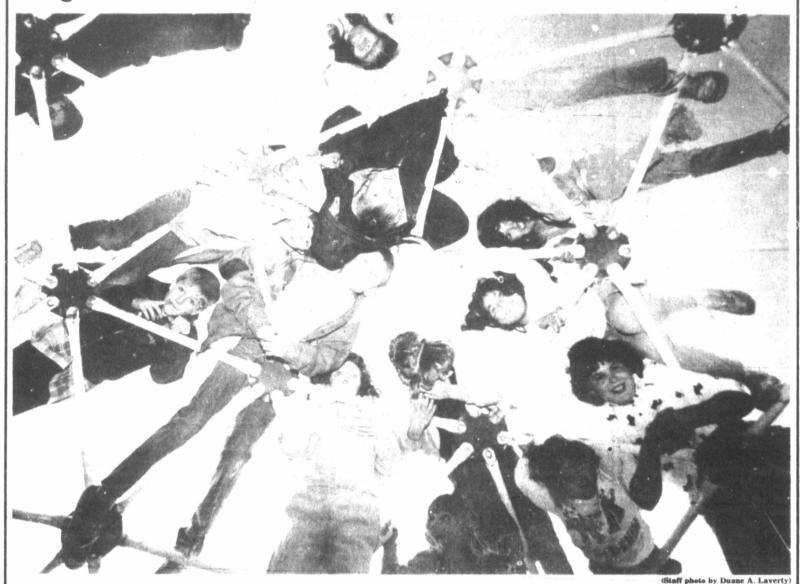


Jungle Jims ... and Janes



Latch Key students at Wilson Elementary School enjoy one of the recent mild afternoons by climbing on the jungle gym in the school playground while waiting for their rides home after school

revenue shortfall 'exas faces

AUSTIN (AP) — Despite State Comptroller Bob Bullock's upbeat economic forecast, state lawmakers will face a \$1 billion revenue shortfall to maintain the current level of state services. according to budget leaders.

And that \$! billion shortfall could easily balloon to \$2 billion, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby said Monday.

Actually, I think a more

poor school districts, which are unable to raise as much money to educate students as wealthier districts

But neither Hobby nor House Speaker Gib Lewis, D-Fort Worth, would say whether a tax increase would be needed to bridge the revenue gap.

"Nobody can really answer that question right now," said forced to do it," Lewis added, referring to federal court orders to improve prisons and mental health-mental retardation facilities

In 1987, the Legislature passed and Gov. Bill Clements signed into law a record \$5.7 billion tax bill.

Figures from the Legislative Budget Board staff dampened last week's revenue estimate by Comptroller Bullock, who noted a statewide economic recovery that would result in \$1.6 billion more in state revenue than during the current budget period. But even with the additional

\$1.6 billion, lawmakers will face a \$1 billion shortfall to fund a twoyear-state budget recommended by the LBB staff. The regular legislative session begins Jan. 10.

The LBB staff budget maintains the current level of spending, plus additional funds to cover the costs of increased student enrollment and prison construction. The staff budget does not take into account any pay increase for state employees, nor inflation, except in some human service areas

Gorbachev heads to New York for summit meeting

By MARK J. PORUBCANSKY **Associated Press Writer**

MOSCOW (AP) — President Mikhail S. Gorbachev left today for New York, where he is expected to put a moderate face on Soviet foreign policy and show himself eager to achieve progress with the new U.S. administration on arms control and a host of other pressing issues

With his wife Raisa, the Soviet leader walked across the tarmac at Moscow's Vnukovo 2 airport to his official jet on a gray, slushy day

They waved to Politburo members and other officials who accompanied them to the plane, then disappeared inside.

Gorbachev was being accompanied to New York by top foreign policy advisers Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze and Politburo member Alexander N. Yakovlev, and by Deputy Premier Vladimir Kamentsev, according to the official Tass news agency

On Wednesday, the Soviet leader addresses the United Nations and meets with President Reagan and President-elect Bush. After a day of sightseeing in Manhattan, he then travels to Cuba and Great Britain.

In a dispatch by a diplomatic correspondent distributed shortly after Gorbachev's departure, Tass said Gorbachev intends to discuss the entire range of U.S.-Soviet issues with Reagan and Bush.

"The Soviet leadership intends to talk about important substantive matters concerning real political cooperation between the two countries on the broadest range of problems, including the state of affairs and prospects for further headway in the fields of arms limitation and reduction, human rights, a settlement of regional conflicts, and the development of

mistic note, saying four summits between Gorbachev and Reagan leading to a treaty signed a year ago eliminating medium and shorter-range nuclear missiles had built a "strong and solid" foundation for U.S.-Soviet relations.

It said there certainly would be future problems, but expressed confidence the two sides could work through them.

"It is perfectly natural that the new administration will need some time to get its bearings in the complexity of domestic and international problems. But it is very important now to drag out this period. Marking time in international affairs, especially in the domain of arms limitation and reduction, is tantamount not only to loss of time, but to backsliding," Tass said.

In New York, Soviet officials would not release details of Gorbachev's schedule, but said he wanted "to take as many bites as possible out of the Big Apple."

Andrei Grachev, an official of the Communist Party Central Committee's Ideology Department, said the schedule would be a "Christmas surprise."

But New York police said Gorbachev and his wife, Raisa, would visit the Observation Deck of the World Trade Center on Wednesday and drive past the Stock Exchange and through the Broadway area.

Opening a Soviet export show, viewing European paintings at the Metropolitan Museum of Art and visiting Central Park were on the schedule Thursday.

Police said Mrs. Gorbachev might also visit a department store Wednesday.

During his trip, the Soviet leader will try to end Soviet Union's 'enemy image'' because the Kremlin needs to divert resources from the military and foreign aid to solve stubborn internal problems, Soviet sources in Moscow said. Gorbachev will also try to persuade Fidel Castro in Cuba, the costly Soviet client where he is to arrive Friday, that it is time to de-emphasize his penchant for revolutions, the sources said. Western diplomats in Moscow say the Soviet Union does not have the resources to continue spending at its current rate on its own military and on aid to client countries such as Cuba.

realistic figure would be \$2 billion when you take into account public school financing." he said.

A state district court judge ruled Texas' school finance system is unconstitutional because it discriminates against students in

Owners of the City Limits Club

in Pampa have joined forces with

the United States Marine Corps

Reserve for a local Toys for Tots

campaign to gather presents for

Jeanie Ritchie, co-owner of

City Limits, said the idea came

about out of concern that more

purchase toys. In addition to

cash, Ritchie said they are hop-

ing people will donate new toys or

used toys that are in good repair.

Donations of toys can be made

at City Limits, 1300 S. Barnes;

KGRO/KOMX radio stations.

Ambulance, 1002 N. Hobart St.

1701 N. Banks; or Rural/Metro

this. We have jars out, so if you do

not have toys you can go to Dan-

ny's Market, Wayne's Western

'We are very happy to be doing

needy children in the area.

By BEAR MILLS

Staff Writer

Ritchie said.

Hobby "At this point, the attitude of the Legislature is not to pass

another tax bill," said Lewis. "That's not saying three months from now some situations may exist where we may be

Wear, The Music Shoppe, Bobbie

tribution," said Joan Bittick.

drop stations, here at the station.

City Limits and the ambulance

service. We have to get toys for

the kids at Christmas. It just

wouldn't be right if we didn't,"

'For the toys we have three

office manager at KGRO.

Toys for Tots program

Lewis said Bullock's revenue estimate may have been misread by many

with Jeanie Ritchie. She has

raised thousands of dollars for

multiple sclerosis, and we're

glad to have her putting her

get under way

bilateral relations

It said Gorbachey's decision to address the United Nations was a sign of Soviet regard for the world body as an "indispensable mechanism in the quest for a peaceful solution to international issues, for resolution of crisis situations, and for settlement of other global problems.

In several reports Monday, official media emphasized the new style of Soviet diplomacy and the need for speedy progress on arms control issues when Bush takes office in January.

Tass said Monday that New York is expected to become a 'horn-honking urban paralysis' of Americans seeking to get a glimpse of the Soviet leader as thousands of Christmas shoppers

In a front-page report from New York, the government newspaper Izvestia pointedly told its readers that Gorbachev's behavior at the U.N. will differ markedly from Nikita S. Khrushchev's shoe-thumping in 1960. Izvestia, without naming

Khrushchev, recalled "how our leader looked then in the hall of the General Assembly, how he jumped up from place, trying to interrupt speakers he didn't like, pounded his fist on the table (and

progress on arms control that



pack the streets.

not only his fist).

But it was the need for more Tass stressed. It sounded an opti- Gorbachev

could be done for area children. Bittick said. Ritchie said that local mer-We passed the hat one night with Toys for Tots can contact Ritchie or Dina Davis at 665-7510. chants including Alco and Dunand ended up raising over \$300,' Sgt. Bill Davis, USMClap's had been especially helpful Through Monday the local Reserve, said the Toys for Tots to provide merchandise disdrive had collected over \$700 to counts for Toys for Tots.

According to organizers of the local Toys for Tots drive, applica tion by parents to receive the toys for their children may be made through Good Samaritan Christian Services, Tralee Crisis Center. Department of Human Services, Department of Health, Red Cross or Panhandle Community Services. Ritchie said applicants at PCS would need to speak to Janice Strate for more information

No applications may be made J's or Rheams Diamond Shop at the City Limits, radio station downtown to make a cash conor ambulance service.

to

'We need additional volunteers to help us gift wrap and deliver the presents," Ritchie said. 'We can always use more cash or toys that are in good repair as well. We want to make this a nice Christmas for a lot of little children.

Those wishing to volunteer help drive began as a local effort in Los Angeles in 1947.

"Since that time the Marine Corps reserve units around the nation have carried that tradition on. There has been a Marine Reserve unit in Amarillo since 1951 and we've been doing Toys for Tots all that time," Davis said.

He commended Ritchie and local Toys for Tots participants for responding to a need in Pampa.

'We're pleased to be working

efforts toward Toys for Tots as well," he said. Toys and cash will be collected through Tuesday, Dec. 20. Distribution of the toys is scheduled for Friday and Saturday, Dec. 23 and 24. MA'AM, IN KEEPING WITH



19 shopping days to Christmas

Bush to appoint Texas oilman as secretary of commerce

By CHRISTOPHER CONNELL **Associated Press Writer**

WASHINGTON (AP) - President-elect George Bush will name Texas oilman Robert Mosbacher as secretary of commerce and Carla Hills, a former secretary of housing and urban development, as his special trade representative, Bush transition sources said today

Bush planned to make the announcements later in the day, said the sources, who spoke only on the condition of anonymity

Mosbacher, 61, is a longtime friend of the vice president's and was national finance chairman of his presidential campaign.

Hills, the first woman the president-elect has selected for a major slot in his administration, was HUD secretary for Gerald Ford.

Although trade representative was not originally a Cabinet-level post, President Reagan gave it that status in his administration

The two officials will oversee the nation's trade policy. The office of U.S. Trade Representative negotiates trade agreements and the secretary of commerce enforces them and seeks to expand markets for U.S. goods.

Bush told Cabinet veteran Elizabeth Dole today that he would like her to participate in the new administration but no job commitments were made, an aide said.

Mrs. Dole, a former transporation secretary, and Bush spent about 45 minutes together over breakfast, according Steve Hart, Bush's spokesman. The wife of Senate minority leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., avoided reporters after emerging from the Old Executive Office Building.

Bush met Monday with 10 university presidents led by Benno Schmidt Jr., president of Bush's alma mater. Yale.

'We recognize that we have a friend of education in the White House. We're excited and grateful for that," Schmidt told Bush. The academic leaders, including presi-

dents from Cornell, the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and the universities of California, Michigan, Tennessee, and Texas at Austin, said they stressed the federal role in ensuring access to higher education and the need to support scientific research on campuses. They also expressed concern about the nation's shortage of scientists and engineers

Schmidt said Bush, in turn, "stressed the limits on federal resources and the need to make hard choices about the federal budget to bring the deficit "nder control.'

Bush's personnel chief, Chase Untermeyer, said last week that the presidentelect had repeatedly instructed aides to find more women and minority candidates for top posts.

Mrs. Dole, a Harvard-trained lawyer from Salisbury, N.C., quit Reagan's Cabinet in late 1987 to campaign full-time for her husband in his failed attempt to gain the GOP presidential nomination.



Bush, second from left, opens meeting with universi ty presidents Monday.

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Services tomorrow

SUTTON, Lillie Mae - 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel. HILL, J.M. - 2:30 p.m., First Baptist Church, Alanreed.

Obituaries

DONNIE JEAN ÅLEXANDER

AMARILLO - Graveside services for Donnie Jean Alexander, 57, mother of a Pampa man, were to be at 2 p.m. today at Memorial Park Cemetery in Amarillo, with Glen Walton, minister of North Amarillo Church of Christ, officiating.

Arrangements are by Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Directors of Amarillo.

Mrs. Alexander died Saturday.

She was born Oct. 19, 1931 in Lockney. She was married to B.L. Alexander in 1948 at Amarillo.

Survivors include her husband, B.L., of the home; two daughters, Barbara Gail Belter and Tammy Jo Judd, both of Amarillo; two sons, Billy Wayne Alexander of Pampa and Larry Warren Alexander of Amarillo; three sisters, Dorothy Endsley of Colorado Springs, Colo.; Doris Reed of Anaheim, Calif., and Patricia Bosarte of Albuquerque, N.M.; and seven grandchildren.

LILLIE MAE SUTTON

Lillie Mae Sutton, 79, died Monday in Amarillo. Services are to be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Howard Whiteley, pastor of Pampa Chapel of Apostolic Faith, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery.

Born Aug. 2, 1909 in Nebo, Okla., Mrs. Sutton was a resident of Pampa for the past 28 years. She is the widow of Chesley P. Sutton, who died in November 1977. She was a member of the Church of Christ in Waldo, Ark. She was a member of Pampa Senior Citizens Center

Survivors include three daughters, Nellie Graves and Linnie Mae Schneider, both of Pampa, and Jean Dennis of Phoenix, Ariz.; one son, J.C. Sutton of Pampa; six grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

MITTIE M. McDOWELL

Mittie M. McDowell, 84, died today. Graveside services are to be at 10 a.m. Thursday in Fairview Cemetery with the Rev. Jerry Jenkins, pastor of Hi-Land Christian Church, officiating. Arrangements are by Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. McDowell was a resident of Pampa for 44 years. She married John Curtis McDowell in 1923 in Wichita County. He died in 1960. She was a member of Hi-Land Christian Church. She was preceded in death by one daughter. Vera McDonald. in 1981

Survivors include three daughters, Odessa East of Pampa, Bertie Endsley of Dallas and Hilma McCracken of Electra; two sons, J.C. McDowell of Pampa and Raymond McDowell of Houston; 13 grandchildren and 10 greatgrandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to the American Heart Foundation.

Stock market

The following grain quotations are	Агсо
provided by Wheeler-Evans of	Cabot
Pampa	Chevron
Wheat 3.50	New Atmos
Milo 3.95	
Corn 4.50	Halliburton
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could have been traded at the time of	
compilation	KNE
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Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions Sheila Byard, Cana- dian Belinda Collier, Pampa Megan Keller, Borger Edna Morris, Pampa Willia m Nidiffer, Clarendon Vicki Reneau, Borger Isa Saltzman, Pampa Virgil White, Borger Bonnie White, Pampa Virgil White, Borger Bonnie Willingham, Shamrock Births To Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burton of Pampa, a boy. To Mr. and Mrs. Tra- vis Marcum of Pampa, a	Evangelina Carrasco, Borger Oswald Ernst, Pampa Jeanne Gould, Pampa Shirley Haines, Pampa Atha Menefee, Pampa Nita Stover and baby girl, Skellytown Jess Subia, Pampa Pauline Sutton, Wheeler Eleanor Tyndall, Pampa SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions None Births To Mr. and Mrs. Ray Blackshear of Sham- rock, a boy. Dismissals Becky Morgan, Sham- rock
girl.	Tom Smith, Wheeler
Dismissals	Floy Caperton, Sham-
Gladys Smith (ex-	rock
tended care), Pampa	Dee Liston, Texola,
Melinda Bell, Pampa	Okla.

