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HUSTLIN' HEREFORD HOME OF **Gary Owens**

Today's weather

Mostly cloudy skies

Tonight: Mostly cloudy with a 50 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms, lows in the lower 50s, south to southwest winds

Wednesday: A 20 percent chance of morning showers and thunderstorms then becoming partly sunny, highs in the upper 60s, southwest winds 10 to 15 mph. Wednesday night: Partly cloudy, lows 45

Extended forecast

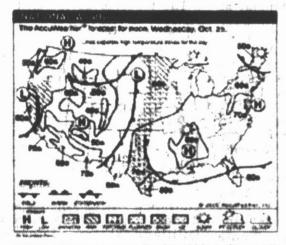
Thursday: Partly cloudy, highs around

Friday: Partly cloudy with a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms, lows around 45, highs around 65.

Saturday: Mostly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms, lows around 45, highs around 65.

 Hereford weather Monday's high, 66; low, 54; 1.03 inches

of precipitation, according to KPAN Radio.



Severe weather hits

Thunderstorms erupted in parts of Texas on Monday, causing some flooded roads and hail the size of pingpong balls. The Panhandle was hit with at least two tornadoes.

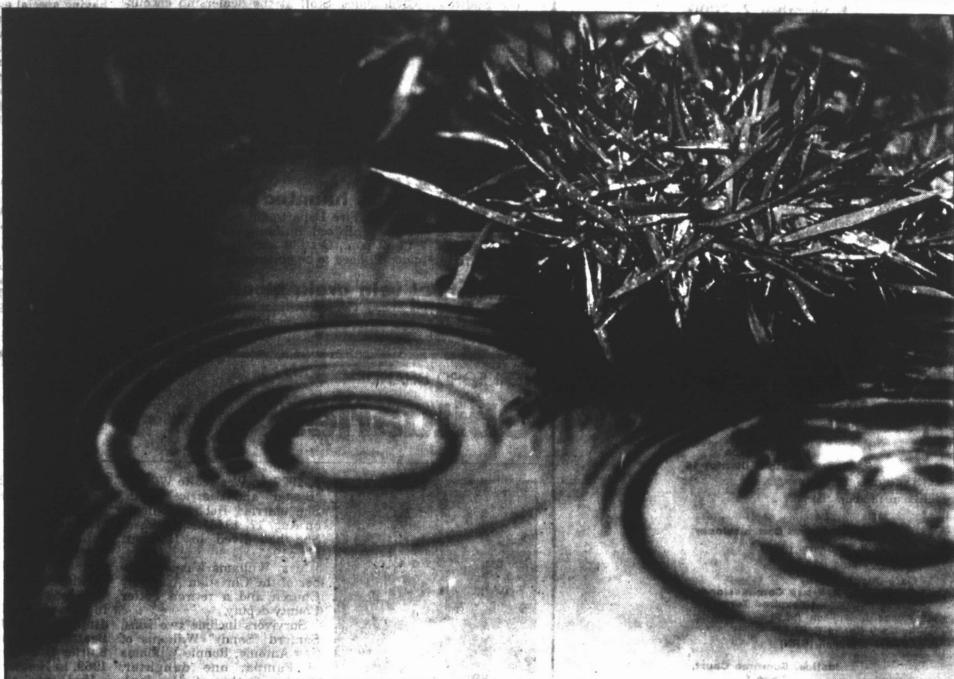
Forecasters said the severe weather probably isn't over yet.

Scattered thunderstorms are expected in parts of North Texas on Tuesday. High temperatures should reach into the upper 70s and lower 80s.

A flash flood warning remains in effect for the Hill Country and south Central Texas through the end of Tuesday. Scattered showers and thunderstorms also are expected along the coastal bend and possibly in deep South Texas.

Most of West Texas also is expected to see heavy rain today. Highs in the Panhandle should only reach into the 60s, but elsewhere high temperatures should be mostly in the 70s.

Heavy rains triggered a flash flood warning on Monday in the Panhandle. Temperatures were mostly in the 60s or



After all, rain has been scarce in the area over the past few months. highs expected to be only in the 60s today.

What is it? — Hereford residents could not be blamed if they were However, 1.03 inches of rain fell Monday afternoon, with more expected trying to figure out what this liquid is that's surrounding a tuft of grass. today and Wednesday. The rain also meant cooler temperatures, with

Committee of cotton, grain producers to work out recommendation on herbicide's restriction

By Donald Cooper

Hereford Brand Managing Editor

The ingredients were in place Monday morning for an explosion that didn't happen. Because of interest in a possible ban on use

of the herbicide 2,4-D during the cotton season, the Deaf Smith County commissioners moved part of their meeting to the third-floor district courtroom, which can hold more people than the commissioners courtroom on the second floor.

Cotton producers are seeking the 2,4-D ban because the herbicide, which is used by grain producers to control weeds, damages cotton plants. Proponents and opponents of the ban attended the commissioners' meeting to express their opinions. Also attending were representatives of the Texas Department of Agriculture and the Texas Extension Service.

Dale Kleuskens of Dawn said his cotton crop was severely damaged by 2,4-D.

"If the system were working, there wouldn't be 2,4-D damage," Kleuskens said. "It's widespread, all across the county. It's a deterrent growing season.

to cotton farming in Deaf Smith County the way the system is working."

The cotton producers are asking the county to ban all products containing 2,4-D (dicholorphenoxyacetic acid) between the end of April and the first of October.

County Judge Tom Simons said the commissioners would like to find a common ground. He suggested the producers meet with representatives of TDA and the extension service to see what could be worked out on the matter.

"Is that possible? You guys are all in the same business, no matter what you're growing," Simons said.

Following further discussion, in which both sides of the issue spoke, Simons asked for volunteers to serve on an ex-officio committee to hammer out a recommendation for the commissioners.

Simons also said the committee doesn't have much time to develop a proposal because it has to be adopted by the county commission by Dec. 31 to become effective in the next

Producers who agreed to serve on the eight-member committee are Ronny Owen. Joe Perrin, Dennis Brown, Mike Brumley, Dick Fellers, Craig Solomon, Clyde Brorman and Harold Sides. Shawn Davis of the agriculture department and Brent Beene of the extension service research station at Bushland agreed to serve as advisers.

According to the state agriculture department, Deaf Smith County already has a prohibition on the use of all butyl ester formulations of 2,4 D and/or all high volatile formulations of 2,4-D between April 15 and Oct. 1 each year. The cotton producers were seeking to expand that ban to all 2,4-D formulations.

In other business, the commissioners: Approved bond for Lucy Lopez, a new employee in the district clerk's office; · Approved a request to install a water line

across a county road in Precinct 1; and · Took no action on the Deaf Smith County Public Library's request to sell old card catalogs. The county had sought bids, but received

Band's performance in eye of beholder

■ Split-decision gives Mighty Maroon Band a disappointing rating

By Jim Stelert

Special to The Brand At least one-third of the judging panel scored the Hereford High School Mighty Maroon Band's playing and marching as superior and worthy of a Division I rating at the Region I UIL Marching Band Contest at Dick Bivins Stadium in Ama-

Unfortunately, scoring is by majority rule in the highly subjective event. Two other judges saw and heard things differently. Their scoring gave the Mighty Maroon Band a Division II "Excellent" rating and handed a young HHS band its second consecutive dose of disappointment.

Judges for Saturday night's marching competition included Rodney Klett of Georgetown, Greg Miller of Iowa Park, and Bill Woods of Abilene.

