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DOCUMENTS SHOW COORDINATION BETWEEN DOLE, RNC ON ADS

WASHINGTON (AP) - Knowing their presidential nominee - whoever he was - would be broke by the summer of 1996, the Republican National Committee developed a strategy to avoid spending limits with issue-based ads that ultimately were coordinated with Bob Dole's campaign, GOP documents show.

Once the strategy began, one RNC memo said budget figures for issue advertising needed to be cleared by Dole's campaign, which by that time had the nomination wrapped up. Another worried that a biographical ad "could run into a real snag" if not counted against the ceiling.

Some Senate Republicans have charged that President Clinton was using generic, issue-based ads to evade his spending limits during last year's campaign. The president was captured on videotape stressing the importance of the ads to his re-election effort.

Senate investigators are trying to determine whether Dole and Clinton misused the issue ads to promote their own elections and evade the limits.

TAPES SHOW NIXON PLOTTING **BREAK-INS BEFORE WATERGATE**

NEW YORK (AP) - Richard Nixon asked his subordinates to set up burglaries and plunder secret records a year before the Watergate scandal that drove him from office in disgrace, according to White House tapes described today in Newsweek magazine.

Nixon wanted dirt from secret archives to darken the reputations of past Democratic presidents, such as Franklin D. Roosevelt and John F. Kennedy, the magazine said.

'We're gonna expose, God, Pearl Harbor," Nixon said, an apparent reference to finding documents showing Roosevelt at fault for the naval fiasco of World War II.

Newsweek said Nixon also was sure there was information damaging to Kennedy about the Bay of Pigs and Cuban missile crisis and he proposed

breaking into the National Archives to get it. According to a tape of June 30, 1971, Nixon ordered a break-in of the Brookings Institution, a liberal think tank he believed was involved in Daniel

Ellsberg's leaking the secret Pentagon Paper to the press. 'I want a break-in," Nixon says. "I want the Brookings safe cleaned out. And have'st cleaned out in a way that makes somebody else look bad."

FEDERAL' BUDGET DEFICIT FALLS TO LOWEST LEVEL SINCE '74

WASHINGTON (AP) - The federal budget deficit for the 1997 fiscal year fell to \$22.6 billion, a level lower than any other major industrialized country, President Clinton announced Monday.

The drop reflects a \$267 billion decrease since he took office and enacted a balanced-budget plan over objections of Republicans, Clinton said during a speech to the Democratic Leadership Council.

'The deficit-reduction plan of 1993 was supported only by Democrats, enacted in the face of the most withering partisan criticism and deep political risk that cost some members their positions in Congress," said Clinton, fighting a hoarse voice.

Well, it's time for the naysayers to admit they're wrong. It worked. And America is better for it.'

Administration officials credited the drop to strong economic growth

and a resulting increase in tax revenue. The gap is the lowest since 1974, when it was \$6.1 billion.

HIV-INFECTED MAN ACCUSED OF TRADING DRUGS FOR SEX

MAYVILLE, N.Y. (AP) - Nushawn Williams knew where to find the girls, authorities contend - at parks, near schools, places where he could talk them into having sex. Maybe even after he knew he had the AIDS virus.

Now New York health officials and police are following a trail of infection. They have documented nine HIV cases in rural Chautauqua County alone in which Williams is suspected of infecting women as young as 13.

Some of the answers may rest with Williams, who has been jailed in New York City on drug charges since Sept. 23. Chautauqua County has issued an arrest warrant for him, accusing him of raping a 13-year-old girl.

REPUBLICANS POURING MILLIONS INTO RACES; DEMOS SHORT ON CASH

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Republican Party has poured millions into three closely watched elections next week while Democratic candidates have been forced to borrow money or hold last-minute fund-raisers because their debt-laden party hasn't come up with the same kind of cash.

Nowhere has the disparity been more noticeable than in New York's Staten Island, where the congressional seat vacated by Republican Susan Molinari is up for grabs.

The Republican National Committee injected itself in the race with a recent \$750,000 blitz that funded 30-second ads attacking the Democratic

candidate, Eric Vitaliano. The Democratic Party did not respond, forcing Vitaliano to dig into his own campaign coffers to counterattack.

GOP SENATORS FREEZE ACTION ON CLINTON'S MEDICARE CHOICE

NEW YORK (AP) - In an effort to force President Clinton to approve a new Medicare billing provision, Senate Republicans have frozen action on his nominee to run the Medicare program, The New York Times reported

Sen. Jon Kyl, R-Ariz., led the effort to stop further action on Nancy-Ann Min DeParle's nomination, the Times said.

He said the "hold" would last until Clinton signs a bill that would allow doctors to sidestep Medicare price restrictions and enter private contracts with wealthy senior citizens, charging them as much as the patients were willing to pay, according to the paper.

Stocks plunge, then rebound

NEW YORK (AP) - Stocks plunged this morning, but bounced back 7.2 percent at noontime. within the first hour of trading as investors took advantage the cheap prices now available after Monday's historic selloff.

At 10 a.m. on Wall Street, the Dow Jones industrial average was down 144.40 at 7,016.75, but then turned its course and was up 24.80 at 7,185.95

Today's initial free fall for the blue-chip index followed a 554-point drop on Monday, when trading was abruptly halted by stock market rules intended to prevent a further fall.

Monday's decline was the Dow's biggest ever in point terms and the 12th largest at 7.18 percent.

Today was the fourth straight session that anxieties over the financial outlook for Asia, one of the world's fastest growing markets, played into trading global financial markets.

The Hang Seng index of blue chip shares in Hong Kong fell 13.7 percent today. In Tokyo, the Nikkei Stock Average lost 4.26 percent. In London, the blue-chip Financial Times-Stock Exchange 100-share index was down

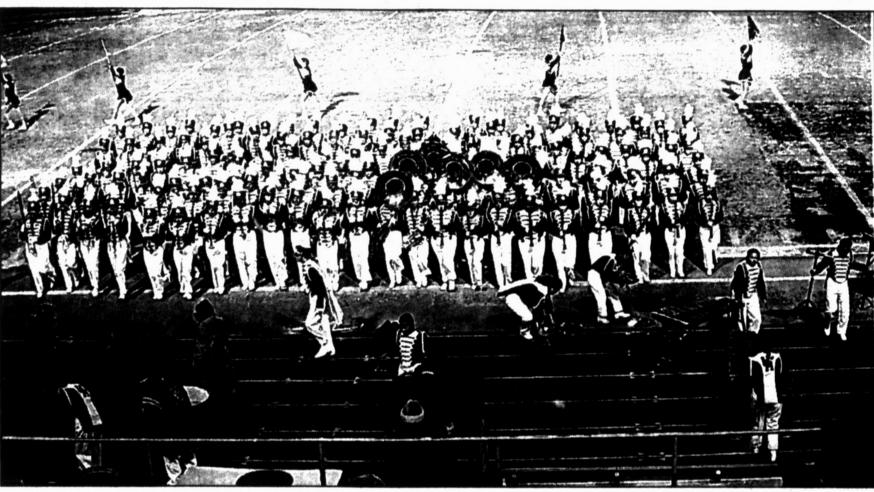
While U.S. stocks opened lower, bargain hunters entered the market shortly after 10 a.m. to buy stocks that were now available at much lower

"You've got some bargain hunting right away, but this is not the start of major rally," said Ralph Bloch, chief market analyst at Raymond James & Associates of St. Petersburg, Fla. "The selling pressure wasn't as great as people thought.'

Declining issues outnumbered advancers by a 18-to-1 margin on the New York Stock Exchange, where volume came to 127.33 million shares, up from Monday's early pace.

The Standard & Poor's 500 list was down 21.37, the NYSE composite index was down 10.64 at 452.57 and the American Stock Exchange composite index was down 21.87 at 638.54.

The Nasdaq composite index was down 64.53 at 1,470.56, hurt by continued weakness in technology stocks, including Dell Computer, Intel and Microsoft.



Band misses cut

Members of the Hereford High School Mighty Maroon Band braved the cold to participate in the UIL Area I Class 4A Marching Band competition Saturday night in Amarillo's Dick Bivins Stadium. The HHS band, which the week before had captured its 37th consecutive Division I rating in regional competition, failed to advance to the

Commissioners will check out roads

By DONALD M. COOPER **Brand Editor**

Deaf Smith County's four commissioners will get to know the potholes in the roads in their precincts during the next couple of weeks.

The commissioners agreed Monday to check the roads as part of the county's effort to decide which roads should be included in a seal-coating project next summer - if the county administration decides to participate in a joint agreement between Oller Engineering of Lubbock and several Panhandle cities and counties.

Rick Oller had been scheduled to make the presentation about the joint seal-coating project at the commissioners' last meeting, but it was postponed because of illness.

Oller told the commissioners the joint project involving a group of Panhandle cities and counties was launched three years ago. This past summer, the agreement involved 12 cities and two counties, he said, and he anticipates additional cities and counties to participate in the 1998 project.

We try to get as many people as possible in the project," Oller said. By having more participants, Oller said, the costs of the sealcoating could be reduced substantially.

For example, he said the contractor who was the successful bidder for this past summer's project charged 52 cents per square yard, while Levelland, which did not participate in the project, paid nearly 75 cents per square yard for its sealcoating.

"I've had two calls from them (Levelland city administrators) asking how do they get in next year," Oller said.

Oller said his company will handle the evaluation of the roads that the cities or counties select as candidates for sealcoating to determine if they are feasible for the project. His firm then will prepare the bid specifications and place an engineer at each site to monitor the work.

