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Turn back the clock

WASHINGTON (AP) - Daylight-saving time goes back to standard time this weekend.

The shift Sunday at 2 a.m., local time, gives an extra hour of sleep to most people Saturday night - an extra hour of work to those who work the overnight.

In other words, 2 a.m. abruptly becomes 1 a.m. Most people set their clocks back before retiring for the evening. Those who don't, need to remember to set them back Sunday.

If they still haven't remembered to do it by Monday morning, they could be an hour early for work.

Daylight-saving time returns on the first Sunday in April.

In addition to changing the clocks, public safety experts are again encouraging another change: Put new batteries in the home smoke detector.

NEWS

ASIAN STOCKS REGAIN GROUND AFTER HONG KONG COLLAPSE

HONG KONG (AP) - While jittery investors watched around the globe, Asian stocks regained some ground today, buoyed by Hong Kong's partial recovery from a stock market crash that sent stocks tumbling worldwide.

Thursday's 10-percent collapse, Hong Kong's worst since the 1980s, had share prices plummeting throughout Asia, Europe and the Americas, and markets opened sharply lower in Asia this morning.

But Hong Kong shares, after an uneven start, started to crawl upward, gaining 470.75 points to reach 10,897.05 and dragging several other markets up with it.

"Things are showing signs of coming back to normal more quickly than ope expected," one relieved broker, Howard Gorges of South China Brokerage, told Hong Kong radio after the market closed for lunch showing a 4.5 percent gain.

RECORDS INDICATE CLINTON MADE WHITE HOUSE CALLS

WASHINGTON (AP) - New information that the White House has turned over to investigators indicates President Clinton made an Oval Office call to a group of fund-raisers in 1995 after being requested to "ask for their help."

In addition, presidential aides have found long-distance billing records for calls to six donors from the private living quarters in 1994 on the same day Clinton had been asked to solicit them for money.

The fresh evidence emerges as the Justice Department is reviewing whether to appoint an independent counsel to determine if any fund-raising calls made by Clinton or Vice President Al Gore violated a federal ban on political solicitations in government buildings.

An Oct. 30, 1995, memo obtained by The Associated Press shows Clinton had been asked to call a group of New York fund-raisers the next morning who were organizing a major fund-raiser for his re-election campaign.

MORE EXCERPTS FROM KACZYNSKI JOURNAL MADE PUBLIC

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) - In a journal entry from April 1979, prosecutors claim Theodore Kaczynski wrote: "I came back to the Chicago area in May, mainly for one reason: So that I could more safely attempt to murder a scientist, businessman, or the like."

His autobiography, written around 1979, "contains the statement that Kaczynski intends to start killing people and that the purpose of the autobiography is to explain that he is not sick," Special U.S. Attorney R. Steven Lapham wrote in court papers filed late Thursday.

Prosecutors, relying on journals, letters, records from experiments he conducted and the autobiography, plan to show that the former math professor's own writings counter defense claims that he was too mentally disturbed to intentionally commit a crime.

The court filing details how the government intends to prove Kaczynski was responsible for all 16 bombings attributed to the anti-technology terrorist known as the Unabomber, even though Kaczynski is charged in only five of the blasts.

U.S. WARILY OBSERVING CHINA'S MILITARY BUILDUP

WASHINGTON (AP) - As the Clinton administration watches China pull its military into the modern age, it sees the obvious: new and better aircraft, ships and missiles. Harder to spot are the intentions, the strategy, the thinking behind this buildup.

Does China want to supplant the United States as the primary power in East Asia? Or is China modernizing its military just to keep from falling farther behind?

Thus the U.S. call for "transparency." President Clinton's national security aides want a clearer view of China's defense planning and priorities, its military doctrine and training and its calculations about American military strength.

Bit by bit, China is opening up, although President Jiang Zemin is not expected to offer new windows on his plans for military modernization during his meeting here with Clinton on Wednesday. Aides to Defense Secretary William Cohen say he intends to press the issue when he travels to Beijing next month.

FORECAST OFFERS VARIETY: HOT, COLD, RAIN AND SNOW

By The Associated Press

Fog shrouded much of North Texas today in the wake of a cold front that brought twisters, heavy rains and hail across wide sections of the state.

Snow could be in the weekend forecast for the Texas Panhandle.

A dense fog advisory was in effect for the area north of a line from Breckenridge to Groesbeck. Visibilities were less than a quarter-mile in the Childress area.

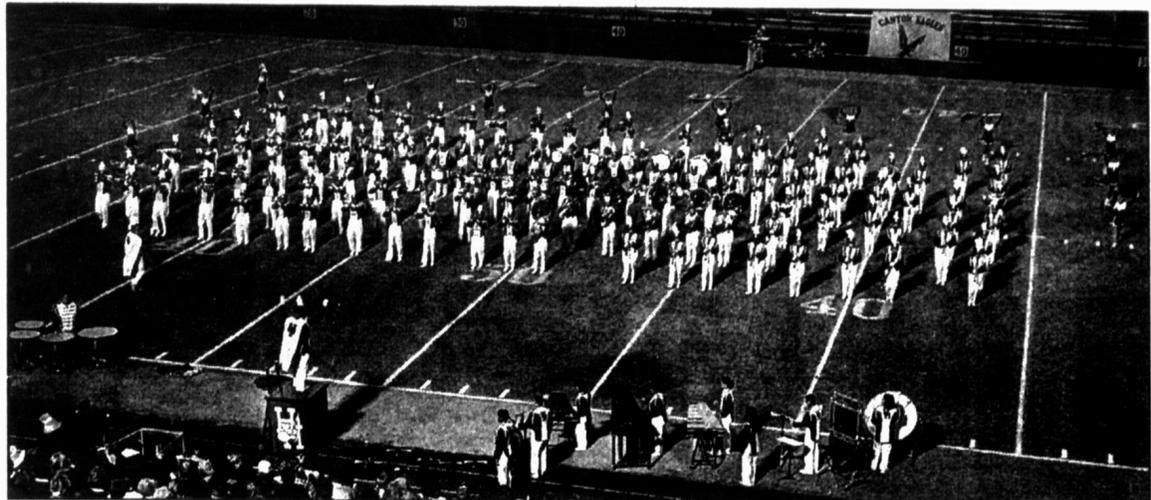
A wind advisory was posted today for the western two thirds of North Texas and for the South Plains, Permian Basin and Guadalupe Mountains under the influence of a low-pressure system in the Panhandle.

Daytime highs should range mostly from the 70s to the 80s, with 90s along the Rio Grande and freezing readings in the Panhandle, and overnight lows from the 30s to mid-60s.

A chance of rain and thunderstorms loomed again Saturday for North and West Texas.

A chance of snow exists in the Panhandle for Saturday along with rain mixed with snow over the South Plains. Highs were only expected in the 30s.

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Mighty Maroon Band in competition

The Hereford High School Mighty Maroon Band will compete in the UIL Area I Class 4A Marching Band competition this weekend. The band, which earned its 37th consecutive Division

I rating last week, is tentatively scheduled to perform at 8:30 p.m. Saturday at Dick Bivins Stadium in Amarillo.

Morales' phones ringing

AUSTIN (AP) - Attorney General Dan Morales' move to spur competition in local and long distance phone markets has gotten phones ringing, alright.

Political opponents, consumer advocates and the state agency that oversees the telephone industry chided Morales' intervention in a federal telecommunications lawsuit as out of step, backward and wrong.

The *Austin American-Statesman* reported Morales is trying to help San Antonio-based Southwestern Bell overturn a federal law limiting the company's ability to offer long distance service.

The law requires SWB to prove it has "real" competition in its local calling areas before it can enter the long distance market. Such competition likely will come from one of the nation's larger long distance companies, such as AT&T or MCI.

Morales, in documents filed in U.S. District Court in Wichita Falls, said he wants to help Bell defeat the requirement to ensure "that Texas consumers reap the benefits of full competition in the long distance market as well as in the local calling market."

Public Utility Commission officials say they've been working on exactly that, and believe the federal requirement will help.

"We are the body that kind of knows this issue," PUC Chairman Pat Wood told the *American-Statesman*.

Ron Dusek, a spokesman for Morales, said the PUC is wrong.

"The Texas Legislature has made it very clear that it wants to foster competition in both the long distance and local telephone markets," Dusek said Thursday.

"It is the attorney general's opinion that the action that he took supports the Texas Legislature in its efforts and supports the public - the citizens of Texas - in their obvious desire to have lower telephone rates through increased competition."

Janece Breisemeister, an analyst for Consumers Union in Texas, said

Morales "missed the boat entirely."

"We think if Bell wins this suit, there may be some short-term gains, but before very long, it will be an unregulated, monopoly service," she said.

The PUC and consumer advocates fear that if Bell gets into the long distance market before facing local competition, it will stall competitors from entering its local markets.

Bell says it's making room for competition in its local Texas market. It says AT&T and MCI are delaying their entry into that market in an effort to delay Bell's entry into long distance.

The long distance companies say Bell is doing things like filing lawsuits to delay local competition.

Tom Pauken, former state Republican Party chairman, and Railroad Commissioner Barry Williamson, both candidates for the GOP attorney general nomination, questioned Morales' motivation for siding with Bell.

Williamson called Morales' intervention "a purely political move intended to benefit his re-election campaign."

Morales, a Democrat, is up for re-election in 1998. He faces one challenger for the Democratic nomination. Three Republicans are running for the GOP nomination.

His campaign office said since the 1994 election, SWB has contributed \$12,000 to Morales' campaign.

Selim Bingol, a SWB spokesman, said there are no politics involved.

"It appears that the public resources of the attorney general's office are being used to side with a profit-driven monopoly against the state agency charged with regulating it," said Texas Court of Criminal Appeals Judge Morris Overstreet, Morales' Democratic opponent.

Former Supreme Court Judge John Cornyn, the other Republican running for attorney general, said Morales is acting unethically and unprofessional.



Jr. High student council members numbered 800 red ribbons to be distributed during Red Ribbon Week. Wearers of winning ribbons have an opportunity to win a variety of prizes.

Local schools to be seeing red

By DIANNA F. DANDRIDGE
Staff Writer

Most high school seniors have grown up with Red Ribbon Week and know that the red ribbon indicates the students are taking a stand against drug and alcohol abuse.

Those red ribbons will be seen prominently next week as Hereford schools participate in the substance-abuse awareness campaign.

"This is really an important step in drug prevention," said Hereford Police Officer Carol Keyes, who is the DARE coordinator. "The ribbons help the kids realize the necessity of a drug-free school."

"This program touches every student in the public schools. It has a tremendous impact on the way kids see drug problems," she said.

The different campuses will be

celebrating commitment to a safe and drug-free learning environment in a variety of ways.

Hereford Junior High Student Council members have numbered 800 red and gold ribbons. Each day of Red Ribbon Week, a number will be drawn and the wearer of that ribbon will win a prize.

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District 1-AAAA
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vs.
Dumas Demons
7:30 tonight
Whitface Stadium

Demos seek reform debate

WASHINGTON (AP) - Democrats lined up on the House floor today to sign a petition to force debate and a vote on legislation overhauling campaign finance despite the opposition of Republican leaders. The petition requires 218 signatures, a majority of the House. It calls for debate and votes on a variety of bills.

Democratic leaders support it. Up
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Local Roundup

Citizenship classes

Starting Tuesday, Oct. 28, the U.S. Immigration Naturalization Services will hold citizenship classes at the San Jose Catholic church meeting room at 7 p.m. These classes will only run twice a week for six weeks. Classes will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays. For more information contact Lydia Villanueva at the Promised Land Network office (806) 364-4445.

TAAS testing

Juniors and seniors who have not passed the TAAS (Texas Assessment of Academic Skills) will test Oct. 28-30. Tests will begin each morning at 8:30 a.m. transportation will be provided for the students from the High School to the Administration building. The writing test will be Oct. 28; math Oct. 29 and reading Oct. 30.

Cold, windy

Saturday: Cold, very windy, with snow possible. North wind 25-35 mph, with higher gusts. Cloudy with high in mid-30s. Saturday night: Cloudy, possible snow, low around 25.

3- to 5-day forecast

Sunday: Mostly cloudy, high in low 40s.
Monday: Partly cloudy, low in 27s, high in lower 60s.
Tuesday: Partly cloudy, low in lower 30s, high in lower 60s.

Red ribbon week

The Hereford schools will be participating in National Red Ribbon Week during Oct. 27-31. Events at the High School include Peer Pressure Reversal (wear clothes backwards) on Monday; Red Day - Declare War on Drugs (wear red) on Tuesday, drugs are unbearable (dress your bear to show he would not take drugs); I'm too bright for drugs (wear bright, neon colors) on Wednesday; Pair-up against drugs (you and a friend wear the same things) on Thursday and Friday is Team up against drugs (wear maroon or your favorite team's shirt).

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 giveaway. The drawing will be Nov. 3.

News Digest

GIRLS ACCUSED OF PROSTITUTION GET ROUGH ARREST AT BORDER

EL PASO (AP) - Police have wrestled three New Mexico girls, ages 13 and 12, to the ground at the U.S.-Mexico border after they lashed out at reporters covering allegations that they were prostitutes in Ciudad Juarez, Mexico.

Ernesto Garcia, Chihuahua state police spokesman, said authorities there were not pursuing charges against the three for prostitution.

Juarez police returned the three Las Cruces, N.M., girls to the United States at about 1 p.m. Thursday, said Las Cruces police Sgt. Joel Cano.

Two of the girls, ages 13 and 12, are sisters. "Their mothers were present at the bridge. They were standing there when the girls got angry," he said.

SOUTH PLAINS COMPLETEING ANNUAL HALLOWEEN HARVEST

LUBBOCK (AP) - In Texas' pumpkin patch, style truly is more important than substance.

"People want a solid pumpkin that's not lopsided and has no scars," said Muleshoe farmer Ben Roming. "We plant them in good, strong ground and apply the right amount of fertilizer. Plus, we had more rain this year than in the past five or six years and didn't have excessive heat. You can grow a good pumpkin in those conditions."

