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TUESDAY

Columbia off on 10-day mission

By HOWARD BENEDICT
AP Aerospace Writer

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Space shuttle Columbia opened a new decade of space flight today as it rocketed into orbit on a daring 10-day mission to chase down and bring back a satellite as big as a bus before it falls to Earth.

The 115-ton winged spaceship lifted off with a crew of five at 7:35 a.m., riding a 700-foot column of flame out over the Atlantic on the start of the second-longest shuttle flight yet.

Skies were partly cloudy as tens of thousands watched the start just after dawn of the 33rd shuttle mission, during which the astronauts will put a Navy communications satellite into orbit on Wednesday and retrieve an 11-ton orbiting science laboratory on Friday.

"I don't think I've ever seen a cleaner countdown and launch," said Richard Truly, administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. "What a marvelous way to start the 1990s."

The mission is the first of 10 planned in 1990 as NASA continues its recovery from the Challenger explosion that killed seven astronauts four years ago this month.

Once in orbit, the astronauts set up their computers for flight, unpacked equipment, removed their liftoff suits and began activating experiments. Mission Control reported all systems aboard Columbia were "very clean."

Liftoff was three weeks behind schedule, delayed last month by launch pad problems and on Monday by low-lying clouds.

The launch was timed to put Columbia on the orbital path followed by the satellite the astronauts are tracking.

Commander Dan Brandenstein and pilot Jim Wetherbee will guide the shuttle through a series of intricate maneuvers to close in on their quarry, which has been orbiting the Earth nearly six years.

The satellite, the Long Duration Exposure Facility, is the size of a small school bus and is packed with 57 experiments containing a wealth of scientific and technological information from its long exposure to space.

Once the satellite is caught, mission specialist Bonnie Dunbar will reach out with the shuttle's 50-foot arm to snare the 21,400-pound package, which is 30 feet long and 14 feet in diameter, and stow it in the shuttle's cargo bay.

"It will be like hunting a speck in the sky," Brandenstein said recently. "But NASA has plenty experience doing this type of rendezvous, and Jim and I have practiced it to perfection in the simulator."

The satellite is 202 miles up, but atmospheric drag has been pulling it to Earth about half a mile each day. If the satellite can't be retrieved, it will fall into the atmosphere and burn up about March 9, its experiments lost forever.

Once the satellite is captured, Brandenstein,

Wetherbee, Dunbar and mission specialists Marsha Ivins and David Low will concentrate on experiments, with emphasis on materials processing and how the body adapts to weightlessness.

The mission is to be 10 hours shorter than the ninth shuttle flight, in 1983, and is a stepping stone for even longer ones. Columbia is being modified to stay aloft 16 days, starting with a 1993 flight.

Scientists are eager to examine LDEF to learn how various materials and systems withstood the long stay in orbit — information that will help in designing a permanent space station and the "Star Wars" defense system.

"LDEF is a virtual treasure trove of science and technology information," said William Kinard, chief scientist for the project.

Scientists may reap a big bonus because the satellite has been in space five years longer than intended. The satellite was to have been retrieved 10 months after a shuttle put it into orbit in 1984. But scheduling problems and the 1986 Challenger disaster delayed the retrieval.

The satellite carries experiments on materials, propulsion, electronics, optics and other areas. They represent more than 200 investigators, 33 companies, 21 universities, seven NASA centers and several foreign countries.

On board are 12.5 million tomato seeds that will be distributed to students from fifth grade through university level for research into such things as germination rates and genetic changes.

Mobeetie superintendent awaits decision on career

By BETH MILLER
Staff Writer

MOBEETIE — Superintendent Dave Summers said today the fate of his career is now held in the hands of Education Commissioner Bill Kirby.

Summers said his future plans are based on what Kirby decides following the recommendation Monday by the Teachers' Professional Practices Commission that Summers' teaching certification be revoked for one year.

"I feel comfortable that I haven't compromised the integrity of the school system or compromised any rules or regs (regulations)," Summers said.

The Commission, a 15-member panel, has heard evidence in the case against Summers since August. Former Mobeetie school principal Vickie Lewis had filed a complaint against Summers, alleging he was "mentally unfit, lacking the social prudence to do his job, falsifying documents and making false statements about her," according to



Dave Summers

Texas Education Agency Spokesman Joey Lozano.

"Basically it is the recommendation of the Commission that his (Summers) certification be suspended for one year. Ultimately the Commissioner of Education will

decide whether that recommendation will be accepted," Lozano said today.

The TEA spokesman said the next steps in the case include a majority opinion to be filed by the Teachers' Professional Practices Commission. That opinion will be turned over to the TEA legal staff, which will review the case and in turn make a recommendation to Commissioner Kirby.

"Each side will be able to respond to the recommendation and the Commissioner will review that," Lozano said.

A decision in the case is not expected for at least a month, Lozano said. There are built-in time limits for each stage of the process, he said.

Lewis, who originated her complaint during the summer, is now the principal in Lakeview. She was suspended in April by the Mobeetie school board after trustees found out she was not certified as a Texas teacher.

According to the *Amarillo Daily News*, Lewis passed a test required

of all education majors, but did not take the basic skills test required by the Legislature.

The Commission found that Summers demonstrated a "lack of professional mental fitness and professional social discipline," in violating the Code and Standard Practices for Texas Educators, according to the TEA spokesman.

The group also found that the superintendent had lied to school board members on April 18 regarding whether an emergency teaching certificate could be obtained for Lewis.

And the panel found he had tried to coerce Lewis into resigning her post by promising her a good evaluation, according to the *Amarillo* newspaper.

Following the commissioner's decision, the case could be appealed to a state District court in Travis County.

Summers, in a telephone interview this morning, said, "I would hope there would be some expediency (by Commissioner Kirby). Obviously my career is on the line."

Six killed in rail workers strike battle in South Africa

By DAVID CRARY
Associated Press Writer

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Six men were killed and at least 31 were injured today when hundreds of striking and non-striking rail workers battled with clubs, machetes, and other weapons at a train station near Johannesburg, police said.

Union spokesmen said they received reports of more than 20 people killed and more than 60 injured. The reports could not be confirmed.

Bodies still lay in blood-soaked train cars two hours after the clash.

Rocks, sticks and homemade weapons were strewn around the cars and the platform.

It was by far the worst incident of violence during the 10-week strike by black workers against the white-led government's transport company. About 10 people have been killed in previous strike-related incidents and several dozen railway cars have been destroyed in arson attacks.

The union accused non-strikers of an unprovoked attack on strikers with clubs, knives, machetes and rocks.

A police spokesman, Col. Frans Malherbe, said the battle involved

about 1,000 black men still working for South African Transport Services who confronted about 800 strikers in Germiston, an industrial town southeast of Johannesburg. The strikers had arrived at the station by train on their way to a union meeting.

Malherbe said police officers dispersed the combatants with tear gas after the battle raged 45 minutes. The Congress of South African Trade Unions, a militant labor federation to which the strikers are affiliated, said police should have intervened sooner.

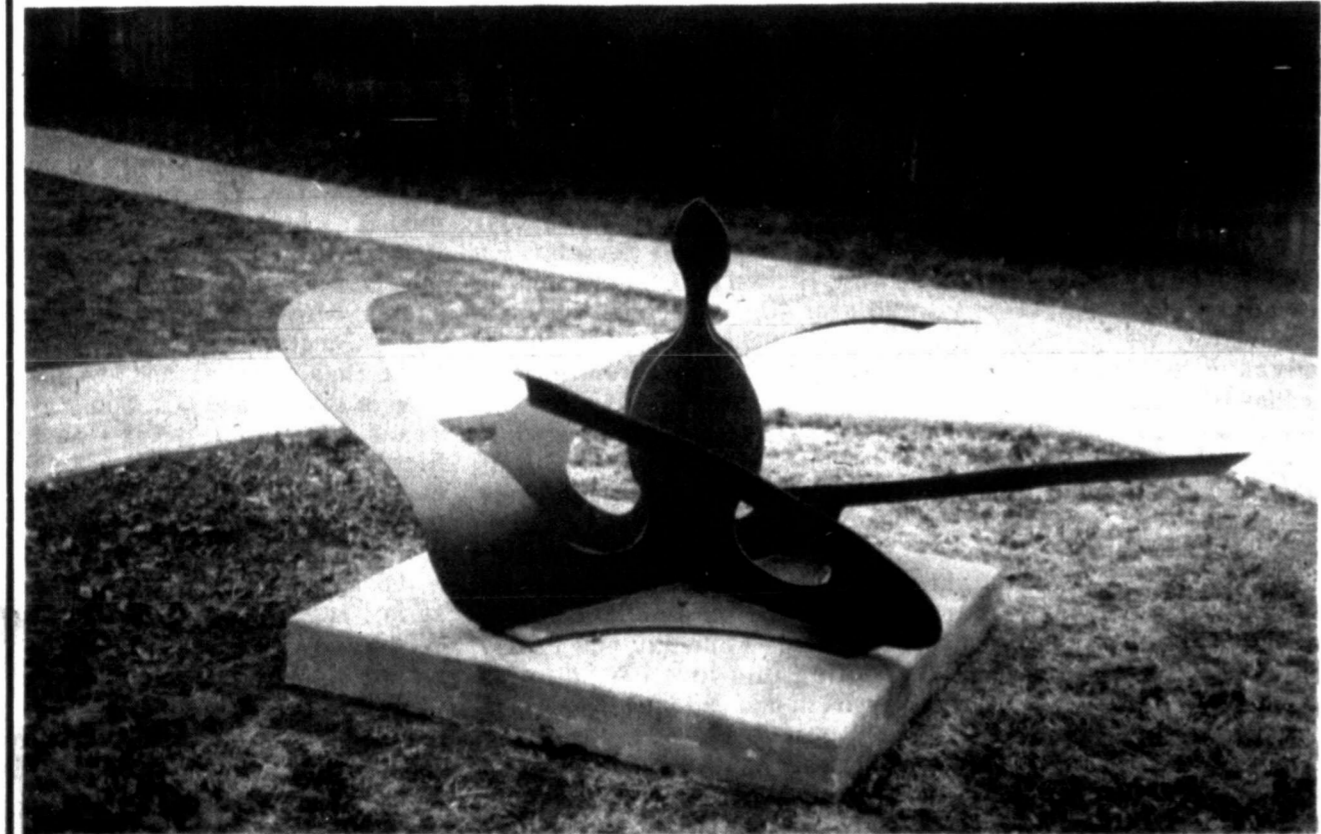
But Malherbe said uniformed

officers standing by during the early stages of the battle probably were railway security guards, not police.

About 25,000 workers went on strike against South African Transport Services in early November, demanding their minimum monthly wage be increased from \$225 to \$560. The strikers also are demanding formal recognition of their union, the South African Railway and Harbor Workers Union, which has been excluded from contract talks.

Negotiations opened last week for the first time since the start of the strike.

Vandalized art



(Staff photo by Bear Mills)

For the second time in as many months, vandals have bent an art sculpture in Cuyler Park at the intersection of Cuyler and Browning. Reed Kirkpatrick, parks and recreation director, is asking that citizens who live near parks or drive by the area keep an eye out for those tampering with the artwork and promptly report them to police. City officials noted Pampa has \$1.2 million worth of art and needs citizen help to protect it from vandalism.

Trial date set in Country Club theft

By BETH MILLER
Staff Writer

Trial for a former Pampa Country Club employee, charged with stealing more than \$100,000, was set Monday by 31st District Judge Grainger McIlhany for March 26.

The setting of the trial came after McIlhany allowed the withdrawal of Leslie L. Hinds' attorney during a motion by the Amarillo attorney, V.G. Kolius.

Kolius filed the motion to withdraw, he told the court Monday, after Hinds did not keep her end of the agreement regarding the payment for legal fees. Hinds was found to be "indigent" following the hearing and a Gray County attorney, James "Rowdy" Bowers, was appointed to represent her in the case.

District Attorney Harold Comer said he believed "ample grounds" had been stated by Kolius in asking that his motion to withdraw from the case be granted.

Comer also added, "There is no plea bargain agreement in this case at this time."

Hinds was indicted May 15 by a Gray County grand jury on two separate indictments charging her with theft from the Pampa Country Club. She was employed as secretary and office manager since 1982. She and Frank Healy, her supervisor and former manager of the Pampa Country Club, both resigned their positions in early 1989.

One indictment charges Hinds with 49 counts of theft for a total of \$86,117.39. The second indictment charges her with the theft of \$21,685.89 in money from the Country Club. The thefts allegedly occurred during a two-year period from 1987 through 1988.

During the hearing Monday, Kolius told Judge McIlhany that when he began representing Hinds following the indictments, he told her he would require a \$2,000 retainer and \$15,000 in the event the case was actually tried. Kolius said Hinds had paid him \$1,500.

"I've had several conversations with her and each time she promised she would pay," Kolius said. "She does not have any money, she is unable to pay."

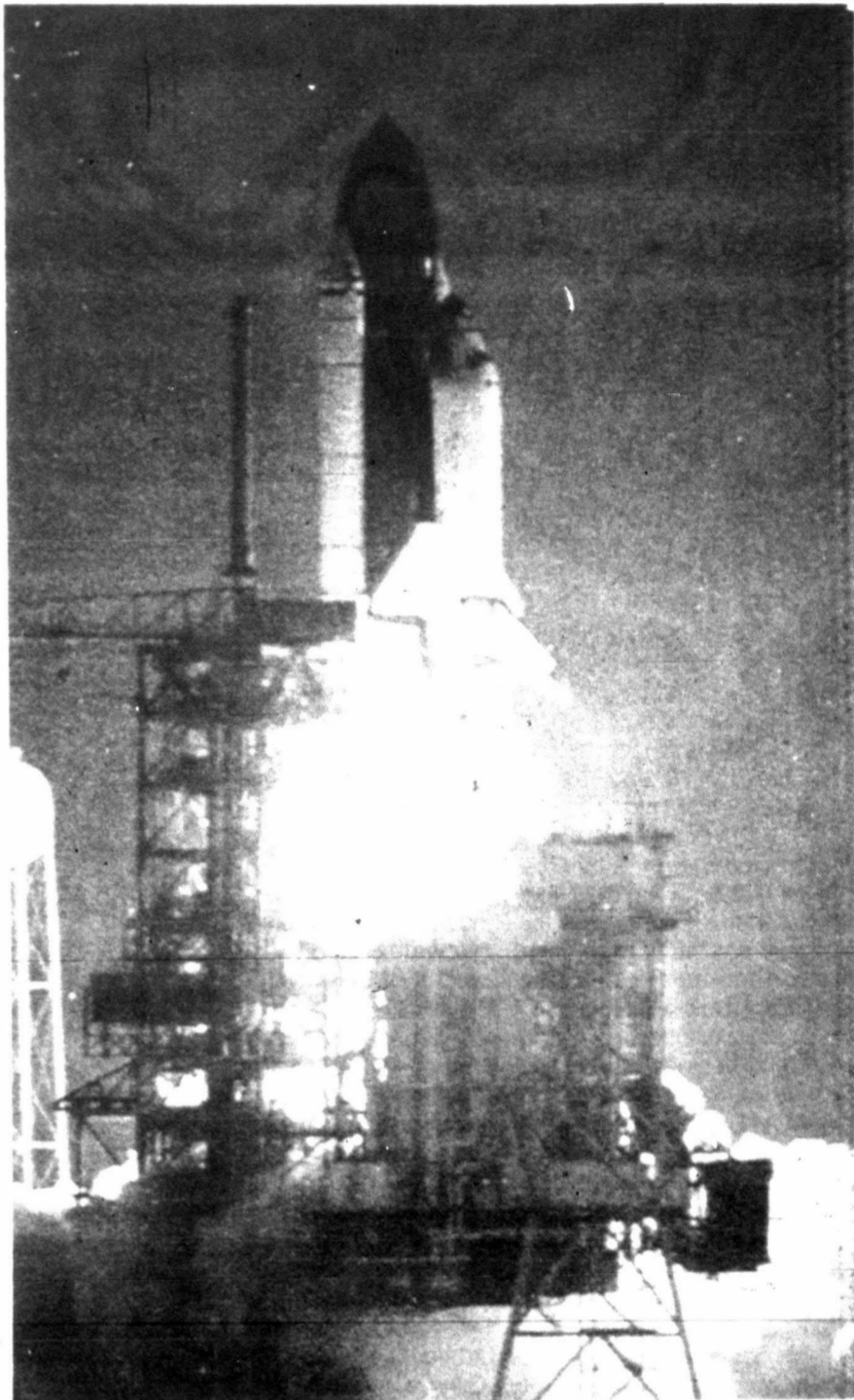
Kolius said he had done "considerable" work on the case, which he described as "exceedingly complicated," due to the numerous transactions alleged in the indictments.

