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Protestors jeer election results

City mourns dead as study continues in building collapse

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — At least 2,000 people gathered at the swept-clean site of a collapsed department store to mourn the 14 dead and hear the disaster and rescue described as "our finest hour as well as our greatest tragedy.

"The disaster is now over. The rubble is cleared away. The victims are taken care of and now we are expected to return to life as usual,"' Rabbi Arthur Rutberg said Sunday, a day after the last of the bodies was recovered.

The three-story Amigo Store collapsed Thursday during a torrential rain that prompted numerous passersby to duck inside for cover.

Fourteen people were killed and six were pulled alive from the rubble. At least 47 people were injured. Dozens crawled to safety.

The disaster drew hundreds of volunteers from thoughout the Rio Grande Valley, many of of whom worked with little rest for three days straight, searching for the living and the dead.

"The greatest lesson of this disaster is that Brownsville, Texas, is a great community that can work together as one unified and cooperative entity," Rutberg told victims' relatives, friends and others.

"Our lives and our community can never be the same again not only for those who suffered great losses, but (for) all of us. This has been our finest hour as well as our greatest tragedy.

The service was intended as an emotional release for the community, said the Rev. Tom

Pincelli, another speaker. 'I don't think we can just walk away. We want to give a psychological conclusion to what transpired," he said.

Those at the ceremony included 8-year-old Denise Carerra, who was pulled from the rubble virtually unscathed while her mother and 4-yearold brother perished, and Bernard Levin, the store owner, who did not speak or make himself available to reporters. Denise's aunt, Guillermina

Silva de Carerra, thanked the crowd tearfully. "I wish I knew everyone's names so that we knew who to thank by name. Thank you ... we felt the spiritual and moral support.'

A Brownsville woman at the service said she had watched the rescuers after the accident. "Inside I feel sad," said Martha Mancilla Meyers. "Nothing like this has ever happened in Brownsville before

Officials have said the weight of an estimated 2 inches of rainfall from a 45minute downpour may have caused the flat roof to give way.

Investigators began examining debris placed in the border city's dump. Representatives from every agency that participated in the rescue were to gather this week to review the accident and rescue efforts.

A team from the Southern Building Codes Congress International, based in Birmingham, Ala., arrived to assist in the investigation.

as Salinas claims he has lead government today said Carlos Salinas de Gortari had a wide lead over his opponents but that election results still were not final five days after voters cast ballots for a new president.

Partial results finally were re leased after opposition activists blocked highways and shut down international bridges to protest the delay.

Charges of election fraud and the Federal Election Commission's delay in releasing results clouded what had been expected to be an easy victory for Salinas and his party, the governing Institutional Revolutionary Party.

The election commission today said Salinas has won 52.89 per cent of the ballots counted so far. It said Cuauhtemoc Cardenas of the leftist National Democratic Front trailed with 29.10 percent, and National Action Party candidate Manuel Clouthier was third with 16.68 percent.

Earlier, Cardenas had claimed victory and Clouthier said he was leading.

Both men accused the governing party - which has not lost a presidential election since it was founded in 1929 - of rampant election fraud.

Mexico has 38 million registered voters. The government



Cardenas supporters protest election results.

said it has counted about 13.24 million votes, but did not say how many ballots were cast. The partial returns also gave 176 seats in the 500-seat Chamber of Deputies to the governing par-

ty, 13 to the right-of-center National Action Party and two to parties affiliated with the National Democratic Front.

The Chamber of Deputies is the lower house of Mexico's congress

The election commission only released percentage results for the Mexican Senate, giving the governing party 60.95 percent of the total Senate vote. The National Action Party had 15.59 percent and Cardenas' party had 7.31 percent, the commission said.

Opposition delegates demanded the commission provide district-by-district figures for the Senate. Interior Minister Manuel Bartlett, who chairs the commission, delayed action on the request

The partial results were released early today at the end of an

election commission session in which opposition delegates repeatedly accused the government of fraud and criticized the slow pace of the vote count.

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Bartlett on Sunday defended the election process, calling it "a question of patience. Politics is the science of patience."

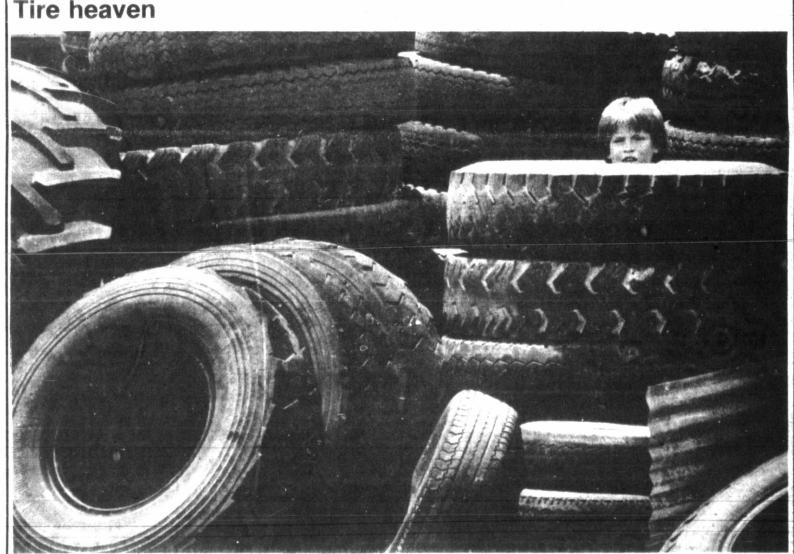
He said the breakdown of a new computer system, then bad weather, prevented the commission from delivering on its pledge to release preliminary results on election night. It then promised it would release results on Sunday.

The Salinas camp has privately acknowledged probable losses to Cardenas in at least two states and Mexico City - first-ever defeats for the Institutional Revolutionary Party, which has never lost a presidential, senate or gubernatorial race.

The surprisingly poor showing has produced a rift in the party between Salinas supporters who want to modernize the party and an old guard seeking to use the delay to embarrass the Salinas camp or ensure traditional margins of victory.

Bartlett was a top competitor to Salinas for the governing party's presidential nomination.

On at least two occasions during the weekend, Salinas aides See ELECTION, Page 2



City commission to take up awarding golf course bids

Pampa city commissioners for title documents to be received will return to the green Tuesday and studied. City commissioners evening when they again take up the awarding of bids relative to the municipal golf course Meeting in regular session at 6 p.m., commissioners will consider awarding bids for grass seed and for 12-inch PVC pipe and assorted fittings to be used in the initial groundwork preparations for the golf course. Earlier Tuesday afternoon, city commissioners and city staff will join in the groundbreaking ceremonies for the course, to be located north of the city. The ceremony is scheduled for 2 p.m. Gray County commissioners and Pampa Public Golf Association members also will be participating in the groundbreaking. The grass seed and pipe bids have been deferred for a number of weeks awaiting approval of an amended contract agreement with Gray County and acceptance of the 194-acre site. The land acceptance was delayed to allow

accepted the land in a special cal led meeting last week Engineer Ray Hardy of El Paso has begun initial staking of the site. City Manager Bob Hart said construction of the course should begin this week

In other business Tuesday night, commissioners will con sider

adoption on second and final reading of ordinances amending personnel policies and procedures and referencing the material to the city's Code of Ordinances

establishing time and date for a public hearing regarding a structure to be condemned to permit demolishment; and

temporary altering of the Lovett Memorial Library hours

The commission also has scheduled an executive session to discuss personnel matters, including the semi-annual evaluation of the city manager.

Daniel Mojica, 10, pokes his head out of a stack of old tires as he and some friends played in and out of the discarded (Staff Photo by Duane A. Laver)

tires in the 500 block of West Atchison recently. Daniel is the son of Lewis and Debbie Mojica of Pampa.

Local industries moving ahead with Title III implementation

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the first in a series of articles concerning the implementation of federal Title III activities in relation to the community's right to know about the manufacturing, use and handling of chemicals by industries and businesses

By LARRY HOLLIS Managing Editor

July 1 was an important date for the community, but for most it passed unnoticed.

On that date, under federal regulations, industries and businesses were required to begin annual reports of releases of toxic chemicals to the environment, permitted or otherwise.

The chemical releases must be reported to the Environmental **Protection** Agency and the state in accordance with the toxic chemical release reporting requirements of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of

The act has a rather long name to remember, so most call it by its acronym: SARA.

The name is probably unfamiliar to most in the community, but it's become well known through endless repetition and reference to those involved in local community emergency planning programs through the Community Awareness and Emergency Response (CAER) activities.

Jane McBunch, manager of human resources at the Hoechst Celanese Chemical Co.'s Pampa Facility, said that the July 1 reporting deadline is important to the community. In addition to the reports to the federal EPA and the state, industries and businesses also will be reporting to local emergency planning and response groups.

'We will now be making information available to local agencies which previously was reported only to regulatory agencies," McBunch said.

That will help the community to become more aware of the various chemicals being used in local industries and businesses and also aware of the steps being taken to protect the community from any hazards that might be connected with the use of the chemicals, she said.

SARA was the U.S. Congress response to the tragedy that had occurred in Bhopal, India, in December 1984, when chemicals released from an American chemical company's facility killed and injured many workers and surrounding residents.

That incident created a desire for industries and businesses to make the communities aware of the chemicals and other potentially hazardous materials being used in their vicinities. And it also led to a cooperative venture between the private and public sec-



tors to prepare emergency re sponse plans to handle dangerous situations that might arise.

In Gray County, Hoechst Celanese led the initial efforts to form the cooperative community venture, in cooperation with local city and county emergency response agencies, other industries and businesses, the hospital, ambulance and paramedic services, health and human service agencies, law enforcement agencies and numerous others that have since become involved in CAER

In accordance with SARA's emergency planning requirements, industries which manufacture, process or store hazardous chemicals must work closely with neighboring communities to develop an emergency plan for responding to chemical acci dents, McBunch explained.

"We had already done this through our CAER efforts," she said, noting that the local CAER actually has gone beyond the federal requirements to expand the cooperative venture to include all community emergency and disaster situations.

With CAER getting an early start in Pampa and Gray County,

local emergency response teams were able to coordinate activities during 1987's three major disasters: the March blizzard, the July tornado and, most significantly, the Nov. 14 explosions at the Hoechst Celanese plant west of Pampa.

"CAER is the voluntary approach to deal with the public concern,'' McBunch said. 'We've already done a fairly good job of informing the community. We're probably ahead of the game" over most other communities having such programs.

Now, local industries, businesses and emergency response agencies are continuing with the implementation of ongoing programs as they strive to better improve the emergency planning and to better inform the public, she said.

Within SARA is Title III, also called the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act. Title III has four major sections: emergency planning, emergency notification, community right-to-know reporting, and toxic chemical release reporting.

The emergency planning requirements have been met

through the formation of CAER and the designation of the CAER Steering Committee as the Local **Emergency Planning Committee** (LEPC) for Pampa and Gray County. The LEPC is responsible for developing local emergency plans and for providing information to the public about hazardous materials

McBunch noted, though, that emergency planning is an ongoing process. It doesn't stop with just the creation of CAER/ LEPC.

The emergency notification requirement has already been implemented locally, at least in part, through the cooperation attained through CAER and the voluntary release of information from Hoechst Celanese and other local industries to CAER, the Pampa Fire Department, other agencies and the media.

With those procedures already in operation, the next step is the refinement and implementation of the community right-to-know requirements and the reporting of toxic chemical release information, McBunch explained.

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Services tomorrow

ROTH. William Henry (Bill) - 2 p.m., graveside, Hillcrest Cemetery, McLean.

Obituaries

MRS. LUDYE CARY JOHNSON

LUBBOCK --- Funeral services for Mrs. Ludye Cary Johnson, 87, veteran educator and member of a pioneer Pampa family, were to be at 2 p.m. today in Raintree Christian Church of Lubbock, with the Rev. Charles Carman, pastor, officiating

Burial was to be in Lubbock City Cemetery by Rix Funeral Home. Mrs. Johnson died Friday.

