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## Bush asks world leaders to help in crisis

By RITA BEAMISH  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush is asking the pope and other world leaders to help deal with "overwhelming events" of the Lebanon hostage crisis as the White House cautions against hopes for a short-term solution.

Bush today scheduled a meeting with his top national security team for the third straight day to assess intelligence information.

Officials said Bush continued to gather information and conduct diplomacy Tuesday in the wake of the reported execution of Marine Lt. Col. William Higgins.

But the White House went out of its way to avoid drama that would make it appear a crisis was engulfing Bush's presidency.

On Tuesday night the president went ahead with plans for a jovial barbecue for Congress members on the White House lawn. Appearing in shirt-sleeves and leather-pocketed casual pants, the president dined on ribs, chatted cheerfully with his picnic-table companions and clapped to the lively tunes of the Oak Ridge Boys.

"These are not easy days, either in the Congress or in the White House," Bush said in brief remarks. "There are overwhelming events that concern everybody here. But even though there are complicated times, I think an evening like this with just plain relaxation with friends is very, very significant and very important."

White House Press Secretary Marlin Fitzwater indicated a dramatic response was not imminent. Rather, he said reporters should view the situation as "a process for dealing with the situation over the long term and not look for any quick decision points."

"We don't want to create a crisis atmosphere," he said.

Administration officials said they still had no firm confirmation that Higgins was dead, as his Shiite terrorist captors claimed Monday.

Higgins' wife, Robin, said through a spokeswoman in Washington she could not tell whether her husband was the man shown hanging in a grisly videotape the kidnapers released.

Bush on Tuesday telephoned Pope John Paul II asking him to intercede in getting the return of Higgins' body if in fact the Marine had been executed.

Fitzwater said Bush and the pope, in a 12-minute call, also discussed the escalation of fighting in Lebanon and the difficulty of the Arab League's peace efforts.

Bush also called Turkish Prime Minister Turgut Ozal, while other U.S. officials contacted the Soviet Union and other countries in the Middle East seeking assistance in winning freedom for the remaining hostages.

Several U.S. officials said Tuesday that while the option of military retaliation remained a possibility, the likelihood that Bush would take that course was diminished by the potential for harming the

other eight U.S. hostages who might be held at potential target sites.

Kidnappers' deadlines for the executions of hostages Joseph James Cicippio, an American, and Anglican church envoy Terry Waite passed on Tuesday.

Members of Congress on Tuesday debated whether Israel should have kidnapped Moslem cleric Abdul Karim Obeid, whose seizure on Friday triggered the threat against Higgins.

Amid fears for the safety of eight other U.S. hostages held in the region, the United States cautioned Israel against taking actions that could endanger them, diplomatic sources said.

While some administration officials privately voiced criticism of Israel, Fitzwater publicly proclaimed the continuing U.S.-Israeli alliance, which he called "an enduring and vibrant relationship" that has not changed.

Senate Republican leader Bob Dole of Kansas on Tuesday accused Israel of having "struck out alone, free-lancing, apparently in the interest of gaining leverage to win the release of some of its citizens held hostage."

But he said Israel was not directly to blame for the fate of Higgins, whose "blood is on the hands of the assassins."

Iran is believed to have pressured pro-Iranian militants to put off killing American hostage Cicippio, and the chance his life will be spared has increased, Shiite Moslem sources said today.



Higgins' wife, Marine Maj. Robin Higgins, leaves the Pentagon Tuesday.

## Pampa schools named model for state

By BEAR MILLS  
Staff Writer

Two leading advocates of school reform were here Tuesday to congratulate the Pampa Independent School District for being chosen the outstanding example of public education in the state by the University of Texas.

A certificate recognizing the achievement was presented by Dr. Carl Candoli, state deputy commissioner of education, and Dr. Nolen Estes, a professor at the University of Texas.

Estes said the PISD has moved ahead of all other districts in the state not because such changes were mandated, but because they made good sense.

"We're going to be talking a lot about leadership for a changing world," Estes said. "This district has been selected as the model school for the state in the reform movement. There is a changing relationship in schools and we are having to retool our thinking."

Such innovations in statewide thinking about public education involve "moving decisions about education as close to the student's desk as possible," Estes explained.

He said administrators must be willing to rethink their role in public education since they will no longer be primarily rule-makers, but facilitators of teachers and students.

"The Fortune 500 companies are ahead of us on this," Estes said. "They know that you've got to get your people involved in decision-making."

Candoli said the need for mas-

sive reforms in public education is a major concern for administrators all over the nation and that Pampa, under the leadership of Dr. Harry Griffith, superintendent of schools, and the present school board, will likely take a national role in setting the standard.

"Harry is an old friend and a former student," Candoli said. "We've heard so many things about Pampa, not just from Harry, but from everywhere, that we had to come and see for ourselves."

Candoli said the mixture of frontier courage and old-fashioned values made Pampa a natural for its evolving role in the state's education picture.

"By virtue of the fact that this is the last frontier, you've got the idea that you can make it no matter what and you believe it," Candoli said. "Where we have to start is building a consensus (in larger school districts) that what they are about is the kids."

He said school districts the size of Fort Worth, where he was a superintendent for several years, have seriously damaged the credibility of public education.

In large school districts, Candoli said, middle management began to create work for itself as a form of job security and forgot that the focus of education must always be children.

Estes announced the Pampa school board has been selected as one of the eight best in the state. The selection of the state's top school board will be revealed during an education conference in

San Antonio later this year.