Hinds is now residing in Flagstaff, Ariz., and attending Northern Arizona University. She said she moved to Arizona on June 5 from Pampa. She is also employed part-time at a construction company in Flagstaff, where she puts information into a computer, she told the court Monday.

When questioned about her financial status, Hinds said she and her ex-husband, David McKnight of Pampa, have one-half interest each in property in New Mexico that is valued at about \$22,000. She said \$12,000 is owed on the property and they had been trying to sell it to finance her legal affairs, but had been unsuccessful.

She said she was not expecting any inheritance and she had no funds with which to hire an attorney. At her current job in Arizona, she said she makes \$100 a week.

Hinds said she thought it would be in her best interests to keep Kolius as an attorney, but added, "I understand his position ... I don't know where the money is going to come from."



(AP Laserphoto)

The space shuttle orbiter Columbia lifts off from Pad 39A at Kennedy Space Center early this morning.

Lawmakers: Aid to Panama may be too costly for U.S.

By JIM DRINKARD
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Panama may be looking for far more money to rebuild its crippled economy than the United States can afford, according to lawmakers who visited the Central American country.

Panamanian Vice President Ricardo Arias Calderon suggested an initial one-year aid contribution of \$1.5 billion to help repair damage caused by the Dec. 20 American invasion, a House member said Monday.

"Obviously, we can and should help ease the immediate suffering caused by the invasion," said Rep. Gerry Studds, D-Mass., who called destruction in poor neighborhoods of Panama City "terrible."

"We should provide medical supplies, shelter, food and other basic human needs," Studds said. "But beyond that, our abilities are limited, and we should say so."

Arias Calderon's \$1.5 billion estimate would be 10 percent of the total U.S. budget for aiding dozens of nations, and it's unlikely the United States can come up with such an amount in direct cash assistance.

Several Democratic lawmakers who took a two-day trip to Panama last week said they are not inclined to cut domestic programs to send aid, and sought to pressure President Bush to justify the new spending and find the money.

"In the days ahead, the president, whose invasion this was, will have a responsibility to explain to the American people how much aid is necessary, what it will accomplish, and how it will be paid for," Studds said in a statement.

"These are important questions because I, for one, am not about to take money away from American schools or housing or medical research to send to Panama."

Rep. Lee Hamilton, D-Ind., said it was more likely that U.S. aid will be in the hundreds of millions of dollars, spread over several years, and that some aid will come in the form of debt forgiveness and loan guarantees rather than cash aid.

Some aid may also have to come from other countries, he said. A 30-member House delegation met with Panamanian government and business leaders Thursday and Friday to assess how much aid is

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Services tomorrow

MORRISON, Blanche C. — 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel.
FURRH, Harvie DeWayne — 10 a.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel; 4:30 p.m., Masonic graveside rites at Willow Cemetery, Haskell.
DRAGOO, Charles Richard — 11 a.m., graveside, Alanreed Cemetery, Alanreed.
HALL, J.G. — 2 p.m., First Baptist Church, Tulia.
LINCYCOMB, Herman Dee — 4 p.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel.

Obituaries

DeWAYNE FURRH
 DeWayne Furrh, 44, died Sunday. Services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday in Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with Dr. Darrel Rains, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Masonic graveside rites will be at 4:30 p.m. courtesy of Haskell Masonic Lodge No. 682 at Willow Cemetery at Haskell.

Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.
 Mr. Furrh was born March 6, 1945 in Plainview and came to Pampa in 1964 from Amarillo. He was a graduate of Tascosa High School. He was a member of First Baptist Church and a Mason.

Survivors include his wife, Carol Coffee Furrh of Amarillo; two daughters, Carrie Lynn Norton and Melissa DeLayne Furrh, both of Pampa; one son, Brook Wayne Furrh of Pampa; his father and stepmother, Harvie and Lois Furrh of Pampa; and one granddaughter.

MYRTLE LYNN CHAMBERLAIN
 Myrtle Lynn Chamberlain, 88, died Monday. Services will be at 4 p.m. Thursday in Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with the Rev. M.B. Smith, retired Baptist minister, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Chamberlain was born in Wilbarger County. She had been a Pampa resident since 1939. She had been employed by Highland General Hospital and Worley Hospital many years as a housemother. She married George T. Lynn in 1922 at Hardeman County; he preceded her in death in 1971. She married Willie Chamberlain in 1977 at Pampa; he preceded her in death in 1989. She was a member of Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ.

Survivors include a daughter, Dorothy Hollis of Pampa; seven grandchildren, Rev. John L. Hollis of Gainesville; Karla Taylor of Lubbock; Rolisa Utzman, Menia Ervin and Carolyn Groves, all of Pampa; Calvin L. Harvey of Okinawa and Roy Bearden Jr. of California; 16 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to a favorite charity.

The family will be at 731 N. Sumner.

MARY BETH HILL
GROOM — Mary Beth Hill, 62, died Saturday. Services will be at 2 p.m. today in Blackburn-Shaw Memorial Chapel in Amarillo. Burial will be in Llano Cemetery.

Mrs. Hill was born in Lockney and lived in Groom for 20 years. She was a member of Groom Church of Christ.

Survivors include a son, Charles Hill of Gretna, La.; a daughter, Marilyn Wilde of Long Beach, Calif.; a sister, Modell Duell of Dallas; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

CLIFFORD CASSIDY WILLIAMS
JOSHUA — Clifford Cassidy Williams, an infant, died Friday at a Fort Worth hospital. Graveside services were at 10 a.m. Monday at Keene Cemetery in Keene under the direction of Crosier-Pearson-Mayfield Funeral Home in Cleburne.

The infant was two days old.
 Survivors include parents, Chris and Tina Williams of Joshua; a sister, Erica Nicole Williams of Joshua; grandparents, Harold and Carol McPherson of Joshua and Edward and Elvira Guerra of Pampa; and great-grandparents, L.S. Rameriz of Pampa, Maura and Lola Guerra of Comanche and Christine McPherson of Houston.

RUTH I. LEWIS
SKELLYTOWN — Ruth I. Lewis, 78, died Monday. Services are pending with Minton-Chatwell Funeral Directors of Borger.

Mrs. Lewis was born in Pawnee, Okla., and moved to the Panhandle in 1931. She was a member of First Baptist Church at Skellytown. She was preceded in death by her husband, Wayne Lewis, in 1981, and by a son, Elton Leon Lewis, in 1972.

Survivors include a son, Carroll Lewis of Amarillo; two daughters, Theresa Hines of Skellytown and Shirley Ingesson of Lovington, N.M.; two half brothers, Joe Brown of Fritch and Charles P. Brown of Bakersfield, Calif.; three half sisters, Ruby Davis of San Bernardino, Calif.; Theresa Hedricks of Wichita, Kan.; and Rosey Mosier of Monahans; nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

HERMAN DEE LINCYCOMB
 Herman Dee Lincycumb, 60, died Monday. Services will be at 4 p.m. Wednesday at Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with Dee Lancaster, minister of Central Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Mr. Lincycumb was born in Kirkland. He moved to Pampa in the 1950s from Kirkland. He married Daphne Stewart Rose on May 10, 1969 at Pampa. He was a member of Central Church of Christ. He was a retired staff manager for National Life and Accident Insurance Co.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Kimberly D. Lincycumb of Pampa; two stepsons, Jack Rose and Daniel Rose, both of Pampa; a brother, Jimmy Lincycumb of Quanah; five sisters, Bessie Etheredge, Izaddia Subia and Clara Quay, all of Pampa; Donna Raulston of Amarillo and Helen Pearce of Jay, Okla.; nine grandchildren; and a great-granddaughter.

Calendar of events

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION
 Las Pampas Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet Thursday at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. P.R. Beitton. Mrs. Maryl Jones will present a program, "Defense — A Service to Our Nation." All members are urged to attend.

Obituaries

J.G. HALL
TULIA — J.G. "Kenneth" Hall, 78, the brother of a Pampa woman, died Monday. Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Charles Davenport, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery under the direction of Wallace Funeral Home.

Mr. Hall was born in Clyde and married Irene Meyer in 1934 at Plainview. He was a farmer and a rancher and a member of First Baptist Church. He was preceded in death by a brother, Georgy Tyson Hall.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Valeria Bell of Tulia; four sisters, Beulah McGlau of Tulia, Irene Nelson of Pampa, Pauline Dreher of Las Cruces, N.M., and Ruth Smith of Temple; a brother, H.R. "Buster" Hall of Tulia; and a grandson.

The family requests memorials be made to the American Heart Association or to Tulia Cemetery Association.

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions		Dismissals	
Lillie Brewer, Pampa	Chester Wetsel, Panhandle	William Easter, White Deer	
Alfred Cowan, Pampa		Larry Elledge, Pampa	
Ralph Depee, Pampa		Vernon Lewis, Pampa	
Rebecca Hall, Lefors		A.D. Neal, Groom	
Sushila Kamnani, Pampa		Troy Searl, Pampa	
James Lincycumb, Quanah		Natalia Silva, Pampa	
Celestino Madrid, Pampa		SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions	
Martha McCauley, Pampa		Billie Lax, Shamrock	
William Nolen, Panhandle		Alana Benson, Shamrock	
Danny Lee Riley, Canadian		Etta Farmer, Quail	
Florence Story, Pampa		Dismissals	
		Peggy Simpson, McLean	
		Etta Farmer, Quail	

Stocks

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

Wheat	3.70	Amoco	51 3/4	dn 1/4
Milo	3.50	Arco	109 1/8	up 1/8
Com.	4.10	Cabot	35 3/4	dn 1/4
		Chevron	66 7/8	up 1/8
		Exxon	55 1/4	up 1/4
		Halliburton	41 7/8	NC
		Ingersoll Rand	51 7/8	dn 7/8
		KNE	24 3/8	NC
		Kerr McGee	48 3/4	NC
		Mapco	39	up 1/4
		Maxxam	10 1/8	dn 1/4
		Mea Ltd.	7 3/4	dn 1/8
		Mobil	60 1/4	dn 1/8
		New Atmos	17 3/4	up 1/8
		Phillips	73 7/8	up 3/4
		SLB	24 1/2	dn 3/8
		SPS	47 5/8	dn 1/4
		Tenneco	29 7/8	up 1/8
		Texas	61 1/8	up 1/8
		New York Gold	402.50	dn 1/4
		Silver	5.24	

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

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

Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

MONDAY, Jan. 8
 K Mart, Pampa Mall, reported a forgery at the business.

Food Connection, Coronado Center, reported a theft at the business.

Allsup's, 1025 W. Wilks, reported a theft at the business.

Police reported an offense against a family in the 600 block of West Brown.

A juvenile reported disorderly conduct in the 100 block of West Harvester.

Police reported domestic violence in the 700 block of North Christy.

Richard Edgar, 1311 Coffee, reported a theft at 453 Pitts.

Arrests
MONDAY, Jan. 8

Rosario Venegas, 21, 922 S. Love, was arrested at the police department on six warrants.

Shawn Ducey, 33, 1808 Coffee, was arrested at 2545 Perryton Pkwy. on three warrants.

James Dale Sells, 19, 212 E. Tyng, was arrested at the residence on a warrant.

James Henry Sells, 41, 925 E. Albert, was arrested at the residence on a warrant.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

MONDAY, Jan. 8
 5:08 p.m. — False alarm was reported 1 1/2 miles west of city on Kentucky Avenue. One unit and two firefighters responded.

6:48 p.m. — False alarm was reported 8 miles south of city on Hwy. 70. One unit and two firefighters responded.

7:52 p.m. — A small fire in heater closet at Allsup's, 859 E. Frederic, was caused by electrical short and produced light damage. Three units and five firefighters responded.

Minor accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported no accidents during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Emergency numbers

Ambulance	911
Crime Stoppers	669-2222
Energas	665-5777
Fire	911
Police (emergency)	911
Police (non-emergency)	995-8481
SPS	669-7432
Water	665-3881

GOP clean-up



(Staff photo by Beth Miller)

Gray County Republicans were hard at work Saturday cleaning the new Republican party headquarters office at Kingsmill and Somerville. Included in the cleaning crew are, from left, Rocky Lucas, Susan Triplehorn, Nell Bailey, Scott Hahn, John Triplehorn, Sara Wheeley and Joe Wheeley. The headquarters will serve as space for campaign activities for local, area and state candidates in the Republican party during upcoming primary and general elections this year.

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Panama

needed to restore what had been one of the region's healthiest economies, crippled by economic sanctions in the effort to force dictator Manuel Antonio Noriega from power.

"The invasion and the current occupation by American troops have turned a Panamanian problem, the burden of having a corrupt and cruel ruler, into an American problem," said Rep. Don Edwards, D-Calif., a member of the visiting group.

No formal aid proposal has been made, and Deputy Treasury Secretary John E. Robson insisted Monday that no dollar amounts were discussed when a high-level executive

branch delegation met with the same leaders last week in Panama City.

But Edwards said Arias Calderon suggested the \$1.5 billion figure as a "first installment" in a long-term rebuilding package.

He acknowledged that Panamanians support the U.S. action, but added: "It is entirely possible ... that some of this good will will dissipate when the Panamanians find out that Uncle Sam will not provide all the billions it will take to repair the damage, rebuild the hundreds of destroyed houses and bring the economy to a high level."

Robson said a joint Treasury-State Department task force was working on proposals for aiding Panama but declined to discuss spe-

cific steps that might be taken. He said Panamanians realize their first priority must be to restore investor confidence.



On Saturday, Oct. 10, 1989, around 10 p.m., a burglary of a motor vehicle occurred at 2724 Aspen. Entry was made through an unlocked door into a 1988 Suburban.

Taken were a 10x40 Zeiss rifle scope, black Cannon binoculars, Panasonic camcorder with gray case, Winchester Model 101 .12 gauge, one spotting scope and a Cobra radar detector.

Crimestoppers will pay a cash reward for information leading to the arrest and indictment of the person or persons responsible for this crime. If you have information about this crime, any other crime or the sale, manufacturing or distribution of illegal drugs, please report it to Crimestoppers by calling 669-2222.

The board of directors of Crimestoppers urges citizen involvement in reporting crimes in our community and offers rewards for other crimes not published.

Citizens can remain anonymous and earn cash rewards for reporting crimes in this community by calling 669-2222.

UT-Austin adds more seats for its freshmen

AUSTIN (AP) — More than 8,800 seats have been added in undergraduate classes for the spring semester at the University of Texas at Austin to ease the problem of class availability, school officials said.

The seats were added by expanding the sizes of existing classes as well as creating new sections for some courses, according to President William Cunningham.

But Cunningham said a full solution will require additional money to decrease the student-faculty ratio of 22-to-1. The average at most major state universities is about 17-to-1, he said.

First heart-liver transplant recipient back in hospital

PITTSBURGH (AP) — The world's first recipient of a heart-liver transplant, Stormie Jones, is undergoing tests at Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh.

The 12-year-old girl was in serious condition today, three days after being admitted, said hospital spokeswoman Margy Buczynski. Doctors were awaiting the results of a liver biopsy, expected later today.

Stormie, who lives in the Fort Worth suburb of White Settlement, has been treated off and on over the past six years for mild episodes of organ rejection. Last year, she began receiving a new Japanese drug known as FK-506 that is believed to be 50 to 100 times more powerful

than the anti-rejection drug cyclosporine.

Stormie received a new heart and liver at Children's Hospital on Valentine's Day 1984.

She had suffered from a rare congenital disease that increased the cholesterol in her blood to nearly 10 times normal. Because of the imbalance, caused by a faulty liver, she had suffered two heart attacks and underwent two triple coronary bypasses and a heart-valve replacement.

Stormie's mother, Lois Purcell, accompanied her daughter to Children's Hospital. The girl was not confined to bed, Ms. Buczynski said.

City briefs

SECOND TIME Around, everything in store 20% off. We buy appliances, furniture, evaporative coolers. Now taking Visa/Mastercard. 409 W. Brown, 665-5139. Adv.

