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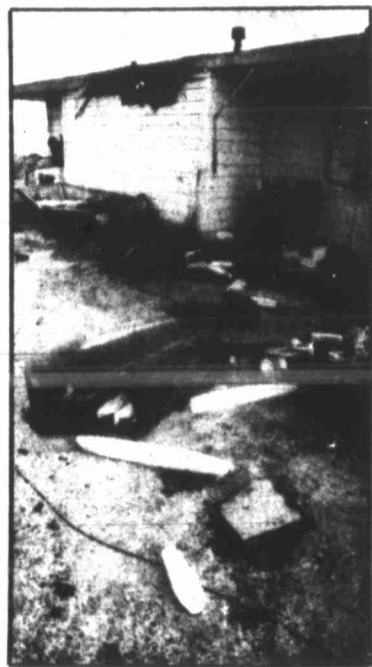
Local weather

Forecast for the Big Spring area: Fair to partly cloudy across West Texas through Saturday. A heavy shower of precipitation in the Permian Basin by tonight and Saturday, most likely at night.

FAIR



ON THE SIDE:



BIG SPRING — Burned styrofoam cups and other charred items sit behind Terry's Drive In and Diner after a Wednesday evening fire.

Fire damages drive-in

BIG SPRING — A late night fire Wednesday caused about \$30,000 in fire and heavy smoke damage to a long-standing Big Spring drive-in restaurant.

The fire apparently started in a small storage room in the back of Terry's Drive In and Diner, 1307 E. 4th St., although the cause remains undetermined, Fire Marshal Burr Lea Settles said.

"It's suspicious by the fact we're not sure why or how the fire started," Settles said. "It could very well be an accident, but at this point we're not able to tell if it's an accident."

But Settles said at this point his office "probably won't pursue it any further... unless some new matters come to light."

Two pumper trucks, a mini van and a rescue van appeared at the diner after receiving an 11 p.m. call, and they remained there until about 1:30 a.m., Settles said. No one was in the restaurant when the fire occurred and there were no injuries when firefighters fought the blaze, he said.

"It got pretty hot in there," Settles said, explaining how smoke and soot blanketed much of the diner and the windows. The building is not considered a total loss, Settles said, but it will probably not be able to reopen until it's cleaned up and the state board of health is satisfied that it meets health guidelines.

Voter registration

BIG SPRING — The deadline to register to vote is Feb. 9 in person or a postmark by Feb. 12 for the March 13 primary, said Cathy Sayles, Howard County tax assessor/collector.

People may register or pick up a copy of the mail-ins at the tax office in the courthouse annex, she said. Sayles said if someone hasn't received the mailouts the tax office mailed they should drop by the tax office for a copy.

CrimeStoppers

BIG SPRING — A combination burglary-arson has investigators asking CrimeStoppers for clues.

On Dec. 17, the Big Spring Fire Department responded to 12 Village Rd. for a structure fire. After the blaze was extinguished, investigation revealed the fire was an arson to hide evidence that the house had been burglarized.

Jewelry and other personal property of substantial value were stolen from the house and the home sustained considerable damage from the fire.

Any person with information about this offense or persons who committed this offense is urged to contact CrimeStoppers at 263-TIPS. CrimeStoppers will pay up to \$1,000 reward for information received this week which leads to the arrest and conviction or grand jury indictment of suspects in this offense.

Information is confidential and callers remain anonymous.

Noriega mum on drug charges

By BRIAN MURPHY
Associated Press Writer

MIAMI — Manuel Noriega's tumble from dictator to defendant ended in the tight security of a U.S. courtroom as the once-fiercely Panamanian ruler quietly faced a federal judge.

In a soft voice, a humbled Noriega answered U.S. District Judge William Hoeveler's initial inquiries. But he declined to reply to drug trafficking charges at the brief hearing Thursday, less than a month after saying he would never surrender to the United States.

The judge entered an innocent plea for Noriega, who appeared in court in a Panamanian Defense Force uniform.

Noriega, federal prisoner No. 41586, was being held early today in an undisclosed Miami-area location, his attorneys said.

Defense attorneys say it could be nine months before they can go to trial on charges that Noriega took \$4.6 million in bribes from Colombia's Medellin drug cartel to turn his nation into a way station for the cocaine trade.

U.S. Attorney Dexter Lehtinen said he thought the trial would take only two months; defense attorneys said it could go on for six months.

Defense attorney Frank Rubino



PANAMA CITY — Manuel Antonio Noriega watches as U.S. Drug Enforcement Agents place cabins around his waist Wednesday night aboard a C-130 transport plane. Noriega surrendered to U.S. authorities in Panama City, and was flown to Miami, Fla., where he faces drug trafficking charges.

said Noriega "appeared to be strong. He appeared to be confident. We went over the facts. He was extremely confident in

assisting us." U.S. drug agents who accompanied Noriega on his flight from Panama to Miami gave a marked-

ly different description, saying he was in tears aboard the transport plane and regretted leaving the papal nunciature, The Washington Times reported today.

"I really put my foot in it this time," Noriega was quoted as saying. "I should not have left the nunciature."

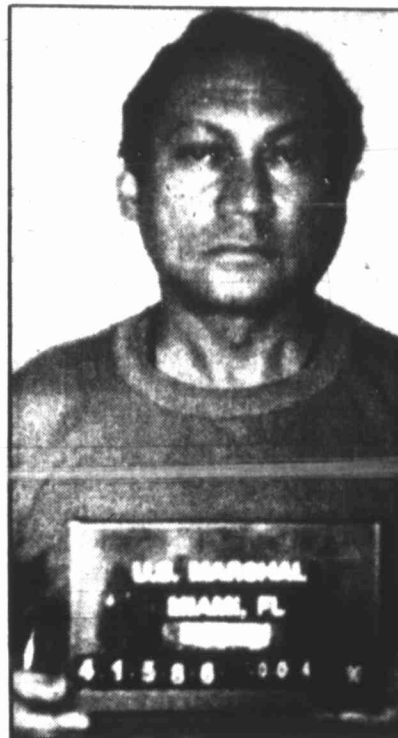
A source familiar with the flight said Noriega carried a Bible in one hand and three rosaries in another when he was brought to the plane.

"He was very depressed, although tranquil. One agent read him scriptures from the Bible in Spanish during the flight," the unidentified source told the newspaper.

If convicted of all charges, Noriega, 51, could be sentenced to 145 years in prison and fined \$1.1 million.

Rubino said he planned to file motions to dismiss the case, claiming the charges are politically motivated and questioning the methods used late Wednesday to remove Noriega from the Vatican Embassy in Panama City, where he was sheltered in a room for 10 days under diplomatic protection.

"General Noriega refuses to submit to the jurisdiction of this court... because he is a political prisoner brought to this country illegally," Rubino told Hoeveler.



MIAMI — Former Panamanian dictator Manuel Noriega poses for a U.S. Marshall booking mugshot made available by the U.S. Attorney's office in Miami Thursday. Noriega surrendered himself to U.S. authorities in Panama Wednesday and was flown to Homestead Air Force Base near Miami early Thursday morning. He was arraigned before a federal judge Thursday afternoon.

Experts question Noriega's immunity

By MITCHELL LANDSBERG
Associated Press Writer

Manuel Antonio Noriega's status as a deposed head of state probably won't do him any good in U.S. courts, legal specialists say.

Although international lawyers disagree about whether Noriega could be prosecuted for his official acts, most say he can't claim immunity for common crimes — such as drug-running — that weren't part of his official duties.

"It's going to be hard for Noriega to say, 'If it is true that I was trafficking drugs... I did that pursuant to my responsibilities as head of state,'" said Bruce Zagaris, a Washington lawyer who chairs the American Bar Association's committee on international criminal law.

Noriega's lawyers have suggested that he should be entitled to immunity because of his office. Earlier this week, one of his former attorneys, Neal Sonnett, said

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Bumper spirit

BIG SPRING — The S.M. Anderson Kindergarten Center recently received their order of bumper stickers to promote school spirit. Above, Isabel Villarreal shows the red bumper sticker to her class, as Tammy Dixon

and Gina Baeza take a look at the new stickers. Friday, the teachers advertised the stickers to the students, reminding them that they can be purchased next week.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

New clues found in skeleton probe

By BRADLEY WORRELL
Staff Writer

BIG SPRING — An Oklahoma forensic specialist has determined that skeletal remains discovered in a pasture about six miles northwest of the city were that of man and that the remains had been there for two to five years.

Findings of a "very preliminary report" by forensic anthropologist Dr. Clyde Snow have determined that the bones belonged to man between the ages of 50 to 60, stood about 5 feet 10 inches tall and was right handed, said Justice of the Peace China Long, who was presented a copy of the findings.

The results also show that the man had a fracture to the lower right tibia bone and also a fracture to the left femur, but both fractures were several years old and were not believed responsible for the cause of death, Long said. Long said Snow has "no clue at

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Crossroads cotton crop hurt economy

By JOHN MCMILLAN
Staff Writer

CROSSROADS — As expected, the area cotton harvest news from 1989 was not good.

Howard County Extension Agent Don Richardson said Friday that the worst drought in about five years brought an economic loss of \$15 million income to farmers in Howard County, and a total economic loss to the county of \$45 million. The figures confirmed a prediction he had made in November.

About 20,000 bales of cotton from Howard County were harvested, said Rick Liles, county executive director for the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service. The total compared with about 100,000 bales in 1988 and 80,000 to 85,000 bales from average years.

Area cotton harvest ended last year in mid-December.

"It was considerably less than what we had hoped for early in the season, the reason being primarily drought," Richardson said. "There were some substantial losses due to boll weevils, which we were not expecting... But it once again reminds us that we live in West Texas, and West Texas is subject to those droughts, and unfortunately this year happened to be one of those drought years."

There were 12.36 inches of rainfall received last year at the USDA Big Spring Field Station, compared with an annual average of 18.58

At least 95 percent of the farmers in Martin County qualified for disaster relief in 1989, said Nestor Hernandez, county executive director for the Martin County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

inches.

The number of acres of cotton planted in Howard County — 76,000 — was about normal, Liles said. Brad Mikeska, manager of the Big Spring Gin, said the quality of the cotton ginned at his facility was good, although the length of the fiber was short.

The price received by farmers for their cotton fell from about 60 cents per pound in mid-November to 55 cents per pound in December, he said.

Big Spring Gin serves farmers
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Associated Press photo

To Russia with love

MOSCOW — A holiday greeting card to President Mikhail S. Gorbachev and the Soviet people signed by some 500,000 Americans hangs on display at Moscow's House of Friendship. The

card, brainchild of Iowa businessman Jim Lawlor, was presented Thursday. It toured all 50 American states for signature gathering, and grew up to 80 stories tall.

Spring board

How's that?

Q. What is Jack Lommon's mailing address?

A. According to Howard County Library employee Connie Ramirez, you can write to: Jack Lommon, c/o Jalem Productions, 141 El Camino Dr., Ste. 201, Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212.

Calendar

Dance

TODAY

• Senior citizens dance will be 7:30 p.m. at the Senior's Center. Cost is \$2.50 per person. Proceeds go to the Senior's Center operations.

SUNDAY

• The Big Spring Humane Society rummage sale will be open from 1 to 6 p.m. today at Galveston and West Fourth streets.

MONDAY

• Legal Aid Society will not be at the Northside Community Center as scheduled. LAS will be there Wednesday.

• The City Council PTA will present a guest speaker at 7 p.m. at the Big Spring High School auditorium. Guest speaker will be Jim Walton, director of educational programs at the Texas State PTA. He will speak on parenting in the '90s.

• NAACP will meet at 7 p.m. at the Chamber of Commerce conference room.

WEDNESDAY

• Legal Aid Society will be at Northside Community Center at 1 p.m.

Tops on TV

Comedy

• Just the Ten of Us. Bill Kirchenbauer, Deborah Harmon. In the midst of the dynamic St. Augie's variety show fundraiser, Coach Lubbock suddenly faints. — 8:30 p.m. Channel 7.

• Baywatch — 7 p.m. Channel 4.

• Falcon Crest — 9 p.m. Channel 7.

Police beat

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents Thursday:

• Eddie White, 21, 1604 E. 6th, was arrested and charged with driving while intoxicated.

• Whataburger, 1110 S. Gregg, reported a theft over \$20, under \$200 after an unknown amount of money was taken.

• A person living in the 3700 block of Hamilton reported the theft of an extension ladder valued at \$70.

• A person living in the 700 block of Anna reported the theft of a radio valued at \$200.

• A person living in the 200 block of East 10th reported an attempted burglary. Damage to a door screen and a door window was estimated at \$45.

• A person living in the 400 block of East 16th reported the theft of wrought iron chairs, table and loveseat valued at \$500.

Sheriff's log

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incidents:

• Billy Gene Shubert, 30, 203 Monticello St., was sentenced to three years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice after pleading guilty to aggravated assault.

• Robert M. Hartgraves, 53, Hot Springs, Ark., was sentenced to four days in jail and fined \$400 after being found guilty of driving while intoxicated.

• Ramon Alvarado Munoz, 68, 404 Ayford St., was released on \$1,000 bond after being arrested on a charge of DWI.

• Mac's Station and Grocery Store, 2000 N. Lamesa Highway, reported the theft of undisclosed items from the store.

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Government forces Chinese students to write reports

BEIJING (AP) — After it crushed the democracy movement last spring, the Chinese government ordered university students to write self-criticism reports on their involvement. They have now turned them in — more as grudgingly done homework than soul-searching reflections.

Students say they passed around a few "master" reports before the December deadline, or plagiarized government propaganda to satisfy authorities evading the political education exercise.

"My report was nonsense. I just said silly things, all lies," said a student at Beijing University, which was at the forefront of the

movement. "I said I didn't agree with the hunger strike and posters, and that I didn't participate in anything."

In fact the student took part in the hunger strike and occupation of Tiananmen Square, printed and handed out leaflets, and broadcast pro-movement messages over school loudspeakers.

Yet the student's report echoed with numbing mimicry the government line drummed into the populace since the June 3-4 crackdown that left hundreds if not thousands dead.

"Soldiers rushed in to Beijing to enforce martial law as the city suffered a serious counterrevolution,"

the student's 11-page report said.

"The soldiers, who were brothers and sons of the people, gave their blood to save the country and protect the people's peace. The masterminds of the turmoil used every means possible to achieve their despicable political aims, manipulating the hunger-striking students, treating students' lives like betting chips, disrupting the martial law order and uniting social forces to beat, smash, steal, burn and kill, and try to use violence to overthrow our legitimate government."

Such parroting of the official line was reflected in other students' similarly written reports, which

were reprinted for several weeks in Beijing's two local newspapers, the Communist Party's Beijing Daily and the tabloid Beijing Evening News.

The written testimonies have been the price the government has asked for not punishing the tens of thousands of students who took part in the spring demonstrations. Dozens of student leaders have been arrested and face long years in prison.

Students say the key was to write the proper view about the movement, and how their attitudes have changed since June, or the reports will be returned for rewriting.

"Mainly they wanted to know

precisely what we did. We just said we were used by a small handful of people because we were too young, too childish," said one student who took a report that had been submitted to her father, a teacher, and shared it with several classmates.

Ideological education is being stressed at Beijing University, more than any other school. Its entire freshman class is spending a year at an army academy for political study and military training.

Students were not the only ones required to produce reports. Professors and some party members, intellectuals and workers were also obliged.

Immunity

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Noriega "is entitled to 'head of state immunity.'"

But early last year, after Noriega was indicted, U.S. District Judge William Hoever ruled that the Panamanian leader had no grounds for such a claim because the State Department had never recognized his political legitimacy.

And even if Noriega were considered a legitimate head of state, experts say he probably couldn't claim "head of state immunity."

"First of all, it's not clear that there is such a thing," Columbia Law School professor Lori Fisler Damrosch said, "although, as you might expect, several recently deposed heads of state did make such an argument."

One was deposed Philippine President Ferdinand Marcos,

whose case may offer the closest parallels to Noriega's.

After he sought exile in Hawaii, Marcos claimed that the "act of state doctrine" gave him immunity to both civil lawsuits and criminal prosecution in the United States. The courts ruled against him.

"The doctrine," the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals said, "is meant to facilitate the foreign relations of the United States, not to furnish the equivalent of sovereign immunity to a deposed leader."

In other words, a deposed ruler might be granted immunity — but only if the U.S. government considers it advantageous. In Noriega's case, as Ms. Damrosch said, "the views of President Bush and the executive branch are quite clear."

One scholar, Alfred Rubin, a pro-

fessor of international law at the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy at Tufts University, said the Noriega case reminds him of British prosecutions of Malay sultans in Southeast Asia in the 19th century.

In the first such case, he said, a claimant to a sultan's throne was charged with piracy in 1840 after he intercepted British shipping in an effort to seize control of a Malay state. A jury ruled that the act was political, not criminal, and acquitted him.

