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Schools approve new drug-alcohol policies

Hereford school officials will be tougher on use of drugs and alcohol after the school board's approval Tuesday of extra-curricular activity discipline guidelines.

The board also approved the audit for the 1991-92 school year in a brief monthly meeting.

The new policy, the minimum for all students in all organizations and activities, came about after alleged alcohol violations last spring on a school-sponsored trip to Austin. Four students had been suspended from organizations because of alcohol violations, but were reinstated by Superintendent Charles Greenawald because of inconsistencies in policies in several organizations.

With adoption of the policy, the inconsistency is gone. Some groups, though, may have their own tougher rules concerning alcohol or drug abuse.

Students violating school policy on drugs, or any non-drug felony or serious misdemeanor (Class A or B) will be suspended immediately for 88 days from all extracurricular activities. A second violation will result in suspension for a calendar year from extracurricular activities.

HISD students using or possessing alcohol on a school-sponsored trip will be suspended from all extracurricular activities for 88 days from the time the offense takes place.

Non-school violation of the alcohol policy will result in the student receiving a written reprimand. Parents

will also receive a copy of the reprimand. Students will not be removed from an organization for a first offense alcohol violation.

A second non-school alcohol offense would result in a one-semester suspension from all extra-curricular activities. If the student is enrolled in a class for credit, the student would be allowed to continue in the class but would not be allowed to participate in games, contests or trips.

A third offense would result in the removal of the student from all extracurricular activities for one calendar year.

Some organizations may have tougher rules. Each group must spell out those tougher requirements in writing; students and parents are required to read and sign a copy of the requirements. The signed copy will be placed in the student's file.

The board received a clean audit report presented by Chris Leonard and Greg Lake of Gerhardt and Puckett in Hereford.

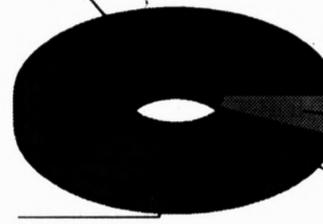
According to the audit, the school district spent, in the 1991-92 school year which ended August 31:

--\$10.9 million for instruction.
--\$3.3 million in administration, including counselors and other non-classroom expense.
--\$1.6 million for maintenance and operations.

Where our school money is spent

\$177 million spent by HISD in school last year

Instruction \$10928610



Food service \$1182560

Maintenance \$1624200

Administration \$3324082

--\$399,568 for transportation.
--\$1.18 million for food service.
HISD spent \$18.3 million in 1991-92, up from \$17.9 million in 1990-91.

In a separate audit of federal funds, the district received \$5.46 million from the federal government. About \$980,917 was on food services, including \$661,697 for the school lunch program.

Assistance begins for 1992 CSF

Providing assistance with food for Hereford's needy has become a genuinely ecumenical affair this holiday season. The Christmas Stocking Fund is coordinating its efforts with a number of local churches, civic clubs and individuals, and the end result is that a greater amount of food assistance will be delivered to the community's needy this Yule season.

The first-delivery of food packages and vouchers for utility and medical bills will be made today. Because local residents have been so generous with donations to CSF, a second round of deliveries will be made next week.

A number of Hereford's schools have conducted canned-food drives on their campuses in recent weeks, and an incredible abundance of food items have been donated. The Hereford Key Club has helped to collect all of this food for the CSF committee.

Employees of the warehouse division of Energas collected funds and purchased paper goods and toiletry items which will also be utilized by CSF in preparing packages.

CSF is also coordinating its deliveries of food assistance with the Whiteface Kiwanis Club, St. Anthony's Catholic Church, and the San Jose Water District, so that a large number of food packages can be delivered to the needy.

Local churches, clubs and individuals have also contacted CSF through the Red Cross office to obtain information on families in need of help. The holiday charity also helps the less fortunate with such needs as clothing, utilities and medical care.

The Hereford Brand serves to coordinate the fund raising for CSF. The newspaper office will accept late donations through Jan. 31, or they can be mailed to CSF in care of Box 673, Hereford.

CHRISTMAS STOCKING FUND

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St. Anthony's students perform at FNB

Third graders from St. Anthony's School in Hereford recently re-enacted the Nativity during a performance in the lobby at First National Bank in Hereford. The presentation was one of many provided by local students to FNB customers.

American killed in Somalia

MOGADISHU, Somalia (AP) - A U.S. Army employee was killed and three other American civilians wounded today when their vehicle struck an anti-tank mine near Bardera, the next destination of the Marines' mercy mission.

The death was the first of an American since Marines came ashore in Mogadishu on Dec. 9 as the vanguard of a U.S.-led multinational force to safeguard the delivery of food to Somalia's starving.

The four, three of them State Department security officials, were in the area on a reconnaissance mission, Marine spokesman Col. Fred Peck said in Mogadishu. He said the Army employee was killed instantly.

He said a second mine was found in the area but did not know if the mines were newly laid.

"They were traveling in an area where it was assumed all known mines were marked," Peck said. The four had traveled from Baidoa, about 120 miles north, along the same route 1,000 Marines and French paratroopers planned to take Thursday.

U.S. special envoy Robert Oakley was to fly to Bardera later today to talk to clan elders and community leaders in advance of the Marines' arrival. In fact, the helicopter that was initially to have taken him to Bardera was used to evacuate the wounded, Peck said.

He said today's incident would not

affect U.S. plans to move into Bardera.

Peck noted that it was well known that the road from Baidoa to Bardera was mined, as is the road to Hoddur, where Marines are headed on Christmas.

On Tuesday, Peck said no opposition was expected in either Bardera or Hoddur, which is about 90 miles north of Baidoa.

Both towns are important distribution points for aid in a country where famine has taken up to 350,000 lives and threatens 2 million more.

The Marines planned to leave Baidoa at first light Thursday and seize Bardera's airport before sundown. Two companies of French paratroopers and one company of Marines were to then take Hoddur.

Oakley had not planned to meet today with the local warlord in Bardera, a former aide to ousted dictator Mohamed Siad Barre. The U.S. special envoy also visited Mogadishu, Beji Dogle and Baidoa before coalition forces moved into those towns, meeting with warlords.

Gen. Mohamed Said Hirsi, known as Gen. Morgan, controls Bardera. He was among the most ruthless commanders in Siad Barre's army.

Morgan planned and executed the bombing raids that reduced the northern Somalia town of Hargeisa to rubble in the civil war that preceded the dictator's January 1991 downfall.

Even as Operation Restore Hope progressed, the argument over the mission's goals intensified.

U.N. Secretary-General Boutros-Ghali, who insists the U.S.-led force disarm roving gunmen and set up a police force before heading home, met in New York on Tuesday night with Secretary of State Lawrence Eagleburger.

No one commented on the meeting's outcome.

Eagleburger then sat in with a group of U.N. and U.S. officials to try to resolve differences that Boutros-Ghali has not hesitated to publicize, most recently in a weekend letter to the Security Council released on Monday.

President Bush wants to quickly wrap up three-week-old Operation Restore Hope and have U.N. peacekeepers replace the Americans. Americans in Somalia say disarming is not feasible militarily, or desirable politically.

Critics of the U.S. plan argue that the looters who plagued relief efforts before the Marines landed - and are now lying low in areas foreign forces have reached - would quickly resume their pillaging.

Washington's hopes that a conventional U.N. peacekeeping force will swiftly replace the U.S. troops. Bush would like to pull out Americans next month.

Rives gets raise after evaluation

BY SPEEDY NIEMAN Editor-Publisher

Directors of Deaf Smith County Hospital District Tuesday night approved an employee benefit plan, a bond refinancing plan and the purchase of new ultrasound equipment.

Following an executive session to review its evaluation of hospital administrator Ron Rives, the board approved a 10 percent increase in his base salary. "The board was well pleased with the administrator, especially in areas where the hospital has been weak," said board chairman John Perrin. Rives' base salary of \$60,000 will be raised by \$6,000 a year. Benefits will remain the same.

Directors also reviewed operations and financial figures and heard a medical staff report from Dr. Jesse Perales. The medical staff named new officers for 1993 with Dr. Perales being reelected as chief of staff. Dr. Gerald Payne is vice president and Dr. Robert Bidwell is secretary.

The board had solicited bids on a group health insurance plan, and Rives outlined the costs on four of the lowest bids. The board accepted a plan from Ted Parker Associates of Lubbock, with B.J. Gilliland of Hereford as agent of record, at a cost of \$107,853 per year. The plan includes hospitalization, life insurance, accidental death and dismemberment coverage, and dental benefits. The board tabled action on Worker Compensation insurance.

George Willeford, First Southwest Company, presented a bond refinancing plan which would save the district about \$45,000 in interest over a 10-year period. The board approved an order to authorize the issuance of bonds to replace a 1987 issue in the amount of just over \$1 million.

Claudia Smith, support services administrator, attended the meeting and requested purchase of new ultrasound equipment. She explained the current equipment was eight years old, and the new and improved model would be much more beneficial and

add to the hospital's capabilities. By trading in the old equipment, the cost would be \$78,900.

Strategic plan near completion--Page 2

Rives explained the equipment was in the budget for up to \$100,000, but recommended approving a 48-month payout plan with Hereford State Bank to assist with the cash flow. Directors unanimously approved.

Paul Fowler, chief financial officer, reported operating revenue of \$737,108 for November and an operating income of \$81,521. With non-operating revenue added, mostly from tax revenue, the net gain for November was \$328,008. This compared to a gain of \$6,686 last month when third-party contractals were high.

Rives reported that 130 patients were admitted in November, including 21 newborn infants. Average daily census was 14.8, compared to 10.8 a year ago. Major gains were noted in surgical procedures, lab tests, radiology procedures, emergency room, respiratory therapy treatments, home health visits and ambulance runs. Patient meals and outpatient visits had also increased.

Directors also reviewed a new organizational chart which was recently approved. Rives is listed under the board of directors as chief executive officer. The medical staff is headed by Dr. Perales, and the three department heads are Paul Fowler, chief financial officer; Renee Hammock, clinical services administrator; and Claudia Smith, support services administrator.

Directors present for the meeting were Perrin, Mal Manchec, Paul Abalos, Dr. Stan Fry Jr., Boyd Foster and Dr. Bidwell. Absent was Merle Clark. A number of hospital staff members were present, as well as three insurance company representatives, and Speedy Nieman of The Hereford Brand.

FirstPerryton Bancorp buying Amarillo bank

FirstPerryton Bancorp Inc., parent company of First National Bank in Hereford, has purchased Texas Commerce Bank in Amarillo.

"We expect it to be a bank that's operated fairly autonomous to our holding company in Perryton," said John Cluck, FirstPerryton chairman. The purchase will boost FirstPerryton's assets to more than

\$400 million, making it the third largest Panhandle-based banking group.

The purchase is pending approval by Federal Reserve Bank in Dallas. That could take up to six months.

FirstPerryton also owns banks in Perryton and Pampa, and a branch bank in Booker.

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Local Roundup

Deadlines changed for holidays

Deadlines have been changed for several upcoming editions of the **Brand** to adjust for printing schedules and for the holidays.

For the Dec. 31, **Brand**, non-breaking news items like Church News and club reports must be submitted by 5 p.m. MONDAY. Classifieds for the Dec. 31 **Brand** must be in the office by noon Wednesday. For the Jan. 3 **Sunday Brand**, the classified deadline is 3 p.m. on Dec. 30.

The **Brand** will be closed Friday for Christmas Day. The office will be closed most of the afternoon Thursday, but the circulation department will be open Thursday until 7 p.m., and will be staffed on Saturday.

