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Good Evening!**AREA**

A representative of the Pampa Social Security office will be in area towns, as listed below, to assist with Social Security matters.

Almost all Social Security business can be handled by telephone, 1-800-772-1213, for those wishing to make inquiries or appointments. For information on Medicare claims, call 1-800-442-2620 for Texas, and 1-800-522-7079 in Oklahoma.

The Pampa Social Security office is located at 125 S. Gillespie with office hours 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday except national holidays.

- Borger, Municipal Courtroom, 9 a.m. to noon, Feb. 6 and March 6.
- Canadian, Courthouse, 9:45 a.m. to noon, Jan. 5.
- Perryton, Courthouse, 9:45 a.m. to noon, Jan. 11, Feb. 8, March 8.
- Shamrock, Justice of the Peace court, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m., Jan. 10.
- Spearman, Courthouse, 10 to 11:30 a.m., Jan. 12.
- Guymon, Okla., Texas County Activity Center, Corner Sunset Lane and Fifth Street, 10 a.m. to noon, Jan. 4, Feb. 1, March 1.
- Wellington, Wellington State Bank, 10 a.m. to noon, Jan. 10, Feb. 14, March 14.

All visits are subject to change or cancellation.

PAMPA — A 22-year-old man was being held by Pampa police today after being charged with aggravated assault.

Walter Lawrence Johnson Jr., of 612 Plains, was in the police department's holding facility today after being charged with aggravated assault. Gray County Justice of the Peace Bob Muns set bond for Johnson at \$5,000.

Officers said Johnson was arrested shortly before 11 p.m. Tuesday after reportedly pulling a knife on Rosa Linda Johnson, 24, at her home at 936 S. Wells.

PAMPA — Rick Stone, Pampa landfill superintendent, has announced New Year holiday closings for the municipal landfill and sanitation routes.

The landfill will be closed Jan. 1 and Jan. 2 and will reopen for regular hours on Jan. 3.

Sanitation collection routes will not run Jan. 2 but will resume regular route service on Jan. 3.

For more information, contact Stone at 669-5840.

STATE

AUSTIN (AP) — Three Texans are celebrating Christmas all over again.

The Texas Lottery Commission on Tuesday paid out nearly \$12 million in post-Christmas prizes.

Nelson Martin of Houston was presented a check for \$548,515 as the first of 20 installments for the Dec. 24 Lotto Texas jackpot totaling \$10.8 million.

The remaining payments of \$540,000 each will be paid every Dec. 15 for the next 19 years.

The winning numbers drawn Saturday were 7, 15, 16, 31, 32 and 49.

The commission also presented a \$1 million check to Curtis McGregor of Dallas, who cashed in on the lottery's "Instant Million" game.

Rafael Hernandez of Bay City is \$100,000 richer after claiming his check from the lottery's "The \$100,000 Game."

LAREDO (AP) — Four relatives have been fatally shot in what police are investigating as a triple murder and suicide.

Investigator Bertha Mendez said the victims of the Tuesday night shooting were a father, a mother, their daughter and their son.

"It was the son that killed the father, mother and sister," said Ms. Mendez. The son then took his life, said Ms. Mendez.

The victims included Webb County elections administrator Rolando Guerra Sr., 60, according to a police report released to reporters at the scene.

The shootings were reported at 8:46 p.m. Tuesday, said Ms. Mendez.

Investigators were trying to determine what sparked the killings.

Russians resume bombing

By DAVE CARPENTER
Associated Press Writer

MOSCOW (AP) — Russian warplanes resumed bombing Chechnya today after leaders of the rebel republic refused President Boris Yeltsin's offer of peace talks. An orphanage in the Chechen capital was destroyed in one raid.

The attacks appeared to make a mockery of Yeltsin's pledge on nationwide television to stop bombing the city following scores of civilian deaths.

Heavy fighting was reported on the outskirts of Grozny late today. The Russian military confirmed it was launching "artillery, missile and bomb blows" on Chechen positions in the suburbs.

Chechen Deputy Foreign Minister Ruslan Chimayev claimed that hundreds of Russian tanks and armored vehicles were advancing on Grozny from three directions.

South of Grozny, a Russian attack on the village of Urus-Martan claimed casualties, reports said. The Chechens claimed the Russians also had bombed scores of mountain villages in which there are no militants.

Russian warplanes destroyed Children's Home No. 1, an orphanage in downtown Grozny, in a dawn raid, but the children were hiding in a basement and there were no injuries, Associated Press Television reported.

Scores of civilians have died in air strikes against Grozny since the Russians invaded Chechnya on Dec. 11.

In a televised speech Tuesday, Yeltsin said he had ordered a halt to air strikes "that cause civilian casualties" in Grozny. He also proposed new peace talks.

But the raids resumed after Chechen officials dismissed his speech for failing to meet their main demand: withdrawal of troops.

Chechnya, a republic in the Caucasus Mountains, declared independence from Russia in 1991.

Even as Yeltsin spoke Tuesday, the Chechens claimed new Russian aerial attacks on three villages south of Grozny.

Yeltsin made it clear Russian forces would spare no effort to end "the outrage of gangsterism" in Chechnya, a mostly Muslim republic of 1.2 million people.

Chechen fighters number only several thousand against as many as 40,000 Russian troops who entered the break-away region Dec. 11.

Yeltsin has faced harsh criticism at home and, to a lesser extent, abroad for a botched military operation that the Chechens say has killed hundreds of civilians.

Eight members of his advisory Presidential Council who advocate a peaceful settlement sent him a letter Tuesday demanding he meet with them on Chechnya.

Looking somber in his first public appearance since launching the offensive, Yeltsin expressed regret at the civilian deaths and said he had ordered the bombing of Grozny stopped.

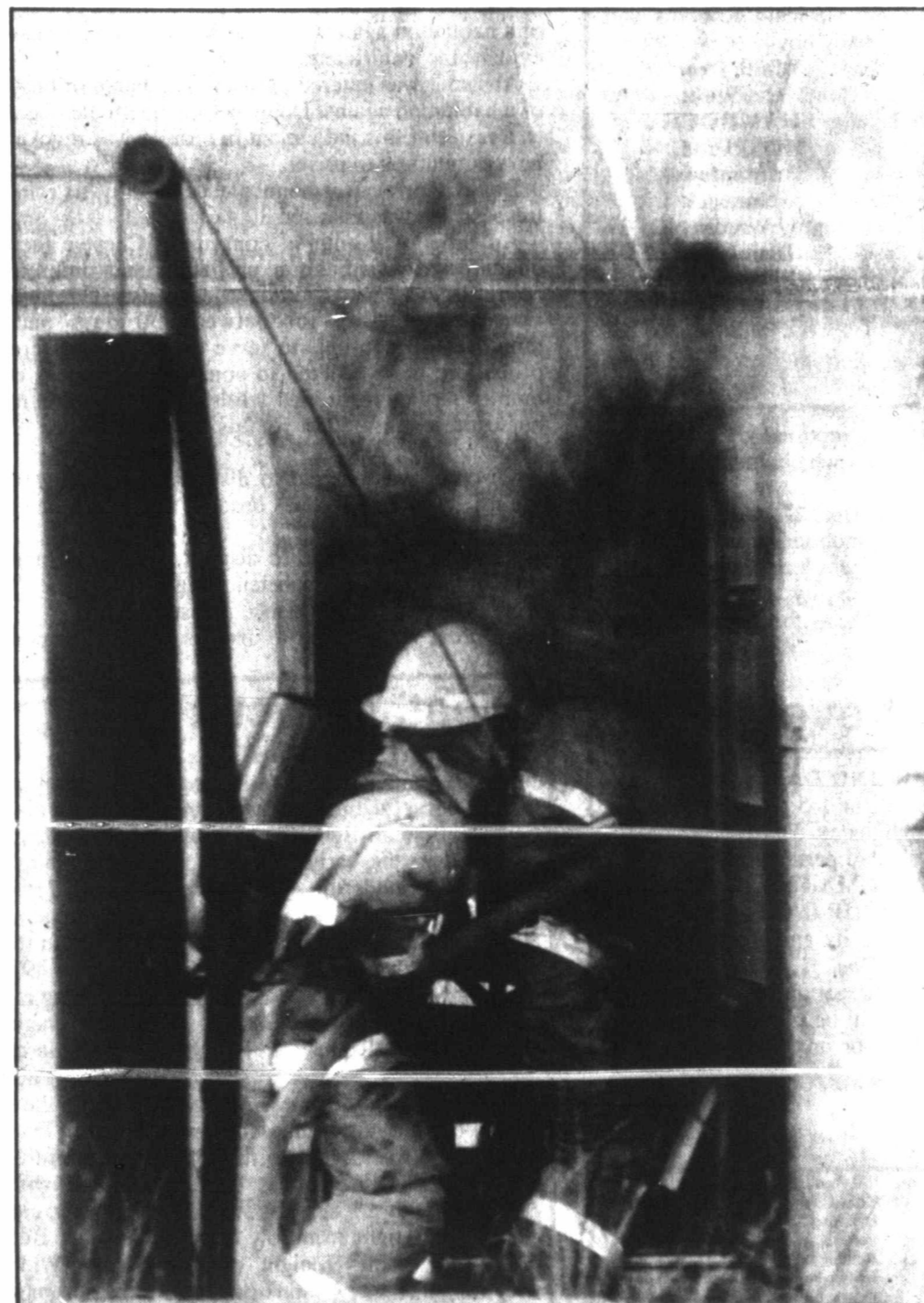
He said he had ordered senior officials to negotiate with the Chechens on a cease-fire and disarmament.

Yeltsin reiterated his complaints about Chechnya as a haven for criminals and terrorists and called for new elections there. Organized crime groups are active in Chechnya, but Chechens say the charges are a smokescreen for Russia's desire to reassert rule over them.

"Russian soldiers are defending the integrity of Russia. It is an essential condition for the existence of the Russian state ... None of the territories has the right to secede from Russia," Yeltsin said.

The Kremlin fears other republics could follow Chechnya's example and try to secede.

Mobile home fire



(Pampa News photo by Malinda Martinez)

Firefighters from the Pampa Fire Department enter a mobile home which caught fire Tuesday afternoon. No one was in the mobile home at the time of the fire, which caused extensive damage to the home. The fire is under investigation. The mobile home was located on Gray County Road 1 off Texas 749 1 1/4 miles east of town.

U.S. diplomat fails to obtain release of American pilot

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — A U.S. diplomat failed today to win the release of an American pilot held in North Korea. An angry President Clinton denied the pilot was on a spy mission and said the North had no reason to hold him.

Army pilot Bobby Hall was captured after his U.S. Army OH-58C helicopter went down Dec. 17 in North Korean territory. Fellow Chief Warrant Officer David Hilemon died. His body was returned Thursday.

Today, Clinton denied the North's charges that Hall was a spy and insisted that the helicopter wandered into communist territory by accident. "There is no reason for his detention," he said.

But the president stopped short of threatening to undo the recent U.S.-North Korea nuclear accord.

Thomas Hubbard, a deputy assistant secretary of state who has negotiated with North Korea before, traveled there today to try to defuse an already difficult international incident that has taken a sudden turn for the worse.

Rep. Lee Hamilton, the outgoing chairman of the House Foreign Relations Committee, said he was told the talks between Hubbard and the North Koreans "were not very satisfactory."

"The latest information I have simply was that his initial meetings did not meet with success, and that the next step was military talks with

regard to the incident itself," Hamilton, D-Ind., told Fox TV.

The United States, he said, is having a hard time convincing the North Koreans that the helicopter was not on a spy mission. "I suspect that that can best be done not by our diplomats, but by our military people in Korea," he said.

When Hilemon's body was returned under a deal negotiated by U.S. Rep. Bill Richardson, D-N.M., there were hopes Hall would be released by Christmas.

But as the holiday came and went, concerns grew. Then on Tuesday, North Korea accused Hall of spying and demanded that Washington apologize.

In another ominous development, a South Korean newspaper quoted a senior North Korean diplomat at the United Nations as saying Hall is holding up its investigation by refusing to cooperate. North Korea has said he won't be freed until its probe is complete.

"If Warrant Officer Hall does not tell the truth and continues to be uncooperative, the investigation will take a considerably long time," the Hankyoreh Shinmun newspaper quoted the diplomat as saying.

Washington sent Hubbard, who was the No. 2 man in negotiating the nuclear accord with Pyongyang signed two months ago, both because of his experience in dealing with the North and his status as a mid-level official.

Proof of residency required to obtain vehicle registration

Residents of Gray County must now go through some extra steps before the Texas Department of Transportation is allowed to issue motor vehicle registrations to them, according to Gray County Tax Assessor-Collector Sammie Morris.

Morris said the action is required by a new federal law that regulates air quality in Texas.

The federal government has identified several metropolitan areas in the state where the level of air pollution is serious: Dallas/Fort Worth, Houston, Beaumont/Port Arthur and El Paso. Vehicle emissions testing will be required in counties that fall within those four areas.

Even though an emissions test will not be required in Gray County, motorists will still have to prove that is where they actually live and that they are not trying to dodge the law, Morris explained.

The Gray County Tax Assessor-Collector's office is a statutory

agent of the Texas Department of Transportation and has the responsibility of verifying a motor vehicle owner's address, she said.

The following documents, or copies, will be accepted as proof of residency: Voter registration card, driver's license, utility or telephone bill, property tax statement or receipt, school tuition receipt or valid proof of liability insurance.

One of these items must be presented whether the motorist is obtaining vehicle registration by mail or in person, Morris said.

House Bill 1969, enacted by the Texas Legislature in 1993, authorizes the collection of a 25 cent fee by tax assessor-collectors in counties where motorists must show proof of residency. This fee is compensation for the mandatory need to confirm the required residency documentation, Morris said.

For more information, contact Morris at 669-8018, or at her office in the Gray County Courthouse.

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Rebels ready for peace talks

SAN CRISTOBAL DE LAS CASAS, Mexico (AP) — Indian rebels have indicated they are ready to resume peace talks, breaking a silence that had caused fears of new violence in southern Chiapas state.

The threat of combat in Chiapas contributed to the Mexican peso's precipitous decline, which in turn has triggered a national economic crisis. The peso has lost more than a third of its value against the dollar since Dec. 20.

A conciliatory letter from the Zapatista National Liberation Army, released Tuesday night, was sure to help calm nervousness created by recent rebel and army activity.

In the letter, rebel leader Subcomandante Marcos said the Zapatistas were pleased the government had accepted their demand to have a church-led commission mediate peace talks.

The commission is headed by Roman Catholic Bishop Samuel Ruiz, who has been fasting for peace since Dec. 19. Ruiz had urged the rebels to return to the negotiating table.

The letter, released by the church, was dated Christmas Day.

He had no immediate comment on the Zapatista letter, but the military high command said troops who had recently encircled rebel territory were pulling back from two areas as a conciliatory gesture.

The rebels also recognized Interior Secretary Esteban Moctezuma as the president's representative in peace efforts. They insisted that all communications with Moctezuma go through the mediating commission.

The lack of communication from the Zapatistas had unnerved Mexicans who fear a repeat of an uprising last New Year's Day in which more than 145 people were killed.

Daily Record

Services tomorrow

HOGGATT, Johnnie Orville 'Bud' — 2 p.m., First Baptist Church, Hedley.
LILLEY, Naomi Lee — Graveside, 1 p.m., Westlawn Memorial Park, Borger.
REEVES, Roy Tyler Jordan — 10 a.m., Central Baptist Church, Pampa.

Obituaries

NAOMI LEE LILLEY
BORGER — Naomi Lee Lilley, 97, of Durant, Okla., mother of a Skellytown man, died Sunday, Dec. 25, 1994. Graveside services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday in Westlawn Memorial Park Cemetery in Borger, with the Rev. G.R. "Scott" Cundriff, pastor of Trinity Church of the Nazarene, officiating. Arrangements are by Minton-Chatwell Funeral Directors of Borger.
 Mrs. Lilley was born in Durant and had lived there 64 years. She was a former resident of Borger and was a member of the Trinity Church of the Nazarene.
 Survivors include three sons, Leonard Lilley of Ardmore, Okla., W.R. Lilley of Mead, Okla., and C.F. Lilley of Skellytown; a daughter, Juanita M. Woods of Arlington; 11 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and nine great-great-grandchildren.

