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Senate agrees to hold Whitewater hearings Stephanopoulos lastest to be called to testify to grand jury

By LARRY MARGASAK
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) - Staking out a role independent of the Whitewater special counsel, the Senate agreed to hold hearings at an unspecified date on the Arkansas land dealings involving President and Mrs. Clinton.

Shortly before the Senate's unanimous vote Thursday night, one of the president's top aides, George Stephanopoulos, became the 11th current or former administration official to be subpoenaed by the Whitewater grand jury sitting in Washington.

Departing White House counsel Bernard Nussbaum and White House adviser Harold Ickes testified earlier in the day before the grand jury, which is investigating White House contacts with regulators who were dealing with the failed Madison Guaranty Savings and Loan, the S&L linked to the Whitewater land development venture.

Senate Democrats and Republicans

negotiated their political truce on holding hearings after weeks of partisan bickering over the timing of hearings. Republicans wanted them sooner, Democrats later.

Clinton said earlier that Congress "ought to do whatever it is they think is the right thing to do."

Stephanopoulos said "I welcome the opportunity" to provide testimony in special counsel Robert Fiske's investigation.

Anticipating the subpoena, he already had hired former chief House counsel Stanley Brand to represent him. Stephanopoulos has been closely involved in Whitewater damage control and strategy.

The Senate resolution passed 98-0, and had sufficient language to allow all sides to claim victory. In the House, the banking committee will hold a legally required hearing next week on the savings and loan cleanup, which Republicans want to turn into a Whitewater inquiry.

A second day of House hearings may be scheduled to hear Republican

witnesses, one Democratic panel member said. House rules permit the minority party to call its own witnesses to hearings.

Senate Republicans argued they won the principle that hearings should be held independently of the special counsel, while Democrats touted language promising not to interfere with Fiske's probe.

Fiske has urged Congress not to hold hearings on any matter he's actively investigating. Hours before the Senate voted, he met with Republican leaders in the Capitol to reemphasize his position.

He has said he likely would finish the White House phase of his investigation in a matter of weeks or months and would not object to Congress holding hearings on that phase when he's finished.

In addition to the non-interference clause in the Senate resolution, Fiske can look favorably on the pledge that no witness would be granted immunity over his objection, avoiding a legal roadblock that scuttled key convictions in the Iran-Contra case.

Specifically, the non-binding Senate resolution:

-Emphasized Congress' "constitutional obligation" to review matters "related to any governmental investigations." This language asserted the independent role that both parties agreed with but which Republicans particularly hammered on during weeks of debate.

-Directed Majority Leader George Mitchell and Minority Leader Bob Dole to determine "the appropriate timetable, procedures and forum" for hearings.

-Concluded the hearings must be "structured and sequenced" so they would "not interfere with the ongoing investigation" of Fiske.

The resolution was intentionally vague on just how far Congress would go to accede to that request.

Coming in Sunday's Brand

Sunday marks the first day of Spring, and throughout the Hereford area, farmers are shifting into high gear as the 1994 crop year begins in earnest.

But what lies ahead for the sugar beet, corn and other producers this year?

While nobody knows for certain, county agriculture experts on Sunday will take a prognosticating look at the season ahead.

Also, meet Mike Morrison, a county farmer who fulfills his love of farming while at the same time holding down a full-time job in town.

Space station weathers attempt to cut funding in 1995 budget

WASHINGTON (AP) - Congressional opponents of the space station have failed in their first attempt of the year to kill the oft-criticized program.

As the Senate Budget Committee neared approval Thursday of a \$1.51 trillion spending blueprint for 1995, station supporters beat back two amendments that would have spelled the demise of the orbiting laboratory.

"There will be many more efforts to kill the space station," said Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, who sits on the budget committee. "But this was the first vote of the year. It was a good, bipartisan vote and I'm obviously pleased."

One amendment, offered by North Dakota Democrat Kent Conrad, would have killed the space station

outright, shifting the \$2.1 billion earmarked in the fiscal 1995 budget to deficit reduction. That amendment failed on an 8-11 vote.

A second amendment, offered by New Jersey Democrat Frank Lautenberg, would have diverted the \$2.1 billion to fund crime prevention efforts. That measure failed on a 4-16 vote.

Gramm, who is frequently at the forefront of GOP efforts to slash the deficit and beef up crime-fighting funding, said his support of the space station doesn't detract from those goals. "There is not conflict between the two if you are willing to set priorities," he said.

The Texan said he's confident he and other station backers will be able

to fend off efforts by other senators to kill the perennially-targeted program, noting that he serves on the appropriations subcommittee that funds NASA programs.

That's despite mounting concern over whether Russia will be able to meet the financial obligations set last year in the U.S.-Russian space station collaboration.

"I think that we are going to fund the space station in the Senate," he said. "Obviously, what is going to happen in the House I don't know."

The House came within one vote last year of killing the controversial program, but approved funding under intense lobbying from the Clinton administration and other supporters.

Billowing clouds of smoke

Smoke nearly obscures a county feed mill tower during an ensilage fire on Thursday at Circle Three Feed Yard in Frio. Firefighters from Hereford, Dimmitt and Bootleg were called to the scene at 11:30 a.m. after a feed yard employee spotted the fire in an ensilage pit. Some of the feed was burned, but no buildings caught fire. There were no injuries.

Dallas to be tabbed for new NAFTA secretariat

By MICHELLE MITTELSTADT
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) - President Clinton will nominate Dallas as the site for the secretariat that will monitor labor issues stemming from the North American Free Trade Agreement, a spokesman for Rep. John Bryant confirmed today.

The administration is expected to make the formal nomination Monday when high-level trade officials from the United States, Mexico and Canada meet to work out further details of NAFTA's implementation, said Bryant spokesman Carlton Carl.

Bryant, D-Dallas, was to make the announcement later today at a Dallas news conference with Assistant U.S. Trade Representative Chip Roh; Labor Deputy Undersecretary Jack

Otero; and Greater Dallas Chamber of Commerce officials.

The selection of Dallas was first announced by Texas GOP Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison, who said Thursday: "Texas deserves this key NAFTA agency. It's the ideal place and we fully expect an announcement to come about it being located there."

The three countries must agree on the secretariat's location, but Carl said he didn't expect any hurdles.

Bryant has worked with Dallas and administration officials for the last five months seeking to advance the city's bid, Carl said. Several cities had been vying to host the secretariat, including Denver, Houston and San Antonio.

Dallas' offer included provisions that would save the three govern-

ments \$15 million over 10 years. The biggest item is free office space in downtown Dallas.

Other incentives include pro bono legal services, translation services, remodeling and relocation assistance. Dallas offered free office space, among other concessions.

The labor secretariat is one of three to be created under the provisions of the sweeping trade agreement linking the economies of the three countries. The pact went into effect Jan. 1 and is being phased in over a 15-year period.

The other secretariats are an environmental secretariat, to be located in Canada, and an overall secretariat in Mexico that will be responsible for coordinating implementation of the trade accord.

Board set to pick sites for new prisons

By JAIME ARON
Associated Press Writer
DALLAS (AP) - The Texas Board of Criminal Justice today can finalize a subcommittee's recommendation of a staff proposal to spend \$117 million to build 6,000 jail beds in six counties.

The winners could be Dallas, Travis, Williamson, Willacy, Jack and Harris counties.

The big losers in the decision are strong contenders Uvalde and McLennan counties. Subcommittee members said they skipped Uvalde County to avoid controversy and left out McLennan County to save money.

Everyone gets one last chance to make their pitches at today's meeting at Wilmer-Hutchins High School.

"I'm very comfortable with them," subcommittee member Ellen Halbert said. "We'll be real happy with what we build there."

The new state jail system - aimed at relieving the backlog of state inmates crowding county jails - will be funded with part of a \$1 billion bond package approved by voters last November.

The recommended counties and sites are Dallas (Dallas), Travis (Austin), Williamson (Bartlett), Willacy (Raymondville), Jack (T.

Warren Wackenhut) and Harris (North Village Baker St.). McLennan County was recommended as an alternate.

Dallas County would receive 1,333 beds; Travis, Williamson, Willacy and Jack counties would get 1,000 each; and the remaining 667 would go to Harris County.

The Harris and Jack county facilities were extremely favorable because they're at a later stage of development, subcommittee chair Gilberto Hinojosa said. All should be open in 1995.