Colder weather tonight

Tonight, mostly clear and cold with a low around 15. Northeast wind 5 to 15 mph, becoming southwest late.

Thursday, mostly sunny with a high in the middle 40s. Southwest wind 15 to 20 mph and gusty.

Christmas weekend forecast, no precipitation is expected. Highs in the 40s. Lows in the lower 20s.

This morning's low at KPAN was 21 after a high Tuesday of 56.

Man arrested Tuesday

Hereford police arrested a man, 21, for assault at Bluewater Gardens on Tuesday.

Reports in the city included criminal mischief at Jack Griffin Apartments, where two vehicles were sprayed with a fire extinguisher; a purse, with about \$400 in cash and checks, taken from a car in the 1100 block of W. Park; four cow skulls were taken from a yard in the 600 block of Stanton; theft of a wood stove from the porch of a house in the 100 block of Beach; terroristic threat in the 200 block of Elm; a CB radio taken from a vehicle; unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, with a car taken from Clovis driven to the police department here, where it was turned over to authorities; dog running loose in the 100 block of Ave. I; and kids throwing snowballs at vehicles in the 200 block of N. 25 Mile Ave.

Police issued one ticket Tuesday.

Sheriff's deputies investigated a domestic dispute in Dawn on Tuesday. They also arrested a woman, 44, on a theft by check warrant from Hale County on Tuesday.

Morales drops from running for Senate vacancy

AUSTIN (AP) - Gov. Ann Richards says she hopes to reach a decision soon on who she will appoint to the U.S. Senate seat being vacated by Lloyd Bentsen.

"I'd like to do it this week. I'd like to get it done ... It's occupying a tremendous amount of time," Richards said after talking with more candidates Tuesday.

One candidate, Attorney General Dan Morales, has taken himself out of the running and another Republican has joined the fray.

Morales told the governor during a Tuesday afternoon meeting that he is not interested in the job, according to Morales spokesman Ron Dusek.

"He said that he is running for attorney general and he is not a candidate for the Senate," Dusek said.

The governor said she was moving "very quickly" but denied having a short list of finalists.

"I really encourage you not to think that some decision is made, because it isn't," she said.

Richards again ruled out appointing herself: "I have no interest in making this race."

Some news reports suggested that U.S. Rep. Mike Andrews of Houston was high on Richards' list.

Asked about him, she described Andrews, 48, as "personable ... attractive. I think he has a constituency."

But then she immediately mentioned several more names: U.S. Reps. John Bryant and Martin Frost, both of Dallas, U.S. Rep. Jim Chapman of Sulphur Springs, Railroad Commissioner Bob Krueger and Morales.



RICHARDS

Frost and Krueger met with the governor on Monday. She also has talked with former Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and his son Paul, 32, a Houston businessman.

With Bentsen becoming U.S. Treasury secretary, the Democratic governor will appoint an interim replacement to serve until a special election, probably in May. The winner will complete Bentsen's term, which runs through 1994.

Meanwhile, another Republican tossed his hat into the ring.

U.S. Rep. Jack Fields of Humble filed a statement of candidacy Tuesday, saying that expressions of support from friends and family have convinced him that he can win the race.

"Serving in the Senate will provide me with a larger forum in which to work for a better economic future for the state of Texas and all its citizens," Fields said.

Fields, 40, has served in Congress since 1981. He joins U.S. Rep. Joe Barton, R-Ennis, as the second announced candidate in the race.

Barton of Ennis, declared his special election candidacy last week. Another Republican, state Treasurer Kay Bailey Hutchison, says her decision will be made soon.

While not saying who she might appoint, Richards indicated that it could be a congressman. She said experience in a statewide election wasn't essential.

Andrews raised money for Richards' 1990 gubernatorial bid and has a sizeable support base in Houston that could boost his chances in a multi-candidate special election.

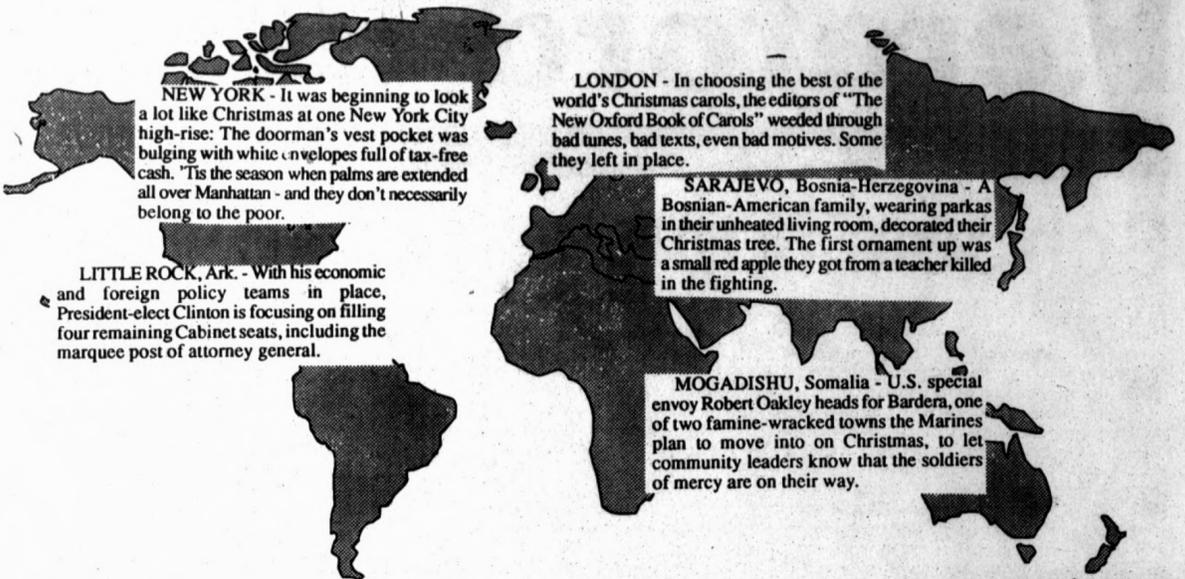
However, some Democrats noted, Andrews also was named as writing overdrafts on the U.S. House bank. That issue was raised by his Republican opponent in last month's elections, but Andrews was re-elected with 56 percent of the vote.

"I don't think it makes much difference," Richards said. "I've looked at other races around the country where people had overdrafts ... and many of them were elected. Any human being is going to have negatives."

Without being specific, the governor hinted at the pressure she's getting from Democrats anxious to retain Bentsen's seat. The state's other senator is a Republican, Phil Gramm.

"You cannot satisfy everyone with one candidate," Richards said. "So the question is whether or not other candidates are going to get in (to an election race)."

News digest



NEW YORK - It was beginning to look a lot like Christmas at one New York City high-rise: The doorman's vest pocket was bulging with white envelopes full of tax-free cash. 'Tis the season when palms are extended all over Manhattan - and they don't necessarily belong to the poor.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. - With his economic and foreign policy teams in place, President-elect Clinton is focusing on filling four remaining Cabinet seats, including the marquee post of attorney general.

LONDON - In choosing the best of the world's Christmas carols, the editors of "The New Oxford Book of Carols" weeded through bad tunes, bad texts, even bad motives. Some they left in place.

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina - A Bosnian-American family, wearing parkas in their unheated living room, decorated their Christmas tree. The first ornament up was a small red apple they got from a teacher killed in the fighting.

MOGADISHU, Somalia - U.S. special envoy Robert Oakley heads for Bardera, one of two famine-wracked towns the Marines plan to move into on Christmas, to let community leaders know that the soldiers of mercy are on their way.

WASHINGTON - When Bill Clinton was considering candidates for his administration's top foreign affairs and defense jobs, he faced a dilemma: how to keep a campaign promise of change while entrusting the nation's security to experienced hands.



Rouse winner in lighting contest

The home of Gerda Rouse, 231 Ranger, was selected as a winner in the residential window/door division of the Christmas Lighting Contest sponsored by the Women's Division.

DSGH strategic plan near finish

Deciding on specific strategies to reach Deaf Smith General Hospital's goals for the future of health care delivery services in Hereford was the job of the third strategic planning session Dec. 15. Almost 50 community leaders and individuals from DSGH's board of directors, administration, staff, and medical staff met to formulate the specifics of the plan.

"The ideas generated by this group are really exciting," Ron Rives, administrator of DSGH, said. "We will meet for a final session January 12 to finish the strategic planning process."

The group was formed to put together a strategic plan for DSGH.

"This is the first time in many years that we will have a comprehensive plan for the future," Rives said. "By bringing together this diverse group, we've tried to anticipate the health care needs in Hereford for the next several years."

The group has evaluated plans regarding possible changes or additions to the hospital's physical plant; the addition of new services or improvement of current services offered; the addition of new equipment and technology; and formulation of enhanced marketing activities. During the first planning session, the planners

wrote the "mission statement" for the hospital, which specifically cites the purpose of the hospital and its place in the community. Session number two was used to list specific goals for the future.

"The strategic plan will be used to undergird future decisions about health care in Hereford. As we are making decisions, we can consult the plan's goals and objectives to be sure that our future decision fits the needs we have identified in this process," Rives added.

Specific components of the plan will be released following the final session in January.

Cattlemen win 'Ivomec' settlement

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP) - Cattle owners in 14 states have reached a \$478,000 settlement with a Colorado drug company for selling a counterfeit dewormer as the real thing, attorneys said Tuesday.

Growers covered by the settlement are in California, Colorado, Florida, Kansas, Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Carolina, South Dakota, Wyoming, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas and Utah.

More than 700,000 cattle were injected with the fake Ivomec, causing weight loss and depressed market prices in infected livestock because owners thought their animals were protected against worms.

Lextron Inc. of Greeley, Colo., was accused of selling a fake version of the premium Merck & Co. product with false labels and counterfeit contents late last year and early this year.

"It was sold as a genuine Merck product. The bottles were counterfeited as well as the labels," said cattle owners' attorney Marty Smith.

A message left at Lextron headquarters was not immediately returned.

The cattle industry solved its puzzling weight loss problem when Merck sued Lextron over the drug, said Phillip Sheeche, another cattle industry attorney. Merck, which has

settled its own suit, had no comment on the new agreement.

"A lot of people realized that perhaps was why there had been such a problem with the herds," Sheeche said.

Cattle owners paid about \$250 a bottle for the counterfeit Ivomec, and the settlement provides \$1,500 per bottle, attorneys said. Each dose cost \$2 to \$6, depending on the cattle's size.

"I would say that it was a good settlement for the cattlemen," Smith said.

DOE proposes plutonium storage

AMARILLO (AP) - An Energy Department draft environmental assessment released to state officials Tuesday proposes that plutonium be stored at the Pantex Plant for six to 10 years.

The assessment also finds that increased plutonium storage at the plant won't affect nearby communi-

ties or the Ogallala Aquifer, which provides water for Amarillo and much of the High Plains.

A spokesman for Gov. Ann Richards on Tuesday said no one was available to comment on the report because most employees had already left for Christmas.

Pantex, about 17 miles northeast

of Amarillo, is the nation's primary assembly and disassembly plant for the nation's nuclear warheads.

Energy Secretary James Watkins told Pantex workers earlier this year that the plant would be storing plutonium weapons cores for an interim period until the department decided on a permanent storage plan.

Obituaries

MARY ELIZABETH GILBERT

Dec. 22, 1992

Mary Elizabeth Gilbert, 72, of Hereford, died Tuesday, Dec. 22, 1992.

Memorial services will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Christ's Church Fellowship in Hereford with Dr. Alton B. Tomlin, pastor, officiating. Arrangements are through Gilliland-Watson-Funeral Home.

