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New Hampshire: Bush, Dole face tight race



(AP Laserphoto)

Poll leader Dukakis greets prospective voters.

Debates rage as Congress considers policy on AIDS

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House resumes its struggle toward a national AIDS policy this week with two sharply contrasting Californians at the extremes of disputes over issues ranging from discrimination to testing.

On one side is Democratic Rep. Henry Waxman, the liberal and influential chairman of the House health subcommittee, whose Los Angeles district is ethnically diverse and big-city tolerant.

Across the ideological gulf but geographically next door is Rep. William Dannemeyer, R-Calif., a conservative from straight-laced and suburban Orange County.

Their differences will be aired Friday at what Waxman is calling a "refresher hearing" on his bill to provide money for voluntary AIDS tests, guarantee confidentiality for those tested, and protect AIDS victims and carriers from discrimination.

The hearing follows a series of canceled work sessions last year that Dannemeyer claims were scratched because Waxman

didn't have enough votes to win approval of his bill.

"If he can't achieve his objective... of anti-discrimination status for those with the virus, he will not move a bill in the 100th Congress," Dannemeyer said.

"We had other things pressing on us," Waxman responded when asked why the sessions were canceled. He said he expects to finish work on the AIDS bill within two months.

Though he maintained he is "always open to discussion," Waxman indicated he would not compromise on the measure's confidentiality or civil rights provisions and said he detected little support for Dannemeyer's positions.

"The whole public health world has concluded we need to protect against discrimination," Waxman said.

Dannemeyer calls it "inappropriate and absurd" to legislate anti-discrimination safeguards because of what he contends is the "unstable status" of

information about AIDS transmission.

While Waxman quotes the prevailing view of virtually all public health authorities that AIDS cannot be transmitted by casual contact, Dannemeyer asserts that those authorities are rethinking their dogmatic pronouncements that the AIDS virus is not a threat in the workplace.

Dannemeyer says employers should be free to decide whether to fire an AIDS victim or carrier.

Going against the grain of prevailing psychiatric thought, he contended that homosexuals voluntarily choose their sexual preference and said schoolchildren should be taught that "homosexuality is a perverse lifestyle, it's an unhealthy lifestyle. That's a fact. We should tell that to kids."

Dannemeyer contended that strong homosexual lobbies are hobbling Congress and some state legislatures in their handling of the disease.

White Deer interviews Cathey, others for superintendent post

WHITE DEER - White Deer school board members Monday night met with Pampa Assistant Superintendent Tom Cathey, completing the first round of interviews to fill the school superintendent position opening in August.

Jack Back, business manager, said the White Deer Independent School District (ISD) board had narrowed the number of applicants to seven, all of whom were personally interviewed, ending with the meeting with Cathey Monday night.

Back said school board members have not said when they will announce who the finalists will be, nor have they said how many will be considered before naming the new superintendent.

"I assume they will narrow it down, but I can't tell you how many they will narrow it to,"

Back said, adding, "They have not projected a date. We hope it will be soon."

"I feel very good (about the interview)," Cathey said early today.

"It was one of the best interviews I've been through in a long time. The board was very knowledgeable and they had excellent questions," he said.

"I was the last one, so by then they really knew what they wanted. It was done very professionally."

"I don't feel that I'll be in the top three," Cathey said. "They said they would get back with me."

He added that they did not give him a definite time when he would be told whether or not he had been chosen as a finalist.

"I just hope for the best. My goal is to be a superintendent and

you have to start somewhere. White Deer had 65 people apply and I beat 58 of them. So that's pretty good," Cathey said.

The seven applicants chosen to be interviewed, according to Back, are Dr. Billy Bowman, assistant superintendent of the Diboll ISD; Charles Bright, superintendent of Aransas County ISD; Cathey, assistant superintendent Pampa ISD; Dr. Laura Martin, education program director of Texas Education Agency in Austin; Kenneth Oller, assistant superintendent of Dalhart ISD; David Sharp, assistant superintendent of Cuero ISD; and Richard Souter, superintendent of the Alpine ISD.

The White Deer school superintendent position became open following the announcement of current superintendent Tom Harkey's plans to retire in August.

CONCORD, N.H. (AP) — Vice President George Bush drew heart from his midnight victory in the village of Dixville Notch as New Hampshire primary voters began today to put their often unpredictable mark on the 1988 presidential campaign. Massachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis expected a neighborly boost from Democratic voters.

As the polls opened, final surveys pointed to a tight race between Bush and Kansas Sen. Bob Dole, who was hoping to make New Hampshire his second big win in a row.

Several candidates visited polling places. Democratic Sen. Paul Simon of Illinois and Republican Pat Robertson ran into each other at Northwest Elementary School in Manchester.

"It's going to be an interesting contest," said Robertson. "I met three of 'em that voted for me early so I hope that holds. Best wishes to you today."

"Well thank you, thank you very much," replied the senator.

In keeping with longstanding tradition, the 34 voters of Dixville Notch cast their ballots shortly after midnight at the Balsams, a resort hotel, and gave the edge to Bush and Democrat Richard Gephardt.

Commenting on the Dixville Notch results in which he received 11 votes to 6 for Dole, Bush, desperate for a comeback from his Iowa defeat, said, "I think that it's an indication, because they have been right since 1952, and it shows that I've

been getting my message out, in contrast to Sen. Dole."

In many communities the polls didn't open until 9 a.m. Those that did open early reported a moderate to heavy turnout.

"It's more than we've seen in the last few elections," said an election official in Goffstown.

Statewide, about 150,000 Republicans and 115,000 Democrats were expected to vote, according to William Gardner, secretary of state.

The weather cooperated. There was light rain in the southern part of the state and snow flurries up north. Partly cloudy skies were expected by afternoon.

The final opinion polls pointed to a tight race between Bush and Dole on the Republican side and a battle for runnerup honors behind Dukakis between Gephardt and Simon.

A CBS News poll, released today, of likely voters had the Republican race at 34 percent for Bush and 30 percent for Dole. On the Democratic side, Dukakis had the support of 38 percent, Simon 16 percent and Gephardt 13 percent.

"It feels good, like it did in Iowa last Monday," said Dole, referring to the Iowa caucus victory that catapulted him to the forefront of the race.

But Bush, who suffered a jolting setback in Iowa, predicted he'd bounce back in New Hampshire.

"I sense a rising tide," the vice president said. Bush took some comfort from New Hampshire's

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New Year greeting



(AP Laserphoto)

A pair of Chinese Lion Dancers cavort before the ornate White Cloud Temple in Beijing, China, today, the eve of Chinese New

Year. Holiday fairs are drawing tens of thousands of city residents as China's most important holiday gets under way.

White supremacist leaders face conspiracy charges trial

FORT SMITH, Ark. (AP) — Three leaders of the white supremacist movement accused of conspiring to overthrow the federal government and form an Aryan nation and 11 other defendants faced trial under tight security today.

The charges against individual defendants, members of various white supremacist groups, include involvement in bank robberies, armored truck holdups, bombings of utility facilities and a plot to kill a federal judge and an FBI agent.

Jury selection was to begin today amid tight security, including dozens of heavily armed law enforcement officers and at least two metal detectors for screening courtroom visitors.

Late Monday, manacled defendants guarded by officers with submachine guns were brought into the federal courthouse as patrol cars blocked streets by the building.

Ten defendants are accused of conspiring "to destroy by force the government of the United States and form a new Aryan nation," according to the indictment by a federal grand jury last April.

"If the indicted leaders are convicted and sent-

enced to lengthy prison terms, some of these organizations will have trouble surviving," the Anti-Defamation League of the Jewish organization B'nai B'rith said after the indictment.

In the weeks leading up to the trial, the Ku Klux Klan held 15 rallies in Arkansas cities. In most cases the turnout was small, and Klan backers were met in some cases by hostile observers.

At a rally here Saturday, Robert Edward Miles, 63, said the government was persecuting some of his fellow defendants because it didn't like their choice of associates.

"This government wants one cookie mold... one garden in which all the flowers look alike," Miles said.

The three defendants widely regarded as white supremacist chieftains are:

• Miles, 63, of Cohoctah, Mich., leader of the Mountain Church of Jesus Christ the Savior at Cohoctah.

A former grand dragon of the KKK in Michigan, Miles was convicted in 1973 in connection with the bombing of empty school buses in Pontiac, Mich., then under a court order to desegregate schools.

• Louis Ray Beam Jr., 41, of Houston, a former grand dragon of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan in Texas.

Beam, who was arrested in Mexico, led a campaign of violent intimidation of Vietnamese immigrants fishing in the Galveston area, Texas officials said. During his bond hearing, he said that the U.S. government no longer belongs to the people.

In a letter obtained by government agents, Beam said America was under the control of a Zionist Occupation Government, or ZOG.

• Richard Girt Butler, 69, leader of the Church of Jesus Christ Christian (Aryan Nations) of Hayden Lake, Idaho.

A former aerospace engineer, Butler leads a church that has attracted some white supremacists to its fold, including some who formed a group named The Order, sometimes called the Silent Brotherhood, authorities said.

Federal investigators have said The Order is a Nazi-like group whose members turned to violence to bring about the government's downfall.

According to the indictment, the 10 defendants

accused of sedition conspired from 1983 to 1985.

The document includes a list of robberies and bombings.

Five of the 14 are accused in the alleged plot to kill the judge and FBI agent, who were key figures in the federal prosecution of people who harbored tax protester Gordon Kahl.

Kahl, who had been wanted in North Dakota in the slaying of two U.S. marshals, was killed in Smithville in 1983 in a shootout that claimed a sheriff's life.

One of the five has already been convicted of two murders.

Two of the defendants have been charged with knowingly transporting \$5,000 in stolen money across state lines.

The government says the money came from the \$3.6 million holdup of an armored truck in Ukiah, Calif., in 1984.

The government alleges that those defendants used money from robberies to finance their activities and that they distributed funds to leaders of other supremacist groups.

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Girl genius tackling college courses

BAYTOWN (AP) — The desks are way too big, but other than that, 11-year-old Kristen Banerjee says she feels perfectly at ease on the Lee College campus.

A genius with an IQ of 164, Kristen was speaking in sentences before her first birthday and, at age 4, became fluent in Norwegian after spending the summer there with her father, Salil Banerjee, a Dallas research scientist.

She lives with her mother, Carol Harrison, in nearby Crosby. The couple divorced when Kristen was a baby.

At Lee College, Kristen is a premed major and is enrolled in 12 hours. And if she perseveres, she could get her medical degree at age 17.

