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 Expartended forecast
 Hereford weather




Texans can expect hotter temperatures this week Highs were expected to push the century mark across parts of Texas by the week-
end, with only scattered to isolated thunderstorms in the forecast, according to Associated Press reports. Stoms developed Tuesday night between Det Ri.
pated. pated.
Mostly clear skies greeted Texans in centrall and northeast parts of the state Wednesday. Some high cloudds covered the region between Childress and Wichita Falls. Fog shrouded parts of Southeast Texas.
Earty-moming temperatures ranged from the 50s 10808 s.
If was 59 degrees at Marra, 69 at Alliance Airport noar For Worth, 70 at New
Brauntels, 77 at Odessa, 76 at Abilene Brauniels, 17 at Odessa, 76 at Abilene, 80
at Dallas Love Field and 81 at Laredo and the Naval Air Station at Corpus Christi. Winds were variable from easterly to southerry at 5 to 10 mph in the Panhandie and South Plains, with
tions in the tar west.
$A$ slight chance of thunderstorms was expected through Friday in North and South Texas, the Permian Basin and Guadalupe Mountains.
Daytime highs should range trom the
unper 80 to Grande.
Lows ovemight should be in the mid-50s
to upper 60 s and mic-70s. to upper 60 s and mid-70s.

## Indicators hint U.S. economy cooling down

NEW YORK (AP) - An important gauge of
future economic activity remained unchanged future economic activity remained unchanged industry group said Wednesday
The Index of Leading Economic Indicators held steady at 106, forecasting a break from rapid economic growth for the rest of 2000,
the Conference Board said. The results met economists' expectations.
economists expectations.
The index stod at 100 in 1996, its base year. It dropped 0.1 point in May after holding
steady in Apil. steady in April.
The numbers released Wednesday may play a roie in wherher the rederal Reserve decidee
to hike interest rates when it meets Aug. 22 . Concerns about too-rapid economic expansion and fears of inflation have prompted the Ped to raise
The contral bank left rates unchanged at ite most recent meeting in June, but left the door open to ahother rate hike at its next meeting. Stocks were generally higher following the
report's release, with the Dow Jones indusropor sereease, with phe Dow jones indus-
trial average 4.67 points to 10,674 and the Naedaq composite index up 25 points to 3,710 . The Leading Indicatore are cooling off from the rapid paee registeried at the end of last year,
the said Ken Goldstein, Na
and economist for kind of performance to be expected when gross domestic product grows by 5.2 percent



Making Improveme - Johnny Dan Alaniz (left) and Navarrow Mar ind beam that will support an awning over the patio at the Hereford Aquatic Center. With the temperatures hovering in the mid-90s every day, the awning will provide some welcome relief.

## Medicare changes mean higher costs for patients

## By Donald m. Cooper

Merformend Medicicing Editar
poratients receiv-
ong treatment at ing treatment at Hereford Regional
Medical Center Medical Center will be in for a
rude surprise when they receive their bills.
Thanks to changes in the way the Medicire program pays for most hospital outpatient services
Medicare patients who Medicare patients who don't have
supplemental insurance will be li able for more out-of-pocket expenses. changes, which went into by the Health, Care Financing Ad ministration, the government agency that administers the Medicare program, and will affect Medi-
care
 oughout the The changes are contained in the Medicare's
The CArE, Page A10

## Cheney in spotlight tonight

- Texas Gov. George W. Bush arrives in Philadelphia to claim presidentia nomination. - Page 19
- Texas delegation prays while gay congressman speaks. - Page AO

PHILADELPHIA (AP) - A key player in the U.S. military victory over Iraq. A ${ }_{10}$-year member of the House. A diobe-trotting execu-
tive for a giant oil-services company. Dick tive for a giant oil-serv.
Cheney has led many lives.
His latest challenge: helping George w. Bush win the White House and then serving as vice president, a voice of experience and top
adviser, just as he was as secretary of defene adviser, just as he was as secretary of defenge
for Buabi's father when the nation went to war for Bush party watchers say Bush's choice of
GOP Cheney as his running mate complements the Texas governor's energy and exuberance with the quiet wiedom of i seasoned behind-the- about
scenes player in business, forecign policy and future.
national politics.

