weekend, already having beaten Amarillo Tascosa and Dumas — the top two teams at the state tournament last year.

The Raider machine continued to mulch up opponents as Randall thrashed Hereford 73-9 in a District 8 wrestling dual at Whiteface Gymnasium.

"They're real good," Hereford coach Mike Dominguez said. "Those guys are legit. They're a legit dual team and by far the best up here. . . . It's good for us to see that kind of caliber of team."

Randall's domination was nearly complete. The Raiders only lost two matches on the night and won six

matches by falls.

"They're good at all 15 weights," Dominguez said. "They're not just a few stars, not just a few standouts. . . . That was good for us to see."

Hereford won only at 103 and 180 pounds and was forced to forfeit five matches during the dual.

Chris Gavina got the Whitefaces off to a 3-0 start, decisioning Curtis Crosley of Randall 12-9. Gavina scored a takedown 20 seconds in and after riding Crosley for more than a minute converted for a 3-point near fall with 13 seconds left in the first period to take a 5-0 lead into the second.

After picking up another two points on a reversal, Gavina saw the momentum shift to Crosley. Crosley outpointed Gavina 6-1 to close the gap to 7-5 with 1:11 remaining in the second.

But a Gavina escape four seconds later saw the tide turn again. Gavina scored a takedown with 59 seconds left in the third period and only gave up a reversal with 24 seconds on the clock.

"We were hoping," Dominguez said. "You got to pick the matches you can win. We were hoping for a win, possibly a pint to try to accumulate team points."

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### Canyon Randall 73, Hereford 9

103 - Chris Gavina (H) dec. Curtis Crosley (R) 12-9; 112 - Nick Sinclair (R) won by forfeit; 119 - Brandon Chandler (R) won by forfeit; 125 - Guillermo Sanchez (R) won by forfeit; 130 - Johnathan Sherrill (R) pinned Albert Chavarria (H); 133; 135 - Ryan Johnson (R) pinned Javier Alonzo (H); 5:27; 140 - Michael Sinclair (R) pinned J.P. Gutierrez (H); 1:01; 145 - Michael Sherrill (R) pinned Ruben Lancon (H); .52; 152 - Adam Wilson (R) won by forfeit; 160 - Justin Boren (R) pinned William Shows (H); 5:00; 171 - Kyle Edwards (R) pinned Toby Meeks (H); .44; 180 - Paul Estrada (H) pinned Adam Cassobane (R); 2:56; 189 - Justin Bentley (R) won by forfeit; 215 - Craig Howard (R) dec. Bobby Barba (H) 3-1; Hwt - Matt McCormick (R) dec. Kris Hammerbeck (H) 17-6. A - 90 est.

## Scandal has SLOC mascot in hiding

By Paul Foy  
Associated Press Writer

SALT LAKE CITY — Even the mascot for the Salt Lake City Olympics is lying low.

Amid the worst corruption scandal in Olympic history, organizers Tuesday indefinitely postponed the unveiling of Salt Lake's official mascot.

The unveiling was to have been Feb. 8, coinciding with the three-year countdown to the 2002 Winter Games. A date for the mascot's debut will be announced next month.

"We want to introduce the mascot for 2002 in an atmosphere of community celebration. This is not the appropriate time," said Shelley Thomas, senior vice president of the Salt Lake Organizing Committee.

The bribery scandal also forced the SLOC to cancel its Thursday meeting because the committee's ethics panel isn't ready to report results of its investigation.

The investigation by the five-member panel, which has a Feb. 11 deadline to finish its work, is one of four inquiries examining accusations of lavish gifts, cash and scholarships given to IOC members and their relatives by the Salt Lake bid committee that landed the games in 1995.

The other investigations are by the International Olympic Committee, the U.S. Olympic Committee and the Justice Department.

"Our first priority right now is the prompt resolution of all inquiries, and taking whatever action is necessary to move forward from this difficult period," Thomas said. "Our mascot should receive the positive attention it deserves."

Organizers originally hoped to show its mascot during the closing ceremonies of the 1998 Winter Games at Nagano, Japan, then later in time for the Christmas season.

But focus groups in several cities thought early designs didn't look Olympic enough, and the IOC only recently approved the design.

There were signs elsewhere

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## GROUND UNDER REPAIR



City of Hereford maintenance crews are installing a culvert between the 12th and 13th fairways at John Pitman Municipal Golf Course. Work continues at the course to repair damage caused by a flood in October 1998. Course superintendent Craig Nieman said a complete estimate is currently unavailable as the project is ongoing. He said about \$10,000 has currently been spent in completing repairs to the course.

## P.D. tops Herd girls in 3-4A matchup

From staff reports

AMARILLO — The Hereford Lady Whitefaces put up a fight, but in the end LaKisha Harper and Kasoy Jackson were just too much as Amarillo Palo Duro pulled away from Hereford 50-40 Tuesday night in District 3-4A girls basketball at Palo Duro Activity Center.

Hereford (15-9, 1-1 District 3-4A) led early in the game and was tied with the Lady Dons 24-all at halftime. Palo Duro (20-5, 2-0) outscored the Lady Whitefaces 26-16 in the final two quarters for the victory.

"I'm not happy with the loss," Hereford coach Key Harrison said. "But we had our chances in the fourth quarter. We turned it over a few times. Their press gave them some easy buckets."

Jackson led the Lady Dons with 23 points and Harper added 17 for Palo Duro. Valerie Guzman led Hereford with 15 points and Tori Walker added 13 points for the Lady Whitefaces.

Harrison said the Lady Dons also hurt Hereford on the boards, getting numerous second opportunities off of offensive rebounds by Harper and Jackson.

"We didn't do as good a job as I would've liked on the boards," he said. "We contained them until the last quarter. They're just hard to contain for the whole game."

## Moose unprotected for expansion draft

By Jaime Aron  
AP Sports Writer

IRVING — Daryl Johnston, who returned from a career-threatening neck injury to again be one of the NFL's best blocking fullbacks, is among the five Dallas Cowboys available to the Cleveland Browns in the expansion draft.

