

(AP Photo) Pathologists James Humes, left, and J. Thornton Boswell are shown in an April 1992 photograph while being interviewed for the Journal of the American Medical Association article about President John F. Kennedy's assassination.

Pathologists end 28-year silence

NEW YORK (AP) — The pathologists who performed the autopsy on President Kennedy have broken a 28-year silence to say they have no doubt that he was shot from above and behind, as the Warren Commission concluded.

One of the doctors described as "hogwash" conspiracy theories that have gained new life from Oliver Stone's movie "JFK" and from a book by a doctor who was in the emergency room the day Kennedy died in Dallas.

Central to most of the theories is the contention that Kennedy was shot from the front — theorists cite among other things that his head jerked back when the bullet hit — and that the government attempted a cover-up by moving the autopsy from Dallas to Bethesda Naval Hospital in Maryland.

But pathologists James Joseph Humes and J. Thornton Boswell told the Journal of the American Medical Association in its May 27 issue that there was no room for debate about the path of the fatal bullet. They said bullets always leave a small hole where they enter and a crater where they exit.

"We proved at the autopsy table that President Kennedy was struck from above and behind by the fatal shot," Humes said. "The pattern of the entrance and exit wounds in the skull proves it. This is a law of physics and it is foolproof."

"The conspiracy buffs have totally ignored this central scientific fact and everything else is hogwash," Humes said. "There was no interference with our autopsy and there was no conspiracy to suppress the findings."

The pathologists said the first bullet entered the back of Kennedy's neck and left through the front of the throat. The second, fatal shot entered the back of this head and exploded the right side of the skull.

Their statements support the findings of the Warren Commission, which concluded that Lee Harvey Oswald, firing on the passing motorcade from the sixth floor of the Texas School Book Depository, was the sole gunman.

In an accompanying article in the journal, four key doctors who treated Kennedy at Dallas' Parkland Memorial Hospital on Nov. 22, 1963, disputed a book published last month, "JFK: Conspiracy of Silence," by Dr. Charles Crenshaw.

The pathologists and the other doctors have not publicly discussed the assassination since the Warren Commission's report in 1964.

Crenshaw, then a medical resident, claims Kennedy was shot from the front and that the wounds were altered. He wrote that he saw a small round wound in Kennedy's neck in Dallas but that in an autopsy photo the wound was much larger.

The pathologists said the larger wound was the result of a tracheostomy — an attempt to open an airway — performed by surgeons in Dallas.

The journal said no autopsy was done in Texas because security officials wanted to get Lyndon Johnson back to the safety of Washington and Johnson refused to leave without Kennedy's widow, who in turn refused to leave her husband's body behind.

Humes also answered another persistent question: What happened to his original autopsy notes? He told the journal he burned them because they were stained with the president's blood and he didn't want them to become a macabre collector's item.

He said he burned the originals only "after I had copied verbatim in my own handwriting the entire contents."

As for Crenshaw, the four other doctors told JAMA they could not recall him being in the emergency room, and if he was, he did not assist in treatment.

"Nothing we observed contradicts the autopsy finding that the bullets were fired from above and behind by a high-velocity rifle," said one of the doctors, James Carrico.

At a news conference Tuesday, JAMA editor George Lundberg said the journal has "a very good chance, perhaps the best chance, of setting to rest the talk of conspiracy around the autopsy."

Kennedy's brother, Sen. Edward Kennedy, D-Mass, said in a statement: "I welcome these authoritative medical opinions, and I hope they will help to end the irresponsible speculation that has been taking place and that is so distressing to our family."

The report did nothing to sway others.

Jim Marrs, a Dallas researcher whose theories are part of Stone's movie, said, "The problem is, it's a lie because the bullet did not go in his neck, it went in the middle of his back."

House Republicans wrestling with fetal tissue research issue

By RICHARD L. VERNACI
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — House Republicans are finding themselves torn between the possibility of a medical research milestone and their loyalty to the anti-abortion cause, their party and their president.

At issue is legislation to authorize federal sponsorship of research on fetal tissue transplantation, said to hold promise for victims of Alzheimer's, Parkinson's, diabetes and other diseases.

President Bush argues that such research should be limited only to fetuses that are involuntarily aborted, on grounds that women might otherwise be encouraged to have abortions simply to produce fetuses for tissue transplants.

"It is a tough fight," said Rep. Vin Weber, R-Minn., a member of the House GOP leadership that will be asked to lead the battle to sustain the veto expected from Bush.

Weber and fellow Republican Fred Upton of Michigan agree it will be close, but they're on opposite sides.

"A number of members are switching their position to support the bill, and I expect it to be very, very close," said Upton, who favors lifting the ban.

But Rep. Chris Smith, R-N.J., another ban supporter, says the votes are switching the other way. "We're finding that the learning curve is with us," said Smith.