The same loud, proud, brassy sound of the Mighty Maroon's "Olympic Montage" that brought audiences to their feet at halftime performances at football games and at a Plainview band competition apparently fell on some unappreciative ears when the



Mighty Maroon's performance was evaluated by the panel of judges

Saturday night. Hereford's Mighty Maroon wasn't the only band that had a hard time winning over the majority of the

The Canyon High School band saw its string of consecutive Division I ratings snapped at 32 Saturday night as it received a Division II rating. The Caprock High School Band was

also given a Division II in the AAAA class, and even AAAAA Tascosa High was awarded only a Division II,

The ratings announcements left HHS band members, their directors, parents and band boosters stunned with disappointment at the marks. Band members had worked extra hours for months in preparation for the contest.

HHS Band Director Gary Owens

and his staff met with the 175-member band Monday afternoon to help their young charges get past the disapcourse for the

"We viewed the video of Saturday night's performance and talked about integrity, quality of performance, and handling our individual responsibilities. The kids know they did well Sat-

next few weeks.

urday night, and that's the most important

thing," Owens said.
"We thought we had the caliber of performance to receive a Division I. I'm disappointed for the kids, but certainly not in was that Woods would have prethem. They worked their hearts out ferred the band to play a greater on the program. We made some small mistakes in our program and ran into some tough judges," he said

HHS band members voted by a large majority to continue doing their popular "Olympic Montage" program in coming weeks.

We're thinking maybe we want to

play it even louder," Owens quipped The first-year HHS band director

was clearly puzzled by some of the judges' remarks concerning the pointment and set their Mighty Maroon's performance Saturday night. par-

CC Our future is looking

good musicians coming

up, and they've learned

an important lesson

grated at the top. 99

about what it takes to be

W GARY OWENS,

director, Mighty Maroon Band

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ticularly concerning their level of sound. Woods credited

the HHS performance as a "big open show with audience appeal," but said the Mighty Maroon needed to "work on the finesse connected with the event.

He went on to rate the HHS band as "a bit boisterous" (too loud) and said "lack of dynamic contrasts hurt the show.

Owens' take on those remarks range of sounds, including more soft music.

On his written score sheet, Woods commented that "too many band members were out of step during the performance, and marching instep is a must!"

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Sample only -- This is a sample of the general ballot for the upcoming elections. Early voting began Oct. 23 and will end Nov. 3.

Deaf Smith County GENERAL ELECTION

November 7, 2000 Straight Party

- ☐ Republican (REP)
- ☐ Democratic (DEM)
- ☐ Libertarian (LIB)
- ☐ Green (GRN)

- ☐ George W. Bush/ Dick Cheney (REP)
- ☐ Al Gore/ Joe Liberman (DEM)
- ☐ Harry Browne/ Art Olivier (LIB)
- ☐ Ralph Nader/ Winona LaDuke(GRN)
- ☐ Pat Buchanan/ Ezola Boster (IND)

United States Senator

- ☐ Kay Bailey Hutchison (REP)
- ☐ Gene Kelly (DEM)
- ☐ Mary J. Ruwart (LIB)
- ☐ Douglas S. Sandage (GRN)

United States Representative, District 19

- ☐ Larry Combest (REP)
- ☐ John Turnbow (LIB)

Railroad Commissioner

- ☐ Charles R. Matthews (REP)
- ☐ Carolyn Fields (LIB)
- ☐ Gary Dugger (GRN)

Railroad Commiss **Unexpired Term**

- ☐ Michael L. Williams (REP)
- □ Anthony Garcia (LIB)
- ☐ Charles L Mauch (GRN)

- ☐ Nathan Hecht (REP)
- ☐ Mike Jacobellis (LIB) Ben G. Levy (GRN)
- Justice, Supreme Court, Place 2
- ☐ Priscilla Owen (REP) ☐ Joe Alfred Izen, Jr. (LIB)

At Gonzales (REP

Court of Crim

- ☐ Sharon Keller (REP)

Judge, Court of Criminal

- Charles Holcomb (REP) ☐ Rife Scott Kimler (LIB)
- Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals,Place 2 ☐ Barbara Parker Hervey (REP)
- ☐ William R. Barr (DEM)

State Representative, District 86

☐ John Smithee (REP)

Justice, 7th Court of **Appeals District, Place 1**

☐ Brian Quinn (REP)

Justice, 7th Court of Appeals District, Place 2

Don H. Reavis (REP)

- ☐ Brent Harrison (REP) ☐ Joe C. Brown, Jr. (DEM)
- **County Tax Assessor-Collector**
- ☐ Jeannine Zimmerman (REP) ☐ Teresa Garth (DEM)

County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1

- ☐ Wayne W. Betzen (REP) □ Armando Gonzalez (DEM)

County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3

- ☐ Troy Don Moore (REP)
- Constable, Precinct No. 1 ☐ Bryan Hedrick (REP)

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Local roundup

Stevens collects for food pantry

Stevens Chevrolet will be having special food collection for the Hereford Food Pantry and special guests on election day - The Budweiser Clydesdales. Staff at the dealership encour-age everyone to cast their vote then bring a can of food to help restock the Food Pantry Shelves and see the world famous Clydesdales between 2 and 5 p.m. on Nov. 7.

Blue Water Gardens haunted house

Blue Water Gardens apartments will be sponsoring a haunted house at the corner of Forrest and Whittier. The haunted house will be 7:30-9:30 p.m., Monday through Friday and 7:30-11:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Cost is \$3. Cost on Oct. 30 is \$2 with a coupon. Proceeds go to benefit Christmas Gifts for Kids.

Fire Dept. haunted house

The Hereford Volunteer Fire Department will have its first spook house at the old Fullwood Building, at the corner of Third and Lee., 7 to 10 p.m., Oct. 30 and 31. Cost is \$5 per person. Children under 12 need to be accompanied by an adult.

Annual vein drain blood drive

Coffee Memorial Blood Center will once again be at the Autoplex for its annual vein drain blood drive from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Sat. Oct. 28.

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School n

· Red Ribbon Week ·

Hereford schools will once again participate in the Red Ribbon Week effort to prevent drug abuse. Schools will be having special events each day.

In the elementary schools students are encouraged to put a lid on drugs by wearing a hat on Monday; claim to be to bright for drugs by wearing bright colors on Tuesday; wear red, and dress their favorite teddy bear to show he would not take drugs on Wednesday; dress up as twins on Thursday and wear maroon on Friday.

Junior high and High School students will have the same schedule except no bears on Wednesday.

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· Tierra Blanca ·

Tierra Blanca will host an open house 6:30-7:30 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 26. Kindergarten students will present a program and parents will have an opportunity to sign up as class volunteers. Door prizes will be awarded.

Tierra Blanca will also host its first Family Frameworks program 6 to 7:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 30. The topic will be Raising Responsible Kids." Childcare will be available. Snacks and door prizes will be awarded.

Muffins for Mome will be heated from 7:30

Muffins for Moms will be hosted from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m., Thursday, Nov. 2 in the Parent's Room. Students will perform a short program for attending moms.

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Obituaries



MABLE WILLIAMS Oct. 23, 2000 Services for Mable Williams,

73, of Hereford were today at the Parkside Chapel with Rev. Milford Gresham, officiating. Burial was in West Park Cemetery under the direction of Parkside Chapel Funeral Home.

Mrs. Williams died Monday in Westgate Nursing Center. Mrs. Williams was born June

3, 1927, in Weslaco to William "Buster" and Beatrice Smith. She married Hobby Williams on Aug. 17, 1946, in Hereford. She had lived in Hereford since 1945.

Mrs. Williams was a member of the Christian Assembly Church and a retired Potter County deputy.

