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Gov. Clements hospitalized after mild stroke

By PEGGY FIKAC
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Bill Clements, hospitalized after suffering what aides described as a mild stroke that temporarily blurred his vision, was to begin undergoing tests today.

Clements, 71, had complained of illness before admitting himself into Seton Medical Center around 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, aides said.

The governor was checked every two hours through the night and woke up about 6 a.m., said hospital spokeswoman Pat Korbus.

"He's already has some coffee and is waiting for breakfast. He's reading the paper," she said.

Clements' press secretary, Reggie Bashur, Tuesday night

explained what happened.

"Gov. Clements has had a slight stroke that had affected his vision," Bashur said. "His vision right now is almost all back to normal. There are no other difficulties or symptoms."

Bashur, who said he had spoken with neurologist Dr. Jerry Tindel, reported that Clements was expected to remain hospitalized for two to three days for observation and tests. He said aspirin, sometimes given as a blood thinner, was the only medication being administered to the governor.

"(Clements) is walking around. He's smiling. He feels fine," Bashur said. Clements' wife, Rita, also was at the hospital.

George Bayoud, Clements' chief of staff, said he was in his office when Clements walked in



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Tuesday afternoon and said he was not feeling well and was going to see his doctor.

Later at the hospital, Clements appeared to be feeling better.

"He's walking around joking (and) says he's going to have some ice cream," Bayoud said.

Cardiologist Dr. David Morris also was attending Clements, Bayoud said.

Though doctors were not immediately available to discuss Clements' condition, stroke, or cerebrovascular accident, is most commonly caused by a lack of blood to a particular part of the brain. This could result from a blood clot or a ruptured or narrowed blood vessel.

Strokes rank third behind heart disease and cancer as the third leading cause of death in the United States.

Many people receive a warning before a major stroke in the form of a transient ischemic attack, or TIA. A TIA is usually accompanied by slurred speech, numbness or weakness of a hand or foot or temporary vision problems.

Bayoud said Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, at the Democratic National Convention in Atlanta, placed a call to Clements, but didn't talk to him. Bayoud said he spoke with a Hobby aide about the governor's health.

Bayoud said there was no reason for Hobby, the state's second-in-command, to return to Texas early. "The governor is wide awake. If you saw him right now ... he looks absolutely normal," Bayoud said.

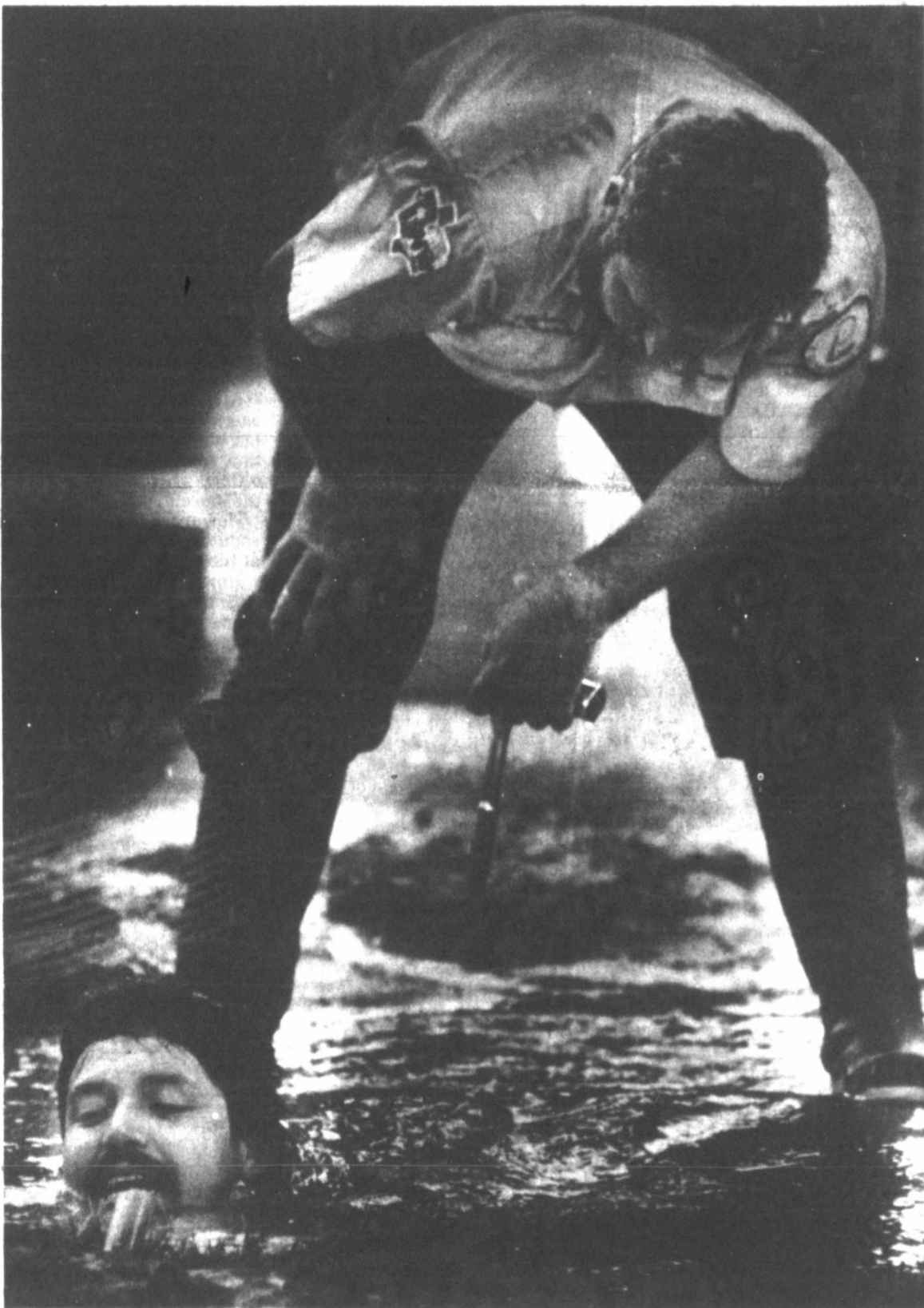
Hobby spokesman Glenn Smith said the offices of the lieutenant governor and governor have been

in contact. "The governor's office informs us out of courtesy and caution," he said. After Hobby, State Sen. Roy Blake, D-Nacogdoches, would be next in the line of command, Bayoud said.

Earlier in the day Tuesday, Clements had appeared in good spirits when he posed for photographs with the 1987 Miss Texas. Bashur said Clements' condition Tuesday was not related to his previous health problems.

Within months of leaving office in 1983 after his first term, Clements underwent hip joint replacement surgery to correct an old injury that bothered him throughout his political campaigns. He quickly recovered and was soon back in political and civic circles.

Flood?



(Staff Photo by Duane A. Laverty)

Pampa city Water Department employee Lupe Campos really gets into his work Tuesday as he goes under water to repair a water line on North Frost Street. Co-worker Wesley

Price assists Campos in the project. Fire Hydrants in the area were turned on to release water pressure so the repair effort could be completed.

Sheriff office investigates case of man found dead at his home

By DEE DEE LARAMORE
Staff Writer

Gray County Sheriff's officers continued their investigation of the death of a 28-year-old truck driver whose body was found stuffed in a hole in the floor of the house he was renting Tuesday morning.

Roy Leon Williams, 28, was discovered by a fellow Bourland & Leverich employee, Larry Quisenberry, after Williams did not show up for work for two days. His body was found at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday in a 30-inch by 25-inch hole about two feet deep in the floor of the house Williams was renting 2½ miles south of Pampa on Bowers City Road, said Gray County Sheriff Rufe Jordan today.

Sheriff's officers had to enlarge the hole to remove the body.

Sheriff's deputies Ken Kieth

and Doug Davis conducted the initial investigation, Jordan said. An autopsy of the body was ordered by Justice of the Peace Wayne Roberts at an inquest conducted at the scene Tuesday morning.

Preliminary autopsy report, completed at 6 p.m. Tuesday by Amarillo pathologist Dr. Ralph Erdman, indicated that Williams had died after being shot at least two times, said Jordan.

Williams had been shot once in the center of the chest with a shotgun and at least once in the middle of his forehead with a small-caliber rifle, possibly a 22-caliber, Jordan said.

"We feel this man met his death sometime last Sunday morning between 12:30 and 2 a.m.," the sheriff said.

Williams, employed with Bourland-Leverich as a truck driver, had not been to work for two days,

Jordan said. He said Quisenberry had been out to the large two-story house twice but had not found any sign of Williams.

The hole where Williams was found was used to store from eight to 10 weapons, Jordan said. It had a lid on it that was then covered with carpet, he said. Jordan said Williams, Quisenberry and one other person were the only ones to know about the hole in the floor.

The prime suspect in the murder, whom the sheriff declined to name pending further investigation, had been living with Williams but had been asked to leave Saturday night.

"The deceased took him home and unloaded him, in a highly inebriated state, told him to pack his clothes and leave," he said.

A 1977 Oldsmobile belonging to Williams was reported missing
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Jackson praises Dukakis, claims own nomination as rights victory

ATLANTA (AP) — Jesse Jackson promised today to endorse Michael Dukakis and to campaign enthusiastically in the fall election, though he is still asking the Democratic convention to nominate him for president tonight "as a testament to the struggles of our fathers and mothers."

For 50 minutes Tuesday night, in a valedictory for his own campaign, Jackson praised Dukakis in careful phrases and appealed to both Jackson and Dukakis supporters to find common ground.

"We meet tonight at a crossroads, a point of decision. Shall we expand, be inclusive, find unity and power, or suffer division and impotence?" he asked the delegates, then answered his own question: "The only time we win is when we come together."

Today, Jackson finally answered without equivocation the question that had tormented the party since it became clear that Dukakis would win the roll call tonight: Is Jackson going to endorse the Dukakis-Bentsen ticket and campaign enthusiastically for it?

"Oh yes, I am," Jackson said on ABC-TV. "But in some sense



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the relationship I will have with the campaign must be defined by Governor Dukakis. This is true for Mario Cuomo. This is true for Ted Kennedy. This is true for Lane Kirkland."

With the acknowledgement of Dukakis' win-to-come — but still without a formal endorsement — Jackson still appeared a little bitter that his path-breaking efforts did not result in victory.

"The fact is we are fighting a cultural crisis. The fact is if any other candidate had campaigned

as hard as I did, campaigned against those odds and achieved as much, that person no doubt would probably be the nominee or certainly on the ticket," Jackson said on NBC-TV.

"And so it becomes my challenge, just as Fannie Lou Hamer had to keep knocking and pushing down doors, through barriers, and just as Dr. King had to do it, I'm still doing it and I'm determined to push those doors down and I may, I may not get through those doors, but my children and your children will get through those doors and the White House is within reach. ... I am pushing back barriers and removing ceilings off of dreams every day. I see it as my obligation, in a real sense now my mission."

He said after his speech Tuesday night that he felt a great burden in writing it. "Whether I was successful would determine whether we could pull this convention together," he said.

Jackson saluted Dukakis for "a well-managed and dignified campaign."

"No matter how tired or how tried, he always resisted the temptation to stoop to demagoguery."
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Canadian students tell of exchange trip to West Germany

Editor's Note: This is the first of a two-part report on a trip to West Germany by Canadian students and teachers. Part 2 will run Thursday.

By KIT LOOPER
Special to The News

When 30 Canadian students and three teacher sponsors returned recently from West Germany, they brought back souvenirs and lasting friendships and memories — not only of carefree, happy days, but a glimpse of the awesome power of the Iron Curtain dividing East from West.

In March, Canadian students and their families had the opportunity to host 36 West German students when an eight-year exchange arrangement with students in Ohio fell through.

Wolfgang Bachmann, an English and physical education teacher at Albert Schweitzer High School in Hofgeismar, found himself with 36 students paid up and eager to come to America, and only 10 Ohio students signed up.

Bachmann is exchange coordinator in the program called A Friendship Connection between West German and American high school students.

According to Mandy Wright, 15-year-old Canadian student, "Mr. Bachmann said he was in deep

trouble." Wright stayed with Claudia Kneitt, 17, and her family and heard the story from Claudia, who was instrumental in making the connection between Texas and Germany.

Claudia told Bachmann of an aunt by marriage, Lea Podzemny, who teaches sophomore English and journalism at Canadian High School. According to Marlin Marcum, principal at Canadian, Bachmann contacted him in early January. The German teacher was in need of a host home in America by March and students willing to travel to West Germany in June.

After many overseas calls and immediate community response, the program finally became a reality. Three months later, Canadian students met their German contemporaries at the Amarillo Airport.

Besides providing trips and entertainment for the visitors, students from both countries attended school together in Canadian for several weeks.

According to Wright, German schools stay in session until July 21. "So, even though we got out of school for summer before we left, we could still attend some of their classes when we got to Albert Schweitzer."

Bachmann traveled to Texas with his students,

and the Canadian students were accompanied by John Shaller, science teacher; Lois Laubhan, senior English teacher, and Wyvonne McDaniel, Canadian High School librarian. Teachers also stayed with host families.

Denise Cleveland, 17, of Canadian, spoke of her strong feelings for her exchange student, Kerstin Kayser, and the Kayser family.

"One of my strongest impressions," Cleveland said, "was the special hospitality of my German family." Cleveland lived with Kayser's parents, both architects, in the small town of Grebenstein, which is about the size of Canadian.

McDaniel, a city councilwoman in Canadian, explained that Hofgeismar was a relatively small city surrounded by small towns called villages. All villages within about a 35-mile radius were included in the umbrella Township of Hofgeismar.

"The Kayser did something really special for me," Cleveland recalled. "They arranged a five-day trip in their motorhome through the Austrian and German Alps."

Krista Lovelace, 17, of Canadian, was hosted by Inka Krysiak. The two German mothers, Mrs. Kayser and Mrs. Krysiak, took the girls on a tour which ended with a walk across the flanks of Germany's highest point, the towering Zugspitze.

"It wasn't exactly like mountain climbing, but we had to ride a very high cable car up the mountain, and then we walked long winding trails. There weren't many trees because we were up so high."

Cleveland pointed out that none of the other students had a trip quite like theirs, and that's why it was so special to her.

McDaniel described many of the chartered trips provided for the students.

"The school didn't do anything, however," McDaniel said. "It was all arranged and paid for in advance by the host families."

"On one trip we toured the very old city, Fitzlar, built in the 1200s," McDaniel said, "with an ancient church in which they still keep valuable church treasures. We saw a 10,000-gold-mark piece."

The town is still guarded by old walls and a tower. McDaniel, an elected city official, was impressed by the Germans' running utilities underground under the cobble stone streets. She said the mayor there is in the process of getting rid of asphalt paving over some of these old cobble stone streets.

The mayor told McDaniel it is much easier to repair both utilities and roads with only cobble stones to replace. McDaniel said the mayor has been nicknamed "Cobble Stone Willie."

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Services tomorrow

CANDLER, Robert G. — El Paso.
MALONE, Eloise F. — 2 p.m., First United Methodist Church, Hart.
TURNER, Marie — 2 p.m., First Assembly of God Church, Dumas.
WEBB, Loyd C. — 10 a.m., Robertson Chapel of Memories, Clarendon.
WILLIAMS, Roy Leon — 9:30 a.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel.

Obituaries

GILBERT 'GIB' MEAKER
PANHANDLE — Funeral services for Gilbert "Gib" Meaker, 59, who died recently in Mexico City, will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Calvary Baptist Church of Panhandle, with the Rev. Preston Harrison, pastor of First Baptist Church of Maysville, Okla., officiating.
 Burial will be in Panhandle Cemetery with arrangements by N.S. Griggs & Sons Funeral Directors of Amarillo.
 Mr. Meaker was born in White Deer and was a retired farmer and jeweler. He was stationed in Germany in post-World War II. He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church in Panhandle and had been a Panhandle resident for over 40 years.
 Survivors include his wife, Helen, of the home; and two daughters, Kitt Meaker Wright of Amarillo and Katy Meaker Craig of Dallas.

MARIE TURNER
DUMAS — Funeral services for Marie Turner, 64, sister of a Pampa man, will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in First Assembly of God Church of Dumas, with the Rev. H.L. Stevens, retired minister, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Jerry Trammell, pastor of First Assembly of God Church of Dumas.
 Burial will be in Dumas Cemetery with arrangements by Morrison Funeral Directors of Dumas.
 Mrs. Turner died Monday.
 She was born in Graceport, Okla., and had been a Dumas resident since 1958. She was a retired cook for Dumas elementary schools and was a member of First Assembly of God Church in Dumas.
 Survivors include her husband, five sons, one daughter, six brothers, including Chester Ingram of Pampa; and 11 grandchildren.