Motherly advice pays off for new Miss Top of Texas

BY RICK LANNING
Staff Writer

When Sona Solano was young, her mother always told her, "Sona, be the best you can be."



SONA SOLANO

That was hard advice for a Texas girl who was so shy she couldn't even sing in the presence of other family members without blushing. But Sona Solano listened to her mother's advice and it paid off when she won the Miss Top of Texas Pageant March 5 in Hereford.

Now the 19-year-old beauty is on a roll. On July 9, she goes to Fort Worth to compete for Miss Texas. If she wins there, it's on to the Miss America Pageant.

Asked how she handles the pressure of pageant competition, the five-foot-three winner said, "I pray."

Prayer comes natural to her. She prays every night and it's usually the same: "Lord, please shine through me. Let the people see You when they watch me and my actions."

Sona hails from Pampa, the daughter of Gil and Jan Solano. A second semester freshman at West Texas A&M University in Canyon where she majors in

music, she has a younger brother, Gil Jr., 12. She plans to earn a degree in music therapy and work with troubled young adults or head injury trauma patients.

The night of the Miss Top of Texas Pageant in Hereford, she had planned to sing, "I Will Always Love You," the Whitney Houston song. But at the last minute, when she went through her material, she decided on "The Lord's Prayer."

It was a good choice. She defeated a field of 12 contestants in three scoring areas: interview, swimsuit, and evening gown, and tied for first place in talent.

Sona was in Hereford Wednesday to make a tour of the community. Among places where she stopped and spoke were the Pants Cage, Little's Fashions, Boots and Saddle, and the Fashion Boutique, all of which donated to the pageant's scholarship fund.

At noon, she lunched at Hereford Country Club with the

Miss Top of Texas Scholarship Committee.

Asked what she planned to order, she said, "A lot! I love to eat. No matter how much I eat, I never gain weight."

Donna West, executive director for the Miss Top of Texas Pageant, said that could be a problem. One of her first jobs, she said, is to put 112-pound Sona on a weight training program to help her gain a few more pounds.

At home in Pampa, she doesn't wear makeup and rarely fusses with her hair. That causes her brother to kid her about her makeup.

"He's always after me to fix myself up," she said. "I can't believe how proud he is of me."

"In the first pageant I competed in, Miss Amarillo, when they called out my name as winner of the evening wear, my brother yelled out from the audience, 'I love you, Sis!' I thought that was so sweet."

Anyone who wants to impress Sona should know that she loves dogs (She has a nine-week-old white Maltese named Magi), horses, and islands.

Her favorite color is black and good communication ranks high with her, as do classical and country music. She isn't impressed by expensive sports cars or Cadillacs. Her favorite food? Macaroni and cheese.

Competing in the pageant was the most exciting thing she has ever done.

"The best thing about the pageant was the people I met," she said. "The worst was the nerves."

Sona handles bad nerves the same way she handles any other obstacle in her life: with prayer. She admitted prayer is her biggest secret weapon.

Still, even a pageant winner can have a bad moment. Like the night the contestants were rehearsing their opening number on stage, Sona was wearing a jacket and

during the song she flung her arms wide in both directions -- and the jacket popped wide open.

"I was so embarrassed," she said. "Thank goodness it was only a rehearsal." She took care of the emergency with safety pins and finished the number.

Her hobbies include singing, reading, writing letters, and watching funny movies that have substance.

West pointed out the Miss Top of Texas Pageant was a scholarship pageant, not a beauty contest. She also said she is excited that Hereford is involved in the pageant. The community will host Miss Top of Texas for the next two years, after which it will move to another community.

How does Sona feel about the upcoming competition in Fort Worth?

"I think I'll do good," she said. "After all, my little brother is going to be in the front row cheering me on."

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Local Roundup

More warm weather ahead

Hereford recorded a high temperature Thursday of 83 degrees, with an overnight low Friday of 42 degrees, according to KPAN Radio. For tonight, expect increasing cloudiness and a low in the mid-40s with south winds at 10-20 mph. For Saturday, look for partly cloudy skies and breezy with a high in the upper 70s. Southwesterly winds will be at 15-25 mph and gusty, with caution advised on area lakes.

News Digest

World/Nation

WASHINGTON - Staking out a Whitewater role independent from the special counsel, the Senate agrees to hold hearings at an unspecified date. The unanimous resolution passes as top presidential aide George Stephanopoulos becomes the latest White House official to receive a subpoena from a Whitewater grand jury.

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina - With the stroke of some pens, the embattled city of Sarajevo may finally be emerging from warfare. Serbs agreed with Muslims to open roads to civilian traffic in and out of Sarajevo, effectively ending a nearly two-year-long siege of the capital.

WASHINGTON - Trying to build momentum toward long-awaited peace in Bosnia, Croats and Muslims are moving ahead with their federation in a White House ceremony presided over by President Clinton.

MOSCOW - Defense Secretary William Perry is signing agreements designed to use American money to turn Russian weapons factories into producers of civilian goods. His mission of cooperation poses diplomatic challenges more familiar to a secretary of state as Perry tries to convince Russia that disarming won't mean a loss of world influence.

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. - Breast implant makers have agreed to pay more than \$4 billion dollars to thousands of women with health problems, the plaintiffs' lawyers say. It's less than they wanted, but still the biggest product liability agreement in U.S. history.

TAMPA, Fla. - Women are trying harder than men to cut their hair risks by exercising, dieting and quitting smoking, but men are more successful, says a new study.

ESTILL FORK - Atop a remote mountain in Alabama's northwest corner, authorities scraped their shovels into rocky soil as part of a grim prospecting task - searching for more bodies they believe are buried behind a suspect's cabin.

WASHINGTON - Not too long ago, Ronald Reagan called Oliver North an "American hero." Now he says his former White House aide is lying.

State

WASHINGTON - Dallas apparently has been selected as the site for the secretariat that will monitor labor issues stemming from the North American Free Trade Agreement, Texas Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison has said.

AUSTIN - For a few minutes there, Larry Williams of Arlington thought his office pool had really hit it big. Then he learned that their winning ticket was one of five to claim shares of the record \$77.1 million Lotto Texas jackpot.

EL PASO - A federal commission can conclude its efforts to reform U.S. immigration policy in one of two ways, says the panel's head, reach a consensus a majority of Americans accept or turn its back.

EL PASO - The video begins ominously, with a grim-voiced narrator commanding viewers in Spanish to "look closely at these faces." What follows is a series of photographs showing Hispanic men lying dead, victims of the many dangers that confront illegal immigrants trying to cross into the United States.

AUSTIN - Tunes of true love, a man who couldn't cry, cold-hearted women and Vietnam veterans were sung by country legend Johnny Cash as he keynoted the South By Southwest Music and Media Conference.

WACO - A teacher who was fired for allegedly conducting prayers in class has sued the Waco school district, charging she was unlawfully dismissed because of her religious beliefs.

AUSTIN - The campaign of Republican gubernatorial candidate George W. Bush criticized Democratic Gov. Ann Richards' "Capital for a Day" program as a taxpayer-funded campaign event.

NEW YORK - The airlines that agreed to new restrictions to settle price-fixing complaints have already found loopholes in the guidelines that allow them to figure out whether competitors will go along with price hikes. Since the Justice Department sought last year to impose new rules, carriers have discovered ways to avoid being left alone in the market with a higher price.

HOUSTON - Defense attorneys seeking a new trial for death row inmate Gary Graham say some witnesses to the 1981 murder were overlooked during the condemned prisoner's trial, but state attorneys deny the claim.

SPACE CENTER, Houston - Five astronauts and a slew of science experiments aboard Columbia headed toward a Florida landing today after one of the longest flights in shuttle history.

DALLAS - The Texas Board of Criminal Justice today can finalize a subcommittee's recommendation of a staff proposal to spend \$117 million to build 6,000 jail beds in six counties.

ODESSA - A building razed this week by Odessa's Nuisance Abatement Act at one time was among the hippest joints around.

HOUSTON - A lawsuit seeking to remove Harris County Judge Jon Lindsay from office has been dismissed, but officials have vowed to appeal the ruling.