Melinda Bell, Pampa Lynn Byrd, Clarendon S.Q. Scott, Shamrock

Police report

The Pampa Police Department responded to the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today

MONDAY. Dec. 5

Freda Henderson, 1207 E. Francis, reported a theft at the residence.

Denise Hampton, 1401 N. Russell, reported criminal mischief at the residence.

Culberson Renting-Leasing, 805 N. Hobart, reported theft of services at the business

The city of Pampa reported a theft at 519 Rose. **TUESDAY**, Dec. 6

Builder's Plumbing Supply, 535 S. Cuyler, reported a burglary at the business.

Arrests

MONDAY, Dec. 5 Richard Bunton Palmer, 25, 500 Nadia, was arrested in the 300 block of North Faulkner on warrants and on a charge of speeding.

Minor accidents

ity, but it's equally critical that it be done right," Marquez said, The Pampa Police Department reported the adding that the Energy Departfollowing minor accidents during the 24-hour ment has not set a specific scheperiod ending at 7 a.m. today. dule for reopening. MONDAY, Dec. 5

12:40 p.m. – A 1984 GMC truck driven by Maria Rubio, 5161/2 S. Barnes, collided with a 1981 Buick Skylark driven by Fred Helms, 832 E. Scott, in the 200 block of South Starkweather. No injuries were reported. Rubio was cited for backing when unsafe and failure to change address on driver's license.

Fire report

dn¹/4 up¹/8 NC dn¹/8 dn¹/8 dn¹/8 dn¹/8 dn¹/8 The Pampa Fire Department reported no fires during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Perez to ask Labor to reconsider forming coalition with Likud bloc Peres' position has been more ambiguous. He

JERUSALEM (AP) - Foreign Minister Shimon Peres said today he would ask his left-leaning Labor Party to reverse itself and permit talks with the right-wing Likud bloc on forming another coalition government

Peres made the announcement after meeting with President Chaim Herzog, a veteran Labor lawmaker who has urged Labor and Likud to form a joint government.

The two parties have governed in an uneasy coalition since 1984.

"I was very impressed by what the president had to say," Peres said. "I told him I will propose to convene the (party's) Central Committee this week. I will recommend to the committee to meet the request of the president."

The Labor Party's 110-member Executive Bureau last week voted against negotiating with Likud. The 1,200-member Central Committee has the authority to overrule the Executive Bureau. The issue has deeply divided the Labor Party

and renewed the longstanding rivalry between Peres and the party's No. 2 leader, Defense Minister Yitzhak Rabin

Rabin, who would likely remain defense minister in a coalition government, has backed talks with Likud.

tion was halted in October follow-

ing a safety violation, a federal

Rockwell International Corp.,

operator of the plant 16 miles

northwest of Denver, has been

cleaning up radioactivity at the

plant and devising a startup plan,

Rich Marquez, an Energy De-

partment spokesman in Albu-

Federal officials hope Rock-

The Energy Department then

would review the plan, suggest

modifications and inspect the

plant, Marquez said, adding that

the plutonium processing could

Flats plutonium processing

The DOE shut down the Rocky

"It's critical to reopen the facil-

resume by the end of January.

City briefs

building on Oct. 8.

till 8. Adv.

well will complete its plan by

querque, N.M., said Monday.

mid-January, Marquez said.

energy official said.

The plant was shut down fol-WASHINGTON (AP) --- Plutonium processing may be restarted by late January at the **Rocky Flats nuclear weapons** plant in Colorado, where produc-

> cials said. wearing protective clothing and masks, but officials said the inspector and two Rockwell employees were not because a warning sign was blocked from view.

> threatening, federal officials said

CANADIAN - Hemphill County sheriff's officials today continued their investigation into the drowning of a Canadian man in a fracturing tank on an oil lease northeast of Canadian near Glazier late Monday.

Details of the accident were sketchy at press time today, but Hemphill County Sheriff Billy Bowen identified the drowning victim as Randall Tucker, an employee of Mobile Corporation.

ADDINGTON'S THE Wrangler **CLOSE OUT** Sale on store base-**PRCA ProRodeo dealer. Mens** ment merchandise. Drastic recolored cowboy cuts in new colors duction off sale price. Michelle's, for Christmas. Wrangler shirts Downtown Pampa. Adv. INSTRUMENTAL CHRISTMAS too. Open till 7 nightly. Thursdays music on cassette at Rolanda's. **MUSIC SHOPPE** has collector's

Traditional favorites featuring gift items on C.D., L.P. and cas-Acoustic guitar, harp, flute, piano sette tape. Accessories, plus Mall. Adv. many other gift certificates avail-

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or synthesizer. Rolanda's, Pampa

Supply is now carrying teaching supplies. You are cordially invited to an Open House on Thursday, December 8 from 4-8 p.m. 111 W. Kingsmill. Pampa, Tx. Adv. **REVERAND AND Mrs. Steve Ro**gers, Rachel and Reid announce the birth of Rustin Steve, born November 8, 1988. Grandparents and Mrs Jame R.R. Erie, Ks. Mr. C.E. Rogers and Francis Watson, Lubbock Tx. GAVEL CLUB Christmas Party, Thursday, December 8, 6:30 p.m. Top O Texas Chapter Hall. WINNER OF the Gold Star 4H Booster Christmas Tree is Pam Walton. Adv.

BREEZY

a broad-based coalition headed by his party. But he simultaneously has been working on forming a narrow coalition, especially since the rebuff from Labor. Two of the religious parties - the Torah Flag and Agudat Israel - today accused Likud of de-

was actively involved in trying to form a narrow

Labor-led government, but when he failed, he

In Nov. 1 elections, Likud won 40 seats in the

120-member Knesset, or parliament, and Labor

won 39. The remaining seats were won by 13 small

factions, including four religious parties that com-

mand 18 seats and provide the balance of power.

Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir of Likud favors

appeared to move toward talks with Likud.

ceiving them in coalition talks. Rabbi Menahem Porusch of Agudat Israel and Rabbi Avraham Ravitz of Torah Flag said Likud promised each party control over the Education Ministry's ultra-Orthodox department. They made the allegations during a debate on Israel radio.

Peres criticized Shamir for allegedly making too many concessions to his potential coalition partners, especially the religious parties, which are pushing for far-reaching religious legislation.

Marquez said Rockwell has

In the past few months, nuclear

weapons production has ground

to a virtual halt following shut-

down of the Rocky Flats pluto-

nium facility, the closure of three

reactors at the Savannah River

complex near Aiken, S.C., and a

strike that has shut down the

Feed Materials Production Cen-

ter in Fernald, Ohio, since Oct.

Plutonium plant may reopen soon at the time.

lowing a Sept. 29 incident in been cleaning up the facility, which an Energy Department inmeasuring the level of radiation spector and two Rockwell emin the building, and working on ployees entered a room where any needed procedural modificaworkers were cleaning up tions as part of its reopening plan. radioactive contamination, offi-

The workers in the room were Two of them tested positive for contamination, but the situation was not viewed as life-

Canadian man drowns

Sheriff Bowen said early today that his deputies, Joe Stewart and Billy McMinn, were at the scene investigating the cause of the accident.

forecast for 8 A.M., Wednesday, December 7

CLOUDY

IOWERS

17.

Bowen theorized that Tucker had possibly slipped and fallen into the tank or possibly had fallen into the tank after he was overcome by fumes.

Funeral services for Tucker are pending with Richerson Funeral Home of Canadian.

TEACHERS TRI- City Office

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Serfco 33/4	
The following show the prices for	Mobil
which these mutual funds were bid at	Penney's
the time of compilation:	Phillips
Magellan	SBJ
Puritan 13.00	SPS.
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market quotations are furnished by	Texaco
Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa.	New York Gold
Amoco 74 NC	Silver



Due to incorrect information given to the Pampa Police Department, the address of Larry Reed was incorrectly listed in Monday's police report. The correct address should be 1100 Prairie Dr.

Mus hoppe, 2139 N. Hobart. Adv. BETTE'S WEEKLY Holiday Specials. Blouses 30% off. A great gift

idea. 708 N. Hobart. ADV ALL HOLIDAY merchandise and coat sale in progress. 20% off. Michelle's downtown Pampa. Adv.

FEATURING JAMES & Leander, nightly, Tuesday thru Saturday, 7:30-12 p.m. Club Biarritz. Adv.

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Warm

ness. Precipitation ending

elsewhere Friday night. Fair

or becoming fair most sections

Saturday. Panhandle: Lows

mid 20s to upper teens; highs

Stationary

THE LOFT, 201 N. Cuyler. Monday through Saturday, 9-3. 665-2129. Wednesday stew and cornbread, music 12-1. Thursday bean junk, Open till 8 p.m. Adv.

Highway projects under review

791/8 365/8 445/8 161/4 373/4 263/4 427/8 335/8 37 181/4 571/4

131/2 441/4 527/8 201/4 331/8 275/8 491/2 485/8

The Texas Highway Department will take a look at the possibility of upgrading two routes crisscrossing the state from north to south. The routes intersect in Abilene.

Local officials and civic groups from West Texas have asked the highway commission to upgrade existing two-lane roadways on the routes to four lanes. The commission, at its November meeting, directed the department to assess the feasibility of improving the routes

Better highway access from northwest Texas to the Gulf Coast has been the subject of several presentations to the commission by West Texans

The commission told the highway department to take a look at a route including parts of US 87, US 84, US 183, US 290, I-610 and I-45. Of the approximately 850 miles from Texline to Galveston. about 130 miles are two-lane highways

A portion of this route, from Texline to Lubbock, already is included in a study previously au-

thorized for US 87 from Texline to its junction with I-10 at Comfort.

The other new route to be studied extends along US 227 from north of Wichita Falls southward to US 83 and on to Brownsville. Of the approximately 755 miles in this route, 520 miles are two-lane roadways.

In other projects, the 1988 update to the 10-year Project Development Plan, which identifies and ranks billions of dollars worth of construction projects. won approval by the state highway commission at its November meeting

'This plan provides a blueprint for highway construction." said Raymond Stotzer Jr., the highway department's engineerdirector. "These are the profjects most likely to be built in the next decade." he said

The plan lists projects to expand the Interstate, primary, secondary and state road systems. A total of 2,102 projects, worth \$25.5 billion, were submitted for inclusion in the plan, most from the department's district offices

The projects were ranked according to various cost-benefit analyses. Of those projects, 1,286 worth \$16.1 billion — were 'selected''; 678, worth \$6.5 billion, were ranked as future candidates; and 138, worth \$2.9 billion, already authorized by the commission after requests from delegations, were also included.

'I think we've established a very fair system to get Texans cost-effective projects where they're most needed," Stotzer said.

The selected projects include new roads, added lanes and better interchanges. About \$1.6 billion worth should go to contract in a year or less; \$8.2 billion worth are authorized for acquisition of right-of-way and construction within about four years; and \$6.3 billion worth of projects have won approval for planning.

Other projects are authorized only for feasibility studies.

"Updating the PDP every two years gives us an opportunity to address changes taking place around the state," Stotzer said.

LOCAL FORECAST colder with a low of 25 and north winds at 5 to 15 mph. Wednesday, mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of rain mixed with snow. No sig-

pected. Low will be 42 with winds from the northeast at 10 to 20 mph. Monday's high was 65: the overnight low was 39.

West Texas --- Mostly cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Isolated showers Concho Valley tonight, widely scattered showers or thunderstorms Wednesday. Turning colder north tonight and most areas Wednesday. Lows tonight mid 20s Panhandle to mid 40s southeast. Highs Wednesday low 40s Panhandle to low 60s

North Texas - Mostly cloudy tonight. Lows in the low 40s northwest to low 50s south. Continued cloudy Wednesday with a chance of showers. Cooler northwest. Lows in the low 50s northwest to mid 60s southeast.

cloudy tonight with a slight chance of rain or drizzle. Mostly cloudy Wednesday with a chance of rain or showers. Turning cooler north late Wednesday. Lows tonight in the 50s with low 60s along the lower coast. Highs Wednesday 60s north and west to 70s east and south.

EXTENDED FORECAST Thursday through Saturday

West Texas - Cloudy and cold Thursday and Friday with a good chance of snow, except mainly rain Concho Valley and lower elevations of **Big Bend. Snow possibly** mixed with sleet or freezing rain. Precipitation ending Thursday night or early Friday South Plains and Panhandle with decreasing cloudi-

Weather focus

Partly cloudy tonight and nificant accumulations are ex-**REGIONAL FORECAST**

Big Bend.

30 to 35 Thursday, around 40 Friday, warming to 45 to 50 Saturday. South Plains: Lows upper 20s to around 20; highs mid to upper 30s Thursday, around 40 Friday, warming to around 50 Saturday. Permian Basin: Around 30 to the low 20s; highs mid 30s to around 40 Thursday and Friday, warm-South Texas - Mostly

ing to near 50 Saturday. Concho Valley: Lows low to mid 30s; highs from near 40 to the mid 40s Thursday and Friday, warming to the low 50s Saturday. Far West: Lows mid 30s to upper 20s; highs mid 30s to low 40s Thursday and Friday, warming to the upper 40s Saturday. Big Bend: Lows mid 30s to mid 20s mountains and

mid 30s to around 40 near the Rio Grande. Highs in the 30s mountains and 40s along the **Rio Grande Thursday and Fri**day, warming to the 40s mountains and 50s Rio Grande Saturday.

North Texas - Cloudy and colder with a chance of rain Thursday. Partly cloudy and cold Friday. Fair and warmer Saturday. Overnight lows in the mid 30s to low 40s Thurs-

day and in the 30s Friday and Saturday. Highs in the mid 40s to mid 50s Thursday, in the 40s Friday and warming into the 50s Saturday.

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South Texas - Cloudy with a chance of rain. Lows in the 40s and 50s except in the 30s Hill Country. Highs in the 50s and 60s except in the 70s extreme south. Friday, partly cloudy and cold. Lows in the 40s except in the 30s Hill Country. Highs mostly in the 50s. Saturday, partly cloudy and not as cold. Lows in the 40s. Highs in the 60s.

BORDER STATES

Oklahoma - Partly cloudy tonight. Low upper 20s Panhandle to around 40 southeast. Considerable cloudiness and colder Wednesday with a slight chance of light rain or snow northwest and light rain elsewhere. Highs mid 30s Panhandle to near 50 southeast.

New Mexico - Fair tonight. Wednesday breezy and colder statewide. Increasing clouds west with occasional snow **Continental Divide westward** by afternoon. Highs Wednesday will be in the 30s mountains and 40s lower elevations. Lows tonight will be in the teens mountains, 20s elsewhere to the low 30s southeast.

Tiger owner won't be prosecuted

ALVIN (AP) - Federal authorities say they will not prosecute an Alvin man who had his pet Suberian tiger, an animal protected : y the federal Endangered Species Act, put to death.

John Bush had the tiger, named Fony, put to death by a veterinarian, Nov. 28 after his neighbors complained to Brazoria County commissioners that the animal posed a threat.

The complaints were lodged afer the tiger broke out of a fence nd walked around the neighborood for a brief time, killing a eighbor's chicken.

The U.S. Department of Fish nd Wildlife decided to investiate the case because Siberian tiers are protected under the ederal Endangered Species Act.

"I'm not sure it would do any good to punish John Bush any more than he has punished himself," Fish and Wildlife special agent Doug Morris said.

Bush, 36, could have faced a misdemeanor charge punishable by up to a year in jail and a \$1,000 fine.

Bush said he had the tiger put to death by an Angleton veterinarian after becoming convinced that county commissioners would force him to relocate the animal

The cat had been kept for two years in a large back yard surrounded by chain-link fence.

"I don't have any sympathy for him because he kept the tiger in the back yard and made a pet out of it. I have sympathy for him because he was so attached to it," **Morris said**

Morris said the investigation into how Bush acquired the tiger continues. Bush would not say from whom he bought the tiger but has stated that it was a legal purchase.

While the purchase may have been legal, the sale could be a violation of federal law if the ti ger cub was transported across state lines to be sold, Morris said. Morris said the tiger has been

traced to the Dallas-Fort Worth area, but authorities have been unable to determine the animal's origin. The sale would have been legal if the tiger was born in Texas.

Fish and Wildlife officials also cleared the veterinarian.

