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## NEWS

### in brief

#### Classroom fair planned

All fourth-grade students in Deaf Smith County are expected to attend the Classroom Fair, which will be Monday and Tuesday at the Deaf Smith County Bull Barn.

Fair hours are 12:15-2:15 p.m. Jan. 12 and 9-11 a.m. and 12:15-2:15 p.m. Jan. 13.

The fair also will include farm implement displays and a petting zoo.

Demonstrations will be conducted by Agri-Food Masters, Texas Corn Growers, Southwestern Public Service, Texas Parks & Wildlife Department and Mobile Dairy Classroom.

Sponsors for the event are the Texas Farm Bureau, Hereford Independent School District, Deaf Smith County Extension Office and the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce.

#### CLINTON PROPOSING INCREASED INCENTIVES TO HELP WORKING PARENTS WITH CHILD CARE

WASHINGTON (AP) - In a \$20 billion effort to help working parents find good child care, President Clinton is proposing increased subsidies and incentives for businesses to pitch in.

Among the proposals being unveiled at the White House today was a permanent 25 percent tax credit for employers that establish and run child care facilities for workers, or reserve slots in existing centers, congressional and White House sources said Tuesday, speaking on condition of anonymity.

The president also was to propose what one source called "dramatic expansions" of both the income tax credit that parents can take for child care expenses and federal contributions to state child care subsidies for low-income parents and welfare recipients entering jobs.

Clinton, accompanied by Vice President Al Gore and first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton, was to detail the package in a splashy East Room ceremony this afternoon. He hoped to set a bipartisan tone, inviting several Republican governors and members of Congress to share in the announcement.

Two White House officials would not say how much Clinton would ask Congress to increase the "child care development block grant" program to the states that currently reaches 1 million children. Overall, the package of tax credits and subsidies would cost \$20 billion over five years, White House officials said.

Bruce Reed, the White House domestic policy chief, called it "a sweeping plan to help parents balance the demands of work and family by making child care more accessible, more affordable and safer."

#### LUNAR PROSPECTOR HURTTLES TOWARD MOON; MISSION TO SEARCH FOR WATER, MINERALS

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) - A little drumlike spacecraft called Prospector hurtled toward the moon today, its task to search for water, minerals and gases during NASA's first lunar mission in 25 years.

"It certainly feels good to be going back," program scientist Joseph Boyce said after Tuesday night's flawless launch. "I couldn't be more excited, more happy, more pleased."

The unmanned Prospector, due to arrive at the moon on Sunday, carries five science instruments that will search for lunar orbit for evidence of frozen water at the shadowy poles as well as for minerals and gases. Such resources, especially water, could be used by human settlers.

The 4-foot, 650-pound spacecraft also contains an ounce of the ashes of Eugene Shoemaker, a planetary scientist who trained the Apollo astronauts in lunar geology in the 1960s and early 1970s and always yearned to fly to the moon. He died in a car accident last summer.

"He's going to be the man in the moon to us," his widow, Carolyn Shoemaker, said with a smile after witnessing the launch with her children and grandchildren.

A half moon gleamed in the sky as the Athena rocket blasted off at 9:28 p.m., one day late. Monday's launch attempt was foiled by the failure of Air Force radar needed to track the rocket; the problem was fixed in time for Tuesday's effort.

#### RESEARCHERS SAY WORRY ABOUT BREAST CANCER CAN WEAKEN WOMEN'S NATURAL IMMUNITY

WASHINGTON (AP) - Natural immunity is weakened in breast cancer patients who worry the most about their disease, researchers say. They now hope to determine whether relieving the stress can fight the cancer.

Researchers at Ohio State University said they found that breast cancer surgery patients with the most anxiety about their medical condition had the lowest levels of white blood cells that normally attack cancer and combat infection.

"Whether or not that will affect cancer outcome is something we are still studying," said Barbara L. Andersen, an OSU psychology professor. But it is clear, she said, that stress is lowering immunity in these patients.

A report on the study is published today in the Journal of the National Cancer Institute.

Earlier studies linked stress to a weakened immune system, but whether the stress actually harms the body's ability to resist cancer is still in dispute.

Andersen said her study will be followed up with research to determine whether psychological counseling to lower stress can improve the medical outcome in breast cancer patients.

## BOMBING TRIAL

### Jury's deadlock spares Nichols

DENVER (AP) - Terry Nichols escaped a death sentence today when his jury deadlocked in the penalty phase of the Oklahoma City bombing trial and was dismissed by the judge.

Under federal law, a death sentence can only be imposed by a jury. U.S. District Judge Richard Matsch had promised he would issue a penalty of less than life in prison if jurors decided to put the decision in his hands.

The jury had three options: issue a death sentence, send Nichols to prison for life without parole, or send the case back to the judge. Matsch told the jurors they had done their job after deliberating over two days.

"I do not want you to feel that you have in any way failed to meet your responsibility," Matsch said. Nichols was convicted on Dec. 23 of conspiracy and eight counts of involuntary manslaughter for the April 19, 1995, bombing that killed 168 people. He was acquitted of first-degree murder and use of a truck bomb in the deadliest terrorist act ever on U.S. soil.

On Monday, jurors asked Matsch to clarify his instructions on the conspiracy charge. Some court

observers said jurors appeared confused when the judge referred them to their original findings in the guilt phase.

Nichols' former Army buddy, Timothy McVeigh, was convicted of 11 counts in June, including murder, conspiracy and use of a truck bomb.

Nichols' jurors looked weary and haggard by the end of their second day of deliberations Tuesday night. At least two wiped away tears as they listened to the judge before being sent home then.

"Everybody who has worked on this case knows the stress and strains that are with you," Matsch said. "We understand the difficult task that has been given you, and it is not expected there be some kind of quick response."

The jury posed two questions Tuesday, which Matsch discussed with attorneys for both sides, but refused to reveal publicly.

Jim Denny, whose children Brandon and Rebecca were injured in the bombing, sympathized with the jurors.

## CHITCHAT OR TRAINING?

### Workers learn by talking to each other on job

By MAGGIE JACKSON  
AP Business Writer

A quick conversation over cubicle walls, hollering above the din on the assembly line. It's the same everywhere: Workers generally like to talk to each other during the work day.

It was no different at a Siemens factory in North Carolina, where employees often spent many a minute chatting in the cafeteria. Managers often shook their heads and wondered how to stop such gatherings - until a group of researchers came up with a surprise.

As part of a study to be released Wednesday on how and when workers learn, the scientists said the cafeteria was actually a hotbed of workplace learning, said Barry Blystone, director of training at the Siemens Power Transmission and Distribution plant in Wendell, N.C.

"The assumption was made that this was chitchat, talking about the golf game," Blystone said. "But there was a whole lot of work activity." In short, workers learn by talking to each other. And now some managers are being trained about informal education.

"We tell them, 'Keep an open mind, allow it to go on, and don't get in the way,'" Blystone said.

The two-year, \$1.6 million study by the Newton, Mass.-based Center for Workforce Development provides one of the most comprehensive looks yet at learning on the job - the informal education that all workers receive

yet few companies deem important.

More companies are searching for ways to better educate and keep their best employees. For most companies, that typically means pouring money into formal training, at a cost of \$50 million annually for U.S. companies, the Department of Labor estimates.

It also means ignoring or even frowning upon the informal learning that occurs during shift changes, chance meetings in hallways or coffee breaks.

"Since we can control formal learning, we have a tendency to rely on it," said Larry Stewart, manager of human resources at Visteon Automotive Systems, a Lansdale, Pa.-based electronics maker that is part of Ford Motor Co. Visteon was one of seven companies that participated in the study.

During a typical week, more than 70 percent of the 1,000 workers who participated in the study said they share information with co-workers, while 55 percent said they ask co-workers for advice.

Along with teamwork, the study found that most informal learning occurs during meetings; interactions with customers, mentors and supervisors; on-the-job training; site visits; cross-training; shift changes; peer-to-peer communication; and just by doing one's job.

Other companies participating in the study included Motorola Inc. of Schaumburg, Ill. and Boeing Commercial Airplane Group of Seattle.

## WOMAN OF THE YEAR

### Enriquez garners '97 honor

By BECKY CAMP  
Lifestyles Editor

Elvira Enriquez, outgoing president of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce Women's Division, Elvira Enriquez, was recognized Tuesday night as "Woman of the Year" for 1997.

Also at the quarterly meeting and installation ceremony held at K-Bob's, Nancy Denton was installed as the Women's Division president for 1998.

Enriquez was presented a silver tray and roses by Rita Bell, the 1996 Woman of the Year. On hand to witness the presentation to Enriquez were her husband, Pedro; children, Jose Pedro, Jose Antonio and Jasmin Marie; her mother, Ofelia Soto; her sisters, Amalia Mata and Rita Nanez; and her brother-in-law, Porfirio Nanez.

With a "Things Will be Great in '98" theme, the installation of officers was conducted by Ruth Newsom.

Other officers installed were Kim Leonard, president-elect; Shannon Redwine, vice president; Kristi Hollingsworth, secretary/treasurer; and Elvira Enriquez, parliamentarian.

New director, Marilyn Bell, was also recognized.

Outgoing board member Linda Daniel was presented a gift by Enriquez in appreciation of her service. Other retiring members of the board, Julia Laing and Janie Alejandre, were unable to attend.

Special guests in attendance were Don Cumpton, chamber executive director, and Bear Denton, husband of the newly installed president.

Enriquez thanked the board and members of the Women's Division for their support during her year as president. She was presented a plaque by Denton in appreciation for her accomplishments.

Upon accepting the gavel, Denton said, "This is an exciting time to part of the Women's Division and we should look forward to being a part of the tail that wags the dog of Deaf Smith County."

As she announced the Woman of the Year Award, Bell gave a brief history of the honoree.

Enriquez, daughter of Ofelia Soto of Hereford and the late Oli Soto, was born in Mexico but became a United States citizen in 1986. She moved



Elvira Enriquez, with silver tray and roses, was named Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce Women's Division "Woman of the Year" for 1997 during the quarterly meeting Tuesday evening at K-Bob's. Witnessing the surprise presentation to Enriquez were, back row from left, her sister Amalia Mata; her mother, Ofelia Soto; her husband Pedro; her sister and brother-in-law Rita and Porfirio Nanez; and front row, her children Jose Pedro, Jose Antonio and Jasmin Marie. (See related photo, Page 3.)

from Mexico to Texas with her family in 1974 and began grade school in Muleshoe, moving to Hereford in 1979.

She is a 1986 graduate of Hereford High School, where she was involved in VOCT and the Pep Squad.

She began working as a secretary at the Chamber of Commerce office in June 1985 before her graduation. She worked for the Chamber until the early 1990s when she went to work for Allied Millwrights, where she is still employed.

She married Pedro Enriquez on Aug. 20, 1988, and the couple has three children.

Enriquez is a member of Pilot Club and a member of San Jose Catholic Church, where she helps with bingo, is chairman of the annual fund-raising dinner and helps with other events during the year.

Bell concluded, "Elvira's efforts on behalf of the Women's Division during the past year have earned her this award, which she greatly deserves."

## DWI message apparently gets through to city, county drivers

By DIANNA F. DANDRIDGE  
Staff Writer

The message "drinking and driving just don't mix" finally may be getting through - at least to local drivers.

For the 1997 Christmas and New Year's holiday season, Dec. 23-Jan. 4, the Hereford Police Department reported no driving while intoxicated arrests in the city.

The Deaf Smith County Sheriff's Department also reported no DWI arrests, but the Texas Department of Public Safety has not yet compiled countywide figures.

This is good news, considering the stricter laws regarding DWI offenders.

Penalties for first-time DWI, a Class B misdemeanor, include mandatory 72-hour confinement upon conviction, up to \$2,000 fine, as well as up to 180 days county confinement. On top of this, the first-time DWI offender may face a driver's license suspension of 90 days to one year.

A second DWI offense, Class A misdemeanor, carries penalties as high as \$4,000 fine, 30 days confinement and up to one year in jail.

Third-time drinking and driving offenses are considered third-degree felonies with punishment of two to 10 years in prison, \$10,000 fine, or both.

Second and subsequent DWI offenders risk the suspension of their drivers licenses for six months to two years.

Infractions of other drinking laws didn't fare nearly as well during the holiday period.

The Hereford Police Department reported five minors in possession and countywide six people were arrested for public intoxication.

Minors charged with possession of alcohol for the first time face fines up to \$500, mandatory alcohol awareness classes, eight to 12 hours of community service and drivers license suspension of 30 days.

Second MIP charge is also Class C misdemeanor. The offender faces the same fine, alcohol awareness classes (at the judges discretion), 20-40 hours community service and mandatory 60-day drivers license suspension.

Third-time offenders can expect no less than \$250 fine and possibly up to \$2,000 fine, up to 180 days

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## Local Roundup

### Conference addresses 'disease'

Solutions to a problem which is pushing more and more Texas vegetable producers out of business, financial stress, will be explored in detail at the annual High Plains Vegetable Conference, which begins 8:30 a.m. Jan. 20, at the Hereford Community Center.

Dr. Charles Hall, agricultural economist and horticultural crops marketing specialist, will discuss symptoms and steps to combat the situation.

Hall will address the reasons and circumstances surrounding the decline of Texas vegetable growers. Other speakers will address profitability of other crops.

The conference will also provide continuing education units for participants.

Registration fee is \$25 and covers the cost of the seminar and a catered lunch.

### Clear, cold

Tonight, clear and cold, low in the lower 20s and northwest wind 10-20 mph.

Thursday, sunny and warmer, high 45 to 50 and west wind 10-20 mph. Thursday night, clear, low in the lower 20s.

### 5-DAY FORECAST

Friday and Saturday, mostly clear, lows 15 to 20 and highs in the mid-40s. Sunday, mostly clear, lows in the mid-20s and highs 45 to 50.

### TUESDAY RECAP

High, 33; low, 27; no precipitation.

### Juvenile Board meeting

The Deaf Smith County Juvenile Board will meet for a regular meeting at 10:30 a.m. Jan. 8, in the County Courthouse. Items on the agenda include minutes from previous meeting, office reports, update on expansion project, approval of IV-E and recertification of Youth Home.

### Booster club meeting set

Deaf Smith 4-H and FFA Booster Club will meet at 7 p.m. Friday in the Hereford Community Center game room. Included on the agenda will be fund-raising efforts for the annual Young Farmers Stock Show. All parents of 4-H and FFA members are urged to attend.

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## Emergency services

Activities reported by emergency services personnel for Jan. 6 include the following:

### Police Department

--Tampering with mail was filed in the 100 block of East 15th.

--A report of forgery was filed in the 500 block of North 385.