"Excellence doesn't happen by accident," Estes said. "You're beginning to accumulate some of the best minds in the business here in Pampa. That speaks very highly of Dr. Griffith and your school board."

During their visit to Pampa, Estes and Candoli participated in an administrators workshop at the Community Building and made several presentations of excellence in education.



Estes, right, and Candoli relax at administrators workshop Tuesday in Pampa.

## Williams brings his candidacy to Pampa

By BEAR MILLS  
Staff Writer

Promising to be a governor who would bring control of schools back to local districts and lead Texas in winning the war on drugs, Republican Clayton Williams was in Pampa this morning for a campaign breakfast at Coronado Inn.

Williams, a Midland oil man and founder of 26 businesses that have created a reported 100,000 jobs in Texas, said if elected governor he would bring solid business sense to managing the state budget.

He also restated his theme of "fighting the war on drugs to win."

"Drugs are terrorizing our country and they are tearing apart our school systems. They are eating up the fabric that holds our society together — the family," Williams said. "Fighting to win the war on drugs is my number one priority in the race for governor."

Williams said he would attack the drug problem from the supply side by using the National Guard along the Mexican border, adding 500 narcotics agents to the state's strength and increasing the number of prison beds in Texas by 60,000.

"I want to build enough prisons to keep the drug dealers out of the school yard and be-



Williams discusses platform during Pampa campaign stop.

hind bars," Williams said. "I want boot camps for first offenders... to straighten out these young people who get hooked on drugs who are not criminals yet."

"I want to begin increased education, starting in kindergarten, about the evils of drugs."

In addition to the "three R's," Williams said he wanted to make the "three D's": "Don't Do Drugs" a regular.

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## School trustees approve proposal for 2 cent tax increase

By BEAR MILLS  
Staff Writer

Trustees for the Pampa Independent School District unanimously approved a recommendation Tuesday night that they seek a 2 cent tax increase to "protect the district" from a massive loss of state aid next year.

The vote came during a meeting of the school board at Carver Center.

Board President John Curry said the need for an increase was caused by severely fluctuating state aid and local property values.

"They have gone up and down like a roller coaster over the last couple of years," Curry said. "Two things bring us to this need this year. Number one, we are faced with a situation where we are losing the temporary emergency aid from the state (gained) because of the Celanese explosion. In turn, the Celanese values are coming back on the tax rolls and we will be faced with a lesser amount of state aid next year."

"This would affect us somewhat, but under the new (school funding) legislation, they are, in fact, penalizing districts with more value in favor of ones with less value. With the evaluation of Celanese, we become a rich district again."

He said the state funding package and loss of state aid following the Hoechst Celanese explosion are creating a "crunch" for the district that will be felt over a three-year period.

"It's necessary for us to be responsible in providing for the needs of the district by raising taxes at this time to insure that we won't be caught in a difficult financial situation anytime in the next three years," Curry said.

The proposed 2-cent increase would raise school taxes to 98 cents and would raise the actual amount paid by the owner of a \$30,000 home by just over \$6, school officials said. For a \$50,000 home, the additional amount paid would be about \$10, they said.

Dr. Harry Griffith, superintendent of schools,

said that while any tax increase is unfortunate, the local tax rate is still much lower than several area cities.

Griffith presented the proposed tax rates for 1989-90 for Amarillo, Borger, Canyon, Perryton and Dumas.

According to those figures, tax rates in Pampa will be 12 cents lower than Amarillo, 27 cents lower than Borger, 20 cents lower than Canyon and 3 cents lower than Perryton.

Only Dumas was lower than Pampa in figures presented by Griffith, with a tax rate of 89 cents per \$100 evaluation.

"We have a lot of goals we want to reach in order to make our schools better," Board President Curry said. "We are moving forward in every area with those. We have streamlined in areas of the budget where we could in order to have extra monies for these projects."

"Even with that, our budget is actually increasing a very small percentage. But we are addressing each one of the areas we have pointed out through strategic planning (computers for classrooms, etc.) that will make our school better."