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'Other woman' testifies in trial on minister's attacked wife

By MIKE COCHRAN **Associated Press Writer**

DALLAS (AP) - The "other woman" in the Walker Railey saga says she and the former Dallas minister were "serious" and "longterm" lovers, but insists the romance did not figure in the savage 1987 attack on Railey's wife.

Lucy Papillon, 46, a Dallas psychologist, testified Monday she and Railey discussed marriage and that he mentioned divorce, but she maintained the scenario did not include the attempted murder of Peggy Railey.

State District Judge John Whittington ended the unusual civil proceedings Monday evening by awarding Mrs. Railey's family \$16 million in actual and punitive damages from Railey.

It was a hollow and mostly symbolic victory, since Railey claims he's broke and maybe even jobless.

Railey, 41, the key figure in a drama featured this year on ABC's 20-20 program, did not attend the trial nor did he dispute the charges contained in the lawsuit.

At the same time, the nationally known minister has denied the near-fatal choking of his wife and has never been charged in the case

He claims he returned to the couple's custom-built Lake Highlands home shortly after midnight April 21, 1987, and found his wife near death on the garage floor.

Police and prosecutors have proof that Railey, then the senior pastor of the mainstream First United Methodist Church, lied about his activities that night but admit there is no evidence to link him to the attack.

He reportedly is living in San Francisco and the current status of his affair with Papillon is unknown despite rumors that the romance has cooled in recent months.

Papillon, the daughter of a former Methodist bishop, and once a member of Railey's flock, was not required Monday to testify about the relationship beyond April 1988.

But she confirmed the thrust of reports leaked last year from a grand jury appearance in which she was tied romantically to Railey long before and after the attack on Mrs. Railey

Responding to questions from plaintiff attorney Bill Arnold, the striking blonde witness said their affair began in June 1986 and that it accelerated in the months leading up to the springtime 1987 assault.

Arnold quoted liberally from a sworn deposition he took from Papillon last May but the witness replied mostly with a simple 'yes" or "no.

She said she frequently accompanied Railey on his travels, and once joined him for a rendezvous in London.

In the days immediately prior to the attack on Peggy Railey, she said, she visited Railey at the North Dallas Doubletree Inn three or four times. But she denied that the intensified affair led up to an attempt to dispose of Railey's wife.

She indicated Railey's relationship with his wife was functional at best and said rather obliquely, that until their extramarital affair, "He did not know what he did not have.

Arnold sought to show that a divorce would have jeopardized if not ended Railey's chances of becoming a bishop, the pinnacle of leadership in the Methhodist hiearchy.

Papillon said she could not respond to that. She conceded, however, that Railey was stressed out" when he came to her home the night of April 21. She said he was there from 7:30 until 8:45 when he told her he was returning to Southern Methodist University to resume his studies at the campus libraries.

Investigators maintain an intruder using a wire or cord attacked Mrs. Railey sometime between 8:30 and 11 p.m.

After the attack on Mrs. Railey, Papillon said she saw Railey three times at the hospital where he was staying to be near his wife,

then informed him she was flying to San Francisco to see another man.

"That wasn't true, but I told him that," she said.

It was apparently two days later that Railey locked himself in his hospital suite. and attempted suicide with an overdose of prescription drugs.

While in San Francisco, she apparently, told FBI agents she was not romantically involved with Railey, but indicated she later told them the truth.

The lovers continued their affair after the suicide attempt and when Railey fled to San-Francisco in late 1987, she joined him there on several occasions.

They found an apartment near San Francisco Bay and shared the costs of furnishing it, Papillon said. But she later returned to Dallas to resume her psychotherapy practice

Asked Railey's whereabouts today, she replied: "I choose not to answer that.

At the close of Monday's proceedings, Judge Whittington ruled that Railey should pay roughly \$8 million for his wife's lost earnings, medical expenses, mental anguish and physical suffering and disfigurement.

He assessed an equal amount as punitive damages

"We were very pleased with the judge's verdict," said Arnold, who conceded that Railey's financial status seems hardly conducive to such a ruling.

"I don't know how much money he has or how much money he will have in the future but I'm going to do my very best to see that whatever it is goes to Peggy Railey's medical expenses.

Mrs. Railey, low 40, is in a Tyler nursing home in what doctors describe as a persistent vegetative state from which she is not expected to recover.

A physician testified that Peggy Railey will require an estimated \$4.3 million in medical treatment during the next 30 years.

Papillon, left, and her attorney, Robert Baskett, enter court Monday.

Billionaire gives \$ llion to medical school **Merit honorees**

search center at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center here will be built using some of the \$41 million donated to the school by a wealthy entrepeneur

Harold C. Simmons' pledge Monday, which will also be used for arthritis research, represents the largest single private commitment in the history of Texas higher education or medical research, officials said.

"I've got arthritis and I don't want to get cancer," Simmons said, chuckling as he explained why his money would be used for research in those areas.

'We couldn't possibly, this Christmas season, have a nicer gift," said Gov. Bill Clements, on hand for the pledge.

The pledge, which will be admi-New education board members face challenges

DALLAS (AP) — A cancer re- the Harold Simmons Foundation and related organizations, was announced by Clements, the school's president, Dr. Kern Wildenthal, and Jack Blanton, chairman of the UT System Board of Regents.

(AP Laserphoto)

The gift "underscores the great importance of biomedical research and other areas of high technology in our state." Clements said.

Simmons, 57, made his fortune with an investment in a small Dallas pharmacy and later created a 100-store chain that he sold in 1973 to Jack Eckerd Corp. His current business interests number more than 30 and give him combined assets of more than \$3 billion

Wildenthal said \$24 million will be used to establish a comprehensive cancer research center, innistered over a 20-year period by cluding the endowment of four search centers by other private

distinguished chairs, \$5 million for a building to house the cancer center and \$12 million to fund the Harold C. Simmons Arthritis Research Center for 15 years.

He has already given about \$7 million to the school, used to finance the school's arthritis research center since 1983.

The fact that I've had the experience with them on a smaller scale and I felt such great regard for their abilities here, that was a key factor in deciding to go forward," Simmons said. "The factors were the people I've worked with here and the confidence I have in them.

Simmons said school officials approached him about making the gift two months ago.

Wildenthal said Simmons' gift would likely lead to further funding of the cancer and arthritis re-

and public sources

The medical school received two other large gifts earlier this vear. Dallas billionaire Ross Perot gave \$20 million designated to train medical scientists and augment programs in biomedical research, and the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation donated 29 acres of land for expansion of the school's 60-acre main campus.

The 45-year-old institution consists of Southwestern Medical School, Southwestern Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences and Southwestern Allied Health Sciences School. About 2,400 students are enrolled.

'I have every confidence that UT Southwestern can take this small amount of money and do something that is worth much more." Simmons said.





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State Board of Education, which is taking the reins from the outgoing appointed board, met with members of the previous panel to talk about education issues that remain to be addressed in Texas.

Geraldine "Tincy" Miller of Dallas, a member of the old board who was elected to a spot on the new panel, said she hoped the Monday meeting would help give the board "a feeling of continuity, that we will continue to-

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"Oh, right. Thanks."

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In Florida the highway department plays a little

game called Baffle the Tourist. The rules are sim-

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tona Beach to Miami. Miss it and you have two

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AUSTIN (AP) — The elected ward academic excellence in Texas, and that we do not want to back off from our reforms and our intent but always (be) sensitive to all kids' needs and to the fact that we need to fine-tune and maybe modify certain areas as we go down the road.

Jon Brumley of Fort Worth, outgoing board chairman, told new members, "We've got high expectations for you and left you a lot to do

On the road again ... and again ...

By

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that?'

Off Beat

briefing session were student testing, the teacher career ladder, education planning and new investment authority over the state public school trust fund.

The new constitutional amendment expanding the board's investment powers regarding the \$8 billion Permanent School Fund is a big change. Fund earnings are spent on public education. Under the amendment allow-

ing for investment of the fund Among items discussed at the under the "prudent person" rule,

Brumley said, the board could invest in such ventures as real estate and oil and gas. The board previously was restricted to investment in stocks and bonds.

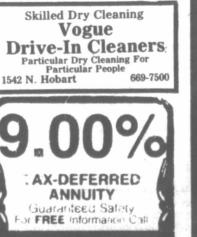
"You have a much broader responsibility, and it's not one that I would particularly like to have. I want to just tell you to be careful in that area," Brumley said. He warned members they may face legislative pressure to make certain investments.

William Hudson of Wichita Falls, an incoming board member, voiced displeasure at passage of the amendment, which also allows investment of 1 percent of the fund, and of other state trust funds, in a Texas Growth Fund

"I don't think the people of Texas understood the constitutional amendment the way it was written on the ballot," Hudson said

Hudson also criticized the amount of student testing that is done and complained that some officials appear to want to educate students for the state's benefit rather than for children's

"It seems to me that we're trying to push these children into high technology because of the economy of the state of Texas ... We're educating children to make Texas prosper," Hudson





Bill and Lenora Ripple hold the plaques naming them recipients of the District Award of Merit from the Santa Fel District of the Golden Spread Council of Boy Scouts of America. The Pampa couple were honored Saturday for their years of dedicated service to Scouting.



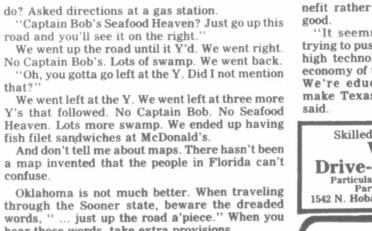
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confuse. Oklahoma is not much better. When traveling through the Sooner state, beware the dreaded words, " ... just up the road a'piece." When you

hear those words, take extra provisions. I was going to a high school football game in Oklahoma once and stopped for directions.

"Hicksville? You just go up the road a'piece to the blinking light. Go left."

I went up the road a'piece. I went through Kansas, Nebraska and South Dakota before turning back

"Just how far is that blinking light?"

"Not far. Just go up the road a'piece to about ... " "North Dakota?"

"Yea, but if you stay on this road, it'll take you right to it. And it's paved almost the whole way." I occasionally hear talk about Texas pulling out of the union. If if comes to a vote, I say yes. It's not nearly so embarrassing to get lost in America if you're not from there.

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Louise Fletcher Publisher

Larry D. Hollis Managing Editor

Opinion **Budget could use NATO** reductions

A series of highly critical reports from the Congressional General Accounting Office suffers from the unstated assumption that the central government should do just about anything anybody can dream up. Among the "staggering" costs the reports blandly assume will have to be met are \$50 billion to rescue failing savings and loans, \$20 billion to repair government housing, and \$130 billion to modernize nuclear-weapons plants.

We'd be better off letting savings and loans fend for themselves, turning ownership of government housing over to tenants for a dollar, and contracting with private-sector suppliers for whatever nuclear weapons we need - if we really need more.

The GAO did raise one issue, however, that deserves more serious consideration than it has received. "The rising costs of our worldwide commitments, in the absence of increased burden-sharing by our allies, may be simply unaffordable," said one report. The GAO notes that over the last 40 years the U.S. has entered into military commitments to 60 different countries. On any given day, about onethird of the people in the armed forces are deployed overseas.

The GAO estimates the cost of these overseas de-ployments at about \$30 billion a year, or around 10 percent of the annual U.S. military budget. But its accounting methods only count the most direct of direct costs, and so seriously understate the true costs of our overseas commitments. The debate today is whether NATO alone, for example, accounts for 42 percent of the entire U.S. military budget, as one private analyst contends, or 58 percent, as some **Defense Department analyses estimate**

Earl Ravenal, former Defense Department analyst now affiliated with the Cato Institute, says most of the costs of overseas commitments involve support units and Pentagon overhead. He divides the defense budget into two components, strategic and general purpose. He then attributes general purpose costs - \$241 billion in 1986 - to each specific command on the basis of the share of total active ground divisions allocated to each region. Using this method, NATO, in 1986, cost U.S. taxpayers \$134 bil-lion. East Asia and the Western Pacific cost \$42 billion. Other regions and the strategic reserve cost \$65 billion, more than \$50 billion of which was for the Persian Gulf. If they want to reduce federal deficits without harming U.S. defensive capabilities, the Bush men should read Melvyn Krauss's 1986 book, How NATO Weakens the West, absorb its lessons, then start withdrawing troops. The same general principles would lead to reducing commitments in East Asia and the Middle East.

Having cake and eating it too

Since Election Day, George Bush has been getting a lesson in the axiom that the only thing worse than not getting what you want is getting what you want. Being president is starting to look about as fun as being Mike Tyson's sparring partner.

The message from the press, politicians and Wall Street soothsayers is that unless Bush reneges on his main campaign promise -- "No new taxes" - his presidency will be a melancholy replay of Herbert Hoover's.

The Bush presidency is in danger of being undone before it is even a presidency. What is going on now is not a sincere effort by concerned experts to make the next president face economic reality. It's an attempt to disguise economic reality in order to advance ends that Bush doesn't share. It's a continuation of the presidential campaign by other means.

The conventional wisdom depicts the federal deficit as raging out of control, bleeding the economy, weakening the dollar and inviting a recession. Spending has been slashed to the bone and beyond, but revenues still aren't enough to pay the bills. So the only way to avert disaster is to raise taxes.

Anyone who's been paying attention will notice that the doomsday warnings about the deficit sound exactly like the warnings we've heard for the last six years - and which have been wrong time after time.

If the deficit had caused all the problems once predicted for it, we wouldn't have enjoyed six years of steady, non-inflationary economic growth. The dangers presented by the federal red ink have been wildly exaggerated.

But leave that aside for the moment. Whatever harm the deficit causes ought to be shrinking - simply because the deficit itself is shrinking. In 1983, it amounted to 6.3 percent of our nation-



al output; today it's less than half that amount. That may not be rapid enough progress, but progress it is.

One reason for the improvement is a healthy growth in revenues. You read that right: Despite the 1981 Reagan tax cuts (most of which have long since been repeales), the Treasury's income has been rising, not falling.

Since 1984, federal revenues have risen more than 20 percent faster than the inflation rate, and they are expected to keep climbing. "No tax increase in U.S. history," reports a study by Polyconomics, an economics consulting firm, 'has ever produced such a large and strong increase in real tax revenues.'

Over the next four years, federal tax receipts are expected to grow by an average of \$74 billion a year. What this means is that Bush can have exactly what everyone has been trying to deny him: a shrinking deficit and more money for new spending without a tax increase.

Getting control of the budget doesn't require squeezing taxpayers for more money. It only requires that spending not grow quite as fast as revenues.

Most of the people who are so appalled by the deficit have overlooked a quick, simple and

hardly painful solution: holding spending at its current level.

We are told that only heroic sacrifices can allow the federal government to meet the Gramm-Rudman target of \$100 billion in the next fiscal year. But a one-year spending freeze would slash that deficit to \$63 billion, meeting the target with lots to spare. Extending the freeze for a second year would put the budget into surplus - beating the existing schedule by two years.

A freeze may be more "austerity" than the public is willing to endure. But we can have our cake and eat it too. Thanks to rising revenues, the politicians in Washington can stick to the Gramm-Rudman target for next year and still spend \$37 billion more next year than they did this year.

Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan said that Bush's fiscal plans won't work. But it's obvious that, given continued economic growth, even modest budgetary restraint is enough to make a tax increase unnecessary.

The key is continued growth: A recession would quickly reverse the progress we've made against the deficit. And no one has more control over whether the economy suffers a recession than the chairman of the Federal Reserve.

The stock market's greatest fear is not that Bush and Congress won't reach an accord on the budget. It's that the Federal Reserve will strangle growth by tightening its monetary policy and forcing up interest rates.

Bush is going to find himself under continuing, intense pressure to cave in to higher taxes. But giving in will more likely raise the deficit than cut it, by stimulating Congress' natural urge to spend. The danger to Bush's success and the economy is not that he'll stick to what he's pledged, but that he won't.



