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## UW Volunteers of the Year

Weldon Knabe and Lester Wagner were honored as Volunteers of the Year during the annual meeting of Deaf Smith County United Way Thursday night at Hereford Community Center. Retiring president Mike Hatley recognized Knabe as general volunteer of the year, while Wagner was honored as division chairman of the year. Sally Nolen, departing as executive director, also received a plaque of appreciation. She will be replaced by Karen Sherrod.

## United Way honors two volunteers, names officers

By GARRY WESNER  
Managing Editor

Thursday was a night of transition for the United Way of Deaf Smith County, as the group held its annual meeting in the Community Center.

During the session, Volunteers of the Year Weldon Knabe and Lester Wagner were honored by outgoing board president Mike Hatley.

Knabe was honored as Volunteer of the Year for his work as a general volunteer. He was recognized for working his own response cards, as well as for being will to help out on other cards.

Wagner, who has served on the United Way board for one year, was honored as the Division Chairman of the Year.

Wagner headed up the Senior Citizens Division, which not only exceeded its goal during the 1994 United Way fundraising drive, it was also the first division to do so.

Sally Nolen was honored on her departure as executive director of United Way. Hatley presented Mrs.

Nolen a plaque of appreciation for her work.

"When she was a board member she was great, but as administrator she was something special," Hatley said of Mrs. Nolen, who leaves effective Feb. 1.

Replacing her will be Karen Sherrod, who served as Mrs. Hatley's assistant.

Outgoing campaign chairman Wes Klett was unable to attend and accept his plaque of appreciation from Hatley.

Instead, his wife, Lisa Klett, delivered some remarks on his behalf.

Klett told his audience of board members, volunteers, agency representatives and other residents that he appreciated having headed up the drive for two years, but regretted that the \$150,000 goal each year was not met.

"Although our goal was not reached we made great strides," Klett said, adding that the same enthusiasm exhibited by Hatley continues in incoming president Rodney Ruthart.

Ruthart was introduced as new president by Hatley, who leaves after

having served in that capacity for two years.

Joining Ruthart as new officers are Bobby Boyd as vice president and Jeff Torbert, treasurer.

Ruthart said there are two things he wants to focus on in the coming months as president of the board.

First, he said, he needs to find a new campaign chairman.

"Wes," he said, "left some big shoes to fill," adding that Klett did not give himself enough credit in his remarks for the success of the 1994 fundraising drive.

Also, Ruthart said, the board will sit down and develop a five-year strategic plan, beginning with the desire to set each year's goal based on needs of the United Way-funded agencies rather than based on a flat rate the United Way can raise in the community.

He also said he wants to develop a community and cultural way of thinking toward United Way, which would then enable the board to create a base of volunteers for fundraising campaigns.

The three-member PUC, which regulates telephone and electric rates, already has a vacancy because of the recent resignation of Karl Rabago. If the Senate doesn't confirm Ms. Goodfriend, that would give Bush a majority of appointees on the panel.

The three-member TNRC oversees air and water quality regulations. Commissioner Pam Reed's term expires in August, allowing Bush to appoint two-thirds of the panel this year if Ms. Garner isn't confirmed.

Bivins cited "regulatory philosophy" at the PUC and concern about the TNRC's regulation as reasons for a lack of support for Ms. Goodfriend and Ms. Garner.

Bivins said he's not in a hurry to bring the appointments before his committee, which decides whether to recommend approval by the full Senate.

He said he doesn't believe that Republican Gov. George W. Bush, who succeeded Richards, a Democrat, has decided on his own picks for their positions.

## Richards' appointees may want to resign, says Bivins

AUSTIN (AP)—Two appointees of former Gov. Ann Richards are working to keep their jobs despite a key senator's suggestion that they resign rather than face confirmation hearings.

"I'm an old pioneer from West Texas. I'm going to ride this horse 'til it bucks me off," said Peggy Garner of Upton County, a member of the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission.

Sarah Goodfriend of Austin, a member of the Public Utility Commission, also said she doesn't intend to resign at this time.

Nominations Committee Chairman Teel Bivins said Thursday that neither has enough Senate support for their

appointments to be confirmed. Both women have been meeting with senators to seek backing.

"I would hope that they may decide to step aside so that we wouldn't have to have a vote," said Bivins, R-Amarillo, adding that the prospect of being voted down "hurts your feelings."

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He said he doesn't believe that Republican Gov. George W. Bush, who succeeded Richards, a Democrat, has decided on his own picks for their positions.

## Jury determines sentence after woman fails to appear

A jury in 222nd District Court Thursday determined punishment of 99 years in prison for a defendant who failed to appear in court for the punishment phase of trial.

Melinda Simons Bevers George, 23, was found guilty of the charge of delivery of a controlled substance, cocaine. The jury deliberated for 30 minutes Wednesday afternoon.

Judge David Wesley Gulley recessed court after the guilty verdict, calling for the punishment phase to be conducted the next morning.

After the defendant failed to appear, Judge Gulley ordered the trial to continue without her presence,

citing statutes permitting the procedure.

He issued a warrant for her arrest and raised bond to \$1 million. George had been free on \$10,000 bond.

Criminal trials are conducted in two phases in Texas courts. When a defendant is found guilty in the guilt-innocence phase, the trial continues to determine punishment.

After hearing testimony in the punishment phase Thursday morning, the jury retired about noon to begin deliberations. The decision was announced about 1 p.m.

In addition to the prison sentence, the jury assessed a fine of \$10,000.

## Two suspected of vandalism

A juvenile and an 18-year-old are being questioned in connection with incidents of vandalism reported in Hereford Thursday night.

Hereford Police Chief David Wagner said the 18-year-old is a suspect in incidents of window damage to vehicles in the 600 block of Avenue J and 400 block of Avenue C, and a broken storm window in the 100 Block of Avenue B.

The juvenile is under investigation for damage to windows in the 200 block of North St. and attempted break-in of several vehicles in the 100 block of Norton.

## Fierce storms dump snow over Midwest

By The Associated Press

A fierce storm with howling winds dumped heavy snow on parts of the Midwest and central Plains on Thursday, causing numerous car wrecks and bringing much of the region to a standstill.

At least five deaths were blamed on the storm, including three in Wisconsin and two in Missouri. Snowfall totals topped a foot in parts of northeastern Oklahoma, northern Arkansas, eastern Kansas and Missouri.

Classes were canceled for the first time in 20 years at the University of Missouri, while numerous other schools and businesses were closed across the region. Many state workers were given the day off or sent home early.

The scene outside a truck stop in Strafford, Mo., on Thursday morning was "like nothing clerk Mary Hulsey had ever seen."

"There are a good 200 to 250 (vehicles) stuck here. The lot's completely full," she said. "There are people everywhere. The exits (from the highway) are blocked. Nobody can go anywhere."

Tow truck companies reported waiting lists as long five hours as hundreds of stalled, stuck vehicles kept police phone lines ringing nonstop.

Holden, Mo., and Blue Jacket, Okla., reported 14 inches of snow. Winds gusted to 45 mph at Columbia, causing zero visibility in blowing and drifting snow. Some parts of Missouri have reported drifts of 2 to 4 feet, and wind chills as low as minus 10.

Snow also fell from southeastern Oregon across Idaho into the Montana Rockies. West Yellowstone, Mont., reported an inch of snow.

Chicago was largely spared snow,

but freezing rain slowed traffic in and out of O'Hare International Airport.

"We're right on the line between the snow and rain right now," said city Aviation Department spokeswoman Lisa Howard, adding flights

in and out were delayed up to an hour by "touch-and-go visibility."

Operations at Chicago's Midway Airport were unaffected, she said.

Parts of Wisconsin got up to 10 inches of snow.

## Bush backs plan for limit on court appeals

AUSTIN (AP)—Gov. George W. Bush is backing a proposal that would cut the time for court appeals by death-row inmates, saying punishment for capital murderers should be swift and just.

"My attitude is they ought to streamline the process," Bush said.

"Texas ought to respect prisoners' rights, but it's unfair to both the victims, criminals and society as a whole to delay an ultimate verdict in a state that has chosen to have the death penalty," he said.

State Attorney General Dan Morales on Thursday, touted a proposal to set time limits for filing appeals and require an inmate's appeals to be consolidated.

He said the change, if approved by the Legislature, could more than cut in half the time it takes for death-row appeals to go through the court system.

Currently, an inmate is held on death row for an average of more than eight years before execution, Morales said. Some have been held there for up to 18 years, he said.

The proposal also would provide for a lawyer to be appointed for all death-row inmates who want one, Morales said. He said the failure of the state to provide lawyers has contributed to delays.

The Legislature would decide how to pay such lawyers, possibly through an increase in court fees assessed against convicted people, he said.

The proposal is being sponsored in the Legislature by Sen. John Montford, D-Lubbock, and Rep. Pete Gallego, D-Alpine. Among its supporters are crime victims' advocates, such as Bob Stearns of VIGIL, Victims Initiating Gains in Legislation.

Stearns, of Round Rock, said his son was kidnapped and killed in Sugar Land in 1974, but that his killer wasn't executed until 1991. He said state and federal changes are needed to avoid "the excruciating agony of the delays."

But the idea of combining what are currently two stages of state court appeals for prisoners has raised some concern.

Mandy Welch of Houston, director of the Texas Resource Center, told the Houston Chronicle that the proposal has drawbacks.

"Anytime you limit the number of appeals, you risk the possibility of an unjust execution," Ms. Welch said.

She also said the state would have difficulty finding enough lawyers to handle all cases going on simultaneously.

## EPA agrees to give Texas time on auto emissions rules

WASHINGTON (AP)—As Texans chafe under a federally mandated automobile emissions testing program, the Environmental Protection Agency has agreed to give the state breathing room to develop a new, less burdensome alternative.

Under a deal struck Thursday by Texas lawmakers with EPA Administrator Carol Browner, the state now can go back to the drawing board and design an inspections program expected to greatly expand the number of test sites.

"What we are now going to do is work with the state of Texas to help design an automobile inspection program that's consumer friendly," Ms. Browner said after emerging from the Capitol meeting arranged by House Majority Whip Tom DeLay, R-Texas, of Sugar Land.

Flexibility in emissions testing has been the buzzword at EPA since Ms. Browner sat down last month with several governors and agreed to allow states some leeway in conducting the tests.

The Texas testing, which went into effect Jan. 2 in areas with high levels of certain pollutants, wasn't suspended as a result of Thursday's meeting. But Browner signed off on a proposal currently before the Texas Legislature that would impose a 90-day freeze on inspections.

"I applaud that decision and look forward to working with both the Legislature and the (Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission) to make sure that a Texas plan that is fair to all is adopted," Gov. George W. Bush said in Austin.

Emissions inspections are required in Dallas-Fort Worth, Houston-Galveston, Beaumont-Port Arthur and El Paso.

El Paso may find itself freed from the inspections mandate. Rep. Ron Coleman, D-Texas, of El Paso, talked Thursday with Browner and said she appeared amenable to an exemption for the city.

A recent state study suggested that El Paso would be in compliance if it weren't for emissions coming across the border from Mexico. "Clearly, El Paso taxpayers and motorists should not pay the price for emissions that they cannot control and are in

fact emanating from another country," Coleman said.

That exemption wouldn't affect the other non-attainment areas in the state, which are looking to the Legislature for action.

The state Senate this week unanimously approved the 90-day freeze. A vote hasn't been scheduled in the House, which still is in the process of organizing. "It's going to pass in the House," said state Sen. Buster Brown, R-Texas.

During that three-month moratorium, the Legislature and TNRC would redraw the inspection program and resubmit it to EPA for federal approval.

"This 90 days gives us all that ability to find the right answer," Ms. Browner said.

Since it's unclear whether the Legislature will act before the end of the month, there has been some confusion over what happens to drivers whose cars are due for inspection this month. Some officials have suggested delaying the test until the confusion clears; others recommend doing the inspection, which is required every two years.

Regardless of the current turmoil, Texas must ensure that all automobiles in the mandated areas are inspected by the end of 1996 to be in

compliance with federal rules. Lack of compliance could result in stricter pollution controls and a loss of federal highway dollars.

Under the agreement struck Thursday, EPA effectively is giving Texas longer than 90 days to rewrite the plan. It would probably take the state up to a year to put the new inspections system in place.

DeLay and several other lawmakers, including Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison, termed the meeting productive. "I hope in a few months we will have a better alternative than we have today in Texas," said Mrs. Hutchison, R-Texas.

It's widely anticipated that the new testing program would be expanded to allow existing gas stations and automobile repair shops to provide emissions testing. Currently, the state has contracted with two private corporations to conduct the emissions testing at inspections-only facilities in the mandated areas.

State lawmakers and consumers have complained loudly that there aren't enough inspection sites and that the \$15 to \$23 cost per inspection is too high.

Browner, who has been under siege in recent months over the Clean Air Act mandates, stressed that her agency isn't backing away from public health standards.

### Coming in Sunday's Brand

Every January, young people from throughout the Hereford area — including those living in Deaf Smith, Oldham, Randall, Castro and Parmer Counties — start putting the final touches on their steers, hogs and lambs, preparing them for the annual Hereford Young Farmers Livestock Show.

This year's show is just a few days away. On Sunday, meet one young man who is getting ready for the show and see what goes into the event.

Also, find all the information you need for the show in the Hereford Brand's annual Stock Show special section.

The section contains last year's result, this year's participants and important stock show information.

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## Local Roundup

### Mexican Stack Supper planned

Golden K Kiwanis Club will be serving a Mexican Stack Supper Saturday from 4:30 to 8 p.m. at Hereford Senior Center. Tickets, at \$4 each, are available from Kiwanians or at the door. Children under 5 are admitted free. The supper includes cobbler and drinks. Proceeds are used for community projects.

### Chance of rain

A 30 percent chance of rain is forecast for Saturday afternoon with the temperature reaching into the mid-40s and winds at 10-15 mph from the east. Friday night's forecast is for mostly cloudy skies and winds shifting to the northeast, 10-20 mph. The mercury is expected to drop into the mid-20s. Hereford enjoyed a 54-degree high Thursday. The Friday morning low was a nippy 23 degrees, reported KPAN.

