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FRIDAY
MARCH 10, 1995

50 Cents

Rabies clinic set for Coahoma Saturday

■ Clinic hours
are 9 to noon,
1:30 to 5 p.m.

By CARLTON JOHNSON
Staff Writer

Howard County has a fairly

good-sized livestock population and for people who have a lot invested in their animals, the on-going rabies scare is more than a growing concern.

Big Spring veterinarian Dr. Joe Neff, who specializes in working with large animals, will be conducting a rabies vaccination clinic Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon and 1:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. at the City Hall Fire Station in Coahoma.

Dr. Keith Clark of the Texas Department of Health's Zoonosis division met with local officials earlier this week to discuss the rabies concerns in Howard County.

One of Clark's recommendations to livestock owners, especially those people who participate in livestock shows, was they discuss the vaccination of their livestock with a veterinarian.

Neff said he has already vaccinated more than 100 horses. He is also involved in the vaccination of cows and dogs as well.

Since mid-January the city of Big Spring and Howard County has watched as the number of rabies cases go from zero in the last 10 years to 13 within the last two months.

Currently TDH is trying to get \$4 million from the state to fund a bait program.

The program would include dropping bait filled with the rabies vaccine into specific areas. When an animal eats the bait it also vaccinates itself.

If the necessary funding is acquired, the program could begin in October, but local officials say the best defense against rabies is to first vaccinate animals, large and small, and know what the signs are that indicate an animal could be

rabid.

Officials now expect to see what they wanted to avoid - rabies spreading to domestic animals.

Baiting is already a procedure being tried in some areas as area ranchers try to combat the coyote problem.

Clark told city officials vaccination is the biggest single

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CRMWD sets aside money for education

By CARLTON JOHNSON
Staff Writer

Following Tuesday's meeting of its board of directors, the Colorado River Municipal Water District announced it will continue to fund educational materials on water conservation for schools in its service area.

CRMWD authorized up to \$12,000 to be utilized for furnishing the "Major Rivers" kit to more than a dozen schools. The kits are designed for fourth grade level students and are produced by the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission.

According to the CRMWD, the series, used in 268 classrooms, has proven tremendously popu-

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INTO THE BIN, NOT LANDFILL



Joshua Bodine and Jeff Anderson sort through a bin of aluminum cans to make sure there were no tin cans mixed in as South-West Collegiate Institute for the Deaf students were helping at the monthly Howard County Coalition for the Environment recycling drive Saturday.

Herald photo by Tim Appel

Competition for young artists set

■ Deadline to enter is March 22

By CARLTON JOHNSON
Staff Writer

Young artists from around the 17th Congressional District are invited to put their paintings and pencils to work in the Fourteenth Annual Congressional Art Competition for high school students.

Congressman Charles Stenholm recently made the announcement. Since the competition first began in 1982, nationwide, it has generated thousands of local competitions, involving more than 650,000 high school students.

According to Stenholm's office one winning entry from each Congressional District, including the 17th, will be displayed in the annual exhibition in a corridor of the U.S. Capitol, an area Stenholm's office says is dedicated to the artistic talents of today's youth.

Students in grades nine through 12 from Borden, Howard, Dawson, and Martin Counties will have to enter a preliminary contest at Big Spring High School Friday, March 24.

Those entries must be brought to the BSHS art department by 3:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 22.

Other regional shows throughout the 17th District will be held in Abilene, Brownwood, Colorado City, Graham, Mineral Wells, San Angelo, and Stephenville.

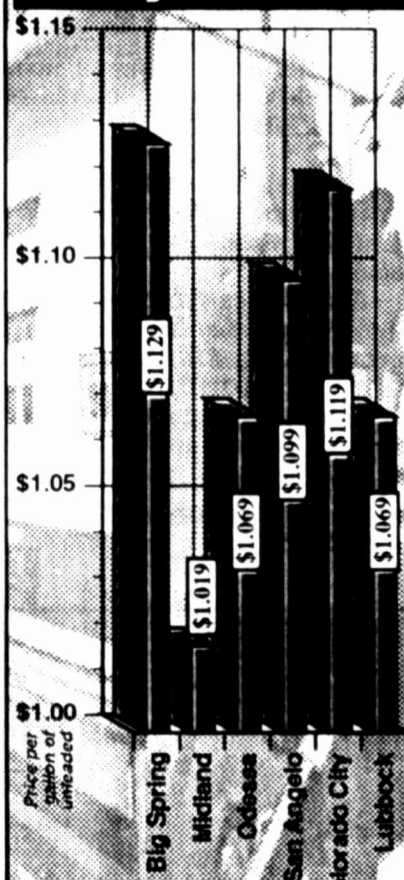
Winners from the 32 counties of the 17th District will be announced at an awards brunch hosted by Congressman Stenholm and his wife Cindy in Abilene on April 22.

Artwork for the competition must be no larger than 32" by 32" framed (framing is not required) and two-dimensional. Eligible categories for the competition are paintings, prints, drawings, or collages.

Artists work must capture the flavor or depict the heritage of the West Texas area and the 17th District in any category, which may include but is not limited to landscapes.

Students interested in the competition should contact Stenholm's San Angelo office at 915/655-7994 or Tom Adams 915/264-4111.

Did you know...



...that gasoline prices in the West Texas area range from a low of \$1.01 in Midland to a high of \$1.12 in Big Spring.
(Herald graphic: Tim Appel)

Once again, Louisiana most deadly state

■ Texas drops from third to sixth place

LAWRENCE, Kan. (AP) — For the second year in a row, Louisiana has been designated the most dangerous state in the country by a company specializing in state and city statistical rankings.

Louisiana's ranking was based on 14 factors, including violent crime rates and the percent of a state's population that is in prison, according to the survey by Morgan Quitno Press.

Maine was named the country's safest state, edging out last year's winner, Vermont, Scott Morgan, president of Lawrence-based Morgan Quitno, said Thursday.

"Louisiana is a wonderfully diverse and interesting state, a great place to have fun," Morgan said. "But unfortunately, it

is also still a great place for crime.

"Maine may not have Mardi Gras, but it can take great pride in being this year's safest state," he added.

Louisiana was followed, in order, by Maryland, Nevada, Florida and Illinois as the most dangerous states.

On the other side, Vermont was ranked 49th, West Virginia 48th, New Hampshire 47th and North Dakota 46th.

The 14 factors used to rate the states were taken from the second edition of "Crime State Rankings 1995," a volume of crime statistics that ranks the 50 states in 470 crime-related categories.

"By formulating these rankings based on objective numbers, we are trying to bring about a constructive discussion on this country's crime problem," Morgan said. "We want to shed light on what is all too often a purely emotional debate."

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MOST DEADLY CITIES LIST

LAWRENCE, Kan. (AP) — Here are the rankings for the "most dangerous" states in the country, with the 1994 ranking following the state name, as compiled by Morgan Quitno Press:

1. Louisiana 1
2. Maryland 2
3. Nevada 7
4. Florida 5
5. Illinois 4
6. Texas 3
7. Arizona 9
8. California 6
9. New Mexico 13
10. South Carolina 10
11. New York 8
12. Delaware 21
13. Michigan 12
14. Alaska 24
15. Oklahoma 18
16. Tennessee 19
17. Missouri 14
18. Colorado 20
19. North Carolina 22
20. Alabama 16
21. Georgia 11

22. New Jersey 17
23. Kansas 15
24. Oregon 27
25. Mississippi 32
26. Arkansas 30
27. Washington 26
28. Massachusetts 29
29. Ohio 23
30. Hawaii 28
31. Indiana 25
32. Virginia 38
33. Utah 35
34. Wisconsin 33
35. Idaho 39
36. Connecticut 31
37. South Dakota 43
38. Montana 37
39. Pennsylvania 41
40. Wyoming 40
41. Rhode Island 36
42. Minnesota 34
43. Nebraska 44
44. Kentucky 42
45. Iowa 48
46. North Dakota 47
47. New Hampshire 45
48. West Virginia 46
49. Vermont 50
50. Maine 49

U.S. Trivia
First adhesive U.S. postage stamp was used when?
July 1, 1847
U.S. bought what state from Russia for \$7.2 million?
Alaska

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WORLD/NATION

Nation: In a dramatic turnaround, the Mescalero Apache tribe has voted to resurrect a nuclear waste storage proposal that it overwhelmingly rejected just six weeks ago. See page 5A.

World: An explosion and machine-gun attack at a Shiite Muslim mosque today in Karachi killed at least 10 people and injured more than a dozen. See page 6A.

STATE

Agents cleared
Although cleared of charges they beat up a disabled Mexican immigrant, two U.S. Border Patrol agents say they're bitter about their own agency's lack of support. See page 3A.

Teacherless schools
A high school principal and a top assistant have been suspended after an investigation revealed students were allowed to earn high grades in a teacherless class. See page 3A.

Welfare bill approved
House committee has unanimously approved legislation to overhaul the state's welfare system. See page 3A.

TODAY'S WEATHER

Tonight
78 ▲ Highs
Lows ▼ 45
Clear

Saturday
Partly Cloudy

Pernian Basin Forecast
Saturday: Partly cloudy, windy, high near 80, south winds 20 to 30 mph, gusty, caution advised on lakes; fair night, low mid 40s.
Sunday: Partly cloudy, windy, high near 80, south winds 20 to 30 mph, gusty, caution advised on lakes; fair night, low mid 40s.

OBITUARIES

T.L. Rich



RICH

Services for T.L. "Cowboy" Rich, 79, Coahoma, will be 2 p.m. Saturday, March 11, 1995, at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Rev. Elwin Colom, pastor of First Baptist Church of Coahoma, officiating. Interment will follow at Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Mr. Rich died Thursday, March 9, 1995, in a local hospital.

He was born on April 12, 1915, in Carrollton, and married Juanita Carolyn Smith on Nov. 24, 1934, in Stanton. She preceded him in death on Oct. 27, 1979. Mr. Rich came to Westbrook as a little boy. He ranched for many years on several ranches including the Spade Ranch in Colorado City, the John Reed Ranch in Sterling City, the Earl Powell Ranch in Stanton and the Spade Ranch in Levelland. He also worked as a Deputy Sheriff in Levelland for a short while. Mr. Rich returned to Coahoma and worked in the oilfield for Walsh and Watt, Inc., retiring in 1980. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Coahoma and a member of the Howard County Youth Horseman Club.

Survivors include three sons: Donald L. Rich, Coahoma, Raymond Carl Rich, Perryton, and Larry Richard Rich, Coahoma; one daughter: Neda Dolores Hurlburt, Coahoma; three brothers: Homer Rich, Carlsbad,

N.M., J.T. Rich, Colorado City, and J.C. Rich, Lenora; three sisters: Lillian Berg, Arizona, Mollie Eggleston, Midland, and Fay Hopper, Carlsbad, N.M.; 10 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

He was also preceded in death by a daughter Lora Nell Rich, three brothers: Buford Rich, Curtis Rich, and Truman Rich. The family suggests memorials to: American Cancer Society, %Lucy Bonner, P.O. Box 2121, Big Spring, Texas 79721-2121 or Howard County ARC, P.O. Box 1762, Big Spring, Texas 79721-1762.

Guillermo Hernandez

Services for Guillermo Hernandez, 84, Big Spring, are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

She died Thursday, March 9, 1995, in a local hospital.

Cooney Martinez

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Tommie Mendoza

Services for Tommie DeLeon Mendoza, 62, Big Spring, are pending with Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

She died Thursday, March 9, 1995, at her residence.

Compromise could end feud over aquifer

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — City leaders have unveiled a proposed legislative compromise that would end a long-running dispute over the Edwards aquifer and regulate water pumping.

The bill, set for a committee hearing Monday and made public Thursday, would establish a 15-member Edwards Aquifer Authority that would license pumps and broker water in the region.

It's unclear, however, if it will make it through the Legislature, where rural interests have promised to fight any such measure, or if it will pass muster with the U.S. Justice Department and civil rights groups, which derailed a 1993 version of the legislation.

Bexar County would have seven seats on the new board and Comal, Hays, Medina and Uvalde counties would each have two members.

The authority would replace the existing Edwards Underground Water District, which represents Hays, Comal and Bexar counties, and would outank the existing water districts in Medina and Uvalde counties, sources familiar with the negotiations told the San Antonio Express-News for its Friday editions.

The City Council approved the idea without the support of Councilman Bob Ross, who said he prefers a cooperative deal between the five aquifer counties. It would allow existing agencies greater authority in developing a regional water plan.

CRMWD

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lar with educators. Also at Tuesday's meeting, an increase in the quantity of water Fina Oil and Chemical Company might take from the district's Lake Spence line was authorized.

CRMWD management will work out the details with Fina, but officials said this increase may be used to help avoid pollution as well as to upgrade quality.

Other action taken by the CRMWD board included swearing in member Ted Crenwelge of Snyder. Crenwelge served as a CRMWD director from June 1984 to June 1987.

Crenwelge expressed his thanks to the Snyder City Council and to the CRMWD for its proficiency in looking to the region's water security.

Rabies

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thing pet owners can do to combat rabies.

According to Clark, as a general rule, for every one case of rabies confirmed there are ten more still out there.

With 13 confirmed cases on record in Howard County, the potential is there for another 130 cases.

Clark warns residents to be aware of animals (especially wild animals) that act unafraid of humans and of any animal that seems paralyzed, an indication that it could be infected with rabies.

Saturday's rabies vaccination will cost \$5 per animal. Neff will also administer DPHL vaccinations for dogs and SVRCP for cats at a cost of \$10 per vaccination.

Deadly

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The list was determined by ranking each state on all 14 categories, then averaging those rankings.

The 14 factors, all using 1993 figures unless noted otherwise, were: crime rate; violent crime rate; murder rate; rape rate; robbery rate; aggravated assault rate; property crime rate; percent change in crime rate from 1989 to 1993; percent change in violent crime rate from 1989 to 1993; state prisoner incarceration rate in 1994; reported arrests of youths 17 years and younger as a percent of all arrests; reported arrests of youths 17 years and younger for violent crime as a percent of all arrests; state-local government expenditures for police protection as a percent of all direct expenditures in 1992; and full-time officers in law-enforcement agencies per 10,000 population.

Morgan Quitno said it used a higher rate of police officers per 10,000 population as a negative factor because "the worst option is to spend resources on police and still have a high crime rate."

"This does not mean that police are doing a bad job, only that police alone are not able to solve a crime problem," the study said.