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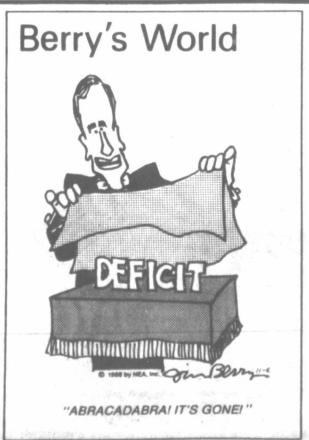
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nd it all began with Donahue

It all began with Phil Donahue, didn't it? He burst onto our television screens with hot guests, hot topics and live audiences of mostly women who apparently didn't have anything else to do but spend their mornings watching Phil interview everybody from red-headed, lefthanded lesbians, to a panel of experts discussing the fine art of toe sucking.

Then, things began to get out of hand, Suddenly there was big ol' plump Oprah Winfrey trying to out-Donahue Donahue.

Next came Geraldo Rivera — the guy with the busted nose — and then Sally Jessy Raphael, Morton Downey Jr., etc., and any day I expect a new show featuring host Charlie Manson and guests who have committed heinous crimes giving us the inside scoop on how they chopped their victims' heads off.

What has happened here is television has figured out what the National Enquirer learned years ago. That is, if it titillates, print it. Or, in this case, televise it.

So, a look at next week's schedule for the television tabloids:



- DONAHUE: Monday, homosexual goats. Tuesday, Jim and Tammy Bakker in the nude. Wednesday, female mud-wrestlers, bull riders, snake callers, bounty hunters and hog callers. Thursday, some hookers. Friday, the rock group Excessive Stomach Gas defend the controversial lyrics from their new hit "I Want to Make It With Tipper Gore.'

OPRAH WINFREY: Monday, children who won't stop eating mud. Tuesday, how to stop picking your nose. Wednesday, black chimney sweeps. Thursday, the New Hockey Puck Diet. Friday, God.

- GERALDO RIVERA: Monday, prostitu-

tion. Tuesday, beastiality. Wednesday, nec-rophilia. Thursday, sodomy. Friday, Gomorrah

MORTON DOWNEY JR.: Monday, Roy Innis, the Rev. Al Sharpton, Joe Frazier, Mr. T. three Ku Klux Klan grand dragons, a bunch of skinheads, a guy named Marty, who drives a tow truck, and Sean Penn.

Tuesday, any of Monday's guests who didn't wind up in the hospital. Wednesday, Mort beats up his entire audience. Thursday, Pat Buchanan and some whinny, bed-wetting liberals. Friday, various scum of the earth.

- SALLY JESSY RAPHAEL: Monday, Jack the Ripper. Tuesday, Alexander the Great. Wednesday, Ivan the Terrible. Thursday, Bozo the Clown. Friday, Francis, the talking mule.

- A CURRENT AFFAIR: Monday, unsolved mystery of the man who ate his cocker spaniel. Tuesday, unsolved sex crimes of the last days of the Roman Empire. Wednesday, unsolved crossword puzzles. Thursday, unsolved chainsaw massacres. Friday, Jimmy Hoffa. Stay tuned.

Don't take sides in those family spats!

By SARAH OVERSTREET

Someday I will learn: The quickest way to see a person elevated to sainthood is to agree with someone close to that person - a spouse, a parent, a brother or sister - who is lambasting said person.

Likewise, the quickest way to see oneself lowered to the status of a sneaky-eyed, snake-tongued sow is to agree with the person browbeating the other.

Example: Let a wife tearfully confide to you, her good girlfriend, the sorry way her husband has been treating her of late. "He puts on his suit and says he's going to the office, then the cleaning lady comes in to find him eating Cocoa Puffs and watching 'Silverado' for the 17th time! Then he doesn't bring any money home, and says it's because he spent his entire month preparing a case for some migrant workers who were killed in a bus wreck on the way to the orange grove the day before the trial."

So what do you do? What any trueblue girlfriend would do - you take her side. You think she wants sympathy, confirmation that she is wholly innocent, mistreated and taken for granted.

"Yeah, and then there was the time he cashed in the baby's birthday bond to take that waitress to Vegas, and you thought he was at the bar association convention!" you chime in, perhaps even working up some tears yourself by this time. "You deserve a lot better.

Suddenly the air turns cool. "Well, he is very good with the baby, a lot better than most men. Why, just last week he changed a diaper. You never did like Harry, did you?" You begin to feel like you were the one who took the waitress to Las Vegas, instead of poor, misunderstood Harry.

The same phenomenon happens with parents. "I just don't know where we've gone wrong with Gretchen,' your friend laments. "I told her she couldn't take her car to the all-night fraternity party, so she took her father's New Yorker and backed it into a Git-N-Go going after more beer. When her father went to the police station to pick her up, she told him it was all his fault for not sending her to gymnastics camp so she could have made cheerleader.

This is a subject one can really warm to, especially if one has no children oneself. "Oh, you poor dear. God knows you've done your best with that girl, and all she's given you is grief. Why, if we'd had the wardrobe you've bought that girl when we were that age, we'd have thought we were movie stars! And if we'd said something like that to our fathers, we'd still be trying to find a ride home from the police station."

It isn't too long after a statement like that, usually, until one wishes one could reach up into the air and pull the words back in:

"Well!" one is likely to hear retorted, "At least she's made the honor roll every semester, and wears a 'Drugfree, That's for Me' button on that wardrobe you're so critical of. Maybe

you'd rather she was doing some of the things you were doing back in high school in your mother's Fairlane.

What I always forget is that by agreeing with my friends' assessments of their significant others, I'm either (a.) pointing out what lousy judgment they showed in picking the jerk in the first place, or (b.) pointing out that, yes, indeed, they must have done something wrong somewhere to turn out a kid this spoiled.

In the case of siblings - i.e. the brother who can't hold a job and only phones when he needs money you're just pointing out a defective gene pool ... the same gene pool from whence sprang your friend.

As I said, someday I'll learn, but I expect a few more faux pas before I do. For the time being, I'm practicing a concerned-yet-non-committal gaze to use when my friends tear their loved ones apart.

Someday I'll remember to use it. C 1988 NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.

Nation 2 D. HARRIS Bakker, three former PTL aides indicted on fraud charges

By PAUL NOWELL **Associated Press Writer**

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CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) -Jim Bakker and a former top PTL aide defrauded 150,000 contributors and used more than \$4 million in contributions to the TV ministry to support extravagant lifestyles, an indictment charges.

Two other Bakker aides also were indicted for alleged tax evasion

Bakker and Richard Dortch, PTL's former senior executive vice president, used fraudulent means to sell lifetime partnerships in the ministry's theme. park, a federal grand jury said Monday after a 15-month investigation

Bakker, who founded the ministry in 1972 and built it into one of the nation's most popular evangelical enterprises, and Dortch are charged with eight counts of mail fraud, 15 counts of wire fraud and one count of conspiring to commit mail and wire fraud for using the mails, telephones and television.

If convicted of all the charges, Bakker, 48, and Dortch, 57, each could be sentenced to 120 years in prison and fined \$6 million.

Bakker's wife, Tammy, a target of the investigation, was not indicted.

Bakker left the ministry in March 1987 after admitting to a 1980 sexual encounter with church secretary Jessica Hahn. The indictment alleges that Dortch authorized a \$265,000 payment to Hahn to keep her quiet about the incident.

Bakker's attorneys, Jim Toms and Ryan Hovis, told reporters Monday that Bakker would not have a statement for several days.

"Certainly there's a degree of discouragement or regret that criminal charges were brought against Mr. Bakker," Toms said. 'But he's glad to know what he's facing, so he can prepare his defense.

Dortch told reporters in Clearwater, Fla., where he runs a ministry called Life Challenges, that he looked forward to being able "to tell my side of the story and to put this matter behind me and with God's help I know that I can face the future.

U.S. Attorney Thomas Ashcraft declined to comment, saying, "There has already been too much publicity on this

more.

station in Phoenix, told a news



Bakker's attorneys, Hovis (left) and Toms, talk with reporters about indictments.

already and we don't want any conference she is willing to testify in court, but otherwise wants Hahn, who works for a radio nothing to do with the case.

"I have lived with this for eight

years," she said. "I refuse to be a usually \$1,000. slave to this any longer."

Two months after Bakker left PTL, his Pentecostal denomination, the Assemblies of God, dismissed him and Dortch.

According to the indictment, the Bakkers received bonuses totaling \$3,465,000 from 1984 through 1987, and Dortch got bonuses totaling \$550,000 although they were aware PTL was in poor financial condition.

The Bakkers returned to the Charlotte area in June, mounting an unsuccessful attempt to buy PTL, which filed for bankruptcy reorganization three months after Bakker left the ministry.

A U.S. Bankruptcy Court has been trying to find a suitable buyer for PTL's 1,700 acres of undeveloped property, satellite television network and Heritage USA theme park in Fort Mill, S.C. just over the North Carolina line. The indictment said Bakker

and Dortch raised at least \$158 million from the lifetime partnerships sold to finance construction of a hotel at the theme park. PTL sold the partnerships from

1984 until spring 1987, promising free yearly lodging at the theme park in return for a one-time gift.

More than 152,000 partnerships were sold. The indictment said Bakker and Dortch oversold those partnerships, didn't tell partners ab-

out it and misled PTL board

members about the ministry's finances. Also indicted Monday were David Taggart, a former PTL vice president, and his brother, James, a former interior designer for PTL. They are accused of diverting more than \$1.1 million in PTL money for their own use, including \$55,000 in purchases from the Cartier jewelry store in New York, and not reporting the income to the Internal Revenue

Service. The maximum penalty for each count of mail fraud, wire fraud, conspiracy and tax evasion is five years in prison and a \$250,000 fine and five years.

On Nov. 10, the Bakkers and David Taggart were ordered by a federal judge in Columbia, S.C. to repay nearly \$7.7 million to PTL as restitution for excessive pay and benefits they received between 1984 and 1987.

The Bakkers were ordered to repay \$6.6 million of that.

Anderson cards

Supreme Court to hear case on excessive damage awards

By JAMES H. RUBIN Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP)

Businesses that are the target of lawsuits seeking big payoffs from "deep pockets" are getting a Supreme Court hearing in their challenge to multimillion-dollar punitive damage awards.

The justices said Monday they will decide whether such awards violate a constitutional ban against excessive fines.

A ruling, expected by July, could determine the future of a growing trend in U.S. courtrooms that has sparked legislative debate nationwide. At stake are huge sums of money awarded in a wide variety of lawsuits.

The high court, which failed in the past to resolve the question, will tackle the issue in an appeal by a Texas-based waste collection company ordered to pay \$6 million to a Vermont competitor.

A number of business groups. including the National Association of Manufacturers, say the situation is critical.

Because of their "deep pockets." manufacturers are bearing 'the brunt of a massive and dis-

to decide the constitutionality of very large punitive-damage awards. In that case, it upheld on narrow, procedural grounds a \$1.8 million judgment against an insurance company that wrong-

fully rejected a \$20,000 claim. Left unresolved was the legitimacy of skyrocketing punitivedamage awards, a development that has touched off a wave of legislative activity, often called 'tort reform.'

Some states, reacting to soaring insurance premiums and pleas from the industry, have imposed ceilings on punitive damages. A recent federal study cited

'explosive growth'' in damage awards. It said, for example, that the average jury award for medical malpractice leaped 2,000 percent from 1960 to 1984 - from \$52,000 to \$1.2 million with adjustment for inflation.

Jury awards in some productliability cases increased more than tenfold to average \$1.1 million, the study said.

The court will address the issue by reviewing a decision by the 2nd U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals

The high court in May declined do not think the (punitive) damages here were so disproportionate as to be cruel, unusual or constitutionally excessive."

Browning-Ferris decided in 1973 to enter the waste disposal business in Burlington, Vt. The company appointed Joseph Kelley to be district manager for its new regional office.

Kelley left Browning-Ferris in 1980 to form his own company, Kelco Disposal Inc., which captured more than 40 percent of the market in the Burlington region by 1982.

Browning-Ferris, according to testimony in the case, then instructed its new Burlington manager to "put Kelley out of business. Do whatever it takes. Squish him like a bug."

Browning-Ferris then cut its prices almost in half. Kelley contended the price-cutting maneuv er was a "predatory" violation of antitrust law to drive him out of business and permit Browning Ferris to create a monopoly.

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Truly, who was in the Johnson Space Center in Houston Mon-

The flight, under Air Force

command, has been veiled in

secrecy since Atlantis blasted off

Friday morning from Cape

Canaveral. The usual air-to-

nauts were blacked out, and offi-

cials gave no briefings during the

However, sources reported

Monday that the five military

officers had successfully de-

ployed a \$500 million Lacrosse

The sources, who spoke on con-

dition of anonymity, said the

satellite was operating well in an

orbit that carries it over 80 per-

cent of the Soviet Union. Deploy-

ment of the surveillance satellite

was believed to be the military

The satellite is said to be de-

signed to gather extremely sharp

all-weather radar images of

Eastern Bloc military targets

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Jack LaVriha with the Free Terry Anderson Committee displays some of the more than 7,000 cards sent to the boyhood home of Anderson to be relayed to Lebanon. Anderson, chief Middle East correspondent of The

Associated Press, has been a hostage since March 16, 1985, and is facing his fourth Christmas in captivity. The deadline is Thursday for mailing the cards to Anderson at P.O. Box 391, Lorain, Ohio 44052.

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criminatory increase in punitivedamages verdicts," the association said.

The term punitive damages applies to awards aimed at both punishing and deterring misconduct.

One of the questions confronting the high court is whether punitive damages must bear any specific relationship to compensatory damages awarded for actual injuries.

in April that upheld a \$6 million award against Browning-Ferris Industries Inc. of Houston.

The appeals court said that while the actual damages in the case were around \$100,000, "We 665-1111



Atlantis astronauts plan to return to base today two vehicles proven in flight.

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Atlantis' astronauts That's extremely important. zoomed toward Earth "happy and healthy" today to end a secret four-day military mission during which they reportedly deployed a radar satellite to spy on

the Soviet Union. The shuttle and its five travelers were on course to ignite refic accomplishments of the military mission. entry rockets for a fiery hourlong dash through the atmosphere. Landing was scheduled for 5:36 p.m. CST on a dry lakebed at Edwards Air Force Base in California's Mojave Desert. ground conversations of astro-

Because of the military nature of the mission, the public wasn't allowed to watch the landing from the base. More than 400,000 spectators were there in October to cheer Discovery's return from the first post-Challenger shuttle flight.

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration and the Air Force Monday broke three days of silence on the Atlantis mission to give a 24-hour notice of the planned landing.

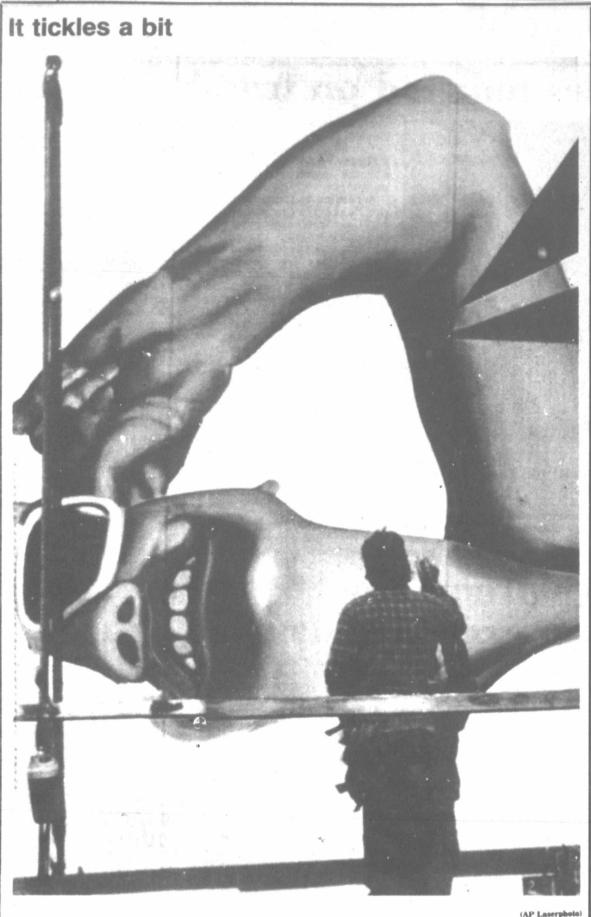
"The crew is doing well and is making preparations for landing," the agencies said in a brief statement. They also said the weather outlook at Edwards was good and that a slow leak detected before launch in a landing gear tire was not a concern for touchdown.