Dallas also exposed receiver Billy Davis, center Clay Shiver and defensive ends Antonio Anderson and Hurvin McCormack, team

### Dallas players available to new Cleveland Browns:

Daryl Johnston  
Billy Davis  
Clay Shiver  
Antonio Anderson  
Hurvin McCormack

owner-general manager Jerry Jones said Tuesday.

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## Oilers rally to tie Dallas, 2-2

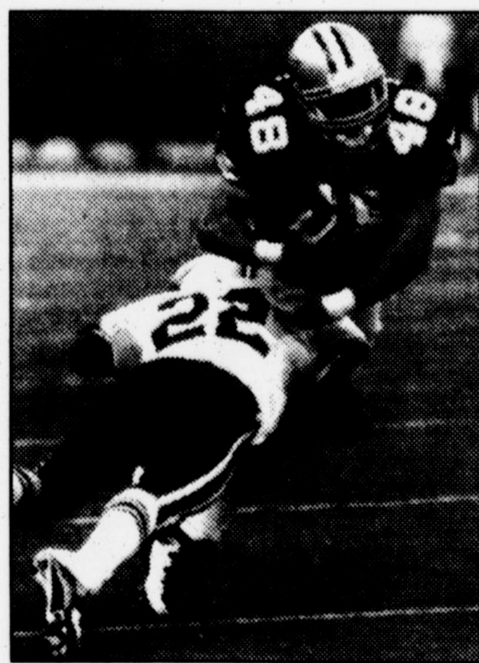
EDMONTON, Alberta (AP) — Ryan Smith scored with 55 seconds left in regulation Tuesday night to give the Edmonton Oilers a 2-2 tie with the Dallas Stars.

Defenseman Janne Niinimaa took a slapshot from the point, which deflected off Smyth for the left-winger's fourth goal of the season just 10 seconds after goaltender Bob Essensa had gone to the bench for an extra skater.

Joseph Beranek had the other Edmonton goal 42 seconds into the second period on a slapshot from the top of the faceoff circle.

Jere Lehtinen and Pat Verbeek scored for Dallas, which remains the NHL's overall leader at 25-7-7.

Both Dallas goals came in the first period. The first, by Lehtinen, was on a power play at 8:26.



AP File Photo

The Moose may be on the loose. Daryl Johnston was one of five Cowboys players left unprotected for the upcoming expansion draft to help stock the new Cleveland Browns.

## NFL PLAYOFFS

## THE THUNDERDOME

### Vikings see no need to apologize for the din of the deafening Metrodome

By Ron Lesko  
AP Sports Writer

MINNEAPOLIS — The blaring music, pounding drums and screaming fans. The Metrodome din gives the Minnesota Vikings as much of a home advantage as the Green Bay Packers hold on an icy day at Lambeau Field.

The Vikings aren't apologizing for the manmade help that has put them within one win of their first Super Bowl in 22 years.

"Who cares if it's fair or not. We earned it," running back Leroy Hoard said. "Everybody has

the same opportunity that we had to get home-field advantage. We got it. It's got to be good for something — that noise."

That noise is something the Atlanta Falcons will have to deal with in Sunday's NFC championship game. The Arizona Cardinals couldn't contend with it in the divisional round last weekend.

The racket helped rattle Arizona quarterback Jake Plummer into three turnovers that led to 17 points for the Vikings in their 41-21 victory. The decibel level wasn't the difference for Minnesota — its offense was — but it helped.

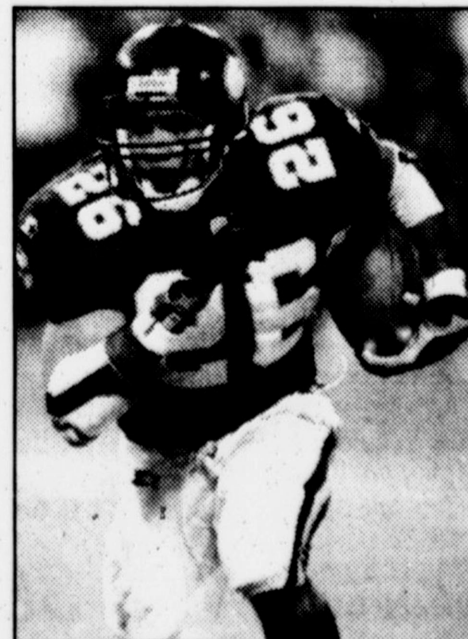
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At one point just before kickoff, Cardinals tackle Lomas Brown and some teammates tried to communicate by screaming while standing next to each other. They couldn't hear.

Neither could Hoard nor Robert Smith, who were side by side on the Vikings' side of the field. Plummer said there were times during the game when he couldn't hear offensive coordinator Marc Trestman, who was speaking directly into his helmet from the coaches booth via microphone.

"(The) crowd was a big part of it," Atlanta coach Dan Reeves said of Minnesota's victory Sunday. "(It) gave Arizona a lot of problems early in the game. Those are the type of things we've got to be ready to deal with. You can't change them. They're going to be there."

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Robert Smith and the Minnesota Vikings hope to silence the Atlanta Falcons with the aid of the noise of the Metrodome in Sunday's NFC title game.

AP File Photo

## Area Happenings

### Golf tournament scheduled

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.

### NCA teams beat St. Andrews

From staff reports

Nazarene Christian Academy got 11 points each from Charlie Henson and Jenna Urbanczyk Tuesday night, routing Amarillo St. Andrews 42-12 in girls junior high basketball at NCA Gymnasium.

Callie Hansard and Lauren Torbert each added six points for

the Lady Eagles (10-4). In boys action, also Tuesday night in Hereford, NCA posted a 44-27 win over St. Andrews.

Esrail Silva led the Eagles with 11 points. Teel Merrick added 10 and Josh Casey had eight points for NCA (12-2).

The NCA teams will host Lubbock Christ the King Tuesday at NCA Gymnasium.