GLYNN E. 'KAT' PUGH
FORSYTH, Mont. — Glynn E. "Kat" Pugh, 77, a former resident of Wheeler and Gray counties in Texas and brother of a McLean, Texas, woman, died Wednesday, Dec. 21, 1994 in Forsyth. Services were to have been today in Forsyth at the Federated Church, with Jim Coats, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Rosebud County Cemetery under the direction of Beal Mortuary.
 Mr. Pugh was born at Gracie, in Wheeler County, on June 5, 1917. He graduated from McLean High School and worked on road construction in New Mexico and in the oilfields of the Texas Panhandle. He married LaVerne Bailey in 1938 and they ranched in Texas until 1947, when they moved to a ranch on the Tongue River in Montana. They moved to Forsyth in 1965 and founded G.O. Electric Co.
 LaVerne Pugh died in December 1978. Mr. Pugh later married Faye Thomas Kimball in Forsyth on Feb. 15, 1980.

Mr. Pugh was a member of the Ashland Methodist Church, Hiram Lodge No. 52, the Masonic Social Club of St. George, Utah, and the Forsyth Country Club.
 He also was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers.

Survivors include his wife, Faye, of the home; five daughters and four sons-in-law, Jean and Berniel Evenson of Great Falls, Mont., Dixie and Earl Cozzens, Sherry and Dick Thomas, and Toy and Alan Rolston, all of Forsyth, and Kitty Pugh of Billings, Mont.; a sister, Anne Miller of McLean, Texas; his mother-in-law, Mattie Haynes Bailey of Amarillo, Texas; 14 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.
 The family requests memorials be to The Federated Church Organ Fund or the Rosebud Community Hospital, both in Forsyth, MT 59327.

ROY TYLER JORDAN REEVES
 Roy Tyler Jordan Reeves, 15-month-old son of Troyce and Julie Reeves of Pampa, died Tuesday, Dec. 27, 1994 in an Amarillo hospital. Services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday in Central Baptist Church, with the Rev. Norman Rushing, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whalley Funeral Directors.
 Roy was born Sept. 22, 1993 in Pampa.
 He is survived by his parents; maternal grandparents, Lee and Jan French of Pampa; paternal grandparents, Donna Gordy of Skellytown and Thomas and Sherry Reeves of Pampa; great-grandparents, Robert and Doris Young, Frances French, Alvin and Naomi Cornelison, and Roy and Minnie Reeves, all of Pampa; and a great-great-grandmother, Minerva Jane Medley of Marlow, Okla.

The family requests memorials be to The Children's Miracle Network in Lubbock.

OAK ALLEE WHITTLE
AMARILLO — Oak Allee Whittle, 82, of Amarillo, a former Pampa resident and mother of a Pampa woman, died Monday, Dec. 26, 1994. Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Friday in Llano Cemetery in Amarillo with the Rev. Charles Gibson, pastor of Washington Avenue Christian Church, officiating. Arrangements are by Bell Avenue Chapel of Schooler-Gordon-Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Directors.
 Mrs. Whittle was born in Cleburne. She married C.M. "Peg" Whittle in Sayre, Okla., on Dec. 30, 1930. They owned and operated Peg's Cafe in Pampa until 1956. Mr. Whittle died in June 1975. Mrs. Whittle was an avid bowler and golfer and was a member of Polk Street United Methodist Church in Amarillo. She was a volunteer for R.S.V.P.
 Survivors include two daughters, J.K. "Kathy" Massey of Amarillo and Johnnie Ray of Pampa; a sister, Katherine January of Corpus Christi; eight grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.
 The family requests memorials be to Crown of Texas Hospice, 1000 S. Jefferson, Amarillo, TX 79101.
 The family will be at 5000 S. Parker in Amarillo.

VELMA J. WILLIS
MCLEAN — Velma J. Willis, 88, a longtime McLean resident, died Tuesday, Dec. 27, 1994. Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday in the Lamb-Ferguson Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Buell Wells, a retired Baptist minister, officiating. Burial will be in Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of Lamb-Ferguson Funeral Home.
 Mrs. Willis was born in Oklahoma and moved to McLean in 1943 from New Mexico. She married Joe Willis in 1924 at Wheeler. He died in 1986. She was a homemaker and a member of First Baptist Church of McLean.
 Survivors include three daughters, Brilla Scott of Logan, N.M., Laura Kennedy of Amarillo and Bonnie Simpson of Hobbs, N.M.; a sister, Tesra Gideon of Long Beach, Calif.; five grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Police report

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents in the 24-hour period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

TUESDAY, Dec. 27

Rosa Linda Johnson, 936 S. Wells, reported an aggravated assault.
 A violation of a protective order was reported in the 900 block of South Wells.
 Family violence was reported in the 1300 block of East Kingsmill.
 Indecency with a child was reported in the 900 block of South Faulkner.
 Betty King, 1608 N. Sumner, reported the unauthorized use of a motor vehicle.
 Lowe's Market Place, 1424 N. Hobart, reported a forgery.
 Arson was reported at 2804 Rosewood.
 Lisa Diane Orr, 1128 Wilcox, reported a burglary.
 Mary Lou Winegeart, 2242 Hamilton, reported theft from a motor vehicle in the Wal-Mart parking lot.
 Michael Hilton reported criminal mischief in the 1100 block of East Francis.
Arrests
TUESDAY, Dec. 27
 Walter Lawrence Johnson Jr., 22, of 612 Plains, was arrested in connection with an aggravated assault.
 Daniel L. Tolbert, 20, of 2225 Evergreen, was arrested in Donley County on a warrant.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

TUESDAY, Dec. 27

3 p.m. — Two units and four personnel responded to a medical assistance call at 932 S. Banks.
 3 p.m. — One unit and three personnel responded to an automobile accident at the intersection of Duncan and Harvester.
 3:48 p.m. — Four units and 12 personnel responded to a mobile home fire 1 1/4 miles east of Pampa on Gray County Road 1 from Texas 749. No one was home at the time the blaze broke out. There was extensive damage, according to fire department reports.

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions Pampa	Wilber Beck (to extended care)
Doll Alexander	Fritch
James Bryant	Maribeth Robbins and baby boy
Bertha Moore	White Deer
Wilber Beck (extended care)	Iva Marie White
Canadian Dismissals Pampa	SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions Shamrock
Christine Pruitt	Jimmy Westbrook
Dismissals Pampa	Dismissals Shamrock
Johnny Carver	Larry Shane
Essie Medley	

Accidents

Pampa Police Department reported the following accident in the 24-hour period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

TUESDAY, Dec. 27

2:55 p.m. — A 1988 Oldsmobile driven by Boise Griffin, 77, of 1715 Aspen, was in collision with a 1990 Chevrolet van driven by Jean McBride Browning, 37, of 711 E. 14th, at the intersection of Duncan and Harvester.

Calendar of events

VFW DOMINO DAY
 VFW Domino Day is set for 1-5 p.m. Thursday at the Post Home, Borger Highway. Free coffee, bring your own dominos. No alcohol permitted.
BETA SIGMA PHI SCHOLARSHIP DANCE
 Beta Sigma Phi will have its annual Scholarship Dance on New Year's Eve, Dec. 31, from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the M.K. Brown Memorial Auditorium and Civic Center. CrackerJack will be playing. For ticket information, call 665-6037, or any Beta Sigma Phi member.

Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa.

Wheat	3.78	Coca-Cola	52 3/8	dn1/8
Milo	3.84	Diamond Sham	26 1/2	up1/4
Corn	4.24	Ercon	30 1/8	up1/4
		Halliburton	33 3/4	dn3/8
		HealthTrust Inc.	32 3/8	dn1/4
		Ingersoll Rand	32 1/8	NC
		KNE	22 3/8	NC
		Kerr McGee	46 1/4	dn1/8
		Limited	17 7/8	dn1/4
		Mapco	50 7/8	dn1/4
		Maxus	3 3/8	dn3/16
		McDonald's	29 1/2	up3/8
		Mobil	85 1/8	dn1/8
		New Atmos	17	NC
		Parker & Parsley	19 3/8	up1/8
		Penney's	42 5/8	dn1/8
		Phillips	33 1/8	dn1/4
		SLB	51 1/8	up5/8
		SPS	26 3/4	dn1/8
		Tenneco	42 1/8	NC
		Texaco	60 7/8	dn 1/8
		Wal-Mart	21 1/2	up1/4
		New York Gold	381.85	
		Silver	4.78	
		West Texas Crude	17.64	

The following show the prices for which these securities could have traded at the time of compilation:

Nowaco	10 3/4	NC
Occidental	19 1/2	dn1/8

The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation:

Magellan	66.67
Puritan	14.82

The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa.

Amoco	58 3/8	dn3/8
Arco	102 1/2	dn1/2
Cabot	28 1/2	up1/8
Cabot O&G	13 5/8	up1/4

Emergency numbers

Ambulance	911
Crime Stoppers	669-2222
Energas	665-5777
Fire	911
Police (emergency)	911
Police (non-emergency)	669-5700
SPS	669-7432
Water	669-5830

Texas passes New York in population

By SCOTT ROTHSCHILD
 Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — Texans have one more thing to brag about.

The Lone Star State — a frontier in many places earlier this century — has replaced New York as the second most populous state in the country.

Texas used the Census Bureau announcement Tuesday to boast, reflect, and even giggle third-place New York.

"You know that commercial about the picante sauce where they are comparing Texas to New York City, and they wrinkle up their nose at New York? That kind of echoes my thoughts," said state Rep. Layton Black, D-Goldthwaite.

"Lord, don't compare us to New York in anything but population. There is a wide gulf between our two states and all their problems," he said.

Texas added 356,000 people in one year. With 18.4 million residents as of last July 1, Texas overtook New York, which grew 16,000 to a total of 18.2 million.

Historians, demographers, and others trace Texas' booming growth to World War II when the petrochemical industry was built up along the gulf coast, and military bases sprouted everywhere.

In the 1940s, 80 percent of Texans lived in rural areas and 20 percent lived in the cities, said author-historian T.R. Fehrenbach. That figure is now reversed, he said.

"The big thing about this is it's a tribute to things we're doing right, but it also is part of a demographic trend in the United States," said Fehrenbach.

Fehrenbach said Texas was still a frontier state in many areas well into the 20th century. "Cowboys still wore pistols in the 1930s quite commonly into town," he said.

Despite economic busts along the way, Texas has maintained a friendly business climate and large labor force, said George Christian, a Democratic operative and former press secretary to President Johnson. And the state recently has diversified its economy from the staples of cattle, cotton and oil.

But Christian says the invention of air conditioning had as much to do as anything else with Texas' growth. "When buildings and homes began to be air-conditioned, this became a more comfortable place to live," he said.

Teresa Sullivan, a sociology professor at the University of Texas at Austin, said Texas' move up the population ladder illustrates the country's changes in immigration.

At one time, New York was the traditional home for immigrants where they arrived by boat passing the Statue of Liberty.

But immigrants now are more likely to arrive by airplane or over borders, making Texas and California popular destinations, she said.

Steve Murdock, a Texas A&M

professor who works as chief demographer for the Texas State Data Center, said about half the population growth in Texas is from natural increase — more people are born than die each year. A quarter of the growth is from immigration, and the final quarter is from people migrating from other states.

Neither New York nor California, the most populous state, gets as much migration from other states as does Texas, Murdock said.

"I think what this generally reflects is patterns of economic growth that in turn result in demographic increases," he said. "Economic growth leads to increased numbers of jobs and numbers of jobs bring people in to take those jobs."

Karen Hughes, a spokeswoman for Gov.-elect George W. Bush, said Texas' new status may add to its political clout.

"Given the new sentiment in Washington to let states assume additional responsibilities with minimal interference from Washington, Texas may emerge as even more a leader in that movement... with our new position as the second most populous state," she said.

Christian, however, said surpassing New York in population probably won't change anything, except to add to the list of things that Texans brag about.

"It's part of our culture, but it irritates the devil out of people outside of Texas," he said.

Court report

COUNTY COURT

William Craig Stephens pleaded guilty to theft \$20-\$200. He was assessed \$100 fine, six months probation, \$170 court costs and \$36 restitution.

DISTRICT COURT

Criminal
 An order was entered continuing Brenda Sue Moore on probation for another year.
 Teri Lea Armstrong pleaded guilty to delivery of marijuana. She was assessed \$140 restitution, \$500 fine and two years deferred adjudication probation.

An order was entered to dismiss a charge of burglary of a habitation against Laqueta Mary Smith because the evidence is insufficient.
 An order was entered to dismiss a charge of burglary of a habitation against Douglas Eugene Medley because as a result of this indictment his parole was revoke and he was returned to prison.
 David Patrick Borsheim pleaded guilty to criminal trespass. He was assessed 30 days in jail.

An order was entered continuing Chester Jackson on deferred adjudication probation and ordered his commitment to Lubbock County Community Correction facility for between 30 days and 24 months, then continue to serve the remaining term of probation; he is ordered to complete 320 hours community service restitution while in Lubbock and reimburse the county \$225 for his court-appointed attorney.

An order was entered to dismiss charge of robbery against Jeena Hinds Jones because defendant was convicted in another case.

An order was entered to dismiss a charge of possession of a controlled substance against Gregory Verl Worden because the evidence is insufficient.

An order was entered to dismiss a charge of possession of a controlled substance against Christopher Leal because the evidence is insufficient.

Joe Ray Callaway pleaded guilty to possession of a controlled substance. He was assessed five years probation, \$1,000 fine, \$140 restitution and \$450 court-appointed attorney fees.
 Leo F. McMahon Jr. was assessed five years probation, \$500 fine and \$450 court-appointed attorney fees following completion of Substance Abuse Felony Punishment facility confinement.

An order was entered continuing Jayme Lynn Nation on deferred adjudication probation and sending her to Taylor County Restitution Center. Her probation is to continue until Aug. 12, 1996 and she is ordered to pay \$225 court-appointed attorney fees.
 An order was entered to dismiss a charge of burglary of a habitation against Ginger Ann Smith because the evidence is insufficient.

An order was entered terminating the probation of Brian Lee Fuller.

Civil

Estate of Claude B. McAllister, deceased, probate appeal
 Hi-Plains N.T.S. Communication, Inc. vs. Alamo Energy Company, suit on debt
 Willie Mills Sr. vs. National Union Fire Insurance Company of Pittsburgh, Pa., worker's comp
 Chase Manhattan Automotive Finance Corp. vs. John Mann, temporary administrator of the estate of Nancy Frasier, deceased, suit on contract
 Guaranty Acceptance Corp. as assignee of the Resolution Trust Corp. vs. Jackie R. Sutton and Gwen F. Sutton, suit on note

Divorce

Leon Ricky Powers and Jimmie Beth Powers
 Suzanne Marie Alford and Ronald Joe Alford

Weather focus

locally dense at times central and southern sections. Lows in low and mid 30s. Thursday, areas of dense fog central and southern sections of the south plains early, then decreasing cloudiness. Mostly cloudy on rolling plains. Highs 55-60.

North Texas — Tonight, rain and a few thunderstorms, with rain heavy at times in the east. Lows 35 north-west to 49 southeast. Thursday, decreasing cloudiness west and central. A chance of rain during the morning in central region, a chance of rain and thunderstorms east. Highs in the 50s to near 60.

South Texas — Hill Country and South Central: Tonight, cloudy with scattered showers. Lows in the 40s. Thursday, cloudy. Highs in the 60s. Coastal Bend: Tonight, mostly cloudy. Widely scattered showers. Lows from the 40s inland to 50s coast. Thursday, mostly cloudy.

Highs in the 60s. Lower Rio Grande Valley and Plains: Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows from the 40s inland to 50s coast. Thursday, partly cloudy. Highs in the 60s to near 70.

BORDER STATES
 New Mexico — Tonight, increasing cloudiness northwest with a slight chance of showers or mountain snow showers. Partly cloudy elsewhere. Lows teens and 20s mountains with upper 20s to 30s at lower elevations. Thursday, variable cloudiness north and partly cloudy south. Chance for showers or mountain snow showers central and north. Highs 40s mountains and northwest with 50s to mid 60s east and south.

Oklahoma — Tonight, cloudy with a chance of rain. Lows 35 to 45. Thursday, mostly cloudy with a chance of rain. Highs upper 40s to mid 50s.

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State sends Gray County government \$777 in bingo fees

Gray County residents won \$15,340 playing charitable bingo during the third quarter of this year, and county government will receive 5 percent — or \$777 — of that amount from the

local-option bingo fee will share \$2.7 million for the third quarter. Gray County Judge Carl Kennedy said the bingo fee money goes into the county's general fund.

