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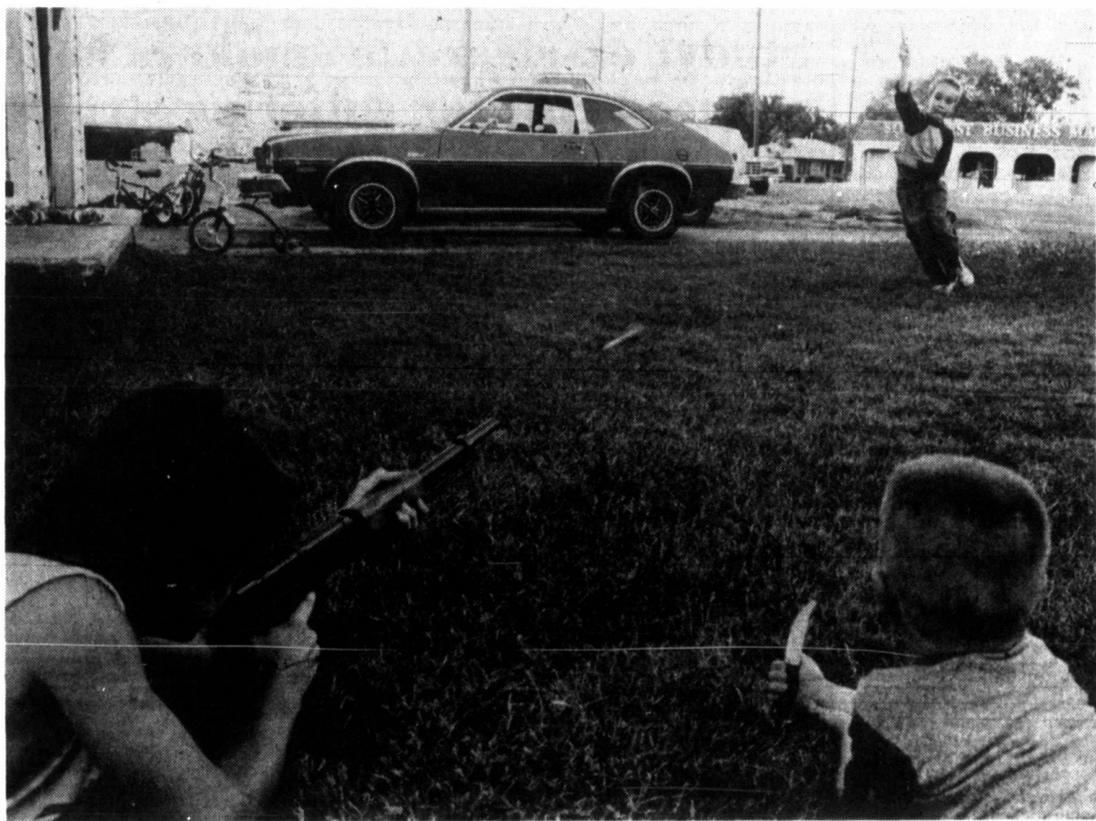


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Thursday

Fierce battle

Mark Phillips, 13, son of Mary Phillips, 720 N. Banks, shoots a projectile at 6-year-old Mike Hickerson, son of Dan and Debbie Hickerson, 707 N. Hobart, while 5-year-old Tim Hickerson

helps defend their position in the Hickersons' front yard. The troops were engaged in battle under the balmy weather this week.

(Staff Photo by Terry Ford)

French aim at bombers

PARIS (AP) — Premier Jacques Chirac today said France's response to a wave of terrorist bombings, including one the previous day that killed five people and injured 52, would be "crushing and without weakness."

Chirac spoke to reporters 17 hours after a bomb exploded outside the Tati clothing and textile store in the Montparnasse quarter of the Left Bank. It was the fifth terrorist attack in the French capital in 10 days.

"All those who manipulate the bombers must know that they will not shake the calm, the firmness and the determination of the French," Chirac said. "If we can

obtain proof of the origin of these attacks, the response will be crushing and without weakness."

The conservative premier, who is also the mayor of Paris, did not, however, reveal what form a response would take. Nor did he give any indication of possible targets.

In another attack involving a French national, the French military attaché in Lebanon was assassinated by gunmen today as he drove to work at his country's Beirut embassy.

Wednesday's bombing was the bloodiest since the recent wave of terrorism hit the French capital

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French officer murdered today

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — A man with a silencer-equipped pistol assassinated the French military attaché today as the diplomat stepped from his car just outside the security zone surrounding the French Embassy.

The killing in Christian east Beirut came amid a spate of deadly bombings in Paris claimed by Lebanese extremist groups seeking the release of comrades jailed in the French capital.

An anonymous caller claimed responsibility for the attaché's slaying in the name of the Revenge and Justice Front, a previously unknown group. "Let (French Premier Jacques) Chirac know that our next coming blow will be more crippling," the caller told a Western news agency in Beirut.

Embassy spokesman Francois Abi Saab said Col. Christian Goutierre was outside the French legation's security zone in Hazmieh's Mar Takla neighborhood when he was shot twice in the head at 8:30 a.m. (1:30 a.m. EDT).

The Voice of Lebanon radio station of President Amin Gemayel's rightist Christian Phalange Party said Goutierre was struck by three bullets to the head that killed him instantly.

A police spokesman said Goutierre had been tailed by four gunmen, one of whom shot him with a silencer-equipped pistol when the attaché stepped out of his parked car.

The Moslem-controlled Voice of the Nation radio station said police described the assassin as a tall, dark man about 28 years old, wearing a white shirt and beige trousers.

Officials could not explain why Goutierre parked outside the guarded and policed security zone after driving his car the 600 yards from his home to the embassy. The security zone stretches in a 100-yard radius around the four-story embassy.

Abi Saab said the attaché's body was taken to the morgue of the French Missionary Hotel Dieu hospital in east Beirut.

Rehnquist confirmed as 16th chief justice

WASHINGTON (AP) — William H. Rehnquist, survivor of a bitterly divisive Senate confirmation battle, will preside as chief justice over a new Supreme Court era bearing the conservative stamp of President Reagan.

Rehnquist, scheduled to be installed as the nation's 16th chief justice on Sept. 26, was confirmed by the Senate late Wednesday by a 65-33 vote. The court's 1986-87 term begins Oct. 6.

Rehnquist, 61, told reporters he was "delighted" to be the next chief justice.

He will be joined on the high court by Antonin Scalia, a conservative federal appeals court judge picked to fill a vacancy created by the retirement of Chief Justice Warren E. Burger. The Senate confirmed Scalia's appointment, 98-0.

Although Rehnquist's confirmation was never in doubt, he received the largest number of negative votes of any successful Supreme Court nominee in history.

The anti-Rehnquist forces were characterized as a "lynch mob" by Reagan, according to Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., who telephoned the president with the confirmation news.



Rehnquist

"He's very pleased," Dole said of the president. "He characterized some as sort of a lynch mob, I guess."

In a statement released by the White House, Reagan blasted Rehnquist opponents for "political posturing," adding, "the attacks came from those whose ideology runs contrary to his pro-

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No open-and-shut case

Legal wrangle staying behind closed doors

By PAUL PINKHAM
Staff Writer

When is a door not a door?
Presumably when one can't open it.

Just ask employees and shoppers at Pampa's new Food Emporium in Coronado Center, where the west supermarket entrance remains closed and guarded day after day.

A suit filed this summer by Villa Granada Apartments and El Cortez Apartments, two California firms that own the Coronado Center, seeks to enjoin Mex-Tex Realty Co., which constructed The Food Emporium, and Furr's Inc., which operates the store, from opening a second public entrance.

The suit was filed on the grounds that the

second entrance at the new supermarket would violate exclusive contracts with existing stores at the center. The legal dispute over the door mostly involves parking rights.

The California companies said they fear liability for a possible breach of lease agreement with the Dunlap Co., "a major tenant of the shopping center." The suit claims Dunlap's lease allows that firm to OK any changes made at the center, concerning parking or new construction, and that Dunlap approved original plans for a supermarket with only one public entrance.

The suit says Dunlap never approved a second entranceway at Food Emporium.

To this day, about four months after the suit was filed in 223rd District Court, the market's west door remains shut.

"If defendants void The Dunlap Co. waiver, then their construction will exceed the rights provided and will violate existing conditions," the suit reads. "The close proximity of the Dunlap Co. to the Mex-Tex property made the location and the number of public entrances-exits particularly significant to it."

Mex-Tex spokesman Larry Schoenbrun in Dallas indicated that the suit over the door is an open and shut case.

Schoenbrun said as far as he knows, everything has been worked out. He said the lawsuit resulted from "just a mix-up" because original plans called for only one entrance.

"Somewhere in the process, another door

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Strange attraction leads brothers to identities

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas (AP) — Chris White and Chris Yerby jokingly told people at school they were brothers.

They not only shared the same name. Both were tall, both played basketball at Carroll High School and they looked remarkably alike.

"People didn't believe us" when we said we were brothers, said Yerby, 18. "They said, 'How can you be brothers? You're both named Chris.'"

It wasn't until last month that the two learned that what seemed mere coincidence was much more.

They are brothers, adopted by different families at birth.

"When I first saw Chris Yerby, I couldn't take my eyes off of him," said Margaret White, mother of 16-year-old Chris White. "I had no doubt they were brothers. No doubt at all."

After an exhaustive search by their adoptive parents, Yerby and White learned they were brothers, born in Austin two years apart, given up for adoption at birth and reunited — by a quirk of fate — in a Corpus Christi high school.

"People say we look alike and that we even walk alike," White said, looking over at his older brother.

"Yeah," agreed Yerby, who is now a freshman at Texas A&M. "My mom now says we even laugh alike."

The two tall, dark-haired teens met last year at Carroll High School, where they both played basketball.

"On my first day at Carroll, these girls came up to me and said, 'Hey, we saw your brother working the other day,'" White told the Corpus Christi Caller-Times.

"And I said, 'I don't have a brother,' and they said, 'Yes you do. We saw him.'"

Slowly, Yerby and White became friends off the basketball court. The more the two told each other about themselves, the more the coincidences piled up.

White, now a high school junior, remembers the conversation.

"Chris said to me, 'I'm adopted,' and I said, 'Wow, I'm adopted, too.' Then when he said he was born in Austin, I didn't say anything. I just couldn't believe it."

Because they were both adopted and born in the same city, the two youths decided they

wanted to trace the records. In January, they asked their adopted parents to trace their respective natural parents.

"We wanted to find the truth for them," said Mary Yerby, mother of Chris Yerby. "That's why it was important."

Mrs. White and Mrs. Yerby agreed they would try to find the boys' natural mother but not reveal her identity.

"They didn't want us to know who our natural mother was," Yerby said. "I really didn't want to know either."

The search took almost eight months, but late last month the parents finally confirmed what the boys had suspected — Chris and Chris were not just friends.

They were family.

"At first, I wasn't sure how to think of it," Yerby said. "Now it's kind of weird to think (that) I have a little brother."

Because Yerby is now attending school in College Station, this week was the first time Chris and Chris had seen each other since they learned they were brothers. But both insist that despite the distance, it won't be the last.

"We'll keep in touch," White said.

DAILY RECORD

service tomorrow

LONG, R.L. (Shorty) - 10:30 a.m., Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel.

obituaries

VERNA LUCILLE DORSEY
McLEAN - Services for Verna Lucille Dorsey, 79, of McLean will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in the McLean First United Methodist Church with Rev. Billy Wilson, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of Lamb Funeral Home.

Mrs. Dorsey died Wednesday.

Born in McLean, she was a lifelong resident of the city. She was a 1928 graduate of McLean High School. She married Everett Dorsey in 1972 at Pampa; he died in 1973. She owned and operated the McLean Flower Shop for more than 40 years. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church, the Wesley Sunday School Class, the Deborah Group and the Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include a stepdaughter, June Suggs, McLean; a stepson, Butch Dorsey, Nowata, Okla.; a brother, Erwin M. Rice, Austin; three step-grandchildren and a step-granddaughter.

MAE Z. GREEN
Services are pending with Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors for Mae Z. Green, 88, who died early today.

She married Fred Betchan in 1916; he died in 1949. She then married Thomas Green; he died in 1970. She was a member of the Fellowship Baptist Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Geneva Stottman, Pampa; a son, Fred Betchan, Pampa; six grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

R.L. (SHORTY) LONG
Services for R.L. (Shorty) Long, 74, will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday in Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel with Rev. Earl Maddux, Fellowship Baptist Church pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Long died Wednesday at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

Survivors include his wife, Juanita; two daughters, a sister, a brother and four grandchildren.

minor accidents

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

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 17
A 1984 Dodge, driven by Cheryl Lynn Moultrie, 1145 Neel, and a 1985 Yamaha motorcycle, driven by Brent Todd Hughes, Johnson Trailer Park, collided at 1300 Duncan. Hughes was taken by Pampa Medical Services to Coronado Community Hospital, where he was treated and released for cuts and bruises. Moultrie was cited for failure to yield right of way while turning left. Hughes was cited for no proof of liability insurance and no motorcycle drivers license.

A 1966 Ford, driven by a juvenile, and a 1978 Ford, driven by Bryan Curtis Stroud, 1016 Sierra, collided at Duncan and Decatur. No injuries were reported. The juvenile was cited for failure to yield the right of way.

stock market

Stock	Price	Change
Wheat	2.07	dn
Milo	2.75	dn
Barley	2.15	dn
Soybeans	1.15	dn
Corn	1.15	dn
Wool	1.15	dn
Gold	340	dn
Silver	4.15	dn
Oil	28 1/2	dn
Gas	1.15	dn
Stocks	100	dn
Bonds	100	dn
Commodities	100	dn
Real Estate	100	dn
Insurance	100	dn
Utilities	100	dn
Transportation	100	dn
Healthcare	100	dn
Technology	100	dn
Consumer Goods	100	dn
Industrial	100	dn
Energy	100	dn
Metals	100	dn
Chemicals	100	dn
Pharmaceuticals	100	dn
Telecommunications	100	dn
Media	100	dn
Food	100	dn
Textiles	100	dn
Apparel	100	dn
Automotive	100	dn
Aerospace	100	dn
Defense	100	dn
Government	100	dn
International	100	dn
Options	100	dn
Futures	100	dn
Derivatives	100	dn
Commodities	100	dn
Real Estate	100	dn
Insurance	100	dn
Utilities	100	dn
Transportation	100	dn
Healthcare	100	dn
Technology	100	dn
Consumer Goods	100	dn
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Pharmaceuticals	100	dn
Telecommunications	100	dn
Media	100	dn
Food	100	dn
Textiles	100	dn
Apparel	100	dn
Automotive	100	dn
Aerospace	100	dn
Defense	100	dn
Government	100	dn
International	100	dn
Options	100	dn
Futures	100	dn
Derivatives	100	dn

Doors

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got in there," he said, adding that fire code regulations required the additional exit. He said he expects the door will continue to be used strictly as an emergency exit.

Dunlap spokesman Jerry Stallard said his company is satisfied with the way The Food Emporium has been laid out. He said Dunlap assumed the supermarket needed a fire door and that is why it was put there.

