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Senate debates escorts; attacks continue

Iran attacks Greek tanker

MANAMA, Bahrain (AP) — An Iranian gunboat attacked a Greek tanker in the southern Persian Gulf early today, as a convoy of U.S. warships and a Kuwaiti tanker headed out through the waterway, marine salvage executives said.

The 38,689-ton Koriana sent a distress signal shortly after midnight saying it had been "attacked by missiles" about 50 miles north of Abu Dhabi, the executives said. There were no casualties and the ship planned to anchor nearby, the executives said, speaking on condition of anonymity.

It was not clear how close the U.S.-escorted convoy was to the site of the attacked tanker. The convoy was in the central gulf Tuesday, the Pentagon said, declining to give an exact location.

About 50 miles east of the Greek tanker, British mine sweepers were searching waters off Dubai for explosives believed planted by Iran. The U.S. assault carrier Guadalcanal and its eight RH-53D Sea Stallion helicopter mine sweepers worked farther to the north.

Lloyd's Shipping Intelligence in London confirmed the attack on the Koriana and said the ship's agent was Lykiardopulo and Co., Ltd. of London.

There were no estimates of damage, but shipping executives said the missiles did not



(AP Laserphoto)

Marine helicopter passes gulf tanker.

cause a fire.

Iraq attacks ships in the gulf to curtail Iranian oil exports. Iran retaliates with raids on neutral shipping, saying that if its commerce is not safe other shipping will not be either. The foes have attacked scores of ships since the 7-year-old Iran-Iraq war spilled into the gulf in 1984.

The 10th U.S.-escorted convoy, made up of the guided-missile frigate USS Hawes and the 46,723-ton tanker Gas Prince, left Kuwait in the north-

ern gulf Monday and was in the central gulf Tuesday, said Pentagon spokesman Fred Hoffman in Washington.

The convoy's trip, which normally lasts two to three days, could take longer because of the discovery of the suspected mine field off Dubai, said a U.S. source, speaking on condition of anonymity.

Traffic was being diverted or was at a standstill in the shipping channel north of Dubai as captains heeded warnings of the mine threat issued by the Navy.

Senate votes to ban Iranian goods, stalls on pulling forces from gulf

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate has agreed to halt all Iranian imports into the United States, but it still can't agree whether to approve a congressional veto of President Reagan's Persian Gulf policy.

The chamber was scheduled today to return again to a Pentagon budget bill that is being held up by Democratic-backed proposals dealing with Reagan's policies on the gulf and nuclear arms control.

While the Democratic-controlled chamber struggled to finish the measure, the nation's top military officer admitted the Navy underestimated the threat posed by Iranian mines.

"We made some mistakes," Adm. William Crowe Jr., chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, told a Senate committee Tuesday. "If I had it to do over again, I wouldn't do it that way."

"Obviously, we didn't want the Bridgeton to happen," he said, referring to the July 24 incident in which the giant Kuwaiti oil tanker hit a mine in the war-torn waterway while it was being protected by a trio of Navy warships.

During three weeks of debates and decisions on the \$302 billion Pentagon bill, both sides have argued about Reagan's policy of reflagging 11 Kuwaiti tankers and protecting them with Navy convoys through the gulf. Critics fear U.S. involvement in the Iran-Iraq war.

The Democratic proposal would end the reflagging and convoys 90 days after the law takes effect, unless both the House and Senate approve the policy. But Reagan has threatened to veto any bill containing that restriction and Senate Republicans are considering a filibuster that also would block the chamber from voting on the issue.

Crowe told the Armed Services Committee it would be a "terrible error" for Congress to order a withdrawal.

Shortly after Crowe spoke, the Senate voted 98-0

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— Sen. Bob Dole

approval of another amendment to the Pentagon bill that would bar the import into the United States of all Iranian goods. Democratic presidential candidates Albert Gore Jr. of Tennessee and Paul Simon of Illinois did not vote.

The ban was proposed by Sen. Bob Dole, R-Kan., who said, "while (Ayatollah Ruhollah) Khomeini is recklessly attacking gulf shipping to stop the flow of everybody else's oil, we're buying a half-billion dollars of his oil every year."

The 90-day amendment is backed by Democrats who complain that Reagan should have invoked the War Powers Act, the 1973 law which limits a president's authority to send troops to areas of "imminent hostilities." No vote has been set on the amendment.

Reagan, in an interview published in today's *Washington Times*, said he would fight to keep from being forced to invoke the War Powers Act.

Asked if he would take the issue to the U.S. Supreme Court, Reagan said, "Well, if that has to be done. But right now, I'm refusing to invoke the War Powers Act because I don't believe that it was constitutional either."

He said he would "observe it ... if I think the situation warrants," but doesn't believe it now is appropriate.

Milwaukee fire causes 12 deaths

MILWAUKEE (AP) — A fire early today swept through a two-story house where 15 people lived, killing 10 children and two adults who were trapped on the second floor by the soaring flames.

The fire broke out only hours before a woman who lived in the house was to go to court to fight an eviction notice, according to the woman's mother. The woman survived the fire, along with two other adults.

The wood and brick house on the city's North Side was gutted by the flames, which also spread to an adjacent building.

The dead youngsters were 11 months to 8 years old, according to fire battalion chief James Rechlitz, but he did not know the relationship among them.

Willie Cross, one of the survivors, said the fire woke him up and he and Annie Phillips, who also survived, ran outside.

Cross said he tried to climb up to a second-floor window using a front porch so he could help those trapped by the flames.

"I got up to the top window, but the smoke knocked me down," Cross said.

"It sounded like someone was breaking in the house," Phillips said. "Fire started shooting up."

Rosella Ramthun, the mother of the third survivor, Jill Schreck, said her daughter had been served with an eviction notice and was due in court today to fight it.

"They had everything packed. They were going to move," said Ramthun, who lives down the street from the ruined house.

Ramthun said someone pounded on her door about 5 a.m. and told her of the fire.

When she arrived at the scene "most of the fire was out, but the babies were still in the house," she said.

Fire officials said the home was engulfed in flames when they arrived. They said the stairway to the second floor was burned away, preventing firefighters from quickly getting to the victims there.



(AP Laserphoto)

Rescue workers remove one of 12 bodies.

Proposed dollar coin would be gold-color

WASHINGTON (AP) — A move is afoot to replace the \$1 bill with a coin, despite the failure of the Susan B. Anthony dollar coin, which was introduced in 1979.

Advocates of the changeover say it would reduce government spending, hold down the cost of vending-machine products, aid the visually handicapped and remove hidden costs of what they call the outmoded dollar bill.

Sens. Pete V. Domenici, R-N.M., and John W. Warner, R-Va., and Reps. Jim Kolbe, R-Ariz., and Morris K. Udall, D-Ariz., introduced legislation Tuesday to begin minting a new coin dollar that would be "gold in color" but made of 90 percent copper.

It would retain the dimensions of the Susan B. Anthony dollar, but would be made without the reeding, or small ribs on the edges.

Kolbe, one of the early supporters of the change, said minting the Anthony dollar in the late 1970s was a sensible acknowledgement of inflation.

"The 'Susie' failed, not because

the need didn't exist, but because it was an alternative dollar rather than a replacement dollar," he said. "The coin lacked public support because it looked and felt like a quarter. It was about the same size, it was the same color, and it had the same reeded edge."

However, Kolbe acknowledged that public support must be generated for the new proposal. "This is a long-term project," he said. "It is not going to happen quickly. We have to generate a lot more steam."

The new coin would succeed the Anthony dollar, which was introduced in 1979 but never caught on. The government now has 500 million unused Anthony coins stored in various vaults around the country, out of 800 million that were minted.

The new coin would bear the likeness of Christopher Columbus, in honor of the 500th anniversary of his landing in America.

Officials say 3.8 billion \$1 bills are now in circulation.

PRISON PROPOSAL

Sampling shows Pampan leery of backyard prison

By CATHY SPAULDING
Staff Writer

It's a hit in Borger, and getting good airplay in Amarillo. But people in Pampa are apparently not dancing to the jailhouse rock.

In an informal survey taken Tuesday afternoon at the Pampa Mall, eight of 12 people interviewed had doubts about bringing a prison to Pampa.

Pampa is one of 33 Texas communities seeking a Texas Department of Corrections facility. The TDC is offering applicants a choice of one of two 2,250-bed maximum-security facilities or one of four 1,000-bed regional detention centers.

Pampa area residents interviewed Tuesday seemed to agree that a prison would boost the area's economy.

But many — especially those with children — worried about how safe their community would be

if a prison came to town.

Said hairdresser Cindy Dicken, 21, 2805 Rosewood: "If it helps the economy, put it in Borger. It's a little too close to my house to have it in Pampa."

As for any new jobs the prison could create, Dickens remarked: "It could help by hiring everybody in Pampa as security guards."

Store clerk Juanita Burke, 66, 1101 Terrace, is concerned about her children, her grandchildren and her great-grandchildren.

"Sure, it would help the economy, but the safety concerns would outweigh the benefits," Burke said. "It's hard when you don't know too much about it."

Retiree Allan Vickery, 62, and his wife Mildred, 59, of 413 N. Nelson, think the economic benefits outweigh any security concerns.

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PAMPANS RESPOND



Dicken



Burke



Mrs. Vickery

Daily Record

Services tomorrow

FOLLEY, Hiram S. - 2 p.m., Memory Gardens Cemetery.
KUHN, Dora Christian - 10 a.m., Schooler-Gordon Funeral Chapel, Dalhart.

Obituaries

DORA CHRISTIAN KUHN
 DALHART - Services for Dora Christian Kuhn, 89, of Dalhart, mother of a Canadian resident, will be at 10 a.m. Thursday in Schooler-Gordon Funeral Chapel at Dalhart. Officiating will be Rev. Mark Christian, pastor of United Pentecostal Church at Canyon, and Rev. Bernie Frazier, pastor of Valley Christian Church at Albuquerque, N.M.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery at Dalhart under the direction of Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors.
 Mrs. Kuhn died Monday.

Born at Bristow, Okla., she moved to Dalhart in 1919. She married John Christian in 1916; he died in 1967. She later married Elmer Kuhn in 1948; he died in 1966. She was the owner and operator of Mead's Mattress Factory, a business she had inherited from her parents, until her retirement in 1974. She was a member of United Pentecostal Church of Dalhart.

Survivors include two daughters, Loretta Snyder, Channing, and Dorothy Swick, Gardnerville, Nev.; a stepdaughter, Betty Jo Baker, Henderson, Nev.; three sons, Johnny Christian, Amarillo; Albert Christian, Canadian, and Ira Christian, Waurika, Okla.; 21 grandchildren and 32 great-grandchildren.

The family will be at the Loretta Snyder residence at Channing.

HYIRAM S. FOLLEY
 Graveside services for Hiram S. Folley, 83, will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Memory Gardens Cemetery with Rev. Richard Burress, pastor of Community Christian Center, officiating.

Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Mr. Folley died Tuesday.

Survivors include his wife, Erma, of the home; two sons, a daughter, two brothers, three sisters, 17 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

The family requests memorials be made to Meals on Wheels.

Calendar of events

EXIT-LEVEL TEAMS TEST REGISTRATION

Individuals who have met all high school graduation requirements, but who have failed one or both parts of the exit-level TEAMS Test, needed in Texas for a diploma, have until Friday to register with Pampa High School counselor JoAnn Jones, if they want to retake the section not passed. The exit-level test is for out-of-school examinees.

Stock market

Symbol	Price	Change
Arco	94	dn 1/4
Cabot	43	up 1/4
Chevron	53 1/2	NC
Enron	48 1/2	dn 1/4
Halliburton	39 1/2	dn 1/4
Milo	2 7/8	dn 1/8
HCA	45 1/2	dn 1/4
Ingersoll Rand	44 1/2	dn 1/4
Kerr McGee	43 1/2	dn 1/4
Mesa	15 1/2	dn 1/4
Maxxus	12 1/2	NC
Mesa Ltd	18 1/2	NC
Mobil	48 1/2	dn 1/4
Phillips	16 1/2	dn 1/4
SLB	46 1/2	dn 1/4
SPS	25 1/2	dn 1/4
Tenneco	56	dn 1/4
Mapco	40 1/2	NC
London Gold	450.15	
Silver	7.67	
Amoco	81 1/2	dn 1/4

Fire report

The Pampa Fire Department reported no fire runs in the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions
 Paula Asire, Pampa
 Barnard Hildreth, Pampa
 Thema Dodd, Shamrock
 Naida Cowan, Pampa
 Frances Goldsmith, Lefors
 Betty Guinn, Pampa
 Jeannie Laster, Pampa
 Irene McKnight, Borger
 Janet O'Kelley, Pampa
 Martha Scott, Pampa
 Ruth Snapp, Pampa

La Velda Tingleff, Pampa
D.P. Williams, Pampa Births
 Mr. and Mrs. Juan Villagrana, McLean, a girl
Dismissals
 Jewell Bartz, Pampa
 Erma Boyd, Pampa
 Tony Galaviz, Pampa
 Roy Jones, Pampa
 Wayne Woodward, Pampa

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions
 J.B. Andris, Elk City
Dismissals
 La Vaughn Woolbridge, McLean

Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

TUESDAY, Sept. 29
 Barbara Silva, 1005 Gordon, reported theft of a purse from a motor vehicle at the address.

Theft of a rented television was reported by Showcase Rentals, 113 S. Cuyler.

Hugo A. Breithaupt Jr., 1020 Sirroco, reported burglary of a motor vehicle at Pampa Middle School, 2401 Charles.

A showcase window at Beall's Department Store, Pampa Mall, 2545 Perryton Parkway, was broken with a skateboard.

Heather Coe, 514 N. Dwight, reported theft of a purse from a motor vehicle at Seafarer's Inn, Texas Highway 70 North.

Vickie Walls, 1776 E. Harvester, reported theft of a purse from a motor vehicle in the 100 block of East 24th.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 30
 Mikki Hayes, 839 E. Scott, reported a window broken at the address.

Arrests-City Jail

TUESDAY, Sept. 29
 Charles Leonard Reeves Jr., 52, 621 Naida, was arrested at the address on a charge of simple assault, and later released upon payment of a fine.

Joyce Evans Cornell, 56, 228 N. Nelson, was arrested at the address on warrants alleging improper backing, failure to stop and leave information and no proof of liability insurance, and was later released upon payment of a fine.

Jesus Arturo Hinojos, 29, Tucson, Ariz., was arrested in the 300 block of North Wynne on two warrants, and later released upon payment of fines.

Sammy J. Whatley, 42, 1101 S. Clark, was arrested in the 400 block of West Atchison on a charge of public intoxication, and later released on bond.

Sherri A. Pettit, 20, 228 Reid, was arrested in the 400 block of West Atchison on charges of public intoxication and simple assault, and later released on bond.

Mike Keating, 27, 414 Crest, was arrested in the 400 block of West Atchison on a charge of public intoxication, and later released on bond.

Minor accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported no traffic accidents for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Emergency numbers

Energas	665-5777
Fire	669-1177
Police	669-1177
SPS	669-7432
Water	665-3881
Ambulance	669-1177

United Way nears 10 percent

The 1987 United Way drive reached 9 percent of its \$296,000 goal following the second check-in of volunteer workers Tuesday afternoon at the Pampa Community Building.

Campaign divisions turned in \$16,692 during the report session held in the Nona S. Payne Conference Room, pushing the campaign's two-week total to \$26,440.

"We appreciate your efforts, and keep up the good work," drive chairman Duane Harp told division leaders and campaign workers at the weekly report meeting.

Boosting the total this week was the collection turned in from the Pampa Independent School District, up 227 percent from last year's contributions.

The school district's contributions helped gain the Public Division the top place for this week's reports. Co-chaired by Jane Steele and Scott Hahn, the division has turned in \$8,133 to date.

Steele and Hahn were presented door prizes by the Gray County Chapter of the American Red Cross for their efforts.

Coming in for the runnerup post in this week's check-in was the Special Gifts Division, co-chaired by Carol Cofer and Bill Harris. Their division workers collected \$4,791.

Also turning in reports Tuesday at the 5 p.m. meeting were the Large Firms Division (for firms with 25 or more employees) with \$3,300, and the Commercial Division, with \$468.

Harp expressed special appreciation to a donation of \$654 received from the Chautauqua fun runs sponsored Labor Day morning by Coronado Hospital and Rural-Metro Corp. Proceeds from the events were designated this year for the United Way campaign.

Harp encouraged volunteers to invite people to take the United Way agency tours during the campaign to acquaint them with the services and activities of agencies receiving assistance from the donations.

"The tours are very interesting and enjoyable, to say the least," he said. "When you get back, you'll be glad you went."

Regular tours are scheduled every Thursday during the campaign weeks, which will conclude officially on Oct. 27.

There are two basic tours available, Harp said. A short tour be-



(Staff Photo by Larry Hollis)

Cile Taylor puts fine touches on her watercolor of aspens at the United Way check-in.

gins at 9 a.m. Thursdays, with stops at the Pampa Sheltered Workshop, the Community Day Care Center and the Meals on Wheels facility. The long tour, also beginning at 9 a.m., includes stops at the workshop and day care center, with delivery of a Meals on Wheels route included, along with a visit to the Genesis House and lunch at the Pampa Senior Citizens Center.

Information on the tour arrangements can be made by calling United Way executive administrator Katrina Bigham at 669-1001.

Harp said the Thursday tours will be conducted on a regular basis during the campaign. But tours also may be scheduled for

employees and other interested groups at other times by contacting Bigham.

Local artist Cile Taylor demonstrated her watercolor skills for those attending the check-in session. She painted a scene of Colorado aspens during the meeting.

Providing refreshments was the Community Day Care Center. Decorations, featuring clowns wishing "Happy Birthday" to United Way on its 100th anniversary, were made by Ann Loter, Weeda Loter and Rosamond Reeves.