LOYD C. WEBB
PAMPA — Funeral services for Loyd C. Webb, 90, who died Tuesday in Pampa, will be at 10 a.m. Thursday in Robertson Chapel of Memories with the Rev. Royce Mason, retired Baptist minister of Amarillo, and Richard L. McIntosh, pastor of Bible Baptist Church in Pampa, officiating.
 Burial will be in Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon with arrangements by Robertson Funeral Directors.
 Mr. Webb was born in LaRue, Ark. He moved to Amarillo in 1919 from Little Rock, Ark., and had lived in Pampa for the past few years. He married Vera Marilla Davis in 1957 at Clovis, N.M. He was a pipefitter for Santa Fe Railroad for more than 50 years, retiring in 1954. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the Masonic Lodge and Bible Baptist Church of Pampa.
 Survivors include his wife, Vera, of the home; one daughter, Lavona Robinson; one stepdaughter, Joan Leathers of Pampa; one granddaughter; and several nieces and nephews.

ELOISE F. MALONE
BRIGHTON, Colo. — Funeral services for Eloise F. Malone, 58, who died Monday in Brighton, will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in First United Methodist Church of Hart, with the Rev. Perry Hunsaker, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Olton Cemetery by Foskey-Fleming Funeral Home of Olton.
 Mrs. Malone was born in McLean. She married Curtis Malone in 1946 at Anton. She had lived in Brighton for the past 15 years, after moving there from Hart. She was a Methodist.
 Survivors include her husband, Curtis, of the home; two sons, Kyle Malone of Brighton and Harley Malone of Abilene; one brother, Owen Preston of Henderson, Colo.; two sisters, Eva Baker of Hobbs, N.M., and Bertie Ruth Brinkley of Nashville, Tenn.; and four grandchildren.
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 State-certified herbicide applicators donned masks to manually spray 51,000 plants on 16 acres of land in this Panhandle county adjacent to Oklahoma.
 Wheeler County Sheriff Lonnie Miller said that a Drug Enforcement Administration agent on Tuesday supervised spraying of a remote area about six miles east of downtown Wheeler.
 Texas Department of Public Safety spokesman Mike Cox told The Associated Press that state and local officials aided in the plan as part the federal government's "Operation Stop Crop."
 Last week, U.S. Attorney General Edwin Meese said marijuana has become the No. 1 cash crop in the United States and called for a vast federal-state effort to eradicate the drug.
 Cox said the owners of the land involved have done nothing illegal and have cooperated fully with authorities.
 "This is the first time that the DEA has been involved in a spray" on private land, said Phil Jordan, Dallas DEA agent in charge of a federal district encompassing Wheeler County, Amarillo and Oklahoma. "From what I understand, there have been some state authorities that

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions
 Nell Baird, Pampa
 Cooper Winfield, Pampa
 Kenneth Dinges, Pampa
 Opal Ely, Pampa
 Lisa Farmer, Pampa
 Kathy Logan, Pampa
 Wilburn Morris, Pampa
 Lillie Reynolds, Pampa
 Melvin Baker, McLean (extended care)
Dismissals
 Barbara Austin, Wheeler
 Rhonda Darnell, Pampa
 Agnes Farmer, None

Borger
 Lillie Fulton, Pampa
 Cecil Hoskins, Skellytown
 Michael Johnson, Denver City
 Virginia King, Pampa
 Laura Leven, Groom
 Joyce Mathis, Pampa
 Rudolph Proby, Pampa
 Sherri Schaible and baby girl, Pampa
 Faye Weldon, Pampa
 Roy Wilson, Waverly, Kan.

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions
 John Pavlovsky, Shamrock
Dismissals
 None

Police report

The Pampa Police Department responded to the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.
TUESDAY, July 19
 Patricia Wright, 1033 Huff, reported theft of a 1983 Chevrolet from 1176 Prairie Dr.
 Allsup's, 901 E. Frederic, reported theft from the business.
 Norma Sandefur, 928 S. Barnes, reported criminal trespass at the residence.
 Bob McMillan, 709 E. 14th, reported assault with a deadly weapon at 900 W. Wilks.
 Jeff Turner, 427 N. Naida, reported theft of a bicycle from the residence.
Arrests
TUESDAY, July 19
 Donnie Gene Shidaker, 29, 1300 W. Kentucky #4, was arrested on charges of simple assault at 1925 N. Hobart. He was released on a court summons.
 Vivian Garrison, 57, 504 E. 17th, was arrested in the 900 block of West Wilks and charged with aggravated assault and unlawfully carrying a weapon. She was transferred to Gray County Jail.
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 Victor R. Hutchison, 23, 1228 S. Faulkner, was arrested at Francis and West streets on charges of driving while intoxicated.
 Michael Wayne Willis, 37, 1021 S. Fork, was arrested in the 500 block of South Cuyler, on charges of public intoxication and a warrant alleging auto theft.

Stock market

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

Wheat	3.22	Arco	81 1/2	dn 1/2
Milo	4.15	Cabot	36 1/2	NC
Corn	4.94	Energas	47 1/2	up 1/2
		Enron	16 1/2	dn 1/2
		Halliburton	41 1/2	up 1/2
		HCA	29 1/2	up 1/2
		Ingersoll Rand	35 1/2	dn 1/2
		Kerr-McGee	37 1/2	up 1/2
		KNE	16	NC
		Mapco	56 1/2	dn 1/2
		Maxxus	7 1/2	NC
		Mesa Ltd	13	up 1/2
		Mobil	44 1/2	dn 1/2
		Penney's	49 1/2	up 1/2
		Phillips	16 1/2	NC
		SP	37 1/2	up 1/2
		SFS	26	NC
		Teneco	47 1/2	up 1/2
		Texaco	45 1/2	up 1/2
		London Gold	445.25	
		Silver	7.71	

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

Damon Oil	14	NC
Ky. Cent. Life	13 1/2	dn 1/2
Serco	4 1/2	up 1/2

The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation.

Magellan	47.22	NC
Puritan	12.74	NC

The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. stock market quotations are furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa.

Amoco	76 1/2	up 1/2
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Calendar of events

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS
 Overeaters Anonymous meets at 1:30 p.m. each Monday and at 7 p.m. each Thursday in the Youth House of First United Methodist Church. For more information, call Linda at 665-1726 or Wanita at 669-2116.

Minor accidents

No minor accidents were reported by the Pampa Police Department during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Fire report

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Authorities spray wild marijuana

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have eradicated before, but never with DEA."
 Jordan said no aircraft spraying will be used in order to ensure protection of the environment, and Cox said signs were posted to warn people of sprayed areas.
 But Hank Graddy, national chairman of the Sierra Club's agricultural committee, said that even manual spraying was risky.
 "If they are going to go to the trouble of walking the land, it would seem to me that using a hatchet... would be just as easy," Graddy said from his home in Midway, Ky.
 The Sierra Club has opposed the use of paraquat, saying it is

dangerous to humans and animals.
 Four or five DEA agents were working on the Wheeler County operation, including the agent in charge, Jim Seward from the agency's Washington D.C., headquarters. Seward has coordinated the federal effort with the DPS, Wheeler County Sheriff's Department and other agencies.
 Jordan said the wild marijuana, or "ditch weed," was used during wartime to produce hemp for rope.
 Cox said the marijuana was not grown for cultivation, but word spread to "entrepreneurs" that the illegal weed was thriving in the area.

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Sheriff

from the residence at the time the body was found. Also, only four or five of the eight to 10 weapons belonging to Williams remained in the hole of the floor, Jordan said.
 None of the guns found in the hole are believed to be the murder weapons, he said.
 A warrant for Stanley Roy Pendergrass, 36, alleging unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was signed by Justice of the Peace Roberts and issued shortly before noon today.
 Funeral services for Mr. Williams are to be at 9:30 a.m. Thursday in Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with the

Rev. Jim Fox, pastor of Hobart Baptist Church, officiating.
 Burial will be at 4 p.m. MST Thursday at Lovington City Cemetery, Lovington, N.M., with graveside services by the Rev. Harry Pito, pastor of First Baptist Church of Lovington, officiating.
 Mr. Williams moved to Pampa in 1974 from Lovington. He was a Baptist and was employed by Bourland & Leverich for the past three years.
 He is survived by his mother, Dorothy Williams of Pampa; three brothers, Donald Williams of Pampa, and Steven Williams and Michael Williams, both of Amarillo; and his grandmother, Evelene Williams of Lovington.

Jackson

saying you are nothing and nobody and can never be anything: I understand."
 He also emphasized the significance of his own presidential bid that won 7 million votes, crossing lines of race, economic stature and geography.
 He was personal and emotional, recalling at one point that in his own boyhood he ate no turkey on Thanksgiving "because Momma was off cooking someone else's turkey."
 His argument with Dukakis is settled, but he is going ahead in a contest for the nomination for the historical significance of the moment. He came closer to winning the presidential nomination of a major party than any black person in history.
 "When you see Jesse Jackson, when my name goes in nomination your name goes in nomination," he said.
 Reciting familiar details of his humble beginnings, Jackson identified himself with the poor, minorities and the underclass, saying, "I know abandonment, and people being mean to you and

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legatee, Florida floor whip Clay Henderson of Daytona Beach.
 Jackson was introduced by his five children and by a brief film highlighting his campaign, and a sea of red "Jesse!" signs waved across the hall. Dukakis aides urged that the blue Dukakis signs be kept down during the speech and some Dukakis delegates gave up their seats to Jackson alternates to give them a better view.
 Discussing Dukakis, Jackson noted their dissimilar backgrounds.
 "His foreparents came to America in immigrant ships. My foreparents came to America on slave ships. But whatever the original ships, we are both in the same boat tonight."
 Speaking of the slain civil rights leader who was his mentor, Jackson said Dr. Martin Luther King's "heart would be full tonight."
 Jackson closed his speech with what has become a slogan for him and for his political efforts for the future: "Keep hope alive," he exhorted. "Keep hope alive."
 Of Dukakis, he said: "I have watched a good mind fast at work, with steel nerves, guiding his campaign out of the crowded field without appeal to the worst of us. I have watched his perspective grow as his environment has expanded. I've seen his toughness and tenacity close up."
 Jackson's speech lacked some of the fire that he is capable of producing, but it won plaudits from the Dukakis campaign and observers including the party's 1984 nominee, Walter Mondale.
 At the end of the speech, Jackson seemed reluctant to leave the hall, lingering for several minutes to take questions in a crush of reporters and cameras crammed at one side of the floor.
 "I was impressed beyond words," said Elaine Flynn, a Dukakis delegate from Oakridge, N.J. "I thought he gave everybody hope."
 "It was vintage Jesse, Jesse's valedictory address," said another admiring Dukakis de-

Armenian activist expelled in wake of annexation fight

MOSCOW (AP) — The government today expelled a prominent Armenian activist and stripped him of his Soviet citizenship as punishment for stirring up nationalist sentiment in an ethnic dispute, the Tass news agency said.
 Tass did not say where the activist, Paruyr Ayrikyan, 39, was headed or whether he left the Soviet Union.
 The expulsion came two days after the Soviet leadership gave a final ruling in the heated and sometimes violent struggle between Armenians and Azerbaijanis over control of the small Nagorno-Karabakh region in the Caucasus Mountains.
 The decision by the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet to reject Armenia's bid to annex the region appeared today on the front pages of national newspapers.
 On Tuesday night, state-run television showed a debate in the Presidium during which Mikhail S. Gorbachev chastised nationalists in Azerbaijan and Armenia for stirring up tensions in the dispute.
 Hundreds of Armenians tried to gather at Red Square on Tuesday night to protest the decision of the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet, the nation's nominal parliament, to reject the annexation, said an Armenian activist in Moscow, Leon Sudzhan. He said police roughed them up and took them away to police stations.
 Residents of Yerevan said the city was quiet today but that

Armenians were despondent over the Presidium's decision Monday. Repeated telephone calls to Nagorno-Karabakh failed to go through.
 The body, heeding Gorbachev's call, said the constitution makes such an annexation "impossible."
 On Tuesday night, national television broadcast highlights of the eight-hour extraordinary session.
 In an impassioned speech, Nagorno-Karabakh leader Genrikh Pogosyan said returning the territory to Armenia was the only correct decision.
 But dozens of other speakers contended Azerbaijan was within its rights in vetoing the annexation bid and called for maintaining the status quo.
 Gorbachev urged Armenians and Azerbaijanis to accept the "existing reality" of the republic's location and struck out at what he called constant tests of his reforms by groups with selfish interests at heart.
 "We are going — I'll put it bluntly — through a string of trials. Will perestroika pass muster?" the Soviet leader said, contending the ethnic unrest was inflicting "enormous harm" on his reform program.
 "We can see in this case how under the banner of democratization shameless pressure is being applied by irresponsible people" on residents of the Caucasus area and on the Soviet leadership, Gorbachev said.

Many of the Armenian activists who had been pressing for an annexation of Nagorno-Karabakh have cast the territorial question as a test of the sincerity of Gorbachev's campaigns to give Soviets more say in governmental affairs.

Houston officer killed in robbery

HOUSTON (AP) — A Houston Police vice officer was shot to death while issuing a citation to an adult bookstore operator, police said.
 Homicide Sgt. Dale Atchete said officer Elston Howard, 26, was shot at least three times by a man who entered the Mr. Peepers store near downtown Houston late Tuesday. Howard had been with Houston Police for five years.
 The assailant apparently entered the store to stage an armed robbery, Atchete said.
 Atchete said Howard, who was dressed in civilian clothes, but was wearing a "raid jacket" that identified him as a police officer when a man walked into the store and started shooting.
 Howard was standing behind a counter with the store's manager at the time, he said.
 Howard was able to struggle with the man and both fell to the floor, police said. The assailant shot the officer one more time after they were on the floor, officers said.
 The man fled out the door and drove away, Atchete said.
 Officers believe the man may have been involved in the robbery of another adult book store in the area earlier in the evening, Atchete said.

City honors Lefors Lions

LEFORS — Mayor Gene Gee presented the Lefors Lions Club with an award of appreciation for their service to the community at the Lions Club meeting Monday.
 Lefors Lions Club was first organized in the 1950s. Its membership has ranged from the present nine members to as many as 40 at one time.
 Past Lions Club projects include constructing the city park and placing street signs throughout the city. At present, the Lions Club has adopted a two-mile

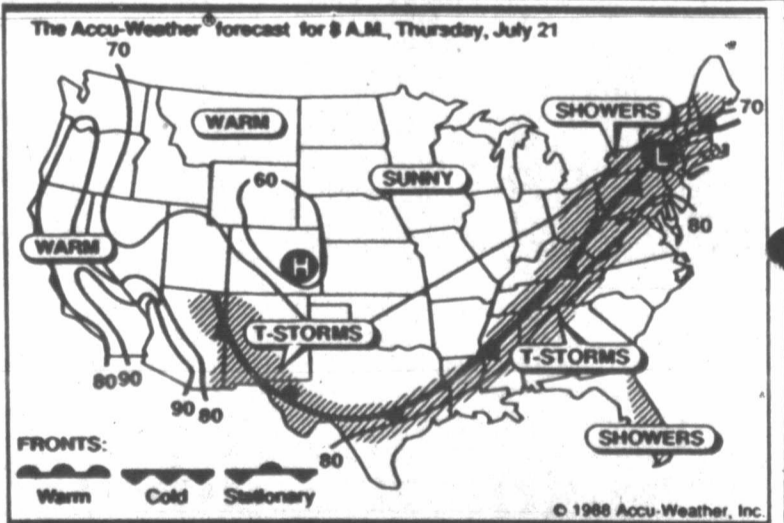
stretch of highway west of Lefors to keep free of litter.
 The Lions also sponsor a program which provides eyeglasses to local children who cannot afford them. Lions also distribute care packages to local needy families during the Christmas season.
 During the meeting, club members agreed to host a clean-up day in the Lefors Cemetery, July 30. Next meeting is to be Aug. 1.
Article compiled by Rick Pierce.

