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Japan ups aid; Iraq offers free oil to break embargo

By DAVID BEARD
Associated Press Writer

Japan said today it is considering giving \$2 billion in aid to Egypt, Jordan and Turkey, an infusion aimed at strengthening the resolve of nations most severely affected by the U.N. embargo on trade with Iraq.

The announcement came a day after Iraqi President Saddam Hussein sought to puncture the embargo by offering free oil to developing nations. The White House called the move an act of desperation.

The first nations to respond to the offer, the Philippines and Namibia, both rejected it today.

But Cuba and Romania have struck oil deals with Iraq and companies elsewhere are trying to continue trade with Baghdad, a State Department report says. The report, made available to The Associated Press, says some Eastern European countries also are trying to maintain their military sales to Iraq.

The U.N. Security Council ordered the embargo after Iraq's Aug. 2 invasion of Kuwait, and a U.S.-led multinational force is in the Persian Gulf region enforcing the blockade. The United States has sent an estimated 100,000 troops to Saudi Arabia to deter a possible Iraqi attack.

Secretary of State James A. Baker III met in Moscow today with Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze, the Soviet news agency Tass said. The talks follow a weekend U.S.-Soviet summit in Helsinki that produced a strongly worded

statement demanding Iraq's withdrawal from Kuwait.

Baker asked NATO members in Brussels on Wednesday to send ground troops to the gulf region — even as a symbolic presence. There were no immediate offers. Baker also announced that he would visit Syria to coordinate opposition to Iraq with President Hafez Assad. The United States and Syria have longstanding differences over human rights and terrorism, but the Iraqi threat has brought them together.

Syria, Egypt and Morocco are among Arab countries that have sent troops to Saudi Arabia at the desert kingdom's request.

The invasion has shattered the facade of Arab unity. On Monday, 12 of the Arab League's 21 members ignored Iraqi protests and voted to move the league's headquarters to Cairo. Eight members backed Iraq and boycotted the meeting in the Egyptian capital.

Acknowledging criticism about its slow action in aiding multinational efforts against Iraq, the Japanese government today announced that it was considering the \$2 billion in aid to Egypt, Jordan and Turkey.

Tokyo is also considering chartering foreign airplanes to send provisions for the multinational force "as soon as possible," possibly next week, said Hiroyasu Horio, an official with the Ministry of International Trade and Industry.

"The pressure from abroad is getting so strong," Horio said.

Japan earlier this month promised a \$1 billion aid package for the

multinational force, including food, water, vehicles and prefabricated housing for non-military uses.

Critics in the United States have complained that Japan should be doing more, since its economy is heavily dependent on gulf oil.

In other developments:

• Britain's Foreign Office today said a British diplomat in Baghdad is expected to fly to Kuwait to oversee the evacuation of about 100 women and children. Saddam has allowed hundreds of Westerners — mostly women and children — to leave Iraq and Kuwait, but the husbands and fathers of many of these evacuees are among scores of foreigners held by the Iraqis at strategic locations to discourage a military strike.

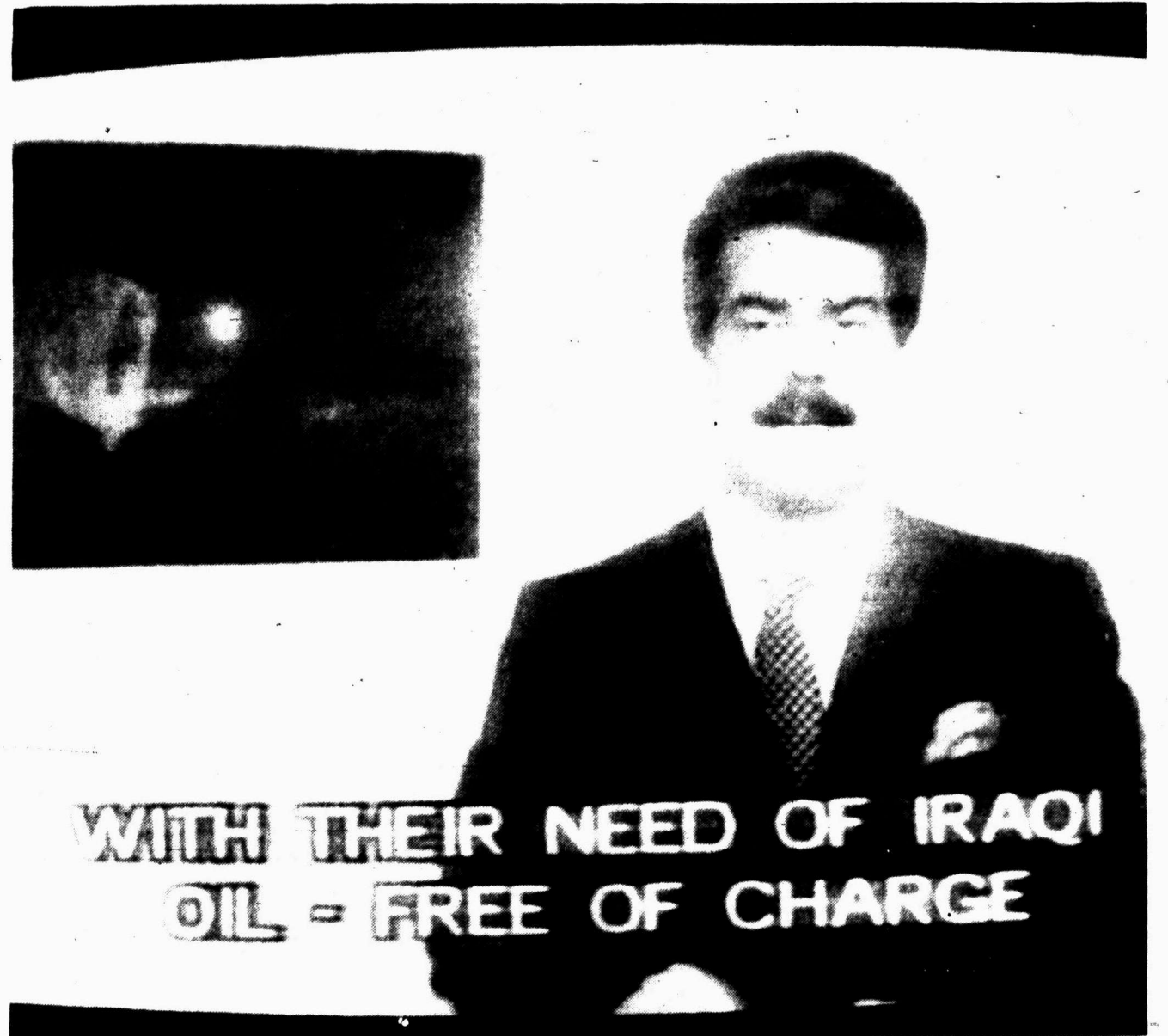
About 2,200 Americans are among the estimated 11,000 Westerners still in Iraq and Kuwait.

• Tens of thousands of destitute Asians and Egyptians were still stuck in baking, dusty refugee camps throughout Jordan, but more aid was arriving.

"It is five or six times better than before," said Dr. Almadin Azim, a physician at Shaalan I, a border camp with 30,000 refugees Monday.

Hundreds of thousands of refugees have crossed the Iraq-Jordan border at the nearby Ruweishid checkpoint since the invasion — and more than 110,000 are stranded in Jordan as attempts are made to get them transportation home.

The International Organization for Migration said in Geneva on Monday there are still 500,000 foreigners who want to leave Iraq.



(AP Laserphoto)

Iraq's star television anchorman Miqdad Morad reads a statement by the country's President Saddam Hussein in this image taken from French television Monday. Saddam offered free oil to third world countries, regardless of their position on the Gulf crisis.

Jack Bailey chosen as Pampa ISD assistant superintendent

By BEAR MILLS
Staff Writer

Dr. Dawson Orr, superintendent of Pampa public schools, announced this morning the promotion of Jack Bailey from director of purchasing to assistant superintendent.

Bailey, who moved to Carver Center in June after several years as principal of Travis Elementary, will oversee purchasing, at-risk programs, student support services, transportation and food service.

Orr said the change will mean Jane Steele will now be responsible for overseeing all academic operations, kindergarten through grade 12.

Under previous superintendent, Dr. Harry Griffith, Steele handled elementary grades and Orr was responsible for the middle and high schools, with purchasing and transportation handled by a director, rather than an assistant superintendent.

"In working in this role, in an interim role and then officially since August 20th, I really drew some conclusions about what the needs of the district were," Orr said. "When you first step into a job, you have a sense of what the needs are of the job, as well as the job you left."

"That was my perspective. In looking at the needs of the district, I came to the conclusion we had a very qualified person within the

district who could provide leadership to the program areas that I felt were needed."

Bailey, a 22-year veteran of PISD, was selected over 30 outside applicants, Orr said.

"Jack is a former superintendent for Allison, so we are very pleased to have him in this role," he said.

Bailey's new job becomes effective immediately.

"I'm really excited," Bailey said. "I've thought about this for some time and started to make this move five or six years ago, but then decided not to. I'm certainly looking forward to the things I have in my job description."

Bailey said his supervision of the at-risk program, formerly

headed by Griffith's wife, Sally, will include "getting out visiting with principals and counselors to see how many students we do have at risk and to work with administrators and counselors in solving these problems."

In addition to his other responsibilities, Bailey will be responsible for personnel in the district, a position formerly held by Paul Payne.

Payne will now be conducting teacher appraisals, along with principals and outside appraisers.

Those appraisals are mandated by state law, and if personnel from within the district cannot conduct them, they must be done by contracted persons with the proper credentials, officials said.

Orr said the elimination of a purchasing director and the realignment of responsibilities will mean a \$40,000 annual savings for the district.

Grant-writing duties, which were once in the job description of Mrs. Griffith, will now be handled

by a team of administrators and teachers, on an "ad hoc" basis, Orr said.

Betty Beyer is taking over another portion of the duties once supervised by Mrs. Griffith, serving as lead teacher at Pampa Learning Center. Beyer has served as a Chapter One teacher and METS trainer for the district.

Bailey said while he is looking forward to his new responsibilities, he is missing the regular contact with students, teachers and parents that he had as principal.

Mandela meets with De Klerk; 25 die in black faction fighting

By BARRY RENFREW
Associated Press Writer

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — At least 25 people died today in black faction fighting, and African National Congress leader Nelson Mandela said the government's failure to halt the carnage put the peace process "in distress."

Mandela led an ANC-delegation that met with President F.W. de Klerk to discuss violence that has plagued black townships near Johannesburg since Aug. 12, claiming more than 650 lives.

"The government came under heavy attack (during the meeting) for its failure to take visible measures to deal with the situation," Mandela told journalists, adding that he accused the government of waging war against the ANC.

He said the ANC would do everything possible to continue talks with the government on a new constitution to give the black majority political power.

But there was no doubt "the peace process is in distress," Mandela said.

Police said 22 people were killed early today in fighting in Katlehong township and two were killed in Vosloorus. Rival bands of Zulus and Xhosas fought with axes, spears and knives.

At least one black man was hacked to death today and several injured on a train in Johannesburg by men with machetes who rampaged through carriages attacking passengers, police said.

The fighting has largely pitted Xhosas and other blacks loyal to the ANC against Zulus tied to the conservative Inkatha party. Both factions oppose apartheid but differ over leadership and plans for a future South Africa.

Constitution Development Minister Gerrit Viljoen attacked Mandela for his criticism of police during the fighting, and charged the ANC was not helping to end violence. It was the strongest attack on Mandela by the government in recent months.

"Mr. Mandela lays all responsibility for curbing violence on the shoulders of the government. All political organizations have a duty and responsibility actively to contribute towards calming excited emotions and



(AP Laserphoto)

Political prisoner Mikki Xhayiya raises his fist in a salute to well-wishers today at his release from Robben Island, South Africa, prison.

restoring peace and stability," Viljoen said in a statement Monday night.

"The ANC ... must cease claiming total innocence for themselves and their followers, and laying blame on their opponents, or the police," he said.

Mandela and the ANC, the country's largest black opposition group, have repeatedly charged that police instigated violence or aided Inkatha fighters. Police and government officials have rejected the charges.

Lefors City Council approves retirement plans for Pittman

By BETH MILLER
Staff Writer

LEFORS — Lefors City Council on Monday unanimously approved a retirement plan consisting of free city utilities for retiring City Secretary Yvonne Pittman.

Pittman officially retired effective Sept. 1, but has continued to aid the new city secretary and has said she will do so through Oct. 1. She served the city for 26 years.

Mayor Gene Gee and city councilmen have repeatedly complimented Pittman on the job she has done and for her service to the city.

Councilman Larry Fulton made the motion to approve the free city utilities to her home. The motion was seconded by Councilman Ben White.

In unrelated business, Gee said a Lefors resident had filed a complaint about alleged burning at the dump ground with the Air Quality Control Board and the Texas Department of Health. A representative with the Air Quality Control Board was in Lefors last week and

notified the city that the first offense for burning is a \$900 fine, the second offense is a \$1,800 fine and third offense is a \$2,700 fine. No fine has been levied at present.

Gee told the City Council that "unofficial" tallies from the Census Bureau on Lefors' population show a sharp decline from 1980. The figures show 656 people counted on April 1, compared to the 826 population listed for 1980.

The City Council took no action on a request from Larry Daniels for reimbursement to Daniels' mother for part or all of a \$110 plumbing bill. The city had said the sewer problem was on the private line, but a plumber called out by Daniels' mother said the problem was on the city line.

The Council also discussed, but took no action on hiring an auditing firm to complete the annual audit. The consideration of hiring an auditor is set for the Oct. 8 meeting.

Mayor Gee also reported to the City Council that there is virtually

nothing that can be done by the city at this time regarding the raising of rates by Mission Cable. Gee explained that it is in the cable company's contract that rates can be raised whenever the company decides to do so.

He said the only recourse would be to get a new company to come in or negotiate with Mission Cable at the end of the company's contract with the city.

Gee also reported that he had learned from the Gray County Appraisal District that the city can do nothing to stop a lawsuit filed on behalf of the city against Bobby Thacker regarding past ad valorem taxes.

Thacker had requested at a prior City Council meeting that the city look into the situation because he said the some of the property tax in question was on property he did not own.

City Council members also went into a brief executive session. No action was taken following the closed meeting.

Plans underway for Hodge luncheon

Jerry Hodge, vice chairman of the Texas Board of Criminal Justice, will be honored for helping to get the city a state prison at a Pampa luncheon this Thursday, Sept. 13.

Scheduled for the M.K. Brown Civic Center Heritage Room, the luncheon will feature remarks by Randy McLeod, warden of the Clements Unit in Amarillo, as well as a brief address by Hodge.

Tickets for the event are \$7.50 per person and are available at the Pampa Area Chamber of Commerce, 200 N. Ballard.

Hodge has been termed "instrumental" in helping Pampa get a 1,000-bed minimum security prison.

"We want to thank this man, without whom Pampa would not have a state prison or the \$7 million annual payroll that accompanies it," said Bill Waters, president of the Industrial Foundation.

"While it's dangerous to single out any one person, because there were so many involved in the prison effort, Jerry Hodge was the one person who we could not have gotten the prison without," Waters added.

Hodge could be named today as new chairman of the TDCJ, pending an announcement by Gov. Bill Clements.

Waters said the luncheon will begin at 11:45 a.m. and is scheduled to conclude by 1:15 p.m.

"So many of us have wanted to say thank you for the new prison, and this is our chance," Waters said.

No date has been set as yet for construction to begin on the prison, but the city last week passed a bond issue that will provide water and sewer lines to the site.

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Services tomorrow

LOWRIE, Robert Dale - 11 a.m., First United Methodist Church, Wheeler.

Obituaries

ROBERT DALE LOWRIE

WHEELER - Robert Dale Lowrie, 60, of Pampa, died Sunday, Sept. 9, 1990. Services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday in First United Methodist Church of Wheeler with the Rev. M.B. Smith, retired Baptist minister, and the Rev. Weldon Rives, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery under the direction of Wright Funeral Home.

Mr. Lowrie was born in Longmont, Colo., and lived in Pampa for 34 years. He was a member of Pampa Moose Lodge and had worked for Cabot Corp. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran and member of Hobart Baptist Church of Pampa.

Survivors include a son, Kenneth Wayne Lowrie of Pampa; three daughters, Barbara Suzanne Smith of Amarillo, Peggy Ricketson of Dumas and Carol June Patterson of Carrollton; a brother, Donald B. Lowrie of Wheeler; and seven grandchildren.

Correction

An article in Sunday's *Pampa News* incorrectly stated the time for the weekly United Way check-ins beginning this Thursday. The correct time is from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. each Thursday through Nov. 1. The newspaper regrets the error.

Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa:	Cabot O&G.....18	up 1/4
Wheat.....2.26	Chevron.....76 1/4	dn 1/8
Milo.....3.70	Coca-Cola.....42 1/8	dn 1/8
Com.....3.96	Enron.....54 1/2	dn 1
The following show the prices for which these securities could have traded at the time of compilation:	Halliburton.....53 5/8	dn 5/8
Ky. Cent. Life.....10 1/8	Ingersoll Rand.....42 1/2	NC
Serfco.....7 5/8	KNE.....26 1/8	NC
Occidental.....23 1/8	Kerr McGee.....49	dn 1/4
The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation:	Limited.....15 1/2	up 1/4
Magellan.....53 5/8	Mapeco.....43 3/4	NC
Putnam.....12 1/5	Maxus.....11 7/8	dn 1/8
The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa:	McDonald's.....27 3/8	dn 1/4
Amsco.....57	Mesa Ltd.....5 3/8	up 3/8
Arco.....135 3/4	Mobil.....65 1/8	dn 1/4
Cabot.....27 3/8	New Atmos.....17 3/8	NC
	Pennex.....45 3/8	dn 1/8
	Phillips.....28 1/8	dn 1/4
	SLB.....64 7/8	dn 1/2
	SPS.....26 1/4	dn 1/8
	Tenneco.....58 5/8	up 1/4
	Texaco.....63 1/8	dn 1/4
	Wal-Mart.....27 1/4	up 1/4
	New York Gold.....NA	
	Silver.....NA	

Fires

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

Emergency numbers

Ambulance.....	911
Crime Stoppers.....	669-2222
Energas.....	665-5777
Fire.....	911
Police (emergency).....	911

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL		Dismissals	
Admissions		Vivian Collins, Pampa	
Vera Forman, Amarillo		Sarah Collins, Pampa	
Thelma Hughes, White Deer		Laura Jernigan, Pampa	
Denda Maddox, Pampa		Janice Shafer, Canadian	
Kristi Maddox, Pampa		La Velda Tingleff, Pampa	
Ruth McQueary, Pampa		Joe Trevino, Amarillo	
Esther Stone, Pampa		Willie Winegeart, Pampa	
John Willis, Pampa		SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions	
Blanche Withers, Pampa		None	
Trenton Young, Pampa		Dismissals	
Bessie Marie Mastin (extended care), Pampa		Wanda Bachman, Shamrock	
Clara Rhoades (extended care), Pampa		LaJune Alexander, Wheeler	
		Leslie Batenhorst and baby girl, Shamrock	

Police report

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

MONDAY, Sept. 10
 Karen Nutt, 424 N. Dwight, reported criminal mischief at the residence.
 Don Hughes, 1032 S. Somerville, reported criminal mischief at the residence.
 Russell Jackson, 213 N. Gray, reported a theft at Frederic and Barnes streets.
 Darlene Brown, 931 E. Browning, reported a theft at 745 W. Wilks.
 B. Max Robins, 1114 Mary Ellen, reported lost property at an unknown location.
 Police reported a sexual assault in the 1000 block of North Sumner.
 Furr's Corporation, Lubbock, reported criminal trespassing at 1420 N. Hobart.
 B.R. Bansickle, 331 N. Faulkner, reported unauthorized use of a motor vehicle at the residence.
 Karen Hunter, 1632 N. Faulkner, reported criminal mischief at 409 Magnolia.

TUESDAY, Sept. 11
 Michael Eugene Daniels, 38, 1001 S. Wells, was arrested in the 600 block of West Crawford on a charge of public intoxication.

Minor accidents

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

MONDAY, Sept. 10
 12:22 p.m. - A 1980 Ford driven by Robin Talbot, 822 Murphy, collided with a 1979 Chevrolet driven by Joyce Mullen, Box 1137, in the 700 block of South Finley. Talbot was cited for failure to yield right of way.

Desert Shield group offering yard signs supporting military

By BEAR MILLS Staff Writer

Yard signs supporting military personnel involved in Operation Desert Shield are available from the Desert Shield Support Group in Pampa.

Andora Thurman, organizer of the group, said the yard signs are \$30 each, which covers the cost of making and distributing the signs. The group will derive no profit from the sign sales, Thurman said.

"They are not just for those who have family in the Middle East, but for anyone who wants to show support of our servicemen and women," Thurman said.

The signs feature the wording "In support of our service members in Operation Desert Shield" and the insignias of all four branches of the military.

Thurman said the signs, designed by Tim Fisher, are available by calling 669-6015 or 665-0836.

In addition, Thurman announced the local Veterans of Foreign Wars post is selling American flags for \$15.

John Triplehorn, Gray County Veterans Service Officer, said a petition supporting personnel in Operation Desert Shield is being circulated at several Pampa businesses.

"This is the same petition that was out at Chautauqua," Triplehorn said. "We don't want this to be partisan or political. This is a bipartisan effort to show Congress our



WE SUPPORT OUR SERVICE MEMBERS IN "OPERATION DESERT SHIELD"



Tim Fisher's design of yard signs supporting military personnel

support for these people who are defending American interests in the Gulf area."

Triplehorn said petitions are available for signing at Alco, J.C. Penney's, Anthony's, Wayne's Western Wear, Heard Jones Drug and Danny's Market.

As a veteran, Triplehorn said he knew personally how isolated and forgotten military personnel could feel. He and members of the local

VFW are hopeful that word of the petition will reach service people in the Mideast via congressional channels, to let them know "that we in the Panhandle are remembering and supporting what they are doing," Triplehorn said.

Thurman said the Support Group meets the first and third Thursdays of the month at 7 p.m. in the Flame Room of Energas Co., 220 N. Ballard.

Borger to host Veterans Appreciation Day

BORGER - Thousands of area residents are expected to gather in downtown Borger for the Fifth Annual Veterans Appreciation Day parade set for 10:30 a.m. Saturday.

Donald R. Waak, president of the Texas State Council, Vietnam Veterans of America, will be the parade grand marshal. While in Vietnam, Waak served with the famed 101st Airborne Division.

Since 1988, he has been involved in the re-adjustment coun-

seling of Vietnam era veterans, and is presently with the Amarillo Vet Center.

Joe Watson, parade chairman, said more than 100 entries have been received by the three sponsoring organizations.

The parade is set to begin at 10th and North Main streets and proceed south down Main to Grand Street in south Borger.

After the parade, veterans from throughout the Panhandle will be

treated to a free dinner at the Aluminum Dome, Watson said.

The parade and Veterans Appreciation Day activities are co-sponsored by the American Legion Post 671, Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1789, and North Plains Chapter 404, Vietnam Veterans of America, and their auxiliary units.

To enter the parade, call the American Legion at 273-5322; VFW at 273-3512; or Vietnam Veterans at 273-3218.

Crimestoppers

Crimestoppers of Pampa reported today it is attempting to make contact with an anonymous caller who holds potentially important information regarding several burglaries around the city.

Cpl. Dave Wilkinson said caller #7529, who called Crimestoppers on Monday, Aug. 27, at 9:30 a.m., with information about several bur-

glaries, needs to make fresh contact.

"We need to know what items they know about and from what burglaries they came and when this person last saw these items," Wilkinson said. "We could run a search warrant, but right now we don't know what to look for."

Wilkinson said the caller could

contact 669-2222 with the information, as well as any subsequent information they may have.

Crimestoppers pays cash rewards of up to \$2,000 that leads to the arrest and indictment of a person allegedly committing a felony crime, including the sale, manufacture or distribution of illegal drugs.

Officials: Comanche Peak reactor shut down after turbine accidentally tripped

GLEN ROSE (AP) - Plagued with problems since it went into operation, a unit of the Comanche Peak nuclear power plant remains shut down today after a turbine accidentally tripped, experts said.

The nuclear plant's Unit 1 remained idle while federal regulators tried to analyze problems, which also stemmed from a stuck control valve on Friday and a lightning strike on Saturday.

"The plant remains down at this time," spokesman Jerry Lee said early today. "We are continuing to evaluate what we need to do and what we want to do before moving forward."

He said it would probably be later today, at the earliest, before the plant located about 45 miles southwest of Fort Worth is restarted.

"We may take this opportunity to do a few maintenance items before we move back into power," said Lee.

An operator accidentally caused a turbine to trip off Monday, and the reactor automatically shut down, he said.

Lee said a control valve stuck in the open position Friday, resulting

in another shutdown. Lightning hit the Unit 1 containment building Saturday in what officials described as a direct strike.

The plant, owned by TU Electric, underwent three "unusual events" in a four-month period earlier this year, prompting an investigation by federal authorities.

The latest problems began shortly after midnight Friday when a feed water control valve to the No. 2 generator had a malfunction in its control arm mechanism.

"That valve failed and that caused high water to the No. 2 generator," said Lee. "A reactor trip was associated with that. The plant stayed down through early Saturday morning."

The plant was back up to 40 percent power when lightning hit the containment building about 2:30 p.m. Saturday, he said.

"Associated with the strike, there was a false reading to the nuclear instrumentation," said Lee. "It picked up a vibration or sound in the ground system to the nuclear instrumentation, causing a

reactor trip."

The reactor remained down through Sunday morning for what Lee described as a "post-trip review" and then plant technicians began to increase the facility's power again.

But the reactor controls tripped again about 9:10 a.m. Monday, he said, after a problem with a moisture separator reheater.

"We had a high water level alarm in that moisture separator reheater," said Lee, adding the device is supposed to separate moisture droplets from steam that has pushed past reactor turbines.

Lee emphasized that the three problems were not "unusual events."

"They are not emergencies. They are operational problems," he said.

A spokeswoman for TU Electric in Dallas said she could not comment on the problems.

After a 10-year licensing battle, the \$9.1 billion plant began operation April 4. The Unit 1 reactor produces 1,150 megawatts of electrical power. The second unit has not begun generating electricity, officials said.

Roslyn Watson to run as write-in candidate for Carson County tax assessor/collector

Roslyn Watson has withdrawn her name from the Republican ticket as a candidate for the unexpired term of Carson County tax assessor-collector.

She will seek the office in the Nov. 6 election as a write-in candidate.

The Texas Election Code states that "... a person who voted at a primary election ... is ineligible for a place on the ballot for the succeeding general election for state or county officer as ... the nominee of a political party other than the party

holding the primary in which the person voted ..." (Sec. 162.015.)

Carson County Commissioners' Court approved Watson to serve as county tax assessor-collector until the end of 1990, after the death of C.L. (Lloyd) Sterling, its incumbent candidate. Watson has worked in the tax office for 17 years, five of those as chief deputy.

The Carson County Republican Party Executive Committee nominated Watson as its candidate after the Democratic Executive Commit-

tee failed to nominate her as its candidate for the November election.

Republican County Chairman Jeri Osborne had discussed the procedures and qualifications for nominating Watson with the Secretary of State staff attorney prior to the Republican nomination, and was told that her nomination would qualify.

Osborne said she regrets Watson was forced to resign as the Republican Party candidate, but is pleased that she will be a candidate by write-in.

City briefs

BRICK REPAIR. If your home has brick that need repair, call Harley Knutson. 665-4237. Adv.

SHOP V.J.'s fall fashion selections. Size 4-18. For bargains check our sale rack. V.J.'s Pampa Mall. Adv.

FREE FLEA and Tick Dip with grooming. Mona 669-6357. Adv.

ORVILLE'S DINER Open 7-2, Monday-Saturday, due to illness we were closed for awhile. Sorry for the inconvenience. We have our breakfast and lunch specials, and look forward to seeing you again. Orville. Adv.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY James! Love Alicia and Julie. Adv.

BUY ONE T-shirt get second T-shirt 1/2 price. Major League Sports. 321 N. Ballard. Adv.

HAIRDRESSER WITH clientele needed, a Touch of Class Salon, 308 W. Foster, 665-8401. Adv.

ROBERTO ROMA Handbags. Pampa News Stand, 114 N. Russell. Adv.

UNIGLOBE COMPLETE Travel now open. 1538 N. Hobart, 669-6110. Adv.

GUARANTEED, AFFORDABLE Roofing. Free estimates. 665-7006. Adv.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST
 Tonight, isolated evening thunderstorms with a low near the 60s. Wednesday, partly cloudy with a high near 90 degrees. Monday's high was 89 degrees; the overnight low was 59 degrees. Pampa recorded .08 of moisture in the 24-hour period ending this morning.

REGIONAL FORECAST
 West Texas - Partly cloudy tonight with widely scattered thunderstorms. Lows mainly in the mid-50s to mid-60s. Mostly sunny north and west of the mountains Wednesday, partly cloudy south with widely scattered afternoon thunderstorms. Highs in the mid- to upper 80s except in the lower 90s west of the mountains and near 100 Big Bend.

North Texas - Partly cloudy west through Wednesday with a chance of thunderstorms. Showers and thunderstorms likely central and east through Wednesday, rain heavy at times. Lows tonight mid- to upper 60s. Highs Wednesday 85 east to 90 west.

South Texas - Mostly cloudy with scattered to numerous showers and thunderstorms through Wednesday. Heavy rainfall is possible, mainly during the afternoon and evening hours. Highs Wednesday in the 90s west and inland south, 80s elsewhere. Lows from the mid- and upper 60s Hill Country to the 70s elsewhere.

EXTENDED FORECAST
 Thursday-Saturday

West Texas - Panhandle, South Plains, partly cloudy. Highs in the lower 90s Thursday and in the mid-80s Friday and Saturday. Lows in the upper 50s to mid-60s. Permian Basin, Concho-Pecos Valley, partly cloudy. A little cooler Saturday. Highs in the lower 90s to upper 80s. Lows in the mid- to upper 60s. Far West, partly cloudy. Highs in the upper 80s. Lows in the lower 60s. Big Bend, partly cloudy with isolated thunderstorms each afternoon. Highs from the lower 80s mountains to the upper 90s river valleys. Lows from the upper 50s mountains to the upper 60s valleys.

North Texas - West, a chance of thunderstorms Thursday and Friday. Mostly fair and a little cooler Saturday. Lows around 70 Thursday and Friday, cooling into the middle 60s Saturday. Highs around 90 Thursday and Friday cooling into the mid-80s Saturday. Central and east, a chance of thunderstorms Thursday and Friday. Mostly fair and a little cooler Saturday. Lows in the lower 70s Thursday and Friday cooling into the upper 60s Saturday. Highs in the lower 90s Thursday, near 90 Friday and mid-80s Saturday.

South Texas - Hill Country and South Central Texas, a chance of afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Otherwise partly cloudy with warm nights and hot days. Lows in the 60s Hill Country to 70s south central. Highs in the 90s. Texas Coastal Bend, a chance of

daytime showers or thunderstorms. Otherwise partly cloudy with warm nights and hot days. Lows from near 80 coast to the 70s inland. Highs near 90 coast to the mid-90s inland. Lower Texas Rio Grande Valley and plains, a chance of daytime showers or thunderstorms. Otherwise partly cloudy with warm nights and hot days. Lows from near 80 at the coast to 70s inland. Highs from near 90 coast to the mid- and upper 90s inland. Southeast Texas and the upper Texas coast, a chance of mainly daytime showers or thunderstorms. Otherwise partly cloudy with warm nights and hot afternoons. Lows from near 80 at the coast to the 70s inland. Highs near 90 coast to the mid-90s inland.

BORDER STATES
 Oklahoma - Scattered showers and thunderstorms through Wednesday most numerous in the southeast. Lows tonight upper 50s western Panhandle to near 70 east. Highs Wednesday mid-80s to lower 90s.

New Mexico - Fair skies late night and mornings through Wednesday. Otherwise partly cloudy with isolated afternoon and evening showers and thunderstorms, mainly mountains and east. Highs Wednesday ranging from the 70s near the north central border to the low and middle 90s extreme south. Lows tonight from the upper 30s and 40s north central mountains to the low 60s lower elevations central and south.

Crimestoppers 669-2222

Texas troops left in limbo tired of waiting to be deployed



(AP Laserphoto)

M-1 Abrams Tanks of the Second Armored Division stand ready for deployment to the Middle East Monday morning after being loaded onto railcars at Fort Hood. The M-1 is the Army's main battle tank.

By SUZANNE GAMBOA
Associated Press Writer

MCGREGOR RANGE, N.M. (AP) — The heat of the desert Southwest is cooling. Some of the heaviest military machinery at Fort Bliss is gone. And the soldiers remaining are getting restless.

"Everybody is anxious and wants to get doing something," said Capt. Edward Morris, 3rd Armored Cavalry Regiment, A Troop, 1st Squadron commander.

It has been about a month since the military buildup in the Persian Gulf began, prompted by Iraq's Aug. 2 invasion of Kuwait. Tanks and other military vehicles that sat for 10 days on rail cars near Fort Bliss have been gone nearly three weeks.

Officials won't reveal whether any members of the 3rd Armored Cavalry have left or when they will be leaving, but the soldiers know it's imminent.

"We need to go over and do something or stay here and relax," said Pfc. Rob DeZoete, 22, a native of Kalamazoo, Mich.

"It's hard while you're awake to relax because every time you turn on the TV or the radio, you hear something. It would be nice to just be able to get away for a day," DeZoete said.

And waiting leaves time to think about the future.

"You get a lot of crazy thoughts running through your head," he said.

DeZoete said his wife and 1-year-old son, who just celebrated his birthday, are going to live with his mother.

"There are a lot of rumors on post, and my wife will go do laundry and hear something," he said. "So between what she hears at the laundromat and what's running through your head ..."

Pfc. Mark Lott, 19, of Jackson, Tenn., said he fills his idle time acting as counselor to his family that is anxious for information.

"They're nervous, anybody's family would be nervous. But they know it's our job," he said. "We're all anticipating what's going on and what will happen. We're not on edge or anything, we're just tired of sitting and waiting."

The regiment had been training seven days a week since it began preparing to be dispatched, Morris said. Labor Day was the first chance troops had for a weekend off.

Morris said he has adjusted his units training schedule so they spend more time outside during the hottest part of the day. But he also said he tries to limit the soldiers' days to normal hours so they can spend time with family and friends.

And he knows his soldiers are getting restless.

"You keep them busy. There's a lot of stuff to do," Morris said. "We teach them how to identify enemy aircraft and vehicles, how use their chemical suits."

On Monday the soldiers demonstrated how they "zero in" their M16A2 rifles. Zeroing in is military jargon for customizing the sights of the rifles that are issued to almost every soldier. The rifles, which are fully automatic or can be switched to semiautomatic, have a maximum effective range of 560 meters.