The next check-in will be at 5 p.m. Tuesday in the M.K. Brown Meeting Room at the Community Building.

District clerk seeks more space

District Clerk Vickie Walls plans to renew her quest for additional office space when she meets with Gray County commissioners at 9:30 a.m. Thursday.

Walls has complained to commissioners in the past about vanishing space in which to store records, some of which must be kept forever under state laws.

She has suggested moving the Gray County Law Library, located next to her office on the third floor of the courthouse, and knocking out the wall that separates the two rooms in order to enlarge her office.

Another suggestion has been to store records in the currently vacant, former district adult probation office, which has been moved out of the courthouse to

meet state space requirements. Walls also plans to ask permission to amend her budget to replace equipment.

Commissioners also plan to consider a petition signed by 24 citizens concerning dilapidated property in the 200 block of Eshom Street.

The petition complains that the lot has become a health hazard and breeding ground for rats and snakes because of high grass, junked cars and debris.

In other action, commissioners plan to:
 ■ make nominations for the Gray County Appraisal District board of directors;
 ■ meet in closed session to discuss land acquisition;
 ■ discuss proposals for a compu-

ter system for the county treasurer's office and a funding request by County Treasurer Scott Hahn;

■ consider extension of the airport refueling system agreement with IRI International and an airport lease transfer;

■ act on a request from the Top O' Texas Kennel Club to use Clyde Carruth Pavilion for dog training and shows;

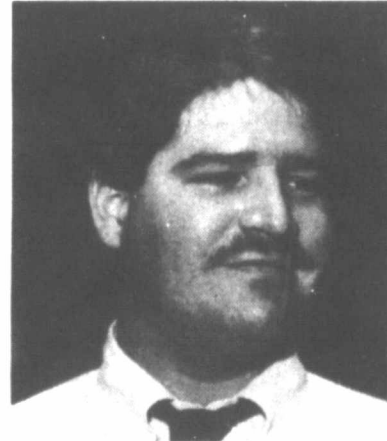
■ take steps to return surplus property to landowners along the Ranch to Market Road 1474 project;

■ consider a request from Cabot Pipeline Corp. to cross a county road with pipeline; and

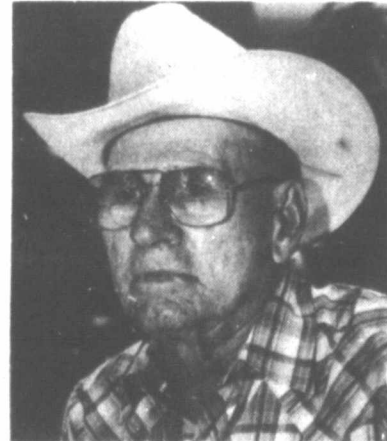
■ pay salaries and bills and consider time deposits and transfers recommended by the county auditor.



Carpenter



Duff



Sharp

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Prison

"Pampa needs something to lift it up," said Mrs. Vickery, a homemaker. Her husband replied, "If we had anyone break out, they're going to get going. They're not going to stick around here."

Hairdresser Sandra Grays, 27, of south Pampa, said she wouldn't mind a minimum-security "work release center."

But Grays wants no maximum-security unit, "not as long as I live here."

Homemaker Laura Leland, 28, 2412 Charles, has two small sons. She opposes the prison proposal "for obvious reasons."

"It just has bad connotations," she said. Pampa Mall Manager Todd Duff, 28, 1601 W. Somerville, said a prison would bring jobs.

"...here seem to be a lot of Texas towns clamoring for it," Duff said, adding that the economic benefits would outweigh security problems.

"I think that a new prison and proper security measures would reduce the risk," Duff said. Store clerk Jim Walker, 21, of 908 S. Wells, believes worries about safety are overdone.

"I'd be in favor of it coming here if it would create jobs," Walker said.

Prison proponents claim that a maximum-security prison would create more than 750 jobs with a payroll of at least \$18 million. The smaller unit would employ 250 people, supporters say.

But Cabot Corp. operator Don Carpenter, 53, of 2118 N. Sumner, believes a prison may end up draining the economy instead of boosting it.

Carpenter explained that the prisoners' families

would want to move to Pampa to be near their incarcerated loved ones.

The additional population, which would likely be of low income, would add to the tax roll, Carpenter said.

"And that would bring an increase of taxes," he said, adding that the families would likely have no insurance or financial resources to pay for health care.

That, Carpenter believes, would burden the county's indigent health care program.

"We may get a few jobs," Carpenter said. "But I don't think the good would outweigh the bad."

McLean retiree Arnold Sharp, 71, has mixed feelings.

"It wouldn't make me any difference," Sharp said. "On one hand it would be good because of more jobs. And on the other hand it would be bad."

"I never lived close to one," he said. "But I haven't heard of any crime or danger living close to one."

A McAlester, Okla., woman who asked not to be identified, grew up in the shadows of the Oklahoma state penitentiary. She is not aware of the Texas prison proposal, but she has seen the good and the bad of having "a prison in the back yard."

It will help the economy, the woman said.

"But I also had a friend who was killed in the prison," she added.

Pampa Chamber of Commerce chairman Bruce Barton doubts the TDC will put a unit in the Panhandle, but he has gone ahead and submitted a request for a TDC facility east of Pampa. Barton was unavailable for comment on the prison proposal today.

City briefs

DELUXE HAMBURGER 99¢. Large drinks 69¢. The Hamburger Station. 665-9131. Adv.

MEALS ON WHEELS 669-1007, P.O. Box 939 Adv.

LOW IMPACT Aerobics. Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 8:30-9:30 a.m. Youth Center, 665-0748, Andrea 669-3405, with nursery. Adv.

NARFE BRANCH #1647 meeting Thursday, October 1, 7 p.m. **PERMS \$20**, including haircut. Delinda or Ruth 665-9236. Adv.

NEW SHIPMENT of Pampas Grass, \$3 stem and Eucalyptus, \$8 bunch. Las Pampas Galleries, Downtown. Adv.

TOP O Texas Chapter 1064 OES meeting Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

CLARENDON COLLEGE Pampa Center will be offering Real Estate Week-End classes beginning Saturday, October 3, 8 a.m. The classes of Real Estate

Investment will continue for 3 consecutive weekends. Enrollment required by Friday, October 2, 5 p.m. Adv.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST
 Sunny and warmer Thursday with a high near 80. Low tonight in the 50s. Southwesterly winds at 5 to 10 mph. High Tuesday, 77; low this morning, 52.

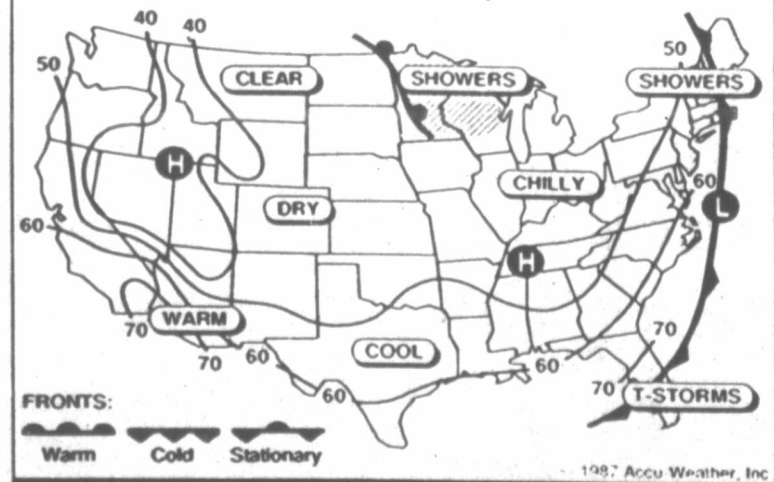
REGIONAL FORECAST
 West Texas — Mostly sunny days and fair nights through Thursday. A little cooler most sections tonight and a little warmer Thursday. Lows tonight upper 40s mountains and north to near 60 along the Rio Grande. Highs Thursday in the 80s except lower 90s along the Rio Grande.

North Texas — Sunny and mild through Thursday. Clear and cool tonight. Highs 79 to 84. Low tonight around 50.

South Texas — Fair skies and rather cool tonight. Sunny and pleasant Thursday. Highs Thursday in the 80s. Lows tonight mid 40s Hill Country otherwise near 50 north to upper 50s and near 60 south.

EXTENDED FORECAST
Friday Through Sunday
 West Texas — Slight chance of thunderstorms mainly far west, otherwise dry with no major change in tempera-

The Accu-Weather forecast for 8 A.M., Thursday, October 1



tures. Panhandle and South Plains, lows upper 40s to lower 50s, highs mid 70s to lower 80s.

North Texas — No significant rainfall expected. Highs in the upper 70s to mid 80s. Lows mainly in the 50s.

South Texas — Partly cloudy with mild days and cool nights. Highs mostly in the 80s. Lows from the 50s north to the 60s south.

BORDER STATES
 Oklahoma — Clear tonight and sunny Thursday. Low tonight 49 to 56. High Thursday

81 to 86.

New Mexico — Partly cloudy skies through Thursday. A few morning fog patches on the eastern plains otherwise fair at night. Widely scattered afternoon and early nighttime showers over the southwest. Isolated late afternoon and evening thundershowers central mountains. Highs in the mid 60s to mid mountains with 70s to low 80s lower elevations. Lows upper 20s and 30s mountains with 40s and 50s at the lower elevations.

Texas/Regional

Former co-worker denies he knows who killed girl

GALVESTON (AP) — A former janitor denies he knows who killed a teenager for whose slaying Clarence Brandley faces execution despite earlier videotaped statements he made implicating another man.

Gary Acreman recanted videotaped statements he made in March in which he identified James Dexter Robinson as the man who dragged Cheryl Ferguson into a Conroe High School restroom where she was raped and strangled in August 1980.

The videotapes, made March 17 and March 20, were played Tuesday at an evidentiary hearing. Acreman later took the stand and recanted his videotaped statements.

"Mr. Acreman, you know Mr. Brand-

ley didn't do it, don't you?" asked defense attorney Mike DeGeurin.

"I don't know nothing, I wasn't over there," Acreman replied.

"And you know who did it too, don't you?" DeGeurin continued.

"No sir, I don't," Acreman said.

Acreman, 27, a former Brandley co-worker, said on the tape he never reported what happened because he was afraid of Robinson.

State District Judge Perry Pickett is considering evidence at a hearing that was moved to Galveston after defense attorneys complained that witnesses would feel intimidated in Montgomery County, Brandley's home county 90 miles to the north.

The judge must recommend to the

Texas Court of Appeals whether Brandley should be granted a new trial, his third. The hearing began Monday and was scheduled to resume today.

Acreman has not yet been cross-examined by the state.

Attorneys for Brandley are trying to show their client did not commit the crime but that he was the victim of an orchestrated effort to convict him.

During questioning later Tuesday, Acreman was asked by DeGeurin if he was recanting his videotaped statements because he was afraid he would be implicated in the murder.

"I know that I'm innocent, but it still doesn't stop me from worrying about it," Acreman said.

Brandley was convicted in 1981 of the

murder of Miss Ferguson, 16, who was slain while at Conroe High School with her Bellville High School girls volleyball team. She was the team manager.

Of several janitors in the school at the time, Brandley was the lone black man, and his supporters say that played a key role in Brandley's conviction and death sentence.

In April, defense attorneys played for Houston reporters the videotape made March 17 in which Acreman said Brandley was being railroaded and that Robinson was the girl's assailant.

A spokesman for Texas Attorney General Jifn Mattox quickly dismissed that claim, saying Robinson had just passed a lie detector test in which he

claimed innocence in the case.

Robinson admitted in April that he told his former common-law wife that he killed a girl, but said he was lying to her.

During a hearing last summer, Acreman testified he saw Robinson the day of the murder at the school. On Tuesday, Acreman said he doesn't know if he saw Robinson that day.

Also Tuesday, Connie Miller, who worked at a Conroe taxi company where Acreman worked part-time, testified Acreman was present in 1980 when she and a friend were talking about the arrest of Brandley.

"He made the statement he did not think Clarence had killed the girl," she added.

Sparring continuing over Baptist leader's meeting with pope

DALLAS (AP) — A Southern Baptist minister from Colorado has complained to the convention's executive committee because a church leader attended a private meeting with Pope John Paul II during the pontiff's United States tour, a newspaper reported today.

In a quarterly session of the committee last week in Nashville, Tenn., the minister offered a motion to bar members of the convention's executive committee and its staff from attending ecumenical meetings without prior consent of the committee. The Dallas Morning News said.

The Rev. Kenneth R. Barnett of Lakewood, Colo., said he made the proposal after hearing a report from executive committee chairman Harold C. Bennett on Bennett's visit with Pope John Paul II at an ecumenical meeting Sept. 11 in Columbia, S.C.

The division of the denomination has raised in the vote to conduct debate and consider a new policy for attending ecumenical meetings at the committee's meeting in February: it passed by a vote of 26 to 24.

The executive committee is the highest board in the 13.4 million-member church. It is charged with conducting the affairs of the

denomination between annual meetings. The Southern Baptist Convention is the nation's largest non-Catholic denomination.

Barnett was critical of Bennett's participation in the papal event, saying he had been trapped "by the pope's PR extravaganza."

"All Southern Baptists were affected" by Bennett's meeting with the pope, and Bennett was not in a position to "unilaterally make that decision" to attend, Barnett said.

"I don't have any disdain for Pope John Paul," Barnett said. "If he wanted to do his PR (public relations) work, that's fine. But I don't think it should be embellished by Southern Baptists."

Bennett and 26 other officials of various denominations were invited to the South Carolina meeting. He said he accepted the invitation to tell the pontiff about Baptists' missions in 111 countries and how the "cause of Christ" could be better advanced if relations between Catholics and the missionaries in those countries could be improved.

Baptists were "polarized," Barnett said, when Bennett and Carolyn Weatherford, president of the Baptists' Woman's Missionary Union, accepted invitations to meet with the pontiff.



Tax specialists in the state comptroller's office operate a phone bank where Texans

can call to have their tax questions answered.

Sales taxes go up Thursday

AUSTIN (AP) — Record numbers of Texans are calling the state tax collector with questions and complaints about the sales tax increase that takes effect Thursday.

"It appears that nobody is happy," Claudia Stravato, deputy comptroller for enforcement, said Tuesday.

On Thursday, the state sales tax will increase to 6 percent from the current 5 1/2 percent. The sales tax also will be expanded to cover many services and some goods that had been exempt.

For Dallas, Austin and Houston residents, the increase means a total sales tax of 8 percent because of the 1 percent city sales tax and 1 percent transit sales tax.

Lawmakers approved the state sales tax increase during a special session called this year to balance the budget.

Ms. Stravato, who oversees the tax assistance telephone bank, said the 50 tax specialists there have been handling 5,000 to 8,000 calls a day since mid-August.

The number of tax-related calls to the toll-free line (1-800-252-5555) has been as high as 10,000 per day, she said.

Most of the calls are from businesses, Ms. Stravato said.

The 420,000 merchants now on the tax rolls must adjust cash registers or obtain new cards that show the increased state sales tax.

In addition, more than 64,000 businesses are expected to be collecting the sales tax for the first time.

Among the items that will fall under the sales tax beginning Thursday are garbage collection, landscaping, pest control, private club memberships and insurance damage appraisals.

"A lot of (the callers) are confused" because the \$5.7 billion tax bill approved by lawmakers contains different effective dates for different tax increases, Ms. Stravato said.

The sales tax increase and base-broadening that take effect Thursday will together raise an estimated \$3.6 billion over the next two years. Other increases took effect Sept. 1 or will take effect Jan. 1.

With the increase, Texas is tied with six other states in having the third-highest state sales tax rate in the nation.

Some of the merchants who are calling are irate because they must pay a new \$25 fee for a permit to collect the sales tax, Ms. Stravato said. The fee became effective Sept. 1.

The state's motor vehicle sales tax and hotel-motel room taxes also went up Sept. 1.

Starting Thursday, the so-called Doughnut Rule, which applies the sales tax to ready-to-eat foods only if they are purchased for immediate consumption, will fall by the wayside.

The abolition of the rule, which got its nickname because the sales tax has not been charged on purchases of six doughnuts or more, means the sales tax will be charged on all food and drink purchases from such businesses as restaurants, hotels and drug stores.

Smokers also will pay a higher price beginning Thursday, when the cigarette tax will go from 20.5 cents to 26 cents a pack.

Starting Jan. 1, the sales tax will be extended to data processing services, including word processing and data entry.

Taxes also will be charged on repair and remodeling services, except on new construction and owner-occupied homes, beginning Jan. 1.

Triple slaying puzzling

ARANSAS PASS (AP) — Aransas County officers say the triple slaying of a man, woman and her 10-year-old daughter has them puzzled.

An Aransas County deputy found the bodies of the victims on and near a blood-soaked section of rural road near the coastal community of Aransas Pass early Tuesday.

"Right now we don't have any suspects or a motive," Sheriff Bob Hewes said.

The victims were identified as David McGee, 37, former of San Antonio, Virginia Cadena, 28, and her 10-year-old daughter, Elizabeth Galvan.

McGee had been shot in the head, the child had been shot three times in the abdomen and Cadena apparently witnessed the slayings of the others and

escaped before she was run over by a vehicle and dragged about 60 feet to her death, officers said.

"There was quite a bit of blood on the bodies," said funeral director Manuel Buentello, who took the bodies to the Nueces County Medical Examiner's office in Corpus Christi.

"You could hardly tell what their injuries were."

Officers said Cadena's body was on the south side of the road and the other bodies were found lying side by side on the north side of the road. It was believed the two were dumped from a vehicle.

Hewes said authorities believe the incident began at apartment where the victims lived in Aransas Pass because deputies found signs of a struggle in the apartment.