"Things are going super," Rear Adm. Richard Truly, a former astronaut in charge of the space shuttle program, said in an interview. "The crew is happy and healthy. The orbiter has done reai well. It's been very clean.

"This was one of our most im-portant missions," Truly said. "It's Atlantis' first flight after the standdown, and now you have

Eventually, it also reportedly would serve as the "radar eye' for the new B-2 stealth bomber. That would eliminate a bomber crew's need to use the aircraft's own radar, which might disclose

its location. The mission was commanded by Navy Cmdr. Robert L. Gibson.



Artist Joe Russell applies paint to the neck of a figure on a billboard off of Stemmons free-

way near downtown Dallas recently.

Shopping center allegedly used to funnel funds for drug deals

Question of inmate condoms raises former taboo subject

HUNTSVILLE (AP) - A legislative task force recommendation that condoms be made available to state prison inmates threatens to throw a normally taboo subject into the public forum.

State leaders begin wrestling next month with containing the spread of the AIDS virus.

Distribution of condoms to prisons would force prison officials to acknowledge that illegal activity is taking place in prison, says Walter Quijano, chief psychologist for the Texas Department of Corrections.

"It just shows you don't run a tight ship," Quijano told the Houston Chronicle. "But no matter how tight a ship you run, it (homosexual activity) is going to occur.

In one of 150 recommendations on the subject, members of the Legislative Task Force on AIDS said when data suggest the disease is being transmitted, officials should consider providing protection.

The panel also suggests that condoms be sold in prison commissaries for 5 cents apiece — a move that some task force members said might be more acceptable than giving them away.

So far, only Vermont, Mississippi and the New York City Jail provide condoms to inmates.

However, to do so in Texas would be against Texas law and state prison rules, which both bar homosexual activity.

But sexual activity does occur and no matter what is done, the activity will continue, officials acknowledge

Those who favor distribution of condoms, like task force member Dr. Charles Alexander, do so from the obvious health standpoint.

Alexander, a TDC deputy director of health services who previously headed the AIDS and sexually transmitted disease control division of the Texas Department of Health, says distributing condoms is one way to prevent disease.

Critics claim it would create a host of other problems, including increased victimization of convicts by other convicts.

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Quijano also sees problems from a prison management standpoint and the potential for increased suicide attempts if condoms are distributed to prisoners.

Quijano, who has studied prison suicides and self-mutilations, said many of those incidents occur after homosexual attacks and that if sexual assaults were to increase, the number of suicide attempts could also increase.

Distribution of condoms could be taken as a sign of condoning gay activities and "if you tolerate it, victimization could increase," Quijano said.

"It may also lull people into believing that be cause there's a degree of protection, it's OK to have multiple sex partners," Quijano said. "With a gadget like that, people may lose the perspective that this is a dangerous virus.

Charles Terrell, chairman of the Texas Board of Corrections, shies away from commenting on the possibility on condoms for prisons, deferring to the expertise of Alexander and other health professionals. He said the board would discuss it "if and when (Alexander) wants to make a recommendation" to the board.

Alexander thinks the issue should be debated in the Legislature.

With the legislative session just a month away. he says prison administrators' thinking is to let elected officials tackle the issue.

"Why stick your neck out at this time?" he said. "There are not that many cases of AIDS (in the prison). It's not something that you have to act on tomorrow

Of the 9,000 prisoners who have sought AIDS antibody testing, 3.5 percent to 4 percent have tested positive — a lower rate than that found in "free world" clinics, according to Alexander.

Special service allows foreign students to see real New York By BETH J. HARPAZ 'Certain things one can do - formation Agency and the coun-

Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — There are plenty of people who are eager to show foreign students the Statue of Liberty, the Empire State Building and the Bronx Zoo. Metro-International offers another side of New York:

A shift working in a shelter for the homeless. A walking tour of Harlem. A ride on the subway with a transit police officer who offers advice on how to avoid muggers.

"Our approach is to help the students understand our society and all the things they're seeing," says executive director Stacey Klein. "We want them to understand how our society works - and also how it struggles."

Since 1977, when Metro-International was formed by foreign student advisers from seven schools, it has expanded to serve students from 60 colleges and universities in the New York area.

activities involve No Not

one can go to the movies or an opera," he says, "But it's not the same as when somebody takes you around the back streets."

At a recent weekend workshop on the homeless, students worked in a soup kitchen, distributed sandwiches to the homeless in Grand Central Station, spent the night in a Quaker-run shelter on the Lower East Side and learned about the causes of homelessness

Students such as Yvonne Kwong of Hong Kong, who is studying marketing at Pace University in Manhattan, say they are shocked to see people sleeping on the street in such a rich country.

The workshop helped them understand "how come there's homelessness, because of the housing problem, and maybe they are alcoholics or mentally ill," says Kwong.

The workshop on the homeless is one of several that enlist the students as volunteers. In other such programs, students work as farmhands in upstate New York and speak about their native lands at public high schools. Metro-International has a staff of just two: Klein and Andrea Nemetz. Its \$150,000 annual budget is funded by corporations. foundations, the United States In-

cil that supports Fulbright Scholars. Students are charged \$3 to \$5, plus transportation, for each event.

One of its most popular programs sends students into the homes of suburban families for a day or weekend visit.

"They help us get to know the American lifestyle, they take us to their homes, and I think that's important for foreigners," says Firdaus Djailani, an Indonesian pursuing a master's degree in business administration at St. John's University in Queens.

In a city that can be intensely lonely for a newcomer, Metro-International also gives foreign students an opportunity to socialize with each other.

"I think most Americans are friendly, but they don't have time to talk to us. They have their own lives and their own schedules,' says Djailani.

In contrast, says Master, foreign students "all have a common background, so whatever problems we do have, we have a chance to share them. Americans do play an important role in one program — a trip to Yankee Stadium. American "baseball buddies" sit next to the foreign students and explain the innings and outs

HOUSTON (AP) — A Houston shopping center property was reportedly used to funnel more than \$30 million from several Texas savings and loans and banks to offshore companies linked to drug laundering, the Houston Post has reported.

Business leaders operating in the Meyerland Shopping Center say the dealings harmed innocent merchants, but the ultimate cost may be passed on to taxpavers since most of the financial institutions involved are now insolvent and under government control or merged with others, according to the copyright report.

Although it is not clear exactly how much money went offshore or where it went, federal officials and a source close to the case say the money may have been used to buy weapons or planes and boats used in drug smuggling opera-

tions, the Post said. According to the report:

• The price of the Meyerland property was inflated to more than twice its worth by selling its stock twice in one day

• Bogus promissory notes on the property and nearby acreage were issued to the companies incorporated outside the United States, making it appear that legitimate debts were owed an offshore company.

• Some of the banks and thrifts involved in the Meyerland transaction have ties to Mario Renda and Herman K. Beebe Sr., both convicted felons and reputed organized crime figures.

Some also have ties to individuals connected to the armsdealing community, leading to speculation among federal officials that the money went offshore as part of a guns and drugs scheme

In January 1984, all the stock in the Meyerland Co. was sold to Vorvados Investments, one of the offshore companies, for \$35 million, according to Meyer family matriarch Leota Hess.

The same day, Vorvados Investments sold the stock to a company controlled by Michael Adkinson for \$70 million, Hess said.

The cash for the transaction came from Lamar Savings in Austin, which issued a \$58 million promissory note secured by only the east 40 acres of the Meyerland Shopping Center property.

By the end of the day the property's value had grown fom \$35 million to more than \$100 million.

The deal was the first in a series spanning several years and involving a number of Texas banks and savings and loans.

York's seamy side. Each week, 15 to 100 students sign up to do things such as tour the Pennsylvania Dutch country during Thanksgiving weekend or man water stations at the New York Marathon.

Metro-International also publishes a Guide to Living in New York

According to this booklet, the subway can be "a very unpleasant and frightening experience." Driving a car in the city is "costly and exhausting." Man-hattan residents are "without question the most smug city dwellers.

"My life in New York would have been completely different without this organization," says Dinyar Master, an architect who came from India six years ago to study at Pratt Institute in Brooklyn.

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Jalisco opposition renews charge of Mexican election frau

By ANITA SNOW **Associated Press Writer**

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GUADALAJARA, Mexico (AP) - President Carlos Salinas de Gortari already has broken his promise of clean elections, the opposition National Action Party charged, reciting numerous fraud cases in the Jalisco state elections.

"Salinas de Gortari hasn't made true, with deeds, his promise to democratize the country" made when he was inaugurated Thursday, said PAN state president Gabriel Jimenez. "Let's hope it's not too late when he decides to do it."

Officials of the ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party in Jalisco denied opposition charges of widespread election fraud.

"The opposition parties always have these accusations, and they never have much validity," said Oscar de la Torre, state head of the ruling party known as as the PRI.

Without claiming outright victory, De la Torre predicted PRI's gubernatorial candidate, Guillermo Cosio Viduarrez, would win with at least 85 percent of the vote and that the ruling party would win at least 111 of the 124 mayoralties statewide, including the capital, Guadalajara where Gabriel Covarrubias Ibarra of the PRI faced PAN's Carlos Petersen

Official results are not expected until next Sunday

De la Torre admitted that some contests would be close.

While the PRI estimated absenteeism of about 45 percent, PAN officials said the number was closer to 70 percent and as high as 80 percent in some areas, including Puerto Vallarta.

Some citizens decided not to vote for reasons of their conscience, others for lack of interest, disbelief, pessimism and hopelessness because of the government's attitude during the election," Gabriel Jiminez said

Absenteeism was also high in three other states holding elections Sunday, Excelsior news service said.

The PAN claimed its candidate for mayor of the state capital of San Luis Potosi, Guillermo Pizutto Zamanillo, was leading the election with a 2-1 margin with 80 percent of the precincts reporting.

But the PRI, which claimed victory over Pizutto Zamanillo in a highly-contested election three years ago, also said it's candidate, Jose Morales Reyes, was assured.

The PAN claimed victories in at least three of the other 56 San Luis Potosi municipalities: Villa de Paz, Villa de Ramos and Armadillo de los Infantes.

The PAN, also the main opposition in the Guanajuato state, was running candidates in 31 of the state's 46 municipalities. Leftist parties supporting former presidential candidate Cuauhtemoc Cardenas also were running candidates in some municipalities.

The PRI claimed total victory in Zacatecas, including Cuauhtemoc, the one municipality that had been held by the Mexican Socialist Party for the past three years.

The PAN claimed victory in one Zacatecas town, Momax, and planned to dispute the PRI victory in Florencia de Benito Juarez, PAN spokesman Gerardo de los Cobos said.

In Guadalajara, the PAN complained that telephone lines its state headquarters suddenly went dead Sunday morning, there were reports of polling places failing to open on time and at least one polling place closed suddenly.

"The cutting of the lines is the worst we have ever seen," said Jorge Mendez, a spokesman for the election watchdog group Integral Human Development and Citizenship Action. "The PAN is very strong here in Guadalajara and it seems that the PRI (the ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party) is scared."

The election in Jalisco, with a population of 5.5 million, involved the governorship, 20 state deputies and 124 mayoraltis, including the mayoralty of Guadalajara, a city of 2.5 million.

In national elections July 6, the PAN won 8 of 20 seats to the federal Chamber of Deputies and PAN presidential candidate Manuel Clouthier got 31 percent of the statewide vote.

The conservative PAN and the leftist National Democratic Front claim that Salinas won the July 6 presidential vote only because of massive fraud perpetrated by the ruling Institutional Revolutionary Party, known as PRI for its Spanish initials.

The voting comes only two days after PAN party leaders met with Salinas, who was inaugurated Thursday for a six-year term, following an offer of dialogue. No announcements were made of the meetings' results.

Slipping and sliding



Two-year-old Jayme Musick of Texas City reaches out to maintain her balance but slips and slides down a playground slide in a Texas City park recently. She made it safely to the bottom, though, laughing all the way.

AIDS blood screening could cost in millions

DALLAS (AP) - The U.S. Food and Drug Administration has approved a screening process for an AIDS-related virus which could force blood banks to spend millions of dollars, according to a former health official.

HTLV-1, a rarer form of AIDS virus, is not thought to affect as many Americans and is less likely to develop into the leukemia

tion to the five other screening tests blood banks use on all donations

HTLV-1 is transmitted in the same ways as the AIDS virus: through sexual contact, sharing of contaminated needles and blood transfusions

The FDA and the major blood bank organizations are recommending that screening tests be associated with the virus, said used to protect transfusion reci-Edwin Steane, medical director pients. Steane said Parkland's of the blood bank at Parkland blood bank began screening donations for HTLV-1 on Monday

Hands have hold on West Texas hobbyist

By KRISTI GLISSMEYER Odessa American

GOLDSMITH (AP) - As collectors go, Jessie Vaden deserves a hand. But give her one and she will likely keep it.

From ceramic praying hands to plastic monster hands, those things with fingers have been a favorite of the 70-year-old for about 12 years. She said she has a special place in her heart for hands.

The home she and her 75-yearold husband, Raymond, live in is decorated with hundreds of hands lining living room walls and table tops, filling knickknack shelves and scrapbooks.

Mrs. Vaden's preference for collecting hands grew from a reverence for the human hand. "So many people say they've never heard of collecting hands," she said. "We use our hands so much. I'm just thankful for my hands."

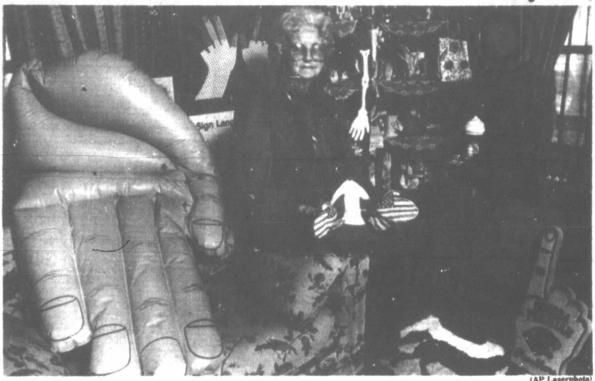
When she was 18 years old, Mrs. Vaden worked for a packing company where she used her hands daily. "I'd grab hot cans of dog food and pack them in the box; by the end of the day my hands were blistered and sore,' she said. "I really started to appreciate hands then.'

As symbols of work, thanks, prayer, friendship, giving and sharing, many of the hands she collects cradle a personal message for her.

Displayed on a wall are three gold-framed pictures of small blue handprints — presents from her grandchildren Jay, Alison and Laura.

An inscription accompanies the tiny prints: "Sometimes you get discouraged because I am so





Mrs. Vaden poses with some of the hands in her collection.

small and always leave my fing-

erprints on furniture and walls.

But every day I'm growing. I'll be

grown up someday and all those

tiny handprints will surely fade

away. So here's a final handprint

just so you can recall exactly how

my fingers looked when I was

Horn to make a rather unortho-

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Sun.-Thurs. 11 a.m.-11 p.m.

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very small.'

daughter, Sue.

collected them, he thought he wall. should ask me," Mrs. Vaden said. 'I asked for it in writing.'

So, Horn sent a letter that stated: "Money I have and also some land. But now what I want is your daughter's hand.'' The framed request hangs on the

Mrs. Vaden said she started to make a list of the hands some time ago. "But there are just so many. My dream is to get a little building in the front yard in the shape of a big hand where I can put all these things," she said.



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Memorial Hospital. One pilot screening performed by the American Red Cross revealed only one in 5,000 persons in test U.S. cities was infected with

> HTLV-1. "Given the AIDS virus and the response of the public to it, it's sort of difficult not to take a new test and uso it," Steane said. "Otherwise, you never know whether you're going to be sued 10 years from now.

> The test. produced by three companies, costs \$3.

With 14 million Americans giving blood annually, the new screening program could cost blood banks at least \$42 million a year, Steane said. That's in addi-

The Blood Center at Wadley supplies blood to all Dallas hospitals except Parkland. That hospital has been screening donations for HTLV-1 since May 1987 as part of a study of one manufacturer's test.

Because the test has been approved by the FDA, Wadley will continue to use it, blood bank spokesman Fred Greene said.