LAS PAMPAS After Inventory Sale. Ladies apparel up to 70% off. Christmas items on sale. 1/2 price gift table. 110 N. Cuyler, 665-5033. Adv.

SLENDERCISE CLASSES. Clarendon College gym. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, 5 p.m. Start January 8, 9 and 11. \$25 month. 665-2145. Nell Going. Adv.

AEROBIC CLASSES. Texas Physical Rehabilitation. Call 669-0218 or 669-1242 Monday-Friday for more information. Adv.

SPRAY YOUR yard now for control of crabgrass and weeds. Eugene Taylor Spraying Service, 669-9992. Adv.

BROWN SHOE Fit has regrouped and repriced ladies clearance shoes. Adv.

THE LOFT. 201 N. Cuyler. Wednesday-Music 12-1, Pot Roast, Thursday-Mexican Plate, Friday-Brisket. 665-2129. Adv.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST
 Tonight, mostly clear with a low of 32 degrees and westerly winds 5-10 mph. Wednesday, mostly sunny and warm with a high near 72 degrees and westerly winds 10-20 mph. Monday's high was 68; the overnight low was 38.

REGIONAL FORECAST
 West Texas — Mostly sunny areawide on Wednesday. Unseasonably warm Wednesday. Lows tonight in the 30s. Warmer on Wednesday with highs from low 70s Panhandle to upper 70s Concho Valley except upper 60s far west. Lows Wednesday night from low 30s Panhandle and far west to the low 40s Concho Valley.

North Texas — Fair tonight. Sunny and continued warm Wednesday. Lows tonight from 37 to 44. Highs Wednesday from 71 to 77.

South Texas — Partly cloudy through Wednesday. Fair, not as cold tonight. Highs Wednesday in the 70s except a few 60s along the coast. Lows tonight in the 30s Hill Country to the 40s central and southeast and in the 50s south and coastal plains.

EXTENDED FORECAST
 Thursday through Saturday

West Texas — Continued fair. Turning cooler east of the mountains by Saturday. Panhandle and South Plains: Highs mid 60s Thursday cooling to mid 50s Saturday. Lows 35 to 40 Thursday dropping to near 30 Saturday. Permian Basin and Concho Valley: Highs near 70 Thursday dropping to near 60 Saturday. Lows mid 40s Thursday cooling to mid 30s Saturday. Far West: Highs mid 60s. Lows mid 30s to near 40. Big Bend: Highs mid 60s mountains to mid 70s along the Rio Grande. Lows from near 30 mountains to mid 40s along the river.

North Texas — Northern Half: Fair and unseasonably warm Thursday. Increasing cloudiness and turning cooler late Friday, mostly cloudy with a chance of showers Saturday. Low temperatures in upper 40s Thursday and Friday, cooling into low 40s Saturday. Highs in mid and upper 70s Thursday, near 70 Friday and upper 50s Saturday. Southern Half: Fair and unseasonably warm Thursday. Partly cloudy and continued warm Friday. Becoming cloudy and cooler Saturday with a chance of showers. Lows in low 50s Thursday and Friday, cooling into 40s Saturday. Highs in upper 70s Thursday and Friday cooling into the 60s Saturday.

South Texas — Hill Country and South Central: Mostly sunny and mild Thursday and Friday. High in the 70s. Low in the 40s and 50s. Partly cloudy and cooler Saturday. High in the 60s. Low in the 40s and 50s. Coastal Bend: Mostly sunny and warm days. Generally fair and mild at night. High in the 70s and low 80s. Low in the 50s and low 60s. Lower Rio Grande Valley and Plains: Mostly sunny and warm days. Generally fair and mild at night. High in the 70s and low 80s. Low in the 50s and 60s. Southeast Texas and Upper Texas Coast: Mostly sunny and mild days. Generally fair and cool at night. High in the 70s. Low in the 50s to near 60.

BORDER STATES
 Oklahoma — Fair tonight. Mostly sunny and unseasonably warm Wednesday with record or near record highs western half. Lows tonight upper 20s northwest to upper 30s east. Highs Wednesday in the 70s.

New Mexico — Generally clear skies tonight. Sunny and warm Wednesday. Lows tonight teens and 20s mountains and north with upper 20s and 30s lower elevations south. Highs Wednesday mostly 50s and 60s, with low 70s lower elevations southeast.

Report: Texas ranks 43rd in U.S. in meeting family, child needs

By JENNIFER DIXON
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Texas ranks 43rd nationally in meeting the needs of families and children, according to a survey that finds nearly a quarter of the state's youths are living in poverty.

Using 10 indicators to measure child and teen health, education, social and economic well-being, the Center for the Study of Social Policy said Texas had lost ground in providing medical care to pregnant women but had improved infant mortality and high school dropout rates.

The center, an independent, non-profit research and policy analysis organization, said 34.2 percent of pregnant women in Texas received no early prenatal care in 1987, compared with a treatment rate of 32.7 percent in 1980. The study ranked Texas 47th out of the 50 states and the District of Columbia in its care for pregnant

women.

Among its other findings released Monday, the center said Texas had made no progress in improving the percentage of low-birth weight babies born between 1980 and 1987, with the rate each year at 6.9 percent, despite widespread publicity about the importance of prenatal health care and nutrition.

Women have a better chance of delivering a healthy baby if they receive medical attention early in their pregnancy, said Judy Weitz, coordinator of the new, five-year, \$5 million "KIDS COUNT" initiative.

The center's state-by-state rankings in meeting the 10 indicators of child and family well-being are part of the "KIDS COUNT" program to promote accountability in children's services. The program is being sponsored by the Connecticut-based Annie E. Casey Foundation.

"Just as we track the performance of our economy by monitoring employment, inflation and GNP indica-

tors, so should we be able to track key measures of child and family well-being," said foundation director Martin Schwartz.

Children account for one-fourth of the nation's population "and all of its future," the center said. "Many children are growing up healthy, confident and skilled, but too many are not. Poverty, poor health, developmental delays, teen-pregnancy, school failure and adolescent unemployment dim the future of millions of children."

Nearly a fourth of all Texas children are now living in poverty, the center said. In 1979, 18.7 percent of Texas children were in poor families; by 1987 the rate had increased to 23.3 percent.

"The decade of the '80s has been a period of economic growth for the United States," the center said. "Yet, while many Americans have prospered, a substantial number of children and families have not."

In Texas, benefits from food stamps and Aid to

Families with Dependent Children were only able to bring a family to 49.6 percent of the poverty rate in 1988, the center said. The state ranked 48th nationally in what its food stamp and AFDC benefits do in meeting what the government considers a minimum subsistence needs.

While Texas has curbed its high school dropout rate slightly — from 36.4 percent in 1982 to 34.9 percent in 1987 — the teen-age unemployment and juvenile incarceration rates were rising, the study said.

In 1988, the teen-age unemployment rate stood at 21.8 percent, up from 15.7 percent eight years earlier, while the juvenile incarceration rate rose from 8.1 percent in 1979 to 10.9 percent in 1987.

Education spending per pupil, meanwhile, rose from \$2,576 in 1980 to \$3,409 in 1987, the center said. And the percent of births of teen-age mothers in Texas has dropped over the past decade, the center said, from 18.3 percent in 1980 to 15 percent in 1987.



(AP Laserphoto)

Spec. Charles DellaRocco, with the 401st Military Police Command, hugs his girlfriend, Christine Brothers, after the unit returned to Fort Hood Monday from Panama.

U.S. MP troops arrive home from Panama

By SCOTT ROTHSCHILD
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FORT HOOD (AP) — U.S. military police who saw action in Panama returned home and said their role has changed, as has their composition, which includes women in combat.

A plane was expected to return 56 soldiers here early today, said Army post officials. Three other planes returned to Fort Hood on Monday with 65 soldiers, said base spokeswoman Eloise Lundgren.

Capt. Steven Rathbun, commander of the 401st Military Police Company, said Monday that most people think of MP's as "standing at gates and writing tickets."

But the Army's 401st was often under fire as it mounted an assault mission and secured areas for troops to move through quickly during the

invasion of Panama, he said. "We went out just ahead of the infantry so that we could have the intersections and bridges secure," Rathbun said.

The other major change occurred when women were in fighting situations.

First Lt. Colleen Watson, one of 12 women in the unit, said, "I never thought about being a female in combat. I'm a soldier and I have a job to do and I'm going to do it."

Sgt. 1st Class William Lee, agreed. "I had one female in my platoon and she was with us every step of the way," he said.

Lee, a 24-year Army veteran with two combat tours in Vietnam, said his platoon attacked a shipping dock and sank a Panamanian Defense Force gunboat. Two in his platoon were wounded and 10 PDF

were captured, he said. The two soldiers were not seriously wounded, the Army said.

Rathbun said the group's most distressing moment of the invasion came when their colleague, Pfc. Scott Lee Roth of Moline, Ill., was killed in a gun battle.

First Lt. Colleen Watson said Roth was killed when U.S. soldiers were pinned down in a cross fire.

The battle began after the platoon captured several PDF vehicles and were apprehending PDF soldiers at a checkpoint, she said.

"We came under fire from the wood line and another PDF vehicle," Ms. Watson said.

"We were caught in a cross fire for a while. It was pretty scary. Private first class Roth was a machine gunner for my team and unfortunately we lost him."

She said the death of Roth motivated the entire unit. "He had a great personality, the kind of guy that everybody liked to be around because he was always so positive. We miss him very much."

Ms. Watson and other soldiers said they were proud of their work in Panama.

"I'm real proud to be contributing to Democracy in Panama," she said.

The unit arrived in Panama on Aug. 12 and was ready to return home for the Christmas holidays when on Dec. 19, the day before the military operation, the unit's stay in Panama was extended.

"Now, family members are happy as they can be that all are coming back," said Ms. Lundgren. "Some will have late Christmases, but they are thrilled nevertheless."

Dallas County lowers measles immunization age in outbreak

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas County health officials have lowered the age from 15 months to six months for infants to be immunized against measles in the wake of an outbreak of measles.

Dr. Charles Haley, the county health department's chief epidemiologist, said experts usually recommend measles immunization at about 15 months, but they are now dropping the age because measles are showing up in younger children.

"We're dropping the age because a lot of our cases are 8-, 10-, 12-month-olds," Haley said. "We've had at least a dozen children hospitalized."

Haley said officials have confirmed 42 cases of measles in Dallas County and are investigating another 43 cases. No deaths in Dallas have been attributed to measles, but officials reported 175 cases last spring.

Officials at Children's Medical Center of Dallas said two

children, both younger than 2, have been placed on respirators in the intensive care unit because of complications of measles.

More than 162,000 people had measles in the United States last year, according to the Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta. At least 42 died, including 11 in Texas. There were 10 deaths in Houston and one in the Midland area last year.

The outbreak in Houston has dwindled and will be officially termed over this week.

"The hot spot is now the Dallas-Fort Worth area," Wes Hodgson, epidemiology coordinator for the state health department said Monday.

Some of the early symptoms of measles can be mistaken for influenza, so children may not receive proper medical care immediately, Dr. Haley said.

"Both of them have high fevers and runny noses and coughs," he said. "But with the measles, you'll eventually get a very red rash."

School finance reform will be expensive, analyst says

By PEGGY FIKAC
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AUSTIN (AP) — It's "almost impossible" to reform public school finance without additional money, said an education analyst who predicted the Texas funding system will be under court oversight for years.

"One thing you can be sure about, regardless of what you do as a state, the court will retain jurisdiction, just as they've done in these school desegregation cases," said Kent McGuire.

McGuire is on leave from his job as senior policy analyst with the Education Commission of the States to teach at the University of Colorado at Denver.

"You're going to talk to the courts for the next five years, no matter what you do," he said after a work session Monday with the Governor's Task Force on Public Education.

The Texas Supreme Court ruled the school finance system unconstitutional in October, after

finding glaring disparities between property-rich and -poor school districts. The court set a May 1 deadline for legislative action, and Gov. Bill Clements has said he will call a spring special session on the issue.

School finance reform "is an expensive proposition" in most states, McGuire said.

"You could change the system, technically, on paper ... and improve the equity of your financing system without spending a dime in new money," he said.

"But it would invariably mean taking money away from some school districts and giving it to others, which politically is not something that's likely to happen," McGuire said. "I haven't seen a state where that happened yet."

Clements, who created the task force to make legislative recommendations, has ruled out new taxes to pay for reforms but has not rejected the idea of additional revenue, said his press secretary, Rossanna Salazar.

"First and foremost, the governor would like

the emphasis placed on improving the efficiency and the effectiveness of our public school system in Texas, before we start talking about what kinds of additional revenue we might need," she said.

McGuire said a "thoughtful plan" that includes immediate remedies and outlines future action likely would pass muster with the court.

In the 1988-89 school year, the state spent \$4.9 billion on public schools, and local districts spent \$5.5 billion through local property taxes, according to the Texas Education Agency.

There have been several proposals to address the Supreme Court ruling, including by a State Board of Education committee that would raise public education spending about \$5.2 billion annually by 1995. The plan would increase funding by about \$1 billion next school year.

A one-year plan suggested by state Comptroller Bob Bullock proposes a \$600 million increase, while a five-year proposal by a coalition of poor school districts ultimately would raise spending by \$10.5 billion.

'The Outer Limits' of pain? Close

Music up. Roll credits. Voice of Rod Serling: "Submitted for your approval — This is Bear Mills, on his way to work at the newspaper. Notice how he first stops off at the local hospital and police department to pick up reports and casually visit with those who work there.

"He is unaware that anything out of the ordinary is about to happen to him. He does not know he will soon be coming back to this very hospital writhing in pain. He does not know that he is about to enter The Kidney Stone Zone." Heavy music. Fade.

Cut to commercials for feminine hygiene products and denture cleaner. Back to program. Take it Rod: "Many men live out seemingly important lives, measuring the turns of the earth by their accomplishments, pleased with the fullness of their own being.

"Then something happens that makes it all seem insignificant. It puts them in close communication with their Lord and the nurse who administers the pain killer. They have entered The Kidney Stone Zone, a place where one tiny object bearing a striking resemblance to a goat-head sticker can change their whole outlook."

Cut to newsroom scene. Bear is speaking. "I'll have a police round-up and I'm still working on ... aaauuhggggg!"

"Excuse me?"

"Sorry, I seem to have some sort of ... AAUUUGGGHHH!"

"You don't look so good. Maybe you should go to the hospital."

"The last time I was in the hospital, aaauuhggggghh, they stuck a catheter in me. I'll ride out the storm."

"They don't give you a catheter for a cramp. Go get this looked at."

"I'll be OK. I just need to ... AAUUUGGGHHH!"

"Go to the hospital."

Rod Serling, over hospital scene of Bear taking off his clothes and putting on a hospital gown with nothing to cover his rump: "The thing that Bear hates most, up to this point, is the thought of a catheter." In uncharacteristic fashion, Rod begins to laugh. "Just wait till he sees how they remove kidney stones. He ain't seen nothin' yet."

After three shots of pain killer, Bear is more calm. In fact, he is so calm he resembles a huge pile of Jello on a gurney.

Doctor: "Mrs. Mills, I'm afraid your husband has a kidney stone. We can pull it out, though."

Wife: "Does it hurt much?"

Off Beat By Bear Mills



Doctor: "Let's put it this way, he's going to have a lot more sympathy for you when you have that baby."

Wife: "Well, then, this isn't all bad, is it?"

When Bear comes to, he gets the news — they are going to stick something a lot bigger than a catheter in a place he values a great deal and drag the offending stone out of him. He calls for more pain medication.

Cut to hospital room after operation. Bear is coming off his 23rd shot of Demerol.

Bear: "They stuck that thing in my ..."

Wife: "Uh huh. Hurt much?"

Bear: "Like getting a bee sting on your brain."

Wife: "Your brain is on the other end of your body. Just lay back and don't think about it."

Bear (Looking over his body for the first time since coming to): "They did it to me again!!! Another catheter! AAUUUGGGHHH!"

Nurses (Rushing into room): "Does he have another kidney stone?"

Wife: "Worse. He has a catheter."

The nurses leave. Bear is glumly quiet for the next week, except for the time he screams when they remove the catheter. He has found that there are worse things than being afraid of catheters. There are kidney stones and doctors who remove them "the old fashioned way."

Rod: "Bear has known pain like none other in the world. He will be a better man for it. He now knows that every time he goes to the room 'down the hall and to the left' and it does not hurt like the dickens, he is blessed."

