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Leaders struggle to keep USSR intact

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MOSCOW (AP) — A chastened President Mikhail S. Gorbachev today blamed himself for failing to head off the hard-line Communist coup and promised national elections for all government posts, including his own.

In an address to Soviet lawmakers meeting in emergency session for the first time since last week's coup, Gorbachev also pledged to remake a union sent reeling toward disintegration in the aftermath of the putsch.

Six of the 15 Soviet republics — most recently Byelorussia on Sunday and the Ukraine on Saturday, the Slavic core of this vast country — have declared their independence. Georgia announced its secession from the Soviet Union earlier this year. The coup gave a big boost to independence drives in the three Baltic republics — Latvia, Estonia and Lithuania. Lithuania today began taking control of its border posts and issuing visas.

And Moldavia is to consider formal secession Tuesday.

After Gorbachev spoke to the Supreme Soviet legislature, a key republic leader called for drastic changes in the president's Union Treaty plan to hold the country together.

"I call for an immediate decision on the question of restoration of full freedoms for the Baltics, Moldavia and Georgia, and all who have expressed their striving for independence in a democratic manner," said Kazakhstan President Nursultan Nazarbayev, who had previously opposed secession.

Republic leaders such as Nazarbayev are heeding the cry of Russian Federation President Boris Yeltsin, who led the opposition during the three-day coup and has since greatly expanded his influence over

the central government.

The United States regards Gorbachev as titular head of the government, National Security Adviser Brent Scowcroft said. "Yeltsin and President Gorbachev are now cooperating to run the Soviet Union," Secretary of State James A. Baker III said Sunday on ABC's "This Week with David Brinkley."

Deputy Secretary of State Eagleburger, Baker's top deputy, was asked today who was in charge in the Soviet Union. "It's a tough one to answer but to the degree that we can figure it out it's Mr. Yeltsin and Mr. Gorbachev." He replied "Yes" when asked if the power flowed in that order.

In his speech to the Supreme Soviet today, Gorbachev said he had returned from his imprisonment that ended Wednesday to a "different country." The legislators erupted in applause.

"Immediately after the Union Treaty is signed, we must begin a campaign to elect all union organs, including the president," said Gorbachev, who has never run in a popular election. He did not give a timetable.

Gorbachev previously proposed drafting a new Soviet Constitution within six months of the signing of the Union Treaty to bind the republics together in a looser federation, to be followed by elections. Officials say that process could take two years.

Gorbachev's chances of concluding the Union Treaty have been put in serious doubt by the quick moves by the republics to leave the Soviet Union.

Leaders of nine republics had agreed to sign the document and the key republics of Russia and Kazakhstan were to sign it Tuesday, the day after the hard-liners claimed power, a coincidence not missed by many observers.

In other developments today:



Konstantin Kobetz, left, defense minister of the Russian Federation and Evgeny Shaposhnikov, right, Soviet Defense Minister, listen to Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev's speech at an extraordinary session of the Supreme Soviet in Moscow today.

• Lawmakers voted 436-7 with 15 abstentions to scrutinize the behavior of all Soviet organizations, presumably including the Communist Party, KGB and Defense Ministry, during the coup.

• New Soviet Defense Minister Evgeny Shaposhnikov said a major reorganization was under way to replace most of the officers' corps with younger, more liberal commanders.

• Military officials, he added, don't know "what to do with the army in those republics that have separated from the union."

• Those who tried to depose Gorbachev took a briefcase containing

codes and communications equipment for launching the Soviet's nuclear arsenal, said Gorbachev aide Anatoly Chernayev.

But Shaposhnikov told Soviet TV that the coup plotters did not have the ability to launch a nuclear strike using the codes and equipment.

• The acting speaker of the Supreme Soviet, Ivan Laptev, announced that the government newspaper Izvestia had been made independent. The state news agency Tass also said it intended to become independent, with an elected management.

• Nikolai Kruchina, business manager of the Communist Party's poli-

cy-setting Central Committee, had committed suicide. Tass did not elaborate.

Sergei F. Akhromeyev, Gorbachev's chief military adviser, hanged himself in his Kremlin office on Saturday. Last week, one of the eight coup leaders, Interior Minister Boris Pugo, was found fatally shot in his Moscow apartment. The seven other coup-plotters are under arrest. Initial reports said Pugo shot himself, but those who found him said he may have been murdered.

• Lawmakers voted to convene an extraordinary session of the Parliament's parent body, the Congress of

People's Deputies, Sept. 2.

Yeltsin had suggested Sunday that the Congress meet instead of the Supreme Soviet and dissolve Gorbachev's Cabinet of Ministers, many of whose members were involved in the coup — including Prime Minister Valentin Pavlov.

• Minutes before the Supreme Soviet convened today, the body's chairman, Anatoly Lukyanov, announced his resignation. Lukyanov, a friend of Gorbachev since the two attended law school together, denied he joined other longtime Gorbachev confidants and backed the coup. Yeltsin had accused Lukyanov of being a driving force behind the conspiracy.

Gorbachev today told the Supreme Soviet the coup "did not break out unexpectedly, out of the blue. Its forerunners were hysterical publications by the rightists in the press and at Central Committee (meetings) ... and the open sabotage of many perestroika-related decisions by party state structures."

"In a word, the plot was ripening," Gorbachev said.

"I blame myself first of all for this."

Gorbachev said there "is a lesson of the first order ... a more important cause, or reason, which made possible this attempt against democracy, the attempt to turn the country back to totalitarianism by force."

"This reason," he said, was "a lack of decisiveness and consistency in carrying out democratic reforms."

"It's not only my fault, but the fault of all of us, the Supreme Soviet of the U.S.S.R., the leading organs of the party, the government."

"Our good intentions, our well-formulated goals and plans were largely not fulfilled because we failed to change the old mechanism of power."

Adoption of 1991 budget to top City Commission agenda Tuesday

Pampa city commissioners are to meet in regular session at 6 p.m. Tuesday to adopt a budget for the 1991-92 fiscal year.

The \$5.58 million budget relies on no new taxes or tax rate increases, according to City Manager Glen Hackler.

Hackler and finance director John Horst told commissioners in a briefing that the new budget emphasizes continued delivery of public services, improvement of city infrastructure and development of human resources.

A public hearing on the budget during the last commission meeting drew no public comment or criticism regarding the proposed fiscal plan.

In other business, commissioners are scheduled to consider:

- An internal risk pool health plan.

- Setting of a tax rate for 1991-92.
 - Authorizing submission of a community development block grant.
 - Awarding a contract for electrical work at Central Fire Station.
 - Awarding a bid for concrete work on stairs and Aspen and Beech parks.
 - Declaring certain weapons as surplus and authorizing their destruction.
- A work session at 4 p.m., which is open to the public, will discuss purchase of a marquee for the M.K. Brown Civic Center, Texas Department of Health requirements for a landfill baling operation and a proposed special election for an economic development tax.
- No action will be taken at the work session, by law.

Miami woman dies in roll-over

A 31-year-old mother of four from Miami was killed Saturday afternoon in a one-vehicle roll-over 14 miles east of Pampa just off Hwy. 60.

Susan Graham Roberts of Route 1, Box 43 in Miami was pronounced dead at the scene by Gray County Justice of the Peace Margie Prestidge after the accident was reported by a passing motorist.

Department of Public Safety reports indicate Roberts was the only occupant of a 1985 Volkswagon van that left a caliche roadway around 5:45 p.m., flipping

over three times and coming to rest in a field about 80 feet from the roadway.

Officials said Roberts, who was not wearing her seatbelt, was not thrown from the vehicle.

She had reportedly just left her husband and son at Tejas Feeders and was on her way to pick up other children from a party when the accident occurred.

Trooper Jim Bishop of the Highway Patrol was notified of the accident after a motorist called Pampa's 9-1-1.

Funeral services for Mrs.

Roberts are to be at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at the United Methodist Church in Miami with burial in the Miami Cemetery.

The Rev. Billy Wilson, pastor of United Methodist Church of Miami, said today that a fund for Mrs. Roberts' family has been set up at First State Bank of Miami. Anyone wishing to contribute to the fund may do so by going to First State Bank, or by mailing the contribution to the Susan Roberts Family Fund, care of Gail Bean, First State Bank, P.O. Box 8, Miami, 79059.

Another abortion protest arrest made

Protestors push, shove clinic director

By JOHN HANNA
Associated Press Writer

WICHITA, Kan. (AP) — An abortion protester was arrested this morning after confronting a pro-choice advocate who unfurled a banner in opposition to anti-abortionists who have been picketing more than 40 days.

Police Lt. M.J. Princ said the man was arrested on charges of disobeying a police officer's order. The arrest came as about 100 people resumed demonstrations today outside the Wichita Family Planning Inc. clinic, where the director was roughed up Sunday in what police called one of the most violent protests yet.

This morning's protest was quieter. The anti-abortionists carried cardboard tombstones this morning with the names of women who had died after having abortions. About a dozen pro-choice demonstrators were across the street.

About 25,000 abortion protesters gathered Sunday in the Wichita State University football stadium to hear evangelist Pat

Robertson urge them to protest and become political.

"What we are trying to do is protect children from the cruel forces of money-grubbing vultures who masquerade as men of medicine," he said.

He also said U.S. District Judge Patrick F. Kelly — who has jailed abortion foes for violating his order against blocking clinics — should be impeached.

"These men and women are not criminals and lawbreakers and disobedient to lawful authority," Robertson said at Wichita State University. University officials estimated the crowd at 25,000.

After the rally, Operation Rescue spokesman Gary McCullough said the national group would turn the Wichita anti-abortion crusade over to local leaders.

Police and federal marshals have made more than 2,600 arrests, mainly for trespassing, since Operation Rescue began demonstrations in mid-July. Wichita has been targeted because one of its clinics performs late-term abortions.

Earlier Sunday, Wichita Family Planning Inc. opened unexpectedly, and about 100 protesters gathered.

Clinic director Debbie Riggs was pushed and shoved by two protesters at the clinic's back

entrance when she arrived at 7:30 a.m. to open the center, police said.

"She was physically roughed up, but she wasn't injured," said Deputy Police Chief Steve Trainer. "She was a little shaken."

Two officers who responded were surrounded, and one officer sprayed Mace on protesters, Trainer said. "Nobody got hurt," he said.

Sixty-one people were arrested Sunday, 59 on trespassing charges and two on assault charges, said Deputy U.S. Marshal Denis Amico.

Authorities said patients were able to enter the clinic, one of two

covered by Kelly's order barring harassment of doctors, employees or patients.

During the siege, some protesters have been arrested as many as eight times. Wichita officials estimated more than 1,400 individuals, many from out of town, have been arrested.

Kelly has sentenced a handful of Operation Rescue leaders to jail terms for violating his order. Most protesters are released within hours of arrest.

The ProChoice Action League held a rally of its own on the banks of the Arkansas River on Saturday. About 6,000 people attended.

Four Wheeler Sheriff's employees suspended with pay, attorney says

WHEELER — Two sheriff's deputies and two dispatchers have been suspended with pay through Saturday, Aug. 31, and are to be terminated at that time, according to legal counsel for Sheriff Jimmy Adams.

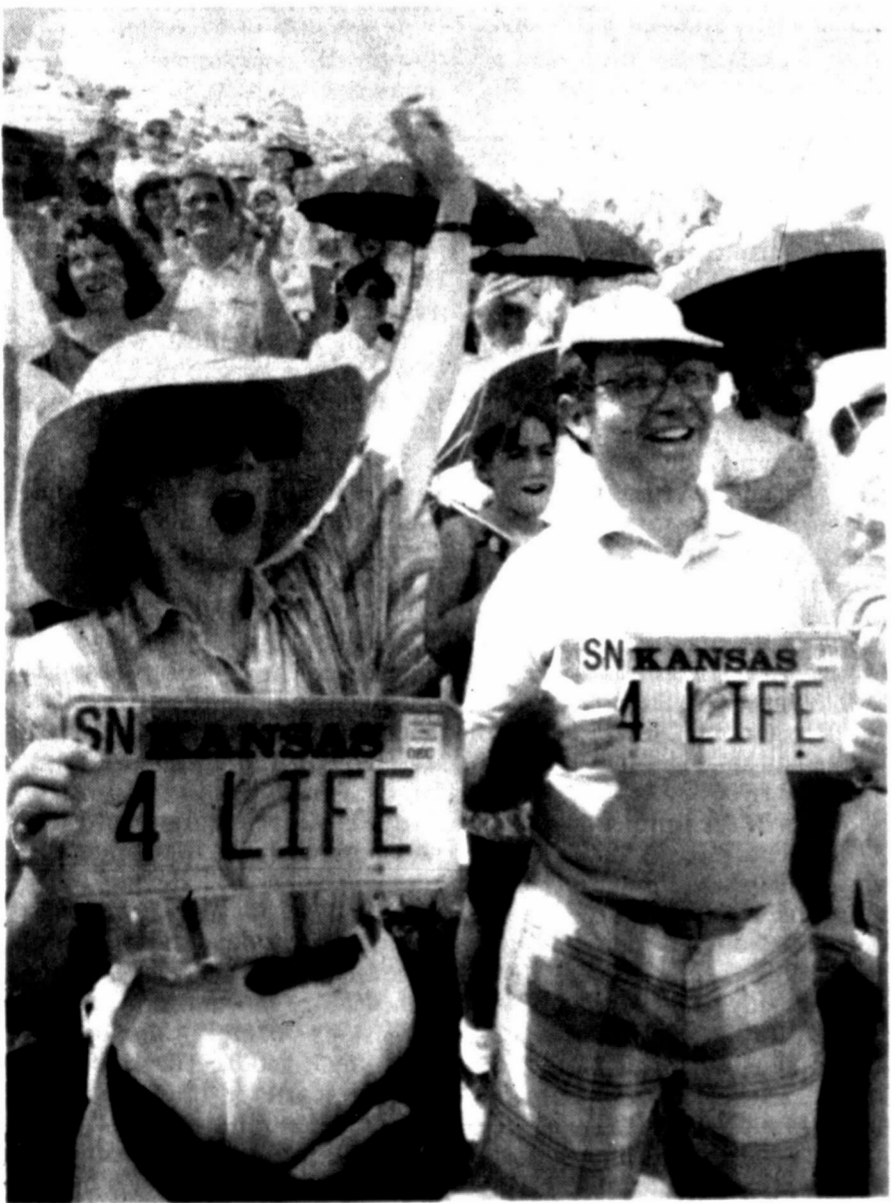
Virginia Daugherty, an Amarillo attorney, was at the sheriff's office today answering telephone inquiries about the suspensions.

Daugherty said state law makes it clear that "a deputy

serves at the pleasure of the sheriff" and that the same applies for sheriff's employees.

Daugherty and a spokesperson for the Wheeler County Commissioners Court, said the names of the suspended employees were a matter of public record, but declined to release them over the telephone.

Asked why the four were being terminated, Daugherty said, "It is an internal matter."



Bibi and Ken Zweig of Topeka, Kan., wave their car license plates during an anti-abortion rally Sunday at Wichita State University's Cessna Stadium. About 25,000 attended the rally.

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Services tomorrow

HUDDLESTON, Rena - 10 a.m., graveside, Kiowa Cemetery, Logan, Okla.
LOTTER, Charles E. - 10 a.m., graveside, Wheeler Cemetery.
MASSEY, Laura Alice - 10:30 a.m., graveside, Canadian Cemetery.
WILLIAMS, Lorene Fuller - 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel.
ROBERTS, Susan Graham - 2:30 p.m., United Methodist Church, Miami.
BRUTON, Grace E. - 2:30 p.m., Eleventh Street Baptist Church, Shamrock.

Obituaries

SUSAN GRAHAM ROBERTS
 MIAMI - Susan Graham Roberts, 31, died Saturday, Aug. 24, 1991. Services are to be at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at the United Methodist Church in Miami with Rev. Billy Wilson, pastor, officiating. Graveside rites at Miami Cemetery are courtesy of the Miami chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star. Arrangements by Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors in Pampa.

Mrs. Roberts was born June 13, 1960, in Mesa, Ariz. She moved to Miami in 1988 from Carlsbad, N.M. She married Les Roberts on April 3, 1982 in Miami. She was a member of the United Methodist Church and Miami chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include her husband; three daughters, Crystal, Natasha and Victoria Roberts, all of the home; a son, Demetrius Roberts of the home; her mother and step-father, Shirley and Marvin Philpott of Delaware, Ohio; a brother, Robert Graham of Miami; and a sister, Cindy Walker of Columbus, Ohio.

Laura Alice Massey
 CANADIAN - Laura Alice Massey, 98, died Saturday, Aug. 24, 1991. Graveside services are to be 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in Canadian Cemetery with David Massey, associate minister of Guthrie Christian Church in Guthrie, Okla., and the Rev. James Shugart, pastor of Pleasant Hills Baptist Church in Austin, officiating. Arrangements are by Stickle-Hill Funeral Home.

Mrs. Massey was born in Carter County, Okla., and had been a longtime resident of Canadian. She married Claude D. Massey in 1910 at Leagate, Okla. He died in 1955. They had been in the water well drilling business. She was also preceded in death by a son, Herman Massey, in 1964, and a daughter, Hazel Newton. She was a member of First Baptist Church in Canadian.

Survivors include two sons, Verlin Massey of Austin and Revis Massey of Canadian; eight grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and 11 great-great-grandchildren.

Grace E. Bruton
 SHAMROCK - Grace E. Bruton, 75, died Sunday, Aug. 25, 1991. Services are to be at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in Eleventh Street Baptist Church with the Rev. John Denton, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Shamrock Cemetery under the direction of Richerson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Bruton was born in Faulkner County, Ark., and moved to Collingsworth County in 1929. She moved to Shamrock in 1973 from Wheeler. She married Onnie Bruton in 1931 at Wellington. She was a homemaker and member of Eleventh Street Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; three sons, Jim Bruton of Shamrock, Dwight Bruton of Clute and Ken Bruton of Amarillo; and four grandchildren.

Charles E. Lotter
 WHEELER - Charles E. Lotter, 86, died Friday, Aug. 23, 1991. Graveside services are to be at 10 a.m. Wednesday in Wheeler Cemetery with the Rev. Weldon Rives, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating. Arrangements are by Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Lotter lived most of his life in Wheeler, but had recently moved to Corpus Christi. He was a retired farmer and member of First United Methodist Church in Wheeler.

Survivors include his wife, Ethel N. Lotter; a son, Dr. Joe C. Lotter of Corpus Christi; a brother, Lawrence L. Lotter of Dinero; a sister, Eula Perrin of Kingsville; and four grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to First United Methodist Church in Wheeler.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported no calls during the 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Calendar of events

PAMPA SINGLES ORGANIZATION
 Pampa Singles Organization will meet Tuesday, Aug. 27, 6:30 p.m., 2145 Aspen, for pot luck dinner and planning. For more information, call 669-6138.

Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa		
Wheat	2.60	
Milo	3.95	
Com.	4.45	
The following show the prices for which these securities could have traded at the time of compilation:		
Ky. Cent. Life	9 7/8	dn 1/8
Serco	3 1/2	NC
Occidental	24 1/2	dn 1/8
The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation:		
Magellan	68.31	
Paritan	13.94	
The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa:		
Amoco	52 7/8	NC
Arco	119 7/8	dn 1/4
Cabot	30	NC
Cabot O&G	16 7/8	NC
Chevron	71 1/2	dn 3/8
Coca-Cola	64 3/4	dn 1/4
Enron	62 1/8	up 1/4
Halliburton	38 7/8	dn 5/8
Ingersoll Rand	49 1/8	up 1/4
KNE	25 1/4	dn 1/4
Kerr-McGee	42 1/2	dn 1/8
Limited	27 3/4	dn 1/8
Mapco	48 3/4	NC
Maxus	9 3/8	up 1/8
McDonald's	32 3/4	NC
Mesa Ltd.	2 3/8	dn 1/8
Mobil	66 3/4	up 1/8
New Atmos	18 1/2	up 1/4
Penney's	52 1/2	dn 3/8
Phillips	25 7/8	NC
SLB	70 3/4	up 1/8
SPS	31 1/8	NC
Tenneco	41	up 1/4
Texaco	62 3/4	dn 1/8
Wal-Mart	48 7/8	dn 1/4
New York Gold	354.30	
Silver	3.93	
West Texas Crude	21.86	

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions
 Jamie McClure, Pampa
 A.D. Neal, Groom Pampa

Births
 To Jamie McClure of Pampa, a boy.
 To Mr. and Mrs. Tim Miller of Pampa, a boy.

Dismissals
 Maudie Foster, Memphis
 Robbie Kirkham and baby boy, Pampa
 Rodney Robertson, Pampa

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions
 John Rushing, Shamrock
 Lucille Pavlozsky, Shamrock

Dismissals
 Irma Kemp, Wellington
 Ross Grogan, McLean

Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents during the 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

SATURDAY, Aug. 24
 Chris Myers, 624 Roberta, reported an assault in the 500 block of West Foster.
 Carry Hood, Rt. 1 Box 200, reported an assault in the 500 block of West Foster.
 A juvenile reported an assault at 1040 Huff Rd.
 Police reported disorderly conduct and minor in possession of alcohol in the 500 block of West Foster.