--At 3:31 p.m. officers responded to 324 Ave. F, where a small child was pinned between a vehicle and a residence. Officers and emergency medical personnel freed the child. Investigation leads officers to believe the child was attempting to exit from the passenger side of the van when the vehicle jumped into gear and proceeded across the 300 block of Avenue F, stopping after it struck the

side of a residence. Roxanne Bella was taken to the Hereford Regional Medical Center, treated for a fractured left arm and released.

### Sheriff's Department

#### Arrests

--A 23-year-old man was arrested for driving with expired license.

--A 20-year-old man was arrested for two Deaf Smith County warrants for non-compliance of compulsory school attendance laws.

--A 29-year-old woman was arrested for criminal mischief over \$500.

--A 21-year-old man was arrested for traffic warrants out of Randall County.

# Will Gonzales serve out term?

WASHINGTON (AP) -- Is he retiring from Congress, as promised? Or isn't he?

Only Henry B. Gonzalez knows for sure.

Weakened by serious illness last summer, the 81-year-old San Antonio Democrat announced in September that he would retire by the end of 1997, grudgingly accepting the advice of doctors and family to bring to a close his storied 36-year congressional career.

But with the start of the 1998 House session just three weeks away, Gonzalez has yet to send Gov. George W. Bush the retirement letter that would trigger a special election to determine his successor. And, such a letter may not be in the offing.

Reports suggest the elderly lawmaker is contemplating serving out a term that runs through the end of this year.

Gonzalez, who has spent little time in Washington since a July hospitalization for an infection that attacked

his heart, didn't return a call Tuesday from The Associated Press and has kept publicly mum about his plans.

That silence has congressional aides, aspirants for the 20th District seat and political observers alike wondering what the famously independent-minded legislator will do.

Even family members are in the dark.

"I am not aware of when my father will tender his resignation. That's the big question right now," said Charles Gonzalez, who is in the thick of a crowded Democratic field vying for the 20th District seat his father has held since 1961. "He hasn't made that clear to any member of the family that I've talked to, including my mother."

One ally of the elder Gonzalez said there may not be a resignation at all, in part because the politician's health has rebounded.

"The last we heard, he's thinking of finishing out the year," the intimate said, speaking on condition of anonymity.

Gonzalez himself provided an inkling of his improved health at a Capitol Hill tribute in his honor at the end of October.

At that ceremony, where Cabinet members and colleagues alike lavished praise on the House Banking Committee's top Democrat, the one-time boxer took to the dais and danced to the festive music of a mariachi band.

"I feel as fine as I did 30 years ago," he told reporters. "I still have a few more rounds."

Beyond his health, some suggest

that Gonzalez is heeding the advice of Democratic party leaders who fear a special election could prove detrimental to the party. In the event Gonzalez resigns before the end of his term, Bush would call a special election that could not coincide with the regular primary or runoff election dates.

Some agree a special election, which is open to voters of all party affiliations, could provide a foot in the door for a Republican in the solidly Democratic district. One such believer is St. Mary's University political science professor Larry Hufford, who contends the large number of Democrats interested in replacing Gonzalez could split the Democratic vote, making it far easier for a Republican to emerge on top.

Special election or not, Gonzalez won't be on the ballot for another term.

He is not among those who filed for the regular March 10 primary. The field does include his son, Charles, a former state judge; and seven other Democrats: state Rep. Christine Hernandez, former councilwoman Maria Berriozabal, former Gonzalez congressional aide Armando Falcon, ex-Bexar County Democratic chairman Walter Martinez, former councilman Roger Perez, Balcones Heights City Councilman Steve Walker and obstetrician Richard Garcia.

On the GOP side, research scientist James Walker and restaurateur John Shull are running in a repeat of the 1996 Republican primary. Gonzalez bested Walker in 1996, 64 percent to 34 percent.



### New Rotary member

Lupe Chavez, president of the Hereford Rotary International Club, Monday welcomed a new member Pat Newton, with the traditional club pin, four way test motto and certificate.

## Tyler Corp. acquires INCODE

Lubbock-based Interactive Computer Designs Inc. (INCODE) recently announced it has entered into an agreement to be acquired by Tyler Corp. of Dallas in a deal expected to be completed this month or in February.

The acquisition agreement was reported last month in the *Lubbock Avalanche-Journal*. Two men with Hereford ties - Dustin Womble and Steve Nieman - head up INCODE.

Nieman is a Hereford High graduate and was a former partner in the Gililand-Nieman Insurance Agency. His wife, the former Rhonda Hall, is a cousin to Womble.

Womble's parents are HHS graduates and now live in Amarillo. Womble is president of INCODE and Nieman is vice president. INCODE produces information management

software for city governments in three states, including Hereford and a number of South Plains cities.

Nieman said INCODE has no plans to move its operation and, in fact, will continue to grow in Lubbock. "We have a vested interest in Tyler Corporation," he said.

INCODE, located at 6102 Chicago Ave. in Lubbock, employs 44 workers - 40 in Lubbock. The company provides municipal government fund accounting/utility billing software to more than 223 cities in Texas, Oklahoma and Missouri.

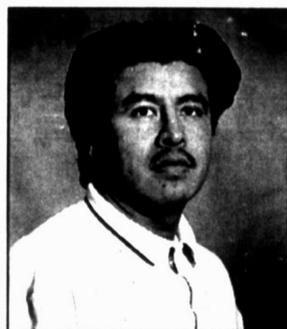
Tyler's latest move was the second in two months involving companies that provide information and management systems. In October, Tyler announced it would acquire Business Resources Corp. of Dallas and the Software Group Inc. of Plano.

The two provide integrated management services and systems to about 200 county governments, mostly in the Southwest. Tyler said its planned acquisition of INCODE melds well with those purchases.

Nieman said INCODE's core management will remain intact. Womble will stay on as president and Kent Hudson will remain director of operations.

INCODE will receive 250,000 shares of Tyler stock and \$1.25 million in cash, according to the Dallas-based company. Tyler's stock (NYSE-TYL) closed at 5 11/16 a share in trading Monday.

### Guerro named circulation manager



JAY GUERRERO

Jay Guerrero, 33, has assumed duties as the new circulation manager of *The Hereford Brand*, it was announced by Publisher O.G. Nieman.

Guerrero joined the newspaper staff on Dec. 23. He replaces Diana De La Cruz, who recently resigned as circulation manager.

Guerrero is a 1983 graduate of Hereford High School, where he received an "H" award in art. He received special recognition for an entry in a New York City show. He also participated in a journalism class and worked on the high school yearbook. He attended Amarillo College.

Guerrero had been working at Homeland for a short time. He previously had worked four years at a Wal-Mart in Amarillo, where he was a sales clerk and department crew leader. He also worked as an assistant manager of a Taco Villa in Borger for two years.

Guerrero is a single parent and has a daughter, Jaci, 4. He is the son of Jessie and Maggie Guerrero of Hereford. He has three brothers - Jesse of Hawaii, Jimmy of Austin and Gabriel of Hereford.

## Project lowers illegal entry at Texas border

HARLINGEN, Texas (AP) - Illegal immigrant apprehensions dropped 25 percent during the first four months of an operation intended to seal the border to unlawful crossers. Border Patrol officials have announced.

The Border Patrol launched Operation Rio Grande on Aug. 25, deploying more agents and high-tech equipment to the Texas-Mexico border to fight illegal immigration.

In the four months since, 49,689 illegal immigrants have been apprehended in the McAllen Border Patrol sector, which spans hundreds of miles from Brownsville west to Roma and north to Kingsville.

That's compared with 66,010 apprehensions from September 1996 through December 1996, said Joe Garza, chief of the McAllen Border Patrol sector.

"We're far from declaring victory," Garza said Tuesday. "But we feel we are slowly gaining control of our area."

The immigration initiative, while in place all along the Texas-Mexico border, has been focused on the Rio Grande Valley, one of the hottest spots in the nation for illegal crossers.

About 230 new agents were assigned to the McAllen sector as part of the operation, including 69 temporary agents dispatched to Brownsville, the region's main trouble spot.

There, agents have been stationed around-the-clock on the banks of the Rio Grande to deter would-be crossers. Additionally, 18 permanent lights have been installed on the river bank along with 20 portable lights.

The sector also has been armed with 30 night-vision goggles, and new low-light television cameras are on

the way. With all the added manpower and technology, Garza said apprehensions should be up. But the reductions show the operation is working, he said.

"We have the resources to where we can go and gain control of an area and stay there," he said.

Since the operation began, the sector's total apprehensions have decreased steadily from month to month. In August, 20,382 immigrants were apprehended. In September, the number fell to 14,146, followed by 13,610 in October, 11,900 in November and 10,033 in December.

But while apprehensions have decreased, document fraud cases appear to be on the rise.

Over New Year's weekend, 67 Mexican nationals were arrested in Brownsville for using fraudulent documents or making false claims to try to enter the country. All pleaded guilty and were deported to Mexico, said Manuel Sloss, Brownsville port director for the Immigration and Naturalization Service.

Sloss said the number of arrests set a new weekend record for Brownsville.

"The numbers were expected to be high during a holiday weekend, but not to this extent," he said. "There is a lot of fraud out there, and a lot is attributed to Operation Rio Grande. When they can't come across the river, they're going to try to come through another way."

# NEWS

## in brief

### Texas Ranger kills gunman

SULPHUR SPRINGS, Texas (AP) - A gunman who walked into a driver's license office with a fake bomb and demanded to speak with Gov. George W. Bush has been shot to death by a Texas Ranger.

James Lee Lawson, 48, of Quinlan, died about an hour after Tuesday afternoon's shooting.

Authorities said Lawson drove his pickup to the government building, which housed a DPS communications center as well as the licensing office.

Lawson, who carried a .22-caliber handgun in his waistband, had a small box with a toggle switch and threatened to explode the building with it, said DPS spokesman Mike Cox.

Texas Rangers Sgt. Danny Rhea and two state troopers remained with the gunman while others were ordered out of the building.

DPS Sgt. Donnie Willingham said Lawson was "very irrational and very demanding."

"He was coherent, but what he wanted wasn't making any sense," Willingham said.

"He was holding onto that thing (box), then he drew his weapon and started waving the gun."

It was at that point that Rhea fired one shot at Lawson with a semi-automatic rifle, officials said.

There was no indication that the suspect had fired. The DPS, per policy, has ordered a full investigation into the incident. Rhea will be placed on leave pending the investigation.

A Dallas police bomb squad was summoned to help investigate the device carried by the man. The DPS said Tuesday night that the device was fake. Sulphur Springs is 75 miles east of Dallas.

### Former Episcopal priest indicted

DALLAS (AP) - A Fannin County grand jury has indicted a former Episcopal priest on a charge of molesting an 8-year-old boy in 1996 at a religious retreat center near Bonham, about 100 miles northeast of Dallas.

The Dallas Morning News reported today that Lynn Bauman, who founded the Elwood Farm Retreat Center in northern Fannin County, resigned from the priesthood after allegations surfaced several months ago that he fondled the boy.

Bauman, 55, was indicted last week on a felony charge of indecency with a child and remained free Tuesday after posting a \$10,000 bond. He declined to comment Tuesday evening and referred questions to Dallas lawyer David Coody, who could not be reached.

In a June letter to the diocese's priests, James B. Stanton, bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Dallas, said Bauman resigned after he confronted him with "serious allegations... involving minors," the newspaper reported.

Stanton wrote that he then deposed Bauman, meaning that he "is no longer a member of the ordained clergy" and "may not engage in any form of ministry or otherwise officiate in any institution of the diocese."

## Committee investigates gambling, schools

BATON ROUGE, La. (AP) - Do riverboat casino donations to schools and youth groups encourage gambling among the young?

A special state committee looking at how casinos market themselves is trying to find out.

Riverboats have contributed \$20 million to schools and charities since riverboats were legalized in 1991, according to the Casino Association of Louisiana.

The money has been used to purchase schoolbooks, gym equipment and computers, fund college scholarships and Little League teams, and help Louisiana chapters of the March of Dimes, the United Way and the American Red Cross.

Riverboat officials were quizzed by members of the committee for three hours Tuesday about their motives for making the donations. In the end, committee members said they wanted more information about how much riverboats donate and where the money goes before deciding whether restrictions are needed.

Also in question: whether riverboats try to attract compulsive gamblers.

The committee was created last November after a Ruston gambling opponent complained to the state

gambling board about the Isle of Capri casino in Bossier City donating pumpkins to an elementary school for Halloween.

Walter Abbott of the National Coalition Against Organized Gambling said the donation may have promoted pro-gambling attitudes among youngsters or even encouraged underage gambling.

Also at that November meeting, gambling board member John Kennedy, state revenue secretary, referred to a Time magazine article suggesting that the gambling industry uses mailings and other marketing ploys to target compulsive gamblers. Industry officials denied Tuesday they use such practices.

Riverboat officials told the committee that they donate to schools and charities in an attempt to be good corporate citizens - not to solicit underage gamblers.

"We regret that our attempts to improve the quality of life and education have been seen as solicitation of children," said Tim Hemphill, the Casino Association of Louisiana's executive director.

Committee chairman James Boyer said the panel would revisit the issue once it gets the information it is seeking.



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

5-7-9

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Tuesday by the Texas Lottery:

9-12-30-34-35

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# Lifestyles



## Women's Division officers

Officers who will serve the Women's Division of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce for 1998 were installed by Ruth Newsom, right, during the quarterly meeting Tuesday evening at K-Bob's. New officers are, from left, Nancy Denton, president;

Kim Leonard, president-elect; Shannon Redwine, vice president; Kristi Hollingsworth, secretary/treasurer; and Elvira Enriquez, parliamentarian. Not pictured is Marilyn Bell who will serve on the board as a director.

## Ann Landers

### Teens need chance to prove themselves

Dear Ann Landers: I am a 16-year-old girl who is tired of dealing with teenage discrimination. It is something that I and many other teenagers face every day, and we are sick of it.

Whenever I go into a store -- it doesn't matter if it is a convenience store, a clothing store or even a video store -- someone follows me around to make sure I don't steal anything. This is insulting. Another recurring problem happens when I go to a restaurant with friends. Teenagers always get horrible service because the waiter or waitress assumes we will leave a poor tip. I have never failed to leave at least 15 percent, and my friends do the same -- even if the service isn't great.

Please let your readers know that if adults don't give teenagers a chance, we cannot prove that we are honest and decent. -- Bay Shore, N.Y.

Dear Bay Shore: You have written a letter that deserves to be taken seriously. I don't blame you for feeling resentful. You sound honest and decent to me. How about it, folks -- let's give these teenagers a break. If we assume they are OK and give them something to live up to, at least 90 percent of them will meet the challenge.