She was born June 15, 1901 at Deport and moved to Gray County with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David W. Cary, in 1905. She was a 1918 graudate of Pampa High School and also graduated from West Texas State University. her

She began teaching career in Pam-

pa and Groom. She received her bachelor of arts degree from the University of Texas and master of arts degree from Texas Tech University.

She was noted throughout the Southwest as a Latin scholar and was recognized by the Texas Foreign Language Association and the Texas State Teachers' Association as the most outstanding Latin teacher in Texas. She was a teaching fellow at Texas Tech University and a longtime teacher at Monterey High School, retiring in 1963. She was married to Robert Perry Johnson in 1928 at Canyon. He died in 1966. She was a Life Member of Delta Kappa Gamma honorary teachers' sorority; Sigma Tau Delta, English honorary sorority; A.A.U.W.; and Lubbock Retired Teachers Association. A lifelong member of the Christian church, she was a charter member of both the University Christian and Raintree Christian Churches.

Survivors include one son, Robert Johnson of Las Vegas, Neve; one grandson, Airman Timothy C. Johnson of San Antonio; one granddaughter, Rebecca Kay Johnson of Russellville, Ark.; a nephew, Tracy D. Cary of Pampa; and a sister-inlaw, Mrs. Eula Cary of Pampa.

CLYDE L. MAYO

PADUCAH — Funeral services for Clyde L Mayo, 74, brother of a Pampa man, were to be at 2 p.m. today in First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Cecil Shirey, pastor, and the Rev. Neely Landrum, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Crowell, officiating.

Burial was to be in Garden of Memories Cemetery by Mynatt Funeral Home.

Mr. Mayo died Saturday.

He was born in Paducah and was a retired farmer and a Methodist. He was married to Cressie Tucker on Nov. 27, 1935 at Childress.

Survivors include his wife, Cressie, of the home; one son, Weldon Whitaker of Paducah; two brothers, S.E. Mayo of Panhandle and W.G. Mayo of Pampa; one grandson and two greatgrandchildren.

ALINE MARGARET CONKLIN CANADIAN - Funeral services for Aline Mar-

ALBERT SHANNON BARKER McLEAN — Albert Shannon Barker, 73, died today in his home.

Funeral services are pending with Lamb **Funeral Home**.

Mr. Barker was born April 1, 1915 in Illinois. He moved to McLean from Sayre, Okla., in 1935. He attended Sayre schools and graduated in 1935. He married Wilma Atwood on May 3, 1973 in McLean. He was a retired oil and gas operator and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, Wilma, of the home; three sons, Robert Barker of Portales, N.M., and Cassdale Barker and Ora Wayne Barker, both of McLean; one daughter, Sheral Ponder of Dumas; one brother, James Barker of McLean; two stepsons, Joe Atwood and Riley Atwood, both of Wheeler; 17 grandchildren and five greatgrandchildren.

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Canadian	Robert E. Tyre,
Donna Leslie Hale,	Pampa
Pampa	Pamela K. Delatorre
Agnes Farmer,	and baby girl, Pampa
Borger	Donna Hale, Pampa
Earl B. Hustead,	Ramona Martinez,
Pampa	Pampa
Opa Umbarger,	Jacqualine Reed and
Pampa	baby boy, Pampa
Chassey Oxley,	Ida Shubring, Pampa
Pampa	Jackie Sublett,
Jim Babcock, Groom	Pampa
Willie Earles, Lefors	Royce Teague,
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To Tracy Juan, Pam-Virginia Anderson Shamrock pa, a boy.

Police report

SATURDAY, July 9 Frank D. Hallett, 1707 Beech, reported burglary of a 1980 Chevrolet parked in the driveway of the residence.

Randy's Food Store, 401 N. Ballard, reported forgery by passing at the business.

David Parker, 1133 Willow, reported criminal trespass

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Daryl Ray Duke of Wellington reported simple assault in the 1000 block of Love.

Cynthia Loryce Gaves, 427-A Hill, reported simple assault at the residence.

Lana Gail Johnson, 808 E. Beryl, reported criminal mischief at the residence.

Jacob Bullard, 401 Lowry, reported theft of a bicycle.

Corinne Elizabeth Pack, 1601 W. Somerville #1303. reported criminal mischief to a vehicle parked in the parking lot of the apartment complex

Joe W. Morris, 1132 Crane, reported theft from the residence.

Frank Skidmore, 1225 E. Foster, reported criminal mischief to a 1979 Chevrolet parked at 126 S

Reagan OKs compensation

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Reagan indicated today he has approved U.S. compensation for the families of the 290 people who died aboard the Iranian airliner shot down by a U.S. warship.

"Well, I have said from the start that we are a compassionate people," Reagan said when asked when he would make a decision on the matter.

"Later today, there'll be a statement with regard to that," he said while posing for pictures with Jose Napoleon Duarte, the president of El Salvador, who is recuperating after cancer surgery.

"I want to make it plain that there will be no compensation to the government of Iran or anything like that," Reagan said.

Reagan has said that he regretted the shooting down of the Iran Air Airbus on July 3 by the USS Vincennes, a Navy cruiser whose captain had thought the ship was under attack by an F-14 Iranian fighter jet.

The Pentagon says the Vincennes' sophisticated Aegis radar and tracking system had picked up a radio identification from the Airbus broadcast on a frequency used only by military aircraft, leading Capt. Will C. Rogers III to conclude that his ship faced attack from an F-14.

But the president also told reporters last week that he didn't want to move too quickly on the question of compensation, saying at one point that "I will await the result of the investigation" by a naval investigative team sent to the Persian Gulf.

But, when asked during the Oval Office picture-taking session today whether he had decided that compensation should be granted, the president said, We are a compassionate people and I think we all have compassion for the families of those un-

fortunate people.' When he said that a statement would be coming, a reporter responded, "I assume it's going to be in the affirmative."

Reagan nodded his agreement. Asked about public opinion polls showing that a majority o Americans surveyed had said they opposed paying such compensation, the president said, "I think that they have tied that to our feelings about the government and what it did with regard to our people in the embassy there (in Tehran) when the ayatollah (Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini) came in."

In saying there would be no payments to Khomeini's government, Reagan said:

'We don't feel that any such thing is called for. As I've said, we all can have compassion for the innocent people who are the victims."

Asked whether sending such compensation might send a bad signal, he said, "I don't ever find compassion a bad precedent."

Administration officials had hinted over the weekend that a decision to award compensation was near.

Lefors schools cut budget \$40,000

LEFORS - A diminishing tax base was given as the cause of a \$40,000 cut in the 1988-89 Lefors **Independent School District** budget approved by board members at their July 7 meeting.

Board members accepted a \$1.12 million budget for the coming school year, \$40,000 less than the 1987-88 budget of \$1.16 million. Earl Ross, school superintendent, said the budget cut could be attributed to a loss in the tax base.

The budget cut will affect the maintenance and athletic prog-

rams, he said, adding that no cuts were made in the academic programs.

Six teachers employed by the school district were placed by board members on Step 2 of the career ladder, which provides a \$1,976 bonus for each teacher.

In other business, the board agreed to give Lefors senior citizens passes to the school's athletic events. Free senior citizens passes would be issued through the superintendent's office, Ross said.

Old playground equipment was donated to the city by the school compiled by Rick Pierce.

district with the board's approval, at the request of City Councilman Ron Turpin.

Turpin thanked board members for the donation, saying the equipment would be placed in the city park.

Resignations were accepted for sixth-grade teacher Cordelia Back and recently-hired coach Curtis Smith, who has decided to remain in Patton Springs.

In other action, monthly bills were approved for payment. Information for this article was

Pipeline ruptures at Celanese plant

the November 1987 explosion.

The rupture, which occurred

about 3:30 p.m. Sunday, caused a

release of pressure that could be

heard in Kingsmill, plant offi-

The situation was under control

Loud noise caused by a rupture of a process line at nearby Hoescht Celanese Chemical Co.'s Pampa Facility on Sunday afternoon frightened some Kingsmill residents who feared another major explosion like the one that killed three people at the plant eight months ago

Plant officials reported receiving a number of calls from local residents after a process line ruptured in a multi-functional monomers unit, one that had

assured reporters the electoral

count was proceeding smoothly

and results were imminent, only

to be frustrated by commission

announcements of further post-

delay only heightens expecta-

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ponement.

within a matter of minutes, said Jane McBunch, human resources manager at the plant. There were no injuries and no fire, she said. "It's really not a big deal," she said, adding that there was no

cials said.

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1 blockaded bridges across the Rio Grande in Chihuahua state on Saturday went home early today after the election commission released results that showed the National Action Party won three congressional races in the Juarez area

Protesters blocked the Cordoba bridge, the main link between Ciudad Juarez and El Paso, Texas; the smaller Zaragoza

been brought back on line since danger to anyone though the noise was loud enough to be heard in nearby Kingsmill.

McBunch said the line received minor damages. Plant officials are investigating the cause of the rupture, she said.

Seven months ago, on Nov. 14, 1987, the chemical plant rocked **Kingsmill and Pampa with three** major explosions, killing three plant workers, injuring 37 others and causing an estimated \$150 million in damages.

City briefs

LEN SLESICK Painting Workshop for youths and adults, July 16 and 17. Contact Cile Taylor 669-3201 or 669-2034. Sponsored by Pampa Area Art League. Adv. **SPIRIT OF Truth Christian** School Fall enrollment, Kindergarten-12, 1200 S. Sumner, 665-

2829. Adv. **GARAGE SALE** Couch, chair, lamp, entertainment center, lots of kitchen items, clothes, etc. No checks. 9 am-? 1711 Beech, Tuesday July 12. Adv **DEFENSIVE DRIVING** Course, Tuesday and Thursday, July 12 and 14, 6-10 pm. \$20 fee can be paid at the door. Pampa Mall, 669-3871, Bowman Driving School. Adv **EVENING DENTAL** appointments available Tuesday and Thursday. Doctors Braswell and Doerfler. 665-0418 or 665-8448. 1700 Duncan. Adv.

garet Conklin, who died Sunday, were to be at 2 p.m. today in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jack Lee, pastor, officiating

Burial was to be in Miami Cemetery by Stickley-Hill Funeral Home.

Mrs. Conklin was a longtime resident of Canadian. She was a member of First Baptist Church. Survivors include her husband, Ivan Conklin of the home; one son, Danny Conklin of Amarillo; and two grandsons, Todd Conklin of Tulsa, Okla., and Tim Conklin of Houston.

MYRTLE DOLLINS SCALLEY

Funeral services for Myrtle Dollins Scalley, who died today, will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel, with the Rev. M.B. Smith, retired Baptist minister from Pampa, officiating.

Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery by Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Scalley moved to Pampa in the late 1940s from California. She was a Baptist and a former resident of Elk City, Okla., and Wheeler.

Survivors include two sisters, Ann Pitcock of Pampa and Cebie Stalley of Escondido, Calif.; and two brothers, T.W. Dollins of Pampa and Obal Dollins of Amarillo.

CLARENCE GAIL (CHUNKY) WALKER SR. McLEAN – Funeral services for Clarence Gail (Chunky) Walker Sr., 46, who died Friday at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Albuquerque, N.M., were to be at 4 p.m. today in Pentecos-

with the Rev. R.L. Winebrimmer, pastor, officiating. Burial was to be in Alanreed Cemetery by Lamb Funeral Home.

tal Holiness Church (Victory Temple) of McLean,

Mr. Walker was born Aug. 15, 1941 in McLean. He lived in McLean all his life except for 18 years in the U.S. Army. He returned to McLean in 1977 from Fort Bragg, N.C. He was married to Florence Platte on Jan. 21, 1967 in Wayne, Mich. He was a member of Pentecostal Holiness Church. Survivors include his wife, Florence, of the home; three sons, Johnny, Austin and Clarence Jr., all of the home; and his mother, Adelle Walker of McLean.