The soldiers fired their rifles Monday while wearing gas masks, protective suits, gloves and boots.

Capt. Dave Breuhan, commander of B Troop, 1st Squadron, said soldiers are shooting 40 rounds with the suits on, about four times the number of rounds they usually fire while wearing the suits.

"It's part of their normal training, but because of the increased concern with chemical weapons, we are firing more," Breuhan said. He said soldiers compensate for the suit by focusing their weapon on a target differently.

Capt. Walt Rohr, McGregor Range Commander, said the soldiers may not get a chance to adjust their weapons once they reach Saudi Arabia.

"This helps to build the soldier's confidence in his weapon," Rohr said, "in case he needs to use it."

Study: Texas among worst providers of mental health services

By EVAN RAMSTAD
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Texas spends less money helping the mentally ill and retarded than the nation's poorest states, two consumer groups said in a report today.

Texas is the "biggest skinflint" in funding public service for people with mental illnesses, said the National Alliance for the Mentally Ill and the Public Citizen Health Research Group.

The state offers little help for the mentally ill or retarded outside its eight hospitals. And the regional variation in the number of people who are hospitalized is the greatest of any state.

Before a federal judge in Dallas, the state has agreed to make "significant and substantial changes" in mental health and mental retardation services, said state Sen. Chet Brooks, D-Pasadena.

The changes put a much greater emphasis on community-based services and alternatives to institu-

tions, said Brooks, chairman of the Senate Health Committee.

"Even in good times, when we were actually having a budget surplus instead of having to raise more money, we still were not doing an adequate job in our health and human services area," Brooks said.

The next Legislature will be asked to consider spending an additional \$1.5 billion on the Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation in the 1991-93, he said. The department's bud-

get this year is only \$344 million, about \$22 per Texan.

Using 1987 figures, the two consumer groups found Texas ranked 49th in per capita spending on mental illness with \$20.53 per capita.

Mississippi spent \$21.81 per capita and West Virginia spent \$22.96. They are the lowest-ranked states in per-capita income.

The groups awarded states a score of zero to five in hospital services, outpatient and communi-

ty support services, vocational

rehabilitation, housing and children.

Texas scored 5 points overall, with a zero for housing, a 2 for hospitals and 1 on the other three categories.

"If the state had to pick one area to start on, housing would be an obvious choice," the report said.

Local authorities do not consider housing a "core service" they must provide, it said.

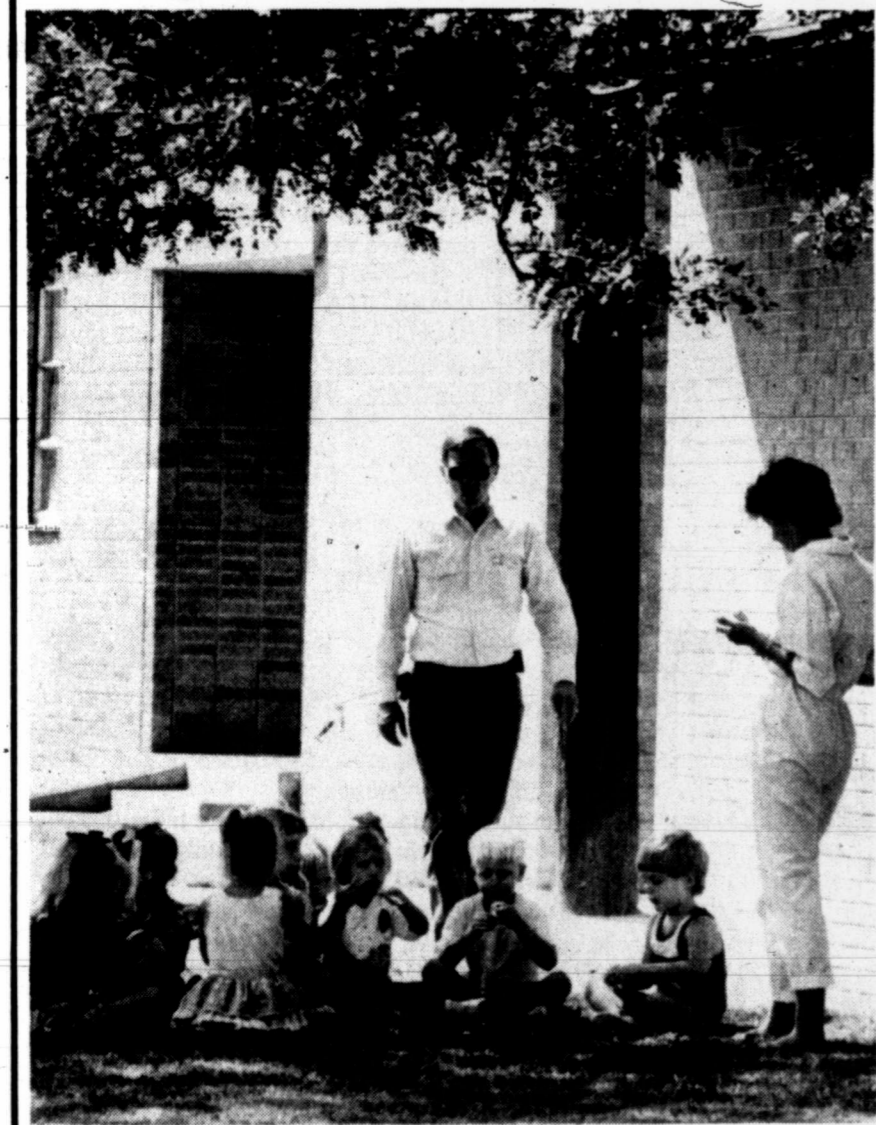
The report credits the MHMR department for using all the leverage it has to improve local pro-

grams, the report says. "But at this rate of change, mentally ill individuals suffering under the service drought may wait years for the first drops of rain to begin falling," the groups said.

The National Alliance for the Mentally Ill represents about 130,000 families of persons with serious mental illness.

The Public Citizen Health Research Group is a non-profit research and lobbying organization founded in 1971 by consumer advocate Ralph Nader.

Taking a break



(Staff photo by Jean Streetman-Ward)

First Baptist Church building superintendent, Ronnie Martin, catches pre-kindergarten students from the church's Child Development Center as they take an afternoon break on the church lawn recently. Teacher Betty Langston, far right, shares the moment with her students, from left: Briana Russell, Lindsey Jennings, Jamye Bowers, Kelsey Caldwell, Chelsea Heisell, Nicholas Story, Ace Ervine and Jessica Grantham.

Attorneys expected to use insanity defense in sex slaying

AUSTIN (AP) — Attorneys for Ricky Lee Green, charged with capital murder in a brutal sex-torture slaying, will use a defense based on a plea of insanity, a state district judge said.

Judge Joe Drago on Monday did not give any other details of defense attorneys' plans. The trial was scheduled to start today.

Green, 29, is being tried for the 1986 castration and stabbing death of a Fort Worth television advertising executive.

Authorities said Green also faces charges in three other killings in 1985. His wife Sharon was convicted in February in one of those cases — that of Betty Jo Monroe, an Amarillo topless dancer. She was sentenced to probation.

Green of Azle has been jailed on \$1.25 million bail. His trial was moved to Austin on a change of venue because of extensive news coverage. Jury selection began July 23.

The four killings were uncovered in April 1989, when Mrs. Green called the Tarrant County Sheriff's Department to report them. She said she had kept the deaths secret because she was afraid of her husband.

In Mrs. Green's trial, defense attorneys portrayed her as a battered wife who assisted her husband in the Monroe death because she was too frightened to defy him.

Police have said Green's two male victims lived in Fort Worth. Green will be tried first in the death of Steven Fefferman, 28, an executive of KXAS-TV. Fefferman, and another victim, Jeffrey Davis, 16, met Green at Casino Beach on Lake Worth, police said.

In December 1986, police found

Fefferman bound to the posts of his bed with neckties. He had been castrated and stabbed several times with kitchen knives. His home had been ransacked and money was missing.

Davis' body was found in April 1985 in shallow water at Lake Worth. He had also been stabbed repeatedly.

Ms. Monroe, 28, was one of two women police say Green killed in Boyd, where he and his wife lived for a time. The women victims were sexually mutilated.

The body of Ms. Monroe was found in a field in the Flatwood area of Wise County on Oct. 13, 1985.

Former hostages say Kuwait terrorized by Iraqi soldiers

BALTIMORE (AP) — Another planeload of Western hostages arrived from Iraq, with evacuees from Kuwait telling of food shortages, nighttime gunfire and Iraqi roundups of young people suspected of involvement in the resistance.

The flight arrived Monday from Baghdad via London with 164 evacuees, 90 of them children.

"There is no law and order," said Thuraya, who would not give her last name. "A soldier can rape a father's daughter in front of him and he can't do anything about it. And that is what really is scary. You don't know if a soldier is going to crawl over your wall at 5 o'clock in the morning."

Thuraya, 19, said people in their late teens and 20s are being rounded up under suspicion they are part of the resistance movement.

Those who talked Monday at Baltimore-Washington International Airport did not want to be identified by their full names for fear of retaliation against their families in

Kuwait. About 20 of the hostages were not U.S. citizens.

One woman kissed the ground upon arriving. "This is America, my home," said Diane, who is headed for Milford, Conn., where she has family.

She brought along her 4-year-old son, but her Kuwaiti husband chose to stay behind.

She said fresh food is nonexistent. People have been reduced to eating staples, such as rice, lentils, sugar and bread. At night there is gunfire between the resistance and Iraqi soldiers, Diane said.

"You can't leave the house," she said. "The Iraqis are destroying everything."

An exhausted Philadelphia woman, who was visiting her brother and was trapped by the Aug. 2 Iraqi invasion, said Kuwait is a "ghost town."

"Everything is broken down. They (the Iraqis) stole everything. Supermarkets, there is no food," said Angel.

Angel said Kuwaitis fear electricity and water will be shut off. They are waiting for the United States to take some action.

Angel said she went into hiding for five weeks after the invasion. "I could not even go to the window," she said.

Federal judge rules city can keep cross on seal

AUSTIN (AP) — A federal judge's ruling that the City of Austin can keep a Christian cross in its official seal has drawn criticism from a national atheist leader.

Jon Murray, a leader of the Society of Separationists, said Monday that U.S. District Judge James Nowlin is "deeply religious" and would never issue a ruling in favor of atheists.

The society filed suit against the city in 1987, saying that the cross depicted in the City of Austin emblem violates the constitutional separation of church and state.

"We file our cases here because our headquarters are here, knowing full well that we will lose regardless," he said. "We have been turned down as often as sheets in a brothel."

Nowlin's ruling, issued last Friday, will be appealed to the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans, said Murray.

Murray is the son of atheist Madalyn Murray O'Hair. She conducted a precedent-setting judicial battle in the 1960s that resulted in the Supreme Court's banning prayer from public schools.

The judge's ruling said the city did not have a religious intent when it included the cross in the official seal in 1919. Attorneys for the city had argued that the cross appears in the seal only because it was part of the family coat of arms of Texas colonial leader Stephen F.

Austin. Other secular symbols such as a lamp of knowledge and an outline of the Texas Capitol negated the religious aspect of the cross, Nowlin said.

The judge concluded that "the Austin city seal is not sufficiently likely to be perceived by adherents of Christianity as an endorsement of their religion or by nonadherents of Christianity as a disapproval of their religious choice."

"A cross is still a cross, and this is specifically a Roman Catholic cross, even though the family of Stephen F. Austin was a Protestant family," Murray said.

"We have Judge Nowlin and Judge (Walter) Smith, and both federal district judges are openly prejudicial against atheists," said Murray. "They are both deeply religious men and both will never find in favor of us."

Smith is a federal judge from Waco who also hears cases in Austin.

Murray said that in the future his group will try to file church-state suits in Houston or San Antonio. The judge will not comment on Murray's remarks, his law clerk said Monday.

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Opinion

Censorship takes on different forms

California leads the nation in censorship. Or so claims a report to be released by People for the American Way — whose very name censoriously insists it embodies the American way, not just an American way. What evidence does the PAW provide? As the report's title suggests, "Attacks on the Freedom to Learn, 1989-1990" concentrates on censorship in public schools.

PAW Vice President Michael Hudson says that right-wing groups have opposed the use of some books in school classes, including *Catcher in the Rye* by J.D. Salinger and *Of Mice and Men* by John Steinbeck. These groups include the National Association of Christian Educators and the Rev. Lou Sheldon's Traditional Values Coalition in Anaheim, Calif. Similar groups have opposed these books, and others, used in Texas public schools.

But really, this is not a censorship issue. The students, or their parents, can buy these books at local bookstores: So what if some schools might prohibit something? No one ever said that schools must provide everything. Indeed, Hudson says that schools should not show porno films. His reasoning: "There is certainly a line-drawing. What we're defending is the selection process, based on academic criteria. What we oppose, and do believe is censorship, are sectarian judgments based on religious or political criteria."

Unfortunately, PAW has not taken a position on the one way to end this controversy: the institution of a system, vouchers perhaps, by which parents could choose which school their children attend. Nor has PAW taken a position on whether truancy laws, the coercive device by which the state controls schools and children, should be abolished. Said Hudson: "We have not taken a position one way or another. We're supporting majority choice." But school boards and curriculum committees do not reflect "majority choice"; they are, instead, bureaucracies that little represent the actual interests of parents and students.

Indeed, the current system of government-run schools imposes two kinds of actual censorship: by tax seizures and by truancy laws. Taxpayers are forced to support the public school system, whether they like it or not, even to the seizure of their property should they decide they don't want to pay property taxes to support the system. Given a choice, taxpayers very well might pick different books to use in a school system of their own choosing. Tax seizures thereby prevent them — censor them — from making that choice of books.

Truancy laws also are a form of censorship. Parents are forced to send their children to a school approved by the state. It's true that parents can send their children to private schools, or even school them at home (assuming the state leaves parents any money after tax seizures). But the state government still preserves the right to approve textbooks and school plans — itself a form of censorship. Therefore, the only way to end censorship is to end government's role in education.

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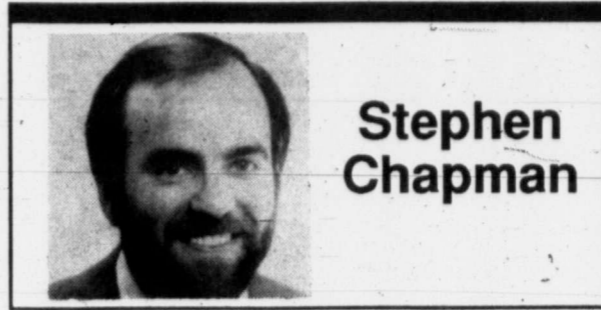
A paler, healthier populace

At one time, like most Americans, I regarded people sporting dark suntans with envy. A bronze tint connoted health and vitality. I don't remember exactly when, but at some point, that perception changed. Now, on spying a deep tan, my only thought is of skin cancer, disfigurement and death.

I'm not alone. Advertisers, obsessively attentive to the preferences of consumers, have noticed a definite change in popular attitudes. One maker of suntan lotion, Bain de Soleil, has stopped using darkly tanned models in its advertisements. "A dark tan is seen as unhealthy," a company official told the *New York Times*. "A more golden color suggests that you got it more slowly and carefully. It's a healthier look."

Getting Americans to acknowledge the serious risks of some habits, much less to change their behavior, isn't easy. Look at seat belts, which dramatically increase the chances of surviving an auto accident but which only a small percentage of people will voluntarily use. But once Americans become generally conscious of a risk and begin to shun it, the change in behavior can be drastic.

The best example is cigarettes. During the 1940s, about 70 percent of American men in their 20s smoked. Today only about 40 percent do. Some 30 million Americans have abandoned the habit. Per capita consumption of tobacco has declined by 26 percent since 1970. Why? Because Americans came to associate cigarettes with lung cancer, heart disease and other lethal ailments. Smoking is now



Stephen Chapman

widely regarded as slow-motion suicide.

When it comes to tanning, the shift in thinking has already begun. In 20 years, I expect, suntanning will be what smoking is today: a practice evoking more aversion than admiration, steadily shrinking in popularity, marking the practitioner as ignorant, weak or foolhardy. Like a tattoo, a brown glaze may come to signify nothing more than stupid vanity.

The reason is that the facts about skin cancer have begun to sink into the public consciousness. As the popularity of tanning has risen, so has the incidence of skin cancer, increasing by 900 percent for the most dangerous type since the 1930s. Of all cancers, this is the easiest to prevent — yet it afflicts half as many people (400,000 a year) as all other types of cancer combined.

Americans have learned that a suntan today may mean having an ear removed tomorrow — or, in the case of malignant melanoma, a one-way trip

to the graveyard. For those heedless of their health, there is an appeal to vanity: Tanning eventually causes skin to become dry and wrinkled.

If you've ventured recently to a beach strewn with sun-worshipping bodies, it may be hard to believe that the warnings are being heard. But nowadays many of these bodies are shielded by a coating that shuts out most harmful ultraviolet rays. Since 1980, sales of sunscreens and sun blocks have risen by 70 percent. Sales of suntan lotions, which offer no protection, have stagnated.

The change in behavior may happen even more rapidly in this case than it did with smoking. Unlike cigarettes, getting a tan is only psychologically addictive. There can't be many people as devoted to it as the California woman discovered by *Newsweek* magazine, who has had 10 patches of skin cancer removed in 12 years, yet persists in tanning.

Nor is there a large industry whose economic interests require it to spend millions of dollars a year on advertising to encourage people to acquire tans. In fact, the money to be made here is on products that slow or prevent tanning. This time, the surgeon general and Madison Avenue will be on the same side.