Mrs. Gilbert was born March 17, 1920 in Iowa. She married Cleo Earl Lay on August 14, 1937 in Glenwood, Iowa. He preceded her in death in 1948. She married William S. Gilbert on Nov. 19, 1949 in Glenwood, Iowa. He died in 1983.

She moved to Deaf Smith County in 1968 from Rock Port, Mo.

She was a member of Christ's Church Fellowship and Amarillo Bible Church.

Survivors include four sons, Francis Martin Lay and Steve Gilbert of Hereford, David Lee Lay of Breckenridge and William Michael Gilbert of Red Oak, Iowa; three daughters, Linda Gilbert of Hereford, Mary Labauie of Glendale, Ariz., and Carol Sallee of San Antonio; a brother, John Joseph Messenger of Lebanon; and eight grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial to a favorite charity.

Hospital Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Perez are the parents of a boy, Matthew Andrew Perez, born Dec. 19, 1992. Weight was 7 pounds, 2 1/2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Allen Leonard are the parents of a boy, Ryan Scott Leonard, born Dec. 19, 1992. Weight was 8 pounds 13 1/2 ounces.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Maria De Jesus Cabrera and infant boy, Amy Castillo and infant boy, Ricardo Castillo, Margaret Collins, Hector D. Figueroa, Carolan Garza and infant boy, Isabel Manriquez and infant boy, Eva Mendoza, Merle Mills, Thurman Morris, Celia Ortega, Ona Mae Rutledge, Marcie White, Atha Wilks.

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Making holiday favors

Deaf Smith County 4-H Food Project participants recently made holiday tray favors and presented them to the local nursing homes. Betsy and Anne Weaver, daughters of Joe and Linda Weaver, presented favors to (from left) Bea Noland and Helen Kirkeby.

Last-minute gift ideas

December, the month of holiday good cheer, also produces several situations that can catch you off guard. For example, a neighbor brings over a poinsettia unexpectedly, an office colleague gives you a coffee mug, or your child's friend brings over fresh-baked cookies and, in each case, you don't have a present to give in return. This year, be prepared for these surprises by stocking up with a variety of clever, unique gifts that are appropriate for all ages and interests. Put each gift in a festive holiday bag with a little tissue paper. Keep these bundles in a basket at your front door and in a drawer at your office.

- Some suggestions for your holiday "grab bag":
- Under \$5**
 - Small picture frame
 - An UNO card game
 - An ornament
 - Address book
 - Calculator
 - Under \$10**
 - A cassette of holiday music
 - For a special senior, the card game Skip-Bo
 - Holiday potpourri
 - Movie gift certificates
 - Jar of red, white and green jelly beans
 - Under \$20**
 - Sweatshirt
 - A holiday cookbook
 - Jigsaw puzzle

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Sorority meets for annual gift exchange

Members of Xi Epsilon Alpha Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority met Tuesday evening, Dec. 15, in the home of Dona Hendrickson for the chapter's meeting and annual Christmas gift exchange. Adopted Sister Billie Brown was welcomed as a special guest.

Twenty music students of Susan Shaw presented the cultural program of beautifully performed Christmas carols and seasonal songs. Heidi and Emilee Hafliager, daughters of chapter member, Denise Hafliager, were introduced as members of the chorus.

Deann Harris presided at the meeting in the absence of President Kay Williams, who left the meeting to see her husband, Oscar, honored as Big Brother of the Year by the Big Brothers/Big Sisters Organization.

After roll call was answered and the opening ritual repeated, minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved.

Thanks yous were extended to secret sisters by Melinda Henson, Gaye Reily, Deann Harris, and Ruby Sanders.

Denise Hafliager reported that the City Council meeting was postponed until Jan. 11, 1993, with Melinda Henson to serve as hostess. Linda Arellano, chairperson of the Sweetheart Brunch, will give a report at that time.

The Service Committee collected toys from members. The toys were then donated to the Deaf Smith County Chapter of the American Red Cross. They will be distributed to

needy children for Christmas. Arellano conducted a "name that Christmas song" puzzler adding to the monies raised for the Christmas Stocking Fund.

Connie Matthews reported that the scrapbook committee will start taking pictures of members and committees at the next meeting planned Jan. 5 with Peggy Hyer serving as hostess. At the meeting, Deann Harris will present the cultural program entitled "Marriage--What is Successful."

Christmas gifts were exchanged and a variety of members' favorite Christmas treats were enjoyed.

Those present included Linda Arellano, Kay Williams, Marge Bell, Susan Shaw, Ruby Sanders, Connie Matthews, Dalene Burns, Melinda Henson, Deann Harris, Denise Hafliager, Dona Hendrickson, Susan Cardinal, Peggy Hyer, Carol Kelley, Brenda Ramey and Gaye Reily.

New Arrivals

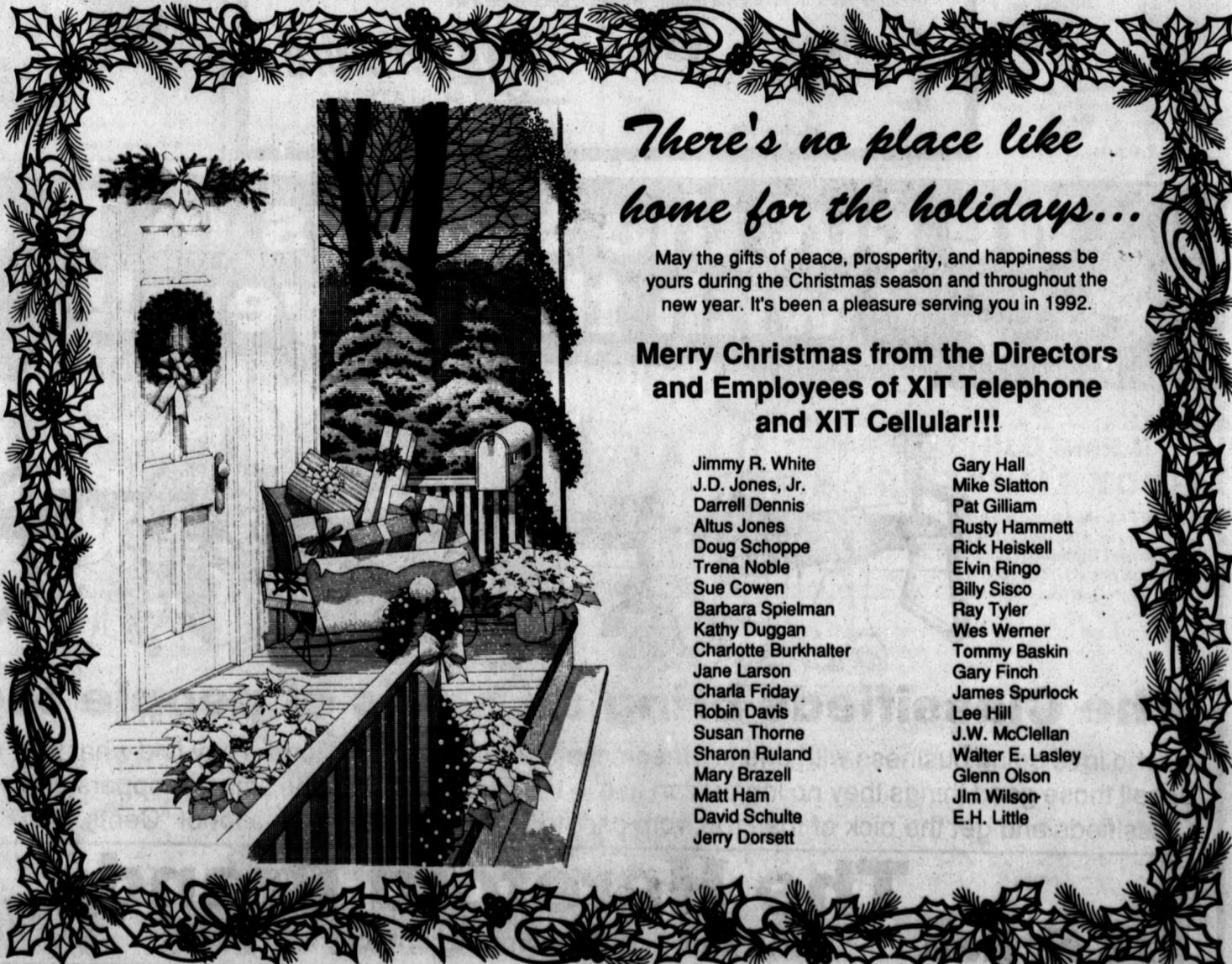
Lance and Karen Walton of Lubbock are the parents of Samantha Michelle, born Dec. 15 in Lubbock. She weighed five pounds, three ounces.

She has an older sister, Lauren. Grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. Duffy McBrayer of Hereford, Floyd Walton of Alamosa, Colo. and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Pruitt of Floydada.

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WASHINGTON (AP) - Jesse Jackson has been hospitalized with bronchitis.

The 51-year-old civil rights leader was admitted to Howard University Hospital on Sunday. He developed a fever and congestion after giving a sermon.

Jackson was reported in good condition.

He will remain in the hospital until tests determine the seriousness of the infection, said Lois Dyer, a hospital spokeswoman.

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Zsa Zsa Gabor loaded up a shopping cart - not with Rodeo Drive diamonds and pearls, but with turkeys for the homeless.

The director of a women's shelter, Vera Davis, called Miss Gabor last week and told her the center needed 100 turkeys for the poor.

"She said, 'Oh Vera, dahling, I was just talking about you last night,'" Davis said. "I asked her if she could help, and she said, 'You got it.'"

Miss Gabor called Merv Griffin and Barron Hilton, her ex-husband's son, and they each pitched in \$500 for the spree Tuesday.

The former actress worked at the shelter as part of her sentence for slapping a policeman during a 1989 traffic stop.

SPORTS

NFL owners, players reach labor agreement in principle

NEW YORK (AP) - After five years, the NFL has apparently reached the brink of labor peace, a peace that will include the league's first unrestricted free agency.

After 12 hours of meetings Monday and Tuesday, the players and owners announced they had reached agreement in principle on the first agreement since the 24-day strike in 1987 that threw almost all labor matters into the courts or before federal agencies.

Neither side would give details, but it is believed the agreement is very close to the "framework" agreed upon two weeks ago, which would bring free agency for the first time, impose a salary cap and cut the draft from 12 rounds to seven.

"We've had two full days of discussion totaling 12 hours," the statement said. "We made progress on the remaining issues and have

reached a tentative settlement agreement in principle. We will attempt to finalize on it Monday."

Details from the meetings of the last two days were sparse, indicating two things:

- That there was indeed progress close to a settlement - when things are close, the rhetoric stops.

- Participants indicated that the agreement was still a bit shaky and that the league negotiators must still do a selling job through Christmas and over the final weekend of the regular season.

"We're trying to get from here to next Monday," one participant said, speaking on the condition of anonymity.

"It's got to be a fair deal or we'll have to take our chances in court," said Cleveland owner Art Modell, one of the owners who prefers negotiated settlement to court action. He said there were still some points unresolved.

The agreement follows a period in which the league's labor relations were shifted from collective bargaining to court.

Last September, a jury in Minneapolis handed down a verdict throwing out Plan B, the league's limited free agency plan. Judge David Doty, who presided at that trial, subsequently let nine unsigned veterans become free agents this season, including All-Pro tight end Keith Jackson, who left Philadelphia and signed with Miami.

Doty, who must approve this

settlement, also had a behind-the-scenes role in the talks, urging the two sides to reach agreement on their own. He told both sides that neither might like any settlement he imposed.

