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(AP Laserphoto)

Students march on the Beijing Normal University campus Monday morning.

Students in China boycotting universities in protest strike

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BEIJING (AP) — Tens of thousands of students at Beijing's universities went on strike today, calling for democracy, human rights and a free press in the largest student boycott in Communist China's history.

At Beijing University, the country's most prestigious, students for the first time produced an independent newspaper.

The class boycott today brought into a new phase pro-democracy protests that were sparked by the April 15 death of ousted Communist Party chief Hu Yaobang, a popular reformer.

Posters calling on students to strike, satirical cartoons of government leaders, and essays decrying official corruption covered the walls of many universities throughout Beijing.

Student leaders said they planned to strike until the government agrees to open talks and that they believed students in other cities were ready to join the boycott.

"Premier Li Peng, step down now," read one poster at Beijing Normal University. "Deng Xiaoping, your time has come," read another in a reference to widespread student belief that the 84-year-old senior leader is too old to run the country.

On Friday and Saturday, about 150,000 students and supporters spent the night at Tiananmen Square, defying a government order to clear the vast expanse. The demonstration — one of the biggest since the 1949 Communist victory — was the students' clearest challenge yet to the ruling monopoly.

Students who gathered Saturday on the square to

mourn Hu shouted "Down with dictatorship" as senior officials arrived for an official memorial service at the adjacent Great Hall of the People.

Protests also occurred in other cities. In Xian and Changsha, bands of young toughs entered student ranks, burning cars and buildings, looting stores and beating policemen. Foreign sources in Changsha said the looting continued there for a second night Sunday, but on a smaller scale.

Smaller protests in Shanghai, Chengdu, Canton and Tianjin were peaceful.

At Beijing University today, about 5,000 students, one-third of the student body, flocked to the athletic field for a meeting of the newly formed student union.

"We come here together for a common purpose: democracy and science," a student leader told the crowd. "Seventy years after our first student movement, China is still poor and behind the rest of the world."

About 1,500 students gathered at Qinghua University, where graduate students draped pro-democracy posters from every balcony and window. About 1,000 students from the Beijing Foreign Languages College left their campus and marched from school to school to encourage colleagues.

One strike leader at Beijing University said all 15,000 students were on strike. Leaders at several other schools, with a combined enrollment of 20,000, said their classmates also were boycotting class.

One poster at Beijing University pleaded with teachers to "please understand and support our strike. I love my teachers but I love the truth more." Another addressed China's parliament, appealing for government tolerance.

Refugees to get free legal aid

AUSTIN (AP) — The State Bar of Texas will begin providing free legal help next month to many of the 3,300 Central Americans detained in camps and jails along the Texas-Mexico border.

A free legal clinic in South Texas is expected to offer hundreds of detainees a chance to have their political asylum cases prepared by lawyers before being presented to the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service, a newspaper reported Sunday.

"I think the immigration service is railroading asylum hearings in order to deport the applicants quickly," immigration attorney Paul Parsons told the *Austin American-Statesman*.

"It's outrageous to expect persons fleeing from death squads and civil war to arrive in the United States with detailed, written documentation of persecutions," Parsons said.

Most of the 1,549 refugees de-

ported en masse from the Rio Grande Valley by the Immigration and Naturalization Service since Feb. 21 have gone without any type of help from lawyers.

Since then, the INS began detaining all Central Americans applying for political asylum, instead of allowing them to travel to their U.S. destinations to pursue their claims.

Only Nicaraguans have escaped the new policy. As of Sunday, the INS had not deported a single Nicaraguan of the 1,235 in custody in South Texas.

The great majority of those deported — from El Salvador, Guatemala and Honduras — were not represented by attorneys during INS proceedings against them.

Houston attorney Charles Foster, who led an ABA fact-finding delegation to the Rio Grande Valley on March 30, says the need for attorneys is critical. Foster said

there is one free clinic in the Valley.

The list of free legal services posted by the INS in detention centers is "an illusion" because only one of the nine offices listed can actually provide a lawyer, Foster said.

Five of the nine listings are for Valley offices of Texas Rural Legal Services, which are federally funded and prohibited from representing illegal aliens.

Two other offices on the list deal primarily with legalization cases brought under the 1986 immigration law, and the eighth number on the list is for the lawyer referral service of the Texas State Bar.

Foster notes that while the national denial rate for political asylum requests is 90 percent, in cities such as San Francisco, where there is a strong free legal project, nearly 60 percent of the asylum cases are approved.

Party leader says gas used against protesters

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TBILISI, U.S.S.R. (AP) — The Communist Party chief of the Soviet republic of Georgia acknowledged today that some victims of a clash between protesters and soldiers died of gas poisoning.

In Moscow, troops on Sunday dragged away dozens of demonstrators protesting the violent crackdown on dissent in Georgia two weeks ago. The official Tass news agency said 47 demonstrators were arrested.

Givi Gumbaridze, chief of the Georgian Communist Party, acknowledged widespread reports today that soldiers used a harmful gas to crush pro-independence demonstrations in Tbilisi.

"The fact that gases were used is the truth. Yes, some people died from poisoning," he told reporters taken to the southern republic by the Soviet Foreign Ministry.

His remark was the first by a top official acknowledging that some protesters were killed by gas used April 9 to help break up a crowd of thousands of demonstrators in Tbilisi, the Georgian capital.

At least 19 people were killed as soldiers using clubs, shovels and gas dispersed the demonstrators, and official accounts said one man was shot later. Georgian activists previously had charged that gas killed some protesters.

The Defense Ministry newspaper *Krasnaya Zvezda* on Saturday identified a chemical used against the protesters as an incapacitating agent dubbed "cheremukha."

Its main ingredient is chloroacetophenone, the newspaper said. A Western military attache in Moscow said the substance was similar to but stronger than tear gas.

Gumbaridze said officials were trying to determine who ordered the use of the chemical. He did not say how many people died from its effects.



(AP Laserphoto)

A demonstrator waves czarist Russian flag at Sunday protest against Georgia crackdown.

Members of a citizens' commission formed by the government to investigate the attack said a second gas was used as well. Officials have not identified it.

Symptoms of poisoning by the second gas include vomiting, memory loss, headache and nausea, said Nino Djavakhishvili, a morphologist and member of the 40-member commission. He said the symptoms are permanent.

Malkahz Zaalishvili, a molecular biologist and member of the commission, said light concentrations of the first chemical substance act like tear gas, but "in bigger concentrations it becomes very poisonous."

"Another substance was used that paralyzes central nervous systems. The structure of the second gas they refuse to tell us," he said.

The citizens commission said 700 people were injured in the demonstrations.

Gumbaridze, former KGB head for the republic, replaced Dzhumber Patiashvili as Georgian party chief. Patiashvili resigned after accepting responsibility for the violence.

The 44-year-old Gumbaridze said the decision to send soldiers to break up the demonstration was made by a few Georgian leaders and that he did not know about it until moments before it occurred.

Somber crowd



(AP Laserphoto)

Some people wearing black armbands and others dabbing tears from their eyes observe five minutes of silence at Westchester Lagoon in Anchorage, Alaska, Sunday. The five minutes of silence was observed at

the same time throughout the state as Alaskans remembered what Prince William Sound was like before being devastated by Exxon's 10-million-gallon oil spill.

Bush says he's off to a good start for his first 100 days

By MERRILL HARTSON
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CHICAGO (AP) — President Bush, nearing the 100-day milestone of his administration, said today he was off to a "good start" — citing bipartisan agreements on the budget and Contra aid — but that "difficult decisions lie ahead."

Bush said his administration is now "mapping strategies for a period of remarkable change in international affairs," and he referred to upcoming high-level meetings with Moscow. A foreign policy review, which some had hoped would be completed far earlier, is now due in late May, he said.

Bush issued the report on his first three months in office during an address to publishers gathered for the annual luncheon of The Associated Press. He flew here after attending a memorial service in Norfolk, Va., for the 47 sailors killed in the gun

turret explosion on the battleship Iowa last Wednesday. (See related story, Page 3.)

Beginning a four-day trip, Bush also planned stops today in Bismarck, N.D., and San Jose, Calif. The 100-day mark of his administration falls on Saturday and Bush was expected to beat the drum for his presidency in a succession of out-of-Washington engagements this week.

"In three short months, we've made a good start coming to grips with issues demanding urgent attention and decisive action," Bush told the publishers.

He took credit for drafting a plan to rescue the savings and loan industry, a proposal to tighten ethical standards in government and with making the District of Columbia a "test case for a full range of innovative anti-drug measures."

In unusual back-to-back appearances here, Bush was to speak shortly after Vice President Dan Quayle addresses the AP annual meeting. The publishers are gathered for the American Newspaper

Publishers Association convention.

"We used to hear a lot about the presidency being too big for one man," Bush said in prepared remarks. "That talk stopped with Ronald Reagan."

The president noted that in his first three months, he forged a budget plan with Congress designed to reduce the deficit. "Difficult decisions lie ahead, but an important agreement has been achieved," he said.

Moreover, he noted the accord with Capitol Hill to continue the flow of humanitarian aid to the Contra rebels in Nicaragua.

"Of course, dealing with problems that demand immediate attention is only part of the picture," Bush said. "We need to look to the long-term as well — to focus now on the kind of future we want to see for ourselves and our nation."

He said his administration was "mapping strategies for a period of remarkable change in

international affairs, change more wide-ranging and rapid than at any time in the post-war period.

"While we will lead, we also intend to consult and listen, to our friends abroad and to the Congress."

He noted that Secretary of State James A. Baker III will meet next month with Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze.

"We've made a good start these first three months and there's more to come," Bush said. "The completion of our defense and foreign policy reviews in late May, draft legislation for a new Clean Air Act, a new strategy to curb the increased use of lethal weapons by drug dealers and other criminals and new initiatives to combat the problem of homelessness in America — all are on the near horizon."

Pronouncing himself pleased with the first three months, Bush said, "there's a long road ahead of us. I'm optimistic that our reforms will produce lasting results, that the long-range planning we do today will pay off in the future."

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Services tomorrow

TURNBO, Y.E. — 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel.
LANE, L. Billie — 10 a.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel.

Obituaries

Y.E. TURNBO
 Y.E. Turnbo, 92, died Saturday. Services are to be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Jim Winegart, pastor of St. Paul United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery.

Mr. Turnbo moved to the Texas Panhandle in 1917. He moved to Pampa in 1932 from Amarillo. He married Janet Boulware in 1926 at Clovis, N.M. He worked in the oilfields for 36 years, retiring in 1962.

Survivors include his wife, Janet; five sons, Nathan Turnbo of Oklahoma City, Harold Turnbo of Grapevine, Glen Turnbo of Wink, Jimmy Turnbo of San Antonio and Bobby Joe Turnbo of Downers Grove, Ill.; three daughters, Wanda Johnson, Betty Lou Marak and Priscilla Alexander, all of Pampa; a brother, Forrest Turnbo of Rector, Ark.; 18 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

The family will be at 2346 Beech. They request memorials be to St. Paul United Methodist Church.

WAYNE FRANCIS

CANADIAN — Wayne Francis, infant son of Kip and Belinda Francis, died Friday. Graveside services are to be at 11 a.m. today in Shamrock Cemetery with the Rev. Mike Chancellor, pastor of Shamrock First Baptist Church, officiating. Arrangements are by Richerson Funeral Home.

Survivors include his parents; a brother, Jerry Francis of the home; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Francis and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Franks, all of Canadian; and his great-grandmother, Mrs. Lucille Franks of Shamrock.

JOHN WILLIAM GRAY

GRANBURY — John William Gray, 73, a former Pampa resident, died Saturday at Harris Methodist Hospital in Fort Worth. Services were to be at 11 a.m. today in Acton Baptist Church with the Rev. Glenn Ward officiating, assisted by Rev. Travis Franklin. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery in Pampa. Arrangements are by Martin Funeral Home of Granbury.

Born May 14, 1915 in Plano, Mr. Gray was a member of Acton Baptist Church. He was an instrument mechanic for Cabot Corporation. He retired from Cabot in Pampa in 1977 after 31½ years of service.

Survivors include his wife, Mauretta Gray of Granbury; one daughter, Gayla Ann Wallace of Levelland; one son, Bud Gray of Arlington; two stepdaughters, Sherry Ann Allen of Emory and Denise Harvey of Little Rock, Ark.; three stepsons, Tommy Thompson of Emory, Robert Thompson of San Antonio and Steve Thompson of St. Louis, Mo.; three sisters, Mildred Rossee of Dallas, Mattie Cotton of Pampa and Dorothy Kile of Emory; one brother, Jack Gray of Pampa; four grandchildren and 11 stepgrandchildren.

Minor accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported the following minor accidents during the 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

FRIDAY, April 21

8:30 a.m. — A 1979 Chevrolet driven by Mary Rhoten, 429 N. Russell, collided with a legally parked Chevrolet pickup at 430 N. Russell. Owner of the pickup was listed as Efrain Silva, 925 S. Banks. No injuries were reported and no citations were listed.

5:34 p.m. — A 1984 Ford, driven by Jose Ybarra Silva, 910 E. Browning, and a 1979 Pontiac, driven by Lowell Fennell Milford of McLean, collided in the 2100 block of Perryton Parkway. Silva was cited for failure to yield right of way at a stop intersection and no liability insurance. No injuries were reported.