Texas pumpkins aren't grown for eating: most of those come from the Midwest. Instead, the 100 million pounds five Lubbock-area counties were expected to produce are destined to be gutted, carved and lit up as jack-o'-lanterns.

Low production in the Southeast has helped keep prices around 7 cents per pound, slightly better than usual. Additionally, growers have overcome the disease problems that plagued the crop last season.

"You have to do a good bit of spraying to keep the insects off of it," said Floydada farmer Tommy Assiter. "You plant it in the middle of June, so you can fall back on it, to a degree, if you lose your cotton."

WEATHER SERVICE SHELVES PLAN TO CLOSE TEXAS HEADQUARTERS

WASHINGTON (AP) - After months in the eye of the storm, the National Weather Service's Southern region headquarters in Texas has emerged with a new lease on life.

Commerce Secretary William Daley on Thursday scrapped a controversial plan to shutter the Fort Worth office, which oversees some 1,000 field personnel in 10 states, the Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico.

Instead, Daley instead is dusting off an earlier restructuring proposal. Under that plan, which Daley announced at a news conference, the Weather Service will retain all four of its regional offices in the continental United States at reduced staffing levels. That proposal, floated months ago by the four regional directors but rejected by headquarters, calls for each region to have 45 staffers. The Fort Worth office currently has 40.

Daley's decision came as Commerce, the Weather Service's parent, made public the results of an independent review that uncovered persistent management and budgetary problems in the agency.

HOPWOOD LAWYER SAYS HE WANTED MORE DIVERSITY

AUSTIN (AP) - The court case that ended affirmative action at Texas universities wasn't meant to eliminate diversity in student bodies but to broaden its meaning, the lawyer who organized the lawsuit told a legislative committee.

"The point is not that blacks and Mexican Americans shouldn't be in the law school. It's just a question of ... who else is going to be there with them?" said Steve Smith, who still represents two plaintiffs in the lawsuit that challenged the University of Texas law school's 1992 admissions policy as discriminatory against whites. The plaintiffs are now seeking damages.

"I encourage diversity and all that, but basically one of my goals was to broaden the diversity definition to include those who I ... knew of who were left out also," Smith told the House Committee on Higher Education Thursday.

Smith said part of his reason for bringing the lawsuit was to "jar the admissions process," contending that UT law school "lacks diversity not only along racial lines, but also economic lines."

"Did you go to UT? Then you know what I'm talking about," he said to Rep. Henry Cuellar, D-Laredo, one of four Mexican-American lawyers on the committee who were at the hearing. Smith attended UT Arlington as an undergraduate before going to UT law school.

Election may nix affirmative action

Houston voters make the decision

HOUSTON (AP) - The clock is ticking for Houston's affirmative action program.

The city's voters will decide Nov. 4 whether to wipe out their program, something Californians did last year.

If the measure passes, Houston will be the first U.S. city to eliminate affirmative action, and the debate could shift from California to another state with a large minority population: Texas.

"Everybody's eyes are on Houston," said Lenoria Walker, who runs the city's program. "If Houston is overtaken, then that will be a trend for the rest of the state to do the same thing."

Houston's program, which began in 1984, requires businesses that win city contracts to try to give 20 percent of their work to women and minori-

ties. The measure to end preferences has received a cooler reception than the one in California, which passed 55 percent to 45 percent.

A poll released Oct. 2 by the Houston Chronicle and KHOU-TV said 29 percent of voters want to abolish the program and 56 percent want to keep it or expand it. The rest were undecided.

Four of the five leading candidates in this fall's mayoral race said they would vote against the measure. Those four include the two front-runners, Republican activist Rob Mosbacher Jr. and Lee Brown, who was President Clinton's first czar and would be Houston's first black mayor.

The measure was put on the ballot by Houston businessman and GOP activist Ed Blum, who last year

successfully challenged the creation of several congressional districts that were redrawn to favor minorities.

"The foundation of this program is the presumption that people who are African American, who are Hispanic, or who are women are disadvantaged and need a special program in which they can compete," he said. "It is our belief that many of the people who are getting contracts from the city are highly successful people who should be competing on their own."

Legislators in about 20 states have tried to pass similar measures, said

Carl E. Anderson of the American Contract Compliance Association, a trade organization for affirmative action officers. Those efforts have failed.

Nearly 21 percent of the nearly \$1

billion in contracts Houston gave out in fiscal 1997 were to businesses owned by non-whites and women, up from 16.4 percent during the previous decade. The city is 58 percent white, 18 percent black and 21 percent Hispanic.

Opponents of the city's program say it discriminates against white men and is bogged down in minutiae.

David Bearden, who is white, said he decided to vote for the measure after he tried to subcontract some city work to four black truckers he knew. City officials told him no because the truckers hadn't registered with the affirmative action program.

Bearden went with one of the businesses certified by the city, but when they wouldn't come down on their price - higher than if he had gone with own team of truckers - he went to arbitration and won.



New Kiwanis

The Hereford Kiwanis Club welcomed new member Derrin Ginter, right. Ginter sponsor into the club was Randy Agan.

Birds, dinosaurs are not relatives

WASHINGTON (AP) - A theory that birds evolved from dinosaurs may lose out by a thumb.

New research shows that birds lack the embryonic thumb that dinosaurs had, suggesting it is "almost impossible" for the species to be closely related.

Researchers at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, made the discovery with a microscopic examination of stages of development in the embryos of birds. They show no vestige of a thumb that is present in primitive form in dinosaur fossils.

"We consider this to be unequivocal evidence that birds" did not evolve directly from dinosaurs, said Alan Feduccia, chairman of biology at North Carolina and co-author of a study published Friday in the journal Science. He said the finding is only one piece of a growing body of evidence that disputes the long-held dinosaurs-to-birds theory.

The North Carolina findings are dismissed by scientists at the American Museum of Natural History in New York, where the theory is enshrined as a part of a \$30 million renovation that includes two dinosaur halls.

"There is a discrepancy between what the embryology tells us and what the fossils tell us," said Mark Norell, a museum scientist. But he noted: "No one feature, such as the thumb, can sway things one way or the other."

The museum, he said, still firmly believes that birds are "living dinosaurs."

Other researchers, however, are less certain.

"The North Carolina work is very, very credible evidence," said John A. Ruben of Oregon State University in Corvallis. "The idea that birds evolved from dinosaurs is definitely in trouble."

Consultant faces felony charges

Numerous charges include bid-rigging, conflict of interest

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) - The multi-county grand jury has indicted a consultant accused of conflicts of interest and bid-rigging during the State Insurance Fund reorganization, his attorney says.

Emergency Services

Activities reported by local law enforcement include:

- Police Department Arrests**
- A 32-year-old man was arrested in the 700 block of Blevins and charged with driving while intoxicated.
- Resisting arrests search was reported in the 8000 block of south Schley.
- Criminal mischief reported in the 400 block of Whittier.
- Unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was reported in the 600 block of Union.
- Domestic disturbance was reported in the 700 block of Irving.
- Disorderly conduct was reported in the 200 block of west Eighth.
- Domestic disturbance was reported in the 400 block of Sycamore Lane.
- Assault was reported in the 600 block of Ireland.
- Four traffic tickets were issued.
- One minor accident was reported.
- No curfew violations were reported.
- No fire calls reported.

A Dallas insurance firm executive also was indicted on a felony count, a published report says.

The exact charges against John Yoder will not be disclosed until indictments are unsealed at an initial appearance Wednesday.

"We know that there's more than one, but we don't know the nature of the charges," Kyle Goodwin, one of Yoder's attorneys said Thursday. Yoder is named in at least two of the eight indictments issued last week, Goodwin said. On Wednesday, a judge issued 10 arrest warrants in relation to the indictments.

Goodwin said Yoder will be allowed to surrender around the time of his initial appearance.

The Daily Oklahoman reports in today's copyright story that William Rinker confirmed he had been indicted on a single count.

Rinker was a senior vice president of Alexander & Alexander, but has since left. Rinker's indictment apparently concerns his authorization of payment of the finder's fee to Yoder, The Oklahoman reported. He was interviewed by state investigators but was not called to testify before the grand jury.

The grand jury also issued a critique of the 1996 reorganization of the \$747 million state workers' compensation fund.

Although the report included no names, it pointed a finger at Yoder's relationship with the fund and the companies seeking contracts for consulting and claims administration.

"The State Insurance Fund created

a conflict of interest with the intermediary by requiring him to be compensated by the consultant he was to select for the project," the panel said in its report.

Yoder and Terry Tyree, the commissioner of the fund, have both denied any wrongdoing. "We're going to vigorously defend all of the charges," Goodwin said.

The fund appointed an exclusive intermediary who would be paid by companies seeking the contracts, according to the report.

Through Yoder, the fund began corresponding with one consulting company that advised it on a bid proposal for consulting services. The invitation to bid was released on Dec. 21, 1995, with a due date of Jan. 3, 1996, forcing the bidding process into a 7-day period over the holidays, the report said.

"The successful bidder had established a relationship with the Oklahoma State Insurance Fund through a consultant which gave them an advantage over other bidders," the grand jury wrote. "These actions circumvented the state's competitive bidding procedures."

The panel was apparently referring to Alexander & Alexander of Tulsa, which submitted the only bid on Jan. 2, 1996.

Later, the fund bought claims administration services from three separate companies, all of whom had contracts with the intermediary.

The panel was apparently referring to private claims processors Lindsey Morden Claims Management Inc.,

are not of this nature."

Ms. Spector said enforcing the rule is illegal because it is not gender-neutral.

"It distinguishes students on the basis of sex," Ms. Spector said in her dissent. "Because Zach was punished for violating a hair-length rule that applied only to boys, he was treated differently because of his sex."

After Zachariah's three-day suspension from the third grade, he was placed on in-school suspension and not allowed to interact with other students.

Mrs. Toungate ended that by withdrawing Zachariah and teaching him at home. He has attended home-school and some private school since then.

Zachariah, now 15, wears a ponytail halfway down his back. He attends private school and was in class Thursday, according to attorney Charles Beall.

Paul Knisely, Ms. Toungate's other attorney, called the court's decision disappointing.

"It raises concern about the need to elect school board officials that will be sensitive to the individual rights of students, especially in ways that affect ... their bodies throughout the day in ways that have nothing to do with school," he said.

School district attorney Paul Hunn said the issue all along has been who is going to run the school.

"At least in Bastrop, the people have elected a board that believes it's in the students' best educational interest to have this rule," Hunn said. "It's the American way to elect representation you agree with."

end of it, as far as I am concerned.

Relating bird embryos to the human hand, Ann C. Burke, a developmental biologist at North Carolina, said birds have only the equivalent of the forefinger, the middle finger and the third finger. To biologists, these would be known as digits two, three and four.

Crawford & Co., and Berkley Administrators.

"The three companies who held consulting contracts with this person were the only companies to be awarded business," the report said.

Two Lindsey Morden officials, Paul Maggi and Michael Young, were also named in the indictments. The Daily Oklahoman reported Thursday in a copyright story.



AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Thursday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 8-7-7

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Thursday by the Texas Lottery: 1-16-25-28-39

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Lifestyles

Ann Landers

Teen feels mom depriving her of privacy, childhood

Dear Ann Landers: I have a complicated problem, and I could use some help. I'm 15 and will be a senior in high school soon. I have a 7-year-old sister. My mother has a new job working for the railroad. Her hours are weird. She works 20- to 30-hour stretches, 2 to 3 days a week. During those days, I have to take care of my little sister. I do all the cooking and cleaning, plus fit in school activities for the both of us.

The problem is that I don't get paid for any of this. My mom says my payment is the house I live in and the food I eat. She gives me money when I go out with my friends, but since she started her new job, I don't have

time to go out anymore. Mom is on call 24 hours a day, so I have to take my sister everywhere. I suggested a nanny and Mom said OK, but the nanny would have to live with us. This would mean my sister and I would have to share a room.

We rent our downstairs, and I suggested that we stop doing that so I could have a room of my own. Mom makes enough money now to do without the renters, but she won't compromise, Ann. All I want is privacy and my childhood. Am I being unreasonable? -- Already an Adult in Jamestown, N.C.

Dear Ann Landers: Your mom has a full load of responsibilities with a new job and difficult hours, as well

as a family and renters to think about. You sound like a terrific kid, so please try to be patient and not complain. Your mother may not feel secure in her job yet and may need the renters in case things don't work out.

At your age, you do need time for your friends and other activities. Instead of a live-in nanny, ask your mother if she could find someone who would be available to give you a break now and then. A local teenager or an older person who could use some extra money would be ideal. (P.S. Help her look.)

Dear Ann Landers: My wife woke up at 5 a.m. the other morning, saying she smelled something

strange. She dashed downstairs into a thin haze of smoke and made her way to the microwave oven. It had mysteriously turned itself on, and smoke was pouring out. She pulled the plug, and we opened the oven door. Inside was a melted "micro-wavable" plastic shelf.

The instruction book warns that "if lightning strikes the power lines, it may cause the oven to turn on," but there was no thunderstorm that night. Our smoke detector above the oven was silent throughout this whole ordeal. When I held a lighted match under it, however, it shrieked an alarm.

The lesson for your readers is this: Microwave ovens with electronic

push-button controls can go berserk, and smoke alarms may not be sensitive to plastic decomposition fumes. Unplugging the ovens is the only way to be safe. -- Careful in Columbia, Md.

Dear Md.: Because you wrote, thousands of microwave ovens are going to be disconnected at night, and lives may be saved.

Fires are responsible for thousands of deaths every year and millions of dollars in damage to property. In many instances, smoke alarms were in place, but they were not working. Why? Because the batteries were old or missing.

Daylight-saving time begins this weekend. When you change your

clocks back one hour before going to sleep Saturday night, please don't forget to replace the batteries in all of your smoke alarms. My readers are important to me, and I don't want to lose a single one of you.

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Youth director

Rance Settle, center, is the new youth director for St. Anthony's Catholic Church. Settle, originally from Slaton, is a candidate for December graduation from West Texas A&M University. He is currently serving as a part-time director, but will assume full-time duties in January 1998. Welcoming him are Catholic Youth Organization officers, from left, Brandon Tidmore, co-vice president; Tamara Diller, co-vice president; Trey Bezner, reporter and Jacque Bezner, CYO president.