"We're very delighted that they decided to go ahead and put

that store in because it's kind of made that the place to shop," Stallard said. "They run a great store."

223rd District Judge Don Cain said he has granted only one motion in the case, that to allow attorneys to begin taking depositions. He said he has not ruled on either the temporary or permanent injunctions that would slam the door on the second store entrance.

Some issues in the case still lie behind closed doors.

Questions asked of The Food Emporium's manager and assistant manager were referred to Bob Hermans of the Furr's main office in Lubbock. Hermans said he could not comment because he did not know a lawsuit had been filed.

Coronado Center manager Ralph Davis of Amarillo said he could not comment on the situation.

Spokesmen for Villa Granada and El Cortez Apartments could not be reached for comment.

Rehnquist

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found and unshakable belief in the proper constitutional role of the judiciary. I have no doubt that William Rehnquist will prove to be a chief justice of historic stature."

Repeated attacks on Rehnquist's integrity, honesty and commitment to equal rights could leave a damaging stain on the man and the nation's highest court.

Asked if the confirmation process had been arduous, Rehnquist said, "From my point of view, it has."

"They've done everything they can to destroy this man's reputation," said Sen. Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, one of Rehnquist's staunch-

est defenders. The Senate has been through "a Rehnquist" marked by "distortions and misrepresentations," he said.

Opponents said the elevation of Rehnquist, the Supreme Court's most conservative member for nearly 15 years, casts a dark cloud over the future of justice in America.

"This vote will haunt this body," predicted Sen. Max Baucus, D-Mont.

Sen. Donald Riegle, D-Mich., said it was "a sad and disappointing choice, one that I think will damage our country."

Eleanor Smeal, president of the National Organization for Women, called the confirmation

vote "truly a Pyrrhic victory with staggering losses in credibility for the Reagan administration."

Democrats sought in vain to line up enough votes to block confirmation. In the end, only two Republicans joined them in opposing the nomination: Sens. Chales Mathias of Maryland and Lowell Weicker of Connecticut.

Republicans control the Senate, 53-47.

In 1971, a Democratic-controlled Senate confirmed President Nixon's nomination of Rehnquist to be an associate justice by a 68-26 vote.

French

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Sept. 8. As of late this morning, there had been no claim of responsibility for the attack.

Investigators worked late into the night picking through debris in front of the store on the rue de Rennes, looking for clues and to determine the type of explosive device used.

Police were working on the

basis of testimony from several witnesses who said the bomb was thrown from a black BMW in which two mustachioed men were riding.

The most seriously wounded were treated on the sidewalk in front of the Tati store, one of a chain of low-priced clothing and mercantile outlets frequented by

North Africans and other immigrant workers in France.

Police cleared a plaza, the Place du 18 Juin, and used it as a helicopter landing pad to evacuate those with the gravest injuries.

Eighteen of the 52 people injured were said to be in serious or very serious condition.

Board OKs Roberts County appraisal district's budget

MIAMI — Roberts County Appraisal District board members approved a \$73,815 district budget Wednesday.

The budget is a tad smaller than the 1986 budget of \$74,500. Roberts County Appraiser Debbie Stribling said that this year's budget could have been smaller except that the district is allocating \$3,000 for a new liability insurance policy for the RCAD board.

The budget is supported by the three taxing entities, which approved the RCAD budget proposal this summer. Miami Schools is the largest contributor, kicking in \$41,188. Roberts County follows with \$31,666. The city of Miami is to contribute \$959. The district collects taxes for the school, but not for the county or town.

Stribling's salary was set at \$18,685, while her deputy gets \$13,860. The board raised the deputy's salary five percent Wednesday because she is now a certified appraiser.

The budget also includes \$1,500 for an auditor, \$3,675 for equipment maintenance and \$4,825 for employee medical insurance.

Stribling added that decisions the board made Wednesday concerning a new mineral appraiser and the deputy's raise are not reflected in the preliminary budget figures. But they will affect the amount of surplus at the end of the year.

Board members decided Wednesday not to renew the district contract with the Fort Worth appraisal firm of Pritchard & Abbott (which has a branch in Amarillo) and contracted with Louis

Henderson, a former Pritchard & Abbott employee. Henderson, who told board members that he has 20 years in the appraisal business, will charge the district \$13,500 to appraise mineral properties, plus \$1,000 if he has to keep division orders. The 1987 proposal by Pritchard & Abbott was \$16,550, which includes \$750 to appraise agricultural property. Stribling said that she'll have to discuss agricultural appraisal with Henderson.

The Amarillo appraiser told the council that although he does not have the resources or the personnel that the major state appraisal firms do, he claims he can give "quality, qualified work." He said that in addition to his 17 years with Pritchard & Abbott, he has worked with the ad valorem division of El Paso Natural Gas and was a chief appraiser for the Potter-Randall Appraisal District.

Henderson added that he uses NCR software and hardware, and that would be compatible with what Roberts County and other appraisal districts are using. He is seeking contracts with appraisal districts in Gray, Hansford and Ochiltree Counties.

Stribling reported that she has become dissatisfied by Pritchard & Abbott's work. She complained about the delays caused by the company's apparent slowness.

"It doesn't look like the statements will be mailed by Oct. 1," she told the board. "Henderson's work is well thought of by appraisers."

In other business, the board was to have sworn in member Wilbur Walls, who was reelected to another term. But he didn't make it to the meeting.

Study: ex-cigarette smokers have reduced risk for suffering stroke

BOSTON (AP) — The heightened risk of stroke for cigarette smokers can be reduced significantly by giving up the habit, according to researchers who conducted a 12-year study of thousands of smokers.

Their study, published in today's New England Journal of Medicine, confirms earlier findings that cigarette smoking is associated with strokes, the nation's third leading killer after heart attacks and cancer.

It also demonstrates the advantages of quitting.

"There is evidence that people who stop smoking cigarettes can increase the blood flow to their

brains," said Dr. Robert D. Abbott. "If you follow these people long enough, we suspect that their cerebral circulation would increase to the level of those who never smoked."

An estimated 500,000 Americans have strokes each year, and 156,000 die. Because of damage to the brain, about 40 percent of the survivors require special treatment such as physical therapy.

During the past two decades, the death rate from strokes has fallen by about 30 percent. Experts have attributed this to better control of high blood pressure, which can trigger strokes.

But Abbott, a biostatistician at

the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute in Bethesda, Md., said Americans' success in giving up cigarettes has also probably been a factor.

Abbott based his conclusions on figures gathered by the Honolulu Heart Program. The study enrolled 3,435 cigarette smokers and 4,437 non-smokers, all men of Japanese ancestry who lived on the island of Oahu. During 12 years of followup, 171 smokers and 117 non-smokers had strokes.

When the researchers took into account such differences as age and blood pressure, they calculated that smokers had two to three times higher risk of stroke

City briefs

SLENDERCISE! CLASSES have begun at the Pampa Youth Center. Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday, 9:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Adv.

CALF FRIES, Thursday night, 7 p.m. Moose Lodge. Adv.

SAUNATONE PROMOTES Weight loss, stress reduction - Consult your Physician for using for Medicinal Purposes. Shear Perfection. 665-6514. Adv.

FALL PREVIEW - All new Fall Shoes 30% off thru Saturday! The Pair Tree, 111 N. Cuyler. Adv.

A GOOD Selection of Fall Pants, 25% Off at Carousel Fashions. Adv.

HAVE 3 openings for 5 year olds, afternoons. Will pick up. 665-3874. Adv.

ENJOY SHOPPING again! After work with no rush or hassle. Sarah's/Tinkum's, Las Pampas Galleries and Copper Kitchen are open till 8 p.m. Thursday and Friday in the Coronado Center. Adv.

CATFISH, ALL You Can Eat, \$4.95 Thursday 2-9:30 p.m. Stephenson's Country Inn, 1101 Alcock. Adv.

BIG GARAGE Sale: Thursday, Friday and Saturday. 125 N. Faulkner. Adv.

FALL UPDATE - all accessories 30% off thru Saturday! The Pair Tree, 111 N. Cuyler. Adv.

DON'T LOSE that summer tan. Call about our Tanning Special. Professional Reducing Center, 665-7162. Adv.

WOULD LIKE to sell or trade 21 foot American Clipper motorhome for 5th wheel. 669-2773. Adv.

DANCE TO TJ and the Runaways, Saturday night, Moose Lodge. Members with guests. Adv.

SATURDAYS ONLY. Shampoo, set \$7. Curly perms \$25. The Hair Port, 615 N. Hobart, 665-8881. Adv.

IMAGES LINGERIE is open downtown! Day, night and lounge wear. 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Saturday, 109 N. Cuyler. Adv.

Canadian meet is rescheduled

CANADIAN — The Canadian City Council has rescheduled its regular meeting from tonight to 7 p.m. Monday at City Hall.

Council members are expected to approve the 1987 budget and tax rate.

The panel also is scheduled to discuss a controversial amendment to the zoning ordinance that would extend the period for non-conforming use of land from 45 days to one year.

They council also plans to decide whether to set aside 25 percent of the hotel occupancy tax for the new River Valley Museum.

Also on the agenda are compensation for volunteer firemen, consideration of bids from banking institutions wanting to be the city's prime depository, review of the animal control agreement between the city and Hemphill County and a jail contract between the city and county.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Variable cloudiness Friday with less than a 20 percent chance of storms. Highs Friday in the 90s. Lows tonight in the 60s. Southerly winds at 10 to 20 mph. High Wednesday, 89; low today, 66. Pampa received an official 0.10 inch of precipitation during the 24-hour period ending at 6 a.m. today.

REGIONAL FORECAST

West Texas — Thunderstorms becoming scattered south plains and Panhandle tonight, and widely scattered Permian Basin. Generally sunny on Friday. Lows lower 60s mountains and middle 60s elsewhere, except upper 60s Concho and Big Bend valleys. Highs from the upper 80s mountains to near 90 Panhandle, and lower 90s elsewhere except for middle 90s Big Bend valleys.

North Texas — Widely scattered afternoon and evening thunderstorms through Friday, mainly south and east sections. Partly cloudy, warm and humid through Friday. Highs 91 to 95. Lows tonight 71 to 76.

South Texas — Partly cloudy with widely scattered, mainly daytime thunderstorms through Friday. Thunderstorms more numerous south Friday. Highs in the 90s, except upper 80s at the coast. Lows in the 70s, except near 80 at the coast.

The Forecast / at 8 a.m. EDT, Fri, Sept 19



FRONTS:
Warm — Cold
Occluded — Stationary

EXTENDED FORECAST

Saturday Through Monday

West Texas — Isolated thunderstorms. Highs 80s except near 90 far west and mid 90s along the Rio Grande. Lows 50s mountains, 60s elsewhere. North Texas — A slight chance of thunderstorms northwest, otherwise partly cloudy and warm. Lows upper 60s to mid 70s. Highs upper 80s to mid 90s.

South Texas — Partly cloudy and warm with widely scattered showers and thunderstorms mainly coastal and Southeast Texas. Lows 70s except near 80 coast. Highs most-

BORDER STATES

New Mexico — Variable high clouds tonight with a few thunderstorms possible over the extreme southeast. Partly cloudy and breezy Friday with a few thundershowers near mountains. Highs upper 60s to near 80 mountains with 80s to the low 90s lower elevations. Lows tonight, 30s and 40s mountains and northwest with 50s to the low 60s elsewhere.

Oklahoma — Partly cloudy with widely scattered thunderstorms most sections through Friday. Highs 89 to 94. Lows near 60 panhandle to low 70s south.

TEXAS/REGIONAL

DA charged with racketeering; says charges are retaliation for criticisms

WACO, Texas (AP) — McLennan County District Attorney Vic Fezell, who built his reputation on debunking confessions by self-professed mass murderer Henry Lee Lucas, says bribery charges filed against him are retaliation for those he criticized.

Fezell, 35, was arrested at the McLennan County Courthouse Wednesday on a 12-count federal indictment alleging he told certain defense attorneys to increase their legal fees and pass on a portion of the money to him in exchange for favorable settlements of their criminal cases.

But Fezell, who faces reelection in November, said he is innocent and that the charges were sprung from the Department of Public Safety for his criticism of the Texas Rangers work in investigating the series of killings claimed by Lucas.

"This is not the first time in history that a tough prosecutor who wants to do what's right has been retaliated against," he said.

"I believe I'm going to be vindicated on this thing. I think most

people are going to see through it."

Bond was set at \$100,000 and Fezell was released on personal recognizance after an appearance before U.S. District Judge Walter S. Smith Jr. He returned to his office, and said he has no plans to resign his position.

A hearing is scheduled Sept. 26, when Fezell is expected to enter his plea.

Fezell, a Democrat, was elected to the district attorney's post in 1982.

In July 1985, Fezell said he feared he might be murdered or wrongly indicted because he had criticized law enforcement agencies working on cases involving Lucas.

At the time, a federal grand jury was meeting in Austin to investigate allegations of corruption in Fezell's office.

Fezell termed the investigation a "witch hunt" prompted by the DPS after Fezell criticized a Rangers task force's handling of the Lucas cases.

A McLennan County grand

jury investigated Lucas' confessions in 1985 and declined to indict Lucas in any of three Waco-area slayings to which he had confessed.

Lucas, who once claimed responsibility for hundreds of slayings nationwide, later recanted, saying he was trying to discredit law officers.

Col. Jim Adams, DPS director, has denied that the investigation or charges against Fezell were politically motivated.

The sealed indictment was returned by a federal grand jury in Austin after a lengthy investigation by the FBI, Internal Revenue Service and the DPS, officials said.

The indictment, which includes two racketeering counts and 10 counts of mail fraud, accuses Fezell of accepting 14 bribes ranging from \$200 to \$4,500 from May 29, 1984, to April 10, 1985.

No attorneys were named in the indictment. Affidavits supporting the indictment remain sealed.

But 21 names believed to be de-

fendants or related to defendants handled by Fezell's office are listed.

The indictment also accuses Fezell of filing false sworn statements of campaign contributions and expenses, and false reports about case dispositions to law enforcement agencies.

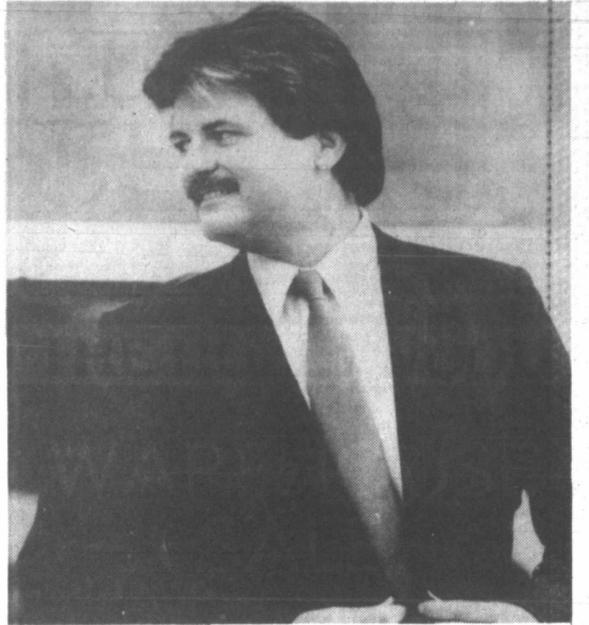
If convicted on all counts, Fezell faces up to 90 years in prison and \$560,000 in fines.