Dear Ann Landers: Now that the tears have dried, perhaps people all over the world can start to think rationally about Princess Diana's death. I was very disturbed by the

glaring omission in the press reports. I thought about writing a letter to our local paper's editor but decided your column would be a better forum.

According to the reports from Paris, of the four people in the car that night, only one was wearing a seat belt -- Dodi Fayed's bodyguard, who occupied the passenger seat in front with the driver. He was also the only survivor.

I can't help but think that despite a drunk driver, being pursued by photographers and whatever else may have contributed to that awful crash, if the princess and her companions had taken two seconds to buckle up, we might have prayed for her recovery instead of being filled with grief over her death and the two young sons she left behind. -- Faithful Reader in Wilmington, N.C.

Dear Wilmington: You have zeroed in on a very important point. I, too, wondered why more was not written about the seat-belt issue. Thank you for calling this vital matter to the attention of my readers. I'm sure many more will buckle up because you wrote.

Dear Ann Landers: I recently read your article about elderly drivers.

Several years ago, my mother, age 83, informed me that she and her gentleman friend (who couldn't read a road map and refused to wear his

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## Senior Citizens

### MENUS

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FRIDAY-Fried pollock with lemon wedge, au gratin potatoes, buttered zucchini squash, cabbage/fruit slaw, cornbread, lemon cake; or hamburger steak, brussels sprouts, pears.

MONDAY-Italian spaghetti with meat sauce, buttered Normandy

vegetables, tossed green salad, garlic bread, sherbet; or chicken ala king, mixed fruit.

TUESDAY-Cornflake baked chicken, gravy, mashed potatoes, seasoned spinach, carrot raisin salad, roll, chocolate milk; or roast beef, plain cake.

WEDNESDAY-smothered pork with gravy, seasoned rice, Italian green beans, perfection salad, cornbread, angel food cake, fruit topping; or smothered chicken,

D'zerta salad, angel food cake.

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FRIDAY-Pool classes, line dance 10-11 a.m., Thrift Store open 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sr. Crime Alert 12 noon.

SATURDAY-Games 12 noon-4 p.m.

MONDAY-Pool classes, line dance 10-11 a.m., doll class 1-4 p.m., Retired School Employees Assn. 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Nutrition Council meeting 2 p.m.

TUESDAY-Pool classes, exercise class 10-10:45 a.m., decorative tile painting 1-3 p.m., choir practice 1 p.m., Beltone 10 a.m.-12 noon, NARFE 1 p.m.

WEDNESDAY-Pool classes, exercise class 10-10:45 a.m., ceramics 1-3 p.m.

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## Shower honors couple

Yvette M. Pickett and Leon R. Smith were feted with a shower Saturday in the E.B. Black House. Guests were greeted by, from left, Pauline Pickett, grandmother of the bride-elect; Judy Smith, aunt of the bride-elect; the bride-elect; the prospective bridegroom; and Maria Pickett, mother of the bride-elect.

## Pickett, Smith are honored with wedding shower at Black House

A wedding shower honoring Yvette M. Pickett and Leon R. Smith was held Saturday in the E.B. Black House.

The couple is planning a March 7 wedding.

Greeting guests with the prospective bride and groom were Maria Pickett, mother of the bride-elect;

Pauline Pickett, grandmother of the bride-elect; and Judy Smith, aunt of the bride-elect.

Annie Zuniga provided vocal selections.

Refreshments of sausage balls, quiche, sweet breads, hot tea and coffee were served.

The table was centered with a

burgundy arrangement featuring candles, Christmas balls and greenery.

A 20-piece Pfaltzgraff Mountain Shadow dinnerware set was the gift from hostesses Mary Jo Hamman, Darla Stengel, Kerry Glidewell, Lucy Chavez, Danova Bromlow, Sue White and Evelyn Taylor.

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# Sports

## On the Sidelines

### NHL

**Tuesday's Games**  
 Washington 5, Toronto 3  
 Pittsburgh 4, N.Y. Islanders 2  
 N.Y. Rangers 4, Carolina 2  
 Detroit 2, Phoenix 0  
 Calgary 3, Colorado 1  
 St. Louis 5, San Jose 1

**Wednesday's Games**  
 Boston at Montreal, 6:30 p.m.  
 Pittsburgh at New Jersey, 6:30 p.m.  
 Toronto at Tampa Bay, 6:30 p.m.  
 Ottawa at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.  
 Florida at Edmonton, 8 p.m.  
 St. Louis at Vancouver, 9 p.m.  
 Buffalo at Anaheim, 9:30 p.m.

### NBA

**Tuesday's Games**  
 Phoenix 81, Indiana 80  
 Cleveland 100, Houston 70  
 L.A. Lakers 100, Vancouver 87  
 Chicago 90, Boston 79  
 Dallas 106, Denver 90  
 Utah 98, Philadelphia 95, OT  
 Seattle 102, Charlotte 81  
 Sacramento 105, L.A. Clippers 89

**Wednesday's Games**  
 Boston at Washington, 6 p.m.  
 Orlando at Toronto, 6 p.m.  
 New Jersey at New York, 6:30 p.m.  
 Chicago at Miami, 7 p.m.  
 Phoenix at Minnesota, 7 p.m.  
 Denver at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.  
 Charlotte at Portland, 9 p.m.  
 Vancouver at L.A. Clippers, 9:30 p.m.  
 Milwaukee at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m.  
 Atlanta at Golden State, 9:30 p.m.

### NCAA Basketball

**EAST**  
 Fairfield 92, Loyola, Md. 84  
 Massachusetts 73, Fordham 55  
 Rhode Island 83, St. Joseph's 68  
 Temple 67, Penn 58  
 Villanova 68, Boston College 65, OT

**SOUTH**  
 Belmont 72, Winthrop 58  
 Kentucky 90, Georgia 79  
 Louisville 73, St. John's 67  
 Miami 76, Connecticut 67  
 VMI 68, UNC-Greensboro 65

**MIDWEST**  
 Bradley 63, SW Missouri St. 62  
 Dayton 74, St. Bonaventure 59  
 Indiana 80, Michigan 62  
 Pittsburgh 72, Notre Dame 61

### IN BRIEF

**Rockets shot down**  
**CLEVELAND (AP)** -- Derek Anderson had 19 points as the Cleveland Cavaliers beat the Houston Rockets for the first time in nearly two years, 100-70 Tuesday night as Charles Barkley left the game with an injured foot. Barkley left with 3:27 remaining in the second quarter. X-rays were negative, but the 11-time All-Star did not return after going 1-for-5 with three points and four rebounds. Shawn Kemp had 14 points and 12 rebounds, but was denied a true matchup with Barkley in the final regular-season meeting of the All-Star forwards. Wesley Person had 15, and Brevin Knight had 12 points and eight assists. Clyde Drexler scored 18 points on 6-for-15 shooting, and Kevin Willis had 12 for the Rockets.

**Spurs dump Smith**  
**SAN ANTONIO (AP)** -- The San Antonio Spurs, tired of waiting for forward Charles Smith's knee injury to heal, dumped the \$4 million former Knicks star on Tuesday. Smith, whom the Spurs acquired midway through the 1995-96 season in a trade for J.R. Reid, Brad Lohaus and a first-round pick, was unceremoniously waived by the club.

**'Great One' added**  
**NEW YORK (AP)** -- Wayne Gretzky, who has played in each NHL All-Star game since his rookie year in 1979-80, topped the list of 15 players added to the North America All-Star team Tuesday.

Gretzky will make his 17th All-Star appearance on Jan. 18 in Vancouver, against a team of World All-Stars. He trails only Gordie Howe (23) in career appearances.

Defenseman Darryl Sydor, goaltender Ed Belfour and center Mike Modano will represent the Stars.

### NCA wins pair

The Nazarene Christian Academy Eagles defeated Amarillo Bible Heritage, 27-12, in a game played here Tuesday evening.

NCA was led by Teel Merrick with 13 points. Josh Casey added 5 points as the Eagles took their second win of the season against seven losses.

The Lady Eagles of NCA also found the win column by scoring a 28-19 decision over the visitors. Lauren Torbert sparked NCA with 14 points, while Callie Hansard and Charlie Henson added four points each.

NCA meets Alamo Catholic here Thursday at 4:30 p.m.

### JV Glance

Hereford JV 55, Pampa JV 39  
 Hereford-Robert Chavaria 15.  
 Next game: At Lubbock Monterey, 6 p.m. Friday.



Hereford's Kristin Fangman works against the Lady Harvesters' LaVonne Evans Tuesday night at Whiteface Gymnasium during a District 1-4A game.

Photo by Julius Bodner

## Herd downs Pampa in OT

By BOB VARMETTE  
 Sports Writer

The Hereford Whitefaces won their District 1-4A game with Pampa, but if they hadn't, it wouldn't have been too hard to figure out why. Twenty-four missed free throws. As it turned out, because Hereford got 43 shots from the line, they made 19.

So despite a nightmarish night of free-throw shooting, the Whitefaces really did win from the line as they stopped the Harvesters 46-43 in overtime in front of 400 at Whiteface Gymnasium in boys basketball Tuesday night.

"We're very fortunate to win," Hereford head coach Randy Dean said. "If we would've lost, we wouldn't have had to look very far to see why."

Pampa head coach Robert Hale didn't have to look very far to find the reason the Harvesters lost. Pampa outshot Hereford from the field by five field goals.

"Everytime I looked, they were standing at the line," he said, "and we just couldn't get there."

Hereford (8-10 overall, 2-1 District 1-4A) was led by Bryant McNutt with 18 points.

But it could've been much more. McNutt, normally a reliable shooter

**PAMPA (7-12, 1-1):** Powers 1-2 0-0 3. Holmes 1-2 0-0 2, Silva 0-5 0-10, Alexander 4-6 0-0 8, Francis 3-8 0-0 6, Brown 6-10 1-3 14, Robben 0-0 0-0, Young 2-7 4-10. Totals 17-38 5-8 43.

**HEREFORD (8-10, 2-1):** Wagner 1-2 1-4 3. Ewing 1-3 1-8 3, E. McNutt 2-7 0-6 6, C. Hodges 4-8 7-8 16, Power 0-0 0-0 0, S. Hodges 0-2 0-0 0, B. McNutt 4-10 10-23 18, Matthews 0-0 0-0 0, Rives 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 12-33 19-43 46.

Halftime -- Pampa 23, Hereford 20. 3-Point goals--Pampa 3-9 (Young 2-6, Brown 1-1, Silva 0-1, Francis 0-1), Hereford 3-12 (E. McNutt 2-6, C. Hodges 1-3, Wagner 0-1; S. Hodges 0-1, B. McNutt 0-1). Fouled out--Brown. Rebounds--Pampa 27 (Silva 8), Hereford 23 (Wagner 9). Turnovers--Pampa 20, Hereford 9. A--400 est.

from the free throw line, went 10-for-23 on the night.

"It was just one of those nights," Bryant McNutt said after a long pause between the inevitable question and the answer. "I've been shooting pretty good all season, but tonight, it just wasn't falling."

Cody Hodges added 16 points for the Whitefaces, including 3-for-4 from the line in the game's final minute. Mitch Wagner led the way for Hereford on the boards, grabbing nine rebounds; Bryant McNutt had six.

Lynn Brown scored 14 points to lead Pampa (7-12, 1-1). Shawn Young was the only other Harvester to reach double figures with 10.

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## Hereford girls rout Pampa

By BOB VARMETTE  
 Sports Writer

We'll just call it a rout. A lot of other descriptive terms could be attached, but none would really do justice to the performance of the Hereford Lady Whitefaces.

Hereford placed four in double figures as they decided the Pampa Lady Harvesters 77-27 in girls District 1-4A action Tuesday night in front of 85 at Whiteface Gymnasium.

And they did it with the long ball. The Lady Whitefaces went 10-for-16 from beyond the 3-point line.

"It wasn't necessarily part of the plan," Hereford head coach Eddie Fortenberry said. "The first half, they packed it in on us pretty good... so if they're going to give you the shot, this group's going to shoot it."

Catie Betzen led Hereford (20-2 overall, 3-1 District 1-4A) with 23 points, including 3-for-3 from beyond

**PAMPA (7-10, 1-3):** Young 1-0, 0-12, Evans 1-2 0-0 2, Bogen 1-5 0-0 2, Quarles 0-1 0-0 0, Yowell 1-2 0-0 2, Wells 1-8 0-0 3, Dwight 5-6 0-2 10, Curry 3-8 0-0 6. Totals 13-41 1-4 27.

**HEREFORD (20-2, 3-1):** Baker 2-3 0-0 4, Guzman 2-2 1-25, Eicke 1-0 0-2, Fangman 0-1 1-21, Betzen 8-12 4-5 23, Rampley 5-11 4-4 15, Davis 4-8 0-0 12, Rives 2-4 0-0 5, Walker 4-8 1-2 10. Totals 26-50 11-15 77.

Halftime--Hereford 42, Pampa 11. 3-Point goals--Pampa 0-7 (Young 0-3, Brown 0-2, Wells 0-2), Hereford 10-16 (Davis 4-5, Betzen 3-3, Rampley 1-3, Rives 1-3, Walker 1-2). Total fouls--Pampa 12, Hereford 13. Fouled out--None. Rebounds--Pampa 24 (Young 7), Hereford 28 (Rampley 6). Assists--Pampa 2 (Young 2), Hereford 11 (several with 2). Turnovers--Pampa 29, Hereford 18. A--85.

the arc. Julie Rampley added 15 and Misti Davis was the queen of downtown, gunning 4-for-5 from 3-point range for all of her 12 points. Sophomore Tori Walker had 10 points for the Lady Whitefaces.

Rampley grabbed six rebounds to lead Hereford. Davis and Walker each had rebounds.

Pampa (7-10, 1-3) was led by junior Lisa Dwight, the only Lady

Harvester to reach double figures, finishing the night with 10 points. Sophomore Jordana Young had a game-high seven boards to lead Pampa in the rebounding department.

The Lady Whitefaces actually shot the ball better from 3-point range (62.5 percent) than overall (52 percent).