Toastmaster speakers get tie vote

Pat Varner presided at the regular Thursday morning meeting of Hereford Toastmasters.

Varner and Margaret Del Toro were speakers for the meeting. The vote for best speaker resulted in a tie. Del Toro spoke on "Can I Park There." Serving as evaluator was Dan Hall.

Varner's topic was "Susan B. Anthony." Jigger Rowland served as evaluator and received the most votes for best evaluator for his efforts.

Topic speakers for the meeting were Rick Jackson, Wayne Winget, Del Toro and Hall. Jackson was voted best topic speaker.

Sharon Cramer served as toastmaster with Winget serving as timer and wordmaster. He introduced the word "digress."

Guest, Adolfo Del Toro, served as AH counter and grammarian.

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TUESDAY-Breakfast pizza; or cereal, cinnamon raisin toast, grape juice, milk choice.

WEDNESDAY-Scrambled eggs, cherry muffin squares; or cereal, cinnamon raisin toast, banana, milk choice.

THURSDAY-Sausage pattie, biscuit and jelly; or cereal, cinnamon raisin toast, diced peaches, milk choice.

FRIDAY-Cheese toast; or cereal, cinnamon raisin toast, orange wedges, milk choice.

Lunch

MONDAY-Steak fingers with gravy, fluffy potatoes, green peas, cherry crisp, whole wheat rolls, milk choice.

TUESDAY-club sandwich (Canadian bacon, bologna, pastrami and cheese), lettuce and tomato slices, tator tots with catsup, orange frozen fruit cup, milk choice.

WEDNESDAY-Ground beef and macaroni, cabbage/apple and raisin salad, seasoned corn, fresh fruit choice, peanut butter bar, cornbread, milk choice.

THURSDAY-Beef enchiladas, lettuce with tomatoes, pinto beans, Spanish rice, sliced pears, cowboy bread, milk choice.

FRIDAY-Goblin burger, blk ck cat burger salad, skeleton fries with catsup, witches fruit punch, spooky ice cream cup, milk choice.

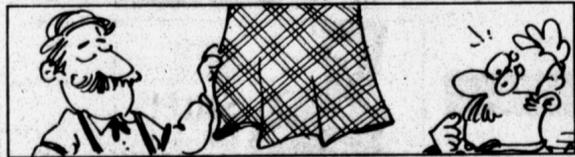
ST. ANTHONY'S SCHOOL
MONDAY-Lasagna, sweet peas, blackeyed peas, toast, chocolate chip cookie, milk.

TUESDAY-Grilled cheese sandwich, vegetable soup, pears, raisin oatmeal cookie, milk.

WEDNESDAY-Frito pie, pinto beans, potato wedges, cornbread, cherry delight cake, milk.

THURSDAY-Smothered steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, fruity Jello, milk.

FRIDAY-Ham and cheese wraps, vegetarian beans, potato soup, applesauce, milk.



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Worship participants

These youth of Immanuel Lutheran Church will assist with the special Reformation worship celebration at 11 a.m. Sunday. Pictured, center front, are Brandon Beavers and Evan Isaacson; and back row from left, Ivory Isaacson, Robin Bell, Ian Isaacson and Amy Bell.

Friendship renders prosperity more brilliant, while it lightens adversity by sharing it.
—Oliver Wendall Holmes

History

By The Associated Press
Today is Friday, Oct. 24, the 297th day of 1997. There are 68 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:
On Oct. 24, 1945, the United Nations officially came into existence as its charter took effect.

On this date:
In 1537, Jane Seymour, the third wife of England's King Henry VIII, died 12 days after giving birth to Prince Edward, later King Edward VI.

In 1648, the Peace of Westphalia ended the Thirty Years War and effectively destroyed the Holy Roman Empire.

In 1861, the first transcontinental telegraph message was sent as Justice Stephen J. Field of California transmitted a telegram to President Lincoln.

In 1901, Anna Edson-Taylor, a 43-year-old widow, became the first person to survive going over Niagara Falls in a barrel.

In 1931, the George Washington

Bridge, connecting New York and New Jersey, opened to traffic.

In 1939, nylon stockings were sold publicly for the first time, in Wilmington, Del.

In 1940, the 40-hour work week went into effect under the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938.

In 1952, Republican presidential candidate Dwight D. Eisenhower declared, "I shall go to Korea" as he promised to end the conflict.

In 1962, the U.S. blockade of Cuba during the missile crisis officially began under a proclamation signed by President Kennedy.

In 1980, the merchant freighter SS Poet departed Philadelphia bound for Port Said, Egypt, with a crew of 34 and a cargo of grain; it was never heard from again.

Ten years ago: Thirty years after it was expelled for refusing to answer allegations of corruption, the Teamsters union was welcomed back into the AFL-CIO by a vote of the labor federation's executive council in Miami Beach, Fla.

Five years ago: The Toronto Blue Jays became the first non-U.S. team to win the World Series as they defeated the Atlanta Braves, 4-3, in game six.

One year ago: Rioting erupted in St. Petersburg, Fla., after a white police officer fatally shot a black man during a traffic stop. The New York Yankees took the lead in the World Series, defeating the Atlanta Braves 1-0 in game five.

Today's Birthdays: Football Hall-of-Famer Y.A. Tittle is 71. Rock musician Bill Wyman is 61. Actor-producer David Nelson is 61. Actor F. Murray Abraham is 58. Actor Kevin Kline is 50. NAACP President Kweisi Mfume is 49. Actor B.D. Wong is 35. Rock musician Ben Gillies (Silverchair) is 18. Singer Monica is 17.

Thought for Today: "Vanity, vanity, all is vanity/ That's any fun at all for humanity." —Ogden Nash, American author and humorist (1902-1971).

Replacement artist named

The Amarillo Symphony announced that tenor Steven Harrison has canceled his appearance as vocal soloist on Saturday, due to illness.

Replacing Mr. Harrison will be tenor Philip Webb. The program of French and Italian opera highlights will be unchanged.

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Church News

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The Hereford Brand publishes Church News items as a community service. Churches in Deaf Smith County are invited to submit information about upcoming church activities for publication in the Church News listing. Information must be submitted to the Brand offices by 5 p.m. Wednesday for the following Friday's paper. News items may be edited for length.)

CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY
Christian Assembly is a non-denominational church desiring to minister to individual needs.
Join us for praise, worship, open sharing and ministry.
We are located at 1100 S. Main. Call 364-0974 or 364-2284.

CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST
Come worship with us each and every Sunday at 10:25 a.m. and 6 p.m. Bible Classes are held Sunday at 9:30 a.m. and Wednesday at 7 p.m. for all ages.
We are located at the corner of Sunset and Plains.
We would love to have you come and study God's word with us.
Our minister is Tom Bailey.

NEW BEGINNINGS ASSEMBLY OF GOD BILINGUAL CHURCH
The congregation of New Beginnings along with Pastors Rafael and Linda Rosado would cordially like to invite you to join us this Sunday morning at 9:45 for an incredible study in prophecy. There are classes for all ages, so bring your kids.
Sunday evening praise and worship is at 6.
Wednesday night Bible study is on the book of Genesis at 7.
Youth night service is at 7 p.m. Friday.
The ladies meet for prayer and Bible study on Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. If you need prayer call 363-9007 or 364-0210.
God bless you. See you in church. We are located at the corner of Bradley and Ironwood, across from West Park Cemetery.

FIRST UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Pastor Warren McKibben is pleased to announce the opening of an Acts 2:38 Bible believing church. We welcome all for a truly down to earth praise and worship experience with our Lord.
If you are seeking answers, come and let's worship together in the name of Jesus. If you are looking for a blessing and still believe in miracles, then this is the place to come. We are one big happy family of God.
We invite all to attend our services at 2 p.m. Sunday.
For further information, call 1-800-454-6051.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
We at Calvary Baptist Church extend a hearty welcome for you to attend our Sunday school and church services.
When you come, we believe you will especially enjoy the wholesome Christian fellowship and spiritual service. There will be a Sunday school class for every member of your family.
Sunday school is at 9:45 a.m. and worship is at 11 a.m.
Ray Sanders is the pastor.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
Bible Baptist Church is happy to announce that Travis Curry of Lubbock is our new pastor.
He and his wife, Louise, are presently commuting to be in our services Sundays but will be moving to Hereford very soon.
Bible Baptist Church has Sunday School for all ages with lessons taught directly from the Bible at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible preaching at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday and Prayer and Bible Study Meetings at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays.
If you are searching for a church that centers around the Word of God, you will find it here.
You will receive a warm and friendly welcome at 1204 Moreman Avenue. Call 364-3729 or 364-3102.

DAWN BAPTIST CHURCH
The congregation of Dawn Baptist Church invites you and your family to worship with us each Sunday with Sunday school at 10 a.m. and worship at 11 a.m.
Sunday evening at 5:30 the adults are currently studying the "Experiencing God" series. We would also like to invite the youth to join us for Team Kids, which is a club for youth ages 4-13 where they enjoy fun, games, Bible lessons and snacks.
A nursery is provided for both morning and evening services.
Starting Nov. 9 through Nov. 12, Dawn Baptist Church will have their fall revival.
Services will be at 11 a.m. Sunday with a covered dish meal following. Weeknight services will begin at 7. Evangelist will be James Peach, pastor of First Baptist Church of Vega and

music will be under the direction of Bobby Jordan, minister of music of First Baptist Church of Washburn.
Make plans to be with Dawn Baptist church during its Fall Revival.
For more information or prayer needs contact Charles Ellingburg, Pastor, at 258-7330. Hope to see you soon.

COMMUNITY CHURCH
Pastor Dorman Duggan and congregation invite you to come and worship and praise with them Sunday morning.
Sunday school for all ages begins at 9:30 a.m. and the morning worship service starts at 10:30. A nursery is provided.
The Sunday evening service is at 6 and a nursery is again provided.
The Intercessory Prayer Group meets Monday night at 7 p.m.
Tuesday morning at 9:30 the Ladies Prayer Group meets.
The Wednesday service, children's church and youth group all begin at 7 p.m.
For more information or if you need prayer, call 364-8866 or 364-2423.

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. and the Sunday worship services are held at 11 a.m. and 5 p.m.
Pastor Ed Warren and the church congregation invite the public to all services at the church located on S. Hwy. 385 and Columbia St.
For additional information, call 364-3487.

COUNTRY ROAD CHURCH OF GOD
401 Country Club Drive
Pastor Woody Wiggins and the church congregation invite the public to attend all services and activities at the church.
Country Road Church of God will host a "Hallelujah Night" at the church located at 401 Country Club Drive in Hereford from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. on Oct. 31. No costumes please. Admission is free. Children between the ages of 4-12 are welcome to attend. There will be a puppet ministry, lots of games, candy, music, snacks and prizes. For more information call Pastor Woody at 364-5390 or Rick at 364-1592.
The following is the regular schedule of services.
Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. and the Sunday worship services are held at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Services are conducted at 6 p.m. each Wednesday.
Thursday evening prayer service is at 6 p.m.
Gospel singing will be held the last Sunday of each month starting at 5 p.m.
A nursery is provided during all services.
Pastor Wiggins says, "Come and experience what God is doing here - a church where the Spirit is alive and God is moving by His power, a church full of love where you are somebody and Jesus is Lord."
Our 24 hour prayer line is 364-5390.

GOOD NEWS CHURCH
400 N. 25 Mile Ave.
Sugarland Mall
Pastor David Alvarado and the Good News congregation invite you to come and worship the Lord Jesus Christ with us in the spirit of love.
Come and experience the goodness of God and His power.
Sunday services are at 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Wednesday services are at 7 p.m.
If you have any questions or you need prayer, please call Pastor David Alvarado at 364-5239. God bless you.

NEW HOPE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
13th and Avenue H
Pastor Elda Olivarez and congregation invite you to worship with them.
Sunday School is at 9:30 a.m. and morning worship is at 10:30. Evening worship is at 6 on Sunday and 7 on Wednesday.
The youth meet Friday at 7 p.m. There are monthly meetings for men and women.
New Hope Church of the Nazarene was founded by Pastor Olivarez in June 1992, right in the center of the barrio. We are reaching out to single mothers, teenagers, the elderly and lots of children.
We would like to thank all who were involved in our Vision of "expanding out to reach out." Our new addition will include four Sunday school rooms, a cry room, fellowship hall and restrooms.
We are still praying and raising funds to complete our Vision.

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AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH
The congregation of Avenue Baptist Church, located at 130 North 25 Mile Avenue, invites you to worship with them.
Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. and morning worship follows at 11. Sunday evening worship begins at 6.
The Ladies Prayer Service and Bible Study, led by Thelma Cherry, meets at 6:30 p.m. Monday.
Brian O'Donnell, music director, reminds all choir members that choir practice is Monday nights from 8-9 p.m.
Youth director, Carol Keyes, invites the youth to meet Wednesday nights at 7 in the church fellowship hall.
Due to the road construction some of the parking lot entrances are closed, but you can enter the north parking lot from Union Street.
There is a place for you at Avenue Baptist Church, if you are looking for a church home and a place to serve God.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
You are always welcome at First Baptist Church.
Our schedule of activities includes:
Sunday
9:45 a.m. -- Family Bible Study
10:50 a.m. -- Morning worship
4 p.m. -- Team Kid
4, 4:30 & 5 p.m. -- Disciples College
5 p.m. -- Youth
Monday

WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Wesley United Methodist Church is located at 410 Irving. Sunday School meets at 10 a.m. and the worship service begins at 11 a.m. Youth services start at 5 p.m. Sunday.
Pastor Bonnie DunsWorth brings interesting insight to the Scripture.
Wesley United Methodist Church in Hereford is a small church with very few young adult or single members. We realize many other small churches face the same dilemma. We would like to get together with other churches in this situation by forming a Christian Fellowship group to meet monthly to give young adults and single Christian people an opportunity to fellowship with other Christians, regardless of denomination.
The first get-together will be at 7 p.m. Nov. 7 at Wesley United Methodist Church, 410 Irving. Wesley will provide soft drinks, tea and coffee. Bring yourself, a friend and a snack to this gathering.
For more information call Rev. Bonnie DunsWorth at 806-364-3908 or Nina Brown at 364-5857.

