## Hereford Brand

## School plans energy \$aving\$



Ornaments special at CHOF
had Stevens and David Farr, students at Hereford High School, how off their handmade Christmas ornaments the crafted in rt classes at HHS. These ornaments and others are among the many unique displays this week ator
Cowgirl Hall of Fame in Hereford

by Speedy nieman
That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says a sure sign of aging is
when you hear "snap. crackle and wop and it isn'tyour moming cereal. An olddtimer is someone who remembers when "on time
punctuality - -not payments.

The holiday party season gets
to full swing this week, sarting into full swing his week, starting
with the Chamber Fun Breakast Thursday morning. Don't miss the of gifi ideas to be displayed by local merchants!
Among the other parties on the
holiday schedule this week is the holiday schedule this week is the
Directors'
Christmas
Party Hereford Country Club on Friday
night, the Hereford Board of Realtors annual banquet and installation of
officers Saturday nigh a the Cowgirl officers Saturday night at the Cowgin
Hallof Fame, and the La Madre Mia tudy Club's Christmas Homes Sunday from 2 to

Some things never change department: Most taxpayers gel
frustrated now and then with the rowing Washington burcaucracy
cut, it's nothing new, as a letue writuen 25 years ago to the Dallas
News illustrates. News illustrates:
A burcaucrat in the Burcau of
and Management in Washington C., called the Santa Fe officic and demanded to know how many caule guards there were in the state. He

said it had come to his attention thal here might be thousands. The Santa Fe office manager responded that he had no specific nore than 350,000 of the catle | guards. |
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| Two days later came an indignant | der. That's enurely 100 m

|  | , 224 South Main, through | Due to the exxensive numbec |
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| 4 elected | riday, Dec. 11. | applictions normally received by the program, and the limited funds |
|  | daily. Although the Red Cross | available, filing an application does |
|  | chapter is not affiliated with CSF, it | not guarantee that ass |
| director seats | assistance during the signup period in order to protect the anonymity of | A committee of volunters represent a broad cross-section o |
|  |  | the annual |
|  |  | makers for the annual |
| becn formally elected as new dircctors for Deaf Smith County | will need io appear in person and bring proof of Deaf $S$ mith County | charity, and they thoroughly screen applications to insure that the funds |
| Chamber of Commerce, it was | residence, such as a driver's license |  |
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| hamber members | address. Applicants are also asked to bring copies of bills, complece with | (s) large porion of the CSF budget |
| which ended last week. Th | number, If hey are ask |  |

Clinton plan may



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 officer with Anipro: Madrigal ismanager of Hercord Paris \& Supply, and Printz is ag manager
an Holy fugar
The four directors whose terms expire are Waldo Baxter, Charles Greenawat, Diane Horscher and
Ken McLain.
Grenawat will .
 Neiman-Marcus" fun breakfast Thursday at 6 .30 . a.m. at the
Community Center.
Sponsered by the Deaf Smith Sponsored by the Dear Smith
County Chamber Com merce, merchants will show many of their
new gift ideas. Co-chairmen John Stagner and
Charlic Bell have been busy
 fun activities for the breakfast.
There will be plenty of door prizes There will be plenty of door prizes
to give away, and the Bult Chip
Award will be presented to a

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## Applications continue for CSF



## Day care for spies' kids a little different

ot the antennas' spy mission.
These children are enrolled at a newly the National Security Agnceycs of globe-spanning cavesdropping network so No Such Agency.
The child care facility, the largest in Maryland and one of the biggesi in the countr). hes just outside NSA's vast fenced compound "My daddy sho a turky," boasted
4.year-old Mauthew (no las names, please).

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 Isacllite communications. As part of its ords, computer bytes, rockel launch data

## The office." The kids get the same care and learning

 that the center 's Denver-based operating company, Children's World, offacilitics around the country Like other in-housc day carac cencers, parents
 Since it opened in August, 175 children aged 6 wecks 105 years havec cnrolled, and the center's sem
to fill rapidy.
of fill rapid had
agency,", said Emmel, nel adding that parents
had pecn
roducivity and the relention of skilled productivity

The NSA has a heavy investment in its mployeses - their number is estimated ai 5,000, although the e exact figure is classified
because of tue expensive raining and sccurity carances they must undergo, she said. It also must offer good working conation kcep the terented mathematicians crypographers and eng inecrs who otherwise
might be lured by higher paying jobs in mivivate sector.
The child development center is in greal
Thand because of the NSA's sclatively y young
mplas was as Ech asiw hours in each direction, said Emmel, an having a child five minutes instead of two.
hours away provides "great peace of mind."

Most of the children spend eight to nine hours at the facility, which opens at 6 a.m. to provide for the NSA's fiexible work
schedule. Tuition ranges from $\$ 80$ to $\$ 132$ checdulc. Tuition ranges from 880 to
a weck per child, a a cosis comparable such facilities, center director Judy Smith

Lawmakers take quick look at income tax

AUSTIN(AP). State leaders have volers to ratify the current "Robin Hood" school funding system, which
transfers some local property tax transters some local property tax
money from wealthier to poorer school districts.
d say it's a last-ditch effort," Gov. Bob Bullock said Tuesday.
The current school funding system The current school funding system rexas Supreme Court.
In the system, some local property ax money is redistributed from richer
o poorer school districts within countues or groups of counties.
The Supreme Courl said the tax volated the state constitution by imposing a statewide property tax,
and by levying a property tax without voter approval. House and Senate would allow a local However, that vote only would occur if a proposed constiutional
amendment favored by Democratic state leaders failed, according to Iegislative staffers. The proposed
amendment would allow statewide amendment would allow statewide
redistribution of local property tax money.
The proposed amendment has
passed the Senate, but House passed the Senate, but House Republicans have blocked the
measure from being presented to

## Page Two

## State justifies Hope payment



Santa letters needed by Brand
The Hereford Brand is now accepting letters to Santa for inclusion in the Christmas Greeting edition on Dec. 20.
Letters should be brought to the Brand no later than 5 p.m. on Dec. Tor the special edicion of he Sunday Brand. Teachers are also encouraged scason. The leuters and essays may be placed in the special box in the Brand officc entrance at 313 N. Lee, or may be sent to the Brand at PO Box 673 . Letters will, of course, be forwarded to Santa.