ODESSA - Customers to Arthur Ray's Diner line up early, often by 10:30 a.m., for lunch. By 1 p.m., the meat loaf is gone. A customer in at 1:30 p.m. finds some of the vegetable choices also are no longer available. But that's the way Arthur Ray Anderson, jovial cook and owner of the diner, runs his business. The obscure 1950s cinderblock building in south Odessa is off the beaten path as far as restaurants go, and parking is in an empty lot next door. But about 50 customers - business people, tourists and a regular clientele - find their way there each day, lining up for meat loaf, fried chicken and an assortment of the vegetables their "mother's mother" was famous for.

Police, Sheriff Reports

Friday's law enforcement activity reports contained the following incident reports:

HEREFORD POLICE

--A 33-year-old male was arrested on Highway 60 for public intoxication.

--Criminal mischief was reported in the 1000 block of East Park Avenue.

--Police investigated a report of a dog bite in the 700 block of Avenue G.

--A report was made of unauthorized use of a vehicle in the 600 block of Irving Street.

--Burglary of a vehicle was reported in the 100 block of West Park Avenue.

--Police responded to a report of harassment in the 900 block of South

Sampson Avenue.

--Officers issued seven citations.

DEAF SMITH SHERIFF

--A 20-year-old male was arrested for violating his probation for driving while intoxicated.

WHERE'S THE FIRE?
--Firemen from Hereford, Dimmit, and Bootleg responded to a silage pit fire at Circle Three Feed Yard.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL
Rhonda Berumen, Irvin Burdine, Joyce Cupp, Virginia Dean, Johnny Joe Galan, Brittany Michell Gomez, Dorothy Griffith.

Manuel Medeles, Inf. Boy Ortiz, Janie Ortiz, Rosaria Perales, Ascencion Reyna, Gerda Rouse, Hector Solano, Thettie Mae Walker, Billy Wall, Bernadine Withar.

Politicos draw down on opponents

By SCOTT ROTHSCHILD
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) - The campaign of Republican gubernatorial candidate George W. Bush criticized Democratic Gov. Ann Richards' "Capital for a Day" program as a taxpayer-funded campaign event.

The program, held Thursday in Temple, featured Richards and other state agency chiefs conducting town hall meetings.

"It's no accident these events have all been held in cities key to the November election," said Bush campaign spokeswoman Deborah Burstion-Wade.

She said Richards' campaign has promoted the event "to whip up enthusiasm and a crowd to serve as a pleasant backdrop for the governor's re-election speeches."

Chuck McDonald, a spokesman for the Richards' campaign, said it was proper for the governor's political committee - not the governor's office

- to promote the event "to be completely aboveboard."

He added, "If George Bush has a problem making government available to the people of Texas, he has no business running for governor."

In other political developments:

Democratic U.S. Senate hopeful Jim Mattox started airing a television commercial that accuses his runoff opponent Richard Fisher of favoring higher taxes and not being a Democrat.

"Richard Fisher thinks he can say or do anything and not be held accountable," Mattox said.

Fisher said Mattox is misinforming the public. "The voters want change, not the same-old, mean-spirited campaigning Mattox has to offer," Fisher said.

The two are vying for the Democratic nomination in the April 12 runoff. The winner will face U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison, a

Republican, in the November general election.

The Mattox commercial says Fisher is not a Democrat, worked against President Clinton, gave money to right-wing Republicans, and voted for former presidents Ronald Reagan and George Bush, and independent presidential candidate Ross Perot.

The commercial also says Fisher supports higher gasoline and Social Security taxes and belongs to an all-white country club.

The commercial will run in Beaumont, much of South Texas and El Paso, according to Elna Christopher, a spokeswoman for Mattox.

Fisher's campaign attacked the commercial.

Although Fisher was an adviser to Perot, he said he also helped Clinton write economic and foreign policy speeches.

Fisher said he has given money to conservative Republicans, such as

U.S. Rep. Richard Lugar of Indiana, because they are family friends.

The Dallas Observer reported that Fisher said he voted for Reagan, Bush and Perot, but Fisher denies saying that. Fisher refuses to say for whom he voted.

On the issue of taxes, last year Fisher said he endorsed Perot's proposal to raise gas taxes and make wealthier citizens pay taxes on Social Security benefits.

His campaign issued a statement that said: "Fisher, however, has consistently said he does not support any tax increase until the federal bureaucracy has tightened its belt and the members of Congress have sacrificed as well."

Fisher has also taken issue with Mattox for criticizing Fisher for belonging to the Dallas Country Club, which has no black members.

Fisher said the club has "a visible membership gap," but no discriminatory policies.



Old-timey music

Residents and staffers at Hereford's Golden Plains Care Center and Friona's Prairie Acres Nursing Home were treated to music by the Krazy Kat Band from Amarillo on Thursday, as the two facilities held a joint St. Patrick's Day party that also honored Golden Plains residents with March birthdays. The band played a variety of music popular with the audience.

Teacher suing Waco schools claims religion prompted firing

WACO, Texas (AP) - A teacher who was fired for allegedly conducting prayers in class has sued the Waco school district, charging she was unlawfully dismissed because of her religious beliefs.

Linda Thrasher was fired Feb. 16 for violating a district policy against religious ceremonies in class.

Waco school board members, who voted 4-2 in favor of the firing, said Ms. Thrasher was conducting prayers in her third-grade classroom at Mountainview Elementary School after she had been warned to stop.

The lawsuit, filed Thursday in McLennan County's 19th District Court, names board members Jill McCall, Bill Boyd, Ralph Strother and Kris Olson. All four voted to fire Thrasher. The lawsuit also names Superintendent Fred Zachary and the school district.

Ms. Thrasher's attorney, Wes Holmes, argues that she did not violate district policy. Holmes claims instead that school officials violated Ms. Thrasher's religious beliefs and breached her employment contract.

"I just think that, factually, she was discriminated against, and I think we're going to be able to prove it," Holmes said. "We think that she didn't violate the policy."

Two board members named in the lawsuit disagreed.

"It's nonsense and we'll see her in court," said Strother, a local attorney.

Board member Bill Boyd, pastor of Austin Avenue Methodist Church, echoed the sentiment.

"It seemed clear-cut to me that she violated written instructions given to her by her supervisors," Boyd said. "Religious beliefs have nothing to do with it."

Mountainview Principal Raymond Weldon had given Ms. Thrasher verbal and written warnings to stop conducting "quiet times" in class and refrain from reading Bible stories to her students.

Ms. Thrasher says she used the quiet times to settle the children down and help them focus, according to her lawsuit.

However, during the February school board hearing, Ms. Thrasher admitted telling Weldon that God's rules supersede man's rules.

The lawsuit also charges that she was wrongfully reprimanded for reading the biblical story "Joseph and His Brothers" to her class during a required reading period.

She is seeking declaratory and injunctive relief, punitive damages and attorneys' fees. She also seeks damages equal to the remainder of her

contracted salary, which Holmes estimated is about \$35,000.

District Attorney Phil McCleery stressed that Ms. Thrasher's religious beliefs are not the issue.

Ag candidate stops for visit in Hereford

Marvin Gregory, Democratic candidate for the Texas Agriculture Commissioner's post, briefly visited in Hereford Thursday and called for "a restructuring of TDA to put the emphasis back on helping farmers and consumers."

Gregory, 55, a dairy and beef operator from Hopkins County, was campaigning in Swisher, Hale, Castro, Deaf Smith, Randall and Briscoe counties this week. He has been in the farming business for more than 35 years and active in the political arena since 1985.

Gregory said he wants four people at the top of the Texas Agriculture Department instead of 14. "Right now, we've got 14 people down there in Austin drawing big paychecks. That money could better be spent on more employees in the field helping consumers through labeling products more."

He added that trimming down the top of the office would make decision makers more accessible. "Right now, a department head has to pass his letter through a maze of superiors before he can send it out."

Gregory think TDA should be concentrating on marketing and processing more of our state's products, and he thinks the money to promote those new businesses can be obtained.

Referring to the defeat of Proposition 16, Gregory said the current commissioner lost \$75 million in new bond revenue for the loan program because "no one in the legislature was willing to get out and work to get it passed."

Gregory said he was looking forward to using the North American Free Trade Agreement and the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade to Texas' advantage.

He currently serves as president of the Texas Farmers Union chapter



MARVIN GREGORY

in Hopkins County. Gov. Ann Richards appointed him to the Texas Agriculture Finance Authority board in 1992.



