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Friday

New Pampa chief is former MP

By PAUL PINKHAM
Senior Staff Writer

Robert Eberz says he "can't wait" to get to Pampa and plans to "stay 'til y'all kick me out."

Eberz, 45, a former military police chief from Ruston, La., was selected late Thursday as the city's new police chief.

He will replace Lt. Jesse Wallace, who has been serving as interim chief since the January resignation of J. J. Ryzman. Chief Ryzman left Pampa to become chief of police in Corsicana, south of Dallas.

Wallace was one of four finalists for the permanent chief's job. The city received

about 75 applications for the position.

Other finalists were John Dunaway, 40, Littleton, Colo., a Denver-area stockbroker with 17 years law enforcement experience, and Warren Whitton, 53, Kingwood, director of the Criminal Justice Center at the University of Houston.

All four finalists were interviewed this week.

Eberz, currently director of police at Louisiana Tech University in Ruston, is scheduled to take over June 2 at a salary of \$39,600, about \$3,600 more than Ryzman earned. City Manager Bob Hart said the new chief also will have the use of a car.

Hart said Thursday that Eberz was the

"best match" for the community. The city manager said the decision was a tough one.

"We were extremely pleased with all of the applicants and the people we interviewed," Hart said. "They all brought some valuable dimensions to the department."

Hart said that Eberz has a strong commitment to educational programs and physical fitness for officers and wants to improve the department's image in the community.

Personnel Director Phyllis Jeffers described Eberz as personable and dedicated to strong community involvement

on the part of the department.

"I certainly think he'll be an asset to the community and to the city of Pampa," Jeffers said.

Contacted at work Thursday, Eberz said he and his family are excited about coming to Pampa.

"I can't wait," he said. "It's like coming home from a long walk and kicking your shoes off. That's the feeling you get in that city."

"I'm going to stay 'til y'all kick me out." Eberz will be joined by his wife Tina, a native Texan, and his daughter Laura

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Eberz

Hart gives up his candidacy

By CARL HILLIARD
Associated Press Writer

DENVER — A defiant Gary Hart abandoned the race for the Democratic presidential nomination today, declaring, "I refuse to submit my family and my friends and innocent people and myself to further rumors and gossip."

"Clearly under present circumstances, this campaign cannot go on," Hart said at a news conference. "I'm not a beaten man, I'm an angry and defiant man. I am who I am. Take it or leave it."

With his wife, Lee, at this side, Hart announced the end to what was once far and away the front-running campaign for the 1988 Democratic nomination. His decision left the field without any front-runner, only a pack of little known Democratic hopefuls.

Hart admitted mistakes in his actions — referring without naming her to his relationship with Miami model Donna Rice — and insisted again that issues are more important than personalities.

But he opened the session by saying he had thought about delivering a short statement withdrawing from the race, but "I said to myself, hell no."

There was a gasp from his supporters, thinking he might not be withdrawing after all.

But he went on to make the end of his campaign official.

Hart said he thinks he could have won.

"I believe I could have been a successful candidate.

Apparently, now, we'll never know," he said, looking drawn after one of the toughest weeks any presidential candidate has ever faced.

The former Colorado senator decried the emphasis on his private life.

"In public life, some things may be interesting, but that doesn't mean they are important," he said.

"I don't want to be the issue. And I cannot be the issue, because that breaks the link between me and my voters," Hart added.

He said that in the final analysis, "the American people will decide what qualities are important to govern the country in the national interest."

Hart said the disclosures about his relationship with Rice had hurt his family.

"Frankly, the hardest part about making this decision has been my children," he said. "They're both more angry and confused than I've ever seen them in their lives. And very frankly, they're angry at me, their father. They don't want me to get out of this race."

"And, you know, I believe that there also are a lot of angry and confused voters out around this country. So what I have to say here is both for my children and for those voters."

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Sunny salute



(Staff Photo by Duane A. Laverty)

A Pampa youngster joins McGruff in looking for speeders on a bicycle obstacle course at a recent safety clinic sponsored by Pampa police. Police maintain several programs for youth, including a full-time juvenile officer and a May 16 track and field meet involving special education students at Harvester Field.

Col. North attends closed proceeding

By JIM DRINKARD
and DAVID ESPO
Associated Press Writers

WASHINGTON — Former National Security Council aide Oliver L. North made a surprise appearance in federal court today, while Richard V. Secord told the Iran-Contra hearings he wants funds left from the affair donated to the Contras.

Lt. Col. North, dressed in his Marine uniform, attended a closed hearing before Chief U.S. District Judge Aubrey E. Robinson Jr. on a "sealed grand jury matter."

From Robinson's courtroom, North and his lawyers went to the U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, and then to the third floor of the U.S. Courthouse where a special federal grand jury empaneled by independent counsel Lawrence E. Walsh was meeting. The grand jury is looking into the entire Iran-Contra affair.

Neither North or his attorneys or lawyers from Walsh's office had any comment on the proceedings.

North is believed to be a target of Walsh's criminal investigation into the secret sale of arms to Iran and subsequent diversion of proceeds to the rebels fighting the Nicaraguan rebels.

North was named in court as a co-conspirator by fund-raiser Carl Channell and public relations executive Richard Miller, when they pleaded guilty this month to conspiracy to defraud the government by soliciting tax-exempt donations to buy arms for the Contras.

Secord, a retired Air Force major general, began his fourth day in the witness chair at joint House-Senate Iran-Contra hearings by proposing that any remaining proceeds from the enterprise be turned over to a new fund for the Contras established in memory of deceased former CIA Director William J. Casey.

But that drew a swift rebuttal from Sen. Warren Rudman, R-N.H., who said that while the goal was "laudable," neither the former general nor "anyone else has any right to assign that money." The Justice Department will decide the issue, he said.

Secord has testified previously that roughly \$8 million remains in bank accounts, left there when the Iran-Contra affair was aborted on Nov. 25 when Attorney Gen. Edwin Meese disclosed it publicly.

Casey, who devoted part of his tenure as CIA chief to building up the Contra forces to oppose the leftist government of Nicaragua, died on Wednesday. His family announced establishment of a Contra fund in his memory, and asked that any memorial donations be made to it.

The congressional hearings have been televised live all week, and President Reagan told reporters at the White House today that he had watched the sessions "a little."

Secord was cross-examined intensively on Thursday about his claim that he never made a profit from his central role in selling arms to Iran and funneling some

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Lefors school gripes aired by citizens' representative

By LARRY HOLLIS
News Editor

LEFORS — Saying "we're not a vigilante group," a representative of a citizens group Thursday night asked for improvement in communication between the Lefors school board and the community.

Dennis Williams, representing Concerned Citizens of Lefors Independent School District, appeared before the Lefors school trustees to ask the board to keep residents more informed of their meetings and decisions.

Williams said the group had originally formed in response to the board's March decision not to renew the teaching contract of Murray Stroud, a 23-year Lefors ISD veteran. At a public hearing last month, the board, with one objecting vote, upheld Superintendent Earl Ross' recommendation not to renew Stroud's contract. Ross claimed that Stroud

had not met a Lefors professional growth policy requiring teachers to earn three hours of college credit every three years.

But the group has had concerns growing into other areas, Williams said, adding that its main purpose now is trying to improve communications

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Dying pass through similar mind games

By DEE DEE LARAMORE
Special to The Pampa News

Elizabeth Kubler-Ross, pioneer of the hospice movement in the United States, discovered in her research on death and dying that people behave similarly in the stages of dying. Kubler-Ross identified five stages: Denial, anger, bargaining, depression and acceptance.

"Kubler-Ross found that most patients went through a process while going through their deaths," said Hazel Barthel, director of Hospice of the Plains in Plainview. "Everyone went through it in a unique way, but because of their common humanity much was the same," she said.

Hospice's goal is to help the dying patient find unity within themselves, Barthel said. "As we go through life we use a lot of techniques to keep from really looking at the truth," she explained. "But as terminal illness progresses, we become less and less able to lie to ourselves." Barthel explained that each part of life that has not been resolved is a broken "piece" that keeps a person from being a

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■ Sunday: Grief, the family copes and hospice in Pampa.

Dying woman saw flowers

By DEE DEE LARAMORE
Special to The Pampa News

Hospice workers are taught to listen to their patients. "They have much to teach us about dying," said Hazel Barthel, instructor of a hospice class at Clarendon College - Pampa Center. "They have left me with legacies I will never forget."

If one listens carefully, Barthel said, the dying can give the living a glimpse of heaven.

Judy, a patient at St. Anthony's Hospice in Amarillo, was one of the strongest people Barthel had ever met, she said. "It was unusual because (Judy) was able to form new relationships two weeks before she died. And she would talk openly about how she felt about dying," Barthel remembered.

"One day we were both crying together, and she said to me, 'Tell them all how important their work is.'" Barthel said she also wears a butterfly all the time at Judy's request. The butterfly is a hospice symbol depicting resurrection.

"On Friday I went down to see Judy and before I left I could tell she wasn't doing well. When I came back the next day, she was mostly out of it. I really

thought she would die that weekend," Barthel remembered.

"But on Monday morning when I came in Judy was sitting on the edge of her bed and eating breakfast. She took my hand and exclaimed, 'Hazel, let me tell you about what almost happened to me!'"

"It was so beautiful. It was like floating through a field of flowers, and I was trying not to walk on the flowers. There were lots of people there. I knew I didn't have to talk to them. I just knew they were there. It felt like taking a bath in love."

"Why did you come back?" Barthel asked her. "I was concerned about my husband," Judy answered.

Barthel and Judy then talked about how that same love she had felt in the place she had gone would also be with her husband, surrounding him when Judy died.

On Tuesday morning, Judy was about to die but seemed to be struggling to hang on. Her husband was called in, and he told her it would be all right for her to die. Just before Judy died, her husband said, "You take care. I'll be all right."

"At this particular time, scientists cannot come

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Daily Record

Services tomorrow

TAYLOR, Vicki Sue - 10:30 a.m., Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel.

Obituaries

VICKI SUE TAYLOR

Services for Vicki Sue Taylor, 40, will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel. Officiating will be Rev. M.B. Smith, a Baptist minister. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors. Mrs. Taylor died Thursday. She moved to Pampa in 1947 from Chickasha, Okla. She was a 1965 graduate of Pampa High School. She was a Baptist. Survivors include two sons, Tommy W. Taylor and James M. Taylor, both of Pampa; her father, Gordon S. Taylor, Pampa; a sister, Cathy Taylor, Pampa; and two brothers, Gordon E. Taylor, Crosbyton, and Dennis Taylor, Pampa.

Police report

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

THURSDAY, May 7

Lyssa Ladell Dunnam, 801 1/2 E. Gordon, reported burglary of a motor vehicle in the 800 block of East Gordon.

Vickie Dawson, 1002 N. Wells, reported a window screen broken at the address. David Bruce Ferris, 1016 S. Wells, reported theft from a motor vehicle in the parking lot of Clarendon College-Pampa Center, 900 N. Frost. Unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was reported at Al's Auto Parts and Supply, 1500 Alcock.

Arrests-City Jail

THURSDAY, May 7

Tall Cleave Berryman Jr., 59, 913 Varnon, was arrested at Municipal Court in City Hall on a capias warrant.

Minor accidents

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

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions
Gladys Forsha, Pampa
J.T. Haney, White Deer
Aaron Kerbo, Pampa
Estelle Kidwell, Pampa
Floyd Lamke, Pampa
Edna Langwell, Pampa
Violet J. Long, Pampa
Claude Rhoades, Pampa
Floyd Watson, Pampa
Marion L. Wine, Pampa

Births
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hammonds, Pampa, a girl
Mr. and Mrs. Luis Mojica, Pampa, a girl

Dismissals
Lisa Carroll, Pampa
Ann Caviness, Pampa
C.J. Dalton, Pampa

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions
Leah Swires, Canadian
Bessie Galmore, Mobeette

Dismissals
Helen Rice, Shamrock

Calendar of events

PAMPA SINGLES' ORGANIZATION
Pampa Singles' Organization will meet at the Stage Stop, 1101 Alcock, at 7:30 p.m. Saturday for dinner and dancing. For more information, call 665-6219.

Stock market

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler Evans of Pampa	Chevron	59 1/4	NC
Wheat	DIA	47	up 1/4
Milo	Halliburton	37 1/2	NC
Corn	HCA	40 1/2	up 1/4
The following quotations show the prices for which these securities could have been traded at the time of compilation	Ingersoll-Rand	84 1/2	up 1/4
Damson Oil	KNE	18 1/2	up 1/4
Ky. Cent. Life	Kerr-McGee	30 1/2	NC
Serco	Mesa Lpd	15	NC
The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. stock market quotations are furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa	Mobil	49 1/2	up 1/4
Amoco	Phillips	49 1/2	NC
Aro	SLB	44 1/2	dn 1/4
Cabot	SPS	27 1/2	up 1/4
	Tenneco	49	up 1/4
	Amoco	27 1/2	up 1/4
	London Gold	456.70	
	Silver	8.22	

Fire report

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

Pampan busted for cocaine

AMARILLO — An unidentified Pampa woman remained in Amarillo police custody this morning pending arraignment on charges of possession of 45 grams of cocaine. Amarillo Police Public Relations officer Ralph Fletcher said today that the woman was arrested at 4 p.m. Wednesday at the Allstar Inn, 4302 Interstate 40 East. Noting that it is against Amarillo police policy to release the names of arrested suspects until they have been formally charged, Fletcher refused to provide the Pampa woman's name or address by telephone. He confirmed only that the woman was a 45-year-old Pampa resident.

Fletcher added that an undercover officer with the Panhandle Organized Crime Unit, also unidentified, "made contact" with the woman and, after a short investigation, turned up 45 grams of cocaine and \$1,000 in cash. Fletcher said that at a street value of \$100 per gram, the cocaine was valued at \$4,500. "If they arraign her at all, they'll arraign her hopefully sometime today," he said. According to Fletcher, the seizure was the seventh drug bust in Amarillo since April 14. OCU agents have seized more than \$40,000 in drugs, \$500,000 in stolen property and arrested 17 people, police said.

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Lefors

between the board and residents. Williams said matters have gotten out of hand at times, with feelings being hurt and people getting mad at each other. "We're not out to get things stirred up," Williams said, adding that the group was really formed of concerned citizens. Williams said the group had some suggestions — "not a list of demands" — that it wants the board to consider.

One of the suggestions was that the board make more efforts to place notices of school board meetings in other places besides the school building. Williams said not all residents drop by the school on a regular basis. Ross said notices are now also being put up at the Lefors Civic Center building. Williams said he was aware that a notice of Thursday's meeting was put up there, but he said that it was a recent action following some conversations between group members and school officials. He said other avenues also should be found to inform citizens of meetings.

Ross said notices are also placed on Channel 11 on cable television service. Williams noted that he lives out in the country and does not have cable TV. Board President Arnold Story said meetings are generally held on the Thursday closest to the 10th of the month. Williams said another suggestion was that better efforts be made to inform teachers of any deficiencies they might have in relation to the board's professional growth policy to allow the teachers sufficient time to make up any deficiency. This would help "to prevent another Stroud case," Williams said.

Story said teachers are given two evaluations every year, with notification being given then of any existing deficiencies. Story claimed teachers are made aware of their deficiencies during the evaluation sessions. Ross claimed notes of any deficiencies are also made on the teaching contracts presented to teachers for their signatures.

Williams also asked if any ceiling was being placed on daily expenditures by staff or teachers for supplies, materials or other items. Ross said a ceiling has been established, with anything above that requiring approval before the expenditure is made. Williams said another concern of the citizens group was the board's policy on putting items out for bids. He said he understands the state has set a requirement of a minimum \$5,000 expenditure be-

fore items must be advertised for bids. He suggested that a lower minimum of \$2,000 or such should be set.

A lower minimum for bids would "perhaps save costs" and allow the board "to do some shopping around" before making larger expenditures, Williams said.

Ross explained that the state had set the minimum at \$2,000 in past years, but since then the state had raised the minimum to the present \$5,000 level. Ross said it had been hard for school boards to get bids at the lower minimum, with many businesses and individuals just not bidding at those levels.

Williams said he was mainly trying to say that the board "can do more shopping around" to make efforts to save costs, whether by bids or not.

Ross said, "On behalf of the board, let me tell you they do some shopping around." He said citizens need to understand that some work is "just hard to get bids on." Ross also explained that some work and materials are just not available locally, with the board having to go to Amarillo or other places to locate the services or materials that are needed. "What we're concerned with is that times are tough," Williams said, suggesting that the district needs to watch its money more carefully in these hard economic times.

"When the new budget is started up, you'll see some savings, believe me," Ross countered, adding that he was aware the district has to watch its expenses carefully.

"Communication is the main issue," Williams said, noting that is why the citizens group has made its suggestions. Story said that board members "are citizens, too," and they also are concerned. "That's why we're on the board," Story said.

After the meeting Thursday night, Trustee Joyce Cotham expressed a concern about the number of unsigned letters she has been receiving. Cotham said the unsigned letters "have no value" to her, adding that she doesn't appreciate letters from "those who don't have the guts to sign their names." Cotham said she has no objections to receiving letters. "I'm willing to speak with anyone" who has questions or concerns about school board matters, she said. "But I can't talk to anyone if I don't know who they are," Cotham said.

She said she is more than willing to speak with those who care enough to sign their letters. Other board members also noted they have been receiving unsigned letters. Trustee Karen Lake, who took office in April, said trustees are willing to talk with others, noting that she and others have driven 25 miles to speak with a district resident.

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Chief

Anne, 14, currently a high school freshman. His son will remain behind in Ruston, where he is a journalism major at Louisiana Tech.

A Philadelphia native, Eberz said he was impressed with the officers and city officials he met while in Pampa, and said his "main goal is to fit in with those people."

"I think together we can grow professionally and do an even better job," Eberz said. Accreditation of the Pampa department also will be a high priority, he added.

Another priority, Eberz said, is to try to improve sagging relations with the Gray County Sheriff's Department.

"The sheriff is the chief law enforcement officer of the county," said Eberz, who currently volunteers as a deputy with the Lincoln Parrish Sheriff's Department in Louisiana. "I intend to work with him. I definitely will not work against him."

Gray County Sheriff Rufe Jordan said Thursday that he will be able to work with Eberz. Jordan met each candidate.

"He impressed me as a very nice fellow — a very capable man," the Sheriff Jordan said.

Lt. Wallace, who plans to return to head the patrol division, called Eberz "real sharp" and added that the new chief should succeed in Pampa. He said Pampa officers who met Eberz were more impressed with him than the other two out-of-town candidates.

Eberz also got high praise back home in Ruston. Ron White, faculty advisor to the Louisiana Tech campus newspaper *Tech Talk*, said Eberz has done a "real good job" at the university, organizing the police department and establishing nighttime student patrols to help beef up campus security.

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Hart

Hart decried the scrutiny he had received. "I guess I've become some kind of a rare bird, some extraordinary creature that has to be dissected," he said.

And he said media actions were excessive. "We're all going to have to seriously question the system for selecting our national leaders that reduces the press of this nation to hunters and presidential candidates to being hunted, that has reporters in bushes, false and inaccurate stories printed, photographers peering in our windows, swarms of helicopters hovering over our roofs, and my very strong wife very close to tears because she can't even get into her own house at night without being harassed."

"And, after all that, some ponderous pundits wondering in mock seriousness why some of the best people in this country choose not to run for high office."

Hart left the race only 26 days after he had officially entered it. The departure of the one-time front-runner will scramble the contest, with each of the remaining eight Democratic hopefuls looking to turn the chaos quickly to his own advantage.

The *Washington Post* reported in today's editions that Hart had made his decision after the paper presented his staff late last night with "documented evidence of a recent liaison between Hart and a Washington woman with whom he had had a long-term relationship."

The *Post* quoted a senior Hart aide as saying the *Post's* information "accelerated the inevitable" withdrawal of Hart from the race.

