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Political prisoners freed before new talks

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP) — Sandinista and Contra negotiators are heading back to the bargaining table to determine the areas where rebel fighters will gather during the cease-fire called for in the accord signed last week.

The talks, scheduled for today in the southern outpost of Sapoa, also may consider the issue of when the U.S.-supported Contras lay down their arms. On Sunday, the leftist Sandinista government fulfilled the first part of the cease-fire accord by freeing 100 political prisoners under an amnesty program. Most of them are accused Contra rebels.

Afterward, Interior Minister Tomas Borge called the amnesty "possibly the beginning of the end of the (6-year-old)

war," and he called for the Contras to release Nicaraguan peasants its troops had kidnapped.

After celebrating Palm Sunday Mass, Roman Catholic Cardinal Miguel Obando y Bravo called the prisoner release "very positive."

However, during his Homily the Managua archbishop warned the cease-fire agreement did not mean that "we have already reached peace."

"Let us not make a mistake," he told his parishioners. "Let us not confuse ourselves. They have only signed a cease-fire," he said, emphasizing the point by repeating the last sentence three times.

It was in Sapoa where leaders of the Contra umbrella organization, the

Nicaraguan Resistance, met with the Sandinistas last week and agreed on a 60-day cease-fire beginning April 1. Further high-level negotiations are tentatively scheduled for April 6 in Managua to reach a more permanent truce.

No fighting between Sandinista and Contra forces has been reported since both sides signed the accord in Sapoa on the night of March 23.

Maj. Gen. Joaquin Cuadra, deputy defense minister and chief of staff of the Sandinista army, was to head the government delegation at today's talks. Deputy Foreign Minister Victor Hugo Tinoco and military intelligence chief Maj. Ricardo Wheelock Roman were to accompany Cuadra.

Under the Sapoa agreement, rebel

forces are to gather without interference from Sandinista forces in specified zones inside Nicaragua during the first two weeks of April. Today's talks between special commissions of the two sides were to define "the localization, size and modus operandi" of those zones, according to the text of the Sapoa accord.

Nothing is said in the Sapoa agreement about the Contras laying down their arms, and this may be taken up today as well. In past talks the rebels insisted on keeping their weapons until all provisions of an accord were carried out.

Once rebel fighters have moved into the truce zones, the Contra leadership can send up to eight delegates to partici-

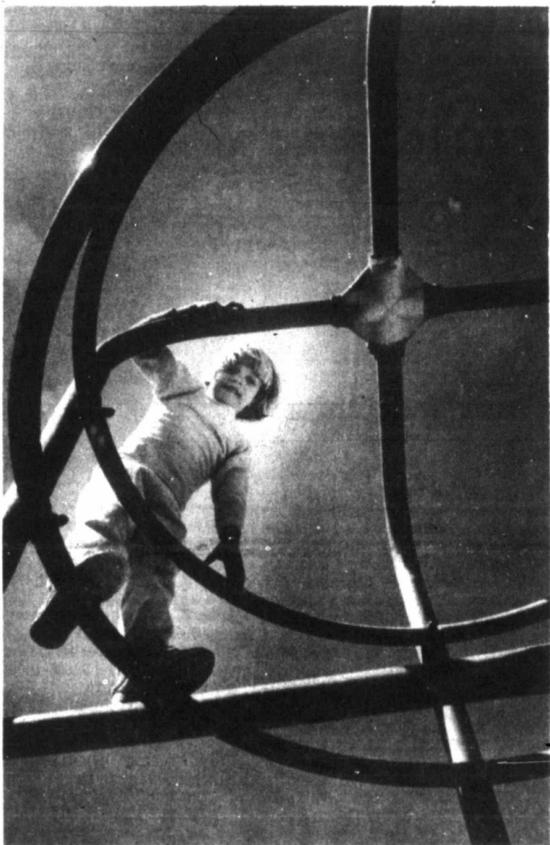
pate in the first national reconciliation talks on April 6.

Last week's pact provides a gradual amnesty for Nicaragua's 3,300 political prisoners; guarantees freedom of expression, which the rebels had demanded; and permits all exiles to return home and participate in the political process.

If the peace plan is carried out, Nicaragua could become the first Central American nation other than Costa Rica to fully comply with the Central American peace plan signed Aug. 7 by the region's five presidents.

Sunday's amnesty was demanded by the Contras as a condition for further talks. It is also called for under the regional peace plan.

Sun seeker



(Staff Photo by Duane A. Lavery)

Robyn Addington, 7, peers down through the arches and curves of a jungle gum in Highland Park recently while enjoying the bright sunshine. Robyn is the daughter of Kenny and Michelle Addington of Pampa.

Pampa students move to regional UIL meet

Six Pampa High School students placed high enough in the district UIL meet in Canyon Friday to qualify them for regional UIL competition in Brownwood April 23.

Pampa Little Harvester staff members brought home three first places out of four divisions in the journalism category. Marc Gilbert won first in both editorial writing and head writing, making this his third year to qualify for regional competition. Last year he placed fifth in state in editorial writing. Freshman Jesaka Long won first place in feature writing and Sophomore Jason Becker was awarded second place in editorial writing. All three will now proceed to regional.

Jeff Jones and John Cooley

placed second in cross examination debate. They were followed closely by Albert Hernandez and Roby Conner, in third place. Both teams will compete at regional UIL.

Becky Pletcher was awarded second place in literary criticism making her eligible for regional competition. Juli Enloe was awarded first alternate position. Geneva Villareal earned second alternate in typing, as did Paul Norrod in science.

Two busloads of Pampa students, more than 30 in all, attended the district UIL competition at West Texas State University in Canyon Friday. Those who win at regional competition April 23 will qualify for state competition.

Dukakis ready to bury presidential hopes

By The Associated Press

Democratic presidential contender Michael Dukakis is seeking to dig out from under a Jesse Jackson landslide in Michigan with a win on his New England home turf on Tuesday. But another Democrat, Rep. Richard Gephardt, was ready to bury his presidential hopes today.

On the eve of Tuesday's Connecticut primary, Republican George Bush, who grew up in the state and is heavily favored to win, set off today on a three-day Wisconsin campaign swing.

The vice president wasn't likely to run into either of his GOP rivals in Wisconsin, which holds its primary a week from Tuesday. Bob Dole, who has all but conceded the nomination, was in Washington today, giving a speech on the future of the Republican Party. And Pat Robertson was taking a week-long vacation.

Jackson was euphoric about his weekend win in Michigan, where he racked up a nearly 2-1 victory over Dukakis.

"A wave of hope is sweeping across America," Jackson told supporters at a church in Bridgeport, Conn. on Sunday.

Jackson was campaigning in Connecticut again today. But Dukakis, the governor of

neighboring Massachusetts, has won every state in New England so far and was expected to do well in the state.

With returns from 94 percent of the voting sites in Michigan, Jackson had 55 percent to 28 percent for Dukakis. Gephardt had 13 percent; Sen. Paul Simon had 2 percent, as did Sen. Albert Gore Jr. The remaining returns were expected later today.

The Michigan victory put Jackson within striking distance of Dukakis in the national delegate count, although the Massachusetts governor still clung to a narrow lead. The latest AP delegate count put Dukakis at 603.55 to Jackson's 597.55. Tennessee Sen. Albert Gore Jr. had 362.8, Sen. Paul Simon 171.5, Gephardt 167 and uncommitted 362.6.

Gephardt's distant third-place finish in Saturday's caucus fell far short of the "Michigan miracle" he had said could save his campaign. He spent a secluded Sunday talking with family and aides, then scheduled a Capitol Hill news conference this afternoon.

His spokesman, Mark Johnson, wouldn't say what Gephardt planned to do, but all indications were that the Missouri congressman was ready to bow out.

Gephardt aides, speaking on condition of anonymity, said there was no way his campaign could survive a loss in Michigan. And

Gephardt must meet a filing deadline of Tuesday afternoon if he wants to seek reelection to his House seat.

Dukakis, who before Michigan had been seeking to position himself as the inevitable Democratic nominee, was talking instead about a long fight to the finish.

"This race is only half over," he said Sunday at a Greek festival in New Haven.

That was fine by Sen. Albert Gore Jr. and Sen. Paul Simon. The Tennessee senator was in Connecticut on Sunday, suggesting Dukakis' disappointing finish kept the race "wide open" — to his benefit.

Simon also suggested — as he has for some time — that the race was still fluid, and no nominee would emerge before the Democratic National Convention in July.

A statewide poll in today's Milwaukee Sentinel suggested Jackson and Dukakis were in a dead heat in the state. The poll indicated Dukakis had the backing of 28 percent of Democratic respondents, while Jackson had 27 percent, and another 22 percent were undecided.

Simon had 10 percent, Gephardt 8 percent and Gore 3 percent. The margin of error in the telephone survey, conducted March 17-22, was 5 percentage points.

Trade bill concessions bring blue-collar blues

WASHINGTON (AP) — Lawmakers from areas where Japanese imports threaten to cut into jobs are coming down with a case of the blue-collar blues over changes they say will water down their sweeping trade bill.

"I don't see why we should be pulling all the teeth out of our bill out of fear of a presidential veto," says Rep. Donald J. Pease, D-Ohio.

The concerns are surfacing as a House-Senate conference committee prepares to meet Tuesday to begin thrashing out what lawmakers are calling the "cosmic issues" still remaining in the debate, such as retaliation against foreign trade barriers.

The conference committee is seeking to reach a compromise between rival House and Senate versions of the 1,000-page trade bill, a massive attempt to solve a massive problem — record U.S. trade deficits and related layoffs in some U.S. industries.

President Reagan's repeated veto threats are raising anxieties on Capitol Hill and may have prompted efforts by Senate conferees to tone down the measure in hope of winning administration support.

Some of the most stringent provisions, such as Democratic presidential hopeful Richard

A. Gephardt's plan for retaliation if Japanese trade surpluses don't fall 10 percent per year, have long been opposed by the administration.

Reagan says they could lead to counterattacks on American farm goods and other exports, cost more jobs than they would save and hurt consumers by narrowing the choice of goods on the shelf and raising prices.

Some lawmakers from the nation's hard-hit heavy industrial belt, however, say Senate attempts to minimize Reagan's objections could throw away the best of a three-year effort to produce "tough trade legislation."

"The conference on the trade bill is like a Diet Coke when you take away the sugar and you take away the caffeine and all you have left is the bubbles," says Rep. Frank Guarini, D-N.J., a House conferee.

"I think the president and his people are not fools," says Pease, also a conferee. "They know that trade deficits are very large. They know that trade is a political issue this year, so I think the president is likely to sign a trade bill that we send him this year. He may grumble but he'll sign it."

Guarini points to a plan he devised under

which the government would step up monitoring to find out what foreign companies are "dumping" products in the U.S. market at prices slashed below those charged to consumers at home. The practice is illegal under the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade.

Both House and Senate versions of the bill contained a monitoring provision, but the latest Senate proposal would wipe them both out.

"That's a strange way to compromise," says Guarini.

Pease is especially concerned that the Senate proposal would wipe out some causes of retaliatory action already appearing in U.S. trade law, among them denial of market access to American companies.

Other House conferees grumbling over the possibility of diluting the bill include Reps. Marty Russo, D-Ill., and Ed Jenkins, D-Ga., the latter an outspoken champion of the hard-hit textile industry.

Senate Finance Committee members who drew up the proposals are understandably impatient with these complaints.

"We're trying to write a bill that's in the 20th century," says Sen. Max Baucus, D-Mont.

One killed, two injured in vehicle roll-over

CANADIAN — A Turkey man was killed and his two brothers injured Sunday morning following a one-vehicle rollover near Lake Marvin.

Jesse Joe Lopez, 24, died at 7:45 a.m. at Hemphill County Hospital from head injuries he sustained when the 1984 Chevrolet pickup truck in which he was riding left Farm to Market Road 2266 about 7 miles northeast of Canadian and rolled 2½ times. The accident occurred at about 6:30 a.m. Sunday, according to Texas Department of Public Safety spokesman Jerry Burgtorf of Amarillo.

Burgtorf said the pickup, driven by Jose Rodriguez Lopez, 23, of Turkey, was eastbound on Farm to Market 2266, also known as Lake Marvin Road, when the driver fell asleep at the wheel and ran off the left side of the road, striking a concrete culvert. The vehicle then went into a broadside skid in sand to the right and rolled over 2½ times, landing on its top, according to the report filed by DPS Trooper Larry Dunnam of Canadian.

Jose Lopez was listed in good condition at Hemphill County Hospital, Burgtorf said. Another passenger, James Lopez, 18, also of

Turkey, was examined for internal injuries at the hospital and released.

The three brothers were reportedly en route to an oil rig job. Burgtorf said none of them were wearing seat belts and there was no evidence of alcoholic use.

Jesse Lopez's body was taken to Stickley-Hill Funeral Home in Canadian, and has since been taken to Seigler Funeral Home in Turkey.

Dunnam was assisted at the accident scene by DPS Trooper David Smith of Canadian and the Hemphill County Sheriff's office.

Shamir criticizes Shultz meeting with two linked to PLO

JERUSALEM (AP) — Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir today sharply criticized a meeting in Washington between Secretary of State George P. Shultz and two Arab-Americans linked to the PLO.

In another development, authorities reportedly arrested more Arabs overnight in the occupied territories to head off further violence.

Also today, PLO chief Yasser Arafat's chief spokesman was quoted as saying Shultz will have more meetings with PLO-affiliated officials, possibly when the secretary of state visits the Middle East beginning April 3.

On Sunday, soldiers shot and killed four more Palestinians in clashes in the West Bank, raising to 118 the number killed in 15 weeks of violent protests against Israel's occupation of the West Bank and Gaza Strip, according to U.N. figures. One Israeli soldier has been killed.

Shamir today told the Knesset, Israel's 120-

member parliament: "We see as very grave the attempts of the Americans to initiate contacts with PLO members."

Shultz met in Washington on Saturday with Edward Said and Ibrahim Abu Lughod, both American citizens and members of the Palestine National Council, the parliament-in-exile of the Palestine Liberation Organization.

"Members of the board of the Palestine National Council are PLO members in every aspect," Shamir said. "The council is the supreme body of terror organizations. It decides the policy of terror groups."

Shamir's speech came a day after ministers of the center-left Labor Party told a stormy Cabinet meeting on Shultz's upcoming visit that Israel must adopt a U.S. peace plan if it hopes to end violence in the occupied lands.

Shamir leads the right-wing Likud bloc.

Israel has always refused to negotiate with the PLO and Israeli officials contend the Shultz meeting violated a longstanding U.S. commitment not to deal with the PLO.

Former Secretary of State Henry Kissinger signed a pledge in 1975 that the United States would not talk to the PLO until the group recognized U.N. resolutions guaranteeing Israel's right to exist.

In comments published today in the Israeli Maariv newspaper, PLO spokesman Bassam Abu Sharif said the next meeting between Shultz and people linked to the PLO could take place in Jerusalem during Shultz's trip to the Middle East next week. Palestinians from the occupied territories refused to meet Shultz during his last trip in February under orders from Arafat.