Dick Choney and his wife, Lynne, wave to the crowd at the GOP convention. Cheney will accept the party's vice presidential nomination tonight.
his and Bush's vision for America's
Cheney was a fairly public character durmemory. I think he'll be using part of the
apeech to reintroduce himself to the public."
said Richard Katula, professor of communications at Northeastern University in
Boston.
Cheney wrote the speech himself Aides Cheney wrote the speech himself. Aides
were mum on the themes, although his wife Lynne, appearing on NBC"s "Today" show, samd edednesday, Hell thik about.
why he decided to undertake this mis. why he decided to undertake this mis-
sion with Governor Bush and hell talk about what he's seen the governor accomplish in Texas.
Communications experts said there will
be as much riding on how he says it as be as much riding on how he says it as
what he says. There has been a lot of talk that
Hen
Chene is dull Cheney is dull and not charismatic, raising questions about how good of a cam-
paigner he is going to be.... $\mathbf{A}$ rousing paigner he is going to be .... A rousing
speech could change that perception.; speech could change that perception,
said Katheen Hall Jamieson, dean of
the Annenbery Scool for Communica. saie Annenberg School for Communica-
tion at the University of Pennsylvania tion at the University of Pennsylvania,
Bob Michel, former House minority leader Bob Michel, former House minority leader,
acknowledged that his good friend is "not one acknowledged hat his good riend is not one
of the firebrand speakers. He is calm, ratio-

nal, deliberate." But, 1 Ithink that would be | nal, deliberate." But, "I think that would be |
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## HEREFORD BRAND

## Local roundup

## Board seeks to fill position

 The Hereford Independent Schpol District Board of Trustee must fill a vacancy on the seven member board and areseeking information from community members who may be seeking information from community members
interested in serving on their local school board. The vacancy is in District 1 and appointees should be residents of this area - the southwest portion of the district. Interested Interested qualified persons should mail a letter of intent to
the Board of Trustees, c/o Hereford Independent School Disrict, 601 N. 25 Mile Avenue, Hereford, TX 79045. Letters rict, 601 N. 25 Mile Avenue, Hereford, TX 79045. Letters
should be in the hands of the school board members by the lose of school offices at $4: 30$ p.m., Aug. 4 . Trustees hope to have the vacaccy filled in time for the new
trustee to participate in the August budget process.

Llvestock deadilines near Youth wanting to participate in the Tri-State Fair must have
entries in the Extension office by Aug 10. Particiants plent entries in the Extension office by Aug. 10. Participants planning
on attending the State Fair in Dallas need to have entries in on attending the State Fair in Dallas need to have entries in
by Aug. 16. Also, price of sheep and goat validation tagi have by Aug. 16. Aso, price or sheep and goat vaidation tags have
gone pu. Idiviuals slanning on showwing heep or gats in the
2001 season need to go to the Extension office before Aug. 14, 201 season need to go to the Ext If there are any questions please
Deaf Smith County Extension office.

## Elementary open house

Aikman, Bluebonnet, and Tierra Blanca elementary schools will be hosting back to school open houses for students and
parents.
Staff at Tierra Blanca invites all students and parents to
 served afterward.
Aikman and Blu Aikman and Bluebonnet will open their doors from $2-4$ p.m., S. The first day of class is Monday, Aug. 14. Classes begin at 8 .
a.m. a.

## Immunization clinics

The Texas Department of Health, 300 Witherspoon, will be a.m. to $11: 45$ a.m. and from 1 p.m. to $4: 45$ p.m.
The clinics are charging a fee on a sliding scale to help raise funds to keep the clining open.

