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## Fire destroys Central Tire Works building



(Staff photo by Bear Mills)

Firefighters, protected by air packs, enter the smoke-filled Central Tire Works building as they attempt to extinguish the fire that erupted there early today.

By BEAR MILLS  
Staff Writer

Pampa firefighters were still not sure through press time today what caused a major fire this morning at Central Tire Works, 618 E. Frederic.

However, the owner of the business, Vernon Maddox, said he had opened the business and was beginning to work on a tire when he thought a boiler exploded.

The fire was reported at 8:30 a.m., and by 11 a.m. several hundred tires in the business were still blazing.

Firefighters concentrated their efforts on keeping the fire from spreading to a house at 508 Reid.

Firefighters hosed down the rear of the building, stopping flames that continued to edge toward the house, located several feet from the tire company.

Houses along Reid and Campbell streets were evacuated by police and Gray County Sheriff's deputies around 9:30 a.m. due to heavy smoke and the flames that shot several hundred feet into the air at times.

Fire Chief Robert Young and Fire Marshal Tom Adams said the house at 508 Reid suffered smoke damage from the blaze. Maddox said the house was inhabited by relatives and that he owned the home.

Police had Frederic Street closed for over two hours as firefighters dodged flying glass and flames that sometimes exploded out diagonally as they poured water onto the blaze.

Young said firefighters had used 150,000 gallons of water on the fire through 11 a.m. Hot spots inside the



(Staff photo by Bear Mills)

Pampa firefighters battle a blaze fanned by brisk fall winds at Central Tire Works, 618 E. Frederic St., early today.

building had not yet been put out through that time.

"What we're trying to do right now," Young said, "is get our lines out of the way so they can reopen Frederic and then we'll go after the hot spots with our smaller lines."

Police monitored the blaze from as far as two blocks away, preparing to evacuate Baker Elementary School if the smoke began to blow into it. However, winds blew the dense black smoke directly south, sparing the school.

Fire officials said heavy winds this morning caused the fire to burn

hotter, but that they also helped it to burn faster.

Corrugated tin walls and roofing on the building collapsed in as the fire continued to rage this morning. Several times firefighters standing at least 20 feet from the building spraying water on the flames were forced to retreat as they were consumed by the thick black smoke.

Fire Marshal Adams said he is still uncertain of the cause of the blaze, but that whatever caused it was hot enough to set the tires on fire quickly.

He said it would be hours before

he was able to enter the building and determine the cause of the fire.

"I had a boiler on and I don't know what happened," said Maddox, the owner of Central Tire Works. "It threw fire out the bottom and then, all this happened." He pointed at the blaze, which caught three trees on fire.

As the fire grew hotter, it blew out plate glass windows at the front of the building and caused the corrugated tin to expand and then contract.

Young said no one was hurt in the fire.

## Police arrest suspect in stabbing death of Pampa woman early today

By BEAR MILLS  
Staff Writer

A Pampa woman was stabbed to death early this morning after she and her live-in boyfriend reportedly got into a violent argument at the residence, 1019 S. Clark.

Dollie Mae Jackson, 45, was declared dead at 2:10 a.m. at Coronado Hospital.

Her boyfriend, Kenneth Wayne Adkism, 33, was arrested at the residence by Cpl. Jay Lewis and is being held in connection with the slaying.

A press released noted that Jackson had been stabbed in the chest, but did not say how many times. A police incident reported noted stab wounds to both breasts and the left knee.

Officials at the scene said Adkism had originally fled the scene of the attack, but returned after police arrived.

According to police, Jackson's 15-year-old son called 911 at 12:33 a.m. and reported that his mother had been stabbed.

Officials said the son was in a back bedroom and heard fighting, ran out of the bedroom and saw his mother bleeding on the floor.

Jackson was transported by Rural/Metro ambulance to Coronado Hospital, where she was declared dead.

The body was transported to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, where an autopsy is scheduled for today to determine the cause of death.

Police said they were unsure how long Jackson and Adkism had been living together.

Justice of the Peace Wayne Roberts set bond this morning at \$15,000 for Adkism. He remained in city jail through press time this morning.

Services for Jackson are pending with Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Jackson was a member of Macedonia Baptist Church. She was born April 14, 1944 in Hillsboro.

Survivors include four sons, Melvin Parker, Amarillo; Colin Jackson, Pampa; Timothy Jackson, of the home, and Christopher Jackson, Tulia; three sisters, T. Etta Brown, Pampa, and Myrtle and Hattie Jackson, both of Tulia; one brother, Leon Jackson Jr., Pampa; her mother, Ivy Lee Jackson, Tulia; and one grandchild.



(Staff photo by Bear Mills)

Pampa police confer outside the emergency room at Coronado Hospital following a fatal stabbing this morning.

## Police arrest man on burglary charges; arsons investigated

By BEAR MILLS  
Staff Writer

Pampa police arrested a man Sunday morning in connection with four burglaries who had been on parole from the Texas Department of Corrections less than two weeks after serving time for the same types of crimes.

Robbie Dale Burton, 29, was arrested by Officer Terry Brown just after 8 a.m. Sunday at his residence, 405 N. Davis.

Police said they noted Burton driving sporadically and attempted to stop him.

However, instead of stopping, Burton began to lead police on a chase that eventually led to his residence.

After he abandoned his car, it was searched by Officer Bea Morales, who reportedly found items taken in at least four vehicle burglaries.

Police said Burton's reckless driving was originally called in by an alert citizen.

Burton reportedly struck Officer Brown while being arrested, leading to the charge of simple assault.

Burton has also been charged with driving while intoxicated,

evading arrest, no driver's license and no proof of liability insurance.

Local officials said Burton had just been paroled from the TDC after serving time on burglary charges.

District Attorney Harold Comer said he will recommend that bond be denied to Burton, based on his criminal history and repeated offenses.

In an unrelated case, a woman was arrested Sunday night at her home after she reportedly set fire to her live-in boyfriend's clothes after stacking them in a pile in a bedroom of the home and, later, slapped a

Gray County Sheriff's deputy.

Sherry Lorraine Barnett, 40, 1214 E. Francis, was arrested by deputies on charges of public intoxication, disorderly conduct and resisting arrest.

Bond was set at \$1,000 by Justice of the Peace Wayne Roberts in connection with the public intoxication, disorderly conduct and resisting arrest charges.

Roberts said he was unaware of the possibility of further arson charges in the case.

Pampa Fire Marshal Tom Adams said firefighters were called to the residence after receiving a

report of a structure fire.

"There were several people at the home at the time," Adams said. "It was the girl and her boyfriend who lived there. It was his clothes that were set on fire and she was the last one in the house."

