

Stable oil prices could lead to 1987 rebound

DALLAS (AP) — The relative consistency of oil prices throughout the first half of this year has given the domestic energy industry reason for optimism.

But experts still warn against too much optimism that other facets of exploration and production will bounce back in the second half.

'The price has come back and that's why people are feeling good. But it's one thing to say, 'I feel optimistic' and another thing to say, 'I'm going to put a couple million bucks into a drilling project,"' said Mike Canes, chief economist for the American Petroleum Institute.

"I think the worst is over," said Ben Nowatny, co-owner of Nowatny & Conley Drilling Corp. in South Texas. "I think we'll look back one day and see 1987 as the year the curve started back up.

During the past six months, oil prices have stabilized, exploration activity has picked up slightly and production declines are beginning to show signs of reversal

The gains are modest but have given the industry a slightly tangible boost and a considerable psychological one, the Dallas Morning News reported Sunday.

"The price of oil has been just enough to kill the pain," Scott Shaver, president of Locklin Oil Co. in Tyler told the **Dallas Morning News**

The oil price free fall began after the

Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries decided in December 1985 to stop limiting production to maintain high prices. Oil prices then plunged from \$26 a barrel to below \$12 a barrel. Currently, world oil prices average \$18 a barrel

During the 15 months after the OPEC decision, Texas lost 59,500 jobs in oil and gas extraction and 14,100 more in oilfield machinery manufacturing. In every category except petroleum refining, the declines have not reversed in 1987

"Things are just beginning to stabilize, but at a depressingly low level," said John Kruse, a labor market analyst with the Texas Employement Commission.

There are other subtle signs indicating the future may be brighter.

Oil field equipment auctioneer Daniel Kruse said the average price of a drilling rig sold at auction has jumped in the past year from \$158,000 to \$262,000, while a foot of drill pipe bought for \$4 in 1986 could sell for as much as \$10.50 today

"We won't be selling as many rigs this year. They're just not available, said Kruse, chief auctioneer for Auctioneers and Marketers Inc. of San Antonio.

Louisiana Land and Exploration Co. of New Orleans added \$15 million to its exploration and development budget this spring because of what president Leighton Stewart called a "modest improvement" in the overall energy picture and investor interest.

"But we're not out of the other side of it yet and won't be for some time." Stewart said. "A lot of companies are operating their budgets like oil was still selling for \$17. They're afraid these prices might not hold, and I don't blame them. We've all been burned so badly, we're playing it carefully.'

Economist Caines said people have reason to feel better because things are better. "But in the end you still see an enormous amount of excess capacity (of oil on the world market), and so long as that situation persists, there is going to be uncertainty as to the direction the industry will take.

Students leave cathedral as protesters battle police

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) - Thousands of students hurling firebombs and rocks poured into the streets to battle riot police in at least seven cities today, and new clashes were reported around Seoul's Roman Catholic cathedral.

Fighting broke out at universities in Seoul and at least five provincial cities as riot police fired thousands of tear gas rounds and sent in armored cars to try and hold the students back. Protesters rushed to within a few yards of police lines to throw firebombs, rocks and bricks.

'Destroy the dictator,'' the students chanted again and again. "Destroy the military dictatorship.

Clashes broke out around Seoul's Myongdong Cathedral as police tear-gassed and charged thousands of people demonstrating against the government. The clashes continued even after radical students gave up their five-day occupation of the cathedral compound.

Yonhap, the Korean news agency, said 60,000 students took part in anti-government rallies at 45 schools nationwide, but did not say how many developed into battles with authorities. Clashes were reported in Pusan, Suwon, Chonan, Chinju, Inchon and Chonju.

At least 13,000 students fought riot police at universities in Seoul, witnesses and other sources said. Hundreds of people were seen aiding the students.

Fierce protests began last Wednesday when See STUDENTS, Page 2



Ford proposes donating South African holdings to workers

DETROIT (AP) — Ford Motor Co. wants to give most of its only interest in South Africa to the venture's predominantly black work force, but will allow continued marketing of its products in that country, auto officials said.

The automaker has been meeting privately with South African labor and community leaders to discuss the proposal, which would put a major portion of its 42 percent interest in the joint venture into a trust, Ford spokesman Bill Goodell said Sunday. Goodell said he didn't know how many shares would go to the workers' trust

The trust fund would benefit employees of the venture, South African Motor Corp.

"Ford is exploring ways to, in effect, protect the 4,500 employees of SAMCOR - 70 per cent of whom are black - and more than 11,000 dealer chain employees," said another Ford spokesman, George Trainor.

If Ford can assure the viability of the South Afri-

can company, which only recently became marginally profitable, then "that would permit us to disinvest." he said.

South African Motor Corp. sells vehicles carrying the Ford, Mitsubishi and Mazda nameplates.

Anglo-American Corp., a South African conglomerate, owns the majority of the South African auto company. It distributes the vehicles it makes and is Ford's only holding in South Africa, Goodell said.

Leslie Boyd, chairman of the South African automaker, said Ford has agreed to continue supplying it with its cars and allow the use of its trademark, prominent in South Africa for more than 60 years.

South African union leaders said they were unlikely to accept the plan because workers believe it offers no solution to the country's apartheid system, the Detroit Free Press reported Saturday. Ford has been involved in the joint venture since

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spray of water as he fights with his brother Bryce, 6, for the water hose at their home at 2318 Beech as temperatures soared. With

te by Dua

Cliff Hudson, 9, nearly loses his glasses in a temperatures slated to continue in the 90s, many local youngsters will probably be trying to cool off in similar ways.

Area legislators feel leaders should have budget truce

By PAUL PINKHAM Senior Staff Writer

Three Panhandle lawmakers agree that a truce between the state's three top leaders is the key to budget success in the special session beginning next week in Austin.

Sen. Bill Sarpalius and **Reps.** Foster Whaley and Dick Waterfield each said in interviews last week that Gov. Bill Clements, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and House Speaker Gib Lewis must come to some agreement before progress can be made on next year's state budget.

Gov. Clements called legislators back to Austin for a special session beginning June 20 after they failed to come up with a statewide budget by the end of the biennial regular session June 1.

"As long as we've got Clements, Lewis and Hobby all at each other's throat, I don't think we're ever going to see anything accomplished," Sarpalius, D-Canyon, said.

Sarpalius said the governor should have waited until he, Lewis and Hobby worked out their differences before calling lawmakers back to Austin

The state senator said that. although more budget cuts can be made, a tax increase for Texans is probably inevitable. He cautioned against trimming the budget to the point where it hurts basic government services, such as law enforcement, education or the already beleagured state prison system.

He also warned that deep cuts could force state agencies to close offices in towns the size of Pampa.

"There's bound to be some more waste in there," Sarpalius said. "I think we'll see some additional cuts. The real question is how far is the governor willing to go before we see a tax increase.

Sarpalius said he doubts Clements and the legislature can agree on a budget in one session.

"We just met for 140 days and didn't," he said.

Whaley and Waterfield both said there's plenty of room to cut.

"We can't tax our way out," Whaley, D-Pampa, said. "There's too many places we can cut.'

Among the items Whaley would like to see on the chopping block are millions granted to the Baylor College of Medicince, Baylor College of Dentistry and other private colleges and universities.

Whaley said he and three other "conservative Democrats" met with Clements, and told him "we're in his corner" when it comes to no new taxes. The representative accused Hobby of "playing politics" and wanting to raise taxes.

Whaley also said he would not support adding to the \$2.9 billion in so-called "temporary taxes" approved by legislators in the regular session. Because no budget agreement was reached, state lawmakers will again have to decide on the tax package, originally pushed through the legislature by former Gov. Mark White.

"I did not vote for the \$2.9 billion tax increase, and I have no intention of voting for broadening the base," Whaley said. "This is what's called having too many liberals on the appropriations committee.



Whaley

He said the special session could end quickly if lawmakers realize Texans don't want more taxes

"It can be wrapped up in one week if they'll decide that \$2.9 billion is all the tax increase that people are going to stand," Whaley said.

Waterfield, R-Canadian, predicted a tough session and said that, while he opposes a



Sarpalius

tax increase, higher taxes are probably inevitable. He said the state could probably balance the budget without a tax hike, but most legislators probably don't want to tighten their belts that much.

"I've got to be realistic," he said

But, he added, many legislators are nervous about adding new taxes.

The freshman representa-



tive said Clements sounds like he plans to stand firm on his pledge to veto any additional taxes above the \$2.9 billion.

"The way Gov. Clements talks, I think Hobby's going to have to come to him," Waterfield said.

Waterfield predicted that a state lottery could again surface as a partial solution to the state's budgetary woes.

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Joyce Laury, Pampa

G.L. Lunsford, Pampa

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Police report

John Jernigan, White rock

Russell McConnell, rock

D.N. Moore, Pampa rock

mischief; four tires were slashed

Services tomorrow

No funeral services for Tuesday were reported to The Pampa News.

Obituaries

DANIEL L. GALLIMORE

AMARILLO - Daniel L. Gallimore, 69, of Amarillo, brother of a Pampa resident, died Sunday

Services are pending with Blackburn-Shaw Memorial Chapel.

Mr. Gallimore was a member of First Baptist Church of Seymour.

Survivors include his wife, Joan; two stepsons, Thomas Walker of Franklin, Tenn., and James Perry Walker of Amarillo: two sisters. Sue Eddy of El Paso and Ruth Boardwater of La Vale. Md.: a brother, Lewis of Pampa; and five grandchil-

ROBERT E. COLLINS

GRAND SALINE - Services for Robert E. Collins, 87, of Grand Saline, were to be at 2 p.m. today at Schmitz-Floyd-Hamlett Chapel in Denton. Burial will be in Fort Worth

Mr. Collins died Saturday.

Survivors include two sons, R.E. Collins Jr. of Arizona and Guy Collins of Fort Worth; one stepdaughter, Naomie Martin of Denton; two stepsons, William E. Watson of Corinth and Floyd Watson of Pampa; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Court report

Marriage Licenses

Bartley John McLean and Se-Lisa Ann Kunkel Orville W. Whinery Jr. and Tonie Lynn Ray Danny Keith Graves and Angela Christine Cochran

Howard Vernon Wright and Susan Lynn Lieb **Billy Lee West and Melisa Frances Greer** DISTRICT COURT

Criminal Cases

William Shelton Cook was fined \$250 and placed on probation five years for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle.

Clifton Wayne Hardin Jr., also known as Clifton Wayne Harden Jr., was sentenced to eight years in prison for rape by force (probation revocation). **Civil Cases Filed**

Gloria J. Reed vs. Texas Employers Insurance Association: suit to set aside award.

Deborah L. and Sidney Been vs. National Properties Analysts Inc. and Bramalea Limited, doing business as The Pampa Mall: suit alleging personal injuries

Divorces

Carl Earnest Johnson and Alicia Rae Johnson Alison Wilson and Joseph David Wilson Lana Gail Hines and Billy Ray Hines Morgan Willard Edwards and Glenda Aline Ed-

wards Stacy Clara Hamilton and David M. Hamilton

Russell Douglas and Susan Douglas Elizabeth Ann Crnich and Gerald Thomas Crnich

Fire report

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

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The Pampa Police Department reported the

following incidents for a 40-hour period ending at

SATURDAY, June 13

burglary of garage at residence and criminal

Mark Wesley Parks, 818 E. Frederic, reported

Shoplifting was reported at The Food Empor-

Bob Doucette, 2001 Hamilton, reported theft of

Randall Cross, 522 N. Starkweather, reported

SUNDAY, June 14

MONDAY, June 15

Mary Rodriquez, 204 Tignor, reported burglary

Jean Dietrich, 800 E. Craven, reported burg-

Nancy Archibald, 924 E. Murphy, reported

Arrests - City Jail

SATURDAY, June 13

at 1233 N. Hobart on a charge of theft under \$20

and carrying a prohibited weapon. He was re-

the 500 block of South Cuyler on a charge of public

SUNDAY, June 14

was arrested in the 200 block of South Russell on

charges of driving while intoxicated, speeding,

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Vernon Howard Woodward, 25, of 426 Yeager

intoxication. He was released on bond.