His company's fee for handling the administrative duties and drawing

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Survey: Junior high kids' drug use on the rise

WASHINGTON (AP) - A survey of schools by a private drug-control program found increases in drug use among junior high students, while use in senior high held steady.

The 10th annual survey by Atlanta-based PRIDE, released today, found a 5 percent increase in the junior high students who reported that they used illegal drugs monthly - 11.4 percent of the mostly 11- to 14-year-olds reported monthly drug use in 1996-1997, up from 10.9 percent the previous school

Nearly 25 percent of senior high students reported monthly drug use, up 2 percent from the previous year. The rate dropped 4 percent for high school seniors - to 26 percent from nearly 27 percent.

The survey indicated higher drug use than that reported by the government's National Household Survey on Drug Abuse.

The PRIDE survey of 141,000 youth looked at 28 states and was based on questionnaires administered by schools. Although it does not use typical survey techniques, sponsors believe it gives a picture of use patterns nationwide and not just among those surveyed.

PRIDE, or Parents' Resource Institute for Drug Education, is a nonprofit group offering drug prevention programs for parents, youth, schools, businesses and governments. The group is funded by private donations and by the 5,500 school systems that request and use PRIDE questionnaires to monitor student drug abuse.

HEDC to get SW Bell grant for webpage

Hereford Economic Development Corp. is among four Panhandle organizations selected by Southwestern Bell for its 1997 Texas Economic Excellence Grants.

HEDC will receive a \$2,500 grant to establish a web ite. In West and Central Texas, 26 organizations will be receive approximately \$79,000 in grants for

economic development. Other recipients in the Panhandle are White Deer Land Museum in Pampa, McLean Chamber of Commerce, and the City of Canyon. Organizations could request a minimum of \$1,000 but could be awarded

up to \$5,000 for economic development projects. Southwestern Bell, with guidance from the Texas Rural Development Council and the Texas Economic Development Council, provided approximately \$250,000 to 79 cities for economic development and enhancement of individual communities.

"Southwestern Bell has in the past and will continue in the future to further economic development in the communities which it serves," said David Cole, Southwestern Bell Texas state president.

Southwestern Bell is a subsidiary of SBC Communications Inc., a global leader in the telecommunications industry, with more than 32 million access lines and nearly 5 million wireless customers

SBC has more than 114,000 employees and reported 1996 revenues of \$23.5 billion. SBC's equity market value of \$56.5 billion ranks it as one of the five largest telecommunications companies in the world.

55 county voters go to polls early

Fifty-five voters had cast ballots by Monday afternoon during the early voting period for the Nov. 4 constitutional amendment election, according to Deaf Smith County Clerk David Ruland.

Early voting in the constitution amendment election will end at 5 p.m. Friday in Room 202 of the Deaf Smith County Courthouse, 235 E. 3rd.

Ruland said voters going to the polls on Nov. 4 must present either their voter card or a valid form of

identification, such as a Texas driver's license or Texas Department of Public Safety identification card, before they will be allowed to cast ballots.

Ruland said the identification also could include a pre-printed check; however, he encourages all voters to bring the voter cards.

If the voter has no identification, Ruland said he or she will be allowed to vote if an election official will sign an affidavit stating personal recognition of the person wanting to vote.

There are 14 constitutional amendments on the ballot. The propositions are: - No. 1 would allow a municipal court judge to hold

more than one civil office; - No. 2 would allow the Legislature to increase the maximum average annual increase in homestead

appraisal valuations to 10 percent or more for each year since the most recent appraisal. It also would permit school districts to grant a retroactive property tax freeze

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Local Roundup

Chamber open house

Hereford retail merchants will participate next month in the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce's annual open house. The event will be 1-5 p.m. Nov. 2, with numerous local merchants participating.

There will be registration at all participating businesses for a \$500 Hereford Bucks giveway. The drawing will be Nov.

"Eat Your Heart Out, Nieman-Marcus"

The Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce will be the host of the annual "Eat Your Heart Out, Nieman-Marcus" preview night and fun breakfast next month.

The preview night will be 6:30-8 p.m. Nov. 12, with the fun breakfast to begin at 6:30 a.m. Nov. 13.

There will be a drawing for a \$100 Hereford Bucks prize at the fun breakfast, and the winner must be present.

Santa Claus will make an appearance at both events.

Combest Internet site

U.S. Rep. Larry Combest, D-Texas, has established a weblink for taxpayers to inform his office about abuses by the Internal Revenue Service or to offer suggestions for tax code changes.

The weblink is part of Combest's tax reform efforts and will enable constituents to register their opinions and suggestions.

The weblink seeks opinions about IRS authority, shifting control to a private citizen oversight board, and tax code proposals. Visitors to the web site also can forward their experiences and comments about the IRS, with the option to not have their names disclosed.

The web site is:

http://www.house.gov/combest.

Mostly clear

Tonight, mostly clear. Low in the mid-30s. North to west wind 5-10 mph. Wednesday, partly cloudy. High in the upper 60s. Southwest wind 5-10 mph. Wednesday night, partly cloudy. Low in the mid-30s.

3- to 5-day forecast

Thursday and Friday: partly cloudy, highs 65 to 70 and fow in the lower 40s.

Saturday: partly cloudy, low in the upper 30s and high around 60.

News Digest

PROPERTY OWNERS KILL ENDANGERED SPECIES

AUSTIN (AP) - Some landowners are so concerned about being subjected to Endangered Species Act restrictions that their response to finding an endangered animal is "shoot, shovel and shut up," property rights advocates

"When a landowner finds an endangered species on his or her property, that landowner can expect to lose most of the property rights in that land, said Becky Norton Dunlop, Virginia secretary of natural resources, at a conference of the legal foundation Defenders of Property Rights.

You often find that people will work to eliminate habitat ... I have heard it said that out here in the West there's a little saying that goes along with endangered species. It's called ... shoot, shovel and shut up," she said Monday.

She suggested the law is badly designed and that changes are needed to encourage "good stewardship."

Texas state Rep. Bob Turner, D-Voss, said, "It's not just a speaker's joke. It's reality.

BOARD REVERSES STAND ON BOOK BANNING

BURLESON (AP) - A policy that had banned books that contained profanity from being used as required reading for younger grades has been rescinded by school trustees.

The trustees voted unanimously Monday night to reverse the policy. In its place, they passed a policy that will require teachers to send parents detailed lists of reading materials at the start of each semester.

Two of the seven trustees were not present for the meeting.

School Superintendent Fred Rauschuber called the unanimous vote a compromise that he believes will please conservative Christian parents who supported the ban, and teachers and parents who criticized it.

KILLER'S WIFE CAN'T KEEP TRIAL EVIDENCE

DALLAS (AP) - Evidence from the trial of Kenneth Mosley, who was convicted of killing a Garland police officer, will not be handled by the Dallas County employee responsible for safekeeping evidence after criminal trials.

That's because the employee, Carol Mosley, is the estranged wife of Mosley, who was convicted and sentenced to death earlier this month in the Feb. 15 shooting death of Garland Officer Michael David Moore during a bank robbery attempt.

Dallas County prosecutors and District Judge Molly Francis, who presided at the trial, requested Monday that Ms. Mosley be prohibited from any involvement in her husband's case.

As evidence registrar in the Dallas County district clerk's office, Ms. Mosley would normally take custody of the trial evidence so that it can be held until all appeals have been resolved.

The Mosleys, who have an 8-year-old daughter, separated some time before Moore was slain.

MASS MURDERER KNOWS HE'S HATED

HUNTSVILLE (AP) - Even one of the men convicted of participating in one of Houston's worst single mass murders refers to the killing scene

"I know that people hate me," Kenneth Ray Ransom says. "I understand that. I've had to deal with that for the past 14 years. There's nothing I can do about it."

Ransom was set to die this evening for what became known as the Malibu Grand Prix killings. An accomplice, Richard Wilkerson, was executed four years ago. A third participant, James Randall, is serving a life prison sentence.

Ransom, now 34, was a 20-year-old parolee the night of July 1, 1983 when he, Wilkerson and Randall walked into the Malibu Grand Prix amusement center in southwest Houston just before closing. They robbed the place of about \$1,300 and killed four young men who worked there, stabbing

each victim repeatedly. Every time I drive by that location, I think about what that scene looked like," J.C. Mosier, a former Houston homicide detective who worked the case, recalled Monday. "In that rest room, there was at least 2 inches of blood on that floor. It was like they had a water leak. I'll never forget that. It's the most blood I'd ever seen at one location. It was awful."

Feds may move on UP if UP cars don't

WASHINGTON (AP) - Federal Union Pacific executives, who gulators say they might have to step aren't eager for federal intervention,

wait for the private sector to resolve this matter," Surface Transportation Board chairwoman Linda Morgan said during a daylong hearing Monday on Union Pacific's troubles.

regulators say they might have to step in if Union Pacific Railroad can't swiftly solve problems that have harmed thousands of shippers.

The may be that we can no longer aren't eager for federal intervention, contend that the rail troubles that began in Texas over the summer later rippling throughout Union Pacific's 36,000-mile network - are

Ve are absolutely confident that our service will be back to normal levels by year's end and perh

arent company, Dallas-based Union acific Corp., told the board.

deral regulators to intervenc.

Rail disruptions have cost Texas. companies \$300 million to \$400 million in extra freight charges, lost

rail congestion, equipment and manpower shortnges are resolved,

That study pegs national losses at \$1 billion or more since July.

"This is the worst rail crisis in the history of the United States," Matthews told reporters before his

While unwilling to go that far, Surface Transportation Board member Gus Owen said Union Pacific 'has put the nation at economic risk.

For months, shippers have complained about Union Pacific shortcomings that forced some plants along the Gulf Coast's petrochemical corridor to halt production and in some cases idle their workers.