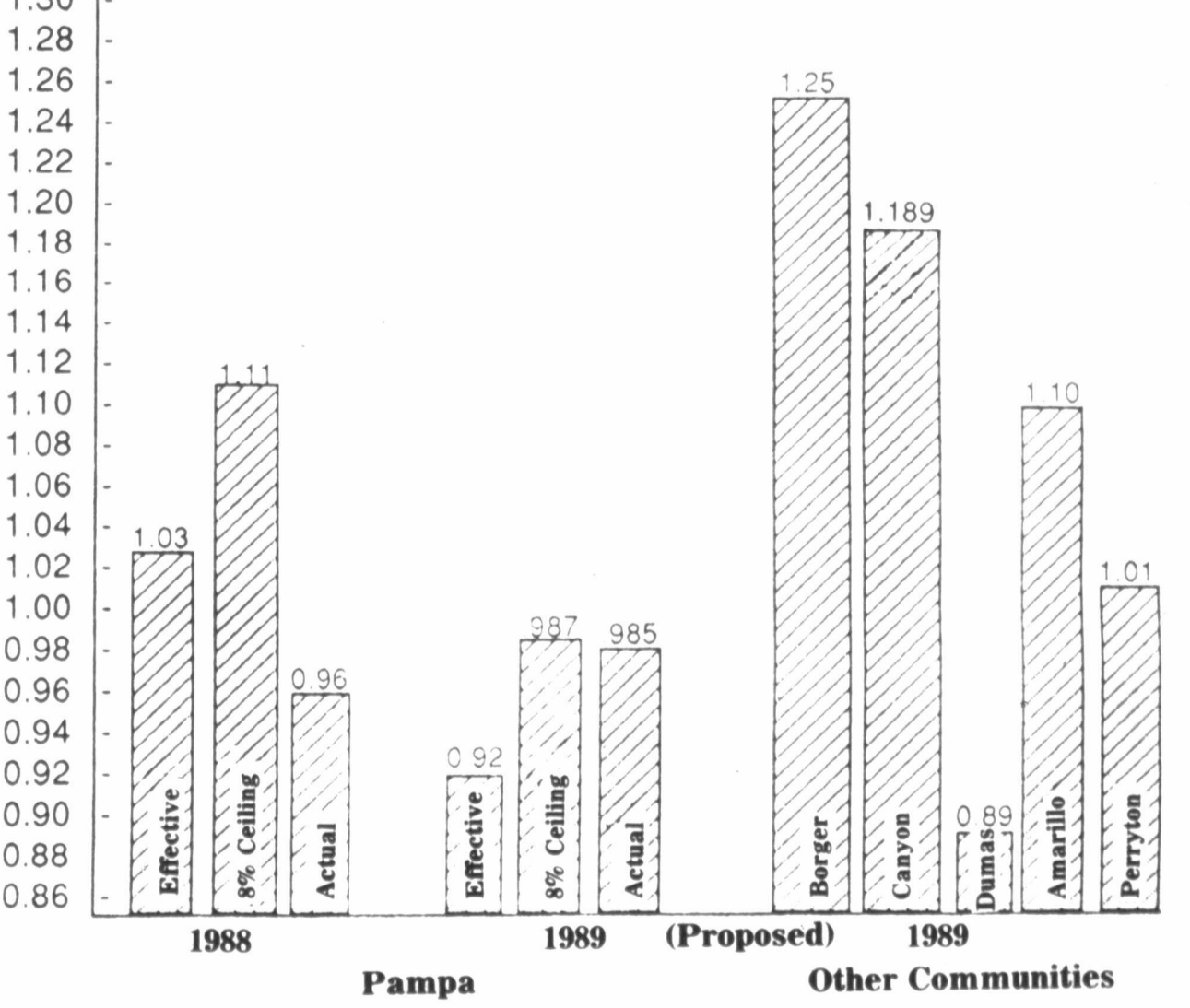
Curry said he would not consider trimming back on new computers or strategic planning areas to avoid a tax increase.

"We can afford to move forward," he said. "We are not out of line with other districts in our area. As a matter of fact, we are on the low side in taxes. Our tax rate is lower than most other districts our size in the area."

"We are being conservative. But there is no way to sacrifice the future of what kids can do and how they can perform because at some time we might feel short-sighted and feel we can't bear the cost that's necessary for this endeavor."

A public hearing on the tax increase is scheduled for 11:30 a.m. on Friday, Aug. 11. The final vote on the proposed increase and 1989-90 budget will be Aug. 15 at 6 p.m. Both meetings will be at Carver Center.

COMPARISON OF AREA TAX RATES









# Senate plan authorizes transfer of funds for war on drugs

By LAWRENCE L. KNOTSON  
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WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate, struggling toward passage of a \$295 billion defense authorization bill, voted today to pay for the war on drugs with an infusion of unspent dollars from government agencies — including the Pentagon.

The 90-9 vote, taken as the Senate worked into the early morning hours, would authorize the transfer of \$1.7 billion from all but a short list of exempted federal programs to pay the full cost of keeping the government's promise to fight "the epidemic of narcotics sweeping this country."

Sen. Robert C. Byrd, D-W.Va., chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee, said the action, if approved by the House and enacted into law, puts the problem of paying for the drug war squarely on President Bush's shoulders.

"This amendment authorizes the president to fund the drug package," Byrd said. "It says: 'Mr.

President, when it passes into law, it's your baby. You fund the war on drugs. If you don't like it, find another way.'"

In other action before adjourning at 1:50 a.m. CDT, the Senate:

■ Voted to give air police last-resort permission to shoot down aircraft flying narcotics into the United States.

■ Adopted a series of "burden-sharing" amendments aimed at increasing the contributions to defense by U.S. allies in Europe and Asia.

■ Bolstered Bush's bid to make the MX missile a moving rather than a stationary target by shelving, 62-38, an amendment slicing \$502 million from the funds available to place the force of 50 missiles on railway cars.

■ Turned aside an attempt to bring to an immediate vote an amendment restoring the military pension lost when former Marine Lt. Col. Oliver L. North was convicted on three felony counts in the Iran-Contra affair. As a compromise, it ordered

the Senate Judiciary Committee to hold hearings and report on the contentious issue by Nov. 1.

After a rancorous debate, the Senate declined to support an amendment to siphon \$450 million from the authorization for the Star Wars strategic defense initiative for the war on drugs.

Instead, it approved the compromise drafted by Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., chairman of the Senate Armed Forces Committee as a desperation move to guarantee the drug war will be fully funded.

Nunn said his amendment would keep the promises of the drug bill passed last year by shifting unspent balances in federal programs left over at the end of the fiscal year ending Sept. 30.

The measure exempts entitlement programs, including Social Security, Medicare and subsidized housing. But all other government programs and agencies would be compelled to contribute.

"This is not the best way to fund the drug bill and I hope another way will be found," Nunn said. "But this will do the job."

"This says, before you spend money on other things you've got to fund the drug bill."

In a flurry of early morning action, the Senate by voice vote adopted a series of amendments intended to press U.S. allies into accepting a greater share of the defense burden.