DPS

SATURDAY, April 22

11:45 p.m. — A one-vehicle roll-over was reported on U.S. 60, milepost 3. A 1962 Ford pickup driven by William Jack Lisle, 50, of White Deer, was reportedly traveling in an erratic manner west on U.S. 60 when the vehicle ran off the road into a bar ditch, striking a delineator post, according to DPS reports. The driver drove the vehicle back up onto the road, then went into a clockwise side skid before flipping once and landing on all four wheels.

Lisle, suffering from non-incapacitating injuries, was taken to Coronado Hospital by Rural/Metro Ambulance and was admitted for observation.

Fire report

The Pampa Fire Department responded to the following calls during the 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

SATURDAY, April 22

3:06 p.m. — Firefighters responded to a false alarm at Coronado Hospital. A child had pulled one of the alarm stations.

6:35 p.m. — A grass fire was reported on the Waylon Acker land 4 miles south of U.S. 60 on the Celanese highway. No damage estimate was given.

6:40 p.m. — A grass fire was reported 8 miles south and 2 miles west of Pampa. Owner of the land is unknown; damage estimate not given.

SUNDAY, April 23

12:46 p.m. — A grass fire was reported 8 miles south of Pampa on Texas 70. Approximately 1,800 acres of land was reported burned.

10:15 p.m. — Pampa Fire Department ambulance was called to Reid and Gordon streets. Details of the run were not listed.

Stock market

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa.	
Wheat	3.88
Milo	4.22
Corn	4.73
The following quotations show the prices for which these securities could have been traded at the time of compilation.	
Occidental	27 1/2
By Cost Life	12 1/2
Barco	14
The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation.	
Magellan	24.88
Putnam	21.55
The following are 20 A.M. N.Y. stock market quotations as furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa.	
Amex	6 1/2
Arco	94 1/2
Cabot	43 1/2
Chevron	56 1/2
New Atmos	15 1/4
Enron	42 1/2
Phillips	24
Shell	32
Amoco	29 1/2
Imperial	28 1/2
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Wright probe focuses on Texas oil deal

By LARRY MARGASAK
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WASHINGTON (AP) — The probe by the House ethics committee into Speaker Jim Wright moves to his home turf today, where panel members were scheduled to interview the Texas businessman involved in an oil well investment that netted large profits for the blind trust held by the Democratic lawmaker.

Two committee members and panel investigators reportedly will spend three days in Texas, beginning today in San Antonio, to interview financier Morris Jaffe; his business associate and son, M.D. (Doug) Jaffe Jr.; and two others involved in the oil well deal.

Meanwhile, Wright's lawyer in Washington, William C. Oldaker, was expected to continue negotiations with the ethics committee's special outside counsel, Richard J. Phelan, over a timetable for the speaker's personal appearance before the panel.

The ethics panel charged Wright with 69 instances of violating House rules in his dealings with Fort Worth developer George Mallick and evading limits on outside income through bulk sales of a book he authored.

Wright denies any wrongdoing and says he will fight the allegations.

The first phase of its investigation finished, the panel now turns to considering whether there is clear and convincing proof of violations and, if so, deciding whether to recommend disciplinary action to the House.

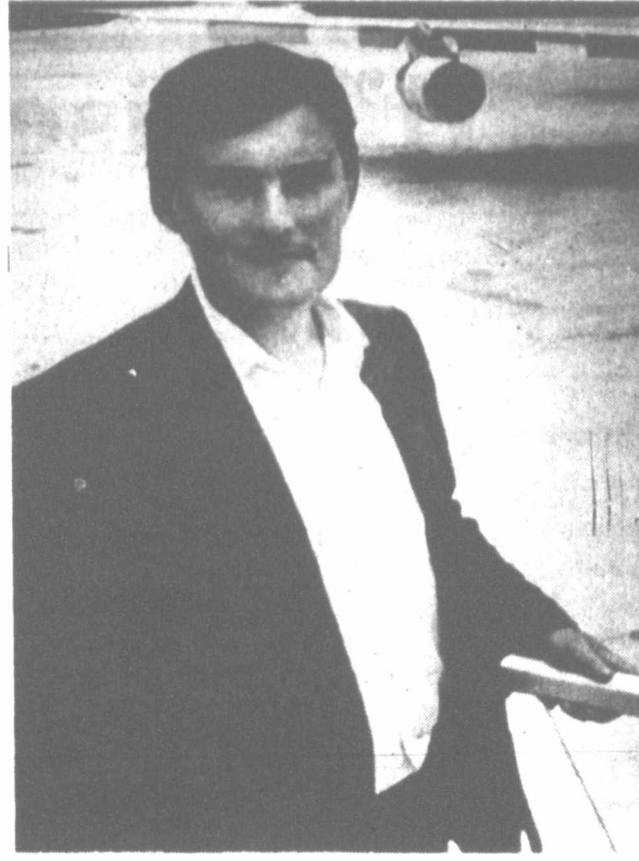
A spokesman for Wright, Mark Johnson, said a resolution of the Washington negotiations isn't expected until late in the week.

The Wright case continues to dominate interest on Capitol Hill, particularly during a week with little else on the agenda.

The Senate remains out of session all week on an extended Passover break and the House does not return until Wednesday, when action is scheduled on a supplemental appropriation bill for the current fiscal year and the House banking panel continues work on its version of a measure to shore up the S&L industry.

The ethics committee said last Monday, in its report on Wright, that it was still investigating how a Wright-Mallick company bought a 4 percent interest in an oil and gas well for \$99,000 — putting up only \$9,120 in cash — and sold it the same day for \$440,000.

Phelan said the committee



Panel members will interview M.D. (Doug) Jaffe Jr., left, and his father, Morris Jaffe (at right with his wife Lisa).

needed to determine whether Wright had knowledge of the deal, which involved the Jaffes, a West German-owned firm, and the blind trust established for Wright in 1987.

The Wright spokesman, Johnson, has repeatedly said the speaker was unaware of the transaction.

A key issue in the overall Wright case is whether he accepted gifts from people with a direct interest in legislation before Congress. House rules prevent members from accepting gifts totaling more than \$100 in a calendar year in such situations.

One of the many companies controlled by Jaffe has sought to share in an Air Force program, under study by Congress, for developing the nation's next jet pilot training aircraft, according to numerous news accounts last week.

Jim Dement, a San Antonio real estate developer and a friend of Morris Jaffe, said Jaffe is eager to explain the oil deal at a news conference — but only after he has been interviewed by ethics committee questioners.

"He (Morris Jaffe) didn't know Wright had an interest in the deal until afterwards," Dement said.

The Jaffes' hometown newspaper, the *San Antonio Light*, said the two businessmen are longtime Democratic Party contributors, and that Wright has visited them often.

According to the ethics committee report, the deal involving the North Sabine Lake Prospect, in Orange County, Texas, unfolded this way:

Mallightco, a company owned by Wright, his business partner Mallick and their wives acquired a 4 percent interest in the well from Jaffe Energy Corp. on May 10, 1988 for \$9,120 cash. The deal was arranged by Michael Mallick, George's son.

The same day, Mallick cut a deal with Union Rheinische Petroleum Inc., a subsidiary of a West German firm, which advanced Mallightco \$440,000. Of that figure, \$90,000 was to pay Mallick's share of the drilling costs.

The deal was structured so that Mallightco received \$350,000 in cash, while owing Jaffe no money for drilling expenses.

On June 9, 1988, Mallightco bought Wright's shares of Mallightco — held by his blind trust — for the same amount made in the oil deal: \$350,000.

The transaction raised questions because of previous problems with the well itself, according to the committee report.

While tests on April 23, 1988,

showed promise of hitting oil and gas, there were "alarming declines" in the prospects several days later, the committee said. "The well clearly had tapped into a reservoir containing some oil and gas, but because the well pressure readings steadily declined during all tests, it was also clear that the well was not a

gusher." By May 4, less than a week before Mallightco made its huge profit, "the well had declined to a point that it was uneconomical to test the negligible quantities of gas and no oil."

The well was shut June 9, the day Wright's interest in Mallightco was purchased by Mallick.

This week in Pampa's history

10 years ago
April 23, 1979 — Doctors from Highland General Hospital and EMTs from Metropolitan Ambulance Service of Pampa try to work out a truce with Amarillo Emergency Services staff members after an incident regarding burned victims. The EMS staff had come to Pampa to pick up victims of a fire at Celanese and transport them by helicopter to Amarillo for emergency treatment. However, after their arrival they accused the Pampa physicians and EMTs of not knowing what they were doing. The argument led to a delay in the burn victims being transported for help.

15 Years Ago
April 23, 1974 — The Pampa Drug Task Force begins efforts to educate the public about narcotics and how to get them out of the

community. According to published reports, it is one of the first such efforts in the history of the city.

20 years ago
April 24, 1969 — A promotion to bring tourists to Pampa, "The Land of Coronado," encourages them to come see the area's sites, including feed lots and a local prairie dog town.

25 years ago
April 24, 1964 — The U.S. Highway Association holds a meeting of members from around the nation at Coronado Inn to discuss making Hwy. 60 a major 4-lane highway that will be a primary traffic route across the United States.

50 years ago
April 24, 1939 — Police investigate the theft of 18 watches from The Diamond Shop on North Cuyler. The watches are valued at between \$10 and \$40 each. Authorities believe the person responsible is the same one who smashed a gumball machine in front of the Ben Bolton Cafe and stole all the gumballs.



Barbara Orbison, left, helps State Rep. Charles Finnell read Roy Orbison Day proclamation at Sunday's tribute.

Roy Orbison's birthplace honors rock'n'roll legend

VERNON (AP) — Fans and friends of singer-songwriter Roy Orbison gathered in this North Texas city over the weekend to pay tribute to their native son who made rock'n'roll history.

Although he is claimed by the West Texas town of Wink, Orbison, who would have been 53 Sunday, was born in Vernon, about 160 miles northwest of Dallas.

The full-day recognition on his birthday was something Orbison had always hoped would happen while he was still making music, said Orbison's widow, Barbara, who attended the activities. Orbison died Dec. 6, 1988 of a massive heart attack.

"Had it been sooner, it would have given us a reason to come back to visit with his old friends in Vernon, but Roy always knew that the people in Vernon loved him," Mrs. Orbison said.

About 5,000 fans of the man whose voice spanned three octaves and who made famous "Only the Lonely," "Oh, Pretty Woman," "Crying" and "In Dreams" jammed the Santa Rosa rodeo grounds for the commemoration.

Also attending were former members of Orbison's bands, The Wink Westerners and Teen

Kings. A local band started the activities, playing classics from the 50s and 60s including all of Orbison's hits. During breaks, spectators sang along to tapes of Orbison's classics and also sang Happy Birthday.

Before he died, Orbison returned to the charts doing an album with the Traveling Wilburys. Orbison also did a solo album, currently in the Top 10 on the pop album chart.

Mrs. Orbison, a resident of Malibu, Calif., was presented with the proclamation passed by the state Legislature in January that declared Sunday Roy Orbison Day in Texas.

"I wanted to spend his first birthday by myself with my kids, but I'm so glad I did come," Mrs. Orbison said. "It's wonderful to see so many of you and to hear so many stories about him. It's wonderful that you took the time out to remember Roy. He was a special guy, a hell of a singer and my favorite Texan."

On a huge stage erected in the center of the rodeo grandstands, interviews were conducted with several of Orbison's friends who related anecdotes about the Rock'n'roll Hall of Famer.

Nobody laughs at fat guys there

Since Vol. I of handy travel tips for summer vacations went over so well — let's see those hoodie fingers flying proudly this summer — here is Vol. II, which, unfortunately, deals with a larger piece of the anatomy.

For we of the chubby set, summer vacations present particular problems. While Ken and Barbie and their kids Muffy, Scooter and Princess can go just about anywhere and look darn good doing it, we are not so fortunate.

When I was younger I had the nicest schoolgirl figure. Now I look more like seven or eight schoolgirls standing real close together. Don't laugh too loud, though; I've heard what your wife is calling you these days — "my Love Zeppelin."

During the winter months we, the brotherhood of Shamu, can hide behind loose fitting sweatshirts and bulky sweaters. In the summer the rules all change. Everybody dresses in cotton balls and pretends like they have clothes on. There's no place to hide the pounds.

That leads to this segment of travel tips. The motto of round mounds of pounds everywhere should be THINK COLD.

If you go to Cancun, Fort Lauderdale or San Diego on vacation, 20,000 people will feel pity for you, the guy with six extra chins and four extra stomachs.

On the other hand, the smart, if hefty vacationer will plan a nice two-week respite to some location like Antarctica or Nome. You'll be the envy of the place.

"Whoa! Look at that guy!"
"That ain't one guy. That's gotta be two or three guys sharing one head."

"No, really, it's only one guy."
"Boy, I've seen walruses with less lard than that."

"Yeah, but I bet he's really warm."
My wife is no help in the area of summer outings and weight. She keeps dragging me to places where it is fashionable to take off as many clothes as Christian folk take off outside the bedroom and lie sweating in plastic chairs while contracting skin cancer under a 108 degree sun.

"Take off your shirt, honey. You aren't getting

They're happy to be blue

FARMERS BRANCH (AP) — Farmers Branch police officers should be in the pink now that they'll be wearing blue.