But Abu Sharif said in a telephone interview to Israel that the PLO saw Shultz's meeting with Abu Lughod and Said as "an important step to the

advancement of peace negotiations," Maariv reported.

During his visit to the Middle East, Shultz is expected to bring the text of a letter of invitation to a proposed international peace conference and ask Shamir for approval, an Israeli official today told The Associated Press on condition of anonymity. Shamir opposes such a peace conference.

The official said Shultz pledged to Shamir in the United States that he would not issue the letter of invitation without Israel's approval. But the official said Shultz could still change his position on that issue.

Israeli soldiers detained seven Arab youths in Bethlehem as they emerged from Palm Sunday mass at the Church of the Nativity, the traditional site of Jesus' birth, said Palestinian witnesses and a detainee who was released today.

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Services tomorrow

DILLMAN, Clara — 11 a.m., St. Vincent De Paul Catholic Church.
KENNEDY, Martha Snead — 1 p.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel.
POPE, Walter Herman (Pappy) — 4 p.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel.

Obituaries

CLARA DILLMAN

Funeral services for Clara Dillman, 79, who died Sunday, will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday in St. Vincent De Paul Catholic Church with the Rev. Gary Sides, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Francis J. Hynes, C.M., pastor of The Holy Family Catholic Church of Sweetwater.

Entombment will be in Memory Gardens Mausoleum, with arrangements by Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Rosary services will be at 7 p.m. today at Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel.

Mrs. Dillman came to White Deer from Panna Maria in 1910, and moved to Pampa in 1926. She married George E. Dillman in 1930 at White Deer. He died in 1971. She was a member of St. Vincent De Paul Catholic Church and Altar Society.

Survivors include one son, Don Dillman of Pampa; two daughters, Norma Jean Homer of Groom and Janice Rucker of Pampa; three brothers, Henry Urbanczyk of Pampa and Fred Urbanczyk and Will Urbanczyk, both of White Deer; one sister, Florence Paulik of McAllen; 11 grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Memorials may be to the American Cancer Society.

The family will be at 1138 S. Faulkner.

MARATHA WILLIAMS

SHAMROCK — Funeral services for Martha Williams, 59, who died Friday, were at 3 p.m. Sunday at First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Steve Rogers, pastor, and the Rev. Todd Dyess, pastor of First United Methodist Church at Spearman, officiating.

Burial was in Shamrock Cemetery by Richerson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Williams was born in Miami and attended schools there. She married Boyd Williams in 1947 at Clovis, N.M. She was an employee of Eastern Panhandle Co-Operative of Special Education and a member of First United Methodist Church, where she taught in the nursery and sang in the choir.

She was a member of Thursday Fine Arts Club and president of Shamrock Cemetery Association. She had lived in Panhandle and Shamrock for most of her life. She came to Shamrock from Panhandle in 1956.

Survivors include her husband, two daughters, one son, her mother, one sister, three granddaughters and one grandson.

JACK E. TROUT

BORGER — Graveside services for Jack E. Trout, 59, relative of two Pampa women, were to be at 2 p.m. today at Westlawn Cemetery with the Rev. Jerry Evans, associate pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Funeral arrangements were by Ed Brown & Sons Funeral Home.

Mr. Trout died Friday in Amarillo. He was born at Vernon and moved to Borger in 1951. He was retired from marketing and sales. His wife, Ruth, died in 1980.

Survivors include one son, Mike Trout of Lubbock; three daughters, Sharon Miller of Austin, Sandra Ayers of Edmond, Okla., and Sheryl Franks of Borger; one brother, Danny Lane of Denver, Colo.; one sister, Bobbie Melton of Pampa; his mother, Laura Lane of Pampa; and five grandchildren.

WELDON LEON BELCHER

AMARILLO — Funeral services for Weldon Leon Belcher, 71, brother of a Pampa man, were to be at 2 p.m. today at Blackburn-Shaw Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Windell Taylor, chaplain of Veterans Administration Hospital, officiating. Burial was to be in Llano Cemetery.

Mr. Belcher died Saturday. He was born at Logan, N.M. and was a lifetime Amarillo resident. He was in the U.S. Army and was an auto mechanic for Ford Motor Co. He was retired from Bell Helicopter. He was a member of the Panhandle Road Riders.

Survivors include his wife, Georgia; one sister, Oleta F. Wylie of Perryton; and two brothers, Reo T. Belcher of Winnemucca, Nev. and Ray C. Belcher of Pampa.

MARATHA SNEAD KENNEDY

Funeral services for Martha Snead Kennedy, 77, who died Sunday, will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday in Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Roger Hubbard, pastor of Bible Church of Pampa, officiating.

Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery, with arrangements by Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Kennedy moved to Pampa in 1931 from Dallas. She married Russell Kennedy on Jan. 13, 1934 in Pampa. She was store manager for Kennedy Jewelry for many years. She was a member of Bible Church of Pampa and Altrusa Club, and was an active sponsor of the Girl Scouts for many years.

Survivors include her husband, Russell, of the home; two daughters, Mary Martha Wilcox of Dallas and Ann Elizabeth Everhart of Lawton, Okla.; one sister, Mary Allison of Beaumont; and three grandchildren.

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Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery with arrangements by Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Mr. Pope moved to Pampa in 1976 from Baytown. He married Viola Allen on Feb. 11, 1929 at Wortham. She died in 1984.

He worked for Brown and Root Construction for 37 years and retired in 1975. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include two daughters, Joyce Simon and Willie Houser, both of Pampa; two sons, Billy H. Pope of Victoria and Jack Pope of Corpus Christi; eight grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

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FRANK E. BARNETT

Funeral services for Frank E. Barnett, 60, who died Sunday in Tyler, will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Jim Fox, pastor of Hobart Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery with arrangements by Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Mr. Barnett moved to Pampa in 1929 from Bristol, Okla. He married Johnnie Cofer on June 15, 1945 in Sayre, Okla. He worked for Phillips Petroleum for 10 years and retired in 1982. He was a member of Boilermakers Local Union #531 in Amarillo. He was a member of Hobart Baptist Church and a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Johnnie, of the home; three daughters, Shirley Barker of Dumas, Regina Linder of Amarillo and Lana Vencill of Pampa; three brothers, Cecil Barnett, Ernest R. Barnett and Stanley Barnett, all of Pampa; three sisters, Mildred Salsman of Poteau, Okla., Juanita Romines of Pampa and Ilene Baxter of Stillwater, Okla.; and three grandchildren.

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Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions
 Ruby L. Cole, Canadian
 Alfred Henderson, Pampa
 Henry G. Lawley, Pampa
 Billie B. Osborne, Pampa
 Winford O. Pangle, Pampa
 Aaron M. Short, Stinnett
 Ross G. Zenor, Higgins
 Vernon Dickinson, Pampa
 William Lytle, Pampa
 Ralph Ridgway, Pampa
 Ruth Taylor, Pampa

Discharges
 William Ellis, Pampa
 Devin Golden, Pampa
 Dana Peevey, Pampa
 Calvin Timmons, Pampa

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions
 Sheridan Parker and infant, Shamrock
 Connie Fouse and infant, Shamrock
 Warren Parker, Shamrock
 Warren Clark, Phoenix, Ariz.
 Vermell Gillespie, Wellington

Discharges
 Nena Canafax, Shamrock
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BIRTHS
 Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Schafer, Canadian, a boy
 Mr. and Mrs. Michael Stringfellow, White rock

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Community outraged that confessed killer won custody of daughters

EAST DUBUQUE, Ill. (AP)—A judge's decision to reunite two girls with their father three years after they watched him strangle their mother has touched off a new custody fight and public outrage against the judge.

"I guess the bottom line is whether or not it's OK to kill your wife in front of your children," says Gene Tranel of Eldridge, Iowa, brother of the 26-year-old victim, Carol Lutgen.

Tranel, who took in his nieces, Tracy, 11, and Dana, 10, while James Lutgen served a 20-month prison term, is fighting to get them back.

But Lutgen's lawyer, William Schirger, says the case has been blown out of proportion in this small Mississippi River town.

"The kids are not in any danger. Jim loves the girls and they love him. They asked the judge to let them live with him," Schirger said.

Lutgen, 33, pleaded guilty to voluntary manslaughter for the Dec. 21, 1984, death of his wife at the family home in tiny Menominee, in the northwest corner of Illinois.

Two original murder counts against Lutgen were reduced after the court ruled his daughters were too young to testify as witnesses to their mother's death.

The Lutgens were on the verge of a breakup as the 1984 holiday season approached. "She didn't

love Jim no more," recalled Lutgen's mother, Grace. "They were separating the day after Christmas. He was broken up about it."

The couple's fatal battle was fueled by Lutgen's belief that his wife was seeing another man, his mother said, although the fight was sparked by a disagreement over whether to take the girls shopping and skating.

As the girls looked on, verbal attack became physical confrontation.

"I picked the girls up afterward and they told me ... they had seen part of the fight," Mrs. Lutgen said. "They said they were pushing and grabbing each other around the neck."

Lutgen was released from prison in October 1986 and regained custody of his daughters last Dec. 29.

The Jo Daviess County judge who made the custody decision, Eric DeMar of Galena, has borne the brunt of the public outcry since Lutgen regained his daughters.

DeMar has been attacked by mail, over the telephone and in newspaper articles and editorials.

"A judge can't always make a popular decision and that certainly is the truth in this case," he said. "The law and the facts in the case left me no choice," he added, noting that the U.S. Supreme Court has placed a high priority on parental rights in custody cases.

City employees have new windbreakers

By **BOB HART**
 Pampa City Manager

Perhaps you have seen a number of our city employees wearing new black windbreakers with the city logo.

The windbreakers represent a significant accomplishment on the part of our employees in reducing the number of lost-time job injuries.

We began our safety program approximately one year ago. We have provided training for employees on lifting equipment and supplies while working on the job site itself.

All of this training has had a dramatic impact on our ability to reduce the amount of lost-time injuries. As an example, three

years ago our loss ratio for worker's compensation was 362 percent. Since the inception of the safety program, our losses have been reduced to about a 38 percent loss ratio for the current year.

Obviously, this is a significant improvement. It is a benefit that will not only help our employees by reducing their risk of any lost-time injuries, but it is also, from a taxpayer's viewpoint, a significant area of cost containment.

As an example, we expect to spend about \$60,000 less this year than we did last year. These pro-

grams also improve and multiply the savings into the future as well.

Similar improvements have occurred in the area of vehicle and equipment usage. Three years ago, we were experiencing a 121 percent loss ratio. Today we have a 30 percent loss ratio. Again, this type of reduction helps us to reduce not only injuries but also the premiums we pay for insurance coverage.

So, when you see the windbreakers on our employees, it is an evidence of a job well done by our employees.

Stock market

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa.

Wheat 2.56
 Milo 3.15
 Corn 3.73

The following quotations show the prices for which these securities could have been traded at the time of compilation.

Magellan 43 3/4
 Puritan 12 1/8
 The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. stock market quotations are furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa.

Amoco 72 1/4 dn
 Arco 79 1/4 dn
 Cabot 37 1/4 dn

Chevron 43 1/4 dn
 Enbridge 15 1/2 nc
 Enron 30 1/2 dn
 Halliburton 31 1/2 nc
 HCA 30 1/2 dn
 Ingersoll-Rand 37 1/2 nc
 Kerr-McGee 35 1/2 dn
 KNE 17 1/2 nc
 Mapco 52 1/2 up
 Maxxus 65 1/2 dn
 Mesa Ltd 12 1/2 up

Mobil 43 1/4 dn
 Pennco 47 1/2 dn
 Phillips 16 1/2 dn
 SBI 34 1/2 dn
 SPS 24 1/2 dn
 Tenneco 42 1/2 dn
 Texaco 44 1/2 dn
 London Gold 451.80
 Silver 6.62



On Sunday, Feb. 28, at approximately 7:25 p.m., a white male entered the back door of Domino's Pizza at 1423 N. Hobart. While inside, the man robbed the store and then fled the scene through the back door.

The suspect is described as a white male, approximately 5 feet 7 inches tall, with brown hair, weighing 160 pounds and wearing a brown corduroy coat, baseball cap and blue jeans.

Crime Stoppers of Pampa will pay \$500 for information leading to the arrest and indictment of the person or persons responsible for this robbery.

If you have information about this robbery or any other crime, you can report it and remain anonymous by calling 669-2222.

Rewards are available for other crimes not in this announcement.

The board of directors of Crime Stoppers urges citizen involvement in reporting crime in our community.

Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents for the 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

SATURDAY, March 26
 Kay Brogdon, 409 N. Frost, reported criminal mischief at the address.

SUNDAY, March 27
 Driving while intoxicated was alleged in the 1100 block of West 23rd and in the 100 block of North Hobart.

Robert Joe Brown, 511 N. Cuyler, reported burglary of a motor vehicle in the 100 block of Sunset.

Criminal mischief was reported at Woodrow Wilson Elementary School, 801 E. Browning.

Douglas W. Shoffner, 944 Barnard, reported criminal mischief in the 1000 block of Clark.

Criminal mischief was reported at Horace Mann Elementary School, 400 N. Faulkner.

Disorderly conduct was reported in the 900 block of Barnard.

Lane McNeely, 421 Powell, reported burglary of a motor vehicle at the address.

Connie Morris, 502 N. Starkweather, reported criminal mischief in the 1000 block of East Frederic.

Scott Parks, 703 N. Frost, reported burglary of a motor vehicle at the address.

Carolyn Gage, 325 Sunset, reported criminal mischief in the 400 block of North Frost.

Reckless conduct was reported in the 600 block of Campbell.

Lori Farrar, 1517 Dogwood, reported burglary at the address.

MONDAY, March 28
 Criminal mischief was reported at Wilson School.

Arrests-City Jail
SUNDAY, March 27
 Raymond Dee Armstrong, 96 R17 W Kingmill, was arrested in the 1400 block of West 23rd on charges of driving while intoxicated and speeding and was later released on bond.

Antonio Galaviz, 25, White Deer, was arrested at Hobart and Alcock on charges of driving while intoxicated, failure to drive in a single lane and failure to signal left turn and was later released on bond.

Karen Lorraine Daley, 19, 720 E. Murphy, was arrested in the 900 block of Barnard on a charge of disorderly conduct and later released on bond.

Sandra Marie Pendleton, 17, Odessa, was arrested in the 900 block of Barnard on a charge of disorderly conduct and later released on bond.

Minor accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported the following traffic accident for the 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

SUNDAY, March 27
 An unknown vehicle collided with a 1988 Oldsmobile, registered to Marcia Monahan, address unknown, in the 700 block of West Browning. No injuries or citations were reported.

Accident-DPS
SUNDAY, March 27
 A 1976 Chevrolet pickup truck, driven by Sammy Ray Doyle, 3009 Rosewood, collided with a cow owned by Ken Gill, Miami, about 1 mile east of Pampa on U.S. Highway 60. No injuries or citations were reported.

Calendar of events

PAMPA SINGLES ORGANIZATION
 Pampa Singles Organization will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at 1041 S. Wells for a game night. For more information, call 669-2252.