## Essays solicited by Brand <br> \section*{200 word}

 less on "My Favorite Holiday MemoryThe Brand will print as many essays as possible in the Christmas Greeting edition on Dec. 20 and others during the week before Christmas. The deadline for the essays is Dec. 11 , and will be printed on a first-come, first-served be mailed to the Brand at PO Box 673 or dropped by the office at 313 N .

## Storms coming later in week

aigh cloudiness with a low in the middic 20 s . South wind 5 to 15 mph .
hursday, mosily cloudy and breezy wiun a high around 50 . Southwe wind in in efrect. Exicnded forecast: Friday through Sunday, cloudy and colder with a chance of light snow, possibly mixed with light freezing rain, each day Lows in the teens north to 20s south. Highs 20s north and 30s south.

## CTA hosting Santa breakfast

Hereford chapter of Texas Classroom Teachers Association will hos Breakfast with Santa from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. Saturday at the Hereford High School cafeteria
Brcakfast, which will consist of sausage, juice and a cinnamon roll, idditional $\$ 2$. All proceeds benefil child with Santa can be taken for an

## Keywanettes plan blood drive

Hereford Keywanettes will host a blooddrive Monday from :30 to 7 p.m. at the Hereford High School auditorium. The Panhandle's blood supply is low because Coffee Memorial Blood Center has not been able to hold several scheduled drives because of inclement weather across the area. All eligible persons interested in keeping a safe, reliable blood supply for the Panhandle are urged to give blood Monday.

\section*{Recycling collection canceled

## Hereford next recyclable collection day will be in Jonary, since forece

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 Hereford's next recyclable collection day will be inare calling for very inclement weather on Saturday EnCoRe members urge everyone to save their recyclable goods for the collection day planned in January.

## Three arrested Tuesclay

Three persons were arrested Tuesday by Deaf Smith County sheriff's eputies. a woman, 39, for violation of mandatory school attendance laws; a man, 39, for driving whel on a DWI charge. Reports by Hereford
reports in the 800 block of Irving and 100 eslay included domesic viorece in the 800 block of S . McKinley; theft of a Christmas tree from a store theft of a cassette by a juvenile at a store; burglary of a purse from a vehicle in the 100 block of Norton; child neglect in the 900 block of Union; crimina respass in the 200 block of W. James; and a door was found open at a basiness in the 300 block of W . Third overnight.
Police issued two tickets Tuesday.

## Country Christmas Bazaar set

The Annual Country Christmas
Bazaar, sponsored by the Westway Bazaar, sponsored by the Westway
Extension Homemakers Club, will be Extension Homemakers Club, will b
held from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 12, at the Herefori Community Center. Proceeds from the event will be other civic projects.
Booth spaces are still available.
For more information For more information or to receive registration form, call Carolyn Evers
at 364-4739 and leave your name, address and telephone number Booths, which are 6 ft . by 10 ff ., are $\$ 10$ each

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LUNCH MENUS
THURSDAY-Meat loaf, Great Northern beans, broccoli, coleslaw fruit, cookies, cornbread. RRIDAY-Catfish nuggets, buttered parsiley potatoes, beets, cabbage
apple salad, fruit cocktail cake. MONDAY-Polish sausage. and
kraut, baked sliced potates, fried kraut, baked sliced potatoes, frie
okra, garden salad, peach crisp. okra, garden salad, peach crisp.
TUESDAY-Roastbeef with gravy, mashed potatoess, buttered carrots,
jellied Waldorf salad, apple pie alamode
WEDNESDAY-Paprika chicken, egg noodles, green beans, carrot and
raisin salad, fruit cobbler. ACTIVITIES
THURSDAY-Stretch and flexibility 10 a.m., oil painting 9 a.m.,
11 a.m. and 1 p.m., choir 1 p.m., water exercises.
FRIDAY-Line dance 9:45 a.m. and 11 a.m., water exercises.
4 p.m., Christmas party noon until 4 p.m., Christmas party 6:30 p.m. devotional 12:45 p.m., water
exercises.
TUESDAY-Stretch and flexibility 10 a.m., water exercises, Beltone hearing-4 p.m. ${ }^{\text {WEDNESDAY-Stretch }}$ and flexibility 10 a.m., water exercises, fexionity $11: 30$ p.m., water exercises, Alzheimer's
ceramics Group, Il:30 a.m. until l p.m.

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Actor
Edward James Olmos says he would Edward James Olmos says he would
run for mayor if he were drafted. "I think it's really sad that there's no one who wants to step forward and
enter the race from the Latino enter the race from the Latino
community," Olmos said Monday. He said he would run "if I am asked to do that."
Two of the city's most prominent Hispanics, county Supervisor Gloria
Molina and City Con Moina and City Councilman Richard Alatorre, have announced they won't
scek to replace Mayor Tom Bradter who is retiring next year.


## Club to sponsor home tour

La Madre Mia Study Club is staging its 1992 Christmas Tour of Homes from 2-5 p.m. Sunday Dec. 6. Homes featured on the tour include the residences of Justin and Ruth McBride, 824 W. Park Ave.; Buster and Cynthia Miller, 220 Ranger Drive; and Joe and Annie Brown, 206 Ironwood. Tickets are priced at $\$ 3$ per person and may be purchased from study club members or at the homes Sunday during tour hours. Club member, Mysedia Smith, examines one of the porcelain figurines displayed in the master bedroom of the Brown home. All proceeds from the major fund raiser will be used to benefit the community and for a scholarship for a Hereford High School graduating senior.

