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## City Commission OKs bond refunds in cost-saving plan

By BETH MILLER  
Senior Staff Writer

Pampa City Commission took advantage of low-interest rates Tuesday to refund the city's callable general obligation bonds and revenue bonds, which will result in a cumulative savings of about \$250,000, said Ken Smith, financial advisor with Southwest Securities Inc.

The City Commission adopted two emergency ordinances and two resolutions related to the bonds during a regular meeting.

Smith pointed out that the refunding does not extend the debt payment.

"Anytime we get a savings of over three percent, we consider that exceptional," Smith told the City Commission in a work session prior to Tuesday's regular meeting.

Smith said the savings percentage of prior debt on the general obligation bonds will be 3.3898 percent and on the water and sewer revenue bonds will be 3.0253 percent.

The average annual savings to the city under the action taken Tuesday will be \$14,714, Smith said.

City Manager Glen Hackler said, "It's still found money. It's a sav-

ings, although it's not an inordinate amount."

Smith also said the city's bond ratings had been increased to "A" by two rating agencies. He said the comments from the rating agencies were that the city operations showed stability with a low-level of debt.

In unrelated business, the City Commission unanimously approved a resolution which states that the lessee of the Heritage Room at the M.K. Brown Auditorium will be charged a \$50 insurance fee instead of having to provide their own insurance policy unless an event will include serving alcohol or involve any activity which creates an increased risk.

Where additional insurance is required, the resolution states, the policy of public liability and property damage insurance will not be less than \$100,000 per injury, \$300,000 per accident and \$1 million for property damage.

The \$50 fee will not be required of lessees who obtain separate insurance policies within the prescribed limits.

Hackler said the \$50 insurance fee for the lessees will result in a savings

of about \$300 per event for the lessee. He said currently lessees are paying an estimated \$350 in insurance premiums for a non-alcohol event.

"The costs of obtaining insurance is often burdensome for individuals or organizations leasing the facilities," Hackler said. "This should make it more affordable."

In other business, the City Commission:

- unanimously approved the adoption of a resolution authorizing the submission of the Municipal Water Pollution Prevention Environmental Audit Report.

- unanimously approved the Pampa Economic Development Corp. Inc. operating budget of \$158,400 for the 1992-93 fiscal year beginning Oct. 1. The sales tax is estimated to bring in \$656,000 during the fiscal year.

- unanimously approved the 1992 tax roll which shows a total tax levy of \$2,160,111.84 from the tax roll.

- unanimously approved the list of disbursements, totaling \$700,841.97, dated Aug. 31.

- went into a 20-minute executive session to discuss "contemplated litigation" by the city. No action was

taken following the executive session.

- unanimously approved minutes of prior meetings.

- received appreciation from Pampa resident W.A. Morgan for the city's part of the work on construction of a drive-up letter drop at the Pampa post office.

- In a work session prior to the regular meeting, the City Commission discussed a proposal to contract with Municipal Service Bureau for pursuing the city's outstanding warrants from Municipal Court.

- There would be no up-front expense to the city because the service is offered on a contingency fee basis with a proposed 40 percent fee of the amount collected on old warrants. New warrants are pursued on a 30 percent contingency fee basis.

- An estimated \$200,000 is currently owed on more than 1,000 outstanding warrants, city officials said.

- For two years, 1987-1989, the city had a warrant officer, but that position was discontinued and the serving of the municipal warrants was returned to the police department.

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### Under construction



(Staff photo by Daniel Wieggers)

Dave Wilhelm, with Malcolm Hinkle Inc., packs dirt around the new loading dock Tuesday at a new office building construction site near Coronado Hospital. Construction crews are working on phase II which involves preparing ground for the building construction.

## Hale resigns from prison board

By PEGGY FIKAC  
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Ann Richards will move as fast as possible to replace state prison board chairman Selden Hale, who resigned after Richards' office looked into his investigation of a fellow board member, a spokesman says.

A successor will be named "as quickly as she can find someone to take his place," Cryer said.

Hale resigned Tuesday, following a 10-day inquiry by Richards' office into the way he conducted an investigation of board member Joshua Allen of Beaumont, Cryer said.

Allen was investigated 14 months ago, at Hale's behest, by the Department of Criminal Justice's internal affairs unit concerning conflict-of-interest allegations that "proved to be groundless," Cryer said.

Hale also said of the allegations, "It turned out there wasn't anything to it." But Hale said the investigation was within his authority and that he believed at the time that it "was the right thing to do."

"If I hadn't done it, people would



Selden Hale

have said I was trying to cover it up," he said.

Cryer said Allen brought the matter to the attention of the governor's office after learning just two weeks ago of last year's investigation. The governor's office looked into the issue as soon as it was notified by Allen, Cryer said.

"The board needs the consensus and cohesiveness of all those members working together, especially the chairman ... This investigation (of another Board of Criminal Justice member) we felt had compromised that ability of his to bring the board together," Cryer said.

Allen had left his Beaumont business when The Associated Press called after 6 p.m. Tuesday, said a woman who answered the telephone. He did not immediately return a message. Another listing for Allen is nonpublished, according to directory assistance.

Cryer said he knew of no laws broken by Hale or Allen.

Hale would not name the board member he had investigated, but said he had recently told him that he was sorry for the incident. Hale also said there are other divisions on the board, including over the wisdom of constructing private prisons.

"After the inquiry (by the governor's office) I just looked around and said if y'all are questioning what I did, maybe it would be better if I just left," Hale said.

In his resignation letter to

Richards, Hale cited advances he's seen in criminal justice, including an agreement to settle the long-running Ruiz federal lawsuit over prison conditions, promotion of women and minorities with in the department, and the undertaking of "the largest drug treatment program in America."

"After achieving these milestones, I ask your leave to resign ...," Hale said in the letter.

Richards in a statement said she accepted Hale's resignation "with regret."

"I thank him for his hard work on the people's behalf," she said. "Now the board must reach the consensus that it needs for the difficult work in the coming years."

Hale said in an interview that when he was appointed by Richards in February 1991, he told her he didn't think he'd be able to serve out the full term. His term would end in February 1997.

"It's really a killer of a job," Hale said. He said that he has been out of town several days a week during his time on the board and "it's killed my law practice."

## Lefors school board keeps same tax rate

LEFORS — Lefors Independent School District school board on Tuesday rescinded action taken on the tax rate earlier this month to raise the rate by 4 1/2 cents per \$100 valuation.

Superintendent Joe Roper said the board voted unanimously Tuesday, during a special meeting, to keep the tax rate at the current rate of 45.5 cents per \$100 valuation after additional information was received about how much Lefors ISD should get returned from County Education District 14.

Roper said, "We're getting a little

more money from the CED plus we're getting more local tax money than we originally thought we would."

The superintendent said cutbacks the district has taken have also helped to keep the tax rate the same. He said supplies and personnel have been cut.

"We thought we'd bite the bullet. I think we can take care of all of our obligations with this tax rate," he said.

All board members were present with the exception of Russell Bockman. — Beth Miller

## Pampa school trustees recognize outstanding students

By ANGELA LEGGETT  
Staff Writer

Pampa Independent School District Board of Trustees convened in a regular meeting Tuesday night with the board room full of parents, family members and friends.

Following the opening routine, Superintendent Dawson Orr and board members congratulated three Pampa Middle School eighth-graders recognized by the Duke University Talent Identification Program.

Nathan Knight, Bobby Venal and Adam Rainey received certificates for their academic talents.

The academic spotlight also focused on a senior at Pampa High School (PHS), Josh Seaborn, who was recognized as one of 15,000 semifinalists in the 1993 National Merit Scholarship Program.

During the superintendent's report, Lynn Brown, community relations manager for the city of Pampa, presented the program D-FY-IT (Drug Free Youth in Texas) to the board.

It is a voluntary drug testing pro-

gram in which students agree to belong and be tested randomly. Students are rewarded if they are drug free.

Barbara Evans, a PHS counselor, and student representatives attended the meeting in support of the program.

The board went into executive session to discuss special education transportation concerns and appropriate responses.

Following the executive session, the board convened in open session and denied a request by a parent and his attorney.

In other business, members approved a waiver for teachers to use letter grades rather than numerical grades in first- and second-grade science and social studies.

Jane Steele, assistant superintendent for instruction, presented the agenda item stating the following considerations:

- Essential elements for science and social studies for first- and second-graders are non-mastery items designed primarily to increase students' awareness and stimulate their curiosity.

- Teachers have requested that letter grades, S, N or U, be given instead of numerical grades. Integrated curriculum is in the works to include reading, language arts and math that will incorporate the science and social studies objectives through this inter-disciplinary approach.

Instructors for PISD elementary schools signed their names in agreement with the waiver.

Members voted to accept the donation of satellite equipment from Echosphere Corp., in Englewood, Colo., to PISD for a pilot distance learning program. The donation will include satellite dishes, associated equipment, installation and training to operate the equipment.

Echosphere Corp. will donate at no cost two complete satellite sys-

tems, one for C-band and one for Ku-band to four PISD buildings.

PISD will receive complete satellite programming such as Arts & Entertainment Network, CNBC, C-SPAN, The Discovery Channel and others.

The superintendent's report included Orr informing the board his staff was looking into an energy management program.

"We are investigating at this point," Orr said. "We are looking for a way to lower the utility bill and produce a savings for the taxpayers."

Orr discussed a request from St. Vincent's to participate in PISD's fifth-grade instrumental program. The request is under review.

Additional items members approved include:

## Partial report set for release on sex scandal

WASHINGTON (AP) — The first report of the Pentagon's investigation into the Navy's Tailhook sex abuse scandal, set for release Thursday, will detail whether officials attempted to obstruct the inquiry.

The Defense Department's inspector general, Derek Vander Schaaf, has completed one of two reports into the September 1991 incident at a Las Vegas hotel, where more than 26 women say they were sexually assaulted by drunken Navy and Marine Corps aviators.

During several nights of rowdy partying, the women were pushed through a ganlet of male officers, who grabbed at their breasts and crotches. In some cases, the women were disrobed. The incident occurred at a convention of the Tail-

hook Association, a booster group for naval aviation.

Pentagon spokesman Pete Williams said Vander Schaaf will release his first report on Thursday, leaving a second — and potentially more explosive study — for a later date.

The first one, Williams said Tuesday, deals with how the Navy handled the investigation while the second "will get into the specifics of ... what exactly happened."

While the second report is widely expected to provide a more complete picture of the event itself, the first report is expected to have repercussions on Capitol Hill — where some lawmakers have criticized the activities of the Naval Investigative Service as inept.

The Navy's own investigation of the incident — which included interviews with 1,500 people — resulted in only two aviators being identified as primary suspects.

At one point, the Navy's own inspector general issued a report on the incident that accused those involved with a "conspiracy of silence" designed to thwart investigators.

Two weeks ago, The Associated Press reported that top Pentagon officials believe "multiple assault charges" will be filed against Navy and Marine aviators after the second report is released, probably in December.

Williams said the decision to split the reports was made by Vander Schaaf, who holds a position inde-

pendent of the military and the Office of the Secretary of Defense.

He said Vander Schaaf is "just not ready to get into a full discussion of who did what at Tailhook" because his overall investigation isn't complete.

Vander Schaaf's office took over the Tailhook investigation nine months after the event occurred, amid allegations top Navy officials had ignored the allegations of sexual misconduct or had dragged their feet in responding to the incident.

Former Navy Secretary H. Lawrence Garrett III requested the study after it was discovered that an affidavit placing him near the hall where the ganlet was formed had not been included in the Navy's report on the incident.

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# Daily Record

## Services tomorrow

**BULLARD, James Afton** — 2 p.m., Wesley United Methodist Church, Hereford.  
**NAIL, Nick** — 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel.

## Obituaries

**JAMES AFTON BULLARD**  
HEREFORD — James Afton Bullard, 67, relative of a Canadian resident, died Monday, Sept. 21, 1992. Memorial services are set for 2 p.m. Thursday at Wesley United Methodist Church in Hereford with the Rev. Joe Walker, pastor, officiating.  
Mr. Bullard was born on Feb. 1, 1925, in Gail County and moved to Hereford 30 years ago from Lenora. He married Loretta Spears on Aug. 12, 1983, in Hereford. He was a member of Wesley United Methodist Church. He was a rancher and a 32nd-degree Mason. He served in the U.S. Army 82nd Airborne during World War II.  
Survivors include his wife; a son, Tom Bullard of Hobbs, N.M.; a daughter, Janann Linder of Lubbock; two stepsons, Richard Spears of Canadian and Steven Spears of Amarillo; and seven grandchildren.  
The body will not be available for viewing.

**NICK NAIL**  
Nick Nail, 76, died Tuesday, Sept. 22, 1992. Services are set for 2 p.m. Thursday at Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Earl Maddux, pastor of Fellowship Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery.

Mr. Nail was born May 29, 1916, in Erath County. He moved to Pampa in 1955 from Vernon. He married Edna Jones on June 15, 1946, in Tulsa, Okla. He worked for F.W.A. Drilling Co. for 31 years, retiring in 1986. He was a Baptist. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving during World War II.  
Survivors include his wife, Edna, of the home; two daughters, Carolyn McNamara of Alvin and Mary Frances Morrisson of Longview; a son, Donny Nail of Pampa; a stepson, Leslie Roberts of Montpelier, Va.; three brothers, Artie Nail of Odessa, Thurman Nail of Springtown, and Sam Nail of Vernon; eight grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

## Hospital

**CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions**  
Willie Mae Cooper, Skellytown  
Lloyd Lavern Hinkle, Pampa  
Virginia Fay Hubbard, Pampa  
Toni Lynn Hubbs, Borger  
Roberta Gayle Newberry, Childress  
Bessie Addie Nix, Skellytown  
Albert Lawrence Phillips, Pampa  
Jess Enos Subia, Pampa  
Thressia E. Calhoon (extended care), Pampa

**Birth**  
To Ms. Cherie Schwartz of Pampa, a boy.  
**Dismissals**  
Rosalee Atwood, Wheeler  
Thressia E. Calhoon, Pampa  
Penny L. Cole, Pampa  
Ernest C. Mayes, Mineral Wells  
Lloyd Dane Waters, Pampa  
Alta Inez White, Pampa  
Robert W. Fick (extended care), Pampa

**SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions**  
Blanca Galvan, Memphis  
J.L. Palmer, Shamrock  
**Birth**  
To Mr. and Mrs. Homer Galvan of Memphis, a girl.  
**Dismissals**  
No dismissals were reported today.

## Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following incidents during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

**Arrest**  
**TUESDAY, Sept. 22**  
Anthony Paul Gamble, 21, 1201 N. Russell, was arrested on a charge of failure to appear (no fishing license). He was released on bond.

## Calendar of events

**PAMPA BRIDGE CLUB**  
Pampa Bridge Club meets at 10 a.m. Thursday in Room 11 at Clarendon College, Pampa Center. To arrange for a partner, call Marguerite Ward at 669-7543.

**EXPLORER POST**  
Hochstet-Celane Career Awareness Explorer Post #405 will host an open house at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the atrium of the HC administration building on FM 2300.

**IMMUNIZATION CLINIC**  
The Texas Department of Health Immunization Clinic will be offering vaccines that give protection against polio, diphtheria, tetanus (lock jaw), pertussis (whooping cough), measles, rubella and mumps. The clinic is located in the Texas Department of Health office, 408 W. Kingsmill, Suite 100, and will be open 9-11:30 a.m. and 1-7 p.m. Thursday. The fee is based on family income and size, and the ability to pay.

**SKELLY-GETTY-TEXACO RETIREES**  
Skelly-Getty-Texaco Retirees Club plans to meet at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Pampa Senior Citizens Center.

## Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa					
Wheat	2.88				
Milo	3.59				
Corn	3.83				
The following show the prices for which these securities could have traded at the time of compilation					
Ky. Cent. Life	9	NC	Mapco	58 1/4	up 1/4
Serco	4	NC	Maxus	6 7/8	dn 1/8
Occidental	18 7/8	NC	McDonald's	44 1/4	NC
The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation					
Magellan	65.37		Mobil	66 1/8	up 1/4
Puntan	14.58		New Atmos	22 1/8	NC
The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa					
Amoco	52 7/8	up 1/8	New York Gold	348.30	
Arco	119	NC	Silver	3.79	
Cabot	50	NC	West Texas Crude	21.78	

## Accidents

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

## Police report

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

**TUESDAY, Sept. 22**  
Tennie Tipton, 401 N. Yeager, reported theft.  
Homeland, 2545 Perryton Parkway, reported forgery.  
Tina Lee Farrar, 437 Hill, reported criminal mischief to a 1981 Chevrolet.

**Arrests**  
**TUESDAY, Sept. 22**  
Dennis Craig Miller, 35, 613 Roberta, was arrested at the residence on two warrants. He paid the fines and was released.  
Richard Palmer, 29, 111 N. Sumner, was arrested in the 100 block of North Nelson on a charge of public intoxication and on two warrants.

**TODAY, Sept. 23**  
Thomas Leon Bennett, 20, 1416 E. Browning, was arrested in the 300 block of East Harvester on a warrant.

## Fires

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

**TUESDAY, Sept. 22**  
3:46 p.m. — Three units and five firefighters responded to a gas spill at the intersection of U.S. 60 and Texas 70. According to officials, the gas evaporated before the fire department arrived.  
11:16 p.m. — Two units and three firefighters responded to a medical assist at 412 N. Somerville, Apt. 11.

## Lefors City Council approves overtime

LEFORS — Lefors City Council, during a special meeting Tuesday, approved paying a bill for repairing a dump truck and overtime submitted by two city employees.

The \$975.44 bill from Green's Machine Repair was unanimously approved. The repair was on a county-owned dump truck which the city uses for road materials on city streets.

In unrelated business, the City Council approved the payment of \$385.14 in overtime to Mike Steele and \$231 in overtime to

Carl Connell. Council Member Derl Boyd abstained from the vote.

The City Council also approved full-coverage insurance at \$372 a year for a city-owned 1989 Dodge, being used by the city marshal. The council tabled action, pending information from the city attorney, on a request by City Marshal Max Kellison to pay for insurance on his private vehicle.

A \$2,000 transfer from the gas fund to the general fund was unanimously approved as was a grant

application resolution for water system improvements.

The grant application will be put on file by Panhandle Regional Planning Commission because it is not eligible for funding during the next year because 50 percent of the current grant funds for the new water well have not been expended, said City Secretary Phyllis Crutchener.

All City Council members, with the exception of Pat Seely, were present for the meeting.

— Beth Miller

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## City

Also in the work session, the group met with representatives of the Pampa Learning Center regarding a request from the Pampa Independent School District for acquisition of city park land next to the PLC building. The land would be used to house a child day care facility.

The PLC has received a grant to construct or relocate a 28 X 60 building to be used for the day care facility in conjunction with the

PLC program, said Miriam Lynch, teen-age parent coordinator of the PLC.

The main question regarding the land transfer is the legal question of whether a dedicated park area can be apportioned.

City Attorney Don Lane said the Local Government Code has a special provision which states city park land cannot be transferred except on the vote of the people. However, Lane also said there are several Attorney General's opinions which he has ordered which may make exceptions or clarifications of the provision.

Hackler said if the land cannot be transferred by law, there is the possibility of a long-term agreement between the city and school district, but said then the issue of liability would have to be considered.

The city staff is scheduled to pursue getting information from the Attorney General's office and also look at the school district plans for the location of the building after some concerns were expressed by City Commission members that the proposed site might cause problems in the flood zone.

## Crime prevention: everyone's business

Pampa Crime Stoppers 669-2222

## Land run stamp



(AP Photo)

The U.S. Postal Service unveiled this design in Enid, Okla., recently for a stamp commemorating the centennial of the Cherokee Strip land run. The stamp, designed by Harold T. Holden of Kremlin, Okla., features land run contestants on horseback and in a covered wagon racing to stake a claim, and will be issued April 17, 1993, in Enid.

## Vanderpool chosen for statewide educational leadership program

Phil Vanderpool, Pampa Independent School District board member, was selected to participate in the Texas Association of School Boards (TASB) 1992-93 education leadership program.

He is one of 36 school board members selected statewide for the program to be held Friday, Saturday and Sunday in Houston.

"Over the course of the year he will participate in numerous training sessions," said Superintendent Dawson Orr. "The program will be running concurrently with the TASB convention. All of the board members are attending the convention except for Keith Teague, president."

Leadership TASB is a development program designed by school board members for school board members. Participants have the opportunity to become master school board members through the completion of team projects that directly impact school policy and practice in Texas. Master school



Phil Vanderpool

board members then serve as a network of key resources of school boards, community coalitions, and state committees.

The program features key topics, critical leadership experiences, and exposure to key players involved in state and national education.

It is open to all Texas school board members who have fulfilled 30 hours of certified school board member training credit and have demonstrated leadership ability on their board and in their community. Enrollment is limited to two members from each of the 20 Texas education service center regions and 10 at-large representatives.

The class of 1992-93 will complete its first leadership session in late this month at the annual TASB convention, which is held jointly with the Texas Association of School Administrators.

TASB is a voluntary, non-profit association established more than 40 years ago to serve local Texas school districts. The association represents the largest group of publicly elected officials in the state.

## Court rules abortion law unconstitutional

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Louisiana's attorney general said he wants a signal from the U.S. Supreme Court before deciding whether to challenge a federal appeals court ruling against a state law that would virtually ban abortion.

A three-judge panel of the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals on Tuesday upheld a ruling striking down the law, under which offending doctors could be sent to prison. The 1991 law was blocked before it ever went into effect.

Also Tuesday, Alaska's health commissioner signed regulations restricting funding for abortions; Rhode Island's governor told officials to ignore a rule barring federally funded family-planning clinics from mentioning abortion; and Arizona's Supreme Court put an anti-

abortion initiative back on the ballot.

Louisiana Attorney General Richard Ieyoub said the Supreme Court is expected to rule soon on the U.S. territory of Guam's abortion law, which is similar to Louisiana's.

"If they deny Guam's request, they would be sending a clear message that they will not view favorably statutes that are prohibitory," he said. "It could sound the death knell for prohibitory abortion statutes."

Louisiana's law would ban all abortions except to save the mother's life and in certain cases of rape or incest. Doctors who perform illegal abortions could get up to 10 years in prison and a \$100,000 fine.

U.S. District Judge Adrian Duplantier struck down the law shortly after it was passed over the

veto of then-Gov. Buddy Roemer. Duplantier said it conflicted with Roe vs. Wade, the 1973 ruling establishing the right to abortion.

Since then, the Supreme Court, in a Pennsylvania case, upheld some restrictions on abortions but left Roe vs. Wade largely intact.

In Alaska, Planned Parenthood and the Alaska Civil Liberties Union said they will challenge regulations issued by Health Commissioner Ted Mala that would severely restrict state funding of abortions for the poor.

Gov. Walter J. Hickel proposed the rules, which would end funding of most Medicaid-paid elective abortions. The state would still pay for abortions in cases of rape or incest or to maintain the mother's physical or mental health.

## City briefs

**ALLSTATE INSURANCE Co.** Clois Robinson, 665-4410. Adv.

**GOLF SALE, David's Golf Shop** at Hidden Hills. All merchandise on sale, gloves, balls, shirts, clubs, rain suits, etc. Now thru October Adv.

**MEDICARE SUPPLEMENTS** - Local Agent, Lowest Premiums - M. David Webster, 669-2233. Adv.

**INTERIOR, EXTERIOR Car Cleaning.** Monday thru Thursday, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Come by 1333 Garland. Adv.

**MOOSE LODGE:** Calf Fries, Thursday, September 24. Members and guests. Adv.

**JO AND Helen** will have their jewelry at Merle Norman, 2218 N. Hobart, all day Thursday. Come see what's new! Adv.

**MEALS on WHEELS** 669-1007, P.O. Box 939. Adv.

**FURNITURE DOCTOR** now open! Refinishing, stripping, repair, 669-3643. Adv.

**THE COUNTRY Loft:** Thursday Special: Business Lunch. Chicken Fried Steak, mash potatoes, gravy, hot roll, salad, dessert and tea, all for \$5.50. 201 N. Cuyler, 665-2129. Adv.

**THE COTTAGE** Collection is open, 2121 N. Hobart. Antiques, crafts, gifts. Booths available. Adv.

**FREE DELIVERY** after 4 p.m. \$5 minimum. Hamburger Station, 665-9131. Adv.

**LAWN MOWER CHAINSAW** Repair - all makes. Pick up, delivery. Radcliff Lawnmower Chainsaw Sales & Service, 519 S. Cuyler, 669-3395. Adv.

**JOE'S BOOT Shop,** 859 W. Foster 9 a.m.-7 p.m. Adv.

**PANTS: CLEANED,** pressed. \$2.50 each through October 1. Vogue Cleaners. Adv.

**PAMPA MIDDLE School Open House:** All parents invited to attend. Thursday, October 1, 6:30 p.m. Adv.

**ROLANDA'S JUST** received incense. 119 W. Kingsmill. Adv.

**PART TIME** help needed. Apply Circulation Department Pampa News. No phone calls. Adv.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** Ted G. You're a fantastic person!! Adv.

**DANCE TO Jack Daniel,** Saturday 26. Members and guest welcome. Moose Lodge. Adv.

**THOSE GOOD** tasting vine ripe tomatoes, blackeye peas shelled or unshelled, okra, cucumbers, 1015Y sweet onions, red and yellow meat melons. Epperson's, 2 miles east Hwy. 60. Adv.

## Weather focus

**LOCAL FORECAST**  
Tonight, clear with a low in the lower 50s. Thursday, sunny with a high in the lower 80s and south-easterly winds 10-15 mph. Tuesday's high was 77 degrees; the overnight low was 48 degrees.

**REGIONAL FORECAST**  
West Texas — Mostly sunny days with clear nights through Thursday. Lows tonight upper 40s Panhandle, lower 60s Big Bend, 50s elsewhere. Highs

lower 80s north to lower 90s Big Bend.

North Texas — Fair and cool tonight. Mostly sunny Thursday. Highs 80 to 85. Lows tonight 50s.

South Texas — Mostly cloudy tonight and Thursday Rio Grande plains with a chance of showers and thunderstorms. Partly cloudy elsewhere with a slight chance of showers or thunderstorms coastal plains. Highs Thursday in the 80s. Lows tonight in the upper 50s Hill Country to near 70 coast.

**EXTENDED FORECAST**  
Extended forecast was not available.

## BORDER STATES

Oklahoma — Tonight, clear and continued cool. Low mid-40s extreme northeast to around 50 elsewhere. Thursday, sunny and a little warmer. High upper 70s and low 80s.

New Mexico — Sunny days with fair skies at night through Thursday except becoming partly cloudy northwest Thursday afternoon. Highs Thursday 60s and 70s mountains and north with 70s to mid-80s elsewhere. Lows tonight 30s and 40s mountains with 50s to mid-60s elsewhere.

# Clinton jumps on Bush veto of family leave bill

By JIM DRINKARD  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush's veto of a family leave bill drew harsh condemnation from Democratic challenger Bill Clinton, who called it a betrayal of the very "family values" Republicans have embraced as a campaign theme.

The bill, which Bush rejected late Tuesday while on a campaign trip, would have required businesses with more than 50 workers to provide up to 12 weeks a year of unpaid leave for workers who have a new child or must care for an ill family member.

But Bush contended the bill amounted to a heavy-handed new government mandate that would have hurt businesses struggling to compete in the world economy and ultimately would cost jobs.

He proposed an alternative approach using tax credits to entice businesses with 500 or fewer workers to provide family and medical leave, although he made no mention of how he would pay for the new benefit.

"It's bad for America's families. It's bad for America's workplaces," Clinton, ending a day of campaigning in Michigan, said of Bush's veto.

"Once again, he said 'We can't.' He's telling the American people that we can't have a law that 70 other countries have, that all of our major competitors take for granted, a law that would support family values about as much as any law,

and would be good for the workplace," Clinton said.

The measure became a centerpiece of election-season efforts by Democrats to brand the president as unresponsive to the needs of ordinary Americans, and he had been expected to reject it.