### Draft

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Up to two — and possibly none — of those players could be taken by Cleveland on Feb. 9. The Browns will stock its roster with between 30 and 42 players from a pool of 150 offered by the existing 30 teams. Should the Browns choose one Cowboy, Dallas would be able to protect one of the remaining four on the list.

Often-burned and eventually benched cornerback Kevin Smith was a somewhat surprising omission, as were expensive veterans such as tight end Eric

Bjornson and linebacker Fred Strickland. All seemed more likely choices than the popular Johnston.

Agent Leigh Steinberg said he and Johnston were surprised when Jones called Tuesday morning to discuss his plans, but they understood the economics behind the decision. Johnston is scheduled to have a \$1.65 million salary impact next season.

"Daryl was sort of given a choice: cut his salary dramatically or put him on the list," Steinberg said. "Essentially, it was made clear that it was an economic issue."

### Mascot

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the scandal was taking a toll. David Johnson, the SLOC executive vice president forced to resign Friday because of his prominent role in the bid process, attacked a TV crew on his doorstep Monday.

"Get off my property!" Johnson yelled at Remi Barron, a reporter for KSTU, and cameraman Charlie Ehlert.

"We're leaving," Ehlert said. Johnson then grabbed a microphone from Barron, kicked Ehlert and took his camera,

according to the station, which showed part of the struggle.

"Dave right from the start was very angry and belligerent," news director Geoff Roth said Tuesday. "Remi would have left. Instead, Dave physically attacked our crew."

Johnson, who apologized to the crew as it was leaving, has an unlisted phone number and could not be reached for comment. His wife, Kimberly Johnson, on leave from her news position at a rival station, returned the camera moments later and no charges were filed.

### Level

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The Whitefaces' lead in the dual wouldn't last long. Randall took the next three matches by forfeit and went up 18-3.

Hereford's only other victory of the night wouldn't come until the 180-pound match. Paul Estrada pinned Randall's Adam Cossabone at the 2:56 mark.

Estrada controlled the match and only surrendered a takedown in the second period. Estrada got a quick takedown on Cossabone 14 seconds into the first period, rolling Cossabone over, but was forced to settle for a 3-point near fall at the end of the first period.

Estrada got another chance to stick Cossabone in the second period and this time wasn't stopped by the clock. Estrada converted a reversal at the 1:26 mark into a pin 22 seconds later.

The difference between Randall and Hereford, according to Dominguez, essentially came down to aggressiveness.

"We were somewhat passive," he said. "We're still thinking about moves at some times in some matches. They're just taking it to you, reacting and going hard."

The Randall steamroller

claimed the Whitefaces' Javier Alonzo for the first time this season. Alonzo had been unbeaten in 15 matches against Texas individuals entering his 135-pound match with the Raiders' Ryan Johnson.

Both wrestlers spent much of the first minute on their feet sizing each other up before Alonzo got a takedown with 1:06 remaining. Alonzo then rode Johnson until an escape at the first period ended.

Johnson owned the second and third periods, outscoring Alonzo 8-1 before getting a fall at the 5:27 mark.

"Javier Alonzo made just a few mistakes," Dominguez said. "(Johnson) just moved from Dumas. He'd been in that program for a long time, so he knows what it's going to take."

Dominguez was more interested in how the Whitefaces wrestled rather than the final score. Against a loaded Raider squad, it wasn't a close dual he was necessarily looking for.

"We wrestled well, we just came up on the short end," Dominguez said. "It's more about learning to get to that next level. I think that's what was good for us."

### Thunderdome

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The most annoying, and some say most disrupting part of the dome noise, is the roar through the speaker system. The Vikings blast heavy metal music and other canned noise into the arena to help whip the fans into a frenzy.

The Packers complained loudly about the piped-in noise after their 28-14 loss at the dome Nov. 22. Their biggest beef was about on-field speakers the Vikings say they use to channel the music to the cheerleaders.

Vikings vice president of business operations Rand Gottlieb contends the team stays within league rules for stadium noise, including turning off all artificial sound when the opposing offense breaks the huddle.

But that's when the fans take over, with 64,000 screaming as the quarterback slips behind center. That's helped the Vikings (16-1) go 9-0 at home this season, winning by an average score of 36-13. They are 11-point favorites against the Falcons.

"With the loudspeakers and crowd noise, our communication was messed up all day," Arizona

center Aaron Graham said. "It was almost non-existent. It forced us into trying things we haven't tried before."

That's the dome-field advantage, something the Minnesota Twins used to win World Series titles in 1987 and 1991. No dome team ever has made it to the Super Bowl, but Sunday's matchup guarantees one finally will.

Thanks to their enthusiastic fans, the Falcons (15-2) enjoyed a similar edge against San Francisco last weekend at the Georgia Dome. Now they'll feel what it's like to be in what Vikings owner Red McCombs calls the noisiest stadium in the NFL.

And the Vikings aren't concerned with what anyone thinks of that advantage.

"You want me to feel sorry for it?" Hoard said. "I don't."

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**Sign-up Deadline:** Friday, January 15, 1999 at 3:00 pm

**Starting Date:** Games will be played on Sundays starting at 1:00 pm. First game will be Sunday, January 17th.

**Entry Fee:** \$290.00 per team (Teams will not be entered until fee is turned in)

**Uniforms:** Teams must provide their own Team Shirts.

**Unsportsmanlike Conduct Penalties:**

- 1) 1 warning, 2nd one out of the game
- 2) 2nd time out of the game and out of the league
- 3) Cheapshots or undercutting or any unnecessary play that could cause serious injury shall result in immediate ejection from the game. (Consumption of alcohol will not be tolerated)

Rosters will be available at game site. Individual players must have name on roster and be properly registered with their team before playing. As soon as a player participates in a league game they shall be deemed as starting the season. There will be no grace period. Team may start with 3 players, if they are not present then it will be called as a forfeit. Anytime players on the court or on the bench join an altercation that team/teams shall forfeit.

Teams arriving without enough players to field a team may enlist temporary substitutes in order to field a team. The game will be a forfeit but this will allow those present the enjoyment of playing. If there is an odd number of teams, one team will play twice on game day. Intentional foul will be 2 free shots and ball out of bounds.