Officers in the Dallas suburb had complained they were often mistaken for security guards — even by fellow officers from surrounding cities — because of their brown uniforms.

Now Farmers Branch officers can thrust out their chests proudly when they see the "Back the Blue" bumper stickers supporting their blue-clad colleagues from the Dallas Police Department.

City Manager Ron Escalante's suggestion box brimmed with proposals that the police change their uniforms, and the City

Council responded by voting to spend more than \$23,000 to buy new blue uniforms. The city will spend nearly the same amount later to buy matching long-sleeved shirts.

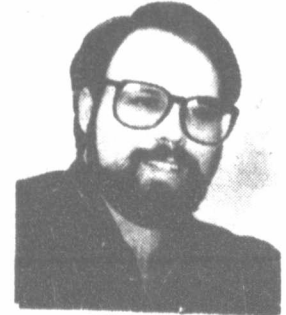
"It's been the biggest morale boost we could ever have given them," said Donna Huerta, city spokeswoman, who said the new uniforms should be available next month.

"The men are looking forward to it," said Lt. Harold Sudderth. "They took a poll of the troops and about 76 percent of them wanted to change."

"I don't know what it was," he said. "I think a lot of them thought it gives them a more authoritative figure."

Off Beat

By Bear Mills



any sun."

"Who wants a tanned hippo?"
"Oh, honey, quit it. You're not fat. Take off your shirt and get some sun."

OK, I know — her glasses prescription obviously needs some modification, but I love her for her thoughtfulness.

Just about the time I get up the courage to loose the shirt, a half dozen studs in Speedos will go running past. The shirt goes back on.

The terrible thing is that my wife did this to me. I used to be a pretty thin guy. I've even got the pictures to prove it. Then I get married and — boom — on come the pounds. When I said "I do," what I was saying was "I will."

I WILL eat more banana pudding in two years than I have in my whole lifetime up to this point. I WILL have seconds on the potato casserole with cheese AND sour creme. I WILL inflate like a balloon.

But what I won't do is proudly display all my hard work at the dinner table. There is nothing worse than seeing fat people who don't know it.

I saw a lady the other day at the mall who had to be approaching critical mass. She was dressed in a tube top and shorts.

She looked like what you'd get if you tied a noose around the middle of a frog and yanked. Things that God never intended to be displayed were bulging out in all kinds of directions.

So this summer we will let the "beautiful people" head for the ocean, the pool or the water park. The brotherhood of Shamu is going to the North Pole. Nobody laughs at fat guys up there ... or else.

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We believe that freedom is a gift from God and not a political grant from government, and that men have the right to take moral action to preserve their life and property for themselves and others.

Freedom is neither license nor anarchy. It is control and sovereignty of oneself, no more, no less. It is, thus, consistent with the coveting commandment.

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Larry D. Hollis
Managing Editor

Opinion

Wright's comedy act not so funny

The investigation into House Speaker Jim Wright is turning into a comedy act. The latest revelation is that in 1984 Wright sold 504 copies of his book, *Reflections of a Public Man*, to Southwest Texas University. The \$3,000 paid for the books was in lieu of a \$3,000 speaking fee that would have violated House rules. The money paid was also \$1,000 more than the university's rules permit per speech.

Wright personally got about \$1,600 in profits from the book sales. And his speech was part of Southwest Texas's Lyndon B. Johnson lecture series, appropriately named after the former president, another greasy Lone Star State politician.

But there's more funny stuff. George A. Mallick Jr. charged Wright's accusers and investigators with "nouveau McCarthyism." But Mallick is Wright's major business crony; their partnership is being investigated by the House ethics committee.

Another Wright crony, Carlos Moore, said of the ethics committee's independent counsel, Richard J. Phelan: "McCarthy looks like a damn liberal compared to this guy." But Moore was the publisher of Wright's book, on which Wright was given 55 percent royalties, compared to industry highs of 15 percent. So far Moore's firm has paid Wright \$55,000 in royalties. It has also been revealed that Wright hired Moore's publishing firm to publish some House documents.

The McCarthy rap is particularly ironic. In the early 1950s, Joseph McCarthy, a powerful senator, misused his authority in investigations into communist infiltration of the U.S. government. He was later censured by the Senate for his misdeeds. In other words, the real parallel is not that Wright is a victim of "McCarthyism," but that, like McCarthy, he has abused his immense powers, and that this abuse is being investigated by the fellow members of his own house of Congress.

Despite the humor of all this, we should realize that Wright is two heartbeats away from the presidency. Should something happen in a short time span to both President Bush and Vice President Quayle, Wright would be elevated to the full powers of the White House. For that reason he should come clean about all his involvements with Texas cronies. And if all the allegations against him prove true, he should step down as speaker. The last thing in we need in a position so close to the Oval Office is some- one of dubious moral structure.

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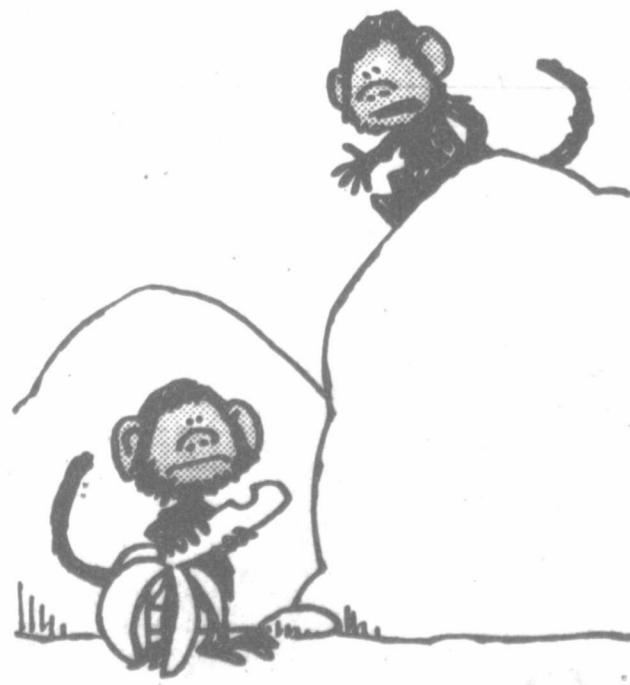
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"Haven't you heard? Now the EPA says we shouldn't eat BANANAS!"

It's wiser to simply sit there

WASHINGTON — Lunacy breeds lunacy. Emotion overwhelms reason. On Jan. 17, Patrick James Purdy murdered five children in a schoolyard in Stockton, Calif. It was a terrible crime, but for the past three months presumably intelligent persons have ceased to blame Purdy. They are blaming the kind of rifle he used instead. It is like blaming the pot for burning the beans.

The current campaign to ban "assault weapons" makes no sense. It is a manifestation of the panicky demand that often is made upon lawmakers: "Don't just sit there! Do something!" At times it is wiser simply to sit there, and one of those times is at hand.

The U.S. Senate is praying over a bill, S.386, sponsored by Howard Metzenbaum of Ohio. It is a bill "to control the sale and use of assault weapons." Companion legislation is pending in the House.

At least 13 state legislatures are actively considering bills to the same end. The sponsors may be credited with possessing good intentions, but they may equally be criticized for fostering bad legislation.

On superficial inspection, the Metzenbaum bill appears to take a reasonable approach. It would ban the sale or possession of certain named semiautomatic firearms, such as the Kalashnikov and the Uzi. One may fairly inquire: Who needs these for hunting? The deer that is struck by a 20-round burst would hit the ground as venison stew.

On closer examination, the Metzenbaum bill loses any semblance of merit. It is so loosely drafted that it could affect millions of semiautomatic firearms that are owned and used by law-abiding citizens throughout the nation. The bill



James J. Kilpatrick

would place dangerous and unprecedented power in the hands of the secretary of the treasury.

Some of its provisions would require the confiscation of private property without just compensation. None of its provisions would have any significant impact upon drug traffickers or crazies. Perhaps careful draftsmen — draftsmen who know at least something about firearms — could put together a useful bill, but S.836 isn't it.

Sponsors of the pending bills run into trouble at the threshold: Except what is an "assault weapon"? Metzenbaum's definition is the kind of definition beloved by Humpty-Dumpty. An assault weapon is any weapon the secretary of the treasury says is an assault weapon.

This won't do. Millions of law-abiding sportsmen own and use semiautomatic rifles and shotguns that are "substantially identical" to the weapons specifically banned by the Metzenbaum bill. Functionally there is no difference between the "Street Sweeper," which S.386 would outlaw, and the Remington 1100, which 3 million hunters regularly take to the field.

An additional objection to the pending bills may lie in the Second Amendment to the Con-

stitution. "A well-regulated militia, being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed."

I am not certain what the amendment means, and neither is the U.S. Supreme Court, but obviously it means something. If it means that a right to own a military-type weapon may not be infringed, the sponsors have a problem. "Assault weapons" are precisely the weapons a well-regulated militia would employ.

The amendment does not establish an absolute right to keep and bear arms, any more than the First Amendment secures an absolute right to engage in free speech. Constitutionally speaking, a working machine gun and child pornography are in the same class: Neither is protected. All the same, it would stagger the Founding Fathers to learn that in a free society, no person has a right to own an ordinary repeating shotgun.

The frenzy to pass a law — any law! — may be explained in several ways. Part of the explanation lies in fear, one of the most basic of all emotions. In our great urban centers people are scared witless by gunslingsers on the streets.

Part lies in mounting hostility toward the National Rifle Association. Its current public relations problems are exceeded only by those of Exxon. When the NRA characterizes proponents of gun control as "enemies" who are "crafty" and "hypocritical," the NRA loses more than it gains. Such rhetoric is a poor substitute for reason.

Banning weapons like the weapon used by Purdy will accomplish little. The legislative goal should be to prevent loonies like Purdy from getting such weapons in the first place.

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Military award for a civilian

Tom O'Connel got up from the breakfast table that morning, kissed his wife, Melinda, and their two tiny daughters, Samantha and Jessica, and he headed off to work.

The girls followed their father as far as the front yard.

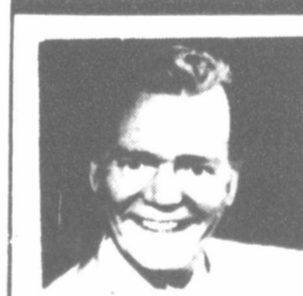
It had rained for most of 10 days. The sun was out now, but Andover, Ohio, was soggy. The nearby drainage ditch was filled with rushing runoff.

Minutes later daughters Samantha and Jessica were bouncing a beach ball when mother looked out the window and Jessica, age 2, was nowhere in sight.

At the same time and two houses away, neighbor Ray Blankenship was sipping breakfast juice, gazing out the window — when suddenly he saw a baby girl being swept along in the flooded drainage ditch.

Ray Blankenship was aware that the ditch — just a few yards downstream — washed into the North Main culvert. It was 30 feet long and flooded to the top.

Ray Blankenship dashed out the door, raced parallel to the ditch, trying to get ahead of the



Paul Harvey

floundering child — then he hurled himself into the churning water.

Inside the house his wife telephoned for police — her heart pounding — anxious for the child and for her husband in the flooded ditch.

Ray Blankenship surfaced — was able to reach out and grab the baby Jessica's arm. He pulled her close to himself but the raging floodwater carried both of them toward that culvert — less than 20 feet away. There, the ditch disappeared with a roar underneath the road.

Blankenship, with his free hand, clutched for

anything solid.

The two of them were end over end and within 10 feet of the yawning culvert when Ray's free hand found a rock protruding from one bank.

He maneuvered himself close. The tremendous force of the water tried to tear him and Jessica away from the rock — but — if he could just hang on until rescue came.

He did.

Fire Department rescuers pulled both baby Jessica and Ray Blankenship to safety.

At the hospital both were treated for near drowning and shock but both recovered.

And on April 12 in Andover, Ohio, the Commander of the Ninth Coast Guard District — Rear Adm. Richard Applebaum — presented the Coast Guard's Lifesaving Medal to Ray Blankenship.

Yes, it is — a military award for a civilian — but his heroism is no less becoming.

For, as the citation reads, he reflected credit on himself and on his country.

This selfless American was at even greater risk to himself than I have so far mentioned.

Ray Blankenship can't swim.

Having second thoughts on animal rights

By CHUCK STONE

After my recent column on animal rights, I recalled Charles Dickens' famed opening lines:

"It was the best of times, it was the worst of times ... it was the epoch of belief, it was the epoch of incredulity."

It was my incredulity and the intensity and outpouring of reader response that stunned me. Yet, there was an overarching beauty to the outburst, even if it was aimed at me.

The people I heard from love animals so deeply that they are determined to prevent exploitative cruelty in the name of research or fashion. These ultimate humanitarians link their own breath of life with that of all living creatures and consider cruelty to an animal every bit as heinous as cruelty to a human being.

It is a position that I still cannot accept. But my consciousness has been raised (has it ever?), my conscience tested and my education broadened. So this is a column of contrition.

At the recent Women's Equality/Women's Lives march in Washington, D.C., which I covered as a journalist, but marched in as a feminist, I saw the Pulitzer Prize-winning black writer Alice Walker, an old friend who has written in support of animal rights.