Big Spring
ON THE RUN

POLICE

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents during a 24-hour period ending 8 a.m. Friday:

•OSCAR LEE JAMES, 34, of 2502 Kelly was arrested on LOCAL WARRANTS.

•HARASSMENT in the 800 block of Willis.

•DOMESTIC DISTURBANCE in the 1300 block of Harding.

•THEFT in the 1100 block of N. Lamesa.

•THEFT in the 500 block of Birdwell.

•BURGLAR/FIRE ALARM in the 400 block of Gregg.

•BURGLAR/FIRE ALARM in the 700 block of Belvedere.

SHERIFF

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incident during a 24-hour period ending 8 a.m. Friday:

•JOE JOHNSON, 23, of 110 Lockhart was arrested for DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED AND DRIVING WHILE LICENSE SUSPENDED JUDGMENT AND SENTENCE. He pled guilty in county court and received 60 days for DWI and 30 days for DWLS plus fines and court costs.

•JAMES MARK BAILOS, 39, of 4000 Parkway was arrested for POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA UNDER 2 OZ. and released on a \$1,000 bond.

•DAVID ORTIZ, 25, HC 61 Box 47 was arrested for POSSESSION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE on a warrant out of Nueces County. Bond was set at \$20,000.

RECORDS

Thursday's temp.	62
Thursday's low	38
Average high	69
Average low	39
Record high	89 in 1955
Record low	19 in 1924
Rainfall Thursday	0.00
Month to date	0.35
Month's normal	0.20
Year to date	1.42
Normal for year	1.49

**Statistics not available.

MARKETS

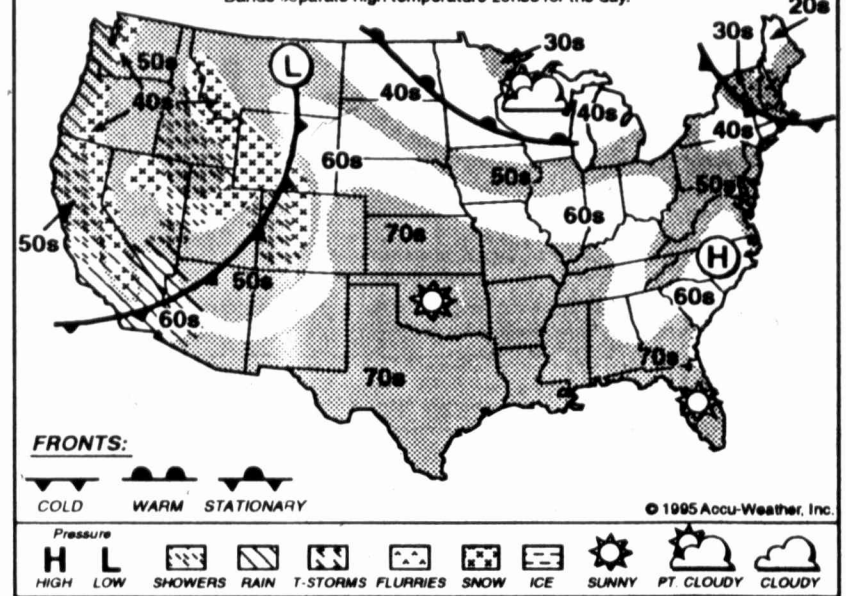
May cotton futures 109.75 cents a pound, up 105 points; April crude oil 17.95 down 15 points; cash hog steady at 39.25 cents even; slaughter steers steady at 73.50 cents even; April live hog futures 39.77, up 10 points; April live cattle futures 72.32, up 5 points; according to Delta Commodities.

Index 4002.41	
Volume 106,099,000	
ATT	51% +
Amoco	60% +
Atlantic Richfield	112 +
Atmos	17% +
Boston Chicken	16% +
Cabot	35% +
Chevron	47% +

NATIONAL Weather

The Accu-Weather® forecast for noon, Saturday, March 11.

Bands separate high temperature zones for the day.



NATIONAL SUMMARY: Stormy weather will continue in the West tomorrow. Rain will soak the Northwest coast, while snow falls in the Cascades. Periods of rain will worsen flooding problems in parts of California. Showers and mountain snow will extend to Wyoming and Colorado. Warm, dry weather will cover the central and southern Plains, while the East turns milder.

Did you Win?

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Chrysler	41% +
Coca-Cola	55% +
De Beers	22% +
DuPont	54% +
Exxon	64% +
Fina Inc.	77% nc
Ford Motors	26% +
Halliburton	38% +
IBM	80% +
JC Penney	43% +
Laser Indus LTD	5% nc
Mesa Ltd. Prt	5% +
Mobile	90% +
NUV	10% +
Pepsi Cola	38% +
Phillips Petroleum	35% +
Sears	50% +
Southwestern Bell	40% nc
Sun	27% +
Texasco	65% nc
Texas Instruments	87% +
Texas Utilities	31% +
Unocal Corp.	28% +
Wal Mart	24% +
Amcap	12.23-12.98
Euro Pacific	20.39-21.63
I.C.A.	18.21-19.32
New Economy	13.92-14.77
New Perspective	14.56-15.45
Van Kampen	14.17-14.88
Gold	381.10-381.60
Silver	4.53-4.56

Noon quotes courtesy of Edward D. Jones & Co. Quotes are from today's markets and the change is market activity from 3 p.m. the previous day.

SPRINGBOARD

To submit an item to Springboard, put it in writing and mail or deliver it to us one week in advance. Mail to: Springboard, Big Spring Herald, P.O. Box 1431, Big Spring, 79720; or bring it by the office, 710 Scurry.

TODAY
•Dominoes, 42, bridge and Chickentrack, 5-8 p.m. at 2805 Lynn, Kentwood Center. Public invited.

•Survivors support group, 5:15 to 7 p.m. Call Rape Crisis/Victim Services, 263-3312.

•Sober Living Skills educational group, 12 noon to 1 p.m., Permian Basin Regional Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, 905 N. Benton. Call 263-8920.

•Turning Point A.A., 8-9:30 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 10th and Goliad. Open to all substance abusers.

•Spring City Senior Center, free fashion painting classes, 9:30-11:30 a.m. 55 and older invited.

•Spring City Senior Citizens country/western dance, 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. Music by The Super Six Band. Area seniors invited.

•Alcoholics Anonymous noon open meeting and 8 p.m. Big Book Study, 615 Settles.

•Signal Mountain Quilting Guild, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., St. Mary's Episcopal Church. Call 267-1037, 264-7107 or 267-7281. Bring lunch.

•Christmas in April, 12 noon, Lion's Club Building, 1607 E. Third.

SATURDAY
•Family support group, 1 p.m., Reflections Unit at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Contact Beverly Grant, 263-0074.

•Alcoholics Anonymous, noon open meeting and 8 p.m. closed meeting, 615 Settles.

SUNDAY
•Good Shepherd Fellowship, 610 Abrams, has services at 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome to come.

•Alcoholics Anonymous 11 a.m. closed meeting and 7 p.m. open meeting, 615 Settles.

MONDAY
•"Single-Minded," unmarried/singles group, 8 p.m., Elks Lodge, FM 700. Call 263-8868.

•Gospel singing, 7 p.m., Kentwood Center. Call 267-6764.

MYERS & SMITH
FUNERAL HOME
& CHAPEL

24th & Johnson 267-8288

William Gordon (Sonny) Fuller, II, 71, died Tuesday. Funeral Mass will be 3:00 P.M., Friday at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, with burial at Trinity Memorial Park.

Nalley-Pickle & Welch
Funeral Home
and Rosewood Chapel

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS

UPGRADE OF U.S. 87 FROM 2-LANE TO 4-LANE DIVIDED HIGHWAY

IN GLASSCOCK AND STERLING COUNTIES

The Texas Department of Transportation will conduct two public meetings for the purpose of providing information and soliciting public input concerning the upgrading of U.S. 87 from 2-lane to 4-lane divided highway between SH 163 in Sterling County and the Howard County line in Glasscock County. The first meeting will be held March 27, 1995 at 6:30 p.m. on the 2nd floor of the Sterling County Court House located at 607 4th St. in Sterling City. The second meeting will be held April 18, 1995 at 6:30 p.m. on the 2nd floor of the Glasscock County Court House located at 117 East Curry in Garden City. All interested citizens are invited to attend and participate in this meeting. Written comments will be accepted through April 28, 1995 and should be addressed to:

Walter G. McCullough
District Engineer

Texas Department of Transportation
4502 Knickerbocker Road
San Angelo, TX. 76904

Persons interested in attending the meeting who have special communication or accommodation needs are encouraged to contact the District Public Information Officer at (817) 947-9295 or 944-1501. Requests should be made no later than two days prior to the meeting. TxDOT will make every reasonable effort to accommodate these needs.

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NEWS IN
BRIEFLaredo A&M
moved to UT system

AUSTIN (AP) — The Senate Finance Committee has endorsed making Texas A&M International University at Laredo part of the University of Texas system, despite opposition from A&M officials.

With a 10-1 vote Thursday, the committee sent the measure filed by Sen. Judith Zaffirini to the full Senate.

Ms. Zaffirini, D-Laredo, says the UT system is a "better fit" for a four-year university at Laredo because of its strong presence on the border and programs offered through the UT Health Sciences Center and the Latin American studies department.

Order suspends
experiments

HOUSTON (AP) — Two Harris County facilities have agreed to suspend medical experiments on involuntary committed mental health patients until at least Sept. 1, which should give the Legislature time to address the practice.

The agreement by the Harris County Psychiatric Center and the University of Texas Health Sciences Center on Thursday was included in an order signed by state District Judge Scott Link.

The order stems from a lawsuit filed last month claiming it is inappropriate to ask such patients to consent to becoming guinea pigs. Link decided the Legislature, not the courts, should address the issue.

State lawmakers are set to consider two related bills during the legislative session this summer. However, if they fail to act on the matter by Sept. 1, Link will order a hearing for a permanent injunction, the order states.

Senate committee
votes to abolish treasury

AUSTIN (AP) — A Senate committee has voted to abolish state Treasurer Martha Whitehead's job, and she couldn't be more thrilled.

The Senate State Affairs Committee on Thursday approved a proposed constitutional amendment to abolish the Treasury and transfer its duties to the state comptroller's office. The measure was sent to the full Senate on a 7-6 vote.

Mrs. Whitehead has been pushing the idea for more than a year and campaigned on the issue.

Doctor's family sues
anti-abortion group

PENSACOLA, Fla. (AP) — Civil rights lawyer Morris Dees has won landmark judgments against hate groups over racial killings by their members in the past.

Now, he's taking a similar approach to anti-abortion violence.

The co-founder and chief trial counsel of The Southern Poverty Law Center in Montgomery, Ala., on Thursday filed a lawsuit against an anti-abortion leader and three organizations on behalf of the family of slain abortion doctor David Gunn.

Committee approves welfare reform package

AUSTIN (AP) — A House committee has unanimously approved legislation to overhaul the state's welfare system, acting on one of Gov. George W. Bush's top priorities.

The Health and Human Services Committee voted 9-0 Thursday to send the bill to the full House.

Rep. Harvey Hilderbran, a co-author of the bill, said the legislation encourages welfare recipients to become self-sufficient by setting time limits for bene-

fits. "There are certain reasonable requirements that we should expect ... and if you don't comply with those, then there will be consequences," said Hilderbran, R-Kerrville.

Karen Hughes, a spokeswoman for Gov. George W. Bush, said the bill includes many of Bush's ideas to change the system.

"The bill very closely tracks most of the major proposals Gov. Bush made during the

course of his campaign to reform welfare," Ms. Hughes said.

"The goal of welfare reform is to help people gain control of their lives, and he believes that this type of welfare reform proposal will help people do that," she said.

The bill would cap cash benefits paid under the Aid to Families with Dependent Children program, including aid to mothers who have more children while on welfare.

A mother who gives birth 10 months after she begins receiving aid would receive no additional benefits for the child. An excluded child still could get Medicaid and other social services.

Hilderbran said capping cash benefits would actually benefit large families because they would be eligible for more food stamps.

But Patrick Bresette, associate director of the Center for Public Policy Priorities, said inclusion

of any kind of cap on welfare benefits would be detrimental to helping families.

The bill also would require recipients to work or participate in an activity leading to self-sufficiency, such as job training or community service. Recipients with children under 6 would be exempt.

Cash benefits would be limited to a period of six months to five years, based on the recipient's education and work experience.

Border Patrol agents
cleared of charges of
beating disabled alien

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — Although cleared of charges they beat up a disabled Mexican immigrant, two U.S. Border Patrol agents say they're bitter about their own agency's lack of support in their ordeal.

"They left us out in the cold. They turned their backs on us. We had to prove to them that we were innocent," Manny Figueroa, a seven-year veteran of the Border Patrol, said Thursday.

Agents David Gonzalez and Figueroa were reinstated to duty Thursday, ending nearly one year of living under the shadow of an accusation they say had no basis.

The agents, both 30, were indicted in November by a Cameron County grand jury on charges of beating David Bergman, a one-footed illegal immigrant from Matamoros, Mexico.

The charges of injuring an invalid — a third-degree felony punishable by two to 10 years in prison — were thrown out on a technicality last month. A new grand jury decided against issuing any indictments after hearing testimony from Bergman and the two agents on Wednesday.

Gonzalez and Figueroa said they believed they would have been cleared by the first grand jury if they had been allowed to testify.

Bruce A. Fuller, chief of the Border Patrol's McAllen sector, said no decision had been made on whether the agents will receive back pay.

While the agents were under

indictment, the Border Patrol frequently said it stood by them. However, the agency suspended them without pay shortly after they were indicted and did not pick up their legal bills.

"Do you consider that support? Do you consider that backing up your agents?" Figueroa said.

"When something like this happens, they need to stand behind their men — not just say it, but DO it," Gonzalez said. "They made it very clear to us that they didn't support us."

Fuller said he saw no contradiction in the Border Patrol's handling of the situation.

The sector chief earlier had declined a request by The Associated Press to interview the agents at work Thursday, but they each returned telephone calls to the AP while off-duty.

"McAllen doesn't know how I feel," Gonzalez said. "I know how I feel."