Stock market

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Paul McKinley Ross, 20, of Borger was arrested

Timothy Allen Skal, 29, of Ohio was arrested in

Criminal trespass was reported at Utility Tire

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opposition groups launched a drive aimed at toppling President Chun Doo-hwan and forcing Zona Robinson, Shamdemocratic elections Clashes took place for a sixth Dismissals

day around Myongdong Cathed-Carmen Sanchez, Welral as thousands of people, including many office workers in Lloyd Wright, Mineral suits and dresses, chanted, "We want democracy Valley Jolly, Sham-

nades and special martial arts squads charged into crowds numbering up to 10,000 at a time. Hundreds of people, who had been cheering the crowds from nearby windows and showering them with flowers, booed and shouted insults at the police. Some people hurled rocks at

back. The cathedral, headquarters of the Roman Catholic Church in South Korea, has been one of the focal points for unrest in the past week. Church officials managed

Officers hurled tear gas gre-

police, but most did not fight

Africa. Ford Vice President L. Lindsey Halstead said Ford wants to

1985. The South African company avoid abandoning the workers. makes cars and trucks in Pre-"Because what we are doing is toria and engines and compounique, the labor and community nents in Port Elizabeth. leaders need time to consider the

At Ford's annual meeting last options, and they have a strong month, stockholders voted desire to deliberate in private, against resolutions calling for Halstead said. "In deference to complete withdrawal from South their wishes, we wish to comment

Crazy Days is coming Saturday will be providing entertainment into the alley. This presents a from 8 p.m. to 12 midnight, so bring your lawn chairs and dancing shoes

> The Water Department has been experiencing problems concerning the removal of meter box lids. Most of the reported incidents have occurred in the Woodrow Wilson School district.

Due to heavy rains, some of the

hazard for both residents and city employees.

Parents should also remind children that the meter boxes are a nesting area for spiders and snakes. Also, to maintain a safe living and working environment, weeds and grass around the meter boxes should be trimmed and the alley mowed.

Please report any missing lids to the city of Pampa Utilities

Wilted Midwest seeks relief 250 baseball fans in St. Louis, buckling highways

their elephants.

By The Associated Press

Students

A heat wave that shattered nearly three-dozen temperature records from Arizona to Michigan spread toward Canada today, after overcoming 250 baseball fans in St. Louis, buckling highways and forcing zookeepers in Kansas to hose down their elephants.

Record highs for the date were set Sunday in 33 cities, including 101 degrees in Burlington, Iowa; Lincoln, Neb.; and Molene, Ill.

It was already 96 degrees hours before dawn this morning in Phoenix, Ariz. The city's 115-degree reading Sunday made it one of four cities that tied the record high for the date.

A heat wave that shattered nearly three dozen temperature records from Arizona to Michigan spread toward Canada today, after overcoming

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to arrange the evacuation of 200 radical students who had been holding the cathedral complex since seizing it during antigovernment protests last Wednesday.

years.

Priests, who worked out a deal with the government, rode with the students in fives buses when they left the complex under a promise of safe passage. Police had pulled back Sunday night from around the cathedral to allow their exit.

The agreement to end the siege almost collapsed when more than 10,000 people gathered around the cathedral to congratulate the students and denounce the government. Riot police units waiting in side streets suddenly charged the crowds, hurling tear gas as

Some 500 people surged into the cathedral compound and staged a sit-down strike. Lines of riot

no further until the process is completed.'

By law and custom, apartheid establishes a racially segregated society in which the 24 million blacks have no vote in national affairs. The 5 million whites control the economy and maintain separate districts, schools and health services.

woo, to succeed him. Elections are expected to be held late this year.

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did not intervene.

police sealed the main gate, but Before leaving the compound, the students released a statement

its presidential convention to nominate a Chun ally, Roh Tae-

The rallies were also intended to embarrass Chun's Democratic Justice Party, which was holding

and forcing zookeepers in Kansas to hose down

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in 33 cities, including 101 degrees in Burlington,

Iowa; Lincoln, Neb.; and Molene, Ill. Four cities

tied records, including Phoenix, Ariz., at 115 de-

Milwaukee utility customers broke a summer

Thousands crowded Lake Michigan beaches

Sunday as the temperature reached 101 degrees in

Milwaukee, the hottest temperature there in 32

their protest.

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ding, about 10 students remained

behind, saying they planned to

Last week's demonstrations,

the most violent since Chun came

to power in 1980, broke out in

Seoul and a score of provincial

conduct a hunger strike.

"People are looking for relief from the heat. Un-

electricity-use record trying to keep cool, and pow-

er demand overloaded circuits in Missouri.

grees and Madison, Wis., at 95.

cities. Government opponents had called for rallies on Wednesday to demand a resumption of debate on constitutional reforms and to denounce the alleged cover-up of the police torture death of a student on Jan. 14.

fortunately, it looks like the whole city went down to the lake," police Sgt. Richard Menzel said. demanding the government release people seized in recent demonstrations and refrain from "political suppression" following Although the statement said

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Calendar of events

LA LECHE LEAGUE

La Leche League of Pampa will meet at 10 a.m. Tuesday at 1007 Sierra. Pregnant women, mothers and babies are welcome to attend

PAMPA SINGLES' ORGANIZATION Pampa Singles' Organization will have a Pizza Night, 6:30 p.m. Tuesday at Pizza Inn. For more information, call 669-7270.

Minor accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported no minor accidents for a 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today

Davis trial wrapping this week up

FORT WORTH (AP) — After three weeks of testimony, the trial of a wrongful death lawsuit against industrialist Cullen Davis is expected to reach jury deliberations this week, attorneys said

Davis is being sued for \$6 million by his ex-wife Priscilla Davis and her ex-husband Jack Wilborn because of the shooting death of their 12-year-old daughter Andrea Wilborn on Aug. 2, 1976.

Davis was expected to be called to the stand today for the last time by his defense attorney in a wrongful death trial.

Even if jurors should decide Davis was the man in black that went on a shooting spree at his mansion in 1976, criminal charges cannot be filed because he was acquitted in criminal court in 1977 of the deaths of Andrea Wilborn, and Priscilla Davis' boyfriend, Stan Farr,30.

In testimony thus far, Davis has been portrayed as both a devoted Christian family man and a man who abused his wife, children and pets.

In 1977, testimony in the criminal trial focused on

the personality and lifestyle of Priscilla Davis, who defense attorneys alleged had drug problems and associated with "scuzzes and scalawags."

But in the civil suit, State District Court Judge Claude Williams ruled early on that he would not permit the so-called collateral impeachment of Priscilla Davis or other plaintiff's witnesses.

At week's end, the defense was dealt a devastating blow on two counts, neither of which could be attributed to the judge.

Davis himself admitted from the witness stand that another alibi witness lied or was mistaken when he testified he saw Davis at a movie, "The Bad News Bears," the night of the shootings.

And the jurors learned through a legal loophole of sorts that Davis settled a \$13 million lawsuit with Bubba Gavrel, who along with Priscilla Davis was wounded in the 1976 shootout, out of court last year. Judge Williams did not permit the jury to hear

terms of that settlement, but it reportedly was \$1 million in cash, land and deferred payments.

W I vets honored on 70th anniversary

MARNES-LA-COQUETTE, France (AP) - A Tennessee man who fought in World War I as a teen-ager and was gassed in the trenches was one of 18 Americans honored in a ceremony marking the 70th anniversary of America's entry into the war.

"We were in continuous battle day and night and much of the time it was hand to hand," recalled Col. Herbert Houston, who was wounded in 1918 while serving on the Western Front with the 4th Marine Brigade.

The U.S. veterans, invited to the ceremonies by the French government, gathered Sunday in a mist-shrouded park southwest of Paris to be honored

All had helped defend France in the war, in which 10 million men died and 20 million were wounded

On Saturday, the veterans layed a wreath at the Arc de Triomphe and attended the opening of an exhibit on the four-year war, which ended in 1918, and the American troops.

Seated on velvet-cushioned chairs before a war memorial Sunday, the veterans were honored in a three-hour ceremony that included the awarding of medals, flyovers by vintage biplanes, and rendi-

tions of the Star Spangled Banner and the Marseil laise, the French national anthem.

French Defense Minister Andre Giraud and U.S. Air Force Secretary Edward Alridge spoke.

Alridge told the crowd of 250 military officials and admirers that they were "in the presence of true heroes."

Houston was one of the three veterans there who were awarded the French Legion of Honor for bravery. He was 16 years old in June 1917 when American expeditionary forces, led by Gen. John Joseph Pershing, arrived in France.

In 1918, Houston fought at Verdun, where French forces had held the Germans for three years before America entered the war. Nearly 1 million men died in the trenches of Verdun

Of the 256 men in Houston's outfit, all but two were wounded or killed in 14 days of fighting near the village of Bouresches.

Houston was wounded at Bouresches while leading his outfit to safety.

We were being bombarded ... so I figured a kind of unorthodox way out. We went forward first, toward the guns, then cut out under the arch of artillery shells," he said.

sales in the stores. A ping pong pitch every hour on the half hour, with more downtown savings opportunities, is a great attraction during the celebration. To end the day, Fencewalker

The Downtown Business Asso-

ciation and Pampa Main Street

Project will have the annual

Crazy Days Celebration this com-

ing Saturday from 12 noon until

Game and food booths will be

set up on the 100 and 200 blocks of

North Cuyler, along with great

By BOB HART

4:30 p.m.

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Pampa City Manger

Swimming classes scheduled

MIAMI - Beginning and advanced swimming lessons will be offered at the Roberts County Swimming Pool beginning June 22

Pool assistant manager Sharon Wright, a certified water safety instructor, will teach the classes. Classes for "polywogs," children 5 years or younger, and intermediates will be Monday through Friday, June 26, from 11 a.m. to noon. Swimming classes

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST Fair and hot with the highs Tuesday near 90. Lows near 60 tonight. Chance of rain less than 20 percent. South winds at 10-15 mph. High Sunday, 95; overnight low, 67.

REGIONAL FORECASTS By The Associated Press

West Texas — Isolated afternoon and evening thunderstorms panhandle and far west, otherwise fair through Tuesday, Lows tonight mid 60s Panhandle to lower 70s extreme south except upper 50s mountains. Highs Tuesday mid 90s Panhandle to near 104 Big Bend valleys except near

90 mountains. North Texas — Partly cloudy through Tuesday east with scattered thunderstorms. fair west. Highs in the mid 90s to near 100. Lows in the lower to mid 70s.

South Texas - Fair to partly cloudy through Tuesday with scattered afternoon and evening thunderstorms, mainly Southeast Texas. Highs 90s except 80s coast. Lows 70s except mid 60s Hill Country.