PAMPA PARENT SUPPORT GROUP
 Pampa Parent Support Group using TOUGH-LOVE, a self-help program for parents troubled by their children's behavior, meets at 7 p.m. every Tuesday in the library of Pampa High School. Confidentiality is stressed. For more information, call 669-2786 or 665-6815.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST
 Windy tonight with thunderstorms likely and a 60 percent chance of rain. Low in the mid 30s and southwesterly winds 30 mph. Windy and colder Tuesday with a 30 percent chance of showers, highs in the upper 40s and north winds 20 to 30 mph and gusty. Lake wind advisories will be in effect. Sunday's high was 78; overnight low was 58.

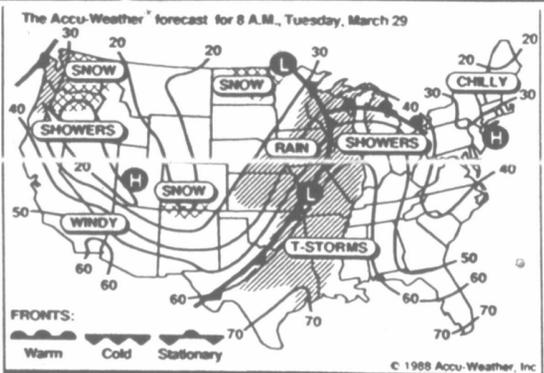
REGIONAL FORECASTS
 By The Associated Press
 West Texas — Scattered thunderstorms all areas except west, a few possibly severe this evening mainly eastern parts of the Panhandle, South Plains, Permian Basin and Concho Valley. Cooler north tonight and across South Plains and Far West Tuesday.

Lows tonight 35 Panhandle to 65 southeast. Windy through Tuesday most sections. Highs Tuesday 48 Panhandle to 71 southeast and lower 80s Big Bend valleys.

North Texas — Cloudy and mild tonight with scattered thunderstorms becoming more numerous Tuesday. Some storms severe with possibly heavy rains tonight and Tuesday. Lows tonight 55 northwest to 65 southeast. Turning cooler central and west Tuesday. Highs Tuesday 65 west to 78 southeast.

South Texas — Increasing clouds tonight with a chance of thunderstorms over the north. Mostly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms on Tuesday. Highs Tuesday from near 80 east to near 90 inland south. Lows tonight from the 60s north to 70s coast and south.

EXTENDED FORECASTS
Wednesday through Friday
 West Texas — Cool Wednes-



Texas/Regional

Teen, two women wounded in church shooting

FORT WORTH (AP)—A man demanding the return of his adoptive daughter shot a young girl and two women when he fired into a small group of people unloading from a Sunday school van outside a church.

Bridgett Shirley, 14, was in serious condition today in the surgical intensive care unit at John Peter Smith Hospital, said Bob Wood, night administrator. She underwent 3½ hours of surgery after suffering a gunshot wound to the lower back, said hospital spokesman

Michael Mayo.

The shooting took place at 9 a.m. Sunday outside Samaritan Church of God in Christ, said Doug Clarke, a spokesman for the Fort Worth Police Department.

An arrest warrant listing two counts of attempted murder was issued for the gunman, police spokesman Tom Wayne said. The man remained at large today, police said.

Van passengers told police a man with a gun stopped the vehicle during its pick-up route and told them he was look-

ing for his 16-year-old adopted daughter, who had left home a few weeks ago.

When the van arrived at the church, the same gunman was there.

"He was just hollering 'I want my baby,'" said Earnestine Shirley, the natural mother of the 16-year-old. "He was talking about killing up the whole family."

Earnestine Shirley said that as she stepped off the van and headed into the church, she heard a bullet whiz past her head.

The crowd of about 15 to 20 scattered, witnesses said.

One bullet pierced Earnestine Shirley's elbow and another struck Bridgett. The gunman fired several times at Laura Shirley at close range, but never wounded her.

"Bridgett had tried to run next door and was found on the ground on the side of the church," Laura Shirley said.

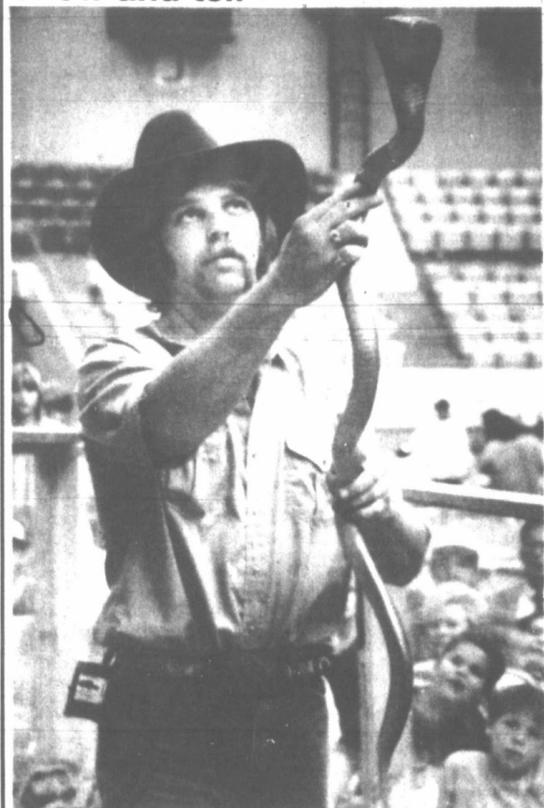
Earnestine Shirley told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram she became pregnant when she was 14 and six years

later asked an older couple to temporarily take care of her child. Later she learned the couple adopted the girl, she said.

But three weeks ago, the girl, now 16, returned to her mother alleging that her adoptive father had mistreated her since she was 8, Earnestine Shirley said.

"I knew sooner or later he was going to come ... But I didn't think he was going to come shooting," Earnestine Shirley said.

Show and tell



Steve Raines of Grandbury, with the Texas State Diamond Hunters, shows a cobra to crowds at the San Angelo Coliseum during the Rattlesnake Handling and Cobra Show Sunday afternoon. The event was sponsored by the San Angelo Downtown Optimist Club.

Texas economic slump hits capital hard

AUSTIN (AP)—The once-thriving city of Austin has dropped back a pace with the nation's highest office vacancy rate, unprecedented numbers of foreclosures and a banking community crippled by once-aggressive lending practices.

The change has shown up in practical ways.

Businesswoman Sandra Paige recalled that when she moved to Austin, she couldn't find a parking spot anywhere downtown.

"Now, you could park five Suburbans parallel on Congress Avenue," she said.

Ms. Paige said she knew the party was over when the lights were about to be turned out on her title company. She said she is relocating to Houston, a larger city with a more active commercial real estate market.

Austin's economy climbed from 1983 through 1985, when employment grew 8 percent to 9 percent annually. The condominium market was so hot that parents of University

of Texas students were able to reap profits large enough from their housing to cover university expenses.

But last year, there was a 39 percent vacancy rate in office space, meaning that 8.5 million square feet went unused and commercial construction ground to a halt.

The problems weren't just confined to bankruptcies of former Gov. John Connally and Nash Phillips-Copus Inc., the city's largest home builder.

"When you looked at the foreclosures," said one real estate analyst, "it was a 'Who's Who of Austin.' There were doctors and lawyers — people I always considered to have deep pockets — and suddenly they were saying no more."

By the end of 1987, the unemployment rate was an unprecedented 6.9 percent, in part because of the loss of 500 jobs in the finance, insurance and real estate sectors.

Wholesale and retail trade slumped and the volume of bank clearings dove by 18 percent, signifying a slowdown in spending or ability to pay. Meanwhile, local financial institutions were still pursuing business and federal regulators clamped down on rampant real estate speculation.

The 1,190 properties listed for foreclosure sale next month have set a record for Travis County. About 60 percent of the properties are residential, according to Real-Comp, a public record data services company.

Last year, five Austin banks failed and just 75 developers were still in business. Six hotels have changed hands in foreclosure sales during the recessionary period.

"The bigger the party, the bigger the hangover," said economist Don Reynolds. "Austin had the biggest party in Texas and, therefore, the longest hangover."

Texaco ready to close door on the past

HOUSTON (AP)—Texaco Inc., which is preparing to emerge from bankruptcy, will be a dramatically different company from the one that sought protection from creditors almost a year ago, the oil giant's president says.

James W. Kinnear said he is ready to close the door on the past — one filled with a landmark lawsuit and bankruptcy proceedings — and focus his attention on running Texaco.

He and other management officials have an opportunity almost unparalleled in U.S. corporate history: a mandate to completely restructure an organization rich in assets but burdened with enormous debt, the Houston Chronicle reported Sunday.

"What's done is done, and now I am going to do my job, which is to

run an oil company," he said in a Chronicle story reported from White Plains, N.Y., where Texaco is based.

The new Texaco will be more aggressive, more competitive, more efficient and more profitable, Kinnear said.

Texaco also will be putting much more emphasis on oil and gas exploration and production. In the past, the company's strengths were in refining and marketing.

"We are going to change the image of this company from what it perhaps was to what it is," he said.

Texaco's decision to seek bankruptcy protection stems from its acquisition of Getty Oil Co. for \$10.1 billion in January 1984. Houston's Pennzoil Co. sued Texaco for interfering in a proposed

merger between Getty and Pennzoil and obtained an \$11.1 billion judgment against Texaco in a 1985 state district court trial.

The verdict was upheld on appeal, but the damage award was reduced by \$2 billion.

Claiming an inability to post a \$12 billion bond necessary to continue its appeal and fearing that Pennzoil would try to impose liens on its properties, Texaco last April filed for reorganization under Chapter 11 of federal bankruptcy laws.

Texaco finally agreed late last year to pay Pennzoil \$3 billion in cash. And last week, U.S. Bankruptcy Judge Howard Schwartzberg signed an order confirming the Pennzoil settlement and Texaco's reorganization plan, paving the way for Texaco to regain its independence and restructure.

The new Texaco will not come cheap. The reorganization plan

called for payment of \$5.6 billion — \$3 billion going to Pennzoil and the rest going to creditors. Texaco expects to sell at least \$3.3 billion in assets to finance the program.

But Kinnear is confident Texaco's market value soon will be high enough to attract investors and discourage raiders. He also believes that any calls for the sacrifice of officers and directors involved in the Getty acquisition can be rebuffed.

"There is not one scintilla of evidence that anyone at Texaco had done anything wrong," he said, adding that Judge Schwartzberg said the same thing in his opinion confirming the restructuring plan.

The Pennzoil litigation and bankruptcy are obviously painful topics to the 59-year-old Texaco president.

Authorities: More teens work for drug dealers

DALLAS (AP)—Armed with semiautomatic weapons and lured by potential earnings of as much as \$300 a day, teen-agers are being sent into the front lines of drug wars in growing numbers, authorities say.

Police acknowledge they have no firm numbers on the number of children involved, but say they have encountered more and more youths 16 years old and younger involved in drug dealing.

"It goes back to the old adage: When you've got nothing, you've got nothing to lose," said Sgt. Adrian Brooks, who has spent 14 years patrolling some of Dallas' poorest areas.

Eldridge Fisher, head of security for Dallas schools, says the situation is the worst he has seen in 27 years.

"They've infiltrated the schools, and not just the high schools — the elementary and

middle schools, too," he said.

The youths, insulating the adult drug dealers from arrest, work such jobs as watching out for police officers or rival drug dealers or selling tiny bags of crack, a derivative of cocaine. Some have even killed.

One youth went from being a part-time drug dealer in Brooklyn, N.Y., to a convicted murderer in Dallas sentenced to 18 years in prison.

John Charles Smith, born in New York on June 25, 1972, spent his first seven years in his mother's native Jamaica before returning to New York to live with his grandmother.

The 15-year-old began selling crack and marijuana when he was 14, after running errands for drug dealers.

"I've got me a good reputation," Smith told The Dallas Morning News. "I just cool out, hang out and go party with them. That's it.

They like me for that because I do stuff for them like going to the store."

Within hours of his arrival at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport last summer, a local Jamaican drug dealer took him to an apartment in the Oak Cliff section, and Smith was peddling crack that same day. He started out earning \$350 a week but was earning \$500 a week before his summer job ended.

In his world, Smith trusts his drug bosses to take care of him and he never names any of them.

"If you're with them, then they're going to be responsible for you. If you die, then they're going to be the ones to send your body back to New York, paying the cost of the casket and give your parents the money" earned, he said.

Gray skies, extra security, calm beach weekend

PORT ARANSAS (AP)—The last weekend of spring break was tranquil as overcast weather and extra uniformed officers covered Padre and Mustang island beaches.

"The worst is definitely behind us," said Nueces County Pct. 4 Commissioner J.P. Luby. "I don't look for any more problems."

The quiet weekend was a sharp contrast from the weekend of March 19, when the island town was rocked by stabbings, a beach

riot and traffic fatalities.

This weekend, about 15,000 people were on Padre Island beaches while about 20,000 were on Mustang Island at Port Aransas.

"We had no major problems today. Most of the spring breakers were already leaving," Maj. Pete Peralta of the Nueces County Sheriff's Department said Sunday.

A stabbing incident was reported during a fight in Port Aransas Friday night, but no

other major violence was reported during the weekend, Luby said.

A spokeswoman for the Port Aransas Police Department said the crowds were smaller and tamer this weekend.

Sunday was the second day of increased patrols brought out by Nueces County Sheriff James T. Hickey to keep the peace after last weekend's disturbances.

Report: Conditions deplorable despite \$10 million federal housing subsidy

DALLAS (AP)—Government housing officials committed almost \$10 million in federal funds to reopen an abandoned apartment complex whose residents now face problems such as backed-up sewage and rats, The Dallas Morning News reported in a copyright story.

The contract was authorized by the Dallas Housing Authority, approved by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development and endorsed by the city of Dallas, even though all three agencies had documentation in their files that would have disqualified the complex from participation in any federal housing program, the newspaper said in the report published Sunday.

The complex's location in a low-income, almost exclusively black neighborhood violated federal regulations.

And the decision to subsidize Robin Square Apartments allowed Lomas & Nettleton Financial Corp. to turn a \$600,000 defaulted apartment loan into a \$2.3 million profit, The News said.

Previously, Lomas & Nettleton had received only a \$75,000 offer for the complex near Fair Park, in one of Dallas' worst neighborhoods.

The decision, reached during a series of private meetings in 1980 and 1981, resulted in a \$9.6 million contract, with lucrative tax benefits, for the apartments' eventual owner, Austin developer Alfred D. Hughes, who was appointed in 1985 to the Texas Board of Corrections.

Officials said the contract guaranteed rent pay-

ments over a 15-year period to cover the purchase of Robin Square, operating expenses and a \$1 million renovation.

Problems facing many of the low-income black families assigned to the 156-unit complex, include faulty wiring, collapsing ceilings, poor heating and bad security, according to reports by local and federal housing inspectors.

Former housing officials said the facility was so substandard and the renovation proposal so inadequate the complex should have been bulldozed.

Last July, more than two dozen tenants filed suit in federal court in Dallas, asking for permission to move from the project, claiming unsafe and unsanitary living conditions.

Hughes said officials are daily correcting problems to keep the complex within standards.