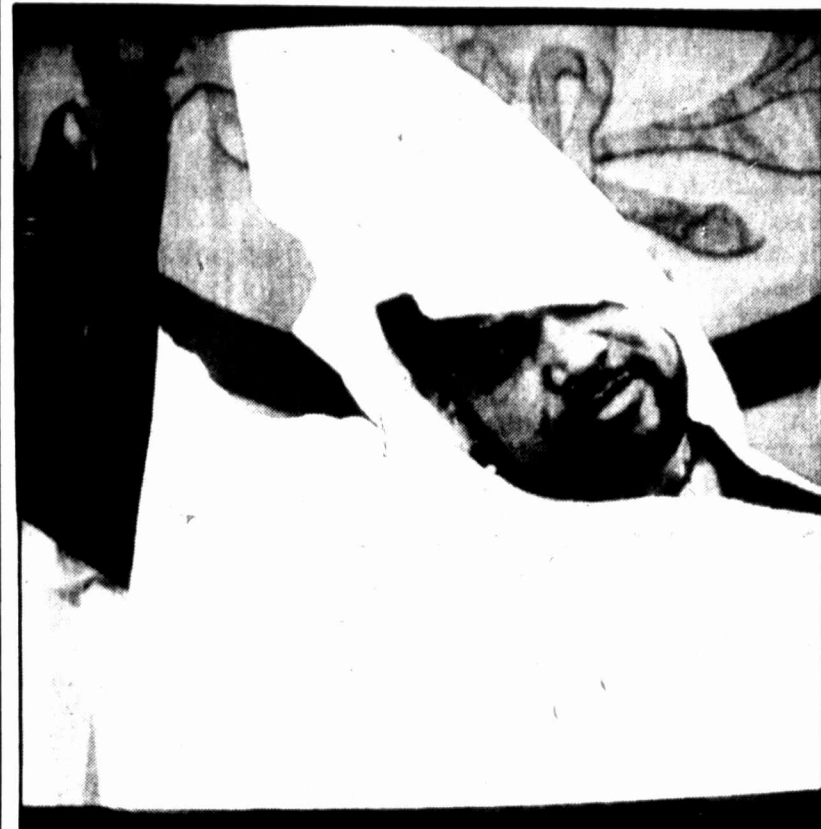
Gonzalez said Bergman's accusation had damaged his reputation and his ability to support his wife and three children.

"Don't take him at face value. He's played his part. He's a street criminal," Gonzalez said.

Citing his criminal record, defense attorneys portrayed Bergman as an opportunistic liar and bandit who preys on illegal immigrants who cross the Rio Grande.

Bergman, 23, alleged that the agents rammed his head against a patrol vehicle, threw away his crutches and told him to swim across the river back to Mexico on March 16, 1994.

RECALLING THE REASONS



Rep. Ron Wilson, D-Houston, removes mock Klan garb during a news conference in Austin. Minorities protested a state senator's proposal to make racial and gender preferences unconstitutional.

Former state rep.'s son testifies
before KFC-investigating grand jury

HENDERSON (AP) — The son of former state Rep. James Earl Mankins reportedly has testified before the grand jury investigating the 1983 slayings of five people abducted from a Kilgore Kentucky Fried Chicken restaurant.

Jimmy Mankins Jr., and the elder Mankins, the two-time Democratic member of the Texas Legislature, were among 20 witnesses summoned by the Rusk County grand jury to testify. Both men live in Kilgore.

Sources told Jacksonville television station KETK that the

younger Mankins testified for about 20 minutes on Thursday. He was questioned by authorities shortly after the killings.

The elder Mankins says his son is innocent and hopes to lay to rest rumors that his son was involved in the slayings, one of the most infamous multiple homicide cases in East Texas.

Meanwhile, the grand jury recessed Thursday without taking any action. It will resume hearing evidence March 21.

Conflicts in the schedules of state attorneys prompted the recess, said Ward Tisdale.

Teacherless
class results
in investigation

DALLAS (AP) — A high school principal and a top assistant have been suspended after an investigation revealed students were allowed to earn high grades in a teacherless class they did not attend, officials said.

Sunset High School principal Michael Stiles and dean of instruction Zulema Ortiz were suspended with pay on Thursday. The pair could lose their jobs if an internal investigation shows they condoned the scheme, said Dallas Schools Superintendent Chad Woolery.

"There's really no justification at all for this to happen," Woolery said. "It's a violation all up and down the line."

An investigation is continuing into why students were given credit for the Peer Assistance and Leadership course, said the superintendent, who determined that as many as 400 students earned credit last fall for the course.

He said the class may have improperly inflated Sunset's average daily attendance figure, which the state uses to calculate its aid to the school district.

Both Stiles and Ms. Ortiz have unlisted telephone numbers and could not be reached for comment Thursday night by The Associated Press.

Woolery said the school gave "A's" to almost every student enrolled in the course last fall, some of whom apparently signed up to take it more than once a day.

"You can't take a class several times and get credit," he was quoted as saying in today's editions of The Dallas Morning News.

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EDITORIAL

Quote of the Day

"Language makes culture, and we make a rotten culture when we abuse words."

Cynthia Ozick, writer, 1972

Northside center working the welfare system right

There is much being said about welfare reform these days.

Reforming welfare is long overdue, especially since it presently does not encourage anyone to get off the welfare line.

Welfare was meant to be a temporary stop-gap for people who were in dire need. It was never intended to be a sole means of support for anyone.

There is a lot of rhetoric about welfare fraud and misuse. While it is true there is fraud and misuse, not all people on welfare are abusing the system. But those that do create a world of problems.

What we can't forget during this time of reform is the ones who are taking control of their lives and making a new beginning for themselves.

Often times there has to be someone willing to give direction to a lost soul. That's what Max Webb at Northside Community Center is providing.

Mr. Webb has a simple philosophy: Help yourself.

It is not just a handout at Northside

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Managing Editor

anyone. To obtain help, you have to be willing to help yourself in some way such as finishing an education or getting a job.

With a little direction from Mr. Webb, Debra Lewis was able to make the decision that she wanted something better than HUD housing and welfare checks for both herself and her children.

The easy path would have been to stay on welfare, making no changes. It is a harder road to make the effort to change.

And, with a little help and support, Ms. Lewis has found the courage needed to take those steps.

She is to be commended in a time when all we can think of is those who are living off the federal government.

Those reforming the welfare system should take a page out of Mr. Webb's book.

Abortion bill could hurt teens

AUSTIN (AP) — Proposals to require parental notification or consent before minors could obtain an abortion would endanger pregnant teens by driving them to unlicensed facilities, opponents say.

"It's a killer," said Karen Bell, of Indianapolis, whose 17-year-old daughter, Becky, died in 1988 following a botched abortion.

Mrs. Bell and other abortion rights activists converged at the Capitol Wednesday to lobby against abortion bills pending in the Legislature, including proposals requiring parental notification and consent for minors.

Mrs. Bell blames her daughter's death on an Indiana law requiring parental consent before a minor can undergo an abortion.

Instead of coming to her parents for their approval, Becky obtained an illegal abortion, Mrs. Bell said. She died from complications one week later.

"She couldn't come to her dad and I because she was ashamed. I think if she'd been 18, she'd be alive," said Mrs. Bell, who did not find out about her daughter's abortion until after she had died.

"She died in my arms and said, 'Forgive me.' I didn't even know what was wrong."

We are looking for ways to get parents involved in our kids' everyday lives, and nowhere is it more apparent and more obvious than in parental notification.

Sen. Florence Shapiro

A measure requiring parental notification was scheduled to be considered Wednesday by the Senate Health and Human Services Committee. But the bill was put off until next week after Sen. Mario Gallegos invoked a legislative privilege to postpone it.

"With the session the way it's going — fast and furious — I want everyone, especially in my district, to have the opportunity to come in here and read the bill and testify if they want," said Gallegos, D-Galena Park.

The bill's author, Sen. Florence Shapiro, R-Plano, called the delay a stalling tactic and

said it would not affect the final outcome.

"The delay is only that. I am convinced that we will hear this bill and this bill will pass," she said.

The measure doesn't require young women to obtain parents' permission for an abortion, but it would make certain parents or legal guardians are notified at least 48 hours prior to the procedure.

Ms. Shapiro, who said at least 21 senators have pledged to vote for the bill, calls the measure a "parental rights bill."

"We are looking for ways to get parents involved in our kids' everyday lives, and nowhere is it more apparent and more obvious than in parental notification," she said.

Mrs. Bell and other opponents said they see no difference between parental notification and consent.

"In the mind of a teen-age girl who doesn't want to tell her parents that she is pregnant and that she is facing a decision of this nature, notification and consent are exactly the same," said Peggy Romberg, executive director of the Texas Family Planning Association.

Mrs. Bell believes that if Texas enacts either a notification or consent law, "there are going to be more Beckys."

Redesigning Planned Parenthood

Proposal would add primary care

By MICHAEL BLOOD
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Planned Parenthood, one of the most forceful advocates for abortion and birth control, is bitterly debating a reinvention that would turn its 900 clinics into health-care centers treating everything from the flu to cuts and bruises.

The plan to add primary care to Planned Parenthood's roster of family planning services would be one of the most dramatic changes in the history of the 78-year-old non-profit organization.

The plan is being promoted by Planned Parenthood's national leadership, which wants to ensure the group's financial health in an increasingly competitive health-care market. Mary Rauh, a board member of the Planned Parenthood Federation, the New York-based group that links the affiliates, said the group is approaching "the threshold of an era."

"The question is, will there be a place in the reformed health-care system for a niche provider, a reproductive health provider?" Rauh said. "It looks very risky to depend on that for our future. ... We might get frozen right out of the system."

But critics fear it would dilute the power of an organization that has led the fight on virtually every major reproductive issue of the past century.

"Never has a document seemed so out of touch with our mission," said a confidential letter sent to affiliates by clinic executives in New York City, Chicago and Los Angeles.

"The word abortion is mentioned only eight times" in the 68-page reinvention blueprint, the letter complains, "and never in the discussion of our future."

The plan, which has not been discussed publicly, is outlined in confidential memos obtained by The Associated Press, and several Planned Parenthood officials described it in interviews.

Planned Parenthood was founded in 1917 by Margaret Sanger, a leading advocate of birth control who later was instrumental in the development of the Pill.

It treats more than 2 million people a year. Abortions account for less than 10 percent of the group's services and are not available at all clinics.

Most of Planned Parenthood's business consists of such services as counseling, gynecological exams, pregnancy and breast cancer tests, and dispensing contraceptives — nearly 2 million in 1993.



Eric Olson, left, of Melbourne, Fla., and Raymond Underberger of Palm Beach, Fla., are checked by paramedics after they were cut loose from the doors they had locked themselves to at the Aware Women Medical Center. The men were protesting abortions being conducted at the clinic. Planned Parenthood, which offers more than abortions, has suffered similar protests.

Officials at individual clinics stressed that the reinvention plan was preliminary, and said they were willing to keep an open mind. But they also were wary of such a bold change in direction.

The reinvention proposal "would totally revamp a 78-year-old organization around the cornerstone of providing primary care, with no evidence that it will work," said a Feb. 10 internal memo from the clinic in Eugene, Ore.

Planned Parenthood must "not simply roll the dice on a decision that may destroy the most effective and highly regarded family planning organization on earth," the memo said.

The debate takes on increased urgency because many states are steering low-income Medicaid patients — a key Planned Parenthood patient group — into managed-care plans like HMOs. So far, Medicaid patients in 27 states belong to some form of managed care.

By expanding its services, supporters of the plan say, Planned Parenthood would be better able to negotiate contracts with HMOs to provide services to patients they might otherwise lose. Supporters also fear that Congress may cut funding for contraceptive and reproductive-care programs used by clinics.

"The whole structure of health care has changed," said Elizabeth Hrenda-Roberts, executive director of Planned Parenthood Pennsylvania Affiliates. "We can't pretend we can be here by the grace of God."

The final decision rests with the membership, which is expected to consider the plan in April in Chicago. A task force, including federation President Pam Moraldo, is working on a second draft of the plan.

Those familiar with the plan said it would not force individual clinics, which have independent boards, to provide primary care. But if they resist, clinics could receive less in revenue-sharing and other benefits controlled by the national federation.

The plan also suggests that the organization might venture into cash-producing businesses like publishing.

Even without the plan, change is already taking place. Some clinics have branched into prenatal and infant care and gynecological surgery. Although the core group of patients remains women, some clinics are seeing larger numbers of men.

In northern California, at least two clinics have offered to provide primary medical care. Repeated calls to those clinics' directors were not returned.

And Planned Parenthood isn't alone. Abortion clinics nationwide are adding services and pursuing contracts to provide care through HMOs and hospitals.

Bob Jewitt, a spokesman for the anti-abortion group Operation Rescue in Washington, D.C., said it would make little difference if Planned Parenthood clinics diversify since many would still perform abortions and be targets for protests. New services, he said, "are just a smoke screen."

Letters to the Editor

Wilderness Camp deserves compliment

Editor:

We would like to compliment the men from the Wilderness Camp for the great job they have done on cleaning the area east of our building off of Farm Road 700. This has really improved the looks of our city. We have been in this location since 1979 and this is the first time we have been able to see the buildings of Do-It Center, Big Spring Mall and the Coahoma State Bank. Again, our thanks to the individual or individuals responsible for setting the project in motion and for those that participated in this project.

Sincerely,

Sam and Shirley Barron
and staff of
Best Home Care, Inc. and
Family Medical Rental, Inc.

There are good kids to be found

Editor:

I'd like to reply to the editorial regarding the rude behavior of kids playing loud nasty music in public.

There's an article, by Ellen Goodman, in the current Family Circle magazine that pin points the problem area in instilling decent attitudes in children. It points out that children are bombarded by TV and other media messages which parents must rebut, one by one. In effect, parents must become a part of the counterculture and encourage their children to do the same.

The article goes on to say: "once the chorus of cultural values was full of ministers, teachers, neighbors, leaders. Now the messengers are Madonna, rap groups and celebrities pushing sneakers."

Parents are considered successfully only if they counter these messages to their young, an almost impossible task.

Instead of wondering why so many teens go wrong, we might well be amazed that so many turn out right.

Want to see a group of decent polite kids? Come by Midway Baptist Church some Sunday. We got 'em.

Rita Palmer
Big Spring

Inmates, city officials thanked for clean-up

Dear Editor:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank each and every inmate who have worked so hard to clean up our town. I would like to thank all of our city and state officials who have worked on this program.

This is the first time I have ever seen the town look this good in the 20 years that I have

lived here. They have helped us instill pride in our community which was much needed. I hope all of us will make an effort to keep our town as nice and clean as it is now.

I wish this program could be started in every prison and community possible across this country.