I told her I owed her an apology. I had suggested in my original column that blacks avoid the animal rights movement. Alice listened quietly, said nothing, but reached up, hugged me and moved on.

In that same column, I wrongfully questioned the commitment of Dr. George P. Cave, president of Trans-Species Unlimited and suggested that it was an elitist movement.

Cave, a gentle, soft-spoken scholar (Ph.D. in philosophy), goes beyond being a mere vegetarian. He is a vegan, a practitioner of a lifestyle that is closest to Albert Schweitzer's ideology of "reverence for life." Vegans do not wear or eat anything that comes from an animal. That includes leather

and dairy products. They have a respect for all living animals that humbles you, even if you disagree with it.

Cave and I had a thoughtful telephone conversation. Speciesism, he said, inflicts needless and wanton pain on animals in the same way that racism and sexism arbitrarily abuse blacks and women. He quoted the great utilitarian philosopher, Jeremy Bentham: "Pain is pain no matter who suffers it."

I can't argue with that. But free animals can survive, and free humans are still homeless and starving. It is not coincidental that a black columnist, Bill Raspberry of The Washington Post, shared my objections to the animal rights movement in a 1981 column, "Saving Monkeys, Ignoring People."

But Cave insists that "those who liberate themselves from arbitrary prejudice against members of their own species are also more likely to evolve ethically toward the realization that other creatures who share this planet with us also have a right to

live out their lives free from oppression and exploitation, and that we are not entitled to inflict pain, suffering and death upon them unnecessarily — particularly for something as selfish and frivolous as fur coats."

Agreed. But the ultimate logic of this position, of course, raises questions about animals as pets (they are, in a sense, slaves), animals in the zoo and animals who provide life-giving vitamins. In the ghetto, milk is more easily available than vitamins.

"Consistency," insists Cave, "requires advocating complete abstention from animal products."

I'm not that strong. And I continue to reject the moral equating of the constitutional rights of human beings with the ethical rights of animals.

Still, I urge you to write to Dr. Cave for more information. His address is: Dr. George Cave, president, Trans-Species Unlimited, P.O. Box 1553, Williamsport, PA 17703-1553.

You'll be a better human being for having done so.

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Lifestyles

Students in Lefors named to honor roll

Lefors Elementary and Secondary Schools have announced their honor roll students for the fifth six weeks period.

Those students who received all A's in grades one through six include Misty Downes, Jeremy Pierce, Candid Ray and Michael Steele, first grade; Sheila Berry, Dana Crutcher, Scott Glass and Angela Huckins, second grade; Nikki Bockmon and TeJay Steele, third grade; Kisha Crain, Tenille Franks and Scott Weibling, fourth grade; Bryan Bockmon and Jerimey Howard, fifth

grade; and Shawna Lock, sixth grade.

Those students who received all A's and B's include first graders Eric Connell, Shanna Elkins, Rebecca Gilbert, Tracye May and Melody Seely; second graders Kody Franks, Heather Howard, Len Lock, Gwen Nolte and Jared Story; third graders Cindy Culver, Katisha Jackson and Aaron Whitney; fourth graders Justin Howard, Jennifer Lock, Mandy Mata, Brandie Pierce and Jennifer Williams; fifth grader Keith Franks; sixth graders Keli

Crockett, Renea Gilbert and Jason Winegeart.

Ginger Hannon is a junior high student who received all A's. Receiving all A's and B's were Tiffanie Franks, Alta May Joslyn, Dennis Williams, Howdi Cotham, Shane Daniels, Andy Swires and Sean Weibling.

High School student John Call made all A's for this period. Making all A's and B's were Stacy Cotham, Kim Moore, Amy Clancy, Jennifer Moore, Lee Villareal and Chad Quarles.

Local writers and artists may compete for awards

Several opportunities exist for area writers and artists to submit their works in various contests for cash prizes and in some cases for publication.

Amarillo Tri-State Fair
The Amarillo Tri-State Fair Literacy Contests were organized to promote the writers of the Panhandle area, to give them an opportunity to participate in an area-sponsored contest. Beginning and experienced writers are encouraged to enter their work to be recognized as area writers. If writers send for rules now, there will be several months to work their manuscripts into shape for the competition.

New contest rules for the Tri-State Fair Contests are now available. Five categories will be featured in Prose, as well as Poetry.

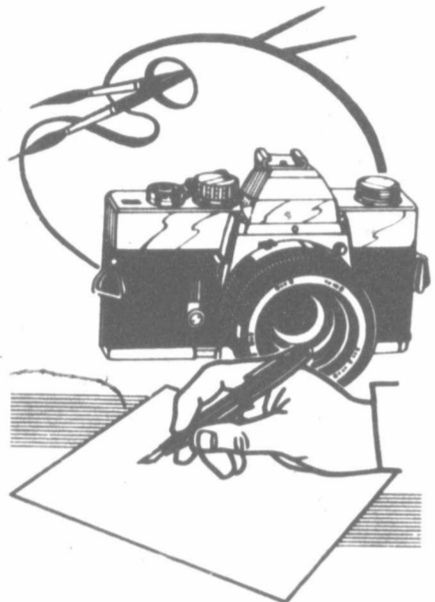
The Young Writers Contests are now split into two age levels: younger writers, eight thru 12 and 13 thru 18. Prose and poetry divisions have three categories each. Entry fees are \$3 for prose and \$2 for poetry.

Special awards of \$25 will be presented by Amarillo groups for Best of Show winners, chosen from all first place entries. The adult poetry award will be given by the Hi-Plains Poetry Chapter of the Poetry Society of Texas; Panhandle Professional Writers will donate the prize for prose. For the young writers, Friends of the Library will present the Best of Show Awards in prose for both age groups; Tri-State Fair will provide the poetry awards. Regular Tri-State Fair prizes are a rosette and \$5 for first place, a ribbon and \$3 for second, \$2 and a ribbon for third. Certificates will be presented for all honorable mention winners. Entry fees provide the regular prizes, certificates and judges honorariums.

For a copy of the contest rules, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to: Marianne McNeil, 7003 Amarillo Blvd. East, Amarillo, TX 79107, or to Helen Luecke, 2921 S. Dallas Street, Amarillo, TX 79103. If the young writers rules are wanted, be sure to ask for them.

Deadline for all entries is an August 1st postmark. Mail entries to Marianne McNeil, Tri-State Fair Literary Superintendent, P.O. Box 31087, Amarillo, TX 79120-1087. Enclose a SASE for winners' lists. Winning entries and area writers work will be displayed at the literary booth during Tri State Fair week, September 18-23 and can be picked up on Sunday, the 24th, between 1 and 4 p.m.

Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum Inc.
Sparrowgrass Poetry Form Inc. is offering a grand prize of \$500 in its new "Distinguished Poet Awards" poetry contest. Thirty-four other cash award are



also being offered. The contest is free to enter.

Poets may enter only one poem, 20 lines or less, on any subject, in any style. Contest closes May 31, but poets are encouraged to submit their work as soon as possible, since entries will also be considered for publication in *Treasured Poems of America*, a hardcover anthology. Prizes will be awarded by July 31.

Mail entries to Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum Inc., Dept. EA, 203 Diamond St., Box 193, Sistersville, WV 26175.

State Department of Highways and Public Transportation
How does transportation affect our daily lives? If you can express your answer well in writing, and you are a junior or senior in high school, you can win a cash award.

To celebrate its 75th anniversary, the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials is sponsoring an essay contest. The writer of the top national essay will win \$1,000 and a trip to Atlanta, Georgia, in October, as the guest of the association's annual conference. Two national runners-up will receive \$750 awards.

Contest rules specify that essays be 600 to 1000 words. The writer of the first place essay

from Texas will win \$500, donated by the Texas Good Roads/Transportation Association. Two runners-up will receive \$250.

Deadline is mid-May. For more information call Susan Stockett at 355-5671 extension 229.

Black Arts Alliance
The Black Arts Alliance, an Austin-based multi-disciplinary arts and cultural organization serving Black artists, is sponsoring its 7th Annual Juried Black Artists' Exhibition competition. Black artists who reside in Texas and are at least 16 years of age are eligible to participate. All media will be accepted and no work may exceed 65"x65" in size.

Cash awards will be presented for: Best of Show, \$500; Graphics/Mixed Media, \$100; Photography, \$100; Sculpture/Three-dimensional Art/Jewelry, \$100. The deadline for slide entries is May 20 and there is a \$3 entry fee for each slide.

For more information or entry application, call or write the Black Arts Alliance, at (512) 477-9660; 1157 Navasota St., Austin, Texas 78702.

MS chapter plan bike tour

The Panhandle Chapter of the Multiple Sclerosis Society is sponsoring a Wild West 150 Bike Tour for July 29-30.

It is an exciting opportunity to cycle along the old California Gold Trail, wagon train and military trails that made the West what it is today.

The tour will start at the Fifth Season Inn at 1-40 and Nelson in Amarillo and end at the Salt Fork of the Red River. The City of Canadian and the Canadian Rotary Club will host events for the evening and morning of July 29-30 to the trail's end for swimming and a pow-wow.

For more information and entry blanks contact the Panhandle MS Chapter at 1416 W. 8th, Amarillo, Texas 79101-9946.

Meet your neighbor



Anyone visiting the Pampa Community Building will recognize this man, James Taylor, building supervisor. His wife Bea says she doesn't see him much in the even-

ings. He's kept busy supervising all the special events scheduled in the M.K. Brown and Nona Payne rooms.

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DEAR ABBY: Just a note to give you a report on your column concerning body donations to medical schools. Since that column appeared on Nov. 30, we have received more than 2,500 requests for medical school addresses from every state in the union, and they are still coming in.

I doubt if you realize how much this has helped our senior citizens' planning, as every year funeral expenses become a more serious concern for them.

Every time you publish that beautiful piece, "To Remember Me" by Robert Test, and ask your readers to contact us for donor registration forms and information, we are inundated.

Please don't forget us the week of April 23, Abby. It's been designated as National Organ/Tissue Donor Awareness Week.

BRUCE B. CONWAY,
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR,
THE LIVING BANK, HOUSTON
DEAR BRUCE: Forget you? Never! First, that magnificent piece:

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"Give my sight to a man who has



Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

prejudice against my fellowman. "Give my soul to God. "If by chance you wish to remember me, do it with a kind deed or word to someone who needs you. If you do all I have asked, I will live forever." ROBERT N. TEST

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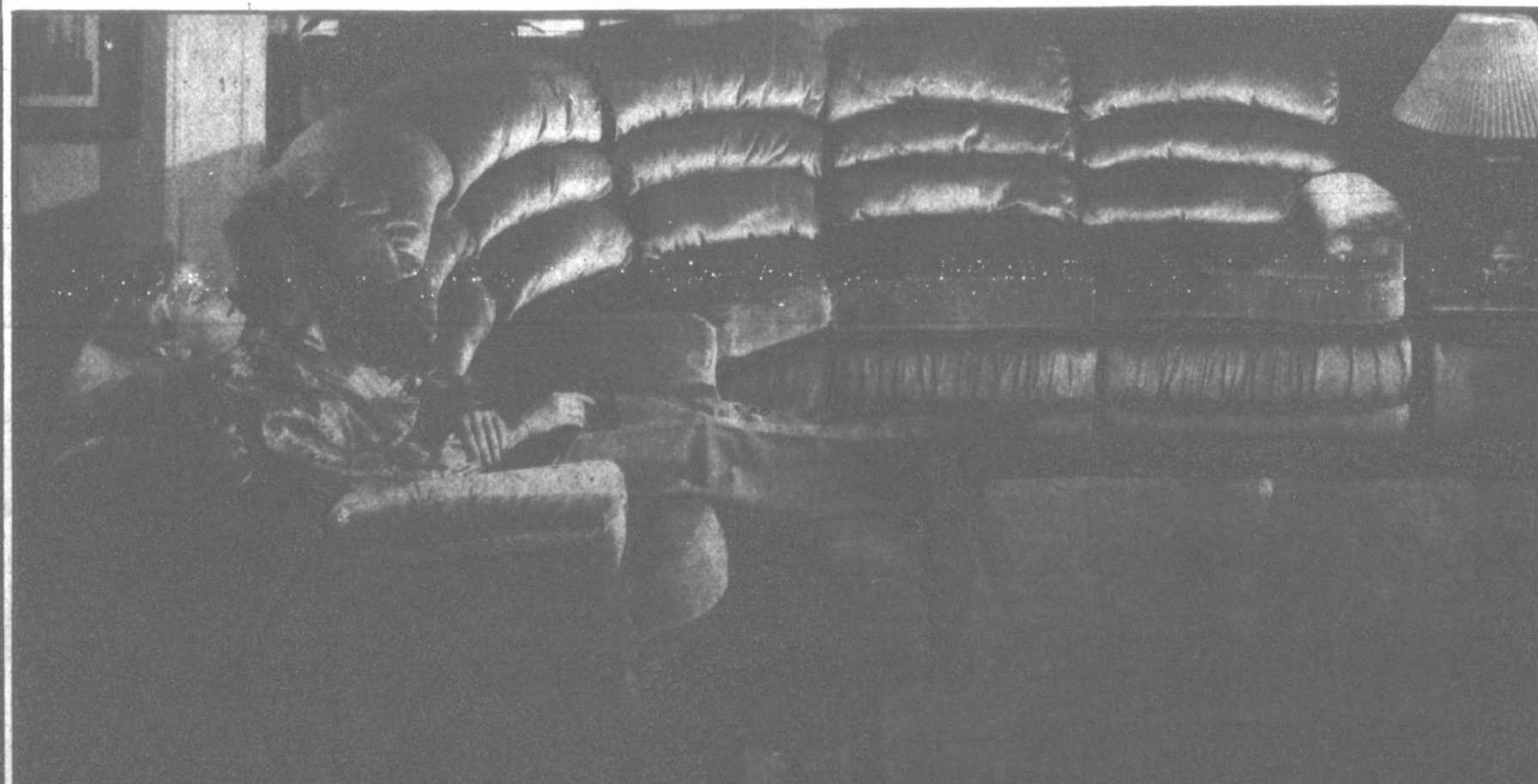
This is strictly a non-profit organization, operating on a shoestring as a public service, so please be a sport and send a dollar or two along with your request. It's tax deductible.