Adams said the fire has not been ruled an arson yet, but he is still investigating.

He said it appears the clothes were set on fire deliberately with a match or lighter. No one was hurt in the fire, he said.

He added that the boyfriend had left Barnett and two males at the house before the fire, and when he

returned, he was the one who reported the clothes on fire.

The boyfriend reportedly had put the clothes out with a garden hose by the time firefighters arrived.

Adams said his department is also investigating another fire Sunday that has the appearances of an arson.

He said a fire in a vacant house at 926 S. Faulkner was apparently caused when someone went into the house and started a blanket on fire. However, that fire is also still under investigation.

Only minor damage was reported to the house.

## Hurricane Jerry surprises coast with two deaths, six tornadoes

By SUE FAHLGREN  
Associated Press Writer

GALVESTON (AP) - Hurricane Jerry surprised weather forecasters and coastal residents Sunday, turning from a mild tropical storm to a hurricane that killed two, knocked down apartment balconies, blew cars onto sidewalks and spawned at least six tornadoes.

But the mayor of this Southeast Texas island city said today that things could have been worse.

"I think that we did very well," Mayor Jan Coggeshall said. "I think we're going to find some damage, but I don't think it's going to be as significant as it could have been."

City officials, who earlier described damage as minimal, boosted their damage estimates to \$25 million following reports from survey crews who canvassed the area after daybreak.

City Manager Doug Matthews said inspection teams reported roofs blown off, cars damaged and windows shattered in cars and residences.

Trees were downed and the island was littered with debris. Glass windows in an apartment complex on the west end were blown out, and several of the balconies were torn off.

"The winds blew through the glass of several of these apartments and blew the gutters down," said John Harsh, a resident of the complex who had been without power since 7:30 p.m. "Whole balconies came down. It just ripped them up from the bolts."

Officials were planning an aerial tour later in the day and said they then would decide whether to ask Texas Gov. Bill Clements to declare the area a disaster area.

Schools were open as usual today, although one elementary school was closed because of a power outage.

The bodies of a 24-year-old Coast Guardsman and his 21/2-year-old daughter were discovered about 11 p.m. Sunday on the rock jetties of the island's protective seawall, said Gary Stone, spokesman for Galveston's Emergency Operations Center.

Authorities say the victims could have been in a

pickup truck that was found overturned at the base of the seawall shortly after daybreak today. They speculate that a third victim, believed to be another Coast Guardsman, also was in the truck. Authorities were searching.

Names of the victims were being withheld pending notification of relatives.

Matthews said he regretted seeing any fatalities in such a minimal storm.

"It was just sad to see any fatalities. As city manager, you just blame yourself, and wonder if we gave the community enough warning," Matthews said.

Jerry had seemed headed for the Louisiana coast, but it shifted to the west and was upgraded to a hurricane Sunday morning.

It was downgraded to a tropical storm at 11 p.m. Sunday with winds at 45 mph.

At 5 a.m., the National Weather Service reduced the storm to a tropical depression. All tropical storm warnings were lifted for the upper Texas coast, but a tornado watch remained in effect until 7 a.m. for

Orange and Jefferson Counties.

Flood and flash flood watches were posted for East and Southeast Texas, where 3 to 5 inches of rain was expected in 24 hours.

A tornado was reported even before Jerry came ashore with 100 mph wind gusts at the west end of Galveston Island. The hurricane's maximum sustained winds reached 80 mph as it moved across the island about 7:25 p.m. Sunday, but those winds had topped 85 mph as the hurricane moved across the Gulf of Mexico.

Tornadoes damaged several buildings and homes in a three-block area in Orange near the Louisiana border, and ripped the door off a Galveston fire truck responding to an emergency call about 8 p.m. Firefighter Robert Taylor said the tornado touched down as the truck was leaving the station.

Other tornadoes or funnel clouds were sighted in Webster, Hitchcock, Baytown, Beach City and northeast of Texas Highway 6. Damage generally was confined to roofs and power lines.

Two minor injuries were reported in Baytown.









# Day care a problem for 'thirtysomething' parents

By RICK GLADSTONE  
AP Business Writer

Barbara Jackle and her husband think they're lucky. They found a reliable woman to watch their 5-year-old son for \$85 a week, even though that required getting special permission to enroll him in a school near the care-giver's home three miles away.

"And that's good for only one year," said Mrs. Jackle, 37, a librarian who lives in Upper Darby, Pa., near Philadelphia. "We're even contemplating moving, so we could be closer to where she is."

The Jackles' scramble to find a trustworthy sitter for their 5-year-old is a product of the growth in two-income families among the baby-boom generation. That, in turn, has created an enormous problem for working parents nationwide: who takes care of the kids and how to pay them?

"Nowadays, it seems if you're going to need care you'd better get set up before you get pregnant," said Louise Hurst, a licensed day-care professional who watches the Jackle boy and five other young children in her home.

"I've gotten lots of calls," said Mrs. Hurst, 43. "I inform them I'm full until September 1991, so I don't even bother to take a waiting list."

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Demand for child care has grown so fast that costs have multiplied, in some cases nearly consuming the money earned from a second income. This has cramped budgets of millions of Americans and created an underground cash economy of unregulated care-givers.

Historically, American women have been the family care-givers. But the nation's labor pool is becoming increasingly female. A Labor Department study by the Hudson Institute, an Indianapolis research organization, says women comprise almost half the

work force, compared with 38.1 percent in 1970 and 29.6 percent in 1950.

Other Labor Department figures say 57 percent of all women with children under 6 work outside the home, compared with 12 percent in 1950. The Children's Defense Fund, a Washington-based child-advocacy group, predicts that by 1995, two-thirds of all preschool children will have working mothers, an increase of 50 percent in a decade.

"Only 7 percent of American households now fit the Beaver Cleaver family's mold of breadwinning father and at-home mother," says a policy paper by the Child Care Action Campaign, a New York coalition that advocates a national system of care. "As female labor force participation rates continue to climb, the demand for child care will grow, too."

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Many companies, striving to attract or retain valued employees, offer incentives ranging from flexible work schedules to emergency sitters. Some have gone further, allowing young parents to work at home or take years off with full benefits and job guarantees. Others are building in-house day-care centers, hiring roving nannies or subsidizing the cost of care with cash.

"Certainly it's fashionable these days for corporations to get into this," said Antony Ward, director of Child Care Inc., a New York referral service many companies retain to help employees find sitters.

"A lot of people viscerally respond to the child-care issue," he said. "Anyone who takes the kid to the family day-care provider to find a note on the door saying, 'I have the flu,' knows what it's like."