Word of Bush's veto, the 32nd of his presidency, first came in a message conveying rejection of the bill received on Capitol Hill. The White House later announced the action as the president was winding up an evening speech in Memphis, Tenn.

Clinton jabbed Bush for the timing of the veto, as well. "I want to make these tough decisions in broad daylight so people can ask me about them," he said.

The bill had been approved by large majorities in Congress, and Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell, D-Maine, said a vote on overriding the veto would be scheduled before Congress adjourns for the year in early October.

But while the Senate has been near a veto-proof majority on the issue, House margins have been well short of the two-thirds needed.

Sen. Christopher Dodd, D-Conn., acknowledged that overcoming the veto "is an uphill climb for us." But he promised to push again next year for the legislation.

In a message accompanying his veto, Bush outlined a refundable tax credit of up to \$1,200 for businesses with fewer than 500 employees who offer up to 12 weeks' leave for birth or adoption

of a child or the care of a seriously ill child, parent or spouse.

He claimed that his approach would cover workers who need the benefit the most, those in small- and medium-sized businesses.

"If these policies are to meet the diverse needs of our nation, they must be carefully, flexibly and sensitively crafted at the workplace by employers and employees, and not in Washington, D.C., through government mandates," Bush said.

He also accused congressional Democrats of sitting on the bill for nearly a year, then timing final action to have the maximum impact on the presidential election.

In turn, Democrats attacked Bush.

"Tonight the president turned his back on American families who, as a result of his veto, must work under a policy where they cannot attend to sick children or parents without risking their jobs," said House Majority Leader Richard Gephardt, D-Mo.

Rep. Nancy Johnson of Connecticut, one of 37 House Republicans who supported the bill, said the veto would hurt the president's re-election prospects but was still the right thing to do because the measure was flawed.

"The parental leave veto is going to hurt him because it's something that is easily understood" by the public, Johnson said. She said she voted for it only to draw attention to the issue, and would prefer a mixture of the Democratic and the White House approaches.

# POW families fear hearings will end controversial issue

By FRED BAYLES  
AP National Writer

There was no satisfaction for Robin Sampley in hearing former top government officials tell a Senate committee that U.S. servicemen were left behind in Southeast Asia — only the fear that the POW-MIA hearings may close the book on missing men like her father.

"It's nothing that we didn't already know. All it has done is forced them to say it for the record," said Sampley, whose father disappeared in Laos in 1968.

Sampley was among MIA families and supporters who listened to Henry Kissinger testify Tuesday before the Select Committee on POW-MIA Affairs.

The former secretary of state and national security adviser denied allegations that American prisoners of war were knowingly left behind, but he acknowledged concerns that North Vietnamese peace negotiators didn't provide an adequate accounting of missing Americans.

"I have always kept open the possibility in my mind there were some in Laos," he said.

On Monday, two former defense secretaries — James R. Schlesinger and Melvin Laird — testified the government believed U.S. airmen were left alive in Laos. But Schlesinger ruled out the possibility servicemen remain in captivity today.

North Vietnam released 591 U.S. prisoners as part of the 1973 peace accords that saw withdrawal of American troops from Vietnam. MIA advocates say as many as 600 servicemen lost in Laos remain unaccounted for. Various government estimates have put the figure as low as 68.

Sampley, whose Green Beret father disappeared when she was 7, said this week's testimony backing MIA families' long-held claims was tempered with fears that nothing more will be done.

"What's frightening to me is the whole group is saying, 'We have no information that these people are alive.' But there is no evidence they are dead and that angers me," she said. "They don't want to have to deal with live POWs."

Her husband, Ted Sampley, a Vietnam veteran, confronted committee chairman Sen. John Kerry, D-



(AP Photo) Collene Shine of Arlington, Va., whose father was shot down on the Laos-North Vietnam border in 1972, talks with reporters after hearings Tuesday.

Mass., during the lunch break. Sampley took Kerry to task for saying there is no evidence any prisoners remain alive.

"We're pretty much concerned that Senator Kerry doesn't want to believe Vietnam would act like this and continue to hold prisoners," he said.

Nancy Meissner, Maryland state coordinator for the National Alliance of Families, a MIA-POW group, agreed the hearings did little more than anger MIA families.

"What the witnesses are saying now is, 'We did leave these guys behind, but we've determined that they still can't be alive,'" she said.

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## Congressional report: Patriot missiles KO'd few Iraqi scuds

WASHINGTON (AP) — A draft congressional report maintains that Patriot missiles used against Iraqi Scuds in the Persian Gulf war were not nearly as successful as the Pentagon claims.

"The strongest evidence ... supports a claim that the Patriot destroyed a few Scud warheads," a source involved in the investigation said Tuesday. "And there are even questions about those."

The House Government Operations Committee, chaired by Rep. John Conyers Jr., D-Mich., is scheduled to meet next week to adopt the report.

The Army initially claimed that the Patriot achieved an 80 percent success rate in Saudi Arabia, and 50 percent in Israel. Those claims were later scaled back to 70 percent and 40 percent, and may be scaled back still further because of the committee's findings.

A new look at the evidence shows that even those claims are overblown, said the official, who spoke only on condition of anonymity.

"There isn't any definitive proof that the Patriot intercepted any Scuds," the source said. "At best, we have a few cases where there's strong circumstantial evidence that Scuds were hit."

The conclusions were first reported in today's editions of the *Christian Science Monitor*, which said the missile's maker strongly disputed the criticism.

Robert Stein, a manager for the Lexington, Mass.-based Raytheon Co., said: "Patriot's very credible performance and success can be measured by the events as they occurred," the newspaper reported.

# Cable TV bill faces veto

By DIANE DUSTON  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House says President Bush still intends to veto legislation to restrain cable television fees. The Democratic presidential campaign says Bush would do that "at his own peril."

Approval in both chambers came on margins large enough to override a veto: 74-25 in the Senate on Tuesday; 280-128 in the House earlier. Bush has vetoed 31 bills and none has been overridden.

"We're still going to veto it," White House spokeswoman Judy Smith said following the Senate vote.

A spokeswoman for the Democratic vice presidential candidate, Sen. Al Gore of Tennessee, said Bush "vetoes this bill at his own peril."

"For both Bill Clinton and Al Gore, the choice is clear: you stand with the consumer," Marla Romash said. "It's not so clear with George Bush."

Gore, who long has been a foe of what he calls cable TV's monopoly practices, is a member of the Senate communications subcommittee and one of the bill's authors. He left the campaign trail Tuesday to vote for the measure.

Gore is scheduled to travel Thursday to Morgantown, N.C., which spent \$500,000 in a six-year legal battle to rid itself of a cable company operated by Telecommunications Inc., the nation's largest cable operator, because of poor service.

Eventually, a referendum on the TCI service was held, the company lost and the city decided to build its own system.

The measure would require the Federal Communications Commission to determine reasonable rates for minimal cable service and prices for equipment that consumers need to use cable television, including remote-control devices.

It also would enhance competition in local communities between existing cable companies and others capable of providing expanded television programming.

Bush has said the bill would "hurt Americans by imposing a wide array of costly, burdensome and unnecessary requirements on the cable industry and the government agencies that regulate it."

Sen. John Danforth, R-Mo., another of the bill's sponsors, said he hoped Bush would change his mind.

"There are a number of Republican senators who would like to support the president, but have a record supporting this. It's very hard to ask

them to go back and change positions," Danforth said. He said some change in circumstances would be necessary to justify sustaining a veto.

But Sen. Conrad Burns, R-Mont., a leading opponent of the measure, said he would be working to get the eight votes needed to sustain the president's veto.

"This is obviously a tough fight, but it isn't over," said James P. Mooney, president of the National Cable Television Association, which has led a vigorous campaign against the bill through media and direct-mail advertising.

"Consumers are sick and tired of getting soaked by big cable companies," Gore said. "This legislation will force cable companies to do what they so far have refused — answer to their customers and compete in a market that for too long has been a monopoly."

A two-thirds majority of those voting is needed in each chamber to enact a law against a president's wishes. That's 289 votes in the House if all 435 representatives vote and 67 in the 100-member Senate.

House supporters of the bill said they are confident they can muster the 289 votes because 17 members who did not vote Thursday favor the measure.

# Big Thicket expansion approved

By MICHELLE MITTELSTADT  
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WASHINGTON (AP) — The Big Thicket National Preserve is moving one step closer to expansion.

For years, Texas Sens. Lloyd Bentsen and Phil Gramm, and Rep. Charlie Wilson have sought to expand the 86,000-acre East Texas woodland — only to see their efforts stalled in the Senate.

Tuesday, the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee approved a plan that would add canyons, spring-fed creeks and a blackwater swamp to the preserve.

Bentsen and Gramm introduced differing legislation, with Bentsen seeking to boost the size of the preserve above 100,000 acres while Gramm advocated a smaller increase. The measure introduced in the House by Wilson, D-Lufkin, mirrors Bentsen's legislation.

Gramm's version was approved Tuesday in committee. Action by the full Senate could come later this week.

The state's two senators were pleased by the action, as was Wilson.

"It has been a long time in the making," said Gramm, R-Texas. "I am hopeful that (the expansion) will become law this session of Congress."

Said Bentsen: "Today's committee action brings us an important step closer to expanding the preserve and enhancing our ability to save this unique biological wonderland for future generations of Americans to enjoy."

Bentsen, D-Texas, said he expects the Senate to approve the expansion.

Differences between the Senate measure and the Wilson version approved by the House would then be resolved during a House-Senate conference committee.

The legislation approved Tuesday expands the preserve to 97,000 acres — adding the Village Creek Corridor, Big Sandy Corridor and Canyonlands.

The Big Sandy expansion was opposed by the National Park Service, which contended in a congressional hearing earlier this year that its addition would not bring anything unique to the preserve.

But Bentsen earlier defended acquisition of the Big Sandy Corridor, saying it would add to the scenic beauty of the preserve while helping connect three major preserve units.

The legislation approved Tuesday does not include land in the Sabine River Blue Elbow Unit and Lower Neches River Corridor earmarked in both Bentsen's and Wilson's bills.

"I am extremely disappointed that they did not include Blue Elbow," Wilson said, adding that he was

hopeful that portion could be added in conference.

But he added, "At this stage, you take what you can get and we need to get something on the books."

The park service has said it favors adding land from the Sabine and Lower Neches areas.

The Big Thicket is home to more than 1,000 flowering plants, 300 species of birds, 85 species of trees and shrubs, 40 kinds of wild orchid and four major types of forest.

Separately, House-Senate conferees deciding interior appropriations Tuesday earmarked \$5 million sought by Bentsen for the Lower Rio Grande Valley National Wildlife Refuge.

The money will add 6,300 acres to the 54,000 acres already in the refuge, bringing critical white-winged dove nesting and roosting habitats into the preserve, Bentsen said.

"We need to preserve a portion of the unique biological areas of the Lower Rio Grande to provide habitat for a variety of rare birds, animals and plant life," he said.

## Two prison guards indicted

HOUSTON (AP) — A federal grand jury has indicted two Texas death row prison guards on charges of acquiring drugs to give to a prisoner, according to the U.S. attorney's office.

Michael Ray Lowe, 33, and Mark Edward Ridley, 20, were named in the six-count indictment that was announced Tuesday by U.S. Attorney Ronald Woods.

Both guards are charged with conspiracy to possess with intent to deliv-

er a controlled substance, possession with intent to deliver a controlled substance and using a telephone to further a narcotics transaction.

The guards were charged in a conspiracy involving two narcotic transactions that occurred Sept. 16.

The indictment alleges that each guard, acting on behalf of death row inmate Genaro Camacho, acquired marijuana that was to be smuggled into the Ellis I Unit for distribution among prison inmates.

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## Opinion

# Dual benefit

While the U.S. economy is struggling to overcome the recession, Mexico's economy is expanding by a healthy 4 percent this year. More important for the long term, Mexico's rapid transformation into a modern industrialized nation offers enormous potential for steady economic growth.

Consequently, if the recently completed North American Free Trade Agreement is approved by Congress, Mexico's expansion can become an engine of growth and job creation for that nation and also for the United States in the 1990s.

That is the central conclusion of a new study by the Conference Board, a New York-based business research group. Joined by counterpart organizations in Canada and Mexico, the Conference Board found that the Mexican market will account for 15 percent of the growth in North American demand this year, even though it makes up less than 5 percent of the total North American market.

What this means is that Mexico's sharply rising demand for products and services will generate ample opportunities for U.S. businesses — and jobs for American workers — under the free trade accord. In fact, because domestic demand in Mexico is escalating faster than output, it will have to rely on imports to satisfy many of its needs.

Even without the trade pact, U.S. exports to Mexico have increased at an average annual rate of 16 percent during the last six years. These exports covered a range of high-value manufactured products.

The study also stressed that the cost or labor in Mexico is not much less than in the United States or Canada when adjusted for productivity. True enough, American workers earn more, but they also are more efficient producers than Mexican workers. This suggests that widespread worries about American firms fleeing across the border in search of cheap labor may be overstated.

With barriers to commerce removed, there are certain to be some losses on this side of the border, especially among the lowest-skilled, lowest-paid jobs. But, as the Conference Board analysis shows, these dislocations will be more than offset by the new opportunities created for American companies and their employees under the free trade agreement.

# A billion here, a billion there

The late Everett Dirksen of Illinois, one of the most beloved men ever to serve in the U.S. Senate, is remembered for all kinds of things, but he is especially remembered for his plaintive objection to Democratic spending.

"A billion here, and a billion there," he observed, "and pretty soon it adds up to real money."

One trouble with today's Congress is that we have no one to perform the services once rendered by Ev Dirksen and before him by Harry Byrd of Virginia. Blessed with the eyes of an eagle, they could spot unnecessary spending at least a mile away. Harry Truman once angrily complained that there were "too many Byrds in Congress." To which many a taxpayer replied, give us a hundred more.

If the House and Senate would begin next year by cutting a billion here and a billion there, pretty soon it would add up to real money. Without harming a precious hair on the head of Social Security, Congress could take a significant step toward balancing the budget before the end of this century.