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Veteran Kansas Democrat tapped as new agriculture secretary

By RON FOURNIER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Clinton today named lameduck lawmaker Dan Glickman to replace Agriculture Secretary Mike Espy, who resigned under an ethical cloud.

"His knowledge, experience and understanding of the needs of the American farmer make him exactly the right person to become secretary of Agriculture when we write the farm bill in 1995," Clinton said of Glickman.

Glickman referred today to the challenge of the five-year farm bill that he must help craft. "Agriculture is not and should not be immune to change," Glickman said at a Rose Garden ceremony.

Glickman was turned out of Congress by a Republican who capitalized on Clinton's unpopularity. Glickman had sought the

job two years ago when Espy was chosen.

Espy, who joined his successor at the announcement, resigned in October, effective Dec. 31, after an independent prosecutor began examining gifts the Cabinet member received from individuals and firms doing business with the Agriculture Department.

Clinton heaped praise on Espy. "He did a superb job," Clinton said.

It was Clinton's first major appointment since the November congressional elections. Clinton will wait until the New Year to fill other vacancies, including press secretary and surgeon general.

Glickman promised farm policies "which provide a stable and secure supply of food at reasonable prices."

Summing up his task, he said, "The challenges are daunting but the opportunities are immense."



Dan Glickman

Glickman's selection comes at a time of retrenchment at the Agriculture Department: The

sprawling bureaucracy is being forced to trim its staff by 11,000, reduce spending by up to \$3.5 billion and close nearly 1,100 of its 3,600 county offices.

As a nine-term congressman with three farm bills behind him, Glickman brings valuable experience as Congress goes about writing the five-year farm legislation in 1995.

Glickman, 50, edged out Deputy Secretary Richard E. Rominger and Rep. E. "Kika" de la Garza, D-Texas, chairman of the House Agriculture Committee, for the Cabinet job.

Glickman parted company with Clinton earlier this year by voting against the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, the new world trade pact the administration says will boost U.S. farm exports.

He also blamed the president's low popularity for his surprise election defeat. Republican state

Sen. Todd Tiahrt, running ads tying Glickman to Clinton, beat the better-financed incumbent.

"The anti-Washington mood is strong," Glickman said after the election. "Clinton was relatively unpopular."

But his candidacy received a boost from White House chief of staff Leon Panetta, a former congressman and friend of Glickman.

The selection makes Kansas a political center of agriculture; incoming Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole and incoming House Agriculture Committee Chairman Rep. Pat Roberts also are from the Farm Belt state.

Glickman serves on the House Agriculture Committee and helped push through a bill that reorganized the Agriculture Department. He also fought to focus farm subsidy programs on low- and middle-income farmers and tried to increase federal oversight of the

commodity futures markets.

He is better known for serving as chairman of the House Intelligence Committee. With some pushing for CIA Director James Woolsey's ouster, Glickman was regarded as a candidate for that job.

Sen. Patrick J. Leahy, D-Vt., chairman of the Senate Agriculture Committee, said Glickman's experience will help him make some tough cuts at USDA.

"A number of us ... are committed to cut even more the amount of money spent on agriculture," Leahy said. "The thing is to make sure that what is left is spent in the best way."

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Lawmen across Texas condemn Rhino-Ammo bullets

By The Associated Press

News that an inventor plans to manufacture body-armor piercing bullets has drawn outrage from Texas lawmen and skepticism from gun dealers and other experts.

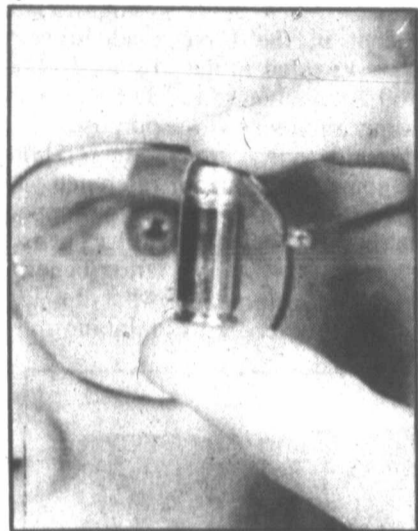
David Keen, an Alabama research chemist, says he has developed the controversial bullets as "a strictly defensive round."

"Why they would create something that would go through bullet-proof vests? Come on," Bexar County Sheriff Ralph Lopez said Tuesday. "Mr. Keen ought to be ashamed of himself."

In a story about the bullets earlier this week, Keen told The Associated Press that his company was bringing out "Black Rhino" and "Rhino-Ammo" bullets that can leave baseball-sized holes in people because of the way they fragment on impact with human flesh. In addition, the Black Rhino bullets have a design that can penetrate bullet-proof vests. Federal approval was pending, expected in about a month.

Keen today promised to delay release of the Black Rhino bullets because of concerns about them. He said he would go ahead with other Rhino versions.

Al Philippus, deputy police chief in San Antonio, said possession or



(AP photo)

David A. Keen, chief-executive officer of Signature Products, holds one of his Rhino-Ammo bullets.

sale of armor-piercing ammunition is illegal in Texas, and he will seek legal advice about the Rhino bullets.

"I have a great deal of concern. I think that if this type of ammunition is found on the street, it's going to be used for one purpose and one purpose only, and that is to kill people. It's going to be used against police officers," Philippus said.

Article 46.05 of the Texas Penal Code makes it a third-degree felony to possess, manufacture, transport, repair or sell armor-piercing ammunition. The law, which took effect Sept. 1, provides for punishment of between two and 10 years' imprisonment and a fine of up to \$10,000.

Doug Elder, president of the Houston Police Officers Association, said his group will ask Texas Sens. Kay Bailey Hutchison and Phil Gramm to close what is being viewed as a loophole in the new federal crime bill that allows the manufacture of such bullets.

"If the price is right, they're available to everyone," Elder said. "About the only people who wear body armor are police officers."

"I can't see any legitimate need for these bullets whatsoever," said Sgt. Paul Kratz, a Fort Worth Police Department homicide detective. "I see absolutely no need for this other than criminal."

Bexar County Medical Examiner Dr. Vincent Di Maio of San Antonio, an expert who has written a book on gunshot wounds, was skeptical about the new bullets.

"It sounds like a bunch of hype; they're talking about 8-inch wounds. That's absurd," he said.

DiMaio said a bullet that frag-

mented on contact would produce a superficial wound, less lethal than one produced by a projectile that stayed intact.

The National Rifle Association also questioned whether Keen's bullet can do what he says it can do.

"This has all the trappings of a hoax," the NRA said in a statement. "Who does (Keen) work for?"

Bill Carter, owner of four Carter Country ammunition outlets in Houston, said Tuesday he will refuse to stock both "Black Rhino" and "Rhino-Ammo."

"I'm doing what any responsible dealer would do, and it didn't take long to reach that decision," he said. "I don't think you'll see it in the Houston marketplace."

Dallas gun dealer Ron Rutledge said he received about 20 telephone calls Tuesday morning about the new ammunition, but he said he wasn't certain if he would stock it or if it will actually become available for sale.

"That stuff hasn't even hit the market yet," he said.

Advance publicity about the ammunition may make it too hot for dealers to handle, Rutledge said.

"I don't see it being a real big deal," Rutledge said. "It'll probably be a hot item in and out so quick no one will ever know it's there."

Peso continues to fall

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Concern about Mexico's economy following last week's devaluation of the peso is pressuring the currency further and bringing calls for government action from the business community.

"Mexican society must have a clear vision of where this country will be headed in the coming months," said Antonio Sanchez Diaz de Rivera, head of the powerful business lobby Coparmex.

The peso slid another 10 percent against the dollar on Tuesday, closing at 5.60 to the dollar, down from 5.025 on the previous day of trading. Mexican stocks also were hurt, losing 2.81 percent on Tuesday to 2,276.90, a decline of 65.89 points.

Investors in Mexico and abroad were stunned last week when the government lowered the peso's trading floor, triggering a devaluation that has shaved more than one-third from the currency's value against the dollar.

The devaluation came nearly a year after the Jan. 1 launch of the North American Free Trade Agreement, which represented a peak in foreign investors' confidence in Mexico.

But the NAFTA excitement coincided with an Indian uprising in the southern state of Chiapas that continues to generate political unrest and contributed to the peso's fall.

President Ernesto Zedillo has quickly agreed to rebel demands that a Roman Catholic Church commission mediate a renewal of peace talks. The rebel Zapatista National Liberation Army released a conciliatory message late Tuesday agreeing to negotiations.

The economic crisis also comes during a change in administrations in Mexico. Zedillo is less than a month into his six-year term, and uncertainty about his leadership is another factor causing weakness.

Other concerns include a belief among some that the peso was overvalued against the dollar, and Mexico's persistent trade deficit.

Zedillo has announced a 60-day freeze on wages and prices in hopes of limiting inflation, but there were reports Tuesday of price markups by supermarkets, businesses and specialty stores selling imported goods.

Stocks of Mexican companies trading in New York took a beating Tuesday.

Bus crash leads to explosion, fire

MATURIN, Venezuela (AP) — Two passenger buses collided head-on today, rupturing a roadside pipeline and setting off an explosion. Several dozen people were killed, officials said.

"We have about 40 victims," Violeida Guerrero, spokeswoman for the state oil and gas pipeline company Corpoven, told the Associated Press.

Ruben Padrino of the Civil Defense forces in Maturin said the toll might reach 50 dead.

Most of the victims taken to Manuel Nunez de Tovar Hospital in Maturin, where "very few were saved," said emergency-room doctor Rosa Gonzalez.

The accident occurred in the town of El Furril near Maturin, about 260 miles southeast of the capital Caracas.

Guerrero said Corpoven maintains separate oil and natural gas pipelines along that stretch of national highway.

Five charged in beating, torture of hostage

HOUSTON (AP) — Five people have been charged with aggravated kidnapping after a 17-year-old boy was viciously beaten, terrorized and tortured while he was kept hostage for three days in a Houston apartment, police say.

Officers said Tuesday the youth was abducted last week after a confrontation with a group of young people. Sources told reporters that the confrontation may have involved drugs, theft and possibly sex.

Nine people have been arrested, but only five have been charged. Police say there could be as many as seven other arrests before the investigation is completed.

Officers say the repeated attacks on the youth, who was not identified, took place between Dec. 18 and Dec. 21.

The victim was in poor condition at Ben Taub Hospital early today.

Those charged include Darell Daniels, 19; Lisa Mae Badger, 18; Christopher Daniel Taylor, 22; Hesper Loriane Castro, 17, all of Houston, and Timothy Joe Lathrop, 19, of West Unity, Ohio.

The victim was abducted by three men on Dec. 18 after leaving Ben Taub Hospital, where he had been treated for an earlier assault by the same group, police said. The men took him to Daniels' apartment where Daniels ordered the three to beat him with a metal bar, according to court records.

The teen was then placed in a closet hidden behind a bookshelf for the remainder of the night.

The next day, the group took him out of the closet, sat him on a stool and poured lighter fluid, hairspray and alcohol on his head and genitals. He was then set on fire with a cigarette lighter, police say.

His captors cut him under the tongue, shocked his ears, burned his feet and sexually assaulted him with the metal bar, police said.

Assistant Houston Police Chief John Gallemore described the torture as "especially despicable and reprehensible conduct."

The victim was rescued on Dec. 21 when he was being taken from the apartment to another location where

he was to have been shot, police say.

Officers said Daniels and two others carried the victim from the apartment but made it only a few blocks when Deputy Constable John Karrer saw them.

Karrer said the group tried to avoid him and acted suspiciously when questioned. Karrer said the teen, who was lying on the sidewalk, had visible injuries. He called for police backup and medical help.

Daniels also has been charged with aggravated sexual assault in a related assault on a 17-year-old girl at his home on Dec. 20.

The girl told police she went to Daniels' apartment on Dec. 20 and saw the boy lying on the floor naked. She said she tried to leave, but Daniels grabbed her and forced her to watch as three others beat the youth.

The teenage girl told police she was held at the apartment and, on Dec. 21, was forced to have sex with Daniels or she "would end up exactly like" the teenage boy.

The girl managed to escape two days later.

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Opinion

Foreign aid cuts deserve debate

At least there's a debate in Washington about foreign aid these days. That's the good news. But many critics of the way foreign aid has been parceled out have yet to absorb the profound lessons about economic development and political rights first pointed out by that pioneering thinker, Lord P.T. Bauer, formerly of the London School of Economics. Some people still seem to think that if properly targeted and carefully administered, foreign aid can have a positive impact on countries that receive it. Lord Bauer and the school of thought that grew up around him demolished that illusion long ago.

U.S. Sen. Mitch McConnell, the Kentucky Republican expected to chair the Senate subcommittee that oversees foreign aid, has offered a reform plan to cut foreign aid overall — except to Europe, Israel and Egypt (which account for about half of the \$13.7 billion now sent) — by 20 percent. The Clinton administration protests that it has already reduced foreign aid 20 percent in the past two years. Other Republicans are proposing reducing foreign aid by as much as one third for development, economic assistance and population and environmental programs in poor countries. All of these proposals are interesting, but none go far enough.

Meanwhile, Freedom House, the respected organization that has monitored the progress (and regression) of freedom in the world for several decades, urges that foreign aid to dictatorships be cut off, while aid to emerging democracies in the "partly-free" category — countries where the aid might help — be stepped up.

Such recommendations, however, ignore the insights of Lord Bauer and other critics of the naive "development economics" that dominated aid policy in the post-World War II world. Foreign aid — even when it isn't diverted into the pockets of the rulers and their cronies — contributes to the politicization of economic activity in the countries that receive it. A politicized economy is a crippled economy — more centrally controlled and less able to respond to challenges and opportunities than an economy rooted in private property rights and a free and open marketplace.

University of California scholar Alvin Rabushka pointed out in an important study that countries with solid economic growth are more likely to protect political and civil liberties than countries with low growth rates. Foreign aid — despite unrealistic expectations — deters rather than fosters solid economic growth.

A reformed foreign-aid program would be less objectionable than what is in place now. But the discussion should start with proposals to eliminate foreign aid entirely, based on the knowledge so painfully acquired in the last 40 years or so that foreign aid hurts rather than helps sound economic growth and progress toward political freedom.

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Disrespecting the president

In 1796, Tom Paine spoke of — and to — President George Washington, accusing him of being "a hypocrite in public life. The world will be puzzled to decide whether you are an apostate or an impostor, whether you have abandoned your good principles, or whether you ever had any."

In the robust American tradition of skewering public officials, Harry Truman said of Richard Nixon that "he is a shifty-eyed g—d— liar ... he is one of the few in the history of this country to run for high office talking out both sides of his mouth at the same time — and lying out of both sides."

Also attacked with malign gusto have been Jefferson, Lincoln, Franklin Delano Roosevelt and others occupying our highest office. As a boy, reading most of the partisan daily newspapers in Boston, I took for granted that in this wonderfully open country — unlike those elsewhere — a citizen of any rank could tell any public official what he or she thought of him.

But in view of the shocked reaction to Jesse Helms' recent disrespectful comments about the current president, it might seem that we have become a much more tender and sensitive people — at least as exemplified by certain politicians and journalists among us.

Still, I think for once the senator from North Carolina has been much too harshly and disingenuously treated by those politicians and journalists. Asked on television whether he thought Bill Clinton is "up to the job of being commander in chief," Helms — who had not solicited the question — answered, "You ask me an honest question, I'll give you an honest answer." No, said Helms, Clinton is not up to the job. But I've met many people around the country who believe that,



Nat Hentoff

including more than a few Democrats. It's not an act of treason to express that opinion.

Then Jesse Helms unwittingly turned himself into a modern version of the old-time carnival game in which a man pokes his head through a hole while eager customers throw baseballs at him, three for a quarter.

"Mr. Clinton better watch out if he comes [to North Carolina]," Helms said. "He'd better have a bodyguard" if he visits military bases there.

This struck me at the time as a failed attempt at the kind of mordant political one-liners with which Jay Leno peppers his opening monologues. It never occurred to me to take the bitter fantasy literally.

And even if Helms had meant it, the First Amendment protects him unless — as ruled in the unanimous Supreme Court 1969 Brandenburg v. Ohio decision — he was advocating imminent violence (right then and there) and evidence was produced that people were ready to commit imminent violent action as a result of what he said.