"And so the British, sulking and mad, exiled him to the Seychelles," said Rubin, a strong critic of the Noriega prosecution. "British history is full of all sorts of attempts at imperial domination, and we're just going through all their mistakes now."



Herald photo by Tim Appel

Sticking to it

BIG SPRING — Thomas Anderson gets a sticker from principal John Slaten to take back to his classroom. The S.M. Anderson Kindergarten

Center recently received the bumper stickers to promote school spirit.

Deaths

Willie Smith

SEAGRAVES — Willie S. (Smith) Smith, 68, of Big Spring, died Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1990 at Brownfield Regional Medical Center, Brownfield, after a lengthy illness.

Services will be Saturday at 11 a.m. at First United Methodist Church, Seagraves, with the Rev. Bill Perkins, pastor, officiating. Burial will be at Seagraves Cemetery, under the direction of Connally Funeral Home.

He was born Jan. 4, 1902 in Coryell County. He married Grace Lee Dawson Feb. 28, 1934 in Perry, Okla. She preceded him in death in 1975. He graduated from Coyne Electrical College, Chicago, Ill. in 1932, and continued his affiliation as a member of the Alumni Association. He retired from Noble Drilling Corp. in 1957, and operated the Denver City Bowling Lanes from 1959 until 1961. He moved to Big Spring to operate the bowling lanes at Webb Air Force Base from 1961 until 1978. He was a 32nd Degree Mason.

He is survived by one daughter, Carolyn McAdoo, Seagraves; one twin sister, Jimmie Phillips, Seagraves; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

He was preceded in death by one son, Robert Dean Smith, in 1978.

Judson Sheppard

DALLAS — Judson Cowper Sheppard, 20, Dallas, died Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1990.

Services were at 11 a.m. today at Holy Cross Episcopal Church, Paris, under the direction of Dalton & Son Funeral Home, Lewisville.

He was born April 23, 1969 in Austin. He was a graduate of Paris High School. He was a student at the University of Texas at Arlington. He was employed by the Paris Orthopedic Clinic. He was a member of Holy Cross Episcopal Church.

He is survived by his mother, Sally Cowper Sheppard, Dallas;

his father, Rodney Sheppard, Austin; two sisters, Celeste and Lauren Sheppard, both of Dallas; one step-brother, Jason Watkins, Austin; and his grandmother, Lola Sheppard, Big Spring.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. R.B.G.

The family suggests memorials to the Holy Cross Episcopal Church, Paris, Texas 75460.

Nettie Partlow

ABILENE — Nettie Partlow, 86, Abilene, mother of a Big Spring resident, died Thursday, Jan. 4, 1990 at an Abilene nursing home.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Elliott Funeral Home, Abilene.

She is survived by one son, M.J. Partlow, Big Spring; and one daughter, Avanelle, Abilene.

Jim Moody

Jim Moody, Big Spring, died Thursday, Jan. 4, 1990 at a local hospital.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at First Presbyterian Church, with the Rev. Flynn Long, pastor, officiating. Burial will be at Trinity Memorial Park, under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

He had been a resident of Big Spring since 1977, moving from Midland, where he had lived since 1953. He was a member of First Presbyterian Church, where he served as an elder. He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the Pacific Theater in the 472nd Maintenance Engineering Group. He was employed by Halliburton for 38 years, retiring in 1983.

He is survived by his wife, Kit, Big Spring; one son, J.A. Moody Jr., Houston; one half-brother, C.B. Ellzey, Tupelo, Miss.; three aunts, and nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be Bill Meyers, David Yandrich, Bill Marshall, Steve Marshall, Joe Lovett, Ralph Flournoy, Walter Floyd and Bob Gardner.

The men's Sunday School class of First Presbyterian Church is considered honorary pallbearers.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home tonight from 7 to 8.

Concepcion Munoz

Concepcion (John) Munoz, 73, Big Spring, died Thursday, Jan. 4, 1990 at a local hospital.

He was born Sept. 14, 1916 in Alpine. He married Consuelo Carrillo April 27, 1950 in Big Spring. He was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving in World War II. He worked for the Big Spring Independent School District prior to going to work for the U.S. Postal Service. He retired in 1978.

He is survived by his wife, Consuelo, Big Spring; one son, Juan Munoz, Wichita Falls; one daughter, Lupe Dominguez, Big Spring; one brother, Juan Munoz, San Jose, Calif.; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one sister, Melquiades Rion, and one brother, Jose Munoz.

Pallbearers will be Angel Rios, Amador Gonzales, Ramon Holguin, Lupe Rios, Robert Ramirez, Sammy Munoz, Albert Ramirez and Orlando Rosas.

The family will be at 2705 Rebecca St. They suggest memorials to the American Heart Association, or to the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, officiating.

He was born July 22, 1907 in Macon County, Ill. He was a member of First United Methodist Church, Springdale, Ark. He moved to Springdale as a young boy, and graduated from Springdale High School. He moved to Big Spring.

Funeral services will be at 3:30 p.m. Saturday at Trinity Memorial Park, under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home, with the Rev. James Wilborn, pastor of Wesley United Methodist Church, officiating.

He was born July 22, 1907 in Macon County, Ill. He was a member of First United Methodist Church, Springdale, Ark. He moved to Springdale as a young boy, and graduated from Springdale High School. He moved to Big Spring.

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Cotton

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within a 35-mile radius.

In Martin County, from 20,000 to 25,000 bales of cotton were harvested in 1989, compared with about 130,000 bales in 1988, said County Extension Agent Greg Jones. The cotton harvest was about 70 percent below average, he said.

At least 95 percent of the farmers in Martin County qualified for disaster relief in 1989, said Nestor Hernandez, county executive director for the Martin County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

Farmers in Martin County "hope we don't have another year like this, and it needs to rain this winter," Jones said.

In Glasscock County, Agriculture Extension Agent Norman Kohls said the 30,000 bales of cotton harvested there compared with 42,000 to 47,000 bales in average crop years. The number of acres

planted, about 40,000, was average, he said.

Glasscock County received 12 to 14 inches of rainfall in 1989; it normally receives 17.3 inches of rain, Kohls said. Three hail storms, in May and June, hurt the cotton crop, he said.

Kohls said the quality of the cotton harvested in Glasscock County was good. About 95 percent of the county's farmers planted Acala-90, a variety that yielded high quality cotton, he said.

In Mitchell County, David Stubblefield, president of the Mitchell County Farm Bureau, said the cotton harvest was "well below" average.

Roughly 15,000 bales were harvested in 1989, Stubblefield said.

The Buford community, about 1½ miles north of Colorado City, fared better in its cotton crop than any other part of Mitchell County, he said.

N.M. He preceded her in death June 28, 1988. She was a member of the Baptist Church of Morton. She was the daughter of the late J.R. and Tera Jamison. She moved to Lamesa with her parents in 1923. She and her late husband farmed in the Lamesa and Ackerly area for many years. They moved to Big Spring in 1954 where they owned and operated Southwestern A-1 Pest Control until retiring in 1980.

She is survived by one daughter and son-in-law, Jerri and Jim Montandon, Salt Lake City, Utah; one son and daughter-in-law, Max and Kay Moore, Big Spring; two brothers, Olton Jamison, Tyler; and Lofton Jamison, Seminole; seven grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two brothers, Leldro and Arnold Jamison, and two sisters, Ima Ferguson and Ila Atkinson.

Pallbearers will be A.J. Pickle Jr., Clarence Meyers, Jerry Dean, Ron Enger, Ken Harris, Jerry Dudley, Cecil Sumpter and N.A. Jones.

The family will be at 2705 Rebecca St. They suggest memorials to the American Heart Association, or to the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center.

Lloyd Clark

Lloyd C. Clark, 82, Big Spring, died Friday, Jan. 5, 1990 at a local hospital.

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Inside Texas

Mad drivers

DALLAS (AP) — Motorists who didn't wait to see green at Dallas North Tollway booths are now seeing red after being told they will be fined for failure to pay the toll.

Hundreds of drivers say they have been wrongfully accused of failing to pay the 50-cent toll. And, they've flooded the Texas Turnpike Authority with calls protesting the \$5 fine.

Some 30,000 motorists were mailed letters indicating they would be fined for failing to pay the toll on at least one occasion. Failure to pay the fine could result in a lien being placed on their car or ultimately seizure of the car, the authority letter said.

Jerry Shelton, a spokesman for the authority, said Thursday that several people who received the letters may have paid the toll — but drove through the toll stations before a signal light had turned from red to green.

He estimated that 80 percent of the letters went to people with only one alleged violation. The agency has received more than 1,500 calls from people protesting the fine, Shelton said.

Shelton says motorists will have to get used to waiting the second or so it usually takes the signal light to turn green before leaving the toll gate. "It's not that long a wait," he said.

New prosecutors

MIDLAND (AP) — Two new federal prosecutors have been added to the office here, tripling the number of assistant U.S. attorneys in a region rife with drug smuggling.

Until David Rosado and Bill Torrey were sworn in Tuesday, David Beery was the lone federal prosecutor for the six-county Midland division and the 10-county Pecos division. Almost 200 criminal cases were filed in those divisions last year, most of them drug related.

Beery said he plans to spend more time prosecuting in the Pecos division, a territory that includes the Sierra Blanca Border Patrol checkpoint on Interstate 10, where many drug seizures take place.

The division also includes long stretches of remote border where cocaine, heroin and marijuana are smuggled on planes, trucks, cars and even on the backs of laborers who wade across the Rio Grande, authorities said.

Rosado, 46, who had been a state prosecutor in Midland, Odessa and El Paso before joining a Midland law firm in 1986, will focus on drug offenses, Beery said.

Torrey, 42, who has been a state and federal prosecutor and was most recently in private practice in Bryan-College Station, will concentrate on white-collar cases such as those involving bank fraud, tax evasion and mail fraud, Beery said.

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Officials contend special judicial elections too costly

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas officials today were awaiting U.S. District Judge Lucius Bunton's answer to a request to modify or stop special elections he ordered for 115 state judge posts in nine urban counties.

Bunton ordered nonpartisan elections to be held in May for the district judges, saying the current at-large election system in the nine counties diluted the strength of minority voters.

But state officials argued in a legal motion filed in Bunton's Midland court Thursday that Texas law includes no method for conducting nonpartisan balloting. They said holding special elections after the regular March 13 primary would cost millions.

The state's chief elections officer, Secretary of State George Bayoud, went one step further, calling for an immediate stay blocking implementation of Bunton's order.

Complying "would not only be

totally disruptive to the Texas judiciary but also extremely disruptive to the entire Texas election process," Bayoud said.

Bayoud said former Texas Supreme Court Chief Justice John Hill agreed to represent him in the case after Attorney General Jim Mattox declined to immediately seek the stay.

Mattox, meanwhile, asked Bunton to modify his order by dropping the requirement for nonpartisan May elections.

Mattox said the 115 judicial elections should be conducted as partisan contests in conjunction with the regular Republican and Democratic primaries and November general election.

Mattox said there are too many problems in Bunton's order for the special elections to be carried out. Among them: Bunton's order doesn't specify who pays for the elections, supervises them, prints the ballots or certifies the results.

"There are massive gaps between the court's ... order to conduct nonpartisan judicial elections in 1990 and the statutory framework set forth in the Texas Election Code for conducting elections," Mattox told the judge.

Mattox noted — but didn't recommend — an option. He said Bunton could choose to follow an old system in which candidates would place their names on both the Republican and Democratic primary ballots. Any runoff could then be held in conjunction with the November general election.

Mattox said he may seek a stay blocking the order if Bunton fails to modify his original election order.

Bunton's order applies in nine urban counties — Bexar, Dallas, Harris, Travis, Tarrant, Jefferson, Lubbock, Ector and Midland.

At least two state district judges — Judge Sharolyn Wood of Houston and Judge Harold Entz of Dallas —

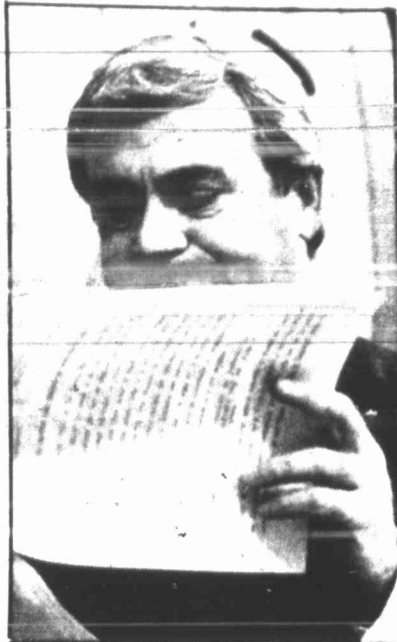
have filed appeals to the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans asking that Bunton's ruling be overturned.

Entz's attorney, David Godbey, said, "Until the 5th circuit decides the system is broke, Judge Bunton shouldn't try to fix it."

Bunton ruled the at-large elections illegal in November, but Clements refused to add the topic to the agenda of a special legislative session held in November and December.

"The clock has been ticking away while Bill Clements twiddled his thumbs," said Mattox, a Democratic candidate for governor.

Responding, Clements said Mattox was "trying to blame others for a case that he lost. It's time he acknowledged the loss and vigorously defended our state's constitution."



MATTOX FILES MOTION

Teen set to challenge incumbent

PLANO (AP) — High school law classes and involvement in student government don't necessarily make a politician, says a Collin County justice of the peace who is being challenged by a 17-year-old student.

"I do question whether he has the experience necessary to do the job," said 49-year-old James Murrell of challenger John Payton. "It's not something you gain from sitting down and reading a book."

Payton filed Tuesday to run against Precinct 3, Place 2 incumbent Murrell in the March 13 Republican primary, and said he already has heard from several people in the community who want to help him.

Payton, a senior at Plano East High School, says his high school law classes and work on the debate team and student government will prepare him for the job.

"My main goal is to be a politician," Payton told *The Dallas Morning News*. "That's what I've always wanted to be."

"I know the basics of the law. I'll gain experience through dealing with the community."

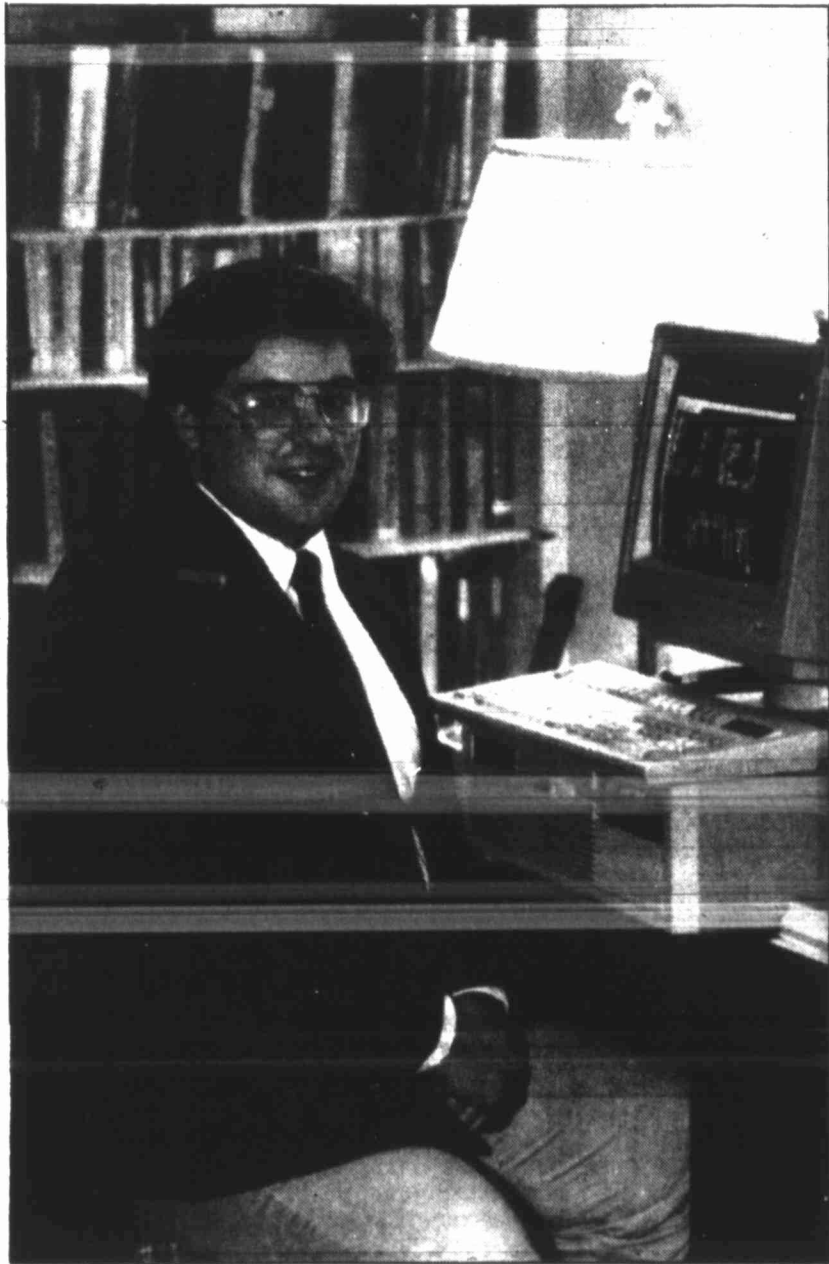
His parents are impressed by the youngster's tenacity and gave him the necessary \$300 filing fee after he failed to get enough petition signatures over Christmas break to waive the fee.