U.S. Attorney Helen Eversberg said law enforcement officials searched Fezell's office following the arrest.

"We attempted to make it as unobtrusive as possible so they can continue to conduct their business," she said.

Fezell's wife, Bernie, said agents contacted her at a coffee house about an hour after her husband's arrest and began searching the couple's house.

"They're going through everything, even negatives of his photographs. They're seeing a lot of baby pictures and things. I don't know what they hope to accomplish," Mrs. Fezell said.



OUT ON BOND - McLennan County District Attorney Vic Fezell leaves the federal courthouse in Waco Wednesday after being arraigned on racketeering charges.

State's payments into retirement fund could be deferred

AUSTIN (AP) — The Senate has given preliminary approval to a bill that would put off until February the first payment this fiscal year of \$860.5 million to the state employee and teacher retirement systems.

The proposal was approved 19-6 Wednesday, but needed another Senate vote to go to the House. Bill sponsor John Traeger, D-

Seguin, said he would ask for final Senate approval today.

The proposal would become effective only if the current special legislative session enacts a tax bill.

Traeger described the five-month delay in payments as a "no-risk venture" that would not affect current retirement benefits.

The deferral of retirement payments is one of several measures designed to avoid state checks bouncing later this year as the Legislature tries to cope with a projected budget deficit of \$2.8 billion.

State payments from February

through August 1987 would be prorated for a 12-month period. At the end of that period, the state also would pay a minimum of 8 percent interest on what the payments would have earned in interest had they not been deferred.

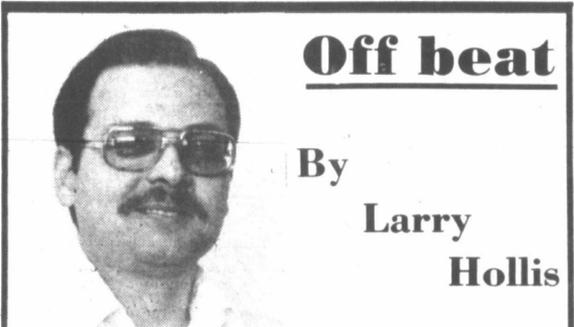
"There's no net loss in any

way," Traeger said. "There would be no effect on retirement benefits or for employees thinking about going on retirement."

In response to a question, Traeger said there would have been no need to borrow from the retirement funds if the special legislative session that convened Aug. 6 had passed a tax bill. After that session failed to enact a tax increase, another 30-day session began Sept. 8.

An amendment that would have allowed the transfer of \$325 million in highway funds to cover state retirement payments was rejected 22-3.

Dallas Sen. John Leedom, who offered the amendment, said, "This bill is attempting to solve a cash-flow problem but it signals at the same time a very detrimental indication to everybody that we're going to continue to tamper with the sanctity" of the retirement trusts.



Off beat

By
Larry Hollis

It makes you feel better?

Last Friday night I attended the Huey Lewis and The News concert in Amarillo, easily one of my favorite rock groups.

This column is not about the concert, however, much as I would like to tell everyone how great it was. Going against my principles of paying for overpriced merchandise, I even plunked down \$14 to buy a T-shirt.

But, then, I admire the man. He dared to sing a song, "It's Hip to Be Square," and actually seem to mean it. And he also performed one of his big hits, "I Want a New Drug" — not a drug song; instead it's one saying love is the best "drug" of all.

He's made his anti-drug stance very well known, joining other rock artists of recent years. And that's quite a contrast with the late 60s and early 70s when such groups as The Rolling Stones, The Jefferson Airplane, The Doors and numerous others barraged its young listeners with images and praises of drugs.

And then Jimi Hendrix, Janis Joplin, Jim Morrison, Brian Jones and others dropped dead from drug-related incidents.

Yet there's no guarantee that the anti-druggers of today will remain firm in their stance, refuse to bow under to all the peer pressure or endure the heavy workload without yielding. Boy George of Culture Club is the most recent example of what can happen when standards are not maintained.

Still, the drug problem is not limited to rockers, artists, entertainers, movie stars (remember Judy Garland's decline? and Dennis Hopper's?) or members of the jet set. But their influence has been incalculable in many instances, perhaps non-existent in others.

The greatest influence still remains peer pressure, the encouragement to "go on, try it" or "who's going to know" or "what's the harm" or "come on, it will make you feel great." The same words which have been used to get others to have that first cigarette, that first drink, that first act of vandalism, that first experience with sex.

And I have to admit I have yielded to such statements in trying various vices over the years. Yes, even marijuana. But — whether luck or good sense or maybe fear — I have avoided becoming a regular user of pot or going on to other drugs. I wasn't so lucky or fortunate in other areas, having to look back at a time when I was on the verge of becoming an alcoholic and remembering all the packs of cigarettes I had smoked.

Still, I just couldn't see getting hooked on drugs. Much as I might dislike life at times, I can't see how it helps to flee from it or to have the artificial illusion that introducing some substance in my body will make it all better.

If I want anything in my body, it's knowledge, wisdom, compassion for others, love, the pleasure of being with good friends, the sense of self-control, health and other such matters that may seem so intangible or so hard to touch but that really have more worth.

I also know it's often hard to control my own life with other people and events and natural occurrences around me without having to face an inability to deal with life while caught up in some drug-induced escapism or perhaps suffering some painful delusions void of reality.

I'm one who prefers to face life with reality, bad or painful or distressing as it may be at times, then to ignore it or to pretend that some substance can make it seem better.

And if I'm going to get high, I'd rather it be from something real: a beautiful sunset, a friend's smile, a sense of self-accomplishment at some task completed well, a family's love, an inspiring or just enjoyable piece of music, a well-made film or maybe an awesome work of art.

But I can't really judge matters for others, though I know there are more than enough willing judges out there in society despite the instructions of Christ.

Still, it's such a simple matter for parents, teachers and caring friends to begin to teach younger people that it's cool to say no. But that teaching also has to be matched by example: don't confuse them by sitting there with a cigarette in your mouth or the first of several after-dinner cocktails in your hand.

And if necessary, heal yourself before you begin to teach others.

Hollis is a staff writer for *The Pampa News*. Views expressed in the Off Beat columns are the individual's and not necessarily those of this newspaper.

No spending agreement near on budget crisis

AUSTIN (AP) — Speaker Gib Lewis says the present House-Senate compromise talks over 1987 state spending have caused him more worry than anything else recently.

"We're not getting very close at all," Lewis told reporters Wednesday about the 10-member conference committee named to settle House and Senate differences over 1987 spending.

"The lack of progress made in the conference committee on appropriations bothers me more than anything else in my last few years here."

The committee met briefly Wednesday then recessed until today after a series of speeches in which each side tried to show it was working harder than the other.

Lewis said there would be no tax bill voted out of a House committee until an agreement is reached on the budget cuts.

"They wanted to put on their dog and pony show, so we showed up," said Rep. James Rudd, D-Brownfield, head of the House negotiators, after the committee session.

"We got no new figures today. These are the same old figures we

got before," Rudd said.

The House on Tuesday offered a new proposal for spending cuts in operations of state colleges and universities that averaged 9 percent for 1987, compared with the previous House cuts that averaged 13 percent.

Jones distributed figures Wednesday showing the Senate was willing to cut higher education spending by 4.5 percent for 1987, instead of the 2.5 cut offered previously.

"It appears to us that \$505 million is the middle ground between the two bills," said Jones. "Very frankly, I think we'll have trouble passing what we've offered already."

The original House bill for 1987 spending contained \$739 million in reductions, and the Senate bill has \$413 million in cuts.

"The Senate overall reduction is about \$515.4 million and the House overall reduction is about \$537.4 million," Jones said.

"I have House members coming to me and saying 'Save us,'" Jones said.

"And I have Senators that have come to me and say 'Keep on trucking,'" Rudd said.

College faces liens of IRS

DALLAS (AP) — The Internal Revenue Service has filed more than \$1.5 million in liens against Bishop College for failing to pay income taxes withheld from employee paychecks, officials say.

The six liens — the first filed in 1984 and the last Aug. 11 — mean that the IRS could seize Bishop's property and sell it at auction or sue the college's officers to collect the taxes.

In some cases, criminal charges have been filed against an organization's officials for failure to pay withholding taxes. IRS regional spokeswoman Marlene Gaysek declined to say Wednesday whether the agency will take further action against Bishop to force payment.

The disclosure of Bishop's tax liability comes as a team of educators arrived on campus today to review Bishop's progress toward regaining full accreditation by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

The college has been on probation for 21 months for failing to meet the regional accrediting group's standards for financial stability.

Bishop's president at the time the liens were filed — Wright Lassiter Jr., who left Bishop last month to become president of Dallas' El Centro College — declined comment on why the college has not paid its taxes.

Bishop has \$3 million in short-term debts, including overdue utility bills, and \$3 million in long-term debts. School officials have said they need \$500,000 immediately to keep the school open.

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Opinion

Market intervention hurting consumers

The notion behind all the crocodile tears shed over foreign "dumping" of products in the United States is that those nasty foreign producers go around selling products below cost to poor naive Americans. That may not seem like exploitation to you, but the wizards of international economic strategy assure us that it's sinister, that it's a plot to corner a market, drive domestic producers of the same products out of business and then be able to charge sky-high prices later on. Ho-ho, hee-hee, twirl your mustachios, audacious villains!

Such a scenario might not develop in the real world if kindly governments didn't intervene to protect innocent American consumers from low prices. But the kindly U.S. government almost always does intervene. Apparently the reasoning is that since sky-high prices were inevitable anyway, we might as well skip the foreplay and go straight to the gouging.

That certainly seems to be what is happening in the case of semiconductors. U.S. semiconductor manufacturers have been whining for years that since Japanese manufacturers offer lower prices, they must be dumping. Even though prices are lower still in Japan and other Asian countries (how long can they sell at below cost to everybody?) they sold the sinister scenario to U.S. government trade officials, who negotiated a pact to limit semiconductor imports and impose a government system for controlling and monitoring prices.

The result? Prices of some semiconductors have risen as much as 600 percent. The U.S. computer industry is said to be outraged. "We have 12 companies who benefit from this. We have about 5,000 losers," said one computer industry executive. U.S. computer companies are talking seriously about moving more manufacturing operations overseas or shutting down completely. That will save lots of American jobs, won't it?

The great economist Ludwig von Mises spent much of his long and productive career musing over and trying to explain a simple insight about political interference into marketplace processes. Unfortunately, most politicians have a vested interest in pretending not to understand it.

When government tries to dictate the outcome other than what results from the interplay of supply and demand, it introduces distortions that breed new and usually larger distortions. Often enough these new distortions are defined as problems crying out for some new government intervention, which then creates new distortions (some predictable, others unforeseeable), leading to a destructive spiral of price-fixing and reaction to symptoms.

Unless some dramatic event leads to a rollback of interventionism, the result is likely to be a sector of the market trussed in controls and regulation, meantime creating pressure to stifle other sectors. The eventual result is stagnation and economic decline.

Such an outcome looks possible in the U.S. computer industry, which had driven the high-tech revolution on which so many Americans have pinned their hopes. One reason so much innovation was possible in computers and related industries was the fact that they were so new and rapidly changing that government hadn't gotten around to imposing crippling regulation.

Now the government — egged on by special interests and self-serving politicians — is trying to catch up. In its usual heavy-handed way, it may be posed to kill the goose that offered so much hope of laying silicon eggs.

The sensible thing is to repudiate the new trade pact immediately and announce that government in the future will resist the temptation to interfere in the high-tech marketplace. Such a move would give U.S. manufacturers and consumers alike the benefit of both homegrown and foreign innovation quickly and economically.

Unfortunately, nobody ever got rich betting on the government's good sense.

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James J. Kilpatrick

Tough old bird no chicken

SALISBURY, Md. — In this part of the country, from Portland, Maine, down to Richmond, Va., just about everyone knows the name of Frank Perdue. They know him from TV as "the tough man who makes a tender chicken."

I didn't think Frank was for real. Given that brooder-house beak, I thought he came from Central Casting. His television commercials have become classics. The good Lord scored Perdue's vocal cords for a split-reed oboe and a bass kazoo, and he delivers his TV messages in the tones of a rooster caught in a floor fan. "Don't wonder why my chickens are so yellow," he squeaks. "Wonder why the other fellow's are so white."

Like his chickens, Perdue is a low-fat bird. At 66, he stands 6 feet tall and weighs a trim 170 pounds. When I saw him he had just returned from Indiana. Where he had not bought a \$60 million turkey operation. He's still a little tentative about turkeys, and he decided against this purchase because that's what this operation was: a turkey.

Earlier he had enjoyed a three-week vacation in Santa Fe, where he walked for miles a day at 12.5 minutes to the mile. When he walks he counts every other step, with an eye on the second hand of his watch, just to be certain his stride production is on schedule. Frank just hates to waste time.

There is an American success story here, and such stories always are worth reporting. Perdue was born in 1920 to a dirt-poor farm family in Salisbury. His formal education, you might

say, was minimal. His practical education was extensive. His beloved father, of whom he speaks with touching affection, taught him the rudiments of the chicken business and much more besides. "Mr. Arthur" taught him to hate debt, to deal fairly and to market an honest product.

Today Perdue presides over a \$300 million enterprise with annual sales of \$800 million. He is the fifth-largest chicken producer in the nation. About 25 employees own a little piece of the business; he and his family own all the rest. It is an immensely profitable enterprise, based upon marketing more than 300 million chickens a year. That's 6 million chickens a week, and Perdue is proud of every one of them.

What accounts for his success? Perdue could give lessons to every business executive in the land. The first factor is quality control. The gentleman is obsessed by the subject. A second factor is constant, unrelenting research and development. He spends \$10 million a year on his laboratories and research farms, trying constantly to develop a formula for feed that will produce a chicken with the least possible fat and the most possible meat. A third factor is aggressive advertising and marketing. Put them together, and you have Perdue Farms Inc.

It is a truism of the industry that no one can say which comes first, the chicken or the egg. Maybe the feed comes first. Perdue mixes his own feed from corn and soybeans that are milled in his own plant. To this basic mixture he adds a little of this and a little of that, some

vitamins here and some extra proteins there. A small platoon of Ph.D.s is constantly sampling and testing.

Perdue's laying hens occupy the equivalent of condominium penthouses at Boca Raton, Fla. From their 300 million eggs come the chicks that will be hatched at Perdue hatcheries. The chicks are a careful crossbreed of leghorns and Cornish stock, bred for fast growth and broad breasts. The day-old chicks go out to 3,000 growers who feed them Perdue's feed, right down to the measured ounce, and ship healthy birds on exacting schedules. At 2 pounds live weight, the birds are ready for processing as Rock Cornish hens; at 4.5 pounds they turn into broilers, at 8 pounds to roasters.

