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Concerned Citizens Who Dare members Ernie Mathis, left, and Chilly Bradshaw speak with Keep Texas Beautiful President SusAnn Crouse and Richard Jones, right, during a city tour Tuesday.

(Staff photo by Jeff Carruth)

KTB officials view Pampa's beauty

By JEFF CARRUTH
Staff Writer

Three representatives of Keep Texas Beautiful toured Pampa Tuesday in preparation for a July 2 banquet in Austin that will recognize the city's recent beautification award.

Members of Clean Pampa Inc. led Keep Texas Beautiful President SusAnn Crouse and two staff members throughout the city highlighting community clean-up and awareness projects and interviewing local residents involved in the efforts.

The interviews and photographs taken by the KTB delegation will be part of the formal presentation of the Governor's Community Achievement Award to Pampa at the banquet.

Crouse, sound technician Richard Jones and photographer Bill Records began their day at Recreation Park east of the city, where City Manager Glen Hackler discussed the park project and the significance of the award.

After a stop at Wilson Elementary School for an explanation of the school's aluminum collection program, the group toured the recycling center behind the Hobart Street Park complex.

Next, they traveled to Cuyler

Street to hear an overview of the Keep the Drag Clean program by Gary Gattis and police Lt. Steve Chance.

The morning portion of the tour ended with a visit to the 700 block of South Gray where members of Concerned Citizens Who Dare were clearing vacant lots.

"It's citizens like you who are the backbone of what we're trying to do in Texas," Crouse told Ernie Mathis and Chilly Bradshaw of CCWD.

After lunch, officials with Clean Pampa took the delegation to Travis Elementary, where third grade students performed their musical "Recycling and Saving the Earth." Teachers Pam Zemanek and Judi Forister explained the "Waste in Place" curriculum.

The group then stopped at KGRO-KOMX, where Austin Elementary students Colby Brazile, Cali and Cami George and Crystal Packard recorded public service announcements promoting environmental awareness.

Pampa ISD representative Teri Hackler described the district's contributions to the education programs while Travis Elementary students Cali Covalt, Heather Parry, Matthew Crow and Brian Kline told Crouse what they had learned in school.

All of the day's activities were

photographed by Records while interviews with local residents involved in clean-up efforts and school children were taped by Jones. KTB will combine the photographs and interviews for a presentation of the Pampa beautification program during the July banquet.

Additionally, Clean Pampa representative Bonner Green is preparing a video documenting activities associated with the award.

Crouse said Pampa's program is unique for the environmental awareness it has generated in the city's children.

"I've been impressed with the involvement of the children. Their level of interest is just profound," she said.

Crouse called the Pampa program an example for the rest of the state and said the relationship between Clean Pampa and KTB will continue.

"I think they (Clean Pampa) are hooked on keeping this thing going," she said.

Pam Green, coordinator of Clean Pampa, said she thought Crouse saw the backbone of Pampa's beautification program.

"If it weren't for the efforts of the volunteers in the community, this award would not have been possible," she said.

City OKs rate hike for trash collection

By RANDAL K. McGAVOCK
Staff Writer

The people of Pampa will soon be paying more to get rid of trash.

The Pampa City Commission voted unanimously Tuesday to increase amount the city charges to pick up trash at residential and commercial locations while at the same time doing away with the gate fees at the landfill.

"Thanks to the federal government, and the passing down of unfunded mandates, this is something we have to do to stay in the landfill business and provide it for the citizens of Pampa," said Mayor Richard Peet. "It's the only way we can meet those new charges which are enormous."

The new fees would increase residential rates from \$8.50 per month, which it is now, to \$12 per month.

For commercial rates, the fee would increase from \$26 per month to \$30 per month. That commercial rate is for one dumpster and for one pickup per week with the cost increasing depending on the number of dumpsters and the number of time they are emptied per week.

In his remarks about "unfunded mandates," Peet was referring specifically to Subtitle D, a program from the Environmental Protection Agency which makes increased requirements on municipal landfills.

According to the city, Subtitle D forces the city to spend a great deal of money to close old landfills and monitor and prepare new landfill in the near future.

To date, more than \$200,000 has already been spent by the city to meet the requirements of the mandate.

In a related issue, the commission approved the pur-

chase of 73 used refuse containers from Precision Flames at a cost of \$13,870.

City Manager Glen Hackler said the containers were at one time owned by the city of Chicago and were hardly used.

Chicago returned the containers to the manufacturer a short time after the refuse containers were purchased because a city official objected to their color, Hackler said.

Currently, the containers are being refinished and repainted by the manufacturer and should be delivered within 30 days.

In other business, the commissioners accepted the bids for two properties in Pampa.

The first is located at 927 E. Denver and was purchased for \$380.

The second property is located at 1112 S. Wilcox and was purchased by the Top O' Texas Kiwanis for a price of \$300.

In addition, new equipment was purchased for the Pampa Fire Department and Pampa's Solid Waste Department.

An Olathe chipper was purchased for \$16,300 from Goldthwaite's, the lowest of four bidders.

The city, in fact, only paid \$8,150 for the chipper. The additional \$8,150 came from a composting grant the city recently received from the Texas Water Commission.

As for the fire department, the commission approved the purchase of 1000-feet of hose, two air packs and a number of valves and nozzles at a total cost of \$9,258.

Finally, the City Commission had the second readings of two ordinances dealing with amending the 1991-1992 budget and the 1992-1993 budget.

No bids received for lake concession

By JOHN McMILLAN
Staff Writer

The U.S. Forest Service received no bids for the right to serve as manager of Lake McClellan National Grassland Park, Reggie Blackwell, district ranger of the Forest Service, said Tuesday.

Gray County Commissioners voted 4-1 on June 1 not to apply for that contract, with Commissioner Gerald Wright dissenting. Commissioners Court decided that the county will continue its management role of the park through Sept. 30, a decision designed to give the Forest Service ample time to appoint a long-term manager of the park.

Blackwell said Tuesday that the Forest Service might consider making a second request for bids on management of Lake McClellan park. Such a bid solicitation, he added, might not be for a multi-year contract.

On the recently completed bid solicitations, the deadline by which applications to the Forest Service had to be postmarked was June 5.

"We certainly would have liked to have gotten some bids, but it's just one of those things," said Blackwell, who spoke in a long-distance telephone interview from his office in Cheyenne, Okla. "Since we didn't, we'll just have to look at some other management alternatives for that park."

Informed on Tuesday that there were no bids submitted on the Lake McClellan park management contract, Gray County Judge Carl Kennedy expressed disappointment. "I was hoping there would be some financially strong individuals or company that would be interested in becoming the operator of Lake McClellan," he said.

Kennedy also said that the Commissioners Court would be interest-

ed in receiving bid specifications if there were a second bid solicitation on a park management contract, but that he could not say in advance whether the commissioners would decide to submit a bid in response to such a solicitation.

Blackwell said the Forest Service has not yet decided whether it will assign Forest Service employees to manage the park. If it does, he said, the Forest Service could place two or three Forest Service employees at the park to manage it during the summer season - the busiest season of the year for visitors at Lake McClellan.

Although items such as bait are currently sold in a store at the park, Blackwell noted that the Forest Service is not authorized by the federal government to operate a retail store at Lake McClellan.

"We're basically just charged with land-management responsibilities," he said.

Nathan Hopson named interim city manager

By RANDAL K. McGAVOCK
Staff Writer

Nathan Hopson, Pampa's director of public works, was named interim city manager during Tuesday's City Commission meeting.

The announcement came after city commissioners, the mayor, the city manager and many of the city's department heads emerged from an executive session in which the matter was discussed.

Hopson said he was surprised by the announcement.

"I already feel the responsibility of the job," he said. "It's a very responsible position."

As of this morning, however, Hopson said he is still coming to terms with the duties of the interim position and he appreciated the City Commission allowing him time to coordinate his duties with that of the outgoing city manager.

Hopson will assume the interim duties the first week of July.

City Manager Glen Hackler didn't seem surprised by the decision of the city commissioners.

"I think it is a very logical deci-

sion since Nathan has been here for eight years, since he was been an interim city manager in Sweetwater, prior to coming to Pampa, and he is a senior member of the management team," said Hackler.