## Pork checkoff voters needed

 The United States Department of Agriculture and the localFarm Service Agency have announced final procedures and dates for the upcoming referendum on continuation of the pork heckoff program.
The final referendum rules provide for in-person voting Sept.
19-21, at the Deaf Smith County FSA office. Absentee ballots may be requested as
will not be available until Aug 18 . Producers who have owned and sold one or more pigs or
hogs at any time from Aug. 18, 1999, through Aug. 17, 2000,

ID photos needed
To avoid the last-minute rush, students who will be attending Hereford Junior High School classes for the first time and new year are encouraged to have their identification badge photos
taken this week at the Central Administration Building, 601 N . 55 Mile Ave.
Those needing photos will be incoming seventh- and ninthgrade students and new eighth-grade students.
Students must present their Social Security Can have their picture taken.
District poricy requires ID badges be worn by students at all
times while attending class on either mequired for library privileges and other studpent activitiee also required for library yrivieges and other student activities.
Photographs will be taken 8 a.m. -4 p.m. Monday-Thursday and 8 a.m...noon on Fridays.
Badges will be

## Waicott School registration

## Registration for classes in Walcott School will begin at 7 p.m.

 ertificates and immunization records. There also will be a hamburger cookoutparents and school personnel at the registration.

## THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

News digest

## UT seeks tuition control

HOUSTON (AP) - With backing of powerful alumni, Uni versity of rexas sys the right to set tuition and eventually boost rates at The University of Texas at Austin.
TTeres a eventually boost rates at The g more expensive to provide excellent service," UT Interin Chancellor Dan Burck told the Texas Journal of The Wal University System officials contens. that the current tuition
of $\$ 600$ a semester at UT Austin is not enough to provide high-
 quality education. The Legislature currently sets tuition rates. But, as the country's largest public university campus with
nore than 37,000 undergraduate students, some key legislators argue that UT Austin is responsible for providing low income Texans with a high-caliber education.

## Morning dipsters



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## Lawyer provides prayer guidelines

Attorney clarifies Supreme Court ruling for schools

HOUSTON (AP) - The at torney for a former high schoo ishment by the Santa Fe schoo district for leading a pre-foot ball game prayer is sending new set of legal guidelines to ffering ways school districts. comply with a June U.S. Su preme Court ruling barring uch prayers.
Kelly Coghlan, who repre sents former Santa Fe High
School student Marian Ward in a pending federal cour case, said Tuesday he is un late discussion of the issue and to resolve what he calls

## HEREFORD BRAND

Obituaries
LEONE BAUM
July 31, 2000
Services for Leone Baum 79 , of Hereford will be 2 p.m.
Friday at Parkside Chapel Funeral Home with deacon Jonny e a private family service Rosary will be recited 7 p.m Thursday at
Mrs. Baum died S the Prairie Acres Nursing Center in Friona.
Mrs. Baum Mrs. Baum was born Aug. bourg, to Alphonse and Eliza beth Didling. She moved to the United States in 1945 and had lived in Hereford since
1982. She married Robert Baum on Nov. 2, 1990, in Summerfield. She was a home maker, who loved to knit, vol unteered at the Herford Se ne Ladies Auxiliary of the Hereford VFW. She was mémber of the St. Charlee Catholic
City, Mo.
Survivors include her hus band; one daughter, Rosemary Morgan of Hereford; one step daughter, Glenda, Jesko of Hereford; two step-sons, Rob-
ert Baum of San Antonio and Bryan Baum of Werland, Wyo Bryan Baum of Werland, Wyo.,
two sisters, Mary Muller of Oberkorn, Luxembourg, and Rose Fejeam of Petange', Lu
embourg; nine grandchildren embourg; nine grandchin.
nine great-grandchildren. She was preceded in dea by John Buckley.

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Activities reported by emer gency services pelsonnel for POLICE DEPARTMENT - An 18 -year-old
arrested in the 1400 block of Cast Park and charged with
driving while intoxicated. - Ancidents - An assault was reported in
the 500 block of South 25 Mile Avenue.

- A minor accident was reSouth 25 Mile Avenue.

SHIGRIFFS DEPARTMENT | Incidents |
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$\qquad$ eported. FIRE DEPARTMENT
sponded to a smoke scare
ANIMAL CONTROL. The Hereford Animal Co trol office have a 3-month-old
black lab, a female brown labmix and an adult female Alvita or adoption. For information on these animals please con-
tact Javier Frausto at 363 -
7120 .