Survivors include two sons, Sanford "Sandy" Williams of San Antonio, Ronnie Williams of Pampa; one daughter, Sharon Butler of Hereford; one sister, Dorothy Guilliams of Maryland; six grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband; two brothers and one sister.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Crown of Texas Hospice.

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JIMMY R. LACOMB, SR. Oct. 22, 2000

Watson Funeral Home with Rev. Ray Sanders officiating. Burial will be in Restlawn Me-morial Park under the direc-tion of Gililland-Watson Funeral Home.

Mr. LaComb died Sunday at Baptist St. Anthony's Hospice.
He was born, Nov. 25, 1945,
in Crawfordsville, Ark., to
Jimmie Lee LaComb and
Beatrice Clayton. He married

Shirley Brummett on May 12, 1969, in Hereford. He came to Deaf Smith County in 1972 from Parekin, Ark., and moved to Amarillo in 1998.

He was a truck driver and a Baptist. He served in the Army from 1963 to 1965. Survivors include his wife;

four daughters, Sonja Satterfield, Deanna Peterson, Beatrice Bradshaw, all of Hereford, Shnelle Northcott, of Stephenville; one son, Jimmy Ray LaComb, Jr. of Hereford; his mother, Beatrice LaComb Services for Jimmy R. of Hereford; two sisters, LaComb, Sr, 54, of Amarillo Mamie Thaxton of Hereford, will be 2 p.m. Wednesday in Phyllis Brue of Amarillo; two the Rose Chapel of Gililland-brothers Williams LaComb of

Hereford and James LaComb of Amarillo; 14 grandchildren; one great-grandchild. He was preceded in death by his father, two sisters, and

one brother. The family suggests memo-

rials be made to Baptist St. Anthony's Hospice. Hereford Brand, Oct. 24, 2000

OLIVER HAROLD PARKER

Oct. 22, 2000 Services for Oliver Harold Parker, 89, of Union City, Tenn., will be 3 p.m. Wednesday, in West Park Cemetery, with Rev. H.W. Bartlett, pastor of Temple Baptist Church, officiating. Arrangements are under the directions of Gililland-Watson Funeral

Mr. Parker died Sunday at Union City Nursing Center. He was born Dec. 13, 1910, in Custer City, Okla., to Ollie Howell Parker and Beatrice

LeGrand. He was an automobile sales man and a member of First Christian Church of Union City, Tenn. He was a member of the Huguenot Society and a member of the Obion Historical Society and had been an Eagle Scout.

Survivors include two daughters, Jean Bell of Union City, Tenn., Joyce Parker of Dallas; two sons, Ed and Jo Pete Parker, both of Dyersburg; 12 grandchildren and 12 greatgrand-children.

He was preceded in death by one son and three daugh-

The family suggests memorials be made to Christian Church Foundation, P.O. Box 1986, Indianapolis, Ind., 462056. Hereford Brand, Oct. 24, 2000

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Texas lottery

Cash Five The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Monday night by the Texas Lottery: 7-10-11-31-34

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

Lotto Texas No ticket correctly matched all six numbers drawn Saturday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, state lottery officials said.

The ticket was worth an estimated \$13 million. The numbers drawn Satur-day night from a field of 54

2-4-22-29-31-32. Wednesday night's drawing will be worth an estimated \$18 million.

Pick 3

For the best in school and local news contact Dianna F. Dandridge at dianna@herefordbrand.con

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Emergency services

Activities reported by emergency services personnel for Oct. 20-23, 2000, include the following:
POLICE DEPARTMENT

Arrests

- A 22 year-old man was arrested in the 100 block of Irving and charged with public intoxication.

- An 18-year-old male was arrested in the 700 block of Avenue H and charged with possession of drug paraphernalia, operating an unregistered motor vehicle, failure to maintain financial responsibility and a warrant for violation of proba-

- Three juveniles were arrested in the 700 block of Brevard and charged with burglary of a motor vehicle and engaging in criminal activity.

- A 24-year-old man was arrested at park and Highway 60 and charged with public intoxication and resisting arrest.

- A 46-year-old man was arrested at Grand and Avenue J

and charged with public intoxication. - A 36-year-old man was arrested in the 100 block of West Park Avenue and charged with theft. The man had been going to local businesses and asking

for money so he could go help

with his father's funeral. It was

later determined the story was - A 34-year-old man was ar-rested in the 100 block of Brevard and charged with fail-

ure to identify, when officers responded to a domestic disturbance. - A 23-year-old man was ar-rested in the 100 block of East 15th and charged with outstand-

ing Department of Public Safety

warrants.

Incidents - A criminal mischief was re-

ported in the 900 block of South Julian. The victim said the suspect used a bat and broke the front windshield to a vehicle. Damage estimates are \$4,000.

- A resident in the 200 block of Beach reported a man had stopped breathing for unknown

- A runaway was reported in the 500 block of Irving. A boy's blue and silver six-speed bicycle, valued at \$95, was reported stolen from the

500 block of 15th - A criminal mischief to four vehicles was reported in the 100 block of Pine. Damage is estimated at \$5,000.

- A 46-year-old woman reported being assaulted in the 700 block of Brevard. - An 8-year-old boy was bit-ten by a neighbor's dog in the 200 block of Avenue B.

 A theft was reported in the 400 block of Western. - A burglary of a motor vehicle was reported in the 700

block of Brevard. - A 13-year-old boy threw a football at a bus, breaking the side view mirror.

- An 18-year-old woman re-ported criminal mischief to a vehicle in the 1000 block of West Park. - A runaway was reported in the 700 block of North Miles.

injuries was reported in the 1200 block of West First. - Disorderly conduct was re-ported in the 1100 block of West Park Avenue.

- A six car accident, with no

- An assault was reported in the 300 block of Star. - Reckless driving was re-ported in the 100 block of

- Burglary of a motor vehicle was reported in the 100 block of East First. A stereo and am-plifier, valued at \$500, were

Avenue F.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

Arrests - A 27-year-old man was arrested and charged with violation of probation on a third driving while intoxicated charge. - A 21-year-old man was ar-rested and charged with surren-

der of surety. A 36-year-old woman was arrested and charged with viola-tion of probation on a theft by check charge.

- A 17-year-old male was ar-rested and charged with unau-thorized use of a motor vehicle. An 18-year-old man was arrested and charged as a minor in possession of alcohol and providing false identification to a peace officer.

 A 20-year-old man was arrested and charged with violation of probation, burglany of a

tion of probation, burglary of a habitation and a theft warrant.

- Credit card abuse was re-- A public intoxication was

- An intoxicated driver was reported.

FIRE DEPARTMENT
Oct. 20

- 9:20 p.m. Firefighters responded to a smake scare at the Arbor Glen Apartments. - 7:07 p.m. Firefighters responded to a vehicle fire at Star and Grand.

- 9:58 a.m. Firefighters re-sponded to a wreck reacue in the 1200 block of West High-

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

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Recent bride of Manuel Reyna, Cristin Leasure Reyna (center), was the honoree at a bridal shower held Sunday in the home of Linda Gonzalez. Also pictured are (from left) her grandmother, Louise Coombes; her mother-in-law, Janie Reyna; her mother, Marylin Leasure; and her grandmother, Erma Murphey.

ower tetes recent bride

Cristin Leasure Reyna, recent bride of Manuel Reyna, was honored with a bridal shower Sunday in the home of Linda Gonzalez.

The couple was wed Sept. 2. Joining the honoree in greetguests were her mother, Marylin Leasure; her mother-in-law, Janie Reyna; and her grandmothers, Louise Coombes and Erma Murphey.

Refreshments were fresh fruit, assorted cookies, lemon bars, nuts, punch and coffee.