Hopson said he sees his job as that of a caretaker of current policy until the new city manager is chosen.

"The ship's on course and we're not going to change the course," he said.

Hopson does not know how long he is to serve as the interim city manager. The City Commission has not set a date by which a new city manager will be named.

Hopson went on to add that he had no desire to apply for the city manager position which becomes vacant July 5.

That is the date Hackler will assume the position of assistant city manager in Midland.



Hopson

Pantex conducts popular public tours

By CHERYL BERZANSKIS
Lifestyles Editor

Public tours have become quite the popular thing at the Department of Energy's Pantex Plant, located west of Panhandle. The tours, which began in January, offer a view of the facility never before available to the general public.

About 60 people tour the plant each month, according to Chris Harkins, plant tour director. They include civic groups, business groups and the just plain curious. Visitors include the doves and hawks of national defense policy.

Three hours of information includes a general plant briefing, a dismantlement presentation and an overview of environmental safety and health issues associated with the manufacture and dismantlement of nuclear weapons. A bus tour circles the security-conscious facility where going in and coming out are not so simple as opening a door.

While the public may be visiting more freely than before, Pantex's reputation as a fortress is under no attack. In keeping with their original mission as a fabricator of chemical high explosive components for nuclear weapons, an armed security police force, decked out in "chocolate chip" fatigues, escorts visitors on the defined route.

Tour participants wear badges, present picture identification and declare that they are United States citizens before being briefed on the particulars of the Pantex operation. They are warned that their machine guns, armor-piercing ammunition and brass knuckles are subject to confiscation.

Tour speakers take care to impress upon their visitors not only the magnitude of the job they are assigned to do - primarily disassembly and maintenance of nuclear

weapons for the nation's stockpile - but that individual tasks in weapons work are prescribed, proscribed and double and triple checked.

Quality control, or making sure explosive material works like it's supposed to, is the function of a group of explosive technicians to whom "a second is all day," in the words of section manager Robert Johnson.

Cameras costing \$150,000 to \$200,000 measure nanoseconds of time and digitizers track tiny movements made when a molecule of explosive transforms itself into

deadly force. Test firing aims to measure transit time, velocity and simultaneity of implosion, Johnson said. Each test may cost several thousand dollars.

The time it takes to perform a test may be brief, but analyzing data gathered by complex cameras which can shoot 100,000,000 frames of film in a second and measure the velocity of speeding atoms takes much more.

Detonation requires thousand of amps in nanoseconds of time, Johnson said. Presenters emphasized that no nuclear testing is done at the

facility, only that of high explosive material.

Four levels of security clearance define the sensitivity of the jobs performed by the 3,100 employees on the 16,000 acres.

The most secure areas are encircled with razor wire and motion sensitive buffers, called PIDAS beds (an acronym for personnel intrusion detection and surveillance system), to keep out the spies and the nosy. Wire criss-crosses above the super-secure bomb and plutonium storage bunkers to stop anyone so foolhardy

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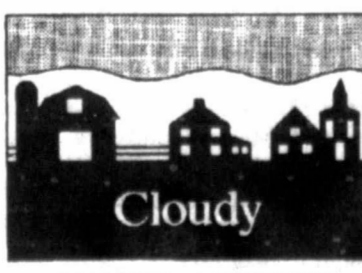
The Department of Energy's Pantex Plant is the primary disassembly point for nuclear weapons in the United States. It stands east of Amarillo, north of Texas 60.

(Staff photo by Cheryl Berzanskis)

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Daily Record

Services tomorrow

HONAKER, Charles W. — 1:30 p.m., Forest Park Westheimer Funeral Home, Houston.

MOORE, Oletta F. — 10:30 a.m., First Baptist Church, Miami.

ROSS, Alta — 10 a.m., Morrison Funeral Directors Memorial Chapel, Dumas.

SPRUELL, M. Chlorene — 2 p.m., Boxwell Brothers Ivy Chapel, Amarillo.

WHITELEY, Kansas — 2 p.m., Wheeler Church of Christ, Wheeler.

Obituaries

IRENE HANTSCHÉ
Irene Hantsche, 61, died Tuesday, June 8, 1993. Services will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel, with the Rev. Art Hill, pastor of Zion Lutheran Church, officiating. Burial will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Lutheran Cemetery west of Winters, with Pastor Jim Hanson, pastor of St. John's Lutheran Church, officiating.

Mrs. Hantsche was born on July 12, 1931, at Purcell, Okla. She had been a resident of Pampa for 37 years, having moved here from Purcell. She married Ted Hantsche on Feb. 14, 1975, in Taos, N.M. She worked for Southwestern Bell Telephone in Pampa as a receptionist for 12 years during the 1970s.

Survivors include her husband, Ted, of the home; two sons, Nicky Brumfield of Phoenix, Ariz., and Jerry Brumfield of Pampa; a daughter, Debra Murphy of Amarillo; a brother, Donnie McCann of Oklahoma City, Okla.; three sisters, Bobby Mullins of Collierville, Tenn., Fredia Donathan of El Paso and LaDon Kennedy of Purcell, Okla.; nine grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the Hospice of the Panhandle, Box 2782, Pampa, Texas, 79066-2782.

TRAVIS D. KEELIN
WHEELER — Travis D. Keelin, 75, of Briscoe, died Monday, June 7, 1993. Services will be at 2:30 p.m. today in First Baptist Church of Wheeler, with the Rev. Don Larkin, retired Baptist minister of Amarillo, and the Rev. Robert Helsley, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Born in Fannin County, Mr. Keelin moved to Briscoe in 1940. He married Rosalie Bradstreet in 1940 at Dumas. He was a custom harvester and construction worker. He was a member of the Baptist church in Briscoe until it disbanded.

Survivors include his wife; four sons, James Keelin of Briscoe, Jerry Keelin of Shamrock, Gene Keelin of Wheeler and Joey Keelin of Pasadena; 12 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to a favorite charity.

J. LAWRENCE REDDELL
HOBBS, N.M. — J. Lawrence Reddell, 88, died Monday, June 7, 1993, at Hobbs, N.M. Masonic graveside rites will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Fairview Cemetery in Pampa, courtesy of Top O' Texas Masonic Lodge #1381 AF&AM. Arrangements are by Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors of Pampa, Texas.

Mr. Reddell was born on July 9, 1904, in Oklahoma. He was a resident of Pampa from 1950 until 1987, when he moved to Hobbs. He married Hattie Elizabeth Smart on Oct. 5, 1923, in Wagoner, Okla.; she died in 1986. He was a bookkeeper for Groninger & King Trucking Co. for several years and later owned and operated Bee-Bee Oil Co. He was a life member of Top O' Texas Masonic Lodge #1381 AF&AM.

Survivors include two sons, Tom Reddell of Aurora, Colo., and Jim Reddell of Pampa; a daughter, Mary Nell Wells of Hobbs, N.M.; three brothers, Arthur Reddell of Lake Charles, La., Pat Reddell of Longview, Texas, and Cecil Reddell of Duncan, Okla.; three sisters, Sadie Reddell of Lake Charles, La., Jewel Hughley of Bartlesville, Okla., and Merle Reddell of McAlester, Okla.; 12 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

FRED H. REYNOLDS
QUINCY, Fla. — Fred H. Reynolds, 64, a member of civic and religious organizations in Groom, Texas, died Monday, June 7, 1993. Graveside services were at 11 a.m. today in Roselawn Cemetery at Tallahassee. Arrangements are by Sasser-Morgan-McClellan Funeral Home.

Mr. Reynolds, born in Amarillo, moved to Quincy, Fla., in 1990. He was a self-employed railroad building contractor in Jacksonville, Fla., from 1953 to 1987. He was a manager of the Allison House Inn in Quincy, Fla. He was a Mason and a member of the Centenary United Methodist Church and Scottish Rite in Groom.

Survivors include his wife, Patricia B. Reynolds; two sons, Monte Joseph Reynolds of Jacksonville, Fla., and William Boyd Reynolds of Tallahassee, Fla.; two daughters, Christopher Ann Foxwell and Rebecca Louise Hollis, both of Tallahassee, Fla.; two brothers, George W. Reynolds of Burbank, Calif., and Boyd Reynolds of Tallahassee, Fla.; a sister, Christopher Barkley of Amarillo; and nine grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to Children's Home Society of Florida, 1201 Hays St., Suite 100, Tallahassee, Fla., 32301.