A conference committee has worked out differences between House and Senate bills that would lift the administration's ban on

spending money for research on transplantation of fetal tissue. The bill, which authorizes money for the National Institutes of Health, could come to the House floor this week.

The question is not on passage, but on whether there will be enough votes to override the veto that Bush's advisers say they will urge him to use.

For his part, Bush weighed in on the issue Tuesday with an executive order to set up a fetal tissue bank to aid research — but on condition that the tissue is not derived from elective abortions.

Critics said the \$3 million program would do nothing to aid in research because the restrictions will make it all but impossible to get usable tissue.

"It's a smoke screen," said Richard Fuller, a spokesman for the American Federation for Clinical Research.

But Dr. James Mason, head of the U.S. Public Health Service, said the president's order was consistent with Bush's position as "pro-research" and "pro-life."

Mason told reporters at the White House that usable tissue from as many as 1,500 fetuses a year can be obtained even under the president's restrictions and said he hoped that advances in science would one day make the process obsolete.

The government has banned use of public money to pay for research on tissue transplantation from aborted fetuses, even though the procedure is believed to hold promise for treating victims of Alzheimer's dis-

ease, Parkinson's disease, spinal cord injury and diabetes.

Such transplants involve putting fetal cells in recipients' bodies to help disabled organs begin functioning.

Mason said the administration is opposed to use of tissue from deliberately aborted fetuses because it is concerned that that could cause an increase in the number of abortions.

Asked for evidence to support that stance, he said, "There's no data one way or the other."

The Senate last month passed the bill 87-10, well in excess of the two-thirds majority that would be needed to override a presidential veto, and with such conservatives as Sen. Strom Thurmond, R-S.C., voting in favor. In a short speech on the Senate floor, Thurmond said he was voting for the bill because his daughter, Julie, has diabetes.

House approval of a similar bill last July was by less than two-thirds — 274-144. There, too, there was talk of the sufferings of their friends or relatives.

For Upton, it was his grandfather, who died from Alzheimer's disease.

"He deserved better," said Upton. "And so do the millions of others who suffer from debilitating diseases."

Goya painting goes unsold despite bid

MADRID, Spain (AP) — The most important Goya work to reach the market in 20 years has failed to find a buyer at auction — despite a bid of \$2.1 million.

The price offered Tuesday for "The Embroiderer — Juan Lopez de Robredo" was below the lowest acceptable price agreed to before the auction by the seller, said Sue Bond, a spokeswoman for the Madrid auction house Edmund Peel.

The work, from an unnamed private collection, is a full-length portrait of Juan Lopez de Robredo, embroiderer to King Carlos IV.

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Food

It's the real McCoy - for beef lovers, that is

A food lover's "Real McCoy" - beef and potatoes - won the 1992 Texas Beef Cook-Off April 24 at Wichita Falls. The award-winning recipe was entered by Merline McCoy, a housewife from Village Mills, Texas. The championship recipe featured marinated, broiled top sirloin surrounded by new potatoes.

The contest's panel of five judges rated "The Real McCoy Steak" tops among 15 finalists. They praised the recipe as a return to the comfort foods of days-gone-by with the nutrition, convenience and flavor for the 1990s.

The recipe takes five minutes to prepare, two hours to marinate and 25 minutes to broil to medium-rare doneness. Its nutritional analysis shows it has 192 calories, 7.3 grams of fat, and 77 milligrams of cholesterol per serving.

The recipe's unique flavor comes from the natural taste of beef and a marinade based on garlic, pepper, salt, soy sauce, instant coffee, Worcestershire sauce, blue cheese and cooking oil. The retired Dupont employee said the blue cheese almost universally pleases human palates. She added it to the recipe because during her career she noticed professional people overwhelmingly selected blue cheese dressings for their salads.

McCoy's recipe was one of more than 500 entered in this year's Texas Beef Cook-Off. Besides the overall championship, she also won the "Budget (less than \$2 per serving) Beef Meals" and "Best under 300 Calories per Serving Beef Recipe" categories. Her total winnings amounted to \$5,000.