WILLIAM HENRY (BILL) ROTH

McLEAN - Graveside services for William Henry (Bill) Roth, 70, of Amarillo, will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Hillcrest Cemetery of McLean with the Rev. Jeff Messer, pastor of First Baptist Church of McLean, officiating.

Arrangements are by Lamb Funeral Home of MeLean.

Mr. Roth was born April 2, 1918 at Ozark, Ark. He moved to Amarillo from McLean in 1950. He was an auto parts salesman and also had served on the Amarillo police force. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Amarillo.

Survivors include one daughter, Janet Fay Roth of California; two brothers, Vernon King of McLean and J.D. Roth of Pampa; and three sisters, Letha Cunningham of Cleveland, Texas; Frankie Leasure of Fort Smith, Ark., and Betty Davis of McLean.

Houston.

Mike Hames, 1011 E. Francis, reported criminal mischief at the residence.

Arrests **SATURDAY**, July 9

Tek Arnold Beck, 22, 1392 Coffee #1, was arrested at 900 Rham on charges of driving while intoxicated, no insurance and failure to change address on driver's license. He was released on bond

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Winston Whitsett, 66, Route 2, Box 108, was arrested in the 400 block of West Foster on charges of public intoxication. He was released on bond

Lori Beth Fellingham, 19, 1112 Sandlewood, was arrested in the 200 block of Sunset for outstanding warrants. She was released on bond.

Russell Allen Owen, 22, of 1144 Osborne, was arrested in the 200 block of Sunset on charges of no driver's license and no insurance. He was released on bond.

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Carol Joyce Rodriguez, 23, 401 Hill, was arrested in the 1100 block of East Frederic for outstanding warrants.

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Kent Justin Kerbo, 19, of Lefor 3 was arrested 18 miles south of Pampa on charges of driving while intoxicated, first offense, and speeding 68 mph in a 55 mph zone.

Fire report

SATURDAY, July 9

A car fire was reported at Wal-Mart, 2225 N. Hobart. Firefighters washed down spilled gasoline caused by a ruptured fuel line on a 1973 Chevrolet truck.

Calendar of events

PAMPA SINGLES ORGANIZATION

Pampa Singles Organization will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 12, at Schneider Apartments, 120 S. Russell, for a game night. Those attending are asked to bring games and snacks. For more information, call 665-6974.

Stock market

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa. Wheat	Cabot 31/9 altva Chevrön 47 NC Energas 17 upl/2 Enron 40% dn% Halliburton 39% NC HCA 36% NC
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tions of fraud and makes it more difficult for the new team to embark on its agenda.

Aides to Salinas argue that the

The opposition charges that the governing party is simply devising satisfactory electoral results before it releases them.

U.S. border, was blocked. Hundreds of protesters who

Clarification

In the Court Report, Page 2 of Sunday's edition of The Pampa News, it was erroneously reported that a number of people had had their probation revoked. Jean Roper, adult probation

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST Mostly cloudy tonight with a 30 percent chance of rain. Low will be in the high 60s with southerly winds at 5-15 mph. Tuesday, partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of rain and a high near 90. Southerly winds at 5-15 mph. High Sunday was 82 and the overnight low was

REGIONAL FORECAST

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West Texas - Scattered thunderstorms with locally heavy rainfall possible tonight mainly south of the Panhandle. Scattered thunderstorms continuing Concho Valley Tuesday. Otherwise partly cloudy and a little warmer **Tuesday with widely scattered** afternoon thunderstorms. Lows tonight mostly mid to upper 60s. Highs Tuesday upper 80s to lower 90s, except mid to upper 90s along the Rio Grande.

North Texas - Cloudy with a good chance of rain and scattered thunderstorms tonight. except a slight chance southeast. Lows 73 to 76. Partly cloudy Tuesday. Scattered thunderstorms except northwest. Highs 88 to 93

South Texas - Mostly cloudy north to partly cloudy south tonight with showers and thunderstorms ending. Partly cloudy Tuesday with isolated afternoon showers and thunderstorms east. Lows tonight in the 70s except 80s at the beaches. Highs Tuesday in the 90s, except 80s at the beaches and near 100 Rio Grande Plains

EXTENDED FORECAST

bridge about eight miles east; and a bridge at Fabens, Texas, about 20 miles east of El Paso.

The Pan American highway outside the state capital of Chihuahua, 200 miles south of the

officer, said today that motions had been filed to revoke the probations of those persons. We regret any inconvenience this error may have called.

PERMS \$20 including haircut. Ruth, 665-9236. Adv.

The Accu-Weather * forecast for 8 A.M., Tuesday, July 12 SHOWER DRY T-STORMS T-STORMS T-STOR FRONTS Warm Cold Stationan C 1988 Accu-Weather, Inc

Wednesday through Friday West Texas - Partly cloudy with widely scattered thunderstorms and minor temperature changes. Panhandle, South Plains, Permian Basin and Far West: Lows upper 60s, highs middle 90s. Concho Valley: Lows in lower 70s and highs mid 90s. Big Bend: Lows in lower 60s mountains to low 70s lowlands; highs upper 80s mountains to near to 102 Big Bend valleys.

North Texas - Widely scattered afternoon and evening showers and thunderstorms east Wednesday and Thursday, otherwise no significant precipitation expected over the area. Lows in the 70s. Highs in the 90s.

South Texas - Scattered mainly afternoon thunderstorms over Southeast Texas Wednesday and Thursday. Otherwise, partly cloudy with hot days and warm nights. Highs in the 90s, upper 80s im-

mediate coast, and 100 to 105 lower Rio Grande plains. Lows in the 70s, near 80 immediate coast.

BORDER STATES

New Mexico - Widely scattered afternoon and nightime thunderstorms through tonight with thunderstorms. becoming less numerous Tuesday. Some locally heavy rains possible southeast this afternoon and evening. Lows tonight in the 40s and 50s in the mountains to the upper 50s and 60s elsewhere. Highs Tuesday in the mid-70s to upper 80s mountains with mid-80s to mid-90s at lower elevations.

Oklahoma — Scattered thunderstorms tonight, most numerous east. Partly cloudy and a little warmer Tuesday with scattered thunderstorms mainly southeast. Lows tonight low 60s Panhandle, mid-70s east. Tuesday high 90s.

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New Miss Texas wins on fourth try

FORT WORTH (AP) -Three previous shots at the title and 19 years of dance lessons helped Cathy Castro edge out 62 other women - including her younger sister — to win

as Miss Texas 1988. "Clarissa and I both had fun, but my mother was going crazy." said Miss Castro, a 22year-old McAllen resident who competed as Miss Duncanville

Clarissa Castro, 18, was Miss Brownsville Jaycees in the 27th annual Miss Texas Pageant Saturday night.

The new Miss Texas, a brown-eyed brunette, won the state title on her fourth attempt in the pageant. Last year, she finished as second runner-up and won the Best Dancer Award when she competed as Miss Haltom-Richland Area.

"I think experience helps you, but every year it's a new contest, and anything can happen." Miss Castro told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. "I came in here tonight feeling very confident, though.

The Texas Christian University graduate had won one of the swimsuit competitions earlier in the week and impressed the judges enough with her ballet performance of 'Les Toreadors'' to edge out Miss Hurst-Euless-Bedford, Leah Kay Lyle, for the title.

BORGER (AP) — Firefighter

crews continued to watch for

flare ups Sunday at the site of a

"This is the thrill of a lifetime. I'm ecstatic," Miss Castro said. Besides ballet, she has studied Flamenco, character, folklorico, jazz, modern and tap dancing. She also

pläys the piano, organ and clarinet. Miss Castro, who received

her degree in business administration, won a \$10,000 scholarship as part of her prize in the contest. She said she plans to use the scholarship money to get a master's degree to eventually become a certified public accountant.

"But right now, I have only one goal: To become the new Miss America," Miss Castro said. She will be competing for that title in Atlantic City, N.J., this fall.

Miss Lyle, an earlier talent competition winner, impressed judges with her piano renditions of Moscow Nights and Battle Hymn of the Republic.

Miss Dallas, Shelly St. John, was second runner-up, with Miss Lake O' The Pines, Lisa Alaniz, capturing third runner-up and Miss Haltom-Richland Area, Debbie Riecks, rounding out the top five.

Other finalists were Miss Arlington, Tracey Way; Miss Fort Worth, Amy Jones; Miss Montague County, Susan McMurray; Miss Southeast Texas, Monica Perry; and Miss White Settlement. Suzanne Nelson.

The pageant is the official state competition for contestants in the Miss America Pageant. Education scholarship funds are awarded to contestants for achievement in the pageant.

Fifty 50 percent of the judging is based on talent with the remaining portion divided

after the fire burned out late

The blaze erupted about 7:30

Saturday night

among swimsuit, evening gown and interviews.

The women competed in evening gown, talent, swimsuit and interview contests in three groups over three days.



Miss Texas (Cathy Castro) wears her crown.

Apartment owners differ on how to handle drug haven

DALLAS (AP) - Dallas landlords who own known drug havens are unsure how they should screen potential tenants or what to do when they find drug dealers in their complexes, the Dallas Times Herald reported Sunday.

A former and current assistant police chief and a police corporal in the Dallas Police Department and a Dallas school board member are among the property owners grappling with the problem, the newspaper reported in a copyright story

The apartment units or complexes, sometimes referred to as 'crack houses,'' may be used for illegal purposes, but there is no evidence that the property owners engaged in criminal activity, the newspaper reported.

Police repeatedly have raided apartment complexes owned by Tom Y. Wesson, Bill Long, Robert G. Burkhead, Scott Belsley and Dallas school board member Thomas G. Jones.

Assistant Dallas Police Chief Leslie R. Sweet and former Assistant Chief Charles R. Busby had the first mortgage on one Wesson and Long complex when it was raided.

Another apartment complex owned by Dallas police Cpl. Thomas M. Payne also has been raided.

Busby went before a Dallas County grand jury this month after coming under criticism for charging "administrative fees" to Dallas businesses wanting to hire off-duty police officers. He was cleared of a charge of operating an unlicensed security guard agency, but he retired shortly afterwards.

Sweet, assistant chief for administration, was on vacation last week and unavailable for comment. But Busby says he and Sweet were unaware of the intensity of drug activity where they have owned property.

"I mean, I knew there's a huge drug problem in Dallas. I didn't know anything about the specifics of where high incidences were," he said.

Jones and Belsley are among those who have criticized Dallas police for failing to help them

keep their property free of drug dealers.

Wesson, Long and Burkhead say that forcing the drug dealers out would put them out of business because many of their apartments are vacant.

"I can go over there and put the druggers and the rest of them out of my buildings, board the buildings up, give them back to the bank and then hunt me a job," Long said.

The Times Herald's investigation found:

 Properties co-owned by Wesson and Long or owned solely by Wesson, have been raided the most of any Dallas landlord -- more than 40 times in the past 18 months. The raids resulted in more than 40 arrests and the seizure of drugs.

 Court records support Jones' claims that he was already seeking to evict the tenants arrested in the 15 raids on his properties. Records also show that Jones has sought to evict tenants he suspected of dealing drugs.

• Two apartments in a single complex owned by Burkhead were raided eight times from April 1987 to May 1988. Properties owned by Belsley have been raided at-least 23 times in the past 18 months.

Joe Johnson, of J&J Management, is a landlord who has had success in removing drug dealers from his property. Johnson says the solution requires a phone call and a little patience.

'You don't have to do anything," Johnson said. "You just have to call it in. If it's a drugrelated problem, it takes a little time. The city has to make a buy to have probable cause to get a warrant. I've got no problems with the city. I'm very pleased with the city."

But Wesson, Long and Burkhead say running drug dealers off their property is not economocally feasible.