Pianist Cynthia Streun provided background music during the shower.

A vacuum cleaner and a barbecue grill were gifts from hostesses Linda Gonzalez, Jill Harrison, Julia Scott, Nena Mankin, Mandy Everett, Marlene Watson, Terri Souter, Paula Miller, Linda Baird, Debbie Gallman, Sandra Saul, Susan Robbins, Linda Mason, Susan Perrin, Lavon Nieman, Betty Cicero, Kaye Harris, Cynthia Streun, Karen Flood, Nelda Rogers, Joy Dones, Nikki Tatarevich, Eva Herrera and Karen Solomon.

CREATORS SYNDICATE

Ann Landers

Dear Ann

One year ago,



my mother was diagnosed with ovarian cancer. She died four months later. To honor her, I would like

to make more women aware of this terrible disease. This year alone, over 25,000 women will be diagnosed with ovarian cancer. They have a 50 per-cent chance of surviving five years. The survival rate could approach 95 percent, but un-fortunately, only 25 percent of women are diagnosed early enough.

Women and medical professionals across America need to be educated about this disease. The most common symptoms include:

Abdomina! pressure, bloating or discomfort

Nausea, indigestion or gas Unexplained weight gain or loss, particularly in the pelvic or abdominal area.

Pelvic or abdominal swelling, bloatir and/or feeling of fullness.

Urinary frequency, constipation or diarrhea

Abnormal bleeding Shortness of breath Pain during intercourse Unusual fatigue

My mother had most of these symptoms a year before she was diagnosed. When she complained to her doctor, she

was told it was irritable bowel syndrome. She went into the hospital to have a polyp removed from her colon, and the surgeon discovered the advanced cancer.

You've printed information on ovarian cancer in the past. Please get the word out again. If this letter can save just one life, I will be forever grateful.

— Sheila in Dayton, Ohio

Dear Sheila: Thank you

for a letter that could make an enormous difference for many women. And now, dear readers, if you see yourself in Sheila's letter, PLEASE get a checkup at once. Early detection could save your life.

For more information, contact the Ovarian Cancer Na-

tact the Ovarian Canton strain Alliance, 910 17th St., N.W., Suite 413, Washington, 20006

(www.ovariancancer.org). You can assess your risk by accessing the Women's Cancer Network Web site at www.wcn.org. For a free brochure, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to the National Ovarian Cancer Coalition, 500 NE Spanish River Blvd., Suite 14, Boca Raton, FL 33431, or call 1-888-0VA RIAN (1-888-682-7426)

(www.ovarian.org).

Doar Ann Landers: After
12 years of marriage, my husband suddenly decided that I dress like a hooker. I was crushed when he told me that.

Granted, I was a little on the chubby side after I had my children, but I worked hard



and lost most of the excess weight. When I finally reached my ideal weight a few weeks ago, I needed a new wardrobe and bought clothes that I thought flattered the "new

My husband's remark disturbed me greatly. I asked a few of my close friends to be honest and tell me if I am overplaying my new figure. Every one of them has said I dress in good taste and it is my husband who has the problem. They suggested that he is resentful because I look so much better than I used to

and that people notice.

How do I deal with this? —
Pittsburgh Petunia

Dear Petunia: Are you wearing clingy fabrics or skirts that are several inches above the knee? If so, knock it off. If, however, you are dressing conservatively, it is your husband who has the problem. He may be concerned that since you have a new figure, you might be attracting a new man. Reassure your husband that he has nothing to worry about.

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LeGate honored on birthday

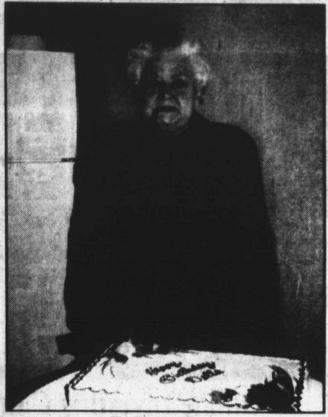
Della LeGate was honored on the occasion of her 75th birthday with a surprise party held in the Solutions Room at Insurance Solutions.

Organizers of the party were her three daughters and daughter-in-law, Terri eGate, Connie Lance, Barbara King and Carol Sue LeGate.

In attendance were LeGate's eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren as well as other family and friends. A slide show set to music and titled "Della LeGate, This Is Your Life," was presented by granddaughter Nikki Gorman from pictures collected from the honoree's sisters and other family

Following a meal catered by Branum Catering, presents were opened and the

Out of town guests included Carol Sue LeGate of Amarillo, Jim and Carol Couch of Bartlesville, Okla, Carl and Francis King of Dimmitt, Tippy Cross of Bella Vista, Ark., Tiffany, Jordan, Lindsi and Christian Confer of Stratford, Jennifer and Brock Walker of Round Rock, Chad and Emily Hutson of Borger and Nikki, Garry and Kaleb Gorman and Terri LeGate of McKinney.



Della LeGate

Bazaars set

The annual Westway Country Christmas Bazaar is scheduled for Nov. 11 from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. in the Hereford Community Center.

Booth space is now available. Proceeds from the bazaar benefit 4-H and other community

projects.
For more information or booth rental, call Carolyn Evers at 364-

Wesley United Methodist Church will host its 20th annual Festival of Arts and Crafts from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. on Dec. 2 in the Hereford Community Center.

Only a limited number of booths are available, with applications being screened. Booth fee is \$10.

Applications may be obtained by writing to Ellen Collins, 801 Miles St., Hereford, Texas 79045 or by calling 806-364-0774.



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Halloween WYMCA SLEEP-IN

Hey 1st-6th graders,

Come dressed in your best costume and join us for a fun & safe Halloween sleep-in at the YMCA!!!

Check In Time: Saturday, October 28th 8:30-10:00p.m. Check Out Time: Sunday, October 29th 7:00-8:00 a.m. Cost: \$10.00 Members



Activities · Ping Pong drop

· Costume Contest (prizes for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd) Swimming • Trampoline • Games
Basketball • Movies • and much more

Free to All Entrants:

· Halloween bags · Popcorn Soft drinks Candy · & surprise goodies!

Things to Bring:

Sleeping bag

Swim suit

Snack sack



Lee gives Wyche Club program

Club president do Lee gave the program during the regular meeting at Hereford Community Center.

ing reports were given on club projects. Five lap robes will be made from pieces of material left from the "ditty bags" given at the District meeting. The lap robes will be donated to a nursing home for use by wheelchair patients.

Club has been invited to meet with Wyche club for the presentation of County Exten-sion Agent Beverly Harder's Christmas program.

In attendance at the meeting were Mary Lou Aven, Roxie Cosper, Dorma Kirby, Audrey Rusher and Lee.

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Friemel makes trip to Portland for NCCW General Assembly

Romilda Friemel of Hereford was one of three area women who attended the 2000 General Assembly of the National Council

of Catholic Women (NCCW)
recently in Portland, Ore.
Friemel, who is president of
the Amarillo Diocese Council of Catholic Women, was accompanied by Linda Doerfler, vice president, and Arene Doerfler, both of Amarillo.

More than 500 women attended this biennial meeting which brought together the leadership of NCCW, including the Board of Directors, diocesan presidents of Councils of Catholic Women from all over the country, and NCCW past national presidents, to launch new initiatives and educate and train diocesan and local leadership.

"Now is the time," K. LaVerne Redden, NCCW president said, as we celebrate our 80th anniversary, to shape our future so a new generation of Catholic omen finds a place in the work of Council.

"As proud as we are of our efforts to support life at all stages, advocate for debt relief and environmental justice, and fund international relief efforts, there are still many hurts to heal at home and around the world.