City Briefs

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PAMPA SHRINE Club. Meeting, covered dish, July 22, 7 p.m.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST
 Partly cloudy and cooler tonight with a low near 60. Winds from the east to southeast at 5-15 mph. Thursday, partly cloudy with a high in mid 80s and winds from the southeast at 5-15 mph. High Tuesday was 83 and the overnight low was 58.
REGIONAL FORECAST
West Texas — Partly cloudy Panhandle, scattered thunderstorms elsewhere tonight with locally heavy rain possible Permian Basin and Concho Valley. Partly cloudy Thursday with widely scattered thunderstorms continuing south. Cooler most sections tonight. Lows tonight near 60 Panhandle to upper 60s Concho Valley and far west except upper 50s mountains and lower 70s Big Bend. Highs Thursday mid 80s mountains and north to near 90 far west except upper 90s Big Bend.
North Texas — Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday northwest, continued cloudy southeast with scattered thunderstorms. Highs in the upper 80s to mid 90s. Lows tonight in the mid 60s to lower 70s.
South Texas — Partly cloudy with scattered thunderstorms mainly northern sections through Thursday. Highs from the mid 90s north to near 104 along the lower Rio Grande. Lows from the low 70s Hill Country to near 80 along the coast.
EXTENDED FORECAST



Friday through Sunday
West Texas — Partly cloudy with widely scattered afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Temperatures gradually warming to near normal. Panhandle: Highs mid 80s to near 90; lows lower to mid 60s. South Plains: Highs upper 80s to lower 90s; lows mid 60s. Permian Basin: Highs near 90 to mid 90s; lows mid 60s. Concho Valley: Highs lower 90s to mid 90s; lows around 70. Far West: Highs near 90 to mid 90s; lows mid to upper 60s. Big Bend area: Highs mid 80s mountains to around 100 along the Rio Grande; lows near 60 mountains to lower 70s lowlands.
North Texas — A chance of thunderstorms Friday. Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday. Highs in the 90s. Lows in the 70s.

South Texas — Partly cloudy skies with hot afternoons and warm at night. A chance of mostly daytime thunderstorms Friday, and mainly southeast portion Saturday. Lows in the 70s, except low 80s along the immediate coast. Highs in the 90s except 80s along the coast and near 100 Rio Grande plain.
BORDER STATES
New Mexico — Partly cloudy through Thursday with scattered mostly afternoon and evening thundershowers. Highs Thursday 70s and 80s. Lows tonight 40 to 55 mountains, mostly 60s lower elevations.
Oklahoma — Fair and cool tonight. Mostly sunny and a little warmer Thursday. Lows tonight mid 50s northwest to near 70 extreme southeast. Highs Thursday 86 to 92.

Texas/Regional

Jackson's Texas delegates accept unity

ATLANTA (AP) — Jesse Jackson's Texas delegates said today their candidate's convention speech set the tone for a unified effort to put the state's crucial 29 electoral votes in the Democratic column in November.

"It moved me along that path," said John Wiley Price, a Texas Jackson leader who began Tuesday by boycotting a brunch for Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, the designated running mate for Michael Dukakis.

Dukakis, the governor of Massachusetts, will get the Democrats' presidential nomination tonight.

Bentsen has provided a flashpoint for Jackson delegates in Texas. Price, a Dallas County commissioner, said Jackson should have been on the ticket, and Bentsen's civil rights record is "nothing to write home about."

"Damn it," Price said Tuesday after he skipped the Bentsen

brunch. "Until he meets with us, I'm boycotting."

But Price sounded a far more conciliatory note early today after the Jackson speech. He said he had heard a clear signal for unity from his candidate.

"He said our effort is much larger than any differences" within the state delegation, Price said. "We want to be with Senator Bentsen and it's gone a long way toward that now."

Pettis Norman of Dallas, another Jackson delegate with concerns about the Bentsen pick, said Jackson's speech "set the tone for the future of the Democratic Party."

"The Jackson and the Dukakis ideology can merge from this point on," he said.

Price and Norman both said they are eager to meet with Dukakis-Bentsen officials to discuss a suitable role for Jackson backers in the fall campaign and

beyond.

"Each side is very determined to work it out," Norman said in a sentiment echoed by John Sharp, Dukakis' Texas campaign chairman.

At the Tuesday brunch, Bentsen told Texas delegates that Dukakis, as governor, turned around a sagging economy in Massachusetts, and can help Texas do the same.

"He talks the same language we talk in Texas because he talks the language of jobs and growth and housing and health care and education for all the people," Bentsen said, winning an enthusiastic response from the delegation.

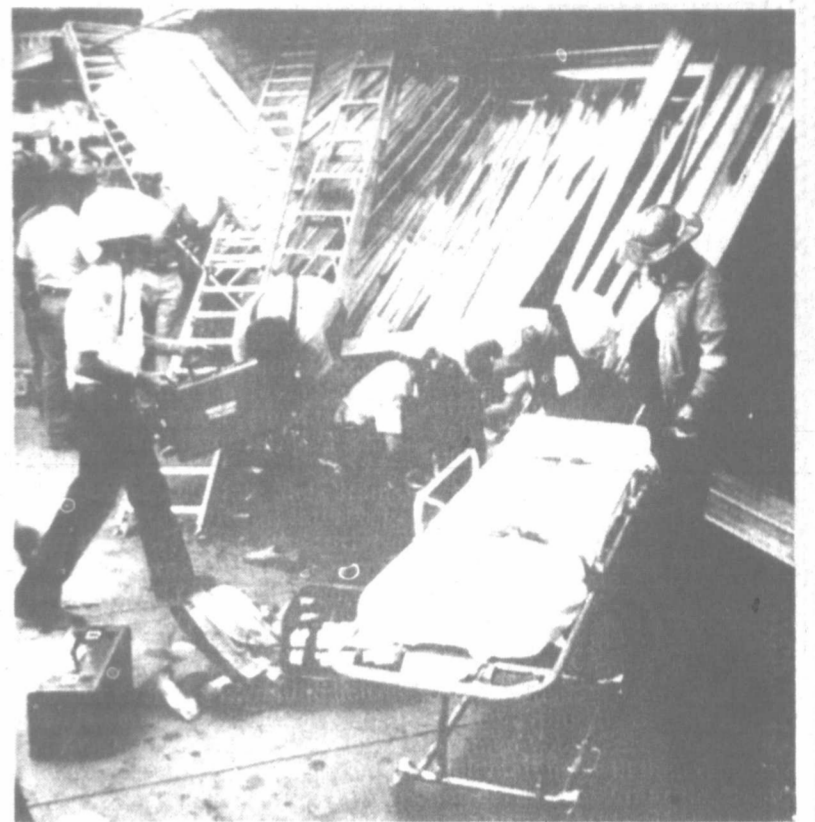
"Both coasts are booming, but Texas has taken some hits. It's been a tough time back home. But this man took a state that was in bad shape, high unemployment, loss of jobs, closing of plants and he turned it around," he said.

"And he did it not with a lot of spending, not with a lot of taxes, but he did it with effective management of the taxpayers' dollars, with innovative, creative new ideas, saying government can be of help and a force with the private sector," Bentsen said.

The senator was joined at the head table by several Texas political leaders, including U.S. Rep. Mickey Leland of Houston and Hazel Obey of Austin, who both support Jackson.

But state Rep. Al Edwards of Houston, invited to sit at the head table, did not attend. Edwards is chairman of the Texas Jackson delegation here.

"I have no problem with Senator Bentsen, but right now I'm campaigning for Jackson," Edwards said. "I'm sure before it's over we'll sit at a lot of head tables together."



Emergency personnel tend to injured man at site of awning collapse. (AP Laserphoto)

Man injured seriously after fall from awning

EL PASO (AP) — An El Paso man was in serious but stable condition after a metal awning collapsed, causing four men to fall as far as 40 feet, authorities said.

Margarito Villa, 40, the independent contractor hired to do the painting job at Star Jewelry, a 106-year-old building in downtown El Paso, fell the farthest and was most seriously injured, police said.

Villa was in serious but stable condition early today in the intensive care unit at Thomason Hospital. He suffered head and internal injuries.

Three other men who had been

standing on the awning were checked by paramedics at the scene but refused to be taken to hospitals.

They were identified as Robert Galindo, 35, Reyes Ledesma, 30, and Jose Rodriguez, 29, all of El Paso.

Store owner Irving Rubin would not comment on what might have caused the awning to give way.

"I shouldn't say anything," Rubin told the *El Paso Times*. "It wouldn't do any good."

He said the building was built in 1882. It could not be determined how long the awnings had been in place.

Survey: Texans have vehicle love affairs

By MICHAEL L. GRACZYK
Associated Press Writer

HOUSTON (AP) — Texans are driven by stronger passions than the rest of the nation when it comes to cars and trucks, something that may hark back to the freewheeling days of the Wild West when a horse was a cowboy's staunchest companion.

The problems of getting around the far-flung state also may have contributed to a recently completed survey's findings that Texans are above the national average in rating the importance of a car or truck's performance, appearance and styling, fuel economy and maintenance.

"The survey throughout the whole country shows that cars are important in other areas but Texans really seem to be turned on about their cars," said Rick Williams, a marketing specialist for Chevron U.S.A. Inc., which commissioned the survey.

"They use it more than just for transportation. They use them for vacations and just out on rides and fishing and whatever. They are more important to Texans."

The survey also found Texans consider custom paint jobs and car telephones more significant creature comforts than the rest of America. And more Texans than other Americans like a big hood ornament, the survey found.

"The freewheeling tradition that people like Sam Houston and Davy Crockett carved out years ago continues to this day," Williams said Tuesday.

And they like utility vehicles and pickup trucks more than the average American, according to the survey taken for Chevron, which also markets gasoline in the area under the Gulf trademark.

"We did expect Texas drivers were involved in their cars, but we didn't realize how much they valued their cars."

The telephone survey, taken in late May, questioned more than 1,000 Americans, roughly half men and half women.

Among Texans, 50 percent found a luxury car like a Cadillac fit their lifestyle at least moderately well. That's nearly 10 percentage points more than Americans overall. Texans also favored utility vehicles (72.3

percent vs. 50.6 percent), pickup trucks (71.2 vs. 53.2), sports cars (40 vs. 33.6) and basic American sedans (67.6 vs. 63.7).

On the other hand, while 39.6 percent of Americans found European luxury sedans like a Mercedes very well-suited to their lifestyle, 37.8 percent of the Texans surveyed gave the same response.

And a Japanese economy car, which scored well with 45.8 percent of Americans, rated very well with 40.9 percent of the Texans questioned.

Some 37.2 percent of Texas drivers love their car phones, the survey found, while the devices found favor in 20.6 of Americans overall. And custom paint work was favored by 20.2 percent of the Texans, while only 12.7 percent of Americans found the paint mattered a lot.

Chevron-Gulf will use the survey to tailor its advertising messages in specific areas of the country, Williams said. The companies serve 38 states, although 25 percent of its volume of sales is concentrated in the south central area of the United States.

'Dapper Bandit' suspect leaves hospital for jail

DALLAS (AP) — The suspect in the "Dapper Bandit" bank robberies, who was temporarily comatose and suffered a stroke, cannot receive badly-needed therapy and medical care in the jail cell where he was moved, his attorney claims.

Mark Ervin Reeves, 35, was in good physical condition Tuesday, but his attorney Brad Lollar, said he was still recovering mentally from the effects of the stroke.

Reeves was moved Monday from Parkland Memorial Hospital to the infirmary of the Lew Sterrett Justice Center, Dallas County's jail, with his doctors' approval, said Dallas County sheriff's spokesman Jim Ewell.

Police arrested Reeves on May 4 in connection with the robbery of a North Dallas bank. Authorities chased Reeves down in traffic and as they moved in, he shot himself once in the head.

Reeves was taken to Humana Hospital Medical City in critical condition. While he was in a coma, Reeves suffered a stroke when an artery in his neck broke and stopped sending blood to the brain, Lollar said.

Lollar said he spoke with Reeves on Monday. Reeves, 35, told Lollar only that he was feeling "fine."

"If you are initiating the conversation, he can answer yes or no. But he can't read... he can't write," Lollar said. "He is partially paralyzed on the right side of his body. He has recovered

from the coma. He can walk with the assistance of crutches... barely.

"The issue at this point is if he is competent to stand trial. I don't think he's there yet," the attorney said.

Three weeks after his arrest, Reeves was transferred to Parkland, partly because of death threats he received while at Humana, Ewell said. Reeves received special therapy at both hospitals, but at the jail infirmary, he will only get regular medical attention.

Lollar said that later this month, he and Assistant District Attorney Mike Gillett will meet in Judge Richard Mays' 204th District Court to decide if Reeves needs a competency hearing.

Gillett did not return calls made by The Associated Press.

"If he is found not competent, he would be sent to Rusk State Hospital for 90 days where he could receive continued treatment. Then he could come back and stand trial," Lollar said.

Investigators said the "Dapper Bandit" was a well-groomed, well-dressed man responsible for holdups at 25 Texas savings institutions in the past 10 years. He managed to elude both the FBI and state authorities, partly because of his detailed knowledge of bank security procedures.

A grand jury in Dallas indicted Reeves on robbery charges in connection with three holdups.

Vacation rest



Vice President George Bush rides horseback into Shoshone National Forest in Wyoming Tuesday morning. Bush has been on a fishing vacation in Wyoming since Saturday and will travel to Detroit on Wednesday. (AP Laserphoto)

Worshippers claim messages from Virgin Mary

By WENDY E. LANE
Associated Press Writer

LUBBOCK (AP) — Hundreds of faithful from across Texas have been flocking to a cavernous underground church each week to hear parishioners report what they claim are messages of peace and hope from the Virgin Mary.

A Mass and rosary service previously attended by only a handful of people at St. John Neumann Catholic Church here drew 800 people — the largest number ever to attend — on Monday night, church officials said.

The worshippers came to see three parishioners who kneel on the altar during the reciting of the full rosary, scribbling the "messages" in notebooks as people said the prayers.

After the rosary, the crowd fell silent as the first of the messengers read from his notebook.

"My dear little children, listen to me your mother, I want to help you," read Mike Slate. "I want

pray and serve our father for all eternity. Yes, my dear ones, you must have signs and you will have these signs... but it will be up to you to believe."

Messages from Slate, a retired Air Force officer, were followed by others from Mary Constancio, a former hospital therapist, and Teresa Werner, a housewife and mother.

"My children, do not be sad," read Mrs. Constancio softly, after first delivering the message in Spanish. "Have joy in your hearts, have peace. Listen to the prayer that you ask for the Lord will give it to you."

Following the reading of the messages, worshippers crowded around the messengers, seeking blessings. The three laid their hands on people with physical or personal problems.

Those who have attended the service have filled a notebook full of testimonies of physical and spiritual healings, of smelling roses and of feeling Mary's presence.

Bob Golec, who came to the service from Midlothian in June, said that his chronic knee problems disappeared after Mrs. Werner relayed a message from Mary to him and Monsignor Joseph James said a healing prayer for him.

"I believe this special healing was a sign to strengthen my faith," he said.

The parish pastor, James said he and other parishioners began feeling Mary's presence after a trip to Medjugorje, Yugoslavia, where four visionaries have been reporting apparitions of the Virgin since 1981.

"This has been life-changing for me," he said. "It's much more life-giving than any of the (theological) stuff I've read."

A few skeptics have surfaced since the parishioners began reporting receiving messages, James said.

"Until this would be officially investigated (by the Catholic Church), I can't say somebody has to believe this," he said.

Lubbock Bishop Michael Sheehan is on vacation and has not commented publicly about the message reports.

James said he has interpreted many of the messages as indicating that something miraculous will happen Aug. 15, the day Catholics celebrate the Assumption of Blessed Mary.

"I think we're going to see some beautiful, beautiful thing — experience her presence," said the 56-year-old priest.

Plans are being made for the parish to host 20,000 people for the Monday night rosary.

"We don't know how many people are coming," said David Garza, the parishioner in charge of preparations. "How do you know how many portable potties to get?"

The parish is working with city officials on crowd control, transportation and parking, and plans to set up a public address system for worshippers once the 850-seat sanctuary capacity is reached, said church officials.

State to use direct mail ads for voter registration drive

AUSTIN (AP) — Some 2.7 million Texas households will be receiving voter registration cards along with fast food and oil change coupons this summer under the latest campaign to sign up new voters.

The state and League of Women Voters announced the stepped-up registration effort Tuesday, saying a direct-mail advertising company had volunteered to deliver the cards along with regular mailings of consumer coupons.

Texas League president Diane Sheridan said the drive's goal was to sign up 1 million additional voters in time for the November elections.

"We don't know of any other attempt this large," Sheridan said.

"It took an 18-wheeler truck to transport all the voter registration cards from the secretary of state's office to the plant where the envelopes were stuffed," she said.

Secretary of State Jack Rains predicted that with the latest registration effort and other drives, "We're going to have a record turnout this fall" at the polls.

The new campaign is being handled voluntarily by Val-Pak Metro Inc., which delivers consumer coupons by mail to households across Texas.

Regis O'Donnell, Val-Pak president, said the voter registration postcards would be included with mailings of advertising coupons to households in more than a dozen areas beginning next week.

Such a service normally would cost about \$85,000, he said.

The deadline for registering to

vote in the Nov. 8 general election is Oct. 9, officials said.

According to Rains, about 7.8 million Texans currently are registered. That equals about 64 percent of those eligible, below the national average of 68 percent, Rains said, adding that 1 million more voters still would leave Texas under the national average.

There are several reasons for the lower-than-average registration in the state, including a younger age of its population and the number of residents who are more mobile than average, Rains said.