Libertarians oppose state super collider bonds

AUSTIN (AP) — The state panel leading the Texas bid for the "super collider" says the project would be a money-producer and a landmark in science.

But the Texas Libertarian Party says if it's such a good deal, why aren't any private firms interested in paying for it?

"Let the people who think it is a good idea pay for it," Libertarian Party secretary Gary Johnson of Austin said at a Tuesday news conference.

The Libertarian Party, which contends that government already does too much, is urging Texans to vote against a proposed constitutional amendment on the Nov. 3 ballot that would let the state sell \$500 million in bonds to raise money for incentives to lure the project.

Twenty-five states want to be home to the super collider, which a report released Tues-

day called "one of the most significant scientific research projects of our time."

The project includes a 53-mile underground tunnel in which atoms would be smashed together at the speed of light. In a report released Tuesday, Southwest Economics Inc. of Austin told the state's National Research Laboratory Commission, which is coordinating the state bid for the project, that the collider could mean big dollars for the state.

"If Texas is successful, an important question is, 'What will Texans receive in return for the investment?' In economic terms, the answer is jobs, income and tax revenues," the report said.

The total economic activity could add up to \$11.4 billion for Texas during the projected eight-year construction.

But Johnson said, "Actually, the federal

super collider will be the world's largest and most advanced tax accelerator and wallet smasher. Government scientists will use giant magnets to take money from our pockets faster than ever before."

He added, "The super collider is a super boondoggle. This esoteric super toy for absent-minded professors has no practical application. A state bond proposition to borrow \$500 million must be repaid with higher state taxes — supertaxes."

Matt Lyon, press secretary for the group pushing for approval of the constitutional amendment, was not impressed with the Libertarian's criticism.

"Those folks are against so many things I wouldn't be surprised if they announced they didn't believe in gravity," Lyon said. "Aren't they the ones against having a fire department?"

Schools paying students not to miss school

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — Going to school every day next month could pay off — literally — for students who are being offered incentives such as cash prizes to attend classes.

Each of the district's 57 schools will be offering a chance to win money, gift certificates or special activities — whatever it takes to increase student attendance during October, associate superintendent Abe Saavedra said.

October is the month when the state tallies the average daily attendance, which in turn determines how much state money each school district gets.

The incentives are a response to the Corpus Christi Independent School District's enrollment dearth. Because enrollment is about 550 students below projections, the district stands to lose about \$1.2 million in state fund-

ing it had figured into its budget. Every school has received \$300 to create its own student attendance incentive program, Saavedra said.

"Each principal will determine what kind of incentive program to set up," Saavedra said Monday. "Some are giving cash prizes, others pizza parties."

W.B. Ray High School students with perfect attendance each week will draw for cash prizes of \$50, \$25, \$15 and \$10, said principal Bill Hamrick.

At the end of October, the names of six King High School students who haven't missed a day of school that month will be drawn to receive \$50 each, said assistant principal Ed Martin.

Students at Cunningham Junior High School will be encouraged not to miss school

during October with a drawing for a special prize every week, principal Arnold Saavedra said.

A similar incentive program has been instituted in the Marble Falls Independent School District, about 30 miles northwest of Austin.

Students with perfect attendance there will be eligible for a drawing to win a trip for two to Disney World's Epcot Center on American Airlines, said Assistant Superintendent Jay Watson.

Other drawings will award prizes of money, bicycles, radios and pizzas, he said. "It's not costing the local district any money," said Watson, adding that local businesses contributed the prizes. He said all students with perfect attendance would win something.

Professor will study smokeless tobacco use

HOUSTON (AP) — A University of Houston scientist hoping to fight oral cancer is using a \$1.6 million grant to study Little League baseball players' use of smokeless tobacco.

An estimated 10 percent of all teen-agers chew or dip tobacco, said Richard Evans, a psychology professor and principal investigator for the National Cancer Institute-sponsored five-year project. That percentage is about the same as adult usage and is up 3 percent to 4 percent in the past six years.

"We have a chance now to stem the tide, before this becomes established," he said.

An earlier school study showed 55 percent of high school or junior high school students who used the smokeless tobacco began the practice before the age of 12.

Evans said he believes usage is climbing because smokeless tobacco is more easily concealed than cigarettes.

"The biggest mystery is why people know the risks of using something and they persist in using the drug," Evans said.

He said a goal of the study would be to determine if students who decline to chew see those who do as being status-conscious.

The study also is to include an education program to see if teen-agers are deterred from using smokeless tobacco products, which have been linked to oral cancer and gum problems.

Forty to 50 researchers will be involved in the operation, he said.

The announcement of the project Monday drew the backing of Houston Astros pitcher Nolan Ryan.

Ryan said he became aware of the problem when he noticed children as young as 10 years of age playing Little League baseball with his own sons were using dip and chew.

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Opinion

Soviets bash treaty with interior radar

"You see, but you do not observe," Sherlock Holmes liked to tell his bumbling assistant, Dr. Watson. He could have also had in mind three congressmen, Reps. Thomas Downey, Bob Carr, and Jim Moody, who, preparing the congressional mood for ratification of the impending arms control agreement, recently returned from a junket to Krasnoyarsk, in eastern Siberia. There, the congressmen saw — but did not observe — a huge Soviet radar.

According to *National Security Record*, "The Soviets claim (the Krasnoyarsk radar) is for space-tracking, but neither its design nor location is suited for that purpose. Even the most ardent defenders of the (1972) ABM treaty acknowledge that the Krasnoyarsk radar is a significant Soviet violation." Well — almost all ardent ABM treaty defenders.

In a joint report, the three globetrotting congressmen said the radar would violate only "the letter of the treaty, not its purpose." Downey added that the junket was an "extraordinary step in confidence-building" by his Kremlin hosts, and a "dramatically important week for arms control and arms control verification." He said Soviet construction methods were so shoddy, "If this was an American building, it would be condemned."

Moody said the visit "signals an apparent new willingness on the Soviets' part to move from verbal exchanges and countercharges ... on ABM and nuclear testing issues, to concrete deeds."

Amazing. Three congressmen take a Kremlin-sponsored propaganda tour and conclude that, while Bolshevik-poured concrete is full of cracks, Soviet arms control promises are "concrete deeds." They saw, but they did not observe.

The three congressmen were allowed to take thousands of snapshots, but weren't allowed into several top-secret rooms. What was there? Possibly electronic guts of the radar.

The important thing about Krasnoyarsk is the radar itself, which took years to construct, not the electronic components, which can be carted in whenever the Soviets choose to.

The Krasnoyarsk radar is so dangerous because, when fully operational, it will direct anti-missile strikes. Since the 1972 ABM treaty allowed only one such radar in the interior of a country, around each nation's capital, the Soviets have clearly violated — surprise! — yet another treaty.

Krasnoyarsk shows that, even as the Kremlin belabors against America's Strategic Defense Initiative, it is building a nationwide missile defense system of its own. The Soviets intended the congressmen's Krasnoyarsk junket to influence current arms control negotiations.

Dr. Watson once remarked that Holmes could see things that were "quite invisible to me."

Holmes retorted: "Not invisible but unnoticed, Watson. You did not know where to look, and so you missed all that was important." Holmes would say the same thing to our three congressional sleuths. But at least Dr. Watson wanted to observe.

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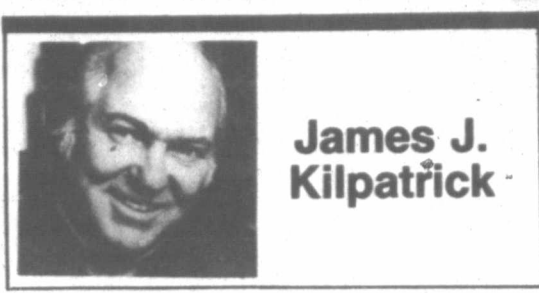
Service doctors escape liability

WASHINGTON — Their names are Robert J. Longo, Robert Lee Rawls and Timothy J. Adkins. You may never have heard of them, but their names ought to ring loudly in the heads of the Department of Defense. All three suffered from medical malpractice at the hands of the military establishment. Because they were on active duty, they could not sue for the damages they otherwise might have won.

Army Lt. Rawls and Marine Sgt. Adkins died as a consequence of their treatment in military facilities. Army Spec. 4 Longo was left a cripple. Their stories are briefly told in a report of the House Judiciary Committee endorsing Rep. Barney Frank's bill to right a longstanding wrong.

The bill would allow members of the armed forces on active duty (and full-time members of the National Guard) to sue the United States for damages resulting from personal injury or death arising from medical or dental malpractice. Specifically, the bill would apply only to negligence in a "fixed medical facility" operated by the government. It would not apply to injuries or death in combat.

For reasons that strike me as altogether specious, the Reagan administration opposes the bill. One argument is that military discipline would break down if service personnel on active duty were permitted to sue their superior officers. A second argument is that such suits would have to be filed under widely varying state laws, thus producing widely varying awards. A third contention is that existing law already provides for compensation in cases of alleged malpractice. Opponents also predict that courts could be clogged by the "thousands" of suits that might



James J. Kilpatrick

be brought. In its report of Aug. 9, the Judiciary Committee dismissed the objections out of hand. Military discipline and morale probably would be improved by Frank's bill; the threat of a malpractice suit might have prevented the three blunders the committee cites. As for varying state laws, the government manages to live with the problem — if it is a problem — in suits that now can be brought by military dependents and federal prisoners.

Under the pending bill, any awards granted in civilian litigation would be reduced by the amount of the government's compensation. Finally, if military medicine is so awful that "thousands" of malpractice claims would be filed, it is even later than most observers think.

Consider the three cases. Longo was admitted to an Army hospital suffering from a painful lump in his thigh. For three months he was treated for a simple "muscle tear." It wasn't a muscle tear; it was cancer. The tumor spread to his lungs. At long last the malignancy was discovered and removed, but Longo was left, at 23, with 100 percent disability and the continuing pain of fibrosis. If he had been a service depen-

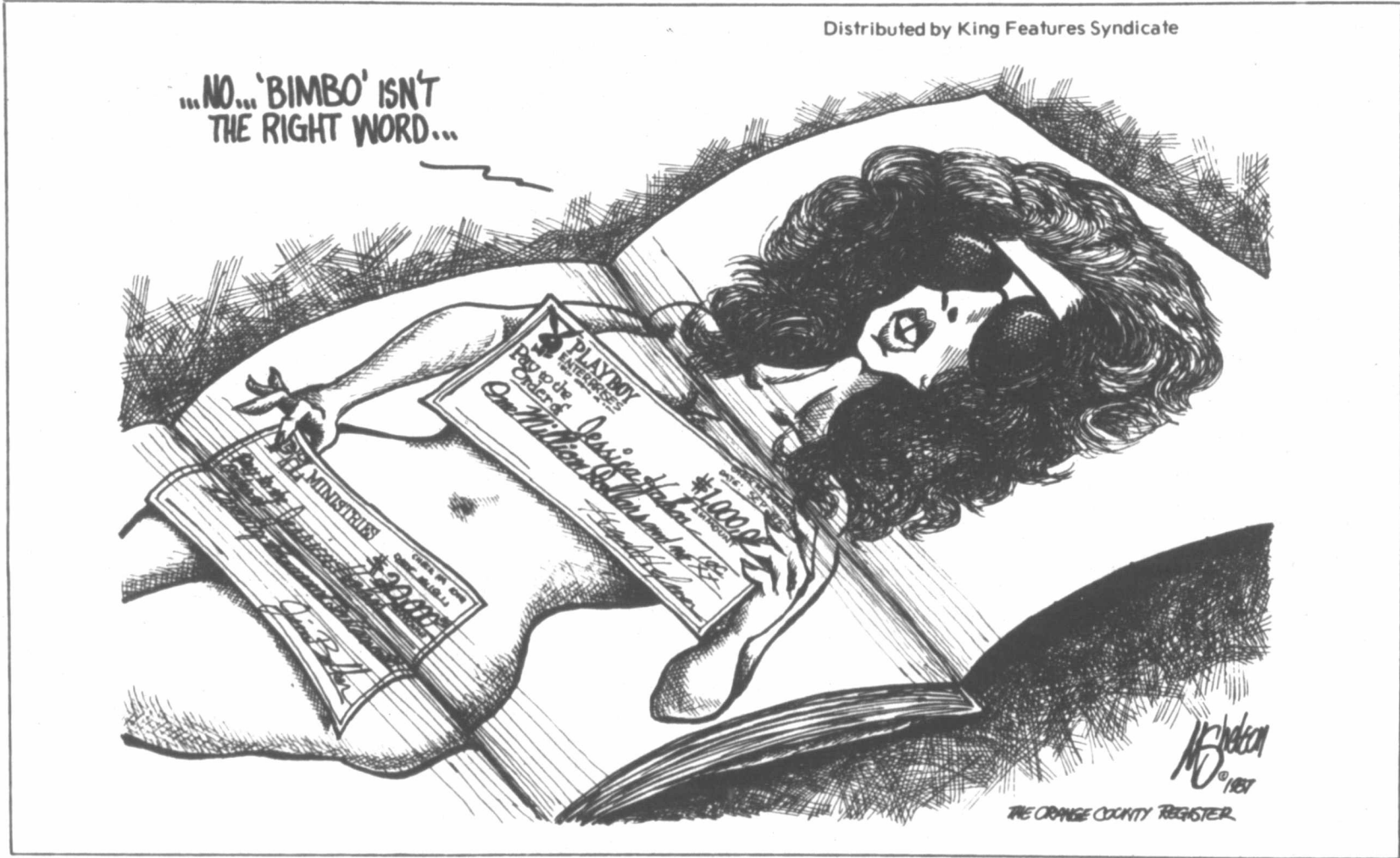
dent, he might have sued, but because he was on active duty he had no legal recourse.

Rawls died "because of medical neglect of a staph infection which damaged his heart valves." The infection probably resulted from a puncture wound in his foot, caused by a nail in his Army boots. Four times Rawls sought treatment from an Army hospital. He was running a temperature of 105 degrees. Somehow this made no impression. Ultimately he went through two operations for open heart surgery. He did not survive the second operation. Rawls was 25.

Adkins had a tooth extracted at the dental clinic of the Marine Corps Air Station in Beaufort, S.C. An infection developed. He died 16 days later. The Department of Defense asked its inspector general to investigate. The conclusion: Adkins had suffered from follow-up care that was "substandard." The committee report adds laconically that "sterilization areas at the clinic were modified as a result of Sergeant Adkins' death."

It makes no sense to discriminate against members of the armed forces on active duty. Two-thirds of the individuals treated at military medical facilities already have a right to sue under the Federal Tort Claims Act. Only those who are actively serving their country are denied equal access to the courts.

Frank's bill now languishes on the calendar of a busy House. It ought to be taken up promptly. In October 1985, the House voted 317-90 in favor of Frank's proposal, but the bill died in the Senate. Try again! While Congress dawdles, others are suffering the same fate unfairly imposed upon Longo, Adkins and Rawls.



Houston rebounds from blahs

Houston was hurting. One thing after another.

Oil prices were depressed at the same time the bottom dropped out from under the cattle market. Then a tragedy put NASA's space exploration on hold. High interest rates overwhelmed the over-extended, and beautiful luxury homes in River Oaks were selling for a third their value — or not at all.

But then, a few months ago, things began to look up.

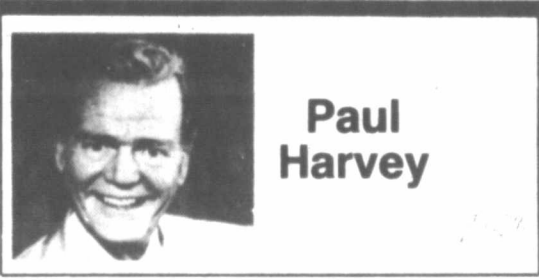
Oil rigs were being reactivated, beef prices were better, NASA was getting busy.

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Paul Harvey

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embraced a city ... had given Houston something to sing about.

And while the economic comeback for Houston will still be tedious, this professional observer sensed an amazing metamorphosis in just one weekend.

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The Fourth of July does not come around often enough. Thanksgiving Day does not come around often enough. Every day we are bombarded with a media recitation of our nation's shortcomings.

So once in a while between national holidays we need to back off from contemporary events — and look at us — U.S. — through the wide-angle lens of history.

Then we can know whether this land, once worth dying for, is now worth working for.

In Houston, we decided it is.

Liberal Democrats play dumb with Bork

By Ben Wattenberg

It used to be said that conservatives were the stupid party — intellectuals need not apply. It was also said that Republicans were the party with a suicide wish, political lemmings marching into the ocean of defeat.

But the Senate confirmation hearings of Judge Robert Bork make one wonder whether today it's the liberal Democrats who are, in effect if not by design, pro-suicide and anti-intellectual.

Suicide first. Suppose the liberal activist Democrats are successful in dumping Bork. Then what? They will thump their chests and say look how strong we are, look at the noble deed we did, look at Ronald Reagan the lame duck, who can't even confirm a Supreme Court justice — hooray for us!

The next day, Reagan will nominate another conservative for the job. That conservative will not have spoken out as much as Bork has. That conservative will not be as knowledgeable as Bork. That conservative

may be a judicial activist, anxious to make new conservative law — quite unlike Bork who maintains that conservatives should champion judicial restraint. That conservative may be a senator or former senator who will be hard for the liberal Democrats to dump due to senatorial courtesy.

And if the second nominee is busted? There will be a third conservative nominee. Sooner or later one of them will be confirmed.

So the Democrats' real choice is to get a smart Bork while displaying Democratic dignity, or get a not-so-smart Bork after having revealed again that when liberal activists create a political firestorm, Democratic legislators will be forced to bow. What will the Democrats choose to do? (You know what a suicidal party would do.)

