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# County endorses joint drug program with city

By BETH MILLER  
Staff Writer

Gray County Commissioners' Court on Monday enthusiastically endorsed an effort by the city of Pampa to receive a five-year grant for a comprehensive drug program.

The county would participate in the program through an estimated \$10,000 a year, and Sheriff Jim Free would provide one person as a dog handler for the program.

Free and Pampa Police Chief Jim Laramore were at the Commissioners' Court meeting to explain the proposed program to the group.

The Pampa City Commission has discussed the grant application at two work sessions and is scheduled to vote on the matter at next Tuesday's meeting.

The grant application to the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission is due April 13, Laramore said.

Laramore explained that the program would be two-fold - to educate the public about drugs and to control the drug

problem. Two drug dogs would be used in the program.

The drug program also includes rental of vehicles and rental of buildings. Laramore explained that the drug dealers know police vehicles and their license plate numbers. For undercover operations to be successful, he said, vehicles that are not recognized as being those of police officers need to be used.

He also said the changing of offices throughout the county is necessary because "people don't want to come see the cops" to give them information about drug operations.

The grant the city is seeking would be for an estimated \$137,200. City funding would provide an additional \$57,908. The county would also contribute about \$50,000 during the five-year period.

Private funding, through civic organizations, is also being sought, Laramore said.

Sheriff Free said the proceeds from any seizures of vehicles, residences or money would be divided between the groups involved in the bust, along with the district attorney.

The drug dog program would be included at all Gray County schools, Laramore said.

"The cities of Gray County need to be exposed to this as well as Pampa," Laramore said.

Gray County and the city of Pampa are both members of the Panhandle Regional Narcotics Drug Task Force. However, Free said the task force has done little to help control the drug situation in Gray County and is about to ask the county for more funding.

"Until we get someone over here for a while to work this, we aren't going to see any improvement," Free said.

The task force funding has been cut and the group is currently allowed to work cases only in the Amarillo vicinity, Free said, explaining the need for a local drug program.

"We all know there's a major drug problem," Free said.

Precinct 3 Commissioner Gerald Wright asked the sheriff how much of a difference he thought a program such as the one proposed would make in the county.

"I think it would make a big difference. Neither the

chief nor I have someone we can put full-time on this. We need someone full-time to make it work," the sheriff responded.

"Right now our noses don't sniff too good when we go into these houses. The dogs can."

Laramore also said an advisory board would be set up if the grant is approved.

"If you feel this would be a benefit to slow this drug business down, I'd be in favor of it," Wright said.

"We know who's out there. It's just having the manpower to sit out there and watch. They're going to mess up," Free said.

If the PRPC grant is approved, Oct. 1 would be the start-up date of the program, Laramore said.

Judge Carl Kennedy said, "I would urge the city and county to proceed with the plan even if we don't get the grant. Don't let that slow you down."

The Commissioners' Court unanimously voted on a motion by Precinct 1 Commissioner Joe Wheeley, seconded by Wright, to authorize Sheriff Free to represent the county in proceeding with the grant application.

## Coronado Hospital reaches agreement to provide care for some state prisoners

By BEAR MILLS  
Staff Writer

Coronado Hospital has reached an agreement with the Texas Department of Criminal Justice to provide care for some prisoners housed in Amarillo's new maximum security prison.

Norman Knox, hospital administrator, said the role of Coronado Hospital will be to provide general acute care, while Northwest Texas Hospital and High Plains Baptist Hospital, both in Amarillo, will furnish emergency and surgical care.

"Our hospital's role will be to treat patients who have illnesses, such as pneumonia, and other medical or surgical procedures that we are equipped to provide," Knox said.

He said that Pampa's quest for a state prison may be aided by this cooperative agreement, which makes the city a partner in the TDCJ system.

Knox said the number of prisoners involved will be so small it will not have a direct economic effect on the city or hospital.

Reimbursement for treatment will be rendered much the same as Medicare is, said Linda Haynes, public relations director for the

hospital.

"Since Pampa was one of the serious contenders for a prison during the last selection process, we felt that caring for Amarillo's prisoners could enhance Pampa's chances to be selected as prison site when the four new prisons are placed," Knox said.

Jim Morris, president of the Pampa Area Chamber of Commerce, said, "I feel like this might be helpful. It shows our community is cooperating with the Texas Department of Corrections. I appreciate the hospital helping them out."

Morris said it is still uncertain if the move will help Pampa get one of four new prisons that could be allotted within the next month, if Gov. Bill Clements allows the issue during the current special legislative session.

Knox said that while not every physician working with Coronado Hospital had agreed to go on rotation to treat prisoners, the majority believe they are having a direct impact on Pampa's future industrial development.

He said hospital trustees and the Medical Executive Committee agreed to the venture, on a six-month trial basis, during a special

session Monday.

Stating that hospital security will not be a problem, Knox said, "We have cared for prisoners from both the county jail and city jail for years. However, we will remodel two or three rooms by adding locks on the doors and added security on the windows and the ceilings, to accommodate the prisoners from Amarillo."

He explained that TDCJ guards will be with the prisoners 24-hours a day and that "they will never be anywhere in the hospital without a guard."

"A special admission process will be designed for the prisoners so that they will enter through certain areas of the hospital and be taken straight to their rooms on arrival at the hospital," Knox said.

He commented that caring for county and city prisoners in the past has been so discreet that hospital visitors and patients were not aware of it, and that prison inmate care will be just as low key.

"Two hospitals in Amarillo will also accommodate prison patients, so we don't feel that this will have a negative influence on our patients," Knox said.

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## County commissioners considering location for Corrections Department

By BETH MILLER  
Staff Writer

The fate of where the Community Supervision and Corrections Department will be placed rests with the Gray County Commissioners' Court, County Judge Carl Kennedy said Monday.

And that fate will likely be decided at the next meeting of the commissioners on April 16.

Community Supervision and Corrections Department, formerly known as the probation office, is currently located at 216-218 Russell St. and will have to be vacated for demolition. County-owned property on Russell/Francis streets will be the site of the new county jail and sheriff's office, with construction scheduled to begin this year.

Kennedy told commissioners at the Monday meeting several options were available on where to put the probation department.

However, Jeane Roper, director of the Community Supervision and Corrections Department, told commissioners she wanted her offices to be placed in the new jail facility.

The jail facility drawings include about 1,700 square feet of "lease" space on the first level. Roper said that space would meet her needs.

"Our preference is to be in the new facility," Roper said.

Kennedy said the options available on where to place the probation department include:

- Renovating the south end of the fourth floor of the county courthouse temporarily until the new jail facility opens.

- Renovating the south end of the fourth floor of the county courthouse permanently for locating the probation department.

- Leasing office space in Pampa until the new jail facility opens.

"This is a major decision that needs to be made by this Court," Kennedy said. "We know we have to move them out of this building."

Precinct 1 Commissioner Joe Wheeley said he was concerned that if the probation department is placed in the new jail facility, there might not be room to accommodate expansion of the department in future years.

In unrelated business Monday, the Commissioners' Court agreed to advertise for taking applications for the unexpired Precinct 2 Constable's position.

Kennedy said H.H. Kieth turned in his resignation on March 21, with the effective date on April 30. Kieth is resigning the four-year position due to health problems.

The appointed person would fill the office until the end of this year, Kennedy said.

Anyone who wants to run for the Precinct 2 Constable position can See COUNTY, Page 2



(Staff photo by Beth Miller)

**Jeane Roper, Gray County adult probation officer, discusses needs for her department with the county commissioners Monday.**



(Staff photo by Bear Mills)

**Mayor Richard Peet, right, and City Manager Glen Hackler talk with members of the Hispanic community in Pampa Monday night.**

## Peet and Hackler discuss concerns with Hispanic community residents

By BEAR MILLS  
Staff Writer

They came, they listened, they learned.

Pampa Mayor Richard Peet and City Manager Glen Hackler met with more than 30 representatives of the local Hispanic community Monday night during an English Second Language (ESL) class at Baker Elementary School.

Members of the class requested the meeting, through a teacher, to address concerns for better streets, as well as a Spanish language cable television channel.

Salvador Del Fierro, who teaches Spanish at Clarendon College-Pampa Center and writes for the regional newspaper *El Mensajero*, said it is important that Hispanics know their voice will be heard in the city.

"I think this will not be the last time for this," Fierro said. "This time there were only a few people, but next time there will be more."

He and Eunice Moreno, community liaison for the Pampa Independent School District, concurred with Hacker and Peet that the meeting was a successful first step in involving minorities in community affairs.

Moreno spent a portion of the evening translating for non-English speaking members of the audience. She also helped phrase questions regarding how leaders are elected in the city and how to get better streets on the south side.

Peet and Hackler explained that the city does not build streets, but only maintains them. They said the city did not apply for federal grants for street building on the south side during the 1970s when they were available.

Several audience members asked why the city could not at least grade the dirt streets to lessen damage to vehicles from large potholes.

Hackler said he would address the issue with city staff today. He also promised to discuss the lack of communication between non-English speakers and police that several citizens said had led to arrests in the past.

"They don't know how to say what they want to say and they sometimes go to jail," one man complained.

Hackler said low officer pay had contributed to some bi-lingual officers leaving the force. However, he and Peet promised to deal with the issue in the near future.

Peet used a blackboard and his expertise as a high school government teacher to conduct a brief civics lesson on the importance of voting, filling out census forms and making one's voice heard in politics.

"We are here to serve all the people," Peet said several times, "and that means you. We are here to serve you."

He said it is only through learning to speak English, becoming a citizen and taking part in the political process that Hispanics can make their influence felt.

Cindy Ackerman, the ESL teacher who organized the meeting, said the students felt frustration over not being involved in the political and civic process, but did not know how to start.

She applauded Hackler and Peet for being willing to listen to minority concerns.

Peet said after the meeting he believed it was important the city commission begin to hold its meet-

ings away from City Hall at least some of the time, and in the various wards of the city.

Both he and Peet encouraged Hispanic community members to urge their friends to speak out on issues of concern.

"I thought this was great," he said. "And we're going to get on these things. Some of the issues brought up, I have to just say, 'I wasn't here when that was decided on.' But, when something is brought to my attention, I will deal with it."

He said such was the case with grading dirt streets and pushing even harder for a new franchise with Sammons Communications to include a Spanish channel.

Hackler said it would be more than a year before such a channel could be realized because it would be part of a new, \$2 million-plus cable system in Pampa.

Peet told Hispanics that the more they, or any other minority, get involved in the electoral process, the more their voice will be heard in the city.

Community members also asked the city for a soccer field in a south-side park, since *futbol* is the primary game of the Spanish culture.

After the meeting, both sides were in agreement that an invisible, long-standing wall that had run through the city for years and separated Hispanics from the rest of Pampa had begun to crumble just a bit.

Both groups promised to take a more active roll in tearing it down and making Hispanics an integral part of community decision making.

Spanish community leaders said it was the first time such a meeting had ever been held in Pampa and commended Peet and Hackler for allowing it to happen.

## Parent Academy continues at middle school tonight

Parent Academy, a free enrichment series for community members, is scheduled to continue this evening with a 7 p.m. session for parents of Pampa Middle School students at that campus.

Speaker for the session will be Jerry Kunkel of the Northwest Conference of the United Methodist Church, speaking on the theme, "You and Your b'Tween Ager."

Following that session, parents will have the opportunity to join one of three break-out sessions from 8 to 8:45 p.m.

They include Active Parenting, led by Jerry Lane; 12 Steps to Preparing Your Child to Resist Drugs and Alcohol, led by Cynthia Schiebel-Knox; and Back in Control - A Loving Approach to Discipline.

From 8:50 to 9:30 p.m. sessions will be led by

Kunkel, Cpl. Dave Wilkinson of the Pampa Police Department, Oneal Westbrook, middle school principal, and Sally Griffith of the Pampa school district. They will include helping children resist sexual temptations, positive parenting tips and an overview on drug abuse in Pampa.

Sessions scheduled for Thursday night are geared toward parents of high school students and will be led by Dr. Lynne Thibodeaux, a youth specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

She will speak on building closeness and trust between parents and teen-agers.

A special break-out will address helping parents assist their children in finding a college and securing financial aide, in addition to those previously listed.



# Union puts some blame for strike violence on Greyhound officials

By JOHN A. BOLT  
AP Business Writer

DALLAS (AP) — The head of the union representing Greyhound bus drivers has suggested the company's refusal to resume negotiations is partly to blame for continuing violence in the 32-day-old strike.

"Reaching an agreement through bargaining would leave the 'crazies' without any incentive to violence," said Edward Strait in a letter to Greyhound executive vice president P. Anthony Lannie.

Talks between the Amalgamated Council of Greyhound Local Unions and Greyhound Lines Inc. were to resume Monday.

But the company said last week it would not participate because of continued violence in the walkout of 6,300 drivers and some 3,000 office and maintenance workers.

After a bus driver was shot during the weekend, Chairman Fred G. Currey said Greyhound would not negotiate until there had been seven straight days with no violence.

Currently, talks are set to resume April 9 in Tucson,

Ariz., Lannie said Monday, but will be canceled again if violence erupts.

Since the walkout began March 2, Greyhound says there have been 29 shooting incidents, including 24 in which buses were the target, three involving terminals and two against vans transporting drivers. There also have been more than 70 bomb threats and more than a hundred other incidents including burning of vacant buses and attacks on employees.

The union says there have been more than 60 incidents of violence against its pickets.

In the letter to Lannie Monday, Strait said the company was using violence as a pretense for calling off the talks and suggested the company could stop the attacks by negotiating.

"The alleged violence you refer to (in calling off talks) has nothing to do with the scheduled meetings," Strait said.

He complained that Greyhound never made cessation of violence a condition of negotiations and "common courtesy would have compelled you to so advise us if Greyhound's attendance was to be conditional in any way."

Strait said the union does not encourage or condone the violence, but added, "We have no control over, and cannot be responsible for, incidents involving unknown persons who easily could be mentally disturbed or anti-union individuals who are attempting to make the union appear responsible."

"The assertion that somehow the company is responsible for this violence ... is total nonsense," Lannie said, noting that the vice president of the union has been arrested, along with a shop steward in Alabama.

The latest attack came in Tennessee, where David Bryant, driving a Greyhound route for another company, was wounded in the left arm when a pickup truck pulled alongside his bus late Saturday night en route from Nashville to Louisville, Ky.

Doctors have said the wounds could cost Bryant his arm.

Responding to union allegations of bad-faith bargaining, Lannie said, "We bargained in too good a faith ... in that we didn't do what the old company used to do."

Dallas-based Greyhound was formed in the 1987 buyout of the bus operations of Greyhound Corp., a

Phoenix-based consumer products and financial services company.

When negotiations began Nov. 2, Lannie said the company presented its best offer, whereas past negotiations have begun with both management and labor far apart, but knowingly leaving negotiating gaps.

"Every time they moved a nickel down, we're supposed to move a nickel up," Lannie said. "They're still living in the past."

Greyhound has said it can afford no more than its current \$63 million, three-year pact. The union values its latest offer at \$40 million, but the company said it actually would cost \$180 million.

Greyhound has been operating on a reduced schedule since the strike, with its latest service expansion on Sunday putting it at more than 54 percent of pre-strike miles.

As of Monday, the company said it had 1,519 permanent replacements behind the wheel plus another 480 union members who defied the picket lines.

Lannie said the company anticipates having 3,200 drivers at work by Easter, the busiest travel period during the first quarter.

## Supreme Court upholds delay of execution date in California

By JENNIFER McNULTY  
Associated Press Writer

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Robert Alton Harris came within 12 hours of the gas chamber but said only "Oh, thanks" after the U.S. Supreme Court refused to allow California's first execution in 23 years, a prison spokesman says.

The court Monday voted 6-3 against lifting a stay of execution issued by a federal judge last week. The ruling sent the double murderer's case back to the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, where it is expected to remain for months.

"His reaction was very calm," San Quentin Prison spokesman Lt. Cal White said Monday. "He just said 'Oh, thanks,' and remained very calm."

Family visiting him jumped up and embraced him, some even cried," White added. "But he remained very calm throughout the whole thing."

Harris, 37, was sentenced to die for the 1978 kidnap and murder of two 16-year-olds whose car he stole to use in a \$3,000 bank robbery. He would have been the first person put to death in California since 1967, and death-penalty opponents had feared his execution would open the floodgates on capital punishment.

The ruling pleased opponents of the death penalty and frustrated prosecutors and relatives of Harris' victims.

Kathryn Maesky Sanders, the mother of victim John Mayeski, said: "We see how the justice system works. The execution should have happened 11 years ago."

"Everybody protects the criminals, but what about us?" asked Linda Herring of Escondido, Calif.,

sister of victim Michael Baker.

Harris was to have died at 3 a.m. today, but federal appeals Judge John Noonan halted the execution on Friday, citing arguments that Harris did not get adequate psychiatric help at his trial. Harris claims to have mental disorders stemming from childhood abuse.

Prosecutors immediately asked the Supreme Court to lift the stay of execution, arguing that Harris had the help of two distinguished psychiatrists.

On Monday, Attorney General John Van de Kamp said he would ask the 9th Circuit for an expedited hearing. Inside the prison, Harris was to be moved back today to his death row cell from the special one where he'd been held.

Gov. George Deukmejian, who as a state senator wrote the death penalty law, lashed out at an "incompetent federal judicial system."

But death penalty opponents, who had planned a vigil outside the prison gates to protest the execution, turned the event into a celebration. About 300 people smiled as they referred to the court's decision to spare "Bobby."

Vigil leader Stephen Souza, who spent 33 nights outside the prison to protest capital punishment, called the court's decision "a small victory in the struggle for human rights and abolition of the death penalty."

"I feel for the families of John Mayeski and Michael Baker," he said. "I know they are hurting, but if we were to execute Robert Harris, it would do nothing to bring them back."

Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist and Justices Antonin Scalia and Anthony M. Kennedy voted to let Harris die.



(AP Laserphoto)

Six Flags Over Texas' 'Texas Giant' rollercoaster, which opened recently, is the subject of dispute between the Texas amusement park and one in Pennsylvania over which rollercoaster is the tallest.

