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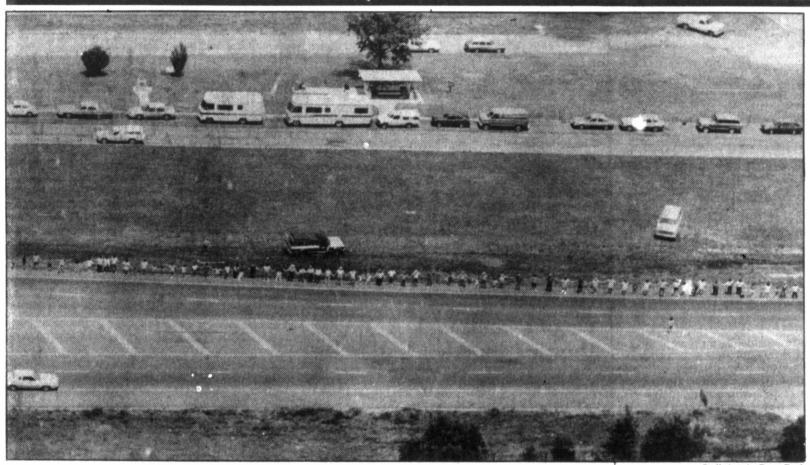
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Line of Panhandle residents joins Hands Across America just outside Clarendon

Hundreds join hands across Panhandle

This sky so serene has felt the Kiss of countless dreams and this

Earth that smells so sweet Cradles us all in its great heart-

eat.
— "Hands Across America"

By LARRY HOLLIS

CLARENDON - Coming from the Texas Panhandle, Oklahoma and Kansas, hundreds stood in the Hands Across America line near Clarendon Sunday afternoon, joining millions of others in the route stretching from coast to

"Mothers and fathers, daughters and sons," along with grandparents, friends, neighbors and new-found associates trekked to the route in the wide open spaces south of Pampa along Hwy. 287 at Clarendon, acting "together as one" in the project raising funds

to aid America's hungry and homeless.

At the beginning of the route in New York, across the harbor from the Statue of Liberty, more than a hundred thousand held hands, with 12,000 in the last mile of the line at Long Beach in the Los Angeles portion facing the Pacific Ocean.

But revealing the fears of the project's organizers, gaps appeared in the flat lands of the Texas Panhandle.

Cars, vans, trucks and campers lined the route near the intersection of Hwy. 70 and Hwy. 287, with people arriving early to wait for the 2 p.m. CDT event.

Radios were turned on to a number of different stations, rock and country tunes competing with each other. Children played in the grassy area behind the line, while adults traveled up and down the line to see who were there and where they were from.

A good-sized crowd spread east into Clarendon and west from the intersection toward the next town of Ashtola. As the time drew near, people were pulling over every minute to take a spot along the route.

But within a half to threequarters of a mile east of the intersection, the vehicles and the people became further apart, creating the predicted gaps that broke the line of hands.

That seen eventuality, however, was met with a red-and-white rope lying on the highway shoulder, ready for people to pick up in their hands to at least maintain a symbolical joining of hands across the 4,000-mile route.

But though gaps were there, those who had left their television sets and Sunday nap times to participate in the historic event were united in spirit with their fellow citizens across the land

Within the line near the in-

tersection were residents from Pampa, Canadian, Perryton, Booker, Amarillo and Happy, along with some from the Oklahoma Panhandle and from southwest and northwest Kansas who had driven even further from their homes for the Memorial Day weekend event.

Many got into the festive mood of the occasion, with flags and handmade Hand Across America posters decorating one van from Pampa. Others had painted the words on their windows. A couple from northwest Kansas brought an inflated scarecrow with them.

One Pampa woman was cheerfully taking pictures of those on either side of her group, taking down names and addresses so she could send them copies of the photographs.

Though the weather was mild, a cloud cover holding back the

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Storms cause seven deaths over weekend

By The Associated Press

Clean-up efforts continued today from the weekend's devastating storms that killed seven people and cut a wide swath of destruction across West and North Central Texas.

North Central Texas.

The body of a baby swept away from his mother's arms by floodwaters was found Sunday morning near Big Spring, while Fort Worth residents tallied up damage from a storm that killed six people and collapsed a bowling alley roof.

The child, Joshua Phillips, 1, was swept away Saturday night after the family's pickup was hit by "a wall of water" as Rusty Phillips sought refuge from a severe thunderstorm by trying to drive with his wife and child through rushing water on a rural road.

Howard County sheriff's deputies and volunteers started searching the area, about seven miles north of Big Spring, at 10:30 p.m. Saturday night when the child was reported lost

child was reported lost.

Sam Buchanan, a neighbor who joined the search on horseback, found the body at 8:30 a.m. Sunday after floodwaters receded. The pickup was washed several hundred yards by the waters, Howard County Sheriff A.N. Stan-

dard said.

Howard County authorities said several tornadoes were sighted north of Big Spring. As many as 500 people crowded into the Howard County courthouse to ride out the storm, officials said.

Tornadoes and thunderstorms overturned four mobile homes in Midland, ripped the roof off an airplane hangar west of Greenwood, and damaged the roof of a Salvation Army building in Big Spring, authorities said.

More than \$2 million in storm damage was reported in Stanton, 20 miles southwest of Big Spring on Interstate 20. Six mobile homes and two metal barns were destroyed, and heavy damage was inflicted on the high school football stadium, officials said.

About 60 percent of Stanton's homes were damaged by golf-ball-size hail, and as much as 5 inches of rain fell, Martin County Sheriff Dan Saunders said.

Interstate 20 east of Big Spring was closed for a time late Saturday as more than a foot of water washed away barricades police had erected along portions of the roadway, a sheriff's dispatcher said.

Michelle Schoolcraft, 25, of Lubbock, said she, her 2-year-old daughter and a friend narrowly escaped injury while driving to San Angelo when her car was caught in the storm about 13 miles north of Big Spring.

Big Spring

Mrs. Schoolcraft said baseballsize hail pummeled her car and shattered her windshield. She said the storm lasted at least 45 minutes.

"We were holding it (the windshield) in place with pillows," she

At least 17 people were injured Saturday by the violent weather, authorities said.

The high winds were blamed for a 58-car derailment on the Santa Fe Railrod Saturday night two miles outside White Deer near Amarillo, officials said Sunday. No injuries were reported.

In Fort Worth, hail up to two feet deep pelted the city during the storm that temporarily cut power to more 9,000 homes in the Fort Worth area, officials said.

"I have never seen wind and rain of the intensity that took place today," City Manager Doug Harman said at an evening news conference. "It was really incredible."

Seven people were hospitalized and seven others treated at the scene when the roof at Don Carter's All-Star Bowling Lanes collapsed on the crowd of more than 300 watching a state bowling tournament, city spokesman Pat Syacina said.

"It all happened so fast. Just a big wind came up and I just felt exhaustion, like wind sucking air out of your body. I just hit the deck," said bowling alley employee Wes Allen.

At the Ramada Inn Central across the street from the bowling alley, high winds blew out several windows and tore out sections of the roof, causing three minor injuries, said Kit Carson, director of Fort Worth emergency management division.

Some unmelted hail was still piled up Sunday along Beach Street, just north of the bowling alley.

City plans day for state champion Lady Harvesters

Pampa city commissioners Tuesday evening will consider adopting a resolution designating Thursday as Lady Harvesters Track Appreciation Day.

The proclamation will honor the Pampa High School girls track team for gaining the state 4-A track championship at the recent state meet in Austin.

In other new business at the 6 p.m. meeting, the city commission will consider matters incident to the award of bids relative to the acquisition of two tracts of land for use as a future site for a new fire station.

In old business, commissioners will consider adoption of seven ordinances on second and final reading. They include:
- adoption of the Southern Standard Plumbing Code and the Southern Standard

- removal of traffic lights and installation of appropriate traffic control signs at the intersections of Kingsmill, Francis and Frost with Ballard; Frost and West with

Francis, and Kingsmill with Somerville; -installation of yield signs at the intersections of Wells, Dwight and Christy with Decatur, and Jorden with Lefors;
- maximum speed limits on West Kentucky west of Hobart Avenue:

- creation of a one-way alley behind and adjacent to the First Baptist Church between Kingsmill and Francis; and

expansion of morning hours for designated school zones from 8 a.m. to 7:30 a.m.
 Commissioners also will consider payments to Wagner and Klein for architectural services and to Lewis Construction Co. for street and drainage improvement work.

Strong winds believed cause of derailment at White Deer

BY PAUL PINKHAM Staff Writer

WHITE DEER — For the second time in less than two weeks a Santa Fe Railway train derailed Saturday in the central Panhandle.

Santa Fe crews worked throughout Sunday to clean up approximately 60 cars of a west-bound freight train that left the tracks late Saturday night about two miles west of White Deer. No

injuries were reported.

The train was bound for Amarillo and carrying food but all of the derailed cars were empty, a Santa Fe spokesman said at the scene Sunday morning.

"All the loads are still on the track; all the empties are on the ground," he said as bulldozers

worked to separate the tangled cars.

The cars derailed at about 11 p.m. in the midst of a driving rainstorm and heavy winds, according to a dispatcher at the Carson County Sheriff's office. Santa Fe spokesmen blamed the

one worker at the scene said the train was traveling at about 68 mph but the speed dropped to 37 mph when a strong gust of wind hit it. Rain was falling so hard that it came into the cabin, even though all windows and doors

were shut, he said.

The derailed cars did not affect traffic along U.S. Highway 60 but Texas Department of Public Safety and Railroad Commission officials were on the scene to

monitor the situation. No hazardous materials were involved.
Santa Fe officials had one track

Santa Fe officials had one track reopened by about 8:30 p.m. Sunday, but the other wasn't expected to be cleared until some time today. They were unable to estimate damages.

An earlier derailment occurred May 11 when an empty eastbound train derailed east of the Highway 60-Price Road intersection just west of Pampa. Twelve multi-level auto rack cars left the tracks in that incident.

The train originated in Chicago and was en route to Amarillo with a final destination of Richmond, Calif. Many of the flat cars were overturned on the tracks and strewn about adjacent barditches along the track running parallel to U.S. Highway 60.



Ford.)

DIRECTING TRAFFIC — A foreman from Hulcher Emergency Service of Amarillo points to the driver of a bulldozer working to untangle one of the approximately 60 Santa Fe Railway cars that derailed west of

White Deer on Saturday night. The derailment was the second in two weeks in the central Panhandle. (Staff photo by Terry

DAILY RECORD

service tomorrow

BUTCHER, Dixie Mae - 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel.

obituaries

No obituaries were reported to The Pampa

police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents for a 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today

SATURDAY, May 24 Attempted theft was reported at Allsup's, 1900 N. Hobart; a person allegedly tried to take two

six-packs of beer from store while refusing payment. Tammy Angel Whitson, 1809 Coffee, reported simple assault; someone allegedly slapped her at

Allsup's, 1900 N. Hobart. Timothy Roy Fisher of Route 1 reported a reckless conduct incident; someone tried to run him

off the roadway. SUNDAY, May 25 Phillip Lang, 108 S. Sumner, reported theft of

items from the garage at his residence. Bonnie Grantham reported an attempted forced entry burglary at D.M. Campana Art Co., 721 W. Wilks.

SATURDAY, May 24 Charles Ralph Johnston, 43, of 616 Sloan, was arrested in the 400 block of Faulkner on a warrant for unspecified charges. He was released on a court summons

Terry Lee Marlin, 24, of 1331 Garland, was arrested at the Snappy Shopper on a charge of public intoxication. He was released on bond. SUNDAY, May 25

Arnulfo Hernandez, 20, of 1221 S. Wilcox, was arrested in the 1900 block of North Hobart on DPS warrants for unspecified charges and on charges of unsafe lane change and having no proof of liability insurance. He paid the DPS bonds and was released on bond for the other charges.

fire report

The Pampa Fire Department reported no fire runs in the 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

emergency numbers

 6-600
 669-7432
665-3881

hospital

CORONADO COMMUNITY

Admissions Mitzie Blaylock, Pampa Arlene Curfman, Pampa

Jessie Kirchman, Pampa Eunice Rapstine, White Deer

Ernestine Scott, Oklahoma City Sherry Tyron, Pampa Ola Able, Pampa

Tammy Groom Betty Peeler, Pampa Tom Price, Pampa Dismissals Bret Bell, Pampa

Kimberly Brister Pampa Robert Joiner, Pampa

Linda McGuire Pampa Ernestine Scott Pampa Shoffner Patty

Pampa Waggoner Lem Pampa Geraldine Davis

Ruth McQueary Pampa Oliver Rodgers Pampa

Pampa

Donny Wilbon, Pampa Dorothy Barnett

court report

DISTRICT COURT

Civil Cases Filed State of Texas vs. Guadalupe Trevino Ruvalcaba, principal, and David Trevino, surety: action

State of Texas vs. Robert Ludie Mitchell, principal, and Norris Tollerson, surety: action for judgement nisi.

Montgomery Ward and Co. Inc. vs. Ronald D. Sanders: suit on account.