ST. THOMAS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH
The sermon for the Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost was written by Katerina Katsarka Whitley, as associate for public relations and communication for the Episcopal Church's Presiding Bishop's Fund for World Relief. The sermon is based on Mark 10: 46-52, the gospel reading for the day. The Daily Office of Morning Prayer, Rite II, is celebrated at 11 a.m. and there is a coffee hour after the service. Bear Denton of St. Thomas' Lay Readers will be the officiant at the service. A supervised nursery is provided during the Christian education and worship hours.
Senior Warden Duffy McBrayer, Delegate Jerre Clark and Father Wilson are in Midland this weekend attending the 39th Annual Convention of the Episcopal Diocese of North-west Texas.
Christian Education for all ages begins at 9:30 a.m. Children and Youth gather in the Education Wing for "Living the Good News," our curriculum based on the Sunday readings in the Eucharist. The Adult Class will not meet Oct. 26. The class will resume on Nov. 2 to begin a series called "From Christ to Constantine: The Trial and Testimony of the Early Church." The series will include videos and discussion.
The regular Wednesday Public Service of Healing is at 7 p.m. and includes the Litany of Healing and the Daily Office of Evening Prayer Rite II. The proper collect and readings are those for the major feast of St. Simon and St. Jude, Apostles, transferred from Oct. 28.
Intercessory prayer requests from the community are most welcome. To have them included in the Prayers of the People at all services, please call 364-0146 and leave a message.
In case of emergency, or to make appointments for personal conferences, please call Father Wilson in Amarillo at 353-1734.

ST. ANTHONY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
St. Anthony's is big and it holds a lot of people. There's enough room for another saint, another sinner. Liturgies are at 6 p.m. Saturday and 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sunday. We are celebrating the Thirteenth Sunday in ordinary Time on the Catholic calendar and will hear these scriptures in the Mass: Jeremiah the Prophet 31: 7-9, Hebrews 5: 1-6, Gospel of Mark 10: 46-52.
All Souls Remembrance rosaries will be prayed Nov. 2 at 1 p.m. at St. Anthony's Cemetery and at 1:30 p.m. at Restlawn Cemetery. In case the weather is severely uncomfortable we will meet to pray in the church at 1 p.m.
Michael Harter, Diocesan Historian, is coming from 7 p.m.-9 p.m. Wednesday in the Antonian Room. All are welcome to come hear his presentation of the church history.
Parish Reconciliation Service is Tuesday at 7 p.m.
Gather to help decorate the church

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH
The congregation and the pastor, H. Wyatt Bartlett, of the Temple Baptist Church invite everyone to come worship with them this coming week.
Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. with classes for all ages. Be sure and turn your clocks back one hour before you retire Saturday night so you won't be an hour early for Sunday School.
Morning worship is at 11 with the pastor preaching.
Evening worship begins with PrayerLife Study at 5:45 p.m. and also TeamKID meeting at 5:45. Our worship hour begins at 7 p.m. with the pastor again speaking.
Wednesday evening we have our weekly prayer meeting at 7. If you know of anyone who needs intercessory prayer call our office and we will place them on our prayer list. We are still studying I Timothy during our prayer meeting time. Sanctuary choir will meet at 7:45 p.m.

BARN CHURCH
Barn Church is a non-denominational Christian ministry. Our goal is to worship God and fellowship with each other. Barn Church is for everyone that likes things a little on the country side. We'll have some singing, some preaching and maybe a testimony or two.
It's come as you are, so dust off your jeans and come on out. Bring the family and tell your friends.
Regular meetings of Barn Church are held on the second Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the B Bar S Arena.

FRIO BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor Larry Perkins and the congregation of the Frio Baptist Church invite you to join them for Sunday and Wednesday services.
Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. and is followed by worship at 10:45 a.m. Evening services begin with Discipleship Training at 5 which is followed by evening worship at 6.
We would also like to invite any youth to join us and our interim youth minister Brett Baldwin.
Wednesday prayer services begin at 7 p.m.

6:30 p.m. -- Adult handbells
Wednesday
5:30 p.m. -- Fellowship supper
6 p.m. -- Children's choirs
6 p.m. -- Acteens
6:15 p.m. -- Prayer meeting
7 p.m. -- Youth
7 p.m. -- G.A.'s and Mission Friends
7:10 p.m. -- Adult choir
There is room for you in each of the above areas of fellowship and ministry. There is a place for you at First Baptist Church.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
This Reformation Sunday in our 10:30 a.m. worship time, the Rev. Jeremy M. Grant will preach on Galatians 6: 11-18 and the Gospel John 14: 18-24. The title of his sermon is "Grace Alone, Faith Alone, Scripture Alone."
You are more than welcome to join us for Bible study in one of our Sunday morning classes at 9:15 a.m. We have a nondenominational class for people with special needs. We also have classes for young married and singles, other adults, youth, elementary age, preschool and nursery.
At 10:10 a.m., we gather each Sunday for a cup of coffee, a goodie and great fellowship. Come and meet a friend this Sunday.
The First Presbyterian Prayer Group gathers for the lifting of joys and concerns to God at 6 p.m. on Mondays.
Little Blessings Day Care is open from 7:45 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday and Tuesday. Space is limited, call for a reservation, 364-2472.
Adult Choir will practice at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.
LOGOS are at 5 p.m. Wednesday. Bring baby pictures.
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IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Everyone is invited to our Christian Education hour at 10 a.m. with groups for all age levels at Immanuel Lutheran, 100 Avenue B on Sunday mornings. We note the time change (turn clocks back one hour on Saturday evening). A special Reformation worship celebration is planned for the 11 a.m. lead by Pastor Robert Kuhlmann and assisted by the youth and Sunday School children based on the theme, "This I Believe." Special music and Martin Luther Seal banner are also part of the service.
On Wednesday evening at 7:30 we will discuss the history of the Christian Church (Pentecost, Book of Acts) through 1997 A.D. Plan now to attend and bring a friend. This will include the Protestant Reformation

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You are more than welcome to join us for Bible study in one of our Sunday morning classes at 9:15 a.m. We have a nondenominational class for people with special needs. We also have classes for young married and singles, other adults, youth, elementary age, preschool and nursery.
At 10:10 a.m., we gather each Sunday for a cup of coffee, a goodie and great fellowship. Come and meet a friend this Sunday.
The First Presbyterian Prayer Group gathers for the lifting of joys and concerns to God at 6 p.m. on Mondays.
Little Blessings Day Care is open from 7:45 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday and Tuesday. Space is limited, call for a reservation, 364-2472.
Adult Choir will practice at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.
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Sports

On the Sidelines

MLB Playoffs

WORLD SERIES (NBC)
 Saturday, Oct. 18
 Florida 7, Cleveland 4
 Sunday, Oct. 19
 Cleveland 6, Florida 1
 Tuesday, Oct. 21
 Florida 14, Cleveland 11
 Wednesday, Oct. 22
 Cleveland 10, Florida 3
 Thursday, Oct. 23
 Florida 8, Cleveland 7, Florida leads series 3-2
 Saturday, Oct. 25
 Cleveland (Ogea 8-9) at Florida (Brown 16-6), 7 p.m.
 Sunday, Oct. 26
 Cleveland (Nagy 15-11) at Florida (Letter 11-9), 6:35 p.m., if necessary

District 1-4A

Dumas at Hereford, 7:30 p.m.
 Canyon at Canyon Randall, 7:30 p.m.
 Amarillo Caprock at Borger, 7:30 p.m.
 Pampa idle.

District 2-4A

Lamesa at Wolfforth Frenship, 7:30 p.m.
 Plainview at Levelland, 7:30 p.m.

District 3-5A

Amarillo High at Lubbock Coronado, 7:30 p.m.
 Lubbock Monterey at Amarillo Palo Duro, 7:30 p.m.
 Amarillo Tascosa at Lubbock High, 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

Other area games

Frona at Dimmitt, 7:30 p.m.
 Amarillo Highland Park at Lockney, 7:30 p.m.
 Bovina at Hart, 7:30 p.m.
 Valley at Springlake South, 7:30 p.m.
 Nazareth at Motley County, 7:30 p.m.
 Gruver at Vega, 7:30 p.m.
 Kress at Farwell, 7:30 p.m.

IN BRIEF

Albert in court

ARLINGTON, Va. (AP) -- Marv Albert most likely will not be sent to jail Friday for biting a longtime lover on the back, defense lawyers and a sheriff's deputy said.

But the sentence by a Virginia judge could be affected by the words and deeds of the sportscaster and his accuser.

The victim, Vanessa Perhach, has said Albert should be punished with jail time. She has filed an angry statement with the judge.

Albert, who has been dismissed by NBC, faces up to one year behind bars. But defense lawyers agree he will more likely receive probation, especially if he apologizes and shows he understands the gravity of what he did.

So far, Albert has not apologized to Perhach, the 42-year-old woman who went to police Feb. 12, or acknowledged outside the courtroom that he did anything wrong.

Rockets down Spurs

HOUSTON (AP) -- Eddie Johnson scored 21 points to lead the Houston Rockets to a 116-104 victory over San Antonio as the Spurs lost their first exhibition game Thursday at The Summit.

David Robinson and rookie first-round pick Tim Duncan led the Spurs with 18 points apiece. Duncan had 16 in the second half and also had nine rebounds for the Spurs, who were 6-0 in exhibitions, including a 95-90 decision over Houston last Saturday.

Hereford boys lead

From staff reports

Hereford high school boys are currently leading in four of the eight events sanctioned by the Tri-State High School Rodeo Association.

Rodey Wilson has 128 points to lead All-Around Cowboy. Hereford's Monty Lewis is third with 116 points.

Wilson leads in Calf Roping and Lewis is third in the event. Lewis leads the Ribbon Roping event.

In Team Roping (Header), Jordan Satterfield is the leader and Pecos Alford leads in Team Roping (Heeler).

Hereford will see its next action at Ralls November 1.

Sports calendar

Friday Football
 Dumas at Hereford, 7:30 p.m. Whitelace Field.
Saturday Golf
 Hereford boys at Amarillo, 1 p.m. Walnut Creek Country Club.
 Hereford girls at Plainview, 8:30 a.m.
Cross Country
 Hereford at Levelland, TBA.

Marlins one win away from Series title

CLEVELAND (AP) -- Thanks to their lucky charm Orel Hershiser, the Florida Marlins are just one win away from their first World Series title.

Moises Alou shook off Orel and the Indians with another three-run homer, and rookie Livan Hernandez and the Marlins held off Cleveland 8-7 Thursday night to give Florida a 3-2 edge.

The 22-year-old Hernandez, boosted by some Cuban food sent earlier in the day from Miami by

singer Gloria Estefan, allowed seven hits and left in the ninth. Reliever Robb Nen gave up David Justice's two-run single and Jim Thome's RBI-single before finishing for his second save.

"I have faith in Robb that he'd get the job done," Alou said.

Hernandez beat the 39-year-old Hershiser for the second time in the Series and improved to 4-0 in the postseason.

The Marlins, who defeated

Hershiser in their first-ever game as a franchise in 1993, now head home with a chance to become the youngest expansion team to win the World Series.

Game 6 is set for Saturday night in the warmth of Pro Player Stadium. Chad Ogea will pitch against Florida's Kevin Brown in a rematch of Game 2, won by the Indians.

The never-say-quit Indians tried to rally in the ninth. Bip Roberts reached when first base umpire Ken

Kaiser did not see Hernandez tagging the bag while covering on a grounder and Omar Vizquel singled. That knocked out Hernandez after 142 pitches.

Nen, who struggled in a 14-11 victory in Game 3, gave up the hits to Justice and Thome before Sandy Alomar, who had homered and driven in four runs, flied out short of the warning track in right.

A sellout crowd of 44,888 appeared ready to cheer the Indians

within one victory of their first championship since 1948. That was until Alou, who hit a three-run homer off Hershiser in a Game 1 win, struck again for a two-out shot in the sixth that made it 6-4 and silenced Jacobs Field.

The Indians and their fans now must hope they can win Games 6 and 7 on the road, a feat that no team has accomplished since Pittsburgh did it at Baltimore in 1979.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

DUEL WITH THE DEVIL

Venzor prime concern for Herd

By BOB VARMETTE
 Staff writer

Astolfo Venzor. Prior to the 1997 season, no one knew who he was. Now everyone knows who he is.

Stopping Venzor would go a long way toward handing the No. 10 Dumas Demons (6-0 overall, 3-0 District 1-4A) their first defeat of the season when they take on Hereford (2-6, 1-3) 7:30 p.m. tonight at Whiteface Stadium in a District 1-4A game.

"Yeah, he was a surprise even to us," said Dumas head coach Brent McCallie. "With some kids, the light finally comes on. Last year, he was on our scout team, and he started running real hard, but he was a surprise."

The 5-10, 196-pound senior tailback is currently second in Class 4A in rushing with 1,260 yards on 175 attempts for 7.2 yards per carry. Venzor has scored 17 touchdowns this season.

"There's no doubt were a run-oriented offense, and he's a big part of it," McCallie said. "He's good inside and in the open he's got breakaway speed. He's more of an elusive runner now and he's making some good decisions...."

"He's worked real hard; it was just experience he lacked. After three or four games, you could see he was starting to get comfortable," McCallie said.

"He's a real strong inside runner," Hereford head coach Craig Yenzor said. "You better wrap him up and get a good hit on him, because he'll break tackles."

Hereford will try to stop Venzor using primarily their base defense. He said execution will be the key.

"We have to concentrate on taking care of our own business," Yenzor said. "I feel like if we can do that, we won't need to worry about what they're doing."

Triggering the offense for Dumas is senior quarterback Lucas Evenson.