First Bank System of St. Paul, Minn., for example, this year donated space in its office building for a public kindergarten that doubles as an after-school day-care center, with priority given to children of

bank employees. NCNB Corp., a fast-growing bank in Charlotte, N.C., plans to offer many of its workers a child-care reimbursement of up to 50 percent.

Pitney Bowes Inc., a leading maker of business machines in Stamford, Conn., helped pioneer flexible working hours to accommodate working parents, allowing them to arrive early some days, leave early on others. Federal Express Corp., the Memphis, Tenn., overnight delivery service, offers working parents four-day weeks and 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. shifts.

Last month, seven large New York-based employers, hoping to cut absenteeism, announced a pilot program to provide emergency sitters for workers whose usual arrangements are disrupted.

"Companies are finding that if they're not family friendly, they're losing employees," said Lorraine Dusky, a free-lance writer and co-author of *The Best Companies for Women*, a guidebook to 50 American corporations. "Companies aren't doing this to be altruistic. If companies don't do something, we're in trouble."

Child-care activists say, however, that the high-profile benefits of a few companies mask a potential labor crisis. Most businesses say child care isn't a work-related issue, despite evidence that help from the boss lowers turnover, raises morale and improves productivity. Moreover, the activists say, the federal government isn't providing much help.

Although a bill that would vastly expand federal support for child care is working through Congress, it faces a likely White House veto because of the estimated \$22.7 billion cost over five years.

President Bush proposes more modest legislation that would cost \$2.5 billion a year by 1993, mostly through tax credits to parents. Still, that's less than \$20 a week or about \$1,000 a year, and it would go only to poorer families.

Actual costs for out-of-home child care range from \$1,500 to \$10,000 a year, according to a study by the Conference Board, a New York-based business research group. Other studies show much higher costs for in-home care.

Because of the costs and the scarcity of day-care openings, the vast majority of working parents contend with a hodge-podge, hit-or-miss system for finding help they can trust and afford. Stories abound of sitters who ignore, abandon, abuse or kidnap children.

Most parents rely on referrals from friends and relatives, but the result can be hiring an unlicensed, untrained care-giver. An additional aggravation is that these care-givers generally take only cash to avoid paying income tax. An estimated \$7 billion in day-care income goes unreported annually.

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Beginning this year, parents must give the Internal Revenue Service the name and social security number of their day-care provider to qualify for a tax credit to defray child-care costs. The IRS plans to cross-reference the returns of sitters and prosecute cheaters.

Day-care experts believe the law could make it even harder for parents to afford day care, since many providers will raise rates to compensate for taxes.

"Child-care workers are the lowest paid workers in this country. One of the ways people are able to survive is to be paid without having to declare the income," said Barbara Reisman, executive director of the Child Care Action Campaign.

"I don't recommend people cheat on their taxes," she said. "But many parents can't afford to pay the full cost of care."

Esther J. Kahn, director of Parent's Place, a San Francisco counseling and referral service, agrees: "We have a system that has not caught up with rapid social change in our society, in which more women are back in the labor force and need child care. Our society hasn't provided support for families."

## Two killed in jet crash

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — An Air Force jet on a training mission crashed Sunday morning at Carswell Air Force Base killing both people on board, a base spokesman said.

The F-16 fighter crashed about 9 a.m. at Carswell, said 1st Lt. Stephen Norton, base spokesman. The crash claimed the lives of the pilot, Air Force Reserve Maj. Robert M. Tucker, 37, of Roanoke, Texas, and Marine Corps Capt. James T. Bourne, 33, of Dallas, officials said.

Norton, reading from a prepared statement Sunday afternoon, told The Associated Press: "Access to the crash site is restricted pending cleanup of the fuel spill following the crash and of unspent ammunition which was on board the aircraft."

He did not elaborate. Fort Worth police were asked to help direct traffic around the base following the crash, said Pamela Hawkins, a dispatcher.

The jet was assigned to the 944th Tactical Fighter group, Air Force Reserve, stationed at Luke Air Force Base near Phoenix, said Luke AFB spokesman Captain Joe Davis.

Norton said the aircraft was en route from Dallas Naval Air Station to Carswell on a training mission when it crashed.

A board of Air Force officers was being convened Sunday afternoon to investigate the accident, he said.

Sunday's fatal crash followed two days the crash of an Air Force RF-4C jet that went down in a pasture near Bangs, Texas, killing one of its two crewmen.

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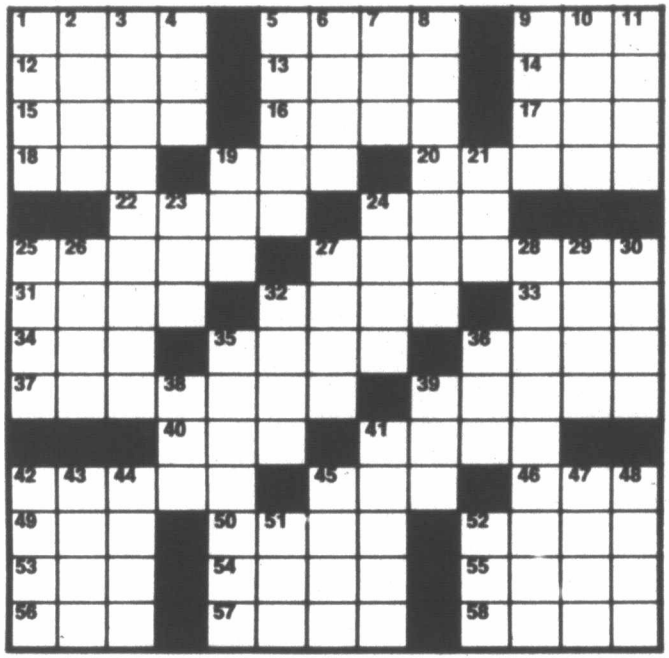
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- 10 tree
- 11 High spirits
- 12 Unique
- 13 person
- 14 Kin of mono
- 15 Over (post.)
- 16 Swift air-
- 17 craft (abbr.)
- 18 Woody
- 19 To the shet-
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- 21 Gravel ridge
- 22 Act as a
- 23 servant
- 24 Merciful
- 25 Having an of-
- 26 fensive odor
- 27 Many qts.
- 28 Wooden tub
- 29 Yoko
- 30 'Gone with
- 31 the Wind'
- 32 house
- 33 Auctioneer's
- 34 word
- 35 More
- 36 beachlike
- 37 animal
- 38 Two-footed
- 39 Addition to a