I think it is time our taxpayers finally receive benefits from our tax dollars that support these prisons. I believe these inmates deserve our thanks.

Carol Smith
Big Spring

Service at hospital not very helpful

Editor:

I am writing this letter in response to an accident my 6-year-old son had. I had been cooking supper on evening last week, when my son decided to help. He threw a pork chop in the pan and was burned by hot grease. I went to pick up a friend and from there we took my son to the emergency room at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. The register was very rude. My son being covered by Medicaid and other insurance should have no problem seeing a doctor. I gave the register my Medicaid card first and she did the paper work and then I gave her my insurance card. Her response was "you should have given the insurance card first. Now I have to start all over." She was very rude and none to pleased that she had to start all over. I didn't know there was a difference. After we finally got my son registered, we were put off in to this little room and forgot about. This was right at 7 p.m. We waited in that little room for up to 4 1/2 hours between the hours of 7 p.m. and 11 to 11:30 p.m., and never even saw a nurse. In that time I asked several times when my son was going to see a doctor and the only response I got was "in a few minutes." We were there for 4 1/2 hours, and never saw anyone, and when we arrived at the emergency there was absolutely no one there. There was no known reason why the emergency room put my son off but they did. After waiting for so long, we finally chose to leave. I ended up waiting until Monday of next week and taking my son to an outside doctor.

Sherry Jett
Big Spring

Service excellent after a fall

Editor:

On Jan. 23, 1995, I fell in our office, dislocating my left knee. American Medical Transport arrived shortly after our call.

Melissa Merket was the first EMT to arrive. She was very gentle and helped me to hold my leg until the other EMT's arrived with the back board. Another EMT was busy monitoring my blood pressure. After loading me in the ambulance, Melissa put the I-V in my hand while the ambulance went down the ramp, and she hit it the first time. Quite an accomplishment with my veins!

The emergency room personnel at Scenic Mountain Medical Center were excellent and again they were so gentle. They brought out the portable X-ray machine so I wouldn't have to move. After the X-rays the emergency room doctor talked to Dr. Reddy who was in Midland and the emergency room nurses prepared me for transport to Midland. Judy Pylant and another nurse stripped me of my multiple layers of clothing, put a hospital gown on me and put me on my back very carefully.

By this time, American Medical Transport was back. Melissa Merket drove and Andy Weaver rode in back with me. Andy monitored my blood pressure and pulse all the way to the emergency room at Midland Memorial Hospital.

Big Spring is very blessed to have such highly qualified emergency personnel, who are so obviously very caring people at the same time. I feel very blessed to have been under their care and I have found new friends!

Drs. Raj, Nirmala and Praveen Reddy were waiting for us when I arrived. Drs. Raj and Praveen put my knee back in place (Ouch! is not the word), ordered an arteriogram to make sure the artery wasn't severed, ordered an MRI and placed me in an immobilizer brace. I am still under their care and going to Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center daily for exercises to strengthen my muscles. I still have a couple of weeks before the decision will be made as to what kind of surgery will be done but I feel I am in the best of hands.

I am being helped daily by Vital Link Home Health Care. Juli, Lucy and Terry have been most wonderful. Stacy, Anita and the nurses also check on me.

I have no complaints but lots of praises for all the medical care I have received. It is very important that we continue to have well trained, caring persons to give us emergency care starting with out ambulance services. It only took a split second for me to fall!

My thanks to all of you!
Sincerely,

Phyllis Graumann
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Tribe rejects storage plan

MESCALERO, N.M. (AP) — In a dramatic turnaround, the Mescalero Apache tribe has voted to resurrect a nuclear waste storage proposal that it overwhelmingly rejected just six weeks ago.

The Mescaleros voted 593-372 Thursday to proceed with plans to store tons of highly radioactive waste on their vast reservation, which offers serene vistas of soaring peaks and pine forests.

The tribe could receive payments totaling \$250 million over the expected 40-year life of the project. Mescalero leaders see the project as an economic boon for a reservation where one in three people is unemployed and nearly half the 3,000 or so tribal members had poverty-level incomes in 1989.

Tribal leaders said the project will create 150 full-time jobs and 300 spinoff jobs.

"I am very proud that our people have decided to move forward with this business opportunity," tribal president Wendell Chino said when announcing the vote. "This project will bring jobs and a better life for our people, but more important, it will enable us to build a secure future for our children and grandchildren."



Velva Apache, left, and Catherine Sampson, right, quietly protest outside the voting center in Mescalero, N.M., Thursday. The women were protesting a proposed plan to have a nuclear storage site on their south-central New Mexico reservation.

Opponents worry that the site will become permanent because the federal government has not designated a place for permanent disposal. They also fear the site will pose an environmental threat to an area that needs skiers, hikers and campers for revenue.

"My ancestors said not to have anything bad on the reservation, and I go with that," said Nathaniel Chee. "If something terrible or drastic happens, where are the people to go?"

The Mescaleros defeated the proposal 490-362 on Jan. 31. Tribal leaders ordered a second vote after a petition drive collected 710 signatures.

The measure would cost \$189 billion over the next five years, as estimated by the congressional Joint Tax Committee, and would deliver most of the cuts the House Republicans promised in their "Contract With America" campaign pact with voters. Republicans say they will pay for it by carving savings out of welfare, preserv-

Demos: Tax bill gift to rich

WASHINGTON (AP) — Democrats are assailing House Republicans for producing legislation that lowers taxes for wealthy Americans even as the GOP slashes welfare, school lunches and other initiatives that help the poor.

Republicans say their goal is to bestow relief on all taxpayers and let companies hire additional workers while taming the government's appetite for more spending.

"When it comes to putting the federal beast on its diet, we will slim it down by cutting spending," House Ways and Means Chairman Bill Archer, R-Texas, vowed Thursday as he released his long-awaited tax-reduction bill. "And we will prevent it from gaining weight by reducing the amount of tax dollars you have been forced to feed into it."

Archer's package features a \$500-per-child tax credit for families earning up to \$200,000 a year. It also would pare the capital gains tax rate paid on profits from property sales, trim taxes for thousands of businesses, and lower the levy paid by higher-income Social Security recipients.

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ing some restrictions on Medicare, and making other spending cuts, but most details are vague.

"How can they justify providing almost a quarter of a trillion dollars in tax benefits to the most privileged in our society, by cutting the most vulnerable in our society — kids and school lunches?" asked Leon Panetta, White House chief of staff. "It just doesn't work. The American people are not going to accept that. We're not going to accept that."

Added House Minority Leader Dick Gephardt, D-Mo., "This perk for the privileged would be bad public policy on any day, in any context. Because it is funded by taking food from the mouths of children and heat from the homes of senior citizens, it is a true affront to fairness and decency."

Archer insisted that the measure's tax breaks for businesses would stimulate the economy, assisting the same lower- and middle-class people Democrats claim they want to help. And he

called for the minority party to cease its attacks on the GOP's proposed reductions for corporate taxpayers.

"I challenge Washington's Democrats to admit that they can't build up employees by tearing down employers," he said. "I challenge them to cease the class warfare and their scare tactics."

As Archer well knows, his legislation's toughest hurdles lie not only at the White House but just across the Capitol, in the Senate.

President Clinton could engage Republicans in a veto battle if their bill is sent to him. The measure's fate in the GOP-controlled Senate is also shaky because many Republicans there prefer chopping away at the federal deficit to trimming taxes.

"I put a lot higher priority on deficit reduction than I do on tax cuts," said Senate Finance Committee Chairman Bob Packwood, R-Ore.

S&Ls showing profit but problems still loom

WASHINGTON (AP) — The savings and loan industry posted a profit for the fourth straight year in 1994, but the total was less than the previous year with some clouds on the horizon.

The Office of Thrift Supervision said Thursday that S&Ls had \$4.3 billion in earnings last year compared to \$4.9 billion in 1993 and \$5.1 billion the year before.

Profits also declined slightly in the final quarter of 1994, to \$1.1 billion from \$1.2 billion in the previous three months.

The overall picture is bright, said Jonathan Flechter, acting director of the regulatory agency. But he said a shrinking spread between short-term and medium-term interest rates and the threat of continued high deposit insurance premiums for thrifts are worrisome.

"Every week the pressure on this industry is growing as the number of institutions shrink and the remaining ones face higher insurance premiums," he said.

Still, he said, "the industry is much improved" from where it was five years ago — the last time thrifts posted losses.

The industry was mired in losses in the 1980s as thrifts were forced to pay high rates for deposits and were stuck with low-rate mortgages negotiated years before.

Supply and demand should determine production prices

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's largest farm group wants the next farm bill to take the government out of planting decisions but keep it as a source of money.

The American Farm Bureau Federation's president, Dean R. Kleckner, said Thursday that supply and demand rather than government actions should determine production and prices. But government payments are necessary because other countries are keeping their markets closed and subsidizing farm exports, Kleckner told the Senate Agriculture Committee during its first hearing on the new farm bill.

The legislation will determine farm, forestry and large parts of nutrition policy for the next five years. The hearings take place against looming budget cuts that will bite into the \$10 billion now spent annually to support

America's 1.9 million farms. The committee chairman, Sen. Dick Lugar, R-Ind., says cuts are unavoidable. He has already recommended reductions of \$15 billion over five years by cutting subsidies for wheat, corn, cotton and rice and ending the Export Enhancement Program, which subsidizes farm exports.

"I don't know how many Americans, ordinary working people, can afford to subsidize farmers," Lugar said Thursday night on the "McNeil-Lehrer Newshour."

Lugar, a potential candidate for president next year, said farmers with half a billion dollars or more in yearly sales get most of the federal farm subsidies. Though Lugar appears to have no allies on his committee, he predicts the budget realities will bring others around.

Duped man shoots 'secret admirer'

ORION TOWNSHIP, Mich. (AP) — Three days after Scott Amedure revealed his crush on another man on the Jenny Jones talk show, police say he was shot dead.

The gunman called police from a service station pay phone moments after the shooting Thursday and surrendered. He was to be arraigned today on a murder charge.

Sheriff's Lt. Bruce Naile said the 24-year-old gunman, who is heterosexual, was angry because producers of the "Secret Admirers" segment had told him his suitor was a woman.

He "came out on stage before a studio audience, and there was a woman sitting there that he knew," Naile said. "He figured she was his secret admirer and walked up and kissed her."

"But then they told him 'Oh, no, she's not your secret admirer, this is' — and out walked Scott Amedure. The show was about men who have secret crushes on men."

"He was stunned," Naile said. "He had agreed to do the show, so he didn't know what to do or what his rights were. So he sat there and went along with it."

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A mother mourns over the body of her dead son at Jinnah Hospital, Karachi, Friday. The woman's son was killed with a least nine others in an explosion at a Shiite Muslim mosque in the Malli district of eastern Karachi, Pakistan.

Attack on mosque leaves 10 dead

KARACHI, Pakistan (AP) — An explosion and machine-gun attack at a Shiite Muslim mosque today in Karachi killed at least 10 people and injured more than a dozen, hospital officials and witnesses said.

It was the latest eruption in a spiral of sectarian violence that has wracked Pakistan's largest city. More than 400 people have died in attacks this year.

It was not known if today's attack was connected with the killing of two U.S. Consulate workers and wounding of a priest on Wednesday.

Several children were among the dead and wounded, according to emergency workers at the Jinnah Hospital. The death toll was expected to rise.

As people rushed to help worshippers injured by what appears to have been a car bomb, gunmen opened fire with machine guns, said Mubarak Haider, a witness. A beggar girl known only as Selma was shot in the back as she fled, witnesses said.

Many of the dead were outside the mosque, including several beggars who come to mosques on Friday, the Muslim sabbath, to collect alms from worshippers.

The explosion occurred just as prayers had concluded in the mid-afternoon, said Haider.

No one has immediately

claimed responsibility, but most people are blaming rival Sunni Muslims.

Violent attacks between rival Sunni and Shiite Muslims have stalked the many mosques in Karachi. Dozens of people have been killed in the increasingly ferocious sectarian attacks, most of the dead have been worshippers.

On Feb. 25 gunmen burst into two Shiite mosques and fired on worshippers, killing at least 20 men.

Karachi is caught not only in sectarian violence, but in bloody attacks related to political and ethnic disputes. In all, more than 1,000 people have died since the beginning of 1994.

The U.S. government employees were shot by men who burst from a stolen taxi and opened fire with machine guns. The United States has offered up to \$2 million for information leading to the arrest of the killers.

Some within the crowd outside Jinnah Hospital today chanted anti-American slogans and threatened to take revenge for today's killings.

Prime Minister Benazir Bhutto and her government have been overwhelmed by the violence in this southern port city and have been helpless to put an end to it.

Election date set for troop withdrawal

EREZ JUNCTION, Gaza Strip (AP) — Ending months of deadlock, Israel and the PLO on Thursday announced a July 1 target date for finalizing an agreement to withdraw Israeli troops from the West Bank and hold Palestinian elections.

Israeli Foreign Minister Shimon Peres and PLO chief Yass-

er Arafat made the announcement, which both sides hailed as a breakthrough, after a two-hour meeting. A timetable had eluded them during months of stalemate on how to expand Palestinian self-rule to the West Bank without endangering Israelis.

U.S. Secretary of State Warren

Christopher welcomed the agreement. "I congratulate (Peres) and his team on the progress in unblocking the negotiations," Christopher said after arriving in Israel.

Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin said he considered the time until July 1 a test period in which Arafat must prove he can

prevent attacks by Islamic militants. Such attacks have claimed 56 Israeli lives since October.

"The only — and the main — obstacle to moving ahead with the Palestinians is terrorism," Rabin said.

Israel and the PLO set up a new committee Thursday.

More questions raised about corruption in Mexico

■ Drug boss's gang suspected in paying off deputy attorney

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Claims that a former top drug prosecutor had millions of dollars in a Texas bank raised more questions Thursday about the scope of drug-related corruption in Mexico's government.

Juan Garcia Abrego, the reputed drug boss named Thursday to the FBI's "Ten Most Wanted Fugitives" list, heads the gang suspected of paying off former Deputy Attorney General Mario Ruiz Massieu.

Investigators say they have found nearly \$7 million in Texas bank accounts belonging to Ruiz Massieu, who headed drug prosecutions most of last year. Citing prosecution sources, numerous press reports here estimated he could have more than double that elsewhere in the United States.

Ruiz Massieu's assets became public in recent days with the partial unraveling of a complicated, high-level plot in which a former president's brother was accused of murdering a top ruling party official.