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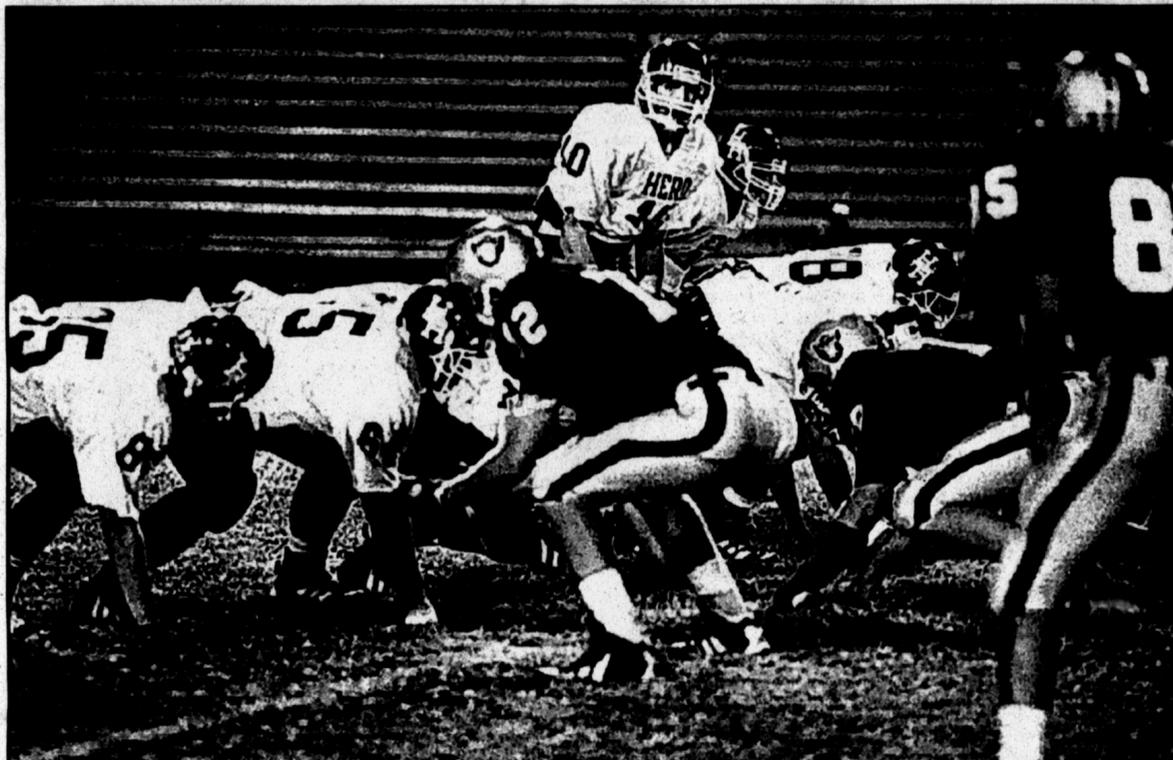


Photo by Rick Castaneda

Hereford quarterback Cody Hodges looks over the line October 17 at Kimbrough Memorial Stadium against Canyon Randall. Hodges left the game against the Raiders early in the second

quarter and will miss tonight's District 1-4A game against the No. 10 Dumas Demons because of a broken collarbone. Junior Pedro Hernandez will start in his place.

JINXED

For Merkel, it seems nothing can go right

By BILL HART

Abilene Reporter-News
MERKEL -- If football coach Jack Dorsett didn't have bad luck, he wouldn't have any luck at all.

Dorsett's Merkel Badgers are 3-4 this season, with three of the losses by a touchdown or less. Two came in District 6-3A against Ballinger and Wylie.

They also lost 27-20 to Winters with three starters out with injuries and two linebackers hobbling on sprained ankles. They missed a field goal in regulation play, then lost to Wylie in overtime, 28-21.

They have lost only five fumbles

this season, but three were to Breckenridge and all led to touchdowns in a 33-14 loss. Against Ballinger, they dropped two passes near the goal line and lost, 17-10, despite allowing the Bearcats two first downs in the second half.

Last Friday, the Badgers got back on their winning ways with a 35-7 victory over Clyde. Things were looking up -- until....

Fullback Bobby Howe decided to get on the bus via the back door. After he jumped up, his feet slipped and he suffered a dislocated shoulder

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Palestine will try to find unity tonight

PALESTINE (AP) -- All members of the Palestine High school football team will be together again on the sidelines Friday night.

But it's doubtful that the squad can be considered truly together following a series of incidents that has divided the team and the community, sparked a protest and an all-night school board meeting and even prompted the head coach to resign.

The Palestine Herald-Press reported that the saga began Sept. 30 when coach Rick Langley suspended three players for separate rules violations. Angry parents asked for the players to be reinstated, but were denied by

school officials.

So, that Friday, about 40 adults protested as the team bus prepared to leave the parking lot for road game at Mabank. Five players stayed in the locker room and three others were kept off the bus by their parents. All eight understood they had essentially quit the team.

With 11 of 36 players now off the squad, the school board decided to address the issues at their next meeting. The panel decided to let anyone who wanted to speak say their peace, extending the meeting to nearly 12 hours. Around 6 a.m., the school board

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'Worm' inks one-year deal

DEERFIELD, Ill. (AP) -- Never the retiring type, the Worm is sticking around for one more season.

Dennis Rodman on Thursday signed a one-year contract to stay with the Chicago Bulls, ending two weeks of intrigue over the future of the tattooed, cross-dressing, rainbow-headed rebounder.

After contemplating retirement, the 36-year-old forward decided to try to help the Bulls go for their third straight NBA title and sixth in eight years.

"The players and the people of Chicago, they gave me a lot, so I

figured I might as well come back and give them one more year," said Rodman.

He agreed to the contract two weeks ago but delayed signing until Thursday. Why?

"Just to make sure in my mind that my interest was still there," he said. "You've been in this league so long and you've done so much, you've got to find some motivation to keep you going."

"I've just got to go out there, get on the court, get around the guys, get around the atmosphere, get my feel for the game again. Once I get on the

floor, I'm not going to give less than 100 percent."

Though Rodman will accompany the team to Chapel Hill, N.C., for Friday night's exhibition game against Philadelphia, he said he probably won't play. He might play Saturday in the preseason finale at home against Sacramento or wait until the regular-season opener Oct. 31 at Boston.

Either way, coach Phil Jackson and several teammates were glad to have Rodman back.

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Walker wants one more thing -- a ring

IRVING (AP) -- Herschel Walker keeps saving the Dallas Cowboys. Someday he'd like to have a Super Bowl ring to show for all his hard work.

Of course, his 1989 trade to the Minnesota Vikings for five players and eight draft choices by Jimmy Johnson set the Cowboys up for three Super Bowl championships in the

1990s. Then he returned to Dallas last year and provided the one play the Cowboys needed to salvage their season.

Off to a 1-3 start and trailing Philadelphia 10-0, Walker took a kickoff 49 yards that gave the Cowboys the momentum needed to win 23-19. Three more wins in a row

followed and Dallas won nine of its last 12 to claim the NFC East title for a fifth straight year.

Enter Walker last Sunday with a season going sour and fullback Daryl Johnston on the sidelines with a neck injury.

Walker caught a short fourth-quarter

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Photo by Julius Bodner

At the net

Hereford's Tori Walker and Canyon Randall's Courtney Gilmore battle at the net during a recent District 1-4A match. The Lady Whitefaces defeated Dumas Tuesday in three sets. Should Dumas and Randall both win their final matches, the three teams would be district tri-champions and would play a district tournament to determine playoff seeding.

Duel

The Demons don't throw the ball much, but Evenson has shown to be a capable passer.

"He does a real fine job of directing their offense," Yenzler said. "He throws the ball well off their play action. He can certainly hurt you."

Entering the game, Evenson is 30-for-67 for 499 yards. He's thrown four touchdowns and two interceptions.

Dumas is currently second in District 1-4A in total offense, averaging 350.0 yards per game. The Demons get 267.0 yards of that on the ground. Hereford's defense is allowing an average of 175.3 yards per game.

Compounding the problem of facing the undefeated Demons and trying to contain Venzor, Hereford could be missing a pair of key defensive players.

Out definitely is senior Martin Garcia (ACL). Yenzler is also concerned the Whiteface defense may lose the services of junior defensive end Bobby Barba (sprained right knee).

"We've limited his practice time this week. It's been an ongoing thing... It's something we'll need to get checked out," Yenzler said.

Palestine

came up with a plan to reinstate everyone, a few at a time, over a three-week span.

Then things really went haywire in the town 100 miles southeast of Dallas.

Langley, feeling his authority had been usurped, quit. The remaining players, outraged at what they perceived to be a victory for the guys who had betrayed them, considered boycotting their next game.

Parents who previously hadn't been involved jumped in at the hint of wrongdoers being coddled. They also didn't like the message the school board sent by overruling the coaches.

About the only people happy were the parents of the 11 reinstated players.

"It's an unfortunate situation," superintendent Sam Lucia told The Associated Press on Thursday. "Nobody really got what they were asking for. But the majority of people feel it's time to accept the decision and start healing the community."

Interim coach Jack Estes took a big step toward smoothing things by bringing everyone back on Monday, the day the first group of players were supposed to return under the school board's decision.

However, being reinstated hasn't made them true members of the team just yet.

Those players -- down to 10 as one has moved to California -- are doing makeup work for the time they

Walker

rer pass from Troy Aikman and broke four tackles on a 64-yard touchdown pass-and-run to beat Jacksonville 26-22 and lift Dallas to a 4-3 record.

This week Walker goes against Philadelphia again, a former employer, where he felt he got the bum's rush by the front office.

"I still love the fans there and I want to put on a good show for them," Walker said. "But everything else was pitiful (in the front office). They couldn't stand up like a man and talk to you. That's the only thing I was disappointed with."

Walker said he learned something else while he was with the Eagles.

"I learned just how big the rivalry is in Philadelphia," Walker said. "I didn't know how much Philadelphia hated Dallas until I was in Philly."

Worm

"We need Dennis' fire. We need the desire, intensity, full-out play," Jackson said. "The big thing is that Dennis has got to want to have to play. He's going to have to feel that this is his business and it's what he wants to do more than anything else, for us to be successful."

Said Toni Kukoc: "I like Dennis. I think he puts fun into basketball and

Dumas-Hereford Notes

Whether its tailback Astolfo Venzor (5-10, 196, Sr.) or fullback Felipe Arredondo (5-9, 208, Sr.) running the ball, the real strength of the Demons is their offensive line. They average 216 pounds, but have three players that weigh in at 230-plus.

"Their big and physical... is a big reason for Venzor's success."

— Craig Yenzler

Hereford's senior tailback Jeremy Miller rushed for only 79 yards on 19 carries against Canyon Randall, ending his two-game streak of rushing for

100-plus yards. On the season, Miller is District 1-4A's fifth-leading rusher with 454 yards on 88 carries.

"He's a good tailback. He's got the ability to make some moves on you and make you look really foolish."

— Brent McCallie

The weather may be a factor in tonight's game. The forecast is for temperatures dropping into the middle 30s with a 50 percent chance for rain. It'll be windy, too. Winds will be from the north at 20 to 30 miles per hour and gustier at times.

— Bob Varnette

If Barba can't go, Ulysis Tabares, a 185-pound senior, will get the start.

Senior Jacob Gonzales will start for the injured Garcia. Yenzler said sophomore Seth Pietsek has had an excellent week of practice and may see some playing time at linebacker.

On offense, Hereford will be without freshman quarterback Cody Hodges (broken collarbone), going instead with junior Pedro Hernandez. Yenzler said Hernandez is starting to

become more at ease with leading the offense.

"Pedro really has improved. We've given him lots of opportunities, and he's getting more comfortable with what we're trying to do," Yenzler said.

He added the loss of Hodges has not significantly altered Hereford's game plan. They still plan to use the option and that's something they've worked extensively on in practice this

week. Estes said the reinstated players won't be allowed to play until they've finished their makeup work. He isn't saying when that will be, or even if it will be this season.

Palestine (1-6, 0-4 in District 17-4A) has three games remaining: this Friday night in Athens, next Friday at home against Lindale and Nov. 7 at Brownsboro.

"We're going to bring them back when the time is right," Estes said. "Right now, they are divided. We will combine the groups when our staff and the people responsible for these kids feel like that's possible.... We don't have a time frame set. I think everybody here is trying to go forward."

If any good can be gleaned from the mess, it's the way the 25 players trapped in the middle have responded to forced lessons about life and loyalty, Lucia said.

"These young men have been very courageous throughout," he said. "I admire them for that."

The players -- whose solidarity has earned them the nickname the "Wildcat 25" -- considered walking out before last Friday night's game against state-ranked Jacksonville.

Fearing that such a move could get

the school in trouble with the UIL, the players instead remained in the locker room until the last possible second before slowly walking to the field.

"They wanted to make a statement that they didn't feel like what was done was right," Estes said. "That was their way of saying they supported coach Langley and the decisions by the coaching staff."

The school board called a special meeting this past Monday to talk

about things one more time. They heard an awful.

Speaking on behalf of the team, star player Rogerick Gill said: "It's always been told to me that to be a part of a team, especially a football team, was a privilege, and you have to work for that privilege. They haven't worked. They quit on us."

Ann Harris, the mother of player Hunteigh Harris, one of the guys who remained throughout, said: "You've never been able to justify your decision to me. This was not about getting rid of our former coach. This was about... consequences for not following the rules."

Deborah Birdow, the mother of Byron Birdow, one of the reinstated players, said: "I gave up a good job because I thought this was the best place to raise my child. I gave up a good life for a better life. I have never in my life seen so much hatred. There's no word for it."

Heisman Trophy at Georgia, since he played for the New Jersey Generals, the Cowboys, the (New York) Giants, and Philadelphia. I've always admired him for his work ethic. He's not a kid but he still gets the job done."

Dallas special teams coach Joe Avezzano said Walker might get the Super Bowl ring he covets if he keeps playing like he has this year at the tender NFL age of 35.

"Herschel has a degree of speed that still allows him to outrun a lot of people," Avezzano said.

Walker said he just has one request of his team: "I'll do anything to get that ring. That's why I'm playing for practically nothing. I don't need the money. But I do need that ring. My career won't be complete without it."