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- 1 Spout
- 2 Destroyed
- 3 by fire
- 4 Wool-wash-
- 5 ing residue
- 6 Chemical
- 7 suffix
- 8 Unclose
- 9 (poet.)
- 10 Western
- 11 marsh plant
- 12 Week-end-
- 13 welcoming
- 14 abbr.
- 15 Francisco
- 16 Singer
- 17 Redding
- 18 Close
- 19 relative
- 20 Tax, time
- 21 Cats and
- 22 dogs
- 23 Puts to work
- 24 Dancer type
- 25 Reign
- 26 Repetition
- 27 Mao — lung
- 28 Foolish
- 29 person
- 30 Small pup
- 31 — cream
- 32 Sentence
- 33 parts
- 34 — food
- 35 Sheet of
- 36 glass

## Answer to Previous Puzzle



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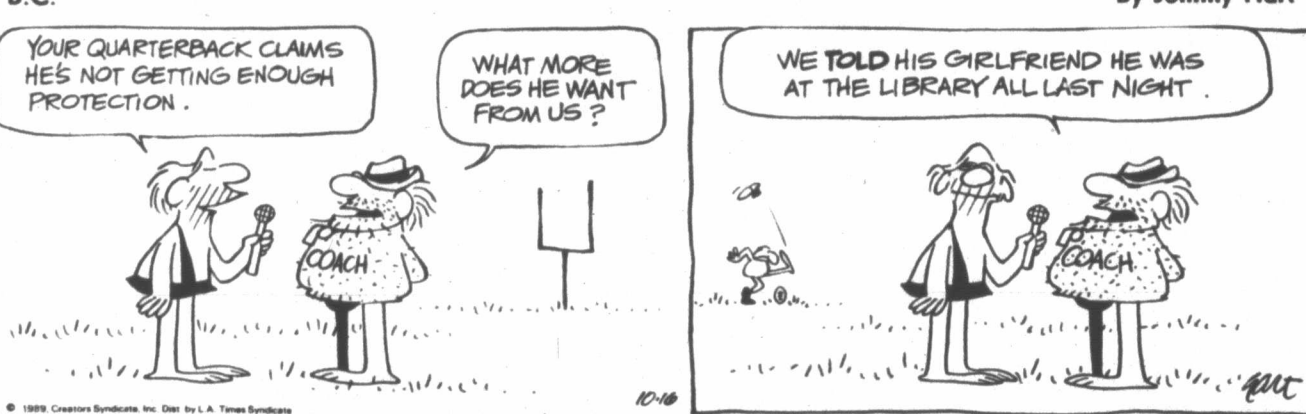
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## Astro-Graph

by bernice bede osol

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Today you might have to deal with someone who will be unappreciative of what you do, even if it costs you money and inconvenience in the process. Chalk it up as a lesson. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Something you've been wanting may come on the market at this time, but it might be wise for you to wait a bit to make sure the product is all they say it is before you buy it. The next model could be better.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** This should be both an active and enjoyable day for you. However, in your quest for having a good time, don't forget to first fulfill a promise you made to someone.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** You may discover several effective ways to economize at this time that will give your budget a breather. Remember, however, to continue to earmark at least a little for relaxation.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Your restless spirit could be in need of some type of social diversion today, but this doesn't mean that everyone has the same requirements. Consider the feelings of others before making plans.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** Whatever you do today, don't reveal a secret someone has told you in the strictest confidence. This could do more to tarnish your image than you can imagine.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** You're likely to be in a rather talkative mood when involved with friends today. This is great, but don't participate in catty discussions. Seeds of ill-will could germinate.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** In order to keep your budget intact at this time, you must be able to distinguish between your needs and your wants. Don't let desires encourage extravagance.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Your friends tend to take to heart what you'll say today, so be extra careful you do not unintentionally hurt a pal's feelings with a thoughtful comment.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** If a task you have to do today requires a capable assistant, don't get involved with an individual who proved to be inefficient previously. History could repeat itself.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Your friends will not appreciate it today if they think you're playing favorites, so do the best you can to treat everyone equally. Party enhances your popularity.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** An objective you hope to achieve is reachable, but you mustn't let someone whose approval you're seeking curb your momentum. Keep moving forward regardless of what this person says.

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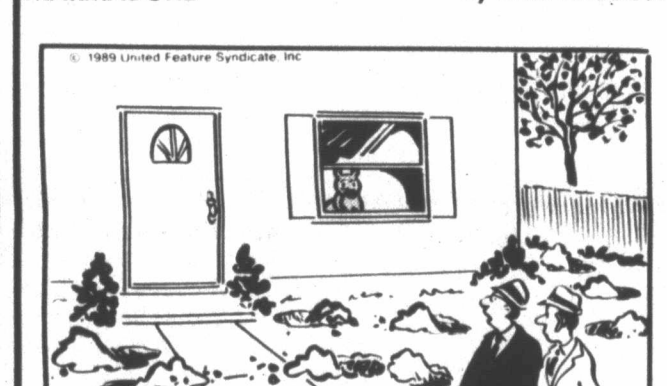
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# Sports



(AP Laserphoto)

A's Terry Steinbach belts three-run homer in fourth inning.

## La Russa makes all the right moves

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — For the first two games of the World Series, Tony La Russa didn't need to worry about being second-guessed. His first guess was just fine.

The Oakland manager has made all the right moves, and the A's head over the Bay Bridge with a 2-0 lead over the San Francisco Giants.

In Game 1, La Russa went with Walt Weiss at shortstop over Mike Gallego and in Game 2 Terry Steinbach caught instead of Ron Hassey.

Weiss homered in Game 1, and Steinbach in Game 2. Before Sunday's 5-1 victory, La Russa said he thought Steinbach would hit a home run off Giants starter Rick Reuschel.

"I said something like that, but I say things like that every game," La Russa said. "I usually make these

positive predictions and today it happened. But I probably said that about four or five guys today. I wouldn't make much of it."

But if La Russa keeps it up, he may be working on Wall Street in the offseason.

Not that he's always perfect.

In Game 1 of the World Series against Los Angeles last season, La Russa replaced Dave Stewart with Dennis Eckersley after eight innings and the A's leading 4-3.

As the world knows, Kirk Gibson hit a two-run homer with two out to win the game, and spark the Dodgers' to victory over the A's in five games.

What a difference a year makes, Tony.

## Athletics go 2-up on Giants

### Split-finger fastball comes back to haunt Craig

By JIM DONAGHY  
AP Baseball Writer

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Roger Craig almost can't watch. His split-finger fastball has come back to haunt the Giants.

It's been scary, too. Real scary.