"I do what it takes to survive. When they walk in here with the deposit and a month's rent, and you're looking at a \$1,900 mortgage payment on the building, what do you do? Do you say no? Wesson said.



gasoline tank storage blaze at a p.m. Thursday. It was put out

Phillips Petroleum Co. refinery around 9:30 p.m. that same night

but reignited just before 1 p.m. Friday.

Phillips storage tank fire under control

The fire continued to burn throughout Friday and Saturday before finally being brought under control late Saturday night.

Firefighters from Houstonbased Boots and Coots arrived at the site Friday when the fire flared for a second time. The fire had diminished significantly around midnight Friday, but still was burning in spots when it reignited Saturday, officials said.

Phillips spokesman E.A. Borths of Borger said there was no danger of an explosion at the site

late Saturday as the fire continued smoking as it was allowed

sinking after heavy rains," Harrison said. "The water from the rain caused the roof to sink into the gasoline. We began applying foam to seal the roof and, during the application of foam, the fire broke out.

Miss Castro is a 1984 gradu-

ate of McAllen Memorial High

School. She majored in busi-

ness administration in college

with a minor in computer sci-

ence.

"The source of that ignition has not been determined," Harrison said.

Harrison said the tank remained intact.

Company officials said no one was injured in the fire, refinery operations were unaffected and the fire was contained in the 80.000-barrel tank.

Black smoke poured from the tank fire and was visible for miles Boots and Coots crews left town in the sparsely settled area. No evacuations were neces-

sary, officials said

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to burn out.

"At some point, the fire is going to burn out. There will be no fuel left to burn," company spokesman Dan Harrison said late Friday as crews watched the scene. Harrison said crews continued

applying water to the tank and surrounding equipment and were still transferring fuel from the tank into another

The gasoline ignited after heavy rain from a thunderstorm sank the tank's floating roof, which is designed to rise and fall with the volume of gasoline, officials said.

The tank's floating roof began

The tank contained 50,000 to 55,000 barrels of gasoline when the fire first broke out Thursday evening. Workers drained fuel from the tank at a rate of about 2,500 barrels an hour

Firefighters from Phillips refineries at Borger and Sweeney sprayed water and foam on the tank and water on nearby tanks and equipment to keep them cool. Steve Milburn, a company spokesman, said the closest tank

is 150 yards away. Two access roads to the refinery were closed after the flames broke out. The refinery is 55 miles northeast of Amarillo

(AP Laserphoto) LULAC glows from presidential courting

DALLAS (AP) - The 59th annual LULAC convention, complete with slick presentations and the attentions of three presidential candidates, illustrates how the group has evolved, officials sav

The League of United Latin American Citizens convention ended Sunday with the election of Jose Garcia De Lara of San Antonio as national president.

"Fifteen years ago, we focused on the civil rights movement, police brutality, illegal searches. Those things were obvious," said Oscar Moran of San Antonio, who has served as LULAC national president for the past three years.

"But we began to evolve and emerge with electoral resources and a brain trust," Moran told the Corpus Christi Caller-Times. He said now the group conducts many of its battles in the boardrooms

LULAC's long-term agenda has turned to three general areas of concern - education, political empowerment and jobs

During the week, LULAC and executives at Ford Motor Co. announced agreement to discuss what LULAC sees as a low percentage of Hispanic workers in the Ford labor force.

Also, LULAC delegates heard Vice President George Bush promise to name an Hispanic to his Cabinet if elected. Democratic candidates Michael Dukakis and Jesse Jackson followed with their own promises of increased Hispanic political participation.

LULAC leaders said the increased attention from corporate and political circles demonstrated the growing power of the Hispanic community. The number of registered Hispanic voters has grown from 488,000 in 1976, to 1.1 million today.

"We have a right to the attention," said Armando Navarro, director of the Los Angeles-based group, Impacto '88. "The sleeping giant is no longer sleeping. What we're saying is, don't take us for granted.

Moran's resignation from the presidency triggered an intense four-man race for the leadership of the nation's largest and oldest Hispanic civic organization.

De Lara, LULAC's state director, won the presidency in a runoff with Rafael Acosta of Houston, national LULAC vice president for the Southwest region

Some LULAC leaders criticized Moran's leadership and said the organization, which claims 100,000 members, is losing its aggressive edge.

"National LULAC has been very low-key in the past few years, and not really addressing important issues to Hispanics as a whole," said Victor Gonzalez, director of LULAC Council No. 1 in Corpus Christi.

Past LULAC president Ruben Bonilla said as the sophistication of LULAC's membership grows, there is a danger of losing touch with a "genuinely needy" constituency



De Lara takes oath of office.



Smoke rises above storage tank fire.

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Opinion

Beef and oranges helping free trade

With the mood for protectionism still rampant, we should cherish every blow for free trade, however limited it may be. Japanese and U.S. trade negotiators solved a long-standing dispute concerning some American food exports to Japan. Tokyo agreed to eliminate all quotas on beef imports and fresh oranges in three years, and on orange juice in four years. And Japan agreed to lower tariffs on several other agricultural products. Japan currently limits American beef imports to 214,000 metric tons a year. The trade liberalization should mean \$1 billion more American sales to Japan.

The tariffs will still exist, and many other Japanese tariffs and quotas remain (not to mention American tariffs and quotas), but the move should help in reducing trade tensions. In particular, congressional protectionists should be somewhat molli-fied. Even as they have helped build walls around America (among other ways with auto and mic-rochip quotas), our politicians have maintained that the Japanese should reduce their trade barriers. But the more barriers Japan reduces, the less water this excuse of American protectionists will hold.

Let's not forget, though, that the very idea of trade retaliation is itself bankrupt. Japanese trade barriers actually hurt Japan far more than they hurt American companies. Restrictions on rice imports, for example, force Japanese families to pay ten times the world price for this staple. And American import restrictions likewise hurt our consumers by driving up prices; they hurt our companies by (a) in-creasing raw materials and other operating costs and (b) depriving them of competition that would make them leaner and meaner in the world marketplace.

The new beef and orange agreement, predictably, is already facing trouble. Japanese farmers, instead of finding a cheaper way to produce their product, or switching to some other crop, are complaining that they cannot hope to compete with the cheap Yankee imports. Doesn't this sound like the same complaints that come from Lee Iacocca and other American protectionists about cheap Japanese products? Some government officials in Tokyo and Washington are now talking about a U.S.-Japanese free-trade accord similar to the one recently signed by the United States and Canada. That's still many years off, and the protectionist tide in both countries will have to ebb quite a bit before it even has a chance of becoming a reality. Let's hope that this week's agreement, though of a minor nature, points the ship of trade away from the rocks of protectionism and toward the safe harbor of free trade.

A good term, not a great one

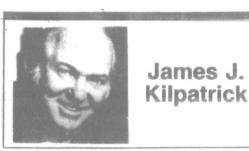
The quietest term of the U.S. Supreme Court in many years wound up recently with a few firecracker pops and one good bang. Some terms of court are marked by fratricidal goring and gouging among the justices. This time we saw a peaceable kingdom.

How peaceful was it? In the 1986-87 term, the court handed down 44 opinions without dissent. In the term just ended, 63 of the 148 decisions provoked no opposition. Last year eight members of the court (not counting Powell) cast 281 dissenting votes. This time they cast only 212. As always, the justices exchanged a few sizzling insults, but for the most part they were on their very best behavior.

An explanation lies in the maturing personality of William Rehnquist. In this term he made an interesting discovery: He discovered that he truly is chief justice of the United States. As such he put his formidable powers of charm and persuasion to effective use.

He dissented in only 24 cases, down from 35 in the preceding term. He gently muzzled the court's most redoubtable liberals. He undertook to speak for the court in half a dozen close cases of criminal jurisprudence - cases in which he would have dissented a few years ago. Rehnquist still leads the court's "conservative" bloc, but he split 24 times with Justice Sandra Day O'Connor and 18 times with Justice Antonin Scalia

Until the final two weeks, this term had been mostly one big yawn. January brought a notable decision affecting high school newspapers; high school principals, the court ruled, may act in the role of publishers. In February, Rehnquist resoundingly upheld old doctrines of a free press: the Rev. Jerry Falwell could not recover dam-



ages for the "emotional distress" he suffered from a vicious parody in Hustler magazine. In April, the court upheld federal regulation of state bonds. In May came the great trash bag case, in which police were given authority to root through a citizen's discarded belongings.

Finally, in late June, a few fireworks began to erupt. The court voted 9-0 to uphold a New York City ordinance that treats large private social clubs as places of public accommodation. Another important decision will protect homeowners against harassment from ideological picketing. The court held that labor unions may not play fast and loose with the "agency fees" extorted from non-union workers.

On the last day of the term came the closest thing to a big bang: The court voted 7-1 (Kennedy not participating) to uphold the law providing for the appointment of independent counsels in cases involving high-ranking members of the executive branch. Rehnquist spoke for the majority. The case is styled as Morrison v. Olson

Here in the capital, where we breathe politics as others breathe smog, the decision set off a wild buzzing of both jubilation and dismay. Liberals happily saw it as a "stunning blow"

and "stinging defeat" for the Reagan administration. Conservatives cried that the ruling grievously undermines the old doctrine of separation of powers.

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In my own view, the Morrison case was wrongly decided, but I suspect its importance has been overblown. Under the act providing for independent counsels, such prosecutors are named by a panel of judges at the request of the attorney general.

Once appointed, the counsels are in fact "independent." For all practical purposes, they become superior to the attorney general; they can be "terminated" only by the appointing judicial panel. They exercise executive powers - pow-but the president has no authority over them. Justice Scalia's passionate dissenting opinion provided a convincing, if lonesome, rebuttal to Rehnquist's opinion for the majority

My own thought is that it is very late in the day to protest the "undermining" of the principle of separation of powers. The undermining began more than a century ago with the creation of the Interstate Commerce Commission. Since then a dozen agencies have emerged, all of them with quasi-legislative and judicial powers. The three branches today are about as separate as homogenized milk.

The howls and snickers were set off because of Rehnquist's authorship. After all, he owes his eminence to Reagan's confidence in his judgment. A Virginia professor said Rehnquist had given new meaning to the word "ingratitude. But the history of the high court is replete with examples of justices who would not stay tied. All in all, as they say of vintage years, this was a good term --- but not a great one.



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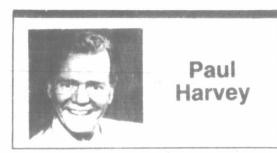
Actor Pat Boone went on the air in 1970 promoting an acne cream. When the effectiveness of the cream was questioned, he got the blame. Actor Lloyd Bridges encouraged viewers to invest with J.B. Obie & Associates before it declared bankruptcy and he ended up as a defendant in a lawsuit.

Art Linkletter was on the air promoting a lowcost insurance plan for the elderly. Now state insurance regulators have ordered him and it off the air, calling the ads "false and misleading.

Actress Cher says you should exercise at Chicago Health Club, implying you can have a body like hers --- when much of hers was fashioned by a surgeon's scalpel.

The whole idea of celebrities seeking to transfer their own popularity to some product or service is a questionable practice.

Video Storyboard, in its 10th annual survey of the most effective TV commercials, discovered that this year's most effective are employing no "live people" at all. They are commercials with animated dancing raisins and the English bull-



dog Spuds MacKenzie, and computer created Max Headroom.

Footnoting this year's survey, Storyboard President David Vadehra notes that people 'are having a harder time these days remembering any commercials that they consider special.

More and more," he says, "people believe that all brands are basically the same.

Yet, advertisers continue to solicit endorsements from "the stars," especially for cosmetics

Michael J. Fox's acrobatic commercial for a

soda pop won three awards in international competition for TV commercials though only 1.2 percent of the viewing audience can identify which soft drink he is promoting

There is a further risk in this alliance between actors and advertisers.

The flamboyant lifestyle of actor Bruce Willis caused embarrassment to his sponsor, the Seagram Company.

Cybill Shepherd caused embarrassment to her Beef Council sponsor when she was quoted off-camera as saying she does not eat beef.