ALTA ROSS
DUMAS — Alta Ross, 86, sister of a Pampa resident, died Tuesday, June 8, 1993. Services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday in Morrison Funeral Directors Memorial Chapel, with Dr. Edward Rogers, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Northlawn Memorial Gardens.

Mrs. Ross, born in what is now Oklahoma, was a Dumas resident since 1938. She retired as manager from TG&Y in Amarillo after 25 years. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jack Ross, in 1969.

Survivors include a son, Don Ross of Killeen; two daughters, Jacquelyn Budagher of Algodones, N.M., and Shirley Weightman of Concord, Calif.; a sister, Vada Lunsford of Pampa; 13 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

The family will be at 509 Birge and requests memorials be to Panhandle Home Health, 801 S. Bliss, Dumas, Texas, 79029.

Accidents

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

Obituaries

RANDY STEVEN STUBBS
DUNCAN, Okla. — Randy Steven Stubbs, 45, died Tuesday, June 8, 1993, at Duncan, Okla. Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel in Pampa, Texas, with Mike Sublett, pastor of Hi-Land Christian Church, officiating. Burial will be at Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Pampa.

Mr. Stubbs was born on May 31, 1948, in Sayre, Okla. He lived in Pampa from 1968 to 1982. He had lived in Duncan, Okla., the past four years. He married Marcia McDonald on May 13, 1967, in Clovis, N.M. He was a chemical salesman. He was a former member of Hi-Land Christian Church in Pampa.

Survivors include his wife, Marcia, of the home; a daughter, Stephanie Stubbs of Hammond, La.; parents Steven and Mae Stubbs of Littlefield; a brother, Don Stubbs of Littlefield; and a father-in-law, Richard McDonald of Pampa.

KANSAS WHITELEY
WHEELER — Kansas Whiteley, 93, a resident of Pampa, died Tuesday, June 8, 1993. Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Wheeler Church of Christ, with Bill Morrison, minister, officiating. Burial will be in Kelson Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home.

Mrs. Whiteley, born in Johnson County, Ark., moved to Kelson from Erick, Okla., in 1927. She moved to Wheeler in 1973 and to Pampa in 1980. She married Sidney White Whiteley in 1916 in Johnson County; he died in 1983. She was a Methodist and a homemaker. She was preceded in death by a son, Ralph Whiteley, in 1930.

Survivors include a son, Donald Whiteley of Wheeler; three daughters, Vivian Riley and Sidney Jackson, both of Pampa, and Betty Fillingim of Grand Prairie; a sister, Pearl Roberts of Okmulgee, Okla.; nine grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

Sheriff's Office

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

TUESDAY, June 8
The Sportman's Club, S. Barnes, reported criminal mischief.

Arrests
TUESDAY, June 8
Russell Wesley Alltop, 20, McLean, was arrested on a charge of theft by check. He was released after posting bond.

Susan Lanette Miller, 30, 425 Davis, was arrested on a charge of theft by check. She was released after she paid the fine.

Roy Dowel Britt, 32, 1161 Varnon Dr., was arrested on an outstanding warrant.

Police report

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

TUESDAY, June 8
Karen Brossler, 2222 N. Russell, reported found property.

Patricia Ann Zimmermann, 308 S. Anne, reported disorderly conduct.

Frank's Food, 300 W. Brown, reported forgery.

Arrests
TUESDAY, June 8
Darlene Williams, 44, 1124 Varnon Dr., was arrested at her residence on a charge of simple assault.

Fires

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

TUESDAY, June 8
6:01 p.m. — Three units and seven firefighters responded to a grease fire at 1133 Terry Rd. Damage was confined to the stove.

10:10 p.m. — Three units and seven firefighters responded to an air conditioner fire at 1801 N. Price Lot #8. A short circuit caused the fire and the air conditioner was destroyed.

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions

Pampa
Jackie Marie Collins
Mary A. Denman
Alex Holt
Delbert H. Priest

Births
To Mr. and Mrs. Darren Collins of Pampa, a boy
To Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Wise of Skellytown, a boy
To Mr. and Mrs. Sam Devers of Pampa, a girl

Dismissals
Pampa
Sallie D. Beecher
Cynthia Lou Cally
Louise L. Devers and baby girl
Deborah Sue Higgins

and baby boy
Mary Evelyn Mackie
Buddy Plunk
Lee Ann Weeks

Briscoe
Leonard F. Powledge

Colorado City
Sylvanus N. Monks

Fritch
Michelle Denise Naul and twin baby girls

Lefors
Floyd Julius McDowell

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions

Shamrock
Ruby Bethrop
Dismissals
Shamrock
Valerie Seymour and baby boy

Stocks
The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa:

Wheat.....2.54
Milo.....3.42
Corn.....4.08

The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation:

Ky. Cent. Life.....NA NA
Seafco.....4 3/8 NC
Occidental.....22 1/8 NC

The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation:

Magellan.....68.49
Putnam.....16.43

The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa:

Amoco.....57 1/4 up 5/8
Aroco.....123 1/4 up 3/8
Cabot.....46 1/8 up 1/8

Cabot O&G.....25 1/4 dn 1/4
Chevron.....89 3/4 up 1/8
Coca-Cola.....40 1/8 dn 1/4
Enron.....60 3/4 up 1/4
Halliburton.....41 dn 1/2
HealthTrust Inc.....18 3/4 NC
Ingersoll Rand.....34 3/4 up 1/8
KNE.....34 1/4 up 1/8
Kerr McGee.....52 up 1/8
Limited.....23 1/4 dn 1/8
Mapco.....55 1/4 dn 1/8
Maxus.....9 5/8 up 1/4
McDonald's.....49 3/8 up 1/8
Mobil.....68 1/8 up 1 1/4
New Atzom.....29 1/8 up 1/2
Parker & Parsley.....28 dn 1
Penney's.....48 1/4 up 1/8
Phillips.....31 1/2 dn 1/4
SLB.....68 1/8 up 1 1/8
SPS.....32 dn 1/8
Tenneco.....48 3/8 up 1/4
Texaco.....65 1/8 up 1/4
Wal-Mart.....26 3/4 up 1/4
Amoco.....57 1/4 up 5/8
Aroco.....123 1/4 up 3/8
Cabot.....46 1/8 up 1/8

County votes to seek court case transfer

By JOHN McMILLAN
Staff Writer

Gray County Commissioners Court voted unanimously on Tuesday to join the city of Pampa in requesting the transfer of a 223rd State District Court case, concerning a 1991 drug raid, into federal district court in Amarillo.

The transfer of the court case to Amarillo had been requested by the city of Pampa, a defendant in the lawsuit along with Gray County, said Gray County Judge Carl Kennedy.

County commissioners reached their decision after meeting for about 1 1/2 hours with District Attorney John Mann and representatives from the Amarillo law firm representing Gray County in the lawsuit. Attorney Mike Lofton of that law firm has been assigned to represent Gray County in the lawsuit.

The law firm, Underwood, Wilson, Berry, Stein and Johnson, was retained by the Texas Association of Counties on behalf of Gray County in the lawsuit filed last month alleging that officers of the Pampa Police Department illegally detained and strip-searched the 10 plaintiffs, including Oralia Hernandez-Reyes, during the drug raid.

The lawsuit cites Gray County Justice of the Peace Bob Muns among the defendants.

Kennedy noted in an interview that the court case is being transferred to Amarillo because a trial stemming from the same drug raid was held in federal district court in that city earlier this year.

Also on Tuesday, commissioners unanimously approved the vote totals recorded by Gray County Clerk Wanda Carter from the U.S. Senate runoff election on June 5. Commissioners made no changes in the vote totals, which showed Republican candidate Kay Bailey Hutchison with 2,752 votes and Democratic candidate Robert (Bob) Krueger with 517 votes.

A total of 3,273 ballots were cast in the election. There were three blank ballots and one ballot in which the voter chose "none of the above."