## \$65 million increase in budget won't stop lawsuit against DHS

By SUSAN HIGHTOWER  
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Department of Human Services' move to raise reimbursements to nursing homes by \$65 million — despite the agency's own \$550 million deficit — won't stop a lawsuit, say nursing home representatives.

The Texas Health Care Association and the Texas Association of Homes for the Aging filed suit in U.S. District Court last Thursday. The nursing home groups allege that the DHS has failed to adequately pay them for caring for Medicaid patients.

Sarah Speights, public information officer of the Texas Health Care Association, said Monday that the \$65 million increase in reimbursements for Medicaid patients will pay for some federal mandates, including a minimum wage increase that took effect April 1.

But, she said, it will not provide quality care for the 61,000 patients — 70 percent of all nursing home residents — who depend on Medicaid.

The approved increase of \$3 a day leaves the homes \$4 to \$5 short each day for each patient, she said. "This \$3 will keep some nursing homes from having to close their doors or move their Medicaid patients out. But it's still not enough to provide adequate care," she said. "All we're trying to do is provide the level of care the public demands."

The reimbursement increase reversed a freeze enacted by the DHS board two weeks ago as an emergency budget-cutting measure. Welfare officials originally estimated the agency's two-year shortfall at \$851 million.

DHS Commissioner Ron Lindsey said the revision is based on

more recent figures showing that fewer pregnant women and children have been applying for aid than was projected earlier.

Lindsey said he has asked lawmakers to resolve the deficit by giving the welfare agency the \$211 million in state funds it needs for 1990 and 1991.

The rest of the \$550 million projected shortfall is made up of federal matching funds that would be lost without state appropriations.

But Lindsey said Gov. Bill Clements only will allow lawmakers to consider shifting the \$32 million the agency needs in state funds this fiscal year from its 1991 budget.

To cover the projected loss of funds for 1991, he said, Clements would require lawmakers to implement a plan to take greater advantage of federal matching funds.

Rossanna Salazar, Clements' press secretary, confirmed that the governor might add such a plan to the call of the fourth special legislative session, which convened Monday.

"If all this were to fall into place, the governor would consider adding this to the call," she said.

Ms. Salazar said Clements would not allow lawmakers to consider using new taxes to make up the state deficit.

## Amusement parks arguing over 'tallest' rollercoaster

ALLENTOWN, Pa. (AP) — A Pennsylvania amusement park is going to great lengths, and heights, to prove it has the tallest wooden roller coaster in the country.

Dorney Park is trying to stop Six Flags Over Texas from claiming that honor and went to federal court to stop the boastful Texans.

"They wouldn't do it voluntarily," Dorney Park attorney Richard Stevens said Monday.

The suit, filed last week in Philadelphia, seeks a preliminary injunction against Six Flags to stop advertisements claiming the Texas Giant coaster is highest — 143 feet, compared with 95 feet for Dorney's Hercules coaster.

Dorney Park's calculations: Hercules 157 feet, Texas Giant 137 feet.

"I can't believe these guys," said Bob Bennett, president and general manager of Six Flags. "It's ridiculous. If you talk to anybody in this business, they measure a ride from the ground to the top of the lift."

Wrong, Stevens said. You measure the length of the drop, not the height of the lift.

"It doesn't make any difference how long it takes to go up, it matters how long it is coming down," Stevens said. "We built our roller coaster over a cliff."

While they wait for an impartial judge to be assigned, there is this diplomatic statement from Randy Geisler, president of the American Coaster Enthusiasts: "It all depends where you stand, literally. As enthusiasts, we're happy that both rides exist."

This dispute is not the height of folly, Dorney says. Six Flags' claim is "reckless, malicious libel," the suit says.

At stake, Dorney says, is valu-

able advertising clout, which is why the Pennsylvania park is asking for \$50,000 in damages and asking for a new ad campaign from Six Flags to correct their alleged mistake.

"When you can say a park in Allentown, Pa., has attributes that are world class, we become very identifiable nationally," said Harris Weinstein, chairman of Dorney Park, which he said spent millions in advertising telling everyone Hercules is highest.

"There's a certain magnetism or certain fraternity of people who ride roller coasters, and if you can say you have the highest or the fastest, it's going to make a difference," said Richard Kinzel, president of Cedar Point Amusement Park in Sandusky, Ohio — home of the tallest roller coaster of any kind, the 201-foot XL-200.

The \$6 million Hercules opened in May 1989. The \$5.5 million Texas Giant opened last month in Arlington.

At issue is how to measure a coaster. "We start measuring at the bottom and go to the top," Stevens said.

Six Flags' Bennett says the parks don't compete for customers and shouldn't compete in court.

"It's never been done, never, never," he said.

Hercules' heroic plunge sends riders over a cliff and into a swooping turn over water, "one of the single most dramatic moments on any roller coaster anywhere," said Geisler, who hasn't ridden the Texas Giant, but has heard praise from those who have.

"The length of our first drop is longer than Texas', as well as the speed is faster than in Texas," Stevens said.

## U.S.-Japanese negotiators report trade talks progress

By MARTIN CRUTSINGER  
AP Economics Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. and Japanese negotiators, who just a month ago were at loggerheads over a variety of contentious trade issues, report good progress is being made toward resolving many of the disputes.

However, U.S. officials insist that true success will come only if the negotiations achieve a reduction in America's huge \$49 billion trade deficit with Japan.

Talks were scheduled to resume today over one of the toughest issues facing the two economic superpowers — an effort to address the broad underlying problems that contribute to the trade deficit.

The Bush administration launched the talks, known as the Structural Impediments Initiative, last July, seeking to force the Japanese to remove barriers that prevent the sale of American products and services in Japan.

The administration is demanding a halt to cozy Japanese business practices that exclude foreign companies, as well as tougher enforcement of laws prohibiting bid-rigging and price-fixing.

The Japanese have focused on deficiencies in the U.S. education system, the huge federal budget deficit and low personal savings rates of Americans as primary culprits that harm U.S. ability to compete internationally.

Both sides are expected to release, perhaps as early as Wednesday, an interim report promising to make reforms. A final report is due in July.

The head of the U.S. delegation, Undersecretary of State Richard T. McCormack, termed the discussions "an historic opportunity" to make sweeping reforms to benefit citizens of both countries.

The administration has argued that opening Japan to more foreign competition would benefit not only Americans, but also would aid the Japanese, who pay some of the highest prices in the world for consumer goods.

Japanese Prime Minister Toshiki

Kaifu called President Bush on Monday to say he was sending two personal emissaries to Washington as leaders of the 64-member Japanese delegation.

The two envoys, former Japanese Ambassador Nobuo Matsunaga and Deputy Foreign Minister Hisashi Owada, met with Secretary of State James A. Baker III while other members of the U.S. and Japanese delegations went over a new set of Japanese proposals.

Senior administration officials told reporters they were impressed with the Japanese proposals, which they said showed more willingness to make concessions than just a month ago.

"The proposals we are discussing are significant and represent a considerable amount of thought and effort on the part of the Japanese," said one administration official, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Japanese Foreign Ministry spokesman Taizo Watanabe told reporters the Japanese initiatives were designed to ward off protectionist pressures in America and to benefit Japan.

"This is not being done for the sake of pleasing others, but to improve the quality of life for Japanese consumers," Watanabe said.

He refused to discuss details of the Japanese package. However, published reports said Japanese negotiators proposed, among other things, making it easier for large American retailers to open stores in Japan.

The Japanese negotiators also reportedly proposed increased penalties for violations of anti-monopoly laws and laid out plans for increased spending on public works projects, two demands of U.S. negotiators.

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## Opinion

### It's time to end refugee nightmare

Great Britain is pressing the Bush administration to kick in up to \$80 million of the taxpayers' money to help handle Vietnamese refugees in Hong Kong, and maybe to build a new refugee camp on Guam. One can understand a certain irritation on the part of the British at the inconsistent position the U.S. government has taken on the issue so far. The United States should counter with a more humane and less expensive proposal.

What has Great Britain irritated is the fact that almost every country in the world — including, notably, the United States — has criticized British refugee policy in Hong Kong. So far, however, no country has done much to help alleviate the problem. And Hong Kong is stuck with the bill.

About 55,000 Vietnamese who have fled the Communist regime in their homeland now languish in refugee camps in Hong Kong. The British policy has been to screen refugees to determine whether they are genuine political refugees, fleeing direct and personal repression, or mere economic refugees, fleeing the mess the Communists have made of Vietnam's economy and seeking a chance to make a decent living. Those determined to be economic refugees are then slated for forced repatriation. About 8,000 have been screened so far, with only 12 percent qualifying as political refugees.

That distinction of refugee types is false and invidious. Vietnam's economy is a shambles because of the nature of the political regime.

The U.S. government has protested the British policy of forced repatriation. But it also maintains the absurd distinction between political and economic refugees, and has made no offer to accept those now held in Hong Kong.

Meanwhile, the cost of maintaining the camps keeps rising. The UN High Commissioner for Refugees has traditionally reimbursed Hong Kong for caring for the boat people, but last year paid only \$8 million of the \$20 million cost. Also under UN auspices, 29 governments agreed to participate in a Comprehensive Plan of Action on Indochinese Refugees, and to kick in \$108 million. So far they have paid only \$15 million (\$11 million from the United States).

The most sensible response from the Bush administration would be (perhaps after a period of public agonizing) to announce that the United States will accept all the refugees. To keep down the cost, it should also announce that it will not subsidize any of them (except to the extent that some administrative costs are incurred) for the first five years of residence in the United States. No welfare, no assistance, no loans, no credits. Any refugee who wants to come on those terms should be welcome.

Most of them would come, and, if the record of previous boat people is any guide, most would become productive and contributing members of American society who would enhance and enrich our economy and culture. Those whose thirst for freedom is so great that they will risk their lives on leaky boats seldom fritter away their chances when they get them. Established Vietnamese-American communities in the United States could and would help.

Come on, Mr. President. Be a kinder, gentler fellow.

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## Right to choose a good death

Edward Winter wouldn't be alive today if it weren't for the people at St. Francis-St. George Hospital in Cincinnati. While hospitalized for chest pains two years ago, he suffered a heart attack. A nurse quickly applied electrodes to his chest and retrieved him from the brink of death.

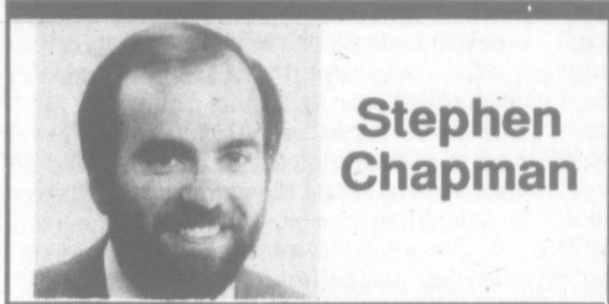
That's why Winter is suing the hospital. Talk about ingratitude, you may say to yourself. But consider what remains of the life that was saved. Shortly after his revival, Winter was struck down by a stroke that left him bedridden, partly paralyzed, unable to read, mentally confused and wishing openly for death. His doctors say the 84-year-old invalid could live like this for years.

Well, it's not the fault of the hospital staff that Winter's life is wretched, is it? In one way, it is. After watching his wife succumb to a slow and painful death after being resuscitated from a heart attack, Winter told his doctor and his daughters that when his time came, he should be allowed to die quickly.

In the hospital before his heart attack, he again made his views plain, informing his doctor that, if worse came to worse, he shouldn't be resuscitated. Worse promptly did come to worse — and his preferences counted for nothing. Now Winter's nightmare has come true.

"There are in fact some things worse than death, and what has happened to Mr. Winter is one of them," says William Knapp, the lawyer who filed Winter's "wrongful life" suit. "Mr. Winter had a total and unchallengeable right to decide what kind of medical care he wanted. The hospital should have been more careful to see that his decision was honored."

But if you were the doctors and nurses at the hospital, what would you have done? Forget, for



Stephen Chapman

the moment, your lifelong dedication to preserving life against all its hazards. Forget, for the moment, your respect for your patient's wishes. Ponder something medical professionals don't like to ponder but have been forced to: the chances of being held liable if something goes wrong.

Doctors care for the sick and injured. When you take care of people with medical problems, you will find that some of them get worse and some of them die. More and more, these patients and their families are likely to blame you for the outcome. In the United States, between 1976 and 1986, more medical malpractice suits were filed than in the previous 200 years.

Infallibility, unfortunately, is as elusive in this world as immortality. If a doctor makes a choice that a jury of laymen, after weeks or months of consideration, concludes was a mistake, the doctor may pay dearly.

"Every death in a hospital is a potential malpractice case," says Peter Huber, author of a book on the liability crisis. So a doctor with a normal instinct for self-preservation is wise to do everything he can to keep his patients alive.

But what about his patients' "total and unchal-

lengeable right" to decide their care? It would be news if plaintiffs' lawyers had adopted the view that any decision a patient makes should be binding. In fact, they spend much of their time arguing (often successfully) that a patient must be paid for injuries that are the foreseeable result of his own choices.

It would also be news if patients were found to have a "total and unchallengeable right" to choose death. Recall the case of Larry McAfee, a 34-year-old Georgia quadriplegic who had to go all the way to his state's Supreme Court before he was granted the authority to turn off the ventilator that keeps him alive (which he then decided not to do). The courts have yet to agree that a person who is incapacitated but not fatally ill should be allowed to bring down the curtain on his own life.

One result of this legal and ethical confusion is that doctors are damned if they do and damned if they don't. Had Winter been allowed to die, nothing would have stopped a member of his family from suing the hospital for its failure to save him.

Another result is that patients are deprived of choices that they are better able than anyone else to make. We agonize over what to do with comatose patients, because we can't know their wishes. But in the case of patients who have weighed their options and made their choices, we shouldn't agonize: We should accept. And so should our legal system.

None of us has the power of confine an innocent person in jail against his will. Why should we have the power to sentence him in an even more painful imprisonment in his own body? In a technologically advanced age, among our dearest freedoms may be the right of each of us to choose a good death over a bad life.



## There's a lotta Lambada goin' on

The Baptists were right about dancing when they said that dancing, left unchecked, eventually would become nothing more than foreplay set to music.

One of the oldest lines around is still one of the best: Why don't Baptists make love standing up? Somebody might think they're dancing.

I didn't always agree with the Baptists about dancing. What's so sinful, I have asked, about an innocent night of shagging? And whoever got pregnant from doing the twist or the donv or the monkey?

OK, then how about slow, or touch, dancing? Basically harmless, too, as long as there is plenty of light in the room and Johnny Mathis is singing "Chances Are" and it is 1963.

But it turns out, the Baptists' vision was correct when they said, in denouncing the first Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers movie, "It won't stop here."

And it most certainly didn't. Dancing began to get out of hand with John Travolta in *Saturday Night Fever*.

People who saw that movie started hanging out until 4 in the morning in dimly lit discos, dancing to a primeval beat.



Lewis Grizzard

And Lot's wife was a big fan of the Bee Gees, and she got turned into a pillar of salt, so what does that tell you?

Then came *Dirty Dancing*. If Fred Astaire had tried something like Patrick Swayze did with Jennifer Grey, Ginger Rogers would have said, "Are you out of your mind?" and slapped him.

But now comes the Lambada, a dance and movie of the same name. I began to notice television commercials for *Lambada* — the forbidden dance — a few weeks ago.

Forget *Dirty Dancing*. Do the Lambada and somebody might think you're making love stand-

ing up. The idea seems to be for the girl partner to throw herself on the leg of the boy partner, and if I went any further I would certainly be out of line.

While browsing through the movie ads in the paper the other day I noticed there are actually two movies out that feature the dance.

Besides *Lambada*, there is also *The Forbidden Dance*; neither of which stars anybody you ever heard of.

Both ads showed a young man and a young woman posed in the Lambada stance, which makes the missionary position look like Ward and June Cleaver discussing the Beaver's report card.

Said *The Forbidden Dance* ad: "Lambada ... if it got any hotter it wouldn't be dancing."

It's already hot enough to get you arrested in most states, and I would not recommend doing this dance without a comfortable pair of shoes, a good lawyer and various birth control devices.

Yes, the Baptists were right. If dancing had been nipped in the bud with Fred and Ginger, there never would have been a *Saturday Night Fever*, a *Dirty Dancing*, and, now, *Lambada*, which starts with "L," and that rhymes with "Hell" and I wish I was 18 again.

## Quayle-watching bares the naked truth

By SARAH OVERSTREET

For some time now I've felt a little like the kid watching the parade in the Hans Christian Anderson fable "The Emperor's New Clothes."

If you've forgotten that one, it's about a couple of crooked tailors who convince the emperor they can make clothing out of a special cloth that the incompetent and the stupid are unable to see.

Since no one in the kingdom wants to admit to being incompetent or stupid, all the adults pretend they see the clothes. But when the emperor parades by, stark naked in the tailors' non-existent creations, a little child cries out, "But he hasn't got anything on."

Why do I feel like one of the dishonest citizenry? Well, since the first few weeks after George Bush named his running mate, many of us have known Dan Quayle doesn't have any clothes on, figuratively speaking. Lit-

erally speaking, I guess you could say we've known he doesn't have any brains on.

And once we ascertained that the man a heartbeat away from the presidency is grossly unqualified for the job, many of us said so; others of us just let Danny prove so. Reporters interviewed him and chronicled his flawed or absent knowledge of the world, and recorded the many public gaffes that further demonstrated his ignorance of other countries, diplomacy and history.

But lately, you don't see that much about Dan Quayle in the news, and you don't hear so much about the "Heartbeat Away" factor. That may have something to do with the fact that you don't see Dan out and about as much as you used to, which may have something to do with his performances when he was out and about.

Or, it may have to do with the fact that some of us still won't believe Quayle will land on the ticket again

until we see his name on the campaign paraphernalia. Bush still insists that he will.

But we cling to the hope that the president is just saving face, and, as Hendrick Hertzberg put it, that there is one dim bulb among his thousand points of light. When it comes time for the actual election, we tell ourselves, George will surely realize he has to jettison the dangerous cargo and will cajole Dan into declining the nomination "to pursue other interests."

Whatever the reason for our declining vigilance on the Quayle Trail, it's making me real panicky. I want to point at the parade and yell, "But he hasn't got anything on! If something happens to Bush, we're in deep doo-doo!"