Last week, the owners met in Dallas to consider the plan put forth in the agreement between commissioner Paul Tagliabue and Jim Quinn, lawyer for the players in the Minnesota suit and chief negotiator for them in the contract talks.

But Tagliabue could get only three members of the seven-member negotiating committee to agree on the settlement and after a long session involving all 28 teams went back to work with Quinn.

One source familiar with the framework agreed upon two weeks ago said that he had spoken Monday night with negotiators, who told him the tentative agreement didn't differ much.

That would mean free agency for players with five years' experience and a salary cap kicking in when player costs reach 67 percent of gross revenue. It would include a seven-round draft with \$2 million per team allocated for draft choices - less than some high first-rounders get now.

It also would allow teams to designate a "franchise player" who would be protected through the life of his contract. Teams would also be able to protect two players this year, one next year and none thereafter.

In general, that would allow most teams to keep stars.



State champs

Thomas Suarez (left) and Jaime Suarez won state championships in their respective classes at the Texas State Silver Gloves Boxing Championships held last weekend in Dallas. Thomas won in the intermediate open division, and Jaime won in the junior novice class. Thomas goes on to the regional level in January in Little Rock, Ark.; if he wins there, he goes on to the national competition. Both boys are coached by Robert Suarez.

Major Teams

OVERLAND PARK, Kan. (AP) - The 1992 season was the 124th for college football and the NCAA reported a gain of one team in Division I-A, which is the category for major college teams.

Nevada and Arkansas State received major club status which raised the number of teams in I-A to 107. Long Beach State dropped football after being ranked I-A.

Cowboys celebrate winning division

IRVING (AP) - Cowboys don't drink champagne.

But the Dallas Cowboys did celebrate their first outright NFC Eastern Division championship in 11 years on Tuesday with some backslapping and T-shirt modeling.

"Champagne isn't coach (Jimmy) Johnson's style," said quarterback Troy Aikman who hit 18 of 21 passes and three touchdowns in the Cowboys 41-17 victory over the Atlanta Falcons on Monday night.

"We did get some T-shirts," Aikman said.

Fans stormed the ticket windows at Texas Stadium to snap up the remaining 10,000 ducats at \$31 each for the Cowboys second round NFC playoff game on either Jan. 9 or Jan. 10.

Dallas will play the Minnesota Vikings if the Central Division champions win their wild-card game.

Should Minnesota lose, Dallas would play the winner of the other wild-card matchup.

The Cowboys will be shooting for a club-record 13th victory when they host the Chicago Bears at 3 p.m. on Sunday at Texas Stadium.

"This is something we've been working for since I've been here," Aikman said. "I hope in the years ahead we grow accustomed to it."

(See COWBOYS, Page 6)

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Suns, Sonics claim power in Pacific Division

By The Associated Press
The balance of power appears to be shifting in the NBA's Pacific Division this season.
Phoenix and Seattle, finishing third and fourth last spring, are in first and second place following victories Tuesday night over Golden State and Portland, the second and first-place teams last season.

The Suns, who have the best record in the NBA at 17-4, won their 10th consecutive game as Charles Barkley had 35 points, 16 rebounds and the game-winning tip-in with 18 seconds left in a 106-104 victory over the Warriors.
The SuperSonics also were impressive in their fourth straight

win, 107-96 at Portland. Derrick McKey scored 26 points for Seattle, which played without leading scorer and rebounder Shawn Kemp because of a sprained knee.
"Everybody had to step up to another level without Shawn," McKey said. "We felt we've been coming together as a team, and tonight we showed that. It's a

confidence builder to beat a team as good as Portland in their own building."
"We didn't make many mistakes," Sonics coach George Karl said. "I thought Derrick had an all-star type game. Derrick is a funny player to coach. Even in games when he is not going well, you don't want to take him out because he could pick everything up all at once."

Spurs 113, Nuggets 108
John Lucas' NBA coaching debut was a success thanks to David Robinson's 21 points, 18 rebounds and eight blocked shots.
Lucas was hired Friday night to replace Jerry Tarkanian, who was fired 20 games into the season.
Dale Ellis and Sean Elliott scored 23 points each for the Spurs.

bench late in the third quarter and early in the fourth with four fouls, but returned to bail out the faltering Magic with six points, six rebounds and three blocked shots in the final 10 minutes.

Duke's bench stands up

By The Associated Press
Talk about the rich getting richer. Duke has a bench, too.

There's been talk that the Blue Devils' depth isn't what it's been over the last couple of seasons, and that the bench could be an Achilles' heel if coach Mike Krzyzewski has to turn to it.

It didn't look that way Tuesday night, when the Blue Devils (6-0) cruised into the championship game of the Maui Invitational with a 96-67 victory over previously unbeaten Louisiana State. Duke will play Brigham Young, which beat Memphis State 73-67 in overtime in the other semifinal game, in tonight's title game.

"I didn't know how our bench would be coming into this year," Krzyzewski said. "We have three players who have played so much college basketball, but we had six we just didn't know about."

Duke's reserves provided a big lift when it was really needed. With temperatures outside the Lahaina Civic Center in the 80s and a standing room-only crowd of better than 3,000 heating things up inside, a dose of relief was helpful.

Duke, seeking its 19th straight win, led 24-13 just over 8 minutes into the game and Bobby Hurley, the point guard who has played in three straight NCAA title games, needed a rest. Enter freshman Chris Collins, who had four points in the next 2:47.
Swingman Grant Hill had eight points in the opening 7 minutes. When he had to sit, Marty Clark came on to force a quick turnover and score on a drive with 8:05 left to make it 30-17.

Duke shot 62 percent in the first half (18 for 29) and led 51-33, as the three stars - Hurley, Grant Hill and Thomas Hill - went a combined 12-for-16.

Thomas Hill finished with 25

points, while Hurley had 15, Grant Hill 14, Clark 13 and Collins 10 as Duke ended LSU's 12-game winning streak in Hawaii.

In other top-25 games, it was No. 3 Kentucky 65, Miami of Ohio 49; No. 5 North Carolina 84, Ohio State 64; No. 8 Iowa 90, Southern Illinois 70; No. 9 Oklahoma 105, Chaminade 88; No. 12 UCLA 80, Cal State-Northridge 73; No. 13 Syracuse 102, LeMoyn 71; Providence 81, No. 14 Arizona 66; No. 15 Purdue 48, SW Missouri State 45; No. 16 Georgia Tech 81, Tennessee-Chattanooga 74; No. 18 Florida State 95, Arkansas-Little Rock 64; No. 21 California 81, Wake Forest 65 and No. 22 Connecticut 90, Fairfield 66.

No. 3 Kentucky 65, Miami, Ohio 49
Jamal Mashburn scored 11 of his 26 points during a 29-13 run as Kentucky overcame a seven-point first-half deficit.

No. 5 North Carolina 84, Ohio St. 64
Eric Montross was 8 for 8 from the field and scored 20 points, and the Tar Heels (7-0) hit 10 of their first 11 shots in the second half to pull away.

No. 8 Iowa 90, S. Illinois 70
Val Barnes had a season-high 23 points and Chris Street added 20 for the Hawkeyes.

No. 9 Oklahoma 105, Chaminade 88
The Sooners used a 23-3 second-half surge to beat Division II Chaminade. Bryan Sallier had 20 points and 13 rebounds to lead the Sooners.

No. 12 UCLA 80, CS Northridge 73
Ed O'Bannon's dunk with 3:35 remaining snapped a tie and put the Bruins ahead. The visiting Matadors tied the game 67-67 on a 3-point shot by James Morris with 3:44 to go.

O'Bannon's dunk nine seconds later triggered a 13-6 game-ending spurt.

No. 13 Syracuse 102, LeMoyn 71
Lawrence Moten had 16 points and 12 rebounds in 20 minutes for the Orangemen.

The Dolphins stayed close for five minutes before Syracuse put together runs of 19-3 and 17-2 en route to a 51-27 halftime lead.

Providence 81, No. 14 Arizona 66
Trent Forbes scored 27 points, including seven 3-pointers, and the Friars held off a second-half rally to beat the visiting Wildcats.

No. 15 Purdue 48, SWMS 45
Cuonzo Martin scored 20 points as the Boilermaker outlasted Southwest Missouri. Purdue didn't take the lead for good until Martin hit a turnaround jumper for a 32-31 edge with 10 minutes remaining.

No. 16 Georgia Tech 81, Tennessee-Chattanooga 74
James Forrest had 21 points and 17 rebounds as the Yellow Jackets rallied.

Forrest hit 8 of 15 shots and won 5 of 5 from the free throw line.

No. 18 Florida St. 95, UALR 64
Doug Edwards had 16 points for the Seminoles. Florida State allowed the Trojans to get no closer than 15 points in the second half.

No. 21 Cal 81, Wake Forest 65
Lamond Murray scored 22 points and the Bears, sparked by the defensive wizardry of freshman guard Jason Kidd, beat Wake Forest. Cal wasn't headed after Kidd's 3-pointer at the buzzer gave the Bears a 33-30 halftime lead.

No. 22 Connecticut 90, Fairfield 66
Scott Burrell scored 19 points, Donny Marshall had a career-high 17 and Connecticut's press overwhelmed Fairfield.

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YMCA SPORTS CALENDAR

1993 VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE

- PLAYER RESTRICTION:**
 - May play on only one Coed Team
 - No age limit
- LEAGUE FORMATION:** Depending on number of teams entered, divisions may be combined. 1) Minimum of four teams needed to form a division.
- LEAGUES OFFERED:** Coed AA, A and B
- DIVISION CLARIFICATION:** Coed Division A: Modified power rules
Coed Division B: Recreational Rules
- GAME DAYS:** Monday, Tuesday & Thursday nights depending on the number of teams entered. Games start at 6:30 p.m. Let us know if you need to play on a certain day, we will try to be flexible.
- SIGN-UP DEADLINE:** Thursday, December 31st, 1992
- GAME LOCATION:** Hereford YMCA, 500 E. 15th Street, Hereford, Texas 79045
- LENGTH OF LEAGUE:** Eight games plus Double Elimination Tournament at the end.
- TEAM ROSTER:** Roster must be final by January 11th, 1993. Unlimited roster. Everyone on team rosters must be full paid participants.
- AWARDS:** Teams Shirts for 1st and 2nd place in each division.
- GAMES START:** Monday, January 4th, 1993
- ENTRY FEE:** \$95.00 Team Fee or \$8.00 Y Members and \$24.00 NON Y Members
*ENTRY FEE SHOULD BE TURNED IN WITH ROSTER

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YOUTH BASKETBALL

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*ENTRY DEADLINE - DECEMBER 28TH

THE LEAGUE: The YMCA Basketball League is designed for boys and girls, 1st - 6th grade. All girls and boys are eligible to play regardless of athletic ability. Teams are coached by adult volunteers. Every game is supervised and referees are provided. The league specializes in wholesome competition while teaching the fundamentals of team play and good sportsmanship. Every girl and boy plays in every game. We will have three divisions: 1st & 2nd, 3rd & 4th and 5th & 6th grades. The teams will be drawn at the YMCA office. PLEASE DO NOT REQUEST PLAYERS TO BE ON CERTAIN TEAMS!
*Six year olds may play in the 1st and 2nd grade divisions.

DATES: Teams play and practice once a week after the season starts. Practice starts the week of January 10th (depending on availability of gym) and games begin Saturday 23rd.

*Coaches will be notified of game location and date of Coaches Meeting.

LEAGUE FEE & ELIGIBILITY: League fee will be \$10.00. Additional children in same family \$15.00 each. All participants must be YMCA members. YMCA memberships for youths are \$25.00 a year.