Eagles coach Ray Rhodes considers Walker, who is playing for the NFL minimum of \$175,000, one of the Cowboys' most dangerous weapons, particularly because Dallas is using him more as a replacement for Johnston.

"I've always had a lot of respect for Herschel," Rhodes said. "He brings another dimension to the game. He not only can run but he can catch. It gives them (the Cowboys) more of an option. He can split out and play receiver, too. He runs good patterns and he's a load after he catches the ball."

Philadelphia quarterback Rodney Peete said Walker amazes him.

"This guy is a specimen," Peete said. "He always stays in shape. I've watched him since he won the

he can help this team."

Last weekend, Rodman said he was unhappy with terms of the contract, which reportedly has a base salary of \$4.5 million with incentives that could push it past last year's \$9 million deal. But Rodman and his agent, Dwight Manley, now say that the deal is fine.

That's a good thing, because

everyone remembers how petulantly Rodman behaved when he was unsatisfied with his contract while he was with San Antonio before the 1995 trade that brought him to Chicago.

With Scottie Pippen out until at least January after undergoing foot surgery, it will be up to Rodman to help Jordan keep the team winning.

week. "We feel the option will be very important against Dumas," Yenzler said. "They run lots of stunts, use a lot of different fronts. We're hoping we can catch them at that."

Also missing from the Whitefaces' starting offense will be tight end Clay Brown (concussion). Senior Eddie Evans will start in his place.

Dumas runs a base 4-3 defense and no matter who the quarterback is, the Demons are ready, said McCallie. He said the Whitefaces are a dangerous team regardless of whether Hodges or Hernandez are taking snaps.

"They're a team that's getting better and better every week," McCallie said. "They're very scrappy -- They're a never-give-up kind of team. Coach Yenzler and his staff have done a great job, and they're a team that can beat anyone on any given night."

"We've got to prevent the big plays," McCallie added. "They can make big plays, on both sides of the ball. They've shown that."

While the Demons are state-ranked and undefeated, and the Whitefaces are sixth in the district, no one in Dumas is looking past Hereford.

"We're a very confident team, not an overconfident football team," McCallie said. "We're never overlooking anybody."

Jinxed

when grabbing for assistance. He had injured the shoulder earlier and had missed the game with Breckenridge. He is averaging 140 yards total offense a game.

The team stopped at a pizza parlor in Abilene for a meal. Tailback Jason Hudman, who had carried the football 61 times in the last two games, decided to leave the bus by the back door. When he jumped, he tore up a knee. He was rushed for over 800 yards this season.

"I didn't know about Jason's injury until Saturday morning," Dorsett said. "I saw him walk into the place kinda funny, but he always walks kinda funny."

Howe may play against Eastland Friday, but Hudman is questionable at best.

"What's disheartening is these guys made good yardage against the district's Big Three (Breckenridge, Wylie and Ballinger) and didn't get hurt," Dorsett said.

What hurts about the latest injuries is Howe backs up Hudman at tailback, so the Badgers could have problems there if Howe can't go. That means defensive end J.K. Jones will also play fullback. The 198-pound junior gained 50 yards on 10 carries against Ballinger.

Dorsett lost his starting nose guard, Heath Henderson, who came down with the well-publicized life-threatening hantavirus after the Jim Ned game. He is no longer playing football. Henderson had knee surgery in the summer and had just been released by doctors to play the week before he became ill.

But despite the health problems, the Badgers have played well. If they can win their final three games, they could post the school's first winning season in some time.

"The boys are learning to play and they do so with a lot of heart and desire," Dorsett said. "This is the best group that I've had in 29 years that played hard week to week."

Next week, Merkel plays its final road game -- at Brady. The players will enter bus the usual way because if school officials let him, Dorsett hopes to weld the back door of the bus shut.

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Quick answer seen on line-item status

By LAURIE ASSEO
The Associated Press

WASHINGTON - When President Clinton announced his first line-item vetoes, he declared: "Washington rules have changed for good." But the Supreme Court is going to decide if the new power is short-lived.

The court will have the final say whether the Constitution allows the kind of line-item veto Congress gave the president. Three lawsuits already filed over vetoed taxes or spending will be on a fast track, so the answer is likely by next summer.

Some legal experts say the new veto is an unlawful transfer of power from Congress to the president, upsetting the system of checks and balances the Constitution established.

Others say the authority is not much different from other spending decisions Congress occasionally has delegated to the president since the days of George Washington.

It is a difficult case, partly because a strong argument can be made for controlling spending, said University of Southern California law professor Erwin Chemerinsky. But he believes the law is unconstitutional. "It gives the president a control over the legislative process that he never had before."

University of Utah law professor Michael McConnell disagrees. "It's constitutional for Congress to allow the president to make decisions, including exceptions from statutes," he said.

The 1996 Line-Item Veto Act might be considered a misnomer. The authority granted is not a traditional line-item veto, in which the president would strike out disfavored parts of a bill before signing it.

That is because the Constitution gives the president only two options for acting on bills passed by Congress: "If he approve he shall sign it, but if not he shall return it, with his objections."

The Constitution says nothing about signing only part of a bill and vetoing the rest. So Congress decided to try another method.

The law allows the president to sign a spending bill and, within five days, go back to reject specific items or tax breaks in it. Congress then

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could pass a separate bill to reinstate the item. If the president vetoes that measure, Congress must come up with a two-thirds majority to override the second veto.

The law was thrown out by a federal judge last spring as a violation of the separation of powers. But the Supreme Court reinstated it in June, saying the members of Congress who sued lacked legal standing.

However, the justices made clear the law could be challenged by anyone affected by a line-item veto. Such lawsuits have been filed now by New York City, a federal employees' union and an Idaho potato growers' group.

Those lawsuits say that once the president has signed a bill into law, there is only one way to change it - through a new bill, passed by both houses of Congress and signed by the president.

But the Clinton administration says the president's decision to cancel a spending or tax item does not repeal that part of the law. Instead, the government argued in last spring's case, the line-item veto is a valid way for Congress to leave some spending decisions for the president.

"In terms of constitutional tradition, I don't see this as very different from laws that say you may, but need not, spend \$100," said Yale law professor Akhil Amar.

The line-item veto law expires in 2005. Before then, Congress can take back the veto authority any time it wants by spelling out in future spending bills that they are not subject to a partial veto.

Northwestern University law professor Dan Polsby said he views the line-item veto question as a "very close case." One reason, he said, is it is hard to say how much power is truly being shifted to the president until use of the veto can be observed for a few years.

"You just can't tell how the rules of the game are changed," Polsby said.

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News

ALGERIAN OPPOSITION LEADERS CHARGE FRAUD IN ELECTIONS

ALGIERS, Algeria (AP) - Opposition leaders claimed fraud today in bloodied Algeria's first local elections since 1990, saying forces of the military-backed regime had attacked Islamic activists at the polls and barred them from watching the vote count.

Results were expected later today from Thursday's elections - the last of four votes as Algeria's government tries to rebuild the nation's political structure, giving President Liamine Zeroual more power to snuff out the nation's 5-year-old Islamic insurgency. The conflict has killed an estimated 75,000 people, mostly civilians.

The bloodshed was a key theme of the municipal and regional candidates - 10 of whom were killed in pre-election violence - and the dominant reason cited by voters for going to the polls.

"I'm voting above all for safety, so that my children don't die with their throats slit," said a 36-year-old teacher in the western suburb of Kouba, once a rallying point for the now-banned anti-regime Islamic Salvation Front.

GINGRICH OFFERS PROPOSAL TO USE EXPECTED SURPLUSES

WASHINGTON (AP) - With Republicans divided over whether to use projected budget surpluses to cut taxes, boost spending or shrink the national debt, House Speaker Newt Gingrich is proposing a solution: How about all three?

The Georgia Republican told the House Budget Committee Thursday that he wants recession-proof surpluses and tax cuts every year, plus extra money for transportation, science and defense. He did not say how large the surpluses should be, or the size of the tax cuts or extra spending he envisioned.

"We should sustain ... the commitment to get to a balanced budget and to stay balanced every year," Gingrich said. He added later, "It ought to be a surplus large enough that a reasonable recession won't stop it."

Gingrich's embrace of three different uses for surpluses is not surprising, considering that his own party is divided over the question. Highlighting the congressional scramble already under way for the money, eight other lawmakers also told the Budget Committee how they wanted to use it, with ideas including more highways, tax cuts and paying off the \$5.4 trillion national debt.

RESEARCHERS IDENTIFY MOLECULE THAT BLOCKS HIV INFECTION

WASHINGTON (AP) - In a basic discovery that eventually could lead to powerful new types of AIDS drugs or even a vaccine, researchers have identified in the laboratory a natural molecule that prevents the HIV virus from infecting cells.

The molecule was discovered by a team led by famed AIDS researcher Robert Gallo. A report today in the journal Science said the molecule works against HIV by physically blocking the portal used by the virus to invade lymphocytes and other types of blood cells.

Three similar molecules, all called chemokines, were found earlier by Gallo's team at the Institute of Human Virology at the University of Maryland, Baltimore. But Gallo said the new molecule is much more effective because it protects all the cell types attacked by HIV.

Periodic injections of these chemokines could create a barrier between HIV and its target cells, and prevent the virus from spreading its deadly infection, Gallo said.

BOMBING VICTIMS' RELATIVES CHARGE HARASSMENT

NEW YORK (AP) - Relatives of Americans killed in the bombing of Pan Am Flight 103 want the Libyan government to stop sending them letters claiming the country was not responsible for the deaths.

The families have been deeply disturbed by a half dozen mailings from Libya, said Lee Kreindler, an attorney for the families who has sued Libya under a provision of the new U.S. terrorism law for the deaths of the plane's 259 passengers and crew.

"We are charging harassment," Kreindler said. The mailings, according to the families, include letters, documents and articles aimed at convincing them that Libya was not involved in the downing of the plane and to persuade them to support an international trial for the two alleged Libyan saboteurs of the plane.

5 DEAD IN FIRE AT PHILADELPHIA ROWHOUSE

PHILADELPHIA (AP) - A fire that may have been intentionally set swept through a rowhouse in north Philadelphia early today, killing three women and two children, police said.

The blaze, which was brought under control in 20 minutes, started either by a firebomb or a flammable liquid poured through the front window, radio station KYW-AM reported, citing fire officials.

"This is suspected to be a homicide, we're treating it that way," fire spokesman Armand Gersbach told the station.

Homicide detective Aban Brooks refused to confirm that the fire at the three-story house was the result of a firebomb, saying "that's a possibility." In addition to the five who were killed, three residents of the house were being treated at area hospitals.

REGIONAL PIZZA CHAIN SUES PIZZA HUT

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) - A regional pizza chain that claims its pies have toppings from "Edge to Edge" doesn't want Pizza Hut's new product to get "The Edge" - in name, anyway.

Donato's Pizza, which has 117 stores in Ohio and four other states, filed suit in U.S. District Court. Donato's wants Pizza Hut to be prohibited from using the name "The Edge" for its new pie.

Pizza Hut describes the product as being covered with cheese, tomato sauce and toppings, with no crust showing at the edges.

In its suit, Donato's says the name of its competitor's new pizza is too similar to the phrase "Edge to Edge," which the Columbus-based company has used since 1988 to describe its pizzas.

SUNBEAM RESTRUCTURING SAID TO BE COMPLETE

MIAMI (AP) - Declaring the year-long restructuring of Sunbeam Corp. complete, chairman Al Dunlap opened the door to dealmakers, saying he is interested in selling, merging or buying big early next year.

The home-appliance maker hired Morgan Stanley as its investment banker, and Dunlap said he will consider "any and all types of transactions."

Dunlap, who earned the nickname "Chainsaw Al" by making deep cuts at other companies, put Sunbeam in play Thursday - a day after issuing a quarterly report reflecting strong sales boosted by new products and distribution lines.

CLINTONS HOLD CHILD-CARE CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Clinton and first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton called attention to a "silent crisis" in child care as hosts for a White House conference seeking ways to boost quality without raising costs.

The president proposed a modest package of help Thursday, including a scholarship fund to attract workers to the field. He said he would present a more comprehensive proposal next year.

Female recruits told sit up, take notice

WASHINGTON (AP) - Sit up and take notice: The Army says female soldiers will have to squeeze out just as many situps as men to meet its new fitness standards.

It's the first time the Army has set an equal marker for the sexes in physical fitness, and it reflects women's growing numbers and influence in the Army.

In the other two measures of fitness, pushups and running, men still will be required to do more, and for some age categories, the gender gap will grow.

It will take 53 situps in two minutes, by the way, to make the cut if you're a recruit - male or female. A 40-year-old soldier can get by with 38 situps, and 27 are required at age 60.

These and other adjustments are meant not just to make it tougher for women. They also raise the standards for men in some age categories. The idea is to modernize a system of fitness standards the Army believes had become outdated.

The new standards are to take effect next October. They differ for each of 10 age categories; in some, standards are being lowered, but most changes result in tougher requirements, officers said.

"These are tough, realistic standards," Maj. Gen. William J. Bolt, commander of the Army Training Center and former commander of Fort Jackson, S.C., told a Pentagon news conference Thursday.

The changes are the result of five years of Army study and reflect generally higher levels of fitness by American women in the 13 years since the Army set its existing standards, said Col. Stephen Cellucci, commandant of the Army Physical Fitness School at Fort Benning, Ga. The old system set arbitrary standards for women extrapolated from the men's standards, Cellucci said.

The new standards take into account contemporary knowledge about physiology, training and injury prevention, the officials said. They also address a longstanding source of irritation for male soldiers, many of whom resent the lower standards for women.

In a report last month reflecting results of a survey of male and female

soldiers, an Army panel reported widespread complaints by women of sexual discrimination but also found that males felt aggrieved by some types of sex bias. Among those was what many male soldiers saw as too-easy physical standards for women.

The fitness test sets a baseline for physical qualifications in the Army. More specific minimum levels of strength and endurance are set for certain jobs in the service. These are in addition to Army height and weight standards, which are not changing.