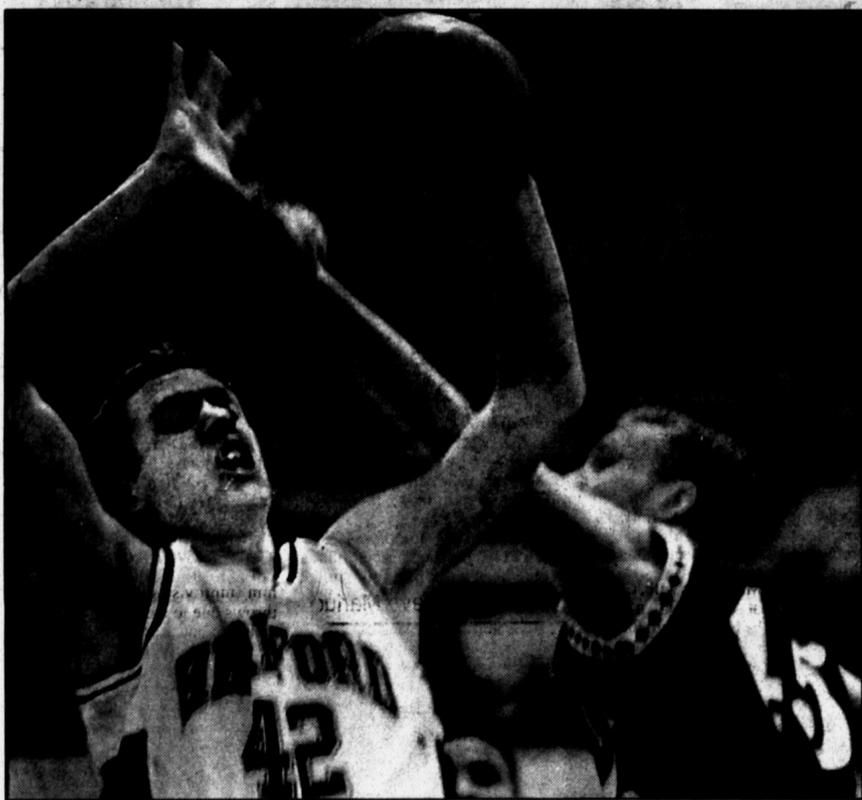
"We were pleased with the way we shot the ball," Fortenberry said. "I think they wanted to stop us inside. They really concentrated on (Rampley) and forgot the other kids could shoot the basketball."

Hereford got out to a 4-0 lead and raced to a 23-6 advantage, heading into the second quarter.

Hereford's press in the backcourt caused the Lady Harvesters problems to no end. Pampa coughed up the ball eight times in the first quarter.

The Lady Whitefaces extended

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Hereford's Bryant McNutt gets fouled by Pampa's Tyson Alexander during a District 1-4A game Tuesday night at Whiteface Gymnasium.

Photo by Julius Bodner

### NFL

## Favre, Mariucci rivals, but still friends

**SANTA CLARA, Calif. (AP)** -- The way Steve Mariucci sees it, he and Brett Favre grew up together in the NFL.

And what began as a working relationship and evolved into a friendship becomes a rivalry Sunday.

"In his own way, he's pulling for me because we know each other so well, and when we're not playing them, I guess I'm pulling for him," Mariucci said. "But we all know now that we're on opposing sidelines. We're rivals in every sense of the word. He wants to beat me. I want to beat him. It is very competitive right now."

The bond between the two developed during Mariucci's four-year stay in Green Bay as quarterbacks coach. He arrived prior to the 1992 season at about the same time the Packers swung a trade with

**Raiders sack Joe Bugel**  
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Atlanta to acquire Favre and helped the quarterback get through his sometimes awkward and painful formative years.

Mariucci left following the 1995 season, after Favre won the first of his three straight MVP awards, to become head coach of the University of California. Favre tried to convince Mariucci to stay by offering to pay him the difference between his quarterback coach's salary and his

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## Stewart may be next comeback king

**PITTSBURGH (AP)** -- He has rallied the Denver Broncos from seemingly certain losses to breathtaking victories more than 40 times -- more than Marino, more than Montana, more than anybody. John Elway is the only quarterback

to drive his team 98 yards in the closing minutes to win an AFC championship game -- at Cleveland in 1987, a march that instantly became known as The Drive. No NFL quarterback has ever been more dangerous with a deficit.

But Elway will be 38 in June, and every playoff game may be his last -- maybe even Sunday's AFC championship game in Pittsburgh. When he retires, and that day likely will come

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## Ex-hockey czar pleads guilty in mail fraud case

**BOSTON (AP)** -- Facing a courtroom filled with players he betrayed, former NHL union chief Alan Eagleson pleaded guilty Tuesday to mail fraud and awaits prison in Canada.

Eagleson was fined \$697,810, or \$1 million Canadian, for skimming the pensions and disability insurance of players he once represented.

He also was sentenced to one year of probation so he can return Wednesday to Toronto, where he has agreed to plead guilty to related charges and accept a sentence of at least 18 months. Under Canadian law, he could be out in three months.

"If the Canadian courts do not

sentence you to a prison term of at least 18 months, you will begin to face the prospect of prison in the United States," U.S. District Judge Nathaniel Gorton said, computing that U.S. sentencing guidelines recommended a sentence of 41-51 months.

Some of the sport's biggest names packed the federal courthouse to witness the downfall of their onetime hockey czar: Bobby Orr, Brad Park, John Bucyk, Woody Dumart, Milt Schmidt and Frank Mahovlich. They are all members of the Hockey Hall of Fame, like Eagleson, who was inducted as a

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## Hey, Mavs win!!

**DALLAS (AP)** -- One team had lost 15 straight, the other had lost 13 straight. Something had to give.

That something turned out to be the Denver Nuggets, who stayed winless on the road this season as Dennis Scott scored 28 points and made three 3-pointers in a key third-quarter run as the Dallas Mavericks won 108-90 Tuesday night.

Dallas broke its 15-game losing streak and handed Denver its 14th consecutive defeat.

Scott made three 3-pointers and had nine points in a 26-18 third quarter as Dallas expanded a 54-51 halftime lead to 80-69 entering the final quarter.

Denver was only able to get as close as 88-80 with 8:10 left on Harold Ellis' dunk. Samaki Walker scored six of Dallas' next eight points to push the advantage to 96-84.

Michael Finley and Hubert Davis had 20 points each as the Mavericks

**DENVER (90):** Battle 1-5 0-0 2, L. Ellis 5-13 5-5 15, Garrett 3-5 1-7 7, Jackson 8-17 1-1 17, Newman 4-14 4-13, Fortson 0-0 2-2 2, Goldwire 2-4 0-0 5, H. Ellis 6-7 0-5 12, Lauderdale 1-2 0-0 2, Washington 5-7 3-1 5. Totals 35-74 16-21 90.

**DALLAS (108):** Scott 11-15 1-1 28, Walker 6-15 2-3 14, Bradley 3-8 1-2 7, Finley 7-13 6-6 20, Reeves 1-4 2-4 4, Riley 1-0 0-2, Davis 8-13 1-1 20, Green 2-5 2-3 6, Moursopp 0-1 0-0 0, Strickland 3-7 1-1 7. Totals 42-84 16-21 108.

Denver 35 18 18 21 -- 90  
 Dallas 33 21 26 28 -- 108

3-Point goals--Denver 4-13 (Washington 2-3, Goldwire 1-2, Newman 1-5, L. Ellis 0-3), Dallas 8-16 (Scott 5-8, Davis 3-5, Finley 0-1, Strickland 0-2). Fouled out--None. Rebounds--Denver 46 (L. Ellis 9), Dallas 45 (Walker 8). Assists--Denver 19 (Jackson 5), Dallas 25 (Bradley, Finley 4). Total fouls--Denver 22, Dallas 20. Technicals--Bradley, A--8,833 (18,042).

surpassed 100 points for only the fifth time this season and kept the Nuggets winless in 17 road games.

Mavericks coach Don Nelson won for the second time since taking over for the fired Jim Cleamons on Dec. 4.

Bobby Jackson scored 17 points and LaPhonso Ellis and Eric Washington added 15 each for the Nuggets, whose record fell to 2-29.

**"This is a business that anytime you can leave standing on both feet you are very fortunate."**

-- Tom Osborne

## Osborne begins to relax

**DALLAS (AP)** -- The deeper Tom Osborne gets into retirement, the more relaxed he gets.

Osborne was all smiles Tuesday when he accepted the Sears national championship trophy for finishing first in the USA Today/ESPN coaches' poll. The American Football Coaches Association awards the trophy to the winner of the poll as chosen by a 62-member panel.

Because the former Nebraska coach was in Dallas Cowboys country, he was asked if he had been contacted by owner Jerry Jones to replace the embattled Barry Switzer. "No," Osborne quipped. "They have a guy I couldn't whip. I tried 12 or 13 times and could only beat him three or four times."

Actually, Osborne had a 5-12 record against Switzer when he was at Oklahoma.

Upon further reflection, he said Tuesday: "This is a business that anytime you can leave standing on both feet you are very fortunate."

Michigan finished a close second to Nebraska in the coaches' poll. The spots were reversed in The Associated Press poll of writers and broadcasters, with the Cornhuskers finishing second.

"I think it will be better next year because we'll have everyone in the alliance," Osborne said. "That's what disturbs me. Why didn't we have everyone in the alliance to start with?"

"Our 62 coaches who vote in the poll had a tough job this year because there were two teams with legitimate claims for the Sears trophy," said Grant Teaff, executive director for the AFCA.

# No surprise, Oakland fires Bugel

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) -- Joe Bugel, who led the Oakland Raiders to their worst record in 35 years in his one season as coach, was fired Tuesday.

Bugel, promoted to the job after two seasons as the team's assistant head coach for offense, led the Raiders to a 4-12 record that included five straight losses to finish the season.

The Raiders, who have missed the playoffs four straight seasons, will be searching for their fourth coach since the end of the 1994 season. Bugel was promoted when his predecessor, Mike White, was fired on Christmas Eve 1996 after two seasons as coach.

"We felt it was necessary to make a change," Raiders senior assistant Bruce Allen said in a conference call. "The record speaks for itself. We live in a society that does grade people on their record."

Bugel has one year remaining on his contract with the Raiders.

Bugel, 20-44 at Phoenix from

1990-93 in his only previous head coaching job, was promoted by Raiders owner Al Davis after players lobbied for him. But some of those players turned against Bugel this season.

The team bordered on anarchy late in the season, and wide receiver Tim Brown was so infuriated at the play-calling that he threatened to ignore coaches and call his own plays in the huddle.

Allen said the Raiders have not yet begun interviewing for a replacement for Bugel, but said the team recently contacted the New York Jets seeking coordinator Bill Belichick about his availability for an assistant's job in Oakland.

Allen said the Raiders also have sought permission from the Philadelphia Eagles to speak with assistant coach Jon Gruden about a similar position in Oakland.

Bugel was an assistant coach with the Washington from 1981-89, when

the Redskins won two Super Bowls. Before that, he worked as an assistant at Houston and Detroit.

Bugel was not available for comment Tuesday, but said following the team's final game that he knew changes had to be made in the offseason.

"This team is not in disarray. We don't have a lot of dissension, which I keep hearing about," Bugel said. "I thought our team played with great effort throughout the whole year. We just came up short. We know we have some things we need to fix."

On Tuesday morning, Bugel was informed by owner Al Davis that the changes would begin with the head coach.

Allen said Bugel's assistant coaches will be welcome to interview for similar jobs with the new head coach, but that none of them will be considered for the top job.

In addition to Belichick and Gruden, considered for the job before Bugel was hired last January, another

possible candidate is Minnesota's Dennis Green. He has feuded with Vikings owners, and has expressed an interest in coaching Oakland if he leaves Minnesota.

Allen said the decision to fire Bugel was not made immediately after the final game because Davis wanted time to look back at the season. It was the Raiders' worst since they went 1-13 in 1962 -- the year before Davis joined the team.

"We wanted to make sure we took some time to clearly investigate and evaluate what happened this year," Allen said. "Mr. Davis and Joe had some time to talk."

After the Raiders flirted with a West Coast-style short passing game under White, Bugel promised to return to the bombs-away Raiders of the 1960s and 1970s and to return the team to its days of glory.

The Raiders, who proclaim themselves "The Team of the Decades," are only 66-62 in the 1990s.

## Hereford

Jeremy Silva had eight rebounds to lead Pampa.

"I was awful proud of our guys," Hale said. "I thought they showed a lot of heart. They did a great job of executing what we wanted done."

With all their problems at the line, Hereford came through when it counted in overtime, hitting eight of their 12 attempts in the extra period.

"Those were big ones," Dean said. "We stepped up and made some big ones at the end, and that helped."

Hodges was the only one of the Whitefaces who didn't seem to be down with whatever virus that makes you miss free throws. Hodges was 7-for-8 on the night.

Hereford may have controlled the line, but Pampa controlled the tempo. And that means low-scoring.

"We don't want to play that way," Dean said. "That's the style that Pampa plays. They did a great job of controlling the tempo."

The Harvesters held a 15-13 margin after the first quarter. Pampa was set to take a six-point margin at halftime, but Young's 3-point attempt

from the left wing was rebounded by Hodges who threw up a prayer at the horn from about 65 feet. The prayer was answered, cutting the halftime margin to three at 23-20 Pampa.

Hereford rallied in the third, and the fourth quarter saw Hereford holding a lead of as much as five points.

"We had to get out and challenge them defensively... we forced them into a lot of turnovers. In the second half, we turned some of those turnovers into some points, and got back in the lead," Dean said.

But Pampa fought back to tie the game 38-38, and the game headed for overtime, Hereford's second straight to need an extra period, when Hereford's Greg Ewing missed a running nine-footer in the lane under pressure at the horn after the Harvesters dropped into a 2-3 zone for Hereford's final shot.

"We had some chances to close them out, all the way through the fourth quarter," Dean said. "We just didn't take advantage of them."

## Comeback

sooner than later, Elway must abdicate to a new king of the comeback.

To find him, he might not need look further than to the opposing sideline Sunday, to Kordell Stewart. His unflappable composure and boundless confidence have led the Steelers within a victory of the Super Bowl in his first season as a starting quarterback.

"I never get nervous -- ever," Stewart said.

It shows. Just check out this collection of comebacks, one that even Elway has been unable to match this season:

-- Down 21-0 in Baltimore on Oct. 5, the Steelers equaled the greatest comeback in team history as Stewart fashioned a game even Terry

Bradshaw would have been proud of, throwing for three touchdowns and running for two in a 42-34 victory.

-- The Steelers trailed by 10 points against Indianapolis on Oct. 12 and again Oct. 26 against Jacksonville, both times at home, yet Stewart led comeback victories each time.

-- In arguably the NFL's game of the season, Stewart made an astonishing fourth-down throw to Yancey Thigpen to keep a fourth-quarter drive alive in New England on Dec. 13. Stewart then hit Mark Bruener for the touchdown and Thigpen for the 2-point conversion as the Steelers rallied from eight points down with two minutes to go to win 24-21 in overtime -- a victory that ultimately clinched home-field advantage throughout the playoffs.