Perdue takes guests through a broiler processing plant in Accomack County, Va. In the pre-dawn darkness, his big trucks, like elephants on parade, converge on unloading docks. The plant, employing 1,900 workers, averages 285,000 chickens a day. The chickens get hung, head down, on overhead shackles that move at awesome speed through killing, defeathering, evisceration, butchering into parts, chilling and packaging. Five hours after a chicken arrives it is on its way to market. It wears the red and yellow Perdue label like a flag.

By 1990, says Perdue, chicken will have overtaken beef as the No. 1 meat on the American table. He gives no thought to retiring. "I'm not the retiring type." This is a guy who loves what he does for a living. That's probably the fourth factor in his success — or the first.

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JUST LOOK WHAT ILLEGAL DRUGS HAVE DONE TO CONGRESS...



Lewis Grizzard

Where's the library at, jerk?

Do you ever get the feeling that because you didn't go to Harvard, you are less than a complete person, an intellectual sweatshop in comparison to those who did go to Harvard?

There is this Harvard "experience" they talk about, and most of the people who went to school there don't say "Harvard," they say, "Hah-vahd," and jut out their jaws in what I believe to be an expression of snobbism.

I've been following the celebration of fair Harvard's 350th birthday. It was such a big deal, they had to get the Prince of Wales, the future king of England, to come over and help out with the party.

Why did they want him over here? Wasn't there somebody in this country good enough for Harvard? Was Willie Nelson already booked?

I've been trying to ask myself if it is just sour grapes on my part that all this Harvard business has been getting on my nerves.

Needless to say, I didn't even apply to Harvard. I figured I would just get turned down anyway. Even if my grades had been good enough — which I doubt they were — I am not

from the quality stock that is necessary for the Harvard, well, experience.

None of my ancestry had anything to do with the founding of the country, with the possible exception of the infamous Archibald (Slick) Grizzard, who introduced certain games of chance and various strains of venereal disease on his way over on the Mayflower.

As soon as the Pilgrims finished stepping on Plymouth Rock, they hung Uncle Slick.

I have a friend who went to Harvard. He lives in New York. He is a dear friend until he decides he wants to make certain you remember he went to Harvard.

"When I was at Harvard..." is how he often begins conversations.

Or, there is, "I was talking to an old school chum from Harvard, and..."

Or, my favorite, "Over drinks at the Harvard Club last evening..."

Harvard, Smarvard. Let me ask these questions:

— Why did Benjamin Franklin once say the only

thing Harvard men were interested in was their appearance?

— What kind of school would have an organization known as the "Hasty Pudding Club"?

— If Harvard is such a great school, how did Teddy Kennedy get a degree from there?

— And when was the last time the Harvard football team went to a bowl game?

So Harvard is 350 years old. Big deal. I enjoyed Johnny Carson's line: "Harvard is so old, scribbled on the men's room wall is, 'For a good time, call Betsy Ross.'"

I like this old story, too:

A Georgia graduate is visiting Harvard. He is trying to locate the library. He asks a student, "Could you tell me where the library is at?"

The student replies, "Here at fair Harvard, sir, we never end a sentence with a preposition."

Replied the Georgia man, "Then, allow me to rephrase the question. 'Where is the library at, jerk?'"

Even when you clean that one up, it makes its point.

Chilean forces using latest torture tricks

By Don Graff

Rodrigo Andres Rojas De Negri, a 19-year-old student, was incinerated by Chilean security forces early in July.

The widely publicized incident became something of an international affair, as the U.S. government strongly protested the Chilean government's behavior in the matter. The victim, although a Chilean, had been a U.S. resident.

Such official brutality, though not always so spectacularly evidenced, is common in the Chile of President Gen. Augusto Pinochet.

Amnesty International, the worldwide human rights organization, has just released a report that goes into that subject in horrifying detail. It finds that coercion and indiscriminate

attacks on civilians, systematic use of torture, abductions and political arrests all on the rise.

"A typical arrest occurs at dawn," the report notes. "Heavily armed men and women force their way into the house, often threatening or hitting family members. If the person they want is not there, another family member may be taken for questioning."

There has been a noticeable increase in the intimidation of government opponents by clandestine forces, popularly termed "unknowns." Highly organized, well-financed and using vehicles without registration plates, they operate without restraint.

Four victims cited in the report were community workers for the Roman Catholic Church in Santiago, the

capital. The report says, "The unidentified agents, sometimes hooded, warned them to stay away from the Christian groups and accused them of being communists. All were subjected to systematic intimidation through telephone and written threats. Some had crosses burned or cut into their bodies."

The only real difference between the "unknowns" and the regular uniformed security forces is that there is no question as to the identity of the latter. They are equally abusive of the public.

Amnesty reports on one man, Maximo Baez Jaramillo, whom police beat with truncheons, kicked and dragged on the ground before throwing into a canal during the widespread unrest of September 1985. Another, Ubaldo de la Fuente Galdames, was

forced to walk over burning car tires in his bare feet.

Torture is against Chilean law, but its systematic use by the military government is, according to Amnesty, "an open secret." Victims include political and human rights activists, trade unionists, community leaders and church workers, among others. The methods "almost invariably include electric shocks of the most sensitive parts of the body — ears, mouth, genitals, nipples, fingers, anus — while the victim is tied to a metal grid."

Near-drowning in tubs of water and burning with cigarettes are also favored techniques. Doctors are often present at the sessions to advise if the victims are up to the treatment and to revive them when necessary.

TEXAS

House committee looks at the 'Senate' tax bill

AUSTIN (AP) — The House Ways and Means Committee has begun the process that could lead to a tax bill, but the chairman says any tax hike produced by the current special session would be the Senate's fault.

"We're here today to discuss the Senate tax bill. I emphasize that because the speaker's program would work," Chairman Stan Schlueter said Wednesday before his panel listened to testimony on tax proposals.

The committee took no votes, and did not consider any specific bill.

Speaker Gib Lewis signed on Wednesday as an important ally in Gov. Mark White's battle for a temporary increase in the state sales tax.

Lewis, who Tuesday conceded that a tax hike is inevitable, said Wednesday the state sales tax, now 4 1/2 percent, should be raised to 5 1/4 percent until September 1987.

That matches the plan White has called for since he summoned lawmakers to Austin in August to attack the projected \$2.8 billion

budget deficit.

"My personal preference is the 1 1/2 percent increase in sales tax and let that be it and that it be temporary," said Lewis, D-Fort Worth.

Lewis and Schlueter still say the speaker's plan to make spending cuts and cash management changes would work, but both acknowledge that not enough of it would pass to avoid a tax hike.

"It does get us through to the next session without a tax bill. But there has been a total reluctance on the part of the Senate to consider the cuts that the House addressed," said Schlueter, D-Killeen.

The chairman said no tax bill would be considered by his committee before House and Senate negotiators agree on spending cuts.

The Ways and Means Committee listened Wednesday to several tax plans. Rep. Bill Hollowell, D-Grand Saline, wants to raise the 4 1/2 state sales tax to 5 percent, with all the money going to prisons.

Sen. Bill Sarpalius, D-Amarillo, proposed a sales tax that would fluctuate, based on the price of oil. Rep. Al Luna, D-Houston, sought support for his bill that reflects White's plan.

Bob Lanier, chairman of the state highway commission, backed a 5-cent per gallon increase in the motor fuels tax.

But C.A. Stubbs of San Antonio, representing the Texas Association of Concerned Taxpayers, said taxpayers cannot afford to pay more.

"The state and federal and local tax authorities must not take money from the taxpayers faster than they make it. This is the stuff of which tax rebellions are made," Stubbs testified.

Although a majority of the House Ways and Means Committee opposes a tax bill, Lewis predicted such a measure would get to the floor.

"I think they realize we need to get that bill out on the floor," he said of the Republican majority committee.



FATAL CAVE-IN — Rescue workers raise the body of 32-year-old Juan Armando Flores, killed when the walls of a sewage trench collapsed at a construction site in west Amarillo Wednesday afternoon. Flores was trapped inside the trench for 40 minutes as crews used back-hoes and shovels to recover the body. (AP Laserphoto)

Income tax measure to get another vote in Texas House

AUSTIN (AP) — A measure that would prohibit state corporate or personal income taxes has a second chance coming in the Texas House.

The proposed constitution amendment failed by one vote on Wednesday of getting the 100 votes needed to advance to the Senate, even with Speaker Gib Lewis voting for it.

A third and final vote was scheduled today.

"We knew from our polling that a number of our votes were unable to be there today, so we were pleasantly surprised when we came so close without them even being there," said Richard Ford of Dallas, chairman of Texans Against State Income Taxes.

"We are confident that we will have more than the require 100 votes on third reading," Ford said Wednesday.

The vote Wednesday was 99-31, with 20 House members absent.

In 1985, a similar proposal passed the House with 106 votes but died in the Senate.

"This bill is going to the Senate to die there," said Rep. Paul Moreno, D-El Paso. "I think we are going against the will of the people. All polls show people are for a corporate profits tax."

"This merely lets the voters have the last say," argued Rep.

Bill Haley, D-Center, one of its sponsors.

"The people of this state should have the opportunity from now on so that if we get to the place we have to have a corporate or personal income tax, they will do it themselves," Haley said.

If finally approved by the Legislature, the proposed constitution change would be on the November 1987 ballot.

"If we find we need an income tax, the people can change the constitution again," Haley said.

"This is very bad public policy," argued Rep. Al Price, D-Beaumont. "It closes the door on some very viable options, options that legislatures of the future may need to keep the state solvent."

"We are just passing the buck with this," said Rep. Irma Rangel, D-Kingville. "The people have already empowered us to act in behalf of the voters."

"It would be most discouraging to our businesses in today's economic climate if they were singled out to pay an income tax," said Rep. Bill Ceverha, R-Dallas. "This would severely hurt the creation of new jobs among small and medium-size businesses where most new jobs come from."

The House also again voted

against another proposed constitutional amendment, one that would allow state funds to be invested in businesses that create jobs in Texas.

The vote Wednesday was 74-54, with 100 votes needed to send it to the Senate. On Tuesday the amendment failed 71-41.

Senior citizens Sesquicentennial quilt stolen

BEAUMONT, Texas (AP) — A Sesquicentennial quilt stolen during a burglary was going to be raffled off to help pay for a Christmas dinner for some senior citizens, officials say.

The quilt, made by members of the Seville Seniors Citizens in nine days, was stolen from the

Beaumont Nutrition for the Elderly Inc. during a burglary early Tuesday, said Norma Crane, center director.

"It meant a great deal to a lot of people," Ms. Crane said. "Some said, 'I feel like I lost a member of my own family.'"

The red, white and blue quilt with red backing was one of many projects for residents of the Seville Apartments, a federally subsidized complex for senior citizens. It was going to be raffled off to help pay for a catered Christmas dinner for residents of complex.

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House passage of tax overhaul seen



DEPARTURE STATEMENT — Philippine President Corason Aquino makes a departure statement at the White House Wednesday as President Reagan looks on.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congressional tax-writers are preparing to submit a compromise tax-overhaul plan to their colleagues, and nose-counters say there is no question that they will have enough votes for House passage.

The first vote on the nearly 2,000-page package will come Tuesday or Wednesday in the House, and although its sponsors do not yet have enough commitments to assure passage, they say they are confident they will win.

"It won't be overwhelming but it will pass by a comfortable margin," Rep. Byron Dorgan, D-N.D., a member of the tax-writing Ways and Means Committee, said Wednesday.

A Senate vote would come before Congress adjourns around Oct. 3.

Following a closed caucus of House Democrats to drum up support for the bill, leaders checked their notes and could count only about 100 solid votes among the 252 Democrats. Rep.

Jim Moody, D-Wis., a member of the task force pushing for passage, predicted about 100 of the 180 Republicans will support it.

If all members of the House are present, it would take 217 votes to pass the bill.

But John Sherman, a spokesman for the House Ways and Means Committee, said sponsors are confident they have more than enough votes to win. He agreed with the count of only 100 solid votes, but said "we only count a member as solid if he signs his name in blood. If he even blinks, he's listed as leaning."

"We aren't there yet, but there is a great number of undecideds," said Rep. Richard Gephardt, D-Mo., a long-time advocate of tax overhaul.

There has been little enthusiasm for the compromise bill among members of either party, although few lawmakers are eager to work for defeat of a measure that President Reagan has put at the top of his agenda. Although there are many undesirable provisions in the bill, said

Gephardt and Dorgan, most lawmakers will consider the package preferable to present law.

But the final votes won't be unanimous. House Majority Leader Jim Wright, D-Texas, predicted the bill will bring in less revenue than backers are forecasting.

The bill, Wright said, "is like a

swig of bad whisky. It may make you feel good right now but it'll give you a heck of a hangover tomorrow."

The bill would significantly reduce individual and corporate tax rates but make more income subject to tax by eliminating or repealing several deductions and exclusions.

Mrs. Aquino gets installment on aid

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan, praising Philippines leader Corason Aquino's economic revival plan, is handing over more U.S. aid while cautioning her against trusting communist guerrillas at the bargaining table.

Mrs. Aquino, the U.S.-educated widow of former opposition leader Benigno Aquino, is trying to hold together a faction-ridden, impoverished government. She was heading to Capitol Hill today to address a joint meeting of Congress and seek more U.S. financial support.

After Reagan and Mrs. Aquino met at the White House on Wednesday, her counsel, Teodoro Locsin, quoted Reagan as telling her, "I've had experience dealing with communists, and you have to be careful."

At the same time, Locsin told reporters that Reagan appeared to accept Mrs. Aquino's plan for dealing with the insurgent New People's Army, which has picked up wide support in the poverty-stricken rural regions of the Philippines.

Her strategy calls for a good-faith government effort to settle the war by negotiations, economic reforms that might dissolve peasant grievances and ultimately — but only if necessary — tough military action.

Locsin said both leaders "have the same cynicism about the hard-core guerrillas coming down from the hills," but that Mrs. Aquino feels a need to exhaust peaceful means before invoking military options.

Talks between representatives of the government and the guerrillas began this summer, but no progress has been reported.

A U.S. official, eager to dispel any suggestions that the administration is dissatisfied with Mrs. Aquino's performance, said the United States is solidly behind the strategy. "We are completely in accord," said the official, who spoke only on condition he not be identified.

At a black-tie dinner at the State Department Wednesday evening, Secretary of State George Shultz told the Philippine leader, "We are on your side. Our partnership makes an irreplaceable contribution to stability in the Pacific."

In response, Mrs. Aquino cautioned Shultz that in the "new, mature relationship" between the two countries, the Philippines would sometimes be difficult to deal with, but she said, for the United States, a democracy, "this should be a virtue, not a vice in your eyes."

Mrs. Aquino's visit with Reagan for 45 minutes in the Oval Office and at a White House luncheon was the first official meeting of a nine-day trip to the United States and it was the first time they have met.

Speaking to reporters afterward, Reagan said "her efforts to reconcile all elements of her society and bring them into the democratic process are applauded here."

The president heaped unequal praise on Mrs. Aquino's economic program, which is designed to nibble away at the country's \$26 billion foreign debt

through economic reforms and increased incentives for private industry.