The city of Pampa reported criminal mischief in the 900 block of Campbell.

SUNDAY, Aug. 25
 Police reported domestic violence in the 900 block of South Wilcox, at Foster and Starkweather streets, and in the 800 block of North Wells.

James Hausen, who listed his residence as the Coronado Inn, reported being assaulted in his room.
 Alfredo Armendariz, 227 Crest, reported burglary of a motor vehicle at the residence.

Hawkins Communications, 812 S. Cuyler, reported an attempted burglary at the business.
 James Lewis, 1828 N. Dwight, reported criminal mischief at the residence.

Allsup's, 309 N. Hobart, reported a theft at the business.
 Clifford Martindale, 700 E. 15th, reported burglary of a motor vehicle at the residence.

Robert Price, 221 E. Atchison, reported theft from a motor vehicle at the residence.
 James Morton, 1449 Dogwood, reported burglary of a motor vehicle at the residence.

Sandra Jones, 521 Montague #11, reported criminal trespassing at the residence.

Arrests
SATURDAY, Aug. 24
 Dwayne R. Hill, 19, 1037 Schneider, was arrested in the 500 block of West Foster on charges of minor in possession and disorderly conduct. He was released on bond.

Billy Brian Jernigan, 20, 421 Lowry, was arrested in the 600 block of West Foster on a warrant from an outside agency. He was released on bond.

Jeff Gates, 27, 111 1/2 W. Foster, was arrested in the 500 block of West Foster on a charge of public intoxication. He was released on bond.

Jerry Don Lyon, 31, Amarillo, was arrested in the 500 block of West Foster on a charge of public intoxication.

SUNDAY, Aug. 25
 Willie Lee Carter, 67, 827 E. Campbell, was arrested at Brown and Somerville streets on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

Edward Dean Vick, 33, 318 N. Faulkner, was arrested at Wilks and Brown streets on two warrants.

Minor accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported the following accidents during the 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

FRIDAY, Aug. 23
 9:50 p.m. - A 1981 Oldsmobile driven by Sarah Martinez, 608 N. Banks, collided with a 1981 Chevrolet driven by Robert Kicourse, 940 S. Sumner, at Starkweather and Foster. Martinez was cited for failure to yield right of way.

10:12 p.m. - A 1975 Toyota driven by Roberto Anguiano, 128 S. Sumner, struck a legally parked 1990 Chevrolet owned by the Salvation Army. Anguiano was cited for no driver's license, failure to control speed and no proof of liability insurance.

SATURDAY, Aug. 24
 1:10 a.m. - A 1974 Ford driven by Antonio Galaviz, 218 W. Craven, collided with a legally parked 1988 Ford driven by Julie Bolen, 1125 N. Duncan, and a parked 1978 Chevrolet owned by Ronnie Martin, 1125 Duncan, at Duncan and Pennsylvania streets. Galaviz reported possible injuries. He was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

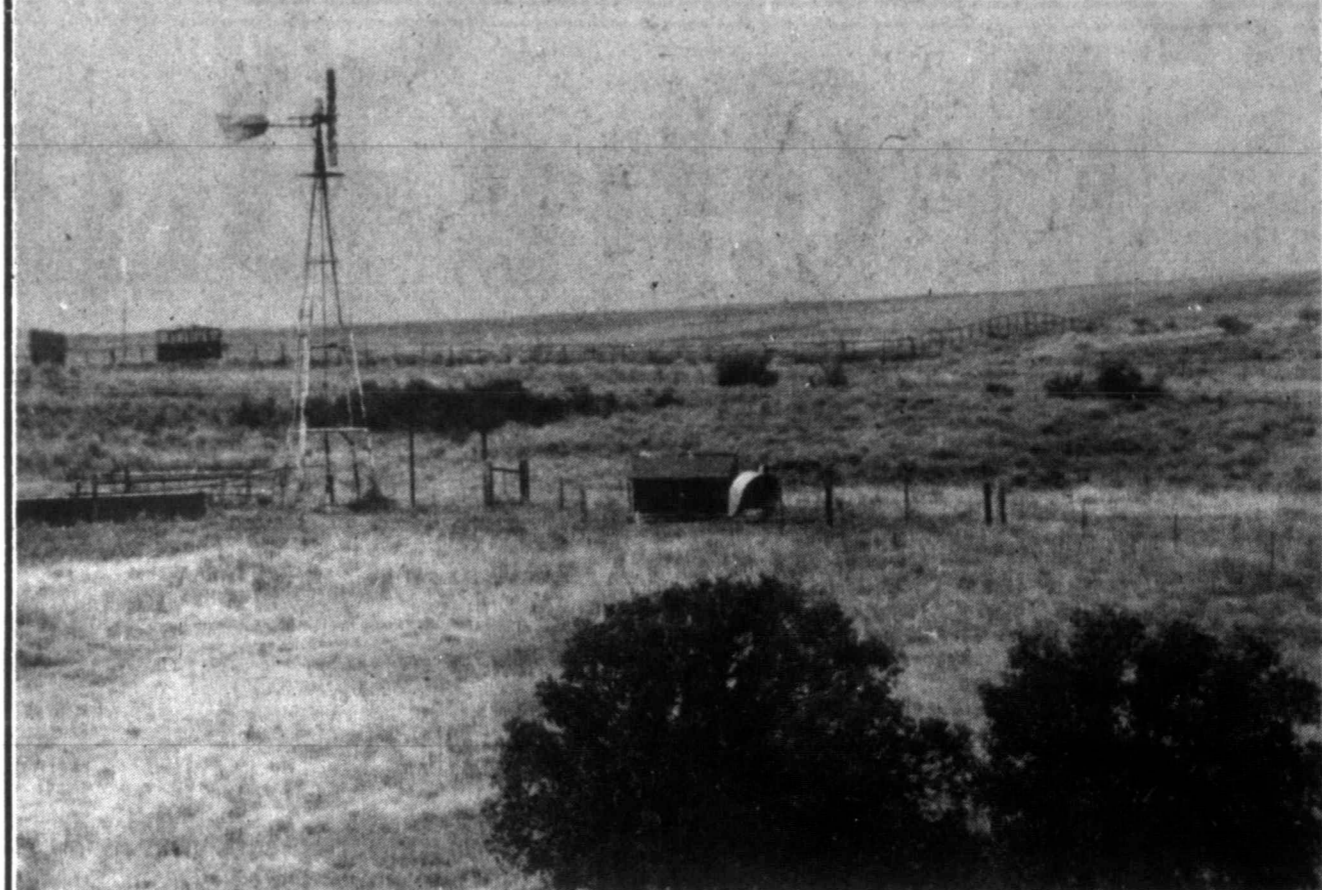
9:30 a.m. - A 1984 Chevrolet driven by Kerry Phillips, 2220 N. Christy, collided with a 1990 Ford driven by Leah Kellin, 1601 W. Somerville #1001, in the 1800 block of Lynn. Phillips was cited for failure to control speed.

11 p.m. - A 1984 BMW driven by April Ashby, 2330 Dogwood, collided with a 1988 Chevrolet driven by Jason Cochran, 1140 S. Finley, in the 800 block of East Foster. Ashby was cited for unsafe lane change.

SUNDAY, Aug. 25
 5:23 p.m. - A 1974 Ford driven by Troy Short, 1008 Crane, collided with an electric pole in the 600 block of East Scott. Short and a passenger, Thomas Bennett, 333 N. Christy, reported minor injuries. They were transported to Coronado Hospital by AMT Ambulance, where they were treated and released. No citations were issued.

MONDAY, Aug. 26
 12:30 a.m. - A 1967 Chevrolet driven by Anthony Stremming, 1933 N. Christy, hit a culvert in the 800 block of Price Road. No citations were issued and no injuries reported.

Peaceful prairie



(Staff photo by Stan Pollard)

A lone windmill catches a hot August breeze in the peaceful prairie scene on the Paman Road near McLean. As August quickly wanes, temperatures are beginning to cool somewhat. More late summer wind, clear skies and high temperatures in the 80s and 90s are predicted for the coming week.

Bush: U.S. waiting to recognize Baltics

KENNEBUNKPORT, Maine (AP) - President Bush says the United States wants freedom for the Baltics, but the next move toward that end is up to the Soviet national parliament.

Bush and other administration officials raised hopes that today's meeting of the Supreme Soviet would produce a breakthrough for the Baltic states yoked to the Stalinist union half a century ago.

As several European allies moved Sunday to extend diplomatic recognition to Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia, Bush said the United States is "biding our time."

But his national security adviser, Brent Scowcroft, said the United States understood that some Soviet deputies would introduce a resolution today to give the Baltics their freedom.

Defense Secretary Dick Cheney, on NBC-TV's "Meet the Press," called U.S. recognition of the Baltics a "formality" that would come relatively soon.

Bush, after greeting Canadian Prime Minister Brian Mulroney for an overnight visit, predicted "an interesting day" inside the Soviet parliament.

"A lot of developments going on there, all moving in the right direction. We'll know a little bit more

after tomorrow. We're just biding our time," the president said.
 "Everyone knows our policy," Bush added. "We want to see the Baltics free."

About 200 Baltic-Americans staged a motorcade through Bush's vacation hometown to prod the United States to extend full diplomatic recognition.

Arkady Maslennikov, a spokesman for the Supreme Soviet, said he foresaw "some kind of orderly divorce or separation" for the restive Soviet republics. Maslennikov appeared on NBC's "Meet the Press" with Cheney.

Scowcroft, on CBS-TV's "Face the Nation," said the United States still regards Mikhail Gorbachev as the "titular" head of the Soviet government. But he and other administration officials spoke frankly of the enlarged and still expanding role of Boris Yeltsin, the Russian Republic president.

"I think that President Yeltsin and President Gorbachev are now cooperating to run the Soviet Union," Secretary of State James A. Baker III said on ABC-TV's "This Week with David Brinkley."

Cheney, who predicted two years ago that Gorbachev would one day be ousted, said Yeltsin "represents a set of principles and values that are synonymous with those that we hold for the Soviet Union - democratiza-

tion, demilitarization."
 Baker said, "The political reform effort in the Soviet Union has far outpaced the economic reform effort." He said the United States still wants to see more progress toward a free-market economy lest it throw "a lot of money down a rat hole."

But the United States appeared open to Britain's suggestion that the Soviet Union be granted full membership in the World Bank and International Monetary Fund, which could loosen Western purse strings on loans.

"All the Western nations are evaluating what's going on, evaluating changes and new directions," said White House press secretary Marlin Fitzwater. "But nobody wants to commit at this point."

This past week's stunning events inside the Soviet Union appear to "have speeded up the reform process," said Fitzwater. "The sooner they're ready to participate, the sooner the IMF and World Bank are ready to be vehicles for instruction."

Denmark, Norway and Argentina recognized the Baltics on Sunday, and France expressed an eagerness to formalize ties. Germany invited Baltic officials to Bonn to discuss an exchange of ambassadors, and Britain is dispatching a top Foreign Ministry official for talks with the Baltics.

School finance to be topic of C of C meeting

Pampa public schools superintendent Dawson Orr is to be the speaker for the August Pampa Area Chamber of Commerce membership luncheon Tuesday.

Orr will discuss the new County Education District 14 and general school finance matters. He also will discuss this year's school enrollment figures in comparison with past years.

The luncheon will begin at 11:45 a.m. in the M.K. Brown Room at the Pampa Community Building, Ballard and Kingsmill.

Reservations for the luncheon must be made by 10 a.m. Tuesday.

City briefs

BRICK REPAIR: Harley Knutson 665-4237. Adv.

4 JUNIOR Deluxe Burgers \$2.50. Hamburger Station, 665-9131. Adv.

PERSON GOING to Canyon once or twice a week this fall. Call Jackie 665-6423. Adv.

ALLSTATE INSURANCE, 1064 N. Hobart, 665-4410. Adv.

FOOTBALL NIGHT Monday, August 26, 7-10 p.m. 75¢ draw beer. Club Biarritz. Come join us! Adv.

WE HAVE moved to 409 W. Brown. Open Saturday, August 24th. If you can stand the mess come see us. J&J Flea Market. 665-5721. Adv.

ROOF REPAIRS, guaranteed. Free estimates. 665-7006. Adv.

AUDITIONS FOR ACT I's presentation of Our Town will be held Monday and Tuesday (Aug. 27-28) at 7:00 p.m. in the theatre, Pampa Mall. There are 17 male and 7 female roles. For more information contact Sandy Crosswhite, 665-7393. Adv.

BREAKFAST SPECIAL 2 eggs, bacon, hashbrowns, toast or homemade biscuits and gravy, \$1.75 at Fajita's Tex Mex Grill! Located on the South side of Coronado Center. Try our delicious homemade cinnamon rolls! Adv.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST
 Clear tonight with a low of 65 and south winds 5-15 mph. Tuesday, partly cloudy with a high of 90 and south winds 10-20 mph.

REGIONAL FORECAST
 North Texas - Partly cloudy east tonight with a chance of thunderstorms. Mostly clear and hazy elsewhere. Partly cloudy areawide Tuesday with a chance of thunderstorms mainly east and south.

Highs Tuesday 90 to 93. Lows tonight 69 to 72.
 West Texas - Isolated to widely scattered mainly afternoon thunderstorms Tuesday, Edwards Plateau, Big Bend and far west. Otherwise partly cloudy days and fair at night. Highs Tuesday mainly in the 90s except lower 80s southwest mountains and around 100, Big Bend lowlands. Lows tonight in the 60s.

South Texas - Partly cloudy through Tuesday with scattered mostly afternoon and evening showers or thunderstorms, mainly Southeast Texas and coastal plains. Highs Tuesday upper 80s to near 90 coast to near 100, Rio Grande plains. Lows tonight low 80s coast, upper 60s to near 70 Hill Country and inland Southeast Texas, 70s elsewhere.

EXTENDED FORECAST
Wednesday through Friday
 West Texas - Texas Panhandle,

mostly sunny days and fair nights through Friday. Highs in the upper 80s and lower 90s. Lows in the mid 60s. Permian Basin, isolated afternoon and evening thunderstorms Thursday, otherwise mostly sunny days and fair nights. Highs, upper 80s to lower 90s. Lows in the mid 60s. Concho Valley, Pecos Valley, isolated afternoon and evening thunderstorms Thursday, otherwise mostly sunny days and fair nights. Highs, lower to mid 90s. Lows, upper 60s to lower 70s. Far West Texas, isolated afternoon and evening thunderstorms, otherwise mostly sunny days and fair nights. Highs, lower to mid 90s. Lows, mid to upper 60s. Big Bend region, the Rio Grande, lows, 55 to 60 mountains ranging to the lower 70s along the river.

North Texas - East, warm and humid with a chance of afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Lows in the 70s. Highs in the 90s. Central and west, warm and humid. A chance of afternoon and evening thunderstorms Wednesday and Thursday. Lows in the 70s. Highs in the 90s.

BORDER STATES
 Oklahoma - Slight chance of showers or thunderstorms east and fair west tonight. Partly cloudy Tuesday with widely scattered thunderstorms south and east. Highs Tuesday mainly lower to mid 90s. Lows tonight mid 60s northwest to lower 70s south and east.

New Mexico - Widely scattered thunderstorms developing central mountains westward this afternoon and evening. Thunderstorms ending with skies becoming mostly fair late tonight and Tuesday morning. Widely scattered thunderstorms from the central mountains westward again Tuesday afternoon. Highs Tuesday 70s and 80s mountains with mid 80s to mid 90s at lower elevations. Lows 40s and 50s mountains with mid 50s to 60s elsewhere.

South Texas - Hill Country and South Central Texas, partly cloudy with widely scattered mainly afternoon and evening showers or thunderstorms. Lows in the 70s. Highs in the 90s. Texas Coastal Bend, partly cloudy with scattered mainly daytime showers or thunderstorms. Lows near 80 coast to the 70s inland. Highs near 90 coast to the 90s inland. Lower Texas Rio Grande Valley and plains, partly cloudy with scattered mainly daytime showers or thunderstorms. Lows near 80 coast to the 70s inland. Highs near 90 coast to near 102 inland. Southeast Texas and the

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Republicans blast state's congressional redistricting plan

By PEGGY FIKAC
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — Republican lawmakers blasted the state's new congressional redistricting plan, accused Democrats of political gerrymandering and predicted the measure would lose a legal challenge.

"I think it is an absolute disgrace to the people of this state, and a slap in the face to the people of this state," said Rep. Tom Craddick, R-Midland.

He said that the measure sent to Gov. Ann Richards on Sunday unnecessarily divides communities.

Sen. Teel Bivins, R-Amarillo, said he believed the plan would be rejected by the U.S. Department of Justice and that a new one may end up being written by a federal court.

The department must review the plan's compliance with the federal Voting Rights Act, which protects minorities.

The bill is designed to create three new minority districts and give incumbents a good chance at

re-election. It was drawn to reflect population changes after the 1990 census, which increased the number of Texas congressional seats from 27 to 30.

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One new seat, in Dallas County, is 50 percent black and aimed at electing a black representative. Two others, in South Texas and the Houston area, are designed to elect Hispanics.

Bivins said that Sen. Eddie Bernice Johnson's plan was drawn for political purposes. Under the plan more than 120 cities were split, including Amarillo, Lubbock and

Midland. But Ms. Johnson, D-Dallas, said she could defend the plan in court. "It is a fair plan the extent to which we could get it for the people of this state," said Ms. Johnson, who has unofficially announced her candidacy for the new Dallas district.

"I didn't plan on leaving here breathing without it," she said.

The measure passed the Senate on a 18-13 vote. The House adopted it on a 72-59 vote.

Richards' press secretary, Bill Cryer, said he expects the governor to sign the bill.

Ms. Johnson said she sought to increase the influence of minority voters, and noted that incumbents are not guaranteed re-election.

"The people will determine whether or not they are returned," she said.

She said she might have done some things differently, but that she had to compromise to win passage of a redistricting plan.

"This has been not a labor of love ... but it has been a democratic

process," Ms. Johnson said. She told Bivins, "I have the votes. That's No. 1."

Bivins, who offered an alternative plan, retorted, "My plan's legal and your plan is not, is the way I look at it."

Lawmakers also sent to Richards a redistricting plan for the 15-member State Board of Education.

The plan would not require any incumbent board members to run against each other for reelection, and it includes five minority districts. The board currently includes three Hispanic and two black members.

The following counties will be included in the 13th District: Lipscomb, Hutchison, Roberts, Hemphill, Potter, Carson, Gray, Wheeler, Armstrong, Donley, Collingsworth, Castro, Swisher, Briscoe, Hall, Childress, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Motley, Cottle, Hardeman, Foard, Wilbarger, Wichita, Clay, Montague, Cooke, Denton, Archer, Baylor, Knox, King, Dickens, Crosby, Garza, Lynn, Lubbock.



State senators John Montford, left, and Gene Green look over maps outlining a congressional redistricting plan that would provide three new districts for minorities and give incumbents a chance for re-election. The bill passed the Senate 18-13 and was sent to the House of Representatives.

Knox named 'administrator of the decade' at gala event

Norman Knox, administrator at Coronado Hospital from 1979 to 1990, was honored as the Administrator of the Decade at a gala dinner and dance Friday evening at M.K. Brown Auditorium.

The festivities, part of Coronado Hospital's celebration of its 10th anniversary, were highlighted by current administrator Bruce Reinhardt's presentation of a plaque to Knox which will hang in the hospital's lobby.

Reinhardt, who emceed the dinner for almost 300 guests, cited Knox's accomplishment of keeping Coronado Hospital fiscally healthy during a "decade which saw the closing of more than 300 hospitals in Texas alone." Reinhardt also recounted that Knox was responsible for supervising the building of Coronado Hospital in 1981, and then for seeing that technical innovations were made throughout the decade.

State Rep. Warren Chisum was the keynote speaker for the evening. Chisum congratulated the hospital on its 10 years of service and spoke briefly about the problems all rural hospitals in Texas are facing.

Also during the evening, employees who had completed 10

years, 15 years, 25 years, and 30 years of service were recognized and presented with service pins and gifts.

Columbus Morgan and Chuck Tanner each received a set of luggage and a trip for two for their 30 years of service.

Linda Crabtree and Raymon Neff were recognized for 25 years of service. Fifteen-year citations were given to Mary Stall and Roy Dudley.

Recognized for 10 years of service were Katherine Gibby, Lequita Rolfower, Terri Broaddus, Mary Ellen Gardner, Sue Baggett, Artis Glass, Kathryn Linder, and Erma McKeel.