***ENTRY FEE MUST ACCOMPANY REGISTRATION FORM!**

SCHOLARSHIPS: Scholarships are available for those who need assistance. (Contact Weldon or Norma Jean at 364-6990).

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: Girls and boys supply their own shoes. (Only tennis shoes will be permitted for play and practice.)

1993 MEN'S 5 ON 5 BASKETBALL

- TWO DIVISIONS:** A & B
- Out of town residents may participate in the league.
- Players must play in at least half of the regular season games to be eligible for tournament.
- AGE LIMIT:** None
- AWARDS:** Individual Shirts or Trophies (limit 10) to Tournament Winner, Team Trophies to 1st, 2nd and 3rd place Tournament Winners.
- LEAGUE REFEREES:** One paid League Referee and one paid Team Referee to be scheduled by the YMCA.
- GAME DAY:** Sunday's starting at 1:00 p.m.
- STARTING DATE:** SUNDAY, JANUARY 10TH, 1993
- SIGN UP DEADLINE:** Friday, December 31st, 1992 at 3:00 p.m.
- ENTRY FORM MUST ACCOMPANY ENTRY FORM!**
- Games will be played at the YMCA and Stanton Jr. High
- ENTRY FEE:** \$220.00 per team.

RACQUETBALL LEAGUE

CLASSIFICATION OFFERED: Mens: Open A, B, C, D
Womens: Open A, B, C, D

TYPE OF LEAGUE: Singles handicapped

LENGTH OF LEAGUE: 6 weeks plus playoffs

PLAYER LIMIT: League is open to first 24 paid entrants

DEADLINE: Thursday, December 31st, 1992

PLAYING DAY: Thursday's starting at 7:00 p.m.
League starts January 7th, 1993

ENTRY FEE: \$10.00 Y Members
\$20.00 Non Y Members

MATHCES: Best three out of five 12 point games

AWARDS: T-Shirts

DIVISIONS: To keep the league competitive, two divisions will be offered. Division I is for higher ranked players. Division II is for lower ranked players. Please enter the division you would enjoy most.

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DIVISION OFFERED: Coed Open Power, Coed A, Coed B, Mens and Womens

***Coed Open Power:** Men and Women spike. 8ft. net. Amarillo rules.

***Coed A:** Men do not spike. 7 1/2 ft. net.

***Coed B:** Recreational rules. 7 1/2 ft. net.

***Mens & Womens:** Power rules.

*Depending on number of teams entered Coed A and Coed B could be combined. If combined A rules will be applied to play.

ENTRY DEADLINE: Tuesday, December 15th.

ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 per team plus a new toy valued from \$7.00 to \$10.00

*Entry fee must accompany entry form

***TOURNAMENT SCHEDULES WILL BE READY AT 1:00 P.M. ON WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 16TH**

*TEAMS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR FINDING OUT THEIR PLAYING TIMES BY CALLING THE YMCA AT 364-6990.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 364-6990

Oilers, 'Skins can improve position by losing

By DAVE GOLDBERG
AP Football Writer

The NFL's playoff tiebreaker system is great for trivia buffs who can pore over the endless possibilities and call their favorite talk-show to disperse their findings to the general public.

Except for one built-in flaw - the system has built-in disincentives.

That is, even in a year like this one, with only two of 12 playoff berths at stake the final week, there

are teams that have reason to lose, like Houston and Philadelphia.

And teams that have reason to be confused, like Washington, which can lose and make the playoffs and win and miss them.

"I'm not sure what's happening," coach Joe Gibbs says of his Redskins. "I just know someone has to help us."

Start with the Oilers, who already have clinched their wild-card berth and can't help themselves if they beat

Buffalo on Sunday night in the Astrodome. But they do have disincentive - if they win, they most likely will have to go to Buffalo the following week, not a particularly pleasant place to be on Jan. 3, particularly for a run-and-shoot team.

So what better test for Warren Moon, who may get a little work to get sharp after recovering from his broken arm? So what if he's not sharp. You only need him sharp for next week.

Now the Eagles. If things stay the way they are, Philadelphia will go to New Orleans to try to finally win a playoff game. If they lose, the Eagles would probably go to Minnesota.

The Eagles beat the Vikings and Saints in the regular season, both at home. But they had a lot more trouble with New Orleans and they were playing a lot better then - it was the opening game of the season. So ... if they lie down against the Giants, would anyone blame them?

Which brings us to the Redskins. Washington, which has been battling Philadelphia all year for a playoff berth, will have to root for the Eagles this week against the Giants, who have long since been eliminated.

Why? So the Eagles can stay ahead of them. Because if the Skins finish in

a three-way tie with the Eagles and Packers, they miss the playoffs.

It works this way. If the Redskins and Packers (both 9-6) lose, the Redskins are in.

If the Redskins and Packers win, the Packers get in if the Giants beat the Eagles; the Redskins get in if the Eagles beat the Giants.

The Packers are playing the Vikings, who have clinched the NFC Central and know that they'll have to play the first week at home, then go on the road if they win ... thus no incentive. In fact, they might have disincentive, too - if they lose, they get the Packers; if they win, they get Washington, which won 15-13 at the Humphreysdome at a time it was without most of its offensive line.

In 1984, for example, four of the five NFC East teams (yes, even the Cards) went into the final week with a chance to make the playoffs. One of the four was the Giants, who played then-dismal New Orleans at home the final week knowing their playoff fate didn't depend on whether they won or lost.

So they lost ... and made the playoffs anyway when the Redskins beat the Cards and the Dolphins beat the Cowboys.

Which brings up the Giants-Eagles game this week.

The Giants, who revived last last week to beat the Chiefs 35-21, may have the ultimate disincentive.

If they beat the Eagles, that's a pretty good finish.

It may also save Ray Handley's job.

Which is not what most of the Giants want.

COWBOYS

The Cowboys tied the New York Giants for the NFC East title in 1985 and won the right to advance to the playoffs on a tiebreaker.

"This was the goal we set in training camp," Johnson said. "Now we have other goals."

Owner Jerry Jones, who bought the team four years ago then made an unpopular move by summarily firing Tom Landry, said "We've grown as a club to this point. We had hoped to win the division again. This is going to be very special having that first playoff game in Texas Stadium."

Under Johnson, the Cowboys defeated Chicago on the road last year in a wild-card game then lost the next week to the Detroit Lions.

The Cowboys haven't played in a Super Bowl since 1979.

Johnson said the division title in "the toughest division in football" is another vindication for the budding dynasty which he and Jones have put together.

"Everybody figured we were in over our heads when we took over," Johnson said. "Maybe now they can see we know what we're doing."

Certainly Aikman knew what he was doing.

"Not enough can be said about

No. 8," Jones said. "Aikman is having the type of year that can win championships."

Aikman said after the game "I didn't realize that I had that high of a completion percentage. Everything was working. I didn't get knocked down all night and could throw on time. The receivers did a great job of getting open against a tough pressure defense..."

Running back Emmitt Smith scored two touchdowns to reach a club-record 20 total. He is also only five yards behind Pittsburgh's Barry Foster for the NFL running title.

Smith had 174 yards against the Falcons and was taken out of the game in the fourth period.

"I have no earthly idea why I was taken out," Smith said "but I'm not going to argue with the decision. I did feel strong. Right now the NFC East title and the Super Bowl are the most important things."

Arnold Palmer was the first pro golfer to earn \$1 million in tournament play.

Jockey Angel Cordero was named to five different sports Hall of Fames.

Moon may, may not play

HOUSTON (AP) - Houston Oilers quarterback Warren Moon likely will be listed as questionable for Sunday's game against the Buffalo Bills, a team spokesman said.

Oilers spokesman Bob Schranz said it was still undecided Tuesday whether Moon would play this weekend in Houston's regular-season finale.

However, Moon will return to practice and an X-ray indicated his injury was "looking better," Schranz said.

Moon broke his upper left arm Nov. 15 against Minnesota and has missed five straight games.

Jones' Record

OVERLAND PARK, Kan. (AP) - Howard Jones, one of the great college football coaches in the first part of the 20th century, led the Southern California Trojans to a perfect record in the Rose Bowl, five wins in as many tries.

Jones also was credited with six national titles but at three different schools. He won at Yale, Iowa, and the last four at Southern Cal.

Television

WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 23

6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
Chanukah	Ramona	Movie: It Happened One Christmas	M. Thomas	Movie: Sunshine Christmas	C. DeYoung (1977)	Candlelight				
News	Cosby	Unsolved Mysteries	Seinfeld	Mad About	Law & Order	News	(35) Tonight Show			
MacNeil/Lehrer		Metropolitan Opera Presents K. Battle	L. Pavarotti	Christmas at King's	Tony	MacNeil				
Hillbillies	Sanford	Movie: High Noon	G. Cooper	(45) Movie: High Noon II	L. Majors, D. Carridine	(45) Courage Mountain				
News	Wheel	Wonder	Doogie, M. Home	Coach	Civil Wars	News	(35) Cheer.	(05) Tonlg.		
Waltons		Young Riders	Kenny/Dolly	700 Club	Scarecrow and King	Bonanza				
Design	Jeffersons	Movie: Loose Cannons	G. Hackman, D. Aykroyd	News	Night Court	Kojak				
Design	Married	HBO Anniversary	In the Heat of the Night	48 Hours	News	(35) Gold.	(05) Studs			
Sports	Top Rank Boxing	Phillips vs. Ward (L)		College Basketball	Max Classic, championship (L)	Sports	SpeedWeek			
Roseanne	Murphy B.	Beverly Hills, 90210	Melrose Place	Star Trek: Next	M*A*S*H	Arsenio Hall				
Looney	Bulwinkle	Get Smart	Superman	Mary T	Van Dyke	Dragnet	Hitchcock	Lucy Show	F Troop	Mr. Ed
Quantum Leap		Murder, She Wrote	Movie: Blackmail	S. Blakey, M. Davis (1991)	MacGyver					
(5:00) Three Warriors (G)		Movie: Suburban Commando	(1991) (35) Super	Movie: Cinema Paradiso	P. Noret, J. Perrin	Indian (R)				
(5:15) Sluggo's Wife		Movie: Lethal Weapon	M. Gibson, D. Glover (R)	Crypt Tales	Dream On	L. Sanders	Maricop Cop 3	R. Dav		
(5:30) Yar Future Hunter		Movie: Life Is Sweet	A. Steadman (1991) (R)	Movie: Common Bonds	M. Inoside	(50) Dark Backward	R.			
(4:30) VideoPM		Crook and Chase	Nashville Now	Christmas	Club Dance	Miller				
American Documents	Mac	Animals	Wings of the Luftwaffe	Mac	Animals	Luftwaffe				
Wilderness	Search Of	Bible	Justice	Spies	First Flight	Travel	Evening at the Improv	Bible		
SEC '93	HS Extra	Col. Bowl	Movie: Evil in Clear River	L. Wagner, R. Quaid	thirtysomething	China				
Jetsons	Bugs	Movie: It Happened One Night	C. Colbert	(15) Movie: Bringing Up Baby	K. Hepburn, C. Grant	(1938)				
Jesuit Jml	Prism	Carols From Winchester	Choir	Xmas	Stanton	Stage Door	Harmony	Joy Music	Christmas	
Baila Comigo		María Mercedes	Cara Sucia	Portada	Noticiero	Doctor	Vero			

Comics

Marvin By Tom Armstrong

NOW REMEMBER THE PLAN, BITSY, YOU'RE TO STAY AWAKE TONIGHT AND WATCH THE FIREPLACE... THEN COME AND GET ME UP THE SECOND SANTA ARRIVES! YOU CAN COUNT ON ME! BOY, THIS SURE BRINGS BACK MEMORIES... THE LAST TIME I PULLED AN ALL-NIGHTER WAS BACK WHEN I HAD TO CRAM FOR MY OBEDIENCE SCHOOL FINAL

BEETLE BAILEY By Mort Walker

I'M STUMPED ON WHAT TO GET MY WIFE FOR HER BIRTHDAY WOMEN LIKE PERSONAL GIFTS WITH A LITTLE THOUGHT PUT INTO IT GOOD IDEA! GET ME ONE!