AUSTIN (AP) - Here are the Lotto Texas Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Thursday by the Texas Lottery:

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Obituaries

Friday at San Jose Catholic Church with the Rev. Darryl Birkenfeld officiating. Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday in San Jose Catholic Church with Father Birkenfeld officiating. Burial will be in St. Anthony's Cemetery, by Rix Funeral Directors.

Mr. Ruiz, a native of Hereford, had lived in Lockney and returned to Hereford in 1989. He married Lydia Flores on March 28, 1992, in Hereford. A 1990 Hereford High School graduate, he was active in athletics and participated in track. A former employee of Arrowhead Mills, he was employed in the maintenance department of JC Penney's in Amarillo. He was a member of San Jose Catholic Church.

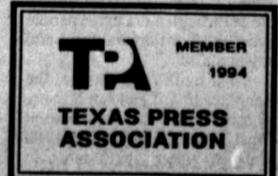
Survivors are his wife; a daughter, Sarah Ruiz of Hereford; a son, John Andrew Vasquez of Lockney; parents, Joe and Susie Ruiz of Hereford; two sisters, Racquel Ruiz and Amy Ruiz, both of Hereford, and grandparents, Jose and Josefina Ruiz of Hereford.



J. HENRY RUIZ
March 16, 1994

J. Henry Ruiz, 22, of Hereford, died Wednesday in Lubbock, from injuries suffered in an automobile accident near Lockney several days earlier.

Rosary will be recited at 7 p.m.



Church News

ST. ANTHONY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Karnival Crazy Country Store raffles are going to be done a little differently this year. If you have items for the raffle, please contact Jan Reeves at 364-7200 or Lauri Paetzold at 364-1961.

Articles for the Carnival Crazy auction are being collected by Walter Paetzold Jr. (364-1961). You may also call the Knights of Columbus.

You can win a trip for four to Carlsbad in April and support the PTO. Tickets are \$1 and the drawing will be held March 25 at the K of C fish fry. For additional information, call Mary Watley at 364-0930 or Joyce Schlabs at 364-2800.

St. Anthony's School board is seeking nominations for two three-year terms (one woman and one man) for the parish elections to be held in June. Nominees must meet the following criteria: Must reside in the parish for one year prior to the election; be a member of St. Anthony's parish; be 21 years of age; and have children presently attending the school. Retiring board members are Paula Miller and Dennis Schooling. Mitch Reeve (364-7200) and Ronnie Fetsch (364-0165) are taking nominations-at-large from the parish during March only.

The parish welcomes David and Teresa Perez and daughter Casandra; Gilberto and Michelle Castillo and son Gilberto Ely; Yvett Castillo and son Jonathan Lee; Elvidia Villarreal; and George Paetzold.

The Morning Star Hostel, a place for homeless people in Amarillo, is in need of the following: shampoo, diapers, combs, soap, razors, feminine hygiene supplies, etc. These will be collected in boxes at all church doors to be taken to the DCCW meeting Monday.

The fish fry is planned at 6:30 p.m. March 25 in the cafeteria.

The K of C St. Patrick's Day dance will be held from 9 p.m. until 1 p.m. Saturday at Umbarger. Performing will be the "West Texas Express." Dress is casual. Tickets may be purchased at the door for \$15 a couple. Proceeds will go to the Catholic Family Service.

SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Easter Triduum of the passion and resurrection of Christ is the culmination of the entire liturgical year.

For decades, many Catholics have lived Lent until Holy Saturday, then woke up on Easter Sunday morning to celebrate the resurrection, totally missing out on the three most important days. The Easter "Triduum" (three days) begins on Holy Thursday, March 31, with the Liturgy of the Lord's Supper. On this first evening, the assembly gathers to hear three stories: The Passover Event, Paul's account of the Last Supper and John's account of the washing of the feet. It is the call to the service that begins our journey into the death and resurrection of the Lord that gives us life. All parishioners should attend this liturgy and make great efforts to observe the three days of Easter Triduum. It would be a good idea for parishioners

to ask your employer to excuse you from work on Good Friday and Holy Saturday if possible. The schedule for Easter Triduum services are: Holy Thursday, 7:30 p.m.; Good Friday, 7 p.m.; and Saturday Easter Vigil, 8 p.m.

During Lent, we have been asked to participate in the Wheat Basket project by fasting as a family once a week and setting aside the money saved into a box or jar. On Holy Thursday at the liturgy of the Lord's Supper, we will take up our Wheat Basket offerings for the poor.

There will be a T.Y.M. youth worship at 7 p.m. Wednesday for all teenagers.

It's the time of year again for San Jose Parish's Annual Mexican Comida. The big dinner will be held from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. April 10 at the Hereford Community Center. Tickets for plates are \$5.50 for adults and \$3.50 for children under 12. Father Darryl Birkenfeld's famous German sausage will also be sold for \$4 a pound uncooked and \$5 a pound cooked. For tickets, please call Elvira at home at 364-8674 or at work at 364-4621.

Once a year, the Mass of Christ is celebrated for the entire Diocese of Amarillo at St. Laurence Cathedral in Amarillo. This year's Mass will be held at 7:30 p.m. March 24. At the Chrism Mass, the oils for catechumens, the oil of chrism and the oil of the sick are blessed in a special ceremony. The oils are then taken home to each parish to be used for the entire year. Also, at the Mass, the priests of the diocese renew their promise to serve with the Bishop Leroy Mathiesen, chief shepherd of our local church. Parishioners are encouraged to attend this enriching liturgy.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

A birthday reception for Helen Parsons will be held from 2-5 p.m. Saturday in the church fellowship hall. Her family will host the 80th birthday celebration and no gifts is requested.

The public is invited to come and be a part of any of the scheduled events Sunday: Youth breakfast at Troy's Sweet Shop, 8:45 a.m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; morning worship, 10:45; evening worship, 6; and UMYF snack supper and program, 6 p.m.

Sunday's special offering for "One Great Hour of Sharing" gives the congregation of FUMC the opportunity to make a difference in the world, a difference in living conditions and a difference in the lives of God's people. These gifts enable the church to respond and provide emergency relief and rehabilitation to victims of flooding, earthquakes, tornados, as well as civil strife disasters where food, clothing, medical supplies and refugee resettlement is needed.

All programmed church activities will resume at their regular times at the end of spring break.

Members of the 1994 confirmation class and their parents will meet with class leaders, Don and Judy Minchew, at a supper meeting at 6 p.m. in the fellowship hall. Also, present will be each child's "team." The teams are composed of persons

who will be a mentor to each child and a "friend in faith" and representatives of the adult Sunday school classes who will surround and uplift the entire "team" with prayer.

The Wednesday Night Lenten Studies will resume March 23 with the 5:45 p.m. Lenten Meal hosted by the Paris and Spares and Genesis Sunday classes. The adult, youth and children's programming will begin at 6:30 p.m. with the closing devotional at 7:15 p.m.

FUMC will hold a church bazaar on Nov. 4 in the fellowship hall. Individuals and groups are encouraged to start now creating or collecting items to be sold. A noon luncheon will be offered.

Easter lilies to decorate the church and sanctuary may be purchased for \$7.25 through the church office as gifts to honor someone, memorials or simply given or loaned to the church for Easter services.

ST. THOMAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Rev. Joy Penny, a counselor at the Samaritan Pastoral Counseling Center of Amarillo, will be the guest preacher on the Fifth Sunday in Lent as St. Thomas observes Samaritan Sunday and the anniversary of its Covenant Partnership with the Center. The Holy Eucharist is celebrated at 11 a.m. and there is a coffee hour in the parish hall following the service.

Christian education for all ages is at 9:30 a.m. each Sunday with children and youth meeting in the education wing and adults gathering in the church parlor. The Adult Class continues with the Faith and Values Channel/VISN Network series, "Wrestling With Angels." Sunday's session will feature Lewis Smedes on the theme "Forgiving: How Do I Forgive and Get On With My Life?" The final Lenten session will have a presentation by J. Keith Miller on "Love: Why Is Loving So Hard?"