"We need Catholic women everywhere to join us in new efforts to combat domestic violence, to protect children, and to build councils that reflect the 'many faces in God's house."

Nationally-known speaker, Sister Patricia Haley, SCN,

inspired the Assembly with her speech about moving from Jubilee pledge to Jubilee practice in a multicultural world.

NCCW launched two new initiatives: The Domestic Violence Resource Packet, including a Spanish translation of Women Healing the Wounds, and the new Catholic Coalition for Children and a Safe Environ-

Delegates considered the changing role of grandparents and their new job description in 31 percent of households with children – as primary caretaker of their grandchildren.

The National Council of Catholic Women is a federation of more than 5 000 Catholic

of more than 5,000 Catholic women's organizations nation-wide.

cts officers Genealoc

Election of officers for the year 2001 was the chief item of business for the Deaf Smith County Genealogical Society at the October meeting. The nominating committee, composed of Wilma Clark and Troyce Hanna, recommended that present offic-

ers be elected to serve again.

Elected were L.J. Clark,
president; Donita Rule, vicepresident and program chair-man; Wilma Clark, secretary; and Nolan Grady, treasurer. Officers will be installed at the November meeting.

The group also voted to pay dues to become an organization affiliated with the Deaf Smith County Friends of the Library.

Donita Rule presented the program, "An Overview of Genealogical Information Available Through The Internet." She reported that the latest issue of RootsWeb Review notes that the **Texas Death Records database** contains 3,963,456 records reflecting 163,544 surnames of those who died in Texas during the period 1964-1998.

Members Clora Smith, Jean Beene, Mr. and Mrs. Clark, Rule,

Hanna, and Grady welcomed guests Tommie Kay Stevens and Dianna F. Dandridge.

The next meeting of the Society will be on Monday, Nov. 20. It will be the final meeting of

the year. Members will have a Dutch treat dinner at K-Bob's and install officers. Dues of \$5 will be payable for the year 2001.
Those interested in genealogy are invited to join them.



Hereford AMBUCS, represented by vice president Becky Thorn (right) recently made a contribution to Boy Scout Troop 52, represented by Scoutmaster Shannon Wilburn.



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Lewis wins in national final

Hereford rodeo club finds success at Tri-State rodeo in Canadian

Hereford native steer roper Wade Lewis won the honor of world champion in this past weekend's Senior Steer Roping National Finals held in Amarillo at the Amarillo National Center.

Lewis finished second ac-

cumulating a time of 62.43 on five head.

In other rodeo action, the Hereford High Rodeo Club competed in the Tri-State rodeo held in Canadian this action.

dian this past weekend.

Hereford's Marty Wilson placed first in bareback riding with a score of 69 while Amanda Schumacher placed first in barrel racplaced first in barrel rac-ing scoring an 18.143. Wil-son also placed fourth in bull riding with a score of 73, and Schumacher placed third in pole bending scor-ing 22.089.

In goat tying, Lindsey Milloy placed sixth scoring 11.382.

In team roping, Joe Boggeman and Amarillo's Monty Wood placed third with a score of 8.356. Eddie Trotter and Amarillo's Rowdy Sanders placed seventh with a score of 12.925.

In breakaway roping, Kara Jenkins came in fourth place with her score of 4.894 while Boggeman placed in team roping two more times. Boggeman placed first with Canyon's Tyler Hargrave scoring a 7.710, and he placed third with Dalhart's Ty Crutchfield at 8.007.

The Lady Whitefaces finished their spotless District 3-4A run with a commanding win over Canyon High 15-8, 15-0 on Saturday

By Jeff Blackmon Hereford Brand Sports Editor

On Saturday, the Hereford High volleyball team did something no coach in District 3-4A thought could be done in the 2000 district sea-

They went unbeaten. They went unbeaten.

The Lady Whitefaces (28-5, 14-0) wiped out Canyon High after a slow start in two games 15-8, 15-0. The win was the team's 17th victory in a row and 14th straight in district play. The Lady Whitefaces also maintain their number one ranking in the state. ber one ranking in the state of Texas.

"We (the coaches) were doubtful there would be an undefeated district champ," girls athletic director and head volleyball coach Brenda Kitten said. "The kids took it

as a challenge."

Kitten said she was proud of the stamina and determi-nation her team showed during the season. She said she felt her team came out to win in every match they played against district opponents.

"It is so difficult to come out and play well every Tues-day and Saturday," Kitten

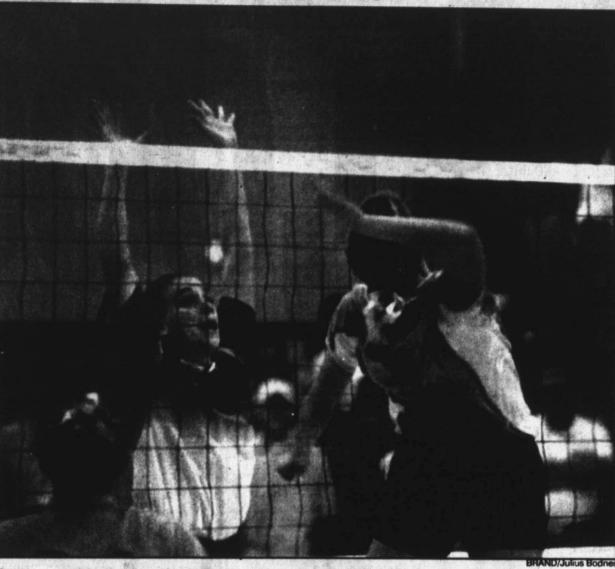
On Saturday, junior out-

said. "There is relief in finishing number one, but we still have a lot to improve on."

side hitter Michelle Bernhardt had eight successful kill attempts for the Lady Herd while the team totaled 27 for hard hitting Hereford High.

Sophomore Beville and junior McKenzie

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Getting the block—Hereford High's 14-0 district mark gives the Lady Whitefaces a first round bye to begin the playoffs. Their first game will be on Tuesday, Oct. 31.

Jets scream back

■ New York comes back from 23 point deficit

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — There must be something to this late-game magic the New York Jets claim they possess.

Down 30-7 after three quarters, the Jets staged yet another incredible rally and stunned the Miami Dolphins 40-37 in overtime Monday night in a showdown for first place in the AFC East. A team that couldn't do anything right for nearly 45 minutes was unstoppable in the final quarter.

It was the third time the Jets (6-1) have rallied to win

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in the fourth quarter of what has become a charmed sea-

They tied the game on Vinny Testaverde's fifth touchdown pass of the night, a 3yarder to tackle Jumbo Elliott, who was eligible on the play, with 42 seconds to go.

Early in overtime, Marcus Coleman of the Jets i. ercepted a pass, then fumbled on his return and the Dolphins (5-2) recovered. But Coleman got another pick five plays later.

Wayne Chrebet turned a short pass into a 28-yard completion on third down, setting up John Hall's 40-yard field goal to cap the almost unfathomable victory.

It was the second time in the NFL's prime time spot-light that the Jets won so improbably - they beat New England in Game 2 almost

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ading a .460 kill per-age. In district play for the month of September, Bernhardt had 55 kills in-cluding a .529 kill percent-age while accumulating only e hitting errors through at matches. Sernhardt also had 61

digs for a .680 dig atage. She also had 13 for the Lady White-and had a .900 suc-ul serve percentage.

tie for first

Three grab first place honors with identical tie-breaker

For the first time in Hereford Brand Football

with three losses are this week's winners in no particular order.