If you have questions please call the YMCA at... 364-6990

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ENTERTAINMENT

# O.J. prosecutor squaring off against Stallone brothers

LOS ANGELES — Christopher Darden is squaring off against Rambo.

Darden, who was a prosecutor in O.J. Simpson's criminal trial, is representing DEM Productions Inc. and FM Entertainment in a \$50 million countersuit against Sylvester and Frank Stallone.

Sylvester Stallone, star of the "Rocky" and "Rambo" movies, claims in a \$20 million breach of contract lawsuit that DEM promoted his six-minute cameo in "The Good Life" as a starring role.

His brother, Frank, star of the gangster movie, filed his own lawsuit claiming the film company failed to pay him or provide a dressing room or transportation.

DEM's countersuit alleged Frank Stallone made death threats against cast and crew members and that his brother tried to sabotage the production by failing to appear for his last day of filming.

"This is a case of David vs. Goliath," Darden said in a statement released Tuesday. "They're determined to crush this little film company and put them out of business for no reason."

Stallone's lawyer, Marty Singer, called the allegations "pure nonsense."

### John Kennedy Jr.

NEW YORK — John Kennedy Jr. has a new second-in-command at his magazine, *George*.

Richard Blow is *George's* new executive editor, the magazine announced Tuesday.

"Richard brings experience and energy to *George*

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magazine's mission of enlivening politics and engaging people in the political process," said Kennedy, *George's* president and editor in chief.

Blow joined the political magazine when it was launched by Kennedy in 1995 and served both as its senior editor and Washington Affairs editor.

He succeeds Elizabeth Mitchell, who cited "creative differences" in resigning on Friday.

### Whoopi Goldberg

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. — Whoopi Goldberg is pumped for her next big deal: the host of the Academy Awards ceremony on March 21.

Goldberg will be taking over the job from popular six-time host Billy Crystal, the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences announced Tuesday.

"Who would have thought that I would be hosting the last Oscar telecast of the century? It's a huge deal," Goldberg said.

Crystal, who won an Emmy for his work on last year's show, reportedly decided last week he didn't want to be the host of this year's show.

Goldberg earned Emmy nominations for her work as host of the Academy Awards shows in 1994 and 1996.

"The audience adores Whoopi," said Oscar producer Gil Cates.

### Max Baer

RENO, Nev. — Jethro himself went to the City Council and defended his big idea for a hotel-casino with a "Beverly Hillbillies" theme, complete with a huge flame-shooting derrick.

Max Baer, who played Jethro Bodine on the 1960s TV comedy "The Beverly Hillbillies," got the go-ahead Tuesday to proceed with his \$130 million project. The vote was 4-3.

Baer, 61, insisted on his original plan, which includes putting up a huge marquee with a flame-shooting 240-foot derrick, features that critics said would be an embarrassment to the city.

The council already had approved the project without the marquee, but Baer threatened he'd take the project elsewhere if he didn't get the derrick.

Baer said it will bring a recognizable landmark to the city.

"Paris has the Eiffel Tower. Seattle has the Space Needle," Baer said. "The Eiffel Tower gets 30 percent more visitors than the Louvre even with all those famous paintings. Why? It's obvious. It's huge."

### Dustin Hoffman

LOS ANGELES — Dustin Hoffman testified that *Los Angeles Magazine* turned him into an unpaid fashion model by running a computer-altered photograph of him wearing a dress.

Hoffman, star of the 1982 cross-dressing comedy "Tootsie," contends in a \$5 million lawsuit he didn't give

the magazine permission to use his picture in an advertisement with the words: "Dustin Hoffman isn't a drag in a butter-colored silk gown by Richard Tyler and Ralph Lauren heels."

"If I were to be asked to be a model selling clothes, it would be worth millions of dollars," Hoffman testified.

The actor sued Fairchild Publications Inc., owner and publisher of the magazine, and its parent Capital Cities/ABC

Inc., in April 1997, alleging violation of publicity rights.

### Linda Tripp

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. — Linda Tripp, everyone's favorite best friend, heads Mr. Blackwell's annual list of the worst-dressed women.

Her look makes her "the 'Starr' of her very own 'Stylegate,'" the former fashion designer said.

Madonna, a favorite Blackwell target, was second

("Mama Madonna has become a neo-Gothic fright") and Kate Winslet was third ("Her wardrobe should have gone down with the Titanic") on Blackwell's 39th annual list.

Carmen Electra, wife of cross-dressing basketball bad boy Dennis Rodman, was No. 4.

The rest of the list, in descending order: Courtney Love, Mariah Carey, Marisa Tomei, Sigourney Weaver, Sandra Bullock and Alex Kingston.