That combination is bound to strip the suntan of its glamorous cachet, producing a paler, healthier populace. In the future, dark skins will be found where they ought to be: on the people who are born with them.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, Sept. 11, the 254th day of 1990. There are 111 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Sept. 11, 1789, Alexander Hamilton was appointed the first U.S. Secretary of the Treasury.

On this date:

In 1777, during the American Revolution, forces under Gen. George Washington suffered defeat at the hands of the British in the Battle of Brandywine near Wilmington, Del.

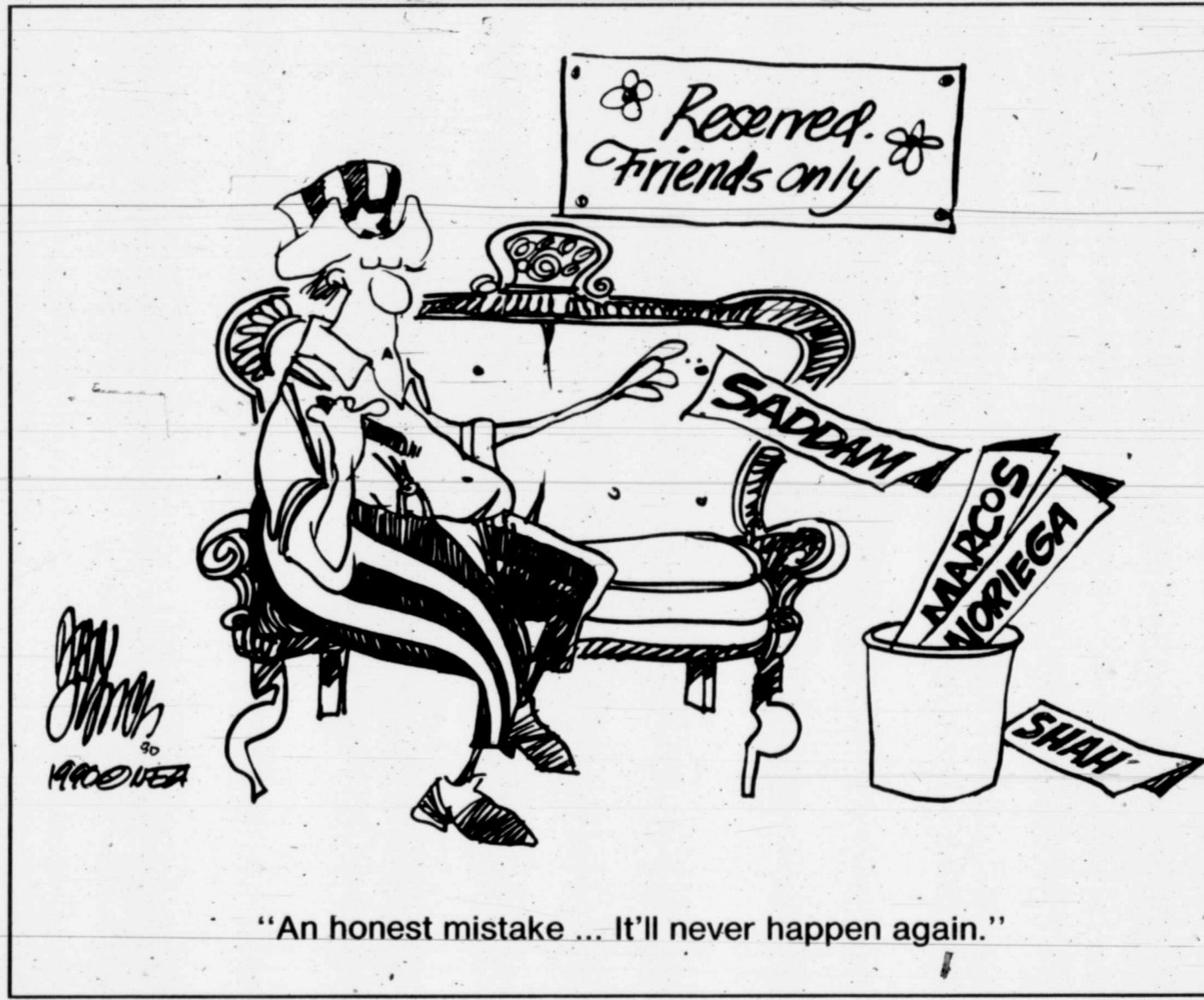
In 1814, an American fleet scored a decisive victory over the British in the Battle of Lake Champlain in the War of 1812.

In 1850, the "Swedish Nightingale" — Jenny Lind — gave her first concert in the United States, at Castle Garden in New York.

In 1885, author D.H. Lawrence was born in Eastwood, England.

In 1936, President Franklin D. Roosevelt dedicated Boulder Dam — now known as Hoover Dam — by pressing a key in Washington to signal the startup of the dam's first hydroelectric generator in Nevada.

In 1941, in a speech in Des Moines, Charles A. Lindbergh charged that "the British, the Jewish and the Roosevelt administration" were trying to draw the United States into World War II.



"An honest mistake ... It'll never happen again."

Legacy of the love of humor

The last of a special breed of folk is dead. There were 12 of them born to my paternal grandparents, Mama and Daddy Grizzard, of rural Gwinnett County, Ga.

My father was the youngest. He's been gone 20 years. Aunt Nell was the oldest. She's been gone a long time, too.

Three of my late uncles were unforgettable characters. Walt and Wesley Grizzard were in the used car business.

They had Grizzard Motors and they were wily veterans of the trade. They were both big men with big voices and very few customers escaped unsold when they stepped onto the lot.

"We're the walking man's best friend," my Uncle Wesley used to say.

My Uncle Frank was a lawyer. My father took me to see him perform in the courtroom once. I was maybe 12.

Uncle Frank was defending a man on a charge of making moonshine.

As he addressed the jury, a woman seated behind the defendant broke into hysterical tears.

Uncle Frank went into his client's military history, pleading with the jury to realize he had "fought on the bald hills of Korea."

And the woman sobbed on.



Lewis Grizzard

It took 10 minutes for the jury to render a verdict of innocent.

As we walked out of the courtroom, my father said to Uncle Frank, "That was sure pitiful about the man's wife."

"Wife?" Uncle Frank asked back. "What wife?"

"Your client's wife," said my father. "It sure was pitiful the way she cried."

"That wasn't his wife," said Uncle Frank. "It was just an old girl I paid \$50 to come here and squall."

The last of the 12 was my Aunt Rufie. She died last month in suburban Atlanta. She was 84.

She, and my father were close. My parents divorced when I was 6 and when I would visit my father in Atlanta, we would usually wind up at Aunt Rufie's house.

Daddy would play her piano and sing. I loved that house because of the laughter that was always in it.

When my father fell on hard times during the last years of his life, it was my Aunt Rufie who stood by him the strongest.

"I could never turn my back on my baby brother," she often said to me when we talked of him after his death.

I was a pallbearer at Aunt Rufie's funeral. I saw some cousins I haven't seen in years. Death brings survivors together, regardless of how far they might have drifted apart.

The Grizzard men and women, my uncles and aunts, meant a lot to me when I was a child. I lived with my mother and didn't see them that often, but when I did it was always a great experience.

The legacy they left me was the love of humor. There wasn't a one of them who couldn't brighten a room and I'm still stealing a great deal of their material.

A man came up to me a few years ago at a public gathering and said, "I grew up with your dad and all his brothers and sisters. When folks got down in Gwinnett County, they'd send for a Grizzard just to cheer them up."

That's my heritage. I couldn't be more proud of it.

The specter of war hits home again

By SARAH OVERSTREET

As we stand on the brink of war, I've found myself comparing my feelings to the only scarier situation in my memory: Vietnam.

I realize there are many differences between that conflict and this one. But throughout the recent weeks, as I waited for updates from the Middle East, I became aware of a disturbing feeling of detachment: My mind was reacting, but my emotions weren't. I got the same feeling from other people.

The talk centered mostly around the possible economic consequences, and no one seemed to feel overly affected. I began to search for comparisons between this situation and the time when my friends and I were anything but detached, when the boys of our generation were the "cash of war," as writer John Ciardi so aptly put it in 1966.

Today, halfway across the world

from the threat of chemical warfare and nuclear weapons, I still feel safe and relatively unaffected. Twenty-five years ago when my parents watched the evening news reports about Vietnam, I never heard them discuss the war. I never heard my friends' parents discuss it, either. Did they feel safe? Unaffected? Detached?

But I was a teen-ager then, and boys I knew were going to Vietnam. They were young men the same age as the kids I know today who seem so much like little boys to me now. From the time the first boy I knew was killed, bringing home to me what those nightly news reports meant, until the war ended seven years later, I don't remember ever feeling completely safe and never quite detached.

During those years I developed an underlying dread that some of us would forever be sucked up and fed to the jungles of Southeast Asia, a constant lottery of sacrificial lambs

necessary to propitiate some evil, amorphous gods.

During that time, my friends and I came to feel like the young soldiers in Vietnam were the endless supply of checkers that assured the old men running the board that they could play as long as their pride dictated. They, we believed, were at least detached emotionally, if not physically.

At the time, I didn't believe it was possible that I would ever feel emotionally removed from the specter of war, that I could not be deeply affected by the prospect of young people being hurt and killed in war. To have come to a point where I could consider a war only in terms of security and economic consequences, even for a short time, I am stunned and deeply saddened.

As medical-military reservists in my community were called into active duty recently, my sense of detachment began to disappear. But I am left with the uneasy feeling that

until any war hits us personally, we are doomed to remain disengaged from its horrors and so also from the steps we need to take to bring about its end.

Reading about the Vietnam War some 15 years after its end, I wondered if it became what it did more because of its slow and secretive escalation, or because so many of us remained detached from it personally for so long. And if this is so, what kinds of stewards will we be of the lives and promise of young men and women we can send to war?

President John F. Kennedy said in a Veteran's Day address in 1961, "No man who witnessed the tragedies of the last war, no man who can imagine the unimaginable possibilities of the next war can advocate war out of irritability or frustration or impatience."

I hope he was right. I hope the comprehension of war is like grief, where only the first stage is denial.

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"This cosmetic company is sending you a case of its latest deodorant — 'DESERT SHIELD.'"

Nation's pulse: steady for now with sporadic flutters

By ROBERT DVORCHAK
AP National Writer

Americans are finding down-home ways to rally around the flag. But uneasiness over the prospect of a Persian Gulf oil war is generating rumblings of protest.

An ex-Marine in Virginia is mailing gift packs to troops in the Persian Gulf. A North Carolina farmer mowed a giant "U.S.A." into his bean field. An Indiana woman with three sons in the 82nd Airborne Division founded Mothers Against Saddam Hussein, or MASH.

On the other hand, 700 marchers in Seattle this weekend chanted: "Hell, no, we won't go, we won't fight for Texaco."

"There is a national consensus for now, but I think it's thin," says Robert Karl Madoff, director of the Center for War, Peace and the News Media at New York University. "There's a sense of foreboding. Bush stuck a stick into a hornet's nest."

When it comes to backing U.S.

soldiers in the merciless Arabian desert, David Heard of Manassas, Va., says color him "true blue."

He and his wife, Jean, have started Operation Something From Home with donations from around the country. Packages to soldiers include gum, Lifesavers candy, lip balm, liquid soap, playing cards, dominoes, letters from school kids, Kleenex and toilet paper.

"They'll perform a lot better knowing the country is behind them and that no rotten vegetables will be thrown at them when they return home," said Heard, 55, a veteran of Korea and Vietnam who has two sons serving in the Persian Gulf and a daughter and son-in-law on active duty in Europe.

Anna Goodwin of New Castle, Ind., has three sons in the 82nd Airborne. She founded MASH as a support group for families who have sons and daughters in the Middle East.

Tom Herring, 51, sowed his feelings with a flag-bedecked tractor. He carved "U S A" in a 75-by-300-foot patch to salute pilots

flying from Pope Air Force Base near Fayetteville, N.C. "I'd like to take every inch of that dirt and shove it down Saddam's throat," he said.

How long the national mood remains steadfast is another matter as America's attention is diverted to baseball stretch drives, the opening of football season and the return to school.

Blitzkrieg has turned to sitzkrieg while a U.N. embargo tries to make Saddam back down in Kuwait. It could take months to wreck Iraq's war-hardened economy.

That's time for the U.S. economy to sputter, for gas and heating oil prices to rise and for the price tag on Operation Desert Shield to mount while the country presses its allies to pay their fair share.

The administration's line in the first post-Cold War crisis came from Secretary of State James A. Baker: "Stand firm, be patient and remain united so that together we can show that aggression does not

pay." But some on the Republican right urged caution. When President Bush said "our way of life" was threatened, some saw it not as a reference to democracy but to big cars and air conditioning.

"There are lots of things worth fighting for, but an extra 10 cents for a gallon of gas isn't one of them," wrote columnist Patrick Buchanan. He said a war with Iraq "has quagmire written all over it."

Conservative Tom Bethell of the American Spectator wrote: "It is hard to understand why Americans are supposed to become outraged — and pay more at the pump — because Kuwait's oil is now controlled by a tyrant in a military uniform rather than oligarchs in traditional attire."

The Nation magazine, a bellwether of liberal thought, called the U.S. deployment "naked imperial intervention" and compared the policy to "many of Hollywood's disappointed summer blockbusters that started out big but shriveled after a few weeks."



(AP Laserphoto)

David Heard of Manassas, Va., holds a flag representing the branches of the military services Monday. Heard and his wife have started "Operation Something From Home" which sends packages to the soldiers in Saudi Arabia.

Policy makers ready to 'ratchet up the pressure' around Iraq

By PETER J. SPIELMANN
Associated Press Writer

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — With President Saddam Hussein of Iraq vowing to hold on to Kuwait, policy-makers in Washington and Moscow are studying what steps the United Nations can take to tighten the noose around Iraq.

"There are a lot of ways you could ratchet up the pressure" in a series of small steps, said a State Department official, speaking on condition of anonymity.

President Bush and Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev, in their Helsinki Summit communique, said: "We are determined to see this aggression end, and if the current steps fail to end it, we are prepared to consider additional ones consistent with the U.N. Charter."

Four days after the Aug. 2 invasion and occupation of Kuwait, the Security Council ordered a complete embargo on trade with Iraq, with the only goods exempted being medicines and medical equipment "and, in humanitarian circumstances, foodstuffs."

On Monday, Saddam tried to skirt the oil blockade by offering to give away crude oil to any Third World country that sends tankers through the blockade to pick it up, an indication Baghdad is becoming desperate in its attempt to break out of international isolation.

But for any move Saddam makes, the Security Council can offer a countermove.

The U.N. ambassador for the exiled Kuwaiti government, Mohammad Abulhasan, on Thursday proposed that the Security Council urgently consider "blocking the air corridors, seizing Iraqi ships, going to a formal (naval) blockade."

All those moves are possible under Chapter Seven of the U.N. Charter, which goes so far as permitting "demonstrations, blockade, and other operations by air, sea, or land forces of Members of the United Nations."

However, a State Department official, speaking privately, said Monday that Washington and Moscow want to move cautiously: "The immediate concern is how do you make the current sanctions stick."

The Soviets have said they would be willing to send troops to the Persian Gulf if there were a joint U.N. military command, and if they would be under the command of a Soviet general.

Gorbachev, however, said in Helsinki that the Soviet Union is not now considering even sending ships to help enforce the embargo.

"I don't see the point of doing that now," he said, and Bush replied, "I'm not disappointed in

that answer."

The State Department official said, "There are a lot of ways you could ratchet up the pressure, through being more and more explicit about the resolutions already in place, short of major Chapter Seven actions."

"The thrust is to make sure other countries live up to these angles," he said.

India, Bangladesh, the Philippines and other nations are already petitioning the Security Council's sanctions committee for permission to ship food into Iraq and Kuwait to feed the hundreds of thousands of their people who are still stranded there.

The council's sanctions committee has not yet determined that conditions in Iraq or occupied Kuwait are desperate enough to allow the import of food as a "humanitarian" step.

The Kuwaiti ambassador and other diplomats have spoken of the possibility of having the Security Council impose an air blockade on Iraq, comparable to the current naval embargo enforced by the U.S.-led fleet in the Persian Gulf.

But the U.S. official said "you could say that shipment of cargo by air is already prohibited by the sanctions; that is both a service and an export, and clearly ruled out."

Panel reportedly to recommend overhaul of Endowment for the Arts grant process

By ROBERT M. ANDREWS
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The National Endowment for the Arts' grant-making machinery would be overhauled and its anti-obscenity pledge for artists scrapped under a plan reportedly drafted by an independent study commission.

The 12-member panel, established last fall, scheduled a news conference today to outline its recommendations for the NEA, which has been the focus of a bitter controversy over federal financing of controversial art for more than a year.

Neither of the commission's co-chairmen, Washington lawyer Leonard Garment nor New York University President John Brademas, would comment on the report in advance of the briefing.

But sources close to the commission, which was appointed by President Bush and House and Senate leaders, said the draft report suggested major changes in the authority of the endowment's "peer-review panels," which approve grant applications.

Some endowment critics have said the peer panels are unduly influenced by the arts community, from which their members are appointed, and carry disproportionate weight in the NEA's final grant decisions.

One of the sources, who spoke only on condition of anonymity, said the commission recommended a role for the peer panels that is more advisory in nature, and suggested that the endowment chairman assert full authority and responsibility for grant awards.

In the past, the NEA chairman and the endowment's advisory body, the National Council on the Arts, have rarely overruled the recommendations of the peer review panels, which consist mostly of creative artists and arts managers.

The source said also the commission would urge NEA Chairman John E. Frohnmayer to drop his requirement that grant recipients sign a pledge that they will not use federal money to produce works that

might be deemed obscene.