## Hints from

Q. Each year I visit the rain forest der pads we cut out of blouses and and thenatives around Iquitos, Peru. normally throw away. This year I took some canned soap I sewedtwoshoulderpads together bubblee to the children there and (forming a circle) and discovered it
they had many hours of enjoyment made a terrific potholder. The shoul they had many hours of enjoyment madea terrific potholder. The shoul
from three small containers of the der pads Iused had designs on them solution. How can I make homemade soap
bubbles to take to these children on my next visit? - W. Harton, New Orleans, La.
A. You Please besure the material is thick easily and economically! Buy an in- enough to absorb heat. Some shoulexpensive brand of mild liquid derpadsareawfully thin. - Heloise dishwashing detergent. Mix the dishwashing liquid with
equal parts of water and divide the equal parts of water and divide the
homemade bubbles into containers for those lucky children.
And a big Heloise hug to you fors And a big Heloisise hug to you for
your thoughtfulnes. Dear Heloise: WWUMBERS Dear Heloise: When looking up
hone numbers in the telephone book, I write the number on the top of the page and it makes on the easier to find if $I$ have to refer to it again. find if I have to refer to it again.
Doris Dudley, Augusta, Maine
 Dear Heloise: The other day I dis- pen and highlight the number for
covered a great use for those shoul- future reference. - Heloise


Chamber Singers to perform this weekend

Mentbers of the fiereford Chamber Phains where the composer captur ingers will present their firstconcert
of the 19ans music the essence eand flavor of the
history of the p.m. and Sunday at $3 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. in St history of the plains from the day of Thomas Episcopal Church. The numbers by Mrs. Burdetit will be public is invited to attend at no Psalm 139 and Psalm 145 and "How The Donations will be accepted. DoI Love Thee," a special composiThe concert will feature music by tion of her son Shannon's wedding. composer Carlie Burdett of Amarillo, With two of its selections, the
a former Hereford resident, and other choir will reminisce past performancariginal works composed for the choir will reminisce past performancChamber Singers. This is the 19th composer, was featured in a concert year for this choir of select voices presented by the group, and he was ho come from all walks of life and commissioned to write "Love Song", hree area communities, Hereford, for the choir. Also, an original Serving in her third year as "Stars," was premiered by the director of the group is Jan Walser Chamber Singers in 1985 at the Texas
who also is the Hereford High School Choral Directors Association who also is the Hereford High School Choral Directors Association choir director. Dee Anne Trotter is Conference in San Antonio McBrayer is the music chairman. 26 persons comprise the fall Newly elected president of the board edition of the Hereford Chamber is Jerry Jansa of Dimmitt. Amy singing to entertain their friends in Kirk Minchew will be the treasurer. Hereford and the area, across the
Panhandle and state, and two foreign Mrs. Burdett has composed a countries, Australia and Romania. variety of works. Among the umbers which will be performed by the singers will be ones where the
poems of Robert Frost and Robert Louis Stevenson have been set to been set to work Anotier group will be from days. Cold air son on hot summer work entitled "Etchings of the underground passages forms the ice


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## Loboes sweep Herd cągers

Both of Hereford's varsity basketball teams lost games Tuesday and the girls lost 54-31. The Levelland press got to the
Hereford boys in the first half, Herd Hereford boys in the first half, Herd
coach Joe Main said. The Loboes jumped out to a $16-7$ lead after one quarter and led $38-20$ at the half. They are extremesy quick and
have a really good press," Main said. "They did some things that we haven't worked on, and they did a good job of it. It took a while for us
to settle down. Once we did, we played better. But Levelland really
controlled the game in the first half," played beter. But Levelland really
controlled the game in the first half." in third quarter. Hereford scored
only three points in the first quarter

Levelland narrowly outscored but trailed only $21-11$ at the half. The
Hereford in the third, $14-1$. Both bad third quarter made an 18-17 eams scored 12 in the fourth quarter.
Eric Sims and Richard Sanderson
adephage in the fourth meaningless.
Stephanie Wilcox led the Lady ach scored 12 points for Hereford-- Whitefaces with 14 points. Coach ims on 6 -of-9 shooting. Kyle Fansen grabbed nine rebounds, and Corey Scot got seven rebounds.
The Herd
1-3 will pund The Herd, $1-3$, will play in a
toumament in Denver City this weekend. They start against Crenship The Hereford
The Hereford girls hung close in
he first half but fell further behind when Levelland outscored them 16-2 when Levelland outscored them 16-2
in the third quarter. Hereford scored
only three points in the first quarter

## Super Sophs squeak by Rice in college basketball opener <br> \section*{ome," he said after Kans ust 26 second-half points.

}By MIKE HARRRIS
AP Sports Writer AP Sports Writer
The first full night of college The first full night of college
basketball in the 1992.93 season was almost a dead end for top-ranked
Michigan and No. 6 Seton Hall. Michigan and No. 6 Seton Hall. powerhouses walked shakily away prowerhouses walked shakily away
from near upsets Tuesday night, with Michigan suriving a scare by Rice
$75-71$ and Seton Hall finally $75-71$ and Seton Hall finally
wriggling away from surprising Rider wriggling away from surprising Rider
87-74.
"We're the No. 1 team in the We're the No. 1 team in the
country and you have to expect these