# Television

## WEDNESDAY JANUARY 13

6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
News	Ent. Tonight	Dateline	Dateline	TBA	Law & Order	News	(35) Tonight Show	News	(35) Tonight Show	News
Movie: Wish Upon a Star	Katherine Heigl	(35) Movie: Angels in the Endzone	Movie: A Place for Annie (1994)	Sissy Spacek	Movie: Sissy Spacek	Movie: Sissy Spacek	Movie: Sissy Spacek	Movie: Sissy Spacek	Movie: Sissy Spacek	Movie: Sissy Spacek
Roseanne	Roseanne	(05) National Geographic Explorer	(05) Wild! Life Adventures	(05) Animal ER	(05) Animal ER	(05) Animal ER	(05) Animal ER	(05) Animal ER	(05) Animal ER	(05) Animal ER
News	Fortune	Dharma	Two Guys	Drew Carey	Who?	20/20	News	Seinfeld	Nightline	Nightline
Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Dawson's Creek	Charmed	News	MacGyver	News	MacGyver	News	MacGyver	News
Mad	Simpsons	Beverly Hills, 90210	Party of Five	Simpsons	M*A*S*H	Frasier	Cops	Real TV	Real TV	Real TV
College Basketball	Duke at Wake Forest	College Basketball	Maryland at North Carolina	College Basketball	Maryland at North Carolina	College Basketball	Maryland at North Carolina	College Basketball	Maryland at North Carolina	College Basketball
(5:30) Movie: Napoleon	G	Movie: Original Gangstas	Fred Williamson	Movie: Polson Ivy: The New Seduction	Red Shoe	Movie: Polson Ivy: The New Seduction	Red Shoe	Movie: Polson Ivy: The New Seduction	Red Shoe	Movie: Polson Ivy: The New Seduction
Movie: Mars Attacks!	Movie: The Devil's Own (1997)	Harrison Ford, Brad Pitt	Movie: Mars Attacks!	Movie: The Devil's Own (1997)	Harrison Ford, Brad Pitt	Movie: Mars Attacks!	Movie: The Devil's Own (1997)	Harrison Ford, Brad Pitt	Movie: Mars Attacks!	Movie: The Devil's Own (1997)
Movie: Picture Perfect	Movie: Boys on the Side	Whoopi Goldberg	Movie: Picture Perfect	Movie: Boys on the Side	Whoopi Goldberg	Movie: Picture Perfect	Movie: Boys on the Side	Whoopi Goldberg	Movie: Picture Perfect	Movie: Boys on the Side
Movie: Two-Milwaukee	Movie: Jailhouse Rock (1957)	Elvis Presley	Movie: Two-Milwaukee	Movie: Jailhouse Rock (1957)	Elvis Presley	Movie: Two-Milwaukee	Movie: Jailhouse Rock (1957)	Elvis Presley	Movie: Two-Milwaukee	Movie: Jailhouse Rock (1957)
Waltons	Women of Country	Prime Time Country	Crook & Chase Tonight	Dallas	Dukes	Wild Discovery	Casino Tech	Discover Magazine	Empire State Building	Casino Tech
Law & Order	Biography	American Justice	Poirtot	Law & Order	Biography	Party of Five	Chicago Hope	Movie: The Bachelor's Baby (1996)	Scott Bakula	Attitudes
Last Word	Sports	Women's College Basketball	Texas Tech at Texas A&M	Hardcore Football	FOX Sports News	ER	Movie: Purgatory (1999)	Eric Roberts, Randy Quaid	Movie: The Shadow Riders (1982)	Tom Selleck
Doug	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	Strange	Brady	Wonder Yrs.	Happy Days	Laverne	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	M.T. Moore
Xena: Warrior Princess	Walker, Texas Ranger	Movie: Mobsters (1991)	Christian Slater	Movie: Mobsters (1991)	Christian Slater	Gotita de Amor	La Usurpadora	Mentira	El Super Blablazo	P. Impacto
20th Century	Pyramids of Giza	Arms in Action	Modern Marvels	Weapons at War	Akhenaten	Animal Crt	AnimalDr	Emergency	AnimalDr	Emergency