There is no proof that Helms' barbed advice to the president violated Brandenburg.

The reaction, however, to Helms' comments were as if his disrespect was of a similar order to

that of E.N. Fuller, editor of the *Newark Evening Journal*, who wrote in an editorial during the Civil War:

"It will be seen that Mr. Lincoln has called for another half million of men. Those who wish to be butchered will please step forward. All others will please stay home and defy Old Abe and his minions to drag them away from their families."

Fuller was indicted, convicted and fined for speaking against the commander in chief in time of war.

That Jesse Helms should escape punishment for what he said struck such of his critics as Sen. Robert Kerrey (D-Neb.) as scandalous. Kerrey demanded that Helms "pay a price" for undermining the military's respect for the commander in chief.

And Garry Wills, the historian and columnist, thundered: "For the rest of us, there are legal restraints on encouraging assassination attempts and calling them natural, inevitable, all-but-desirable." Wills also charged Helms with suborning insubordination. Worse yet, said Wills, the senator had engaged in "wild and brutal talk of murder and bodyguards."

Significantly — according to Wills — "Helms had made his semi-threat on the anniversary of John F. Kennedy's assassination." Do you suppose that date was marked on Jesse Helms' calendar for this purpose?

Jesse Helms has said he made a mistake with reference to his comment about the bodyguards. He has apparently learned, after all these years, to sort of censor himself. I don't think that's of any great benefit to the nation. I would rather know what the Jesse Helmses of the land are actually thinking.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Wednesday, Dec. 28, the 362nd day of 1994. There are three days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: In 1832, John C. Calhoun became the first vice president of the United States to resign, stepping down over differences with President Jackson.

On this date:

In 1694, 300 years ago, Queen Mary II of England died after five years of joint rule with her husband, King William III.

In 1846, Iowa became the 29th state to be admitted to the Union.

In 1856, the 28th president of the United States, Thomas Woodrow Wilson, was born in Staunton, Va.

In 1869, William Finley Semple of Mount Vernon, Ohio, patented evening gum.

In 1917, the *New York Evening Mail* published a facetious — as well as fictitious — essay by H.L. Mencken on the history of bathtubs in America.

In 1937, composer Maurice Ravel died in Paris.



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More turning to private police

Americans, in their own self-defense, are hiring more private police than there are public police — two-and-a-half times more!

More and more homeowners in vulnerable suburbs are banding together and renting their own cops.

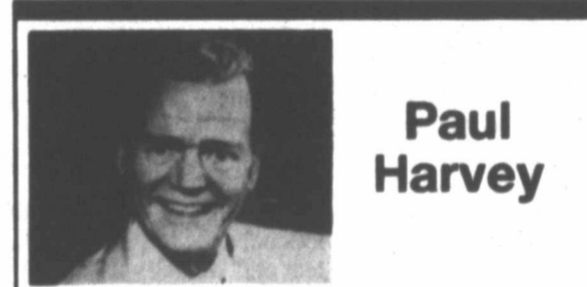
Crime is costing Americans \$425 billion to \$647 billion a year. The only people getting rich as a result are the criminals and the security agencies.

Providing private protectors has become a \$52 billion a year business, and it is growing 8 percent per year.

Why? Because traditional police are outnumbered by bad guys.

Los Angeles last year had 24 violent crimes for every 1,000 residents. Los Angeles has only 2.1 policemen for every 1,000 residents. And, after policemen in the Rodney King case were prosecuted and jailed, there is no longer a waiting line to become an LAPD cop.

Nina Munk of *Forbes* recently computed that it takes understaffed Los Angeles police an average of 55 minutes to respond to a burglar alarm. "By then, the burglar has disposed of his loot and is safely



Paul Harvey

home in bed." "It's not that we're lazy," says Los Angeles Sergeant Dennis Zinc. "There just aren't enough of us to go around."

More and more, where possible, clusters of homeowners are trying to hide behind high fences and guarded gates.

Guarded gates, however, offer little resistance to professional killers and crooks who may enter disguised as pizza delivery men, laundry-truck drivers or landscape crews.

Professional burglars, asked about such home-

security systems as those installed by homeowners or, commercially, such companies as Pinkerton and Honeywell, concede that "a few" professional housebreakers are "challenged" by the opportunity to match wits with technology. But, they said that "far and away, most burglars," knowing doors and windows are armed to alert police, will bypass these targets in favor of easier ones.

In the Westwood section of Los Angeles, 100 residents contribute \$114 a month for individual burglar-alarm monitoring and armed private patrol service to cruise the neighborhood 24 hours a day.

In this Westwood neighborhood, there has been but one crime, a carjacking, in the past 11 months.

Private police are paid half of what city cops get. In Los Angeles, Anthony Favente, 27, a private guard employed by Westec as a patrol supervisor, earns \$33,000 a year, including benefits.

Yet, under California law, he can do everything a city cop can do — including making arrests.

Americans, buying their own protection, are able to deduct some of what it costs from their homeowners' insurance premiums.

Shirking toward the new millennium

By the end of the current decade, there will be no need for canons, rules or laws. There will be no cops, no jails, no judges, no courts — and there may even be a paucity of preachers.

This is the conclusion of the most recent Spear Foundation Report, titled "The Alibi Age." It is the second in a series of futurist studies published by the feisty little think tank. A third will be forthcoming when the funds are.

The reason why everything having to do with the regulation of errant behavior will become extinct is because there will soon be an excuse for every single act the mind can conceive. All things will be abided because all things will be forgiven.

The Foundation's research turned up a mixture of opinions regarding the roots of the Not Me trend. But given the fact that we are certified Richard Nixon haters, we tend to give great credence to a theory postulated by author Charles Baxter, who wrote in the Fall 1994 issue of *Ploughshares* quarterly: "Nixon, as the spiritual godfather of the contemporary disavowal movement, set the tenor for the times in his lifelong denial of responsibility for the Watergate break-in and cover-up."

What we know for certain, however, is that the fledgling movement burst into full power as the '80s gave way to the '90s. Suddenly, the denial of personal responsibility was in: The ozone hole did it. Television did it. The media did it. (That one is clearly attributable to Richard Nixon.) Social scientists were jolted into full awareness in



Joseph Spear

1991, when a woman in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., blamed her nymphomania on the popular antidepressant drug Prozac. This, indeed, became one of the major alibis of the era. To date, 160 civil suits have been filed against Prozac's manufacturer, Eli Lilly, by "victims" or their relatives who claim the drug made them do it.

Most of the alibis created thus far fall into recognizable categories. Aside from The Media and Prozac, they include:

GENES. Heredity is an old excuse but the geniuses of the '90s are taking it to new levels. *Time* magazine featured a cover story last August titled, "Infidelity: It May Be in Our Genes." Scientists at Rockefeller University claim to have found an "obesity gene" that is dysfunctional in fat people.

MEN. This half of the human race, particularly the white form of them, are now thought responsible for every bad thing that occurs, from the amputation of their own penises to asteroids hurtling toward earth.

Mayor Sharon Pratt Kelly of Washington, D.C., attributed her recent election defeat to "masculine" elements on Capitol Hill. Actress Ruby Dee said that performing in women's prisons had convinced her that most of the inmates were there because they were taken advantage of by men.

ATTENTION DEFICIT DISORDER: It used to be called "day-dreaming." Now it is known as ADD. Some people, it seems, just can't focus on the task at hand. They get bored. Their minds wander. They should be treated with dignity and respect — most notably bored students who fall asleep and fail tests.

ABUSE. This has become an acceptable excuse for just about any form of behavior. Faye Resnick, the California socialite who wrote a book about Nicole Brown Simpson, said she rushed into her first sexual encounter because her fanatically religious mother convinced her the world would end soon. Colin Ferguson, the black man who killed six passengers on the Long Island Railroad, was said by his lawyer to have acted out of "black rage."

The SF's futurists tripped over one unusual case while reading a *New York Times* story that quoted a California auto salesman: "I lied to customers. I deceived them. I evaded their questions — I take responsibility for that. I'm not blaming it on my childhood; I'm not blaming it on anyone else."

The futurists are not sure whether this is a new trend in the making or an aberration. They're leaning toward aberration.

Penney's reaches pension fund settlement

By SUSAN HIGHTOWER
AP Business Writer

DALLAS (AP) — Mary Jane Forbush hasn't gone so far as to decide what she'll do with the money. But she hopes victory is in sight in her 11-year legal battle with J.C. Penney Co. Inc. over pension benefits.

Penney said Tuesday it has reached a tentative settlement in a class-action lawsuit in which its pension plan would pay up to \$80 million to current and former workers.

If approved, the settlement could mean additional benefits for tens of thousands of employees. Some individuals could get up to several thousand dollars — including Mrs. Forbush, the lawsuit's original plaintiff.

"I'm just thrilled and so happy that something's being done about it. And they really deserve it — all of us," Mrs. Forbush, 74, said Tuesday evening from her home in Paradise, Calif.

The lawsuit stems from a formula that Plano, Texas-based J.C. Penney formerly used to calculate pensions. Using the formula, Penney subtracted the amount it estimated employees were eligible to receive from Social Security from their pension benefits.

But the Social Security benefits were overestimated for some workers, generally those who entered the work force later in life.

The lawsuit, which alleged the JCPenney Pension Plan violated federal law, was filed in 1988 by Forbush and in 1992 by Catherine Rhodes, of Monroeville, Pa. The suit was certified as a class action in mid-1993. The settlement has won preliminary approval from U.S.

District Judge Joe Kendall in Dallas. Washington attorney Stephen Bruce, who represented the plaintiffs, said many claimants are likely to be women who began working for Penney in their late 30s or 40s.

"It undoubtedly affected women who were home workers and decided after their children were grown that they would try to find their first wage-paying job," Penney spokesman Hank Rusman said.

Forbush raised a family and went to work at Penney as a customer-service clerk in 1970, after her children were grown. She filed suit after she learned that she would receive no money from the pension fund when a round of layoffs forced her retirement in 1983.

"This has been shocking news as I had financially planned for these extra benefits," Forbush wrote a Labor Department official eight months after her forced retirement.

The company will mail claim forms to 150,000 people who worked for Penney as far back as 1976, Rusman said. The pension formula was discontinued on Dec. 31, 1989.

Bruce said up to an estimated 35,000 workers could receive benefits under the settlement.

Awards to individuals whose benefits are recalculated were expected to range from nothing to several thousand dollars, but exact figures wouldn't be known until after the claims procedure.

The settlement calls for an \$80 million cap and a \$45 million floor on payments, Rusman said. It will be paid from Penney's approximately \$1.4 billion pension fund, and no other workers' pensions will be affected, he said.

Lawmaker files bill to encourage breast-feeding

AUSTIN (AP) — State Rep. Debra Danburg says her proposed legislation that would encourage mothers to breast-feed in public will help remove the social stigma attached to breast-feeding.

The bill, for consideration by the Legislature that starts meeting Jan. 10, tells mothers that breast-feeding is OK. State law currently is silent on the subject.

Mrs. Danburg, D-Houston, said she got the idea for the bill after she and a friend were asked to leave an Austin restaurant because her friend was breast-feeding her baby.

"I think it's important for the state to give public acknowledgment to make it clear that we see breast-feeding not only as a natural phenomenon but also a desirable activity to promote from a public health standpoint," Danburg said. "Healthier babies mean lower health care costs for the state."

She added, "A lot of men have the attitude that breasts are there for their entertainment, and that offends me."

Numerous medical studies have found that breast-feeding reduces cancer risks in the mother and a

breast-fed infant is less likely to get sick, said Liz Baldwin, a Miami lawyer who specializes in legal issues associated with breast-feeding.

The World Health Organization and UNICEF both encourage breast-feeding a child until age 2 or beyond, she said.

In the United States, nearly 56 percent of mothers nursed their infants in the hospital, and 19 percent were still nursing their infants at age six months in 1993, according to La Leche League International, an advocacy group for breast-feeding.

Earthquake rocks north Japan areas

TOKYO (AP) — An earthquake with a preliminary magnitude of 7.5 shook northern Japan tonight, killing at least two people and injuring more than 110. Authorities warned that tidal waves could strike coastal areas.

The Central Meteorological Agency said the quake, at 9:19 p.m. (6:19 a.m. CST), was strong enough to have caused severe damage in some places.

It was centered about 95 miles east of Hachinohe, a city of about 240,000 people about 375 miles north of Tokyo.

Two people were killed and eight were injured when the second floor of a pinball game parlor collapsed in Hachinohe, the public NHK television network reported.

More than 110 people were reported injured, including 90 in Hachinohe. Dozens were being treated at a Hachinohe hospital for cuts from falling glass, but none were injured seriously, NHK said.

Nervous residents gathered in schools being used as evacuation shelters.

Television broadcasts from the affected area showed toppled furniture and bottles strewn from store shelves. Electricity and gas were cut off in Hachinohe, a reporter told NHK.

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FDA OKs new drug for lung cancer patients

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Food and Drug Administration has approved a new drug to prolong the lives of advanced lung cancer patients.

The FDA approved Navelbine to treat non-small cell lung cancer, the most common type of the deadly disease, that is too advanced for surgery or radiation to help.

There is no cure for such

advanced cancer, and Navelbine is the first new treatment approved specifically for these patients in 20 years, manufacturer Burroughs Wellcome Co. said.

Studies show Navelbine, a semi-synthetic derivative of the vinca flower family, prolongs survival by a median of two months. But in one study of 612 European patients, 30

percent who got Navelbine alone survived a year, as did 35 percent of patients who got Navelbine in combination with the cancer drug cisplatin, the company found.

Burroughs is studying whether Navelbine will also work on breast, prostate and ovarian cancers, along with its effect in combination with other new cancer drugs.



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7:00-9:50 P.M.	W	BIO	235	01	HUMAN A&P II	4	WINDHORST
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Food

Ring in 1995 with an Oriental beef dinner



For a casual, relaxed supper on New Year's Eve, serve speedy Oriental beef tip steak dinner. Stir-fried strips of beef round tip steaks are tossed with Oriental-seasoned noodles and vegetables.

By The Associated Press

It's time to ring out the old and welcome the new. This year, invite friends for a casual relaxed supper on New Year's Eve. Make it easy on yourself by choosing a main dish that is quick and easy to make.

In less than 15 minutes, Oriental beef tip steak dinner can be on the table, ready to eat. Stir-fried strips of beef round tip steaks — sometimes called sandwich steaks — are tossed with Oriental-seasoned noodles and vegetables. These steaks cook in a flash, so don't overcook them — stir-frying takes just 30 to 60 seconds.

Convenience ingredients like ramen soup and a frozen vegetable medley also make this dish extra-good in no time.

Speedy Oriental Beef Tip Steak Dinner

- 1 pound beef round tip steaks, cut 1/8- to 1/4-inch thick
- 1 tablespoon vegetable oil
- 1/8 teaspoon ground red pepper
- 1 package (3 ounces) Oriental ramen soup
- 2 cups frozen Oriental vegetable combination
- 2 cups boiling water
- 2 teaspoons light soy sauce

Cut beef steaks crosswise into 1-inch wide strips. Combine oil and red pepper; add beef strips and toss to coat. Break noodles from soup mix into 3 to 4 pieces, reserve seasoning packet. Add noodles and vegetables to boiling water; return to boil over high heat. Reduce heat; simmer gently, uncovered, 3 minutes. Drain noodle-vegetable combination; toss with reserved seasoning packet.

Meanwhile heat large skillet over medium-high heat. Stir-fry beef (one-half at a time) 30 to 60 seconds. Add soy sauce to beef strips. Stir in noodle-vegetable combination; heat through. Makes 4 servings.

A good luck New Year's Day buffet

By The Associated Press

Good-luck foods promise health, wealth and prosperity for the New Year. Feijoada, Brazil's most famous regional dish, combines black beans and zesty spices with pork. Serve with Hoppin' John, citrus spinach salad and corn bread.

Feijoada

- 1 pound dried black beans
- Water, enough to cover beans
- 6 cups water
- 1 pound boneless ham, cut into 3/4-inch cubes
- 1 pound boneless pork loin, cut into 3/4-inch cubes
- 3/4 pound hot Italian sausage, sliced into 1-inch pieces
- 3/4 pound smoked sausage, sliced into 1-inch pieces
- 1 pint cherry tomatoes, stemmed
- 1 onion, peeled and chopped
- 1 teaspoon red pepper flakes
- 6 cloves garlic, peeled and minced
- 1/8 teaspoon orange zest

Cover the beans with water and soak overnight. Or cover the beans with boiling water and let stand two hours. Drain.