The secretary of state's office has been conducting a vigorous registration campaign that saw about 500,000 voters added to the rolls before the March "Super Tuesday" primary.

Besides the new direct-mail effort, major employers have volunteered to conduct registration drives among their workers, title companies and apartment associations are participating, and registration cards are being offered at many public sites around the state.

"If someone has seven or eight opportunities to register, at some point they're going to say, 'OK, I'll register,'" Rains said.

According to the League of Women Voters, areas where Val-Pak mailings will include the voter cards are: Amarillo, Austin, Corpus Christi, Dallas-Fort Worth, East Texas, El Paso, Houston, Lubbock, Midland-Odessa, San Antonio, Tyler, Waco-Temple-Killeen, and Wichita Falls.

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Opinion

Activists threatening our property rights!

It's difficult to resist the suspicion that some people who talk about "responsible," "balanced" or "sensible" growth simply don't want any development at all. The latest evidence comes from an announcement by a group in Costa Mesa, Calif., for plans to circulate petitions for a ballot measure to block the alternate plan by developers C.J. Segerstrom & Sons for what is called the Home Ranch project.

The Segerstroms have been trying to develop their property since 1984. The original plan called for 3 million square feet of office, retail and hotel space. A referendum against that project has been put on the November ballot. A backup plan calls for 2.1 million square feet and eliminates a health club that was in the original plan. The City Council approved it June 22, and the citizens group has until July 22 to get signatures to qualify a referendum to block that one too.

Growth is not an unalloyed blessing, and it is easy to see how people might be concerned about more traffic in residential neighborhoods and air pollution. But it is troubling when this concern is translated into a desire to control other people's property through the power of government. That way lies a significant diminution of the freedoms that have helped to make this country the free, diverse and prosperous place that still inspires, beckons to and attracts those in other countries.

When you undermine the property rights of a wealthy developer, you also undermine the rights of the widow who wants to stay in her home despite a city's urge to redevelop, of the recent immigrant who wants to start a business, of the ghetto dweller seeking a way out of poverty, of the suburban homeowner who simply wants to enjoy his house as a safe haven from the cares of the world.

When property rights are undermined, all other individual rights are endangered. How effective is freedom of the press if you can't own a printing press? How useful is freedom of speech if you can't hire a hall? How well can you practice freedom of religion if a congregation can't be secure in its place of worship? How well can you express your private preferences without private places where what you do is nobody else's business?

Our Constitution did not establish a government of unlimited powers to do whatever it took a fancy to do, to whomever it decided to victimize, but sought a government of strictly limited power that would respect individual rights. The tradition is seldom in more danger than when activist groups seek aggressively to mind their neighbors' business for them.

Those are the issues at stake in Costa Mesa, and in numerous other cities across the nation, including those here in Texas.

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VP's all but invisible figures

ATLANTA — As we watch the Democratic National Convention, the hotels continue to re-sound, so to speak, with something between a loud murmur and modest hubbub over the choice of Lloyd Bentsen as running mate for Michael Dukakis.

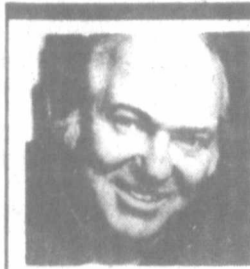
A few days after the announcement, with the edge worn off, this seems to be the consensus: Considering the alternatives, Bentsen represents the best choice Dukakis might have made.

The senior senator from Texas will do all that might reasonably be asked of him: (1) he will not hurt Dukakis drastically, and (2) he may well carry Texas for the ticket — and in a close race, Texas matters. Thursday night we will have our ticket: The Sominex Twins. Unless the Republicans provide a little excitement, the whole country will be sound asleep by Halloween.

Bentsen is an altogether decent man. His record runs as straight as a line down the center of a highway. In the 99th Congress he won a rating of 45 percent from Americans for Democratic Action, a rating of 50 percent from the American Conservative Union.

Through the 98th congress, in the eyes of the AFL-CIO, he had cast 107 "right" votes and 104 "wrong" votes. Such a record is either wishy-washy or evenhanded, take your choice. I like the fellow partly because of his choice of dogs: No man who owns a Shetland collie can be a threat to the common weal.

Last Tuesday's announcement, in the nature of things, was accompanied by enough hot air to inflate a thousand balloons. One headline read, "Sen. Bentsen Cut From the LBJ Mold." Another headline read, "Dukakis Cites Parallels with 1960." The prospective nominees waxed lyrical over the Boston-Austin axis. The idea is that Dukakis-Bentsen will perform a re-



James J. Kilpatrick

prise of Kennedy-Johnson. It is an idea that boggles the mind.

It is time to examine some heads. Anyone who equates Michael Dukakis with Jack Kennedy, or Lloyd Bentsen with Lyndon Johnson, is a candidate for the funny farm.

Dukakis doubtless has many good qualities, but he has exhibited none of the warmth, the wit, the roguish charm of Kennedy. Moreover, Kennedy had spent six years in the House, eight years in the Senate, before he ran in 1960. Dukakis has won two, lost one, as governor of Massachusetts.

The same observations may be made of the notion that Bentsen is another Johnson, which plainly he is not. A good thing, too. Johnson was the most vulgar man many of us have known in public life. He epitomized the wheeler-dealer. Johnson could threaten, intimidate, terrify, cajole, persuade, wheedle, bribe — anything, you name it, to have his way. Before he went on the ticket in 1960 he had been the most powerful and effective Senate majority leader in memory.

Bentsen, by contrast, is a Southern gentleman. Would he rip open his shirt to show the scar

of an operation? Would he pick up his beloved shelly by the ears? We may more easily imagine the pope in a hula hoop.

Bentsen has been a quietly effective chairman of Senate Finance. He has the temperament of elevator music. In the funny hats of the campaign trail, he will look as uncomfortable as Calvin Coolidge holding a stuffed fish.

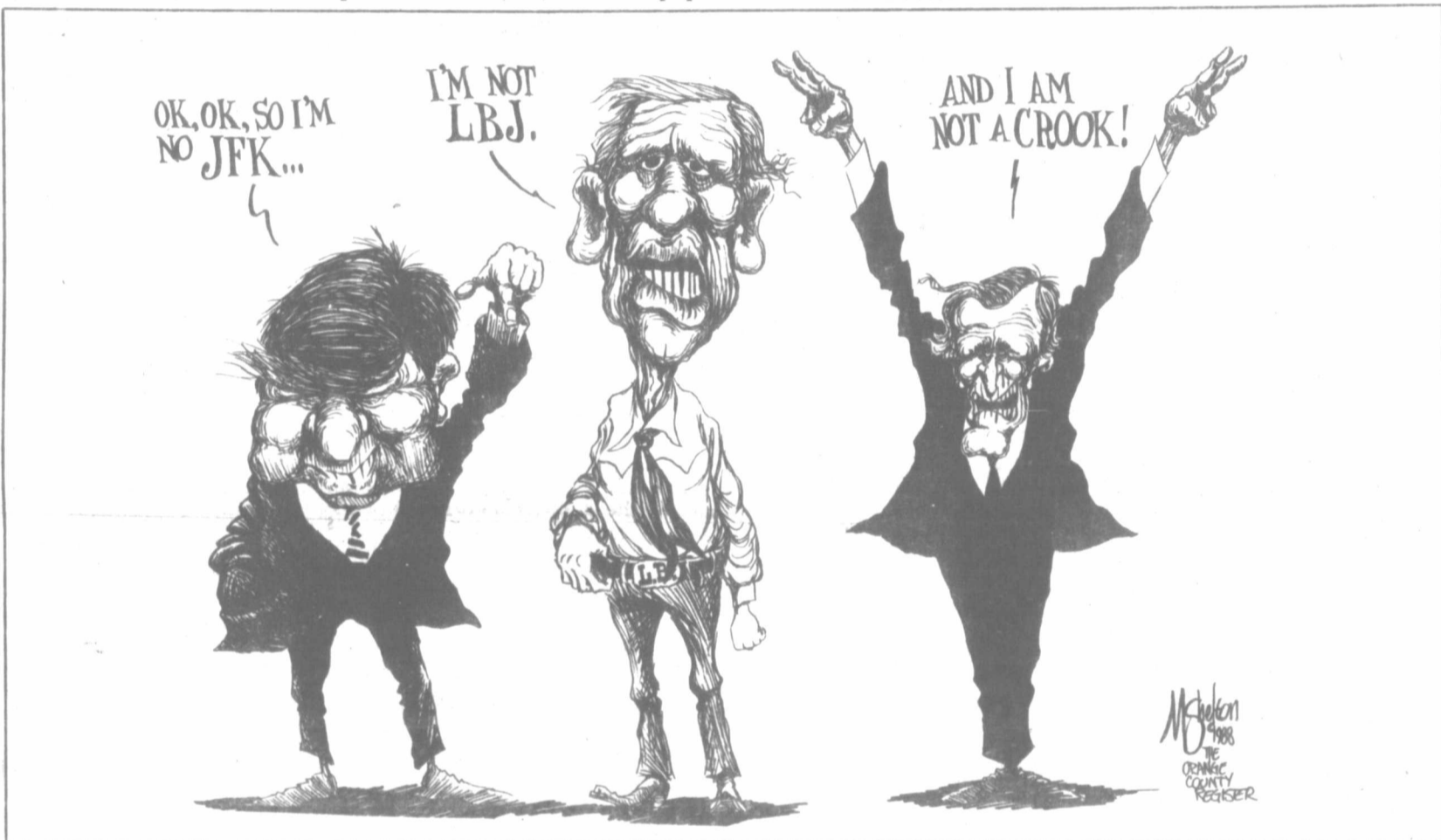
At the risk of repetition, a truism must be voiced again: In terms of winning a presidential election, vice presidential nominees do not matter greatly. Truly they do not matter. Even in Texas, Democrats will be voting not for Bentsen but for Dukakis. Running mates are all but invisible figures.

Look at the record. Apart from political abuffs, who remembers Charles Curtis, Frank Knox, Charles McNary, John W. Bricker and Henry Cabot Lodge? Who remembers Charles Bryan, Joseph T. Robinson, Alben Barkley, John J. Sparkman and Estes Kefauver?

Go back to 1920: Franklin Roosevelt, as vice presidential nominee, couldn't carry New York for James M. Cox. Bryan in 1924 couldn't carry Nebraska for John W. Davis. In 1948, Earl Warren of California made a dream ticket with Thomas Dewey of New York. Warren couldn't carry Maryland for Nixon. In 1984, Geraldine Ferraro couldn't carry even her own congressional district for Walter Mondale.

Maybe 1988 will be different, for Lloyd Bentsen is a powerful vote-getter in Texas. Beyond the Lone Star State, he will be as lonesome as Ed Muskie playing Altoona in the campaign of 1968.

By the time Bentsen has stayed in a dozen cockroach motels, he will be asking in affectionate sympathy, "What's a nice guy like you doing in a race like this?"



Stickers are a political forum

Bumper stickers came in when roadside billboards went out, however coincidentally.

Some are fun. Some make a very sharp point. Some are ugly, vulgar.

Six states have now passed laws limiting the most offensive ones. Because "free speech" protects even the rights of those who like to talk dirty, Louisiana has specified that offensive words must be no larger than one-eighth inch high. To read one of those, you'd have to try.

Bumper stickers as a hit-and-run political forum are seasonal and right now proliferating. One that is being sold in quantity by *Rolling Stone* magazine says ROCK US DUKAKIS.

But Marshal Miller saw one in Stone Mountain, Ga., which says "Dukakis for WHAT?" Great big capital letter "WHAT?"

Jack Farrell's bumper sticker, which is entertaining Los Angeles commuters, says: THE WINNER OF THE DUKAKIS-BUSH DEBATE WILL BE THE ONE WHO STAYS AWAKE.

Dental Doctor D.E. Sanders snapshot this caustic sticker in Longview, Texas. It says, VOTE DEMOCRAT: IT BEATS WORKING.

Then there's the cynical one Connie Gullatt



Paul Harvey

saw in Franklin, Ky.; a red, white and blue bumper sticker reading: NOBODY FOR PRESIDENT!

In the same vein, Ron Sodano saw this one in Santa Clara, Calif., which says: THE BAD THING ABOUT POLITICAL JOKES IS THAT THEY GET ELECTED.

Bobby Martin in Pascagoula, Miss., likes this one: STAMP OUT TAKE HOME PAY, VOTE DEMOCRAT.

The parties are getting rough in Texas. Ray Harris of Garland sees a bumper sticker reading: JACKSON AND CASTRO IN '88.

One the other side of that coin is one snapshot

in San Diego proposing BUSH AND NORIEGA IN '88.

The one that made a point sharp enough to draw blood was a boomerang. It was first circulated by Jesse Jackson supporters during the primaries. It said RUN JESSE RUN!

But that campaign slogan was withdrawn when motorists in Jackson, Minn., and elsewhere began posting it on their FRONT bumpers.

Reflecting on the last two elections, it's hard to see that bumper stickers make much difference except, perhaps, to allow some voters harmlessly to let off steam.

If there is one most likely to catch on this year, it's the GOP slogan being seen in lots of places already: LET GEORGE DO IT.

Or perhaps this one: FOR THE LOVE OF MIKE, VOTE!

There's a pithy partisan motorist in La Cygne, Kan., whose bumper sticker says, "REPUBLICANS MAKE GREAT LEADERS — YOU ARE FOLLOWING ONE."

As my collection grows, I'll be glad to include yours.

Bentsen choice boosts Dukakis' chances

By ROBERT WALTERS

ATLANTA (NEA) — Democratic presidential candidate Michael S. Dukakis' selection of a running mate almost certainly enhances his chances of winning the only remaining contest that counts — in the Electoral College.

His designation of Texas Sen. Lloyd M. Bentsen Jr. as the party's vice presidential candidate means that the ticket is fully competitive (and probably has a slight edge now) in the nation's three most populous states — California, New York and Texas.

That trio accounts for 112 Electoral College votes — fully 41.5 percent of the 270 electoral votes needed by Dukakis or his Republican opponent, Vice President George Bush, to secure the presidency.

Although California, with 47 electoral votes, will be a major battleground in the autumn campaign, the Democrats have a good chance to win there for the first time in more than two decades. Indeed, Dukakis has led

votes conducted there in recent months.

New York, with 36 electoral votes, is the biggest political prize in the industrial Northeast and Midwest, a region where credible Democratic presidential contenders traditionally have fared well.

Next on the list is Texas, with 29 electoral votes, until now presumed by many observers to be Bush's to lose, if for no other reason than its status as one of his several "home states."

Bush, however, was born and raised in New England. He moved to Texas in the late 1940s, but ever since the mid-1960s he has held a series of elective and appointive posts in the federal government that have made him primarily a resident of Washington, D.C., for more than two decades.

Bentsen also has spent much time in the nation's capital since being elected to the Senate in 1970 (Bush was the Republican opponent he vanquished that year), but he has built a powerful statewide political organi-

zation in two re-election contests.

Crucial to the outcome of this year's presidential election in Texas (and in California, New York and approximately a half dozen other states) will be the ballots cast by the 4.2 million potential Hispanic voters who are part of the nation's fastest-growing minority group.

They generally participate in elections at an abysmally low rate. Indeed, only about half of the Latinos eligible to vote are registered, and only about half of those registered actually cast ballots.

But they nevertheless are an important political force because of their numbers. In Texas and California, they probably will account for 10 to 15 percent of all votes cast in this year's general election.

The first presidential candidate fluent in Spanish ever to represent either party, Dukakis waged an aggressive bilingual campaign for support in Texas' Rio Grande Valley prior to

primary earlier this year.

On Super Tuesday, he not only finished first in the Lone Star State but also received pluralities of the votes cast by both Hispanics and Anglos.

Dukakis reinforced that victory and signaled his commitment to a Hispanic campaign strategy when he traveled to San Antonio last month for the funeral of William C. "Willie" Velasquez, one of the region's most widely respected political organizers and head of the Southwest Voter Registration Education Project.

Bentsen speaks Spanish as easily as Dukakis does. Moreover, he enjoys broad support among Anglos in both Texas' major cities and the state's rural areas. In the 1982 general election, he received an impressive 59 percent of all votes cast.

Indeed, if history is a controlling factor, a Texas victory is crucial to the Dukakis-Bentsen ticket. Since 1845, when Texas was admitted to the union, no Democratic presidential nominee has been victorious nationally without carrying the Lone Star

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PERFECT BALANCE

Lawyers analyze prosecutor's treatment of attorney general

By PETE YOST
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A prosecutor decides he won't seek an indictment, but tells the world that the subject of his investigation — Attorney General Edwin Meese III — probably broke the law. Why wasn't Meese charged with a crime, and was it unfair of independent counsel James McKay to announce that the attorney general likely violated two criminal tax statutes and, on two occasions, a federal conflict-of-interest provision? "If this happened in a routine case, if (U.S. Attorney) Rudy Giuliani said, 'I've been investigating ABC brokerage house and I've concluded they violated the law and I could probably convince a jury, but I'm not going to indict,' that's not a proper use of prosecutorial power," said Stephen Gillers, a New York University law professor and ethics expert.