Ruiz Massieu — brother of the slain official — is under arrest in New Jersey, and Mexico is seeking his extradition in connection with the murder case.

"Narcotics trafficking cor-

rupts everything it touches," said Jorge Shabat, a specialist on the topic at the Center for Economic Investigation and Teaching in Mexico City. "It's very difficult to believe institutions in a country such as Mexico could resist."

Prosecutors believe that Mexico's Gulf drug cartel was paying off Ruiz Massieu, the Washington Post reported Thursday. The former deputy attorney general is accused of a cover-up in the murder of his own brother, Jose Francisco Ruiz Massieu.

Garcia Abrego, who apparently holds both U.S. and Mexican citizenship, is the alleged leader of the cartel, described as Mexico's largest drug smuggling empire. The operation is based in the northern border state of

Tamaulipas.

He faces drug charges in both Mexico and the United States.

Investigators hope the discovery of a drug link will help solve two other slayings: the 1993 killing of Roman Catholic Cardinal Juan Jesus Posadas Ocampo and the March 1994 assassination of Luis Donaldo Colosio, presidential candidate of the ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party.

The Attorney General's office says that Ruiz Massieu has at least \$6.9 million in the Texas Commerce Bank of Houston, and it has asked U.S. officials to freeze his accounts. It asked Mexican banking officials to do the same.

Car-bomb injures 33 people in Algiers

ALGIERS, Algeria (AP) — A car-bomb exploded today near a building reportedly housing police officers. Security officials said at least 33 people were injured, at least eight of them children.

State television showed buildings badly damaged by the explosion in a hilltop neighborhood called Jolie Vue (Pretty View), but did not specify if any deaths had been confirmed.

It was the second major car-bombing in six weeks in Algeria, which has been riven by a three-year insurgency waged by Islamic militants seeking to topple the army-backed government. On Jan. 30, a bomb-rigged car exploded outside Algiers' main police station, killing 42 people and wounding 286.

The hard-line Armed Islamic Group claimed responsibility for that car-bombing and threatened further attacks by suicide bombers. It also has threatened to avenge the deaths of 96 prisoners, most of them Islamic militants, killed by security forces quelling a mutiny last month at Serkadji prison in Algiers.

The Armed Islamic Group said today it would kill the wives of police and army officers unless women detained for collaborating with the militants

are freed.

The threat was published on the front page of al-Hayat, an Arab-language daily based in London and Beirut.

The Armed Islamic Group, which has used al-Hayat to publicize previous statements, is one of two guerrilla groups waging the insurgency aimed at installing an Islamic state.

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There were no immediate reports of damage or injuries from the undersea earthquake, which occurred at 2:23 p.m., police said.

The quake's epicenter was centered at a depth of 242 miles under the ocean in the southern part of the Sea of Okhotsk.

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Lady Hawks' opponent stands tall

By DAVE HARGRAVE
Sports Editor

And you thought Howard had national-tournament experience.

The Howard College women's basketball team will make its third straight appearance next week in the national junior college championship tournament. The Lady Hawks' first-round opponent, however, can look at

that streak and laugh. Logan College, located in Carterville, Ill., upped its record to 31-0 in winning the Region XXIV title - its ninth in 10 years. That's right - the Lady Vols have trekked to the national tournament nine of the past 10 seasons.

Like Howard, Logan's experience at nationals has been bittersweet. The Lady Vols are still fighting for their first national championship - their best finish

was second. Coach Gary Barton, in his 14th season, brings the No. 4 team in the country to Tyler. Last season, Logan won in the first round but lost in the quarterfinals - the same fate Howard suffered.

Logan's top player has seen the Lady Hawks before, though briefly. Yolanda Miller, the Most Valuable Player in the Great Rivers Athletic Conference, starred last season for Grayson. Howard beat

Miller and Grayson to win Region V in '94. Miller, a 5-foot-7 transfer, averages 17.9 points per game.

The rest of Logan's starting lineup has tallied tremendous statistics. Lashonda Albert, a 6-1 freshman, averages 18.3 points and 6.9 rebounds and holds the GRAC's Newcomer of the Year Award.

April Fort (5-10, so., 12.8 ppg, 9.1 rpg) sinks 52 percent of her shots. The most accurate shoot-

er is 6-2 sophomore Lavitte Henry (11.6, 6.8), who makes 60 percent of her shots. Logan's point guard is Nora Hendrix (5-6, fr.), who scores 5.8 points per game with 4.4 assists.

Logan scores 96 points per game - Howard averages 72.4. Logan allows 56 points per game, the same as Howard.

The Lady Hawks (28-4) have two double-figure scorers - Amber Lacey (15.4) and Eureka Ray (11.9). Lacey, a 6-1 sopho-

more, shoots 60 percent from the field and pulls down a team-high 7.5 rebounds per game.

Both teams shoot 60 percent from the free-throw line, but more importantly both win with defense. Both, too, are shooting for that elusive national title, and after Tuesday only one will have its dream still intact.

Game time is Tuesday, 7 p.m., at Wagstaff Gym on the campus of Tyler Junior College. A tournament bracket is on page 8A.

Houston shocks TCU; Tech romps

DALLAS (AP) — Strange things usually happen in the Southwest Conference basketball tournament and nothing could have been more unusual than Houston shocking the Texas Christian Horned Frogs.

The Frogs had blasted the Cougars twice during the regular season but couldn't do it when it counted Thursday.

Willie Byrd and Damon Jones hit critical free throws in the last 17 seconds and Tim Moore scored 19 points and hauled down 15 rebounds as the sixth-seeded Cougars rallied from a 14-point deficit to shock the third-seeded Horned Frogs 80-77. Houston will play Texas Tech, a 92-54 winner over SMU, at 8 tonight.

Texas, which got a first round bye, meets Rice at 6 p.m. The Owls followed the career-high 30 points by Tommy McGhee to an 84-75 victory over Texas A&M.

Lance Hughes led Tech with 18 points. Three other Tech players were in double figures as the Red Raiders notched their 19th win of the year. TCU finished the season at 16-

11 while the Cougars improved to 9-18. The Frogs thrashed the Cougars 106-92 and 106-95 during the regular season.

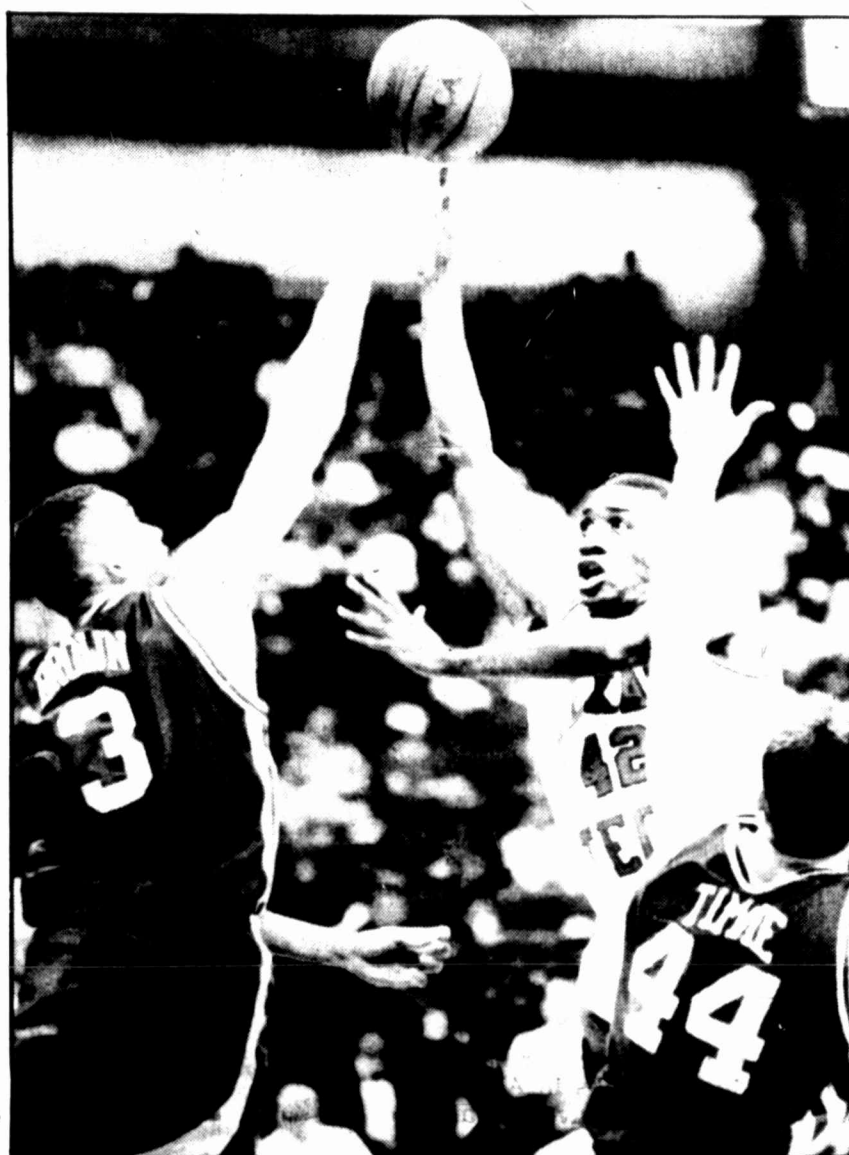
Kurt Thomas, the nation's leading rebounder and scorer, scored 26 points and had 20 rebounds for TCU but his 9-for-19 free throw shooting hurt the Horned Frogs. Jesse Drain and Jones each scored 14 points for Houston while James Turner and Mike Thoele added 14 each for the favored Frogs.

Houston coach Alvin Brooks said the Cougars decided to rotate players guarding Thomas to wear him down.

"It was our best defensive performance of the year," Brooks said. "The last time we played Thomas he scored 43 against us. We did a good job of pressuring the ball and clogging up the passing lanes."

He said he was happy his team didn't panic when it fell behind early.

"I just told them to relax and get the jitters out," Brooks said. "We haven't beaten TCU in awhile. But it's tough to beat a team three consecutive times in one season."



Texas Tech forward Mark Davis (42), a former Howard College player, goes over SMU's Kwame Brown (3) and Matt Timme (44) to score Thursday. Tech won 92-54.

Hawks playing for top spot at NMJC

By DAVE HARGRAVE
Sports Editor

It's early - extremely early - but the Howard College baseball team is playing in a first-place showdown this weekend.

Howard (11-2, 4-0 in the Western Junior College Athletic Conference) starts a four-game series Saturday at New Mexico Junior College (6-2 in the WJCAC). The teams share first place, and they share another trait: lots of freshmen.

"They have a new squad, and they actually got a lot of new players in at semester time," said Howard coach Brian Roper. "They've got a good ball club, and despite what happened last year, Hobbs is the most difficult place to play in the conference. It gives me the willies."

Howard, last season's WJCAC champions, ended a long period of suffering in Hobbs with a three-game series sweep at NMJC last season. Of course, Howard has just six players back from that team, and one of them is still battling a shoulder injury. Sophomore Eric Garcia, penciled in as the starting shortstop in preseason, injured his throwing shoulder and has been limited to designated-hitter and pinch-running duties.

Garcia's injury is a factor in Howard's poor defensive play of late. In Sunday's doubleheader split against Western Oklahoma three different Howard shortstops - freshmen Dustin Bratlien, Shane Smith and Brady Mills - each made errors.

While the fielding has been shaky, the pitching has been magnificent. Howard has a team ERA of 2.94, and it seems Roper has found a formidable four-man rotation to take into the rigors of the WJCAC.

Brian Thompson (3-0, 3.50), an all-WJCAC performer in '94, will start in New Mexico, as will freshmen Mark Ubrecken (1-2, 5.17), Caleb Brown (3-0, 3.26) and Ben Phillips (2-0, 0.47).

A bad shoulder also is affecting Howard's leading hitter, first baseman Tyson Lindekugel. Lindekugel is hitting .396, and Roper said he is probable for the NMJC series.



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WJCAC Baseball Standings

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Howard	4	0	1.000	-
New Mexico JC	6	2	.750	-
Odessa	2	2	.500	2
Frank Phillips	0	4	.000	4
New Mexico Military	0	4	.000	4

Howard Statistics

	AB	R	H	AVG	HR	RBI	SB
Lindekugel	48	9	19	.396	1	13	3
Davis	47	15	17	.362	2	15	7
Merritt	47	15	17	.362	0	9	10
Garcia	26	10	9	.346	0	6	6
Smith	29	2	10	.345	0	4	0
Ogle	32	19	11	.344	0	5	10
Schmidt	43	5	14	.326	1	15	0
Holland	16	0	5	.313	0	0	0
Brousseau	45	9	14	.311	0	5	2
Bratlien	30	7	8	.267	0	5	0
Parrish	9	3	2	.222	0	2	2
Mills	21	9	4	.190	0	6	1
Suratt	6	0	1	.167	0	1	0
Flee	2	3	0	.000	0	0	2
Rodgers	3	0	0	.000	0	0	0
TEAM	404	105	131	.324	4	96	43

	W	L	ERA	IP	H	BB	K
Mackenzie(1)	1	0	0.00	7	4	2	0
Wood(1)	0	0	0.00	4	2	0	2
Phillips	2	0	0.47	19	19	3	14
Schleg(1)	0	0	2.25	4	6	1	4
Brown	3	0	3.26	19	20	8	8
Thompson	3	0	3.50	18	16	8	19
Lewis	1	0	3.86	7	9	1	3
Ubrecken	1	2	5.17	16	21	3	16
Ames(1)	0	0	9.00	4	4	3	5
TEAM	11	2	2.94	96	101	29	71

(saves in parentheses)

Howard is batting .324 as a team, and eight players with 20 or more at-bats are batting .300 or better - Lindekugel, Wes Davis, Ryan Merritt, Garcia, Smith, Brian Ogle, Matt Schmidt and Matt Brousseau.

Davis, Howard's left-fielder, leads the Hawks with two homers. Howard has just four home runs total, but that could change this weekend in Hobbs.

"The wind is always a problem there," Roper said. "It's a very small ball park, and they groom their team to fit the ball park - they've got a lot of long-ball hitters. With the wind and the park, if you don't get the ball down, a game can get out of hand in a hurry."

New Mexico swept Frank Phillips (0-4) to open its WJCAC season, then split a series last weekend at Odessa (2-2). Howard swept New Mexico Military (0-4) in its only WJCAC series. Next weekend, Howard hosts Odessa, so the next two weekends could go a long way toward establishing a front-runner in the WJCAC.