Her championship also won her the right to represent Texas at the

1992 National Beef Cook-Off Sept. 17-19 at Sacramento, Calif.

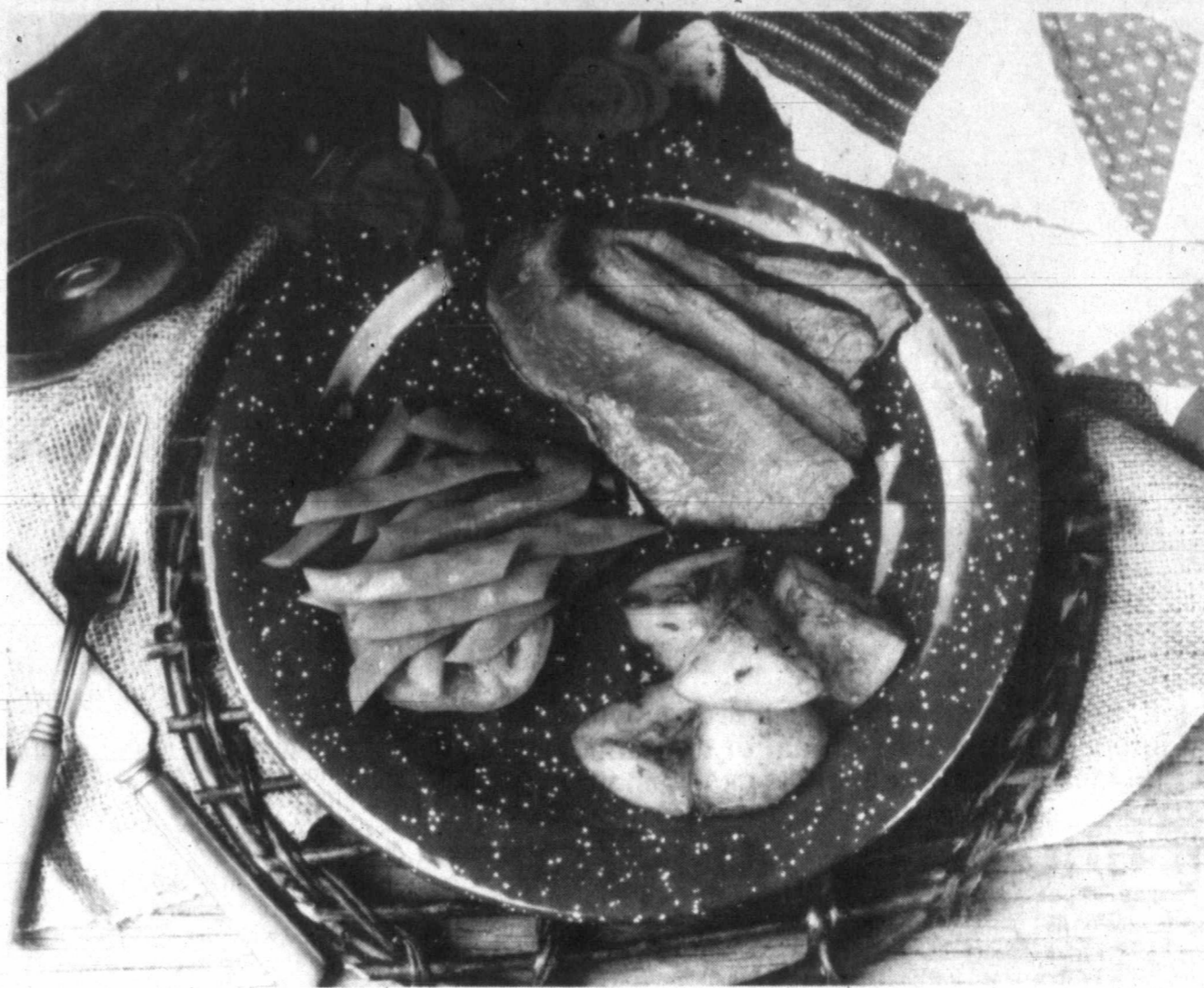
Dr. Loanne Chiu of Fort Worth won second place in this year's Texas Beef Cook-Off with her "Waikiki Ribs in Fruit Orchard." Her recipe uses lean beef chuck ribs, a low cost cut, that is marinated for flavor and tenderness.

The Texas Beef Cook-Off is sponsored by Texas Cattle Women with support from the Texas Beef Industry Council.

The Real McCoy Steak

- 2 pounds top sirloin, cut approximately 2 inches thick
- 2 tablespoons blue cheese
- 1 large clove garlic, chopped fine
- 1 teaspoon coarse black pepper
- 1 tablespoon soy sauce
- 1 heaping tablespoon powdered instant coffee
- 1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1/4 cup cooking oil, plus oil for brushing on potatoes
- vegetable cooking spray
- red potatoes, cut into 1-1 1/2 inch wedges
- onion flakes, salt & pepper (or your favorite seasonings to taste)
- parsley

To prepare marinade, mix cheese, garlic, pepper, salt, soy sauce, coffee, Worcestershire and oil in food processor or blender. Pour marinade over steak and rub into the surface; refrigerate excess for basting. Marinate steak several hours or overnight in the refrigerator. Prepare potatoes by brushing with oil and seasonings. Spray rack of broiler pan with vegetable cooking spray. Place steak and potatoes on the rack and broil 6



"The Real McCoy Steak" won the 1992 Texas Beef Cook-Off April 24 at Wichita Falls for Merline McCoy of Village Mills. Her championship recipe is a return to comfort food with nutrition, convenience and flavor for the 1990s.

inches from heat. Cook for 30 minutes until steaks are medium-rare (150 degrees F) and potatoes are tender, turning once. Carve steak across grain into thin slices. Serve with red potatoes. Garnish

with parsley. To complete the meal, add green beans and sliced tomatoes. Serves 8.