Imagine my relief when I opened my mail and discovered I'm not the only one who's worried. Not everyone's been looking the other way while Danny's been in American

Samoa insulting the inhabitants of Pago Pago by calling their village "Pogo Pogo." Jeff Yoder and Deborah Werksman have just started the *Quayle Quarterly*, a newsletter dedicated to keeping an eye on "The Man Who Could Be President." Four times a year, *QQ* subscribers will be able to catch up on what the VP has been up to.

The *QQ* is a good blend of serious reporting, humor, history and analysis. For my money, I wish the quarterly had just a little more appeal to conservatives, because I'm afraid some of my good Republican chums who are also appalled by Quayle's antics might find the publication a little too "alternative press" to identify with.

If you'd like to join the Quayle-watch, a \$12 yearly subscription, or a \$3.95 sample issue, is available from the *Quayle Quarterly*, P.O. Box 8593, Brewster Station, Bridgeport, CT 06605.

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### Berry's World



"Der border stays der same. Ve chust MOOF DER SIGN A LITTLE, JA?"

# Conoco offers \$23 million to settle contamination lawsuit

By FARRELL KRAMER  
Associated Press Writer

PONCA CITY, Okla. (AP) — Conoco Inc., in one of the biggest settlements of its kind, has agreed to pay \$23 million to buy 400 homes and compensate families who say its refinery is giving them cancer and other illnesses.

Under the settlement announced Monday with families who had sued the company for allegedly contaminating the air and water, Conoco would buy the properties for about \$18 million and establish a \$5 million compensation fund.

Homeowner Mike Gallagher said his family was ready to move.

"The sooner, the better. Now we can go to the other side of town. No more nosebleeds. No more headaches. We can live with good-smelling air," he said.

Under the settlement, Conoco, a subsidiary of the Du Pont Co., admits no liability.

"I would put that as one of the

largest relocation settlements in the country," Conoco attorney Mark Zehler said.

Two comparable cases involved government money: the evacuation of homes built atop tons of chemical waste at Love Canal in Niagara Falls, N.Y., and the virtual abandonment in 1982 of Times Beach, Mo., which was tainted by dioxin.

The Love Canal buyout, in 1978, involved about \$19 million to purchase 232 homes. In Times Beach, about \$33 million was spent to buy 393 properties.

Homeowners in the Circle Drive area of Ponca City had complained since 1987 that groundwater laced with hydrocarbons, including cancer-causing benzene, seeped into their basements and threatened their health.

Some residents camped out at the state Capitol for weeks in 1988 to get the state to buy their houses.

The protesters said heavy rain two years earlier had unleashed toxic, reddish-orange sludge that



(AP Laserphoto)

Anna Sue Rafferty, left, and Mabel Rafferty reflect on their 2-year struggle against Ponca City's Conoco refinery during a news conference Monday.

bubbled up from cracks in sidewalks, and black sludge that oozed into their basements.

Conoco said then the sludge was the result of iron ore, and the state Health Department and federal

Environmental Protection Agency agreed there was no health hazard. But residents said they had suffered an inordinate rate of cancer deaths and other ailments.

Gallagher said his wife miscarried twice.

Another baby was born three months premature and weighed 2 pounds, 2 ounces. He lived a week, Gallagher said.

"People ask why we didn't leave," he said. "We couldn't afford it."

Refinery manager Dennis Parker said Conoco settled "because it is the right thing to do — for these residents, for Ponca City and for Conoco."

"The situation has caused disension in our community for too long — it's time to put it behind us," he said.

Anna Sue Rafferty, who spoke on behalf of the plaintiffs, declined to fix blame.

"To Conoco and Du Pont we say 'thank you' in coming forth with

this settlement," Ms. Rafferty said. "I'd just like to say none of us is happy to be leaving our home. No one intended to get rich."

A hearing on the settlement is set for June 5 in federal court in Oklahoma City.

If approved, the settlement of the lawsuit filed in March 1989 would enable many owners and renters of property to move. Residents of a larger area of the neighborhood could receive payments because of their proximity to the groundwater problems and the work needed to fix them.

Conoco would pay residents the appraised value of their homes, an above market-value premium, a moving and household disruption bonus, and other sums.

"I'm happy," Mac Morgan said while standing next to her former house, which she abandoned a year ago when she could no longer stand the fumes.

"No one will ever live in the Circle Drive area again."

## Mitchell puts brakes on aid package for Panama, Nicaragua

By JIM DRINKARD  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush won't get \$800 million to aid new democracies in Panama and Nicaragua until he produces a broad spending plan showing how the money serves U.S. goals, says Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell.

Mitchell's warning poses new difficulties for the aid package, which Bush wants enacted by Thursday before Congress adjourns for a 12-day Easter recess. The money bill was scheduled for House action today, but its chances for completion this week appeared dim.

Bush had hoped to provide the money — \$500 million for Panama and \$300 million for Nicaragua — quickly as a tangible demonstration of the benefits of democracy and to aid Panamanian President Guillermo Endara and Nicaraguan President-elect Violeta Chamorro.

The House Appropriations Committee approved the money bill last week, but only after swelling it to \$2.4 billion by adding money for domestic disaster relief, food stamps, veterans' benefits and other items.

Mitchell, D-Maine, complained Monday that the aid for Panama and Nicaragua was being sought without proper justification and without regard to how it fits with overall U.S. goals.

"The administration is asking Congress to put together a jigsaw puzzle without any overall picture and without all the pieces," Mitchell said in a statement that called the White House approach "piecemeal."

He said he hoped to have the Senate begin work Wednesday on a companion bill setting up aid programs for the two countries. But that bill contains no money to fund the programs.

"By approaching foreign aid on a country-by-country basis and in one-shot increments, the administration has provided no overall or long-term view of how all the pieces can and should fit together," Mitchell said.

"They have provided no rationale as to how this request relates to other parts of the budget — to other foreign aid spending, to defense or domestic spending, to the deficit," he said.

Mitchell contended the administration has provided no plan for future aid to the two Central American countries, or how their priority for aid compares with that of emerging democracies in Eastern Europe and elsewhere.

Mitchell further spelled out his request in a letter to Secretary of State James A. Baker III, saying the spending plan should cover plans for the next three to five years for foreign aid, defense spending, domestic spending and the deficit.



(AP Laserphoto)

Vilnius citizens smile in the line Monday at the post office where they are sending telegrams to Gorbachev asking for Lithuanian independence.

## Shevardnadze to meet with Bush

By LAWRENCE L. KNUTSON  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze arrives today to face close questioning on the independence crisis in Lithuania from President Bush and Secretary of State James A. Baker III.

Baker and Shevardnadze also are likely to discuss — and perhaps announce — a date for the next summit meeting between Bush and Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev.

The summit is tentatively planned to be held in Washington during the second half of June.

Shevardnadze was to be met at Andrews Air Force Base in suburban Maryland at midday by Deputy Secretary of State Lawrence Eagleburger.

Margaret Tutwiler, the State Department spokeswoman, said Monday that Soviet pressure on Lithuania to annul its month-old declaration of independence will be raised by Baker in a lengthy initial session on Wednesday afternoon.

The issue also is certain to be raised at a meeting between Bush and Shevardnadze on Friday.

However, a senior U.S. official said the Lithuania issue would not crowd other important matters from the agenda.

The official, who asked not to be identified by name, said these include strategic and conventional arms control negotiations and setting a date for the Bush-Gorbachev summit.

Shevardnadze's talks with Baker and other State Department officials will intertwine with the visit this week of West German Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher, whose talks are expected to focus on German reunification.

In his meetings with Shevardnadze, Baker is expected to express concern over the Soviet military buildup in Lithuania and such actions as the seizure of government and Communist Party offices in Vilnius, the Lithuanian capital, and the expulsion of Western reporters.

Ms. Tutwiler said Monday the United States does not believe it should attempt to prescribe "the precise solution to the conflict" in Lithuania.

She expressed the hope that "every peaceful means" will be explored to resolve the situation and urged that nothing be done by either

side to preclude a dialogue on Lithuania's future.

The United States has repeatedly called on the Soviets not to use coercion, intimidation or military force in Lithuania.

Shevardnadze assured Baker during a meeting in Namibia last month that the Kremlin would do its utmost to avoid using force to suppress the independence movement in Lithuania.

"They want to solve the problem through dialogue," Baker said in describing the Soviet attitude then.

"There's no reason that we know of not to take him at his word."

"We have been on the record as saying that the use of force would be counterproductive and have an adverse impact on our relations," Tutwiler said.

"It is important that the United States continue to call for the resolution of this issue through dialogue, through negotiations in a peaceful manner so that ultimately the people of Lithuania can indeed enjoy genuine independence," she said.

## Soviet lawmakers debate procedures for secession

By MARK J. PORUBCANSKY  
Associated Press Writer

MOSCOW (AP) — Lawmakers heatedly debated a bill today that would set procedures for secession from the Soviet Union, and leaders in Lithuania and Moscow struck a conciliatory tone on the Baltic republic's independence drive.

Some deputies to the Supreme Soviet standing legislature found the secession bill too harsh, while others thought the conditions it set were not demanding enough, the official Tass news agency said.

Mikhail S. Gorbachev's top deputy spoke of "friendly ties" with Lithuania and said the Kremlin does not question its right to secede — as long as it adheres to the constitution.

The comments by Anatoly I. Lukyanov, chairman of the Supreme Soviet parliament, came as Lithuanian leaders sought a compromise that would allow them to start talks with Moscow without giving in to demands by Gorbachev that they first repeal their March 11 declaration of independence.

On Monday, President Vytautas Landsbergis of Lithuania said his republic intends to move toward independence gradually and through negotiations — not in haste as some people may have thought.

The statement marked something of a retreat from the recalcitrance that had characterized the Baltic state's three-week drive for divorce.

In Vilnius on Monday, about 1,000 pro-independence demonstrators rallied outside the chief prosecutor's office to protest the Soviet occupation.

Both a prosecutor appointed by Lithuania's breakaway government and one sent by Moscow were working in the building, employees said. They reported a tense atmosphere but no direct conflicts between the two.

The secession bill being debated in the Supreme Soviet would

require a two-thirds vote in a referendum of any republic wishing to leave the Soviet Union.

A five-year transition period would follow during which the republic and the Kremlin would divide up economic resources and settle any disputes. In addition, Moscow would have final say over terms of separation.

Lithuania was reported quiet for a second straight day, with no troop movements or more efforts by soldiers to take control of public buildings. Over the weekend, Soviet soldiers seized the chief prosecutor's office in Lithuania's capital, Vilnius, as well as the Baltic state's main newspaper printing plant.

Kremlin strong-arm tactics aimed at forcing the Lithuanians to back down have included sending armored vehicles through Vilnius to rattle the populace, demanding citizens turn in their firearms and rounding up at least 23 Lithuanians who deserted the Red Army following the independence declaration.


Soviet officials say that if Lithuania or any other republic wants to secede, it needs to follow the law. Gorbachev warned Saturday that to do otherwise could result in "grave consequences for all of us."

Lithuania and Estonia, forcibly annexed by the Soviet Union in 1940 with fellow Baltic republic Latvia, have declared themselves to be under illegal Soviet occupation and Lithuanian leaders refuse to renounce their independence declaration.

However, Landsbergis said Monday that his republic intends to "consolidate" its independence "by means of agreements and a gradual takeover of certain functions."

In a telegram to Gorbachev, he invited Kremlin officials to Lithuania to discuss secession. He also sent a delegation to Moscow. A Lithuanian legislator, Egidius Bickauskas, has spent much of the past two weeks in the Soviet capital trying without success to begin talks.

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# Bakers make a successful business from family recipe for cheesecake

By TONY FLOYD  
Texarkana Gazette

**DAINGERFIELD (AP)** — An abandoned former downtown hardware and auto parts store hardly seems an appropriate setting for one of the fastest growing businesses in Morris County.

But Laura's Cheesecakes, byproduct of late 1980s Texas economic development efforts in one of the state's most depressed economies, is flourishing beyond everyone's expectations on the strength of combined family recipes used by two Daingerfield natives.

Laura and Walter Bass began making their own variety of cheesecakes and selling them in Shreveport, La., Texarkana, Tyler and Longview area restaurants out of their Longview home in 1981.

In 1988, when Daingerfield was selected as one of five official Texas Main Street cities by the Texas Historical Commission, the Basses saw an opportunity to shift their cheesecake venture into something more than a hobby that brought in extra income to supplement their regular jobs.

Main Street cities are selected annually on the basis of economic need and city wide commitment to restoring the original architectural integrity of downtown buildings.

"We went to Austin and explained our plans to make our product and how we planned to market it," Bass said. "We thought we had a pretty good chance. But it took tons and tons of paperwork to get this thing going."

With the help of a local attorney, Steve Cowan, an empty downtown building was refurbished and decorated in the company's distinctive pink, hot pink and green color scheme and, two years later, Laura's Cheesecakes has evolved into a full-time business that has grown from four employees to 11.

Their cheesecakes have been shipped to every state. Bass believes the secret to the

company's success has been its unwavering commitment to quality and an innovative, long-term marketing strategy developed by Deb McDaniel, another Daingerfield native.

"The cakes are made right here in this shop from scratch," Bass said. "Laura's mother and my mother both used to make cheesecakes, so we combined the two recipes and came up with what we think is the ultimate cheesecake."

So far, the strategy has delivered unforeseen rewards for the Basses and their employees. More than 2,500 cheesecakes were shipped out of the Daingerfield shop last December, and Bass has targeted 5,000 for this year's holiday season.

Typical customers are large Dallas-Fort Worth and Houston law firms, along with insurance companies and banks throughout the state who usually buy the cakes as gifts for their customers, Bass said. Once a cake has been shipped, the

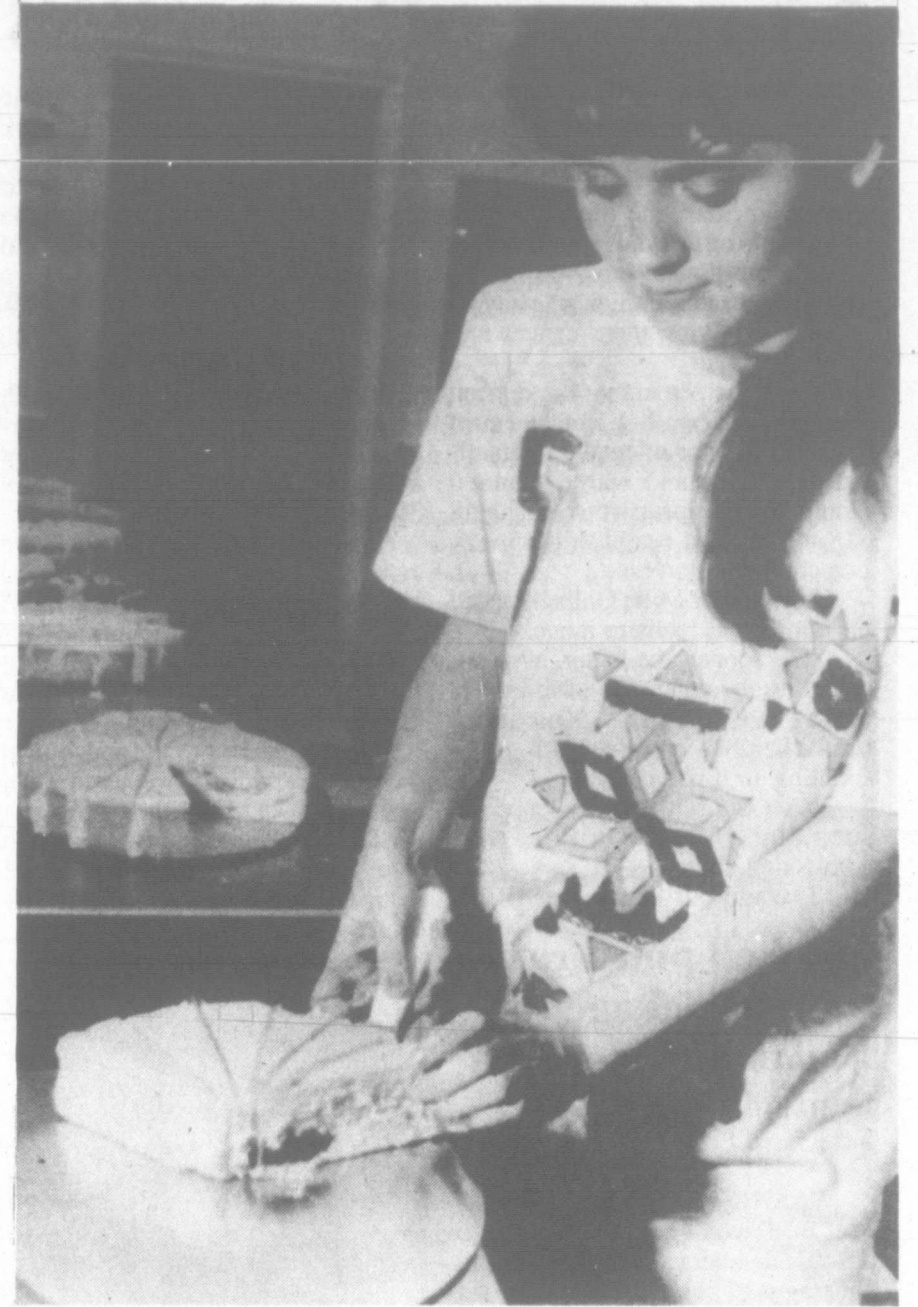
name is added to a mailing list that has grown on a daily basis, he said.

"We're predominantly a mail-order business," he said.

But Bass expects that to level out in the not-too-distant future. "We didn't expect it, but we're getting more and more walk-ins for the cheesecakes," he said, noting a soup and sandwich lunch business supplements revenue from cake sales in the front section of the novel Webb Street bakery.

The ingredients in Laura's Cheesecakes will continue to maintain a commitment to "Taste of Texas" programs, Bass said. Only Texas-grown pecans are used. Also the sour cream comes from Dallas and the cream cheese comes from Sulphur Springs. All other ingredients, which Bass was reluctant to reveal, come from Texas suppliers.