In Denver, Hart spent 15 minutes talking to supporters at his headquarters Thursday.

It was just six days ago that the Hart campaign was staggered by a story in *The Miami Herald*, saying he had entertained a 29-year-old model overnight in his Washington townhouse. Both Hart

and the woman, Donna Rice of Miami, denied they were having an affair, but they admitted they also had made an overnight cruise aboard a yacht to a Caribbean island in March. There, Hart said, they slept on separate boats.

Hart subsequently refused to answer questions about whether he had ever committed adultery. Criticism of Hart grew as skepticism about his version of events overshadowed questions about the completeness and correctness of the newspaper's story.

His standing in the polls — where his No. 1 position had not been threatened by the pack of long shot hopefuls — began to drop. And Democrats began to question whether he could continue in the race.

"He's obviously seriously wounded, and I believe it's fatal," said Wisconsin Senate Majority Leader Joseph Stroh before word of Hart's decision spread. Stroh is a Hart supporter in 1984.

Even early in the week, as Hart struggled to continue the campaign, he spoke of the end.

"This is not just a political race. It is really a cause," the former Colorado senator told a New York City fund-raiser. "It's more than a campaign for office: for thousands of people around the country, it's a crusade to move this nation forward."

"If I'm right about that, it really doesn't matter if the leader is struck down in battle — or with a knife in the back — because the cause goes on and the crusade continues."

He had scheduled a full day of campaigning Thursday in New Hampshire, but abruptly canceled all the events and flew to Denver with his wife.

In a statement released by his staff in Groveton, N.H., Hart said that "while running for president is important, right now my family is more important."

Some of those in the crusade were crushed by Hart's decision.

"I feel betrayed," said M. Jerome Diamond, co-chairman of Hart's Vermont campaign.

North

of the proceeds to the Contra rebels.

Rudman told reporters before the beginning of the day's testimony that Secord's business partner, Albert Hakim, would be summoned to testify later in the hearings. "The assumption in most investigations is that the

money in those accounts is being held beneficially for somebody. We're going to hear what Hakim says as to why it was done," he said.

Sen. Howell Heflin, D-Ala., a former chief justice of his state's Supreme Court, said enough questions were raised in Thursday's grilling about possible law-breaking in the sale of U.S. weapons to Iran and diversion of payments to the Nicaraguan Contras to haul Secord into court.

"I don't think there's any question that his testimony today will cause his indictment," Heflin said in an interview after the nearly six hours of questioning. "It will of necessity mean the special prosecutor will bring an indictment."

City briefs

COME IN and meet our new Manager at Maurices, and receive extra 10% off your purchase Saturday only! Pampa Mall. Adv.

SOMETHING MOTHER would choose? Accessories, jewelry, or a "Super Mom" mug. With a Gift Certificate, she can choose herself! Personal Touch, ladies apparel, 125 E. Kingsmill, 665-1474. Adv.

GARAGE SALE Saturday 9-4 only. Childrens clothes, infant-2T. Mattress, box springs-full. Miscellaneous. 2308 Dogwood. Adv.

TOP O Texas CattleWomen meeting. Monday, 10:30 a.m. Pampa Club.

OPEN NOW! Tanning Beds at Hairhandlers, 1319 N. Hobart, 669-3277. Open Early and Late. Up to 60 minute tanning. Adv.

FRANKIE McWORTHER playing for your dancing pleasure Saturday night, 9-1. Members and guests welcome. Moose Lodge. Adv.

REMEMBER MOM with a gift from Joy's Unlimited, 2137 N. Hobart. Adv.

PAMPA'S ANNUAL Rabies Vaccination given at reduced prices at each Veterinary Office. Given Friday, Saturday, Monday. Adv.

MOTHERS GIFTS, Cosmetics and jewelry travel kits. Las Pampas Galleries. 110 N. Cuyler. Adv.

WIN A Condo. \$100,000 Condo to be given away by Coldwell Banker. Register at Pampa Mall Saturday. Adv.

REMEMBER MOM with a gift from Rolanda's. Large selection of new silk flower arrangements, rose bud vases, green plants and many gifts ideas. Rolanda's in the Pampa Mall. Adv.

RODEN'S FABRIC Shop. 312 South Cuyler. 20% off all Fabrics. May 4 through 9th. Adv.

MOTHER'S DAY Special - Saturday Only. Outdoor Butterflies, \$39.95, set of 3. Sunshine Factory, 1313 Alcock. Adv.

CALICO CAPERS Square Dance, Saturday 8 p.m. Clarendon College Gym, 900 N. Frost. Ronnie Woods calling.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST
Fair and warmer Saturday with a high in the 90s. Low tonight in the 40s. Light and variable winds through the weekend. High Thursday, 73; low this morning, 47.

REGIONAL FORECAST
West Texas — Fair and warmer through Saturday. Lows tonight upper 40s Panhandle to low 60s lowlands of southwest. Highs Saturday mostly in the 80s, except mid 90s along the Rio Grande.

North Texas — Partly cloudy tonight. Lows in the upper 50s to low 60s. Sunny and warm Saturday. Highs in the mid to upper 80s.

South Texas — Partly cloudy through Saturday. Widely scattered afternoon and evening showers or thunderstorms over Southeast Texas. High Saturday in the 80s with near 90 southwest. Lows tonight mid 50s hill country to the 60s elsewhere.

EXTENDED FORECAST
Sunday through Tuesday
West Texas — Isolated afternoon and evening thunder-

storms Panhandle and east, otherwise mostly fair. No important temperature changes. Panhandle and South Plains, highs low 80s to mid 80s. Lows near 50 to mid 50s.

South Texas — A chance of showers north and east Sunday and Monday. A chance of showers or thundershowers most sections Tuesday. Lows in the 60s except near 70 lower coast. Highs in the 80s except in the 90s southwest.

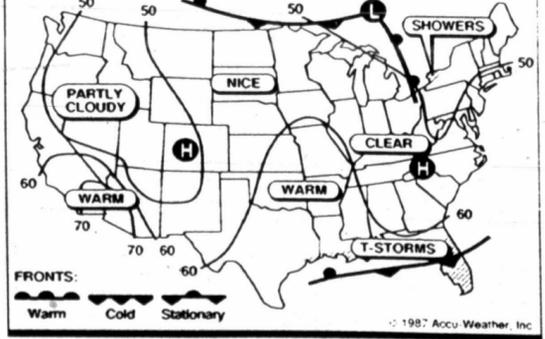
North Texas — Fair Sunday. Partly cloudy with a slight

chance of thunderstorms Monday and Tuesday. Highs will be in the 80s. Lows will be mostly in the 60s.

BORDER STATES
Oklahoma — Clear to partly cloudy with warm afternoon through Saturday. High Saturday 80s. Low tonight 50s.

New Mexico — Partly cloudy skies through Sunday with warm days and fair nights. Isolated afternoon and early evening showers. Saturday's highs in the 40s and 50s.

The Accu-Weather forecast for 8 A.M., Saturday, May 9



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Texas/Regional

Senate approves two 'Build Texas' proposals

AUSTIN (AP) — Two proposals Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby supported as part of a "Build Texas" economic program have cleared the Senate, as well as a "Buddy Holly bill" designed to protect the names of deceased personalities.

The Holly bill would allow survivors of entertainers and other personalities to hold rights to the deceased's name,

voice and likeness for 50 years.

The need for the bill was brought to the attention of Rep. Al Granoff, D-Dallas, by Maria Elena Holly Diaz, widow of rock singer Buddy Holly. Granoff's amended bill was returned to the House Thursday on voice vote.

Hobby earlier this month unveiled a \$1.1 billion public works program,

which he compared to the Depression-era Works Progress Administration.

The plan includes three proposed constitutional amendments to authorize bond sales. Under the plan, \$300 million in proceeds would go for prisons and mental health facilities, \$400 million for local public works projects and \$400 million for water, water quality and

flood control.

Sen. John Montford, D-Lubbock, said a substantial portion of \$980 million in water bonds approved in 1985 already had been committed. His \$400 million water bond proposal was sent to the House Thursday on a 30-1 vote.

Sen. Hugh Parmer, sponsor of the local public works proposal, said 750,000

Texans are unemployed, equal to the unemployment figures of the Depression year of 1932.

Another proposed constitutional amendment — to authorize the Legislature to create emergency medical services districts — was sent to the House, 31-0.

Electrical hazards exist in Lefors school

By LARRY HOLLIS
News Editor

LEFORS - Electrical wiring repairs and other work needs to be done at the Lefors High School building to remove possible fire hazards, Lefors fire officials warned Lefors school trustees at their regular meeting Thursday night.

Lefors Fire Marshall Lanny Atchley and Lefors Volunteer Fire Department Chief Eddie Joe Roberts said a recent inspection of the building on April 25 had uncovered some hazards with wiring problems and other items that need correction to meet state standards.

"We found quite a few things that need to be repaired — and will be repaired," Atchley stated.

Atchley said he had contacted the state fire marshal's office about the findings. He said state regulations allow a fire marshal to inspect a school building and make a report.

He said he undertook the inspection following a request he had received. He noted that electrician Robert Morriss accompanied the two fire officials for the inspection, which included classrooms, the shop area, gymnasium, cafeteria and attic area.

Lighted exit signs are needed in some areas, he said. Grounded electrical plugs are needed throughout the building, Atchley said, adding that he found probably only one plug that was grounded properly. There is also wiring problems with the garbage disposal in the home economics room, he noted. The whirlpool in the gym also has wiring problems, he indicated.

Atchley said one of the complaints he had received concerned the old wiring in the attic. That proved not to be of much concern since that wiring is no longer in service, he said. The newer wiring is properly placed in conduits, but circuit boxes need covering, he said.

Another problem area is the panel box in the science room, Atchley said, adding that "it's in bad shape." He said fumes from acids stored underneath the panel have eaten into the panel. He said the deficiency was discovered in a December inspection, with warnings made to store the chemicals elsewhere. "That hasn't been done," Atchley stated.

There's also problems with improper storage of paint in some areas, he said.

Roberts said some changes need to be implemented immediately until the problems are rectified, such as no use of the whirlpool until the wiring is changed. Other changes can be made later, he said, advising the school board to undertake the needed repairs.

Superintendent Earl Ross said some of the projects are already included in the budget, with some work planned for the summer months. He said some of the deficiencies, such as the lighted exit signs, had already been reported in an insurance survey earlier in the school year.

Board President Arnold Story thanked Atchley and Roberts for "their hard work" and presentation, which included photographs of some of the problem areas. "We have not been aware of some of these" deficiencies, Story said, adding "it's good to know about them" so they can be repaired.

Story asked Ross and trustees Karen Lake and Leon Goldsmith to form a committee to work with Atchley and Roberts on determining what repairs and changes need to be made.

In other business, the board approved a policy amendment to set a new maximum expenditure rate policy at a \$250 limit from the previous \$100. The policy concerns daily expenditures that can be made without requiring immediate board approval.

Ross said he had checked with other comparable school districts in the area on their policies as the board had requested. He said none of the others have set such a policy, with such expenditures apparently considered as being included in the budgets.

Archer said the Lefors district has had a maximum expenditure rate policy since 1961. She said she thinks it's a good policy, but she suggested the maximum limit could be raised. Lake agreed, saying that if a larger amount was needed before a regular board meeting date, then a special meeting could be called or at least a quorum of trustees could be contacted to receive approval for the expenditure.

Dennis Williams, who was attending the meeting as a representative of Concerned Citizens of Lefors Independent School Dis-

trict, suggested the board could include an emergency need clause in the policy to cover such situations, either by calling a special meeting or contacting board members by telephone.

In other action, the board approved a policy to permit students to receive academic credit for one half a unit of work by successfully completing a semester of a two-semester course.

Ross said he had found that Lefors students had not been getting credit for half a year of a one-year course even though they had passed the one semester. He said Texas Education Association rule changes permit boards the option of granting credit for a semester's work even if the second semester is not taken or completed.

The board agreed the credits should be given, especially now that the state requires more credits for graduation.

Following an executive session that lasted until nearly 11 p.m., the board voted to hire Pat Steele as cafeteria manager, with Archer and Lake abstaining. The board also approved bills for payment, which had been deferred from an earlier part of the meeting for discussion in the executive session. Trustees also approved allowing Lela Harris to take students Jamie Warner and Kent Kerbo to a state choral music meet at Austin.

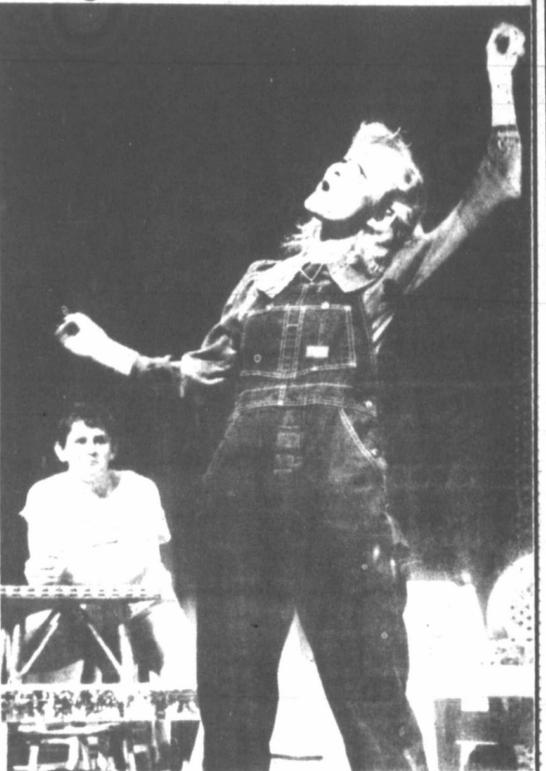
In other action, the board:

- heard a report on TEAMS testing results;
- approved a cooperative agreement with the Region XVI Education Service Center in Amarillo for 1987-1988;

- heard an update from Ross concerning building improvements;
- accepted the resignation of Pam Cathey, who will be leaving the district in June;

- received a report from Ross that the TEA has granted a one-day waiver for snow make-up days from the April blizzard, allowing the district to have its make-up day on May 29, with May 30 being a workday for teachers and staff; commencement will still be held May 28; and
- received a report from Ross that he and Principal Bill Crockett will arrange their schedules to insure that at least one of them will be present at all times during the summer months.

'Dangerous' teacher



(Staff Photo by Cathy Spaulding)

Anna Trumbull (played by Canadian High School senior Anja Laubhan), the reclusive "pig woman," holds young Charlie (CHS senior Mike Wagner) spellbound with her unusual outlook on life in Canadian's one-act production of *What I Did Last Summer*. Laubhan and Wagner, who have earned best actress and actor honors for their roles, join students from Canadian, Pampa, Groom, White Deer, Shamrock, Miami and Wheeler in state University Interscholastic League competition today and Saturday in Austin.

Conference committee starts budget compromise talks

AUSTIN (AP) — Compromise talks between Senate and House negotiators on proposals for 1988-89 state spending are under way, and lawmakers say it could be a long, arduous process.

The 10-member conference committee named to iron out differences between the bills passed by each house met for the first time Thursday and will meet again Monday.

"It looks like we have a lot of work to do," Sen. Grant Jones, D-Temple, chairman of Senate conferees, said after Thursday's meeting.

"When you take the prison issue out, which is going to be a real controversial thing, there's not that much difference," said Rep. Jim Rudd, D-Brownfield, chief House negotiator. "But there are a lot of issues between

us to be settled."

Rudd predicted it would be the last week of the session before a spending compromise is reached.

"We're not going to be in a hurry," Rudd said. "It's going to be slow for a while."

James Oliver, director of the Legislative Budget Board, told the conference committee there was only an \$833.3 million difference in general revenue funds between the Senate bill and the one passed by the House.

One of the main differences, Oliver said, was in prison construction money. The House would take \$315.9 million from bonds or other funds, while the Senate will would take \$234.2 million from general revenue.

The Senate bill calls for \$39.9 billion from all funds, including \$28.8 billion from general

revenue, which is the main fund, supported mostly by taxes, that supports state governmental operations.

The House bill calls for \$39.4 billion from all funds with \$28 billion from general revenue.

Oliver said another major difference in the bills is the \$47.2 million allocation in the House measure for construction at mental health hospitals and schools from bonds, while the Senate bill provides \$12 million for the MHRM construction with general revenue funds.

Overall, Oliver said, the Senate bill provides \$375.5 million more than the House bill for executive and administrative agencies, including prisons; \$204.6 million more for health, welfare and rehabilitation agencies.

In appreciation of television mothers

Off Beat

By Jimmy Patterson



I thought for a while about writing this *Offbeat* about my mother, since Mother's Day is Sunday. I thought a little more, though, and decided everyone's feelings about their mother are personal and I would keep mine the same.

Instead, I thought, why not write about those unappreciated women. The country's second favorite mothers: TV moms.

There are plenty of them, but I have narrowed down the list and come up with the top ten moms on television:

- ♥ June Cleaver, *Leave It To Beaver*. Without a doubt, the best mom in the history of television. To be able to successfully raise two rug-rats like Wally and Beaver took a lot of patience and understanding. The Hallmark Card Company even has a Mother's Day card this year with June on the cover. Evidence that she is widely respected.

- ♥ Bee Taylor, *The Andy Griffith Show*. Although not an official mom, she is the unofficial town mother, feeding and caring for everyone from Andy to Opie to Barney to Otis to Mayberry's finest prisoners. (Plus, everyone who's ever seen a picture of my mother swears she looks just like Aunt Bee.)

- ♥ Eleanor Southworth Ewing, *Dallas*. Better known as "Miss Ellie," she is the third highest ranking mother in TV history. For those who watch the show, there's no need to explain why she ranks this high. Raising a vindictive brat like J.R. takes a lot of character.

- ♥ Edith Bunker, *All In The Family*. Always thinking of daughter Gloria, Edith was a jewel of a woman. Many people think she had only one kid to raise, but being married to Archie, she really had two children to worry about.

- ♥ Louise Jefferson, *The Jeffersons*. One of the

most underrated TV moms, she, too, had a pair of kids — son Lionel and husband George. She had an undying faith in Lionel and partly because of it, he turned out to be a success.

- ♥ Alice Mitchell, *Dennis The Menace*. Son Dennis was one of the most ornery kids on the tube. Considering this, she did dole out some pretty tame punishment when Dennis did wrong. She also qualifies for one of the nicest moms.

- ♥ Elyse Keaton, *Family Ties*. A modern day mom, she is the prettiest on television today, and the most ambitious ever. She is an equal-rights advocate, but still has time to tend to the family.

- ♥ Laura Petrie, *The Dick Van Dyke Show*. Not known for her motherhood until late in the show's life, she has the reputation of being the prettiest ever. She had to put up with a scatterbrain, clumsy husband and still made the best of it.

- ♥ Maureen Robinson, *Lost In Space*. TV's first interplanetary mom. It took a lot of courage to let her kids go running around strange planets. I never did see her vacuum the space ship, though.

- ♥ Carol Brady, *The Brady Bunch*. No one could bring in a sack of groceries week after week like Carol. To have three kids of her own and agree to take on three more took a lot of guts. One strike against her, though, is that she had to have a maid help her with the housework.

- ♥ The following moms couldn't be left out and deserve "Honorable Mention:"

- Granny Clampett, *The Beverly Hillbillies*. She knew when to draw the line; when enough was enough. She was left out of the top ten, though, because she used a broomstick on too many people.

- Wilma Flintstone, *The Flintstones*. She was really in touch with her daughter. So much so, that from 1962-66, her voice was also the voice of daughter Pebbles.

- Margaret Anderson, *Father Knows Best*. Constantly overshadowed by dad, Jim Anderson, she gains a mention simply because she is Jane Wyatt. She failed to make the top ten because she nicknamed her kids, "Princess," "Kitten" and "Bud."
- Mr. French, *Family Affair*. He was left off the list primarily because he was a man. Any man, though, that was in charge of weird kids like Buffy and Jody deserves recognition.