It is quite true, as the Heritage Foundation emphasizes in a study just released, that "real deficit reduction demands real cuts in spending." It is also true that several big-ticket items, notably the interest that must be paid on the federal debt, cannot be touched. Many contractual obligations, especially for the armed services, must be honored.

All the same, with minimum hardship, federal spending CAN be brought under control. Let us follow the Dirksen road.

Congress could begin by phasing out the subsidies for honey, mohair and wool. If there ever was a time when a plausible justification could be advanced for these handouts, that time passed long ago.



**James J. Kilpatrick**

The subsidies benefit only a handful of producers. Over a five-year period, the savings would amount to \$830 million.

The taxpayers now finance a costly program of advertising U.S. products abroad. There is no earthly reason why Gallo wineries and McDonald's hamburgers cannot pay for their own market promotion in foreign lands. The program should be cut severely, for a saving of \$900 million by 1998.

By the same token, Congress ought to reduce Export-Import Bank credits. Big exporters can finance their own operations from private banks. This would save \$620 million over the next five years.

What about Radio Free Europe and the Voice of America? They were created to strike a telling blow against the closed societies of communism. That service no longer is required. Without harm to the conduct of foreign affairs, they could be cut back or shut down entirely. Saving: \$1,040 billion over a five-year period.

A billion here and a billion there! The 60-year-old Davis-Bacon Act effectively demands that union wages must be paid on federal construction

contracts. The law imposes wholly unnecessary costs on many projects located in areas where union rates are not the prevailing rates. Davis-Bacon operates to hold back lower-skilled black workers. Isn't it time for Congress to stop pandering to union labor?

Opportunities abound for small savings. It is indefensible to subsidize passengers who fly on the so-called "essential airlines." These piddle-jumpers serve 125 small cities; they carry a few passengers over and over. Let these easy riders pay full fares as others do. As for the rail subsidies to Amtrak, a weary taxpayer well could ask, How long, O Lord, how long?

Vacationers who visit the national parks ought to pay fees that cover the cost of recreational facilities. Yachtsmen who ply the intracoastal waterways should be charged for the services that benefit them. No valid reason can be advanced for subsidizing school lunches for children from \$40,000 families. Back in April, President Bush proposed small rescissions that added up to a billion dollars in savings. Congress killed almost all of them. They ought to be resurrected.

The budget picture grows desperate. The Heritage Foundation, a think tank not given to hysteria, sees an "unmitigated disaster" ahead. Federal spending in fiscal '93 will hit a staggering \$1.5 trillion. The deficit will reach a record \$335 billion. The famed budget deal of 1990, intended to reduce deficits drastically, has failed abysmally instead.

Surely the taxpayers must weary of the defeatist objection that the budget is "uncontrollable." It is NOT uncontrollable. All that is required is the will to control it.



## Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Wednesday, Sept. 23, the 267th day of 1992. There are 99 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: Forty years ago, on Sept. 23, 1952, Republican vice-presidential candidate Richard M. Nixon went on television to deliver what came to be known as the "Checkers" speech as he denied allegations of improper campaign financing.

On this date: In 63 B.C., Caesar Augustus was born in Rome.

In 1642, Harvard College in Cambridge, Mass., held its first commencement.

In 1779, during the Revolutionary War, the American warship Bon Homme Richard defeated the HMS Serapis after the American commander, John Paul Jones, is said to have declared: "I have not yet begun to fight!"

# We are 'names,' not 'numbers'

There are lies. And there are damn lies. And there are statistics. Statisticians are incapable of comprehending anything which they cannot mathematize.

Statisticians in our government's Census Bureau have released a grotesquely misleading report that there are 30 million Americans living in poverty.

The whole truth is that the poorest 30 million Americans today have a greater share of total United States income than they did 20 years ago!

The melancholy reality is that there are some poor people lacking shelter, clothing, food, who need and deserve help, but the government is doing a disservice to them and to the rest of us by lying about the numbers. We Americans are "names," not "numbers."

The Census Bureau, based on a single statistic, has declared that 30 million Americans fall below the poverty threshold of \$13,942 for a family of four.

But the Bureau's statisticians ignore the fact that 40 percent of those people own their own homes ...

That their average home is a three-bedroom house with a garage, porch and patio ...

More than half of the poor live in homes or apartments with twice as much living space as the



**Paul Harvey**

average Japanese, four times more than the average Russian.

The Heritage Foundation blames us of the media for accepting distorted government statistics, which lead to distorted public misconceptions, which lead to imprudent legislation.

USDA studies have affirmed that the average consumption of protein, vitamins and minerals in the United States is virtually same for both poor and middle-class children.

And in most cases it is well above recommended norms.

Far from being chronically hungry and malnourished, "poor" children in the United States are in fact super-nourished, growing up to be an inch taller and 10 pounds heavier than

the average American soldier in World War II. Most "poor" Americans are better housed, better fed and own more personal property than average Americans throughout most of the 20th Century.

If we are going to base public policy on numbers, let's include all the numbers.

The Census Bureau, in its poverty guesstimate, undercounts cash welfare, food stamps, public housing, medical care — thus ignores \$184 billion which Americans have been giving to poor people every year. And that is about \$10,499 for every "poor" household in America.

If some, for political or other purpose, want to shame our nation, then shame us for often misdirected philanthropy, which has resulted in millions of children without fathers, adults encouraged not to work, and the "behavioral poverty" which eventuates in illegitimacy, crime, school, failure and a generation with enough money for drugs.

I am fed up with politicians trashing our country when it is the best country on this planet.

Recession is worse in every other industrial nation than it is in ours. And yet with the willing complicity of much of the media, our country is mean-mouthed day in and day out until a lie begins to sound like the truth.

It is NOT.

# Straight shooters: Economic tutors

The economy is the big political issue. But, shockingly, not all things candidates say about the economy are what Casey Stengel used to call "true facts."

Voters should try to sort it out. I recommend a remarkable, slender book about true economic facts: "An Illustrated Guide to the American Economy" by Herbert Stein and Murray Foss (AEI Press). It is credible and objective, yielding comfort in hard times.

The credibility comes from the experience and mission of the authors. Stein, 76, is a former chairman of the Council of Economic Advisors. Foss, 74, was editor of the "Survey of Current Business." Jointly, they have worked the tangled vineyard of statistical economics for a hundred years.

They are now my colleagues at the American Enterprise Institute. I would describe them as eclectic liberal conservative economists, or perhaps the reverse. In the 1980s, Stein publicly hammered Reaganomics and supply-side economics with clarity, wit and gusto.

But that's not the idea in the current work. In clean prose, with charts that tell stories, Stein and Foss lay out "A Hundred Key Issues," (the subtitle of the book). They write: "We have tried not to make a book of Republican or Democratic, conservative or liberal, optimistic or pessimistic data. ... We have not looked for things that would surprise the reader, although ... something did surprise us."

Me too. I had no idea how common deflation has been: From 1865 to 1940 price levels generally fluctuated downward. (will it happen again?) I wouldn't have guessed that Alabama has a higher median



**Ben Wattenberg**

income than West Germany. Nor that while most new jobs are created by small businesses, many of those jobs vanish when small firms go broke.

Nor had I realized how much serious economists do not know. The volume is studded with cautionary phrases: "it is not clear whether ...," "... to some extent," "economists do not have a good understanding of ..."

Of today's essential questions they write: "... economists have been grappling with the problem of why productivity growth has slowed down but have been unable to come up with satisfactory answers." That noted, they offer related material: Productivity did increase mildly in the 1980s; the rate prior to 1948 was about the same as now; the 1948-73 years may be a poor benchmark because of high post-war demand.

Campaign issues are illuminated. Jobs in the growing "service" sector are not typically bad ones; they included doctors and lawyers. Median duration of unemployment has been less than seven weeks. More than half the unemployed left their

last job voluntarily. "The underclass" involves 1 percent to 3 percent of the population. Poverty rates are higher than in Europe.

Stein and Foss are concerned, not alarmed, by the deficit: In the 1980s deficits neither aborted economic growth nor induced inflation. Nor do Stein-Foss buy the "debtor nation" complaint: "net foreign debt ... is only a statistical aggregate without any economic significance." They say the rise in family income has slowed, but data showing a decline in real wages "give an inaccurate picture."

The show that America, by European standards, is neither overtaxed nor overregulated, and that, by many measures, federal government activity is not increasing.

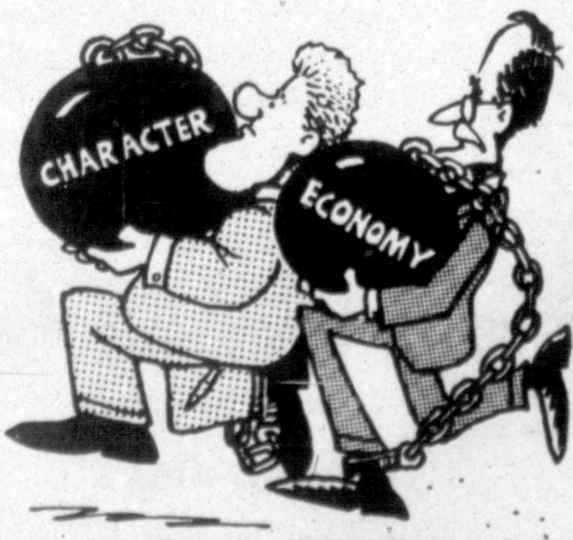
They deflate large egos: "One frequently hears ... that '... economic policy' has created 'x' number of jobs. ... This assertion is misleading ... jobs are created by persons willing to work at a wage justified by their own productivity."

There is solace to be derived from senior wise men who aren't working political angles. We are calmly told of the inexorable flow of the business cycle: "When sales and orders are increasing, business spirits become buoyant, at times giving rise to beliefs that the expansion will continue indefinitely. Excesses may develop. Investments that look profitable when first undertaken turn out to be highly unprofitable when markets weaken."

Sad, but it works itself out, positively: "The U.S. economy, like other industrial economies, fluctuates around a rising long-run growth trend."

In the hothouse atmosphere of an election year we should, above all, remember that. It is a true fact.

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# Baby duty wears down Marines

By DAN SEWELL  
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FLORIDA CITY, Fla. (AP) — War is hell, but what do you call a tent full of squalling, brawling, pants-tugging toddlers?

Duty, for some Marines in the Hurricane Andrew relief mission.

Marines from the Camp Lejeune, N.C.-based, 3rd Battalion, 10th Regiment help out Young Women's Christian Association workers at the day care center in the tent city here for people still homeless from the hurricane.

They've been trained to kill the fiercest enemies while on combat deployment under the most spartan conditions, but some leathernecks balk at day-care duty that can include changing diapers.

"You know Marines — the hard-core image and all that. Some of them don't like this at all," said Lance Cpl. Maurice Langford, 19, of Pine Bluff, Ark., engaged in a game of "animal match" with 6-year-old Alvin Phillips and J.D. Allison, 4.

"You'll never make it if you can't put up with kids running around, pulling on you; most of them don't speak English and some of them can't talk yet," said Lance Cpl. Jason Pagliaro, 22, of Cincinnati. "You have to love kids."

He and Langford have young siblings at home.

Toddlers clinging to each leg, Pagliaro hoisted Denise Avilar to his shoulder. She held on and quieted.

In two tents, there are about 45 children. Two fans slightly ease the 90-degree temperatures as infants toss in cribs.

The children, in unfamiliar, close-quarter surroundings with unfamiliar faces, can be both nerve-wracking and heart-rending.

"Nobody likes to see babies crying," said Sue Loyzelle, supervising the YMCA day-care center at Harris Field in Homestead. There, members of the Army's 10th Mountain Division, from Fort Drum, N.Y.,



U.S. Marine Corps Lance Cpl. Jason Pagliaro of Cincinnati, Ohio, kisses 2-year-old Denise Avila while providing care at the Florida City Relief Camp No. 4.

deliver food and often linger to rock babies, read to toddlers, or just hold children.

"We need all the bodies we can get," said Ms. Loyzelle, overseeing care of 145 children from ages "zero to 5." The Harris Field center is at least in an air-conditioned building. State nurses and psychological counselors assist.

"I really was surprised to see how the soldiers have helped out," said Tom Hay, from the YMCA in Port Chester, N.Y. "They're away from their families, and I think they see the conditions these kids are in and they feel empathy."

"There are rewards, but it's tiring

and frustrating," Hay said. "This is crazy today."

A volunteer, Army Pfc. Steve Wagoner, 23, of Newton, Iowa, tried to explain why he spent break time helping out at the Harris Field center.

He was frequently interrupted, as Karyn, pacifier jammed in her mouth, scaled the wood wall corraling her age group; two small boys pushed open the door and tried to race away before he caught them; and a boy picked up a large container and flipped it over, watching intently as dozens of crayons rolled across the floor.

"I'm not sure," Wagoner said. "I like kids, I guess."

The day care centers are open from dawn to dusk, geared to allow people time to go back to work and generally get their lives back in order. Many south Dade County day care centers remain closed after the storm, and the free centers in the tent cities sometimes are forced to turn away children.

Although some Marines don't want the day-care duty, others stop by voluntarily to help out, playing games or tying shoelaces.

At least the Marines may be getting their ears toughened for their normal duty: They belong to an artillery unit.

# 2nd debate deadline looms, feuding goes on

By WENDY BENJAMINSON  
Associated Press Writer

The sniping is heating up between the camps of President Bush and Bill Clinton over when, how and who is more afraid to debate. While the feuding continues, a deadline for a second planned confrontation between the contenders loomed today.

The campaigns and the bipartisan Commission on Presidential Debates seemed no closer to agreement on how to arrange a debate in the six weeks remaining until Election Day.

Several Clinton advisers said Tuesday that the Democrat would not accept debate plans developed outside the commission.

Bush campaign chairman Robert Teeter said in a letter to the commission: "It remains our position that we are waiting to hear from the Clinton campaign responding to our proposal. The president wants very much to debate."

But Bush wants to have a panel of journalists questioning the candidates as in past campaigns, instead of the commission's suggestion — which Clinton has accepted — that one person moderate.