Now, about the stupid party, the anti-intellectual party. What is the root of Robert Bork's problem? The New Republic has come out against his confirmation, but gets his problem right: "Bork is a victim of his own intellectual exertions: a lifetime of ear-

nest and honest reflection on basic questions, expressed with admirable provocative swash."

Translation: Many lawyers choose to make lots of money trying to cut the tax liability of their corporate clients. Many judges write their decisions then go home and broil steaks over charcoal.

Bork has not been like that. There has been a revolution in jurisprudence in America; the power of the courts has grown. Some of the fruits of this revolution have been fine; some not. The methodology of the revolution is important because of what it may yield in the future. Bork chose to enter the arena in a time of turmoil. He has been law professor, solicitor general, think-tank fellow, judge. He wrote articles, gave speeches, answered questions.

He wasn't always right. He's changed his mind on some issues. He may not be 100 percent right on some issues now. That's what the give-and-take of an intellectual life yields: a mind honed by trial and error. Because he participated, Bork may to-

day be one of the nation's most thoughtful jurists.

The Democratic activists have discovered that it's possible to mug a nominee who has had the courage to speak out, and consequently left a paper trail. There's always a quote around.

What's the moral of the story for a young person in the legal profession? Play it safe. Stay out of the hurly-burly. Keep your distance from the turmoil of your times. And that's a lesson not just for lawyers. If you want to go into politics or government, the liberal activist message is the same: Don't be controversial, be quiet. After all, a Senate committee may be after you in years to come. Ted Kennedy may drip sanctimony on you. Is the republic well served by such a stern lesson of intellectual-bashing? No way.

The liberal activist Democrats are behaving like Republicans of yore: suicidal and anti-intellectual. And, not surprisingly, like the Republicans of yesteryear, they can't elect a president either.

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"There would be NO living with him if he didn't have so many of last year's NFL games on tape."

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Plastic surgeons say fat suctioning largely safe

CHICAGO (AP) — Fat suctioning, America's most popular form of cosmetic surgery, is largely safe and effective, though some variations are riskier than others and some practitioners are poorly trained, a medical group said today.

The American Society of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeons said in a report that it had documented 11 deaths and nine non-fatal cases of serious complications in an analysis of 100,000 U.S. liposuction procedures over five years.

Most of the complications were caused by clots of blood or fat blocking vessels to the heart, brain or lungs, the Chicago-based society said.

Fat suctioning, or liposuction, involves inserting a tubular instrument

under the skin and suctioning off fat tissue.

The risk of complications increases when fat suctioning is combined with a technique of removing excess skin and fat from the abdomen called abdominoplasty, the plastic-surgeons group said.

However, the society said the procedure has been so greatly refined that it can be used on fatty areas of the face and even improve the looks of the elderly, despite early reservations about them as appropriate candidates.

Meanwhile, the society said fat transplants, a new twist on the procedure in which fat is sucked from one part of the body and injected into another, have had uneven success and should be considered experimental.

Difficulties with liposuction are more likely when it is used for more than two quarts of fat. Such an amount requires the patient to be under general anesthesia, to be watched overnight and to have donated blood in advance in case bleeding makes a transfusion necessary, the society said.

The society also reported that fat suctioning tends to be overused. Practitioners lacking training in other plastic surgery procedures may use liposuction when it is not appropriate, such as in the case of loose skin on the abdomen or under the chin, it said.

A U.S. pioneer of fat suctioning blasted that conclusion and accused the society of engaging in a "turf battle over money" by spreading the impress-

ion that only plastic surgeons are qualified to do the lucrative procedure.

"It is absolutely unconscionable what they are trying to do," said Dr. Julius Newman, chairman of cosmetic surgery at The Graduate Hospital, which is affiliated with the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine in Philadelphia.

"Plastic and reconstructive surgeons feel no other surgeons are capable of doing plastic surgery in any part of the body," said Newman, president of the American Academy of Cosmetic Surgery, based in Pacific Palisades, Calif.

"Our position is no one surgical specialty can control all of plastic

surgery," he said, noting that a French gynecologist, not a plastic surgeon, developed the procedure and taught it to U.S. doctors.

Newman said specialists such as eye surgeons; ear, nose and throat doctors; obstetrician-gynecologists, and orthopedists may in many cases be better qualified than plastic surgeons to do liposuction because they would be more familiar with the body areas on which they would be performing the procedure.

Liposuction was performed 99,330 times last year in the United States, the 2,800-member plastic surgeons group reported previously. The procedure costs \$500 to \$4,000.

Cranston says Bork can't win

WASHINGTON (AP) — The senator who counts votes for the Democrats says Robert H. Bork is "licked" as a Supreme Court nominee, but President Reagan and Bork aren't buying the prediction.

Senate Majority Whip Alan Cranston, D-Calif., told reporters Tuesday that his latest head-count shows 49 senators likely to oppose Bork, 40 likely to support him and 11 undecided.

"This reflects a loss of five potential votes for Bork since September 15," the day Bork's confirmation hearings began before the Senate Judiciary Committee, Cranston said. The hearings are expected to conclude today.

White House spokesman Martin Fitzwater said Tuesday that the administration had launched a new drive to woo votes. Bork has been meeting with individual senators and Reagan will be lobbying senators in person and on the telephone.

Fitzwater said Reagan is not even considering whom he might nominate if Bork is rejected and "gets angry at the very thought of even mentioning a replacement."

At Bork's confirmation hearing Tuesday, held in the same Senate Caucus Room where the Watergate hearings were held, the Judiciary Committee heard different accounts of Bork's role in the so-called Saturday Night Massacre.

On Oct. 20, 1973, former Attorney General Elliot Richardson resigned rather than carry out President Nixon's order to fire Watergate special prosecutor Archibald Cox. Bork, then solicitor general, ultimately handled the dismissal.

Richardson told senators Tuesday that he resigned because he promised the Senate and Cox that he would not fire the prosecutor. Bork, he said, had made no such commitment and did the right thing.

Out of school



Youngsters at a housing development in Chicago do stunts while out of school during the Chicago teachers strike. Tuesday was the 22nd day of the strike, which has idled about 430,000 students and 18,000 teachers in the nation's third-largest school district.

Ford Motor Co. will go silent in memory of Ford

DETROIT (AP) — Ford Motor Co. operations worldwide will go silent for three minutes in memory of Henry Ford II, who rescued the company from near ruin by his doddering grandfather and ran it for four decades in autocratic fashion.

Ford, who wrested control of company at age 28 in a boardroom power-play carried out with help from his mother, died Tuesday at age 70.

Ford, who suffered from heart and kidney problems complicated by pneumonia, fell ill in London on Sept. 1. Dr. Louis Saravolatz, who helped treat Ford at Henry Ford Hospital, said Legionnaires' disease contributed to the death.

Ford's successes included the Mustang in the 1960s, and recruiting a young management team dubbed the "Whiz Kids" that returned the company to profitability and a position as an industrial giant after World II.

Among his failures was the biggest dud in automotive history, the Edsel, named for his late father.

A boss who jealously guarded his power as much as his grandfather, company founder Henry Ford, before him, Ford fired Lee Iacocca, the darling of the auto industry, as president in 1978. "Well, sometimes you just don't like somebody," he explained.

Divorced twice and married three times, Ford lived a jetset lifestyle during the 1960s and 1970s and was fond of boisterous parties. At one point, he began drinking heavily and was charged with drunken driving.

Although generally polite and gracious, he could also be outspoken and sometimes cruel in his dealings with subordinates. "My name is on the building," he would say to settle arguments.

His personal fortune was estimated at \$250 million by Forbes

magazine in 1986, when his Ford stock was half its current value.

The death prompted the company to cancel Tuesday's national introduction to the press of its 1988 models.

Flags will fly at half-staff for the next month at all Ford plants in the United States and "we have asked all Ford locations overseas to follow the appropriate local custom," said company spokeswoman Judith Muhlbeg.

On Oct. 8, Ford operations around the world will shut down for three minutes in Ford's memory.

Ford won recognition for his advocacy of corporate contributions to social causes and was credited with wiping bigotry against Jews and blacks from Ford's image.

Civil rights leader Coretta Scott King called Ford was "one of the nation's most visionary and progressive business leaders."

In Detroit, he was recognized as an employer, philanthropist, builder and social activist.

Upon the death of Edsel Ford in 1943, the government plucked Ford out of the Naval Reserve in 1943 to save the auto company, which was losing \$9 million annually under his grandfather, who was approaching senility.

By 1946, a year in which the company lost \$8 million, the younger Ford had launched a multibillion-dollar, international reorganization and expansion that netted a \$430 million profit in 1955.

He recruited a management team of young Army Air Corps officers, including Robert McNamara, who introduced professional management and revived company fortunes.

Ten days after being named company president, McNamara was appointed secretary of defense by President Kennedy.

Senator pushing airline smoking ban

WASHINGTON (AP) — Proponents of a smoking ban on most airline flights will have an influential friend in the Senate when they renew their efforts to enact such a prohibition into law.

Sen. Frank Lautenberg, D-N.J., announced Tuesday he would ask the Senate transportation appropriations subcommittee, which he chairs, to approve legislation prohibiting smoking on flights of two hours or less.

The panel planned to complete its work on the measure today, and the full Senate Appropriations Committee was scheduled to consider the bill Thursday.

Lautenberg's restrictions cover 80 percent of all domestic airline flights and last for three years. His press secretary, Jim Abbott, said the senator had not decided what would happen when the period expired.

"The worst place of all for nonsmoking passengers and flight personnel alike is the cramped confines of an airline cabin," Lautenberg said in a prepared statement. "There's no escaping the smoke at 32,000 feet."

The provision would be part of a multi-billion measure providing transportation appropriations

for the 1988 fiscal year, which begins Thursday.

Supporters of the smoking ban, who include about 30 health groups and two flight attendants' unions, already have been successful in the House. On July 13, the lawmakers approved a measure permanently prohibiting smoking on flights of two hours or less. The 198-193 vote surprised even the sponsors, Reps. Richard Durbin, D-Ill., and C.W. Bill Young, R-Fla.

Arrayed against the smoking restrictions are the tobacco industry and the nation's air carriers, airport operators and airline pilots. They contend the current system of providing seating for smokers in the rear of planes has been successful. They also cite safety arguments.

"We do have some concerns from the safety aspect, that with a partial ban, you might have instances where people will try to smoke surreptitiously in lavatories," where a fire might start accidentally, said Stephen Hayes, spokesman for the Air Transport Association, the airline industry trade group.

Tobacco-state senators have promised to try to scuttle the smoking-ban language should it reach the chamber's floor.

Analysts see a continued moderate economic growth

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government's chief forecasting gauge of future economic activity climbed 0.6 percent in August, the seventh consecutive increase and the longest string of advances since the economic recovery began in late 1982.

The Commerce Department said the August increase followed a revised July advance of 0.3 percent.

Analysts said the string of gains in the index was pointing the way to continued moderate economic growth for the rest of this year and through the 1988 presidential election, something bound to cheer Republicans hoping to hold onto the White House.

The index last posted a decline in January. The seven monthly gains are the longest stretch of consecutive increases in the index since a string of 21 straight advances starting in September 1982, right before the beginning of the current recovery.

That long advance in the index signalled rapid economic growth in 1983 and 1984.

The recovery from the 1981-82 recession will be 59 months long next month, making it the longest peacetime expansion in U.S. history.

Economists do not expect growth in the coming months to be as strong as in the early years of the recovery, given the advanced stage of the expansion. Instead, they are forecasting a continuation of the moderate advances in economic activity in effect for the last two years.

The leading index is composed of eleven forward-looking business statistics and is designed to predict economic activity six to nine months in the future.

The biggest positive force in August was a big gain in stock market prices, which pushed the Standard & Poor's 500-stock index up by 6.2 percent in August.

In all, four of the available statistics were positive forces on the index. The other strength came from a drop in weekly unemployment claims, a rise in building permits and an increase in the nation's money supply.

Four of the available indicators held the index back. The largest negative contribution came from a decline in plant and equipment orders by businesses, followed by changes in business delivery times on orders, changes in the prices of raw materials and a drop in manufacturers' orders for consumer goods.

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World

Soviets, U.S. among 129 nations accused of human rights abuse

LONDON (AP) — Amnesty International, issuing its annual report on human rights today, accused the Soviet Union of harsh treatment of political prisoners and criticized the United States for permitting the death penalty.

The Nobel Prize-winning group said it had received reports of human rights abuses in 129 nations last year.

"Although it learned of fewer political arrests, Amnesty International was disturbed that the Soviet authorities continued to imprison many citizens whose conscience had led them to dissent peacefully from official policies, and to apply compulsory psychiatric measures to others," the survey said.

"There was no reduction in the number of capital offenses: at least eight people were executed and Amnesty International learned of a further 17 sentenced to death," the report said of the Soviet Union.

The London-based group, which opposes the death penalty, said 18 people were executed in U.S. prisons in 1986, bringing the number killed since the 1976 reinstatement of the death penalty to 68. A record 1,838 prisoners were on death row as of Dec. 20 last year, it said.

Amnesty International also reported complaints of prisoners in the United States being ill-treated.

The 129 nations listed by the independent group make up four-fifths of the United Nations membership.

The 400-page report cited thousands of examples of alleged rights abuses, from the jailing of draft evaders in European countries to government-sanctioned torture and killings in Latin America, Africa, Asia and the Middle East.

Alleged atrocities cited included the massacre of more than 150 prisoners by Peruvian security forces, the execution by stoning of eight people in Iran and the use of amputations as a judicial punishment in Saudi Arabia.

The report also accused the world's richest nations, particularly in North America and Western Europe, of ignoring the plight of political refugees and turning

away refugees in increasing numbers.

Worldwide, 743 prisoners were known to have been executed in 39 countries and 1,272 were sentenced to death in 67 countries, the report said. It said the figures represent only documented executions and that the actual number was "certainly higher."

The 1987 survey gives a country-by-country accounting of work by Amnesty International's more than 500,000 volunteers last year. It said omission of some countries did not necessarily indicate an absence of human rights violations but could reflect a lack of information.

The survey noted improvements during 1986 in the human rights records of several countries, notably the Philippines, Uganda, Zimbabwe, Zaire and Guatemala, but it did not attempt to identify a worldwide trend.

In a report on alleged ill treatment of prisoners in the United States, the survey said Amnesty International had expressed concern to U.S. authorities over the death of Vinson Harris, who perished near a federal prison in Butner, N.C.

"A North Carolina coroner established that Vinson Harris had died of asphyxiation after guards had tightly wrapped his head, neck and face in bandages while he was being transported by bus to a federal prison in March 1986," it said.

The survey also reported allegations that inmates of the penitentiary at Marion, Ill., were beaten by guards during a "lock-down" in November 1983 following the killing of two prison guards by inmates.

The report added: "Amnesty International wrote to the (U.S.) authorities expressing concern that U.S. military assistance to the irregular armed forces (Contras) opposing the government of Nicaragua may have contributed directly to killings, abduction and torture by those forces."

Commenting on Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev's policy of glasnost, or openness on selected topics, the survey welcomed plans to publish Soviet crime statistics regularly for the first time since 1934.

Train collision



Wreckage resulting from a collision between a passenger train and a freight train lies in the town of Terespol Pomorski, Poland, Tuesday. The passenger train crashed into

the freight train that was entering the main track from a side track, and six people were killed, the official PAP news agency reported.

Bush meets with West Germans

BONN, West Germany (AP) — Vice President George Bush, back in Western Europe after four days in Poland, is meeting with West German leaders to discuss the prospective arms control treaty with the Soviet Union.

Bush, who is making a nine-day trip through Europe, arranged sessions today with Chancellor Helmut Kohl and several other West German political leaders.

The vice president also will stop in France, England and Belgium before returning to the United States on Saturday. He plans to spend the balance of his European trip hearing the views of other national leaders on the U.S.-Soviet "agreement in principle" to ban intermediate-range nuclear weapons, which bears heavily on allied defense in Europe.

Bush visited Rome briefly last week to discuss the issue with government leaders there.

Bush's four days in Poland marked an effort to forge better relations with the communist-controlled country. He met with government officials, church leaders and officials of the banned Solidarity union movement in what he described as an effort to promote "national reconciliation."

The vice president said before he departed Poland on Tuesday that progress had been made in improving relations but that it seemed clear that Gen. Wojciech Jaruzelski, the Polish premier, has refused to make major concessions on economic reform or human rights.

"Our two governments, let's be frank, have some differences which cannot and must not be glossed over," Bush said. "I hope this visit helps narrow them somewhat."

Troops deployed in nervous capital

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — Hundreds of troops backed by armored personnel carriers were deployed at entrances to Manila for several hours today after reports that rebel soldiers might attempt to overthrow President Corazon Aquino.

Troops were recalled to their barracks at midday when no uprising occurred, said Col. Emiliano Templo, chief of staff of the Capital Regional Command.

Templo said the troops detained 37 soldiers at the southeastern edge of the city but the men denied plans to join any mutiny. Military sources, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said a civilian bus rammed through a checkpoint north of the city early today, but the driver claimed his brakes failed.

The flurry of military activity began hours after a funeral march Tuesday for slain leftist leader Lean Alejandro. More than 60,000 people joined the

funeral procession, which turned into the largest protest rally in the city this year.

Military sources said commanders had received reports that four renegade officers had joined forces in Bulacan province, north of Manila. The reports said the four were gathering followers for a new strike against the Aquino government.

About 2,000 mutineers attacked the presidential palace, broadcast stations and military garrisons on Aug. 28 in the most serious threat yet to Mrs. Aquino's rule. At least 53 people were killed and hundreds wounded in the failed coup attempt.

Mutiny leader Col. Gregorio "Gringo" Honasan escaped with about half his force and has vowed to continue his struggle against Mrs. Aquino.