## News Digest

### State

WASHINGTON--As Texans chafe under a federally mandated automobile emissions testing program, the Environmental Protection Agency has agreed to give the state breathing room to develop a new, less burdensome alternative.

WASHINGTON--Citing the \$4.5 million book deal House Speaker Newt Gingrich signed then later relinquished, House Democrats are calling for a cap on royalties for members of Congress. Continuing their criticism of the fiery Georgian, a handful of Democrats held a news conference Thursday demanding changes in House rules to ban lobbyists' gifts and limit royalties.

DALLAS--The Dallas City Council is the latest municipality to encounter a hurdle in enacting a policy involving homosexuals. A divided council voted to prohibit Dallas from discriminating against gays and lesbians in city employment. But after some members cried foul over the process, the council was told it may have voted improperly and now plans to reconsider its action. Last year, Austin voters repealed a city policy offering insurance benefits to unmarried partners of city employees.

AUSTIN--Public watchdog groups are hailing reforms to fund-raising guidelines for legislative caucuses but say further improvements are needed. "It's a good step forward," Tom Smith, state director of Public Citizen, said of the rules approved Thursday by the House.

SAN ANTONIO--The San Antonio City Council has recommended that the contaminated landfill next to the Alamodome be moved at a cost of about \$3 million, Mayor Nelson Wolff says.

EDINBURG--A rabies outbreak is prompting several people to call animal-control officials to have their pets put to sleep. "A lot are saying they don't want their dogs any more or they can't afford to have them vaccinated," said Rogelio Tijerina, chief inspector of the Hidalgo County environmental health division. "So far, we've had more than 40 calls from people trying to find out how they can get their animals picked up. We normally get about eight a day."

### World/Nation

WASHINGTON--Warning that relations with Democrats have "gone from bad to worse," a leading House Republican is suggesting that cooperation with the White House depends on ending attacks against Speaker Newt Gingrich.

WASHINGTON--Sen. Christopher Dodd becomes general chairman of the Democratic National Committee this weekend, charged with leading his party out of malaise and on to victory. His first directive to flailing Democrats is, "Snap out of it!"

GROZNY, Russia--Three weeks of Russian air attacks have driven Chechen separatist fighters from strongholds in rebel Chechnya's capital, but they say the battle for the city is not over.

KOBE, Japan--Cold, hunger and injuries are taking a grim new toll on a city already ravaged by quake and fire. The death toll passes 4,000, making this the worst quake to hit a Japanese city since Tokyo was flattened in 1923.

MOSCOW--Vladimir Lenin died 71 years ago, but the debate over what to do with his corpse, on display in Red Square for seven decades, won't go away.

## Police, Emergency Reports

Information reported by Hereford and Deaf Smith County law enforcement and emergency services for Thursday includes:

- HEREFORD POLICE DEPARTMENT**
- Criminal mischief, 600 block of Avenue J, windows damaged on vehicle.
  - Criminal mischief, 200 block of North St., window on house damaged.
  - Criminal mischief, 100 block of Avenue B, storm window broken.
  - Criminal mischief, 400 block of Avenue C, windows damaged on vehicle.
  - Criminal mischief, 100 block of Norton St., attempted break-in of several vehicles.
  - Report of tampering with mail, 800 block of Irving.
  - Theft of beer, 910 E. Park Ave.
  - Assault, 200 block of Avenue F.
  - Domestic problem, 500 block of Sycamore.
  - Civil matter, 700 block of Knight.
  - Runaway, 200 block of Hickory.
  - Arrest of 18-year-old for public intoxication.
  - One accident investigated.
  - 15 citations issued.
- DEAF SMITH SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT**
- Vandalism investigated.
  - 40-year-old woman arrested on warrant from Randall County.
- HEREFORD FIRE DEPARTMENT**
- Responded, 2:24 a.m. Friday to smoke report. No damage.
  - Responded 3 a.m. Friday to smoke report, no damage.

- EMS**
- Three medical runs; one trauma run, five transfers to Amarillo.

## Plan to lower crash chance being made

AMARILLO, Texas (AP)--Federal and city officials have a plan to reduce chances of a plane crash at the Pantex nuclear weapons plant and other improvements to make the entire area safer.

A deal announced Thursday includes an agreement from the Department of Energy to pay \$2.6 million for new air traffic guidance equipment to be installed over the next four years at Amarillo International Airport.

The air traffic navigation improvements will propel Amarillo into the "next era of aviation," said Mayor Kel Seliger.

Most importantly, it reduces the chances of a plane crashing into the Zone 4 plutonium storage area at the nuclear weapons assembly plant. Such a disaster could spread the radioactive material into the air and harm city and area residents.

The airport runway is directly southwest of Zone 4, where 6,000 to 7,000 plutonium pits are now stored. The pits trigger nuclear chain reactions in atomic weapons.

The Energy Department says the risk of a crash is about one in a million. Pantex, located 17 miles east of Amarillo, is the nation's primary assembler and disassembler of nuclear weapons.

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### New United Way officers

New 1995 officers for the United Way of Deaf Smith County were named Thursday night during an annual meeting at Hereford Community Center. Leading the charitable organization will be, left to right: Jeff Torbert, treasurer; Karen Sherrod, executive director; Bobby Boyd, vice president; and Rodney Ruthart, president. Ruthart was introduced by Mike Hatley, who served two years as president.

## Russian forces seize palace; Chechen defenders resisting

GROZNY, Russia (AP)--A day after seizing rebel Chechnya's presidential palace, Russian forces tried to force Chechen fighters out of their capital today and bombed the last open road out of the city.

Civilians tried to flee through a snowstorm that dumped six inches of snow on the city. But Chechen fighters kept up their resistance, despite being forced to retreat Thursday from the presidential palace and train station.

Russian jets and artillery blasted a market about two miles southwest of Grozny's center on the road leading west out of the capital. One bomb went through nine stories of an apartment building, causing an unknown number of civilian casualties.

The capture of the presidential palace was a rare morale boost for the Russians, demoralized by weeks of bloody fighting against outgunned, outnumbered Chechens.

"The military phase of restoring the Russian Constitution in Chechnya is now practically over," President Boris Yeltsin said in a statement.

"The subsequent mission to restore law, order and civil rights will

lie with the Interior Ministry."

But the Chechens, who established new positions across the Sunzha River from the palace, played down the significance of the burned-out palace.

"Our new headquarters is set up and the fighters are in their positions," Chechen Defense Minister Aslan Maskhaev said at a news conference in Nazran, capital of neighboring Ingushetia. "We're ready to continue our fight for freedom."

Until now, the war had been almost entirely centered on Chechnya's presidential palace. Now the Chechens say they will defend Grozny inch by inch.

"We won't have any particular base. We'll be moving around the city," said rebel fighter Aindi Beksultanov.

Chechen fighters have said that if Grozny falls, they will take their struggle to the countryside.

Many analysts, however, say it would be difficult for the Chechens to wage a successful guerrilla campaign against the Russian army, much less force its retreat from Chechnya.

In Moscow, a Yeltsin aide today denied reports that he dismissed three deputy defense ministers who criticized his Chechnya policy and that they and a fourth general were removed from active army duty.

The three deputy defense ministers -- Boris Gromov, Valeri Mironov and Georgi Kondratiev -- were put on administrative leave two weeks ago. The Interfax news agency reported they were missing from a list of new officials prepared in a military restructuring, suggesting they were dismissed.

The fourth general, Eduard Vorobyev, the No. 2 commander of Russian land forces, was transferred to the reserves, Interfax said. He had refused to head a force in Chechnya.

The Kremlin sent tens of thousands of troops into Chechnya on Dec. 11 in a bid to end its 3-year-old drive for independence. The Chechens are believed to have just several hundred fighters in Grozny and perhaps a few thousand across the mountainous region.

Yeltsin and Prime Minister Viktor Chernomyrdin have ruled out talks with Chechen leader Dzhokhar Dudayev, who is in hiding.

## Only 71 years after death, Lenin is subject of burial controversy

MOSCOW (AP) - Vladimir Lenin died 71 years ago, but the debate over what to do with his corpse won't go away.

In recognition of Saturday's anniversary of the Soviet founder's death, a handful of people renewed calls for burial of his embalmed body.

Lenin's corpse was put on display in a tomb on Red Square after he died in 1924. It was one of the Soviet Union's most revered and most visited monuments.

While most Russians are more concerned with the violence in the breakaway region of Chechnya, St. Petersburg Mayor Anatoly Sobchak revived the cadaver controversy last week when he appealed - again - to President Boris Yeltsin to bury the body.

Sobchak had hoped to bury Lenin on Saturday - the anniversary of Lenin's birth - in the city that once bore the Soviet leader's name, Leningrad. Sobchak and others have cited a purported line in Lenin's will requesting burial, but Lenin's grand-niece has said he never made a will.

Izvestia published a letter Wednesday by a biologist who worked in the Red Square mausoleum for more than 30 years, urging the burial of what he said was a decomposing body.

But officials at the Volkovo Cemetery in St. Petersburg, where Lenin's mother and sister are buried, said no preparations have been made to transfer his remains there.

Yuri Leonov, spokesman for the president's office, said, "The president is busy with many things. Who knows if he'll have time to address this."

Unlike the many Russians who shrugged off Sobchak's latest appeal, Elena Borisova still feels passionate about the waxy-looking 5-foot, 4-inch corpse, encased in glass for more than seven decades.

"He was a genius," said Borisova, a tour guide who has led thousands of visitors through the mausoleum over the past 20 years. "He should not be moved. You can't mess with the body of a great man."

Lenin look-alike Alexander Koklenkov is also opposed to the

burial, for less ideological reasons. He occasionally dresses as the Bolshevik leader and charges people to have their picture taken with him near the tomb.

"It's a good way to make some money," Koklenkov said.

The controversy over the body began in 1989, when theater director Mark Zakharov first publicly suggested that Lenin be buried.

The idea was deemed heresy at the time, but gained popularity after the 1991 collapse of the Soviet Union. Supporters included the mayors of Moscow and St. Petersburg and the Russian Orthodox Church.

Pressure for burial later waned, following the success of hard-liners and Communists in the 1993 parliamentary elections. They advocate leaving Lenin's remains in the Red Square tomb.

Meanwhile, lines of visitors to the tomb have also subsided. And many Russians are complaining about the cost of keeping Lenin presentable for the trickle of tourists and mourners still fascinated by the dead body.

## 133 bodies recovered at tunnel snowslide

JAMMU, India (AP)--Five-hundred motorists were stranded in a tunnel for a fourth night Thursday by a snowslide that swept cars and buses off a Himalayan Mountain road, killing at least 183 people.

Heavy snow hampered rescue teams searching for hundreds more people missing after Monday's avalanche on the main mountain highway linking Jammu-Kashmir with the rest of India.

Initially, police and state officials said 1,000 people were trapped when the avalanche blocked the entrance and exit to the Jawahar tunnel in northern Jammu-Kashmir state.

A total of 133 bodies were

recovered from buses and cars knocked by the snow into a deep gorge three miles from the tunnel. Another 50 bodies were found near the tunnel, news reports said.

More than 4,300 people have been rescued, but officials have not been able to account for hundreds of people believed to have been inside other vehicles. They fear many of them have been swept away by the avalanche, one of the worst in the state's history.

Hundreds of vehicles remain stranded on the highway, police said. The highway is 7,500 feet high and surrounded by mountains.

## Hospital Notes

### PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

- Michelle Lindsay, Inf. Girl Lindsay,
- Richard Barrett, Ruby Baker, Angela Flores, Julio Garcia, William LaComb, Hermelinda Longoria, Esmerelda Reyes.
- Donnie Owen, Blasor Mancillas, Robert Russell, Darlene Mendoza, Beatrice Torres, Hilda Vargas, Inf. Girl Vargas.
- Patricia Serrano, Inf. Girl Serrano, Marco Reed, Dorothy Watkins, Bernadine Withar, Veronica Ramirez, Inf. Girl Ramirez.
- Audrey Allen, Audrey Graham, Roselinda Hernandez, Inf. Girl Hernandez.

## Big jump recorded in starts of housing

WASHINGTON (AP)--Housing starts jumped 12.9 percent last year to the highest level in six years despite rising mortgage rates that failed to cut appreciably into construction activity.

Although the 1994 level was held back slightly by a 1 percent decline in December, every region in the nation shared in the annual gain, the Commerce Department said today.

The Commerce Department said construction of new single-family homes and apartments totaled 1.45 million last year, the most since ground was broken on 1.49 million units in 1988.

Starts totaled 1.53 million at a seasonally adjusted annual rate in December, down from a revised 1.55 million in November, when unseasonably warm weather boosted construction throughout much of the nation. The November total originally was estimated at 1.54 million.

Most analysts had expected construction to slacken in 1994 as the Federal Reserve boosted interest rates six times in an attempt to keep inflation under control. Many economists expect it to raise rates again at a policy-making meeting Jan. 31-Feb. 1.

Thirty-year, fixed-rate mortgages topped 9 percent in December after starting the year below 7 percent. An increase from 7 percent to 9 percent would add \$209 to the monthly payment on a \$150,000 mortgage.

Still, the housing market remained healthy throughout the year. Analysts said the more expensive loan costs often were offset by a strong economy that increased jobs and incomes.

The 1994 advance in housing starts was the third straight annual gain. The housing industry began its recovery from the last recession in 1992, when starts totaled 1.2 million. They rose to 1.29 million in 1993.

Construction of single-family homes rose 6.2 percent in 1994, to 1.2 million units, including a 2.8 percent advance in December, when starts totaled a 1.23 million annual rate.

Multi-family starts soared 58.9 percent, to 257,400, although they fell 13.9 percent to a 303,000 rate in December. Many analysts said apartment construction was boosted by enactment of a tax credit for low-income housing.

Applications for building permits advanced 0.6 percent in December, to a 1.4 million rate.

Starts rose 16.3 percent in the West, to 350,900. They had advanced 5.6 percent in December, to a 357,000 rate.

They gained 13.5 percent in the South, to 637,500, including a 4 percent increase in December, to a 695,000 rate.

Construction was up 10 percent in the Midwest, to 327,600. But in December, it fell 11.8 percent, to a 335,000 rate.