Wadley's tests revealed a one in 2,000 positve result for HTLV-1, but Texas blood banks cannot be sure of the frequency of the virus statewide without all of them conducting the tests.

ENSION HEADACHES

If you're bothered by headache that seems to have its origin at the base of your skull, you may be suffering from tension headache

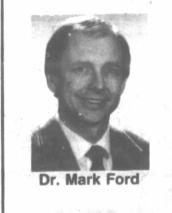
Tension headaches can be caused by an irritation of the nerves in the area of the spine immediately under the skull. These are called the suboccipital nerves. They pass through small openings in the spinal column to muscles in the surrounding area. Any abnormal pressure of dysfunction of neck and muscles can irritate the nerves, causing tension.

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World

Authorities investigating death of Israeli counterterrorist

By CANDICE HUGHES **Associated Press Writer**

URUAPAN, Mexico (AP) - Israeli counterterrorism expert Amiram Nir boasted that he was an Israeli war hero and seemed knowledgeable about the avocado market, according to a grower who discussed a deal with Nir the day before he died.

"He was a good personality, a great person," said Carlos Mendez Vega on Monday. Mendez Vega and his father, Carlos Garcia Mendez, are partners in the avocado export firm Eupasa based here.

Sources in Israel said Monday that Nir had received a license to sell weapons after he resigned from the Israeli government. The sources said it was not known if Nir actually engaged in arms sales

There were conflicting reports from Israel as to whether Nir had any agricultural interests. with one friend quoting Nir as saying he had given up

the arms business in the wake of the Iran-Contra arms-for-hostages affair.

Mendez Vega said he was amazed to discover that Nir had chartered a light plane under an assumed name because he had not hidden his identity while he was in Uruapan.

"It's strange. Very strange," said Mendez Vega. "We don't have anything to hide."

Nir died when the Aerotaxis de Uruapan plane crashed last Wednesday while flying to Mexico City, almost 200 miles to the east.

Mendez Vega said he and a Eupasa supervisor, Pedro Curchet, identified the body. Curchet has since been arrested for working on a tourist visa, a source at the Argentine consulate said Monday.

Mendez Vega said Nir showed up on Nov. 28, visited the Eupasa packing houseon Nov. 29, then met with Mendez Vega for five hours to discuss sales.

"He had a lot of experience and talked about prices, the market in Israel, in Europe, how it was

put together," said Mendez Vega.

Eupasa is a partnership involving Mendez Vega, his father and an Argentine group, and was set up to sell avocados to Nucal, a Geneva-based fruit and vegetable importer, according to Mendez Vega and his father.

Mendez Vega said he received word from Nucal that Nir would be visiting. He said Nir never said who he represented, but indicated interest in a long-term contract exporting avocados to England, France and Holland.

Nir told Mendez Vega that the growing season in Israel had been too hot and the avocado crop had failed.

Nir left no forwarding address but said he would return shortly to close the deal, Mendez Vega said. Mendez Vega said Nir chartered a plane for 1 million pesos, about \$435, and left on Nov. 30 with Adriana Stanton, a 25-year-old Canadian in charge of shipping for Eupasa who had to deliver some paperwork to Mexico City.

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"Their trips coincided," said Mendez Vega, so Stanton went along.

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Mendez Vega said he was called at 1 a.m. on Dec. 1 to identify some people involved in a plane crash. He was stunned when he realized that both Nir and Stanton had listed false names when the plane was chartered

"There was a lot of confusion," Mendez Vega said

Nir had listed his name as Pat Weber and his nationality as Lebanese. Stanton was listed under the name Esther Arriaga, Mendez Vega said.

Airport employees in Uruapan said earlier that Stanton had not listed a false name, but police had taken the register and they could not check it.

The crash killed Nir and an airline employee who was hitching a ride. Stanton and the pilot are hospitalized in Mexico City. Stanton, who suffered leg, arm and facial fractures, has refused to speak to reporters since Thursday, when she told The Associated Press she barely knew Nir.

unrest continues

Three soldi **Daniel Ortega cancels** MOSCOW (AP) - Three solscheduled trip to U.N. diers and a medical student were

MEXICOCITY(AP) --- President Daniel Ortega of Nicaragua said Monday he would not go to the United Nations this week because the United States failed to issue enough visas for his party and imposed unacceptable restrictions on his stay.

"I cannot accept these rules because the United States cannot decide when, how and with whom a chief of state can visit an international organization like the United Nations," Ortega told a news conference.

He complained that the United States should not require 15 days notice to approve the trip of a chief of state and his party to the United Nations.

Ortega said the Reagan administration refused to issue visas for half his party and also refused to issue visas for Nicaraguan journalists who wished to accompany him.

He also said the United States limited his travels to four boroughs of New York Citv

Ortega said this would prevent him from visiting the home of the Nicaraguan ambassador to the United Nations, who lives outside that area.

He said that at the United Nations he had hoped to describe the extensive damage done in Nicaragua by Hurricane Joan and plead for international help.

Ortega said he also wanted to confer with U.N. Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar about a new proposal for the United Nations to participate in verifiying a Central American peace accord.

Ortega was in Mexico for the inauguration of President Carlos Salinas de Gortari. He said he was returning to Managua, the Nicaraguan capital.

On Friday, U.S. officials said visas had been approved for Ortega, his wife, Rosario, and his son Rafael, on Dec. 5. They were to be accompanied by Ortega's physician and 14 guards

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wounded in a clash in the Azerbaijani capital and a curfew was imposed on new regions of neighboring Armenia where a sharp rise in ethnic tension was reported, official media said today.

"Extremists and criminal elements provoked disorders on massive scales and attempted to commit acts of looting and other illegal actions" in three districts of Baku, official radio in the Azerbaijani capital reported.

In a report monitored in London by the British Broadcasting Corp., it said soldiers fired warning shots Monday to break up the gangs and that "three servicemen and a student of the Institute of Medicine were wounded.'

It did not say how they were hurt. The situation was reported

quiet in the Armenian capital, Yerevan, but tension reportedly increased in areas of the southern republic with a mixed Armenian-Azerbaijani population. "In regions of the republic the

situation is extraordinarily dangerous. There have been deaths in the Kalinin, Masis and Gugark region," the newspaper Sotsialisticheskaya Industriya said.

An official of the Soviet Interior Ministry reported last week that 28 people had died in ethnic clashes, but it was unclear whether the newspaper article referred to those deaths or new killings.

imposed in 14 regions of Armenia, the newspaper said.

Armenia and Azerbaijan are disputing control of the predominantly Armenian Nagorno-Karabakh area of Azerbaijan. Armenia wants to annex the region. Moscow and Azerbaijani officials have rejected the annexation request.

Official reports have said more than 180,000 refugees have fled both sides of the Armenian-Azerbaijani border in the past three weeks because of the ethnic unrest.

Armenian radio said Monday that 106,000 Armenians had fled Azerbaijan, and Sotsialisticheskaya Industriya reported Monday that the number of refugees

An 11 p.m.-5 a.m. curfew was from Armenia had reached 80.000.

The Kremlin threatened Monday to fire and prosecute any Communist Party officials or economic managers who dismiss workers in Armenia and Azerbaiian for ethnic reasons.

The toughly worded directive Monday from the central government's Council of Ministers and the Communist Party Central Committee was another step in the Kremlin's effort to impose order on the republics.

In February, ethnic rioting broke out in the Azerbaijani city of Sumgait. At least 32 people, 26 Armenians and six Azerbaijanis, were killed.

Most Armenians are Christian. most Azerbaijanis Moslem.

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Melissa Slade, a Joan Collins look-alike, models an \$80,000 bullet-resistant Russian sable coat Friday at the showroom of Juliana Originals, Inc. in New York. The custom-made coats, designed for women who dress not to be killed, are lined with panels of Kevlar, a synthetic fiber five times stronger than its weight in steel.

Lamar honor students, super citizens named

The faculty and staff at Lamar Elementary School have named the honor roll students and super citizens for the second six weeks of the 1988-89 academic year.

Those named to the honors are:

KINDERGARTEN

Super Citizens: Amy Lowrance, Michael Hartley.

TRANSITIONAL FIRST GRADE

Super Citizen: Mario Soliz FIRST GRADE

All As: Jeremy Buck, Zenobia Dean, Stephanie Drew, Bradley Gardner, Marquetta Parker.

As and Bs: Teresa Brown, Michael Hinds, Charity Lewis, Raynessa Oliver, Shannon Oxley, Kimberly Ratliff, David Robinson, Mirna Solis, B.J. Wilson, Jordanna Young.

Super Citizens: Zenobia Dean. Jose Delarosa, Jordanna Young. SECOND GRADE

All As: Stacey Brown, Cynthia Davis.

As and Bs: Eureka Brown, Roy Don Devoll, Melissa Hedges, Genaro Marquez, Angela Medina, Farcett Patrick, Narcisso Soliz, Holly Stephenson, Bethanea Stevenson

Super Citizens: Leshica Evans, David Mixon.

THIRD GRADE

The 'funny bone' isn't very funny

NEW YORK (AP) — When is a bone not a bone?

When it is a funny bone - that sensitive place at the bend of the elbow. In this area the ulnar nerve passes close to the surface between skin and bone. Because the nerve is relatively unprotected, any sharp impact stimu-

All As: Lucinda Silva, Candi Terry, Gabe Wilbon, B.J. Winborne.

As and Bs: Grace Albear, Justin Ensey, Melony Hanks, Shannon Reed, James McGan. Super Citizens: Courtnee Bol-

ton, Lynn Brown, Esben Carrusco, Nasha Hill, Dana Tarver, Lucinda Silva, Candi Terry, Gabe Wilbon

FOURTH GRADE All As: Derahian Evans, Brock

Lowrance As and Bs: Matt Brown, Jamie Ceniceros, Neil Hanks.

Super Citizen: Blanca Gardner.

FIFTH GRADE

All As: None.

As and Bs: Phillip Everson, Nadia Gutierrez, Lillie Ramirez. Super Citizens: Tamikay Calloway, Abel Del Fierro, Erik Estrada, Nadia Gutierrez, Melinda Randall, Connie Villareal, Roger Weeks.

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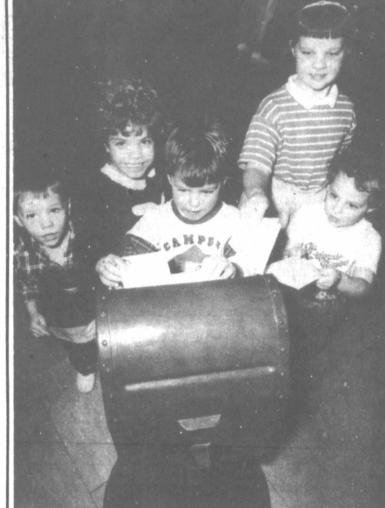
Super Citizen: Gerardo Delatorre.

SELF-CONTAINED As and Bs: Beau Idell, Nathan Taylor, Amanda Victor.

Super Citizens: Brandy Hood, Nathan Taylor.

lates it and causes a sudden, painful, tingling sensation in the arm and fingers.

The funny bone got its name, according to some sources, from its location near the humerus, which connects shoulder and elbow



(Staff Photo by Duane A. Laverty)

A special letter box has been set up at Pampa Post Office especially for youngsters' letters to Santa, who has graciously agreed to let The Pampa News print his letters in the Lifestyles section now through Dec. 23. Letters to be published must be mailed by Dec. 20. Getting a head start on the holiday mail are, from left, Greg Wiley, 3; Burgundy Wilson, 6; Tanner Wilson, 4; Linda Schwab, 8; and Sarah Schwab, 4.

Quiz sets readers straight on truth about homosexuality

DEAR ABBY: Several years ago, you ran a "true or false" quiz titled 'How Much Do You Know About Homosexuality?" I found it most illuminating and respectfully request that you run it again. STILL LEARNING

IN SCOTTSDALE, ARIZ.

DEAR STILL LEARNING: Aren't we all? Here it is:

How much do you know about homosexuality? Mark the following statements true or false: 1. Homosexuals commit more



Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

9. The American Psychiatric crimes than straight people. Association stated that homosexuals are "sick." (True or False?) 10. Homosexuals can be legally married to each other under the law in the United States. (True or False?) 11. Most homosexuals try to sexuals and lesbians by the way convert young people into becoming gay also. (True or False?) 12. Children raised by gay parents (or gay people) usually become homosexuals themselves. (True or False?) How did you score? If you marked all 12 statements "False," you are very well-informed.

month, and I am expected to pay for the bulk of the wedding cost. Her mother and I have been separated and divorced for more than four years. I asked for the divorce, but there were no other parties involved

Six months after we separated, I met the lady I am now engaged to marry. (She is a very fine person.) My ex-wife has "put her foot down" and says my fiancee cannot attend the wedding. My daughter gets along very well with my fiancee, but her mother seems to be running the show.

Lions collect funds for Girlstown

Dear Santa

District 2-T1 Lions Clubs are sponsoring the 19th annual Girlstown Coat and Shoe Fund for Christmas.

Approximately 90 girls will participate in shopping trips this month to Mervyn's in Westgate Mall, Amarillo. According to Lion Keith Christie, project chairman, each girl must purchase a coat and a pair of shoes within the alloted amount. She may also buy additional clothing, if funds allow. Christie, a member of the Dumas Noon Lions

Club, is in his third year as District Girlstown Chairman for the project. Past International Director Lion Ed Flood started the project in 1969 and each year Lions and their spouses contribute their time and money to the project.

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Girlstown, U.S.A., with campuses near Whiteface and Borger, cares for girls of all ages who have behavior, school and social problems, as well as pre-delinquent, delinquent and emotionally disturbed girls. Girlstown became an affiliate of Cal Farley's Boys Ranch in 1987.

Organizations such as the Lions Clubs have continued their support of Girlstown projects. And although most of the Coat and Shoe Fund contributions come from Lions, donations are also accepted from the public and all funds go to purchase clothing for the girls, according to Christie.

Donations may be made in care of Keith Christie, Hartley Route, Box 4, Dumas, 79029.

(True or False?)

2. Everyone is born straight, but some become gay because they have been seduced by a gay person early in life. (True or False?)

3. You can always tell homothey act, dress and talk. (True or False?)

4. With the proper therapy and motivation, a gay person can become straight. (True or False?)

5. Boys raised by domineering mothers and weak (or absent) fathers usually turn into homosexuals. (True or False?)

6. Gay people can never beor False?)

7. Homosexuals are more inor False?)

sexual experiences with someone of the same sex, he is gay. (True or False?)

If you marked nine statecome mothers or fathers. (True ments "False," you are fairly well-informed.

If you marked four or more clined to molest children sexu- statements "True," you have a ally than heterosexuals. (True great deal to learn about homosexuality, because ALL of the 8. If a person has one or two above statements are false!

DEAR ABBY: My 21-year-old daughter is getting married next

to be able share thi important event with the woman I love, and not have my ex-wife acting as though we were still a couple.

My fiancee is very understanding, but if I give in to my ex-wife, my fiancee will think I am a wimp. What words of wisdom can you offer?

CONCERNED IN CHARLOTTE

DEAR CONCERNED: Since your fiancee had nothing to do with the breakup of your marriage, your ex-wife has no right to bar her from the wedding. Furthermore, money talks - so inform your ex-wife that unless you can bring your fiancee, you will feel justified in withdrawing your financial support.