There is a formula for effective advertising that only a few have discovered so far. You know that John Houseman spoke for Smith-Barney. You know that Bill Cosby sells Jell-O. You know that Cliff Robertson promotes the merits of AT&T.

Each appears convinced and convincing. Cliff Robertson is "believable" in his low-key explanation of "reliable telephone service."

Each of these most effective of all recent ads owes its product identification not to the messenger so much as to the message.

Tawana epic only attracts th

By CHUCK STONE

The name, Tawana Brawley, may not strike an immediate mnemonic chord in your mind, but she is currently the vortex of a storm that has swirled into the biggest media hustle since the phony Adolf Hitler diaries. The media is hustling Brawley. Her advisers are hustling the media. And both are hustling the public.

Brawley is the black teenager from Wappingers Falls, N.Y., who claims that six white men (including a police officer) raped her last November and abducted her for four days.

Any rape is a brutal, dehumanizing experience. But three factors escalated Brawley's case into a gruesome cause celebre - her accusation that it was a racial gang rape, her accusation that a policeman participated, and the subsequent role of three prominent New York City black activists as Brawley's advisers. On their advice, she has refused to cooperate with investigating authorities.

Increasingly, the case resembles a

rotten apple in the criminal justice system's barrel of already rotten apples. And that's the problem.

White New York City-area policemen have victimized and killed so many blacks under frighteningly suspicious circumstances in the last three years that blacks are quick to believe any reckless accusations.

Media manipulator Rev. Al Sharpton (a fastidiously manicured civil rights hustler), two prominent black civil rights lawyers, and a series of incredible accusations have legitimized Brawley's charges. Circulation-embattled New York City newspapers are having daily reportorial orgies.

From the gitgo, I've felt that the Brawley case was a hoax. I'm not suggesting she wasn't raped. But neither the FBI nor any other police investigators have been able to corroborate her accusations. Conflicts in her story involving her actions during the time she was missing have surfaced, as well as information about stormy relationships within her family.

Then the king of electronic P.T

Barnums, Phil Donahue, took over center stage.

Recently, Wall Street Journal critic Robert Goldberg capsulized TV's nasty throwback to the caveman, Morton Downey Jr. of "The Morton Downey Jr. Show," as "Phil Donahue for hood-lums." That is a terrible insult to all self-respecting American hoodlums. Downey, whose thoughtless venom spews from his mouth without being interrupted by his brain, is the newest kid on the elecronic block.

He has followed capacious Oprah Winfrey whose shows combine a vast experience ("I know, it happened to me, honey") and intense desire to wrap her smooth brown arms around you and smother you with motherly kisses.

Meanwhile, Donahue, who started it all, comes on like Jack Armstrong, all-American boy (with white hair), dripping sincerity like syrup oozing out of a Vermont maple tree. After Winfrey wasted Donahue in the ratings, however, he was forced to be less cerebral and more gonadal.

But all three hosts are variations on

the same theme. Their purpose is to get as salacious, inquisitorial, compassionate and entertaining as possible, without making idiots out of themselves.

Not too long ago, Donahue did the Brawley case and succumbed.

He lost control of his show. The predominantly black audience and one of Brawley's legal advisers took over the show and turned it into a media circus. No new information was revealed. No understanding was in-creased. When the show ended, the audience was still racially polarized.

business, not It was show journalism.

What's even more troublesome is that when urbane journalist Ted Koppel interviewed the Brawley case par ticipants, he came off as poorly a Donahue, although he did manage t maintain control of his show.

In this videocracy, Donahue, Winfrey and Downey are electronic P.T. Barnums.

I haven't figured out Koppel's role yet.

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Lifestyles

American metal ware, glass companies merged in 1894

By RALPH and TERRY KOVEL

We hear a lot today about corporate mergers, but there's nothing new about the idea. In the 19th century, the Pairpoint Manufacturing Company was formed to make britannia metal wares. The factory was built next door to the famous Mount Washington Glass Company in New Bedford, Mass.

The two companies were not only neighbors but also had many stockholders in common, so it seemed natural that the companies should merge, which they did in 1894.

The resulting new company made glass lampshades and metal lamp bases, glass cookie jars with metal trim and glass epergnes in metal holders.

In the 1870s, the company claims, it was the first American firm to make decorated opal glass shades. They also made electric lamps which by the 1890s were being sold in the best stores for over \$100, a very high price for a lamp in the 19th century. Pairpoint lamps competed with the leaded glass lamps of Tiffany and others

Pairpoint made three types of blown, not molded, shades. Shades were called blow-outs. ribbed shades and scenic shades The bases were made of metal with bronze, brass, copper or silver finish and wooden bases.

Some of the shades were signed with the company name. Collectors search for all Pairpoint shades, especially the blow-out variety

Collectors often search for a special type of pottery made long before the history of the ware became well known. Two new books have been published that are filled with color pictures, history, and the marks used by the potters.

Clarice Cliff, The Bizarre Affair by Leonard Griffin, Louis Meisel and Susan Meisel (Abrams, \$19.95) tells about the English wares of the 1920s to 1988 designed by Clarice Cliff. Moorcroft Pottery by Paul Atterbury (Richard Dennis, 144 Kensington Church St., London W8, \$76) pictures the English pottery by William Moorcroft made from 1898 to 1986.

Q. We finally found a secret compartment in our 1780 Chippendale desk. Inside we found a note reading, "I found it first, October, 1922." What sort of This 23-inch-high Pairpoint lamp has a shade in the

Berkeley shape. The scene is painted inside the glass. The base is stamped with the company name.

pointed "key."

Secret compartments have not been forgotten. We recently saw a bedroom dresser with a shortened draw, behind which was a secret hiding place for jewelry or money

Antiques

Q. I just found an old tin box that looks like a windmill. The blades turn. The design on the box includes a doorway and a lady inside holding a box. I understand that it is valuable.

A. You may have a famous English biscuit or cookie box made for Huntley and Palmer. Hundreds of shaped and decorated biscuit tins were made as commercial packages in England from 1868 to 1939. A few of lesser quality have been made since then

The windmill box was made by Huntley, Boorne and Stevens in 1924. It is very popular with tin collectors.

the piece with a wad of gum or tape. *** Learn how to get the best prices

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Puzzle, Sohio, Standard Oil Company, Gene and Glenn, 1933:

Still bank, Three Little Pigs, cast iron: \$30. Weller vase, Coppertone, 61/2 in-

Newsmakers

John Sturgill John Sturgill, son of George and Donna Sturgill of 1149 Huff Road, has been awarded a \$500 scholarship from the Army Scholarship Organization.

Sturgill is a 1988 graduate of Pampa High School, where he was a member of the Pride of Pampa band, junior and senior drum major, all-area band, allstate alternate and stage band.

He plans to attend Texas Tech University, where he will study commercial art/design communications and become a member of the Army ROTC, earning an officer's commission in the Army after his senior year at Tech.

Brenda Graham

Brenda Graham, daughter of Elaine Graham of Pampa, is the recipient of a \$500 scholarship from Magic Plains Chapter of American Business Women's Association.

The 1988 Pampa High School graduate plans to attend West Texas State University and major in special education. She is working toward a career in sign language interpretation and service to the hearing impaired.

Joel Ray Quisenberry

Joel Ray Quisenberry, 4, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Quisenberry of Pampa, competed in the third annual Fourth of July Talent Search held July 2-3 in M.K. **Brown Auditorium**

Joel performed a vocal to "Texas When I Die" and a song and dance to "Nobody Does It Better." Both numbers placed in the top 10 out of the 20 acts in the 3-6 age group.

"Nobody Does It Better" was awarded Most Entertaining Act of the 88 acts from the 3-12 age

divisions Joel's vocal coach is Danny

Workshop



JOEL RAY QUISENBERRY

Parkerson, and he studies dance with Madeline Graves, both of Pampa

TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY

COLLEGE STATION --- Two students from Pampa were named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the 1988 spring semester at Texas A&M University, and three Pampa students received their degrees at the university's spring commencement exer-

Dean's Honor Roll students from Pampa are Cami L. Dunham and Julie L. Hamilton. both junior psychology majors.

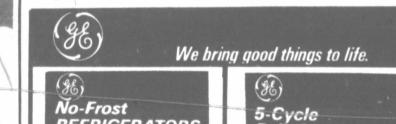
In order to be named to the Dean's Honor Roll, a student must be registered for 15 or more semester hours and earn at least a 3.75 grade point ratio, out of a possible 4.0, during the most recent grading period.

A total of 3,103 degrees were awarded, including 2,566 bachelor's, 425 master's and 112 doctorates, during the university's

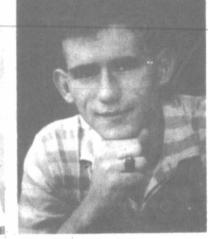


NEW YORK (AP) - Most people see a hospital as a place to get better but last year 2 million Americans left hospitals with viruses they didn't have when they walked in, reports Health Magazine.

It says disease control researchers in Atlanta found that hard to control hospital bacteria are responsible for all sorts of infec-



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JOHN STURGILL



BRENDA GRAHAM commencement exercises.

Those from Pampa who received degrees were David M. Osborne, bachelor's degree in agronomy; Randall L. Skaggs, bachelor's degree in veterinary science; and Eugene M. Thompson, bachelor's degree in engineering technology

tions, including staph, strep and urinary tract complications. The problem has become so great that fatalities are estimated as high as 20,000 people a year.

Some hospitals are fighting the germs by providing patients with disposable telephones the patients may take home after their stay. Researchers estimate up to 100 types of bacteria can accumulate on hospital room phones.



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A. There were few places to store valuables in the 18th century, and the secret compartment was often a substitute for a safe-deposit box. Land or house deeds, important contracts and money were stored in hidden

places. The design of a desk's interior pigeonholes is a clue to secret spaces. Thin, columnlike decorations often hid small document compartments. Drawers that seem too short mask a secret

storage space behind. Some secret compartments are difficult to open. Look for levers, loose handles, small latches or even holes meant for a sharp

Q. Where would my 80-year-old cut glass decanter be signed? There are designs all over the sides. Even the base is cut like a star.

A. About one out of 10 pieces of cut glass are signed. Makers often bought the glass from a glassworks, then cut it in their shops

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floral design, signed: \$450. Oak ice box, three doors: \$475. Legrass carver glass vase, red

grapes and vines, frosted ground, 131/2 inches: \$750. Estey reed organ, two manu-

als: \$2,000. Gilbert clock number 16, jewel-

ers regulator, floor model, walnut: \$5,800.

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Special Photo Len Slesick of Amarillo meteorologist for KVII-TV and an artist, will conduct a painting workshop July 16-17 in the classroom of The Hobby Shop. The workshop is sponsored by Pampa Area Art League and is open to youths and adults. Techniques in oils and pastels will be featured. For more information, contact Cile Taylor, 669-3201 days or 669-2034

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as soon as possible. Thank you for your cooperation. I hope you consider this an honor. It really is.

DEAR ABBY: Sorry to be so late

in writing, but I kept putting it off

until now. In March of 1986, one of

our cows gave birth to twin heifers

Naturally we were quite excited and

wanted to give them special names.

No matter whom we asked, "Abby

and Ann" were the names everyone

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DEAR JENNIFER: I've had show dogs, racehorses, monkeys and babies named after me, but this is my first registered cow. I am honored. And since I am privileged to name "Abby's" heifer, my choice is "Jeanne" - after my firstborn, who has given her blessing and approval. (P.S. When "Ann" calves, if it's a heifer, let her name the udder one.)

DEAR ABBY: My stepfather (I'll call him Ralph) and my mother got a divorce last year. Since then,

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Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

Ralph and his new girlfriend had a baby boy. They named him Michael. My question: Is Michael related to me? If yes, what is he to me? Is Ralph still my stepfather? (I still consider him my stepfather, as he is very dear to me.)