Lady Raiders fall to Stanford STANFORD, Calif. (AP) - Texas
Tech's Sheryl Swoopes found hersel in the second half,
Top-ranked Stanford answered by opencd defense of their national championship witha $75-67$ win over 15th-ranked Texas Tech on Tuesday
night. hight. Stanford, which hearly blew a 22-point halftime lead, overcame
Swoopes' career-high 35 -pointeffort Swoopes' career-high 35-point effort
for a 10th straight win dating to last scason. Among the wins was a NCAA Weatte over the Lady Raiders en route to the national titue. "They made quite a run at uss," Stanford's Molly Goodenbour said
"They beat us in the second half. But I'm not discouraged about our team. lishows what we have to work on buit
we have the type of players who will work to improve." Kodak All-America, sored 28 of he points in the second half, when Texa
Tech outscored Stanford $50-36$ Tech outscored Stanford 50-36. But Whiting came on strong at the
same time. Held to just three points same time. Held to just three points
inthe first half, Whiting finished with 27 and scored 11 of the Cardinal's
last 14 points. Goodenbour had 23 last 14
points.
kind of batules when you're No. 1,
said Chris Webber, who led the said Chris Webber, who led the Wolvcrines with 20 poins and also
fronted their second-half rally. "They gave us their best shot in the first thalf
and we gave them ours in the second and we gave them ours in the second
half."
The Owls held a $31-30$ halftime
lead and spurted to a $52-46$ lead in the lead and spurted to a 52.46 lead in the
second half before the Wolverines came back with a $10-0$ burst that carried them to victory in the season opener for boun teams.
"We ${ }^{\prime} l$
get betuer." Michigan coach Steve Fisher sa
just the first game., just the first game.".
For Seton Hall's Pirates, who lost For Seton Hall's Pirates, who losi
to No. 2 Indiana last week in the final to No. 2 Indiana last week in the final
of the preseason NIT Tournament. Jerry Walker was the answer to coach P. Carlesimo's prayers.
The senior forward shook off an The senior forward shook off an
injury to his right knee and came off
the bench to produce five points the bench to produce five points, three assists and a steal in a 12 2-2
second-half run that second-half run that saved the Hall
$(4,1)$. (4+1). 1,hought Jerry played extremely ell." Carlesimo saia.. "He gave us a presence.... Ithink the last 10 or 12
times we got the ball inside, , eeither scored, got an assist or was fouled
evcry time." Walker finished with 18 points.
five assists and five rebounds. No. 3 K anse 76 febounds. No. 3 Kansas 76, Georgia 65
The Jayhawks survived an ice-ald The Jayhawks survived an ice-cold
second half that had coach Roy second half that had coach Roy
Williams shaking his head in embarrassment. one of our teams has ever played at just 26 second-half points.
The Jayhawks might have ha more of aynhawksem had Georgia not shot 11 or 22 from the free throw line
Richard Scou led Kansas with Roints. No. 4 Duke 110, Canisius 62 Grant Hill scored a career-high 28 poims, hitting 12 of 13 shots from the floor, as Duke began its bid for a third
straight national title. Traight national till scored 15 of his 22 points for the Blue Devils in the second half, while Bobby Hurley
added 17 points and Cherokee Parks 16.
No. 7 North Carolina 119, Old Dominion 82
Donald Williams scored 21 points and Eric Montross added 20 as North
Carolina, shooting 86 percent in the Caroling, shooting 86 percent in the The Tar Heels, playing without injured point guard Derrick Phelps, shot 75,4 percent on 43 of 57 from Williams.
No. 10 Iowa 100,
No. 10 Iowa 100,
Mississippi Valley State 69
Mississippi Valley State 69
Acie. Earl scored 23 points an Acie. Earl scored 23 points and
blocked six shots and Chris Stree added 17 points in Iowa's romp at added
home.
The Do
The Delta Devils hung tough early, trailing 19-14 after Alphonzo Ford
jumper with $12: 05$ left in the first half umper with $12: 05$ left in the first hal a $29-18$ cushion and led $49-28$ at halftime.
(See HOOPS, 139 poin s

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Rodeo winners
Pecos Alford (left), Rodey Wilson and Kip Kendrick show off their prizes from the World Junior Team Roping Championship, which was held over the weekend in Amarillo.

## Young cowboys rope in Amarillo

Several young Hereford cowboys they received ropes and prize money. championship Saturday. The
competed in the World's Junior Kendrick, 10 years old, and Wilson, championship was limited to ropers Roping Championship, which was 11, were recognized as the second 18 years old and younger. held Thanksgiving Day through the youngest roping team at the competi- Starting Thursday, the boys got a ceekend in Amarillo. Those from tion, and they received saddle chance to rope with famous profes $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Hereford who competed were Pecos } & \text { blankets. Bubba Paul won a belt } & \begin{array}{l}\text { sional ropers such as Steve Nortuc } \\ \text { Alford, Cloudy Kidd, Kip Kendrick; buckle in the dummy roping. }\end{array} \\ \text { Steve Purcella, Tyler Magnus and }\end{array}$ Tye Killingsworth, Rodey Wilson, Kory Koontz-all of whom stopped Bubba Paul and Tyrel Paul. Despite the bad weather in the in Amarillo on their way to the Wilson and Alford roped all five Panhandle, 263 teams from all over National Rodeo Finals, which start teers and placed in the average, and the United States competed in the Friday in Las Vegas, Nev.

## Drabek leaves Pittsburgh to play for Astros

HOUSTON (AP) - Doug Drabek has turned over a new leaf and th
Houston Astros have new life. Drabek, yearning to play closer to home, signed a $\$ 19.5$ million, four-year contract with the Astros on Tuesday, with an option that could fifth season.
You ve got to turn the leaf and friends," said Dramekes and new of Pittsburgh's three-time NL Easter Division titlist. "It really hasn'tsunk in yet." Astros were barred from the free agent market until new owner team in November. That's when general manager Bill Wood went to work on improving the Astros
starting rotation. starting rotation.

## Rangers lose Guzman to Cubs <br> CHICAGO (AP )-Chicago Cubs

general manager Larry Himes got the pitcher he wanted to replace National
League Dy Young Award winner Greg Maddux. Still, he isn'I sure why he had to.
Greg could ard to understand how Greg could turn down an offer to
become the pitcher,", Homes said Tuesday after the Cubs signed pitcher Jose Gumma contract. "I' million, four-year contact. "I've got the starter I to get on with other with. It's time However, Hines said Maddux still would offer arbitration to Maddux before Monday's deadline. Maddux would have until Dec. 19 to accept o reject arbitration.
said.
Guzman was 16-11 for the Texas
Rangers last season. Himes said Rangers last season. Himes said he
will get his money's wort if the will get his money's worth if the
29-year-old right-hander does as well next year.

## HOOPS

No. 13 Georgia Tech 112,
Florida A\&M 83 Sophomore Travis Best scored 2 points and ignited a Georgia Tech spurt early in the second half that carried Florida A\&M trailed only $52-45$ at halftime, but Georgia Tech had runs of $16-5$ and $17-2$ in the second half to put the game out of reach. 65 Lawrence Moten's 29 points - 18 in the first half - helped Syracuse overpower its Ivy League neighbor for the 24th straight time.
No. 18 Michigan
Morehead St. 53
Shawn Resper scored a career-hi Shawn Respect scored a career-high
32 points, including 22 in the first half 32 points, including 22 in the first hair,
to help the Spartans to a record-seting victory.
Michigan State's 121 points broke the school record of p 118 against record was safe Michigan State beat Alma 102-3.