"We've had several people call offering help and support for John," said his mother, Lorri Payton. "John has always been mature and responsible and he's always set his goals high. I'm not surprised by his decision (to run)."

"I worked all through Christmas vacation," Payton said. "I didn't go out of town. I didn't visit with my friends or go and play video games. I worked into the nights."

As a youngster, his mother recalls, Payton was busy reading newspapers and watching the news while other kids his age were playing video games.

"We talk politics a lot. Probably a lot more than most families," Mrs. Payton said. "John would even try to sway my vote sometimes. He's always been interested in politics."



Associated Press photo

PLANO — Republican Justice of the Peace candidate John Payton, a senior at Plano East Senior High School, poses at his home. Payton says he wants to become a professional politician and the best way is to jump right in.

Payton's father, Stan, ran unsuccessfully for city clerk in Clovis, Calif., at 18, losing by fewer than 100 votes. Stan, who works for the Internal Revenue Service, is pro- tected in politics."

"John's got his emotional support," Mrs. Payton said.

The teen-ager plans door-to-door campaigning.

"I will not quit," he said. "Even if the polls show I'm behind, I'll keep going door to door."

Marketing rights to Shamu sold

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Anheuser-Busch Cos. Inc. has agreed to pay \$6 million for marketing rights to Shamu the killer whale, resident star at the brewery's newly acquired Sea World parks.

The Shamu license is held by Watson General Pictures Inc. in a joint venture with Lion's Den Productions Inc. The agreement to sell the rights to Sea World Inc., a subsidiary of Anheuser-Busch, was made Thursday.

Anheuser-Busch has owned Shamu since it paid \$1.1 billion in November to buy four Sea World

parks, two additional theme parks and adjacent land from Harcourt Brace Jovanovich Inc., but the marketing rights were not part of the deal.

Under the agreement, Watson General also will get royalties of 10 percent on the gross sales of Shamu merchandise sold outside the theme parks and 50 percent of all the net proceeds from "Shamu ... The Beginning," a recently completed animated film included in the sale.

Anheuser-Busch officials declined to discuss marketing plans.

El Paso officials tell chief they're losing war

EL PASO — Gen. Manuel Noriega's surrender is the strongest evidence yet that the war on drugs is being won, drug czar William Bennett said during a whirlwind tour here.

But local officials told Bennett in a meeting late Thursday evening that they are losing the war on the local front because the majority of their resources are concentrated on the national effort.

Bennett was in El Paso to visit anti-drug operations in this Texas-Mexico border city. He was given a quick demonstration of a random vehicle check using a drug-sniffing dog at the interna-

tional Bridge of the Americas. He was then whisked through the cargo inspection area of the border checkpoint.

Local officials told Bennett that victories in the war on drugs nationally and internationally are coming at the expense of local success.

Police Chief John Scagno appealed to Bennett to provide El Paso with more assistance for local drug interdiction.

Mayor Suzie Azar told Bennett she would like to see \$3 billion of the \$9 billion allocated for the national anti-drug effort to be given to municipalities, not states.

Sea-Arama park for sale or lease

GALVESTON (AP) — The owners of Sea-Arama Marineworld say rising costs and lagging attendance have forced them to put the park up for sale or lease.

Officials said Thursday the park's animals, including dolphins and a Pacific black whale, will be sold and the owners hope to lease or sell the property for development as an educational and research aquarium.

The marine park, which opened in 1965, is near the western end of Galveston's seawall and has served as a major tourist draw for the resort city. Millions of tourists have been entertained with dolphin, sea lion, exotic bird and water-skiing shows.

A source of funding to keep the park alive as a tourist attraction has not yet been found.

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A tyrant surrenders

Rarely has an American venture abroad succeeded as swiftly and jubilantly as the military intervention in Panama and the capture of Manuel Noriega to stand trial in the United States.

Cornered inside the Vatican mission, surrounded by a crowd of angry Panamanians calling for his head, the tyrant who terrorized Panama for six years had little choice but to surrender to U.S. drug agents. His last avenues of escape were sealed off when church officials made it plain he was no longer welcome in the nunciature and no other government was willing to grant him asylum.

The tragicomedy of Manuel Noriega is far from over, of course. Although he now resides in a federal prison, a protracted legal battle is inevitable as he contests the cocaine-trafficking charges lodged against him in Florida two years ago.

The strength of the Justice Department's case remains to be demonstrated. And, under the American judicial system, even a notorious thug and tinpot dictator is presumed innocent until proven guilty.

Prosecuting Noriega will be enormously complicated by his past ties to the Central Intelligence Agency. If that relationship is deemed germane to his legal defense, the government could be faced with the unenviable choice of revealing CIA secrets or dropping some or all of the counts against him. Exposure of Noriega's links to the CIA could prove acutely embarrassing for President Bush, who headed the agency during part of the time when the Panamanian was a highly paid CIA informant.

Yet such complications pale in comparison to the benefits of the U.S. invasion.

After Noriega's capture, tens of thousands of Panamanians took to the streets, rejoicing and waving American and Panamanian flags. The U.S. soldiers who were condemned earlier by Latin American diplomats were hugged and cheered by average Panamanians, the overwhelming majority of whom appear grateful for being liberated from the despot they derisively called "pineapple face."

With the corrupt Panama Defense Forces and Noriega's repressive Dignity Battalions now neutralized, democracy has a chance of taking root. American troops should be pulled out as soon as security conditions permit, and the Pentagon is wise to announce a timetable for a speedy withdrawal. In the meantime, the Bush administration should be as generous as possible in providing financial and technical assistance to rebuild the country's shattered economy.

Much of the credit for Panama's resurgent fortunes rests with President Bush, who responded cautiously but decisively to the threat posed by Noriega, and to the papal nuncio, Jose Sebastian Laboa, who deftly engineered the dictator's surrender. The Manuel Noriega serial may continue for years in federal court but, for Panama, a happy ending is already at hand.

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Quote

"I know I'm fat. I can tell you how I know I'm fat. I see myself in the mirror, naked. Horrible." — Ed Koch, ex-New York City mayor who, four days out of office, signed on as a pitchman for a weight-loss powder to drop some of the 44 pounds he gained during his 12 years in power.

Undulating Cher makes the Navy blush in embarrassment

By JACK ANDERSON and DALE VAN ATTA

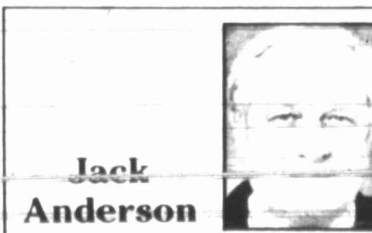
WASHINGTON — If battleships could blush, the U.S.S. Missouri would be bright red.

This proud World War II vessel that hosted the 1945 surrender of Japan in Tokyo Bay has become the center of a battle over taste. Should the Navy have allowed Cher to film a video in which she pranced around the deck of the Missouri wearing a fishnet G-string?

The video, "If I Could Turn Back Time," was so risqué that MTV — that arbiter of bad taste — wouldn't show it until after 9 p.m. Now a few Navy officials are wishing they could turn back time.

The military services get plenty of requests from Hollywood asking for their equipment, bases and people. Most of the projects are turned down. If they are approved, the producers must generally agree to accept suggestions from military critics.

The conversion of bases, ships and planes to movie sets amounts to nothing more than taxpayer-subsidized giveaways. If the producers are charged a fee, it is rare-

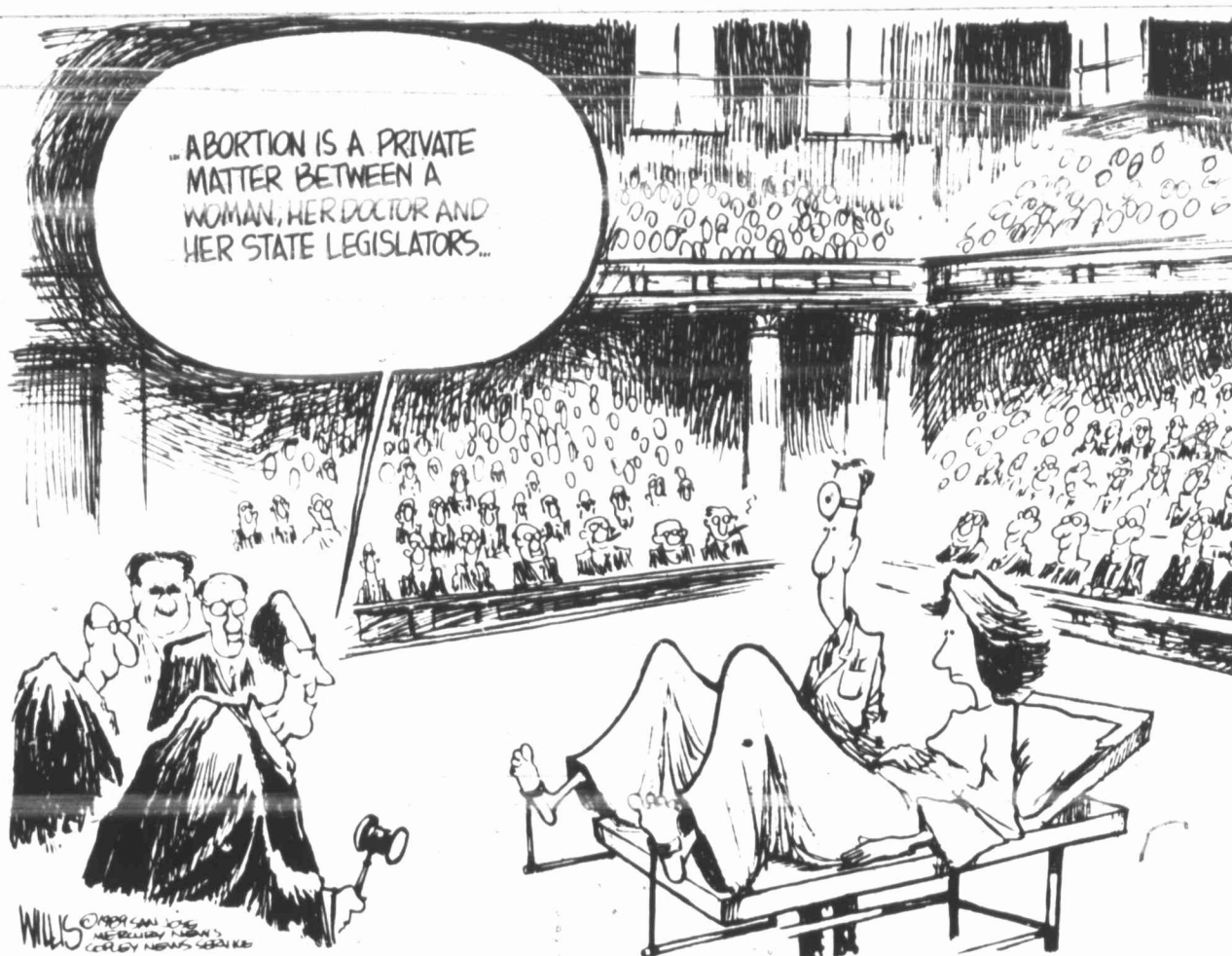


ly enough to cover the costs. The Pentagon justifies it by saying that the films are good recruitment tools.

That was the thinking when Cher applied to use the Missouri, but now the Navy brass is wondering if the recruitment benefit is enough to outweigh the criticism from veterans' groups.

The Navy was at first thrilled with the recruitment value of a Cher video. The pop star had come a long way since the 1960s when she was dismissed as a clotheshorse and an airhead. (She once admitted that she thought Mount Rushmore was a natural rock formation and that the sun was the back side of the moon.)

A Cher video "was an opportunity for us to get national exposure and reach the lucrative recruitable



Republicans have historical precedent for abortion issue

By GEORGE F. WILL

WASHINGTON — Jack Rains, running for the Republican gubernatorial nomination in Texas, recently told a right-to-life group he stood "shoulder-to-shoulder" with it. But time (two weeks) passed, and perhaps polls were consulted, and then he announced that, come to think about it, he was an abortion-rights candidate. "My mind has not changed," he explained. "My thinking has crystallized."

Rains may be "right" with the electorate if it is looking for Plastieman, an infinitely malleable creature. But if Lincoln's party is to get off the hook it has impaled itself on regarding abortion, it must look to Lincoln's example.

Here is what the hook looks like. When Republicans convene in 1992, the ticket probably will be long settled and 15,000 bored journalists will have but one big story to make bigger by being a megaphone for both sides. The story will be the floor fight over the platform language — whatever it is — on abortion.

The 1980 platform said: "Abortion, despite the complex nature of its various issues, is ultimately concerned with equality of rights under the law. While we recognize differing views on this question among Americans in general and in our own party — we affirm our support of a constitutional amendment to protect the rights of unborn children."

By 1984 and again in 1988, the platform said: "The unborn child has a fundamental right to life which cannot be infringed. We therefore reaffirm our support for a human-life amendment to the Constitution, and we endorse legislation to make clear that the Fourteenth Amendment's protections apply to unborn children." (That means, among many other things, that a pregnant woman who abuses alcohol or other drugs is committing child abuse.)

The right-to-life movement will seek to hold, in the platform committee, this maximalist position. The party dare not stand on that

"I may not agree with what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." — Voltaire

George F. Will



plank again. But how can it adapt to political realities without appearing unprincipled? It can begin by looking to Lincoln.

The 1850s arguments that drew Lincoln to greatness concerned not whether slavery should be abolished forthwith or even in the foreseeable future, but rather two other questions, one general, one specific. The general question was: Would national policy stigmatize slavery as a tragic legacy and a moral wrong? The specific question was: Would policy confine slavery to its historic dominion by banning it from the territories, thereby, Lincoln hoped, putting it on a path to ultimate extinction?

Republicans, said Lincoln, should "insist that (slavery) should, as far as may be, be treated as wrong, and one of the methods of treating it as a wrong is to make provision that it shall grow no larger."

Opponents of abortion argue that the abortion issue is akin to the slavery issue because it concerns "innocent life." But the issue was inflamed by judicial fiat (Dred Scott, Roe v. Wade). But there is a third similarity Republicans should note: The logic of Lincoln's response to the reality of slavery as a rooted institution is a model for dealing with the reality of abortion as a prevalent practice and a right currently enjoying broad if uneasy support.

In 1860, advocates of immediate, outright abolition of slavery were orally earnest but not politically serious. As with advocacy of abolition of abortion in 1990, the abolitionist position regarding slavery was emotionally satisfying but politically impracticable.

However, the Republicans' first

successful presidential candidate knew that to do good you must hold office, and to get to the core of a controversy you should begin by nudging in its borders. The right-to-life movement and its Republican allies should begin at the borders.

Most Americans may favor substantial abortion rights but also are uneasy about the promiscuous creation and destruction of life, often for frivolous reasons of negligence and convenience. There is, I believe, a vague but broad and plausible intuition that the moral status, and hence the protection appropriate for, a fetus changes with its developmental stages. (Hence the power of, and fury from, pro-abortion people concerning photographs of aborted fetuses sufficiently developed to resemble infants.)

Opponents of abortion can aspire to piecemeal abortion, endorsing government policy that treats abortion as (as ownership of slaves was) a contractable right. The first contraction should place severe restrictions on all abortions after, say, the eighth week of gestation. This point can be set with reference to neurological and other fetal developments. It probably would not eliminate even 90 percent of abortions, and if pro-abortion advocates opposed it, they would seem extreme.

Furthermore, long-run abolition of abortion would be the right as a bitter legacy of bad practices and confused thinking. The stigmatizing policy shall be that the exercise of the right shall not be subsidized by public funds.

But such funds shall be used to provide alternatives to it — birth control, adoption, child care, other supports for unwed mothers — just as there were proposals for using public funds to purchase emancipation (a lot cheaper than war, Lincoln said).

Republican thinking must crystallize along some such lines or many Republicans now in office will look unprincipled or will be unemployed.