Waikiki Ribs in Fruit Orchard

4 pounds lean beef chuck short

ribs, cut into 4 inch long pieces
Marinade*
1 package (16-ounces) fresh ripe pineapple
2 medium oranges, unpeeled, cut crosswise

1 pint ripe strawberries, hulled
3 kiwis, peeled, cut crosswise
Fruit Dressing**
1 Bunch curly green leaf lettuce
Prepare Marinade*. Trim fat and lightly score meat. Put beef ribs and remaining marinade in a 9 x 14 inch baking pan. cover tightly with foil. Marinate in refrigerator 6 hours or overnight, if desired, turning occasionally. Move ribs to the oven and bake at 400 degrees F for 30 minutes. Turn beef, cover again and bake another 30 minutes. Uncover and bake 15-30 minutes more. While ribs are cooking, prepare fruit and Fruit Dressing**. To serve, line a 16 inch platter with lettuce leaves. Place beef in center. Arrange fruit around beef. Spoon any remaining dressing over pineapple. Serves 6.

***Marinade**
4 tablespoons concentrated pineapple juice, thawed
6 tablespoons dark soy sauce
4 tablespoons dry sherry
2 teaspoons grated garlic
2 teaspoons grated fresh ginger
1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper
2 tablespoons toasted sesame seeds
1/2 teaspoon baking soda

****Fruit Dressing**
2 tablespoons orange flavored liqueur
4 tablespoons confectioners sugar
1 teaspoon fresh grated ginger-root
1/2 cup water
Simmer liqueur, sugar, ginger-root and water until sugar dissolves and liquid reduces to 1/3 cup. Toss with fruit. Loanne Chiu, Fort Worth.

Chicken and turkey portions now come in smaller cuts

By NANCY BYAL, Food Editor
Better Homes and Gardens Magazine

Today's chicken and turkey lovers have more cooking choices than grandma had with her old stewing hen. More and more timesaving, easy-to-use items come fresh or frozen, often in smaller cuts that cook quickly. Consider these work-saving poultry options when you need dinner on the double.

Cut-up chicken pieces have long been a great work-saver, now they're a great peacemaker too. That's because you can buy pieces packaged by type. So if your family likes white meat, you can opt for a package of chicken breasts. Or if the kids fight over the drumsticks, you can buy a package of those to cook along with a whole cut-up bird. Removing the skin cuts the fat significantly.

Boneless, skinless chicken breasts are ideal for rolling with fillings or for cutting into stir-fry strips. Because the work of boning and skinning has been done for you, this product costs several times more, but the convenience can be worth the extra expense when time is short.

Turkey breast portions come cooked or uncooked, fresh or frozen. You can slice or cube the cooked version for sandwiches, casseroles, or salads. Roast the uncooked portions as you would a whole bird.

Turkey breast steaks and slices are cut crosswise from the breast. They come in 1/2-inch or 1/4- to 3/8-inch thicknesses. You can broil, grill, pan-fry, or cook these versatile cuts in the microwave oven.

Turkey breast tenderloin steaks are sliced lengthwise from the breast and look a little like fish filets. You can often substitute them for boneless, skinless chicken breasts.

Frozen, cubed, cooked chicken steps in when recipes call for left-over chicken. Use it in casseroles, soups, pasta dishes, sauces, or in any recipe calling for cubed cooked chicken or turkey.

Ground turkey or chicken cooks just as quickly as ground beef. It's an alternative for ground meats in pizzas, chili, spaghetti sauce, or just about any of your favorite ground beef recipes. Be sure to drain off the fat after browning the poultry.

Deli poultry products include turkey ham, bologna, pastrami, or smoked or roasted cooked meat. You can cut up and use the smoked or roasted slices in stir-fries, pasta sauces, sandwiches, or wherever you might use cooked chicken. You can also substitute turkey ham, bologna and pastrami in recipes that call for their meat counterparts. Use these meats as an emergency substitution because the price for deli meat will be higher than for regular cooked chicken.

First chocolate chip cookies made by accident

By COUNTRY AMERICA

Ruth Wakefield had the pleasure of being the first person to savor a chocolate chip cookie, and it came about by accident.

In 1930, Ruth and her husband, Kenneth, opened a restaurant near the tollgate for the turnpike between

Boston and New Bedford, Mass. They called it the Tollhouse Inn.

Ruth, a professional dietitian, rarely deviated from a recipe, except for one time in 1933. She was making her favorite Butter Drop Do cookies. The recipe called for chopped nuts. Because she was out of nuts, Ruth chopped up a slab

of chocolate (that's the only way it came in 1933) and added the chips to her batter thinking they would melt as the cookies baked. To her surprise, the chocolate morsels retained their shape, just softening to a creamy consistency. The toll-house cookie was born.

Her cookies became the hit of

Whitman, Mass. — so popular that she contacted the Nestle Foods Corp. and suggested that they manufacture chocolate chips designed for use in her recipe. They accepted and embarked upon an extensive advertising campaign to promote Ruth's recipes, and their chocolate chips.