Under current standards, a 25-year-old man is required to do 40 pushups and 47 situps in two minutes and run two miles in 16 minutes, 36 seconds. A woman the same age has to do 16 pushups and 45 situps and run two miles in 19 minutes, 36 seconds.

The new system will require a 25-year-old male to do the same 40 pushups as now and three more situps. He will have to run two miles in the same 16 minutes, 36 seconds. A female soldier of the same age will have to do one more pushup, five more situps, and run two miles in the same 19 minutes, 36 seconds.

Soldiers can finish basic training with fitness results slightly below the Army minimum but must meet the minimum by the time they finish their next training assignment.

Bolt said under the current standards, only 6 percent of soldiers score 290 points or more out of the maximum 300 points possible in the fitness test, which is administered every six months during a soldiers' career.

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Thursday - Mr. Spud Stuffed Potato \$1.99
Friday - "FREE FRY FRIDAY" Free small fry w/purchase of any regular priced sandwich
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EVIL HAMAN
HIS PLOT AT LAST REVEALED TO THE KING, HAMAN IS IN A FRENZY OF FURY AS THE KING GOES INTO THE GARDEN TO CLEAR HIS ENRAGED MIND, HAMAN STUMBLES CLUMSILY TO THE QUEEN TO PLEA FOR HIS LIFE...

SAVE MY LIFE...
OHHH!

THOU HAST BETRAYED MY TRUST IN THEE -- NOW WOULDST THOU ALSO INSULT THE QUEEN IN MY OWN HOUSE?!!

HEARING THE CRY OF THE QUEEN AND THE COMMOTION OF HANAN'S FALL, ANASUERUS RUSHES BACK FROM THE GARDEN WITH AN ARMED GUARD...

KILL HIM!

PETRIFIED WITH FEAR, HAMAN KNOWS NOW THAT HIS LAST DAY ON THIS EARTH HAS ARRIVED....

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For Sale: Tomatoes-\$4.00 bucket (you pick). Chili Peppers-hot, medium, mild-\$6.00 bucket (we can roast). To place an order, call 276-5240. 35403

For Sale: Queen size Sealy Posturpedic Mattress & Box Spring with Bed Frame. Very good condition. Please call 364-5529. 35440

For Sale: COUNTRY BLUE COUCH - \$150.00. Call 364-0909. 35457

1A. GARAGE SALES

Yard Sale: 401 Mable, Friday & Saturday, 9 to 5. Lots of clothes, (Baby & Adult), dishes, portable C.D. player, baby walker.

Garage Sale: 544 Willow Lane, Saturday, 8 to 4. Childrens clothes & miscellaneous. 35453

Garage Sale: 800 East 3rd, Saturday, 8 am to 2 pm. Antiques, refrigerator, table & chairs, Chevy pickup topper, household items and lots of clothes.

Garage Sale: (Inside) 409 Brevard, Saturday, 8 to 5. Computer, clothing, furniture & miscellaneous. 35458

Garage Sale: 904 S. Main, Friday & Saturday, 8 til 7. Plants, carpet, water bed & miscellaneous. 35462

2. FARM EQUIPMENT

Custom Wheat Seed cleaning, bulk or bagged. Call John or Gayland at 258-7394. 34495

For Sale: 6 Round Bale Cattle Feeders on Wheels. Call 364-2937. 35271

Wanted Case Wheatland, 1030 Tractor Running or Not, Complete or not. (806) 357-2449 or (806) 344-8144. 35391

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'97 Chevrolet S10 pickup with cowboy conversion for sale. No down, refinance existing loan. Call 364-2030. 35434

For Sale: 16 ft. Travel Trailer, 363-6667, leave message. 35435

For Sale: 1994 Olds Achieva S. 2 Dr. (Red) 36,000 miles - great school car. One Owner, \$9,000.00. Call 364-8748 after 5:00. 35454

For Sale: '87 Suburban, 2 WD, 350 Engine, Good condition, Oakridge Conversion, \$3800. Call 538-6231. 35459

For Sale: '84 Mercury Cougar, runs good, needs paint. \$600.00. Call 538-6231. 35460

For Sale: '74 Suburban, White, Needs motor, \$500.00. Call 538-6231. 35461

See Us Before You Buy
Marcum Motors Co.
 Clean Used Cars & Trucks
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4. REAL ESTATE

For Sale: Only \$4995.00, 14x48 Mobile Home. 2 BR-A/C, Central Heat. Ideal to move to lake or great for couple. Call 364-6420. 35267

FLEETWOOD HOME CENTER
 Portales Homes
 Announces the opening of its Clovis Outlet, REALITY HOMES on 3500 Mabry drive, Specializing in Repo's, used and factory outlet New Homes. PORTALES HOME 806-867-5639 D. 366. Realty homes 505-762-3488 D. 772. Se habla español.

5. HOMES FOR RENT

Best deal in town, 1 bedroom efficiency apartments. Bills paid, red brick apartments. 300 block West 2nd. 364-3566. 920

Nice, large, unfurnished apartments. Refrigerated air, two bedrooms. You pay only electric-we pay the rest. \$335.00 month. 364-8421. 1320

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by THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS
 1 Routes
 6 Gave a PG to
 11 Kind of committee
 12 Orange-yellow
 13 Like chiffon
 14 He-man's counterpart
 15 Bill's bud
 16 Took, as advice
 18 Pallidrome middle
 19 Golf goal
 20 1040 publisher
 21 Valley
 23 Contented sounds
 25 Smidgen
 27 Convened
 28 Jazz instruments
 30 Salon jobs
 33 Man in stripes
 34 Actor Morrow
 36 Brown-gray
 37 Madonna song
 39 Spanish gold
 40 Biggest asteroid
 41 Barber's need

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 1 Clobbered
 2 Stick
 3 Lee
 4 Garden need
 5 Throw out
 6 Dais
 7 Aspirin target
 8 Lee
 9 Marvin film
 10 College bigwigs
 17 Upper limit
 22 Lenient
 24 Stop signal
 26 Dreams up
 28 Peaceful
 29 Attack

Yesterday's Answer
 10 College bigwigs
 17 Upper limit
 22 Lenient
 24 Stop signal
 26 Dreams up
 28 Peaceful
 29 Attack
 31 Atlas section
 32 Horse sounds
 33 Happen again
 35 Jewel unit
 38 Relate
 42 Fuss

STUMPED? For answers to today's crossword, call 1-800-454-7377 199c per minute, touch-tone / rotary phones. (18+ only.) A King Features service, NYC.

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11. BUSINESS SERVICES

Defensive Driving Course is now being offered nights and Saturdays. Will include ticket dismissal and insurance discount. For more information, call 289-5851. #C0023-CO733, McKibben ADS. 700

We buy scrap iron, metal, aluminum cans, all batteries, tin, copper & brass. 364-3350. 970

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 Food service manager for store #211 in Hereford, TX. Looking for experience in food service. Salary determined by experience/qualifications. Excellent benefits: health insurance, paid sick leave, first year 2 week paid vacation, retirement plan, stock purchase plan, credit union, college tuition reimbursement program.
 PLEASE SEND APPLICATION/RESUME TO:
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 2901 North 1st Street, Hereford, TX 79045
 ATTN: Pete Morado
 Drug Testing Required. EOE

TEXAS REFINERY CORP. needs mature person now in HEREFORD area. Regardless of training, write D. E. Hopkins, Dept. S-79045, Box 711, Ft. Worth, TX 76101-0711. 35456

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FREE Demonstrations!
 By Jan Metcalf
 Saturday, Oct. 25th
 10 am to 2 pm
 Come & make a Christmas card!!
Val's 411 N. Main Street

TIRED OF THE HASSLE?
 Payroll and Accounts Receivable Service, State & Federal Reports, Computerized & Reasonable
 364-6177 or 344-2825
 Leave message.

13. LOST & FOUND

Lost Miniature Schnauzer, salt & pepper in color. Lost in vicinity of 200 Block of Beach. Call 364-7673. 35398

Lost International Harvester Wagon Seat, near the Black area on Saturday, September 20th. REWARD-call (806) 353-8300, leave message or (806) 353-8299. 35436

LOST near Aikman, small female Pekingese dog, blond, wearing orange collar. If found, please call Sherri, 363-7044-nights or 364-4254. 35448

ST. JUDE
 Novena
 May The Sacred Heart of Jesus be Adored, Glorified, Loved and Preserved throughout the world, Now and Forever, Sacred Heart of Jesus Pray for us. St. Jude worker of miracles, pray for us. St. Jude Help the Hopeless, Pray for us. Say this prayer 9 times a day. By the 8th day your prayer will be answered. Say it for 9 days. It has never been known to fail. Publication must be promised.
 Thank You St. Jude

More than 900,000 copies of The Hereford Brand were distributed in 1995. If your advertising message was not included in many of these issues, you need to call Mauri Montgomery or Julius Bodner, 364-2036, and let them put together an advertising schedule to fit your budget.

Writing Want Ads that really sell!
 Unsure how to write a Classified Ad that will get results? Follow these pointers and you'll soon have an empty space in your storage room and cash in your pocket.
 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 chairs." Then, remember these hints:
 --Give the price. A newspaper consultant says 70 percent of classified readers won't respond to an ad with no price.
 --Use key words to describe what you're selling. The key words for a car are make, model, year, body style, color, mileage and price. If it's a house, key words are location, type of construction, number of bedrooms and baths, and condition.
 --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 best times to reach you.

Classifieds

Food safety drive starts

WASHINGTON (AP) - The government and the food industry today announced a campaign aimed at educating consumers about how to protect against food-borne illness. The new ads feature a squishy green germ cartoon character who "puts a face" on bacteria.

The most sophisticated testing and screening of food cannot guarantee it is free of harmful microbes. That fact was demonstrated by the recall last summer of 25 million pounds of ground beef tainted with E. coli bacteria and other events involving meat, berries and vegetables.

"Even as industry and government step up their food safety activities, consumers need to understand that they are the last line of defense in assuring the safety of the foods they eat," Health and Human Services Secretary Donna Shalala said.

Food-borne pathogens such as E. coli, campylobacter, listeria and salmonella cause up to 9,000 deaths and 33 million illnesses a year, according to the Agriculture Department.

The campaign, paid for mainly by about \$550,000 from the food industry, is called "Fight BAC" - a reference to a green, globlike character called "BAC" that will appear in TV ads trying unsuccessfully to spread contamination through a kitchen.

"The BAC character puts a face on food-borne bacteria, which we believe will help Americans

remember that they have the power to control bacteria in their home kitchens," Shalala said.

The four steps to be stressed are:

- Wash hands and surfaces often.
- Prevent cross-contamination between various foods.
- Cook foods to the proper temperatures.
- Refrigerate food promptly.

Coupled with the TV ads are posters, point-of-purchase brochures and even refrigerator magnets stressing the anti-bacteria principles. An Internet Web site is offering the latest news and tips on food-borne illness and food safety.

"It's a sophisticated, modern marketing approach to getting this message out to the public," said Carol Tucker Foreman, a consumer advocate and former top USDA official.

The food industry, buffeted in recent months by repeated stories of problems caused by bacteria, sees consumer education as more important in preventing illnesses than increased government enforcement powers to recall products and punish companies.

"You do need to remember to take some basic precautions," said Sara Lilygren, senior vice president for legislative and public affairs at the American Meat Institute.

The Web address will be <http://www.fightbac.org>.

Gulf War records found

WASHINGTON (AP) - An eight-month Pentagon investigation has uncovered copies of a portion of still-missing Army records that chronicle efforts to detect the use of Iraqi chemical and biological agents during and after the Gulf War.

The records figure prominently in efforts to determine whether American and allied troops were exposed to potentially harmful levels of chemical or biological agents. Some speculate that such exposure could be a cause of the mysterious respiratory, neurological and other ailments reported by many Gulf War veterans.

The records themselves could not be found, but investigators discovered what they believe are copies of about 15 pages of entries from the originals.

The copies were found in a search of the personal belongings of an active-duty Army officer who is now under criminal investigation for wrongfully holding classified documents, the Defense Department inspector general said. The officer's identity was not disclosed.

In a report released Thursday, the IG said it could find no evidence of a conspiracy to destroy or conceal the still-missing documents, which are desk logs maintained by a crisis watch team posted to Saudi Arabia after Iraq invaded Kuwait.

The IG report concludes that the missing logs probably were destroyed in October 1994 or later after the relocation of the U.S. Central Command office that held the logs. Also still missing is a computer disk containing a copy of the logs.

The Pentagon has maintained since the Gulf War that it has no evidence American troops were exposed to harmful levels of chemical agents.

People who believe U.S. and allied troops were exposed to potentially dangerous levels of Iraqi chemical or biological agents during the 1991 war have speculated that the Pentagon purposely destroyed the missing documents.

The IG investigators used lie-detector examinations to evaluate the testimony of some witnesses interviewed. None of the tests indicated deception.

The investigators found a 20-page document, titled "Log Extracts - Biological Defense," during a search of the unidentified Army officer's belongings.

The 20-page document contains 223 entries, mostly notes chronicling the work of chemical and biological agent detection teams in Kuwait and Saudi Arabia during the war and in Iraq and Kuwait after the war ended in February 1991.

Congress limits fight to griping

WASHINGTON (AP) - Runway improvements in Florida and military dining halls in Montana will have to wait.

As individual lawmakers complain loudly about President Clinton's moves to cancel dozens of local spending projects, congressional leaders are showing little interest in reviving the early casualties of his line-item veto power.

The projects that Clinton has canceled are hard to defend to a national audience as crucial, congressional leaders believe.

"I don't sense any burning desire to overturn the vetoes in the House," said Rep. Bob Livingston, R-La., chairman of the House Appropriations Committee.

Besides, the president let stand million-dollar military construction projects in home districts of most congressional leaders, among them House Speaker Newt Gingrich, Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott and Livingston.

Clinton also has changed his mind about his veto of a \$5.2 million aircraft support complex in South Dakota, home state of his most fervent Senate supporter, Minority Leader Tom Daschle. Budget Director Franklin Raines called that veto an "error" and pledged to restore the money.

