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## Pampa offers to build state prison

By CATHY SPAULDING **Staff Writer** 

Now that the Texas Department of Corrections has apparently changed its tune about small "regional" prisons, Pampa wants to sing along.

In an effort to attract at least a 1,000-bed regional detention center, the Pampa Chamber of Commerce has beefed up its TDC prison proposal, adding such incentives as offering to build the facility and a required 250,000-gallon overhead water

Other new incentives offered to the state include a free 300-acre plot of land east of Pampa and support from local industries in "training and providing useful skills and products" for the state.

Pampa City Manager Bob Hart said the city and the chamber agreed to push harder for a prison when the TDC "changed its philosophy" about regional correctional centers.

According to Hart, the TDC is split into two factions — one supporting a concentrated system with facilities located in the southeast part of the state, the other faction supporting smaller, regional facili-

"This is a major philosphical shift toward regional facilities," Hart said, adding that the shift would be to Pampa's advantage. "Until now we didn't see any indication from the TDC that they would consider a regional facility

'But I'm sure the battle is still going on between the two factions," Hart said

The TDC's new proposal calls for four minimum-security "cell block" units with 1,000 beds. TDC officials say each unit would hire 250 permanent employees and have a monthly payroll of \$560,000. Pampa is hoping for one of the four regional units. The TDC had earlier proposed two 2,250-

bed maximum-security prisons, hiring up to 750 people each. In an effort to catch the TDC's eye, Hart said, the city will agree to build the facility on an equitable build-leaseback agree-

Hart said the construction of the facility which should cost between \$30 and \$45 million - would be funded through the sale of revenue bonds. He stressed that the revenue bonds would be sold "at no risk at all to the city taxpayers.

The city manager said the rehabilitation of Pampa's Schneider Hotel into a senior citizen apartment complex - which may be completed by early October — is funded through a similar revenue bond agree-

"The prison facility itself would be the collateral," Hart said. "The only revenue that can be used is the revenue generated by the facility.

He added that the build-leaseback agreement was one of the incentives the city considered when it first fished for a prison in February.

We had talked to several bonding attornevs about it," he said, adding that the TDC's reluctance to go with regional units dampened the city's initial drive.

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## Libertarians to Clements: Repeal taxes

Higher sales tax is effective today

AUSTIN (AP) — The Libertarian Party says it is time to repeal the increased sales tax that Texans began paying today to balance the state budget

The state sales tax increases from 51/4 percent to 6 percent as part of the \$5.7 billion tax-hike bill approved this year. Also today, Texans began paying the sales tax on some goods and services that had been exempt.

The per-pack cigarette tax increases today from 20.5 cents to

Gary Johnson of Austin, secretary for the Texas Libertarian Party, wants Gov. Bill Clements to call lawmakers back to Austin for a special session to repeal the tax changes.

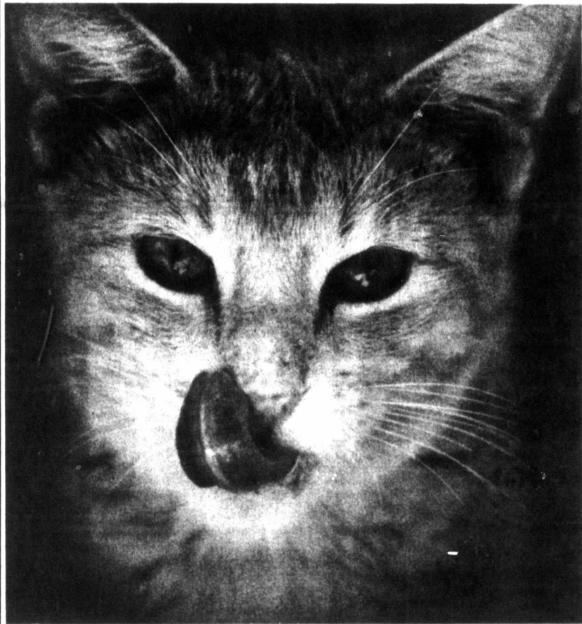
"I am optimistic Gov. Clements will take my advice. He has changed his mind on taxes several times before." Johnson said, referring to Clements' decision to sign the tax bill despite

promising voters he would not. But Reggie Bashur, Clements' press secretary, said there is no chance Clements would change his mind this time and that the governor would not call a special session to erase the tax increase.

"Once upon a time," Johnson said in his letter to Clements "there lived a conservative Republican who ran for governor of a large Southern state. He promised to cut government spending and 'no new taxes.' He won in the vear 1986.

"But after he took office, he began to work with his rivals, the Democrats, and to support high-

#### Feline weather watcher



Kitty Kat, Pampa's unofficial weather observer, licks his nose to check relative humidity Wednesday afternoon. Kitty and about 10 of his feline co-workers tested their skills on a porch in the 500 block of North

Cuyler. The official weather forecasters at the National Weather Service in Amarillo predicted sunny skies Friday with a high in the mid 70s.

## **GOP** panelists say Iran-Contra report broadsides Reagan

WASHINGTON (AP) -- A secret draft report of the congressional Iran-Contra investigation is so skewed against the Reagan administration that it is beyond repair, say two House Republicans who plan to write their own version of the document.

Reps. Jim Courter, R-N.J., and Henry Hyde, R-Ill., both members of the investigating panel that spent the summer holding hearings, said Wednesday they don't believe majority Democrats are willing to correct what they see as fatal flaws in the docu-

"It's a matter of tone and inference," Hyde said. "Every dispute or doubt is resolved against the administration ... I think it's beyond repair.

Among their specific criticisms, they said the report:

While not addressing the issue of whether President Reagan knew about the diversion of Iran arms sale proceeds to Nicaragua's Contra rebels, implies that Reagan could have known about it.

The report raises questions about the credibility of former national security adviser John M. Poindexter, who testified that he decided to divert the money without ever telling the president.

"There is the implication that Poindexter was lying and that the president knew about the diversion," Courter said. "To say that's part of the facts is not so. There's no documentation, no See REPORT, Page 2

## **Duake rocks LA**

LOS ANGELES (AP) - A strong earthquake measuring 6.1 on the Richter scale struck Southern California this morning, collapsing a building, setting off fires, and cutting off power to

parts of downtown Los Angeles. The first jolt, centered nine miles south of Pasadena, was recorded at 7:42 a.m. local time and was followed by at least four strong aftershocks.

Extent of damage and injuries could not immediately be determined

Lloyd Darrington, a spokesman for the California Emergency Services Office in Sacramento, said he had reports of one collapsed building in the Pasadena area, and there are several fires in the area.

He did not know how large the building was or how extensive the blazes

Jim Wells, a spokesman for the Los Angeles Fire Department, said "Most of our calls are from stuck elevators. We've had some reports of people suffering heart attacks.

An air traffic reporter for KNX radio, Judy Able, said, "All the traffic stopped in all the (freeway) lanes. Quite unusual.

It was the strongest quake in the Los Angeles area since a 6.4 quake in San Fernando in 1971.

The quake was also felt in Las Vegas, Nev., and in San Diego

Throughout the Los Angeles area, windows rattled and bits of See QUAKE, Page 2

## Iraq, Iran continue to trade tanker hits

MANAMA, Bahrain (AP) — Iraq said its warplanes attacked a tanker off Iran today, and two Iranian speedboats carried out a daylight attack on a Pakistaniflag tanker in the Persian Gulf.

Iranian speedboats were meanwhile reported to have raked two Japan-bound tankers with machine-gun fire in the mouth of the Strait of Hormuz. the entrance to the gulf.

Minor damage was reported in all three cases, with no casual-

One of the Iranian attacks was on a tanker partially filled with Iranian crude oil, according to gulf-based shipping executives.

The executives said they could not confirm a report that a third Japanese tanker, the 484,276-ton Nissei Maru, was hit around the same time that the two others the 237,365-ton Nichiharu Maru and the 236,425-ton Western City were raided at dusk

Wednesday The reports came as U.S.

warships guided two U.S. Military Sealift Command ships carrying supplies north through the Persian Gulf toward Bahrain, the Pentagon said.

Another convoy of U.S. warships and a reflagged Kuwaiti tanker, the Gas Prince, steamed south through the gulf and was expected to pass through the Strait of Hormuz.

Shipping executives said that at 8:03 a.m. today, radio monitors picked up a message from the 43,429-ton Johan, owned by Pakistan's National Tanker Co. sailing from Karachi to the Saudi oil terminal of Jubail

The tanker reported that it was under attack by two speedboats near the Strait of Hormuz. It reported minor damage and said it was continuing under its own power, they said

About three hours earlier, Iraqi jet fighters struck a "large maritime target near the Iranian

coast," the Baghdad High Com-See TANKER, Page 2



Sasso leaves press conference after ouster.

## Dukakis boots top aides for peddling Biden tape

BOSTON (AP) - Gov. Michael Dukakis lost his top two aides and his high-road presidential campaign suffered an embarrassment with the disclosure that his campaign manager supplied the videotape that undermined Sen. Joseph Biden.

A grim Dukakis summoned reporters to a news conference Wednesday and revealed that aide John Sasso was the source of a videotape showing Biden giving a speech lifted from British politician Neil Kinnock.

The video of side-by-side speeches spurred media scrutiny of Biden's record that forced the Delaware Democrat to drop out of the race for the party's presidential nomination last week.

Sasso, an old hand in national politics, submitted his resignation after acknowledging he misled his boss. Dukakis at first refused to accept it, then let the 40-year-old political adviser go.

Dukakis named Leslie Dach acting campaign manager.

Dukakis' political director, Paul Tully, once a top aide to Gary Hart, also resigned, admitting he misled the public in denying the Dukakis campaign was involved. He said he knew Sasso prepared the videotape.

The governor said he was in the dark Monday when he denied a Time magazine report linking the video to the Dukakis camp. Time said the video was sent to The New York Times, The Des Moines Register and NBC News.

"As a candidate in this campaign, I take full responsibility for it," Dukakis said.

He said he telephoned Biden on Wednesday and apologized. In Washington, Biden said: "I think you ought to talk to the governor. I have no comment at

Some Democratic rivals and See TAPE, Page 2

#### Services tomorrow

DECKER, Irvin C. (Gabe) - 11 a.m., Sullivan Funeral Home Chapel, Vernon.

#### **Obituaries**

IRVIN C. (GABE) DECKER

VERNON - Services for Irvin C. (Gabe) Decker, 85, of Van Alstyne, a former Pampa resident, will be at 11 a.m. Friday in Sullivan Funeral Home Chapel at Vernon. Officiating will be Dr. Charles Becton, a Baptist minister of Vernon.

Burial will be in Crestview Mausoleum at Wichita Falls under the direction of Sullivan Funeral Home of Vernon.

Mr. Decker died Tuesday in Meadowbrook Care Center at Van Alstyne.

He was born July 18, 1902 in Decatur. He married Greela Pulliam on June 24, 1952 at Beaumont; she died in 1981. He was a former resident of Vernon, Archer City, Electra and Pampa. He was an employee of Texas Pipeline Co. for 40 years. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. He was a member of the First Baptist Church at Vernon.

Survivors include a daughter, Betty L. Rice, Anna, Texas; a brother, E.T. Decker, Oklahoma City, Okla.; three grandchildren and two greatgrandchildren.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 8 p.m. today at the Sullivan Funeral Home.

#### Stock market

The following grain quotations are	Amoco 82¾	up11/8
provided by Wheeler-Evans of	Arco 945%	up34
Pampa	Cabot 42¾	up34
Wheat 2.26	Chevron 54½	up5/8
Milo 2.70	Enron 49	up1/8
Corn 3.20	Halliburton 391/4	up1/8
The following quotations show the	HCA 45¾	NC
prices for which these securities	Ingersoll-Rand 451/8	up1/4
could have been traded at the time of	Kerr-McGee 441/4	NC
compilation.	KNE 157/8	up1/4 NC
Damson Oil 36	Mapco 573/8	NC
Ky Cent Life 173%	Maxxus 12%	up1/8
Serfco 61/4	Mesa Ltd 161/8	dn1/s
	Mobil 491/4	up1/4
The following show the prices for	Penney's 587/8	up7/8
which these mutual funds were bid at	Phillips 163%	up <sup>1</sup> /8
the time of compilation:	SLB 47	up1/4
Magellan	SPS	dn1/4
Puritan 14.10	Tenneco 565/8	up1/2
The following 9:30 a.m. N. Y. stock	Texaco 407/a	up%C
market quotations are furnished by	London Gold	N.A.
Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa.	Silver	N.A.

#### Fire report

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

#### Minor accidents

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

#### Hospital

HOSPITAL

Crestella Gossett, Pampa Lefors Dorothy Kuehler, Pampa Groom

Steven Elliott, Pampa Pampa Belle Sivells, Pampa Thurman Stapleton,

Pampa Celastino Trejo, Pampa Rosa Turner, Pampa

**Dismissals** Ernesto Contreras, Amarillo Rosa Villagrana,

McLean Lee Benton, Pampa Ira Bettis, Pampa Bertha Cox, Pampa

Gertrude Culberson, Pampa Carl Hills, Pampa

#### CORONADO Jarvis Johnson Pampa Admissions Amanda Locke

Marcus Phillips. Myrl Springer

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions Mary Milburn, Shamrock

Pauline Thompson, Shamrock George Daniels, Shamrock

Dismissals Cooter Barnett, Sham-Joe Williams, Sham-

Bill Lang, Shamrock Jessie Kirk, Sham

## Police report

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

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 30 Theft was reported at Pampa Transmission Center, 313 E. Brown; transmission cases were

taken from inside a fenced area. Gorlia Wilson, 1117 Varnon Drive, reported disorderly conduct at Ruby's; a person was asked to leave but came back twice.

Coyde Andrews, 715 N. Foster, reported criminal mischief at residence; two tires were dam-Jocha Morris of Miami reported burglary at

1504 W. Kentucky; items were removed from a

Shoplifting was reported at 7-Eleven, 400 N. Ballard.

#### Arrests - City Jail WEDNESDAY, Sept. 30

Missy Taylor, 17, of 612 Hazel, was arrested at the Municipal Court on charges of minor in possession and consuming alcoholic beverages after

Mary Noel, 17, of 612 Hazel, was arrested at the Municipal Court on charges of minor in possession and consuming alcoholic beverages after

Cecil Casel, 39, of Davis Hotel, was arrested on a warrant for theft under \$20.

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fell from skyscrapers, and resi-

dents reported food and dishes

falling from their kitchen

Radio stations reported glass

"The whole house shook, the

pool shook, the glasses in the cup-

boards shook, and some stuff fell

off the dressers," said Rhoda

Neal, 28, who lives in Sunland, 20

months and 5 years old) and we

all went into the hallways, be-

We grabbed the kids (6

miles from Los Angeles.

Quake

what to do.

ped shaking.

plaster and concrete fell from

some of the older buildings. Peo-

ple rushed into streets through-

out the city after the first tremor

standing around, not knowing

what to do." said Gerald Livezey.

a security guard at a building in

downtown Los Angeles. "Every-

one was coming out of this build-

hit, "All at once there was a who-

osh of wind, and I walked over to

a brick wall until everything stop-

"I was outside, and I mean it was

really shaking. I thought it was

the biggie. I thought there wasn't going to be anything left."

'This one scared me,' he said.

'Most of them were just kind of

He said the city would agree to build a larger facility if the TDC made it a condition to locate one in Pampa

The proposed 250,000-gallon overhead storage tank would cost the city between \$250,000 and \$300,000. Hart said.

The city also plans to extend its water and sewer lines to the facility at no cost to the state. But Hart said he could not speculate on how much the extension would cost because the city has not decided whether to connect the prison with the city system or to drill into a well

Pampa Chamber of Commerce Manager Bruce Barton said the chamber will provide a 300-acre site to the state at no cost.

But, Barton said, such a site has still not been selected, although chamber officials are hoping to get property east of Pampa near the Pampa Industrial Park

'We haven't talked with anyone out there about it," Barton said. "Nobody's made any offers, so we may have to buy the land."

Barton declined to speculate on how much the 300 acres would cost because of the varying quality of agricultural production. We are not now discussing cost because of

possible negotiations," he said.

But, the proponents agree, a decision is still far in the future.

Said Chamber President Norman Knox, "as we move through the next few months, both the community and the TDC will become more familiar with additional facts concerning this issue. This is an economic impact that must be investigated as to its net addition to our local economy

Hart acknowledged that one of the concerns with bringing a maximum-security prison to Pampa was the influx of the prisoners' families to the area and the burden they could place on welfare and tax

A regional unit, which would house prisoners from the area, would ease those concerns Hart said. He observed that with a regional unit, the families would be less likely to relocate to be with their incarcerated loved ones

that electricity was out in some

parts of Burbank, northwest of

logist for the U.S. Geological Sur-

vey, Golden Colo., said the quake

registered 6.1 on the Richter

scale and was centered just south

The Richter scale is a measure

of ground motion as recorded on

seismographs. Every increase of

one number means a tenfold in-

crease in magnitude. Thus a

Waverly Person, chief seismo-

downtown Los Angeles.