In the Northeast, starts rose 8.4 percent, to 137,100, despite a 10.7 percent drop in December, to 142,000.

## Texas Lottery

AUSTIN (AP)--The Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Thursday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

4-8-9  
(four, eight, nine)

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# Lifestyles

## Rabies outbreak concerns officials

EDINBURG, Texas (AP)—A rabies outbreak is prompting several people to call animal-control officials to have their pets put to sleep.

"A lot are saying they don't want their dogs any more or they can't afford to have them vaccinated," said Rogelio Tijerina, chief inspector of the Hidalgo County environmental health division. "So far, we've had more than 40 calls from people trying to find out how they can get their animals picked up. We normally get about eight a day."

In an attempt to curb the outbreak, which already claimed the life of a 14-year-old Edinburg boy, Hidalgo County commissioners approved an emergency ordinance Tuesday.

The mandate, which imposes fines for pet owners whose animals are caught unvaccinated and without a leash, goes into effect midnight Monday.

County animal wardens and Humane Society officials have been flooded with calls, and scores of dogs have been dumped at the Rio Grande Valley Humane Society animal shelter.

The shelter has reached its capacity of 300 dogs and cats, mostly strays. But several were former pets abandoned because of the rabies outbreak, officials said.

Workers are killing any unwanted pet as soon as possible because of overcrowded conditions, which began since the news of Rolando Bazan's rabies death.

Officials also have cut the number of days a stray animal can remain at the shelter from 10 to five. Strays from the Edinburg area are no longer being put up for adoption.

The rabies outbreak also may have killed a 19-year-old breeding horse.

Veterinarian Adalberto Garza shipped the animal's head to state laboratories in Austin on Thursday to test for the disease, which has victimized eight domestic animals.

Results are expected by Saturday. If confirmed rabid, the horse will be the outbreak's first livestock victim.

The mare died about 11 p.m. Wednesday after suffering for at least two days from disorientation, abnormal irritability and an inability to swallow—classic symptoms of the deadly virus.

The horse was from the Lorenzo de Zavala Elementary School area where six dogs and a cat have been confirmed rabid since Christmas. The horse was part of a herd of 20 and had close contact with the owners.

All warm-blooded animals are fair game for the disease. Coyotes and

dogs are the most common transmitters.

Five South Texas horses have been confirmed rabid since the epidemic hit Starr County in 1988. The deadly virus also has claimed the lives of at least eight cows and one goat, according to statistics from 18 South Texas counties.

During that same time, 253 coyotes, 210 dogs and 41 skunks were reported rabid.

Hereford's Animal Control officer Mark Loyd urges anyone who sees any foxes, coyotes, racoons, skunks or bats in Hereford can call him at the police department and he will pick them up.

Loyd said there are no confirmed cases of rabies inside the city limits of Hereford.

## Auxiliary holds dinner meeting

The Ladies Auxiliary to Roy Wederbrook Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #4818 met Jan. 9 in regular session with Betty Boggs presiding.

The meeting was called to order, minutes read and approved, the treasurer's report given and bills were presented and paid.

Donations were made to the State Nursing Fund, VFW/PAC and Golden Age Games.

The meeting was preceded by a fried chicken dinner.

The next meeting will be Feb. 6 at 7:30 p.m. with supper at 6:30 p.m.

The books were audited after the meeting adjourned.

Members present were Boggs, Mildred Clements, Doris Coffin, Linda Dutton, Marie Goheen, Dora Lea Howell, Erma Loving, Ruth Morris, Erma Murphey, Terry Rhynce, Sandra Sutton, Anita Vardell and Vivian Williams.

Men often mistake notoriety for fame, and would rather be remarked for their vices and follies than not to be noticed at all!

—Harry Truman



The popular phrase "Erin go Bragh" means "Ireland Forever."

## Ann Landers

DEAR ANN LANDERS: This is in response to "Southern Florida," the man who said women think sex is a nuisance, untidy, disgusting and a royal pain, and they treat it as a duty.

I was married to a very hard-working man. Work was his No. 1 priority. We have four children whom he barely knows—he could not tell you their birthdays, ages or middle names. He was never present for family dinners, nor did he participate in any school activities.

"Bruce" had two jobs—one during the day and another at night. For years, I begged him to give up one job, but he insisted we needed the extra money. Bruce would come home at midnight, and I was supposed to give him sex whether I felt like it or not. He wanted to get it done and over with. By 12:15, he was snoring. I felt it wouldn't have mattered if it was me in bed or someone else. He would not have noticed.

After 19 years, I'd had enough and filed for divorce. Within months, I met a wonderful man. It took me a while to respond to him romantically. I actually thought there was something wrong with me and that I was incapable of enjoying sex.

Imagine my surprise when we finally became intimate and I realized how starved I was for it. This man makes me feel beautiful. My ex-husband would constantly remind me that I was getting chunky or that my behind was too big. My new friend tells me by body should be worshipped.

I now know that if you are truly loved, it will show in your sex life. If you feel like an empty shell, it's impossible to respond. That man in Florida should start wooing his wife and treating her like a goddess. He just might get the surprise of his life.—A New Me in Lansing, Mich.

DEAR LANSING: A great many women are going to bless you for a letter that speaks for them. Thank you for writing.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: My line of work requires me to keep a credit report on my customers. I feel I should pass the word that somewhere along the way, young people today are not getting the message on the value of credit. They should be aware that credit will always be a major factor in their lives.

People don't realize that buying cars and wearing them out before they are paid for, or not keeping current with payments, can create a bad credit record. Many young people are parents these days before they are barely out of childhood. And they frequently act like children. They do not accept responsibility for obligations that are rightfully theirs,

such as child support and medical bills.

A bad credit rating will stay on a person's record for seven years or longer. When an individual finds he cannot buy a house, a car or a major appliance on credit because of a bad credit rating, it can be a devastating blow. In some instances, that person is unable to get out of the mess for 10 or 12 years.

Ann, please tell your young readers that at the age of 18, they are responsible for their own credit. Lousy credit can be a lifelong handicap. People talk, and the word gets around. This is a lesson that needs to be learned early. No last name, please, just—Harold in Madison, Wis.

DEAR HAROLD: YOU told them in very explicit terms, and I certainly hope it sinks in.

## Rebekah Lodge installs officers

The Hereford Rebekah Lodge #228 installed new officers at its regular meeting Jan. 17.

Juanita Haines from Amarillo installed Ocie Bolton, noble grand; Rosalie Northcutt, vice grand; Susie Curtsinger, secretary; and Nan Rogers, treasurer.

Appointive officers were Anna Conklin, warden; Mary Lou Weatherford, conductor; Jessie Matthews, chaplain; Peggy Lemons, right support to noble grand; Leona Sowell, right support to vice grand; Ursalee Jacobson, musician; Ben Conklin, color bearer; and Tony Irlbeck, banner bearer.

A salad supper was served preceding the meeting.

## Top of Texas pageant contestants encouraged to attend rehearsal

Young ladies age 17-24 who are interested in competing in the Miss Top of Texas Scholarship Pageant are invited to attend rehearsal Sunday at 2 p.m. at the Hereford I.S.D. Administration banquet room where applications will be available.

The Miss Top of Texas pageant will be held March 4 at 7 p.m. at the HISD banquet room.

Contestants will compete in interview, swimwear, talent and

evening wear. Various scholarships and prizes will be awarded and the winner will compete in the Miss Texas Scholarship Pageant in Fort Worth in July 1995.

Both pageants are preliminaries to the Miss America pageant.

Eugene O'Neil's last play, "A Moon for the Misbegotten," opened in 1957 on Broadway.

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# Sports

## Raiders talk with Cowboys' Davis

IRVING, Texas (AP) - Dallas Cowboys defensive coordinator Butch Davis, a prime head-coaching prospect for several jobs including the University of Miami, has interviewed with the Los Angeles Raiders, according to published reports today.

Sources told The Dallas Morning News and Fort Worth Star-Telegram that Davis interviewed Thursday with Raiders managing general partner Al Davis for the LA job currently held by Art Shell.

Once Dallas owner Jerry Jones gave the Raiders permission to meet with Butch Davis, he returned to his office from the Senior Bowl in Mobile, Ala., then left in mid-morning.

Davis refused to tell other staffers where he was going, only saying he was headed west.

Team sources told the Star-Telegram that if Davis leaves the Cowboys, linebackers coach Jim Eddy is the front-runner for the coordinator's job. Assistant Mike Zimmer would handle the secondary if Dave Campo joins Davis in LA, the sources said.

"You always keep things in mind when you have a hot candidate like Butch," Cowboys

executive Stephen Jones said.

The Raiders aren't the only team interested in Davis, a Jimmy Johnson disciple who replaced Dave Wannstedt in 1993 and has won a Super Bowl and had the NFL's top defense in his two seasons as Dallas' defensive coordinator.

Other NFL teams reportedly interested in Davis include the Philadelphia Eagles and Denver Broncos, both of which need a head coach. Another opening is with the Hurricanes, where Davis once was an assistant under Johnson.

Eagles vice president Joe Banner spoke Thursday afternoon with Steve Endicott, the Dallas agent who represents Davis, and the Broncos have not interviewed Davis but remain interested.

Miami athletic director Paul Dee for the first time Thursday said he'll probably contact Davis about his interest in returning to the school.

Davis, who is 43 and has never been a head coach in college or the pros, has a year left on his contract in Dallas, but that won't be a problem if he gets a better job.

Neither he nor Cowboys officials had immediate comments today for The Associated Press.

## Chargers strive to make offense less predictable

By BERNIE WILSON  
AP Sports Writer

SAN DIEGO (AP) - With the Super Bowl still more than a week away, the San Diego Chargers are trying to make sure they aren't becoming too easy to figure out.

That's important since their opponents, the San Francisco 49ers, pummeled them 38-15 five weeks ago.

"That's one of the things about the extra week," coach Bobby Ross said on Thursday. "It gives you more chance to look at what you've been doing and try to make sure you are not being too predictable."

The Chargers are unpredictable in one sense - nobody thought they'd even win the AFC West, let alone the AFC title to advance to their first Super Bowl.

But now they've got to figure out how to attack San Francisco's defense, which was bolstered this season by several big-name free agents, including former Chargers linebacker Gary Plummer.

"I look to see what I would do if I was defending our team. I might find the little thing, one or two things, that might help," Ross said.

"Unpredictability is very important. You have to be very careful not to fall into a trap where you are easy to figure out."

There's no doubt that the Chargers will try to establish the run-with Natrone Means.

But they'll also throw the ball, and a key matchup will be the 49ers' great secondary against San Diego's relatively young receivers.

"There's no doubt they have great players in their secondary," quarterback Stan Humphries said of the quartet of Eric Davis, Deion

Sanders, Tim McDonald and Merton Hanks.

"Deion is making a lot of plays. The guy gets away with lots of stuff, because of who he is," Humphries said.

Humphries said he'll still have to throw to Sanders' side of the field, just like he threw to Rod Woodson's side in last Sunday's 17-13 win over the Pittsburgh Steelers in the AFC championship game.

Humphries was intercepted by Woodson on the third play of the second half, setting up a field goal by Gary Anderson. But those were the Steelers' only points of the half, and the Chargers rallied for two touchdowns to win.

"To me, if you go strictly away from Deion, you are limiting yourself to half the field," Humphries said. "I'm not going to say we're going to come right at him. That would be ridiculous. But if I make my reads and they take me that way, you've got to play football."

Humphries knows what it's like to have Sanders lurking back there. He returned an interception 90 yards to seal the 49ers' victory in San Diego on Dec. 11.

Tony Martin, one of San Diego's speedy receivers, likely will draw Sanders.

Harper, here for the Slam Fest tonight, said he would find it very

"This is a huge opportunity for Tony to measure himself and see how far he has come," Ross said. "No question Deion is recognized as the top cover guy and the premier cornerback in the National Football League. Tony has a challenge there."

Martin caught the winning 43-yard touchdown pass with 5:13 left at Pittsburgh.

In their first meeting, the 49ers took a 21-3 halftime lead over the Chargers.

The Chargers pulled to 21-9 on a 12-yard touchdown run by Means in the third quarter, but San Francisco pushed it to 24-9 on Doug Brien's field goal.

The Chargers then had a first-and-10 on the San Francisco 16 early in the fourth quarter, but a penalty and a sack forced them to try a field goal, and John Carney was wide right from 42 yards.

"You can't go out and make a lot of mistakes, and we did," Ross said. "We came back in that football game and played pretty competitively in the second half. If it had not been for the final interception by Deion Sanders, the ballgame probably would have been a little bit more respectable."

The Super Bowl is Jan. 29 at Miami's Joe Robbie Stadium. The Chargers are 19-point underdogs, the longest odds in Super Bowl history.

## Harper mulls move to Arizona

PHOENIX (AP) - Unrestricted free agent wide receiver Alvin Harper is saying no to Dallas, and apparently Arizona coach Buddy Ryan is wondering whether he'll say yes to the Cardinals.

Harper, here for the Slam Fest tonight, said he would find it very

hard to stay with Dallas, where he said he felt used.

"I was like an outlet, like an extra outlet socket in the living room," Harper said. He had a single catch during Sunday's 38-28 Dallas loss to San Francisco in the NFC championship game.

## District 1-4A

### Basketball standings

	Boys	
	District	Overall
Hereford	4 0	15 6
Pampa	4 1	18 6
Randall	3 1	14 10
Canyon	2 2	16 4
Borger	1 3	12 9
Caprock	1 3	3 19
Dumas	0 5	7 14

### Tuesday's games

Hereford was idle  
Pampa 106, Caprock 44  
Canyon 74, Dumas 50  
Randall 49, Borger 48

### Girls

	Girls	
	District	Overall
Canyon	6 0	20 1
Randall	5 1	19 4
Dumas	4 2	16 10
Hereford	3 3	15 8
Borger	2 4	9 15
Pampa	1 5	5 16
Caprock	0 6	1 22

### Tuesday's games

Hereford was idle  
Canyon 56, Dumas 46  
Randall 43, Borger 31  
Pampa 55, Caprock 45

### Friday's doubleheaders

(girls at 6; boys at 7:30)  
Hereford at Pampa  
Borger at Canyon  
Caprock at Randall  
Dumas is idle

Relief pitcher Ron Dibble, famous for his hot temper, once threw the ball from the mound into the center field seats.