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If she could seer me now

By LEWIS GRIZZARD

I went to see my seer, Madam Ruth, to find out what might be in store for me in 1990.

Madam Ruth has excellent credentials. She was on stand-by for Nancy Reagan if the former first lady needed a backup spiritual adviser.

In fact, it was Madam Ruth who told Mrs. Reagan she would one day write a book and get back at everybody who had it coming.

The only thing Madam Ruth missed was the title of the book. Instead of "It's My Turn," she said it would be titled "Up Yours."

"What do you see for me in 1990?" I asked Madam Ruth, as she looked into her crystal ball.

"I see a tall stranger coming into your life," she said.

"A new player for the Atlanta Hawks who can guard Michael Jordan?"

"No," she answered. "An IRS agent with no sense of humor to audit you."

"I have nothing to hide," I said.

"Yes, you do," said Madam Ruth. "If you tell him you've been paying me in cash, I'll put a spell on your two dogs and turn them into cats with nervous disorders that cause shedding."

I promised not to tell. I dislike cats second only to IRS audits.

"So go on," I said. "I'd like to know more about my finances in 1990."

"What finances?" asked Madam Ruth. "If you told you the creep didn't have a sense of humor."

"OK, let's move on," I said. "What about my chances of romance in 1990?"

"It's coming clearer to me now. I see a torrid love affair in your future, but I also suddenly smell burning grease."

"Maybe you left something on your stove," I said.

"Or maybe you're going to get the hots for a Waffle House waitress named Hazel," said Madam Ruth.

"What about changes in my career?" was my next question.

"You will be moving into a new office," was the answer. "With a window?"

"With a mop. You are going to be moved into the janitor's closet, but it's only temporary."

"How long is temporary?"

"Until your boss forgives you."

"For what?"

"Mentioning to his wife she reminds you of a Waffle House waitress named Hazel after you got that promotion."

"What about my health?" I asked next. "Certainly, I'm due at least some good news about 1990."

"Your health," said Madam Ruth. "Yes, I can see it now. There is some good news about your health."

"What?"

"You're going to start eating a healthier diet."

"That is good news."

"Yes," said Madam Ruth. "But there is also bad news. You are going on a long trip in 1990."

"To where?"

"The Betty Ford Clinic."

"For what?"

"Addiction to oat bran."

Happy New Year, indeed.

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Authorities search for lost engine

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — A Northwest Airlines jetliner that lost one of its engines in flight also was found to have leaked toilet water, odd occurrences that the plane's manufacturer said have gone together in two similar mishaps.

Authorities said the best clues on the cause of the incident lie with the 3,500-pound engine itself, which was missing somewhere in the rural marshlands of northern Florida, about 90 miles north of Cross City.

Alston said radar readouts from the Federal Aviation Administration and the U.S. Department of Defense were being examined to pinpoint where the engine may have sheared off.

Federal air safety investigators began examining the Boeing 727 soon after Thursday's Flight 5 from Miami to Minneapolis with 139 passengers landed here safely on the two remaining engines.

Investigators found the forward right lavatory had leaked blue-tinted water over the outside of the aircraft. At the 35,000-foot altitude where the right tail-mounted engine fell off, the fluid could have frozen and entered the intake of the engine, an official said.

Honda Accord best-selling vehicle

DETROIT (AP) — Late-December car and truck sales dropped 10.5 percent, while for the first time, a vehicle with a foreign nameplate has become the year's best-seller in the United States.

Americans bought more Honda Accords in 1989 than any other automobile, according to figures released Thursday.

"Obviously, we're real pleased about it," said American Honda Motor Co. spokesman Bob Butorac. About 60 percent of Honda's Accords sold in the United States were built at the company's plant in Marysville, Ohio. The rest were built in Japan.

For the year, U.S. and foreign automakers said their U.S. sales of cars and light trucks fell 5.5 percent from 1988, to 14.6 million from 15.4 million.

Americans bought 362,707 Accords last year, topping the Ford Taurus at 348,061 and the Ford Escort, last year's sales leader, at 333,535. Rounding out the top five were the Chevrolet Corsica and Beretta, which are variations on the same model, at 326,006, and the Chevrolet Cavalier at 295,715.

Bodies discovered buried in barn

KIRTLAND, Ohio (AP) — Federal authorities arrested five members of a splinter religious group in the slayings of five people, whose bodies were unearthed at a farm once rented by the group's leader, officials said.

The five may have been killed as part of a religious sacrifice, *The Plain Dealer* of Cleveland reported today, citing unidentified police sources.

Rodriguez said those arrested had lived on the Kirtland farm where the bodies were found Wednesday night and Thursday. All of those under arrest were members of a religious group led by Jeffrey Lundgren, he said.

Authorities were led to the bodies on farm about 25 miles northeast of Cleveland by an anonymous tip, said Fire Chief Richard Martincic.

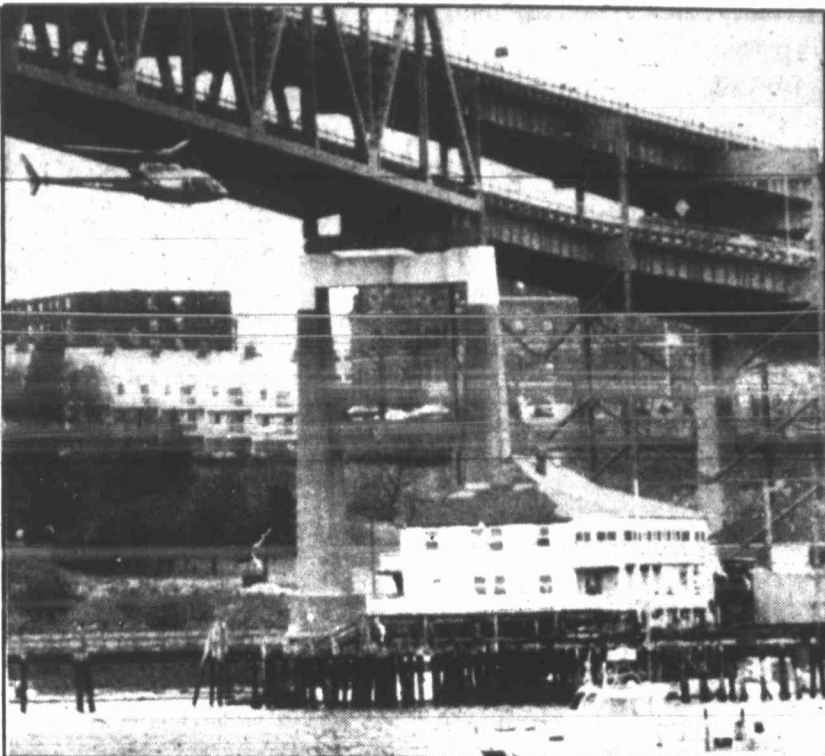
Kirtland police declined to identify the victims early today, but WEWS-TV in Cleveland reported the dead were Dennis Avery, 49; his wife, Cheryl, 42; and their three daughters, Trina, 15; Becky, 13; and Karen, 5.

The farm was once rented by Lundgren, a former minister of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.



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BOSTON — A police helicopter and Coast Guard boat search for the body of Charles Stuart Thursday and Stuart jumped from the Tobin Bridge.

Man's story of wife's death an apparent hoax

BOSTON (AP) — The story behind a grim inner-city shooting that stirred racial fears turned out to be a lie as the storyteller committed suicide after his brother implicated him, authorities said.

The body of Charles Stuart, who became a sympathetic figure as the suburban victim of a Boston shooting that killed his pregnant wife and left him wounded, was pulled from the Boston Harbor.

Stuart's tale to police was that he and his 30-year-old wife, Carol, were robbed and shot by a black man after they left a childbirth class Oct. 23. Stuart, a fur store manager, also reportedly identified a black man in a police lineup as the killer.

The story, Suffolk County District Attorney Newman Flanagan said, "is not true."

Mrs. Stuart, a lawyer, died hours after the shooting. The Stuarts' son, delivered by Caesarean section, died 17 days later.

Gov. Michael Dukakis and Mayor Raymond Flynn were among those who attended the funeral. Flynn had called Stuart a hero for directing police to his wife by their car phone despite being wounded himself.

"The whole case did the entire city an injustice," Flynn said Thursday. "I've been on this Earth 50 years, and I've read a lot of suspense stories, but I've not heard anything as bizarre and troubling as this."

Blacks also reacted angrily — because the story touched the worst fears among white America about black inner-city violence when it exploded in headlines and on news reports nationwide.

"Black people in particular have to look at it and wonder what hope we have for justice in a country that took this man's life and made him and his family a symbol of national mourning," said Chuck Turner, director of the Center for Community Action of the Episcopal City Mission in Boston's largely black Roxbury section.

Authorities were theorizing that Stuart's motive in the slaying was to collect life insurance policies taken out on his wife, *The Boston Globe* and *Boston Herald* reported today. Both newspapers quoted unidentified sources.

Stuart, 29, jumped off the 300-foot Tobin Bridge hours after his brother's disclosures to authorities. He left a suicide note in his car.

A black man, William Bennett, had been identified in news accounts as a suspect. He was never charged in the Stuart case, and the prosecutor has now cleared him.

World

Three countries turn away tanker

MADRID, Spain (AP) — A crippled Iranian tanker that spilled 19 million gallons of oil off the Moroccan coast was turned away today by Portugal, the third country to refuse entry to the ship.

A Portuguese navy patrol boat escorted the Khark 5 away from the Portuguese island of Madeira after the tanker entered its territorial waters there, the national news agency Lusa said today.

The salvage company Smit Tak, which is commanding the three tugs towing the Khark 5, said it planned to take the tanker to the Cape Verde islands, through more than 1,200 miles of open seas. Cape Verde is a former Portuguese colony off the West African coast.

Smit Tak has been trying to find a safe haven for the Khark 5 since an explosion ripped through the ship's hull Dec. 19 when it was 400 miles north of Las Palmas in Spain's Canary Islands.

Morocco, 400 miles west, refused to let the tanker dock there, and a 100-square-mile oil slick threatened Morocco's coastline. Pollution experts said Thursday nearly all the oil had dissipated and that there was no danger of an environmental disaster.

Five dead in blast at drug lab

BOGOTA, Colombia (AP) — An explosion ripped through an illegal drug laboratory in the city of Medellin, killing five people, police said.

Three firefighters rescued two children from the building in which the lab was housed but were slightly injured in a second blast, authorities said.

Police said 41 containers of chemicals used to process cocaine were found.

The explosions came hours after the secret police blamed the Medellin drug cartel for the kidnapping last month of the son of President Virgilio Barco's closest adviser.

A group of men abducted Alvaro Diego Montoya as he was leaving the northern Bogota offices of his financial firm on Dec. 20, said the secret police spokesman, Maj. Alberto Gomez.

"Evidence indicates that the Medellin cartel is behind the kidnapping," Gomez said in a telephone interview. He said he could not give details because authorities were still investigating.

Opposition groups plan coalition

EAST BERLIN (AP) — Six main pro-democracy groups said they are forming a coalition for elections in May, but the groups are divided over economic and foreign policy issues that will be central to the campaign.

The new coalition, called Election Alliance 90, includes New Forum, Social Democratic Party, Democratic Awakening, Democracy Now, the Initiative for Peace and Human Rights and the United Left.

Detlef Poge of New Forum, the largest opposition group, conceded that the groups are so divided on how the economy should be restored that he doubted they could agree on a single position to push in the elections.

"Everyone is so preoccupied with political problems that the economic crisis is being ignored, and that's dangerous," Poge told *The Associated Press*.

As the opposition stumbles, the Communists' advantage of 40 years in power and strong political organization becomes more apparent.

The Communists still draw more voter support than any other single political party, and they have been stirring voter concern over the issue of a rightist resurgence.



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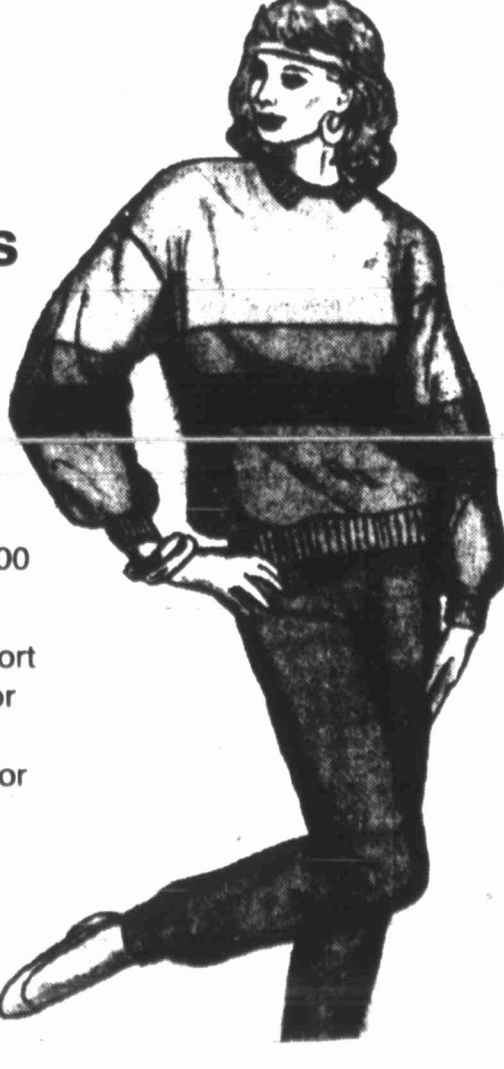
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'Let prayer be our practice, passion'

By DALTON FROMAN
Special to the Herald

The year was 1857. The place was New York's Manhattan. The moral and spiritual climate of the nation was at a desperate low. William Miller had brought considerable embarrassment and ridicule on the church by setting 1843 as the date of the Lord's return.

One unknown and obscure man, Jeremiah Lanphier, took matters to heart. On Sept. 23, 1857 Lanphier began a noon prayer meeting in Manhattan. In the first meeting only six people came, but the meeting soon grew to 23, then 40, until the church was filled with praying people.

The prayer meeting spread to other churches and downtown buildings. Eventually more than 6,000 people were praying in more than a dozen meetings throughout the city. Conversions began to take place. In New York City 10,000 per week were being saved. The revival soon crossed the Atlantic to England and Ireland and finally to South Africa and India.

With the revival came tremendous social change. Jails were empty as crime decreased. Judges and policemen suddenly found themselves without work. America's second great awakening had struck ... and its impact was felt for the next 40 years.

Can America experience another great awakening? The answer is found in history. Only if we pray. "If ... My people who are called by My Name humble themselves and pray, seek My face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, will forgive their sin, and heal their land." II Chron. 7:14.

Our nation faces a crucial hour. We are wrestling with difficult questions: Teen suicide, child abuse, pornography, abortion, AIDS, the break up of family, an enormous national debt and an increasingly violent and volatile world. Against these overwhelm-



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ing odds we must identify with the words of King Jehoshaphat. "We are powerless before this great multitude who are coming against us; nor do we know what to do, but our eyes are on Thee." II Chron. 20:12.

The decade of the 1990s has been designated as the "Decade of Harvest" by the Assemblies of God. Our leadership has set before us a vision to see a powerful manifestation of God's grace sweeping thousands into his kingdom. In working toward this vision four goals have been set. (1) To enlist one million prayer partners, (2) To reach and win 5 million people in Christ. (3) To train and disciple 20,000 people for ministry. (4) To establish 5,000 new churches.

I believe America can experience another great awakening ... but only if we pray. I encourage you to be like Jeremiah Lanphier; take matters to heart and pray.

Robert E. Lee once said: "Let there be prayer at sun up, at noonday, at sundown, at midnight — all through the day. Let us all pray for our children, our youth, our aged, our pastors, our homes. Let us pray for our churches."

Let us pray for ourselves, that we may not lose the word "concern" out of our Christian vocabulary. Let us pray for our nation. Let us pray for those who have never known Jesus Christ and redeeming love, for moral forces everywhere, for our national leaders.

Let prayer be our passion. Let prayer be our practice.

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Church opens doors

CLEVELAND (AP) — The United Church of Christ, based in New York City since the denomination was formed by merger in 1957, opened its new headquarters here Jan. 2.

Three top officers and skeleton crews of several national organizations are working here. Three floors of the headquarters building at 700 Prospect Ave. are being renovated to provide working space for about 90 employees.

Further renovations start in March. Altogether, national offices of the 1.6 million-member denomination have about 350 employees, most of them based in New York City.

The two largest agencies are remaining there through 1990, the board for homeland ministries and board for world ministries, but will begin shifting some personnel to Cleveland in 1991.

The move from New York City to Cleveland was voted in July by the church's legislative general synod.

Among officers who have already shifted to the new site is the denomination's president, the Rev. Paul Sherry.