"He has gained a new appreciation for 'the little things in life,' like the place where they stuck the catheter and from where they pulled out the kidney stone. He is just another refugee from a growth experience in the Kidney Stone Zone. Ha ha ha ha ha ha ha."

Gunman holding children hostage surrenders

By KELLEY SHANNON
Associated Press Writer

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Saying he was tired and hungry, a 30-year-old gunman who held five children hostage in a barricaded apartment gave himself up after a 14-hour standoff with police.

Authorities said the standoff started early Monday after police went to the man's northwest San Antonio apartment just after midnight to quell a domestic dispute.

The man, Gabriel Herrera Jr., 30, was armed with a shotgun. Police negotiated with him periodically by telephone and with bullhorns.

"It was a slow process, but it was successful," deputy Police Chief Robert Johnston said after the man surrendered about 2:30 p.m. and released the children unharmed.

One shot was heard inside the apartment during the standoff, but that occurred when Herrera dropped the shotgun and it accidentally discharged, according to Sgt. Paul Buske, police spokesman.

Herrera was charged with aggravated assault and possession of a prohibited weapon. He was ordered held in the Bexar County Jail in lieu of bonds totaling \$110,000 following an arraignment before Night Magistrate Quon Lew.

All of the children taken hostage were related to Herrera, police said. They included a 9-year-old son and an 18-month-old son, a 9-year-old niece and two nephews, ages 10 and 11.

Johnston said the man made several demands, but finally gave up and said he was tired and hungry.

"Whenever you're negotiating, it's a matter of give and take," the deputy chief said.

"He just wanted us to kind of leave him alone, but that was not

going to be the case."

About 11 a.m., Herrera handed over two children — the 9-year-old niece and 10-year-old nephew — to police in exchange for a pack of cigarettes, authorities said.

He held the remaining three children until he gave himself up.

At one point officials said they heard the sounds of furniture being moved and said it appeared to be an attempt to form a barricade near one of the apartment doors.

Neighbors at Canterbury Square Apartments said they heard arguing between a man and woman starting about 11 p.m. Sunday.

The woman later was treated for facial abrasions at a San Antonio hospital.

"They were fighting," said apartment complex resident Isabel Galvan. "They were throwing things around everywhere."

Police described Herrera as a man with several medical problems including a bullet lodged in his

skull from a shooting several months ago.

As police negotiators carried on conversations with Herrera, armed SWAT team members stood outside his door and authorities set up a command post in the next apartment unit.

An ambulance waited nearby, and onlookers gathered to watch the commotion throughout the day.

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Opinion

Things are lonely for Fidel Castro

Things are getting pretty lonely for Fidel Castro. The Marxist-Leninist superstition he has clinged to, and has imposed by murder on Cuba's people for 30 years, is rapidly fading out. His old allies in Eastern Europe are now sloughing off socialism, embracing freedom.

Fidel has even banned *Moscow News* and other Soviet journals that no longer support doctrinaire Leninism — even as he still accepts billions of rubles in foreign aid from the journals' publisher, the Kremlin. Last month he traveled to Mexico City, where he gave a speech moaning about how hard it is to build a socialist society when his former East Bloc allies are "slandering socialism, destroying its value, discrediting the party and liquidating its leading role, going away with the social discipline and sowing chaos and anarchy everywhere."

Things are so bad it's a wonder Fidel doesn't return to the cigar habit he kicked a few years ago. Then again, after 30 years of "socialist discipline" in the cigar factories, nowadays puffing a Havana stogie is like smoking a rolled-up issue of *Granma*, the Cuban Communist newspaper.

Like socialist countries everywhere, Cuba's economy continues to collapse. Even Fidel admits, "From the crisis that has emerged in the socialist camp, we can only expect negative economic consequences for our country." What he means is that Moscow, to subsidize him, once forced Eastern European countries to buy Cuban socialist sugar at great cost to them. But these countries now are ending the subsidies as they try to recover from their own socialism induced economic crises.

One of the many *chistes*, or jokes, circulating in Cuba helps us understand the attitude of Cubans. In the joke, Fidel stands up before his Communist Central Committee and announces, "I have good news and bad news. First: There is no food for next year; we will have to eat rocks." A comrade then stands up and says, "Good, comrade Fidel! If we must eat rocks, we will! Now what's the good news?" Fidel replies, "You fool! That was the good news. The bad news is there's a shortage of rocks."

The main question now is how much longer Fidel's Kremlin sponsors will bankroll his socialist folly. Even Soviet boss Mikhail Gorbachev allowed reformers in the Soviet Congress to ask for a discussion on the end to the "leading role" of the Communist Party. Gorbachev did deny the move for such a discussion, but at least he let the question be raised right there before him.

In contrast, Fidel said in Mexico City, "If destiny assigns us the role of one day being among the last defenders of socialism ... we will know how to defend this bulwark to the last drop of blood." By that he means the blood of the Cuban people he has enslaved, such as the more than 2,000 Cuban soldiers killed in Fidel's military adventures abroad.

Cuba may indeed become the last socialist country in the world. But freedom will come there as well. The specter of communism no longer haunts the world, having been vanquished by the promise of freedom.

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The challenge of fatherhood

All parents eventually must acknowledge their children's approaching maturity and surrender them forever to the uncertainty of the outer world. I am now steeling myself for that unhappy day. Ross Chapman, a strapping youth whose capacity for mirth is exceeded only by his ambition for destruction, is just 10 months old. But he produced his first tooth, and with this milestone, I see my first-born's childhood flashing by.

The evolution of an infant from a squalling, insensible bundle of demands into a squalling, reasoning bundle of demands concentrates the mind. By now I have gotten acquainted with the imposing responsibilities of fatherhood — from daily obligations, like changing diapers, to long-term ones, like saving for his college education. Give or take a few hours' lost sleep, I have adapted.

Other burdens, however, weigh more heavily. It occurred to me the other day, as Ross lay gurgling merrily on my chest, that his first model of manhood will be his father. This is not my preference: I can think of dozens of people I would prefer him to emulate. It certainly won't be his preference: In a few years he will take his inspiration from professional athletes, TV cops and rock stars.

Right now, though, I'm the only full-time male in his life, except a couple of four-legged ones, and for the next couple of decades I intend to be the most intrusive one. It is a relief to know that he will also have the example of his mother. The poency of chromosomes, which can override the best or worst of parental efforts, is another consolation.



Stephen Chapman

But a father serves a fateful function. Most of my son's formative notions of what a man is will come from me — less from my instruction, I fear, than from my example. When he gets old enough, he may choose to accept those notions or to rebel against them. But they already will have made their imprint.

This is an alarming discovery. A thorough grounding in Calvinist theology has given me an acute awareness of my failings, which are too numerous to catalogue here. In me, I find them just tolerable. But I'm not eager to see them reproduced in my son.

Fortunately, nature provides an interval between the time a father realizes this danger and the time when it becomes real. As long as Ross' verbal repertory is limited to outbursts of expressive noise rather than actual words, I don't have to worry about him repeating my uncharitable descriptions of bad drivers. As long as he can't reach the phone receiver, he can't acquire my habit of slamming it

down whenever a solicitor calls.

But this period amnesty won't last forever. One day, I know, he will say or do something that will infuriate me — until I remember that he learned it by faithful attention to his father, at which point I will have to direct my dissatisfaction at the truly guilty party.

I will leave it to anthropologists to answer whether codes of morality actually originated with the family. But it is hard to think of a better curb on immoral, irresponsible or obnoxious behavior than the risk that it will be imitated by one's offspring, achieving immortality through transmission from one generation to the next. This is to parents what a choke collar is to dogs — a forceful reminder of how to behave.

Luckily, the Almighty rigged things so that parenthood is an education in self-control from the beginning. Children, ungrateful creatures that they are, place a low value on their parents' ease. It requires a firm suppression of natural instincts, upon being awakened repeatedly in the middle of the night, to respond with soothing words and comforting hugs. But I trust that restraint will get easier the more I practice it — which, given my son's rambunctious disposition, will be often.

If so, then one day I may get to claim credit for helping to mold an admirable human being. And, with luck, I may provide my son with the same pleasure my father has provided me — to hear yourself compared to your father, and take it as a compliment.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, Jan. 9, the ninth day of 1990. There are 356 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On Jan. 9, 1793, what's generally regarded as the first manned balloon flight in the United States took place as Frenchman Jean Pierre Blanchard traveled between Philadelphia and Woodbury, N.J.

On this date: In 1788, Connecticut became the fifth state to ratify the U.S. Constitution.

In 1861, Mississippi seceded from the Union.

In 1942, the U.S. Joint Chiefs of Staff was created.

In 1945, American soldiers led by Gen. Douglas MacArthur invaded Luzon in the Philippines during World War II.

In 1964, anti-U.S. rioting broke out in the Panama Canal Zone, resulting in the deaths of 21 Panamanians and three U.S. soldiers.

In 1968, the Surveyor 7 space probe made a soft landing on the moon, marking the end of the American series of unmanned explorations of the lunar surface.



"So how far is it from here, Mikhail?"

An even hundred for the pair

Everytime you pick up a newspaper, you find out how the Japanese have taken the lead over us in yet another area.

This time, it's charging insane prices for things. According to the Associated Press, for instance, a bottle of cognac, which wholesales at \$7, will cost the Japanese consumer \$77.50.

That, also according to the AP, is because of a maze-like distribution system in which distributors practice what the Japanese refer to as stickitoyta. In this country we call it "price gouging."

Remember when we could stand tall because of the way we overpriced things? New York used to be the ripoff capital of the world. Now, sadly, it's Tokyo.

Once in a New York hotel I ordered a beer and a cheeseburger from room service. The beer cost me \$7, the cheeseburger cost me \$15. The room, a very small one, cost me \$315 a night and there was no cable TV.

The next day, I figured I could save some money by stopping in a New York grocery store and taking some food to my room. I bought two cans of Spam. They were \$9.25 each.

I also went shopping in New York. I bought a pair of designer jeans. Later, I figured it up and realized I had paid \$45 for each leg and \$25 for the zipper, not including tax.



Lewis Grizzard

I took a lady to a fancy restaurant in New York. She had the lobster bisque and the veal marsala. I had four bread sticks and opened the second can of Spam. The bill was \$137.50, not including tip.

But all that's chicken yen compared to what the Japanese are charging these days.

It costs a million dollars to join a country club in Japan and there are waiting lists. What sort of bets do Japanese golfers who can afford that sort of initiation fee make? A \$250,000 Naussau — winner buys the drinks?

What do they play gin for in the men's grill? A thousand bucks a point?

"Let's see, Kinto, at a thousand a point, you owe me \$417,000."

"I'll be right back, Iruku. I've got some change in my locker."

According to my own sources, here is what the Japanese are charging for certain items and services in comparison to the average price for the same things in the U.S.

• Beer: \$2 a bottle in U.S.; \$37.50 a bottle in Japan. Chug-a-lug.

• Cheeseburger: \$1.60 in U.S.; \$316.85 in Japan at Burger Thief.

• Small hotel room with no cable TV: \$27.50 — except in New York — in U.S.; \$4,500.75 in Japan and the toilet runs all night.

• Designer jeans: \$65 in U.S.; \$971.65 per leg in Japan. Financing available on zippers.

• Dinner for two in a fancy restaurant: Even counting New York, averages only \$87.50 in U.S.; \$4,455 in Japan, not counting the bread sticks. Heimlich maneuver, in case you get choked, \$2,000 per maneuver, per person.

• Golf balls: \$6 for 3 in U.S.; 11 bucks a dimple in Japan.

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"... Then, after the 'War on Drugs' people leave, you're scheduled to see the 'War on Litter' people..."

Taking a look back at 'Millennium'

By SARAH OVERSTREET

Shortly after we ushered in the 1980s, a book hit the stands that had everybody talking.

It was called *Millennium: Glimpses Into the 21st Century*. The book was a collection of futuristic essays by "eminent thinkers" (the editors' term for the contributors). My editor at the time was one of those people who were talking about the book, and he assigned me to review it.

I was excited about it — with one reservation: I knew the work of many of these "eminent thinkers" from reading literature published by the alternative press. And although I liked many of them and respected their research, I would have preferred a broader look with a wider group of views and philosophies represented.

Yet as we close in on the era these authors wrote about, I wanted to see whether their predictions were on target, came close or missed entirely. Here's what I found when I re-opened

Millennium:

Human development psychologist Ken Dychtwald, one of the book's editors as well as a contributor, hit the mark by predicting that preventive health care would be an increasingly popular theme, and that more recognition would be given to the theory that the mind affects physical states.

In the '80s, insurance companies realized how much money they'd save if their clients practiced preventive health care, and they began pushing such programs. As hospitals began to experience shortages in many health care professions and became aware of the income potential of "wellness" programs, they also began to develop and promote preventive health measures.

Dychtwald's "mind-over-body" theory manifested itself in programs all over the country stressing the importance of patient attitude in healing, especially among cancer and AIDS patients. Some medical schools even include the philosophy in their curriculum now.

Speaking of AIDS, *Millennium* was written just before the epidemic hit. Its omission from all predictions is startling, especially knowing how much the disease has affected so many aspects of American culture in such a short time.

Scientist and futurist Willis Harmon accurately predicted we would eventually turn away somewhat from our "consume-and-waste" ethic. He said we would begin to seriously promote recycling, and we are. He also said we would become better stewards of the planet, and we are, although it's probably out of fear of the greenhouse effect and eventual extinction.

On the other hand, a few of the prophecies seem downright silly, viewed a decade later. In light of epidemiologists' estimates that we may not have a cure for AIDS for several more years, editor and contributor Alberto Villolodo's guess that "it's possible the only infectious disease remaining on the earth in the next century will be in laboratory vial and

museums" seems particularly premature.

Attorney and health researcher Rick Carlson thought that by the year 2000 there will be no independently practicing physicians. "Rather," he wrote, "teams will replace the solo physician," and they will "practice in hospital or home settings." Tell that to developers slapping together new medical office buildings as fast as they can.

Villolodo also predicted in 1981 that "in the next 10 years it is highly likely that all the biochemical parameters of the human organism will become known," leading to the production of home units which would allow us to monitor and regulate our brain chemicals and hormones, and thus our mind sets and moods.

You missed that one, Alberto, at least by a few years. Maybe that just goes to show that a prophet is without honor in his own country. What it teaches me is to let others stick their necks out, and I'll stick to taking pokes at them.

Lower prime lending rate may bring cheaper borrowing costs

By VIVIAN MARINO
AP Business Writer

Many consumers and businesses may see cheaper borrowing costs by next month following a long-awaited drop in banks' prime lending rate, which fell to the lowest level in 14 months.

The cut, to 10 percent from 10.5 percent effective Monday, marks the first reduction in nearly half a year and reflects the overall declining cost of money that banks have enjoyed recently due to more liberal credit policies by the Federal Reserve.

The central bank moved to ease interest rates late last year to help forestall a feared economic downturn. Lower rates spur growth by encouraging businesses and consumers to borrow money.

Banks use the prime as a benchmark for interest

rates on a wide range of borrowing by consumers and small- and medium-size companies.

The groups likely to benefit most from the reduction are individuals who borrow against the equity in their homes and, to a lesser extent, those with car loans linked to the prime.

"To Joe and Joan Average Consumer who have some of their loans tied to short-term rates this is good news," said F. Ward McCarthy, an economist at Stone & McCarthy Research Associates Inc. "Monthly payments should go down by next month."

Fixed-rate mortgages aren't expected to be affected by the prime cut because those rates are pegged to activities in the bond markets. But those rates have been declining for several months, with average rates on a 30-year conventional mortgage remaining below 10 percent since late October.

First National Bank of Chicago and Citibank were the first major banks to cut the prime rate Monday. The move was followed throughout the day by other large and small institutions.

It was the first time the rate has been changed since July 31, when banks lowered the prime half a point from 11 percent. The last time the prime stood at 10 percent was in November 1988, before it was raised to 10.5 percent at the start of a yearlong climb.

Many economists said Monday's reduction was long overdue, given how the Fed had begun moving in early November to push interest rates lower.

Stock prices closed higher, while bonds and the dollar declined following Monday's announcement.

William V. Sullivan, an economist with Dean Witter Reynolds Inc., said banks had the incentive to trim their prime just after Christmas when the Fed moved to

lower the federal funds rate, the interest banks charge on overnight loans to each other, to 8.25 percent.