## NFL expansion draft includes big names

By The Associated Press

The list includes a Super Bowl MVP, a Heisman Trophy winner, a six-time Pro Bowl selection and more than 600 pounds of Perry brothers.

Mark Rypien, Desmond Howard, Chris Doleman, and William and Michael Dean Perry are among the players who will be available in the NFL expansion draft.

On Thursday, the league released the list of players who can be picked in the Feb. 15 draft by the expansion Carolina Panthers and Jacksonville Jaguars, who will both begin play next season.

Each of the 28 established teams must make six players available in the draft. All those teams submitted their lists except Super Bowl opponents San Francisco and San Diego, which don't have to send in their names until Jan. 31.

Rypien, who quarterbacked the Washington Redskins to victory in the 1992 Super Bowl, was Vinny Testaverde's backup at Cleveland last season.

"He knows the Browns are committed to Vinny Testaverde," said his agent, Ken Stanning. "He was a bit frustrated he didn't get to contribute more. Carolina or Jacksonville are certainly attractive to him."

Howard won the 1991 Heisman Trophy at Michigan, but the wide receiver has been a disappointment during his three seasons with the Redskins.

Doleman was 1992 NFC defensive player of the year with Minnesota, which traded him to Atlanta last season. Although he's on the expansion list, his \$2.7 million salary may scare off the Panthers and Jaguars.

William "The Refrigerator" Perry rose to fame in 1985 as a member of

Chicago's Super Bowl champion team. After being released by the Bears in 1993, the 335-pound defensive lineman signed with Philadelphia.

Michael Dean Perry is smaller (285 pounds) than his brother, but is considered a much better lineman. A five-time Pro Bowl choice with the Cleveland Browns, he had 69 tackles and four sacks this season.

Fourteen former Pro Bowl players and 12 first-round draft picks were on the expansion list.

The other Pro Bowl selections were Rypien, Doleman, Arizona's Gary Clark, Karl Mecklenburg of Denver, Rodney Holman of Detroit, Chris Miller of the Rams, Max Montoya of the Raiders, Johnny Johnson of the Jets, Ferrell Edmunds of Seattle, Pierce Holt of Atlanta, Mark Carrier of Cleveland, and Ethan Horton and Leonard Marshall of Washington.

The first-rounders were Howard, Doleman, Miller, Horton, William Perry, Terrell Buckley of Green Bay, Derek Brown of the Giants, Eugene Chung of New England, Gerald Robinson of the Rams, Jon Hand of Indianapolis, Louis Oliver of Cincinnati, and Rod Bernstine of Denver.

Each team was permitted to include only one player with at least 10 years' experience, and one player who was placed on injured reserve after the start of the 1994 season.

No established team can lose more than three players in the draft. Every time a team loses a player, it can remove another name from its unprotected list.

The Panthers and Jaguars must draft at least 30 players but no more than 42. Jacksonville will get the first pick.

## Sampras wins as coach transported to hospital

By DENNIS PASSA

Associated Press Writer  
MELBOURNE, Australia (AP) - There was nothing in the way Pete Sampras played that gave a hint something was wrong.

But while he was on center court, beating Lars Jonsson 6-1, 6-2, 6-4 today in the third round of the Australian Open, his coach, Tim Gullikson, was in a hospital undergoing brain tests.

Gullikson, who had two minor strokes in the past three months, fell ill with a dizzy spell about 90 minutes before the match and had to be helped from the stadium by his twin brother, Tom, and another man.

It appeared that Gullikson could not walk unaided.

ATP Tour spokesman Greg Sharko said Gullikson was "resting comfortably" in hospital and that he would remain there for at least two days for further tests. He said early test results were inconclusive.

"I just had to block it out and not

worry about it and concentrate on my tennis," Sampras said. "I realize he's in good hands."

Last October, Gullikson collapsed in a Stockholm hotel room, and again fell ill during the Grand Slam Cup in Munich in December. Brain scans showed that he had a blocked artery and had sustained two minor strokes.

"I've played this game for a lot of years, and it's always nice to have that support around," said Sampras, seeded No. 1. "But when it's not there, I've been around long enough to handle it."

"So I thought I handled it pretty well. I played as well as I could, so that's good."

Sampras took only 24 minutes to win the first set, 31 in the second and 44 in the third, when the pair played several multi-deuce games. Sampras only connected on 45 percent of his first serves, but won 30 of those 33 points.

Sampras now plays Magnus Larsson of Sweden.



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# Starks comes alive as Knicks defeat Rockets

By CHRIS SHERIDAN  
AP Sports Writer

The New York Knicks finally proved they could go West and beat a tough team on its home court.

They did so because John Starks returned to the scene of his greatest debacle and did what he could not do in Game 7 of the 1994 NBA Finals.

In a rematch of the two teams that played in last year's title series, Starks scored 22 points on 9-for-17 shooting Thursday night as the Knicks beat the Houston Rockets 93-77.

New York was 0-5 on the road this season - losing by an average of 17.2 points - against Western Conference teams that had winning records last season.

Starks had a much different outing

from the one he had last June 22 when he went 2-for-18 from the field in Game 7 of the Finals - a performance often cited as having cost New York its first championship in 21 years.

"You could feel the intensity from last year," Starks said. "I think I played under control and took the ball to the basket more. I can't worry about what happened last year. I'm beyond that now."

In other games, Phoenix defeated Portland 122-115, Sacramento stopped Golden State 112-103, Seattle outlasted Minnesota 102-87 and Milwaukee beat Washington 120-115.

Starks' highlights included a 3-for-3 night from 3-point range and a left-handed dunk over Hakeem

Olajuwon on a fast break. He also had seven assists and four rebounds and helped hold Vernon Maxwell to 6 points on 3-for-11 shooting.

"You've got to take your hat off to him because he came back from a lot of criticism from that last game last year," Maxwell said.

Patrick Ewing had 15 points and 18 rebounds and Derek Harper scored 16 points for the Knicks, who held Houston to its lowest point total ever at the Summit.

Olajuwon had 28 points and 17 rebounds for Houston, now 10-7 at home this season after going 36-5 there last season. The Rockets, with an overall record of 22-13, fell four games behind Utah in the Midwest Division and are only one loss away from having the sixth-best record in

the West. "All the championship memories and all the things that we were, I'm humbled," coach Rudy Tomjanovich said. "We're not the team that we were. We're not taking care of the homecourt advantage and we're not getting up for the big game."

## Suns 122, Trail Blazers 115

Portland had only eight players in uniform because of suspensions handed out by the NBA earlier Thursday for leaving the bench during a fight.

The lack of depth hurt as Tracy Murray, who averages only 10 minutes for the Blazers, played 41 minutes and failed to guard Dan Majerle closely in the fourth quarter. Majerle took advantage of the added

room to make five 3-pointers in the period. He finished with 30 points.

"We just had too many weapons for them, and I think they got a little bit tired," said Charles Barkley, who also scored 30. The Suns won for the eighth time in nine games and their sixth straight on the road.

James Robinson, who played the entire game, led Portland with 30 points and 11 assists.

## Kings 112, Warriors 103

Mitch Richmond scored 22 of his 26 points after halftime to help Sacramento recover from an 18-point deficit. The victory was the eighth in 11 games for the Kings.

**SuperSonics 102, Timberwolves 87**  
At Minneapolis, Detlef Schrempf scored 16 of his 22 points in the third

quarter and Seattle held the Wolves to the worst second-half shooting performance (20.5 percent) in franchise history.

"I thought we wore out in the second half," Minnesota coach Bill Blair said. "They're very aggressive, very quick, and we didn't get very many good shots in the second half."

Shawn Kemp had 20 points and 13 rebounds for Seattle, which won its eighth straight.

## Bucks 120, Bullets 115

At Milwaukee, the Bucks hit 16 of 18 free throws in the final period to win its third straight for the first time since late in the 1992-93 season.

Glenn Robinson had 30 points, Todd Day 29 and Vin Baker and Eric Murdock 17 apiece.

# UCLA quiets Stoudamire, Arizona crowd

By The Associated Press

The silence inside McKale Center told No. 4 UCLA just how well it had shut down No. 11 Arizona.

"I've never heard it that quiet here," Ed O'Bannon said after his 21 points and 11 rebounds led the Bruins to a 71-61 victory Thursday night.

The loss was Arizona's worst at home since a 61-49 defeat by Tennessee in 1983-84, coach Lute Olson's first season.

"Whether it was their defense or our inability to put the shots in, I'm not sure. But this is a very talented UCLA team that played with a lot of poise," Olson said.

In other games, No. 1 Massachusetts defeated Rhode Island 91-75, No. 10 Georgetown beat Florida Atlantic 70-55, No. 13 Arizona State downed Southern California 81-71, Washington State stopped No. 17 Oregon 83-78, No. 21 Stanford topped California 78-73, No. 22 Georgia Tech topped North Carolina-Wilmington 87-68 and No. 23 Cincinnati beat Saint Louis 84-73.

O'Bannon said UCLA wanted to quickly take Arizona's crowd out of the game. The Bruins did that by taking a 9-2 lead in the opening minute. "We worked to set the tone early

and keep the noise to a minimum," he said.

Tyus Edney had 19 points and nine rebounds for UCLA (10-1, 4-1), which took over first place in the Pac-10.

Edney had a pair of layups in the first minute. He also held Damon Stoudamire, who scored 45 points in his previous game against Stanford, to 15.

"Edney played great. In the first two plays, he set the tempo for the game," UCLA coach Jim Harrick said.

Arizona (12-4, 2-2) trailed 35-26 at halftime and got no closer than 5

points after that.

"It seemed we were kind of passive and they took it to us," Arizona's Reggie Geary said. "Their runs hurt us all night."

## No. 1 Massachusetts 91, Rhode Island 75

At Providence, Marcus Camby scored 27 points as Massachusetts won its 11th straight game.

Camby had 11 straight points for the Minutemen (12-1, 4-0 Atlantic 10) as they broke away to a 66-45 lead. Derek Kellogg scored 14 for Massachusetts.

Cordell Llewellyn had 21 points for Rhode Island (4-9, 0-4).

## No. 10 Georgetown 70, Florida Atlantic 55

At Landover, Md., Eric Myles filled in for injured Allen Iverson and scored 20 points for Georgetown.

## Washington State 83, No. 17 Oregon 78

At Pullman, Wash., Mark Hendrickson scored 9 points in the final 1:47 as the Cougars held off Oregon.

Isaac Fontaine had 27 points for Washington State (7-5, 3-2 Pac-10). Hendrickson finished with 25 points, and his two foul shots with 43 seconds left put the Cougars ahead for good at 77-76.

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# NHL season starts tonight

VANCOUVER, B.C. (AP) - The Dallas Stars open the strike-shortened NHL season tonight at Vancouver, where last year's season abruptly ended.

Players have been working out for only a week, and things could get pretty hully-gully until they get into playing shape.

The season has been slashed to 48 games from the 84 originally scheduled.

"It will be a dash," Dallas Stars president Jim Lites said. "But it will be a war, too. Hold onto your seat. This is going to be something to see."

Stars coach Bob Gainey said it will be particularly important to grab the lead early.

"We'll have to use our bench wisely, shorten some shifts and be careful to rest everyone who needs it," he said. "We've had a lot of time to think about and prepare for this."

"Still, there'd be nothing better than to enter as many third periods as you can with a lead, because that's when fatigue will come in."

Gainey has been trying to bring his team along gradually since resuming practice last weekend. He has worked the players harder each day to build their stamina.

The Stars, who became Dallas' hottest ticket a year ago in their first year in the city, have unpleasant memories of Vancouver.

The Stars knocked out St. Louis, four games to one, but then fell to the Canucks in five games. Vancouver then took the New York Rangers to a seventh game in the Stanley Cup Finals.

"I'm sure their fans will give them a great boost," Gainey said.

The Stars have a different look from last season. Wednesday, they obtained defenseman Kevin Hatcher from the Washington Capitals for defenseman and captain Mark Tinordi.

Hatcher, a three-time All-Star, is expected to get some playing time tonight. But he said Wednesday it probably will take him two to three weeks "to get my legs under me."

Hatcher, 28, is considered one of the best offensive defensemen in the NHL. Two seasons ago, he led league defensemen in goal scoring with 34. In 685 games, he has 149 goals and 277 assists.

"I don't think the organization has ever had a defenseman as offensive as him. He can shoot the puck. He can carry it end to end. He's huge. He can turn the game around. He's always a presence," said Stars left winger Alan May, who played with Hatcher for four years with the Washington Capitals.

The 6-4, 225-pound Hatcher agreed to a six-year contract reportedly worth \$15 million. He will

join his brother, Derian, on Dallas' defense.

"Kevin is the type of player that we haven't had, the type of player that's going to make us a stronger, all-around team, that will take us to where we hope will be a Stanley Cup-type team," Gainey said.

"There are certain times when a high-echelon player becomes available. This is one of those opportunities. We grasped it, and feel confident that as a result, our team's a better team today," Gainey said.

"He can shoot from 60 feet out, which is something the organization hasn't had in several years. This kid is a different sort of piece that will help our team," Gainey said. "It will present new problems for the other team."

Hatcher most notably improves the Stars on the power play. He's right-handed; only one other Stars defenseman, seldom-used Gord Donnelly, shoots right-handed.

"He's the perfect guy to complement (Mike) Modano on the power play," May said. "He's the right-handed shot we don't have."

Modano, the most potent weapon for the Stars with the man advantage, shoots left. Whenever Modano sent a pass to the point man on the blue line, usually a defenseman, that player had to stop the puck with the back of his stick, pivot and then get off a shot.

# Police: ex-ump committed suicide

ENDICOTT, N.Y. (AP) - The death of former major league umpire Ron Luciano, whose theatrical style made him a favorite among baseball fans, was classified Thursday as a suicide.

In a brief statement, Endicott police said an autopsy performed by Broome County coroner Dr. Michael McCarville concluded that Luciano, 57, died from carbon monoxide poisoning.