Oprah silent about book

NEW YORK (AP) — Usually, publishers are eager to give a new book plenty of publicity. But when the author is Oprah Winfrey, and the subject is her life story, publicity can become too much of a good thing.

Winfrey is collaborating with Joan Barthel on the book, to be published Sept. 20 by Alfred A. Knopf.

"We're not talking about anything to do with the book until Sept. 20," Errol McDonald, the book's editor, said in today's *New York Times*. "Given that the media feeds off Oprah to a great degree, we don't want people to cannibalize the book before it comes out."

City briefs

WATER WELL Service, Doug Kennedy, 665-4088. Adv.

BRICK REPAIR, Harley Knutson, 665-4237. Adv.

FRANK SLAGLE Electric. All electrical services, 665-3748. Adv.

EASY'S POP Shop - We now have all major brands of beer. Check our everyday low prices! Adv.

SPRING AND Summer Clearance 10% to 75% Off. Also a \$10 rack. Personal Touch, 113 N. Cuyler. Adv.

GOLD PHILCO side by side refrigerator. 669-6395. Adv.

1/2 PRICE Sale on Tree and Shrubs starts this Friday at Watson's Feed and Garden. Adv.

Carnival food



(Staff photo by Jeff Carruth)
Band boosters Rex Payne, top, and Larry Lambright turn out the hamburgers at the annual band carnival at the Pampa Mall. The carnival runs through Saturday.

Lefors ISD board approves career-ladder supplements

LEFORS - Lefors Independent School District board of trustees on Tuesday approved the payment of \$9,000 in career-ladder salary supplements to a total of five teachers in the school district.

The board approved the payment of \$1,500 each to four level-two teachers and \$3,000 to one level-three teacher. The salary supplements to the experienced teachers are for the 1992-93 school year, according to Joe Roper, superintendent of Lefors Independent School District.

Level-two teachers receiving career-ladder compensation and the classes they will be teaching at Lefors are: Shirley McKnight, high school business and typing; Laurie Daugherty, high school English; Lela Harris, elementary and high school music; and Sheila Barnes,

third grade. The level-three teacher receiving career-ladder compensation is Maxine Stephens, fifth grade.

Also on Tuesday, the Lefors school board unanimously approved a one-year contract with Region XVI Service Center in Amarillo for the services of one librarian provided by that center and for computer services.

Roper said he did not know the total cost of that contract.

In other news, the Lefors school board hired Richard Pierce as a language arts instructor to teach English and reading improvement to Lefors seventh and eighth graders beginning in the fall semester.

Pierce, 33, taught for the Midland Independent School District last school year. He replaces Pauline Phillips, who retired at the end of this school year.

Calendar of events

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 Kingsmill, Suite 100, and will be open Thursday, 9-11:30 a.m. and 1-7 p.m. The fee is based on family income and size, and the ability to pay.

RESTAURANTE RODRIGUEZ open Monday - Saturday 8 a.m.-9 p.m., Pampa Mall, 665-0646. Adv.

LOST CAT: Black with yellow eyes, pink collar. 669-9557. Adv.

EPPEPERSONS GARDEN Market now open! Fresh Vine ripened tomatoes, squash, new red potatoes, 1015Y Sweet onions, peaches, cantaloupe, watermelon, green beans, shelled blackeyed peas. 665-5000, Hwy. 60 East. Adv.

ATTEND ARTS and Crafts Show - June 26th. To pre-register call 665-2001 or 665-0806, Coronado Center. Adv.

EVENING PERMS: \$20, 6 p.m.-9 p.m. 665-9236. Adv.

ALWAYS SOMETHING new at Mom n Me! 221 N. Gillespie behind Energas, Wednesday-Saturday 12-5:30. Adv.

TWO BEDROOM house for rent. \$300 month, \$300 deposit. 1607 Duncan, 669-3222. Adv.

GREATER LOVES 30 voice choir from Amarillo will minister at Faith Christian Center, 118 N. Cuyler, 7 p.m. Saturday evening. Adv.

SALVATION THRIFT Store Sack Sale, \$3 per sack. Clothing only, except special priced items. Friday, Saturday 406 S. Cuyler. Adv.

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Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST
Tonight, mostly cloudy with a 50 percent chance of thunderstorms; 55 for the low, east winds 10 to 20 mph. Thursday, mostly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms, high of 82 and southeast winds 10 to 20 mph. The high on Tuesday was 89 degrees; the overnight low was 55 degrees.

REGIONAL FORECAST
West Texas - Panhandle: Wednesday, early cloudy. A slight chance of afternoon thunderstorms southern Texas Panhandle. Highs upper 70s northwest to mid 80s southeast. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows 50s.

Thursday, mostly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms. Highs mid 70s northwest to low 80s southeast. Thursday night, mostly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms. Lows from 55-60.

South Plains: Wednesday, partly cloudy with a chance of afternoon thunderstorms. Severe storms are possible. Highs upper 80s. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms possibly

severe. Lows mid 50s to low 60s. Thursday, mostly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms. Highs low 80s. Thursday night, partly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows 60-65.

South Texas - Hill Country and South Central: Wednesday, mostly cloudy and breezy with scattered late afternoon showers and thunderstorms. Highs near 90 to mid 90s. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy with scattered thunderstorms. Some may be severe in Hill Country. Lows 70s. Coastal Bend: Wind advisory in effect. Wednesday, mostly cloudy and windy. Highs 90s inland to 80s coast. Wednesday night, windy in the evening becoming mostly cloudy. Lows upper 70s inland to near 80 coast. Lower Rio Grande Valley and Plains: Wind advisory. Wednesday, partly cloudy and windy. Highs 90s to near 100 well inland and 80s coast. Wednesday night, partly cloudy. Lows upper 70s inland to near 80 coast. Upper Coast: Wednesday, mostly cloudy and breezy. Highs near 90 inland to mid 80s coast. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy. Lows mid 70s inland to near 80 coast.

North Texas - Wednesday, becoming partly cloudy and warm. Scattered thunderstorms, mainly west and north portions. A few storms possibly severe and with heavy rainfall. Wednesday night, a chance of thunderstorms, most numerous north and west portions. Heavy rainfall possible north and west. Lows of 68 to 74 and highs of 87 to 90.

BORDER STATES
New Mexico - Wednesday, fair southwest, partly cloudy north and east with a chance of afternoon thunderstorms northeast third. Highs 60s and 70s mountains and north. Mostly 80s elsewhere. Wednesday night, scattered evening thunderstorms in the east gradually diminishing then partly cloudy. Lows 30s and 40s mountains. Mostly 50s lower elevations.

Oklahoma - Wednesday, mostly cloudy with a chance of mainly afternoon thunderstorms, a few possibly severe. Highs mostly 80s. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms, a few possible severe. Lows from upper 50s in northwest Oklahoma to low 70s in southeast Oklahoma.

Democrat senators trying to shrink energy tax more

By JIM LUTHER
AP Tax Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen said today that President Clinton was forced to abandon his original energy tax because "Big Oil" used misleading information to make it difficult for oil-state lawmakers to support it.

"The special interests did quite a job," Bentsen said. "The major oil companies concentrated on the oil states and the representatives and senators from those states ... They had some hired guns that frankly presented some quite distorted figures."

After meeting with Senate leaders, Bentsen said on NBC, Clinton "recognized the realities" that the so-called Btu tax would have to be replaced by some other major energy tax.

Despite the concession, Budget Director Leon Panetta said today on Fox TV, "overall, 90 percent of the president's plan is going to be what the Senate is going to have to act on," just as about 90 percent of the original bill was accepted by the House.

Democrats in the Senate, given a White House blessing to write their own plan, are trying to shrink the energy tax and make it less worrisome to U.S. exporters.

The substitute energy tax still would be paid by consumers. Instead of raising the price of gasoline by 8 cents a gallon, the increase might be only 6 cents; the increase in the typical home electric bill might be \$1.75 or so a month, rather than \$2.25.

"We are talking and we are confident we'll get an agreement" that will pass the Senate Finance Committee and the Senate, Majority Leader George Mitchell, D-Maine, told reporters after a closed meeting of Democrats on Tuesday.