Commission member Frank Fahrenkopf, a former Republican Party chairman, left room Tuesday for the candidates to work it out.

"We are not saying now nor have we ever said to the campaigns that

you either do it our way or not at all. If they reach agreement among themselves that they will debate with a format that both sides agree to ... we will go ahead and produce the debates regardless of what our view is," Fahrenkopf said on public television's "MacNeil-Lehrer NewsHour."

But the commission said that if it didn't have acceptances from both camps by noon today, plans for a debate in Louisville, Ky., next Tuesday would have to be canceled.

While top aides engaged in relatively polite shuttle diplomacy, the candidates themselves were a little more direct.

Clinton showed up in East Lansing, Mich., where the commission had hoped to produce the first debate Tuesday.

"I guess I can't blame him," Clinton said at a rally at Michigan State University. "If I had the worst record of any president in 50 years I wouldn't want to defend that record either."

Bush told a cheering crowd in Greenville, Miss., "You hear a lot about debates. Governor Clinton's off talking up there in Michigan, waving his arms around, talking about my being afraid to stand up with him. Who is he to call me afraid, for heaven's sake?"

Elsewhere on the campaign trail: —Clinton and running mate Al Gore set off today on another installment of their bus tour, this one through small towns in Georgia.

—Vice President Dan Quayle, having put aside for now his battle with television's Murphy Brown and her baby, found another Hollywood target while campaigning in Texas.



President Bush tells a crowd at Craigmont High School in Memphis that he needs four more years to finish the job he wants to do as president.

# Biosphere at halfway point

ORACLE, Ariz. (AP) — Halfway through their two-year mission-under-glass, eight men and women sealed in Biosphere 2 and those watching over them are trying to prove the experiment is more than a stunt.

Their goal is to operate a space colony prototype, growing their own food and tending wildlife in a three-acre, glass-and-steel complex designed to recycle air, water and waste.

Critics have said the project is unscientific because, among other things, outside air has been pumped in and a crew member who was released for medical treatment returned with supplies.

Organizers, however, hope a review by an outside panel of scientists — and some changes recommended by the experts — will give the project credibility.

Biosphere 2, on a ranch 35 miles north of Tucson, is a private, for-profit venture financed by Texas billionaire Ed Bass, who invested at least \$150 million.

The experiment began with a great deal of hoopla as the four men and four women began life beyond the airlock.

But after a series of setbacks and public relations gaffes, Bass appointed an eight-member committee that includes scientists from NASA and the Smithsonian Institution to examine the project's scientific credibility.

The panel's initial report, released July 21, said Biosphere 2 had put commercial concerns — such as technology development and tourism — and public education ahead of science.

It recommended appointing a director of basic science, setting up a well-crafted science plan, pursuing scientific publication, taking steps to ensure accuracy and establishing a staff of scientists.

Bass said the recommendations will be carried out.

Despite its criticism, the panel was encouraging.

"The Biosphere project is one that has a lot of potential," said Stephen O'Brien of the National Cancer Institute. "But whether it does get realized does depend on how willing the organizers are to implement the recommendations, or at least the spirit."

Biosphere's organizers point to such accomplishments as achieving an air leak rate of less than 10 percent a year and a dramatic drop in the crew members' cholesterol and blood pressure.

"There certainly is a firm commitment to do good scientific work, and I believe that will require the implementation of the advice of the committee, which I think they're doing," said crew member Dr. Roy Walford.

The fact that the crew remains inside might be the most telling achievement, Biospherian Linda Leigh said.

"So many people were repeating that we would be out right after Christmas ... and in fact we aren't out, and I don't think we will be out until we're supposed to come out," she said.

The experiment was widely criticized after organizers belatedly announced that air leakage forced them to pump in 600,000 cubic feet of air — nearly a tenth of the structure's atmospheric volume — in December.

# Blast kills 1, injures 4

SHERMAN (AP) — One youth was killed and four others were injured, one critically, in an explosion during an excursion to a Chevron U.S.A. Inc. tank battery about five miles west of Sherman, officials say.

Jeff Henson, 18, of Pottsboro died instantly in the blast around 2:30 a.m. Tuesday, a Grayson County sheriff's officer said.

Henson climbed atop a 500-gallon tank that was about one-quarter full of crude oil, loosened a manhole-type cover and used a cigarette lighter to help him peer inside, officials say.

The resulting blast rattled windows and awoke residents miles away, authorities said.

Jared Lee Miller, 19, of Sherman suffered multiple injuries in the incident. He was in critical condition Tuesday afternoon in the Wilson N. Jones Memorial Hospital intensive care unit with multiple trauma and burns.

Jeff Thompson, 19, of Pottsboro, and Matt Penton, 19, of Sherman were listed in stable condition at the hospital, although Penton was moved out of intensive care Tuesday night, hospital spokeswoman Judy Garris said. Che Henderson, 18, of Pottsboro was treated and released.

Two others, Greg Stubblefield,

19, and Scott Thomas, 18, both of Sherman, were in a car near the tank and were not injured in the blast, officials said.

Henson was blown between 75 and 100 yards by the blast, officials said.

Robert Jackson, 18, said he was with the youths at a Sherman apartment Monday night.

"I couldn't believe it. I don't know what possessed them to go out there. They were just drinking beer and messing around out there. I was supposed to go with them. I'm glad now that I didn't," Jackson said.

"Jeff climbed to the top of the tank and opened up a hatch. He had a cigarette lighter and because he couldn't see inside, he lit his lighter and ... boom!"

Henson's body was taken to a forensic laboratory in Dallas for an autopsy, said Maj. Skip Walley, the sheriff department's chief criminal investigator.

The 20-foot-high metal tank was twisted and leaning to one side. A metal catwalk that connected the tank to another one was also twisted by the explosion. The second tank did not explode.

"It was a hellacious explosion," said Dennis Debbert, whose 60-acre farm adjoins the tanks.

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# Food

## Autumn means apple pickin' time

Pippins, Northern Spy, Jonathan, Granny Smith, McIntosh—apple lovers know these names by heart. 'Tis apple season and the time for making pies. Today pie making doesn't mean endless hours in the kitchen. We have a couple ways to cut corners that will give you rich apple goodness using convenient short cuts and convenience foods.

Apple pie is still considered the number one pie favorite among Americans—and who can blame them? Each mouthful reminds us of the bounty of fall and the richness of our land. But it was ever thus—such authorities as the Bible and William Shakespeare also took note of apples in their writings.

How about a breakfast apple pie? This one is easy to prepare and would be good for the family or company. Serve with sliced oranges, Canadian bacon and hot coffee and you have a brunch dish.

1 teaspoon cinnamon  
1 cup regular or no-fat granola  
Beat egg yolk and brush on crust.  
Bake in a preheated 375 degree F oven for five minutes. Set aside. Reduce oven to 350 degrees. In a small mixing bowl, beat cream cheese until smooth. Add egg, sugar or honey and vanilla. Mix well. Spoon into the prepared pie crust. Top with the pie filling. Bake 15 minutes. Sprinkle with granola and continue to bake 10 minutes or until granola is toasted. Cool to room temperature and serve. If you

are planning to serve later, the pie can be chilled and rewarmed. Make 8 servings.

The world has gone "mini"—why not make your own mini-sized pies. Wonderful for a party because they come in their own tart-size container.

**Individual Spicy Apple Pies**  
4 tablespoons butter or margarine  
4-6\* cups sliced peeled baking apples (about 4-6 apples)  
1/2 cup granulated sugar

1/4 cup brown sugar  
1/3 cup crushed gingersnaps  
1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon  
1 teaspoon cornstarch  
6 Keebler Ready-Crust Single Serve Graham Cracker Tarts

In a skillet, melt butter over medium-high heat. Saute apples in butter until almost tender. Combine sugars, gingersnaps, cinnamon and cornstarch. Sprinkle over apples. Cook and stir until a thick dark sauce forms, about 2-3 minutes. Depending on the juiciness of the apples, 1-2 teaspoons of water may need to be added to thin sauce. Remove from heat. Spoon in crusts. Serve warm with a small scoop of frozen vanilla yogurt, custard or ice cream.

Make 6 servings.  
\*Apple amounts vary due to size of apples. After the apples have

been browned, they will lose moisture and size if they are overcooked. If you have too many apples, just put aside the excess and microheat to accompany dinner or breakfast.

Here's a nice combination and the special flavor comes from the canned cranberry/raspberry crushed fruit sauce!

**Apple Cranberry Crumb Pie**  
1 Keebler Ready-Crust Graham Cracker pie crust  
1 egg yolk, beaten  
2 tablespoons butter or margarine  
4 cups coarsely chopped peeled baking apples  
1 container (12 ounces) cranberry/raspberry crushed fruit sauce  
4 teaspoons cornstarch  
Crumb Topping:

6 tablespoons butter or margarine  
2/3 cup granulated sugar  
1/2 cup all-purpose flour  
1/4 teaspoon ground ginger  
1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg  
1/2 cup coarsely chopped walnuts

Beat egg yolk and brush on crust. Bake in a preheated 375 degree F oven for 5 minutes. Set aside. In a skillet, melt butter over medium-high heat. Saute apples until crisp tender. Combine cranberry sauce and cornstarch. Stir into apples. Spoon into the prepared pie crust. For topping, cut butter into sugar, flour and spices until coarse crumbs form. Stir in nuts. Sprinkle over apple filling. Bake in a preheated 375 degree F oven for 40 minutes or until crust is toasted and filling begins to bubble. Serve warm whipped cream or ice cream. Makes 8 servings.



Individual Spicy Apple Pies

(Special photo)

**Cheesy Apple Breakfast Pie**  
1 Keebler Ready-Crust Graham Cracker pie crust  
1 egg yolk, beaten  
1 package (8 ounces) light or regular cream cheese, softened  
1 egg  
1/4 cup sugar or 2 tablespoons honey  
1/4 teaspoon vanilla extract  
1 can (19-21 oz.) apple pie filling



Apple Cranberry Crumb Pie

(Special photo)



Cheesy Apple Breakfast Pie

(Special photo)

### Women, obesity topic of conference

HOUSTON - Obesity among American women has reached epidemic proportions and may have a significant impact on health.

This was a key message from researchers at a recent conference sponsored by Weight Watchers HealthWatch 2000 entitled, "Women and Obesity ... The Risks, The Reasons, Resolutions for Empowerment." Scientists from the National Institute of Health and the National Cancer Institute met with other experts in the areas of obesity, nutrition and exercise to examine health implications of this trend and discuss possible means for reversal.

Judith S. Stern, Sc.D., of the University of California at Davis, chaired the conference and stated the problem. "Since post World War II, we have seen some disturbing patterns in nutrition and health among women worldwide. There has been a steady and quite alarming increase in the incidence of obesity."

In America, this trend has resulted in approximately 35 percent of white females and 60 percent of black females being overweight by the time they reach middle age. While this incidence of obesity previously may have been considered

primarily a cosmetic issue, new research has underlined more serious health implications.

According to Pamela M. Peeke, M.D., of the National Institute of Health, "Obesity is tied to serious health risks. The laundry list of health risks associated with obesity includes many major organ systems and is quite impressive."

Among the health issues discussed at the conference was research that indicates that even being moderately overweight significantly increases the incidence of cardiovascular disease in middle-aged women. It also appears that obesity may play a role in the development of certain types of cancer, such as post-menopausal breast cancer.

The experts did suggest a resolution to this apparent health dilemma - a psychological concept called "empowerment."

According to Dr. Stern, "It's possible for a woman to empower herself to break out of this cycle. To do this, she must call upon some problem-solving skills she had developed in other areas of her life. She must analyze the situation, assess the available weight loss options and programs and choose a plan based on her individual lifestyle

needs. This plan should include healthy food choices, realistic exercise and some source of social support. Weight loss goals and expectations should be individual and realistic. Most importantly, there should be a strong emphasis on learning maintenance skills."

The experts agree that although the condition of obesity may be serious, the prognosis may be positive. "It is important for women to realize that it is not necessary to lose a tremendous amount of weight to affect a positive change in life and health," Dr. Peeke states. "Instead, it is essential to aim for modest weight loss and then maintain it."

In a nation where many females begin dieting during adolescence, maintenance may be the operative word. Experts at the conference presented research on the health consequences of the chronic weight loss-regain cycle many women experience throughout their lifetime, and found that this "yo-yo" cycle may eventually have a negative effect on health. They also looked at reasons for the widespread weight loss failure rate among American women, and blamed this on poorly designed programs and unrealistic expectations.

### Do you have a recipe to share?

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# Lifestyles

## Denali National Park is big and vulnerable

By NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC  
For AP Special Features

It was inevitable: Civilization has pierced the wild heart of Alaska.

Denali National Park and Preserve, the fourth largest unit — 6 million acres — within the U.S. national park system, has become the most accessible of all Alaska's large protected lands.

The mountain peaks that form the spectacular backbone of the park are crowned by the highest point in North America. Rising 20,320 feet, Mount McKinley was known to Athapaskan Indians by a more apt name: Denali, the High One. On one of its flanks, scientists recently discovered North America's deepest gorge.

In 1950, fewer than 6,000 people ventured to Denali park in the southern center of Alaska. In 1990 there were 546,693 people. Visitors have more than doubled in the past decade alone.

"We're facing choices many parks in the lower 48 faced 50 years ago," Superintendent Russ Berry says. "We still have one of the best chances to do it right."

The Denali decisions — balancing demands for active recreation and unspoiled wilderness — are expected to influence the course of Alaska's less well-known parks and reverberate through those in the other 49 states, Douglas H. Chadwick writes in the current National Geographic.

While new hotels, restaurants, gift shops and subdivisions spread rapidly near the main entrance, Denali's managers are now fielding proposals for more access routes and services within the still largely undeveloped park itself.

Alaska politicians urge them to promote the sort of high-volume, convenience-oriented tourism typical of the Grand Canyon or Great Smoky Mountains.

"Our national park system has been called the best idea the United States ever had," writes Chadwick. "Yet as Denali makes clear, the United States has never decided just what it wants its parks to be."

Denali's founder, naturalist Charles Sheldon, thought the area would serve mainly as a sanctuary for the outstanding big-game herds he observed between 1906 and 1908.