"I'm bullish on the Philippines," Reagan declared. "I would hope American as well as foreign investors take notice of this incredible opportunity to help build a country."

Following through on a pledge to give the Philippines as much financial assistance as possible, Reagan turned over a \$100 million installment on the multi-million dollar aid package promised for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30.

U.S. payments to the Philippines now total more than \$500 million in the current fiscal year, and Reagan said he would "continue to ask Congress for appropriate levels of economic and military assistance beyond an existing U.S. base-related commitments."

Crude oil imports at a six-year high

NEW YORK (AP) — U.S. imports of crude oil and refined products hit the highest level in six years last month because of plunging prices, increased demand and shrinking domestic production, an industry group reports.

Last month, the United States imported an average 6.85 million 42-gallon barrels a day of crude and refined products, 48.8 percent more than the 6.89 million-barrel combined total in August 1985 — and just under the previous high of 6.89 million barrels in June 1980, the American Petroleum Institute said Wednesday.

Refined products include gasoline, kerosine jet fuel and heating oil.

So far this year, total imports have been 21.9 percent more than in the comparable eight-month period of 1985, the Washington-based organization said.

Oil prices had dropped from more than \$30 a barrel late last year to levels between \$7 and \$10 a barrel in early August, as members of the 13-nation Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries opened the floodgates in an effort to secure a "fair share" of the world petroleum market.

At that time, OPEC announced a two-month joint production cut-back agreement, beginning Sept. 1, aimed at bolstering prices by reducing aggregate output by about 3 million barrels daily to 16.8 million barrels a day. The market since responded with prices rising to levels between \$14 and \$16 a barrel.

In its latest report, the API said Americans used 3.2 percent more gasoline in August — or 7.5 million barrels a day — than they did in August 1985.

When other major refined products are included, the demand difference was 3.5 percent last month over the year-ago equivalent.

In the first eight months of 1986, the increased demand for major products totaled 2.2 percent, the report said.

The industry group also said that domestic crude oil production continued to decline in August, to about 8.7 million barrels daily. This was 1.7 percent less than the 8.8 million barrel-a-day output of August 1985.

In the eight-month period, U.S. domestic production averaged nearly 8.9 million barrels daily, down 1.1 percent from the comparable 1985 period, it said.

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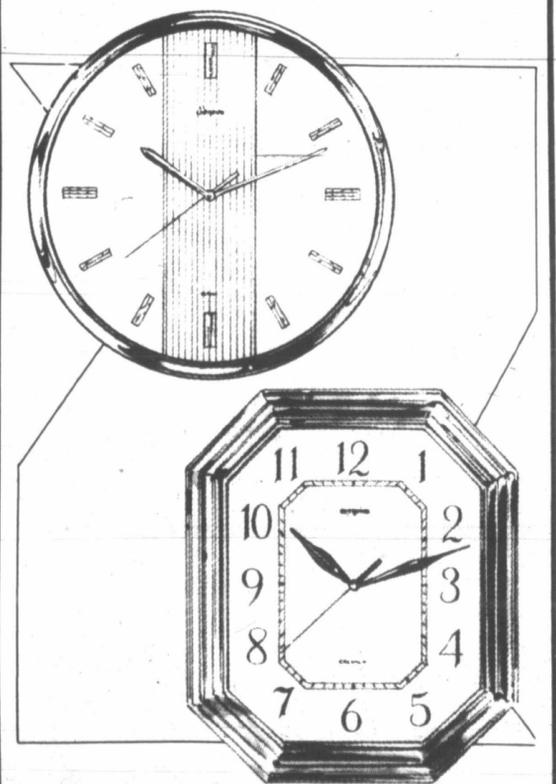
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Load of antiques is full of little mysteries

By MARY MARGARET DAVIS
The El Paso Times

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Why were copies of an English welder's birth and death certificates left in a secret drawer in an old oak sideboard?

That's only one of the small mysteries that crossed the Atlantic and made their way to El Paso recently in six 40-foot containers of furniture.

When El Paso antiques dealer Linda Van Pelt visited England and France last year, she made it a working vacation, buying up the contents of a few private homes and several class hotels and neighborhood pubs that were being remodeled or closed.

"I'd say to the people running the sales, 'I'll take half (of the display room) or 'I want everything that I saw on the upstairs floor,'" she said.

A big truck followed Ms. Van Pelt as she went from sale to sale,

packing away her purchases on the spot. When she was ready to go to France, the truck crossed the English Channel on a ship. She went over by ferry and soon she and the truck were back together, on the trail of furnishing sales.

Upon returning to England, Ms. Van Pelt flew home, leaving it to a broker to get the 340 pieces of merchandise loaded into containers and put aboard ships bound for Houston, the ocean port nearest El Paso. There the containers were transferred to specially designed trucks and put on the road to Ms. Van Pelt's shop.

"Of course, I didn't go through the pieces before they were shipped," Ms. Van Pelt said, "so we found quite a few surprises when we began unpacking them. Customers bought some things before we had checked them, and they told us they found things, too. For instance, a baby's wardrobe chest still had a little

child's security blanket inside a compartment."

Among the credenzas, vanities, tables, chairs, wardrobes, beds and chests of drawers was the heavy sideboard in which Ms. Van Pelt and manager Adele Harmon found the two papers that told the life story of the welder.

She was one Leah Godfrey, born in 1904 in Birmingham to John William Kirk and his wife, Elizabeth Kirk formerly Mooney. Leah Godfrey married a gas inspector, Leonard Charles Godfrey, who preceded her in death; and was mother of their son, Frederick John Godfrey, who was present at her death early this year in West Heath Hospital in Birmingham.

Van Pelt said she would wonder always how those papers came to be in that drawer. She would never have found them had she not noticed that a large piece of carved wood, which bowed out

between two obvious drawers, appeared to be loose.

Pulling on it, she discovered it was the front of a secret drawer, lined with green felt and divided into compartments especially for the storage of a set of silver flatware, safely concealed from burglars.

Other mementos that Ms. Van Pelt has found and saved include a large silver-deckle-edged card with engraved lettering and an elaborate crest — a very formal program for a "dinner on the occasion of saying farewell to Mr. T.E. Mahir of the Metropolitan Police, deputy commander of the Police College in Ryton-on-Dunsmore."

At the party on Dec. 12, 1957, the evening opened with a toast to the queen, followed by melon frappe, cream of tomato soup, roast turkey and ham, chipolata sausage, cranberry jelly, bread sauce, french fried potatoes, and garden peas. For dessert, being

the holiday season, there was Christmas pudding with brandy sauce and a tray of Stilton, Cheddar and petit Gruyere cheeses and biscuits.

Music at the retirement party was by the Metropolitan Police Central Band, "by kind permission of the police commissioner.

Sir John Nott-Bower." "We'll always wonder who were Hersey and Fordham whose home address was The Hill, Stratford-on-Avon," Ms. Van Pelt said. "Two of their Christmas cards from the 1950s were in a desk drawer, with pictures of their four beautiful children."

Highway angel takes in wasteland wanderers

By LISA LEVITT RYCKMAN
Associated Press Writer

GREEN RIVER, Utah (AP) — When the walking dead and the defeated road warriors wander in from the wasteland, the woman people call the Highway Angel takes them under her wing.

In the unforgiving desert of southeastern Utah, heaven is where you find it. For more than 5,000 lost souls in six years, the pearly gates have been chain-link, and salvation has been waiting in seven aging trailers at the desolate intersection of Interstate 70 and U.S. Highway 6 just west of Green River.

The unlikely looking guardian angel at the door is a 65-year-old Chippewa Indian with sunken cheeks and wire-rimmed glasses, black hair streaked with gray and a heavy crucifix around her tanned neck.

A steady parade of life's cast-offs have found with Helen Murray solace and a sandwich, a bed for weary bones, a cool drink for parched throats and a moment of acceptance in a world full of rejection.

"I call them the walking dead because their minds are gone," Murray said. "And when your mind is gone, why, the only thing that's left is your body, and you're putting one foot in front of the other."

Many of the wanderers are military veterans or mental patients released from institutions, people who don't know where they're going and don't know where they've been, who talk to themselves or punch holes in her walls.

Sometimes Murray cruises the highways, sharp eyes on the lookout for people who haven't had a ride all day. Sometimes, people with nowhere left to go walk down a hill to the trailers where she acts as a 24-hour security guard for two companies' abandoned buildings.

"At night, you can't see any lights down here, and I asked them, 'How did you know I was down here?' and they would tell me, 'There's a light at the top of the hill.' But there's no light up there," Murray said. "And I thought, well, if there's a light at the top of the hill, and I didn't put it there, and nobody else put it there, then God must have put it there, and there was a reason for it."

She used to have an arrangement with the Emery County sheriff's office, which would refer transients to her. This year, they stopped doing that, citing liability worries.

"(Emery County officials) tell me I cannot do the work God set in front of me," she fumed in an interview. "I can and I will. What I do in my own house is my own

business. You still have the right to have who you want in your house, whether it's a bum or a millionaire."

Murray said she plans to move her trailers to property she owns

in neighboring Grand County.

Tom Kuehne, unit supervisor of Grand County social services, said the county informally supported Murray's efforts but had the same liability concerns as

Emery County.

"We were afraid somebody was going to knock her over the head," Kuehne said, adding that employees greatly admired her skill and good will.

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 - Garment piece
 - Quiz
 - Compass point
 - Requires
 - Wet
 - Use a chair
 - Common conjunction
 - Electrical unit
 - Antique
 - Marina sight
 - Worker
 - Cry of an owl
 - Spoke untruthfully
 - Release
 - Senior
 - Elaire
 - Not many
 - Auto workers' union (abbr.)
 - Sign at sellout (abbr.)
 - Smyrna
 - The
 - Mutiny
 - 2001, Roman
 - Father
 - Star
 - Soft food
 - Jacket
 - Actor
 - Kristofferson
 - British Navy abbreviation
 - Let
 - Business deal
- DOWN**
- Bent to one side
 - Vast period of time

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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NIS	CIT
CSA	ART
RES	RES
YUL	EIGHT
RUG	NEO
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EGGER	MDL
CPA	LAM
AIM	AIM
COO	OWL
NAB	NAB
ORPHAN	LAMELY
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41 One who brings up
45 Pen
47 Makes pig sounds
48 Moslem priest
49 Speeds
51 Ibsen character

52 Vice
53 Speed measure (abbr.)
55 Man's nickname
57 Peer Gynt's mother

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Astro-Graph

by bernice bede osol
Sept. 19, 1986

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Your luck has its limits today, so don't push it to the brink. If you take too many foolish chances, one may misfire. Major changes are ahead for Virgos in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, PO Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Today you might not be too cooperative with those who love you the most. Yet, you're apt to go out of your way to be helpful to casual acquaintances.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You will be justly compensated today in proportion to the efforts you expend. If you're performing work for another, don't expect a week's salary for a day's labor.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You can make a good time for yourself today, but you can't buy one. Just because a certain activity is expensive is no assurance that it'll be enjoyable.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You have a low kindling point today and things that normally don't disturb you could fan the flames of anger. Laugh them off as you usually do.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) When dealing with others today, you could read more into their actions than they intend. Instead of looking for hidden meanings, take people at face value.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Your companions will have a strong influence over your spending patterns today. If you pal around with high rollers, you could blow more than you should.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Don't take anything for granted in important career matters today. The opposition could develop into something stiffer than you anticipate.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Conditions look fruitful for you today where your finances are concerned, but there's a possibility something unpleasant could ensue with an associate.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Try not to make mountains out of molehills today. You may be a trifle too sensitive with pals and treat minor infractions too seriously.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You can advance a personal ambition today, provided you act free from the restraining influences of others. Be your own person.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Allocate your time wisely today so that you will be able to participate in pleasurable pursuits without ignoring your responsibilities.

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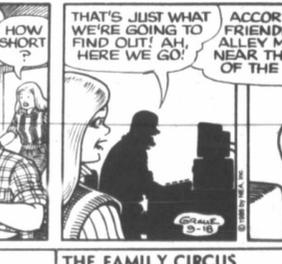
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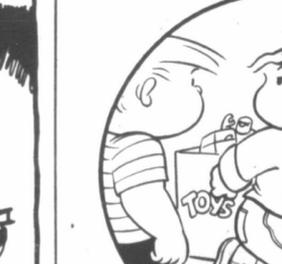
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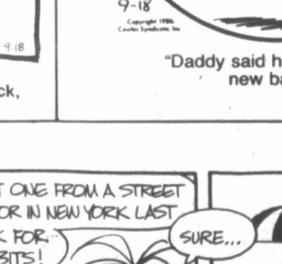
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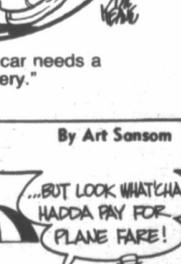
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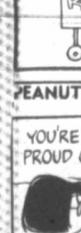
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By Charles M. Schultz



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LIFESTYLES

Cancer Society ends year with award presentations

PANHANDLE — Award presentations and installation of 1986-87 officers were the highlights of the final meeting this year of the Carson County unit of the American Cancer Society.

The following officers were installed for the 1986-87 year: Doug Harvey, president; Connie McKiernan, vice president; Ava Hale, secretary; Margaret Dauer, treasurer; Diane Mooring, education chairman; Phyllis Prendergast, medical chairman; David Mooring, Crusade chairman; Catherine Brown, service - rehabilitation chairman; Thelma Hood, public information chairman; Carolyn Hermismeyer and Reva Roselius, Youth Against Cancer committee; and remaining board members, Bethel Robinson, Judy Purvines and Charlene Weller.

Robinson, outgoing president, submitted a final report for the year of \$9,393, reflecting the largest amount of funds raised for the society in the county. Robinson was also presented with the "Sword of Hope Award" for her outstanding service to the



ROBINSON and McKiernan with their awards.

Cancer Society from 1983 to 1986. McKiernan received the "Life-guard Award" for exceeding last year's program results and for exceeding the public education youth and adult goals set for the year. Both Robinson's and

McKiernan's awards were presented by Melody Miller of Amarillo, ACS District 15 representative.

Hood was recognized as a charter member of the American Cancer Society, Carson Unit.

Sisters win at pageants

Pampa sisters, Ashley and Kristi Broadbent, each won honors in recent area pageants, including national honors. They are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Broadbent of Pampa.

Kristi, 2, won overall photogenic in the Girl of the Year National Pageant in Oklahoma City. She previously won overall photogenic and photogenic in her division in the Kids of America Pageant in Booker and overall photogenic and photogenic in her division in the Girl of the Year Pageant in Perryton.

Four-year-old Ashley was named talent winner in the 3 to 6 year division in the Girl of the Year Pageant in Perryton. She also won second alternate in



Kristi Broadbent



Ashley Broadbent

beauty. She previously won second alternate in talent in the Kids of America Pageant in Booker.

Ashley and Kristi are the granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Chase and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Broadbent, all of Pampa.

Fall hit! day-to-dinner suits

By FLORENCE DE SANTIS
Newspaper Enterprises Assn.

A beaded sweater isn't always the answer on those days when you have to go right from work to a dinner date. To solve the problem, separates designers have expanded their revival of day suits to dressier versions that can double as office and evening wear.