Oakland beat San Francisco 5-1 Sunday to take a 2-0 lead in the best-of-7 World Series.

On Saturday, Dave Stewart showed off his split-finger pitch and beat the Giants 5-0 with a five-hitter.

In Game 2, Mike Moore bedeviled the Giants for seven innings with his version.

"You got to give credit to the Oakland pitching staff," Craig said. "Every guy they've thrown out there has had a better split-finger than the other guy."

Craig should know. He's the guru of the split-finger.

The Giants manager has saved careers by teaching it, and even created stars. But all he sees now is a monster.

In losing the first two games, the Giants managed only nine hits in 62 at-bats, a .145 average, and were 0-for-11 with runners in scoring position.

Will Clark and Kevin Mitchell, known as the Pacific Sock Exchange, crashed, going 0-for-6 with runners in scoring position.

"Their pitching can't get much better than it has been," Craig said.

Oh, no?

Bob Welch will pitch for the A's in Game 3 on Tuesday at Candlestick Park. The former Los Angeles Dodger is 19-4 lifetime against the Giants, 6-0 at San Francisco.

The A's broke a 1-1 tie in the fourth against Rick Reuschel on Dave Parker's RBI double and Terry Steinbach's three-run homer.

"I thought it was a good pitch when it left my hand," Reuschel said of Steinbach's homer. "I got him out on soft stuff the first time and then I tried to sneak one by him."

Moore had no trouble getting his split-finger by the jittery Giants most of the game.

He pitched seven-plus innings and allowed one run and four hits.

To make matters worse for Craig, Moore only recently discovered the split-finger.

"I picked it up this year and started using it six or seven starts into the season," Moore said. "I threw it on the side at first and then in games after I got more confidence with it."

All of the A's have reason to be confident.

Of the 39 teams that have taken a 2-0 lead in the World Series, 29, or 74.4 percent, have gone on to win it all.

A's manager Tony La Russa isn't worried about overconfidence, though.

"Number one, we know who we're playing," La Russa said. "We have a bunch of guys who have been around. They know not to get careless or overconfident. It's a nice margin, but it isn't everything. We're going to be very ready on Tuesday."

The A's lost the first two games to the Dodgers last season and couldn't bounce back, losing the Series in five games.

"You have to deal with the positives when you're in that position," La Russa said. "They're going home now and they have to think positively because they have three games in their park."

About the only thing positive for the Giants in Game 2 was their run.

Terry Kennedy got the Giants' first hit off Moore when he led off the fourth with a single. Jose Uribe followed with a potential double play grounder back to the mound, but shortstop Walt Weiss appeared to be late covering second and Uribe was safe at first on the force play.

Brett Butler followed with a hit-and-run single to left, sending Uribe to third, and Robby Thompson hit a sacrifice fly to center.

Dating back to Games 6 and 7 of the 1962 World Series, it broke a 23-inning scoreless streak for the Giants.

"Mike Moore was just like Stewart last night, very, very tough," Clark said. "We're just a good club going up against a good pitching staff."

Not that the A's pitching is the only thing the Giants have to fret about.

Rickey Henderson was 3-for-3 and a walk. Henderson walked in the first, stole second, and scored on Carney Lansford's double.

The Bay Bridge Series shifts to Candlestick on Monday for workouts. Don Robinson will start against Welch on Tuesday.

## Oilers rally past Bears, 33-28; Lions down Buccaneers, 17-16, for first victory

By BARRY WILNER  
AP Sports Writer

The Houston Oilers don't pull upsets on the road. The Cincinnati Bengals don't get upset at home. The Detroit Lions don't depend anyone, anywhere.

Except on Sunday.

And the most upset of all probably was Mike Ditka.

"I don't know if this team can win another football game. At this point, I don't think we can," the Chicago Bears coach said after the Oilers rallied for a 33-28 victory at Soldier Field.

The Bengals hadn't experienced the depression of defeat at Riverfront Stadium since 1987. But Dan Marino ran the Miami Dolphins through "The Jungle" to a 20-13 victory, snapping Cincinnati's 12-game winning streak there.

Also, Pittsburgh, a 51-0 loser to the Browns in the season opener, won a shocker at Cleveland, 17-7; Minnesota, in Herschel Walker's first game as a Viking, beat Green Bay 26-14, with Walker gaining 148 yards; Denver took Indianapolis 14-3; San Francisco beat winless Dallas 31-14; the New York Giants took Washington 20-17; the Los Angeles Raiders defeated Kansas City 20-14; Philadelphia was a 17-5 winner against Phoenix, and New Orleans downed the New York Jets 29-14.

Tonight, Buffalo entertains the Los Angeles Rams, the only unbeaten team in the league.

**Oilers 33, Bears 28**

Houston had lost 52 of its last 62 road games and rarely is competitive against the likes of the Bears if the game is not in the "House of Pain."

Chicago seemed in charge with a 28-19 lead with four minutes remaining, built on Mike Tomczak's three touchdown passes. He also was intercepted four times.

"We had the game won; we had it won with six turnovers," Ditka said. "None of those turnovers came after we had the lead. Therefore, if we had the lead, how come we can't hold a nine-point lead?"

Because Warren Moon scored on a 1-yard run with 3:38 left, and Lorenzo White got in from the 12 after Allen Pinkett ripped off a 60-yard gain.

**Dolphins 20, Bengals 13**

Miami, which has found a defense this year, increased its season sack total to 23 by getting to Boomer Esiason three times. The Dolphins won for the first time since 1983 in a game when Dan Marino didn't throw for a touchdown. It was the Dolphins' fifth consecutive victory over the Bengals, who didn't score in the second half.

Ron Davenport's 5-yard run won it and Mark Duper had five receptions for 129 yards and keyed three scoring drives. Marino completed 16 of 33 passes for 266 yards and for the 18th consecutive game wasn't sacked, an NFL record. He also ran for a 1-yard score.

**Lions 17, Buccaneers 16**

The Lions don't have an explosive quarterback to run their Silver Stretch, yet. But Peete held them together despite four turnovers and 13 penalties for their first victory in eight games dating to last year.

Peete, making his second start, moved Detroit 76 yards in eight plays for the winning points.

Falcons 16, Patriots 15

Davis, who kicked for the Falcons last year, did again, in a way. He botched the extra point on New England's touchdown after he connected on field goals of 32, 32 and a career-best 52 yards.

That left Atlanta an opening and the Falcons used it for Keith Jones' 1-yard scoring run to make it 15-13. Atlanta then drove 67 yards in 11 plays for the winning field goal, a 22-yarder by Paul McFadden with five seconds to go.