Barney Google and Snuffy Smith By Fred Lasswell

MARY BETH!! WHAT ARE YOU WHININ' ABOUT? JUGHAID WON'T TALK TO ME NO MORE!! JEST BECAUSE I BEAT HIM SHOOTIN' MARVELS!! WITH BOYS-- "IF YOU WIN, YOU LOSE!!!"

The Wizard of Id By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart

...AND SO I PRESENT YOU WITH THIS CERTIFICATE OF COMMENDATION I'M WHELMED! ...THAT'S OVERWHELMED! I KNOW WHAT I AM

BLONDIE by Dean Young and Stan Drake

ARE YOU LOOKING FORWARD TO CHRISTMAS, MR. BEASLEY? CHRISTMAS TO A LETTER CARRIER IS A PAIN IN THE NECK... AND A PAIN IN THE FEET... AND A PAIN IN THE LEGS... AND A PAIN IN THE FEET... I'M SURE GLAD HE STOPPED WHERE HE DID YES, I WAS GETTING A LITTLE WORRIED MYSELF

THURSDAY DECEMBER 24

7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
Fraggle	Pooh	Quack	Ann	Laprecht, Casper	Family	Best	Walt Disney Presents	Umbrella		
Today				Jenny Jones	Geraldo		F. Daniels	Concan.	Days/Lives	
Explore	Explore	Lamb Chop	Mr. Rogers	Barney	Sesame Street		Movie: Torrid Zone	J. Cagney	Christmas	
(05) Jeanie	(35) Bewitc.	(05) Little House		(05) Movie: Beyond Atlantis	P. Wayne, J. Ashley	(05) Perry Mason			(05) King	
Good Morning America				Donahue		Regis & Kathie Lee			News	
Gadget	Popeye	Waltons		700 Club		Shells	Paid Program		Bonanza	
Flintstones	Bozo		Bewitched	Perry Mason		Jean Rivers		Geraldo	News	
(6:00) CBS This Morning	Vicki		Design	Q	Family	Price Is Right		Young and the Restless	News	
(6:00) SportsCenter	Workout	Body	SportsCenter	Body	Getting Fit	Body Mot'n	Body	Equestrian		
Goof Troop	Darkwing	Beetlejuice	Swan	700 Club		Robert Tilton		Hunter	A. Griffith	
Looney	Heathcliff	Muppet	Mays Bee	David	Little Koala	Eureka's Castle		Elephant	Ziggy	Noozles
(6:00) Cartoon Express				Murder, She Wrote	Divorce Ct.	Divorce Ct.	Judge	Judge	Superior	
Paperboy C. Schiffer	Day In Hollywood			Movie: Command Decision	C. Gable (1948)			Movie: Look Who's Talking	Too K. Alley	
Babar	Pinochio	Movie: Jack and the Beanstalk (G)		(45) Movie: Her Alibi	T. Sellack, P. Porizkova (PG)	Cabaret	L. Minnelli			
Movie: King David	R. Gere, E. Woodward (1985)			Movie: Guess Who's Coming to Dinner	(1967)	Movie: Irma La Douce	S. MacLaine			
Off Air	VideoMorning					Cookin'	Go Our	Crook		
Off Air	Voices and Visions	Best	Great	Gourmet	Graham	Easy Does	HomeWorks	Passage		
Wilderness	Search Of	Movie: Duck Soup	G. Marx	Survivors	Fugitive	Mrs. Columbo		Rockford		
Baby	Grow'g Up	thirtysomething		Movie: David	B. Peters, J. Glover (1988)		Gourmet	Shop Drop	Supermar.	
Forum Tennis Challenge				Action Ski	Prime	Ed Rendell	NBA Action	Pro Surfing	Tennis	
Popeye	Pink Panther Parade	Toons Till Noon						Movie: Adv. of Huck Finn	(1960)	
Tukiki	Xmas Trees	Good Tree	Perfect	J. Falwell	Bible	COPE		Baptist Hour	Festival	
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Bear Xmas	Candlelight	Capra: A Personal Remembrance					Claymation	McKey	Holiday	Nutcracker
(12:00) Cnt.	Another World	Santa Barbara		Oprah Winfrey			Maury Povich		Curr. Affair	NBC News
Body	Shakhashiri Xmas	Taste La.	Sesame Street	Read	Sandiego	Square One	Shirley	Ghostwriter		
(12:05) King Kong Lives	L. Hamilton	(05) Jerry	(35) Flint.	(05) Jetson	(35) Brady	(05) Saved	(05) Saved	(05) 3's Co	(35) Andy	
Limbaugh	One Life to Live	General Hospital	Sally Jessy Raphael	Family	You Bet	Jeopardy!	ABC News			
(12:00) Cnt.	Father	My 3 Sons	Incredible Animal Hour	Archie	Mario	Popeye	Gadget	Madeline	Savior/Born	
(12:00) Cnt.	A. Griffith	Henry	Design	By the Bell	3 Stooges	Hulk Hogan	Flintstones	Captain N	By the Ball	Star Str.
Beautiful	As the World Turns	Guilding Light	Matlock		In Edition	Hard Copy	News	CBS News		
(12:00) Cnt.	School Sport	Expedition Earth	Ocean Challenge (R)		Outside the Lines	Thorough.	Up Close			
People	Perry Mason	Highway to Heaven	Merry	Jerry Kids	Thy Toons	Batman	Full House	Diff World		
LNI' Bits	Muppet	Dennis	Flipper	Looney	Underdog	Yogi	Nick	Hey Dude	Would You?	Crazy Kids
Superior	Sale	Win, Lose	Hollywood	Scrabble	Pyramid	Press Luck	Cartoon Express	MacGyver		
Movie: Gator	B. Reynolds (1978) (PG)	(25) Movie: Oklahoma City	Dolls	S. Blakey (1981)	(25) Movie: Support Your Local Sheriff!	(1969)				
(11:30) Cabaret	Movie: Dead Ahead: Exxon		Rita Rudner		Movie: Young Einstein	Y. Senous	(45) Nutcr.			
(11:00) Irma La Douce	Movie: Don't Tell Mom	C. Applegate	(15) Movie: Big Man on Campus	A. Katz, C. Parker	Taps	T. Hutton (1981)				
(12:00) Cnt.	Be a Star	Top Card	Cookin'	Christmas	Club Dance	Be a Star	VideoPM			
Great	Gourmet	Graham	Easy Does	HomeWorks	World Away	Beyond 2000	W. Moose	Wildlife		
(12:00) Cnt.	Movie: Barnard and the Genie		Animals	Fugitive		City of Angels		Rockford Files		
Born Lucky	China Beach	thirtysomething		Movie: I'll Be Home for Christmas	H. Holtbrook	Supermar.	Shop Drop			
(12:00) Exhibition Tennis	World Superbike Racing	Action Ski	Adventure!	Bicycle Racing	Fish'g	HS Extra				
(11:00) Mov	(15) Movie: Boy and the Pirates	C. Herbert (1960)	Movie: Mays	C. Walker, J. North (1966)		Bugs	Planet			
Illini	Bless Me	Catch	Xmas	Noire	A	Cristina	Enchanted Forest	Children Sing	Christmas	
(12:00) No	Ines Duarte, Secretaria	Cadenas de Amargura	Cristina			Noticiero	Y Mas	Genera	Noticiero	

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(05) Movie: Babes in Toyland	T. Sands (1961)	Movie: A Mom for Christmas	O. Newton, John	Child's Christmas	Bing					
News	Cosby	Out Night	DIW World	Cheers	Wings	L.A. Law		News	TBA	Christmas
MacNeil/Lehrer		Great Performances	Mystery!			King's Singers		Savior/Born	Bucknell Christmas	
Hillbillies	Sanford	Grinch	Movie: Miracle in the Wilderness	(1991)		Movie: Gathering	E. Asner, M. Stapleton (1977)			
News	Wheel	Delta	Room Two	Homefront		PrimeTime Live		News	(35) Cheer.	(05) Tonlg.
Prince.Val.	Zorro	Brother	Brother	Pin Tin Tin	Maricop	700.Club		Scarecrow and King	Bonanza	
Design	Jeffersons	Movie: It's a Wonderful Life	J. Stewart, D. Reed (1946)	News		Movie: Scrooge	A. Sim, K. Harrison			
Design	Married	Times Night	WishWings	Movie: A Christmas Carol	G. C. Scott (1984)	News	(35) Corn. Baptist			
Sports	Best of SportsCenter '92		Figure Skating	Amazing Games	Finland	Iditarod	Sports	Volleyball		
Roseanne	Murphy B.	Simpsons	Martin	Li'l G Color	Down	Star Trek: Next		M*A*S*H	Arsenio Hall	
Looney	Bulwinkle	Get Smart	Superman	Mary T	Van Dyke	Dragnet	Hitchcock	Lucy Show	F Troop	Mr. Ed
Quantum Leap		Movie: World According to Garp	R. Williams, M. Beth Hurt (1982) (R)	MacGyver						
Day in Hollywood		Movie: Look Who's Talking	Too K. Alley	Provenza		Movie: What About Bob?	R. Dreyfuss (1991)	Once (1991)		
(5:45) Nutcracker Prince	N. Diamond's Xmas	Movie: Into the Sun	A. Michael Hill, M. Pare (R)			Inside the NFL		Meet (1991)		
(5:00) Taps										

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Never rent a Golf Cart again!! MinnKota Electric Golf Caddy...including battery and charger. Only \$479.00 plus tax...See at Dave's Pro Shop at the Golf Course...or at Stevens Chevrolet-Oldsmobile, N. Hwy. 385 Hereford, Texas. 22759

Red Mesquite firewood for sale. 364-7132. Delivered & stacked \$150.00. 22796

Nintendo tapes on sale \$10 & \$12. Living room sets, dinettes, chests, dressers, knick knacks & lots more. Also buying 501 Levis & jackets. Maldonados, 208 N. Main 364-4418. 22799

Antique pocket watch, hunt case, small grandfathers clock, Silver coffee tea service, Silver Chafing dish. 364-5673. 22805

For sale: Kirby vacuum cleaner, must sacrifice immediately. 364-9411. 22806

Meaningful gifts for "just married" kids! Family Memory Book and Family Favorite Recipes at Merle Norman Cosmetics and The Gift Garden. 22807

Dress your table with Cuthbertson Christmas Tree dinnerware. Buy a mug, a place setting or a set at Merle Norman Cosmetics and The Gift Garden, 220 N. Main. 22808

For the nature lover: Silk or porcelain flowers, Sarna bells, chimes, bird houses and feeders, herbs in a can, plant markers. Merle Norman Cosmetics and The Gift Garden. 22809

The new stocking stuffer: Disabling Chemical Spray protective device. Also perfect for the travellers on your list: Kid's Trip Diary, Travel Coffemaker, room alarm, makeup and jewelry bags and light luggage. The Gift Garden. 22810

Super cute AFCA flamepoint Himalayan male kitten, born 10-18-92, shots started, \$175.00. 364-0503. 22814

Chester drawers & end tables, lamps, china wear, silverware, bicycles & parts. 320 Ave. C. 22821

For sale King size waterbed with mirror, lights, underdrawers, extra firm mattress, \$300.00, firm. Paid \$1,200.00. 289-5874 after 6p.m. 22822

2-Farm Equipment

For sale: John Deere 8-row 30" 7300 Max-E-Merge II Vacuum planter -Bedroll, furrow bullets, markers-5 sets of seed discs, lock & Load Herbicide boxes, band & broadcast spray attachment & adjustable trash whippers-258-7570;678-9814-mobile 22818

3-Cars For Sale

For sale: 1990 Chevy 4x4 extended cab, 258-7253 days; 655-4313 nights ask for Jerry. 22795

For sale 1986 Firebird, good condition, \$3500. 364-6176. 22819

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4-Real Estate

For sale by owner. Approximately 1900 square foot, nice backyard, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, Northwest Hereford. 364-4025. 22464

By owner: attractive 3 bedroom, 1 bath house. 201 Avenue J. By appointment only. \$35,000. 364-1865. 22762

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STUMPED? For answers to today's crossword, call 1-900-454-7377 199¢ per minute, touch-tone / rotary phones. (18+ only.) A King Features service, NYC.