L. Harlan Ayers said no additional information or details would be released by authorities.

A woman who answered the phone

at the Luciano home but who would not identify herself said the family had no comment.

"The family is not taking this well," Ayers said.

Luciano's body was discovered by a hunting friend Wednesday in the garage area of his home.

Ayers declined to confirm whether a suicide note was found.

Luciano was an American League umpire for 11 years, retiring in 1980. He worked the 1974 World Series and AL championship series in 1971, 1975 and 1978.

In a profession that traditionally

demanding an unobtrusive presence, Luciano was colorful and animated. He called out runners with a flick of his fingers as if an imaginary pistol were in his hand.

Luciano was a 300-pound star offensive lineman at Syracuse, where he blocked for one season for the great running back Jim Brown. He graduated in 1959.

After retiring from umpiring, he worked as a television commentator for NBC and wrote four books about his baseball experiences, starting with "The Umpire Strikes Back," a best-seller in 1982.

# Comics

**The Wizard of Id** by Brant Parker & Johnny Hart

**Marvin** By Tom Armstrong

**BLONDIE** by Dean Young & Stan Drake

**BEETLE BAILEY** By Mort Walker

**Barney Google and Snuffy Smith** By Fred Lasswell

## FRIDAY JANUARY 20

	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM		
2	Movie: Ent. Tonight	Movie: The Bandit of Sherwood Forest	Movie: Robin Hood (1991)	Patrick Bergin, Uma Thurman	Roger Daltrey: The Music of the Who	Homicide: Life	News	(:35) Tonight Show	News	Time Goes	Previews	KACVideo	
3	MacNeil/Lehrer Newshour	Wash. Week	Wall St.	Messengers	Making Welfare Work	Time Goes	Previews	KACVideo	News	(:35) Cheers	Rush L.	Wash. Week	
4	News	Wh. Fortune	Fam. Mat.	Boy-World	Step by S.	Mr. Cooper	20/20	News	(:35) Cheers	Rush L.	Wash. Week	Wash. Week	
5	Main St.	Family	Joy-Music	Issues	VISN Agenda	Family Enrichment Series	Gospel	Cap.-News	Lawson Live	Night Court	Simon & Simon	Wash. Week	
6	Love Con.	Jeffersons	Hercules: The	Legendary Journeys	News	Picket Fences	News	(:35) Late Show	Star Trek: Next Gener.	M*A*S*H	Basketball	Wash. Week	
7	News	Coach	Diagnosis Murder	Under Suspicion	X-Files	Sightings	Star Trek: Next Gener.	M*A*S*H	Basketball	Wash. Week	Wash. Week	Wash. Week	
8	Roseanne	M*A*S*H	M.A.N.T.I.S.	X-Files	Sightings	Star Trek: Next Gener.	M*A*S*H	Basketball	Wash. Week	Wash. Week	Wash. Week	Wash. Week	
9	Sportsctr.	NFL All-Pro	NFL Great	College Hockey	Colorado College at Minnesota	700 Club	Sportscenter	Basketball	Wash. Week	Wash. Week	Wash. Week	Wash. Week	
10	Waltons	Shade	Shade	Rescue 911	700 Club	Sportscenter	Basketball	Wash. Week	Wash. Week	Wash. Week	Wash. Week	Wash. Week	
11	(5:00) Mclv: Hall Caesar	Movie: Fatal Instinct	Armand Assante	Movie: Caroline at Midnight	Tim Daly 'R'	Movie: South Beach	Fred Williamson 'R'	Snaps	Movie: Amityville: A New Generation 'R'	Movie: Demolition Man	Sylvester Stallone. *** 'R'	Wash. Week	
12	Inside the NFL	Movie: Silver	(1993) Sharon Stone, William Baldwin 'R'	Dennis M.	Movie: Amityville: A New Generation 'R'	Snaps	Movie: Demolition Man	Sylvester Stallone. *** 'R'	Movie: Last Action Hero	Movie: Shadowlands	(1993) Anthony Hopkins, Debra Winger. *** 'PG'	Movie: Demolition Man	Sylvester Stallone. *** 'R'
13	Movie: Last Action Hero	Movie: Shadowlands	(1993) Anthony Hopkins, Debra Winger. *** 'PG'	Movie: Demolition Man	Sylvester Stallone. *** 'R'	Movie: Demolition Man	Sylvester Stallone. *** 'R'	Movie: Demolition Man	Sylvester Stallone. *** 'R'	Movie: Demolition Man	Sylvester Stallone. *** 'R'	Movie: Demolition Man	Sylvester Stallone. *** 'R'
14	American	News	Yesteryear	Music City Tonight	Club Dance	News	Yesteryear	Survival	Shipwrecks	Pirates	Survival	Shipwrecks	Pirates
15	Bey. 2000	Next Step	Shipwrecks	Pirates	Survival	Armor	Hunters	Shipwrecks	Pirates	Survival	Shipwrecks	Pirates	Survival
16	Rockford Files	Design. W.	Barbara Walters	Movie: 83 Hours 'Til Dawn	(1990) Robert Ulrich. ** 1/2	Design. W.	Design. W.	Girls' Night	Press Box	College Hockey: BU at BC	Hockey	Boxing Prime Championship Series	Press Box
17	K. Sampson	Press Box	College Hockey: BU at BC	Hockey	Boxing Prime Championship Series	Press Box	College Hockey: BU at BC	Hockey	Boxing Prime Championship Series	Press Box	College Hockey: BU at BC	Hockey	Boxing Prime Championship Series
18	In the Heat of the Night	NBA Basketball	Orlando Magic at Denver Nuggets	Inside-NBA	Movie: Apache Uprising	(1966) **	Newhart	Van Dyke	Dragnet	Duckman	Movie: Tremors	(1990)	Noticiero
19	Doug	Bing. Sound	Jeannie	Bewitched	I Love Lucy	M.T. Moore	Taxi	Taxi	Noticiero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero
20	Wings	Wings	Murder, She Wrote	Movie: Rambo: First Blood Part II	(1985) **	Noticiero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero
21	Volter a Empezar	Agujetas Rrose	Pelucula	Noticiero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero	Movie: Valente Quintero
22	Secrets of Technology	Machines	Machines	Machines	Machines	Machines	Machines	Machines	Machines	Machines	Machines	Machines	Machines
23	Scoby Doo	Scoby Doo	Flintstones	Jetsons	Bugs & Daffy	Space G	Moxy Pirate	Johnny Q.	Space G	Moxy Pirate	Johnny Q.	Space G	Moxy Pirate

## SATURDAY JANUARY 21

	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM												
2	Pony Tales	Care Bears	Charlie B.	Marsupiami	Movie: Fox Tales	(1986)	Bear	Movie: Prehysteria	Austin O'Brien. 'PG'	Danger Bay	Movie: Prehysteria	Austin O'Brien. 'PG'											
3	Madison	Pigasso	Wonderland	Science Guy	Adventure	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell	Dreams	Inside Stuff	TBA	Movie: Prehysteria	Austin O'Brien. 'PG'											
4	(Off Air)	Wash. Week	Wall St.	Quilling '90s	Quilling '90s	Quilling '90s	Quilling '90s	Quilling '90s	Quilling '90s	Quilling '90s	Quilling '90s	Quilling '90s											
5	(:05) Bonanza	(:05) WCV Pro Wrestling	(:05) National Geographic Explorer	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.											
6	Sonic	Free Willy	Cryptkeeper	Reboot	Bump	Fudge	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.											
7	Peppermint	Storybarn	To Be Announced	Sunshine	Gerbert	Just Kids	Kingdom	Just Kids	Kingdom	Just Kids	Kingdom	Just Kids											
8	Farm Report	Business	News	MotorWeek	Fishing	Pro Football	Golf Show	Pro Football	Golf Show	Pro Football	Golf Show	Pro Football											
9	Mermaid	Beethoven	Aladdin	Turtles	WildC.A.T.S.	Warriors	Garfield and Friends	Newa-Kids	Media	TBA	Movie: Blue	Movie: Blue											
10	Dog City	Rangers	Animaniacs	Eek!	Batman	Tick	X-Men	Red Planet	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell	DI. World	DI. World											
11	Sportsman	Fishin' Hole	Outdoors	Fly Fishing	Salt Water	WalkerCay	NASCAR	Sportsctr.	College Basketball	Louisville at Tulane	Chaparral	Chaparral											
12	Madeline	Wish Kid	Mario	Max. Drive	Masters	My Dog	Big Jake	Bordertown	Bonanza	Fatal Instinct	Armand Assante.	Chaparral											
13	Heroes	Mrs. Piggles	Movie: Star Trek IV: The Voyage Home	William Shatner.	Ready-Not	Degrassi J.	Movie: Fatal Instinct	Armand Assante.	Movie: Rudy	Sean Astin. *** 'PG'	Movie: Rudy	Sean Astin. *** 'PG'											
14	Smoggies!	Encyclopedia	Movie: Free Willy	(1993) Jason James Richter, Lori Loughlin.	Inside the NFL	Movie: Rudy	Sean Astin. *** 'PG'	Movie: Rudy	Sean Astin. *** 'PG'	Movie: Rudy	Sean Astin. *** 'PG'	Movie: Rudy											
15	Movie:	(:20) Movie: Forever Young	Mel Gibson.	Movie: Valdez Is Coming	Burt Lancaster.	Movie: Phase IV	Nigel Davenport. 'PG'	Movie: Phase IV	Nigel Davenport. 'PG'	Movie: Phase IV	Nigel Davenport. 'PG'	Movie: Phase IV											
16	(Off Air)	American Sports Cavalcade	In the Wild	Nature	Pet Con.	Animals	Sanctuaries	Himalayas	Wonder of Our World	Dance	Wildlife Mysteries	Face of Tutankhamun	Civil War Journal	David L. Wolper Presents	Twentieth Century	Investigat							
17	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Baby Knows	Your Baby	Our Home	Love	On the Line	Fishing	A. Brooks	T. Barone	Richardson	SWC	Countdown-Sign	College Basketball	Tulsa at Bradley				
18	Hondo	How the West Was Won	Wild, Wild West	Wild, Wild West	Wild, Wild West	Wild, Wild West	Alvin Show	Kablooey	Bing. Sound	My Brother	Looney	Movie: Man-	Movie: Man-										
19	Doug	Rugrats	Muppets	Muppets	Beetlejuice	Gumby	Alvin Show	Kablooey	Bing. Sound	My Brother	Looney	Movie: The Outlaw	Josey Wales (1976)										
20	Chapulin	Cantinflas	La Hora de los Tigrillos	El Club de Gaby	Johnny Canales	Super Sabado	Sensacional	Gardening	Gardening	Peasant	Tom and Jerry	Moxy Pirate	Augie Dog	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang						
21	Tom and Jerry	Moxy Pirate	Augie Dog	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang	Boomerang

	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30						
2	Zorro	Texas John Slaughter	Annette	Movie: Sammy the Way Out Seal **	Movie: To Catch a Yeti	Meat Loaf. 'PG'	Disney	Disney	Disney	Disney	Disney	Disney					
3	(12:00) Movie: **	Rocky IV (1985)	TBA	College Basketball	Xavier at Notre Dame	The NFL	News	News	News	News	News	News					
4	Old House	Workshop	Hometime	New Garden	Streamside	Texas Parks	Vic. at Sea	Hibel's Russian Palette	Kansall	Movie: Easy	(:05) Movie: Used Cars	(1980) Kurt Russell. ***					
5	Movie: Easy	(:05) Movie: Used Cars	(1980) Kurt Russell. ***	(:05) Movie: The Jerk	(1979) Steve Martin. ** 1/2	(:05) WCV Saturday Night	Hawkeye	Wide World of Sports	Wide World of Sports	Wide World of Sports	Wide World of Sports	Wide World of Sports					
6	Star Search	College Basketball: Regional Coverage	College Basketball: Regional Coverage	College Basketball: Regional Coverage	College Basketball: Regional Coverage	College Basketball: Regional Coverage	College Basketball: Regional Coverage	College Basketball: Regional Coverage	College Basketball: Regional Coverage	College Basketball: Regional Coverage	College Basketball: Regional Coverage	College Basketball: Regional Coverage					
7	Alive	Parenting	Family	Race to Save the Planet	Campbells	Sullivans	Crossroads	Goepel	Max Glick	Spirit Bay	(12:00) Movie: ***	Blue Collar	(1978)				
8	(12:00) Movie: ***	Blue Collar	(1978)	Hercules: The Legendary Journeys	Boogies	Dreams	Lifestyles	Lifestyles	Lifestyles	Lifestyles	Lifestyles	Lifestyles	Lifestyles				
9	TBA	College Basketball	Southland Methodist at Texas Tech	College Basketball	Houston at Texas A&M	College Basketball	Houston at Texas A&M	College Basketball	Houston at Texas A&M	College Basketball	Houston at Texas A&M	College Basketball	Houston at Texas A&M				
10	Paid Prog.	Movie: Uncommon Valor	(1983) Gene Hackman. ***	Movie: Bat 21	(1988) Gene Hackman. ***	Star Trek: Voyager	Star Trek: Voyager	Star Trek: Voyager	Star Trek: Voyager	Star Trek: Voyager	Star Trek: Voyager	Star Trek: Voyager	Star Trek: Voyager				
11	Basketball	College Football	Senior Bowl	PGA Golf	Northern Telecom	Open - Third Round	Snowy River: McGregor	Snowy River: McGregor	Snowy River: McGregor	Snowy River: McGregor	Snowy River: McGregor	Snowy River: McGregor	Snowy River: McGregor				
12	Chaparral	Young Riders	Rifleman	Rifleman	Big Valley	Bonanza	Movie: Little Noises	Crispin Glover. 'NR'	Movie: Maled to Order	Ally Sheedy. 'PG'	(:35) Movie: Look Who's Talking	Tou **	Movie: Star Trek IV				
13	Movie: Little Noises	Crispin Glover. 'NR'	Movie: Maled to Order	Ally Sheedy. 'PG'	(:35) Movie: Look Who's Talking	Tou **	Movie: Star Trek IV	Movie: Rudy	Animals	Movie: My Life	(1993) Michael Keaton, Nicole Kidman.	Movie: Wayne's World	2 Mike Myers.				
14	Movie: Rudy	Animals	Movie: My Life	(1993) Michael Keaton, Nicole Kidman.	Movie: Wayne's World	2 Mike Myers.	Movie: Wayne's World	2 Mike Myers.	Movie: Wayne's World	2 Mike Myers.	Movie: Wayne's World	2 Mike Myers.	Movie: Wayne's World				
15	Movie: Almost an Angel	Movie: Going Ape!	Tony Danza. ** 'PG'	Movie: Uptown Saturday Night	** 1/2	(:45) Movie: Omen IV: The Awakening	Movie: Omen IV: The Awakening	Movie: Omen IV: The Awakening	Movie: Omen IV: The Awakening	Movie: Omen IV: The Awakening	Movie: Omen IV: The Awakening	Movie: Omen IV: The Awakening	Movie: Omen IV: The Awakening				
16	Outdoors	NHRA	Racing	Truckin'	Speed	Rodeo	VideoPM	Music Video Album Hour	Stardom	Wonder	Wonder of Our World	Beyond 2000	Movie Magic	Know Zone	Next Step	Video	Hunters
17	Wonder	Wonder of Our World	Beyond 2000	Movie Magic	Know Zone	Next Step	Video	Hunters	Investigat	American Justice	Movie: The Atlanta Child Murders	(1985) ***	Movie: The Atlanta Child Murders	(1985) ***			
18	Investigat	American Justice	Movie: The Atlanta Child Murders	(1985) ***	Movie: The Atlanta Child Murders	(1985) ***	Ooh La La	L.A. Law	Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: Deceptions	(1985) Stefania Powers. ** 1/2	Movie: Deceptions	(1985)				
19	Ooh La La	L.A. Law	Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: Deceptions	(1985) Stefania Powers. ** 1/2	Movie: Deceptions	(1985)	Basketball	NFC Prev.	Advent	Women's College Basketball	Teams to Be Announced	College Basketball: Teams TBA				
20	(12:00) Movie: A Man Called Sledge	Movie: Werewolves on Wheels	(1971) Barry McGuire. **	Bugs Bunny	Bugs Bunny	Rah! Rah! Rah!	Bugs Bunny	Bugs Bunny	Rah! Rah! Rah!	Looney	You Do	Crazy Kids	Weinerville	Double Dare	Salute	Salute	Salute