Templo said Brig. Gen. Ramon Montano, commander of a new anti-coup force, deployed a 300-man army battalion at the Malinta intersection at the northern edge of the city.

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Becoming an Eagle Scout



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As speech therapist Christine Peterson holds a microphone, Brian Linen, right, repeats the Scout Oath Tuesday in Long Beach, Calif., where he became an Eagle Scout. Linen, who was near completion of Eagle Scout requirements nearly a year ago

when an accident left him brain-damaged, was able to continue his pursuit of the Eagle rank because of the Scouting for the Handicapped program. Other Scouts are Mark Heiberger, left, and Jayson Threlkeld.

Biden bounces back after quitting

By JAMES H. RUBIN
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WASHINGTON (AP) — Joe Biden, an angry, frustrated man when he abandoned his presidential candidacy a week ago, seems relaxed and rejuvenated as he helps lead the battle to block Senate confirmation of Supreme Court nominee Robert H. Bork.

The Democratic senator from Delaware has been conducting the Bork hearings this week with more humor and bite, poking fun at himself and quizzing witnesses with new verve.

"It's a natural human reaction," said a member of Biden's staff who asked not to be quoted by name.

"He was caught up in this other thing," he said, referring to the presidential campaign and its unhappy ending.

Biden announced his withdrawal as a candidate on Sept. 23 after confessing painfully to plagiarism in law school and exaggerating his academic record when confronted by a heckler during an earlier campaign stop.

Biden's problems began when he liberally adopted parts of a British politician's stump speech and someone made a side-by-side videotape and passed it on to the media.

An announced candidate since June, Biden had earned high marks for inspired oratory and was a successful fund-raiser despite running well back in

the pack in public opinion polls. In bowing out, the 44-year-old, three-term senator earned plaudits by accepting the lion's share of blame for his actions.

"I do it with incredible reluctance and it makes me angry," he said. "I'm angry at myself. I made some mistakes. Now the exaggerated shadow of those mistakes has begun to obscure the essence of my candidacy and Joe Biden."

A couple of days later, Biden was late getting to the Senate Judiciary Committee hearings on Bork that he chairs. A train derailment had forced him to find other means of transportation to Washington from his home in Delaware.

"It's been a bad week for derailments," Biden noted wryly as he assumed the chairman's gavel.

A little later he cautioned a witness, former presidential counsel Lloyd Cutler, to be careful when responding to a question about Cutler's standing back in law school.

The hearing room filled with laughter when Biden suggested that recalling one's academic ranking can get you in trouble.

Biden has been opposed to Bork's confirmation all along. But with a presidential campaign looming, he had been forced to tread a careful course when critics said he was prejudging the matter to satisfy liberal interest groups.

To mute charges of bias, Biden had bent over backwards in treating Bork and his allies evenhandedly.

Building slows as permit rate falls in Texas

DALLAS (AP) — Slow job growth and overbuilding are being blamed for a falloff in the number of building permits issued in Texas during the past year.

Fewer building permits were issued in five Texas cities in the past year than in the previous 12 months, according to a study released Monday by

Dallas-based M-PF Research. That trend matches a national downturn in the construction business.

M-PF attributes the state's real estate problems to overbuilding and slow job growth. In Dallas, for example, the number of jobs shrank 2.9 percent during the 12 months ended in June. In Fort Worth, the number of jobs grew, but the rate of growth fell.

Man accused of murder in Mexico in U.S. jail

EAGLE PASS (AP) — Authorities say a Mexican accused in the shooting and burning death of a man in Mexico will be prosecuted for alleged violation of U.S. Laws before he is turned over to Mexico.

Abel Jaimes, 40, of Tejuipulco, Mexico, is believed to have been smuggling Mexican citizens into the country for 25 years, and brought hundreds of undocumented workers into Texas, authorities said Tuesday.

Border Patrol Special Agent Bruce Thompson said Jaimes is well known among immigration authorities, and is classified as a professional alien smuggler.

Jaimes, who was living in a house in Round Rock, was arrested in Austin Friday by members of the Austin police's Hispanic Crimes Unit, he said.

Austin law officers had been watching for Jaimes for three weeks, after federal police in Mexico said he was wanted in connection with a slaying committed June 30.

In that killing, the victim was taken to a field south of Mexico City, shot at point-blank range and his body set on fire, police said.

Officers from the Immigration and Naturalization Service took Jaimes to Eagle Pass late Monday, where he was held at the Border Patrol station. He remained there Tuesday, pending possible transfer to the Val Verde County Jail, said Border Patrol intelligence agent Mario Ramirez.

Border Patrol officials said charges are expected to be filed today.

Police said Jaimes spent time in a Mexican prison for robbery and escaped in 1982, and also had served time in the federal prison in El Paso and was released less than a month before the Mexican killing.

When he was released from prison in Texas, one of the conditions for his parole was that he stay out of the United States for five years, police said.

A month later, he was back in Texas, smuggling a group of 20 Mexican citizens into Laredo in a railroad boxcar, said Austin police officer Robert Martinez.

"He was charging them \$500 each," Martinez told the Austin American-Statesman. "He took partial payment at the time, and they were to pay the rest when they got jobs. They still owed him \$400 each, and he was threatening them for the money."

Jaimes told police he has been working as a "coyote" smuggling undocumented workers into the country since he was 15 years old, Martinez said.

Police said Jaimes was arrested last month in Comal County under another name in connection with smuggling Mexican citizens into Texas, but authorities declined to prosecute.

Audobon Society will collect acid rain data

WASHINGTON (AP) — The National Audubon Society is hoping to help demonstrate the need for legislation to clamp new controls on the sources of acid rain by having its members monitor and publicize the acidity of rainfall.

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Food

The after-five cook can still get it together

Let's face it. Even though we all enjoy good food, today it seems we just don't have the time to plan or prepare meals as we would like to.

In fact, food industry analysts tell us that saving time ranks up-most in consumers' priorities today. The Food Marketing Institute observed that in 1986, consumers showed an increased interest in time-saving shopping techniques over the year before. For example, they shop only for items they need, and they buy in larger quantities to avoid frequent shopping trips.

A recent nationwide survey of newspaper food editors indicated that "convenience" and "quick" have become the operative words for cooking. Today's savvy cooks have learned that with some practical planning and shopping and a few good, but simple and fast recipes, it is possible to cook a really delicious meal in under 30 minutes.

One technique is to combine high-quality convenience items with staple ingredients from the cupboard, refrigerator or freezer.

For example, when the clock's ticking and everyone is hungry, try Southwestern Taco Pie, a meal-in-one with appeal for adults and the younger set as well.

The delicious tender crust is made easily and quickly with refrigerated crescent rolls; it's teamed with a filling of ground beef, pre-chopped chilies, pre-shredded cheese and Mexican-style beans in a seasoned sauce.

This main dish features the

Tex-Mex flavors so popular today, and fills the bill for a quick and easy meal.

SOUTHWESTERN TACO PIE

- ½ pound ground beef
- 1 15½-ounce can Mexican style chili beans
- 1 4-ounce can chopped green chilies, drained
- 1 cup (4 ounces) shredded cheddar cheese
- 1 8-ounce can refrigerated crescent dinner rolls
- 2 cups shredded lettuce
- 1 cup chopped tomato (about 1 medium tomato)
- Dairy sour cream

Brown ground beef; drain. Add beans and chilies. Simmer 15 minutes, stirring occasionally. Add ½ cup cheese; stir until melted.

Meanwhile, heat oven to 375°F. Separate crescent roll dough into 8 triangles. Arrange in 9-inch pie plate so that wide ends form rim and points meet in the center. Press dough pieces together to seal. Bake 10 to 12 minutes or until golden brown.

Spoon meat mixture into prepared crust. Top with lettuce, tomato and remaining ½ cup cheese. To serve, cut into wedges; garnish with sour cream.

Makes 6 servings.
Nutrition Information: * Per serving (1-6th of recipe): Calories, 372; carbohydrates, 35 g; protein, 22 g; fat, 16 g; sodium, 340 mg; calcium, 197 mg; cholesterol, 58 mg; dietary fiber, 6 g.

Broiled meat, fish and poultry are among the easiest main dis-

hes for the "after-five" cook, needing only a well-seasoned, good-tasting accompaniment to round out the meal. An easy side dish like Creole Grits can be made in a matter of minutes and adds appealing flavor, color and texture.

CREOLE GRITS

- 1 medium green pepper, chopped (about 1 cup)
- 1 medium onion, chopped (about ½ cup)
- 2 tablespoons vegetable oil
- 1 7-ounce can vacuum packed whole kernel corn, drained
- 4 cups water
- 1 cup hominy quick grits, uncooked*
- 1 teaspoon salt (optional)
- 1¼ cups (5 ounces) shredded cheddar cheese
- ¼ teaspoon pepper
- 3 to 5 drops liquid red pepper sauce

Saute green pepper and onion in oil until tender. Add corn, cooking until heated through.

Meanwhile, bring water to a boil. Slowly stir in grits and salt. Reduce heat; simmer 2 to 4 minutes or until thickened, stirring frequently. Remove from heat; cover. Let stand a few minutes until desired consistency. Stir in 1 cup cheese, pepper, liquid red pepper sauce and vegetable mixture. Spoon into serving dish; sprinkle with remaining ¼ cup cheese. Serve immediately.

Makes 6 1-cup servings.
*Note: To substitute regular



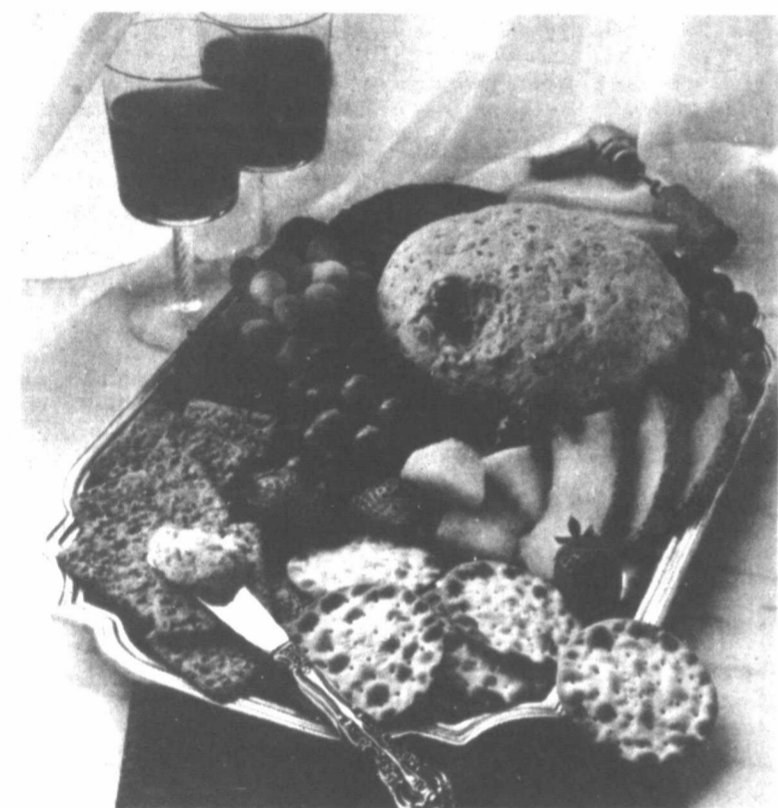
Southwestern Taco Pie comes to the rescue if you're in a hurry. The tender flaky crust is topped with a savory filling of Mexican style chili beans and ground beef; it makes a hearty family dinner that's ready to serve in minutes.

grits for quick grits, increase water to 5 cups and simmer 12 to 14 minutes. Begin cooking the grits before the vegetables; this will

give the grits time to cook while vegetables are prepared.

Nutrition information: Each serving (1-6th of recipe): Calor-

ies, 281; carbohydrates, 31 g; protein, 10 g; fat, 13 g; sodium, 230 mg; calcium, 185 mg; cholesterol, 25 mg; dietary fiber, 6 g.



Salmon and Cream Cheese Ball, a favorite of "The Frugal Gourmet" Jeff Smith, is a versatile dish that can be served as an appetizer, first course or snack. This recipe was handed down to Smith from his mother.

'The Frugal Gourmet' passes along mother's salmon-cream cheese recipe

Ordained minister Jeff Smith, better known as "The Frugal Gourmet," has become the "high priest" of cooking for over 15 million TV viewers per week. His devout yet playful attitude toward cooking has won over many firm believers in frozen food.

"Food is a sacrament," Smith said, "in the sense that it points away from itself to something else, and it is a celebration in the sense that it draws us together."

His message, as well as his method, is simple: Anyone can become a great cook and have fun doing it.

Smith feels everyone should be encouraged to experiment in their kitchen.

"I try to remove the anxiety and fear," he said. "I don't intimidate anyone."

This refreshing attitude has brought gourmet cooking to the masses, and national acclaim to a former chaplain from Tacoma, Wash. Smith's life-long fascination with food and the role that meals play in our lives prompted

him to teach a course entitled "Food as Sacrament and Celebration" at the University of Puget Sound.

Five years later, in 1972, he left the university to open a restaurant-catering service-cooking school called "The Chaplain's Pantry."

Soon afterwards, a Tacoma public television station asked Smith to create a cooking show. It was then that his wife Patty dubbed him "The Frugal Gourmet."

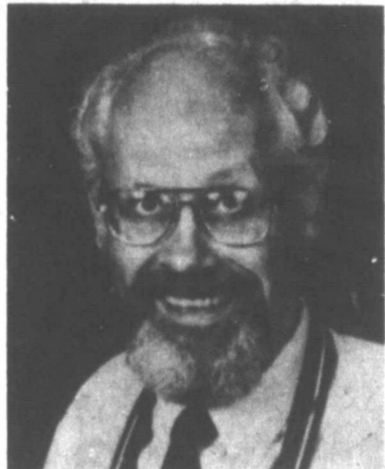
Smith said that "frugal" does not necessarily mean "cheap." It means you use everything and are careful with your time as well as with your food products.

During the five years his early series ran, "The Frug," as Smith calls himself, became a familiar face in kitchens nationwide. When the show finished taping in 1977, reruns continued to keep the number of fans growing.

In 1983, Smith delighted his audience when he returned to the television kitchen at the studios of WTTW-Chicago, where "The

Frugal Gourmet" continues to be produced.

Smith credits his mother Emily with teaching him the meaning of "frugal." He described her as "a tough Norwegian ... and a fine cook." Below is her Salmon and Cream Cheese Ball recipe. This dish will serve 16 to 20 people as



JEFF SMITH
"The Frugal Gourmet"

hors d'oeuvres, eight people as a first course, or as Jeff Smith says, one person if he is present!

SALMON AND CREAM CHEESE BALL

- 1½ pounds fresh salmon roast or 1 pound canned salmon
- ½ teaspoon liquid smoke
- 1 tablespoon horseradish
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- ½ pound cream cheese, mashed
- 2 tablespoons mayonnaise
- 1 tablespoon dried parsley flakes

Steam the fresh salmon for about 45 minutes in a metal steamer. Cool the fish. Skin the salmon, remove the bones and place the meat in a bowl. Add the remaining ingredients and mix well.

Serves 16 to 20 on hors d'oeuvres buffet.

Serves 8 as first course at dinner party.

Serves 1 if Jeff Smith is present.

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Apple cider pie has triple serving of a favorite fall flavor

By NANCY BYAL
Better Homes and Gardens
Food Editor

You get a triple serving of apple cider in this pie—in the crust, filling and sauce.

APPLE CIDER PIE

- Cider Pastry
- 2 cups apple cider
- 6 inches stick cinnamon
- 8 cups sliced, peeled cooking apples

- 1 tablespoon lemon juice (optional)
- 1 cup dried mixed fruit bits or raisins
- 1-3rd cup sugar
- 2 tablespoons all-purpose flour
- 3 tablespoons margarine or butter
- Milk
- 2 tablespoons honey
- 1 tablespoon cornstarch

Prepare cider pastry as fol-

lows: Combine 2 cups all-purpose flour and ½ teaspoon salt. Cut in 2-3rds cup shortening until pieces are size of peas. Sprinkle 1 tablespoon cold apple cider over part of mixture; toss with fork. Push to side. Repeat until all is moistened (6 to 7 tablespoons cider total).

After preparing pastry, bring 2 cups apple cider and cinnamon to boiling. Boil gently, uncovered, 20 minutes or until reduced to 1 cup. Strain through a cheesec-

loth-lined sieve. Discard cinnamon.

For filling, if apples lack tartness, sprinkle with lemon juice. In large saucepan combine 2 tablespoons reserved cider mixture and apples. Cook, covered, 4 to 5 minutes or until tender but not soft. Remove from heat. Add fruit bits; toss. Combine sugar and flour; stir into apples.

Divide pastry in half. On a lightly floured surface roll half

the dough into a 12-inch circle; fit into a 9-inch pie plate. Trim pastry even with rim. Turn filling into pastry; dot with 1 tablespoon of the margarine. Roll remaining dough into 12-inch circle. Make cutouts. Place on top of filling.

Trim to one-half inch beyond edge. Seal and flute edge high. Brush with milk. Sprinkle with a little sugar. Cover edge of pie with foil. Bake in a 375-degree oven 25 minutes. Remove foil;

bake about 20 minutes more or until crust is golden. Cool.

In a small saucepan combine remaining cider mixture, remaining margarine, honey and cornstarch. Cook and stir until bubbly; cook and stir 2 minutes more. Serve pie with ice cream and warm sauce. Makes 8 servings.