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5-Homes For Rent

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Apartments and houses for rent. Call 364-8620. 22538

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One bedroom furnished apartments, \$185/ monthly \$75 deposit. Water paid, 203 Lawton. 364-1736. 22707

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Two bedroom apartment, stove, fridge, dishwasher, disposal, fireplace, fenced patio, gas & water paid NW area, 364-4370 22750

Two, three or four bedroom duplex, stove, fenced yard. 364-4370. 22815

6-Wanted

Want to buy, bolt bins for shop. 276-5239. 22775

8-Help Wanted

Management position open now. Career opportunity, full training program. Good company benefits, high school graduate with some retail experience. Send resume to Box 673xyz. 22679

MANAGER TRAINEE
\$300/weekly opportunity, need 3 people to learn and assist manager. For personal interview call Amarillo 373-7489 between 9a.m.-11a.m. only.

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10-Announcements

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Merry Christmas & thank you for your patronage during 1992! We still have every day low prices on men's & women's Ropers. The Cobbler, 337 N. Miles 22798

12-Livestock

Round wheat bale hay for sale. 258-7736. 22802

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF HERBERT ERNEST BIPPUS, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Administration upon the Estate of HERBERT ERNEST BIPPUS were issued to me, the undersigned, on the 14th day of December, 1992, in the proceeding below my signature hereto, which proceeding is still pending, and that I now hold such letters. All persons who may have claims against said estate which is being administered in the County below named, are hereby required to present same to me at my residence address in Deaf Smith County, Texas, and with my post office address being: 129 Centre, Hereford, Texas 79045, before suit upon same is barred by the Statutes of Limitation, and within the time prescribed by law. DATED this 14th day of December, 1992.

/s/ NORMA L. TOMBERLIN
Administratrix of the
Estate of HERBERT ERNEST
BIPPUS, Deceased, No.
3987 in the County
Court of Deaf Smith
County, Texas

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice to all persons interested in the property located at 120 West Park Avenue, being all of Block 1 Welsh Addition to the Town of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas. The Board of Adjustment will hold a meeting, open to the public at 10:00 A.M. at the City Hall on December 28, 1992, for the purpose of considering an appeal from certain zoning regulations applicable to the above property.

/s/ Terri Johnson
City Secretary
All City Board meetings are available to all persons regardless of disability. If you require special assistance, please contact City Hall, 224 N. Lee Street, Hereford or call 364-2128 at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting.

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.

12-23 CRYPTOQUOTE
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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: HE WHO IS PLENTEOUSLY PROVIDED FOR FROM WITHIN NEEDS BUT LITTLE FROM WITHOUT. — GOETHE

Grant to integrate Tech-Prep concept

Thanks to a \$5,000 grant awarded by the Tech-Prep Statewide Professional Development Consortium of Texas, West Texas State University's Division of Education will be given the opportunity to integrate Tech-Prep contents and methods into teacher education curriculum. The statewide consortium is affiliated with Texas A&M University and is funded by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, The Texas Education Agency and the Texas Department of Commerce. The grant is the result of a proposal prepared by Dr. Gerald Chen, associate professor of engineering technology, and Dr. Ted Guffy, head of the Division of Education.

College in Borger, Clarendon College and the 67 independent school districts in the Texas Panhandle.

Tech-Prep is a nation-wide educational reform concept authorized by the Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Applied Technology Education Act of 1990. The program emphasizes technical preparation in the job market for students at the secondary school level. It also provides students with academic education to allow them to extend their education to the post-secondary level.

ASPEN, Colo. (AP) - Liza Minnelli has backed out of a show organized to raise money to repeal Colorado's law against gay rights.

The singer was persuaded by friends to join a growing boycott of the state, her spokesman, Allen Eichorn, said Tuesday.

"It's gotten much bigger and much more political. The boycott has gotten a lot bigger in the last couple of days, and more focused since The New York Times editorial," he said.

He said Minnelli remains opposed to the law. The measure, approved by the voters last month, prohibits civil rights protection for homosexuals. Its passage rescinded gay-rights measures in Aspen, Boulder and Denver.

Minnelli was supposed to be the headliner at the show Sunday. Before she backed out, singers John Denver and John Oates and actor Anthony Zerbe had agreed to perform.

Origin of Christmas cards

Sending Christmas cards has been a part of American holiday tradition for generations, but the practice originated in Victorian England, where personal "visiting cards" were embellished with seasonal designs for Christmas and New Year's.

The first Christmas card was created in 1843, when Sir Henry Cole commissioned artist John Horsley to design illustrated holiday postcards for conveying seasonal greetings to his many acquaintances.

Apparently the idea was warmly embraced; approximately 1,000 of the newly-designed postcards were sold for one shilling each.

Now An American Custom
In less than thirty years, the custom of exchanging Christmas cards also was incorporated into American holiday observances.

In 1870, the United States Postal Service introduced a half-price rate for mailing unsealed cards, and the first American-made Christmas cards were designed in Boston around that time. The earliest cards generally featured

illustrations of flowers, landscapes, children or animals, but as American Christmas lore and traditions continued to evolve, the art of these seasonal postcards incorporated and reflected these changes.

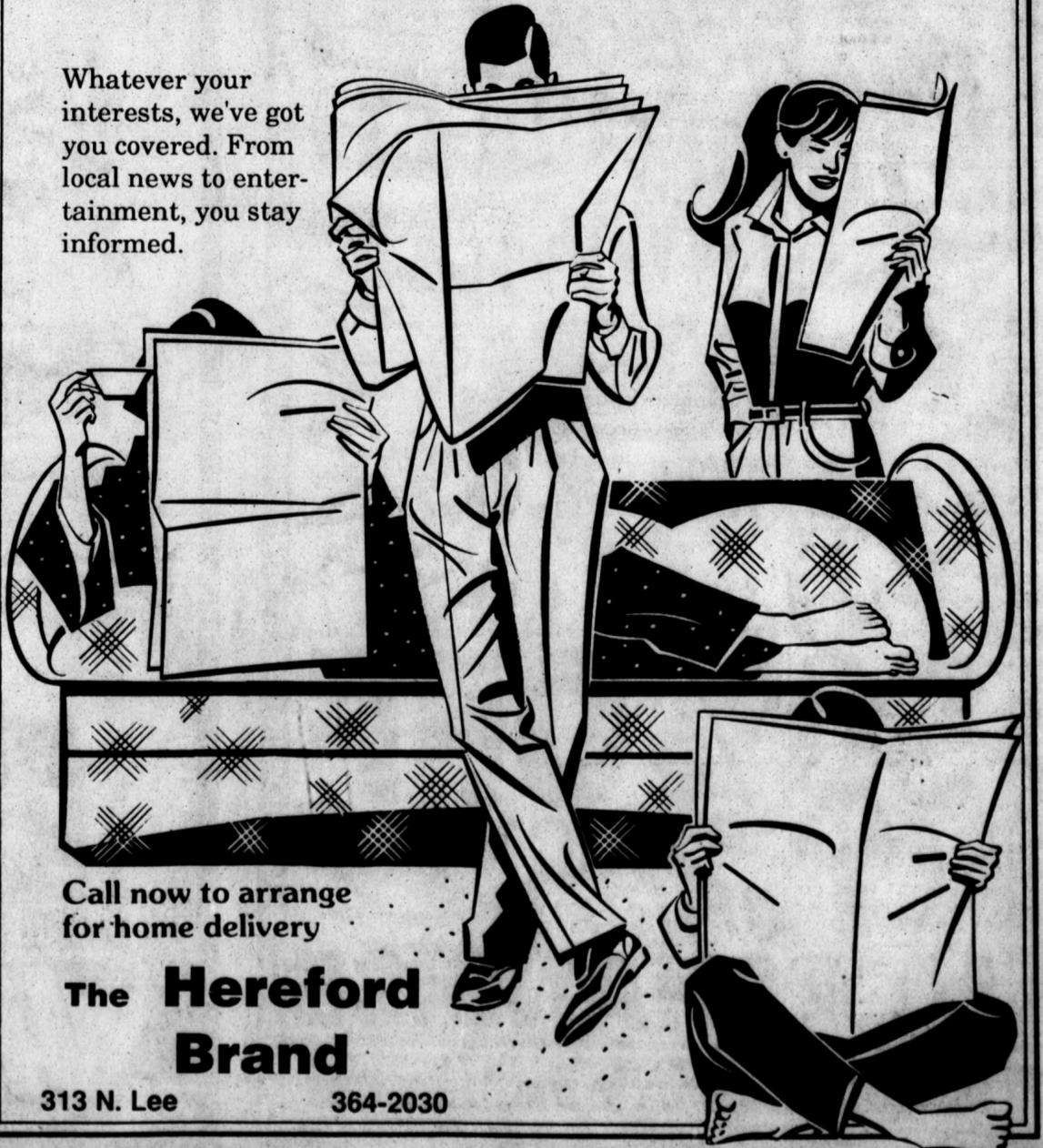
In fact, the Christmas postcards of the late 19th century provide a fascinating look at the portrayal of Santa Claus.

In early representations, he appears in a purple outfit, a brown robe, or a green coat, and in his physical representation he personifies the European traditions of St. Nicholas, Kris Kringle, Sinterklass or Father Christmas more than he does our modern-day image of the jolly red-suited Santa Claus.

It is widely believed that American Christmas postcards, along with Clement Clark Moore's "The Night Before Christmas," and Thomas Nast's drawings in Harper's Weekly magazine were pivotal in defining and standardizing the visual representation of the rotund bearded elf we now fondly know as Santa Claus.

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CATTLE FEEDER (CME) 50,000 lbs., cents per lb.	Strike	Call	Put	Settle
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Mar	84.50	1.25	1.25	1.25
Apr	83.50	1.25	1.25	1.25
May	81.50	1.25	1.25	1.25
Jun	79.50	1.25	1.25	1.25
Jul	77.50	1.25	1.25	1.25
Aug	75.50	1.25	1.25	1.25
Sep	73.50	1.25	1.25	1.25
Oct	71.50	1.25	1.25	1.25
Nov	69.50	1.25	1.25	1.25
Dec	67.50	1.25	1.25	1.25

CORN (CBT) 5,000 bu., cents per bu.	Strike	Call	Put	Settle
Mar	219.00	1.25	1.25	1.25
May	221.00	1.25	1.25	1.25
Jul	223.00	1.25	1.25	1.25
Sep	225.00	1.25	1.25	1.25
Nov	227.00	1.25	1.25	1.25
Jan	229.00	1.25	1.25	1.25
Mar	231.00	1.25	1.25	1.25
May	233.00	1.25	1.25	1.25
Jul	235.00	1.25	1.25	1.25
Sep	237.00	1.25	1.25	1.25
Nov	239.00	1.25	1.25	1.25
Jan	241.00	1.25	1.25	1.25

Clinton fills out his foreign policy team

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (AP) - With his economic and foreign policy teams in place, President-elect Clinton is focusing on filling four remaining Cabinet seats, including the marquee post of attorney general.