"I've been told she can't be licensed until her 21st birthday. But I think that may have changed. We're looking into it," her mother said.

For light reading before bed, she browses through the physician's desk reference to

prescription drugs.

"I love to read it. I like learning about the warnings and names of medicines," she said.

Kristen is the youngest freshman anyone can remember enrolling for a full course load at the Baytown junior college.

She was 10 when she registered and she celebrated her 11th birthday on the day of her first English composition class a few weeks ago.

"This is going to be a fabulous year. I can tell you. I'm almost afraid to talk about it for fear I might wake up and find it was only a dream," she wrote in her first essay about her collegiate experience.

According to the latest statistics kept by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, nobody as young as Kristen registered at a state junior college in 1986, the Houston Chronicle reported Monday.

Young students that year included one 12-year-old and two 13-year-olds, but the records did not indicate if they were full- or

part-time students. No data was available for 1987.

Kristen's age record, however, was once beaten by a student at a senior university. Computer whiz David Huang, now 11, began college at St. Thomas University in Houston when he was 9.

As she skips across the college campus, Kristen totes a satchel with drawings of cuddly kittens on the outside and college chemistry and zoology textbooks inside.

Some of her classmates, however, were stunned to learn she was a fellow student.

"I have children her age," said Mary Whitehead, 34, a nursing major. "I told my three kids about her. They couldn't believe it."

"It makes me feel dumb since she's only 11 and it took me 17 years to return to college," said Sharon Svrcek, 36. "She often has the answer to a question before we have time to look it up."

Keeping watch



Denton firefighters keep watch over a fire at the North Texas State University chemistry building in Denton Monday evening. No one was reported injured, but the area was evacuated due to burning chemicals.

Champion animals to be given drug tests

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — The first drug testing of champion market animals ever made at a major livestock show is being done at the San Antonio Livestock Exposition this week, officials say.

Show officials said Monday the testing of champion market steers, lambs and barrows is part of a survey by the Texas Veterinary Medical Association and that the results won't affect the outcome of judging.

"This is the first stock show where anything like this is being done in the nation," Dr. Larry Ehrlund, a San Antonio veterinarian who is coordinating the tests, told the San Antonio Express-News.

"This is strictly for our information and the Texas Veterinary Medicine Association's information as to whether they do have (drug) residues," said Richard Traylor of the SALE executive committee.

"We have no idea whether we have a problem or we don't have a problem," Traylor said. "This is more of a survey for information."

Urine samples were taken Sunday night from 26 steers, including the grand champion and all breed champions and reserve champions, and eight champion and reserve champion market lambs, Ehrlund said.

Samples also will be collected from the grand champion and reserve champion market barrows as well as all breed champions and reserves on Wednesday, he said.

Tests at three laboratories are designed to detect 25 different compounds representing "just about every potentially abused drug imaginable," Ehrlund said.

Veterinarians nationwide are concerned that some show animals might be given drugs such as diuretics, tranquilizers or anabolic steroids which give the owner an unfair

advantage, he said.

"There's certainly a potential health hazard in using drugs," he said.

Ehrlund said some drugs are limited to a minimum time before slaughter and others are not allowed on animals intended for human consumption.

Texas veterinarians passed a resolution last August to design a screening program "to help our local stock shows in whatever way we could," Ehrlund said.

A similar program will be conducted at the stock show in San Angelo next month, and at other shows in Texas.

Test results, which are expected later this week, will become the property of the stock show organization, Ehrlund said.

No decision has been made about releasing the results, or about what policy to set for next year concerning the tests, Traylor said.

Minding the baby



Kevin Norris fixes the hook on his fishing line while his son, nine-month-old Victor, plays in the stroller behind him. Norris was minding his youngster and fishing while he waited for his wife to return from an errand. He was casting in a small El Paso lake.

Housing agency falls behind in distributing rent vouchers

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas Housing Authority failed to issue 1,335 rent vouchers and certificates in the last 13 months, while 1,440 poor families remained on a waiting list, housing authority reports show.

An attorney in a desegregation lawsuit against federal and local housing agencies has requested a court to force officials of the housing authority and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to begin matching needy families to the rental assistance funds immediately.

"It's a valid criticism," said DHA deputy executive director David C. Morton. But he said there have been positive accomplishments made during the difficult first year of a court-ordered plan to desegregate Dallas public housing.

"We have met every goal of the consent decree," Morton told the Dallas Morning News in an interview published today.

Mary Kate Smith, 69, who is disabled by heart problems and other ailments, said she and her two teen-age grandchildren have been waiting for help with their rent for the last four years.

"Mrs. Smith said she supports her family on a total monthly income of \$444, with \$200 earmarked for rent.

"They have all the information about me, from when I was born until when I expect to die, but keep

asking for renewals over and over again," she said.

The desegregation suit, filed in 1985 by attorney Michael Daniel, contended the agencies were concentrating minorities in low-income, black neighborhoods.

The suit's settlement in January 1987 included a provision to raze 2,600 mostly uninhabitable units of the 3,500 public housing complex West Dallas. The settlement also called for replacement housing, mainly through rental assistance for 1,335 families.

The special allocation meant DHA had more than 5,000 rental certificates and vouchers available to needy people.

On Feb. 8, Daniel filed a motion claiming the housing agencies haven't abided by the settlement by leaving 1,335 rental certificates and vouchers unused. His request for court intervention has not yet been heard.

Morton said DHA was using the vouchers and certificates solely to relocate West Dallas residents until last fall, when they realized the assistance could be used to help any needy family.

"We let it go far too long before issuing more certificates," he said. "But it's a very complex situation and you cannot simplify in one sentence, a simplistic analysis."

Fourth 'R' added at Seymour school

SEYMOUR (AP) — When students returned to classes at Seymour High School today, they found a fourth "R" added to the traditional three.

The fourth "R" is for repairs.

The school district's board of education voted last week to close all schools indefinitely until the 70-year-old high school could meet state regulations for temporary occupancy.

Students and teachers missed two days of class Friday and Monday while work was done on the building.

Superintendent Charles Barron met with a structural engineer and a state fire marshal Monday before announcing that school will resume today.

"In my opinion these remedial measures

appropriately solve our immediate concerns for the safety of the occupying students and teaching staff as regards the structural safety of the building," engineer Ray Pinnell Jr. told the superintendent in a report.

The district has purchased three portable buildings and is negotiating for a fourth to house classes. Two of the buildings were moved onto campus Monday afternoon.

The district is requesting that the state commissioner of education grant a waiver so that students do not have to make up the two missed days. Although the high school houses only grades 7 through 12, trustees canceled classes for all grades to avoid bus and scheduling difficulties.

Roadblocks in search of Florida citrus

ORANGE (AP) — State agriculture officials seeking to enforce an emergency 30-day quarantine on Florida citrus have set up roadblocks to check trucks entering Texas.

Checkpoints went up near Orange on the Texas-Louisiana border Monday as part of an effort to protect the state's crop from citrus canker.

The checkpoints are expected to remain in place for at least two weeks, said Jim Whitmire, district supervisor for the Texas Department of Agriculture.

The disease, discovered in Florida in 1984, weakens trees and damages fruit.

"It's a devastating disease and our citrus growers are just recovering from the 1983 freeze. They don't need any more problems right now," Whitmire said.

Truckers also were being pulled over for inspections on Interstate 20 near Marshall in East Texas and on the state's western border near El Paso.

"We think it'll be a pretty good means," Whitmire said. "We'll try to check every truck that comes through."

Truckers with shipments of Florida citrus destined for points outside of Texas were being allowed through the state, he said. But the trucks were being sealed at the border, preventing the doors from being opened within Texas.

The state quarantine took the place of a federal ban on shipments of Florida fruit to other citrus-producing states. The U.S. Department of Agriculture lifted its ban last week, saying the disease did not pose a problem, prompting complaints from Texas agricultural officials who said the federal agency had caved in to pressure from Florida producers.

State officials did not know how many trucks were stopped during the first day of the quarantine, but said drivers were generally cooperative.

"They get a little annoyed at times. It's a little trouble for them to have to pull over and stop and then move on again," Whitmire said.

The checkpoints also are enforcing other quarantines and regulations on the transportation of agricultural products, he said.

Nitrate levels prompt concern

DALLAS (AP) — Some West Texas wells contain nitrate concentrations that are 15 times above federal limits, prompting concern about rural Texans' drinking water.

Health officials say they have received no reports of unusual infant deaths or illnesses because of the nitrate concentrations.

"We're especially concerned about the rural drinking water supply. We have about 1 million Texans drinking out of private wells, mostly in rural areas, and these wells have no protection under (federal laws) that require the testing of public drinking water supplies," said Rick Piltz, of the Texas Department of Agriculture's Office of Natural Resources.

A preliminary study by the department indicates that 47 of 75 wells sampled in Comanche, Knox and Haskell counties exceeded the federal standard for nitrates.

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Opinion

Humans to blame for Oct. 19 crash

Computers continue to be made the scapegoat of the Oct. 19 stock market crash. Just after the crash, instant pundits said that the computers of the major brokerage firms all sensed that the stock market was headed downward, then, in unison, sold stocks in massive quantities.

The General Accounting Office said that the computers indeed were to blame, but for another reason. GAO said that nine of the 12 major systems used in computerized trading broke down, causing uncertainty on Wall Street and propelling the market downward.

But there are far better reasons than blaming the technology. Human forces were at work, not machines. A series of bad economic events had introduced tangible uncertainty into the economy. The new Federal Reserve Board Chairman Alan Greenspan had begun tightening the money supply. That meant there wasn't going to be as much money in circulation for expansion.

President Reagan was at the low ebb of his tenure in office. That meant he didn't have the willpower to stop Congress from going on a new spending and taxing binge. And nothing hurts investments more than higher taxes, which are taken from company investments and consumer purchases.

Such palpable explanations are themselves theories; no one has yet pinned down a perfect explanation. It may take years to analyze all the data. But in contrast to these explanations, the computer breakdown theory rests on a foundation of sand. Saying that the computers' collapse induced "uncertainty" and "confusion" in the market is like saying the symptoms caused the disease. Instead, it was the uncertainty and confusion that caused the computer breakdown.

What should be done? Some people have suggested that computer trading be limited. That's silly. Brokers will then just make the calculations and transactions by hand, as they did before computers. The 1929 crash was just as bad as last October's, but took place long before computers.