T.W. Bartlett Co. vs. Vernon Brantwein: suit on

B and M Tool Co. Inc. vs. Bert's Oilfield Service Co.: suit on account. Criminal Cases

None reported.

Betty Lou Kindle and J.H. Kindle

minor accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported the following minor accidents for a 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today. SUNDAY, May 25

12:38 p.m. - A 1976 Oldsmobile driven by Luther Grant, 1148 Huff Road, collided with a 1986 Pontiac driven by Sidney Jackson of Dallas in the 500 block of Maple. Grant was cited for making an unsafe start from a stopped position.

7:19 p.m. - An unknown vehicle struck a 1976 Chevrolet Bonanza pickup driven by Gregory Donald Purvis, 912 Campbell, in the 300 block of North Gillespie. No citations have been issued in the hit-and-run accident.

Hands joined

spring sun, Gray County REACT had five cars along the Clarendon route with members dispersing packaged cartons of water from a firm in Shelton, Conn., one of the many businesses and industries supporting the nationwide pro-

wore their green Harvester boos- symbolically link the line as a ter shirts to the line and found themselves being greeted with cheers of "Yeah. Harvesters" from a station wagon filled with high-school aged girls

Nearer the intersection, a onearmed man had taken his place in the line, wanting to use that one hand to indicate his concern for the aims of the event

An older couple from Amarillo indicated they were traveling home from a visit. When they reached Clarendon and saw the people at the side of the highway, they stopped and delayed their arrival home to become a part of the line.

A father of a family group from Happy said they had received an assignment to join the route at the Armstrong County line. Not finding that spot, they just drove on to the Clarendon location and joined the crowd there

For some reason, a number of Pampa residents had received assignments in Fort Worth, more than 300 miles away. Instead, they drove down to Clarendon or ioined the route elsewhere in the Panhandle, including Amarillo. where the annual Funfest was in swing, or Glenrio, where Kenny Rogers was to appear.

At 2 p.m., radios began playing "We Are the World" and "Hands Across America" from the different stations. The participants joined hands, those further to the A couple of Pampa reporters east also lifting up the rope to unit

Pampa's Radio Station KSZN was among the stations joining the hundreds of others across the nation, playing the two songs and then following them with "God Bless the U.S.A." by Lee Greenwood. KGRO interrupted its regular Sunday afternoon American Top 40 program to mark the event. Another station followed the two songs with Neil Diamond's "America

Near the intersection, a number began playing a game, squeezing each other's hands and saying, "Pass it on." Many also began to swing from side to side. hands above their heads. Further out, others pulled on the rope to indicate to those on either side of them to lift their hands high or to sway their bodies

There were a lot of smiles, a lot of picture taking, a lot of enjoy-

While the hundreds stood on the north side of the highway, numerous truckers indicated their support by honking their loud horns and waving as they headed toward their destinations

Numerous other travelers also honked and waved as they headed east and west, though not willing to stop for a few minutes

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to join the line. But the line standers waved back at all. At least three small planes flew above the line, with photographers taking pictures of the stretched-out line from the air.

At 2:15 p.m. the songs were over, and the hands and the rope came down. Many cut out pieces of the rope to save as souvenirs. others also taking back the packages of Hands Across America water to save as a memento of the occasion.

The children, the teens, the young adults, the parents and grandparents then returned to their vehicles, waving to and smiling at the other participants, and then headed home, a long line traveling north on Hwy. 70 pass Lake Greenbelt.

The event was over, but people left knowing they had been a part of the historic event and had shown their concern for the nation's hungry and homeless So we must learn to love each

See that man over there, he's my brother.

And when he laughs, I laugh, And when he cries, I cry, And when he needs me,

I'll be right there by his side.

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Hurricanes given tamer names

WASHINGTON (AP) — If this year's hurricane names — beginning with Andrew, Bonnie and Charley — seem to lack the punch of such old-time designations as the Lighthouse Storm, September Gale or Racer's Storm. blame Clement Wragge

This year's names, starting with Andrew for hurricanes on the East Coast and Agatha for storms in the Pacific Ocean, were announced Sunday by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

It was Wragge, an Australian meteorologist nicknamed "Inclement," who started using people's names for big storms early this century

Wragge's choice of the names of politicians for some storms never caught on, but his selection of women's names for tropical cyclones caught the fancy of meteorologists, who were mostly

Indeed, it was only in 1979 that the system was altered to include male names in the annual hurricane designations, now compiled by the World Meteorological

Organization in Geneva, Switzer-"Use of easily remembered

names reduces confusion when two or more tropical storms occur simultaneously.'' explained Richard E. Hallgren, director of the National Weather

This year's hurricane names in the Atlantic, Caribbean and Gulf of Mexico are Andrew, Bonnie, Charley, Danielle, Earl, Frances, Georges, Hermine, Ivan, Jeanne, Karl, Lisa, Mitch, Nicole, Otto, Paula, Richard, Shary, Thomas, Virginie and Walter.

For the eastern Pacific Ocean, the names are Agatha, Blas, Celia, Darby, Estelle, Frank. Georgette, Howard, Isis, Javier, Kay, Lester, Madeline, Newton, Orlene, Paine, Roslyn, Seymour, Tina, Virgil and Winifred.

While the current lists follow Wragge's naming system, they are only the latest development in a long series of efforts to sort out confusion in tracking storms efforts that have included the names of saints and politicians, military nomenclature, latitude and longitude designations. meteorologists' girl friends and names that weather forecasters chose just because they liked them.

Hurricanes are also known as tropical cyclones, meaning large storms that originate in warm tropical waters. They begin as areas of unsettled weather called tropical depressions.

When sustained wind speeds reach 38 mph they become tropical storms and are named.

Tropical storms with winds that reach 74 mph are designated as hurricanes, derived from the West Indian word "huracan. meaning great wind or evil spirit. That name is used in the North Atlantic, Gulf of Mexico, Caribbean Sea. South Pacific and eastern North Pacific

The same type of storm is called a typhoon in the western Pacific, a baguio in the Philippines, a cyclone in the Bay of Bengal and Indian Ocean, and a willy-willy in the Timor Sea and northwest Australia. In parts of Mexico and Central America, the name cordonazo is also used.

Texans mark Memorial Day with services, celebrations

By The Associated Press

Services, parades and other activities across Texas on Memorial Day provide the opportunity for citizens to remember those killed in war and why they fought.

Many Texans spent the weekend preceding today's holiday outdoors at lakes and other recreation areas. An estimated 620,000 Texans joined hands Sunday in the biggest link of a coastto-coast charity chain to fight poverty and hunger.

Hands Across America organizers tried to fill the state's 621mile link in the 4,100-mile chain from coast to coast to raise money and awareness of the nation's homeless and hungry

'It is certainly not a day for the glorification of war. It is set aside for the rememberance of those dead, those who made the supreme sacrifice," said the Rev. David B. Davies, the pastor of First Presbyterian Church in Texarkana, Ark.

Davies, at memorial services Sunday, said if the dead could ask questions, the living might have a hard time answering them. They might ask what the country is doing to prevent war even as they prepare for wars that would be 'more terrible'' than any before

In Beaumont, a Veterans of Foreign Wars post, American Legion Posts 33 and 817, a Boy Scout Troop and the Civil Air Patrol placed hundreds of miniature flags on veterans' graves at area cemeteries.

More memorial services across the state commemorate the loss of loved ones to wars.

Disabled American Veterans

Bryan landmark theatre buckles

BRYAN, Texas (AP) - A piece of Bryan history came crashing down when a 77-year-old theater buckled under the weight of a

caved-in ceiling, officials say. No one was injured when the Palace Theater, built in 1909, collapsed Saturday after the ceiling gave way, leaving only the lobby and an area behind the stage standing, authorities said.

Maintenance man Ed Ford said he was alone in the building at about 11:30 a.m when he heard strange noises and saw small pieces of plaster falling. He said he ran out the front door seconds before the collapse.

City briefs

Dance Classes with Phil and Donna George. Register 7:30 p.m., Thursday, May 29, Clarendon College Cafeteria, Pampa Center. 665-1816 or 665-7989. Adv.

NEW ARRIVAL of Jam Fab-

rics. Also printed 6 ounce denim

60 inch wide, \$5.99. Lots more new

arrivals to numerous to mention. Fabrics Galore, 700 Warren, White Deer. 4 blocks South of Pete's Greenhouse. Adv. STAFFORD GREENHOUSE

1/2 mile East of Rodeo Grounds 665-4189 2 for 1 sale on Plants. 20 percent off all supplies. Open 9 to 6. Closed Sundays. Adv. LAS PAMPAS Galleries May

Special, paintings reduced 20-50 percent. Decorate home or office.

hosted Memorial Day services for several hundred Panhandle residents in the Poppy Field area of Amarillo's Llano Cemetery.

Visitors could place American flags on veterans' graves, said Dory M. Lacy, general manager of Llano Cemetery. Other activities include ser-

vices at Dreamland Cemetery at 11 a.m., Kathy Bement, cemetery manager said. Guest speaker is Dr. Joseph Findley, pastor of First Presbyterian Church in Happy.

Bement said Veterans of Foreign Wars, Lucius Penick Post 5601, will decorate veterans graves with flags.

Texarkana residents will attend a brief Memorial Day service at 11 a.m. at the Miller County Courthouse. The event is sponsored by American Legion Post

World War II veteran J.C. Rodgers from Harlingen said he spends most of Memorial Day with Harlingen American Legion Post 205 and their Memorial Day functions. He also makes a point of looking through a history book of the Texas Infantry Division during the war.

Along with commemorations of the country's war dead, other events were on tap for Memorial

Officials in Alpine said 22 hotair balloons are scheduled to take flight again Monday after a weekend show.

Organizers said the event marks one of the largest displays of hot-air balloons in West Texas.

Balloons will lift off at about 7 a.m. Monday for an anticipated flight of about an hour. Plans call for the balloons to land in Kokernot Park.

Amarillo's annual Funfest, located at Thompson Park and cosponsored by Junior League o Amarillo and Amarillo City Parks and Recreation Department, will open at noon and con-

tinue until 8 p.m. The remains of a Texas calvaryman who fought at the Battle of San Jacinto will be buried in the Texas State Cemetery in Au-

Laredo residents will have a three-day frontier fiesta celebrating the founding of the border city and a Mexican victory.

Laredo's Frontier Days include a downtown parade, a rattlesnake roundup and outdoor dancing. The event commemorates the founding of Laredo on May 15, 1755, and the Cinco De Mayo, (May 5) battle between the French and Mexican armies on May 5, 1862.

Officials at Palo Duro Canyon near Amarillo estimated 2,000 to 3,000 cars would pass through park gates through the course of the three-day weekend.

Dana Allen, park secretary, said the canyon had "116 campsites and they are going to be full." All attractions in the canyon will be open, excluding the musical drama TEXAS, she said.

Between 94,000 and 96,000 people are expected at Lake Meredith Recreation Area throughout today, according to John Higgins, superintendent.

Texas Department of Public Safety spokesman Mike Cox said the agency is fighting drunk driving and speeding over the Memorial Day weekend



BIKE WINNER—Christi Powell, center, was winner of the bike given away during a bicycle rodeo sponsored by the Pampa Police Department and Optimist Club Saturday. Making the presentation are Randy Hamby, left, of Randy's Food Store, sponsor, and Gary Coleman, representing the Optimist Club. (Staff photo by Terry Ford)

Weather focus

Mostly cloudy through Tuesday with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. High today near 70, low tonight near 50. High Tuesday in low 70s. Easterly winds 5-15 mph today, switching to southeaster-

are possible Tuesday.

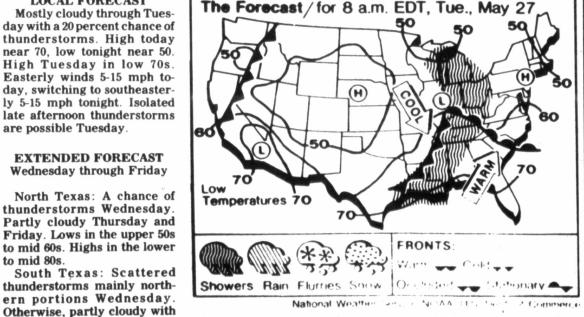
LOCAL FORECAST

EXTENDED FORECAST Wednesday through Friday

North Texas: A chance of thunderstorms Wednesday. Partly cloudy Thursday and Friday. Lows in the upper 50s to mid 60s. Highs in the lower to mid 80s.

South Texas: Scattered thunderstorms mainly northern portions Wednesday. Otherwise, partly cloudy with highs in the 80s except in the lower to mid 90s along the lower Rio Grande. Lows in the mid 60s to mid 70s.

West Texas: Fair and dry with a slow warming trend Wednesday through Friday. Lows Panhandle upper 40s Wednesday warming to mid 50s by Friday. Highs Wednesday lower 70s warming by Friday to mid 80s. Lows South Plains and Permian Basin in the 50s. Highs Wednesday mid 70s warming to mid 80s Friday. Lows Big Bend region 50s



mountains to 60s lowlands. Highs upper 80 mountains to near 100 along the Rio Grande.