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Sunscreen protects youthful skin from burns

By Dr. SETH ORLOW
New York University School of Medicine

Summertime: For kids, that means school is out and playtime is in. But with the switch from classroom to playground and beach, comes the danger of too much sun.

This doesn't have to be the case, sunburn is preventable. Besides avoiding the pain of a burn, guarding against sunburn has important long-term benefits for children and their skin.

Although invigorating and enjoyable, sunshine should be taken in moderation. Excessive ultraviolet light inflames, or "burns," the skin.

Along with making skin warm, red and tender, sunburn kills skin cells, which release substances into the bloodstream, causing fever and chills. Extreme burns may cause blistering.

And in the long term, avoiding sunburn and overexposure to the sun decreases the risk of developing skin cancer and reduces skin wear.

There are some important precautions for protecting your child against the sun and ensuring that a week at camp or a family vacation is a healthy time.

For example, sunscreens act as

partial blocks against ultraviolet light. If used properly, they protect against sunburn and skin damage.

Sunscreens are categorized by their sun protection factor (SPF). The higher the SPF number, the greater the protection against the sun. A SPF number indicates the amount of time a person can stay in the sun without getting burned.

For instance, if a child is extremely fair and burns after 10 minutes in the sun, that same sunburn would not occur until 150 minutes in a child wearing a sunscreen 15. In general, children should use sunscreen with an SPF of 29 or above for a day in the sun.

Over time, most kids will tan. However, a tan only increases the time that a child can be in the sun without burning; it is not a total protection against ultraviolet light. Sunscreen should be used all summer long.

Sunscreen should be applied before arriving at the beach or park; pre-application allows the skin to absorb the lotion.

Sunscreen tends to wear off with sweat and water. Reapply, especially at the beach, where water and sand reflect and intensify the sun.

Remember that reapplication does not extend the length of protection.

If the screen is good for four hours of protection, reapplication does not provide another four hours.

The nose and face are the most common places for sunburn so a hat with a brim can help protect these vulnerable spots. At the beach or lake, umbrellas help shade the entire body.

Choosing sun time is another helpful protection. Because the sun is most intense in the late morning and early afternoon, schedule as much beach or picnic time as possible for earlier in the morning or later afternoon.

Parents also should know that skin cancer is a risk for people with excessive, long-term exposure to the sun. The most dangerous kind of skin cancer, melanoma, has increased tenfold in the last 40 years in the United States. Because of the popularity of tanning, melanoma is now seen in people in their 20s and 30s.

Although you do not want to alarm a child and create exaggerated fears, explain that the sun can burn and damage skin. Also, try to make taking precautions against the sun part of the routine of a child's summertime. Applying sunscreen and not staying out too long should, in turn, become lifelong habits.

Plumbing, air conditioning questions answered

By POPULAR MECHANICS
For AP Special Features

Q: We will be installing a new sink in our bathroom that, according to a plumber friend of mine, will need to be vented with a new vent line. We've both sized up the situation and agree that running the new line through the existing walls will be a very difficult job entailing major demolition and reconstruction. Is there any alternative to venting the sink without this major construction project?

A: You may be able to use a ventless, or antisiphoning, valve. This valve opens automatically to admit air, which prevents water from being siphoned from the trap, then closes to block the escape of sewer gas.

The valve installs behind the trap and solvent-welds to 1 1/2-inch diameter plastic pipe. It can be joined to the same diameter metal pipe if its solvent-weld adapter is discarded. Although the valve meets national plumbing code requirements, it may not meet local standards. Check before you install it. The valve sells for about \$5 at hardware stores and home centers.

Q: I've been wondering whether spraying a light mist of water on the cooling fins of my air conditioner would have any beneficial effect on its efficiency. I could use the unit's condensate as a source of water.

A: The principle of cooling the condenser coil is a good one and is being used in many self-contained room air conditioning units to

improve efficiency. The amount of condensate available from the evaporator coil varies with temperature, humidity and house size. There will be times when not enough condensate is available. Therefore, it's difficult to evaluate any savings.

Do not, however, supplement the cooling water with city or well water. There could be chemicals in the potable water that are corrosive and could cause damage to the condenser fins.

To submit a question, write to Popular Mechanics, Reader Service Bureau, 224 West 57th Street, New York, NY 10019. The most interesting questions will be answered in a future column.

Young mother practices pitch for dating game

DEAR ABBY: I am a recently divorced, 27-year-old mother of three children. My son is 5 years old, and I have twin daughters who just turned 3. I need some advice on dating.

I just relocated and am meeting a lot of men for the first time. Should I tell the men right away that I have three children? I am not looking for a husband or a father for my children so soon after my divorce.

An older woman who works with me told me not to mention my three children to any man I date until we have gone out a few times and he shows a special interest in me.