"I provide probably 6,000 to 8,000 people with a real happy, good place to live," he said, referring to his subsidized projects across Texas.

J. Marvin Sexton, the Lomas & Nettleton vice president who successfully lobbied for subsidies said his company was motivated by the best interest of the company and the community.

But Dallas Housing Authority Executive Director Jack Herrington, who has headed the agency for nine years and said he was responsible for reopening Robin Square, said he made a mistake.

"I'm not proud of it," he said. "I'm satisfied that there probably wouldn't be anyone (today) that would agree to do Robin Square."

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Opinion

Highway robbery is really its game

You might think that if a tax had been instituted to fund a particular project, then when that project was completed the tax would be rescinded. Unfortunately, that's not how things usually work.

Instead, it is with endless lust that bureaucrats view tax money. To them, spending your money is a sort of natural right. Indeed, people in government are at their most creative when expounding the reasons they should keep getting money to spend.

So it comes as no surprise when government highway officials and other special interests are already meeting to construct the case for keeping the federal fuel tax in place. The 42,500-mile federal interstate highway program has finished building all the roads on its agenda.

The interstate highway program was begun under President Eisenhower in 1957, with the idea of building enough roads to make it easy to get across the country by car or truck. A federal tax of 9 cents per gallon of gasoline — about \$50 a year for most Texas drivers — was levied to finance the program. They've been building like crazy ever since, and they are about to run out of projects that can feasibly be designated essential to an interstate highway network. The last cubic yard of concrete is scheduled to be poured sometime late in 1991.

Since the job will be done, and a funding mechanism is in place for maintenance of the interstate network, the logical thing would be to rescind the tax while all concerned pat themselves on the back for actually finishing a project, right? The logical agencies to raise money for other roads are state and local governments (or private owners), right? Maybe not.

If a meeting this month in California of interested parties — from government, the trucking industry, public transit, and elsewhere — is any indication, the consensus is likely to be that the federal tax should remain in place, with the money turned over as quickly as possible to state and local road-building agencies. The last thing these officials want is for motorists to get the idea that repealing a tax is a realistic option.

In fact, from their standpoint, a federal tax might be ideal. If the feds collect the money and the locals spend it, the locals can continue to act as if some government projects can be provided with "free" federal money without taxpayers realizing that every government service requires money to be seized by force from somebody.

Perhaps an upsurge of outrage from motorists nationwide will foil this cozy scheme. A "temporary" tax levied for a specific project should be ended when the project is completed. The federal gasoline tax should be rescinded after 1991. If states and localities think they need more money for roads after that, they are the ones who should make the case and take the heat.

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Judge Nixon was disgraceful

WASHINGTON — They were just a bunch of good ole Mississippi boys, rattling around Biloxi and Hattiesburg, chewing the fat, cutting a deal or two: "Bud" Holmes, the local district attorney; wealthy old Wiley Fairchild; his middle-aged son, Drew; a lawyer named Porter — and Walt Nixon.

There might not have been much of a problem, but Walter L. Nixon Jr. was a U.S. district judge. The thing is, Nixon is still a U.S. district judge, though he must report by March 23 to the federal prison at Eglin Field, Fla., there to begin serving a five-year term. He has refused to resign. He still is drawing his \$89,500 salary.

That intolerable situation is about to come to an end. As soon as the prison doors close on Nixon, Rep. Jim Sensenbrenner of Wisconsin will introduce a resolution of impeachment. Citing the recent precedent of Judge Harry Claiborne of Nevada, Sensenbrenner will ask the Judiciary Committee for expedited action.

The Nixon story might have been drawn from the pages of William Faulkner. Records now on file at the U.S. Supreme Court fairly breathe of pulp-pine woods and catfish swamps. All the old smells are there — courthouse smells, smells of ambition tainted by desire, and in this case, the more tangible, acrid smell of marijuana by the bale.

The facts, as in any Faulkner yarn, are as tangled as Spanish moss. Let me try to sort them out.

Walter Nixon Jr., born in Biloxi in December 1928, followed a familiar path: Louisiana State University, Tulane, a law degree, four years of private practice back in Biloxi. In June of 1968, when Nixon was not yet 40, Lyndon Johnson



James J. Kilpatrick

named him to become a district judge for the Southern District of Mississippi. He was married and on his way toward raising a family of seven children. Burdens began to pile up. By the summer of 1980, as the 5th U.S. Circuit Court later would observe, "he had for some years been dissatisfied with his modest judicial salary and had looked for means to augment it." Nixon found these means in the person of Wiley Fairchild, a wealthy investor in oil and gas properties who was ready to do a favor for a friend. Fairchild sold the judge an interest in three wells "at an extremely modest price." Six years later Nixon had recouped his investment six times over.

At about this time, Fairchild's child Drew was running the airport at Hattiesburg. He would be charged with conspiring with others to arrange for a load of marijuana to be flown from Colombia to Hattiesburg. Federal agents met the plane on arrival. A series of "somewhat bizarre delays" ensued, but finally a federal grand jury indicted Drew on the marijuana charge. In return for a light sentence, he agreed to plead guilty and to testify for the government.

A dispute developed between Drew Fairchild and his lawyer, William Porter, over the fee that was owed. Drew's daddy got his back up, said the bill was too high. Wheels turned. Good ole boys talked to good ole boys, and suddenly Drew was indicted again — this time at Bud Holmes' behest in a state court. Again a deal was struck, and this time Drew got six months in jail. Porter got paid.

Somewhere along the line, a grand jury questioned Judge Nixon about his role in the affair. This was the question: "Did Holmes ever discuss the Drew Fairchild case with you?" This was the answer under oath: "No, not to the best of my recollection."

Nixon elaborated upon that answer: "I have never talked with anyone about the case, with any federal judge or state judge, federal prosecutor or state prosecutor... I never had anything to do with it at all, and never talked to anyone to in any way influence anybody with respect to this case."

But it was not so. Nixon had talked to Holmes, had a drink with him, relayed the word that Wiley Fairchild had asked him to put in a good word for his son. Indicted on three counts of perjury, Nixon insisted the grand jury's question was "ambiguous." A trial found him guilty; the 5th Circuit last September unanimously affirmed the conviction. A few weeks ago the Supreme Court refused review.

Nixon thus stands in exactly the position of Judge Claiborne, who was convicted of tax evasion, went to prison, but held on to his title and his salary. The House impeached Claiborne in 1986 and the Senate convicted him. Next in this disgraceful line: Judge Walter L. Nixon Jr.



Today in history

By The Associated Press
Today is Monday, March 28, the 88th day of 1988. There are 278 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On March 28th, 1979, the worst U.S. commercial nuclear accident occurred inside the No. 2 reactor at Pennsylvania's Three Mile Island power plant. A cooling system malfunctioned, damaging the reactor's core and leaking radioactivity.

On this date:
In 1797, Nathaniel Briggs of New Hampshire patented a washing machine.

In 1834, the U.S. Senate voted to censure President Andrew Jackson for the removal of federal deposits from the Bank of the United States.

In 1930, the names of the Turkish cities of Constantinople and Angora were changed to Istanbul and Ankara.

In 1939, the Spanish Civil War ended as Madrid fell to the forces of Francisco Franco.

In 1941, novelist and critic Virginia Woolf died in Lewes, England.

In 1942, during World War II, British naval forces raided the Nazi-occupied French port of St. Nazaire.

There are no more civilians

For seven and a half years Iran and Iraq have been throwing manpower at one another in a war more debilitating to the aggressor than devastating to the defender.

Historically, the understood rule-of-thumb in such duels requires that an attacking army must be prepared to suffer — from four-to-one to 10-to-one — more casualties than the defending force.

Even to the worshippers of Islam, convinced that to die in battle is to go straight to heaven, this can be a fruitless sacrifice.

But in late February Iraq discovered that it could modify its Soviet-made Scud-B rockets. By reducing the explosive warhead to one-fifth of its design load of 1,750 pounds of explosives, they could double the range of those missiles.

That brought Iran's capital city, Tehran, within range!

Since then you've been hearing the conflict referred to as "the war of the cities," with Iran and Iraq trading long-range missile attacks on their adversary's capital cities of Baghdad and Iran.

Iraq has launched 40-plus such missiles at last



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count: Iran substantially fewer. This, in miniature, is what we've been told World War III would be like — with people killing people they never see.

One Iranian missile aimed at the city of Baghdad need not strike a specific strategic target. Frequently they scream out of the night onto that city of four million people to level a civilian neighborhood.

After seven and a half years of foot-soldier war, Iran and Iraq have discovered how to hurt most at the least cost.

When traffic flow on any city street is interrupted by a single roadblock, the resultant traf-

fic snarl offers a tiny example of the monumental snafu which ensues after a single bomb falls.

Explosives are drastically disrupting life in Tehran and Baghdad.

It's too soon to say that missiles will shorten that war. The fanaticism on both sides is impossible for a rational Western mind to anticipate.

But hundreds are dying and thousands are hurting and big-city commerce and industry are bleeding.

Heretofore, in all the history of military weapons, tactics and strategy — old men were able to sentence young men to fight their wars for them while the old men were able to "play war" like a game of chess, a safe distance from the fighting.

Not anymore. Wars have "come home" now.

For the guided missile, nobody is out of reach. There are no civilians anymore.

Maybe we've been without a world war for 40 years because these enormous, impersonal guided missiles have taken the fun out of it.

Super Tuesday shows politics' changes

By ROBERT WALTERS

WASHINGTON (NEA) — Obscured by the hoopla over how the candidates fared on Super Tuesday were a pair of disarming messages for the Democrats delivered by voters who participated in presidential primaries across the South.

The party that once exercised political hegemony throughout the region continues to lose support, while the Republicans sustain the growth rate they have enjoyed during the realignment of the past four decades.

Moreover, voter preferences in the recent Democratic presidential primaries, especially in the Deep South, produced an unmistakable pattern of racial segregation. Blacks voted almost exclusively for the sole black candidate, while virtually all whites participated in what was, in effect, a separate contest among the white candidates.

Assessing the strength of political parties on the basis of turnout in elections is a dicey business in an era of independent, ticket-splitting voters not likely to strongly identify them-

selves with any party. Complicating that task is the fact that many southerners have a newfound preference for Republicans in presidential contests but remain loyal to Democrats in state and local races.

In Kentucky, for example, 316,000 people participated in the Democratic presidential primary earlier this month but 637,000 voters — more than twice as many — cast ballots in the state's Democratic gubernatorial primary last May.

The seemingly inexorable trend away from the Democrats and toward the Republicans continues throughout the region.

In Georgia, for example, Democratic turnout declined more than 9 percent between the 1984 presidential primary and this year's comparable race. Republican participation, however, almost doubled, from slightly more than 200,000 in 1980 (the last time the GOP had a contested primary) to just under 400,000 this year.

In Louisiana, Democratic turnout almost doubled from 1984 to 1988 but Republican participation more than

tripled from 1980 to 1988. In Texas, GOP turnout soared more than 87 percent in eight years.

Equally disturbing for the Democrats are the Super Tuesday results in the four contiguous Deep South states in which Jesse Jackson won this year's presidential primaries — Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama and Georgia.

In those contests, Jackson received an average of 94 percent of the black vote while 94 percent of the whites cast their ballots for white candidates. (Sen. Albert Gore Jr. of Tennessee, who appealed to southern voters as a native son of the region, won the unofficial "white primary" in each of the four states by placing second to Jackson.)

In an ironic twist, all of that embarrassment has been visited upon the southern Democratic politicians who concocted Super Tuesday. They had insisted that it would strengthen the party in the region — despite warnings from knowledgeable observers elsewhere in the country that Super Tuesday was a dreadful idea.

Frustrated in their quest for a conservative presidential candidate from the region, the southern Democrats settled instead for Jackson; for Gore, educated at an exclusive Washington prep school and Harvard University; and for Massachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis, a liberal Yankee with no ties to the South.

The ambitious plan to conduct concurrent voting in 20 states and territories produced a campaign in which the candidates were forced to maintain such hectic travel schedules that they were simultaneously everywhere and nowhere.

Money, whose deleterious effect on contemporary politics already is well documented, attained extraordinary importance in that synthetic setting.

The candidates who attracted the most votes on primary day generally were those who spent millions of dollars for television commercials. That surely is not the way elections are supposed to be decided.

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Budget momentum is likely to continue in Senate this week

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate budget writers get their shot this week at crafting a \$1 trillion fiscal 1989 federal spending plan, an exercise that normally causes fur to fly but this year should be relatively tame.

With 1988 an election year, a truce has taken hold in what is usually a three-way budget battle among the White House and congressional Democrats and Republicans.

The reason is last fall's budget summit pact between Congress and the administration, an accord that settled most of the fiscal fights well in advance. Lawmakers are showing no inclination to reopen the usually wrenching decisions about taxes and military and domestic spending that the summit has already made.

"There are enough hopeless endeavors here without taking on another," said Sen. Rudy Boschwitz, R-Minn., a member of the Senate Budget Committee.

The budget panel scheduled meetings beginning today to write the spending plan for fiscal 1989, which begins Oct. 1. Committee members say they expect their work to be completed as early as Tuesday or Wednesday.

In a rare show of bipartisan unity, the House approved a \$1.1 trillion budget last Wednesday. There, as in the Senate, the only real question left for the lawmakers to decide was how to divide up the \$169.2 billion the summit accord allows for domestic programs that Congress directly controls.

When President Reagan sent his budget proposal to Congress last month, he asked for a \$2.4 billion increase in space and science programs. The House slashed that figure in half to help finance a batch of other programs that Reagan sought to

eliminate or reduce, such as subsidized housing, mass transit aid and energy conservation grants.

The Senate budget panel, however, is likely to be much more kind to science. In part that's because the committee is chaired by Democratic Sen. Lawton Chiles of Florida, home of Cape Canaveral, and the senior Republican is Pete V. Domenici, whose home state of New Mexico houses some large federal laboratories.

"There's no doubt you'll see science and NASA and futuristic things, we'll push that up, which means other things have to be restrained," Domenici said Friday.

Lawmakers and aides of both parties concede that there is little support among senators for eliminating programs as the president has proposed. So to finance those programs and to pay for large increases in science, education, the homeless, AIDS research and the fight against drugs, the budget panel will have to find savings in a wide range of domestic programs.

The Senate, like the House, will write a budget using economic assumptions prepared by the White House's Office of Management and Budget.

The use of those projections, generally more optimistic than the forecasts of private economists, helped the House compose a budget with a projected 1989 deficit of \$134 billion. That would avoid the automatic spending cuts that would occur under the Gramm-Rudman budget balancing law if the deficit should exceed \$146 billion.

If lawmakers chose to use projections by their own non-partisan Congressional Budget Office — which are far gloomier than those by OMB — they would be staring at an estimated deficit that would grow by \$35 billion and raise the possibility of enormous spending reductions.

Church officials meeting to decide Swaggart's punishment

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. (AP) — The punishment of fallen TV evangelist Jimmy Swaggart was left to his church's key governing body today, in an effort to settle a dispute between state and national leaders of the Assemblies of God.

The Pentecostal denomination's 250-member General Presbytery opens a two-day meeting, with a decision on Swaggart's punishment expected Tuesday afternoon, church spokeswoman Juleen Turnage said.