All of the moms in the top ten list have very admirable features. As a matter of fact, if you combine all of the traits of all of the mothers, you'd have one great mom. Just like mine.

Clements signs drinking ban

AUSTIN (AP) — With the stroke of a pen, Gov. Bill Clements is putting the brakes on drinking while driving.

Clements, who says he's never hoisted a drink while behind the wheel, Thursday signed into law a bill that prohibits drinking while driving.

"I think it's been long overdue. I'm delighted to see it go on the books," Clements said after putting his signature on the legislation sponsored by Sen. Bill Sarpalius, D-Amarillo.

The new law, which takes effect Aug. 31, will not extend to passengers in the vehicle, lawmakers said.

Clements said he believes the measure will reduce highway fatalities.

"Alcohol and automobiles can be a volatile combination. The combination has resulted in deaths, wasted lives and destruction. There is no argument against a measure that seeks to end this unnecessary misery," Clements said.

Current Texas law prohibits driving while intoxicated, but it does not prohibit drinking while driving.

In a report to the Legislature written last year, the House Liquor Regulation Committee said many states have open-container bans.

The bill signed Thursday was supported by several groups, including Mothers Against Drunk Driving.

Clements said he wasn't worried about public reaction to his signature.

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Opinion

SDI poses defense instead of madness

A report from the American Physical Society containing rather commonplace assumptions about how quickly laser and beam weapons might be developed and deployed is being treated in some circles as if it were full of breathless and portentous revelations. What is remarkable, in fact, is how similar its assertions are to those made by "High Frontier" advocates of a space-based defense system long before President Reagan latched onto the idea.

The American Physical Society panel suggested that it could be as much as 10 years before the technologies of lasers and particle-beams, which, some hope, could produce a nearly impermeable high-tech defensive system, will be sufficiently developed to make prototypes and deployment possible. One should take expert predictions that a dramatic breakthrough is unlikely with a grain of salt; most breakthroughs have confounded the certified experts. Nonetheless, though some might interpret the data more optimistically, this is not a new or surprising contention.

That leaves us with just what "High Frontier" theorists were advocating six or seven years ago: Non-nuclear space-based missiles and a "point defense" designed to intercept incoming missiles aimed at U.S. silos until the more futuristic technology becomes feasible. It hardly mandates an abandonment of the search for a defense that defends or a willingness to negotiate away the effort in a desire to reach an agreement — any agreement — with the Soviets.

President Reagan probably encouraged wishful thinking in his presentations, but no serious SDI supporter ever believed that it or any system would be 100 percent effective, would totally negate nuclear weapons, or would provide a magic shield permitting us to forget about external threats. The most attractive thing about the SDI idea is its emphasis on defense rather than counter-terror.

Our nuclear strategy is now based on the Mutual Assured Destruction (MAD) theory: You better not attack us, because if you do we'll still have enough nukes to blow your cities to Kingdom Come. MAD's deterrence is built around a counter-offensive rather than an effective defense. We had almost ceased to think in more traditional defensive terms: Stopping the other guys' offensive weapons.

It is unlikely that any defense system, now or in the future, can be perfect. Still, we would rather have our strategists thinking in terms of defensive systems than cogitating about how to inflict retaliatory megadeaths.

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"I just keep saying to myself — this, too, shall pass."



Stephen Chapman

Pornography: A safe issue

Politicians are always looking for the perfect issue. The first requirement of the perfect issue is that it lend itself to costless demagoguery, allowing the candidate to attract some voters without alienating others. The second is that it deal with a problem that can be addressed but never solved, allowing politicians to exploit it indefinitely.

Pornography is one of those issues. Many Americans harbor an intense disgust for sexually explicit material and can be persuaded to vote accordingly. Though many people like the stuff, few of them are brave enough to defend it, much less to organize for its protections. (Try to imagine a candidate accepting donations from PORNAC.) Given consumer demand and the First Amendment, pornography is also impossible for the government to eliminate, making it permanently available for candidate denunciations.

Considerations like these were no doubt foremost in President Reagan's mind when Attorney General Edwin Meese appointed a commission to study this "problem." The commission's conclusions got plenty of attention when they were published last year, allowing the GOP to pose as the arch-enemy of smut peddlers in a congressional election year.

But the truly important study of pornography has only now been published. Written by social scientists Edward Donnerstein, Daniel Linz and Steven Penrod, "The Question of Pornography" exhaustively scrutinizes the scientific data about pornography's effects. It also utterly demolishes the case made by the Meese commis-

sion. This is highly inconvenient for the anti-porn forces, because it was this scholarly research — including some studies by Donnerstein — that the commission used to give its repressive proposals the air of impartial science.

The commission took special aim at violent pornography, which it said is "the most prevalent" form and blamed for the rise in violent sex crimes. But it called for a crackdown on all erotic material, urging that existing obscenity laws be enforced and that new ones be enacted.

Nor did it limit that assault to violent or legally obscene fare. The commission defined pornography as anything "sexually explicit and intended primarily for the purpose of sexual arousal." While conceding that much of this can't be legally banned, the commission helpfully suggested that citizens boycott stores selling sexually oriented material. It set an example by pressuring some retailers into dropping such non-violent, non-obscene magazines as Playboy and Penthouse.

Donnerstein, Linz and Penrod conclude that most of the commission's findings lacked scientific evidence. In the rare cases when the commission relied on scholarly studies, it completely missed the point.

Ordinary pornography, despite its offensiveness to the Moral Majority, presents none of the dangers cited by the Meese commission and its fans. "There is no evidence that exposure to nudity has any detrimental effects," the authors say. "Exposure to non-violent pornography does not increase aggression against

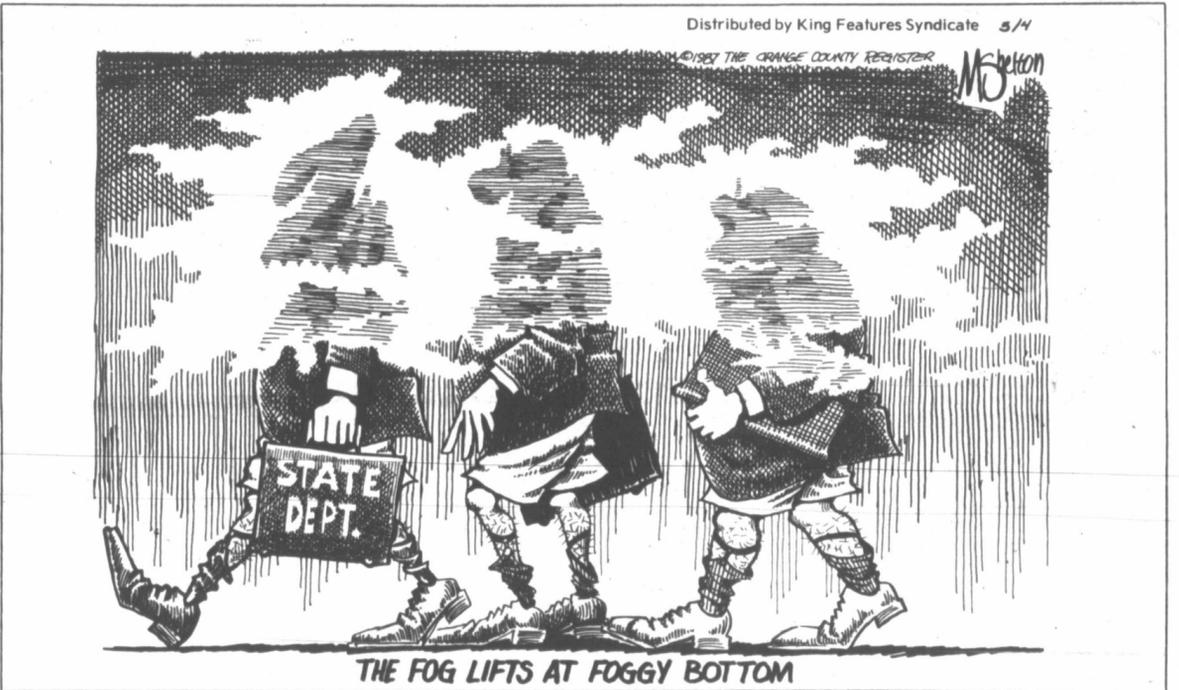
women."

Even in the case of non-violent material that nonetheless demeans women, which the commission said promotes approving attitudes about rape, "we can find no convincing evidence" for the charge. One experiment, misrepresented by the commission, found that exposure to this material "resulted in less rather than more aggressive behavior."

The commission was no more reliable on violent pornography. Donnerstein, Linz and Penrod insist that, first, there is no evidence that violent images are gaining ground. In mass-market publications, in fact, the trend is exactly the other way. Second, they warn that though male subjects in laboratory settings display greater aggressiveness toward women after being exposed to such images, it is "a matter for considerable debate" whether these effects occur in the real world.

Most important, they argue that the dangerous element in violent pornography is not the sex but the violence. "Halloween III," in other words, is more worrisome than "Debbie Does Dallas." The commission labored to conceal that the vast majority of sexually explicit material in magazines and movies isn't the type that might be termed hazardous.

Acknowledging such unpalatable facts would have made the administration look silly, besides deflating the Moral Majoritarians who find Sylvester Stallone less objectionable than Christie Hefner. The commission was doing the work of politicians, and politicians know that in exploiting a perfect issue, honesty has no place.



Paul Harvey

A cause for accountability

Billy Graham saw this coming. He wrote a book in 1983 prescribing "a biblical standard for evangelists."

Even before that, Graham established an "evangelical council for financial accountability." He urged religion-related organizations to "open their books" for public scrutiny as his own organization has done.

As we have learned, not all televangelists heeded his warning.

Now the Internal Revenue Service is probing allegations of misuse of church money by the Jim Bakker organization so a new degree of accountability is likely to be forced on these ministries.

"Accountability" should be required of every public person.

Let me run that by again because it is the sum of all that I am about so say: "Accountability, whether by self-discipline or by mandate, should be required of every public person."

I asked the Rev. Robert Schuller about "accountability."

He said that while independent churches are not accountable to main-line denominations, his is.

The Reformed Church of America, in which Schuller is ordained and licensed, has been around for 300 years, is the oldest of all Protestant denominations.

Schuller is accountable to his parent church financially, theologically, ethically and morally.

His denomination's Book of Church Law sets down responsible guidelines under which church pastors may be investigated in matters of morals, manners and motives.

This procedure also protects pastors against groundless accusations.

If there is a cloud over any minister, there is a prescribed procedure to test the rumor. If a basis for investigation exists, the investigation may result in a trial — again by a judge and jury who are entirely independent from the accused pastor and his ministry.

Thus mainline Protestant denominations, along with Roman Catholicism, are "accountable." First with credibility which requires a proper education — usually including a degree from an accredited theological seminary.

Even after licensing, the pastor found to be irresponsible can be defrocked, stripped of his license.

When I sought this explanation of "accountability" from Dr. Schuller, he volunteered an implied indictment which makes a very sharp point.

He noted that there is no such "accountability" required of news reporters. That news media people may be hired with little preparation, no certification and yet in what they say and write about any public person the news writer, unless proved malicious, is immune even to libel laws.

For the writer of broadcasts, telecasts, books, magazines — there is none of the accountability that media people are now demanding of others. Ouch!

Conservative attack on Reagan unfounded

By William A. Rusher

There are times when I feel ashamed of most of my colleagues in the conservative movement, and I'm sorry to say that this is one of them.

It's bad enough that so many of them are ready to assume that Ronald Reagan is about to bargain away the security of western Europe in return for a worthless agreement with Gorbachev and an assured "place in history." But to be whistled into opposing this alleged development at the summons of Richard Nixon and Henry Kissinger is, to borrow Talleyrand's formulation, worse than a crime; it is a blunder.

May I remind my conservative friends of the credentials and records of the various players in this scenario? Ronald Reagan is the man who publicly and correctly identified the Soviet Union as "the focus of evil in

the modern world," and sternly outwaited successive Kremlin bosses while he rebuilt the armed forces of the United States and deployed Pershing IIs and cruise missiles in Europe.

When Gorbachev reversed the Soviet policy of refusing to negotiate and returned to the bargaining table at Reykjavik, Reagan was waiting for him there and signaled his readiness to consider any degree of disarmament the Russians were interested in. But when Gorbachev conditioned all progress on disarmament on a U.S. promise not to test or deploy a space shield, Ronald Reagan told him to go fish — and came home to find his approval ratings higher than ever.

And what about Messrs. Nixon and Kissinger? As a highly placed U.S. diplomat remarked to me recently, "Have you noticed that Nixon and Kissinger are always advocating

these brilliant maneuvers — and that the maneuvers always turn out badly?"

Let's not forget that it was the Nixon administration that gave us SALT I, the keystone in the arch of Mutual Assured Destruction, which the Russians have been busy violating ever since. It is Nixon, too, whose signature on the 1974 anti-ballistic missile treaty is rightly cited today as the chief obstacle to American testing or deployment of a space shield. (It is, in fact, Nixon who has been arguing that the whole concept of a space shield is, or ought to be, simply a "bargaining chip" to win Soviet concessions on arms reduction.)

As for Henry Kissinger, have conservatives forgotten who pioneered the bright idea of rewarding the Soviets with Western trade for good behavior? The only results were to addict U.S. farmers to Soviet grain

purchases, make western Europe dependent on Soviet natural gas, and leave American and German banks stuck with huge loans to communist nations that haven't the slightest intention of paying even the interest.

Yet let these two discount Machiavelli's summons to resist Ronald Reagan's supposed softness on arms control and conservatives start acting as though Reagan were some sort of senile re-play of Jimmy Carter.

The details of any agreement with the Soviets are, of course, critically important. I don't rule out the possibility that one or another of the warnings issued by Nixon and Kissinger is well taken — though their comments on nuclear artillery are unconvincing and their silence on the effect of a space shield is downright ominous. But whose strategic vision — theirs or Reagan's — has proved superior?

Nation

House panel OKs catastrophic health bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — House committee approval of a catastrophic health bill sets the stage for the first major expansion of Medicare in 22 years and strongly suggests a tax-based progressive financing plan will be injected into the program for the first time.

The major additional benefits in the measure, which cleared the House Ways and Means Committee late Thursday, are patterned on a plan drafted by Health and Human Services Secretary Otis R. Bowen and embraced by President Reagan after weeks of debate within the administration.

Although the House bill goes somewhat beyond the Bowen plan in benefits, the major departure from the

administration approach is the progressive nature of financing in which 40 percent of relatively well-to-do elderly Americans would pay most of the freight for the entire program.

The administration would finance its proposal by imposing the same flat premium increase — about \$6 a month to start — on all 31 million Medicare beneficiaries regardless of income.

Although backers of the income-related financing in the House bill are careful not to use the word tax, the variable charge — called a "supplemental premium" — would be calculated under a new section and premium table on income tax forms.

"There was some objection to calling the payment a tax," Rep. Fortney H.

Stark, D-Calif., chairman of the Ways and Means health subcommittee, told reporters after approval of the bill. "It is a premium. It is an income-related premium. It is not means-testing."

Rep. Willis D. Gradison Jr. of Ohio, ranking Republican on the health subcommittee and co-author of the bill with Stark, said he prefers to call the financing mechanism "a mandatory, income-related user's fee."

Whatever it is called, the financing in Stark-Gradison is strikingly similar to that in a catastrophic health insurance bill introduced earlier this week by Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee.

That measure is co-sponsored by a majority of the Senate committee

members, assuring it an eventual hearing on the Senate floor just as Thursday's action sends Stark-Gradison to the House floor.

Taken together, the unfolding developments this week on opposite sides of the Capitol removed most of the mystery from the likely eventual shape of catastrophic health legislation almost certain to clear Congress this year.

It appears the eventual benefit package will go marginally beyond what Reagan proposed: no long-term nursing home care and some coverage of prescription drugs for Medicare beneficiaries with particularly high drug bills.

The developments also suggest a

strong consensus to finance the expansion largely on an income-related basis rather than with a flat premium, although both the House and Senate bills would raise premiums slightly on all beneficiaries.

The House version would increase it about \$1.50 a month, largely to avoid a complicated change in existing law governing financing of the underlying Medicare doctor benefits. The Senate version would impose a \$4 monthly premium increase on all, deriving less of its total from progressive financing.

The major benefit in both would provide payment for all hospital and most doctor bills after a \$1,700 annual deductible is met.

Business leaders see slow economic growth for nation

HOT SPRINGS, Va. (AP) — The nation's top business leaders predicted today that the U.S. economy will continue growing at a modest rate over the next two years, but they warned of rising threats of a recession stemming from a weak dollar and higher inflation.

In its semi-annual economic forecast, the Business Council was decidedly less upbeat than just six months ago, attributing the increased pessimism to worldwide trade tensions, uncertainties over the dollar and a recent jump in interest rates.

"No one forecasts a recession in 1987 or 1988," the council said in its consensus report. "However, there is a widespread feeling in the group that expansionary forces are rather fragile and vulnerable to shocks."

Potential recessionary threats include trade disputes between the United States and other countries such as Japan and a continued rise in interest rates, the council said as it began a three-day meeting at this mountain resort.

The chance that the 4-year-old economic recovery will tumble into a recession was put at 25 percent by some of the business economists who prepared the forecast.

The Business Council, made up of executives from 65 of the country's largest corporations, predicts economic growth, as measured by the gross national product, of 2.5 percent this year.

That assessment would match GNP growth last year, when the economy turned in its poorest performance since the recession year of 1982.

In its fall forecast, the council had predicted 1987 growth of nearly 3 percent, a pace the council does not now see the country achieving until 1988.

The 1987 forecast is below the Reagan administration's expectations of 3.2 percent growth this year and implies a dramatic slowdown from the 4.3 percent GNP rate turned in during the first three months of the year.

John S. Reed, head of the giant New York banking firm Citicorp, said a big drop in the growth of consumer spending this year and weakness in business investment and housing construction are major factors in the expectation of lackluster overall growth.

"The general view is that the economy this year will be about flat with last year," he said.

The report said the news on inflation will be decidedly worse, with consumer prices expected to rise 4.3 percent this year and 4.5 percent in 1988. While this would be up substantially from the 1.1 percent increase in 1986, it still would be far below the double-digit rates at the beginning of this decade.

The council blamed the higher inflation on rising prices Americans will pay for imported goods because of the decline in the value of the dollar over the past two years.

The council said growth of industrial production will average about 3.5 percent over the next two years, about twice as fast as the past couple of years.

This assessment was confirmed by officials from companies as diverse as International Business Machines, the computer manufacturer, and Pfizer Inc., the pharmaceutical company, both of which said their sales had been helped by the decline in the value of the dollar.

Unemployment lowest in decade

WASHINGTON (AP) — Civilian unemployment hit a decade-low 6.3 percent last month as tens of thousands of jobs were created in construction, retail trade and business and health services, the government said today.

The 0.3 percentage point improvement over March's rate cut the number of jobless Americans to 7.5 million, the lowest since April 1980.

April's unemployment matches a 6.3 percent rate for the first three months of 1980. Not since December 1979, when unemployment was 6.0, has the rate been lower.

The jobless rate has been falling steadily since September, when it stood at 7.0 percent.

Since then, employers have reported adding a net 1.8 million workers to their payrolls, virtually all in the service area, now responsible for three-fourths of the nation's business and government employment. Manufacturing accounts for the remaining 24 percent.

The Labor Department's monthly household survey showed 467,000 more Americans at work in April than in March, with total civilian employment at a record 111,835,000. A separate survey of business and government payrolls showed an employment gain of 315,000.

Private analysts, noting recent trends, had predicted monthly job growth of just over 200,000.

The jobless rates for adult men and women each

fell 0.3 percentage point to 5.5 percent. Unemployment among teenagers dropped from 18.1 percent to 7.4 percent. Among blacks, the rate dropped from 13.9 percent to 13.0.

The only increase among various population categories was for Hispanics, rising from 9.0 percent to 9.2.