The regular Wednesday Public Service of Healing is at 7 p.m. with the Litany of Healing, the Laying-on-of-Hands with Holy Unction and Holy Communion. We will observe the major prayer book feast of the Annunciation of our Lord Jesus Christ. Intercessions for the community are most welcome. To have them included in the Prayers of the People at all services, please call 364-0146 and leave a message.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH

The Baptist Men of the Temple Baptist Church invite all men and boys to come join them for breakfast at 7:30 a.m. Sunday in the church fellowship hall. There will be good food, a good program and fine fellowship.

At 9:45 a.m. Sunday, everyone is invited to come to Sunday school and Bible study. The Pastor H. Wyatt Bartlett and the congregation invite everyone to come to Sunday morning worship at 11. The pastor's sermon will be "Jesus Predicts the Future" taken from Mark 13:1-5. The evening prayer service will begin at 7. Steve Brasher will be leading the music during the worship services.

The mid-week prayer meeting is at 7 p.m. each Wednesday and the sanctuary choir meets at 7:45 p.m. Wednesday.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The 1994 Texas Children and Youth Bible Drill and Speakers Tournament is planned Sunday following the evening worship service.

The Children's Bible drill leaders are Mike Manchee and Mary Ruth Baird; youth Bible drill leader, Mike Manchee; and drillers, Stephanie Barton, Armanda Casey, Kristin Casey, Sally Cockran, Philip Curtis, Emily Curtis and Jessica Wuerflein. Ted Peabody III will speak.

A special training session on how to use scriptures from the Book of Romans to lead a friend to Christ is planned at 5:15 p.m. Sunday in Room 103. Other discipleship training groups for grades 1-6 and youth are held at the same time.

The First Baptist Kindergarten soft taco lunch is planned from noon until 1:30 p.m. Sunday, March 27, in the fellowship hall. Tickets are priced at \$3.50 for adults and \$2 for children. There will be no take-out orders available.

COMMUNITY CHURCH

The congregation of Community Church and Pastor Dorman Duggan would like to invite everyone to come and worship with them Sunday morning.

Sunday school for all ages begins at 9:30 a.m. and the morning worship service starts at 10:30. A nursery is available.

The youth groups meet each Wednesday at 7 p.m. at the church. All youth are invited to come and join in. Also, meeting on Wednesdays are the children's church at 7 p.m. and the home groups which meet in various homes at 7 p.m.

For more information, call 364-8866 or 364-2423.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Rev. Don Shepherd's sermon for the 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship service is titled "Do You Love Me?" The scripture lesson is found in Jeremiah 31:31-34 and John 14:15-23.

The worship service is preceded by fellowship time in the large fellowship hall from 10:10-10:30 a.m. Sunday school for all ages begins at 9:30 a.m.

Anyone wishing to help decorate the sanctuary for Easter by donating Easter lilies, please contact the

church office by Sunday. The cost is \$7.25 for each lily.

The Women's Bible Study will meet at 9:30 a.m. Monday in the fellowship hall. The scripture is 1 Peter 2:4-12. The lesson is found in Unit 4 of the study book. Helen Rose is the leader.

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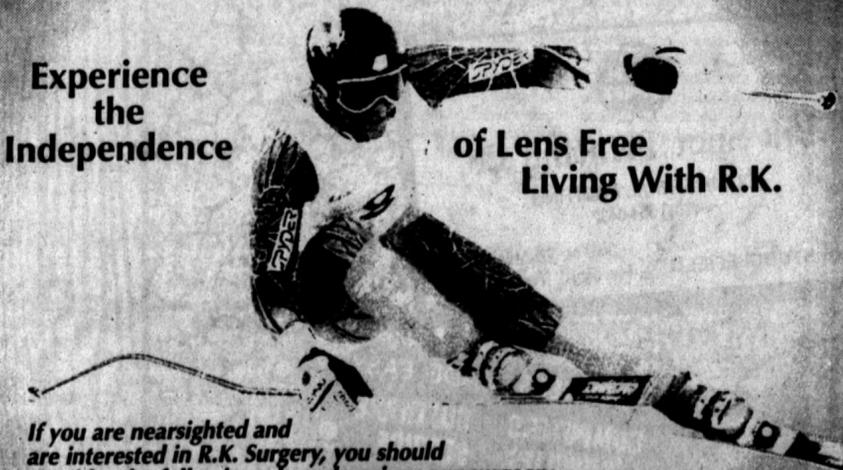
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Sports

Penn, Wisconsin-Green Bay pull off big upsets

By The Associated Press
Penn and Wisconsin-Green Bay pulled off the biggest upsets on the first day of the NCAA tournament. Then Wisconsin matched the victory of its cross-state cousin, while Pepperdine nearly sent Michigan home.

The Quakers became the first Ivy League team to win an NCAA tournament game since Princeton in 1984, beating Nebraska 90-80 in the East Regional on Thursday night. The Quakers advanced to a second-round game against Florida on Saturday.

"All that stuff about Ivy League teams being no good is bull," Nebraska coach Danny Nee said. Wisconsin-Green Bay beat California 61-57 in the West Regional as Jeff Nordgaard scored 24 points and grabbed nine rebounds.

"I don't have words to describe it," Phoenix coach Dick Bennett said. "I thought our mental toughness, our poise ... enabled us to hold on."

Wisconsin, in the tournament for the first time since 1947, beat Cincinnati 80-72 in the West Regional as Rashard Griffith and Michael Finley scored 22 points each. Badgers coach Stu Jackson said his team was spurred by pre-game predictions Cincinnati would prevail - in particular one by former Notre Dame coach Digger Phelps.

Michigan, which lost the NCAA title game in 1992 to Duke and in 1993 to North Carolina, got lucky when Jalen Rose blocked Damin Lopez's fallaway jumper at the end of regulation. The Wolverines scored the first six points of overtime and went on to a 78-74 victory in the Midwest Regional.

In other East games, Connecticut beat Rider 64-46, George Washington beat Alabama-Birmingham 51-46 and Florida beat James Madison 64-62.

In the Southeast, Purdue beat Central Florida 98-67, Wake Forest beat College of Charleston 68-58, Kansas beat Tennessee-Chattanooga 102-73 and Alabama beat Providence 76-70.

In the Midwest, Maryland beat Saint Louis 74-66, Massachusetts beat Southwest Texas State 78-60 and

Texas beat Western Kentucky 91-77. In the West, Missouri beat Navy 76-53 and Syracuse beat Hawaii 92-78.

The first round was to conclude with 16 games today. In the East Region, it's North Carolina vs. Liberty; Washington State vs. Boston College; Temple vs. Drexel; and Indiana vs. Ohio University.

In the Southeast: Marquette vs. Southwestern Louisiana; Kentucky vs. Tennessee State; Duke vs. Texas Southern; and Michigan State vs. Seton Hall.

In the Midwest: Oklahoma State vs. New Mexico State; UCLA vs. Tulsa; Illinois vs. Georgetown; and Arkansas vs. North Carolina A&T.

In the West: Virginia vs. New Mexico; Arizona vs. Loyola, Md.; Louisville vs. Boise State; and Minnesota vs. Southern Illinois.

EAST
Pennsylvania 90, Nebraska 80

At Uniondale, N.Y., the Quakers (25-2) dropped the Cornhuskers (20-9) to 0-5 in the NCAAs as Barry Pierce scored 25 points and Jerome Allen 19. Penn made 11 3-pointers.

Connecticut 64, Rider 46

The Huskies (28-4) were tied at halftime and started the second half with a 23-6 run against the Broncs (21-9). All-American Donyell Marshall, held to six points in the first half, finished with 19.

George Washington 51, Ala.-Birmingham 46

Yinka Dare, the 7-foot-1 Nigerian center, scored 16 points for George Washington (18-11). The Colonials scored just 20 points against the Blazers (22-8) in the second half and survived a seven-minute scoreless stretch.

Florida 64, James Madison 62

Dan Cross drove the lane for a running one-hander with 7.2 seconds left against the Dukes (20-10). Greg Williams made a 3-pointer with 48 seconds left as Florida (26-7) went ahead 62-60, but Clayton Ritter made two free throws 15 seconds later.

SOUTHEAST

Purdue 98, Central Florida 67
At Lexington, Ky., Glenn Robinson scored eight of his 31 points against the Golden Knights (21-9) during an early 10-point run for the Boilermakers (27-4).

Wake Forest 68, College of Charleston 58

The Demon Deacons (21-11) trailed by four with 6:17 remaining before ending the 16-game winning streak of the Cougars (24-4). Freshman center Tim Duncan had 16 points, 13 rebounds and eight blocks.