A day earlier, Clinton acknowledged he could not win his plan and gave the Finance Committee the green light to make necessary changes — within reason. He said any bill must cut the deficit by at least \$500 billion over five years, most of the tax must be paid by upper-income people and the plan must include a broad energy tax.

Bentsen said Tuesday night the idea of a "Btu tax," as proposed by the president and passed by the House, is dead and will be replaced by some other kind of

broad energy tax. It will be up to the Finance Committee to determine what that tax will look like.

But Bentsen, interviewed on public television's *MacNeil-Lehrer NewsHour*, said the tax should encourage energy conservation as well as produce revenue for deficit reduction.

Although most Senate attention is focused on the energy tax, Clinton's bill includes sharply higher income taxes on the well-to-do and an increase in the portion of Social Security benefits subject to tax.

Any energy tax is expected to hit coal, oil, gasoline, natural gas and electricity and be paid by consumers.

In addition to being cut by perhaps one-third below the \$72 billion, five-year total proposed by Clinton, the energy tax almost certainly will be modified so that it would not raise the price of U.S.-manufactured goods shipped abroad.

Concern about driving up the prices of those products — and making U.S. companies less competitive in world markets — has been paramount in the arguments against the tax by Sens. John Breaux, D-La., and David Boren, D-Okla., two swing votes on the Finance Committee.

Breaux planned today to propose a replacement for the Btu levy, called a transportation tax because it would apply to vehicle fuels, that would raise \$40 billion in revenues, spokeswoman Bette Phelan said. She said the plan also called for about \$30 billion in spending cuts to make the sum roughly equal to Clinton's proposed energy tax.

Before the energy tax passed the House last month, it was changed to ensure that highly competitive imported products are subject to a similar tax. Senators are looking for a way to expand that protection to cover U.S. exports without violating international trade agreements.

"We're making progress, but we're not there yet," Boren said after Tuesday's Democratic caucus. Other senators gave similar assessments, predicting passage of a broad energy tax no matter what the name.

Clinton's proposal was known as a Btu tax because it would apply to different fuels according to their heat content, as measured in British thermal units. The House-passed bill would tax most fuels at 25.7 cents per million Btus and oil products — except heating oil and some farm fuels — at 61 cents.

Outdoor games



(Staff photo by Darlene Holmes)

Pampa High School student James Spencer, center, member of the First Baptist Church youth group, helps youngsters with outdoor activities during the church's Vacation Bible School, being held this week. Other high school volunteers assisting with the Bible school activities include John Graves, Jason Jones, Amy Hayes, Brad Newman, Ty Newman, Ray Adamson, Joel Arrington, Heather Lee, Kerrey White and Brooke Parks.

Judge: Free Haitians from Guantanamo

By CATHERINE CROCKER
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — More than 150 AIDS-infected Haitian refugees and relatives held at the U.S. naval base in Cuba could be free within weeks now that a federal judge has ordered their release, advocates say.

There was no immediate word from the Clinton administration on whether it would appeal Tuesday's ruling and block the camp's closing.

"The Haitians' plight is a tragedy of immense proportion, and their continued detention is totally unacceptable to this court," wrote U.S. District Judge Sterling Johnson.

The 158 refugees were stopped at sea as they fled their homeland. Immigration officials have ruled they have valid claims for political asylum, but they have been held more than 18 months because U.S. policy bars immigrants infected with HIV, the AIDS virus. Most have tested positive for HIV; a few are relatives of those who did.

The judge said the Bush and Clinton administration have shown "outrageous, callous and reprehensible" behavior in failing to provide adequate medical care for the refugees, who live in a shantytown surrounded by barbed wire at Guantanamo Bay.

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"The detained Haitians are neither criminals nor national security risks," he said. "Some are pregnant mothers and others are children. Simply put, they are merely the unfortunate victims of a fatal disease."

Michael Ratner of the Center for Constitutional Rights, which represented the refugees, said the camp could be closed in a few weeks if the government doesn't appeal. Ratner said the refugees will probably join relatives in the United States or receive help in finding housing.

White House spokeswoman Dee Dee Myers had no immediate comment on the decision, which came on the same day that Haiti's army-installed prime minister was stripped of power. The military remained in control.

A spokesman for the Justice Department said the solicitor general would decide in the next few days

on an appeal, *The New York Times* reported today.

Thousands of Haitians have been allowed to enter the United States on political asylum requests since the ouster two years ago of Jean-Bertrand Aristide, Haiti's first democratically elected president.

Johnson had previously ordered the government to release more than 50 Haitians with full-blown AIDS to the United States for treatment.

His ruling on Tuesday came on a lawsuit filed on the refugees' behalf in March 1992. A two-week trial was held this March.

In his decision, Johnson gave a grim description of conditions at Guantanamo.

"They live in camps surrounded by razor barbed wire. They tie plastic garbage bags to the sides of the building to keep the rain out," he said. "The Haitian detainees have been subjected to pre-dawn military sweeps as they sleep by as many as 400 soldiers in full riot gear."

Johnson also said the Haitians' constitutional rights were violated because lawyers were not allowed to give them legal advice.

Man found guilty in rap music murder case

AUSTIN (AP) — Defense attorneys say they will try to spare a Houston man from the death penalty by showing he was driven to kill a state trooper after listening to anti-rap music.

"These kids are starting to fight back. Rap music is telling them to fight back, kill cops," said defense attorney Allen Tanner, who is representing 19-year-old Ronald Ray Howard.

Howard showed no emotion after being found guilty Tuesday of fatally shooting Department of Public Safety Trooper Bill Davidson in April of 1992.

An eight-man, four-woman jury, which heard a taped confession

from Howard in court Tuesday, took only 35 minutes to reach a verdict.

Howard faces up to life in prison or death by lethal injection. Sentencing is expected to begin Monday.

Both sides rested their case Tuesday after five days of testimony.

"We can focus on rappers, we can focus on society, we can focus on anger, but is trooper Davidson any less dead," prosecutor Bobby Bell told jurors during closing arguments.

Tanner blamed an increasingly violent society and rap music, in particular, for influencing Howard's actions.

"These kids ... are very emotional and they listen to these rap stars

who are their role models and they go out and they do violent things. I see it as an explosion," Tanner said outside the courtroom.

Jurors listened to a tape-recorded confession in which Howard said he shot Davidson because he felt he was being pulled over for no good reason and feared being arrested and sent to jail.

Davidson had stopped Howard near Victoria because his vehicle was missing a headlight.

"I am glad this phase of the trial is over," said Linda Davidson, the victim's wife, who added that she wants Howard to receive the death penalty. "I am ready for the second phase to get started."

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as to try to parachute or helicopter their way in. Guard towers in each corner of the plant site are manned 24 hours a day.

Weapons dismantlement is as exacting a science as weapon construction. Every component has a specific destination before the bomb is dismantled piece by tedious piece. Some plutonium is stored temporarily in hermetically sealed containers and kept in "igloos" in the highest security zone at Pantex.

Plutonium arrives at Pantex encased in noncorrosive metal jackets. Around the plutonium "pits" are formed high explosive jackets. Actual bomb construction or dismantlement occurs in an underground, re-inforced concrete cell innocuously named a "gravel Ger-tie." Employees working on a "buddy system" oversee dismantlement by following written procedures verbatim.

Weapons are transported in and out on vault-like 18-wheel trucks,

escorted front and back by white Suburbans. Drivers are federal marshals authorized to use deadly force. At any moment in time, a central control center can pinpoint the location of a convoy.

The plant is operated by Mason and Hangar-Silas Mason Co. Inc., under contract to the Department of Energy. In 1993, the operating budget is \$190 million with a \$46 million capital budget. Environmental restoration and waste management will claim another \$45 million of Mason and Hangar's budget. It would take \$3 billion to replace the facility as it stands today, Harkins said.

The plant is staffed by employees of the Department of Energy-Amarillo Area Office, Mason and Hangar/Battell, Sandia National Labs, Army Corps of Engineers and Department of Energy Courier Service.

While Pantex security oversees the assembly and storage of weapons, in turn the facility is supervised by a variety of governmental agencies. They include Texas

Water Commission, Texas Air Control Board, Environmental Protection Agency, Texas Bureau of Radiation Control and the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, which reports to Congress.