However, Sullivan said, banks put off any cut in the prime because seasonal demands for higher cash reserves temporarily pushed the federal funds rate above 9 percent.

The central bank can exert strong influences over the federal funds rate by adding or draining reserves from the banking system through the sale and purchase of government securities.

Many economists said the Fed would have to be more persuasive in its push for easier credit before any future prime-rate cuts occur. Banks have been under pressure recently to maintain higher cash reserves in the face of problem real estate loans and loans to Third World countries — troubles that also may have helped delay the latest rate reduction.



Gov. Madeleine Kunin holds one of the disposable diapers she wants to ban in Vermont.

Critics trash plan to ban disposable diapers

By SUSAN ALLEN
Associated Press Writer

MONTPELIER, Vt. (AP) — Gov. Madeleine Kunin wants Vermont to become the first state to ban all disposable diapers, but her plan is being trashed by some including day-care operators who want no part of a mountain of cloth.

"The time has come to be responsible and to find the way to say yes — yes to required statewide recycling, to bans on certain polluting products, to changes in lifestyle," Kunin said in her state of the state speech last week.

Only Nebraska has banned disposable diapers, but it allows the sale of diapers that are biodegradable, even though such products aren't believed to break down in the depths of oxygen-starved dumps.

Kunin, whose proposal would ban disposable diapers by 1993,

noted that while the usable life of a disposable diaper may be a few hours, they won't decompose in dumps for hundreds of years — or several generations of babies later.

Environmental groups have quickly supported the plan by Kunin, who last year made the state the first to ban the sale of vehicles that use ozone-depleting chemicals in their air conditioning. That ban starts with 1993 models.

"They are a large part of the waste stream," said Ned Farquhar of the Vermont Natural Resources Council.

"The throw-away society is wasting energy and materials, not just with diapers, but with a lot of similar products. We need to ban things to keep people from using them," he said.

The piles of discarded diapers make up about 2 percent of the

nation's waste, and about 85 percent of all parents use disposable diapers exclusively, according to industry estimates.

Vermont officials estimate that 43.5 million disposable diapers end up in the state's dumps every year.

Opponents of a ban argue that the governor's plan won't have much impact in solving the state's mounting garbage disposal problem.

Representatives of the health and day-care industries also say they are not ready to handle such a ban.

"There has been a tendency to pass into law programs on the basis of trendy catchwords, rather than science or careful consideration of all the different issues," said William Gilbert, a lobbyist representing the American Paper Institute.

Gilbert said that mandating cloth diapers would add two to three more

loads of hot-water washings weekly for families with babies, raising its own questions about environmental damage.

Day-care centers, especially in rural parts of the state where there are no cloth diaper services, fear how they would be affected.

"If a ban went into effect today, it would create real havoc," said Lea Hatch, a day-care regulator for the state.

But she added that centers in areas with access to diaper services already are beginning to offer that option to parents in lieu of disposables.

Bethany Carleton, head of the Vermont Health Care Association, also said disposable diapers help prevent skin problems better than cloth ones.

"There are definitely reasons people don't want to go back to cloth," she said.

Report card: Students reading better but still weak in writing

WASHINGTON (AP) — Schoolchildren are reading a little better than they did in 1971, but they still can't write, the Nation's Report Card indicates.

The report found only "subtle changes in reading performance at the national level" since the first reading assessment in 1971. There was no improvement in an already low writing performance.

Education Secretary Lauro Cavazos released the gloomy findings today.

The Nation's Report Card was prepared by the congressionally mandated National Assessment of Educational Progress, a project of the National Center for Education Statistics and the only nationally representative and continuing assessment of what America's students know and can do in various subject areas.

The Reading Report Card found some improvement among students age 9, 13 and 17, the three age groups periodically tested. A study found that both 9- and 17-year-olds were reading significantly better in 1988 than they were in 1971, and 13-year-olds were reading as well as in 1971.

"The overall picture suggests a nation of students who were reading better than their counterparts did in 1971, but it must be emphasized

that the progress is slight and could be short-lived," the report said.

The report said the gains for 17-year-olds may be "partially a legacy of progress made by these students when they were age 9."

"Unfortunately, 9-year-olds born more recently have shown a pattern of small but steady declines during the 1980s, perhaps foreshadowing similar declines at ages 13 and 17 in the years ahead as these students move through our educational system."

Minority students showed real gains in reading, according to the report. During the nine years from 1971 to 1980, the difference in average performance between black and white 9-year-olds decreased from 44 to 32 scale points, but eight years later, in 1988, the difference remained almost 30 points, the study said.

Black 13-year-olds showed steady improvements with each assessment, making large and significant gains since 1971, the report said.

Although the changes were not significant, the reading abilities of Hispanic students at age 9 tended to improve during the 13-year period from 1975 to 1988. Thirteen-year-olds also tended to show performance gains, although the gradual increases seen from 1975 to 1984 were not evident in the most recent assessment.

School Bible study club before Supreme Court

By JAMES H. RUBIN
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Bush administration is urging the Supreme Court to uphold a 1984 law requiring public high schools to give student religious groups the same access to facilities as they do to students who belong to such organizations as chess and scuba diving clubs.

The justices were to hear arguments today in a Nebraska case that some say could mean returning religion and prayer to public schools.

Solicitor General Kenneth W. Starr, the administration's chief courtroom lawyer, said equal access for religious clubs does not violate the separation of church and state mandated by the Constitution's Establishment Clause.

"Exclusion of religion, and the message it conveys, would itself contravene the Establishment Clause, by sending the clear message that the state favors irreligion," Starr said in a legal brief filed with the court.

The justices have agreed to decide — with a ruling likely by July — whether a student Bible

study group must be allowed to meet at Westside High School in Omaha after school.

School officials barred the group despite the 1984 Equal Access Act that says public high schools accepting federal aid must not discriminate against groups based on "the religious, political, philosophical or other content of the speech at such meetings."

The act requires access for religious clubs if other "non-curriculum-related student groups" are allowed to meet.

Numerous religious, educational and civic organizations have lined up on opposing sides.

The National School Boards Association, for example, said the aim of the 1984 law is "to bring religion and prayer back to the public schools." The association opposes the statute as unconstitutional.

But the Campus Crusade for Christ said "a voluntary student club in which ideas with religious content and significance will be spoken" should not be discriminated against by school officials.

Students at Westside High sought in 1985 to

organize a Christian Bible study club. Officials refused to approve it and suggested the students meet instead at a church next door.

The student group was led by Bridget Mergens, now married and the mother of a 13-month-old girl. Mrs. Mergens Mayhew planned to be in court today to hear arguments in the case she triggered.

The 8th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals last year overruled a federal judge and said the club must be allowed to meet on school premises.

The appeals court noted the high school has approved some 30 other extracurricular organizations for such activities as chess, scuba diving and community service.

The clubs meet on school grounds after class hours with a faculty member helping supervise.

The Supreme Court, which banned organized prayer in public schools in 1962 and 1963 rulings, said in 1981 that state-run universities cannot ban student groups from using campus facilities for religious worship and study.

The justices have never decided whether the same rule should apply to public high schools.

Khmer Rouge claims attack on Cambodia's capital

By PETER ENG
Associated Press Writer

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — Khmer Rouge guerrillas claimed today that they sent Cambodia's president and premier fleeing to Vietnam with a grenade attack on the capital in which soldiers and policemen were killed.

The reported attack Saturday would be the most serious in Phnom Penh, largely spared in the 11-year-old war between the guerrillas and the Vietnamese-installed government.

It could not be verified and some previous communist Khmer Rouge claims have proven exaggerated.

Also today, the non-communist resistance forces of Prince Norodom Sihanouk, which are allied with the Khmer Rouge, said their agents exploded a grenade a day in the capital between Dec. 5 and 10, wounding 16 Vietnamese and two Cambodian policemen.

A statement said one attack occurred near Premier Hun Sen's

house and others in front of the Royal Palace and the Ministry of Defense.

The government's SPK news agency, monitored in Bangkok today, did not mention any attack but stressed that Sunday's National Day celebrations took place in "total security." It said Saturday and Monday also were peaceful.

National Day marks the anniversary of the 1979 downfall of the Khmer Rouge, which was driven out by invading Vietnamese troops after a 3 1/2-year reign of terror in which it tried to turn the country into a primitive agrarian commune, killing hundreds of thousands of Cambodians.

SPK denied reports that a lack of security in the capital had forced Hun Sen to go to the eastern province of Svay Rieng to meet with Australia's deputy foreign secretary, Michael Costello, on Sunday and Monday.

The agency said Hun Sen was making an inspection tour of the province bordering Vietnam and

had invited Costello to meet him there. It said Costello was traveling from Vietnam's Ho Chi Minh City to Phnom Penh.

The guerrillas earlier had said they attacked and set ablaze Cambodia's second-largest city, Battambang, Friday and Saturday. A Western diplomat in Thailand confirmed today that the town was attacked but said "the effect was more psychological than strategic."

Khmer Rouge army radio said resistance forces had lobbed five grenades in the center of Phnom Penh near the office of the Central Committee of the Communist Party, killing or wounding some Vietnamese and "lucky" puppets.

It said the attack took place at 2 a.m. Saturday.

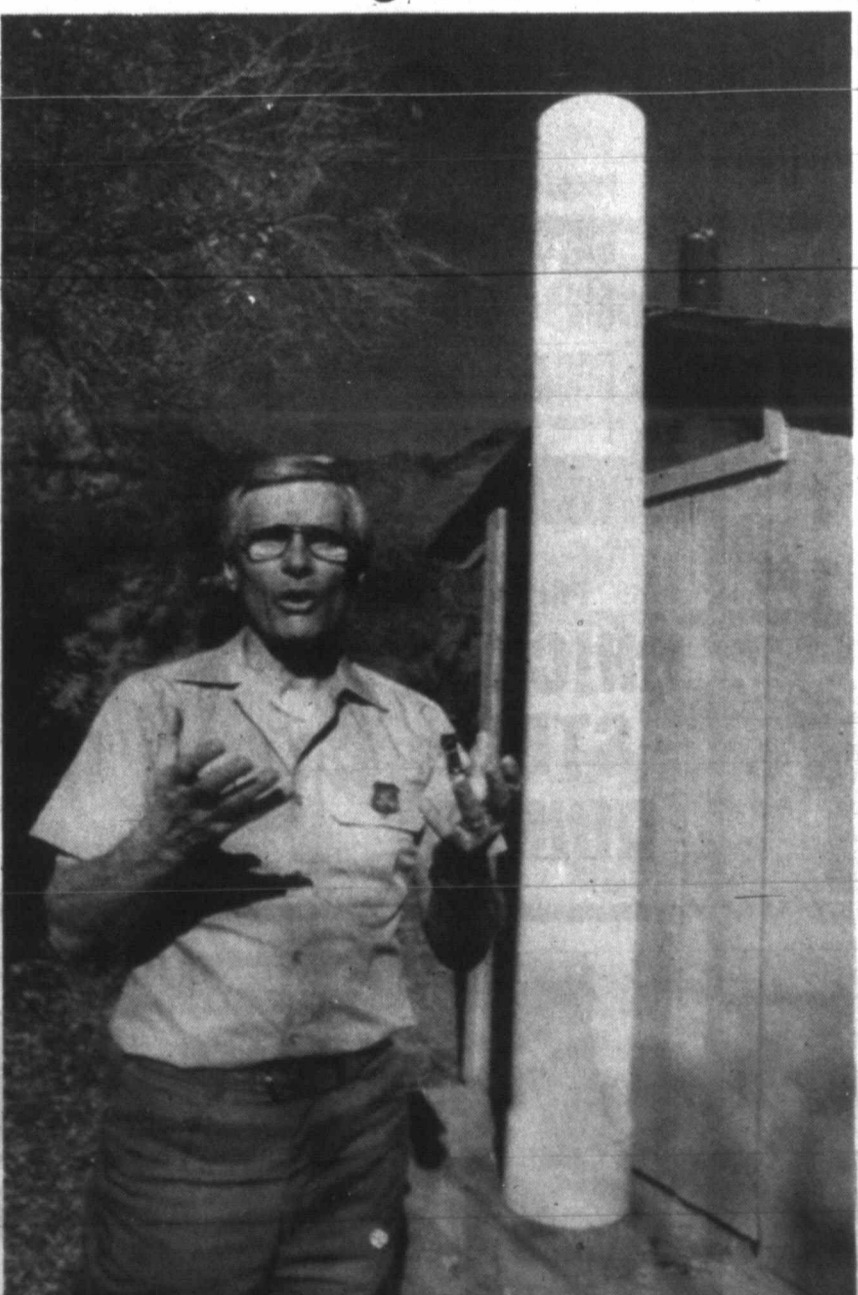
Another Khmer Rouge army

broadcast said the guerrillas, aided by citizens and government officials, attacked the capital's center and suburbs Saturday with "32 grenades and TNT plastic explosives, killing or wounding some Vietnamese soldiers and puppets who were drinking near a hotel."

"A number of Vietnamese secret agents and puppet policemen ... were also killed by blasts from the grenades and plastic explosives in the suburbs," it said. The broadcast claimed Vietnam "immediately sent Hun Sen and (President) Heng Samrin as well as some other leaders to Ho Chi Minh City."

The city, formerly Saigon, is about 35 miles east of the border at Svay Rieng. The broadcast said Hun Sen later went to Svay Rieng for his scheduled talks with Costello.

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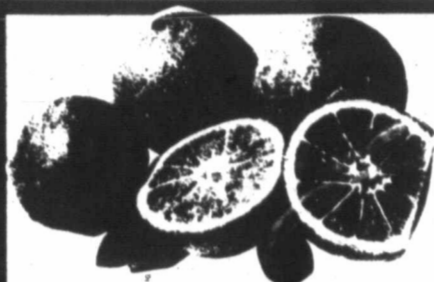
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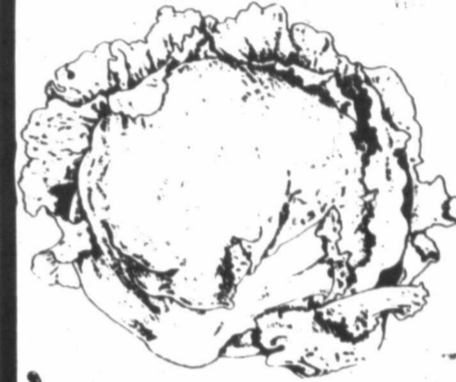
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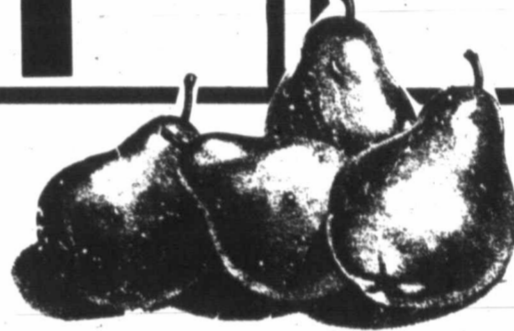
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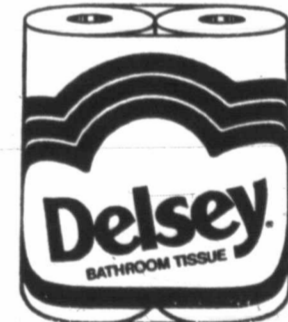
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VA considers ending mobile home loans

By ROBERT GREENE
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Veterans Affairs Department is hinting it will try to pull out of the mobile home loan business this year, saying a high default rate among active-duty members of the armed services has compounded its losses.

The program, begun in 1971 to help Vietnam veterans returning to civilian life, is popular among junior members of the armed forces who want to buy homes near bases for themselves and their fledgling families.

Personnel on active duty are considered veterans for purposes of the program.

More than half the 31,000 mobile home loans made since 1984 have gone to such active-duty personnel, the VA says. During the same period, the agency has had to pay some \$147 million to lenders as a result of 17,000 claims on mobile homes.

The VA inspector general, in a pair of reports in September and October, said the program has suffered from defaults by borrowers in depressed oil-producing states and by military personnel who abandon their property after transfers.

The reports emphasized the problem with active-duty borrowers.

Charles C. Partridge, legislative counsel for the National Association of Uniformed Services, a multiservice advocacy group, says that is unfair.

He blames a "chicken-coop mentality" in the Defense Department that ignores the housing needs of soldiers and the lack of programs to help them make sound purchasing decisions or help them relocate.