Usually, a definite winner can be chosen because of the tie-breaker game,

but the three winners each picked the exact same score as their tie-breaker. In this week's tie-breaker game, Hereford beat Randall 52-14, and the three winners guessed the score to be 42-

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NETTERS FINISH

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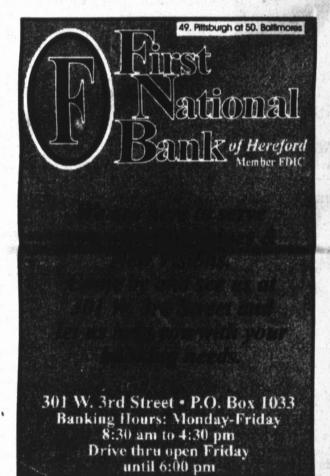
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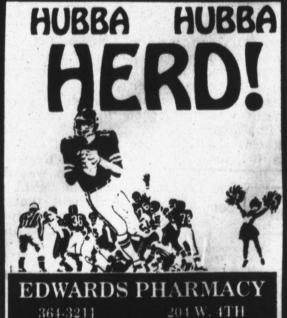
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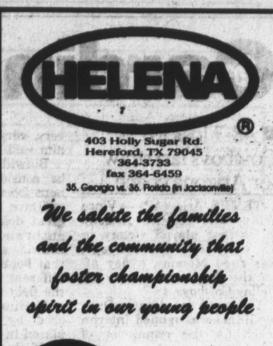
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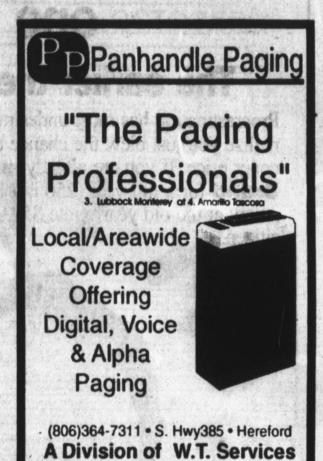
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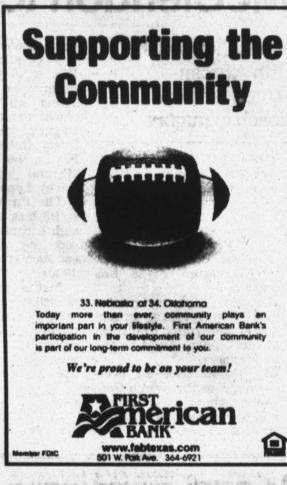


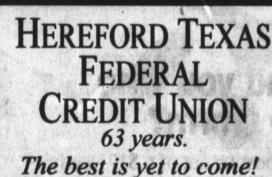












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Cardinals show Tobin the doo

■ 48-7 loss to Cowboys last straw for Arizona coach

TEMPE, Ariz. (AP) — Vince Tobin, who coached Arizona to its first playoff victory in 51 years two seasons ago, was fired Monday, a day after the Cardinals lost to the Dallas Cowboys 48-7.

Defensive coordinator Dave McGinnis was named interim coach for the remainder of the season.

"We decided that it would be in the interest of the team to make a coaching change," owner Bill Bidwill said at a news conference. "I felt it was time.

"Tobin is a very fine man," Bidwill said. "He's worked

very, very hard here. I wish him well in the future." Bidwill said Maginnis will

be considered for a permanent job after the season.

"Dave McGinnis brings a great deal of experience and enthusiasm to the job," Bidwill said. "We anticipate that hopefully there will be a different Cardinal team on the field this Sunday."

McGinnis said he was hon-ored by the faith Bidwill placed in him.

"If they come to you with the job, take it and run with it, take it and run with it, and that is what i intend to do," he said. "I took this football job because I believe

in the players we have here." Quarterback Jake Plummer

"I think you're going to see a fired-up ball club that's going to be ready to play," Plummer said.

Tobin's firing came with the Cardinals in last place in the NFC East and two weeks before a vote in Maricopa County on a proposed \$331 million stadium for the team.

Tobin had a 29-44 record in 41/2 seasons as head coach. In 1998, he directed the team to a 9-7 regular season, its only winning campaign since the franchise moved to Arizona from St. Louis in 1988.

The Cardinals made the playoffs for the first time since 1982, then beat the Cowboys in Dallas for their said he was sad to see Tobin first playoff victory since the

go, but excited to work with NFL championship game 51 it not happening? We have to McGinnis. years earlier.

However, the team stumbled to 6-10 last season

and was 2-5 this year.
Plummer said he would always be grateful to Tobin for making him a starter as a rookie and sticking with him through some tough times.

"Obviously you can't fire 54 players," Plummer said. "The sick thing is we are good, talented football players. You look at the guys we have, a lot of them could start on other teams. Why is

Whether Coach was scapegoat or not, we still have nine games left, we have to find an answer and get it done and win this weekend."

The loss in Dallas was the Cardinals' largest margin of defeat since 1981, and team president William Bidwill would not endorse Tobin afterward.

"We're all disappointed, but now is not the time to go beyond that," William Bidwill

Defensive end Andre Wadsworth, still not playing while recovering from knee surgery, said he noticed that the morale had been at its lowest the past couple of

"As the head coach, he takes the brunt of everything," Wadsworth said. "You can't blame him for everything. He's part of it, but we're all to blame."

Tobin, quiet and mild-mannered, was often referred to in the local media as "Coach Beige."

McClendon to skipper Pirates

■ McClendon the fifth African-American head coach in majors

PITTSBURGH (AP) -Lloyd McClendon. the hitting coach on former Pittsburgh manager Gene Lamont's staff for four years, will be hired Monday as the Pirates' manager, The Associated Press has learned.

A source inside the Pirates organization, speaking on condition of anonymity, confirmed that McClendon would be the next manager.

McClendon took an overnight flight to Pittsburgh from Phoenix, where he is managing in the Arizona Fall League, to be introduced at a 4 p.m.

news conference.

McClendon, 41, a former Pirates player who hit .244 in an eight-year major league career, will become the fifth black manager in the major leagues, joining the Giants' Dusty Baker, the Cubs' Don Baylor, the White Sox's Jerry Manuel and the Brewers' Davey Lopes.

The Pirates are coming off a 93-loss season — their eighth consecutive losing season, the organization's longest such streak since the mid-1950s.

McClendon, known for his abilities to motivate and work with younger players, has no major- or minor-league managing experience, although he managed the Lancaster Stealth to the California League fall championship last

The Pirates have declined to comment publicly on their

managerial search for nearly a week since they wrapped up 10 interviews, including those with former Arizona manager Buck Showalter and three major league bench coaches, Ron Wotus of San Francisco, Grady Little of Cleveland and Ken Macha of

However, after the Pirates told some candidates, including Showalter, they would not get back to them until after the World Series, they began calling other candidates early Monday to tell them they had picked a new manager.

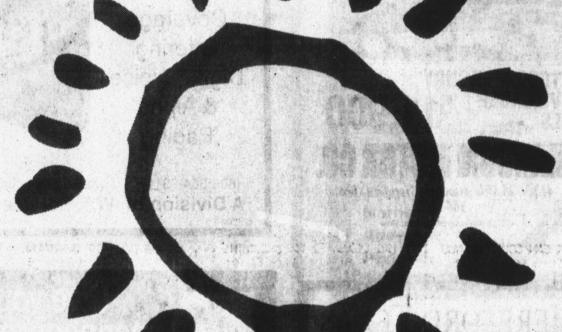
McClendon also had what he called an excellent interview with the Philadelphia Phillies, and the Pirates may have moved to prevent the Phillies from hiring him.

McClendon played in the majors for the Reds (1987-88), the Cubs (1989-90) and the Pirates (1990-94).