I have a half-brother, "Tommy." from the marriage of Ralph and my mother. Ralph's new baby, Michael, would, I believe, be Tommy's halfbrother, right?

I also have a 3-year-old son named Victor. If I am related to Michael, what would the relationship between Victor and Michael be? Also, my mother just remarried again. Is her new husband also my stepfather, and my son's stepgrandpa?

We would all like to have answers to these questions. Ralph and I feel that we are still step-relations even though he and my mother are no longer married to each other.

Victor also calls Ralph

"Grandpa." Is that OK? Thank you for straightening all this out. ALL MIXED UP IN MONTGOMERY, ALA.

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DEAR ALL MIXED UP: Ralph may be very dear to you, but he is no longer your stepfather your mother's new husband is.

Michael is not related to you, but you are right -- Michael and Tommy are half-brothers.

Michael and Victor are not related to each other. And Victor may call Ralph anything he wishes, as long as it's all right with Ralph.

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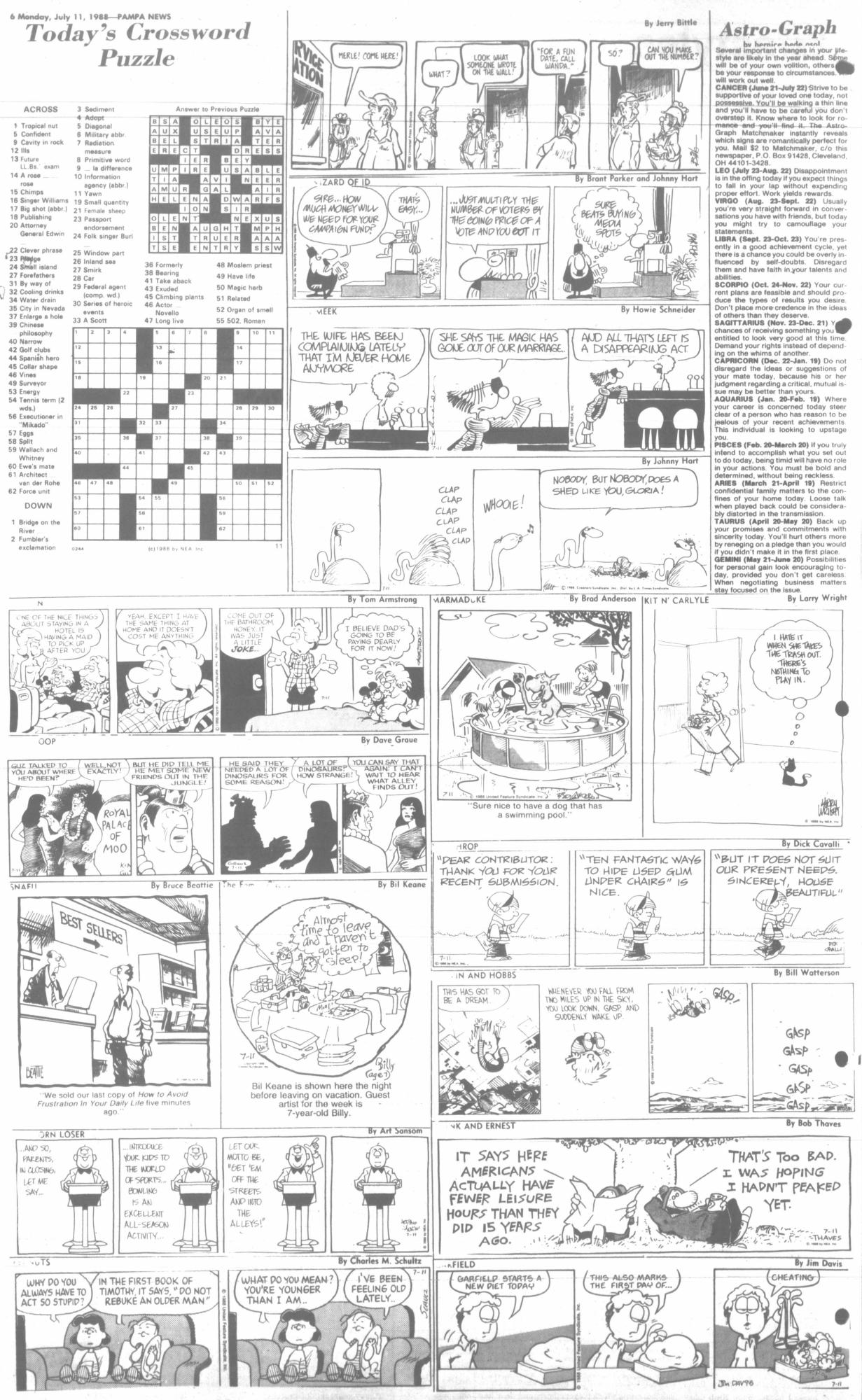






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Sports

Matson inducted into National High School Hall of Fame

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) -Randy Matson, a high school track and field star at Pampa, was among 14 people inducted Friday night into the National High School Sports Hall of Fame. Matson went from Pampa to

Texas A&M, where he continued his track greatness, winning a silver medal in the shot put at the 1964 Olympics and a gold medal at the 1968 Olympics. His toss of 71 feet, 51/2 inches in 1971 set a world record.

Among the others inducted was Ralph Tasker, still the basketball coach at Hobbs, N.M. High School after nearly four decades. His record of 887-208 at Hobbs includes a 24-6 season last spring that ended in his 11th state championship

The high school hall of fame was started in 1982 by the National Federation of State High School Associations, based in Kansas City. Induction ceremonies concluded the federation's 69th annual meeting.

Those included in the hall of of fame include athletes, coaches, officials and administrators in high school sports.

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Others inducted included former pro football stars Len Dawson, Jim Taylor and Elroy 'Crazylegs'' Hirsch.

Dawson, former quarterback of the Kansas City Chiefs, played football and basketball at Alliance High School in Ohio. He played in the National Football League for 19 seasons and led the Chiefs to a Super Bowl victory in 1970.

Taylor played football and basketball at Baton Rouge High School in Louisiana. In nine years with Green Bay, he helped the Packers win three NFL championships and the first Super Bowl in 1966.

Hirsch, a football and basketball standout at Wisconsin's Wausau High School, played three years with the Chicago **Rockets of the All-American** Football Conference and nine years with the NFL's Los Angeles Rams. He recently retired after 19 years as athletic director at Wisconsin.

Other inductees for 1988:

Wright Bazemore, who forged a 290-43-6 record as football coach at Valdosta, Ga., High School. Bazemore retired in 1971 in 1918. Considered one of the naafter 28 years at Valdosta with a winning percentage of .855.

- Augie Bossu, a 40-year veteran of coaching high school football and regarded as one of Cleveland's all-time greats. Bossu, who is preparing for his 34th season at Benedictine High, has compiled a 246-77-15 record and won three state titles.

- Dan Gaylord, who officiated football in Alabama for 26 years and has spent decades helping train officials. He was a charter member of the Birmingham **Football Officials Association** and serves as the BFOA's secretary and booking agent at age 86.

Cliff Hagan, a basketball standout at Owensboro, Ky., High School. Hagan helped Kentucky win an NCAA championship in 1951 and finish the regular season undefeated in 1954. He played 10 years for the St. Louis Hawks of the National Basketball Association and is now athletic director at Kentucky.

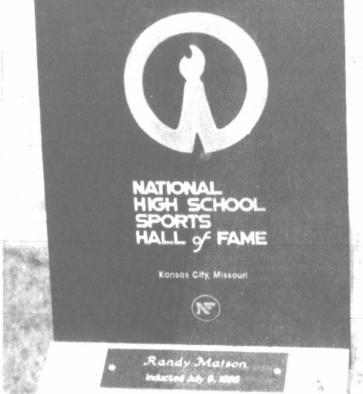
- Brutus Hamilton, who set state records as a track star with Harrisonville, Mo., High School tion's most versatile track athletes, he won a silver medal in the decathlon at the 1920 Olympics and later coached for 33 years at the University of California. Hamilton died in 1970.

- Bob Jamieson, one of the nation's top multi-sport coaches. From 1933 to 1975 at Greensboro, N.C. High School (renamed Grimsley High in 1962), he led teams to 11 state titles while coaching football, basketball, golf and girls' swimming.

Mel Otero, hailed as one of the best basketball and football officials in New Mexico. A native of Albuquerque, Otero retired in 1983 after a 36-year career.

Robert Siddens, the winningest wrestling coach in Iowa history. In a 26-year career at West High School in Waterloo, Iowa, he compiled a 327-26-3 record and won 11 state championships.

John Youngblood, who retired in 1986 after 35 years as a coach and administrator. He served 27 years at Washington Lee, Va. High and was supervisor of athletics for Arlington, Va., public schools



Matson's national high school HOF award.

U.S. gymnasts compete for rights to journey to Seoul

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ **AP Sports Writer**

HOUSTON — Dan Hayden has conquered the U.S. Gymnastics Championships and now he's ready for bigger things — in fact, the world.

"I feel like I'm a complete gymnast now and I'm ready to take on the world," Hayden said Sunday after winning two events and tying for a third individual title

By "the world," Hayden referred to the Olympic Games in Seoul, Korea and he feels as confident about his chances as anyone.

"There are about 10 guys at Seoul that can win the gold," Hayden said. "It will depends on who does the best at the time."

Hayden won the parallel bars and the still rings and tied for the horizontal bars title in individual championships Sunday at The Summit.

Hayden, who won the men's allround title Saturday will join

the women's champion, Phoebe

Mills, in leading the U.S. team into the Olympic Trials Aug. 4-7 at Salt Lake City, Utah.

Mills repeated the same floor routine in Sunday's individual program that helped her win the all-around title on Saturday.

The routine, accompanied by the Western song Red River Valley, is the same routine she plans to take all the way to the Olym-

"I'm just going to concentrate on being 100 per cent from here on out," Mills said. "I just put it in my mind to go out and stick all of my routines.

Hayden shared the gold medal in parallel bars with Kevin Davis of the University of Nebraska.

Davis, who finished second to Hayden in the men's all-around competition, and Hayden each ad 9.8 scores in parallel bars.

While Mills won the gold in the floor exercise, the highest scorein the finals went to teammate Chelle Stack, who had a 9.938 score in the individual com-

petiton

But she finished third based on her 9.625 score in Saturday's options, which was added to her Sunday score for the final total.

Hayden won the rings with a 9.85 performance, beating out **Bob Gauthier of Brigham Young** University, who was second at 19.575.

Hayden, who earned a spot on the men's national team for thei sixth straight year on Saturday, placed fifth in floor exercise.

Mills led a strong contingent from Houston's Karolyi Gym in winning individual titles.

Karolyi students won three of the four titles, losing the gold only in the balance beam, won by University of Oklahoma's Kelly Garrison-Steves with a 9.875 performance.

Kristie Phillips and Mills placed second and third behind Garrison-Steves.

Rhonda Faehn, Houston, who scored a perfect 10 in the optional vault program, won the event with a 9.906 average on two

Pampa 13 all-stars roll on Pampa's 13-year-old All

Stars racked up another District Tournament victory Sunday when they defeated the Top of Texas All-Stars 8-4 at Optimist Park.

The game was played Sunday due to a Saturday night rain-out, but that didn't dampen the spirits of Pampa sluggers, who collected nine hits to move into tonight's winner's bracket.

Tarin Peet pitched six innings to capture the mound win. He was relieved in the seventh inning by Jeff Tidwell, who was credited with the save. The two combined for seven strike outs and five bases on balls, yielding only four runs on four hits.

Pampa jumped to a 2-0 lead in the top of the first inning.

captures **PGA** win WILLIAMSBURG, Va. (AP) -

Sieckmann

(Staff Photo)

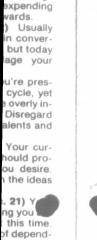
Life as Tom Sieckmann knew it is over, and he can think of several people who will be pleased to hear that.