The theme for the evening was "Reflections of the Past, Visions of the Future," with the foyer, which was the scene of a reception before the dinner, decorated as a Victorian garden. A display featuring antique equipment from early-day Pampa physicians' offices, was a highlight of the decorations. The banquet room was decorated in a futuristic design featuring silver, black, and teal accents.

The evening concluded with a dance, with music by Larry Slater and the Blue Notes.

Hundreds attend birthday bash

More than 800 children and their parents came to a circus tent behind Coronado Hospital Saturday morning for the hospital's 10th birthday party. Children who were born at the hospital were presented t-shirts with an "I was born at Coronado Hospital" inscription on the shirt. More than 400 shirts were given, according to Linda Haynes, chairman of the event.

Hospital employees and junior volunteers served cake, ice cream, and lemonade to the children and their parents. The Khiva Clowns of Amarillo took the children on train tours of the hospital grounds as part

of the celebration. We were delighted with the number who came to our party," Bruce W. Reinhardt, administrator, said. "The crowd came early and seemed to enjoy the activities."

More than 500 employees and family members were served barbecue during the afternoon at the circus tent by the Pampa Shrine Club. Employees and their families played a series of games, including volleyball and tug-of-war.

The birthday celebration concluded with a dance for employees at the Chamber of Commerce building.

Lawmakers wrap up second special session

By MICHAEL HOLMES
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — State legislators were home on their way today after wrapping up their second special session of the year. Gov. Ann Richards said they may not be back in the Capitol until 1993.

Lawmakers adjourned Sunday night after finishing work on congressional redistricting, prisons and jail overcrowding, and several other issues.

Richards praised lawmakers for their diligence. "It's been a long and difficult and productive year," she said.

After adjournment, Richards indicated that she might not call a 1992 special session on health insurance, leaving that topic for the regular session in 1993.

"The only item of serious concern that I have for the state is ... health care," she said. "I don't want to pull

the Legislature together without having done the necessary backup work to provide them the information they need to make decisions."

Richards said she likely would soon announce appointment of a task force to study the problem and make recommendations.

"Only until we think that there's sufficient information for them to take action that warrants a session will we call them back. That may be as long as a year, so it may be the next regular session before you see us all together again," Richards said.

On the final day of the special session that began Aug. 19, lawmakers gave approval to new district lines for the 30 Texans who will be sent to the U.S. House beginning in 1993, and for the 15 State Board of Education districts.

They also approved measures designed to end overcrowding of county jails with state inmates, build 25,300 prison beds if voters approve

selling bonds to raise the money, and to again ask voters to approve \$300 million in bonds for loans to college students.

"We came in with some important items of business to complete. And with ... a lot of hard work on behalf of the members (of the Legislature), we were able to complete all of those items and a few more," Richards said.

Lawmakers have been meeting almost nonstop since the first of the year. Besides their 140-day regular session, which ended May 27, they spent 30 days in a special budget-writing session.

That first special session ended Aug. 13, but Richards called them back to work for the second overtime period.

"These people are tired of being here. The people of Texas are tired of us being here," Richards said Sunday.

Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock and House

Speaker Gib Lewis, D-Fort Worth, praised the governor as well as one another after wrapping up work.

"I feel like the Legislature, so far for this entire year, has accomplished more than any other Legislature that I can recall. And I think the history books will reflect it in the future," Bullock said.

"The most important thing is we have seen a good example of what can happen when everybody works together hand in hand, going in stride together," Lewis said.

Most lawmakers acknowledged that they were weary after meeting all but one month since January.

"We're tired. We're worn out. We've given the best we can to Texas," Bullock said.

Sen. Bob Glasgow, D-Stephenville, announced the Senate's adjournment to the House Sunday night by saying, "We're more interested in libations than we are legislation, and we quit."

Legislature approves \$672 million prison construction bill

By SUSAN HIGHTOWER
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Ann Richards said she is "personally very proud" of a bill that would spend \$672 million for 25,300 new prison beds, including 12,000 for drug treatment.

The Legislature approved the bill Sunday before adjourning their second special session of the year. The money to pay for the construction bill would come from a \$1.1 billion bond sale if voters approve one Nov. 5.

Sen. Ted Lyon, D-Mesquite, said his bill would move Texas from last place to first among states in spending for substance abuse treatment.

"It's a bill that truly represents the new frontier ... in the criminal justice system," he said. "If we can break the cycle of addiction, we can break the cycle of crime."

Lyon credited Richards and Lt.

Gov. Bob Bullock, both recovering alcoholics, with creating a progressive attitude toward drug and alcohol treatment.

"We've changed 180 degrees the Texas Legislature's mentality in terms of how to deal with crime in one session of the Legislature, and that's absolutely unprecedented," Lyon said.

Richards said of her background: "The dialogue does change depending on who the people are sitting at the table, and perhaps it did have an impact."

The prison bill also would provide for settlement of county jail crowding lawsuits against the state.

The governor said the bill culminated eight months of negotiations among leaders "trying to work out something that is satisfactory toward the counties."

"We have gone a great distance toward doing that, particularly because we are talking about a more

comprehensive approach now than we have ever talked about in the state," Richards said.

Under the deal, the state would accept all felons within 45 days of conviction by September 1995.

If the 13 counties which have won lawsuits against the state agree to settle, they would receive payments of \$20 per day for each inmate over 50 percent of the backlog the county held in April 1991. In 1994, the payment would change to \$20 per day for each inmate over 25 percent of the April 1991 figure.

In addition, the state would pay Harris County the costs of transferring state prisoners from its jail to less-crowded jails in other counties. Harris County's jail was ruled unconstitutional crowded by a federal judge.

A total of \$150 million is appropriated in the bill for the county settlements, with about half of that money going to Harris County, bill

co-sponsor Sen. Jim Turner said.

The bill also would increase to 4,000 the number of private prison beds in the state, and require that the state penal code expire Sept. 1, 1994. A legislative commission would be created to study prison sentencing and parole.

The Senate approved the bill 31-0, while the House adopted it 128-1. The measure now goes to Richards, who said lawmakers should focus next on the penal code revision.

"We're all going to try very hard to see to it that those people who are violent offenders are not released to the streets," Richards said.

"We have learned a very expensive lesson and that is we cannot build our way out of the problem. Unless we start trying to address some of the roots of crime, we are never going to get a handle on crime itself," she said.

Mother's trial begins in alleged cheerleading plot

HOUSTON (AP) — A woman accused of trying to arrange a murder to improve her daughter's chances of becoming a cheerleader faces trial with a jury seated and a gag order imposed on lawyers and witnesses.

Wanda Webb Holloway, a 37-year-old mother of two from nearby Channelview, was scheduled to go on trial today on charges of solicitation of capital murder and kidnapping.

State District Judge George Godwin issued the gag order Friday after a jury was seated. Opening arguments were scheduled this morning in the trial, which is expected to last

a week to 10 days. Mrs. Holloway, who was arrested Jan. 30, has pleaded innocent and remains free on \$10,000 bond.

Described by police as the "ultimate stage mother," Mrs. Holloway is accused of going to bizarre lengths to get her 13-year-old daughter, Shanna Harper, on the Channelview High School cheerleading squad.

She is charged with trying to hire a hitman to either kidnap or kill Verna Heath, 38, the mother of her daughter's chief rival for the coveted spot.

Authorities said Mrs. Holloway hoped Mrs. Heath's daughter,

Amber, would be so distraught over her mother's death that she would drop out of the cheerleading competition, thereby increasing Shanna's odds of winning.

Prosecutors allege that Mrs. Holloway, who has no criminal record, wanted to guarantee her daughter a spot on the squad this year by having both Mrs. Heath and Amber Heath killed. They say she later decided she only could afford to pay the \$2,500 to kill the mother.

Tape recordings of conversations with Mrs. Holloway, her former brother-in-law and an undercover police officer were expected to be key evidence in the trial.

Helicopter with 13 aboard crashes in Gulf

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Twelve people were rescued and one was missing today after a helicopter went down in the Gulf of Mexico about 170 miles southwest of Lafayette, the Coast Guard and the aircraft's owner said.

Coast guard helicopters flew at least six injured people to a hospital near New Orleans, a Coast Guard spokesman, Chief Petty Officer Joe Gibson, said.

The crash survivors were picked up by workers from a nearby offshore oil rig, Gibson said. "The rig that was out there had two inflatable boats and they launched those," Gibson said.

Officials with the Coast Guard and PHI were unsure whether the helicopter was landing or taking off at the time of the crash.

Helicopters from PHI and other companies are often used to ferry offshore oil and gas rig workers to

and from their jobs. Neill Osborne, vice president of operations for PHI in Lafayette, said the aircraft went down about 7:15 a.m.

Gibson said there were reports of some back injuries among those rescued. Coast Guard helicopters dispatched to the scene were to take the injured to hospitals in Terrebonne and Jefferson parishes, he said.



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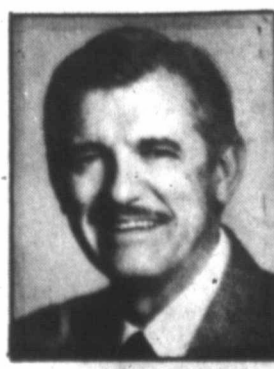
Tension headaches can be caused by an irritation of the nerves in the area of the spine immediately under the skull. These are called the suboccipital nerves. They pass through small openings in the spinal column to muscles in the surrounding area. Any abnormal pressure of dysfunction of neck and muscles can irritate the nerves, causing tension.

The tension doesn't cause the headache. To treat this form of headache, attention should be paid to the bone and muscle structures. They should be returned to normal balance so they can function properly again.

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Opinion

FTC's monopoly harms resources

If it didn't hurt the economy so much, government's attempts to regulate the computer industry would be laughable. Last month the government extended limits on imports of "memory" chips from Japan. This action most damages not the Japanese, but the U.S. computer manufacturers that depend on a cheap supply of such chips to maintain worldwide dominance.

Another folly: An ongoing Federal Trade Commission investigation of the world's largest software company, Microsoft Corp., for an alleged attempt to become a monopoly. You might as well say the Dodgers are attempting to take over all sales of baseball tickets by leading the pennant race.

In fact, Microsoft can exist only by playing against a field of other "teams." These "teams" are computer companies that write programs depending on Microsoft's major programs, the disk operating system or DOS used by all IBM-style computers, and on the new "Windows" operating system.

The FTC assault wastes precious Microsoft resources, which otherwise would be used to advance Americana computer products in the world. It also wastes U.S. taxpayers' money paid to these investigators.

The exact nature of the FTC's anti-monopoly investigation hasn't been revealed. But it supposedly involved allegations that Microsoft's "systems" division (which produces the software "brains," such as DOS and Windows, that run the computer) has been talking with Microsoft's division that develops software that uses DOS.

That really is a laugh. A recent memo by Microsoft founder and Chairman Bill Gates, leaked to the *San Jose Mercury News*, shows that the government's charges are absurd. He wrote that a "nightmare" has become a "reality": "IBM (is) 'attacking' us in systems software, Novell (is) 'defeating' us in networking (connecting computers together) and more agile, customer-oriented applications competitors (are) getting their Windows act together."

In other words, Microsoft has no monopoly, and its competitors are using "customer-oriented" politics to make sales. It's called capitalism. Moreover, not all computers use Microsoft's operating systems. It competes with UNIX, Apple, Commodore, Atari and others.

These facts show the FTC officials are nothing but pecksniff bureaucrats. Who could possibly think that any one company could control a technology so volatile as computers? Despite absurd government meddling, the industry still witnesses price drops of 30 percent per year, an astonishing figure. Hundreds of magazines and newsletters describe the many innovations that occur daily.

The FTC's assault shows us that it is the FTC itself that is a monopoly—a single-minded, dictatorial entity that forces uniformity on everyone. The only monopoly we need to abolish is the FTC.

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Too brief triumph of reason

WASHINGTON—Congress often behaves irresponsibly, and critics of Congress constantly are saying so. A Senate committee pillories an outstanding jurist; a House committee approves a host of pork barrel projects. These things happen.

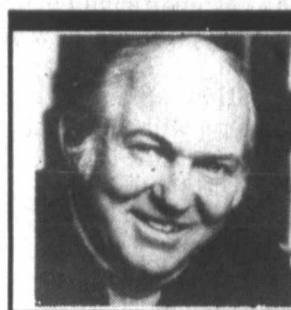
But we are not so quick to salute an occasional job well done, and such a salute is in order. On July 25 the House did itself proud. Members voted solidly for reason as opposed to emotion. They voted to end the ban on research in fetal tissue transplantation; and they voted to authorize a carefully screened survey of adolescent sexual behavior.

In brief, the House voted in favor of enlightenment and against ignorance. You might suppose that such a vote would be the easiest thing on earth to cast, but you would underestimate the apprehension that Bill Dannemeyer and Bob Dornan can engender. The two California Republicans are evangelical terrorists. They threaten the kind of political damnation that scares timid fellows half to death.

The bill before the House on July 25 was a bill to extend operations of the National Institutes of Health for another three years. It was a comprehensive measure, embracing 17 separate titles dealing with everything from child health to Alzheimer's disease, but two issues dominated the debate.

One of them dealt with the use of fetal tissue in medical research. The controversy goes back to 1988, when a blue-ribbon panel conducted six days of hearings, heard views both pro and con, and recommended that research go forward under certain safeguards.

Regrettably, the president of the United States disagreed. The administration imposed a flat ban on such research, and no experiments have been performed with federal funds. Meanwhile, biologists here and abroad have found encouraging evidence (though not conclusive evidence) that minute tissue taken from fetal brains may be usefully transplanted to the brains of persons suffering from Parkinson's disease and Alzheimer's disease.



James J. Kilpatrick

There is reason to believe that such transplants also may benefit victims of juvenile diabetes, cystic fibrosis, epilepsy and spinal cord injury. The question is whether tissue from induced abortions should be simply discarded, or whether it should be preserved for research and treatment.

Proponents emphasized the safeguards. No one could be paid for providing fetal tissue; no donor could direct the transplantation to a particular individual; transplants would have to be done under strict medical protocols. Henry Waxman, D-Calif., said it would be "unconscionable" for the ban to be continued.

Dannemeyer, leading the opposition, insisted that fetal tissue is "human life." Therapeutic transplants would take our people "down the road to degeneration." Dornan thought the research would be Hitlerian, "medical science at its worst." Other opponents described the proposed research as despicable, indefensible, diabolical, and in the case

of Parkinson's patients, unnecessary and dangerous. A woman might rationalize a reluctant decision to have an abortion by telling herself that the tissue might be used to help someone else.

The debate moved on to the second major controversy. This involved an amendment proposed by Dannemeyer: "The secretary of health and human services may not ... conduct or support any national survey of human sexual behavior." Waxman promptly offered a counter-amendment to authorize such a survey subject to certification by the NIH that a survey would be useful in reducing the incidence of sexually transmitted disease.

Dannemeyer and Dornan, among other opponents, cited some highly intimate questions that had been proposed for such a survey two years ago. At the time it was proposed to ask 13-year-olds about their experience with oral and anal sex. It transpired, as debate continued, that the most offensive questions had been dropped. Moreover, the questions cited in debate might be asked only after the answers to preliminary, less-explicit questions indicated a need to follow up.

Jim McDermott, D-Wash., supporting the study, charged that a vote for the Dannemeyer amendment "is a vote for ignorance." That about summed it up. The House voted 283-137 to authorize a sexual survey. Then it voted 274-144 for the bill as a whole, including the go-ahead for fetal research.

All in all, a good day in the House. We haven't had many such good days lately. If the bill reaches the White House in its present form, George Bush will veto it. A rational interlude will not have lasted long, but that will be something to talk about when the time comes.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Monday, Aug. 26, the 238th day of 1991. There are 127 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Aug. 26, 1920, the 19th amendment to the U.S. Constitution, guaranteeing American women the right to vote, was declared in effect.

On this date:

In 55 B.C., Roman forces under Julius Caesar invaded Britain.

In 1847, Liberia was proclaimed an independent republic.

In 1873, radio electronics pioneer Dr. Lee DeForest was born in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

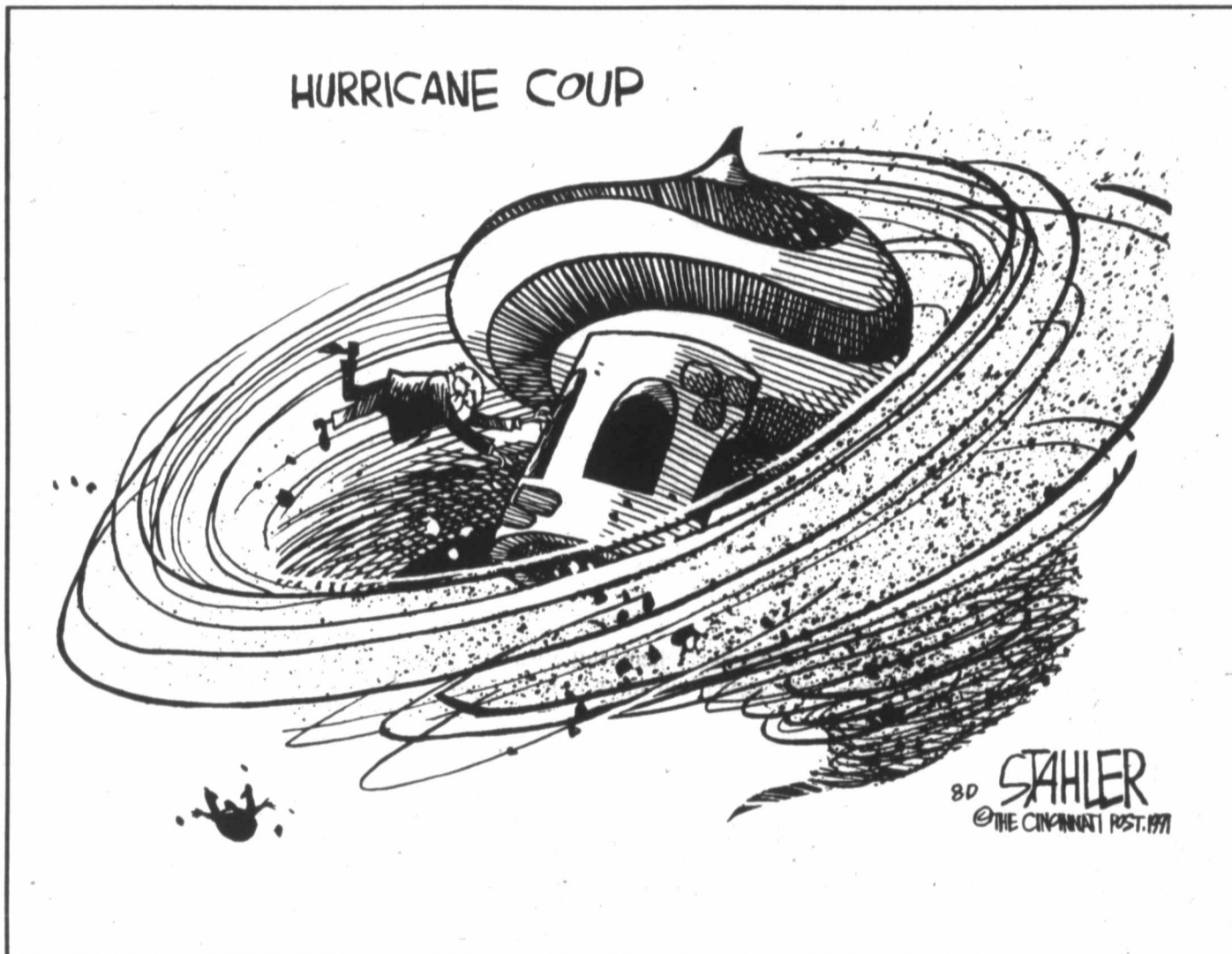
In 1883, the island volcano Krakatoa began erupting with increasingly large explosions.

In 1957, the Soviet Union announced it had successfully tested an intercontinental ballistic missile.

In 1961, 30 years ago, the official International Hockey Hall of Fame opened in Toronto.

In 1964, President Lyndon B. Johnson was nominated for a term of office in his own right at the Democratic national convention in Atlantic City, N.J.

In 1972, the summer Olympics opened in Munich, West Germany.



Bush is an absentee president

We all like best to do what we do best. Playing chess with world leaders is precisely the game for which George Bush was prepared—through his years in Congress, in the CIA, in the United Nations and in the vice presidency.

He's never had a "job" of the kind where you have to balance books, meet a payroll, show a profit—or else.

Admittedly, this president is bored with such monotonous, insoluble challenges as budgets and deficits and economic housekeeping.

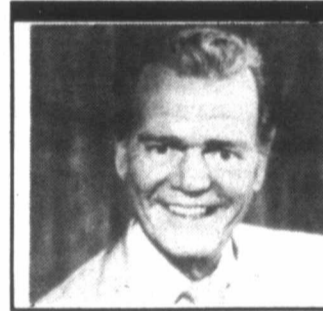
Perhaps he's felt that if he would give Congress a freer rein in the disposition of domestic problems, Congress would stay out of his foreign policy prerogatives.