# LIFESTYLES 

## Reinart is Honored with bridal shower

Lindsay Ward Reinart, re-
cent bride of Todd Reinart, was cent bride-of Todd Reinart, wae
honored with a brida shower
Saturday in the home of Donna West.
Greeting guests were the new the bride: Becky Reinart mother of the groom; and Betty Frye and Irene Reinart, grandmothers of the groom.
Amy Gist, cousin of the bride, presided at the registry. Sausage balls, cheese blintz, assorted fruit breads, fresh fruit with dip and mock champagne
punch were served as refreshments.
The serving table held a bouquet of fresh summer flowers napkins, a silver candies and and crystal plates and cups Guests were seated at small tables set outdoors, each centered with a r
assorted colors.
A vacuum cleaner was the gift from hostesses Terri Johnson, Martha Rickman Karen McPherson, Cheryl Donna West, Connie Matthews, Tammy Marnell, Shelly Diller, Randy. Waltersheid, Janette Fowier, Sally Nolen, Jody Skiles, Patsy Hoffman, Christine Marnell, Martha Paetzold, Jan


Lindeay Ward Relnart, recent bride of Todd Reinart, was the honoree at a bridal showe held in the home of Donna West. Guests were greeted by, from left, Betty Frye, grandmother of

## the groom; Becky Reinart, mother of the groom; the honoree; bride. Not pictured is lrene Reinart, grandmother of the groom.

## AT THE CENTER

## Senior Citizens

 Metzen and Pam Wagner.CREATORS SYNDICATE

## Ann Landers



THURSDAYUEEnchiladas,
non, Thrift Store open 9 a.m.Spanish rice, pinto beans,
salad fixings, toostados, pine: apple; or sliced ham.
FRIDAYried FRIDAY-Fried pollock with tartar sauce, au gratin pota-
toes, , seasoned green beans, coes, , eaasoned green beans,
cabbage fruit slaw, pound cake
with lemon with lemon sauce; or cook's
choies, plain cake. choice, plain cake:
MONDA-Salisbury steak baked potato with sour cream, capri vegetables, tossed green
salad, peaches and cookie; or ham, peaches. Chicken fried steak with gravy, mashed potataes, seasoned green beans,
perfection salad, Boston cream perfection solad, Boston cream,
cake: or pork chop with
cravy, D'zerta salad, plain cake.
WEDNESDAYChicken with gravy, mashed potatoes buttered peas and carrots, picked beet salad, bread pudding beef, D'zerta pudding.
THURSDAY-Pool classes, quiting 9 a.m. $\mathbf{a}$ p.m., exer cise ciass
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a.m.,

p.m.
FRIDAY-Pool classes quilt
ing 9 a.m.-3 p..... Thrift Store ing 9 a.m.-. $\mathbf{~ p . m . m . , ~ T h r i f t ~ S t o r e ~}$ a.m. 5 p.m.
SATURDAX
p.m. dance 8 -11 M.m., dance $8-11$ p.m.
MONDAY-Pool classes, quilt ing 9 a.m. $\mathbf{3}$ p.m., doll class 1 4 p.m., Nutrition Council p.m., Progressive " 42 " 7 p.m.
TUESDAY-Pool quilting 9 a:m. 3 p.m., exer cise class $10-10: 45$, a.m.,
Beltone 10 a.m.noon, Golden Keltone 10 a.m.-noon, Golden WEDNESDAY-Pool classes quilting 9 a.m. -3 p.m., ceramces noon-4 p.m.


Rence's Estate sales



## August Beauty Spots Today in History





Softball signee-Janae Schlabs, center, signed with Midland College to play soliball for the Brenda Kitten, head softball coach Penny Summers, Charla Schlabs and Ray Schlabs.