The shop's best seller, "The Sampler," features three slices each of original sour cream, turtle, blueberry, raspberry, apricot and lime flavors. It retails for \$36.50.



(AP Laserphoto)

Robin Croley prepares a sampler in the kitchen of the Main Street Bakery, home of Laura's Cheesecakes. The business, which moved to downtown Daingerfield in 1988, now distributes its cheesecakes nationwide.

## Historic building under wraps to remove asbestos from walls

**AUSTIN (AP)** — The former General Land Office — the oldest state government office building in Texas — is under wraps to remove asbestos from the outside walls and roof.

The 133-year-old building located on the State Capitol grounds east of the Capitol was covered Monday with a black polyethylene shroud as workers began the removal process.

The cover was necessary "so there's no danger of any fibers blowing around," said Capitol Architect Allen McCree.

McCree said the building's struc-

co exterior was given an under-coat of paint in the 1960s that contained 2 percent to 5 percent asbestos. The roof shingles also contain asbestos, he said.

Work to remove the asbestos will cost approximately \$143,000 and take about one month, he said. The building, which housed the General Land Office until 1911, is scheduled for a \$3.6 million renovation as part of the \$154.5 million restoration of the Capitol.

The building was vacated in November after having served as a museum for the Daughters of Confederacy and Daughters of the Republic of Texas.

## Attorney: FBI wants case retried in promotion hearings

By SUZANNE GAMBOA  
Associated Press Writer

**EL PASO (AP)** — In 1988, a federal judge ruled that the FBI discriminated against Hispanic agents and ordered sweeping changes in the agency. But the case isn't over for some agents.

On Monday, Herman Zuniga will be the first of 12 Hispanic FBI agents to go before a panel in Austin that was formed as part of the discrimination judgment. The panel's three members, including former Houston congresswoman Barbara Jordan, will review cases of agents who contend they were passed up for promotions because of discrimination.

Zuniga, an Albuquerque special agent, would not talk about his case, citing FBI policy.

"It's one of those things that I would like to talk about, but I would just not like to at this point and time," he said.

As the hearings begin, Hispanic FBI agents allege widespread retaliation against them for participating in the suit. They say they expect strong opposition to their requests for redress.

"We had hoped that the FBI would be a better place for Hispanics following the decision and that would be evidenced by the FBI truly attempting to find out whether the individual who had filed for rightful place deserved the positions they sought," said Antonio Silva, an El Paso attorney, who has been assisting agents seeking hearings. "Instead we have vehement defenses being postured against them alleging no discrimination took place and these individuals don't deserve any place."

"The FBI is a worse place today for Hispanics than when the decision came down," Silva said.

In September 1988, U.S. District Judge Lucius Bunton ruled that the FBI had discriminated against Hispanic agents in promotions, discipline and assignments.

The class-action suit was filed in January 1987 by Bernardo Matias "Mat" Perez, then the FBI's No. 2 man in El Paso. Eventually, 311 of the FBI's approximately 400 Hispanic agents joined the suit. It concluded with 238 agents involved.

As a result of Bunton's ruling, Perez was promoted to deputy assistant director for the FBI laboratory division in Washington.

Only agents with a GS13 ranking for at least a year on May 15, 1989, were eligible for a hearing. A GS13 ranking requires seven years service in the FBI.

As of November 1, 1989, there were 179 Hispanics with GS13 ranking, but FBI spokesman Carlos Fernandez in Washington said he did not know how many were eligible to go before the panel.

Silva says many more are eligible than the 12 who have applied.

"I have been contacted by as many as 52 telling me, 'Tony, I'd love to, but I'm not going to set myself up for a fall,'" he said.

Fernandez said FBI Director William Sessions has threatened disciplinary action against agents who retaliate against Hispanic agents.

"He is doing his best to find out if anything is going on that shouldn't be going on," Fernandez said of Sessions.

He said Sessions recently met with San Antonio agents to discuss alleged problems in that bureau and met privately with Perez.

But if the FBI is trying to change its ways, it doesn't seem to be willing to make up for the

past, Silva said.

He alleges the FBI, which can have attorneys present at the hearings while agents cannot, has put together stacks of information to present to the panel in Austin.

But Fernandez said the panel will not allow the FBI to reargue the discrimination case.

"The panel is going to be in control there. They're going to be asking the questions they want to ask," he said.

In addition to Jordan — currently a professor at the University of Texas LBJ School of Public Affairs in Austin — Fort Worth attorney W. Edwin Youngblood and Chicago attorney Susan Getzendanner also are panel members.

"The way Judge Bunton has set up these hearings, we're going to hear from the claimants. The FBI has no right to call witnesses. They (claimants) can call other witnesses to the panel. The FBI can suggest other witnesses but that's up to the panel," Ms. Getzendanner said.

She said the FBI has settled many cases and suggested that is why so few agents applied to appear before the panel.

Silva said he's not sure the agents will get fair hearings, adding he was distressed by comments Ms. Jordan made to a newspaper.

Ms. Jordan told Texas Lawyer that the small number of agents applying for hearings may be because, in review, several found their cases wanting.

"She (Ms. Jordan) fails to understand the FBI is engaged in retaliation and these people are afraid," Silva said.

Ms. Jordan will not comment while the hearings are in session, her secretary said.

## Death Row inmate calls death penalty a 'joke'

**RICHMOND (AP)** — After a decade on death row, Roger Leroy "Animal" DeGarmo said it's "obvious" the death penalty is not working in Texas.

DeGarmo, 35, was sentenced to death for the Jan. 8, 1979, kidnap-slaying of Kimberly Ann Strickler, a 20-year-old Houston medical technician.

But a series of delays and appeals has kept DeGarmo and about a third of the other death row inmates awaiting the ultimate punishment for more than eight years.

"I'm not laughing out of a morbid sense of humor," said DeGarmo. "I'm laughing because you people are so damn gullible. It's obvious the death penalty's not working in Texas."

DeGarmo, who confessed to Strickler's slaying on the witness stand and threatened to kill his jurors if they did not sentence him to death, now is appealing his conviction and sentence.

"There's no logical reason why a person with the death penalty should be alive after eight years. I've been here 10 years flat," DeGarmo told the *Houston Chronicle*. "Are you going to pay for my existence for another 10 years?"

Strickler's parents also are upset

by the system.

"If an open and shut case is this difficult, what happens to the really complicated ones?" asked Shirley Parish, 56, the victim's mother.

DeGarmo is seeking a new trial based on alleged deals former Fort Bend County prosecutors made with his accomplice, Helen Leydalia Mejia, 32.

Mejia was sentenced in September 1988 to 40 years in prison after a judge ruled she violated terms of her 10 years deferred adjudication, a form of probation that would have allowed her a clean record if successfully completed.

DeGarmo and Mejia were accused of kidnapping Strickler while attempting to steal her car. She was shot in the head as she lay bound in the trunk of her car on a rural Fort Bend County road.

Shortly before DeGarmo was scheduled to die in March 1986, attorneys persuaded him to appeal.

In a 1987 evidentiary hearing, Houston attorney Greg Gladden argued Mejia was offered immunity, dismissals of pending felony charges, drug rehabilitation and other considerations for her testimony against DeGarmo. Former prosecutors said the only deal offered was that she wouldn't get the death

penalty if she testified.

In 2 1/2 years, the court of criminal appeals has not issued a decision.

"Money runs the courts, not justice," said Wayne Strickler, 59, the victim's father. "The system is there to produce money for defense attorneys, not to produce justice for victims. The whole thing is a joke."

DeGarmo agreed, saying if he had

enough money, he would run advertisements in Texas newspapers, featuring his picture and the caption:

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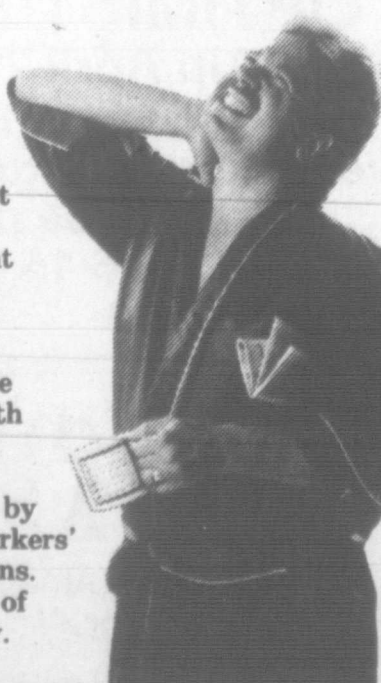
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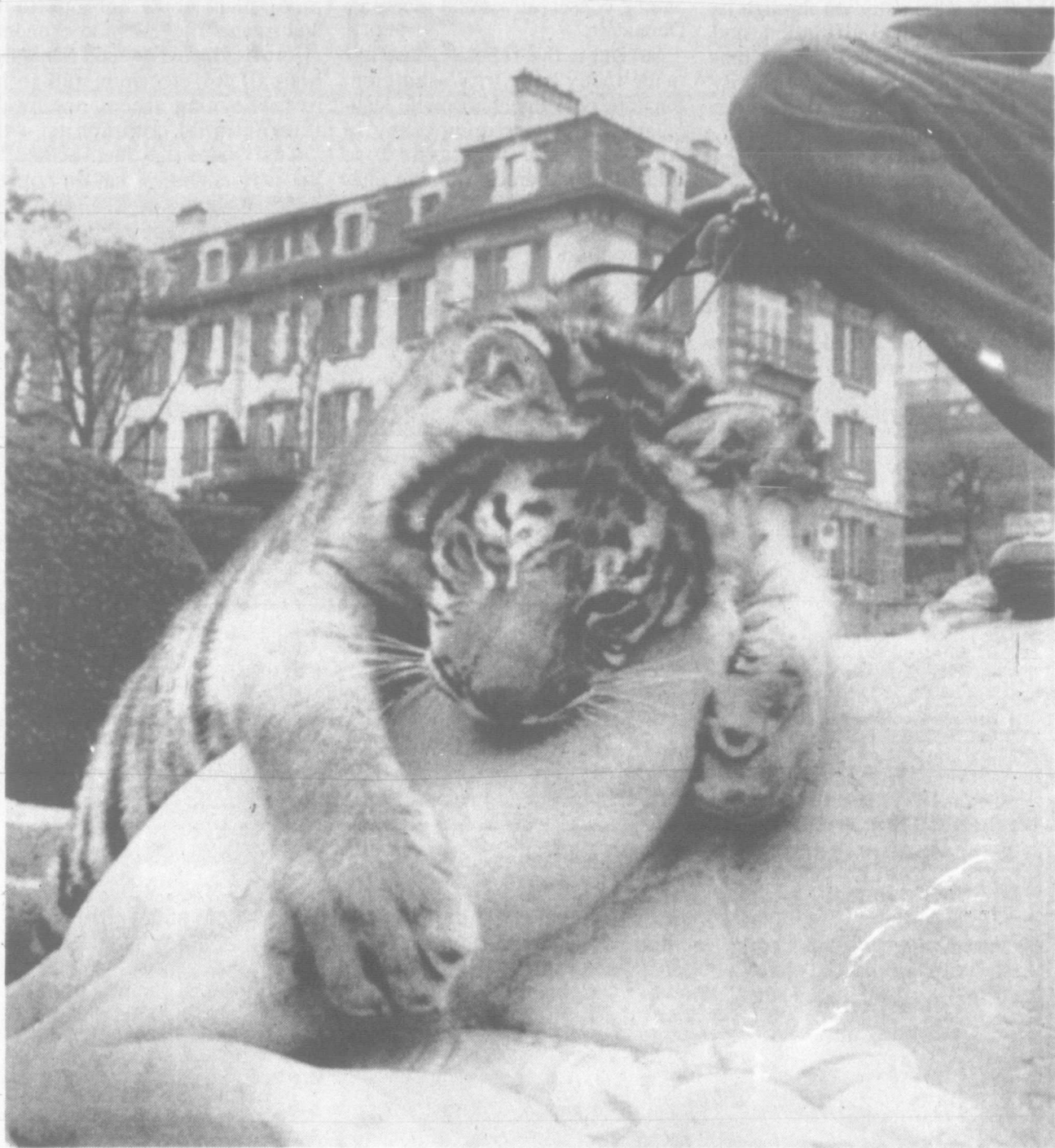
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"Sugar," a six-month-old Siberian tiger cub satisfies his curiosity by crawling on a sphynx sculpture at Neuchatel, Switzerland's "Jardin du Peyrou" recently while on a stroll with trainer Kid Bauer of Circus Nock.

**Wax museum reopens after fire**

GRAND PRAIRIE (AP) - A wax museum reopened to thousands of curious visitors 18 months after its predecessor burned to the ground in a spectacular fire that melted the collection.

The electrical fire and the unexplained death of co-owner Patsy Wright in 1987 - along with the 1984 death of her secretary who died after complaining of severe stomach pains - have cloaked the museum in mystery and intrigue for several years.

On Saturday, more than 3,000 tickets were sold, a museum record for April, said marketing director Bob Phillips.

"The old museum was mostly sets," Phillips said. "A lot of the new one is environmental," with dramatic light and music.

"It's hard to believe that these people are not real and you are not standing there looking them in the eye," said Louise Graham of

Mesquite. "I've been in a bunch of wax museums and this one is the best," said Terry Dobbins, 35, of Fort Worth.

Phillips said he wouldn't attribute the attendance at the Palace of Wax museum to curiosity about the mysterious events.

Six months ago, private investigator William Dear sought the exhumation of the body of the museum secretary to see if she had been poisoned. About the same time, Ms. Wright's death was ruled homicide.

An autopsy after the exhumation proved inconclusive in the 1984 death of Lori Ann Williams, Ms. Wright's secretary. The cause of death was listed as viral pneumonia.

The 1987 death of Ms. Wright, who drank from a bottle of strychnine-laced cold medicine, also remains unsolved. The blaze fueled

speculation that somebody torched the Wax Museum of the Southwest to destroy evidence in Ms. Wright's death.

Ms. Wright's sister, museum owner Sally Horning, has hired Dallas lawyer Phil Burleson Sr. as a legal consultant and an investigator in efforts to find her sister's killer. Burleson is known for his high-profile criminal cases involving such clients as Jack Ruby and Cullen Davis.

Exhibits at the museum, which occupies the same building as Ripley's Believe It or Not attraction along the Interstate 30 corridor between Dallas and Fort Worth, include: Pilgrimage, which starts with Jesus Christ's birth and ends with his resurrection; Galaxy of Stars; Spirit of Man, depicting "good and bad" world leaders from past and present; Wild West; Child's Garden of Fantasy and Dr. Blood's Asylum of Fear.

Peter Carsillo, 23, designed and sculpted the wax figures.

**San Antonio selects city manager**

SAN ANTONIO (AP) - City Council selected Alex Briseno, a native San Antonian and assistant city manager since 1980, to replace outgoing manager Lou Fox.

Briseno, 40, will become the city's first Hispanic city manager since San Antonio went to the council-manager form of government in 1952.

Briseno was selected on a 10-0 vote Saturday night with one member abstaining. The council interviewed seven candidates.

The post is budgeted for a \$106,000 salary plus benefits, but is negotiable.

Fox resigned, effective June 1, to join the faculty of Trinity University.

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**Congress considers lower milk subsidies**

By DIANE DUSTON  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - Americans' desire for low-fat food is posing a new threat in Congress to dairy farmers whose surplus butter ends up in government warehouses because consumers don't want it on their table.

Under consideration as part of the 1990 farm bill is a change in the price support structure that would cut into the subsidies received by farmers who produce more milkfat than the market will bear.

Introduced by Reps. Charles Stenholm, D-Texas, and Steve Gunderson, R-Wis., the plan would penalize farmers who produce more than their limit as part of a nationwide ceiling on milkfat production.

However, the bill also would raise the support price - what the government pays for 100 pounds of milk if the market price falls below that amount - from the current \$10.10 per 100 pounds of milk to \$10.60.

"While we do that, we also get at the milkfat problem currently plaguing the dairy industry," said Gunderson.

Currently, price supports drop by 50 cents per 100 pounds when government purchases for the year are estimated to exceed 5 billion pounds. The Bush administration wants to continue that system which, according to its estimates, could lead to price supports dropping to \$8.60 by 1993.

Gunderson's and Stenholm's bill would prevent the administration from reducing the price support any lower than \$10.10.

The National Milk Producers Federation, which represents dairy cooperatives, wants a support of \$10.60 with no lower price available. Rep. Harold Volkmer, D-Mo., is leading the support for that position.

The House Agriculture dairy subcommittee on dairy, which Stenholm chairs and Gunderson vice chairs, has set aside Tuesday for approving the language that would be the dairy title of the 1990 farm bill.

The solution to the milkfat problem is contentious. Some subcommittee members and the Bush administration both contend the

Stenholm-Gunderson plan is unworkable.

Basically, the plan calls for a two-tiered price support system.

If the government buys more than 7 billion pounds of milk products that include 260 million pounds of milkfat and 600 million pounds of powdered milk and cheese, the system begins to operate.

Farmers would get the higher support price for a certain percentage of their milk and a sharply lower price for the overproduced portion.

Tom Theiding, an aide to Gunderson, said farmers could reduce the amount of milkfat they produce by about one-tenth of 1 percent simply by changing the feed cows eat. But he acknowledged that cows have been bred to produce more fat and changing that to higher protein production will take time.

Under the Stenholm-Gunderson bill, farmers would be told to annually reduce their milkfat production from the previous year, Theiding said.

"We're trying to get an incentive out to the farmer that says, 'don't give us butter,'" he said.

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# Angola dispute becomes lingering vestige of Cold War

By RUTH SINAI  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A highly paid army of lobbyists and lawyers is fighting one of the last battles of the Cold War, an intense struggle to influence U.S. policy in the obscure African country of Angola.

Neither the United States nor the Soviet Union is willing to abandon its allies in Angola. Nor is either willing to let the civil war there hold up overall improvements in their relationship.

While the Bush administration's approach is low key, conservatives in Washington have adopted a highly visible stance.

"A key test of whether the Soviets have in fact changed their imperial ambitions is Soviet behavior" in Angola, according to a half-page ad in The New York Times that

was paid for by the International Security Council, a conservative think tank.