"It's going to change some things for me, certainly. I'll probably pay off my creditors,' Sieckmann said with a grin Sunday after collecting the biggest paycheck of his professional golfing career, \$117,000 for winning the Anheuser-Busch Golf Classic on the second hole of a playoff with Mark Wiebe.

The victory was Sieckmann's first in four years on the PGA Tour and helped ease the pain of a season in which he had missed the cut in 13 of 16 events.

Sieckmann, 33, of Omaha, Neb., pushed his earnings total to \$159,690 for the season and \$305,734 for his career.

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World's Fair. Most club owners didn't like the idea of bringing the regular season to a three-day halt for the sake of a single exhibition game, but the league presidents and then-Commissioner Kenesaw

> Mountain Landis decided to give Ward's idea a go. So, the first All-Star game was played on July 6, 1933, at Comiskey Park in Chicago before a packed house. Babe Ruth clin-

On Tuesday, major league baseball's best, or at least most popular, players will gather to showcase their talents at Riverfront Stadium in Cincinnati. The annual All-Star game, which pits the American

League's best against the National League's best, was the brainchild of *Chicago Tribune* sports editor Arch Ward. In 1933, Ward conceived of the "Dream Game" as part of Chicago's Century of Progress exposition at the

Gymnastics Championships.

ched a 4-2 American League victory with a third-inning homer. **Although the American League** may have dominated the early years of the mid-summer matchup, the National League currently holds a 37-20 margin of victory And despite the supposedly

Phoebe Mills, top, turns in a third-place performance on the balance beam,

while Bob Gauthier finished second on the still rings during Sunday's U.S.

"meaningless" nature of the contest, that statistic may lead some to believe that the Nationals are simply a better group of ball players.

A glance at the World Series results over the years may help to balance the picture. In 84 championship series, American teams have won 49 times, compared to 35 for the Nationals.

The method of selecting All-Star players has been a source of controversy since the game's inception. In 1933, both league managers, John McGraw of the NL and Connie Mack of the AL, were issued a Chicago Tribune reader poll indicating which players locvaults.

"I've got my confidence back now." said Faehn, recovering from a hamstring injury. "I was kind of tentative coming in here but now I'm not concerned about it any more. I can just tconcentrate on the trials.

Karolyi students finished 1-2-3 in the floor exercise with Chelle Stack placing second behind Mills and Brandy Johnson winning third, both with 9.9 performances

Mark Oates, Abilene, Texas, and all-around bronze medalists Charles Lakes, Newhall, Califtied for the men's national title in the floor exercise.

Davis, Lithonia, Ga., won the pommel horse with a 9.85 performance and Bill Paul and John Sweeney tied for the vault title.

The top 18 men and top 20 women in Saturday's competition advance to the Olympic Trials. They earned 40 per cent of their final score in Houston and the final 60 per cent at the Olympic Trials will determine the U.S. Olympic team to compete in Seoul, Korea.

Stack had a near perfect 9.938 score to win the uneven bars, edging out Stacey Gunthorpe, Huntington Beach, Calif.

Top of Texas knotted the score at two during their first at-bat. Pampa went up 6-2 with a run in the second and three runs in the fourth.

Top of Texas brought two runners home in the fifth to tighten the score, 6-4. Pampa scored a run in the sixth and the seventh to complete the scoring and wrap up the victory.

Jason Brantley was Pampa's leading hitter with two singles. Brandon Brashears, Tarin Peet, Kurt West, Brad Smilie, Chris Poole, Jeff Tidwell and Dave Davis each hit one single in Pampa's second victory this weekend

Pampa faces Dumas, who defeated Dalhart 21-5, in tonight's winner's bracket at 8:30. Dalhart and Canyon meet in the loser's bracket tonight at 6:00. Both games will be played at Optimist Park.

Booster club meets

Harvester Booster Club meets tonight at 7 p.m. at Harvester fieldhouse to go over advertising plans and discuss the fall football season

even though it is in a way," said Sieckmann, who lost his card and had to return to qualifying school after the 1987 season. "I'll spend the money one day, and I've got this the rest of my life. I won a tournament on the tour.'

Sieckmann's final-round, 2under-par 69 included six birdies and four bogeys on the 6,776-yard Kingsmill Golf Club layout. He forced the playoff with a birdie on the 177-yard 17th hole that left him tied with Wiebe at 270 after 72 holes. Wiebe closed with a 68.

On the first playoff hole, No. 16, the two made par-saving putts on the 427-yard dogleg right. Sieckmann two-putted from about 55 feet and Wiebe, who missed the green on his approach and left his third shot on the fringe, sank a 12-footer

At the par-3 17th, neither player's tee shot found the narrow green, but both golfers came close to holing their second shots. Wiebe, in the short rough about 30 feet past the hole, chipped onto the green and the ball hit the cup before coming to rest about six feet away. Sieckmann, pin-high and about 20 away in the fringe, elected to putt his ball, which rolled just wide of the cup and stopped about two feet past it.

All-Stars prepare for traditional mid-summer match-up

(AP Laserphoto

al fans would enjoy seeing in the

exhibition.

McGraw and Mack, however, chose to disregard the newspaper poll. In 1934, managers Joe Cronin and Bill Terry ignored that year's reader poll as well. Fan voting was discontinued after 1934, but it didn't end the problems plaguing player selection. In fact, managerial favoritism became the norm, making everyone, except the chosen players and their fans, unhappy



Finally in 1947, fans were again invited to participate in electing the players, and all went relatively smoothly until a ballot-stuffing incident prior to the 1957 All-Star game compelled Commissioner Ford Frick to return the selection process to the ball clubs. But Frick did prohibit players, managers and coaches from selecting their own teammates in an effort to avoid the favoritism of the past

This system continued success-

fully and unchallenged until the following decade when Commissioner Bowie Kuhn decided to return the voting to ticket-buyers. In 1970, he instigated placing computerized ballots at all the major league ball parks, giving the fans who attend games every chance to get in their two-cents worth.

This is the method used today but it is still not without problems. A player's name must appear on the ballot in order for him to be an All-Star. Only two write-in candidates have made the team to date-Rico Carty in 1970, and Steve Garvey in 1974. Obviously, every fan is not going to be satisfied, but the computerized ballot system has enjoyed the longest life.

And regardless of the inherent problems, the All-Star game is still an enjoyable and usually exciting event. Things can, and often do. get a little wacky, like

the time Charlie Hough, the Texas Rangers' "Mr. Knuckleball," struck out three batters but still failed to retire the side in the 1986 All-Star game

Impossible, you say?

Not impossible, but definitely improbable.

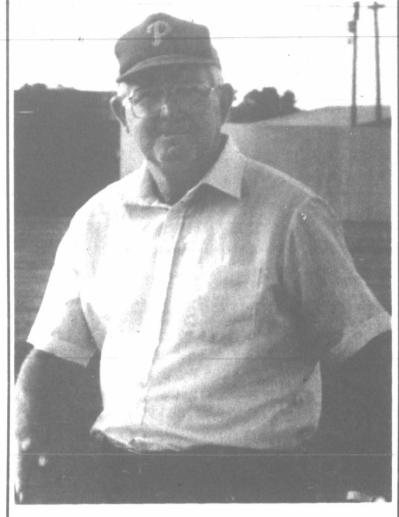
In the eighth inning, Hough struck out Chili Davis of the Giants. Expos' slugger Hubie Brooks then fanned, but the third strike got away from catcher **Rich Gedman of the Boston Red** Sox, allowing Brooks to reach first base. Then Hough retired Tim Raines of the Expos on strikes, Hough's third strike out of the inning-with only two outs recorded. The Americans went on to win, 3-2, one of their rare modern-day victories.

I'm sure Tuesday's game will have at least a few surprises for us. You'll find me planted in front of the tube



Sports





(Staff Photo by L.D. Strate)

Optimist Club member Virgil Poole was honored last weekend for his work on the baseball diamonds at Optimist Park. He received a certificate of appreciation.

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West Division

Astros squeak past Mets, 6-5

HOUSTON (AP) - The Houston Astros' sweep of the New York Mets sent the Mets out of town disagreeing over the Astros' potential.

A pinch-hit single by Rafael Ramirez in the ninth inning rallied the Astros to a 6-5 victory Sunday and completed a threegame sweep

It disputed a comment by Mets center fielder Lenny Dykstra that the Astros are easily discouraged and gave rise to Wally Backman's contention that the Astros will be back to contend for the National League Western Division title.

Astros Manager Hal Lanier didn't forget Dykstra's statement in New York last week.

"After that statement by one of the Mets' players that this team is easy to get down on itself makes it particularly nice for us," Lanier said. The Astros went into the Mets' series with a fivegame losing streak and eight losses in their last nine games. The sweep put the Astros one game over .500 at the All-Star break.

Backman remains a staunch Astros believer.

"I know they can turn it around any day," Backman said. "They have the best pitching in the West, no doubt about it. They match up against us better than anyone else.'

Houston's Bill Doran kept the ninth inning rally going with a two-out single that knocked in Craig Reynolds with the tying run

"I was just trying to put the ball in play," he said. "I got a high fastball and I got a hit.'

Beating the Mets going into the All-Star break could be a big boost, Doran said.

"They're just not any team, but the way we've been playing we needed to beat anyone," Doran said. "Our backs were against the wall and we couldn't fall back any farther."

Roger McDowell, 4-2, got the loss in relief after Mets starter, All-Star David Cone, went seven innings, surrendered seven hits and four runs

Houston's Juan Agusto, 6-0, benefitted from the Astros' 3-run resurgence in the eighth and ninth innings started by Terry Puhl's first home run of the season.

"Cone pitched a good ball game," Mets Manager Davey Johnson said. "He got behind to Puhl and that was it. It doesn't happen often, but it hurts when it does.

"We're capable of playing a lot better than this.

Houston's centerfielder Gerald Young provided the early offense for the Astros with a 4-for-5 performance. Young, breaking out of a slump, helped offset 2-run homers by Mets' Kevin McReynolds and Howard Johnson. 'It was a good win and swinging the bat well made it that much more satisfying," Young said. "My defense, I don't have to worry about, but I do have to concentrate on my hitting."

Irvin signs

THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. - The signing of

first-round draft choice Michael Irvin gave a lift

to the opening of Dallas Cowboys training camp.

dormitories and prepare for today's first day of

workouts, and among them was the University of

Miami wide receiver whose agent, Mel Levine,

worked out a contract agreement Saturday night

in Dallas during three hours of negotiations with

Irvin signed his contract, worth roughly \$1.85

Unlike wide receiver Mike Sherrard, the team's 1986 No. 1 choice who held out for 32 days in

a contract dispute, Irvin's development won't be

"There's no question when you are a No. 1 draft choice, you have the skills to do it," Cowboys pass

offense coordinator Paul Hackett said. "We all

saw what Sherrard, who missed a lot of camp, did

at the end of his rookie year. That can happen to Michael Irvin in the middle of his rookie year."

"He'll be comfortable there," Hackett said.

Bailey said talks went smoother from the start

with Irwin, as opposed to talks two years ago with

Sherrard and last year with defensive lineman

Danny Noonan, who held out for 42 days before

right chemistry. The single most important fac-

'In my mind, I guess you would say we had the

"He came in here and impressed the coaches as

well as the community. He became an integral

part of the community. He just loves to play foot-

ball, and his goal was to come to camp and be

there from Day One. He came in with a positive

attitude and that set the tone for my conversa-

was relatively little disagreement at all," Bailey

"This all created an atmosphere in which there

Terms of Irwin's pact were not disclosed, but

"This is great. This is terrific. This is

Cowboys president Tex Schramm said

Schramm said Irvin, who caught 143 passes for

'This is just what I needed. All along I wanted

"It's never been a Cowboy thing to jump too

quickly with a guy, but I think Michael's skills are

obvious. And if he gets a chance to show them to

Coach (Tom) Landry, to the team, to all of us, then

very quickly he will become an integral part of

Irvin's contract reportedly includes a playing

time incentive that could increase the contract's

to get to camp on time because I need time to

2,433 yards and 26 touchdowns in three seasons at

the University of Miami, has "a great chance" to

reaching an agreement with Irvin hours before the opening of preseason camp "will boost every-

sources estimated the 4-year deal is worth \$1.85

tremendous," Irvin said. "I'm just totally elated.