Cardinal steps down

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Cardinal Johannes Willebrands, 80, of the Netherlands, has stepped down as head of the Vatican Secretariat for Promoting Christian Unity. He had led Roman Catholic ecumenical efforts for a quarter century.

He was succeeded by Cardinal Edward Cassidy, 65, an Australian-born archbishop.

Seminary gets warning

ATLANTA (AP) — Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, embroiled in a two-year dispute between faculty and a fundamentalist-dominated administration, has been placed "on warning" by an accrediting agency.

The Southern Association of Colleges and Schools says the Wake Forest, N.C., seminary must correct various deficiencies within two years or face further measures.

Faculty members charge the seminary trustees in 1987 changed the way the school picked professors to ensure that only "biblical inerrantists" were hired in the wake of fundamentalists gaining control of the denomination.

Revolutionary changes

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP) — A survey for the Central American University in Managua finds that revolutionary changes in Nicaraguan society has not led young people to atheism. Only 9 percent of 1,000 students said they don't believe in God.

Breakthrough

ATLANTA (AP) — A Jewish leader says religious organizations are facing either a "breakdown" or "breakthrough" in the fight against AIDS.

There "is a great danger of somehow becoming used to AIDS and the dreadful toll it exacts," says Rabbi A. James Rubin, interreligious affairs director of the American Jewish Committee.

He told about 100 national religious leaders gathered to formulate a unified interfaith response to the AIDS crisis that it can't be met "only as Jews, or only as Christians" but "only together, only in covenant."

Christian right

CHICAGO (AP) — The "new Christian right" was the surging religious force that marked the 1980s and influenced a U.S. domestic agenda that dominated the decade, noted church historian Martin Marty says.

Some of their ideas led to a necessary economic redirection, but "now we can see how much of the achievement was based on illusion," Marty writes in The Lutheran, monthly magazine of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America.

"We seemed to be sitting in a dark but enjoyable theater through a decade-long matinee, delighting in the illusion."

Religion

Converts from the Holy Land

By JIM JONES

Fort Worth Star-Telegram

FORT WORTH — The infectious, bouncy rhythms of Middle Eastern music soared through the chapel as an Arab Baptist revival meeting, possibly Texas' first, went into full swing.

"Halleluia, Fa-howal Ella," the small congregation sang in Arabic at University Baptist Church. "Wa Howa Alla-qualde Dow-man Ya-sued."

The words in English meant, "He is Lord and he is always in my heart."

The Rev. Fayiz Saknini, a Baptist evangelist who grew up in Nazareth, the childhood home of Jesus, pounded the pulpit in emotional freewheeling Baptist fashion. But his words were Arabic.

"Life without hope is sad. It is hell on earth," Saknini said through an interpreter. "Without Jesus we have no hope," he told about 50 worshippers at the meeting last fall.

The Arab revival was probably the first in Texas, said the Rev. Raouf Ghattas, pastor of the Arab mission at University Baptist.

Ghattas said the goal of the revival was to reach the growing Arab population that in recent years has increased to more than 30,000 in the Fort Worth-Dallas area.

Most Arabs are Muslims, he said, but many have a Christian background.

Ghattas, 43, grew up in a Christian home in Cairo, Egypt, as a member of the Presbyterian faith. Now he is a Baptist seeking a master's degree in theology at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth.

Ghattas wants to be a Christian missionary in the Middle East, serving with the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board.

But he hopes to reach fellow Arabs in this area, too.

A poster in his office at University Baptist, printed in Arabic and English, says, "We will not rest until all the Arabs of Fort Worth hear about Jesus."

The Arab mission, which has special classes in Arabic language and culture, has grown from five to 50 members since it was founded in 1985. Most of the growth came in the last year, Ghattas said.

Ghattas has an Arab Christian radio broadcast carried on KTVT/FM 91.7 at 6 p.m. on Sundays. He said it is the only Arab Christian program in the state.

Ghattas acknowledges that most Arabs in the area are Muslims, noting that there are five Islamic mosques in Fort Worth and Dallas.

"I have visited the mosque in Fort Worth, and I have very good relations with my Muslim friends," Ghattas said.

During the revival meeting, Shaun Shorosh, a native of Lebanon now studying at Southwestern seminary to be a Christian missionary, spoke softly into a microphone as he translated



FORT WORTH — Baptist evangelist the Rev. Fayiz Saknini, raises his fist as he prays with Nomie Derani, left, Eva Wehbeh and Rabbi Dan-ny Ezriel at a recent Arab Baptist revival in Fort Worth.

the Arabic words for English-speaking visitors wearing earphones. Those without earphones sat near Shorosh to hear his translations.

His wife, Amal Shorosh, also a seminary student, played the piano and sang with the church's music director, Nizar Haddad, who also attends the seminary. Shaun Shorosh's father, Fu'ad Shorosh, is a Baptist preacher in Tennessee.

Saknini travels the nation preaching and is an employee of the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board based in Atlanta.

"To reach Arab people, you have to love them," Saknini said. "You avoid insulting them by preaching negatively. If they are of Muslim background, you try to emphasize what you have in common with them."

When speaking to Arabs about Christianity, he uses Arabic words, such as "Allah" for God and "Yeshua" for Jesus.

All Arabs, he said, are born into a religious faith. Usually that faith is Muslim, but sometimes their background is in a Christian faith, such as the Coptic, Orthodox or Maronite Catholic churches of the Middle East. Even if Arabs aren't practicing the faith they followed in the Middle East, they find it hard to change to a Western-style Christianity, Saknini said.

Many are skeptical of Western Christians, because they still remember learning about the crusades of the Middle Ages, when Arabs of all faiths were killed. Also, they are affected by loyalties to their native Arab nations and know that Western Christians, because they still remember learning about the crusades of the Middle Ages, were killed. Also, they are affected by loyalties to their native Arab nations and know that Western Christians usually have supported Israel in Arab-Israeli political conflicts, he said.

Becoming a Christian convert often means sacrificing family ties, said Nomie Derani, a former Muslim from Lebanon who is a member of the Arab Baptist mission and a student at Southwestern seminary.

"My family hasn't spoken to me in nine years," she said.

During the revival meeting, Saknini, whose brother Fu'ad Saknini is pastor of the Baptist Church in Nazareth, had a reunion with the Rev. Finlay Graham and his wife, Julia, who retired in 1986 after 40 years as Baptist missionaries to Lebanon.

Finlay Graham was in charge of missionaries in the Middle East and founded the seminary in Lebanon where Saknini studied. Graham now is an adjunct professor at Southwestern Seminary.

"Our Muslim friends are militantly evangelistic," Graham said, "and they are doing a lot more than Christians in many places to rehabilitate ex-convicts and fight drugs."

The greatest concentration of Arab Christians in the United States, Saknini said, is around Los Angeles, where there are more than 20 congregations. Boston, New York, Detroit and Fort Worth-Dallas also have large concentrations of Arabs.

Saknini said the Muslim faith, which claims about 900 million adherents worldwide, is growing rapidly in the United States.

"The Arab nations are sending their petrodollars to win America to Islam," he said. "We can't take the Muslim religion lightly."

Yvonne Haddad, a Muslim scholar who is professor of history at the University of Massachusetts at Amherst, said there are no accurate estimates of the Muslim population in the United States. Conservative estimates say 3 million to 4 million, but some estimate as many as 9 million, Haddad said.

Faces of poverty

Women of First Church of God met Tuesday in the church sanctuary for their monthly meeting.

The first study was on "Faces of Poverty in Our Midst — The

Lori C. Burgan, manager of Women's Center sponsored by Volunteers of America in Louisville, Ky.

Virginia Chappell directed the study using objectives to see the U.S. poverty picture, and review Christians responsibilities regarding poverty from a Biblical perspective. Also, to re-examine attitudes about people in poverty.

According to the Census Bureau, 32.4 million Americans lived below the poverty level in 1986.

That is almost 15 people for every 100. Three out of four adults living in poverty in the U.S. are women. The most alarming trend is the sharp increase of children living in poverty.

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Good Samaritans caught in uprising

MOUNT GERIZIM, Occupied West Bank (AP) — The Samaritans, known mainly for Jesus' parable of the Good Samaritan, use a Hebrew saying to describe their lives in the midst of the Palestinian uprising against Israeli rule.

They say it's like being caught "between a hammer and an anvil." Americans would call it trapped between a rock and a hard place.

In any language, it means uncomfortable.

About 275 Samaritans, whose day-to-day language is Arabic, live on Mount Gerizim or in nearby Nablus, a Moslem Arab town of 120,000 which has been a focal point of anti-Israeli unrest in the uprising.

An equal number of Samaritans speak Hebrew and live in Holon, a Jewish city of 144,000 just south of Tel Aviv.

"In Nablus, there are those who understand what the Samaritans are, and say we always have lived with them. And there are those who say we are Jewish," said Itamar Cohen, seated behind the counter of his small grocery, the only shop on the mountain.

"But with all this, we are not Jews, and we are not Moslems. We have our own religion," said Cohen, 52, who also works for the Israeli government as a guide to the historical sites here.

The Samaritan religion is an offshoot of Judaism. The Samaritans claim to be descendants of three of the 12 tribes of ancient Israel and believe that Mount Gerizim, not Jerusalem, is the place chosen by God for the true temple.

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Inside style

Tall Talkers meet

Tall Talkers Toastmasters Club held its weekly meeting Tuesday morning. Toastmaster of the day was Roy Beauchamp. Table topics were led by Tom Pool. Each member was given the opportunity to speak on the topic of the day, which was "What Your New Year's Resolution is."

Bailey Anderson was voted best speaker. His speech was titled "Fact & fancy about World War II." The best evaluator was J.D. Bilbrough, who was voted best table topics speaker. The goal of Tall Talkers is to educate people to become better leaders and communicators. If you are interested in becoming a Tall Talker Toastmaster, please contact Roy Beauchamp at 267-1858.

One-day workshop

The Samaritan Counseling Center of West Texas Inc. is offering a one-day workshop to help individuals raise their self-esteem. The workshop will be conducted Jan. 13, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The goal will be for participants to grow in self-confidence and self-respect.

The workshop will define "positive" self-esteem as well as help participants identify and deal with self-defeating thoughts and behaviors. There will be guidance in learning self-acceptance, living consciously and authentically, liberation from guilt, and helping our "child self." Though didactic information will be shared, the conference will be basically experiential. The greater amount of time will be spent on exercises and practicing self-enhancing activities.

The workshop will be led by Dr. Norman D. Godfrey, executive director of the Samaritan Counseling Center of West Texas. He has 15 years experience as a pastoral counselor and is an accomplished workshop leader who is committed to building self-esteem in himself and others.

The fee for this workshop is \$25 per person. For additional registration information, please call (915) 563-4144.

History

Shallowater sisters are building a dream

By ELIZABETH KAUFMAN
Lubbock Avalanche-Journal
SHALLOWATER — Dana and Elleine Woodward are not architects. Nor are they historians. They are farmers' daughters who want to revive their experiences of growing up through their dream of a farming heritage center.

And they plan to do it in their back yard.

Their blueprints are 60-plus years of memories gleaned on a 160-acre farm they have lived and worked on since 1930. The retired schoolteachers don't stand firm on what their center will include, but they are full of highflying ideas, some of which already have been grounded — including a museum, a harness room and a bunkhouse decorated in '30s memorabilia.

In their blue jeans and work boots, the white-haired, blue-eyed sisters have taken a physically active role from the beginning. With the help of their "hired man," Randel Gartin, the ladies put up the museum's white aluminum siding.

And they re-roofed the harness room themselves, a small building which used to be attached to a barn destroyed in a 1939 tornado.

Although their idea is anchored in their family's appliances and keepsakes, the Woodwards have no intention of making their chunk of history a private one. They intend to round up a Shallowater posse to tackle the task.

Dana's idea is to get Shallowater farmers, in their free time, to get their lumber from decaying, abandoned area buildings. "These farmsteads have been designated as eyesores in the area. They are old, rundown buildings. It shows a lack of progress and is detrimental to the upcoming of the community," Dana said.

Also, "We're trying to get former students who are kind of carpenters and have a day of fun, fellowship and work," Elleine added.

Dana, 65, and Elleine, 67, are two of only a handful who have stayed on their own farms, though they rent out a good portion of the 160 acres. The center portion of the house they live in is their original



LUBBOCK — Dana, left, and Elleine Woodward sit among some of their '30s artifacts they will use to recreate farming history in a museum they are building in their back yard.

homestead, and it is full of remnants of their past.

Pieces they relinquished to the harness room and bunkhouse include a laundry stove "to put your tub on to heat your water," and their old bedroom heater.

A bag on the bunkhouse wall is Dana's diaper bag. "It was leather," she says of the dusty, graying bag. "I guess it still is. They called 'em hiping bags. I don't know why. It used to be a doctor's bag."

The family's old library table is here, and under the quilt-covered bed is what the sisters, in between chuckles, call "the pottie."

"Well, we didn't want to chase down to the outhouse when it was real cold outside," Elleine explained.

The kerosene stove, a piece of white furniture, was bought at the county fair for their mother by their brother in 1934 after he got a job at the gin and made some money. It used propane and

butane. "It was just like bein' in the city," Dana said.

Kerosene lamps and a yellow rocking chair add a pioneer flavor to the room, whose hardwood floor — huge slabs of wood nailed together — is covered by multicolored oval rugs.

"We found a house which has a remarkable resemblance to our (original) home. We plan to reconstruct our home and barnyard area. We want it to look as much as our very own 1930 house as possible. It has a little bathroom. We'll have to tear it out," Dana said.

Although so much is still up in the air — like ideas for a one-room barbershop, a quilting display, a blacksmith shop and restaurant, and a barnyard complete with animals — the sisters' goal is to complete the museum by the end of next summer. The date, Dana said, was selected to coincide with Lubbock County's 100th anniversary. "I think we will have something

here Shallowater will be proud of," Dana said.

On the museum building is tacked a cardboard sign, proclaiming in fat red letters, "The Packrat's First Yard Sale." The Woodwards breezily admit that they don't like parting with much. But it was just another one of those things that had to be done.

As they talked about their plans, they pointed out that the fence lining their property is the same one raised in 1930. Along that strip of wood and wire now stands rusty machinery, each with a story behind its former use. There's a grasshopper-poisoning machine, which would sling poison bran across the fields, and the old field wagon the girls used to ride on, to the envy of their friends.

When the tractor hauled down the oil field wagon to its current resting place, Elleine said, "I don't know, I just had to cry. I guess it was the comparison of what was and what is."

Inside style

Therapy group

The Samaritan Counseling Center of West Texas Inc. is offering an 11-week therapy group for individuals or couples who want to learn about having a positive loving relationship.

The group is designed for those who have difficulty with intimate relationships and want to be closer to

themselves, friends, loved ones, husband, wife or children. The group will meet on Tuesday evenings 7:00-8:30 p.m., beginning Jan. 9 and will continue to meet through March 20.

Relationship issues which will be addressed include: The stages of a love relationship, how frustration occurs, and techniques to work through impasses (i.e. communication and conflict resolution skills). Participants will learn how to understand, accept, and care for themselves and others at a deeper, more meaningful level.

Dr. Norman D. Godfrey is the executive director of the Samaritan Counseling Center of West Texas Inc. Having been a therapist for 15 years, he holds a doctor of ministry degree in marriage and family therapy from Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary. He also holds a master's degree from Duke University in pastoral psychology.

He is a certified fellow in the American Association of Pastoral Counselors and a certified clinical member of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy. He has had two years of training with Harville Hendrix, Ph.D. in Image Relationship Therapy.

Hendrix recently authored the best-selling book "Getting The Love You Want."

For registration or additional information, please contact the center at 563-3144.

'Souvenir' bears sticky fingerprints

DEAR ABBY: We are twins. We have an uncle whom we love very much, and we know he loves us. He travels a lot, even to foreign countries, and he always brings us a gift. We like the sweatshirts the best. But he also brings us a towel or two from the various hotels where he stays.

Our mother has told this uncle (he is her brother) that she will not use the towels in her home or anywhere else, and she's embarrassed to give them to any charity because the names of the hotels are on the towels and they are obviously stolen.

He is such a wonderful and honest man in everything else. My mom tried to tell him that she feels guilty about having those stolen hotel towels in her home. But our uncle doesn't look at it as stealing. He calls it souvenir collecting. What do you think? — J.C. AND M.C. IN PHOENIX

DEAR J.C. AND M.C.: When people take things that don't belong to them, it's stealing. Tell your uncle that you appreciate his thoughtfulness, but the towels in hotel rooms are there for the guests to use, not to take home, and you have accepted your last hotel towel.

This reminds me of another pair of twins who, with their high school classmates, went to Sioux Falls, S.D., for a football game. All in the spirit of fun, we rowdy Sioux Citizens snake-danced through the lobby of a hotel in Sioux Falls, collecting souvenirs such as hotel stationery, pens and ashtrays. My twin and I collected a brass spittoon! When we brought it home, our father demanded that we have it boxed and returned to the hotel in Sioux Falls — and the shipping charges came out of our allowance. That ended our souvenir



Dear Abby

collecting careers.