So the park was created in 1917, not for its mountains but to preserve the largest of its 37 mammal species — grizzlies, caribou, Dall sheep and wolves. And amid its overwhelming landscape, visitors can still see more different kinds of large animals more easily than in other parks.

Overhead, 112 golden eagle nests have been spotted in the Denali area, the largest breeding concentration yet recorded in Alaska. Underfoot in the tundra, the diversity of species can be like a tiny tropical rain forest.

Unlike many other wilderness areas, most of Denali's wonders can't be viewed through a car window. Due west of the park, the nearest major highway is still somewhere near St. Petersburg, Russia, half the world away. However, a paved, all-season highway linking Fairbanks and Anchorage passes along the eastern side of the park.

Looking at national parks such as Yosemite in California, Denali's managers took several far-reaching steps to fend off the conflicts that can come with crowding.

Perhaps the boldest move was to set up public transportation for the road to Wonder Lake, still the only route into the heart of the park, and ban private vehicles.

Double-deck buses and a more efficient reservation process have been suggested to avoid more traffic. "But these are stopgap measures," notes Superintendent Berry. "Sooner or later, we are going to



A moose ripples Wonder Lake beneath Mount McKinley, highest peak in North America. Alaska's Denali Park and Preserve has a great variety of large animals that can be seen in the park more easily than elsewhere in the United States.

(National Geographic Society)

have to think about saying, 'Sorry, the theater is full.'"

Now the park road offers an unparalleled North American wildlife safari experience. Visitors get off the vehicles anywhere they please as long as it's half a mile from a road sighting of wildlife.

The bus pulls away, you walk over a rise, and suddenly "it's just you and a few thousand square

miles of true wilderness," Chadwick writes.

After climbing Mount McKinley in 1942, U.S. cartographer Bradford Washburn led a 1947 expedition in which his wife, Barbara, became the first woman atop the summit.

Not long after, he began to create the most comprehensive map yet made of the peak. Washburn pioneered what became known as the

West Buttress route, now followed by three of every four climbers.

With pressures to allow more people, cars and businesses into Denali, "it isn't easy to get used to the idea of this place being incomplete and vulnerable when it appears so powerfully big," says Chadwick. Some longtime park rangers have never been near

Denali's far northwestern corner, the Lake Minchumina area.

Scores of trumpeter swans gather in Minchumina's bays. Sandhill cranes from Siberia pass through bound for the southern United States. At one point more than 300 wheel upward over the lake like angels caught in a whirlwind.

"This is as close as I have ever been to living in a dream," Chadwick concludes.

### Warning: Bigotry may be hazardous to health

DEAR ABBY: I wish you would repeat this item. I have carried it around for several years and often take it out to read to friends.

MRS. G. BLUMENTHAL, SEATTLE

DEAR MRS. BLUMENTHAL: The piece you enclosed was published in my column on Oct. 29, 1983. And here it is:

DEAR ABBY: My 24-year-old sister is a wonderful person. Everyone who knows her thinks she is tops.

She has been in love with a very fine man for four years and they want to get married, but there is one problem. Our parents don't want him in our family because he's Jewish.

You once had something in your column about how much the Jews have given to the world. Will you please run it again?

HER KID BROTHER

DEAR BROTHER: This must be it. It was written by the late Sam Levenson:

"It's a free world; you don't have to like Jews, but if you don't, I suggest that you boycott certain Jewish products, like the Wassermann test for syphilis; digitalis, discovered by Dr. Nussli; chlorhydrate for convulsions, discovered by Dr. Lifreich; the Schick test for diphtheria; vitamins, discovered by Dr. Funk; streptomycin, discovered by Dr. Z. Woronin; the polio pill by Dr. A. Sabin and the polio vaccine by Dr. Jonas Salk.

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Dear Abby  
Abigail Van Buren

an consistency requires that my people offer all these gifts to all people of the world. Fanatic consistency requires that all bigots accept syphilis, convulsions, malnutrition, infantile paralysis and tuberculosis as a matter of principle.

"You want to be mad? Be mad! But I'm telling you, you ain't going to feel so good."

Shortly after that item ran, I received this one, which I also published:

DEAR ABBY: Your recent column, in which you quoted the late, beloved Sam Levenson, contained an error.

In listing some outstanding contributions to medical science made by Jews, Levenson credited a Dr. Z. Woronin with the discovery of streptomycin.

Abby, I hope the Nobel Committee in Sweden doesn't hear about this, because in 1952, they awarded the Nobel Prize for medicine to Dr. Selman Abraham Waksman of Rutgers University for discovering streptomycin!

However, Dr. Waksman belongs on that list because he, too, was Jewish.

ARTHUR ISBIT, PH.D., CHULA VISTA, CALIF.

DEAR ABBY: I am writing this to keep others from making the same mistake I made. All through the years I have saved every letter, valentine and card sent me by my children. Now they are grown, I am a grandparent and my parents are deceased. I have realized too late that I should have been saving letters and notes written by my mother and father, which would have been a lovely way to preserve family history, and for future generations to "know" their forebears, since a person's handwriting and the way he expresses himself are an important part of him.

I cannot rectify my mistake, but others may appreciate this suggestion.

JOANNE MILES, GLENVIEW, ILL.

DEAR JOANNE: Your suggestion is a good one. One warning, however — nothing potentially damaging or hurtful to innocent people should be kept. Everything "in writing" is not necessarily true. And perpetuating vicious untruths benefits no one, and could possibly harm the innocent.

This one's for everybody, from teens to seniors! To purchase Abby's new booklet, "The Anger in All of Us and How to Deal With It," send a business-size, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for \$3.95 (\$4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Anger Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

### Tralee staffers attend conference

Janet Watts and Brenda Wilkinson of Tralee Crisis Center were two of 400 attendees at the Governor's Training Conference on crime victim assistance held Sept. 15 in Austin.

The seventh annual gathering of victim assistance providers from across the state included representatives from law enforcement agencies prosecutors offices, community organizations and victim advocacy groups. The event was sponsored by the Texas Crime Victim Clearinghouse, a division of the Governor's office and the State Bar of Texas Crime Victims and Witnesses Committee.

"The people who attend this

conference are on the front lines of victim assistance," said Gov. Ann Richards. "They are often the first contact a person has after the crime has occurred. The work they do has a tremendous impact in helping victims and survivors recover from the trauma of an act of violence."

Wilkinson, the victim services coordinator for Tralee was appointed by the district attorney's office in 1990 to serve as victim assistance coordinator, and assist victims in filing crime victim compensation claims.

The conference offered 70 workshops designed to help providers assist victims with their

legal, emotional and financial needs.

Wilkinson states that the principles in these workshops were beneficial in maintaining an effective program in the areas of family violence, sexual assault, child abuse, prosecution and crisis intervention.

In addition, conference participants heard a keynote address by Anne Seymour, director of communications and resource development for the National Victim Center. Seymour's speech entitled, "Changing Attitudes, Changing Lives," focused on challenges facing victim-service providers as the victims rights movement enters the third decade.

### Mammoths and mastodons - what's the dif?

By 3-2-1 CONTACT Magazine  
For AP Special Features

What's the difference between a mammoth and a mastodon? To tell the "tooth," it's not so tough to tell them apart. All you have to do is ask them to open wide!

Mastodons and mammoths have different tusks, teeth and jaws.

A mastodon is part of a large group of extinct elephantlike mammals that lived 35 million years ago. Mastodons get their name from their teeth. The cheek teeth are called mastodonts. These teeth helped grind up food.

Mastodons were forest browsers. Some of them had not one, but two

pairs of curved tusks: one pair in the upper jaw and another in the lower jaw.

Mammoths, on the other hand, are closely related to modern elephants. They appeared 25 million years ago.

Mammoths had shorter jaws than the mastodons. Most mammoths had bigger tusks than the mastodons, though. Some mammoths had huge, curved tusks more than 13 feet long.

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### Club News

Theta Delta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International held its first meeting on Sept. 12 at the First Baptist Church in Panhandle with Marsha Richardson, first vice-president, presiding. Twenty four members were present for a program of planning by all committees.

Hostesses were Bette Gill, Dorothy Broadway, Marjorie Ewing, Mary Ewing, Mary Ruth

Smith and Billie Ray Williams. Pampa Art Club met Sept. 15 at Pampa Country Club. Yearbooks were distributed and dues collected. Mrs. B.D. Kindle, president, gave an update on work on the club's mosaic planned for M.K. Brown Auditorium. Mrs. Floyd Barrett was guest. Seventeen attended.

Hostesses were Mrs. Ralph Collinsworth and Mrs. C.B. Reece. The next meeting is set for 10:30

a.m. Oct. in the fellowship hall of Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ.

PEO met on Sept. 8 in the home of Angela Spearman. The group discussed plans for the year. Cinda Laferty gave the program on the Sister's Staircase in Santa Fe, N.M. Wilda Fletcher, Winter Parker, Fla., visited the club.

The next meeting is set for 9:30 a.m. Sept. 22 in the home of Dolores Cross.

### Newsmakers

Navy Seaman Apprentice Rory D. Douglas, son of Harold G. and Judy C. Douglas of Pampa, recently deployed aboard the fleet ballistic missile submarine USS George Bancroft, homeported in Charleston, S.C., for a routine three-month patrol.

Douglas will participate in various operations and training exercises designed to challenge the mission

readiness of the submarine and crew. The USS Bancroft is designed to carry the Trident C-4 missile weapons system and is used primarily to provide strategic deterrence.

Jeff West, Lefors, a diesel and heavy equipment technology student at Oklahoma State University in Okmulgee, Okla. received a \$350 scholarship from Total Compression Inc. in Yukon, Okla. TCI, a national

manufacturer and leaser of gas compression equipment, recently presented the scholarship to recognize West for his academic excellence. West is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee West of Lefors.

Gregory Jon Sokolosky, Pampa, received a bachelor of science degree from Oklahoma State University in summer commencement ceremonies.



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# The Pampa News

## Comic Page

### The World Almanac® Crossword Puzzle

**ACROSS**

- Jest
- Tobacco
- chew
- TV alien
- Soviet Union (abbr.)
- Skeleton part
- Actor
- Brynner
- Of aircraft
- As I was going to St. —
- carte
- Cry of affirmation
- Pod vegetable
- Bored exclamation
- Send forth
- Intend
- Cabinet contents
- Given
- Make muddy
- Chime
- Year (Sp.)
- Hill dweller

**DOWN**

- Dock
- Plaintiff
- Hebrew

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

UKES	UGLI	ZIP
CIAO	SNIP	UMU
LEVI	SAME	NIN
AVERT	TICKING	
EEL	TAN	
TWEETER	CIVIC	
AIM	HOUR	TECH
UNUM	NEON	NEE
TYSON	DUELIST	
MIN	EWI	
TWISTER	TAHOE	
AID	WEEB	SETT
MPE	IDEE	ERIA
SPA	TYKE	SECT

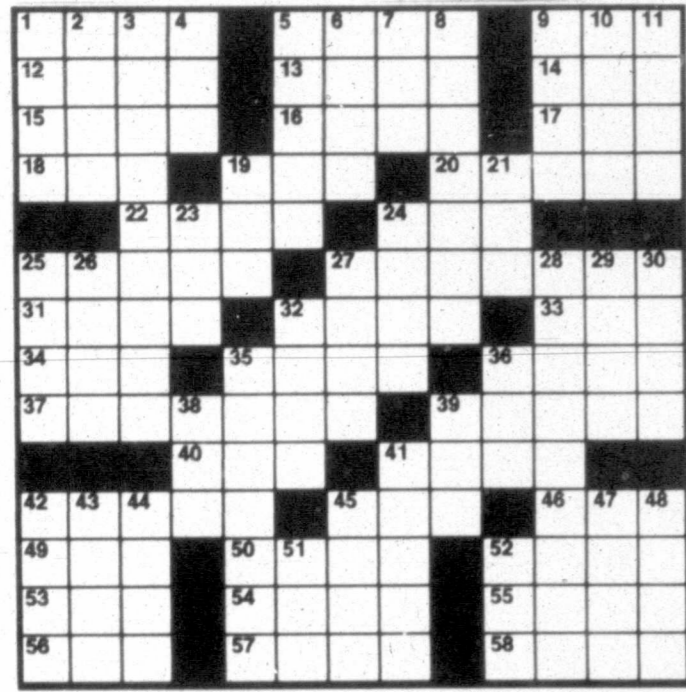
**ACROSS**

- Long garment
- Resign
- Futile
- Surpass
- Bar item
- Shout of dismissal
- Bright light
- Tennis player — Shriver
- Trim off
- Snake
- Russian no
- Wander
- Kapital
- Piece of baked clay
- By the time — to
- Phoenix
- WWII area
- Went quickly
- Force unit

**DOWN**

- Golf expert (sl.)
- Not noisy
- Edible seaweed
- Trick
- Greek letters
- Medical suffix
- Singer — Torne
- First-rate (2 wds.)
- German Mrs.
- Charged particles
- Claim (sl.)
- Needless repetition
- Novelist Bagnold
- Inflict on (2 wds.)
- Ascended
- Becomes less severe
- Status —
- Guardian spirit
- Electrical unit
- Full
- Lose color
- Future attys. exam
- Lhasa — (dog breed)
- Soccer star
- Heating apparatus
- Folksinger Seeger
- Sharp bark
- Free

remarkable (sl.)



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### WALNUT COVE

By Mark Cullum

So how does it feel to be a bachelor again, Howard? Great!

Separating from Ethel has opened up a new world of personal growth for me.

I'm free to take risks, to explore, to ask questions that only the emancipated may ask.

Like how long do you microwave a frozen Big Mac? Like what?

### ARLO & JANIS

By Jimmy Johnson

IF YOU WANT TO TACKLE ME, JUST ASK!

### ECK & MEEK

By Howie Schneider

HONEY... I SOLD THE KIDS

IT'S A POLITICAL FILM...

IT CLEARLY SHOWS THAT THE POOR ECONOMY TAKES PRIORITY OVER FAMILY VALUES

### B.C.

By Johnny Hart

WHAT'S THAT THING? IT'S A TEE.