"The guy gets an order for Korea, what's he going to do?" Partridge asked. "The DOD says 'You bought it, you've got to sell it.'"

That problem may be helped with the implementation of a relocation program mandated for this year by Congress.

The Pentagon says there is nearly always a shortage of on-base housing, making alternatives necessary. A mobile home mortgage averages about \$23,000, compared with

\$73,000 for a site-built home.

The recommendation to end the program is contained both in the September inspector general's report on the program and in an inspector general's audit of the entire department a month later. The September report was made available only recently.

Both reports clearly state that R. John Vogel, VA head of benefits, agreed to propose legislation in 1990 to end the program.

However, recently asked directly about the timetable for such a proposal, the VA's Keith Pedigo said only that the idea was "under active consideration," with a final decision expected by the end of January.

"We've accepted the report, and we believe that given the pitfalls of owning a manufactured home that most veterans would be better off not availing themselves of this benefit," said Pedigo, who reports to Vogel as director of the VA's loan guaranty service.

"The top purchaser of a manufactured home is an E-3 or E-4 stationed at Fort Bragg (N.C.)," Pedigo said. "One-and-a-half years later he's rotated on his duty assignment to Germany or somewhere else."

E-4s are the top grade of enlisted personnel — corporals, seamen, airmen and Specialist 4s — and make about \$950 a month. Those who live off base receive a housing allowance of \$314 a month and a monthly food allowance of less than \$150, tax free. There are additional allowances based on regional costs.

The 1988 poverty level was slightly more than \$12,000 a year for a family of four, although military personnel have benefits and privileges — such as free medical and dental care — in addition to pay.

Pedigo said the trouble begins when a transferred soldier, unable to sell the mobile home, abandons it. However, he could not explain why the 1988 annual report of the VA cited military transfers as the cause of only about 4 percent of foreclosures.

"Extensive obligations" and "curtailment of income" were the most frequently cited reasons

Survey: cities make little headway in war on drugs

By WILLIAM M. WELCH
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Despite the Bush administration's declared war on drugs, fewer than 10 percent of the nation's cities report making headway in their local battles, according to a survey released today.

"There's been a lot of talk about drugs coming out of Washington, and our city leaders are now sending back a message — a message that it's time for Washington to get a front-line report on what's happening and what's needed," Alan Beals, executive director of the National League of Cities, said in releasing the study.

"The drug issue must be a national priority, local officials are saying, because they cannot beat it on their own," he said.

Officials in 58 percent of cities surveyed said drug problems had worsened in their communities over the past year. Another 31 percent said the magnitude of the drug problem remained the same, while only 9 percent reported progress.

The league surveyed elected municipal officials — mayors and council members — from 314 cities selected randomly from the 2,461 cities with a population of 10,000 or more. The survey included questions on a variety of topics.

Officials in 39 percent of the cities said they would have to raise local taxes this year.

Nearly half expect to increase various user fees, and almost two-thirds say their city's spending will increase, Beals said.

The league survey was conducted by telephone in November and early December by the Center for Urban Studies at Wayne State University in Detroit. The league said the results have a margin of error of plus or minus 5.5 percentage points. Drugs led the list of top concerns

of city officials. One in five said that if they could meet with Bush on any topic, they would focus on drugs.

"Clearly our local leaders believe there is a need for national leadership and a stronger commitment of national resources to help eradicate the poisonous and violent drug culture that has invaded our cities," Beals said.

The survey, he said, found discontent among urban leaders with the federal government's allocation of money to fight drugs. The \$2.2 billion in federal drug assistance goes to the states, he said, "but it's needed in our cities where the war against drugs is being fought."

He said the survey found nearly half, 47 percent, described relations with their state government as "fair" at best, 22 percent said they were "poor," and 28 percent said "good."

Other top concerns cited by the city officials as needing presidential attention were financial constraints and the lack of federal aid to go with federally required local programs, solid waste and other environmental problems, education and affordable housing.

Besides drugs, city leaders reported worsening conditions involving the cost of living, affordability of housing, energy costs, crime and solid waste.

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Ford plans front-seat air bags on all its cars

DETROIT (AP) — Ford Motor Co. will make front-seat air bags standard on its cars by the mid-1990s, the company's vice chairman said.

Currently, Ford offers the safety devices and manual seat belts as standard on the driver side of about 1 million, or half, its Ford, Lincoln and Mercury cars.

Passenger-side air bags are offered in some Lincolns.

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**BAS 142-1P	Word Processing I.....	3	\$10.00	Pat Johnson		
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BUS 214-1P	Principles of Accounting I.....	3		Randy Hamby		
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**BAS 143-2P	Word Processing II.....	3	\$10.00	Lee Carter		
*BIO 235-1P	Anatomy & Physiology II.....	4	\$10.00	Shirley Windhorst		
BUS 224-1P	Accounting II.....	3		Phil Conner		
*CHM 114-2P	General College Chemistry I.....	4	\$10.00	M.B. Smith		
ENG 123-2P	English Comp. & Rhetoric.....	3		Linda Thompson		
*DEV W93-1P	Developmental Writing II (Lab-TBA).....	3	\$10.00	Ray Thornton		
ECO 223-2P	Principles of Economics (Micro).....	3		Randy Hamby		
*GEO 114-1P	General Geology (Physical) Lab.....	4	\$10.00	Jerry Steed		
HST 223-2P	American History 1865-Present.....	3		John Welborn		
MTH 105-1P	Intermediate Algebra.....	3		Frank McCullough		
MTH 121-1P	Modern Math II.....	3		John Stewart		
MTH 140-1P	Analytic Geometry.....	3		Barbara Evans		
PSY 133-2P	General Psychology.....	3		Jerry Lane		
PSY 204-2P	Child Psychology.....	3		Herman Vinson		
VRLE 0100	Property Management.....	3		Charles Buzzard		
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*BIO 238-1P	Microbiology.....	4	\$10.00	Carol Colwell		
BUS 214-2P	Principles of Accounting I.....	3		Judy Maze		
**CIS 206-1P	Advanced Computer Info. Systems.....	4	\$10.00	Doug Rapstine		
*DEV M91-1P	Developmental Math II (Lab-TBA).....	3	\$10.00	Jesse Baker		
ELE 3004-1P	Digital Electronics.....	3	\$20.00	Lee Jackson		
MTH 116-1P	Math for Business & Eco. I.....	3		Layne Heitz		
MTH 120-2P	Modern Math I.....	3		John Stewart		
SPA 263-1P	Conversational Spanish II.....	3		Salvador Del Fierro		
VRLE 0109-1P	Real Estate Math.....	3		Charles Buzzard		
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MTH 123-1P	Plane Trigonometry.....	3		Barbara Evans		
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Enrollment in these classes will be taken on a first come/first pay basis beginning January 15.

Lifestyles

Centuries old animal figurines still popular



These musical animals are part of a set of figurines made at the Chelsea factory in the 18th century.

By RALPH & TERRY KOVEL

Animal figurines have been popular for centuries. Farm animals like sheep and horses, exotic foreign creatures like tigers or zebras, and dogs and other pets have always had great appeal. In a famous series of small figures made at the Meissen factory in Germany in the 18th century, 20 different monkeys with musical instruments were shown as members of a band. It was said that it was a commentary on the quality of Count Bruhl's orchestra.

Other firms also made animal bands in the 1750s. One famous set was made at the Chelsea factory in England. The breed of dog is unidentifiable, but the humor of a dog band is still understood in the 20th century.

Q. I have an old wooden dome-top trunk with strange metal trim that seems to have crystallized. How can I restore the metal bands to their original condition?

A. You probably have a "crystallized metal" trunk of the type offered in the 1879 Sears Roebuck catalog. The glistening metal was a popular type of metal banding. Crystallized metal was popular from 1870 to about 1910, and many styles of trunks were made with it. Don't restore it; the strange trim is probably in original condition.

Q. My mother has a very small old magnifying glass given to her by her mother. She said that it was always called a "quizzer." Have you ever heard of that term?

A. We looked in the dictionary and found that a "quizzing glass" was a single eyeglass like a monocle but with a handle. The English books about spectacles refer to these glasses as "quizzers." They were popular in the 18th and early 19th centuries. The earliest ones were made with a small round lens in a simple gold ring with a handle, and later they became more ornate and the lens became an oval. Late examples were made with silver instead of gold. The quizzer was worn around the neck on a cord or ribbon.

Q. I have an old set of pottery kitchen canisters. They are marked "tea," "sugar," "coffee," "rice," "barley," "flour," "salt" and "sago." What is sago?

A. The old sets often had labels for spices and other food staples that were stored in a kitchen. Sago is a dry powdered starch made from tropical palm trees. It was used as a thickener for puddings.

Q. What are Door of Hope dolls? A note from mother says my Chinese peasant cloth dolls are called that.

A. The Door of Hope was a Mission in Shanghai, China, from 1917 to about 1950. It was founded to rescue "strayed, stolen, abandoned" children and women trying to escape from prostitution. Making dolls was an occupation that produced jobs and money for the mission. The dolls had carved wooden heads, hands and feet and cloth bodies. Many were imported into the United States in the 1940s, when they cost from \$4.45 to \$9.95.

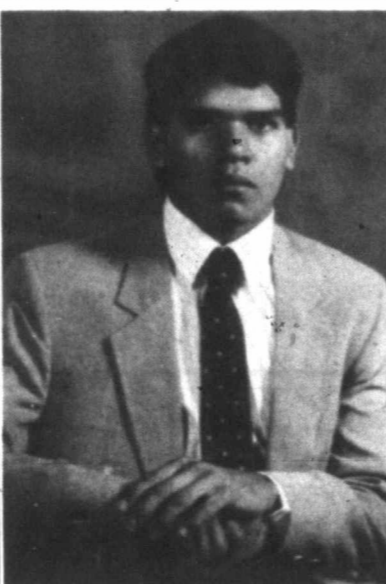
Q. I have a tiny toy that looks like a horse-drawn wagon. The side of the wagon has a Cracker Jack box pictured on the side. How old could it be?

A. The toys found in the Cracker Jack box have changed with the times. Lithographed tin was popular in the 1920s and 1930s. In the 1940s the war needs cut off the supply of metal, and paper and plastic toys were used.

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Newsmakers



Robert Perez
Robert Perez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perez Sr., made the Dean's Honor Roll with a 4.0 grade average at Southwestern College in Winfield, Kan. He is studying liberal arts and physical education.

Perez earned a letter in cross country running (6 miles) with the KCAC Champs.

Chris L. Skaggs
Chris L. Skaggs received a Teaching Excellence Award at Iowa State University. These awards are given to recognize teaching assistants and graduate students serving instructors as course instructors, discussion leaders or lab assistants. Skaggs was one of 14 students from nearly 700 graduate students with teaching appointments to be so honored.
Skaggs was recognized through the department of animal science. When he graduates, this honor will be noted by special cords for his robes and in the commencement program.

Woman tries to uncover the lure of topless bars



Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: Why do men go to topless (and in some cases bottomless) bars? The man I have been seeing for the last six months is basically a nice guy. I am an attractive 27-year-old woman; I'm 5 foot 6 and weigh 120 pounds. He is 31, and we have a great relationship going emotionally, physically, etc. We seem perfect for each other.

What bothers me is that he goes to these places during working hours and drinks only coffee. He is a police officer. He never goes to these places when he's off duty. It makes me feel like I'm not good enough. He says that's not it—I'm fine, and he doesn't compare me to those topless girls.

He says all police officers stop in those places for coffee while they're on duty. I know it's true, because when I drive by, I always see two or three police cars outside. (Once I counted five!) Why do men go to those places? And should I let it bother me?

DEAR CONFUSED: They go because most men like to look. (So do some women.) Should you let it bother you? Try not to. Your boyfriend was being honest when he told you he wasn't comparing you with "those topless girls," so you have no reason to feel insecure.

Mature men do not need peep shows. Perhaps your police officer is still in a phase of arrested development.

DEAR ABBY: In regards to "Teacher in Laramie" and the pain of unjust punishment meted out by teachers. I had a problem in high school when my dad was building a garage during hunting season. He needed my help in bricklaying and I asked to be excused from two classes in order to help him.

I received an "F" for that day in each class while other students received a passing grade when they went hunting with their dads to kill deer or whatever.

I always felt cheated for being punished for doing something constructive while others were excused to be destructive.

Thanks for letting me get this off my chest, Abby. It's been 20 years and I'm still resentful.

JIMMY IN PORTLAND
DEAR JIMMY: For some reason, the hurts suffered in high school stay with us all our lives. It's not healthy to harbor such negative thoughts. But it's human.

DEAR ABBY: I have an interesting story to tell, and it may help others.

I got a call in my office: "This is Sergeant Cummings from the New York State Police. We got your name from the church you belong to. We have an Egyptian family here in Newburgh, N.Y. (I am Egyptian.) Their car has broken down on their way back to Boston from Toronto, and because they just moved to the

he always where he says he is going to be? Can you reach him by phone when he's not home? Can he look you in the eye? Has your love life tapered off? (This may not mean anything because some husbands work twice as hard at being good lovers when they're involved away from home.) Is he short of money?

You could put a "tail" (private detective) on him, but that's very expensive, and it's usually done only when a spouse wants evidence for a divorce.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 14-year-old girl. I am very mature for my age. I don't smoke or do drugs, and I don't hang out with kids who do. I am proud to say that I am still a virgin and plan to stay that way until I get married.

My problem is my parents. They won't let me date or go in cars with boys. I have never been in any kind of trouble, and this is the only thing I ever fight with my parents about.

How can I prove to them that I am mature enough to date and go in cars with boys?

NO BABY

DEAR NO BABY: As long as you argue, whine, beg and complain, your parents will consider you too immature to date and go in cars with boys. When you accept their decisions without arguing, whining, begging and complaining, they will be more inclined to consider you sufficiently mature to handle adult privileges. Try it. It works. Trust me.

DEAR ABBY: This is in response to the letter regarding physicians who hire unskilled personnel to perform nursing functions when they should hire "properly trained" nurses (your words).

Abby, dear, dogs are trained. Nurses are educated.

A STUDENT IN NEW JERSEY

Clarendon College, Pampa Center

Clarendon College, Pampa Center will begin classes on Jan. 16 for Emergency Medical Technicians.

Classes will meet each Tuesday and Thursday through mid-May from 7 to 10 p.m. in room 12 at the Center for 140 clock hours of instruction.