The commissioner of labor statistics, Janet L. Norwood, said the restructuring away from an industrial economy to a service-based one has eroded the historical pattern of higher unemployment among women than among men.

"The adult male unemployment rate is still very much affected by the relative weakness of mining and of several key manufacturing industries," she told the congressional Joint Economic Committee today.

"Women, on the other hand, have traditionally been more concentrated in some of the fast-growing service industries, ... now the primary source of increased jobs."

Service industries produced 275,000 of the 315,000 new jobs recorded last month on business payrolls. Of that, employment in retail trade, capitalizing on the late Easter, jumped by 65,000.

In business and health services, employment grew by about 50,000. Banks and other financial institutions reported an increase of 20,000 workers, while real estate and insurance businesses said they hired 15,000 additional employees.

'Doonesbury' prompts calls to White House

WASHINGTON (AP) — While President Reagan jested with some of the nation's top cartoonists in the Rose Garden, a joke by one of their colleagues caused White House switchboards to light up with calls about sex.

By coincidence, a "Doonesbury" strip showing Reagan urging young people to call the White House telephone number for safe sex information appeared in newspapers the same day the president was entertaining members of the American Association of Editorial Cartoonists.

"You keep us here in Washington from taking ourselves too seriously, and I can't think of any greater service to national sanity than that," Reagan told the cartoonists at the gathering Thursday.

He also offered good-natured criticism of their caricatures of him, saying, for instance, "I've tried every way I can to make my hair stand up that way, but it just won't take."

"Doonesbury" cartoonist Gary Trudeau, meanwhile, came up with his own depiction of Reagan, complete with exaggerated wave in his hair, saying on television, "Kids! Need rock-solid information on safe sex? Call this number on your screen!"

White House spokesman Martin Fitzwater told reporters quite a few people had called the White House.

Baby contest winners



Venancio and Betsy Ann Perez, and their baby, Lamelia Rose, were named winners of the second annual Pampa Board of Realtors' contest for the first baby born during the recent American Home Week. The family received dinner out and a wreath with a nameplate showing Lamelia's date of birth, length and weight. — Adv.

Checking the damage



Three men walk through the fiery debris of the Thursday derailment of a Burlington Northern freight train in the Columbia River Gorge near Stevenson, Wash., to check out the damage. As many as 20 cars derailed, dumping several in the river and sparking a fire that engulfed others. (AP Laserphoto)

McFarlane calls Contras 'inept Coca-Cola bottlers'

BALTIMORE (AP) — Former National Security Adviser Robert C. McFarlane says in interviews published today that U.S.-backed Nicaraguan rebels were "well-meaning, patriotic, but inept Coca-Cola bottlers and clerks."

In two interviews published by The Baltimore Sun, McFarlane described the Contras as incapable of succeeding in combat against the Sandanista forces.

"Their solid figures apparently enjoy substantial support, but they are incompetent. They just

cannot hack it on the battlefield," he said. "They're well-meaning, patriotic but inept Coca-Cola bottlers and clerks."

McFarlane's mention of Coca-Cola apparently referred to Adolfo Calero, one of the three major guerrilla leaders and a former manager of the Coca-Cola bottling plant in Nicaragua, the newspaper said.

McFarlane, who attempted suicide Feb. 9, said he never expressed the strength of his doubts about the Contras to President Reagan.

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■ 'It was so beautiful. It was like floating through a field of flowers, and I was trying not to walk on the flowers. There were lots of people there. I knew I didn't have to talk to them. I just knew they were there. It felt like taking a bath in love.'

— Judy

■ 'At this particular time, scientists cannot come up with a definition of life.'

— Barthel

■ 'Every morning when I wake up, I check to see if I can move, and if I can't, I know that I'm not dead yet.'

— Karen

■ 'Is this the bed I will die in?'

— Philip

■ 'I'm going to put you in my pocket, and you're going with me wherever I go.'

— Kathy



Flowers

up with a definition of life," Barthel said. She said she doesn't actually know what happens when a person is dying, but it does seem that they are able to leave their body for awhile and then return to it. "All I can do is report what they reported to me," she said.

Some of the dying find it hard themselves to tell whether or not they are alive. Karen, a young victim of neuromuscular disease, expressed it this way: "Every morning when I wake up, I check to see if I can move, and if I can't, I know that I'm not dead yet."

In her book, *The Hospice Alternative*, Anne Munley tells of Philip, an elderly man dying of brain cancer. Philip kept asking everyone who came into his hospice room, "Is this the bed I will die in?" But he couldn't explain why he kept asking that. It was not until his wife brought him home that the question was understood. Philip had designed and built a room to make his care at home easier. He wanted to die in his own bed, in the room he had made, but his brain cancer rendered him unable to communicate the idea.

After the message was interpreted, Philip was able to die in his special bed and room.

Laura, a teen-ager dying of a brain tumor, and her mother became powerful teachers in Barthel's life, she said. Barthel first met them when she received a telephone call one day from a nurse on the pediatrics floor at St. Anthony's Hospital. It seemed that it was the nurse who needed comforting more than the family, Barthel remembered.

"Laura's head was shaved after surgery. Kathy (her mother) was sitting on the bed with her arms around Laura," Barthel said as she recalled her first meeting with them. "They were relaxed. I sat with them on the bed and talked awhile. Laura talked about her surgery. She was sad about having to move from New Mexico to Texas," she said.

Barthel continued to visit Laura often in the Bivins Rehabilitation Center. She remembers that Laura was 13, but had the maturity of a 60-year-old. As Laura neared her death, she was placed on a respirator. She was fully aware of what was going on, but because of the machine was unable to talk.

Fortunately, because of the close relationship with her mother, Laura had already planned what she was going to wear after she died. Laura had also told her mother that she wanted Kathy to dress her after she died. They were also fortunate to find a funeral home that allowed her to do that.

As Laura neared death, Kathy looked at her and said, "Do you understand what is happening?" Laura nodded that she did. Then Kathy said, "I'm going to put you in my pocket and you're going with me wherever I go."

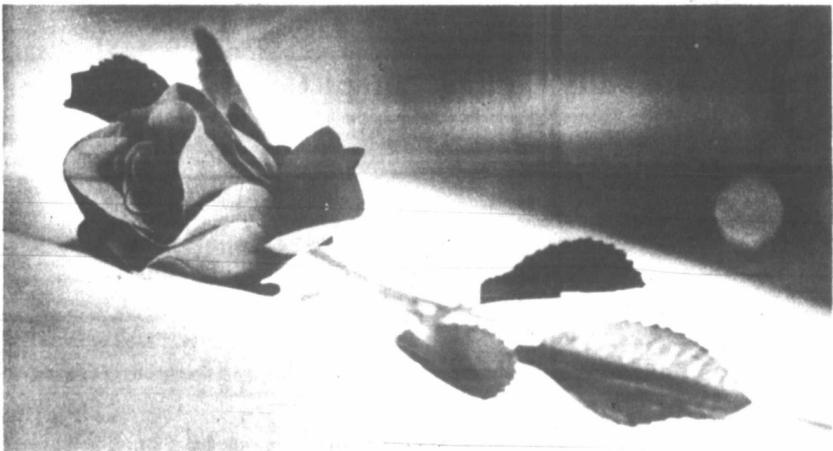
Laura had told her mother that she didn't want to be forgotten after she died. By telling Laura that she was putting her "in my pocket," Kathy reassured her daughter that she would always be remembered.

After Laura died, Kathy bathed her, dressed her and did her nails, just as she had promised she would. Then she and her husband took Laura and placed her in the coffin.

"What was wonderful about this experience was the way Kathy emphasized being open and honest with Laura," Barthel said. "Kathy would cry while Laura comforted her, and Laura would cry while Kathy comforted her. They said, 'Let's do this together, and let's do it honestly,' and they did."

"When people are dying, they try to share their experiences but often use symbolic language," Barthel said. "Many times the family members and professionals say they're confused."

Though their words may be confusing to those around them, the dying are still the teachers, she added. The secret to learning from them is to listen, really listen, to what they are saying.



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The volunteers



Hospice care wouldn't work without the support of its many volunteers. One of the volunteers' more important tasks is simply listening to what the dying have to say about their experiences. Three volunteers at St. Anthony's Hospice in Amarillo are Bill Wadley, left, Jerri Rossi and Pat Goding.

Food shoved down throat leaves boy on life supports

HOUSTON (AP)—A woman told authorities her husband, outraged when her 2-year-old son refused to eat, shoved pizza down his stepson's throat, forced his head against the floor, and then stepped on his stomach.

Jesse Warren was reported near death at Texas Children's Hospital, where he was on a life-support system. Judy Hay, a spokeswoman for the county's Children's Protective Service, said the boy is not expected to live.

Harris County Sheriff's Sgt. J.J. Freeze said Thomas Lynn Warren, 43, and Jacqueline Annette Warren, 32, were arrested late Wednesday after her son was rushed to a hospital with severe head injuries and bruises over 80 percent of his body.

They were charged with injury to a child and jailed in lieu of \$100,000 bond.

Freeze said that the woman told authorities that when the child refused to eat, her husband forced pizza down his

throat, forced his head against the floor, then stepped on his stomach.

Mrs. Warren told authorities she picked up her son and took him into another room, Freeze said.

The child's mother said she took the food out of her son's throat and gave him mouth-to-mouth resuscitation before calling an ambulance, Freeze said. Officials at York Plaza Hospital notified the sheriff's department that the case appeared to be child abuse.

A paramedic found pieces of pizza lodged in the child's esophagus, the source said.

The boy — along with his sister and three brothers, ranging in age from 4 to 8 — had been removed from the home last August, officials said, after social workers complained that the children were sometimes left alone in the house with no food and in unclean conditions.

The children were returned to their parents in March, and CPS officials

said they are reviewing the decision earlier this week to leave the 25-month-old boy in the home, even though a worker had noted bruises on him.

"We really will have to see if this could have been prevented," Hay said.

Hay said Warren and her husband appeared to have improved their home. The couple attended counseling sessions and visited the children in foster homes, she said.

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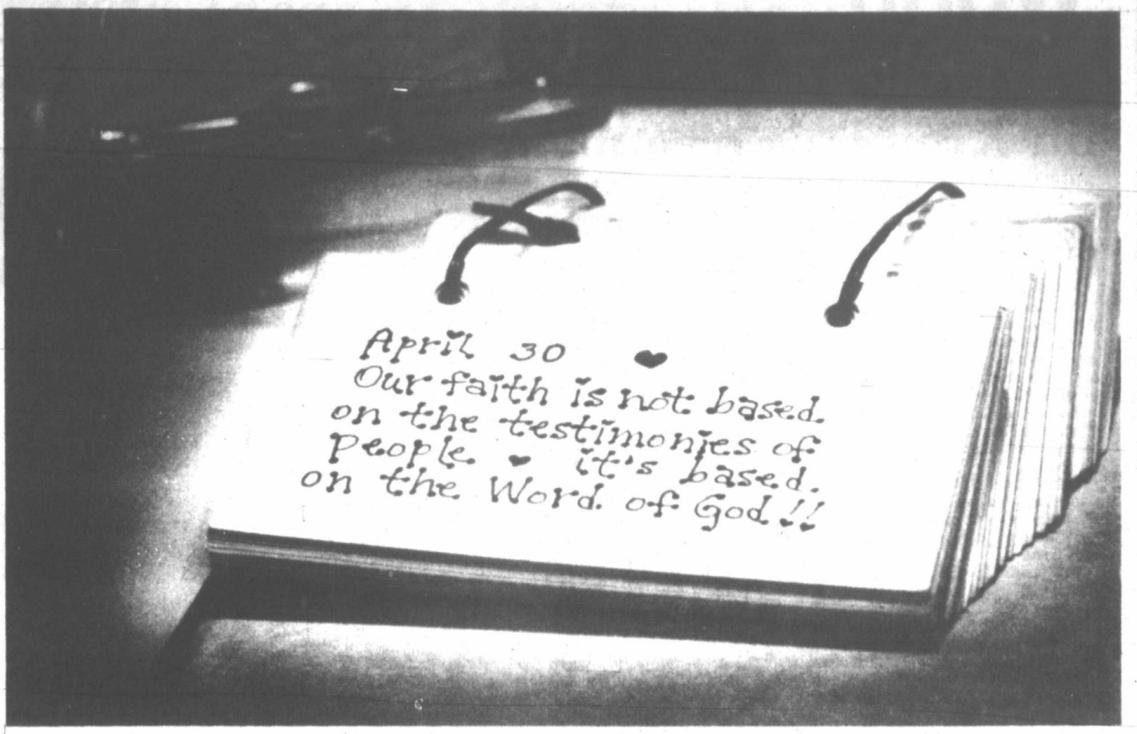
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Sister Olivia, director of St. Anthony's Hospice, works in her office.



A daily verse displayed at nurse's station in St. Anthony's Hospice offers inspiration.

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■ 'If you are ever with a patient who is truly in acceptance, you will feel that deep joy, calmness and peace.'

— Barthel

■ 'As we go through life we use a lot of techniques to keep from really looking at the truth. But as terminal illness progresses, we become less and less able to lie to ourselves.'

— Barthel

■ 'When I am with people whose state is really one of peace, I see few preferences, little isolation, little hope, because fear has dissolved into a kind of confidence in the process.'

— Levine

■ 'It would be presumptuous of me to go in and batter them with (reality).'

— Southern

Games

unified whole. "All these pieces must be dealt with in order to unify the patient," she said.

However, in order to reach that unity, dying patients usually go through the stages identified by Kubler-Ross.

Denial could be called nature's anesthesia. Denial is when the patient exclaims, "What does that damn doctor know anyway?" Patients in denial may go from doctor to doctor, trying to find one who will tell them what they want to hear — that they're not really going to die.

Blessings of denial could be that it keeps the unacceptable truth from hitting all at one time, or from being absorbed all at once. Denial allows the person to maintain control in an uncontrollable situation and it offers a 'safe' place to retreat when reality becomes overwhelming.

On a negative level, denial can keep the person from experiencing the good things that are available at the moment. It can also prevent further conscious emotional work.

"I believe the individual is going to be doing the emotional work required at some level of his being," Barthel said. "But he may not be doing it consciously at all."

Hospice workers are taught to respect the patient's early need for denial and are told not to try to push the patient out of this stage.

John Southern, counseling coordinator for St. Anthony's Hospice in Amarillo, said he often sees families and patients who enter hospice care while denying there is a disease. He said he talks to them and tries to help them through the situation, but added, "It would be presumptuous of me to go in and batter them with (reality)."

Steven Levine, an authority on death and dying, said that anger arises from a feeling of



helplessness that has always been within a person, but then becomes focused in the moment.

"Anger is a difficult place to be," Barthel said, "because of our own self-esteem as volunteers."

"It also builds up layers of resentment, especially for the spouse who often receives the brunt of the anger," she added.

Bargaining is an attempt to postpone the inevitable. It comes from our "cultural reward for good behavior," Barthel said. "We're conditioned to think that 'If I pray a lot, my prayers will be answered, and I will be healed.'" Bargaining may take the form of "If you make me well, I'll be in church every Sunday."

Bargaining can tap unknown and unexplored sources of energy, Barthel said. But it can also make the dying person resort to "if onlys," which she said uses a lot of energy but doesn't get the person anywhere.

Depression comes when dying people suddenly are confronted with a truth that they cannot yell or deny their way out of. At this time, the dying begin to face reality and start the process of letting go. They then take responsibility for the way they respond to change. They no longer expect someone else to fix things for them.

Problems with depression may occur when the patients go into severe withdrawal. They may isolate themselves from family and friends and even refuse to eat as the end nears.

Finally, the dying will reach a stage of acceptance. "When I am with people whose state is really one of peace, I see few preferences, little isolation, little hope, because fear has dissolved into a kind of confidence in the process," Levine said.

"If you are ever with a patient who is truly in acceptance, you will feel that deep joy, calmness and peace," Barthel said.

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Jewish meeting ends with attack on Kremlin's treatment of Jews

BUDAPEST, Hungary (AP)—The World Jewish Congress concluded its first meeting in the Soviet bloc with strong criticism by an American Jewish leader of the Kremlin's treatment of Soviet Jews.

On Thursday, the last day of the two-day meeting, the congress also urged about 90 delegates attending from 30 nations to press for the extradition and prosecution of alleged Nazi war criminal Alois Brunner, who has lived in Syria since 1955.

U.S. delegate Menachem Rosensaft called Brunner "the most notorious living Nazi war criminal" and said he was responsible for deporting 125,000 Jews to Nazi death camps.

Rosensaft said he hoped Jews from the Soviet bloc, which has good relations with Syria, would exert pressure for extradition of the Austrian-born Brunner.

The U.S. delegate said Brunner was sentenced to death in a trial in absentia in France in 1954, and that arrest warrants are also out for him in Czechoslovakia, West Germany, Austria, Greece and Israel.

Jews from Czechoslovakia, East Germany, Bulgaria, Romania and host Hungary attended the meeting, and at least one Moscow rabbi and two other Soviet Jews were present as guests.

Some of them appeared discomfited by Thursday's dinner speech by Morris Abram, an American who is leader of the WJC's Presidents' Conference, an umbrella organization of American Jewish groups.

Abram insisted emigration is a fundamental hu-

man right, "otherwise a country is a hermetically sealed prison, not a home."

"I ask why should the Soviet Union be frightened to obey the law of nations with respect to emigration?" Abram said.

"Why should a state so great and powerful as the Soviet Union... be afraid of teachers teaching Hebrew," he continued. "Why should it be the only great power that is trying to force the assimilation of its Jewish community?"

Abram accompanied WJC President Edgar Bronfman on a recent trip to Moscow, which congress officials have said brought signs of progress on easing Soviet restrictions on Jewish culture.

Soviet Jewish emigration reached 717 last month, the highest monthly figure since 1981. But that figure was still far below the monthly average of over 4,000 in 1979, when 51,000 Jews emigrated.

Abram said he seeks lasting changes in emigration.

"We shall not be deceived by verbal assurances, or placated by highly publicized Soviet gestures designed to still protests until the Soviets get needed commercial and other agreements."

A dispute over Soviet Jewry emerged earlier Thursday when Czech Jews issued a statement objecting to Western campaigning on the issue.

"Organizing hysterical pressure drives from the outside does not contribute to a smooth settlement," the statement said.

Seeking senatorial seat



Nelia Sancho, right, former Philippine beauty queen who is running for a senatorial seat from the leftist People's Party, shakes hands with supporters during her last campaign tour in Manila's Miranda Plaza. Balloting on the Senate and the Lower House is scheduled for Monday.