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. In a large Dutch oven, combine beans, the 6 cups water and remaining ingredients. Bring to a boil, skimming if necessary. Cover and transfer to oven. Bake 1 1/2 hours. Remove cover and bake another 30 minutes, stirring occasionally. Serve immediately, with corn bread, if desired. Makes 12 servings.

Nutrition facts per serving: 346 cal., 16 g pro., 31 g fat, 773 mg sodium, 71 mg chol.

Hoppin' John

- 1 pound dried black-eyed peas
- 1 large onion, peeled and finely chopped
- 2 tablespoons vegetable oil
- 1 teaspoon garlic salt
- 1 teaspoon oregano
- 5 cups chicken stock
- 8 cups hot cooked rice

Soak peas overnight with water to cover by 2 inches. Drain peas; set aside. In large Dutch oven, saute onion in oil until transparent; add peas, seasonings and chicken stock. Cover and cook slowly until peas are tender, about 30 to 40 minutes. If made ahead, cover and reheat. For each serving, serve 1/2 cup of peas over 1/2 cup rice. Makes 16 servings.

Nutrition facts per serving: 182 cal., 4 g pro., 2 g fat, 137 mg sodium, 0 mg chol.

Citrus Spinach Salad

- 2 pounds fresh spinach leaves
- 8-ounce can mandarin oranges, drained
- 8-ounce can sliced water chestnuts, drained
- 1 small red onion, peeled, sliced and separated into rings
- 4 tablespoons vegetable oil
- 3 tablespoons sugar
- 3 tablespoons ketchup
- 3 tablespoons cider vinegar
- 2 tablespoons orange juice
- 2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce

Salt and pepper, to taste
Clean spinach leaves; tear into bite-sized pieces. In a large bowl, combine spinach, oranges, water chestnuts and onion rings. Cover and chill, if made ahead. Stir together the remaining ingredients well. When ready to serve, toss salad with dressing. Makes 12 servings.

Nutrition facts per serving: 96 cal., 3 g pro., 5 g fat, 137 mg sodium, 0 mg chol.

Corn Bread

- 1 cup flour
- 1 cup cornmeal
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 4 teaspoons baking powder
- 3/4 teaspoon salt
- 2 eggs
- 1 cup milk
- 4 tablespoons vegetable oil

Preheat oven to 425 degrees F. In medium bowl, stir together all dry ingredients. In small bowl, beat together remaining ingredients. Pour liquid into dry ingredients. Stir just until moistened. Pour batter into greased 8-inch baking pan. Bake in 425-degree F oven for 20 to 25 minutes, until lightly brown. Remove from oven, cool slightly, cut into squares and serve warm. Makes 9 servings. Double recipe if necessary.

Tip: Wrap a dime in aluminum foil and add to batter. The person who finds the dime in his or her serving receives good luck for the next new year.

Nutrition facts per serving: 209 cal., 5 g pro., 8 g fat, 335 mg sodium, 49 mg chol.

Bake a very Angelic New Year's dessert

AP Special Features

Here's a heavenly dessert that's also good for your heart: angel cake in strawberry-champagne sauce. Served in a scarlet sauce of strawberries and champagne, each wedge of cake looks elegant, melts in your mouth and is absolutely fat-free.

And since you've already opened the champagne, why let the rest of the bottle go to waste? Pour yourselves a glass of bubbly to enjoy with dessert.

Angel Cake in Strawberry-Champagne Sauce

- 1 1/2 cups egg whites
- 1 1/2 cups sifted powdered sugar
- 1 cup sifted cake flour or sifted all-purpose flour
- 1 1/2 teaspoons cream of tartar
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1 cup granulated sugar
- 1 recipe Strawberry Champagne Sauce (see recipe, below)

Fresh strawberries (optional)
Fresh mint (optional)
Let egg whites stand at room temperature for 30 minutes. Sift powdered sugar and flour together three times. In a large bowl combine egg whites, cream of tartar and vanilla; beat with an electric mixer on medium speed until soft peaks form (tips curl).

Gradually add granulated sugar, about 2 tablespoons at a time, beating until stiff peaks form (tips stand straight).

Sift about one-fourth of the flour mixture over beaten egg whites; fold in gently. (If the bowl is too full, transfer to a larger bowl.) Repeat, folding in remaining flour mixture by fourths.

Pour into an ungreased 10-inch tube pan. Bake on the lowest rack in a 350-degree F oven for 40 to 45 minutes or until top springs back when lightly touched. Immediately invert cake (leave in pan); cool thoroughly. Loosen sides of cake from pan; remove cake.

Sift powdered sugar over cake. To serve, cut cake into wedges. Place wedges on plates or in shallow bowls; sprinkle rims with powdered sugar, if desired. Pour sauce around the cake wedges. Garnish with strawberries and mint, if desired. Makes 12 servings.

Strawberry Champagne Sauce: In a blender container combine 5 strawberries, 3/4 cup champagne, or sparkling white wine, and 1/4 cup granulated sugar. (Or, for food processor, combine half of the ingredients at a time.) Cover and blend or process until smooth. Cover and chill for several hours or overnight. Makes 2 cups.

Hot idea for party buffets

How do you keep a hot appetizer hot on your party buffet table? Your microwave oven holds the easy solution. Here's an easy to do recipe.

Glazed Sausage Links

- 8 1/4-ounce can pineapple chunks
- 3 tablespoons honey
- 2 tablespoons vinegar
- 2 tablespoons soy sauce
- 1 tablespoon cornstarch
- 1 teaspoon finely shredded orange peel
- 1/4 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1/8 teaspoon garlic powder
- Dash ground red pepper
- 16-ounce package small smoked sausage links, drained

For sauce, drain pineapple, reserving syrup. Add enough water to syrup to equal 1/2 cup. In a 1 1/2-quart microwave-safe casserole, combine the syrup mixture, honey, vinegar, soy sauce, cornstarch, orange peel, ginger, garlic powder and red pepper. Cook, uncovered, on 100 percent power (high) for 4 to 5 minutes or until thickened and bubbly, stirring after every minute. Stir in the sausages. Cook, uncovered, for 3 to 5 minutes. Stir in the pineapple. Cook for 3 to 5 minutes more or until heated through. Serve with toothpicks. Keep warm during serving.

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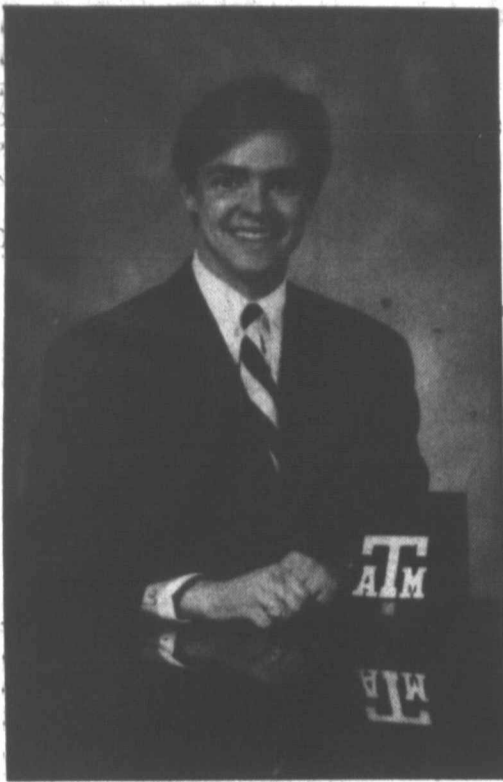
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Lifestyles

Nieman-Marcus has it all — and Pampa's Chris Hite too



Chris Hite

By MELINDA MARTINEZ, Lifestyles Editor

After conducting nationwide interviews, Nieman-Marcus chose Chris Hite as one of the 25 recruits to be accepted into their executive development training program.

"I was really excited," said the 22-year-old Hite about his job offer.

"I was one of the first people they extended an offer to," he said. "They have a great training program." Hite also added that the program is one of the best in the nation.

The program, explained Hite, is integrated between the store side and the corporate side, which he said is unusual for the retail industry. Part of his training will be conducted in the store and the other in the corporate headquarters in Dallas.

"I'm working on a two-year commitment to see if this is an industry I would like to pursue," he said. His training begins in January.

During this time, Hite said he will learn four times what he learned in college.

One advantage Hite said the Nieman-Marcus organization has is that it sees an individual's identity as an asset to its organization.

He will get to use his own talents and learn if the retail business is the business he would like to pursue.

Hite interned with Sewell Lexus in Dallas and was also offered a job with that organization. He turned it down in favor of Nieman-Marcus because Nieman's, he said, "seemed the best fit for him."

This past month, Hite graduated with a bachelor's of business administration in management degree from Texas A&M.

While in college, Hite served in the student government. In his senior year, he attended a four-day conference for student leaders of which he was a chair.

Hite was also honored with the Buck Weirus spirit award for outstanding contributions to student life at A&M. He is also one of 60 seniors listed in *Who's Who Among College and University Students*.

While attending Pampa High School, Hite worked at his parent's drug store. Though he now resides in Dallas, Hite, a 1990 honors graduate of PHS, thinks growing up in Pampa has been a positive experience overall even though he says others may not see it that way.

"People still tend to value people and have respect for one another here," he said about his hometown.



(Pampa News photo by Melinda Martinez)

Belated Christmas gifts

Sana Alexander (left), Tralee Crisis Center's volunteer victim's coordinator, and Sandy Carr (center), Tralee Crisis Center director, accept \$150 in beef gift certificates, \$30 in cash donations and various other gifts from Bethel Robinson, president of the Top of Texas Cattlewomen's Association, who brought the gifts to the center on the association's behalf Tuesday afternoon. The gifts will be given to women staying at the women's shelter.

How to save your new year's resolutions from dissolution

By TIM WHITMIRE, Associated Press Writer

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP) — Most New Year's resolutions are doomed before the calendar even reads Jan. 2, a researcher says.

If you really want to lose weight or quit smoking, the trick is to start well before New Year's Day, says Dr. James Prochaska, a University of Rhode Island psychology professor and author of "Changing for Good."

"An awful lot of people will fail because they set up to take action at New Year's but ... they're not adequately prepared," said Prochaska, who also directs the University of Rhode Island's Cancer Prevention Research Consortium, which searches for ways to alter behavior and thereby reduce people's chances of developing cancer or other diseases.

He said people pass through six stages

on their way to stopping addictive behavior:

— **Precontemplation.** This stage, which can take years, consists of reinforcing the desire to change. "Your average couch potato in this stage could list maybe four or five pros to starting to work out," Prochaska said. "(You) are increasing motivation by discovering more motives for change."

— **Contemplation.** Action is still more than a month away — this is the time to play down the drawbacks of a change and take small steps to prepare for it.

— **Preparation.** The month before attempting a drastic behavior change, it's important to publicly state intentions, Prochaska said. "Many people don't go public because they're afraid to fail. That actually weakens their willpower. Public commitments are much stronger."

— **Action.** During this stage, which

lasts several months, the temptation to relapse is strongest. "Be prepared to reward yourself more than others will reward you," Prochaska said. "Use positive self-statements like a coach would: coach yourself."

— **Maintenance.** This can last from five years to a lifetime, and is most difficult during hard times. "Two-thirds of relapses come during times of emotional stress," Prochaska said. "The three best ways for dealing are talking with others about it, physical activity (and some form of relaxation — prayer, meditation, muscle relaxation.)"

— **Termination.** In the final stage, the new behavior becomes as much a habit as the old one was.

Does Prochaska follow his own advice? Yes, but with mixed results.

He said he has switched from whole milk to nonfat milk, but "I'm still struggling with ice cream."

Profiles by Saint-Memin: Precise and exquisite

WASHINGTON (AP) — Extraordinary drawings and engravings by Charles Balthazar Julien Fevret de Saint-Memin are brought together in the Smithsonian Institution's exhibition, "Federal Profiles: Saint-Memin in America, 1793-1813."

More than 220 works by the artist include profiles by such revered figures as Thomas Jefferson and Meriwether Lewis. Well-known senators, congressmen, cabinet members, landowners and French emigres were also his subjects.

Saint-Memin began producing precise profile drawings using a physiognotrace, tracing

the sitter's features onto a sheet of paper. He then completed them in freehand, in chalk or watercolor.

Saint-Memin, a French emigre, was the leader in a field that included other profilists and makers of silhouettes. He worked in a number of cities including Baltimore, Washington, Richmond, Va., and Charleston, S.C.

His works are on display through May 29, 1995. A catalog, "Saint-Memin and the Neoclassical Profile Portrait in America" (Smithsonian Institution Press, \$95) by Ellen G. Miles, is on sale at the gallery.

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Abusers under the big top must be run from the ring

DEAR ABBY: My family and I have boycotted the circus for years because of the wild animal acts. One need not be an animal rights activist to know that exploiting animals for entertainment is cruel.

Watching the humiliation of a majestic elephant perched on a tiny stool, or the fear of a tiger being forced to jump through a flaming hoop, teaches children disregard for animals' rights and feelings.

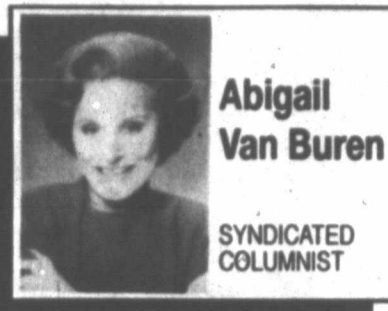
The recent killing of a circus elephant in Hawaii after the enraged animal went on a rampage and crushed his trainer to death illustrates the awful frustration of wild animals who have been forced into an unnatural existence in order to make money for their owners.

Abby, you reach a wider audience than any other source in this country. Please print this letter in the hope that others will realize the terrible injustice being done to these animals. Only when enough people protest the cruelty will circuses be forced to abandon misuse of animals.

PHYLIS J. MAYER,
EVANSVILLE, IND.

DEAR PHYLIS: It is not necessary to boycott all circuses. The Cirque du Soleil, which began as a troupe of street performers in Montreal 10 years ago (and now imports talent from all over the world), puts on a spectacular production, using no animal acts whatsoever.

For those circuses that abuse



Abigail Van Buren

SYNDICATED COLUMNIST

their animals — perhaps a stiff fine would persuade the owners to clean up their act.

DEAR ABBY: I have been a fan for years, but have never written. However, today I saw your column about twins, in which you said the stupid question you were asked most frequently as an identical twin was, "Do you ever get yourselves

mixed up?" — and I find myself inclined to write. Let me explain: I, too, am a twin, and I'd like to share an incident that happened to me.

My twin sister and I and some friends had gone to an amusement park and visited the "house of mirrors." (Remember those mazes of mirrors in which the challenge was to find your way out?) Once inside, we engaged in a game of tag, and I was "it."

Wandering up and down the

halls of mirrors, I made a turn and suddenly saw my sister a few feet in front of me. I jumped at her, hoping to tag her before she could get away. Imagine my surprise and embarrassment as I staggered backward after colliding, headfirst, with a mirror! It was not my sister but my own image I had seen in the mirror.

I hope my strange case of mistaken identity gives you a chuckle. If I ever have to answer that "stupid" question, "Do you ever get yourselves mixed up?" — I will have to say "Yes!"

JO BENT, ANAHEIM, CALIF.

DEAR JO: Thanks for the chuckle. A warning to identical twins who dress alike: It is indeed possible to get yourselves mixed up in mirrors; it's happened to my twin and me.

DEAR ABBY: Your chuckle for today: The majority isn't silent; the government is deaf.

WILLIAM H. LEDERLE JR.,
MILFORD, N.J.

Good advice for everyone — teens to seniors — is in "The Anger in All of Us and How to Deal With It." To order, send a business-sized, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for \$3.95 (\$4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Anger Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

Horoscope



Your Birthday

Thursday, Dec. 29, 1994

Conditions look generally favorable for you for this cycle. Resist making changes just for the sake of change, though.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You might have difficulty keeping secrets today. Unfortunately, things you should keep to yourself may be broadcast to the very persons who shouldn't be informed. Trying to patch up a broken romance?