## **Tape**

party insiders said the furor was not seriously damaging and did not reflect directly on Dukakis, but the governor said Sasso made "a very, very serious error in judgment."

Missouri Rep. Richard Gephardt, whose campaign had been mentioned in some reports as the source of the video, said he was relieved his Democratic presidential campaign has been

He added: "We need to be positive in our campaigning and I think in large we have been.

Report testimony to support that. It's naked suspicions.

Assumes the National Security Council violated the Boland Amendment, a congressional prohibition on military aid to the

The two GOP lawmakers say that assumption ignores legal opinions and considerable debate among committee members over whether the law even applied to the NSC, where staff members Poindexter and Lt. Col. Oliver L. North were managing the arms sales and the resupply of the rebels. The law's language barred

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Sasso, who managed Geraldine Ferraro's 1984 vice presidential campaign, said the tape was a "serious lack of judgment on my part," but insisted he was merely drawing reporters' attention to information in the public domain.

"There is nothing in the tape that is incorrect. It is not a dirty trick," agreed Michael Goldman, a Democratic consultant. "But given Michael Dukakis" declaration that he only intends to run an upbeat campaign, it's embarrassing.

In March, Dukakis had invited voters to judge the candidates on their personal qual-

#### in charge? Will he tell us the truth?" he said. In recent months, Dukakis

ities. "They'll ask themselves

what kind of people does he sur-

round himself with? Will he be

has been the target of reports that he was a beneficiary of a \$1 million trust fund that held investments in South Africa, that he violated federal election law by borrowing corporate jets without paying in advance.

Paul Kirk, chairman of the **Democratic National Commit**tee, said it was premature to speculate on the effect on the Dukakis campaign. He called for the candidates and the news media to focus on the issues.

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agency involved in intelligence activities

Sharply criticizes Attorney General Edwin Meese III for his handling of the investigation of the affair as it began to unravel last November.

'He is criticized beyond what we think the record supports,' Hyde said.

Added Courter: "There's the implication that he just didn't do

a very good job in the investiga-

Some panel members have questioned whether Meese was trying to get out the unvarnished facts of the case or whether he might have been involved in White House efforts to limit damage to the administration.

Is laced throughout with loaded verbiage and hyperbole from staff members who used "poetic license" in drafting the docu-

Courter said, for example, that the report uses the words "desperate" and "panicked" to refer to North's testimony. "It is filled with wonderful adjectives," he said. "I don't think (such language) should be in this historical document."

Hyde and Courter said Republican members of the House panel likely would join two GOP members of the Senate committee — Orrin Hatch of Utah and James McClure of Idaho — in filing a dissenting minority supplement to the final report, which is due out Oct. 28 or 29.

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mand announced in a war communique. It said the planes returned safely to base.

Contra aid from any government

The raid was "to deprive the Iranian regime of the opportunity to exploit the revenues of its oil exports for aggression and continuation of war," added the communique, carried by the official Iraqi News Agency and Baghdad radio, monitored in Cyprus.

Iraq uses the term "large maritime target" to refer to tankers using Iran's Kharg Island oil terminal. There was no immediate confirmation of the strike.

Iran customarily raids ships in the gulf in reprisal for Iraqi air raids on tankers near Iran.

agreed last summer to reflag 11 Kuwaiti tankers to protect them from attacks by Iran, which ac-

cuses Kuwait of aiding Iraq. Iraq has escalated its raids on Iranian shipping lanes since last weekend in an apparent bid to increase pressure on Tehran as it considers a cease-fire demand by the U.N. Security Council. At least six Iranian-bound tankers

were struck in Iraqi raids over

Shipping executives said Iranian speedboats carried out the attacks on the Nichiharu Maru and the Western City when they were in the vicinity of the Iranian oil-loading terminal at Larak island in Hormuz

The Nichiharu Maru, which The Reagan administration flies the Japanese flag and is

owned by Nissho Kisen, had taken on oil at United Arab Emirates terminals. The Western City, which flies the Liberian flag but is operated by Japan Line Ltd., had loaded oil in the U.A.E. and at Larak, according to the executives, who spoke on condition they were not identified.

Japan's Transport Ministry said the communications room of the Nichiharu Maru was damaged by gunfire.

The Western City reported damage to its fuel tank, living quarters and bridge after being hit by missiles, the ministry said.

Iran's official Islamic Republic News Agency, monitored in Cyprus, reported two ships had been raided in the gulf Wednesday evening, but did not identify the

A few hours after an Idaho

judge refused to lower his bond.

## Former prison official arrested

the past six days.

HOUSTON (AP) — A former Texas prison system official facing possible extradition to Texas on a theft charge says he was just trying to help when he set up his own company to bid on prison contracts

J.R. Pitts, 40, was arrested in

Sandpoint, Idaho, on a Texas warrant after three years as a

fugitive. He faces extradition proceedings on a 1985 Madison County, Texas, theft indictment alleging he stole \$17,500 in prison funds through bid-rigging and kickbacks from contractors.

Pitts told the Houston Chronicle Tuesday he believed he could beat the Texas theft charge. "The paperwork doesn't represent what really happened,'

## Two-year-old dehydrates while City briefs trapped near her dead mother

HOUSTON (AP) — A 2-year-old girl died from lack of water because she apparently was trapped in a bedroom after her mother died beside her, authorities said

An autopsy showed that Betty Anita Chambers, who was found in her southeast Houston home by her grandmother, died of dehydration.

"It just looks like a tragic occurrence," said homicide Sgt. Bill Stephens. "It may be that, if she could have gotten out of the bedroom, she might have gotten some water and would be alive today. But, apparently, she was trapped.

The girl's body was found about 6:15 p.m. Monday near the body of her mother, Demetria Chambers, 28. The woman's mother, Betty Spencer, had gone to the home because Ms. Chambers had not been seen since Saturday evening and did not answer the telephone

A ruling on the cause of Ms. Chambers' death was withheld pending tests of her blood and other body fluids. Police said they found no wounds or other marks of violence on the bodies

Officers said Ms. Chambers was taking medication for a lengthy illness and may have taken an overdose, but they said there was no reason to suspect suicide.

Homicide Sgt. David Calhoun said Ms. Chambers apparently died Saturday night. She was found in a kneeling position between the bed and a wall on Monday.

The child's body was found about a foot from her mother's body almost completely under the bed.

Pitts said

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. Enroll-

ment required by Friday, Octo-

ber 2, 5 p.m. Adv. ROWDY ACE will be at the Catalina Club this weekend for dancing and entertainment. Adv.

2nd ANNUAL Fall Festival Car Show, October 17 and 18 Canadian, Texas. For more information call Joe Dial, 323-6113. Adv. GARAGE SALE 1022 E. Jor-

don, Friday, Saturday. Adv. GARDEN MART 720 N Hobart, opens Friday! Fall mums, hanging baskets. assorted ground covers. 10:30-6 Adv

WE NOW have Greeting Cards State of the Heart (locally designed), Flavia and Hummingbird. Las Pampas Galleries, 110 N. Cuyler. Adv.

#### ing, circulating, not knowing reading of 7.5 reflects an earthcause we have a big glass quake 10 times stronger than one window. Livezey said when the quake

of Pasadena

A caller to a radio station from An earthquake of 6 on the Rich-El Cajon, 15 miles east of San ter scale can cause severe Diego, told KFMB radio, said, "I damage was sitting here having breakfast The San Francisco earthquake and all of a sudden the ground of 1906, which occurred before the started rolling. The dogs started Richter scale was devised, has **KNBC-TV** in Burbank reported been estimated at 8.3 on the Rich-

## Man charged in triple slaying

cabinets

ARANSAS PASS (AP) — A dock worker was being held in the Aransas County Jail today following his arrest in the death of one of three people found slain on a country road near this coastal

Eddie James Johnson, 35, of Aransas Pass, was being held in lieu of \$300,000 bond on a charge of murder in the death of David Magee, 37, according to Aransas County Sheriff Bob Hewes

Magee's body and the bodies of

Virginia Cadena, 28, and her 10-

year-old daughter, Elizabeth Galvan, were found early Tuesday near a country road. Officers said Magee and Miss Galvan had been shot to death and Mrs. Cadena had apparently

been struck by a car and dragged

some 60 feet.

Magee's hands were tied behind his back, his feet were tied and he had been shot once in the throat. The girl had been shot at least once in the stomach, Hewes

that its telephones were out and

An Aransas Pass cab driver is believed to have told lawmen he dropped off a man fitting Johnson's description outside the apartment complex where the three victims lived on the night of the killing.

The motive for the brutal slayings remains a mystery, Sheriff Hewes said, but added that the arrest was based in part on evidence of a disagreement between Johnson and Magee, who had worked together.

Hewes said blood was found in several rooms of an apartment in Aransas Pass where the victims

The sheriff said he believes the attack began in the apartment "ree were later taken in Mrs. Cadena's car to a rural location about three miles north of Aransas Pass. Investigators Tuesday found Mrs. Cadena's car with blood-soaked floorboards and broken window parked at an Aransas Pass nursing home.

Johnson was arrested without incident about 4 a.m. Wednesday at his mobile home in Aransas Pass, Hewes said, adding that bloody underwear and bluejeans were found inside Johnson's resi-

#### Weather focus

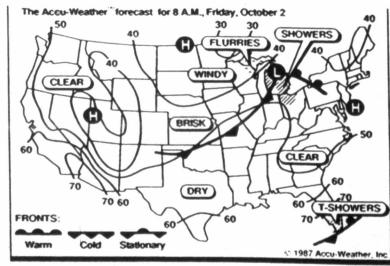
LOCAL FORECAST Sunny and cooler Friday with a high in the mid 70s. Low tonight, 49. Northeasterly winds at 10 to 20 mph. High Wednesday, 75; low this morn-

REGIONAL FORECAST West Texas — Mostly sunny through Friday. Clear tonight. A little cooler north Friday. Lows tonight upper 40s Panhandle to mid 50s along the Rio Grande except lower 40s mountains. Highs Friday mid 70s Panhandle and mountains to mid 80s south.

North Texas — Clear skies and low humidity will prevail through Frider Furning windy and cooler from the north on Friday. Highs 80s. Low tonight 50s South Texas - Fair tonight.

Partly cloudy and warm Friday. Highs Friday 80s with near 90 southwest. Lows tonight 60s coast to the 50s inland with upper 40s Hill Country.

**EXTENDED FORECAST** Saturday through Monday West Texas - Dry with cool nights and mild days. Panhan-



dle and South Plains lows upper 40s and highs upper 70s. Concho Valley, Far West and Permian Basin lows around 50. Highs around 80.

South Texas - Partly cloudy with mild days and cool nights. Highs mostly in the 80s. lows from the 50s north to the 60s south with 40s in the Hill Country.

North Texas — Fair and cool with no rainfall expected through the period. Daytime highs in the upper 70s to low 80s. Overnight lows in the 50s.

BORDER STATES

Oklahoma — Fair and sunny through Friday. Cooler north Friday with highs upper-70s north to mid-80s south, lows

New Mexico - Partly cloudy Friday with isolated thundershowers by late afternoon near the Arizona border and over the northeast. Fair at night. Highs mid-60s to mid-70s mountains with mid-70s to mid-80s lower elevations, lows upper 20s and 30s mountains with 40s to mid-50s lower elevations

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# Texas/Regional Clements, Wright call for national energy policy

WASHINGTON (AP) - House Speaker Jim Wright says problems in the Persian Gulf will continue to plague the United States until it achieves energy independence, a suggestion Texas Gov. Bill Clements says he is pursuing with the White House

'Nobody in the United States has any sympathy for Iran and the way it has behaved," Wright said at a news conference Wednesday. "The key is to make ourselves energy independent."

While agreeing in principle with a Senate resolution banning the import of Iranian oil, Wright said the country has to do more than single out one country for an energy ban if it wants to resolve the problem

Reports this week showed the United States imported more oil from Iran in July than from all but one other foreign supplier, Nigeria. The U.S. currently imports about 40 percent of its oil

"We don't find solace in symbolic deeds," Wright said of the Senate vote, adding that the U.S. dependence on foreign oil will continue until "we do

something dramatic."

Clements, appearing at the same news conference with Wright, said he has been in contact with White House Chief of Staff Howard Baker about forming a White House commission to create a national energy policy.

He said Baker supports the idea and indicated there will be some action on such a commission in the near future. He discounted an Energy Department report compiled earlier this year as not having clearly defined a national energy policy.

Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, chairman of the Finance Committee, said Baker has an open mind about an oil policy. He said formation of a White House commission would be a step in the right direction, but much more needs to be done

"Obviously, this administraiton has had no energy policy. If we could have a bipartisan commission, hopefully it could come up with something," Bentsen said

He said such a commission would have to develop incentives to increase oil and gas drilling in this country, promote conservation and develop alternative energy sources.

"This thing of Iran now being our second-largest supplier of energy has to show you the danger of over-reliance on foreign oil, particularly in politically unstable areas," Bentsen said, "Thinking that this is just a regional problem has got to change. This is a problem of national security."

When "Silent Spring" was pub-

lished in 1962, U.S. pesticide pro-

duction was slightly less than 700

million pounds, Kramer said. As

of 1986, it had tripled to 2.6 billion

The volume of pesticides used

in Texas alone is not known be-

cause the state does not keep re-

cords of the usage, Kramer said.

Skip Stiles, staff director of the

agriculture subcommittee that

has jurisdiction over the pesti-

cide law, said members are

The subcommittee has been

laboring over proposed changes

to the law since the last major

amendments were added in 1978,

Stiles said. He said U.S. Rep.

George Brown of California, sub-

committee chairman, hopes to

move the bill through the House

groups, along with agricultural

and chemical interests, had input

in the present compromise re-

write, Stiles said. The comprom-

ise failed to pass the House and

Senate in the same form last

year's compromise as far as we can," Stiles said. "When you get

into significant rewrites (of the

compromise), you have to open

A major part of the comprom-

"We're looking to take last

Consumer and environmental

working on a rewrite.

by year's end.

year, he said.

pounds, he said.

#### Sure-footed



Jerry Anthony, an employee of John Anthony Construction of Pampa, walks steadily across a bending board while putting up siding on a residence on North Russell Street.

## Deaf runaway returned to Texas after two-month trek

FORT WORTH (AP) — A deaf boy who fled a treatment center in June and survived two months on the road by begging and stealing is back in a Texas mental institution, officials

Authorities in Louisiana took the boy into custody in August and have returned him to Texas, but he wasn't put in the treatment we're not a locked firm," said Annie Varga, itself, the boy and his new home, she said.

center he fled because it is not a locked

He left Odyssey Harbor treatment center in Keene, about 25 miles south of Fort Worth,

while chasing a rabbit in mid-June. "They called me and asked if we were willing to have him back, and I said yes, but said. The agency requested anonymity for

director of Odyssey Harbor. "It's difficult to treat someone when you can't keep him. He's in a more secure place now.'

his mother in another state, but she apparently has not seen him for a long time, Ms. Varga

week for abducting and

slaying a San Antonio nurse

pinned his finals hopes for get-

ting a reprieve of his Friday

execution date on the high

court, which granted the stay

"All right," Franklin ex-

claimed when prison officials

told him of the stay

attorney, challenged the con-

viction on eight grounds, in-

cluding improper comments

by prosecutors to the jurors.

The 5th U.S. Circuit Court of

Appeals rejected similar argu-

sought," Stevens said of the

stay. "We were getting kind of

Stevens said he understands

Franklin, who turned 36 last

week, has had three trials and

four execution dates. He has

been on death row nearly 111/2

the court will review the

appeal in a couple of weeks.

'Well, it's the relief we

Mark Stevens, Franklin's

Donald Gene Franklin had

more than a decade ago.

Wednesday.

Wednesday.

ments last week

close to the deadline.

## Pesticide reform asked by groups

AUSTIN (AP) — The federal pesticide law should be strengthened to protect consumers and workers, according to concerned groups who sent a letter to U.S. Rep. Kika de la Garza of Texas, chairman of the House Agriculture Committee.

The danger from pesticides "is as close as our dinner table," Rebecca Flores Harrington, state director of the United Farm Workers, said at a Wednesday news conference with officials of Public Citizen, Consumers Union. Texas Center for Policy Studies, National Audubon Society and Sierra Club.

Tomatoes, beef and potatoes are among the foods identified by the National Academy of Science as possibly cancer-causing because of the presence of chemical pesticides, Ms. Harrington said.

The Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act "is wholly inadequate to protect the American people, both as consumers and workers, from dangerous pesticides," said the letter to de la Garza, D-Mission.

The groups released the letter at the news conference, which marked this month's 25th anniversary of the publication of "Silent Spring.

Although the book by Rachel Carson warning of the dangers of pesticides helped spark the U.S. environmental movement, Sierra Club spokesman Ken Kramer said, "This nation and its citizens

from pesticides in 1987."

ise is obtaining health and safety data on pesticides, he said. "We keep getting surprised by face a continuing and perhaps

these problems ... We want to take the 'Whoops!' factor out of in some respects a greater threat regulation," he said.

the bill up to everyone.

## The agency that placed the boy has located is mother in another state, but she apparent seek tederal prison

CHILDRESS (AP) — City officials won't disclose details of their trip to Washington, but Mayor J.B. Holland says Childress may have a chance of lur-

ing a federal prison to town. Officials returned Wednesday after meeting with federal prison officials and U.S. Rep. Beau Boulter, but they wouldn't discuss the session until more Board of City Development members and City Council members could be briefed.

We haven't reported back to our boards," Holland said. "About all I can say to you is we met with officials and I'm optimistic.

City manager David Galligan, Holland, Board of City Development President Jerry Dugan, County Judge Dean Decker and veterinarian Bob Jones went to Washington Tuesday to discuss Childress as a possible federal prison site.

The proposal is in addition to two state prison facilities Childress officials would like to attract.

Childress, along with 32 other Texas communities, bid on becoming a site for a 2,250-bed maximum security prison. Childress leaders also have bid on a 1.000bed regional reintegration center, along with several other Texas communities

Amarillo, Borger, Pampa and Dalhart also have bid on the maximum-security facility, which would bring an annual payroll of between \$15 million and \$20 mil-

lion and about 766 jobs to the win-

ner of the competition. After the group returned Wednesday, Holland said the proposal made in Washington was the same offer made to the

Childress offered the state up to 3,500 acres of land and utilities discounts. The city also offered to finance the \$68 million facility for the state, and let the state pay

back the city. City Councilman Pat Steed told the Amarillo Globe-News Tuesday that the idea to approach the Federal Bureau of Prisons came about when Childress officials learned that the federal prisons are in worse shape than the state

FBP spokesman Kevin McMahon said the federal correctional system has become badly overtaxed and is in a period of expan-

The federal prisons currently house more than 44,000 prisoners in 47 facilities. The population is up from a 1981 figure of slightly more than 23,700. The current population is considered 58 percent overcrowded, McMahon said.

The bureau has six more prisons under construction and is looking at several other sites including one site in Texas at Three

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Earlier this past summer, while we were discussing the joys of camping, one young, transplanted whippersnapper remarked that our forefathers went through a lot in settling this country so that we wouldn't have to live in that ?&—\$! wilderness all of our lives! And he thought no one should have to suffer the

'joys'' of living life in the rough and thus mar the blessings available to us in our now so-called civilized living style.

He misses the point of camping. For one, there's the enjoyment of nature — out where one can actually see it and be amid it without having to peer over rooftops or cover one's eyes from the glares of corner streetlamps or cup the ear to hear it over the blaring TV's and vehicular

For another, there's the peaceful feeling one can get from just lying back to look at the nighttime stars overhead, or hiking slowly through wildflowers and trees with all their uncluttered and nonpolluted smells and sights, or watching wildlife live without having to worry about it being run over by some speeding motorist. Or just being away from ringing telephones, complaining customers, nagging friends and roaring wheels.

But there's another good reason for camping out once in awhile. It can really give you an appreciation, even if only a glimpse, for what our forefathers must have suffered — and enjoyed.

Sure, there were some sufferings. Sore feet and legs from trekking over rocky and thorny paths. Annoying bites from flies, mosquitoes, chiggers, with the threat of worse from snakes, enraged predators or poisonous creatures. Uncertain food supplies at times, unsafe water sources, lack of adequate protection from the elements of storms. Doubts about obtaining neighborly assistance in lonely places when prairie fires blazed or savage Indians

struck. The droughts and pestilences. But perhaps we also have lost much in our civilized state, with the trade off for security and comfort and material possessions being achieved at the loss of being able to be at one with nature, to enjoy stillness, to bask in the glow of natural colors

and smells and sights and sounds. Now I like the trappings of our civilization as much as anyone. I happily go out to purchase new rock albums and eagerly anticipate new movies. I have my favorite television programs. I like the manufactured clothes I wear, and I look forward each night to jumping into my rippling waterbed. And there's comfort in being able to be inside strong walls during thunderstorms and to turn up

the furnace during a bitter cold spell. But, still, I await those few, rare days in which I find time to be able to get away from all that and just roll out a sleeping bag on some lake shore, or crawl into some trail tent underneath overhanging trees, or spend a few days in a relatively rough

cabin retreat. Just about a couple of weeks ago I had one of those rare opportunities. Our staff photographer Duane and I rented a cabin at Lake Marvin for a couple of weekend nights.

#### Rough camping at lakeside cabin Convicted killer gets execution stay **Off Beat** HUNTSVILLE (AP) — The U.S. Supreme Court granted a stay of execution for a convicted killer facing death this

It was no Motel 6, by any stretch — something the complaining whippersnapper had said was his idea of "camping." It was small, but it had two double beds, a stove, a refrigerator, indoor plumbing, even a shower and a toilet — and a fireplace. That's about the most comfortable camping I've ever done. I almost felt ashamed of roughing it that

Still, we felt like we were "away from it all," even if for just a couple of days. There were few people at the lake during the day, and at night we were the only ones there except for the lodgekeeper and his family a few hundred yards away. And that made it quiet and peaceful, except for the rhythmic sound of a nearby pumpjack and the sounds of the tape player we had turned on at

We enjoyed hiking down to the lake — beautiful except for being clogged with algae and moss in places — and looking at the trees, the wildflowers, the open blue sky by day and the myriad of bright stars at night. We didn't see much wildlife, except for groups of wild turkeys, but we did see other traces — deer hooves trailing along the road, paw prints from raccoons, tracks of bird claws in open ground.

But, man, it surely was rough at times. We had to dodge some bees, wasps and yellow jackets. We had to slap away the midges and a few mosquitoes, or step over the red ants and some spiders. Why, we even found a tick on the cabin floor one night!

And food was in scarce supply. We had to make our own sandwiches from cold cuts and roast wieners over the fireplace. And Sunday morning, of all things, we had to drive all the way into Canadian to buy some milk and bakery goods for breakfast! And only cold Dr. Pepper and water to drink. Why, we nearly starved! And when the Sunday evening thunderstorm

struck, we had to stand inside the cabin and watch the dark clouds approaching and view all the lightning coloring the skies. And we just barely had enough dry firewood to keep the fire blazing until 1:30 a.m. And, then, in the morning I had to take a hot shower with concrete flooring at my feet! It was all totally frightening and just plain

comforts of 5 p.m. traffic and late-night motorcyclists and frozen food and home-delivered pizza and glittering computer screens at work! A Motel 6? Forget it. Give me that cabin by the

lake anytime.

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#### **Opinion**

## Citizens must know liberty to defend it

Although there will be touches of American zaniness, this year's bicentennial celebration of the U.S. Constitution will be marked by much less hoopla than attended the bicentennial of the Declaration of Independence. Even the centennial of the Statue of Liberty showered more glitz over the country

Perhaps that's appropriate. The ideas of independence and liberty are exciting and inspiring of themselves, even if we honor them more in theory than in practice. By comparison, a document that established a structure of government — even one designed in part to put flesh and bones on those abstract concepts of liberty and independence — is a tad humdrum.

It would hardly do to declare our 200 years of constitutionalism an unmitigated success.

No doubt even Alexander Hamilton, the most forthright proponent among the founders of a strong central government, would be appalled at the size, scope, intrusiveness, cost, and ambition of the central government our system has permitted. Viewing the Behemoth of the Potomac today, it is almost impossible not to sympathize with the anti-federalists of the 1780s, some of whom viewed the Constitutional Convention as akin to a coup d'etat and the document as an invitation to tyranny, a betrayal of the libertarian spirit of the revolution.

Nonetheless, the American Constitution must be counted a success. It has provided a structure and framework that facilitated the growth of a strip of coastal colonies into a continent-spanning world power. Under its aegis millions of immigrants from around the world have found a place of liberty, hope

and possible dreams.

For all that our government has become, the ageold dream of liberty under law has come as close to fruition here as anywhere on earth. Important elements of the constitutional structure still are recognizable after 200 years. Americans view themselves as citizens rather than helpless victims. They view government as servant rather than master. Although Americans may sometimes slip into attitudes of servility and conformity, they cherish independence and individuality.

The Constitution was not a utopian scheme; it was a practical structure to permit a government to be strong enough to defend itself but not so powerful as to endanger the liberty of citizens. Its text reflects political compromises as often as abstract ideals. Over the years it has been interpreted almost beyond recognition, yet its central ideas retain influence in our political life. It has not provided perfect liberty nor protected us from all the ambitions and misdeeds of our rulers, but it has helped to keep the

idea of freedom and limited government alive. Ultimately, of course, liberty is safeguarded and extended because people recognize its value and defend it intelligently. No piece of paper, however inspired, can protect people who don't understand and cherish their freedom.

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## Gramm-Rudman stretches limi

The essence of federal budget politics is the constant effort to avoid unpalatable choices. Though the deficit is universally declared to be an imminent danger, the goal of legislative action is not to reduce the deficit. The goal is to merely appear to reduce it, which allows Congress and the president to stand foursquare for frugality without antagonizing all the constituents who would be inconvenienced by real budget discipline.

The latest version of the Gramm- Rudman law, whose solemn purpose is to eliminate the deficit over several years, is less a solution than an evasion. It takes deficit limits that are barely constricting and stretches them. Under the original law, the 1989 deficit was to be no more than \$72 billion. The new one charitably raises the figure to \$136 billion. Given the \$10 billion margin of error allowed in the law, the actual 1989 first balanced budget is postponed from 1991 to

Progress on the deficit, which would have been unhurried, now will come at a glacial pace, if at all. Gramm-Rudman II is not so bad, and President Reagan signed the measure this week. Generous, flexible limits are slightly better than none. But it won't make a drastic difference in budget decisions, much less erase the deficit. And it shouldn't be allowed to obscure Washington's failure to reform its ways.

Even apart from the more leisurely schedule, the bill is inferior to the old one. Under Gramm-Rudman I, each year's deficit had to be estimated by the Congressional Budget Office and the Office of Management and Budget, with a more or less independent official (the Comptrol-



the Comptroller General's role violated the constitutional separation of powers.

So Gramm-Rudman II removes him from the process, giving the CBO a voice but the final decision to OMB. The advantage of vesting decisive power with a relatively neutral party was that it limited the discretion of politicians. The deficit is likely to be close to \$146 billion. The new arrangement invites political manipulation of the figures. This exercise may serve the interests of both Congress and the president, neither of whom gains from strict adherence to the law. It isn't reassuring to consider that the estimate is only as good as the motives of people making it.

The final estimate is crucial because it determines whether Gramm-Rudman's automatic spending cuts occur. The prospect of automatic cuts, which under this bill are allocated equally between defense and non-defense programs, is supposed to be so spine-tingling that the budget players will strain to meet the deficit targets on their own.

If scrupulously enforced, the Gramm-Rudman procedure would probably restrain the deficit. When only modest sacrifices are ler General) empowered to resolve any dis-needed, it encourages fiscal responsibility. But agreement. Last year, the Supreme Court said when the law begins to demand large deficit later.

cuts, it will also demand repeal. Raising taxes or cutting spending are painful steps. If they weren't, our elected officials could take them without the threat posed by the automatic cuts.

The appeal of Gramm-Rudman II, like its predecessor, is that it leaves the onerous work for later. It requires \$23 billion in deficit reductions for the fiscal year that begins Oct. 1, instead of the \$36 billion originally planned. Next year an election year — the law calls for only \$8 billion in additional savings. This unimposing work, we are expected to believe, will fortify lawmakers to slash the deficit by \$36 billion in each of the following four years.

This Congress and the president would like to force their successors to make the politically hazardous choices that they will not make themselves. But if the old deficit targets can't be met in the fifth year of an economic expansion, the new ones aren't likely to be met during or after the next recession - which is bound to arrive long before this law has achieved its aim.

The attempt to bind future lawmakers by simply passing a law is largely futile. If the targets prove easy to meet, they may be met. But if they prove hard to meet, Congress will simply repeal or raise them, following the vivid example set in this bill.

In passing Gramm-Rudman II, some members of Congress are genuinely trying to rescue a measure of budget control from the political quicksand in which it has sunk. The others are taking the advice of Mark Twain, who said, "In statesmanship get the formalities right; never mind about the moralities." The law is better than nothing, but it isn't likely to overcome the impulse to treat the deficit in the customary

way — by doing nothing now and doing nothing



## Mouths of babes spew babble

Have you listened closely to the way young people talk today?

There are some drastic differences between the way they talk and the rest of us talk.

If you have children, you certainly will recognize my first example: Many young people today insist upon using the verb "goes" for verbs "remarks," "suggests" and "inlike "says,"

A 16-year-old girl in a discussion regarding what happened at school today

And Poopsie goes, 'I've got tickets to the Nasty Navels' concert, and Tami goes, 'I don't care,' and Poopsie goes, 'You're just mad cause you don't have any,' and Tami goes, 'I've got ballet that night, anyway,' and Poopsie goes, 'Shawn is taking me to the concert,' and Tami goes, 'You'll make a lovely couple, you both wear the same kind of earrings.

I suppose this is derived from usage of the word "went" to indicate an utterance or making a sound, as in "ding-ding-ding went the trolley. Kids never use "went," however, and throw

tense to the wind with their "goes. A 16-year-old girl discussing what happened

several days later at school: "Poopsie goes, 'Shawn and I had a great time at the Nasty Navels' concert, and I go, 'I don't pened several weeks after the Nasty Navels' care,' and Poopsie goes, 'You're just jealous

cause you didn't get to go,' and I go, 'The Nasty Navels and Shawn both make me want to puke,' and Poopsie goes, 'Your mother certainly dresses you funny,' and I go, 'Do your zits glow in the

Lewis

Grizzard

"OK" is another word kids use a lot today, and rific." they primarily use it as professional athletes use the phrase, "you know" - as a stalling tactic while they think of what it is they want to say or open marriages.

There is also the phrase, "I'm like" which, if I have listened correctly, translates roughly as "I reacted thusly, or I was in the following state of mind.

A 16-year-old girl talking about what hap-

"Tami goes, 'Did you hear about Poopsie?'...OK, and I'm like, 'I can't stand it'...OK. and Tami goes, 'She's pregnant'...OK, and I'm like 'I don't believe it'...OK, and then Tami goes, 'I think it was Shawn'...OK, and I'm like 'Give me a break'...OK.

"And Tami goes, 'Her parents are sending her to a home'...OK, and I'm like, 'Ohhhhhh, God!'...Ok, and Tami goes, 'Remember how Poopsie didn't pay attention and always painted her nails in Sex-Ed class?

I'm not saying the way young people talk today is necessarily wrong. Lest we forget, each generation has its own eccentricities when it comes to language. Our parents said things like '23 skidoo'' and used "swell" to mean "ter-

My generation was always "into" disco, yoga,

As it turned out, incidentally, Poopsie wasn't pregnant after all. And Shawn turned out to be gay and is currently a drummer with the Nasty

Both Poopsie and Shawn wear a lot of spandex and are into watching "Geraldo."

## Would founding fathers use tray liners?

By Robert Walters

WASHINGTON (NEA) - "Y'know, Ben, if we wanted to be remembered as truly farsighted Founding Fathers, it's not enough to just put together a Constitution with all those articles and clauses," explained Alexander

"We'll also have to plan for the 200th anniversary of our document and I'm convinced commercial sponsorship is the key to success of the bicentennial."

"I fully agree, Al," replied Benjamin Franklin. "In fact, I was thinking the other day that Nabisco would make a prime corporate underwriter. They could produce Dinah Shore and O.J. Simpson and Don Meredith - all members of Team Nabisco."

"You're right, Ben, but don't stop there," added James Madison. "We could get McDonald's to print 16 million promotional tray liners and General Foods to put constitutional vi-

gnettes on 100 million cereal boxes. "Great idea, Jim," responded George Washington, "but let's not for-

get licensing arrangements. There's big bucks to be made in marketing coffee mugs, T-shirts, Frisbees and other stuff with the official bicenten-

What's going on here? Would the framers of the Constitution have had anything to do with a 200th anniversary celebration dominated by such commercial tie-ins and promotions?