# COMICS

### The Wizard of Id

By Brant Parker & Johnny Hart



### Marvin

By Tom Armstrong



### Barney Google and Snuffy Smith

By Fred Lasswell



### Beetle Bailey

By Mort Walker



### Blondie

By Dean Young & Stan Drake



## THURSDAY JANUARY 14

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	Puzzle Place	Barney	Teletubbies	Reading	Mr Rogers	Cooking	Cooking
Bad Dog	Bobby	Work	700 Club	Lezza	Sunset Beach	Judge Lane	News	Days-Lives	Days-Lives	Days-Lives
Today	101Dalmats	Sing a Story	Pooh	Bear	Out of Bx	Madeline	Katie-Orbie	Pool	Bear	Bear
Hillbillies	Hillbillies	Little House on the Prairie	Little House on the Prairie	Griffith	Griffith	Matlock	Matlock	Hunter	Hunter	Hunter
Good Morning America	Good Morning America	Live -- Regis & Kathie Lee	The View	Howie Mandel	News	Tiny Toon	Animanians	PinkyBrain	Histeria!	Batman
This Morning	SpyDogs	Garfield	Hercules	Ricki Lake	Price is Right	Young and the Restless	News	Angel	Angel	Angel
Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter
Movie: It's Only Money	Jerry Lewis	Movie: Rough Cut (1980)	Burt Reynolds, David Niven	Movie: Harry and Son	Paul Newman	Movie: Home Alone 3	Alex D. Linz	PG	(45) Movie: The Neverending Story	Noah Hathaway
(6:30) Movie: Ode to Billy Joe	PG	Movie: Father Hood	Patrick Swayze	(15) Movie: Teen Wolf	Michael J. Fox	Movie: Man of Iron	(1935)	(15) Movie: A Night at the Ritz	(1935)	Movie: Polo Joe
Paid Prog	Paid Prog	Club Dance	Crook & Chase	Dallas	Aleene's Creative Living	McMillan and Wife	Designing	Interior	Interior	Interior
Designing	Designing	Next Door	Attitudes	Party of Five	Chicago Hope	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing
Sports	Sports	Sports	Fit TV Glad	Health	Paid Prog	Paid Prog	Paid Prog	Paid Prog	Paid Prog	Paid Prog
CHiPs	Bodies of Evidence	In the Heat of the Night	Movie: The River (1984)	Mei Gibson, Sissy Spacek	Movie: Home Alone 3	Alex D. Linz	PG	(45) Movie: The Neverending Story	Noah Hathaway	Don't-Die
Rocko's Life	Rugrats	CharlieB	Blue's Clues	Franklin	Gullah	Busy World	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Eureka	Eureka
Videos	Videos	Foxworthy	Something	Single Guy	Boston	Wings	Wings	Silk Stalkings	Highlander	Highlander
(6:00) Despierta America	Real West	Movie: We Dive at Dawn (1943)	Eric Portman	Air Combat	Berlin	Nature	Acorn	Pet Con.	Pet Con.	Pet Con.
12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
Body Elec.	Alexander	Art	Sherlock	Sherlock	Sherlock	Zoom	Science Guy	Wishbone	Arthur	Arthur
Menace	Casper	Ghostbstrs	Candy	Eek!stravag	Bad Dog	Walter M.	3 Friends	Pee-wee	Addams	Show-Funny
Days-Lives	Another World	Donny & Marie	Maury	Oprah Winfrey	News	NBC News	NBC News	NBC News	NBC News	NBC News
Amazing	101Dalmats	Goof Troop	Timon	Aladdin	Dinosaurs	GrowPains	Off the Wall	Mad Libs	GrowPains	Brotherly
Hunter	Movie: Perry Mason	The Case of the Defiant Daughter	Mama	Mama	Full House	Full House	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.
Jeopardy!	One Life to Live	General Hospital	Rosie O'Donnell	Brown	Full House	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	ABC News	ABC News
News	Empty Nest	Empty Nest	Coach	Coach	Webster	Charles	Saved-Bell	Blossom	Full House	Full House
Bold & B.	As the World Turns	Guiding Light	Roseanne Show	Hollywood	Edition	News	CBS News	CBS News	CBS News	CBS News
Angel	Forgive or Forget	Little House on the Prairie	Spider-Man	Hercules	Rangers	Knights	Nanny	Grace Under	Grace Under	Grace Under
Arete	Swimming World Cup	Snowmobile Racing	SuperBowl	SuperBowl	SuperBowl	Up Close	Sportsctr	Sportsctr	Sportsctr	Sportsctr
Movie: My Magic Dog	Bryan Mendez	Movie: Shadow Zone: My Teacher	(45) Movie: Going Ape!	Tony Danza	PG	(45) Movie: Addams Family	Anjelica Huston	Movie: And the Band Played On (1993)	Matthew Modine, Alan Alda	(15) Movie: Home Alone 3
(12:00) Movie: Speed 2	Cruise Control	Movie: Hot to Trot	Bob Goldthwait	PG	Movie: The Beautician and the Beast	Movie: Vegas Vacation	Movie: Blackwell's Island	(45) Movie: Hot Money (1936)	Movie: I Take This Woman (1940)	Spencer Tracy
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Waltons	America's Country Hits	Crook & Chase	Club Dance	Dukes of Hazzard	Dallas	Home	Design	Gimme Shelter	New House	Fix-It-Line
Law & Order	McMillan and Wife	Intimate Portrait	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing
(12:00) Movie: Donor	(1990)	Intimate Portrait	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing	Designing
Ultimate	Italian Soccer Teams to Be Announced	This Is the PGA Tour	Golf	Local Action	Extremists	Ultimate	Ultimate	Ultimate	Ultimate	Ultimate
Movie: River	Kung Fu	Kung Fu: Legend	Babylon 5	Lois & Clark-Superman	Due South	Movie: River	Kung Fu	Kung Fu: Legend	Babylon 5	Lois & Clark-Superman
Alegra	Looney	Tiny Toon	Looney	Tiny Toon	Doug	Rocko's Life	Catdog	All That	Figure It Out	Alex Mack
Highlander	Movie: Mobsters (1991)	Christian Slater	Baywatch	Saved-Bell	USA High	Hercules-Jrns.	Rencor	La Mujer de Mi Vida	Gordo	El Blablazo
20th Century	Pyramids of Giza	Arms in Action	Modern Marvels	Trains Unlimited	Pyramids	Pyramids	Pyramids	Pyramids	Pyramids	Pyramids
Animal Crt	AnimalDr	Emergency	AnimalDr	Emergency	Rescues	Wildlife	AnimalDr	Emergency	AnimalDr	Emergency

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Movie: Pippi Longstocking	G	Movie: The Hunchback of Notre Dame	Growing	Growing	Movie: Wacky Zoo	Zorro	Movie: Wacky Zoo	Zorro	Movie: Wacky Zoo	Zorro
Roseanne	Roseanne	(05) WCW Thunder	(05) WCW Thunder	(05) Movie: Bad Boys (1982)	Sean Penn	WCW	News	Seinfeld	Nightline	Nightline
Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Wayans	Jamie Foxx	Harvey	For-Love	News	MacGyver	News	MacGyver	News
Mad	Simpsons	Wildcat Police Videos	Fox Files	Simpsons	M*A*S*H	Frasier	Cops	Real TV	Real TV	Real TV
Sportsctr	PGA Golf Sony Open - First Round	College Basketball	Cincinnati at North Carolina-Charlotte	Sportsctr	Basketball	(5:15) Movie: Calendar Girl	Movie: A Low Down Dirty Shame	Movie: Silver	(1993) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin	Movie: Silver
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Movie: Vegas Vacation	Movie: Sunset Impact	Clint Eastwood	Movie: Wounded Madchen Amick	Movie: Forbidden II	Movie: Time Place & Girl	Movie: Caged (1950)	Eleanor Parker	Movie: So Young, So Bad (1950)	Paul Henreid	Movie: So Young, So Bad (1950)
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Waltons	Life of the Judys	Prime Time Country	Anne Murray	Dallas	Dukes	Wild Discovery	Fireworks!	Into the Unknown	Fireworks!	Planet
Law & Order	Biography	Unexplained	Poirtot	Law & Order	Biography	Party of Five	Chicago Hope	Movie: Hit and Run (1999)	Margaret Colin, Lisa Vidal	Attitudes
Last Word	Sports	Between the Madness	Sports	College Basketball	California at UCLA	ER	Movie: A River Runs Through It (1992)	Craig Sheffer, Brad Pitt	(45) Movie: The River (1984)	Mei Gibson
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GOP: White House attempts to embarrass impeachment figure

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republicans suggested Tuesday that the White House may be involved in Hustler magazine publisher Larry Flynt's efforts to brand Georgia Rep. Bob Barr — one of the House impeachment managers — as a hypocrite for his past personal conduct.

"If that's the best he can do, the White House ought to get another agent," said Rep. John Linder, R-Ga., a former chairman of the National Republican Campaign Committee.

White House spokesman Joe Lockhart said Republicans should produce evidence or "knock it off."

Republican National Committee Chairman Jim Nicholson said James Carville, one of President Clinton's longtime supporters, may be linked to Flynt's attempt to use legal proceedings from Barr's 1986 divorce to embarrass him just days before he's scheduled to help present the House case against Clinton in his Senate impeachment trial.