"We cannot ship with confidence now on the Union Pacific Railroad," said David Parkin of Huntsman Corp., which is having difficulty shipping chemicals by rail.

Lumber and steel producers in the Northwest also have been hurt by long service delays, as have Midwest grain producers who are unable to ship their bumper harvests.

"In my opinion, the rail car crisis in Texas, as well as the rest of the country, almost rises to the level of an economic state of emergency, said Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison, R-Texas, chairwoman of the Senate surface transportation subcommittee.

While federal intervention ypically should be a last-ditch effort. Mrs. Hutchison said it "must be on the table." Absent action by the Surface Transportation Board, she promised hearings next year by her Senate subcommittee.

"I got the message," Ms. Morgan

parents, Raymond and Charla Schlabs and Lloyd Ames and Robbi Hudgens. **Obituaries**

The Hereford Kiwanis Club honored the students of the month Julie Schlabs and Craig Ames.

Both are active in high school and community events. Pictured with the students are their

ANGELINA GARCIA

Oct. 25, 1997

Angelina Garcia, 74, of Hereford died Saturday. Services were Monday in Avenue Baptist Church with the Revs. David Alvarado and Bruce Hernandez officiating. Burial was in in West Park

Mrs. Garcia was born Dec. 19, 1922, in Norton to Baldomero and Abundia Gamez. She married Reyes Garcia in 1941 in Plainview.

She was a homemaker and had been a resident of Hereford for more

She was preceded in death by her husband.

Students of the month

Survivors include three sons, Reyes Garcia Jr. and David Garcia, both of Hereford, and Louis Garcia of Lubbock; five daughters, Beatrice Villa of Phoenix, Ariz., Maria Lopez of Ballinger, Adriana Garcia of San Angelo, Bertha Moreno of Amarillo and Lucy Garcia of Irving; three sisters, Irene Limas and Elva Garcia, both of Hereford, and Lupe Zapata of Bakersfield, Calif.; and four brothers, Mike Gamez, Refugio Gamez and Josue Gamez, all of Hereford, and Fred Gamez of Abilene.

Parkside Chapel

CLAUDINE ROGERS Oct. 25, 1997

Claudine Rogers, 84, of Hereford died Saturday at the Hereford Care

Services were Monday at First United Methodist Church. Burial was

at West Park Cemetery with Dr. Tom Fuller officiating. Mrs. Rogers was born Feb. 13, 1913, in White Deer, She married Grady Rogers on Oct. 25, 1932. They moved to Deaf Smith County in 1947.

She was a homemaker and a member of the First United Methodist Church. Survivors include a daughter, Barbara Rogers Miller; three grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren.

Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home IDA H. JESKO

Oct. 25, 1997

Ida H. Jesko, 92, of Hereford died Saturday in the Hereford Regional Medical Center.

Rosary was recited Sunday and Monday at Rose Chapel. Christian Mothers rosary was recited Sunday. Funeral Mass was today at St. Anthony's Catholic Church. Interment was at St. Anthony's Catholic Cemetery with Msgr. Orville Blum officiating.

Mrs. Jesko was born June 24, 1905, in Dalhart to Walter Hopper and Maggie Burns. She married Joe Jesko on Nov. 20, 1922 in Hereford. She was a homemaker and a member of St. Anthony's Catholic Church.

She also was a pioneer of the Jesko and Lazbuddie communities, a 1923 graduate of Hereford High, a retired secretary of the Parmer County Historical Commission and had worked with 4-H, Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts. She moved to Hereford from the Jesko-Lazbuddie community in 1975.

Survivors include four daughters, Jody James and Betty Bagley, both of Amarillo, Margaret Hoffman of Pryor, Okla., and Pearl Acker of Nazerath, Texas; 17 grandchildren, several great-grandchildren and several great-greatgrandchildren.

Memorials should be sent to the Hereford Senior Citizens Center or St. Anthony's Endowment Fund.

KEN McLAIN

Oct. 26, 1997

Services for Ken McLain, 73, of Hereford will be 2 p.m. Wednesday at First United Methodist Church with Dr. Tom Fuller officiating. Interment will be in Rest Lawn Memorial Park. Mr. McLain was born Aug. 27, 1924, at York, Neb., to Albert and Odelia

He died Sunday in Ruidoso, N.M., following a short illness. He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Lloyd and Merle McLain; and a granddaughter, Allison McLain.

He married Marcella Norquest on June 8, 1947, at McCool Junction, Neb. He was a farmer and cattle rancher in York and Bradshaw, Neb., until 1969, when he moved to Hereford to work for Southwest Feedyard. In 1982, he opened McLain Garden Center, which he owned until retiring in 1996. He was a member of First United Methodist Church in Hereford and was a former member of the Hereford Lions Club.

Survivors include his wife, Marcella McLain of Hereford; two sons, Richard McLain of Clovis, N.M., and Milton McLain of Estancia, N.M.; a brother, Roy McLain of York, Neb.; a sister, Maxine Wright of Benedict, Neb.; three granddaughters, Angela Echols, Brenda McLain and Stacie McLain; and several nieces and nephews.

The family requests memorials be made to First United Methodist Church Building Fund or the American Heart Association.

Parkside Chapel



AUSTIN (AP) - Results of the Lotto Texas drawing Saturday night:

Winning numbers drawn: **1-26-28-30-32-37.** Estimated jackpot: \$4 million. Number matching six of six:

Matching five of six: 68. Prize: \$2,184.

Matching four of six: 4,410. Prize: \$121. Matching three of six: 86,327.

Prize: \$3. Next Lotto Texas game: Wednesday night.

Estimated jackpot: \$10 million. AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Saturday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 8-9-2

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 3-2-5

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery: 12-18-26-32-37

Emergency Services

Activities reported by local law enforcement include:

Police Department Arrests

-- A 17-year-old man was arrested in the 500 block of south 25 Mile Avenue and charged with unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. -- A 28-year old woman was

arrested at First and Whittier for traffic infractions. -- A 25-year-old man was arrested in the 800 block of south main and

charged with driving while intoxicat--- A 17-year-old man was arrested in the 100 block of Avenue G and

-- A 30-year-old woman was arrested in the 100 block of Avenue H and charged with public intoxica-

charged with evading arrest.

-- An 18-year-old man was arrested in the 200 block of north Avenue K and charged with criminal mischief.

JEWISH FACTIONS SUSPEND LEGAL ACTION

provide crucial political support for Israel in Washington.

JERUSALEM (AP) - Trying to avoid a rift between Israel and American

The turnaround gave Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu a reprieve

Jews, Reform and Conservative Jewish leaders agreed today to suspend

for three months legal action seeking the formal recognition of their movements

from what appeared to be an inevitable collision with American Jews who

-- A 55-year-old man was arrested in the 100 block of West Park and charged with failure to yield right of way, failure to report change of address, and failure to maintain financial responsibility.

-- A 22-year-oldman was arrested in the 200 block of Avenue H for fictitious motor vehicle inspection, fictitious motor vehicle registration and failure to maintain financial responsibility.

-- A 22-year-old male was arrested in the 500 block of west First on warrants from Randall and Potter counties.

-- Theft reported in he 800 block of east Third. -- Dog bite was reported in the 300

block of north Lawton. -Criminal trespass reported in the 700 block of Avenue F.

block of north Avenue K. -- A domestic assault was reported

-Theft was reported in the 700

in the 500 block of first.

600 block of Avenue J.

500 block of Avenue H.

block of north 385.

reported.

dumpster fire.

-- A harassment was reported in the

-- An assault was reported in the

-- A theft was reported in the 500

-- Domestic disturbance was

-- 28 traffic citations were issued.

-- 1 curfew citation was issued.

-- Two minor traffic accidents were

--1:44 p.m. firefighters responded

Fire Department

to the 100 block of Avenue I on a

reported in 100 block of Higgins.

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Bride-elect feted

Skiles home site of bridal shower for Hicks

Jennifer Hicks, bride-elect of of Jody Skiles. Michael Kliesen, was honored with a bridal shower Saturday in the home Nov. 29.

The couple plans to be married

Guests were greeted by the bride-elect; Susan Hicks, her mother; Janet Kliesen, mother of the prospective

bridegroom; and Dean Bradley and Mildred Hicks, grandmothers of the bride-elect. Heather Hicks presided at the guest registry.

Refreshments included sausageegg casserole, miniature muffins and cinnamon rolls, fruit plate, pumpkin

cheese cake, apple cider and coffee.
The serving table featured silver appointments and was accented with two floral arrangements in silver

Three table lamps were gifts from hostesses Paula Edwards, Mary Robinson, Brenda Campbell, Ann Lueb, Dorotha Prowell, Jody Skiles, Teresa Dutton, Mary Carter, Maudette Smith, Sue Powell, Loretta Urbanczyk, Jan Weishaar, Nan Coneway, Judy Williams, Kathy Allison, Sue Sims, Charlene Sanders, Corky Campos, Sandra Saul, Shelia Straughan, Karen Abney and Dianna Griffin.

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A bridal shower honoring Jennifer Hicks, center, bride-elect of Michael Kliesen, was held Saturday in the home of Jody Skiles. Joining the honoree in greeting guests were, from left, Dean Bradley, grandmother of the bride-elect; Susan Hicks, mother of the bride elect; Janet Kliesen, mother of the prospective bridegroom; and Mildred Hicks, grandmother of the bride-elect.

Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: I have a problem that I'm afraid will ruin my marriage if I am unable to resolve it. I recently got married. I was a virgin, and my husband was not. I learned this shortly after we started to date and was devastated. They say your first is the one you will always remember. I feel that because I was not his first, it didn't mean as much to him.

is comparing me with his previous Claude a son. bed partners who were much more experienced. Sometimes, I wish I hadn't waited to have sex until I married. We would then have been "even."

Please tell me how to ston the pain, Ann. I often wonder if men who marry virgins compare their performances with the more experienced women they have slept with. I want to be the only one in my husband's thoughts when we are making love, but I'm afraid this is impossible now. Please help me sort this out. -- Second Place in Buffalo

Dear Buffalo: You can't saw sawdust. Torturing yourself about the women your husband slept with before he met you is a waste of time and accomplishes nothing. If you are nagging your husband for details of his past bed partners, I hope you will

The only thing that matters is that he married you and not one of the

others. If you continue to obsess about this problem, please consider counseling. It could help.

Dear Ann Landers: My new husband and I lived overseas and have recently returned to the States. Several years before I him, "Claude" had gone through a difficult divorce and received a lot of support from a woman with whom he worked. "Thelma" is also divorced, but she I know he loves me a lot, but I just is old enough to be Claude's mother can't get past the hurt that there were -- no romance there. She has no others before me. I also wonder if he children of her own and considers

> All three of us are now living in the same city. The problem is that my kind-hearted husband feels deeply indebted to Thelma, and she is manipulating him to the max. She telephones him several times a day, both at work and at home. She has managed to invade our social life and wants to go everywhere with us. When we are together, the woman acts totally helpless, and Claude indulges her completely.

> I mentioned this to Claude recently, and he became defensive and went into great detail about how much he owes Thelma. It has gotten so the mere mention of her name sends shivers down my spine. I am not asking that we drop this woman completely, Ann. I just want to achieve a happy medium. Do you have any suggestions? -- Three Is a Crowd in California

Dear California: Apparently, you and Claude have provided this woman with a complete social life. Can you fix Thelma up with an older bachelor, a widower or an amusing friend? Please consider it.

Meanwhile, it seems to me that Claude has paid his dues. He does not owe Thelma inclusion for the rest of her life. It's time he put you first, and you can tell him I said so.

Dear Ann Landers: My wife always calls me on my cellular phone when I am on a busy highway going home. She doesn't believe me when M tell her it's dangerous. Maybe she'll believe you. Tell her, please. R.A. in N.Y.C.

Dear N.Y.C.: Cell phones can be a godsend in emergencies, but they should not be used for chitchat. First, a driver needs to focus on driving at all times. Second, cell-phone conversations can be picked up by others. Beware.

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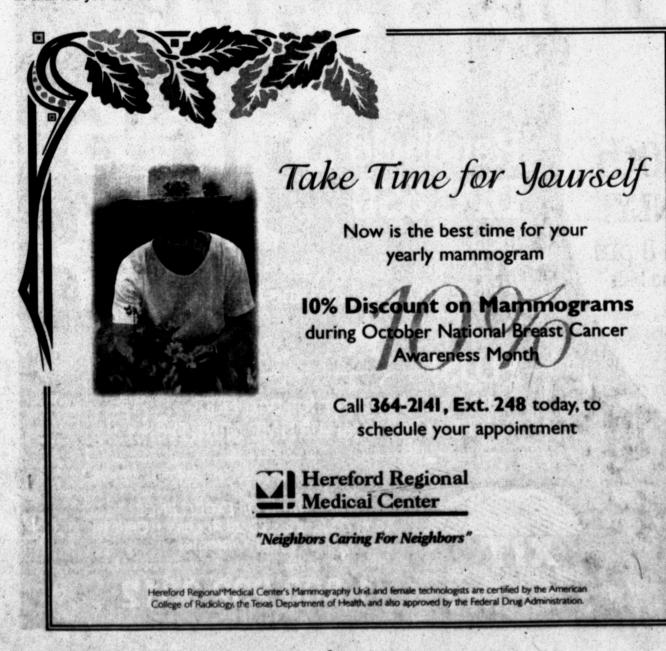
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La Madre Mia Club discusses home tours

The home of June Owens was Dec. 7. decorated with fall mums, pumpkins and colored tree leaves for the regular meeting of La Madre Mia Study Club.
Gladys Merritt served as co-hostess.
President Linda Cumpton presided over the business meeting.
The Holiday Tour of Homes was discussed. Included on this year's tour will be the homes of Robert and Camille Reville, 313 Sunset: Steve

Camille Beville, 313 Sunset; Steve and Tonja Horrell, 218 Texas; and Mitch and Jan Reeve, 1919 Plains. White, Judy Williams, Cumpton, The tour will be from 1 p.m.-4 p.m. Owens and Merritt.

After the business meeting, the

group held its annual silent auction which is a fund-raiser for the club.

Refreshments of pumpkin crisp and soft drinks were served to Ruth Black, Francyne Bromlow, Cindy Cassels, Merle Clark, Kay Hall, Mary Herring, Jan Metcalf, Bettye Owen, Nancy Pactzold, Susan Robbins, Tricia Sims, Georgia Sparks, Betty Taylor, Marline Watson, Mary Beth

Citizens 4-H members become age sensitive

The topic of the program at the even in just trying to get dressed. recent meeting of Citizens 4-H Club The youth also learned about was "Becoming Sensitive to Aging." The purpose of the program was to help youth understand things with which the elderly must deal.

Club members learned about the changes in touch, sight and movement and ways that older people are affected. They found out the

tunnel and spotted vision, as well as the difficulties that older people face with walking and getting around with canes and walkers.

Next month, Citizens Club members will begin a project which deals with making refrigerator magnets in bright colors with large difficulties in such things as picking up objects, shopping for items and for the elderly of the community. lettering of important phone numbers

Lopez awarded AICPA accounting scholarship

University in San Angelo was recently awarded the 1997 American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA) Scholarship for Minority Accounting Students by the AICPA.

Lopez, 20, a junior accounting major from Hereford, was one of 296 outstanding minority accounting students nationwide to receive the award. The scholarship is a competi-

Jacob Lopez of Angelo State tive merit and need-based renewable award of \$2,000 per academic year, intended for students who, in the opinion of the Institute's Selection Committee, show "significant potential to become certified public accountants."

> As a provision of the scholarship, Lopez will become a member of a CPA mentoring program at ASU, where a working CPA will be assigned as his mentor. .

By The Associated Press Today is Tuesday, Oct. 28, the 301st day of 1997. There are 64 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:
On Oct. 28, 1886, the Statue of
Liberty, a gift from the people of
France, was dedicated in New York Harbor by President Cleveland.

On this date: In 1636, Harvard College was

founded in Massachusetts. In 1793, Eli Whitney applied for a patent for his cotton gin (the patent was granted the following March). In 1919, Congress enacted the Volstead Act, which provided for enforcement of Prohibition, over

President Wilson's veto.
In 1936, President Roosevelt rededicated the Statue of Liberty on

its 50th anniversary. In 1940, Italy invaded Greece

during World War II. In 1958, the Roman Catholic patriarch of Venice, Angelo Giuseppe Roncalli, was elected Pope, taking the

name John XXIII. In 1962, Soviet leader Nikita Khrushchev informed the United States that he had ordered the dismantling of Soviet missile bases

In 1976, former Nixon aide John D. Ehrlichman entered a federal prison camp in Safford, Ariz., to begin serving his sentence for Watergate-related convictions.

Ten years ago: During a debate in Houston that included the six Republican presidential contenders. Vice President George Bush argued that as President Reagan's "co-pi-lot," he knew how to "land the plane

in a storm."
Five years ago: Less than a week before Election Day, President Bush continued to emphasize that voters could not trust Bill Clinton in the White House; for his part, Clinton accused Bush of abusing the powers of the presidency.

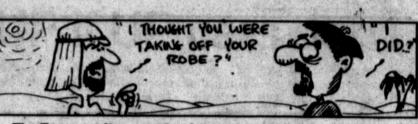
One year ago: Richard Jewell, cleared of committing the Olympic park bombing, held a news conference in Atlanta in which he thanked his mother for standing by him and lashed out at reporters and investigators who had depicted him as the bomber. Comedian Morey Amster-

dam died in Los Angeles at age 81.
Today's Birthdays: Former baseball commissioner Bowie Kuhn is 71. Actress Joan Plowright is 68. Actress Dody Goodman is 68. Actress Suzy Parker is 64. Musician-song-writer Charlie Daniels is 61. Actress Jane Alexander is 58. Singer Curtis Lee is 56. Actor Dennis Franz is 53. Pop singer Wayne Fontana is 52. Actress Telma Hopkins is 49. Olympic track and field gold medalist Bruce Jenner is 48. Actress Annie Potts is 45. Microsoft chairman Bill Gates is 42. Rock musician Stephen Morris (New Order) is 40. Country singer-musician Ron Hemby (The Buffalo Club) is 39. Rock singer-musician William Reid (Jesus & Mary Chain) is 39. Actress Daphne Zuniga is 35. Actress Lauren Holly is 34. Olympic silver medal figure skater

Actor Joaquin Phoenix is 23. Thought for Today: "It almost seems that nobody can hate America as much as native Americans. America needs new immigrants to love and cherish it." - Eric Hoffer, American philosopher (1902-1983).

Paul Wylie is 33. Actress Jami Gertz

is 32. Actress Julia Roberts is 30.



The Tuareg, a large group of nomads who live in the Sahara, are often called the Blue Men of the Desert, because they wear indigodyed robes which leave a blue color on their skin.

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IN BRIEF

Knicks knock Mavs NEW YORK (AP) -- Larry Johnson, who has played more minutes in the exhibition season than anyone in the NBA, scored 25 points Monday night as the New York Knicks ended their preseason schedule with a 93-74 victory over Dallas.