He scored big on Tuesday "We're a better ballclub starting
day than we were at the end of canon," manager Art Howe said, "I hope we can continue to improve more during the winter." Int's not that Howe is greedy. He's competitive in the NL West and Drabek was the free agent plum he
sought. ${ }^{\text {sought. }}$ You se "You see his track record and he's still a young man," Howe said. "He'l
do that much for us too in the future and bring us some wins like he did in pittsburgh.
"It's nice to know we have a workhorse we know will go out there long losing streak. from hitting you. If you run him out every fifth day
you've got a chance."

The Astros played last season with player payroll of $\$ 14.8$ million, mostly using talent developed from on the budget until the sale was completed. Now Wood is having fun again. "It's not a lot of fun to pick up th troubles so this is a happy a event, Wood said. "I'm extremely happy
inside and looking forward to inside and looking forward to the
future. The next few weeks are suture. The next few weeks are going
to be exciting."
The Astros may not be finished They made an offer and then a Ouncer-offer to f free agent shortstop
Okie Smith and they 'ye continued to deal with pitcher Greg Swindell, who also has home ties with the state.
Drabek, the 1990 N Ky

Award winner, was born in Victoria,
Texas, and played at the University Texas, and played at the University,
of Houston. He lives in the Houston
suburb of The Woodlands.

Drabek will receive a $\$ 1$ millie signing bonus, $\$ 4$ million in each of the next two seasons and $\$ 4.75$
million each in 1995 and 1996 . The Astros have a $\$ 5$ million option for 1997 and must pay a $\$ 1$ million by out if they don't exercise it.
Drabek became the fourth pitcher
to average $\$ 5$ million in to average $\$ 5$ million in annual salary He joins Jack Morris of history. ( $\$ 5,425,000$ ), Roger Clemens of Boston ( $\$ 5,380,250$ ) and Dwight Gooden of the New York Mes (\$5.15 million) as pitchers who make $\$ 5$
million or more.

## Despite the price tag on Guzman,

 he Cubs are saving a bundle bygiving up Maddux, who turned down
$\$ 27$, , five-yar mil a $\$ 27.5$, five -year million offer after
20-11 season and a sparkling a $20-11$ season and a sparkling 2.18
ERA. ERA. Guzman, who has spent his entire career witt the Rangers, had two
strong years after missing the 1989 season with a torn rotator cuff and pending 1990 in the minors on injury his major league debut with the Rangers in September 1985. He went 13 -7 with a 3.08 ERA in 991 and had a 3.66 ERA to go wit
his $16-11$ record last season. his $16-11$ record last season.
Maddux's agent, Scout Boas, w surprised at the signing. "I called to let them know we would be finishing our (interview Thurs wit, and other teams on signed Guzman," Boras said. "We you don't conduct yourself the way, Horas, who met Tuesday with New

York Yankees general manager Gene
Michael, , said he has several solid Michael, said he has several solid
offers for Maddux. He has talked with the Chicago White Sox, but Boas said they haven't made an offer.
Guzman's agent, Barry Meister Guzman's agent, Barry Meister
said the Cubs were among four teams going after the free among, who made $\$ 1,465,000$ last season. Guzman said he received higher offers, including
one from the New York Yankees, one from the New York Yankees. He said he chose Chicago "because it is one team I have always liked." He called the Cubs "a team great team this year and years to Guzman said that as a ground-ball Guzman said that as a ground-ball
pitcher, he will benefit from Wrigley

Field's grass playing field that's cut on the long side. And he said he
record last year.
II had seven
own saves," games that were have a good defense, and Cubs something I didn't have with the Rangers. I think I can win between 5 and 20 games."
times said the acquisition of
Guzman ends the Cubs interest in high-priced pitchers. He said that if any additional mound help is sought, t will be relievers.
Guzman gets a
signing bonus $, \$ 3,125,5$ million signing bonus, $\$ 3,125,000$ in each of each in 1995 and 1996. He can make an additional $\$ 350,000$ a year in award bonuses.

Although he didn't know what the
offseason would bring, Drabek said
he could feel the excitement of the he could feel the excitement of the
Astros' new direction Astros' new direction.
"When the new management took over I could tell from The Woodlands said. "When we played the Astros the team concluded during the excitement that was building ans could not compete for Drabek. he planning for the future," Drabek in each of the past five seasons.
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No, 21 NMSU 73, ENMU 64 Corey Rogers, substituting for
injured point guard Sam Crawford injured point guard Sam Crawford,
scored 16 points to pace the unbeaten Aggies to their fourth victory of the season.
Crawford, the team leader, played career-low 14 minutes but sparked a second-haif rally by the Aggies with
three points and four assists despite a slightly sprained ankle.
No. 22 Gin 87 , Texas Southern 44 Nick Van Excel scored 21 points and Erik Martin pitched in with 19 in victory Cincinnati jumped to a 14-1 lead finished the hal up 46-15, then cleared its bench and coasted the rest of the
way. its ben
way.

## More people come forth with dirt on Reds' Schott

NEW YORK (AP) - Even as Pfafflalleged Schott used the slur baseball's executive council $4-5$ times during the $11 / 2-$ to 2 -hour appointed a committee toinvesugate
Marge Scot, new allegations were
referred to Parker as a " "millionmade against the Cincinnati Reds dollar nigger." In a deposition
owner.
released last month, Schotl denied USA Today reported today that a man sitting next to Schott on an Keith Stichtenoth, a forme
airplane heard her referring oo Dave as a parker as a "million-dollar nigger." old the newspaper he heard Scho amployeeclaimed Schou had referred to "Jew bastards."
Joe Pfaffl, president of a manage-
ment consulting firm and Butler County Republican finance chairman in Ohio, told USA Today that Shot make racial remarks about Parker
during a flight to Cincinnati in December 1987, when Schott was returning from an owners' meeting. Parker was traded from Cincinnati to
Oakland on Dec. 8, 1987 Oakland on Dec. 8, 1987.
"She was bragging that rated that 'raging that she nigger,"', Pdf told the newspaper. "She said, We got rid of that trouble-making nigger."