The General Presbytery will have the final say on Swaggart's rehabilitation. Swaggart has been linked to a prostitute, but the exact nature of his transgression has not been disclosed since he tearfully stepped down from his pulpit Feb. 21.

The Louisiana Presbytery of the Assemblies of God had recommended that Swaggart undergo two years of rehabilitation and be suspended from his Baton Rouge, La., pulpit for three

months. But the Executive Presbytery, 13 men who serve as a national board of directors for the church, asked the state district to reconsider what some called an unprecedentedly lenient response to a minister's moral lapse.

After gathering again on Feb. 29 in a nine-hour session, the Louisiana Presbytery stood by its original decision. The General Presbytery, whose members include representatives from each of the church's state districts, has been charged with resolving the conflict.

Reports circulated that Swaggart would leave the Assemblies of God if church officials suspended him from his pulpit for longer than three months. But a spokesman for Swaggart's ministry said he has made no decision on how he might react to the national council's decision.

Mrs. Turnage said she did not believe the General Presbytery would be swayed by "rumors

heard through the media."

Church officials refused to comment on a newspaper report that a compromise proposal has been offered that would bar Swaggart from preaching for one year, but would order him to give public testimony about his sin.

The 10-page proposal, obtained Sunday night by The Springfield News-Leader, was worked out by Cliff Jackson, a Little Rock, Ark., lawyer and church member who said the plan has been endorsed by both Swaggart and Louisiana church leaders.

Swaggart, who addressed his congregation briefly in Baton Rouge on Sunday as he has done several times since formally relinquishing the pulpit, is not expected to appear at today's meeting, Mrs. Turnage said.

In response to reporters' shouted questions as he drove from the service, Swaggart said he wasn't planning to leave the ministry, adding, "Why should I?"

Adviser to Jim Wright tried to sell weapons to Contras

WASHINGTON (AP) — House Speaker Jim Wright says he had no idea that one of his own advisers had tried to sell weapons to Lt. Col. Oliver North's secret Contra supply network three months before the Iran-Contra scandal began to unravel.

The speaker, who has long opposed military aid to the Nicaraguan rebels and has been a leader in trying to achieve a negotiated peace there, said he knew nothing of the 1986 arms offer by his associate, Richard M. Pena.

Pena, a former House Foreign Affairs Committee staff member, contacted North's associate Richard Miller just three months before disclosures about the Iran-Contra affair shut down North's operation in November 1986.

In an Aug. 15, 1986, letter to a front company set up by Miller, Pena offered grenades, bombs, mines and boots from two South American companies.

The letter went to World Affairs Counselors, a Cayman Islands front company formed by Miller and his partner Frank Gomez to handle their Contra transactions for North. A copy of the letter was obtained by The Associated Press.

Pena has been one of Wright's advisers on Central America over the past several years and as recently as January was the Texas Democrat's paid emissary to the region as the warring factions wrangled over starting cease-fire talks, said Wright aide Marshall Lynam. He said Pena was on the speaker's payroll for a few days on each of three occasions.

Wright, through Lynam, said he had no knowledge of the arms sale offer by Pena.

"Jim Wright was not aware of any of these activities. He knew Richard Pena as a Texan, a man who had extensive connections and acquaintances in Central America, a person who was acquainted with the Contra people in Central America," Lynam said. He said Wright "had confidence in his advice ... and had no reason to think there was any reason why he should not use him in an eyes-and-ears capacity."

The special congressional committees that investigated the Iran-Contra affair took sworn depositions from Pena after finding his letter in Miller's documents, committee sources said. But one source, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the committee

staff decided not to pursue the Pena matter because it appeared to be an isolated incident, rather than an integral part of the North network.

Miller pleaded guilty in the Iran-Contra case, along with conservative fund-raiser Carl "Spitz" Channell, to conspiring with North to defraud the government by raising money through a tax-exempt foundation to purchase weapons for the Contras.

Attorneys said it appeared Pena's activity was not unlawful.

Pena could not be reached for comment. Lynam said Pena is on vacation in Central America, and he had been unable to reach him to ask about the matter. Pena's office said he did not check in for messages last week.

Nancy Reagan sings for Gridiron

WASHINGTON (AP) — A first lady once criticized for extravagance got in a good-natured jab at her Soviet counterpart's own fashionable ways when Nancy Reagan put on a surprise singing performance at the Washington media's annual Gridiron Club dinner.

Mrs. Reagan, dressed in a red formal gown, unexpectedly appeared on stage Saturday night as a chorus of journalists was wrapping up its ribbing of key figures in the news, including the first family, the presidential candidates and Jim and Tammy Bakker.

The first lady received two standing ovations for her song, which included a verse about her meetings with Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev's wife, Raisa, during the Washington summit last December.

To the tune of "Thanks for the Memories," Mrs. Reagan sang, "Thanks for the memory, the Soviet Mona Lisa, sometimes known as Raisa, she said to me, 'Would you like to see my MasterCard and Visa?'"

President Reagan, beaming at his wife's show-stopper, issued the challenge "Raisa, top that" after Mrs. Reagan's song.

"It was all in good humor," Mrs. Reagan's press secretary Elaine Crispin said Sunday. "The whole Gridiron is done in that spirit, and that's all that's intended." She said the words to Mrs. Reagan's song were written by former White House speechwriter Landon Parvin.

Although both Mrs. Reagan and Mrs. Gorbachev maintained that their relations during the December summit were warm, observers noticed a coolness between the two women.



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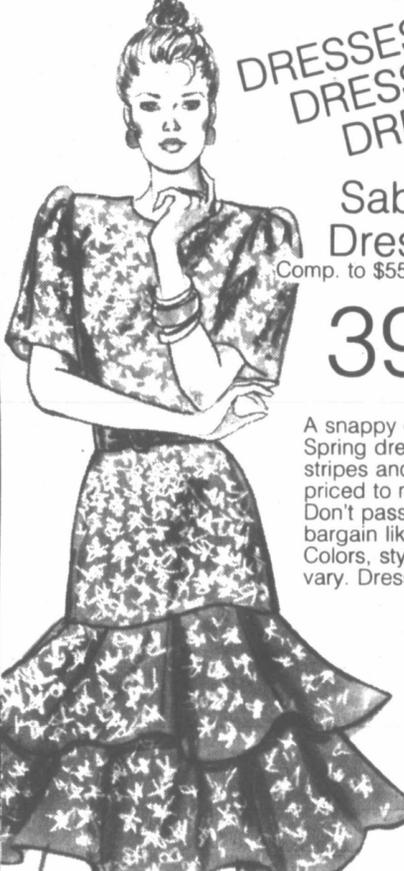
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Protest march called by anti-Noriega forces

PANAMA CITY, Panama (AP) — Opposition leaders stepped up their campaign to oust strongman Gen. Manuel Antonio Noriega by calling on Panamanians to stage a protest march in the capital, despite a state of emergency.

The march, to be held this afternoon, comes at the start of the second week of a general strike that has shut down an estimated 90 percent of the nation's industry and commerce, further aggravating a critical cash shortage.

As the opposition planned the march Palm Sunday, Catholic church leaders said government authorities "fear this explosion of sentiments" and appealed to both sides to show restraint. The church leaders said in a statement they would send observers to today's march in Panama City to try to keep the peace.

Police and soldiers, under Noriega who heads the 15,000-member Defense Forces, have suppressed recent demonstrations with tear gas and shotguns.

Also Sunday, the Social Security Institute said it will pay its 55,000 retirees up to \$150 of their semi-monthly pension benefits this week. They had threatened to join today's march if they didn't receive their payments.

In another development, Elliott Abrams, the assistant secretary of state for inter-American affairs, predicted in Washington on Sunday that many of the marchers will be "members of the families of the Defense Forces."

The government on Sunday expelled a reporter for the French news agency Agence France

Press because his visa had been issued by a Panamanian consular official in Washington loyal to deposed President Eric Arturo Delvalle.

Leaders of the National Civic Crusade, the main opposition alliance, said they would defy any ban on the march that the government might issue under an 11-day-old state of emergency. The government had no immediate response.

The emergency suspended civil liberties and gave the state powers to reopen banks and stores closed by the cash crisis.

The decree permits the government to suspend a wide range of civil liberties, including freedom of speech and assembly and the right to private property.

Iran says it has captured Iraqi territory

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Iran today said its Revolutionary Guards killed or wounded 300 Iraqis in a battle in northeast Iraq and now hold more than 500 square miles of the strategic Kurdistan region after a two-week offensive.

Iraq has admitted losing territory in Kurdistan in fighting with Iran. But if today's Iranian claim is confirmed, it would mark Iraq's biggest military setback since an attack on the southern city of Basra 13 months ago.

The Kurdistan region is strategic because it is home to a hydroelectric dam that supplies most of the power for the region and

Baghdad, the Iraqi capital. The fighting also was reportedly within 70 miles of oilfields that produce more than half of Iraq's total output, which is vital to the country's war effort.

In the Persian Gulf, Iranian gunboats today attacked the 337,733-ton Danish supertanker Karama Maersk off the southern emirate of Sharjah, setting it on fire, gulf-based shipping executives reported. Three hours later, the gunboats attacked the 219,287-ton Norwegian-operated tanker Golar Kansai in the same area and set it ablaze, said the officials, speaking on condition of anonymity.

It was not immediately known if there were

any casualties aboard the tankers, but salvage tugs were reported racing to aid the stricken vessels.

The Iranians claimed 5,000 Iraqi Kurds were killed and 5,000 injured when Iraqi warplanes recently dropped cyanide and mustard gas bombs on the towns after they had been captured in the Iranian offensive.

In a related development, a large group of Kurds protesting Iraq's alleged use of chemical weapons spent Sunday night outside the U.S. Embassy in London but refused to deliver a petition today without meeting an embassy official.

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Prosecutor: President's brother embezzled at least \$9 million

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — A prosecutor today said the brother of former President Chun Doo-hwan embezzled at least \$9 million, and opposition leaders charged other members of Chun's family were involved in widespread corruption.

Prosecutor Kang Won-il said officials uncovered evidence Chun Kyung-hwan embezzled \$9.3 million as head of the semi-official Saemaul development movement. Kang said altogether up to \$14 million may have been embezzled.

The younger Chun was expected to be summoned for questioning Tuesday and he will probably be detained, Kang said. "Once Chun is summoned, it will be difficult to allow him to return home in view of circumstances," he said.

The state-run Korean Broadcasting System reported Chun Kyung-hwan and other senior Saemaul officials were expected to be charged Tuesday with corruption and other crimes.

Prosecutors have uncovered evidence of widespread corruption in the Saemaul movement under Chun Kyung-hwan, including embezzlement, influence peddling and bribery. The affair has become a major scandal in South Korea.

Scores of government officials also have been questioned about being involved in corruption within Saemaul or helping to conceal it to protect the former president and his family.

Kim Young-sam and other

opposition leaders today charged that other members of the Chun family were involved in corruption, including former first lady Lee Soon-ja. He demanded the government probe be extended to include other Chun relatives.

"The administration should not be allowed to terminate the investigation of Chun Kyung-hwan's scandal," he told a news conference.

There have long been allegations the former first lady and other Chun relatives misused their official connections to amass fortunes. President Chun, who is visiting the United States, has not been directly implicated in the Saemaul affair.

Kim, who resigned in February as leader of the opposition Reunification Democratic Party, also said today he will seek election to the National Assembly in elections next month.

But Kim, who resigned after losing presidential elections in December, indicated he was not returning as party leader and said he would act as "an ordinary party member."

"I am running to help crush the present regime's plot to perpetuate its rule," he said.

Prosecutors say the younger Chun, who was appointed by his brother, used his position as Saemaul leader to divert government and private donations, sell influence and pressured businesses to make gifts of money, land and stocks.

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Cameos are miniature works of art

By RALPH and TERRY KOVEL

A cameo is actually a form of sculpture, a miniature work of art that is carved by hand.

The earliest examples from ancient times were made of hard stones and precious gems such as agate, onyx, jasper, amethyst, chalcedony, emerald and malachite.

The use of such materials allowed the artists to portray a raised figure or bust against a flat background. A skillful artist was able to use the layers of color in the stone to depict a light figure against a dark background.

The shell cameo was especially popular in Italy during the 19th century. Cameos were carved, sometimes well, sometimes poorly, from Queen's Conch shells and sold to tourists. Colored lava rock from the Pompeii area was also used.

Carved cameos of the 18th, 19th and 20th centuries are found in jewelry today, set in rings, bracelets, pendants and earrings, and sometimes as furniture decoration.

Cameos both good and bad are still being made. Quality is determined not by age but by material and workmanship. The best cameos are made of hard stones. The carving should be crisp and very detailed, and there should be no cracks in the stones.

Some costume jewelry is made with cameolike stones that have been molded instead of carved.

Q. How was a tea caddy used?
A. Tea was a very expensive commodity in the 18th and early 19th centuries. A pound of tea in the 1700s cost the equivalent of over \$100 in today's money. The cost of transportation from the Orient plus heavy import duties kept the price high until the 1830s. It is said that more tea was smuggled into England than was

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legally imported, and otherwise respectable people bought tea from smugglers without remorse. It was so valuable that it was even included in wage agreements. For instance, in 1776 a maid's wages might consist of 5 guineas a year and tea twice daily.

Locked tea boxes, usually called tea chests, were being made in the 18th century. The tea caddy was originally a bottle-shaped holder with a cup-shaped lid that was used to measure the proper amount of tea leaves.

Caddies have been made since the 18th century and can still be found, although today caddies are simply holders for tea leaves.

Q. My pottery vase is completely covered with raised gold circles plus a raised design of leaves. It is marked Doulton.

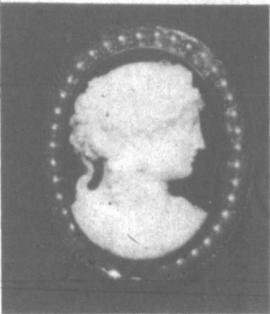
A. The Doulton Company, now called Royal Doulton, made a pottery called Gilt Circle ware from 1880 to 1914 and also for a short time in the 1920s. Items included tobacco jars, planters and vases.

The circles were made of soft clay and the piece was fired; colors and gilding were then added and the piece was refired.

Q. I collect toasters. How early is the first American electric toaster?

A. Toasters have been used since the first of our distant ancestors put a piece of bread on a stick and held it over a fire.

The electric toaster emerged after the invention of chromium-nickel alloy for wire in 1905. A toaster patent was issued a few months later to George Schneider. General Electric was making toasters by 1907.



This black onyx cameo was carved about 1860, then set in a gold frame with pearls. The mounting was made in England but the cameo may have been carved in Italy.

A recent book, "Early Electric American Toasters" by Charles Fisher, divides toasters into types. The simple "percher" toasted a slice of bread that rested on a shelf near the heating element. By 1915 the toaster could turn or flop the bread.

About 1917, toasters were made with a small basket that held the bread so it could be swung around to toast the back side. The first pop-up toaster was made in 1926.

Be very careful if you plan to use an old toaster. Its element may not be properly matched to modern voltage, which can damage the element.