Johnson shot 11-for-16 from the field and had five rebounds in 35 minutes. The small forward averaged 36.8 minutes in eight exhibition games.

Allan Houston (13 points) and Patrick Ewing (12 points) were the only other Knicks in double figures. New York went 3-5 in the preseason.

Longview new No. 1
DALLAS (AP) -- The No. 1
team in Class 5A still comes from
District 12. Only this week, it's Longview and not Tyler John

JT's seasonlong reign ended Monday in the wake of a 34-24 loss to Lufkin. Longview, which had been tied at No. 2 with defending 5A Division II champion Austin Westlake, moved up a notch by the slimmest of margins.

Brownwood, ranked eighth in 4A, was the only other ranked team to lose, falling 31-21 to Stephenville. No teams joined the 4A top 10, though, because a tie for 10th last week had put 11 teams in the rankings.

Rankings in the other three classes remained the same, except for Windthorst and Springlake-Earth swapping the last two spots in 1A. Defending champion Windthorst is now ninth; Springlake-Earth 10th.

Decision cited

HOUSTON (AP) -- An NCAA official says a "bad decision" allowed former Texas Tech defensive star Tony Daniels to finish the 1996 season despite proof he was ineligible, the Houston Chronicle reported.

Daniels, who avoided being suspended this season by turning pro, was one of 76 Tech athletes recently found to have been improperly certified to play in the last six years.

The school discovered its error last November and could have forced Daniels off the field immediately, but instead received permission from the NCAA to delay punishment until this fall, the newspaper reported in Monday's editions.

Daniels told the Chronicle at least one member of the Tech athletic department knew he was turning pro, which could call into question whether the school knew he essentially would go unpenal-

"It just looks like a bad decision on our part -- trusting the institution that (the penalty) would be fulfilled, and it never was," said Carrie Doyle, NCAA director of eligibility appeals.

Griffith wins

Amber Griffth of Hereford was the winner for Week Nine of the Hereford Brand Football Contest. Griffith missed five games, winning \$35. Bridget Baker of Hereford

missed six games along with Casey Ruckman and Brandon Bigham. Baker got second place and Ruckman placed third on the tiebreaker.

Baker won \$25 and Ruckman \$10.

All weekly cash winners are eligible to win the final drawing worth \$1,000.

One hundred fourteen entries were received for this week's contest.

Sports calendar

Tuesday Volleyball

Hereford vs. Canyon Randall at Amarillo Caprock, 6:30 p.m. Caprock Activity Center, Amarillo Caprock High School.

Football Hereford seventh-grade "A" at Canyon, 6:30 p.m.

Hereford seventh-grade "B" at Canyon, 5 p.m. Canyon eighth-grade "A" at

Hereford, 6:30 p.m. Canyon eighth-grade "B" at Hereford, 5 p.m.

Herd sweeps Dumas

By BOB VARMETTE

Staff writer
AMARILLO -- Hereford vs.
Dumas -- The Rubber Match. This time it was for pride and not much else.

Coaches treat district seeding tournaments pretty much with apathy. It's nice to win, but the emphasis is usually upon not getting anyone injured and setting the tone for the playoffs.

Those were the priorities for both the Dumas Demonettes and the Hereford Lady Whitefaces as Hereford defeated Dumas 18-16, 15-10 in front of a rowdy crowd of 900 at the Caprock Activity Center Monday night.

"Winning was certainly not our Hereford." primary objective tonight," Hereford head coach Brenda Kitten said. "We wanted to play well and improve areas needing improvement."

The objectives were the same for Dumas. And Demonette head coach Jack Wilson didn't see the improvement for which he was looking.

"It really doesn't make that much difference," he said. "You'd like to be the number one seed, just for pride. But we made too many miscues

"Just playing volleyball, you're going to make mistakes," he added. 'It wasn't any certain area. It was a little bit of everything. We just made way to many errors to beat a team like

Catie Betzen and Meredith Tabor led the Lady Whitefaces with 11 kills each. Julie Rampley added nine kills and five stuff blocks. Kendra Wright led Hereford with 15 assists. Tabor added 13 assists for the Lady Whitefaces.

Junior Julie Williams led the Demonettes with 15 kills on the match.

Hereford (22-6) advances to play Canyon Randall (18-8) 6:30 p.m. tonight at Caprock Activity Center for District 1-4A's No. 1 seeding.

Should Hereford beat Randall, they would be the district's top seed.

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Fernandez explains his moment of infamy

MIAMI (AP) -- Wave after wave of pads and microphones arrived in Tony Fernandez's corner of the Cleveland Indians locker room, each asking him to explain the error.

And as they arrived, Fernandez

To his credit, Fernandez backed away from the bladeeply religious man, he repeating a simple manter "The Lord never anything you cannot band."

This wasn't any old error. This was a Bill Buckner error, the kind of World Series snapshot that lasts a lifetime. It was Fernandez's 11th-inning boot on a play he's made a million times that led to Florida's Series winning run in the unday night's 3-2 seventh game

backed away from the blam deeply religious man, he repeating a simple mantra.

"The Lord never a anything you cannot handle, said. "I believe that. I am str I can handle this."

With the score tied 2-2, Be Bonilla opened the 11th wisingle. Gregg Zaun failed to the runner along and threw helmet in the dugout in diag

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RTHE DEFENSE



Friday night at Whiteface Stadium by Hereford defenders Jacob (64). Dumas won the District 1-4A game, 11-6.

Dumas tailback Astolfo Venzor (25) find the middle clogged Gonzales (48), Daniel Fangman (62) and Tranquilino Garza

Yenzer praises effort in 11-6 loss

By BOB VARMETTE Staff writer

The pollsters must have thought lot of the Hereford Whitefaces.

Despite escaping from Whiteface Stadium with an 11-6 District 1-4A win Friday night, Dumas moved from 10th to a tie for ninth in the latest Associated Press Class 4A poll.

A disappointing loss it was for the Hereford Whitefaces, but Hereford head coach Craig Yenzer was very

proud of his defense.
"You've got to play in the big game before you can win in the big game," Yenzer said. "That's something positive -- we're play in these games. A play or two and things could've gone our way."

To be sure, Hereford (2-7, 1-4 District 1-4A) gave Dumas (7-0, 4-0) their Halloween scare a week early.

The Demons entered the contest with the second-leading rusher in

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Looking for the open man

Dumas quarterback Lucas Evenson (2) looks downfield for a receiver as he tried to elude Hereford's Bobby Barba (78) Friday night at Whiteface Stadium. Dumas escaped with an 11-6 District 1-4A victory to keep their undefeated season intact.

Pack pounds Pats, 28-10

FOXBORO, Mass. (AP) -- Brett fourth. Favre made the Super Bowl sequel as successful for the Green Bay Packers as the original.

Throwing on the run and scrambling for first downs, he baffled New England's defense with three touchdown passes as the Packers won 28-10 Monday night, nine months and a day after they beat the Patriots for the NFL title 35-21.

Trailing 10-7 late in the first half, Favre led the Packers on scoring drives of 75 yards in the second quarter, 99 in the third and 85 in the

Both teams played down the rematch angle, focusing instead on correcting recent problems -- two losses in three games for the Patriots and four wins by fewer than seven points for the Packers.

The crowd was subdued most of the night as tradition prevailed: Super Bowl winners are now 4-1 in games they've played the following season against the teams they beat for the

Favre gave the Packers (6-2) a 7-0 lead with a 6-yard pass to Dorsey

Levens with 3:19 left in the first half. But the Patriots (5-3) went ahead on Drew Bledsoe's 11-yard scoring pass to Ben Coates and Adam Vinatieri's 38-yard field goal. It was his 22nd consecutive successful attempt, the longest current streak in the NFL.

Favre then gave the Packers a 14-10 halftime lead with a 32-yard pass to Mark Chmura 22 seconds before intermission.

And when the Patriots couldn't score after getting a first down at the

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Bears finally get into win column

MIAMI (AP) -- On the verge of overtime. the worst start in franchise history, the Chicago Bears finally found a

way to win. in the final 5:48 of regulation and Two fumbles by Marino in the first beat the Miami Dolphins 36-33 half led to nine Chicago points. Monday night on Jeff Jaeger's

Barry Minter set up the winning score when he sacked Dan Marino to force a fumble that Carl Reeves They overcame a 15-point deficit recovered at the Miami 17-yard line.

The Bears (1-7) averted the first 35-yard field goal with 5:35 left in 0-8 start in the 78-year history of the

franchise. They began 0-7 in 1969, won the next game and finished 1-13. Miami (5-3) is tied with New

England and the New York Jets for first place in the AFC East. The loss snapped the Dolphins' three-game winning streak.

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Bringing volleyball out of the closet

PORTALES, N.M. -- I love to watch volleyball.

That probably comes as a surprise to some of you. It sure was a surprise to the guys I hung out with in high school.

The first volleyball match I ever saw was my freshman year in high school. The varsity football players were "encouraged" to attend home volleyball matches to show school

spirit, solidarity, support, etc. It was the third or fourth match I went to that year that I actually found myself watching the match, and not just the girls.

I think what first got me into volleyball is it's a fast-paced game. And I don't mean the matches are over quickly. How long a match lasts depends on the

The Toy Department Bob Varmette



quality of the teams playing. There's always something happening in volleyball, much like in hockey. And sometimes it's hard to keep up with the action, even just watching.

I've never played volleyball. At my age now, I would never try. Even when my knees and ankles didn't resemble frayed wires and

crumbs, I don't know if I could have played volleyball. As I watched Eastern New

Mexico and Abilene Christian battle at Greyhound Arena in front of about 300 Saturday night, I found myself wincing a lot. It's a sport that would seem to be incredibly hard on knees and ankles, as well as forearms and wrists.