"We don't give up because of No. 10 (Stewart)," Pro Bowl running back Jerome Bettis said. "We know he's special and that anything is possible with him. He's shown us time after time and game after game he can make things happen."

Stewart's only deficiency, other than his tendency to sometimes force the ball into coverage, is his growing reliance on comebacks. The Steelers repeatedly fall behind because of Stewart's first-half inconsistencies, only to surge back in the second half after he rediscovers his passing touch.

Stewart has six touchdown passes and 14 interceptions in the first half, but 18 touchdowns and only four interceptions in the second half.

"It's too early to start nicknaming him, like Elway," Thigpen said.

"Kordell's a second-half guy. Elway has been doing it for years. Kordell, he's a one-year guy."

Yeah, but what a year it's been.

"The one thing about Kordell is you're not going to rattle his confidence," coach Bill Cowher said. "We talk about it all the time. If you're going to do the things we are talking about him doing, he can't be afraid to take chances -- and he isn't."

Sounds like a guy named Elway.

"I've seen the kid play and I've seen the look in his eye in big games," Cowher said. "We've played big games down the stretch, Denver and New England, and he's performed pretty well. He's not afraid to fail. You can't be."

## Friends

new job. Mariucci spent one season at Cal before becoming head coach of the 49ers (14-3), who play Favre and the Packers (14-3) Sunday in the NFC championship game at 3Com Park.

"I'm still close to him," said Favre, who had Mariucci over for a couple days during the offseason at his Green Bay home, which was decorated by Mariucci's wife, Gayle. "He's a great friend and a great coach. What he has done out there is unbelievable. They're a great team, and it will be the toughest game we've played all year."

Perhaps no coach knows Favre better than Mariucci. But the 49ers coach said neither his friendship nor knowledge of the quarterback give him any competitive advantage because of Favre's improvisational style of play.

"He's not a predictable guy," Mariucci said. "He is going to run around and make it happen and (the

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-- Steve Mariucci

ball) could go anywhere. You just never know what he's going to do."

That includes Favre, who also shrugged off suggestions Mariucci might be able to come up with certain insights that could throw off his game.

"I don't think anybody knows anything about me, including myself," Favre said.

That's what makes defending him so difficult, Mariucci said.

"Over the last few years, he has

probably made more big plays, more sensational, run-around, fling-it-up-where kind of plays for touchdowns but also with that goes certain risk," Mariucci said.

"So we have to stay in coverage. We have to be perfect back there all day. Not most of the day, all day. We have to get to him -- we have to get people in his face. And we have to get him improvising so that maybe he throws one to us."

Favre has started for the Packers since 1992, entering the lineup in the third game that season after Don Majkowski was injured. By no means was he an overnight success, and Mariucci served not only as coach and confidant to Favre but as a buffer between the quarterback and Green Bay coach Mike Holmgren.

"As many times as (Favre) was booed out of that stadium -- and there were many -- and criticized in the papers or in the parking lot, he knew I was in his corner, and Mike stayed

in his corner, too," Mariucci said.

"You hear the talk shows, 'Change quarterbacks, put in (Mark) Brunell, put in Ty Detmer. And there was some temptation to do that. But Mike never did and that proved to be the right thing to do."

After throwing more interceptions (24) than touchdowns (19) in 1993, Favre has come back to throw for 145 TDs in the last four seasons, leading the league in each of the last three, including 35 this year. He has 46 interceptions in that span, including 16 this year.

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"He had a tough second year and he had a tough beginning of his third year. It wasn't happening the way he wanted it to so he was a little bit at a crossroads."

## Girls

their lead to 42-11 at halftime, capitalizing upon seven additional Pampa turnovers in the second quarter. The Lady Harvesters finished the contest with 29 turnovers.

"It's pretty safe to say that's been the key to our success. If we can hurt people with our press, we can win ball games," Fortenberry said.

With their next two games coming up against Canyon and Canyon Randall, Fortenberry said things have pretty much fallen into place for the Lady Whitefaces.

"There's still some things we can work on to get better," Fortenberry said. "(But) it's good to be where we're at right now."

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## Fraud

builder in 1989. Park wants Eagleson ousted from the Hall of Fame in Toronto.

"If they do not, I will request that I be removed," the former Rangers and Bruins great said, adding he has spoken to two dozen enshrined players who feel the same way. "I will not be on that wall with that man."

Scotty Morrison, chairman of the hall, told The Associated Press on Monday that no inducted athlete has

ever been removed from a major Hall of Fame.

"We're not going to put our heads in the sand and run away from it," he said. "But only after the court matter is concluded would it be taken up by our board."

Eagleson, who had been a fugitive from U.S. justice since 1994, had been indicted on 34 charges that included racketeering, embezzlement, fraud and obstruction of justice.

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# GRAMMY AWARDS

## Nominations surprise by the omissions

NEW YORK (AP) - This year's Grammy Award nominations are as notable for their snubs as their honorees.

The Spice Girls may have been everywhere in magazines and on television this past year, but they won't be heading to the stage of Radio City Music Hall when the 40th annual Grammy Awards are presented on Feb. 25. They didn't earn any of the 460 nominations announced Tuesday.

Elton John's eulogy of Princess Diana, "Candle in the Wind 1997," is the best-selling single of all time but wasn't nominated for song or record of the year. It did earn John a nod for best male pop vocal performance.

Rap impresario Sean "Puff Daddy" Combs earned seven nominations. But despite producing 14 singles on Billboard's Top 40 last year, he wasn't among the five nominees for producer of the year.

His best-selling tribute to slain rapper the Notorious B.I.G., "I'll Be Missing You," was also shut out of major categories. He was criticized for borrowing heavily from the Police song "Every Breath You Take" for his hit.

Last year's best new artist, LeAnn Rimes, was shut out of the major categories of song, record and album of the year. So was Jewel. And newcomer Erykah Badu.

"These were the most surprising Grammy Award nominations that I've ever seen," said Thomas O'Neil, author of "The Grammys: For the Record."

The snubs come three years after the Grammys changed their nomination procedures in response to persistent criticism about honoring the music industry's most conservative voices. Nominees for the top categories are chosen by a secret screening panel of veteran industry insiders, instead of by a general vote by members of the National Academy of Recording Arts & Sciences.

Sentimental Grammy voters like to honor old favorites, and this could be Bob Dylan's year.

Dylan's ghostly "Time Out of Mind," his best sustained work in more than two decades, was nominated for best album and contemporary folk album. His "Cold Irons Bound" also was nominated for best rock vocal performance.

Dylan's son, Jakob, received three nominations for his work as chief songwriter and singer of the Wallflowers.

At least the two Dylans won't have to compete directly for a Grammy, unlike the father-and-son team of Julio and Enrique Iglesias. Each received a nomination for best Latin pop performance.

Versatile soul balladeer Kenneth "Babyface" Edmonds, with eight, captured the most Grammy nominations for the second straight year. "The Day" was nominated for album of the year and "Everytime I Close My Eyes" won a nod for best male pop vocal performance.

Paula Cole, a featured performer on last summer's Lilith Fair tour, was a surprising big winner with seven nominations. Her plaintive "Where Have All the Cowboys Gone" earned song and record of the year nominations.

Cole, Badu, Puff Daddy, youthful singer Fiona Apple and teen faves Hanson will compete for the best new artist award. Hanson's "MMMBop" was a somewhat unexpected record of the year nominee.

Dylan's "Time Out of Mind" is up for album of the year against Paul McCartney's "Flaming Pie," Cole's "This Fire," Babyface's "The Day" and the critically lauded "OK Computer" by Radiohead. The Grammy Awards ceremony also promises to be somewhat somber, with the Notorious B.I.G., classical conductor Sir Georg Solti, John Denver and newsmen Charles Kuralt among the posthumous nominees.

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## Lawyers mum after hearing in Oprah case

AMARILLO (AP) - A federal judge has yet to announce whether she'll move a defamation suit against Oprah Winfrey to Dallas or remove a gag order that has prevented attorneys from discussing the case.

U.S. District Judge Mary Lou Robinson presided Tuesday over a pretrial hearing in her chambers. Because of the gag order, attorneys had no comment when they left the courthouse about 5 p.m.

The trial, if it begins as scheduled on Jan. 20 with jury selection, promises to be the most spectacular proceedings since the state's most notorious trial of all time.

Fort Worth oilman Cullen Davis was acquitted in 1979 of being the "man in black" who killed his estranged wife's daughter and live-in boyfriend at the Davis mansion.

Amarillo is central to the world's largest concentration of cattle feeders. The issue of whether U.S. cattle feeding

techniques is conducive to "mad cow disease" lies at the heart of the lawsuit.

On April 16, 1996, Howard Lyman, a consumer activist on meat issues, made comments on Ms. Winfrey's show that Amarillo cattle feeder Paul Engler considered defamatory.

Among other things, Lyman said mad cow disease in the United States "absolutely" could rival AIDS as an epidemic. After hearing some of Lyman's statements, Ms. Winfrey responded: "It has just stopped me cold from eating another burger. I'm stopped."

Engler and other plaintiffs who later joined the suit claim the show was responsible for a steep dropoff in already slumping cattle prices.

The Amarillo Globe-News reported Tuesday that representatives from Winfrey's Harpo Productions have quietly researched renting space at the city's civic center and other venues.

# Television

## WEDNESDAY JANUARY 7

6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
Movie: Mr. Magoo, Man of Mystery ***½	(-35) Movie: Pee-wee's Big Adventure	Growing	Growing	Walt Disney Presents	Zorro					
News	Ent. Tonight	3rd Rock	TBA	3rd Rock	Working	Law & Order	News	(-35) Tonight Show		
NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	Dynasty: The Nehru-Gandhi Story						Charlie Rose	NewsHour		
Griffith	Griffith	NBA Basketball Chicago Bulls at Miami Heat					Inside-NBA	Movie: Above the Rim (1994), Leon ***		
News	Fortune	Spin City	Dharma	Drew Carey	Ellen	Primetime Live	News	Seinfeld	Nightline	
Fam. Mat.	Coach	Sister, Sis.	Smart Guy	Wayans	Harvey	News	Beverly Hills, 90210	Heat		
News	Home Imp.	Nanny	Murphy	Public Eye		Chicago Hope	News	(-35) Late Show		
Grace Under Mad-You	Beverly Hills, 90210	Party of Five				Hercules-Jrns.	Frasier	Roseanne	Real TV	
College Basketball Florida State at Maryland		College Basketball North Carolina State at Duke				Sportscenter		Snowbird		
Waltons	Rescue 911	Diagnosis Murder				Hawaii Five-0	700 Club	Bonanza		
(5:00) Movie: Chances Are	Movie: Footloose (1984) Kevin Bacon, Lori Singer. PG	Dead Man's	(-45) Fast Track	(-35) Movie: Tricks (1997)						
Movie: Who's Harry	Movie: Doc Hollywood Michael J. Fox	(-45) Movie: Escape From L.A. Kurt Russell. *** R	Tracy	Movie:						
(5:00) Movie: Roxanne	Movie: Dances with Wolves Kevin Costner, Faye Dunaway. *** R	Movie: Tin Cup (1996) Kevin Costner, Faye Dunaway. *** R								
Movie: Tick Tick Tick	Movie: Dramatic School (1938) **	Movie: Calling Dr. Kildare (1939) ***½	Movie: These Glamour Girls (1939) ***½							
Dukes of Hazzard	Life of Roy Acuff	Prime Time Country	Mark Collie Celebrity Race	Dukes						
Gimme Shelter	Incredible Journeys	Discover Magazine	Salvaged Lives	Justice Files						
Law & Order	Biography	American Justice	Foot Soldier	Law & Order						
Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: In the Best Interest of the Child (1990) ***½	Almost	Golden Girls	Golden Girls					
Last Word	Sports	FOX Sports NHL Hockey Ottawa Senators at Dallas Stars	Sports	Sports						
Babylon 5	Movie: Extremities (1986) Farrah Fawcett. ***	Movie: Trespass (1992) Bill Paxton, Ice-T. ***½	Movie:							
Doug	Rugrats	Hay Arnold! Happy Days	Wonder Yrs.	Wonder Yrs.	I Love Lucy	M.T. Moore	Taxi	Newhart	Van Dyke	
Highlander: The Series	Walker, Texas Ranger	(7:50) Movie: Sins of the Mind (1997) Missy Crider	Silk Stalkings	Highlander						
MI Quirids Isabel	Marie Isabel	Alguna Vez	Fuera	Lente Loco						
War Years	In Search of History	Secrets of World War II	True Action Adventures	Weapons at War						
SuperBowl	Strongman	Strongman	X-Games	Fitness	Fitness	Fitness	Figure Skating U.S. Championships			