DEAR ABBY: After a recent divorce, I find it rather awkward introducing my ex-husband to people. We are still good friends and not very well known in this community.

How shall I introduce him to others? "This is my ex-husband" sounds rather degrading. "This is my friend" does not sound right after having been married to him. Any ideas? STUMPED

DEAR STUMPED: It isn't necessary to inform people who are meeting your ex-husband for the first time that you and he were married to each other. Introduce him by his name — and leave the details of your relationship for another time.

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Sports

Sunday's NFL draft predictable

By DAVE GOLDBERG
AP Football Writer

NEW YORK — The Washington Redskins made the predictable trade for the predictable players; the Cleveland Browns tried to clone tight end Ozzie Newsome and the first eight picks were just about what everyone thought they'd be.

Except for Louis Oliver, Andre Rison, Cleveland Gary, Tracy Rucker and Rodney Peete, highly rated players who were not quite so highly rated when the day ended, Sunday's five rounds of the NFL draft were highly predictable.

Or, as Broderick Thomas, the linebacker from Nebraska, said after he was taken just as forecast by Tampa Bay with the sixth pick:

"Right on time."
The first pick was, of course, Troy Aikman, the UCLA quarterback who last week signed an \$11.2 million, six-year deal with Dallas.

Then came Tony Mandarich, the Michigan State offensive tackle who went to Green Bay and Heisman Trophy winner Barry Sanders, the running back who was taken by the Detroit Lions. Then came linebacker Derrick Thomas of Alabama, who went to Kansas City; cornerback Deion Sanders of Florida State to Atlanta; Broderick Thomas;

running back Tim Worley of Georgia to Kansas City and defensive end Burt Grossman of Pitt to San Diego.

But just as predictable were the trades that brought Washington two heavy-duty running backs with some wear and tear on them, Gerald Riggs from Atlanta and Earnest Byner from Cleveland, and the maneuvering that got them yet another young quarterback, Jeff Graham of Long Beach State — after he had been taken on the fourth round by Green Bay.

Byner came for another running back, Mike Oliphant, who was Washington's second pick last season. But Riggs came the more traditional way — for draft picks, including Washington's No. 1 next year, the 17th first-rounder they'll be without in 20 years.

Graham, another developmental quarterback to go with Mark Rypien and Stan Humphries, came for fifth- and eighth-round picks and wide receiver Erik Affholter, who had been taken minutes earlier on the fourth round.

"This fits in with the way we've always dealt in the past," said coach Joe Gibbs, whose running game was a major disappointment last season as Washington slipped from an NFL championship to a 7-9 record.

"We don't like trading players.

We'd prefer to do it with draft choices."

But other than Cleveland, which gave its 1990 top pick to Green Bay so it could take Newsome-like oversized wide receiver Lawyer Tillman of Auburn, the other teams preferred to do it with draft choices, notably large draft choices.

For example, 19 of the 72 players taken in the first three rounds were offensive linemen, six on the first round, starting with Mandarich, the 6-foot-6, 315-pound tackle considered by far the best pure player in the draft.

The New York Giants, heeding general manager George Young's adage "when you get big bodies who can play, grab them," used their first two picks on Big Ten offensive linemen for the second straight year. Their first-round choice was center-guard Brian Williams of Minnesota; their second, on the third round, guard Bob Kretch of Iowa.

Seattle did likewise — choosing offensive tackle Andy Heck of Notre Dame on the first round and center Joe Tofflemeyer of Arizona on the second.

Cleveland engaged in its own brand of saturation, taking speed to replace the ponderous backfield of Kevin Mack and Byner.

First, the Browns traded up from 20th to 13th in the first round and snared Eric Metcalf, the speedy Texas running back who

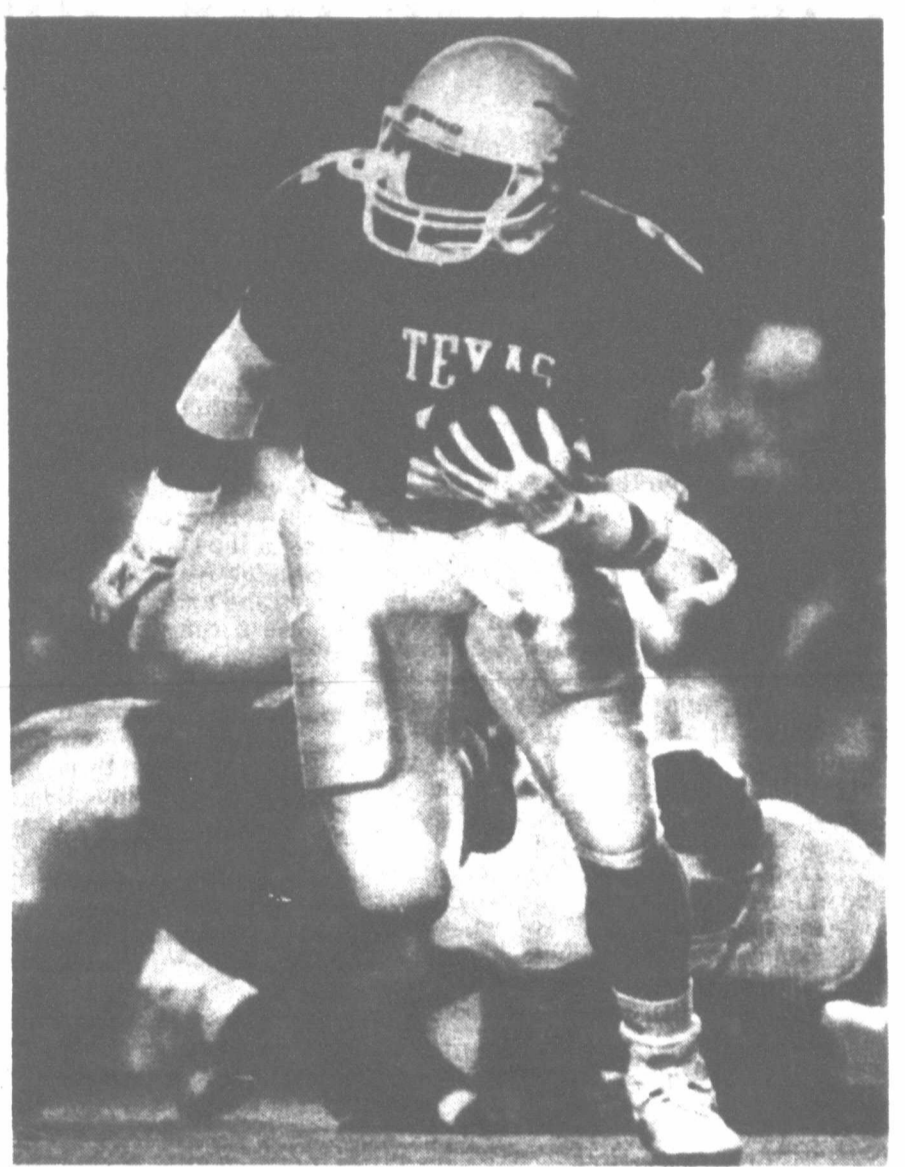
can also be used at wide receiver. Then they gave next year's first-rounder, plus running back Herman Fontenot, to Green Bay to move up in the second-round to take Tillman, a 6-4, 225-pounder whom the Browns see as a tight end in the mold of Newsome, himself a wide receiver at Alabama.

Cleveland also admitted a major mistake when it traded linebacker Mike Junkin, the fifth choice overall in the 1987 draft to Kansas City for a fifth-round pick. The Chiefs are coached by Marty Schottenheimer, who was the Browns' coach when Junkin was drafted.

Seven quarterbacks were chosen in Sunday's five rounds, two by Green Bay. One was Graham, whom they traded to the Redskins, the other, third-round choice Anthony Dilweg of Duke.

The others were Aikman, Mike Elkins of Wake Forest by Kansas City and Billy Joe Tolliver of Texas Tech by San Diego on the second; Erik Wilhelm of Oregon State by Cincinnati on the third and Jeff Carlson of Weber State on the fourth. The Chargers gave up three draft picks to the Giants to move up to get Tolliver.

But Peete, the Heisman Trophy runner-up from Southern Cal and the second-rated quarterback by most of the scouting services, wasn't drafted, not even by Green Bay, where his father Willie is an assistant coach.



Eric Metcalf, former University of Texas tailback, was picked in the first round by the Cleveland Browns.

Still pitching after all these years

By RONALD BLUM
AP Sports Writer

So he's four days older than the vice president of the United States. So no one's ever thrown a no-hitter at his age. The miles per hour on Nolan Ryan's fastball mean a lot more than the number of candles on his latest birthday cake.

Age is enhancing his baseball skills rather than diminishing them.

"I don't know how many

more chances I'm going to get," Ryan said Sunday after coming within two outs of his sixth no-hitter, "but the way I've been throwing, it's certainly not out of the question that I'll get another shot."

After 23 seasons in the major leagues, his future is more interesting than his past.

He has thrown five no-hitters, one more than Sandy Koufax. Only three others have thrown three.

He has thrown 10 one-hitters, one short of Bob Fel-

ler's record. On April 11, Ryan took a no-hitter into the eighth inning against Milwaukee. Last year, he came within two outs of a no-hitter against Philadelphia.

"I haven't gotten bored with no-hitters, yet," he said.

No one's bored when Ryan's on the mound. Even his competitors can't believe what he does.

"He has a God-given talent," Toronto's Tom Henke said after watching Sunday's performance, a 4-1 one-hitter over the Blue Jays. "I can't think of anyone who throws as hard now as when they started."

Henke's 31, which used to be an old age for pitchers. He doesn't think he'll be pitching at Ryan's age. "I'll be laying bricks," he said.

While everyone else is stunned, Ryan takes his arm for granted.

"I don't think I've done anything other people haven't done," he said. "I was blessed with a good arm and body. I've had good mechanics and a good conditioning program."

On Sunday, he threw 89 fastballs, 59 for strikes. He threw 23 curveballs, 12 for strikes. He threw 16 changeups, 10 for strikes. No hard-hit balls through seven innings.

Then he breezed through the eighth — striking out Jesse Barfield and Rob Ducey around a groundout by Rance Mulliniks.

He got Lloyd Moseby on a foul pop to start the ninth. That brought up Nelson Liriano, a .208 hitter.

In his first three career at-bats against Ryan, Liriano had walked, grounded out to second and taken a called third strike. This time, with a 1-1 count, Ryan tried to get a fastball low and outside.

"He's a dead pull hitter," Rangers catcher Geno Petralli said, "and we had success with pitching him away, which is what we wanted to keep doing."

The ball stayed over the plate as Liriano pulled it down the right-field line — about 10 feet fair — for a triple.

"I don't recall what I said,"

Ryan tried to remember later, "but it was not printable. I got to the ninth and felt I had the stuff to get it done."

Ryan had no regrets about throwing a fastball.

"It was the location, not the pitch. In that situation he's looking for one thing, a fastball to hit hard. And with the location I gave him, he got it."

Liriano was, indeed, looking for a fastball.

"That's my area, I think," the third-year second baseman said. "The people were cheering Ryan. I heard that, but I'm just doing my job. I'm not sorry. I don't feel like a bad guy."

Ryan said he felt better than he did against the Brewers, whom he no-hit until Terry Francona's single in the eighth.