Years ago, one of my first impressions of playing volleyball was you had to be tall. That's not necessarily the case, although, as in basketball, it's a big help.

Scanning the roster of the ENMU Zias and the ACU Wildcats, you find no giants. Shalon Taylor, a 6-2 senior middle blocker for the Wildcats, was the tallest. Emily Hale, a Wildcat senior

outside hitter is listed at 6-0. That's it for the six-footers.

The Zias don't have a single player who's six feet tall; their tallest is 5-11 senior outside hitter Tara Dougherty from Clovis, N.M.

Kills are cool, and I love to watch a well-executed attack punctuated with a cross-court kill to an undefended area of the court. Even better is a kill that completely overpowers the defender trying to dig.

What I like best is defense. I love to watch a team that's always where they're supposed to be, completely confounding their attacking opponent by always hustling, always digging. And a stuff block at the net is just as exciting as a kill.

Anyway, you can't get the big girls the high-kill numbers unless you have someone who can get them the ball consistently. That requires a good setter.

The Zias Stacey Estlund, a 5-8 senior out of Clarkland, Wash... was decidedly above average Saturday night. She had 45 assists as ENMU swept Abilene Christian 15-3, 15-10, 15-9.

How many kills a player gets depends on many factors -- how accurately she attacks, how good her opponent's blocking is, and the type of attack offense her team

uses, among others.
When I first started watching volleyball, I thought it was like

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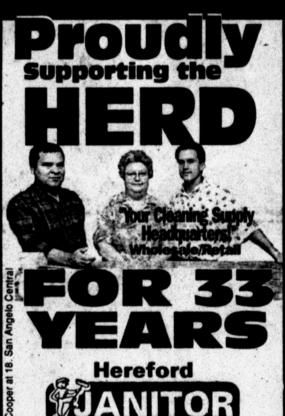
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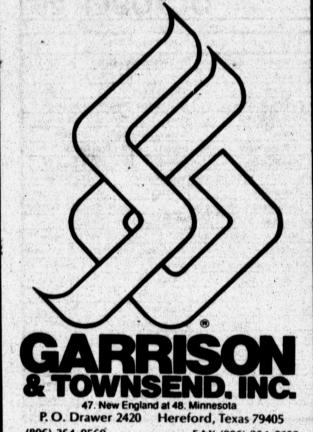


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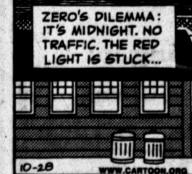


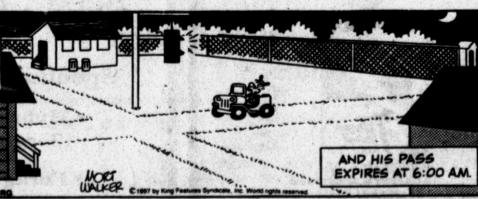
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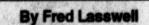








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Class 4A. Senior tailback Astolfo we knew we had the ability to do on for a 24-yard field goal. Venzor had 1,260 yards, an average

of 210 yards per game.

He got 79 yards on 35 carries against the Whitefaces.

As a team the Demons fell far short of their 350-yard average for total offense. Hereford limited Dumas to just 142 total yards, 95 on the ground in 50 attempts.

"I'm really proud of how the players implemented the defense. I'm real proud of the motivation they used during the entire game. These kids executed; they put their hearts into it," Yenzer said.

The Dumas offense got only 10 first downs Friday night and had only one real drive. Midway through the fourth quarter, the Demons drove 62 yards in eight plays.

Dumas quarterback Lucas Evenson hit split end Kevin Reynolds with an eight-yard touchdown pass with 6:24 remaining in the game to take a 9-6 lead with the extra point. Except for that drive the Whiteface defense handled the Demon offense, forcing Dumas to punt nine times.

"Amarillo High has had a lot of success with (the Arizona 50 defense)," Yenzer said. "We felt good about our scheme. It's a breakthrough for us for our players to do the things the field.

"We didn't have anybody on defense that played poorly," Yenzer added. "It was a tribute to them; it was a team effort."

Offensively, though, the Whitefaces struggled through their worst game this season. Hereford netted only minus-20 yards of total offense and picked up just three first downs.

"We're just not making the plays," Yenzer said. "The critical plays, we need to make them, and we're not doing it. If we do, it's a different ballgame.

Twice in the third quarter, Hereford had scoring opportunities deep in Dumas territory. Twice they had to settle for short field goals by junior Jose Martinez.

The Whitefaces took over on the Dumas five-yard-line when Henry Hernandez blocked a Joshua Buchanan punt and recovered it at the five. Hereford gained no ground on three plays and had to kick a 22-yard field goal with 7:00 remaining in the third quarter.

On the ensuing kickoff, Buchanan fumbled on the return and Hereford got the ball on the Demons' 15. Again, they couldn't move the ball in the red zone and were forced to settle

Yenzer said a touchdown in either one or both of those situations would have drastically altered the game.

"We just haven't been able to make those plays. It isn't just one part of the offense. At times, it's the offensive line. At times, it's the skill people."

The inability to produce yards on offense also stemmed in part from the Whitefaces not being able to run the

"I felt all along we needed to be able to use the option," Yenzer said. "Just a time or two and it would've helped us. We needed to strech their defense. They were hitting us with a nine-man front for much of the

Hereford's offensive woes were not only compounded by execution problems, but they often had difficulty just hanging onto the football. The Whitefaces put the ball on the ground 10 times Friday night and lost four of them. Quarterback Pedro Hernandez was also intercepted

Yenzer said the quarterback situation - the loss of starter Jeremy Urbanczyk, and then the loss of Cody Hodges to injuries - exacerbates the ball-handling mistakes.

We had some bad snaps. About every situation you can think of fumbling in, we did that," Yenzer said.

Special teams were not immune either. Sophomore L.J. Vallejo fumbled twice on punt returns, although neither returned to haunt the Whitefaces.

"I told L.J. Saturday morning to keep on keeping on," Yenzer said. "If you discourage your skill people from making plays, you're not going to be successful.... I want him to field the ball. That's yardage he saves us. . . And to be fair to him, he had people in the umbrella. That affected him more than anything.

Yenzer said Hereford's goal remains the same as the start of the season -to be competitive in every district game. Even though the wins aren't as many as he would like, Yenzer is pleased the goal remains alive.

"In building a program, (the record) can't be the bottom line," Yenzer said. "Because then you sacrifice integrity for wins. . . . There's disappointment, sure there is. But our approach is good things will happen to you eventually."

Bears

The Bears, who had lost their past two games by a total of four points, were due for a break, and they rallied from a 33-18 deficit to tie the game.

Erik Kramer hit Bobby Engram with an 8-yard touchdown pass to cap an 80-yard drive, making the score 33-25. Twice Miami failed to move the ball and had to punt, and Chicago drove 59 yards to score again with 1:25 left on Kramer's 25-yard pass to Chris Penn.

Hamilton wins race

ROCKINGHAM, N.C. (AP) Bobby Hamilton gave team-owner Richard Petty an early going-away present Monday, winning the rain-delayed ACDelco 400.

Engram's sprawling reception near the sideline for the two-point conversion tied the score.

Jaeger improved to 10-for-10 on field goals this season. He also hit from 39, 23 and 47 yards.

Chicago controlled the ball for 22

minutes in the first half, capitalized on two Marino fumbles and took an early 15-7 lead. The Dolphins came into the game with four turnovers, fewest in the NFL.

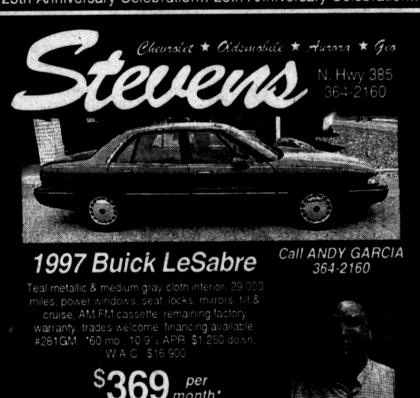


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the plate. Now Cleveland was one out away from escaping. But the Indians Edgar Renteria followed with a single up the middle to win the game As he came off the field, team-25th Anniversary Celebration!! 25th Anniversary Celebration!! "They said I had nothing to be ashamed of," he said. "They knew

Herd

Randall and Dumas (19-9) would then play to determine the second and third seeds. Should Randall win, the Lady Raiders would be the top seed, Hereford second and Dumas third.

Hereford established the early momentum in game one, jumping to a 9-1 advantage. The Lady Whitefaces capitalized upon the Demonette's confusion on defense, Dumas hitting errors and solid net play from Fangman who got a pair of kills for Hereford.

But as they have in the past, Hereford had trouble putting the Demonettes away. Dumas slowly climbed back into the game, knotting the score at 10-10 when Keva Glovier stuffed a Rampley attack.

The teams then see-sawed back and forth until Betzen nailed a kill to finally win the the game at 18-16.

"Our passing started to breakdown," Kitten said in explaining the Dumas rally. "Dumas started hitting really aggressively. They were hitting the seam in our defense. We thought we'd made the adjustments we needed."

Wilson commended the Demonettes for hanging tough in the first game. But he said, ultimately, their mistakes left them on the short end.

We hung in there real tough," he said. "We had little setting errors in the first game that just took us out of

Game two saw Dumas score three straight points at the start of the match on their way to a 5-1 lead. Hereford then tied the with four straight points behind the serve of senior Makesha Rives, getting a pair of blocks from Fangman on the Demonettes' Beth Ratliff.