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## Shaq proven mortal, held to 9 in Seattle loss

By The Associated Press
There was no magic for Shaquit
There was no magic for Shaquille
O'Neal in Seattle. The sensational The sensational rookie for the
Orlando Magic, starting his first West Coast urip as an NBA player, scored
a season-low nine points on 4-for-11 shooting from the field and six misses in seven free--hrow atempts Tuesday
night. As a result, Seattle beat the
Magic $116-102$. . 1 , was one of those nights where ghad the opportunities, but couldn't
get the ball to fall,' O'Neal said,
"Seatle's defensedidn'tdoanything that we haven't seen already." Ricky Pierce scored 27 points for
the SuperSonics, who used mostly the SuperSonics, who used mostly a
small lineup to thwart the rookie, who
cok a 23.6 average into the game.
"He's strong, he can run and
jump, but he has io work on his free jump, but he has to work on his free
throws,". Pierce said, assessing O'Neal's game.


Ahead 80-79 after three quarters,
A Sonics scored the first nine the Sonics scored the first nine points
of the fourth period and later built the marg fourth period and later built the
m9-85 with 6:02 left. Dana Barros scored 11 points, hititing a pair of 3 -pointers, in the fourth quarter.
Nick Anderson scored Nick Anderson scored 28 points
and Scot Skiles had 25 points and 13

Stim first-place lead over the New $\begin{gathered}\text { Mitch Richmond added } 21 \text { points }\end{gathered}$ Knicks 101, Trail Blazers $85 \quad 16$ late in the third quarter. John Starks was the Knicks leading scorer with 15 points, while
Patrick Ewing had 11 points and 10 Patrick Ewing had 11 points and
rebounds for New York, which led by as many ass25 points in the final
period at Madison Square period at Matison Square Garden.
Kevin Duckworth scored Kevin Duckworth scored 18 points.
or Portland, which shot just 34.6 percent.
Kings 117, Lakers 110 Al Sacramento, Lionel Simmons dominated the second quarter. Sacramento outscored the Lakers

16 late in the uhird quarter.
Sedale Threatt scored 26 points for the Lakers.
ullets 119, Spurs 106
eytLandover, Md., Harvey Grant with 10 of his 27 points, and Michael Adams set a pro record for career
3-point baskets. 3-point baskects.
Adams conne
Adams connected for the 795th
3-pointer of his seven-year career, 3-pointer of his seven-year career,
moving him past former ABA star Louie Dampier intormirst place. The
shot started the 19-point spurt that ghot started the 19-point spurt tha
gave the Bullets a 31-9 lead with 3:25 gave tae Builets a 31-9 lead with $3: 25$
toplay in the quarter. Adams scored

Cowboys should be ready

Time.
The healthy Dallas Cowboys The healthy Dallas Cowboys
embark on their stretch run to the NFL playoffs and a possible
homefield advantage with a stop a Denver on Sunday, and they 'll have had twice the preparation time of the
Broncos. Dallas' last game was the
traditional Thanksgiving Day contest at Texas Stadium, where the
Cowboys whipped the New Cowboys whipped the New York
Giants 30-3. Denver is coming off a shocking
16-13 overtime loss to the woeful 16-13 overtime loss to the woeful
Seatte Seahawks on Monday nigh.
Come Sunday, the Cowboys (10-2)
will have had 10 days' rest to the Broncos' five.
What's more, Dallas is $18-6$ in games immediately following the
Thanksgiving game (where they Thanksgiving game (where they are
17-7.1), and own a record of $45-29$ in all games played after an appear ance on Thanksgiving

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he New York Giants, and his status he New York Giants, and his status
or Sunday is unknown. He was for Sunday is unknown. He was
scheduled to see a shoulder specialist
today to determine if hecan throw in

 "In my mind, I don't think his
status is in question," Johnson said.
We've got to be prepared for the "We, 've in quet to be propepared for the
Denver Broncos at their best... If he donver Broncos at their best.... If he oesn't go, it's a heck of a lot easier
for us to prepare for Tommy Maddox
hat it is to adjust for John Elway. that it is to adjust for John Elway." Denver (7j-5) has lost twice under
he direction of Maddox, a rookie the direction of Maddox, a rookie
from UCLA who gave up his last two rom UCLA whogave up his last two
years of eligibility to turn pro, and years of eligibility to turn pro, and
slipped into a tie for second place in the AFC West with San Diego, one game behind Kansas City.
Maddox, who quarterbacked
Denver in a $24-0$ loss to the Raiders in Los Angeles last week in his firs pro start, threw his first NFL
Nouchown pass Monday nith touchdown pass Monday night. But
he was awful after halftime, going he was awful after halftime,
just 4 of 14 for eight yards.
"A lot of it was just theing a and making rookie mistakes," and making rookie mistakks,"
Denver coach Dan Reeves said.

## Comics

The Wizard of Id By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart

Barney Google and Snuffy Smith ${ }^{\ominus}$ By Fred Lasswell


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Williams was 8 -for- 8 in the first nd scored 18 points, lifting the Nuggets to a $39-28$ lead behind 63
percent shooting.
azz 116, Mavericks $101{ }^{-2}$
Jazz 116, Mavericks 101
Karl Malone had 27 points and 13 rebounds as Utah broke out of a a rare home slump by defeating hapless
Jallas. Malone scored 22 points and ohn Stockton had 21 points and 10 assists for the Jazz, which lost four
of its first five of its first five games at the Delta
Center after going $37-4$ there last Center
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Suns dominated with defense and
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Brad Daugherty returned from a
nine-game layoff and scored 27 nine-game layoff and scored 27
points as Cleveland stopped Boston's points as Cleveland stopped Boston's
three-game winning streak. three-game winning streak.
The visiting Celtics led 57-55 early
inthe in the third quarter, but the Cavaliers look control with a 14-2 run
Hawks 119, Pacers 107 Rookie Adam Keefe had 16 point and 14 rebounds, both season highs and Dominique Wilkins scored 31 points for Atlanta, his eighth 30 -poin performance in 13 games. Keefe, ue Hawks No. 1 pick from first 1:40 of the fourth quarter to spark
the Haws to an $89-79$ lead.