With the Marxist Sandinistas removed from power in Nicaragua and the Soviets gone from Afghanistan, conservatives are fast running out of opponents. "It's almost their last cause," said Dimitri Simes, a senior associate at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

To counter the conservatives' lobby, the Soviet-backed government of Angola recently hired the legal firm of Washington, Perito and Dubuc for \$800,000 a year to lobby. Two other firms also represent its interests at an annual cost of \$350,000.

Angola wants the United States to grant it diplomatic recognition, to stop arming the rebels and to

bring them to peace talks. U.S. efforts to arrange peace talks have stalled since last summer and fighting has intensified in recent weeks.

But while Angola has made some recent advances against the rebels in the battlefield, in Washington its enemy remains formidable.

The Union for the Total Independence of Angola (UNITA), the guerrilla organization led by Jonas Savimbi, has been fighting the government for almost 15 years.

According to public records, the cost of maintaining UNITA's office in Washington comes to \$800,000 a year. In addition, UNITA retains the services of one of the city's most powerful lobbying firms — Black, Manafort, Stone and Kelly — at a cost of \$900,000 annually.

Black Manafort is closely knit to

the Bush administration through its partners' political affiliation, and UNITA recently hired another lobbyist — Robert Keefe — primarily for his contacts in the Democratic Party.

There is little question that UNITA has been far more effective than the Angolan government at Washington lobbying. UNITA has maintained its influence despite losing one of its rallying cries — the presence of Cuban troops that supported the government. Under an agreement signed in 1988 with Soviet and U.S. support, Cuba is pulling its 50,000 soldiers out according to schedule. The pullout ends next year.

But the Soviets are still giving Angola \$800 million annually in weapons, and support for UNITA on Capitol Hill remains solid

among conservatives and moderate Democrats.

Savimbi, the rebel leader, has made many trips to Washington. Supporters of the charismatic leader say he favors democracy in Angola, while President Jose Eduardo dos Santos wants a one-party state.

Liberals in Congress, led by Rep. Howard Wolpe, D-Mich., accuse

Savimbi of being an opportunist and tyrant. They point to economic reforms adopted by dos Santos, to his call for elections and to his overwhelming acceptance by the international community — the United States and South Africa are the only countries that do not recognize Angola's government.

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## The Census: Why do they ask all that stuff, anyway?

By RANDOLPH E. SCHMID  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Why do they want to know all that stuff, anyway?

That's the question on millions of lips now that most Americans have sent in their Census forms. But government officials say there's a reason for the questions they're asking.

The Census has grown from its original intention of counting the population so seats in the House of Representatives can be distributed among the states.

Knowing that the nation was going to be counted every 10 years, officials couldn't resist the urge to ask some questions. And once the questions were being asked, officials started using the answers to design social programs and distribute money.

"In many respects the Census is an index to our quality of life," said John G. Keane, dean of the business school at Notre Dame University and former head of the Census Bureau. "The Census shows us anew where our nation hurts and needs help. ... Recite the national agenda and we realize how its resolution is directly or indirectly rooted in Census data."

Nonetheless, each Census finds opposition to answering the detailed questions, evidenced this year by resistance from the American Civil Liberties Union and the Libertarian Party.

"They already know too much about the citizens," complained Leslie Williams of the Vermont ACLU, who objected to questions about household relationships, whether a home has complete plumbing and whether anyone in a

home is disabled.

The Libertarian Party urges that answering the Census be made voluntary. It is encouraging people to send in cards with their Census forms stating either that they refuse to cooperate, are doing so under threat of law or will only answer some questions.

Census officials point out that the law requires people to answer the Census, although prosecutions rarely occur.

The more detailed questions on the long form — sent to one family in six — are necessary, the bureau said.

In fiscal 1988 there were 82 federal programs that allocated \$38.7 billion in money and other assistance based on Census information. The programs are based not just on the number of people, but who they are, their ages and incomes, jobs and relationships to one another.

## Atwater undergoing further treatment for tumor

By JOHN KING  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republican Party chief Lee Atwater was admitted to a New York hospital Monday for additional treatment designed to "minimize the potential aggressiveness" of a non-malignant tumor on the right side of his brain.

Atwater's top deputy at the Republican National Committee, Mary Matalin, said in a statement that Atwater entered New York's Montefiore Medical Center for a procedure known as an interstitial radiation implantation.

The procedure involves inserting a radioactive isotope into the tumor,

for which Atwater twice has been hospitalized for treatment in the past month. The statement said the procedure involves local anesthesia and that the isotope would be implanted for five days.

"Consultations with the top brain tumor specialists in the country resulted in a consensus diagnosis that Lee has a small, treatable (tumor) located in the right frontal lobe," Ms. Matalin said in the statement. "After in-depth examination and evaluation, doctors determined that the tumor has the potential to behave aggressively."

The statement said Atwater, after hearing the diagnosis, opted to have the treatment, described in the state-

ment as the "state-of the art method of radiation treatment."

It said results of the procedure would not be known for eight to 12 weeks.

But one of the doctors involved in the treatment was optimistic.

"Mr. Atwater's age and excellent physical condition, together with the early diagnosis of the tumor, its size and location, offer favorable circumstances for successful results," said Dr. Paul L. Kornblith, a neurosurgeon.

Atwater, 39, has been receiving radiation treatments virtually daily since the tumor was diagnosed March 6 after he collapsed while giving a speech at a political event.

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# Lifestyles

## Retarded Citizen Association receives check



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Loyal Order of the Moose Lodge No. 1385 recently presented a check for \$259 to the Gray County Retarded Citizens Association, monies that were raised through the Bingo Charity Fund. On hand to accept the donation were front row from left: Trent Loter, Stephen Counts, George Pierce, and Leonard Owens. Back row from left: Harold Engle, Junior Governor, Ann Loter, treasurer of the Association, Ray Corcoran, Governor, and Randy Swires.

## Not much icing on the cake for holiday birthday babies

**DEAR ABBY:** In response to "A Capricorn," who felt sorry for herself because she had a birthday so close to Christmas:

How would you like to have a Jan. 1 birthday? Almost everyone stays out late on New Year's Eve, and they're either too tired or hung over to remember your birthday. Besides, they're all broke from Christmas shopping.

I'm 70 years old and didn't even have a birthday cake until I was 50, when my daughter surprised me. I came from a large farm family. My mother did a lot of holiday baking, and she couldn't afford to make a special birthday cake for me. Gifts? Forget it.

When my children were old enough to get an allowance, they saved up and bought me a birthday present. I could tell you more, but I think I've made my point.

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**DEAR DOROTHY:** You think you were slighted on your birthday? Read on:

**DEAR ABBY:** I was born in December. So was my husband, same day, so every year we receive one birthday card for the two of us from one of his relatives. The all-time classic was received this year in our Christmas card. It contained the usual printed jargon, was signed by "Harry and Mabel"—and included a P.S. wishing us both a happy birthday! Talk about economizing! Two Christmas greetings plus two birthday greetings—all in one.

I am tempted to send one joint card to Harry and Mabel on Harry's



**Dear Abby**  
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birthday, and include Mabel in the P.S. (Their birthdays are three months apart.) Think they'll get the hint?

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**DEAR ABBY:** I just had to write about my late husband's Dec. 12 birthday. One year my sister forgot his birthday completely, but at Christmastime she arrived with a rather large suit box. Half of it was wrapped in birthday wrapping paper and the other half was wrapped in Christmas paper.

Inside the box was a pair of pajamas—the tops were for his birthday and the bottoms were for Christmas!

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**DEAR ABBY:** My father was born on Dec. 25. When he and I went to Europe for a vacation last summer, as we were going through customs, a cheerful young woman looked at his

passport and exclaimed, "Oh — a Christmas baby!" Dad was 88 years old.

**GERALDINE IN HARTFORD**

**DEAR ABBY:** Because you have been a good friend and booster of Overeaters Anonymous for years, I want to share this with you.

I had been going to O.A. for only a few weeks. On Tuesday night, I was running late and knew I couldn't make it on time, but I decided to go anyway. I rushed from my home to the downtown library where the meetings were held. When I got there, I darted up to the third-floor meeting room as fast as I could. A glance at my watch told me that I was 10 minutes late.

The meeting was already in progress and the members were gathered around the table as usual. I quietly took an empty seat, and everyone stopped what they were doing to look at me.

As was the custom, I spoke up in a loud and friendly tone, "Hi, my name is Nancy, and I'm a compulsive overeater!"

Everyone looked at me and smiled. Then a gentleman said, "That's nice, Nancy; I'm a compulsive overeater, too, but Overeaters Anonymous is meeting on the second floor tonight. This is a meeting of the Coin Club."

**NANCY**

**DEAR NANCY:** Don't be embarrassed about the Coin Club incident. You put your 2 cents in.

Everybody has a problem. What's yours? Get it off your chest by writing to: Dear Abby, P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, Calif. 90069. For a personal reply, please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

## Area poet encourages students to express themselves in words

Marianne McNeil, widely recognized Amarillo poet, recently spoke to 2,000 students at Pampa Middle School and the high school promoting poetry and the Tri-State Fair Literacy Contest.

"I like to read things I can enjoy," says McNeil. "I have a awful lot of fun with my poetry and that's what I'm trying to get across to the students."

McNeil told the youth that as a child she was discouraged by her teachers from trying to write. When her father died in 1980, she needed an outlet to express her grief and wrote a tribute to him.

"Once I started, my feelings just poured out," says McNeil adding that writing poetry can be a cleansing catharsis, a kind of therapy.

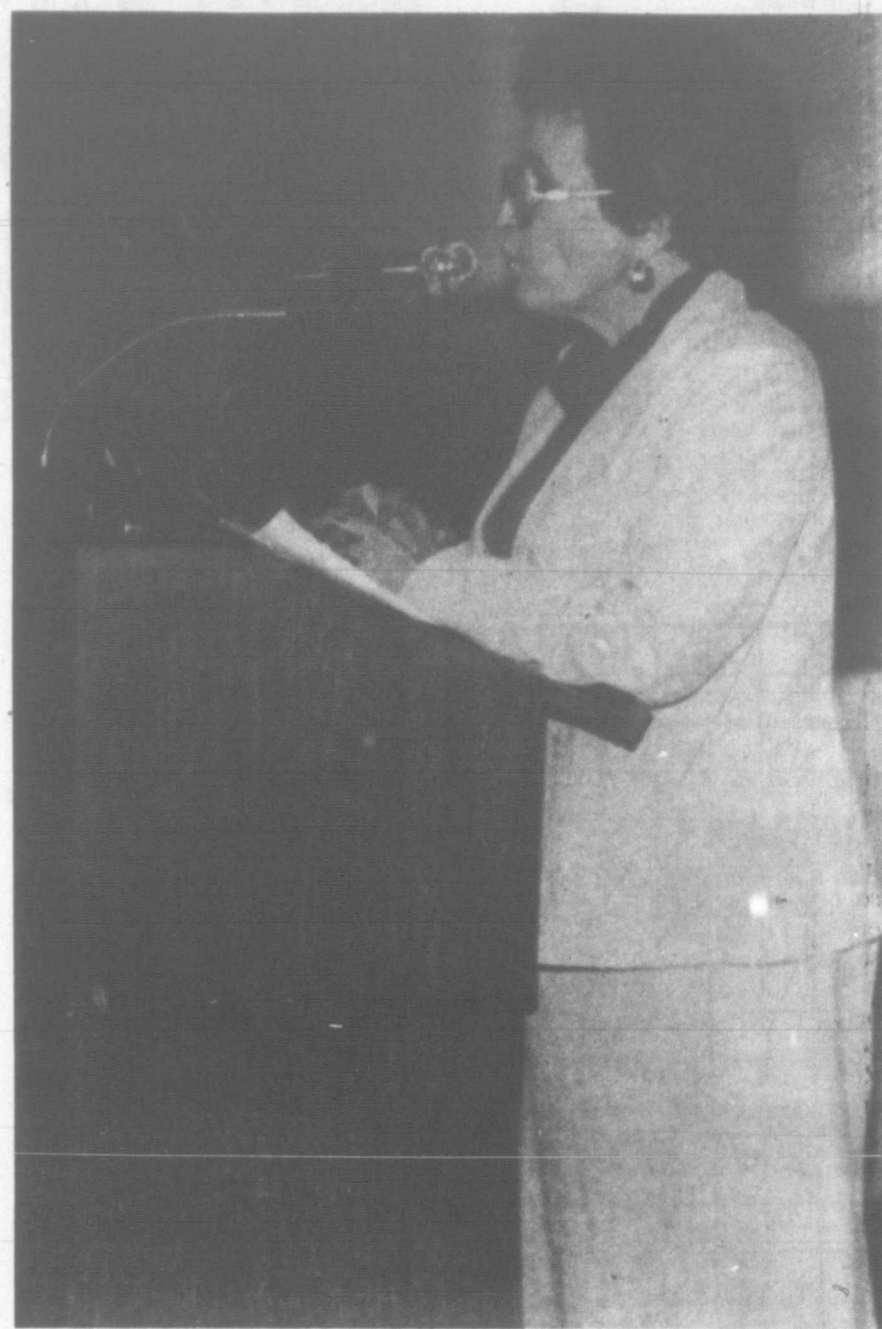
She was first published in 1982. She now has over 400 poems in print and has won over 300 contest awards.

"Writing poetry is a fantastic field," relates McNeil. "It is very exciting to see yourself in print."

McNeil told students that persistence is essential to writing and getting published. She recommended that students subscribe to some good poetry magazines, have a good thesaurus, and work lots of crossword puzzles — an aid to increase vocabulary.

The Tri-State Fair Literacy Contest is open to all ages. There are five categories in prose and poetry for adult writers. Young writers are split in two age levels: younger writers through 12 and 13 to 18 age group.

For a copy of the contest rules, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Marianne McNeil, 7003 Amarillo Blvd. E., Amarillo, 79107.



Marianne McNeil speaks to middle and high school students about writing poetry and being persistent.

## Newsletter by kids stresses eating right

**NEW YORK (AP)** — The latest issue of "Kids for Healthy Heart News" stresses the importance of eating right — and exercising. The newsletter is written by kids, and is

sent without charge to more than 18,000 subscribers nationwide.

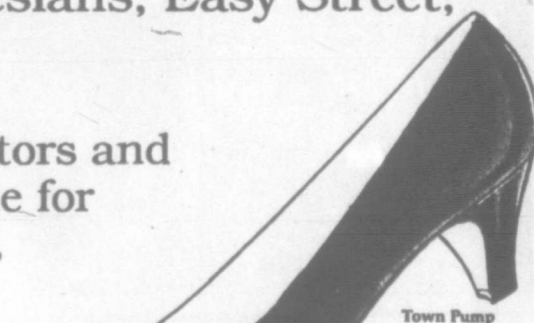
The latest issue includes a snack recipe, an exercise quiz, and tips for

healthy eating on-the-run. For a free subscription, write to: Kids for Healthy Hearts, Box 3449, Battle Creek, MI 49016. The newsletter is sponsored by the Kellogg Co.

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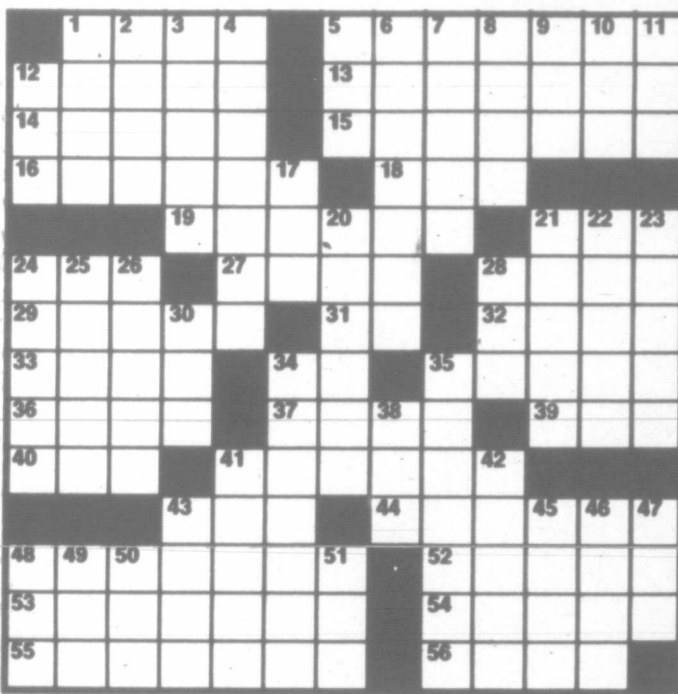
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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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  - 28 Eskimo knife
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  - 35 National
  - 36 Border
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  - 42 Storage building
  - 43 Sneaker
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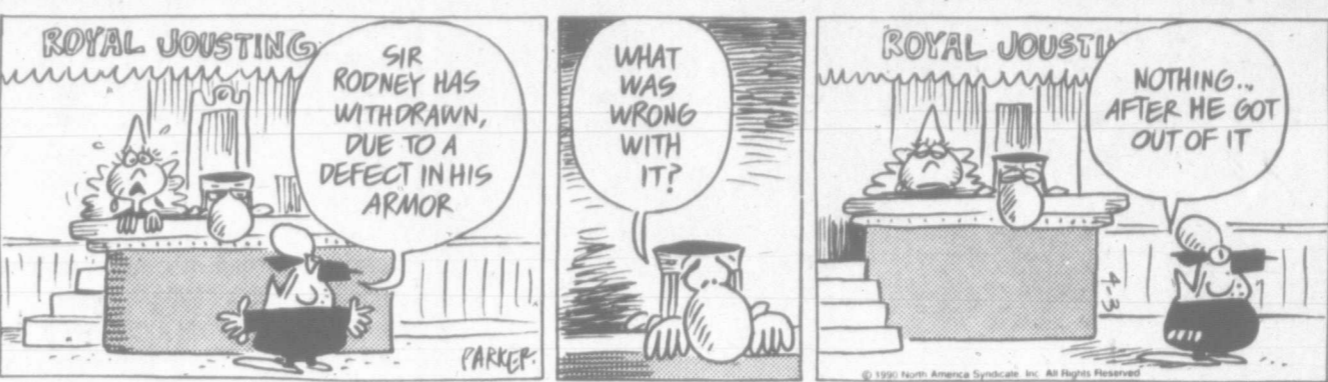