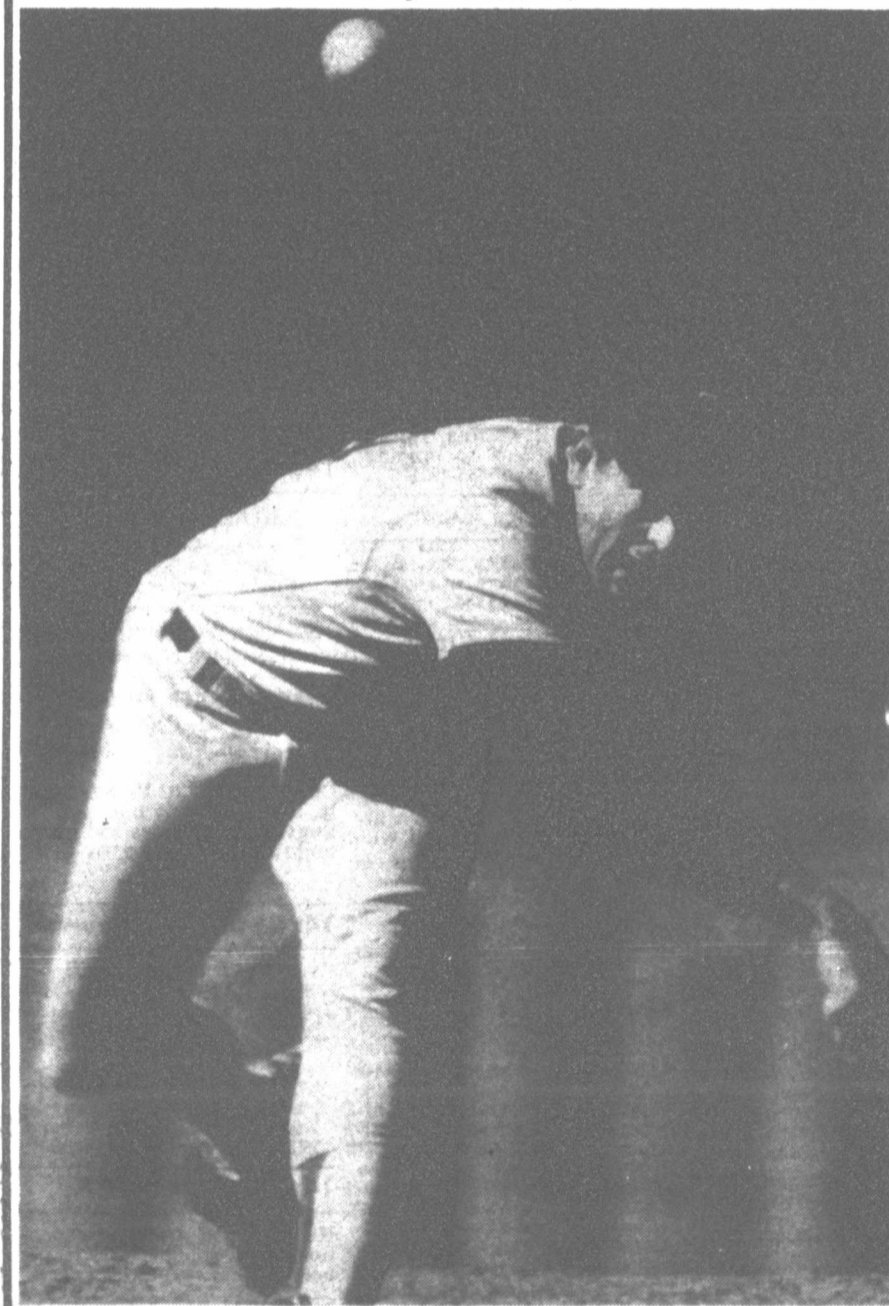
"I didn't have as good a changeup as I had in Milwaukee, but the curveball made the difference," Ryan said. "I had better stuff and the fact I had the breaking ball made me more confident that I could do it. In Milwaukee, it was cold. I didn't feel good and I didn't have the curveball. That was one of those games here you wonder how you got where you are."

He got where he is with the fastball, the famed Ryan Express that has sent 4,813 batters walking back to the dugout. He never expected to be doing it this long.

"When I signed my first contract with Houston," he said of a three-year deal that began in 1980, "I thought that was going to be my last one. When I broke in, my pitchers were usually done by their mid-30s. I had no reason to feel I'd be any different. I don't make any guesses anymore. At the end of each year, I just look at how I feel."

He feels a lot better than the batters he faces. They don't know what to make of him any more than Ryan does. No one in baseball can explain it.

"It's like a car," Toronto general manager Pat Gillick said. "Some engines can do 100,000 miles. He can go 500,000 miles — or pitches."



Rangers' pitcher Nolan Ryan gave up a hit in the ninth inning Sunday to narrowly miss throwing his sixth career no-hitter.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

BASEBALL

Pampa-Hereford

The Hereford Whitefaces pulled off a 17-16 victory over the Pampa Harvesters in District 1-4A baseball action Saturday at Hereford.

After trailing by as many as eight runs, Pampa roared to life with seven runs in the seventh inning. Then, with Hereford on top 16-12 in the top of the ninth, Pampa first baseman Mike Cagle nailed a grand-slam homer to knot the score at 16.

At that point, Hereford coach T.R. Sartor halted the game to make seven substitutions and the Herd retired the side without another Pampa run.

Hereford managed one run in the bottom of the ninth to secure the win.

Hereford improved its record to 10-0-1 to remain atop the district standings, while Pampa fell to 8-4 and stayed in third place. Estacado (11-1) is second.

"That puts us in a bind to get into the playoffs," Pampa coach Rod Porter said. "Estacado has four games left, and they have to lose three or four of them."

"And we've got our hands full, with Estacado, Levelland, Dumas and Dunbar coming up. There are no easy games left."

Pampa will host Canyon in a non-district contest Tuesday beginning at 4:30. On Saturday, the Harvesters travel to Lubbock to take on Estacado at 2 p.m.

The Pampa JV travels to Perryton Tuesday and hosts Randall Friday afternoon.

Pampa Challenge

The Pampa Challenge will be held Sunday, April 30, starting at 1 p.m. at Harvester Field.

The Challenge is a baseball contest consisting of hitting, throwing, fielding, baserunning and catching events. Proceeds will go to the high school baseball program.

Entry fee is three dollars and pre-registration ends April 29. Entry fee is five dollars the day of the contest.

Trophies will be presented in eleven different age groups, ranging from eight years old through adult. The contest is open to both boys and girls.

Entry forms may be picked up

FOOTBALL

from high school coaches Rod Porter and Steve Porter or at the high school athletic office.

Girls' Softball

William's Appliance defeated Malcolm Hinkle, 23-10, in a girls' junior softball league game played Friday evening.

Friday evening led William's both at the plate and on the mound. She struck out three batters, walked five and allowed three hits to pick up the pitching win. She also hit two singles and a double.

Teammate Barbie Stanley collected three singles, while Tammy Chesher rapped two singles.

William's held Malcolm Hinkle scoreless for the first three innings before Kristy Horton and Jennifer Keeton each hit a single.

Crystal Gideon of Malcolm Hinkle struck out three batters, although she gave up 11 runs on 15 hits and two bases on balls and was credited with the loss.

FOOTBALL

NEW YORK (AP) — Sunday's round-by-round selections involving players from Texas or adjacent states in the NFL college draft. Positions listed are those projected by the drafting teams, not necessarily those played in college:

Round	Player	Position	Team
1	Eric Hill	QB	LSU
1	Barry Sanders	RB	Oklahoma State
1	Eric Metcalf	RB	Texas Tech
1	Deion Sanders	CB	Florida State
1	Wayne Martin	DE	Arkansas
1	Steve Atwater	DE	Cleveland
2	John Roper	LB	Texas A&M
2	Courtney Hall	DE	Rice
2	Ray Crockett	DE	Baylor
2	Stanley Petry	DE	Kansas City
2	Chris Gannon	DE	Southwest Louisiana
2	Greg Jackson	DE	LSU
2	Kim Phillips	DE	New Orleans
2	Britt Hager	DE	Philadelphia
2	Freddie Childress	OG	Cincinnati
3	Jerry Fontenot	OG	Miami
3	Mitchell Benson	DT	Texas Christian
3	Chris Gannon	DE	Southwest Louisiana
3	Greg Jackson	DE	LSU
3	Kim Phillips	DE	New Orleans
3	North Hager	DE	Philadelphia
3	Ray Crockett	DE	Baylor
3	Stanley Petry	DE	Kansas City
3	Kerry Owens	LB	Arkansas
3	Rod Harris	WR	Texas A&M
3	Mike Mayes	DE	New Orleans
4	Ray Crockett	DE	Baylor
4	Stanley Petry	DE	Kansas City
4	Kerry Owens	LB	Arkansas
4	Rod Harris	WR	Texas A&M
4	Mike Mayes	DE	New Orleans
5	Ray Crockett	DE	Baylor
5	Stanley Petry	DE	Kansas City
5	Kerry Owens	LB	Arkansas
5	Rod Harris	WR	Texas A&M
5	Mike Mayes	DE	New Orleans

Mavericks fight unsuccessful battle for final playoff spot

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer

DALLAS — Although the Dallas Mavericks finished six games below .500, they showed considerable character under John MacLeod by winning four of their last five games in their unsuccessful battle for the eighth and final spot in the Western Conference playoffs.

Dallas defeated Denver, 113-96, Sunday afternoon in McNichols Arena, breaking the Nuggets' 19-game home winning streak, and briefly keeping alive its slim hopes of making the playoffs.

But the Portland TrailBlazers wrapped up the final playoff spot several hours later, beating the Sacramento Kings in overtime,

126-120, to edge the Mavericks by one game. Dallas will miss the playoffs for the first time since 1983.

"It's been one of those years that we have to get behind us now," said Dallas Mavericks General Manager Norm Sonju. "We have to use the summer to get healthy. I'd like to think next year we'll be back in the hunt again and hope we won't have to be concerned with this eighth playoff spot."

Dallas finished the regular season at 38-44, including 14-27 on the road. By missing the playoffs, the Mavericks will be in the lottery, which means they could get the No. 1 pick in the next NBA college draft.

The only loss for the Mavericks

in the final week was a 114-112 overtime loss to the Houston Rockets in Reunion Arena — a game in which Dallas blew a 22-point first-quarter lead.

At the time, it didn't seem so devastating to Dallas' playoff chances, since Portland was 38-40 and Dallas was 35-44. The TrailBlazers would wrap up the Western Conference's last playoff berth if it won just one of its last four games or Dallas lost any of its three remaining games.

But incredibly, the Mavericks kept winning and the TrailBlazers kept losing. If the teams had finished with the same record, Dallas would have advanced into the playoffs via the league's tie-breakers.

The Mavs were an injury-

plagued team in 1988-89. They lost 137 player-games for various reasons, 99 more than last year.

Thirteen different players started games and MacLeod used at least a dozen different lineups.

Roy Tarpley, the NBA's top sixth man last year, missed 49 games while undergoing treatment for drug addiction in California. Dallas was 26-37 in all games without Tarpley, who sparked the Mavericks' end-of-season surge.

Sonju said when he plans to tell his team today that he realizes that the season was laced with bad luck. "I don't want to use it as an excuse, but we have to be honest," Sonju said.

Tarpley scored 20 points and

grabbed 20 rebounds in Dallas' victory over Denver Sunday.

The loss of center James Donaldson to a season-ending knee injury was the crushing blow for the Mavs.

Final Standings

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
x-New York	52	30	.634	—
y-Philadelphia	48	34	.585	4
Washington	42	40	.512	10
New Jersey	39	43	.475	13
Charlotte	29	53	.349	23
Central Division				
x-Detroit	53	29	.646	—
y-Cleveland	47	35	.570	6
Atlanta	42	40	.512	11
Memphis	39	43	.475	14
Chicago	37	45	.450	16
Indiana	28	54	.341	25

Midwest Division

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Utah	51	31	.622	—
y-Houston	45	37	.549	6
Denver	44	38	.537	7
Dallas	38	44	.463	13
San Antonio	21	61	.259	20
Miami	17	65	.207	24

Pacific Division

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
x-L.A. Lakers	57	25	.695	—
y-Phoenix	55	27	.671	2
Seattle	47	35	.573	10
Golden State	43	39	.524	14
Portland	39	43	.475	18
Sacramento	27	55	.329	29
L.A. Clippers	21	61	.256	35

End Regular Season

Sports

Clark's five hits still not enough

By The Associated Press

Even the best game of his career wasn't enough to make Will Clark happy.

Clark went 5-for-5 against the Los Angeles Dodgers — but the San Francisco Giants still lost 7-6 in 10 innings when Atee Hammaker threw in the winning run.

"It's definitely the toughest loss to take, because we kept battling and scratching out there and still came up short," Clark said after the first five-hit game of his career. "It wasn't even a hit that won the game. It was a walk. So that typifies how flaky a game it was."

Clark, whose previous best was a pair of four-hit games, had three hits off Dodgers starter Fernando Valenzuela, including a run-scoring double in the first inning. He tied the game at 5-5 with a leadoff homer in the seventh against Alejandro Pena, then put the Giants ahead in the eighth with an RBI single off Ray Searge.

The Dodgers took no chances in the 10th. They walked Clark intentionally and escaped a bases-loaded jam.

"So far, this is the best I've ever hit the ball in April," said Clark, who boosted his average 48 points to .409. "But what I did today doesn't matter because we lost. Whether I went 5-for-5 or 0-for-5, it's over with and all you can do is forget about it."

Willie Randolph started the winning inning with a one-out single off Hammaker, 1-2, and took third on Mickey Hatcher's single. Randolph then was tagged out on Dave Anderson's bouncer back to the mound.

But Eddie Murray walked, loading the bases, and Hammaker threw four straight balls to Jeff Hamilton, who was pinch hitting for Jay Howell, 1-2.

Valenzuela had a 4-2 lead in the fifth but couldn't hold it as he failed to win for the fourth straight start.

Braves 9, Padres 4

Dale Murphy had the second six-RBI game of his career, hitting a two-run homer in the third, a two-run single in the sixth and a two-run double in the eighth.

Tom Glavine, 3-0, doubled eight hits in 6 2-3 innings, struck out four and walked two.