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Victorian
Christmas planned The Panhandle-Plains Historical
Museum, in Canyon, Texas, is
preparing for it's 16t Annual preparing for it's 16th Annual
Chrismas Open House. This year's event is scheduled for Friday, from 7
9 p.m., Saturday 9 p.m., Saturday, from
Sunday from 2-4 p.m. A Victorian scene of carolers and
horse-drawn sleigh will entice visitors horse-drawn sleigh will entice visitors
to come inside the Museum and experience the wonders of Christmas
Carriage lanterns light the way into Carriage lanterns light the way int
Pioneer Hall, where the elaborately decorated Victorian Christmas Tree,
surrounded by poinsetias, is a delight surrounded by poinsetuias, is a deligh
for young and old alike. A variety of for young and old alike. A variety of
Christmas toys are displayed beneath the tree, just as a child might have
found them on Christmas moming in found them on
the late 1800 s. the late 1800s.
In the Photo gallery vintage tojs
and antique Christmas cards will be on and antique Christmas cards will be on
exhibit. Some toys are from the collection of the Panhandle-Plains
Historical Historical Museum and some are
borrowed from private collections and borrowed from private coliections and
individuals. The Christmas cards are from the Museum's archival collection.
The artwork of Bud MacCaullay will The artwork of Bud MacCaullay
grace the walls of the gallery
grace the walls of the gallery.
On the second floor, in a quiet
is "Storyteller's Comer." Here, a
kindly, grandmotherly figure in a kindly, grandmotherly figure in a
rocking chair tells Christmas stories embers and a braided rug.
The lower level is devoted to the
children. In the center of the room, children. In the center of the room,
Santa waits in an antique sleigh to Santa waits in an antique sleigh to
listen to children's Chrismas wishes. An outdoor snow scene, depicting the Victorian era completes the setuing.
Parents are invited to bring a camera Parents are invited to bring a camera
and photograph their child with Santa. games will also be found in this area. All of the games and activities are representative of those that childsen of the Victorian Era might have played.
All of Pioneer Town will be decorated for Christmas. Trained interpreters, dressed in thas. costume of the times, will be in the shops, school, and rancher's home during the Open
House to give narratives describing life during the 1890s and early 1900 s. Musical entertainment is scheduled
throughout the three day event. School throughout the three day event. School
choirs, chamber music, barbershop quartets and bell choirs make up part of the schedule.
On Thurscay, December I, children from across the Panhandle will come
to an Old Fashioned tree Trimming party sponsored by the Museum. by area children will decorate the Panhandle Children's Christmas Tree which will remain for the enjoyment of visitors throughout the holiday
season.
In the art gallery, a variety of
Christmas artistry will be exhibited. These include the works of Gisella Loeffler, Harold Bugbee and others. and sounds of the Victorian Era excite and charm the over 5,000 visitors who come to welcome the Christmas season during this annual event.
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The holiday season, with its big tures. Some areas of the food may Camily meals and mounds of leftovers, even begin to cook. If you thaw food
is a perfect time to brush up on the in the microwave, cook it all basics of microwave cooking and leam immediately. some new tips.
"More than 75 percent of American Arrange meat and poultry pieces. "More than 75 percentof American Arrange meat and poultry pieces houss, cook and reheat food in minutes, can help kill bacteria and promote even seconds," said Dr. Bethann uniform heating. Stir and urnthe dish Witcher-Byers, a nutrition specialist several times. Observe standing time. with the Texas Agricultural Extension -Discard food that was forgoten serven "uicrowave cooking retains and left for more than two hours in the
more nutrients and uses less fat; $\mathbf{t}$ alaso microwave after thawing. Subsequent saves time and dish washing." ordinary cooking won'tdestroy som However, despite the growing harmful bacteria that could form. popularity of microwave ovens, they Use only the type of dishes that are are still new enough that many
traditional cooks are unaware of good safety practices, she said. To insure that food is safe from
hammful, foodbome bacteriags well es from certain other contaminants from certain other contaminants,
Witcher-Byers urges holiday cooks to observe these tips
-Do not partially ycook a food ahead of time to make microwaving faster.
Cooking ahead is fine, but raw foods should be cooked thoroughly during the first cooking. Partial cooking can be dangerous if the food
does not get hot enough to kill the does not get hot enough to kill the
bacteria that may be in raw meat. -Do not refreeze meat or poultry that has been thawed in a microwave
oven.
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subject to very low cooking tempera- on his sewing machine in 1851 . designed for microwave ovens. ubs or other plastic containers are approved for sloring food, but not for nicrowave cooking. When heated, chemicals in the containers could
migrate into food. Also, do not use recycled paper products in the nicrowave. They can contain Fontaminating chemicals or cause fires. For those who plan to cook a turkey
in the microwave, Witcher-Byers in the microwave, Witcher-Byers
suggests checking the owner's manual or the size bird that will fit the oven as well as for the time and power level ouse. Using an oven bag ensures the nost even cooking.

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LOS ANGELES (AP) - Actor-director Bill Bixby wasoptimisticas he entered UCLA Medical Center to undergo an experimental ddug trearment for prostate cancer that has spread
the bone, a spokeswoman said. Bixby, 58, who was listed in good condition, will be treated on both a
in- and outpatient basi in- and outpatient basis over the nex
eight weeks, hospital spokesman Mike Byrne said Monday. A spokeswoman for the actor said he was "very determined" to conque the disease as he entered the hospita Monday.

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see the "Holiday Splendor" when see the "Holiday Splendor" when
16. The threeco-chairs for the seventh holiday open house are Una Bailey,
Debbie Burr and Peny level. The 13 designers are from Ellison's Design Studio in Fort Worth. fortunate to have ve been incredibly interior designers from Ellison's Design Studio available to us for Thiste Hill's annual holiday open house," said Bailey. "When the board began planning for the 1992 season,
we approached Greg Connally and his we approached Greg Connally and his
staff at Ellison's about helping us decorate Thistle Hill and bringing a contemporary approach to the
holidays." "Mr. Connally and his staff are not only providing their services, but
Ellison's is underwriting some of the decorating costs, as its holiday gift to "If you tried to put a dollar value to the you tried to put a dollar value top interior designers who have already spent many days on this project, with time to be given to it, I believe For
Worth would be startled at the magnitude of this marvelous git to the community," said Level.
A number of activities connected
with Thistle Hill holiday open house are new this year. Friday, December 7,7:00 p.m.there will be a family tree lighting. Several area chefs will be demonstrating their craft and offering
suggestions for holiday entertaining suggestions for holiday entertaining.
And this year Thistle Hill will be open in the evenings for corporate holiday parties that include catering and tours.
A numb A number of dates have already beng," said Bailey. "Since these event ing, said Bailey. "Since these events
are completely turnkey, several