Everybody says GAO is a neutral agency. But it is an arm of Congress, and its report urged Congress to require the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Commodities Futures Trading Commission, and the Federal Reserve Board to develop a crisis plan within the next 60 days to deal with future emergencies. That recommendation actually shows what the "nonpartisan" GAO's own interest truly is: expanding control by the government of which it's a part.

The main thing now is to resist increasing government control, and even to try decreasing it. The best theories of the crash's cause implicate government itself. Giving us more government control would be giving us more of the disease.

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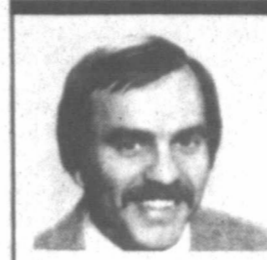
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Enough about private lives!!



Stephen Chapman

Nearly everyone agrees that in the current presidential campaign, the press has gone much too far in nosing into the candidates' private lives. Gary Hart is not the only candidate to complain about it, and probably all of them resent it. But I'm shocked to discover how far some reporters will go.

How far? Would you believe inside George Bush's bedroom? Right there in living color, in the pages of *Fortune* magazine, you can find a candid photograph of George Bush sitting up in bed, a yellow bathrobe only partially covering a manly chest. And he is not alone. Perched alongside are a cute grandchild and a lovable cocker spaniel.

Even the *Miami Herald*, which unearthed the Donna Rice affair, never got beyond the front door of Hart's Washington town house. But then the *Miami Herald* didn't have Gary Hart dragging their photographers inside.

The Bush-in-bed photo is merely the most egregious symptom of an excess of reporting on the private lives of the candidates — most of it, contrary to myth, instigated or at least assisted by the subjects themselves. In the spirit of full disclosure and all-American openness, politicians are determined to prove themselves immune to natural human inhibitions. Answering questions about whether you've ever smoked marijuana is one thing, but throwing open the bedroom doors is another.

As the field narrows and the scrutiny intensifies, things will probably get worse instead of better, as the candidates labor to show us what regular guys they are. That's a depressing thought. Already we have learned more than we need to know about things that have nothing to do with the candidates' suitability for the Oval Office.

Consider Sen. Robert Dole, who is reputed to be exceedingly reluctant to talk about his personal background. In interviews about public issues, Dole can be about as open and congenial as a snapping turtle. But *Fortune* somehow got a photograph of him dutifully peddling an exercise bike in his living room, as his wife reclines on a nearby couch.

Somehow he has overcome his shyness about his war wounds and his poor beginnings, to the point of becoming a bore on both subjects. These reminiscences are intended to show that Dole, presumably unlike some other Republicans, is acquainted with misfortune and pain.

I don't mean to demean Dole's trials: 39 months recuperating from the effects of a German shell, which left a shoulder shattered and an arm permanently useless, isn't something to dismiss lightly. Still, it isn't ennobling to see him put the episode to political uses. And Dole, characteristically, ends up using his ordeals as a weapon against his rivals. Contrasting his origins with Bush's, he says with the famous Dole grace, "Maybe he can try to dig up a log cabin somewhere."

Dole is hardly alone in exploiting personal

irrelevancies. In one TV interview, Sen. Paul Simon volunteered that he has his hair cut by a "regular barber, not a hair stylist," bravely risking the loss of Iowa's hair stylist vote. Bush, eager to demonstrate that he was not a Gucci kind of guy, once took off his shoe to show a reporter the Freeman label.

Gov. Michael Dukakis confesses that he does the family grocery shopping, but disdains coupons because generic brands are cheaper. Who better to cut the deficit? Rep. Richard Gephardt, in the wake of the Hart-Rice incident, practically invited reporters to ask him the adultery question. The answer, you may be able to guess, was no.

Gephardt, like Dole, is not above discreetly informing listeners about a brush with tragedy, in his case a 2-year-old son's affliction with cancer, which he surprisingly survived. Barbara Bush recently wrote a magazine article about the death of her daughter from leukemia. It's impossible not to feel sympathy for anyone in such a position. But it's also hard not to feel that some matters ought to be kept out of political campaigns.

A few candidates have a healthy aversion to this trend toward exhibitionistic soul-baring. Jack Kemp, a former Christian Scientist who now professes to be a "born-again" Christian, nonetheless refuses to answer questions about the experience. When Pete du Pont was quizzed by a *Time* reporter about his formative experiences, he talked uncomfortably around the question until his wife dryly asked, "Isn't this getting terribly psychoanalytic?"

She's right. If presidential candidates can't resist the urge to discuss the most intimate details of their private lives, they should find a good therapist.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, Feb. 16, the 47th day of 1988. There are 319 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Feb. 16, 1959, Fidel Castro became president of Cuba after the overthrow of Fulgencio Batista.

On this date:

In 1804, Lt. Stephen Decatur led a successful raid into Tripoli Harbor to burn the U.S. Navy frigate *Philadelphia*, which had fallen into the hands of pirates.

In 1862, during the Civil War, about 14,000 Confederate soldiers surrendered at Fort Donelson, Tenn. Gen. Ulysses S. Grant's victory earned him the nickname, "Unconditional Surrender Grant."

In 1868, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks was organized in New York City.

In 1918, Lithuania proclaimed its independence, which did not last.

In 1937, Wallace H. Carothers, a research chemist for Du Pont who invented nylon, received a patent for the synthetic fiber.

In 1961, the United States launched the Explorer IX satellite.



Friend wants to live forever

My friend Rigsby, the health freak, has decided he wants to live forever.

"That's impossible," I said to him.

"Not with the recent breakthroughs that foil the aging process and also guard against certain life-threatening diseases," he replied.

I asked him to give me specifics.

"First," he began, "there's Retin-A, the new skin cream that takes away aging lines, blemishes, blotches, and also makes the skin take on a youthful, rosy glow."

"Are you sure," I said, "this isn't just some new snake oil?"

"What, you don't read the papers?" asked Rigsby. "Said C.M. of Oshkosh: 'My face looked like it had been run over by every participant in the New York Marathon until I began using Retin-A. Now, I look 20 years younger and have joined a square-dance club.'"

"And C.M.'s not the only one," Rigsby went on. "D.F. of Montgomery said, 'For the last 15 years, my husband has made me wear a sack over my head when we go out. Then I discovered Retin-A, and this old bag is finally out of the bag.'"

I told Rigsby I had read a bit about Retin-A, but that alone wasn't going to make him live forever.



Lewis Grizzard

"I'm not going to die of a heart attack," he said.

"And how do you know that?" I asked.

"Because studies now indicate that heart attack risk can be greatly decreased by taking regular doses of aspirin."

"It's only 11 in the morning," he went on, "and I've already had two Anacins, an Advil, a Goody's powder and a Midol, for good measure."

"But what if all that aspirin affects your stomach?" I asked.

"I'm washing down each aspirin with a big swig of Maalox," Rigsby said. "If that doesn't work, there's still Roloids, Tums, and the fast-cutting action of Pepto Bismol."

"OK," I said, "You got Retin-A for your skin, you're taking aspirin to prevent a heart attack."

What else are you going to do in order to live forever?"

"Simple," Rigsby replied. "I'm going to use Simplese by the NutraSweet Company."

"Simplese?"

"It's the new natural substitute for fat that mimics its rich taste and texture, but cuts the calorie content in ice cream, butter and other foods up to 80 percent."

"By using Simplese, I can cut down my cholesterol intake and lose weight and not have to sacrifice taste."

"What about cancer?" I asked.

"I've given up smoking and eating bacon."

"Liver problems?"

"I drink non-alcoholic beer."

"What about getting killed in an accident?"

"I've quit flying. I always wear my seat belt in my car. I have a smoke alarm in my home, and I avoid ladders and black cats."

"But," I said to Rigsby, "you're still not going to live forever."

"I guess you're right," he answered. "Besides," he added, becoming philosophic, "it's like R.F. of Des Moines said with his dying words, 'Forever is a long time to take Pepto Bismol.'"

There is a message there somewhere. I'm not certain what it is, but it's there.

Judge's slashing comments out of place

By SARAH OVERSTREET

It was one of those crimes that sends us searching the papers for updates several days afterward:

Beautiful young fashion model has her face slashed by razor blades, at the hands of thugs hired by her landlord. As the story unfolds day by day, we learn the dispute was over the security deposit that Marla Hanson wanted back, and the landlord didn't want to return. Yes, she'll be disfigured for life, we see as she talks to reporters from her hospital bed. No, she doesn't intend to let the 150 stitches and their resulting scars deter her from her dream, to be a model.

We don't hear of crimes so horrid, or see displays of such bravery, every day. We keep looking, in newspapers and magazines, for more of the story. We especially wait for the trial. Some of us hope the judge sentences the landlord to tango lessons with a pack of pit bulls.

Instead, we are dumbfounded at

what happens to Marla Hanson, not landlord Steven Roth, during Roth's trial. Having little to work with (his client admitted to having been recruited by Roth to "cut up" Hanson, holding Hanson down AND having razor blade in his hand during the attack), the attorney for one of the attackers turns on Hanson.

He accuses Hanson of being a man-chaser and a racial bigot. He asks her to define a four-letter word Roth had used to describe her. (Imagine, for a moment, an attorney asking a male victim to define a demeaning four-letter word a female attacker had used to describe him.) He tries his best to paint a portrait of the stereotypical emasculating woman whom juries have been historically fond of deciding "brought it on themselves."

Of course, bringing a razor-slashing on oneself is stretching even this precedent a little, but that's what some defense attorneys do. The American Bar Association's ethical code allows this kind of treatment — if the alleged

conduct of the victim is relevant to the defense. It wasn't relevant here, but at least one can understand a lawyer trying to use it.

What one can't understand is a judge allowing it, and this one did. Boy, did this one allow it. And what he did next rates him at least a few points on the scale that Hanson's attackers scored so high on. He stingingly criticized Hanson for talking about her ordeal to reporters. Summon all the grit you've got to survive a hell like this, but don't be so brazen as to talk about it.

When I read about Judge Jeffrey Atlas' attack on Hanson, I was stunned. Has he been sequestered in his chambers so long he's lost the sense of what it must be like to be a talented young person and have your body sliced up by razor blades? I wonder what his response to a victim's talking to reporters would be if the victim were not a female model, but a young pro football player, his throwing arm sliced up by a landlord over a

rent deposit?

Would he have remonstrated the fellow as he stood talking to reporters about years of practice and dreams slashed to ribbons in less than a minute? I don't think so.

I guess I was naive enough to think even an ignoramus would have some sensitivity to a young woman to whose face thugs had taken a razor blade. Surely he knew it would make bad TV.