Frohnmayer instituted the pledge last November after Congress, at the urging of Sen. Jesse Helms, R-N.C., amended the NEA's current \$171 million budget to prohibit federal support for works that "may be considered obscene."

The ban specifically included images of homoeroticism or sadomasochism, the sexual exploitation of children and depictions of individuals engaged in sex acts.

It was prompted by criticism of NEA support for exhibitions of works by photographer Robert Mapplethorpe, which contained sexually graphic images, and images by artist Andres Serrano that were denounced by religious groups as blasphemous.

By the NEA's latest count, nearly a dozen artists and arts organizations have refused to sign the anti-obscenity pledge and have forfeited their endowment grants. The pledge also is being challenged on constitutional grounds in federal lawsuits in New York and Los Angeles.

In addition, sponsors of a creative writing project at Arizona State University in Tempe, said Monday they had voted to reject a \$9,965 endowment grant rather than sign the anti-obscenity pledge. They said the move was supported by English and theater faculty members at Northern Arizona University at Flagstaff and the University of Arizona at Tucson.

The NEA's advisory council also has urged Frohnmayer to eliminate the pledge, but he has delayed a decision until a federal court in New York rules on a lawsuit brought by the New School for Social Research.

The commission's report may be viewed on Capitol Hill as a possible source of a legislative compromise in the NEA controversy. The House is to begin debate soon on proposals to extend the endowment's life, but with restrictions on the kinds of art that can receive federal funds.

Man pleads no contest in dog's death, plans statement

ARLINGTON (AP) — A 42-year-old man who was given one year's probation and fined \$2,000 for killing a neighbor's poodle with a bow and arrow was also ordered to perform 150 hours of public service for the Tarrant County Humane Society.

Gary Rall of Arlington received the sentence Monday.

Rall's attorney said that the Vietnam veteran had been harassed and would issue a statement on the plea. The defendant had no comment after the court hearing Monday.

"He has received death threats. Someone placed a fake bomb in his mailbox," said William Harris, Rall's attorney. "There's been a lot of cruelty visited on Mr. Rall as a result of this."

Witnesses claimed Rall, who is employed as a postal worker, had shot the dog on March 12 after discovering that it was rooting in his garbage.

Tommy Davis, the dog's owner, said he was satisfied by the sentence. Rall had faced a misdemeanor charge of cruelty to an animal and was originally scheduled to

go on trial Oct. 9.

"I can't see anything positive by sending him to jail even though that's what we wanted at first," Davis said. "Nothing's going to bring Taffey back."

The court required Rall to serve the community service with the Tarrant County Humane Society. But District Judge Howard Fender specified that Rall will not be allowed to do any work in connection with euthanasia.

"This is intended to be instructive to him," Fender said. "I don't want this to become a farce. I want to make sure he's not involved in any dog killing at the humane society."

JoAnna Kessler, director of the society's animal shelter in Fort

Worth, was unaware of Rall's sentence.

"I just love having animal abusers work here," Kessler said.

Rall's attorney had asked for a change of venue because of publicity in the case but it was denied.

After the shooting, the poodle had limped back to her home where Davis and his wife, Barbara, found the dog collapsed on the front porch with an arrow piercing her side. The poodle died during emergency surgery.

"He (Rall) has been portrayed very badly" in news accounts, Harris said, "in part because he had chosen to exercise his right as a citizen not to make comment while trial was pending."

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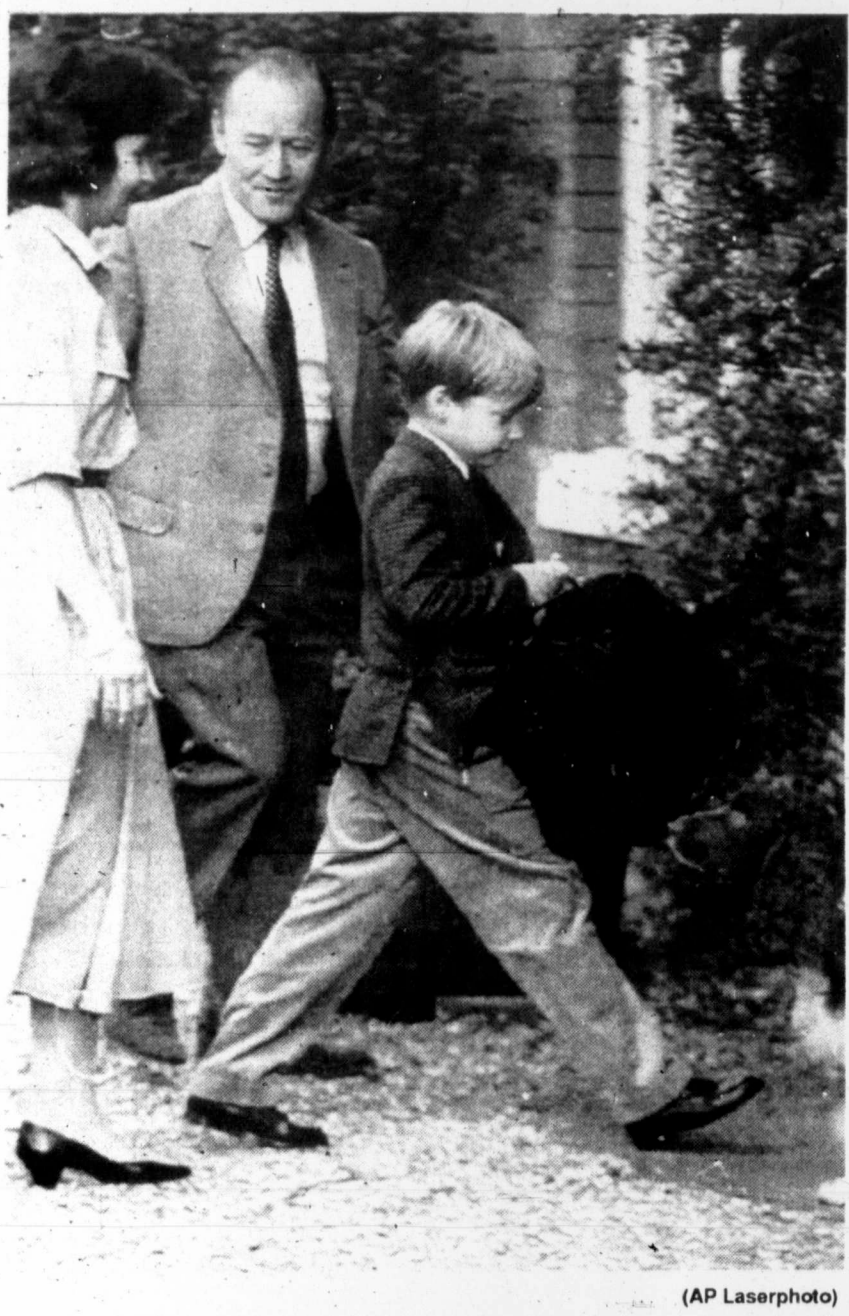
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Off to school



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Prince William, 8-year-old son of the Prince and Princess of Wales, arrives at Ludgrove Preparatory School in Wokingham, England, Monday watched by headmaster Nichol Marston and wife of joint headmaster Janet Barber for his first term away from home. The prince will spend the next five years at Ludgrove. Seventeen armed constables led by a police sergeant have been drafted in to watch over the prince.

'Club Fed' tightens security to become low-medium rank

BIG SPRING (AP) — The new fence around the federal prison here is just one of the measures taken to upgrade "Club Fed" from a minimum security unit to a low-medium security facility.

The prison was officially classified as a Level II facility on Sept. 1 and the name was changed from Big Spring Federal Prison Camp to Big Spring Correctional Institute.

The first Level II prisoners could arrive this week, said Joe Aguirre, executive assistant to the warden.

The prison camp opened in 1979 at the former Webb Air Force Base, which had been closed two years earlier.

Some residents dubbed the facility "Club Fed" because of its colorful list of inmates, including Billy Sol Estes and former millionaire rancher Rex Cauble, the *Abilene Reporter-News* reported.

Level I prisoners "more likely than not are in prison for the first time and have committed a nonviolent, nonaggressive type crime," Aguirre said.

Level II inmates typically have been in prison before, and might have been involved in an aggressive crime, he said.

The changes inside the prison will affect the community as well as the inmates. Level I prisoners used to help umpire Little League baseball games and they also renovated

a park and rebuilt bicycles for needy children.

But since Level II inmates can't leave the grounds, many community volunteer projects will be dropped once the Level I prisoners are gone, the newspaper reported.

A shortage of Level II bed space in the federal prison system, which has six classifications of prisoners, is the reason for the changes at Big Spring, Aguirre said.

Capacity of the prison remains at 1,000 inmates, Aguirre said. As the 548 Level I inmates left at the prison serve out their sentences, they will be replaced with Level II inmates.

Between \$8 million and \$10 million is being spent to upgrade the prison. About 100 more employees — including guards, counselors, case workers and medical staffers — are being hired.

"We're happy that we're growing and playing an important part in the federal prison system and the community," Aguirre said. "The upgrade means more jobs for local people."

Besides the 12-foot high fence topped with razor wire, other construction projects under way include moving the infirmary, visiting area and softball field, inside the fence.

Iran, Iraq agree to establish diplomatic relations

By SLOBODAN LEKIC
Associated Press Writer

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — In a major step toward ending its decade-long conflict with Saddam Hussein, Iran has agreed to establish diplomatic relations with Iraq, the official Iranian news agency said Monday.

Also Monday, Iraqi President Saddam Hussein offered to supply oil free of charge to Third World countries in what he said was a gesture of solidarity. However, he said the countries would have to supply their own tankers, and his statement appeared to be an attempt to circumvent the U.N. embargo on trade with Iraq.

Saddam addressed his message to Third World governments, but did not specify the countries. He said he was making the offer regardless of the various governments' stands in the Persian Gulf crisis.

"We hereby declare that we are prepared to supply all Third World countries with oil free of charge in accordance with the needs of each country," Saddam said in his latest televised message, read by an announcer.

The Islamic Republic News Agency, monitored in Nicosia, Cyprus, said the agreement between Iran and Iraq was reached in a meeting between Iranian Foreign Minister Ali Akbar Velayati and his Iraqi counterpart, Tariq Aziz, who ended a 24-hour visit to Iran Monday.

Diplomats described Aziz' visit as an attempt

by Baghdad to get help beating international trade sanctions imposed on Iraq after it invaded Kuwait Aug. 2.

There were unconfirmed reports that shipments of rice and flour already were being sent to Iraq via Iran. Such shipments would end the economic isolation Iraq has suffered under the U.N.-ordered trade embargo.

Iran's leaders have said they will honor the embargo, although they object to the U.S. military buildup in Saudi Arabia.

Also Monday, the Syrian government said it was sending more troops to Saudi Arabia at the request of the desert kingdom.

Diplomatic sources estimate that Syria has already sent 4,000-5,000 elite combat troops to the kingdom, and they expected this figure to almost double in the near future.

The official Iraqi News Agency (INA) questioned President Bush's motives in meeting Sunday with Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev in Helsinki, Finland. After seven hours of talks, the two leaders stood firm in demanding an immediate and unconditional Iraqi withdrawal from Kuwait, and did not rule out the use of force if a peaceful solution is not found.

INA said the summit showed Bush's "evil tendencies and his spite for the Arab nation and its central issues, primarily the tragedy of the Palestinian people, who are suffering under the Zionist occupation enforced by U.S. support."

The United States has led the military and diplomatic effort to force Iraq to return Kuwait to its former rulers. CBS, quoting military sources, Monday reported from Saudi Arabia that the size of the U.S. forces in the Persian Gulf region was approaching 200,000.

Kuwait Radio, run by the emirate's government-in-exile, reported Sunday that three members of Saddam's elite Presidential Guard were executed for plotting to kill him.

The radio gave no details and did not say when the men were allegedly shot. Western diplomats in Saudi Arabia said they had heard similar reports, but were not able to confirm them. Two Egyptian state newspapers, quoting Western diplomats, said five officers had been ordered executed.

In another development, Syria's official news agency reported that 46 explosions were heard Sunday in the Iraqi town of Al-Qaim near the border between the two countries, resulting in an undetermined number of casualties. ABC News identified the site of the blasts as a chemical plant. INA denied the reports.

Polish workers returning home from Iraq had said about 35 Americans were taken to the chemical plant in Al-Qaim on Aug. 17 under guard. It was not known whether any Westerners were still being held at the plant.

Saddam has placed hundreds of Westerners at industrial and military installations to serve as human shields against possible attack.

Rice University listed as one of education's 'best buys'

By LEE MITGANG
AP Education Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Cooper Union is the best buy in higher education, practically paying students for the right to attend the private college.

So says a survey by *Money* magazine in its annual list of colleges offering "the best education for the buck."

The top three schools — Cooper Union, the California Institute of Technology and Houston's Rice University — were all private. The rest of the top 10 were public universities.

Rice was cited for using its \$1 billion endowment to keep tuitions at a low \$7,160 while maintaining an academic reputation rivaling the Ivy League schools.

Cal Tech in Pasadena, Calif., ranked high despite its \$13,495 price tag. The school has a teaching faculty of 274 for its 799 undergraduates, and faculty and students have won 21 Nobel Prizes.

Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science and Art, a highly selective college in Manhattan founded by real estate magnate Peter Cooper 131 years ago, provides a \$15,000-a-year subsidy to each of its 1,000 students from its \$100 million endowment and contributions. Students pay only a \$300 activities fee.

"We're thrilled and delighted and honored," said Jay Iselin, president of Cooper Union. "The truth is that Cooper Union has always believed that education should be available to anyone of talent regardless of their means."

The *MONEY* Guide to the Best Colleges in America went on sale at newsstands Monday.

The publication, produced in collaboration with Peterson's Guides, lists 100 public and 100 private schools that emerged as best values based on a computer analysis that weighed tuition against 17 measures of academic performance.

The list excluded all two-year colleges and narrowly specialized or sectarian schools. It also omitted the three military academies, which are free and provide excellent education

but require at least five years' military service, "thereby masking their actual cost," according to the guide.

Public universities were judged on the basis of out-of-state tuitions, and private colleges were judged at their full price exclusive of any scholarships or financial aid.

The rest of the Top 10, in order:

- The New College of the University of South Florida in Sarasota combines the small feel of a private school with a public college price: \$5,488 for out-of-staters, \$1,515 for Floridians;
- State University of New York

at Geneseo, a strong liberal arts branch of the 64-campus SUNY system, charges out-of-staters \$4,925, New Yorkers \$1,575;

- State University of New York at Binghamton, a highly competitive "public Ivy," features Harpur College, where liberal arts reigns. It costs \$4,914 for out-of-state students, \$1,564 for in-staters;
- Trenton State College in Trenton, N.J., offers a strong core curriculum for liberal arts students, at a cost of \$3,795 for out-of-staters, \$2,720 for New Jersey students;

MS-C-6 W9, M15B-6P-W4, M15C-8P-W9, M15C-10-W9 and MSE-1 W9.

NOTICE OF CLASS ACTION AND PROPOSED SETTLEMENT. THIS NOTICE MAY AFFECT YOUR RIGHTS. PLEASE READ CAREFULLY.

TO: All class members who are owners of certain Magic Chef microwave ovens.

There is a class action, Case No. CV90-PT-00702, M. pending in the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Alabama against Maytag Corporation doing business as Magic Chef Company ("Magic Chef"). The action was filed by persons claiming that they purchased Magic Chef branded microwave ovens sold as new but which were reconditioned or repackaged at the Magic Chef Aniston, Alabama plant, without disclosure of the previously sold nature of the microwaves. Plaintiffs are suing for damages against Magic Chef and other relief as described below.

If you own a Magic Chef microwave oven, you could be affected, and you should carefully read this entire Notice.

NOTICE OF HEARING: The Honorable Robert B. Probst shall hold a hearing on the 19th day of October, 1990, at 2:00 P.M. at the Federal Courthouse, Birmingham, Alabama, for the purpose of determining whether the proposed settlement of the class action, as set forth in the Stipulation of Settlement and Compromise ("Settlement Agreement") is fair, reasonable and adequate and should be finally approved by the Court. The Settlement Agreement has been agreed to by Plaintiffs and their counsel on behalf of the Class and by Magic Chef. At the hearing, the Court will also consider the application of Plaintiffs' counsel in the action for allowance of their attorneys' fees. At the hearing, you may present your view or support of or opposing settlement, or in support or in opposition to the award of attorneys' fees, subject to the requirements below. The hearing may be adjourned from time to time without further notice. The Settlement may be modified by the Court without further notice, if the named parties consent.

You cannot be heard or present your views at the hearing unless on or before the 12th day of October, 1990, you file a written statement with the Clerk of the Court stating your intention to appear at the hearing and your position to be asserted at the hearing. All copies of said written statement and other papers are to be submitted to the Clerk of the U.S. District Court, Federal Courthouse, 729 North 5th Avenue, Birmingham, Alabama 35203, with a copy to be mailed to each of the counsel in this action: Plaintiffs' Counsel: Andrew P. Campbell, Esq., LEITMAN, SIEGAL, PAYNE & CAMPBELL, P.C., 600 20th Street North, Suite 400, Birmingham, Alabama 35203 2601.

Defendants' Counsel: Thad G. Long, Esq., BRADLEY, ARANT, ROSE & WHITE, 1400 Park Place Tower, Birmingham, Alabama 35203.