Kansas 102, Tenn.-Chattanooga 73

Richard Scott had a career-high 26 points to lead the Jayhawks (26-7), who held the Moccasins (23-7) to a season-low 30 percent shooting, including a 1-for-13 effort by Southern Conference player of the year Chad Copeland.

Alabama 76, Providence 70

Freshman Antonio McDyeess had

seven points in a 10-0 second-half run for the Crimson Tide (20-9), who went 8-for-17 from 3-point range and had a 44-30 rebounding advantage. Providence (20-10) had won eight straight.

MIDWEST

Michigan 78, Pepperdine 74, OT
At Wichita, Kan., Juwan Howard scored 28 points for the Wolverines (22-7), who weren't assured of victory until Jimmy King made two free throws with 12 seconds left in overtime. Pepperdine (19-11) missed its first four shots of overtime.

Maryland 74, 24 Saint Louis 66

Freshman Joe Smith had 29 points and 15 rebounds for the Terrapins (17-11). Six-foot-8 Evan Pederson, bothered by a sore ankle, played just two minutes for the Billikens (23-6).

Massachusetts 78, SW Texas St. 60

Lou Roe scored 21 points and Mike Williams had 20 for the Minutemen (28-6), who took a 56-40 lead on Dana Dingle's rebound basket with 10:02

left. Lynwood Wade had 19 points for the Bobcats (25-7).

Texas 91, W. Kentucky 77

B.J. Tyler and Roderick Anderson helped Texas (26-7) overcome a second-half deficit with a 12-2 run that put the Longhorns ahead 56-52. Western Kentucs (20-11), which had won 14 of 16, led by four points at halftime.

WEST
Wis.-Green Bay 61, California 57

At Ogden, Utah, John Martinez added 13 points, including three 3-pointers, for the Phoenix (27-6). Lamond Murray had 18 points and Jason Kidd 12 for the Golden Bears (22-8).

Missouri 76, Navy 53

Norm Stewart pulled all his starters when the Midshipmen (17-13) led 20-17

with 5:50 left in the half. The subs gave Missouri (26-3) a 12-6 spurt while playing nearly five minutes.

Syracuse 92, Hawaii 78

Lawrence Moten scored 29 points, including seven during a crucial second-half run, and John Wallace added 24 for the Orangemen (22-6). Trevor Ruffin had seven 3-pointers for the Rainbows (18-15).

Wisconsin 80, Cincinnati 72

Rashard Griffith scored 22 points and grabbed 15 rebounds, and Michael Finley also had 22 points for the Badgers (18-10). Dantonio Wingfield scored 20 points and grabbed 10 rebounds for the Bearcats (22-10).

Roger Bannister broke the four-minute barrier in the mile with a 3:59.4 clocking in May 1954.

NCAA TOURNEY: Second round

EAST REGION

At Nassau Coliseum, Uniondale, N.Y.
Saturday, March 19

George Washington (18-11) vs. Connecticut (28-4), 1:25 p.m.

Florida (26-7) vs. Pennsylvania (25-2), 30 minutes following

At USAir Arena, Landover, Md.
Sunday, March 20

Indiana-Ohio U. winner vs. Temple-Drexel winner, 11:15 a.m.

UNC-Liberty winner vs. Washington St.-Boston College winner, 30 minutes following.

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL

At Rupp Arena, Lexington, Ky.
Saturday, March 19

Purdue (27-4) vs. Alabama (20-9), 11:08 a.m.

Wake Forest (21-11) vs. Kansas (26-7), 30 minutes following

At The Suncoast Dome, St. Petersburg, Fla.
Sunday, March 20

Kentucky-Tennessee St. winner vs. Marquette-SW Louisiana winner, 1:30 p.m.

Michigan St.-Seton Hall winner vs. Duke-Texas Southern winner, 30 minutes following.

MIDWEST REGIONAL

At Kansas Coliseum, Wichita, Kan.
Saturday, March 19

Maryland (17-11) vs. Massachusetts (28-6), 3:40 p.m.

Michigan (22-7) vs. Texas (26-7), 30 minutes following

At The Myriad, Oklahoma City
Sunday, March 20

UCLA-Tulsa winner vs. Oklahoma State-New Mexico State winner, 1:25 p.m.

Arkansas-N. Carolina A&T winner vs. Illinois-Georgetown winner, 30 minutes following.

WEST REGIONAL

At The Dee Events Center, Ogden, Utah
Saturday, March 19

Wisconsin-Green Bay (27-6) vs. Syracuse (22-6), 3:35 p.m.

Missouri (26-3) vs. Wisconsin (18-10), 30 minutes following

At ARCO Arena, Sacramento, Calif.
Sunday, March 20

Virginia-New Mexico winner vs. Arizona-Loyola, Md. winner, 2 p.m.

Louisville-Boise St. winner vs. Minnesota-S. Illinois winner, 30 minutes following.

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McMillian leads Sonics past T-Wolves

By BOB GREENE
AP Sports Writer
Nate McMillian is a thief - and proud of it.
"This is a great accomplishment for me," McMillian said after stealing his way into the Seattle SuperSonics' record book. "Coming into this league, I wasn't sure I belonged here. So to lead a professional team in steals and assists is great."
The NBA leader in steals, McMillian had three more Thursday in Seattle's 107-92 victory over the Minnesota Timberwolves to become the SuperSonics' all-time steals leader with 1,150, breaking Fred Brown's mark of 1,149. McMillian already holds the Seattle career record for assists, now at 3,995.
The victory, Seattle's 12th straight over Minnesota, dating back to December 1990, also clinched a playoff berth for the SuperSonics, who have the NBA's best overall record (46-16) and best road record (21-12).
And defense was the key.

Just the way Seattle coach George Karl planned it.
"It was a sloppy game in a lot of ways - we missed a lot of shots we should have made - but our defense always allows us to stay in the game," Karl said.
"The coaches preach 48 minutes of defense," said Seattle's Detlef Schrempf. "Forcing turnovers is our game. Both the starters and the bench put the pressure on."
Shawn Kemp led Seattle to its ninth victory in the last 11 games, finishing with 21 points, 14 rebounds and four steals.
Stacey King had 17 points and Mike Brown tied a career high with 16 rebounds for the Timberwolves, who have lost 21 of their last 24 games.
Minnesota played its fifth straight game without leading scorer Christian Laettner, sidelined with a groin injury, while Seattle played its second straight game without guard Ricky Pierce, who is undergoing surgery today to remove bone spurs from his left foot.

Rockets 112, Warriors 99
The Warriors managed to keep Hakeem Olajuwon below his average, but they allowed Vernon Maxwell to penetrate enough to score 25 points.
Olajuwon finished with 19 points and 14 rebounds.
With the victory, the Rockets (44-17) moved a half game ahead of San Antonio in the Midwest Division and remained 1 1/2 games behind Seattle in the Western Conference standings.
Houston out-rebounded Golden State 59-44, led by Otis Thorpe's 21 boards, and held the Warriors to 43 percent field-goal shooting.
Chris Mullin had 22 points for Golden State, and Latrell Sprewell added 21.
Heat 115, Mavericks 98
In Miami, Rony Seikaly had 28 points, 14 rebounds and four blocks as the Heat remained the NBA's hottest team, extending its record to 13-3 since the All-Star break. Miami has won three in a row and 11 of the last 13.

Glen Rice scored 24 points and Brian Shaw added 13 points and 11 assists.
Jimmy Jackson led Dallas with 25 points as the Mavericks suffered their 10th straight loss.
Knicks 105, Bucks 83
The Knicks shut down visiting Milwaukee on just three points in the final 5:59 to tie the NBA post-shot clock record of holding opponents under 90 points in eight straight games. The record was set by the Syracuse Nationals during the 1954-55 season.
Patrick Ewing led the Knicks with 26 points, while Vin Baker led Milwaukee with 25 points and 11 rebounds.
Nuggets 102, Clippers 99
In Los Angeles, Dikembe Mutombo and Mahmoud Abdul-Rauf each scored 21 points as Denver clipped the Clippers' season-high four-game winning streak.
Mutombo also grabbed 13 rebounds, while Dominique Wilkins had 35 points and Ron Harper 27 for Los Angeles.



Ten inches of snow once fell—in June!—in New England. It was June 6, 1816.