A favorite silhouette in dinner suits is the waist-fitted, peplum-flared jacket. Anna Sui even doubles the peplum, with one on the long slim skirt and the other on the coachman jacket, both of black rayon sateen. Most designers are content with one, often varying its detailing.

The peplum on Kathryn Conover's black rayon velvet dinner suit, with puff-top sleeves, ripples gently around the hips. Tahari's black rayon moire jacket features a pleated fishtail peplum whose front lies close to the body. Morton Myles' entire col-

lection makes a definite point of peplums, starting with his gold metallic silk suit accented with a dramatically flared peplum done with waistline tucks.

Myles also adds a twist to dinner clothes with hybrids he calls suit-dresses. One in gray flannel with a full skirt has a band-collared Russian-blouse top, which closes in back. Its seams curve in at the waist, then move out to shape the peplum-like hemline. Silver embroidery on the lower sleeves lends a subtly glamorous accent to the suit fabric.

Lengthen the peplum jacket until its rippling hemline creates a tunic effect over a narrow skirt, and you have another version of this look. At Chetta B., designers Peter Noviello and Sherie Bloom use military cutaway styling and double-breasted button detailing for a collarless, fitted long jacket and short, slim skirt in purple heavy wool crepe.

Cathy Hardwick likes the same silhouette single-breasted and

accented with one large patch pocket in taupe and black rayon tweed that can be jeweled for late day. Norbury & Osuna use gray glen plaid for their fitted coachman jacket with flared hem over a skirt with back ripple silhouette.

Beyond the day-to-dinner suit there's the suit look that starts at cocktail time, in dressier fabrics and details. Richard Warren likes it in two kinds of silk. He uses shocking pink cloque for the fitted top, which is jacket-styled and buttoned in diamante buttons between rows of softly irregular pocket-height shirring. The slim but easy skirt is black tissue faille.

Tracy Mills' shapely peplum suit with melon sleeves come in emerald silk-cotton ottoman. Geoffrey Beene sharply fits and flares a peplum jacket in quilted black silk over a gleaming black lame skirt that's softly rounded over the hips. Dinner suits this fall show variety in hem lengths,

Five minutes in closed car is matter of life and death

DEAR ABBY: Recently a mailman approached my car, concerned for my infant son who had been left alone in his car seat. I had parked my car in a shaded spot and was within six feet of it, maintaining visual contact while I was on the phone getting directions to my doctor's office. I saw this mailman starting to open my car door when I yelled at him! That's when he told me never to leave a child in a closed car — that he could die in this Arizona heat. I was almost hysterical anyway, then defensive to get a lecture like that! Me — an educated person.

Last week I heard in a newscast that two children had died after being left in a closed car for what their mother said was "only a few minutes." The newscaster went on to say that in a hot climate, the temperature can rise to 200 degrees within minutes, and a child — or a pet — can be dead within five minutes.

Thank God and that mailman I didn't have to learn the hard way. Abby, warn other readers, but please don't use my name. I'm a school teacher and people might think I am irresponsible. I'm not. I was only ignorant.

ARIZONA READER

DEAR READER: I have warned my readers about this danger several times, but I'll repeat it for those who may have missed it: On a hot summer day, the inside of a car heats very quickly. On an 85-degree day, for example, the temperature inside your car — with the windows slightly open — will reach 102 within 10 minutes. In 30 minutes, it will go up to 120 degrees. On warmer days, it will go even higher! A child can easily be overcome by heat

exhaustion in such conditions. So please do not leave a child or a pet in a closed car — ever, for even a few minutes. Should you be detained for any reason, those "few minutes" could run into 10 or 20 minutes, and the delay could be tragic!

DEAR ABBY: Will you please add this to your collection of letters complaining about the misuse of the English language? This is not a grammatical error, it's a moral one. I would like to begin a campaign against the use of the expression "killing two birds with one stone."

Abby, why would anybody want to kill even one bird with a stone? I can hear the retort: "But it's only a figure of speech." That's not true. I'm a great believer in the theory that language reflects our values, so if we nonchalantly talk about killing two birds, how far are we from actually doing it? Couldn't we just say, "Do two things at the same time"? It means the same thing. As a bird lover, I find that expression very offensive. Thanks

for providing a forum for us complainers.

A BLEEDING HEART
LIBERAL VEGETARIAN

DEAR VEGETARIAN: Although I'm guilty of using that expression, I would never kill a bird. But now that you've called my attention to its offensiveness, you'll never hear a peep out of me.

DEAR ABBY: Here's a new one. Is it possible for a woman who is past childbearing age to have a fertile egg implanted in her womb and be able to nourish and deliver a normal, healthy baby?

Doesn't that sound exciting for all the grandmothers like me with eight children and 10 grandchildren? Wow!

HOPING IN OTTAWA

DEAR HOPING: Alas, it's not possible, so enjoy your grandchildren, and leave the childbearing to your children. It's their turn to propagate.

DEAR ABBY: I have a question I hope you can answer. Can a Protestant minister perform his own marriage ceremony? I've been told it is unethical and it may even be illegal. Please find out and print your answer, as my mail is not as private as I would like it to be. Thank you.

FLORIDA READER

DEAR READER: According to Florida Statute 714, a minister may not perform his own marriage ceremony.

Amarillo nursing home hosts open house

AMARILLO — An open house for the newly completed expansion of Bivins Memorial Nursing Home in Amarillo is to be hosted Sunday by the trustees and board of directors of the Mary E. Bivins Foundation.

The original facility was com-

pleted in 1968. Renovation has been underway the past year and has doubled the facility's capacity. It is now licensed for 140 beds with each resident having a private room and bath.

Bivins Memorial Nursing Home provides intermediate and

skilled nursing care to its residents, both privately and through the Medicare and Medicaid programs.

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SPORTS SCENE

Mets grab National League East championship Gooden throws six-hitter at Cubs

By DICK BRINSTER
AP Sports Writer

Dwight Gooden admitted to being scared once it was over and rookie Dave Magadan was glad he didn't do anything to embarrass himself as the New York Mets won the National League East championship.

Gooden, who pitched a six-hitter as the Mets beat the Chicago Cubs 4-2, was nearly trampled when many of the 47,823 fans swarmed the field as Shea Stadium as second baseman Wally Backman threw to first baseman Keith Hernandez to retire Chico Walker for the final out.

"I got knocked down on the ground," Gooden said. "I didn't know who was on top of me. It was really a scary feeling. You don't know what's going to happen."

Magadan, who was pressed into service at first base when a touch of virus kept Hernandez out of the starting lineup, had three hits and drove in two runs, including the game-winning in the third inning.

"I was just concentrating so much on not screwing up," Magadan said. "You never know how you'll react in that situation."

Elsewhere in the NL, it was Houston 6, Cincinnati 1; St. Louis 8, Philadelphia 5; Atlanta 4, Los Angeles 1, and San Diego 5, San Francisco 4 in 10 innings. Montreal beat Pitt-

sburgh 6-5 in the first game of a two-night doubleheader. The Pirates won the nightcap 4-1.

Gooden, 15-6, struck out eight and walked five. He lost his shutout bid when Rafael Palmeiro hit a two-run homer in the eighth. But he was determined to finish the game.

"It was great to be out there," he said in the midst of a wild clubhouse celebration where the champagne that had been iced on-and-off since last Friday night, was finally uncorked. "I wanted to finish... I wanted to be out there."

The Mets had lost four straight games on a road trip to Philadelphia and St. Louis before winning Tuesday night over the Cardinals to clinch at least.

Magadan, a .311 hitter before his recall from Tidewater of the International League, said "never in my wildest dreams" did he expect to play a major role in the clincher.

Astros 6, Reds 1
Houston's Jose Cruz wasn't impressed with his own performance, but when you haven't hit two homers in a game in the last two seasons you certainly have to be satisfied.

"I was lucky tonight," the 39-year-old Cruz said after hitting two home runs and driving in five runs as the Astros reduced their magic number to nine with 17 games remaining. Any combination of Hous-

ton victories and Cincinnati defeats totaling nine would give the Astros the NL West title.

Danny Darwin, 3-1, allowed just five hits as the Astros beat the Reds for the 13th time in 17 games.

Braves 4, Dodgers 1

Fernando Valenzuela wasn't about to blame his teammates for his failure to win his 20th game, but Los Angeles Manager Tom Lasorda was disgusted with the Dodgers' lack of runs.

"I was behind the hitters all the time," said Valenzuela, 19-10, who walked five and gave up 10 hits. "It was not one of my better games."

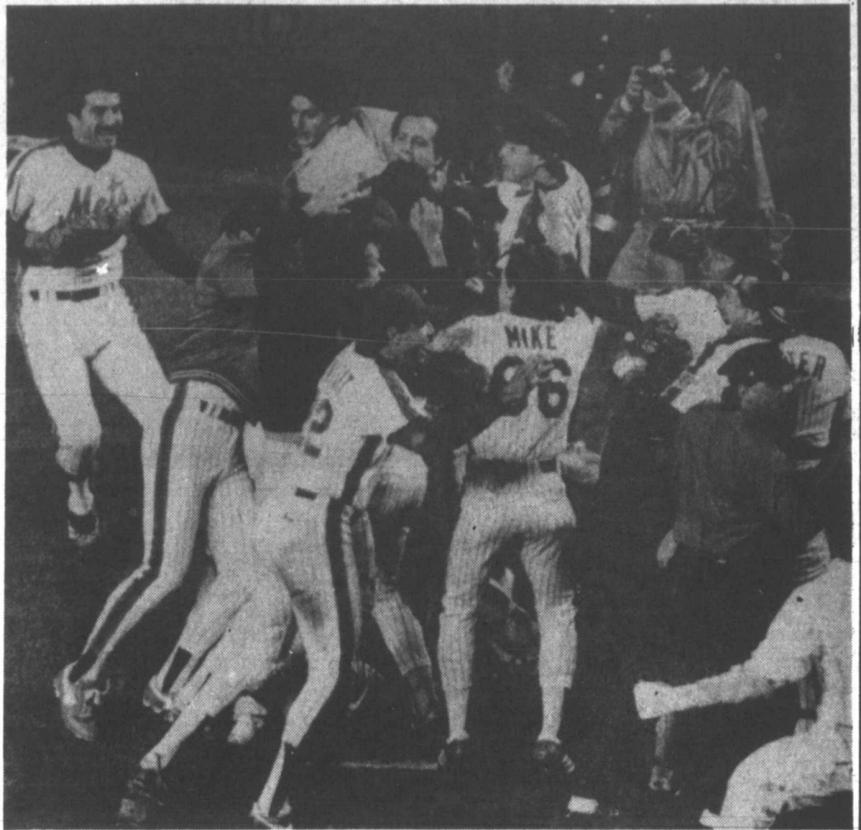
"The man pitches an outstanding game and we can't score any runs for him," Lasorda said. "This game pretty much indicates the kind of season it has been for us."

Cardinals 8, Phillies 5

Bob Forsch didn't think he pitched very well, but was thankful for the presence of rookie reliever Todd Worrell.

"I wasn't tired, I was just struggling," said Forsch, 14-6. "Todd did a great job."

Worrell, tied with Montreal's Jeff Reardon for the league lead in saves with 34, blanked Philadelphia over the last 1 2-3 innings.



Mets celebrate division-clinching victory.

AP Laserphoto

Pepitone convicted on drug charges

NEW YORK (AP) — Former New York Yankee slugger Joe Pepitone was convicted of misdemeanor drug charges but acquitted of more serious drug and weapon possession charges following a three-week trial.

Pepitone was convicted of possession of a controlled substance in the seventh degree, a misdemeanor, and also of criminally using drug paraphernalia in the second degree, which is also a misdemeanor. A misdemeanor is punishable by up to a year in prison.

He was acquitted on all other counts, including the most serious drug charge against him, possession in the first degree, and was acquitted of a weapon possession charge.



Joe Pepitone (right) during a break in his three-week trial.

Fans still recall Irish, Michigan State deadlock

HERSCHEL NISSENSON

AP Football Writer

Twenty years have passed but people don't let Ara Parseghian forget the celebrated 10-10 tie between Notre Dame and Michigan State in 1966.

"I've been reminded of it a lot in the last 10 days," Parseghian said.

Notre Dame pays another visit to Michigan State on Saturday, and even though the Irish have gone through Dan Devine (six years), Gerry Faust (five) and now are in the Lou Holtz era, the circumstances surrounding that 1966 contest still are remembered.

At the time, Notre was 8-0 and ranked No. 1, Michigan State was 9-0 and ranked No. 2.

On the first play of the fourth quarter, Notre Dame's Joe Azzaro kicked an 18-yard field goal, tying the score 10-10. With less than two minutes remaining, Michigan State had a fourth-and-4 at its 36 and punted to the Notre Dame 30, triggering what became a raging controversy. Did Notre Dame play to win or tie?

Quarterback Terry Hanratty, running back Nick Eddy and center George Goeddeke were hurt.

Coley O'Brien, Hanratty's sub, ran for 4 yards, Rocky Bleier gained 3 and Larry Conjar made 2. On fourth-and-1, Notre Dame went for it and O'Brien sneaked for 2 yards and a first down.

O'Brien went back to pass but was sacked for a 7-yard loss by Bubba Smith. O'Brien then ran for 5 yards as the game ended.

Notre Dame remained No. 1 and clinched the national championship the following week — it was decided before the bowls at that time — by clobbering Southern California 51-0. Michigan State also wound up 9-0-1 and both teams finished ahead of 10-0 Alabama, ranking Bear Bryant un-

til his dying day since the Crimson Tide was No. 1 in the pre-season Associated Press poll.

Parseghian was castigated for playing for a tie. He still insists he was playing not to lose and would do it again.

Holtz will have Steve Beuerlein on Saturday and the 20th-ranked Irish are a 1-point favorite. Both teams are coming off tough losses and the pick is Michigan State 27-24.

Last week's prediction record was 31 right, 17 wrong and 3 ties for .646. For the season, it's 68-32-3—.680. Against the point spread, last week's mark was 10-17-1—.370; on the year, 23-28-1—.451.

Kelton girls struggle to victory

BRISCOE — Despite a two match to one rout of the Briscoe Broncos Tuesday, Kelton Volleyball coach Dean Johnson feels his girls could have done better.

The Lady Lions defeated Briscoe in the first match, 15-3. But Briscoe switched the figures in the second match when Kelton entered its junior varsity squad. By the third match, Johnson said "Briscoe played better and they picked up more momentum" challenging Kelton which came out on top 15-9.

The first three serves set the pace for the first game as the servers pommelled the ball over the net and scored before anyone else could get near the ball. The enthusiasm continued and it didn't take long for Kelton girls to score that winning 15th point.

Still, Johnson feels the game was a let-down for the girls, especially after impressive performances against larger schools at the Berger Varsity Tournament. "I think we got ourselves up to play the 3A and 4A schools and this was a come down for them," he said.

The Lady Lions face Mobeetie in District play 5 p.m. Thursday.

Minnesota at No. 1 Oklahoma (favored by 26): Oklahoma 35-7.

Oregon State at No. 3 Michigan (by 40): Michigan 63-0.