Jordan likely to return to hoops

CHICAGO (AP) — Michael Jordan's quest to make the big leagues is about to become reality. The twist is he'll get there by returning to the game he dominated instead of the one he dabbled in, a source told The Associated Press.

"He's done with baseball," the source said. "He's going to play basketball."

Jordan practiced with the Chicago Bulls for a third

straight session earlier Thursday, fueling speculation that a return to the NBA and the team he led to three consecutive championships was imminent.

"It sounds good - a guy retires for a year and a half, comes back ... it could go on and on if you win," former teammate B.J. Armstrong said. "Quite a story."

But a source close to Jordan,

speaking on the condition he not be identified, said it was more than a story.

He said the three-time MVP, who retired about a month before the 1993-94 season, had not settled on a timetable for his return. Though his baseball career has kept him in shape, Jordan wants to improve his overall conditioning and hone his shooting touch before deciding on an exact return date.

"It won't be tonight, tomorrow or the next day," the source said. "But it will be soon. ... He's going to take a couple of weeks to tune up."

NBA spokesman John Maroon said there would be no league obstacles to Jordan rejoining the Bulls. The Bulls have not addressed questions about his return and it was unclear how he would fit under the team's salary cap.

"I've never seen him do any drugs. There's no one else who's seen him do any drugs. Stuff like that you can't hide from your teammates," said Celtics guard Dee Brown, a close friend who stencils "Reggie" on the heels of his basketball shoes. "He had a heart problem. Period."

Any proceeds from the lawsuit would go to the Reggie Lewis Foundation.

Christmas. A telethon has been scheduled March 21 to raise money for the foundation formed by Lewis' widow to continue his work for the poor.

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Did cocaine kill Lewis?

BOSTON (AP) — He lived a clean life, by all accounts, the kind of athlete who deserved the admiration of his fans. Gentlemanly when on the court, generous when off it, Reggie Lewis was an honored Boston Celtics captain.

That image was tainted Thursday by a published report examining whether cocaine use contributed to the heart condition that killed Lewis.

Friends and family angrily denounced the Wall Street Journal story, and the Celtics threatened to sue the paper and reporter Ron Suskind for \$100

million.

After practice at the Brandeis University gym where Lewis collapsed and died in 1993, Celtics players said they don't believe their former captain used drugs.

"I think it's ridiculous that anyone would even associate him with that," forward Dominique Wilkins said. "The guy is passed more than two years. I think we should let him rest in peace."

Lewis was a hero in Boston and his hometown of Baltimore, where he would distribute free turkeys on Thanksgiving and

SHOT OF THE DAY



Horsing around

John Roethlisberger makes his exercises on the pommel horse during the men's compulsory competition in the XII Pan American Games, which will be officially inaugurated Saturday. The Pan Am Games are in Argentina.

TEXAS SPORTS

Seminole stalls in semifinals

AUSTIN (AP) — Brandon Gilbert scored 28 points and helped ignite a decisive fourth quarter run as Madisonville came back to defeat Seminole 77-65 in the state Class 3A boys' basketball semifinals.

Seminole (33-5), led by 6-foot-10 Clancy Hall's 18 points, never trailed in the second half and had just taken its biggest lead, 60-53, with 6:29 left in the game, before Gilbert, a 6-7 junior, heated up.

Robert Lee's dream ends

AUSTIN (AP) — Terrell Hart scored 20 and hit four free throws in the final minute as Calvert made a decisive run in the fourth quarter and then held on to defeat Robert Lee 76-74. Robert Lee (29-5) was led by Lee McCown's 27 points.

NATION/WORLD

Packers feud with Sharpe

GREEN BAY, Wis. (AP) — The Green Bay Packers and NFL Management Council vowed to fight a grievance filed on behalf of receiver Sterling Sharpe, who is seeking full payment of his 1995 salary despite his release after neck surgery.

Baseball approves expansion

PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Major league baseball is interrupting the strike long enough to add two expansion teams. Baseball owners voted unanimously Thursday to add the Arizona Diamondbacks and Tampa Bay Devil Rays for the 1998 season. While striking major leaguers won't necessarily be back July 1, the 28 current teams will receive about \$1 million each in expansion fees on that date.

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Hartford 2, Quebec 1

Pittsburgh 4, N.Y. Islanders 2

Philadelphia 3, Boston 2

Los Angeles 4, Chicago 3

St. Louis 5, Calgary 1

Detroit 4, Anaheim 4, tie

Friday's Games

New Jersey at Tampa Bay, 7:30 p.m.

Ottawa at Washington, 8 p.m.

Dallas at Winnipeg, 8:30 p.m.

Detroit at San Jose, 10:30 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Florida at Boston, 1:30 p.m.

Buffalo at Pittsburgh, 1:30 p.m.

N.Y. Islanders at Quebec, 7 p.m.

N.Y. Rangers at Montreal, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday's Games

Chicago at Toronto, 7:30 p.m.

Los Angeles at Winnipeg, 7:30 p.m.

Anaheim at Vancouver, 10:30 p.m.

Monday's Games

Florida at Hartford, 1:30 p.m.

Tampa Bay at Washington, 1:30 p.m.

New Jersey at Philadelphia, 7 p.m.

Detroit at St. Louis, 7 p.m.
Calgary at Dallas, 8 p.m.
Vancouver at Edmonton, 8 p.m.

BASKETBALL

NBA Standings

National Basketball Association

All Time EST

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

W L Pct. GB

Orlando 46 14 767 —

New York 39 19 672 6

Boston 24 35 407 21 1/2

New Jersey 24 36 400 22

Miami 23 36 390 22 1/2

Philadelphia 17 42 288 28 1/2

Washington 15 43 259 30

Central Division

Charlotte 38 22 633 —

Indiana 36 23 610 1 1/2

Cleveland 34 25 576 3 1/2

Chicago 30 30 500 8

Atlanta 29 30 492 8 1/2

Detroit 23 36 390 14 1/2

Milwaukee 22 38 367 16

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division

W L Pct. GB

Utah 44 16 733 —

San Antonio 40 17 702 2 1/2

Houston 35 24 593 8 1/2

Denver 27 32 458 16 1/2

Dallas 22 35 386 20 1/2

Minnesota 16 44 267 28

Pacific Division

Phoenix 46 14 767 —

Seattle 39 19 672 6

L.A. Lakers 36 22 621 9

Portland 29 29 500 16

Sacramento 18 40 310 27

Golden State 12 49 197 34 1/2

Wednesday's Games

New York 108, Boston 100

New Jersey 115, Philadelphia 108, OT

Detroit 114, Washington 105

Orlando 114, L.A. Lakers 110

Atlanta 99, Denver 88

Seattle 118, Minnesota 104

Utah 114, Dallas 87

Golden State 120, L.A. Clippers 107

Thursday's Games

Portland 99, Miami 90

Charlotte 112, Seattle 99

San Antonio 100, Cleveland 98

Indiana 109, Sacramento 94

Friday's Games

New Jersey at Boston, 7:30 p.m.

San Antonio at Philadelphia, 7:30 p.m.

Milwaukee vs. Washington at Baltimore, 7:30 p.m.

Portland at Orlando, 7:30 p.m.

New York at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.

Denver at Detroit, 8 p.m.

L.A. Lakers at Minnesota, 8 p.m.

Cleveland at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.
Sacramento at Utah, 9 p.m.
Indiana at Phoenix, 9 p.m.
Golden State at L.A. Clippers, 10:30 p.m.

Saturday's Games

New Jersey at Washington, 7:30 p.m.

Miami at Charlotte, 7:30 p.m.

Seattle at New York, 8:30 p.m.

L.A. Lakers at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.

Dallas at Houston, 8:30 p.m.

Sunday's Games

San Antonio at Orlando, noon

Cleveland at Philadelphia, 1 p.m.

Denver at Milwaukee, 1:30 p.m.

Atlanta at Boston, 2:30 p.m.

Portland at Minnesota, 3:30 p.m.

Utah at Miami, 6 p.m.

Sacramento at L.A. Clippers, 6 p.m.

Seattle at Detroit, 8 p.m.

Golden State at Phoenix, 9 p.m.

College Scores

MIDWEST

Purdue 72, Minnesota 59

FAR WEST

Oregon 81, Southern Cal 77

Stanford 79, Washington St. 72

UCLA 86, Oregon St. 67

Washington 74, California 73, OT

TOURNAMENTS

Atlantic 10 Conference

Championship

Massachusetts 63, Temple 44

Atlantic Coast Conference

First Round

Duke 83, N. Carolina St. 70

Big East Conference

First Round

Boston College 89, Seton Hall 87, OT

OT

Pittsburgh 74, St. John's 71

Big Sky Conference

First Round

Idaho St. 65, Boise St. 63

Montana St. 77, Idaho 66

Big West Conference

First Round

UC Irvine 76, Cal St. Fullerton 69

UNLV 77, San Jose St. 66

Great Midwest Conference

First Round

Cincinnati 96, DePaul 95, OT

Marquette 55, Ala. Birmingham 46

St. Louis 78, Dayton 62

Southeastern Conference

First Round

Alabama 55, Tennessee 43

Auburn 81, South Carolina 66

Florida 63, Mississippi 59

Vanderbilt 85, LSU 61

Southwest Conference

First Round

Houston 80, Texas Christian 77

Rice 84, Texas A&M 75

Texas Tech 92, Southern Meth. 54

Western Athletic Conference

Quarterfinals

Colorado St. 75, Brigham Young 73

Hawaii 66, Texas El Paso 65

New Mexico 63, Wyoming 56

Utah 72, San Diego St. 63

TRANSACTIONS

Thursday

BASEBALL

EXPANSION COMMITTEE—

Voted unanimously to add the Arizona Diamondbacks and Tampa Bay Devil Rays for the 1998 season.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

BUFFALO BILLS—Signed Bryce Paup, linebacker, to a three-year contract.

CAROLINA PANTHERS—Signed Sam Mills, linebacker, to a two-year contract, and Brett Maxie, safety.

CHICAGO BEARS—Signed Michael Timmons, wide receiver, to an offer sheet.

HOUSTON OILERS—Signed Darryl Lewis, cornerback, to a five-year contract.

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS—Signed Jeff Criswell, offensive tackle.

MINNESOTA VIKINGS—Signed Broderick Thomas, linebacker.

NEW YORK GIANTS—Re-signed Corey Miller and Pete Shultz, linebackers.

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES—Signed Rhett Hall, defensive tackle, to three one-year contracts. Named Juan Castillo offensive assistant coach and Chuck Knox Jr., defensive assistant coach.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

BUFFALO SABRES—Announced the resignation of Steve Rossi, director of public relations. Named Jeff Holbrook interim director of public relations.

FLORIDA PANTHERS—Signed Chris Armstrong, forward, to a multi-year contract. Signed Mike Johnson, defenseman. Extended the contract of Johan Garpenlov, left wing, for two years.

NEW JERSEY DEVILS—Recalled Jaroslav Modry, defenseman, from Albany of the American Hockey League.

ST. LOUIS BLUES—Recalled Vitali Karamnov, forward, from Peoria of the International Hockey League.

TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS—Recalled Matt Martin, defenseman, from St. John's of the American Hockey League.

WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Loaned John Slaney, defenseman, to Portland of the American Hockey League.

WINNIPEG JETS—Returned

Michal Grosse, left wing, to Springfield of the American Hockey League.

SOCCER

Major League Soccer

MLS—Signed Desmond

Armstrong, defender-midfielder, to a multi-year contract.

NJCAA Women's Basketball Championship
March 14-18 - Tyler, Texas

Trinity Valley (Texas)

8:45 p.m. Tues.

NW Shoals

6 p.m. Wed.

Gogebic (Mich.)

10 a.m. Tues.

Independence (Kan.)

6 p.m. Friday

Three Rivers (Mo.)

Noon, Tues.

Okaloosa (Fla.)

8 p.m. Wed.

Vincennes (Ind.)

2 p.m. Tues.

Anderson (S.C.)

8 p.m. Saturday

Sullivan (Ky.)

4 p.m. Tues.

Ricks (Idaho)

6 p.m. Thurs.

Logan (Ill.)

7 p.m. Tues.

HOWARD

8 p.m. Friday

Pearl River (Miss.)

Noon Wed.

W. Nebraska

4 p.m. Thurs.

Central Arizona

2 p.m. Wed.

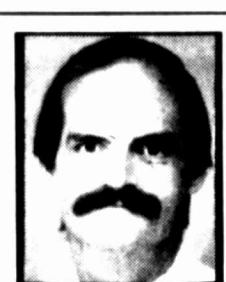
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Championship Bracket

Look for Kentucky to win NCAA's 'whole enchilada'

It's time to get excited. The greatest sports spectacle on Earth short of the World Series is about to unfold. Grown men will blubber like babies, eternal friendships will shatter, mud will be slung and emotions will go-wo.

March Madness is here, and it's time for the weak-hearted among you to seek shelter for the next few weeks.



Steve Reagan
Sports Writer

Baseball players may be on strike, but for the next few weeks, few will actually care. While the NCAA basketball tournament is being contested, salary caps and luxury taxes will be blissfully relegated to the back pages of sports sections.

There's only one little downside to March Madness: For some reason, every year I get this urge to predict how

the tournament will end. Last year, I succeeded in controlling my urge only after a great internal struggle, but this year, the beast is loose.

I actually picked right one year, when I predicted UNLV would be the champ, but that was the year UNLV had Larry Johnson and Stacey Augmon and all those other guys, and I would have been a stone fool to pick anyone else.

The rest of the time, I've looked quite the idiot. There's no need to reveal my past selections, since that would only serve to make me start crying.

Let's just say I've been horribly wrong and leave it at that, shall we?

Anyway, space is a wastin', so let's get on with it:

East Regional—North Carolina will in all probability get the top seed here, and I don't see anyone, with the possible exception of Massachusetts, giving them a hard time.

So, let's give the nod to the Tar Heels. If there's any justice, my picking Carolina will be the kiss of death and the 'Heels will lose in the first round.

West Regional—A no-brainer here: UCLA gets the top seed. Another no-brainer: UCLA will lose in the first few rounds. Heck, the Bruins always do, so why spoil a good thing?

Look for somebody from the ACC or Southeast Conference—let's say Arkansas, for argument sake—to win a ticket to the Final Four.