In that context, "there's something to Meese's

argument" that McKay treated him unfairly, Gillers said. "But I think McKay and Meese are a different animal. McKay has an obligation to explain the reasons for his actions. The attorney general gets extra scrutiny and that comes with the territory."

Others, particularly conservatives, disagree. "What McKay has done is turn the office of independent counsel into an engine to destroy reputations without any judicial trial," said Bruce Fein, an associate deputy attorney general in 1981-82 and formerly with the conservative Heritage Foundation. "It's an absolute disgrace and blatantly unconstitutional. Civil libertarians should be denouncing this."

Meese said he was outraged and appalled by McKay's finding that he probably broke the law. "It's profoundly ironic that the attorney general is attacking the integrity of Mr. McKay for exercising some discretion in his (Meese's) favor" by not prosecuting, said Louis Seidman, a professor of

law at Georgetown University. "It seems to me that the existence of the special prosecutor law (the 1978 Ethics in Government Act) has allowed the exercise of prosecutorial discretion. If Meese had been cleared by a subordinate in the Justice Department, there would be a major scandal."

The law setting up the independent counsel process "allows him to give Meese a break which he may well deserve," Seidman said.

As to why Meese wasn't prosecuted on tax violations, guidelines in the Justice Department's tax division and the Internal Revenue Service spell out terms under which prosecution of cases may be authorized, noted Gerald Feffer, a criminal tax lawyer with Williams & Connolly who, as a deputy assistant attorney general from 1979 to 1981, oversaw criminal tax cases in the Justice Department.

The relatively small amount of tax Meese owed, \$3,479, and the fact that Meese's tax problems stemmed from a single instance — rather than a pattern of failing to report capital gains — point

against prosecution. In addition, McKay found evidence that Meese had intended to file an amended return, and in fact Meese did so in February, albeit nearly a year and a half late and in the midst of a criminal investigation. "In the tax area, unlike any other area, there is a national review process that goes forward to provide uniformity and to examine each case with structured standards of prosecution," said Feffer, who says prosecution would not have been instituted in similar circumstances against a less prominent taxpayer. McKay decided not to prosecute after concluding there was no evidence Meese acted from motivation for personal gain.

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Khomeini calls cease-fire poison but says advisers insisted

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini said today that accepting a U.N. resolution calling for a cease-fire in the Iran-Iraq war was "worse than drinking poison," but that Iran's political leaders recommended it be done.

It was the first statement from the 87-year-old leader since Iran announced Monday it was accepting the resolution passed by the Security Council on July 20, 1987.

Iraq called the announcement a trick to buy time.

Also today, an Iraqi military spokesman said two Iranian jet fighters tried to bomb the Dokan Dam near the northern city of Kirkuk but were chased off by anti-aircraft fire.

The jets dropped their bombs

but missed the target, according to Iraqi press reports monitored in Cyprus. The spokesman was not identified.

Iraq and Iran have been at war since September 1980.

Khomeini said he could not detail the reasons why the country's political leaders asked him to end the war but said he decided to accept their recommendation. He did not refer to any leaders by name.

Hashemi Rafsanjani, speaker of Iran's parliament and commander-in-chief of Iran's armed forces, said Monday that Khomeini made the decision to accept the resolution.

Khomeini had previously rejected all attempts to end the war, saying Iran would continue fighting until Iraqi President

Saddam Hussein was overthrown.

Resolution 598 calls for a cease-fire in the war, a return to the international borders of 1980, an exchange of prisoners and an investigation to determine who started the conflict.

Khomeini, in a statement carried by Iranian media and monitored in Nicosia, said accepting the resolution does not mean the war is over.

"The approval of the U.N. resolution does not mean that the problem of the war has been solved," his statement said.

Khomeini said many of his country's problems could be traced to American opposition to the 1979 Islamic revolution.

He said Iran will continue to battle American influence in the

region and said that foreign navies should leave the gulf.

"I hearly warn the American and European military forces to leave the Persian Gulf before it is too late," he said.

In the gulf, shipping sources confirmed that Iraq bombed an unfinished nuclear plant at the Iranian port of Bushehr and an unfinished petrochemical plant at Bandar Khomeini in the northern gulf.

The sources, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the petrochemical complex was still burning late Tuesday.

The ranking Republican on the House Armed Services Committee said the United States could begin pulling its warships out of the gulf as soon as a cease-fire takes effect.



Iranian merchants read of cease-fire. (AP Laserphoto)

Shuttle may be taken off its launch pad

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Engineers are trying to fix a tiny gas leak in the space shuttle, but there's a 50-50 chance Discovery will have to be rolled back from the launch pad to a hangar for repairs, says Kennedy Space Center's director.

Taking Discovery off the pad would delay the first launch since the Challenger disaster, now scheduled for early September, by up to two months, Forrest S. McCartney told reporters Tuesday.

"We wish we had found it (the leak) earlier," McCartney said. "If we had found it when it was accessible, there would have been no problem. But it's in an inaccessible place, and we don't know what we're going to do about it."

"We've got people looking at the prudent and safe thing to do. Whatever course we take there

will be no compromise in flight safety.

"The odds are 50-50 on a roll-back," McCartney said.

He said no decision was likely until after Discovery's three main engines have been tested in the pad in a critical test set for July 28. The main engines are separate from the steering engine system, where the leak is.

The tiny nitrogen tetroxide gas leak was detected Friday in an engine compartment, and was traced to a fitting on a line leading to an oxidizer tank. Nitrogen tetroxide normally combines with fuel to power the steering engines.

Shuttle managers were combing through documents to determine whether workers might have missed a similar leak as early as last January.

Launch Director Bob Sieck said paperwork showed that a

pressure check was made on the oxidizer tank manifold in an engine compartment before Christmas, and that a second reading taken two weeks later showed a pressure drop.

The pressure drop occurred in the same area as the one detected in January.

"We are reviewing all procedures and documentation and equipment associated with that event," Sieck said.

The earlier readings may have been within specifications, he said. "And I wouldn't preclude the fact that we have other data that says the integrity of the joint was confirmed."

"Until a final review is in it is pure speculation that a requirement was violated and not reported," Sieck said.

The problem with fixing the

leak on the pad is that the 22-foot-tall engine compartment probably would have to be removed, a difficult task never done there before.

Another option would be to take Discovery to a hangar and replace the compartment as soon as possible with one being prepared for a November flight by Atlantis. Such a move would eliminate the need to wait for a leak repair, and could cut the launch delay to about a month.

Flying with the leak is a possibility, "but we would have to assure ourselves that it would be absolutely safe," Sieck said.

Discovery is being groomed to make the first shuttle mission since Challenger exploded Jan. 28, 1986, killing all seven crew members. Five veteran shuttle astronauts are to make the four-day flight.

Man kills self, unaware charges being dropped

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — A school official charged with lewd behavior killed himself after making a videotape proclaiming his innocence, not knowing that his 15-year-old accuser had recanted her story two days earlier.

"I think that somebody somewhere along the line could have told somebody that the story had been altered," the girl's mother told the *St. Petersburg Times* in Tuesday's editions.

Douglas Tarrant, 41, Pinellas County assistant school superintendent for finance, died Friday

under questioning July 13, the girl said Tarrant did nothing more than ask her to get into his car, according to her mother.

The mother called police and school officials to tell them her daughter had recanted the sexual allegation, and the teen-ager was asked to give a sworn statement to state prosecutors. The session was scheduled for July 25.

"It's too late now. I did everything I knew to do," the mother said after Tarrant's death.

Tarrant's family said he was depressed over a serious health problem and that his arrest was more than he could handle.

He had worked for the school district since 1971 and was a finance official for the past two years. He had been on medical leave since June because of a serious heart condition that prompted two heart attacks.

Tarrant's brother Jeff said the girl's mother called him Monday to tell him what had happened. "She was very upset," he said.

"I'm just too shocked over the

whole thing."

Detective James Dressback said the mother called School Superintendent Scott Rose on Thursday and he referred her to Steve Crosby, personnel director, who was investigating the accusation.

Crosby said he talked to the mother Friday morning, then called Tarrant but didn't mention the mother's call because he was unsure which story was correct.

"I told him that we wanted to straighten out the girl's story and whether she was being truthful,"

Crosby said. "I told him there was some confusion. I told him we would request of her mother that she take a polygraph exam."

"He said thanks for the consideration. Then he discussed meeting with his attorney, and I gave him my home phone number and asked him to give me a call after he met with his attorney."


"When somebody's talking to you about meeting with his attorney on Monday," Crosby said, "you just don't think that he might be considering committing suicide."

'It's too late now. I did everything I knew to do.'

in his car of carbon monoxide poisoning. He was arrested July 11 on a charge of committing a lewd and lascivious act.

The 15-year-old told police that Tarrant asked her to get into his car and was masturbating. But

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The "TEXAS" musical drama plays nightly beginning at 8:30 p.m. except Sundays in Palo Duro Canyon State Park near Amarillo from mid June through late August. A barbecue dinner is available from 6:30 to 8 p.m. before the performance for an additional charge.

'TEXAS' drama includes five Pampa cast members

CANYON — The musical "TEXAS," which plays each summer in Palo Duro Canyon near Amarillo and Canyon, has company members with roots in the Pampa area.

Cast members with Pampa ties include: **Stacy Ann Bennett**, singer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Bennett, 1523 N. Faulkner. Her grandmother is Inez Bennett and her aunt is Rita Steddum, both of Pampa.

Bennett is in her second season as a singer in the "TEXAS" cast. She is a junior vocal performance major at West Texas State University, and enjoys acting as well as singing.

Dean Birkes, singer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Birkes of 2356 Aspen.

Birkes is also in his second season as a member of the "TEXAS" cast. He is a senior majoring in history and physical education at West Texas State University, where he is a member of the WT Chorale, Collegiate and Chamber Singers Choirs.

Kimberly Ann Bowers, one of the lead dancers, granddaughter of Letha Jackson, 509 N. Christy, and niece of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowers, Star Route 3.

Bowers is a veteran of the "TEXAS" drama. She is a dance major and has performed as a soloist and Corp member in the Lone Star Ballet and WTSU dance ensemble.

Peter Cayson Evans, technician, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cayson Evans of 705 Lefors and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Bird, 2610 Fir.

This is Evans' second season with "TEXAS." He

will graduate with a degree in theatre from West Texas State University this fall.

Deanna Carol Parsley, dancer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Parsley of rural Pampa.

Parsley is a newcomer to the "TEXAS" cast. She was a member of Pampa Civic Ballet for eight years, and she plans to attend West Texas State University this fall.

All of the above cast members attended Pampa High School.

This is the 23rd season for this story of the Texas Panhandle, the land and the people who settled it — what it did to them and what they did to it. It is the joys, expressed in dance and song, and the struggles — the prairie fire, drought and storms. It is the coming of the railroad and how it changed the lives of the cattlemen, the settlers and the young people who were drawn together.

Members of the company come from 13 states and one foreign country and are chosen through auditions. They are gifted actors, singers and dancers who survived stiff competition to find places in this professional show.

The producer is the Texas Panhandle Heritage Foundation, a non-profit group organized in 1961 to build a theatre for this drama in music written by Pulitzer prize-winning playwright Paul Green.

"TEXAS" runs nightly except Sundays through Aug. 27. For information and tickets, write "TEXAS," Box 268, Canyon, 79015, or call 655-2181. Weekend orders should be made several weeks in advance.

Assertiveness would help all those Mother's Day martyrs

DEAR ABBY: I just read the letter from the mother whose feelings were hurt because her 41-year-old son did not remember her on her birthday or Mother's Day.

I know how she feels because I am in the very same situation. I once read a book about "irregular people," and the message was very helpful. I copied it, and when I feel hurt and neglected, I read it, and it makes me feel better. Here it is:

"Accept the fact that he cannot — nor will he ever — provide the love and interest that he should. It is not easy to insulate yourself this way, but it hurts less to expect nothing than to hope in vain. His handicap makes it impossible for him to perceive your feelings. He is unaware of the pain caused by his thoughtlessness. Accept him as a man with a permanent handicap, and shield yourself from the icepick of rejection."

ANOTHER HURT MOTHER

DEAR HURT: If you find the above message comforting when you feel hurt and neglected, by all means read it. However, "expect nothing, then you'll not be disappointed" sounds like a prophecy fulfilled. Nor would I shield myself from rejection by regarding a thoughtless man (or woman) as one with a "permanent handicap." Thoughtlessness need not be permanent.

How about adopting this more positive attitude? Read on:

DEAR ABBY: I think you need to hear from a woman who doesn't sit around and wait for her family to remember things that are important to her. I'm glad you urged her



Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

to speak up and "remind" a forgetful husband. I am astonished by people like "Forgotten on Mother's Day" who play the martyr, hoping their non-sentimental husbands will remember special days.

I'm sentimental! Birthdays are very important to me, so I start two weeks ahead of time talking about mine. No nagging, whining or "poor me" stuff. I just tell the truth: "My birthday is a big deal to me. I can't wait for my birthday to come. My birthday is only six days away; where shall we go to celebrate?" This has always worked for me. Sneaky? Nerve? So what? It beats being forgotten and crying in my pillow. And who knows, maybe after three or four years of prompting, I won't have to do it anymore. Nobody but you knows what your needs are.

ME

DEAR ABBY: I have never written to you, but want to tell you how I handled being ignored on my first Mother's Day.

My husband also said to me: "You're not my mother!" (I was the

mother of his adorable twin daughters, however.) The following Mother's Day, I bought for myself a lovely pair of diamond earrings "from the twins," using my husband's credit card.

I wrapped them prettily and set the package out with a card, and with great fanfare presented it to myself in front of the babies and Hubby. After I unwrapped it, I ran to the phone and called my mother and the rest of my relatives and friends to tell them of this wonderful "gift" I received for Mother's Day, adding with each call that I couldn't imagine how my husband was going to top this for next year!

When he realized that he had paid for this costly gift, he changed his tune, and since then he has not missed one Mother's Day, birthday or anniversary for the past 20 years. He correctly figured it was the cheaper way to go! Sign me ...

GOTCHA! IN ILLINOIS

DEAR ABBY: Thank you for asking advertisers (and comedians) not to ridicule the hard of hearing.

Last Easter, I received a beautiful basket of fruit from my granddaughter. It was delivered by a local florist. I was so pleased — until I saw the card that came with it. On the outside of the envelope containing the card was written: "She is deaf, so please wait for her to answer the door."

Abby, dear, it spoiled my day. HURT IN PATERSON, N.J.

DEAR HURT: To have written those instructions on the envelope for the recipient to see was insensitive. I hope you are not blaming your granddaughter for the thoughtlessness of the person who filled the order.



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Special entertainment throughout the day will include a variety of acts, such as singing, dancing, gymnastics and music.

Over 20 booths manned by civic and business organizations will have all types of food for sale, including everything from sausage on a stick to homemade ice cream, funnel cakes and melon cups.

Twenty more booths will feature activities ranging from water balloons to hair painting, a photo booth, face painting, a fishing pond and a can smash. The Fun Day Committee will sponsor contests such as bubble gum blowing and hula hooping; prizes will be awarded to the winners.

A street dance that evening will feature Fencewalker, who will also perform during Fun Day. The dance begins at 8 p.m. and will last until midnight.

There is no admission charge for Fun Day or the dance. Leatherman Park is located off Highway 15 and S. Jefferson Street in Perryton. Additional Fun Day parking will be at the Expo Center, to the west of the park.

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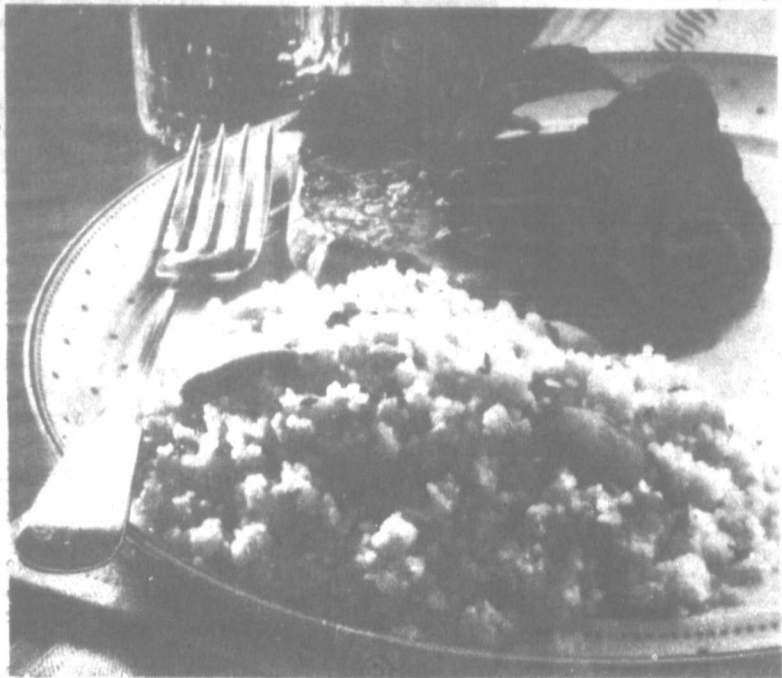
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Food



Couscous, a wheat product that looks like a tiny beadlike pasta, can be served with vegetables as a side dish.