Lady 'Horns go to foreign land: Jersey

By MEL GREENBERG
For The Associated Press
Seton Hall is a team with veteran players and without NCAA women's tournament inexperience. Texas is a team with three freshmen starters, but a program with 12 straight years in the NCAA playoffs and a national title in 1986, when it was unbeaten.
The host Pirates (26-4) take many of their pregame meals - chicken dijon is a favorite - in a diner in Irvington, N.J., while the Lady Longhorns (22-8), who won the Southwest Conference crown, dine in a multi-million dollar facility in Austin.
"The drive to Walsh Gym might be an eye-opener for those Texas kids," one coach said. "More people probably live on the blocks leading to Seton Hall than live in half the state of Texas."
The two schools with diverse backgrounds will meet Saturday in East Orange, N.J., in an NCAA Midwest second-round game.
Seton Hall, the region's fourth seed and Big East runner-up, is led by guard Jodi Brooks. One of Texas' leaders is freshman guard Danielle Vigilione, who tied an NCAA tournament record with six three-pointers and scored 30 points in the team's 75-67 victory over visiting Oklahoma State in the first round.
The triumph broke a three-year NCAA slump dating back to 1990 for Texas.
Seton Hall, meanwhile, used its

sixth-ranked defense to defeat Vermont 70-60 and make a successful debut in another first-round game.
If Texas, seeded fifth, wins, it will head back to Austin for the Midwest Regional semifinals in its own arena next Thursday. The regional finals are next Saturday; the dates are the same for the other region semifinals and finals.
The Seton Hall-Texas winner will play the winner of Saturday's game between No. 2 Penn State (26-2), the top seed, and No. 15 Kansas (22-5), the ninth seed.
The host Lions will be seeking to avoid elimination in their building, which occurred twice in the last three years in the second round. A year ago, Georgetown was the surprise winner.
Penn State advanced Wednesday 94-41 over visiting Fordham, while Kansas surprised host Stephen F. Austin 72-63.
In other Midwest games, Texas Tech (27-4), the defending NCAA champion, will be home for Creighton (24-6) on Saturday. On Sunday, Alabama (23-6) will travel to Iowa (21-6).
"I think Alabama could be one of the surprise teams of the entire tournament," Tennessee coach Pat Summitt said.
The Hawkeyes went to the Women's Final Four last year before losing to Big Ten rival Ohio State in the national semifinals. They've lost several NCAA tournament games in their Carver-Hawkeye Arena.

Meanwhile, in the East on Sunday, it will be top-seeded Connecticut ((28-2) home for Auburn (20-9), a team the Huskies beat in the Tigers' gym early in the season.
Connecticut struggled a little with Ivy champion Brown before winning 79-60 in the first round, while Auburn beat host Virginia Tech 60-51.
"Maybe it was better to have the kind of game we had against Brown," Connecticut coach Geno Auriemma said. "If we had won big, we might be thinking everything is going to be easy and then, boom, we could be in big trouble against Auburn. As it is, it is going to take a lot of work to beat them again."
The other East game on Sunday, will match Old Dominion (25-5) at North Carolina (28-2). The Monarchs earned a trip to Chapel Hill, N.C., by edging St. Joseph's 56-55, in the closing seconds of a first-round game.
In the East on Saturday, Minnesota (18-10) will travel to Vanderbilt (24-7), while Western Kentucky (24-9) will be at Southern Mississippi (25-4). Vanderbilt lost to Texas Tech, last year, in the Women's Final Four.
Ironically, Commodore coach Jim Foster used to go against Minnesota coach Linda Hill-MacDonald when both were in Philadelphia and he was at St. Joseph's, while she was at Temple.
Minnesota, along with Seton Hall and Texas A&M, are the three new faces left from the group of 19 first-timers in the 64-team field.

East winners will advance to the region finals at Piscataway, N.J.
In the Midwest, top-ranked Tennessee (30-1) will try to keep its offensive machine going Saturday, when the Lady Vols play host to Clemson (20-9), which upset Florida International in the first round.
Tennessee set a tournament wipeout record with its opening round rout of North Carolina A&T 111-37.
The other three second-round games in the Midwest will also be Saturday. Southwest Missouri State (24-5) will travel to Virginia (26-4), while Mississippi (24-8) is at Louisiana Tech (27-3). George Washington (23-7) will be at Southern Cal (24-3).
The winners advance to the region finals at Fayetteville, Ark.
In the West, Colorado (26-4), which narrowly avoided an upset by Marquette, will be host to Oregon (20-8) on Saturday, while Stanford (23-5), will be host to Montana (25-4).
If the Cardinal wins, it gets to play again in Palo Alto, where it is the host school for the West Regional finals.
On Sunday, Purdue (26-4), the Big Ten co-champion with Penn State, will be at home for Washington (21-7). The other game has Texas A&M (22-7), which upset Florida, at San Diego State (25-4).
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Clemson beats So. Miss. in NIT

By The Associated Press
Clemson, trailing by four points and with its best player on the bench, began to press.
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And that press, early in the second half, is not something Andre Bovain will forget. It helped the Tigers to a convincing victory Thursday night over Southern Mississippi in the opening round of the NIT.
"You could just see it in their eyes," said Bovain, who finished Clemson's 96-85 victory with 20 points. "They were confused, they didn't know what to do with the ball. It seemed like they were scared to handle it, like they'd never seen it before."
The Golden Eagles (15-15), who got 17 points from Glenn Wisby,

were forced into 19 second-half turnovers.
"We had just two turnovers at the half and then went bananas when Clemson put the press on," Southern Mississippi coach M.K. Turk said.
Elsewhere, it was Villanova 103, Canisius 79; West Virginia 85, Davidson 69; Old Dominion 76, Manhattan 74; Kansas State 78, Mississippi State 67; Brigham Young 74, Arizona State 67; and Gonzaga 80, Stanford 76.
Clemson also got 19 points and 10 rebounds from Devin Gray to advance to a second-round meeting against West Virginia.
The Tigers (17-15) trailed 52-48 and had star center Sharonne Wright on the bench with four fouls when coach Cliff Ellis called for the press.
It immediately paid off as Clemson guard Lou Richie had three steals and five points over the next three

minutes to give the Tigers a 63-57 lead.
"We tried to settle down, but they kept getting their hands on the ball and the bounces kept going their way," said Bernard Haslett, who led Southern Mississippi with 22 points.
Wright, the leading rebounder in the Atlantic Coast Conference this season, had 15 points in just 19 minutes. Richie had 16 points, 13 assists and four steals.
Brigham Young 74, Arizona State 67
At Provo, Utah, with starting guard Kurt Christensen hurt and Russell Larson on the bench with foul trouble for nine minutes of the second half, BYU still won.
When Larson went to the bench, BYU (22-9) led 48-44. When he returned, the teams were tied 59-59.
At that point, Larson sparked a 6-0 spurt with four points.

Redskins ink Gesek

ASHBURN, Va. (AP) - The Washington Redskins have signed Dallas Cowboys offensive lineman John Gesek.
"John Gesek is a proven player in this league with outstanding credentials," general manager Charley Casserly said Thursday. "He has been a starter in the past two Super Bowls and he will help us right away."
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The Brand welcomes news of friends, relatives, grandkids. Send to The Brand, Box 673, or call us. We're interested in local news!

AXYDLBAAXR is LONGFELLOW

One letter stands for another. In this sample A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

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ST. JUDE

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May The Sacred Heart of Jesus be Adored, Glorified, Loved and Preserved throughout the world, Now and Forever, Sacred Heart of Jesus Pray for us. St. Jude worker of miracles, pray for us. St. Jude Help the Hopeless, Pray for us. Say this prayer 9 times a day. By the 8th day your prayer will be answered. Say it for 9 days. It has never been known to fail. Publication must be promised.
Thank You St. Jude

MIAMI (AP) - Monica Seles has joined Martina Navratilova and Ivan Lendl in pledging allegiance to a new flag.

Seles, born in Novi Sad, Serbia, on Wednesday became a U.S. citizen, the third top-ranked tennis player from a former East-bloc country to do so. She has lived in the United States for nine years.

"This is a happy day for me," Seles said. "I am proud to be a United States citizen ... we look forward to continuing our lives here."