Fangman finished the match with five stuff blocks.

Hereford held a slim 11-10 lead before they ran off the last four points to win the game and the match. An ace serve by Rives and a block from Betzen and Fangman on Ratliff got two of the final four points for Hereford.

We made some dumb mistakes," Wilson said. "We have a long way to go, but I think we're going to get there. . . . I feel like we're on the verge of breaking loose."

One thing Wilson wanted to do that he got done Monday night was using some younger players. He said this kind of experience could prove valuable down the road.

terrible oversight when Craig

Counsell, whose sacrifice fly had tied

the game in the ninth, bounced a ball

made," the 35-year-old infielder said.

would grab the grounder, relay to

second for the force on the limping

Bonilla and then shortstop Omar

Vizquel would throw to first for the

It never happened. Fernandez charged the ball and it got past him

"The ball stayed down," he said.

Fernandez said he was not thinking

"It wasn't going to be a DP," he

said. "All I wanted to do was get the

lead runner. - I gambled. I tried

something I shouldn't have by

charging. It was my decision, my

man, made it to third with a headfirst

slide. Now the Indians were in deep

trouble with the winning run 90 feet

away. They walked Jim Eisenreich

who bounced to Fernandez. This time

he made the play, throwing to catcher

Sandy Alomar for the force play at

ARLINGTON (AP) -- The Texas

That brought up Devon White,

intentionally to load the bases.

Rangers sign Diaz

Bonilla, running like a desperate

"There are a lot of reasons we lost.

That's the one people will look at."

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We're going need them in the playoffs. It's going to be good for us. (Matches with Hereford) They're always great competitive matches. It's a pride thing. We're going to be busting our butts even if it's not that big a deal. It was a good opportunity to play them again," Wilson

"We played some of our JV kids.

Despite earning the right to face Randall tonight, Kitten, too, saw things she was not happy with.

"Our service receive was very poor," she said. "We hit freeballs back way too many times. That must improve.

We need to pass the ball better," Kitten added. "We improved playing our defensive positions, but it's not as good as it needs to be. (But) It gets a little bit better each time we play."

it was a difficult play. They said they

appreciated how I played all season.

There were words of encouragement

and I appreciated them. It was a tough

defensive player throughout his

career, Fernandez was playing second

base because Bip Roberts had flu and

cold-like symptoms. The Indians

weren't concerned about the switch.

It was as Roberts replacement that

Fernandez hit the pennant-winning

home run and the third-inning single

that drove in both Indians runs in

Game 7 of the Series. And it was in

that same role that he made the error

that ultimately cost Cleveland the

of those things. He knows that when

people think of this World Series and

him, they will remember the ball that

got away, from the guy who owns

He smiled when he was reminded

A steady, sometimes flashy

never got that last out.

and the Series.

way to go down."

championship.

Pack

Green Bay 1-yard line on their first yards. series of the second half, Favre led the Packers on a 17-play, 99-yard march ending in his 20-yard scoring pass to Robert Brooks with 15 seconds left in the third quarter.

Levens, whose status for the game had been questionable because of a clavicle injury, finished the scoring with a 3-yard run with 2:46 left in the game. He rushed 26 times for 100

Both teams had changed considerably since the Super Bowl. The Patriots have a new coach, Pete Carroll, who has been under pressure to show he can be as successful as his predecessor, Bill Parcells. And the

Packers have been hurt by injuries. But Green Bay still has Favre, who completed 23-of-34 passes for 239

Closet

watching the NBA. No plays -just a bunch of players out there

showing off what they can do. I still don't understand offensive and defensive volleyball strategy, but I can now see when a particular play is being used. In general, most teams have a tendency to funnel most of their attacks through one or two players.

I don't know this for sure; I've actually never asked a volleyball coach about specific strategies, although I've always wanted to sit down with a coach and have it explained to me.

My guess is it's not something that can be done in an evening. It's a much more complicated game than it sometimes looks. Dougherty led the Zias Saturday

night with 18 kills; that's not bad for a three-game match. Hale led the Wildcats with 16. ENMU had only two other

players with double-digit kills against Abilene Christian. Charlene Hunt and Jamie Vaughn each had 10. Abilene Christian's stats

showed an even larger disparity.

Hale was not only the sole Wildcat

really like volleyball stats, is total attacks. That'll tell you what they're trying to do.

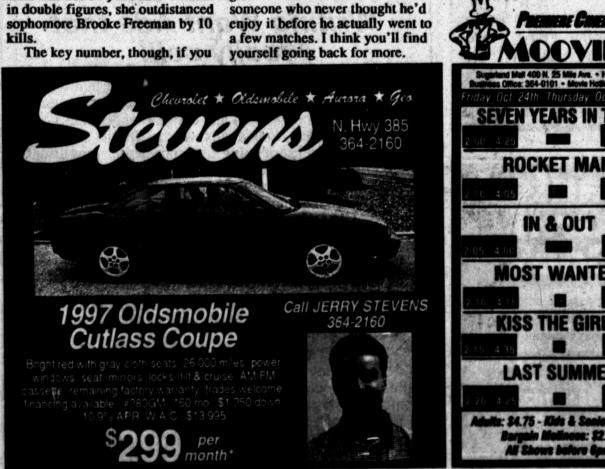
During this match, Abilene Christian couldn't do much of anything and ENMU pretty much did whatever they wanted. Despite the fact the Zias only dressed nine players for the match (and they lost freshman Jessica Crawford of Clovis for the match when they were up 6-2 in the first game), the Wildcats were cannon fodder.

The Zias often found the Wildcats out of position defensively, with Dougherty, Vaughn and Hunt finding the holes in the ACU defense. Sometimes they didn't even bother -- they just overpowered the Wildcat diggers with their

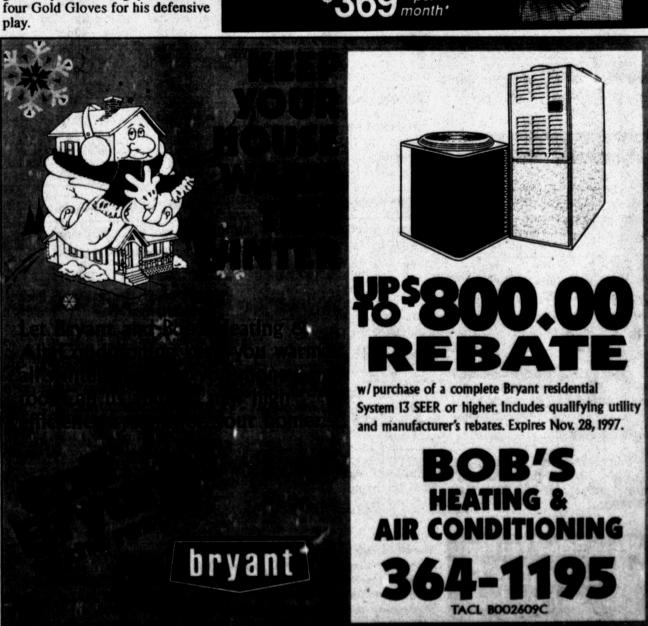
It wasn't a spectacular match between two equally matched teams -- the Zias were easily the better team. But even a match that's not close still provide a lot of action. That's just the nature of the sport.

If you've never been to a match, go to one. Take the advice of someone who never thought he'd a few matches. I think you'll find

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STEER CLEAR OF ABBREVIATIONS OK, so you want to include all the important basics, now don't confuse your reader by using strange abbreviations. What is perfectly clear to you may be perfectly unrecognizable to someone else!

BE HONEST Exaggerating your items's finer points may bring in a lot of responses, but a buyer who's misled won't appreciate it - and will take this business somewhere else.

STATE YOUR PRICE The cost of an item is one of the most important concerns of Classified readers. Ads showing prices are one which get results. Giving a price also serves to "weed out" those buyers not in your price range. BE ACCESSIBLE

Including a telephone number or address puts you in touch with potential buyers. Be sure to state the hours you can be reached; a caller who can't get through the first time often won't call again.

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The Hereford Brand Classifieds

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For starters, look at ads which offer the same item/ products. Get a sense of going rates and ideas for how to make your ad stand out. Once you're ready to write, begin with exactly what you're selling: "Dining room set, maple, six

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-- Don't use abbreviations. It's tempting to abbreviate and save money if ads are billed by the line. Brand ads are billed by the words, so spell them out so readers won't be

confused trying to figure out abbreviations. - Don't be misleading. Think accurate and factual when you write. Be sure to include a phone number and the

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Classifieds



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Note: It is illegal to be paid for anything beyond medical and legal expenses in Texas adoptions. ADOPT: ADORING, AFFECTIONATE, pro-fessional couple wishes to adopt an infant. Let us provide lifetime of love for your child. Ex-penses paid. Call Debbie/ Steve 1-800-439-

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County rural fire districts to increase the tax rate; - No. 10 would limit use of the

Water Development Board to crime victims' compensation fund and its auxiliary fund to victimrelated compensation, services or assistance; - No. 11 would bar the Legislature

> from authorizing additional state debt payable from general revenue if the annual payments were to exceed 5 percent of the annual general revenue available over the past three years; - No. 12 would require the Texas

Supreme Court to rule on a motion for rehearing within 180 days of its filing or have the motion deemed denied; - No. 13 would make the Texas

Tomorrow Fund, the state's program for prepaying future college tuition at current prices, a constitutionally protected fund; and - No. 14 would authorize the

Legislature to establish qualifications for constables.

COUNTY

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percent of the project's cost. For example, he said if Lorenzo's sealcoating project costs \$20,000, then his fee would be \$2,000.