No. 4 Alabama (by 1) at No. 13 Florida: Alabama 24-21.

No. 5 Penn State (by 11½) at Boston College: Penn State 28-14.

No. 6 Nebraska (by 18½) at Illinois: Nebraska 35-14.

No. 11 Brigham Young at No. 7 Washington (by 7½): Washington 27-17.

Miami, Ohio at No. 8 LSU (no line): LSU 28-7.

Southern California at No. 9 Baylor (by 5): Southern Cal 21-17.

East Carolina at No. 10 Auburn (by 22): Auburn 45-7.



Michelle Keelin (5) watches as teammate Julie Moore rises to the occasion to score during Kelton's first match rout of Briscoe Tuesday.

Memphis State fires Kirk

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — Coach Dana Kirk, who built a nationally ranked basketball program at Memphis State while earning a reputation for angry court-side outbursts, is out of a job.

Kirk, 51, was fired Wednesday by university President Thomas Carpenter.

Citing the advice of counsel, Carpenter declined to discuss his reasons for firing Kirk, saying only that the university wants "to change the leadership of the men's basketball program."

Carpenter said the university will buy out the remaining 30 months of Kirk's five-year contract for about \$159,000.

Kirk was unavailable for comment and university officials said they didn't know how to contact him. Telephone calls went unanswered and no one answered the door at his residence.

For more than a year, Kirk's personal finances have been under review by a federal grand jury, but Carpenter refused to say whether that had anything to do with the coach's dismissal.

Assistant Larry Finch, a star guard with the 1973 Memphis State team that advanced to the NCAA Tournament finals, was named as Kirk's temporary replacement.

Kirk took over Memphis State's struggling basketball program in 1979 and, after a pair of losing seasons, led the Tigers to 20-win seasons and appearances in the NCAA Tournament in each of the last five seasons.

His 1985 team advanced to the Final Four, losing in the semifinals to eventual champion Villanova.

His record at Memphis State was 158-58.

The Tigers were not expecting a banner year this season, however, since several top members of the squad have used up their playing eligibility.

Keith Lee, the star center during Kirk's best years in Memphis, joined the Cleveland Cavaliers of

the National Basketball Association after the 1985 season. And 7-footer William Bedford, the standout center of last year's 28-6 team, gave up his final year of eligibility and was drafted by the Phoenix Suns.

Too, the NCAA put Memphis State on probation for paying out too much in federal grants to student-athletes, and the Tiger basketball squad is banned from the Metro Conference tournament this year.

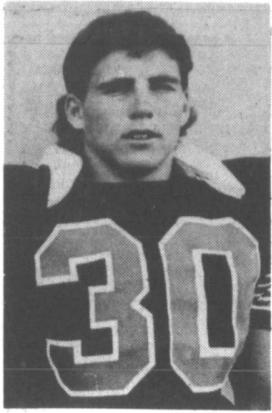
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New York	79	67	.541	Philadelphia	73	72	.503
Toronto	79	67	.541	Montreal	72	72	.500
Detroit	77	69	.527	Chicago	61	84	.421
Cleveland	74	72	.507	Pittsburgh	59	86	.407
Baltimore	69	77	.473	West Division			
Milwaukee	68	78	.466	Houston	83	62	.572
West Division				Cincinnati	74	71	.510
California	84	60	.583	San Francisco	74	72	.507
Texas	76	70	.521	Los Angeles	68	77	.469
Kansas City	68	77	.469	San Diego	68	78	.465
Oakland	67	80	.456	Atlanta	67	77	.465
Chicago	64	81	.441	x-clinched division title			
Seattle	64	82	.438	Montreal 6, Pittsburgh 5, 1st game			
Minnesota	62	83	.428	Pittsburgh 4, Montreal 1, 2nd game			
Wednesday's Games				Houston 6, Cincinnati 1			
Texas 4, Oakland 9				St. Louis 8, Philadelphia 5			
Baltimore 5, New York 3				New York 4, Chicago 2			
Cleveland 8, Minnesota 2				Atlanta 4, Los Angeles 1			
Detroit 8, Toronto 6				San Diego 5, San Francisco 4, 10 in-			
Boston 4, Milwaukee 1				nings			
California 3, Kansas City 1, 10 innings				Thursday's Games			
Chicago 3, Seattle 9				Houston (Ryan 10-8) at Cincinnati			
Thursday's Games				Chicago (Madux 1-2) at New York			
Milwaukee (Vuckovich 1-2) at Boston				(Anderson 1-1)			
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Chicago (Carlton 3-2) at Seattle (Swift				(Martinez 3-5)			
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(Witt 17-8), (n)				St. Louis (Mathews 10-6) at Philadelphia			
Friday's Games				Philadelphia (Madux 2-6), (n)			
New York at Detroit, (n)				Only games scheduled			
Boston at Toronto, (n)				Pittsburgh at Chicago			
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				San Diego at Houston, (n)			

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Salyer-less Mustangs await Okies' invasion



Dicky Salyer

By DAN MURRAY
Sports Writer

WHEELER — Wheeler standout running back Dicky Salyer is probably out for the year with a ruptured knee ligament, but it's no signal to start counting the Mustangs out.

After making an interception and scoring a touchdown, Salyer went down in the Mustangs' second series against Shamrock last week. X-rays revealed a ruptured anterior ligament in his left knee and doctors performed surgery. Arthroscopic surgery, from which the knee rehabilitates rapidly, was impossible. Salyer is recuperating in High Plains hospital.

"He's probably through with his high school career," Wheeler head coach Preston Smith said remorsefully. "It's a shame."

With good reason, the mood in the Wheeler camp could be somber. It's not. "Any time you have adversity kids kinda gather up and get after it harder," Smith said. "We talked with kids about

Dicky, and after that they got after it and had a real good practice. The coaching staff is probably down about it more than the kids. They've got their motors going. We've still got 35 who can play."

"These kids that we've got out here are going to play as hard as they can play. That's why we've been so successful here. For some reason those kids always play hard."

They will at 8 p.m. Friday, when Oklahoma powerhouse Hobart comes to town for a high school version of Texas-OU.

An Oklahoma Class 2A school, Hobart was ranked second in the state prior to its 42-20 loss to Class 3A's No. 1-rated Clinton. Like Wheeler, Hobart is accustomed to winning.

"Hobart's got a tremendous football tradition," Smith said. "They got double our enrollment, so we're probably outclassed a little bit. We're going to have to play as well as we can play to be in the thing."

He doesn't deny the Texas-Oklahoma rivalry playing a role.

"I'm sure there'll be some of that," Smith said. "The Oklahoma kids want to beat a Texas high school team and the Texas kids want to beat an Oklahoma high school team."

"I think ours will be a good game. They've got a good football team and I think our kids will rise up and get after it good."

Hobart, 1-1, goes with an ever-changing offense that's put 66 points on the board in two outings. Multiple formation would be an understatement, for Smith says he's seen them line up in 25 formations.

Whatever the formation, Hobart throws about 40 percent of the time and likes to give the ball to fullback James Hamlett, a 190-pounder who's averaging just under 100 yards a game.

"They like to throw the football and they like to get in the I and give it to that guy," Smith said.

"They're not real quick, they're powerful. They like to line up and say, 'Here we are. Come get us.'"

Hobart's defense has given up 68 points in two games, and the Mustangs hope to tack on to that.

Smith's defense wasn't nearly so porous in the Mustangs' first outing. Shamrock gained but 18 yards rushing in its 17-8 loss, and Smith was impressed.

"I was really pleased with the defense," he said. "That's what we're going to live by now. We may really have a good defense eventually."

"We're still going to have a good football team. We have a tough three weeks ahead of us. We're going to find out what we can do. We can really come on as a team in the next three weeks."

They'll be doing it with the absence of Salyer, who will be missed but covered for ably. Bubba Smith scored the clinching touchdown against Shamrock, and will see time backing up quick Cody Wiggins, who replaces Salyer.

"We've still got some guys that can carry the football," Smith said. "We're not going to be dead."

Lefors versus Miami...beginning of a rivalry

By DAN MURRAY
Sports Writer

LEFORS — Pampa-Borger. Plano-Highland Park. Permian-Lee. Miami-Lefors.

Rivalries are the stuff of which the best of Texas high school football Friday nights are made. The intensity. The emotion. The Game!

It would seem strange that before they've ever played a down against each other, Lefors and Miami have become rivals, but they have. Ironic circumstances have spurred the thing, and at 7 p.m. Friday on Shaw Field here, in a game to be aired live by KGRO, the rivalry will get its christening.

Lefors instigated the thing this year by going from 11-man to six-man football. Fate took over from there.

Lefors head coach Brent Fountain

left Miami for the job he has now. Former Pirates' quarterback Shane Bridwell's parents moved from Lefors to Miami. He's a starter for the Warriors now.

Those two occurrences, plus the mere 30 miles between the two towns and Pampa as their citizens' common meeting place, were all the rivalry needed.

"That little bit's done as much for this rivalry as anything," Miami head coach Currie McWilliams said. "I think it will be a good, clean rivalry."

"I hope its a friendly rivalry," Fountain said. "There's a lot of rivals that are bitter and ugly... We're only 30 miles apart and I hope we're a friendly rival."

By example, the two coaches are relating that feeling to their players. Fountain and McWilliams are close friends and constant companions at the annual

state coaching school. They respect each other and are in constant contact.

"Currie and I are close friends," Fountain said. "If we can relay with each other to have a friendly rival then maybe the kids can too."

They, and their players, also want to win.

Neither did last Friday, as Silverton beat the Pirates 6-4 and Three Way topped Miami 59-32.

Those scores indicate a difference in philosophies, and the key to Friday night's game.

"The interesting thing about this ballgame is that Lefors has only given up 18 points in two games," McWilliams said. "That's almost unheard of in six-man."

"But, they've only scored 18 points. Now we've scored 93 points in two games, but we've given up 77. That pretty much

shows priorities. That really shows the extreme contrast in the two coaching philosophies."

"We're proud of our defense," Fountain said. "They like to hit. They're proud of the fact that they've only had close to 350 total yards run against 'em."

"Miami talks about how they can move the ball on anyone in the state, and I'm sure they can because of Currie's philosophy. But our kids say, 'Look at our stats and look what we've done defensively, too.'"

"I try to work an equal amount of time on offense and defense. I think he strives for offense. I guess our philosophies are a little different then."

Not that the Pirates wouldn't like to score a bundle. Lefors' players have been slow in adapting to the six-man blocking schemes and consequently had

trouble moving the ball. Fountain's ready for 'em to cut loose any day now, preferably Friday.

"We've worked on it, the mental mistakes on offense," he said. "They're ready to try it again on Friday night."

Both coaches agree, though, that the game's outcome boils down to Miami's offense against Lefors' defense.

McWilliams wasn't happy with his team's blocking against Three Way, and after the work this week he says the Warriors will know who to block. The players want to do it, for when they lose they pull tires during practice the next week.

Miami citizens Monday brought tractor tires to the field for the Warriors to pull.

"That shows the support of the community for the kids," McWilliams

said. "They know the kids have a chance to do good. We've increased our leg strength dramatically this week."

Both teams have held hard-hitting practices, and they're ready to get this rivalry thing on.

"I think we're ready," McWilliams said. "Our kids are ready and ol' Shane particularly. The kids over there are gunning at Shane, too. I think we're looking forward to playing Lefors."

"We're ready to play ball," Fountain said. "We're ready to play ball for the next eight Friday nights, but I'm sure we're ready to play Miami."

How about the fans? "I'm sure we'll have a crowd," Fountain said. "I know the stands will be full and the people will be walking the sidelines."

Groom vs. Gruver: No love lost as Tigers prep for pass-happy Greyhounds

By DAN MURRAY
Sports Writer

GROOM — Fresh from a break they never wanted, Terry Coffee's No. 12-ranked Groom Tigers travel to Gruver Friday for an 8 p.m. war that should tell folks how good the Tigers can be.

"This is going to be the toughest one we've had in a long time," Coffee said. "There's no love lost between Groom and Gruver right now."

Part of the bad blood stems from the fact that Groom's never beaten Gruver in football. Last year's 7-7 tie was the closest the Tigers have come. Also remembered are things the Greyhounds did when they were beating Groom in years past.

The Tigers, 2-0, will be trying to come back from a week off due to the forfeiture of Highland Park. Coffee didn't want the open date going to Gruver.

"We needed to play last week to have some momentum going," he said. "When you come off of something like that you don't know what's going to start up again, but we're looking okay in workout."

Groom sure had momentum going last time it did play. After



Brent Thornton

leading Clarendon just 7-6 at halftime, the Tigers exploded for 34 second half points to bury the Broncos. Leading that charge was Groom's defense, which allowed Clarendon just 11 total yards after intermission.

So Groom got the ball alot, and big running backs Brent Thornton and Jack Britten did something with it. Each gained over 100 yards, and now Coffee says they're gaining weight and running just as hard.



Jack Britten

Britten's up to 211 pounds and Thornton's at 193, and Coffee says "it's not fat. Britten's bench pressing 350 now."

Gruver, now back in Class 2A, will see all of those two it can handle. The Greyhounds, in turn, will show the Tigers all the passing they don't want to see.

Gruver throws the ball over 80 percent of the time, and so far that's given the 'Hounds a 15-14 win over Sunray and a 27-14 victory over Phillips.

Quarterback Tim Stedje (6-2, 165), who Coffee calls "probably one of the better passers in the area," is the key to the Gruver attack. Receivers Tim Fletcher and Steve Duncan get most of Stedje's attention.

"They get in a one-back offense and they air it out," Coffee said.

Groom, however, can't concentrate just on stopping the pass. Gruver's lone back is 6-foot, 170-pound Loyd Cator, who won the silver medal in last year's Class 1A 200-meter dash at the state track meet.

"They've got a ground game that compliments their pass," Coffee said.

Groom won't change its 27 defense much, so the pressure will be on the Tigers' secondary.

"We just want to get out there and do what we do best," Coffee said. "They're going to have to beat us on the pass."

Coffee said the key for his Tigers will be to play both halves like they did the second one against Clarendon.

"We can't do like we did in Clarendon," Coffee said. "We've got to execute everything in the first half. We've got to go in at halftime with a lot of points on the board."

Bucks eager to get after Clarendon

By DAN MURRAY
Sports Writer

WHITE DEER — Bouyant from their 62-0 growing up against Claude, the White Deer Bucks eagerly head to Clarendon Friday hoping to stuff their pockets with more salt.

White Deer coach Windy Williams has said all along that the Bucks will become a good football team if their young players mature quickly.

After Claude, Williams saw that they are. Sophomores led the Bucks in that game, and now both Williams and the players are feelin' good. "They got a lot better," Williams said. "They had a good time in the ballgame and a lot of people played and increased their skills. We've had good workouts because of it. They're anxious and eager to play."

The 8 p.m. game will pit the 1-1 Bucks against a 1-1 Clarendon squad that's probably riding just as high as they are. Groom pounded the Broncos on opening night, but they rebounded last week and bounced McLean 45-0.

"They just ran right at 'em," Williams said of Clarendon's rebound win.