One issues a warning to NATO that the United States may reduce U.S. troop strength in Europe if the alliance unilaterally cuts its strength in the absence of negotiated troop reductions by the Soviet Union.

Another calls on Japan to boost defense and foreign-aid spending and requires the president to negotiate an agreement providing for Japan to completely offset the costs of maintaining U.S. forces to defend Japanese territory.

A third directs the president to prepare a five-year plan for the U.S. military presence in South Korea, including a discussion "of the feasibility and desirability of partial, gradual reductions in U.S. military personnel stationed there."

# Poland elects Communist prime minister

By JOHN DANISZEWSKI  
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WARSAW, Poland (AP) — Parliament today elected Interior Minister Gen. Czeslaw Kiszczak prime minister in a victory for the long-ruling Communist Party, whose power has been eroding.

On Tuesday, the body had postponed a vote on giving the premiership to Kiszczak, the Communist nominee, and some deputies said the communist-allied Peasant Party was seeking a government dominated by Solidarity.

Leaders of the free trade union movement opposed Kiszczak's candidacy.

Before Kiszczak was elected, the Communists lost a key parliament vote for the first time in postwar Poland as Solidarity pushed through a resolution to investigate the outgoing government for economic misconduct.

The free trade union movement believes the outgoing government of Mieczyslaw Rakowski — now Communist Party chief —

should be held accountable for the unraveling of the economy during its nine months.

Poland, convulsed by consumer shortages and triple-digit inflation, suffered further Tuesday when price controls were lifted on meat, sugar and other basic commodities.

Parliament's lower house, the Sejm, today voted 237-173 with 10 abstentions for Kiszczak, a close associate of President Wojciech Jaruzelski.

The required majority was 211 votes.

After the outcome was announced, Kiszczak immediately took the floor to express his thanks and once more invite the opposition to join in a Communist-led government, an offer Solidarity has repeatedly rebuffed.

"I will not give up efforts to attract to it (the government) the representatives of the opposition circles with a hope that in the future a 'grand coalition' government will be possible," Kiszczak said.

The ruling communist coalition holds a 299-161 majority in the

chamber, but the Communists account for just 173 votes and they had not been sure they could count on deputies of the allied Peasant and Democratic parties.

The two parties used to obediently follow the Communists, but now are increasingly independent. A breakdown by affiliation of today's vote was not immediately available.

Rakowski was treated at a government hospital Tuesday after reportedly feeling faint. But, unclear whether he could rely on the Peasant Party's 73 votes in the Sejm to back Kiszczak, he returned to parliament in the evening for urgent talks with coalition members.

According to several deputies, the Peasant caucus leader, Aleksander Bentkowski, had proposed that they and Solidarity jointly form a government with a Solidarity prime minister. The Communists would be left only with ministries controlling police and the army.

"We have a general as president. Now they want a general as premier. And we know they want

a Communist to be deputy premier," said one Peasant Party rebel on condition of anonymity. "What kind of new government is that supposed to be?"

Opposition lawmakers entered parliament after June elections, the freest in four decades, ended the Communists' monopoly of legislative power.

The Solidarity victory was so overwhelming — the movement won all but one of the seats they were allowed to contest — that it asked to be allowed to form the new government, but Jaruzelski rejected the prospect as unacceptable to East bloc allies.

Gen. Jaruzelski, who stepped down as Communist Party chief over the weekend in favor of his new, more powerful post, has promised to allow an eventual transition to complete democracy.

Solidarity leader Lech Walesa had urged Solidarity deputies to vote against Kiszczak, who represented the government in talks that led to Solidarity's reinstatement after a seven-year ban and led to the June elections.



Solidarity lawmakers cast votes against Kiszczak for prime minister in Polish parliament voting.

# Lucas could get civil rights job on interim basis

By JAMES ROWLEY  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Justice Department is weighing whether William Lucas could be named chief civil rights enforcer on an interim basis after his rejection by the Democrat-dominated Senate Judiciary Committee.

The idea was raised by Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., on Tuesday after Lucas' defeat in a pair of 7-7 votes that Attorney General Dick Thornburgh labeled "raw politics."

A spokesman said Thornburgh is studying whether Lucas could be given a recess appointment to the job after Congress' scheduled adjournment Friday.

However, one White House official said President Bush likely would not want to anger Congress so early in his term by defying the Senate over Lucas, who was criticized by opponents as being unqualified to become assistant attorney general for civil rights.

No new names for the position are under consideration while the legality of the recess appointment option is being explored, said Robert S. Ross Jr., Thornburgh's executive assistant.

Ross said Thornburgh and his top aides were surprised by the committee's action, saying they expected the nomination would be forwarded to the full Senate where they thought Lucas would win confirmation.

A recess appointment would let Lucas serve until the term of the current Congress expires — in 1990.

Sen. Joseph R. Biden Jr., D-Del., Judiciary Committee chairman, called the notion of a recess appointment a "bad idea."

Congressional and White House sources, speaking on con-

dition of anonymity, said a recess appointment would touch off a confrontation between Bush and Congress.

"In terms of where we go from here, we're now exploring our options," said presidential spokesman Marlin Fitzwater, who expressed disappointment over the vote. Fitzwater said he did not know whether Dole discussed the idea of a recess appointment with the White House.

"No decisions have been made, however, about either Mr. Lucas' future or how we might approach the job at the Justice Department," he said.

Seven of the Judiciary Committee's eight Democratic members voted against Lucas, citing his lack of professional qualifications to head the Justice Department's civil rights division.

Sen. Dennis DeConcini, D-Ariz., joined the panel's six GOP members in voting for Lucas.