Abby, I believe in being open and honest right from the very beginning. I trust your advice, so please tell me what to do.

RECENT DIVORCEE

DEAR R.D.: I would not, on meeting a gentleman for the first time, say, "How do you do. I am recently divorced and have three children."

But I would tell the gentleman early on — before either of you has invested too much emotionally — that you have three children. To deliberately withhold such important information would be deceitful. If the gentleman, on hearing about your children, finds you less attractive in his scheme of things, he is not for you. You surely wouldn't want



Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

to become seriously involved with a man who would not want your children.

DEAR ABBY: Next week, I will celebrate 25 years as a registered nurse. I have seen it all, and now may I share some pointers for visitors?

(1) Do not bring small children to the hospital to see "Grandpa" or "Grandma." The hospital is teeming with germs that small children have trouble fighting.
(2) Please wash your hands after using the bathroom. It's the best way to stop infection.
(3) Do not smoke around oxygen. (Yes, I have seen visitors who don't know better.)

(4) All electric fans, radios and CD players brought from home must be checked by the engineering department. Many fires have been started by a faulty electrical appliance.

(5) Please don't eat the patient's meals. We want to see how much the patient has eaten when the patient's tray is returned to the kitchen.

(6) Leave the pets at home. (Last Christmas, a mother brought a hamster in her purse for her little boy. It got loose, and created a big fuss until it was finally found and captured.)

Abby, if you use this in your column, sign it ...

FLO NIGHTINGALE,
FORT MYERS, FLA.

DEAR ABBY: I recently remarried. My new husband was also previously married. How should I introduce my first husband's relatives who are my former in-laws? I am very friendly with my ex-husband's nieces and nephews, too.

SECOND-TIME-AROUNDER

DEAR SECOND: There is no reason to call attention to the fact that you were formerly related by marriage. Just introduce your ex-in-laws — nieces and nephews — as "dear" or "old friends," and save the explanatory details for subsequent meetings.

Mystery bug necessary for orchid's survival

By 3-2-1 CONTACT Magazine

Have you ever seen a giant moth with a 6-inch wingspan and a 15-inch tongue? It seems that nobody has. But bug specialist Dr. Gene Kritsky is convinced a long-tongued moth is out there.

Pollination is when insects take the pollen from one plant's flower and place it into another. This fertilizes the other plant's flower.

Scientists have found a rare orchid in Madagascar, an island off the African coast. In order for the flower to survive, it needs a bug with a long tongue to help pollinate it.

The orchid has a 16-inch-deep nectar tube. But the nectar only fills up an inch on the bottom. So, Kritsky argues, there must be an insect that can uncoil its tongue — at least 15 inches — to slurp up the

nectar.

Kritsky thinks this insect must be a member of the sphinx moth family. Especially because a sphinx moth with an 11-inch-long tongue was found in Madagascar in 1903. This moth pollinates an orchid that has a foot-long nectar tube.

So just think. If a moth with an even longer tongue is found, tongues will really start wagging!

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- Car parts
- Raced
- Singer — Pinza
- Donkey
- Jinx (sl.)
- Enthusiastic review
- of

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- bricks
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- Challenge
- Salacious
- Dancer Verdon
- Cereal grass
- North Carolina college
- Phone part
- Twofold
- Grafted, in heraldry
- Sound of surf
- Soviet refusal
- Group of two
- Honey wine
- Pushes gently
- Invalidated
- Tapering object
- Larva
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WALNUT COVE

By Mark Cullum

I'm afraid this parabe disposal is beyond repair.

The blades are all beaten up...

And it looks like the motor is burned out, too.

If you had finished your dinner, this wouldn't be a problem.

If you'd stop trying to make soufflés, this wouldn't be a problem.

ARLO & JANIS

By Jimmy Johnson

TEE HEE KISSY KISSY GIGGLE

HEE GRRR RUFF!

SHHH GENE

REMEMBER WHEN ALL WE WORRIED ABOUT WAS WAKING THE NEIGHBORS?

ECK & MEEK

By Howie Schneider

ALL THESE POLITICIANS, BANKERS AND BUSINESS PEOPLE BEING FOUND GUILTY OF ALL KINDS OF UNLAWFUL ACTIVITIES...

IT JUST GOES TO PROVE THAT OLD AXIOM...

'WROUNGDOING' DOESNT PAY

B.C.

By Johnny Hart

GOD BLESS OUR HOME

CAVES SNEEZE!

MARVIN

By Tom Armstrong

GANGWAY!

I WONDER IF THERE'S A FOREIGN LEGION FOR DOGS THAT I COULD RUN OFF AND JOIN...?

MARMADUKE

By Brad Anderson

"Cut the comedy act."

KIT N' CARLYLE

By Larry Wright

CATS ARE FINICKY, BUT PLEBEIAN

NEEDS MORE CATSUP.

ALLEY OOP

By Dave Graue

T...THIS ISN'T THE LAB, ALLEY!

YEAH, AN' IT ISN'T MOO EITHER!