The primary risk to employees is exposure to beta, gamma and neutron radiation. One REM is the maximum a worker may be exposed to at the plant. The ordinary X-ray is .25 REM, said Tom Hall program director for environmental safety and health at the plant.

Systems for handling radiation are designed to eliminate failure at any one point. Further, in case of an accident, factors are designed into systems and facilities to minimize the risk to personnel and the public. One example, is the design of "gravel Gerties."

The underground bunker is built of reinforced concrete overlaid with about 17 feet of sand and gravel. Should an explosion occur, in one of the 13 units, the seal over the concrete cell would rupture, bringing down the tons of earth and acting to contain the force.

AQHA center holds equine demonstrations

AMARILLO — June equine demonstrations kicked off last week in the outdoor Justin Arena at the American Quarter Horse Heritage Center & Museum, with three days of unique and exciting performances.

Past demonstrations have proved an American Quarter Horse in motion is a powerful and memorable way to educate and entertain museum visitors, as well as being a valuable addition which complements the facility's indoor exhibits covering the history of the horse, performance events and recreational opportunities, AQHA officials said.

In the arena, volunteers and their American quarter horses showcase an assortment of equine activities, while a narrator explains the maneu-

vers and training techniques being executed.

On Saturday, Margaret Glasscock of Amarillo showcased pole bending. Jennifer Amend of Amarillo will perform on Sunday, June 13, with a demonstration topic yet to be decided. Performances are scheduled between 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Sherry Graham of Canadian will demonstrate English riding June 19 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., and on June 21, Tom Hennigh of Windsor, Ill., will be featured in a trick horse pre-

sentation at 10 a.m.

The month's activities will wrap-up with a cutting demonstration by Brenda Michael of Amarillo on Friday, June 25, from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., and Leah Frische of Dawn exhibiting trail techniques on Saturday, June 26, from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Additional demonstrations may be added and all outdoor events are subject to change due to weather or arena conditions. Contact the Heritage Center for schedule additions or changes, (806) 376-5181.

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Opinion

Clinton's may win, but rest of us lose

President Clinton might have won a narrow, 219 to 213, victory in the House of Representatives for his record \$301 billion tax increases. But he lost everywhere else. The Dow Jones stock ticker dropped 27.40 points, and the dollar dropped to a record low against the Japanese yen.

To bottom out the bad news, the government reported that the economy grew at an anemic 0.9 percent in the first quarter of 1993. That's a sharp drop from the 4.7 percent growth rate Mr. Clinton inherited from the fourth quarter of 1992.

The record tax increase now slides across the Capitol to the Senate, where it will be modified in committee, then go before the full Senate. There is some chance that enough Democrats could switch sides to excise most of the tax increases. More likely, the tax increases will be retained except for those special interests able to buy exemption from the congressional leadership.

Unfortunately, Senate Republicans this time cannot invoke a filibuster, as they did successfully to defeat Mr. Clinton's bill for "job creation" — that is, pork expansion. According to Tom Zoeller, counsel of the Senate Committee on Rules and Administration, the 1974 Budget Control Act limits debate to 50 hours on "privileged matter" concerning the budget. After that, a vote must be taken.

There's a silver lining to the deep ebony cloud this record tax increase, assuming it is signed into law, would bring over the economy. For one, voters will have on record the names of 219 representatives and some 50 senators who voted for the tax increase. Come November 1994 and November 1996, voters will remember who's been naughty and who's been nice.

For another, the almost inevitable recession will raise the federal budget deficit, leaving even less money for Hillary Rodham Clinton's \$100 billion to \$150 billion-per-year socialized medicine plan. As bad as the new taxes are, they can be repealed with Reagan-style tax cuts. We've done that before, producing the 1980s Decade of Growth — not "greed," as the mendacious Clintons call it.

By contrast, cutting out the metastasizing cancer of socialized medicine might prove excruciatingly painful. Just look how hard it's been to cut away the phony Social Security "Trust" Fund.

It's a painful way to go, but Mr. Clinton's tax increases might inoculate America against Mrs. Clinton's socialized medicine plan. That's a little cheery news for the swooning patient called the U.S. economy.

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Deficit reduction: A fiasco

The vote (on Clinton's tax-deficit reduction package), explained Rep. Bill Richardson, D-N.M., is the most important "vote in the decade." It was certainly treated as such. What would have happened to the deficit if it hadn't passed?

The fine print advises us that the Congressional Budget Office, answering a question, acknowledged that if President Bush's budget accord of 1990 had simply been left alone, over the next five years the deficit would have been cut by \$496 billion. By how much did the most important bill of the decade propose to cut the deficit? By \$500 billion. Well, at least that's a little increase, a couple of billion dollars here, a couple of billion there, and pretty soon you have real money.

Ah, but not so fast. Steven Greenhouse of the *New York Times* advises us that "if inflation is factored in, Mr. Clinton's deficit reduction package ends up being slightly smaller" than Mr. Bush's.

It was a real narrow vote, wasn't it? If three representatives who voted for it had voted against it, it would have gone down. A mere three votes. How did Mr. Clinton do it? Michael Wines, also of the *Times*, lets us in on it.

"Charlie Rose, a North Carolina Democrat and master of the log-rolling business, was candid about how the vote-getting process worked. Mr. Rose laconically told reporters that he took two dozen Southern Democrats to the White House last month to ask that the administration look favorably on their requests to restrict imports of low-priced peanuts and force cigarette makers to buy high-priced American tobacco.

"Mr. Rose said that Mr. Clinton's chief lobbyist,



William F. Buckley Jr.

Howard Paster, promised to do his best, and that the promise carried at least three or four Democrats into the 'aye' column."

But what about the bill itself? It is a big deal in only one important respect. Nancy Johnson, R-Conn., was careful not to use the R-word, but she made her point by saying: "This bill takes more money than has ever been taken at any one time from the sector that creates jobs." Robert Michel, R-Ill., also avoided the R-word, using the term "middle class," as in, "President Clinton now wants to thrust upon middle-income Americans an enormous tax increase."

Well, now, that isn't exactly correct. Where does the middle class begin? Surely by the time your income reaches \$115,000, you have edged into the class higher than the middle class? Given that the median income in America is under \$30,000? No, what we have in the present bill is primarily a soak-the-rich bill.

The energy tax is supposed to raise \$72 billion (and it almost certainly will — people aren't going to turn off the air conditioner or the heater to save \$11 per month). While the rise in income taxes is sup-

posed to bring in \$115 billion (which most certainly won't be realized, because rich people do things differently when taxes are raised), it is by many lengths the largest item in the whole package.

The spending cuts in Medicare and Medicaid will be swallowed up in the comprehensive health package coming up, and the \$45 billion "spending cut" raised by reducing the rate of federal pay increases for military and civilian employees isn't of course a "cut." If you decide, on second thought, not to buy a new Plymouth tomorrow, you haven't "cut" your expenses; you have decided not to raise them.

The anti-rich measure yields only populist satisfaction, not much money. A number of representatives ventured to specify how many jobs will be lost by corporations that now become marginal, or by investments that will now be made.

But of course we cannot measure these things. If we knew how to calibrate human responses that finely, we could assemble all economic data on a big economic data bank and calculate exactly how many peanuts Americans will buy at the new protected price. Adam Smith remarked in his masterwork not only that human beings cannot predict individual variations in economic conduct, but that anybody who thought such predictions possible should be disqualified from public service on the grounds of incompetence.

We can't say how much damage the increased tax will do, but we can say two things. The first is that revenues from the very rich (more than \$200,000) will in 1996 be less than they now are, and that enterprises that might have been launched will be stillborn. That's a hell of a price to pay for the privilege of high-priced peanuts.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Wednesday, June 9, the 160th day of 1993. There are 205 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On June 9, 1954, a dramatic confrontation took place during the Senate-Army hearings as Army counsel Joseph N. Welch assailed Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy for his verbal attack on a member of Welch's law firm, Frederick G. Fisher. Said Welch: "Have you no sense of decency, sir? At long last, have you left no sense of decency?"