The committee also rejected, on an identical vote, a motion by Sen. Strom Thurmond, R-S.C., to send Lucas' nomination to the full Senate without a committee recommendation.

Opponents argue that Lucas, 61, a black Detroit Republican who was sheriff and later chief executive of Wayne County, Mich., showed during his confirmation hearing that he was not familiar with civil rights law.

Lucas, who has never tried a court case, acknowledged during the hearing that he was "new to the law."

"He's lacking in experience and qualifications, his managerial accomplishments are debatable," said Sen. Howell Heflin, D-Ala., who cast a crucial vote against confirmation.

But Republicans accused Democrats of racial hypocrisy by refusing to give Lucas a chance to

gain experience in the job.

"By rejecting him we are preaching one civil rights philosophy and practicing another," said Sen. Charles Grassley, R-Iowa, noting that Lucas would bring to the job his experience as a victim of racial discrimination.

But Biden retorted that "the greatest injustice is being done to

Bill Lucas because of what I think is the apparent cynicism of this administration."

"Bill Lucas adds up to a perfect foil," Biden said. "A decent, honorable black man who has had a successful career, who has demonstrated he knows absolutely nothing about the law. I think that is cynicism in the extreme."



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# Food



Thread boneless pork and spiced crab apples onto skewers. Brush with a sauce made with mustard, molasses and ginger. Kabobs can be cooked on an uncovered grill or under the over broiler.

## Easy kabob recipe for pork or ham

By NANCY BYAL  
Better Homes & Gardens  
Food Editor

Kabobbery has come of age; more interesting combinations of meat, fruit, vegetables and basting sauces are used than ever. Kabobs are appealing to serve and easy to cook — great for backyard entertaining. The sweet but mustardy sauce brushed on these kabobs as they cook also is delicious with any cut of pork or ham.

For even, thorough cooking, cut the meat for kabobs in uniform pieces. When threading the foods onto a skewer, leave a little space between the pieces.

### INDONESIAN PORK SKEWERS

- ¼ cup vinegar
- ¼ cup prepared mustard
- ¼ cup light molasses
- 2 tablespoons ginger preserves or orange marmalade
- ¼ teaspoon ground ginger
- 1½ pounds lean boneless pork,

cut into 1-inch cubes  
One 16-ounce jar spiced crab apples, drained

For brushing sauce, in a medium mixing bowl combine vinegar, mustard, molasses, preserves and ginger. Alternately thread pork and apples on 6 to 8 skewers. Brush with sauce. Grill on an uncovered grill over medium-hot coals about 12 minutes or until pork is no longer pink, turning and brushing with sauce after 6 minutes.

Or, place kabobs on unheated rack of a broiler pan. Broil 5 inches from heat for 12 to 15 minutes or until pork is no longer pink, turning kabobs and brushing with sauce after 6 minutes.

Heat remaining sauce; pass with kabobs. Makes 6 servings.  
Nutrition information per serving: 282 cal., 28 g pro., 21 g carb., 9 g fat, 83 mg chol., 198 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 67 percent thiamine, 17 percent riboflavin, 25 percent niacin, 11 percent iron.

## Brunch pull-apart bread simple to make

By Nancy Byal  
Better Homes & Gardens  
Food Editor

This zesty brunch bread is perfectly simple! Assemble it one day and bake the next morning. Or, raise the bread in the microwave and bake the same day as directed below.

### SAVORY BRUNCH PULL-APART

- ¼ cup grated Parmesan cheese
- 3 tablespoons sesame seed
- ½ teaspoon dried basil, crushed
- One 30-ounce package (24) frozen unbaked rolls
- ¼ cup margarine or butter, melted
- 2 tablespoons real bacon bits (optional)

Thoroughly grease a 10-inch fluted tube pan. In a small bowl combine Parmesan cheese, sesame seed and basil. Add about 1-3rd of mixture to greased pan; lift and turn pan to coat sides and bottom.

Place 10 of the frozen rolls in the pan; drizzle with half the margarine or butter. Sprinkle half the remaining cheese mixture on top. If desired, sprinkle with bacon bits. Add remaining

rolls. Drizzle with remaining margarine and sprinkle with remaining cheese mixture. Cover; let rolls thaw and rise overnight (12 to 24 hours) in refrigerator.

The next day let stand at room temperature for 30 minutes. Bake, uncovered, in a 350-degree F oven for 20 minutes. Cover with foil and bake 10 to 15 minutes more or until golden. Remove bread from pan onto a wire rack. Serve warm. Makes 12 servings.

**SAME-DAY BAKING:** Prepare the bread as directed, using a 12-inch fluted tube pan that is safe in both microwave and conventional ovens. Instead of thawing and raising the rolls overnight, pour 3 cups of water into a 4-cup measure. Cook in the microwave, uncovered, on 100 percent power (high) for 6½ to 8½ minutes or until boiling. Move water to back of the oven. Place pan with bread in microwave; cover with waxed paper. Heat on 10 percent power 10 minutes. Let rest 5 minutes. Repeat this step 3 times until dough is nearly doubled. Bake as directed.

Nutrition information per serving: 255 cal., 7 g pro., 34 g carb., 10 g fat, 5 mg chol., 426 mg sodium.



Frozen unbaked rolls make bread for brunch easy to make. Assemble it one day, bake it the next. For quick fixing, raise the bread in the microwave and bake it the same day.

## New slaw recipes surprise and please

Your family and guests will probably be surprised to learn they're actually eating slaw when they dive into these two new recipes. The first is a hot slaw (how's that for new!) and the second turns salad slaw into main dish slaw.