# Church News

## CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

The Christian Unity Service this Sunday, January 22, 6 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church. Susie Merrick and the Heaven Bound Choir will be leading the music and some Promise Keepers will be sharing.

Blue Water Gardens Ministry for children will hold their monthly meeting this Saturday, January 21, 11 a.m. in the Nazarene Church.

January 29th, our missionary, Jim Johnson will be with us in the morning service.

Rev. and Mrs. Johnson have been serving the Church of the Nazarene as Work and Witness coordinators in Mexico since 1989.

NCA Eagles will host Hobbs Jr. girls at 4 p.m., and the boys at 5 p.m. in the Church.

Bible Study, 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday morning service, 10:30 a.m.

Sunday evening service, 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Service:  
Kids Fall Program, 7 p.m.  
Teen "Club Paradise", 7 p.m.  
Adult Bible Study, 7 p.m.

## WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school for all ages begins at 10 a.m. with the Sunday worship services starting at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. A special time for children is conducted during the morning service.

Methodist Men meet the first Sunday of each month at 9 a.m. U.M. Women is held the second Wednesday of the month at 7 p.m. Every Thursday at 7 p.m. is choir practice.

Sunday, Jan. 22, is United Methodist Women Sunday. All Methodist Churches will be celebrating with the women participating in the worship service. The theme for this year is "God's Family, Our Family".

There will be a covered dish dinner following the morning worship on Sunday, Jan. 22. A love offering will be taken in support for Jami Bell, who is a member of Spirit Wind Choir. Spirit Wind is a youth ministry in song supported by the Northwest Texas Conference of the United Methodist Church.

Everyone is welcome to attend morning worship and join in the fellowship as we worship and praise God. Lead by Bro. John Westman.

## FELLOWSHIP OF BELIEVERS

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

Sunday school classes for all age groups and Bible study for adults meet from 9:30-11:15 a.m. The adult class and Sunday worship service are held from 10:30-11:15 a.m. and are led by Doug Manning, worship leader.

We have nursery facilities for all ages. The free taxi service is available upon request by calling 364-0359.

## COMMUNITY CHURCH

Pastor Dorman Duggan and the church congregation would like to extend a warm welcome to everyone to come and worship with them Sunday morning.

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

The Ladies Prayer Group meets on Tuesday at 9:30 a.m.

The Wednesday schedule includes children's church, youth groups, and prayer time, all beginning at 7 p.m.

For more information or if you need prayer, call 364-8866 or 364-2423.

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Reverend Lanny Wheeler, Chlain at King's Manor, will be the guest preacher for the 10:30 a.m. worship service. His sermon will be based on the Scripture: Mark 5:24-34.

Sunday School for all ages begins at 9:30 a.m. by fellowship time at 10:10-10:30.

The youth groups will meet from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Sunday. Youth fellowship will be from 6:30-7 p.m.

The adult choir practice begins at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday. Any wishing to sing with the choir is invited to attend.

## ST. THOMAS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

"Ezra's Parish Meeting" is the title of the sermon by The Rev. Charles Wilson on Jan. 22, the Third Sunday after the Epiphany. The Holy Eucharist is celebrated at 11 a.m. St. Thomas' Annual Parish Meeting and fellowship meal follow the service.

Our annual household business will include the election of a vestry member, election of a delegate and alternate to the Deanery Convocations and the Diocesan Convention and the presentation of the 1994 Treasurer's Report and the 1995 Budget.

The regular Wednesday Public Service of Healing is at 7 p.m. with the Litany of Healing, the Laying-on-of-Hands with Holy Unction, and Holy Communion. We will observe the major prayer book feast day of the Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle as the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity ends.

Intercessory prayer requests from the community are most welcome. To have them included in the Prayers of the People at all services, please call 364-0146 and leave a message. In case of emergency or to make appointments for personal conferences, please call Father Wilson in Amarillo at 353-1734.

There is Christian Education each Sunday at 9:30 a.m. Children and youth meet in the Sunday School room in the Education wing. The Adult Class continues a series of videos/discussions called "Issues and Ethics" from the VISON Network on the Faith and Values Channel. The Adult Class meets in the church parlor.

## COUNTRY ROAD CHURCH OF GOD 401 Country Club Drive

Pastor Woody Wiggins and the church congregation invite the public to attend all services and activities at the church.

Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. and the Sunday worship services are held at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Bible study is conducted at 7 p.m. each Thursday.

A nursery is available. Pastor Wiggins said, "If you are needing a place to worship, come be with us. We are here for those who are hurting."

## CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY CHURCH

Pastor Don Cherry and the church congregation invite the public to attend all services at the church located on S. Main St.

We have dismissed Sunday school for the time being and changed our Sunday morning worship service time to 10:30. The Sunday evening service will remain the same (6 p.m.) as will the Wednesday night service at 7 p.m. For additional information, call 364-5874.

## CHRIST'S CHURCH FELLOWSHIP

Christ's Church Fellowship at 401 West Park Avenue invites you to worship with us Sunday morning. The morning activities include Sunday School at 9:30.

Choir class and music practice at 9 and morning worship and K.I.D.S. church at 10:45.

The evening activities will not meet in order that the whole church can attend the Unity Service to be held at First United Methodist Church at 6 p.m.

Women's Precepts ministry is open to all women of the community and meets Monday at 7 p.m. and Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. They are now studying the book of Revelation as taught by internationally known Bible teacher, Kay Arthur.

Christian youth club meets Wednesday at 4:45 after school and is for children first through sixth grades.

The Wednesday night prayer meeting will be in the home of George and Linda Keenan at 126 Mimosa. Pastor Otto Schaufele will be preaching on Anointing that breaks the yoke, Sunday morning. A well-supervised nursery is available for all services for infants through age three.

## ST. ANTHONY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

The workshop for Lectors will be held in the Antonian Room on Jan. 23 and Jan. 26.

Watch for the Valentine Dinner, JOY-sponsored, coming to St. Anthony's Feb. 11 at 7 p.m. in the cafeteria.

For a new beginning following a traumatic loss of spouse, call Becky Sanderson at 364-5813 or James Burrus at 578-4470. Help is available Feb. 4-6 at the Bishop DeFalco Retreat Center in Amarillo.

A scripture symposium on the Infancy Narratives of the Gospel Tradition by Father Joseph Fitzmyer is coming to our Diocese Feb 17-18. All are encouraged to attend. More information is available from Charlotte at the church office.

A girl's bracelet was found in a church pew. Please call the office at 364-6150 to identify and claim.

Broomsticks are being sought for the worship environment. Give Nancy a call at 364-4244.

Emma Luke will celebrate her 95th birthday Jan. 25.

## CALVARY WORSHIP CENTER 105 S. Main

Pastor Vincient Sandlin and congregation would like to extend a friendly welcome to everyone to come and worship with us this Sunday.

We have two services on Sunday. The morning worship is at 10 and the evening fellowship at 6. A nursery is provided.

Bible study on Wednesday at 7 p.m. is led by Brother Vince. For additional information or prayer call 364-1757.

## SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH

On Jan. 22 there will be a meeting for high school seniors of our parish with Father Darryl at 3 p.m. in the rectory. This is a formation session for all seniors, but particularly those who are not able to attend the T.Y.M. mini-course. Also, the adult mentors assigned to the seniors of the parish will have their meeting at 3 p.m. in the salon on the same day.

San Jose Church will be hosting a Valentine's Dance on Feb. 11 as a fund-raiser for the new education/recreation building. If you would like to help out call Melody Pacheco (0885) or Fannie De Leon (8298). Mark your calendars so we can all be present to celebrate together.

Liturgies for the weekend are: Saturday 7 p.m. Spanish, Sunday 9 a.m. Spanish and 11:30 a.m. English.

## WESTWAY BAPTIST CHURCH

We would like to invite you to be with us this Sunday at 9:45 a.m. for Sunday school and 11 a.m. for worship service.

We are a country church that is growing in the Lord. Come join Ray Sanders, John Curtis and all the members as we worship together.

We look forward to having you in our congregation.

## IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday school is at 10 a.m. at Immanuel Lutheran Church. We have classes for all ages. Our Adult Bible Class will continue to study the book of Proverbs. Morning worship is at 11. "The Suffering Servant" will be the theme, from Isaiah 61:1-6.

Second Year Confirmation class will be on Wednesday evening at 7:30. There will be a meeting of the Elders immediately after church on Jan. 22.

## FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Jan. 22 will be a very special day with United Methodist Women leading the morning service and at the evening service the week of Prayer for Christian Unity will be celebrated.

Sunday School begins at 9:30 a.m. and the morning worship will be at 10:45. Mrs. Emma Lou Cox, from Borger, will be our speaker. Mrs. Cox is the Northwest Texas Conference UMW Coordinator of Christian Personhood. Her topic for her talk will be "God's Family - Our Family". The anthem by the Sanctuary Choir will be "He Hideth My Soul" and the offertory will be by Deloris Dowell who will sing "Jesus Came Into My Heart".

FUMC will be hosting all the churches in town for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity at the 6 p.m. service. Refreshments will be served in the Fellowship Hall following the service.

The youth will meet at 5 p.m.

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Winter Bible Study, February 3-5; Galatians - Saved by Grace. Lead by Dr. James Shields, Harding Simmons University.

Super Sunday Celebration, January 29th. Evening service 5-5:30, then watch the big game on a huge screen at an all family Super Bowl Party in Fellowship Hall. Bring your friends who love football - but don't know Jesus. Fun for the whole family - Bring your favorite drink and snack.

First Place will begin our second session this month. First Place is designed to help Christians develop discipline in the spiritual, emotional, and mental as well as the physical areas of their lives. Come see what First Place is all about at our orientation meeting, January 22, at 5 p.m. in the health room of the Fellowship Hall.

## DAWN BAPTIST CHURCH

Dawn Baptist Church welcomes all to join us for Bible Study at 9:50 a.m. and worship at 11 a.m. each Sunday.

Bro. Bill O'Dell will begin the Winter Bible Study during the evening worship hour. A meal will be served at 6 p.m. followed by the Bible Study.

There will be prayer meeting each Wednesday at 7 p.m.

## TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. and the Sunday worship services are held at 11 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Pastor Ed Warren and the church congregation invite the public to all services at the church located on S. Hwy. 385 and Columbia St. For additional information, call 364-3487.

## SUMMERFIELD BAPTIST CHURCH

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

For more information, call 357-2535.

## TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH

The Temple Baptist Church at 700 Avenue K wishes to invite everyone to worship with them Jan. 22. This Sunday will be our Baptist Men's Day; all places in the service will be filled by laymen of the church. The Sunday School Hour begins at 9:45 a.m. The morning worship service begins at 11. Bruce Edwards will be leading the singing with the morning message by Bill McDowell. Roy Campbell, Glen Nelson and Keith Shore will be giving their testimonies.

The evening activities begin with Masterlife Study at 6 with Jim Bozeman. Then the evening worship will be at 7 with Bill Lamm bringing the message.

Wednesday we will have our regular prayer meeting at 7 p.m.

## CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST

The youth at Central are very important. They had a devotional at the Haney's Sunday evening. They have been studying for a Bible Bowl in February. They are making plans for a ski trip in February. We are very proud of our young people.

The young adults are going to Amarillo Saturday for a night out. They will be going to a show and eating out.

On Jan. 29 we will be having a fellowship meal together at noon and an early afternoon service at 1:30. Everyone come join us in worship.

Sunday Bible Class begins at 9:30 a.m. with worship services at 10:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Wednesday Bible Class is at 7 p.m.

# Menus

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THURSDAY-Breakfast burrito or cereal, buttered toast, apple juice, chocolate milk.

FRIDAY-Hash browns, Texas toast and jelly or cereal, buttered toast, banana, milk.

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WEDNESDAY-Grilled cheese sandwich, vegetable soup, tator tots with catsup, fruiti freeze bar, bread, chocolate milk.