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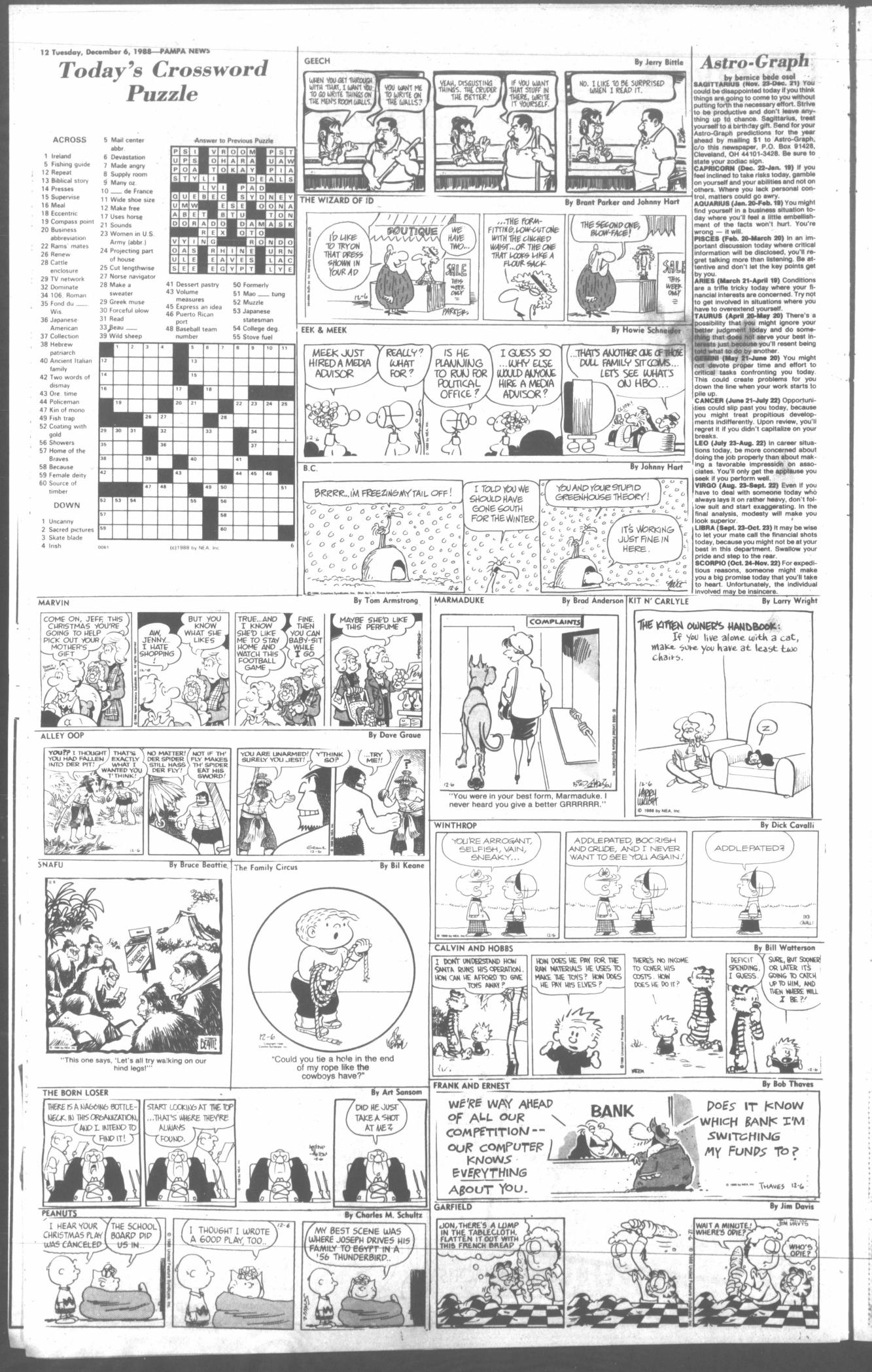
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Sports

Pampa boys meet Randall **By L.D. STRATE**

Sports Editor

The Pampa Harvesters start down a trail tonight that will hopefully lead to the District 1-4A

the district title in some preseason polls, visit Randall in the league opener for both teams.

in district play and a win would sure get us off in the right frame of mind,'' said Pampa head coach Robert Hale.

However, the Raiders will not be easy pickings despite being a new school, Hale pointed out.

"Randall won the Dumas tournament last weekend and they've had victories over Amarillo High and Palo Duro in preseason games," Hale said. "They're pretty tall and they shoot well. That's their main strengths.'

The Raiders are led by Zack Parker, who was a first-team alldistrict selection at Canyon last season.

"He's one of the premier players in the district. He's one of three players off the Canyon team, so they have a good nucleus," Hale said.

Giving Parker help inside is 6-5 Scott Neelley, a returning lettermen, and 6-2 Robert Stephenson, a transfer from Odessa.

Darby Norman, a 6-1 guard, gives the Raiders some leadership in the backcourt.

"We can win it if we play smart basketball," Hale said. "We're looking forward to the game."

The Harvesters took third in the Hays City Shootout last week in Hays, Kansas and placed 6-5 senior Dustin Miller and 6-2 junior Mark Wood on the alltournament team. Miller scored 68 points in the three tournament games while Wood had 49. Wood also made the tournament's allacademic team.

The Harvesters are bound for another tournament Wednesday, leaving for Lawton, Okla. and the **Bi-State** Classic.

The Pampa girls, 1-0 in district play, meet Randall in the varsity's first game at 6:30 p.m.

The Lady Harvesters won the Hays City Shootout last week and bring a four-game winning streak into tonight's action.

The Lady Harvesters host Levelland at 6:30 p.m. Friday night in McNeely Fieldhouse.

Becker wins Masters

NEW YORK (AP) — Boris Lendl at Madison Square Garden. Becker, who had lost two previous Masters finals to Lendl. avenged the defeats Monday night by winning the seasonending championship in a thrilling fifth-set tiebreaker. "I actually don't know what happened yet," Becker said immediately following the 4-hour, 42-minute match, longest in Masters history. "I think I'm going to realize it in the next couple of days. For the moment, I'm just very exhausted. The final point of the 5-7, 7-6 (7-5), 3-6, 6-2, 7-6 (7-5) victory was the most memorable of the match. Becker climaxed the 37-stroke rally with a backhand that nicked the top of the net, popped straight up and landed inches away on Lendl's side of the court. Lendl, back on the baseline poised for his next shot, could only shake his head in disbelief and watch Becker raise his arms in celebration It was that kind of year for Lendl, who failed to win a major title, lost his No. 1 ranking to Mats Wilander and saw his bid for a record fourth straight Masters title fall just short. 'If you don't call this unlucky, you don't call anything unlucky. Lendl said of the final point. "It's the way it's been all year. Hopefully, it's all behind me now." Becker's emotional reaction to winning the championship brought back memories of his Wimbledon victories in 1985 and

Rams' end Damone Johnson picks up six yards on a reception.

Rams keep hopes alive

By KEN PETERS AP Sports Writer

ANAHEIM, Calif. - Henry Ellard was beaming.

Not only had the Los Angeles Rams ended a four-game losing streak and kept their playoff hopes alive. Ellard had for a change — some time in the national spotlight.

And the Rams' wide receiver made the most of his chance Monday night, with six receptions for 132 yards in a 23-3 victory over the Chicago Bears.

Ellard's effort, which included a 31-yard toucndown to give the Rams some breathing room in the third quarter, catapulted him to the top of the NFL's receiving list this season. He has 1,248 yards on 74 catches.

It was a special night for Ellard, who has been generaly overlooked during his NFL career "It helps to have a big game on Monday night against a team like the Bears," Ellard said when asked if he thought he might finally earn some recognition. "This was definitely one of the biggest games of my career. We knew this was a chance for us to turn it around, and we did.' While Ellard may be gener-

league, I don't know who is,' Rams quarterback Jim Everett said of the surehanded receiver.

"I hope he makes it to the Pro Bowl this year. He deserves it.

The victory gave the Rams, who went zero-for-November after a 7-2 start, an 8-6 record and keeps them in contention for a playoff berth.

The Bears, who already have clinched at least a wildcard playoff spot, are now 11-3.

The Rams, who outgained Chicago Bears 364 yards to 213 and never let the Bears get into anything resembling rhythm on offense, might owe some credit to the Green Bay Packers.

The Bears lost two key players, quarterback Mike Tomczak and defensive end Richard Dent, to injury in their 16-0 vicover the Packers last week

Everett completed 17 of 31 for 251 yards and one touchdown, although he did throw three interceptions.

"I thought Jim Everett played a great game at quarterback," Rams coach John Robinson said. "And I'm not talking about statistics."

"And Greg Bell (98 yards on 28 carries) played a great game at tailback."

Robinson said he was particularly proud of the way the Rams controlled the line of scrimmage against one of the NFL's finest teams.

"I thought we played the physical part of the game very well," he said. "We gave game balls to our offensive line and defensive line.

Most of the Rams said they weren't really worrying about their chances of making the playoffs, and instead are concentrating on winning their final two regular-season games

'Pokes in line for second pick

IRVING (AP)- The Green Bay Packers appear to be in line for the NFL's No. 1 draft pick, but the Dallas Cowboys are the solid favorite for the second selection.

The Cowboys, losers of a clubrecord 12 games, play at Washington on Sunday then must battle the Philadelphia Eagles in Texas Stadium on Dec. 18 with Coach Buddy Ryan's bunch in the NFC East playoff fight.

The Packers match Dallas' 2-12 record with two games left in which the Packers will be big underdogs. The Packers will play host to Minnesota Sunday then travel to Phoenix on Dec. 18.

If Dallas ties with Green Bay, then the Packers get the No. 1 pick because of a weaker schedule.

With two games to go, Detroit and Tampa Bay each have 4-10 records as the contenders for the worst ledgers in the NFL.

Tampa Bay is at New England and plays host to Detroit while Detroit's other game is at Chicago

The Cowboys have said they would take UCLA's Troy Aikman if he is available but they also have a need for a Lawrence Taylor-type outside linebacker. Aikman is rated the top quarterback in the draft.

Derrick Thomas of Alabama or **Broderick Thomas of Nebraska** could make an immediate impact on the Dallas defense.

Dallas lost its 10th consecutive game on Sunday, falling 24-21 to the Cleveland Browns.

field goals that were negated by a holding infraction and a tripping infraction. The last penalty, called against veteran Randy White, erased a field goal that would

for 142 yards.

The Cowboys slipped on a bad

Dallas' Roger Ruzek lost two

luck banana peel again, built

around a club-record 17 penalties

maining. "It was a place-kicker's nightmare," Ruzek said. "Two field goals called back. Two of them wiped out of the record books."

have tied the score with 1:38 re-

Dallas Coach Tom Landry on Monday wasn't blaming the referees for Dallas' loss.

"We don't seem to be getting the breaks right now," Landry said. "That's the kind of season we are having. We are so close yet we do the wrong thing at the wrong time."

The Dallas players were a little stronger, saying the team is being picked upon because it's out of the playoffs.

"It's much easier to make calls against a team that hasn't won a lot of games," said linebacker Garry Cobb. "The officials feel like these guys aren't going to get into the playoffs so let's throw the flags.

White said a Cleveland player ran over his foot. He said he blocked like he always blocks.

"That's the way I do it all the time," White said.

Dallas' previous club record for losses was 11 in their expansion year of 1960 when the Cowboys finished 0-11-1.

Eligibility hearing continues in Dallas Carter school case

AUSTIN (AP) — The principal of Dallas Carter High School said a math teacher did not comply with the school's grading system when he flunked a football player this fall.

Principal C.C. Rousseau testified today during the fourth day of a hearing into the eligibility of the school's football team, which has advanced to the state Class 5A semifinals.

Carter, if it remains eligible, will play Odessa Permian Saturday at Memorial Stadium in Au-

Rousseau told State District Judge Paul Davis that he changed an "NC" symbol, which stands for "not complete," in

comply with a special grading plan adopted for the school by the **Dallas Independent School Dis**trict.

Rousseau's gradebook change resulted in Edwards receiving a passing grade of 72 for the sixweek grading period. Edwards was transferred out of Bates' class late in the grading period. **Texas Education Commission**

er W.N. Kirby ruled Carter ineligible for the playoffs based on the state's no-pass, no-play rule because Edwards presumably had failed the math class.

The Dallas school district challenged Kirby's ruling in court and received a temporary restraining order allowing Carter to prog-



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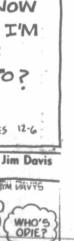
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Top twenty poll

The Top Twenty teams in the Associated Press final regular-season college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, season records and total points based 20-19-18-17-16-15-14-13-12-11-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1

and previous ranking:	Record	Pts	Pvs	
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4. Florida State	10-1-0	900	- 2	
5. Southern Cal	10-1-0	839 775	2	
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10. Oklahoma	9-2-0	567	10	
11. Michigan	8-2-1	534	11	
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13. Clemson	9-2-0	426	13	
14. Houton	9-2-0	340	14	
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ally unappreciated, he's appreciated by his teammates

"If he's not one of the top three or four guys in the

Jim Harbaugh, a secondyear pro out of Michigan, was making his first pro start, completed just 11 of 30 passes for 108 yards, with two interceptions.

But Chicago coach Mike Ditka said, "It wasn't Jim's fault. He did OK."

Harbaugh, however, somewhat apologetically, shouldered much of the blame.

"I didn't think I played that well ... I have no excuses," he said. "It was frustrating. Our defense played so well. I felt I let the team down.'

"Let's see, if Mars is lined up with Jupiter, and this and that happens ...'' Everett said, talking about the confusing playoff possibilities.

"We just have to win. But this was a season-type game for us. I think there may be some light at the end of the tunnel now.

The Rams' other scoring against the Bears came on Mike Lansford field goals of 25, 27 and 22 yards.

math teacher Will Bates gradebook to a 50 for Gary Edwards, a running back on the

school's team. Bates testified earlier that he believed "NC" to mean zero in his grading calculations.

But Carter lawyers say they will introduce a videotape of a **University Interscholastic** League hearing which, they claim, shows Bates as saving an "NC" can mean anywhere from a 50 to a 70.

Davis asked Rousseau if he changed the grade because Edwards was a football player. The principal responded, "No."

Rousseau said Bates did not respond to three written requests to

ress through the football playoffs

Two school districts whose football seasons would have been prolonged at had Carter been thrown out of the playoffs earlier, Plano and South Grand Prairie, challenge Carter's eligibility.

The Cowboys, 12-0-1, have won four playoff games since the controversy began.

Asked by Davis if he thought Edwards deserved the 72, Rousseau said, "Yes, according to the figures that we have.'

Carter used a trick play with three seconds remaining to get past Marshall 22-18 Saturday afternoon in Waco.

Rangers make trade Cubs,

By BEN WALKER AP Baseball Writer

ATLANTA - The Texas Rangers needed a hitter and liked Rafael Palmeiro. The Chicago Cubs wanted bullpen help and went after Mitch Williams.

And, after adding some lefthanded pitchers, the teams Monday put together a nine-player trade that was baseball's biggest deal since 1980.

Palmeiro, the second-leading batter in the National League last season, joined pitchers Jamie Moyer and Drew Hall in going to Texas

Williams, among the least-hit relievers in the American League, went with pitchers Paul Kilgus and Steve Wilson, infielder Curtis Wilkerson and two minor leaguers to be named later to Chicago.

It was the biggest trade since the 1980 winter meetings when **Texas and Seattle exchanged 11** players, among them Richie Zisk and Willie Horton. Four days before that, St. Louis and San Diego made an 11-player trade that included Rollie Fingers and Terry Kennedy.

"We were looking for an offensive player and we feel like we got our cake and can eat it, too," Texas general manager Tom Grieve said after getting Palmeiro plus pitching.

Palmeiro, 24, batted .307 this year, his first full season in the majors. He hit 41 doubles, eight

homers and drove in 53 runs. Palmeiro expressed disappointment in the trade.

'I never expected this, not this early in my career, especially coming off a good year," Palmeiro said told WTVA television in Tupelo, Miss., his wife's hometown. "I really thought it wouldn't happen this year. I thought maybe two, three or four years down the road, but things happen and I just have to go on.

Grieve said it had not been determined whether Palmeiro would play first base or outfield. The Rangers have Pete O'Brien at first base and Oddibe McDowell, Pete Incaviglia, Ruben Sierra and Cecil Espy in the outfield.

ever for a team since the DH's inception in 1973.

Chicago's 3.84 earned run average was third-worst in the NL and its short relievers were not effective. Rich Gossage led the corps with 13 saves and had a 4.33 ERA.

"We wanted something to help our bullpen and everybody in baseball knows Mitch Williams has one of the best arms around," **Cubs general manager Jim Frey** said

The Cubs felt fortunate to get someone they consider a stopper without having to trade shortstop Shawon Dunston. Several teams offered bullpen help in return for Dunston, with Montreal making Tim Burke available.

Williams, 24, was 2-7 with 18 saves and a 4.63 ERA. The lefthander pitched in 67 games and his 231 relief appearances in the last three seasons are the most in the AL.