### HOT RICE AND BACON SLAW

- 2 cups julienne red cabbage
- 4 cups cooked brown rice
- 1 cup chopped green onion
- 6 slices bacon
- ½ tsp. chili powder
- ½ cups Marzetti Slaw dressing
- 1 cup cooked peas
- 1 tsp. garlic powder

Fry bacon. Drain most, but not all of grease. Set bacon aside and crumble when cooled. Sauté rice, cabbage and green onion in bacon grease until cabbage gets soft. Combine Marzetti Slaw Dressing and chili powder. Stir into rice and cabbage mixture. Add bacon. Serve warm. Garnish with peas. Sprinkle with garlic powder. Serves 4 to 6.

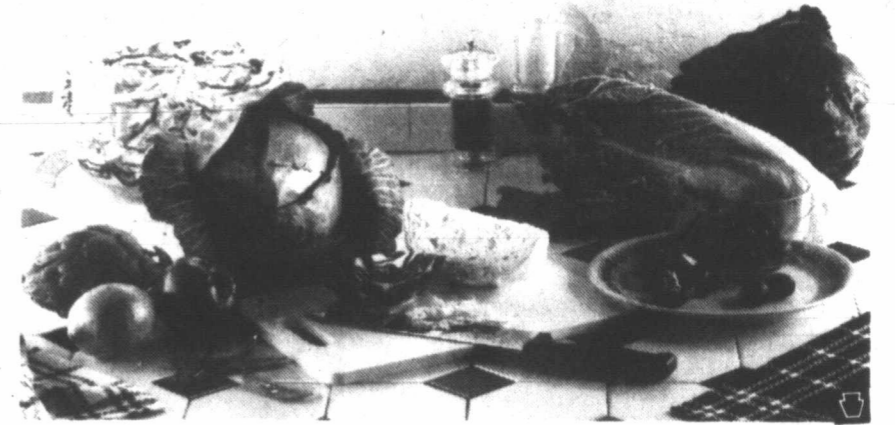
### CHEESE AND TUNA SLAW

- ½ cup cubed cream cheese
- ½ cup cubed cheddar cheese

- ½ cup cubed feta cheese
- ½ cup cubed fontina cheese
- 1 6½ oz. can tuna, drained
- 8 marinated artichoke hearts, cut into bite size pieces
- ½ cup finely chopped onion
- ½ cup diced celery
- 1 medium head of cabbage, finely chopped
- 1 clove garlic, finely chopped
- 1½ cups Marzetti Slaw Dressing
- ½ cup croutons

Cut all cheese into very small cubes and combine with tuna. Mix onion, celery, cabbage, garlic and artichoke hearts.

Combine above ingredients and fold in Marzetti Slaw Dressing. Chill entire salad for 1 hour. Garnish with crisp croutons. Serves 6 to 8.



Cabbage lovers will delight in the summertime assortment of fresh cabbage available for slaw making. Pictured here from left to right are solid head green cabbage, Chinese cabbage and red cabbage.

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Cold Salmon Mousse

From the icy northern ocean comes the distinctive taste of salmon. Blended with cottage cheese and mayonnaise, shaped in a mold and set on a bed of greens, this is all the centerpiece you need. A true summer treat!

Remove skin and bones from salmon. Drain and flake. Soften gelatin in cold water, add boiling water and stir until dissolved. Cool, and mix well with the mayonnaise, lemon juice, onion, Tabasco, paprika and capers. Chill to the consistency of beaten egg white, and mix in the salmon.

Whip cottage cheese in a blender until smooth and creamy, fold into an oiled 1½-quart mold. (Use a fish mold if possible.) Chill until set.

**YIELD: 8 Servings, About 4½ Cups.**

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# Lifestyles



Of the five pieces shown on this book cover, only the Victorian chair on the lower right is an authentic antique.

## Strong light useful in spotting phony antiques

By BARBARA MAYER  
AP Newsfeatures

There may not be more phony antiques than there used to be, but Americans are certainly more aware of them, says Samuel Pennington, editor of the *Maine Antique Digest*.

However, consumers can protect themselves, according to Pennington and Myrna Kaye, an authority on antique American furniture.

Keep an open mind and bring a bright light when you go shopping for antique furniture, says Kaye, author of *'Fake, Fraud or Genuine? Identifying Authentic American Antique Furniture.'*

Although a good deal of the antique American furniture on the market is not as described, in her opinion, a questioning attitude and careful examination can help one to spot fakes.

Kaye says that next to a questioning attitude, a strong light is the most useful aid in identifying furniture that may be posing as something it is not. She carries a 500-watt portable lamp and uses it whenever the light is not adequate for complete scrutiny of a piece. A good flashlight can achieve the same results.

Other tools Kaye takes along on antique furniture-hunting jaunts include a yardstick and calipers to measure shrinkage.

Since old wood furniture invariably shows signs of shrinkage, taking measurements in several places helps you spot shrinkage and, hence, confirm that a piece is old. Calipers can be used to take the dimensions of the round turned parts of wood furniture.

She also carries tweezers and a needle. The needle is to probe what look like wormholes. A drill, rather than worms, made any hole that is deeper than one-eighth of an inch. The tweezers are useful in extracting splinters which are a common hazard when running your bare hands over a piece of wood furniture to see if it has the same degree of roughness all over.

The types of fakes she says are most common include "married" pieces, consisting of parts of different pieces that have been put together; assembled sets in which one or more elements are new, and furniture that has been

embellished — for example, with an extra fan carving — so that it looks better or more expensive than the original piece.