BORDER STATES

Oklahoma: Partly cloudy and mild through Wednesday with a chance of showers east. Fair and a little warmer Thursday through Friday. Highs in the 70s Wednesday warming into the 80s by Friday. Lows in the upper 40s Panhandle to the upper 50s southeast on Wednesday warming into the the upper 50s Panhandle to mid 60s southeast by Friday.

New Mexico: Morning low cloudiness east..otherwise partly cloudy Monday through Tuesday with widely scattered afternoon and evening thundershowers. Lows through Monday night..40 to 50 mountains and northwest with 50s to middle 60s elsewhere. Highs Monday and Tuesday..60s and 70s mountains and east with '80s to low 90s elsewhere.

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Continental jet makes safe emergency landing

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) — Passengers aboard a crippled Continental Airlines jet cheered and applauded after the craft touched down on just two of its three wheels and skidded on its left wing to a safe stop.

The Boeing 727-200 was on its way to McAllen from Houston with 78 passengers and seven crew members aboard Sunday when the pilot discovered the landing gear under the left wing would not deploy, Continental spokesman Bruce Hicks said.

Flight 199 was diverted to Corpus Christi, and with one wheel under the nose and one under the right wing working, the pilot managed a spectacularly soft two-point landing at Corpus Christi International Airport.

"Everybody was quiet during it all. Some were

trying to calm others down," said Nancy Stowe of Minneapolis, Minn., who was in an airplane for the first time in her life.

"When we heard the words 'brace for impact," we put our heads down like they told us," she said. 'It was a real quick landing. We felt the plane tilt. There was no panic. No screaming. Then everybody started cheering and cheering.

No one was injured, Hicks said.

"Everybody was really calm during the landing," said Laura Moore, a 23-year-old McAllen resident who was aboard the plane. "We were all clapping, and the stewardesses were yelling when it was over.

"Then I saw smoke, and I said 'Let's get off of here'," Miss Moore said.

Hicks jet's malfunctioning landing gear was discovered about 4 p.m. CDT, about 37 minutes after the flight left Houston for the Rio Grande Valley city. The flight was scheduled to arrive about 4:30

Continental officials diverted the disabled plane because McAllen didn't have the facilities to handle a crash-landing, Hicks said. The plane circled for about 11/2 hours as officials tried manually to free the stuck gear.

At 5:50, the plane slowly made its final descent to the runway that was bracketed by fire engines, ambulances and police vehicles.

The plane gently touched the runway and deftly maneuvered most of the runway until, just as it appeared to be stopping, the left wing finally scraped the tarmac.

Passengers were evacuated through an emergency rear exit and were sprayed with protective foam in case of an explosion or fire, one passenger said. No fire broke out, Hicks said.

"It was wonderful when we landed - wonderful to know we were down," said Mildred Williams of McAllen. "I tell you, it's a great relief to be on the ground."

The National Transportation Safety Board and the Federal Aviation Administration will conduct a joint investigation, Hicks said.

"The captain and entire crew performed in the finest professional manner, making a perfect twopoint landing," Hicks said. "The experience and training paid off for everyone. It was the happy ending that we always hope for."

The jet sustained minor damage, and Hicks said officials were investigating to determine why its left landing gear would not deploy. He declined to name the pilot.

Texas holiday fatals kill 15

By The Associated Press

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A fiery collision in the Houston suburb of Deer Park left four people dead, and a San Antonio accident killed two, raising to at least 15 Texas' Memorial Day weekend death toll, officials say. The death count, which began

at 6 p.m. Friday, continues through midnight tonight. Police in the Houston suburb of Deer Park police have not released the names of the four vic-

tims killed early Sunday when

their car burst into flames after

night's invigorating rain.

were scampering around.

in the immediate area.

being hit from behind at a stoplight.

The dead are said to include the driver, 30, and the front seat passenger, 27. A woman in her late 20s and a girl about 4 or 5 were killed in the back seat, police

The other car's driver was jailed on two charges of involuntary manslaughter, officers said.

Later Sunday, Victor Ramos. 16, of Eagle Pass, was hit while trying to cross a busy highway in Eagle Pass, police said. He died about five hours after being

Off beat

Fred

Parker

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Showers invigorate life

Oh, how a rain in the Panhandle makes everything look better.

On the way to the car early Sunday morning while enroute to the

It seems that no matter how much city water one pours onto the lawn

The animal life even seemed to be enjoying the renewal of life

Sunday. Birds, it seemed to me, were more active and making more

cheerful sounds. Even the squirrels in the area north of Central Park

Although there was plenty of lightning and thunder accompanying

A personal note of thanks to the powers that be at City Hall for taking

action to remove some of what I have previously noted were unneces-

Of course, I haven't been complaining recently about that traffic

light at the intersection of North Frost and West Francis since city

personnel finally figured out how to get the timing mechanism to work

properly. At least motorists on Frost have been able to cross Francis

Without the traffic light, motorists on Frost should be able to pro-

Of course, this isn't the only traffic light being removed. I'm also

And, of course it will be a blessing that most of the traffic lights on

All of these traffic control lights in the downtown area were needed when the downtown was the only shopping area in Pampa. But, with

the scattering of the shopping districts to the west and north parts of

glad that city officials are seeing fit to remove the lights at West

Francis and North West and at Somerville and West Kingsmill.

without having to wait an unreasonable amount of time.

ceed sooner after stopping for the two-way stop sign.

North Ballard will be a thing of the past.

sary traffic control lights in the downtown area

Saturday night's heavy rain, apparently there was no severe weather

office, I noticed that the grass was greener and the flowers and other

plants seemed to be standing straighter and taller after Saturday

and flowers, the plant life is never as green as after a good shower.

struck by a truck, and Department of Public Safety troopers said the truck's driver has been

In a crash described by one official "the worst wreck I've ever seen, a tractor-trailer rig hauling cattle hit a Ford Pinto Sunday afternoon at an intersection on Loop 1608 southwest of San Antonio, killing two and injuring four.

The Pinto was pushed about 100 feet before it flipped and the tractor-trailer rig rolled on top, crushing it, authorities said. More than 75 volunteer firefighters, sheriff's deputies, San Antonio patrolmen and Department of Public Safety troopers worked for three hours in an attempt to pull the rig off the compact car.

The bodies of a man and woman were pulled from the Pinto. Identities of the victims were not immediately released.

Two boys, age 4 and 8, were also riding in the Pinto and were airlifted by helicopter to Wilford Hall Air Force Medical Center, where the 4-year-old was in critical condition and the 8-year-old in serious condition Sunday night.

Also injured were the 30-yearold wife and 3-year-old son of the truck driver, Jimmy Davis, 33, of Leming. Both were treated at the hospital and released.

A Waco woman, 57-year-old Raymund Palacios Medina, was killed in an early Sunday accident when her car collided with a pickup truck on a Waco street. The truck's driver was not seriously hurt, police said.

In other weekend accidents, Norma Linda Villarreal, 17, and Pedro Villarreal, 12, both of Edinburg, were found dead in their car after it failed to negotiate a curve and flew into the lake about

9 p.m. Friday, DPS officials said The car's driver, Jose Javier Marez of Edinburg, and another passenger swam to safety after escaping from the sinking car. but the Villarreal youths were unable to escape, a DPS spokesman

Other deaths Saturday included Janet Lee Kinsey, 19, of Fort Worth, who died in an accident in Arlington, and Bret Hayden, 6, who died when he fell off a car driven by his father, Billy Hayden, and was run over on a bumpy back road about two miles south of Marble Falls.



BUILDING EXPLOSION — Firefighters douse a blaze in downtown Houston where Sunday. (AP Laserphoto) natural gas exploded inside a two-story

structure, hurling bricks hundreds of feet

Gas explosion decimates downtown Houston building

HOUSTON (AP) - Natural gas erupted like a "volcano" in a two-story downtown building, decimating the structure as it showered bricks and debris as far as a block away, officials say

No injuries were immediately reported, but rescue workers were checking reports that two or three people were seen next to the building before the explosion and may have been buried under the rubble, police said.

Firefighters, called to check a report of smoke at 5:05 p.m. Sunday, arrived to see a three-foot hole blown out of one side of the building and heard the hissing noise of natural gas.

Minutes later, there was pandemonium.

'It looked like a volcano erupted inside,' said Antonio Martini, a security guard across the street. "All of a sudden you heard a little boom and you saw the roof start flying off and the walls fall

It took firefighters more than four hours to bring the gas-fed blaze under control, officer Tom Johnson said.

"People were screaming. Everyone was running and hollering,'' he said. "I thought I was dead, because it was coming down on top of me. The explosion was tremendous. I didn't know what it was. I thought I was a goner. Thank you, Lord.'

The explosion and resulting fire demolished the brick and stone building that housed two restaurants, an optometrist's office and a pharmacy. Johnson, with chunks of bricks falling around and on him, stumbled over the debris to check on his partner, B.A. Massengale.

Massengale's patrol car had been parked nearby when it was showered with bricks that littered the street and knocked down a street light. He got out of the way in time.

Martini, the security guard, ran into the street to pull his motorcycle out of the way as screaming people ran from falling debris.

Richard Westfall, 33, watched from his sixthloor room of the Texas State Hotel street as the fire trucks and police car pulled up at "You could watch the air conditioning units rise

up, and then she dropped and then the walls blew out." he said

A thick black smoke enveloped the area and wrapped around the adjacent 16-story Texaco Building.

Eighty-four firefighters and 21 units were called to battle the blaze. By 9 p.m., firefighters were still trying to put out some stubborn blazes underneath the rubble.

"This is the worst I've seen in a downtown building." said Fire Chief Robert Clayton. "We don't get big fires downtown like this.'

FAA investigating stunt plane crash that killed two

SANTA FE, Texas (AP) — A federal probe into what caused the crash of a stunt plane that killed two NASA employees — one of them an astronaut candidate could take weeks to finish, officials say.

Federal Aviation Administration officials are investigating the accident that occurred Saturday afternoon in Santa Fe, near Galveston, police said. Stephen D. Thorne, 33, and

James Ryan Simons, 39, both of Houston, were killed instantly, according to the Department of Public Safety.

Thorne was a National Aeronautics and Space Administration astronaut candidate and Simons was a flight control engineer for the agency, said Steve Nesbitt, public information officer at the Johnson Space Center. Simons was flying a Pitts Spe-

cial stunt plane which stalled and crashed into the back vard of Gary Windham, 26, of Santa Fe, police said.

"I heard a loud whistling sound, then boom!" Windham said. "The ground shook, the windows rattled. I thought a refinery had blown up.

Windham said he ran outside to find the crumpled remains of a bright yellow plane less than 100 feet from where he was sitting in front of the television. There was no smoke or fire, he said.

Santa Fe police officer Ron Willoughby said the kind of plane involved in the crash is commonly used for stunt flying, but that officials had found no one who saw the plane practicing stunts before the fatal crash

He said it was believed the plane took off from a Houstonarea airport.

Thorne was selected as an astronaut candidate in June 1985 and was a Navy lieutenant commander and former test pilot born in West Germany, Nesbitt said. Thorne's wife, Sue, lives in the Clear Lake area. His parents live in Anderson, S.C.

Simons, 39, a native of Montana, served as a payloads officer

on flight control teams and had been with NASA since 1982, Nesbitt said. A former Air Force Thunderbird, Simons was a 1969 graduate of the Air Force Academy.

He served from 1969 to 1976 with the Air Force and from 1976 to 1979 as an exchange pilot with the Navy.



Dr. Diane Simmons

-OPTOMETRIST

ASTIGMATISM

One of the eye problems that causes blurred vision is astigmatism. This happens when the cornea, or "window of the eye," is out of shape. A normal cornea has a perfect curve, with the same degree of slope on all sides. Light rays that pass through the cornea come together at a single point on their way to the retina.

This simply isn't possible in the astigmatic eye. The rays of light don't come together at the same point. There are two separate images. This doesn't mean that people with astigmatism see double, but it does blur their vision.

These are three kinds of astigmatism, depending on the eye's point of focus. It's 'nearsighted" if the focus takes place before the image gets to the retina; "far sighted" if the focus take place after the image reaches the retina; or it can be a combination of the two. In all cases, fortunately, vision can be corrected with properly prescribed eyeglasses.

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the city, there is now less traffic downtown, so the need for the traffic lights has lessened Again, thanks to the city officials for finally removing these lights. However, I still wonder if a four-way stop intersection at East Foster and Ballard wouldn't work better in releaving the traffic congestion at the Post Office. It seems the traffic in front of the Post Office might be able to move more quickly across or onto Ballard from East Foster if there was only a stop sign there instead of having to wait for a traffic light to change.

This is the final week for the senior class at Pampa High School and having a member of the class in my family makes me chuckle at the worries of many of the other parents.

As these parents are worrying about their "babies" growing up and leaving home for college or moving to some other locality to begin work, I hear about some of their worries, not wanting their boy or girl to attend college too far from home.