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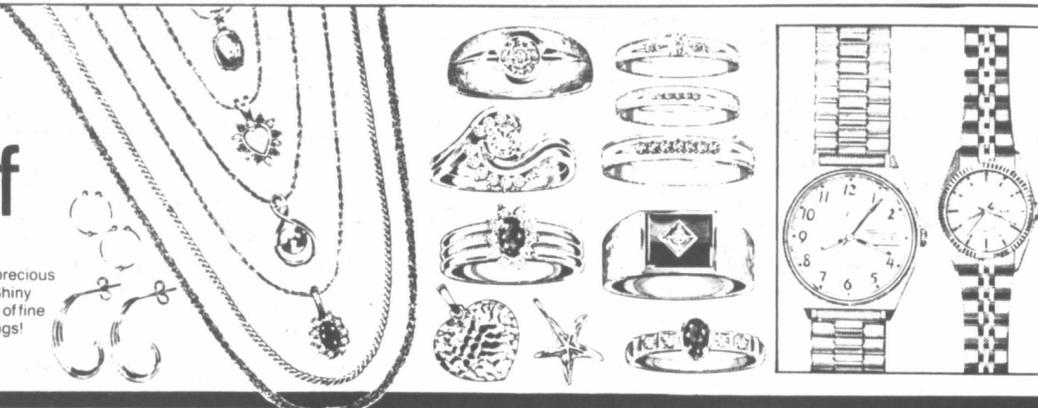
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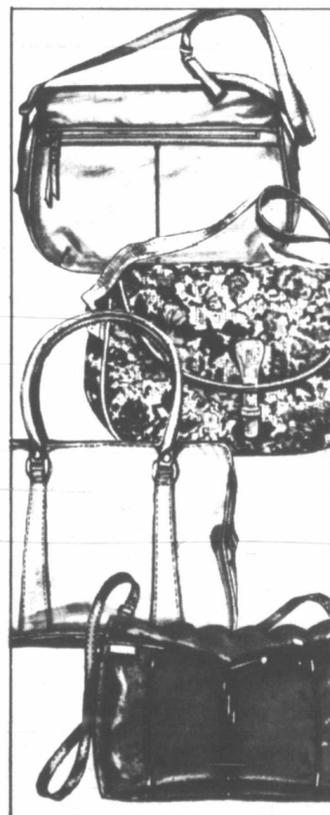
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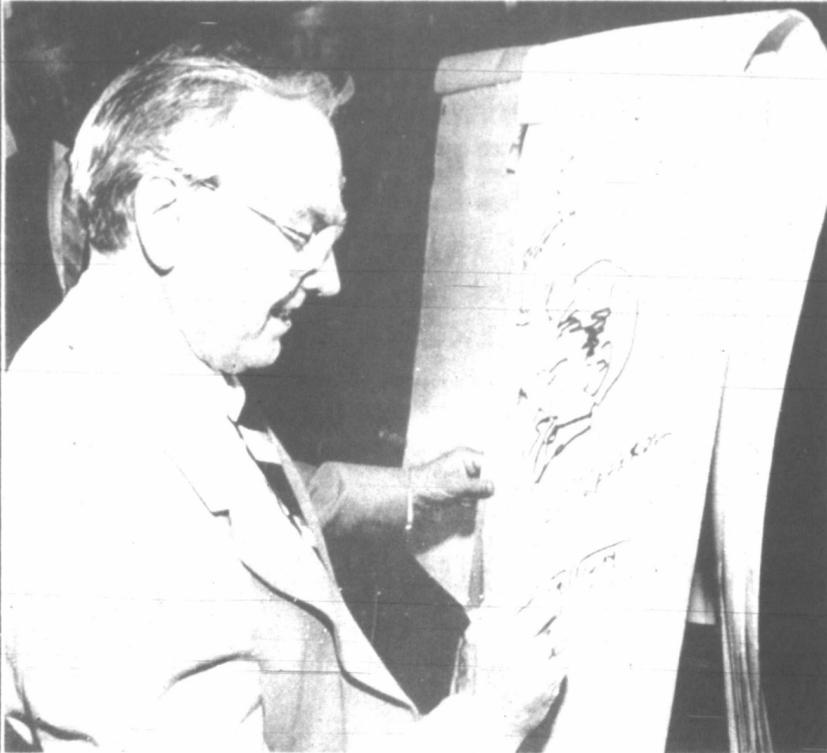
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House Speaker Jim Wright of Texas draws a caricature of himself during a reception on Capitol Hill Thursday night for the Association of American Editorial Cartoonists. (AP Laserphoto)

House refuses to send bill back

AUSTIN (AP) — A committee chairman says he probably made a mistake in letting it out, but the House has refused to let him take back a bill that would exempt nonprofit hospitals from disclosing their financial records.

"We should have taken more testimony. We should have studied it more," Rep. Steve Wolens, D-Dallas, told the House.

Wolens is chairman of the House Business and Commerce Committee, which forwarded the Senate-approved bill to the calendar committee, which will set it for floor debate.

Wolens' panel recommended the bill for the uncontested calendar, but he said that had been changed and it would be scheduled for debate with contested bills.

"We didn't know what we were voting on," Wolens told the House. "Why is it so terrible for us to take it back and study it? Maybe I made a mistake as a committee chairman. I'm tending to think I did."

But the House voted 53-73 against sending the Senate-approved bill back to Wolens' committee.

Houston Sen. Gene Green's bill would exempt about 200 nonprofit hospitals from opening their financial records to public scrutiny. The bill also would exempt from disclosure the records of nonprofit, tax-exempt Texas corporations that have religious affiliations.

Officials of nonprofit hospitals say their records concerning donations and physicians' salaries should be kept private to protect employees and donors.

Last year, Attorney General Jim Mattox ruled that corporations related to religious entities are exempt from financial disclosure only if their primary function is to promote worship services.

The question arose when reporters found that Houston Methodist Hospital in 1984 listed \$47.1 million more in revenue than expenses.

Also Thursday, the House gave voice-vote final approval to an anti-hazing bill that includes an amendment opposed by sponsor Rep. David Patronella, D-Houston.

The amendment removed a provision allowing jail terms for people who know about hazing incidents, but do not report them. The anti-hazing bill now goes back to the Senate for review of House changes.

Winning preliminary House approval Thursday was a measure that would teachers' personnel files from public scrutiny.

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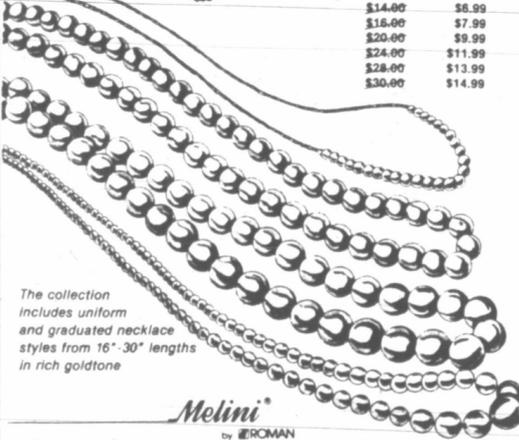
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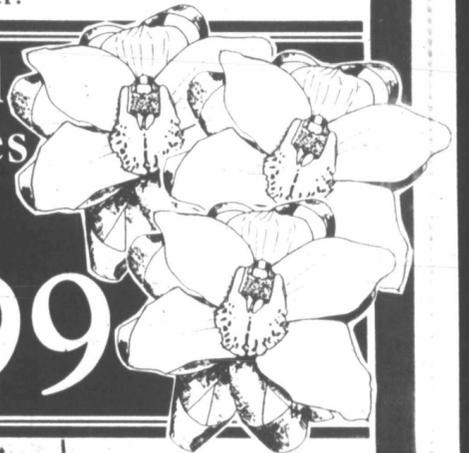


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Minding the store a lifetime job for brothers

By ED TODD
Midland Reporter-Telegram

LENORAH (AP)—The old days are here. Right in the country store.

It's rustic and quite rural. Nothing fancy. No pretense. It's naturally West Texas in the raw.

The old general store, operated for years by the Springer brothers, Grover and Denver, isn't altogether what it used to be—materially, that is. In spirit, it's unchanged.

"We had it plumb full of everything," recalled Denver Springer, who, at a mere 70, dashed to and fro as if the years had not grabbed hold of him. They haven't.

In its earlier and fuller years, the old general store sold most everything essential: buggy whips, horse collars, groceries, fresh meat, coal oil, gasoline, stoves, ice, candy, tobacco, vinegar, clothes, work shoes, hardware, plows, dishes, flour and chicken and hog feed in print (from which dresses, aprons and shirts were made), pots and pans, nuts and bolts.

"You didn't need to go anywhere else." That was back in Lenorah's heydays—before the last bust of the boom-bust cycle in the oilfield and on the farm.

Back then, the Springers posted this sign: "Springer Brothers Wonder Store: You wonder if we have it, and we wonder if we can find it if we do have it."

To them, there was order in clutter. And there was another sign, recalled Denver: "Open when I get here. Closed when I get tired."

"Oh, man, it's nearly dead now," Denver said of the oil and farm business here. "I don't know from one day to the next if I'm going to close up and go home."

Lenorah, almost in the center of Martin County, is a farming community northwest of Stanton and, by paved highway, is 42 miles northeast of Midland. The community has the store, a couple of cotton gins and cafes, post office, church and houses. The school, Grady, is three miles to the west just off Texas Highway 176.

The Springer brothers bought the old general store in January 1946. About 1½ years later, the rock-and-adobe building and much of Lenorah was destroyed by a tornado, which cut into the community twice on a Sunday, Mother's Day, on May 11, 1947.

"Boy, it was a bad cloud that day," recalled Denver. "I think it came through a (playa) lake, and got all of the water out of it. It cleaned just nearly everything out."

"I was down here right in the middle of it," said Grover, a 73-year-old retired schoolteacher and former Boy Scout leader. He taught at Lenorah

and nearby Tarzan before those schools were consolidated in 1950 and then took up teaching at Grady, which is midway between those two communities.

When Grover saw the twister heading his way, he lunged for a post and held on.

"It (the tornado) went on through and leveled everything," including cotton gins and houses. "After it hit here, the silly thing made a circle and came back."

The community was rebuilt. And the general store reopened across the road "just about dinner time" on Sept. 20, 1947.

"We were hollering 'Hallelujah!'" Denver said in recalling the rejoicing. Later that day, the store did about \$500 in business. The Springer brothers' new store was formed out of a couple of old U.S. Army barracks.

"It took a long time to get it paid out, but we paid it out," Denver said.

In the bustling days to follow in the late 1940s, the '50s, which was beset by drought, and the '60s and '70s, the general store mostly prospered and did as much as \$6,000 worth of business in one day.

"That was a lot of stuff then," Denver said. "Even then, you could buy a Coca-Cola for a nickel or six cents." Today, the price is about 10 times that.

That was when the community was larger and had more stores, churches and two blacksmith shops. Cattle sales would be held here, as would tent shows and boxing matches.

The Springer brothers ventured into this territory in 1929, when they moved to Tarzan from Denton Valley near Abilene with their father, Fritz, a farmer. "We loaded up the old Model T truck and Model A car and came to Martin County," Denver said.

"Of course," said Grover, "we could tell you a good bit about some flats we had while we were on the road." Some roads were paved along the route; some weren't.

Before that, they had lived in Oklahoma and came to Texas in 1917 via covered wagon and railroad.

"We were coming in a covered wagon," Grover said, "and got down to Weatherford, and it came up a bad spell of weather. And Dad put Denver and I and our mother and grandmother on a train and we rode it on to Clyde, Texas."

Back in the 1930s, the Springers often traveled northward to Lamesa "because that was the farmers' town," Denver said. They also hauled some of their produce, such as watermelons, cantaloupes and black-eyed peas, to peddle in Midland. And they came to Midland for entertainment—to see motion-picture shows at the old Yucca Theatre for a dime.



Grover Springer, left, and brother Denver Springer joke about how their general store has changed with the times.

"You had to do everything in the world to make a living," said Denver. They milked cows, raised cattle, chickens, turkeys, guinea hens and hogs, farmed cotton, and grew feed.

"There were plenty of times Grover and I didn't have a nickel."

The two country brothers did what many country youngsters do: They went off to the big city—Lubbock—to get their formal "learning" at what is now Texas Tech University. After schooling, they returned home.

Both taught school, but Grover made a career out of it, as did his wife, Irene. Denver's wife, Ruth, mostly worked in the general store.

Denver recalled the old outhouses at school and alluded to some of the mischief which boys got into. "Grover and I knew what boys will do because we did it ourselves," he said.

"You could look out at noon and see that smoke just boiling out." And it wasn't from smoking tobacco but rather from cigarettes made out of cotton leaves, cedar bark and grapevine stems.

Museum abounds in memories

CROWELL (AP)—There have been some changes at the Foard County Fire Hall Museum, but its curator says they won't shake things up too much for the 11-year-old collection of memories.

Volunteers recently moved exhibits of travel to a refurbished railroad depot a few hundred feet north of the Fire Hall on Texas 6. The bright red depot matches the old museum and also will hold several hundred library books from the county library.

But the makeup of most of the museum will remain just about the same, says curator Evelyn Cates, 75, whose wit is as dry as the dusty memories from her past that add to the nostalgia of the place.

Mrs. Cates knows firsthand about most of the memorabilia collected in the two-story building. She moved to Crowell in 1920 and later married T.F. Cates, a dirt contractor.

When her husband died in 1979, Mrs. Cates started looking for job. "I've only got a high school education, and there aren't too many good jobs out there," she said. "I'm not a professional museum keeper or anything. But I like it."

Her background on the farm gave Mrs. Cates all the education she needed as museum expert.

"That's a fruit peeler," Mrs. Cates said, pointing to an odd combination of gears and rust. "I remember when Mama would call me to peel fruit, and I'd a much rather gone outside and played."

"I never used one of these," she said, pointing to an 18-inch funnel used to wring a chicken's neck. "I'd grab a chicken round the neck and swirl it around. I never had enough strength in

my hands to pull its head off."

A quick run-down of exhibits revealed trivia from a time when television was science fiction.

She recalls when radios could be made with an oatmeal box and some copper wire. "My daddy wrapped wire around and around that box," Mrs. Cates said. "I don't know where he got the wire, but it worked."

"Later, we got a radio that looked a lot like that one over there," she said, pointing to a 2½-foot-wide mahogany box with a Victorian style speaker seated on top.

"You could spend hours listening to all the old programs on the radio," she said. "But I was usually too busy for that."

A display in the museum where a stiff and rather dry rattlesnake poises near an outhouse door is one of Mrs. Cates worst nightmares as a girl.

"You're too young to remember, but I do," she says. "I used to look and look when I went out at night. I never found one though."

Mrs. Cates remembers when kitchen appliances such as the butter churn and ice box caused more work than they saved.

"We used to put out this sign," she said, pointing to an 8-inch-square metal sign with 25, 50, 75 and 100 written on respective sides. "We always got 100 pounds," she said. "We had a big icebox. I sure do remember that old butter churn. I'd sit and churn and churn and churn."

"Daddy had an anvil like the one we have here in the blacksmith shop," she said. "I remember him out there working. It'd be hot and he'd pound that old anvil."

She also remembers cooking for her father's harvest crew.

Students seek prohibition against exam searches

AUSTIN (AP)—University of Texas students and a civil liberties group have asked the school to ban professors from searching pupils' backpacks for missing exams.

The proposed rule change will be presented to the University

Council Monday, but no action will be taken until September, the council said in a statement.

The UT-Austin Students Association and the University Civil Liberties Union filed the request.

It stems from a Feb. 13 incident in which university officials said

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Libel suits and presidential campaigns a dangerous mix

By EVANS WITT
AP Political Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Paul Laxalt and Pat Robertson are juggling an explosive mixture of libel suits and presidential politics, hoping victories in the courtrooms will help win votes in the primaries.

But the two Republicans, involved in separate cases, also must face the possibility that the legal twists and turns uncover political land mines that can blow away hopes and campaigns.

There also is the more subtle problem that legal actions often generate reams of publicity — much of it unfavorable to those involved. And the weight of continuing bad publicity can sink a presidential campaign.

Laxalt and Robertson are the plaintiffs in completely separate legal actions, each seeking to clear his name of a smear each feels was contained in the printed words. For one, it was the suggestion of criminal activity. For the other, a charge of cowardice.

Both are spending time with the lawyers as well as with the voters of Iowa and New Hampshire. Laxalt announced his presidential exploratory

And there always is the possibility the legal process will turn up a previously unrevealed document or force out a statement from a witness that is embarrassing to the politician. And the political impact of such revelations could be far greater than any impact in court.

And of course, politicians can lose in court, just like everyone else.

Next month in Nevada, the lawsuit by Laxalt against the McClatchy Newspapers finally comes to trial.

The former Nevada senator filed suit Sept. 21, 1984, objecting to a story that appeared Nov. 1, 1983, in the Sacramento Bee and other papers. The story quoted sources as saying the Internal Revenue Service had evidence of skimming proceeds at the Ormsby House Hotel-Casino while Laxalt's family owned it in the early 1970s.

The story also said Laxalt's purchase of the casino was aided by Delbert Coleman, a Chicago resident described as a "stock manipulator" and "mob associate."

Laxalt sought \$250 million in damages, but he said Tuesday he would settle for a retraction, payment of his legal fees and \$1 million for a chair in journalistic ethics. C.K. McClatchy, editor and president of the McClatchy Newspapers, said his company will not apologize, retract the story nor pay any money.

Robertson's libel suits are quite different.

The television evangelist filed two lawsuits — against former congressmen Pete McCloskey and Rep. Andrew Jacobs, D-Ind. — saying the two disseminated false statements suggesting Robertson was a coward and avoided military service in Korea through the political influence of his father, then-Sen. A. Willis Robertson of Virginia.

Robertson's suit says McCloskey sent a letter to Jacobs on Aug. 4, 1986, in which the former California congressman said Robertson left a troop ship in February 1951, when he was a 2nd lieutenant in the Marine Corps, and called his father seeking a transfer out of the unit headed for combat in Korea.

Robertson has described himself as a combat veteran.

An AP News Analysis

committee this week, while Robertson is moving toward an announcement on his 1988 intentions later this year.

"Filing that lawsuit, recognizing the hazards to any public official, was a statement itself," Laxalt said at his Washington announcement Tuesday. "Most libel suits are done for effect. They are done in the heat of political campaign. They're filed and as soon as the election or political event is over, they are abandoned. We have not only filed, we have pursued."

Libel suits are tough for public officials. They are hard to win, for a public official generally must prove that the matter printed is false and that it was printed with the knowledge of its falsity or reckless disregard of its falsity.

Bill would exempt non-profit hospitals from disclosure

AUSTIN (AP) — A bill has moved quietly through the Legislature that would exempt almost 200 Texas non-profit hospitals from having to disclose their finances.

The legislation, sponsored by Sen. Gene Green, D-Houston, would exempt the hospitals from opening their financial records to the public under provisions of the Texas Non-profit Corporation Act because they are tax-exempt operations connected with a church.

The bill also would exempt from financial disclosure the records of any non-profit, tax-exempt Texas corporation affiliated with a religious group.

Officials in the attorney general's office said the measure might include television evangelists who raise money for charities rather than to promote their religious activities, the Houston Chronicle reported Wednesday.

Although the measure has cleared the Senate, it is opposed by Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and Sen. John Whitmire, D-Houston.

"It would be unfortunate if it passed because organizations that are exempt from taxes should be accountable to the public," Hobby told the Chronicle.

The legislation passed the Senate two weeks ago on the chamber's uncontested calendar.

Ready to speed things up



Texas Highway Department workers put up signs that reflect the new 65 mph speed limit on rural interstate highways in Texas. The older 55 mph signs are being put over the new signs, to be removed Saturday morning when the new speed limit goes into effect. These workers were found north of Laredo on I-35. (AP Laserphoto)

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He also promises, "In that day shall there be upon the bells of the horses, HOLINESS UNTO THE LORD; and the pots in the Lord's house shall be like the bowls before the altar."

And this day, if we follow Him, he promises that we will be filled like bowls with blessings and with His Spirit. We will also find that even a seemingly dry (and they never are, really) sermon heard in the house of the Lord, will bear fruit in us eventually, just as though it had been uttered from the very mouth of God in the Holiest of Holies.

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Christian Center has guest speaker

Rev. W.L. Comstock is serving as interim guest speaker Sundays at the Community Christian Center, 801 E. Campbell, until a new pastor is selected.

Sunday services are held at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Rev. Comstock, 84, is an ordained minister with the Pentecostal Holiness Church. Living at McLean, he has been preaching for 46 years.

He started his service as interim guest speaker at the church on Sunday, April 26.

Other ministers will be filling in for the 7 p.m. Wednesday services at the church.

The congregation invites the public to attend any of the services Sunday and Wednesday.

His Touch

By Charlotte Barbaree

Scripture: For this very reason, make every effort to add to your faith goodness; and to goodness, knowledge; and to knowledge, self-control; and to self-control, perseverance; and to perseverance, godliness; and to godliness, brotherly kindness; and to brotherly kindness, love. For if you possess these qualities in increasing measure, they will keep you from being ineffective and unproductive in your knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ. (II Peter 1:5-8 NIV)

Cicadas are common and interesting insects.