The outright fraud made specifically to deceive is the rarest, she says, because it takes too much time and money to produce it and rarely would the anticipated price justify this kind of effort.

The best indication of authenticity is consistency, adds Kaye. To ascertain if a piece is consistent, look at each detail of construction separately. She starts by sizing the piece up to get an overall impression. Then she opens and removes drawers, looking at the back and base of cabinets and chairs. She says that well-finished, unseen areas of furniture excite her suspicion because American cabinetmakers of the past rarely, if ever, finished parts that didn't show.

Since there are no statistics, there is no way to quantify the number of fakes, according to Pennington. But awareness of the potential for faking old things is certainly increasing.

"Museum-trained experts have educated the public to look at old things with more awareness. They have taught us that pieces without major restoration and in pristine condition are more valuable," he said.

Although any piece of furniture that is 200 years old would almost have to have some repairs, when virtually rebuilt, its claim to age might be at least debatable, he said.

Pennington says the growing public appetite for the country antique look has led to many reproductions of decorative wares. The advantage is that you can buy a reproduction much less expensively than the real thing.

But if the new piece isn't indelibly marked, eventually it will probably make its way into the antiques trade. It's difficult to tell age, especially after an item has acquired some of the patina of age.

He advises not to buy art from a stranger who calls you up on the telephone. Buy from someone with a good reputation. Educate yourself and beware of things that are too good to be true or priced too low in comparison to the market.

## Drowning one's sorrows not for everyone

DEAR ABBY: A member of my family keeps telling me that it is written in the Bible that the Lord approves of giving a person intoxicating drink to drown his sorrow and lessen his pain.

This person is a very heavy drinker, and I think he just made it up as an excuse for his own drinking. If there is such a passage in the Holy Bible, please tell me and I will apologize, because I called him a liar to his face. Thank you.

CAN'T BELIEVE IT

DEAR CANT: Apologize. From Proverbs 31:6-7: "Give strong drink unto him that is ready to perish, and wine unto those that be of heavy hearts. Let him drink, and forget his poverty, and remember his misery no more."

However, since the Bible was written, we have learned that not everyone can handle "strong drink," and for those who cannot, I recommend the National Council on Alcoholism. The toll-free number is 1-800-NCA-CALL. The people there will direct you to a facility in your area and send you some helpful literature about alcoholism. And it's all free!

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Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: Today, when there are so many divorces and remarriages, Mother's Day and Father's Day have become a bit of a problem for me. Both my parents are divorced and remarried. Last Father's Day I invited my father out to a rather expensive brunch. I am not wealthy, but I saved up the money to splurge on him for this special day.

The problem here is that he brought his new wife, so I had to pay for her lunch, too. I didn't say anything; I simply paid the whole tab. I like the woman, but she is not my mother, and I didn't invite her — my father did. Am I responsible for paying her way whenever I invite my father out and he brings her along? And does the same apply to my mother if she brings her current husband when I invite her out?

UPSET IN MINNESOTA

DEAR UPSET: When you in-

vite your father — or your mother — out for a special occasion, in the interest of family unity you should invite his or her spouse, and pay for both of them.

If you want to spend "quality time" exclusively with either parent, you should say so when you extend the invitation.

In this case, even though you didn't invite his new wife, since he brought her anyway, he should have offered to pay for her. But since he didn't offer, it was proper for you to have picked up the tab for everyone.

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DEAR ABBY: Once I read an item in your column called "The Last Will of Mr. Farmer." It was wonderful. I would like to send it to my wife. Please run it again.

TIM MOORE, SEVERY, KAN.

DEAR TIM: This is it: LAST WILL OF MR. FARMER

I leave:

To my wife, my overdraft at the bank — maybe she can explain it. To my banker, my soul — he has the mortgage on it anyway.

To my neighbor, my clown suit — he'll need it if he continues to farm as he has in the past.

To the ASCS, my grain bin — I was planning to let them take it next year anyway.

To the county agent, 50 bushels of corn to see if he can hit the market — I never could.

To the junk man, all my machinery — he's had his eye on it for years.

To my undertaker, a special request — I want six implement and fertilizer dealers for my pallbearers. They are used to carrying me.

To the weatherman, rain and sleet and snow for the funeral, please — no sense in having good weather now.

To the grave digger — don't bother. The hole I'm in should be big enough.

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(Problems? Write to Abby. For a personal, unpublished reply, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Abby, P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, Calif. 90066. All correspondence is confidential.)