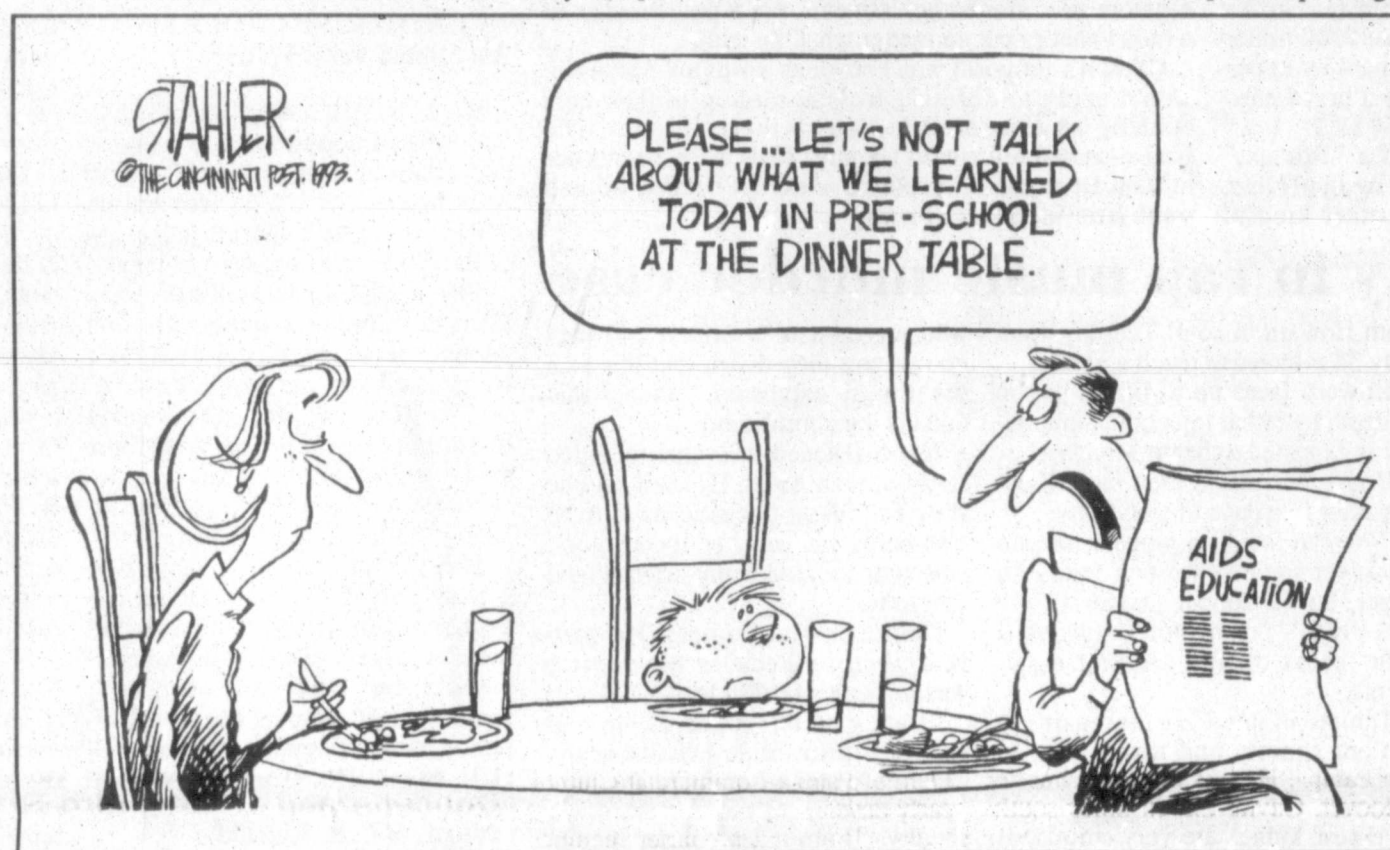
On this date:

In A.D. 68, the Roman Emperor Nero committed suicide.

In 1860, the first time novel — *Malaeska: The Indian Wife of the White Hunter* — was published.

In 1870, author Charles Dickens died in Godshill, England.

In 1940, Norway surrendered to the Nazis during World War II.



Wear ring the rest of the way

To whom it may concern:
 You took something belonging to a friend of mine. I've heard your side of the story, and I want you to hear his.

It was a hot summer day in 1966. You were driving down Main Street in Snyder, N.Y., suburban Buffalo. You were in deep despair. You had flunked out of college. Your parents had given up on you. You had a miserable summertime job digging swimming pools and you hated it.

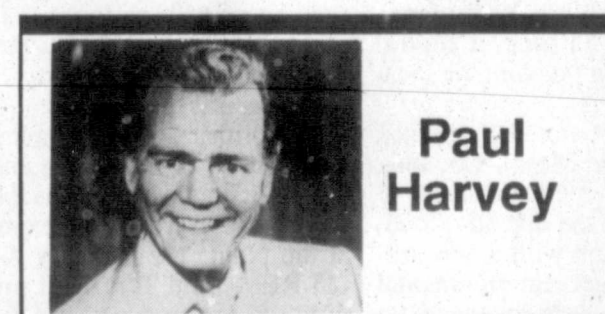
At lunchtime there was a Howard Johnson's at Main and Kensington.

In the washroom, still wallowing in self-pity, you approached the sink. On the flat lip of the sink was a ring. A large college ring. A St. Bonaventure College ring. There was nobody else in the washroom. You pocketed the ring.

At the counter and in the dining room there was nobody the right age to wear a college ring. Maybe whatever gods there be were trying to help you feel better about being a flunk-out and a failure. Besides — the ring fit your finger precisely.

In the days that followed you considered calling St. Bonaventure to try to trace the ring's owner, but the draft board was breathing down your neck and, thus preoccupied, you postponed the call.

Gradually your conscience took a back seat to your covetousness until you went into the Marine Corps and off to boot camp and on to Vietnam — still wearing that ring.



Paul Harvey

Life expectancy for a Marine in 'Nam was 60 days. But with that ring constantly reminding you of all you were not, you vowed that "if" you should come home alive, you would no longer waste your life. You'd stop feeling sorry for yourself. You would call a halt to the partying and goofing off and go back to school, and this time you would graduate and make something of yourself.

With that vow on your lips you kissed the ring and shipped out overseas.

Not a day went by in Southeast Asia that you failed to fondle that ring. Especially after it suffered that nick in the stone that you don't want to talk about or even think about anymore.

Gradually you dismissed any guilt relating to the fact that it rightly belonged to someone else. It was your ring now. It was your symbol of your resolve.

When midway in your tour you got that "Dear John" letter from the girl back home, you still had

— the ring. You weathered the storm. You came home from 'Nam in 1969. You did return to school with that ring each hour of each day reminding you of your goal. The ring went with you to Woodstock in '69 and through the riots and tear-gassing of students in '70, but you did graduate.

And now you have another graduation ring, one that is all yours.

This year, 1993, your BA and MBA degrees have propelled you up the corporate ladder to a six-digit income and you decided it's time to contact St. Bonaventure and trace the name inside the ring and return it to somebody named J.J. Arcara.

For you — it had served its purpose. The ring has been returned to Joe Arcara. From your unsigned letter I have no way to know who you are but I do know him. He's a St. Bonaventure graduate, class of '66, now a stockbroker in Buffalo.

Paul Harvey is an honorary alumnus of St. Bonaventure, Patron Saint of Scholars, class of '53. I know personally something of the inspiration that derives from identification with that historic campus in the shadow of Seven Story Mountain.

I have no way to know if it was from here that you graduated, but your conspicuous allegiance to your God, your country and your demonstrated self-discipline have honored the traditions of the school, and Joe Arcara and St. Bonaventure and I would like you to wear our ring the rest of the way, if you want to.

Washington is world's SOS capital

Washington, D.C., has got to be the SOS capital of the world, and I'm not talking about distress signals.

I am thinking more of the swill we used to get for breakfast in the army, creamed meat on a slice of bread. Stuff on a shingle, we called it, or something like that. SOS for short. It also meant "same old stuff," or something like that. Just like Washington. What you get from your government is all too often stuff on a shingle. The same old stuff.

With an anti-deficit tempest swirling through the land, you would think something would change. Actually, something has. We have a new president and a new Congress. But the product they're serving up is the same old stuff.