THURSDAY-Nacho grande with

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## Japanese in quake area now facing new threats - hunger, cold disease

By DAVID THURBER  
Associated Press Writer  
Kobe, Japan (AP)--They survived earthquake and fire. Now thousands of Japanese are fighting hunger, bone-chilling cold and the threat of disease.

The quake Tuesday turned Kobe, a modern port city, into smoldering ruins without enough electricity, food, fuel and clean water for its 1.4 million people.

An aftershock of magnitude 3.6 jolted Kobe today. Seismologists said it was among the strongest of more than 800 aftershocks since Tuesday's devastating quake of magnitude 7.2.

As of this afternoon, the death toll stood at 4,329, with 660 still missing and 22,120 injured, according to police. About 280,000 people were living in emergency shelters.

Pipes were so badly damaged that water had to be shut off today to about 1 million homes, the Health and Welfare Ministry said. Some 110,000 households had no electricity and nearly 850,000 had no natural gas.

Kansai Electric Power Co. said it hoped to restore service within a few days. But the local gas company estimated it would take

a month to repair broken lines and restore service.

Delayed by fires and lack of equipment, rescuers searched frantically today for more survivors from Japan's deadliest quake in 70 years.

With no running water, sanitation is becoming a major problem in crowded earthquake shelters. Every day, refugees shuffle through the rubble-strewn streets to collect water in plastic canisters from broken mains.

Tens of thousands of people were trying to make their way out of the city, by foot if necessary and carrying their possessions on their backs.

Some people could be seen pushing baby carriages filled with food, clothing and other supplies. Some were weeping openly.

Naoto Sato, a Kobe city official, said as yet there were no reports of disease due to contaminated drinking water.

"If it were summertime, the situation would have been bad," he said. "We're lucky."

The cold weather--nighttime temperatures have been hovering around freezing--has prevented bodies from decomposing in the rubble. But it probably also has

killed some people who survived the quake but were trapped in the wreckage.

Officials admitted that overcrowded shelters were critically short of all necessities. At one school, hundreds of refugees were camping in classrooms which had heat. Scores of others were crowded into the unheated, concrete hallways, where they spend their nights wrapped in blankets.

The death toll already surpassed the official death toll in Japan's next-worst recent earthquake -- 3,769 people killed in 1948 in the northwestern city of Fukui. The 1923 quake that devastated Tokyo and the surrounding Kanto plain killed more than 140,000.

The U.S. Embassy in Tokyo said two Americans died in Kobe's quake, a female English teacher whose name wasn't released and another teacher, Voni Lynn Wong, 24, of Los Angeles.

The scope of the devastation shattered Japanese confidence that one of the world's most technologically advanced nations could insulate itself from nature's power and cope with the aftermath.

"It is imperative that we rethink and restructure our disaster-relief

policies for the whole of Japan," Prime Minister Tomiichi Murayama told parliament today.

Murayama said the government must reconsider construction guidelines and re-examine the system for responding to natural calamity.

Emergency services were clearly inadequate. Authorities hoped to restore partial rail service, including the "bullet train" between Osaka and Kyoto later today.

At city hall in suburban Nishinomiya, hundreds of homeless people showed up today to ask officials for help finding new homes.

"I'm sorry, but I can't do anything about your house at this point," one official, Takahiro Inada, told them. "I suggest you go to another city."

Three days after the quake, rescuers believed there were still scores of people alive in the wreckage of collapsed buildings.

In one Kobe neighborhood, a barking pet dog led rescuers Thursday to his owner, 65-year-old Chiyoko Amakawa, who had been buried for 53 hours, Kyodo News Service reported. Doctors said she was badly bruised but suffered no broken bones.

## Pride, resentment rise in Mexico's attitude toward American aid

By SARA SILVER  
Associated Press Writer

MEXICO CITY (AP)--Efforts by the United States to help Mexico deal with its financial crisis are hitting hard at the nation's pride instead.

The euphoria that greeted a U.S. proposal of \$40 billion in loan guarantees turned to resentment this week. The reason: calls in Washington to tie the aid to demands Mexico use oil to back the guarantees, improve its drug enforcement, adopt draconian anti-migration policies or cut ties with Cuba.

"The conditions are simply unacceptable," said Hector Sanchez, a senator of the leftist Democratic Revolution Party.

Even officials of the ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party were wary.

Congress "knows how to decide what's best for its country, and that includes how they'll help Mexico," said PRI Senator Carlos Sales Gutierrez. "We'll wait to see the proposal, and then decide whether we'll accept it with the conditions."

Mexican analysts questioned whether the assistance would be worth it.

"We still don't know which will be greater, the loan or the conditions which the United States will impose on us," wrote commentator Sergio Aguayo in the Mexico City daily La Jornada.

He called on Mexico to examine its relationship with the United States. "Are we allies, enemies or what?"

Uncertainty about the U.S. assistance hurt Mexico's currency and its stock market on Thursday. The market's main IPC index fell 4.83 percent. The peso fell to 5,575 to the dollar from 5,405.

Despite the two countries' decision to further link their economies through last year's North American Free Trade Agreement, Mexicans remain sensitive to U.S. meddling.

Events that are dusty chapters in U.S. history books still raise ire in Mexico, like the U.S. occupation of Mexico City in 1847, which followed disputes over Texas' independence. The resulting peace treaty cost Mexico half its territory, which is now the southwestern United States.

California's passage last year of Proposition 187, which bans most medical, education and other services for illegal immigrants, is overwhelmingly seen here as a racist slap at Mexico.

U.S. lawmakers have suggested Mexico be required to open its markets further to U.S. companies, enforce U.S. labor or environmental laws or end dealings with Cuba to qualify for assistance.

One popular cartoonist, El Fisgon, published a cartoon showing Mexico's national seal bearing the words: "The United States-Mexico branch."

Some Mexicans fear the guarantees are a back-door way of securing U.S. access or ownership of Mexico's natural resources.

"They've wanted our oil for a long time," said Luis Alvarez, former president of the center-right National Action Party.

President Ernesto Zedillo has insisted ownership of oil is not on the table, but on Wednesday he proposed letting foreigners buy into Mexico's railway system, long a pillar of the state-run economy.

Some U.S. critics of the aid plan say it is meant more to help smarting Wall Street investors than Mexico.

"Those loan guarantees are about saving faces, fannies and fortunes of morons who...plunged vast slices of America's wealth into Latin regimes--only to be fleeced and burned like country bumpkins," wrote conservative columnist Pat Buchanan.

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## 82-year-old likes life laid-back, stress-free

By BRIAN COFER  
Lubbock Avalanche-Journal

NEEDMORE, Texas -- Charles Lewis walks gently among his cattle.

Contrary to images of a man on horseback herding among thundering hooves and clouds of dust, Lewis lures them his way.

"Sook, sook, sook, sook, cattle," he calls, softly. "Sook, sook, sook." And they do come, gathering around expectantly.

Lewis, known by his middle name, Grundy, knows what he's doing. At 82, he has more than 60 years experience running cattle and coaxing crops from the dusty earth of Bailey County.

He has seen much throughout those six decades -- droughts and snowstorms, bumper crops and

meager harvests. But Lewis is not about to give it up.

"If you don't have an interest, there's not much reason to get up in the morning," he said.

A native of Meridian in Central Texas, Lewis went West in 1933, following a brother who was practicing dentistry in Muleshoe.

"We started accumulating cattle that fall," he said. There wasn't much around Needmore, a crossroads community that some say received its name after a storekeeper told a salesman, "I need more of everything."

"There was just a little ol' store and a little two-room house," Lewis said. "Eventually, it ended up with two stores, two churches and, of course, the gin."

Not much of that is left. Several houses still dot the area, along with an old store building, a cafe that may or may not be open and the cotton gin, which serves as the town's social center.

"If you can find seven or eight people (playing dominoes) at the gin, you're having a good day," Lewis said. "Used to be, you had three or four games going at once."

Still, Lewis has no plans to plans to leave. After all, this is where he settled down and lived the bulk of his life. Much of that time has been spent alone.

"My wife died in 1957. I couldn't fool no other woman," he said with a laugh.

So Lewis has remained a bachelor farmer, raising stock and crops on

parcels of land spread in all directions. By appearances, it's a lot of responsibilities and worries.

"You have the weather," he acknowledged. "It doesn't always cooperate 100 percent. This is drought country."

And other drawbacks exist. The markets sometimes can be about as capricious as the weather, and there's plenty of paperwork to be done.

But Lewis doesn't seem to worry too much about that stuff. With his experience, he knows he can deal with it. Plus there are all the joys, he said, like watching plants and animals grow season after season -- 60 of them, to be exact.

"It's a laid-back life," he said. "If it ever got to stressing me, I guess I'd give it up."

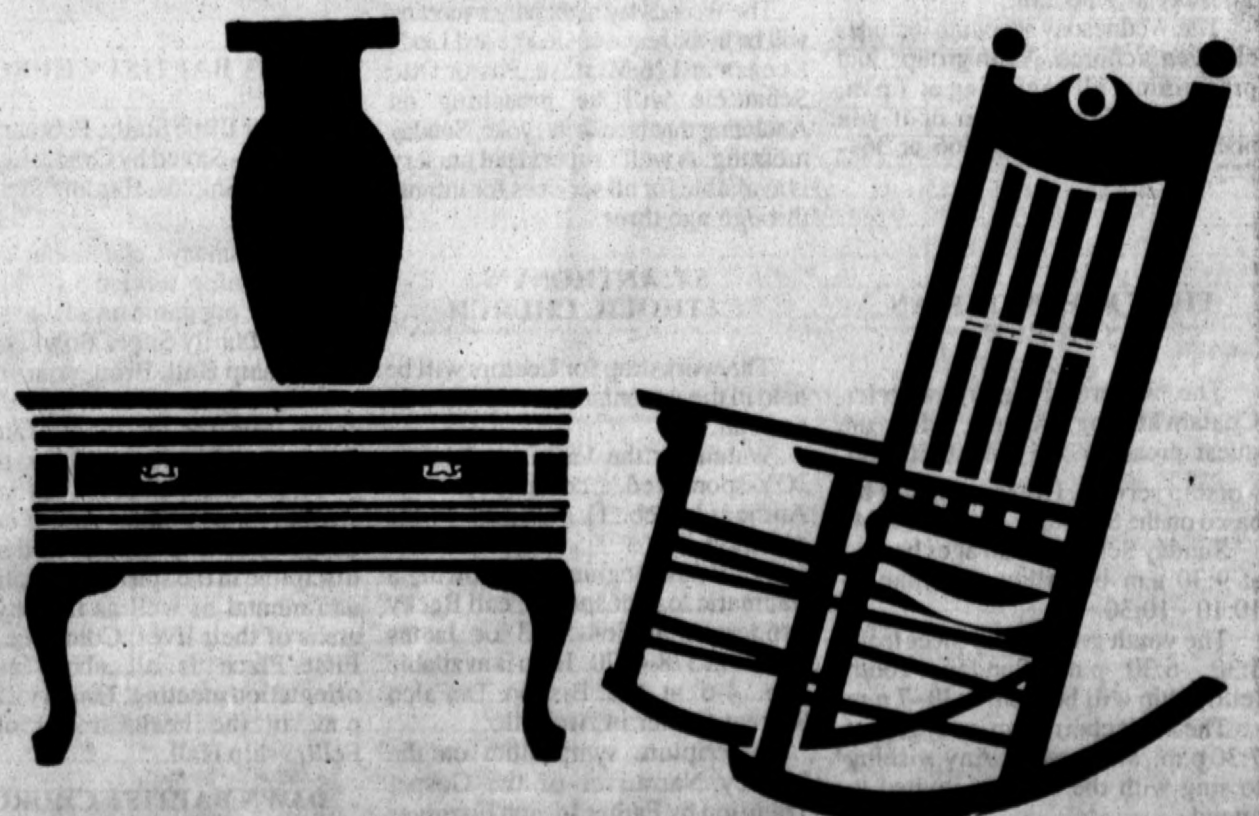
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### THE FATHER OF KING DAVID

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IT IS UNCERTAIN WHEN JESSE DIED, NO MORE IS HEARD OF HIM, AFTER DAVID PLACED BOTH PARENTS UNDER THE PROTECTION OF THE KING OF MOAB, (I SAM. 22:1-4) TILL HE KNEW WHAT GOD HAD IN STORE FOR HIM IN THE FUTURE!

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Garage Sale Lamar Room at Kings Manor Methodist Home, 400 Ranger Drive, Friday 8-5; Saturday 8-12. 28572

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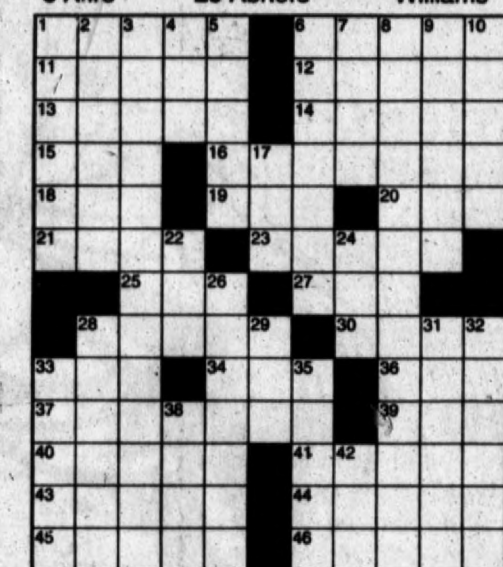
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 37 Spanish painter  
 39 Wilde-beest  
 40 Furniture designer Charles

**DOWN**

1 Dinner wine  
 2 Writer Balzac  
 3 "The Magician" director  
 4 Danny's "Lethal Weapon" co-star  
 5 In-depth investigation  
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 7 Moon goddess  
 8 "The Freshman" director  
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 10 Tatter  
 17 Sort  
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 24 Clumsy fool  
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**TENTACLE**  
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Paloma Lane Apartments, 2 bedroom available. Clean, neat, grounds maintained, application required, \$170 security deposit, 364-1255 EHO. 25908

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2 bedroom apartment, stove, fridge, water paid-364-4370 28356

For rent two bedroom, \$150/monthly, \$100/deposit, pay own bills, 434 Mable, 364-4332 or 364-6809 28416

For rent: 2-1-2, lg. bsmt., \$350/mo., 106 W. 6th. Call after 6 p.m. 364-2486. 28503

Efficiency apartment for working gentleman, utilities paid, nice area, 364-1371. 28554

**6. WANTED**  
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CATTLE - FEEDER (CME) 5000 lbs., cents per lb.  
Jan 73.00 74.00 74.00 74.00 + 11 80.10 71.00 1.100  
Mar 72.40 73.00 73.00 73.00 + 20 80.20 70.15 5.000  
Apr 72.00 72.50 72.50 72.50 + 40 79.50 69.15 1.400  
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### GRAIN FUTURES

CORN (CBT) 5000 lbs., cents per lb.  
Jan 234 234 234 234 + 14 237 236 110.375  
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### METAL FUTURES

GOLD (COMEX) 100 Troy oz., \$ per Troy oz.  
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### FUTURES OPTIONS

CATTLE-FEEDER (CME) 5000 lbs., cents per lb.  
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### Names in the News

MULLEN, Neb. (AP) - See Ted become a media mogul. See Ted marry Jane. See Ted and Jane discover a secret garden where they raise bison happily ever after.