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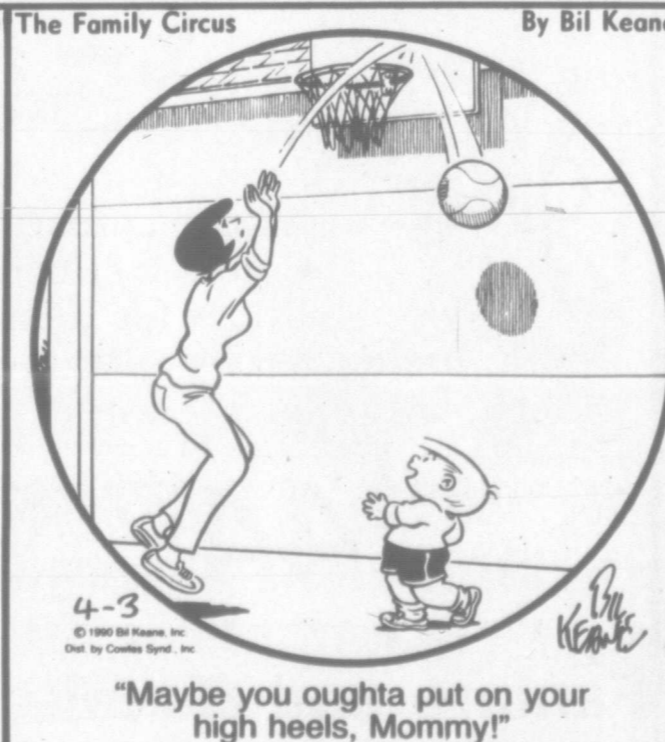
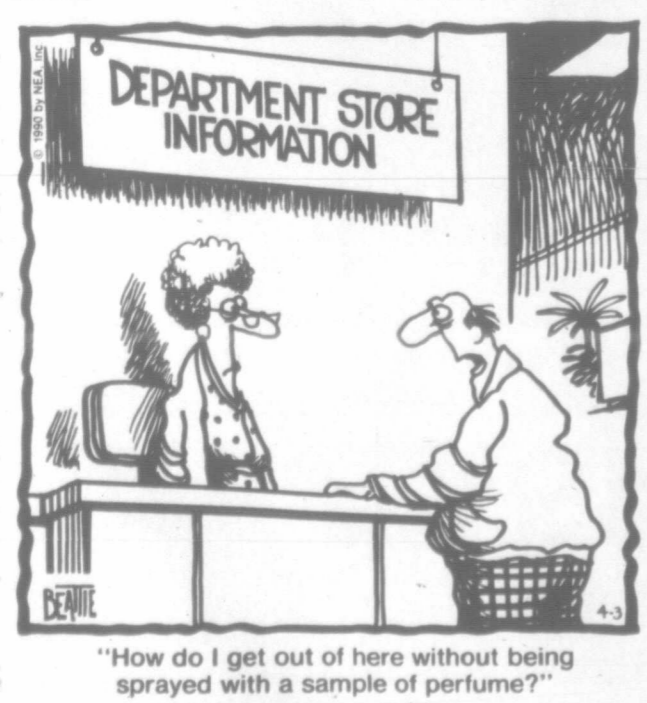
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**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** If you are too assertive you might run into difficulties today when you try to take charge of a development where another strong willed individual has also filed his/her claim to the territory. Aries, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for 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.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Although you and your mate may have a common objective today, a crisis could arise over the way each wants to execute his/her ideas. If neither will compromise, trouble could result.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Usually you are a rather easy person with whom to get along, but today you might have a chip on your shoulder and read more into what people say than they intend and come out swinging.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Do not expect others to protect your interests today in your financial or business dealings. You must look out for yourself or else you may end up with less than what you had when you started.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** As long as you stick to the blueprint you originally envision, things should go rather smoothly today. If you let others cut into on your act, you may have to kiss your chances good-bye.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** In order to be productive today you will have to be well organized and methodical, because if you get off on a wrong tangent, you might not be able to get back on course.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Try to be selective regarding your social activities today. Don't let friends get you involved in something you not only don't enjoy doing, but you feel is too expensive as well.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** No one questions your ability as an achiever, but today you might set goals and objectives for yourself that are actually unattainable. Be practical and realistic regarding your targets.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** Strive to be philosophical regarding today's events instead of making mountains out of molehills. A poor attitude will make life much tougher than it is.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Be both courageous and firm in your business negotiations today, especially if you have to deal with a tough "cookie" who has something you want.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** You are not likely to make good decisions when you are pressured today, so don't let anyone put you in a position where you feel you must come up with an immediate answer.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** Something you previously failed to attend to properly may vie for attention again today. If you don't take care of it now, it will remain a burr under your saddle.

# Sports

## Las Vegas overpowers Duke for NCAA championship

### Rebels produce most lopsided victory in tournament history

By JOHN NELSON  
AP Sports Writer

DENVER — The Tark finally made his mark, and how!

With the most dominating performance in the history of the NCAA championship game, Nevada-Las Vegas beat Duke 103-73 Monday night, giving Runnin' Rebels coach Jerry Tarkanian his first national title.

"You can call us bad guys. You can call us thugs. You can call us hoodlums. But please, at the end of that, just put: national champions," UNLV's Larry Johnson said.

For Duke, the team that's been to the Final Four three straight years and four of the last five without a title, things got worse with experience rather than better.

The 30-point winning margin was the largest in the history of the NCAA's title game, and UNLV was the first team ever to score 100 or more points for the championship. UNLV also had a record 16 steals as the Runnin' Rebels defense contested nearly every Duke pass.

"I'm sorry that we couldn't give them a better challenge," Duke coach Mike Krzyzewski said, "but that doesn't take away from what my team did all season. We just couldn't function out there. That's the best any team has ever played against me.

"There really wasn't much we could do tonight," Krzyzewski said. "They wouldn't let us do anything."

Before Monday night, the most lopsided championship victory was UCLA's 23-point win over North Carolina in 1968. And the most points scored in a title game were 98 in UCLA's 1964 victory over Duke.

Much had been written about this being a battle of good and evil: Duke, with its pristine halls of academic excellence, vs. UNLV, a surreal snakepit of gamblers, gangsters and non-graduates.

But a clarification for re-evaluation came from, of all places, the halls of propriety themselves.

"They are a real classy bunch of kids," Duke's coach said, "and they played their hearts out. They were so gracious to us in victory. If I wore a hat, I would take it off to them."

Tarkanian has been in and out of trouble with the NCAA for more than a decade. He's taken the NCAA to court, and he's taken them to task. Now, he prefers to avoid confrontation.



(At McNichols Arena, Denver)  
**SATURDAY'S SEMIFINALS**  
Duke 97, Arkansas 83  
UNLV 90, Georgia Tech 81  
**MONDAY'S CHAMPIONSHIP**  
UNLV 103, Duke 73

"I really did not want to accept the trophy," Tarkanian said. "I wanted our athletic director to do it, but they said I had to."

It was not a signal of personal revenge, he said, but just the opposite. He didn't want to look like he was gloating, and he wanted the athletic director to accept the trophy for all the people of Nevada.

"Nevadans get knocked a lot," he said. "But I know the city is going crazy right now. ... This obviously was a great win for this team, for our community, and the city of Las Vegas.

"This is not revenge, but it is sweet."

For the Duke players, there was no sweetness, and for many of them, this was not a new experience. Alaa Abdalnaby is one of three seniors on the Blue Devils team, all of whom have been to three Final Fours without tasting the ultimate fruit of their labors.

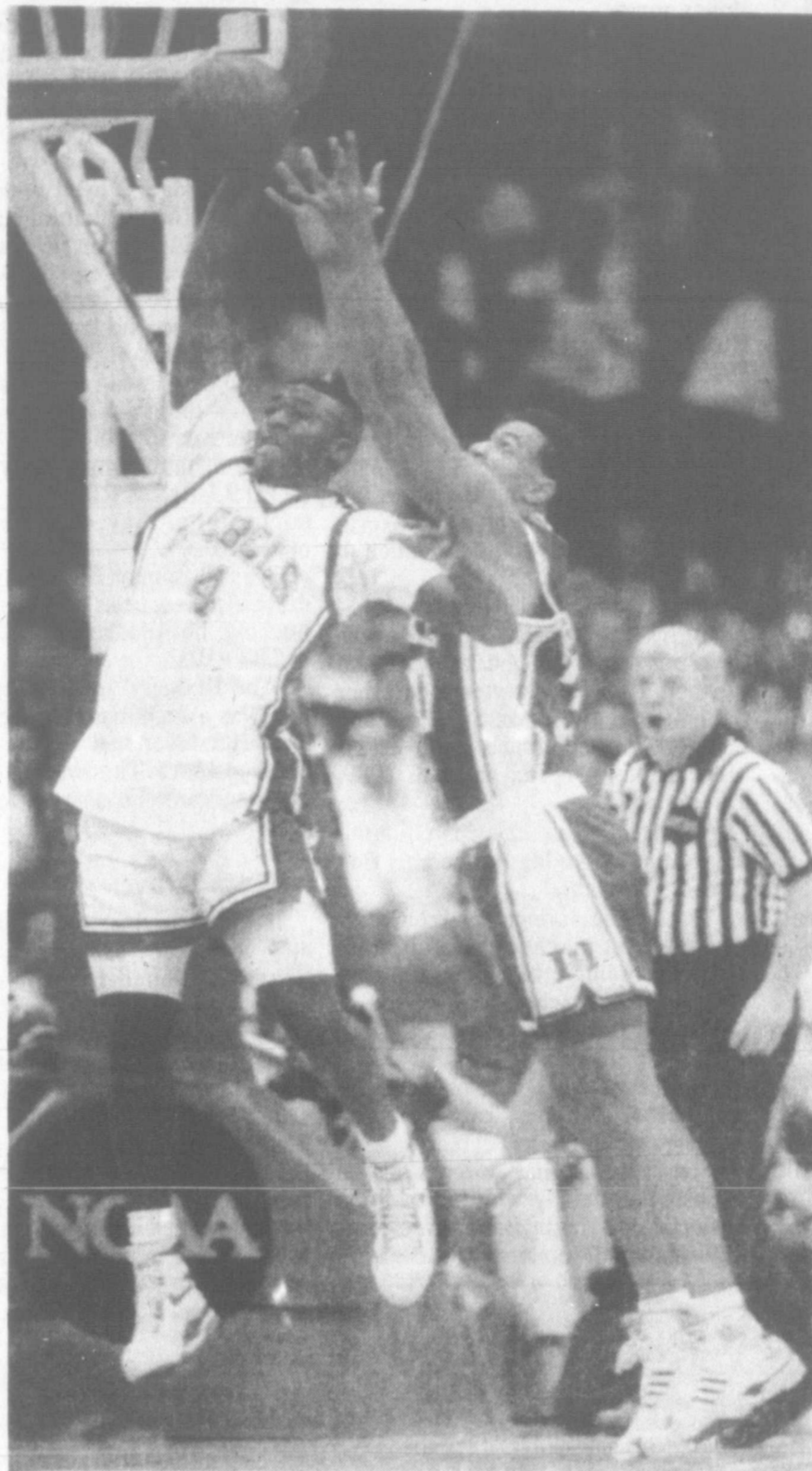
"We played so hard all year long," Abdalnaby said. "This morning, I really thought that we'd play well and that we could win. It's a dream to win the national championship, and for that to not happen and then to have them dominate us, well, I feel terrible."

From almost the outset, the question was not whether UNLV would win. It was by how much.

UNLV led by 12 at halftime, 47-35, and although Duke scored on its first six possessions of the second half, the Runnin' Rebels still led 57-47.

And that's when UNLV began a run of 18 straight points that, in less than three minutes, made a shambles of what little hope remained for Duke.

Eight of the 18 points came on fast breaks, two off steals by Stacy Augmon, the man whose name has become synonymous with defense



(AP Laserphoto)

UNLV forward Larry Johnson beats Alaa Abdalnaby of Duke to the rebound Monday in the NCAA final.

at UNLV. Anderson Hunt had 12 of the points in the run, including two 3-pointers and two fast-break layups.

When it was over, UNLV led 75-47 with 13:18 to play.

"I've never seen a team play so well in a championship game," Duke sophomore Christian Laettner said.

Hunt finished with 29 points for Vegas (35-5). Johnson had 22 points, 11 rebounds, four steals and was a big part of the reason that UNLV scored 32 points off Duke's 23 turnovers.

In one first-half stretch, when UNLV went from a

16-11 lead to a 21-11 margin in 28 seconds, Johnson had two steals and fed Hunt on two breakaways.

"We ran and ran and ran," UNLV reserve forward Moses Scurry said. "We could probably run with the Lakers right now."

Phil Henderson led the Blue Devils (29-9) with 21 points, and Laettner had 15, although most of them came in bunches after long silent periods.

"Usually, we're able to get some fast breaks and some easy baskets off our defense, but there were no easy layups off our defense tonight — not one," Laettner said.

### Despite failures, Tarkanian manages to bounce back

By JIM LITKE  
AP Sports Writer

DENVER — If little else seems right about college basketball, it still makes for great drama: Five months shy of his 60th birthday, Jerry Tarkanian, who is smallish and Armenian and very wealthy, concluded the grandest night of his professional life forever grateful to five young men who were tall and black and very poor.

Only in America. "People use words like 'outlaw' and 'cheat' and he gets knocked in the papers 100 different ways," Lois Tarkanian said of her husband. "But he walks into a gym in a black high school almost anywhere and the kids stand up and cheer.

"I guess it's because they know what it's like to get knocked, too."

They cheer because Jerry Tarkanian of Nevada-Las Vegas (where else could he be from?) takes a flyer on kids grounded in the most squalid sort of reality, from poor schools and poorer homes, the kind of kids that the Dukes of this world can usually afford to avoid.

They do so because Jerry Tarkanian goes out on another limb, no matter that the kid before may have cut it off behind him: His list of failures is at least as long as his list of successes and in trying to shorten the first and lengthen the latter, NCAA investigators have spent more time on his campus than some of his former students.

Just this season, nine different players were suspended for a total of 33 games for infractions ranging from bad grades to fights to forgetting to pay hotel bills and repay student loans. Even as he took home the NCAA's championship trophy Monday night, speculation started anew whether investigators had enough new stuff on him to take the hardware back.

Tarkanian has never been a club-by sort of fellow and when he settled in at an outpost in the Nevada desert, he had little to spend on recruiting and not much of a program to sell to recruits.

He turned to junior college players back then, he once said half in jest, because their cars are already paid for. And as recently as Monday night, he allowed as how he would have loved to have brought the families of many of his players to Denver, but that it would simply give the NCAA's hounds yet another paper trail to start sniffing down.

And he did his best not to gloat.

"This is not revenge," he said, "but it is sweet. I never felt I could win this tournament. I wasn't a great college player, I didn't play at a big-time program and I never coached at one. Usually, the guys who win this played at big-time programs for big-time coaches."

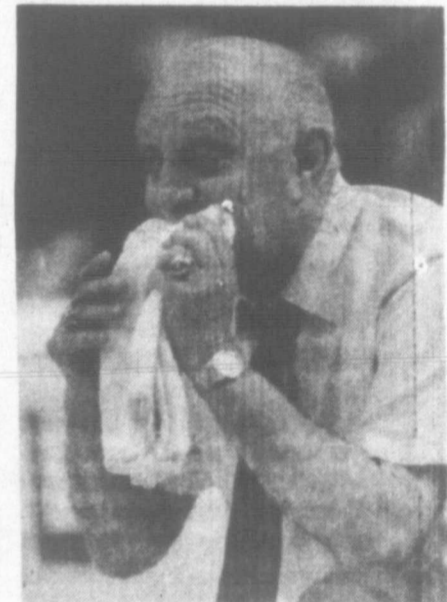
This running battle with the watchdogs has been very emotional, very public and only recently, very costly. Earlier this year, Tarkanian made a temporary peace with the NCAA by agreeing to a settlement wherein he picks up the tab for all the legal fees for court battles dating back to the 1970s. And the last time someone checked the meter, it was about \$320,000.

So why does he do it? Winning is the most obvious answer, and the rewards certainly make it a more attractive proposition. Tarkanian owns the best winning percentage among coaches still working the floor, and this year's Final Four appearance — his third in 17 seasons — guaranteed him a bonus of \$100,000 over and above a handsome salary, the perks and walking-around money a celebrity can pick up in glittering Las Vegas.

But it appears to go deeper than that.

"He identifies with kids who have had a tougher time in life," Lois Tarkanian said. "He got into a little trouble himself as a young man, though nothing serious. And he talks a lot about how, if his own mother hadn't been patient with him, he might not have made it through college."

"And if you know anything about Armenian history," she added, "then you wouldn't have any trouble understanding why."



Tarkanian

## Briefs

### Tennis

**BORGER** — The Pampa High School tennis team finished sixth overall at the Borger Invitational Tournament on Friday and Saturday.

The Lady Harvesters took sixth place in the girls' division with 27 points, paced by Heather Gikas and Allyson Thompson, who were the only Pampa players to make it to the finals. Gikas and Thompson captured second place after falling, 6-4, 6-2, to Gina Alley and Misty Reed of Hereford in the doubles championship.

The Harvesters finished with 30 points to take fifth in the boys division.

Pampa will compete in the Amarillo Relays tournament this Friday and Saturday.

Below are overall, boys and girls team totals from the Borger tourney:

**Overall Totals:** 1. Tascosa 97; 2. Hereford 86; 3. Canyon 76; 4. Borger 66; 5. Perryton 59; 6. Pampa 57; 7. Palo Duro 36; 8. Caprock 30.

**Boys Totals:** 1. Tascosa 43; 2. Canyon 41; 3. Hereford 35; 4. Borger 34; 5. Pampa 30; 6. Perryton 26; 7. Caprock 22; 8. Palo Duro 21.

**Girls Totals:** 1. Tascosa 54; 2. Hereford 51; 3. Canyon 35; 4. Perryton 33; 5. Borger 32; 6. Pampa 27; 7. Palo Duro 15; 8. Caprock 8.