I can recall my fears 14 years ago when my oldest child, my daughter Judy, left our home in Northwestern Ohio for a job with the FBI in Washington, D.C. Having heard of the problems of young women in the nation's capital, I chewed on my fingernails many times before she finally called me to come up and help her move back home. She had decided to go to college

So, what happened, she enrolled at Bowling Green State University where the boys were allowed to roam in the girl's dorm. After she woke up one night to find a boy in her room, she decided to change schools That meant making a trip to Searcy, Ark., to take her and her considerable belongings to Harding College. At least she didn't have to

worry about univited guests in her room there. So, what happened after she graduated from college? She moved to Houston and I started worrying all over again. Now, she is married and living in Irving, so someone else is worrying about her at last. While Judy was still in college her brother Tom decided to enter the

Air Force, so old dad had another set of worries when he learned his son was being transferred to Okinawa. You know what, despite my worries, that kid survived those years on the Japanese island.

So now that my stepson, Robert Saylor, is preparing to leave home to attend college in Florida, I don't plan on worrying. I'm wishing that young man the best of life, but I won't worry about him.

I have learned that by the time a boy or girl is a senior in high school the parents should have instilled the right principles and it is too late to start worrying. If the parents did their work right when the child was young, they will turn out okay.

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Louise Fletcher Publisher

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Opinion

Do we really need a national flower

May the saints preserve us from congressmen with not enough to do. Our under-employed lawmakers are about to give us, whether we want it or not, a national

The Senate already has voted the rose "our national floral emblem," and with more than 200 House members co-sponsoring the same resolution, the rose looks like a shoo-in.

All this raises questions. Do we need a national flower? Of course not. We survived the American Revolution, the Civil War, the Great Depression and the Nixon administration without one, so why now?

Is choosing flowers a proper activity for Congress? No, but it's a harmless one. Imagine what the solons could do to, say, the economy or foreign trade during the time they were preoccupied with roses.

Are the lawmakers trampling on states rights? Yes. The national rose would take precedence over Alabama's camellia, Colorado's Rocky Mountain columbine, Florida's orange bloossom, Texas' bluebonnet and many other fine state flowers.

In fact, the only state and would-be state that have selected the domesticated rose as their own are New York and the District of Columbia, two places that are, shall we say, atypical of the nation.

Despite what the poets say, the rose is aristocratic, expensive, hard to cultivate and needs pruning, mulching and avoidance of its thorns. It is subject to pests and blight, requiring the release of noxious chemicals in the environment.

If we must have a national flower, it ought to be democratic and unassuming like the impatiens, which is cheap, grows in poor soil, thrives in the shade like our politicians, shrugs off pests, needs little care and blooms all season long.

Yes, impatiens is the flower for a people always in a

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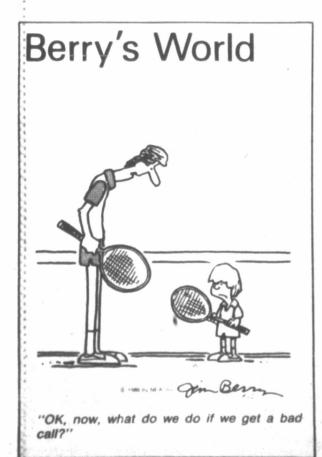
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Stephen Chapman

Threat to religious school

In 1979, Linda Hoskinson, a teacher at a Christian school in Dayton, Ohio, told her principal that she was pregnant. The school, believing that mothers with small children should not work outside the home, decided not to renew her contract. She then consulted a lawyer, who threatened the school with a lawsuit, prompting her immediate dismissal.

Thus began one of the most interesting cases before the Supreme Court this term. It illustrates the difficulty of accommodating the mandates of the modern state to the constitutional guarantee of religious freedom and the vulnerability of religious institutions to sweeping exercises of government power.

The key facts of the case are not in dispute. The Dayton Christian Schools (DCS) were founded to educate students "on how to lead a Christian life...(based on) the guidance and direction provided by the Bible." Only "born-again" Christians are hired as teachers, and they must abide by the school's standards of Christian conduct. One is that mothers of small children should stay at home.

It was this religious conviction that led to the decision not to rehire Linda Hoskinson. It was a similarly religious belief — that all disputes among believers should be resolved within 'God's chain of command" - which led to her firing when she went outside that hierarchy, in defiance of her contractual obligation, to consult a lawyer.

The Ohio Civil Rights Commission concluded that by these actions, DCS had violated state and federal laws against job discrimination, and demanded that it reinstate Hoskinson and stop discriminating. A federal district court conceded that the order restricts religious freedom. But it said that infringement is justified by importance of ending sex discrimination and protecting the right to make childbearing decisions. An appeals court, however, reversed that

The appeals court has the better of the arguments. For DCS to comply with antidiscrimination laws would force the schools' administrators, the churches which support the schools and the parents whose children attend them to violate their religious beliefs. Consistently applied, the laws would make it illegal for these schools to use an applicant's religion as a basis for hiring or firing. DCS could be forced to employ atheists to inculcate children in Christ-

This is an absurdity that could destroy religious schools. The churches and the parents, said the court, are forced to choose between 'supporting a school staffed by faculty who flout basic tenets of their religion or abandoning their support of Christian education

Nor can the goal of eliminating sex discrimination justify such a serious abuse of the Constitution. Exempting DCS in its employment of

teachers, the appeals court noted, "would not significantly interfere with the state's fulfillment of its goal... The state would still be able to regulate all employment practices of nonreligious institutions and would be able to regulate the employment practices of religious institutions except where religious belief is impli-

The Supreme Court has been reluctant to make exceptions like this one, understandably fearing that it will unduly complicate the administration of government and grant valuable privileges to favored sects. But in some cases, the demands of conscience are too great and the potential benefit to broader social goals too small to justify a rigid application of the law.

The Court has recognized that when it said that the Amish can't be forced to violate their religious beliefs by sending their children to public schools beyond the eighth grade, and when it refused to apply the National Labor Relations Act to Catholic parochial schools. It should make a similar exception here.

To do otherwise is to drain much of the content out of the First Amendment, subordinating religious freedom to the demands of the majority. The court should heed its past admonition that the "freedom to differ is not limited to things that do not matter much. That would be a mere shadow of freedom. The test of its substance is the right to differ as to things that touch the heart of the existing order.'

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Paul Harvey

We got their attention

Sssssh — listen.

Terrorists have been mostly silent, terrorism significantly less, since our air raid on Libya

I am writing these words with my fingers crossed. By the time you read them Page One could be spattered with the blood of innocents

But as of this writing, all's quiet on the Eastern front

All the hot air from and about Chernobyl has tended to preoccupy the media and you in recent weeks. Something that did not happen during that time may be more significant.

While intramural fighting continues in and around Lebanon - and while some crude homemade bombs explode near some embassy com-

pounds - big-league terrorism is on hold. You and I have speculated during many visits

as to whether modern weapons might not take the fun out of war.

When wars could be waged by warmakers from a safe distance wars could be waged as

impersonally as a game of chess. But modern weapons which spare nobody are

enough to discourage anybody from triggering a holocaust And when American bombs over Libya zero in

on Kadafi's home and headquarters — injuring his sons — then perhaps the price of terrorism has gone too high. My own sources inside Libya dried up the

week following the raid when correspondents were ordered out.

All we learn from travelers coming out indicates that initial tumultuous anti-American venom has spent itself and Tripoli has returned to a degree of whatever they consider normalcy. Mightily meaningful to Kadafi and his hired

guns had to be the degree to which other nations have closed ranks behind ours in rejecting terrorism and expelling Libyan diplomats.

West Germany expelled 20-some. Britain expelled 22 "Libyan students" as suspected terrorists. Spain evicted 11 Libyan diplomats. Italy and France expelled others.

These evictions have economic significance to Libya; less trade reciprocity at a time when the country's economy is already hemor-

But — and I hope I don't have to eat these words later - our President's air strike and his expressed willingness to hit 'em again has had a sobering effect on whoever was kidnapping, car-bombing and skyjacking with impunity and without interruption for months preceding the noisy night of April 14.

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The success of blacks in the military

By Ben Wattenberg

There is a fascinating article mixing sociology, race and politics in May's edition of the Atlantic magazine. The piece is "Success Story: Blacks in the Army," by Dr. Charles C. Moskos, a Northwestern University sociologist who specializes in race re-lations in the U.S. military.

To begin, Moskos believes this: The U.S. military is the most successfully integrated institution in America.

Consider: There are 400,000 blacks in the U.S. armed forces. That's almost 20 percent, while blacks make up only about 12 percent of the total population. In the Army, which Moskos has studied with particular care, 30 percent of the personnel are black.

Blacks, says Moskos, do pretty well in the Army. About 30 percent of the Army's non-commissioned officers are now black. That's almost 100,000

black sergeants! It doesn't stop with NCOs: Fully 10 percent of the Army's officers are

black, and the rate is rising. One in five of the Army's new ROTC graduate officers are black. The proportion of blacks in the incoming West Point class has gone up tenfold in one generation. Of the active generals in the Army today, 7 percent are black. More are on the way.

Moskos is not foolish enough to say everything is all racially wonderful He notes reflections in the military of an American society where blacks are poorer and less educated than whites. He sees the reflections, too, of a society that has still not fully conquered discrimination. But he says this: "Today one is more likely to hear racial jokes in a faculty club than in an officers' club. And in an officers' club, one will surely see more

Moskos points to another heartening fact: Each year about 5,000 black officers and NCOs reach the young military retirement age and return to civilian work. This number will be growing as the decades roll on. These

are productive, disciplined people They have been bossed by whites. And they have bossed whites. In the years to come, one may expect that these veterans will play a large role in making integration more successful in the rest of America.

Moskos also has a political point. He notes that black elected leaders are out of touch with this large group of upwardly mobile blacks - and the feeling is mutual.

The elected blacks (says Moskos) are almost invariably very liberal; not so the military blacks among whom, for example, some substantial Reagan support exists, as well as support for moderate to conservative Democrats. Most elected blacks favor preferential treatment for blacks; blacks in the military are often dubious and draw pride from having made it on their own. And there is foreign and defense policy. Recall that Jesse Jackson has called for a 25 percent cut in defense spending and that the Congressional Black Caucus always leads the parade for less defense

spending. Here's what Moskos says about the black elected liberal leadership: 'Most of them are uninterested in, even alienated from, the long-term goals of American foreign policy.... When foreign-policy issues are raised by black leaders, the discussion generally involves racist features of U.S. behavior overseas, especially in Africa and the Caribbean

Very interesting. Now, I have a question. There are 400,000 blacks now in service. Many more are going into the military each year, and many are coming out with military retirement pay. Add to that all the spouses and growing families. Question: Isn't it possible that there may be a growing and potent pro-defense, pro-moderate, black political constituency out there? Is it possible that politicians black and white, of both parties - are ignoring something big that has al-

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Some French and American hostages will be released

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) - Persistent reports that some Westerners kidnapped in Beirut were about to be released attracted a throng of reporters to hotels in Damascus, Syria, but an informed source said there was no reason to believe any release was imminent

"I am in a position to assure you that all the gossip about the release of any hostage is without foundation at all," the source said Sunday, speaking on condition neither his name nor location be disclosed.

A French hostage negotiator, Omran Adham, was known to be in the Syrian capital, but the source said he was on private business. In the past six months, Adham has made frequent trips to Syria to try to gain the release of the nine missing Frenchmen.

Reports in the Beirut press this weekend fueled speculation that freedom could be near for some of the captive Frenchmen, as well as for some of the five Americans kidnap victims missing in

On Saturday, the newspaper as-Safir quoted unidentified sources as saying eight of the Frenchmen would be released, four within two days and four a week later.

The same day, the pro-Libyan magazine Al-Shiraa carried a one-paragraph report saying that "an informed political source has disclosed that six hostages, three

Americans and three French, will be freed shortly."

Neither publication identified the hostages to be released, and there was no indication from U.S. or French officials that they had knowledge of imminent releases.

Today, an anoymous telephone caller claiming to speak for the shadowy Shiite Moslem extremist group Islamic Jihad told the Christian Voice of Lebanon radio that the group would release two of the captive Frenchmen today.

But there were strong doubts over the authenticity of the claim, as all previous claims made to the station by callers claiming to speak on behalf of Islamic Jihad, or Islamic Holy War, have proven wrong.

Unconfirmed reports Sunday in Beirut said the French hostages were moved to a secret location in Syrian-controlled eastern Lebanon pending their release in Damascus.

European reporters and television crews began streaming into the Syrian capital and checking into hotels to await the release of the French hostages after as-Safir reported what it said was a breakthrough last week in backstage contacts in Syria, Lebanon and Iran.

As-Safir has not said who was involved, but said the efforts excluded the five American hostages because of the U.S. air

raids on Libya on April 15. Syrian Foreign Minister Farouk Sharaa, interviewed Sunday in Damascus on the CBS News program "Face the Nation," said his government was working to secure the release of the American and French hos-

But, he said "I can't feel very optimistic when I don't have tangible grounds for that."