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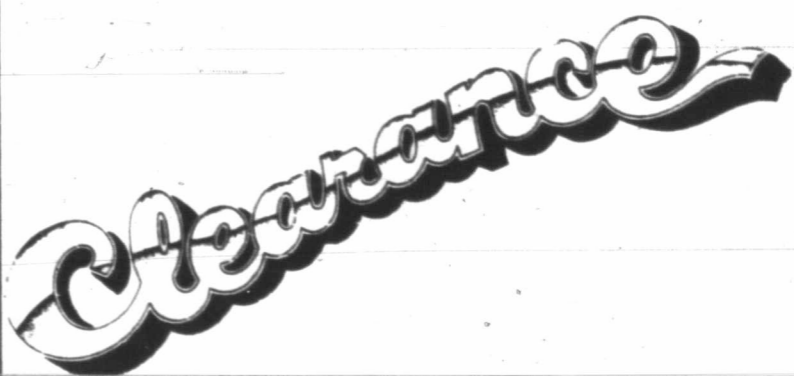
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Today's Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- 1 — and proper
- 5 Stuffed shirt
- 9 "I like —"
- 12 Freight trailer
- 13 Ireland
- 14 Bernstein, for short
- 15 Obstruction
- 16 Gave glossy coating to
- 18 Dress up
- 19 Those in office
- 20 Snakes
- 21 Author Fleming
- 23 Uses frugally
- 26 Olympic athlete Bruce
- 29 Pronounces
- 33 Novelist Hunter
- 34 Icelandic epic
- 36 3. Roman
- 37 Tree
- 38 Copter's kin

- 39 German first name
- 40 Aviation
- 42 Spots
- 44 Mutual —
- 46 Fortune
- 47 Type of boat
- 50 Bachelor's last words (2 wds.)
- 52 I think, therefore —
- 55 Clint —
- 58 — My Heart
- 59 Mae West role
- 60 Earth goddess
- 61 Ornamental button
- 62 Mr. Ziegfeld
- 63 Low card
- 64 ...'tis of —

DOWN

- 1 Attention-getting sound
- 2 Divorce capital
- 3 Unreal
- 4 Soviet plane
- 5 Hammer part
- 6 Cleanse of soap
- 7 Author — Levin

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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- 27 Wrongdoing
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- 30 After 79th
- 31 Rebellious demonstration
- 32 Misdeeds
- 35 MD
- 38 Large antelope
- 39 Self-esteem
- 41 — first you don't ...
- 43 Workers' assn.
- 45 Electron tube
- 47 Stolen-property
- 48 Train track
- 49 Scandinavian capital
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- 54 Method
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- 58 Ore. time

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Astro-Graph

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CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) More cooperation than usual on your behalf will be required today if you hope to maintain constructive relationships. If you don't ante up, they might put you down. Capricorn, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$1.25 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Conditions are rather tricky today where your work or career is concerned. This is a day when small fiascos could produce a calamity.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Today you will be judged by the company you keep, so select companions with extreme care. If your buddy has a bad reputation, you could be put in the same category.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Small family grievances could get blown out of proportion today and cause a serious rift in the household. Don't let anything you say or do contribute to this.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) There's a possibility you could experience some problems in communication today. Even though you may not intend to hurt anyone, ill chosen phrases could do just that.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) To save yourself embarrassment today, try to avoid involvements that are over your head financially. There's no shame attached to having less than others.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) If a partnership arrangement in which you're presently involved is unreasonably demanding, strive to either straighten it out or dissolve it.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Someone who has ulterior motives might try to talk you into assuming additional responsibilities at this time that are against your better judgment. Turn a deaf ear to his/her pleadings.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Heavy demands might be made upon your socially today that could turn something that should be fun into a workfest. Don't let conditions distort the event's purpose.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You're not likely to have too much success achieving objectives today if your wish list is too crowded. Limit your goals to those you can comfortably manage.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) This is one of those days when every time you open your mouth you might find yourself saying things you shouldn't. However, if you laugh off your boo-boos companions will too.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Be extra cautious today if you have some type of financial or commercial involvement with a person or firm with whom you're not familiar. If you get careless, it could lighten your wallet.

Sports

Pardee first stop in Oilers' search for head coach

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ
AP Sports Writer

HOUSTON — The Houston Oilers' search for a new head coach made its first stop at the University of Houston, home of Coach Jack Pardee and the "run-and-shoot" offense that won a Heisman Trophy for quarterback Andre Ware.

Pardee, who rebuilt the Cougars program in three seasons, confirmed Monday that he had been interviewed by Oilers owner Bud Adams and that he was interested in the position.

Pardee is the first coach interviewed by Adams, who announced late Saturday that Coach Jerry Glanville would not return, by mutual agreement.

"I certainly have an interest but I don't know what their interest is. I guess it was enough to talk," Pardee said.

"The Oilers have some good players. If they weren't there, we really wouldn't have interest at all. The cupboard isn't bare. They've had success."

The Oilers reached the playoffs the past three years, but Glanville stepped down Saturday after three straight losses ended the season.

Pardee said he talked with Adams by telephone and considered it a formal interview.

"We talked about the parameters of the job and what it would entail," Pardee said.

Houston athletic director Rudy Davalos returned early from the NCAA meetings in Dallas after talking with Pardee by telephone.

"I think there is genuine interest both ways and when you're in competition with a pro franchise in the same town, they have the financial resources that make it easier for them to be more attractive," Davalos said.

Pardee was coach at Chicago and Washington, leading both into the NFL playoffs. He also coached the Houston Gamblers in the USFL.

The Cougars finished 1-10 in 1986, Bill Yeoman's last year as coach. Pardee installed the run-and-shoot offense in 1987 and, after a 4-6-1 record that year, Houston posted records of 9-3 and 9-2 the past two seasons.

Pardee said he would need to know of a decision this week because he had to get back to recruiting if he were going to remain with the Cougars.

"If I were to leave here, the University of Houston is still important," Pardee said. "This needs to be a stable situation by next week."

Pardee said he didn't think his departure would affect Ware's decision to remain in school for his senior season.

"It's been my sentiment all along that he should return," Pardee said. "Everybody in pro football I've talked to has encouraged him to do that."

Should Pardee ultimately become the Oilers coach, a leading candidate to replace him would be Cougars offensive coordinator John Jenkins.

"I'll just say that he's very viable and I'm very comfortable



University of Houston coach Jack Pardee smiles while meeting with reporters in Houston Monday.

with my relationship with John and our people are," Davalos said. "I think John would be very interested. If the head job was offered, I think John would accept it."

Denver defensive coordinator Wade Phillips, a former Oilers assistant and son of former Oilers coach Bum Phillips, also has been mentioned in connection with the Houston vacancy.

"It's a natural thing that I would be mentioned," Phillips said. "But I've been mentioned for every job

so far. I think I'm going to get a lot of interviews when the season is over. I'm just hoping our season will last a lot longer."

Denver plays Cleveland on Sunday for the AFC championship, and the Oilers cannot talk to Phillips about the job until the Broncos have completed the season.

Detroit Lions quarterbacks coach June Jones, who coached two seasons with the Oilers and worked under Pardee with the Gamblers, said he would be interested in working for Pardee again.

Harvesters ranked sixth in state by AP

The Pampa Harvesters made an impressive showing in this season's first Associated Press weekly schoolboy poll, checking in at No. 6 in the state among Class 4A teams.

The ranking reflects Pampa's 14-4 record following a 73-50 victory over Lubbock Dunbar last Friday night. Currently, the Harvesters stand at 15-4 after Saturday's 65-60 defeat of Frenship.

"That's really a great accomplishment by these young men," said Pampa coach Robert Hale. "Most of us don't realize how hard that is, especially this late in the season. I admire what they have done for a group of players with their stature and their circumstance."

The Class 4A top 5, in order, include Port Arthur Lincoln (14-5), Burkburnett (19-0), Highland Park (12-7), Brownwood (18-2) and A&M Consolidated (13-7).

The Harvesters faced No. 2 Burkburnett in the finals of the West Side Lions Club tourney two weeks ago, dropping a narrow, 75-70 decision to the undefeated Bulldogs. Burkburnett is the only unbeaten team in the 4A top 10.

Hale agreed that game played a big part in Pampa's high ranking, but it was far from the only mark in the Harvesters' favor this season.

"I think all 19 of our games had something to do with it," he said. "Beating Amarillo High after they won the Midland Tournament, and then beating Lawton, which we hadn't done since 1982 — both of those were very big games."

"Also, our kids have not lost a regular season game. Our only losses have been in tournaments."

Hale said he hopes the No. 6 ranking spurs the Harvesters on to even greater heights.

"My first response is to low-key it," Hale said. "But I would like us

to take pride in it and build on this momentum."

"We've got a long way to go. We've still got three of our toughest district games to close out the first half of the district season."

The Harvesters, who boast a 5-0 league mark, are District 1-4A's lone representative in the poll. See today's Scoreboard on page 12 for a complete listing of the top boys and girls teams in all classes.

Tonight, the Harvesters travel to Dumas to resume loop play at approximately 8 p.m. The Demons enter the contest with a 2-3 mark, tied with Borger for fifth place. Dumas posted a big upset victory Friday, defeating Wolforth-Frenship by one point, 62-61.

According to Pampa coach Robert Hale, it's still too early to discount the Demons.

"Three losses probably won't put you out at all," he said. "We lost three games last year and still won the district."

In the girls' high school poll, two members of District 1-4A made the top 5. Randall (18-3) and defending state champion Levelland (18-4) were voted the No. 3 and 4 teams respectively.

Randall defeated Levelland last weekend to move into first place in District 1-4A and run its league record to 7-0. Levelland is in second place with a 6-1 mark.

Pampa, meanwhile, is tied for third place with a 4-3 record entering tonight's game in Dumas. On the season, the Lady Harvesters are 8-8.

The Demonettes improved to 2-5 on Friday with a 63-51 victory over Frenship that left the two teams tied for fifth place. Dumas is also 8-8 overall.

Tonight's girls game tips off at 6:30 p.m. in Dumas.

Curry signs with Kentucky

Former Alabama coach inks five-year pact

By MIKE EMBRY
AP Sports Writer

LEXINGTON, Ky. — Bill Curry doesn't promise to be a miracle worker as Kentucky's football coach.

"I'm not a brilliant guy," Curry said Monday night after the school's athletic board approved his hiring. "I'm a plugger. I come early and stay late."

He succeeds Jerry Claiborne, who retired Nov. 28, and becomes the 32nd coach in the school's football history. Curry was given a five-year contract with a base salary of \$105,000 per year.

"He will do an excellent job in every phase of the program — socially, academically, athletically and in the treatment of our players," Claiborne said in a prepared statement.

Kentucky has hovered near the .500 mark the last five seasons, but

Curry made no bold predictions for improving the program, which is more noted for its academic prowess.

"It's important to get a realistic perspective," he said during a 30-minute news conference. "It's possible to win 12 games and maintain a level of academic excellence, but it's difficult."

"We like hard workers. We will set the expectations with the players extremely high from the beginning."

Curry, 47, resigned as Alabama coach on Sunday, six days after guiding the Crimson Tide to a 10-2 record, including a 33-25 loss to national champion Miami in the Sugar Bowl.

Curry compiled a 26-10 record in three seasons at Alabama, including a share of the Southeastern Conference title this past season that earned him SEC Coach of the Year

honors. Alabama offered Curry a three-year extension on his two-year contract which reportedly paid him \$500,000 annually in salary and side benefits. His Kentucky package is reported to be worth \$350,000 a year.

Curry, a Georgia native, was a three-year letterman at Georgia Tech. He played professionally for the Green Bay Packers (1965-66), Baltimore Colts (1967-72), Houston Oilers (1973) and Los Angeles Rams (1974). He played in three Super Bowls and twice made All-Pro.

He was an assistant with Georgia Tech and the Packers, and then became coach at Georgia Tech in 1980. His seven-year record there was 31-43-4, including a 17-14 victory over Michigan State in the 1985 All-American Bowl. Curry was 29-24-3 his last five years at Tech.



Former Alabama coach Bill Curry gestures while addressing a news conference Monday night at the University of Kentucky, where he signed a 5-year contract.

NCAA delegates modify controversial Prop. 42

DALLAS (AP) — Seven years after it started, the NCAA's racially heated struggle over college entrance exams and black athletes is hotter than ever.

"Hopefully, we will not say, 'You cannot respond to the challenge of 700 on the college boards — we don't have enough confidence in you,'" Penn State football coach Joe Paterno said.

"Paterno is all wet," responded Dr. Edward Fort, chancellor of North Carolina A&T. "He's talking nonsense."

An acrimonious day of debate and confused parliamentary maneuvering in the 84th NCAA Convention produced a modification Monday of the controversial Proposition 42 that delegates adopted a year ago. Thus, "partial qualifiers" under Proposition 48, the freshman eligibility rule, can get need-based scholarship aid their freshman year as long as the same aid is available to non-athletes.

Before Monday, Proposition 42 would have denied any kind of aid to partial qualifiers. Black coaches and educators, who failed in moves to either delay Proposition 42 or abolish it, accepted the half-victory. But they and the many white educators who sided with them agreed the struggle will continue at the 1991 convention.

"I think we'll see an attempt

next year to do the same thing again, or some variation," said Fort. "I don't think the fight ... has been totally ended with what happened today."

By a 192-133 vote, Division I schools decided that "partial qualifiers" under Proposition 48 can have the need-based aid while still not playing or practicing their freshman year. And they would have only three years of eligibility.

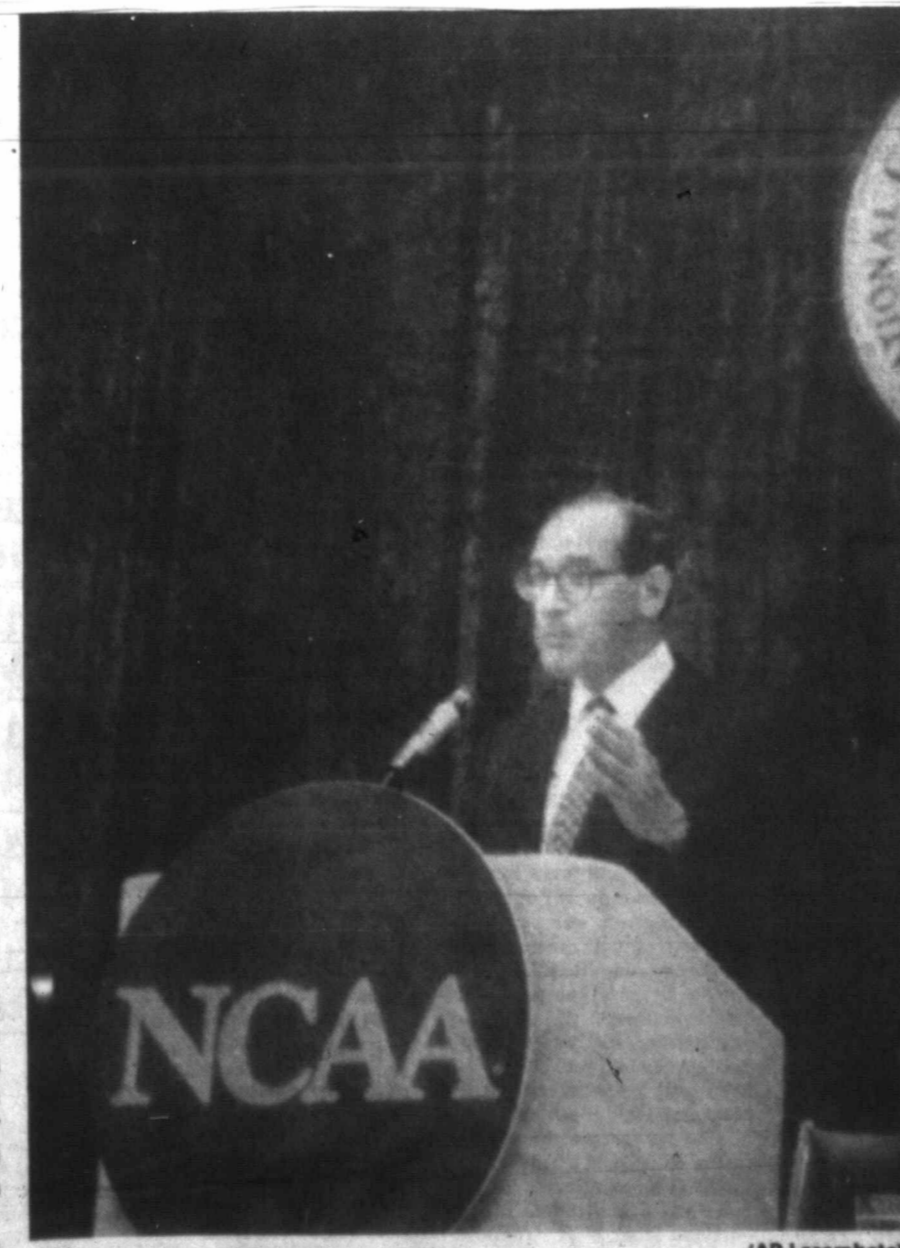
Prior to 42, partial qualifiers could receive full athletic scholarships while sitting out.

Most Proposition 48 casualties are black, and the heart of the issue are minimum scores required on the ACT and SAT tests. Numerous studies, as well as hard data, indicate the tests are racially and culturally biased.

"I will continue to fight Proposition 42 because I think it's wrong morally," Fort said.

Earlier Monday, delegates voted down a proposal to restore to 30 the number of football scholarships upper division schools can give each year. The current cap of 25 per year and 95 overall puts schools whose numbers are depleted in a tough spot, they argued without success.

More than 2,000 delegates from all three divisions met together today in what they hoped would wrap up the convention.



Thomas Hearn, president of Wake Forest University, talks during a debate over freshman eligibility.

Schembechler named new Tigers' president

DETROIT (AP) — Bo Schembechler, who earned fame as the hot-tempered football coach at Michigan, now will devote his organizational skills to baseball.

The 60-year-old Schembechler, who finished with the fifth-best Division I-A college coaching record in history (234-65-8), was

named today by Detroit Tigers owner Tom Monaghan as club president.

Schembechler, who wrapped up a 27-year football coaching career in Michigan's 17-10 loss in the Rose Bowl last week, will resign as Michigan's athletic director and succeed the retiring Jim Campbell as chief executive officer of the Tigers.