WINTHROP

By Dick Cavalli

THE GOOD THING ABOUT BEING A DOG IS...

DOGS AREN'T EXPECTED TO CLIMB TREES AND SHAKE DOWN COCONUTS.

IN MY BUSINESS, YOU HAVE TO BE THANKFUL FOR SMALL BLESSINGS.

SNAFU

By Bruce Beattie

"First one to overcome fear of heights gets free sky-diving lessons!"

THE FAMILY CIRCUS

By Bill Keane

"Wave, PJ! You're on camera!"

CALVIN AND HOBBS

By Bill Watterson

THIS IS THE WORST ASSIGNMENT EVER! I'M SUPPOSED TO THINK UP A STORY, WRITE IT, AND ILLUSTRATE IT BY TOMORROW!

DO I LOOK LIKE A NOVELIST? THIS IS IMPOSSIBLE! I CAN'T TELL STORIES!

WHAT ABOUT YOUR EXPLANATION OF THE NOODLE INCIDENT?

THAT WASN'T A STORY! THAT WAS THE UNVARISHED TRUTH!

OH, DON'T BE SO MODEST. YOU DESERVED A PULITZER.

THE BORN LOSER

By Art and Chip Sansom

YO, GLADYS! SHARE YOUR SUNDAE WITH ME?

IS THAT ANY WAY TO ASK, YOUNG LADY? HOW ABOUT SAYING THE MAGIC WORDS?

UH...LET'S SEE...YOU'RE BEAUTIFUL, INTELLIGENT AND DON'T LOOK A DAY OVER 30...

FRANK AND ERNEST

By Bob Thaves

NEWS

IT'S ROSS PEROT.

TEXAS BILLIONAIRE CAMPAIGNS

JUST WHAT WE NEED... SOMEONE WHO CAN COSIGN FOR THE NATIONAL DEBT!

PEANUTS

By Charles M. Schulz

ANYBODY HOME?

NO, I REALIZE YOU'RE NOT JUST ANYBODY...

GARFIELD

By Jim Davis

ON LONG ROAD TRIPS SOME PEOPLE LIKE TO READ. SOME PEOPLE LIKE TO SING...

BUMP BUMP BUMP

I LIKE TO LOOSEN LUG NUTS

Clinton, Bush snag primaries; Perot gets write-in boost

By WALTER R. MEARS
AP Special Correspondent

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — Independent Ross Perot has barged in on the presidential primaries, gaining write-in support among both Democrats and Republicans as Bill Clinton and President Bush both won easily in Oregon and Washington.

The size of Perot's write-in vote wasn't clear, but the message was: The third man in the race is likely to be a problem for both major-party candidates.

And with eight primaries to go, including the grand finale in California and five other states on June 2, the write-in idea could spread

into a new sort of protest vote. The primaries next Tuesday are in Kentucky and in Clinton's Arkansas home. Idaho holds a Republican primary and a Democratic preference vote that does not allocate delegates.

In Oregon, with half the precincts reporting early today, Clinton had 51 percent of the vote to 33 percent for Jerry Brown, his only campaigning rival.

In Washington, with nearly all precincts reporting, Clinton had 51 percent to Brown's 29 percent. But that primary was just for show; it did not bind the 71 Washington delegates who are being apportioned in caucuses and conventions.

Clinton was winning 30 delegates in Oregon. That pushed his count to 1,856.5 of the 2,145 he needs for nomination, with nobody close and the majority within reach.

Brown was winning 17 delegates, but he's too far behind to have a chance anymore. His count puts him fourth, behind uncommitted Democrats and those favoring dropout Paul Tsongas, who ran third in the Tuesday primaries.

In the Republican primaries, Bush was rolling up 76 percent of the Oregon vote, with nearly half the precincts reporting. Conservative Patrick Buchanan had 21 percent. Washington Republicans voted 83 percent for Bush; 13 percent Buchanan, with nearly all the precincts counted.

Bush was adding at least 53 delegates to the majority he's already won; his new count would be 1,350.

Buchanan was winning five delegates to go with the 69 he'd won earlier.

Were the write-in votes tabulated, those percentages could change.

Oregon does not require that write-in votes be tabulated in primaries except in special circumstances, and in Washington, they don't have to be tallied for a week. So there was no count of Perot's share today.

But a survey of voters leaving polling places put the Perot vote at roughly 11 percent in each party primary in Oregon, CNN reported.

In sparsely populated San Juan County, Wash., Perot led both party's primaries on the strength of his write-in votes.

The primary returns that counted were for Bush, already guaranteed renomination, and Clinton, all but assured of the nomination to challenge him on Nov. 3. Perot is poised to declare his candidacy as an independent to tackle them both.

With Bush and Clinton in full command, the primaries had fallen into a weekly pattern, and their

easy victories were foregone conclusions. The Perot write-in was not. There had been no campaign for it in Oregon, and only talk of it in Washington.