Lockhart denied any White House link to Flynt. "That's an absolutely baseless charge," he said. "And at some point, there ought to be a price to pay for making baseless charges and practicing the politics of innuendo."

Flynt released a Jan. 8 affidavit from Barr's former wife — the publisher admits he paid her for the affidavit — in which she says she believes he was having an affair in the mid-1980s with a woman who is now his present wife. She based the allegation largely on 1986 depositions from Barr and his present wife in which both refused to answer questions about their relationship.

U.S. warplanes attack Iraqi positions

WASHINGTON — American warplanes patrolling the "no-fly" zone over northern Iraq attacked several surface-to-air missile installations today after being targeted by Iraqi radar, U.S. officials said. Initial reports said at least one Iraqi missile was fired but missed the U.S. planes.

The U.S. Air Force F-15 and F-16 attack planes encountered Iraqi radar at five or more air-defense sites at about the same time. They fired high-speed anti-radiation missiles and AGM-130 precision guided munitions in response, and early indications were that two AGM-130s scored direct hits, U.S. officials said.

The incidents underscored an increasingly aggressive Iraqi challenge to the "no-fly" zones enforced by American and British planes in northern and southern Iraq. President Saddam Hussein has nearly doubled the number of surface-to-air missile batteries in the restricted flight zones and has been using them with increasing frequency to threaten allied pilots, U.S. officials said Tuesday.

Welfare reform

WASHINGTON — The Supreme Court is considering whether states, fearful that migrating welfare recipients will drain their treasuries, can pay newcomers lower benefits than they pay other residents.

In designing its welfare reform plan, California — like at least 14 other states — opted to pay new residents

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who sign up for welfare only as much as they would have received in their former states.

After hearing arguments today, the court is expected to decide by July whether states can pay different benefits depending on how long someone has lived in the state. At issue is the constitutionally protected right to travel in a case that may indicate the court's attitude toward congressional efforts to give states more and more control over social policy.

Welfare advocates protest that the law unfairly penalizes people who move to California never intending to go onto welfare but find themselves in financial trouble nonetheless. They point to a worker who might come to the state for a job and then be laid off, or a mother who might come to live with her family after fleeing a violent boyfriend.

Under the policy, new residents may be stuck with California's high cost of living but meager benefits offered in their former homes, they say.

California pays a family of four \$673 per month; Mississippi, at the bottom of the benefit barrel, pays \$144.

Welfare advocates argue

that citizens have a fundamental right to choose where they live and a state "may not select its citizens."

Vision correction

ROCKVILLE, Md. — Some 20 million nearsighted Americans may soon be able to get tiny, transparent rings implanted onto their corneas to help them see better, maybe perfectly, without glasses or contact lenses.

The government is considering whether to let KeraVision Inc.'s Intacs sell as an alternative to highly popular eye surgery. The key difference: While eye surgery is permanent, the implants' effects seem reversible in most cases because they don't destroy the eye tissue.

"There's no eraser at the end of a laser," noted Dr. Marian Macsai, an ophthalmologist at West Virginia University. "This is removable — take it out" if there's a problem.

Macsai and fellow advisers to the Food and Drug Administration voted unanimously Tuesday that Intacs — transparent crescents about as thick as contact lenses that form a ring around the edge of the cornea — should be sold.

But they stressed that patients must be warned that removing the implants usu-

ally, but not always, helps if patients suffer side effects or are dissatisfied with their resulting vision.

"It's largely reversible," said panel chairman Dr. James McCulley of the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center. But "it's not an absolute certainty."

Disability benefits

WASHINGTON — President Clinton is proposing a new \$2 billion, five-year budget package meant to help tens of thousands of disabled Americans return to work through a combination of health coverage, tax credits and better rehabilitation services.

Advocates say that health coverage — the largest piece of the package — is the No. 1 barrier that prevents people with disabilities from returning to the workplace. Often they find jobs that do not offer health insurance coverage, and often their disabilities make it extraordinarily expensive to buy coverage on their own.

Clinton plans a White House ceremony today to endorse legislation on health benefits being introduced next week by Sens. James Jeffords, R-Vt., and Edward Kennedy, D-Mass., administration and congressional officials said.

"A major obstacle will be removed from the fulfillment of every disabled person's dream to work, live independently and be a contributing member of society," Kennedy said in a statement.

Ag day

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dustry, Beef and Dairy industry, farm implements companies and the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department work as an ag-promotional leadership group to deliver the day's events.

The sessions had something for everyone, from the production of meat and milk to how electricity has changed the lives of rural inhabitants to how wildlife benefits agriculture.

Students learned through technology many everyday products — plastic wrap, deodorant, and cleaners, to name just a few — come from ag-related sources.

"It's important for the kids to know the impact agriculture has on our lives," said Schlabs. "Through this day they can get a feel for just how much ag does for the world in general."

This was the second year for the Agriculture in the Classroom Day and the sponsors — Deaf Smith and Oldham Farm bureaus, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce, Texas Agrifood Masters and the school district are already planning for next year's event.

Ernie Eckert of the HSD said the traveling dairy van has to be booked nearly a year in advance, others will need to be booked at least by September.

Chamber banquet speaker named

Tumbleweed Smith will bring the "Sound of Texas" to this year's Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce awards banquet.

Smith, who is host of the syndicated radio show, "The Sound of Texas," will be the keynote speaker at the annual awards banquet.

The banquet will be Feb. 18 in the banquet hall of the Hereford Independent School District Administration Build-

ing, 601 N. 25 Mile Ave.

The chamber's banquet will feature the introduction of the Citizen of the Year, sponsored by the Hereford Lions Club, and the Woman of the Year, sponsored by the Women's Division.

The banquet also will feature the introduction of new chamber officers and directors.

Tickets for the banquet are \$15 per person and must be purchased in advance because

seating is limited to 525.

Tickets will go on sale Feb. 1.

Smith has been interviewing residents of the Lone Star State since 1969 when he started his daily syndicated radio show, "The Sound of Texas."