Pears, chocolate go together

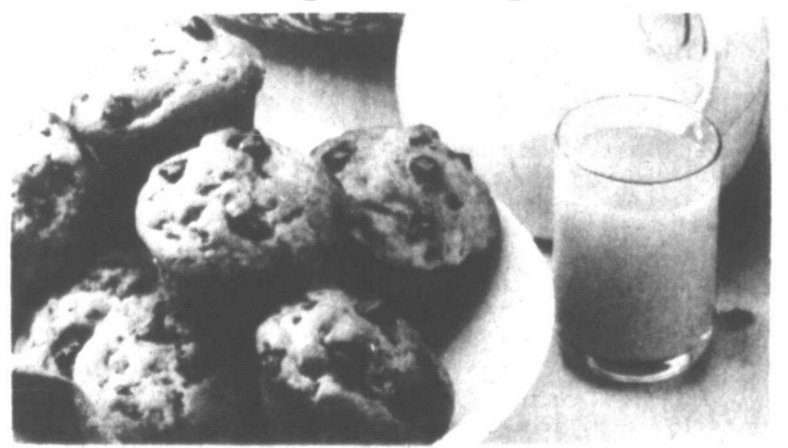
By NANCY BYAL
Better Homes and Gardens
Food Editor

Until July, I'd never tasted pear muffins. Served warm to me during a tour of California pear country, they made me an instant devotee!

Thanks to Mother Nature and savvy fruit growers, Bartlett pears are now available in great quantity, with great quality, at a great price. A special tip from the pear growers: To ripen pears, set them in a paper bag at room temperature for several days. Refrigerate the pears when ripe.

PEAR-CHOCOLATE CHIP MUFFINS

- 3 beaten eggs
- ½ cup milk
- 1-3rd cup packed brown sugar
- ¼ cup cooking oil
- 1 cup diced fresh pears
- 1½ cups all-purpose flour
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- ¼ teaspoon baking soda
- ¼ teaspoon ground cinnamon
- Dash salt
- Dash ground cloves
- ½ cup semisweet chocolate pieces



Here's a sweet treat for those who love muffins: Use pears and semisweet chocolate pieces in the batter. The muffins are especially tasty when served warm.

In a small mixing bowl combine eggs, milk, brown sugar and oil. Stir in pears. In a medium bowl stir together flour, baking powder, baking soda, cinnamon, salt and cloves. Add egg mixture all at once to flour mixture. Stir just until moistened; batter should be lumpy. Fold in chocolate pieces. Grease twelve 2½-

inch muffin cups and surface of pan between cups; fill cups nearly full. Bake in a 375-degree oven for 20 to 25 minutes. Makes 12 large muffins.

Nutrition information per serving: 199 cal., 4 g pro., 27 g carbo., 9 g fat, 70 mg chol., 121 mg sodium.

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Friday Night

8 Oz. Ribeye
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Saturday Night

6 Oz. Dinner Steak
Choice of Potato, Soup or Salad **4⁹⁵**



Lifestyles

Mom practices mental cruelty

DEAR ABBY: Have you ever heard of a mother being sued for mental cruelty? Mom has carried tales back and forth among her seven children for years. She has twisted stories and created disension among all members of this family and deliberately turned brothers and sisters against each other. She is now 84.

She now mails out copies of her will to her children and grandchildren — all grown — listing who is to get how much, and who will be cut off without a dollar!

Abby, we're talking about an estate that is less than \$100,000. She had better save her money because she will need it for a nursing home, as there is not one among us who can stand to be around her for any length of time.

Sad, isn't it? We were all abused as children, and she still abuses us. Every time I hear the plight of some old folks who are ignored, I can't help but wonder if some of them earned it — like my mother.

**BEEN THERE
IN SAN BERNARDINO**

DEAR BEEN THERE: There is nothing you can do to change your mother, but abusing her in retaliation will not improve the quality of life for anyone. Abused children usually abuse their own children. Just make sure you don't perpetuate the sins of your mother.

DEAR ABBY: Here's my problem:



Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

I have been living with "Fred" for 12 years without benefit of clergy. Until recently, he has resisted the idea of marriage, and I haven't pushed it.

Fred is Canadian, and a year ago when I took a job in Worcester, Mass., I sponsored him for a "green card" so he could work in the USA. (I'm a U.S. citizen.) In the process of getting a green card, the courts affirmed our "marriage" on the basis of long cohabitation.

Now, Fred wants to get married, but honestly, Abby, I feel the time is past. I think it would be embarrassing to have a wedding now. On the other hand, I don't want to discourage him from his newfound urge to make a real commitment.

WONDERING IN WORCESTER

DEAR WONDERING: Go for the ring on your finger. It's not necessary to have an extravaganza with a lot of hoopla — a quiet but meaningful marriage ceremony with a few close friends and family members will officially reaffirm your commitment. You'll be glad you

did. I wish you joy.

DEAR ABBY: When seven of us were dining at an expensive restaurant (I call \$50 a person expensive), five people in our party finished with their main courses, but two were still eating. The busboy came along and started to clear the table. Although I had finished eating, I felt that the two who were still eating were made to feel uncomfortable and somewhat rushed.

When the busboy went to pick up my dinner plate, I gently placed my hand on my plate in order to prevent him from removing it.

My son really jumped on me. He said I should not have stopped the busboy from taking my plate. I did not make a scene. I simply let the busboy know that he was not to remove my plate. He got the message and did not return to remove any more plates until everyone had finished.

ENCINO MOTHER

DEAR MOTHER: No. The process of clearing the table should not begin until everyone has

finished eating. Perhaps the busboy did not know better, or he may have been instructed to clear the table in order to hurry the party out of the place. In any case, when that occurs, it's perfectly proper to politely tell whoever starts to clear the table to kindly wait until everyone has finished eating.

DEAR ABBY: You could do nurses a favor by printing these few rules for people who visit patients in a hospital:

1. Beds are for patients — not for visitors to sit or lie on. (I have had to change entire beds because visitors sprawled out on an empty bed and got it dirty and messed up.) Ask for a chair. The nurse will be happy to find you one.

2. Please observe visiting hours. Do not come early and stay late. The patients need their rest.

3. Follow the hospital's smoking regulations. If that means visitors are not allowed to smoke, don't smoke.

4. Respect the patient's plan of care. Sneaking in food, alcohol, cigarettes, medicine, etc. could sabotage their recovery. Always ask before giving a patient anything.

5. Do not ask the nurse to take your blood pressure. Nurses are there to take care of the patients.

**AN R.N.
IN ADAMS, MASS.**

Taylor launches fragrance



Actress Elizabeth Taylor holds onto the arm of publisher Malcolm Forbes during a party to launch Taylor's new fragrance line, "Elizabeth Taylor's Passion," at Sotheby's in New York recently.

Try these appetizers

By NANCY BYAL
Better Homes and Gardens
Food Editor

These bite-sized nuggets of the Southwest will set party-goers' taste buds a-tingling. Plan on two or three mushrooms per guest, depending on how many other appetizers are on the menu.

SUSAGE-STUFFED MUSHROOMS
24 large mushrooms
½ pound bulk chorizo sausage or Italian sausage
1 cup shredded Monterey Jack cheese (4 ounces)
¼ cup salsa or taco sauce
¼ cup thinly sliced green onion

Wash mushrooms; drain. Remove stems and reserve for another use. Set caps aside. In a small skillet cook sausage until no pink remains, stirring to break up any large pieces. Drain off fat. Stir together sausage and cheese. Fill mushroom caps with about 1 teaspoon of the sausage mixture. Place in a 15x10x1-inch baking pan. Spoon salsa over top. Bake in a 350-degree oven for 20 to 25 minutes or until heated through. Sprinkle with green onion. Makes 24 appetizers.



Reiko Brown, a Japanese calligraphy expert, shares the ancient art she learned 50 years ago in a Tokyo elementary school with fellow students at the San Antonio Art Institute where she studies ceramics.

Woman teaches philosophy through Oriental calligraphy

By NANCY PERDUE
The San Antonio Light

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP)—Reiko Brown wants to help people discover who they really are as they attempt to read the writing on the wall—or, in Mrs. Brown's case, the writing on the rice paper.

The average Texan might have a few problems deciphering messages inked by Mrs. Brown. They look like abstract art. But they are creative symbols that represent life — Japanese style.

Mrs. Brown is a Japanese calligraphy expert. She shares the ancient art she learned 50 years ago in a Tokyo elementary school with fellow students at the San Antonio Art Institute where she studies ceramics. This month she is instructing a class in which people will learn to paint basic characters linked to Japanese culture and Zen philosophy.

"Like it or not, we live in a competitive society," Mrs. Brown said. "We live fast. People need to find a way to be themselves and just relax. To me, calligraphy is a way to find a peaceful moment. I want my students to learn to find within themselves a peaceful time and to understand the Oriental mind."

In keeping with the philosophy of Zen, traditional Japanese arts such as tea ceremonies, floral arranging and martial arts emphasize the importance of self-discipline as a way to find enlightenment. Mrs. Brown said calligraphy is no different. Through strict discipline people gain self-confidence and patience.

Mrs. Brown also said they usually develop a better appreciation of life as they grow to understand their

potential. And that potential, she believes, is limited only by attitude and imagination.

Her students, the majority of whom are artists, use traditional Japanese materials such as rice paper, special brushes and an ink stone. She admitted that even the most talented of painters she has taught initially have approached her class with anxiety.

Mrs. Brown teaches her art step-by-step and at a slow pace in which students receive individual attention. She encourages them to work hard and be patient.

"When you discover you can do something you didn't think you could, it's a wonderful experience," Mrs. Brown said. "I want my students to learn that it is OK to take a chance and explore the unknown. If you don't take a chance and try something new, you'll never find your opportunities."

Mrs. Brown speaks from experience. In 1958, she left her native Japan for a brief vacation in the United States. While visiting friends in California, she met a man in the military, fell in love and married. They settled in San Antonio, and she knew she never would return to Japan except to visit. She became a U.S. citizen in 1963.

In 1966, she longed to hold on to her Oriental ways by using clay utensils. But, she could not find any like the ones they make in Japan. She began studying ceramics at the art institute so that she could make them herself.

She said she grew to love the people there and wanted to share her culture. So six years ago, she began teaching calligraphy.

Alzheimer's workshop offered

AMARILLO — A workshop on Alzheimer's Disease and related disorders will be offered from 1:30 to 5 p.m. and again from 5:30 to 9 p.m. on Oct. 13 at Texas A&M Regional Research and Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. West, Amarillo.

Speaker will be Harry S. Lipscomb, M.D., F.A.C.P., professor of medicine at Texas A&M University.

Subjects to be discussed include "The Dementias" — what is dementia, diseases that produce dementia, other conditions that can cause dementia and diagnostic procedures.

Included in the Alzheimer's Disease discussion are what to expect, what not to expect, looking ahead, planning and adjusting, changes in lifestyle for victim and caregiver, legal considerations and

financial considerations.

The workshop will conclude with current research.

Continuing Education Units (CEUs) will be awarded to participants who pay a fee. The workshop itself is free of charge.

Sponsors of the workshop are Panhandle Chapter of Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Association (ARDRA); Irene Keating, Potter County Extension agent, home economics, agricultural Extension service; and Panhandle Area Agency on Aging, Panhandle Regional Planning Commission (PRPC).

Reservations are being taken through Oct. 7. For more information, contact Barbara Serres, program specialist, Panhandle Area Agency on Aging, PRPC, 372-3381.

Toll-free call may help pain victims

Chronic pain sufferers may make a toll-free telephone call on Oct. 8 to participate in a one-day "Dial-ogue" to help learn to cope, control or eliminate chronic pain.

To participate in the "Dial-ogue" call (800) 962-6092 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Central Standard Time. A special panel of nationally known experts in the field of pain management will be available that day only to answer questions about chronic pain.

The event is being co-sponsored by the Florida Chapter of the Arthritis Foundation, Florida Adult Day Care Association, Miami (Fla.) Jewish Home and Hospital for the Aged, and Florida Gerontological Society.

"Dial-ogue" is funded through a public service grant from the Aspirin Foundation of America.

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The Point Is Pets

by Ron Hendrick, D.V.M.

Q: My dog is in heat. Male dogs are constantly in my yard! How long will this last? Should I have her "spayed" and if so, when?

A: The heat period is about 3 weeks long. It occurs every 6 months for most dogs. We prefer to spay the dog when she is NOT in heat. I'd suggest you schedule her surgery for 2 or 3 weeks in the future.

There are other, more important reasons for having your dog spayed. Most unspayed female dogs over the age of 5 develop breast cancer and/or infection of the uterus called pyometra. Don't forget about the many unwanted puppies (and kittens) that become strays, carry diseases and usually end up in the pound, only to be fed for a few days and then put to sleep at taxpayers' expense. Pet population control is increasingly important. If you are not planning on selling pure-bred puppies, by all means, call your veterinarian for an appointment for her surgery. You and your dog will feel better for it!

Speaking of spays... This is my 14th year in Pampa, and each year,

in October, we have an anniversary "health clinic special". This year, Oct. 1-15, we will offer spays and castrations for dogs and cats at half-price, by appointment. In addition, each week during the month, we'll have a different health-related special, from vaccinations at 30% off to free flea collars with each bath and dip. This is my 14th year in Pampa, and I want to thank the pet-owning public for making Veterinary practice for me the interesting and enjoyable profession that it is. Call 665-1873 to take advantage of this once-a-year health care clinic.

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- 27 Synthetic fabric
- 30 Bantu language
- 31 Long narrow piece
- 34 Tremble
- 36 Most twisted
- 38 Small anvil
- 39 Auxiliary
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- 45 Bovine
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Astro-Graph

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Advancement in your chosen field of endeavor is likely in the year ahead. Where your talents went unnoticed, they will now come to the attention of the proper authorities.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Assume the role of chancellor of the exchequer today and manage the family budget. Your mate's inclinations may not be as prudent as yours. Get a jump on life by understanding the influences which are governing you in the year ahead. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o of this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Try not to be locked in too rigidly to your own views today. Your companions might have some thoughts from which you could learn.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Instead of attempting to build up your resources today, you may do just the opposite. You'll be better off trying to add rather than subtract.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) It's OK to look out for No. 1 today, but don't do so at the expense of others, especially members of your own family. Be considerate.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Guard against tendencies today to boast about something that you have yet to accomplish. You'll be embarrassed later if you don't pull it off.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Recreational activities that carry an expensive price tag should be avoided today. There are other things you can do that won't abuse your purse.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) In earning arrangements today you'll receive the compensations to which you're entitled. However, don't look for extras, such as praise or pats on the back.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Your progress will be impeded today if you dwell too much on what you're going to do and how you're going to do it. Spend less time planning and more time producing.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Don't ruin something good that you have going for yourself by discussing it with too many people who are not involved.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) There's a chance you might be caught in the middle of a sticky development today. Don't try to satisfy all and end up pleasing no one.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) This can be a successful day for you if you don't get off on tangents. Select your most meaningful target and go after it.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) In situations today where you feel compelled to take a risk, it will prove wiser to let your more cautious evaluations prevail over your impulses.

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Sports Scene

Danny White crosses Cowboy picket line; Dorsett, Jones expected to follow suit

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
Associated Press Writer

IRVING, Texas (AP)—Dallas quarterback Danny White crossed the picket line of striking Cowboys players early today, saying his reasons for doing so "are strictly private."

White, who lost \$45,000 last week when he honored the players' strike, slipped across the picket line at 7:50 a.m. as it was formed by late-arriving strikers.

White joined veterans Randy White and Don Smerek. Also in the Cowboys' camp are two players off the injured reserve, Chris Duliaban and Johnny "Lam" Jones.

Also expected to cross the picket line this week were running back Tony Dorsett, one of the most outspoken pro-union members of the team, and defensive end Ed Jones. Both received letters from Cowboys management saying they would jeopardize their annuities if they didn't show up.

White informed the rest of the team during a meeting on Monday that because of financial problems he would have to cross the picket line later in the week and return to work.

Dorsett said he received a letter from Cowboys President Tex Schramm on Tuesday that informed him he stands to lose a portion of his \$6 million annuity if he doesn't return soon.

On Sunday, the Cowboys are scheduled to play Jets in East Rutherford, N.J., their first game since the National Football League Players Association announced the strike Sept. 21.

"He (White) figured that it was time for him to go in," Dorsett said. "He has an economic situation where he needs to go back to work."

Asked if he expected any other player to cross the line with White, Landry said, "You never know until it happens, but I'd say no. I have a much stronger feeling about Danny."

Though teammates said White's decision to break ranks with the striking players was not a surprise, Dorsett's departure would be.

Dorsett has been a regular member of the Cowboys' picket line and last week was bitter toward fellow Cowboys captain Randy White for crossing the line and joining the replacement players for workouts.

Dorsett, however, told teammates on the picket line Tuesday that he had little choice after receiving a letter from Schramm that apparently indicated Dorsett stood to lose a portion of his annuity, in addition to some land also promised him in his contract, teammates said.

"I sent him a letter pointing out some things about certain parts of his contract," Schramm told *The Dallas Morning News*. "I won't go into the details. It involves a lot of money."

Schramm said last week that players must participate in all games — even during a strike — if their annuity is to be fully funded.

Another standout, starting defensive end Ed "Too Tall" Jones, whose current contract includes a similar annuity clause, also has been sent a letter

by Schramm, and he, too, might be persuaded to return to the club before the strike is settled, the *News* reported.

Players representative Doug Cosbie, who last year signed a contract that includes an annuity, said Tuesday night his contract stipulates he must be an active member of the team Oct. 15 or the annuity will not be funded this year.

"I've already considered that money as being gone," he said. "That's not going to affect my decision at all."

White said last week he would lose \$45,000 for every game he missed.