EXTENDED FORECASTS Wednesday through Friday

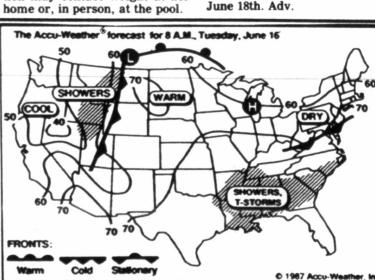
West Texas - Mostly fair and warm, except for isolated afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Panhandle and South Plains, highs lower to mid 90s, lows mid 60s; Permian Basin and Concho Valmeter boxes contain water. Children are removing the lids to search for waterdogs and frogs. There have been reports of as many as 14 blocks of lids that have been removed and thrown

for beginners (children 6 and old-**City Briefs** er) and advanced beginners will be held June 29 through July 3.

Wright said she will also offer advanced lifesaving training this summer and will announce the dates later.

Those wanting more information may contact Wright at her home or, in person, at the pool.

Registration will be held the first day of each session.



the 90s. Lows in the 70s.

Border States

Oklahoma — Generally Fair and mild tonight. Sunny and hot today Tuesday. Widely scattered thunderstorms occurring mainly during the late afternoon and evening hours. Highs 95 to 101. Lows tonight 62 Panhandle to 77 east.

New Mexico - Widely scattered thundershowers mountains and isolated thundershowers lower elevations through tonight. Isolated mainly mountain showers Tuesday, otherwise partly cloudy. Highs Tuesday 70s and 80s mountains with 90s to near 100 at lower elevations. Lows tonight mid 40s and 50s mountains and northwest with 60s lower elevations east and south

South Texas - Some late night and morning clouds.

lands.

Otherwise, partly cloudy and humid. Chance of mainly afternoon and evening showers or thundershowers Wednesday, in south central

and southeast Texas Thursday. Hot days with highs in the 80s and 90s, near 100 Rio Grande plains and lower Rio Grande Valley. Lows in the upper 60s to to near 70 Hill Country, around 80 immediate

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upper 60s; Big Bend area,

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coast, 70s elsewhere. North Texas - A slight chance of afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Highs in Office at 665-1602. We have begun mosquito spraying, using a diesel-

malathion mixture. If you should have any questions pertaining to the spraying process, call the Parks Department at 665-0909.

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SUNSHINE FACTORY will be

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Days, Saturday, June 20, 12 p.m.

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Tornado reported as Valley gets thunderstorms

By The Associated Press

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Hot, humid weather has replaced the heavy rain over most of Texas, but a tornado caused apparent minor damage in the Lower Rio Grande Valley as heavy thunderstorms roared across the southern tip of Texas.

The extensive flooding, blamed for at least six deaths, appeared to be subsiding with the return of mostly sunny skies to the state Sunday.

The heavy rainfall had caused extensive flooding, resulting in evacuations and the closing of many outdoor recreation facilities.

A tornado touched down near McAllen in the Valley late Sunday afternoon, the National Weather Service said.

Police said there was scattered debris, roofs blown off two sheds and a billboard and fruit stand blown over as more than 3 inches of rain fell in an hour

The mercury climbed to 97 at Dallas Sunday, where the humidity was at 74

percent, making the heat extremely uncomfortable. The mercury dropped to 82 by 1 a.m. and forecasters said more hot, humid weather was in store for the next several days across North Texas.

Flood problems were easing Sunday in Dewitt County, east of San Antonio, a sheriff's dispatcher said.

We're not back to normal, but as far as people being flooded out of their homes, that's not happening yet," said Shirley Dodge.

Several highways in the county just west of Victoria were closed Sunday due to flooding from the Guadalupe River, she said.

Forty people who could not get to their flooded homes in San Antonio spent Saturday night at two shelters provided by the Red Cross, said Red Cross spokeswoman Jeanne Ann Crutchfield.

The Red Cross estimated Sunday that 446 homes in 15 counties suffered flood damage, including 65 that were totally destroyed and 116 that sustained major

damage. The damage assessment did not include hard-hit DeWitt County, parts of which were still inaccessible to Red Cross officials Sunday afternoon.

It was sunny in Houston Sunday for the second consecutive day and flooding was receding, authorities said.

"It looks better now than it has for the past five or six days," Bill Edwards, spokesman for the Harris County Flood Control District, said. "The bayous have had time to run down and get back within their banks."

Heavy rains in previous days had caused many low-lying areas of roadways to flood, and some bayous to swell. The water level of Lake Houston had not risen since Saturday morning, and the swollen San Jacinto River began receding Sunday morning, Edwards said. The two bodies of water had aroused concern earlier.

'Everything will begin to fall now at a little bit more rapid pace, provided we don't get any more rain," Edwards said.

Three flooding-related deaths were reported in the Houston area Friday and Saturday.

The body of 49-year-old Allen McDonald, of Richmond, was recovered Saturday from Oyster Creek, police said. He was reported missing when he failed to return after leaving home Friday night to check on some fishing lines in the creek, said Fort Bend County Sheriff's Deputy Ken Rychlik.

Also Saturday morning, 19-year-old Jennifer Ann Regan of Dallas apparently drowned when her car was swept away by a flooded creek about eight miles south of Stafford, according to Kay Cox, a Fort Bend County Sheriff's dispatcher.

On Friday, 18-year-old Joseph Charles Nunez died after falling into the swollen Halls Bayou, and authorities said his body was recovered two hours later.

Beaumont reported 6 inches of rain Friday.

Don Eisenberg, executive director of the Beaumont chapter of the American Red Cross, said 24 homes had been inundated with from 6 to 20 inches of rain, and 64 homes had water standing six inches or less inside.

In the Austin area, flooding downstream from Canyon Lake, especially near Victoria, caused the U.S. Corps of Engineers to delay increasing water releases into the Guadalupe River beyond a minimal amount.

Officials said water releases will remain at 100 cubic feet per second until conditions change.

The corps had planned a release of 2,500 feet per second to relieve flood stage conditions on Canyon Lake.

Excessive rain in the past week has raised the lake level to 935.30 feet above sea level, more than 26.3 feet above its normal level, officials said.

At least three deaths were blamed on torrential rains that caused flooding in the San Antonio area last week.

Researchers find crushed Trying to rally spirit ants make good alergy shot SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Researchers at Wilford Hall Air Force Medical Center have found that allergy shots that use an extract from crushed whole fire ants can offer protection from severe allergic reactions to the pests. The discovery could come just in time. Physicians and insect specialists are warning that the dry days after heavy rains bring the ants charging out of the ground to rebuild damaged mounds At least five Texans, including two Bexar County residents, have died in the past 10 years because of overwhelming allergic reactions to fire ant stings, the San Antonio Light reported. Another death that may be added to the list involved a Houston nursing home patient who wandered off the premises last month, fell on a fire ant mound and died, Northeast Side allergy specialist Dr. Frank J. James told the newspaper. 'Deaths from fire ant stings are probably rare, but they do occur," said James, a pioneer in the

Funds to help failing students

AUSTIN (AP) — The state plans to use \$400,000 in federal funds to help Texas students who can't earn high school diplomas and are considered likely to drop out of school.

The special effort was voted unanimously Saturday by the State Board of Education after it was told at least 1,825 seniors will not get diplomas because they

failed high school exit tests. The first results of the exit tests treatment of the problem. "But being seriously ill is common.

James, who holds a master's degree on the study of insects, warned that a person who has no allergy to other stinging insects like bees and wasps could suffer fatal allergic complications from fire ant venom.

"We're all at equal risk," James said. "That's the problem. Anybody can be stung and have an allergic reaction. It's kind of like Russian roulette

Local hospitals and allergy specialists treat an estimated 70 to 100 people suffering from hives, swollen lips and cheeks, shortness of breath, heart palpitations or worse because of fire ant stings.

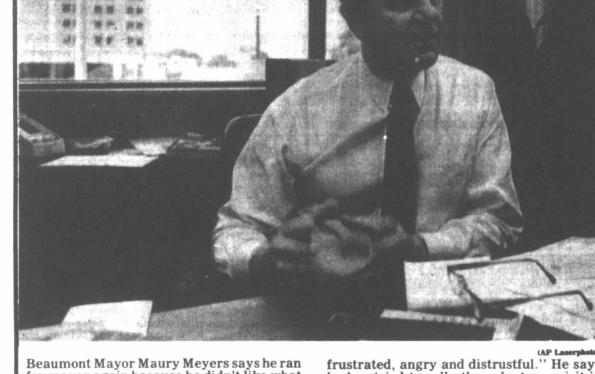
"I still think once in a while that they are still on me," Lucille Jones, 54, said with a shiver.

She was hospitalized five days at Southwest General Hospital in April after being stung repeatedly on her ankles by fire ants during a family picnic

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for mayor again because he didn't like what was happening to the city. "People were

frustrated, angry and distrustful." He says he has tried to rally the volunteer spirit in Beaumont and improve the overall attitude.

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AUSTIN (AP) — A Tyler man remembers when his son climbed up on his grandmother's piano stool, looked up at the keyboard, and met the love of his life

'Instead of banging out something like most kids would do, he sat there with one finger and started playing. He eventually found the chords, and then he got to where he could play with all his fingers," Gene Williams said of his son, Larry, then 5.

At the Jester Auditorium on the University of Texas campus in Austin, Larry Williams, who is now 39, sat down again at the piano, this time in front of an audience and this time in competition with other talented musicians.

By the time he'd finished his rendition of a Ronnie Millsap hit and a medley of spiritual songs on Saturday, Williams had performed well enough to earn first place for individual music achievement in the Texas Advocates Performing Arts Competition. He does not read music

The day was particularly special for Williams, who, like the other participants in the Texas Advocates competition, is mentally retarded. "Music is what he loves," his mother, Ann said.

"It's his life He's always loved music. It comes from his heart," said the proud mother after watching her son's performance

The Williams family traveled from their home in Tyler for the competition, climaxed with a performance Saturday evening by the winners and

guest artists in the Opera Lab Theater in UT's Performing Arts Center.

Larry, who has been performing in front of church congregations and civic groups in Tyler for several years, said he wasn't nervous before Saturday's competition. Still, when he completed his last song, he clapped for himself as he walked off stage and slapped high-fives with other contestants waiting in the audience.

That sort of enthusiasm was common among the 73 participants in the competition, which was sponsored by Texas Advocates, a group organized and run by mentally retarded people to promote rights for disabled people.

'We want to demonstrate to the general public that persons who are mentally retarded are like all human beings in that they are talented ... and should have the opportunity to learn and grow and then display their talents," said Kevin Tracy of Austin, the self-advocacy program coordinator for the group

"It's real important that we get it across to the whole state that we can do anything we want to do," said Buster Lindsay of Marshall, a member of the Texas Advocates board of directors.

Along with music and drama, the participants competed in visual art categories including painting, drawing, three-dimensional objects, and photography. All the participants in this year's competition were 18 or older, Tracy said.

and values fuel takeover rumors

DALLAS (AP) — With real estate holdings that include 160 acres of prime property near downtown Dallas and thousands of convenience store sites around the country, Southland Corp.'s real estate portfolio is attractive to many investors

As rumors that the parent company of 7-Eleven is a likely takeover target are spurring the stock price, some investors wonder why the compoany's land wouldn't make it fetch a lot more from a buyer than the current \$54 per-share price. Southland's stock has traded as low as 44 and as high as 50 a share over the past 12 months.