LOS OLIVOS, Calif. (AP) Michael J Make-a-Wish outing as the entertainer's Neverland Ranch. Among the activities Monday, the train, which carries 36 passengers and rode around the sprawling estate 110 miles northwest of Los Angeles,
said Jackson publicist said Jackson publicist Lee Solters.
They also roamed the grounds and rode Jackson's carousel, roller-coaster and ferris wheel. The afternoon concluded with a trip to the huge Neverland movie theater and a special screening of the Walt Disney
animated film "Aladdin," said Solters.
The nonprofit Make-a-Wish The nonprofit Make-a-Wish
Foundation grants special requests Foundation grants special requests life-threatening illnesses. Two children at the Jackson ranch were from Holland, two from Great Britain and 17 from the United States. concert tour early November. He concert our eariy November. He
leaves Dec. 12 on the Japanese leg of the tour. The famed children's doctor,
Benjamin Spock, was a member of the U.S. gold medalist eight-oar crew
in the 1924 Olympics.
their employees families during the
holiday."
"A few days are still open for A few days are still open for tions are being accepted on a first come, first served basis." The annual holiday open house is operations and maintenance of Thistle
Hill, Tarrant County's operaions and maintenance of Thistle
Hill, Tarrant County's only historic house museum.
Thistle Hill, built in 1903, and
located 1509, Pennsylvania Avenue
in Fort Worth. Proceeds from the tour in Fort Worth. Proceeds from the tour will be used for the continued
renovation and upkeep of the historic renovation and upkeep of the historic house museum, one of the last
remaining residences of the wealthy cattle barons who made Fort Worth
and Silk Stocking Row and Silk Stocking Row farous.
Those expected to visit Thiste Hill Those expected to visis Thistle Hill
during the 1992 celebration may take leisurely, self-guided tours through the house. HOsts or hostesses stationed in each room will answer questions and
describe the room's special features. describe the room's special features.
Some fumishings and decorations will be for sale.
The Gift Shopopen in the Carriage House on the beautifully-landscaped grounds, will feature Thiste Hill items, baked goods made from fadge anilyapproved recipes in the Thistle Hill Cookbook, "Recipes Stenciled in
Time." The cookbook will be available Time." The cookbook will be available
for $\$$ \$0. Among the baked goods for sale
will be Thistle Hill Christmas Cake, $(\$ 20)$ introduced in 1990 , and well on
its way to becoming a Fort Worth its way to becoming a Fort Worth
holiday tradition. It's suitable for gif giving, or just plain enjoying.
Decorations will feature lot ribbons, candles and della robia garlands and the traditional holiday trees will be spotighted. Two seven-
and-a-half-foo-tall trees will be on the newel posts on either side of the mansion's 14 foot wide oakk staircase. Tree decorations will match the hall'
stained glass windows and the restored 1903 stencilling around the roomed. In the dining room the table will be
set for eight with an set for eight, with an antique epergne
as a centerpiece. The moning room as a centerpiecce. The morning room,
porch and breakfast room will be child-oriented with rocking horses antique baby carriages, and wrapped
toys under the tree. The kitchen will toys under the tree. The kitchen wil
be home to a pair of Santa's boot be home to a pair of Santa's boots
sitting next to a velvet bag filled with toys. In the billiard room, where a
family might gill family might gather for games, an
antique training will be on the pool antique training will be on the pool
table. The master bedroom will be table. The master bedroom wiil be
prepared for a romantic late holiday "There'
in this year's something for everyone in this year's schedule," said Bailey.
"Not only are there things for antique buffs to enjoy but there are lots of most cous decorating ideas for the most contemporary home. This is an event that is perfect for romantic,
outing but it also appeals to outing but it also appeals to entire' open house and return with friends." open house and return with friends."
Hours for the holiday open house in Fort Worth's historicic landmark are from $10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. to 4 p.m., weekdays, and from 1 to 4 p.m., on Sundays. On
December 4 , Thiste Hill will be open December 4 , Thistie Hill will be open
from 6 to 9 p.m. with a special family tree lighting at $7 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.
Admission is $\$ 7$ for adults, $\$ 2$ for children. Advance tickets, $\$ 5$ per person, may be purchased at Thistle Hill o
Ellison's Design Surdio before Decembe 4. For additional information, please
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 18 -ounce $\begin{aligned} & \text { nutmeg } \\ & \text { carton low-fat } \\ & \text { vanilla yogurt }\end{aligned}$ In a small non-aluminum saucepan over medium-high heat,
combine apricots and orange juice. Bring to a boil, then reduce combine apricots and orange juice. Bring to a boil, then reduce heat 1o low, stirring frequently. As apricots become tender, mash them with
back of wooden spoon. Cook about 20 minutes, or until all juice is absorbed. Remove from heat and stir well.
Add applesauce and spices. Mix well. Place in a bowl, cover and
cool. Add yogurt and refrigerate several hours, covered. Serve as a dip with a variety of fresh fruits such as strawberries, ananas and apple slices.
Note: This is also a great sauce to serve over angel food cake.
Makes 16 sevings. Makes 16 servings.



'Trixie' planning clown training Trixie the Clown will highlight egin Thursday at 7 pm in ntonian Room at St. An. in the Catholic Church.
The workshops, led by Sherri Hund, will be held on eight Thursdays at 7 p.m., with clowns visiting local nursing home on the final night. The workshops are open to all persons interested in any type of clown ministry.

Flame Fellowship to meet The public is invited to hear the
Rev, and Mrs. Jerry Phillips of Kress speak during the Hereford Flame Fellowship meeting planned at 7 p.m.
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A former high school football and basketball coach, Jerry Phillips became the pastor of youth and
college students at the Trinity Church of Lubbock in July 1973. In September of 1978 , he was named as pastor of Trinity Fellowship in Amarillo. Since that time, he has established several churches throughout Texas
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