## Underwood settles down

- Cowboys' risk looking good so far IRVING, Texas (AP) - With a sack and two tackles in his
most extensive action since most extensive action since
1997, Dimitrius Underwood finally showed why NFL teams have been willing to focus on
his potential and not his offhis potential
field problems. field problems.
Underwood played 30 snaps Sunday night in the Dallas
Cowboys' preseason opener Cowboys preseason opener
against the Pittsburgh Steelers. It was quite a mile-
stone for a guy whose career stone for a guy whose career
ended after one day in Minneended after one day in Minne-
sota and whose life nearly
ended while with Mion ended while with Miami. "I've come a long way," Underwood said. "At one point, was going, didn't know where I would be. I'm just thankful
to God that I'm here and had to God that I'm here and had Cowboys coach Dave Campo
singled out Underwood's performance.
"I was very pleased with
what I saw with Dimitrius," what I saw with Dimitrius,
Campo said. "He made some progress. It gives me great hope that he's got a chance to be a player for us."
Underwood missed his se nior year at Michigan State nior year at Michigan State
because of an ankle injury, because of an ankle injury,
but was impressive enough as
a junior that the Vikings a junior that the Vikings
drafted him in the first round drafted him in the first round
last summer. The ensuing months were
bizarre. Underwood left training camp saying he was torn between football and ministry
work. The Vikings cut him and he wound up signing for far less money from the Dolphins. He was hurt on about
his seventh play in his first
preseason game, then a month preseason game, then a month
later tried killing himself. Miami cut him in December and in March he signed an even cheaper contract with
Dallas. By then, Underwood had been diagnosed with bipolar disorder, a mental illness that triggers irrational behavior, and was controlling it with medication.
Underwood picked the Cowboys because last season they rescued the career of Alonzo
Spellman after he went Spellman after he went
through a similar ordeal. Dallas was interested in Underwood because he's only 23 and is only a year removed Underwood has a long way to go before becoming a vita member of the Cowboys' de-
fensive line. His fensive line. His emotional problems aside, Underwood has
enough to deal with just com-


## Gripp

From Page 15
begin around 1 p.m. Twenty in this year's steer roping com-
petition. Sunday, a pro-am featuring several local cowboys will paired with a professional roper and compete for the top spo after three rounds of team rop
ing. ing. Hereford youths Rodey Wil son and Marty Eakin will take to the arena after the steer roping for a junior match rop
ing competition. ing competition.
All tickets for $\$ 5$ for adults with kids 12 and under getting in free with an
adult. adult.

Buworit Buctum
ing back from such a long
layoff. Add in the jump from college to the pros and it's understandable why coaches are trying to downplay their expectations. Dallas plan, though, is to use Underwood a lot in the preseason to find out how much he can offer and how far he still has to go. ot a lot of work to do, ${ }^{\text {n }}$ said. "I started a little slow then in the middle I got a feel for it. Toward the end I went
down a fittle bit - but not too much." Underwood's first tackle
stopped Jerome Bettis after stopped Jerome Bettis after a 4-yard gain in the first quarsecond quarter when he knocked down Kent Graham for a loss of six yards.
Underwood also made a tackle on a punt return.
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- Former Hereford said Beltran
said Beltran.
Beltran was signed by Ohio wrestler finds success on and off the mat Former Hereford native eremiah Beltran was named
The Olathe Daily News Male Athlete of the Year at Olathe South High School in Kansas.
Beltran lived in Hereford until 1997 when he moved to Kansas a
After growing up without ather, Beltran said he owes
his success to his Hereford coach Rip Evers.
"Over the years from fifth grade up, my coach, Rip Evers, had been like my real dad," him and having him show me more things than what I had earned before meant so much "He. me taught me how to push
myself to the limit and how to push myself to places where people thought I could go." example to was and off the mat, but more and off the mat, but more stuck with him.
"What gets me is after all
those years he stuck with me"


## BIGGIO

Win comes at a price for Astros MIAMI (AP) - The last-place Houston Astros h nother huge loss.
The Astros lost second baseman he tore the anterior cruciate and medial collateral ligaments in his left knee, in a collision with lorida's Preston Wilson on "Winning isn't much fun on a night like this," Astros manager Larry Dierker said after a 4-3 victory. "You always like to win, out this really takes away from
Houston won its second straight game against the Marins behind Scott Elarton's strong Biggio was injured when Wilson slid into second in an attempt to break upa double play in the seventh.
Biggio landed hard on his left leg and left under his own power.
However, X-rays revealed torn ligaments.
Houston general manager