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Atlanta scored three runs in the first off Dennis Rasmussen, 1-3. Gerald Perry hit a two-run homer, his third of the season, and Jeff Treadway added a run-scoring single.

Pirates 6, Phillies 4
Bobby Bonilla's two-run homer in the eighth inning, capping Pittsburgh's rally for a four-run deficit as Logan Easley won his first game since April 20, 1987.

Philadelphia led 4-0 — all on unearned runs — before Pittsburgh scored three runs in the sixth and three in the eighth. Singles by pinch-hitter John Cangelosi, Jose Lind and R.J. Reynolds in the sixth scored a run and chased starter Larry McWilliams.

Mike Schmidt hit a two-run homer in the first, the 547th of his career.

Expos 9, Cardinals 3
Spike Owen had three hits and drove in three runs and Hubie Brooks homered as the Expos snapped a three-game losing streak.

Bryn Smith, 2-0, gave up five hits and struck out two in seven innings. Joe Hesketh finished the combined seven-inning.

Cris Carpenter, 0-1, gave up three runs and six hits in 4 1-3 innings.

St. Louis shortstop Ozzie Smith, who has won nine straight Glove Awards, committed his third error of the week, all of which led to runs.

Mets 4, Cubs 2
Kevin McReynolds hit a two-run, go-ahead homer in the eighth inning as New York won despite Andre Dawson's 300th career home run.

Calvin Schiraldi, 1-1, walked Tim Teufel leading off the eighth and McReynolds followed with his second homer of the season, giving the Mets a 3-2 lead. Mitch Williams relieved and Gary Carter hit his first homer of the season with two outs in the inning.

Rick Aguilera, 1-0, pitched two hitless innings in relief of Ron Darling, who has not won in four starts this season.

Astros 5, Reds 2
Glenn Davis hit a two-run homer as Houston maintained its domination of



Cubs manager Don Zimmer is convinced the second base umpire interfered with a play in Sunday's game.

Danny Jackson, Jackson, 1-4, allowed nine hits and four runs in seven innings.

Bob Knepper, 1-3, who had lost his first three starts for the first time in his career, gave up four hits over 6 1-3 innings.



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Public Notice

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF BOBBY GENE PHILLIPS, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary were issued on the Estate of BOBBY GENE PHILLIPS, Deceased, to me, the undersigned, on the 17th day of April, 1989, in the proceeding indicated below my signature hereto, which is still pending, and that, now hold such Letters. All persons having claims against said estate, which is being administered in the county below named, are hereby required to present the same to me respectfully, at the address given below, before such estate is closed, and within the time prescribed by law. My residence is: Pampa, Gray County, Texas. The correct post office address by which I receive my mail in connection with this Estate is: P. O. Box 2455, Pampa, Texas 79066-2455.

PAULINE ALLEN PHILLIPS Independent Executor of the Estate of Bobby Gene Phillips, Deceased, No. 7040, in the County Court of Gray County, Texas A-91 April 24, 1989

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF TEXAS TO: All Whom It May Concern. Respondents, GREETINGS: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable DON E. CAIN, 223rd JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, Gray County, Texas, at the courthouse of said county in Pampa, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 20 days from the date of service of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of KURT EVAN SHULTS and wife, JULIA SHULTS, Petitioners, filed in said Court on the 19th day of April, 1989, and said suit being number 28,504 on the docket of said Court, and entitled "In the Interest of KRISTA JOY SHULTS, a child," the nature of which suit is a request to terminate the parent-child relationship and adopt the child. Said child, was born the 10th day of March, 1989, in Enid, Oklahoma. The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the child's interest which will be binding upon you, including, but not necessarily limited to, the termination of the parent-child relationship, the determination of paternity, and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the child's adoption. Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Pampa, Texas, this 19th day of April, 1989.

Vickie Walls Clerk of the District Court of Gray County, Texas A-90 April 24, 1989

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed Proposals addressed to Mr. George Green, Mayor, City of Pampa, Texas, P. O. Box 9, McLean, Texas 79057 for: WASTEWATER COLLECTION IMPROVEMENTS. The proposals should be submitted to the City of Pampa, Texas, in the City Council Chambers at City Hall, 220 North Main Street, McLean, Texas until May 9, 1989, 7:30 p.m. Plans and specifications may be obtained from the Engineers, BRANDT ENGINEERS, INC., 4537 Canyon Drive, Amarillo, Texas 79110 806-353-7233 in the following manner: Bona Fide Bidders: One set upon payment of \$50.00, of which all will be refunded upon submission of a bid and return of the proposal in good condition with the bid, or return of the plans and specifications in good condition BEFORE the bid opening. Suppliers, subcontractors and additional sets for Bidders: Upon payment of \$50.00, NON-REFUNDABLE. The total bid amount of 5% of the total bid must be submitted. Bidders to submit cashier's check, certified check, or bid bond payable to the Owner as a condition of the bid. The bid bond will enter into contract and execute bonds in the forms provided. Performance and Payment bonds shall be set forth in the contract documents. The owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informality in case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the prices in the bids, to adopt such interpretations as may be most advantageous to the owner, or the reseller, or the contractor. No bid may be withdrawn until the expiration of 45 days from the bid date.

George Green, Mayor City of Pampa, Texas A-87 April 24, May 1, 1989

2 Museums

WHITE Deer Land Museum: Open daily 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Special tours by appointment.
PANHANDLE Plains Historical Museum: Canyon. Regular museum hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and 2-5 p.m. Sundays at Lake Meredith Aquarium & Wildlife Museum: Frick. Hours 2-5 p.m. Tuesday and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Saturday. Closed Monday.
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Rangers shoot down Blue Jays

By BEN WALKER AP Baseball Writer

Nolan Ryan came close to a no-hitter for the second time this season before Toronto's Nelson Liriano spoiled his bid with a triple in the ninth inning. Ryan finished with his 10th career one-hitter and struck out 12 as the Texas Rangers beat the Blue Jays 4-1.

"Sure I'm disappointed. I don't know how many more chances I'm going to get. They get fewer and fewer each time out," Ryan said. "But the way I've been throwing, it's certainly not out of the question that I'll get another shot."

If he does, Ryan, at age 42, will be the oldest pitcher to throw one. Cy Young did it at 41 in 1908.

In other games, Baltimore beat Minnesota 3-0 to remain the only AL East team over .500. Oakland got past California 2-0, Kansas City pounded Boston 10-0, New York beat Cleveland 5-0, Detroit defeated Milwaukee 11-3 and Seattle stopped Chicago 10-6.

Ryan was cheered by a crowd of 31,473 in Toronto on a 44-degree day as he retired Lloyd Moseby on a foul popup to start the ninth. Liriano, who was batting .208, then pulled a 1-1 fastball into the right-field corner.

Liriano scored as Kelly Gruber grounded out and Ryan retired George Bell to end the game.

Todd Stottlemyre, 0-2, was the loser. Ruben Sierra hit a two-run homer in the first inning and Steve Buechele hit a two-run dou-

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le in the fourth.

Athletics 2, Angels 0
Mike Moore and two relievers combined on a three-hitter as Oakland beat Kirk McCaskill and California for its fifth straight victory.

Moore, 2-1, gave up three singles to Claudell Washington in 7-2 3 innings. Rick Honeycutt pitched one inning and Dennis Eckersley got the final out.

The host Athletics scored in the second on consecutive singles by Carney Lansford, Terry Steinbach and Tony Phillips.

Orioles 3, Twins 0

Rookie Bob Milacki pitched a three-hitter as Baltimore beat visiting Minnesota and stayed in first place in the AL East.

Milacki, 1-1, struck out three, walked two and was helped by four double plays.

Mickey Tettleton homered in the second inning off Shane Rawley, 1-2. The Orioles scored twice in the fifth, one when Brady Anderson's hard slide into home plate knocked the ball from catcher Tim Lardner's glove into Minnesota's dugout.

Royals 10, Red Sox 0

Bo Jackson hit a two-run homer and Charlie Leibrandt pitched a five-hitter as Kansas City completed its first three-game sweep in Boston since 1971.

The Royals got 17 hits and seven doubles, three by Bob Boone.

ML Standings

By The Associated Press

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
East Division			
	W	L	Pct. GB
Baltimore	9	8	.529
Toronto	8	10	.444 1 1/2
Boston	7	9	.438 1 1/2
Cleveland	7	9	.438 1 1/2
Milwaukee	7	9	.438 1 1/2
New York	7	10	.412 2
Detroit	5	10	.333 3

West Division			
	W	L	Pct. GB
Texas	12	4	.750
Oakland	12	6	.667 1
Kansas City	11	7	.611 2 1/2
Minnesota	9	7	.563 3 1/2
California	9	9	.500 4 1/2
Seattle	8	11	.421 6
Chicago	7	11	.389 6 1/2

Saturday's Games			
	W	L	Pct. GB
Kansas City 7, Boston 3			
Cleveland 5, New York 1			
Toronto 4, Texas 2			
Detroit 6, Milwaukee 3			
Oakland 4, California 3			
Chicago 1, Seattle 0			
Baltimore 4, Minnesota 1			

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
East Division			
	W	L	Pct. GB
Chicago	9	8	.529
Cincinnati	9	8	.529
Montreal	10	9	.526 1/2
St. Louis	8	8	.500
Atlanta	8	9	.471 1
Pittsburgh	8	10	.444 1 1/2

West Division			
	W	L	Pct. GB
San Francisco	10	8	.556
Cleveland	9	8	.529 1/2
Atlanta	10	9	.526 1/2
Los Angeles	9	9	.500
San Diego	9	9	.500
Houston	8	11	.421 2 1/2

Saturday's Games			
	W	L	Pct. GB
Pittsburgh 4, Philadelphia 3			
Cleveland 5, Houston 3			
New York 2, Chicago 1			
Atlanta 5, San Diego 1			
St. Louis 5, Montreal 2			
San Francisco 5, Los Angeles 4			

Green wins Greensboro

GREENSBORO, N.C. (AP) — Ken Green doesn't hide his feelings about anything, but even he had to bite his tongue before he could collect the first-place money in the Greater Greensboro Open.

"Sometimes, you get these feelings, but I couldn't come here and tell you that I had this feeling," Green said after his two-shot victory in the \$1 million GGO.

"I could sit here and say 'Yeah, I think I'm going to win' and when I don't, I look like a jackass," he said. "Sometimes, even I have to keep some things to myself."

Green opened slowly, with a 1-over par 73. He rallied into contention with consecutive rounds of 66 and rolled into the lead after three rounds. He closed with an even-par 72 to turn back John Huston and take \$180,000 for his 277 total.

"You never know if you're going to win, but I felt like I was going to be up there," Green said.

Leading by two shots, Green slipped in the last round, Green three-putted from 75 feet on the third hole while Huston hit a 3-iron shot to within five feet of the hole on No. 2. For birdie and an eventual tie after three holes.

Huston lost the tie when he was long on a 7-iron for bogey at four.

He birdied five and seven, but his prosperity ended and he finished the round in regulation.

"Not what I had in mind, but I didn't play that poorly," Huston said.

Green sank short putts for birdie at 13 and 15, and by then his lead was five shots. He made it just a little interesting with a double bogey at the 16th hole to shrink his lead to three strokes.

Green made par at 17. Before the final round, he had expressed a wish to have a three-foot putt to clinch the tournament, much like the one he missed that forced last year's playoff — which he lost to Sandy Lyle.

Instead, Green finished with a bogey, but he still managed to hug his wife, Ellen, his four children and his caddie.

Huston closed at 279 with his even-par 72. Ed Fiori came in at 5-under-par 67 and a four-day total of 281 for third place and \$68,000. Dave Eichelberger also bogeyed the 18th hole for a final-round 71 and a 282 for fourth place.

Jim Booros, Greg Norman and Mike Sullivan were next at 283, with Norman turning in a 68 and Sullivan a 69. Booros bogeyed three of his last seven holes and shot even-par 72.

Public Notice

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Pampa, Texas will receive sealed bids for the following until 10:00 a.m., May 9, 1989, at which time they will be opened and read publicly in the City Finance Conference Room, Third Floor, City Hall, Pampa, Texas:

SOFTBALL PARK CONCESSION
Proposals and Specifications may be obtained from the Office of the City Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Pampa, Texas, Phone 806-353-8481.

Bids may be delivered to the City Secretary's Office, City Hall, Pampa, Texas or mailed to P. O. Box 2498, Pampa, Texas 79066-2498. Sealed envelope should be plainly marked "HOBART STREET SOFTBALL PARK CONCESSION BID NO. 89-13" and show date and time of bid opening.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids submitted and to waive any informality and technicalities. The City Commission will consider bids for award at their regular scheduled meeting.