HISTORY OF LITIGATION: On April 11, 1990, this suit was filed alleging that Magic Chef was liable for triple damages for violating the federal Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations Act ("RICO"). The Complaint alleged that Magic Chef, for several years, had engaged in selling microwaves to the public through retail stores as new when in fact, they had been reconditioned, rebuilt or repackaged at the Magic Chef Aniston, Alabama plant, and no disclosure of their previously used nature was made to the public. Plaintiffs' claim that this conduct entitled them and the Class to damages, a permanent injunction against such further sales, a rescission of all transactions, attorneys' fees and costs of court. The Complaint was subsequently amended to add additional plaintiffs and class representatives who are owners of Magic Chef ovens, and to assert additional claims for fraud, breach of contract and breach of warranty, and otherwise expanding on the allegations and theories of relief.

The Class on whose behalf the action was brought is All persons present or previously owning a legal or beneficial interest in a Magic Chef branded microwave oven had theretofore been sold by Magic Chef, returned to Magic Chef, and then repackaged and resold by Magic Chef, without notice to retail buyers of its having previously been sold.

The only microwaves involved are a small percent of Magic Chef Model Nos. M5B-1 W4, M5C-1 W9, C-57.

MS-C-6 W9, M15B-6P-W4, M15C-8P-W9, M15C-10-W9 and MSE-1 W9.

In addition, the State of Alabama through its Attorney General, filed an action in the Circuit Court of Montgomery County, Alabama, Case No. CV 90-1174, claiming that such Magic Chef conduct violated the Alabama Deceptive Trade Practices Act, and seeking relief under that Act.

In response to the Plaintiffs' claims, Magic Chef filed a Motion to Dismiss, which is still pending. The Plaintiffs filed substantial written discovery, but at Magic Chef's instance formal discovery has been stayed pending a ruling on the Motion to Dismiss. However, the parties have engaged in informal discovery, including Magic Chef's informal disclosure in good faith to Plaintiffs' counsel of the approximate size of the potential Class, documentation to identify the names and addresses of certain Class members, and the time period in which the alleged conduct might have occurred. Plaintiffs' counsel and the Assistant Attorney General have also interviewed numerous witnesses, including former Magic Chef employees, concerning the facts of the case, and have also inspected Magic Chef microwaves in an effort to assess the extent of diminished value as a result of any such reconditioning, which has revealed no substantial diminution in their utility.

Plaintiffs, without conceding any weakness in their claims, but recognizing the risk and uncertainty of success inherent in protracted litigation and appeals (which Plaintiffs' counsel estimates could require three to four years), have recommended settlement as being in the best interest of the Class on the terms stated in the Settlement Agreement. The Agreement and recommendation to the Class comes only after lengthy and extensive factual investigation and lengthy settlement negotiations which Plaintiffs' counsel believes has resulted in a definitive settlement which is fair, reasonable and adequate for this Class. The Attorney General is also in agreement with Magic Chef's belief that this action be settled to avoid further expense and to dispose of this litigation on a nationwide basis without the necessity of protracted proceedings. The Settlement is not, however, to be construed as any admission or concession whatsoever of any liability.

SUMMARY OF SETTLEMENT BENEFITS

1. Each Class member electing not to be excluded from the Settlement, and complying with the procedures for receiving benefits, shall receive a cash payment of \$25.00 and a credit certificate of \$10.00, good until September 1, 1993, which may be applied toward the retail purchase price of any Magic Chef branded product. Only one package of benefits (\$25.00 cash plus \$10.00 credit certificate) will be distributed with respect to any single microwave oven if there are or have been more than one owner of such microwave. Details are available on request. The Court will appoint a Trustee, probably Magic Chef, to carry out the terms of the Settlement Agreement, including distribution of the settlement benefits to each Class member electing and returning a Proof of Claim.

2. An injunction will be entered, as part of the final order by the Court approving the Settlement, enjoining Magic Chef for a 5-year period from selling to the public microwave ovens which have been reconditioned or repaired at its Aniston, Alabama plant without disclosure to its purchasers of their previously used or reconditioned condition.

3. Magic Chef has further agreed to pay attorneys' fees as may be approved by the Court in an amount not to exceed \$200,000 which is sought by application by the Class counsel. Magic Chef stipulates that an award of such attorneys' fees is reasonable and fair given the nature of litigation, the hours devoted and results achieved. Magic Chef has also agreed as part of the settlement to pay to the State of Alabama, through its Attorney General, the sum of \$100,000 in civil penalties and attorneys' fees.

4. Within 15 days after the effective date of the Settlement Agreement, notice will be forwarded to each known Class member with a Proof of Claim requesting the Class member to execute the Proof of Claim and return it to the Trustee. Within 30 days after return of a properly executed Proof of Claim, the Trustee shall distribute settlement benefits to the verified Class member. Any Class

member who does not execute and return the Proof of Claim within 195 days from the effective date of the Settlement Agreement, (as defined therein), shall not receive settlement benefits. Any settlement benefits unclaimed by Class members shall remain the property of Magic Chef. Payment of any settlement benefits is contingent upon the Court's final approval of the settlement and upon the settlement otherwise becoming effective.

5. The Court has set a hearing on October 19, 1990, at 2:00 P.M. for the purpose of giving its final approval for Settlement. If the Court does not approve the Settlement Agreement, notice to that effect will be given to Class members to the extent reasonable and practicable.

6. All Class members who do not properly request to be excluded from the Class shall be conclusively deemed to have agreed to the Settlement and to have agreed to release the Defendant with respect to all claims asserted or which could have been asserted in this action. The Court will exclude persons from the Class only if an Exclusion Request is filed in Court no later than October 12, 1990. Exclusion Request forms may be obtained by writing or calling Plaintiffs' or defendant's counsel, or by calling the Toll Free Number listed at the end of this notice. If you do not request exclusion, you may, if you desire, enter an appearance through counsel as indicated above, but this is not required.

ACTIONS TO BE TAKEN BY CLASS MEMBERS

1. If you are a member of the Class and desire to receive the settlement benefits and to be bound by this Settlement, YOU NEED TAKE NO ACTION AT THIS TIME. However, you must verify yourself as a Class member and obtain a Proof of Claim form in time to make a proper filing of that form before expiration of 195 days after the Effective Date of Settlement.

2. If you desire to be excluded from the Class, and not receive any benefits under the Settlement, YOU MUST COMPLETE AND MAIL BY OCTOBER 12, 1990 AN EXCLUSION REQUEST signed by you, giving your address and telephone number, identifying your Magic Chef microwave by model and serial number, and stating that you do not wish to be a member of the Class.

3. If you do not exclude yourself from the Class by executing and mailing an Exclusion Request, you will be included in the Class. You will be entitled to receive the \$35.00 in benefits as described above, and you will be bound by this Settlement, Settlement Agreement, and releases thereon.

4. The Class action described above and all claims therein shall be dismissed with prejudice and the Defendant and retail distributors and all others who could conceivably be liable shall be released from liability, precluding any further claims from Class members for any occurrences or transactions made the subject of this case.

MISCELLANEOUS: All of the above descriptions of the litigation, the Stipulation of Settlement and other matters are only summaries of the actual documents, which are on file and may be inspected at the Office of the Clerk of the U.S. District Court, Federal Courthouse, 1729 North 5th Avenue, Birmingham, Alabama 35203, in Case No. CV90-PT-00702-M. If you have any questions, you may address them in writing to the address stated below. DO NOT SEND CORRESPONDENCE TO ANY OTHER ADDRESS AND DO NOT TELEPHONE THE CLERK OR THE JUDGE IN THIS CASE. THE ADDRESS FOR ALL INQUIRIES IS:

Andrew P. Campbell, Esq., LEITMAN, SIEGAL, PAYNE & CAMPBELL, P.C., 600 20th Street North, Suite 400, Birmingham, Alabama 35203 2601.

Magic Chef has established a Toll Free Number 1-800-367-9110 for you to call to obtain any information about the Settlement, including whether you are a member of the Class, what benefits are available under this Settlement, and the procedures for obtaining Proof of Claim forms and Exclusion Request forms. You are encouraged to call this number or the attorneys if you have questions about this case.

Dated this 27th day of August, 1990, in Birmingham, Alabama: Robert B. Probst, United States District Judge.

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Panhandle Bird Watch

by Jan Elston

September and October days are wonderful days for going on field trips, with the mild weather and light winds, and the fall birds migrating through the panhandle; so here are some things to remember, when you go on a field trip:

The best times of day to go bird watching is early in the morning and in the late afternoon, since that is when most birds are moving around.

What you wear will depend on where you are going birding, and what the weather is like that day. If you plan to be birding from the car, it obviously won't matter what you wear. These clothing suggestions are for people who will be out walking around.

If you are going to the park, comfortable clothing and shoes are important. Walking shoes are probably all right there, but if you plan to be out in the country, plan to wear boots. You don't want to have a run-in with a snake!

It's best to wear long pants and a long-sleeved shirt, for protection against scratches and snags from bushes you might brush up against. (Don't wear your best outfit—you don't want to have to worry about snagging something good.) Pockets are always handy.

A hat with a brim, or cap with a visor would be good to keep the sun out of your eyes. I also wear some light-weight gloves. SUNTUN LOTION IS A MUST. Insect-repellent is a good idea, also.

Then you'll want to take your binoculars, field guide, and some paper and a pencil. A backpack is handy, if you will be away from your car very long. If you'll be close to the car, you may want to just leave your field guide in the car, or put it at your back, under your belt.

When you are birding, be sure to look at all levels-high in the sky for Hawks, Eagles or Vultures; lower for Night Hawks, still lower for Dove; look at fence posts and the wires on fences-Meadowlarks will stand on posts, Savannah Sparrows may be on the lowest strand of the fence.

Kestrels like to sit on telephone poles; Scissor-tails may sit on the wires then fly out to catch some flying insect. As you cross bridges or culverts, watch for Swallows—the ones with the deeply-forked tails are Barn Swallows; Cliff Swallows' tails are flat.

As you pass a Prairie Dog Town, you will likely see Burrowing Owls. Lakes and ponds are always a challenge, and you'll need to check the bank, and the grass or weeds back from the edge of the water, as well as the surface of the water. On the bank you may see a Great Blue Heron; watch for Mallards at the edge of the weeds; and there may be several kinds of ducks on the water; and Avocets or Killdeer at the water's edge.

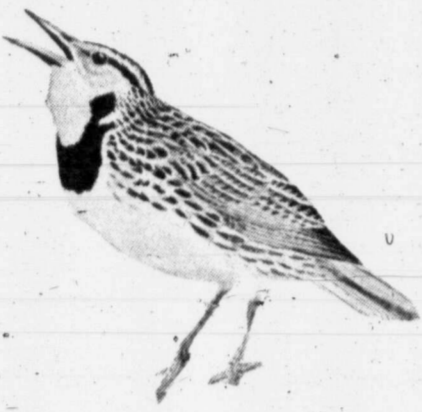
If you are alert, and have thought about what birds you can expect to find at each level, you'll be much more likely to see them.

Dead trees are wonderful for seeing birds! Most kinds of birds will fly into dead trees, because they have an unobstructed view of their surroundings—but you have a clear

view of them, also. Look for whatever bird might be on the dead branches, but also watch for Woodpeckers who might be on the trunk of the tree.

If it has rained recently, consider staying in a park or cemetery to bird watch. You don't want to pull off the road, and get your car stuck in the mud. Also remember to always pull your car completely off the highway; so no one runs into you or your car. **BE CAREFUL!**

One bird I can almost guarantee



Eastern Meadowlark

that you will see is an Eastern Meadowlark, since Meadowlarks are among the best-known of the Panhandle residents, being here at all times of the year.

If a Meadowlark doesn't want to be seen, as is often the case with the nesting female, she just turns her back to you, and her brownish protective coloration is most effective, as she blends perfectly into her grassy surroundings.

The male, on the other hand, seems to enjoy playing the part of "the King of the Mountain," singing at the top of his lungs, while standing on the highest available elevated platform—maybe a fence post, or a rock, or even a clod of dirt. His bright yellow breast and his black breast band have been described as "his yellow tuxedo shirt with a black tie."

These birds will sometimes flap and sail through the air much like Bob-White Quail, the white feathers on the sides of their tails visible in flight; however, they are active walkers and spend most of their time on the ground. Since their principal summer diet is grasshoppers, we are fortunate in having so many Meadowlarks; otherwise, there would be an infestation of those insects, devouring crops and landscape plants. I prefer the Meadowlarks, don't you?

Writing this weekly column has been great fun, and I have really enjoyed doing it. Unfortunately, it is very time-consuming, and since I have other projects which are requiring my time now, I feel that I don't have the time I need to spend writing an article each week. I will continue to write PANHANDLE BIRD WATCH, but just not so often. Watch for the column which will appear some Tuesdays in *The Pampa News*, and keep watching birds!

If it's Wednesday, it must be volleyball

By CATHY GILLENTE
Texas City Sun

LA MARQUE, Texas (AP) — There's a volleyball team in Galveston County that may never make the Olympics.

But in terms of longevity, they already hold the gold medal.

Calling themselves simply "Wednesday Night Volleyball" and featuring a core of compatible people, according to member Pam Jahnke, the group congregates every Wednesday night on a court at Carbide County Park.

As the membership has changed through the years, so the court has changed and improved, thanks to the efforts of both Galveston County and team members.

They now boast lights and a built-up sand surface, properly marked.

"Back in 1974, when we began, we had to start early so we would be through before it got dark," says one of the "founding mothers," Jerry Simpson.

"We began as a physical fitness thing for some Monsanto employees," Simpson said. "Or at least, that was our excuse."

At the time — 16 years ago — she said the group was lucky if they had enough people to make two teams. "But we left gaps and played anyway," she said.

Most Wednesdays these days, between 30 and 40 people show up to play, so whole teams take turns at the court. The most anyone can remember was 60. Scores are kept as the game progresses, but there doesn't seem to be any serious attempt at maintaining records.

Yet the members of the group are serious about their game.

Ask one of them to a social function on Wednesday and their normal response will be, "That's volleyball night."

They play in the heat, in the cold,



A group of compatible people that call themselves simply "Wednesday Night Volleyball" pose for a group picture in La Marque's Carbide County Park. Between 30 and 40 people show up to play on most Wednesdays.

in the mosquitoes. They twist ankles and sprain knees — then they sit and watch until they are healthy enough to play again.

As some have gotten older, they come just to watch. Their kids play. Their grandchildren play.

Couples have come and gone — and changed. Some have been through more than one marriage — but both halves of a former set sometimes continue to come to the volleyball games. The same situation exists with girlfriends and boyfriends. They break up — but they come to volleyball like moths to the flame.

"When we were fairly new in the

group," said Pam Jahnke, "Tim and I and Tom and Jan Winnike both had baby girls 10 days apart who shared a playpen at the park. Those little girls are almost eight years old," she said.

When the Jahnkes moved away for a while to Louisiana, they missed their friends. But one of many "big trips" of the group took care of some of that loneliness.

"Every year we have a big cook-out called the Oyster Orgy," she said. "When we were in Louisiana, in 1988, we had it at our house, and about 20 people, plus all their kids, came from Texas to Louisiana for three days. We had a blast," she said.

That's not the only trip various members of this group have taken together.

In 1983, the Jahnkes and the Winnikes went to the west coast of Mexico, two in a jeep, two on a motorcycle. That trip seemed to pave the way for other forays into Mexico, because larger contingents have followed.

"Some of us went down to Sabina

Hidalgo and we got rear-ended by a Mexican driver in Nuevo Laredo," she said. "He hit and ran, but we chased him down and made him give us enough money for the repairs," she said.

Other fractions of the group have gone on skiing trips and one large contingent made up a caravan into New Mexico for wilderness camping in 1988.

But it seems to be Mexico that draws the most interest from the crowd.

In 1986, 11 people, including children, took five vehicles into Mexico and visited Mexico City as well as many of the west coast resort towns.

They almost lost a jeep over a cliff. They went to a cantina where all the men — except the members of their party — were carrying big pistols. They were scared. They stayed in a motel which some of them later decided was — perhaps — a "house of ill repute."

But regardless of the trips they make, the name of the game is volleyball.

Bad haircut causes grief

DEAR ABBY: I am writing to you out of desperation. I am so depressed, I could slit my throat! My hair is my crowning glory, long, thick and beautiful — at least it was until yesterday when I went for a "trim," and my beautician chopped off at least 14 inches of my glorious locks! She said she was just going to "even it up a little."

I could hardly sleep last night, and when I did, I had nightmares. I'm not exaggerating. All my friends were horrified.

This is not an isolated incident. Whenever I go in for a trim, I ask that about two inches be taken off, and each and every time, the hairdresser cuts off too much, but yesterday was unbelievable. I am so upset, my hands are shaking. It will take years to grow back that 14 inches of hair.

Does this happen to other long-haired ladies? Can I sue? This may seem trivial and silly to you, but I am...

DEVASTATED IN SAN DIEGO

DEAR DEVASTATED: You can sue, but I don't recommend it. By the time your case got to court, if you didn't trim your hair again, it would be down to your knees. And yes, it happens not only to long-haired ladies, but to short-haired men who have far less hair to spare than you.

If this happens to you "each and every time you go for a trim," perhaps you're not com-



Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

municating your needs clearly, or you pay no attention to your scissors-happy hairdresser. Next time, watch her very, very carefully, and supervise the job.

DEAR ABBY: We recently attended a wedding in another state. On the day before the wedding, there were two bridal showers for out-of-town guests.

Tell us, Abby, is this proper etiquette? And what do you think of that idea?

'US' IN GREENVILLE, S.C.
DEAR 'US': It is not proper etiquette. And I think the showers were intended to soak the wedding guests.