But next year is an election year.

Already we've heard from Democrat Sen. James Sasser of Tennessee a partisan thrust that makes a very sharp point: "This president has an economic plan for every country in the world except our own."

And within weeks that implied remonstrance, or some paraphrase, was repeated again and again.

Democratic National Committee Chairman Ron Brown says it this way: "The president has formu-



Paul Harvey

lated plans for the economic recovery of several countries, but none for the United States."

President Bush still ranks high with the electorate, but if he goes into next year's campaign with no domestic agenda, he is vulnerable.

Out where the votes come from, there is still less to celebrate in the Persian Gulf or in the Moscow summit accords ...

Then there are things to worry about: crime and drugs, pollution, taxes, banking reform and Americans sleeping in gutters.

Maryland Democrat Sen. Paul Sarbanes, chairman of the congressional Joint Economic Commit-

tee, told the president's economic adviser, Michael Boskin, "Jobless Americans deserve at least as much help as Kurds and Turks and Israelis—all who have been recent recipients of emergency assistance sought by Bush."

In the midst of what should be some economic encouragement in recent months, American consumer confidence has been going down.

If I were a politician committed to keeping the "ins" in, this barometer—consumer confidence—is the one I would watch most closely.

Presently, personally, assuming our economy continues reasonably good, I do not think George Bush can be defeated next year—if only because you can't beat somebody with nobody.

But all bets are off should some charismatic Reagan-type come striding in from right field promising as president of the United States to make his priorities our priorities.

President Bush will have a chance to address our concerns in the fall when he begins his domestic campaign travel schedule. But that will have to be timed around trips to the NATO summit in Italy and a Pacific tour of Japan, South Korea and Australia.

Shattering the myths of presidents

By WILLIAM A. RUSHER

Conservatives have been understandably appalled by the job the liberal media are trying to do on the record of Ronald Reagan. In half a dozen hard-cover books and uncounted magazine articles and newspaper commentaries they are attempting to trash the whole decade of the 1980s and Reagan as its creator and symbol.

To hear the liberals talk, the '80s were an era of glitz, sleaze and materialistic self-indulgence, presided over by a half-senile ex-actor with a knack for telling the white middle class what it wanted to hear.

Luckily the Reagan record will, in the long run, easily survive these mud-guns. Ronald Reagan's main achievements—breaking the back of America's worst inflation, forcing through a divided Congress the first major tax-rate reduction in modern times, rebuilding the nation's defenses, launching the longest economic boom in this century and compelling the Soviet Union to recognize that it

simply could not compete with its American rival—together constitute the legacy of a truly great president.

Meanwhile, I suggest that the liberals pause and look over their shoulder. The reputations of three of the most important Democratic presidents of modern times are disintegrating like sand castles in a rising tide.

The one who is likeliest to hang onto a few shreds of his vastly exaggerated reputation is Franklin D. Roosevelt. In his heyday Roosevelt inspired in many people something close to idolatry; it is only recently that the assessments of some of his shrewder contemporaries have become widely known. Keynes, for example, after a talk with Roosevelt, privately dismissed him as "an economic illiterate." Oliver Wendell Holmes Jr. was kinder, describing him as having "a second-rate mind but a first-rate character."

It seems likely that history will finally conclude that Roosevelt was a clever politician with no firm principles but a cheerful willingness to try

anything that seemed likely to work. He nevertheless failed utterly to end the Depression, but the war (which did) saved his reputation, by allowing him to preside over the successful Allied war effort.

For Lyndon Johnson, not even the liberals have much good to say these days, although his Great Society was (even more than Roosevelt's New Deal) the seed-bed of most modern liberal policies. The first volume of Robert Caro's unfinished biography of Johnson has already limned a character that only a mother could love, and future volumes can hardly defend a presidential record on which not even Johnson, for all his lust for power, was willing to run for re-election.

But it is John F. Kennedy who, among presidents since Roosevelt, has been worshiped most blindly by the liberal media, and appropriately enough it is Kennedy who is today falling fastest in public esteem. The latest book to evaluate him—Thomas C. Reeves' *A Question of Character: A Life of John F. Kennedy*—is simply devastating.

It wasn't just the pathological womanizing. Reeves (a former admirer of Kennedy, by the way) demonstrates that Kennedy was a chronic liar about everything from his serious health problems to the true authorship of his Pulitzer Prize-winning *Profiles in Courage*. As for his famous exploit as a PT-boat commander, it actually deserved a court-martial rather than the medal his managers engineered.

Reviewing Reeves' book for *The American Spectator*, the noted British author Paul Johnson sums up John Kennedy as follows:

"The truth is, President Kennedy had no moral character, no real convictions, and no purpose other than the pursuit of power and pleasure. What he stood for was an invention, and when he fell to an assassin's bullet, nothing of significance fell with him. We have long known that, despite much conspiracy theory, his murder was purposeless and inconsequential. We now know that his life was as meaningless as his death."

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Kirstie Alley of "Cheers" and Burt Reynolds of "Evening Shade" share a laugh backstage at the Emmy Awards Sunday in Pasadena, Calif., after both won awards for best acting in a comedy series.

'Cheers' hoists most Emmys for 1991

By JOHN HORN
AP Entertainment Writer

PASADENA, Calif. (AP)—The barroom comedy "Cheers" hoisted a leading four Emmy Awards, including the prize for best comedy series and trophies for stars Kirstie Alley and Bebe Neuwirth.

NBC's "L.A. Law," won its fourth Emmy for best dramatic series at Sunday's awards ceremony.

Other major winners included: James Earl Jones of ABC's "Gabriel's Fire," best actor in a dramatic series; Patricia Wettig of ABC's "thirtysomething," best actress in a dramatic series; and Burt Reynolds of CBS's "Evening Shade," best actor in a comedy series.

"Cheers" now has a total of 26 Emmys, pulling even with "Hill Street Blues" for the second most Emmys ever for a series. "The Mary Tyler Moore Show" has the most, 29. "The Carol Burnett Show" is fourth with 22.

"I said we were good, but now we're venerable I guess," said "Cheers" director, co-creator and co-executive producer James Burrows, who also won the comedy directing trophy.

Other multiple winners included another awards program — the 63rd

annual Academy Awards — which picked up three statuettes.

Winners and presenters at the 43rd annual Emmy Awards wore red ribbons on the Fox broadcast in a show of support for AIDS research and people with AIDS.

Comedian Gilbert Gottfried's wisecracks about Pee-wee Herman actor Paul Reubens' indecent-exposure arrest went out live on the East Coast, but one minute and 40 seconds were censored when the tape was shown in later time zones.

Ms. Alley's win as best actress in a comedy series comes four years after she replaced Shelley Long in "Cheers."

"I only thank God I didn't have to wait as long as Ted," said Ms. Alley, who plays insecure Rebecca Howe, manager of the Boston bar. Co-star Ted Danson was nominated eight times before winning last year for best actor in a comedy.

Ms. Neuwirth captured her second consecutive Emmy for supporting actress in a comedy for her portrayal of the cold-as-ice psychotherapist Dr. Lilith Sternin-Crane.

Reynolds got the comedy actor award this year for his role as a high school football coach.

Comic Jonathan Winters won his first Emmy — best supporting comedy actor for "Davis Rules."

James Earl Jones, who opened the

show with a pompous speech that ended with a scripted pie in his face, got two Emmys.

Along with recognition for his role in "Gabriel's Fire," about an ex-con who becomes a private investigator, he was named best supporting actor in a miniseries for "Heatwave," a TNT miniseries about the 1965 Watts race riots.

Ms. Wettig was honored for her portrayal of cancer victim Nancy Weston. It was her second straight Emmy for best dramatic actress and her third for "thirtysomething," which has been canceled. She won as best supporting actress 1988.

"It's a little sad," Wettig said, fighting back tears. "This is sort of my last time to say goodbye to this character."

Her co-star Timothy Busfield was named best supporting dramatic actor for his portrayal of the immature yuppie Elliot Weston.

"Cool!" said a bemused Busfield. Saturday night, during a non-televised prelude to the Emmys ceremony, Colleen Dewhurst was honored posthumously as best guest actress in a comedy series. Ms. Dewhurst, who died of cancer Thursday, was honored for her appearances on CBS' "Murphy Brown" as Murphy Brown's mother.

PBS picked up an Emmy for best informational series, "The Civil War," and best informational special, "American Masters, Edward R. Murrow: This Reporter."

ABC led with 26 awards; CBS was second with 15, followed by NBC with 13; PBS, 12; HBO, 5; syndicated, 2; Disney, 1; Fox, 1; and TNT, 1.

"Separate But Equal," a chronicle of the U.S. Supreme Court's 1955 school desegregation ruling, won in the best drama, comedy special or miniseries category.

Madge Sinclair won the Emmy for best supporting actress in a drama for her portrayal of Josephine Austin in "Gabriel's Fire."

ABC's Academy Awards broadcast won for best variety, music or comedy program; for best writing; and for host Billy Crystal's performance.

Home Box Office's miniseries "The Josephine Baker Story" picked up statuettes for star Lynn Whitfield and her husband, director Brian Gibson. They met during filming.

The drama writing award went to David E. Kelley for "L.A. Law." The Emmy for comedy writing went to Gary Dontzig and Steven Peterman for CBS' "Murphy Brown."

'Just the fax' or delivery of the news takes a different route

By W. DALE NELSON
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — News delivery is taking a different route these days.

For political junkies in Washington, for advertisers in Effingham, Ill., for diplomats in Moscow and for insurance companies in Connecticut, the fax is competing with old-fashioned doorstep delivery.

It's working better in some places than others.

"It's been kind of tough going," says Dennis Schain, a spokesman for Connecticut's Hartford Courant, which started the first general news summary put out by a newspaper five years ago. "It hasn't been a runaway success in terms of revenue and numbers of subscribers."

By contrast, Jack M. Schultz, who last year started a free fax newspaper in Effingham in 1989 and another in Bloomington, Ill., reports that

the business is profitable and says he's talking with franchise owners about expanding to other Midwestern cities.

"We are totally advertising-supported, and that's where we get our revenue," Schultz said. "The others have taken the approach of selling the information for \$600 to \$1,000 a year, and we think that because it is a new concept people have difficulty seeing the value of that."

Other entries in the field include the American Political Network in Washington, whose four publications include Political Hotline and Daily Report Card, dealing with education; the National Journal, which publishes a daily faxed newsletter about Congress; and the Los Angeles Times, which provides a free summary of news via fax to government officials and diplomats in Moscow.

The Hartford Courant charges \$600 a year for a one-page legal-

size document delivered to offices by 4:30 p.m. Subscribers include insurance companies, Hartford's best-known industry, as well as other businesses and some public officials in the state capital.

"It's an up-to-the-minute mid-afternoon news summary with a business and local slant, and a pretty good reflection of what the Courant is shaping up to look like the next morning," Schain said.

Unlike most such publications, it has an advertising strip across the bottom, which sells for \$100 for a single ad, or \$70 each for three.

"That runs hot and cold," Schain said. "It's in a little bit of a trough now, but there are times when it's booked every day."

Schain said the summary had outlasted most of its imitators, but the Courant isn't "100 percent sure" it will be continued.

"We think there will always be a newspaper, but there may be prod-

ucts that supplement it for special audiences," he said. "They may not be delivered by fax paper. There may be other ways to do it."

The recently launched Daily Report Card is also looking at other methods of delivery. Beginning July 22, it made the publication available by computer modem.

"The advantages of on-line delivery are obvious," Daily Report Card told its subscribers. "There is no waiting for fax delivery or postal service."

Steve Hull, publisher of the National Journal, said the organization was worried about delivery problems when it started its CongressDaily, because it's sent between 3:30 and 4:30 p.m., heavy fax using time.

"But we are not finding it a problem because the fax computers we

use re-dial," he said. "If they don't get through the first time, they keep trying six more times, and we are getting through 97 to 98 percent of our calls each day."

The publication goes to members of Congress and their aides, lobbyists, journalists and association and corporation executives.

The magazine Congressional Quarterly, which also publishes Congressional Monitor, a hand-delivered daily newsletter running 20 pages or more with hearing schedules and other information, considered and rejected the idea of going to fax.

"We talked to customers and the response was not overwhelming," said CQ's Bob Smith. "We would have had to add something, to make it selective or timely."

Meanwhile in Effingham, the

efforts of Schultz, an entrepreneur with no newspaper experience, spurred the Illinois community's afternoon daily, The Effingham Daily News, to start a free fax paper of its own, distributed in the morning.

The fax paper doesn't take advertising, so it hasn't made money. But it has helped orient the News' staff and readers to new ways of disseminating and receiving the news, said Chris Kade, the newspaper's marketing director.

"We were given a good kick in the seat of pants by Jack Schultz," Kade said. "But at the same time we went into it with the realistic goal of educating ourselves and our readers."

"I think newspapers have got to do stuff like this," he said. "We have got to start thinking of ourselves as information providers, or time will eventually pass us by."

Federal troops bombard Yugoslavian towns

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — Army mortar shells crashed into besieged towns in the breakaway Croatian republic today, amid reports of clashes spilling into neighboring Bosnia-Herzegovina for the first time, officials said.

There has been no break in fighting since the collapse of a cease-fire last week, and casualties have mounted among Croatian forces and ethnic Serbian militiamen opposed to secession and backed by the Yugoslav army.

More than 20 people were killed in clashes since Saturday in Croatia and the republic of Bosnia-Herzegovina, which had been spared major violence.

At least 250 people have died in battles since Croatia declared independence on June 25, according to official estimates.

However, Dimitrij Rupel, the foreign minister of the republic of Slovenia, said today in Vienna, Austria, that more than 500 had died in the fighting.

At least 60 others were killed before a cease-fire was called in Slovenia, which also declared independence June 25.

A Croatian Defense Ministry official said federal troops fired mortar shells today on the eastern Croatian town of Vukovar, which was under heavy air and artillery bombardment during the weekend.

Tanks and infantry units advanced toward Vukovar from Borovo Selo — the main stronghold for ethnic Serbian rebels, said the official, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Croatian forces in the town downed a federal jet Saturday.

The loss of Vukovar — a town of 40,000 — would be a major blow to Croatian efforts to put down Serbian rebels, who now control about one-fifth of Croatia.

There was no confirmation of the attacks or troop movements by the army, which claims it is in Croatia only to separate warring Serbs and Croats. All communication lines to Vukovar were cut today.

Croatian officials said fighting escalated in other areas, and one Croatian guardsman was killed today near the Adriatic port of Zadar.

A Belgrade daily, Borba, reported today that three ethnic Serbs were killed Saturday during "a real war of several hours" in the Bosnian village of Bukaca, near the Croatian border. "One step away from total war," read a Borba headline.

Dozens of mortar shells also fell today on Vinkovci near Vukovar and on Okucani and Novska, about 75 miles southeast of the Croatian capital, Zagreb, said Croatian military sources, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Fighting also intensified in the

Dalmatian hinterland near the Adriatic coast, and in the self-proclaimed Serbian autonomous province of Krajina, where Croatia's ethnic strife began a year ago.

Croatia's 600,000 Serbs, 12 percent of the republic's population, seek to keep territories under their control in Yugoslavia.

Although Yugoslav leaders seem unable to bring peace, international pressure was building on Serbia and the federal army to halt the clashes.

German Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher on Sunday said once again that Germany may recognize Slovenia and Croatia as independent states unless fighting stops.

In Austria, Slovenia's northern neighbor, a member of Austria's Foreign Policy Committee said that Chancellor Franz Vranitzky seeks to "open formal proceedings (for) ... a proposal the government recognize Croatia and Slovenia." The committee member, Andreas Khol, said "the time is now mature for recognition" of Slovenia and Croatia.

In Yugoslavia, a member of the commission formed to monitor the failed Croatian cease-fire resigned Monday. Irfan Ajanovic noted in a published letter that no truce is possible without the political will of the parties involved.

Notice of Effective Tax Rate (for use by counties)

1991 Property Tax Rates in GRAY COUNTY

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	General Fund	Farm to Market/ Flood Control Fund	ST IND HEALTH CARE
Last year's tax rate:			
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 2,133,943	\$ 536,798	\$ 252,296
Last year's debt taxes	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Last year's total taxes	\$ 2,133,943	\$ 536,798	\$ 252,296
Last year's tax base	\$ 1,069,109,915	\$ 1,058,773,373	\$ 1,069,057,881
Last year's total tax rate	\$.1996 /\$100	\$.0507 /\$100	\$.0236 /\$100
This year's effective tax rate:			
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 2,218,211	\$ 557,743	\$ 262,261
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$ 1,085,044,204	\$ 1,074,794,484	\$ 1,085,044,204
= This year's effective tax rate for each fund	\$.204435 /\$100	\$.051893 /\$100	\$.024171 /\$100
Total effective tax rate	\$.280449 /\$100		

(In the first year a county collects the additional sales tax it must insert the following lines unless it made its first adjustment last year):

- Sales tax adjustment rate	\$ 0 /\$100
= Effective tax rate	\$ 0 /\$100

x 1.03 = maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearing

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This year's rollback tax rate:			
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 2,218,211	\$ 557,743	\$ 262,261
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 976,400	\$ 1,074,794,484	\$ 1,085,044,204
= This year's effective operating rate	\$.204435 /\$100	\$.051893 /\$100	\$.024171 /\$100
x 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	\$.220790 /\$100	\$.056045 /\$100	\$.026105 /\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$ 0 /\$100	\$ 0 /\$100	\$ 0 /\$100
= This year's rollback rate for each fund	\$.220790 /\$100	\$.056045 /\$100	\$.026105 /\$100
This year's rollback rate	\$.30294 /\$100		

(A county that collects the additional sales tax (including one that collects the tax for the first time this year) must insert the following lines):

- Sales tax adjustment rate	\$ 0 /\$100
= Rollback tax rate	\$ 0 /\$100




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Fed up with crime, lynch mobs dispense vigilante 'justice' in Brazil

By TODD LEWAN
Associated Press Writer

SALVADOR, Brazil (AP) — Brazilians fed up with rampant crime and turnstile justice have turned to vigilantism, forming lynch mobs and killing suspects in record numbers.

No exact figures are available, but some officials say more than 500 people will die in lynch-mob executions in 1991, three times more than in any previous year.

National attention was focused on lynchings Nov. 23, when 5,000 residents of Matupa, a remote city in the western state of Mato Grosso, attacked three prisoners in a police car. They had just been arrested for trying to rob a rancher's home and holding three women and four children hostage.

In the space of two hours, the mob beat the three men with metal rods and rocks, poured gasoline on them and burned them alive.

A videotape made by a witness was shown on national television and President Fernando Collor de Mello ordered an investigation.

No arrests were made, but the videotape was charged with failing to aid fellow citizens. The charge was dropped later.

Mob 'justice' arose in Brazil in the 18th century, when slaves or alleged religious heretics sometimes were lynched in public squares.

In January, 1,500 stormed a jail in Andira, a town in the southern state of Parana, and tried to kill two prisoners accused of killing a taxi driver.

Riot troops repulsed the attackers. When hundreds of taxi drivers threatened another attack, the suspects were moved to a top-security prison hundreds of miles away.

Throughout Brazil, ordinary citizens are making their own law, killing suspects with ropes, stones, ice picks, farm tools, knives and iron bars. Police appear powerless to stop the violence.

No one has been arrested in any of the lynchings because a code of silence that keeps police in the dark, said special investigator Hermes Ribeiro. He is based in Salvador,



(AP Laserphoto)

A crowd of irate Brazilians prepare to beat a man on a streetcorner in Rio de Janeiro after he was seen trying to hold up a local store.

capital of Bahia, the state where mob violence is most common.

"We can only stop it when soldiers get there before the attack begins," he said. "The only other way would be to machine-gun the crowd."

Sergio Habib, secretary of the state Public Security Department, said: "This wave of lynchings reflects widespread mistrust of the judicial and law-enforcement system."

Mob "justice" arose in Brazil in the 18th century, when slaves or alleged religious heretics sometimes were lynched in public squares.

It reappeared in the late 1970s and increased in the 1980s, especially in interior villages and the expanding slums around major cities, said Paulo Menandro, a professor at Federal University of Espirito Santo state.

The brutality reflects poverty, the disintegration of families and police corruption, all of which have grown worse during Brazil's most severe economic crisis.

Surveys indicate one-third of the country's 150 million people live in poverty, and nearly half of all workers are paid less than \$30 a week.

"Brazilians thirst for a scapegoat for their misery," said Helio Bicudo, a legislator from the leftist Workers Party. "That's why they jump to lynch anyone, even a car thief."

Four-digit annual inflation, a

\$123 billion foreign debt and deep cuts in federal spending have left welfare and law enforcement systems unable to cope with rising crime.

Even a nation accustomed to violence appears shaken by the record numbers of kidnappings, murders, rapes and organized raids on banks and apartment buildings in rich and poor districts alike.