Williams held opponents to a 203 batting average, the secondlowest among AL relievers with more than 50 innings. His problem has always been control. He has walked 220 in 274 2-3 major league innings.

Kilgus, 26 and left-handed, was 12-15 with a 4.15 ERA in his first full season with Texas. His three shutouts tied the team record for a left-hander and ranked him fifth in the league.

Texas designated hitters bat-ted .192 last season, the lowest Schoolboy pairings

By The Associated Posts

Here are Texas high school football playoff pair ings for Dec. 9-10: Class SA Semiffinals

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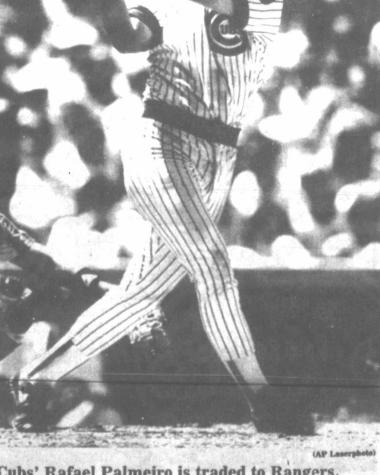
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Vest Orange-State (11-2) vs. Kertville Hvy (13-0) 6 p.m. Saturday, Astrodome. Class SA Semiffinals Decatur (10-2-2) vs. Southlake Carroll (14-0), 1 p.m. Saturday, Pennington Field, Bedford, Nevasota (11-3) vs. Sweeny (7-5-1), 7:30 p.m.

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Quanah (13-1) vs. Celina (13-1), 8 p.m. Friday Wichita Felis.

Wichita Fells. Comgar-Camden (13-0-1) vs. Refugio (13-0), 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Tully Stadium, Houston. Class & Beamilineais White Deer (13-0) vs. Lindsay (11-2), 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Vernon. Fammindel (13-1) vs. Flatonia (14-0), 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Vernon. Fort Hambock (14-0) vs. Zaphyr (14-0), 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Iraan.



Cubs' Rafael Palmeiro is traded to Rangers.

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Stanford coach loses job

STANFORD, Calif. (AP) --- He was praised for his recruiting, but the team's inability to score when it got close to the goal line was Stanford University Coach Jack Elway's downfall. Saying it was time for "new direction," Elway, whose Cardinal had lost four out of the last five seasons, was fired Monday afternoon.

The not-so-surprising announcement by Stanford Director of Athletics Andy Geiger came just two weeks after the Cardinal wrapped up a 3-6-2 season

"This extremely difficult decision came after a very careful evaluation and review of every aspect of our football program," said Geiger in a prepared statement.

Speculation that Elway was on the way out was rampant in the final weeks, but the actual move caught including players — unpremany pared

Starting halfback Charlie Young said he was not aware that Elway would be fired until the announcement was made

PMS cagers take first at Borger Tournament

Pampa's seventh-grade Blue and eighth-grade Red teams both captured first place in last weekend's Borger Invitational Basketball Tournament.

The seventh-grade Red team came in third in the tournament while the eighth-grade Blue won in the consolation bracket.

The seventh-grade Blue defeated Borger Black, 41-18, in the opening round. Gavin Porter was the high scorer for Pampa with-nine points, followed by Seivern Wallace with eight. In the second game. the Blue was victorious over Borger Red, 40-32 Porter and Wallace again paced Pampa with 14 and nine points, respectively. In the championship game, Pampa downed Borger's White team 27-22. Tony Cavalier posted 11 points, and Gavin Porter and Justin Collingsworth scored six points apiece. The seventh-grade Blue is still undefeated this season with a 6-0 record.

The eighth-grade Red opened the tournament with a 53-43 victory over Borger White. Jason Brantley contributed 20 points, while Chris Poole scored nine. The Red defeated Dumas Black in the second game, 39-30. Brantley was tops with 23 points, followed by Sean Hardeman with eight. Pampa beat Fritch, 44-32, in the finals for the title. Brantley posted 14 points, and Hardeman and Troy Reeves added eight points each. The eighth-grade Red stands at 6-0 on the season.

The seventh-grade Red opened play with a 35-21 win over Fritch. Greg Moore scored 12 points to pace Pampa, while David Potter had five. The Red suffered its first defeat of the year in the second round, a 46-33 loss to Borger White. Moore struck for 15 points and Greg McDaniel put in six. Pampa slipped past Borger Red, 43-41, to capture third place. The seventh-grade Red is currently 5-1.

The eighth-grade Blue lost its first game, 55-33, to Fritch. Matt Finney's 10 points was tops for Pampa, and Kurt West added seven. In the second game, the Blue defeated Dumas Orange, 39-33, on the strength of nine points by Kevin Savage. Chester Jackson was next with eight points. Pampa squeezed past Borger White, 36-34, in the consolation final. Desmond Johnson scored 14 points to pace Pampa, followed by West and Jackson, who added seven points apiece. The eighth-grade Blue has a record of 5-1.

Pampa will host an invitational tournament this

The why of the decision was hardly unexpected.

The Cardinal had a chance of winning every game this season except the one against Notre Dame. It missed opportunities to beat two bowl-bound teams --- USC and Washington State -when it failed to score after getting a TYPING: Resumes, manufirst down at the 3-year line in both those games.

Elway, who came from San Jose in 1984 after Paul Wiggin was fired following a 1-10 season, has been praised for his recruiting effort at Stanford, particularly the past three seasons. Every starting skill position player on offense returns next season, and five of them are sophomores or freshmen.

But Elway repeatedly was criticized during the season for Stanford's inability to score points after the team got close to the goal line.

While at Stanford, Elway compiled a 25-29-2 record. The Cardinal finished this season a disappointing 1-5-2 in the Pacific 10 Conference.

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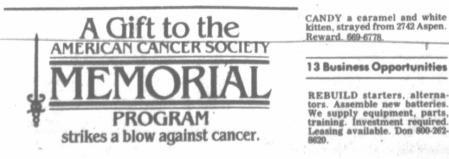
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- High Handicap Game: Men-1. Mike Lane, 300; 2. Ernie Byars, 261; 3. (tie) Leroy Hilbern, Mike Snider and Gladson Reed, 259; Women - 1. Marion Mears, 276; 2. (tie) Dorothy Hollis and Elizabeth Johnson, 260.

High Scratch Series: Men - 1. Mike Lane, 627; 2. Ernie Byars, 621; 3. Joe Wilson, 593; Women -Karen Adkins, 550; 2. Elizabeth Johnson, 531; 3. Alice Hilbern, 528.

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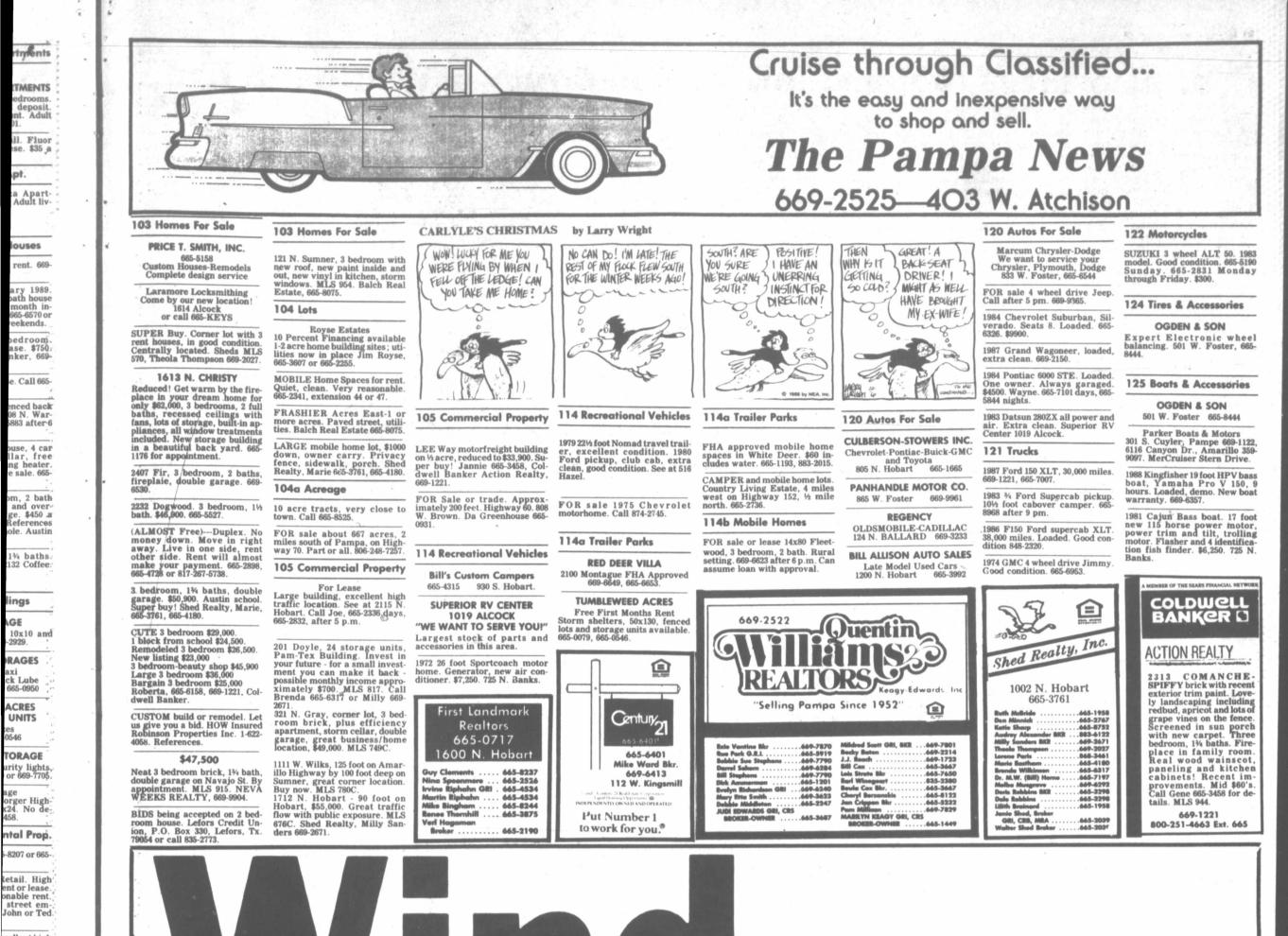
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NEW YORK - The United States has a "balance of international education deficit" and will face having its world status irreversibly diminished if it fails to internationalize U.S. educational institutions, concludes a report issued by the Advisory Council for International Educational Exchange.

"Despite our position of international leadership for almost 50 years, we are ill-prepared for the changes in business, manufacturing, diplomacy, science and technology that have come with an intensely interdependent world," says the report.

"Other countries have had to recognize the educational implications of interdependence sooner than we, and are ahead of us in the international education of their students."

Educating for Global Competence was compiled by a special advisory committee of leaders from higher education, government and the private sector who were appointed by the Council on International Educational Exchange (CIEE) to review the current state of study abroad and make recommendations for the future

The committee urges "fundamental changes in American higher education" to achieve a major expansion in the number of U.S. college students who study abroad to at least 10 percent of the total enrollment by 1995, with further increases into the next century

Currently, it estimated that less than 5 per cent of U.S. students now study abroad.

The committee recommended

Soviets end meeting in Azerbaijan

MOSCOW (AP) - Security forces broke up a meeting in the Azerbaijani capital, but in neighboring Armenia authorities eased a curfew Monday, media reports said.

Much of the two republics in the southern Caucasus Mountains have been under curfew to stem violence generated by an ethnic dispute.

Armenians, who are mostly Christian, seek control of Nagorno-Karabakh, a district in Moslem Azerbaijan.

Radio Moscow said Monday of the Azerbaijani capital that "the situation in Baku still remains tense. At a number of enterprises people have failed to come out to vo ... No transport is operating in the center of the city.

The report, monitored by the

new priorities in study abroad programs that would encourage students from under-represented academic and social groups to study abroad and also broaden exchange programs to include developing countries and those outside traditional western European settings.

Typically, the American student abroad is a white, middleclass female from a highly educated, professional family studying humanities in western Europe.

Responsibility for achieving increased internationalization should be placed at the highest levels of educational, governmental and corporate institutions, committee members urged.

We can no longer view the world with some detachment as an interesting and diverse place where we inevitably exercise political leadership," said Thomas A. Bartlett, chancellor of the University of Alabama System and committee chairman.

"The essential issue is not whether we need more study abroad, but who should go and how to make it happen," Bartlett added.

Currently 350,000 foreign students study in the U.S., while fewer than 50,000 of the approximately 12 million American college students study abroad each year, according to the report.

"Citizens of other nations are learning more about us than we are about them, and each year are doing so in increasing numbers," says the report.

A major expansion of Americans studying abroad is vital to improve the country's abilities to meet contemporary challenges, says the report, citing these factors:

* 33 percent of U.S. corporate profits are generated by internation-

al trade. * Four of every five new jobs are created as a result of foreign trade

* The 23 largest banks in the U.S. derive nearly half of their total earnings abroad. Despite the growing interna-

tionalization of its economy, the U.S. has failed to encourage its students to go abroad, says the report, noting that:

* The U.S. is the only major world power with no language requirement for joining its foreign service.

graduates and 5 percent of college graduates gain proficiency in a second language.

* As recently as 1985, 33 states did not require any foreign language study in high school.

nations in the world where a student can graduate from college

* Only 3 percent of high school

* The U.S. is one of the very few

While the traditional "junior year abroad" focuses on European cultural heritage, the need for "global competence" requires expanded studies in mathematics, science, medicine, business, technology, international affairs, economics and education, says the report.

An overwhelming majority of U.S. students travel to western Europe, says the report, urging that efforts be made to increase the geographical distribution of study abroad.

"At present, the Middle East and the Arab world seem to be nearly as incomprehensible to many Americans as life on another planet," says the report. "It is absolutely essential that

college students cultivate an informed and sensitive awareness of those parts of the world in which more than half the global population lives. Our students

should learn about Latin America as well as Spain, Frenchspeaking Africa as well as France.

In recommending changes in U.S. education to increase international studies abroad, the report calls for colleges and universities, specialists in international education, federal and state funding programs, accrediting associations, foundations and corporations to share the responsibility.

"All must recognize the need for increased and widespread knowledge of their countries as a matter of vital national interest,' says the report. "Internationalization of higher education including study abroad is no longer merely desirable; it is a necessity.

Copies of the report are available from the CIEE by writing CIEE, Dept. G, 205 East 42nd St., New York, N.Y., 10017.



British Broadcasting Corp. in London, said security forces dispersed a crowd of around 1,500 people in Baku's Lenin Square Sunday night.

The forces moved in after the crowd failed to respond to appeals by the chairman of the city council and a commandant to disperse.

Demonstrations and meetings are banned under military law imposed two weeks ago.

'Irresponsible elements among those who gathered tried to put up resistance," the broadcast said. "The servicemen fulfilled the tasks that had been put to them. No weapons were used."

Some crowd members were de tained, Radio Moscow said. It did not say why the crowd had gathered or whether the demonstration was over the Nagorno-Karabakh issue.

Baku Radio, also monitored by the BBC, said the city special district military commandant, Col. Gen. Mikhail Tyagunov, denied rumors that weapons were used and that bodies of victims were on Lenin Square.

"This is a lie and is spread for the purpose of a premeditated provocation," he said.

Lenin Square was closed for "sanitary work" following the dispersal of the meeting, the broadcast said.

In Yerevan, the Armenian capital, a 10 p.m.-6 a.m. curfew imposed Nov. 24 was changed to 11 p.m.-5 a.m. as the situation there stabilized, the Communist Party daily Pravda reported.

More than 2,400 people have been detained and 32 arrested since the curfew was imposed, Pravda said.

The newspaper also said a special bank account had been set up in Armenia to accept contributions for some of the 150,000 refugees who have fled violencetorn areas.

Since the latest round of ethnic violence broke out in November, at least 28 deaths have been reported in Armenia and Azerbaijan.

The dispute flared in February when the predominantly Armenian population of Nagorn-Karabakh began agitating for annexation by Armenia. Mass demonstrations followed in Armenia, and ethnic rioting broke out in the city of Sumgait, Azerbaijan.

At least 32 people w re killed