Sharaa said Syria did not know where the hostages were because their captors "move them from one place to another and keep their hideout very secret.'

Islamic Jihad has said it kidnapped the Americans and four of the Frenchmen. The group, which is said to be linked to Iran, said it killed two hostages, U.S. Embassy political officer William Buckley and French researcher Michel Seurat, but their deaths have not been confirmed.

In addition to Buckley, the Americans are Terry A. Anderson, 38, chief Middle East correspondent of The Associated Press: the Rev. Lawrence Martin Jenco. 50, a Roman Catholic priest; David Jacobsen, 54, director of the American University Hospital; and Thomas Sutherland. 54, acting dean of agriculture at the American University of Beirut.

On Sunday, police reported that an unidentified Romanian diplomat had been stopped by gunmen in west Beirut, but said he jumped from his car and escaped as bullets whizzed by.



SALUTING THE STARS AND STRIPES People of all ages salute the presentation of flags during the dedication of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in The Presidio of San

Francisco Sunday. The dedication of the memorial was done in conjunction with the Memorial Day activities. (AP Laserphoto)

American doctor returns to treat more radiation victims

MOSCOW (AP) - An American bone marrow specialist returned to the Soviet Union to treat victims of the nuclear disaster at the Chernobyl power plant, which a Soviet newspaper says is being encased from above and below by crews working behind lead shields.

Meanwhile in London, a British newspaper quoted unidentified Soviet and international nuclear investigators as saying a foul-up by a reactor operator caused the April 26 disaster 80 miles north of

London's Observer newspaper said Sunday that investigators think the operator pulled out some control rods. "Alarmed, he moved some more rods to try to trol — and this caused part of the reactor to 'go critical.

That led to an explosion, and a 200-ton mobile crane suspended above the reactor core "crashed down on it, causing enormous damage," The Observer said. It quoted the investigators as saying the fire that raged for days then broke out in the

The physicist who is overseeing the cleanup at Chernobyl, Yevgeny Velikhov, said on the NBC news program "Meet the Press" Sunday that the accident was caused both by both human error and mechanical failure. He

did not elaborate. Robert Gale, the U.S. bone returned to Moscow on Sunday that he could not provide an update on the number of deaths caused by the Chernobyl acci-

A Soviet representative to the International Atomic Energy Agency in Vienna, Boris Semyonov, said last week that 15 people had died from the accident and 20 were in grave condition.

Before leaving Los Angeles on Saturday, Gale said he hoped he would be able to provide followup treatment to patients he treated earlier. "We expect smaller numbers of additional fatalities," Gale said Saturday.

Workers are sealing the destroyed reactor, one of four at

Mexico-IMF are holding key talks on new debt agreement

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Negotiations between the International Monetary Fund and Mexico for new loans are stalled over the size of the government's deficit, but officials still believe an agreement is likely in the coming

With Mexico's economy in a crunch because of the collapse of world oil prices, analysts say it is increasingly urgent for the government to come to terms with international financial organizations and bankers on a fresh debt package.

Bankers, many of them in the United States, want Mexico to reach an agreement with the IMF before they themselves begin discussions on granting further loans to the government.

The IMF, a United Nations agency, was formed to promote tion, currency stabilization and expansion of world trade.

Mexico already has a foreign debt of \$97.6 billion, the second highest in the developing world after Brazil. About \$36 billion is owed to U.S. banks.

Mexico's chief debt negotiator, Angel Gurria, is currently in Washington, and has held talks there with IMF officials.

"We could say the talks are continuing, but they are not as successful as we would like for them to be," said a Mexican Treasury Department official, who spoke on condition of anony-

A Western diplomat, who also insisted on not being identified, said the two sides have been unable to agree on a target for reducing the federal budget deficit.

The deficit was 4.5 trillion pesos or \$9 billion last year, more than double earlier government projections. The deficit worked out to 9.9 percent of the gross national product. The government had hoped to hold the red ink to 5.1 percent. It was 8.7 percent in 1984.

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Mexico, according to the diplomat, wants the IMF to agree on a deficit projection of at least 12 percent in 1986 because the government expects much lower revenues from oil sales and higher interest costs on its internal debt.

The IMF would like a sharp reduction in the deficit, possibly by as much as half that proposed by the government.

However, the diplomat predicted that the two sides would reach an agreement in the next month on a plan that would provide Mexico with \$800 million to \$1.2 billion in IMF loans.

Miguel Mancera, director of the central Bank of Mexico, said recently the government hopes to wrap up an agreement with the IMF in a matter of weeks.

Mexico is under growing pressure to agree on a plan. The collapse of oil prices has lopped billions of dollars off the amount of money it expected to earn this year. As a result, analysts worry about Mexico's ability to remain current on the interest payments owed on the debt.

The international reserves held by the government tumbled to \$5.8 billion at the end of last year, from \$8.1 billion in 1984.

To gain more money, Mexico is considered likely to negotiate with commercial bankers for an

estimated \$2.5 billion in new loans and further postponement of \$950 million in principal payments. After last September's deadly earthquakes, bankers postponed the principal payments for six months and granted an additional six-month delay in

Mexico's creditors have pushed for the government to make major adjustments in its economy by paring the budget, opening its markets to more foreign trade and reducing the inflation rate, which was at 63.7 percent in 1985.

The government has moved in recent weeks to rid itself of some of its weighty expenditures. In the past, government subsidies have totaled about \$2 billion in the federal budget.

In an unusual action, it asked a bankruptcy court to shut down the government-owned Fundidora Monterrey, Latin America's oldest steel mill, because it has been a chronic money-loser. The move will leave jobless 11,000 workers at Fundidora and an affiliate steel-rolling plant, and could affect thousands of others who work for companies supplying goods to the steelmaker.

The government also is trying to sell some of the other 900 stateowned enterprises, reportedly including Mexicana airlines.

Prisoner escapes by helicopter

PARIS (AP) — A helicopter touched down today at La Sante prison in Paris, picked up a 34vear-old inmate and flew him out in a daring daylight escape, officials said.

A second prisoner at La Sante also tried to escape, but was caught, said the officials, who spoke on condition they not be identified. They identified the escapee as

Michel Vaujour, who was serving an 18-year sentence for armed robbery. The prisoner who tried to escape and failed was initially identified only as Hernandez.

A witness near the prison who saw the escape said the helicopter remained stationary over the prison, on the Left Bank in the 14th arrondissement, for four or five minutes.

"It was about 10:45 (a.m.) when an Alouette helicopter hovered over a building where two men in warm-up suits crouched," said



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Among the colorful recollections of Noah Smithwick is this quote from Sam Houston: "If I could build a wall from the Red River to the Rio Grande so high that no Indian could scale it, the white people would go crazy trying to devise a means to get beyond it." Smithwick had helped the first Texas president negotiate a treaty with the Com-

Whether Houston actually said it is not the issue — it speaks to the dissension between the two cultures.

The land was the Indians' - they still wanted their share of it. and Texans wouldn't hear of it. Treaty upon treaty became meaningless. It simply became a matter of who won the wars. In the end, the Indians lost. But until then, atrocities and massacres infected the Texas fron-

When Mirabeau Lamar succeeded Houston as president of the Republic in 1838, relations between Indians and Texas settlers altered radically.

Houston was an adopted member of the Cherokee nation and was considered a friend of Indians in general. Lamar did little to hide his distaste for the "red man," saying:

"I experience no difficulty in deciding on the proper policy to be pursued towards them. It is to push a rigorous war against them; pursuing them to their hiding places without mitigation or compassion, until they shall be made to feel that flight from our borders without hope of return, is preferable to the scourges of war.

But after Houston returned to the presidency in 1841 and renewed attempts to negotiate for peace, the Tawakoni Wichita representative Ke-chi-ka-roque offered his people's sentiment: "The ground upon which you sit is my ground, the water which you have drunk is my water and the meat of which you have eaten was mine. ...

Historian Tom Cutrer asserts that warfare between two such totally different cultures could result only in the total destruction of one or the other. But it was the courage, skill and tenacity of the Comanche in particular that made the contest long, bloody, and for the last 30 years, uncertain, Cutrer says.

In 1840, it was learned that Comanche bands encamped near San Antonio had American and Mexican prisoners, and officials of the Republic of Texas called for a parley.

An Indian delegation of about 60 men, women and children, including about a dozen chiefs, came into town, bringing with them young Matilda Lockhart, who had been a captive of the Comanches for two years

The Indians denied having other captives; Matilda Lockhart disputed their claim; and the outraged Texans ordered the Comanche leaders to be held as hostages until all captives were repatriated.

The Indians resisted with knife and club, bow and arrow, and the Texas troops opened fire. Seven whites and 35 Indians were killed. The Council House Fight so angered the Comanches, Cutrer says. that they executed at least 13 of their white prisoners and organized

the largest raid ever on the white settlements. In August 1840, hundreds of Indians swept down the Guadalupe Valley to the coast, killing or capturing scores of whites and fleeing with horses and goods. A volunteer army of Texans overtook the Indians on Plum Creek near the town of Lockhart and dealt them a decisive defeat.

Sporadic raids and counter-raids continued for another 20 years until the Texas Rangers and the United States Army pushed most of the Texas Indians to Indian territory, now Oklahoma.

Northwest of the Red River, however, raiding across the Texas border intensified, and with federal troops and Texas Rangers withdrawn to fight the Civil War, the Comanches struck back with a vengeance, driving the Texans' settlements back from 50 to 100 miles in North Texas.

With the end of the Civil War, however, U.S. soldiers and heavily armed buffalo hunters returned to Comancheria.

While the hide trade took an effective toll on the Indians' source of food, shelter and tools, the Fourth U.S. Cavalry under Col. Ranald Mackenzie followed the Comanche bands into their Panhandle stronghold and harassed them remorselessly in a series of winter campaigns

The summer of 1874 brought the two last battles which defeated the Comanches.

First, Cutrer says, at a buffalo hunters' camp on the Canadian River called Adobe Walls, Comanche, Kiowa and Cheyenne warriors under the leadership of Quanah Parker, Cynthia Ann Parker's and Chief

Peta Nacona's son, attacked a group of white hunters. Barricaded in the fortress-like building and armed with new Sharp's rifles, the buffalo hunters easily defended themselves against the mounted Indians

The Indians' morale reportedly slumped on the second day of the fight when Billy Dixon shot a Cheyenne from seven-eighths of a mile, knocking him from his horse. The victim's companions continued the seige half-heartedly until more hunters arrived to drive them away.

Three months later, the Fourth Cavalry discovered the remains of Quanah's band encamped in Palo Duro Canyon in Randall County. Descending the precipitous canyon walls under fire, the troopers routed the Indians and captured the Comanche horse herd and many robes, blankets, tipis and food.

Though most of Quanah's followers escaped, the brutal winter of 1874 forced them to abandon Texas for Oklahoma reservations.

Bonner arrives in France

wife of Soviet dissident Andrei Sakharov, arrived in Paris Sunday after a six-month stay in the United States where she underwent heart surgery.

Mrs. Bonner, 64, will stay in Paris three days and visit London, Rome and Oslo before returning to the Soviet Union on

PARIS (AP) — Yelena Bonner. June 2 to rejoin her 65-year-old husband in internal exile.

> Her daughter, Tatiana Yankelevich, accompanied her. Mrs. Bonner did not speak to reporters at the airport. She was to meet with President Francois Mitterrand and other officals during her Paris stay.



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LIFESTYLES

By LARRY HOLLIS

Staff and instructors are fina-

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and fundamentals for the re-

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School age students from

grades 1 through 12 are eligible to

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a.m. to 5 p.m. June 9-11 at the

Parks and Recreation Depart-

ment office, 816 S. Hobart. Clas-

ses will begin June 16 and con-

All registered students and pa-

rents or guardians are invited to

assemble at Harvester Stadium

at 9 a.m. Friday, June 13, for

orientation, class and instructor

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will receive one official City of

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Each registered participant

The program will offer orga-

week program this summer.

Senior Writer

other classes.

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program.



Song of old-fashioned girl is praise for good old days

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I loved the letter from "Millie," who was on the side of girls who held out for marriage. Her letter made my day, especially when she mentioned a song that was popular in the '20s titled "Just a Girl That Men Forget." When I was young, I used to play it over and over on our player piano.

In those days, music was firstrate. The lyrics told a story without repeating a line - a far cry from the repetitious junk one hears today.

In case you want to share all the lyrics with your readers, here they

> JUANITA HAMMON, LYNWOOD, CALIF.

DEAR JUANITA: I do; thanks for sharing:

My dear little girl, they call you a vamp,

A flapper with up-to-date ways You may shine brightly, but just like a lamp,

You'll burn out one of these days. Then your old-fashioned sister will come into view

With a husband and kiddies, but what about you?

You're the kind of a girl that men forget Just a toy to enjoy for a while For when men settle down, they

always get An old-fashioned girl, with an old-fashioned smile

And you'll soon realize you're not so wise.

When the years bring you tears of regret When they play, "Here Comes

the Bride' You'll stand outside, just a girl that men forget.