# Comics

### Marvin

By Tom Armstrong



### The Wizard of Id

By Brant Parker & Johnny Hart



### Blondie

By Dean Young & Stan Drake



### Beetle Bailey

By Mort Walker



### Barney Google and Snuffy Smith

By Fred Lasswell



## THURSDAY JANUARY 8

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Today				Laeza		Gerardo Rivera	Sunset Beach			Days-Lives
Barney	Arthur	Sesame Street		Puzzle Place	Reading	Charlie	Mr. Rogers	Arthur	Barney	Your House
Gilligan	3's Co.	Little House on the Prairie	Mama	Mama	Hillbillies	Hillbillies	(-35) Matlock	Movie:		
Good Morning America			Live - Regis & Kathie Lee	Martha	Gayle King	People's Court	News			
Thy Toon	Capitol	BugsDaily	Animapalca	PinkyBrain	Batman	Griffith	Griffith	Gerardo Rivera	News	
This Morning				Ricki Lake		Price Is Right	Young and the Restless	News		
Bobby	Casper	101Dalmats	X-Men	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Kenneth C. Paid Prog.	TBA	
Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Sportscenter		SuperBowl
Rescue 911		Waltons		700 Club		Fit TV		Diagnosis Murder		Home
(6:00) Movie: Shane (1953)	(-15) Movie: Wind (1992) Matthew Modine, Jennifer Grey. ** PG-13	Movie: Nickelodeon (1976) Ryan O'Neal, Burt Reynolds								
Movie: Never Say Never Again Sean Connery. *** PG	(-15) Movie: Forever Young Mel Gibson. *** PG	Firestorm	Movie: Steel Big-Little							
(6:50) Movie: The Proposition PG-13	Movie: The Super Cops Ron Leibman. R	(-15) Movie: To Gillian on Her 37th Birthday ** PG-13	Movie: The Super							
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Columbo			Cosby Mysteries	Quincy				Northern Exposure	Law & Order	
Baby Knows Kids These	Sisters		Almost	HopeGlori	Night Court	Night Court	Our Home	Commlah		
FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Miller		
Gilligan	Gilligan	CHiPs		Lonesome Dove: Outlaw	Sponsor: For Hire			Movie: Viva Las Vegas (1964) ***½		
Looney	Rugrats	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Busy World	Muppets	Dr. Seuss	Gullah	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Allegra
Webster	Facts of Life	Gimme B.	Strangers	Wings	Wings	Major Dad	Movie: Where's the Money, Noreen? (1995) **			
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Classroom		History Showcase		Movie: The Right Stuff (1983) Sam Shepard, Scott Glenn. ***½				Real West		High Points
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Tale Spin	Donald	Chip 'n' Dale	Tale Spin	Goof Troop	Timon	Aladdin	Dinosaurs	Growing	Brotherly
Days-Lives	Another World	Jenny Jones		Maury		Oprah Winfrey			NBC News
Body Elec.	Painting	Keeping Up	Greetings From Norway	Genesis: A Conversation	Sandiego	Science Guy	Wishbone	Magie Bus	
(12:00) Movie: The Mysterious Monsters	Flintstones	Flintstones	Looney	Dreams	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	
Jeopardy!	One Life to Live	General Hospital	Port Charles	Pictionary	Rosie O'Donnell	News	ABC News		
News	Empty Nest	Empty Nest	Beauty and the Beast	Beverly Hills, 90210	Fam. Mat.	Dreams	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell	
Bold & B.	As the World Turns	Gulding Light	Sally	Am. Journal	Edition	News	CBS News		
TBA	Medicine Woman	Little House	Spider-Man	Metallix	Rangers	Goosebump	BoyWorld	Roseanne	
NCAA	Big Ten	Golf	PGA Golf	PGA Golf Mercedes Championships - First Round	Up Close	Sportsctr.			
(12:00) Home & Family	ShopDrop	Shopping	Big Valley	Bonanza-Lost	Carol Bnt.	Carol Bnt.			
(-35) Movie: Downhill Willie ** PG-13	(-15) Movie: The Forbidden Dance Laura Herring. *	Movie: The Hallback of Notre Dame 'G'	Movie: Wind						
(11:30) Movie: ** Steel Big, Steel Little	Movie: The Quick and the Dead ***½	Movie: The Heat Pierce Brosnan. ***½	Movie: Never Say Nvr						
(12:00) Movie: Voices PG	(-45) Movie: Running Brave Robby Benson. ***½ PG	Movie: Frankenstein Sings ** PG	Movie: Gung Ho (1986)						
Movie:	(-15) Movie: I Accuse! (1958) Jose Ferrer. ***	Movie: The High Cost of Loving (1958) ***	Movie: Zigzag (1970) **						
(12:00) America's Country Hits	Cook & Chase	Dallas		Club Dancer		Dukes of Hazzard			
Home	Housesmart!	Interior Motives	Great Chefs	Great Chefs	Travelers	Wings			
Law & Order	Columbo		Cosby Mysteries	Quincy	Northern Exposure				
Commlah	Movie: A Father's Revenge (1988) Brian Dennehy. ***½	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Supermkt	Dabt			
Last Word	This is the PGA Tour	Coaches	Coaches	Coaches	Cycle World	Miller	NBA Action		
Movie:	Movie: The Far Horizons (1955) Charlton Heston. ***	In the Heat of the Night	Kung Fu: Legend	Lola & Clark-Superman					
Rupert	Muppets	Looney	Beetlejuice	Gadget	Tiny Toon	Garfield	You Afraid?	Monsters	Figure It Out
Movie: Posee (1993) Mario Van Peebles, Stephen Baldwin. ***	Baywatch	Saved-Bell	USA High	Baywatch					
Marimar	Amada Enemiga	Genie Blen	Cristina	Primer Impacto	Club	Noticiero			
High Points	Air Combat		Movie: The Right Stuff (1983) Sam Shepard, Scott Glenn. ***½	Real West	High Points in History				
NBA Finals	SuperBowl	SuperBowl	Figure Skating U.S. Championships	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	On the Pole	Motorworld		

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Movie: Alice-Wonder.	(-15) Movie: The Preacher's Wife Denzel Washington. *** PG	Growing	Scorecrow-Rm.	Zorro						
News	Ent. Tonight	Friends	Union	Seinfeld	Veronics	ER	News	(-35) Tonight Show		
NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	Secrets of...		Mystery!			Sundance	Charlie Rose	NewsHour		
Griffith	Griffith	Movie: Kelly's Heroes (1970) Clint Eastwood, Telly Savalas. ***					(-05) Movie: The Dirty Dozen (1967)			
News	Fortune	Figure Skating U.S. Championships					News	Seinfeld	Nightline	
Fam. Mat.	Coach	Movie: Hangin' With the Homeboys (1991) ***½				News	Beverly Hills, 90210	Heat		
News	Home Imp.	Promised Land	Diagnosis Murder	48 Hours		News	(-35) Late Show			
Grace Under Mad-You	Simpsons	Ask Harriet	New York Undercover	Soldier of Fortune, Inc.		Frasier	Roseanne	Real TV		
Sportctr.	College Basketball Wisconsin at Michigan State		College Basketball Illinois at Iowa					Sportcenter		
Waltons	Rescue 911	Movie: Stolen Memories: Secrets From Garden				700 Club		Bonanza		
(5:45) Movie: ** Wind Matthew Modine. PG-13	Movie: Showgirls Elizabeth Berkley. * R	Movie: Just Another Girl on the L.R.T. Ariyan Johnson.				(-15) Stargate SG-1	Movie:			
(5:00) Movie: Gung Ho	Movie: Blood and Wine Jack Nicholson. *** R	Movie: Bloodsport 2 Daniel Bernhardt. R	Movie: Bloodport III NYF							
(5:00) Movie: ** Zigzag	Movie: Susan and God (1940) Joan Crawford. ***½	(-15) Movie: Blood and Sand (1941) Tyrone Power, Rita Hayworth. ***½								
Dukes of Hazzard	Country Salutes Elvis	Prime Time Country	Today's Country	Dallas		Dallas				
Gimme Shelter	Wild Discovery	Strange	Movie Magic	Wings		Justice Files		Wild Disc.		
Law & Order	Biography	New Explorers	Unexplained			Law & Order		Biography		
Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: A Town Torn Apart (1992) Michael Tucker.				Almost	Golden Girls	Golden Girls		

## Medical auxiliary sets membership drive

Hereford Regional Medical Center Auxiliary had its January meeting in the hospital dining room with 15 members present. President Irene Reinart called the meeting to order by asking Mary Jane Burrus to read the Auxiliary Prayer.

Committees reported 160-1/2 hours of volunteer time and 20 baby books distributed.

Although membership in the auxiliary is open year round, the group decided to have a membership drive beginning with the annual Valentine party for hospital employ-

ees. There are no qualifications for membership and prospective members work with current members until they are familiar with hospital routines. Time volunteered is left to the individual's personal schedule, but usually members volunteer for four hours per week.

Members present were Janis Bell, Irene Boardman, Lupe Cerda, Grace Covington, Margaret Daniels, Bettie Dickson, Billee Johnson, Jo Lee, Donna Parker, Anna Stindt, Joy Stivers, Quintna Waits, Mary Williamson, Burrus and Reinart.

## Today in History

By The Associated Press

Today is Wednesday, Jan. 7, the seventh day of 1998. There are 358 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Jan. 7, 1789, the first U.S. presidential election was held. Americans voted for electors who, a month later, chose George Washington to be the nation's first president.

On this date:

In 1610, the astronomer Galileo Galilei sighted four of Jupiter's moons.

In 1800, the 13th president of the United States, Millard Fillmore, was born in Summerhill, N.Y.

In 1894, one of the earliest motion picture experiments took place at the Thomas Edison studio in West Orange, N.J., as comedian Fred Ott was filmed sneezing.

In 1927, commercial transatlantic telephonic service was inaugurated between New York and London.

In 1942, the World War II siege of Bataan began.

In 1953, President Truman announced in his State of the Union address that the United States had developed a hydrogen bomb.

In 1955, singer Marian Anderson made her debut with the Metropolitan Opera in New York, in Verdi's "Un Ballo in Maschera."

In 1959, the United States recognized Fidel Castro's new government in Cuba.

In 1972, Lewis F. Powell Jr. and William H. Rehnquist were sworn in as the 99th and 100th members of the Supreme Court.

In 1979, Vietnamese forces captured the Cambodian capital of Phnom Penh, overthrowing the Khmer Rouge government.

In 1989, Emperor Hirohito of Japan died at age 87; he was succeeded by Crown Prince Akihito.

Ten years ago: Secretary of State George P. Shultz, seeking to smooth a rift caused by a United Nations vote, told reporters that overall American support for Israel remained "unshakable." British actor Trevor Howard died in England at age 71.

Five years ago: U.S. forces in Somalia unleashed tank, helicopter and rocket fire on two clan camps in Mogadishu where snipers had been taking potshots at the troops. A preliminary report prepared for the European Community said Serb fighters may have raped about 20,000 women in Bosnia-Herzegovina.

One year ago: Newt Gingrich overcame dissension in GOP ranks to become the first Republican re-elected House speaker in 68 years.

Today's Birthdays: Author William Peter Blatty is 70. Country singer Jack Greene is 68. Pop musician Paul Revere is 56. Magazine publisher Jann Wenner is 52. Singer Kenny Loggins is 50. Singer-songwriter Marshall Chapman is 49.

"Today" show co-host Katie Couric is 41. Country singer David Lee Murphy is 39. Rock musician Kathy Valentine (The Go-Go's) is 39. Actor Nicolas Cage is 34. Actor Doug E. Doug ("Cosby") is 28. Country singer-musician John Rich (Lonestar) is 24. Actor Dustin Diamond ("Saved by the Bell: The New Class") is 21.

Thought for Today: "There may be Peace without Joy, and Joy without Peace, but the two combined make Happiness." - John Buchan, 1st Baron Tweedsmuir, Scottish author (1875-1940).



RANDY BIRD  
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## Man with mission will speak at Barn Church

Barn Church will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday at the HISD Administration Building with Randy Bird as featured speaker.

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Bird is a man with a mission: to tell people there is hope when all seems hopeless. Bird has been there. He has been challenged every day since a serious accident in 1986 almost ended his life and left him paralyzed from the waist down.

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His overwhelming urge to return to rodeoing gave him the courage to find different ways to do things. He designed and builds a tall back saddle which enables him and other paralyzed people to ride horses again. Bird was the first paraplegic Pro Team Roper in the 32-year history of the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association. Some of his achievements have been celebrated in the PRCA Hall of Fame in Colorado.

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glasses) would be driving down to Florida. I said, "Over my dead body." Mother replied, "We've had good, full, long lives. If anything were to happen to us, I wouldn't want you to be too upset."

I told her I wasn't worried about THEM. I was worried about the mother, father and children they might take with them if they had a terrible accident. My mother said she had never thought of it that way. They flew to Florida instead.

Soon after, Mom read that a 91-year-old man lost control of his

car and killed one of his friends. The next day, she sold her car and gave up driving.

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(A sister Spanish program will be held Tuesday, two days earlier, on January 6th.)

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Remember the diet program is free. Come and let us help your New Year's Resolution come true.

## Hints from Heloise

Dear Heloise: I have a cake recipe I want to try, but I have a question I want to ask before I make it. When a recipe calls for two eggs, what size eggs are they talking about? I normally buy large eggs, but I'm not sure what size I should get. Your help will sure be appreciated. — Miriam P., Detroit

I was just discussing this with my friend Jan, and she commented on the same dilemma. So, the American Egg Board to the rescue.

They said the standard egg size used in recipe testing is large. They also gave us this neat egg chart that I thought I'd pass along to you. Tear it out right now and put it in your cookbook.

To substitute another egg size for large, use these charts:

Large Jumbo Extra Large Medium Small

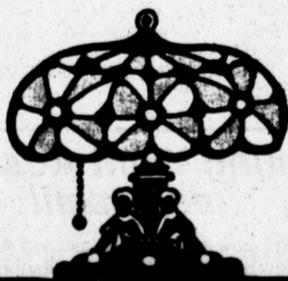
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FYI: Egg sizes range from small, medium, large, extra large to jumbo. — Heloise

**FRESH MELON**

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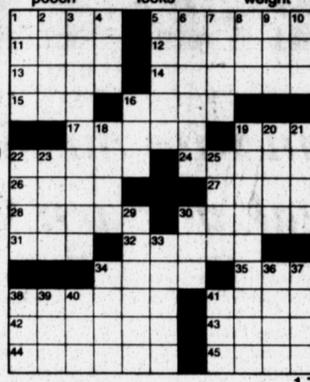
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11 Long skirt  
12 Deep gorge  
13 Dividing word  
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16 Garden starter  
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24 City cars  
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25 Tennis pro Arthur  
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34 Another small bill  
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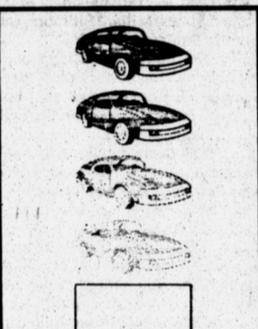
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# NEWS in brief

**RECLUSIVE MOTHER DEAD, DAUGHTER HOSPITALIZED**  
EAST GREENBUSH, N.Y. (AP) - Nicholas Spagnola would rely on little things to let him know things were OK at the home of his reclusive neighbors - the mail being picked up, glimpses of people moving about inside.

On New Year's Eve, he noticed no lights were on at the home of 80-year-old Catherine Estes and her 39-year-old daughter, Carolyn - unusual, since the women were often up at night. He called that night and for the next four, never getting an answer.

On Monday, after Spagnola and the postman found five days' worth of mail in the Estes box, authorities broke through the front door and found the body of the elder Estes; her daughter was incapacitated from malnutrition.

Authorities said the women suffered from agoraphobia, the fear of open spaces.

A coroner on Tuesday said Catherine Estes died of dehydration and malnutrition. Her daughter was in serious condition at Albany Medical Center.

"The daughter looked like an old woman," Spagnola said. "They looked like people at concentration camps."

### BIAS COMPLAINT FILED AGAINST DENNY'S

MIAMI (AP) - Nine state corrections officers have filed a discrimination complaint after being turned away twice from a Denny's restaurant.

The officers from the Everglades Correctional Institution said they were told by a manager in the most recent incident that the restaurant had run out of food.

"All he did was lock the door, ask us to leave and say, 'You guys don't look right together,'" Clifford Fortner, one of the officers, said in The Miami Herald today.