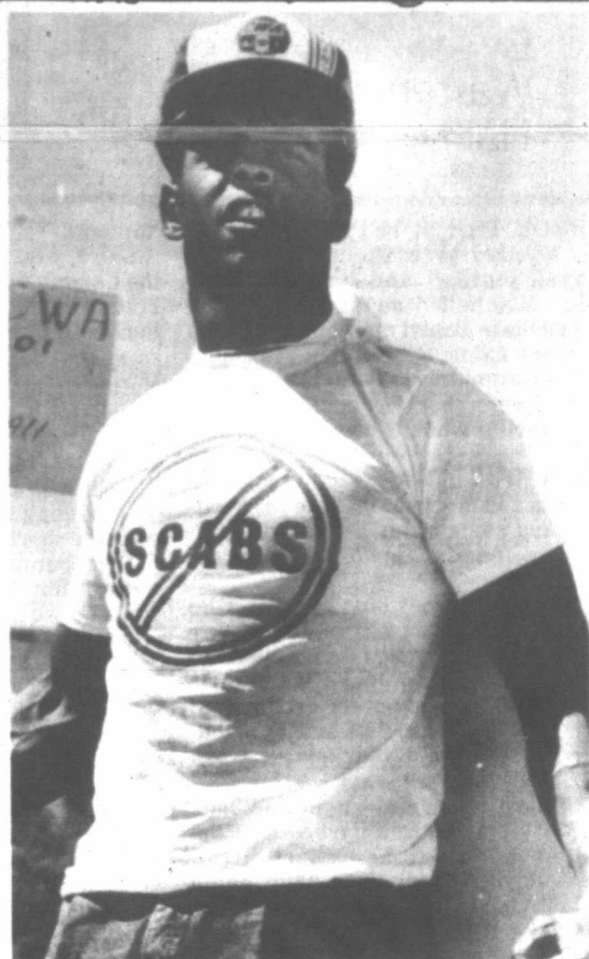
Coach Tom Landry said White would be in the starting lineup against the Jets if he returned.

The reaction of teammates to Danny White's decision to rejoin the team was relatively kind.

An exception was defensive back Everson Walls. "Based on his attitude from the 1982 strike, I'm not surprised that he's coming back," Walls said. "He was with management back then. I guess he didn't learn that management wasn't in his corner. He might have felt that management did him some favors. He should have learned that when they benched him for Gary Hogeboom (in 1984)."

White lost his starting job to Hogeboom for 10 games that year.

Several of his teammates were critical of Danny White in 1982 for advocating a return to work during the 57-day strike, and White acknowledged after the season that he lost some of his leadership clout because of his pro-management stance.



Dallas running back Tony Dorsett in his pro-union days — last week.

Cards pull away; Tigers get closer

By BILL BARNARD
AP Sports Writer

The St. Louis Cardinals' strong pitching and opportunistic offense were never more in evidence.

The Cardinals took full advantage of a total of six hits in the doubleheader and held Montreal to seven as they swept the Expos 1-0 and 3-0 Tuesday night.

The sweep, combined with Philadelphia's 3-0 victory over New York, gave the Cardinals a 3½-game lead over the second-place Mets in the National League East race. The Cardinals have five games remaining and the Mets four, including three at St. Louis to close the season.

"It's not always how many (hits) you total, it's when you hit them," said Ozzie Smith. "It hasn't been easy. We are short our big hitter (Jack Clark). The ballclub's just responded."

Joe Magrane, 9-7, pitched a three-hitter in the opener and Greg Mathews, 11-11, and Todd Worrell combined on a four-hitter in the second game.

Worrell, who allowed one hit in the last three innings, earned his 33rd save after taking over for Mathews with no outs and runners on second and third in the seventh inning.

"It was unbelievable," Herr said of Worrell's performance. "I think he threw 11 pitches — two strikeouts and a popup to shut 'em down... that was, I think, the key to the game."

Phillies 3, Mets 0

Philadelphia left-hander Don Carman thwarted New York's title hopes with a near-perfect game and said he was happy to help the Cardinals.

Carman allowed only one baserunner — an infield single by Mookie Wilson in the fourth inning. Mike Schmidt drove in two runs for the Phillies.

Detroit 10, Baltimore 1

There's one race left in the American League, and the Detroit Tigers are doing their best to make it interesting.

"We've got to do this the rest of the way," Bill Madlock said after his home run triggered the Tigers to a 10-1 victory over the Baltimore Orioles Tuesday night and back into the thick of the American League East race.

Coupled with Toronto's 5-3 loss to Milwaukee, the Tigers' victory moved them within ½ games of the front-running Blue Jays. Detroit and Toronto close out the season with a three-game series this weekend in Tiger Stadium.

"If the Blue Jays lose one more, they'll for sure have to beat us here," Detroit Manager Sparky Anderson said. "I think everybody will feel the heat if it gets down to the last three, which will be wonderful."

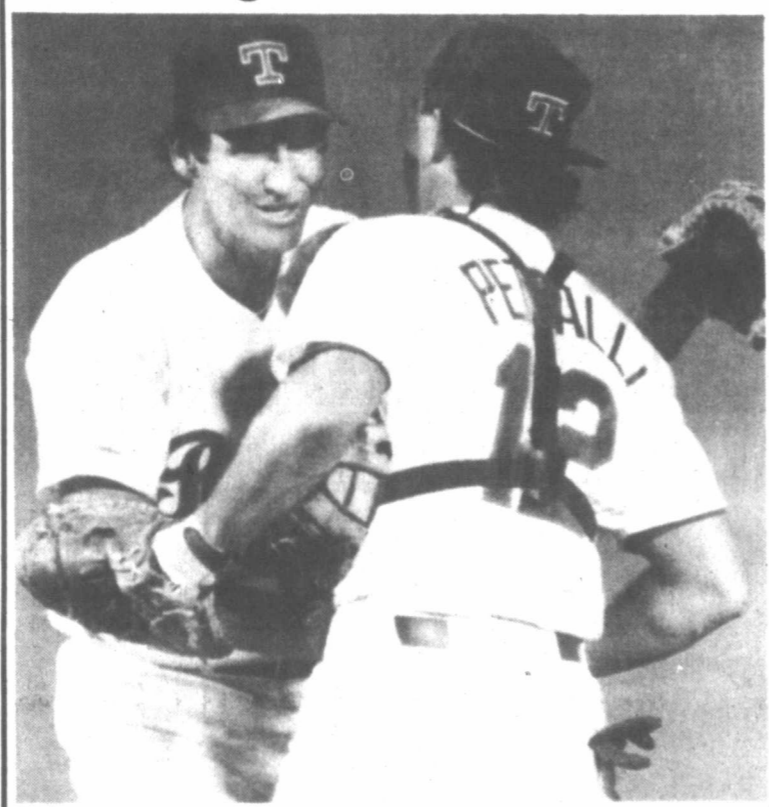
Brewers 5, Blue Jays 3

Glenn Braggs knocked in two runs with a pair of singles and B.J. Surhoff homered as Milwaukee defeated Toronto.

The loss was the Blue Jays' third straight and marked the first time the team has lost more than two games in a row since an eight-game slide that ended July 7.

The Brewers, who have lost just once in their last seven outings, now have won eight of 12 games against the Blue Jays this season.

Career high



Texas Rangers pitcher Charlie Hough, left, is congratulated by catcher Geno Petralli after winning his career high 18th game against the Minnesota Twins in Arlington Tuesday night.

Charity golf tourney set

The Pampa chapter of AMBUCS (American Business Clubs) is sponsoring a fundraising two-man scramble to begin at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 3 at Pampa Country Club.

Registration fee is \$100 per two-person team, with all proceeds to be used for local AMBUCS activities. The club supports Special Olympics, Pampa Sheltered Workshop, two scholarships to Latch Key, assistance for the elderly that is not available through other agencies, and devices such as leg braces, wheelchairs and wheelchair lifts for vans.

Some 60 local merchants have donated \$3,000 in prizes and gift certificates to be awarded to those participating in the tournament. AMBUCS will recognize first, second and third place in each flight. A men's and a

women's division is included, and the tournament is open to everyone.

The tournament will cover 18 holes. Registration fees include a golf cart and dinner at the Country Club at the close of the tournament, at approximately 3 p.m. Awards will be presented during the dinner.

"Last year, we raised \$4,000, and we hope to do that well or better this year," said Loyd Waters, AMBUCS member.

Individuals may register until 6 p.m. Thursday at the Pro Shop at Pampa Country Club or by contacting Waters at Heritage Ford.

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Landry: OU would beat Dallas

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer

IRVING, Texas (AP) — Bring on the Oklahoma Sooners. In about a month.

That's how long Dallas Cowboys' Coach Tom Landry figures it would take to mold his collection of free agents into a club worthy of handling the nation's No. 1-ranked collegiate team.

Landry said on Tuesday he isn't sure what he's got because his substitute NFL team hasn't had any contact.

"Oh, give me a month and we might," Landry said after he was asked if his collection of free agents could handle the Sooners. "I'm not sure what level we can play because we haven't even seen our team scrimmage."

Landry said he hasn't scrimmaged his team for fear of injury.

"We can't afford to scrimmage," Landry said. "We're down to five offensive linemen. We just have enough players to play. We're just trying to get 'em in shape."

The strike teams of the Cowboys and the New York Jets meet on Sunday at 3 p.m. in the Meadowlands.

"I think we will have a good overall team, but we have no idea what we are going to come up against

in the Jets," Landry said.

"Defense normally has the advantage early in the season, but who really knows, because we've never had a game like this. We have veterans like Randy White and Don Smerek in the defensive line, so that could be an advantage for us."

Landry said he might be inclined to try more trick plays than normal.

"We might have a little more wide open approach," he said.

Landry said quarterback Kevin Sweeney, the NCAA's all-time passing leader, has been looking sharp in practice.

"He's been throwing the ball very well, and it will be interesting to see how he competes against the Jets," Landry said.

Landry said if veteran quarterback Danny White changed his mind and crossed the picket line, then White would start.

"Sure, Danny would be my starter," Landry said. "If anybody else crosses, we will sure use them."

Landry said the free agents and the coaches are taking the Jets seriously "because these games count in the standings. That gets your attention. I will be doing my very best to coach this team (to a victory)."

Friona favored by 18 over Pampa

Friona has been picked as an 18 point favorite over the Pampa Harvesters by the Harris Rating System.

The Class 3A Chieftains are ranked 35th in the state and are 4-0 in District 2.

Pampa is ranked 134th in Texas 4A football this week.

The Perryton Rangers, ranked 80th in 3A with a 1-2 season record have been picked as nine-point favorites to beat the Canadian Wildcats.

The Wildcats fell to the No. 67 spot in the Harris 2A poll

after last week's loss to Boys Ranch.

The White Deer Bucks go into Friday night's contest with the Spearman Lynx as a 15-point underdog. Spearman holds down the No. 51 spot this week while White Deer is rated at No. 88.

Panhandle and Wheeler are rated even for this weekend's showdown. The Panthers are ranked at No. 54 in the 2A poll; Wheeler is ranked No. 9 by Harris, No. 7 by The Associ-

ated Press.

The Groom Tigers get back to action this Friday and are picked as 39 point favorites over the McLean Tigers. Groom's Tigers are rated 27th while the Cats from McLean are looked upon as the 126th best 1A team in the state.

The Shamrock Irish are 12 point underdogs against the Booker Kiowas. Shamrock is listed at No. 176 in 2A; the Kiowas, also in 2A, are in the No. 45 spot.

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WT regent to trace Pampa roots

Sports Forum

By Warren Hasse



FROM THE NOTEPAD ...

□ "My dad grew up in Pampa and played football and basketball for Odus Mitchell," says newest West Texas State Board member, Amarillo attorney Eddie Scott, Jr.

"Unfortunately, my tenure in Pampa was very short because we moved to Amarillo when I was three-years-old."

Scott tells me he plans to come to Pampa and discover more of his heritage, and some of his Dad's old teammates could probably help ... Give me a call ...

□ Pampa Jayvees host the Amarillo junior varsity at 7 p.m. Thursday night. Eighth grade hosts Borger at 4:30 p.m. and ninth plays at Borger.

□ Got questions about the pro football strike? USA Today has set up a toll-free line to accept your query: 1-800-USAT-NFL.

□ Calling all Aggies ... the Lubbock A&M Club will host a barbeque at the Lubbock Municipal Coliseum immediately following Saturday's game with Tech.

□ Last call to enter the AMBUCS' Charity Golf Tournament Saturday at the Pampa Country Club. Call Lloyd Waters by 6 p.m. Thursday.

□ As he promised last July, our Tri-State Senior Golf Association member, former Pampan Dr. Will Graham announced yesterday as a GOP candidate for the Texas Senate.

□ Pampa marathoners John Haesle, Teresa Derrington, Berinda Turcotte and Howard Henninger all placed last Saturday in the Amarillo Mayor's Tenth Annual running event.

□ This weekend is homecoming at WT; the 1-3 Buffs host East Central Okla. at 2 p.m. Saturday.

□ "When the average football or baseball player makes 20 times more than an educator, something is wrong with our society. There could be a war in the Persian Gulf, but we're worried about football," says former Pampa broadcaster Denny Schreiner, now doing syndicated bowling shows.

□ Next year it will be called the Gatlin Brothers-Southwest Golf Classic at Abilene, to honor the country music entertainment family.

□ Kudos to Laguna Beach, Calif. voters for ousting three Orange County school board members who voted to rehire head football coach and one-time NFL all-pro Cedric Hardman. Hardman was arrested last year for cocaine possession.

□ Gov. Bill Clements has reappointed former WT trainer Lynn Laird to the Texas Board of Physical Therapy Ex-

aminers.

Laird, who worked for Joe Kerbel at the Canyon school, officiates girls basketball in the area and operates a rehab center in Amarillo.

□ Not to worry, TV watchers. The National Hockey League appears on ESPN Oct. 8, with NBA camps opening the next day and the first exhibition game Oct. 14.

□ The Boston Red Sox have renewed the coaching contract of former Pampa Oiler shortstop Rac Slider for 1988.

□ The cumulative rationale of the NFLPA for striking makes it very obvious they didn't learn anything while in college classrooms.

□ No minor league pitcher won 20 games again this season, the best won 19 and two had 16 wins. Remember when the race was on between Roy Parker, Red Dial, Jim Arthur and Rene Vega in the old WT-NFL League to see who'd have 20 by late July?

□ Services were conducted yesterday in Wichita Falls for Carl Harnsberger, 40, who played some excellent baseball and basketball for the Harvesters in the mid-Sixties. Carl died Friday in Arlington, Va.

□ Cowgirl Amy Cockrell, whose father Buddy played pro football with the NY Titans, earned all-around cowgirl honors at the Tri-State rodeo at Sayre last weekend.

□ White Deer's former star athlete Ron Mills is a new member of the Texas HS Coaches Association board. He is also the 20th winningest among the state's active football coaches. Greg Sherwood is 21st, Don Beck (Bowie) is 48th, and Estacado's Louis Kelley ranks 52nd.

□ Is Paul Coffey, all-star defenseman for Edmonton of the National Hockey League, the son of Tommy Joe Coffey, former WTSU grid star who became a legend in Canadian football playing for Edmonton? And why isn't Coffey a member of the Panhandle Sports Hall of Fame?

□ Waco HS football coach Bob McQueen, president of the Texas HS Coaches Association, tells his membership: "A landmark decision will be made on the November referendum, when the Texas voters have an opportunity to return us to an elected State Board of Education. Fifty-one percent of the state's budget is spent on education. I think we, the people, should have a voice in how this money is being spent. This may be a more important battle than Nov. 4, 1986" (when the Association helped defeat Mark White for Governor).

Oiler owner has problems with sports association

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston Oilers General Manager Ladd Herzog is upset with the operators of the Houston Astrodome, saying the organization has done little to keep the team from fleeing to Jacksonville, Fla.

Herzog says the Houston Sports Association hasn't tried to sweeten its stadium lease proposal for the team.

"The HSA needs to get a mind-set that they've got to come off the dollar-figure amount they're dealing with

now," Herzog said Monday after rejecting the association's latest lease proposal. "The HSA keeps giving us different proposals, but when I put a pencil to them, they always seem to come out the same."

The Oilers, whose stadium agreement expires at the end of the current season, are being wooed by football-starved officials in Jacksonville who are promising numerous incentives.

Longhorns hope for second straight win

AUSTIN (AP) — After two straight losses, Texas' first football victory this season — a 61-16 thumping of Oregon State — should make the Longhorns more confident, UT Coach David McWilliams says.

Winning puts "a little more zip in your step, and your players are a little more anxious to watch the film," McWilliams said Monday.

"It's got to give them more confidence. You know it's got to help morale," McWilliams told his weekly press conference.

McWilliams' pleasure was tempered by the news that safety Raymond Wesley had suffered a season-ending knee injury and tackle Roger Fritcher has a shoulder injury that could put him out for the remainder of the season.

McWilliams said possible replacements for the 280-pound Fritcher include Gary Givens and Mark Steed, both 45 pounds lighter.

He also said he expects starting defensive tackle Steve Llewellyn, who has been out with an injury, to return Saturday for the Southwest Conference opener against Rice.

For a change, Texas enters the Rice game with a worse record than the Owls, who have not defeated Texas since 1965. Texas is 1-2, Rice 2-2, and the Owls lead the SWC in offense, averaging 417 yards a game.

McWilliams said Rice's two quarterbacks, Mark Comalander and Quentin Roper, present a "change of pace for you defensively ... they do have two attacks ... (and are) able to change gears on you pretty quickly and be successful with it."

Rice appears "much more confident in what they're doing. ... They have very few mixups, very few busts. They're a good, solid offensive football team," he said.