One analyst has suggested that Southland's properties alone are worth \$75 a share. But other analysts disagree and downplay the impact of any unrealized real estate assets on the stock price. ' "The value of real estate is what you can produce on an ongoing basis," said Dennis Telzrow, secur-

ities analyst with Eppler Guerin & Turner. Ed Gagnon, investment analyst with Rauscher Pierce Refsnes in Dallas, noted that real estate ownership always comes up when when a big national retailer becomes the topic of takeover speculation

Even Southland officials say there are gross misperceptions about the company's real estate holdings. For example, the company operates 7,672 7-Eleven convenience stores in 37 states and Canada but owns only 2,043, or less than a third of the stores

Determining the value of Southland's properties, which include distribution centers in California and New Jersey and convenience stores in Sweden, would be difficult if not impossible, analysts say

Industry analysts say there are better ways to determine Southland's market value than trying to add up the real estate values. Eppler Guerin's Telzrow says the company's cash flow may give a more accurate measurement of Southland's worth in today's marketplace.

Based on the company's \$7-a-share cash flow times a multiple of 10 or 11 being paid in other food industry acquisitions, a buyer would have to bid a minimum of \$70 a share for Southland, Telzrow said

He said he also arrives at the same price for Southland shares when he looks at the company's \$32-a-share book value

"With the market selling at 2.5 times the book value, it gets us back to the same neighborhood," he said.

At \$70 a share, Telzrow noted, Southland would command a price of about \$3.4 billion.

"Those kinds of deals have been done, but it would take someone with deep pockets," he said. Sifting through the speculation and trying to guess what a buyer might pay for Southland has become a spectator sport in some investment circles.

ordered by the 1984 Legislature were revealed Saturday by **Education Commissioner Wil**liam Kirby.

Out of the 5,347 seniors who took the Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills test in May, 3,522 passed.

Students who are seniors this year have had opportunities to pass the reading, writing and math test since October 1985. Makeup tests that would have gained them a diploma were given in January, May and October of 1986

The board voted to spend about \$400,000 in unobligated federal funds to tutor students this summer who are likely to drop out of school

The skills test is given to 11th graders, and if a student fails, it can be repeated the next year.

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Opinion **Postal customers** gain only a smile

Trying to improve its image, the U.S. Postal Service has begun a "smile campaign" at its New York City offices. "If they (the public) want smiles, we'll smile, said a spokeswoman. "If they want dancing, we'll dance

What postal customers really want, more than a smile-and-dance routine, is good service at a reason-able price. But the Postal Service recently asked Congress to allow for an increase in the cost of a first-class stamp from 22 cents to 25 cents. Other classes are due for stiffer increases. Is that being reasonable? Absent competition, it's hard to tell.

Most telling, however, is an item buried in the Postal Service's 16-lb application to Congress to change the rates: Postal officials actually want to *lower* the cost of their overnight delivery service. It's more than coincidence that overnight delivery is the only major service class for which the government allows private competition.

Ah, the benefits of a free market. How can you tell if a price is reasonable? You comparison shop. You look for the best service at the lowest cost. When it comes to mail, however, the government effectively prevents comparison shopping by outlawing almost every form of competition. So the cost of mail keeps rising and the service just gets slower.

That is not what the Postal Express Statutes, passed by Congress in 1878, were intended to do. In an 1883 court ruling upholding the statutes, a judge explained: "If private agencies can be established, the income of the government may be so reduced that economy may require discontinuance of the federal postal system. If that happened, the judge said, mail service would be left in the hands of "individuals or corporations" who would "conduct it with the sole view of making money." The judge reasoned that would mean excellent service for populated areas and virtually no service for rural areas. That's exactly the sort of logic used to defend regulation of the airline and trucking industries. But it has been deregulation that has caused the number of the airlines and trucking companies to mushroom, bringing more and better service to communities both rural and urban. There is absolutely no reason to believe that the same benefits wouldn't be derived from deregulation of the postal system. James Miller, director of the Office of Management and Budget, has long sought the deregulation of the postal monopoly. Joining in the battle recently was Daniel Oliver, chairman of the Federal Trade Commission. In a letter to Postmaster General Preston Tisch, Oliver said the mail monopoly was more than 'just an idle anachronism.

Stephen Chapman **AIDS testing makes sense**

The debate over how to cope with AIDS used to get sidetracked by hysterics who were fearful of being in the same office building with a victim of the disease. Now it has progressed to more sober matters, particularly the questions sur-rounding testing: Who should be tested? By whom? And for what purposes?

Not that this issue doesn't inflame emotions. Gay rights groups picketed the White House recently and Vice President Bush got booed at a conference on AIDS for endorsing an administration proposal for "routine" testing for exposure to the virus. "Routine" testing means testing of people whom the government already tests for other diseases - federal prison inmates, would-be immigrants, couples applying for marriage licenses.

It's open to argument whether the benefits of such tests are worth the costs, but cost-benefit analysis rarely inspires booing and picketing. Gay militants oppose testing not because the test lacks value, but because they want to render illegitimate the very idea of screening people for exposure to AIDS.

Any minority which has been so disgracefully persecuted as homosexuals may be excused for distrusting the motives of the majority. Gays naturally fear that the AIDS test will be used as a pretext for new abuses of their rights. They also worry that once the government makes it a practice to test anyone, it will eventually want to test everyone.

Universal testing might make sense for a deadly contagious disease that spreads through normal person-to-person contact. That sort of

epidemic can't be stymied without finding the victims, so they can be isolated from their fellow citizens.

But in the case of AIDS, quarantining isn't necessary. Almost all of the uninfected can effectively protect themselves. Except in rare cases, they can't get the disease without, in a sense, cooperating --- by sharing a needle with a drug user or having sex with an infected partner. There is no conflict between the safety of the community at large and the freedom of AIDS carriers. Given that, gay rights groups have solid reason for opposing universal testing

In opposing more limited uses of the test, they are on shakier ground. The Reagan Adminstration's proposal to test federal prisoners and foreigners applying for residency visas reflects clear and reasonable purposes. Prisoners who test positive will be seperated from other inmates, which in a setting known for rape and homosexual encounters sounds highly prudent. Foreigners who test positive will be barred from living here, which is the same policy that applies to those with far less lethal diseases such as syphilis and tuberculosis.

The test is also a legitimate tool in the private sector. Gay rights organizations have tried to prevent insurance companies from using any tests to show exposure to AIDS, and in California, Wisconsin and the District of Columbia, they have succeeded (although Wisconsin recently reversed its policy). But here their case is pathetically weak. Insurers already test for a variety of medical conditions, and nothing about AIDS qualifies it for a special exemption. Insurers are not in business for reasons of altruism. The fact that they profit from the pooling and spreading of common risks doesn't prevent them from excluding unusually high risks. as they do all the time. Gay rights groups say that those with the AIDS antibody aren't sure to get the disease (which is itself a matter of dispute), so insurers shouldn't be allowed to exclude them. But the risk is high enough (at least 20 percent of those exposed will get AIDS within

large enough (\$60,000 or more per patient) that insurers can't afford to ignore it. Life insurance companies are especially vulnerable, because they sell most of their policies to individuals, not groups, and because people with the AIDS antibody have every reason to buy large amounts of coverage for the benefit of their lovers and other survivors.

the next five years) and the cost of treatment

New York Life says that in 1986, 45 percent of its policyholders who died of AIDS had bought their policies in the last two years. Only 13 percent of those who died of other causes had bought their policies so recently. The average benefit on AIDS victims is twice as much as on other policyholders. If insurance companies aren't allowed to protect themselves by testing for the antibody, they will continue to be victimized by the unscrupulous.

When gay rights groups oppose such modest and sensible measures, they undermine their own cause. They are right to defend the rights of people who have contracted AIDS or been exposed to it. But that can be done without trampling on the rights of everyone else.





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Paul Harvey Are the contras worth it?

Are the contras worth it?

Are the "freedom fighters" of Nicaragua worth all this preoccupation by the White House and the Congress?

Obviously President Reagan considers arming the contras of such paramount importance that he has been willing to risk "everything" to flush the Communists out of Latin America.

What's it to us? If the President loses - and his freedom fighters lose - and Nicaragua remains a Communist country --- what's it to us?

The immediate impact on us would be a new flood tide of refugees seeking political sanctuary in the United States.

Neighboring El Salvador does not want to be overwhelmed with refugees from Nicaragua. Neighboring Honduras does not want them, fearing their presence would "destabilize" the Honduran economy.

So the contras - mostly illiterate peasants would inevitably seek sanctuary in the United

States.

Susan Kaufman Purcell, an expert on Latin America in the Council on Foreign Relations, says, "If Americans are chafing now at having to spend a hundred million dollars a year to support the contras, wait until they see what they will have to spend to contain the Sandinistas after the contras are disbanded!

She means that if the contras fail, then much of Latin America - possibly including Mexico would go Communist.

For us to stop the advance of communism short of the Rio Grande would require an expensive, long-term containment policy - involving billions of dollars - and possibly a permanent U.S. base in Honduras.

It is interesting that Washington is presently engaged in a major debate over whether the President has a legel right to aid the contras.

The President could order a United States military takeover of Nicaragua; this Congress could not prevent.

But the President has elected to let the contras fight for their own country with comparatively nominal aid from us

In the 1960s Castro tried to export his Cuban brand of communism to the Dominican Republic, Colombia, Venezuela and Bolivia,

He failed largely because the United States, at the same time, was sponsoring social programs. and military training in Latin America.

Left-wing movements in Central America. have lost strength in recent years. But should: Managua's neighbors get flooded with refugeesfrom Nicaragua - compounding housing and employment problems — those social pressures could go in reverse.

This, at least, is the Reagan rationale - to. quarantine communism in Nicaragua. He's made it work for seven years.

But it cannot be done without continuing help. from us, and Congress right now is more concerned with its own jurisdictional squabble with the White House.



The AIDS bomb ticks toward disunity

By CHUCK STONE

The ticking social bomb of AIDS should be driving us into national unity

Instead, we're spinning off into bitter divisions by politics, sexual preference and race.

Officials in President Reagan's administration are feuding like ancient warlords over whether there should be mandatory testing (and, if so, for whom), the confidentiality of reports and targeted educational programs, while ignoring the groups most affected

ics, and drug users - only white gay males are showing any mobilized

At the Third International Conference on AIDS in Washington, D.C., male gays were an impressive and intelligent presence. Unfortunately, they have few al-

lies, outside of prominent entertainers inspired by the AIDS-related death of Rock Hudson.

"My sense of straight (college) students is that they say, 'It's not my problem,'" says Dr. Michael Ibrahim, dean of the University of North Carolina School of Public Health.

Their parents show the same stupidity of unconcern.

An equally torpid attitude is taken by blacks and Hispanics. But they're dying faster.

Blacks comprise 12 percent of the population, but account for 25 percent of the 36,000 victims of the disease, while Hispanics make up 6 percent of the population, but account for 14 percent of AIDS victims.

In the black community, this geno-cidal disease is regarded disdainfully as something "only white faggots have." Such massive ignorance and warped judgment come from centu-ries of racism. But blacks can no long-

er afford it.

Drug users, an already lawless community, are immune to public education efforts.

So mandatory testing, a cornerstone of the Reagan administration's anti-AIDS program, doesn't reach the groups who need help the most.

Mandatory testing is justifiably opposed as an invasion of privacy. For gays, it's another Damoclean sword to amputate their rights.

One frightening statistic ought to galvanize Americans into action: 1.5 million people are AIDS virus-carriers. To bring that statistic home, consider that one out of every 30 males between the ages of 20 and 50 is likely to be carrying the AIDS virus.

What should America do? Everything!

We should implement immediately: A massive educational program

especially aimed at the highestrisk groups.

• A medical research "Manhattan-Project.'

• Voluntary testing, with results being communicated to the victims.

• Mandatory testing for drug abus-ers, visitors to public health clinics, and certain sensitive categories of health workers.