Ted Thomas, Perot's Oregon coordinator, said he had told supporters not to bother with protest votes in the primary, but to concentrate on the drive for petitions to put his name on the general election ballot.

"I guess they didn't listen to us," Thomas said, chuckling. "What can you do. People just want to vote for this guy."

Along with the write-in report, the CNN exit poll showed substantial support for Perot in the general election from Oregon voters in both major parties. More Democratic primary voters said they'd support him than Clinton, 45 percent to 41 percent. Among Republican primary voters, 49 percent said they favor Bush for re-election, but 40 percent said they preferred Perot.

In Austin, Texas, Clinton said he

understood the phenomenon. He said people "don't believe anybody associated with a political party can make a difference."

But Clinton also said Perot is still in the honeymoon phase with the voters. "They haven't heard anything negative about him," he said.

Vice President Dan Quayle made much the same point as he campaigned in California on Monday. Quayle said he assumes that when Perot announces his candidacy, "my friends in the media will give him the same treatment that they gave to me in 1988, and we'll see how he likes that."

In Oregon, four-term Republican Sen. Bob Packwood was renominated over token opposition.

Harry Lonsdale, a businessman from Bend, was in a close contest with Democratic Rep. Les AuCoin, plagued by 83 overdrafts on the old House bank, for the Democratic nomination to oppose him.

Edwards: Complaints study suggests pattern in police brutality cases

WASHINGTON (AP) — The head of the House civil rights subcommittee says a Justice Department study of police brutality shows the need for legislation empowering federal authorities to sue local departments to stop widespread abuse.

Rep. Don Edwards, D-Calif., said the study undertaken after Rodney King's videotaped beating by Los Angeles police officers suggests that some departments have policies that lead to brutal treatment of suspects.

"The report suggests there are patterns of police misconduct," Edwards said in a statement disputing the Justice Department's contention that no conclusions could be drawn from the data. He made the study public Tuesday.

"The report supports our conclusion that in some departments and sheriff's offices there appear to be repeated abuses which could be addressed" by court injunctions, said Edwards, who backs legislation authorizing the department to seek such relief.

The study showed that New Orleans police led the nation with an average of 35 complaints a year during the 1984-90 period. There was an average of one complaint for every 38 officers each year or one for every 305 arrests.

The Los Angeles Police Department, now the focus of a federal civil rights investigation into the March 1991 King beating, ranked 11th with an average of 14 complaints a year, or one for every 15,393 arrests.

The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office ranked second with an average of 34 complaints a year, or one complaint for every 519 arrests, according to data compiled from files of the Justice Department's civil rights division.

The Jefferson Parish, La., sheriff's office, which serves suburban New Orleans, ranked third with an average of 23 complaints — one for every 782 arrests.

San Antonio police averaged 21 complaints a year to rank fourth in the study. There was a brutality complaint for every 2,126 arrests made by officers in the Texas city.

The report involves only complaints filed with the Justice Department and not those lodged with local authorities. Crime legislation currently stalled in the Senate would require the department to collect figures on police brutality.

The Bush administration opposes the measure, which also empowers Justice to sue state and local police agencies if it finds "a pattern and practice" of police abuse.

The department is investigating whether four police officers who were acquitted of state charges in the King beating — or any of the other 15 officers who witnessed the incident — can be charged with federal civil rights violations.

The Justice report showed a wide range in the rate of complaints.

The Prince George's County, Md., police had one complaint for every 31 officers in an average year. By contrast, there was one complaint for every 1,898 police officers in New York City in an average year.

New York City police had one brutality complaint for every 53,407 arrests they made.

"This disparity could indicate that there are a large number of agencies that are operating in an exemplary fashion, or it may be further evidence ... that many citizens fail to report incidents of abuse to federal authorities," the study said.

But Edwards said the study showed that some police agencies with a disproportionate number of complaints "deserve a closer look."

"There may be legitimate explanations for the disparities in some cases, but they seem to be policy-based in others," he said.

The Justice Department study acknowledged that particular policies pursued by local police could lead to more brutality complaints.

The vigorous anti-drug campaign begun by a newly elected sheriff in Shelby County, Tenn., may have contributed to the jump from one complaint in 1985 to 29 in 1990, the study said.

Three deputies were prosecuted for brutality in 1990 and since then the number of complaints about the Memphis-area department have dropped, the study said.

The Shelby County Sheriff's Department ranked 19th overall with an average of nine complaints annually.

Justice Department officials refused to release the report, which Edwards distributed Tuesday after it was obtained by his House Judiciary civil rights subcommittee.

The rankings were based on a review of 15,000 complaints received by the Justice Department during the 1984-90 period. The study, focusing on 187 agencies that accounted for 49 percent of the complaints, was ordered last year by then-Attorney General Dick Thornburgh after the King beating.

The complaints covered about fewer than 4,400 of the nation's 16,000 state and local police, sheriff's and corrections departments.

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