Atlas later apologized to Hanson. I don't imagine he went home, reconsidered and came back with tears in his eyes. Someone with a little more savvy probably told him he was way out of line. However he arrived at his apology, it's not enough. He ought to be booted off the bench, told to take his robes, clean out his chambers and get away from innocent victims looking to the system to protect them.

Let him go back into private practice where no one will question his right to champion criminals.

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Nation

MIT study identifies weaknesses in American industry

BOSTON (AP) — Poor management, an inability to cooperate, and a preoccupation with short-term profits are among reasons American business is losing ground to foreign competitors, says the first report of the MIT Commission on Industrial Productivity.

The U.S. economy is still the most productive in the world, but could be surpassed by other nations that are gaining on it, the commission reported Monday at the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

"We are talking about keeping the standard of living in the United States and enhancing it," said Michael L. Dertouzos, director of the Laboratory for Computer Science at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and chairman of the commission. "In that sense, we think productivity is important."

The commission was appointed in December 1986 by MIT President Paul E. Gray. Its 18 MIT scientists, engineers, political scientists and economists — including Robert Solow, last year's winner of the Nobel Prize in economics — were asked to determine the causes of the weakness in U.S. productivity and to make recommendations to industry, universities and government concerning what might be done to correct it.

In its interim report Monday, the commission listed what it believes to be the five principal causes of the decline in American productivity.

They are:

- Excessive attention to activities and investments that are profitable in the short run. America invented the transistor radio, color television and the video cassette recorder, Dertouzos

said. American businesses quickly lost interest in producing them, however, and lost those markets to Japan.

- Parochial attitudes that led American businesses to pay insufficient attention to foreign competitors. In the machine-tool industry, American firms tried to backlog orders rather than aggressively deliver products on time. Japanese firms promised quicker delivery and captured much of the market, Dertouzos said.

- A lack of cooperation within firms, among competing firms and between firms and their suppliers. One reason that Japanese automakers can bring new cars to market faster than those in the United States is that Japanese designers and production engineers work together more closely than their American counterparts, Dertouzos said.

"That's endemic to our educational

system," said Lester Thurow, a commission member and the dean of the MIT Sloan School of Management. "We throw you out of school if you cooperate on an exam — it's called cheating."

- Weaknesses in human resource management. "The worker is viewed as a cost factor to be minimized, rather than as an evolving human resource that has to be educated, motivated," Dertouzos said.

- Failures in applying technology to make simple, reliable, high-quality products. In the case of VCRs, the Americans who invented them couldn't develop production lines that would meet the close tolerances necessary and would do so at an acceptable cost, Dertouzos said.

Thurow said the United States clings to certain practices that might have served us in the past, when our eco-

nomies was far ahead of everyone else's, but are not serving us well now.

"The United States is the easiest country in the world to hire and fire people," he said. It is the only industrialized country where people can be fired at will, he said. In France, to take one other example, workers must be given one year's notice before they are dropped, Thurow said.

While the ability to fire workers might seem efficient in the short-term, it provides powerful incentive for workers to sabotage innovative technology that might cost them their jobs, Thurow said.

Solow said that the comparatively high cost of borrowing money in the United States, compared with Japan, makes it more difficult for American firms to profit from long-term investments.

My cousin, my hero



Sean Kingsley, 6, gets a big hug from his cousin Casey Rose Bradford, 3, for preventing her from falling into a five foot deep dry well in their grandmother's yard. Casey Rose was playing with her cousin in their grandmother's back yard in Town of Wappingers, N.Y., when the girl broke through the ground covering the well and began to slip into the opening. Sean grabbed her arm and held on while calling his grandmother Rita Bradford.

Mardi Gras revelers party like there's no tomorrow

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Thousands of Mardi Gras revelers thronged the French Quarter today for America's biggest block party, where madness is a way of life and the only sin is to be a party pooper.

Mardi Gras, or Fat Tuesday, was the crescendo of two weeks of nightly pre-Lenten Carnival parades in The City That Care Forgot.

As early as noon Monday, the lines were a half block long outside Pat O'Brien's bar, a popular watering hole in the Quarter, and the non-stop party was just getting started. Narrow streets of the city's old section were wall to wall with revelers.

As the party grew, jazz and fireworks heralded the arrival of a costumed stand-in for Rex, the King of Carnival, who disembarked from a Coast Guard cutter at the Riverwalk shopping mall on the Mississippi River just outside the Quarter.

By midnight, George Moore and his friend Don Granda, both from St. Louis, were getting into the swing of things at Molly's Pub, a crowded bar on the Quarter's river edge. Moore said it was his 15th Mardi Gras.

"This has always been my second home," he said. "Last year was great, and we're hoping good weather will make this one just as good. If it is, I'll need five days to sleep when I get back to St. Louis."

The first of 17 organizations scheduled to take to

the streets today was jazz clarinetist Pete Fountain and his Half Fast Marching Club, preceding the real Rex along a route winding past the stately homes of the Garden District to Canal Street in the central business district on the edge of the Quarter.

In the Quarter, women on wrought-iron balconies often bare their breasts, and gay bars play host to male cross-dressers barely clad in various combinations of women's underwear, hosiery, high heels, feathered headresses and beaded gowns.

Today's crowds could surpass the estimated 1 million people that jammed metropolitan area streets last year, said police spokesman John Marie.

The day officially concludes at midnight tonight with the meetings of the courts of Rex and Comus, signaling that Mardi Gras has given way to Ash Wednesday and 40 days of Lenten sacrifice.

Last year, police were criticized for clearing the streets after Mardi Gras with a little too much vigor. Assistant Police Chief Ray Holman said officers will be more gentle this year, but no less insistent.

In nine days preceding the 1988 celebration, police had made 1,434 arrests, 79 fewer than last year, a police spokesman said.

Labor leaders assured that layoff-notice bill on track

BAL HARBOUR, Fla. (AP) — Congressional leaders have assured the AFL-CIO that its top legislative priority, a trade bill with mandatory advance notices of plant closings or mass layoffs, soon will be sent to President Reagan.

But the House-Senate compromise that is to emerge probably will not include the strict trade imbalance-reducing quotas written into the House version by Rep. Richard Gephardt, D-Mo., says House Speaker Jim Wright.

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Diet Pills Sweeping U.S.

Doctors Invent 'Lazy Way' to Lose Weight

New 'Fat Magnet' Diet Pill Guarantees Fast Weight Loss

BEVERLY HILLS, CA (Special) — An amazing new weight loss pill called "fat-magnet" has recently been developed and perfected by two prominent doctors at a world famous hospital in Los Angeles that reportedly "guarantees" that you will easily lose fat by simply taking their tested and proven new pill.

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Three parents arrested in protest

CHICAGO (AP) — About 15 parents and community activists seized an elementary school classroom to protest the transfer of a teacher, and three parents were arrested in a demonstration one protester called a "great civics lesson."

Parents blocked the door to a room at Brentano Elementary School on Monday while the third-grade teacher and about 30 stu-

dents were inside. They refused to let the new teacher enter to show "that sometimes you have to stand up against those kind of policies that hurt people," said

the Rev. Bruce Rickley, one of the protesters.

After a six-hour impasse, the three parents were arrested and charged with criminal trespass.

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World

PLO threatens to resume attacks on Israeli targets

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — The PLO today threatened to attack Israeli targets around the world to avenge the killing of three guerrilla commanders and the bombing of a ferry being readied for a protest voyage by Palestinian deportees.

The Palestine Liberation Organization has blamed Israel for the slayings on Sunday and the explosion aboard the Sol Phryne ferry on Monday.

"Israel knows that the PLO is not handcuffed... The blood of our martyrs will not go unavenged," said a statement issued in Nicosia.

The PLO officers — Col. Marwan Kayyali, Lt. Col. Mohammed Sultan and Lt. Col. Mohammed Buhais — were killed in a car bombing in Limassol, on

Cyprus' southern coast, apparently after arranging the sale of the Cypriot ship to a PLO-affiliated firm for the so-called "Ship of Return" voyage to Israel.

"We had adhered to the Cairo Declaration to halt military operations against enemy targets outside the borders of our country (Israel)," the statement said. "It is not logical or possible for the halt to continue unilaterally. This is a double-edged weapon," it added.

PLO chief Yasser Arafat declared during a visit to the Egyptian capital of Cairo in 1986 that his guerrillas would restrict their attacks in the Arab-Israeli conflict to targets inside Israel and halt terrorist attacks on Israelis abroad — a

policy the PLO had pursued since Arafat took over its leadership in 1969.

An official at the PLO office in Nicosia said today: "There are alternatives. We are not desperate," when asked what the PLO planned to do after the explosion that crippled the Sol Phryne.

The official, who spoke on condition of anonymity, would not say whether the PLO has found another boat to charter for the 130 deportees and hundreds of sympathizers and reporters who planned to go on the voyage to protest the deportation of Palestinians from the occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip.

The PLO had tried to launch the voyage from Greece, but it was repeatedly delayed, reportedly under Israeli pressure.

The deportees, sympathizers and reporters were taken in buses to Athens airport Monday and were told they would be flown to Cyprus to board the boat. After news of the blast reached Athens, most returned to their hotels.

Another PLO official in Nicosia had disclosed that the 40-year-old ferry, which was sold Saturday only a few days before it was to be auctioned, had a hole blown in it by "an underwater blast caused by a mine that was stuck, probably by frogmen, onto the vessel. It was attached to a time fuse."

The boat was supposed to sail to the Israeli port of Haifa, but Israeli officials have said they will refuse to let the vessel enter their waters.

A man claiming to speak for the Jew-

ish Defense League on Monday said the U.S.-based extremist group was responsible for the device.

"The JDL is responsible for the bombing at Limassol," he said. "This is only a warning. Next time we will bomb it with all the people on it."

The man made the claim in a telephone call to The Associated Press, but there was no way to authenticate it or verify the caller's identity.

He said "no comment" when asked if the JDL also was behind the car bombing that killed the PLO officials Sunday.

The head of the Jewish Defense League, Irv Rubin, told The AP in a telephone interview on Monday from Los Angeles that JDL was not involved.

Palestinian wounded in Jerusalem

JERUSALEM (AP) — Riot police battled Arabs in violent clashes in Jerusalem, and leaflets distributed in the occupied territories called on residents to step up protests and attack Jewish settlements in a "day of wrath."

The leaflets, which appeared Monday, also asked Arabs to hold commercial strikes and stay home from their jobs today, Israeli media said.