DEAR ABBY: "Holding Out" wrote to say that she is 27, unmarried, and has chosen to remain a virgin for a variety of reasons we have all heard many times: She will not have to worry about becoming pregnant or getting a disease. And she won't wonder if a guy really cares for her, or if he's just using her for sex.

It's funny how guys still want the girls they marry to be virgins, but if they sleep around, it's OK; they marriage without a condom. If you need the "experience."

"Holding Out" says she is keep those last two sentences — too ing her virginity for marriage many people are ignorant of that because she wants to give her simple fact. husband a very special gift -

something she has given to no one else. Goody, goody for her.

And what is he giving her? A secondhand organ? LIBERATED IN LAUDERDALE

DEAR ABBY: Thank you for printing the letter from the 27-yearold girl who was "Holding Out" for marriage. Not to brag, but I'm a popular, good-looking, 18-year-old college student who is also holding out, and I'm proud of it. There is a lot of pressure for me to "conform," but so far no guy has ever succeeded

in changing my mind — or my anatomy It's really not all that difficult. When a guy asks me to go to bed with him, I just say, "No, thank you, I'm not ready to go that route.' And if he says, "Everybody's doing it," I say, "Fine, then you should have no trouble finding somebody else."

UNTOUCHED IN MADISON, WIS.

DEAR LIBERATED AND UNTOUCHED: Now, let's hear it from a male:

DEAR ABBY: I am a recently married 32-year-old male and I would have seriously wondered about a woman who was still a virgin at 27. Although I slept with many women prior to marriage, I don't think I "used" anyone. I stopped seeing some (and some stopped seeing me), but sex was rarely the reason, and when sex did play a role, that role was not one of rejection because the woman was 'giving in" (an interesting notion inasmuch as it assumes that women don't enjoy sex).

Also, and I think I speak for many men, I wouldn't marry a woman I had not slept with. Why risk unhappiness and possible divorce by marrying someone who might have serious hang-ups about sex? (This, incidentally, is what I would wonder about a 27-year-old

Finally, disease is a serious problem. These days no one should engage in intercourse outside of don't print this letter, please print LIKE A VIRGIN

tained for each class.

Kay Crouch, Summer Recreation Program coordinator, explained each class will meet three hours per week, generally for one hour Monday, Wednesday and Friday or for one and a half hours on Tuesday and Thursday.

Summer recreation readied

Time schedules will be assigned following registration according to comfortable class sizes, grade levels and other requirements, she noted. Some classes may not be taught if enrollment is small.

Crouch encouraged students to select a class or classes as desired but also to select at least one alternative should a desired class be closed or cancelled.

Classes may be altered, added, cancelled and-or rescheduled to Registration will be held from 8 meet the demands of registration, she explained.

All classes but one will be conducted at Pampa High School facilities. Soccer will be taught at the Pampa Middle School athletic field.

Recreational sports to be taught include softball, tennis, basketball, gymnastics, weights, soccer and volleyball. Others are cheerleading, arts and crafts, and clown fundamentals.

Softball instructor will be Rick Dunham. The class will cover game rules, basics in softball and fundamentals of throwing, batting, fielding, sliding, base running and other skills.

Two instructors will be teaching tennis classes. Kellye Welborn will be instructor for the day classes, with Cal Barbaree handling the evening classes mainly for adults. Covered in the classes will be game rules, court etiquette, tennis basics and fundamentals of forehand, backhand, serving and other tennis

Paul Simpson will be leading the basketball classes. He will cover game rules, basketball basics and such fundamentals as shooting, dribbling and ball hand-

Leading the gymnastics instruction, Beth Queen will teach rules, basics and such fundamentals as tumbling for students interested in gymnastics.

Joanna Barbaree will teach cheerleading skills, including basics and such fundamentals as cheers, routines and formations.

In the weights classes, Dick Dunham will be the instructor, assisted by Brad Johnson. Course instruction will include basics of weight lifting and such fundamentals as breath control, various lifts, presses and techni-

Two instructors will be offering arts and crafts classes. Nelda Johnson and Norma Self will be providing basic instruction which could include leather crafts, puppetry, metal crafts, weaving, pottery, wood crafts, jewelry mak-

ing, shrink art and soft sculpture. Francis Kludt will be teaching a soccer class at Pampa Middle School. He will cover game rules, soccer basics and such fundamental skills as kicking, passing and ball handling.

Volleyball basics will be taught by Sheliah Babbitt. Instruction will include game rules, basics and such fundamentals as serving, passing, setting and spiking.

Jerry Lane will offer a class on fundamentals of learning to be a clown. Instruction will cover such areas as basic makeup, designing a face, acting the part and performance.

Basic registration fee is \$20 per student for one class and the Tshirt. A \$15 fee will be charged for each additional class. Registration forms must be signed by a parent and-or legal guardian, and fees are payable at registra-

The program is designed to be self-supported from the fees, which cover the costs of T-shirts, instructors' fees, materials and other items.

Flyers concerning the program will be distributed to students in Pampa schools.

Persons having questions may contact the PARD office at 665-



RETIRED TEACHERS OFFICERS — 1986-87 officers for the Pampa Retired Teachers Association pose behind the podium at the organization's spring banquet last week. Pictured from left are Mattie Wave Morgan, parliamentarian;

Angela Sanders, second vice president; Annabel Wood, president; Bill Groves, first vice president; and Nellie Norman, treasurer. (Staff photo by Dee Dee Laramore)

Homemakers News

Proper care lengthens lawn furniture life

By DONNA BRAUCHI **County Extension Agent**

Outdoor furniture is made to withstand harsh weather conditions. Year after year, it can brave the searing sun and blustering storms, if it is properly maintained. All outdoor furniture should be treated from time to time to preserve its usefulness and appearance.

Generally, plastic furniture requires the least amount of maintenance. Washing regularly with detergent suds and water to remove any excess. should keep it attractive. Aluminum is another tough material, but it needs a little more care than plastic. Aluminum furniture, frames and metal hardware should be treated each year with a protective coating to prevent

pitting and oxidation There are clear sprays available that are designed especially for protecting metals against oxidation. Or, if preferred, automobile wax can be rubbed onto the metal parts and gently buffed

The best time of year to apply a protective coating to the metal is at the start of the outdoor season. Additional application may be necessary during the season depending on the degree of use and weather conditions. Before coating the metal, thoroughly clean it with a solution of detergent and water or an all purpose cleaner. Then sand any pitting or corrosion with very fine steel wool. Let the furniture dry thoroughly before using a spray or wax.

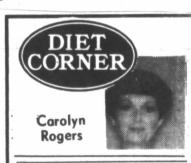
Wooden furniture must also be specially treated periodically to get the maximum possible use from it. The most popular outdoor wooden furniture is made of redwood, which stands up well to the elements and is naturally resistant to rot. But even redwood has to be protected with sealer or varnish to prevent it from turning mottled grey. The wood also starts to crack so that it becomes more difficult to keep it clean. Dirt seeps into the porous fibers and cannot be scrubbed out.

Many redwood furniture manufacturers recommend the use of a sealer or coating once a year. Sealers are available in clear liquid form or with redwood color added. Since redwood does tend to grey over the years, the colored sealer is a practical plus. Not only does the pigment help restore the redwood's original color, it also protects the wood from sun bleaching. Check the different types available and be sure to choose one that is recommended for use on outdoor furni-

Before finishing furniture with a sealer, sand the wood lightly. Scrub the entire surface with a solution of detergent and water. Let the pieces dry thoroughly before sealing, at least 24 hours. Also check the hardware and any fasteners to be sure they are secure. Replace, if necessary.

When the wood is dry and all hardware is in good repair, apply two coats of sealer. Follow manufacturer's directions carefully for best results. Outdoor furniture made of woods other than redwood that are painted or varnished also require regular attention. Sand down any peeling or flaking areas. If wood is painted, seal the bare spots with a primer. If wood is varnished, apply a sealer. Let the surfaces dry and then apply a second coat of the appropriate finish. Treat this furniture each year so it does not deteriorate to the point it has to be completely stripped and refinished. Instead, at regular intervals, sand down each piece and cover with a fresh coat of paint or varnish.

Keeping outdoor furniture in good repair is well worth the time. Clean treated furniture is an attractive addition to a porch or garden. And it will last for years, saving you the expense of replacement.



NUTRITION **COUNTDOWN**

Q: I need to lose weight; but when I diet, I feel light-headed and weak. What suggestions do you have?

A: Too many dieters become so caught up in counting calories they ignore the importance of nutritious eating. We often hear 3,500 calories equal one pound. So to lose one pound, we must reduce our total caloric intake or increase the amount of calories we burn With such emphasis on calories, we might mistakenly assume that the best way to lose weight is through drastic calorie reductions. Unfortunately, a reduction in calories usually means a reduction in nutrients. Dieters who unconsciously ignore nutrients become weak, tired, depressed, hungry-and unsuccessful. Check on food values to find which are highest in nutrients. vitamins and minerals, yet lowest in cholesterol and fats. By eating such foods, you can lose weight while maintaining health and energy. For other healthful dieting tips, contact your local Diet Center 669-2351

2100B Perryton Pkwy. Hours onday-Thursday 7:45-12 noon 3:00-5:15 p.m. 7:45-12 noo 8:30-10:30 a.m

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Today's Crossword Puzzle

Release in Papers of Monday, May 26, 1986

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35 Metal thread 36 Hockey league

(abbr.) 37 Small deer 38 Long time

39 Bear (Lat.) 41 Tropical cuckoo 42 Scouting organi-

zation (abbr.) 43 Nullified 46 Deadly

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STEVE CANYON

I SHALL QUIET SLEEP, IT TAKES THE DREAM OF QUIET, I THE COOL COMBINED STRENGTH OF BELIEVE DESERT THE TERRORISTS AT NIGHT TO WRESTLE SHAW THE JAW TO THE FLOOR AND GAG HER.

THEN, FROM THE ANCIENT ROCKS OUTSIDE THE WINDOW .. WERE WE ARE AGAIN TO CHEER THE OIL HELD WORKERS IN THEIR FIGHT AGAINST THE U.S. JACKALS OF PETROLEUM ...

THE WIZARD OF ID By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart







EEK & MEEK

By Howie Schneider

By Milton Caniff







By Johnny Hart



By Tom Armstrong



MARMADUKE



being knocked about at work today, but try to do so, or you might take it out on undeserving family members.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) A companion's opinion may conflict with yours today. If you make a big deal of it, it will

Astro-Graph

May 27, 1986

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Your mate

night not be as cooperative as you

would like him or her to be today. Make

allowances; your spouse might be in-

volved in something equally important.

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your zodiac sign.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Problems

you have to contend with today are apt

to be products of procrastination. They

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Everyone will

feel uneasy today if you try to assert

your authority over your peer group. Go

along with the will of the majority in-

stead of bucking it.
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Be sure the

goal you achieve today is worth the

price you'll have to pay. If you step on

someone's toes, he'll get even with you

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You always

make an effort to deal with others in a harmonious fashion. But today it might

be necessary to stand up to one who

behaves like a bully. SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) When

shopping today, put definite limits on

rameters, you're apt to give all your

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) A

sound agreement cannot be worked out

today unless both parties are prepared

to make reasonable concessions. Don't

wait for the other guy to make the first

move. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) If you're

too easygoing today, someone you're

involved with is going to dump his re-

sponsibilities in your lap. Keep your

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You won't

feel at ease today in the company of a

friend who likes to throw his weight

around. He might do something embar-

rassing in a public place.
PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) It might be

difficult to turn off your emotions after

what you intend to spend. Without pa-

credit cards a real workout

distance.

can't be swept under the rug again.

by bernice bede osol

become a heated issue. TAURUS (April 20-May 20) A close friend might make material demands on you today. Try to help if you can, but don't use funds you have earmarked for

MARVIN

ALLEY OOP







By Dave Graue



'Marmaduke must have crashed another wienie roast. He has catsup on his nose and mustard on his breath!"









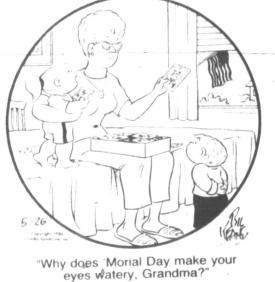












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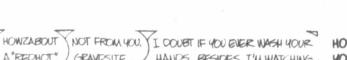




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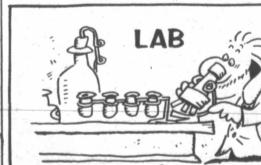
By Jim Davis

THE BORN LOSER









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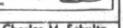
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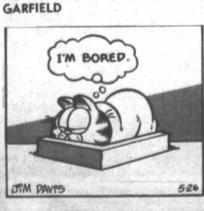
















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Canadiens capture record 23rd Stanley

AP Hockey Writer

MONTREAL (AP) — In the end, the second-highest scoring team in the National Hockey League couldn't score enough. The Montreal Canadiens simply wouldn't let them.

"Their defense was the difference," Calgary Flames Coach Bob Johnson said in assessing Montreal's tense five-game Stanley Cup victory over his team.