The answer to that question almost certainly is negative - but that hasn't deterred Warren Burger, former chief justice, from shamelessly gathering bicentennial endorsements and financial backing from brokerage houses, banks, oil companies and oth-

er corporations. Burger, who heads the federal government's official bicentennial commission, claims he wants to popularize the work of those who crafted the Constitution - but he has cheapened their legacy with gimmickry such as his now-infamous promotional trip

last year to Disney World. A recent press release from Burger's commission begins, "What do Linda Evans and Magic Johnson have in common?'

For those who can't divine a connection between the actress and the basketball star, the commission offers a clue: "Think of freedom and justice for all."

The answer is that they "and a host of others" have made public service announcements to be played radio to promote the Constitution's 200th anniversary.

That's typical of the mindless blather being produced by a commission that has received more than \$25 million in federal funds during its first two years.

The commission's superficial programs might be tolerable if they were matched by substantive attempts to encourage the public to thoroughly appreciate the Constitution and fully

But they're not. The current issue of the ABA Journal, the American Bar Association's magazine, notes that Burger's commission has numerous marketing, licensing and fund-

exercise the rights it guarantees.

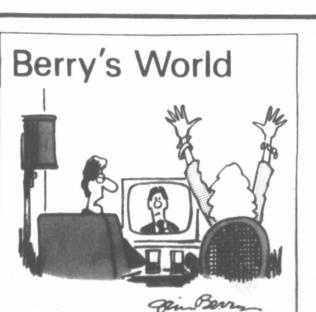
raising specialists on its bloated staff of 125 — but not a single historiam.

Conservative activist Phyllis Schlafly, a member of the commission, notes that "one of our most popular projects is 'Plant a Living Legacy,' which tells people how to plant trees and gardens in honor of the Constitution.

Struggling to explain the connection between horticulture and governance, Schlafly feebly says that it's "consciousness-raising" and "encourages people to think about a great document." Huh?

If that's the good news, here's the bad news; Burger's commission did not go out of business on Sept. 17, the 200th anniversary of the signing of the Constitution. Its charter extends through Dec. 15, 1991, the bicentennial of the ratification of the Bill of Rights.

If the Constitution and Bill of Rights can survive four more years of Burger's inane promotion, they surely are worthy of their reputation as strong, enduring documents.



"Would you mind not cheering every time

something is said about the NFL players still

being on strike."

## **Nation**

## Southern Democrats oppose Bork nomina

WASHINGTON (AP) - Sens. David Pryor, D-Ark., and Terry Sanford, D-N.C., today became the first Southern Democrats to oppose the nomination of Supreme Court nominee Robert H. Bork

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Both Bork supporters and opponents had hoped to gain the backing of Sanford and Pryor, who have been on the undecided list until now

The Pryor and Sanford announcements followed four other announcements by Senate Democrats this week of opposition to Bork. But those four senator3 had been assumed to be in the anti-Bork camp prior to their announce-

Pryor, in a floor speech, said Bork does not have the judicial temperament

to serve on the Supreme Court. 'This nomination has polarized America. ... This is the most divisive nominee to have his name before the Senate in modern times. We don't need someone to divide us, we nedd someone to bring us together," Pryor said.

"A shroud of uncertainty permeates his thinking." he said, and confirmation would be "a voyage into the unknown. 'He remains an unknown man with

Sanford said Bork is willing to bend his consitutional philosophy of judicial restraint when it suits him.

unknown beliefs," Pryor said.

Bork has upheld the president's authority every time the executive branch and the Congress were in conflict on such issues as war powers and the special prosecutor law, Sanford said.

The North Carolina senator also said Bork had reversed positions on civil rights, and abandoned restraint on anti-

"He may or may not have been right, but he is not consistent," Sanford said. Earlier this week, Sens. Paul Simon, D-Ill., Alan Cranston, D-Calif., Patrick

Leahy, D-Vt., and Bill Bradley, D-N.J., announced that they would vote against Bork's confirmation.

Meanwhile, Senate Majority Leader Robert Byrd said today he may bring the nomination to the floor prior to the Nov. 1 date he mentioned earlier.

Byrd. D-W.Va., said that a number of his colleagues were pushing for an earlier date. However, once on the Senate floor, the nomination is expected to generate an extensive debate and and possibly even a filibuster.

A 12-state poll in today's Atlanta Journal and Atlanta Constitution indicated that most Southerners oppose opposed while 31 percent supported the nominee. The rest were undecided.

The Roper Organization conducted the poll for the newspapers, surveying 6,452 people Sept. 18-28. Results had a margin of error of 2 percentage points. In related developments:

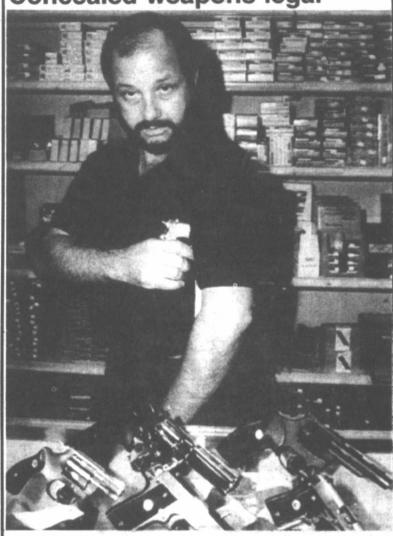
Bork's confirmation hearings ended with a whimper, as most reporters had already abandoned coverage of the repetitive testimony to concentrate on the Judiciary Committee's vote next Tuesday and head-counts on the Senate floor. The hearings consumed 12 working days, and senators heard more than 100 hours of testimony from some 120

It was still unclear whether the committee would approve the nomination without a recommendation or a negative one. There is virtually no chance that the 8-6 Democratic panel will give Bork its usual favorable recommendation.

Bork supporter Alan K. Simpson, R-Wyo., the Senate GOP whip, said, "We're four up with about 20 to two dozen undecided." He said Democratic whip Alan Cranston, D-Calif., "might have cooked his numbers a bit" when he announced a count showing 49 likely votes against Bork, 40 likely in favor

and 11 undecided. Reagan also weighed in, commenting, "Well, Senator Cranston's been wrong before." White House chief of staff Howard H. Baker Jr., a former Senate majority leader, acknowledged that the administration can count only 40 votes for Bork, but said there are only 30 sure votes in opposition and about 30

#### Concealed weapons legal



Russ Russell, operations manager of a Miami, Fla., gun shop, shows how a .45 caliber pistol can be concealed beneath an arm. Beginning today it is legal in Florida to carry a concealed weapon. Some 60,000 residents are expected to apply for the new streamlined state gun permits.

## Sessions in hospital, swearing-in postponed

WASHINGTON (AP) - The FBI today postponed indefinitely the swearing-in of William S. Sessions as its new director after he became sick and fainted on a flight to Washington. But his wife said he appeared to be "just fine" after a night in the hospital.

Alice Sessions, asked as she she entered George Washington University Hospital about her husband's condition, told the AP:

"I think he's just fine this morning. He was very tired and had some air sickness last night" on a flight from Texas.

Neither the White House nor the FBI would discuss Sessions' illness, expect to say that it was not considered life-threatening.

Attorney General Edwin Meese III, asked earlier at the hospital what was wrong with

Sessions, said: "We don't know yet, for sure. They're doing some tests to find out.

Syndicated columnist and television commentator John McLaughlin, riding in the first class cabin of Delta flight 462 with Sessions, said the 57-year-old federal judge had gotten up to go to the bathroom, but became sick and fainted in the aisle.

Several FBI agents and a physician summoned over the plane's public address system attended to Sessions, who came to several minutes later. McLauglin said. He said the

physician, whom he would not identify, had Sessions lie on the floor for 45 minutes as a precau-

"The physician diagnosed his condition as air sickness after all was said and done," McLaughlin said, adding that Sessions then took his seat and slept until 15 minutes or so before the flight

"I spoke to him. It was clear he knew exactly what he was saying. ... He was in full possession of his faculties," although he was still quite pale, the columnist

McLaughlin said the judge's wife said Sessions, told only two days ago that he would be sworn in today, had been trying to get things organized and had had only one meal on Wednesday.

On Tuesday, Sessions told a reporter he had expected two weeks' notice before the ceremony. "It was a shock," he said of the call from Meese.

A reporter for the San Antonio Express-News who saw Sessions at his office Wednesday said the judge appeared "very, very

The reporter, Jacque Crouse, said Sessions appeared to be having trouble breathing, as if he were suffering from the flu or ex-

periencing an allergy attack. Sessions' condition "is not lifethreatening," said Deputy White House Press Secretary Leslye

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NEWARK, N.J. (AP) - A businessman claiming to represent high-ranking Chinese diplomats illegally tried to export TOW and Sidewinder missiles and blueprints for F-14 fighters to China, federal officials charge.

The disclosure came during a detention hearing Wednesday for Chang-Yao Chi, 65, who was arrested Sunday in a "sting" operation by U.S. Customs agents in Newark and charged with conspiracy to illegally export

Chi, a Chinese businessman living in New York City, has links to "high-ranking members of the United Nations (Chinese) delegation and the People's Republic of China,' says Assistant U.S. Attorney Mark S. Olinsky.

Chi indicated to a government informant

that the buyers of the missiles would be "individuals associated with the Chinese mission to the United Nations," according to a complaint filed in federal court here.

According to the complaint, the negotiations were with a government undercover agent, and no missiles or plans changed

Olinsky refused to name the diplomats or comment further on the investigation. Officials at the Chinese mission to the Un-

ited Nations had no comment. U.S. Magistrate Stanley R. Chesler ordered Chi held without bail in New York City, saying he might flee because of his diplomatic and government contacts.

Chi's attorney, Alan Zegas, said Chi was an "unwilling participant in this sting" and

"maintains that he has done nothing wrong." The twin-seat F-14, which can fly at twice the speed of sound, is the Navy's primary fighter jet and has never been sold to China.

A Sidewinder is a short-range, air-to-air dogfighting missile with an infrared guidance system. It can be used on most U.S.

The TOW, an Army weapon normally fired from a personnel carrier, jeep or tripod, is the most powerful anti-tank missile used by the infantry. It can also be mounted on Army Cobra helicopters.

The complaint said Chang asked about prices, and the informant gave a false name of a supplier, actually another undercover agent, to attest to the reliability of the mis-

#### to loss of gene lung cancer

NEW YORK (AP) — A form of lung cancer that afflicts up to 40,000 people a year may appear after lung cells lose natural protection from a gene, scientists reported today.

The gene may normally control growth and development of the cell, and its loss, perhaps caused by smoking, may start a cell on the road to "small-cell" lung cancer, one resear-

The report comes a month after a study found evidence for a similar gene in colonrectum cancer, the nation's second most common serious malignancy, after lung cancer. Several other cancers also have been linked to so-called suppressor genes or anti-

If the new gene can be isolated, it might

lead to new therapies for small-cell lung cancer, which strikes 30,000 to 40,000 people annually, said researcher John Minna.

The gene also may play a role in other types of lung cancer, and in cancers of the skin and kidney, said Minna, chief of the NCI-Navy Medical Oncology Branch of the National Cancer Institute, and professor of medicine at the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences in Bethesda, Md.

Small-cell lung cancer accounts for 20 percent to 25 percent of the nation's 150,000 annual lung cancer cases and about a quarter of its 136,000 annual lung cancer deaths, the cancer institute says.

The findings are published in the British journal Nature by Minna, Susan Naylor of the

University of Texas Health Science Center in San Antonio, and their colleagues.

The study provides "much stronger evidence" for the gene's existence than previous research did, said Stephen Friend, visiting scientist at the Whitehead Institute for Biomedical Research in Cambridge, Mass.

When the gene is missing, cells may reproduce without normal regulation, setting them up for further genetic damage that finally produces cancer, Minna said in a telephone

A normal cell gets two copies of genes by inheriting 23 pairs of chemical threads called chromosomes, on which genes reside. Both copies of a suppressor gene must be lost or damaged to begin the road to cancer.

#### Wedtech vet says pressure on **Meese** won company contracts

mer Wedtech Corp. executive says he believes "the pressure and influence we brought to tion, and on Edwin Meese III in particular, helped the scandalplagued company win \$135 mil-

lion in Navy contracts. Mario Moreno, the company's former executive vice president, said in an affidavit that when Wedtech was in jeopardy of obtaining only a small portion of the Navy pontoon-building contracts in December 1983, longtime Meese friend E. Robert Wal-

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> "Later, Mr. Wallach indicated to me that 'his friend' had communicated with Mr. Weinberger," Moreno's affidavit said.

> Within weeks of Moreno's conversations with Wallach, the Navy official in charge of shipbuilding, Everett Pyatt, reversed himself and placed the entire Navy pontoon program under a **Small Business Administration** program for minority-owned businesses

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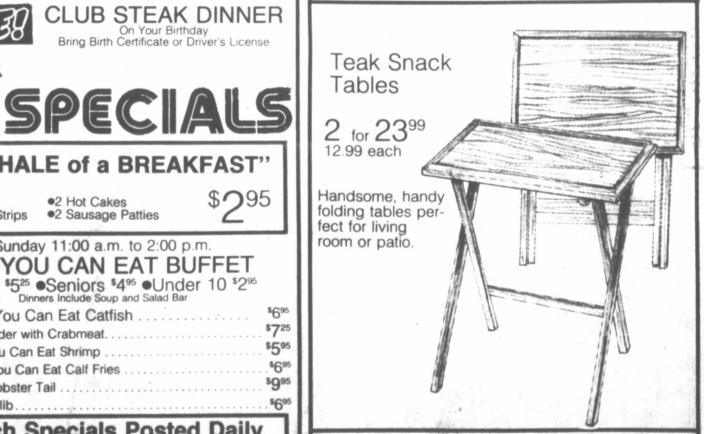
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## Prominent hotel, unfinished, may get money to open

MEXICO CITY (AP) — The Hotel de Mexico, a soaring skyscraper that has stood unfinished for nearly two decades, may get an infusion of American help to turn it into a prominent tourism center.

Its owner, eccentric businessman Manuel Suarez y Suarez, died last July at the age of 91 without seeing the 54story hotel completed.

Now, his son, Alfredo Suarez, says the family is negotiating with Hyatt Hotels Corp. for a \$30 million loan to finish the landmark structure that towers in the capital's skyline.

"Our commitment," Suarez told the independent weekly magazine Proceso, "is to get it going. That was the dream of Don Manuel." Don is the Spanish title of respect.

"Symbol of the managerial adventure and obsession of Don Manuel, this building, together with the Polyforum (an adjacent cultural center), was for him a matter not only of personal pride but also for Mexico, something 'unique in the world," Proceso commented. Suarez did not return telephone calls

the country.'

for comment.

original architect, said the project "conceived for the pride of Mexico (became) a national shame, ... an economic tragedy for the city, for the family, for

Guillermo Rossell de la Lama, the

Even so, he told the magazine the project could be still completed. "It is indispensable and possible to rescue it," he said.

Construction work on the hotel began in 1966 and, under the original plan, was to be completed in 1968. But Suarez y

Suarez did not have sufficient cash to meet that date.

As the work dragged on, Suarez y Suarez was reportedly offered help from the Mexican government, international firms and even the late billionaire Howard Hughes to finish the ambitious project. He complained the companies wanted too much control over the project and the government wanted to charge an exorbitant interest rate for credit.

He wanted to use his own money to complete, however slowly, the hotel.

Suarez, one of Suarez y Suarez' 20 children, told the magazine that his father finally agreed to negotiate with Hyatt eight months before his death.

Donna Simmons at Hyatt Hotels' headquarters in Chicago declined to confirm the company is negotiating with the Suarez family. She said Hyatt has for some time wanted a hotel in Mexio City, and "negotiations are always ongoing" regarding that.

The chain has seven hotels in Mexico, but none in the capital.

#### **Revokes constitution**



Col. Sitiveni Rabuka, with cane in hand, walks past Major Hefferman, right, after announcing at a news conference that he had revoked Fiji's constitution in Suva Thursday.

#### during visit Bush falls into familiar routine

lear weapons.

PARIS (AP) — Vice President George Bush steps off the airplane and is greeted by the U.S. ambassador and a foreign official.

There may be music and troops to review, but Bush swiftly moves to his limousine and sets off for a meeting.

If the official at the meeting is the head of the government, Bush presents a letter from President Reagan.

An hour or so later, he meets with another official. Then perhaps another. Each time, television crews, photographers and reporters are permitted in the room briefly to record the unannounced presidential candidate meeting privately with a foreign leader.

But opportunities to ask questions come less frequently.

The name of the country may vary, but the routine rarely does as Bush hopscotches through Europe on a mission of consultation with Western allied leaders on the prospective treaty with the Soviet Union to ban intermediate-range nuclear weapons.