I think this shows how committed the Dallas Cowboys are to making this a winning team. I know

million, including a \$750,000 signing bonus.

Irvin at flanker, his position at Miami.

tor is Michael Irvin," Bailey said.

tions with Mel Levine.

I'm committed to them."

body and everything.

win a starting position.

Irvin agrees.

prepare," he said.

Hackett agreed.

our offense," Hackett said.

Hackett said the Cowboys initially will line up

million, on Sunday after arriving in camp.

Cowboys vice president Joe Bailey.

suppressed.

signing.

said.

Almost 100 rookies arrived Sunday to check into

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE TO BIDDERS Notice is hereby given that at 7:00 p.m. on the 18th day of July, 1988, at a Regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Cana-dian, Texas, bids will be re-ceived by the City of Canadian for the following paint work on the City Hall/Auditorium: 1-Paint all exterior stucco, ex-clusive of brick, with one (1) fin-ish coat of latex masonry paint. All joints and cracks must be calked and sealed. a-Paint must be exterior masonwith Cowboys

All joints and cracks must be calked and sealed. a-Paint must be exterior mason-ry paint equivalent to quality and color of existing paint b-Successful bidder will be re-sponsible for all clean up of de-bris and disposal of same c-Painting shall be done when temperature is above 50° F and humidity is less than 65% d-Inspection of the facilities to be painted is required of all bid-ders prior to submitting bids Three (3) copies of all bids must be received by 7:00 o' clock p.m. on the 18th day of July, 1988. All bids must be sealed and marked "Paint Bid". Bids must be mailed or delivered to: City of Canadian, 6 Main Street; Cana-dian, Texas 79014, attention dian, Texas 79014, attention Dean Looper, City Manager. In-terested bidders should call 806 232-6473 to arrange inspection of the facility to be painted. The City of Canadian reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

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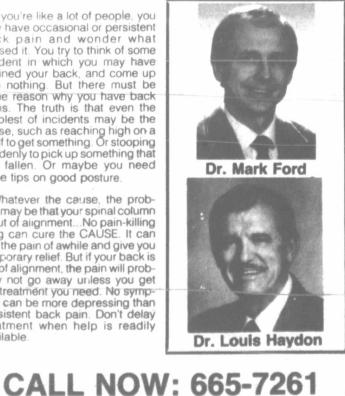
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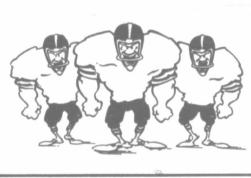
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Presser waves as he is rolled in on a red chariot at 1986 Teamsters meeting in Las Vegas.

Former Teamsters boss Presser remembered as corrupt and great

CLEVELAND (AP) — Teamsters President Jackie Presser, who died after leading the nation's largest union for five years. is being remembered both as a great leader and a man who maintained the Teamsters' reputation for corruption.

"Jackie will be remembered for guiding the Teamsters through difficult and successful contract negotiations during some of the hardest years for organized labor - the period of Ronald Reagan's all-out attack on the trade union movement," said Tom Turner, president of the Metropolitan Detroit AFL-CIO.

Presser, 61, died late Saturday in a suburban Cleveland hospital of cardiac arrest after being treated for brain cancer.

A federal lawsuit filed in New York last month claims the International Brotherhood of Teamsters is dominated by the Mafia. Presser was a defendant in the lawsuit.

The Teamsters leader also was awaiting trial in U.S. District Court in Cleveland on felony embezzlement and racketeering charges for allegedly participating in a payroll-padding scheme at Teamsters Local 507 in Cleveland. "It was pretty much more of the same, and the union went downhill," Ken Paff, national organizer for the dissident Teamsters for a Democratic Union, said Sunday of Presser's te-

nure "Presser said many times in

public that he made millions of dollars off the union. He saw it as a business, and he inherited it from his father. We believe the union is a grass-roots union, that almost everything good we have in this country comes from unions." said Paff. a member of the small but vocal opposition within the larger 1.6-million member union

Because of his health problems, Presser, who was paid about \$800,000 a year, temporarily relinquished his duties in May to **Teamsters** secretary-treasurer Weldon Mathis.

A statement released Sunday by Mathis and the union's executive board said Presser's death 'will be deeply felt.'

"He will long be remembered for his progressive ideas and deep commitment to the labor movement," the statement said. 'He was a great communicator and spokesman for the needs and concerns of working people.'

Presser was an FBI informant, and his attorney, John Climaco, said Presser participated in the payroll-padding scheme with the agency's approval

In a 1986 report, the White House Commission on Organized Crime concluded that Presser would not have become Teamsters president without the help of the head of the New York-based

Genovese crime family, Anthony "Fat Tony" Salerno."

In May, Salerno was acquitted on charges of rigging the elections of Presser and Roy Williams, Presser's predecessor.

Presser, who denied ties with the mob, was known for a sometimes flamboyant personality. He weighed 350 pounds and once entered a union convention in Las Vegas while seated in a red chariot guided by men dressed as Roman soldiers.

Presser used his influence to win a Teamsters endorsement for Ronald Reagan in 1980 and was rewarded by being named labor co-chairman for Reagan's inaugural.

Presser's last major public appearance was in October 1987, when he spoke to the AFL-CIO biennial convention. At that meeting, the Teamsters were welcomed back into the union coalition after 30 years of exile on allegations that the union was influenced by corrupt forces.

Presser, the son of Teamsters organizer William "Big Bill" Presser, ascended to the Teamsters presidency in 1983 after Williams' conviction.

Presser's funeral is scheduled for Tuesday in Cleveland Heights.

Presser is survived by his fifth wife, Cynthia; his son, Gary; his daughter, Bari Lynn; and his mother, Faye.

Texas guardsman killed in training exercise

and three others were injured when an armored personnel carrier sank Sunday morning in a creek during training exercises.

David A. Wynn Jr., 33, a National Guardsman attached to the 4th Battallion 112th Armor 49th Armored Division in Dallas,

KILLEEN (AP) — 'A Texas National Guardsman drowned died in the accident when the M-106 personnel carrier attempted there for observation. crossing Cowhouse Creek in the north part of Fort Hood, according to spokeswoman.

Three others were injured in the incident. Sgt. Kenneth Groves is in the intensive care unit with pneumonia at the Darnall Army Community Hospital. Spec. 4

Another soldier at the scene of the accident sustained minor injuries while trying to help the others from the vehicle.

Last summer, 11 part-time soldiers died in two unrelated training accidents at Fort Hood.

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orbachev talks reform to Poland

WARSAW, Poland (AP) ---Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gor- their "socialist renewal" of the bachev arrived in Poland today economy and political system. for a six-day visit that likely will focus on efforts to breathe life

ence, will give new impetus to On the eve of the visit, however, seven members of the outlawed

ery East bloc country should be free to choose its own political course

Solidarity also called for "clear and unambiguous words" from

into the economies of both countries

Polish opposition activists. meanwhile, are seeking assurances of Soviet non-interference in Polish affairs.

Wojciech Jaruzelski, Poland's leader, greeted the Soviet Communist Party chief as Gorbachev's plane arrived from Moscow on the military side of Warsaw's Okecie Airport on a mild, sunny morning.

Gorbachev's wife, Raisa, accompanied her husband, as she customarily does on foreign trips.

The Soviet leader's visit is to be capped at week's end by a summit meeting of the leaders of the Warsaw Pact allies

It will be the first summit of the Soviet-led alliance since the U.S.-Soviet summit in Moscow and since Gorbachev's program of political and economic reform was soundly endorsed by an extraordinary Soviet Communist Party conference last month in Moscow

Poland's leaders say the visit, coming so soon after the confer-

Polish Socialist Party were detained when they met in an apartment in the southwestern city of Wroclaw and police searched the Warsaw home of the leader of the illegal anti-communist Confederation of Independent Poland,

opposition activists said. The banned Solidarity independent labor federation praised Gorbachev's program of reform in the Soviet Union, saying it could be significant "if it serves for changes in the system in Poland and creation of a new model of Polish-Soviet relations.

Solidarity also urged Gorbachev to renounce the "Brezhnev doctrine," named after the late Soviet leader who intervened in the affairs of other East bloc countries, ostensibly to protect their communist systems.

Brezhnev was in power when the government of Gen. Wojciech Jaruzelski quashed Solidarity with a December 1981 military crackdown, outlawing the federation a year later.

Gorbachev, in earlier visits to Yugoslavia and Czechoslovakia, has emphasized his view that ev-

Gorbachev on the World War II massacre of 4,000 Polish army officers in the Katyn forest near Smolensk, which has been blamed on Soviet soldiers.

During his visit, Gorbachev is to address the Sejm, or parliament, and hold meetings with groups of young people, workers and intellectuals and artists.

He will also travel south to the former capital of Krakow and visit a mountain village where Vladimir I. Lenin spent time in 1913-14.

He also is to travel to a shipyard in Szczecin, a northwestern port city that once belonged to Germany. Polish officials have said Gorbachev's presence there will serve to emphasize the inviolability of Poland's western borders

Interest in the Warsaw Pact meeting has intensified amid signs the Soviets may pull out some or all of their military forces from Hungary, where 65,000 troops have been stationed since the Soviets invaded in 1956 to end a rebellion.

bombers falling short of mission B-1

WASHINGTON (AP) - America's B-1 bombers may not be able to fulfill their mission of penetrating Soviet air defenses in the 1990s, according to congressional and administration officials citing new test results.

Recent tests have shown problems with the B-1's Electronic Countermeasures, or ECM, system used to foil enemy radar, **House Armed Services Commit**tee Chairman Les Aspin, D-Wis., said in a memorandum sent to panel members and disclosed on Sunday

Plans to build the B-1 were shelved during the Carter administration but revived under President Reagan as he persuaded Congress that a penetrating bomber was needed to bridge the gap between the aging fleet of B-52s and the B-2 or Stealth Bomber expected to become operational in the 1990s.

Reagan won approval for a version called the B-1B by pledging to keep the first 100 planes under a \$28 billion ceiling. The planes became operational in 1986, although they are still under-

going tests and adjustments. Aspin said in his two-page memorandum said that "ECM has been the chief question mark in the B-1B's future as a penetrating bomber. It looks like we have our answer. The Air Force is now admitting that, because of a design flaw, it will never work as advertised.'

The memo, excerpts of which were obtained by The Associated Press. quoted a letter from Air Force officials to the committee late last month saying that 'there are limitations within the current system architecture."

Aspin said in his memo that "the Air Force acknowledged that those limitations will prevent the B-1B ECM from ever achieving full operational capability.

Despite the problems, Air Force officials said the plane should be able to penetrate Soviet air space until the introduction of the Stealth bomber, which is designed to appear as small as possible on enemy radar screens. Air Force officials confirmed the information in Aspin's memo,

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but a spokesman, Capt. Jay de Frank, said "the current round of flight tests verified that the most important ECM techniques work, giving us a high degree of confidence that we can penetrate enemy defense and accomplish our mission.'

The Air Force is trying to achieve what it calls Mod-1 capabilities on the bomber's ECM system, meeting specifications that were supposed to be achieved in 1986, according to Air Force and congressional officials.

The current hardware aboard the plane is not capable of meeting higher Mod-2 capabilities, those thought necessary for the plane to cope with expected improvements in Soviet air defenses by the 1990s, congressional sources said.

"The current system has a limitation which precludes achieving Mod-2 capabilities without modifying the hardware," de Frank said. "We are evaluating options to address these limitations.'

The exact nature of the limitations is classified.