Gerry Hunsicker said Biggio will have an MRI on Friday in who lost a no-hit bid - and the Houston, but he wasn sure game - in the sixth inning when surgery would take place. Smith retired the first 13 us," said Hunsicker, whoseclub is batters and 16 of the first 18 in last place after winning the division three straight years.
it seems like there has been one thing after another. It has been a year to forget, and this just adds to it," Hunsicker said. The Astros won behind another strong game from Elarton time in eight starts.
Elarton worked. $81-3$ innings, allowing six hits and three runs
while striking out seven. while striking out seven. begtstuffi, was able to bear down neachhitter kind each situation and throw the right pitch,"
Elarton said. That's the one thing I've been able to do lately."
hing reve been able to do lately,"
Elarton was locked in a

after I finished high school so my mom wouldn't have to pay for me any more," Beltran State University this past year programs Beluran said that get ing a scholarship has always been a priority of his, and he
said he owes it to his, said he owes it to his mother.
"For my whole life I had for able to pay my mom back me and my sister:"
Beltran was the For my whole life
Beltran was the state rungoing to have a scholarahip the state title in 2000.
Tourney helps hospice

## The golf tournament held score. Third place went to this past weekend at the John Benson and frazell with a

 this past weekend at the John to benefit hospice was won by the team of Bishop and Holler who combined for a 122 .The rest of the championpilace going to Newton and Rodriguez with a 125 , and thind Tucker with their score of In the first flight, the team of Richardson and Galbreathe 131 while the team a score of 131 while the team of Stevens and Sanders tied with Smi
and Wright with a 133. In the second flight, Johnson and Lantz placed first with a 134 along with Krawpala and score of 137 .
In the third night, Rivas
and Conzales tied with Valdez In the third flight, Rivas and Mendez with a 141. Third
place went to Elioth and Scott place went to Ellioth and Scott
with a 143 . In the fourth flight, Burdine and Kelso tied with Sauceda and Gonzales by firing a 145
while Sierra and Torres placed while Sierra and.
In the final flight, Cantello and Jameson placed first with a score of 151 followed by second with a 153. Jones and second with a 153 . Jones and
Davison also shot 153 followed by MeNeese and Long who combined for a 154 placing
them fourth combined for
them fourth.


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## 'Crossing Over: It's a show with a difference

By Lynn eitber
LOS ANGELES - "Crope ing Over with John Edward ence: The studio audience is
live but the guests are goners. Outta
hereafter.
in other words, deed
Host Edward is on hand to act as go-between. He's a grown-up version of the boy
in "The Sixth Sense," if the melancholy kid eventually figout of to make a career out of making eye contact with the dearly departed.
"What you are about to see is real ${ }^{\text {l }}$ we are about to see beginning of the new Sci Fi cable channel series, showing
at 10 p.m. CDT Sunday
through Thuredey through Thursday (with re-
peats at 3 p.m. CDT the folpeats at 3 p
"Crossing Over" may be better than real. With other talk
shows, there have been instances in which guests start out alive and end up otherwise; at least here the divi-
sion is clear. sion is clear.
For that re
For that reason alone we'll
take Edward over Jerry Springer or Jenny Jones. And there's a reassuring feeling alsout post-mortem family relations as envisioned by the
self-described psychic medium. self-described psychic medium.
There are no recriminations for cheaping out on the cas-
ket, no admonishments for ket, no admonishments for blowing the inheritance. There
also aren't any towering insights about the meaning of it all, at least none that Edward is willing to share.
Instead, he crisply leads New York audience members
and celebrities including Linda


## DOHN EDMARD

"I learned a long time ago that I can't convince, convert or defend what I do. Because immediately, as soon as I have to do that, I'm putting myself in a position of saying I have to,
and I don't. If they don't have a belief system, it's not up to me to create one for them."

Dano and Carmen Electra "Is there a husband or through heavenly exchanges brother for you that's passed? with late relatives or friends. he asks another woman in
(No fireside chats so far; as the same episode. "Yes," she Edward puts it, he has yet to field a complaint about the The host tells one woman that a man, apparently her
late husband, is reaching out to her. She is unnearved when Edward relates details of a
trip she took to Niagara Fall trip she took to Niagara Falls
with the couple's daughter. with the couple's daughter. there? And did you tell your daughter that was her daddy?" ods, weeping.
He can also be blunt.