• The appointment of gays, blacks and Hispanics to the presidential commission on AIDS. (This last is the most sensitive way the Reagan administration can demonstrate its commitment).

When members of Congress, Catholic priests, prominent businessmen and professionals start dying of AIDS. the time for debate is long past. That ticking social bomb can explode any day.

Nation Stark not in proper defensive posture, report says

WASHINGTON (AP) - The commanders of the USS Stark failed to take proper defensive measures before an Iraqi warplane hit the ship with missiles, according to a congressional report that says the Persian Gulf attack resulted from American complacency and Iraqi carelessness.

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The Stark's captain had gone to his cabin shortly before the attack that killed 37 seamen on the night of May 17, and another officer didn't order that a radio warning be sent to the Iraqi pilot until the warplane was well within attacking range, the House Armed Services Committee said in a preliminary report on the assault.

The attack "was almost certainly in-advertent," the report said.

Iraqi pilots habitually fire at blips on radar screens, they fail to check targets visually before shooting and they do not consistently monitor radio warning channels, the report said.

"Because of Iraqi tactics, this was an accident waiting to happen," Rep. Les Aspin, D-Wis., the committee's chairman, said.

On the American side, personnel seemed to have regarded Iraqi aircraft, if not "friendly, then as less threatening than Iranian planes," the report said. The report faulted ship personnel for failing to warn the Iraqi Mirage F-1 jet

until it was 13 miles away and the vessel was well within range of the plane's Exocet missiles. It also said the frigate should have been turned broadside to the plane to make better use of its radar and weapons

"They could have done and should have done a lot more," Aspin said. In other developments:

- Under an agreement reached last month, the Reagan administration was to submit reports this week to the House and Senate on how it would respond to any attack against 11 reflagged Kuwaiti oil tankers or U.S. ships protecting them.

Administration officials have declined to say whether they would launch a pre-emptive strike against Iran's missiles, which could hit vessels passing through the mouth of the Persian Gulf.

-Two senior Democratic lawmakers urged the White House to delay or cancel plans to risk American lives and prestige in the gulf.

"In devising a response to the gulf crisis, the administration should focus on ending the Iran-Iraq war and not on a course that risks an American-Iranian clash," Sen. Claiborne Pell, D-R.I., the chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, wrote in an opinion piece in Sunday's New York Times. "Iran is likely to see assistance tendered to Iraq's ally as provocative.'

Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee. said Sunday that "the Kuwaiti flagging is a symbol of the absence of policy." The decision reflag the Kuwaiti tankers and offer them Navy protection signals "that we have basically taken a strong tilt towards Iraq," Nunn said on the NBC-TV program "Meet the Press."

In its report, the committee found no evidence that the Navy's rules of engagement unneccesarily restricted the Stark from defending itself.

Administration to inform Congress on defense plans for Persian Gulf

WASHINGTON (AP) --- The Reagan administration is preparing to tell Congress how it will defend reflagged Kuwaiti oil tankers as senior Democratic lawmakers urge the White House to delay or cancel plans to risk American lives and prestige in the Persian Gulf.

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"Iran is likely to see assistance tendered to Iraq's ally as provocative," Pell wrote in a commentary appearing in Sunday's New York Times.

White House officials, speaking Sunday on condition they not be identified, said Reagan is expected to touch on the tense rituation in the gulf in a nationally broadcast speech to the nation tonight.

Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee, said Sunday that "the Kuwaiti flagging is a symbol of the absence of policy.'

The decision to fly the U.S. flag from 11 of Kuwait's 22 oil tankers signals "that we have basically taken a strong tilt towards Iraq," Nunn said. Any shift from the official neutrality the United States has observed since the war began in September 1980 "ought to be debated on its own merits and not on the illusion that we are really protecting the free flow of oil," Nunn said on the NBC-TV program "Meet the Press."

Under an agreement reached last month, the administration was to submit reports to the House and Senate this week on how it would respond to any attack against the Kuwaiti tankers or U.S. Navy ships assigned to protect them.

The Persian Gulf issue is likely to dominate the congressional agenda this week. No major actions are scheduled on the floor of either chamber, although the Senate will try again to adopt a campaign spending reform bill.

The Senate Foreign Relations Committee will meet Wednesday to discuss, and possibly vote, on a bill sponsored by Pell that would halt the reflagging plan until Congress votes its approval.



Mayor Jan Coggeshall, right, of Galveston, sion of the U.S. Conference of Mayors con-and Mayor J.E. Clark of Portland, Ore., cast vention. votes for a resolution during Sunday's ses-

One mayor in 12 at U.S. conference is a woman

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) - Mayor Mary Bonner of Dunedin, Fla., says it is sometimes difficult for a woman mayor to deal with critics and criticism from the media.

"People expect you to act like a lady if you are a woman in politics," Ms. Bonner said Sunday at the Women's Caucus at the U.S. Conference of Mayors during a discussion of media relations.

One in every 12 mayors attending the conference is a woman.

Mayor Janice Coggeshall of Galveston predicted the ratio will grow, but any city's first woman mayor "has to cut the barrier every time."

Ms. Coggeshall is caucus leader of the 73 women nbers of the conference, which i

As women enter more professions and the job market, there will be more women officeholders. "They're not going to sit back," she said.

Kathryn Whitmire, in her third term as mayor of Houston, runs the largest city represented at the breakfast. But Dallas, Texas' second largest city, recently elected Annette Strauss mayor.

Seven California mayors, including San Diego Mayor Maureen O'Connor, were present.

"It's easier now and we're more accepted," Ms. Coggeshall said. Still, she said, it is harder for women to raise campaign funds - at least for their initial run for office.

"The first woman mayor has to cut the barrier every time

Show goes on after actress's death

NEW YORK (AP) — The saddened cast of "Blithe Spirit" went on with the show after Geraldine Page's death, dedicating the Broadway comedy to the Oscar-winning actress best known for portraying Tennessee Williams' neurotic heroines.

"Geraldine would probably be saying something like, 'Get on with it — get on with the show,' said director Brian Murray as he announced Miss Page's death to the audience before the Sunday matinee.

Miss Page, winner of a 1986 Academy Award for her role in the film "A Trip to Bountiful," died of a heart attack Saturday in her townhouse, the city medical examiner's office said. She was

She had been appearing on Smoke'' in which she played Broadway as the madcap Alma Winemiller, a sexually medium in the revival of Noel Coward's comedy with Richard Chamberlain, Blythe Danner and Judith Ivey. A spokesman for the show, Vina Delmar. Josh Ellis, said a memorial service was planned for Wednesday were Marcelline, the wife of a at the Neil Simon Theater.

Conolly, went on. The comedy, which opened in March, will continue its run, scheduled to end July 19. Ellis said.

Chamberlain called Miss Page's death "a terrible loss to us, to the play, to the world of theater.

"It's a shock to us to have lost one of the greatest actresses the world has ever known," Miss Danner said.

Although Miss Page won an Oscar last year after seven unsuccessful nominations, she was best known as a theater actress. She created a galaxy of unforgettable characters on stage. Audiences and critics first noticed Miss Page in 1952 in the landmark, off-Broadway revival of Williams' "Summer and

frustrated spinster who suc-Bird of Youth" (1959), a role she cumbs to promiscuity. The following year, she made

Among her other major roles



movie star in Williams' "Sweet

sents 800 cities of 30,000 or more population throughout the nation.

In an interview, Ms. Coggeshall said there is no question that women will assume increasing roles in public office.

'It's coming, but the question is how long," she said. "As a graduate of college in the 1950s, I saw one woman admitted to the law school and one woman in a year to business schools. Now they are 40 to 50 percent in some schools and that to me is a dramatic change in my lifetime.

ne said. She cite election in Dallas as an example

'Now that issue is over. She's been elected and from now on in Dallas, they'll be choosing the most qualified candidate and the idea that she's a woman won't be important any more," Ms. Coggeshall said. "I think in each city, once it's done, then the issue is behind them and from then on it's going to be the most qualified candidate.

She was asked if she was disappointed that none of the nine presidential candidates to speak to the mayors is a woman.

homosexual in "The Immoral-Miss Page had missed both performances Saturday at the theaist'' (1954); Princess Kosmonopolis, the vengeful and decaying ter, and her understudy, Patricia

repeated on screen; and the mother superior who defends a her Broadway debut in "Midsumyoung nun accused of murder in mer," a sentimental drama by "Agnes of God" by John Pielmeier (1982).

Her last major off-Broadway appearance was in 1985 in Sam Shepard's "A Lie of the Mind," in which she played Harvey Keitel's dotty mother

Demand should keep imports growing

WASHINGTON (AP) - Consumer appetite for fresh fruit and vegetables is growing so rapidly that imports of foreign-grown produce are expected to continue rising over the next decade, according to an Agriculture Department analyst.

But domestic production is on the upswing too, so that the U.S. market share held by imports

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probably will not change much from the current 18 percent, says Kate Buckley of the department's Economic Research Service

The growth is being stimulated by American demand for greater variety and year-round availability, she said in a new outlook report





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Vorid eath toll from weekend attacks rises

NEW DELHI, India (AP) - Shops in New Delhi closed today after a Hindu political party called for a general strike to protest the weekend killings of 27 people in New Delhi and Punjab state.

A Sikh radical group claimed responsibility for the killings.

Fourteen Hindus were killed and 20 wounded in New Delhi in the deadliest attacks in the capital in two years. In May 1985, a series of explosions killed 87

people in New Delhi.

Police originally said 12 had died in New Delhi, but they raised the toll to 14 today, saying they had concluded two men killed on a motor scooter also were victims of two Sikh youths who went on a rampage in South Delhi.

The shooting spree began Saturday night at a private outdoor birthday party for an Indian youth and spread to three locations nearby, police said. Police spokeman Ravi Pawar said an

unknown Sikh group calling itself the Bhindranwale Tiger Force claimed responsibility for the killings in a note left behind in a stolen car. The group is named for Jarnail Singh Bhindranwale, a Sikh killed in the Indian army raid on the Golden Temple in Amritsar in 1984.

Thirteen other people were shot and killed Saturday night and Sunday morning in three separate attacks in northern Punjab state blamed on Sikhs.

The dead included eight members of

one family shot to death Saturday night in Udhoke village near Amritsar.

Police said the attackers apparently believed one of the familly members, Harjinder Singh, a Sikh, was a police informer. Four other victims were Sikh moderates who oppose the separatist movement and were shot to death in Jhubbal village in Amritsar district. The other victim was a Hindu killed in Amritsar

Radicals waging a guerrilla cam-

paign for a separate Sikh nation in Puniab have been blamed for more than 400 deaths there this year.

Most private shops were closed today in South Delhi and the downtown area. in response to the strike call from the right-wing Indian Peoples Party. Banks and government offices remained open.

Pawar said there was no violence associated with the shutdown.

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WARSAW, Poland (AP) - Pope John Paul II left his native land insisting that truth and freedom are essential for Poland, but leader Gen. Wojciech Jaruzelski stressed that only the Communist authorities can determine Poland's future.

Jaruzelski, in a harshly worded farewell state-ment to the pontiff, said: "Poland needs the truth. But also the truth about Poland is needed.'

'Your Holiness will soon leave the homeland," he added grimly. "He'll take its picture in his heart. but he can't take its real problems ... It has to meet its own challenges.

Jaruzelski spoke Sunday after a hastily arranged airport meeting with the pope, who was returning to Rome after his weeklong visit. There was no word on what the two men discussed, but the tone of their remarks indicated the Roman Catholic Church and the Communist authorities remain divided over Poland's course. The two men also met when the pope arrived in Poland.