In another development, the army on Monday questioned an Arab youth who said he and three other residents of the West Bank village Kfar Salem were buried alive by Israeli soldiers using a bulldozer after a riot Feb. 5.

"I am afraid. I thought I was going to die," said the youth, Abdel Latif Mahmoud Ishtiah, 19. "I dream about it all the time."

Relatives charge that 20 soldiers grabbed the four Palestinians after the riot, beat them, forced them to lie on the ground and then poured sand over them with a bulldozer. The four were unconscious when relatives rescued them after several minutes, according to villagers quoted in Israeli newspapers.

Two soldiers have been detained in the case, and further detentions were expected, the army said. The West Bank's army commander, Maj. Gen. Amram Mitzna, who ordered the investigation, said that "even in my worst dreams I would never imagine such a thing."

No action



Rocks and cracked fire bombs are scattered in front of riot police as they stand guard during a students' demonstration at Seoul's Yonsei University Tuesday. Riot police

didn't use tear gas to disperse students who were protesting that President-elect Roh Tae-woo takes over power Feb. 25. (AP Laserphoto)

Nicaraguans complain that reforms are aggravating inflation

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP) — A union leader and people in Managua complained that the government's new attempt to combat runaway inflation through currency and economic reforms has sent consumer prices soaring.

On Monday, the government began trading one new cordoba for 1,000 old ones and raised salaries up to seven times their December level.

It also increased prices and ended government subsidies for a host of staples — ranging from rice to beans, milk, sugar and cooking oil.

Last year, inflation reached at least 1,500 percent.

President Daniel Ortega announced the reforms in a broadcast address Sunday, declaring that 10 new cordobas would buy one U.S. dollar.

"The new measures enforced by the government has left us in an even worse state than we were before," said Nilo Salazar, general secretary of a 30,000-member federation of construction unions.

Nicaraguans have until Wednesday to exchange up to 10 million old cordobas at 2,000 booths the government has set up across the nation. Bank deposits

are being adjusted automatically.

Under the reform package, the government-subsidized price of gasoline jumped fivefold overnight to 15 new cordobas a gallon. Gasoline is rationed at 17 gallons a month for private automobiles.

Salazar said people in his federation say they are worse off than before.

As an example, he cited an assistant bricklayer whose monthly salary has risen from 191,808 old cordobas to 792.50 new ones.

"A liter of milk which yesterday cost 2,500 old cordobas now costs 6.60 new cordobas, or 6,600 old cordobas. That is to say these prices have gone up more than 60 percent," Salazar said.

The revaluation is also an attempt to do away with the black market, where a dollar had until Monday been worth up to 60,000 cordobas.

Angel Moreno, 40, a mechanic, complained that a "housemaid will not be able to buy anything with the 500-cordobas (a month) minimum salary that she gets paid, when a pound of beef costs 35 cordobas, a dozen eggs 25 cordobas," and bread from 7 to 10 cordobas a pound.

De La Madrid: Mexico has diversified economy

MEXICO CITY (AP) — President Miguel de la Madrid claims that Mexico has taken some big steps in diversifying its economy, but warns the country will not develop fully until its becomes part of the world concert of trading nations.

Speaking at a breakfast meeting with Mexican and American business leaders Monday, de la Madrid said one big step was taken when Mexico joined the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade three years ago, permitting it to do away gradually with its protectionist policies.

He recalled that when he took over as president

in 1982, in the middle of a sharp economic crisis, oil sales abroad made up more than 70 percent of the country's oil revenues. Now, he said oil exports represent not more than 50 percent.

Mexico has achieved that by boosting non-oil exports and attracting increasingly greater number of foreign tourists, de la Madrid said.

"I am certain that we Mexicans will persevere in these reforms to consolidate and widen them, and Mexico will once again take the road to firm and sustained development within a few years," he added.

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America West, Southwest, rivals in air, on ground

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP)—Similarities between America West Airlines and Southwest Airlines are plentiful, but there's one big difference: the balance sheet.

America West lost \$45.7 million last year, while Dallas-based Southwest had a net profit of \$20.2 million.

The Tempe-based America West is cutting back on operations in a determined push to return to profitability.

By March 1, America West plans to eliminate nearly 10 percent of its flights, reduce the size of its aircraft fleet and to reduce the size of its workforce by 500 jobs through attrition and voluntary leaves.

"In our opinion, this is the correction necessary for us to be a profitable com-

pany," said Ed Beauvais, chairman and founder of America West.

"We call it a leveling off," Beauvais said. "We've been climbing steadily for almost five years and now we're going to level off and make a profit, and then continue to climb."

The number of daily departures will be cut March 1 from 547 to 518. Eighteen flights originating from Phoenix will be canceled, leaving the airline with 155 daily departures.

The cutback in operations is expected to save America West about \$60 million to \$70 million in 1988 out of estimated revenues of \$700 million to \$800 million.

Helene Becker, an airline analyst with the investment firm of Shearson Lehman in New York, said the airline

may be doing too little, too late.

The airline is faced with the problem of filling not only its 122-to-143-seat Boeing 737 aircraft, but also the seven 190-seat Boeing 757s that provide service from Phoenix and Las Vegas to Chicago, New York City and Baltimore-Washington, she said.

She said an uncertain economy could dampen consumer spending and further darken the company's outlook.

She also suggested that America West may find it difficult to successfully shrink its operations, adding that some airlines that have tried to cut back operations find the revenue loss greater than the cost savings.

Southwest Airlines, America West's biggest competitor, is expanding its op-

erations at Sky Harbor International Airport by taking over USAIR's space and creating a "California Express" ticket counter.

Southwest also is building a new, enlarged streetside canopy at Terminal 1 to shield travelers from the sun and the occasional Phoenix rain, as well as walling in the open baggage space at the north end of the terminal.

Southwest has 75 airliners. America West has 69. Both are modern fleets, six years old or less.

Both have seat-mile costs among the lowest in the industry. America West filled 56 percent of its available seats in 1987; Southwest filled 58 percent.

Southwest employs about 6,000 people; America West has about 7,000 em-

ployees.

The competition between the two is fierce. Beauvais has accused Southwest of "predatory behavior" in the Phoenix market.

Southwest is using special fare pricing to attract more passengers. "Since October we've doubled the number of people who board our planes at Sky Harbor on routes where we've put our special low promotion fares," said Don Valentine, Southwest's vice president for marketing.

America West is counting on demand to catch up with its reduced seat capacity, with a focus on drawing more business travelers through specific advertising promotions.

Winner's kiss



New multi-millionaire Cammie Brewer, a 61-year-old cement contractor from Sparks, Nev., gets a kiss from his wife, Jo, during a press conference Monday at the Club Cal-Neva in downtown Reno where he hit a record \$6.8 million jackpot Sunday morning. (AP Laserphoto)

Survey shows the economic outlook may be deteriorating

By JOHN CUNIFF
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP)—A small-business survey released today indicates inflation could become a worsening problem during 1988.

The National Federation of Independent Business, which studies responses from more than 2,000 member firms each quarter, said "a trend toward more frequent and larger price increases has become quite evident."

While signs of economic deterioration weren't sharply defined in the latest study, the inflation component jumped sharply, said Professor William C. Dunkelberg, who interprets the findings.

Dunkelberg, dean of Temple University's school of business, said 27 percent of all companies in the survey said they plan to raise prices, a 6 percentage point jump from the previous survey and the highest level in several years.

The sharp rise in price expectations among respondents is considered significant for the economy as a whole, since the small-business community produces about 50 percent of the nation's gross private product.

In spite of the negative implications of the inflation component — and despite expressions of doubt about the economy's future — the survey showed businesses

plan to spend on equipment, inventory and additional jobs.

Such spending plans, said Dunkelberg, appear inconsistent with a rise in negative opinions about future business conditions.

Each year since 1985, he said, the percentage of companies expecting a worsening of conditions rises, while the number anticipating better markets shrinks. Simultaneously, those declaring it to be a good time to expand fell to just 13 percent of all companies, a four-year January low.

"Apparently, many believe the law of gravity applies to economic statistics as well as to apples," he said, explaining that the longer the recovery continues, the greater is the percentage believing it will end.

Negative and positive variations in the January report left the small-business optimism index almost unchanged at 101.8 seasonally adjusted, compared with 102.3 in the previous quarter.

The index, which sets 1978 as its base, is made up of responses to 10 questions, including expected business conditions, current job openings, plans for capital outlays, expected credit conditions, and changes in net earnings.

The latest reading of the optimism index, which was begun in late 1974, compares with an all-time high of 108.7 in January 1984, and an all-time low of 81.1 in the second quarter of 1980. Except for brief dips in the final quarters

of 1985 and 1986, the index has exceeded 100 in every survey since early 1983.

Some highlights of the components include:

—Employment — Strongest hiring plans since 1978. Nineteen percent of companies plan to increase employment in the next three months, while 5 percent plan net reductions.

Job openings reached a new high for the expansion, with 23 percent reporting unfilled positions. In New England, the percentage was 42 percent.

New hiring plans were strongest in manufacturing, with 28 percent planning increases and only 8 percent planning workforce reductions.

—Interest Rates — Average interest rates paid by small companies held at 11.1 percent in the fourth quarter of the year. Fifty percent of all short-term loans were tied to the prime rate.

—Prices — There are indications, Dunkelberg said, that inflation could be worse than generally anticipated. "Based on plans to raise prices, non-food inflation should begin to pick up, heading toward the 5 percent level."

Courtship resembles disaster flick

CLEBURNE (AP)—Eben and Ellen Bailey looked back over their stormy courtship when they renewed their wedding vows on the 10th anniversary of their marriage.

The two met in 1976 in Connecticut. "It was love at first sight for me," Mrs. Bailey said.

Then Bailey, who was in the Navy moved to Charleston, S.C. in 1977 and Mrs. Bailey followed to be close to her beau.

But things didn't work out and Mrs. Bailey decided to move back home to New England. Bailey shipped out on a submarine. The two promised to write.

En route, the submarine diverted in the mid-Atlantic and took nearly five months to reach Italy.

Meanwhile, Mrs. Bailey was penning love notes. When Bailey finally received his five months of mail, he said Mrs. Bailey's first letter said, "I'm sorry things didn't work out, let's give it another try."

"By the time I got to the bottom letters, she hadn't heard from me in all these months and she was saying, 'You rotten schmuck, why don't you write?'"

But Bailey convinced her to marry him and she wanted to get married on Valentine's Day in Connecticut.