And less than 24 hours after he arrives, Bush departs for the next country

This is how the vice president is touring Western Europe on the final days of a nineday trip. Since departing Poland late Tuesday night, he has been to West Germany and France.

The routine held up today, when Bush met for an hour with French President Francois Mitterand.

Afterwards, Bush said that he did not re-

gard France's independent nuclear weapons as a "bargaining chip" in arms control talks with the Soviet Union.

Bush spent Wednesday night in talks and dinner with French Prime Minister Jacques

Chirac told reporters he "expressed satisfaction at the progress that has been

achieved" on arms control. He said he felt reassured to hear Bush say the United States would never attempt to negotiate with the Soviets over French nuc-

He added that he hoped the United States and Soviet Union would now begin negotiating other issues, including the Soviet bloc superiority in conventional forces in Europe and the possible ban of chemical weapons.

Bush said that in his discussions with Chirac he found "very few differences, none of any magnitude when it comes to arms con-

Earlier, in West Germany, Bush reassured Chancellor Helmut Kohl that the United States does not intend to desert its Western European allies to pursue arms control negotiations with the Soviet Union.

"There is no danger, in my opinion, that the United States would use any arms control agreement or anything whatsoever to decouple, to move away from our commitment to NATO, to the alliance and certainly to the strength of" the relations between the United States and West Germany, Bush said.

The vice president said that in his talks with German leaders and opposition politicians, he found "tremendous, and I'd say unified, support" for the prospective agreement to ban intermediate-range nuclear weapons.

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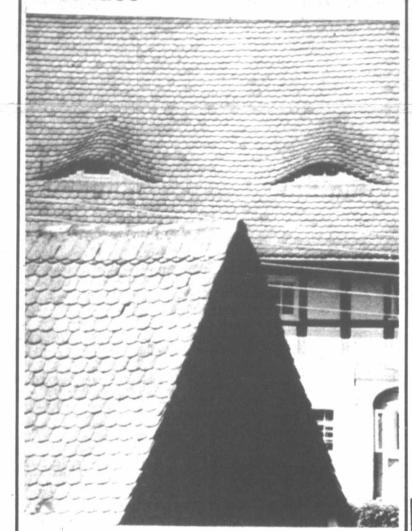
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A photographer taking pictures of unusual house roofs in

various towns in East Germany found a location in Waltersdorf that caught his eye.

## New jail has cracks

ANGLETON (AP) — The Brazoria County Jail, opened two years ago and supposed to last 40 years, is falling apart and county officials are upset

"It's too early in the life of that building to deteriorate," County Judge John Damon said Monday. Floors in the jail are buckling

and peeling, walls have moved and are cracked.

Ken Mauck, with Joe Brooks and Associates, the Houston

architectural firm that designed the jail, blamed the problems on unusually extensive settling.

"The walls are in good shape, but we're getting a lot of movement," he said, adding that the building is structurally safe.

County officials say architects may have failed to take into consideration that the \$5.4 million jail, capable of handling 255 inmates, was built on land that once was a rice paddy



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## Collector has house full of butt

By MARK MEDLIN The Daily Astorian

ELSIE, Ore. (AP) - Elmer Griepentrog has a thing for butterflies and moths. And beetles. And birds.

But mostly butterflies and moths. He collects them. He's been at it since the

early 1920s, when a boyhood hobby began turning into an avocation. His collection shows it.

So do the collections of Oregon State University, the Oregon Museum of Science and Industry, the Smithsonian Institution and facilities as far away as the University of Egypt in Cairo.

Griepentrog has donated to all of them, including a recent 5,000-specimen gift to the Oregon Museum of Science and Industry and another to Oregon State.

A cramped basement room in Griepentrog's home near the Nehalem River in the northwest tip of Oregon holds 15 wood cabinets containing 20,000 species of butterflies and moths and 2,500 species of beetles. He's been gathering for more than 40 years.

Stuffed birds lie in boxes and on file cabinets - Griepentrog is a taxidermist too. But the only bird hunting he does these days is with a camera.

Nearby is the green mesh net Griepentrog uses to catch butterflies and the Indian pith helmet he wears on outings. Dozens of zoology books line shelves and cabinets. Griepentrog uses the books to identify unfamiliar specimens.

But the specimens themselves take up

most of the room. The insects are neatly arranged in 3-inch-high drawers, categorized by their scientific names. A pin through the back holds each in place.

One drawer holds nothing but black moths with brightly colored spots. Another contains swallowtail butterflies, with earlobe-looking appendages at the bottoms of their multicolored wings.

Then there are the beetles, adorned in nearly as many colors - from shimmering green to brick red to black — as butterflies. "I like the beetles pretty well because there's so many different shapes," he says.

The insects come from as close to home as Oregon's Saddle Mountain and from as far away as Australia and South America. Griepentrog has collected in the western and southern United States and, as a Navy Seabee during World War II, in the South Pacific.

Australian butterflies as big as Griepentrog's hand came from another collector through an exchange. So did the black-andwhite, 4-inch-long African goliath beetles.

'The native kids put harnesses on them to pull their toy carts around," Griepentrog says of the goliath, one of the world's largest

The years of collecting haven't dampened Griepentrog's enthusiasm. The 79-year-old retired home builder spends about four hours a day on his avocation.

Griepentrog's work hasn't gone unnoticed. He says he is listed in Men of Science and about six other biographical collections, and belongs to the American Entomological Society

Some institutions, such as the University of Egypt, contact Griepentrog and send him on expeditions. The specimens he collects then

go to that facility. Griepentrog gets more than satisfaction and distinction out of his avocation, though He sells some shadow boxes, with insects and plants arranged in natural-looking settings, and gets tax credits for his donations.

The hobby pays for trips around the region to collect more beetles, butterflies and

But most of Griepentrog's collecting takes place close to home, where he gathers about 40 specimens a day. Compared with other spots in Oregon, Clatsop County isn't a bad place to find butterflies, moths and beetles,

Griepentrog says. The county is home to at least two endangered species of butterfly, according to Griepentrog. One is the Oregon silverspot, whose presence changed plans for a luxury

subdivision. The other is the speyeria hip polyta, an inch-long, orange butterfly with dark-brown markings. Griepentrog has a hip polyta, given to him by "another guy who collected it

accidentally," he says. There's no trick to finding interesting butterflies and moths, Griepentrog says. Many are attracted to light, such as the black light Griepentrog uses. Some drink from flowers, especially thistles and "straw flowers" found alongside highways

But the hobby takes patience, and you have to know what you're looking for. "You have to train your eye," he says.



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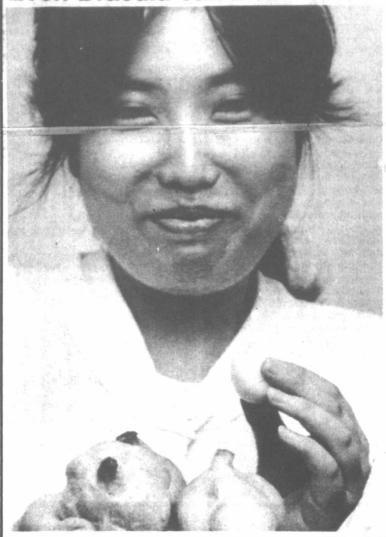
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## Stored oil could drown panic and fears

EDITOR'S NOTE — For the past 10 years the United States has been stockpiling millions of gallons of oil in underground storage along the Gulf Coast. If the order ever comes to flood the market with oil - to drown panic and fears of idle factories and gasoline lines resulting from a new Arab oil embargo - the Strategic Petroleum Reserve would come into play.

By GUY DARST **Associated Press Writer** 

CHOCTAW BAYOU, La. (AP) - It looks like a gravel parking lot built in the middle of a swamp. Only a little complex of pipes in the corner hints at its purpose: to protect America from ever again falling victim to an oil embargo.

Underground is oil — millions and millions of barrels of oil here and elsewhere. Enough oil to equal 90 days worth of imports if there were a total cutoff of foreign oil, which accounts for more than one-third of all the oil America uses.

Ten years ago, in response to the 1973 Arab oil embargo, the United States started to protect itself from another oil shock by stockpiling petroleum for emergency use.

Congress in 1975 authorized a one-billion barrel cushion. Later it decided that was too ambitious, so it cut the Strategic Petroleum Reserve to 750 million barrels.

So far, more than 530 million barrels have been put away, at a cost of \$15 billion, in the vast underground salt domes along the Texas and Louisiana coast. Some of the storage caverns extend a mile beneath the surface of

If the word ever comes to flood the market with oil — to drown panic and fears of idle factories and gasoline lines resulting from a new embargo — the Strategic Petroleum Reserve would come into play, making its awesome existence felt wherever oil is used or Someone like Alberta Thomas might be the

person controlling the floodgates. She would type commands into a computer modest brick office building in St. James, 37 miles from Bayou Choctaw. That would open the valves to start the flow

console in an always-locked control room in a

Ms. Thomas, an oil industry veteran, works for Boeing Petroleum Services, a subsidiary of the aerospace firm and operator of the Strategic Petroleum Reserve under contract with the Energy Department.

She works at the government-owned St. James Terminal, connected to three major pipelines and its own two tanker berths on the Mississippi River in the sugar cane fields halfway between New Orleans and Baton

The terminal, which can store 2 million barrels in six large white above-ground tanks, is also connected to Bayou Choctaw and another nearby underground salt dome where some of the oil is kept. Four other storage sites serve other pipelines and two private tanker terminals.

All told, the three terminals could dispatch 3 million barrels a day, roughly half the current rate of imports. If the reserve could displace imports entirely, it would last almost three months; at the maximum pumping rate, it would last almost six months.

The dispatch capacity is being raised gradually to 4.5 million barrels a day and the reserve is to reach the goal of holding 750 million barrels by the middle of the 1990s.

'I'm hoping we don't have to do it," Ms. Thomas tells a visitor to the control room. But if the word should come down, "I think it'll be a star for us."

Operations manager Scott Landry, speaking in a Cajun accent, says the importance of the reserve is underscored by recent events in the Persian Gulf — the U.S. decision to escort reflagged Kuwaiti tankers and the threat of Iranian mines.

Many Americans are unaware of the existence of the reserve. Only three reporters have visited the site since May 1986. Frank Lemoine, site manager at St. James, says neighbors "haven't been paying any more attention.

The senior Energy Department repre-

sentative at the New Orleans headquarters. project manager John Wagoner, says he isn't even getting much attention from Washington.

Though there's never been a security threat, the commercial guard service presents constant reminders. Briefcases must be opened. Visitors must be escorted. Guards do their best to look intimidating, with .357caliber Magnums prominently strapped low on their thighs.

After the 1983 truck bombing of the U.S. Marine compound in Lebanon, all sites were provided with what the staff calls "Jersey bounces," concrete dividers that force traffic to slow in a slalom pattern at the gate.

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The oil is safe, engineers believe - safe from terrorists, safe from natural disasters. Except for one former salt mine, it's in gigantic cylindrical caverns which engineers have leached from the rock-hard salt formations by water injection, starting about 3,000 feet below the surface and extending to 5,000

Using technology familiar in the industry for decades, the engineers pump water into the dome and pump it out again as brine. leaving behind a cylindrical cavity big enough to hold 10 million barrels. There are several cavities to each site.

Choctaw Bayou site manager Ronald Chase says if a saboteur wrecked the pipes, the cavern would lose only 30,000 to 50,000 barrels of oil before cavern pressure would fall to zero and the flow would stop. Dikes around the gravel pad would catch the spill.

Fire could be a greater danger. The reserve buys only high-quality crude, and it will burn readily. New foam systems are being installed at the St. James tanks.

As for matters of strategy concerning the Strategic Petroleum Reserve, the original idea — to save the oil as a last resort — has been abandoned. In 1982, the Reagan administration decided that it would sell oil from the reserve early in a crisis to prevent a panicky rush by private consumers to hoard

## Electronic cross-breed yields talented multi-guitar

By ALAN NELSON **Waco Tribune Herald** 

WACO (AP) - If business stories could be set to music, the story of Bob Murrell would be a ballad played on the guitorgan.

The guitorgan? The guitorgan — a guitar that plays organ music.

Murrell, 62, invented the guitorgan in the 1960s, and a business based on his idea was laun-

That business eventually evolved into a company that has no connection with Murrell's instrument, or even music.

Murrell left the business three years ago and began to tinker in his workshop again.

About a year ago, he put his new product on the market — a guitar that plays computergenerated sounds ranging from whistles to, of course, organ tones. He said he doesn't plan to start a company again.

Murrell had a lifelong interest in both electronics and music in the 1960s when, after almost 15 vears with Brazos Electric Co-op, he decided to start his own com-

In 1966, after four years of effort, he received his patent for the guitorgan.

His friends thought he would get rich overnight. Murrell was more pessimistic. The guitorgan is a guitar that plays with the tones of an organ tone generator. He accomplished that feat by building the circuits of an electronic keyboard into a standard electric guitar.

Murrell formed Murrell Electronics and in 1970, with a group of investors backing him, Murrell began Musiconics.

But the instrument never reached the mass market Murrell had hoped and it became a specialty instrument.

Advertisement "Just couldn't communicate that the guitar really played organ tones," Murrell said. "It's a tough idea to communicate. If they come in and try it out, they would say, 'Oh, it sounds just like an organ.'

About 3,000 guitorgans were produced and Musiconics moved into others areas, including steel guitars and medical instruments. The company's name was changed to MCI.

Helena Laboratories of Beaumont bought MCI in 1977. It operated MCI separately until 1985, when the two merged and the name became Helena Laboratories of Waco. Helena now has more than 450 employees in Waco and Beaumont.

Murrell left the company in 1984, and started work on a new product in his home. His current version, the Musiconics MIDI guitar Controller, took about two years to develop. MIDI is an acronym for Music Instrument Digital Interface, the computer language that allows instruments and computers to communicate with each other.

The main component for his instrument is a circuit board that takes about two hours to build. It is inserted inside the body of the guitar

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## **AIDS** awareness: From an obscure affliction to 'Public Health Enemy No. 1'

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In the six years since Americans first heard of a mysterious immunity-robbing disease from which no one recovers, AIDS has killed nearly 25,000 Americans, millions of dollars have poured into medical research, and President Reagan has proclaimed the plague "Public Health Enemy

Not to know about AIDS and how it spreads, an American "would have had to be on the moon, a desert island or in solitary confinement," Health and **Human Services Secretary Otis** R. Bowen has said.

Yet with all this knowledge of the once-obscure disease, misunderstanding persists about AIDS. Witness a recent debate in handmade signs.

'Kill him, kill him, kill him!" demanded one, mounted in the window of a car passing the home of a 12-year-old Tennessee hemophiliac who canceled plans to go to school because of protests.

A banner held by weeping fellow students empathized with the AIDS-infected boy. "He's a human," it said simply, "not a rabid

Although there is no evidence the deadly AIDS virus is passed on through everyday contact, fear has spread faster than the disease, and the spectacle of school boycotts and threats has become as familiar as the scared stares of the dying in the decade

'This is not a 'them' and 'us' thing. This is truly an 'us' thing," Bowen said this summer at an international AIDS conference. "How well we carry it off as scientists and as human beings I think will say a lot about our fu-

The future of acquired immune deficiency syndrome looks grim, even though testing is under way on a number of treatments.

Among the few certainties about the AIDS tragedy is that it will have an extended run on the public stage, partly because of the celebrities it has claimed, including Rock Hudson and Liberace. partly because of the prominence of those trying to help victims, including Mother Teresa and Elizabeth Taylor.

## Fire chief cites power of powder

FORT WAYNE, Ind. (AP) The fire chief in this city prefers powder to water for putting out fires

Chief Ronald Brown, who has been a firefighter for 16 years and head of the local department for three years, says not only is powder cheaper than water, but it also has "five times the extinguishing power of water and does far less damage than water.'

After a fire is out, the powder which is the same chemical used in home, office and factory fire extinguishers — can be vacuumed away, he adds.

The department responds to some 7,300 calls a year, 68 percent of which are fire calls. The rest are mostly medical emergencies. About 95 percent of the fire calls are either false alarms or fires that can be put out with the fire truck, of whatever type that responds to the alarm.

This leaves 245 "working fires" that must actively be fought by the city's 230 firefighters and appropriate apparatus. The 40year-old fire chief "guarantees" that in his city 99 percent of the fires can be dealt with by powder.

"The powder is cheaper than water for a number of reasons,' Brown says. "First, the powder trucks cost \$65,000 each as compared to \$165,000 for a classs A water pumper. In addition, the powder costs only 61 cents or less per pound and you only need 20 pounds or less to fight most fires.

The chief admits that "powder won't put out all fires, but neither will water." Powder is effective mainly against fires in buildings no higher than two stories and it must be applied directly to the flames, he says.