### Track

White Deer's Troy Cummins tuned up for the district meet by winning three events at the Sanford-Fritch Relays last weekend.

Tulia scored 141 points to win the meet title while White Deer finished fifth with 48 points.

Cummins won the high jump (6-6), the 110 hurdles (14.82) and the long jump (21-51/2). He also placed third in the 300 hurdles with a time of 41.52.

White Deer's Ed Barrett was second in the 3200 with a time of 11:08.92.

White Deer tied Stratford for ninth place in the girls' division with 22

### points.

"It was a real competitive meet. There were 15 teams and we were the only Class 1A team entered, so I thought we did pretty good," said Does' coach Doug Porter.

White Deer's Jill Brown was clocked at 16.07 to capture first place in the 100 hurdles.

Brown's teammate, Traysha Wells, tied for third in the high jump at 4-10.

White Deer's 400-meter relay team (Jill Brown, Sonia Nicholas, Traysha Wells and Shelly Turner) finished fifth in 53.05. Their 52.67 in the prelims was their best time of the year.

Although Shelly Turner didn't place in the high jump, her 4-10 leap was her best effort of the season.

White Deer hosts the District 1-1A meet Friday and Saturday.

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Robert Perez, a 1989 graduate of Pampa High School, was a member of the 13th-place team in the distance medley and the 14th-place two-mile relay at the NAIA National Indoor Track and Field Championships held March 2 and 3 at Kansas City, Mo.

Perez teamed up with Joseph Piper, Gary Dick and John Kriegisch for a 10:47.29 clocking in the distance medley relay. He then joined Dick, Mike Pope and Rob Reynolds for an 8:13.31 finish in the two-mile relay.

Perez is a freshman student at Southwestern College in Kansas.

### Softball

The Top O' Texas Kiwanis annual softball tournament is scheduled for May 18 and 19 at Hobart Street Park in Pampa. The tournament is for Men's Division under USSSA rules and each team must furnish its own balls.

The entry fee is \$100 per team and the entry deadline is May 16. For more information contact Steve Randall at 665-2561 (after 6 p.m.), Bob Conway at 665-5544 (between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.) or Richard Matthews at 669-9485 (after 6 p.m.).



White Deer's Jill Brown wins the 100 hurdles.

## Harvester baseball team suffers first setback of season

**LUBBOCK** — Lubbock Estacado managed four runs in the third inning to hand the Harvester baseball team its first loss of a season, a 4-1 setback during District 1-4A action Monday at Matador Field.

Pampa starter Quincy Williams held Estacado scoreless for two innings before Dion Thompson reached base in the third on a bloop to second base. Next up was Malcolm Davis, who rapped a slow roller to Pampa third baseman Zach Thomas. Thomas held the ball, allowing Davis a free trip to first.

Williams loaded the bases when he beamed Estacado's Michael Irvin. Kevin McKenzie sent a hard grounder past Thomas, scoring Thompson and Davis to make it 2-0.

"They loaded the bases without getting a single base hit," said Pampa coach Rod Porter, whose team dropped to 4-1 in district, 10-1 overall. "We made a couple of mental errors, just like we've been doing all year, but if you beat people by 10 points, you don't notice those mistakes."

"They got two hits in that inning to score all four runs."

The two hits were singles from Patrick Williams and Cory Flores to make it 4-0.

Williams, who went the distance on the mound for Pampa, allowed only one other hit on the day as his record dropped to 2-1. He struck out one and walked one.

"Quincy only threw 60 pitches in seven innings," Porter said. "He pitched a great game."

Michael Irvin, who struck out 11 batters and allowed four hits, collected the win to improve to 3-2. He also lasted all seven innings, throwing 107 pitches.

"He threw curveballs in the dirt and we helped him out," Porter said.

Steve Sanders, Brandon Knutson, Breck Beckner and Mike Cagle came up with Pampa's four hits. The Harvesters scored their only run in the fifth inning.

Estacado took over sole possession of first place in the district standings with a 6-0 record, 9-5 overall.

"We played real well," Porter said. "If we'd played anyone but Estacado, we probably could have won it."

## Soccer team begins play today

The Pampa Harvesters open the district soccer season against Canyon-Randall at 7 p.m. today at Martin Road Park in Amarillo, Field #1.

The Harvesters are in their second season of organized soccer while the Canyon-Randall club is making its debut tonight.

"They're probably feeling like we were a couple of years ago," said Pampa coach Mike Redwine. "With both schools combined that gives them several to choose from, so they're going to be pretty good for a first-year team."

Pampa has played one match this season, defeating Chickasha, Okla., 1-0.

"We have 11 people returning from last year, but with only three seniors we're still going to be young and inexperienced. Hopefully, we'll have more upper classmen next year to give us that experienced team."

Midfielder Shannon Cook and goalie Daniel Trejo, both all-district players a year ago, along with Kelly Lowrance and

Chad Etheredge, are Pampa's top returnees.

"I'm looking for these players to provide leadership and set a good example," added Redwine.

Fullbacks Todd Mason and Todd McCavit, both starters a year ago as freshmen, are on the injured list.

"It's left us a little thin. Some of our other kids are going to have to come around," Redwine said.

Pampa, Canyon-Randall, Amarillo High, Tascosa, Palo Duro and Caprock comprise the district.

Pampa will play its first home game on Friday at 6 p.m. against Palo Duro.

The PHS girls soccer team, beginning its first season at the high school level, will open the season Friday at home against Palo Duro. That game also begins at 6 p.m. The boys and girls games will be played simultaneously at different fields.

See Wednesday's edition for a report on today's game.

## Only two days before, Pampa had improved its unbeaten record to 4-0, 10-0 with a narrow, 5-4 victory over Levelland Saturday at Lobo Field.

Senior right-hander James Bybee collected the win to boost his perfect record to 4-0. He relieved starter Brandon Knutson in the fourth inning.

Ledesma of Levelland was credited with the loss.

Pampa chipped away at the Lobos for the first four innings, scoring one run in the first frame, one in the second, two in the third and one in the fourth. Levelland posted a run in the third and three more in the sixth to complete the scoring.

The Harvesters jump right back into District 1-4A action today when they host Dumas at 4:30 p.m. The Demons have a 3-3 record, just behind Pampa in the league standings.

Pampa plays a makeup game in Borger on Thursday at 5 p.m., then travels to Lubbock Dunbar (6-1) on Saturday to take on the Panthers. Dunbar's only loss is to Estacado.

# Padres favored after making strides in off-season

**Editor's Note:** This is the third of a four-part series on the 1990 major league baseball season. Today's installment features the National League West, home to two of the World Series' last four participants.

By **JIM DONAGHY**  
AP Baseball Writer

If Jack McKeon the manager does as well as Jack McKeon the general manager, the San Diego Padres should be a cinch to win the National League West.

McKeon came away from the winter meetings with the biggest prize of the off-season by acquiring center fielder Joe Carter from the Cleveland Indians for Sandy Alomar Jr., Chris James and Carlos Baerga.



### Predicted order of finish

1. San Diego Padres
2. Cincinnati Reds
3. San Francisco Giants
4. Los Angeles Dodgers
5. Atlanta Braves
6. Houston Astros

Graphic by Sonny Bohanan

Carter has averaged 31 homers and 108 RBIs over the last four seasons. In 1989, he hit 35 homers and drove in 105 runs. He's an impact player.

"He works at being a complete hitter and he's unselfish," McKeon said.

Trader Jack also signed free agent reliever Craig Lefferts (20 saves for San Francisco) and added 38-year-old Fred Lynn for some outfield insurance.

Yes, it was a good winter for McKeon and you could tell because his cigars were even bigger than usual.

McKeon, the manager, has to make sure the Padres avoid another miserable start.

Last season, the Padres had several stretches of bad baseball at the start of the season. They made a rush at the Giants in the final weeks of the season by winning 29 of 39, but fell short by three games.

"When everyone finally got here we had a meeting and I said this was a team that could win if we all did what we're capable of," McKeon said.

Carter joins Tony Gwynn (.336), Jack Clark (26 HRs, 94 RBIs) and Benito Santiago (16 HRs, 62 RBIs) in the Padres' lineup.

Clark should benefit most from

having Carter in the lineup as he was walked a major-league high 132 times.

Not everything went right for McKeon during the winter, though. Cy Young Award winner Mark Davis, who saved 44 games, signed as a free agent with Kansas City.

### Cincinnati Reds

The Reds couldn't overcome a season dominated by Pete Rose controversies and lots of injuries, finishing fifth at 75-87.

There's talent on this team — lots of it — and Lou Piniella has the job of putting it together after the sorry Rose era.

Every starter in the Reds lineup was hurt last season except first baseman Todd Benzinger (17 HRs, 76 RBIs). Ironically, Benzinger broke his left hand while taking batting practice during the lockout on March 2.

Shortstop Barry Larkin (.342) missed the second half of the season when he sustained an arm injury during the "skills competition" at the All-Star Game. It was that type of year for the Reds.

Third baseman Chris Sabo, the

rookie of the year in 1988, also spent time on the disabled list and slumped to .260 with six homers and 29 RBIs.

Center fielder Eric Davis hit .281 with 34 homers and 101 RBIs despite missing several games with sore feet. The Reds also need a big season from right fielder Paul O'Neill to turn things around.

Injuries also decimated the pitching staff. Danny Jackson went from 23-8 in 1988 to 6-11.

Jackson is coming off shoulder and toe surgery last season. He didn't get to throw off a mound over the winter because of the amount of time he had to spend on negotiations as the team's union representative.

After Jackson in the rotation, the Reds have Jose Rijo, Tom Browning, Rick Mahler and possibly Jack Armstrong, Scott Scudder or Ron Robinson.

### San Francisco Giants

The Giants' pitching started to fall apart during the playoffs and World Series and they haven't done much to improve on the mound.

Can 40-year-old Rick Reuschel repeat his 17-8 season? Scott Garrelts came out of the bullpen last year and finished 14-5 as a starter. The other starters from 1989, Mike LaCoss and Don Robinson, combined to go 22-21. Mike Krukow, injured most of 1989, has retired.

Manager Roger Craig is counting on a group of young pitchers to find another big winner.

To help the youngsters, the Giants signed free agent catcher Gary Carter. Carter is coming off an injury-plagued season (knees) when he dropped to .183 with only two homers and 15 RBIs.

The Giants also must make up for the loss of reliever Craig Lefferts, who signed with San Diego.

San Francisco has few worries on offense, particularly with the addition of outfielder Kevin Bass. Bass joins Kevin Mitchell (major-league highs of

47 homers and 125 RBIs) and Brett Butler in the outfield.

### Los Angeles Dodgers

The Dodgers finished with the best team ERA in the majors last season at 2.95, but had the lowest batting average, .240.

To add some punch, Los Angeles signed free agent outfielder Hubie Brooks (14 HRs, 70 RBIs for Montreal) and traded Mike Marshall and Alejandro Pena to the Mets for Juan Samuel.

The Dodgers toyed with the idea of moving Brooks to third base, but he will remain in the outfield because of the abbreviated spring training. Samuel will be in center, even though the former second baseman has trouble with shallow fly balls.

One of the biggest reasons the Dodgers' offense fell apart last season was the loss of 1988 MVP Kirk Gibson (.213, 9 HRs, 28 RBIs) had offseason surgery, but may not be ready for opening day.

First baseman Eddie Murray got off to a slow start as he adjusted to NL pitching, but finished with 20 homers and 88 RBIs.

The Dodgers' mealy run-production was a nightmare for the pitchers. Orel Hershiser had a 2.31 ERA but finished 15-15. Tim Lincecum (.282) led the league in shutouts but ended 15-12.

### Atlanta Braves

Despite giving signs last season they were ready to make a move, the Braves finished last for the third straight year with a 63-97 record.

Reason for optimism comes from a group of young pitchers that includes Tom Glavine (14-8), John Smoltz (12-11), Derek Liliquist (8-10) and Mike Stanton (seven saves, 1.50 ERA).

To help provide the pitchers some runs, the Braves signed free agent first baseman Nick Esasky. Esasky, who loved hitting in Atlanta while a mem-

ber of Cincinnati, had 30 homers and 108 RBIs for Boston in 1989. In six seasons with the Reds, Esasky hit .375 with 14 homers and 36 RBIs at Atlanta-Fulton County Stadium.

Joining Esasky in the infield are second baseman Jeff Treadway, shortstop Andres Thomas (13 HRs, 57 RBIs) and newcomer Jim Presley at third (12 HRs, 41 RBIs for Seattle). Presley's power production slumped the last two years, but in Atlanta he may come alive. From 1985-87, Presley averaged 26 homers and 93 RBIs.

The Braves hope Lonnie Smith can provide the numbers he had last season in making a comeback. Smith hit .315 with a career-high 21 homers and 79 RBIs.

Dale Murphy got off to a horrendous start last season, but finished strong with 20 homers and 84 RBIs. The Braves need his bat for an entire season to escape the basement.

### Houston Astros

The Astros needed to make a trade to come up with a big bat over the winter, but came up empty. In fact, Houston's only .300 hitter, Kevin Bass, left to sign as a free agent with the Giants.

After first baseman Glenn Davis (34 HRs, 89 RBIs) there's a big drop in power. Next in home run production was catcher Craig Biggio with 13.

Usually reliable second baseman Bill Doran had an awful second half, going 23-for-176 (.131) after the All-Star break.

For the Astros to be serious contenders, they need a big year from rookie left fielder Eric Anthony (28 HRs, 79 RBIs at Class AA Columbus in the Southern League).

Mike Scott (20-10) and Jim Deshaies (15-10, 2.91) had solid seasons, but Jim Clancy and Rick Rhoden were big disappointments. The Astros simply never recovered from the loss of Nolan Ryan. Houston's 3.91 ERA was the second highest in the league.

## Scoreboard

### Baseball

#### District 1-4A Standings

Team	Dist.	Season
Lubbock Estacado	6-0	9-5
Lubbock Dunbar	6-1	9-5
Pampa	4-1	10-1
Dumas	3-3	4-6
Levelland	2-3-1	5-8-2
Hereford	2-3	3-9
Friendship	2-5	5-10
Borger	0-4-1	2-6-1
Randall	0-5	1-8

**Saturday's Results**  
Pampa 5, Levelland 4; Lubbock Dunbar 7, Borger 1; Dumas 3, Friendship 0; Randall at Hereford was postponed.

**Monday's Results**  
Lubbock Estacado 4, Pampa 1; Friendship 10, Randall 0; Hereford 7, Dumas 0.

**Today's Games**  
Dumas at Pampa; Borger at Lubbock Estacado; Hereford at Friendship; Randall at Levelland; All games begin at 4:30 p.m.

### Exhibition Baseball Standings

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Team	W	L	Pct.
Cleveland	6	3	.667
Texas	7	4	.636
California	6	4	.600
Kansas City	4	3	.571
Seattle	5	4	.556
Boston	6	5	.545
Detroit	4	4	.500
New York	4	5	.444
Chicago	3	6	.364
Minnesota	3	6	.333
Milwaukee	3	6	.333
Toronto	3	6	.333
Oakland	3	7	.300
Baltimore	2	6	.250

Team	W	L	Pct.
Cincinnati	7	2	.778
San Diego	7	2	.778
Montreal	5	2	.714
New York	6	3	.667
Philadelphia	6	3	.667
Pittsburgh	5	3	.625
Los Angeles	4	3	.571
Atlanta	4	4	.500
San Francisco	4	4	.500
Chicago	4	4	.500
Houston	3	5	.375
St. Louis	1	7	.125

**NOTE:** Split-squad games count in standings, ties do not.

**Monday's Games**  
Toronto 7, St. Louis 6  
Los Angeles 2, Atlanta 1  
Cincinnati (ss) 6, Boston (ss) 5  
Cincinnati (ss) 7, Boston (ss) 6  
Montreal 7, New York Mets 0  
Philadelphia 11, Pittsburgh 9  
Kansas City 4, Houston 2  
Detroit 10, Minnesota 2  
Cleveland 6, San Francisco 2  
Chicago Cubs 6, Milwaukee 4, 10 innings

Seattle 3, Oakland 2, 11 innings  
San Diego 5, California 3  
Texas 8, Chicago White Sox 1  
Baltimore 5, New York Yankees 2

**Today's Games**  
Chicago White Sox vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg, Fla., 12 p.m.  
Cincinnati vs. Houston at Kissimmee, Fla., 12:05 p.m.  
Los Angeles vs. New York Yankees at Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., 12:05 p.m.  
New York Mets vs. Montreal Expos at West Palm Beach, Fla., 12:05 p.m.  
Philadelphia vs. Toronto at Dunedin, Fla., 12:05 p.m.  
Texas vs. Pittsburgh at Bradenton, Fla., 12:05 p.m.  
Minnesota vs. Boston at Winter Haven, Fla., 12:05 p.m.  
Atlanta vs. Baltimore at Miami, 12:35 p.m.  
Kansas City vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., 12:35 p.m.  
Milwaukee vs. Oakland at Phoenix, 3:05 p.m.  
Cleveland vs. Seattle at Tempe, Ariz., 3:05 p.m.  
San Francisco vs. Chicago Cubs at Mesa, Ariz., 3:05 p.m.  
San Diego vs. California at Palm Springs, Calif., 3:05 p.m.  
Milwaukee vs. Seattle at Tempe, Ariz., 8:05 p.m.

### Rodeo

#### Tri-State Rodeo Results

**Sunday at Stratford**  
Barebacks — 1. Dewayne Evans, 54; 2. Toby Leffew, Wheeler, 51; 3. Chris Seay, Wheeler, 47.  
Saddle broncs — 1. Brian Jones, Childress, 39.  
Call roping — 1. Newt Hendricks, Happy, 10.315; 2. K.C. Overturn, Floyd, 10.832; 3. Chris Almond, Spearman, 11.949; 4. Cody Gabel, Adrian, 13.407; 5. Twister Cain, River Road, 13.837; 6. Chris O'Neil, Canadian, 13.911; 7. Jerry Don Thompson, Channing, 14.144; 8. Daniel Grubley, Adrian, 15.001.