'We justduring the regular season, managed to score only 13 goals in the five-game series, well below their average.

While Roy won the Conn Smythe trophy as the Most Valuable Player in the Stanley Cup playoffs, he didn't have to be brilliant all the time.

The Montreal defense usually was. Players such as Rick Green, Larry Robinson, Gaston Gingras and Chris Chelios were too tough for the Flames when it counted, Johnson

'Green played well. Robinson played well. Chelios played well,"

Johnson said. "Everybody played well. Their six (defensive) guys played better (than Calgary's). They were great protectors. Roy may have won the Conn Smythe, but we never got to him enough. We didn't test him enough.

Actually, no Calgary forward scored more than two goals in the series with Montreal. The Flames managed only nine even-strength goals in the five games and only four on the power play

After winning the opener 5-2 with their biggest offensive display of the series, the Flames dropped four straight decisions by scores of 3-2 in overtime, 5-3, 1-0 and 4-3

'He played the series of his life," Montreal left wing Ryan Walter said of Green, who scored a key, third-period goal for the Canadiens Saturday night. "He's played great for the last two months. He's my

When all else failed the Canadiens during the season, the defense was always there to pick them up.

"When you don't have too many snipers like us, you have to do something great to win the Cup," Montreal Coach Jean Perron said. "The guys on this team achieved something great."

The Canadiens suffered through a wicked slump shortly after the All-Star Game, but pulled out in time and won the last five games of the regular season. It was at that juncture that Perron knew he had something. The team began to jell at the right time, coming into the playoffs.

"Sometimes when you go through hell, you come back stronger," Perron said.

But Perron's team had eight rookies on it. And he himself was in his first year as head coach.

"It was rough at first," Perron admitted, "but then the rookies

became a part of the team. It had been a long time between drinks from the Cup for the Canadiens, who last won it in 1979. But the blend was there, obviously, to

make the Canadiens a champion again. Their 23rd title set a record for the most by a professional sports

SPORTS SCENE

Washout

Showers postpone Indy 500 until today

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — It was supposed to be the fastest race in the history of the Indianapolis 500. Instead, 33 sleek machines went only as fast as they could be pushed from Gasoline Alley to the pits and back again.

The cars, fine-tuned to hurtle around the Indianapolis Motor Speedway at better than 200 mph, were ready to be pushed out again today, weather permitting. But the forecast called for an 80 percent chance of rain.

The racers that run here are not typical convertibles. They have no canvas tops, no windshield wipers, no headlights and no treads on their wide tires. Rain is anathema to them. The slightest bit of water on the track can send them spinning out of control and into a wall or worse.

There was far more than a slight bit of rain on Sunday. It came in two waves, playing games with the emotions and playing havoc with the hopes of more than 350,000 spectators and one network prepared to televise the race live for the first time to millions of other fans.

Long before the sun rose Sunday over this hub of midwestern America, a typical midwestern rainstorm was washing across the farmland, the city and the 559 acres upon which unfolds the greatest

But this is Indiana, where the weather can change as often as the lead in this race. And it did.

By race time, the skies had cleared. ABC's announcers, already on the air for an hour with pre-race interviews and highlights of past, tapedelayed races, were talking up a storm about how exciting this one would be.

First, though, there was the matter of drying the 21/2-mile track. For two hours, two dozen or so trucks, vans and cars droned around the asphalt. It was 3 p.m. EDT, three hours after the race was to have started, perhaps 30 minutes away from when

At 3:15 p.m., the rain returned, slowly, gently, yet steadily enough to become yet another downpour. At 4:26 p.m., 70 minutes later than the conclusion of Danny Sullivan's 1985 victory, Tom Binford, the track's chief steward, formally announced the end of the vigil.

The speedway might have tried to start the race even later than, say, 5 p.m. But that might have led to a banzai race, drivers charging all-out to capture or hold the lead with the prospect of a 500 shortened to 400 or 300 miles or less by weather or

"It's better to have a race that's 500 miles, rather than 250 or 300," Roger Penske, the owner of the cars being driven by Sullivan, Rick Mears and Al Unser, said. "It didn't look like they'd have a chance to run the full race and I think they made the right decision.

It was the first washout of an Indy-car event since the 1984 Michigan 500, and the first Indianapolis 500 rainout since 1973.

"I think the hardest thing is just on your emotions because you're up and peaked and ready to go. This up and down - I feel kind of like a Yo-Yo," said Sullivan, scheduled to start in the middle of the front row, between Mears, the pole-sitter, and Michael Andretti, Mario's son.

A.J. Foyt felt kind of, well, different. Even before the race was formally postponed, Binford ran into Indy's only four-time winner as he headed out of the pits, accompanied by former test pilot Chuck Yeager, driver of the pace car.

"Where ya' goin'?" Binford asked Foyt. "Me 'n' Chuck are going to get drunk."



MAYBE TOMORROW - Indy driver Pancho Carter, right, and a crewmember sit on

Carter's race car is towed to the garage after rains delayed the Indianapolis 500

Celtics, Rockets ready to rumble

BOSTON (AP) — The Houston Rockets, who took full advantage of their big lineup to oust the defending champion Los Angeles Lakers, may find that using their size against the Boston Celtics is a much taller order.

The Lakers had only 7-foot-2 Kareem Abdul-Jabbar to handle 7-0 Akeem Olajuwon and 7-4 Ralph Sampson. But when the Rockets took the floor of Boston Garden for Game 1 of the NBA championsip series today, Celtics Coach K.C. Jones planned to use 7-0 Robert Parish, 6-10 Kevin McHale and 6-11 Bill Walton to counter the vaunted Twin Towers.

"We'll start Robert off on Akeem and see how it goes,"
Jones said. "If not, we'll try Kevin. Then we can try Bill. Olajuwon is so difficult to guard, we'll probably have to bring in some fresh men against him."

McHale, who played well defensively against NBA scoring champion Dominique Wilkins of Atlanta and high-scoring forward Terry Cummings of Milwaukee during the playoffs, has surprised the Celtics' coaching staff with his defensive prowess. "We never thought to ask him

to be a stopper,'' Boston assistant coach Jimmy Rodgers said. guard. "Now we've come to expect him to be one."

McHale said he is impressed points per game in the five games Bird in the backcourt.

against the Lakers, and Sampson, averaging 22.1 for the play-

McHale is better known as a scorer, however, averaging 24.4 points in the playoffs, second only to Larry Bird on the Celtics.

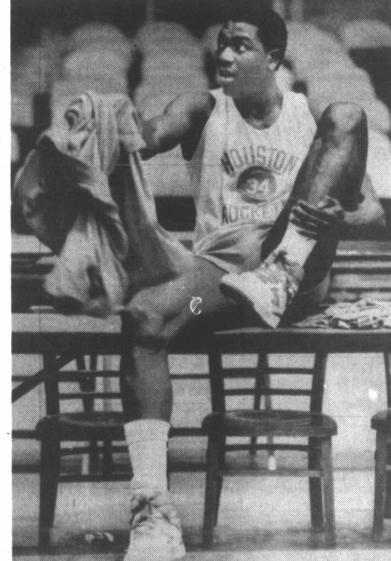
Part of the responsibility of covering McHale will go to 6-10 Jim Petersen, who followed McHale to the University of Minnesota.

"I've been watching Kevin McHale play since his senior year in high school," Petersen, the Rockets' first frontcourt reserve, said. "I've always admired him. I'll be guarding him and I know it's going to be tough.

Meanwhile, the Celtics, especially Bird, have been complaining of the delay in starting the final series. Boston last played on May 18 and Houston eliminated Los Angeles on Wednesday, but television commitments prevented the championship series from beginning until Memorial Day at the earliest.

Bird, averaging 26.8 points in the playoffs, will be guarded by Rodney McCray. When the two teams met in the 1981 finals, with the Celtics winning in six games, Bird was paired against Robert Reid, now the Houston point

The Bird-Reid matchup could occur if Jones occasionally uses a big lineup with Parish, Walton with Olajuwon, who averaged 31 and McHale in the frontcourt and



Houston center Akeem Olajuwon prepares for practice Sunday as the Rockets readied to meet Boston in today's first game of the NBA championship series. (AP Laserphoto)

Wild Houston fans riot for playoffs tickets

HOUSTON (AP) - An unruly crowd of more than 6,000 converged on The Summit Sunday in a battle for Houston Rockets playoff tickets that came close to a full-scale riot and netted 20 arrests, police said.

At least 2,000 people who had waited hours in line were sent home after a timed sprinkler system triggered a sudden rush for the ticket office about 3 a.m. Sunday, the Houston Chronicle reported.

Police had to use nightsticks and dogs to control the outraged crowd that cursed. fought and threw bottles at them.

The 4,500 tickets were later sold within 90 minutes, and thousands of disappointed fans packed up their blankets, lawn chairs and coolers and quietly went home.

The crowd had begun to gather at 6 p.m. Saturday in anticipation of the 8 a.m. Sunday sale of tickets to the fourth game of the

Rockets-Boston Celtics NBA championship series June 3. The sale ended up starting at 6

Of the 6,000 or more people who had settled down for the night, fewer than 1,000 got tickets, police said. The stampede disrupted the relative calm

police had established in one of the two lines that formed on the east and west sides of The

No major injuries were reported, though many fans suffered bruises and scrapes. About 75 officers tried to keep order.

Those arrested were booked for offenses ranging from assault on an officer to public intoxication, said Deputy Police Chief Tommy Shane. Three men were arrested when they urinated on the ground near where they stood rather than lose their places in line, he

No restroom facilities were available.

Fans angrily criticized officers for rudeness, unfairness and unnecessary force. Several said they were shoved, hit and knocked to the ground for no reason. Over and over, crowd members decried what they called the dangerous lack of organization for the sales.

Others, however, praised police for doing their best in a near-impossible predica-

'We had a bad situation is what we had." said Summit Operations Manager Henry

Summit officials had first said fans could gather in a field owned by Century Development Co. at 2 a.m., form lines for tickets at 5 and begin purchasing tickets at 8. The crowd's unanticipated size and aggressiveness threw that plan into pandemonium.

Sutton wins Memorial, breaks tourney record

DUBLIN, Ohio (AP) — Hal Sutton heard the roars. But this time, he

During the final round of the Memorial Tournament Sunday at Muirfield Village Golf Club, Sutton turned away a charge by Jack Nicklaus on the way to a 17-under-par 271 and victory.

His 72-hole total obliterated the previous four-round tournament score by nine shots and Sutton also became the first player to ever play four rounds of the tournament under 70. And he did it because he responded to the ground-shaking roars of

the partisan crowd that greeted each of Nicklaus' six consecutive birdies on the back side. "I was familiar with that roar because Jack and I went head to head

in the 1983 PGA at Riviera," Sutton said. "I let those roars get to me then (causing three consecutive bogeys). Fortunately, I was able to get a grip on myself long enough then to win that tournament. (Today) I just wanted to answer whatever he dished out. He dished

out a lot, but I was able to handle it." Sutton handled the pressure of hearing those constant roars and seeing Nicklaus draw ever closer by birdieing four holes on the back-

"I got myself in a position to win with the birdies through 15," said Nicklaus, who finished tied for fifth at 11-under 277.

"I kept feeling that if I kept putting pressure on, well, the only way we could do it is if (Sutton) stumbled. He didn't, but I did," Nicklaus Nicklaus never got closer than four shots because of Sutton's re-

Don Pooley finished in second place four shots behind Sutton. Mark O'Meara, with a closing 66 that was the lowest score of the final day, tied Johnny Miller for third at 276, while John Mahaffey joined Nicklaus at 277

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Arkansas expecting to have third rematch

On Tuesday, Arkansans will decide whether to set up a third Bill Clinton-Frank White battle.

Clinton, 39, of Little Rock, the governor, makes his fifth bid for governor by seeking the Democratic nomination to what would be his fourth term. He first was sworn in as governor in 1979 at the age of 32, the voungest governor in the nation. After he raised motor vehicle license plate fees in his first term, he was defeated in a bid for re-election in 1980 but won the job again in 1982. In 1983, he raised the state sales tax to help fund tough new education standards that were developed then for implementation June 1,

White, 52, of Little Rock, who beat Clinton in 1980 and lost to him in 1982, makes his third bid for the office by seeking the Republican nomination to what would be his second term. In 1981, he signed - without reading all of it - a bill that required Arkan-'sas' public schools to teach creationism if they taught evolution. Creationism is a view. generally paralleling the biblical account in the book of Genesis, that life began suddenly and not nearly so long ago as is postulated by advocates of the theory of evolution. The law was challenged in court and a federal judge struck it down as a violation of the constitutional requirement of the separation of church and state

Polls indicate they are the leaders in the races for the nomina-

Because of a change the people made in the state constitution in 1984, the term will be four years for the first time in Arkansas since 1868. Terms have been two

The Democratic field includes: —Orval E. Faubus, 76, of Little Rock, who is making his ninth bid for the governorship and says that this may be his "last hurrah." "Win or lose in this election, it will pobably be my last time to participate in politics as an active candidate," Faubus said. Governor for six terms in 1955-66, he called out the national guard in 1957 to block desegregation of Little Rock Central High School, prompting President Eisenhower to use federal soldiers to enforce the court-ordered desegregation. For 30 years, Faubus has said he did it to prevent violence. Voters rejected his comeback attempts in 1970 and 1974. A black activist, Robert 'Say" McIntosh of Little Rock, has endorsed Faubus and said, "I wouldn't vote for Clinton if God

told me to." -W. Dean Goldsby, 50, of Little Rock, the first black to seek the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, former director of the economic opportunity agency for the Little Rock area, which is being investigated because of allegations of misspending when Goldsby ran it. "We had overexpenditures, yes," Goldsby said. "But it was done for people in human services. The money was spent for the benefit of people." As governor, he said, he wouldn't over-spend, because state law forbids it, whereas the economic opportunity agency was working with a federal grant governed only by regulations.