Although a driving blizzard struck and they had to cope with a justice of the peace suffering from a broken hip.

This Valentine's Day, 10 years later, the Baileys renewed their vows.

The two have lived in Cleburne since 1984 and Mrs. Bailey plans to take nursing courses at Tarrant County Junior College. Bailey is an electrical quality supervisor with EBASCO at Comanche Peak Nuclear Plant in Glen Rose.

"He is my best friend and I love his sense of humor. I like him. I really, really like him and I miss him when he's not around," Mrs. Bailey told the Cleburne Times-Review.

Jackson rallying with strikers

BEAUMONT (AP)—Democratic presidential candidate Jesse Jackson will speak during a weekend rally for striking Mobil Oil Corp. employees, a union official said.

Texas Attorney General Jim Mattox and Texas AFL-CIO President Harry Hubbard also will speak at the rally scheduled for 3 p.m. Saturday at Fair Park Coliseum in Beaumont, said Jimmy Herrington, secretary-treasurer for the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers International Local 4-243.

About 1,350 Mobil employees went on strike Feb. 4 over the staffing of a new centralized control center at the refinery. Mobil wants to use supervisory employees, while the OCAW insists that union members work the jobs.

Members of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local also struck against Mobil because the company wants to relax some rules regarding which workers can perform electrical work.

Meanwhile, union members at Texaco Inc.'s research laboratory in Port Arthur avoided a possible strike by unanimously approving a new 2-year contract Monday.

The Research Technicians' Union represents 91 technicians at Texaco's laboratory, which tests different catalysts for the company's refinery process.

Texaco offered the technicians the same wage package as its refinery workers: a 30-cents-an-hour increase, plus a \$900 lump-sum payment for the first year. Workers will receive a 3 percent wage boost in the second year.

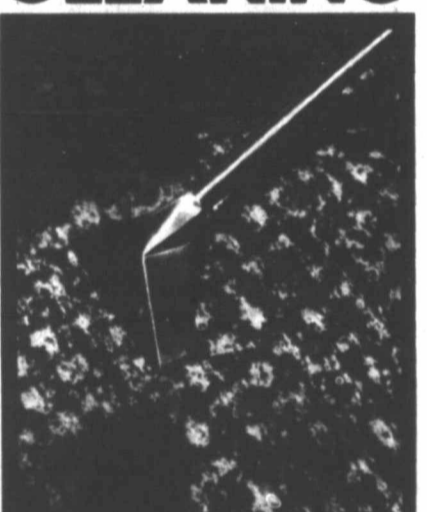
Labor contracts also expire Saturday for workers at Texaco's refinery and chemical plant in Port Arthur.

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Today's Crossword Puzzle

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- 4 Japanese aborigine
- 8 Isn't (sl.)
- 12 Egg drink
- 13 Melicious look
- 14 Resin-producing tree
- 15 Clear Day
- 16 Bows
- 17 Wild sheep
- 18 Yaps
- 20 Between
- 22 WWII area
- 23 Squeezes out
- 25 Horse (sl.)
- 27 Of the back
- 30 Duration
- 33 culpa
- 34 Unless
- 36 Inter... among others
- 37 Alms box
- 39 Excursion
- 41 High in pitch
- 42 Piece of pasta
- 44 Looks angrily
- 46 After Oct.
- 47 Pronto (abbr.)
- 48 Equipment
- 50 Atomic particle
- 52 Sailing ship
- 56 Territory
- 58 Concerning (2 wds.)
- 60 Entertainer
- 61 Flightless birds
- 62 Actor Connery
- 63 Tear
- 64 High-flying bird
- 65 Baseball's Speaker
- 66 Unclaimed mail dept.

DOWN

- 1 Door clasp
- 2 Eugene O'Neill's daughter
- 3 Culture medium

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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- 6 Comparative suffix
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- 8 Motorists' assn.
- 9 Uneven
- 10 Of ships (abbr.)
- 11 Group of three
- 19 Beer barrel
- 21 Compass point
- 24 Select group
- 26 Collection of facts
- 27 Government agent (comp. wd.)
- 28 Architect
- 29 Saarian
- 29 Storyteller
- 30 Model Cheryl
- 38 Hubbub
- 40 Horns
- 43 56, Roman
- 45 Zoo animal
- 47 Goose genus
- 48 Film critic
- 49 "La Douce"
- 51 Tobacco kiln
- 53 Antarctic explorer
- 54 Actor Jennings
- 55 Guitar player's device
- 57 Request
- 59 Mai (cocktail)

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LOUSY.

OH, WELL... I GUESS IT'S BACK TO OLD SQUARE ONE.

YEP.

AND THERE HE IS.

By Howie Schneider

B.C.

WHY DO THEY ALWAYS HOLD PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS ON LEAP YEAR?

IT GIVES THE CANDIDATES AN EXTRA DAY TO REPUDIATE.

By Johnny Hart

Astro-Graph

by bernice bede osol

The year ahead marks new beginnings along more stable lines where your security is concerned. Build well, because what you bring into being can be permanent.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Interesting developments are in the offing. Two individuals who are presently under obligation to you will wipe the slate clean in the coming months. Get a jump on life by understanding the influences which are governing you in the year ahead. Mail \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) What is happening at present where your social life is concerned constitutes the beginning of an important course of action. Make friends with everyone you encounter.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) The end is in sight regarding an objective you've been hoping to attain. However, you must continue to be patient and methodical.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) This is a good time to initiate new enterprises, especially if they require some form of special knowledge you've acquired through experience.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Start raising your sights as of today where your career goals are concerned. You're now in a good achievement cycle, so play to win.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) An arrangement with the right type of partner could infuse new life into a situation that you are now attempting on your own. There is strength in union.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Be on the lookout for a development that can help supplement your earnings. It will require extra work, but it's something you can handle.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) It looks like you're going to form a dynamic new relationship shortly with one who has many ideas that vary from yours. Together you'll make a winning combination.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Due to an unexpected shift in circumstances, you may now wisely reverse your position on something about which you've been unrelenting.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Don't lock yourself into any ideas or plans that will tie you down too far in advance. Allow ample room for updates and revisions.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Strive to devote most of your attention to situations that can enhance your material well being. This is the area where you are luckiest at present.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) It's important to realize that the course of action you are now setting for yourself will be the one you'll follow for some time to come.

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The Family Circus

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THE BORN LOSER

FRANK AND ERNEST

PEANUTS

GARFIELD

Lifestyles

DECA winners



(Staff photo by Larry Hollis)

Two Distributive Education Clubs of America students from Pampa High School won officer positions and three placed in contests during regional DECA competition at Wichita Falls recently. Seated from left are Chris Hazle, who was elected regional vice president and placed second in finance and credit, and Vance Vanderburg, who placed first in

petroleum and vehicle marketing. Standing from left are Ivonne Martinez, who competed in contests; Kim Estes, who placed first in advertising and display, and Travis Parker, who was elected regional secretary. Hazle, Vanderburg, Estes and Parker will be attending the state DECA meet in Dallas March 5-6.

New wheels



(Staff Photo by Duane A. Laverty)

Students at St. Matthews Day School try out new tricycles recently purchased with \$720 raised at the school's November 1987 style show and a \$100 donation by Top O' Texas Trials Club. A total of 16 tricycles will be bought from Farmer's Equipment for the day school. Riders are, from left, Celeste

Stowers, Colby Brazile, Aimee Stevenson, Noel Schulz, Derek Allison, Cory Bingham, Kristen Stowers and Mandy Boothe. Standing are Bill Ragsdale of Farmer's Equipment and Melinda Stowers, chairman of St. Matthews Style Show.



Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

Employee responds to telephone bill complaints

DEAR ABBY: In reply to the letter from "Had Enough," it is certainly the privilege of consumers to criticize merchandise that they deem unsatisfactory for whatever reason, but I take very strong exception to the comment: "Lord knows we pay enough for telephone service..."

I am employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. and I've "had enough" of people complaining about what Ma Bell charges for her services. What would the writer pay for that little piece of magic that instantly connects you to a loved one whose voice you need to hear? And, if you're hearing impaired, it gives you special telephone communication. How much is a service worth that summons help to your door 24 hours of every day from police and fire departments and medical teams (and allows these emergency facilities to transmit data that could save your life through computers via network access to telephone lines)?

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CAROL OLIPHINT

DEAR CAROL: Your message came through clear as a bell! But could someone tell me how much profit the telephone company makes on each call — local and long-distance?

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DEAR ABBY: I was most distressed to read in your column the expression: "It's not over until the fat lady sings..."

Not only is this insulting to those of us who are involved in the opera, but it is an insult to all people who are overweight.

To perpetuate such a stereotype is certainly beneath you, as a spokesperson for our society. I truly believe that in this instance an apology is due.

MARIANNE H. OAKS,
GENERAL DIRECTOR,
SACRAMENTO OPERA
ASSOCIATION

DEAR MS. OAKS: Oh, come on! I assure you, no offense was intended. But to those I offended, I offer my apologies.

...

DEAR ABBY: My daughter is thinking about getting married. She and Bobby have been living together for nearly seven years and have two children. He wants to be married in a church but neither one of them belongs to one, so his aunt is trying to get them married in the church she belongs to because it's close to the hall where they want to have their wedding reception.

My daughter would just as soon have a quick ceremony by a judge, but Bobby wants a big church wedding with her in a white wedding gown and veil and him in a white tux. He is paying for everything so she is doing it his way. They have everything they need in a house, so how do we go about telling people if they want to give them a gift to please make it money? Would that be in bad taste? I have heard it would be. I thought maybe if the invitations were written up explaining their circumstances, it would be OK. What do you think?

KENTUCKY READERS

DEAR READERS: It would be in poor taste to ask for money. And it would be unthinkable to "explain their circumstances" in the wedding invitations.

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Utility bill aid skyrockets at Good Sam

Good Samaritan Christian Services, Inc., 309 N. Ward, during January provided the largest amount of aid for utility bills in the interfaith mission's five-year history, due to the Hoechst Celanese disaster and very cold weather, according to Bill Ragsdale, executive director of the mission.

Over 91 families requested utility aid and 91 were paid, for a total of \$5,201.02 spent in January alone, Ragsdale wrote in the mission's monthly newsletter.

"The pace has continued into February, with no sign of letup. This cannot continue too much longer, but some help is in sight.

"Other local agencies will receive about \$10,000 in a month or so for this type of aid, and we expect to have to cut back at that time. We will receive a similar amount for food at that time, so if we work together, all will be taken care of," Ragsdale wrote.