Couscous is side dish

By NANCY BYAL
Better Homes and Gardens
Magazine Food Editor

Couscous (KOOS koos), a staple in the Middle East, is relatively new as a side dish on American tables. It's a wheat product and looks like tiny beadlike pasta. Because the pieces are very small, couscous is soaked in hot water rather than cooked. Look for it next to the rice or pasta in your grocery store.

HERBED COUSCOUS AND VEGETABLES
1 cup sliced fresh mushrooms
1 tablespoon margarine or butter
1 cup water

1 tablespoon snipped parsley
½ teaspoon dried basil, crushed
¼ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon dried oregano, crushed
Dash pepper
2/3 cup couscous
1 medium tomato, peeled, seeded and chopped

In a medium saucepan cook mushrooms in hot margarine until tender. Stir in water, parsley, basil, salt, oregano and pepper. Bring to boiling; remove from heat. Stir in couscous. Let stand, covered, 5 minutes. Stir in tomato. Makes 4 servings.

Use white baking bars for mousse

By NANCY BYAL
Better Homes and Gardens
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White baking bars with cocoa butter are found in the baking section of your supermarket. Read the ingredient list to determine if a baking product contains cocoa butter.

WHITE MOUSSE
¼ cup sugar
1 envelope unflavored gelatin
1 cup cold water
3 ounces white baking bar with cocoa butter, chopped
3 beaten egg yolks
1 cup whipping cream
3 egg whites
1 teaspoon vanilla

In a medium saucepan combine sugar and gelatin. Add water and baking bar. Cook and stir over medium heat until mixture is boiling and gelatin is dissolved. Stir about 1 cup of hot mixture into egg yolks; return all to saucepan. Cook and stir just until mixture bubbles. Transfer to a large mixing bowl. Chill until consistency of unbeaten egg whites (about 45 minutes), stirring occasionally.

Meanwhile, in a chilled bowl beat whipping cream until stiff peaks form. Chill until ready to use.

In a large mixer bowl beat egg whites and vanilla until stiff peaks form (tips stand straight). Stir a small amount of beaten egg white into gelatin mixture; fold in remaining whites. Fold whipped cream into egg white mixture. Spoon into dessert cups; chill 2 hours or until serving time. Makes 8 servings.

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Make giant muffins with standard pan

By NANCY BYAL
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The newest trend in muffins is BIG; the bigger, the better. You can bake supersize muffins in a standard muffin pan. Just grease the top of the pan between the cups. The batter can overflow during baking but will not stick.

Also notice that the recipe calls for filling the muffin cups even with the top of the pan rather than two-thirds full. Serve these mammoth muffins for breakfast or with a salad or soup for supper.

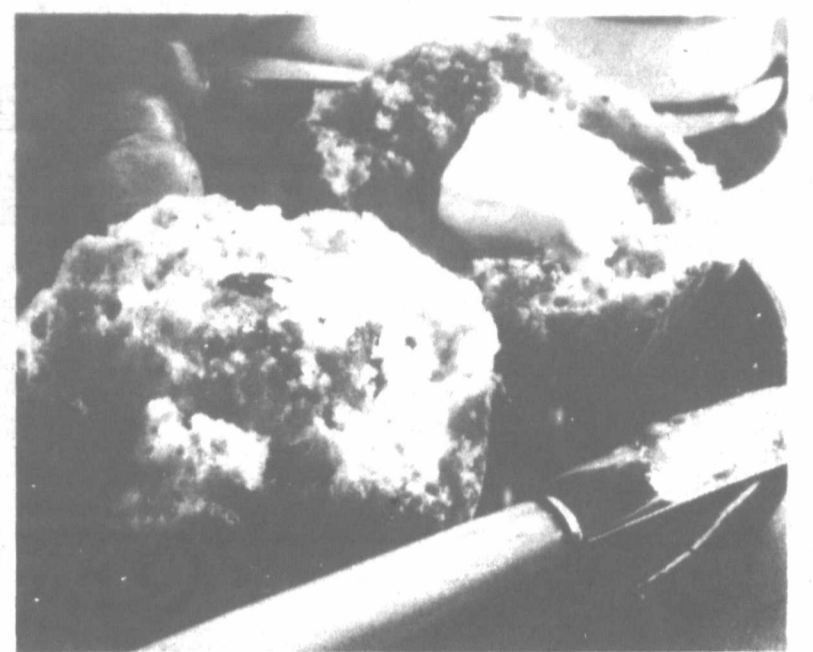
CHEDDAR MUFFINS
Cornmeal (optional)
1¼ cups all-purpose flour
½ cup shredded sharp cheddar cheese (2 ounces)
¼ cup sugar
2 teaspoons baking powder
¼ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon ground red pepper
1 beaten egg
¼ cup milk
1/3 cup cooking oil

6 strips bacon, crisp-cooked, drained and crumbled (1/3 cup)

Grease muffin cups and top of pan or spray with non-stick spray coating; sprinkle pan with cornmeal, if desired. (Or, line muffin cups with paper bake cups and grease top of pan.) Set pan aside.

In bowl stir together flour, cheese, sugar, baking powder, salt and pepper. Make a well in the center. In a small bowl combine egg, milk and oil. Add egg mixture all at once to flour mixture. Stir just until moistened (batter should be lumpy). Fold in crumbled bacon. Fill prepared cups even with the top. Bake in a 400-degree oven 20 to 25 minutes or until muffins are golden. Remove muffins from pan; serve warm. Makes 8.

Nutrition information per serving: 288 cal., 8 g pro., 29 g carbo., 16 g fat, 48 mg chol., 283 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 15 percent thiamine, 12 percent riboflavin, 14 percent calcium.



Supersize muffins made with cheddar cheese and bacon make a special treat for breakfast, or when served with a salad or soup for supper.

Spinach lasagna rolls are quick to fix

By NANCY BYAL
Better Homes and Gardens
Magazine Food Editor

These lasagna rolls are fast to fix because there's no layering. They cook in one-quarter of the time required for the oven-baked version.

MICROWAVE SPINACH LASAGNA ROLLS
6 lasagna noodles
One 10-ounce package frozen chopped spinach, thawed

½ pound lean ground beef
1 medium onion, chopped
1 cup low-fat cottage cheese
1 slightly beaten egg yolk
1 clove garlic, minced
1 teaspoon dried oregano, crushed
1 teaspoon dried basil, crushed
¼ teaspoon salt
One 15-ounce can herbed tomato sauce
¼ cup grated Parmesan cheese

package directions; drain. Thoroughly drain spinach, pressing out excess liquid. In a 1½-quart microwave-safe casserole cook spinach, covered, on 100 percent power (high) 7 to 9 minutes or until done, stirring once. Drain.

Crumble beef into a 9-inch pie plate. Stir in onion. Cook, uncovered, on high 3 to 5 minutes or until beef is done, stirring twice to break up meat. Drain off fat.

Combine cottage cheese, egg yolk, garlic, oregano, basil and salt. Stir cottage cheese mixture and meat mixture into spinach. Spread some of mixture on each lasagna noodle. Roll up jellyroll style, starting with short edge. Place, seam side down, in a 10-by-6-by-2-inch microwave-safe baking dish. Pour tomato sauce over rolls. Cook, uncovered, on high 10 to 12 minutes or until heated through, rotating a half-turn twice. Transfer to individual plates. Sprinkle some cheese on each roll. Makes 6 servings.

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- 5 Car
- 7 Dentist's deg.
- 12 Bird
- 13 Future LL.Bs. exam
- 14 Observe
- 15 Seaport in Arabia
- 16 Bystander
- 18 Christmas item (2 wds.)
- 20 No longer are
- 21 Cut off
- 22 Upoar
- 24 Poison
- 27 Collection of papers
- 31 Bone-dry
- 32 Close relative
- 33 551, Roman
- 34 Head
- 35 Bows
- 36 Vast period of time
- 37 Perfum.
- 39 Food item
- 40 Across (pref.)
- 41 Women's patriotic soc.
- 42 Lang Syne
- 45 Outward current
- 49 Clerical title
- 52 Cry of pain
- 53 Khan
- 54 Biblical tribe
- 55 Not out of
- 56 Legal matter
- 57 Not any
- 58 Thailand's neighbor

DOWN

- 1 In another direction
- 2 Pakistan language
- 3 Irish dance

4 Earthworm

- 5 Knocked for —
- 6 Military abbr.
- 7 Palm fiber
- 8 Ear (comb. form)
- 9 Astronaut — Sleyton
- 10 Clothes tinter
- 11 Arid
- 17 Has
- 19 Chaney
- 22 Puts on
- 23 Noun suffix
- 24 Wind indicator
- 25 God of love
- 26 Pen tips
- 27 Leader (It.)
- 28 Brainstorm
- 29 North Carolina college
- 30 Fruit skin
- 32 Box for alms
- 35 Tropical cuckoo
- 36 Plane part

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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- 38 Taro root
- 39 Dyeing tub
- 41 Somewhat dark
- 42 Three-banded armadillo
- 43 Impel
- 44 Geological division
- 45 Gravel ridges
- 46 Kind of moth
- 47 Eight (comb. form)
- 48 "Who"
- 50 Raceid
- 51 Last queen of Spain

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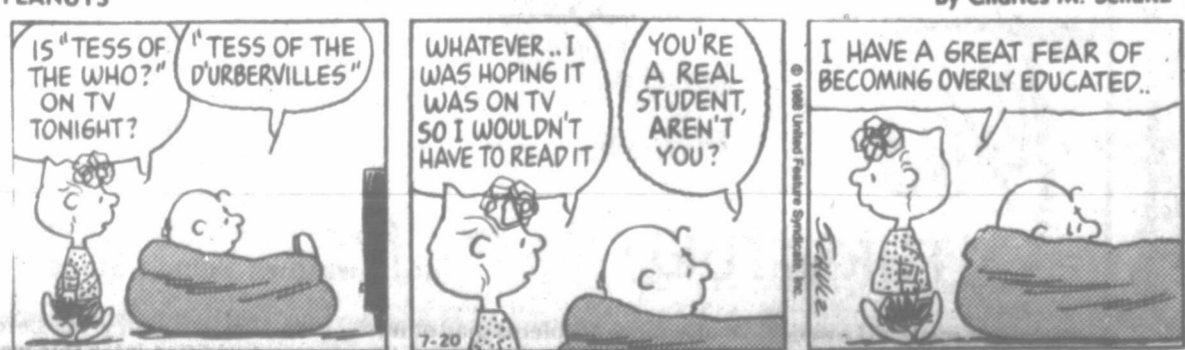
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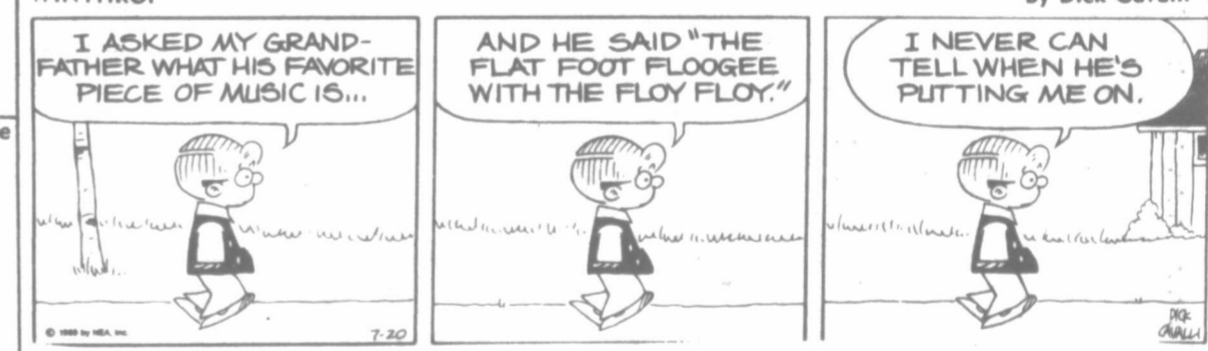
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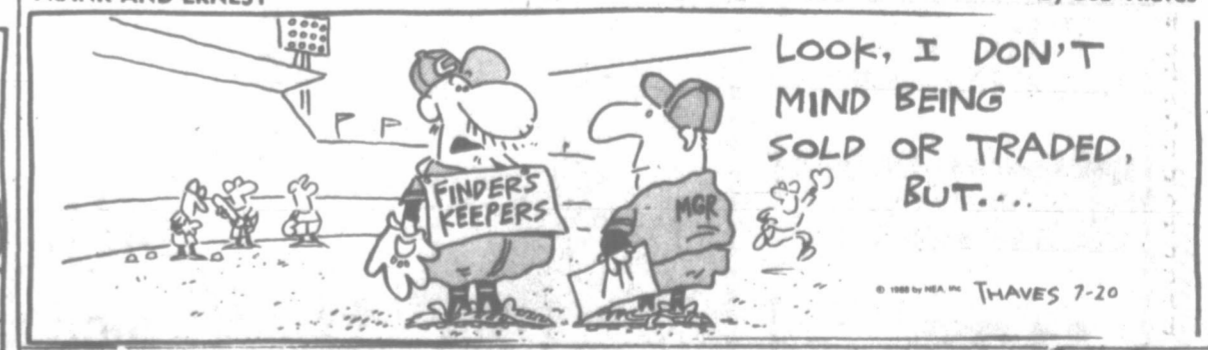
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Astro-Graph

by bernice bede osol

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You must be very careful today that you do not unthinkingly make demands on others who would not want made on you. If you slip and do so, it could create an unpleasant situation. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Matchmaker set can help you understand what it might take to restore the relationship. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Usually you are an open-minded person who tries to give others the benefit of the doubt, but today you may harbor preconceived resentments you'll not alter.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Don't let things of a purely materialistic nature have an effect upon the way you treat pals today. If they are placed above friendships, it could lead to regrets.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Knowledge acquired from past experience, coupled with your common sense, will tell you how to handle a delicate career matter today. Unfortunately, you might ignore them and do otherwise.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You're a far better problem solver today than you give yourself credit for. Face issues squarely, even the sticky ones.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) If you have something you disapprove of to say to a friend today, settle it face-to-face. Don't let word of your perturbation filter back through others.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) It's best not to assign an important matter to a delegate today, because this person might not deal with it as effectively as you, owing to a lack of motivation and comprehension.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Today, if you proceed along present lines at a pace you've already established, things should run smoothly. Trouble could come if you try to move too fast.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) A firm and realistic stance will be required today in your commercial affairs. Try to steer clear of involvements that have too many risky elements.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) This is not a good day to introduce a critical issue if you and your mate have yet to resolve an old one. Use common sense regarding timing.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You'll be more effective and productive early in the day than you will be later on, so try to schedule your priority activities at that time. When pressed, you won't perform well.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) It's best to keep relationships on a purely social basis today. Getting involved with a friend in a financial arrangement could result in problems.

Sports

Renfro's last chance

THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. (AP) — Mike Renfro got the word on "Dr. Death's" eighth-place finish in a stakes race at Hawthorne the day he arrived in Dallas Cowboys' training camp.

"I hope it isn't symbolic of the way things are going to go for me here," said Renfro, who is among a talented group of wide receivers trying to make the Cowboys' team and also the owner of the budding three-year-old thoroughbred.

"The 11-year veteran Renfro is once again trying to fend off a number one draft pick. This time it's Mike Irvin of Miami, who has been a training camp sensation.

Club president Tex Schramm said "It's going to be tough for Mike to make the team this year. Irvin has looked great."

"It will be the third number one draft choice I've faced," Renfro says. "There is usually always somebody trying to take my job. This year the kid is really good."

He added the Cowboys "have six or seven tremendous receivers. It's the best group the Cowboys have ever put together. Coach (Tom) Landry is going to have some difficult decisions to make that's for sure."

Renfro broke into the NFL with the Houston Oilers as a rookie out of Texas Christian who was rated too slow to last long in the pros.

"I got a job as a rookie because Billy White Shoes (Johnson) got into a contract dispute," Renfro says. "That's how I got my shot. It's how I got my chance."