Cicada nymphs hatch from eggs, burrow into tree rootlets and suck the plant sap. Depending on the species, two to 17 years are required for the nymphs to mature. During this time, they remain underground.

Upon maturity, they burrow to the soil surface and affix themselves to tree trunks or weed stems. The mature cicadas then work themselves out of their nymph cases. They wait a day to let their new wings harden and their bodies dry, then they fly away, leaving the empty nymph cases clinging to the tree bark or weeds.

Male cicadas "sing" by producing a shrill, buzzing song with the drumlike membranes on the sides of their abdomens.

When my sister and I were growing up, we lived in a wooded area. My sister and a childhood friend made a hobby of collecting insects.

Never known for my courage in dealing with creepy-crawlers, but not wanting to be left out, I collected cigar boxes full of the crusty cicada nymph cases which we called "locust shells." They were perfect for my purposes; they retained the form of the insect but were void of the fearsomeness of the living creatures.

A Christian has two options: he can grow and be productive, or he can retain the form but be spiritually quenched and ineffective.

With growth comes the responsibility of effort and the fearsome exposure to the scrutiny and-or rejection of others. Merely retaining form may seem a protective shield, but the crusty, empty nymph case will never fly or sing.

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Religion Roundup

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) A special committee of United Methodist bishops says a three-year examination of the National Council of Churches finds it healthy, strong and making "a vital contribution to our total Christian witness."

The inquiry was authorized by the denomination's bishops in early 1984 after charges were made in the Reader's Digest and on a CBS "60 Minutes" that the National and World Councils of Churches supported left-wing revolutions in Africa.

The Methodist committee concluded that the denomination's contributions to the World Council "are handled according to our desires and commitments" and contributions to the National Council are used responsibly and effectively.

Noting that designated contributions to the World Council's Fund to Combat Racism are made by some European governments, individuals and denominations, the committee said the council has procedures to ensure that the funds go for humane purposes, and not to purchase arms or for violence.

The bishops said they are confident that the council has been "conscientious about this matter and believe that structural changes relating to procedure have effectively overcome some earlier criticisms and concerns."

Religion



Youth appearing in the musical production are, from left, front to back, Carrie Zumstein, Bethany Lee, Alicia Lee, Andrea Koch, Courtney Drake, Kelly Money, Stacy Huddleston, Mandy Jenkins, Matt Brown, Misty Ferrell, Stacey Brown, Keith Jacoby, Luke Long, Heath Thomas, Gabriel Cowan, Cara East, Tom Jenkins, Burton Jones, Jeff Roberts, Tricia Drake and Joshua Lawley. Not pictured are Bryan Barton and Jackie Brown.

Hi-Land Christian youth to give musical Saturday

The youth of Hi-Land Christian Church, 1615 N. Banks, will be presenting a musical entitled *Amazing Grace* at 7 p.m. Saturday in the church.

The production is directed by Julie Long, with Jeannie Koch assisting. Roger Barton is in charge of sound.

Long said the exciting musical *Amazing Grace* "was written for real children. Grown-ups say 'Grace is sufficient'; kids talk about 'The Great Place.' Grown-ups talk about 'finding grace'; kids say take some 'Vitamin G.'"

Even though the musical involves children, the musical is for everyone, Long said. "The musical helps to discover Grace through a child's eyes, and you will be amazed," she stated.

"God's Grace is truly amazing, and it is for everyone."

she continued. "The character Grace, played by Jackie Brown, helps the children share the meaning of grace."

Youth appearing in the one-night production are Bryan Barton, Jackie Brown, Matt Brown, Stacey Brown, Gabriel Cowan, Courtney Drake, Tricia Drake, Cara East, Misty Ferrell, Stacy Huddleston, Keith Jacoby, Mandy Jenkins, Tom Jenkins, Burton Jones, Andrea Koch, Joshua Lawley, Alicia Lee, Beth Lee, Luke Long, Kelly Money, Jeff Roberts, Heath Thomas and Carrie Zumstein.

Long said the youth invite the public to attend their special musical presentation.

"You are invited to experience God's Grace with the children at Hi-Land Christian Church," she said.

Minister uses chalk art for messages

By CAROL FERGUSON
Greenville Herald Banner

GREENVILLE (AP) — When the Rev. Jim Pence wants to illustrate a biblical tenet, he often turns to a bit of artistic "magic." Pence, pastor of Fellowship Baptist Church, uses chalk, an easel, black lights and music to tell the Christian message — with a surprising climax.

"When a group comes in, they see an easel about eight feet tall with lights at the top," Pence said. "The paper will have sky and clouds already drawn in. I use a special, very soft chalk and very rough paper."

"First I introduce the chalk drawing with a brief message explaining the theme, and while I draw I play a 15-minute sound track of hymns or some type of Christian music."

"If the theme is Easter, for example, I might draw the city of Jerusalem, with Calvary off to the left and a valley in between. Beforehand, I would have put a totally different picture in the sky with 'invisible' chalk. It's a type of chalk that looks white under regular lights, but under a black light (ultra violet), it can show as many as 20 different colors."

"The result could be Christ carrying his cross or maybe Christ returning in the clouds," he said.

"Over the years this is probably one of the strongest means of communication I've been able to use. It appeals to various senses — seeing and hearing — and holds the attention of virtually any age group, and yet with the aid of music and scriptural passages, I've seen people really touched by the message."

Pence said that for a very young audience, he selects an objective lesson and a simple drawing that takes no more than five minutes to complete. "For vacation Bible school I'm putting together a series focusing on five characters from the Old Testament," he said.

The pastor says he plans to teach a workshop in August on the chalk drawing.

Pence said his father was a trained artist and that he himself had been painting since he was a teen-ager, but he did not combine art and his ministry until nine years ago while he was pastoring a church in Lake Charles, La.

"The church was affiliated with other Bible churches in a summer camp, and I worked at the camp my first summer," he said. "One of the speakers was a chalk artist. I'd heard about this kind of thing, but this was the first chance I had to spend some time with an artist. He showed me the basic points, and so I set up my own easel, ordered chalk and began doing it."

Putting together a chalk program is a long process, said Pence. "I would say it takes 20 to 30 hours from conception to actually putting the complete drawing together," he said. "I do a timing test at the end to make sure I can fit the drawing in with the sound track. Fifteen minutes sounds like a long time, but it's not when you're doing a four-by-three-foot picture."

A graduate of Dallas Bible College, Pence came to Greenville with his wife, Laurel, two years ago. He said he now averages ab-



Pence works on one of his drawings.

out one chalk program every three months at his own church. "I also do chalk programs for other groups in the area ... but I

have my own ministry to look after so I have to keep the other programs within reason," he said.

Teamwork used in latest Bible revision

By GEORGE W. CORNELL
AP Religion Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Work among Bible scholars for a long time has transcended the divided condition of Christianity, and their latest output — a revised New Testament — shows it.

The new translation, produced under U.S. Roman Catholic auspices, has the ring and often phraseology of the main Protestant translations and the elevated English of their King James ancestry.

In fact, Protestant and Catholic scholars regularly have worked together on the principal contemporary renditions, including the revised Catholic New Testament issued last week.

Its editorial chairman, the Rev. Francis T. Gignac, says "it is more in accord with biblical translations that have become traditional in English, from King James right up to the Revised

Standard Version." Most Protestant bodies use the RSV or other versions rooted in King James English.

Citing similarities of the new Catholic translation with the RSV, the Rev. John H. Reuman of Lutheran Theological Seminary in Philadelphia says Bible versions "are moving toward greater convergence."

Reuman, a Protestant, was on the five-member editorial board with Gignac of the Catholic University of America for the new Catholic volume. Four of 10 other revisers also were Protestants.

"The hope and predictions are that we are moving from a plurality of translations toward greater uniformity by the end of the century," Reuman said in a telephone interview.

The Rev. Claude J. Peifer of St. Bede's Abbey in Peru, Ill., a Catholic member of the editorial board for the revised New Testament, said its similarity with the

RSV derived from "the same philosophy of translation."

Asked if the resembling results wouldn't help eliminate the old misconception that Protestants and Catholics use different Bibles, Peifer said:

"I would hope that misconception already has been largely eliminated over the past 25 years."

Some Protestant-sponsored Bibles, such as the RSV and the more colloquially worded Good News Bible, with minor additions, have been granted formal Catholic imprimaturs, or approvals.

It is hoped the new Catholic translation "will be accepted by a broad spectrum of Christians," Peifer said, adding, "There are so many good versions available today."

He cited the RSV as well as the New International Version, produced by conservative Protestant scholars. "It's less traditional than the RSV, which was more

responsibly done, but still very good."

Both Catholic and mainline Protestant churches also use the same three-year lectionary, the selections of Bible readings used in Sunday worship services.

Peifer and others pointed out that Catholic and Protestant Bible scholars have collaborated since midcentury, even before the Second Vatican Council of 1962-65, which emphasized more Catholic attention to Scripture.

Reuman, noting that a wide variety of Bible versions proliferated in the late 1960s and 1970s along with social freedoms and experimental liturgies, said he now sees a swing back toward more formality.

"There's something of a return to that," he said, an element that had been preserved in the RSV and something the revised Catholic New Testament also seeks to do.

Religion Roundup

PRINCETON, N.J. (AP) — Half of the 10 men picked in a new Gallup poll as most admired by Americans are churchmen, described as an unprecedentedly large proportion.

They are Pope John Paul II, Baptist minister-politician Jesse Jackson, evangelist Billy Graham, South African Anglican Archbishop Desmond Tutu and Anglican hostage-negotiator Terry Waite.

In the rankings, President Reagan and Chrysler head Lee Iacocca topped the list, followed by the pope; Jackson; Graham; former President Jimmy Carter; Tutu; Waite; Sen. Edward Kennedy, D-Mass.; and Vice President Bush.

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — When Lee Pitts shares the gospel message, she lets a dummy do the talking.

Ms. Pitts, a Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary student and a ventriloquist, has ministered in more than 500 churches and schools, advocating

faith through her puppet, Nicky. She relates that she had a rough childhood, once even considering suicide, but that her commitment to Christ gave her assurance, and Nicky enables her to express it.

"Nicky helped me blossom as a young lady," she said. "Because he is able to say things I could never say, he's like the other side of me no one ever saw."

"My ventriloquy ministry is proof that God uses ordinary people for his extraordinary purposes. The message Nicky and I share with others is that God is not concerned with our abilities but with our availability."

WASHINGTON (AP) — Deploring "Hebrew Christian" groups that try to convert Jews to Christianity, Episcopal Bishop John T. Walker told an interfaith meeting at Georgetown University:

"Aiding these groups is demeaning to both Christians and Jews. If we truly believe that Jews are the people of God, we should not lend support to groups that seek to convert Jews to Christianity."

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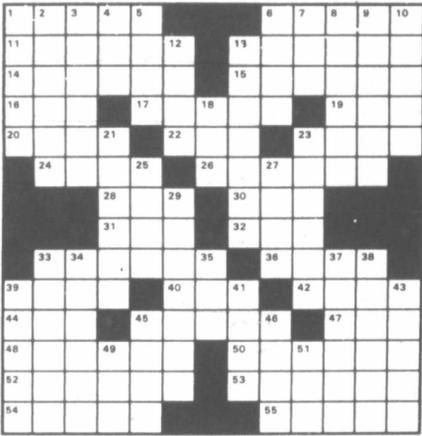
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STEVE CANYON



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Astro-Graph

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Saturday, May 9, 1987

Your biggest career opportunities in the year ahead are not likely to be of your own making. Your breaks will develop through people who like you and who can also share in the happenings.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Make an effort to do something outdoors today in the fresh air and sunshine. It doesn't have to be strenuous, as long as it keeps you active. Major changes are ahead for Taurus in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Involve yourself in the types of activities today that you truly enjoy. Don't take yourself, life or others too seriously.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Family members will follow the example you set today. If you're pleasant and at peace with yourself, it will put them at ease.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You might be a trifle more restless than usual today, and it may require a change of scenery to quiet your spirit. A long walk or a short drive will help.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You may encounter someone socially today who could be an asset for your businesswise. It's OK to talk shop.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) It's best not to let the management of an important personal matter slip from your grip today. Execute, don't delegate.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You are by nature a very perceptive person. Today these innate abilities will be even more finely tuned than usual. Heed your hunches.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Plan something today that takes you out where the bright lights and action are. Being in the thick of things will further stimulate your gregarious mood.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Being a person with whom it's easy to get along today will do a lot to enhance your image. It will also encourage others to do nice things for you.

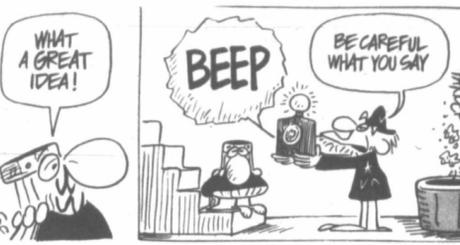
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Today, judge others the same way you would like to be judged if the roles were reversed. You'll end up winning several new admirers.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Someone who likes you is looking out for your interests today even though you won't be aware of it. Their concern pertains to an important matter.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) This should be a pleasant and harmonious day for you if you play everything light and easy and let events chart their own courses.

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By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart



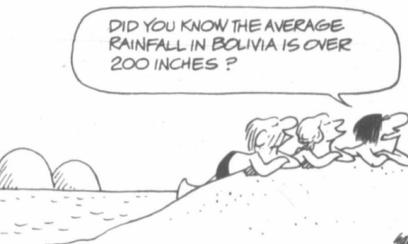
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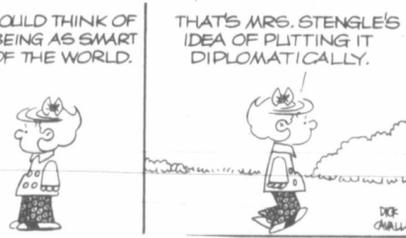
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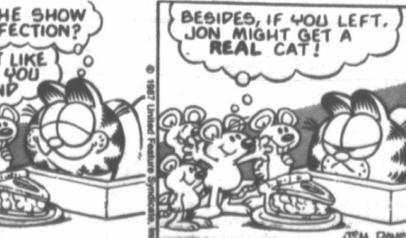
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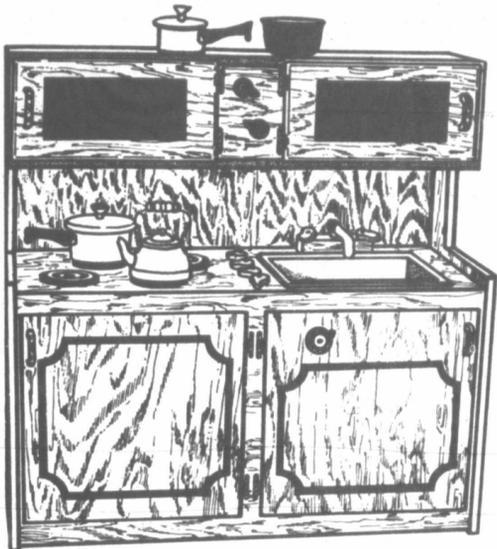
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Lifestyles

Children use kiddie kitchen for imaginative housekeeping



Compact play kitchen is easy to build at home.

By BOB SAWYER

There are worse things in life than eating crow, and one of them surely is eating mud.

But what's a father to do when a wide-eyed four-year-old offers a lovingly prepared and even somewhat attractive mud casserole?

Fortunately, most kids are pros at pretending. In this case, pretending to dig into the mud casserole was definitely more fun than actually eating it, for both dad and the budding chef.

You can encourage the cooks-to-be in your family by building a simple compact play kitchen. It makes pretend cooking all the more fun, and can even serve as storage space for toys.

The unit I built is 4 feet wide, 4 feet tall and 18 inches deep. It features two overhead oven compartments; a range top and sink; and two lower cabinets for the refrigerator and dishwasher.

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The compact kitchen is built from 1/2- and 3/4-inch plywood. The main parts are the back, 48 x 48 inches; two ends, 17 1/2 x 48; the top, 10 x 48; the counter top and floor, 16 1/2 x 46 1/2; and the oven floor, 10 x 46 1/2.

The ends are modified to create the overall shape of the unit. Cut in from the front edge to reduce the width to 10 inches along the top 10 inches; then cut in farther to make the width only 5 inches along the next 10 inches; then cut straight out so that the lower 28 inches are the full width.

To prepare the counter top, cut out a 12 x 17 1/2-inch rectangle near one end, to make an opening for the sink.

Use nails and glue for all joints. Assemble the basic structure,

placing the counter top and floor between the ends, the top over the ends, and attaching the back last. The floor should be 3 inches above the ground. Leave 2 3/4 inches between the floor and counter top.

Attach the oven floor between the ends, flush with the cut-in portion of the ends. Insert a plywood board to separate the oven area into right and left compartments. Cover the front edges of the oven openings with narrow trim strips, and center a plywood facer over the front edge of the divider.

For the sink, build a shallow box with no top. Insert the sink into the opening in the counter top and use support strips to secure. Cover the top edges with trim.

The lower cabinet is separated into left and right compartments by another vertical divider. In the left compartment, mount a shelf about 7 inches below the counter top.

Cut and attach facers for the lower cabinet openings: the horizontal facers extend between the end walls, flush with the top of the counter top and floor; and the vertical facers go at each end and along the center.

Cut two 3/4 x 10 x 20-inch oven doors, and cut a 6 x 13-inch opening in the center. On the inside surface, use mirror brackets to mount a piece of smoked glass or Plexiglas over the opening.

Attach a handle to the outside of each door, hinge the doors over the oven openings, and install a catch for each one.

Cut two 3/4 x 2 1/2 x 22-inch lower doors, attach the handles, hinge in place and install the catches. Build two shallow drawers for the refrigerator shelf and the dishwasher floor.

Cut stove burners and control knobs. Attach each knob with one center screw, so they can be turned.

For the sink faucet, I used some PVC pipe and a couple of elbow fittings. The handles are plywood, and the assembly is mounted on a 2 x 8-inch piece cut from 2x4.

New officers



(Staff Photo by Duane A. Laverty)

Newly installed officers for Pampa Area Foundation for Outdoor Art are, from left, Thelma Bray, president; Phoebe Reynolds, vice president; and Lilith Brainard, secretary. Not pictured is Curt Beck, treasurer.

The foundation's purpose is to raise funds for outdoor art and sculpture in city parks and public places. The organization will hold an art auction June 20 in M.K. Brown Auditorium.

New painkiller doesn't cause numbness

By MALCOLM RITTER
AP Science Writer

NEW YORK (AP)—Drugs that use a new approach to blocking pain gave relief without producing numbness in laboratory animals, and may prove useful for arthritis and backaches as well as cuts and burns, a scientist says.

The research is the first to show that bradykinin antagonists, invented a few years ago, can relieve pain, said Dr. Solomon Snyder.

The drugs prevent a natural substance called bradykinin from activating pain-sensing nerves next to an injury, said

Snyder, director of the neuroscience department at the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine in Baltimore.

Snyder reports the studies this week in the European Journal of Pharmacology, along with Larry Steranka and others of Nova Pharmaceutical Corp. in Baltimore and Raymond Vavrek and John Stewart of the University of Colorado School of Medicine.

Nova plans to start tests in humans within the next few months, Snyder said in a recent telephone interview. Snyder is a Nova cofounder and stockholder.

Another pain expert said that while bradykinin antagonists are

not yet proven superior to standard painkillers, the fact that they act through a different mechanism means they may prove useful when traditional painkillers fail, or in combination with current drugs.

"I'm delighted that it works," said Dr. Howard Fields, neurology and physiology professor at the University of California at San Francisco. "It could help a lot of people."

Bradykinin is released by body tissues when they are damaged, Snyder said. The substance then binds to specific receptors on nerve fibers, making the nerves send a "pain" message.

Lottery obsession drives man's family into poverty



Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I have a big problem with my husband. He's constantly buying lottery tickets. We are always broke, and when I beg him to stop buying those tickets he says if I don't quit nagging him, he will divorce me. Abby, I don't want a divorce. We have six children to support and we're already on welfare. My husband spends the welfare money to buy more lottery tickets. So far he's bought over 1,000 tickets and we have won only \$2. Please help me.