Media mogul Ted Turner bought a 31,700-acre ranch in Nebraska's Sandhills country Friday, said Russ Miller, general manager of Turner Ranches. The price paid for the Spike Box Ranch was not disclosed.

"The Sandhills has the reputation of having some of the best ranch country anywhere," Miller told The North Platte Telegraph. "The area has some of the best water anywhere and, quite frankly, we wanted to purchase land where bison originally were."

Turner, who is married to Jane Fonda, already owns three ranches in Montana, two in New Mexico and other property in the Southeast.

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - Left ringers with a gripe about Newt Gingrich are getting 10 free phone minutes to complain to Congress.

The first 10,000 people who dialed (800) NIX-NEWT by Thursday evening were to get a "Stop Newt" calling card with the House speaker's picture.

The card entitles the holder to 10 minutes of calls to Congress to protest Gingrich's "Contract with America."

Working Assets Long Distance, a phone company based in San Francisco, made the offer. In a full-page ad in The New York Times, Working Assets said Gingrich wants to cut school lunches, food stamps and other basic aid for 5 million children.

Working Assets is already giving its 200,000 customers 10 minutes of free anti-Gingrich calls daily through April 30.

Working Assets donates 1 percent of its revenue to groups supporting the environment, human rights, peace and economic justice.

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By STEVEN H. LEE  
The Dallas Morning News  
DALLAS - A few years ago, Champion International Corp. spent \$100 million on new equipment at its Sheldon, Texas, paper mill to turn old newspapers into newsprint.

Despite the public's call for more recycled paper products, its timing couldn't have been worse. Demand for newsprint - the paper that newspapers are printed on - plummeted amid a nationwide recession that sharply reduced advertising lineage in newspapers. Not only did newspapers become smaller, but their number dwindled as operations folded in some markets.

Today, however, Champion's investment is paying off. Newsprint prices have jumped more than 20 percent this year, and are expected to go higher, in response to an improving newspaper industry and rising export demand.

And with mills now processing recycled wastepaper at full capacity to meet new demand, recycling companies are commanding top dollar for old newspapers they couldn't give away one year ago.

"Now we'll be able to reap the benefits of a hundred million dollars of capital investment," says Seth Kursman, a Champion spokesman.

The price rise, meanwhile, could slow the newspaper industry's recovery. Newsprint accounts for about 20 percent of a newspaper's costs. And rising newsprint costs

have been blamed in large part for underperforming newspaper stocks, despite improved ad lineage.

Some newspaper companies have cited difficulty absorbing three price rises in less than a year. Newsday in New York, for one, attributed increases in single-copy and subscription rates to newsprint prices.

Most newspapers across the country are looking at raising prices or advertising rates to offset the additional cost, says Miles Groves, chief economist with the Newspaper Association of America. The newsprint price rise wasn't a surprise, he says, given heavily discounted prices the past few years.

But that doesn't make it hurt any less, he says.

"People don't realize how much a newspaper is subsidized by its ads," Groves says. "But it can't pass all of the cost onto advertisers because they have other places to go. There are tough decisions to be made."

Average East Coast newsprint transaction prices, the most common gauge, this year will go to an estimated \$510 per metric ton by December from \$420 per metric ton in January, according to "Pulp & Paper Week," a trade journal. That would be the highest price in three years, though not yet approaching peak prices of more than \$600 a metric ton in 1988 and early 1989.

As much as newsprint prices have increased, the rise in prices of wastepaper for recycling has been

more dramatic. Over a 12-month period ended Sept. 1, average prices for discarded newspapers jumped a hefty 414.1 percent to \$67.50 per short ton from \$13.13 per short ton (2,000 pounds), the grade publication "Paper Recycler" reports.

"At the end of the last calendar year, we had trouble getting rid of it (old newspapers)," says Steve Flanagan, general manager of Rock-Tenn Recycling Co. in Dallas. "It's turned completely around."

Industry observers regard the turnaround as little more than supply and demand at work, a market correction that was bound to occur after several horrible years for paper mills. Newsprint is a highly cyclical business, they say, and they've seen this all before.

Still, some say they can't recall such a steep rise in prices in this short time. And with no new capacity planned for paper mills, observers expect the newsprint recovery to last perhaps another two or three years.

"I would expect the price to get back to where it was (in 1988), like \$630 a metric ton - and it might even get a little higher than that," says Larry Ross, first vice president of PaineWebber Group Inc. in New York. "It's the normal, cyclical rhythm of the industry. It's tight because of economic recovery, primarily in the United States but also around the world."

Paper mills in Canada and the United States started investing heavily in new

machinery in 1987 in response to a healthy economy and strong paper usage. As public pressure mounted to recycle more newsprint - and as wastepaper pushed landfills to near capacity - mills installed equipment that would process old newspapers, accounting for a large portion of their investment.

But it took an average of two to three years to get the new equipment in operation. And by 1990, the market for newsprint had collapsed.

"The new investment, by itself, would have been enough to damage pricing, but then, the economy took a nose dive," says Bob Merrill, senior vice president for sales and marketing with Rainy River Forest Products, a newsprint company recently spun off from Boise Cascade Corp. "People cut advertising, and we had just a tremendous glut of newsprint."

"We went through a recession," says Merrill, "which to the paper industry was a depression."

Newsprint prices declined to a low of \$420 a metric ton in second-quarter 1992 from \$600 a metric ton in first-quarter 1989, a 30 percent drop. New machinery continued to start up, even as other equipment was being shut down at mills across North America.

Entering this year, the mills still had excess inventories of newsprint as the economy continued a slow recovery. Meanwhile, a recovery was under way in Europe and other international markets. By the spring, demand for newsprint caught up with supply and the first of three successive quarterly price increases were announced.

Paper mills have been running at full capacity ever since.

"Our facilities in Texas are having banner production months," says Kursman of Champion, which operates newsprint mills both in Sheldon, just northeast of Houston, and Lufkin. "Prices still are well below the peak of '88, but they're certainly better than they were a year ago."

Higher prices are the reason Dallas-based Kimberly-Clark Corp. reversed its plan to sell its pulp and newsprint operations. Wayne R. Sanders, the company's chairman and chief executive officer, said Thursday that keeping the mills "will benefit Kimberly-Clark's earnings during what is expected to be a peak period for pulp and newsprint businesses."

Jeremy Halbreich, president and general manager of The Dallas Morning News, says the impact of higher prices wasn't immediately felt, since newspapers generally keep supplies of newsprint in inventory. In fact, A.H. Belo, the newspaper's parent, spent less on newsprint and ink in the first nine months of this year compared with the same period a year ago. And the newspaper is on a pace to have record operating earnings this year.

"But we're reaching a point where we're beginning to feel that increase," he says. "In our case, being a large newspaper, it represents a very significant increase in operating expenses."

"We need to demonstrate a very dedicated, if not severe, focus on cost control," which could apply to expenses other than newsprint and salaries, he says. "Beyond that, we have not determined what our ad rate increases will be next year."

The New York Times recently announced an increase in newsstand prices - from 50 cents to 60 cents a copy - in the New York metropolitan area, attributed in part to newsprint costs. It, like The News, also is focusing on trimming other costs.

Nancy Nielsen, vice president for corporate relations for the newspaper, says other options will be evaluated.

"The options come from two directions: You cut costs or raise circulation and ad rates. And a thousand things in between."

One purchasing officer for a major national newspaper company said newspapers likely will consider tightening space for news, or even reducing the size of pages.

"I'm sure every publisher in the country is looking at ways to cut back on consumption," says the executive, who asked not to be identified. "There are a whole series of things that publishers will have to look at."

For their part, the paper mills maintain that the improved prices are going largely to help offset losses incurred during the recession, and that it will take a sustained recovery to repair tattered balance sheets. And, they say, they have their own costs.

"The cost of the raw material (wastepaper) has gone up to the point that it's starting to get into the same ballpark as (woodpulp) fiber," says Robert Tait, manager of investor relations for Abitibi-Price Inc., a large Toronto-based paper company.

All those new machines the mills installed to process wastepaper into newsprint and other items have run up the cost of most everything from old newspapers to magazines to corrugated boxes. And that has provided a boon to recycling operators, waste management companies and even municipalities that offer curbside pickup services.

"Recycled wastepaper was considered a substandard product

before, but not now," says Flanagan of Rock-Tenn. "It's not a fad this time around. People truly want to recycle, and that's the thing that's driving the market."

Newspaper recycling makes up about 30 percent of Rock-Tenn's business in Dallas. Flanagan says his prices for old newspapers have gone from \$30 to \$40 a ton this year to \$90 to \$100 a ton. The company gets much of its material from the city of Dallas, which gets it from curbside pickup or collection containers provided at various locations.

The city isn't doing so bad, itself. It now earns about \$3,000 a month for old newspapers that it provides to Rock-Tenn, up from about \$1,000 a year ago, says Carlos Rovello, the city's recycling coordinator. The money goes into the city's general fund.

And the collected wastepaper doesn't go into the landfill. "Forty-one percent of what Dallas disposes of is paper," Rovello says. "It's imperative that we target the paper, to expand our landfill capacity."

In Austin, ACCO Wastepaper - the recycling company subsidiary of Browning-Ferris Inc., the nation's second-largest waste management company - provides its own curbside pickup service.

Before, the price was so low for old newspapers that it barely covered the cost of pickup, says Matt Myers, an ACCO marketing representative. He declined to disclose how much the product is fetching now, but says it's significant.

"It doesn't have an impact, and it goes right to the bottom line," Myers says. He attributes the price improvement to the projects undertaken by mills in the late 1980s to add equipment that would process recycled materials. Champion is among ACCO's customers.

"We're now seeing the ramifications of the completion of these (mill) projects," he says. "We knew these things were in the making, but we didn't know it would be like this."

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## Fifth generation Cherokee shows Native American artistry in jewelry

By JOYCE ASHLEY  
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VERNON, Texas - Some folks might say Roy Dupree hears a different drum.

But that's quite all right. In fact, Dupree acknowledges that it is the haunting beat from a time long ago that entices and inspires him.

Dupree, who is a fifth generation Cherokee, traces his lineage back to his great-great-great-grandfather Wick in Arkansas. And it is from this long-ago ancestor that Dupree feels he has inherited his respect for nature and the outdoors and for his love of the Indian way of life.

"I've always been a hunter, and I've always liked to be outdoors," said Dupree. "I like to follow animal tracks or just go out and look for arrowheads. I feel I have some of the same appreciation for nature that the Indians have always had."

Now Dupree is taking his interests one step further by designing Native American-style jewelry using authentic arrowheads, glass beads, semiprecious stones and crystals.

Charms, pendants, earrings, bracelets, necklaces, chokers, hat pins and hat bands are among his creations. He also fashions customized jewelry and makes other decorative pieces.

The idea to make jewelry originated about four years ago when Dupree attended a festival in Poteet south of San Antonio. There a display sparked the idea.

"I decided I could do that, too."

At first, Dupree's creations were inexpensively made and fairly simple. But with continued practice, he now uses sterling silver, 14 karat gold wire, red coral, turquoise, other semiprecious stones and even buffalo bone in his designs.

He calls his creations "Crystals Wired by Duper." Examples of his craftsmanship are displayed at two local shops. He hopes to make the rounds of trade shows in the future, and he also takes orders for custom-made items.

"It (making jewelry) is just something that relaxes me...something I enjoy when I get home from work," stated Dupree, a mental health worker at the Vernon State Hospital.

Dupree likes the look and feel of the pieces he makes. And most are sure to garner attention. "Whenever I wear something new, I always get asked where I got it. When I say I made it, that's my own word-of-mouth advertising."

Dupree works his special magic right in his own living room where a special table holds the colorful beads, wires and bones that will become any number of pieces of jewelry.

Most items are one-of-a-kind creations, and on occasion, customers will bring their own pieces, such as arrowheads, to be used in a custom design.

When he tires of making jewelry, Dupree turns his attention to creating other decorative items such as Indian good luck catchers.

These attractive wall hangings are made from old horseshoes to which Dupree artfully adds feathers and colorful beadwork.

The good luck catchers decorate Dupree's home where his love of the Native American life is evident in numerous prints and reproductions of the walls along with his collection of bleached deer and cow skulls, antlers, arrows, arrowheads, fossils, coins, snake rattlers, animal teeth, intriguing rocks and various other prizes.

Most of the items have been used at sometime or another in a piece of

jewelry. The arrowheads, for instance, were primarily found in the Shackelford area, and he especially likes to use them in necklaces or hat pins. He has also used bear claws and snake rattlers in his creations.

Visits to flea markets and garage sales are opportunities for Dupree to add to his collection. A prized example is a large saw tooth blade painted with a reproduction of the famous "End of the Trail" painting. The piece, which resembles an Indian war shield, was found at a local garage sale.

Dupree said his interest in Native American traditions and legends increases as he continues to read and study about the Indian way of life. He likes to bow hunt, and he is looking forward to trying his skill with the long bow.

Meanwhile, Dupree's unique jewelry and designs are a personal expression of the admiration he feels for his own heritage and a way of life long past.

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