Good Samaritan celebrated its fifth anniversary Sunday, Feb. 14 with a reception

at Briarwood Church.

January requests for aid were up 16 percent over December 1987, and up 62 percent over November 1987. Utility aid requests were up 102 percent over December, and 250 percent over November. Food requests were up 2 percent from December, and clothing requests were down 9 percent.

Of 349 families requesting aid, 329 were helped. This aid included food, 228 families; clothing, 93; rent, four; utilities, 91; transportation, 16; lodging, four; medical, 15; and other, three. Total number of individual persons receiving aid was 1,129.

Twenty families were marked as not receiving help because several requests for utility aid were dependent on the applicant raising part of the money elsewhere, and were recorded as not helped on first visit, but were helped on a later visit, Ragsdale said.

Gray County families seeking aid totaled 320. Newcomers totaled 24; those outside the

county but within 25 miles of Pampa numbered three; and two were transients.

Six were referred by churches; friends, 49; news, one; other organizations or agencies, 20; and returning families, 275. There were two emergency after-hours calls.

Out-of-pocket expenses for January totaled \$7,033.28, compared to \$4,352.51 for December 1987. Of the total, \$235.47 went for food; clothing, \$207.16; rent, \$65; utilities, \$5,201.02; transportation, \$336.41; lodging, \$70.34; and medical, \$617.86.

More food was issued in January than in December. The availability of food was above that of December, but "there have been some short times in early February," Ragsdale said.

Clothing items especially needed by Good Samaritan clients are children's clothing, tennis shoes, blue jeans, maternity clothing, work clothing and work boots.

Club News

Sunshine Extension Homemakers
Sunshine Extension Homemakers Club met at 2:30 p.m. Feb. 9 in Gray County Annex, with Mrs. Ellen Boyd as hostess. There were six members and one guest present at the meeting. Mrs. Pauline Watson gave the devotional. Mrs. Idella Giblin won the hostess gift.

Mrs. Donna Brauchi, county Extension agent, gave a program on "Organizing Storage Space." The next meeting will be an arts and crafts show at 9:30 a.m. Feb. 16 in the Gray County Annex.

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Condensed hospice class to be March 4-5 at hospital

Hospice of Pampa and Clarendon College will sponsor a weekend training class in hospice care March 4 and 5 at Coronado Community Hospital.

This class is a condensed version of the 20-hour basic volunteer training class. Participants do not have to be interested in becoming a hospice volunteer in order to take the class, said Hazel Barthel, director of Hospice of Pampa.

"This is a good opportunity to get acquainted with this 'old-new' concept of care as it is being organized in this community," she said.

Classes will be conducted in the hospital's private dining room adjacent to the cafeteria. Prior registration is required at Clarendon College-Pampa Center. Tuition is \$10. Class times are from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. March 4, and from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. March 5.

Topics to be covered in the two-day class include perspectives on dying, hospice concepts and philosophy, pain, functions of the interdisciplinary group, death sensitivity, signs and symptoms of approaching death, communication of the dying, family dynamics and hospice Medicare benefits.

Wheeler County girls ready for playoff journey

By JIMMY PATTERSON
Sports Writer

WHEELER-FOLLETT
Being on a roll is nothing new for Wheeler (see Mustangs football, 1987).

The Wheeler Lady Mustangs, perhaps a bit overshadowed by the success of the boys football championship, are quietly going about their business, beating opponents right and left.

The Lady Stangs are 22-5 and just last week completed a perfect 10-0 district record.

Tonight, they hope to see the good times continue as they face the Follett Lady Panthers in bi-district playoff action.

Follett finished the season at 15-7, runners-up in District 3-1A. The two teams tip off in Perryton tonight at 7 o'clock.

"If we play well, we're able to play with anybody," Lady Mustang head coach Jan Newland said. "At this stage, though, you have to be able to play well because anybody can win on a given night."

Newland's crew will have to watch closely for the outside shooting threat posed by Follett's Tracy Tyson and Shelli Redersperger.

The Lady Mustangs hope to counter with DeAnn Collins, who averaged 17 points per game throughout the regular season.

Wheeler will also look to Marcy Smith (11 ppg), Dee Dee Dorman (9 ppg), Bobbie Kuehler (7 ppg) and Tera Henderson (6 ppg).

The winner of the Wheeler-Follett game will next face the winner of the Sunray-Claude matchup in Class A area action this weekend.

KELTON-HIGGINS
The Kelton Lady Lions last met the Higgins Lady Coyotes early in the 1987-88 girls basketball campaign.

Less than a week detached from their successful volleyball season, the Lady Lions were battered, bruised and beaten by Higgins by 15 points.

This time, Kelton Coach Dave Johnson figures things to be a bit different.

"I expect it to be a good game," Johnson said. "If we shoot the ball well we'll be OK."

"(Higgins) plays physical ball and they come at you pretty good."

The Lady Lions defeated Samnorwood 55-50 Friday to earn the runner-up berth in District 4-1A, behind district champion Wheeler. Kelton ended the regular season with a 19-7 record. They were 9-2 in district play, their only two losses coming to the Lady Mustangs.

Higgins, at 14-5, was District 3-1A champions.

The two teams are set for a 7 o'clock tipoff tonight in Miami.

The winner of the bi-district contest will meet Vega, which defeated McLean 46-35 Monday night.



Stakes winner



Fun Flight, with jockey Pat Day aboard, won the \$50,000 added "The Martha Washington" Monday at Oaklawn Park.

McLean's playoff hopes end

By JIMMY PATTERSON
Sports Writer

PAMPA—It was like the Super Bowl.

You remember this year's Super Bowl, when in the first quarter, John Elway looked as if he would have no trouble guiding the Denver Broncos to an easy win over Washington.

But then came the second quarter and the Redskins' onslaught. That was the way it was Monday night at Clifton McNeely fieldhouse as the McLean Lady Tigers were defeated 46-35 by the Vega Lady Longhorns in bi-district playoff action.

The Lady Tigers were ahead, and seemingly in control, 10-6, when the first quarter ended. The momentum was nowhere to be found on the Vega bench.

After regrouping, Vega head coach Don Drinnon sent out what looked to be an entirely different squad in the second quarter. It was a quarter that altogether squashed any hopes McLean would have.

And, again, it was a fierce press by Vega that led to the Lady Tigers' demise.

The Horns' defensive pressure forced 13 McLean turnovers in the second quarter.

The Lady Tigers committed seven personal fouls during the eight-minute span before the half; Vega proceeded to connect on 8-of-13 from the line, outscoring McLean 20-8 in the second.

Junior Brandy Richardson led the Lady Longhorn effort. Ten of her 22 points came in the second frame. She also scored 12 straight to open the game.

"We didn't shoot the ball as

well as we should have," McLean head coach Bill Wilson said. "We planned to beat 'em 50-45. We held them, but we couldn't score. The game was even better than the score shows. We made 'em pull out everything and slow down the tempo at the end."

The Lady Tigers had two in double figures — Shandee Rice had 14; Kim Beaver, 10.

McLean's Darla McAnear, playing a tough fought game, fouled out with 6:38 remaining; she racked up her first four fouls with just under three minutes left in the first half.

Field goals did not come easy for either team. McLean hit only 12-of-44 (28 percent); Vega connected on just 18 of 52 (35 percent).

The difference came from the Vega defense and the 63 percent free throw shooting for the Lady Longhorns.

Because of those two factors, Vega will next meet the winner of tonight's Kelton-Higgins game in area 1A action this weekend.

For McLean, it was a year of success cut short by a fiery first round playoff opponent. The Lady Tigers, who finished with a 12-12 mark in the '86-'87 campaign, close out this season at 19-6.

Their seven game improvement over last season's mark, combined with the fact they will lose only one girl — Angie Reynolds — to graduation, has the people of McLean looking ahead to the '88-'89 season.

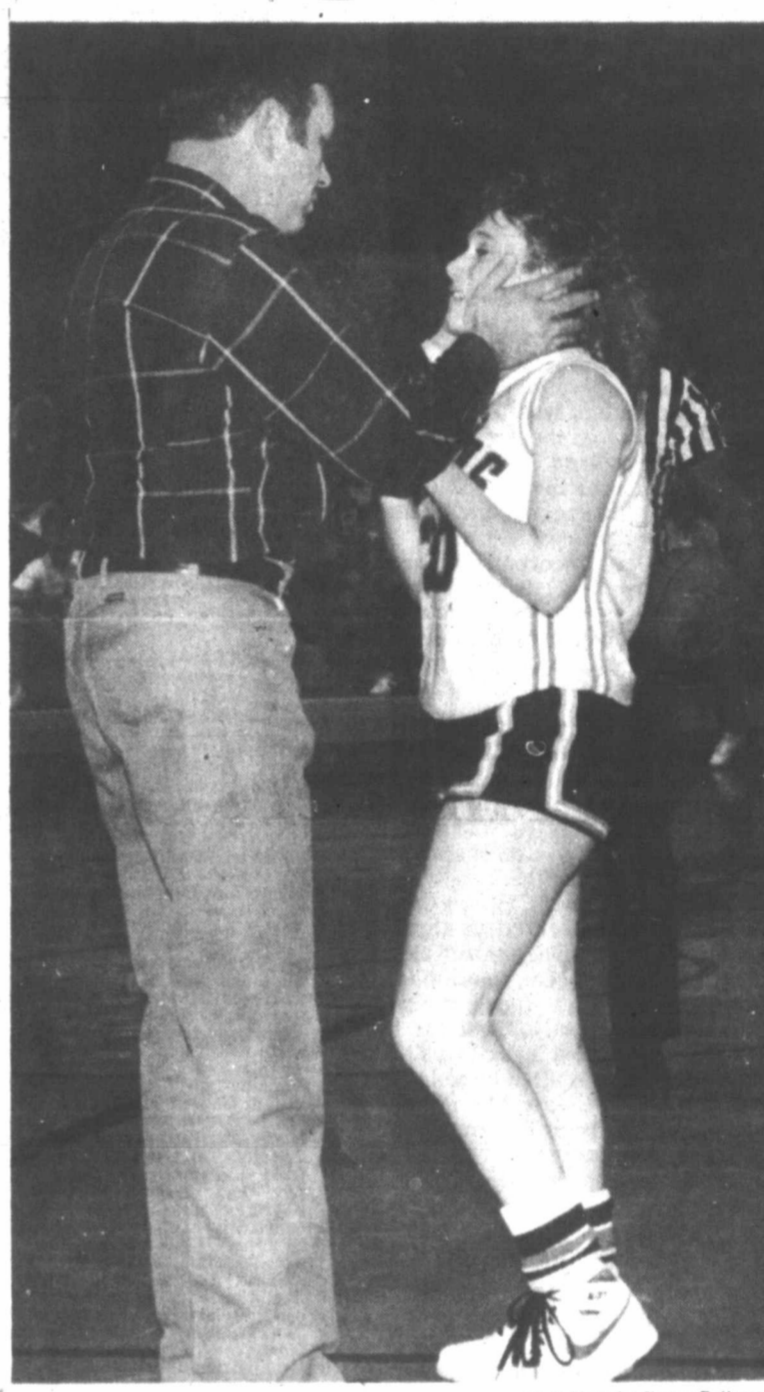
"I wish we could take today off and start it tomorrow," Wilson said.