The powder trucks can pump powder, water and foam through a dual nozzle system. The smaller powder hose can be handled by two firefighters. A water hose usually requires three men and can be whipped out of their hands by the force of the water, Brown

points out. Besides two "powder" trucks, the department is equipped with three mini water pumpers and 11 Class A water pumpers. The larger water-pumping trucks are not needed 95 percent of the time,

Another reason, of course, is taken by Rock Hudson that can the epidemic's huge scale.

Since AIDS first became apparent in the spring of 1981, as many as 10 million people worldwide may have been infected with the

Up to 1.5 million of them are in the United States, according to the federal Centers for Disease Control. As of Sept. 21, AIDS had killed 24,245 people — and the CDC estimates 179,000 Americans will be dead by the end of

By then, the World Health Organization predicts, as many as 100 million people could be carrying the virus, which has spread to more than 100 nations.

There is no known cure, and yet Bowen and others cite progress toward understanding the plague.

Researchers know it cripples the body's disease-resisting immune system, and that the virus is picked up from an infected person's blood, semen or possibly vaginal secretions. It is most often spread through

sex and the sharing of intravenous needles, or from infected women to their offspring at birth

Male homosexuals make up 70 percent of U.S. victims, intravenous drug abusers 25 percent. Only 4 percent of U.S. AIDS cases are blamed on heterosexual contact, but heterosexual transmission is thought to be much more common in Africa.

What is being done to address the epidemic? Starting even before 1982, when

the National Cancer Institute allocated \$2.2 million for research on the disorder, scientists have been working to learn AIDS' fatal secrets. The Reagan administration's proposed budget for fighting AIDS in the 1988 fiscal year is \$790 million.

Several drugs are being tested to determine whether they help slow the disease's effects. The best known is AZT, or azidothymidine, which has been reported to extend the lives of some patients.

Others, according to the cancer institute, include ribavirin, which blocks some activity of the AIDS virus but has serious side effects in some patients; HPA-23, a drug developed in France and

have transient effects on the virus; interleukin-2, a protein made by white blood cells; and suramin, which may be useful in combination with other drugs. Also being tested are phosphonoformate, dideoxycytidine, and alpha and gamma interferon.

There's less optimism about an AIDS vaccine, which could keep people infected with the virus from getting the disease.

Noting that the AIDS virus seems to mutate readily, U.S. Surgeon General Everett Koop said earlier this month, "Virologists are very discouraged about the ability to produce a vaccine in the foreseeable future, and, indeed, many think we may never have a vaccine.'

Among those working on an AIDS vaccine is Dr. Jonas Salk, who developed the polio vaccine, and his could be ready for human tests in early 1988.

"All the vaccines and medications in the world won't change one basic truth — that prevention is better than cure," Reagan said in a speech declaring AIDS "Public Health Enemy No. 1.'

He has appointed an advisory AIDS Commission, which has questioned the intensity of federal efforts to fight the disease but which has itself been wracked by division in its short existence.

Reagan has also called for education programs to slow the virus' spread. That teaching, for which his administration wants more than \$150 million next year, 'cannot be what some call 'value-neutral,' '' Reagan insisted. "After all, when it comes to preventing AIDS, don't medicine and morality teach the same

He said AIDS instruction in schools should include teaching sexual abstinence. A federal booklet on AIDS restates the traditionalist advice: "Saying no to sex and drugs can virtually eliminate the risk of AIDS.'

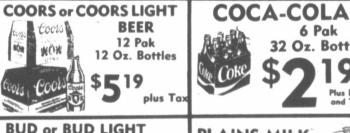
Still, in schoolroom discussions and news reports, the AIDS epidemic has forced a new frankness. News stories often contain details of sexual practices that would not have seen print in earlier times but which media observers agree are necessary to understanding AIDS.



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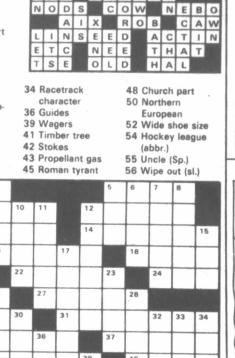
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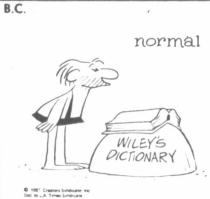
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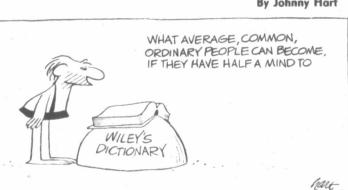






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CANCER (June 21-July 22) A change that will be instituted by outside influ-

ences and conditions will work out to your ultimate benefit, even though you might not feel too sure. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Companions may have suggestions for today's activities that oppose your plans. However, all will work out well if you let the majority rule.
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Your ambitions will be easily aroused today, especially if there are material rewards at stake. Let your desires for gain provide the motivation.

Astro-Graph

by bernice bede osol

In the year ahead you will have more oc-casions to travel for both business and pleasurable purposes. Everything should work out well for you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) A delicate arrangement will have to be managed

with a firm hand today. However, every-one involved will appreciate the fact that the way you're doing it is for their

good. Trying to patch up a broken ro-mance? The Matchmaker set can help you understand what it might take to re-

store the relationship. Mail \$2 to Match-

maker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) It looks like

you are going to be in for a pleasant sur-

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AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) A project

that is of personal importance to you is

also of value to others. It can be suc-

cessful if you start lining up their sup-

port today.
PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Conditions

are extremely promising today. Start

looking at opportunities where you can

tie in your talents and know-how to a successful operation.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) A valued

friend of yours may require moral sup-

port from you today. Speak up on this

person's behalf in front of others so that

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TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Assertive-

ness and determination will pay off to-

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GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You should

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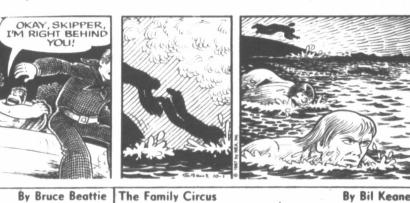


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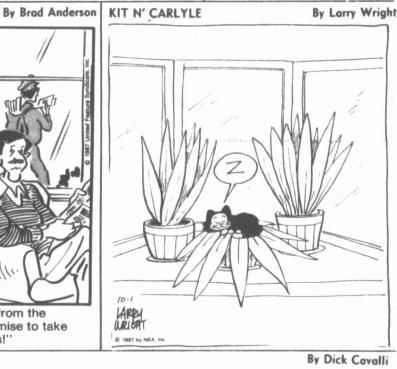
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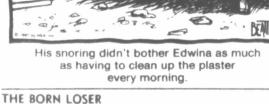
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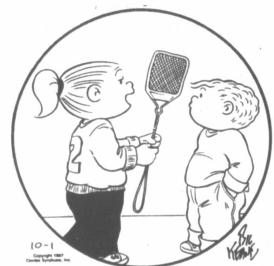






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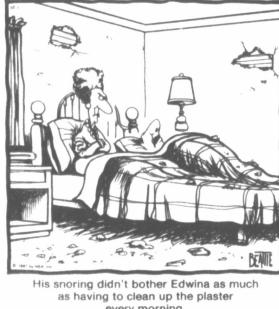


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By Art Sansom







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## Lifestyles

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Long, lean and leggy. That's the fashion trend as skirt lengths creep upward.

Thanks to the renewed popularity of the mini - its first strong revival since the early 1970s women have been dressing short and sassy, from Seventh Avenue to Main Street, USA.

Like it or not, short skirts are back to stay — at least for a while. For fall, major designers on both sides of the Atlantic have stepped up the leggy look with cocktail dresses, suits and simple little wool skirts. Yves Saint Laurent, Calvin Klein, Donna Karan and many others have raised hemlines from a conservative 2 inches above the knee to a gutsy 8 or 10 inches

Previews of spring lines reveal the same fascination with peekaboo leg lengths. Why all the hoopla? Because, in a word, it looks

Women who believe they must now discard every skirt in their closets and fret anew at their figures may be protesting too much. While many skirts are being shown (and some bought) at 18-inch lengths, most that are shipped to stores are a respectable 23 to 25 inches.

Short skirts — not necessarily minis - are de rigueur.

Whatever length you arrive at, knees are definitely showing this fall. Women need to pay careful attention to shoes and hosiery to pull off a successful look

"I think that when you're dealing with a short skirt, dressing the leg is just as important as dressing the body," says Cathy



Black is the leading hosiery color for fall. These Hanes Diamond Arrow hose (about \$6) with mock black seam are a flirty evening accompaniment to a short skirt.

Volker, vice president of mer-

chandising for Hanes Hosiery. Volker has several suggestions for choosing appropriate hosiery to complement the new shorter

Remember that opaque hosiery is the rage for daytime, and sheer is recommended for late-day and evening looks. In both cases, black is the numberone seller in the stores now, with brown a close second.

'It takes time for a woman's eve to become comfortable with seeing shorter skirts again," Volker observes, "and the easiest transition into short skirts is a ners are fairly well divided between flats and heels.

'The designers, in the main. have made a statement that higher heels are the correct proportion for short skirts," states Eli Footer, marketing director of footwear for both Anne Klein and Yves Saint Laurent. "But other designers, like Saint Laurent, feel that flat and low heels are correct proportion.'

As with skirt lengths, here a woman's personal preference should be her guideline. While black is the number-one selling color for any height, Footer says that "the greatest demand and the shortest supply" is for black suede pumps with three-inch or slightly higher heels.

Over-the-knee boots are another hot alternative to wear with short skirts, because they create an uninterrupted visual line from hem to foot. Extra-high boots were strongly suggested by Klein's and Karan's daytime fashions. These extra-long suede leg coverings can run to around \$450 at Anne Klein and \$795 at Calvin Klein; Maude Frizon's waisthigh napa leather boots are about

"We think that over-the-knee boots appeal to an attitude, not an age." says Phyllis Johnson, director of trend mechandising for Dayton Hudson's 34 department stores.

"Any woman who is selfconfident and has a sense of adventure can carry short skirts and over-the-knee boots. The look is new and fun to wear. And, hopefully, that's what our business is all about."





A model wears a simple cashmere dress and wrap-around coat secured by an antique pin during the Ralph Lauren fall-winter show in New York.

## Hire prevention makes sense every season of the year

**DEAR READERS:** Next week is Fire Prevention Week, and despite declines, the United States and Canada still have the highest fire death rates of all the developed countries of the free world.

The most recent figures (for 1986): In the United States, 5,850 civilians and 113 firefighters died in fires, and approximately 26,825 civilians and 100,900 firefighters were seriously injured. The total loss in property alone came to \$6.7 billion. Each season has its own special fire hazards. Here are some tips for all seasons:

FALL: If you enjoy camping, select a tent made of flameresistant fabric. Pack a reliable flashlight with plenty of extra batteries to light the inside of your tent - never use matches or candles. When building a campfire, place it downwind of

gasoline or other flammable liquid starters.

If you use your fireplace, have your chimney professionally cleaned in the fall to make sure it's in good condition for the coming season.

WINTER: More fires occur during the winter than in any other season. The reasons: home heating and the holiday

If you use a portable heater, be sure it is placed away from combustibles - draperies, furniture, paper, etc. Remember, the surface heat of some portable heaters may reach 500 degrees, so keep a careful watch on your children and warn them tact with the outside surface of are sleeping. some portable heaters.

your tent. And never try to choose a Christmas tree that attic, basement, garage and absolutely sure they're out hasten the burning by using does not have shedding needles, workshop. Throw out trash, when you leave. Smoldering your fire department should be 61054.)

and keep it standing in water especially combustibles such as while it is in the house. If you rags, newspapers, magazines, choose an artificial tree, choose

Over-the-knee boots are a

new option for miniskirt afi-

cionados. Donna Karan's

brown suede boots retail for

monochromatic look, where your

hosiery matches the hemline of

the subtler ones, like the new

cable, herringbones and stripes.

"Patterns are a lot subtler than

we've seen in the past," she says.

"When you're bringing that

much focus to the leg with short

skirts, you don't want a pattern

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since the newest dressy shoes are

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SPRING: Take spring clean-For a merry Christmas, ing seriously - clean out your the coals with water and make ing order.

Abigail Van Buren boxes and scraps of wood. Never smoke while fueling gas-

**Dear Abby** 

tightly sealed metal containers. SUMMER: When cooking out, never use flammable liquids

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ing on the gas. Some tips for all seasons:

 Never smoke in bed. - Never leave invalids or small children alone in the house, not even for "a few

Never use flammable liquids for dry cleaning indoors.

- Have periodic fire drills in your home to be sure everyone knows what to do in case of fire.

 Keep easy-to-use fire extinguishers in your kitchen, cottage, back bedrooms and on interesting letter are included in near live coals. An explosion or your boat. Invest in smoke flash fire could result. When detectors, and be sure that they you've finished cooking, soak are kept dust-free and in work-

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It took less than three minutes to read this column. Was it worth it? I hope so.

**ABBY** 

(Do you hate to write letters because you don't know what to say? Thankyou notes, sympathy letters, congratu-Abby's booklet, "How to Write Letters for All Occasions." Send a check or money order for \$2.50 and stamped (39 cents), self-addressed envelope to: Dear Abby, Letter Book-— The telephone number of let, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill.

## Limit fat, salt, cholesterol

NEW YORK (AP) - Limiting fat, sodium and cholesterol in your diet takes time and planning, but the benefits go a long

Here are some guidelines for healthy cooking

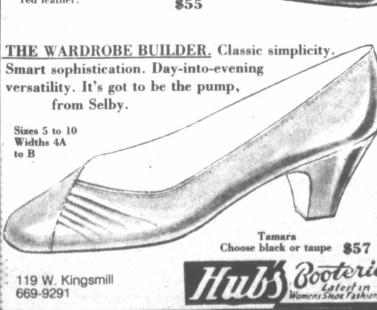
-De-fat soups, stews and

stocks -Oven bake your meatballs.

—Limit eggs to three times a

—Beat the craving for sweets. —Reduce fats in recipes







## **Sports Scene**



Phillies' Glenn Wilson gets caught in a rundown

## White paid after breaking strike

boys quarterback Danny White received a \$300,000 salary advance to cross the NFL players union picket line, a Dallas newspaper reported today.

Several Cowboys players who asked to remain unidentified told the Dallas Times Herald that White gave the advance as one of his main reasons for returning to the team. White has refused to cite specifics for returning, other than to say that contract provisions were motivating factors.

White resigned from the NFL Players Association Wednesday and became the third Cowboys veteran to cross striking players' picket line at Valley Ranch.

Defensive end Ed Jones and running back Tony Dorsett were expected to follow White's lead to keep from losing their annuities, which are deferred payments based on length of service.

"There's no great mystery about what I'm going to do, Dorsett said. "What would you do if you were in my situation? I'll see you all at a press conference Friday

White did not say how much of a role finances played in his decision, but he was very direct in explaining the role of players' negotiator Gene Upshaw.

"I decided to come back in on Monday when I heard Gene Upshaw say the union was in it for the long haul. I realized then he was not representing me," White said. "The financial situation I'm in and some clauses in my contract were a factor.'

Players who don't resign from the union and cross the picket line are subject to fines from the union, so White decided to resign. White became the third Cowboys veteran to cross the line, following Randy White and Don Dorsett and Jones got letters

from Cowboys President Tex Schramm warning they could lose their annuities if they didn't My mind was made up for

me," Dorsett said. "I have no Danny White, a 13-year NFL

veteran who was an outspoken critic of the 1982 strike, said there could be some ill will against him, but he said the team's union loyalty remained strong.

When I talked to my teammates, no one indicated that they wanted to come back in with me." he said. "I think the players are strong. My teammates are on my mind, and they're second only

## Cards, Mets, Expos all still alive; first ever three-way tie possible

By BEN WALKER **AP Baseball Writer** 

ST. LOUIS (AP) - Tonight, the New York Mets' reign as World Series champions could end. If they want, they can walk across the street to Busch Stadium and see it happen.

With four days left in the regular season, the possibility of a three-team playoff in the National League East still lingers.

The St. Louis Cardinals can determine their own fate — they win the division if they win any of their four remaining games. But, if the Montreal Expos win in St. Louis

tonight and then win their final three against Chicago and if the Mets sweep a three-game series in St. Louis, they all tie. A three-way playoff has never happened in the

major leagues. The last division playoff was in 1980 when Houston beat Los Angeles for the NL West

"I don't have any problem with rooting for the Mets," Montreal shortstop Hubie Brooks said.

But first, New York has to root for the Expos. The Mets arrived in St. Louis early this morning and checked into their hotel, across Walnut Street from the ballpark.

The game already is a sellout. Maybe a few Mets can scrounge up tickets, if they want to sit in the midst of 50,000 very loud fans, of which 75 percent wear some shade of Cardinals' red.