Renfro says he would accept a backup role this year should Irvin win the job at the wing position. "I can play either side and it



Mike Renfro keeps his grip on the ball during Tuesday's workouts. (AP Laserphoto)

doesn't bother me," Renfro says. "But there is also a chance I could get cut. If that happens I might have to look at going somewhere else. I've worked hard in the offseason and I don't want

that to go for nothing. I've made a commitment to play football in 1988. He had talked of retirement after the 1987 season but admitted "the Texas economy put some business deals I had on

hold." Besides Irvin, Renfro must beat out such talented receivers as Kelvin Edwards, Everett Gay, Rod Barksdale, Kelvin Martin and Gordon Banks.

Wrist watch begins on Cowboys' White

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer

THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. — Dallas Cowboys' second-string quarterback Danny White begins his 13th year in the NFL this season, and he's hoping it will be his lucky one.

The 36-year-old White, who was the protege of Cowboys' all-time passing leader Roger Staubach, dreams of a scenario where he wrests the starting job from Steve Pelleur and finally gets the Cowboys into the Super Bowl.

White is confident of regaining the No. 1 position this season because he believes he has cured the problem that caused him to lose the spot. On Tuesday, White threw a series of 50-yard passes and walked to the sidelines with a big smile.

"The wrist watch is dead and buried," he said. "You can burn it."

White was plagued throughout the 1987 season by calcium deposits in the wrist of his right arm which kept him in pain. His performances suffered accordingly as he suffered 17 interceptions with only 12 touchdowns passes.

The heralded "wrist watch" developed because nobody, including White knew how he would pass in a game because of the wrist's condition.

"I feel I can regain the consistency I had in the past and get my job back," White said. "My wrist is no problem. The pain is gone. This year there is no ice, no tape and no braces. Last year it was painful everytime I played."

Pelleur turned in back-to-back mistake-free performances as Dallas knocked both St. Louis and the Los Angeles Rams out of the NFL playoffs in the final two games of the season.

But Coach Tom Landry was impressed with White's early per-

formance in training camp this week.

"He's been looking good but we'll find out," Landry said. "Two-a-day workouts take their toll."

The Cowboys were 6-2 in the 1986 season before White was sacked by the New York Giants' Carl Banks. White's wrist was broken and so were the Cowboys' hopes of a playoff season.

"It has been one of the toughest things to get over," White said. "A broken wrist for a quarterback is just about as serious an injury as you can get. Even after it healed it hampered my throwing motion."

In fact, when White's wrist did heal, it did so after a ligament had withered away.

"I can throw deep passes now without any problem," White said. "I can hit the sideline passes, too."

Landry now says that while Pelleur is the front-runner, White could win his job back.

"Naturally, you lean toward Pelleur because he's younger and healthier, but he's going to have to earn the job," Landry said. "But even if Pelleur is the starter, Danny could play a very important role as a backup."

White said that was all he needed to hear.

"We've got some good receivers on this team now and they are a force to be reckoned with and I want to be in there throwing to them," White said.

White said a Herschel Walker run-oriented offense doesn't bother him.

"That's the easiest way to win football games but it's hard to establish the run," White said.

And White says he's healthy enough now to be the leader the Cowboys need as they try to get back into the playoffs for the first time in three seasons.

Astros edge Expos

MONTREAL (AP) — Pascual Perez was hardly his effusive self after his first-ever loss at home as a starting pitcher with the Montreal Expos.

Perez brushed past reporters without saying a word after Montreal lost 4-3 to the Houston Astros Tuesday night — the club's third straight defeat.

Perez, 6-4, who joined the Expos last August, didn't pitch badly, yielding just four hits in seven innings. But he was victimized by a strong performance from Houston starter Mike Scott, 9-2, and a couple of his own mistakes.

The first miscue occurred in the sixth inning when Perez threw Glenn Davis one of his "Pascualball" bloopers, a pitch that has embarrassed a number of NL hitters this season.

This time it was Perez who was embarrassed as Davis, a slow-pitch softball player in the off-season, timed it, and after double striding, blasted it into the left-field seats for his 21st homer.

"I guess you could say he went to the well once too often because the guy hit it out," said Expos manager Buck Rodgers. "But

those are just the breaks. "It's an effective pitch for him because it complements his repertoire. I don't want to see him stop throwing it."

The second Perez mistake, set up by Expos shortstop Luis Rivera's throwing error, resulted in what proved to be the deciding run for Houston in the seventh.

Rivera had plenty of time on a routine bouncer by Rafael Ramirez, but fired wildly for a two-base error. Ramirez went to third on an infield out and scored when Perez threw a wild pitch with two outs and Scott batting.

"We just gave them that run," said Rodgers.

The Astros jumped on Perez quickly in the first inning when Gerald Young hit his first pitch for a triple and scored on Terry Puhl's one-out single.

Montreal tied it when Nelson Santovenia doubled home Hubie Brooks in the second, but the Astros regained the lead when Davis doubled home Puhl in the fourth.

Davis boosted the lead to 3-1 with his homer on the "pitch" in the sixth inning.



Astros' Puhl scores fourth-inning run. (AP Laserphoto)

Records rewritten at Olympic Trials

By BERT ROSENTHAL
AP Track Writer

INDIANAPOLIS — So far, the U.S. Olympic Trials have produced some of the most remarkable performances in track and field history. And at least two more significant marks could be recorded tonight by the Lewises, Carl and Steve.

The Lewises, who aren't related, are in the finals of blue-ribbon events, the men's 200-meter and 400-meter dashes.

Carl, 27, already has won the 100 in a wind-aided 9.78 seconds, the fastest time in history, and the long jump at 28 feet, 9 inches, the best in the world this year and equalling the seventh-best ever.

He runs tonight's 200 over the same Indiana University Track and Field Stadium surface on which he established the American record of 19.75 seconds in 1983. The world record for the 200 is 19.72, by Pietro Mennea of Italy.

Steve Lewis, 19, a UCLA freshman, has broken the world junior 400-meter record three times this year, including twice in this meet. He won his quarterfinal heat in 44.61, lowering by .04 seconds the mark he set earlier this season, then won his semifinal in 44.11, the fifth-fastest time ever and the second-fastest at sea level.

The world record in the 400 is 43.86, by Lee Evans.

Work progressing on municipal golf course

By L.D. STRATE
Sports Editor

The Pampa Public Golf Course is starting to take shape.

Engineer Ray Hardy of El Paso said the first four holes on the 18-hole, 6,723 yard course are almost completed and ready for grass seed.

A rye and blue grass blend will be planted on the course. City Commissioners last week approved a \$1,165 per pound bid from Scotts Proturf to seed the greens. Total cost is expected to be around \$23,000 for the green-seeding project and other areas on the par 71 course, located at the northeast corner of Texas Highway 70 and Loop 171.

"We're moving right along," said Hardy. "The rain slowed us down a little bit and we couldn't do much Tuesday."

Hardy said Gray County crews and volunteer laborers are currently moving dirt and smoothing areas around the tee boxes and fairways, and have almost completed a road around the course. "Everybody has been very helpful. They should have the road finished in the next day or two," Hardy said.

Hardy, who will oversee the project until its completion, said he is currently waiting on a scraper, which would speed up progress considerably. Hardy expects the machine to be at the course before the end of the week.

Hardy said the greens would be completed before moving on to the tee boxes and fairways.

"Work on the greens is going along pretty smooth," said Hardy. "Everything is falling into place. Some of the holes will cause more problems than others because of the undulation of the

green."

Hardy said the irrigation system would be installed in the near future.

City commissioners are expected to take action on accepting bids for 12-inch PVC pipe for the waterline at their July 26 meeting. The sprinkler system and water supply line are expected to cost more than \$140,000 according to estimates by the city staff.

Water for the golf course will come from city wells, said Assistant City Manager Frank Smith.

"We had considered bringing water from the treatment plant, but decided it just wasn't feasible. The plant would have to be upgraded and another well would have had to be drilled," Smith said.

Pampa and Gray County officials held ground-breaking ceremonies for the controversial course last week after months of delay.

Lefors signs coach

Dale Means, ex-football coach from Bynum, 20 miles north of Waco, has signed a contract as head football and basketball coach of the 1988 Lefors Pirates, according to Earl Ross, superintendent of schools in Lefors.

The Lefors Independent School District hired Curtis Smith last month, but Smith had second thoughts and decided to continue in his position in Patton Springs.

Means, who coached in Texline before moving to Bynum, will be in Lefors on Thursday to talk to Earl Ross about the upcoming year. The Pampa News will have a full-length story on Lefors' newest addition later this week.

Richardson answers Georgetown's call

FROM THE NOTEPAD: Improving his situation in last week's managerial shakeup of the Boston Red Sox was former Pampa Oiler RAC SLIDER.

Texas native and loyal worker in the Bosox minor league system for nearly three decades, the former Oiler shorstop was elevated from bullpen coach to third base coach...Speaking of hirings, that old meanie GEORGE STEIN-

BRENNER has hired former Yankee JOE PEPITONE to work in player development as part of a work-release program for the final two months of the former Amarillo player's sentence for a drug conviction...The word is that the Houston Oilers will move their pre-season training camp to cool Wisconsin next season, joining the home-state Packers, Chicago Bears and New Orleans Saints in the Badger State. The five-week camp means close to a half-million dollars in extra revenues for a community...I have to agree with PUTT, it was a farce "to have Paul Molitor of the Twins" as the second baseman for the American League All-Stars, since Molitor plays for Milwaukee's Brewers.

If you can remember when Pampa had to ration water in the summertime you don't have to worry about the draft...Former Harvester star female athlete KELLYE RICHARDSON has moved her coaching talents from the Canyon system to become first assistant at Georgetown.

Sports Forum

By Warren Hasse



coach TOM MCPHERSON, who guided the 4A entry to the state semifinals this past season, is moving to 5A Katy...How come you can get either unled or regular in Elk City for 87 cents per gallon?...The Indianapolis Colts have re-signed former West Texas State defensive back JOHN HOLT for the 1988 NFL season...He was a great football, basketball and baseball player, an all-around athlete, "Coach Gordon Wood said of JERRY DON GLEATON, a former Brownwood athlete as we rode the bus out to the ballpark in Kansas City the other day. Gleaton now hurls for the Royals...

GRAYLIN JOHNSON, Texas male prep athlete of the year while playing defensive back at Port Arthur last season, has decided to enroll at University of Texas-Austin when his SAT score was below freshman eligibility requirements to enter Notre Dame, where he had signed a letter of intent. He ranked 18th in his graduating class this spring!

Pampa visitor last weekend

coach NORMAN PHILLIPS, who spent 11 seasons at PHS and for the past 23 has been enjoying great success as head track coach at El Paso Irvin HS. Does anyone know where he can reach one of his former Harvester stars, miler MARK WESTBROOK?...The Southwest Conference office is a lot prettier now that DR. SUSAN ZINN, for the past seven years the assistant athletic director of the University Interscholastic League, has joined the staff as assistant commissioner.

The Nebraska University fanatic will coordinate the administration of SWC championship events among other duties...Georgia football coach VINCE DOOLEY announced he is donating \$100,000 to support the university's libraries. Football coach and athletic director at Bulldogland for a half century, Dooley said: "I feel it's appropriate and proper that I should make a contribution toward the academic side of the university..."And in Oregon, a group of citizens called Oregonians for College Athletics has

80,000 signatures calling for the state to increase cigarette and beer taxes to generate revenue for state college athletics programs.

Shamrock native CLETUS GREEN has assumed new duties as athletic director-head basketball coach at Mount Olive. N.C., College. His son, Kelly, is an assistant at West Texas State...After landing a new contract to supply the NFL with footballs, Wilson Sporting Goods has announced that royalties from sales of its top-line leather model will be donated to a retirement fund for college football coaches. The company obviously is learning from Jim Wright...Note to NCAA: That UNLV coach you've been dragging through the courts at great expense to both parties, JERRY TARKANIAN, has gotten a leg up. His son Danny, who played for dad a few years ago, has graduated from University of San Diego Law School magna cum laude. Now take Jerry back to court!...Who dropped the ball on the annual citywide Clean Up-Fix Up-Paint Up campaign this year, the Chamber of Commerce or the City of Pampa. It used to be a great joint venture of the two to help make Pampa "the world's cleanest oil town"...Says former heavyweight boxing champion MUHAMMAD ALI, now battling Parkinson's syndrome: "God gave me this physical impairment to remind me that I am not

...I feel it's appropriate and proper that I should make a contribution toward the academic side of the university..."And in Oregon, a group of citizens called Oregonians for College Athletics has

Sports

Hough helps Texas turn back Yankees

NEW YORK (AP)—In his first three starts in July, all resulting in losses, Charlie Hough pitched with what he described as a "dead tired" right arm. But the condition is nothing new, nothing so earth shattering.

"I've more or less been like this for 20 years," the 40-year-old knuckleballer said. "I'm not known for having the strongest arm in the history of baseball. Why do you think I throw like this? I'd much rather blow away people like Roger Clemens, but it didn't work out that way."

Hough, enduring an almost two-hour rain delay, allowed only four hits in seven innings Tuesday night, winning his first game since June 29 and helping the Texas Rangers to a 7-2 victory over the New York Yankees. Scott Fletcher led a 16-hit attack with three hits and Steve Buechele knocked in three runs.

Hough, 9-10, gave up two singles, a double, and Joel Skinner's two-out fifth-inning homer while walking one and striking out six. It was Hough's first victory over the Yankees since July 17, 1984, as he ended a six-game losing streak against the club.

"That's a pretty good lineup they have," he said. "And I only made one mistake against them. That's not a bad night's work and that's not a bad way to break out of a slump."

With his team ahead 7-0 in the fifth, Hough made his mistake by trying to slip a 1-0 fastball past Skinner, who grounded out his first time up. The pitch ran down the middle of the plate and Skinner hit it 410 feet to left-center for his third home run of the season.

"All I wanted was for him to put it in play," Hough said with a growing smile. "But I didn't know that he would put it so far into play. That was pretty rude of him. If I had known he would do that, I would have thrown him something else."

The Yankees managed little off of Hough's dancing knuckle ball, putting only one runner in scoring position in the first seven innings.

"When he's on like that, throwing strikes, he's almost impossible to hit," Yankees manager Lou Piniella said. "It's when he's off and when that knuckle ball starts flying around the plate, that's when you get to him. But he had it pretty much under control tonight, real tough."

Hough hadn't been the same since throwing 11 scoreless innings in a 1-0 victory over Seattle four starts ago. Over his next three starts, he allowed 13 earned runs and 14 hits in 16 innings while building a three-game losing streak.

"That game against the Mariners really ate up my arm," he said. "It's taken this much time and some medication to get me back where I'm feeling good on the mound again."

The Rangers, breaking from an extended batting slump, scored

three runs in each of the first and third innings off starter John Candelaria, 10-6. They scored once more in the fifth off reliever Steve Shields.

"We got some timely hits with men on base," said Rangers manager Bobby Valentine, whose club entered the game with 14 runs in its last seven games. "That's what we've been lacking. I hope it's here for more than just one game. I hope it's here to stay for a while."

Mike Stanley hit a two-out RBI single in the first and Buechele followed with a two-run double. Buechele singled in another run

in the third and Jeff Kunkel, two at-bats later, hit a two-run double. Cecil Espy drove in the Rangers' final run with a single that scored Bob Brower.

Craig McMurtry closed out Hough's game with two innings of one-hit relief. He allowed a run in the ninth on Luis Aguayo's third hit of the game, an RBI single that scored Jack Clark from second base.

The game was delayed in the fourth inning by one hour, 47 minutes. The second delay came in the bottom of the ninth and lasted 26 minutes.