This is the first year a president has had line-item veto authority to cancel specific spending projects designed to bring home cash, jobs - and votes.

The change puts the congressional art of financing hometown projects under new scrutiny. Previously, presidents were limited to signing or vetoing whole spending bills. Now, thanks largely to Republicans who made the line-item veto one of the central issues of their campaigns, Clinton has the power to cross out projects he deems excessive or unnecessary.

Since he acquired the new power, Clinton has vetoed items in four spending bills. He particularly riled lawmakers by canceling projects worth \$237 million in a military construction measure.

Senate Appropriations Committee Chairman Ted Stevens, R-Alaska, and Rep. Joe Skeen, R-N.M., have introduced bills to restore that money, but the legislation is regarded largely as just for show. Even if versions of those bills passed Congress, they likely would be vetoed by Clinton. Congress, then, would need a two-thirds majority to override him, a threshold few senior lawmakers would expect them to reach.

GOP leaders see other initiatives as higher priorities before Congress recesses early next month.

Rank-and-file members of both parties whose projects were vetoed insist the battle is worth fighting. They maintain the president used his new power arbitrarily and unfairly.

They hope bills to restore the projects and a series of threats lobbed toward the president will prompt voters to at least give them credit for trying to restore money that would have brought home federal cash and jobs.

Sen. Robert Byrd, D-W.Va., the Senate's foremost constitutional expert, sees the whole exercise as a disruption of balance between branches of government. After Clinton nixed a \$6.8 million military training center for West Virginia this month, Byrd decried the line-item veto a "horror."

Criticism of Clinton for some vetoes that even the administration has admitted were based on outdated information already has prompted the president to wield his new power more carefully and may discourage him from canceling projects in future spending bills, lawmakers say.

The legislation to overturn Clinton's vetoes is the latest maneuver as Congress and the president test the limits of his new veto power.

DEBATE

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to three dozen of the 206 House Democrats were expected not to sign and that could doom the effort, said Rep. Christopher Shays of Connecticut, Republican sponsor of the leading bipartisan bill.

In the Senate, Republicans and Democrats were still reaching for agreement on when there could be action on campaign finance legislation.

Hoping to pressure Republicans, Democrats continued today to block all Senate action except for spending bills to fund government operations in fiscal 1998, which began Oct. 1.

The GOP's third attempt in two days to break a Democratic filibuster of a \$145 billion, six-year highway bill fell 17 votes short of the 60 votes needed to end the blocking tactic.

The feuding parties in the Senate came close to an accord Thursday on a leadership plan for floor action on campaign finance in the first week of March. The leading bipartisan bill - sponsored by Republican Sen. John McCain of Arizona and Democratic Sen. Russell Feingold of Wisconsin - was pulled from the Senate floor earlier this month after attempts to break both Republican and Democratic filibusters failed.

Thursday's potential agreement collapsed in a fresh exchange of partisan bickering.

"We made a serious effort ... to find a way to move forward, and I believe that Senator (Tom) Daschle (the minority leader) and I had basically reached agreement," Majority Leader Trent Lott told colleagues in a speech during the dinner hour. "But then, other senators indicated that they wanted something more, so we could not complete the agreement and I think that's unfortunate."

The deal fell apart when Daschle, McCain and Feingold discovered there was no commitment to debate the McCain-Feingold bill.

So a day of behind-the-scenes jockeying and rhetoric on the floor yielded no progress.

Lott complained that besides the highway bill the Senate needs to consider granting fast-track trade negotiating authority to President Clinton and a number of other bills.

Lott's statement that he was amenable to campaign finance consideration by early March did not satisfy Democrats.

Daschle said Democrats were united on blocking action on most legislation until Lott agrees on "how we address campaign finance reform in a meaningful way in the future."

The McCain-Feingold bill would ban unregulated "soft money" contributions to political parties, bar parties from spending for candidates who do not limit personal spending to \$50,000 on their own election and more clearly delineate whether advocacy groups are supporting issues or candidates. It is supported by all 45 Democrats but only a few Republicans.

GOP opponents say limiting political donations would infringe on First Amendment rights to free speech and that the focus should be on alleged Democratic violations during the 1996 presidential election.

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Attorney at Law
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Primary and intermediate campuses will be using a combination of dress-up days, red ribbons and prizes to make the point that drugs are not acceptable.

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News Digest

RENOIR EXHIBITION OPENS IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO (AP) - At first impression, it looks as if the Renoir exhibition will be another success story for The Art Institute of Chicago. "Renoir's Portraits: Impressions of an Age," opened to large crowds this week - more than 10,000 people in its first two days. Art Institute spokeswoman Eileen Harakal said attendance during the show, which opened Tuesday and continues through Jan. 4, could run close to 600,000.

The 62 works by Pierre Auguste Renoir make up the third big Impressionist exhibition at The Art Institute in the past two years. In 1995, an exclusive retrospective of 159 works traced Claude Monet's career. The institute followed up with an exhibition last year of almost 100 works by Edgar Degas.

FIRST LADY SETS "OPRAH" APPEARANCE

WASHINGTON (AP) - An appearance on TV's "Oprah" will cap Hillary Rodham Clinton's 50th birthday celebrations next week. The first lady, celebrating her Saturday birthday with two days of festivities in Chicago, her hometown, is to be Oprah Winfrey's guest on Tuesday morning's broadcast from the Windy City. "She loves Oprah, and she's going to be in Chicago for her birthday anyway. What better way to continue to celebrate," said Marsha Berry, Mrs. Clinton's spokeswoman.

The news appeared to surprise White House press secretary Mike McCurry. Asked in his daily briefing about speculation that both President Clinton and the first lady would appear, McCurry blanched: "I hope not! Maybe she is. The president's not, and it's better (for her) to do a solo performance."

SOME ITEMS ACCIDENTALLY VETOED

WASHINGTON (AP) - The White House breathed new life into a series of military construction projects it says President Clinton vetoed by mistake. As the Senate Appropriations Committee met Thursday to discuss ways to restore money for 38 projects Clinton vetoed, the president's budget director, Franklin Raines, sent a letter to committee chairman Ted Stevens blaming the Defense Department for supplying bad information.

CALIFORNIA ELECTION PROBE TO CONTINUE

WASHINGTON (AP) - A House investigation of alleged voter fraud in the election of Democratic Rep. Loretta Sanchez of California will continue indefinitely after Democrats lost a bid to halt it next week.

As a result, Democrats plan to intensify use of disruptive procedural tactics to protest the nearly yearlong investigation they say has failed to uncover wrongdoing and should have ended long ago.

"If there is no justice, there will be no peace, and that's what you'll find next week," said Rep. Robert Menendez, D-N.J.

A resolution by Rep. Dick Gephardt, D-Mo., the minority leader, to force the House Oversight Committee to drop the case by Wednesday unless it found the evidence needed to overturn the election failed, 222-204, along party lines.

LAWMAKERS PONDER WOMAN FOR COIN

WASHINGTON (AP) - Lady Liberty, undeniably, is a woman. But is she real enough to provide a role model for America's girls?

Those are the kinds of questions confronting lawmakers who want the government to mint a replacement for the Susan B. Anthony dollar coin.

Senate Banking Committee Chairman Alfonse D'Amato, R-N.Y., wants the coin to depict the Statue of Liberty, located in New York harbor.

"It would represent a powerful and wonderful tribute to freedom and the women of America," he said Thursday.

But Sens. Barbara Boxer, D-Calif., and Carol Moseley-Braun, D-Ill., joined by an unlikely ally, conservative Sen. Lauch Faircloth, R-N.C., said the statue is not enough.

MEXICAN CONGRESS TO AUDIT EXECUTIVE

MEXICO CITY (AP) - For the first time in Mexican history, the Congress will audit spending by the executive branch, including highly secret Defense department appropriations.

The House of Deputies' commission on oversight voted unanimously Wednesday to take a close look at the 1996 budget expenditures and possible overruns, commission chairman Felipe Cantu said.

In favor of the probe were the five parties represented in the lower House, including the ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party, which lost its absolute majority to a four-party opposition bloc after July 6 elections.

Cantu said the audit will also include decentralized agencies such as the Federal Electricity Commission.

RESEARCHERS TO MODIFY AIDS DRUG STUDY

WASHINGTON (AP) - Researchers in an AIDS drug study in Ethiopia have decided not to give fake pills to a group of pregnant women with the AIDS virus.

The Johns Hopkins study and more than a dozen like it have come under heavy criticism because the researchers planned to give AZT to some pregnant women with HIV infection, while others with the disease only would get placebos, or fake pills.

The women set to receive the placebos have been dropped from the Ethiopian study, meaning all of the remaining women in the project will get the real drug, Johns Hopkins spokesman Marc Kusnitz confirmed Thursday.

He said the placebo part of a study planned for Ethiopia was abandoned after a similar study in Thailand by Harvard University was conducted with all participants getting the drug.

FILES INDICATE SMITH READY TO KILL HERSELF

COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) - Susan Smith was ready to kill herself when she confessed to murdering her sons by submerging her car in a lake with the boys inside three years ago, police records indicate.

The State Law Enforcement Division released the case file Thursday after Freedom of Information Act requests by The Associated Press, *The Charlotte Observer* and *The (Columbia) State*.

On Oct. 25, 1994, Ms. Smith drove her car to John D. Long Lake and let it roll down a boat ramp with 3-year-old Michael and 14-month-old Alex strapped inside. For nine days, she claimed a carjacker had taken the children, begging tearfully on television for their return.

Union County Sheriff Howard Wells, a family friend, tricked her into confessing by telling her the police knew there was no carjacking. The documents said that, in a private conversation just after her confession, the sheriff asked her how long she could have kept up her story.

"Susan looked me squarely in the eye and said, 'I couldn't stand the pressure any longer, seeing my family hurting and how I had let you down. I was going to write you a letter and kill myself,'" Wells said.

67 STUDENTS, PARENTS HURT IN BUS COLLISION

HOOVER, Ala. (AP) - A science field trip took a painful detour to the hospital when four buses collided in a chain-reaction crash, injuring dozens of children and parents but none critically.

Most of the 51 students and 16 adults who required medical attention Thursday suffered cuts, bruises and broken noses. A bus driver broke a knee and suffered a bad head cut.

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30587P	1997	Mercury	Tracer	10400	Absolute Price
30527P	1997	Mercury	Tracer	10400	Absolute Price
30540P	1996	Ford	Contour	11400	Absolute Price
30572P	1997	Ford	Mustang	16100	Absolute Price
30567P	1997	Ford	Mustang	16100	Absolute Price
30454P	1996	Ford	Escort	9300	Absolute Price
30599P	1995	Mark	VIII	24300	Absolute Price
30590P	1997	Ford	Taurus GL	15400	Absolute Price
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30520P	1996	Mercury	Cougar	14600	Absolute Price
30519P	1996	Mercury	Cougar	15900	Absolute Price
30586P	1995	Mercury	Cougar	12900	Absolute Price
21268	1992	Pontiac	Grand AM	9300	Absolute Price
21300	1994	Ford	Taurus	10400	Absolute Price
21212	1995	Ford	Escort	7600	Absolute Price
30578P	1995	Ford	Probe	10625	Absolute Price
21309	1993	Chrysler	Fifth Ave.	9850	Absolute Price
30524P	1996	Ford	Contour	11400	Absolute Price
30535P	1996	Ford	Crown Vict.	16950	Absolute Price
30593P	1997	Ford	Taurus SHO	24200	Absolute Price
30600P	1995	Mark	VIII	24300	Absolute Price

UTILITY

Example:

1997 Ford Explorer

Stk#35273P NADA 23,000 **\$17,838**

Stk#	Year	Make	Model	NADA Book Price	Our Price
35242P	1997	Mercury	Mountaineer	26,550	Absolute Price
21292	1996	Geo	Tracker 4x4	11,600	Absolute Price
21292	1994	Ford	Explorer 4x4	16,800	Absolute Price
35245P	1997	Ford	Explorer 4x4	25,800	Absolute Price

TRUCKS

Absolute Savings Example:

1996 Ford F150 XL

Stk#35275P NADA 14750 **\$13,280**

Stk#	Year	Make	Model	NADA Book Price	Our Price
21306	1997	Ford	XLT F150	20,175	Absolute Price
35265P	1997	Ford	XLT F150	19,650	Absolute Price
21283	1995	Ford	XL F150	16,100	Absolute Price
35252P	1995	Ford	XL F150	12,150	Absolute Price
21257	1995	Ford	XL F150	12,150	Absolute Price
21310	1997	Ford	XL F150	16,200	Absolute Price
35267P	1996	Ford	Ranger XLT	11,550	Absolute Price
35264P	1996	Ford	Ranger XL	15,400	Absolute Price

Stk#	Year	Make	Model	NADA Book Price	Our Price
35256P	1997	Ford	Ranger XLT	14600	Absolute Price
21170	1994	Ford	Ranger Splash	8650	Absolute Price
21247	1993	Dodge	Dakota 4x4	10,100	Absolute Price
21257	1995	Ford	F150	14,425	Absolute Price
35257P	1995	Ford	F150	12,650	Absolute Price
35270P	1995	Ford	Ranger	12,400	Absolute Price
35274P	1996	Ford	F150	14,300	Absolute Price

Absolute Savings Example!

1994 Villager

Stk#21163 NADA 13,150 **\$11,000**

Absolute Savings Example!

1994 Nissan Quest

Stk#21234 NADA 11,388 **\$12,000**

Stk#	Year	Make	Model	NADA Book Price	Our Price
35271P	1997	Club	Wagon	27,200	Absolute Price
21174	1996	Windstar		16,500	Absolute Price
35237P	1997	Windstar		19,600	Absolute Price
35255P	1996	Villager		17,150	Absolute Price
35272P	1996	Windstar		24,500	Absolute Price
35268P	1995	Windstar		14,800	Absolute Price
21315	1995	Winstar		14,800	Absolute Price
21277	1995	Windstar		14,800	Absolute Price
21316	1994	Aerostar		12,900	Absolute Price
21159	1992	Aerostar		7890	Absolute Price
20998	1992	Club	Wagon	12,990	Absolute Price

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