Midwest Regional—Will somebody tell me what "Rock, Chalk, Jayhawk" means? Kansas gets the top seed and eventually wins the region.

As a footnote, look for Texas to get a mediocre seed in this region and lose by the second round.

Texas Tech? Oh, I'm sure the Raiders will get screwed out of a NCAA bid. They'll look good in the NIT.

Southeast Regional—One word: Kentucky.

Now, to show I'm really a glutton for punishment, I predict Kentucky will win the whole enchilada. After that, peace will reign throughout the galaxy, the national deficit will disappear and my cat will learn not to knock over my ironing board.

Hey, anything's possible.

Steers win at Brownwood

The Big Spring Steer baseball team won Thursday in the first round of the Brownwood Tournament.

The Steers (2-4-1) beat Copperas Cove 3-2, and they received strong pitching from Zach Leslie and J.D. Wheeler.

Leslie (1-3) walked five and struck out eight in 6 2/3 innings. Wheeler entered a bases-loaded, two-out jam in the seventh but induced the final Copperas hitter to ground out for the save.

Big Spring trailed 2-1 until a rally in the sixth. Catcher Rogelio Cervantes led off with a

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Got an item?

Do you have a good story idea for the *life!* section? Call 263-7331, Ext. 112

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Big Spring Herald

Friday, March 10, 1995

CLUBS IN BRIEF

Deadline for club news items is noon Wednesday for Friday publication.

Church Secretarial Association

The Church Secretarial Association will meet from noon to 1 p.m. March 23 at the First Christian Church fellowship hall. Guest speaker will be Gwen Hoggard from Rape Crisis/Victim Services.

Kiwanis Club

Kiwanis Club is holding their Annual Pancake Supper served with bacon and sausage March 17 at Howard College Cafeteria. Serving will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Admission \$4 per person. Proceeds to benefit community youth work. Tickets available from any Kiwanian or may be purchased at the door.

Tall Talkers

Tall Talkers Toastmasters Club met Tuesday morning. Table Topics were led by Scott McLaughlin, and the word of the day was "implacable," meaning relentless. Each member was given the opportunity to speak on the topic of the day, which was "Contract With America." Best Table Topic speaker was a tie between Carole Taylor and Bill Frey. Woodie Howell was voted best speaker. The best evaluator was Bill Frey. To become a Tall Talker Toastmaster, contact Bailey Anderson at 267-3008.

Spade & Hoe Garden Club

The Spade & Hoe Garden Club met Tuesday at the Big Spring Country Club for their monthly luncheon meeting. Dianne Moses was hostess. Peggy Wilson, Alicia Powell and Eunice Woods were the recipients of the red geraniums. Terri Johansen presented a program on "A Time to Dream." Her presentation centered on planning and thinking about landscaping and flowers while the weather is cold. The membership grew with four new members; Peggy Wilson, Darla Kilgore, Jan Foresyth and Elaine Talbott. Zoe Kirkpatrick, the "Wildflower Lady" and author of *Wildflowers of the Western Plains* will be guest speaker at the April 11 meeting. Outside guests will be invited. For more information call 267-5275.

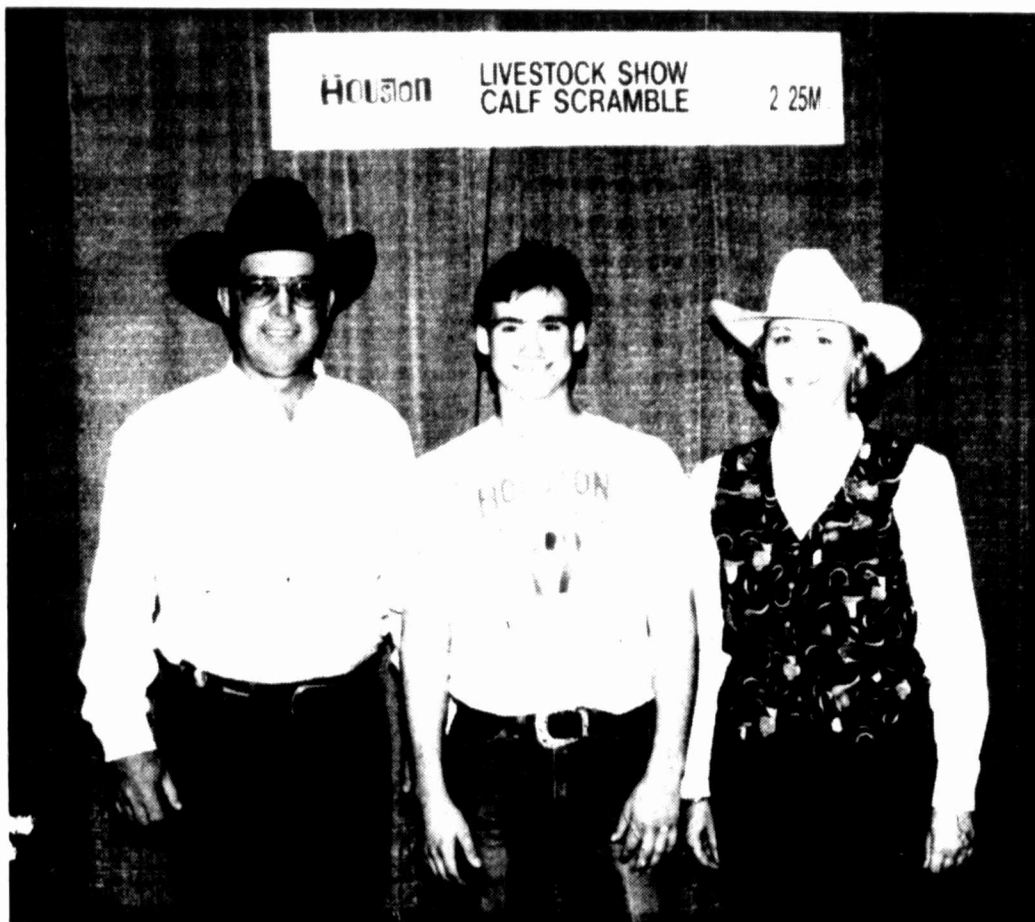
Beta Sigma Phi

Xi Pi Epsilon and Preceptor Delta Chapters met Feb. 11 at KC Steakhouse for the celebration and crowning of the chapter Sweethearts. Red rose topiaries, cupid, hearts and candy kisses were the theme for the annual Beta Sigma Phi St. Valentine's Day banquet. Brenda Davis was crowned chapter Sweetheart for Xi Pi Epsilon and Sherry Wilson was crowned chapter Sweetheart for Preceptor Delta. Each chapter Sweetheart was crowned with a tiara and was presented a yellow rose, chapter sweetheart charm and pin.

Youth Horseman Club

Howard County Youth Horseman Club met Monday. One saddle per age group will be awarded for high point, if the money can be raised. A scholarship fund will be started for a high-school senior club member and the Board drew names for workers at their events. The first Belt Buckle play day is scheduled for March 18. Books open at 1 p.m. and play starts at 2 p.m. at the HCYHC arena on the Garden City highway. Dues should be paid by this date for points to count. Fifteen youth were present at the meeting and earned their first point for the year. Also, 21 adult members attended. For more information, call 267-6251.

Future farmers win Houston calf scramble



Big Spring High School agriculture teacher Terry Denton, student James L. Newman and prize donor Carolyn Powell celebrate Newman's win at the 1995 Houston Livestock Show Calf Scramble.



Big Spring High School agriculture teacher Terry Denton, student Jeff Denton, and prize donors Kim and Ellis Houston celebrate Denton's win at the 1995 Houston Livestock Show Calf Scramble.

Special to the Herald

Big Spring High School FFA students Jeff Denton and James Newman made a dream come true at the Feb. 25 matinee performance of the 1995 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

It was during the Calf Scramble across the huge Astrodome arena floor that the two youths were each able to

catch and halter one of 14 feisty calves and wrangle it back into the winner's square.

In exchange for these successful scrambles, Denton will receive a \$1,000 calf purchase certificate donated by United Cab Co. Inc. Newman will receive a \$1,000 calf purchase certificate from Houston Endowment Inc.

The certificates are to be used to purchase a registered beef or

dairy heifer.

Scramble winners are required to groom and feed their heifers and keep extensive financial records and progress reports.

These reports will be submitted to the certificate donor and to show officials monthly throughout the year.

In addition, each winner is required to keep a pictorial account of the project and to

submit a 500-word essay.

Next year, the boys will return to the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo to compete in a special livestock show competition for additional prize money and awards.

Overseeing this project will be vocational agriculture teacher Terry Denton, who will offer advice, support, and guidance throughout the year.

The scramble takes place dur-

ing each of the 20 performances of the rodeo which includes professional rodeo action, top-notch entertainers, the world's largest livestock show, a huge horse show, indoor fireworks, and a lot more.

All proceeds from the Houston show benefit the youth of Texas in the form of scholarship and research grants to Texas colleges and universities.

Store's stolen card gives credit where none is due

DEAR ABBY: My future daughter-in-law went to an all-night drugstore at 11 p.m. to fill an emergency prescription. She gave the sales clerk her major credit card to pay for it. The card was

returned, and she immediately put it in her purse.

Three days later, when she attempted to pay for a purchase with her credit card, she was told that the card she was using had been canceled. The card had another person's name on it. She immediately called the credit card company, and was told that her card had been charged to its maximum limit. She canceled her card. Fortunately, the company agreed not to hold her liable for the charges she had not made.

The clerk at the drugstore had switched cards and had given her someone else's card in its place. (The credit card company said this is not uncommon.)

Abby, please advise your readers always to look at their credit cards when they are returned to ensure the card has not been switched for a stolen look-alike. You may use my name. -- DAVE KINGSTON, VENTURA, CALIF.

DEAR DAVE: Thank you for a valuable tip. It takes only a moment to check the name on your credit card after making a purchase. That extra moment could spare you the hassle of replacing a stolen credit card.

DEAR ABBY: I never thought I'd be writing to you, but I have nowhere else to turn. I am 14 years old, and fear that I may be suffering from depression. I don't see any reason for this -- I have a great family and some good friends. Yet sometimes I feel

just horrible when I lie in bed at night.

Abby, please tell me the signs of depression, and what to do if I have it. -- ANONYMOUS, U.S.A.

DEAR ANONYMOUS: Depression is a "whole body" illness. It can affect the way you eat, sleep, and the way you feel about yourself.

If you feel persistently sad, worthless, hopeless, and have withdrawn from your friends and activities, you may well be depressed. It is not just a "blue" mood.

While it's normal to feel sad or moody once in a while, if these feelings last for more than two weeks, you may be suffering from depression.

In most cases, depression can be successfully treated with medication and counseling.

It is very important to discuss your feelings with your parents, your school nurse or counselor.

You can also call the National Mental Health Association at its toll-free number (1-800-468-1515) or your local mental health association to learn more about depression, its signs and treatment.

Please write to me again and let me know how you are. I care.

DEAR ABBY: Please remind your readers again that some of us older folks cannot get to the telephone after only three rings. It is infuriating to get up out of a chair to answer the telephone just in time to hear the calling party hang up. -- FAY MOFFETT, JUNCTION CITY, ORE.

DEAR FAY M.: Thanks for a thoughtful reminder. Readers, I recommend letting it ring seven or eight times.

To receive a collection of Abby's most memorable -- and most frequently requested -- poems and essays, send a business-sized, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for \$3.95 to: Dear Abby's "Keepers," P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

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Vice chancellor is role model for Catholic women

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) — When she started her religious career, Sister Nancy Kazik never intended to make a run at the male hierarchy that dominates the Roman Catholic Church.

One year ago, she was appointed vice chancellor for the Archdiocese of Santa Fe, a high point in her 39-year vocation.

"I think climbing the ladder is a male image," she says. "My attitude is that whatever job there is, I will do the best I can."

Last fall, the nation's Catholic bishops voted to encourage women to enter the upper ranks of church theologians, administrators and canon lawyers.

Women are being urged to pursue roles long reserved for men.

Kazik, 59, earned a master's degree in theology from Seattle University in 1971, as religious sisters began to take up academic challenges outlined in Vatican II.

A Milwaukee native, Kazik joined the Sisters of St. Francis of Assisi in 1953 after high school at St. Mary's Academy. She has held teaching and administrative posts in the Midwest, California, Colorado and New Mexico.

Kazik says her philosophy remains that service to the church is paramount, for both men and women. High-ranking church jobs need good people, she says, and women should help in whatever way they feel called.

"As long as the pope has issued the directive that there will be no ordination for women, it seems senseless to pursue the issue," Kazik says. "It's better to look at what can be done, instead of worrying about what can't be done."

In their statement affirming women in hierarchy, the bishops cited a National Pastoral Life Center study showing that women hold 85 percent of parish ministry positions open to non-clergy. Girls are active as altar servers at parishes nationwide.

Kazik says both signs are promising.



Archbishop Michael Sheehan of Santa Fe and Nancy Kazik, vice chancellor of the Archdiocese of Santa Fe, talk after an afternoon meeting in Albuquerque, N.M. Sheehan created the vice chancellor's position last year in part to address lawsuits alleging sexual abuse by current and former priests.

It's not a matter of taking a back seat to men, or of doing what the priest says I should do. Instead, if I have these gifts, I need to let the priest know about them.

Sister Nancy Kazik

She says women should consider careers as parish administrators, faculty members at Catholic colleges and executives at Catholic hospitals. Catholic women in law school should consider working for the poor, she says.

"It's not a matter of taking a back seat to men, or of doing what the priest says I should do," she says. "Instead, if I have these gifts, I need to let the priest know about them."

Archbishop Michael Sheehan created the vice chancellor's post to address dozens of civil lawsuits filed in recent years alleging sexual abuse by former priests.

As the settlements of the sexual abuse lawsuits reach into the millions of dollars, Kazik has demonstrated an ability to get tough with lawyers and insurance executives.

Kazik says the archdiocese is trying to be "compassionate and caring" in handling the lawsuits, but says she would make similar decisions again.

"We have a policy and we follow that policy," she says. "Some people think the church has an unending source of funds, but that's not true. ... I have to be accountable and use the money for the purposes intended."

CHURCH IN
BRIEF

Deadline for church news items is noon Wednesday for Friday publication.

Baker's Chapel

Baker's Chapel Missionary Society will have a Hats On Parade Fashion Show 7 p.m. Saturday at Days Inn's Patio Room.

There will be a parade of hats from 1950 up to the present date. There will also be special singing. The Mission is asking a \$5 donation. The Missionary Society helps people locally that are in need and also participates in a worldwide Connectional Mission.