White, a banker, faces three in what is the biggest GOP field in recent vears:

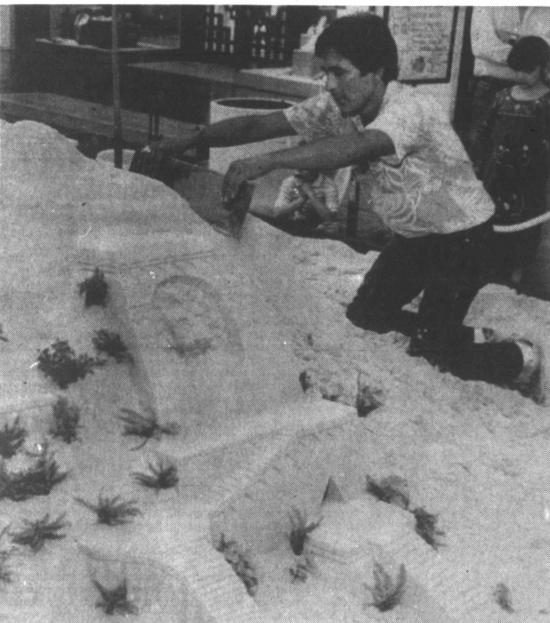
-Maurice "Footsie" Britt, 66, of Little Rock, a Congressional Medal of Honor winner in World War II and the state's lieutenant governor in 1967-70 when Winthrop Rockefeller was the first **GOP** governor of Arkansas since **Reconstruction**. Britt intended to run for governor in 1970, but went into private business when Rockefeller ran again that year and lost his bid for a third term. Britt retired last year from a federal **Small Business Administration** job in Arkansas

-Wayne Lanier, 53, of Greenwood, a dentist whose practice is in Fort Smith. He says he wouldn't have run this year if White - who said in November the chances were "slim and none" that he would run for governor — had made it clear that he would run. Lanier is the newcomer in the GOP field.

-Bobby K. Hayes, 55, of Calico Rock, a businessman — he has a company that makes oak flooring and a candidate in 1968 for the Democratic nomination for the U.S. Senate. Hayes ran third in a four-man field in that race. One highlight of Hayes' campaign was when he forced the governor's office to reveal that Hayes had been accused in Florida of theft in a dispute over some produce. He said he wanted to force the disclosure of that information because he feared that Clinton would leak it during the campaign.

Of a Clinton-White rematch, White says, "I did it before, I can do it again." He has criticized Clinton for a decision made Sept. 9 by Clinton's Public Service Commission. The PSC imposed on customers of Arkansas Power & Light Co. 80 percent of AP&L's 36 percent share of the cost of Grand Gulf, a power plant near Port Gibson, Miss. "He's crawled into bed with AP&L," White said. "I promise you that this governor made a deal and that's why he refuses to reopen the Grand Gulf settlement.'

Clinton says he has learned from the mistakes he made when he lost to White in 1980. "I guarantee you, I've been to school," he said. He says White is the one person in the state who can't take advantage of the Grand Gulf issue, because White voted for the Grand Gulf project in Mississippi when he was a member of the board of a utility that was owned by AP&L's parent com-



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Zoning Change from SF-2 to Commercial District, all of tract A-3 and the West 44.45 feet of tract A-1 of Plot 116 Suburbs of Pampa in the SE/4 of Section 115, Block 3, I&GN RR. Co. Survey in the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas. Proposed use of property is to establish a commercial business.

All interested persons are invited to attend and will be given the opportunity to express their views on the proposed changes. Zoning Officer May 26, June 2, 1986 A-97

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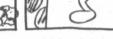
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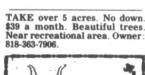
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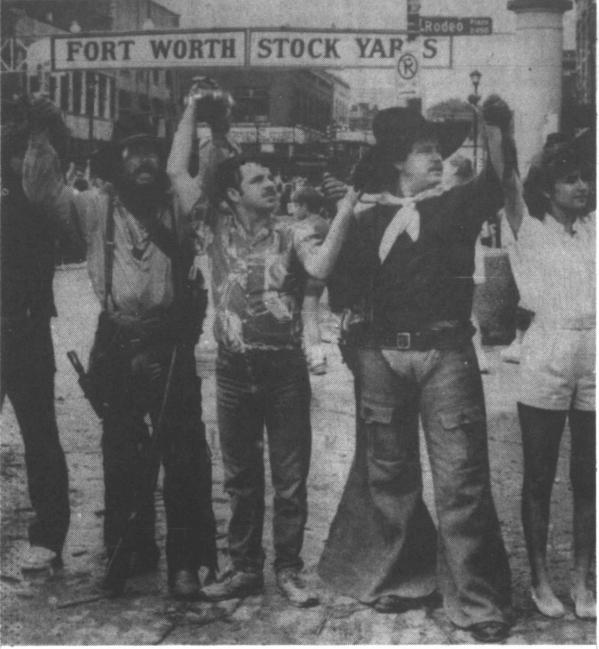
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COWBOY HANDS — Two cowboys join in side the Fort Worth Stock Yards in Fort the Hands Across America line Sunday out- Worth. (AP Laserphoto)

Unbroken chain not possible, but good time was had by all

By The Associated Press

The reach of Hands Across America could not match its grasp, but gaps in the crosscountry line didn't stop the millions who turned out from having an awfully good time. Some were moved to tears.

Local organizers estimated that upwards of 4.9 million Americans joined in the effort on behalf of the hungry and the homeless on Sunday, and except for two people overcome by the heat in Arizona, no one suffered anything worse than disappointment about breaks in the line between New York and Long Beach, Calif.

'This is just the beginning.' top organizer Ken Kragen said in New York. "When today is over, roll up your sleeves and go out to work in your community. We have to move from the big event to the person on the street.

Hands Across America still has to count up the money — it hoped to earn \$50 million or more - and then figure out how to spend it. The organization said 90 percent would go for innovative self-help projects for the needy

'If anyone had any doubts, we hope they now know it's a success," said Marty Rogol, the executive director of USA for Africa, who said it may take all summer to tote up the contributions.

Hands Across America at first asked everyone in line to donate \$10, but in the rush to fill the line organizers gave envelopes to late-comers and hoped they would come through with some

The event brought out celebrities and politicians, kids and a few people past the century mark, the wealthy and the destitute. President Reagan lined up on the White House grounds, and protesters queued up outside.

In rural Frederick County, Md., Clyde C. Grossnickel used three prize bulls to help fill the line, and attracted so much attention that "we could hardly get our arms up," the 71-year-old farmer

There were five weddings in the line, two killer whales and one penguin, not to mention Mickey, Goofy and Pluto on line at Disneyland.

The main event also inspired spin-off hand-clasping for charity across the country, from Alaska and Hawaii to the International Peace Garden, N.D. and Hampton, N.H.

At Arkansas Children's Hospital in Little Rock, at least 15 patients, many in wheelchairs or casts, joined hands in the lobby.

"This sounds corny, but there was a feeling in the air knowing that people were linked up 4,000 miles across America," said Phillip T. Zeni of Little Rock, who helped direct activities outside Children's Hospital. "There were people out there with tears in their eyes, there were people out there laughing at the top of their

"It was wonderful, just vonderful."

Peter Borisenko of St. Petersburg, Fla., said he hitchhiked 30 miles from Little Rock to join the line at Friendship, Ark.

"It's the opportunity to stand up and be counted for something you believe in, that feeling is rare." he said.

If the 4.9 million figure is correct, it is about half-a-million people fewer than it would have taken to cover the entire distance. But the line was thick at both ends and in several cities and thin on the prairies and deserts. Gaps were covered with ropes and ribbons

In Wichita Falls, Texas, the line had to wind through town instead of a straight stretch because so many people wanted to join in, event spokeswoman Carol Edgar said.

Rain washed out the Indy 500 motor race, but 250,000 people still turned out for the Indiana

"Now we'll have a chance to focus on some very serious issues," said Brad Senden, Hands Across America state director. "The people working in the state's shelters and pantries feel very good about today. ... Overall, I think it gave people a sense that they can do impossible

"It's the spirit," said Howard Kirkendall of Burlington, Ind. "I've always liked miracles, and I wanted to participate in one."

In Arcadia, Ind., 30 handicapped children from the Arcadia Children's Home, 12 of them in wheelchairs, participated in the event. One wore an Uncle Sam hat while another was dressed as the Statue of Liberty.

New Mexico's estimated turnout of 238,000 people wasn't nearly enough to complete the line. but it represented an impressive 17 percent of the state's population. However, many people came from Colorado and Texas, and at least two young women drove from Massachusetts.

In Schellsburg, Pa., pop. 600, there were 2,000 people in line. Reagan and his wife stood in front of the White House, holding

hands with children they had invited to join the chain. About 225 aides, Secret Service agents, reporters and family members completed the number needed to fill the semicircular driveway that stretches between

two gates on Pennsylvania Avenue The Pacific end of the line was anchored by Bill Jones, 34, his wife, Mary, 25, and their five children, who live in a homeless

"I think its just incredible and I hope this feeling carries on.' Jones said.

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Celebrities draw people to hold hands Sunday

By The Associated Press

If altruism isn't draw enough, Raquel Welch or Tony Bennett might do. Dozens of celebrities, from sluggers to killer whales to Mickey and Minnie, were among the star-studded links in the Hands Across America chain.

'America, you look beautiful today. This is what America's about," Ben Vereen said from Long Beach, Calif., one end of Sunday's line that reached to the Atlantic Ocean in New York City.

Savvy organizers of the fundraiser for America's hungry and homeless provided celebrities in some spots where they might not be homegrown. Imported to Kentucky were Malcolm Groom and Christopher Durham, of the daytime soap opera "Ryan's Hope."

'It's a great unifier. It's a wonderful spirit," said Groom, who was in Clinton

New York and California, of course, had many of the heavyweights - Miss Welch and Vereen at the Pacific end; Yoko Ono, Helen Hayes and Lily Tomlin at the Atlantic.

There were folk singers — Peand Judy Collins in Tennessee -

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ers' running back Franco Harris strode alone into the road to stop

"Somebody had to wait," he said afterward. "This is too important. If people find it difficult to give 10 or 15 minutes of their lives, then that's their problem." No one argued.

Politicians were everywhere, and even enemies were friends.

"I held hands with the Republicans. It was wonderful," said U.S. Rep. Barbara Mikulski, D-Md., who stood with her fellow candidates for the U.S. Senate seat occupied by retiring Sen. Charles McC. Mathias. "We had more of us there than we've had at a forum

Actress Shari Belafonte-Harper was on the West Coast and her singing dad, Harry Belafonte was on the East. Brooke Shields held one hand in New York and one in New Jersey.

Hands organizer Ken Kragen joined the line in New York City. "This is just the beginning," Kragen told the crowd at the finale of the event.

Shamu and Namu the killer whales, with a little help from their trainers, joined Ohio's 593mile line in Aurora, where the whales live at Sea World. Seamour the sea lion and Coolie, a baby penguin, also took part.

For humans, Ohio offered actress Celeste Holme, magician David Copperfield, baby specialist Dr. Benjamin Spock, and Sen.

John Glenn. If baseball is your game, Pittsburgh was the place.

Cincinnati Reds outfielder Dave Parker and five Pirates players joined hands with hundreds of Little Leaguers across Three Rivers Stadium before the Reds-Pirates game.

In Dallas, Cowboys running back Tony Dorsett joined Tony Bennett.

At Disneyland, 1,320 employees wearing Hands Across America T-shirts, formed lines extending inward from both sides of the park, meeting in front of Sleeping Beauty Castle where Mickey Mouse joined both ends. Minnie. Goofy and Pluto were there, too.

Donna Mills, who was in California, scoffed at any implication that the celebrities had exploited the event: "We'd be here if there

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was no press here. We don't need to come out on a Sunday and stand around for publicity. It's a good cause.'

Hearings approves

AUSTIN (AP) - The Board of Pardons and Paroles may conduct release hearings through an independent hearings officer, the attorney general ruled Friday.

The opinion was asked by the Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles regarding the use of a staff hearing officer to conduct final parole revocation proceed-

The attorney general said the board may delegate its authority to hold such hearings without violating the due process provision of the U.S. Constitution.