News media report huge backlogs in the courts, overcrowded jails, the apparent immunity of crime bosses and failure of police to act on thousands of pending arrest warrants.

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"People don't see bandits being punished, so they feel helpless," said Edval Passos, head of the Bahia state human rights commission. "The frustration leads to collective madness."

A nationwide survey in May by the Datafolha polling institute indicated 60 percent of Brazilians would favor adopting the death penalty if a plebiscite was held.

In Bahia, an impoverished state of 11.7 million people on the northeast coast, a lynching occurs about every three days. Half the people in Bahia are illiterate and one-third of the working population is unemployed.

Bahia had seven lynchings in 1987, 94 last year and 70 in the first half of 1991, the state Public Security Department reported.

Race often is an element in lynchings. A study by Jose de Souza Martins, a professor at the University of Sao Paulo, found 79 percent of lynch-mob victims were black or of mixed race.

Francisco Netto, city police chief in Salvador, said police need more money for personnel, training and equipment if they are to deal with mob violence.

Joao Ferreira, a sociologist with a human rights group based in Salvador, said more police are

not the answer. "The police have always had absolute power to insulate the elite from violence in the slums," he said. "Where has it gotten us?"

Paradoxically, he said, the police have given the lynchers an example. During military rule in 1964-1985, death squads linked with the police dragged political prisoners and criminal suspects out of jails and killed them.

Many of the criminal suspects were said to be members of rival police factions allegedly involved in drug trafficking or auto theft.

Today, even housewives and children join lynch mobs.

On June 14 in Santa Maria de Vitoria, 680 miles west of Salvador, 30 men and women in six pickup trucks stopped a police car transporting two men who had confessed to killing a rancher.

They beat one of the criminals to

death and set his body afire. They shot the other in the neck, but the officers managed to get him to a hospital.

Thirty people, masked and armed, invaded the hospital's emergency ward the next evening, wrapped the man in a bedsheet, took him to the outskirts of town and burned him to death.

Sometimes, mobs choose the wrong victim.

At Porto Velho, in the western jungle, 150 taxi drivers took 15-year-old Marcelo Souza de Santos from his home on April 4, believing he was involved in robbing a fellow driver.

In the street, as his younger brother watched, they beat him to death with iron bars.

Witnesses confirmed later that Santos had not been near the robbery scene. Police said he had no criminal record.

Notice of Effective Tax Rate (for use by most taxing units)

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Last year's tax rate:	
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 2,102,875.51
Last year's debt taxes	\$ 375,513.48
Last year's total taxes	\$ 2,478,389.99
Last year's tax base	\$ 375,513,485.00
Last year's total tax rate	\$.66 /\$100

This year's effective tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 2,467,231.00
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$ 367,257,505.00
= This year's effective tax rate	\$.671799 /\$100

(In the first year a city or county collects the additional sales tax it must insert the following lines unless it made its first adjustment last year.)

- Sales tax adjustment rate	\$ 0 /\$100
= Effective tax rate	\$.671799 /\$100

x 1.03 = maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearing

This year's rollback tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 2,093,408.00
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 367,257,505.00
= This year's effective operating rate	\$.570011 /\$100
- .72 for school district (or zero)	\$ 0
x 1.08 (or add \$.08 for schools) = this year's maximum operating rate	\$.615612 /\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$.105119 /\$100

(A school district must insert the following lines)

= This year's rollback rate before adjustment	\$.720731 /\$100
+ Rate to recoup lost revenue	\$ 0 /\$100
= Adjusted rollback rate	\$ 0 /\$100
= This year's rollback rate	\$.720731 /\$100

(A city or county that collects the additional sales tax (including one that collects the tax for the first time this year) must insert the following lines.)

- Sales tax adjustment rate	\$ 0 /\$100
= Rollback tax rate	\$ 0 /\$100

SCHEDULE A: Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following balances will probably be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
Maintenance & Operating	-0-

SCHEDULE B: 1991 Debt Service

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid	Interest to be Paid	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
G.O. Bonds Series 1984	\$80,000.00	\$ 90,165.00	-0-	\$170,165.00
G.O. Bonds Series 1987	60,000.00	137,370.00	-0-	197,370.00
Total required for 1991 debt service			\$ 367,535.00	
- Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A			0	
- Excess collections last year			0	
= Total to be paid from taxes in 1991			367,535.00	
+ Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only 95% of its taxes in 1991			19,344.00	
= Total Debt Service Levy			386,879.00	

SCHEDULE C: Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax

(For counties and cities with additional 1/2 cent sales tax)

In calculating its effective and rollback tax rates, the unit estimated that it will receive \$ -0- in additional sales and use tax revenues.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rate calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at Gray County Appraisal District, 815 N Sumner

Name of person preparing this notice: W. Pat Bagley

Title: Assessor/Collector for the City of Pampa

Date prepared: August 26, 1991

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREASE

The GRAY COUNTY will hold a public hearing on a proposal to increase total tax revenues from properties on the tax roll in 1991 by 8 percent. Your individual taxes may increase at a greater or lesser rate, or even decrease, depending on the change in the taxable value of your property in relation to the change in taxable value of all other property.

The public hearing will be held on September 3, 1991 at 11:00 a.m. in Gray County Courthouse.

FOR the proposal: Judge Carl Kennedy, Comm. Joe Wheeley, Comm. Jim Greene, Comm. Gerald Wright, Comm. Ted Simmons

AGAINST the proposal: None
PRESENT and not voting: None
ABSENT: None

The statement above shows the percentage increase the proposed rate represents over the effective tax rate that the unit published on August 26, 1991. The following table compares taxes on an average home in this taxing unit last year to taxes proposed on the average home this year. Again your individual taxes may be higher or lower, depending on the taxable value of your property.

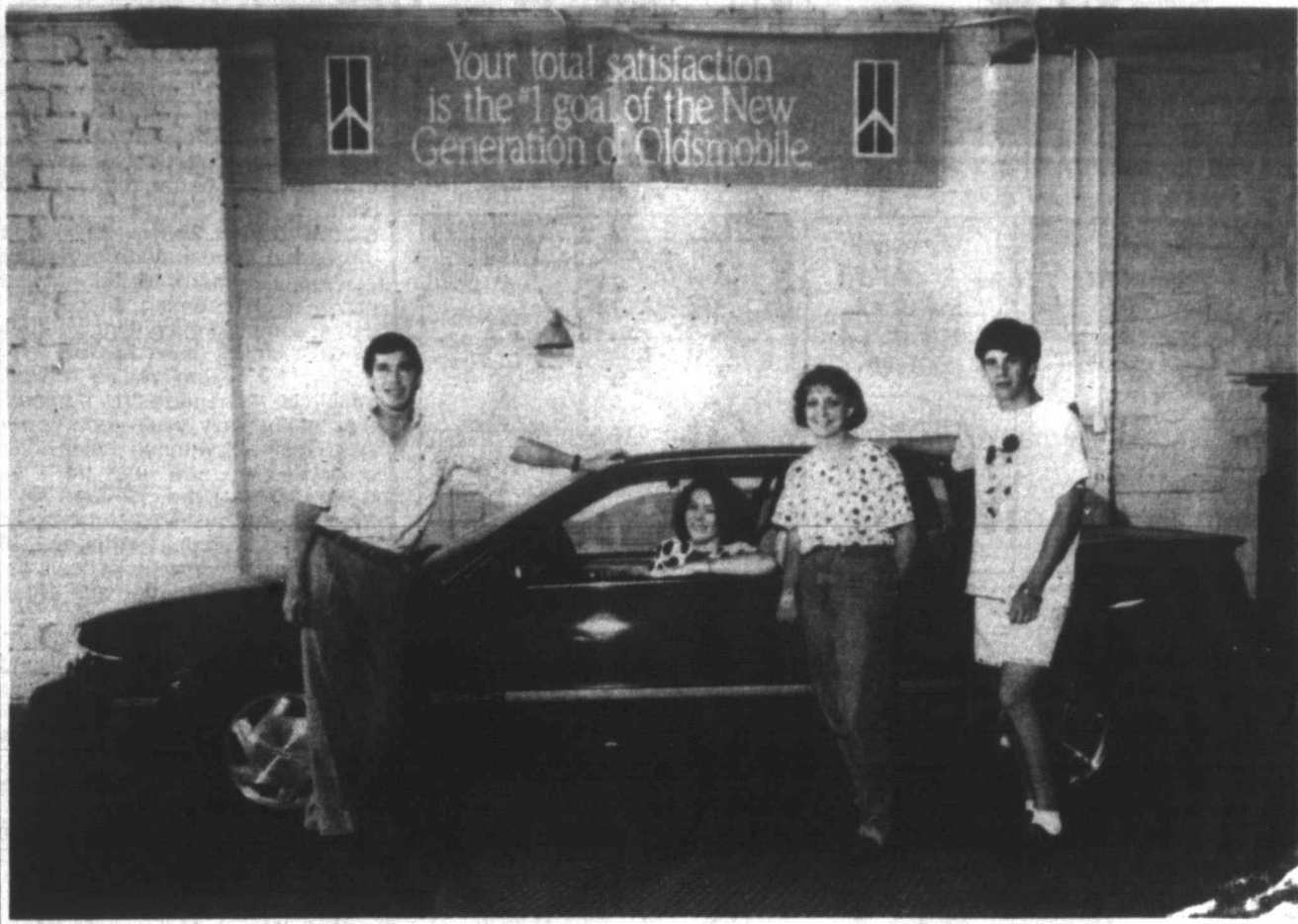
	Last Year		This Year	
	County	Road Ind Hlth	County	Road Ind Hlth
Average home value	29,772		27,558	
General exemptions available (amount available on the average home, not including senior citizen's or disabled person's exemptions)	3,000	3,000		
Average taxable value	29,772	26,772	29,772	27,558
Tax rate Total		.2739		.30294
		(proposed)		
Tax Total		79.31		81.80
				(proposed)

Under this proposal taxes on the average home would increase by \$2.49 or 3 percent compared with last year's taxes.

Comparing tax rates without adjusting for changes in property value, the tax rate would increase by \$.0294 per \$100 of taxable value or 10.6 percent compared to last year's tax rate. These tax rate figures are not adjusted for changes in the taxable value of property.

Lifestyles

Let's go!



Left, Robert Knowles, with Pampa High School choir members, Stacey Collum, Lorie Breaupt and Joel Arrington. They are preparing for a hole-in-one shootout beginning Aug. 31, at the Pampa Middle School field. The shootout continues Sept. 7 and 8, with final action on Sept. 14. Knowles, along with Pampa Insurance Agency, will donate a 1991 Oldsmobile Cutlass Calais for an individual able to score a hole-in-one on a pre-selected hole at Hidden Hills Golf course. For more information, call any Pampa High School choir member.

Spray for plant pests now; harvesting pears

PEACH TREE BORER CONTROL

Don't forget to treat fruit trees with Dursban for the peach tree borer. Research has proven that good control can be achieved with a single late August, or early September application of the insecticide. Treatment is made by thoroughly wetting the lower trunk and limbs of each tree (1/2 gallon) with the spray mixed according to label directions. I prefer to use a small (1 to 3 gallon) pump-up pressure sprayer rather than a hose-on sprayer for the home garden.

APHIDS—PLANT LICE

We have had several calls during the last 2 weeks about aphids and plant lice as they are sometimes called. Aphids can infect a wide variety of plants and there are a wide variety of aphids as well. Aphids can also cause honey dew where lower leaves have a shiny appearance. Aphids are commonly infesting peas, okra, cucumbers, melons and several other vegetables as well as trees such as Pecan and American Elm. Several insecticides are labeled for use against aphids—Malathion and Diazinon are fairly common—always read the label for specific directions about the vegetable to be sprayed.

Most maple trees, as well as some other landscape planting of trees and shrubs are experiencing their "annual" leaf scorch. This is followed by their leaf drop syndrome.

Generally this is caused by



For Horticulture

Joe Van Zandt

excessive loss of moisture from the leaves due to evaporation or transpiration. Our low humidity and hot weather combine to cause some trees to lose more water than their roots can absorb. This usually occurs with dry soil conditions. Leaves can also scorch when the soil is too wet. This can be caused by the fact that roots require oxygen to function properly. Wet soils are often low in oxygen, causing root death. As the roots start to die, they absorb less water.

Roots play a most important part in the life of plants. It takes a proper combination of soil, nutrients, water and oxygen for a good healthy root system. Too much or too little of any ingredient can cause plant stress such as the leaf scorch we are seeing on most maples. I really believe most maples need large amounts of water applied to this root zone at this time of the year.

WHEN DO YOU HARVEST PEARS?

Questions sometimes arise as to when should you harvest a pear. When trees are loaded down, harvest needs to begin as soon as possible

to avoid limb breakage. However, early harvest leads to poor quality fruit. As a rule, harvest generally should be done in late August or September. Several criteria can be used to determine fruit maturity. These are firmness, color, and corking of lenticels. While few homeowners have pressure testers, a crude measure can be done by hand. When the fruit changes from the firmness of a baseball to the feel of a softball, it is close to maturity. The background color of a mature fruit will change from light green to a yellow color. Probably the easiest indicator of maturity are the fruit lenticels. These are small "dots" or indentations on each fruit's skin. Lenticels on an immature pear are white; however, as cork cells develop, the lenticels become brown and shallow. The brown color in lenticels is a good indicator that the fruit is ready to be picked, and will ripen without shriveling. After harvest, pears should be stored at room temperature until they soften. After softening, they can be canned, eaten fresh or stored in the refrigerator until needed.

Public Lands Day planned for September 7

More than 500 litter prevention, improvement and beautification projects are expected to be carried out nationwide on Sept. 7 for Keep America Beautiful, Inc.'s eighth observance of Public Lands Day.

Organized under Keep America Beautiful's Public Lands Stewardship program, Public Lands Day is designed to involve citizen volunteers in cleaning and maintaining nearby public lands. It encourages lasting public and private sector interest in preserving the cleanliness, beauty, safety and healthfulness of the nation's federal, state, county and municipal lands.

"These areas, which are often viewed as belonging to the federal, state or municipal government, belong to everyone, and it's our responsibility to see that they are

preserved for future generations," according to Pam Locke of Clean Pampa, Inc., an affiliate of Keep America Beautiful, Inc. She points out that public lands include anything from recreation areas and waterways to highways, airports or vacant lots.

"Keep America Beautiful's Public Lands Stewardship Program continues to grow every year," said Roger Powers, president of Keep America Beautiful. "More and more public/private partnerships are being formed each year to establish ongoing stewardship programs which benefit our beaches, parks, waterways and roadways. It's important to encourage continuing programs in preserving the cleanliness, beauty, safety and healthfulness of the nation's federal, state, county and

municipal lands. Clean Pampa, Inc., part of a national effort at the grassroots level to preserve our nation's heritage."

Also, Locke points out that Clean Pampa, Inc. is organizing a clean up event. Local volunteers who have adopted Pampa parks and stretches of highways, will be involved in a clean up effort as part of Public Lands Day activities.

Keep America Beautiful, Inc. is a national, non-profit, public education organization dedicated to improving waste handling practices in 460 certified affiliate communities in 40 states, including 19 official, state-affiliate organizations. Keep America Beautiful and its affiliates offer practical grassroots solutions to the nation's solid waste and litter issues.

Clarendon College offers computer courses

The following computer courses will be offered during the fall semester on the Clarendon College campus. The computer courses will require outside labs. The lab hours will be set up on a flexible schedule to accommodate individual student's

schedules. Each course will meet one night a week for four weeks. Pam Denney, business department chairperson, will be teaching the courses. Each course will be offered for either one hour college credit or for adult vocational credit. To obtain

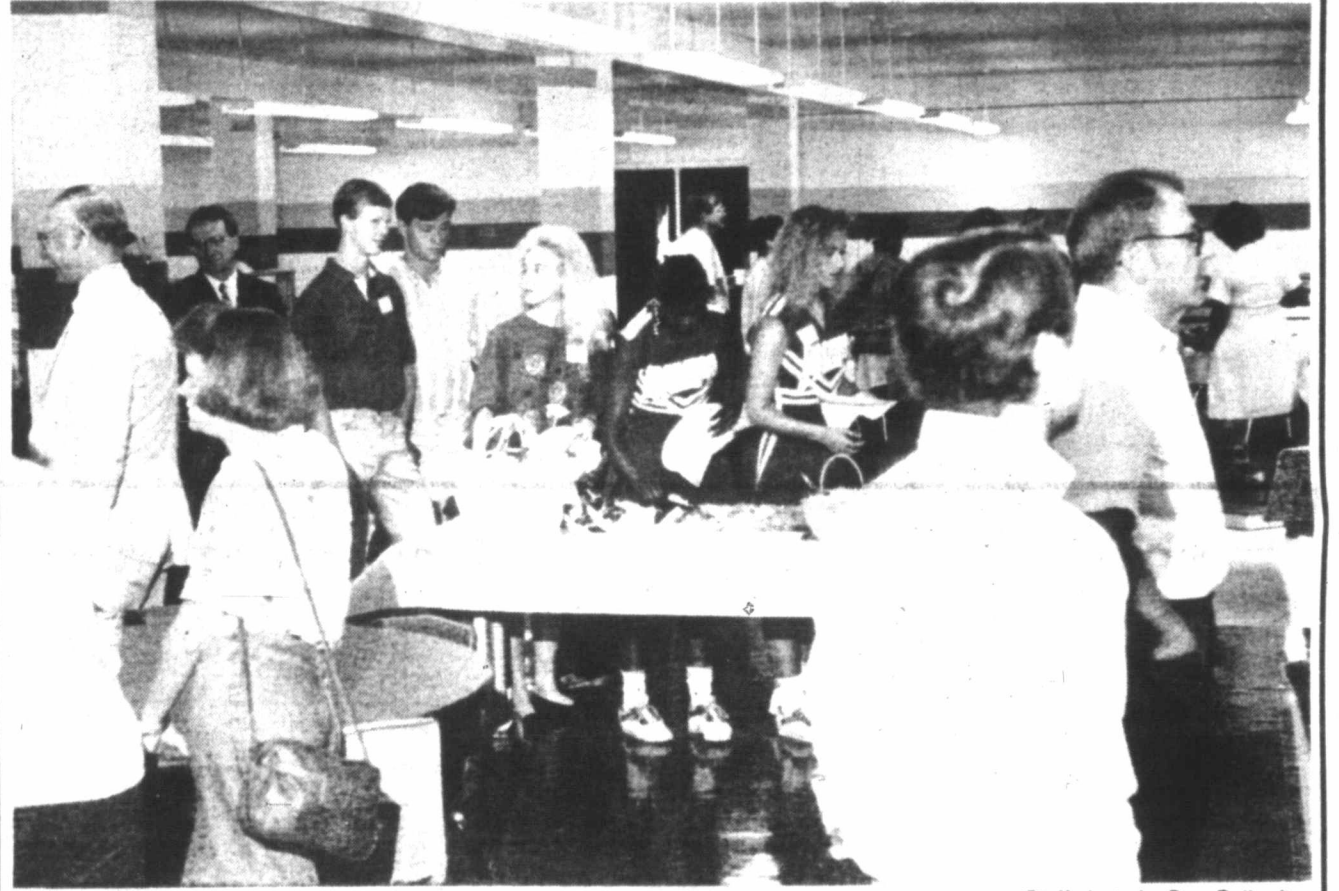
cost and other information, contact the registrar's office, 874-3571.

Classes scheduled are: Disk Operating System, registration by Aug. 29; Aug. 29-Sept. 19; Thursdays, 6-10 p.m.

WordPerfect, registration by September 26; Sept. 26-Oct. 17; Thursdays, 6-10 p.m.

PageMaker, registration by Oct. 24; Oct. 24-Nov. 14; Thursdays, 6-10 p.m.

Let's eat!



Pampa High School seniors ranked in the top 25% of the graduating class were honored with a continental breakfast for them and their parents on Friday. Dr. Dawson Orr, PISD superintendent, congratulated them on their academic success.



Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

Men who wear earrings feel their ears burning

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Abby is on a two-week vacation. Following is a selection of some of her favorite past letters.)

DEAR ABBY: A Montana wife asked you why her husband suddenly started to wear a tiny gold earring in his left ear. (She asked him and he refused to tell her.) You said you didn't know, but if she ever found out, to let you know.

I'm surprised that you didn't know, Abby. It means that he has become a member of the gay community.

HEP IN OAKLAND

DEAR ABBY: That Montana husband probably wears a gold earring in his left ear for the same reason I have a gold tooth in front with a ruby in it. I like it!

AN INDIVIDUAL

DEAR INDIVIDUAL: I'm with you. A person's right to be himself is one of our cherished freedoms, so why should a person have to "explain" his reason for it? It's his ear and his business, and as far as I know, wearing an earring is neither immoral nor illegal. But there seems to be a variety of opinions. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: I'm a man who had his ears pierced four years ago, and you wouldn't believe the static I've had from people because of one little speck of gold the size of a pinhead!