The nine officers - six black and three white - were told they could call the toll-free number for headquarters in Spartanburg, S.C., Fortner said.

They did - and they also called the civil rights monitor in a 1994 Denny's discrimination case, set up after a multi-million dollar settlement reached with blacks who had sued in separate allegations.

Debbie Atkins, a spokeswoman for Flagstar Cos., Denny's corporate parent, said she reported the claim to the civil rights monitor's office for investigation. She said the restaurant chain is committed to fair treatment of all customers.

"No one in our industry is doing more to address diversity issues than Denny's," Atkins said. "We have come a long way in the area of diversity. We have zero tolerance for discrimination of any type in our company."

### ALGERIAN REGIME REJECTS INTERNATIONAL INQUIRY

ALGIERS, Algeria (AP) - Despite some of the worst butchery of the six-year Islamic insurgency - with reports today of 27 more people slaughtered - Algeria has rejected a U.S. call for an international inquiry.

The latest reports from survivors and hospital sources indicated armed men killed 20 people Monday night in Bakhoucha, 40 miles west of the capital, and a family of seven in Laghouat, 190 miles south of Algiers. Most recently, reports Tuesday said about 200 people were slaughtered Sunday in mountain villages.

Many of the victims were hacked to death, and bodies were mutilated or burned, survivors said.

Various Algerian newspapers put the death toll in the mountain attacks at 150-300. The latest killings bring the number of deaths to more than 1,000 since the Dec. 30 start of the Muslim holy month of Ramadan, a time of prayer and fasting. Muslim militants are suspected in the attacks.

### TALIBAN ACCUSED OF SLAUGHTERING CIVILIANS

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) - Soldiers killed at least 600 civilians, lining people up and shooting them, during a two-day massacre in northwestern Afghanistan, opponents of the Taliban regime claimed today.

The claims of a Jan. 1-2 massacre 250 miles northwest of the Afghan capital of Kabul were made by Sibgatullah Zaki, an opposition spokesman based in Pakistan, and in a letter to U.N. Secretary-General Kofi Annan.

It was impossible to confirm the claims because of the remoteness of the region, which has been the scene of heavy fighting lately between the Taliban and its northern-based enemies. U.N. officials in Islamabad, however, said they have received security reports suggesting there were mass killings followed by an exodus of civilians.

In the letter to the United Nations, which was released today, a Taliban opposition spokesman identified only as Abdullah said 20,000 civilians fled the Qaiser district of Faryab province after the killings.

## GOP CHIEF: Clinton sounds 'so Republican'

AUSTIN (AP) - The prospect of a balanced federal budget under a Democratic president will affect Republican congressional candidates, who traditionally have campaigned on the issue, the head of the Texas GOP says.

"It's been difficult for Republicans lately at the congressional level to distinguish themselves from Democrats because Clinton is an expert at sounding so Republican and positioning himself on issues that have traditionally been Republican issues," state GOP leader Susan Weddington said Tuesday.

"The end result of a lot of those policies have not been the kind of policy that Republicans really advocate, but they have not done, I think, a good job making their case in really distinguishing themselves. So yes, I think that that has an impact on those congressional races," she said at a meeting with reporters.

Ms. Weddington said, however, that she believes Republicans will maintain their 13 seats in the 30-member Texas congressional delegation and perhaps

pick up a slot or two.

State Democratic spokesman Rafe Bemporad said the issues pushed by Democrats reflect their long-held core beliefs. He said the Democrats' goal is to maintain a majority of the Texas congressional delegation "and we're going to do that."

"I think that the Democrats are going to have success at the congressional level in 1998 because Bill Clinton and congressional Democrats have done exactly what they said that they would do. They delivered the first balanced budget in a generation, cut the deficit by more than half, delivered tax cuts for middle-income families and made a significant investment in education and health care for children," Bemporad said.

"The Republicans talked about balancing the budget for decades, and it took a Democratic president to get the job done."

Clinton on Monday said he would develop a balanced budget plan for 1999, three years earlier than expected, Congress and the White House earlier had agreed on a program to balance the budget by 2002.

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### Names in the News

#### JIMMY BUFFETT

KINGMAN, Ariz. (AP) - Jimmy Buffett says he's got dibs on Margaritaville. Not the fictional tropical paradise he immortalized in his songs, but the restaurant name.

Emma and Neil Mathews, who run a restaurant in Kingman, renamed their eatery to Margaritaville more than 10 years ago, their daughter Theresa Gump said.

But the couple got a letter last month from the singer-songwriter asking them to stop using the name, which is the title of Buffett's 1970s hit song and is owned as a trademark by Buffett. He owns Margaritaville restaurants in Key West and New Orleans.

Gump said she didn't know how Buffett - whose hits include "Margaritaville" and "Cheeseburger in Paradise" - learned about the restaurant, which is in the northwest corner of Arizona. She said it doesn't have a Buffett theme or decorations.

Buffett's law firm did not return a call Tuesday.

#### JAY SILVERHEELS

LOS ANGELES (AP) - The actor who played Tonto to poker-faced perfection in "The Lone Ranger" TV series is being honored posthumously as a hero in the Native American community.

Jay Silverheels will be inducted into the First Americans in the Arts' Hall of Honor on Feb. 21.

Silverheels was the TV sidekick to Clayton Moore, who as The Lone Ranger rode the frontier firing silver bullets at evildoers. The show ran on ABC from 1949 to 1957.

"Mr. Silverheels was not only a star in Hollywood, he was a hero to many in the Native American community," Bob Hicks, chairman of the nonprofit group, said in Tuesday's editions of *Daily Variety*. "He reached out to aspiring native performers by creating the Indian Actors Workshop. His contributions, generosity and humor have left an indelible stamp on our community," said Hicks, a Creek Indian.

Silverheels, a Mohawk Indian, died in 1980.

#### ROLLING STONES

SYRACUSE, N.Y. (AP) - Mick Jagger's raspy voice gave out, forcing the Rolling Stones to cancel tonight's concert on short notice.

The band's front man came down with laryngitis, and after Jagger saw a throat specialist the band decided the show in Syracuse shouldn't go on.

About 27,000 of the 39,000 seats at the Carrier Dome were sold for the concert, part of the band's "Bridges to Babylon" tour. Stadium officials hoped to reschedule the show for the spring, and fans were urged to hold on to their tickets. However, ticket holders seeking refunds can get them beginning on Friday.

Jagger performed Monday at the Stones' concert in Quebec City, said concert promoter Michel Brazeau. But Jagger saw a doctor Tuesday then canceled the next show.

#### BOB DYLAN

STANFORD, Calif. (AP) - It's a simple twist of fate: Scholars are planning a one-day conference at Stanford University to talk about Bob Dylan's legacy in American culture.

Authors, professors and Dylan experts will attend the event, which is billed as the first of its kind in the United States. The legendary folk songwriter is scheduled to perform in New York with Van Morrison on that day and is not expected to attend.

Among the topics will be an analysis of political views in Dylan's songs, Allen Ginsberg's artistic involvement with Dylan, the musical roots of Dylan's songs and a comparison to Beat novelist Jack Kerouac and French poet Arthur Rimbaud.

#### THE THREE TENORS

PARIS (AP) - Placido Domingo, Jose Carreras and Luciano Pavarotti adore soccer, challenges and singing together.

The three tenors announced plans Tuesday to put combine them all - celebrating the 1998 World Cup with a July 10 concert under the Eiffel Tower.

"I think we're going to have a very big acoustical challenge," Carreras said. "But this will undoubtedly be unforgettable."

The concert will mark the third World Cup songfest by the world-renowned trio.

The evening show, with the Paris Orchestra under the direction of American conductor James Levine, is the centerpiece of festivities two days before the World Cup finals.

Organizers say they expect the concert, to be broadcast around the world, to draw up to 800,000 people.

#### REP. JON CHRISTENSEN

##### TARA DAWN HOLLAND

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) - November may be the busiest month for Rep. Jon Christensen.

The Nebraska Republican said Tuesday he and former Miss America Tara Dawn Holland plan to marry in late November or early December.

Christensen is running for the GOP nomination for governor. If he makes it past the May primary, he will face a November general election.

The two got engaged last month at a White House Christmas party.

"She has to tell me where and when to show up and I'll be there," he said.

Christensen, 34, divorced his first wife in 1996. He and Ms. Holland, 24, have been dating for a nearly a year. The former Miss Kansas ended her reign as Miss America last September.

#### WILT CHAMBERLAIN

LAWRENCE, Kan. (AP) - Wilt Chamberlain will return to the University of Kansas after all for a ceremony to retire his jersey.

Technically, the No. 13 jersey was retired in 1992, but it hasn't been displayed from the rafters at Allen Field House like the others because the basketball great wouldn't come to Lawrence for the ceremony.

Several records set by Chamberlain still stand at Kansas, where he played for two years during the 1950s. After declining invitations to return, he accepted in 1993 but backed out because of scheduling problems.



Although American writer William Saroyan won a Pulitzer Prize for his 1939 play *The Time of Your Life*, he refused the award because he disapproved of literary prizes.

## Arco forks over \$42,000 on Newt's trip to London

WASHINGTON (AP) - It cost Atlantic Richfield Co. \$42,000 to send House Speaker Newt Gingrich, his wife and two aides on a five-day trip to London in December for a private speech to oil company executives and their guests.

Gingrich, R-Ga., disclosed the expenses as required under new House rules, which permit lawmakers to be reimbursed by special interests for travel associated with their official duties.

The speaker's trip is among the most expensive disclosed so far under the two-year-old rules. It included first-class air fare, limousine transportation while in London, and lodging at the exclusive hotel Claridge's.

During the trip, Gingrich also met with British Prime Minister Tony Blair and other political leaders, spoke publicly at London University and toured the Museum of Natural History, the zoo and Westminster Abbey.

While in London, Gingrich, R-Ga., also met privately with Arco Chairman Michael Bowlin, mostly as preparation for his dinner speech, said Christina Martin, Gingrich's spokeswoman.

By far the biggest item on the speaker's travel tab was transportation. Air fare and ground transportation for Gingrich and his wife Marianne cost \$20,268. Separate transportation for the two aides totaled \$3,300.

The stay at Claridge's for the speaker and his wife cost \$12,225; for each of the aides, it averaged about \$2,500. Meals for the group totaled \$947.

Martin said the House ethics committee approved the trip in advance, and she defended it by saying it cost "less than a 90-minute flight aboard Air Force One," the presidential jet.

An Arco spokesman, Al Greenstein, said the company has sponsored the dinner every year since 1976, seeking speakers "whose views are of interest to an audience of government and business leaders of the United Kingdom" and top Arco executives.

Previous dinner speakers include former presidents Reagan, Bush and Carter, retired Gen. Colin Powell and former Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan. Only Dole and Gingrich were in office at the time of their speeches.

Rules that took effect two years ago banned most special-interest gift-giving to members of Congress, but left one large exception: all-expense-paid travel. The rules require only that the trips be connected with a lawmaker's official duties and be disclosed within 30 days. First-class travel and luxury accommodations are allowed as "reasonable" expenses - an interpretation critics say is a loophole for undue influence by wealthy interests.

Prior to the new rules, special interests often sponsored lawmakers' trips, but costs and details were not disclosed.

An Associated Press analysis of 1996 records showed various interests picked up the tab for \$4.6 million in trips that year for members of Congress and their staffs. The most expensive trip in 1996 was a \$16,000, 10-day journey to Africa by then-Rep. Jack Fields, R-Texas. A trip to the Middle East last year by Sen. Robert Torricelli, D-N.J., and two aides cost \$27,000.

Arco is among companies seeking to develop oil resources in the environmentally sensitive Arctic National Wildlife Refuge; it has sponsored travel for congressional aides to the area to boost its arguments for drilling.

## CONSTITUENTS, COLLEAGUES TO PAY TRIBUTE TO BONO AT RITES IN DESERT RESORT

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) - Sonny Bono will be buried in this desert resort, a fitting resting place for the man who found respect as he entered the world of politics and left behind Hollywood and his image as a bell-bottomed buffoon.

Grief-stricken constituents and colleagues remembered him Tuesday as a cheerful, down-to-earth man who championed Palm Springs first as mayor and then as a congressman.

"Sonny was a no-frills kind of guy. He shot straight from the shoulder. You knew exactly where you stood with him," said Michael Allen, president of the Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce.

The 62-year-old Bono was killed Monday when he slammed into a tree at the Heavenly Ski Resort near Lake Tahoe. His death, caused by head and neck injuries, came less than a week after Michael Kennedy, the son of the late Robert F. Kennedy, died in a similar accident at Aspen, Colo.

Mourners, including Bono's ex-wife Cher and their daughter Chastity Bono, arrived late Tuesday at Bono's home here, 100 miles east of Los Angeles. A public vigil will be held at St. Theresa's Roman Catholic Church on Thursday, with a public funeral the next day.

Bono moved to Palm Springs in 1979 and opened an Italian restaurant, shedding an entertainment career he began as a songwriter before playing the bumbling sidekick guy to his striking, sharp-tongued wife on "The Sonny and Cher Comedy Hour," which ran on CBS from 1971 to 1974.

## DEATHS OF CELEBRITY SKIERS GENERATES CONCERN ABOUT SAFETY ON THE SLOPES

STOWE, Vt. (AP) - The skiing was slow and the snow heavy with rain at Stowe Mountain Resort, and Peyton Colbert's knee still hurt from a run-in with a tree the day before.

Like skiers nationwide, he was a bit rattled from the news of yet another celebrity death on the mountains.

"It's scary," Colbert, 27, of Atlanta said Tuesday as word spread of the skiing death of pop singer-turned-politician Sonny Bono. "Yesterday I hit a tree and hurt my knee. I was skiing in the woods. I won't do that again."

Weaving through the woods to catch fresh powder led to Bono's fatal crash into a tree Monday, less than a week after Michael Kennedy, the 39-year-old son of the late Sen. Robert F. Kennedy, was killed when he slammed into a tree during a football game-on-ski in Aspen, Colo.

Some skiers bought helmets for themselves or their children; others said the deaths just underscored the sport's inherent dangers. Ski resort officials said more than anything else, safety comes from skiing responsibly.

## DWI

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in jail or both, as well as six months suspension of drivers licenses. Things get worse. Minors convicted of DWI face the same charges, plus their drivers licenses may be suspended or denied for an additional six months with no occupational license for at least 90 days, depending on the age of the offender and the number of offenses.