Transition aides said Clinton planned to appoint the first woman to head the Justice Department. Mentioned most prominently was Washington attorney Brooksley Born, although at least two other women still were believed to be in the running Tuesday.

Clinton also must choose agriculture, interior and transportation secretaries. His staff said appointments were not expected today, although aides did not rule out a late change in plans. The president-elect said he still hoped to finish the Cabinet selection process by Christmas.

On Tuesday, Clinton announced his eight-member foreign policy team. Leading the group were lawyer-diplomat Warren Christopher and House Armed Services Committee Chairman Les Aspin, D-Wis., as secretary of state and defense, respectively.

Christopher, 67, is Clinton's transition director. An experienced diplomat who negotiated the release of 52 Americans held hostage in Iran, he was No. 2 at the State Department during the Carter administration.

Aspin, 54, is a defense expert who isn't afraid of bucking his Democratic colleagues on arms policy.

Most of Clinton's appointees cut their teeth during the Cold War, but they must now grapple with ethnic warfare in Yugoslavia, anarchy and starvation in Somalia, budding democracy in the former Soviet sphere.

"The world is no longer a simple place with clear choices," Clinton said. He spoke with difficulty, his voice hoarse from winter allergies.

The president-elect named his economic team last week. Of the remaining positions to be filled, Chicago banker William Daley appeared the near-certain pick for transportation, although Clinton still wants to find a job for former Michigan Gov. Jim Blanchard, a close friend and strong campaign supporter.

Former Arizona Gov. Bruce Babbitt has been the favorite for the

Interior Department, although Rep. Bill Richardson, D-N.M., figured in the speculation again Tuesday. Sensitive to criticism that his Cabinet is not diverse enough, Clinton might choose Richardson, a Hispanic, over Babbitt, aides said.

If so, Babbitt could be named trade representative if he is passed over for interior secretary, aides said.

Rep. Mike Espy, D-Miss., still figured prominently for agriculture, although senior transition aides called this pick "fluid." New names surfaced this week, including Rep. Dan Glickman, D-Kan., and Colorado Gov. Roy Romer.

Born, the possible choice for attorney general, is liberal-leaning and is a close friend of Hillary Clinton, with whom she served on the American Bar Association's women's committee. Other candidates to head the Justice Department apparently include Shirley Hufstедler, a liberal activist and former education secretary under President Carter, and Washington federal appeals court judge Patricia Wald.

At his news conference Tuesday, Clinton named Madeleine Albright, a veteran Democratic foreign policy adviser and lecturer, to serve as ambassador to the United Nations, a post the president-elect said he would elevate to Cabinet-level status. His choice for CIA director was James Woolsey, Carter's undersecretary of the Navy and President Bush's negotiator for a conventional forces treaty in Europe.

Rounding out the team were: -Anthony Lake, a veteran foreign affairs specialist who once worked for Henry Kissinger and also served in the Carter State Department, as national security adviser.

-Retired Adm. William J. Crowe, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff under Presidents Reagan and Bush and a Clinton campaign adviser, to head the Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board, which reviews proposed covert operations.

-Clifton R. Wharton Jr., a former university president and currently the chief executive of a New York company that controls some \$100 billion in pension funds, to be Christopher's deputy at State.

-Samuel Berger, a top Clinton campaign and transition adviser, to be Lake's top deputy at the National Security Council.



Frys win in contest

The home of Dr. Stan Fry Jr., 401 Centre, was one of the winners in the Christmas Lighting Contest sponsored by the Women's

Division of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce. The home was selected in the total home category.

Bremond woman is Lotto winner

AUSTIN (AP) - Officials say a 63-year-old woman from Bremond has claimed the only jackpot lotto ticket from Saturday's drawing. It was worth nearly \$3.5 million.

Christine Kubiak Patke said she heard the winning numbers broadcast on the radio Saturday night as she drove back from Waco where she spent an unsuccessful evening playing bingo.

After picking up her first installment of \$181,841 from her lottery prize, Ms. Patke said she plans to put a new roof on her house and help out her family.

Ms. Patke is a homemaker and part-time secretary. She lives on a 50-acre farm near Bremond where she raises about 20 head of cattle, lottery officials said Tuesday. Bremond is about 50 miles southeast of Waco.

Meanwhile, officials said that lottery sales are near the \$1 billion mark as revenue from the games rose 70 percent ahead of projections.

State Comptroller John Sharp credited the brisk pace of playing to "our fantastic start, continued strong support from the people of our state and a great retailer network."

Since the games started May 29, the lottery has added \$310 million to state coffers, which is 70 percent ahead of original projections, and the equivalent of about one quarter of a percentage point of the state's 6.25 percent sales tax rate.

Through Monday, the lottery had sales had reached \$993 million. Meanwhile, the lottery had paid out more than \$483 million. That includes \$408 million in instant prizes, \$55 million from Lotto Texas, and \$19

million in the lottery's traveling grand prize drawings.

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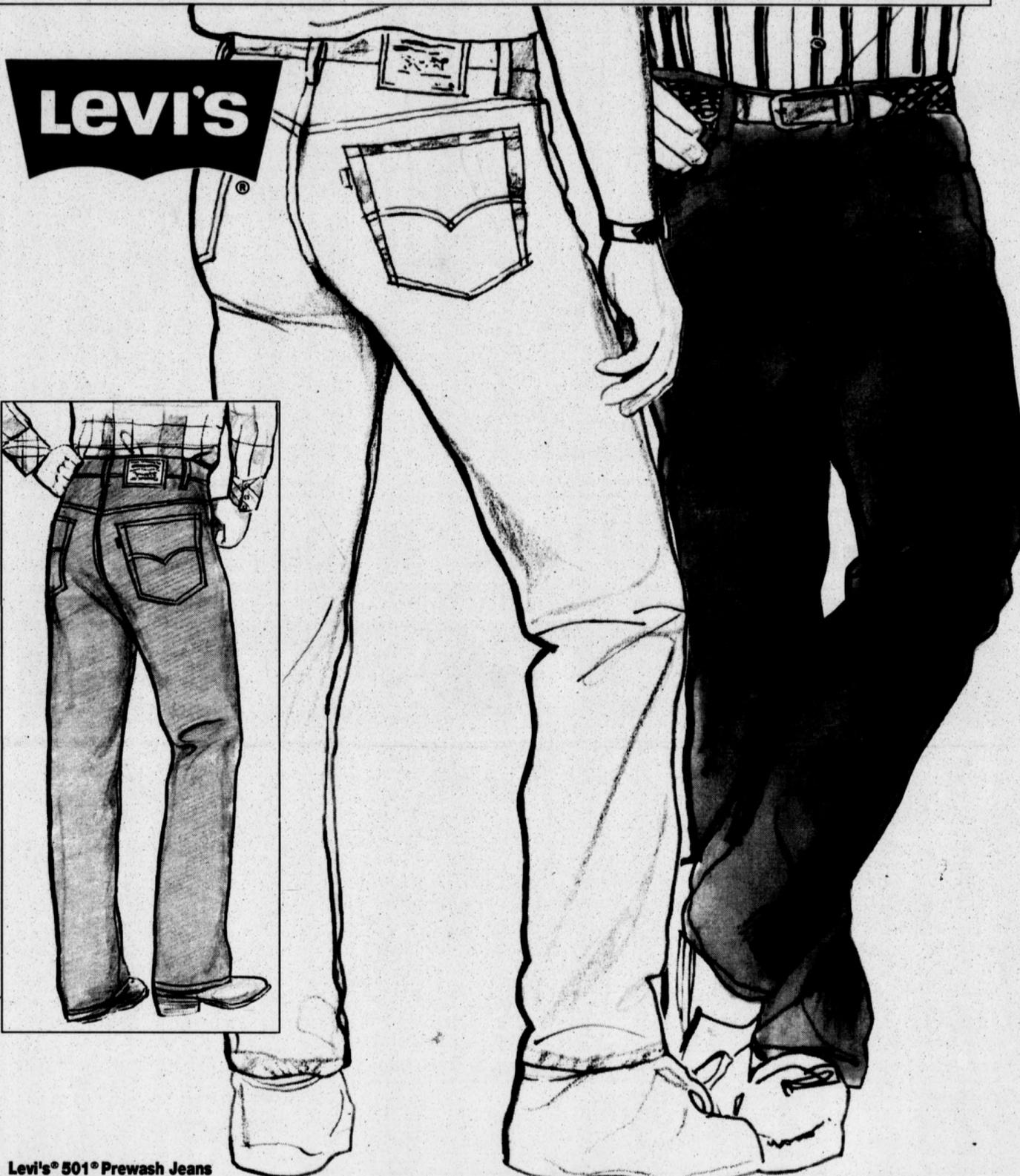
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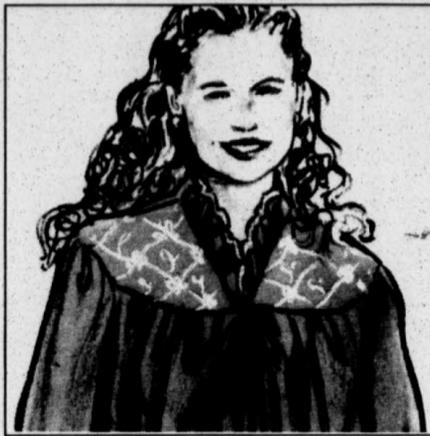
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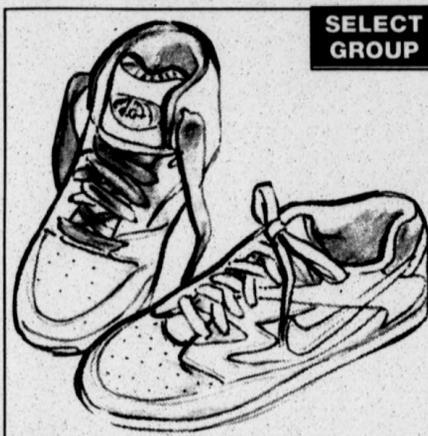


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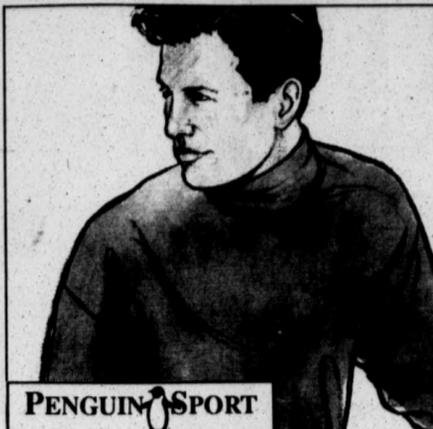


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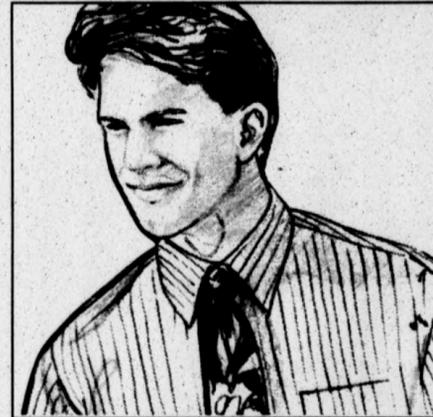
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