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Tabor also had big games for tie-breaker match today) and the Lady Whitefaces totaling 23 and 24 sets respectively.

Sophomore middle blocker Sara Griffin turned up her serving game reaching 14 successful serves for the match.

Now that the district season is over, Kitten said her team must focus and get ready for the playoffs. Kitten said her team will face the winner of the match between the third place team in district one (El Paso Riverside and El Paso Bowie have a

the runner-up in district 2-4A (Clint and Pecos have a playoff today also) on Octo-

Kitten said she feels her team has a good shot in the playoffs, but said she wants her team not to get comfort-

"We do not need to rest on our success in district," Kitten said. "We still need to be finding ways to improve and grow.'

Kitten said she also feels

like her team has gained momentum while on their 17 game winning streak. She said she hopes the momentum and the experience from last year's state championship run will help her team this year in the playoffs.

"Eight of the kids this year understand what it took last year," Kitten said. "I just know our kids will give us the best chance of winning, and that is all that I can ask."

Jets

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the same way. But that game ended far earlier than this one, which stretched until 1:20 a.m. EDT.

The Jets rallied with a precision they totally lacked for the first three quarters — and against a defense that had yielded just 51 points and three TDs the entire sea-

"I thought New England was a great comeback, but this was incredible," Chrebet said. "We took it upon ourselves and made the plays when we had to. It was gutcheck at halftime and we decided to go out swinging."

They scored a knockout of Miami's brilliant defense, which crumbled in the fourth quarter. That unit allowed 30 points in the fourth quarter, when the Jets had 20 first downs; Miami one.

It was the first time since 1981, when Atlanta did it, that a team scored 30 points or more in a fourth period.

Testaverde hit Laveranues Coles for a 30-yard score, the rookie's first NFL touchdown; found rookie Jermaine Wiggins for a 1-yard TD, his first pro score; hit Chrebet for 24 yards to tie it at 30 with 3:55 to go; then con-



nected with the 300-pound Elliott to tie it at 37. Testaverde finished 36-of-

59 for 378 yards, five TDs and three interceptions.

Jay Fiedler, looking early in the game much like the legend he replaced, connected with Leslie Shepherd for a 46-yard TD one play after Chrebet's touchdown. That score was set up by Brock Marion's 47-yard kickoff re-

Dan Marino often beat the Jets with his arm, and Fiedler appeared to have done it, too. He also had a 42-yard TD throw to Shepherd in the first half and ran an efficient offense for three quarters.

But the Jets displayed the fortitude and resilience that has marked their season by staging yet another come-

Lamar Smith paced a surprisingly crisp Miami attack that gained 299 yards in the first half alone. Smith scored on runs of

68 and 3 yards and finished

Gadsden caught seven passes for 119 yards.

with 155 yards. Oronde

The Dolphins thoroughly befuddled New York on both sides of the ball for most of the game. And as hot as the Jets were later, the Dolphins were at the outset. They led 17-0 and gained 207 yards in the opening 15 minutes — the most by any NFL team in the opening, period this season.

It took the Jets until 8:04 elapsed in the second quarter to register a first down. By the end of the long night, however, they had become un-stoppable.
Olindo Mare kicked three

field goals for Miami, while Hall had two for New York.

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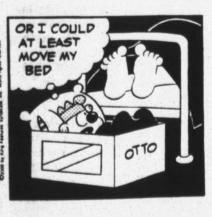
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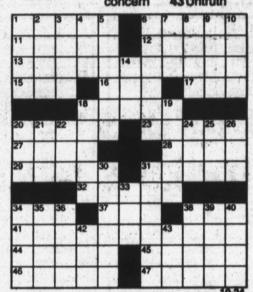
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Job descriptions and application forms may be picked up at the City Hall, 224 N. Lee, Hereford. Applications will be accepted until 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, October 24, 2000.

CNA OPENINGS 2-10 and 10-6. Earn "Paid Time Off" from your first day and health insurance after 90 days; shift/ weekend differentials and signon bonuses. Apply in person at King's Manor Methodist Home, 400 Ranger, Hereford.

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Then rememeber these hints: · Give the price. A newpaper consultant says 70 percent of classified readers won't respond to an add with no price.

 Use key words to describe what you're selling. The key words for a car are make, model, year, body style, color, mileage and price. If it's a house, key words are location, type of construction, number of bedrooms and baths, and condition.

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Don't be misleading. Think accurate and factual when you write. Be sure to include a phone number and the best times to reach you.



lancy and Bob Josserand of Hereford and Geneva and Stanley Schaeffer of Dimmitt recently were hosts of a dinner at the Hereford Aquatic Center for Amarillo Area Foundation officials. Attending the dinner were (from left) Jim Allison, executive director of the foundation; the Josserands and the Schaeffers.

Foundation officials explain its activities

Officials with the Amarillo Area Foundation were guests last week at a dinner hosted by Bob and Nancy Josserand of Hereford and Stanley and Geneva Schaeffer of Dimmitt at the Hereford Aquatic Center.

The purpose of the meeting was to allow the foundation officials to provide information about the organization's activi-

Thirty-four guests from Deaf Smith and Castro counties heard foundation executive director Jim Allison and donor services director Tammy Shaklee discuss grants made in the two counties. Area donors also were recognized.

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PYONGYANG, North Korea — Secretary of State Madeleine Albright and North Korean leader Kim Jong II opened a second round of talks Tuesday aimed at easing a half-century of enmity and mistrust dating back to the Korean War. During the first day of talks Monday, the two discussed issues including North Korea's missile development program and its export of missiles to Iran and Syria. Prior to Tuesday's meeting with Kim, Albright ventured out into the countryside for a lunch hosted by Jo Myong Rok. Kim's top side at a rural quest house. Myong Rok, Kim's top aide, at a rural guest house.

Barak looks at coalition with Israeli hard-liner

JERUSALEM — With peace receding as clashes intensified, Prime Minister Ehud Barak appealed Monday to hawkish opposi-

tion leader Ariel Sharon to join a coalition government, a move that further dashed hopes of reconciliation. Fighting continued into Tuesday in the divided West Bank city of Hebron. A 55-year-old Palestinian man was killed at his house when he was hit in the head by gunfire. The fighting sparked by Sharon's visit on Sept. 28 to a disputed holy site in Jerusalem. Since then, 124 people have been killed, the vast majority of them Palestinians. Nader ads tell voters don't

waste votes on Bush. Gore

WASHINGTON - Ralph Nader support- Green Party ers are being told in a new ad campaign presidential candidate that a "vote for Nader is not a vote for Ralph Nader has Bush." The Green Party candidate curleunched a TV ad rently draws about 4 percent in national blitz. polls, and some Democrats fear he could

siphon enough votes from Democrat Al Gore to give Texas Gov. George W. Bush the edge in several states with close races. Fullpage ads scheduled to run Thursday are trying to convince such voters otherwise. "The message is, if you live in a state where one or the other major-party candidates has a lock, and you're

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not happy with the way things are going, your only effective vote is for Nader because that adds up in the national total and can bring him millions of dollars for 2004," said Greg MacArthur, whose group, Citizens for Strategic Voting, paid \$320,000 for the ads.

Chinese police torture



protest leader to death

BEIJING - Police have tortured to death an organizer of one of the largest uprisings against Chinese rule in China's restive Muslim northwest, according to a separatist group. Abduhelil Abdulmejit, imprisoned 44 months ago and repeatedly interrogated and tortured, died Oct. 17 in the Chapchal Su Detention Center in the Xinjiang region's Yili county, said the East Turkistan Information Center,

official confirmed Abduhelil Abdulmejit's death but said he died from pneumonia at the central prison in Yining, Yili's county seat, not at the detention center.