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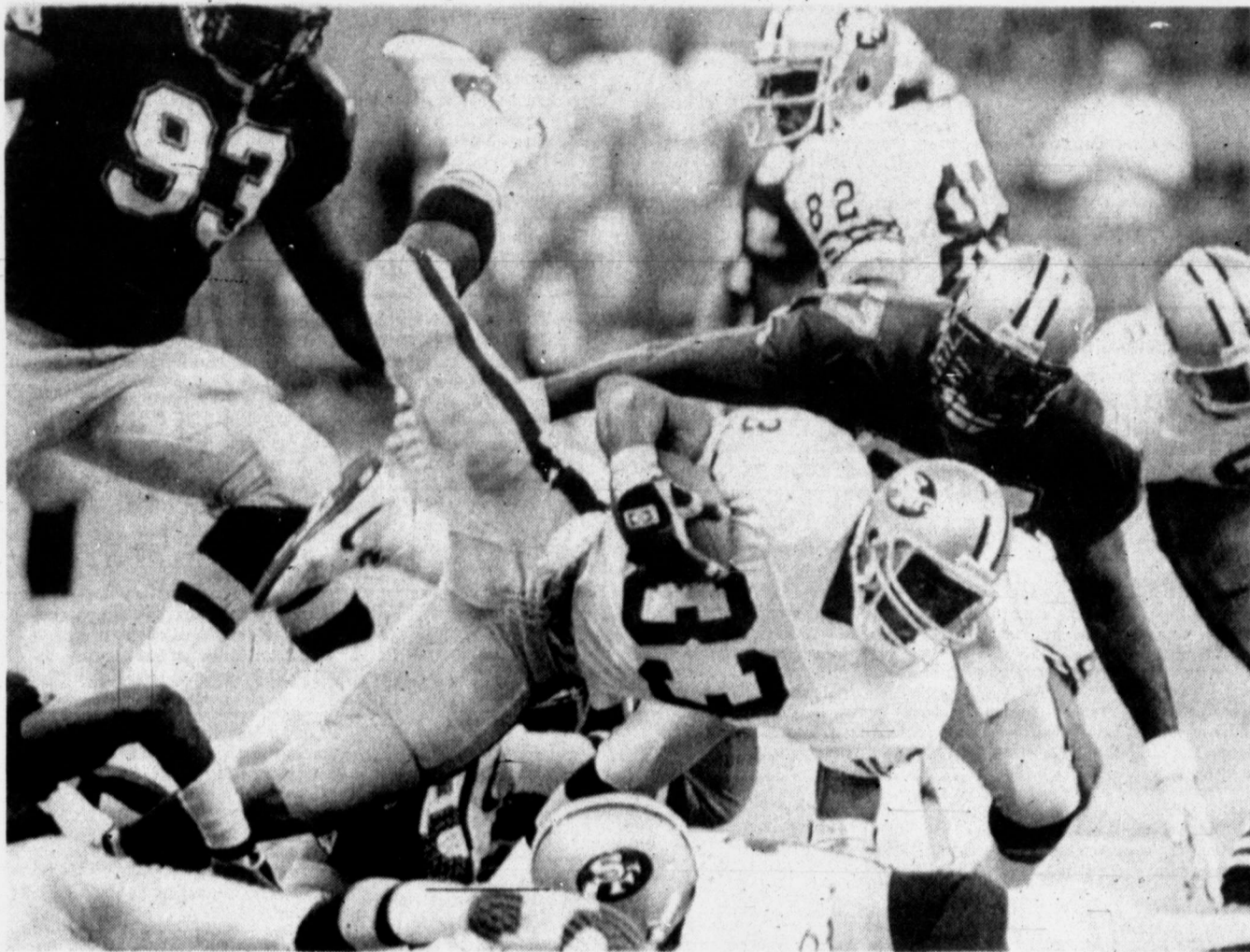
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Sports



San Francisco running back Roger Craig falls short of a first down in first-half action Monday night. The 49ers edged the Saints, 13-12.

49ers edge Saints, 13-12

By MARY FOSTER
Associated Press Writer
NEW ORLEANS (AP) — In the end, it boiled down to two completions, a bounced ball and a pressure kick. And the San Francisco 49ers, who almost always seem to win somehow, edged the New Orleans Saints 13-12 Monday night.

"Offensively we weren't moving the ball methodically the way we usually do," said Joe Montana, once again a last-minute hero. "At the end, we came back and showed a little character. We got what we needed when we needed it, finally."

All it took was 1:30 with San Francisco trailing 12-10.

Montana hit John Taylor for 25 yards, then Tom Rathman for 4, and then looked for Roger Craig and Jerry Rice.

The 49ers had third and six on their 48 with 39 seconds to go when Montana hit Craig for 11 yards. He came back with a 20 yarder to Rice, and, with no timeouts, bounced the ball for an incompletion to stop the clock with 12 seconds remaining to give Kicker Mike Cofer another chance.

Cofer, who had missed a 55-yard try at the two-minute mark, hit a 38-yard field goal to give the defending Super Bowl champs the victory.

Montana was 26 for 43 for 210 yards a touchdown and an interception on the night. He was also sacked six times by a hustling Saints defense.

"They covered us well, they came up the field after us well. I think we settled down a little bit in the second half," Montana said. "But, give them credit because they always play us well. We made a lot of mistakes. I

know I didn't play worth a damn."

"It wasn't just the sacks, it was the overall pressure," coach George Seifert said. "They mixed it up really well. Fortunately, our defense played really well, too. Either team could have won at the end and you can credit both defenses."

Saints linebacker Rickey Jackson, who had two of the sacks, was particularly upset.

"We had the world's best team beat and we couldn't pull it out. Defensively, you just can't play any better," Jackson said.

San Francisco scored first when Cofer hit a 52-yard field goal in the first quarter. The 49ers' only touchdown came in the third quarter a four-yard pass from Montana to Brent Jones. The 80-yard drive, after an interception in the end zone by Darryl Pollard, was fueled by two 15-yard Saints penalties.

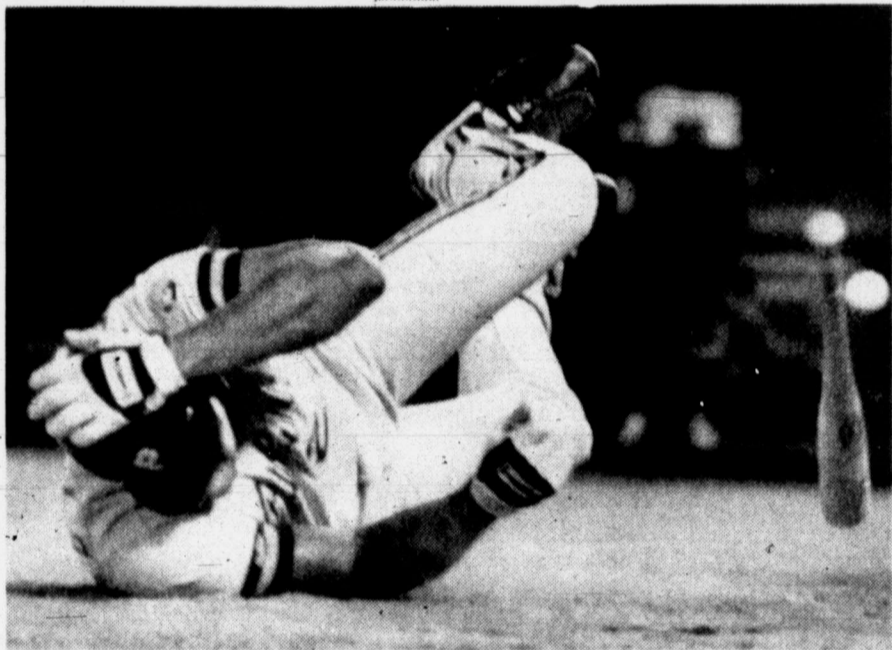
"At times things are not going to go right," Rice said. "We just keep fighting and eventually someone makes the big play."

Kicker Morton Anderson did all the scoring for New Orleans, making field goals of 41, 39, 28 and 32 yards.

The New Orleans' offense had its own problems, however. Quarterback John Fourcade, making his fourth start with the Saints, was 12 for 34 for 186 yards. He was sacked once and threw three interceptions.

The Saints failure to pick up a first down when they got the ball at the two-minute mark opened the door for the 49ers.

"Anytime you give Joe Montana a minute to two minutes at the end of the game, he's going to win. Look at the past," Rathman said.



The Pirates' Bobby Bonilla holds his head after being hit by a pitch. He later had the winning sacrifice fly.

Mets end slump, but Pirates keep winning

By The Associated Press
After a bad road show, the New York Mets had to come home to stop losing. Meanwhile, the Pittsburgh Pirates won't stop winning — home or away.

"We showed another part of this club tonight — we can win by manufacturing runs as well as with home runs," Wally Backman said after the Pirates beat Philadelphia 3-2 Monday night to maintain their 31/2-game lead over the Mets in the National League East.

The victory was the eighth in 10 games for the Pirates, who were just a half-game in front of New York before the Mets went into a recent swoon on the road.

The Mets returned home from a 2-6 road trip, including a three-game sweep by the Pirates that had

dropped them 31/2 games behind Pittsburgh, and beat St. Louis 10-1 Monday night at Shea Stadium.

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The Phillies had a chance to go ahead in the eighth when they loaded the bases. But Pirates reliever Stan Belinda (3-4) stemmed the tide when he got pinch-hitter Rod Book-

er on a forceout at the plate on an attempted squeeze play and retired Darren Daulton on a fly ball.

Barry Bonds' 27th homer in the sixth, the Pirates' second of the game, tied the score at 2-2.

Mets 10, Cardinals 1
Darryl Strawberry hit his 32nd homer and knocked in three runs and Frank Viola won his 18th game for New York.

Pitcher Jose DeLeon was on the mound and the Mets broke loose as they won their eighth straight at home.

Strawberry connected for an RBI single in the first inning and two-run homer in the fourth.

Giants 7, Braves 6
Robby Thompson's pinch-hit bunt single with the bases loaded scored the winning run in the 10th inning.

Thompson's bunt single off losing pitcher Kent Mercker (4-5) came an inning after the Giants tied the game.

With two out in the ninth, Greg Litton singled off reliever Jeff Parrett. With Mercker pitching, a passed ball by catcher Ernie Whitt sent pinch-runner Rick Parker to second. Brett Butler reached on an infield single to second baseman Jeff Treadway, but Parker took a wide turn at third and Treadway threw behind him, starting a run-down.

But as third baseman Jim Presley threw to Whitt at the plate, Parker came barreling in and knocked the ball loose, scoring the tying run as Whitt was charged with an error.

Steve Bedrosian (8-8) pitched the 10th to pick up the victory.

Irish take over top spot in college football

By THOMAS P. WYMAN
Associated Press Writer
SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) — Notre Dame knows better than anyone that rankings can turn to ashes.

So when the idle Irish stepped over defeated Miami to take the No. 1 football ranking, the mood was skeptical.

"You can be ranked number one the whole season and then get knocked off, and then at the end of the season you're not number one," Notre Dame linebacker Michael Stonebreaker said Monday. "So it doesn't matter."

That's just what happened to the Irish last year — holding the No. 1 spot until a loss to Miami in the last game of the regular season. Notre Dame finished No. 2 in the final poll.

"They ranked us number two when it counted," cornerback Todd Lyght said. "They rank us number one now, so it really doesn't make a difference."

Take care of each game, says Coach Lou Holtz, and the polls and bowls will fall into place. His players learned long ago to pick up the chant.

"That's what people have been talking about since Miami got beat," quarterback Rick Mirer said. "But we're not changing any of our ideas or any of our focus toward Saturday's game."

So never mind the polls. Irish

eyes are transfixed on Saturday's season opener against Michigan.

Miami tumbled to No. 10 after losing to Brigham Young, which vaulted to No. 5. Notre Dame received 37 first-place votes and 1,451 points from a nationwide panel of sports writers and broadcasters. The Fighting Irish were No. 2 last week.

Auburn, which shared the No. 3 spot with Florida State last week, rose to No. 2 after beating Fullerton State 38-17. Florida State remained in third after downing East Carolina 45-24.

Auburn received eight first-place votes and 1,385 points, while Florida State received 11 first-place votes and 1,367 points.

Idle Michigan moved up one spot to No. 4, while BYU jumped 11 places to the highest ranking for the Cougars since they won the 1984 national championship. Three voters were so impressed by BYU's 28-21 victory over Miami that they made the Cougars No. 1 on their ballots.

Southern Cal, which had the week off, rose one place to No. 6. Tennessee also moved up a notch, to No. 7, after trouncing Mississippi State 40-7.

Nebraska got one first-place and moved up two spots to No. 8 following its 60-14 rout of Northern Illinois.

School/Record	votes
1. Notre Dame, 0-0-0 (2)	1,451
2. Auburn, 1-0-0 (3)	1,385
3. Florida St., 1-0-0 (3)	1,367
4. Michigan, 0-0-0 (5)	1,230
5. Brigham Young 2-0-0 (16)	1,171
6. Southern Cal., 1-0-0 (7)	1,126
7. Tennessee, 2-0-1 (8)	1,108
8. Nebraska, 2-0-0 (10)	1,047
9. Colorado 1-0-1 (8)	1,041
10. Miami, Fla., 0-1-0 (1)	1,013
11. Virginia 2-0-0 (14)	1,006
12. Texas A&M 1-0-0 (12)	802
13. Pittsburgh 2-0-0 (17)	673
14. Oklahoma 1-0-0 (23)	662
15. Arkansas, 0-0-0 (15)	647
16. Clemson 1-1-0 (9)	471
17. Ohio St. 1-0-0 (14)	467
18. Houston 1-0-0 (24)	395
19. Michigan St. 0-0-0 (22)	382
20. Arizona 1-0-0	370
21. Illinois 0-1-0 (11)	366
22. Washington 1-0-0 (20)	345
23. Texas 1-0-0	214
24. Florida 1-0-0	163
25. Arizona St. 1-0-0	113

Big, big victory for Texas' McWilliams

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer
The Texas Longhorns may have handed coach David McWilliams the biggest victory of his career.

Although Texas defeated Oklahoma and Arkansas last year, it wasn't as sweet as Texas' 17-13 upset of Penn State on Saturday.

Williams, who has caught considerable heat from the alumni over back-to-back losing seasons, said, "It was a big, big victory. It helped answer some of my critics."

On other games on Saturday:
—Texas Christian rallied with two fourth quarter touchdown passes by Leon Clay to nip Missouri 20-19.
—Texas Tech was the victim of a 50-yard punt return for a touchdown in a 17-10 loss to Ohio State.
—Mike Romo threw a school record six touchdowns passes in Southern Methodist's 44-7 rout of Vanderbilt.

but threw three scoring passes in the second half.

"The booping bothered me but you have to work past that," Clay said.

TCU coach Jim Wacker said "it was as good a come-from-behind victory as I have seen, maybe ever. I wonder what all of those people who were booping last week have to say about this game."

It was TCU's first road victory after 12 straight losses.

Texas Tech came close to upsetting Ohio State on national television but fell short when a line drive punt was returned 50 yards for a touchdown.

Romo came within one touchdown pass of tying Andre Ware's SWC record of seven touchdown passes.

"Mike was extremely sharp," said SMU coach Forrest Gregg. "He picked us apart," said Vanderbilt coach Watson Brown.