Major League standings

By The Associated Press
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AMERICAN LEAGUE										
East Division										
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away		
Detroit	54	36	.600	—	5-5	Won 1	28-18	26-18		
New York	53	37	.589	1	4-4	Won 2	28-17	25-20		
Boston	49	42	.538	5 1/2	2-8	Won 2	27-18	22-24		
Milwaukee	49	44	.527	6 1/2	2-8	Won 2	26-20	23-24		
Cleveland	47	47	.500	9	2-8	Lost 2	26-23	21-24		
Toronto	46	47	.495	9 1/2	2-7	Won 2	23-24	23-23		
Baltimore	30	64	.319	26	4-6	Lost 1	19-28	11-36		

West Division										
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away		
Oakland	57	37	.606	—	5-5	Won 2	25-20	32-18		
Minnesota	51	41	.554	5	4-6	Lost 2	25-19	26-21		
Kansas City	46	47	.495	10 1/2	3-7	Lost 6	23-22	23-25		
California	44	48	.478	12	2-8	Lost 1	18-25	26-23		
Chicago	43	50	.462	13 1/2	4-6	Won 1	25-26	18-24		
Texas	41	50	.451	14 1/2	3-7	Lost 1	24-26	17-24		
Seattle	36	56	.391	20	2-4-6	Lost 3	20-23	16-33		

NATIONAL LEAGUE										
East Division										
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away		
New York	56	37	.602	—	2-4-6	Lost 2	30-14	26-23		
Pittsburgh	53	38	.582	2	2-9-1	Lost 1	28-18	25-20		
Montreal	47	45	.511	8 1/2	2-8	Lost 3	26-22	21-23		
Chicago	46	46	.500	9 1/2	2-8	Lost 1	22-22	24-24		
Philadelphia	40	52	.435	15 1/2	2-5	Won 2	23-21	17-31		
St. Louis	39	52	.429	16	1-9	Lost 2	19-24	20-28		

West Division										
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away		
Los Angeles	54	36	.600	—	2-7-3	Won 6	25-23	29-13		
San Francisco	47	44	.516	7 1/2	2-5-5	Won 1	27-21	20-23		
Houston	48	45	.516	7 1/2	7-3	Won 2	27-18	21-27		
Cincinnati	46	47	.495	9 1/2	2-7-3	Won 3	23-21	23-26		
San Diego	43	50	.462	12 1/2	6-4	Won 2	27-23	16-27		
Atlanta	32	59	.352	22 1/2	2-8	Lost 2	16-31	16-28		

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AMERICAN LEAGUE										
Monday's Games					Toronto 12, California 2					
New York 7, Texas 2					Oakland 7, Cleveland 2					
Boston 6, Minnesota 5					Only games scheduled					
Milwaukee 6, Kansas City 1										
Detroit 12, Seattle 3										

Tuesday's Games										
Late Games Not Included					Boston 5, Minnesota 0					
Baltimore 6, Chicago 4, 1st game					Milwaukee 3, Kansas City 1					
Chicago 2, Baltimore 0, 2nd game					Texas at New York, (n)					
Oakland 4, Cleveland 1, 1st game					Detroit at Seattle, (n)					
Cleveland at Oakland, 2nd game (n)					Toronto at California, (n)					

Today's Games										
Kansas City (Laird 9-4) at Milwaukee (Higuera 7-5), 1:35 p.m.					Cincinnati 11, New York 2					
Cleveland (Farrell 9-4) at Oakland (Stewart 12-8), 2:15 p.m.					Philadelphia 3, Kansas City 1					
Detroit (Alexander 8-5) at Seattle (Moore 4-9), 3:35 p.m.					Texas (Guzman 9-7) at New York (Rhodes 5-1), 6:30 p.m.					
Chicago (McDowell 4-7) at Baltimore (Bellard 4-7), 6:35 p.m.					Chicago (Lee 6-4) at Boston (Clemens 13-5), 6:35 p.m.					
Minnesota (Lue 6-4) at Boston (Clemens 13-5), 6:35 p.m.					Toronto (Key 6-1) at California (Witt 4-9), 9:35 p.m.					

NATIONAL LEAGUE										
Monday's Games					Houston 6, Montreal 1					
Chicago 8, San Francisco 3					San Diego at Pittsburgh, ppd., rain.					
Atlanta 9, Philadelphia 8, 11 innings, 1st game					Los Angeles 1, St. Louis 0					
Philadelphia 4, Atlanta 1, 2nd game										
Cincinnati 2, New York 1										

Tuesday's Games										
Late Games Not Included					Houston 4, Montreal 3					
San Francisco 3, Chicago 1					Cincinnati 11, New York 2					
San Diego 6, Pittsburgh 2, 1st game					Philadelphia 4, Atlanta 4					
San Diego at Pittsburgh, 2nd game (n)					Los Angeles at St. Louis, (n)					

Today's Games										
Los Angeles (Valenzuela 5-4) at St. Louis (Tudor 4-4), 12:35 p.m.					Cincinnati 11, New York 2					
San Francisco (Downs 8-8) at Chicago (Maddux 15-3), 1:20 p.m.					Houston (Deshales 6-4) at Montreal (Dopson 2-5), 6:05 p.m.					
Houston (Deshales 6-4) at Montreal (Dopson 2-5), 6:05 p.m.					New York (Cone 9-2) at Cincinnati (Browning 8-4), 6:35 p.m.					
Atlanta (P. Smith 4-9) at Philadelphia (Carmen 5-5), 6:35 p.m.					Atlanta (P. Smith 4-9) at Philadelphia (Carmen 5-5), 6:35 p.m.					
New York (Cone 9-2) at Cincinnati (Browning 8-4), 6:35 p.m.					San Diego (Rasmussen 7-4) at Pittsburgh (Walk 10-4), 6:35 p.m.					

NFL gets tough on steroids

By DAVE GOLDBERG
AP Football Writer

NEW YORK — The NFL is getting tougher on the use of steroids, which for more than a decade turned some marginal players into near-300-pounders. But Commissioner Pete Rozelle says the league won't crack down on steroid users the way it has on other drug abusers.

This season, for the first time, the league is making players who use steroids subject to discipline by Rozelle. The warning was contained in Rozelle's annual drug-use memo sent to all NFL training camps.

But the discipline was not specified in the 15-page document and league officials sought to play down the change.

"Last year, we tested the players for anabolic steroids for the first time; this year we are again testing," NFL spokesman Joe Browne said Tuesday. "The difference this year is that we have told the players that they could face possible disciplinary action. However, I am not suggesting suspensions for testing positive for anabolic steroids at this time."

Doctors and other critics of steroids have long warned of the adverse side effects, including the long-term possibility of cancer, sterility and various other maladies or diseases.

The NCAA began a testing program two years ago that resulted in several football players, including All-American linebacker Brian Bosworth of Oklahoma, being barred from bowl games. Bosworth, who said he took steroids only once, now plays for the Seattle Seahawks.

Rozelle's first mention of steroids was in his 1987 message on prohibited drugs, which also mentioned cocaine, marijuana and amphetamines.

"The league no longer merely condemns the misuses of these substances," he said in last year's memo. "They are prohibited in any quantity for any purpose."

That phrase also was contained in this year's message.

But Rozelle went further this year, noting that detection of steroid use during a camp-opening drug test will subject the player to random testing for "reasonable cause," similar to that imposed on those who test positive for other substances.

If such a finding is made at training camp, Rozelle said, the player will be re-tested within four weeks. If that test turns up positive, he will then undergo a complete medical evaluation by the team physician and the NFL's drug advisor, Dr. Forrest Tennant.

"Each instance in which a second positive test for anabolic steroids is confirmed will be handled on a case-by-case basis," Rozelle wrote. "Involved players will be subject to appropriate discipline by the commissioner."

Pampa bowling roundup

Jack and Judy Edwards are the winners of last week's Moonlite Bowling at Harvester Lanes.

Others who placed were Butch Henderson-Mark Nolte, second; Greg Vanderlinden-Jeanne Gould, third; Noel Clemens-Bonnie Billiter, fourth, and John and Belinda Stafford, fifth.

The next Moonlite Bowling is scheduled for July 22, starting at 10 p.m.

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High Series:
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High Game:
Men — 1. Ted Vance, 254; 2. Stuart Riggs, 234; 3. (tie) Gary Storey and Vernon Tye, 224; Women — 1. Lorena Tye, 191; 2. (tie) Pat Vance and Tena Oates, 184.

Public Notice

The Miami I.S.D. will be accepting bids on the refurbishing of the school track. The deadline for all bids will be August 10, 1988 at 12 noon in the school administration office. Bid specifications are on file in school administration office. The opening of bids will be on August 11, 1988 at the regular board meeting. Additional information may be obtained by calling Miami I.S.D. at 806-868-3971 or 806-868-3981. This will be a sealed bid opening. The Board of Trustees reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.

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Large fires in Alaska forests fan little interest for residents

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) — Wildfires in northern Alaska have burned an area the size of Rhode Island and then some, but most people are oblivious to the blazes as the 49th state weathers its worst fire season in 10 years.

In far-reaching Alaska, 1,300 square miles of burned acreage is like a postage stamp on a parcel. Here stories of firefighting drama are rare; the terrain is flatter and less rocky, and the days longer, than in other wildfire states.

"We don't have snakes, we don't have darkness," said Bill Robertson, an Alaska Fire Service spokesman. "We have crews that go down to the Lower 48 and are amazed."

Fifty wildfires, one of them burning since April 16, continued to burn today in Alaska's interior. The Alaska Fire Service manned about one-third and monitored the others.

A similar outbreak in the Lower 48 would have fire managers scrambling to protect prime recreation lands and valuable timber. In fact, firefighters were working today to contain a 14,000-acre fire in Wyoming and had contained all but two of 15 fires that burned more than 20,000 acres in Colorado.

In Alaska, the fires have been blistering spindly black spruce and other trees with little commercial value.

Crews have worked to keep the fires away from a few scattered cabins and to control those that sent bothersome smoke into Fairbanks and other areas, in some cases obscuring the mountains that draw thousands of summer tourists to the state. Officials also have been concerned about smoke impairing the safety of pilots in aviation-happy Alaska.

But altogether, fire managers have taken a low-key approach to suppression. In some areas, wild-

life biologists are looking forward to the enhanced habitat they say moose, bears and other animals will gain because the burned areas yield new vegetation.

"Our research shows that most wildlife moves away from fire, so they aren't usually threatened by it," said Fred Deines, fire management officer for the Yukon Flats National Wildlife Refuge. "Ultimately, the refuge has better habitat to support the wildlife when the fire burns out."

Only a few of the fires on the Yukon Flats refuge have been manned.

"The majority of fires burn with no problem and no action is required," Deines said. Authorities had no estimate on how long the wildfires would continue to burn.

In cases where fire managers did decide to act, most of the firefighters dispatched were from Alaska, many of them native villagers who were trained together and work in crews of 16.

"They aren't bringing too many people up from outside," said Bill Rockwell, a fire information officer at the Alaska Fire Center in Fairbanks. "It hasn't gotten to that point yet."

The largest Alaska fire is a 225,000-acre blaze 60 miles north of Fairbanks. That fire moved toward the trans-Alaska oil pipeline but was stopped about 12 miles from it. The pipeline is covered with heavy-gauge metal and was not threatened by the fire, Alyeska Pipeline Service Co. said.

Crews working on that and other fires get by on C-rations supplemented by fresh food dropped to them every four days, Robertson said. In other states, caterers often provide hot meals and portable showers at fire camps. But the remoteness of the Alaska sites makes that difficult.

Welcome, Mike!



Costas Stefanou, mayor of Pelopi on the Greek island of Mytilene (also known as Lesbos), makes a victory sign for U.S. presidential hopeful Michael Dukakis, whose family

hails from the island. The 640 villagers expect Dukakis to be the next president and some hope to attend his inauguration.

Iran, Iraq exchanging charges as cease-fire negotiations under way

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Iran said it would respect an immediate truce in the eight-year Persian Gulf war, but Iraq accused Tehran of a "two-faced" ploy to win time for surprise attacks and said it would fight on.

Even so, Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar was making progress in talks with Iran and Iraq's U.N. envoys in his quest to negotiate a cease-fire in a week to 10 days, Britain's U.N. ambassador, Sir Crispin Tickell, said Tuesday. He did not elaborate.

Iran on Monday declared after a year's delay that it unconditionally accepts Security Council Resolution 598, which demands an immediate truce and troop withdrawal and sets out a peace plan to end the war.

Iraq said last year that it would accept the resolution, but on Tuesday raided a nuclear power plant and other Iranian industrial targets. Iraq accused the Baghdad government of sabotaging peace efforts.

Perez de Cuellar's spokesman, Francois Giuliani, said the secretary-general believes "the continuation of hostilities is a clear sign that the cease-fire must come into place as soon as possible."

The Peruvian met separately Tuesday with Iraq's ambassador, Ismat Ismat T. Kittani, and Iranian Ambassador Mohammad Ja'afar Mahallati.

In a letter, Mahallati urged the Security Council to condemn Tuesday's Iraqi attacks, saying the action "defiantly mocks all

efforts for attainment of a peaceful end to the conflict."

He said he told the U.N. chief "that in the view of the authorities of Iran, the secretary-general... has a totally free hand to declare D-Day at this very moment, which means starting implementation of Resolution 598."

D-Day is the day on which a cease-fire would begin. It would be set by the secretary-general after consultations with both sides.

But Foreign Minister Tariq Aziz of Iraq, speaking in Baghdad, called Iran's decision to accept the resolution "two-faced" and "aimed at winning time to launch surprise offensives" in the war.

"We will consider the war to be still going on until the actual application of the cease-fire according to an agreed-upon plan," he said. "We have to make sure the Iraqis really want a comprehensive and lasting peace."

He said that until Iran takes tangible steps toward peace and demonstrates its sincerity, "it is logical to act as if the war is still going on."

A senior Middle East diplomat, speaking on condition of anonymity, said: "Iraq is not interested in a simple cease-fire. Iraq is interested in a comprehensive settlement and Iran must specifically state and prove its willingness for more than a truce."

Since April, Iraq has scored a series of battlefield victories that have regained just about all the territory Iran captured from it since 1982.

Cuban offer to leave Angola intrigues U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. officials say they are intrigued by a sudden interest shown by Cuban authorities in reaching an agreement on the withdrawal of the almost 50,000 Cuban troops from Angola.

This was one of several signs that emerged from a meeting last week which have given the administration fresh hope that an agreement leading to the withdrawal of all foreign forces from southwestern Africa may be possible.

At the meeting in New York, officials from South Africa, Cuba and Angola signed a tentative agreement on a statement of principles that would govern future negotiations for comprehensive troop withdrawals.

Barring an unexpected snag, the three governments were expected to announce final approval of the statement today and make it public.

The United States is serving as a mediator in the talks, which began in early May. For the past seven years, the Reagan administration has attempted to find a formula that would lead to both a Cuban troop withdrawal from Angola and independence and black majority rule for Namibia, a colony of South Africa.

The Cubans have added up to 15,000 troops to their military presence in Angola since last fall but at the same time have shown a much greater willingness to work out an agreement on a total withdrawal, said the officials, insisting on anonymity.

Among South Africa's many foreign critics, few have been

more outspoken than Cuba but the tone of last week's meeting indicated a strong desire for a settlement, the officials said.

"The Cubans are saying to South Africans, 'it's not a question of victory and defeat, it's a question of building peace,' and South Africa is saying, 'we agree with you,'" one senior official said. "The Angolans agreed with them both."

Cuban troops initially were sent to Angola in 1975 to protect the fledgling Marxist government there against South African military incursions. South African troops are continuing to support an American-backed rebel group in Angola and years of U.S. effort to promote a settlement foundered until last week. In the process, the Angolan economy has declined steadily and there has been considerable loss of life.

The officials are uncertain as to why Cuba now seems more agreeable to withdrawing its forces. One possible explanation is pressure from the Soviet Union, which earlier this year agreed to withdraw its forces from Afghanistan and yields substantial influence over Cuba and Angola, two of Moscow's closest allies and largest aid recipients. The official said Cuba "is either negotiating seriously or making an effort to create that impression."

He added that if Cuba agrees to withdraw its troops from Angola in return for a similar move by South Africa and a commitment by Pretoria to decolonize Namibia, the Cubans "could go home with their heads held high."

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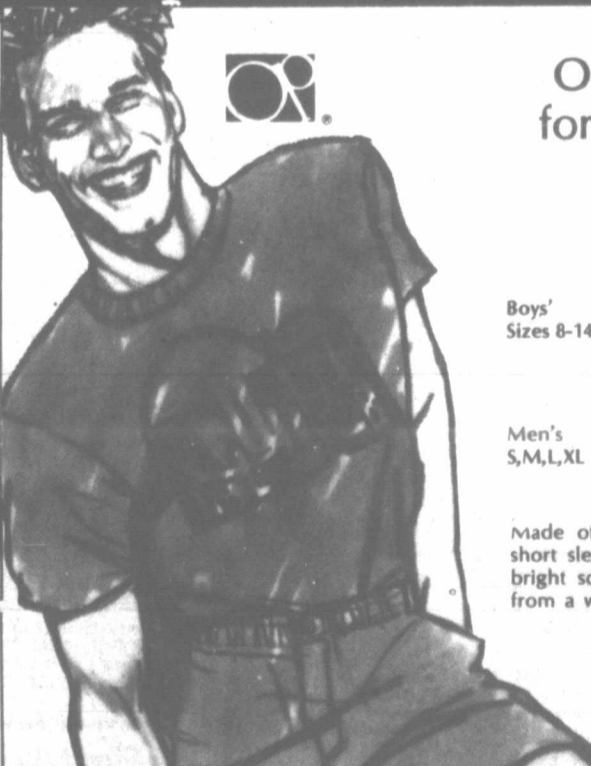
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