DEAR ABBY: I know that you have printed a lot of letters about smoking, but I hope you print this one because it might make a difference in somebody's life. My mother tried to quit smoking many times, but always without success. She died.

As a nurse, I stood by her bedside those last few weeks. She was literally dying for a cigarette, so my oldest sister (another smoker) held a cigarette to Mom's lips and commanded her to "suck" so she could have a puff or two.

On the way to the funeral, Sis lit up in my car. I asked her to please not smoke in my car — my husband's health cannot tolerate smoke and I am repulsed by it. We got into a huge fight.

Before Thanksgiving, I invited my brothers and sisters to my home so we could all be together. Sis said she wouldn't come unless I allowed her to smoke. I was grasping for some sense of family since we no longer have parents, so I agreed to let her smoke. Now I wish I'd said, "Fine — stay home — we will do without you."

Abby, our mom and dad both died of cancer. Sis says she won't die like Mom and Dad did — she'll blow her head off first!

It's too late for this holiday season, but next year I'll be facing

the same problem. Should I stand my ground, or let the holidays go up in smoke? — SECONDHAND SMOKER, OHIO

DEAR SECONDHAND SMOKER: Stand your ground. And pray for your sister. I will.

DEAR ABBY: This is for your "Now I've Heard Everything" file:

After waiting for two months for some kind of acknowledgment of my check to my granddaughter following her high school graduation, I telephoned her, asking if she had received it.

Her reply: "For goodness sakes, Gram, all you have to do is look through your canceled checks from the bank!" — AUBANY GRANDMOTHER

DEAR ABBY: There are two and sometimes three very fine ladies who exercise by walking briskly past our home every morning between 5:30 and 6. They are to be commended for this healthful activity. However, these ladies talk quite loudly as they walk, and their voices carry through the open windows of our bedroom, waking us up long before our alarm goes off.

We know they do not do this intentionally — they just don't realize how far their voices carry when they are huffing and puffing.

If these ladies are unable to exercise later in the day or evening (as I do), I think they should keep their voices down when passing the homes of people who are trying to sleep. I read you in The Wilkes-Barre Times Leader. Please sign me — LIGHT SLEEPER IN PLAINS TOWNSHIP, PA.

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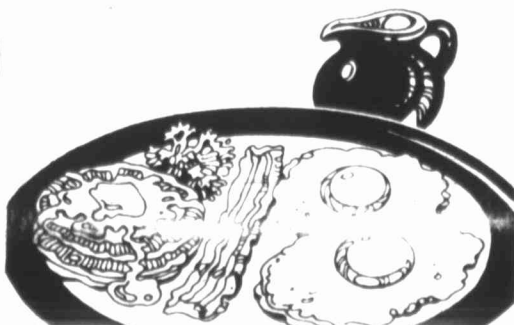
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Inside Sports

NCAA probes UTEP

EL PASO (AP) — The NCAA is conducting a preliminary investigation of the Texas-El Paso

to allegations that boosters have loaned cars to athletes, a newspaper reported today.

The UTEP athletic department scheduled a news conference for 2:30 p.m. today concerning an "NCAA matter," but would not provide further details.

But the El Paso Herald-Post quoted an unnamed source who said the press conference was to announce the investigation.

Athletic Director Brad Hovious would not confirm the report when reached by The Associated Press this morning.

"I'm going to meet with the press at 2:30 and I will be more than glad to entertain your questions at that time," Hovious said. "I can't confirm or deny anything until I know who the source is."

In the past year, ex-Miner basketball players were quoted by two newspapers as saying that athletes were allowed cars owned by UTEP supporters in a violation of National Collegiate Athletic Association rules.

Women will protest

AUSTIN (AP) — Several women on the NCAA's award committee say they will make a "low-key" protest at next week's NCAA convention in Dallas the selection of former President Ronald Reagan to the NCAA's highest honor.

Donna Lopiana, women's athletic director at the University of Texas, complained that Reagan set back the women's movement during his eight years in office. Former pro golfer Carol Mann resigned her seat on the awards committee in protest.

Those opposed to Reagan's selection cited his lack of support for women's athletics, particularly his opposition to a federal equality act, as cause for their protest.

In 1972, the federal government passed Title IX, an act that provided for equal opportunity for males and females at any school receiving federal funds. The act applied mainly to athletic programs in which most of the discrepancies were found.

But 12 years later, the Supreme Court tightened the language of the act and in effect, struck down Title IX in regard to athletics.

Kings hire Motta

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — Dick Motta, new coach of the Sacramento Kings, is warning fans not to expect a quick fix for a team with the fourth worst record in the NBA.

Motta, who ranks third in NBA history with 808 coaching victories, was named Thursday to succeed Jerry Reynolds, who becomes the team's director of player personnel.

Motta promised to make the team a winner but that it would be a gradual process and miracles shouldn't be expected.

The Kings, with a 7-21 record after Thursday's 112-98 loss to Denver, said Motta would take over the team for Saturday's game against the Portland Trail Blazers.

Motta, who quit in 1987 after 19 seasons as a coach at Chicago, Washington and Dallas, said there's no mystery to his coming out of retirement or desperation in his taking the job with the Kings. After working as a broadcaster for Detroit Pistons games, he said the offer from the Kings was attractive.

Neither the Kings nor Motta disclosed contract terms, but Motta said he was "purely elated" to be joining the team.



DICK MOTTA

Lady Hawks fall to No. 1 Kilgore

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

ODESSA — They had a tough battle, but the Kilgore Junior College Lady Hawks are still undefeated. The No. 1 ranked Lady

Hawks came away with a 69-64 win over the No. 7 Howard College Lady Hawks Thursday afternoon in the opening round of the Odessa College tournament.

The contest was worthy of its billing, as both teams battled back and forth throughout the game. But in the end, it was the Lady Hawks' ability to stifle a second-half Howard rally that led to its 16th win. The loss drops the Lady Hawks to 15-2 for the season.

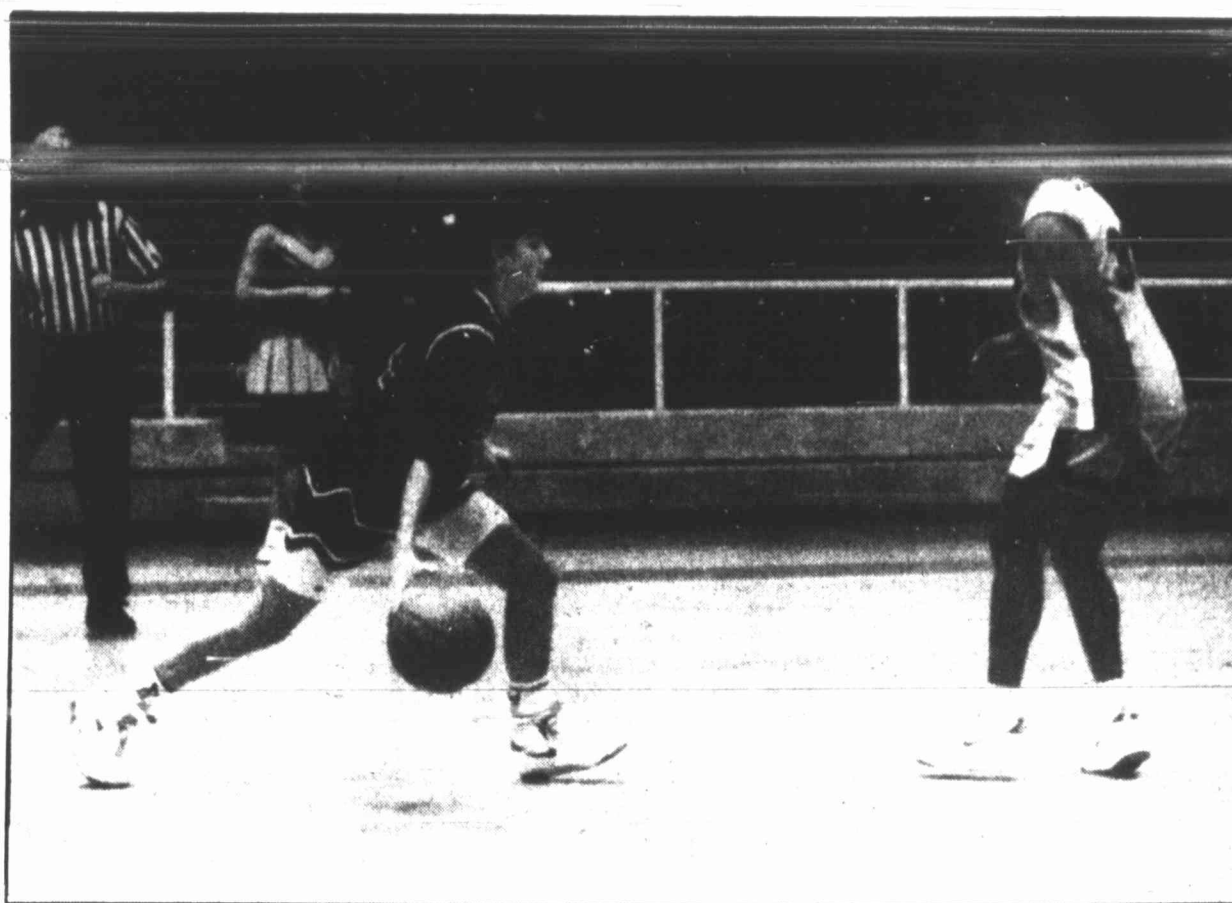
The contest was close most of the way, with Kilgore leading most of the time. But the Lady Hawks overcame a 15-point second half deficit to make the Lady Hawks sweat a little. Howard made its comeback using a furious man-to-man defense and good patience on offense.

Meanwhile, the Lady Hawks relied on the outside shooting of reserve guard Becky Beckworth and the overall fine play of point guard Lisa Payne to keep its record perfect.

Howard had a cold start, missing its first 10 field goals. Kilgore wasn't much better, connecting on three of its first 13 attempts. With almost seven minutes gone in the game, Kilgore led 7-2.

Howard, which had a miserable time shooting, only trailed 35-30 at the half. Both teams had poor shooting nights; neither team shot more than 50 percent from the field or line. But what particularly killed Howard was a 14 of 33 performance from the foul line. Kilgore went to the line 16 times, making only six.

Kilgore coach Evelyn Blaylock wasn't too happy with the officiating. In fact, she was downright upset.



ODESSA — Howard College point guard Monique Cook brings the ball downcourt against the defense of Kilgore's Lisa Payne during first half

action Thursday afternoon at the Odessa College tournament. Kilgore won the game 69-64.

"The officiating was horrible," she said. "They kept calling unnecessary fouls against us. Then at the end, when we wanted the clock to keep running, they called fouls. But forget that — we played terrible."

"It's just after the holidays and it showed. But we played against a good team that is well-coached. We're just happy to get the win."

Howard coach Royce Chadwick

echoed Blaylock's statements about the teams being rusty after the holidays. "We just couldn't get over the hump," said Chadwick. "We've only practiced three days since the holidays and we missed a lot of shots we normally hit."

"I felt like we got tired in the first half and we got on our heels a little bit. If you're on your toes, good things happen. But we got after it in the second half and didn't quit."

Kilgore threatened to make it a blowout early in the second half. Right out of the blocks, Payne made a three-point play, Regina Wright hit a baseline jumper and Beckworth nailed a three-pointer. With 16:18 to go, Kilgore led 47-32.

But the Lady Hawks gradually battled back. Kim Robinson made two free throws, Mulu Tosi pulled off a three-point play, Linda Waters sank a basket and Robinson

added two more foul shots.

A few minutes later, Cindy Williams hit a jumper with the time clock running out, then scored off an offensive rebound, pulling Howard to within 54-52 with 6:30 left in the game.

Then Beckworth nailed back-to-back three-pointers, cooling Howard's rally.

Howard pulled to within 68-64 with 38 seconds remaining, but the Lady Hawks had win number 16 in the bag.

Payne, from Columbus, Ohio, was definitely the star of the game, pulling off a triple-double. The 5-8 sophomore scored 13 points, grabbed 11 rebounds and dished out 11 assists. Beckworth scored all of her 12 points in the second half.

Although she had an off-night shooting, Robinson played a strong game for Howard, scoring 13 points and grabbing 15 rebounds. After a slow start, Shannon Lawson finished with 10 points and nine rebounds. Reserves Williams and Lisa Moore combined for 19 points and 14 rebounds.

Howard plays Western Texas, a 70-51 loser to Central Arizona, today at 2 p.m.

HOWARD (64) — Kim Robinson 4 5 13; Linda Waters 4 0 8; Monique Cook 0 1 1; Ana Carroll 2 0 4; Shannon Lawson 5 0 10; Kelli Glaspie 0 2 2; Kristen Hedlund 2 0 4; Lisa Moore 4 1 9; Cindy Williams 3 2 8; Mulu Tosi 1 2 4; totals 28-72, 14-33, 64. KILGORE (69) — Regina Wright 4 0 8; Kimberly Spencer 2 2 6; Fendolyn Gardner 4 8 8; Lisa Payne 5 3 13; Felicia Chimmney 2 0 4; Kim Hill 4 0 8; Stacy Smith 1 0 3; Aurora Johnson 2 0 4; Patricia Beckworth 4 1 12; totals 29-68, 6-16 69.

HALFTIME SCORE — Kilgore 35, Howard 30.

Turnovers — Howard 15, Kilgore 11; Three Pointers — Kilgore (Beckworth 3, Smith 1); Rebounds — Howard 35 (Robinson 15, Williams 10, Lawson 9); Kilgore 40 (Payne 11, Spencer 7, Gardner 5); Steals — Howard (Robinson 3, Williams 3, Cook 2); Kilgore (Hill 3, Payne 3, Wright 3); Assists — Howard (Cook 6, Waters 4); Kilgore (Payne 11, Chimmney 3, Hill 3); Blocked Shots — Kilgore (Payne 1, Wright 1, Spencer 1).

Bo knows — he scores 54

By The Associated Press
Bo knows basketball.

Bo Kimble, that is. Kimble, the nation's leading scorer, padded his 38.9 average by scoring 54 points Thursday night, including an off-balance 32-foot shot at the buzzer that gave No. 25 Loyola Marymount a 99-96 victory over St. Joseph's.

"I just wanted to get past halfcourt and get a shot off," Kimble said. "Believe it or not, I practice that shot."

Three other Top 25 teams found their knowledge somewhat lacking. Eighth-ranked Louisville was upset by Cincinnati 71-66. No. 9 Indiana was beaten 69-67 at Ohio State, and No. 11 LSU fell 87-80 to Mississippi State in overtime.

College Roundup

Elsewhere, it was No. 2 Kansas 93, Wichita State 66; No. 4 Illinois 73, Wisconsin 59 and No. 19 Arizona 65, Washington 51.

Kimble, playing in his hometown of Philadelphia, scored 27 of Loyola's last 31 points, including the last nine. He made 17 of 33 shots and 15 of 16 free throws and scored 32 points in the second half.

"It was just my night. To come home and have a night like this is just great," he said.

Cincinnati 71, No. 8 Louisville 66. "There's an old adage that you get what you earn, and we earned a loss," Louisville coach Denny Crum said.

Keith Starks scored five of Cincinnati's final 13 points after Louisville (9-2) rallied from a 37-26 halftime deficit to lead 59-58 with 4:07 remaining. Cincinnati regained

ed the lead for good 61-59 on Starks' three-point play with 3:36 to go.

Cincinnati, which posted its second straight victory over Louisville in Freedom Hall, was led by Louis Banks' 18 points. Louisville, which had won eight straight games, was paced by Felton Spencer with 19.

Ohio St. 69, No. 9 Indiana 67. "Had we won it, we wouldn't have deserved to win it," Indiana coach Bob Knight said.

Freshman Jim Jackson scored 19 points and Ohio State held off a furious rally in the final minute. The loss was the Hoosiers' first after 10 victories. The last time Indiana won its first 10 games was in 1983, when the Hoosiers also lost at Ohio State in the Big Ten opener.

Ohio State broke away from a 36-36 halftime standoff and built a 69-61 lead on a pair of decisive free throws by Jackson with 1:10 remaining. Indiana countered with a 3-point basket by Todd Leary and a three-point play by Greg Graham with 47 seconds left but Leary missed a shot as time ran out. Eric Anderson led Indiana with 19 points.

Mississippi St. 87, No. 11 LSU 80. Doug Hartsfield made a pair of breakaway baskets early in overtime and added two clinching free throws as Mississippi State beat LSU for the fifth straight time. Mississippi State made a school-record nine 3-pointers and overcame a 40-point effort by LSU's Chris Jackson, who scored 14 of the Tigers' 16 points in overtime. LSU (7-2) had a six-game winning streak snapped.