Seahawks 17, Chargers 16

Rookie Dana Brinson fumbled a punt that set up the Seahawks' winning touchdown. Dave Krieg threw a 6-yard touchdown pass to

John L. Williams and Norm Johnson's extra point was the difference when Bahr had the two kicks blocked.

**Steelers 17, Browns 7**

Five weeks ago, the Steelers had eight turnovers and Cleveland got 31 points from them. This time, it was the Browns who couldn't hold

onto the ball with seven giveaways, including a career-high four interceptions against Bernie Kosar.

**Vikings 26, Packers 14**

Welcome to Minneapolis, Herschel.

Walker ran a kickoff 51 yards the first time he touched the ball, but it was called back because of a penalty. He also had a 47-yard run on which he lost his shoe.

Keith Millard had four of the Vikings' eight sacks and Reggie Rutland had two interceptions.

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And the Lions, who hadn't come close to winning in going 0-5, surprised the Buccaneers 17-16 at Tampa as rookie Rodney Peete scored from the 5 with 23 second left and Eddie Murray kicked the decisive extra point.

New England and San Diego could have used Murray, too. The Patriots lost to Atlanta 16-15 as Greg Davis, who made three field goals, misses a conversion. Chris Bahr's PAT was blocked by Jeff Bryant and his 51-yard field goal attempt was blocked by Joe Nash as Seattle edged San Diego 17-16.

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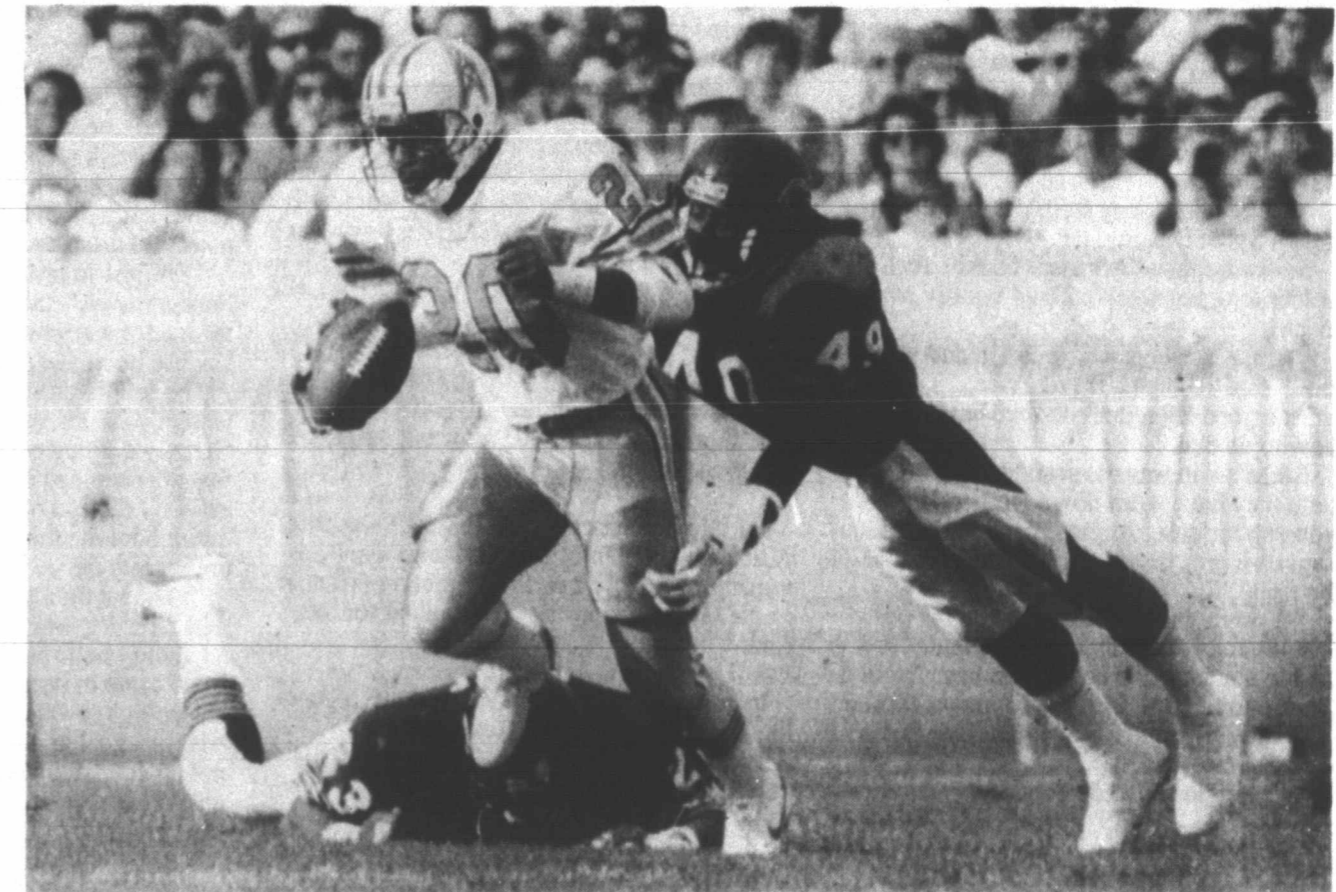
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(AP Laserphoto)

The Oilers' Allan Pinkett shakes off Bears' defenders David Tate and Shaun Gayle for a 60-yard gain that set up winning touchdown.

## San Francisco notches "ugly" victory over winless Cowboys, 31-14

By DENNE H. FREEMAN  
AP Sports Writer

IRVING, Texas (AP) — The San Francisco 49ers are winning ugly but the winless Dallas Cowboys would give anything for a win with warts on it.

The defending world champion 49ers kept the pressure on the NFC West-leading Los Angeles Rams on Sunday with a 31-14 victory over the 0-6 Cowboys. Dallas is the only winless NFL team.

"It was a 10 a.m. (West Coast time) game for us and we didn't wake up until 1 p.m. or 2 p.m.," said San Francisco coach George Seifert. "Every game is a dog-fight for us."

The 5-1 49ers have rallied from behind to win four games. The victory over the Cowboys was their fifth away from Candlestick and it took 17 points in the fourth period to pull it off.

The Rams (5-0) play at Buffalo on Monday night.

"It was a very shabby three quarters," Seifert said. "We didn't have a helluva lot of intensity."

San Francisco defensive back Tom Holmoe, who had an interception, said "Dallas has professional players and they have a lot of pride. Records don't mean much in the NFL. We tried to take them seriously."