This week he expects them to try and do the same. Clarendon uses wishbone and I formations, favoring counter plays

and quick dives. Brawny fullback Marcus Smith (6-0, 190) gets his share of the calls, and speedy James Ariola is a threat outside. Junior West Hatley is settling in at quarterback, after assuming the role when starter Clay Sharp went down in a scrimmage.

White Deer, a nine-point favorite, will see a five-man Broncos' defensive front Groom ran all over, and one Williams thinks the Bucks can run on.

White Deer likes its running game after getting 518 yards from it against Claude. Bryan Waitman and Jason Marlar, sophomores, each gained over 100 yards in the game and combined for four touchdowns. Mark Greene, Bryan Thurmond and Lance Cross also ran rampant. "I think we can move the football on 'em," Williams said. "I think we can throw the football on 'em. I hope we can."

White Deer would like to get the passing game going. After getting nothing throwing against Canadian, Craig Davis passed just five times at Claude, but he hit three for 43 yards as the passing game clicked some.

"The Bucks are sure clicking. They're playing well together and helping each other out," Williams said. "That's what a football team's supposed to do. I think our kids are fired up about playing football."

Pampa High netters rout Palo Duro

With the Lady Harvesters winning every match, the Pampa High tennis team routed Palo Duro, 15-3, Tuesday in a dual at the PHS courts.

"As a team we are playing some of the best tennis we have ever played. Even though the team was weakened by the absence of Reagan Eddins (No. 1 seed) and Alex Hallerberg (No. 5 seed), we still played very well," said Pampa Coach Jay Barrett. And if they had played against Palo Duro, we probably would have blanketed them."

In the girls' division, Pampa's top-seeded Andrea Adcock defeated Darlene White, 6-2, 6-2, and the rout was on.

"The girls are playing very well. They haven't won 9-0 in quite sometime," Barrett added.

In the boys' division, Pampa lost three straight matches in the singles division, but bounced back to sweep doubles.

"The team is really psyched up for Hereford and Canyon Saturday," Barrett said. They know that this weekend will determine who will win district and possibly regionals and state."

Pampa has a 3-2 record in all matches this fall. They are 1-0 in district play.

Pampa 15, Palo Duro 3 6-2, 7-6.

Boys Division

David Bradshaw (P) def. Lut Bannavong, 6-2, 2-6; Matt Walsh (P) def. Mark Tran, 6-3, 6-4; Bern Avendanio (P) def. Birk Nguyen, 6-3, 6-1; Dang Nguyen (PD) def. James Thompson, 7-5, 6-3; Dai Phan (PD) def. Jimmy Ashford, 6-4, 6-0; Hai Nguyen (PD) def. Chase Roach, 6-1, 6-2. Doubles — Walsh-Avendanio (P) def. Bannavong-Tran, 6-1, 6-0; Bradshaw-Thompson (P) def. B. Nguyen-D. Nguyen, 6-3, 2-6, 6-3; Ashford-Roach (P) def. Phan-H. Nguyen,

Girls Division

Andrea Adcock (P) def. Darlene White, 6-2, 6-2; Missy Pontious (P) def. Charlene White, 7-5, 6-3; Shelli Teague (P) def. Phuong Nguyen, 6-1, 6-2; Susanna Holt (P) def. Kristi Norman, 6-1, 6-4; Allyson Thompson (P) def. Dianna Insiomngmay, 6-2, 6-3; Angie Stroud (P) def. Phuong Sihantharong, 4-6, 6-2, 6-1. Doubles — Pontious-Teague (P) def. D. White-Nguyen, 6-3, 6-4; Holt-Thompson (P) def. L. White-K. Norman, 6-2, 6-3; Adcock-Stroud (P) def. Insi-Sich, 6-0, 6-3.

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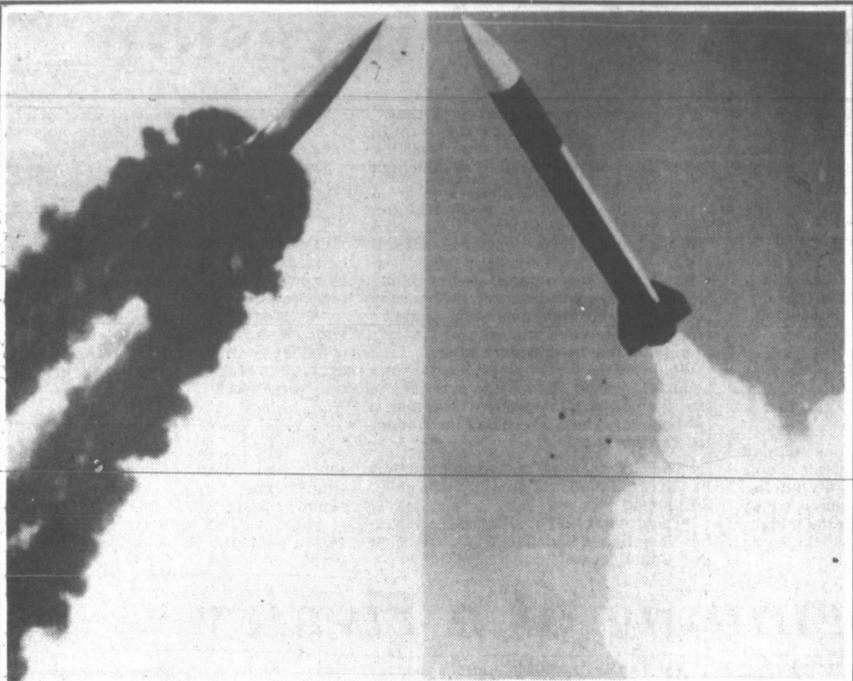
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Missile Range. The Patriot is a surface-to-air system designed to intercept advance aircraft. In this test, a software change was made, enabling it to expand its abilities to an anti-tactical ballistic missile role.

(AP Laserphoto)

Nuclear arms talks resume

GENEVA (AP) — Nuclear arms talks resumed today with the United States having declared its readiness to outline new proposals despite anger over Soviet treatment of American journalist Nicholas Daniloff.

Soviet negotiator Alexei Obukhov said the United States was dramatizing the Daniloff case "with the aim of enhancing the difficulties in these relations and to create additional sources of tension."

If the United States brings up the subject at the talks, Obukhov told reporters, it means "the American side does not wish to create an atmosphere which would be favorable" to seeking arms control agreements.

The two sides resumed talks after a three-month summer break. The sixth round of the negotiations began with a plenary meeting at the Soviet mission attended by 31 American delegates and some two dozen Soviets.

The two sides are using other forums to discuss arms control in an effort to make progress toward a second U.S.-Soviet summit. The first meeting be-

tween Reagan and Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev was held last Nov. 19-21 in Geneva.

Daniloff, a Moscow correspondent for U.S. News & World Report magazine, was imprisoned for 13 days in Moscow on charges of spying, which he has repeatedly denied. Released last week to the U.S. Embassy, Daniloff cannot leave the Soviet Union while his case is pending.

Reagan on Wednesday said the case of Daniloff "continues to limit severely what is achievable in our bilateral relations," and urged the Soviets to resolve the case before it does "even more damage" to U.S.-Soviet ties.

During the recess in the Geneva talks, experts from both sides met twice, once in Moscow and then in Washington, to try to find common ground for an arms control accord.

U.S. Secretary of State George Shultz is to meet with Shevardnadze Friday in Washington, and is prepared to discuss arms control and other issues with the Soviet minister, Reagan said Wednesday.

Divisions persist at conference

PUNTA DEL ESTE, Uruguay (AP) — A bitter dispute over farm subsidies involving France, the United States and other nations threatens to block progress at a world trade conference and bury hopes of reforming the rules of global commerce.

France's delegation to the 92-nation General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade conference is leading an effort to stifle a proposal to reduce and eventually eliminate government subsidies for agriculture.

"We'd like to carry out this negotiation very quickly," said U.S. Commerce Secretary Malcolm Baldrige. "Let's do it immediately. It's not

The United States, however, said it plans to leave Saturday morning even if no consensus is reached and said it was annoyed with the lack of movement toward an agreement.

necessary to have words on agriculture. Let's have action."

A group of 14 farm-reliant, non-subsidizing countries that first proposed the end to subsidies responded on Wednesday to France's position with an amended version but continued to call for a phasing-out of the protectionist practice — an aim France fiercely opposes.

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French Agriculture Minister Francois Guillaume was scheduled to arrive here from Common Market talks in Brussels, Belgium, today, a day after U.S. delegates, who back the proposal to curtail subsidies, expressed frustration over a lack of progress.

Guillaume was expected to renew his country's call for a watering-down of the proposal.

There had been initial hopes of a compromise after the 12-member Common Market expressed willingness to see the issue addressed in an amended form, but U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Richard E. Lyng said the United States was opposed to any amendments.

"The U.S. has not proposed one single change," Lyng said Wednesday.

Of Guillaume's late arrival, four days into the conference, he added: "I find that peculiar. I thought the conference was supposed to end" shortly.

The meeting, which began Monday at this seaside resort 75 miles east of Montevideo, was scheduled to end Friday.

Many delegates to the conference, which was called to set an agenda for a new round of exhaustive world trade talks, say they expect it will continue until Saturday.

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Robertson: if you pray and give, I will run

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Rev. Pat Robertson is waiting for a sign from 3 million registered voters to tell him whether to seek the 1988 Republican presidential nomination.

"If by Sept. 17, 1987, one year from today, 3 million registered voters have signed petitions telling me that they will pray — that they will work — that they will give toward my election, then I will run," he told a rally Wednesday night.

The 56-year-old television evangelist said the nation has been under "an assault on our faith and values" and added, "We have taken the Holy Bible from our young and replaced it with the thoughts of Charles Darwin, Karl Marx, Sigmund Freud and John Dewey."

The loudest, most prolonged applause came when Robertson said, "For the sake of our children, we must bring God back to the classrooms of America."

At the end of his talk, Robertson asked ushers to pass out peti-

tions, which said the signers, "who love America and believe in the traditional moral values upon which our Founding Fathers established this nation, hereby urge M.G. 'Pat' Robertson to declare his candidacy for the nomination of the Republican Party to the presidency of the United States of America."

The petitions also included a "personal gift form" which allowed for \$100 or \$200 contributions, payable by check or credit card.

The three-hour rally at Constitution Hall, home of the Daughters of the American Revolution, opened with an hour of singing by two church groups, the Evangel Temple Choir of Washington and the Victory Singers from Phoenix, Ariz. Also performing was Phil Driscoll, described as an award-winning Christian trumpet player.

That was followed by endorsements from supporters including 18-year-old Randall Brooks, who played the title role in the Broad-

way musical "Annie"; Ben Waldman, who headed the Jewish Coalition for President Reagan's re-election; James Draper and Charles Stanley, the immediate past presidents of the Southern Baptist Convention; and Bishop J. O. Patterson, presiding bishop of the Church of God in Christ, the second largest black denomination in the nation.

Also endorsing a Robertson candidacy was Roosevelt Grier, a former defensive lineman for the New York Giants, who said, "There comes a time in this country when men and women have to decide."

The rally was broadcast over a closed-circuit hookup to 216 locations around the country. Robertson said he expected an audience of 200,000 people.

At a news conference before the rally, Robertson said he would "become president of all the people and as such could not judge any of the people on the basis of their religious beliefs."

mium. This amendment will allow mutual insurance companies and stock companies to bid for life and health group policies of political subdivisions. Public liability will be limited to the payment of premiums specified in the contract.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment allowing political subdivisions the opportunity to engage in and transact business with authorized mutual insurance companies in the same manner as with other insurance companies."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment that would repeal the prohibition against branch banking by state banks and would allow state banks and national banks domiciled in this state to establish and operate banking facilities at locations within the county or city where they are domiciled. The amendment would also authorize the Legislature to permit a state bank or a national bank domiciled in this state to engage in business at more than one place if it acquires a failed state bank or national bank domiciled in this state.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide that a bank may offer full service banking at more than one location within the city or county where its principal facility is located, subject to limitations and restrictions provided by law."

Estos son los informes explicatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparecerán en la boleta el día 4 de noviembre de 1986. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/258/8885 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 18887, Austin, Texas 78711.

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

GENERAL ELECTION

NOVEMBER 4, 1986

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 15 proposes a constitutional amendment that would permit the legislature to provide by general law for the apportionment of the value of railroad rolling stock among the counties in which the property of the railroad is located for purposes of property taxation, and would delete the requirement that the Comptroller participate in making the allocation. To comply with both statutory and constitutional law, the apportionment currently is being made by the State Property Tax Board in conjunction with the Comptroller.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to provide by general law for the apportionment of the value of railroad rolling stock among counties for purposes of property taxation."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 33 proposes a constitutional amendment that would replace the constitutional requirement that the subject of a bill be expressed in its title with a mandate that each house of the legislature adopt rules of procedure that would require the subject of each bill to be expressed in its title in a manner that gives the legislature and the public reasonable notice of that subject. Determining compliance with the rule would be the responsibility of the legislature. Cur-

rently, a law is invalidated if a court finds its caption is defective. The amendment would provide that past and future enactments may not be held void on the basis of an insufficient title.

The amendment also would eliminate the suggestion that the state's laws be revised every ten years, and instead would provide for continuing revision of state laws.

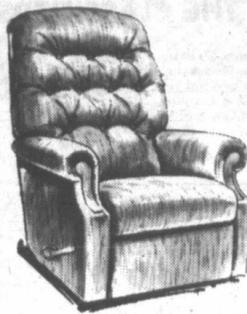
The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment requiring each house to include in its rules of procedure a rule that each bill contain a title expressing the bill's subject, and providing for the continuing revision of state laws."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 73 proposes a constitutional amendment that would permit the Legislature to authorize any county, city, town, or other political subdivision to use public funds or credit to pay insurance premiums on nonassessable life, health, or accident policies. Due to the prohibition in the constitution against the lending of credit and granting of public money, political subdivisions currently are prohibited from becoming shareholders in associations such as mutual insurance companies, in which policyholders are shareholders. A nonassessable mutual insurance policy does not allow a company to raise capital by assessing the policyholder an extra amount on a pre-

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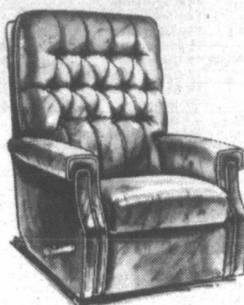
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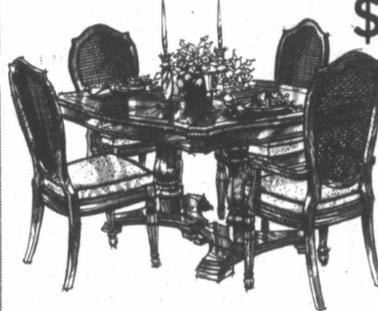
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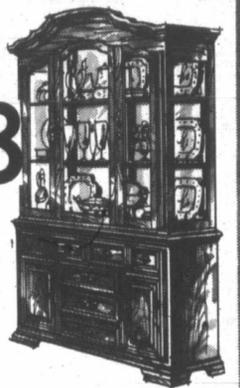
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