No. 2 Kansas 93, Wichita St. 66. Terry Brown led five Kansas players in double figures with 18 points and the Jayhawks made a school-record 11 3-point shots. Kansas (14-0) made eight 3-pointers in



CHAMPAIGN, Ill. — University of Illinois players Kendall Gill (13) and Marcus Liberty (30) defend against University of Wisconsin's Willie Simms (23) as Simms tries for a shot.

the first half to bring the Shockers out of their zone defense and took a 52-30 halftime lead.

Jeff Gueldner made five 3-pointers and finished with 17 points, eight assists and four steals. Wichita State was led by John Cooper's 17 points.

No. 4 Illinois 73, Wisconsin 59. Kendall Gill, whose eligibility was restored by the NCAA earlier

in the day, scored 20 points on 8-for-8 shooting. Andy Kaufmann added 11 points and Stephen Bardo and Rodney Jones had 10 apiece for the Illini (11-0). Wisconsin was led by Danny Jones with 21 points.

The victory capped off a day of uncertainty for Bardo and Gill, who are considered one of the top backcourts in the country.

Hornets still winless on the road

By The Associated Press

After Charlotte Hornets coach Dick Harter landed his army on another foreign shore, he discovered some of the wrong soldiers were in the trenches with him.

"Two or three guys disappeared when the war was on the line," Harter said after Charlotte remained the NBA's only winless road warriors with a 100-98 defeat Thursday night against the Minnesota Timberwolves.

NBA

Roundup

"Our two big guys didn't play effectively in the second half," Harter said of Armon Gilliam and J.R. Reid. "We went to them, but

they didn't shoot it in and they didn't rebound."

Gilliam scored 26 points, but only nine in the final 20 minutes and had just five rebounds. Reid had 14 points and 15 rebounds, but missed four of seven free throws and committed some costly turnovers.

Each also was whistled for a technical foul in the fourth period as the Hornets squandered a chance to end a road losing streak that is now 0-11.

Tyrone Corbin scored with four seconds left, after Scott Roth had 16 fourth-quarter points for the Timberwolves.

Nuggets 112, Kings 98. "Basically, I wanted this to be a swan song but it turned into a swan dive," departing interim coach Jerry Reynolds said after Sacramento lost for the 11th time in 12 games.

Dick Motta, who led Washington to the NBA crown in 1978, takes over Saturday. Reynolds moves to the front office.

Reynolds got a standing ovation from a sellout crowd at Arco Arena, but Denver's Walter Davis spoiled the occasion with 27 points. Fat Lever added 23 points for the Nuggets.

Wayman Tisdale led Sacramento with 29 points.

Knicks 100, Hawks 95. After missing three games with a sprained knee ligament, Charles Oakley gave New York more than it expected, in time and performance.

Oakley played 36 minutes and sparked an 18-5 run in the fourth quarter as the Knicks won for the 10th time in 11 games while boosting their record at Madison Square Garden to 13-1.

Oakley scored 15 points and grabbed 12 rebounds. Gerald Wilkins topped the Knicks with 23 points and Patrick Ewing had 19.

Suns 119, Mavericks 102. Phoenix, led by Tom Chambers with 35 points, shot 75 percent in the second period to climb above .500 for the first time since Nov. 18.

Rolando Blackman, who led Dallas with 23 points, had a three-point play and a jumper to give the Mavericks a 27-23 lead 1:08 into the period. But Chambers hit a hook and a layup during a 14-0 run that ended with 6:55 remaining in the half.

Warriors 119, Heat 117. Chris Mullin and Mitch Richmond scored 27 points apiece as Golden State extended Miami's losing streak to eight games.

Mullin and Richmond combined for Golden State's 21 points.

Longhorns ambush

Red Raiders

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas Coach Tom Penders says the Longhorns rebounding allowed them to use their fast break in a record-breaking Southwest Conference basketball victory over Texas Tech.

Senior guard Travis Mays scored 28 points and pulled down nine rebounds as Texas whipped Texas Tech, 109-71, Thursday night.

The 38-point margin of victory by the Longhorns, now 8-2 on the season and 2-0 in conference, is the largest in the 51-year old history of the series.

Texas' point total is also the most ever scored against a Red Raider team.

"We did a great job on the backboards and that keyed our breaks," said Penders, whose team won the battle for rebounds, 60-44. "We tried to speed up the game with our defense to get the break going. We did a great job with our game plan and made the game our kind of game."

Texas continued to press the Red Raiders at a time in the second half when they held a 40-point lead, but that didn't seem to bother Texas Tech Coach Gerald Myers.

"That's their game," said Myers, who is 0-3 against counterpart Penders. "It doesn't bother me. Whatever another coach wants to do, that doesn't bother me."

"We started out okay, then we started playing a broken-type game," Myers added. "Those guards are terrific. They can go to the backcourt and put you out of position in so many ways."

Mays, the SWC's leading scorer with a 26.3 average, connected on 6-of-11 shots from three-point range and had 18 points at halftime.

Lance Blanks scored 25 points for Texas and Joey Wright added 18.

Cleveland Phelps paced the Red Raiders in their conference opener, equalling a season-high 22 points.

Will Flemons, the conference's leading rebounder, pulled down his average of 10 boards and added 13 points off the bench. Texas Tech falls to 5-5 and 0-2.

Winn Shepard's baseline move with 27 seconds left in the half made it 56-35.

Inside Sports

Super Team player

Big Spring Steers junior wingback Neal Mayfield was named to the *San Angelo Standard Times* Super Team. The Super team is composed of all the all-star football players in the area the *Standard Times* covers.

This season Mayfield carried 134 times for 1,051 yards and caught 47 passes for 908 yards.

Elks hoop shoot

BIG SPRING — The annual Elks Hoop Shoot, for boys and girls ages 8-13, will be Saturday morning at 9:30 at Steer Gym.

There is no charge to enter, and the winners in the free throw shooting contest will receive trophies and advance to the district competition in Pecos the following week.

After the competition, the Elks will provide a luncheon for all competitors and their families.

Soccer meeting

BIG SPRING — The Big Spring Soccer Association will meet Jan. 11 at 6:30 p.m. at the school.

This is a must meeting for all coaches from the 1989 season. Any parents, or people interested in coaching are urged to attend. The association will elect new board members for the positions available. Every parent and coach has a vote.

Also coaches need to turn in their team's shorts if they have not done so.

For more information call Shelly Choate at 263-3385.

Swimming action

The Big Spring High School swim teams will be in action Saturday when they participate in the Andrews Relays. The meet begins at 1 p.m.

In their last competition in December, the Steers and Lady Steers won a triangular meet against Andrews and Seminole.

BSHS hoops

BIG SPRING — The Big Spring High School Steers and Lady Steers basketball teams will return to action tonight with games against district rival Monahan's.

The Steers, currently 0-2 in District 4-4A, will host the Lobos tonight in Steer Gym. Action starts at 6 p.m. with the junior varsity game, followed by the varsity at 7:30 p.m.

The Lady Steers, sporting a 3-1 district mark, will travel to Monahan's to take on the Lady Lobos. Game times are the same as the boys' contest.

Big money for coach

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (AP) — Bobby Bowden will be offered a lifetime contract to stay at Florida State, with a substantial pay increase designed to make him the highest paid college coach in the state.

Players get wish

KENNEWICK, Wash. (AP) — Bill LaForge, the central figure in Tri-City's one-game boycott last Saturday, has been reassigned by team owner Ron Dixon so he won't come in contact with the Americans players.

LaForge, who has hired as director of hockey operations Dec. 17, has been placed in charge of scouting for the Western Hockey League team.

The Americans players, who boycotted their game with Portland at the Tri-Cities Coliseum because of LaForge, agreed this week not to boycott any more games if Dixon would keep LaForge away from them.

Player improving

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — Portland Trail Blazer forward Ramon Ramos, who sustained severe head injuries in an automobile accident Dec. 16, has improved from critical to serious condition at Oregon Health Sciences University Hospital, but remains in a coma.

Hospital spokeswoman Marcia Williams said that Ramos was moved from the intensive care unit to a regular ward and that his chances for survival have improved somewhat.

49ers will activate Mike Sherrard

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — His teammates jokingly call Mike Sherrard "Jesse James" for "stealing" the San Francisco 49ers' money without playing. On Saturday, the long-sidelined wide receiver apparently will get a chance to be the good guy for a change.

Coach George Seifert said he expected to activate Sherrard today as the 49ers add a wild card to their offensive aces in what's likely to be a high-scoring NFC playoff game against the Minnesota Vikings in Candlestick Park.

"I think maybe I can surprise them. They don't have any film on me," said Sherrard, the Dallas Cowboys' 1986 first-round draft pick who has been idled for three years by a twice-broken right leg.

If the 49ers win, they'll be the first defending Super Bowl champion in six years to make it back to a conference title game. They'll also be a victory closer to becoming the first repeat champion since the Pittsburgh Steelers a decade ago.

"We want to get to the Super Bowl," 49ers center Jesse Sapola

said. "We are a team that is within three weeks of making history. It's very important to them, and even more important to us."

That last point is more than arguable in Minnesota, where the Vikings have had Super Bowl expectations piled high on them ever since trading a chunk of their future for running back Herschel Walker. They haven't been in the Super Bowl since the last of their four unsuccessful appearances 13 years ago.

Vikings coach Jerry Burns makes no bones about his team's

strategy in the third straight January matchup with the 49ers in Candlestick. Anthony Carter was the star two years ago with a playoff-record 227 receiving yards in a 36-24 Minnesota victory. Carter's 49ers' counterpart, Jerry Rice, caught three touchdown passes in San Francisco's 34-9 runaway last year.

"I think the philosophy of both teams is to come out with both guns blazing and just see what happens," Burns said. "We're not stupid. We try to get the ball to An-

thony Carter."

Sherrard would love to be the third straight wide receiver to steal the show. It will be the first playoff game of his career, although, he said Thursday, "I'd be excited even if it was a preseason game."

The 26-year-old Sherrard, born in Oakland and raised in Chico, has been listed as physically unable to perform since returning to the Bay area last March 30 when the 49ers signed him to a \$200,000 contract as an unprotected free agent.

Painful lesson paying off for Kosar

CLEVELAND (AP) — Bernie Kosar learned last year that an NFL quarterback frequently has to play with pain. It's a lesson that seems to be paying off now.

Kosar, who missed most of the first half of the 1988 season because of a sprained right elbow, bruised the same elbow on Nov. 12 during a victory at Seattle and he admits that his arm hasn't been the same since.

The injury began a string of 20 straight quarters without a touchdown pass, but Kosar pulled himself together in time to lead Cleveland to victories in its last two

games, clinching his fourth AFC Central Division title in five years.

The elbow, he says, probably won't heal until he can rest it completely after the season, although having last week off and practicing in warm weather in Dallas this week was a help.

"The elbow's been about the same the last couple weeks," Kosar said as the Browns prepared for Saturday's playoff game against Buffalo. "I think the main thing with it is, I'm more accustomed now to the way it's feeling ... and the week off did help."

When the Browns scored a total

of 37 points over four games in November and December, however, Kosar found himself being booed loudly, and fans began chanting for reserve Mike Pagel to replace him. In a television station's poll, Kosar was favored over Pagel by only a 51 percent to 49 percent margin.

"I block out the fans during a game, whether you're home or away, because you can't get too caught up in that kind of situation," Kosar said. "You've got enough to concentrate on on the field."

Though Coach Bud Carson's support of Kosar ebbed — Carson waited until game day before nam-

ing Kosar as his starter one week — owner Art Modell said he never lost faith in his \$15 million quarterback.

Pagel mostly kept quiet during the controversy, and though there was reportedly some private grumbling in the locker room, the situation never escalated the way the bickering among Buffalo's offensive players did this year.

"Look at how many people wanted to change quarterbacks," receiver Reggie Langhorne said. "But we still stuck behind B.K. because we've all been in slumps ourselves. We've all been banged

up before. We knew he was giving all he had to give."

Despite the slump, Kosar completed 59 percent of his passes for 3,533 yards. His rating of 80.3 ranked fourth in the AFC, a notch below the 86.2 of Buffalo's Jim Kelly.

Kosar's immediate concern is the Buffalo defense, which was rejuvenated for the final game of the season when linebacker Cornelius Bennett returned from a knee injury. Buffalo's 37-0 season-ending victory over the New York Jets marked only the third time this year that Bennett and fellow linebacker Shane Conlan had been completely healthy for a game.

HOME	2:00	GUEST
106	PLAYS	93
POINTS	111	POINTS

SCOREBOARD

Los Angeles Clippers at New York, 7:30 p.m.
Miami at Los Angeles Lakers, 10:30 p.m.

NHL Standings

All Times EST						
WALEN CONFERENCE						
Patrick Division						
	W	L	T	P	GF	GA
New Jersey	20	18	4	44	165	161
Philadelphia	18	18	6	42	152	136
Washington	18	18	4	40	184	131
NY Rangers	16	19	7	39	132	140
Pittsburgh	17	20	3	37	163	174
NY Islanders	16	21	4	36	140	156

All Times EST						
Adams Division						
	W	L	T	P	GF	GA
Buffalo	23	12	6	52	143	126
Boston	23	15	3	49	149	125
Montreal	20	17	5	45	132	121
Hartford	19	19	2	40	135	138
Quebec	7	27	6	20	124	188

All Times EST						
Norris Division						
	W	L	T	P	GF	GA
Chicago	23	15	3	49	163	149
Toronto	20	21	1	41	179	189
Minnesota	19	20	3	41	139	144
St. Louis	17	18	6	40	144	138
Detroit	14	21	6	34	134	155

All Times EST						
Smythe Division						
	W	L	T	P	GF	GA
Edmonton	22	13	7	51	166	135
Calgary	17	13	11	45	165	138
Los Angeles	20	17	4	44	185	167
Winnipeg	18	16	5	41	126	135
Vancouver	12	21	8	32	125	147

All Times EST						
Thursday's Games						
Boston 4, Winnipeg 2						
Detroit 4, Quebec 1						
Pittsburgh 4, Vancouver 3						
New Jersey 4, Los Angeles 2						
Minnesota 4, New York Rangers 2						
St. Louis 5, Philadelphia 4, OT						

All Times EST						
Friday's Games						
Vancouver at Washington, 8:05 p.m.						
Hartford at Calgary, 9:35 p.m.						

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Washington at Boston, 7:05 p.m.						

Winnipeg at Pittsburgh, 7:35 p.m.
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Sunday's Games
Boston at Buffalo, 7:05 p.m.
Vancouver at Montreal, 7:05 p.m.
Calgary at Edmonton, 9:05 p.m.

PGA Tour

CARLSBAD, Calif. (AP) — Scores Thursday after the first round of the \$750,000 Tournament of Champions golf tournament, played on the 7,022-yard, par 36-36-72 La Costa Country Club Course:

Ian Baker-Finch	33-33=66
Paul Azinger	33-33=66
Greg Norman	33-33=66
Payne Stewart	34-33=67
Mark O'Meara	34-33=67
Tim Simpson	35-34=69
Scott Hoch	34-35=69
Wayne Grady	32-37=69
Mark McCumber	37-32=69
David Frost	34-35=69
Mark Calcavecchia	36-34=70
Ken Green	36-34=70
Bob Tway	34-37=71
Curtis Strange	35-36=71
Mike Donald	34-37=71
Curt Byrum	35-36=71
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Commissioner's Office	35-37=72
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National Basketball Association	37-37=74

NFL Playoffs

All Times EST
Wild Card
Sunday, Dec. 31

Los Angeles Rams 21, Philadelphia 7
AFC
Pittsburgh 26, Houston 23, OT

Divisional Playoffs
Saturday, Jan. 6

Buffalo at Cleveland, 12:30 p.m.
NFC
Minnesota at San Francisco, 4 p.m.

Sunday, Jan. 7
NFC
Los Angeles Rams at New York Giants, 12:30 p.m.

AFC
Pittsburgh at Denver, 4 p.m.

Conference Championships
Sunday, Jan. 14

Super Bowl XXIV
Sunday, Jan. 28
At New Orleans

5 p.m.
Pro Bowl
Sunday, Feb. 1
At Honolulu

AFC vs. NFC

Transactions

BASEBALL
Commissioner's Office

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National League

CHICAGO CUBS—Placed Vance Law,

third baseman, on waivers for the purpose

of giving him his unconditional release.

BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association

NBA—Announced the resignation of Paul Gilbert, director of video promotions.

ATLANTA HAWKS—Placed Cliff Livingston, forward, on the injured list.

MILWAUKEE BUCKS—Traded Randy Breuer, center, to the Minnesota Timberwolves for Brad Lohaus, center.