DESPERATE IN CALIFORNIA

DEAR DESPERATE: Your husband is a compulsive gambler. He's hooked. And it's more than just the desire to make a big killing — it's an addiction. Please encourage him to attend a meeting of Gamblers Anonymous. It operates on the same principle as Alcoholics Anonymous and Overeaters Anonymous. (People try to resist the habit for one day at a time, and encourage others to do likewise.)

I first heard about G.A. over 20 years ago. Wanting to check them out, I went to a meeting incognito in a blond wig and kept my mouth shut. I found a diverse collection of men and women of all ages with a common bond — an addiction to gambling.

It's strictly confidential. No one is identified by name nor is anyone required to say a word. There are no dues or fees, but they pass the hat to pay for the coffee and cookies. Anyone who wants to attend is welcome to just sit and listen as I did. There is a "leader" — an old-timer who explains the G.A. program and answers questions, but

mostly people just take turns telling their stories. And what stories!

I heard the following: "I'm a bookkeeper for a very large company. I started to steal from the company to play the horses. I embezzled over \$100,000 and I'm trying to pay it back before I get caught and go to jail."

"I'm a housewife who's so hooked on bingo, I've even stolen money from my kids' piggy banks."

"I'm a cab driver" ... "I'm an airline pilot" ... "I'm a sports-writer" ... "I'm a bellhop" ... "I'm a shoe salesman" ... "I'm a dentist" ... "I'm a plumber," and the list goes on and on.

There are compulsive gamblers all over the world. G.A. has received letters from Arabia, India, Asia, Europe and South America requesting information.

There are approximately 700 chapters in the United States and Canada. They are usually listed in the local telephone directory. To locate the chapter nearest you, send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to: Gamblers Anonymous, P.O. Box 17173, Los Angeles, Calif. 90017. Anyone whose family suffers because he or she gambles is addicted.

Please share this information with your husband, and try to persuade him to attend a meeting. And if he sincerely wants to quit gambling, I'll bet my bottom dollar he can. Good luck.

DEAR ABBY: Thank you for saying that if even one drop of alcohol is served to an alcoholic, it's one drop too much.

Please take that one step further: When alcohol is used in punch, candy, desserts, etc., guests should be warned. I have acute pancreatitis. One drop of alcohol — even in cough syrup or vanilla flavoring — can trigger a pancreatic attack. These attacks are dreadfully painful, and could be fatal!

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Sports Scene

Rockets shoot past Super Sonics

Olajuwon hits for 33 points

By JIM COUR
AP Sports Writer

SEATTLE (AP) — Akeem Olajuwon and the Houston Rockets delivered an emphatic answer to the Seattle SuperSonics' hopes for a sweep of their NBA second-round playoff series.

There won't be one. With the 7-foot Olajuwon leading the way with a dominating performance of 33 points, 11 rebounds and four blocked shots, the Rockets breezed to a 102-84 victory Thursday night in game three of the best-of-seven series. Olajuwon had 22 points in the opening half as Houston built up a 23-point lead and Seattle never could recover.

"We'd won five straight and we realized it couldn't go on forever," said the Sonics' Tom Chambers.

So the series, which the Sonics hoped to end Saturday afternoon in Seattle, is now 2-1 in Seattle's favor. The series will go back to Houston for game five Tuesday night.

And by the way the Rockets

played Thursday night, the Sonics have to be worried.

"I'm very pleased," said Houston Coach Bill Fitch. "Any time you're down 2-0, you never know what to expect, especially with the way Seattle has been playing."

The Rockets won the game with a stifling defense in the opening half, building a 56-33 halftime lead. The Sonics scored just 13 points in the second quarter.

The 33 points was the lowest total for a single half by the Sonics in their playoff history.

Olajuwon was a sparkling 14 of 20 from the floor while Sonics' playoff hero Dale Ellis was held to 12 points, 20 below his scoring average in the first two games against Houston. Ellis was just 5 of 19 from the floor, including 1 of 5 from three-point range.

Chambers led the Sonics with 24 points but was only 10 of 22 from the field.

"We took the Sonics' inside game and they were cold in their outside shooting," said Olajuwon.

Olajuwon had 28 and 27 points in Houston's first two playoff losses in Texas.

"I was pleased with my game tonight but, emotionally, I don't get up or down one way or the other," he said.

Ralph Sampson, the other half of Houston's celebrated Twin Towers, chipped in with 18 points and seven rebounds. Olajuwon scored 14 points and Sampson 11



(AP Laserphoto)

Olajuwon makes his move.

in the first quarter as the Rockets built a 29-20 lead.

"Seattle was bound to cool off," said Sampson. "It was just a matter of time."

The Sonics finished off the heavily favored Dallas Mavericks

with three straight victories to take their opening playoff series 3-1 and then won the first two games of the Houston series for a season-high five consecutive triumphs.

Sonics Coach Bernie Bicker-

staff said he thinks Houston's lopsided triumph would be beneficial to his team. Seattle lost the first game of the Dallas series 151-129.

"I think this loss is going to bring us down to earth," he said. "We can't be overconfident after this one. But we have to come out and play with a lot more intensity

Lakers take 2-0 lead

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP) — Golden State Coach George Karl said it wasn't really an NBA play-off-quality performance — by either team.

But the Los Angeles Lakers, who beat Karl's Warriors 116-101 Thursday night to take a 2-0 lead in their best-of-seven series, mostly disagreed.

"We played four quarters of basketball and didn't try to win it in one quarter," said Lakers center Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, who scored 25 points.

"We sustained the offense for 48 minutes; we really had a team effort."

"I expected the Warriors to come out and play a tough game, and they did."

The 40-year-old Abdul-Jabbar, in the playoffs for an NBA record 16th year, scored 12 points in the final quarter as the Lakers finally shook off the tenacious Warriors.

"Kareem really was aggressive and he got us back up again,"

said Saturday."

Fitch and the Rockets reached the NBA finals last season, losing in six games to the Boston Celtics after getting past the Los Angeles Lakers in the Western Conference finals.

Houston beat Portland 3-1 in its opening playoff series this season.

said Laker guard Earvin "Magic" Johnson, who scored 23 points, had eight rebounds and eight assists.

"He was a real force on the offensive end of the floor particularly," Johnson said. "When the Warriors tightened the game up, he hit some hooks and we pulled away again."

The series now shifts to Oakland, where the Warriors beat the Lakers in both meetings during the regular season, for afternoon games Saturday and Sunday.

Houston beat Seattle 102-84 in the only other playoff game Thursday night. Seattle leads the series, which resumes Saturday at Seattle, 2-1.

Tonight, Atlanta travels to Detroit with that series tied at 1-1, and Boston takes a 2-0 lead to Milwaukee.

Karl said he was disappointed with his club's intensity in the second loss to the Lakers.

"I think we beat ourselves," he said.

Standings

By The Associated Press
All Times CDT

AMERICAN LEAGUE				
East Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Milwaukee	20	6	.769	—
New York	17	10	.630	3½
Toronto	15	10	.600	4½
Boston	12	15	.444	8½
Baltimore	11	16	.407	9½
Detroit	10	16	.385	10
Cleveland	9	18	.333	11½

West Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
California	16	12	.571	—
Minnesota	15	12	.556	½
Kansas City	13	11	.542	1
Seattle	14	14	.500	2
Oakland	16	14	.479	4
Chicago	10	14	.417	4
Texas	10	14	.417	4

Today's Games
Minnesota (Portugal 1-1) at New York (John 2-0), 6:30 p.m.
California (Candelaria 4-0) at Boston (Stanley 2-4), 6:35 p.m.
Kansas City (Gubicza 1-4) at Cleveland (Bailes 1-0), 6:35 p.m.
Oakland (Young 3-1) at Detroit (Tanana 2-1), 6:35 p.m.
Baltimore (Boddicker 2-1) at Chicago (DeLeon 2-2), 7 p.m.
Seattle (Langston 3-3) at Milwaukee (Higuera 4-1), 7:35 p.m.
Toronto (Clancy 3-2) at Texas (Guzman 1-1), 7:35 p.m.

Saturday's Games
Kansas City at Cleveland, 12:35 p.m.
California at New York, 1:30 p.m.
Seattle at Milwaukee, 1:35 p.m.
Baltimore at Chicago, 4 p.m.
Minnesota at New York, 4:30 p.m.
Oakland at Detroit, 6:35 p.m.
Toronto at Texas, 7:35 p.m.

Sunday's Games
California at Boston, 12:05 p.m.
Minnesota at New York, 12:30 p.m.
Kansas City at Cleveland, 12:35 p.m.
Oakland at Detroit, 12:35 p.m.
Baltimore at Chicago, 1:30 p.m.
Seattle at Milwaukee, 1:35 p.m.
Toronto at Texas, 2:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE				
East Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	15	11	.577	—
St. Louis	15	11	.577	—
New York	13	12	.520	1½
Montreal	12	14	.462	3
Pittsburgh	11	13	.458	3
Philadelphia	8	17	.320	6½

West Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincinnati	18	9	.667	—
San Francisco	18	10	.643	½
Houston	15	11	.577	2½
Los Angeles	15	13	.538	3½
Atlanta	12	15	.444	6
San Diego	7	23	.233	12½

Today's Games
Houston (Scott 3-2) at Montreal (Heaton 3-1), 6:35 p.m.
Philadelphia (Ruffin 2-1) at Cincinnati (Browning 2-4), 6:35 p.m.
New York (Darvin 2-1) at Atlanta (Smith 3-1), 4:40 p.m.
Chicago (Sutcliffe 4-2) at San Diego (Davis 1-4), 7:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Conroy 0-1) at Los Angeles (Pena 0-1), 7:35 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Fisher 0-0) at San Francisco (Downs 2-1), 9:35 p.m.

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Optimist baseball roundup

Celanese combined timely hitting and solid defense to roll past OCAW, 12-3, in a National Bambino League opener Thursday night at Optimist Park.

The game started out as a pitching duel between Celanese's Tyler Kendall and OCAW's Greg Moore, but Celanese broke the ice in the third inning by sending five runs across the plate.

Celanese added two more runs in the fourth, four in the fifth and one in the sixth.

Kendall, who pitched a four-hitter, held the opposition scoreless until the fourth inning when OCAW plated a pair of runs. OCAW picked up one more in the fifth.

Kendall went all the way on the mound to pick up the win. He struck out eight and walked nine while helping his own cause with a nice running catch of a foul ball near the first base line.

The Johnson boys, Jason and Justin, also gave OCAW problems throughout the game.

Jason had a base hit and played at outstanding game behind the plate. Justin had two doubles and knocked in a run. He also threw out a runner at home plate from his left field position.

Kendall and Kirk McDonald each knocked in a run with base hits while Bryan Sims delivered a

double. Greg Moore had two hits and an RBI while Bret Queen had a pair of singles to lead OCAW.

OCAW used three pitchers with Moore taking the loss.

Jason Brantley belted a home run as Rotary defeated Dean's, 7-6, in American Bambino League action Thursday night.

Brantley was also credited with the victory in the game.

Chris Black homered for Dean's.

One other AL game saw Citizens and Holmes fight to a 12-12 tie.

Heath Stevens and Chris Fox each had two hits for Citizens. Kevin Savage and Matt Garvin both had triples.

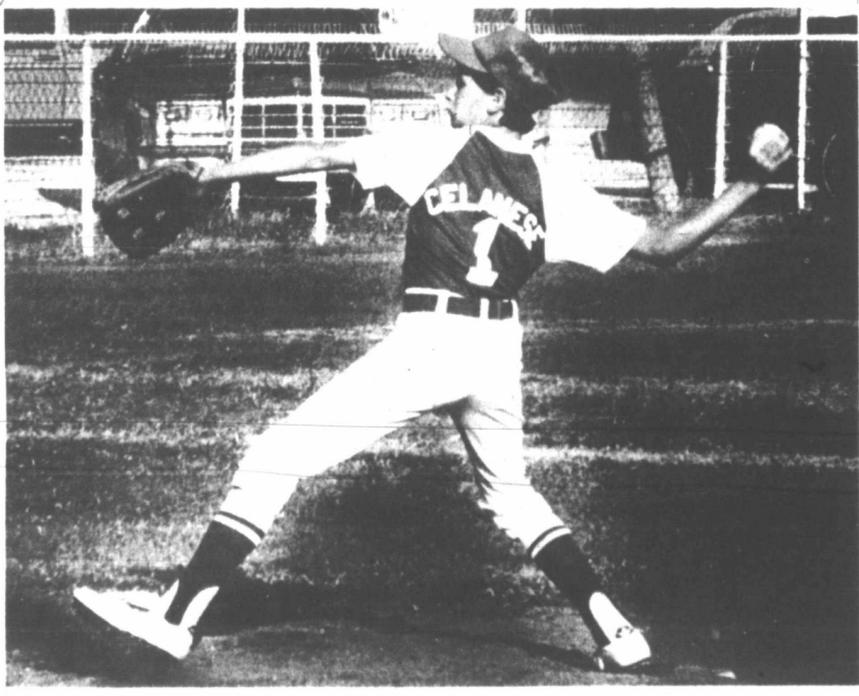
Cory Davis and Devin King also contributed with one hit apiece.

Coach Dennis King credited Stevens, the pitcher, with great defensive play on the mound.

Thursday night's games were the first of the year after having been set back due to rains earlier in the week.

Friday night action in the PBL pits Dyers against Keys and Dunlap against Chase.

In the National Bambino League Friday, Dunlap will meet Cabot.



(Staff Photo by L.D. Strate)

Winning hurler....Celanese's Tyler Kendall.

Crampton prepares to defend PGA seniors title

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — Bruce Crampton returns today to the scene of the crime.

"This is the first event I won in my Senior career, and I certainly want to make a good showing again," the 51-year-old Crampton said as he prepared to defend his title in the \$250,000 Vantage Dominion PGA Seniors golf tournament.

"As defending champion, I feel a little more pressure, but I'm also a little more excited," Crampton said.

The native of Sydney, Australia, who

lives in Dallas, has made the Seniors Tour his private preserve since winning this tournament last year with a 14-under-par score of 202.

Crampton won seven tournaments and had 20 other top-10 finishes in 31 tournaments last year, setting a Tour record with earnings of \$454,299.

He ranks fourth this season with \$65,838, but that figure is misleading because it shows only some of his winnings. He won \$120,000 in "unofficial" money when his teams won the Chrysler Cup and Legends of

Golf tournaments last month.

Crampton will be among 72 professionals over age 50 competing for a \$37,500 winner's prize in three days of competition over The Dominion, a 6,649-yard, par-72 course.

Although he approaches the game with a steely determination that makes some think of him as cool and aloof, the private Crampton is quite different, according to tournament director Buddy Cook.

"A lot of people don't realize what a great sense of humor Bruce has," said

Cook, a long-time friend of Crampton. "He's very humorous person to listen to and he has a nice personality. Not too many people get to see that side of him."

This is the third year The Dominion has hosted the Seniors and conditions have improved markedly since Don January won in 1985. Cook recalled that the pros arrived that year as workmen were still putting the finishing touches on the clubhouse.

"The course is in much better shape than I remember it last year," Doug Sanders said.

The Mick was a switch-hitting amphibian

SLIDER, KNUCKLERS AND SPITTERS: SF Giant star outfielder JEFF LEONARD has undergone four surgeries since last September (both knees, left shoulder, right wrist), and is wearing uniform number "00" "because my whole body is starting over." Padre manager LARRY BOWA is already rumored as the first managerial change forthcoming, an indication his luck is not as good as last December 31. In Puerto Rico to scout winter league players, Bowa had reservations at the Dupont Plaza in San Juan but canceled to stay at a more conveniently located hotel. Ninety-six persons died in the Plaza fire that night...What position did JACKIE ROBINSON play when he broke in with the then-Brooklyn Dodgers 40 years ago? The first Black to gain entrance into the major leagues, Robinson played all 151 games in 1947 at first base, making one wonder why Robinson's uniform No. 42 was placed on all second bases opening day...And can you name the only active pitcher to have been given an intentional walk? A lifetime .267 hitter, Pitt-

sburgh righthander DON ROBINSON holds that honor...What did he say? New NL president A. BARTLETT GIAMATTI, former Ivy League School president: "Cub fans seem to come out from geological layers"...Future hall of Famer PETE ROSE claims he can sign about 550 autographs an hour, and at a recent baseball card show in Nashville signed 737 at \$7 a pop. At the same show, JOE DiMAGGIO charged \$10 for his signature...Did you know that slugger HARMON KILLEBREW holds the record of 8,147 trips to the plate without a sacrifice bunt. Current active leader is GEORGE BELL, who had 2,129 at-bats without one at season's start...DON MATTINGLY says his favorite infield to play on is either Arlington stadium or Comiskey Park. And a local Yankee fan thinks the MVP first baseman is a super guy for giving him an autograph during last week's visit to Texas...Teammate DAVE STEWART is happy to have Reggie Jackson back in Oakland. First time around, Stewart was a teenager whom Jax

Sports Forum

Warren Hasse



befriended by hiring him as a bodyguard to watch over his girlfriend and fancy car.

LUKE SEWELL, who managed the St. Louis Browns to their only pennant 43 years ago (1944) is now a healthy 86 and living in Akron, Ohio...SF Giant pitcher J.D. Burkett, who had a strong 2.86 ERA at Shreveport of the Texas League last season, threw strikes during the winter, too, bowling two 300 games in his hometown Beaver, Pa. leagues...WARD GOODRICH, formerly associated with the Amarillo professional team, is general manager of the Helena Brewers of the rookie Pioneer League...Yogi Berra: "Mickey Mantle could hit as good right-handed as he could left-handed. He was naturally amphibious"... More autographs. DARRYL STRAWBER-

RY made \$11,360 for a one-day visit to a collectors convention in Texas during the winter, \$7,000 for the appearance fee and the balance for 1,090 signatures at \$4 each...And JIM PIERSALL, said to have been a 'flake' while playing, outsmarted his teammates one opening day at Griffith Stadium. While players scrambled for the Open Day first pitch tossed by President DWIGHT EISENHOWER, Piersall simply removed a ball he had placed in his back pocket and ambled over to Ike for the autograph... While the BOSTON RED SOX have their "killer B's" (Burks, Barrett, Boggs, Buckner, Bayler) the first-place CHICAGO CUBS (at least at this writing) have their own Killer D's (Dernier, Dawson, Durham, Davis, Dunston, Dayett)...Remembercigar

smoking LUIS TIANT? He's pitching coach for the Yakult Swallows, the Japanese team Bob Horner now performs for...Horner's former teammate, Atlanta Braves' pitcher JIM ACKER grew up in Freer, Texas where his high school catcher was tough Chicago Bear STEVE McMICHAEL...It pays to win. The Milwaukee Brewers who are off to a blazing start, averaging just under 30,000 for their first nine home games, apparently on the way to beating the season attendance mark established in 1983. And the fans won, too, when a city restaurateur made good on a promise to give away free hamburgers if the team ever won 12 straight. They won 13 to start this campaign and the payoff at the firm's 48 restaurants cost 183,590 burgers inside 15,300 dozen buns and covered with 286 gallons of brown mustard and 367,180 sliced pickles. Let the record book also note the offer required 2,868 pounds of onions and 573 gallons of ketchup for the good Brew Town burgers. ESPN will provide coverage of the College World Series for the

eight straight year starting May 29...The only father-son combo to have played in the big leagues and Japan? MATT KEOUGH, now pitching there, and his father Marty...And did you know that Baltimore manager CAL RIPKEN joins two other immortals as having managed a son in the major leagues. The others? Connie Mack and Yogi Berra...There are only seven of the 29 major league parks in which beer is not sold in the stands, five of those in California. (And hopefully it's not

true the TOT Rodeo Association is considering selling beer on the grounds)...There are 142 minor league franchises in the U.S., and the value is skyrocketing. Example: It costs \$5,000 for the rights to the Beloit (Wisconsin) club of the Class A Midwest League in 1981, and now you'll need well over \$100,000. Have you invested \$20 in a coupon book being sold by your favorite Optimist basebatter yet? It's a \$450 value in meals, merchandise, services and discounts from supportive Pampa merchants.