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Rocking chair, stencil decorated, shaped scrolled crest, landscape of Greek Revival house, figures on horseback, scrolled arms, turned legs, c. 1820, 44 inches: \$1,000.

Pine box, painted and decorated, tulips and leaves, four bun feet, probably Pennsylvania, c. 1830, 5 1/2 x 12 x 7 inches: \$6,500.

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JOHN DONNELLY

Donnelly receives Eagle Scout Award

The Eagle Scout Award, the highest honor bestowed by Boy Scouts of America, was presented to John Donnelly recently at a special Court of Honor at St. Matthews Episcopal Church.

Donnelly is senior patrol leader for Troop 413 and a seventh grader at Pampa Middle School. He is the son of Mike and Debbie Donnelly of Pampa, and has a brother, David, and a sister, Jamie.

Also receiving awards at the Court of Honor were Webelos Scouts Brad Haralson and Robert Cozart of Pack 413. Both were presented their fitness activity badges and Webelos badges.

Webelos Johnny Hoggart, Chris Lamberth, Jon Roberts and Richard Williams were presented the Arrow of Light, Cub Scouting's highest honor. They received Pack graduation certificates and were officially welcomed to Boy Scouts.

Boy Scouts Steven Hamill and Kevin Huddleston of Troop 413 were presented the official Troop 413 neckerchief and given their Scout rank awards.

Also receiving recognition for recent advancement in rank were Ricky Brewer, Shawn Bruce, Micah Cobb, Ben Hunter and Aaron Rainey.

Troop Advancement Chairman Jerry Haralson served as master of ceremonies for the Court of Honor. The Eagle program and Eagle charge were presented by Committee Chairman Jim Eisinger and Assistant Scoutmaster Jim Radcliff. The Rev. William Bailey presented the Eagle Award to Donnelly and his parents.

Donnelly joined Cub Scout Pack 410, sponsored by Stephen F. Austin Booster Club, in September 1982. While in Cub Scouts, he earned the bobcat, wolf, bear and Webelos badges.

As a Webelos Scout, he earned 14 activity badges and the Arrow of Light. He also earned the God and Family Episcopal Church Award as a Cub.

Donnelly joined Troop 413 in September 1985. He has been an assistant patrol leader and patrol leader for the wolf patrol prior to his election as senior patrol leader.

He is a trained Den Chief and has helped with two Cub Scout Dens at Pack 410. He served as a Den Chief at Cub Day Camp in 1986 and 1987 and earned the Den Chief service award in June 1987.

Donnelly has accumulated over 40 nights of camping, including long-term experiences at Camp M.K. Brown, Mobeetie; Philmont Scout Ranch, Cimarron, N.M.; and Rocky Mountain Scout Camp, Rye, Colo.

As a Boy Scout, he has earned 22 merit badges including citizenship in the community, citizenship in the nation, citizenship in the world, first aid, communications, environmental science, personal management, safety, emergency preparedness, swimming, sports, art, atomic energy, camping, cooking, cycling, Indian lore, pets, pioneering, weather and wilderness survival.

His service project was to plan and supervise the construction of an 8x10-foot storage building behind St. Matthews Day School to store outdoor riding toys for the day school.

Donnelly is an ordeal member of the Nischa Achawalogen Lodge of the Order of the Arrow, and is currently working on his God and Country Award with Rev. Bailey at St. Matthews Episcopal Church.

His hobbies are basketball, baseball and bowling. He was a member of the PMS seventh grade basketball team, a pitcher for Dean's Pharmacy of the Bambino League and earned several trophies at Harvester Lanes for top scores and average in the Bantam League.

He plans to continue his scouting activities with Troop 413 by helping younger scouts with advancement and serving as a troop leader.

Program trains sitters for special kids

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Finding baby sitters is difficult for any parent. But those who have handicapped children face a special challenge, notes an organization that is doing something about the problem.

A Camp Fire group in Seattle has piloted "Special Sitters," a program that provides training for teen-agers and adults interested in becoming sitters for "special kids." The program has now spread to other cities, including Atlanta, Tampa and Fort Worth.

"Parents of kids with special needs have to help baby sitters learn new techniques for child care," says David Bahlmann, national executive director of Camp Fire Inc., headquartered in Kansas City.

In addition to his role as a youth leader, Bahlmann is also the adoptive parent of several handicapped children.

Based on the Special Sitters curriculum, and on his own experience as a parent, Bahlmann offers these tips for parents of handicapped kids:

- Interview the new baby sitter in person at your home. If sitter and parent agree to proceed with a sitting assignment, provide an hour-long orientation several days before the

actual baby-sitting date to allow sitter and child to get acquainted.

- Look for a baby sitter who knows how to communicate with adults. Sitters need to be good listeners and should be able to repeat instructions back to you.

- Give the sitter an opportunity to speak up and be candid if he or she feels unable to assume responsibility for a particular child.

- Make sure the sitter knows how to play with a special child so their time together can be fun. Explain how the sitter can respond to good behavior, and offer simple ways for the sitter to confront undesirable behavior.

- Help sitters understand alternative ways of communicating with handicapped children. Stress the importance of responding not only verbally but also non-verbally. "Hugs are an excellent form of non-verbal communication," Bahlmann says.

- Make sure the baby sitter is familiar with any special equipment a disabled child needs to use.

- Camp Fire recommends that baby sitters complete a First Aid training program offered by the American Red Cross. The course teaches immediate care for a person

who has been injured or becomes suddenly ill.

"Special Sitters who complete Camp Fire's training all take this course," Bahlmann says. "However, they are not prepared to administer medications, to care for children who have seizures that are not under control, or to baby sit for children whose behavior is dangerous to themselves or others."

One mother of a Down's syndrome child in Lakeland, Fla., said Special Sitters training had provided baby sitters she could feel confident about.

"When I call sitters, I am always careful to say that Sarah is a Down's syndrome child, that she is mentally retarded," the mother said. "Sarah is not on any medications, so there aren't real special instructions to leave for a sitter. Yet, when I have a Camp Fire-trained Special Sitter there are things I don't have to tell her that I would have to tell someone who had not gone through the training."

"For example, telling Sarah to look both ways before crossing the street doesn't mean anything to her, and the sitter must understand that. It's wonderful to have this service available."

Lubbock to host regional NOW conference

LUBBOCK — The Lubbock Chapter of the National Organization for Women has been selected to sponsor the 1988 Regional Conference for the South Central Region. The conference will be held April 22-24 at Lubbock's Holiday Inn Civic Center.

The conference will feature speakers, workshops, plenary sessions and exhibition booths. The main purpose of the event is to elect board members who will represent the region at national meetings. The South Central Region includes Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Oklahoma and Kansas.

Although only NOW members are eligible

to vote, all events are open to the public. There is a \$20 conference registration fee. As at all NOW functions, sliding scale fees are available.

The National Organization for Women's purpose is to take action to bring women into full participation in the mainstream of American society, exercising all privileges and responsibilities thereof in truly equal partnership with men, according to a news release from the organization.

NOW's purpose includes but is not limited to equal rights and responsibilities in all

aspects of citizenship, public service, employment, education and family life, and it includes freedom from discrimination because of race, ethnic origin, age, marital status, sexual preference/orientation or parenthood.

Texas NOW coordinates 33 chapters in 25 cities. Total membership for the state is 5,000 members. Local area chapters include Lubbock, Amarillo, San Angelo and a new convening chapter in Big Spring.

Child care will be available at the conference. For more information, call Barbara Becker at 793-0582.

Vasectomy wasn't answer to family's planning

DEAR ABBY: I have a message for "Angry" who feels that her husband is selfish for refusing to have a vasectomy. I was in the same situation after our second child was born. We had a boy and a girl and agreed that our family was complete, so I asked my husband to have a vasectomy.

He agreed, but his heart wasn't in it. The arrangements were made, and I prepped him for the operation the night before. When we arrived at the hospital, the nurse gave us reading material and consent forms to sign. We read about the surgery procedure, discomforts to be expected, the possible complications, follow-up visits, etc.

Ten minutes later, the nurse came in and said, "Mr. Smith, are you ready?" When my husband replied "Yes," I noticed that his voice was pitched about two octaves higher than normal. At this point I realized that he was doing this just for me, so I said, "What do you say we go get some breakfast and forget this whole thing?"

That did it! He bolted for the door, and with a look of undying gratitude in his eyes, kept saying, "Thank you, thank you" over and over. He didn't even care when he was itching to death while his hair grew back in!

Shortly after, I had a tubal



Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

ligation. There was no pain, no swelling, no loss of work, and best yet, no weekly sperm checks.

I would have advised "Angry" to have a tubal ligation, and leave the family jewels alone. A vasectomy is not for every man. Trust me.

BEEN THERE IN MICHIGAN

DEAR BEEN THERE: I think you are a living doll for standing by your man as you have, but I fear that your testimonial may have done for women's lib what Jimmy Bakker and Jimmy Swaggart have done for television ministries.

DEAR ABBY: My daughter, 21, is pregnant by a boy she's been going with for five years. (He's also 21.) They both work and go to school, but don't have much money. My daughter has decided not to get married right now. She's keeping the baby.

My parents came over last night and went into a two-hour harangue, telling me I should force my daughter to get married right away! They said they were embarrassed about what their friends and neighbors would say. They told me that I was a lousy mother and had no morals. They also said if the boy's parents were decent people, they would force their son to marry the girl.

What do you think?
MOTHER IN THE MIDDLE

DEAR MOTHER: You don't say whether your daughter and the baby's father plan to marry eventually, but it's apparent that your daughter is in no rush to get married. Your parents have no right to call you a lousy mother and denigrate your morals. While I agree, it would make a prettier picture for friends and neighbors if your expectant daughter were married, you cannot "force" a 21-

year-old to do anything.

DEAR ABBY: Our teen-age daughter has been corresponding with a pen pal her age in England. We would like to invite the pen pal to come and visit us this summer.

My question: Would it be considered improper for us not to offer to pay her plane fare?
PENNSYLVANIA PARENTS

DEAR PARENTS: No. An invitation to visit does not imply "paid transportation." Since these pen pals are teen-agers, I suggest that you either telephone or write to the girl's parents and make the invitation official.

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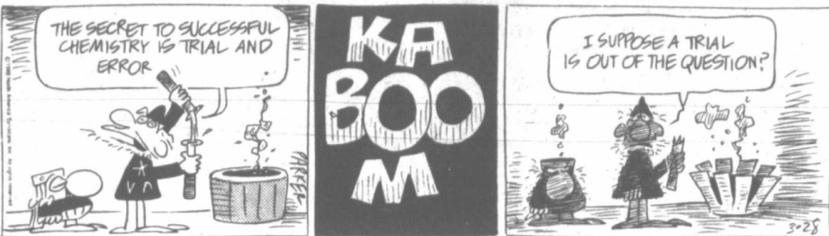
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There is a possibility that you will become involved in an advantageous arrangement in the year ahead that will strengthen your financial position. It will have several side benefits as well.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Objectives you've been unable to achieve lately can be attained today if you're willing to give them a second shot. Play to win and mean it. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Matchmaker set instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) When mixing socially with influential people today, make your presence felt. The impressions you make now will be of value later.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Some interesting changes are now stirring that will prove to be to your ultimate benefit. They'll be brought about by others, not from your efforts.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) It may be easier for you to get your mate to agree with your ideas today than it will be tomorrow. Corner him/her and make your presentation.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You should do rather well today in your commercial dealings if you negotiate from your strengths. Visualize yourself in the driver's seat and maintain that image.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Someone may try to discourage you today from attempting something that fizzled for him/her. This doesn't mean that it won't work out well for you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Follow your own hunches today regarding the way you feel an important matter should be handled. Your insights appear to be on target.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Things should work out to your satisfaction today in your dealing with people who possess a practical outlook. Don't waste time with flighty individuals.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Your financial aspects look encouraging today. If you're presently involved in an arrangement that could make or save you money, give it top priority.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Usually it's unwise to attempt to handle several matters simultaneously, but today could be an exception. The more you have to do, the better you're likely to perform.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) There is a possibility that someone who owes you a debt that you have written off might now want to make amends. This person might rectify the matter today.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Two heads are often better than one. If you are presently mulling over an important decision, talk it over in detail today with your mate.

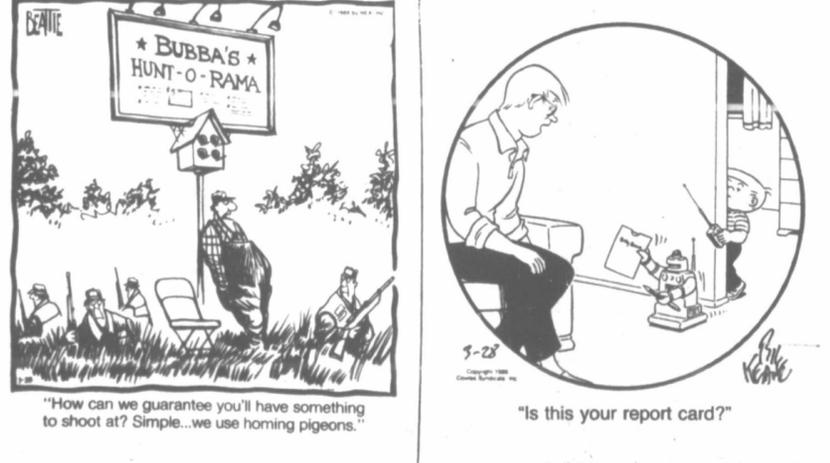
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Sports



Both Kansas' Danny Manning (right) and Kansas State's Ron Meyer try and gain possession of a loose ball.

The Final Four

Arizona, Oklahoma, Duke, Kansas complete picture

By The Associated Press

It's final. The four are Arizona, Oklahoma, Duke and Kansas.

These four teams will battle for college basketball's national championship next Saturday and Monday at Kansas City.

Second-ranked Arizona brought the Pacific-10 Conference back to the Final Four for the first time since UCLA was there in 1980, while No. 4 Oklahoma and Kansas gave the Big Eight dual representation for the first time.

"We've said all year long we're not carrying the banner for anybody but Arizona," Wildcats Coach Lute Olson said, referring to frequent criticism that the Pac-10 has been weak since UCLA fell from national prominence.

Arizona got to the Final Four by beating No. 7 North Carolina 70-52 for the West Regional championship Sunday. In the day's other game, Kansas beat No. 20 Kansas State 71-58 for the Midwest title.

On Saturday, Duke upset No. 1 Temple 63-53 to win the East Regional, and Oklahoma defeated Villanova 78-59 in the Southeast Regional. Arizona, 35-2, plays Oklahoma, 34-3, and Kansas, 25-11, meets Duke, 28-6, in next Saturday's semifinals.

No. 2 Arizona 70, No. 7 N. Carolina 52
Arizona, which failed for the first time in the tournament to win by at least 20 points, is the first Pacific-10 Conference team in the Final Four other than UCLA since Oregon State went in 1963.

Tom Tolbert scored 18 of his 21 points in the second half for Arizona, which has won 15 in a row.

North Carolina, which hit only two field goals in the final 13 minutes, goes home with its worst tournament whipping since a 104-84 loss to Drake in the 1969 Final Four consolation game.