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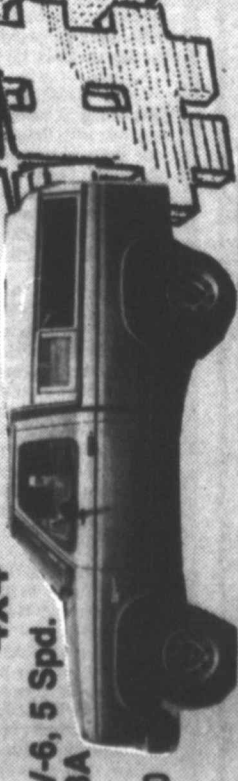
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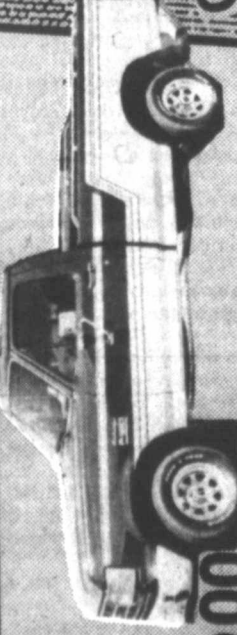
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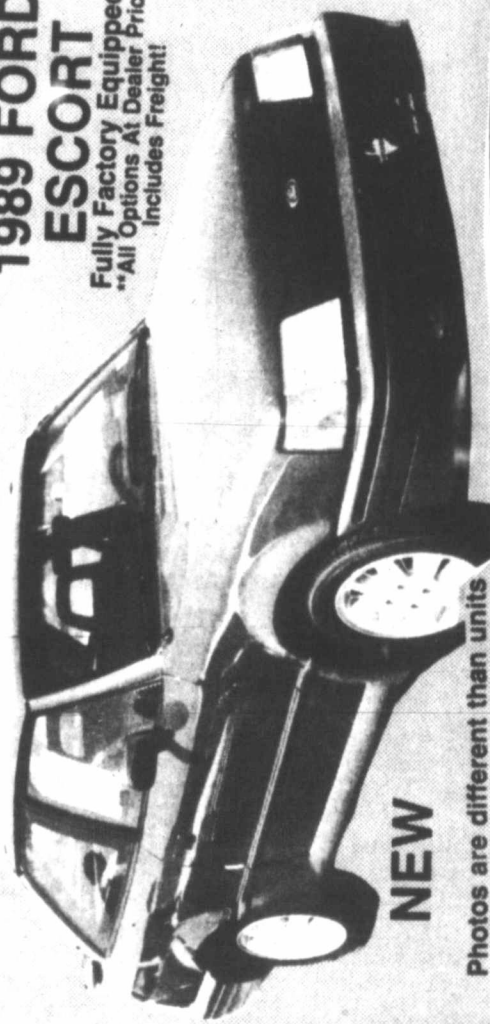


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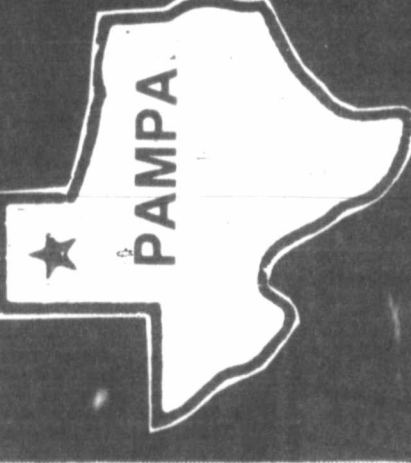
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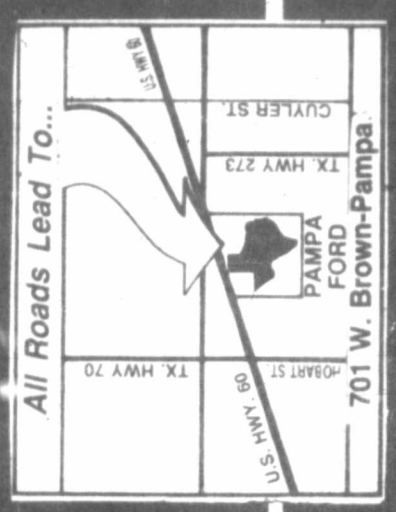


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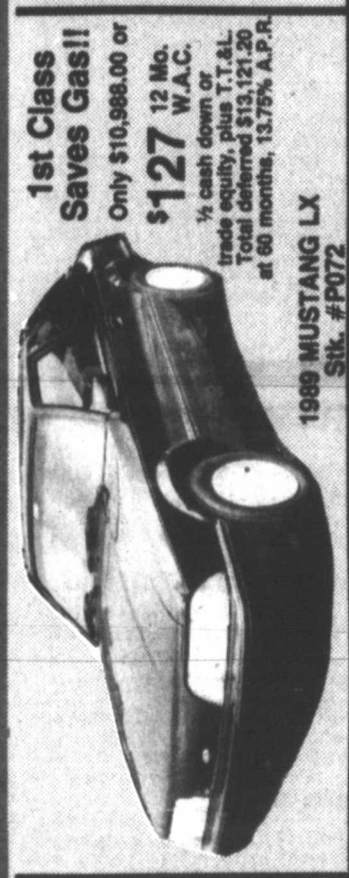
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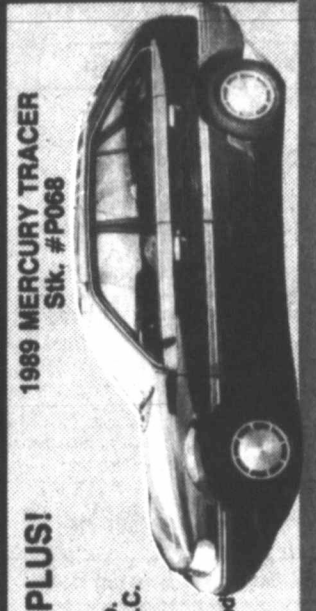
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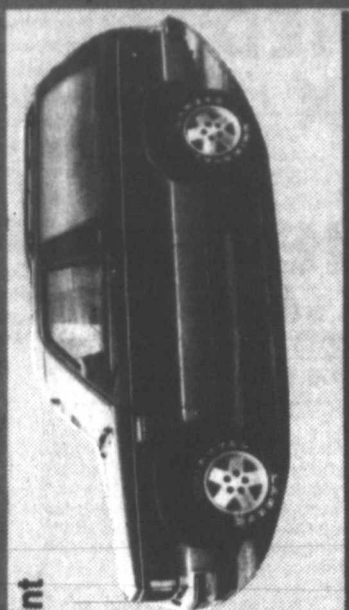
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