Edward and you could find tive also knows how to disarm
yourself without a very long- with humor. Deseribing distance carrier someday.) Edward definitely seems to
be a man of his time. He is not the gaudy brand of psy chic played by Whoopi Goldberg in "Ghost." This medium eschews both light tricks Think Armani sleek, not tur-
ban geek.
The Long Island, N.Y., na-
with humor. Describing an image of a dog, Edward asks a woman if her family has a new pet. Yes, she says, a gold-
fish.
"Nah, not doing fish," he Esponds. also an author ("One Last Time") and frequent rasio guest, is unconcerned about those who migh
dismiss him as a charlatan.

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## Television

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late 1970s and 80 s .
Cheney 59, has spent the past week addressing some of
those votes: against bans on "cop-killer" bullets and plastic handguns, and an embargo
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freeing Nelson Mandela and ending apartheid.
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he said. he gaid.
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Cheney offers no apologies
for his virtually 100 percent
voting record against abortion
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Republican delegates here reaf-
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Atter flunking out of Yale in 1962, Cheney returned to Wyo-
ming and. got his bachelor's and master? degrees while
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Bush port wellomst stop after an airrally where the GOP Hispanic ilternated between English afio panish as he told a crowd of better day for America, there's better day for all. .. Thoether we can make sure every child can read mine smerica."
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the message" despite goading from "the opposition. "He can disition out if he has to but he's going to stay on his to but hés soing to stay on his of his son. You dont believe of he? Alk Ann Richards. Re? Ask Ann Richards." George W. Bush ousted from the Texas governor's office, and who is remembered for derid- ing the elder Bush at the Democratic convention in 1988 for being born with a silver foot in his mouth. Well, she may have been right about that, but anyway, they cheered like hell and then right about that, but anyway, theorgheered like hell and then Geore along two years George came along two years later and showed her what she could do with that silver foot, could do with that former president said. "He did it did it by staying on the message." Tuesday, George W. said it was "amazing" that Clinton a political pundit. Hess so dee- perate to have his legacy intact y getting Al Gore elected, hell by getting Al Gore elected, he'll say anything, just like Gore will"" Clinton has belittled the Texas governor's campaign, saying one reason he was in the running was because his sdaddy was president." The elder Bush, who was defated by who was defeated by Cyinton in 1992, responded by threatening to public with his true feelLingo aboutic with his true feel- ings and and human being and as a person,", If Clinton doesn't back off, he said, the family might unleash said, the family might unleash former first lady Barbara Bush.   ments on $A P C C^{3}$ " ${ }^{\text {Good M Morning }}$ America,", taped America," "taped TMesday speaking of the disappointment about disresect brouht upon the White House singt lipe the White House since Clinton defeated her husband in 1992 . Asked if Gore would not restore such respect, she said, "It would be very becautifuese of some of the think, because of he's done.'


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vada wildfire, but scores of lightning strikes elsewhes of nited more blazes across already scorched Western states.
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ming, according to the Na-

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 strong signal in the debate ver how to teach about theorigin of life, voters chose three candidates for the Kansas Board of Education who promised to back science standards with a greater emphas Two incumbents and another candidate who support
the state's current standards the state's current standards
that play down the importance of evolution were defeated in
Republican primaries Tuesday.

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This change in the method of payment for outpatient serfound effect on Medicare beneficiaries and hospitals since
... passage of the Tax Equity and Fiscal Responsiblity Act of 1982," Taylor said.
Although the Medicare pro gram has changed the way it
pays for most hospital outpatient services, Taylor said physical therapy laboratory, ambulance and the Hereford
Health Clinic services will not he affected.
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ance (Medigap) coverage, out-of-pocket expenses will remain unchanged under the new system. However, increases may
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surance agents or carrier about possible changes:
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cent and ranging to 96.83 percent of allowable charges; 47 will see co-insurance of less than 20 percent; and payment
rates have not been deter-
ined for 133 services.
Taylor said the financial Tfect of the changes on the Wespital are not clear.
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