I've been accused of being a homosexual, a latent transvestite and just plain weird. I assure you I am as average as most men.

I attend college and see more and more macho guys wearing earrings on campus. I don't know if there is any significance to wearing only one

earring in the left ear. I wear mine there because I am right-handed and it's easier to put on. My buddy wears one in his right ear because it's not seen by the police if he's stopped for a traffic violation. Sign me ...

PIERCED AND PROUD

DEAR ABBY: A sailor who has sailed three years on the coast of China wears a gold ring in his left ear to prove that he has been there.

RETIRED CAPTAIN, AGE 80

DEAR ABBY: Men have worn earrings for centuries — Shakespeare, Rembrandt and King James II, to name a few of the more prominent of them.

Ancient Greeks and Romans borrowed the custom from the Persian and Indian men. Our own American Indian braves also wore earrings. And how about the early African warriors? And the pirates?

Men wore earrings long before women did, so why all the ruckus? LIVE AND LET LIVE

DEAR ABBY: A man wears a gold earring in his left ear to let the world know that he has crossed the equator.

OLD MARINER

DEAR ABBY: I am a man who wears a little gold earring in my left ear because of my religion.

I am a Buddhist, and all Buddhists wear one gold earring — and always in the left ear.

I am surprised you didn't know that, Abby.

A BUDDHIST

DEAR BUDDHIST: And if you are really a Buddhist, I am surprised that you don't know how to spell "Buddhist."

Test your knowledge of history and the constitution

CONSTITUTION QUIZ

By The Associated Press

For this bicentennial of the ratification of the Bill of Rights, the National Constitution Center, in Philadelphia, has prepared this following quiz to test your "Constitutional IQ":

1 — Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation in 1863 freed all the slaves. True or false?

2 — The Supreme Court ruled that the states may not prohibit flag burning. Is there any place in the Constitution where the flag is mentioned?

3 — There are two ways to propose an amendment to the Constitution. One is by two-thirds of each house of Congress approving the proposal, and the other method is by

the application of two-thirds of the several states to call a convention for proposing the amendment. Which one of these methods has never been used?

4 — What is meant by the phrase that the "triumph of the Constitution is that it proved flexible?"

5 — In 1869, the English Parliament passed the English Bill of Rights, which limited the crown's power and set forth basic responsibilities for English citizens. Many features in our Constitution and Bill of Rights have their origin in England's Bill of Rights or the English common law tradition. One of these is the right of "habeas corpus." What does that mean?

6 — What is the main difference between the English Bill of Rights and the U.S. Constitution?

ANSWERS

1 — False. It freed only the slaves in the Confederate States. The 13th Amendment, passed in 1865, abolished slavery in all of the U.S.

2 — No.

3 — To date, no Constitution Convention has been called to amend the Constitution.

4 — By saying that the Constitution proved "flexible," it meant that it could change enough to meet changing circumstances and conditions. It was built on strong, fundamental principles that act as an anchor in times of change and crisis. It works today in this modern technological age, although it was written

in the colonial days of quill and pens.

5 — "Habeas corpus" — no person may be imprisoned without cause.

6 — The most important difference is the act of Parliament in the English Bill of Rights. Theoretically, it can be eliminated or modified by another act of Parliament. (Parliament is the legislative branch of the English government.)

Any change to the U.S. Constitution must be in the form of a constitutional amendment and follows a specific process; the protections cannot be changed by a simple act of Congress.

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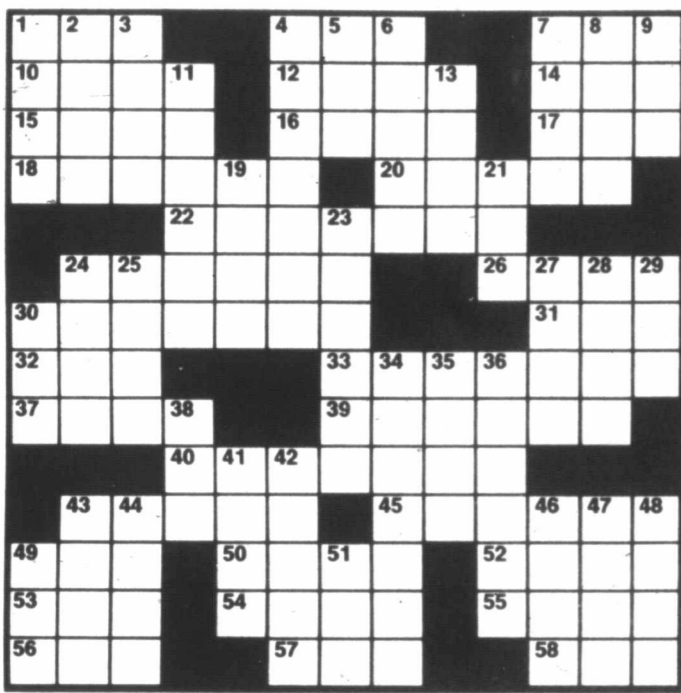
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- 28 Jacob's son
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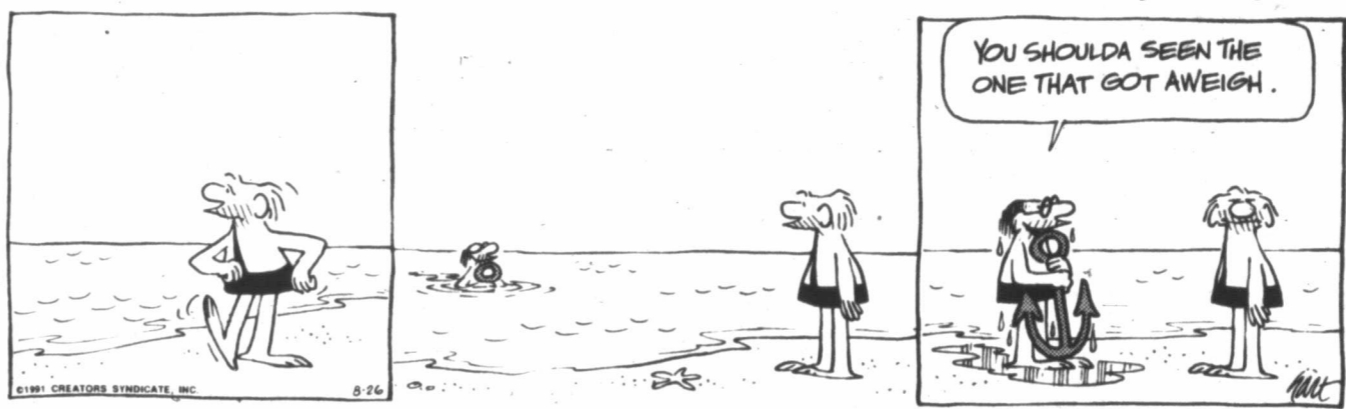
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Astro-Graph

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) There are some additional benefits in work you perform well today. However, you won't be in a position to appreciate the rewards unless you put forth the effort. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You have a lot in common that you can share with someone you know only casually. You may have an opportunity to get to know this individual better today. Capitalize on it.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Conditions in general appear quite promising for you today, primarily because of your tenacity in overcoming difficulties. You can accomplish everything you desire.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Individuals for whom you're responsible should be managed with a firm hand today. Instinctively, you'll know how to assert yourself without being cold or unkind.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Your fundamental business sense could put you in the profit column today — if you adhere to it in commercial dealings. You shouldn't have trouble with either the pennies or the dollars.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Associates will find you an admirable individual to be involved with today because of the way you handle responsibilities. Your attitude will help elevate their capabilities as well.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Be charitable and compassionate today with those less fortunate than you. However, be realistic as to what extent you are able to help them. Don't get in over your head.

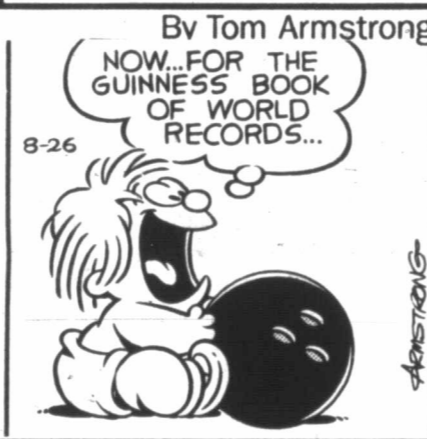
ARIES (March 21-April 19) You're the dependable one that friends can lean on today when they feel they have problems with which they can't cope. You'll be remarkably adroit at coming up with solutions.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You have a slight edge over others in competitive developments today. Keep this in the back of your mind in case a "hard nose" starts throwing some weight around.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Take time today to communicate in some manner with an old friend who now resides far from you. This relationship is worth proper maintenance.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) The probabilities for achieving your objectives look promising today, but you may not score your victories on your initial attempt. If you are stymied, regroup and try again.

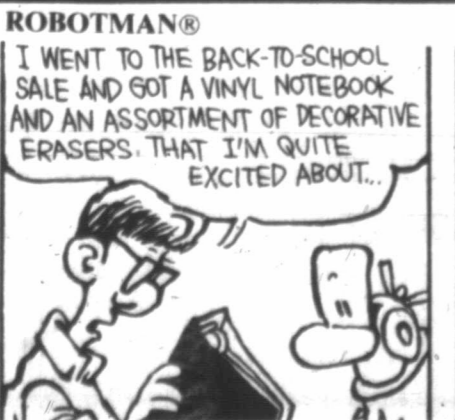
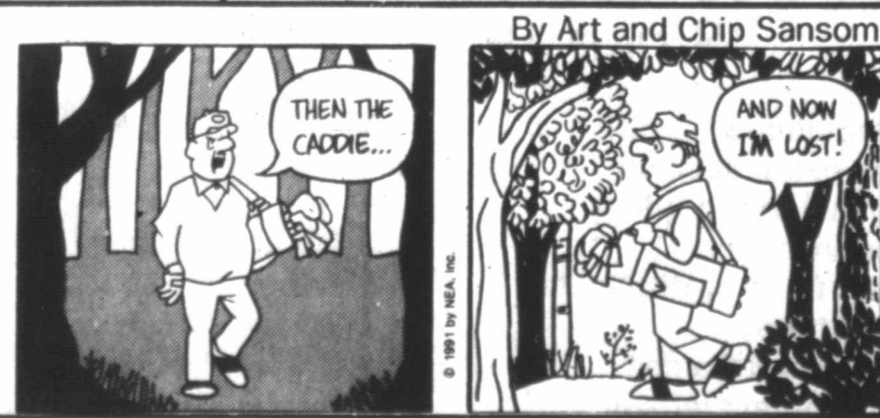
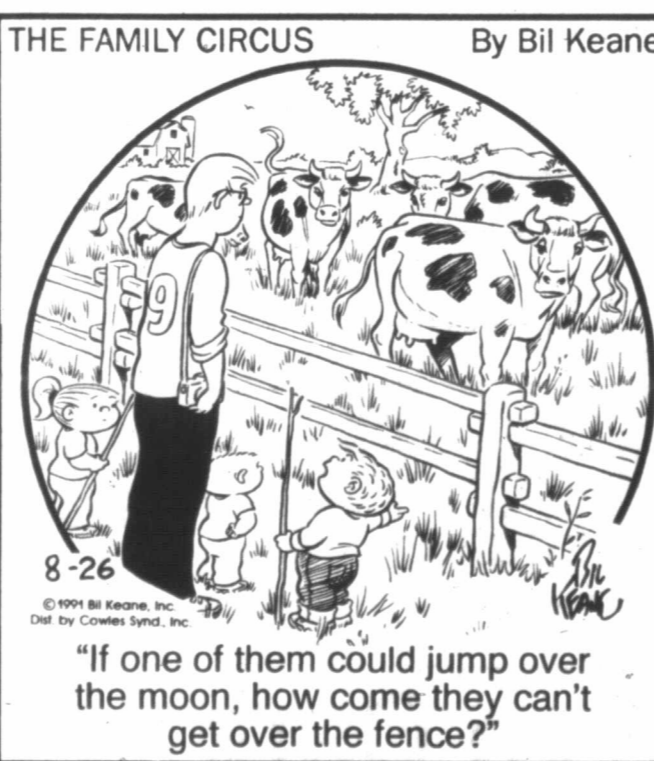
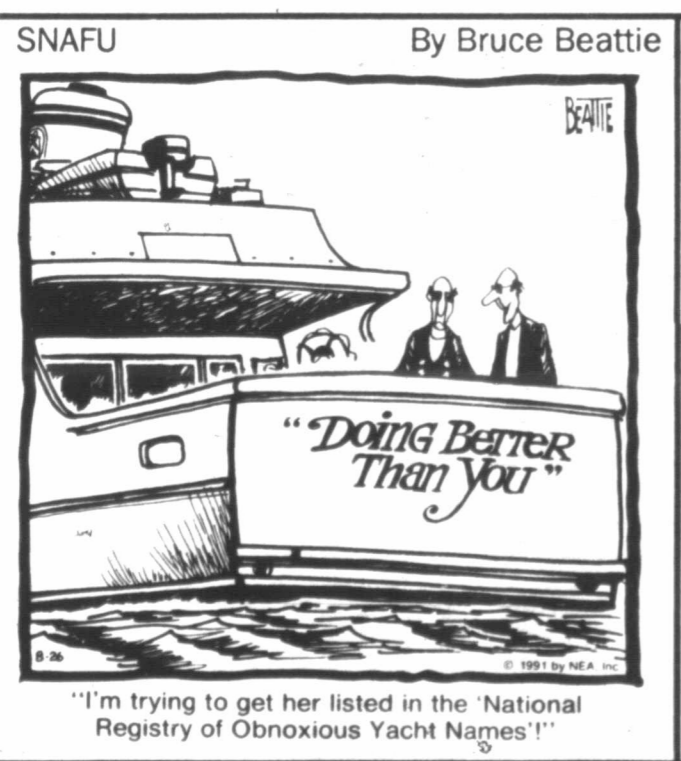
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Someone who admires and respects you might make a suggestion today that will be a tough pill to swallow. It's best you bite the bullet and heed the advice.



MARMADUKE By Brad Anderson

Notice

Marmaduke, Garfield and Peanuts comic strips for the week of Aug. 26-Aug. 30 were unintentionally omitted from the packet mailed to the newspaper. We have asked that the missing strips be sent to the newspaper by express mail, but they had not arrived by press time Monday. We have substituted two other comic strips for today's paper and will continue the substitutions temporarily until the missing strips arrive. We regret any inconvenience this may have caused our readers.



Sports

Cowboys get Beuerlein from Raiders; Highsmith shows up for first practice

IRVING (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys acquired third-year quarterback Steve Beuerlein from the Los Angeles Raiders Sunday in exchange for an undisclosed draft choice in 1992.

Beuerlein, 26, was vying throughout the preseason with Vince Evans for the backup spot to Jay Schroeder. Rookie Todd Marinovich, a first-round draft choice, is the Raiders' No. 3 quarterback for 1991.



Beuerlein

"We had too many quarterbacks and Steve was the guy to go," said coach Art Shell.

Beuerlein split playing time with Schroeder in 1988 and 1989, participating in 20 games and starting in 15. He was a fourth-round draft choice from Notre Dame in 1987, but did not play that season.

As a starter in the Raiders' last six games of 1989, Beuerlein completed 66 of 135 pass attempts for

1,078 yards and seven touchdowns while throwing only three interceptions in the final five games that year.

Before the 1990 season, with Schroeder signed to a \$900,000 contract, Beuerlein held out. He missed all of the preseason and when he returned, the job was Schroeder's.

Although on the roster throughout 1990, Beuerlein was never allowed to dress for a game as Evans was the backup to Schroeder. Beuerlein was limited to running the "scout" team in practices.

Rumors about a possible trade to the Cowboys circulated earlier in training camp, then started anew recently. There were also discussions with the Phoenix Cardinals, who lost starting quarterback Timm Rosenbach last week to a knee injury.

"This is a situation where we have been actively pursuing Beuerlein for quite some time," Cowboys coach Jimmy Johnson said, adding talks had been held sporadically for the last year.

"(Owner Jerry Jones) and I both felt like we could really improve our football team if we could bring

Beuerlein to the Dallas Cowboys."

The deal made Sunday means Beuerlein will report to the Cowboys as a backup to starter Troy Aikman. The other quarterback on the Cowboys' roster is 36-year-old Cliff Stoudt.

The Raiders made another trade Sunday, sending offensive guard Newt Harrell to the Cleveland Browns for another undisclosed draft choice.

Harrell was a 10th-round draft choice in 1988 from West Texas State, who never played a down for the Raiders because of injuries.

The Raiders and other NFL teams must trim their rosters from 60 to 47 players by Monday.

In another development Sunday, fullback Alonzo Highsmith practiced with the Cowboys for the first time since he began his pre-season holdout over a contract dispute.

Highsmith missed all of the Cowboys' training camp because of the disputed contract, which included a stipulation that he take a pay cut if he is injured this season. Highsmith was hobbled by injuries last year after he was traded to Dallas by the Houston Oilers.

NFL QBs take center stage

By HANK KURZ Jr.
Associated Press Writer

The 49ers are better off than most, even with Joe Montana on the sidelines. The Saints and Patriots aren't sure yet, the Cardinals are looking and the Dolphins are hopeful \$25 million man Dan Marino will get untracked by next Sunday's opener against Buffalo.

The subject is quarterbacks. As the start of the NFL season draws near, the man behind the center is at the center of attention.

San Francisco hasn't started a season without Montana running its offense for 10 years. But they're hardly panicking, even though Montana may have to undergo elbow surgery that would shelve him for at least four weeks.

That's because Steve Young, his \$2 million-dollar-plus backup, has been nothing short of spectacular, completing 54 of 69 passes with four touchdowns and no interceptions in leading the 49ers to a 5-0 preseason, their best since 1954.

The 49ers open their season next Monday night against the Giants in East Rutherford, N.J.

There's no such luxury in New Orleans, where the Saints have yet to decide between Steve Walsh and Bobby Hebert. Saturday's 28-24 loss to Miami did nothing for either.

"I don't think either one of them played real well," coach Jim Mora said.

Hebert played the first half and was 8-for-19 for 82 yards with two interceptions, one of which went 72 yards the other way for a touchdown. The Saints led 17-7 at half-time, but their longest scoring drive was 12 yards.

"I don't know if I won the job or lost it," Hebert said. "I don't make those decisions."

Walsh played the second half and was 16-for-26 for 151 yards with one interception. He directed a 76-yard touchdown march in the fourth quarter that put the Saints

ahead, then nearly pulled the game out after Miami scored the go-ahead TD on a blocked punt.

"I've done everything I could in training camp," Walsh said. "I just have to let them make the decision."

Mora will make his choice this week.

Rookie coach Dick MacPherson has a different problem in New England, where Tommy Hodson and Hugh Millen both have played well enough to start.

In the Patriots' 24-3 victory against the Giants, Hodson was 9-for-11 for 127 yards, including a 31-yard TD to Irving Fryar, and Millen was 10-for-15 for 104 yards with one interception.

NFL roundup

"We'll watch the films and the offensive staff will make the decision on quarterback. We'll announce it at a meeting on Monday," MacPherson said.

How excited were the Patriots to beat the defending Super Bowl champs?

As MacPherson was walking off the field, he was met by chief executive officer Sam Jankovich, who hugged and kissed him.

The Cardinals, coming off a 46-0 rout of New England, were excited, too. They thought they were set. Timm Rosenbach had connected on 13 of 16 passes against the Patriots and Phoenix was off to a 3-0 start.

But during a non-contact drill on Wednesday, Rosenbach caught his cleat in the turf, ruptured an anterior cruciate ligament and is lost for the season.

Tom Tupa did not take a snap in a game all of last season, but suddenly he's listed as the Cardinals' starter. A 7-for-13, 119-yard performance Friday in Phoenix's 34-10 romp over the Broncos did nothing to make fans forget Rosenbach.

Marino, armed with his new contract, would have been delighted

with a 7-for-13 performance against New Orleans. He's 14 of 55 for 129 yards in his last two games and failed to lead the Dolphins to a single touchdown in seven exhibition quarters.

"I did not play too good," Marino said Saturday after going just 5-for-18 in Miami's victory over the Saints. "I made some bad decisions throwing the ball and I got unlucky on a couple of them."

Marino threw interceptions to end each of the Dolphins' first three possessions. One was returned for a touchdown by defensive lineman Frank Warren.

"I've been struggling all camp with the first offense," he said. "The chemistry doesn't seem right."

Steve Beuerlein is hoping the chemistry is better for him in Dallas than it was with the Los Angeles Raiders. The Cowboys, seeking an experienced backup for Troy Aikman, acquired Beuerlein on Sunday for a 1992 draft pick.

"This is a situation where we have been actively pursuing Beuerlein for quite some time," said Cowboys coach Jimmy Johnson, whose offense stopped dead after Aikman was injured late last season.

Beuerlein lost his starting job with LA to Jay Schroeder last year when he held out and did not dress for a game.