MAYBE YOU SHOULD USE A Y.

### MARVIN

By Tom Armstrong

LOOK, PUNK... ABCDE

HOW'D YOU LIKE TO LOSE SOME TEETH?!

YOU CAN'T LOSE SOMETHING YOU NEVER HAD

### MARMADUKE

By Brad Anderson

COMPLAINTS

"When we say we're mad, we ain't just a-woofin'!"

### KIT N' CARLYLE

By Larry Wright

I'LL BET IF I WERE A TIGER NOBODY WOULD LEAVE THE LID TO MY WATER DISH CLOSED...

### ALLEY OOP

By Dave Graue

LADIES, GENTLEMEN, SERFS AND PEASANTS! SIR ALLEY HAS KEPT HIS PROMISE AND RID US OF THE HORRIBLE BEAST!

...NOW I SHALL KEEP MINE! BRING FORTH THE CHEST!

THIS CHEST CONTAINS 200 PIECES OF GOLD! MY FRIEND! IT'S YOURS!

I ALSO PROCLAIM THE FIEFDOM OF BRIGHTWIK NOW BELONGS TO SIR ALLEY OF OOP!

WAIT A MINUTE! HOLD IT RIGHT THERE, DUKE!

### WINTHROP

By Dick Cavalli

I INTRODUCED MYSELF TO THE NEW PRINCIPAL TODAY.

I SAID, "I'M NASTY McNARF... YOU'VE HEARD OF ME?"

I WONDER WHO OUR NEW PRINCIPAL'S GOING TO BE.

### SNAFU

By Bruce Beattie

"She's so fast I named her Wife - Spending Money!"

### THE FAMILY CIRCUS

By Bill Keane

"Hi, Daddy! Did you know I learned how to dial the telephone?"

### CALVIN AND HOBBS

By Bill Watterson

I HATE SCHOOL! I'M NOT GOING TO SCHOOL EVER AGAIN! I REFUSE!

I THINK MOM LETTERED IN SHOT PUT HER JUNIOR YEAR.

### THE BORN LOSER

By Art and Chip Sansom

WHAT'S WITH THE MUTT, THORNAPPLE?

GLADYS ASKED WHAT I WANTED FOR MY BIRTHDAY LAST WEEK...

### FRANK AND ERNEST

By Bob Thaves

HOW LONG DO YOU THINK CIVILIZED SOCIETY WILL LAST?

THAT DEPENDS ON WHEN IT STARTS.

### PEANUTS

By Charles M. Schulz

DO THEY GIVE YOU HOMEWORK AT OBEDIENCE SCHOOL?

WE HAVE HOMEWORK EVERY NIGHT..

IT'S HARD TO WRITE A THOUSAND WORD THEME ON "SIT!"

### GARFIELD

By Jim Davis

I DON'T FEEL LIKE COOKING TONIGHT, GARFIELD

WE'LL HAVE SPAGHETTI AND MEATBALLS FROM THE CAN

IN SOME CULTURES THEY EAT CATS

NOT FROM THE CAN, I'LL BET

### Astro-Graph

by bernice bede osof

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Associates might lose their heads when unexpected developments occur today, but not you. When faced with uncertainty, you're apt to perform at your best. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail \$2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** If you can't be near your phone today, be sure to leave word where you can be reached. The aspects indicate someone with good news is anxious to get in touch with you.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** You might be exposed to a series of rather unique developments today; after the dust has settled, you may discover what transpired was good for you in material ways.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** If you run into a situation today unlike anything you've ever encountered, don't be intimidated. Your ingenuity will supply answers that your experience lacks.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Commercial dealings you have with friends today should work out profitably for all concerned, especially if a new type of merchandise is involved.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** It's always a pleasant surprise when we discover that someone we thought didn't like us actually does care. This form of revelation might await you today.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Fortunately, you possess aptitude for innovation and resourcefulness, which you might have to call upon to solve problems at work today. The results should be gratifying.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** If too much routine has been tying you down lately, break away today and do something different. The change will have a wonderful effect on your attitude.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Some constructive changes you've been hoping for might transpire today, and this may give you an opportunity to resolve two situations that have been hung up in the undecided column.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Usually, you like to take your time when deliberating, but decisions could come to you in a flash today. These inspirational insights might be very helpful.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Before calling in an expensive craftsman to perform small tasks for you today, check with some of your handy friends to see if they will help you for much less.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Keep your social schedule as flexible as possible today; there's a chance something interesting could pop up that you'll want to be free to attend.



# Sports

## Mark, my Words

By Mark Spencer



### Another hat might change Pampa's luck

In this column last week, I expressed my view why the Harvesters weren't winning.

I suggested they were merely overscheduled. They were a fine team biting off more than they could chew.

Of course, in that same column, Pampa Coach Dennis Cavalier refuted that notion blaming the losses on less-than-good performances.

Touche.

But now sportsfans, I proudly write that I have hit upon one out-of-the-ordinary thing that can change Pampa's season around. And, get this, I have convinced Cavalier of the same thing.

Before I tell what we agreed upon, just let me say it is not without precedent, for coaches to do strange things to break losing streaks.

Oklahoma State's Pat Jones literally buried symbols of the Cowboys 1991 probation-plagued winless season in the dirt outside Lewis Stadium. The Cowboys then won their first game this year.

A few seasons ago, then-Cincinnati Coach Sam Wyche hired a witch doctor to say magic spells over a Bengals jersey. The team responded with a victory over the Houston Oilers.

More recently, Mississippi State Coach Jackie Sherrill had a bull castrated on the Bulldogs' practice field in front of his team as a "motivational tool." I don't know if it's had an effect but the Bulldogs are off to a good start.

So how about it Coach? Aren't you a little superstitious.

"I'm not," Cavalier said Tuesday. "Not normally, no." Ah, but he was listening.

I quickly suggested Cavalier make a personal sacrifice and get rid of that beaten and faded hat he wears. Change to a different hat, I said. The luck has run out of the old one.

"You think that's it, huh?" Cavalier said. "You think that's our problem?"

Well besides occasional penalties and turnovers, I guess it could be.

After all, Boston's Wade Boggs eats chicken before every game for luck. Cavalier's green-and-gold hat with the white P on it looks like it's been Kentucky Fried. (See photo, this page).

"Actually, once I get a hat broke in I get attached to it," Cavalier explained. "I've had this one a long time. It's sweat-stained and kind of crumpled up because I've lost it a few times in the wind or thrown it down in disgust a few times. It just feels good on my head."

"Basically, when you're as ugly a guy as I am, you don't care about how you look."

Accepting that answer for the time being, I asked if there were any plans similar to Jones' for getting rid of the memories of the Harvesters first non-district games.

"I'd certainly like to do that," Cavalier said of a burial. "Of course, we have two more weeks of non-district games left. But I'd certainly like to put what's happened so far behind us — figuratively or literally."

"But I tell you what, I'll consider the hat thing."

So on we talked. Here's a brief summary of what we discussed and what will be elaborated on in greater detail this week: Vernon is good. Pampa is far from giving up. And district 1-4A is shaping into a real dogfight.

As I wrapped up the interview, I persisted. Change the hat, I said.

"All right," Cavalier said perhaps in disgust to my beckoning request. "I'm changing it. I'm changing it today. You've convinced me I need to do that. But I will not do a Jackie Sherrill or anything like that."

Thank goodness.

Now just hope, Harvesters fans, that Cavalier's hat isn't the only change Friday night.

## Cavalier takes blame for slow start

By MARK SPENCER  
Sports Editor

Tired of talking about the effects of three consecutive opening season losses, Pampa Coach Dennis Cavalier was ready to point the finger of blame Tuesday.

And he pointed it straight at himself.

"I am devastated," Cavalier said. "I don't like it. Professionally, I'm very competitive. Losing games I consider to be personal defeats. I'm also hurting for our players to enjoy the exhilaration of success."

Those feelings have been at times seemingly very close like during the Harvesters' 28-17 loss to Plainview last week. Other times, like during Pampa's 36-7 loss to Amarillo High two weeks ago, a victorious feeling has almost completely eluded the Harvesters.

Losing has hit some of the Harvesters hard, Cavalier said. But personally, it's hit him the hardest.

"Very much so," Cavalier said. "I'm taking responsibility for it."

And just as some may question the Harvesters somewhat after three games, Cavalier is no different.

"When you lose three consecutive games, everyone begins to question the validity of what it is you're doing," Cavalier said. "Certainly, I have. Confidence gets undermined, and everything gets tentative. We are no exception to anyone going through that...I've been in this position as an athlete, also. You just aren't sure if it's working, and there's a tendency to say, 'Why isn't this working?' As a head coach, I've begun to question various things that we've done."

The questions being posed are a bit

perplexing, but they are not unanswerable.

"One of the traditional coaching truisms in times like this is to become more basic and more fundamental," Cavalier said. "Don't abandon your offense or abandon your defense. Just reduce it and become more simplistic."

That strategy showed flashes of brilliance Friday against Plainview as the Harvesters lined up in a limited number of formations and rolled up their biggest offensive game of the season with 315 total yards.

Although successful, the strategy gnaws at Cavalier's basic coaching instinct — to add to an offense as the season progresses, not simplify it.

"There's a tremendous urge personally to try something unique or unusual to turn the tide," Cavalier said. "We have attempted to follow the philosophy we had last week again this week. We did better then. But like I said, it's very tempting to abandon what it is we've been doing, particularly because it hasn't worked to the point we want."

Friday against Vernon, the Harvesters are planning to stick to a basic gameplan much like last week. They will still be running some misdirection plays but with less motion and shifting prior to the snap.

For Cavalier, the key difference, hopefully, is that the Harvesters will run their offense better and with more consistency.

"My reaction is to work harder and longer," Cavalier said. "Basically, this is what I'm doing this week. Of course, there's only so many hours in a day. But with what I have, I'm working harder and stronger. I'm wanting very badly for our players to enjoy a victory."



Pampa Coach Dennis Cavalier gives instructions to Harvesters quarterback Tony Cavalier during Friday's game with Plainview at Harvester Stadium. (Staff photo by Daniel Wiggers)

## Back injury threatens Gretzky's season

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP)

Wayne Gretzky, sidelined with a back injury, vows to return to the game he loves, even though his doctor doesn't know when that will be.

Gretzky, the NHL's all-time leading scorer, has a herniated thoracic disk, an injury that could possibly end his career, although his doctor said Tuesday that chances for a full recovery are good.

Gretzky, 31 and coming off the worst season of his storied career, ruled out retirement and made it clear he wants to return to hockey as soon as possible.

"First of all, it's my life," he said. "Right now, I don't have anything on my plate or on my mind that excites me to that level. Everyone in life has something they love to do. I have to give it my best effort. From the first day, I've been very positive about it."

The injury leaves the National Hockey League — at least temporarily — without its biggest star, a nine-time league MVP and nine-time scoring champion. Since entering the league in 1979 at age 18, Gretzky has dominated the sport like no one before him, amassing 58 NHL records.



Los Angeles Kings captain Wayne Gretzky reacts to a question at a news conference in Inglewood, Calif., Tuesday. (AP Photo)

"When the season ended, I went on a holiday with my family. I spent some time in a clinic in Hawaii. I thought I had sore ribs."

At times the pain went away, and Gretzky said he felt very good when training camp began Sept. 10.

"The only thing I'm dealing with right now is getting rid of the pain so I can walk down the street with you guys," he told reporters at a press conference. "I'm going to be as aggressive, as hard-working on this as possible."

"For those people who said 'Wayne Gretzky never gets hit,' I'm up here proving that it's a lie."

Gretzky called for the NHL to enforce rules on hitting from behind. Although he said he wasn't certain how he was injured, it seemed clear he believes that a hit from behind, or more than one hit, caused his current problem.

"That's an excellent way to get this kind of injury," Watkins said.

The doctor said the disk has extracted out into the spinal canal, putting intense pressure on one of the nerves in Gretzky's ribs. There is no evidence of injury to the spinal cord, Watkins added.

"This is something that has the potential for complete recovery," Watkins said. "We're optimistic he will recover."

Watkins has also treated two other famous backs — those of Lemieux and Los Angeles Dodgers outfielder Darryl Strawberry. Strawberry recently underwent surgery.

Gretzky has been on medication and that, along with rest, has helped rid him of much of his pain. Watkins said Gretzky would not have to be put in traction.

Gretzky's accomplishments are legend. He is the only player in NHL history with 2,000 points, surpassing Gordie Howe's record of 1,850 on Oct. 15, 1989, in a dramatic return to Edmonton, where he had played for 10 brilliant seasons.

He did it in Gretzky style. The record-breaking point was scored with 53 seconds left in regulation and tied the game. He then scored in overtime to give the Kings a 4-3 victory.

Probably the most amazing of all the Great One's numbers is that he has broken the 200-point barrier four times in a sport where 100 is considered a great accomplishment.

## Roberts' decision produces big three-team trade in NBA

NEW YORK (AP) — It took 3 1/2 weeks for Stanley Roberts to make up his mind. When he finally did, the makeup of the New York Knicks and the Los Angeles Clippers changed dramatically.

Roberts agreed Tuesday to waive a no-trade clause in his contract, allowing the Orlando Magic to move him in a three-team trade.

Roberts, a 7-foot center, went to the Clippers along with point guard Mark Jackson. Forward Charles Smith and guards Glenn "Doc" Rivers and Bo Kimble went to the Knicks, and Orlando got two first-round draft picks. The Clippers also got a 1995 second-round pick from the Knicks.

The teams agreed on the trade in August, but Roberts' refusal to waive the no-trade clause in his five-year, \$14.4 million deal held it up. He changed his mind Tuesday after reflecting on a weekend trip to Los Angeles where he met with Clippers coach Larry Brown, general manager Elgin Baylor and owner Donald Sterling.

"When Stanley got an opportunity to come out, once he got here and ... got a chance to see the city, he loved it. That was his major concern, the lifestyle. He's from a small city," Baylor said.

The acquisition of Smith filled the Knicks' need for another forward. They lost Xavier McDaniel when he signed with the Boston Celtics as a free agent, and backup small forward Kiki Vandeweghe was released after last season.