SACRAMENTO KINGS—Named Dick Motta head coach.

FOOTBALL
National Football League

LOS ANGELES RAMS—Signed Paul Butcher, linebacker. Placed Gaston Green, running back, on the injured reserve list.

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS—Fired Rick Smith, director of public relations. Named Bill Johnston director of public relations.

HOCKEY
National Hockey League

BUFFALO SABRES—Traded John Tucker, center, to the Washington Capitals for future considerations.

MONTREAL CANADIENS—Sent Andrew Cassels, center, to Sherbrooke of the American Hockey League.

NEW YORK RANGERS—Assigned Normand Rochefort, defenseman, to Flint of the International Hockey League.

PITTSBURGH PENGUINS—Assigned Brad Aiken, left wing, to Phoenix of the International Hockey League.

TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS—Recalled Gilles Thibault, center, from Newmarket of the American Hockey League.

WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Called up Jim Matheson, defenseman, from Regina of the Western Hockey League.

International Hockey League

PHOENIX ROADRUNNERS—Loaned Jacques Mailhot, left wing, to Hampton of the East Coast Hockey League.

SOCCER
American Indoor Soccer League

INDIANA KICK—Placed Jeff Robben, goalkeeper, on the disabled list. Activated Lynn Venable, goalie.

MEMPHIS ROGUES—Placed Louis Bennett, goalkeeper, on the disabled list.

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FLORIDA—Named Jim Bates defensive coordinator. Dwayne Dixon wide receivers coach, and Jerry Anderson assistant coach.

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020

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050

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065

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070

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150

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JANUARY

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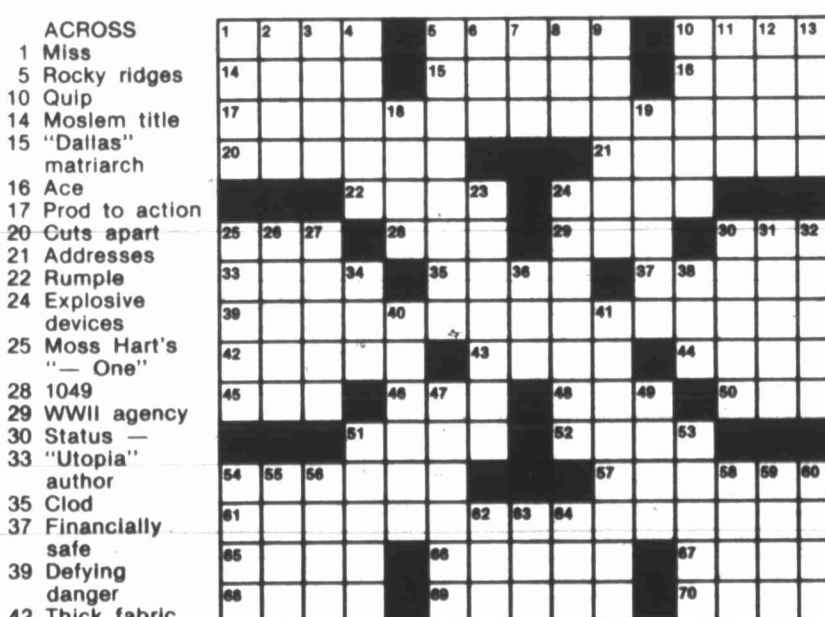
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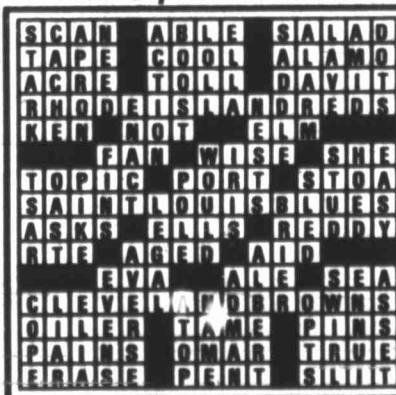
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Help Wanted 270	Jobs Wanted 299	Dogs, Pets, Etc 513	Musical Instruments 529	Garage Sale 535	Miscellaneous 537
EXPERIENCE EQUIPMENT operator needed. Must be able to operate blade, dozer and backhoe. Two years experience required. Apply at Blackshear Rental, 3217 E. FM 700 or call (915) 263-8456.	PART TIME live-in care for the elderly. Years of experience. Have references. Call 267-2417.	SAND SPRING Kennel, USDA Licensed. AKC Beagles, Chows, Chihuahuas, Cocker, Dachshunds, Poodles, Pomeranians, Pekingeses. 393-5259.	PIANO FOR SALE. Wanted responsible party to assume small monthly payments on piano. See locally. Call Credit Manager at 1-800-233-8663.	BIG SALE Now! Antiques, collectibles, furniture, T.V.'s, radios, clocks, Oriental carpet, single bed complete, glassware, silverware, dishes, 75 year old banjo, PV amplifier, luggage, much more. 710 East 14th (in rear).	RENT TO own furniture & appliances. 90 days, same as cash. (Subject to approval). CIC, 406 Runnels, 263-7338.
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ENTIRE INVENTORY

SELL-OUT

In order to protect allocation and comply with Chrysler's challenge during Chrysler Motors GUARANTEED REBATE program sales period, (where retail purchasers or lessees taking delivery of an eligible vehicle* through Jan. 31, 1990 are entitled to the HIGHEST CONSUMER CASH ALLOWANCE offered by Chrysler Motors on that vehicle through Sept. 30, 1990) Elmore Chrysler-Dodge-Jeep-Eagle located at 502 East FM 700 in Big Spring will sell out its entire remaining inventory of new 1989 and 1990 cars and trucks by 9:00 PM Jan. 31, 1990. The following is a partial list of vehicles offered:

CHRYSLER	DODGE	JEEP
(3) IMPERIAL*	(8) COLT	(13) CHEROKEE*
(13) FIFTH AVENUE*	(4) DYNASTY	(4) WRANGLER
(6) NEW YORKER	(3) SPIRIT	(1) WAGONEER*
(2) SALON	(4) SHADOW	(4) COMANCHE
(1) LEBARON*	(2) OMNI	
	(9) CARAVAN*	
	(1) RAIDER	
	(6) D-50	
	(9) D-150* (excluding diesel)	
	(6) D-250*	
	(1) D-350*	
	(10) B-250	
	(5) RAMCHARGER	
	(11) DAKOTA*	
PLYMOUTH		EAGLE
(2) SUNDANCE		(9) PREMIER*
(16) VOYAGER*		(9) SUMMIT
(4) LASER*		(4) TALON*
(2) ACCLAIM		
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'85 Cadillac Fleetwood Loaded, super buy Stk. #30111	\$7,988	'88 F-150 Pickup Good work truck Stk. #40061	\$6,988
'84 LTD Crown Vic Clean, good transportation Stk. #20291	\$2,988	'86 Dodge D-100 25,000 miles, camper cover Stk. #40081	\$7,988
'88 Toyota Cressida Loaded, one owner Stk. #40091	\$11,988	'81 GMC C-30 Crew Cab, 454 eng, 3rd shift, ready to tow Stk. #20512	\$2,488
'85 Cadillac Seville 2 tone with every option Stk. #10731	\$6,988	'85 Chevy 3/4 Ton Camper Special, 23,000 miles, 454 super low truck, camper cover clean Stk. #20522	SAVE
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'81 Buick Park Ave. Good luxury car, ready to go Stk. #P1387	\$1,988	'86 Ford F-160 Super cab, XLT Lariat, loaded Stk. #20107	\$6,988
'81 Olds Cutlass Supreme Cleanest in U.S. SOLD \$2,988		'74 Dodge D-100 Auto, radio Stk. #30392	\$1,288
'89 New Yorker Landau Loaded, Stk. #P1337	\$14,988	'83 Pontiac Gran Prix 1 Top, loaded, clean Stk. #20741	\$3,988

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1988 MERCURY TOPAZ LTS 4-DR. — White automatic, fully loaded, one owner with 29,000 miles.	\$7,995
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1988 FORD TEMPO GL — Light blue, automatic, extra clean with 16,000 miles.	\$7,995
1988 FORD ESCORT GL STATION WAGON — Gray metallic, automatic, extra clean, 30,000 miles.	\$6,995
1988 CHEVROLET CORSICA 4-DR. — Gray automatic, we need to sell this one today.	\$6,995
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1988 CHEVROLET — Extended cab dually. Silverado brown & gold tutone. 454 V-8 fully loaded. 1 owner.	\$11,995
1987 MERCURY COUGAR LS — Blue metallic, 302 V-8, fully loaded. This is one of our employee's relative's trade in.	\$8,995
1987 PONTIAC 6000 4-DR. — Gray, automatic, local one owner with 25,000 miles.	\$6,995
1987 CHEVROLET CELEBRITY EUROSPORT 2-DR. — Navy blue, automatic, extra clean, we need to move this one.	\$5,995
1987 PONTIAC 6000 — White, needs to go.	\$5,995
1986 FORD CROWN VICTORIA LS — We just traded for this one, tutone, French vanilla, leather, fully loaded, one owner	\$8,995
1986 FORD F150 — Tutone blue, 302 V-8 fuel injected, automatic, air, local one owner, 30,000 miles.	\$8,995
1986 FORD BRONCO II 4X4 XLT — Brown, touch drive, loaded local one owner with 30,000 miles.	\$8,995
1986 FORD MUSTANG LX — Tan, 4 speed, air, cassette, local one owner	\$4,995
1986 FORD BRONCO XLT — 4x4 white, fully loaded.	\$10,995
1985 JEEP CJ 7 HARD TOP — Loaded with chrome, 6 cyl., 5 speed.	\$6,995
1985 OLDSMOBILE ROYAL BROUGHAM — Tutone tan, needs to go.	\$4,995
1985 CHEVROLET CAPRICE CLASSIC 4-DR. — Tutone blue, fully loaded, local owner	\$6,995
1985 MERCURY TOPAZ GS — White, automatic, air, great buy.	\$3,995
1985 SUBARU XLT GL — Red, 5-speed, perfect for the first time buyer.	\$3,995
1985 MERCURY GRAND MARQUIS L.S. 4-DR. — Tan with blue leather, local one owner	\$7,995
1985 MUSTANG LX — Red, automatic, air, clean	\$4,995
1985 FORD BRONCO II 4X4 XLT — Brown/tan tutone, local one owner.	\$6,995
1984 CHRYSLER 5TH AVENUE — Silver, extra clean.	\$4,995
1983 CHEVROLET CAMARO Z-28 — Red, 5 speed, need to move this one.	\$5,995
1981 LINCOLN MARK VI 2-DR. — Bittersweet metallic, extra clean, 2 owners.	\$5,995
1979 FORD GRANADA 2-DR. — White automatic, local one owner with 40,000 miles.	\$2,495
1978 MERCURY GRAND MARQUIS 2-DR. — Navy blue with tan top, extra clean with 49,000 miles.	\$2,495

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STATED MEETING, Big Spring Lodge No. 1340, A.F. & A.M. 1st and 3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., 2102 Lancaster. Charlie Lewis, W.M., Richard Knous, sec.

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Names in the news

LOS ANGELES (AP) — CBS has denied a published report that the network will cancel the low-rated late-night "Pat Sajak Show" as soon as it finds a replacement.

"CBS has no response," said a CBS official who declined to be identified. "This is an ongoing rumor and has no validity."

The trade publication Daily Variety said Wednesday that CBS was delaying cancellation of the show until a replacement series was found.

Rumors of the show's cancellation have been circulating for several months.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Singer-

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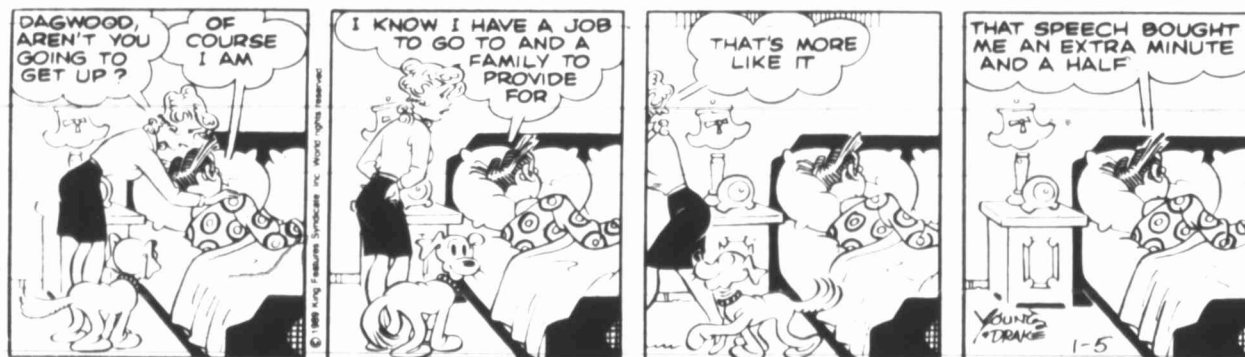
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Jeanne Dixon's Horoscope

SATURDAY, JANUARY 6, 1990

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: poet Carl Sandburg, pollster Lou Harris, golfer Nancy Lopez Knight, entertainer Danny Thomas.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): An influential person could make you a handsome offer today. You hit the jackpot in finance or romance! An attractive stranger enters your life. Flexibility helps you solve a personnel problem.

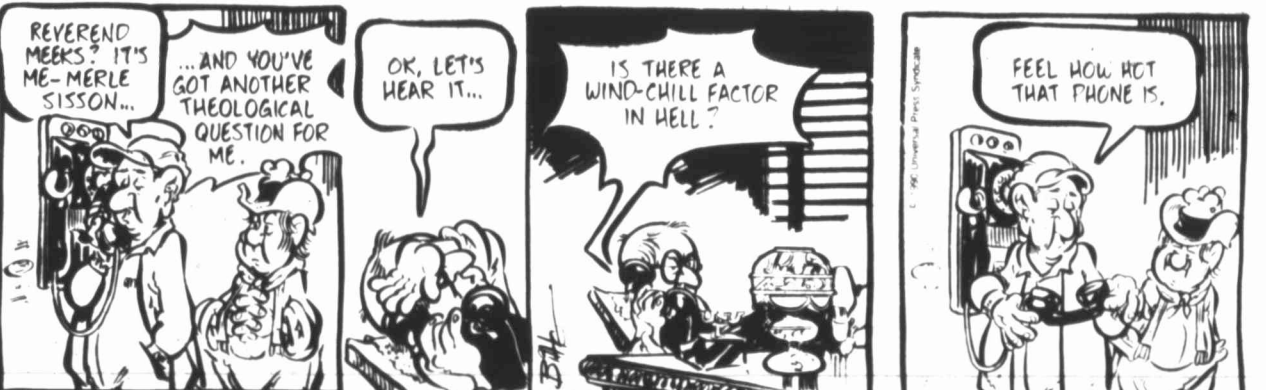
TAURUS (April 20-May 20): The recreational possibilities are endless today. You will enjoy teaching a sibling or friend the right way to do something. Resolve personal differences with loved one.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Sharing is the key to a happy weekend. A visit to a museum or ice-skating rink brings special pleasure. A charitable organization makes a request. Its goals are excellent.

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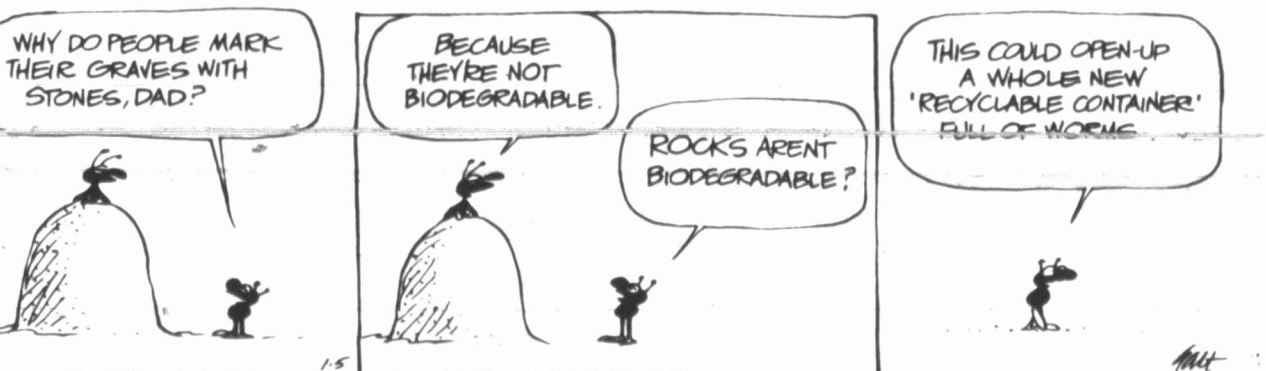
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