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Feb	75.40	+0.10	75.50	75.30	75.40
Mar	75.40	+0.10	75.50	75.30	75.40
Apr	75.40	+0.10	75.50	75.30	75.40
May	75.40	+0.10	75.50	75.30	75.40
Jun	75.40	+0.10	75.50	75.30	75.40
Jul	75.40	+0.10	75.50	75.30	75.40
Aug	75.40	+0.10	75.50	75.30	75.40
Sep	75.40	+0.10	75.50	75.30	75.40
Oct	75.40	+0.10	75.50	75.30	75.40
Nov	75.40	+0.10	75.50	75.30	75.40
Dec	75.40	+0.10	75.50	75.30	75.40

### GRAIN FUTURES

Month	Price	Change	High	Low	Settle
Mar	2.77	+0.01	2.78	2.76	2.77
Apr	2.77	+0.01	2.78	2.76	2.77
May	2.77	+0.01	2.78	2.76	2.77
Jun	2.77	+0.01	2.78	2.76	2.77
Jul	2.77	+0.01	2.78	2.76	2.77
Aug	2.77	+0.01	2.78	2.76	2.77
Sep	2.77	+0.01	2.78	2.76	2.77
Oct	2.77	+0.01	2.78	2.76	2.77
Nov	2.77	+0.01	2.78	2.76	2.77
Dec	2.77	+0.01	2.78	2.76	2.77

### METAL FUTURES

Month	Price	Change	High	Low	Settle
Jan	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
Feb	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
Mar	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
Apr	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
May	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
Jun	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
Jul	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
Aug	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
Sep	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
Oct	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
Nov	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
Dec	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10

### FUTURES OPTIONS

Month	Price	Change	High	Low	Settle
Jan	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
Feb	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
Mar	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
Apr	1.10	+0.01	1.11	1.09	1.10
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# NEWS

## in brief

**CONTINENTAL GRAIN, PREMIUM STANDARD FARMS INK DEAL**  
GALLATIN, Mo. - Continental Grain Co. and Premium Standard Farms announced Tuesday the signing of a definitive agreement for Continental Grain to purchase a 51 percent majority interest in Premium Standard Farms, a Kansas City-based pork operation.

The transaction is expected to close the first quarter of 1998, once it has met the necessary approvals. Under the agreement, the new organization will include all existing Premium Standard operations in Missouri and Texas and the Continental Grain pork operation in Missouri.

As majority owner, Continental Grain will lead the management team. John Meyer, current vice president and general manager of Continental's pork division, will serve as chief executive officer of the new company created in the transaction. There will be no change in the management of either company until the transaction is completed.

Continental Grain is a private, family-owned international agribusiness and financial services business based in New York. It maintains leading positions in animal feed and nutrition, flour milling, commodity marketing, meat production and processing, and consumer and commercial finance. It has been involved in pork production since 1985.

Premium Standard Farms is a privately-held business and has operated pork production and processing facilities in Missouri and Texas for the last nine years.

**TREASURY INVESTIGATING JONES IRS AUDIT**

LONG BEACH, Calif. (AP) - The Treasury Department is investigating an IRS audit of Paula Jones' tax returns which began after she refused to settle her sexual harassment lawsuit against President Clinton, her attorneys said.

Officials representing the department's inspector general interviewed Mrs. Jones and her husband, Stephen, for two hours Tuesday night, lawyer Donovan Campbell said at a news conference immediately after the meeting. Details of that meeting were not released because of confidentiality laws.

"The general subject matter (of the review) is the possibility of improper or political motives in selecting the Jones' tax returns for an IRS audit, the IRS' handling of the audit to date and potential deficiencies in the audit process," Campbell said.

"Tonight we learned for the first time that the inherent impetus for the beginning of this Treasury Department review came directly from Congress, certain elements in Congress," he said without elaborating.

Speaking to reporters in Dallas, Clinton lawyer Robert Bennett speculated that the investigation was initiated by those in Congress "who want to humiliate the president."

"I wish somebody pressed (Campbell) on who those people are. I'm sure we'll find that those people are the same people who have been trying to beat up on President Clinton since the beginning," Bennett said.

**TOBACCO FIRM WANTED YOUTH-ORIENTED AD LIMITS**

NEW YORK (AP) - Years before the proposed tobacco settlement, Philip Morris Cos. considered restricting cigarette ads that target youths as a way to gain a "higher moral playing field" in the contentious tobacco debate, a new internal document shows.

In an internal company memo proposal for 1993, the world's largest cigarette maker considered a plan to "unilaterally begin work on legislation to modify, restrict or reform advertising of cigarettes to young people," *The New York Times* reported today.

The memo predicted that if the company took a "more progressive position on tobacco," it could "move into a higher moral playing field, to neutralize the tobacco issue and to focus attention on other, more appealing products."

The diversified company includes Kraft Foods Inc. and Miller Brewing Co.

A copy of the memo was mailed anonymously to the Times, and Philip Morris spokesman Victor Han on Tuesday confirmed its authenticity, the newspaper said.

**TRUCK BLAST INJURES THREE ON MOVIE SET**

WILMINGTON, N.C. (AP) - A truck loaded with explosive charges caught fire Tuesday during the filming of a movie starring Patrick Swayze, critically injuring two crew members and injuring a third who tried to help. Neither Swayze nor his co-stars, Meat Loaf and Randy Travis, were at the scene when the explosion happened at about 2 p.m.

Gary Shell of the Wilmington Film Permit Office said the blast took place as crew members prepared to film a final scene for the movie "Black Dog" on a cordoned-off city street.

"A truck was to collide with another truck, and then there was to be an explosion," he said.

As crew members held a final safety meeting, one of three charges exploded, blowing the door off one of the trucks and igniting a fire, Shell said.

### Author unsure what O.J. really meant

By The Associated Press

O.J. Simpson, who has steadfastly denied killing former wife Nicole Brown Simpson and Ronald Goldman, told a magazine writer: "Let's say I committed this crime. Even if I did do this, it would have to have been because I loved her very much, right?"

The remark is made without elaboration in a 10-page cover story in the February issue of *Esquire* magazine. Author Celia Farber wrote that she is not sure what the enigmatic comment means.

"O.J. would angrily deny that it means what you may think it means," she wrote. "He has never come close to confessing that he murdered his ex-wife."

In a telephone interview with The Associated Press from New York, Ms. Farber said nothing in her conversation with Simpson amounted to a confession. Rather, his question is more of an ink blot test for the reader.

"It's a Rorschach blot for whatever you already think about O.J. ... I can't be responsible for forcing him to explain what he meant," she said Tuesday.

In the same telephone conversation which produced the eye-catching remark, Ms. Farber said Simpson told her: "Listen, I would love to get my hands on whoever did this. Love to." She also quotes him as saying: "If I'm hurting right now, it's not because I've done anything wrong. It's because I miss her."

During several conversations with Ms. Farber, Simpson denied killing Ms. Simpson and Ronald Goldman on June 12, 1994. But without explanation or prompting, he suddenly offered the "what if" scenario that Ms. Farber said made her "stop breathing for a second."

**MIAMI MAYOR THREATENS TO PULL CITY'S ADVERTISING**

MIAMI (AP) - Mayor Xavier Suarez said a mouthful in a message left for *The Miami Herald*: If the newspaper doesn't start being "a lot nicer" to him, he will pull the city's advertising.

The mayor left the message on the voice mail of a *Herald* advertising manager whose office processes the legal ads, the newspaper reported today.

Suarez did not return phone calls Tuesday seeking comment. "This is the mayor of Miami," Suarez said during his 70-second message, which was forwarded to *Herald* President Joe Natoli. "I noted that we are subsidizing you and your newspaper with ads related to official notices of the city."

"If that's the case, I strongly suggest you tell your maximum leader of the free world for the publishing company, and I believe that's Joe Natoli, that he better tell his maximum leader of the publishing side of the newspaper, that is to say David Lawrence, to be a lot nicer to me."

"Because otherwise we're going to figure out every possible way of advertising in any possible newspaper except yours," Suarez said in the message, which he left Monday evening.

*Herald* Publisher David Lawrence seemed amazed. "I've been in the business for 35 years at seven newspapers and frankly have never seen anything like this ... ever," Lawrence said Tuesday.

**VIETNAMESE POLICE NAB ONE OF MOST WANTED**

WASHINGTON (AP) - A Vietnamese man on the FBI's 10 Most Wanted list was sent back to the United States to face a murder charge after being arrested by police in communist Vietnam.

Thang Thanh Nguyen, 28, a cook charged with the "execution-style" murder of an upstate New York restaurant owner six years ago, was arrested Dec. 22 in Bac Lieu province by the People's Police of Vietnam in what FBI Director Louis J. Freeh on Tuesday called an outstanding example of international cooperation against violent crime.

Vietnamese police took Nguyen to Bangkok, Thailand, where they turned him over to a team of FBI agents. The agents escorted him to Rochester, N.Y., Tuesday.

In July 1992, Nguyen was indicted on a murder charge by a Monroe County, N.Y., grand jury and the FBI obtained a federal warrant charging him with flight to avoid prosecution. Nguyen, a native of Soc Trang, Vietnam, was put on the 10 Most Wanted list Aug. 3, 1996.

**GRATEFUL DEAD PLANNING THEME PARK**

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - The long, strange trip taken by the Grateful Dead may end where it began for the band born amid hippies, free love and other now-fading remnants of San Francisco lore.

The famed 1960s rock band that emerged from a Haight-Ashbury flat and disbanded 30 years later on the death of leader Jerry Garcia confirmed plans Tuesday for a stadium-sized entertainment complex - a sort of spiritual home for legions of Deadheads. The Dead could even live again in a holographic arena that would recreate its concerts.

Grateful Dead Productions said many details are sketchy, but the vision is clear.

"This is about continuing the Grateful Dead experience," said Dennis McNally, the band's publicist for 14 years. "It's all very well and good to sit at home and listen to music. But the fact is that Deadheads coming together was an essential part of the experience."

McNally said the 65,000-square-foot project would be dubbed "Terrapin Station" in honor of a 1977 album, and likely would be built downtown. More than \$1 million from sales of a three-CD album last fall already has been earmarked for the project.

**HAWAIIAN AIRLINES, BANK SELL TICKETS AT ATMS**

HONOLULU (AP) - In a unique marriage of convenience, Hawaii's largest airline and largest bank will sell plane tickets through ATM machines.

Hawaiian Airlines and Bank of Hawaii will offer the service beginning in March at 140 automatic teller machines in bank branches, supermarkets, convenience stores and airports statewide. It is for travel within the islands only.

"What we're doing is taking advantage of available technologies to offer advantages to our customers," Hawaiian Airlines spokesman Keoni Wagner said Tuesday. "The name of the game is customer service and customer convenience."

Hawaiian Air, which will become the first in the country to sell tickets at ATMs, hopes the service will help close the gap with No. 1 interisland carrier Aloha Airlines.

Customers can use their debit or credit cards around-the-clock to buy flight coupons for travel between Hawaii's major islands - Oahu, Hawaii, Maui, Kauai, Molokai and Lanai.



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**MAC USERS WELCOME GOOD NEWS**

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - A year ago, Apple Computer Inc.'s rambling vision of a better future frustrated Macintosh loyalists hoping for a clear direction from the troubled company.

On Tuesday, Apple encouraged the Mac faithful with a brief, direct delivery of good news: stronger-than-expected sales, surprise profit in the last quarter and a lineup of spiffy new software.

The no-nonsense method of delivery said as much about Apple as the message, Mac users and industry analysts said.

"It was a very good indication that they're really paying attention to their knitting," said Jean Bozman, an analyst with International Data Corp. in Mountain View, Calif. "It shows they've been paying attention to the building blocks to get them where they want to be."

At Macworld, the largest trade show for Macintosh machines and related products, about 3,000 people listened to Apple co-founder and acting chief executive Steve Jobs deliver the keynote - and, almost as an afterthought at the end of the speech, the financial news. Supporters broke into cheers.

Apple said it would earn more than \$45 million in the quarter that ended Dec. 31. Wall Street analysts had expected a loss of \$10 million.

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<p>'96 Ford Tracer <b>\$188 mo.</b></p> <p>Stk 30527P '0' DN+TT&amp;L SP 8995 9.9 APR 60 mo. WAC</p>	<p>'97 Expedition 4x4 <b>\$295 mo.</b></p> <p>Leather Eddie Baurer 15000 miles</p>
<p>'95 Chevy Shortwide <b>\$18000</b></p> <p>Stk#21377 31000 miles.</p>	<p>New '98 Ranger <b>\$18000</b></p> <p>Stk#11095</p>
<p>'97 Ford Mustang <b>\$295 mo.</b></p> <p>Stk# 30592P '0' DN+TT&amp;L SP 13995 9.9 APR WAC</p>	<p>'97 Cutlass Supreme <b>\$18000</b></p> <p>Stk#30615PF 2 dr., 32000 miles</p>
<p>'95 Mark VIII <b>\$18000</b></p>	<p>'97 Chevy Silverado <b>\$18000</b></p> <p>Ext. Cab Teal, 3rd Door, 24,000 Miles</p>

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The YMCA Men's Basketball League is designed for men (no age limit) to show their athletic ability in b-ball games and to try their hand in winning a trophy. (1st place, 2nd place, 3rd place). Length of the league will be 6 weeks plus double elimination tournament. The team captain or manager will be responsible for the collection of the entry fee and to have all players listed on the roster in accordance with league guidelines by the start of the third game of the league. Out of town residents may participate in the league. Players must play at least 1/3 of the regular season games to be eligible for the tournament. Games will have 2 referees paid and scheduled by the YMCA.

<b>Sign-up Deadline:</b>	Tuesday, January 13th, 1998 at 3:00 pm.
<b>Starting Date:</b>	Games will be played on Sundays starting at 1:00 pm, First game will be Sunday, January 18th.
<b>Entry Fee:</b>	\$290.00 per team (Teams will not be entered until fee is turned in)
<b>Uniforms:</b>	Teams may provide their own or use pullovers provided by the YMCA.
<b>Unsportsman-like Conduct Penalties:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) 1 warning, 2nd one out of the game</li> <li>2) 2nd time out of the game and out of the league</li> <li>3) Cheapshots or undercutting or any unnecessary play that could cause serious injury shall result in immediate ejection from the game. (Consumption of alcohol will not be tolerated)</li> </ol>

Rosters will be available at game site. Individual players must have name on roster and be properly registered with their team before playing. As soon as a player participates in a league game they shall be deemed as starting the season. There will be no grace period. Team may start with 3 players, if they are not present then it will be called as a forfeit. Anytime players on the court or on the bench join an altercation that team/teams shall forfeit. Teams arriving without enough players to field a team may enlist temporary substitutes in order to field a team. The game will be a forfeit but this will allow those present the enjoyment of playing. If there is an odd number of teams, one team will play twice on game day. Intentional foul will be 2 free shots and ball out of bounds.

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