The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you to understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, P.O. Box 4465, New York, NY 10163.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) This is not a good day to try to mix business and pleasure. If things go wrong, you might suffer some type of loss or complication.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Success could elude you today if you lack determination. Persistence will pay off, so keep working even when the going is slow.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Today you might be inclined to invent problems to make things harder on yourself. Try to operate along the path of least resistance instead.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Do not treat the possessions of others with indifference today. Make it a point to take better care of their things than you would your own.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) If associates are not in complete accord with your aims today, they're not apt to assist you. Attempting to solicit their aid could be a waste of time.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) A twinge of jealousy might make it difficult to praise the accomplishments of a co-worker today. This would be counterproductive.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Someone you know quite well is an expert manipulator and has had you do his/her bidding in the past. Do not allow yourself to be a puppet again today.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Avoid all types of disagreement with your mate today. Small arguments might escalate and cause lasting problems.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) If you brush aside tasks that demand your immediate attention today, you'll be creating additional problems down the line.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Even though your overall financial prospects look good, this is not the time to be extravagant. Avoid impulsive spending.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You are usually a pretty good self-starter, but not today. If there is something you want done, do not rely on others; use your own initiative.

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The Family Circus

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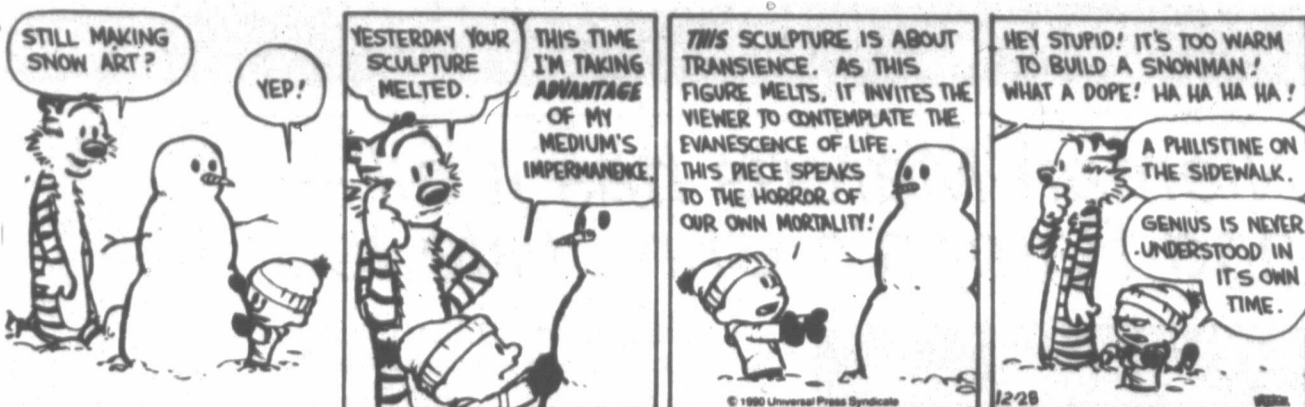
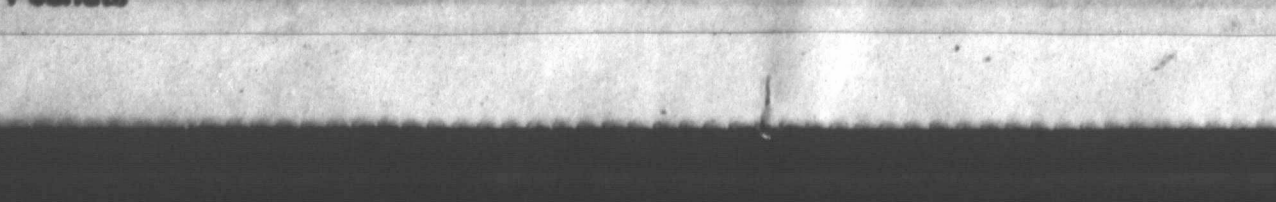
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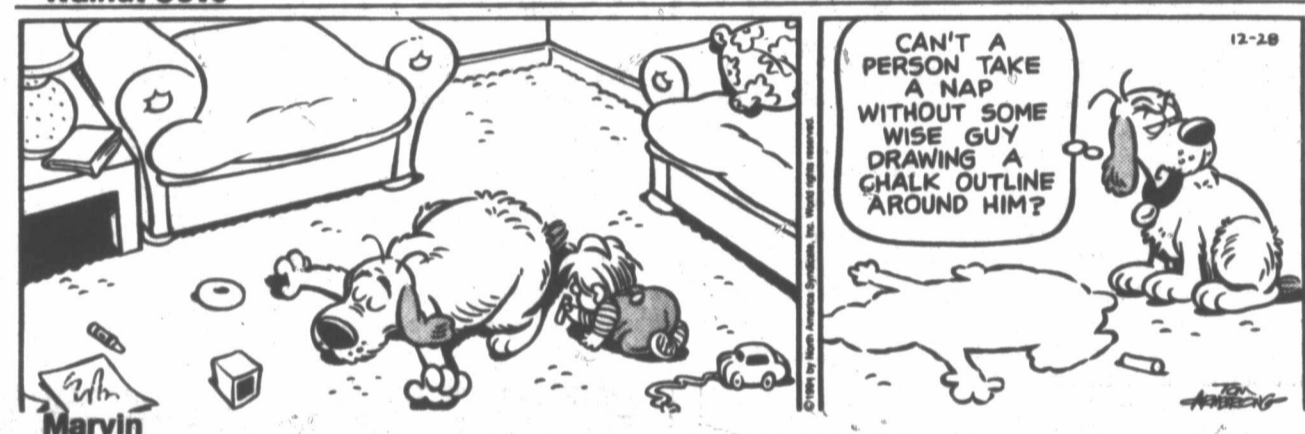
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Sports

Notebook

BASKETBALL

Both Pampa High School varsity basketball teams returned to action today, taking to the court in holiday tournaments.

The Harvesters boys team faced Fort Worth Arlington Heights in the opening round of the Fort West Side Lions Club Tournament today at 2:45 p.m.

The Lady Harvesters took to the floor against Post in the Slaton girls tournament at 2:30 p.m. today.

Scores were unavailable as of press time today.

FOOTBALL

IRVING, Texas (AP) — Dallas will play the San Francisco 49ers again during the 1995 regular season, but this time the Cowboys' toughest NFC foe will travel to Texas Stadium.

The Cowboys' 1995 schedule, released Tuesday, also includes home games against the Green Bay Packers, Kansas City Chiefs and Denver Broncos. Dallas will play road games next season against Atlanta, San Diego, Minnesota and the Los Angeles Raiders.

The schedule also includes home-and-home games with NFC East rivals Arizona, Philadelphia, Washington and the New York Giants.

DENVER (AP) — Charlie Waters resigned as Denver's defensive coordinator amid speculation head coach Wade Phillips may be next to leave.

NEW YORK (AP) — Miami defensive tackle Tim Bowens, selected 20th overall after starting only seven games at Mississippi, was the Defensive Rookie of the Year with 41 votes. Cleveland cornerback Antonio Langham was second with 28.

NEW YORK (AP) — Houston, which finished an NFL-worst 2-14, will follow expansion Carolina and Jacksonville in the draft. Carolina won the right to choose first in a coin toss during the 1994 draft.

Washington will pick fourth, followed by Cincinnati and the Los Angeles Rams. Seattle or Tampa Bay will have coin toss to determine the seventh and eighth picks. The expansion teams have extra picks at the end of the first round as part of the league's player access plan.

SAN DIEGO (AP) — San Diego receiver Shawn Jefferson was jailed briefly after being arrested for investigation of drunken driving and gun violations.

Jefferson was pulled over Monday night by a San Diego County Sheriff's deputy responding to a report that shots had been fired in Alpine. Backup offensive lineman Curtis Whitley was questioned at the scene and released.

GREEN BAY, Wis. (AP) — Green Bay receiver Sterling Sharpe was sent to Indianapolis so that another physician could examine him after he sustained a second neck injury in two weeks.

CINCINNATI (AP) — Cincinnati added Tim Krumrie, who ended his 12-year career as a defensive lineman Saturday, to its coaching staff as a defensive line assistant.

BASKETBALL

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — New York Knicks forward Charles Oakley is expected to be sidelined for eight weeks after surgery to repair a dislocated toe on his right foot.

New York activated forward Doug Christie, sidelined since undergoing ankle surgery before the season, from the injured list to take Oakley's roster spot.

NEW YORK (AP) — Los Angeles Lakers forward Cedric Ceballos, who scored a career-high 50 points against Minnesota and averaged 35.5 points and 8.5 rebounds in two games last week, is the NBA player of the week.

HOCKEY

RED DEER, Alberta (AP) — Per-Johan Axelsson, Jonas Andersson-Junkka, Anders Soderberg and Per Svartvadet scored goals as Sweden beat the United States 4-2 to improve to 2-0 in the world junior championships.

Jason Bonsignore of the OHL's Niagara Falls Thunder and Chris Kelleher of Boston University scored for the United States (1-1).

In the second game, two-time defending champion Canada routed Germany 9-1 to tie Sweden for first place. In the other games, Russia edged the Czech Republic 4-3 at Stettler and Finland beat Ukraine 6-2 at Rocky Mountain House.

NEW YORK (AP) — With no talks scheduled and not been so much as a phone conversation between the main negotiators this week, numerous negative voices are bemoaning the prospects of saving the NHL season.

Howard Baldwin, owner of the Pittsburgh Penguins, said, "It is a crying shame we didn't get it done before Christmas. It is a bloody shame. It is a great injustice to the game itself."

Baldwin hears the clock ticking. "We are down to the last seconds of overtime," he said. "I don't know why it has gone as far as this. It would be a crime to miss the season."

Baldwin said when the players do return, the game won't be the same.

"You can't just turn the lights on," he said. "The voltage isn't going to be the same. Look at what baseball is going through."

BOXING

LAS VEGAS (AP) — Two-time heavyweight champion Evander Holyfield will get to fight in Nevada again if the state athletic commission accepts a unanimous recommendation by its medical advisory board. Holyfield's license to fight in Nevada was suspended after he was diagnosed with a minor heart problem.

TCU and Virginia battle tonight in Independence Bowl

By MIKE COCHRAN
Associated Press Writer

SHREVEPORT, La. (AP) — No. 18 Virginia and unranked Texas Christian slip away from the flashy riverboat casinos tonight for an old-fashioned shootout in the 19th Independence Bowl.

The Cavaliers match the nation's top rushing defense against a TCU attack that features the leading rusher and passer in the Southwest Conference.

Injuries and other disruptions cast only a faint shadow over the first meeting ever between the Cavs of the Atlantic Coast Conference and the SWC co-champion Horned Frogs.

"We're ready to line up and go," said Virginia coach George Welsh, whose Cavaliers (8-3) rule as 10-point favorites over the Frogs (7-4).

The good news for TCU fans is that premier running back

Andre Davis is also ready to line up and go after arriving late Sunday and triggering the wrath of coach Pat Sullivan.

"He may have to run to the stadium ... but he's going to play," Sullivan joked.

Davis, an All-SWC selection, led the Frogs in both rushing and receiving.

In pregame high humor, both teams confessed that they tuned up for the nationally televised contest in the glittering gambling boats hugging the banks of the historic Red River.

Asked at Tuesday's news conference if he'd won heavily, Welsh replied: "I haven't, but some of our players have done some good."

Jingling pocket change, Sullivan said: "I know someone who lost."

While players and coaches offered their traditional kind words for the host city and bowl officials, TCU's all-conference

center Barret Robbins quipped: "I'd like to thank the casinos, after last night."

On a less jovial note, both teams fretted over injuries to key players, including TCU's All-SWC tight end Brian Collins and Virginia's All-ACC cornerback Ronde Barber.

Both are questionable, but may play.

Collins has been Max Knake's prime target over the middle as the TCU quarterback passed for 2,624 yards and 25 touchdowns, both school records.

"If Brian can't play ... we're going to have to step up our game a whole lot," said Robbins, the Frogs' 288-pound senior center who many consider a potential first-round draft choice in the NFL.

And the possible loss of Virginia's Barber is no less devastating.

"That's a blow," conceded Welsh, who said there was no

way to replace Barber, the team leader in interceptions with eight.

"We'll just have to wait until the pregame warmup to decide."

With Barber leading the larceny, the Cavalier secondary picked off a national high 27 interceptions while the country's No. 1 rushing defense held opponents to an average of 63.6 yards per game.

"This is probably the best defensive team I've had at Virginia," said Welsh, who has compiled an 88-59-3 record in 13 seasons to become the Cavaliers' winningest coach.

Virginia's eighth consecutive winning season earned them their seventh bowl invitation in 10 years.

TCU, meanwhile, will be appearing in its first bowl in a decade.

The Frogs won five of their last six games, including a piv-

otal 24-17 victory over Cotton Bowl-bound Texas Tech, to secure the bowl bid and nail down a share of the SWC title.

"We've been on a roll the last six weeks," Robbins said.

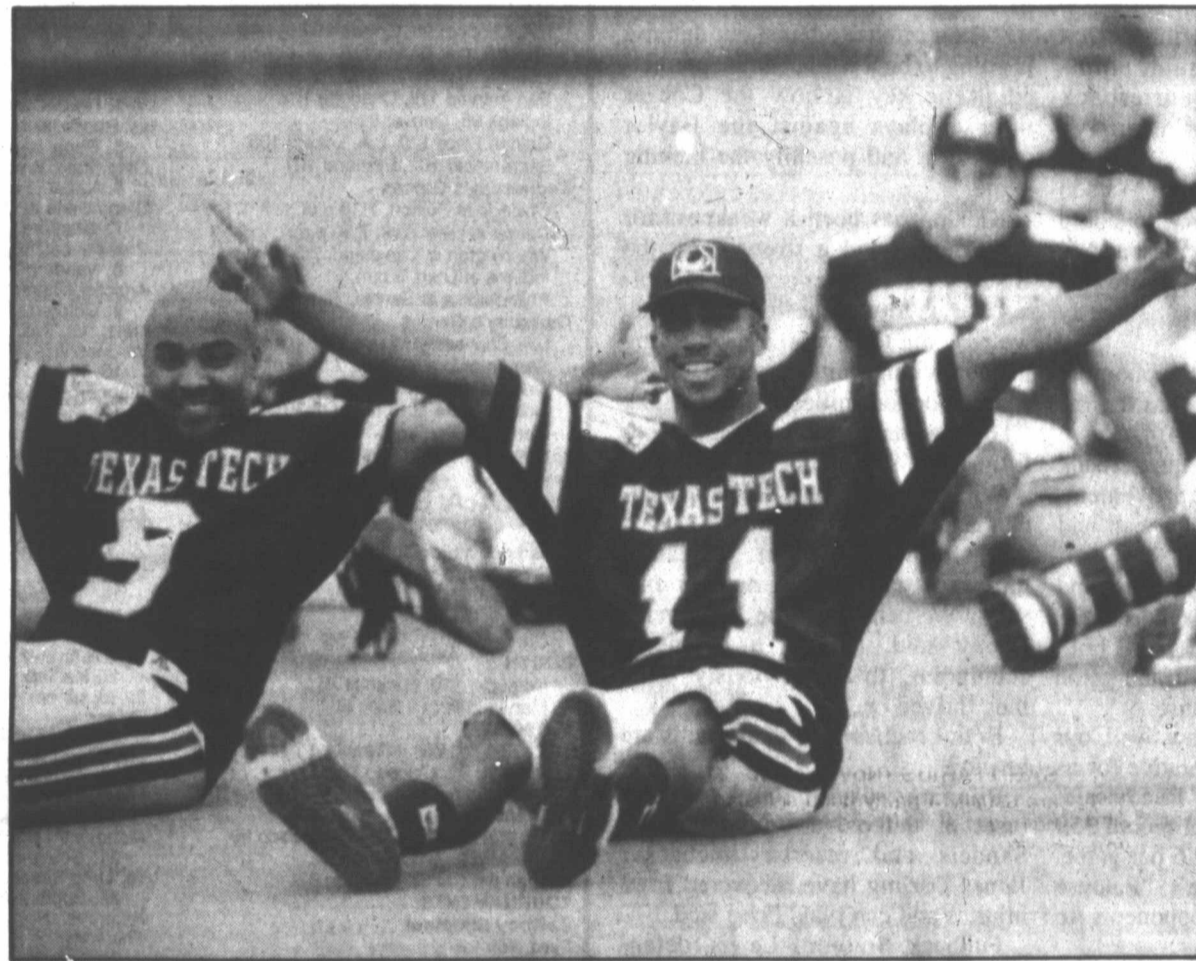
He agreed with teammate Royal West, an all-conference defensive tackle, that an Independence Bowl victory would be a huge step for the TCU program and the icing on his final season.