Major League Standings

By The Associated Press
AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division		West Division	
W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Toronto	94	63	599 1/2
Detroit	89	69	563 7
Milwaukee	74	83	471 2 1/2
New York	65	92	414 30 1/2
Baltimore	58	97	382 35 1/2
Cleveland	55	97	382 35 1/2
West Division			
W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Minnesota	85	71	538
Kansas City	79	79	500 6
Oakland	73	79	497 9 1/2
Seattle	74	83	471 19 1/2
Texas	74	83	471 19 1/2
California	72	84	465 11 1/2
Chicago	73	84	465 11 1/2
x-clinched division title			
Wednesday's Games			
Boston (Clemens 18-9) at New York (Letter 2-1), (n)			
Baltimore (Mesa 9-3) at Detroit (Petty 9-4), (n)			
Milwaukee (Nieves 13-8) at Toronto (Stieb 13-8), (n)			
California (Reuss 4-4) at Chicago (Dwight 16-12), (n)			
Seattle (Morgan 12-10) at Kansas City (D. Jackson 8-10), (n)			
Minnesota (Straker 5-8) at Texas (Witt 7-10), (n)			
Cleveland (Aberkane 2-5) at Oakland (Stewart 19-12), (n)			
Thursday's Games			
Cleveland at Oakland			
Boston at New York, (n)			
Baltimore at Detroit, (n)			
California at Chicago, (n)			
Seattle at Texas, (n)			
Only games scheduled			
NATIONAL LEAGUE			
East Division		West Division	
W.	L.	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	83	64	592
New York	80	68	570 3 1/2
Montreal	80	68	561 5
Philadelphia	79	79	506 14 1/2
Pittsburgh	75	81	481 17 1/2
Chicago	74	81	477 18
West Division			
W.	L.	Pct.	GB
San Francisco	87	79	524
Cincinnati	80	77	510 7
Houston	74	83	471 13
Los Angeles	70	87	446 17
Atlanta	67	89	429 19 1/2
San Diego	64	93	408 23
x-clinched division title			
Wednesday's Games			
Chicago (Fayer 11-15 and Sutcliffe 16-9) at Pittsburgh (Fisher 10-9 and Bilechik 2-5), (n)			
New York (Gooden 15-7) at Philadelphia (Rawley 17-11), (n)			
Atlanta (Glavin 3-6) at Houston (Scott 16-13), (n)			
Montreal (Peres 6-6) at St. Louis (Furusho 11-6), (n)			
Cincinnati (Browning 8-13) at San Diego (Hawkins 2-9), (n)			
San Francisco (Kirkow 4-6) at Los Angeles (Reicher 4-1), (n)			
Thursday's Games			
Chicago at Pittsburgh, (n)			
Atlanta at Houston, (n)			
Montreal at St. Louis, (n)			
Cincinnati at San Diego, (n)			
San Francisco at Los Angeles, (n)			
Only games scheduled			

Public Notice

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: MAGIE LEE JOHNSON, a/k/a MAGGIE LEE JOHNSON GREETING: You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 28th day of October, A.D. 1987, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable 223rd District Court of Gray County, at the Court House in Pampa, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 11th day of September, 1987. The file number of said suit being No. 26,116. The names of the parties in said suit are: EARNEST L. MATHIS and wife, PRECIOUS MATHIS as Plaintiffs and MAGIE LEE JOHNSON, a/k/a MAGGIE LEE JOHNSON as Defendant. The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: TRESPASS TO TRY TITLE. Plaintiff, Earnest L. Mathis, served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. Plaintiff filed this the 11th day of September A.D. 1987. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Pampa Texas, this the 11th day of September A.D. 1987. Vickie Walls Clerk 223rd District Court Gray County, Texas Sept. 16, 23, 30, Oct. 7, 1987 B-100

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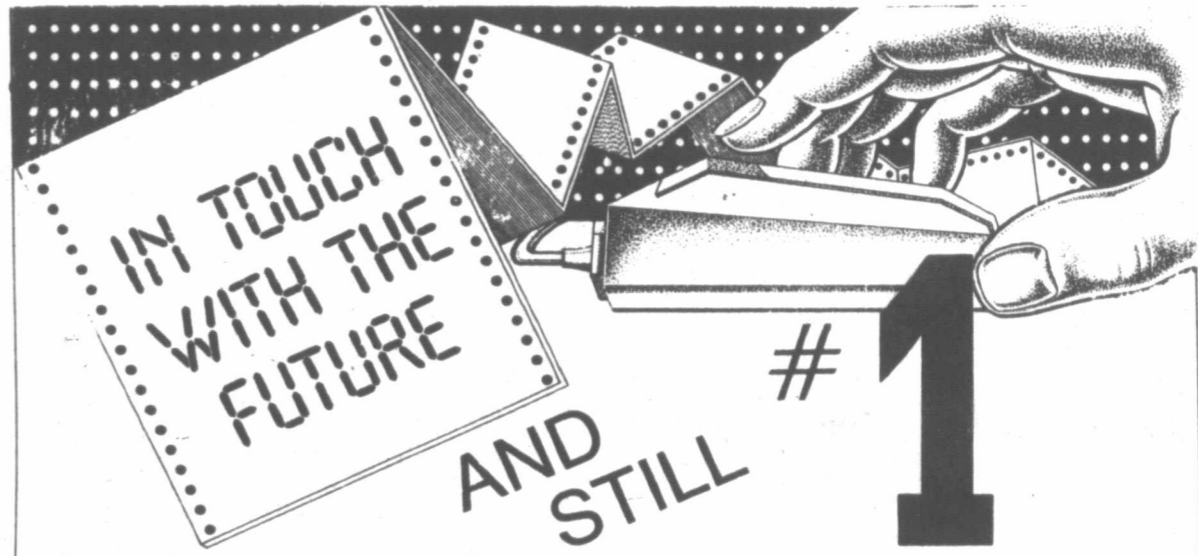
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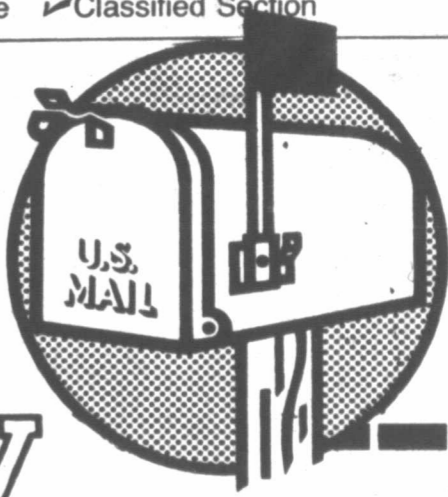
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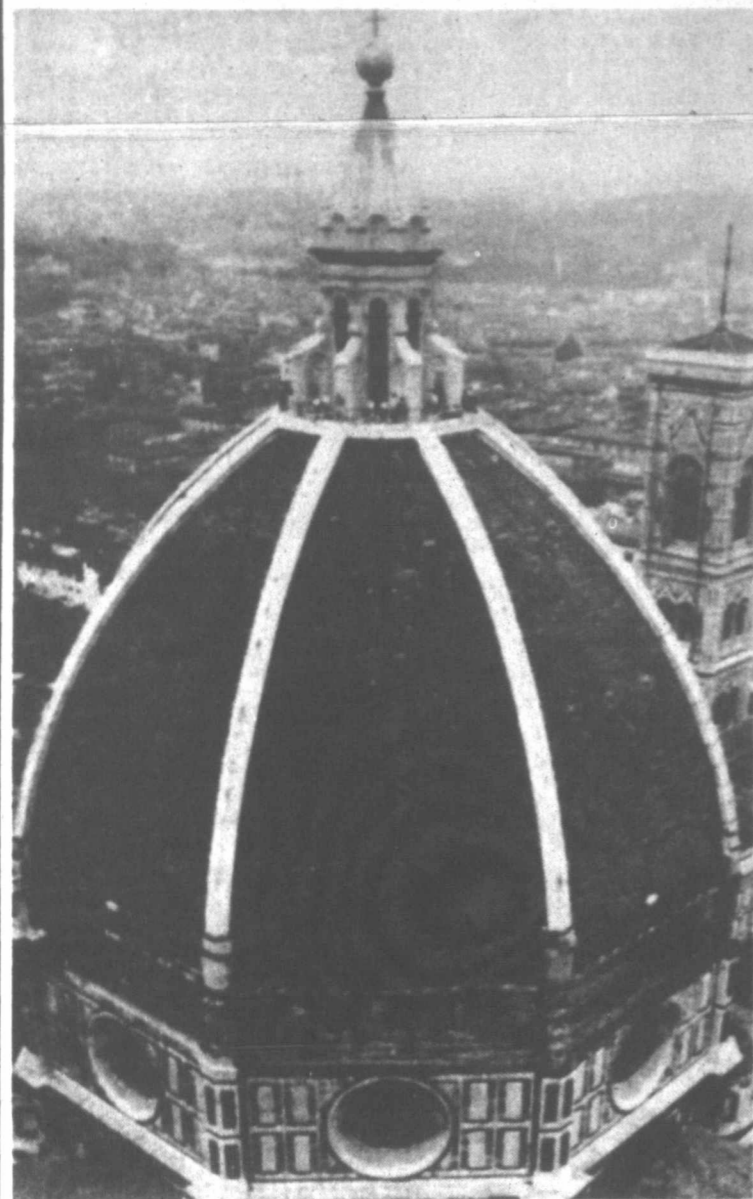
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Cracked dome



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This is an aerial view taken recently showing the Brunelleschi dome over a cathedral in Florence, Italy. Four major cracks running up and down the dome threatened to shorten its glorious life.

Black cowboys' history recalled by businessman

By MELANIE L. BURNEY
Associated Press Writer

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Uthman Abdus-Salaam has never been on a cattle range, but the 52-year-old Philadelphia who calls himself an "urban cowboy" has spent years researching the history of the black cowboy.

"The black cowboy was fascinating to me," said Abdus-Salaam. "He was a hero. He was positive and he was loyal."

He was also overlooked. "We owe a lot of discredit to the fact that we don't know about the black cowboy to the movies because a lot of American history is on that silver screen," said Abdus-Salaam. "We accept the theater, that silver screen, as truth when actually it's entertainment."

Abdus-Salaam is the founder and director of the 16-horse-stable Cobbs Creek Riding Academy in west Philadelphia. But it is more than a just a stable for Abdus-Salaam, who is also a martial arts instructor.

"It's an educational and cultural outlet with an emphasis on equestrian," he said.

The father of eight children, Abdus-Salaam works primarily with mentally and physically handicapped schoolchildren.

After taking the children on a tour of the stable, tack room and hay loft, Abdus-Salaam takes the group to a classroom where he talks about the history of the black cowboy in the West.

He has spent years researching Afro-American history, and is working toward a degree in African Studies at Temple University in Philadelphia.

Abdus-Salaam handles all aspects of running the three-acre academy. He also organizes an annual parade to honor the black cowboy. This year's parade, which included riding clubs, riders dressed as Buffalo Soldiers, mounted police and an African drum ensemble, drew 250 horses and about 4,000 people.

Abdus-Salaam and his wife, Nzingah, a Philadelphia schoolteacher, tell the children stories about famous black cowboys. They also sponsor cowboy games at the academy on weekends, in-

cluding barrel racing, pole bending and egg races.

"I bring to the children the fact that a number of rodeo games were created by blacks," he said.

One of Abdus-Salaam's favorite cowboy heroes is Bill Pickett, a famous bulldogger who created the bulldogging technique where the cowboy jumps from his horse onto the bull, grabs the bull by its horns and drops him.

Two of his ranch hands were Tom Mix and Will Rogers, who both went on to become movie stars, said Abdus-Salaam. But Pickett never received the same fame.

Many would argue that the black cowboy learned his skills from the white cowboy, but Abdus-Salaam says that's not the case.

"Across the water in Africa, prior to the slave era, we find that all of your movements, particularly on the west coast and closer to the Sahara Desert, were always on horseback, camels, burros or donkeys," he said. "It was the total means of transportation."

Wearing chaps, pointed leather boots and a hard leather hat that's almost 15 years old, Abdus-Salaam pointed out pictures of black cowboys who rode the Chisholm Trail that ran from Texas to the East.

There were at least 5,000 cowboys on the trail, but many people do not know that one out five was black or Mexican, he said.

"There are a number of lies being told," he said. "If we would but look at our history."

Abdus-Salaam does more than just educate the children on the black cowboy; he challenges them to excel in all they do.

His martial arts students, who call him "Sensei," which means teacher, must maintain a "B" average or face expulsion from the program.

"It's not just the cowboy thing," he said. "When the children come in I want to show them that we've done other things, that we are to do more things."

"I tell them this: Maybe the reason a lot of you don't want to look at the greatness of our history is because maybe it'll put a burden on you," he said.

Law book lawsuit filed

AUSTIN (AP) — The state has filed a federal lawsuit claiming a Minnesota publishing company does not have a copyright on the numbering system for Texas laws although the firm helped develop the system.

West Publishing Co. of Minnesota has been hired by the state for many years to publish the Texas laws.

The numbering system was initially developed in 1925 by Texas lawmakers during a major overhaul of the state laws. But the numbering system in those laws left no room for expansion. New ways to identify new laws were developed by the Legislature and by West, according to Mattox.

The lawsuit alleges that West is improperly claiming a copyright

on the expanded numbering system. During this year's legislative session, the California-based publishing company of Bancroft-Whitney unsuccessfully pushed a law that would have allowed it to publish Texas laws and use the numbering system already in place.

The state's lawsuit filed by Mattox asks for any one of the following possible rulings:

- A decision that the numbering system is not copyrightable.
- A ruling that West established the system as an agent for the state.
- A decision that the system was established by West, but is now in the public domain.
- A verdict saying the state holds the copyright.

Entrepreneur is not just horsin' around

By PATRICIA MAYERS-CHIN
Fort Worth Star Telegram

ARLINGTON (AP) — Her horses have no legs, but Sondra Salo is riding high.

The hobby-horse business she started in her Arlington home two years ago has now expanded to 19 states.

For Mrs. Salo it was a matter of building a better hobby-horse. She credits her son Josh with giving her the idea for the business. When the then 3-year-old saw a hobby-horse on Sesame Street, he wanted one just like it. Mrs. Salo checked the usual retailers but was dissatisfied with the quality of the products she saw.

So she decided to make her own. From a modest investment of \$700, Sasalo Originals sold about 2,400 hobby-horses the first year for close to \$20,000. The company kept about \$6,500 in profit.

Now, well into its second year, Mrs. Sasalo hopes to double those figures.

The 39-year-old mother of two is no stranger to entrepreneurship. She said she got her entrepreneurial spirit from her father.

"We are a family who like to work for ourselves," she said. "My father did not expect us to be the best, just to try our best."

The business her father started in 1937,

Bransom Floor Service, is operating successfully today. Her brother, a former policeman, runs the company.

Given that background, it wasn't so surprising that Mrs. Salo made the progression to home business entrepreneur from her previous job as a phone company clerk.

Everybody in Mrs. Salo's family works together in Sasalo originals. Her husband, Tom, a Fort Worth police sergeant, spends his time stuffing hobby-horses. The children test-ride them.

The family has sacrificed its garage, back porch and a bedroom to the business, but no one is complaining. They can make about 200 hobby-horses a week.

Sasalo's product might be unusual, but the idea of a home business isn't.

There are about 15 million home businesses in America, said Jan Dean, home business consultant for the Small Business Administration. Ms. Dean, who conducts seminar on starting home businesses, said such businesses are popular because of tax advantages, low overhead, and because of the freedom they allow.

This is especially true for mothers, such as Mrs. Salo, with young children.

Mrs. Salo, already the mother of one, adopted a Korean child months before she

started her business. She said her two children have not hampered the business.

Mrs. Salo attributes her success, which has surpassed her expectations, to the quality of her product. She uses natural yarns, soft acrylics, top-quality sticks with lead-free paint, and she sews everything by hand.

The hobby-horses come in three sizes, 16 colors, and range in retail price from \$11 to \$15.

Clients include Toys by Roy, Gordon Boswell Flowers, Lige Green Flowers & Gifts, Billy Bob's Texas and Toy Works in Dallas.

Jesse Owens, manager of Lige Green Flowers & Gifts in Arlington, said the quality of Mrs. Salo's hobby-horses is excellent. The store uses them to complement floral arrangements for babies' and children's parties. Sales have been good, he said.

Sally Baker, manager of Toy Works, said the horses have been good sellers in her store. She said one customer likes the horses so much that she sent several to relatives in Wyoming.

Kim Smith, manager of the Dallas World Trade Center and an associate of Adcock, said the horses have sold well because they are "colorful, well-constructed, and they stimulate a child's imagination."

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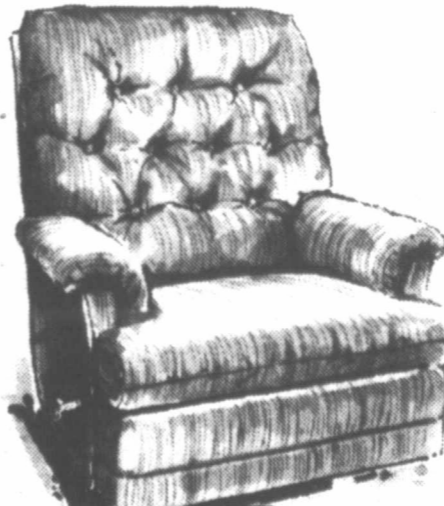
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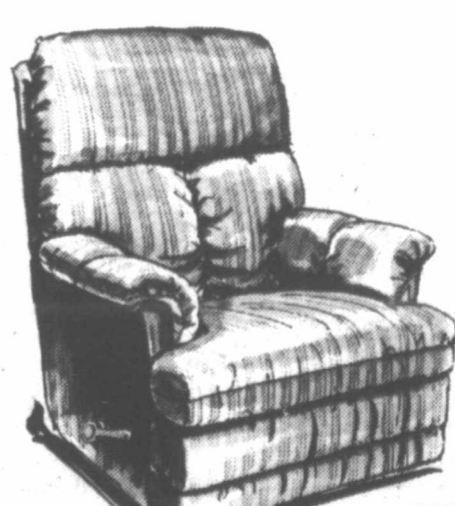
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