Keith Hernandez probably won't attend. He was one of the most admired Cardinals until he once made a gesture toward the stands. Now, he plays for the Mets and everytime he appears at Busch Stadium — even on a highlight video on the scoreboard, he is booed.

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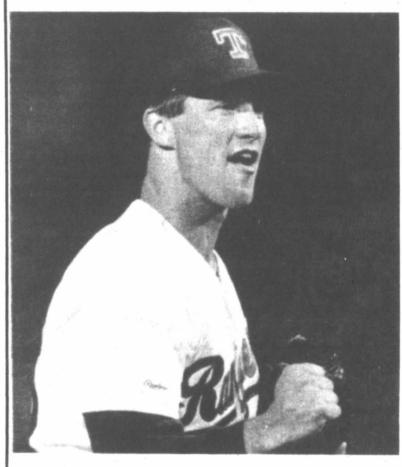
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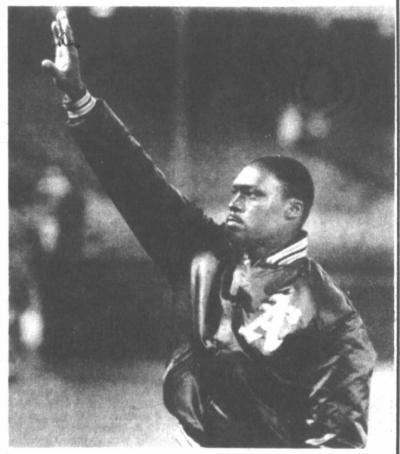
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#### **Notable firsts**





Texas Ranger pitcher Bobby Witt, left, gestures after his 11th strikeout Wednesday night against the Minnesota Twins. It was Witt's first complete in 55 starts, a major league record. Oakland Athletics Dave Stewart, right, a former Ranger, acknowledges crowd response after becoming 1987's first 20-game winner

## Ex-Canyon player gambles, loses chance to play in NFL

players strike meant a final chance for Bob Stout's dream to come true

So the 34-year-old unemployed semipro football player took the chance, flew to Houston on money saved to pay bills and walked 13 miles to the Houston Oilers training camp

But after a three-day tryout, Stout was the 16th player cut from the Oilers replacement team.

have gone." Stout said Wednesday. "but with no income it was really an easy decision for me.

Stout is a three-year veteran of the Denison Gamblers semi-pro football team. He was recently laid off from an ice company and saw the strike as an opportunity to fulfill a childhood dream and a way to feed his family of four.

He had a tough time convincing his

"If I was working I probably wouldn't family and the Oilers that he deserved a said his involvement with "the wrong

"My wife really thought it was a waste of time," Stout said. "And when I called the Oilers and told them I had three years experience in semi-pro, they said 'No way.' I told them I wouldn't take no for an answer, and I

Stout played wide receiver at Canyon High School, but didn't like college and

kind of people" ended his dream of playing professional football.

"Personally, I can't understand the players," Stout told the Denison Herald. "Here are guys giving up \$40,000 to \$50,000 a week. I could feed my family for a year for just a small portion of that.

Trying out for the Oilers taught Stout some lessons, he said.

players) level, you find they're human beings just like you," he said. "I lived in a fantasy world when I was young, and there was both good and bad in that.

"In my mind the difference between dreams and reality is the effort a man makes to make his dream become a reality. I never lost my dream, or my will to play pro football. Some of the big-name pros today might not under-

## Canadian to face Perryton Friday

By JIMMY PATTERSON **Sports Writer** 

CANADIAN - The Canadian Wildcats will have another difficult chore Friday night when they travel to Ochiltree County to take on the Perryton Rangers.

It is a rivalry, this game. The Canadians from Hemphill; the Perrytons from Ochiltree.

Ochiltree vs. Hemphill. While not exactly the Hatfields and McCoys, the game does mean a lot mentally to

both clubs. "It's a rivalry," Wildcat head coach Paul Wilson said. 'We're always concerned with beating Perryton. We're not as concerned with winning, though, as much as just how hard we play.

Perryton, now 1-2, is coming off three straight weeks against larger 4A schools.

The Rangers first victory of the season came just last week against Liberal, Kan., 14-0.

They ran up and down the field at will against Liberal," Wilson said.

Losses against Borger and Dumas — two District 1-4A teams - were how the Rangers opened the '87 campaign. For Canadian, coming off a

28-21 shocker of a loss to Boys Ranch last week, the game will mean a sort of new beginning. Wilson has decided to make

the move and bring up quarterback Shane Lloyd from the junior varsity.

"He's a good thrower," Wilson said of the 5-9, 150-pound sophomore. "We just haven't had the consistency at quarterback that we wanted. It'll be tough to stick a sophomore in his first game against someone the calibre of Perryton."

While Lloyd won't start the game, he is expected to see plenty of action while relieving Wayne Hand and Frank

Even though Perryton walloped the 'Cats 35-0 last year, Wilson said he looks for the same kind of contest.

"They beat the fire out of us last year," Wilson said. "We'll go into the game like we did

last year. We had two quarterbacks and a lineman out last year. We were just a shell of a team.

Injuries once again haunt Canadian as they prepare for the game with Perryton.

Defensive tackle Brandon Wheeler will not play after suffering an ankle sprain. Runng Back Vic Perrin is also unavailable, suffering from a

sprained knee Listed as questionable for the contest is Shea Pennington, Jim David Cook and Colby Butcher. Wilson said those three may see limited playing

Another problem for the 'Cats is confidence. After falling to Boys Ranch, Wilson was concerned that his team would be able to make an adequate mental comeback in time for district play which begins next

"We have to go out and decide if we want to be a football team with intensity," Wilson said. "I think the key by district will be if we go out and lay down like we did last Friday



then I don't know if we'll be the type of ball team that can get back up again.

"They've been intent as far as listening and preparing. Mentally we'll be there (against Perryton) but as far as physically ... we've got to have 11 people playing with a lot of intensity.

"We've got to go out and meet the challenge right

## Sportcasters forced to take NFL crash courses

By RICK WARNER **AP Sports Writer** 

CBS' Pat Summerall says it will be like "doing the third quarter of the first preseason game." NBC's Charlie Jones likens it to "building a sand castle from scratch.

The veteran play-by-play announcers were talking about what it will be like to broadcast NFL games Sunday, when teams of free agents, rookies and nonstriking veterans will take the field in place of the regular squads that have been shattered by the players' walkout.

Like NFL coaches, announcers are taking crash courses to learn the names, numbers, positions and abilities of the players that will represent the league this weekend.

'You're dealing with 45 unfamiliar faces (on each team)." Summerall said. "You don't know their skills or their mannerisms. All you know is their number.'

Jones and analyst Jimmy Cefalo worked the Los Angeles Raiders-Green Bay Packers game on opening day. On Sunday, they'll announce the Raiders-Kansas City Chiefs game in Los Angeles.

'It's like starting over,'' Jones said. "I don't think we'll recognize too many names from the Raiders we saw on opening day."

Jones and Summerall said the telecasts will reflect the unusual nature of the games

"It's not Armageddon," Summerall said. "I think we'll treat them in a lighter way. We'll also be more flexible because it's really a news story as well as a sports story. You may see interviews of fans in the stadium and players on the picket lines. The whole focus won't be on the game."

Jones said he will approach the game with the same kind of curiosity as the fans.

"Everybody has the same questions," he said. "Just how good are these players? Is it going to be like a college game? If this was baseball, would it be Tri-

Although they're both members of the American Federation of Television and Radio Artists, Summerall and Jones will cross picket lines to work Sunday's games. AFTRA members don't have the contractual right to honor picket lines of other unions.

"We really don't have a choice," Jones said. "If our union honored the picket line, then I wouldn't cross.

Summerall played 10 seasons in the NFL and is still a member of the Players Association. But he said he won't feel guilty about crossing the union's picket line.

"I had a knee operation three reeks ago, and no one from the Players Association offered to help me out," he said. "Fortunately, I didn't need any help. But there are founding members who can't walk, can't pay their bills, and the current players haven't done anything to help these people.

With both sides refusing to budge over free agency, some are predicting a long strike. But Summerall remains optimistic.

"I just have a feeling," he said. When advertisers start dropping out and the networks have to give rebates, there'll be great pressure to end the strike.

Jones has his own solution: 'Tell the negotiators that they won't get paid until the thing is

## College presidents against playoff system

By DOUG TUCKER **AP Sports Writer** 

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) - If the major college football schools ever adopt a playoff, it will be over the objection of the NCAA Presidents Commission.

John Slaughter, chairman of the 44member commission, said Wednesday its 11 presidents of I-A schools voted unanimously against "the concept" of a playoff because it would not in the best interests of athletics.

An NCAA subcommittee chaired by Texas athletic director DeLoss Dodds has re-

quested that the NCAA Council place a resolution before the 105 I-A members at the next convention in January asking them to declare whether they want to vote on a onegame playoff at the 1989 convention.

Slaughter, chancellor of the University of Maryland, said his group would not ask the Council to ignore the subcommittee's recommendation, but would require a roll-call vote if the resolution is introduced

"I don't think it's the feeling of the commission to tell them not to introduce it. But we're sending a very clear signal as to what our feelings are," Slaughter said. "We believe it's a matter that is likely to come up for consideration. We want everyone to be very clear where we stand."

Dick Schultz, incoming executive director of the NCAA, has said he believes a I-A playoff is inevitable.

"I disagree," Slaughter said at the conclusion of the commission's two-day fall meeting. "There are enough games. There are enough post-season opportunities. We believe there is nothing to be gained other than satisfying the egos of a few people who will be able to say, 'I won the game that identified me as the champion.'

Wheeler to face

## Weekly Pick 'em

WEEK FIVE: Oct. 2- 4

Friona at Pampa

**McLean at Groom** 

Canadian at Perryton

**Patton Sprgs at Lefors** 

Vernon North at Miami

Shamrock at Booker

Arkansas at TCU

**Baylor at Houston** 

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OU at Iowa St.

Dallas at NY Jets

**Houston at Denver** 

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WHEELER - By all indications, this one will be a war. All the pre-game hoopla tells us that the game between the Wheeler Mustangs and Panhandle Panthers will be a tough fought, down-to-the-wire battle.

**Sports Writer** 

But, will it really be that way? Mustang head coach Preston Smith downplayed the importance of the contest.

The Game of the Week

"It'd be hard for me to believe they have a better team than Hobart, Oklahoma," Smith said. "Panhandle would have to be a pretty good ball club to be better than Hobart.'

The Panthers, though, are a decent football team. And there's one more thing - they're mad. They're boiling mad, as a matter of fact.

Last Friday, the Panthers were beaten badly by the West Texas High School Commanches 35-24. Whether that throttling will

have an effect on the mental condition of the Panthers, only time will tell.

"I don't know how they'll respond to that," Smith said. "Last year they already had a couple of losses when they played us. I don't know how they'll react. Different teams react differently to losses.

Panhandle is 3-1 and had high hopes of winning the District 1-2A their pass.

championship. But it appears now that maybe no one can stop the strong Commanches.

Last year, the Panthers were 2-2 when they faced Wheeler. After week five, they went home with a 10-5 loss against the Mus-

Smith looks for a physical ball game as last year, he noted, Panhandle was "a little more physical than Hobart."

The Mustangs will do good to stop the passing threat posed by Panther quarterback Tommy Kotara.

the ball about 66-percent of the time and the Mustang pass defense will have to rise to the occa-"I know he's (Kotara) a good

Panhandle is known to throw

athlete," Smith said. "He's a good, tough kid. A good com-

Wheeler is injury free again this week and Smith said he looks for a more intense, tougher game with Panhandle than last week's game against Vega.

"I think they're a better team than Vega," Smith said. 'Panhandle is two or three touchdowns better than Vega.'

Since last week's score was 28-14 in favor of the Mustangs. Wheeler will have its work cut out for them.

"If they go with the run, then we'll play the run," Smith said. "If they pass, then we'll play

task this week: Beating a much

improved Spearman Lynx squad.

have led the Lynx to a 3-0-1 over-

all record so far this season.

Spearman is 1-0 in district play by

virtue of having beaten Stratford

last week 37-8. A rather resound-

ing victory, which is what con-

(they do well)," Williams said.

They're big and they're fast.

Coach (Don) Mullins is well re-

spected and very knowledgable.

back Brett Davis, who Williams

described as "better every time

"About everything they do

"They're coached pretty well.

The Lynx are led by quarter-

cerns Coach Windy Williams.

Several returning starters

## Six-man squads face challenging foes for homecomings

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VERNON NORTHSIDE at ends much and I'd say 45-50 per-MIAMI

7 p.m. Following last week's loss to Lazbuddie, the Miami Warriors are looking to get back on the right track when they host the Vernon Northside Indians in

Miami's homecoming game. The Indians are coming off impressive victories over Woodson (71-21), Harrold (60-50) and Rule

With the return of tailback Shane Bridwell, this should be typical high-scoring six-man

Bridwell was lost early in the first quarter against Lazbuddie after suffering a mild concussion. Head coach Currie McWilliams says his Warrior squad will have to ready themselves for a varied

Indian offense: 'You gotta prepare for them in different ways," McWilliams said. "They don't throw to their

cent of the time the throw the halfback pass from one halfback to another.

The Indians return intact their entire backfield from last year and have been picked either to win or finish second in the dis-

Last year, Miami won the game 46-38.

**PATTON SPRINGS at LEFORS** 7 p.m.

Friday is also homecoming in Pirate town as Lefors looks to improve on an 0-3 record against Patton Springs in the other area six man game.

Head coach Johnny Crim expects a closer game than any of Lefors' first three losses.

"They're not as consistent." Crim said. "They're a young ball team like us.

"I think we're capable. If we play ball like we practice, we can beat 'em. I'm looking for a decent

Front Row Seat

By Jimmy Patterson

Lefors has struggled through losses of 30-0, 48-0 and 56-6 in its first three weeks of this a rebuilding year. The Pirates were idle

> Last year's contest was won by Patton Springs, 37-26

One injury is hampering the Pirates. Reserve tailback-fullback Jeff Call is out for an undetermined amount of time with a fracture in his arm.

SHAMROCK at BOOKER 8 p.m.

"They're big and strong. They're fast. And they're a hard hittin' team.

Those words, spoken by Irish head coach Buck Buchanan, sum up the competition this week when Shamrock visits the Booker Kiowas in their last non-district contest of the season

"We'll just do what we do and try to do it better," Buchanan said of his team who has suffered three straight losses.

Shamrock never gives up and has remained close with competition in weeks past until late in the

Last week, the Irish fell to Follett in a game they led twice before finally relinquishing the lead.

Last year's battle was won by Booker, 27-20.

The only injured Irishman is center Todd Brashears who has a bone bruise in his right arm. He is listed as questionable

Buchanan expects to stick more with his running game as the passing offense of Shamrock needs a bnit more polish before it becomes reliable.

'We're just gonna try not to make too many mistakes.' Buchanan said.

WHITE DEER at SPEARMAN

8 p.m. The Bucks have a formidable he goes out," and running back Haskell Garrett. Garrett, a 1,000 rusher for

Petersburg, Tex. last year, is in his first year at Spearman.

White Deer won last year's game 14-6.

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The Bucks have no injuries going into the Friday's game.

DISTRICT 2-2A

Friday, Oct. 2
CANADIAN at Perryton; Sanford-Fritch at Wellington; Clarendon at Childress; SHAMROCK at Booker; Crowell at Quanah; Memphis at Paducah.

DISTRICT 1-1A NORTH ZONE

Friday Oct. 2
Panhandle at WHEELER; Shamrock at Booker
Sunray at Vega; McLEAN at Groom; Follett, idle

DISTRICT 1-1A SOUTH ZONE

Friday, Oct. 2
Springlake-Earth at Nazareth; McLean at GROOM; Kress at Hale Center; Sunray at Vega; Happy, Claude idle

DISTRICT 2 SIX-MAN

Friday, Oct. 2 ie; Vernon Northside at MIAMI;

Area standings,

## Two Tigers to tangle in Groom this weekend

**Sports Writer** 

Which Tiger will tackle the other Tiger by the tail?

It is a question often posed as September makes way for October and this year is no exception. Doing battle in Groom Friday night, the two Tigers - McLean's

in this contest. Groom head coach Terry Coffee says despite McLean's 34 straight losses, one cannot afford

and Groom's - have a lot at stake

to take the Tigers lightly. 'I tell ya what,'' Coffee said. "I talked to all the coaches (who's teams have played McLean this year) and the one thing they all said is that the (McLean) kids do not give up. We're going into the game with a lot of respect for them. I have a lot of respect for Coach Watson. He's done a lot

with the kids. McLean, walloped in its first Coffee

three games, came close last ery opponent to under 100 yards week against Motley County. only to fall 14-12. They are now 0-4 on the year.