McLEAN	10	18	28	35
VEGA	6	26	34	46

McLEAN (35) — Angie Reynolds 1-4 FG, 0-0 FT, 2 pts; Shandee Rice 4-12, 6-9, 14; Misty Magee 2-13, 2-3, 6; Kim Beaver 4-8, 2-6, 10; Darla McAnear 1-3, 1-2, 3; Alicia Reynolds 0-4, 0-0, 0. TOTALS: 12-44 FG (28 percent); 11-20 FT (55 percent).

VEGA — J'lyn Richardson 0-0, 3-4, 3; Corrinna Broman 5-5, 0-1, 6; Cindy Alfred 0-2, 0-0, 0; Melissa French 2-4, 0-0, 4; Jami Miller 3-12, 0-2, 6; Jodi Walker 1-2, 0-0, 2; Brandy Richardson 9-20, 4-4, 22; Sherri Carter 0-4, 3-5, 3; Wendy Alfred 0-1, 0-0, 0. TOTALS: 18-52 FG (35 percent); 10-16 FT (63 percent).

Halftime: Vega 26, McLean 18; Three-pointers — none; Fouled out: Jodi Walker, Vega, 4:19 4Q; Darla McAnear, McLean 6:38 4Q; Turnovers: McLean 30, Vega 21; Rebounds: McLean 36 (Rice 12), Vega 29 (Richardson 11).



Vega coach Don Drinnon checks out an injured Corrina Broman.

TABC poll

LUBBOCK (AP) — Here is the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches-Lubbock Avenger-Journal weekly high school basketball poll, with team records through games of Saturday, and last week's ranking:

- GIRLS**
- CLASS 5A**
1. North Mesquite 31-0 1
 2. San Antonio Lee 28-0 2
 3. North Richland Hills Richland 23-1 3
 4. Duncanville 29-2 4
 5. Longview 28-1 5
 6. League City Clear Creek 27-2 7
 7. Austin Lanier 30-2 9
 8. San Antonio Marshall 30-1 8
 9. Sugar Land Clements 28-2 10
 10. Victoria 28-4 5
- CLASS 4A**
1. Levelland 30-1 1
 2. Canyon 27-3 2
 3. Caddo 28-3 3
 4. Little Cypress-Mauriceville 25-3 4
 5. Friendswood 27-2 5
 6. Breckenridge 25-4 6
 7. Big Spring 28-1 7
 8. Sheldon King 23-4 8
 9. McKinney 21-4 10
 10. Stephenville 23-7 9
- CLASS 3A**
1. Sour Lake Hardin-Jefferson 28-0 1
 2. Ingleside 29-0 2
 3. Sweeny 24-7 3
 4. Decatur 26-2 4
 5. Springtown 24-35 5
 6. Madisonville 28-6 6
 7. Brownsboro 26-4 8
 8. Mabank 25-4 9
 9. Greenwood 22-4 10
 10. Waco Robinson 24-5 10
- CLASS 2A**
1. Grapeland 29-3 1
 2. Godley 31-2 2
 3. Poth 28-3 3
 4. Wall 27-2 4
 5. Spearman 24-2 5
 6. Morton 24-7 6
 7. Kerens 27-2 9
 8. Pinebluff West Sabine 23-2 10
 9. Hamilton 27-1 8
 10. Shallowater 26-4 6
- CLASS 1A**
1. Nazareth 27-1 1
 2. Larue La Poyner 27-2 2
 3. Houston 28-3 4
 4. Slidell 28-1 4
 5. North Zulch 26-4 6
 6. Dime Box 20-5 5
 7. Ben Wheeler Martin's Mill 25-3 7
 8. Happy 21-4 8
 9. Byers 24-7 9
 10. Mount Enterprise 28-1 10
- BOYS**
- CLASS 5A**
1. San Antonio East Central 28-0 1
 2. Fort Worth Dumas 30-2 2
 3. Houston Clear Lake 30-1 3
 4. Beaumont Central 27-2 4
 5. League City Clear Creek 27-5 5
 6. Pasadena Rayburn 27-4 6
 7. Victoria 28-1 7
 8. San Antonio Highlands 29-4 10
 9. Houston Memorial 29-3 8
 10. Fort Worth Southwest 27-4 10
- CLASS 4A**
1. Port Arthur Lincoln 23-4 1
 2. Lancaster 23-2 2
 3. Wilmer-Hutchins 23-8 5
 4. Waco Midway 23-6 6
 5. San Antonio Alamo Heights 26-3 7
 6. Waller 21-8 8
 7. Cleveland 20-11 9
 8. Schertz Clemens 22-6 10
 9. Waxahachie 22-4 9
 10. Everman 24-7 10
- CLASS 3A**
1. Dimmitt 23-3 2
 2. Martin 26-1 3
 3. Ferris 22-4 4
 4. Sweeny 19-6 1
 5. Corpus Christi West Oso 29-2 5
 6. Coosdell 25-4 6
 7. Brownsboro 22-6 7
 8. Hearne 28-1 8
 9. Navasota 20-5 9
 10. Brownfield 24-3 10
- CLASS 2A**
1. Edgewood 29-0 1
 2. San Antonio Cole 27-0 2
 3. Liberty Hill 27-1 3
 4. Archer City 26-2 4
 5. Troust 25-2 5
 6. Ingram Moore 22-5 4
 7. Honey Grove 26-2 7
 8. Waskom 24-2 8
 9. Krum 23-5 9
 10. Rosebud-Lott 23-6 10
- CLASS 1A**
1. Paducah 24-0 1
 2. Livingston Big Sandy 30-0 2
 3. Sabalia Farmstead 27-1 4
 4. Chilton 23-4 7
 5. Eula 27-3 8
 6. Frost 23-8 9
 7. Grafado 27-2 3
 8. Sallis 23-5 9
 9. Roby 28-1 10
 10. Leekey 25-1 5

Rangers' Parrish to have surgery

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — Larry Parrish will undergo arthroscopic surgery on his knee Thursday, but is expected to be ready for the start of the season, the club said Monday.

Parrish, who set a Rangers' record last season with 32 home runs, felt pain in his right knee while jogging last week near his home in Haines City, Fla.

He was examined Monday by Dr. Dan Kanell in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and Kanell said Parrish suffered a torn lateral meniscus cartilage.

Kanell said Parrish would be sidelined for about three weeks and should be ready to play by the middle of March.

"We're not concerned right now," Rangers general manager Tom Grieve said. "If it is what the doctor expects, it just means he's going to miss the marathon sessions (of spring training) and be ready to tune up the final three weeks."

Syracuse signal caller claims O'Brien Award

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Syracuse quarterback Don McPherson joked that his only preference for playing professional football is "to play in this country" as he added the Davey O'Brien National Quarterback Award to his bevy of plaques and prizes.

At a black-tie banquet Monday night, McPherson called the award a "great honor" and said his status as the first black to be honored by the O'Brien committee "is a significant step in a lot of people's minds."

But, he said, it will not erase the slowly changing stereotype that black quarterbacks operate best, and win most frequently, out of an option offense similar to that at Oklahoma.

"This hasn't settled the issue of black quarterbacks," McPherson said. "That won't be settled until people say (Washington Redskins quarterback) Doug Williams is a great quarterback — period. Not that he's a great quarterback who happens to be black."

"There's really nothing unique about Doug Williams or Don McPherson as quarterbacks other than the fact we happen to be black. And that has nothing to do with our performance."

McPherson is the seventh recipient of the O'Brien award since the competition was revised in 1981 to honor the nation's outstanding quarterback. Jim McMahon of Brigham Young was the first winner and Vinny Testaverde of Miami was last year's selection.

Named in honor of the late quarterback and Heisman Trophy winner from Texas Christian University, the award is presented annually by the Davey O'Brien Educational and Charitable Trust.

McPherson said he has no idea where he'll go in the NFL draft, noting that some have said a quarterback is not likely to be picked in the first round.

"I have absolutely no preference where I play next year," he said, adding, "I would like to play in this country."

McPherson said the most important event of the year was the performance of his Syracuse football team. The Orangemen achieved a record of 11-0-1, with a 16-16 tie at the Sugar Bowl with Auburn the only blemish on their season.

"It was a great season for Syracuse and you can't be upset about that tie," he said.

Mike Ditka, Chicago Bears coach, who was the main speaker Monday night, congratulated McPherson and described his ideal NFL quarterback.

"He has good mobility, a good arm and a good head on his shoulders. He has the ability to get out of the pocket. He knows what's going on in life, and he's going to be all right," Ditka said.

With 2,341 passing yards, 22 touchdowns and a 56.3 completion percentage, McPherson led the nation in passing efficiency, yards per attempt and touchdown percentage. He also led Syracuse to a No. 4 ranking.



McPherson displays Davey O'Brien award.

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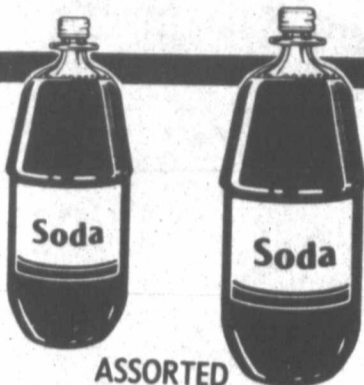
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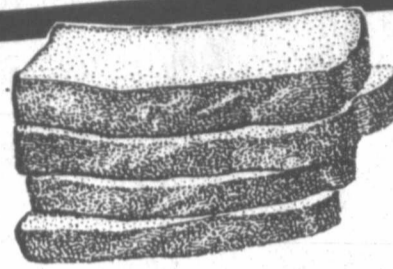


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