As Michigan coach and athletic director, Schembechler was in charge of an \$18-million budget, nearly \$8 million of which was produced by football. He also raised nearly \$12 million for a nearly completed football building to be called the Center of Champions.

It was those organizational skills that made Schembechler attractive to the Tigers.

"The business aspects of running a major-league ballclub can't be too much different than what I was doing as athletic director at Michigan," Schembechler said at a news conference also attended by Monaghan and Campbell.

Schembechler becomes the 12th president of the Tigers since the franchise entered the American League as a charter member in 1901.

Campbell will become chairman of the board, replacing John E. Fetzer, who will become chairman emeritus.



Bo Schembechler

Scoreboard

Basketball

AP Schoolboy Pool

LUBBOCK (AP) — Here is the first weekly high school basketball pool of the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches, compiled by the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal:

BOYS

CLASS 5A

- San Antonio Lee 21-0
- San Antonio 19-3
- Houston North Shore 20-2
- Clear Lake 15-4
- Dallas Samuel 21-2
- Austin LBJ 17-2
- Fort Worth Southwest 15-4
- Fort Worth Dunbar 20-1
- Plainview 17-2
- Dallas Kimball 19-2

CLASS 4A

- Port Arthur Lincoln 14-5
- Burkburnett 19-0
- Highland Park 12-7
- Brownwood 18-2
- AAM Consolidated 13-7
- Pampa 14-4
- Fresport Brazosport 15-1
- Waco Midway 18-4
- Longview Pine Tree 14-4
- Saginaw 16-5

CLASS 3A

- Navasota 17-0
- Slaton 15-3
- Lamesa 16-2
- Hearne 17-3
- Brownfield 14-4
- Hardin-Jefferson 16-4
- Brookshire Royal 14-1
- Bowie 14-4
- Graham 17-1
- Dimmitt 17-5

CLASS 2A

- Farwell 15-1
- Troup 17-1
- Ingram Moore 14-3
- Edgewood 14-3
- Abernathy 14-4
- Tom Bean 17-3
- Grapevine 16-5
- Haskell 17-1
- Krum 16-4
- Kilham Spring 17-3

CLASS 1A

- Laneville 18-0
- Slaton 15-3
- Pedcuch 17-3
- Vega 13-0
- Moulton 17-3
- Oakwood 15-2
- Vanhook 13-0
- Hennetta May 18-3
- Ivanhoe Rayburn 16-3
- Bronie 16-0

GIRLS

CLASS 5A

- Duncanville 21-0
- Plano 22-0
- Aliel Elak 22-1
- Longview 19-2
- Lewisville 19-3
- Lubbock Monterey 19-1
- Hennetta Marshall 20-2
- Victoria Stroman 19-4
- Jersey Village 20-2
- Euless Trinity 18-5

CLASS 4A

- Calallen 23-1
- Waco Midway 20-3
- Amarillo Randall 18-2
- Levelland 14-4
- West Orange-Stark 18-4
- Buda Hays 20-1
- Wimber-Hutchins 18-5
- Stephenville 17-4
- Granbury 14-4
- AAM Consolidated 18-4

CLASS 3A

- Ablene Wiley 17-1
- Canton 15-4
- Spring Hill 19-1
- Canyon 16-4
- Groesbeck 19-3
- Tulia 15-4
- Slaton 15-5
- Frisco 15-3
- Dimmitt 16-5
- Liberty Hill 16-2

CLASS 2A

- Marion 21-1
- Abernathy 14-7
- Honey Grove 19-1
- Palmer 15-4
- Bloomington 16-4
- Wall 16-2
- Tatum 14-3
- McGregor 16-2
- Leon 17-2
- Rogers 18-3

CLASS 1A

- Nazareth 15-3
- La Poyner 23-0
- Channing 17-1
- Moulton 17-3
- Lingleville 19-0
- Happy 15-4
- Zavala 18-4
- Neches 18-2
- Meadow 17-2
- Leonard 17-2

High School and Middle School Scores

BOYS

Sophomores

- Pampa 86, Tascosa 80 OT**
 Pampa 9 31 55 74 86
 Tascosa 21 37 55 74 80
 Leading scorers: Pampa — Dwight Nickleberry 33, Craig Kirkhoff 12, Chris Poig 12.
 Record: Pampa 6-2.

Freshmen

- Pampa 67, Canyon 46**
 Pampa 21 29 43 67
 Canyon 9 22 38 66
 P — Dwight Nickleberry 23, Lamont Nickleberry 17.
 Record: Pampa 10-0.
 Schedule: Monday, Jan. 15, Hereford at Pampa.

Eighth Grade

- Pampa Red 44, Canyon 26**
 Pampa 15 24 35 44
 Canyon 9 14 20 26
 P — Justin Collingsworth 11, Shelby Landers and Tony Cavaller 6.
 Record: Pampa 9-1.

Canyon 33, Pampa Blue 31 OT

- Canyon 4 8 22 29 31
 Canyon 12 13 18 29 33
 P — Carl Wine 12, Andy Sutton 6.
 Record: Pampa 7-2.

Seventh Grade

- Pampa Red 25, Canyon 22**
 Pampa 7 13 19 25
 Canyon 2 5 12 22
 P — Jeremy King 8.
 Record: Pampa 9-0.

Pampa Blue 39, Canyon 30

- P — Hank Gindorf 12, Duane Nickleberry 11.
 Record: Pampa 8-1.
 Schedule: All four boys middle school teams host Hereford next Monday, Jan. 15.

GIRLS

Freshmen

- Canyon 59, Pampa 50**
 Pampa 10 27 36 50
 Canyon 14 29 40 50
 P — Alana Ryan 27, Kasey Bowers 17.
 Record: Pampa 5-4.
 Schedule: Pampa at Hereford, Monday, Jan. 15.

Eighth Grade

- Canyon 43, Pampa Red 13**
 Pampa 2 7 9 13
 Canyon 12 29 31 43
 P — Julie Mackick 7.

Public Notice

NOTICE OF SALE STATE OF TEXAS GRAY COUNTY BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE DATED JANUARY 4, 1989

and issued pursuant to judgment decree(s) of the District Court of Gray County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date, in the hereinafter numbered and styled suits and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on January 4, 1990, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in February, 1990, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the East Door, of the Courthouse of said County, in the City of Pampa, Texas, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suits and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Gray and the State of Texas, to-wit:

#543 City of Pampa vs. Smith, Paul, Lot 1, Block 46, Talley Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 275, Page 498, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30730046001) (313 Davis)

#836 City of Pampa vs. Faggins, Katherine, Lot 5, Block 5, Prairie Village Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 394, Page 305, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30595005005) (1068 Vamon Dr)

#838 City of Pampa vs. Lemons, Alton F. & Helen, Lots 43, 44, 45 and 46, Block 20, Wilcox Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 306, Page 527, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30795020043) (905, 7, 9, 11 Denver St.)

#863 City of Pampa vs. Thomas, Gladys Leona, Lots 8 and 9, Block 4, Talley Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 432, Page 141, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-3073004008) (Roberta St.)

#892 City of Pampa vs. Duke, Raymond L. Lot 22, Block 2, Hindman Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 439, Page 650, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30370002022) (Elm St.)

#897 City of Pampa vs. Grays, Alice, Tract 1 Lot 1, Block 2, Caldwell Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 459, Page 24, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030105002001) (Octavius St.)

#897 City of Pampa vs. Grays, Alice, Tract 1 Lot 1, Block 2, Caldwell Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 459, Page 24, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030105002002) (Octavius St.)

#912 City of Pampa vs. Leal, Servando, Tract 1 Lot 14, Block 1, Rouston Subdivision, A Subdivision of Part of Plot 87 of the Suburbs of Pampa, being more particularly described in Volume 409, Page 604, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30615001014) (1044 S. Clark) Tract 2 Lot 15, Block 1, Rouston Subdivision, A Subdivision of Part of Plot 87 of the Suburbs of Pampa, being more particularly described in Volume 409, Page 604, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30615001015) (S. Clark)

#947 City of Pampa, Pampa Independent School District and Gray County vs. Coffman, Chris, et al Tract 1 Lot 12, Block 14, Cook Adams Heights Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 488, Page 505, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030165014012) (1345 Duncan) Tract 2 Lot 5, Block 3, Carr-Terrace Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 492, Page 756, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030120003005) (1317 Starkweather) Tract 3 Lot 1, Block 5, Dean Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 504, Page 44, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030205005001) (400 Louisiana Ave.)

#1087 City of Pampa vs. Scott, Marshall, Lot 3, Block 2, Wilcox Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 32, Page 271, Deed Records; SAVE & EXCEPT the North 20 feet thereof conveyed in Volume 59, Page 333, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30795020003) (704 E. Frederic)

#1465 Pampa Independent School District, City of Pampa and Gray County vs. Jackie D. Graham, et al The Northeasterly 1/2 by 92 Feet of the West 1/2 of Lot A of Plot 65, Suburbs of Pampa, as described in Volume 381, Page 45, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #1103072-0065-0104) (112 E. Tuke)

#1472 Pampa Independent School District, City of Pampa and Gray County vs. Cleavis L. Reed, et al The South 120 feet of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 4, Wilcox Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 452, Page 168, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030795004801) (800-804 E. Frederic)

#1473 Pampa Independent School District, City of Pampa and Gray County vs. Jozel Noman, et al Tract 1 Lots 10 and 11, Block 27, Talley Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 447, Page 237, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #1103073002701) (530 N. Perry) Tract 2 Lot 12, Block 27, Talley Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 360, Page 57, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030730027012) (522 Perry)

#1477 City of Pampa, Pampa Independent School District and Gray County vs. D. Edmiston, et al Tract 1 Lots 12 and 13, Block 1, Dooley Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 74, Page 416, Deed Records; SAVE & EXCEPT the West 8 feet of Lots 12 and 13, conveyed to the State of Texas in Volume 372, Page 79, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30215001012) (S. Cuyler) Tract 2 Lot 14, Block 1, Dooley Addition, City of Pampa, SAVE & EXCEPT the West 10 feet thereof previously conveyed to the State of Texas, as described in Volume 395, Page 281, Deed records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30215001014) (Cuyler) Tract 3 Lot 15, Block 1, Dooley Addition, City of Pampa, SAVE & EXCEPT the West 10 feet thereof previously conveyed to the State of Texas, as described in Volume 395, Page 281, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030215001015) (831 S. Cuyler) Tract 4 605.5 feet by 150 feet, being a part of the Easterly 1/2 of Plot 179, Suburbs of Pampa, in the East 1/2 of the North 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 103, Block 3, I&GNRY Co. Survey, as described in Volume 381, Page 334, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-3072017917) (500 Block West Wilks)

#1488 City of Pampa and Pampa Independent School District vs. Claudine L. Bradley, et al Tract 1 Lot 32, 33 and 34, Block 2, Central Addition to the City of Pampa, being more particularly described in Volume 511, Page 308, SAVE & EXCEPT, that part of Lot 32, described in Volume 77, Page 233, and that part of Lot 33, described in Volume 195, Page 627, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30130002032) (866 W. Foster) Tract 2 Lot 8, Block 1, Country Club Addition to the City of Pampa, being more particularly described in Volume 511, Page 303, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30180001008) (729 N. Hobart) Tract 3 Lot 9, Block 1, Country Club Addition to the City of Pampa, being more particularly described in Volume 511, Page 303, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030180001009) (733 N. Hobart) Tract 4 2.0 acres, more or less, Suburbs 158, as described in Volume 519, Page 299, Deed Records, Gray County Texas (Acct. #11150025158506) (Price Rd. & McCullough) Tract 5 South 30 feet of the East 104.8 feet of Lot 8 and the North 30 feet of East 104.8 feet of Lot 9 Block 25 Fraser Addition, City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030265025008) (1708 N. Hobart)

(Any volume and page references, unless otherwise indicated, being to the Deed Records, Gray County, Texas, to which instruments reference may be made for a more complete description of each respective tract.) upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion of the property described above should be sold hereafter to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, and costs; any property sold should be subject to the right of redemption of the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date the purchaser's deed is filed for record in the manner provided by law, and shall be subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgments rendered in the above styled and numbered causes, together with interest, penalties, and costs of suit and the proceeds of said sales to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs. Dated at Pampa, Texas, January 4, 1990.

Jimmy Free Sheriff, Gray County, Texas
 Sue Matthew Deputy

A-6 Jan. 9, 16, 23, 1990

Public Notice

NOTICE TO BIDDER

Sealed proposals for the Pampa High School Fieldhouse Heating and Ventilation System Renovation for Pampa Independent School District, Pampa, Texas, will be received in the School Administration Office, 321 West Albert Street, Pampa, Texas 79065, until 4:00 P.M., Tuesday, January 23, 1990, and then publicly opened and read aloud. Bids will be received for the Mechanical and Electrical Work. The owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive all formalities. Plans and Specifications may be obtained from BGR Architects-Engineers, 2118 - 34th Street, Lubbock, Texas 79411, for a deposit of \$25.00 per set. A-2 Jan. 2, 9, 1990

Public Notice

Reed, et al The South 120 feet of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 4, Wilcox Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 452, Page 168, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030795004801) (800-804 E. Frederic)

#1473 Pampa Independent School District, City of Pampa and Gray County vs. Jozel Noman, et al Tract 1 Lots 10 and 11, Block 27, Talley Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 447, Page 237, Deeds Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #1103073002701) (530 N. Perry) Tract 2 Lot 12, Block 27, Talley Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 360, Page 57, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030730027012) (522 Perry)

#1477 City of Pampa, Pampa Independent School District and Gray County vs. D. Edmiston, et al Tract 1 Lots 12 and 13, Block 1, Dooley Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 74, Page 416, Deed Records; SAVE & EXCEPT the West 8 feet of Lots 12 and 13, conveyed to the State of Texas in Volume 372, Page 79, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30215001012) (S. Cuyler) Tract 2 Lot 14, Block 1, Dooley Addition, City of Pampa, SAVE & EXCEPT the West 10 feet thereof previously conveyed to the State of Texas, as described in Volume 395, Page 281, Deed records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30215001014) (Cuyler) Tract 3 Lot 15, Block 1, Dooley Addition, City of Pampa, SAVE & EXCEPT the West 10 feet thereof previously conveyed to the State of Texas, as described in Volume 395, Page 281, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030215001015) (831 S. Cuyler) Tract 4 605.5 feet by 150 feet, being a part of the Easterly 1/2 of Plot 179, Suburbs of Pampa, in the East 1/2 of the North 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 103, Block 3, I&GNRY Co. Survey, as described in Volume 381, Page 334, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-3072017917) (500 Block West Wilks)

#1488 City of Pampa and Pampa Independent School District vs. Claudine L. Bradley, et al Tract 1 Lot 32, 33 and 34, Block 2, Central Addition to the City of Pampa, being more particularly described in Volume 511, Page 308, SAVE & EXCEPT, that part of Lot 32, described in Volume 77, Page 233, and that part of Lot 33, described in Volume 195, Page 627, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30130002032) (866 W. Foster) Tract 2 Lot 8, Block 1, Country Club Addition to the City of Pampa, being more particularly described in Volume 511, Page 303, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11-10-30180001008) (729 N. Hobart) Tract 3 Lot 9, Block 1, Country Club Addition to the City of Pampa, being more particularly described in Volume 511, Page 303, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030180001009) (733 N. Hobart) Tract 4 2.0 acres, more or less, Suburbs 158, as described in Volume 519, Page 299, Deed Records, Gray County Texas (Acct. #11150025158506) (Price Rd. & McCullough) Tract 5 South 30 feet of the East 104.8 feet of Lot 8 and the North 30 feet of East 104.8 feet of Lot 9 Block 25 Fraser Addition, City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas (Acct. #11030265025008) (1708 N. Hobart)

(Any volume and page references, unless otherwise indicated, being to the Deed Records, Gray County, Texas, to which instruments reference may be made for a more complete description of each respective tract.) upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion of the property described above should be sold hereafter to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties, and costs; any property sold should be subject to the right of redemption of the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date the purchaser's deed is filed for record in the manner provided by law, and shall be subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgments rendered in the above styled and numbered causes, together with interest, penalties, and costs of suit and the proceeds of said sales to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs. Dated at Pampa, Texas, January 4, 1990.

Jimmy Free Sheriff, Gray County, Texas
 Sue Matthew Deputy

A-6 Jan. 9, 16, 23, 1990

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