The president of the Missionary Society is Mrs. Venora Williams, Pastor Rev. Floyd Green, Jr.

CrossRoads Community Fellowship

The AWANA Missionary for West Texas, Dave Tubbs, will speak 10:45 a.m. Sunday at the CrossRoads Community Fellowship at the corner of East 11th Place and FM 700 in Big Spring. For more information, call the church office at 264-0734.

First Church of the Nazarene

SPIRITBOUND will be in concert in the main auditorium of the church 7 p.m., March 21. There is no charge for tickets, but a love offering will be taken.

Sunday morning Pastor Gary Smith will preach the final sermon in his 10-week Family Life series. This week's message is "Remarriage: Right or Wrong?" March 14-16 is Youth-A-Rama for the West Texas District Church of the Nazarene, in Abilene this year.

The Big Spring Church will send its quiz team, consisting of six teenagers, along with two sponsors. They will compete with teams from other churches in answering Bible questions.

Friends of Unity

James Christopherson will teach at the Friends of Unity gathering at the 11 a.m. service Sunday. He lives in Big Spring.

First United Methodist Church

Children's Choirs of First United Methodist Church, sponsor Randy Stevens and parent helpers will meet at 9 a.m. March 14 at the church and travel to Midland. For additional information call Stevens at 267-6394.

The Seniors Committee at First United Methodist Church is sponsoring "A Night On The Town With Randy," hosted by Stevens.

The group will meet March 16 at the church, and travel to Midland for a meal and movie. To make reservations call the church office.

The public is welcome to attend Noon Bible Study and Luncheon 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. each Wednesday at Garrett Hall (meetings resume March 22 after spring break.) The Men's Bible Class will be open each Wednesday afternoon.

Evangel Temple

Stephen Vincent Harley, gospel singer from Midland, will be the guest at Evangel



HARLEY

Temple Assembly of God 6 p.m. Sunday. Harley uses a combination of Southern gospel and contemporary music, and encourages people to pray for

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Everyone is welcome, according to Pastor Eugene Smith. The church is located at 2205 S. Goliad. Call 263-1136 for more information.

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FOR SATURDAY,
MARCH 11, 1995

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Settle in and do some soul-searching. Much that goes on is behind the scenes. You might need to be vulnerable. Talk out a problem with a favorite person. Tonight: Entertain at home please.***

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Be aware of your personal restrictions and biases. The more open you are, the more someone can hear your message. Communications are excellent. Tonight: Go where the party is.***

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You are talking seriously about a money or time investment. You will be putting a lot of yourself into a project. Be willing to do this. Don't change your mind. Tonight: Treat another to dinner.***

CANCER (June 21-July 22): You have a vision that empowers you. You might need to act on it. Creativity is running high. Others gather around you. You are center stage. Tonight: Enjoy the lime-light.***

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Be aware of your limits. A secret needs to be honored. Be in touch with your feelings. You'll feel better when you and a partner share emotions. Tonight: Let yourself lose control.***

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Head out the door. Focus on friendship. Communications with partners are exciting. It feels like a new beginning. Do nothing halfway and you will be happier. Tonight: Join the gang.***

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Brainstorm with a respected friend. A work-related matter of something involving your schedule needs further thought. Eliminate red tape. Tonight: Take your bow in the lime-light.***

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Be open to a foreigner or a stranger, yet use caution. This could be a very exciting relationship for you mentally. Tonight: Hit the movies.***

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Get into a relating is high-lighted. You might want to stay close to home and veg with a favorite person. Get into a project involving gardening, painting or a hobby. Tonight: Be close to the one you love.***

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Prefer to another. Excellent communications surround you. An opportunity to understand someone on a different level is important. Tonight: The more, the merrier.***

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Throw yourself into a project that takes physical energy. Consider embellishing your home or environment. Go to a flea market with friend. Tonight: Keep it low-key.***

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): The romantic in you comes out. However, you might be feeling intimidated or insecure. You are afraid of disappointment involving a special friend. Tonight: Let your imagination soar.***

IF MARCH 11 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: This year you are vested in a relationship or creative endeavor. Be careful how much energy you expend. You might suddenly find yourself on overload and upset at things that normally wouldn't bother you. If you are an artist, you will be well-respected this year. **CANCER** stimulates you.

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Walter G. McCullough
District Engineer
Texas Department of Transportation
4502 Knickerbocker Road
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Persons interested in attending the meeting who have special communication or accommodation needs are encouraged to contact the District Public Information Officer at (815) 947-9205 or 944-1501. Requests should be made no later than two days prior to the meeting. TxDOT will make every reasonable effort to accommodate these needs. 9225 February 21 & March 10, 1995

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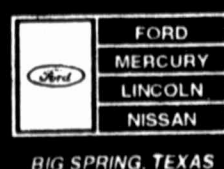
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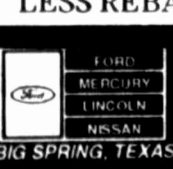


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6	PM News Wh Fortune	Full House Simpsons	MacNeil- Lehrer	Waltons (344403)	News (6497) Ent Tonight	News (6687) Wh Fortune	News (6687) Wh Fortune	Movie: The Spy Who Loved Me (587403)	Movie: Vol- ter a Empezar (75123010)	Comin' Home (CC)	American Sky News	(31698107) (20) Movie: Impasse (32170920)	Married (CC) (183367)	(13047403) Prime Time Praise	(277126) Biography (814687)	Rockford Files	Beyond 2000 Next Step	In the Heat of the Night	College Bas- ketball ACC	College Bas- ketball ACC	Gene Kelly Happen Now	Happen Now Happen
7	PM Fam. Mat. Boy-World	VR 5 (CC) (89720)	Wash. Week Wall St	Holocaust (CC)	Diagnosis Murder	Fam. Mat. Boy-World	Figure Skat- ing Worlds	Loved Me (587403)	Agustas Rosa (587403)	Movie: Pol- icia (69958)	Movie: Pol- icia (69958)	Movie: Pol- icia (69958)	Movie: Pol- icia (69958)	Movie: Pol- icia (69958)	Movie: Pol- icia (69958)	Movie: Pol- icia (69958)	Movie: Pol- icia (69958)	Movie: Pol- icia (69958)	Movie: Pol- icia (69958)	Movie: Pol- icia (69958)	Movie: Pol- icia (69958)	Movie: Pol- icia (69958)
8	PM Step by Step On Our Own	X-Files (CC) (53188)	(10) Mystery (CC)	(514855) Under Suspi- cion	Step by Step On Our Own	Step by Step On Our Own	Dateline (CC) (25942)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)	Movie: Pel- icula (69958)
9	PM 20/20 (CC) (4045)	Star Trek Voyager	(82192923) Mystery (CC)	700 Club (885720)	Picket Fences	20/20 (CC) (47720)	Homicide Life	Moonraker (216403)	Movie: 9 to 5 (192045)	Movie: 9 to 5 (192045)	Movie: 9 to 5 (192045)	Movie: 9 to 5 (192045)	Movie: 9 to 5 (192045)	Movie: 9 to 5 (192045)	Movie: 9 to 5 (192045)	Movie: 9 to 5 (192045)	Movie: 9 to 5 (192045)	Movie: 9 to 5 (192045)	Movie: 9 to 5 (192045)	Movie: 9 to 5 (192045)	Movie: 9 to 5 (192045)	Movie: 9 to 5 (192045)
10	PM News Cheers	College Basketball	(5306316) (45) Movie: (10711279)	RaceWeek Rescue 911	News Late Show	News Nightline	News (20590) Tonight Show	Noticiero Uni- P. Impacto	Movie: Every Breath	Movie: Every Breath	Movie: Every Breath	Movie: Every Breath	Movie: Every Breath	Movie: Every Breath	Movie: Every Breath	Movie: Every Breath	Movie: Every Breath	Movie: Every Breath	Movie: Every Breath	Movie: Every Breath	Movie: Every Breath	Movie: Every Breath
11	PM Roseanne Nightline	Southwest Conference	Help! (10711279)	Bonanza	Married	Ent. Tonight (36) Rolonda	House of Blues	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)	Movie: Pel- icula (972294)
12	AM Rush L. Ent. Tonight	Tournament Semifinal	Paid Program Paid Program	Jon Stewart	(8784774) Last Call	(65958) Extra	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja	Movie: Red Sonja

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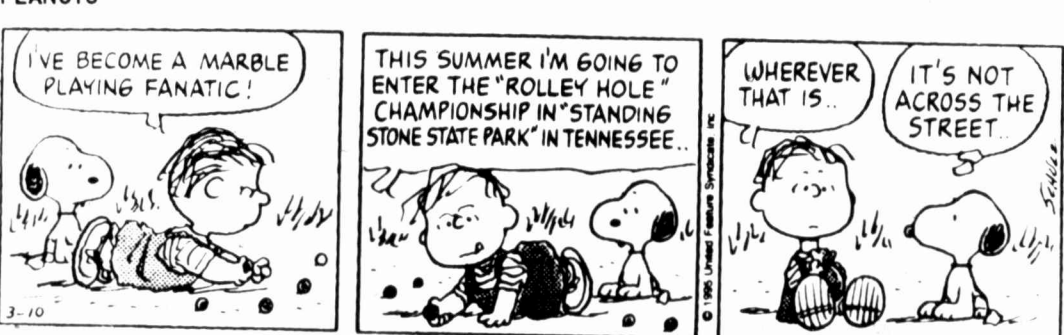
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***HEAVYWEIGHTS PG**
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HIDEAWAY R
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FORREST GUMP PG-13
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THE Daily Crossword by C F Murray

ACROSS

- Uses frugally (with "out")
- Aquatic carnivore
- Stow tightly
- Russian river
- Treaty or pipe precursor
- Excessive praise
- Mrs. Cary Grant, once
- Mimic
- Baltimore's Ripken
- Collecting facts
- Boop or Ford
- Prefix for angle or corn
- Sovereign
- Felipe or Moises
- Na Na
- Proclaimed noisily
- Wrap for leftovers
- Permit
- de plume
- Poet's word
- Talk
- Lunch, perhaps
- Biblical landing site
- Half a fly
- Soprano Gluck
- Sophia of movies
- Grain
- Shoelace end
- Model
- Arafat's org.
- Prepare for publication
- Puzzle constructor, often
- Tear apart
- Medicinal plant
- Art deco name
- PGA pegs
- Caucasian native
- Pitcher Nolan

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- Opener
- A Peron
- Private room
- Birthstone
- X
- Chinese puzzle
- Pollution indicator
- Director Clair
- Of the skull
- Light sword
- Get even
- Came together
- Coral reef
- In concert
- Idol
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- Hitchhike
- Probus
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- Away from the coast
- Grand dinner
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- Zenith
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This date in history

Today is Friday, March 10, the 69th day of 1995. There are 296 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:
On March 10, 1876, Alexander Graham Bell made what was, in effect, the first telephone call. His assistant, in an adjoining room in Boston, heard Bell's voice over the experimental device say, "Mr. Watson, come here. I want you."

On this date:
In 1496, Christopher Columbus concluded his second visit to the Western Hemisphere as he left Hispaniola for Spain.
In 1629, England's King

Charles I dissolved Parliament; he did not call it back for 11 years.

In 1785, Thomas Jefferson was appointed minister to France, succeeding Benjamin Franklin.

In 1848, the Senate ratified the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo, ending the war with Mexico.

In 1864, Ulysses S. Grant became commander of the Union armies in the Civil War.

In 1880, the Salvation Army arrived in the United States from England.

In 1894, New York Governor Roswell P. Flower signed the nation's first dog-licensing law. The license fee for a dog was two dollars, renewable each year for one dollar.

In 1948, the body of the anti-communist foreign minister of Czechoslovakia, Jan Masaryk, was found in the garden of Czernin Palace in Prague.

In 1949, Mildred E. Gillars, who'd made wartime broadcasts for the Nazis as "Axis Sally," was convicted in Washington, D.C., of treason. (She served 12 years in prison.)

In 1965, Neil Simon's play "The Odd Couple," starring Walter Matthau as Oscar Madison and Art Carney as Felix Unger, opened on Broadway.

In 1969, James Earl Ray pleaded guilty in Memphis, Tenn., to the assassination of Martin Luther King Jr. (Ray later repudiated that plea.)

In 1980, "Scarsdale Diet" author Dr. Herman Tarnower

was shot to death in Purchase, N.Y. (Jean Harris, convicted of murder, served nearly 12 years in prison before being released in January 1993.)

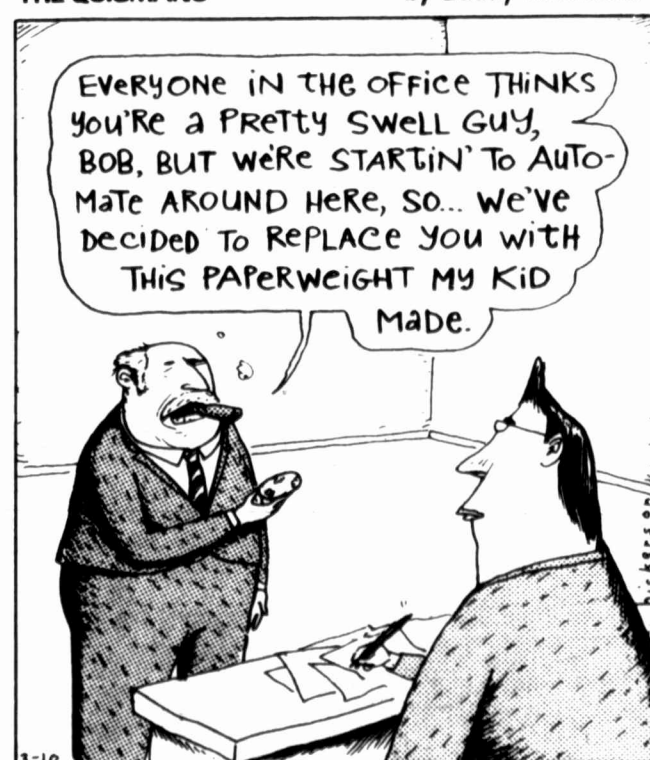
Ten years ago: Soviet leader Konstantin U. Chernenko, at the Kremlin helm for just 13 months, died at age 73 (his death, however, was not announced until the next day).

Five years ago: Haitian ruler Lt. General Prosper Avril resigned during a popular uprising against his military regime.

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