"I think our senior class has made a difference," West said. "I think we've left our mark on TCU."

Mike Frederick, Virginia's all-conference defensive end, disclosed that Cavs' quarterback Mike Groh also has left his mark — on a Louisiana casino.

"It's good to see your quarterback has a lucky hand," Frederick said of Groh's adventures at the roulette wheel. "It's a good sign."

Red Raiders meet the press



Texas Tech's Tony Darden (11) and Tony Wilson (9) pose for a photographer during Cotton Bowl media day in Dallas. Tech will meet Southern California in the Cotton Bowl on Monday.

USC coach likes Cotton Bowl

DALLAS (AP) — Southern California is getting a one-year head start on the Pac-10's new alignment with the Cotton Bowl and so far Trojans coach John Robinson is impressed with what he's seen.

Beginning next season, the latest bowl coalition will send the Pac-10 conference's runner-up to Dallas on New Year's Day.

"I think this is a great place for our second team," Robinson said during Tuesday's media day. "It's a New Year's bowl with a lot of tradition. This is a big deal for us."

USC quarterback Rob Johnson agreed. He got a kick out of practicing at Texas Stadium, home of the Dallas Cowboys and their four Super Bowl championship banners.

"This is a great start to Cotton Bowl week," Johnson said. "This makes you want to come to practice."

It is USC's first visit to the Cotton Bowl. They were having fun Tuesday, except for breakfast.

"We're still adjusting to the time change," Robinson said. "We ate breakfast at 9 a.m. but it was like 7 a.m. on our time. They could barely see their eggs."

Mavs blow late lead, bow to Suns

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas Mavericks took another painful step in their development from doormat to contender.

Dallas blew a 5-point lead with less than a minute to play Tuesday night, then watched Kevin Johnson make a 16-foot jumper with 3.7 seconds remaining to give the Phoenix Suns a 119-118 victory.

"Slowly, we're learning," said guard Jim Jackson, who missed a runner in the lane as time expired. "We made mistakes down the stretch that hurt us. I think in the second half of the season these are the types of games we'll win from a maturity standpoint."

Less than 24 hours earlier, the Mavericks had absorbed a 26-point pounding from the Suns in Phoenix. On Tuesday, they had a far better game, shooting 57 percent from the field and outrebounding the Suns 51-40.

But key mistakes down the stretch and 21 turnovers proved the Mavericks' undoing.

The Mavericks attempted to double-team Johnson in the corner before the game-winner, but both Jason Kidd and Roy Tarpley backed away momentarily, giving Johnson an open look at the basket.

"They'd been double-teaming in that situation all night and for a second they had to regroup," said Johnson, who added 11 assists to raise his career total to 5,000. "That's when I shot the shot. I got a great look at it."

Jackson scored 31 points and Jamal Mashburn added 30 as the Mavericks lost their fourth straight this season and 11th in a row to the Suns.

"It's tough to beat a team back-to-back," said Phoenix forward Charles Barkley, who had 22 points and 16 rebounds. "We're a better team than they are, but it's tough to pull it off on consecutive nights."

Baseball players file claim with labor board

NEW YORK (AP) — A federal agency and federal courts will decide the legality of baseball's salary cap.

Players on Tuesday began their attempt to overturn the cap, filing an unfair labor practice charge against owners with the National Labor Relations Board.

Players claim owners began negotiations with the intention of forcing a cap. Owners, 0-2 at the NLRB this month, filed a charge against the union, claiming players refused to bargain over wages.

"We'll talk to the parties about the need for relief and begin the investigative process immediately, which means within a day or two," said Daniel Silverman, the NLRB's New York regional director. "Most cases are investigated within four to six weeks. We'll try to stick to that timetable."

If Silverman finds merit to either charge, he would ask Fred Feinstein, the NLRB's general counsel in Washington, to issue a complaint, which is tantamount to an indictment.

If the agency issues a complaint against owners, Feinstein could ask the five-member NLRB for permission to seek a preliminary injunction against the cap in federal court, most probably in Manhattan. That could lead to a court hearing over the cap in February or March.

If a judge issues an injunction, the pre-cap system would return, including salary arbitration, until the case is decided, which could be anytime between 1996 and 1999, depending on appeals.

Utes ignite to take Freedom Bowl

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — Utah came from behind to win before, so it didn't surprise coach Ron McBride when the Utes rebounded from a dismal offensive performance to win its first bowl game in 30 years.

Despite only five first downs and 75 yards — less than two yards a play — No. 14 Utah found a way to beat No. 15 Arizona 16-13 in the Freedom Bowl on Tuesday night. It was Utah's first bowl victory since defeating West Virginia in the 1964 Liberty Bowl, and gave the Utes their first 10-victory season in the team's 102-year history.

"That's the thing about this team, they keep playing and playing and something will happen," said McBride, who won his first bowl game in three tries. "We've done it before."

Utah's key play was a 72-yard free kick return to Arizona's 5 following an intentional safety by Arizona, leaving the Wildcats ahead 13-9. Mike McCoy couldn't complete his first three passes, but on fourth down he found Kevin Dyson in the end zone just as McCoy was tackled by Chuck Osborne.

Dyson danced the length of the end zone after making the catch and then was swarmed by teammates.

"I wanted to sit in the end zone for the rest of my life," said Dyson, a freshman. "I don't know who was more excited — me or my teammates."

The victory resembled Utah's 34-31 comeback victory against Brigham Young on Nov. 19. In that game, Cal Beck returned a kickoff 67 yards, which was followed by McCoy's 20-yard pass to Charlie Brown in the final minutes.

"The momentum was going our way," Brown said. "With that long runback, we had to do something. The offense had to put it in."

The victory gives the Utes a 10-2 record, their most wins since their football program began in 1892. Arizona, appearing in its fifth bowl game in the past six years, dropped to 8-4.

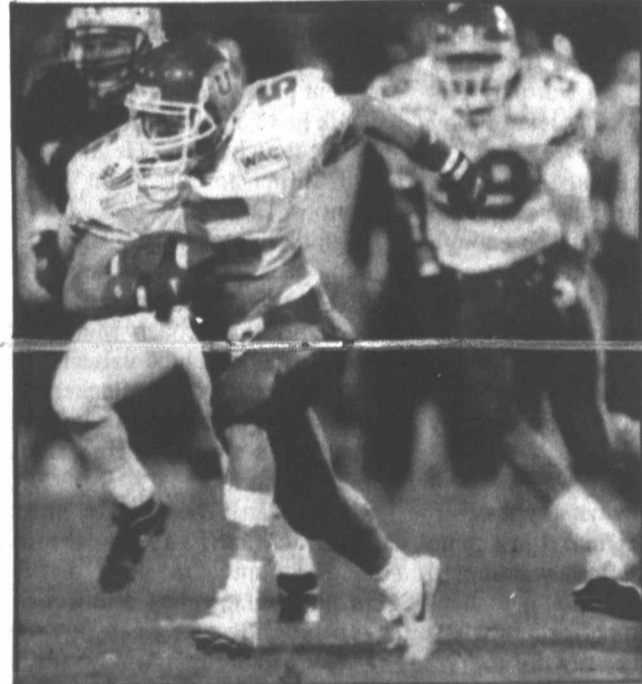
Utah came into the game having lost an opportunity to win the Western Athletic Conference, while Arizona dropped games to Southern Cal and Oregon in the final month of the regular season to lose its Rose Bowl hopes.

The Wildcats committed two costly mistakes midway through the fourth quarter. Arizona, leading 10-7, had to settle for a field goal when Tim Thomas and Lamar Lovett dropped easy passes in the end zone.

"Dropped passes happen, but it really hurt us tonight," Arizona wide receiver Richard Dice said. "We didn't reach our goal of going to the Rose Bowl, but 8-4 isn't bad."

The Utes' offense, averaging 448 yards and 37 points a game, was shaky throughout.

Playing for a team known for its nationally known



Utah's Cal Beck (5) returns a kick for 43 yards during the first quarter against Arizona in Tuesday night's Freedom Bowl. Beck returned three kicks for 140 yards and was named MVP of the game.

defense, Arizona's Dan White easily outplayed McCoy most of the game. He completed 13 of 27 passes for 139 yards, one touchdown and one interception, while McCoy was 11-for-25 for 69 yards and two interceptions.

"We had them right to the end," Arizona offensive lineman Pulu Poulmele said. "We should not have let this one get away."

Ontiwaun Carter led Arizona's rushing with 19 carries for 44 yards. Charlie Brown matched him with 44 yards on 16 carries for Utah.

Utah almost went home a loser in its second straight Freedom Bowl appearance as McCoy, who was sacked six times, struggled and the Utes racked up 94 yards in penalties.

Last year, Utah spotted Southern Cal a 28-0 halftime lead before losing 28-21. This time, mistakes kept both teams from scoring much.

Beck, who set up Utah's winning score, said the victory was especially gratifying because last year he wasn't sure he would be playing college football.

"I keep a journal and today was my 138th day as a Ute," Beck said. "And 138 days of blood, sweat and tears came down to this one play. I had faith that Mike would come through, and he did."

Oilers size up next season

By MICHAELA LUTZ
AP Sports Writer

HOUSTON (AP) — Jeff Fisher has already made his analysis: The Houston Oilers need only an off-season of work to become a playoff team again.

Now team management must decide whether Fisher, named to succeed head coach Jack Pardee more than halfway through the Oilers' 2-14 season, will be around to lead the comeback.

The Oilers snapped an 11-game losing streak with a season-ending victory over the New York Jets, giving Fisher a 1-5 record in his six games at the helm.

Houston, a 12-4 playoff team only a year ago, finished with the NFL's worst record and the third overall pick in next year's draft behind expansion teams Carolina and Jacksonville. Nonetheless, Fisher says turning things around won't be difficult.

"I believe there's a very good nucleus here," he said. "I just don't believe you can fall that far that fast without the potential still here to win. I think we can rise as fast as we fell."

Club owner Bud Adams fired

Pardee on Nov. 13, after after the Oilers dropped to 1-9, and installed defensive coordinator Fisher for the final six games.

Fisher signed a three-year contract at the time, but the deal has an escape clause that allows either him or the club to opt out during a post-season evaluation.

"We understand that this is difficult on everyone: myself, Jeff, the players, the coaches, their families," said general manager Floyd Reese.

"We'd like to say it will be over in a week, but in my heart I think it will take longer than that. When it's said and done, we'll end up with the best coach."

That could mean the Oilers are considering other coaches. Fisher has said he'd like to remain, but he has been a rumored contender for other NFL coaching jobs.

It was a long plunge for the Oilers in 1994. They had been to the playoffs for seven consecutive years, the NFL's longest continuous streak. They also had ranked among league leaders in offense for four years.

Fisher ditched the sputtering run-and-shoot for a more conventional attack, but the new offense showed few signs of life before producing a

season-high 382 yards against the Jets.

"I basically feel there is talent here that desperately needs an off-season of work," Fisher said. "Even if we were not to bring in another (new) player, we'd be much better next year."

Fisher said he never got to fully install the offense he hopes to eventually employ. That attack will be a combination of those used by the San Francisco 49ers and the San Diego Chargers.

"The 49ers have the offense everyone wants to model after, but one of the toughest offenses to defend is San Diego," he said.

"I like a combination of those two, where you utilize the tight end and wide receivers and the backs out in the passing lanes ... Certainly you've got to have a quarterback with experience who can move the ball."

The Oilers are expected to use their high draft pick on a quarterback. Cody Carlson was supposed to provide a seamless transition when Warren Moon was traded to the Minnesota Vikings, but he spent much the season injured and had knee surgery near the end of the season.

Baylor, Wash. St. have similar traits

By JOHN K. WILEY
Associated Press Writer

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — Alamo Bowl opponents Baylor and No. 24 Washington State share common ground other than their similar 7-4 records, their coaches agree.

Both teams are led by young quarterbacks whose strengths and weaknesses have dictated their offensive schemes.

"As you look at the seasons, you see the quarterbacks' growth and they're not the same quarterbacks they were Sept. 1," Cougars coach Mike Price told reporters at a joint news conference Tuesday. "They're much better, they're much more experienced. They will handle this bowl game, both of those kids, very well."

The Bears are led by freshman Jeff Watson, who took over from sophomore Lamont Moore after the first game of the season.

The Cougars have had good luck against option offenses, but Baylor's look has Price worried.

"They've done something different in every game for the last 11 times," Price said.

Not by design, said Baylor coach Chuck Reedy.

"We'd go from week to week try-

ing to figure out something that would work," Reedy said, pointing out that the quarterback change dictated the offensive transitions.

"After the first game, Jeff Watson was obviously the guy who could lead our football team the best and so we gradually moved more to the things he could do," Reedy explained.

Chad Davis, a redshirt sophomore transfer from Oklahoma, has led the Cougars offense all season.

Price said his young quarterback has shown steady improvement, especially in protecting the ball and preventing turnovers.

Baylor set scoring records and Washington State set records for fewest points allowed, but both coaches agreed the key to the game could be the Bears' defense.

"The key will be how well our defense plays. It is imperative for us to keep the score down," Reedy said.

Baylor scored a school record 359 points, an average of 32.6 per game, while Washington State's "Palouse Posse" defense held opponents to just 12.1 points a game.

"Don't talk about scoring records. All it does is agitates this great defense they've got," Reedy said.

"Their offense against our defense is going to be a wash," Price predicted. "The key is how the Cougar offense plays against the Baylor defense ... and possibly the kicking game."

Kicking has been a weakness for the Cougars and a strength for the Bears.

"For us to win the football game, we're going to have to do something in the kicking game to create some scoring opportunities," Reedy said. "That's an area where we can, hopefully, make something happen."

What neither coach wants to happen is to give up the football.

"I think without question turnovers will be the number one thing. We can't turn the ball over," Reedy said. "From a defensive standpoint, that's obviously what they thrived on."

Both coaches said their teams are healthy.

Running back Frank Madu, reserve defensive end Dwayne Sanders and reserve linebacker James Darling have recovered from injuries and can play, Price said.

Fullback Bradford Lewis, defensive end Charles Horton, linebacker Phillip Kent and cornerback Tyrone Smith have bounced back from injuries, Reedy said.

Faulk named offensive rookie of the year

By BARRY WILNER
AP Football Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Just as he did on the field, Marshall Faulk ran away from the competition in voting for the 1994 Associated Press Offensive Rookie of the Year.

Faulk, the No. 2 selection in the draft, rushed for 1,282 yards and 11 touchdowns for the Indianapolis Colts. Those numbers and his marvelous moves and speed impressed 96 of the 98 members of a nationwide panel of sports writers and broadcasters.

Tampa Bay running back Errict Rhett received one vote, as did Washington quarterback Heath Shuler.

From his debut against Houston, when he rushed for 143 yards and scored three touchdowns, right through Colts' 8-8 season, Faulk was a star. He finished third in AFC rushing despite being virtually the only Indianapolis threat on offense.

"The recognition means a lot," said Faulk, a three-time All-America

at San Diego State who set 19 NCAA records in his three-year college career. "It just states what I've tried to say all along, that I can play this game regardless of what level I play on."

"Coming out of college, there was a lot of speculation that I played in the WAC and I hadn't faced enough teams like Florida State, the tough ones like Nebraska. There were those who said I couldn't play, but that didn't mean anything to me. I knew that there are guys from a lesser conference who can come out and play this game on a high level."

"I knew what I was capable of doing. I didn't know what type of situation I was coming into. I just came in with an open mind, wanting to accept whatever was going to happen. I was ready to perform in whatever role the coaches saw for me."

Coaches throughout the league saw too much of Faulk.

"Faulk's the type of guy that gives you a lot of headaches preparing for," Miami's Don Shula said. "You look at him and his great individual

ability and you can see that he's one of the finest young running backs to come into the league, as well as an excellent pass receiver."

Faulk had 55 catches for 542 yards and one touchdown. He tied with Floyd Turner for the team lead in receptions.

"I think he's just a magnificent running back who has come into the league and made an immediate impact," Buffalo coach Marv Levy said. "He has an added value to their attack where they can flank him, and really they've got three wideouts on the field at that time. He's an outstanding player."

Rhett didn't become a starter until almost halfway into the season. He came on with a rush, gaining 1,011 yards and scoring seven touchdowns.

Shuler had an up-and-down rookie season as Washington went 3-13. He got his only win as a starter in the Redskins' finale.