For his syndicated program, the Big Spring resident uses the taped interviews to create an audio tapestry of Texas.

ENMU names new admissions director

SPECIAL TO THE BRAND PORTALES, N.M. — Douglas Dobbins has been admissions director at Eastern New Mexico University.

Dobbins came to ENMU in September 1997 as director of recruiting. Between 1995 and 1997, he had been coordinator of enrollment development at College of Mount St. Joseph. He also served as admissions director at the Art

Academy of Cincinnati, 1988-95.

In making the announcement of Dobbins' promotion, Gordon Mack, ENMU vice president for student affairs,

said, "For the past year, Doug has led our recruiting efforts in New Mexico and Texas. This change in assignment will allow him to coordinate the entire admissions program and provide the nec-

essary training and in-service to staff.

"Our goal is to make admissions a highly efficient and user-friendly office under (his) leadership."

Dobbins received a bachelor's of science in education from the

University of Cincinnati in 1986, and is working on his master's degree in communication at ENMU.

Spring registration scheduled Friday at ENMU

SPECIAL TO THE BRAND PORTALES, N.M. — Eastern New Mexico University will conduct regular registration Friday.

Classes will begin Tuesday, following Monday's observance of the Martin Luther King

Day holiday.

The last day for late registration is Jan. 25.

Spring break will begin at 5 p.m. March 19, with classes resuming March 29. The semester will end May 14, with commencement set for 10 a.m.

May 15.

For more information about registration, call:

The Registrar's Office at 505-562-2175 or 1-800-FOR-ENMU. The university's web address is <http://www.enmu.edu>.

Impeach

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to spend as little time thinking about that as possible and as much time working on the issues we're here to discuss.

"They have their job to do in the Senate and I have mine and I intend to do it," he said.

The president indicated he has no plans to address the impeachment matter in his State of the Union speech Jan. 19. "I think the American people have heard about that quite extensively and my instinct is I should do my business," he said.

The 130-page brief offered a preview of the case that Clinton's attorneys will present in defending him against perjury and obstruction of justice charges in the Senate impeachment trial.

House officials are suggesting the impeachment case will be prosecuted like a conspiracy, alleging that the president schemed to keep Monica Lewinsky from revealing their extramarital affair and ultimately plotted to ruin her reputation.

The efforts will move from written pages to the Senate

chamber Thursday when the House opens its presentation. There, television cameras will show Americans their first live presidential impeachment trial and record the proceedings for history.

"The Senate has an obligation to turn away an unwise and unwarranted misuse of the awesome power of impeachment," the president's lawyers said in their brief today. "If the Senate removes this president for a wrongful relationship he hoped to keep private, for what will the House ask the Senate to remove the next president and the next?"

The brief said that removing Clinton on the basis of the allegations facing him would "substantially alter the delicate constitutional balance" of power among the branches of government and "move us closer to a quasi-parliamentary system in which the president is elected to office by the choice of the people but continues in office only at the pleasure of Congress."

"It is not simply the president — but the vote the Ameri-

can people rendered in schools, church halls and other civic centers all across the land 26 months ago — that is hanging in the balance," the lawyers said.

The brief did not present new evidence. Instead, White House officials described it as the most comprehensive and detailed presentation to date about Clinton's case.

The lawyers argued that the articles of impeachment against Clinton "fall far short of what the American people demand be shown and proven before their democratic choice is reversed." And in a slap at Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr and the House impeachment team, the brief said the charges "fall far short of what a prudent prosecutor would require before presenting a case to a judge or jury."

In an effort to show a scheme to conceal the relationship and eventually destroy Ms. Lewinsky's reputation and credibility, the prosecutors plan to weave together conduct including: searching for a job for the

former intern, hiding gifts she exchanged with Clinton, having her sign a false affidavit in the Paula Jones sexual harassment case against the president, possibly coaching presidential secretary Betty Currie and the president's making comments to aides that portrayed Ms. Lewinsky as the aggressor.

On Dec. 5, 1997, lawyers representing Mrs. Jones placed Ms. Lewinsky on a potential witness list at a time her five-month job search had gone nowhere.

On Dec. 11 presidential friend Vernon Jordan, who had met with Ms. Lewinsky the previous month but produced no job contacts, began calling corporate executives and obtained interviews.

Prosecutors also planned to link the stepped-up search to a Dec. 11 order from the Jones trial judge, who ruled Mrs. Jones was entitled to information on any state or federal employee who had had sexual relations with Clinton.

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# Gramm, after blocking banking overhaul, now pushing it

WASHINGTON (AP) — Last October Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, displayed a lone senator's power by blocking legislation to tear down Depression-era barriers between financial industries. Now that he's the new chairman of the Senate Banking Committee, he's making such a bill his highest priority.

Gramm's shift, however, comes with a condition. He



Gramm insisted Tuesday that something must be done about banks being forced to make "kickbacks and bribes" to activist groups, a practice he says is the result of community lending laws.

With the defeat in November of Sen. Alfonse D'Amato,

R-N.Y., the banking panel's former chairman, proponents of the sweeping legislation had feared Gramm's takeover could bring its demise. The legislation, which D'Amato had strongly pushed, would remove regulatory walls between the banking, securities and insurance industries and let them get more deeply into each other's businesses. Gramm's opposition to the

1977 community lending laws led him to block the financial overhaul legislation in the Senate's waning days last fall. In his first public statements on banking issues since becoming chairman, Gramm appeared to soften his earlier insistence on a repeal of the lending laws, which require financial institutions to lend to the poor and minorities in their neighborhoods.

At the same time, though, Gramm said lawmakers need to come up with a "temporary solution" to what he sees as a menacing problem: banks forced to make payments to community activists in return for the activists dropping their opposition to the banks' proposed mergers with other financial institutions. The practice "is little more than extortion," Gramm said

at a news conference. The best short-term solution, he suggested, would be to bar banks from making cash payments to low-income groups. Laying out his legislative priorities, Gramm said he was determined to act swiftly, aiming for its approval by the Banking Committee by the end of February. That would be an extremely accelerated timetable for the Senate.

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