Before leaving for the airport, the pope said in Warsaw that the Holy See should have formal ties with Poland, which is overwhelmingly Roman Catholic. John Paul called on the government and the Polish bishops to create the necessary conditions.

He emphasized, however, that "serious work" remained before Poland could become the first Warsaw Pact nation to have such ties. It was the first time the pope had spoken publicly on the issue

Diplomatic relations between the Vatican and Poland were broken when the Communists took power after World War II. Cuba and Yugoslavia are the only Communist countries to have formal ties with the Vatican.

The pope also met in Warsaw Sunday with leaders of Poland's dwindling Jewish community. He told them the Nazi Holocaust should be a warning to all mankind.



Pope John Paul, left, talks to Polish Com- during hteir unscheduled private meeting. munist leader Genral Wojciech Jaruzelski





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Lifestyles

Uncle Sam didn't turn out to be handsome doll

By RALPH and TERRY KOVEL dressing table. Not all dolls are cuddly, lovable or even attractive.

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The Cabbage Patch doll is not the first popular toy that appealed to children more than to some adults. About 1916, a patriotic Uncle Sam doll was made. It was clearly intended for the American buyer, but was made in Germany

The doll had a bisque head, deep age lines and startling eyes. The mouth was closed but smiling. The body was made of composition material with jointed arms and legs.

It originally had a blue jacket, blue vest printed with stars, white shirt, red tie, red and white striped cotton pants, black shoes and a gray high hat.

The doll had gray mohair hair and beard. It was marked on the neck with the letter S.

The doll was patterned after a Hearst newspaper political cartoon popular about 1898. Today this strange-looking boy doll is often sold without the costume or the beard. A child must have preferred to play with someone less severe than Uncle Sam.

Q. When did they make dressing tables with round mirrors? Mine has no frame around the glass. It has just a few clips that hold the hanging cord.

A. The round mirror with no frame was a popular form of the Art Deco designers. The mirror was hung on the wall or connected to the wooden dresser or

Low dressing tables with round mirrors were made in the 1920s and '30s. After that they almost completely lost favor.

If a round mirror was used after 1930 it was made with a thin wooden frame. ***

Q. I collect Beswick animals. Can you tell me anything about the history of the company?

A. Beswick was named for James Wright Beswick, the founder of a pottery in Longton, Staffordshire, England, in 1894. The company made majolica, earthenware, jugs, figures, flowerpots and other types of china

James Beswick died in 1920 and his son John became head of the firm. The company continued to be headed by a Beswick until it was purchased by Royal Doulton in 1969. The original name is still being used.

Animals were made by the ompany from the early years. Perhaps the most famous animals are the Beatrix Potter figures representing the characters from the children's books by Potter. They were modeled by Arthur Gredington after 1947.

Realistic sets of dogs, cats, horses, farm animals, wild animals and butterflies are still being made. The history of Beswick and pictures of many of the animals can be found in the new book. "The Beswick Collectors Handbook," by Harvey May (Kevin Francis, London, \$15).

Q. How can I date my set of long-stemmed goblets and wine glasses? Have the styles changed?

A. In the early 19th century there were very few stemmed glasses. Wine glasses and goblets that could be used for beer or cider were made. Water had not become a popular drink at meals. Starting about 1830, pressed glass makers were able to make many new shapes and sizes of glassware. By the 1880s the table was set with many new types of dishes and serving pieces. There was the proper glass for each wine and each beverage.

Brilliant cut glassware was in fashion from the 1880s for everything from tumblers to water goblets. In the 1910 to 1920 period the Art Nouveau styles were popular, and simple and colored glassware became popular. This was the first time that it was considered proper to use a colored glass for wine.

The general rule for dating stemware is the longer the stem the newer the glass. Heavy glass was preferred from about 1880 to 1915. Before and after those years, delicate glasses with engraving were preferred.

TIP: To clean the glass on a framed print, spray glass cleaner on a cloth, then wipe the glass. Do not spray the glass because the liquid may drip and stain the mat or print.

For a copy of the Kovels' booklet, "Daily Care and First Aid to Antiques," send \$1 and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to: Kovels, P.O. Box 22900, Beachwood, Ohio 44122.

CURRENT PRICES

(Current prices are recorded from antique shows, sales, flea markets and auctions throughout the United States. These prices vary in different locations because of the conditions of the economy.)

Tin globe bank, Chein, \$10. Bradley & Hubbard humidor,

brass, 7 inches, \$20. KTK covered vegetable, deco-

rated with roses and gold, 8¼ inches, \$30. Seth Thomas miniature gallery clock, brass, eight-day, 1876,

\$125 Beaded Swag, milk glass butter, painted pink rose, signed

Heisey, \$145. High top beaver hat, signed Lancaster, wallpaper covered figural hat box. \$250.

Dollhouse, doll, man, military clothes, German, 7 inches, \$750. Fish decoy, trout, Oscar Peter-

son (1887-1951), 9 inches, \$825. Edison Triumph phonograph, mahogany case, two and four minute with repeating attachment, \$2.850

Furniture, side chair, Chippendale, Gothic splat, cabriole legs, c.1770, \$4,400.

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Friends seeking free advice forget time is money

to a letter from a police officer's wife Thanks. regarding neighbors and friends who call her husband while he's off duty, and ask him to come and help when a police officer is needed.

I am a physician's wife (and a nurse), and my husband has the same problem. We have neighbors and friends who phone or come in person at all hours of the night and day seeking a free diagnosis or prescriptions. My husband is too nice (or spineless) to refuse, or to ask them to call his office and make an appointment.

He's only mildly annoyed, but I am very resentful of these people. My husband and I have very little time together and his off-duty time should be just that. Most of these "friends" and neighbors have their if I should mention this ahead of "regular" doctors (whom they pay), time when we're going to be with but they wouldn't dare to bother

DEAR ABBY: This is in response deal with these inconsiderate boobs

THE DOCTOR'S WIFE

DEAR WIFE: Lawyers have the same problem. A very prominent lawyer (who was also a judge) told me that when friends telephone him at his home seeking free legal advice, he says, "First, I want you to know that I charge \$50 a minute." One woman who had called him treated better when people are replied, "Forget it. When I was aware of her problem. a call girl I never charged that much.

DEAR ABBY: My 55-year-old What do you think? sister is slightly retarded. I wonder

DEAR ABBY: Thanks for your advice to "Indiana Mother" who objected to giving condoms to teenagers. You were right to remind her that sex with the wrong partner just once could be a death sentence and better safe than sorry.

Abigail Van Buren

But more important, what kind of moral values have these children been taught at home if they can be ignored just because someone hands them a free condom?

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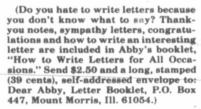


This smiling doll head probably had a beard and a high hat. It is the typical Uncle Sam face with deep wrinkles and brown glass eyes. (Theirault Auctions)

she think that one free condom will cause them to rush out and find a sex partner?

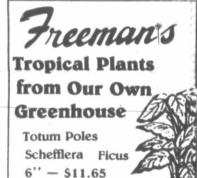
Teaching teen-agers to say "no" to sex is like teaching them to say "no" to food. It'll work until they get hungry

TYLER SARLOW, FORT WORTH, TEXAS



(To get Abby's booklet, "How to Be Popular: You're Never Too Young or







conversation. She seems to be

I have tried to teach her to be a good listener, to act interested in what others say, but like all children, she has her mind only on herself, so I've given up on this.

SAD IN SAN DIEGO

DEAR SAD: It would be a people who have never met her. kindness to your sister if you

Dear Abby

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that her children are so ignorant they didn't know that condoms existed, and could be bought at the local drug or grocery store? Or does

Too Old," send a check or money order for \$2.50 and a long, stamped (39 cents), self-addressed envelope to: Dear Abby, Popularity, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054.)

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Father's Day

Children have special needs when friend or relative dies

have special needs when a friend or relative dies and should be helped to face the loss rather than be shut off from the reality.

"Children feel responsible when someone dies," says Dr. T. **Berry Brazelton in Family Circle** magazine. Brazelton, an associate professor of pediatrics at Harvard Medical School, says "parents should reassure them that the loss is not their responsibility, that it does not result from

NEW YORK (AP) — Children a child's bad deeds or wishes." A child's sense of death is more primitive than an adult's, Brazelton says. He'll tend to equate it with being left alone, which brings on the fear of desertion. If parents simply withdraw without explaining what has happened or how they feel about it, the child's

worst fears will be confirmed. "Anytime there is a death in the family," says Brazelton, "I would urge you to tell your child the truth.

JOINT PROBLEM AND

MUSCLE PAIN

If you've developed symptoms that make you think you have arthritis, it would be wise to have an examination to see if the muscles in the affected area are out of balance.

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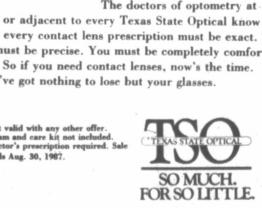
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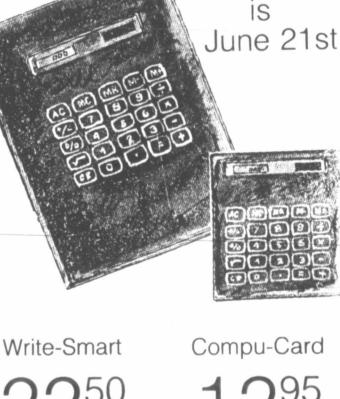
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By Larry Wright THAT'S NOT GOING TO WORK, CARLYLE.



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Sports Scene

Lakers make their statement, upend Boston for NBA title

By KEN PETERS AP Sports Writer

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INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP) - Although his image of calm confidence never wavered. Pat Riley admitted he had been rattled by a persistent, unnerving thought.

The Los Angeles coach was scared the Lakers were going to let the 1987 NBA title slip away

"I know I kept saying all the right things, but there's always doubt in your mind that something's going to get stolen from you,' Riley said Sunday. Moments earlier, the Lakers had eased their coach's mind, beating the Boston Celtics 106-93 to win the 1987 Championship Series 4-2.

"I'm glad it's over," Riley said, "You really begin to feel the pressure. As the favorite, we were in a no-win situation

The Lakers suffered two confidenceshaking losses sandwiched around a onepoint win in Boston Garden that let the Celtics fight their way back into the series.

Los Angeles, which had the league's best regular-season record and breezed through the Western Conference playoffs, virtually had been conceded the league title heading into the finals against the weary, wounded Celtics, who were extended to the limit by Detroit in the Eastern Conference finals.

Then, after lopsided victories in the opening two games left them looking invincible,

the Lakers traveled to Boston. Suddenly they

looked like a team in danger of choking. Although the Lakers were back home at the Forum for Game 6 and a possible Game 7 by virtue of their 65-17 regular-season record, the first half Sunday resembled the contests at Boston Garden, with the Celtics controlling the tempo.

But, after trailing 56-51 at halftime, the Lakers finally got their fast break working in the third quarter, outscoring the Celtics 30-12 to take command.

Magic Johnson finished the clinching game with 19 assists, 16 points and eight rebounds and collected the Most Valuable Player award - becoming the first player to win it three times since the award's inception in 1969.

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, the Lakers' 40year-old center, scored a team-high 32 points and blocked four shots despite being limited to 29 minutes due to foul trouble.

James Worthy broke out of a shooting slump with a 10-of-16 performance and had 22 points. Reserve Mychal Thompson had 15

points and nine rebounds while spelling Abdul-Jabbar.