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Ann Landers

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Where is justice? Where is decency? What kind of judges are sitting on the benches in Montreal, Canada? Do you have the courage to print this? It is a clipping from the Sarasota (Fla.) Herald-Tribune. I am enclosing it so you will know that I am not making it up.

The headline should read: Good Lord! What next?

"A controversial 23-month-old prison sentence given a man who repeatedly sodomized his 9-year-old stepdaughter will be appealed, the prosecutor in the case said Friday.

"The stepfather was convicted on charges of sexual assault, sodomy and

invitation to sexual touching, according to prosecutor Lyne Decarie. Each offense carries a maximum sentence of 10 years.

"Quebec Court Judge Raymonde Verreault said the girl had not been raped and would suffer no permanent effects from the abuse. The judge said the man deserved credit because he had 'spared the girl's virginity.'"

Well, that is the news story, and I am eager to know what you think of it. I am certain others will be, also—D.L., Port Charlotte, Fla.

DEAR D.L.: I think, as you do, that this sort of "justice" is outrageous.

I phoned Joan Fraser, the editor of the Montreal Gazette, to inquire about this judge, and she took the time to give me a complete briefing.

It seems that Judge Raymonde Verreault is a woman, which makes this case even more bizarre.

Judge Verreault has served as justice of the Municipal Court and has been promoted to the position she now holds, which is CHIEF justice of the Municipal Court of Montreal. When Judge Verreault was elevated to this distinguished position, she left three cases of sexual assault unresolved.

When the report of the assault of the 9-year-old girl appeared in print and the judge's comments were made public, there was a great deal of criticism regarding the handling of the case. At present, the Judicial Council of Montreal is inquiring about the fitness of Judge Verreault to serve.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I read the letter in your column on women giving up their kitchens and loved every word of it. After raising 10 children and loving 17 grandchildren, it occurred to me that I had turned out thousands of casseroles. "Enough," I said to myself and decided to take early retirement and enjoy golf, tap dancing, yoga and volunteer work.

I made a planter out of my stove, and I am not kidding. I told the kids if they want to come over for a meal, fine, but to be sure to bring a bag lunch along because I am through cooking. The only thing I make these days is reservations.—Helen in Michigan.

DEAR HELEN: What a declaration of independence! Your letter should have appeared on July 4. Thank you—on behalf of the Restaurant Association of America.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: This past year, our family had the most joyous holiday season ever. I want to shout from the rooftops, but writing to you makes more sense because there's a lesson here.

I am one of six children. Our parents divorced, and both remarried about 15 years ago. Over the years, there has been a great deal of anger and hostility, especially toward my father and his second wife.

Last June, my father had a heart attack and came close to dying. This opened everyone's eyes and got us thinking along different lines.

On Thanksgiving, my father and his wife invited all his children, their spouses and the grandchildren, AND our mother and her husband to their

home for dinner. In turn, my mother and her husband invited my father and his wife to join all of us at THEIR home for Christmas.

What a wonderful time we had. No one was uncomfortable, no angry words were exchanged, just lots of love. The feeling was indescribable, and we are all looking forward to continuing this holiday tradition.—Teresa in Durham, N.C.

DEAR TERESA: How sad when family members hold grudges year after year and their children grow up strangers. They miss so much.

Thank you for a letter that I hope will embolden estranged relatives to pick up the phone and say—"We miss you. When can we get together?" I'd love to hear from readers who had the generosity of spirit to forgive and forget and take this advice.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I am a clergyperson. In 34 years of ministry, I have performed more than 1,000 weddings. You'd think I would have worked out all the issues by this time. Not so. One remains. Please help me settle it.

What should be expected of my wife and me regarding gifts for newlyweds? Many of the weddings I perform are for people who do not belong to my parish. They come to me because a co-worker or member of my congregation has recommended me. I never expect an honorarium from members of my congregation, but most of them give me one anyway.

Almost all couples send my wife and me an invitation to the rehearsal dinner and wedding. We graciously decline unless the bride or groom is a personal friend. We learned long ago that we will be seated with "Aunt Tillie from out of town," and five minutes of that is enough.

However, we cannot agree on the matter of a gift. My wife says a wedding invitation requires a gift. But most of my weddings are for people who wouldn't have invited us if I were not the minister. I say we shouldn't be expected to give gifts in those cases. What do you say?—Nebraska Minister

DEAR NEBRASKA: Your wife is wrong. Send a gift only if you would have done so had you not been asked to officiate. And now thank you for the opportunity to make an important point. Too often the clergyperson who officiates is not compensated sufficiently. This is a plea to be a little more generous, folks. It takes time to prepare for a wedding service. Most clergypersons meet with the bride and groom at least once or twice before the ceremony. It is the quality of the service that gives an aura of spirituality to the event. Reward them.

Gem of the Day: If God created anything more beautiful than a woman, he kept it to himself.

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CHURCH

DAWN BAPTIST CHURCH

The church would like to welcome the community to worship with them. Bible study each Sunday begins at 9:50 a.m. and the Sunday worship services are held at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Nursery care is provided during the Bible study and morning worship hours.

This Sunday morning we are having a Baptist Women's Day where our women will be leading our worship service. Sunday morning's message is entitled "Letters of Commendation." It is taken from the Text II Corinthians 3:1-3. The evening message is entitled "Winning Over Worry." The scripture for the evening service is taken from Matthew 6:25-34.

Saturday morning at 7, the men will be meeting for their monthly men's breakfast in the fellowship hall. Wednesday, we will begin our revival time with a 24-hour prayer vigil beginning at 7 p.m. The revival services will begin at 7 p.m. on Thursday. Services will be at 7 p.m. Thursday through Saturday and at 11 a.m. on Sunday. Howard Reynolds of Dallas will be leading us in worship through preaching. Bobby Price of Nashville, Tenn. will be leading us in worship through music. Nursery services will be provided for each revival service.

FELLOWSHIP OF BELIEVERS

We invite anyone looking for a church home to come and visit with us.

Sunday school classes for all age groups and Bible study for adults meet from 9:30-10:15 a.m. The adult class is led by Doug Manning.

The Sunday worship service, held from 10:30-11:15 a.m., is also led by Manning.

We have nursery facilities for all ages.

The free taxi service is available upon request by calling 364-0359.

At 9 a.m. April 3, a special Easter service will be held outside, weather permitting. It will be followed by a brunch. All visitors are welcome to celebrate Easter with us.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday school for all ages begins at 10 a.m. at the church located at 100 Ave. B. The Adult Bible Class will be continuing the study of I Corinthians.

During the Sunday morning worship service at 11, the theme of the sermon will be "We Share the Glory of Christ's Cross" taken from the text John 12:20-33.

Our Lenten Vespers will be at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday. "Christ Our Passover" will be the theme.

SUMMERFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH

The public is invited to attend all of the church services. Sunday school is held at 10 a.m. and the Sunday worship services are held at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. The Wednesday service is held at 7 p.m.

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Organized homemaker shares tips

Do you think that a bathroom bowl brush is only good for cleaning toilets? Not so, says Denise Schofield, author of *Confessions of an Organized Homemaker: The Secrets of Uncluttering Your Home & Taking Control of Your Life* (Betterway Books, \$10.95, paper). Schofield shares time-saving clutter-control techniques and her list of unique housekeeping tools in this fun-to-read book. Here's just a sampling:

Bathroom Bowl Brush—Handy for brushing around and underneath heavy pieces of furniture; on the carpet between stair posts; on the furniture cushions (it's good for removing pet hair); on cold air vents and exhaust fan grates and under piano pedals.

Wrist sweat band—wear one when cleaning shower walls, windows or any vertical surface. It catches all the drips that would normally run down your arm.

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Coffee Filters—They don't leave a speck of lint and are great for polishing mirrors, chrome and anything glass.

Denture brush—it's a sturdy tool for scrubbing small areas such as window and door tracks.

Seam piper-cuts through the thread, hair and string that gets twisted around the vacuum brush.

Art gum eraser—good for removing black heel marks.

PARADISE VALLEY, Ariz. (AP)—Barry Goldwater on Whitewater: Enough already!

The one-time Republican standard-bearer and former U.S. senator says Washington should cut the fuss over the land deal and let President Clinton do his job.

"I want to urge my Republican friends in Washington, and those Democrats who are participating, to get off his back and let him be president," Goldwater said Wednesday.

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