Dallas, off to its worst start since 1960, showed remarkable spunk for three periods considering the distractions of the Herschel Walker trade during the week.

"Our players had to look at each other and do their part without Herschel," coach Jimmy Johnson said. "They pulled together."

Johnson said the 49ers showed their fourth-quarter class.

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"It was an OK game," Young said. "I threw one interception I wish I had back. It was a bonehead play."

Roger Craig, who gained 61 yards on 18 carries, said "We didn't seem to have that spark. We didn't get it until the third and fourth quarters."

Rice said it would have helped if the team had known about the quarterback situation before Saturday.

"I'm just out there to make plays but you can't wait until Sunday and just walk out on the field..." he said.

A big defensive play gave San Francisco a 14-7 in the third period when Stan Wallace blocked a field goal attempt and Johnny Jackson returned it 62 yards for a touchdown.

Darryl Clack's one-yard scoring run tied it 14-14 for Dallas on a 73-yard drive highlighted by Walsh's 14-yard scramble for a first down at the 49ers' 14.

The underdog Cowboys came back late in the first half to tie the game 7-7 on Walsh's 32-yard scoring pass to Kelvin Martin.

## Early start on school year proves costly move for some Texas High School football teams

WICHITA FALLS, Texas (AP) — Getting an early start on school this year was a costly move for some football teams, points out a coach whose team just lost.

Because schools were given an

option about when to open classes this year, some fell victim to "no pass, no play" penalties earlier than others.

Bowie High School coach Leonard Carey, whose team lost 28-

7 Friday to Iowa Park, didn't appreciate the way things worked out.

Carey already had lost two players whose grades didn't pass muster, but Iowa Park had a full squad because its six-week grading period

doesn't end until this coming Friday.

Under no pass, no play, students failing one or more classes during a six weeks' grading period are ineli-

gible for sports or other extracurricular activities for the next six weeks.

This year, school districts in Texas had the option of beginning

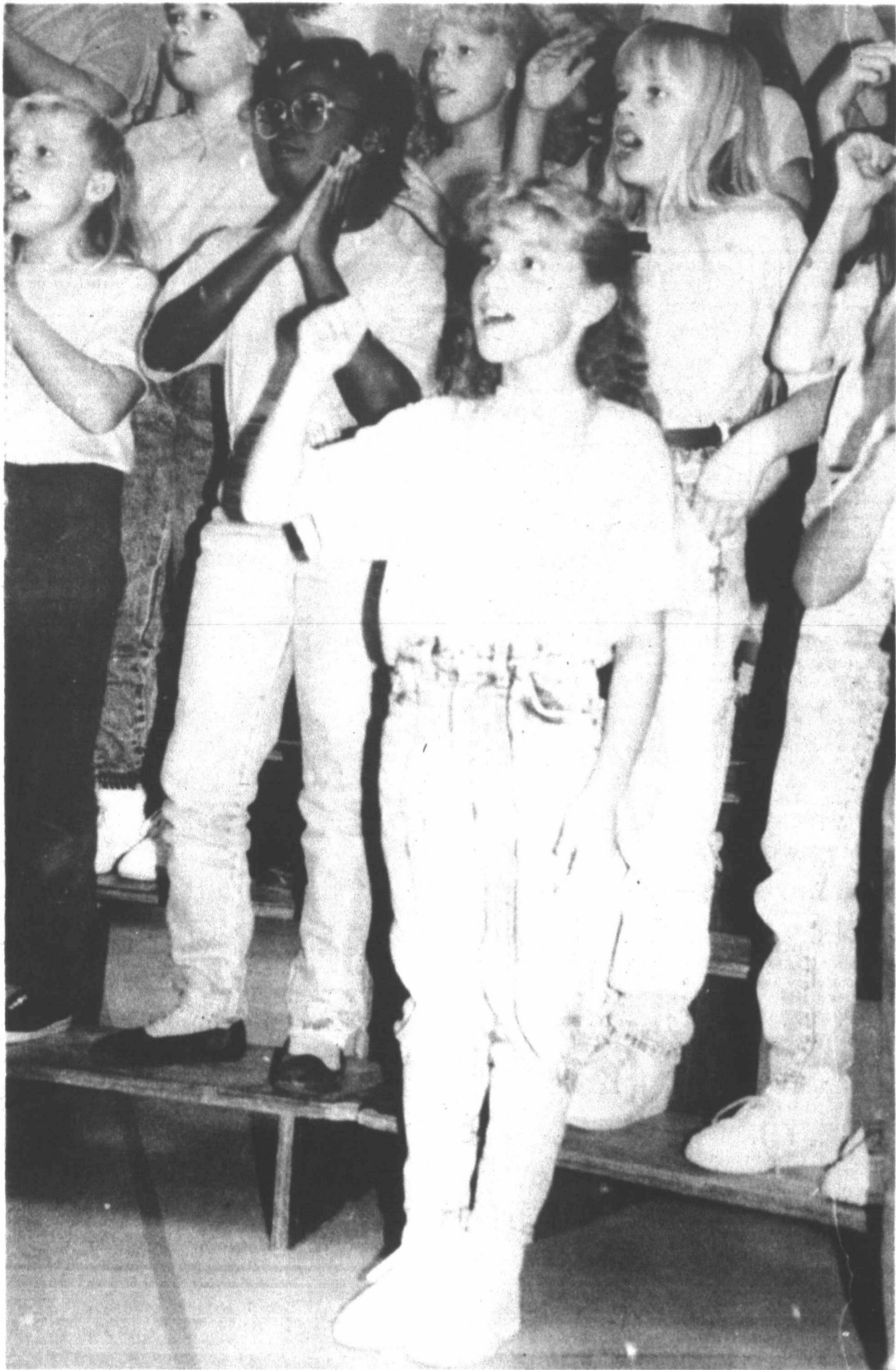
school on the Monday of the calendar week in which Sept. 1 falls.

This year, Sept. 1 fell on a Friday, so some schools, like Bowie, choose to start on Aug. 28.





## Walk like an Egyptian



(Staff photo by Dee Dee Laramore)

Members of the Pampa Elementary Chorus entertain the Pampa United Way check-in crowd last Thursday with a choreographed rendition of the Bangles' pop song, "Walk Like an Egyptian." The young students, selected from the city's elementary schools, practice regularly, with a varied repertoire from pop hits to holiday tunes to classic selections. The chorus has become a popular entertainment at various meetings and activities in the city.

## Health problems plague border towns

By SUZANNE GAMBOA  
Associated Press Writer

SOCORRO, Texas (AP) — Three of Victoria Guillen's children have had hepatitis, one of her daughters has sores up and down her arms and legs and her husband suffers gastritis.