All-American forward Sean Elliott, voted the outstanding player of the regional, led Arizona with 24 points and teamed with frontcourt mates Tolbert and Anthony Cook to hold North Carolina All-American forward J.R. Reid to 10 points.

Kansas 71, No. 20 Kansas State 58
Danny Manning scored 20 points and got some help from his supporting players to lead Kansas into the Final Four for the eighth time, fourth-highest total in tournament history.

Scotter Barry, son of NBA Hall of Famer Rick Barry, scored a career-high 15 points for Kansas after averaging just 2.8 during the season. And Milt Newton had 18 points, nine rebounds and seven assists while holding Kansas State's Mitch Richmond to 11 points, nearly 12 below his average.

"When I looked around the locker room, an awful lot of kids gave us an opportunity to go to Kansas City," Kansas Coach Larry Brown said.

Kansas State led by two at halftime and upped its lead to 36-29 with 18:10 to play. But seniors Manning and Chris Piper each made two field goals in a 14-6 run that put Kansas ahead for good at 43-42 with 13:51 to play.

No. 4 Oklahoma 63, No. 1 Temple 53

Duke Coach Mike Krzyzewski said his Blue Devils played "much like a veteran team to beat the most veteran team we've played all year." But it was the way Duke dealt with Temple freshman Mark Macon that may have made the difference.

Macon scored just 13 points, eight fewer than his average, while being defended by Billy King. Kevin Strickland had 21 points and Danny Ferry 20 for Duke.

Temple dropped to 32-2 after shooting just 28.6 percent for the game.

Temple led by as many as 10 points in the first half and 31-25 after Tim Perry started the second half with a three-point play. But the Owls missed their next 10 shots, six by Macon.

No. 4 Oklahoma 78, Villanova 59

Villanova not only slowed down Oklahoma but succeeded in slowing itself down too. The offense-minded Sooners held the Wildcats scoreless over a 5½-minute stretch late in the game to win the Southeast.

Rangers defeated

PORT CHARLOTTE, Fla. (AP) — Bruce Hurst pitched seven strong innings, his longest effort of the spring, as the Boston Red Sox scored a 7-1 exhibition victory over the Texas Rangers.

Hurst gave up four hits, did not walk a batter and struck out six while Pat Dodson capped off a five-run first inning with a three-run home run.

Lee Smith finished up with two perfect innings, running his spring record to 13 innings in which he has allowed one hit, no runs and struck out 15. He has walked only three.

The Rangers scored their lone run in the first on a sacrifice fly by Ruben Sierra.

The Red Sox batters, meanwhile, got to Rangers starter Bobby Witt for five runs in the first, ending his scoreless streak at 13 2-3 innings.

Ed Romero drove in one with a sacrifice fly.

Perryton wins soccer match

Pampa was defeated by Perryton 3-1 in a high school intramural soccer match last week.

Carey Phillips scored Pampa's only goal with an assist from Chad Etheridge.

Pampa hosts Amarillo High at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Hurdler



Pampa freshman Crystal Cook competes in the 100-meter hurdles Saturday at the Pampa Invitational. Pampa finished second to Amarillo High. The Harvesters won the boys' title.

McCumber wins Players crown

By BOB GREEN
AP Golf Writer

PONTE VEDRA BEACH, Fla. — Mark McCumber doesn't always agree with PGA Tour Commissioner Deane Beman.

"I'm a pretty outspoken guy," McCumber admitted.

But he liked what the Commissioner said at the presentation ceremonies following the Players Championship.

And he agreed.

"This ushers in a new era for Mark McCumber," Beman said following McCumber's front-running four-shot victory Sunday in the annual championship of golf's touring pros.

"I've never played better in my life," said McCumber, 36, who had won five previous PGA Tour titles in a late-starting 11-season career.

And, he said, his best years are in front of him.

"The first four or five years I played, I was kind of catching up with the guys who had played in college. Now I feel I'm even with them," said McCumber, who made six tries at the Tour's Qualifying School before gaining his playing rights.

"I think the next five years should be the best of my career," said McCumber, who hasn't finished lower than 14th this season and has only one round over par this year.

During the 32 holes he played Sunday, he made only one bogey — on the final hole. By then, it mattered not at all.

"Wonderful," said McCumber,

who had to wipe tears from his eyes as the huge gallery — many of them his family, friends and neighbors — gave him a standing ovation as he walked up the 18th fairway with the victory in his pocket.

McCumber was among the 42 players stranded on the course by a series of storms Saturday. He returned shortly after daylight Sunday morning and finished off a third-round 67 that gave him a two-shot lead.

It was all the edge he needed. He led throughout the final 18 holes Sunday afternoon, compiling a 69 that produced the biggest victory of his career.

He won it with a final total of 273, 15 under par and a record on the PGA Tour's home course, beating Calvin Peete's 1985 mark by one stroke.

Shockers win Pampa meet

The Pampa Shockers won the junior varsity division with 118 points in the Pampa Invitational held Saturday.

Terrell Welch won three events for the Shockers, including a 12-8 first in the pole vault.

"I may have to move Terrell up to varsity if he keeps that up," said Pampa coach Mike Shklar.

"That vault was pretty salty for a JV'er."

Team Totals:
1. Pampa, 118; 2. Guymon, 113; 3. Perryton, 112; 4. Clovis, 102; 5. Spearman, 50; 6. Borger, 7; 7. Dumas, 6.

Shot put — 3. Chris Didway.

The victory was worth \$225,000 from the total purse of \$1.25 million and gave McCumber the money-winning lead for the year at \$368,438. Perhaps more importantly, it provided him with a 10-year exemption for Tour events.

Mike Reid, never really in the title chase, came on to take second with a 67 for 277.

South African David Frost, who put the pressure on McCumber over the first nine holes of the final round, had a chance to tie for second until he bogeyed the final hole for a 72.

That dropped him back into a tie for third at 278 with Curt Byrum and another South African, Fulton Allem. Byrum had a closing 70, Allem a 68.

Frost's only hope was that McCumber would make a mistake. He didn't.

Discus — 2. Rankin Harvey. Long jump — 2. Reggie Williams; 5. Brian Pellam.

High jump — 5. Ray Terrell. 110 high hurdles — 1. Terrell Welch, 16.29; 2. Ray Reed. 200 — 5. Brian Pellam. 400 — 2. Greg Wilson; 3. Gus Carrillo.

800 — 1. Gus Carrillo, 2:12.06. 1600 — 4. Shannon Laye. 300 IM hurdles — 1. Terrell Welch, 43.87; 3. Ray Reed. 1600 relay — 3. (Wilson, Carrillo, Didway and Dolvin Briggs).

Pole vault — 1. Terrell Welch, 12-8; 2. Blaine Bolton.

Lady Longhorns eliminated

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer

AUSTIN — Louisiana Tech's voodoo over the Texas Lady Longhorns held. Now, can the Lady Techsters shake the one the Tennessee Lady Vols hold over them?

Fifth-ranked Tech knocked out the fourth-ranked Lady Longhorns 83-80 in overtime to earn the NCAA Women's Midwest Regional basketball title on Saturday night.

It earned Tech, 30-2, a rematch against the defending national champion Lady Vols, who beat Coach Leon Barmore's team 67-44 in the 1987 Final Four championship finals.

Tennessee and Tech play April 1 in Tacoma in the semifinals of the 1988 Final Four.

Texas finished the year 32-3. "I will never forget leaving here last year and being in the airport and hearing all those Tennessee fans," Barmore said. "It was the most embarrassing moment in my life."

Tech also lost 76-74 to Tennessee on a last second shot in Knoxville this season.

"It should be a very good matchup," Barmore said. "We lost to them on that last second shot on their home court. They are very much like Texas."

Tech beat Texas 79-75 in the semifinals of the Final Four here last year.

Nora Lewis had a basket, two free throws and a steal in overtime to put the Lady Longhorns away before 12,288 fans on Saturday night.

"We've had two great games against Texas in the last two years here," said Barmore. "Our kids repented both times against the home crowd. I'm just worn out but it was a great game for women's basketball."

Teresa Weatherspoon, the most valuable player in the tournament, said, "We get up to play Texas because they are such great competitors. It makes you want to respond."

The last four times the teams have met in NCAA play-off games, the Lady Techsters have won. Tech has won six straight games against Texas.

Weatherspoon said it's great for Tech to get another shot at Tennessee.

"We remember what happened to us last year," she said. "It's a lot of motivation for us."

Texas Coach Jody Conradt handled yet another Louisiana Tech loss with poise.

"The loss hurts. But I'm still proud of the way we played," she said. "I think everybody was probably entertained tonight. I doubt if anybody is outside asking for a refund."

"We have to live with the best opportunities we had tonight. Not even God can change history," she said.

Foes never caught up with '84 Tigers

By Howard Siner

NOTE: Baseball's current defending champion, the Minnesota Twins, had the worst regular-season winning percentage (.525) of any team ever to win the World Series. "Sweet Seasons: Baseball's Top Teams Since 1920," by Howard Siner (Pharos Books), profiles the leading clubs of the home-run era. This excerpt covers one of the best of recent years — the 1984 Detroit Tigers (104-58, .642).

Not since the legendary New York Yankees of 1927 had a major-league team owned first place from Opening Day until the final out of the regular season.

Leaping into the 1984 campaign, the Detroit Tigers won their first nine games—including a no-hit victory by Jack Morris over the Chicago White Sox on national TV. The Tigers went 18-2 in April, tying a major-league record. Then Detroit set the record by going 26-4 over the first 30 games.

By late May, the club had tied another major-league record: 17 consecutive road victories. And the Tigers had won 35 of their first 40 games, the hottest streak right off the bat in the history of baseball.

Second-place Toronto won at a sizzling rate of .659. But the Blue Jays found themselves trailing by eight games.

No wonder Sparky Anderson, on his way to becoming the first manager ever to win 100 games in each major league, began to size up his Detroit Tigers against his Cincinnati Reds dynasty of the 1970s. "This team has better pitching, defense and depth," he said about his red-hot Tigers.

By October, Anderson, 50 years old, gray-haired and wordy, was able to

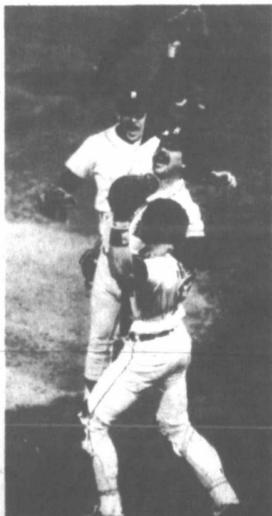
rejoice. His players blew away Kansas City in three AL playoff games and beat San Diego in a five-game World Series mismatch — which also made him the first manager to win world championships in both leagues.

"The 1984 Tigers were truly a team in the real sense of the word," claimed Anderson, the AL Manager of the Year. "We didn't have one player to hit 35 homers. Yet we led the league in home runs. We didn't have one pitcher to win 20 games or pitch 250 innings. Yet we led the league in ERA — and that's with playing half our games in Tiger Stadium where the fences scratch the backs of the outfielders."

None of that bothered ace reliever Willie Hernandez, the newly acquired left-hander who set a Tigers pitching record with 80 trips to the mound. In '84, Hernandez saved 32 games in 33 chances and posted a 9-3 record with a dazzling 1.92 ERA. He became the 1984 AL MVP and the Cy Young Award winner.

Certainly, the Tigers got solid pitching — and 54 wins — from their best three starters: Morris (19-11, 3.60 ERA), Dan Petry (18-8, 3.24) and Milt Wilcox (17-8, 4.00). But the Latin bullpen duo worked magic: Puerto Rican Hernandez teamed with Mexican-born Aurelio Lopez (10-1, 2.94 ERA and 14 saves), a rightly known as Senior Smoke.

Even before Detroit finished the season 15 games ahead of Toronto, Anderson had prepared an epitaph for the Blue Jays. "I can tell you the difference between Detroit and Toronto in two words," he said. "Hernandez and Lopez. If Toronto had them instead of us, we'd be trailing by as many games, if not more, than the Blue Jays."



PITCHER Willie Hernandez (center) celebrates after Detroit won the World Series in 1984.

Perhaps. But the Tigers did have the best strength up the middle in baseball in 1984. Catcher Lance Parrish, second baseman Lou Whitaker and center fielder Chet Lemon all started for the American League in the All-Star game; shortstop Alan Trammell also made the team and later was named the MVP in the World Series.

The fielding and hitting of Parrish

(33 HRs, 98 RBIs, .237 Avg.), Whitaker (13, 56, 289), Lemon (20, 76, 287) and Trammell (14, 69, 314) helped to keep Detroit in front of its rivals. And right fielder Kirk Gibson (27, 91, 282), coached by Tiger Hall of Famer Al Kaline, drove himself to become a star.

"Depending on the time of year, we had a different most valuable player just about every week," said Lemon.

What everyone also felt was the pressure on Detroit to keep on winning after its quick start. Explained Trammell: "We would have been labeled as chokers." From May 17 until the end of the season, they never played at Tiger Stadium — home of "The Wave" — before less than 25,000 fans.

"If anything, that fast start put pressure on us that no other team ever experienced before," said Anderson. "Every place we went, every time we played, everybody expected us to win and everyone tried to knock the bully down. Every time we played a game, it was like a playoff atmosphere."

For a total of 177 days in mid 1984 the Tigers were in first place alone. That set an AL record. The best Toronto ever did was close the gap to three games on June 6. Eventually, Detroit fell just one short of winning 70 of its first 100 games. The Tigers clinched the AL East flag on Sept. 18.

Detroit beat Kansas City in the AL playoffs (winning, 8-1, 5-3 and 1-0), then the Tigers defeated San Diego in a dull World Series (winning, 3-2, losing, 5-3, and winning, 5-2, 4-2 and 8-4).

Finally, the Detroit Tigers had it all. "I'm not saying that this was a great team," Anderson concluded. "But it was a great season."

Sports

Ku strikes blow for homeland

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — While winning her first tournament in the Western Hemisphere, South Korea's Ok-Hee Ku says she's struck a blow for golf in her homeland.

"This will make a big change for Korea, golf-wise, making golf more visible and popular," the 31-year-old Seoul native said through an interpreter Sunday after capping a 1-under-par 72 with a nerve-wrenching, 12-foot putt on the final hole to win the \$350,000 LPGA Turquoise Classic.

The putt for par — and to avoid a playoff — was uphill on the fast greens of the Moon Valley Country Club, baked by temperatures which reached 97 degrees during the afternoon.

But Ku stayed cool during a round which included 15 pars. "There were holes (where) I was in trouble, but I was able to save (them). I was surprised that 11-under won," she said.

Ku's 72-hole total was 11-under 281, good enough for a one-shot victory over Ayako Okamoto of Japan and Tour rookie Dottie Mochrie. Both challengers finished with birdies on the 18th hole, but started too far off the pace.

Mochrie shot a 4-under 69 on the 6,404-yard layout, and Okamoto had a final-day 70.

However, she bogeyed a 3-foot putt for par on No. 17 and said that by the time she reached the green on No. 18, she was sure it was Ku's tournament and didn't even wait on the green.