Norman shares lead in Nelson golf tournament

By BOB GREEN
AP Golf Writer

IRVING, Texas (AP) — It had been a long time coming, but Greg Norman finally got the first round he'd been waiting for.

"Isn't it nice? It's only taken five weeks," Norman said after a 6-under-par 64 on Thursday had given him a share of the first-round lead in the \$600,000 Byron Nelson Golf Classic.

"I've been playing well but, except for the Masters, I haven't really been a serious threat in anything I've played in," said Norman, who dominated world golf last year.

This year he has fallen well behind his 10-victory pace of 1986. He's won only once this season, in Australia.

Larry Mize's pitch-in playoff birdie beat Norman in the Masters playoff and only some weekend heroics — a 66 in the Heritage, a 65 at Houston, a 67 last weekend at Las Vegas — brought him respectable finishes.

"I've had some decent rounds, but they've all come on the weekend when I was too far back," Norman said. "It's a good feeling to get a good first round, get into the thick of it. Maybe I can convert that weekend scoring through the whole week."

A 341-yard drive on the par-5 seventh hole — Norman's 16th of the day — set up a 3-iron shot that provided him with a 4-foot putt for an eagle-3 that tied him with Payne Stewart.

Stewart, who has lost tournament playoffs in Texas in each of the last three years, also got around the TPC course at Las Colinas without a bogey.

"I come to Texas expecting to play well. I'm relaxed," Stewart said. "I just know if I do my job, I'm going to be there on the weekend."

Norman and Stewart shared a one-shot lead over Gary Hallberg, Fred Couples and Gary Krueger, all tied at 65 after a day of exceptionally low scoring.

"The golf course was reasonably docile," Norman said. "The winds were gentle. But if we don't get any rain and the greens firm up, the scoring could go up."

The group at 66 included Ben Crenshaw, D.A. Weibring, Mark Wiebe, Tom Byrum, Keith Clearwater, Steve Elkington and Duffy Waldorf.

U.S. Open title-holder Ray Floyd birdied two of the last three holes for a 68. Defending champion Andy Bean could do no better than a 72, two over par.

Norman said that since the Masters he's had trouble getting started because "I haven't been mentally keyed in. I've been tired more than anything."

"I'm coming down to the end of my American tour. I have only eight more tournaments in the U.S."

Athletic banquet set for Monday

The Pampa High All-Sports banquet and awards ceremony will be held at 6:30 p.m. Monday in M.K. Brown Auditorium.

Among the honors to be given will be the Most Valuable Player awards in all sports.

Tickets, at \$5 apiece, are on sale at the high school athletic office. Tickets will also be available at the door.

Food will be catered by Dyer's Barbeque. Theme of the banquet is "Love Those Harvesters."

A photographer will be available to take pictures.

There will be no guest speaker.

Public Notice

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids addressed to the County Judge, 200 N. Russell Pampa, Texas, Commissioners' Court of Gray County, Texas will be received at the office of the County Judge, County Court-house, Pampa, Texas, until 10:00 a.m. on June 1, 1987 for the following:

One (1) New Tandem Powered Motor Grader meeting the following minimum specifications or better:

- Diesel engine with 635 cubic inch displacement and 150/180 variable net flywheel horsepower.
- Articulation main frame with indicator.
- ROPS Enclosed cab with heater, air conditioner and pressurizer, and front & rear window wipers.
- Direct drive power shift transmission with six (6) speeds forward, and reverse; travel speeds of at least 25 MPH forward and reverse; transmission with a single lever controlled.
- Oil disc brakes, air actuated, mounted on all four drive wheels.
- Variable displacement hydraulic pump.
- Full hydraulic controls on all implements with lock valves on all hydraulic circuits.
- Hydraulic pump bypass for cold weather starts.
- 14 ft. Chrome Moldboard with hydraulic side shift and tip control; minimum of six (6) circle shoes with replaceable wear inserts.
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- Minimum operating weight of 31,000 lbs.

Bidder to state all other items considered standard and included.

All bidders to include guaranteed maintenance for a five (5) year period.

Bidder should include purchase price at the end of the guaranteed maintenance period. Bidder is to specify earliest delivery date.

A 1986 120 caterpillar motor grader is to be traded in. It can be seen at Gray County warehouse, McLean, Texas.

Bidder arranged financing is an important part of the bid consideration. All bidders should offer best terms on a five year payout based upon the trade-in as the down payment and annual installments thereafter.

Any questions concerning bid specifications should be directed to Commissioner Ted Simmons, P. O. Box 339, McLean, Texas, 79057, telephone number (806) 779-2493 or (806) 779-2258.

The County reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids, to waive objections based on failure to comply with formalities and to allow corrections of obvious or patent errors.

Carl Kennedy
Gray County Judge
A-94 May 8, 15, 1987

Public Notice

INVITATION TO BID

Sealed Proposals for the construction of Wastewater Treatment Facility Modification, will be received by the City of Pampa, Texas until 3:00 P.M. on the 28th day of May, 1987, at which time they will be opened and read publicly in the City Finance Conference Room, 2nd Floor, City Hall, Pampa, Texas. Any bids received after the time and date specified will not be considered.

Proposals may be delivered to the City Secretary's Office, City Hall, Pampa, Texas or mailed to P. O. Box 2499, Pampa, Texas 79066-2499. Sealed envelope should be plainly marked "WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITY MODIFICATION BID ENCLOSED, BID NO. 87.12" and show date and time of bid opening.

The City of Pampa owns a 3.0 mgd oxidation ditch extended aeration activated sludge wastewater plant. The oldest parts of the plant date from the mid 1960's and were part of a trickling plant. In the mid 1970's the plant was converted to its present configuration.

Typical current plant flows are in the range of 1.8-2.2 mgd. The present project is intended to provide improvements in sludge wasting, aeration, control, and hydraulics to provide a better quality effluent and to maintain the nominal capacity at 3 mgd. Also, at this time, many failed or failing pieces of equipment (valves, structures, etc.) are to be repaired or replaced.

Major activities are divided into various Schedules of Work and are summarized as follows:

- Construction of approximately 28,000 sq. feet of sludge drying beds with 6-inch, 8-inch and 10-inch fill and drain lines and filtrate return pump.
- Rebuild bearing pads for (6) existing 50 hp rotor aerators, and replace rotor shaft bearings with new bearings.
- Rebuild a minimum of three aeration baffles, downstream of existing aeration rotors.
- Add (4) new floating aspirator aerators at 30 hp each.
- Provide (1) factory assembled chlorination building.
- Provide approximately 200 LF of 54-inch concrete pipe, used as additional chlorine contact basin volume.
- Provide chlorine solution lines to various points around the plant site.
- Repair leak in composition roof, replace and add laboratory plumbing, add fume hood, and other miscellaneous work.
- Minor building repairs: replace exhaust fan, hollow metal door and frame, add electric space heaters.
- Level and seal clarifier weirs, raise one set of weirs.
- Add safety handrails at several locations.
- Replacement of 18-inch gate valve and 4-inch gate valve.
- Miscellaneous small pipe and plumbing rehabilitations.
- Miscellaneous repair and replacement of worn bearings on old equipment.
- Addition of 14-inch and 4-inch magnetic flow meters, and instrumentation.
- Repair broken concrete on one splitter box.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Helen C. Chenoweth, Deceased, were issued on May 4, 1987, in Docket No. 6755 pending in the County Court of Gray County, Texas, to JERALD D. SIMS.

The residence of the Independent Executor is in Gray County, Texas, the post office address is: c/o LANE & DOUGLASS, P. O. Box 1781, Pampa, TX 79066.

All persons having claims against this Estate which are currently being administered are required to present them within 90 days in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 4th day of May, 1987.

Jerald D. Sims
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2 Area Museums

WHITE Deer Land Museum: Pampa, Tuesday through Sunday 1:30-4 p.m., special tours by appointment.

3 Personal

MARY Kay Cosmetics, free facials. Supplies and deliveries. Call Dorothy Vaughn, 665-5117.

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OPEN Door Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 300 S. Cuyler, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 8 p.m. Call 665-9104.

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Cosmetics and SkinCare. Free Color Analysis, makeover and deliveries. Director, Lynn Allison 669-3848, 1304 Christine.

FAMILY Violence rape. Help for victims 24 hours a day. 669-1788.

AA and Al Anon meets Tuesday and Saturday, 8:00 p.m. 727 W. Browning 665-3810, 665-6202, 665-1427.

5 Special Notices

LOANS
Borrow money on most anything of value. Guns, jewelry, tools, stereos, TVs and more. AAA Pawn Shop, 512 S. Cuyler.

TOP O Texas Lodge 1381. Saturday, May 9, 9:00 a.m. FC De-Panhandle AGC, P. O. Box 2563, Amarillo, Texas 79105. Oklahoma Southwest News.

Public Notice

5 Special Notices

PAMPA Masonic Lodge #966, Thursday 7th, study and practice. Paul Appleton WM, Vernon Camp Secretary.

10 Lost and Found

FOUND, Female Spitz, west of town. 665-0054.

LOST in 400 block of N. Wells, reddish brown female Pekingese. If found please call 669-3021.

13 Business Opportunities

CANDY, Gum and Novelties vending business for sale in Pampa. 4 to 6 hours weekly total price \$1691. Write GSW Vending Co. 3831 Briarmore, Sand Antonio, Texas 78247 include your phone number.

14 Business Services

ODOR BUSTERS
We remove any and all odors from auto, home, office etc...no chemicals, no perfumes, quick and inexpensive. 665-0425, 669-3848.

14b Appliance Repair

WASHERS, Dryers, dishwashers and range repair. Call Gary Stevens, 669-7956.

FOR GE and Hot Point Service, call William's Appliance, 665-8894.

BILL Anderson Appliance Service, 518 S. Cuyler, 806-665-2983. Specialized service. Maytag, Sears, Whirlpool.

QUICK'S Appliance Service, Whirlpool Tech-care. Service major brands, washers, dryers, ranges, refrigerators, microwaves. 665-3628.

14d Carpentry

Ralph Baxter
Contractor & Builder
Custom Homes or Remodeling
665-8248

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Custom Homes - Additions
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Arrell Lance 669-3940

BILL Kidwell Construction, Roofing, patios, concrete work, remodeling. 669-6347.

Nicholas Home Improvement U.S. steel, siding, roofing, carpentry, gutters. 669-9991.

Additions, Remodeling, new cabinets, old cabinets refaced. Ceramic tile, acoustical ceilings, paneling, painting, wallpaper, storage building, patios. 14 years local experience. Free estimates. Jerry Reagan, 669-9747, Carl Parks, 669-2648.

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14f Decorators - Interior

PROTECT your interior with WINDO-COAT Solar Control, Safety and UV Filter Films. 665-2010, 665-6470.

14g General Service

Tree Trimming & Removal, Spraying, clean-up, hauling. Reasonable prices. References. G.E. Stone 665-5138

HANDY Jim - general repair, painting, rototilling. Hauling, tree work. 665-4307.

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INTERIOR, exterior painting. James Bolin, 665-2254.

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PAINTING, inside or outside. 665-8604.

PAINTING, Interior and Exterior. Wendell, 665-4816.

14q Ditching

DITCHING, 4 inch to 10 inch wide. Harold Baston, 665-5892.

14r Plowing, Yard Work

TRACTOR rototilling, Yards and gardens. 665-7640, 665-6158.

LAWN care, thatching, Tree, hedge trimming, Rototilling. References. 665-5869.

I Mow lawns, weed eat. Odd jobs. Honest, dependable. Shannon Cook, 665-3036, 665-6696.

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19 Situations

DEPENDABLE Childcare in my home. Call 665-4532.

21 Help Wanted

GOVERNMENT Jobs. \$16,400-\$59,230 year. Now hiring. 805-687-6000 extension R 9737, current federal list.

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Sign up today with Avon, to sell our product to friends and relatives and get your own product at cost. 665-5854.

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AMARILLO State Center is taking applications for position as live in house parents. Position currently available in Pampa and Amarillo. Center provides utilities, transportation funds, supplies, food and salary. Applicants must be able to cook, provide training, transportation and supervision for 4 adults with mental retardation. Opportunity to help others. Call Carl Ault at 806-358-8974. Weekdays from 8 to 5 for more information.

HAVE you ever considered a career in restaurant management? Position is available. Must relocate within the Panhandle area.

69 Miscellaneous

W&W Fiberglass Tank Co. 207 Price Rd. 669-1128. Custom made tanks. Unique design. No Musty Odor. Completely Water Tight.

RENT IT

When you have tried every where - and can't find it. Come see me, I probably got it! H.C. Eubanks Tool Rental. 1320 S. Barnes. Phone 665-3213.

PROPANE system for pickup. 78 gallon tank \$300. 665-8622.

PIANO Gold Brnoan, #450. Honda Mini bike, #125 Bundy II also sax, #450. 665-4329.

FOR sale clothes racks for Garage Sales. Call after 6 p.m. 669-9689.

FOR Sale: 24 foot Van-Box. Call 669-3421 after 5 p.m.

WE Buy whole households of furniture, appliances or single TV's, stereos, VCR's, auto or etc. L & J Auction Co. Sale every Thursday night in Borger, 1201 S. Industrial Blvd. 274-6615. Coming soon to Pampa. Larry Hickerson. TXS 117-066118.

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1980 25 foot Nomad travel trailer. 1976 19 foot Shasta travel trailer. 1982 250 Kawasaki 3 wheeler. 17 foot Starcraft boat with 85 horsepower motor, and tilt, 2 1/2 ton winch truck, 19 horsepower. Evinrude motor, Volkswagen factory kit dune buggy. 848-2510.

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69a Garage Sales

Family Yard Sale: Saturday-Sunday, 8 till dark. 932 E. Gordon.

Garage Sale: Chest of drawers, recliner, vacuum cleaner, video game, toys, high chair, clothes, furniture, drum set, lots of miscellaneous. 2925 Comanche. Saturday 8 a.m. 2200 N. Dwight.

Garage Sale: 1246 S. Barnes. Good clothing, bunk beds, lamps, work clothes. Milk glass. Saturday 8 a.m. 2200 N. Dwight.

Rummage Sale: 701 S. Cuyler. Clothing, miscellaneous. Great prices. Friday - Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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SEVERAL Family Garage Sale: Saturday only 9-6. 1824 Christine.

4 Family Home, Yard Sale: 927 Brumby. All day Saturday, Sunday, Monday.

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70 Musical Instruments. Cash for your unwanted Piano. TARPLEY MUSIC COMPANY. 117 N. Cuyler. 665-1251.

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80 Pets and Supplies. Grooming by LeeAnn. All 669-9660.

CANINE grooming. New customers welcome. Red and brown toy Poodle Stud Service. Excellent pedigrees. Call 665-1230.

GOLDEN Wheat Grooming Service. Cocker, Schnauzers specialty. Mona, 669-6357.

AKC Boxer puppies for sale. Good with children. Call 669-6052.

MOTHERS Day kittens, free. 669-7535.

JUST in time for Mother's Day, 19 Toy Poodles, 2 males, Apricot, 1 female Apricot. After 5, 669-2922.

Free to good home, real cute, pretty puppy. 1600 Buckler.

FULL blood Poodles, 7 weeks old, eating, ready to go. 1 black, 1 cream, 1 apricot. Males. \$25 each. 865 S. Faulkner.

KITTENS to give away. 1607 Mary Ellen.

TO Give Away: Young, female Pitt Bull. Good natured, good with kids. 665-7697.

AKC registered Chow puppies. \$75. 806-323-9822 after 4:30 p.m.

TO Give Away! Young cat. 665-6781.

CONDOLIVING 3 bedroom, 2 full bath, fireplace, garage and swimming pool. Water paid. Call (669-9008) after 5 weekdays. Anytime weekends.

NICE, clean 3 bedroom house. \$150 deposit, \$300 month. References. 1133 Juniper. Call after 4 p.m. 665-2994.

2 bedroom, carpeted, garage. 624 N. Sumner. \$200 month. 883-2461.

NICE 2 bedroom, corner lot, 1221 N. Gray. For rent or would sell to reliable party and carry papers. 665-8613.

1, 2 and 3 bedrooms. \$100, \$125, \$150 plus deposit. 665-8294, 665-8891.

LARGE nice 3 bedroom in good neighborhood. No pets. 665-6720.

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NICE 2 bedroom. See to appreciate. Washer, dryer, hood, garage. 2118 Williston-own. HUD.

3 bedroom, 1 bath, carpet, small garage. Nice neighborhood. \$350 month. Call 669-3668 or 669-9952.

3 bedroom, new carpet, den, redecorated. \$300 month plus deposit. 1933 N. Dwight. 883-2461.

LARGE 2 bedroom, utility, double garage, fenced. Nice. 665-4180.

FOR sale or rent 3 bedroom house in Travis school area. Fenced yard. \$325 month. 665-7479 after 5 p.m.

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CLEAN 2 or 3 bedroom. Hookups, garage. 428 Crest. 669-7226.

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CUTE 1 bedroom cottage available June 1. Furnished, unfurnished. Block from College. \$250, water, gas paid. Deposit. 665-7353 after 6.

LARGE, clean 2 bedroom apartment. Refrigerator, stove, air conditioner, cellar, available. Located, Lefors. 835-2700.

97 Furnished House. 2 bedroom furnished mobile home, including washer, dryer, refrigerator, air conditioner, available. Located, Lefors. 835-2700.

3 room furnished with bills paid. \$210, attractive. Prefer single professional. 669-3706.

SMALL clean house. Carpet, fenced yard. Suitable for single working man. \$175 month, bills paid. 665-4819.

FOR rent 2 bedroom furnished house. 1111 S. Hobart. Call 669-7152, nights 665-5819.

1 bedroom house. 1-2 bedroom house, washer, dryer hookups. 665-6306.

EFFICIENCY house furnished, bills paid. 2 bedroom unfurnished. 669-2782.

2 bedroom mobile home in White Deer. \$190 plus deposit 848-2549, 665-1193.

98 Unfurnished House. SHOW Case Rental. Rent to own furnishings for home. 113 S. Cuyler, 669-1234. No deposit.

3 bedroom house. Also 1 bedroom furnished apartment. 665-2383.

2 and 3 bedroom houses for rent. 669-3397, 669-9817.

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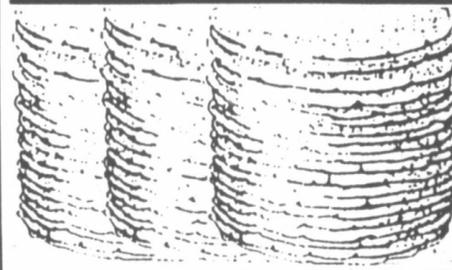
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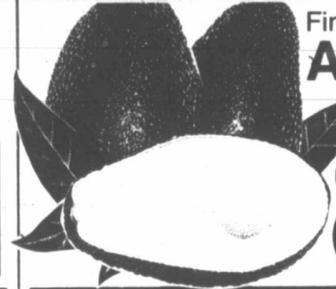
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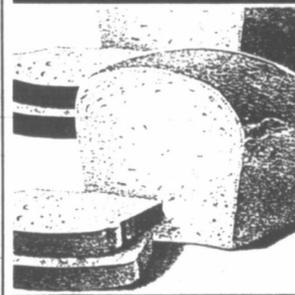
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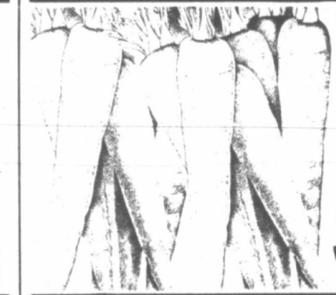
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