Dallas also signed fullback Alonzo Highsmith to a 1-year contract that will pay him \$350,000, but only \$140,000 if he is injured.

"I held out as long as I could as far as protecting myself," said Highsmith, who was hobbled by injuries last year after coming from Houston. "With that injury clause, there was no use for me to go through training camp and take a chance on getting injured."

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Lewis explodes to victory in fastest ever 100-meters

By ENRICO JACOMINI
AP Sports Writer

TOKYO (AP) — Carl Lewis knew that for all his world championships and Olympic gold medals, he had to prove himself again.

He may have proved that he's the best of all time.

At age 30, eight years after sprinting to his first world championship gold medal, he ran the greatest 100 meters in the history of track and field on Sunday. A crowd of 60,000 that included the Emperor of Japan went wild and acclaimed him as the hero of the World Track and Field Championships.

Lewis goes into the books as the new world record-holder in the men's 100 meters after winning in 9.86 seconds. He's also the first winner of an individual gold medal in each of the three world championships.

"It feels great to be 30 and run the race of my life," he said.

Santa Monica Track Club teammates Leroy Burrell and Dennis Mitchell, who took second and third, hailed him as the best of all time.

"He's probably the greatest track athlete that ever graced the planet," said Mitchell, who was third in 9.91 seconds. "He is the epitome of competitors."

In 14 events in three World Championships and two Olympics, Lewis has 13 gold medals and a silver. His only loss was to Joe DeLoach in the 200-meter final at the 1988 Seoul Games.

It was an incredible final — the fastest ever, with six runners under 10 seconds. Lewis, who was fifth halfway through the race, was so excited after rallying to pass Burrell in the final five meters that he flipped his arms around his head in disbelief and looked around, deeply moved, after realizing that he had won.

"He passed us as if we were standing still," said Burrell, who surpassed his world-record time of 9.90 seconds by finishing in 9.88. "It was the greatest 100 meters of all times. Carl was the best and he deserved to win. I am glad I was part of it."

Lewis, wrapped in an American flag, got a standing ovation as he took a victory lap around the National Stadium. Emperor Akihiko left the royal box to personally congratulate him after the awards ceremony.

After watching Burrell set the world record at the U.S. championships on June 14 in New York, Lewis admitted his confidence was shaky coming to Tokyo, but stressed he had yet to run the best race of his



USA's Carl Lewis, left, raises his arms as he crosses the finish line of the 100-meter race. Teammate Leroy Burrell (3) placed second.

life and he planned to do it in the championships.

"It's the greatest day in my life, really unbelievable," he said.

Linford Christie of Britain, the Olympic silver medalist, was fourth in 9.92, the world-record time at the start of the year. Ray Stewart of Jamaica ran 9.95 and Frank Fredericks of Namibia 9.96 for an African record.

"Fredericks was sixth with 9.96. Who would have imagined that?" Burrell said.

In other events, Jackie Joyner-Kersey retained her title in the women's long jump but gave the crowd a scare.

She took a commanding lead with an opening jump of 24 feet, 0 1/4 inch, which won her the gold. Then she had a foul on a leap that looked even better and, as she admitted, became greedy, probably seeking a world record.

On her fourth attempt, she forced

her jump, twisted her right ankle and rolled into the sandpit grimacing with pain.

"I thought my leg was broken," she said.

She limped off the track after her sixth jump, but the injury wasn't enough to keep her out of today's heptathlon, in which she's the defending champion.

In the opening heptathlon event, the 100-meter hurdles, Joyner-Kersey had the fastest time, 12.96 seconds. However, in addition to the ankle injury, Joyner-Kersey was suffering from an ailing right hamstring, her coach and husband, Bob Kersey said.

"I should have run faster, sore ankle or no," Joyner-Kersey said. "I didn't drive."

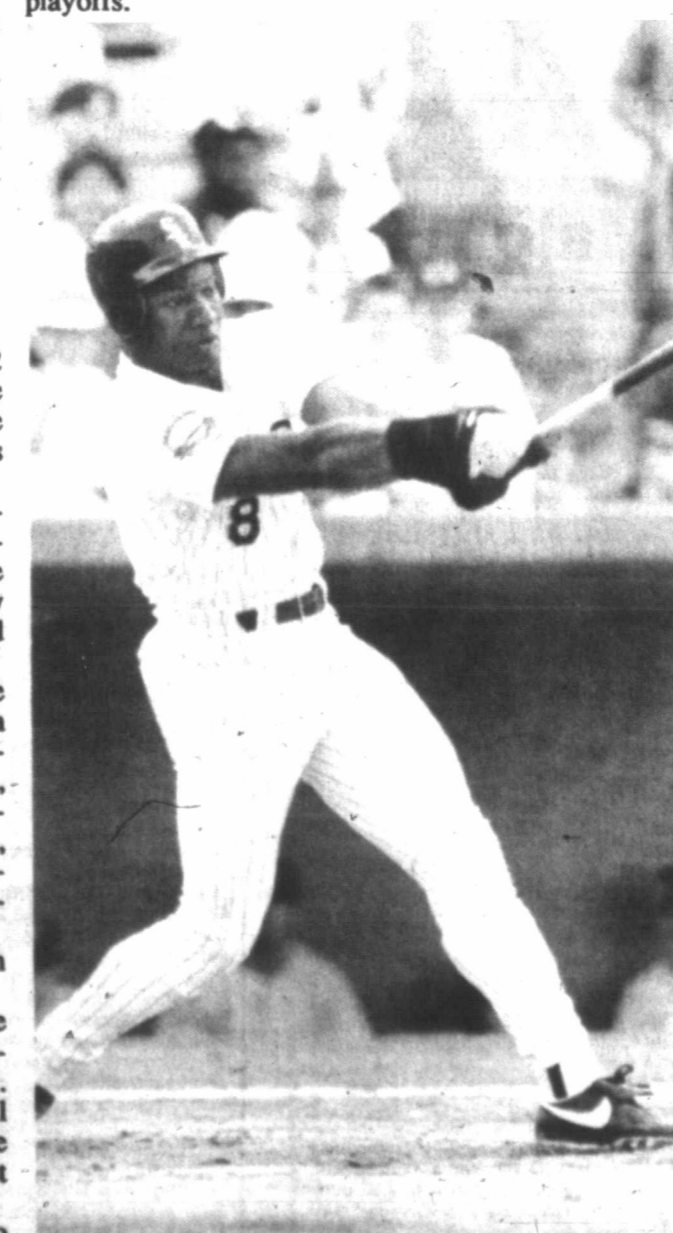
Joyner-Kersey continued to lead the heptathlon after two events by clearing 6-3 1/4 in the high jump, tying Germany's Sabine Braun for the best height in the event.

Bo is back - to '50 or 60 percent'

SARASOTA, Fla. (AP) — First he thanked the fans who offered words of encouragement, then the skeptics who inspired him to work harder. Then Bo Jackson declared that he's back.

The two-sport star made his debut in a White Sox uniform Sunday, but won't be satisfied until he's roaming the outfield in Comiskey Park and hitting home runs instead of infield singles.

For now, Jackson and the White Sox are happy with his progress on the road back from a career-threatening hip injury sustained in last season's NFL playoffs.



Bo Jackson takes his first swing as a member of the Class A Sarasota White Sox.

He went 2-for-6 and drove in two runs for the Class A Sarasota White Sox during a day-night doubleheader and is to report to the Class AA Birmingham Barons today.

White Sox general manager Ron Schueler indicated it may not be long before Jackson, who was a designated hitter Sunday, is back in the major leagues.

"To see him run to first base in 4.3 (seconds), when a month ago he was on crutches, was very encouraging," Schueler said. "Each at-bat he's going to get better. We'll take it a day at a time ... but with the progress he's making he will be able to help us in September."

Jackson said he wasn't likely to pick up a newspaper and read about himself today. But if somebody told him a headline read "Bo's back," he conceded he thinks he is — even if not all the way.

"I'm not back to where I'll want to be, but I'll get there," he said.

"I think I laid the foundation this afternoon and I've just got to build from that," Jackson said. "Who knows how long it's going to take?"

The combined 10,143 fans who showed up hoping to see Jackson showcase his power instead got a glimpse of his speed, which the outfielder and part-time running back said is gradually returning.

Although he only felt "50 or 60 percent," Jackson was still able to beat out a chopper to third base in the first game and run out another infield single and eventually score in the nightcap against the Charlotte Rangers.

"I didn't set any goals as far as doing something spectacular," he said of his expectations when the day began.

"Like (Schueler) said, a month ago I was on crutches. Today, I got to first base in 4.3," Jackson added. "And every time I went to the plate I made contact."

Jackson drove in a run with a sacrifice fly in the third inning of the opener, then legged out the first of his two infield hits to begin the eighth. He was replaced by a pinch runner who went on to score the winning run in a 3-2 victory.

The inning before Jackson was denied an opportunity to go to the plate with the game on the line when Ron Plemmons grounded into a double play and the game went into extra innings.

"I wanted to bat that inning," he said. "Not being selfish, I wanted to be the guy in the position to drive in the winning run."

If the White Sox do activate him next month, Jackson said it would probably be as a designated hitter. Sunday provided him an idea of what to expect.

"It killed me to sit on the bench, to have that idle time between at-bats. It's like being caged," he said. "It's good to be back out on the field, but I won't be happy until I'm back in the outfield chasing down fly balls."

Florida teams top AP football poll

By RICK WARNER
AP Football Writer

Maybe Florida should change its nickname from the Sunshine State to the College Football State.

Three of the top five teams in The Associated Press preseason poll are from Florida, the most impressive showing by one state in the 55-year history of the survey. Florida State is No. 1, Miami is No. 3 and Florida is No. 5.

"We're starting the year as the No. 3 team in Florida, but this is one state where that's not all bad," said Florida coach Steve Spurrier. "One of our primary goals is to become the top program in the state. If we can achieve that each year, we will be a nationally ranked team."

Florida's three Division I-A schools have parlayed warm weather, great high school talent and statewide football fever into a winning combination.

"All three programs have really been clicking," said Florida State coach Bobby Bowden. "I certainly feel Miami and Florida are among the country's top teams. The scary thing is we've got to play both of them."

Miami has won three national championships since 1983 and finished no lower than No. 3 the last five years. Florida State has lost only six games in the last four years and Florida, which tied a school record with nine victories last season, is a rising power under Spurrier.

"It's great that all three Florida schools are ranked so high," said Miami coach Dennis Erickson. "It's representative of the quality of players and coaches in the state."

Florida State has never won the national title despite four consecutive Top 4 finishes. But the Seminoles are the overwhelming preseason pick, getting 49 of 60 first-place votes and 1,483 of a possible 1,500 points from a nationwide panel of sports writers and broadcasters.

"It really doesn't surprise me because everyone seems to be picking us No. 1," said Bowden, who has 17 starters back from last year's 10-2 team that finished fourth in the nation.

"But I still say there are eight or 10 teams that you can put in a hat that have as much a chance to be up there as we do."

One of those teams is No. 2 Michigan, which plays Florida State in Ann Arbor on Sept. 28. The Wolverines got five first-place votes and 1,384 points.

Miami is No. 3 with two first-place votes and 1,276 points. Washington is next with one first-place ballot and 1,252 points, followed by Florida with one first-place vote and 1,150 points.

Rounding out the Top 10 are Notre Dame, Penn State, Georgia Tech, Clemson and Oklahoma. Tennessee is 11th, followed by Houston, Colorado, Texas, Nebraska, Southern Cal, Auburn, Iowa, BYU, Michigan State, Texas A&M, Alabama, Ohio State, UCLA and Syracuse.

Clemson and Houston each received one first-place vote.

Florida State also was No. 1 in the 1988 preseason poll, but the Seminoles didn't stay on top very long. After Deion Sanders and several teammates made a video to celebrate their status, they went out and lost their opener to Miami 31-0.

"That was a case of putting on too much perfume," Bowden said. "It's OK to smell like perfume, but in '88 we took a bath in it."

Blue Jays rally to whip Yankees; Tigers trip Mariners

By The Associated Press

It took a big rally to keep the Blue Jays in first. It only took a little rally to keep the Tigers there.

Toronto rallied from a 7-2 deficit Sunday, scoring three runs in the seventh and six in the eighth for an 11-7 victory over the Yankees.

Detroit's rally was modest in comparison. The Tigers came back from a 3-2 ninth-inning deficit and beat the Mariners 5-4.

"Every game now is very important for us," said Toronto's Roberto Alomar, who had three hits and drove in four runs. "We have 37 games and we need to win."

American League

Toronto and Detroit are tied for the AL East lead at 68-57. The Blue Jays and Tigers won't meet for the rest of the season — unless they finish in a tie.

In other games, Milwaukee beat Oakland 8-2, Baltimore beat Minnesota 7-3, Cleveland beat Chicago 3-0, California beat Boston 9-5 and Texas beat Kansas City 8-4 in 11 innings.

Toronto, which rallied for a 6-5 victory on Friday by scoring twice in the ninth, trailed 7-5 in the eighth before coming back.

Jim Aker (3-4) pitched a scoreless eighth inning and Duane Ward, Toronto's fourth pitcher, struck out the side in the ninth.

Lee Gueterman (2-2) was the loser.

Tigers 4, Mariners 3

Tony Phillips and Lou Whitaker hit run-scoring singles in the ninth at Tiger Stadium after Dave Valle's home run off Walt Terrell (10-10) had put Seattle ahead 3-2 in the top of the inning.

Fryman, Scott Livingstone and Phillips hit consecutive singles off Mike Schooler (0-2) before Whitaker's two-out hit.

Brewers 8, Athletics 2

Oakland, which has lost 10 of 14, was swept by the Brewers for the first time in nine years as Milwaukee outscored the Athletics 28-6 in the three-game series. The A's remained seven games behind AL West-leading Minnesota.

Greg Vaughn had the first four-hit game of his career. The visiting Brewers, on their first five-game winning streak since September 1989, remained 7 1/2 games back in the AL East.

Chris Bosio (10-9) allowed six hits and two runs in eight innings. Ron Darling (3-1) gave up 13 hits and seven runs in 4 2-3 innings at the Coliseum.

Orioles 7, Twins 3

Scott Erickson was pounded for six runs in 4 1-3 innings and the visiting Twins lost for only the third time in 10 games. Minnesota maintained its seven-game lead in the AL West.

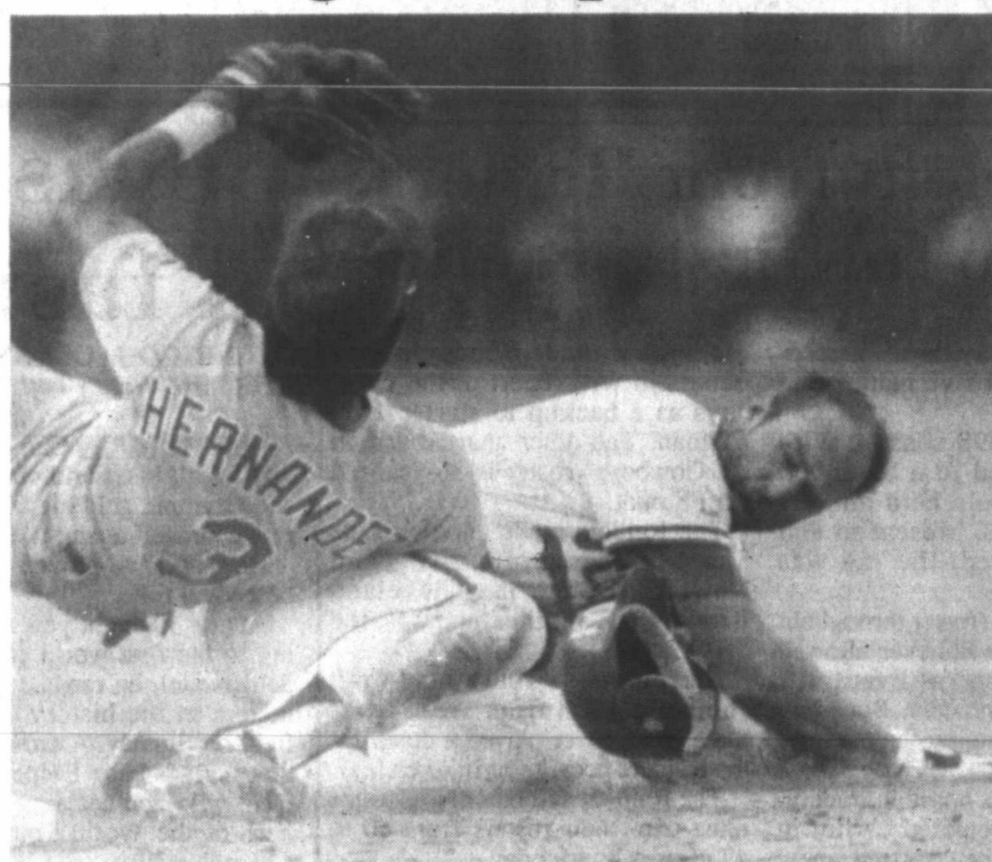
Joe Orsulak extended his hitting streak to 21 games and rookie Mike Mussina (2-3) allowed seven hits in eight-plus innings. Todd Frohwirth got his second save.

Indians 3, White Sox 0

Rod Nichols (2-10) pitched a three-hitter for his first career shutout in a game repeatedly interrupted by swarms of flying insects at Cleveland Stadium.

The White Sox have lost six straight, are 2-12 in their last 14 games and have dropped six games in the standings since rookie Wilson Alvarez pitched a no-hitter against Baltimore on Aug. 11.

Alex Fernandez (6-11) allowed three runs and 10 hits in 7 1-3 innings, dropping to 1-4 in five August starts.



Texas Rangers shortstop Jose Hernandez gets taken out by Kansas City Royals Kirk Gibson Sunday in a double play. (AP Laserphoto)

Angels 9, Red Sox 5

California swept the three-game series at Anaheim Stadium as Shawn Abner drove in four runs, three on a game-tying home run in the fourth. Gary Gaetti added a two-run homer.

Mike Fetters (1-3) won for the first time since July 7, 1990, pitching 4 2-3 scoreless innings in relief of Mark Langston, forced out by a strained right hip. Flexor, Mark Eichhorn got the final out for his first save.

Joe Hesketh (8-3) was the loser for Boston, which dropped 5 1/2 games

behind in the East.

Rangers 8, Royals 4

Steve Buechele bounced a tie-breaking two-run single over the head of shortstop David Howard in the 11th inning for visiting Texas. Rafael Palmeiro then added an RBI double and scored on Julio Franco's single.

Terry Mathews (1-0) got his first major league victory with three innings of one-hit relief for visiting Texas and Jeff Russell finished. Storm Davis (3-9) gave up four runs and four hits in one inning.

Braves, Dodgers lose in tight division race

By The Associated Press

The best in the NL West didn't exactly play winning baseball over the weekend.

Rookie Rhea Cormier gave up a run in 5 2-3 innings and Lee Smith finished for his 300th career save as St. Louis completed a three-game sweep of visiting Los Angeles with a 3-2 victory.

After the game, losing pitcher Tim Belcher suggested maybe it would be best if Atlanta won to tie for first. But for the second straight day, the Braves lost to the Phillies and missed a chance to gain a share of the lead.

National League

"We have nobody to blame but ourselves," Dodgers manager Tommy Lasorda said. "We haven't played well since the All-Star break."

Todd Zeile had three hits and two RBIs and Ozzie Smith had three hits and an RBI as the Cardinals made it eight victories in 11 games to stay five games behind Pittsburgh in the East.

"Sure, LA's kicking themselves now," Atlanta manager Bobby Cox said after the

Braves' 6-5 loss. "And, we are, too. It works both ways. We came out of the weekend OK. We knocked a game off. I'm sure Tommy's aware of us."

Elsewhere it was Pittsburgh 8, San Francisco 3; San Diego 12, Chicago 9; Montreal 4, Houston 0; and New York 2, Cincinnati 1.

"We've been playing run-of-the-mill baseball since the All-Star game and maybe we need Atlanta to catch us so we can snap out of it," Belcher said.

Cormier (2-1) has the only two victories by a St. Louis left-handed starter this season. He also went 2-for-2 and scored a run, but had to leave the game after sustaining a contusion when Darryl Strawberry hit a line drive off his pitching arm for an infield hit with two outs in the sixth.

Phillies 6, Braves 5

Ricky Jordan hit a three-run homer in the first inning off Steve Avery (13-8) and Charlie Hayes added a solo shot as Philadelphia took two of three in Atlanta.

Tommy Greene (9-5), who pitched a no-hitter against Montreal on May 23, held the Braves hitless for four innings. Atlanta then put together four consecu-

tive hits to start the fifth, cutting the lead to 5-3. Mitch Williams finished for his 24th save.

Pirates 8, Giants 3

Cecil Espy, Jay Bell, Andy Van Slyke and Bobby Bonilla all homered and John Smiley won his 15th game as Pittsburgh beat visiting San Francisco to maintain a five-game lead over St. Louis in the East.