She blames the lack of running water in her home, which many health workers acknowledge is the direct cause of the Guillen family's illnesses.

But they also blame a lack of public policy during the last decade for failure to find a remedy for Mrs. Guillen's problems and those of thousands of other "colonia" residents living along the U.S.-Mexico border. And they warn that the longer the colonias go without running water, the greater the threat to the health of the rest of the nation.

"What we've got is a Third World, part of which happens to be in the U.S.," said Dr. Herbert Ortega, chief of the Pan American Health Organization's El Paso office.

There is a pool of statistics to support Ortega's claim.

— El Paso County tuberculosis rate is a little less than twice the national average, and 80 percent of the tuberculosis cases in the county are traceable to a foreign country.

— Each day, 12 million gallons of raw sewage flow into the Tijuana River. Another 20 million and 22 million are dumped into the New River and Rio Grande, respectively, according to an American Medical Association report.

— Between 1980 and 1988, the population of Ciudad Juarez across the border from El Paso jumped from 714,000 to 1.25 million; officials estimate that anywhere from 83 million to 400 million cross the U.S.-Mexico border each year.

— About 25 percent to 50 percent of border residents are living below the poverty level.

Despite these grim statistics, health officials, physicians and some politicians have been unable to turn the attention of Congress to the border and change the living conditions of Mrs. Guillen and other border residents.

Mrs. Guillen and her family have lived without running water for 15 years in a trailer home in a subdivision east of El Paso.

They had owned a home in El Paso, but sold it when they moved to California. When they returned they discovered they could buy a lot of land for less than what it would cost them to rent a home. They were promised sewer and water hookups would arrive soon.

"It has been a long time, 15 years we have been waiting for water," she said.

On the stove, a rusting metal bucket holds water for cooking, washing dishes and bathing.

Sometimes the family can get water from neighbors a block away with running water, but when they run out at odd hours they must use water from a backyard pump.

Mrs. Guillen fondly recalls when the family lived in El Paso and were used to having water anytime they wanted.

"When my kids were very small, they would get full of dirt and I was used to letting my kids play, letting them get dirty and then bathing them," she said. "But not here. ... At times I don't even have water from the pump and the pipes get clogged up. ... We get very tense because there is not even water to fill the tub. You can imagine. With a big family and no water for the bathtub. What do we do? We have to put up with it."

Sometimes her husband cleans the pipes to the backyard pump and ends up covered with sand, Mrs. Guillen said. "We take a bath with sand. ... There are a lot of people who take a bath with sand."

Last year, three of her children got hepatitis, "and I would look at them, all yellow."

"Problems with water can cause people to have big infectious sores, that erupt inside your skin. ... Two of my daughters had that same infection years back."

One daughter's foot was so

infected with sores it swelled. The girl spent a summer with an aunt in El Paso "and believe it or not her (sores) got better, because she was taking a bath with city water."

Mrs. Guillen speaks reverently of the city water. "It is clean. Your body feels clean. But with the water she must use, 'I'm not sure if I smell good because that water smells bad.'"

Health officials are hopeful that a recent conference sponsored by the Texas Medical Association and the recent meeting between George Bush and Mexican President Carlos Salinas de Gotari will bring some remedy to border living conditions.

"I don't know ultimately what will come of it, but there is greater awareness, more interest, more action. The Texas Medical Association, the American Medical Association are pushing the administration to respond," said Dr. Robert Bernstein, Texas health commissioner.

Health officials would most like to see a joint U.S.-Mexico commission formed and given consistent funding to coordinate the work of many independent groups trying to alleviate the border conditions.

In November, Texas voters will be asked to approve a \$500 million water bond package, which includes \$100 million which could be used to make subsidized loans and grants to provide water and sewage systems to colonia residents. The bonds would be guaranteed by county or city governments, water districts or water supply corporations.

But even if the monies are approved, Comptroller Bob Bullock has said the \$100 million would not be enough to upgrade conditions in all the state's colonias.

Others see a solution through more involvement by the "maquiladora" — twin-plant — industries.

## New device lowers radiation in breast exams

PEORIA, Ill. (AP) — A device that enhances the X-ray film used in breast exams lets hospitals convert equipment to reduce women's radiation exposure and could result in better pictures to diagnose cancer.

The concept of extended processing of mammographic film is not new but it has been available only in new equipment, which runs upwards of \$10,000, said Dr. G.W. Eklund, director of radiation at St. Francis Medical Center here.

Eklund and Dale Surratt, a radiology engineer, modified a Swedish process and applied to existing processors. Conversion kits marketed by their Advanced Radiographic Technologies cost \$1,700 to \$2,200, they said.

The process involves installing a variable-speed motor to adjust the time that mammographic film spends in chemical developers, Surratt said. The kit slows down the processing speed with the push of a button.

"There's about 30,000 of these X-ray film processors out there, so it's a huge market. We've found other applications than mammography, including bone studies and tissue density pictures," said Surratt. They've sold

about two dozen conversion kits in six months.

"Dr. Eklund has come up with a way to switch X-ray processors back and forth from processing chest film to mammographic film," said Arthur Haus, a medical physicist in the health and science division at Eastman Kodak Inc.

"We've found that extended development processing reduces patient radiation doses by about 35 percent," Haus said. "And the resulting pictures offer better resolution and more contrast, which are easier to interpret for diagnostic purposes. Those are very strong benefits."

"We've been most impressed by our film quality and the Food and Drug Administration examined it and determined we've reduced our radiation dose about 38 percent," said Jan McPharolin of Salinas Valley Radiologists in Salinas, Calif.

"We didn't want to buy an entire new processor so we're very happy with the conversion kits," McPharolin added.

Eklund said hospitals also can expect to see a 25 percent increase in the life of the tubes in their X-ray equipment. The tubes cost about \$14,000.

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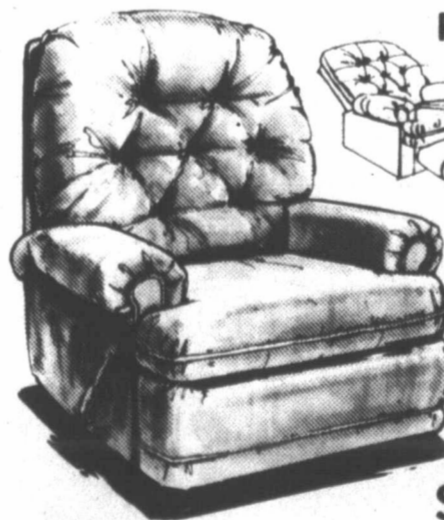
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