Faulk is the first Colts rookie to win the award. Last year's winner was Jerome Bettis of the Rams.

Olajuwon vows Hawks in Rockets' win

HOUSTON (AP) — Hakeem Olajuwon's third-quarter performance lifted Atlanta's Ken Norman in awe.

"He's not the MVP for nothing," Norman said after Olajuwon scored 16 of his 35 points in the third quarter Tuesday night to spark Houston to a 105-93 comeback victory over the Hawks.

"When he gets in his rhythm, he's the best in the game. You can't stop him. He's just awesome."

With Atlanta leading 59-49 at halftime, Olajuwon went to work, highlighting a 12-0 run as Houston came back to tie 78-78 going into final quarter.

"When we were down at halftime, we knew we had to find a way to get it done," Olajuwon said. "There's no way we should lose to this team. It

showed a lot of character that we stayed together and got the job done."

Houston's defense and Sam Cassell's 7-points performance in the fourth quarter secured the victory and denied Atlanta coach Lenny Wilkens his milestone 938th career victory.

"The ball was just coming my way in the fourth period," Cassell said. "The key was our defense. Nobody can beat us when we play defense like we did in the fourth period."

Wilkens goes into Thursday night's home game against San Antonio needing one victory to tie former Boston coach Red Auerbach as the NBA's all-time victory leader.

"I'm not worried about it," Wilkens said. "It will happen, let's just talk about this game."

Hawks players are looking forward to helping Wilkens make history.

"It's going to happen," center Jon Koncak said. "Good things happen to good people and we're going to get that record for him."

Olajuwon also had 16 rebounds and eight assists. Carl Herrera added 18 points, Robert Horry had 13 and Mario Elie and Cassell each had 12.

Norman led Atlanta with 28 points and 11 rebounds. Mookie Blaylock had 21 points and Steve Smith 12.

"We just try to get the ball to whoever is shooting well," Norman said. "The ball was getting in my hands and my shots were falling. Their fans got in the game in the fourth quarter and they picked up their defense. They hit some big shots at the end when they had to."

Scoreboard

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EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

Orlando	22	8	815	—
New York	13	12	520	8
New Jersey	12	18	400	11 1/2
Boston	10	16	385	11 1/2
Philadelphia	10	16	385	11 1/2
Miami	8	17	320	13
Washington	7	17	292	13 1/2

Central Division

Cleveland	18	8	892	—
Indiana	16	8	867	1
Charlotte	14	12	538	4
Chicago	13	13	500	5
Atlanta	11	16	407	7 1/2
Detroit	9	15	375	8
Milwaukee	9	17	346	9

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division

Utah	16	8	867	1
Houston	16	9	640	1 1/2
San Antonio	14	9	609	2 1/2
Denver	13	12	520	4 1/2
Dallas	12	12	500	5
Minnesota	6	19	240	11 1/2

Pacific Division

Phoenix	21	8	778	—
Seattle	17	8	680	3
L.A. Lakers	15	9	625	4 1/2
Sacramento	14	12	538	6 1/2
Portland	12	12	500	7 1/2
Golden State	10	15	400	10
L.A. Clippers	4	23	148	17

Monday's Games

Cleveland 123, Boston 102
Orlando 128, Washington 121, OT
Houston 101, Miami 88
Minnesota 82, L.A. Clippers 81
Milwaukee 101, New Jersey 97
Phoenix 139, Dallas 113
Philadelphia 101, Portland 94
Seattle 123, Sacramento 103

Tuesday's Games

New York 99, New Jersey 91
Orlando 103, Miami 83
Milwaukee 98, Detroit 88
L.A. Clippers 95, Chicago 92
Phoenix 119, Dallas 118
Houston 105, Atlanta 93
San Antonio 119, Charlotte 108
Indiana 95, Denver 81
Golden State 129, L.A. Lakers 105
Sacramento 102, Portland 101

Wednesday's Games

Chicago at Boston, 7:30 p.m.
Detroit at New York, 7:30 p.m.
Washington at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.
Indiana at Utah, 9 p.m.
Philadelphia at Seattle, 10 p.m.

Thursday's Games

L.A. Clippers at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
San Antonio at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.
Orlando at Charlotte, 8 p.m.
Golden State at Houston, 8:30 p.m.
Denver at Portland, 10:30 p.m.
Seattle at L.A. Lakers, 10:30 p.m.

NCAA BASKETBALL

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Tuesday's Major College Basketball Scores

EAST

Connecticut 71, Illinois 56

SOUTH

Kentucky 116, Marshall 75
Maryland 96, La Salle 80

MIDWEST

Dayton 84, Wis.-Milwaukee 70
Iowa St. 96, Chicago St. 47
Ohio St. 95, Morgan St. 74

FAR WEST

St. Francis, Ill. 81, San Francisco 80
Stanford 95, Wisconsin 78
Utah 84, Cal St.-Fullerton 63

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Cowboy Shootout

First Round
Mississippi St. 76, St. Joseph's 66
Wyoming 52, Monmouth, N.J. 47

ECAC Holiday Festival

First Round
Penn 93, Colgate 58
St. John's 81, Manhattan 70

Far West Classic

First Round
Oregon 77, George Washington 72, OT
Notre Dame 72, Oregon St. 69

Rainbow Classic

First Round
Hawaii 77, Boston U. 63
Iowa 81, Duke 71

Sierra Medical Center Sun Classic

First Round
Texas 84, Texas-Pan American 73
Washington St. 70, Texas-El Paso 54

UNO Christmas Tournament

First Round
New Orleans 74, Rhode Island 64
Princeton 71, Texas A&M 66, 3OT

EXHIBITION

St. Peter's 92, Converse All Stars 88

Top 25 Fared

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How the top 25 teams in The Associated Press' women's college basketball poll fared Tuesday:

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Sunday, Jan. 15
AFC and NFC Championship, 12:30 and 4 p.m.

Sunday, Jan. 29
Super Bowl at Miami, 6 p.m.

Sunday, Feb. 5
Pro Bowl at Honolulu, 6 p.m.

COLLEGE BOWL GAMES

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Thursday, Dec. 15
Las Vegas Bowl
At Las Vegas
UNLV 52, Central Michigan 24

Sunday, Dec. 25
Blue-Gray Classic
At Montgomery, Ala.
Blue 38, Gray 27

Aloha Bowl
At Honolulu
Boston College 12, Kansas State 7

Tuesday, Dec. 27
Freedom Bowl
At Anaheim, Calif.
Utah 16, Arizona 13

Wednesday, Dec. 28
Independence Bowl
At Shreveport, La.
Texas Christian (7-4) vs. Virginia (6-3), 8 p.m. (ESPN)

Thursday, Dec. 29
Copper Bowl
At Tucson, Ariz.
Oklahoma (6-5) vs. Brigham Young (6-3), 6 p.m. (ESPN)

Friday, Dec. 30
Heritage Bowl
At Atlanta
South Carolina State (9-2) vs. Grambling State (9-2), 1 p.m. (ESPN)

Gator Bowl
At Gainesville, Fla.
Tennessee (7-4) vs. Virginia Tech (8-3), 7:30 p.m. (TBS)

Holiday Bowl
At San Diego
Colorado State (10-1) vs. Michigan (7-4), 9 p.m. (ESPN)

Sun Bowl
At El Paso, Texas
Texas (7-4) vs. North Carolina (8-3), 2:30 p.m. (CBS)

Saturday, Dec. 31
Alamo Bowl
At San Antonio
Baylor (7-4) vs. Washington State (7-4), 8 p.m. (ESPN)

Liberty Bowl
At Memphis, Tenn.
Illinois (6-5) vs. East Carolina (7-4), 1 p.m. (ESPN)

Sunday, Jan. 1
Peach Bowl
At Atlanta
North Carolina State (8-3) vs. Mississippi State (6-3), 8 p.m. (ESPN)

Orange Bowl
At Miami
Nebraska (12-0) vs. Miami (10-1), 8 p.m. (NBC)

Monday, Jan. 2
Hall of Fame Bowl
At Tampa, Fla.
Wisconsin (6-4-1) vs. Duke (6-3), 11 a.m. (ESPN)

Citrus Bowl
At Orlando, Fla.
Ohio State (9-3) vs. Alabama (11-1), 1 p.m. (ABC)

Fiesta Bowl
At Tempe, Ariz.
Colorado (10-1) vs. Notre Dame (6-4-1), 4:30 p.m. (NBC)

Carquest Bowl
At Miami
South Carolina (6-5) vs. West Virginia (7-5), 1:30 p.m. (CBS)

Cotton Bowl
At Dallas
Texas Tech (6-5) vs. Southern California (7-3-1), 1 p.m. (NBC)

Rose Bowl
At Pasadena, Calif.
Penn State (11-0) vs. Oregon (9-3), 4:50 p.m. (ABC)

Sugar Bowl
At New Orleans
Florida (10-1-1) vs. Florida State (9-1-1), 8:30 p.m. (ABC)

Saturday, Jan. 14
East-West Shrine Classic
At Stanford, Calif.
East vs. West, 4 p.m. (ESPN)

Saturday, Jan. 21
Senior Bowl
Mobile, Ala.
North vs. South, 2 p.m. (ESPN)

Sunday, Jan. 22
At Honolulu
Hula Bowl
East vs. West, 8 p.m. (ESPN)

Players give OK for Ripken to cross lines

HOUSTON (AP) — Baltimore Orioles shortstop Cal Ripken has the blessing of striking players if he wants to cross their picket line to keep his consecutive games streak alive, according to The Houston Post.

Houston Astros relief pitcher Todd Jones said Tuesday that the union has told Ripken they won't mind if he's on the field with strikebreakers if that is how owners insist on starting the 1995 season.

"He was told that 'If you want to

cross, the players' association and players' union would understand and would not say anything (critical) because this is a once-in-a-lifetime chance and an exception," Jones said from his home in Pell City, Ala. "It was agreed that if Cal wanted to go in and keep the streak alive, it wouldn't be seen as a threat to the union."

Ripken has played in 2,009 consecutive games and is 122 games shy of breaking Lou Gehrig's major-league record. The streak was discussed by the union during last

month's meeting in Atlanta, Jones said.

"This is no everyday record," Jones said. "This is a Halley's Comet-type thing he's going after. It's safe to say that none of the union members would hold it against him."

Several union members have made strong statements about the possibility of players crossing picket lines.

Baltimore Orioles owner Peter Angelos has said he'll fight other owners before giving in to the idea of using strikebreakers.

Iowa downs seventh-ranked Blue Devils

HONOLULU (AP) — Duke coach Mike Krzyzewski couldn't say enough good things about Jess Settles after the sophomore forward returned from a back injury to lead Iowa over the seventh-ranked Blue Devils in the opening round of the Rainbow Classic.

Settles had 28 points and eight rebounds in the Hawkeyes' 81-71 victory Tuesday night, his first action after sitting out three games to rest his back.

"Settles was incredible," Krzyzewski said. "Imagine if he had been practicing the last 17 days? You enjoy shaking a kid's hand after a game like that, that he comes out and

does what he does."

Settles, who came in averaging a team-leading 19.7 points, was sitting in the locker room slowly taking the tape off his ankles when he was told what Krzyzewski said.

"I have more respect for that man than anybody in the country," Settles said. "I have been such a fan of his since the eighth grade. I would love to sit down one day and just talk basketball with him."

Iowa's first-ever victory over Duke in five meetings might take up a good portion of the conversation.

The Hawkeyes (9-1) broke it open with a 13-5 run for a 76-65 lead with 2:53 to play. Settles had 7 points and

an assist on an alley-oop dunk in the run. The Blue Devils (6-2

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2 Museums

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PIONEER West Museum: Shamrock. Regular museum hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, Saturday and Sunday.

RIVER Valley Pioneer Museum at Canadian, Tx. Tuesday-Friday 10-4 p.m. Saturday 2-4 p.m. Closed Saturday and Monday.

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TOP O Texas Lodge #1381, business meeting, Tuesday night 7:30 p.m.

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- Wool fiber
- Ruin
- Close groups
- Eleventh mo.
- Turn the page (abbr.)
- Prim
- Impudence (sl.)
- They
- Israeli airline
- (2 wds.)
- Verve
- Divulge (secrets)
- Year (Sp.)
- Walter's handout
- Certain writer

DOWN

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- Cover (a package)
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- Environment study
- Next to Sun.
- Author Levin
- Fall behind
- Choose
- Mrs. Charles Chaplin
- Singing

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Study: Women with AIDS dying faster than males

By BRENDA C. COLEMAN
AP Medical Writer

CHICAGO (AP) — Women infected with the AIDS virus die faster than men with the infection, a large study found.

No medical reason for the difference was apparent, said the study's authors, led by Sandra L. Melnick, an epidemiologist at the University of Minnesota School of Public Health.

Instead, the researchers said, women may wait until they are sicker before seeking care or may be treated differently.

The study tracked 768 women and 3,779 men — all infected with the AIDS virus — for about 15 months and found that women were 33 percent more likely to die than men who were comparably ill when they were enrolled in the study.

Women are still a small minority of U.S. AIDS cases — about 15 percent — but they and children are the fastest growing group of people with AIDS, said one co-author of the study in Wednesday's issue of *The Journal of the American Medical Association*.

"We're still way behind in reaching women at risk nationally," said Dr. Renslow Sherer, director of the Cook County HIV Primary Care Center in Chicago. "This study just shows the devastating impact of HIV in women."

Death was the first known sign of HIV infection for women more than twice as often as it was for men, the researchers found. That suggests women may wait longer to seek treatment or may receive different care, they said.

The study, conducted at primary health care centers in 13 U.S. cities, is the largest and longest to explore

differences in HIV disease between men and women, Sherer said. It is also one of the most representative, with 50 percent of subjects black or Hispanic and 20 percent women, he said.

But the study's breadth came at the cost of detail, including information on homelessness and poverty — two important factors in life expectancy for people with HIV infections, Sherer said.

Also, he said, "we know that there's a very high incidence of domestic violence in women with HIV — in some cases extremely high," and that may cause deaths, he said.

Causes of death in the study were unavailable or unknown for 46 percent of 105 women who died and 36 percent of 700 men who died. Since many HIV patients die outside hospitals, information on causes of death is difficult to obtain, the researchers said.

Dr. Alexandra Levine, chief of hematology at the University of Southern California School of Medicine and a researcher on HIV in women, said her own findings suggest nonmedical factors play a big role in how infected women fare.

"It is extremely common for a woman to say she wants an HIV test but was afraid to ask the doctor," Levine said in a telephone interview Monday. "When she does ask, he says, 'No, you don't need one, you're a nice girl.' Then, she has to say, 'No, I'm not a nice girl.'"

Or, a woman may come to the emergency room with pneumonia, and a doctor may not suspect it's related to HIV, though with a male patient, the doctor might suspect it and test for it, Levine said. The treatment for the two types of pneumonia is different, she noted.

Teachers claim small pensions are leaving them impoverished

AUSTIN (AP) — Helen Stauffer considers herself fortunate to receive \$1,000 a month in teacher benefits. With few expenses, she's managing to get by.

Other retired teachers aren't as lucky.

Although the Teacher Retirement System boasts a \$1.8 billion surplus, thousands of teachers receive pensions below or near the federal poverty line, according to a recent study by the Texas Sunset Advisory Commission.

"There is no way I could make it or live on what we (retired teachers) get if I had to make car and house payments," said Ms. Stauffer, 64, of Taylor. "But there are many teachers in that situation — in poverty."

At least 6,000 of the system's 138,000 retirees would fall below the poverty line and thousands more would be close to it if the pension were their only income, the study concluded. The federal poverty line is \$580 for a single person.

There are no estimates of how

many teachers rely solely on their income from the retirement system.

"It's disgraceful," said Manuel Justiz, dean of the College of Education at the University of Texas.

"These teachers have given their lives to serve our society. They have a moral obligation to provide for their members."

An educator who retired in the 1960s with 26 to 30 years of service receives a monthly pension of about \$578, according to the study. Furthermore, 35,000 retired educators or their survivors receive monthly benefits of \$1,000 or less.

"If the free-lunch program were available to Texas teachers and school employees, 54,106 retirees would qualify," said Glen Porter, who heads the Texas Retired Educator Deferred Dividend Association in San Antonio.

A parent whose monthly income is \$798 or less per month meets federal guidelines for the free-lunch program for schoolchildren, Porter said.

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