Oller said the participants should anticipate the sealcoating's total cost to be about 57-60 cents per square yard in the coming year.

The commissioners delayed

making a decision on participating in the project, which would require approval of a resolution designating Oller Engineering as the county's representative, until the November

Between now and that meeting, the commissioners will check the roads in their precincts to determine which ones would be good candidates for the project.

The commissioners also received a proposed county alcohol-drug policy. After considerable discussion, they sent the proposal back to the policy committee for revisions. The policy will be taken up at the next In other business, the commission-

- Postponed a decision on an amendment to the commercial drivers license drug policy until the county's drug/alcohol policy is adopted; and - Approved a request from Charles Cabbiness to cross a Precinct 2 county road with a water line.

Storm hurts corn harvest

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) - Just when Nebraska farmers thought things were going great, Mother Nature inter-

Farmers were harvesting a near-perfect corn crop in large volumes last week as cool, dry weather graced the state.

That abruptly ended over the weekend as a snowstorm roared through Nebraska. Heavy snow smothered unharvested fields, broke off corn stalks, soaked grain piled outside overloaded elevators and caused cattle to wander aimlessly while temporarily foraging in emptied fields.

The storm also delivered another blow to apple orchards in the Nebraska City area that had been buffeted by high winds during apple-picking season.

Ron Ochsner of Saronville, president of the Nebraska Corn Growers, said the heavy snow was sure to break off more corn the longer it sat on plants. Cobs on the ground

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other cobs off leaning stalks.
"I'm sure there will be some more loss," Ochsner said. "A lot will depend on how fast it melts."

Jerry Gangwish of the Sutton Cooperative Elevator said some farmers in his area still have several hundred acres of corn to harvest. "That's where the problem is going to be," he said. "It's not a lot, but quite a few people have got some out there."

The Sutton elevator is among many in southeast Nebraska that had grain piles exposed to the weather because of the bumper size of the crop and a shortage of rail transporta-tion to open up indoor storage space.

In the most serious situations, moisture will cause corn to turn moldy and spoil. In less serious situations, extra drying time and costs

will result from the early snowstorm. Dave Bruntz of Friend, owner of

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are out of the reach of harvesting equipment. Farmers will have to go much more slowly than normal to get other cobs off leaning stalks.

"I'm sure there will be some more life-threatening lows.

Many farmers who combine cattle and grain operations move the cattle into cornfields as soon as the fields are harvested as part of their fall

"Some of them probably drifted with the storm, for one thing, and it covered up a tremendous amount of feed," Bruntz said.

forage routine.

Now cattle producers will have to haul some sort of supplemental feed to their herds and wait for the snow to melt. "That's a good part of their winter feed. They hope to graze the stocks until the first of the year," Bruntz said.

Feedlots will also be affected by weather at a time when cool, relatively dry weather ordinarily gives cattle their best rates of weight gain, he said. "I'm sure it's going to make a muddy mess," he said.

Joy Morton Porter, manager of the Arbor Day Farm Apple Orchard at Nebraska City, said both fruit and shade trees were vulnerable to heavy snow because unusually warm temperatures through much of October slowed leaf drop. That means more snow will be sticking in branches and overloading them.

Ochsner said fields should have time to dry out enough for farmers to finish with harvest before winter really sets in. Weather forecasters said most of the weekend's snow should be gone by the end of this week with warmer temperatures expected.

"I've never seen this heavy a storm this early, so it's a whole new experience," Ochsner said.



We're proud of the news coverage we've recently received, and we hope to build upon these accomplishments. In short, our success is your suuccess. Our hats are off to you!

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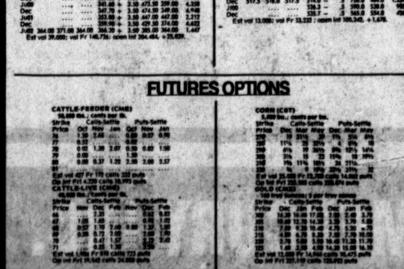
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WAGES, BENEFITS SHOW MODERATE GAIN

WASHINGTON (AP) - Wages and benefits paid American workers rose a moderate 0.8 percent in the July-September quarter, another sign inflation in the labor market remains relatively contained.

The increase in total compensation followed an identical gain in the

previous quarter, the Labor Department said today.

The rise was predicted by economists and thus was unlikely to have a major impact on a U.S. stock market reeling from a worldwide selling wave triggered by a crash in the Hong Kong stock market.

A substantially larger-than-expected increase might have further frazzled

the market by casting doubt on the widespread belief that the Federal Reserve will refrain from increasing interest rates to avoid feeding investors' fears.

CLINTON, CHINESE LEADER SET PRIVATE CHAT

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Clinton has invited Chinese President Jiang Zemin for a private chat tonight ahead of their formal summit, hoping the personal touch would help narrow the wide gap in their political views.

Jiang, who speaks halting English, and Clinton, who is fluent in the ways of wooing world leaders, were to meet for about an hour with the Chinese leader in the White House residence and without other officials.

The meeting was to be more social than an attempt to address disputes about human rights, trade and arms sales, administration officials said Monday. The gregarious Clinton has used similar one-on-one problem-solving tactics with leaders such as Russian President Boris Yeltsin and German Chancellor Helmut Kohl, a favorite dining partner.

FOLEY APPROVED AS ENVOY TO JAPAN

WASHINGTON (AP) - Former House Speaker Thomas Foley's nomination to be U.S. ambassador to Japan has cleared the Senate.

Also approved Monday was former Sen. Wyche Fowler Jr., D-Ga., to be ambassador to Saudi Arabia. He has been on the job since August 1996, when President Clinton used a special procedure to get him swom in quickly after a terrorist bombing killed 19 U.S. soldiers stationed there.

Foley, approved 91-0, replaces Vice President Walter Mondale. During

30 years in the House, Foley led 13 congressional trips to Japan, and he has gone there several more times since his election defeat in 1994.

By voice vote, the Senate also approved Air Force Lt. Gen. John Gordon to become deputy director of the Central Intelligence Agency.

CLINTON'S LAWYER WANTS DEPOSITIONS BLOCKED

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (AP) - President Clinton's attorney has asked a judge to halt questioning by lawyers for Paula Jones in her sexual harassment lawsuit against the president.

Clinton lawyer Bob Bennett asked a judge Monday to delay and possibly stop questioning of three of Clinton's former bodyguards and others by lawyers for Mrs. Jones.

"This discovery clearly is not intended to obtain admissible evidence, nor is it likely to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence, but rather

is designed to harass and embarrass the president," Beanett said in court papers filed Monday.

Mrs. Jones claims Clinton exposed himself and asked her to perform oral sex in a hotel encounter May 8, 1991, when he was governor and she was a state employee. Clinton denies the allegation.

There was no immediate word from U.S. District Judge Susan Webber

NEW TRIAL DATE SET FOR WHITEWATER FIGURE

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (AP) - An April 22 trial date was set for former judge David Hale amid allegations that his prosecution for insurance fraud

is payback for cooperating in the Whitewater investigation.

Circuit Judge David Bogard scheduled a Jan. 26 hearing on Hale's contention that his federal case should supersede prosecution on a state charge accusing him of bilking policyholders in a burial insurance company that he ran.

He earlier pleaded guilty to federal fraud charges.

After the hearing in Pulaski County Circuit Court on Monday, Hale said he was weak after 28 days in the hospital but ready to go to trial. Hale had a defibrillator implanted in his chest in late August.

Outside court, Hale's wife, Sue, said state prosecutors were part of a

political vendetta against him.

THOUSANDS STILL WITHOUT POWER, HEAT

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) - Thousands of people across the Plains are getting used to life in the dark and cold.

Nearly two days after a blustery and deadly snow storm rolled across

the Rockies and into the Great Lakes, power was still out today for an estimated 220,000 people in Nebraska and Michigan.

The wet, heavy snow snapped trees onto power lines.

The power outages in Nebraska affected 60,000 people in more than two dozen towns, including Lincoln, where some of the 8,000 customers may be without electricity until Friday.

The entire town of Hardy near the Kansas border - a town with 200 households - was blacked out and could not be reached by road because of snowdrifts and trees.

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Some 160,000 customers in Michigan were without power.

CELEBRITY SURGEON ACCUSED OF FONDLING

LOS ANGELES (AP) - There is a sharp battle going on among some

of Hollywood's top scalpel artists.

The Medical Board of California said Monday it is investigating Dr. Steven Hoefflin, arguably Hollywood's top surgeon-to-the-stars. He has sculpted Michael Jackson's face and rejuvenated Elizabeth Taylor, Joan Rivers and Phyllis Diller.

Hoefflin, 51, is accused of fondling, disrobing, photographing and ridiculing his anesthetized patients. Investigators are also looking into claims of drug

Hoefflin denied the accusations and said they stemmed from infighting between himself and two former surgical partners, Drs. James Hurvitz, 50, and Wallace Goodstein, 51.

COUP ATTEMPT THWARTED IN ZAMBIA

LUSAKA, Zambia (AP) - President Frederick Chiluba thanked loyalist army forces for helping him ward off a coup attempt today by disgruntled military officers.

The power grab in this southern African nation ended a few hours after a dawn radio broadcast proclaimed that a military council had deposed Chiluba. Two military officers were arrested by midday, and no injuries were reported after the military regained control of the broadcast center

in the capital Lusaka. "I want to warn those who rise by the sword they will fall by the sword," Chiluba said in a brief broadcast, assuring the country he was still in power. "I appeal to you fellow Zambians to unite and be resolute. We can't go back to the Dark Ages."

The coup attempt was a setback to hopes for political stability in southern

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