Phyllis Jeffers City Secretary A-92 April 24, May 1, 1989

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PAMPA, TEXAS, will hold a Public Hearing in the City Commission Room, City Hall, Pampa, Texas, at 6:00 p.m., May 9, 1989, to consider the following: A parcel or tract of land out of Section 94, RR 96, 98 and 99, in Block 3, I&GN RR Co. Survey, Gray County, Texas, and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point N 89° 02' 22" E a distance of 883.50 feet of the south west corner of the SW 1/4 of said section 92, said point being in the west ROW line of State Highway 70, and the present city limits line for the beginning of this tract;

Thence northeasterly, around a curve to the left, and northerly along the west ROW line of State Highway 70 to a point in the north section line of the SE 1/4 of said section 98;

Thence easterly along the north section line of said SE 1/4 of section 98 and north section line of section 95, and east section line of NE 1/4 section of said section 94, to a point 2315.04 feet south of the NE corner of said section 94;

Thence S 89° 10' 30" W 400 feet to State Highway 70;

Thence N 00° 15' W 1453.30 feet to a point;

Thence S 89° 10' 30" W 182.07 feet to a point in the east ROW line of State Highway 70;

2 Museums

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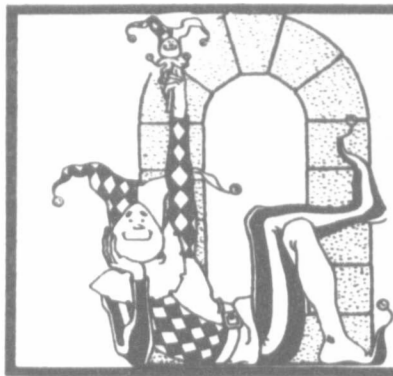
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Washington residents fear outbreak of contagious disease

By NICHOLAS K. GERANIOS
Associated Press Writer

WAPATO, Wash. (AP) — In central Washington's Yakima Valley, where fruit trees bloom in blazing sunshine, fear has taken root because of an outbreak of a contagious disease that has killed six people this year.

Twenty people, including four infants, have become ill with meningococcal bacteria, which can lead to meningitis and other illnesses.

Doctors are swamped, firefighters worried about giving mouth-to-mouth resuscitation, parents pulled their children out of preschools, and about 18,000 people have been vaccinated.

The greatest worry is that there is no effective vaccine, therefore no protection, for children under age 1.

In Wapato, a poor town of 3,300 on the Yakima Indian Reservation, two infants have died and

three children have become sick from the disease.

"The group of people dying and being hospitalized is the group we can't do anything for," said Fire Chief Tom Kehm, who has helped set up emergency vaccination clinics. "They can do nothing."

The bacteria has mostly struck poor Hispanics and American Indians, living in crowded, unsanitary conditions.

It is carried in the nose and throat and is passed through sneezing and other secretions from the nose and mouth. It is not considered highly contagious.

However, stopping the spread has been difficult because carriers older than age 25 usually do not become ill, but can transmit the disease to children.

The outbreak appeared to be over in mid-March, when there were no new cases reported for about two weeks, prompting Yakima County Health Dis-

trict director Dr. Bob Atwood to cautiously predict it had run its course.

But a 4-month-old Wapato infant died on March 24, sparking a new round of mass vaccinations.

Three weeks passed without a new case, but the 19th case — a 5-month-old Wapato girl — was diagnosed April 13, renewing fears and frustrating medical workers.

And on Friday, health officers in nearby Franklin County announced that a 5-month-old boy who had been hospitalized and released was confirmed as the outbreak's 20th case. The boy had moved from Yakima on April 14, the day before he became ill, said Dr. Larry Jecha, county health officer.

Atwood is no longer willing to predict when the outbreak will be over.

But the federal Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta, which has been monitoring the outbreak, believes it may be winding down.

Dr. Jay Wenger of CDC's meningitis center, said meningococcal disease typically fades away with a few sporadic cases.

The Yakima outbreak started with two cases in January, exploded with 12 in February, followed by four in March and two so far in April.

The disease is most common in poor African countries like Chad, Sudan and Ethiopia, where Wenger said epidemics sicken people at a rate of 500 per 100,000 population.

In this country, there are about 3,000 cases and 300 deaths each year.

Yakima Pediatric Associates, whose doctors have cared for many of the stricken, has received up to 1,000 calls per day from anxious parents.

People are quicker to bring in their children, he said, because the disease symptoms are similar to a common cold. It starts with a fever and progresses to vomiting, lethargy, stiff neck and irritability. There is also a purple rash.

Scarred battleship Iowa returns home to a tearful welcome

By D.W. PAGE
Associated Press Writer

NORFOLK, Va. (AP) — The scarred battleship USS Iowa returned home quietly to tearful loved ones exchanging embraces with the 1,500 crew members, who wore black armbands in memory of 47 shipmates killed in a gun turret explosion.

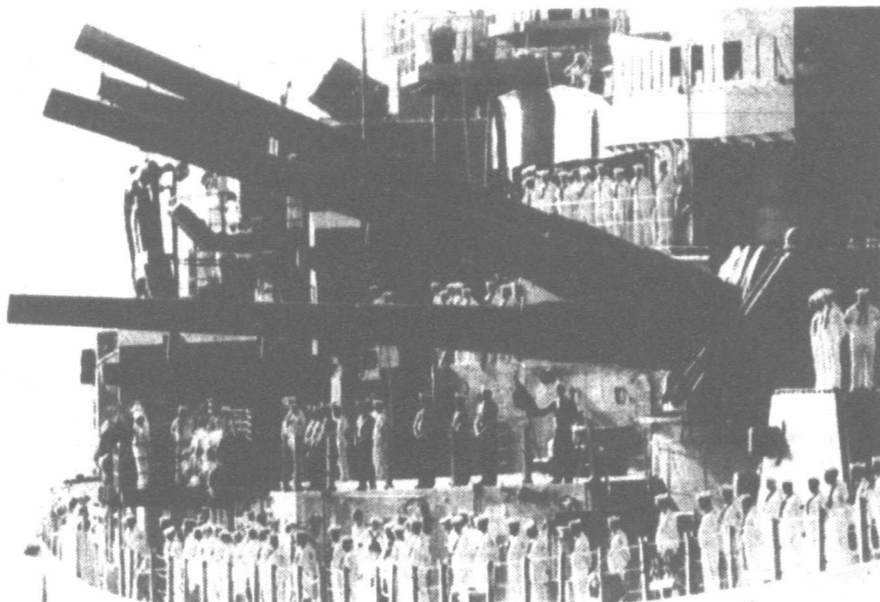
The crew in white uniforms stood along the rails Sunday evening as the ship pulled into Norfolk Naval Base, its home port. About 3,000 family members and friends greeted them.

President Bush, a Navy pilot in World War II, and his wife, Barbara, were to attend a memorial service today at the base's air station.

Before the Iowa was in sight of Pier 5 on Sunday, it passed by the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel, where a small group of Vietnam veterans stood on the span and watched.

Mike Cullinan, 46, read off the names of the 47 dead.

"I was in the Army in 'Nam. I



The 16-inch guns of the USS Iowa remain in the same position they were left after Wednesday's explosion as the battleship arrives Sunday in Norfolk.

wanted to do something more than just be here and take pictures," he said.

More than 300 people crowded a parking area near a tunnel entrance

and 200 others lined a fishing pier.

On the Virginia Beach boardwalk, Jeff Garland watched with his 2-year-old granddaughter as

the Iowa passed. The Norfolk plumber said he was thinking of his father, who was killed in Vietnam.

"I know what they feel like," he said of the sailors lining the rail. "That's not the way to come home."

When the 887-foot warship moved into sight of the dock, families let out scattered cheers. But as tugs pushed the ship into its berth, the crowd fell silent. All that could be heard were the intermittent cries of gulls that circled the Iowa's wake.

The fire-scorched barrels of the three-gun turret were in the same position as when the explosion occurred off Puerto Rico on Wednesday.

After the ship docked, families filed aboard, exchanging tearful embraces with the returning sailors.

"They wanted to get here on schedule and were anxious to get home," said Navy Capt. Steven Karalekas.

The Navy kept the news media about 300 yards from the fami-

lies, and reporters were not allowed to talk with the families or the crewmen.

Earlier Sunday, the victims were remembered in churches throughout the area.

"We have lost 47 of our number," said Cmdr. John Fitzgerald, a chaplain at the air station. "Our faith helps us to handle what science cannot answer, the mystery of death."

There were 58 crewmen in the turret when it exploded during gun exercises. The Pentagon said the explosion occurred before the 16-inch gun was fired. The 11 survivors were all in the lowest level

of the turret, six decks below the guns.

The Navy has refused to speculate on the cause of the explosion, which damaged only the inside of the turret.

But Navy teams who entered the turret immediately after the blast found a gun's breech open and undamaged, with the practice projectile that the gun was to have fired still there, *The New York Times* reported Sunday.

This indicated the explosion occurred while the powder bags were still being loaded, the newspaper said, citing unidentified sources.

Bush visits Norfolk to mourn 47 sailors

By MERRILL HARTSON
Associated Press Writer

NORFOLK, Va. (AP) — President Bush today mourned the 47 sailors who perished in the USS Iowa explosion, saying they served the Navy as shipmates and friends and left "as brothers in eternity."

"Let me say to the Iowa crew, I understand your grief. I, too, have stared at the empty banks of lost shipmates and asked, 'Why?'" Bush, a World War II Navy pilot, said in remarks prepared for delivery at the Norfolk Naval Air Station.

The president said that "I was proud" to recommission the Iowa in 1984 and said it had earned 11 battle stars in two wars.

Yet, in talking of the fire and explosion last week in the battleship's No. 2 gun turret that killed the 47 sailors, Bush said, "Now, fate has written a sorrowful chapter in the history of the USS Iowa."

"We will not — we cannot, as long as we live — know why God has called them home," he said. "But of one thing we can be sure

— this world is a more peaceful place because of the USS Iowa."

"They came from Hidalgo, Texas, and Cleveland, Ohio; from Tampa, Fla., and Costa Mesa, Calif.," the president said. "They came to the Navy as strangers, served the Navy as shipmates and friends and left the Navy as brothers in eternity."

"To the Navy community, remember that you have the admiration of America for sharing the burden of grief as a family," Bush said. "You must be heroically strong now. ... To all who mourn a son, a brother, a husband, a father, a friend — I can only offer you the gratitude of a nation, for your loved one served his country with distinction and honor," he said.

Bush added the Norfolk visit at the start of the busiest domestic trip he has undertaken since his inauguration last Jan. 20. By the time he returns to Washington Thursday night, Bush will have visited Virginia, Illinois, North Dakota, California, Texas and Florida.

In Chicago, Bush was to take stock of his presidency and his

legislative agenda during a luncheon speech to the annual meeting of newspaper publishers who are members of The Associated Press.

From there, he was traveling to North Dakota's capital city of Bismarck — the first incumbent president to visit there since Dwight D. Eisenhower in 1953 — where he was to plant a tree to mark the state's centennial.

Bush then was scheduled to fly west to California, where he had defense-related and narcotics-related speeches before sitting down for coffee Tuesday morning with Reagan at the former president's Fox Plaza office suite. Later in the week, he will address the Texas Legislature in Austin and make drug-related appearances in Miami and Clearwater, Fla.

Bush reportedly telephoned Reagan recently to apologize for newspaper accounts that quoted unnamed Bush aides as comparing Bush favorably to the now-retired two-term president.

In advance of his visit to the Norfolk Naval Air Station, where he was joining some 3,000 other

mourners, Bush had said it would be premature to consider the Iowa and her three sister World War II-vintage battleships as obsolete. He said he "wouldn't jump" to such a conclusion.

On Sunday, Defense Secretary Dick Cheney said Navy investigators had not yet determined what caused one of the 16-inch guns on the middle turret of the Iowa to explode. But he said the event did not undermine his support for keeping battleships in the fleet.

"It may be a matter of several months before we have all the details," he said during an interview on NBC's *Meet the Press*.

Quayle leaving on Asia, Australia trip

WASHINGTON (AP) — Vice President Dan Quayle is leaving on a whirlwind trip to Australia and Southeast Asia where he'll mix policy discussions with ceremonial duties and tourism.

Before he leaves the United States on his 12-day journey, Quayle will stop over in Chicago to address the annual meeting of The Associated Press, and then fly to Los Angeles to pay a courtesy call on former President Reagan and attend a Republican fund-raising dinner.

Quayle's overseas trip — his second since he took office — comes against the backdrop of Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev's visit next month to China, the first Sino-Soviet summit in 20 years.

"The purpose of the trip is to show that America remains a constant in the Pacific even as other developments occur," said David Beckwith, Quayle's spokesman. "We want to emphasize that we'll be there as a Pacific power."

Besides Australia, Quayle will visit Indonesia, Singapore and Thailand before he returns to the United States. On his return, the vice president intends to tour Alaska's wildlife-rich Prince William Sound to monitor cleanup efforts from the Exxon Valdez oil spill.

Quayle, accompanied by his wife, Marilyn, will spend five days in Australia representing President Bush at this year's celebration of Australian-American Friendship Week.

In talks with Australian officials in Canberra, the vice president will explore bilateral issues such as trade, defense and space cooperation, Beckwith said. As chairman of the National Space Council, Quayle is charged with promoting advancement of the U.S. space program.

Quayles will be honored at black-tie dinners commemorating the Battle of the Coral Sea during World War II in which U.S.-Australian forces stopped Japan's southward advance.


The visit to Jakarta, Indonesia, is mostly a chance for Quayle to get acquainted with the heavily populated island nation, which, like Singapore and Thailand, is a

member of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations, Beckwith said.


Trade issues are at the top of Quayle's list in talking with leaders of the ASEAN nations, Beckwith said. In the past, the United States has urged Asian nations to get rid of high tariffs and import restrictions that stifle free trade.

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