Bell hit a two-run homer and Bonilla added a solo shot in the fifth against last-minute starter Francisco Oliveras (4-3) as the Pirates took a 3-2 lead after managing only one hit in the first four innings.

Espy hit a three-run shot in the sixth after reliever Kelly Downs intentionally walked Barry Bonds. Van Slyke hit a two-run homer off Downs in the seventh.

Mets 2, Reds 1

David Cone won for the first time in nearly a month, shutting down hot-hitting Cincinnati at Shea Stadium.

Gary Templeton went 3-for-3, including a go-ahead RBI triple in the fourth inning, as New York avoided falling into fifth place in the East. The Mets won for only the sixth time in their last 32 games.

Cone (11-10) outpitched former teammate Randy Myers (5-11) and stopped a streak of three losses and one no-decision since July 29. He gave up seven hits, struck out seven and walked three in eight innings. John Franco pitched the ninth for his 23rd save in 26 chances.

Padres 12, Cubs 9

Darrin Jackson hit two home runs, including his first career grand slam to highlight a six-run sixth inning, as San Diego outslugged Chicago at Wrigley Field. Loser Bob Scanlan (5-7) came in and walked pinch-hitter Jack Howell to force in a run. One out later, Jackson hit his slam over the left-field fence.

Mike Maddux (5-2) was the winner after taking over for starter Dennis Rasmussen. Rookie Jim Lewis pitched 3 1-3 innings and Jose Melendez got the last two outs for his second save.

Expos 4, Astros 0

Mark Gardner (7-9) and two relievers combined on a three-hitter as Montreal beat Houston at the Astrodome. Montreal took a 2-0 lead off Jim Deshaies (4-11) in the fourth on Andres Galarraga's two-run single.

Murray, Etbauers score in Wyoming

DOUGLAS, Wyo. (AP) — Two-time world champion all-around cowboy Ty Murray of Stephenville, Texas, won the bareback bronc average at the Wyoming State Fair Rodeo this weekend.

With a score of 81 on the back of a bronc, the 21-year-old cowboy left Wyoming with \$1,054.

Dan and Robert Etbauer of Goodwell, Okla., paved the way for their brother, Billy, with scores

of 83 and 82, respectively, at the second performance on Friday. Billy, the middle Etbauer sibling, scored a 74 on his ride during Saturday night's performance, losing ground to his two brothers as they all compete in the national standings.

Robert is the defending champion in the event, followed by Dan, who placed fifth at last year's National Finals Rodeo in Las Vegas, and Billy, who placed eighth.

Major League standings

By The Associated Press
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AMERICAN LEAGUE				NATIONAL LEAGUE				
East Division				East Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	W	L	Pct.	GB	
Detroit	68	57	.544	—	Pittsburgh	72	50	.590
Toronto	68	57	.544	—	St. Louis	67	55	.549
Boston	62	62	.500	5 1/2	Chicago	62	61	.504
Milwaukee	60	64	.484	7 1/2	New York	60	63	.488
New York	56	66	.459	10 1/2	Philadelphia	60	63	.488
Baltimore	52	72	.419	15 1/2	Montreal	50	72	.410
Cleveland	41	82	.333	26	West Division			
				W	L	Pct.	GB	
Minnesota	75	51	.595	—	Los Angeles	68	55	.553
Chicago	67	57	.540	—	Atlanta	67	56	.545
Oakland	68	58	.540	7	Cincinnati	60	63	.488
Texas	64	59	.520	9 1/2	San Francisco	60	63	.488
Kansas City	63	60	.512	10 1/2	San Diego	60	64	.484
Seattle	64	61	.512	10 1/2	Houston	51	72	.415
California	61	63	.492	13				

Saturday's Games
Detroit 7, Seattle 2
New York 6, Toronto 5
Cleveland 2, Chicago 1
Milwaukee 7, Oakland 0
Minnesota 5, Baltimore 2
Kansas City 8, Texas 1
California 1, Boston 0
Sunday's Games
Toronto 11, New York 7
Baltimore 7, Minnesota 3
Detroit 4, Seattle 3
Texas 8, Kansas City 4, 11 innings
California 9, Boston 5
Milwaukee 8, Oakland 2
Cleveland 3, Chicago 0
Monday's Games
Texas (K. Brown 8-10) at New York (Plunk 2-2), 7:30 p.m.
Toronto (Key 12-9) at Baltimore (D. Johnson 4-4), 7:35 p.m.
Minnesota (Tapani 11-7) at Cleveland (Ott 3-1), 7:35 p.m.
Chicago (Hough 7-7) at Kansas City (Sabershen 9-6), 8:35 p.m.
Boston (Clemens 12-8) at Oakland (Moore 12-7), 10:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Ignasiak 1-0) at Seattle (Krueger 10-8), 10:05 p.m.
Detroit (Leter 6-2) at California (Grabe 1-8), 10:35 p.m.

Saturday's Games
Cincinnati 7, New York 0
San Diego 4, Chicago 1
San Francisco 5, Pittsburgh 1
Philadelphia 6, Atlanta 5
Montreal 5, Houston 1
St. Louis 7, Los Angeles 3
Sunday's Games
Pittsburgh 8, San Francisco 3
St. Louis 5, Los Angeles 2
San Diego 12, Chicago 9
Montreal 4, Houston 0
Philadelphia 6, Atlanta 5
New York 2, Cincinnati 1
Monday's Games
Philadelphia (DeJesus 9-4) at Cincinnati (Sanford 1-2), 7:35 p.m.
San Diego (Harris 4-4) at Pittsburgh (Tomlin 8-4), 7:35 p.m.
Montreal (Haney 2-4) at Atlanta (Reynoso 2-0), 7:40 p.m.
Los Angeles (Herstiser 5-2) at Chicago (Sutcliffe 4-4), 8:05 p.m.
New York (Fernandez 1-3) at Houston (Harris 8-8), 8:35 p.m.
San Francisco (Black 9-12) at St. Louis (B. Smith 11-7), 8:35 p.m.
Tuesday's Games
Los Angeles at Chicago, 2:20 p.m.
San Diego at Pittsburgh, 3:05 p.m.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati, 7:35 p.m.
Montreal at Atlanta, 7:40 p.m.
New York at Houston, 8:35 p.m.
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FIELD executive for major non-profit youth agency serving 10 counties of the Panhandle. Strong skills in motivating volunteers, 50% travel, some evenings and weekends, job training provided, college degree required. Send resume and salary requirements to Executive Director, City Hall, Room 301, Pampa, Tx. 79065. BOE, H/M/E/V.

IF you could be your own boss, choose your own hours, would this be the perfect job? It is!! Call Avon now, Ina Mae 665-5854.

JC's Family Restaurant, now taking applications for all positions. Looking for high energy people in search of exciting employment. 123 N. Hobart.

KELLY Temporary Services has immediate openings for word processors, data entry operators, 50 word per minute typists and switchboard operators. Call for appointment 355-9696. Not an agency. Never a fee.

NEEDED mature, christian women experienced in child care to work as teachers in new Day Care Center. To apply, call 665-1141 or 665-5315.

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30 Sewing Machines

WE service all makes and models of sewing machines and vacuum cleaners. Sanders Sewing Center. 214 N. Cuyler, 665-2383.

50 Building Supplies

HOUSTON LUMBER CO. 420 W. Foster 669-6881

White House Lumber Co. 101 S. Ballard 669-3291

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NEW Steel Buildings. Factory deals. Must clear out. Call Mike 665-1054.

70 Musical Instruments

2 Kimball studio pianos. 2 Wurliizer spinet. Will deliver. 1-355-2656.

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75 Feeds and Seeds

WHEELER EVANS FEED Special Horse & Mule \$9.50, 100 Bulk oats \$7.80, 100 665-5881, 669-2107

FOR Sale: Alfalfa Hay, Square Bales and Best Round Bales. Call: 375-2316.

77 Livestock

ROCKING Chair Saddle Shop, 115 S. Cuyler. Now supplying animal health care products. See us for all your needs.

80 Pets And Supplies

AKC Black Pomeranian male-2 1/2 pounds. \$250. 669-6357.

AKC registered Rotweiler puppies, tails clipped, first shots. 669-6453.

AKC Yorkshire Terrier puppy. Male, shots, wormed. For professional canine, feline grooming. Call Alva Dee Fleming, 665-1230.

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CANINE and Feline grooming. Also, boarding and Science diets. Roys Animal Hospital, 665-2223.

GOLDEN Wheat Grooming. Cockers and Schnauzers a specialty. 669-6357 Mona.

Grooming and Boarding Jo Ann's Pet Salon 715 W. Foster, 669-1410

GROOMING, exotic birds, pets, full line pet supplies, Iams and Science Diet dog and cat food. Pets Unique, 910 W. Kentucky, 665-5102.

PROFESSIONAL Grooming by Joann Fleetwood. Same location. Call anytime. 665-4957.

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ROOMS for gentlemen. Showers, clean, quiet. \$35. a week. Davis Hotel. 1161/2 W. Foster. 669-9115, or 669-9137.

1 bedroom bills paid, including cable. \$55. a week. 669-3743.

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69 Miscellaneous

THE SUNSHINE FACTORY Tandy Leather Dealer Complete selection on leathercraft, craft supplies. 1313 Alcock, 669-6682.

RENT IT When you have tried everywhere and can't find it, come see me. I probably got it! H. C. Eubanks Tool Rental, 1320 S. Barnes, phone 665-3213.

CHIMNEY Fire can be prevented. Queen sweep Chimney Cleaning. 665-4686 or 665-5364.

10 foot Hastings Satellite Dish, Hytek-EI, Clr-500. \$400 or best offer. 669-6357.

ADVERTISING Material to be placed in the Pampa News MUST be placed through the Pampa News Office Only.

FOR Sale: 2 bedroom house 204 N. Faulkner with garage; 2 wheel trailer 4x8 foot, and 13 foot boat and trailer without motor. 669-9712 or 669-6533 after 6.

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FURNISHED and Unfurnished 1 and 2 bedroom apartments. Covered parking. No pets. 800 N. Nelson. 665-1875.

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NICE two bedroom apartment. Partly furnished. Washer and dryer connection. Water and gas paid. Call 665-1346.

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CUTE and Clean 1 bedroom partly furnished. 701 N. West 665-6158. 669-3842 Realtor.

LARGE 1 bedroom, furnished. \$185. 3 bedroom \$375, consider lease purchase. David Hunter Real Estate, 665-2903.

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2 bedroom, paneled, carpet, fenced yard, corner lot. 532 Doucette. \$225 month, \$100 deposit. 669-6973, 669-6881.

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RENTAL properties available. Pickup list at Action Realty, 109 S. Gillespie.

TWO bedroom clean carpeted house. 905 S. Nelson. 669-7025.

FOR rent: Unfurnished 2 bedroom. Near school. 359-3148 or 665-7957.

99 Storage Buildings

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2412 Charles Attractive home in good location. Assumable. Call Roberta, Quentin Williams, 665-6158, 669-2522.

For Sale or Trade For smaller home. 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, story 1/2, older home. New kitchen, new sewer line. Furnished apartment for extra income. 815 N. Gray or 665-8773.

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NEW LIST

Prosecutors' strategy in Kennedy-Smith rape case puzzling to some legal experts

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP) — The state's attempt to have the judge in the William Kennedy Smith rape trial removed for supposedly giving prosecutors dirty looks has struck some outside legal experts as peculiar.

But as the state noted in its request last week, Judge Mary Lupo was removed by an appeals court from a 1989 personal-injury lawsuit after attorneys argued her facial expressions, along with comments and rulings, showed bias.

Meanwhile, a new and perhaps lengthy delay in the trial is possible because Smith's chief attorney, Roy Black, has another trial set for Jan. 6. Smith's trial, already delayed from Aug. 5, is scheduled to begin Jan. 13.

Last week, prosecutor Moira Lasch and the 30-year-old Jupiter, Fla., woman who claims Smith raped her at the Kennedy estate on March 30

asked Ms. Lupo to remove herself because of what the prosecution said were biased, harsh looks.

Unusual motions and courtroom arguments by prosecutor Moira Lasch have the many lawyers and legal scholars following this case scratching their heads.

Mary Coombs, a University of Miami law professor, said she has been trying to fathom the prosecutor's strategy, and "I don't understand what she's doing."

"While the notion that a judge should have Olympian detachment is nice, inability to keep a poker face is not a cognizable prejudice," Ms. Coombs said.

The Palm Beach Review, which covers area legal affairs, headlined an Aug. 23 article: "William Kennedy Smith's Prosecutor Is Blowing Her Case."

Ms. Lasch has rarely referred to

Smith in her arguments, instead repeatedly talking about "Kennedy family influence" and the "vast publicity network" of Smith's uncle, Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass.

She refused to agree to the usually automatic admission of out-of-state counsel for Smith and brought to court a book reporting about the role of the attorneys, Herbert "Jack" Miller, played in the probe of the 1969 Chappaquiddick drowning of a Kennedy aide after an auto accident involving Sen. Kennedy.

In an affidavit accompanying her motion to disqualify the judge, Ms. Lasch said Ms. Lupo reserved a two-week vacation in October before setting the January trial date. The delay hurts the prosecution, Ms. Lasch wrote.

Much of the state's request dealt with what Ms. Lasch described as Ms. Lupo's "hostile attitude."

Notice of Effective Tax Rate (for use by most taxing units)

1991 Property Tax Rates in PAMPA ISD

This notice concerns 1991 property tax rates for PAMPA ISD. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

Last year's tax rate:	
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 8,263,757.42
Last year's debt taxes	\$ 0
Last year's total taxes	\$ 8,263,757.42
Last year's tax base	\$ 778,131,584.00
Last year's total tax rate	\$ 1.062 /\$100

This year's effective tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 8,332,426.00
÷ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$ 762,607,082.00
= This year's effective tax rate	\$ 1.092624 /\$100

(In the first year a city or county collects the additional sales tax it must insert the following lines unless it made its first adjustment last year.)

— Sales tax adjustment rate	\$ _____ /\$100
= Effective tax rate	\$ 1.092624 /\$100

× 1.03 = maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearing	\$ 1.125403 /\$100
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This year's rollback tax rate:	
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 8,332,426.00
÷ This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 762,607,082.00
= This year's effective operating rate	\$ 1.092624 /\$100
— .72 for school district (or zero)	\$.372624
× 1.08 (or add \$.08 for schools) = this year's maximum operating rate	\$.452624 /\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$ 0 /\$100

(A school district must insert the following lines)

= This year's rollback rate before adjustment	\$.452624 /\$100
+ Rate to recoup lost revenue	\$.038725 /\$100
= Adjusted rollback rate	\$.491349 /\$100
= This year's rollback rate	\$.491349 /\$100

(A city or county that collects the additional sales tax (including one that collects the tax for the first time this year) must insert the following lines.)

— Sales tax adjustment rate	\$ _____ /\$100
= Rollback tax rate	\$ _____ /\$100

SCHEDULE A: Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following balances will probably be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
General Operating Fund	1,350,000

SCHEDULE B: 1991 Debt Service

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid	Interest to be Paid	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
Total required for 1991 debt service		0		
— Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A		0		
— Excess collections last year		0		
= Total to be paid from taxes in 1991		0		
+ Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only _____% of its taxes in 1991		0		
= Total Debt Service Levy		0		

SCHEDULE C: Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax

(For counties and cities with additional 1/2 cent sales tax)

In calculating its effective and rollback tax rates, the unit estimated that it will receive \$ 0 in additional sales and use tax revenues.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rate calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at Gray County Appraisal District.

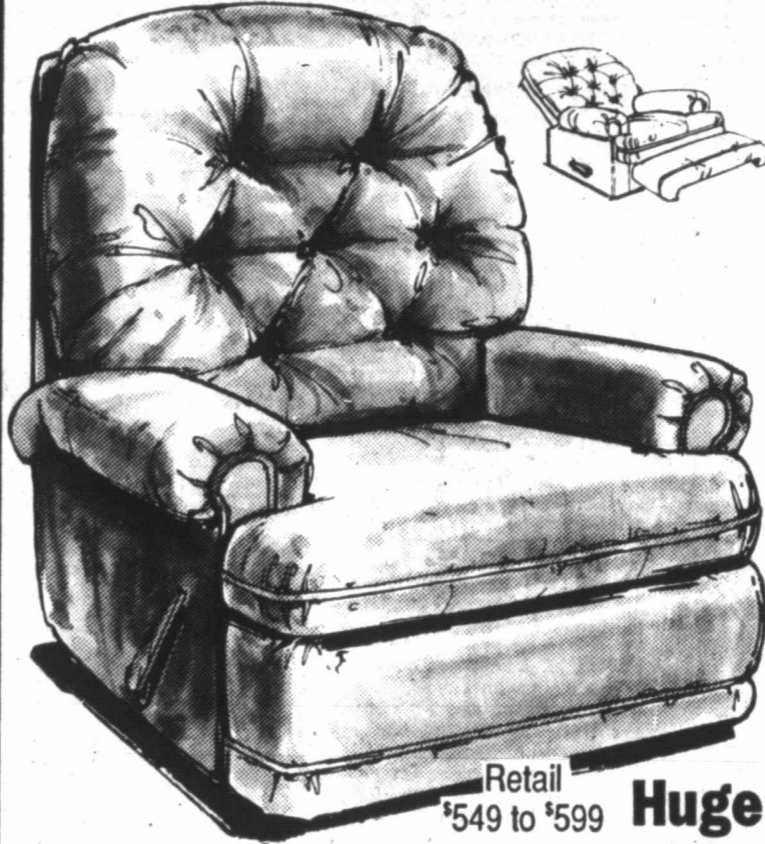
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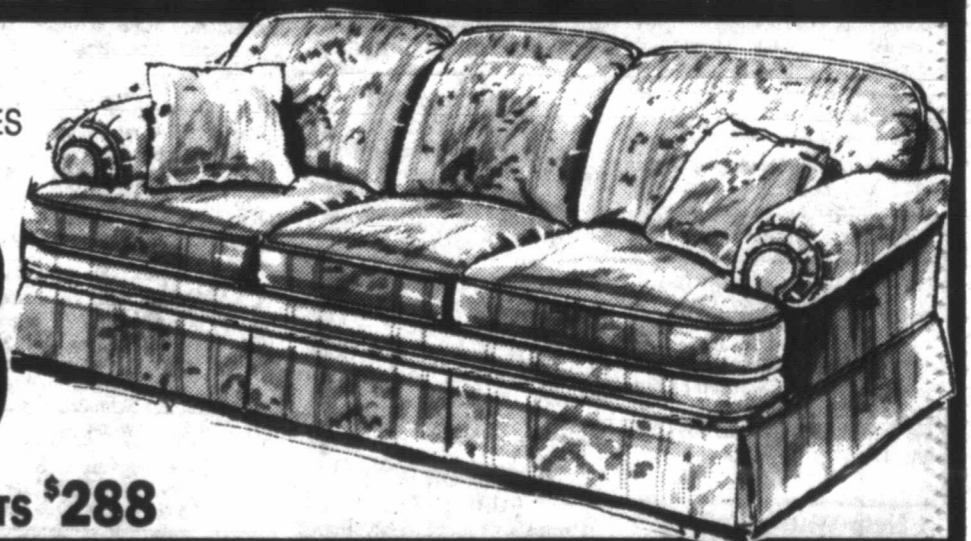
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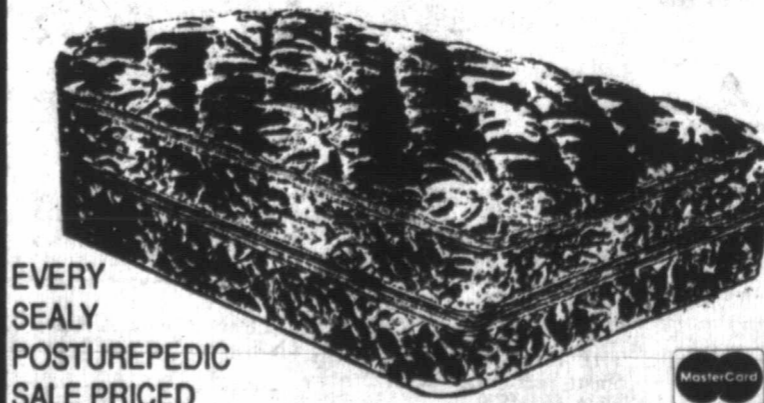
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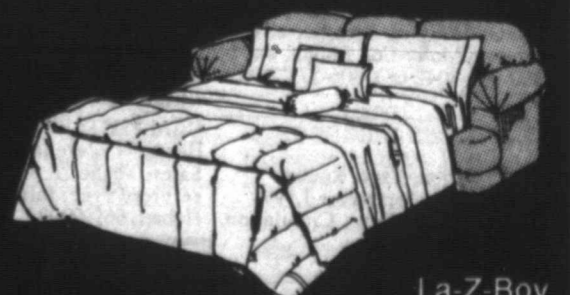


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