"I knew she was going to make it. I just felt that she could. She played steady all day, and that's why she won," Okamoto said.

Mochrie, 22, stuck around. "When it left her putter, I thought she had pulled it, but she hit it firm, and it didn't matter. She hit a great putt," Mochrie said.

Ku, 31, a consistent winner in South Korea and Japan, got a lucky bounce on the 13th hole. She sliced her drive toward the out-of-bounds markers, but it hit a garbage can and bounced back into play.

"I didn't see it happen, but somebody told me I should keep it

(the can) for a souvenir," she said.

Approaching the 18th green, she punched a 9-iron over the green and chipped up beyond the flag to set up the putt for par.

"The lie was bad, and I had to hit it firm, and it went long," she said. "I feel lucky to win today ... I knew this year I would win a major title, because my putting has improved a lot. I didn't realize I'd win so fast, in the early part of the year."

Ku had won 16 Korean LPGA tournaments and two on the Japanese tour and also finished in the top 10 five times last year. Her best previous finish in the United States

was third in the 1986 Boston Classic.

Colleen Walker and Amy Alcott, co-leaders after two rounds, finished three shots back at 284.

Chris Johnson, the 1984 Turquoise Classic winner, had a 4-under 69 and finished at 285 with Heather Farr and Julie Inkster.

Ku, who had been 27th on the money list, jumped to third with the winner's check of \$52,500. The victory gave her \$63,927 for the year.

Ku parred the first seven holes, birdied No. 8, bogeyed No. 9 and birdied No. 10 before sailing in the rest of the way with pars.



(AP Laserphoto)

Ok-Hee Ku wins Turquoise Classic.

Wildcats win Miami meet

MIAMI — The Canadian Wildcats scored 156 points to win the Warrior Relays here Saturday.

Groom finished second with 88 points and Follett was third with 69.

Scott Walker paced Canadian with first-place medals in the 110 hurdles and 300 hurdles. Randy Heinze won the 800 and Tony Meraz the 3200 for the Wildcats.

Meraz was also second in the 1600. Booker won the girls' division title with 136 points. Wheeler finished second with 70% and Canadian was third with 67%.

Cindy Hoover won three events to lead the Booker girls. Hoover won the long jump, discus and shot.

Individual results in the girls' division are as follows: Discus — 1. Hoover, Booker, 104%; 2. Redelsperger, Follett, 99%; 3. Carrie Watson, Lefors, 97-1/4%.

Triple jump — 1. Hubbard, Claude, 33-7/8%; 2. R. Hoover, Booker, 32-4%; 3. N. Johnson, Kelton, 32-1/4%.

Long jump — 1. Hoover, Booker, 16-1/4%; 2. Ramirez, Booker, 15-11/16%; 3. Helton, Wheeler, 15-9/16%.

High jump — 1. Pasley, Shamrock, 5-4; 2. Williams, Booker, 5-2; 3. Harris, Darrouzett, 5-2.

Shot put — 1. Hoover, Booker, 35-7; 2. Redelsperger, Follett, 32-5; 3. English, Groom, 31-0%.

3200 — 1. N. Johnson, Kelton, 13:33.75; 2. D. Russell, Shamrock, 13:43.21; 3. A. Dinsmore, Miami, 13:43.74.

400 relay — 1. Booker, 50.55; 2. Groom, 52.0; 3. Wheeler, 54.09.

800 — 1. Kim McIntire, Canadian, 2:20.3; 2. Colby, Higgins, 2:36.8; 3. Eschle, Groom, 2:41.19.

100 hurdles — 1. C. Detrick, Higgins, 16.23; 2. McAnear, McLean, 17.06; 3. Hardcastle, Wheeler, 18.11.

100 — 1. Ramirez, Booker, 12.62; 2. K. Bohr, Groom, 12.7; 3. Hoover, Booker, 13.4.

400 — 1. K. Burns, Canadian, 16.7; 2. Gorley, Higgins, 63.09; 3. Van Pool, Wheeler, 65.78.

800 relay — 1. Booker, 1:15.14; 2.

Canadian, 1:54.80; 3. Wheeler, 1:55.87.

200 — 1. Hoover, Booker, 27.78; 2. Henton, Booker, 28.38; 3. Harris, Darrouzett, 29.0.

1600 — 1. Russell, Shamrock, 6:17.54; 2. Gonzales, Wheeler, 6:37.52; 3. Robinson, Claude, 6:36.76.

1600 relay — 1. Canadian, 4:23.42; 2. Miami, 4:29.82; 3. Groom, 4:30.83.

Boys' Division

Discus — 1. English, Groom, 145-5/8; 2. Hawkins, Booker, 137-8; 3. Wheeler, Canadian, 133-9.

High jump — 1. R. Crump, Groom, 6-5; 2. Evans, Canadian, 6-2; 3. Troxell, Shamrock, 6-0.

Long jump — 1. Garza, Shamrock, 20-1/4; 2. Henton, Booker, 19-19/16; 3. Thompson, Groom, 19-1/16.

Pole vault — 1. Corcoran, Follett, 11-0; 2. Perrin, Canadian, 10-6.

Shot put — 1. Miller, Booker, 46-0; 2. Turpin, Canadian, 42-3/4; 3. Wheeler, Canadian, 42-1/4.

3200 — 1. Meruz, Canadian, 10:49.70; 2. McGhee, Follett, 11:07; 3. Mayfield, Lefors, 11:34.09.

400 relay — 1. Groom, 45.02; 2. Follett, 45-7.

800 — 1. Heinze, Canadian, 2:09.64; 2. Baggett, Canadian, 2:15.64; 3. Homer, Groom, 2:17.02.

110 hurdles — 1. Walker, Canadian, 16.38; 2. Burklin, Follett, 17.16; 3. Farrar, Higgins, 17.38.

100 — 1. Ruthardt, Groom, 11.33; 2. Bryan, Shamrock, 11.40; 3. Butcher, Canadian, 11.45.

400 — 1. Bridwell, Miami, 52.42; 2. Garza, Shamrock, 53.08; 3. D. Clark, Canadian, 54.09.

300 hurdles — 1. S. Walker, 41.46; 2. Farris, Higgins, 22.97; 3. Smith, Canadian, 44.30.

200 — 1. Bryant, Shamrock, 24.16; 2. Paul, Higgins, 23.66; 3. Bridwell, Miami, 23.92.

1600 — 1. D. Harris, McLean, 4:58.44; 2. Meraz, Canadian, 4:58.75; 3. McGhee, Follett, 5:07.35.

1600 relay — 1. Groom, 3:38.05; 2. Canadian, 3:38.23; 3. Follett, 3:44.52.

Pampa soccer results listed

- Under 6: Thundercats 3, Wildcats 0; Transformers 10, Kickers 0; Dirt Daubers 3, Brave Star 0; Spitfires 6, Ghostbusters 1; Pink Panthers 10, Rookies 0.
- Under 8: Sidekicks 2, Razorback 0; Gremlins 6, Transformers 2; Scorpions 7, Top Kicks 0.
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Cooley says filing bankruptcy 'embarrassing'

HOUSTON (AP)— Filing for personal bankruptcy once seemed like a last-ditch alternative for famed heart surgeon Dr. Denton Cooley as he looked at solutions for his financial troubles.

But the options dwindled, and Cooley finally decided to seek bankruptcy protection, a move he said has embarrassed him, the Houston Post reported in a copyright story Sunday.

The 67-year-old pioneer heart surgeon's career has been a success story. He was the first to implant an artificial heart and the first American to perform a heart transplant operation. He has performed close to 70,000 open heart surgeries, the Post said.

But defeat entered his life Jan. 4, when Cooley filed for personal bankruptcy.

"It was embarrassing," he told the Post. "There's sort of an indignity that goes with it."

"I think this is the first (professional) defeat that has come to me," he said.

"But I've always felt like I was a real competitor. I have participated in all sorts of sports and

athletics in the past, and one of the things you learn on the playing field is how to take defeat as well as victory. Not that you enjoy defeat if you're a good competitor, but you learn to cope with it."

Cooley, founder of the Texas Heart Institute in Houston, said he's one of the few people to file a reorganization plan when he filed for federal bankruptcy protection. That unusual move will allow him to emerge from bankruptcy quickly, and he plans to come out of bankruptcy in April.

"I want to carry on with my life," he said.

Cooley, who is expected to take home between \$8 million and \$9 million this year from his medical practice alone, plans to pay off his debts within five years. He hopes to keep his River Oaks home, his ranch near Simonton, his two Galveston houses and his two Rolls-Royces.

But for now, he said he has been forced to borrow money to pay the household expenses.

Cooley said he wound up in the financial situation he is in by playing the game and losing.

"It's like a game. It's no longer the dollars; it's

the score," he said. "You could call it greed. But you can also call it ambition. But it was like a game."

Except for projects in Chicago and San Francisco, the native Houstonian said all his business dealings have been in his hometown. And he once made millions from his investments.

But oil prices plunged and the state and local economies soured. The oil, banking and real estate industries all suffered downturns.

Cooley found himself paying some \$9 million a year in interest alone, and he said his creditors refused to take the land and buildings in lieu of his debt.

"The first time someone said bankruptcy, I said there was no way I would mention that to Dr. Cooley," said Gerald Maley, Cooley's financial manager.

"So we all got together with Dr. Cooley and threw out different possibilities, and I sort of mentioned it as a last alternative. He said it would be a last resort," he said.

Cooley said he has always "had a rather low opinion of people who finally had to admit failure and declare bankruptcy."

"I'd always thought that there was something slightly dishonest about it. But (then) the circumstances of Chapter 11 were explained to me, which seemed to be more or less suited to individuals of my type who had the opportunity or who had the ability to recoup their losses and to get a fresh start. I thought that this was really a program that was designed for me," he said.

The business deals and subsequent losses are just a sideline because Cooley's medical practice is his life and he has no plans to give it up.

"I think you'll hear of my retirement the same day you read my obituary," he added.

And there are worse things, he said. His daughter, Florence, one of his five girls, died of a self-inflicted gunshot wound in 1985 at the age of 28.

"These financial reverses can't compare with something like that. Now that's true defeat. That's a real moment for sadness and regret," he said.

Recession is shaking the Bright empire

DALLAS (AP)— As Texas' economy has soured over the past year or two, so have the fortunes of H.R. "Bum" Bright, whose collection of assets — from the Dallas Cowboys to Bright Banc — have hit on hard times.

A Dallas millionaire with a passion for football, fishing and deal-making, the 67-year-old Bright's assets include oil and gas properties and prime real estate — including a 2,500-acre ranch in a Dallas suburb.

He is the largest single stockholder in First RepublicBank Corp., and his Bright Banc is the state's third-largest savings and loan institution with \$4.8 billion in assets.

Despite the statewide real estate recession, Bright isn't ready to throw in the towel and points to lucrative ledger balances as proof he isn't about to become another celebrity casualty of the Texas downturn.

Throughout his life, he has emphasized to his children and employees — and anyone else that would listen — the importance of never giving up, of battling until a solution is reached, of never accepting failure or excuse.

The setback to his companies, "makes me want to fight," Bright said.

"We are coping with it. Every morning, you have to get up and figure out how to make a living that day. The only thing that will make you invincible is to get up each morning and face the world as the world exists that day, and find a way to cope with it, and deal with it and handle it," he said.

"And when you don't, that is when you start to die."

Last year, Forbes magazine estimated Bright's net worth at \$600 million.

A substantial shareholder in First RepublicBank Corp., Bright could lose more than \$20 million following the bank holding company's near collapse.

First RepublicBank this month was rescued by federal regulators.

Bright also has dipped into his pocket to support Bright Banc, which has had a losing season with the Texas real estate recession. At the end of the third quarter, figures reported to federal regulators indicated that Bright Banc's regulatory capital had dipped to about \$110 million, down from \$167 million a year earlier.

That left the big S&L with a capital-to-assets ratio of 2.37 percent, below the 3 percent deemed safe by regulators.

And now, Bright Banc is poised to take another capital hit. This time, the S&L will be caught in a First RepublicBank aftershock because Bright's bank stock is part of the securities that are used as Bright Banc's capital.

"The area is an economic disaster so far as real estate is concerned," Bright told The Dallas Morning News. "It is difficult. Who would have ever predicted the drop in oil prices?"

Bright owns more stock than anyone else in the Dallas Cowboys of the National Football League, but "America's Team" is having trouble even making the playoffs, much less winning a Super Bowl. In an interview last fall, after the Cowboys suffered a disappointing loss, he said if he had it to do over again, he wouldn't have bought the team.

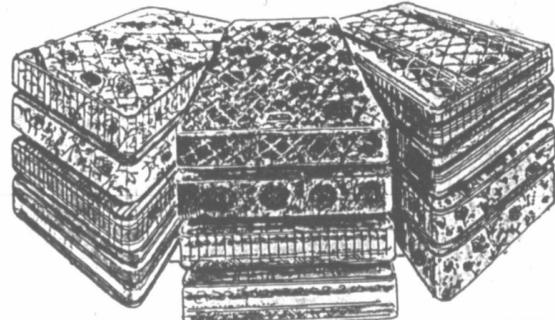
Of his First RepublicBank stock, Bright says: "We will recoup some of it," he said. "I do not know how much. I obviously wish it was worth now what it was worth three years ago. But I wish my house was worth what it was three years ago."

The Texas economic downturn has hit almost all his business interests at the same time, including energy, Bright said.

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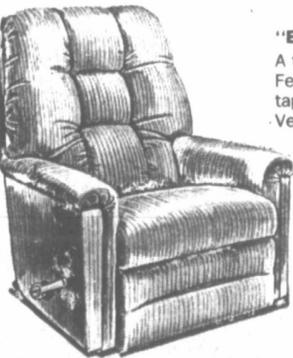


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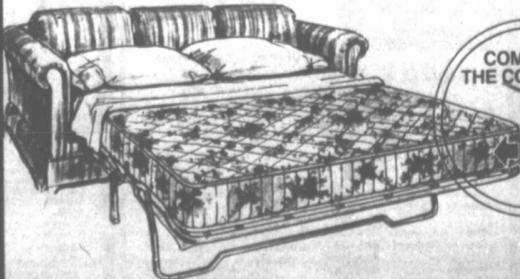
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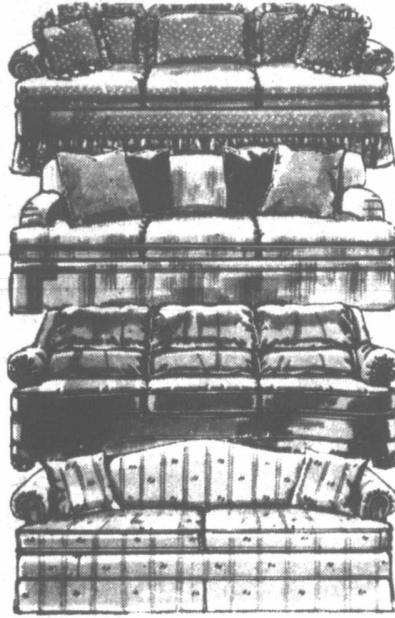
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