The Knicks strengthened their bench by picking up Tony Campbell from the Min-

nesota Timberwolves last week, and now boast a starting front line of Patrick Ewing, Smith and Charles Oakley.

"We feel comfortable with our club right now. Up front we have five very solid players," said Knicks general manager Ernie Grunfeld. "We're two-deep and even three-deep at all our positions."

For the Magic, the desire to continue building through the draft was the reason for the trade. Orlando chose first in the summer draft and took Shaquille O'Neal. They still have 19.9-point scorers Dennis Scott and Nick Anderson from the 1989 and 1990 drafts. Roberts was the No. 1 pick in 1991.

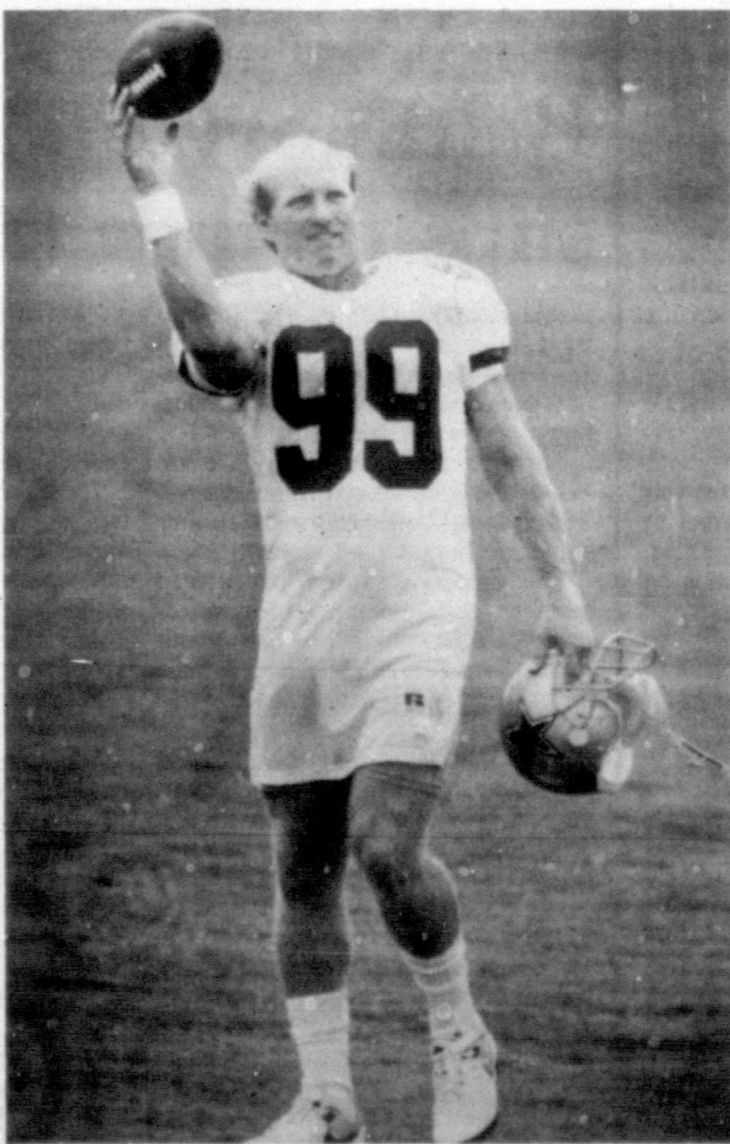
"We feel we've had some tremendous success in the past college drafts," said director of player personnel John Gabriel. "The coaching staff is very comfortable with the young nucleus of talent we have ... and they like the future scenario that this trade has created."

The Magic gets New York's first-round draft choice in 1993 and the worst of LA's two No. 1 selections in either 1993 or 1994.

Roberts, 22, said he has no hard feelings toward the Magic.

"I felt like I had a pretty good season last year in Orlando, but now it's time to move on, build on that, and look forward to my future with a solid young franchise."

"(The trade) was hard to swallow at first, but I've come to understand this is a business and this was a business decision that they felt had to be made. The Magic didn't want me and the Clippers did," he said.



Terry Bradshaw goes through a mock tryout with the Dallas Cowboys Tuesday. (AP Photo)

## Bradshaw gets joking look from Cowboys

IRVING (AP) — The never-satisfied Dallas Cowboys have rebuilt through the draft, Plan B free agency, blockbuster trades. You name it.

But fans peering through the gates at the Cowboys' Valley Ranch practice facilities Tuesday couldn't believe their eyes.

Hall of Fame quarterback Terry Bradshaw, who won four Super Bowls with the Pittsburgh Steelers, was in a Dallas jersey and showing coach Jimmy Johnson his rusty wares.

"We took a good look at Terry Bradshaw," Johnson said afterwards, somewhat less than half-seriously. "He still throws the ball very well, but we have a quarterback on the reserve-inactive list who fits the bill more so than Terry: Roger Staubach."

Bradshaw, a resident of nearby Roanoke, went through a mock tryout with the Cowboys on Tuesday for an NFL Today feature scheduled for broadcast Sunday on CBS.

Johnson and two Cowboys players, quarterback Troy Aikman and tight end Alfredo Roberts, attended for the dual purposes of credibility and public relations.

"I reminded him how many times we beat the Cowboys, and wasn't winning worth something?" said Bradshaw, who led the Steelers past the Cowboys in Super Bowls X and XIII.

Bradshaw, 44, retired after 14 NFL seasons in 1983. Tuesday, he wore a white No. 99 jersey and Michael Irvin's shoulder pads. Bradshaw completed all six of his passes.

But no, he won't be in uniform Oct. 5 when the Cowboys play their Monday night showdown against the Philadelphia Eagles.

"I don't know what I'll do now," Bradshaw told *The Dallas Morning News*. "The Arena League is out, and the World League is off for a year. If things don't work out — and I hope they do — Jimmy said he'd make some phone calls for me. If (Eagles coach Rich) Kotite finds out I'm here, he might have me in just to pick my brain."

Bradshaw insisted one factor in Johnson's refusal to sign him was his determination to call his own plays.

"I did that for 14 years," Bradshaw said. "That was our first confrontation. He thought maybe I was a troublemaker."

Sports Scene

BASEBALL
By The Associated Press
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AMERICAN LEAGUE
East Division
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Houston (Blair 5-8) at San Diego (Seminara 8-4), 4:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Drabek 14-10) at Montreal (Krueger 0-0), 7:35 p.m.

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San Francisco 000 000 10-1 6 0
San Diego 000 100 10x-2 8 0

Minnesota at Cincinnati, 1 p.m.
San Diego at Houston, 1 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Detroit, 1 p.m.

Indianapolis 179.3 52.3 127.0
Denver 169.3 54.3 115.0
DEFENSE
San Diego 228.7 64.0 164.7

Soofos: All-Stars 6, Cobras 5; Braves 9, Side Kicks 1; Dream Team 3, Renegades 1; Phoenix 1, Wild Thunder 0.

Seven athletes of the week at PHS
Seven athletes have been named athletes of the week by the Harvesters Booster Club upon the recommendation of the school's coaches.

San Jacinto tops Lefors
LEFORS - Lefors fell to San Jacinto of Amarillo in a volleyball match Tuesday night.

Baltimore doesn't use Jays' help, slips further from divisional race
BALTIMORE (AP) - The Toronto Blue Jays gave Baltimore several chances to climb back into the pennant race Tuesday night.

Del Greco stabilizes Houston
HOUSTON (AP) - Houston's Al Del Greco had to kick a field goal twice against the Kansas City Chiefs to get his career-best 54-yarder.

Team Statistics
By The Associated Press
TOTAL YARDAGE
AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE
OFFENSE

NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE
OFFENSE
Buffalo 1231 483 748
L.A. Raiders 1231 349 882

Pampa, I-9, opens District 1-4A play at 2 p.m. Saturday at Amarillo Caprock.

King led Pampa in the two-game point totals with nine, followed by Kasey Bowers, four; Lizeth Arreola and Candi Atwood, two each; Tammy Chesher and Laura Adams, one each.

Twice Baltimore had the tying run on third base with one out, and both times failed to score.

Del Greco made six of seven field goal attempts this season but feels he should have been perfect.

Del Greco took consolation, however, by watching Kansas City's Nick Lowery miss a 20-yard field goal try in the third quarter that would have given the Chiefs a 16-6 lead.

Del Greco's performance was part of the overall improvement in the special teams' showing from the first two games.

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# Yugoslavia banned from U.N. General Assembly

By ANDREW KATELL  
Associated Press Writer

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Yugoslavia was without a voice at the United Nations today, ostracized by the world community for waging war on former republics of the shattered Balkan federation.

The General Assembly voted 127-6 late Tuesday to bar Yugoslavia — now comprising only Serbia and Montenegro — from voting or speaking in its chambers or committees.

Five African nations and Yugoslavia voted against what amounted to the most severe diplomatic sanctions ever imposed on a U.N. member.

The Serb-led Belgrade government is left in near total international isolation, its economy already being strangled by a U.N.-imposed trade embargo.

The United Nations has been stepping up pressure on Yugoslavia after determining that Serbs were mostly to blame for the 15-month-old conflict in Croatia and Bosnia, which has left more than 20,000 dead by conservative count.

It was not immediately clear, however, whether Yugoslavia has been fully stripped of U.N. membership. Some nations, led by Russia, believe Yugoslavia can continue to attend General Assembly sessions and maintain its U.N. mission. The United States insists Yugoslavia is no longer a member and that its flag and assembly nameplate be removed today.

U.S. Ambassador Edward Perkins issued a statement saying Yugoslavia's "membership in the United Nations has therefore expired."

Yugoslavia's premier, Milan Panic, made a last-minute appeal to the General Assembly then walked out before the vote — which may have been Yugoslavia's last in the chamber.

"I seek your support and recognition. Do not undermine a man of peace and peace-loving Yugoslavs," Panic begged delegates.

## Report: Meeting set Saturday by deKlerk, Mandela

By GREG MYRE  
Associated Press Writer

JOHANNESBURG. South Africa (AP) — President F.W. de Klerk and ANC leader Nelson Mandela are expected to meet Saturday in a bid to revive black-white negotiations, according to a report today.

A summit between the two leaders is seen as a crucial first step in resolving the political crisis that has steadily worsened since June, when talks on ending apartheid collapsed.

A tentative agreement for the meeting was reached Tuesday night in talks between Roelf Meyer, the government's constitutional minister, and Cyril Ramaphosa, secretary general of the African National Congress, according to the independent South African Press Association.

De Klerk's Cabinet met today, as did the ANC's National Working Committee, its policy-making body, to review the plans for a summit.

"The matter is under discussion today," said ANC spokesman Carl Niehaus. But he said there was no guarantee a decision would be announced as reported by SAPA.

De Klerk appealed to Mandela to attend a summit after 28 ANC demonstrators were shot and killed by security forces in the nominally independent black homeland of Ciskei on Sept. 7.

The killings further strained relations between the government and the ANC, which have been deteriorating for months. The ANC pulled out of constitutional negotiations in June to protest violence in black townships.

The violence has shown no signs of abating. More than 50 blacks have died in fighting since last weekend.

De Klerk says black-white negotiations are the only way to establish a transitional government that includes the black majority.

But before Mandela meets de Klerk, the ANC wants to obtain the release of 400 activists imprisoned for politically motivated crimes.

The government previously has refused, saying the 400 do not qualify as political prisoners because they committed violence, including murder.

SAPA said today that the government has now agreed to a phased release of the activists. In return, the government wants a general amnesty that would cover security force members who committed crimes under apartheid.

Panic, a Serbian-born U.S. citizen, warned that the suspension might hurt peace efforts, even though Belgrade will be allowed to participate in U.N.-sponsored negotiations in Geneva.

"We have cooperated with the United Nations in every way we could," he said. "We will continue to do so regardless of the action you take."

Panic moved immediately to restore Serbia and Montenegro, requesting U.N. membership as a new state.

The 15-nation Security Council has said it would review Yugoslavia's status by mid-December, but members such as the United States and Britain have insisted Belgrade first comply with peace accords.

The punishment of Yugoslavia is without precedent in the 47-year history of the United Nations, of which it was a founding member.

Even Iraq, subject to dozens of punitive resolutions after its August 1990 invasion of Kuwait, was

allowed to continue as a U.N. member.

South Africa, stripped of its voting rights in the General Assembly in 1974 because of its apartheid policies, also has retained U.N. status.

Yugoslavia claimed to have inherited the U.N. seat of the former six-member federation — similar to Russia's takeover of the former Soviet seat. It will still qualify for aid from the World Health Organization, UNICEF and other U.N. agencies, but such assistance is given to both U.N. and non-U.N. members.

Four former Yugoslav republics have declared independence — Bosnia-Herzegovina, Croatia, Slovenia and Macedonia. All but Macedonia are now U.N. members.

Besides Yugoslavia, nations voting against the measure were: Tanzania, Zambia, Zimbabwe, Swaziland and Kenya. Twenty-six countries abstained, mostly Third World nations joined by China. Twenty other members did not vote.

Zimbabwe's ambassador, Simbarashe Mumbengegwi, said the decision was not authorized under the U.N. Charter. He told the assembly the ruling "opens a Pandora's box of dire consequences for the United Nations."

Many countries felt uncomfortable taking such harsh action against Yugoslavia in Panic's presence. They view him as the best chance for peace because of his moderate views and opposition to Serbian nationalists such as Serbian President Slobodan Milosevic.

British Foreign Secretary Douglas Hurd — speaking on behalf of all 12 European Community members — and Russian Foreign Minister Andrei Kozyrev departed from the prepared texts of their speeches earlier in the day to praise Panic, a California businessman.

But Dutch Foreign Minister Hans van den Broek told the General Assembly: "We see massive aggression, destruction, impending starva-



(AP Photo) The Yugoslav delegation watches as Sir David Hanay, Britain's Ambassador to the U.N., not shown, introduces a resolution to suspend Yugoslavia's membership to the United Nations Tuesday night.

tion, and even the establishment of concentration camps, all with a view to making large area 'ethnically clean,' as the saying goes. "Everyone knows who is mainly responsible," he said.

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