The Celtics were led by Dennis Johnson, who had 33 points and 10 rebounds, and Kevin McHale with 20 points and 10 rebounds. However, Larry Bird, a two-time Playoff MVP, was held to 16 points on 6-of-16 shooting.

Boston Coach K.C. Jones, while saying he thought it was a fine accomplishment for the Celtics to make it to the sixth game of the finals despite their injuries, said, "Obviously the best team won."

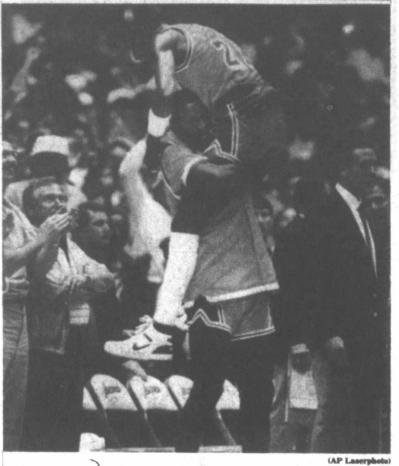
The title was the fourth of the decade for the Lakers, with Boston winning three of the other four years. With the loss, the Celtics became the 18th consecutive NBA champion to fail to defend the crown.

'We found out there are no quitters on this team," Bird said. "But we're still a bunch of guys who lost a championship.'

The Lakers' Johnson averaged 26.2 points, 13 assists and eight rebounds in the finals. He already had won the regular-season MVP Award, his first.

Johnson said this was the best of the four championships the Lakers have won since his arrival in 1979.

'It's great to be a champion again."



Worthy hoists Cooper after victory

Pirates head for Austin, playoffs

By JIMMY PATTERSON Sports Writer

AUSTIN - After a five day rain delay, the 1987 UIL high school baseball tournament looks like it might finally get underway Tuesday afternoon.

The Lefors Pirates left for the capitol city early Monday morning and are hoping for warm, dry conditions instead of last week's soggy fields which led the team to turn around and return home almost as soon as it got there.

The Pirates are scheduled to play Burton Tuesday at 1 p.m. at Burger Center in Austin in the semi-final round of the 1-A playoffs.

It is somewhat ironic where the town of Burton is located.

In deep Southeast Texas, Burton is approximately the same distance away from Brenham as Lefors is away from Pampa.

People in the Pampa area don't need to be reminded of the 4-A rivalry the Pampa Lady Harvesters have with the Brenham Cubs

Lefors and Burton - two towns that neighbor the track rivals. The Lefors Pirates have their

work cut out for them. There are several reasons: Burton is the number-one Class 1-A baseball team in the state

with a record of 24-2. Burton's leading pitcher, Dwain Mathis, has a record of 14-0 with 102 strikeouts in only 82 innings pitched. His ERA is 2.41 Their number-two man, Darvis Watson, is 9-2 and has an ERA of 1.05

Eight of the team's nine starters have batting averages over 300

Kurt Sunderhose has a hefty .653 average with 13 homers; Keith Schmidt is averaging .610 with six homers and Watson is hitting at a .467 pace.

Incidentally, Burton has 325 residents, which makes Lefors (pop. 829) look like a thriving metropolis.

Perhaps another factor weighing in Burton's favor is its proximity to Austin. Only 75 miles to the east, the capitol can in track and field. Now, a 1-A rivalry between be considered in Burton's back- of it on guts and glory.



Lefors' Kirk Kerbo pitches during Saturday practice

yard.

But, there is a mystique surrounding Lefors.

Having come far since their first two losses, no one has ever told the Pirates they can't do it. Their positive outlook has propelled them to district and regional titles, and they have done most

Compared to Burton, on a smaller scale, Lefors has experienced their share of success, too. Hitting .290 as a team, Lefors has raised its average well over

150-points since the beginning of the year. Four out of the Pirates starting

followed by Richard Hernandez (.387), Dusty Roberson (.320) and Kirk Kerbo (.318)

Pitcher Kirk Kerbo is averaging 1.73 strikeouts per inning. compared to 1.45 for Mathis.

If Lefors makes it past the semi-final round, they will meet the winner of the Savoy-High Is-

Sidekicks even series

By DENNE H. FREEMAN AP Sports Writer

DALLAS (AP)- The Dallas Sidekicks are shooting to become the first team in Major Indoor Soccer League history to win a title after losing the first two games.

Tatu scored three goals and added an assist in Sunday night's 6-5 victory over the Tacoma Stars to even the series at two games each.

The fifth game is scheduled for Tacoma on Tuesday night with the sixth game back in Dallas on Thursday night.

Tatu now has seven goals in the four games.

"Tatu has made the difference," said Tacoma Coach Alan Hinton. "Tatu is just a super player. He scores three goals and that's the game.'

Hinton said the game in Tacoma could be a rough one, particularly after fans threw ice on his players Sunday night.

"Our guys will be mean," Hinton said. "They are angry. It will be a real humdinger of a game. Tatu said the Dallas fans picked the team up after losses of 10-4 and 7-4 in Tacoma. Dallas won 5-3 on Saturday night with Tatu scoring two goals.



Snead displays Westchester winnings

nine are batting over .300. Kent land game Kerbo leads the pack with a .440, Wednesday.

Snead wins Westchester for first victory in six years

By BOB GREEN AP Golf Writer

HARRISON, N.Y. (AP) - J.C. Snead was wearing a wry grin and the champion's red jacket when he said, "I must have set golf back 20 years.

He had just defeated Seve Ballesteros on the first hole of a playoff Sunday for the title and the \$108,000 winner's check in the Westchester Classic. It was Snead's first victory in six years and the eighth of a 20-year PGA Tour career that has been marked by spots of controversy and occasional feuds with the press.

"I know I'm not very popular with people that don't know me. But there's nothing I can do about that." he said.

His latest victory, he added, may have found the most favor with fans.

"Maybe they were just ready to see an American win instead of a foreigner," Snead said.

The playoff went quickly, and with Ballesteros rarely in view. He spent most of the playoff in the woods that line the Westchester Country Club course

Ballesteros, a flamboyant Spaniard who owns a couple of Masters titles and two British Open victories, tied Snead at 276, eight under par, ending regulation play with a 10-foot birdie putt.

Snead, playing in front of Ballesteros, finished birdie-birdie for a 70 and watched while Ballesteros made the last-hole putt that put him at 72.

On the playoff hole, the 304-yard, par-4 10th, Bal-

lesteros elected to go with a driver. He hit it left into deep rough behind a tree.

With Ballesteros in a virtually unplayable lie, Snead had the luxury of hitting a four-iron to the fairway and a nine-iron approach to the back fringe of the green.

After Ballesteros thrashed around in the rough, playing three shots without reaching the green and five without holing out, Snead won the playoff with a two-putt par-4.

'I'd rather have won it with a birdie, but I'll take it any way I can get it," the 45-year-old nephew of Sam Snead said.

"I know I'm at the bottom of my career. I just do the best with what I've got and let it go at that," Snead said. "After going so long (without winning), you start to wonder if it'll ever happen again.

'Sure, I've thought about quitting. But what am I going to do if I quit?

Snead and Ballesteros benefitted from the backnine collapse of Mike Reid, who has collected more than \$1 million in an 11-year career but still is seeking his first victory.

Reid, three in front at the turn on Sunday, backed away with bogeys on the 12th and 15th and with a decisive double-bogey on the 16th, where he failed to get a little chip out of deep rough near the green.

Roger Maltbie came on to take third with a par 71 that put him at 277.

Mike Donald and Morris Hatalsky each had 67s to tie Reid at 278.

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Fight promises excitement, can it deliver?

By HAL BOCK AP Sports Writer

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) - There has been a certain lethargy hanging over tonight's heavyweight fight between Gerry Cooney and Michael Spinks that seems strange, almost eerie, for what ought to be a big bout.

The live gate at the Convention Center will be solid - just the way it is for the Miss America pageant, the building's other major event. But closed circuit television sales where the real money is to be made - have been sluggish in some places, non-existent in others. You can sum up the reason for that in two words.

Mike Tyson.

Tyson holds two of the recognized heavyweight crowns and has an Aug. 1 date with International Boxing Federation champ Tony Tucker to finally unify the fragmented title. More importantly, Tyson has convinced the boxing public that he is the class of his division. And that's really all that counts. Sugar Ray Leonard and Marvin Hagler did big closed circuit business because their intriguing bout promised to deliver a single middleweight ruler. In the heavyweight division, however, Cooney-Spinks still leaves Tyson.

Promoter Butch Lewis, who doubles as Spinks' manager in the cozy community of boxing, likes to argue that tonight's "War at the Shore" is for the true title - the crown that is directly descended from the hallowed one Ali and Patterson, Marciano and Walcott, Louis and Dempsey, all once owned.

This is a nice bit of salesmanship by an expert salesman. But the fact of the matter is that regardless of what you think of boxing's alphabet soup ruling bodies, none recognizes Spinks as the champion at the moment.

And if they did, you must wonder whether they would feel constrained to certify Cooney as a legitimate challenger for the title, considering the man's well-known lack of recent boxing activity.

So, all of Lewis' cajoling notwithstanding, what this bout boils down to is little more than an interesting match between two pretty good heavyweight names. And that assumes

that you give Spinks the benefit of the doubt and ignore his size, choosing instead to use his two close victories over Larry Holmes as evidence of his legitimate credentials in the division.

Tonight's bout is very much like the town in which it is being held. There is plenty of neon up front, but it is just a little frayed around the edges.

What's next for tonight's winner? Tyson? Spinks, as IBF champion, could have had him in the HBO tournament and chose instead to shop elsewhere, even at the expensive price of having his title stripped.

In the subsequent court case, Lewis painted his man as a protector of boxing integrity, a quality that is sometimes difficult to identify. More likely, Spinks was protecting Spinks - not a bad idea, considering the circumstances.

Cooney could have had Tyson within the HBO tournament's guidelines. He, too, decided to go in another direction, with Manager Dennis Rappaport citing purse concerns. Or were they chin concer 18?

"We were down two games but the fans helped to pick us up," Tatu said. "Everybody played great. They got me the ball in the right spot and I was able to finish the play.

"Now we have the momentum. We have to continue to play the way we have the last two games. Those weren't the Sidekicks in the first two games we played. I had to raise my game to another level and that's why we won.'

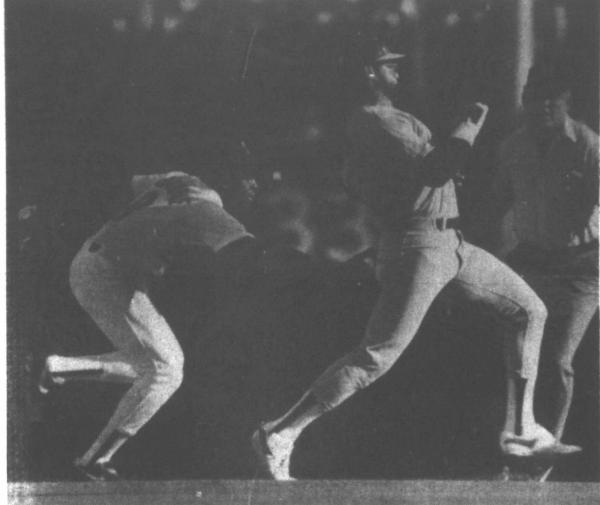
Dallas Coach Gordon Jago said 'it was an unbelievable performance by Tatu. And Krys Sobieski was tremendous in goal. The two weekend victories were extremely hard fought.'

Tacoma's Steve Zungul said the referees were intimidated by the Dallas fans.