Groom, idle last week, is riding a six game winning streak, and in those six wins, they have held ev-



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rushing.

"As you know," McLean coach George Watson said, "they have a good running attack and a fairly good passing attack. They evidently have a pretty good functional defense. They show up to be a pretty solid ball club. I don't think they'll be the best ball club we'll face, but they'll be the

best we've faced so far. McLean, for the second time this year, is battling illness in its hopes to field a competitive team.

Six players have missed practice this week with flu-like symptoms. It is unknown just who will shake the effects in time to participate in Friday's game.

Floyd Morris, Robert Sanderson, Jimmy Fleming, Johnny Mann, Teny Polito and Scott Green have all been under the weather this week.

Groom is suffering also. They're not sick, but simply

Defensive end-offensive tackle Matt Wienheimer is out for Friday's game and questionable for future games with a possible torn ligament; quarterback Brent Thompson will see little playing time, hurting from a leg injury



Watson

#### weekend schedules and Rocky Crump, who has yet to play an entire game is still suffer-

ing from a bone chip in the foot. Coffee says he also has respect for McLean quarterback Jim Anderson and running back Huey Green.

"Anderson is a good athlete." Coffee said. "He and Green are the ones we'll have to watch for. McLean passes the ball real

McLean runs three different defenses and Groom will have to prepare for the Tigers varied set-

"We hope to move the ball a little better than in the past," Watson said. "And we're hoping we can play an improved defense. If we play like we have in the last seven quarters, I think we can stay in the ball game.

'At anytime, they're looking to break that losing streak," Coffee said, "and we don't want to be the ones they end it against.'

#### Major League **Standings**

By The Associated Press NATIONAL LEAGUE East Division

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## Deaf football players are hoping for private high school championship linemen know when the football has been

By DEBI MARTIN Austin American-Statesman

AUSTIN (AP) - When they scored touchdowns, they didn't hear their fans cheering them on to victory. But that didn't stop the Texas School for the Deaf high school football players from winning 10 out of 10 games last year.

The Rangers have their eyes on winning the state championship this year.

'We emphasize deaf pride, the idea that they can compete against hearing schools and can succeed like anyone else at any other school," Coach Walt Camenisch said through his interpreter and secretary, Cathy Blasingame

Camenisch has been coaching the Rangers for five years. Except for the Louisiana School for the Deaf, the teams the Rangers compete against in the Texas Association for Private Schools are composed of hearing

players. Being deaf, said Camenisch, "is like being a foreigner somewhere where you don't speak the language. It's that kind of experi-

The Rangers and Camenisch are obvious-

ly fluent in football. But how do the offensive

snapped if they can't hear the quarterback's signals? Vibrations from a large drum signal the

snap to the linemen. The drum, to those who can hear, is real loud. But some things never change in the world

Camenisch, like any other coach worth his title, can insult his players during disciplinary chats. He said, "I tell them, Some of you guys are real big-headed.' I tell them, You're not good enough for me.' I tell them they're lazy. I call them 'Chicken' and 'Sis-

During the games, Ms. Blasingame interprets for the players and coaches.

She tells the players when they've been penalized and why. She also interprets the conversations between Camenisch and the coach of the opposing team when they are "yelling" at each other. With a chuckle, she said that sometimes Camenisch will try to trick the opposing team when he signs to his quarterback what the next play will be.

'He might make a large sign that would look like 'Pass' to the hearing team when actually it means something else in sign language," said Ms. Blasingame.

Camenisch, 39, and deaf since birth, grew up playing sports. He attended the Pennsylvania School for the Deaf, where he played football, baseball and basketball. He said he did not feel isolated socially as a deaf child. Through sports activities he learned how to get along well with others and was popular.

Texas School for the Deaf, when they were students at Gallaudet College, a liberal-arts school for the deaf in Washington, D.C. They have two daughters; both are deaf.

"I was pleased to have deaf children," said Camenisch. "We can communicate and share easier."

When they are old enough, his daughters will attend the Texas School for the Deaf, because, said Camenisch, "There are more opportunities for the deaf to excel here. Deaf boys come here because they know they'll get a chance to play sports here. more than they would in public schools.

He met his wife, who teaches English at

"In public schools, maybe the coach

doesn't know sign language, maybe he doesn't want to learn it or take the time to show the boy things," he said. "In public schools, a deaf girl has no chance to become a cheerleader. There are just a lot more barriers at public schools.'

## Pickens pushes shareholders group

CINCINNATI (AP) - T. Boone Pickens, the Texas oilman and corporate raider, says that top executives act more like government bureaucrats than businessmen.

Pickens, who has built a fortune raiding undervalued companies, was in Cincinnati Wednesday on a seven-city tour to recruit support for his Un-

ited Shareholders Association. Pickens planned to be in New York today when a Delaware judge is expected to rule on his challenge of an effort by Newmont Mining Corp. to thwart his takeover attempt of the company.

In San Francisco, meanwhile, a federal appeals court issued a ruling late Wednesday blocking Pickens' attempt to take over Newmont.

A three-judge panel of the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals issued an injunction sought by Newmont to prevent Pickens and his Ivanhoe Acquisition Corp. from pursuing a tender offer or other efforts to try to gain control of the mining company until further court order.

The court said the case would be handled quickly, with oral argument scheduled Oct. 9. The judges invited the Securities and Exchange Commission to take part in written and oral arguments.

Pickens, who built Mesa Limited Petroleum from just a few thousand dollars into one of the nation's largest independent oil and gas companies, said he has studied corporate leaders and found they are lazy and lack competitive spirit.

"The cause of America's competitive decline is not found on the assembly line or the stock exchange," Pickens told a luncheon audience of about 250 in Cincinnati. "The blame belongs to the Fortune 500's chief executives.'

America's corporate leaders, he said, have "become caretakers of business. They're more bureaucratic than the federal government.

Corporations have responded to his criticism with organizations of their own. One, the recently created Coalition to Stop The Raid on America, headed by Former New Orleans Mayor Moon Landrieu, is supported by Procter & Gamble Co. of Cincinnati.

P&G representative Robert Norrish said Wednesday that the takeover attempts by Pickens and other corporate raiders won't help for the U.S. economy.

"It's created a lot of debt and doesn't produce a darn thing," Norrish said.

Pickens countered that it was corporate management that is at fault.

"The American economy is improving because the great American entrepreneurial spirit has bailed out the country. Big business hasn't done the job." Pickens said. He said he was amazed by comments from

General Motors Corp. Chairman Roger Smith that corporate raiders were destroying corporate equity, jobs and communities. Pickens said that at the time of Smith's com-

ments, GM announced the closing 11 plants, including those in Norwood and Fairfield, in Ohio, eliminating 29,000 jobs.

"That's a helluva week and he talks about destroying jobs," Pickens said. "I'm a GM fan because it's important to the

country, but where would we be without the German and Japanese (automakers) coming into this country?" Pickens said.

## Federal court blocks takeover bid

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A federal appeals court has blocked Texas Oilman T. Boone Pickens' estimated \$3 billion attempt to take over Newmont Mining Corp

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Newmont, based in New York, owns gold mining property in Nevada.

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The unanimous order was signed by Judges Mary Schroeder, Harry Pregerson and Dorothy Nelson. A similar injunction had been denied last Friday by U.S. District Judge Bruce Thompson in

Pickens has offered \$72 a share for 28 million shares of Newmont common stock, which would increase his ownership from just under 10 percent to 51 percent. The offer was made Sept. 8 and was to have closed Oct. 5.

Newmont directors contend the offer illegally failed to disclose the sources of financing of \$1.2 billion, to be obtained from a private placement of notes and used for the purchase. Neither the buyers of the notes nor the terms have been revealed, Newmont says.

On another front, Pickens is trying in a Delaware court to stop Newmont's ally and largest stockholder, Consolidated Gold Fields PMC, from acquiring more common stock.



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## FBI kept tabs on prominent authors, magazines report

NEW YORK (AP) - Ernest Hemingway, Tennessee Williams, Norman Mailer and dozens of other American authors were placed under FBI surveillance because of writings or activities deemed subversive, according to two magazine articles.

Herbert Mitgang, writing in The New Yorker, and Natalie Robins, whose article appears in The Nation, based the articles on FBI files they obtained separately under the Freedom of Information Act.

Mitgang's article in the Oct. 5 issue said writers under surveillance by the

FBI included Sinclair Lewis and Pearl Buck, criticized for promoting black civil rights; John Steinbeck, accused of tarnishing the nation's image, and Truman Capote, deemed a supporter of the Cuban revolution.

Other authors named were Thomas Wolfe, Carl Sandburg, Nelson Algren, John Dos Passos, William Faulkner, Thornton Wilder and W.H. Auden. Hemingway was considered by the FBI to be a drunk with possible Communist leanings, Mitgang said.

Although the documented surveillance occurred from the 1930s to the

1960s, Mitgang concluded that "apparently the practice is continuing" - a charge vehemently denied Tuesday

by an FBI spokesman. None of the more than 50 writers whose files were obtained was convicted of any crime attributed to them by the FBI or other federal agency, The New Yorker article said.

The Nation article includes a list of 134 writers whose files were released to Ms. Robins, who is preparing a book on the subject.

Several of the writers on her list are still alive and include E.L. Doctorow,

Mailer, Elizabeth Hardwick, Howard Fast, Kay Boyle and William F. Buckley Jr.

Ms. Boyle told the Washington Post on Tuesday that when she saw her file, she was surprised to discover "that I had a love affair with Ezra Pound when I was 10 years old

According to Ms. Robins' article, to be released Friday in the Oct. 10 issue of The Nation, poet Edna St. Vincent Millay came to the bureau's attention when she entered a "free trip to Russia" contest sponsored by a group trying to raise \$40,000 to buy tractors for Soviet

Mitgang and Ms. Robins said the timing of the articles was coincidental

FBI spokesman Bill Carter said the agency no longer has the time or the inclination to conduct such surveill-

These days, Carter said, "The only time the FBI investigates an individual or a group for domestic security issues is if they've created a violation of federal law, or if they've conspired to commit a specific violation of federal laws under FBI jurisdiction.

#### **Memorial wall** replica shown in Big Spring

BIG SPRING (AP) - Three former Vietnam veterans who are now federal prison inmates were among hundreds of people who attended a ceremony to formally open the display of a replica of the Vietnam Veterans' Memorial

The three inmates - Jim Stephens, Leon Kidd and Dan Vencel — laid a wreath at the Moving Wall during the Wednesday ceremony. The wall is a halfscale replica of a Washington D.C. memorial, which lists the names of 58,022 Americans who died during the war.

Stephens said adjusting to society after the war was difficult. "You have a rage inside of you that comes out in a lot of ways," he said. Stephens is serving a 10year sentence at the Big Spring Federal Prison for misapplication of bank funds.

About 100 former Vietnam veterans in this West Texas city are part of the federal prison population of about 700, said Kidd.

"Apparently a lot of us have trouble adjusting and buck the system a lot," he said

The Moving Wall arrived Tuesday and immediately attracted visitors, said Keith Gibbons, chairman of the Moving Wall committee. The committee and Big Spring Leadership Alumni raised \$3,200 to bring the traveling replica here for seven days, Gibbons said.

It will be the center of memorial services scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, Gibbons said.

The Moving Wall 'is a tremendous initial step. People are now accepting the war maybe we're coming to grips with it," said Stephens, who served in the Army.

#### Pass in review



South Korean Women Army Corps (WAC) carrying light machine-guns pass in review during the anniversary ceremony com-

memorating the 39th Armed Forces Day at

## The mail was urgent but the eagle crashed

WASHINGTON (AP) - Standing on the Senate floor, Senate Majority Leader Robert C. Byrd waved an unopened letter in his

It was emblazoned with the proud eagle of the United States Postal Service's Express Mail Service and bore the words: "Express Mail, Next Day Service. Extremely Urgent. Rush to Addressee.

The problem, Byrd said, was that the letter "took longer to reach my desk here in Washington than even my understanding nature could accept."

"In this case I paid \$10.75 for the privilege of receiving this letter 10 months and almost two weeks after it had been mailed EXPRESS MAIL - NEXT DAY service from my office in Charleston, West Virginia, on November 6, 1986.'

With that, Byrd opened the envelope for the first time and took out the contents.

"Oh, I see what this is," he announced. "This is my long-lost West Virginia driver's license. It was about to expire.'

Byrd has a word or two for most occasions and he was not at a loss for words on this one.

"Throughout our history the speedy delivery of our nation's mail has been an honored tradition," he said.

"Many of our children still dream today about what it was like to be a Pony Express rider, an early American hero, braving the wilderness and its hostile elements to connect the citizens of our expanding country."

Later, Byrd said, the mail rode the nation's rails with postal clerks sorting envelopes and packages as the trains rushed through the night to their destina-

"Overnight mail between major cities on the East Coast was the rule rather than the exception," he said.

"It was what you got for the basic mail price, rather than something for which you pay extra.

The modern postal delivery scene is vastly more complicated, Byrd said.

But surely, he said, 314 days to deliver a "Next Day Service" envelope is as bit much. 'The U.S. Postal Service's Ex-

press Mail Eagle Delivery crash landed," Byrd exclaimed. "I want my \$10.75 back!"

#### Iranians fined for illegal immigration

STRANRAER, Scotland (AP) Three Iranians who work for a group aiding casualties of the Iran-Iraq war were fined \$1,600 each for illegally entering Britain, officials said

Also fined Wednesday by Sheriff's Court in Stranraer, western Scotland, was an Iranian who had lost a leg in the conflict.

Ali Reza Javdan, 30, Mondooehen Bah Ani, 49, Mohammad Taghi Karobi, 19, and Zinnat Sarzinia, 29, all admitted entering Bell said.

Britain without permission. Defense lawyer Graham Bell said the men planned to leave Britain.

Bell told the court that three of the accused were in Britain to close the London section of the Iranian Martyr Foundation, which arranges for private medical care for war casualties.

Because of worsening diplomatic relations between Britain and Iran, the organization decided to shift the operation to Ireland,

## Governor appoints former employee to head state's insurance board

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Bill Clements has appointed as State Board of Insurance chairman the former insurance director for the oil drilling

firm that the governor founded. Dallas business consultant Edwin J. "Jack" Smith Jr. worked for 28 years for Sedco Inc., which Clements sold in 1984. The governor appointed him to the state insurance board Wednesday.

Smith "will bring added credit to the board,"

Clements said. The three-member panel also includes James Nelson and David Thornberry, who were appointed by former Gov. Mark White. "Jack's business credentials, particularly in the

insurance field, are unrivaled," Clements said.

man of integrity, professionalism and commitment.'

Smith, 58, will replace Lyndon Olson Jr. of Waco, whose term expired in February but who stayed on through Aug. 20 at Clements' request. Smith's term, which is subject to Texas Senate confirmation, expires Jan. 31, 1993.

rate insurances and claims," Smith said in his re-

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#### Unsolved death of daughter still haunting mother

HOUSTON (AP) — More than a year has passed since a Channelview woman was shot to death in her apartment, but officials have no leads despite a \$10,000 reward and televised re-enactments of

"It is just like the person who did it vanished into thin air," said Jean Nunley, 45, co-owner of a Channelview insurance business with her husband, Leon.

The first anniversary of the death of her daughter, 22-yearold Leah Nanette Nunley, was two weeks ago. Mrs. Nunley found the body found Sept. 16, 1986, on the floor of her apartment above the family business, where she worked.

The victim had been shot in the back three times. Her car, which had been parked outside, was gone, but it was later found. The killer, however, remains at large, and for Mrs. Nunley, that makes life agonizing

"I don't know what to think anymore; it is kind of like we are at an end," she told The Houston Post. "There seems to be nothing left to do but just sit back and wait.'

Still, the worst part is waiting for something to break in the

case, she said. "It is hard to describe," Mrs. Nunley said. "There are days that are very good, then maybe I am driving home from work and it hits me again and I end up crying. It just comes and goes.

Harris County sheriff's investigators said the young woman apparently knew her attacker because there was no sign of forced entry.

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Free Chef's Salad with purchase of any large or medium pizza (pan, thin or whole wheat). This coupon must be presented to driver or cashier. Not valid with any other coupon or offer. Offer expires 10-10-87

#### LARGE AT A MEDIUM CHARGE

Order any large pan, thin or whole wheat pizza and pay a medium charge. Present this coupon to cashier or driver. Not valid with any other offer or coupon. Offer expires 10-10-87.

#### **FREE PIZZA**

Buy any large pizza and get a medium pizza, with equal number of toppings, free. Present coupon to driver or cashier. Not valid with any other offer or coupon. Offer expires 10-10-87

Sunday-Thureday 11 a.m.-12 Mid Friday & Saturday 11 a.m.-2 a.m.