Steer wrestling — 1. Richard Wood, River Road, 9.451; 2. Spencer Albracht, Tascosa, 12.316; 3. Twister Cain, River Road, 14.143; 4. Jim Boy Nash, Canadian, 31.266.

Team roping — 1. Burt Noland, Hereford, Twister Cain, River Road, 5.202; 2. Marty McCoy, Gruver, Randy McEntire, Wheeler, 6.629; 3. Mark Eakin, Spearman, Randy McEntire, Wheeler, 8.586; 4. Cory McCarty, Happy, Skeeter Longan, River Road, 10.028; 5. Heath Mitchell, Wheeler, Mary Nicholson, Canadian, 10.033; 6. Clint Dearnoud, Chris Almond, Spearman, 13.675; 7. Dusty Harris, Richard Wood, River Road, 15.350; 8. Sage Brittain, Gruver, Richard Chumley, Stratford, 18.842.

Bull riding — 1. Mike Thomas, Boys Ranch, 66; 2. Lance Reed, Canyon, 64; 3. Toby Leffew, Wheeler, 59; 4. Dusty Harris, River Road, 57; 5. Ross Kelso, Wheeler, 55; 6. Stacy Nolan, Gruver, 52; 7. Don Ray Howard, Canadian, 50.

Ribbon riding — 1. K.C. Overturn, Floyd, 4.056; 2. Spencer Albracht, Tascosa, 8.843; 3. Burt Noland, Hereford, 9.613; 4. Chris Cooper, Floyd, 10.418; 5. Bedford Jones, Floyd, 10.449; 6. Shane Goad, Wheeler, 12.461; 7. Rowdy Slavin, Canadian, 12.687; 8. Jens Turner, Dumas, 13.539.

Barrels — 1. Shan Til Hext, Canadian, 17.779; 2. Amy Hill, Channing, 17.882; 3. Kelly McCoy, Gruver, 18.031; 4. Kara Pierce, Canadian, 18.060; 5. Kerrie Pitts, Floyd, 18.121; 6. Lindsey McCasland, Wheeler, 18.531; 7. Jody Pierce, Canyon, 18.895; 8. Tamra Johnson, Pampa, 18.902.

Poles — 1. Amy Hill, Channing, 19.565; 2. Dawn Bleiker, Channing, 21.601; 3. Shelley Thompson, Channing, 26.503; 4. Shan Til Hext, Canadian, 26.804; 5. Leslie Morton, Gruver, 26.975; 6. Donna Hayes, Cunningham, Tascosa, 13.389; 5. Shan Til Hext, Canadian, 13.864; 6. Cydney Morris, Pampa, 14.156; 7. Tamra Johnson, Pampa, 14.422; 8. Dawn Bleiker, Channing, 15.223.

Breakaway roping — 1. Shawna Davidson, Floyd, 2.753; 2. Cody Bell, Canyon, 2.927; 3. Dasha Russell, Wheeler, 3.261; 4. Connie Tevins, Cimarron County, 7.430; 5. Rega Lewis, Hereford, 12.854; 6. Dawn Bleiker, Channing, 17.932; 7. Amy Hill, Channing, 40.157.

All-around boy — Twister Cain, River Road, 17 points.  
All-around girl — (tie) Amy Hill, Channing, and Shan Til Hext, Canadian, 17 points.

**Saturday at Channing**  
Barebacks — 1. Dewayne Evans, Canadian, 64; 2. Toby Leffew, Wheeler, 62; 3. Mike Thomas, Boys Ranch, 45.  
Saddle broncs — 1. Jim Boy Nash, Canadian, 10.  
Call roping — 1. Randy McEntire, Wheeler, 11.146; 2. Bedford Jones, Floyd, 13.764; 3. Burt Noland, Hereford, 14.350; 4. Adam Vozararis, Mulleshoe, 14.949; 5. Jens Turner, Dumas, 15.736; 6. William Gill, Canadian, 15.978; 7. Mike Couch, Adrian, 16.757; 8. Cody Gabel, Adrian, 17.491.

Steer wrestling — 1. Skeeter Longan, River Road, 25.592; 2. Jim Boy Nash, Canadian, 36.183; 3. Spencer Albracht, Tascosa, 53.026.  
Team roping — 1. Skeeter Longan, River Road, Jake Monroe, Dumas, 7.945; 2. Mickey Gomez, River Road, Jerry Don Thompson, Channing, 8.760; 3. Marty McCoy, Gruver, Mark Eakin, Spearman, 8.829; 4. Braden Benson, Tascosa, Gary Labrier, River Road, 9.808; 5. Shane Goad, Wheeler, Twister Cain, River Road, 11.893; 6. Spencer Albracht, Tascosa, New Hendricks, Happy, 13.577; 7. Dusty Harris, Richard Wood, River Road, 13.889; 8. Cory McCarty, Happy, Skeeter Longan, River Road, 15.536.

Bull riding — 1. Ross Kelso, Wheeler, 60; 2. Dewayne Evans, Canadian, 57; 3. Greg Welty, Boys Ranch, 56; 4. Mark Burrell,

### Track

#### Warrior Relays

**Saturday at Miami**  
**GIRLS**  
Team Totals: 1. Gruver 112, 2. Canadian 86, 3. Memphis 84, 4. Wheeler 80, 5. Clarendon 76, 6. Booker 40, 7. Highland Park 28, 8. Sunray 27, 9. Claude 15, 10. McLean 11, 11. Lefors 8, 12. Groom 7, 13. Higgins 6, 14. Shamrock 5, 15. Valley 3, 16. (tie) Darrouzei and Silvertown 2.  
Discus — 1. Cassie McNeess, Canadian, 107.5; 2. Carrie Watson, Lefors, 93-10; 3. Davis, Highland Park, 93-4.  
Shot — 1. Cassie McNeess, Canadian, 33-8; 2. Dena McFalls, Memphis, 32-10; 3. Vicky Cervantes, Canadian, 32-7.  
Long jump — 1. Tammy Helton, Wheeler, 17-3; 2. Karl Burns, Canadian, 16-0; 3. Michie Loyd, Wheeler, 16-0.  
High jump — 1. Carla Henderson, Memphis, 5-1; 2. Williams, Booker, 5-1; 3. Cassie McNeess, Canadian, 4-11.  
Triple jump — 1. Carla Henderson, Memphis, 35-8; 2. Tammy Helton, Wheeler, 35-4; 3. Roxie Hoover, Booker, 33-7.  
400-meter relay — 1. Memphis (T. Henderson, C. Henderson, McFalls and Lamb), 52-73; 2. Gruver, 53-96; 3. Clarendon, 54-45.  
800 — 1. Shelton, Gruver, 2:30.46; 2. Pando, Gruver, 2:39.58; 3. Michie Loyd, Wheeler, 2:44.62.  
100 hurdles — 1. C. Haven, Clarendon, 16:81; 2. Haefer, Gruver, 16:93; 3. Misty Robinson, Canadian, 17:05.  
500 — 1. C. Haven, Clarendon, 17:53; 2. 400-meter relay — 1. Memphis (T. Henderson, C. Henderson, McFalls and Lamb), 52-73; 2. Gruver, 53-96; 3. Clarendon, 54-45.  
800-meter relay — 1. Canadian (Cook, Barker, McNeess and Burns), 7:54.38; 2. Memphis, 1:55.84; 3. Gruver, 1:55.80.  
400 — 1. C. Haven, Clarendon, 2:59.92; 1. C. Haven, Clarendon, 2:59.92; 3. Fox, Sunray, 27.58.  
1600 — 1. Stewart, Highland Park, 5:56.41; 2. Edwards, Clarendon, 6:02.67; 3. Dallas, 6:11.05.  
1600-meter relay — 1. Gruver (Meyer, Vennessen, Pando and Shelton), 4:22.94; 2. Canadian, 4:24.86; 3. Wheeler, 4:34.04.

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### Boys

Team Totals: 1. Clarendon 84, 2. Gruver 83, 3. Valley 82, 4. Canadian 75, 5. Booker 70, 6. Shamrock 43, 7. Higgins 38, 8. McLean 30, 9. Lefors 19, 10. Shamrock 13, 11. Claude 10, 12. Silvertown 7, 13. Follett 6, 14. Clarendon junior varsity 2, 15. Patton Springs 1.  
Discus — 1. Kale Arnold, Canadian, 125-11; 2. Spivey, Gruver, 121-8; 3. Wright, Shamrock, 120-5.  
Pole vault — 1. Justin Price, Canadian, 12-6; 2. Chadwick, Clarendon, 12-8; 3. Kevin Mayfield, Lefors, 12-0.  
Shot — 1. Wright, Shamrock, 46-7; 2. Stewart, Clarendon, 45-7; 3. Kale Arnold, Canadian, 44-10.  
Triple jump — 1. Johnson, Clarendon, 41-2; 2. Seagler, Gruver, 41-0; 3. Willard, Higgins, 41-0.  
Long jump — 1. Hinton, Booker, 20-7; 2. Willard, Higgins, 20-2; 3. Tress Hess, McLean, 19-8.  
High jump — 1. Kahn, Booker, 6-2; 2. Seagler, 6-2; 3. (tie) Brandon Thrasher, Canadian; Shaded, Clarendon, 6-0.  
400-meter relay — 1. Valley (Edwards, Clardy, Smith and Garner), 45-15; 2. Shamrock, 47-00; 3. Clarendon, 47-28.  
800 — 1. Seagler, Gruver, 2:07.87; 2. Rushing, Shamrock, 2:08.75; 3. Campbell, Claude, 2:11.02.  
110 high hurdles — 1. Tudor, Booker, 15:88; 2. Willard, Higgins, 15:07; 3. Mark Comett, Canadian, 15.76.  
200 — 1. Clardy, Valley, 11:10; 2. Hinton, Booker, 11:18; 3. McCoy, Gruver, 11.19.  
400 — 1. Hinton, Booker, 53:20; 2. Donald Harris, McLean, 53:45; 3. Weatherston, Clarendon, 53.72.  
800 intermediate hurdles — 1. Garner, Valley, 40:87; 2. Mark Comett, Canadian, 41:37; 3. Mitchell, Booker, 42.32.  
200 — 1. McCoy, Gruver, 22.66; 2. Edwards, Valley, 23:04; 3. Hinton, Booker, 23.20.  
900-meter run — 1. Merrall, Valley, 4:29.83; 2. Tharon Park, Gruver, 4:57.13; 3. Donald Harris, McLean, 4:57.20.  
1600-meter relay — 1. Gruver (McCoy, Haeniska, Harris, Seagler), 3:36.72; 2. Clarendon, 3:39.81; 3. Valley, 3:40.54.

### NBA Standings

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**EASTERN CONFERENCE**  
**Atlantic Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philadelphia	47	26	.644	—
Boston	43	28	.606	3
New York	40	31	.563	6
Washington	28	44	.389	18 1/2
Miami	17	56	.233	30
New Jersey	16	56	.222	30 1/2

**Central Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Detroit	52	19	.732	—
Chicago	48	23	.676	4
Milwaukee	37	35	.514	15 1/2
Indiana	38	35	.500	16
Atlanta	35	37	.486	17 1/2
Cleveland	34	37	.479	18
Sacramento	17	54	.239	35

**WESTERN CONFERENCE**  
**Midwest Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Utah	50	21	.704	—
San Antonio	48	23	.676	2
Dallas	41	30	.577	9
Denver	37	35	.514	13 1/2
Houston	35	36</		

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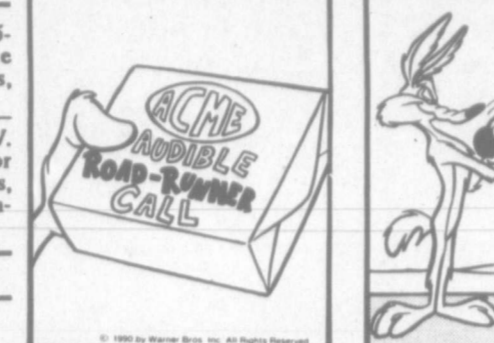
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<b>GRANULATED IMPERIAL SUGAR</b> 5 LB. BAG <b>\$1.89</b>	<b>CHARCOAL 10 LB. BAG KINGSFORD</b> <b>\$2.99</b>	<b>KRAFT ASSORTED BARBECUE SAUCE</b> 18 OZ. BTL. <b>\$1.00</b>	<b>60 SML/44 MED. OR 32 LARGE HUGGIES DIAPERS</b> CONVENIENCE PKG. <b>\$8.99</b>	<b>SPAM ASSORTED LUNCHEON MEAT</b> 12 OZ. CAN <b>\$1.59</b>	<b>HUNT'S ASSORTED SPAGHETTI SAUCE</b> 27.5 OZ. CAN <b>99¢</b>	<b>HORMEL VIENNA SAUSAGE</b> 5 OZ. CANS <b>2 89¢</b> FOR	<b>OCEAN SPRAY CRANAPPLE JUICE OR CRANBERRY JUICE</b> 48 OZ. BTL. <b>\$2.29</b>	<b>HUNT'S ASSORTED SNACK PAK PUDDINGS</b> 4 PK. CTN. <b>\$1.19</b>
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<b>KINGSFORD CHARCOAL LIGHTER</b> 32 OZ. BTL. <b>\$1.89</b>	<b>IMPERIAL BROWN SUGAR</b> 2 LB. BAG <b>\$1.19</b>	<b>IMPERIAL POWDERED SUGAR</b> 2 LB. BAG <b>\$1.19</b>	<b>INSTANT NESTEA TEA</b> 3 OZ. JAR <b>\$2.89</b>	<b>COOKING OIL WESSON OIL</b> 48 OZ. <b>\$2.19</b>	<b>ROOT BEER I.B.C.</b> 6 PK. <b>\$1.99</b>	<b>GLADIOLA BISCUIT MIX</b> 3 8 OZ. PKGS. <b>89¢</b>	<b>GLADIOLA CORN &amp; RICE MIX</b> 3 8 OZ. PKGS. <b>89¢</b>	<b>CHILLED JUICES KRAFT</b> 32 OZ. <b>\$1.19</b>	<b>HUNT'S TOMATO PASTE</b> 2 8 OZ. CANS <b>89¢</b>	<b>STEWED HUNT'S TOMATOES</b> 14.5 OZ. CAN <b>69¢</b>	<b>HUNT'S TOMATO JUICE</b> 46 OZ. CAN <b>99¢</b>	<b>DISH DETERGENT CASCADE</b> 65 OZ. <b>\$2.99</b>	<b>JOLLY TIME MICROWAVE REG./BUTTER</b> 3 PK. CTN. <b>\$1.59</b>	<b>POPCORN COMSTOCK APPLE/APPLE CINNAMON</b> 21 OZ. CAN <b>\$1.19</b>	<b>PIE FILLING DEL MONTE</b> 21 OZ. CAN <b>\$1.19</b>	<b>PINEAPPLE JUICE DEL MONTE REG. OR LITE</b> 46 OZ. CAN <b>\$1.19</b>	<b>FRUIT COCKTAIL DEL MONTE YELLOW HALVES/SLICES</b> 16 OZ. CAN <b>79¢</b>	<b>CLING PEACHES DEL MONTE YELLOW HLVS./SL. LITE</b> 16 OZ. CAN <b>79¢</b>	<b>CLING PEACHES DEL MONTE REG. OR LITE</b> 16 OZ. CAN <b>79¢</b>	<b>PEAR HALVES DEL MONTE ASSORTED</b> 16 OZ. CAN <b>79¢</b>	<b>PINEAPPLE 'N JUICE DELUXE MACARONI &amp; CHEESE</b> 15 OZ. CAN <b>59¢</b>	<b>KRAFT DINNERS</b> 2 14 OZ. BOXES <b>\$3.00</b>	<b>KRAFT DINNER VELVEETA SHELLS</b> 2 12 OZ. BOXES <b>\$3.00</b>	<b>EXTRA THICK AND CHUNKY HUNT'S MANWICH</b> 15.5 OZ. JAR <b>\$1.19</b>	<b>PEANUT BUTTER CREAMY/CRUNCHY PETER PAN</b> 46 OZ. JAR <b>\$4.99</b>	<b>GERHARDT JUMBO TAMALES</b> 28 OZ. CAN <b>\$1.49</b>	<b>RIPE SLICED OR CHOPPED VLASIC OLIVES</b> 11 OZ. CAN <b>69¢</b>	<b>VLASIC BABY DILLS OR DILL SPEARS</b> 16 OZ. JAR <b>\$1.39</b>	<b>SCHILLING MIX FOR SPAGHETTI SAUCE</b> 3 1.5 OZ. PKGS. <b>\$1.00</b>	<b>SCHILLING SEASONING FOR TACO MIX</b> 3 1 1/4 OZ. PKGS. <b>\$1.00</b>	<b>KRAFT ASSORTED SALAD DRESSING</b> 8 OZ. BTL. <b>\$1.00</b>	<b>KRAFT MAYONNAISE</b> 32 OZ. JAR <b>\$2.00</b>	<b>NABISCO RITZ CRACKERS</b> 16 OZ. BOX <b>\$2.19</b>	<b>NABISCO WITH PEANUT BUTTER RITZ BITS</b> 10 1/2 OZ. BOX <b>\$2.19</b>	<b>CHIPS AHJOY OR CHEWY CHIPS AHJOY</b> 18 OZ. BAG <b>\$2.39</b>	<b>NABISCO COOKIES</b> KRAFT REGULAR OR MINI 10.5 OZ. PKG. <b>69¢</b>	<b>MARSHMALLOWS BEEF BROTH SWANSON</b> 15 OZ. <b>39¢</b>	<b>COLGATE INSTANT ASSORTED SHAVE CREAM</b> 11 OZ. CAN <b>79¢</b>	<b>SECRET DEODORANT</b> 4 OZ. <b>\$2.89</b>	<b>SYLVANIA SOFT WHITE 60-75-100 WATT LIGHT BULBS</b> 2 PAK <b>99¢</b>	<b>COLGATE ASSORTED TOOTH PASTE</b> 6.4 OZ. TUBE <b>\$1.49</b>	<b>COLGATE ASSORTED TOOTHBRUSH</b> 1 CT. PKG. <b>89¢</b>	<b>COLGATE ASSORTED MOUTHWASH</b> 12 OZ. BTL. <b>\$1.69</b>
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