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Scoreboard

Football	
How Top Twenty Five Fared By The Associated Press How the top 25 teams in the Associated Press' college football poll fared Saturday:	
1. Miami, Fla. (0-1) lost to No. 1 Brigham Young 28-21. Next: at California, Saturday.	10. Atlanta 1-0-0 16.
2. Notre Dame (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. No. 6 Michigan, Saturday.	Class 2A
3. Auburn (1-0) beat Fullerton State 38-17. Next: vs. Mississippi at Jacksonville, Miss., Saturday.	1. Groveton (20) 1-0-0 200
4. Florida State (1-0) beat East Carolina 45-24. Next: vs. Georgia Southern, Saturday.	2. Pilot Point 1-0-0 161.
5. Michigan (0-0) did not play. Next: at No. 2 Notre Dame, Saturday.	3. Schultenburg 1-0-0 138.
6. Colorado (1-0-1) did not play. Next: at No. 11 Illinois, Saturday.	4. Grand Saline 1-0-0 128.
7. Southern Cal. (1-0) did not play. Next: vs. No. 21 Penn State, Saturday.	5. Post 1-0-0 107.
8. Tennessee (2-0-1) beat Mississippi State 40-7. Next: vs. Texas-El Paso, Saturday.	6. Farmersville 1-0-0 99.
9. Clemson (1-1) lost to No. 14 Virginia 20-7. Next: vs. Maryland at Baltimore, Saturday.	7. DeLeon 1-0-0 89.
10. Nebraska (2-0) beat Northern Illinois 60-14. Next: vs. Minnesota, Sept. 22.	8. West Texas 1-0-0 46.
11. Illinois (0-1) lost to Arizona 28-16. Next: vs. No. 6 Colorado, Saturday.	9. Refugio 0-1-0 43.
12. Texas A&M (1-0) did not play. Next: vs. Southwestern Louisiana, Saturday.	10. Malakoff 0-1-0 37.
13. Alabama (0-1) lost to Southern Mississippi 27-24. Next: vs. Florida, Saturday.	Class A
14. Virginia (2-0) beat No. 9 Clemson 20-7. Next: vs. Navy, Saturday.	1. Munday (16) 1-0-0 195.
15. Arkansas (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. Tulsa, Saturday.	2. Italy (3) 1-0-0 172.
16. Brigham Young (2-0) beat No. 1 Miami, Fla. 28-21. Next: vs. Washington State, Saturday.	3. Farwell 1-0-0 139.
17. Pittsburgh (2-0) beat Boston College 29-6. Next: at No. 23 Oklahoma, Saturday.	4. Garden City 1-0-0 120.
18. Ohio State (1-0) beat Texas Tech 17-10. Next: at Boston College, Saturday.	5. Thorndale (1) 0-1-0 108.
19. UCLA (0-1) lost to No. 23 Oklahoma 34-14. Next: vs. Stanford, Saturday.	6. Flatonia 1-0-0 102.
20. Washington (1-0) beat San Jose State 20-17. Next: at Purdue, Saturday.	7. Spur 1-0-0 86.
21. Penn State (0-1) lost to Texas 17-13. Next: at No. 7 Southern Cal, Saturday.	8. Bartlett 1-0-0 73.
22. Michigan State (0-0) did not play. Next: at Syracuse, Saturday.	9. Fannindel 1-0-0 53.
23. Oklahoma (1-0) beat No. UCLA 34-14. Next: vs. No. 17 Pittsburgh, Saturday.	10. Coolidge 0-1-0 13.
24. Houston (1-0) beat UNLV 37-9. Next: at Texas Tech, Thursday.	NFL Standings By The Associated Press All Times EDT
25. West Virginia (1-1) lost to Maryland 14-10. Next: vs. Louisville, Sept. 22.	AMERICAN CONFERENCE
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	Dallas 1 0 0 0.000 17 14
	N.Y. Giants 1 0 0 0.000 27 20
	Washington 1 0 0 0.000 31 0
	Philadelphia 0 1 0 0.000 20 27
	Phoenix 0 1 0 0.000 0 31
	West
	Chicago 1 0 0 0.000 17 0
	Green Bay 1 0 0 0.000 36 24
	Tampa Bay 1 0 0 0.000 38 21
	Detroit 0 1 0 0.000 21 38
	Minnesota 0 1 0 0.000 21 24
	West
	Atlanta 1 0 0 0.000 47 27
	San Francisco 1 0 0 0.000 13 12
	L.A. Rams 0 1 0 0.000 24 36
	New Orleans 0 1 0 0.000 12 13
	Sunday's Games
	Kansas City 24, Minnesota 21
	Washington 31, Phoenix 0
	Green Bay 36, Los Angeles Rams 24
	Chicago 17, Seattle 0
	Tampa Bay 38, Detroit 21
	Los Angeles Raiders 14, Denver 9
	Atlanta 47, Houston 27
	Buffalo 26, Indianapolis 10
	Cincinnati 25, New York Jets 20
	Miami 27, New England 24
	Cleveland 13, Pittsburgh 3

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Wells pulls double duty in pitching Jays to win

By The Associated Press

The Toronto Blue Jays played only one game, but pitcher David Wells played a doubleheader.

When there's a pennant race in September, playing scoreboards becomes the national pastime, and Wells played it to perfection Monday night.

The left-hander held Kansas City to four hits in eight innings as the Blue Jays beat the Royals 6-1. And when he wasn't on the mound, he kept ducking into the clubhouse to see how the Boston Red Sox were doing.

They were doing so-so in splitting a doubleheader with Milwaukee, winning the opener 5-4 and dropping the nightcap 6-1.

"I had a job to do, and I was really trying to shut everything else out of my mind," said Wells (11-4). "But I kept checking what was going on with the Red Sox. I think we're going to win this thing."

"It appears they're never going to lose again," Boston's Mike Marshall said.

The Oakland Athletics, who have virtually wrapped up the AL West, lost to Seattle 5-2 and had their lead reduced to nine games over Chicago, which split a doubleheader with Cleveland, losing the opener 3-2 and taking the nightcap 6-2.

Elsewhere, it was Detroit 8, Baltimore 0; Texas 1, New York 0 in 11 innings, and California 3, Minnesota 1.

Kelly Gruber drove in four runs for Toronto. Wells retired 16 consecutive batters before giving way to John Candelaria in the ninth inning.

Gruber had a sacrifice fly in the first, a two-run double in the fifth and a run-scoring single in the seventh. Hector Wagner lost his major league debut.

Red Sox 5, Brewers 4 Brewers 6, Red Sox 1

Milwaukee's Dave Parker hit his 21st home run in the nightcap and Robin Yount continued his climb on the all-time hit list.

The Red Sox won the opener as Luis Rivera keyed a four-run fourth inning with a two-run double.

Yount went 3-for-4 in the first game, breaking a tie with Lou Gehrig for 38th place among baseball's all-time hit leaders. Yount went 2-for-3 in the nightcap for 2,726 career hits.

Mariners 5, Athletics 2

Seattle became the first team to beat 23-game winner Bob Welch twice this

season as Erik Hanson (14-9) pitched a six-hitter and Ken Griffey Sr. hit a three-run homer.

Welch, who has beaten Seattle once this season, was lifted with two out in the seventh. He gave up eight hits and five runs.

Hanson (14-9) struck out 10 and retired 16 batters in a row between the first and sixth innings.

Indians 3, White Sox 2 White Sox 6, Indians 2

Eric King got his first win since June 27 and Bobby Thigpen extended his major-league record to 49 saves.

Cleveland won the opener 3-2 when pinch-hitter Carlos Baerga drew a bases-loaded walk from reliever Barry Jones (11-2) with one out in the ninth inning. Doug Jones (5-5) got the victory.

Chicago's Carlton Fisk had a home run in each game.

In the nightcap, King (9-4) gave up two runs and five hits in six-plus innings. Thigpen worked 2 2-3 innings.

Tigers 8, Orioles 0

Frank Tanana allowed three hits over seven innings and Lou Whitaker broke an 0-for-25 slump with a homer and three RBIs.

Tanana (7-7) struck out five and did not allow a runner past first base. Mike Henneman and Jerry Don Gleaton worked one inning apiece.

Rangers 1, Yankees 0

Rafael Palmeiro singled home the only run with two out in the 11th inning following an intentional walk to Julio Franco.

Steve Bucchele opened the 11th with a single off Lee Guetterman (9-6), New York's second pitcher. Jeff Huson sacrificed and pinch-hitter John Russell grounded out before Franco was intentionally walked.

Palmeiro's bouncing single up the middle hit made a winner of Kenny Rogers (8-5), the third of five Texas pitchers.

Angels 3, Twins 1

Dave Winfield and Lee Stevens hit consecutive RBI singles in the third inning and Jim Abbott (10-12) held the Twins scoreless until rookie Scott Leius' first major league homer in the seventh.

Abbott went 7 2-3 innings in defeating right-handed namesake Paul Abbott (0-3), who gave up three runs and 10 hits in six innings. Bryan Harvey went 1 2-3 innings for his 21st save.

Major League Standings

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All Times EDT

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	79	62	.560	—
Toronto	75	66	.532	4
Detroit	68	74	.479	11 1/2
Milwaukee	67	74	.475	12
Baltimore	63	76	.453	15
Cleveland	63	79	.444	16 1/2
New York	57	83	.407	21 1/2

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Oakland	89	51	.636	—
Chicago	80	60	.571	9
Texas	74	67	.525	15 1/2
California	70	71	.496	19 1/2
Seattle	70	71	.496	19 1/2
Kansas City	66	75	.468	23 1/2
Minnesota	65	77	.458	25

Monday's Games

Cleveland 3, Chicago 2, 1st game
Chicago 6, Cleveland 2, 2nd game
Texas 1, New York 0, 11 innings
Detroit 8, Baltimore 0
Boston 5, Milwaukee 4, 1st game
Milwaukee 6, Boston 1, 2nd game
Toronto 6, Kansas City 1
Seattle 5, Oakland 2
California 3, Minnesota 1

Tuesday's Games

Texas (B.Witt 15-8) at New York (Cary 5-9), 7:30 p.m.
Detroit (Searcy 1-5) at Baltimore (D.Johnson 11-8), 7:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (R.Robinson 9-3) at Boston (Lamp 3-4), 7:35 p.m.
Chicago (Edwards 4-3) at Cleveland (Candiotti 14-10), 7:35 p.m.
Toronto (Wills 5-3) at Kansas City (Stottemyre 0-0), 8:35 p.m.
Oakland (C.Young 8-5) at Seattle (R.Johnson 13-8), 10:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Pittsburgh	83	58	.589	—
New York	79	61	.564	3 1/2
Montreal	74	66	.529	8 1/2
Chicago	65	75	.464	17 1/2
Philadelphia	65	75	.464	17 1/2
St. Louis	64	77	.454	19

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincinnati	79	60	.568	—
Los Angeles	74	67	.525	6
San Francisco	73	68	.518	7
San Diego	65	75	.464	14 1/2
Houston	63	77	.450	16 1/2
Atlanta	58	83	.411	22

Monday's Games

New York 10, St. Louis 1
Pittsburgh 3, Philadelphia 2
Montreal 7, Chicago 4
San Diego 5, Los Angeles 2
San Francisco 7, Atlanta 6, 10 innings

Only games scheduled

Tuesday's Games

Montreal (Gross 9-10) at Chicago (Nunez 2-6), 2:20 p.m.
Houston (Scott 9-13) at Cincinnati (Charlton 11-7), 7:35 p.m.
St. Louis (Hill 4-3) at New York (Valera 1-1), 7:35 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Tomlin 2-2) at Philadelphia (Grimsley 1-1), 7:35 p.m.
Los Angeles (Hartley 6-2) at San Diego (Hurst 8-9), 10:05 p.m.

Wednesday's Games

Philadelphia at Chicago, 2:20 p.m.
Atlanta at San Francisco, 3:35 p.m.
Houston at Cincinnati, 7:35 p.m.
St. Louis at Montreal, 7:35 p.m.
Pittsburgh at New York, 7:35 p.m.
Los Angeles at San Diego, 10:05 p.m.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE STATE OF TEXAS GRAY COUNTY BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE

DATED SEPTEMBER 6, 1990

and issued pursuant to judgment decreed(s) of the District Court of Gray County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date, in the hereinafter numbered and styled suits and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on September 6, 1990, seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in October, 1990, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the East Door of the Courthouse of said County, in the City of Pampa, Texas, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. on said day, beginning at 10:00 a.m., proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suits and in to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Gray and the State of Texas, to-wit:

Suit No. Style of Suit and Property Description

#358 Pampa Independent School District vs. Berry, Novella; All of Lots 4 & 5, Block 1 of the Hunter Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 328, Page 368, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas. (Acct. #1-10-30395001004).

#462 City of Pampa vs. Jones, Charles, Jr.; Tract 1: Lots 11 and 12 in Block 25 of the Wilcox Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas. Tract 2: Lots 41 and 42 in Block 36 of the Wilcox Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.

#550 City of Pampa vs. Stribling, Doris; Being a part of Plot No. 179 of the Suburbs of Pampa, Gray County, Texas according to the recorded map or plat of said Suburbs of Pampa, Gray County, Texas according to the recorded map or plat of said Suburbs in the Deed Records of Gray County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows, to-wit: BEGINNING at a point in the South line of Wilks street a distance of 30 Feet South and 960 Feet East of the Northwest corner of the N 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Section No. 103 in Block No. 3 of the I. & G.N. Railway Company Surveys in Gray County, Texas, for the Northwest corner of this tract; THENCE East along the south line of Wilks Street a distance of 100 feet to a point for the Northeast corner of this tract; THENCE South a distance of 140 Feet to a point for the Southeast corner of this tract; THENCE West a distance of 100 feet to a point for the Southwest corner of this tract; THENCE North a distance of 140 Feet to the PLACE OF BEGINNING.

#995-A City of Pampa vs. Conley, Joe; Lot 14 in Block 3, Hindman Addition, an Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.

#1051 City of Pampa, Pampa Independent School District and Gray County vs. Jessie Austin, et al; Tract 1: Lot two (2) in block One (1) of the Harlem Addition to the City of Pampa, as described in Volume 490, Page 656, Deed Records, Gray County, Texas (Acct. #1-10-30325001002). Tract 2: Lot Three (3) in Block One (1) of the Harlem Addition to the City of Pampa, as described in Volume 490, Page 656, Deed Records, Gray County, Texas (Acct. #1-10-30325001003).

#1205 City of Pampa vs. Donaldson, Jerry A.; Lot 15, Block 2, Green Novoty Subdivision, being part of Plot #156, Suburbs of Pampa, as described in Volume 364, Page 199, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #1-10-3030002015).

#1485 Gray County, Pampa Independent School District and City of Pampa vs. J.R. Davis, et al; Lot 6, Block 1, Haggard Addition to the City of Pampa, being more particularly described in Volume 243, Page 679, SAVE AND EXCEPT, the East 10 feet of Lot 6, being more particularly described in Volume 351, Page 377 Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #1-10-30305001906).

#1502 City of Pampa, Pampa Independent School District and Gray County vs. U.V. Adamson, et al; Lot 16, Block 3, Hindman Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 484, Page 396, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #1-10-30370003016).

#1517 City of Pampa, Pampa Independent School District and Gray County vs. Azie Wilborn Williams, formerly known as, Azie Wilburn, et al; Lots 6 and 7, Block 1, Hunter Addition, City of Pampa, as described in Volume 152, Page 571, Deed Records of Gray County, Texas (Acct. #1-10-30395001006).

(any volume and page references, unless otherwise indicated, being to the Deed Records, Gray County, Texas, to which instruments reference may be made for a more complete description of each respective tract.)

upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion of the property described above should be sold thereof to satisfy said judgment(s), interest, penalties, and cost; any property sold should be subject to the right of redemption of the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date the purchaser's deed is filed for record in the manner provided by law, and shall be subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgments rendered in

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the above styled and numbered cabinets, together with interest, penalties, and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sales to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs. Dated at Pampa, Texas, September 6, 1990.

Jimmy Free Sheriff, Gray County, Texas

Carol Cott Deputy C-56 Dept. 11, 18, 25, 1990

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New efforts continue to treat debilitating chronic fatigue syndrome

By ROBERT BYRD
Associated Press Writer

ATLANTA (AP) - The symptoms sound like the flu - except they don't get better. The name sounds like something a truck driver would get: chronic fatigue syndrome.

It has been two years since what some cynically dubbed "the yuppie flu" was recognized as a real disease with a real name. Today, researchers still don't know who has it, what to do about it, or what causes it - although most now believe it unlikely that Epstein-Barr virus is responsible, as some studies once suggested.

"I don't think we're very far along with understanding the cause of the syndrome," said Paul Cheney, a Charlotte, N.C., physician who helped pioneer treatment of syndrome sufferers in the mid-1980s.

Today, the federal government is midway through an effort to determine the prevalence of chronic fatigue syndrome. Researchers are zeroing in on possible factors - including immune disorders and viral infections - that may lead to treatment.

A study released Sept. 4 said evidence of a type of virus known as a retrovirus was found in the blood of 23 of 30 victims of the syndrome.

"It's very interesting and it definitely needs to be followed up," said Ann Schluenderberg, chief of the virology branch of the National Institutes of Health. She said a more direct cause-and-effect must be established.

There are tens of thousands of Americans - maybe more - who believe they have chronic fatigue syndrome. Some of them almost certainly do not; the symptoms can mirror those of psychological illnesses such as depression.

But some of them do have it. "It definitely exists," said Dr. Walter Gunn of the Centers for Disease Control. "We are finding people who meet the case definition."

Chronic fatigue syndrome is characterized by the debilitating, long-lasting fatigue that gives it its

name. The fatigue is coupled with a group of related symptoms, including headache, sore throat, fever, weakness and muscle and joint pains. Patients also can suffer from memory loss and difficulty concentrating.

And it has to be more than a two-week bout with the flu. By definition, chronic fatigue syndrome lasts at least six months, often for years. Some patients may eventually shake it; others don't.

Most patients seeking medical help are white females 30 to 50, the CDC says.

It isn't thought contagious, although in some patients it follows an influenza-like illness or a viral infection. A number of viruses are being looked at, although research is going away from the theory that

Epstein-Barr virus is responsible. (Epstein-Barr infection is "almost inevitable," hitting 80 percent or more of American adults, according to the CDC, and at least two studies have found that CFS sufferers are no more likely to have had Epstein-Barr.)

Chronic fatigue syndrome also may be associated with immune system defects or pre-existing psychological conditions, the CDC says.

"The list of symptoms is so great, when a doctor looks at this, they think there's no way one patient can have all of this," said Sherry Stockton, who has been diagnosed with chronic fatigue syndrome and heads the Atlanta CFS Association, a support group.

Marti Goolsby of Knoxville, Tenn., has watched her 17-year-old

daughter struggle with the disease for almost a year. Dana was making good grades, acting in school theater and holding down a part-time job until she came down with what seemed to be the flu and never shook it.

"It's been a struggle for her to get through the day, to keep up with her schoolwork," Mrs. Goolsby said. "Last Christmas Day, she crawled up like she was 2 years old and just went to sleep."

Dana was diagnosed with chronic fatigue syndrome a month later at Vanderbilt University Medical Center in Nashville.

Many sufferers assumed they were losing their minds. Ms. Stockton even underwent testing to see if she had clinical depression, rather than "real organic disease." Tests

confirmed damage to the left half of her brain.

"There's a problem. There's not one specific test we can do and say yes, this patient has CFS," said Dr. David R. Strayer, a professor and specialist in chronic fatigue syndrome at Philadelphia's Hahnemann University.

Thus, no one is sure how many people might have the illness. "Every time there's some publicity, we find patients by the thousands," said Janet Bohannon of the National CFS Association in Kansas City, Kan.

"My guesstimate, due to the influx of calls and patient inquiries, is that this is not rare at all," Ms. Bohannon said. "Some people have said between 1 and 3 percent of the population, and that's probably correct."



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