Willie advocates exercise and marijuana

NEW YORK — Willie Nelson says marijuana and exercise are part of his daily routine. That's what the 67-year-old country singer tells Details magazine in its November issue. "I don't want to call it a drug — an herb is not a drug. It's good for stress, which is the biggest killer on the planet," Nelson is quoted as saying about marijuana. "If you need some temporary help in getting through the day, cannabis is the best way."

Congress seeks to establish memorial to Indians slaughtered at Sand Creek

DENVER (AP) — The scores of American Indians killed in a U.S. Army massacre 136 years ago will be memorialized under legislation sponsored by a descendant of the victims and awaiting President Clinton's signature.

The bill was passed by voice vote Monday in the House and by the Senate earlier. Clinton has indicated he would sign it.

"Fewer than 5 percent of all the bills that are introduced each year become law. The fact that this one did in a matter of weeks is a testament to the overwhelming acknowledgment by Americans that we are bet-ter than our past," Sen. Ben Nighthorse Campbell, R-Colo.,

Campbell's ancestors were among the more than 150 Cheyenne and Arapaho Indians who died Nov. 29, 1864, when nearly 1,000 men under the command of Col. John M. Chivington surrounded hundreds of Indians camped on the banks of the creek.

Historians say when the first shots were fired, Cheyenne Chief Black Kettle raised an American flag and a white cloth of truce. It drew more fire.

One soldier, Capt. Silas Soule, later described to Congress the gruesome scene where troops slaughtered Cheyenne and Arapaho women, children and elderly men.

"It was hard to see little children on their knees have their brains beat out by men professing to be civilized," wrote Soule, whose words were retold by Campbell this summer in hearings on creating the memorial.

The 1865 congressional probe sparked by Soule and other witnesses condemned the massacre, but those involved were never punished and promised reparations were never paid. Soule was assassinated in Denver shortly after testifying.

David Halaas, Colorado state historian, said the massacre ignited 12 years of wars with Indians, who had become convinced the government wanted to kill them all. Sand Creek's impact culminated 12 years later at Little Big Horn, where Lt. Col. George Custer and his 7th Cavalry unit were massacred, he said.

The Sand Creek Massacre Historical Site, to be located on 12,480 acres of rolling prai-rie 160 miles southeast of Denver, will be the first to memorialize one of the half-dozen major massacres of peaceful Indians in the West.

Indians have long said the number of sites honoring settlers and soldiers in the West fail to recognize their side of the story. A Colorado town near the massacre site is named for Chivington.

Klett gave the HHS band credit for "great music for the show," but felt that HHS band

members needed more unifor-

mity in their foot movements

and body carriage, and needed

better spacing throughout the

Miller credited the fine flute

"I liked the choice of music

- it sometimes went a little

overboard on volume - you

could have backed off some and

still had that big, full Olympic

"Some nice marching -

there were some minor spacing

problems and members need to

be sure and hit their sets. The

program had a good general

effect, flow and variety, and

many good things about it,"

While the Mighty Maroon

Band has its heart set on Divi-

sion I "Superior" ratings every

year, HHS assistant director Pat

Daniel says a Division II is still

an "Excellent" rating, and band

members have no reason to

hang their heads, especially if

they work to build on what

Owens points out the HHS band is young, with 60-plus

freshmen, and an equal num-

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coming up, and they've learned

an important lesson about what

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Bush, Gore sharpen attacks on records

MILWAUKEE (AP) — With neither candidate yet able to seize a decisive lead, George W. Bush and Al Gore are sharpening their attacks in the final two weeks of the presidential campaign.

With polls suggesting a cliffhanger outcome on Election Day, Republican Bush and Democrat Gore were going after undecided voters and crossing each other's campaign paths.

Bush was campaigning today in Illinois and in Gore's home state of Tennessee states that went Democratic in 1996 but where Republicans think they have a good chance this year.

Gore also was to be in Tennessee, which he should have wrapped up by now but where polls show an unexpectedly tight race. He also planned events in Louisiana and Arkansas.

In Little Rock, Ark., the



Democratic presidential cut. nominee Al Gore hugs Heather Howitt after meeting her for coffee Gore as president would Howitt after meeting her for coffee be the "obstacle in chief," and rolls at her Marsee Baking in fighting against school, Portland, Ore.

tax and Social Security

vice president planned to explain his views on how the federal government can help continue the nation's prosperity going by becoming smaller, smarter and more efficient. He will also suggest that Texas' bureaucracy with Bush as governor has become more bloated even as the federal government has

tightened its belt, aides

Surrogates also were stepping up their assault on Bush's record in Texas, arguing it offers a model for what he'd do as president. Bush was expected to defend his record and emphasize his proposal for a \$1.3 tril-APPhoto lion across-the-board tax

On Monday, Bush said

reform. Gore stuck mostly to his prosperity theme but argued that Bush hopes to "run out the clock" on the Nov. 7 election to avoid issues people care about.

Bush was campaigning in the Chicago suburbs Tuesday with a group of Republican governors, part of a team 28 GOP governors who are barnstorming for Bush this week. Gore has led Bush in polls in Illinois, which has 22 electoral votes, but recent sur-

veys show Bush closing in. Illinois Gov. George F. Ryan, one of those on the crosscountry tour, said Bush's "persuasive powers" may help him capture the state.

Even though Gore enjoys a slight edge, Ryan said in an interview, "There's a good chance we can carry the state. We have strong support in southern. Illinois, usually a strong Democratic area, and the Chicago suburbs will come

With two weeks to go, "I can't do it without you," Bush told thousands of boisterous supporters Monday night at packed rally in Milwaukee, urging them to find independents and "open-minded Democrats" and bring them to the polls.

He said their message to

should be: "You tell them that this nation can do better, you tell them that our agenda is crys-tal-clear."

with 11 electoral votes. "We love you, Mr. President!" a woman shouted to Bush from the crowd. "Behave yourself," he fired back with a grin.

Bush also issued a solid

vote of confidence to his top national security adviser, Condoleezza Rice, and gave the clearest signal yet that she would have a top spot in a Bush administration.

"I'm a better candidate with her at my side," Bush said, sharing the stage with Rice. "If all goes well, she'll make a big difference for the secu-



Recent polls show Republican presidential nominee Bush gaining in George W. Bush waves to crowd after rally Wisconsin, usually a in Milwaukee.

rity of this country." Rice is widely expected to head the National Security Council if Bush is elected.

Her remarks over the weekend about a pullout of troops from Bosnia and Kosovo produced sharp criticism from Gore, who accused the Bush team of "playing politics with national security."

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208 cast early ballots

Early voting in the Nov. 7 general election started off in a big way Monday at the Deaf Smith County Clerk's Office in the courthouse, 235 E. 3rd. According to a deputy clerk,

208 voters cast early ballots. Early voting will continue through Nov. 3.

There are three contested races for Deaf Smith County offices on the ballot.

 Incumbent Wayne Betzen, who narrowly survived a challenge in the Republican primary, will face Democrat Armando Gonzalez in the race for Precinct 1 commissioner.

In the March primary, Betzen eked out a one-vote victory over former Precinct 1 foreman Alfred Ortiz. On the Democratic side, Gonzales defeated Joe Henry in a run-

off to earn a spot on the Nov. 7 ballot.

· Incumbent Sheriff Joe Brown, a Democrat, will try to fend off the challenge of Republican Brent Harrison, a sergeant on the Hereford Police Department.

· Democrat Teresa Garth will meet Republican Jeannine Zimmerman in the race for county tax assessor/collector.

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