'Everything seemed to go against us tonight," Zungul said 'People threw ice on us. It was a disgrace. It wasn't even worth coming.



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Reggie Jackson is tagged out by Rangers' Jerry Brown.

Astros pick up steam, beat LA

LOS ANGELES (AP) - The Houston Astros are gaining some momentum in the National League West, and their recent surge couldn't have come at a more opportune time.

"This is something this club needed - to put on a good stretch, be right back in the thick of things and also build our confidence up," Manager Hal Lanier said Sunday after right-hander Danny Darwin held the Los Angeles Dodgers hitless over the final 8 1-3 innings for a 4-1 victory.

"Winning the games we've won lately, then coming out here and winning three or four, and now going in to face Cincinnati with Mike Scott going, you've got to feel very good about it.

The Astros, looking to become the first team since the 1977-78 Dodgers to repeat as West Division champions, have won five of their last six games and seven of the last 10. Although they didn't gain any ground on the first-place Reds Sunday, they went into their three-game series at Riverfront Stadium trailing by only 21/2 games.

'The main thing for us to do is not worrying about trying to make up three games at one time," Darwin said. "Then you start pressing and you don't play the way you're capable of doing. We just have to go to Cincinnati now and take it one game at a time.

Darwin, 4-4, needed only 99 pitches to record his first complete game of the season and his second career two-hitter. He allowed only one baserunner after Pedro Guerrero ended a 14-game home run

Birds change

drought with his 15th homer of the season and Mike Marshall followed with a single to right field.

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"I thought I had pretty good location after the first couple of innings, and I got stronger as the game went along," said Darwin, who struck out six, walked one and retired the last 16 batters. "If I can just keep throwing the ball the way I have been, I'll be happy with myself.'

Darwin, who also pitched a pair of one-hitters and a two-hitter in the American League, climaxed a solid weekend of pitching by the Astros.

Starters Jim Deshaies and Nolan Ryan helped limit Los Angeles to 12 hits and no earned runs in the first two games. The other was a 14-hit blowout. Reliever Dave Smith, meanwhile extended his perfect string of scoreless innings this season to 24 2-3 innings over 20 appearances with a save in the series opener.

"We've got a good pitching staff and we've got a good bullpen," Darwin said. "We've had our ups and downs this year, but everybody right now is starting to throw the ball real well.

The Astros unlocked a 1-1 tie with a pair of second-inning runs against Tim Leary, 2-1. Consecutive singles by Glenn Davis, Kevin Bass and Terry Puhl brought in the first run and Dickie Thon delivered Bass with the second on a suicide squeeze bunt to the right of the mound.

After Houston opened the scoring on consecutive two-out singles by Denny Walling, Davis and Bass, the Dodgers tied it in the bottom of the first when Guerrero hit a line drive over the center field fence

Hough stifles A's **ARLINGTON**, Texas

(AP) - It hasn't been unusual this season for knuckleballer Charlie Hough to throw about 145 pitches in a game while toiling for the Texas Rangers.

But when he looked at the thermometer before the start of Sunday evening's game against the **Oakland** Athletics. he said he knew he couldn't survive that kind of work load

"It wasn't only hot, it was very muggy, Hough said of the 100degree heat. "I knew I was going to have to throw strikes." He threw 66 strikes

among his 99 pitches, finishing with a 3-hitter as the Rangers beat the Athletics 5-1 to snap Oakland's 5-game win streak "I threw more fast-

balls and sliders today than usual," said Hough, who went the distance for the fourth time in 15 starts, "And I was lucky they were hitting them for outs rather than fouling them off or making me work more by taking them.'

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Eric Plunk, 1-3, was the starter and loser for Oakland, allowing the five runs on five hits with five walks and a career high 11 strikeouts

One of the hits he allowed was Pete O'Brien's 15th homer of the season, a 2-run shot in the first that gave Hough a quick cushion to work

"Having the early lead helped because I didn't have to worry about one pitch costing me the game," said Hough, who walked only one, struck out eight and faced only three batters over the

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minimum. Catcher Geno Petralli, whose passed ball made the only run against Hough an unearned run. scored twice and drove in two runs with two of his three hits. "Petralli's had a good

month for us," manager Bobby Valentine said of his sometimes-catchersometimes-infielder. 'He's playing really well.

Petralli has appeared in 35 of the Rangers' 58 games and is hitting .373.

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The Baltimore Orioles changed their color and their luck.

But it was their home run bats which brought an end to their 10game losing streak Sunday and broke the Toronto Blue Javs' club-record 11-game winning streak

The Orioles wore orange jerseys for the first time in three seasons and beat the visiting Blue Jays 8-5 behind a three-run home run by Jim Dwyer and two-run homers by Ray Knight and Cal Ripken Jr

"It was just a crazy thing to do," said Dwyer, "It was just a change, and it worked. We'll have to take them home and sleep in them

Baltimore Coach Elrod Hendricks suggested the wearing of the orange jersevs and General Manager Hank Peters agreed, saying: "We'll try anything."

The loss still left Toronto in first place in the American League East by three games over the New York Yankees.

Tigers 2, Red Sox 1

At Detroit, Jack Morris, 9-2, won his eighth straight game --longest in the AL this season and Mike Heath drove in both runs as the Tigers swept a threegame series from Boston

Twins 6, White Sox 3

Seattle boss Dick Williams disagrees vehemently Tim Laudner, batting .180, hit a grand slam to lead Minnesota and knuckleballer Joe Niekro past Chicago. It was the eighth win in the last nine games for the AL West-leaders, who hold a 21/2-

game lead over Kansas City in the AL West.

Schmidt ties Mel Ott on homer list

By BEN WALKER **Baseball Writer**

Even with sore ribs, 37-year-old Mike Schmidt showed he can still turn on an inside pitch.

Schmidt hit three homers, drove in six runs and got his 2.000th major-league hit Sunday in leading the Philadelphia Phillies past the Montreal Expos 11-6.

"All three balls that I hit today were inside or just a little off the inside of the plate," Schmidt said. "I proved to everyone that I can handle the ball inside.

Schmidt, who strained a muscle below his rib cage a few weeks ago, went on the disabled list May 26 and returned to the lineup last Wednesday.

Schmidt tied Mel Ott for 13th place on the alltime home run list with 511. He matched his singlegame career high with six RBI and became the 153rd major-leaguer to reach 2,000 hits.

Mets 7, Pirates 3

Darryl Strawberry hit a two-run homer and New York won a testy game in Pittsburgh.

Strawberry was ejected in Saturday's loss to the Pirates after charging the mound when hit by a pitch from Bob Kipper, touching off a benchclearing brawl. Umpire Dutch Rennert warned both teams Sunday about further problems when Pittsburgh's Brian Fisher hit Tim Teufel with a pitch in the first inning. Mets starter John Mitchell and Manager Davey Johnson were ejected in the third after Mitchell brushed back Fisher with a head-high pitch.

Padres 4, Giants 1

Dave Dravecky pitched a five-hitter and San Diego beat San Francisco for its first three-game winning streak since last August.

Carmelo Martinez homered, doubled and drove in two runs for the visiting Padres.

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Clarence Avant, of the Continental Navy of Newburyport. Mass., reacts after an 85-foot-long American flag is sus-pended by a crane alongside the U.S.S. Constitution during Flag Day ceremonies in the Charlestown section of Boston Sunday. The flag is scheduled to be used by the National Park Service at Mt. Rushmore, South Dakota.

Fire threatens Nevada town

By The Associated Press

Three hundred firefighters from three states battled a 10,000acre blaze that threatened a tiny Nevada town, and half its 100 residents were evacuated by late Sunday, authorities said.

Firefighters in Palm Springs, Calif., meanwhile, battled to save 35 homes threatened by a 200acre blaze.

The Nevada fire was sparked

by lightning Friday night on Mount Potosi, about 25 miles southwest of Las Vegas, and high winds carried flames toward Mountain Spring.

The California fire, fanned by 20 to 25 mph winds, blackened more than 200 acres of hilly, rugged terrain near Palm Springs by Sunday night, forcing the evacuation of residents from about 35 homes in the fire's path about half a mile away

Navy man who reported overpayments to retire

DALLAS (AP) - Chief Petty Officer Michael Tufariello says he had an untarnished military record until he tried to live up to his nickname, "By-the-Book."

Tufariello, 39, who is retiring from the U.S. Navy later this week, says that he called attention to \$130,000 in suspected overpayments to weekend miltary reservists, he was involuntarily hospitalized for psychiatric evaluation, cited for poor work performance and passed over for promotion.

The Navy man was commended June 4 during a special ceremony at Dallas Naval Air Station for maintaining "the highest tradi-tions" of the Navy in "single-handedly" documenting and reporting the improprieties.

But Tufariello says the praise more than three years later was too little, too late. After 20 years in the Navy, during which he received 16 medals, he says he is retiring in disgust on Friday.

"None of the money has been recovered, and the officers who knew of the inconsistencies have not been reprimanded," Tufariello told the Dallas Morning News.

"My chances of ever getting promoted were awfully slim," he said. "I was given a letter of commendation for doing what was right, but the commendation does nothing for me two weeks before I get out.'

A spokesman for the Naval Air Station says Tufariello was "an outstanding sailor" who could have been disciplined if he had not reported the payments on Dec. 18, 1983 for military drills that never occurred.

"He should not have gotten into any trouble for what he did," said Chief Petty Officer John Egbert. "It's sad, but in any large organization there are going to be people who at one time or another seem to get shafted."

Egbert said all the other nonecommissioned officers and officers involved in the incident have either retired or have been transferred.

Tufariello, a Brooklyn native who was decorated for accompanying ground troops on search-and-destroy missions in Vietnam, said he never felt more stress than when he reported the pay fraud to his superiors.

The Navy man said he was told to "go to your desk and mind your own business" after he told his superiors that the reservists should not have been paid because the December 1983 drill was canceled.

He said lower-level officers prohibited

from going to higher-level officers about the pay fraud and he was warned that he would receive a poor evaluation if he persisted.

"My wife said to forget it, and the base chaplain said he would say a prayer for me, but I took pride in following regulations, Tufariello said.

He complained to the Navy's Fraud, Waste and Abuse Unit and wrote to several senators, including Edward Kennedy, D-Mass.

An investigation by the Naval Inspector General, prompted by Sen. Kennedy, commended Tufariello and noted in its report there was "considerable high-level interest" in the case.

The report, isssued last month, concluded that Tufariello had suffered injustices for documenting the improper payments.

The report also cited his superior officers for demonstrating a "serious lack of sensitivity" for the seaman's rights in ordering a psychiatric evaluation July 20, 1984. But the report noted that the seaman's "method of dealing with immediate superiors" in demanding corrective action had "generated a concern for his mental stability."

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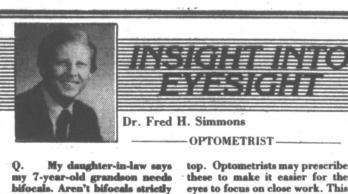
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for us older folks? Α.

Not necessarily. Most young people don't need bifocals but optometrists sometimes prescribe them for various reasons. For example, some nearsight-ed children need strong glasses to see things far away clearly but the glasses make reading vision

more difficult. Bifocals give them the right prescription for both distance and near vision in one pair of glasses. Some children have bifocals

with a prescription for reading on the bottom and a clear lens on

these to make it easier for the eyes to focus on close work. This may help in controlling or preventing nearsightedness. Sometimes bifocals are used in treating crossed-eyes. Wearing bifocals is not necessarily a sign of early aging.

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