Take a guess how many times the federal budget has been balanced since the start of the Great Depression. I'll tell you: Exactly eight. Guess how many times the budget has been balanced since 1969. None. Not once in 24 years.

During that period, our leaders have run up \$3.8 trillion in debt. The interest we have paid on the debt that has accumulated since 1969 adds up to \$2.78 trillion. Just the interest. Money down the sewer. The vast bulk of that post-1969 debt — \$2.52 trillion — was rung up during the reign of the Red Ink Boys, Ronald Reagan and George Bush. The accumulated interest paid on the Reagan-Bush debt came to \$2.58 trillion.

Comes now Bill Clinton, the New Democrat. He has proposed to slash government spending some



Joseph Spear

\$247 billion over the next four years. He also wants to raise our taxes by \$246 billion over that period. All for the sake of reducing the deficit, you understand. Indeed, he has promised he will bring the deficit down to \$145 billion by the end of his first term.

He talks fervently about it. "We've got to put our house in order, folks," he recently told a town meeting crowd in San Diego. "If we don't do it, we'll be paying for it from now on."

There's a catch, though. If everything goes precisely as he wants it, he will reduce the annual deficit, not eliminate it. It will still be going up at an average rate of \$240 billion a year. We will thus be running up the national debt, which now stands at \$4.2 trillion and will exceed \$5 trillion by 1997. We will then be paying some \$380 billion a year in interest on it — assuming the economy is healthy.

Same old stuff.
 On Capitol Hill, the Old Democrats are tinkering with the New Democrat's plan. As they do this, they

are hearing from every interest group in America, all of whom want the other guy to carry the burden of deficit reduction. And the lawmakers are being ably assisted by hordes of lobbyists, who are providing them with some amazing insights. By the time Clinton's tax bill got voted out of the House Ways and Means Committee, the legislators had already granted concessions to multinational corporations, the energy industry, aluminum producers, real-estate developers and a host of other special interests.

The committee had also killed Clinton's proposal for an investment tax credit, thereby saving \$25 billion. Common sense would seem to dictate that since this entire exercise is dedicated to reducing the deficit, this windfall would best be applied to it. But with the help of lobbyists, the lawmakers were able to comprehend that the nation would be better off if the \$25 billion were used to reduce corporate income taxes.

Same old stuff.
 Now the New Democrat wants to create a "deficit trust fund," in which he would put all new tax revenues and savings from spending cuts, thereby guaranteeing those monies will go for deficit reduction. But we know what government trust funds are, don't we? They're piggy banks stuffed with IOUs, because the pols can't keep their hands off them. This system is especially nice because the IOUs can be kept off the books on the grounds the government is just borrowing from itself.

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Lifestyles

Surveyor A.H. Doucette maps and sections the land



Museum Mementos
Eloi Lane
White Deer Land Museum

A.H. Doucette, Licensed State Land Surveyor, came to Pampa in 1906. When the British owners of the White Deer Lands decided to sell their land to prospective farmers, it was necessary to have the land surveyed to establish corners of the sections, each of which consisted of 160 acres. Under the direction of Phil G. Omohundro of Beaumont, surveyors established section lines for more than 200,000 acres and made the first detailed map of the county, showing the edge of the plains region as it passed through each quarter section. Each section of the county was shown with survey number abstract reference and title certificate number.

While Omohundro was surveying for the White Deer Land Company, he told manager T.D. Hobart of a young surveyor who worked for him in Beaumont.

The young surveyor, Albert H. Doucette, a Licensed State Land Surveyor, class of 1904 of Texas A&M, was born June 13, 1884, at Beaumont. He was in charge of nine men surveying the Intercoastal Waterway between Port Arthur, and Galveston Bay when he was hired by Hobart to work in the Panhandle for six weeks.

Arriving at Pampa on April 9, 1906, Doucette began to subdivide the sections for occupation by new settlers. His employment period of six weeks was extended to two years.

In those days there was much visiting back and forth between ranches. Any event, such as a wedding, picnic or house warming, was joined by everyone from miles around. Entire families attended basket dinners, parties and dances.

Many of these gatherings were held at Lefors, then the county seat of Gray County. Herds of deer and antelope grazed the native grasses. There were woods with tall trees and flowering dogwoods. Beautiful wildflowers covered the hillsides in the springtime.

After being cautioned to watch for quicksand, children loved to wade in the North Fork of Red River. Later families enjoyed delicious fruit butter made from the wild plums that ripened in the thickets.

Probably it was at such a gathering that Doucette met Vera LeFors, the oldest child of Perry and Emma (Lang) LeFors, she was born Dec. 14, 1887, at Mobeetie.

Vera's father, who had endured trail rides and Indian raids, furthered education, culture, law and order in the budding new territory. Possessor of a large library, he employed a governess to teach his children:

Vera, Emmett, Mava, Ersa, Eva, Freida and Molita. The governess also gave music lessons and Vera learned how to sing. A piano that Perry had shipped from St. Louis is now in John Doucette's home at Amarillo.

After her days with the governess, Vera attended the Academy of the Sacred Heart at Waco, the only girls' school in Texas at that time. She completed her education at Clarendon College and became governess to children on a neighboring ranch. On weekends she rode her black pony for seven miles to her family home on West Cantonment Creek.

On February 17, 1908, Doucette and Vera were married at the home of her parents. Immediately after the wedding, the bride and groom left by train for Beaumont to make their home and for Doucette to resume his surveying position there.

The were called back to the Panhandle in the fall of 1909 when Perry LeFors and his daughters, Mava, Ersa, Eva and Freida, died of typhoid fever. Emmett, age 19, was away from home and baby Molita was sent to a neighbor.

Doucette remained in Gray County as an independent surveyor and engineer. He had an office in the White Deer Land Building, and some of his surveying equipment is now on display at the museum in that building.

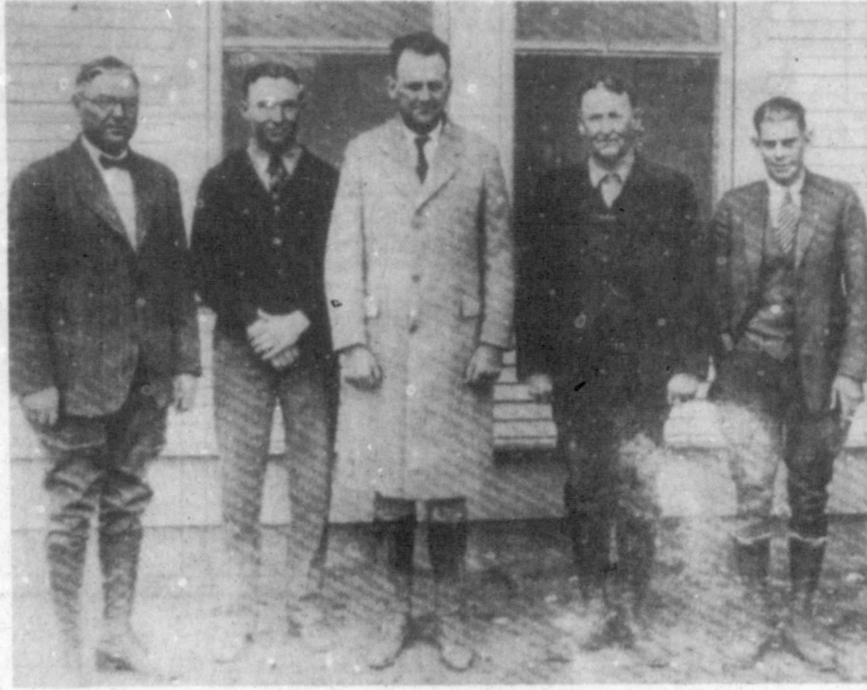
Doucette and Vera lived in Amarillo, Miami and Canadian before moving to a farm southeast of Pampa in 1911. Their first child, Albert Perry, was born in the Canadian hospital in 1911. Three more children, LeFors, Dorothy (Mrs. Walter Biery) and Berton, were born in the farm home. In 1918 the family moved to Pampa and lived for more than 40 years at 211 North Frost.

Doucette established boundaries of each parcel of land or city lot sold in Pampa. He laid out townships for Hoover, Cuyler (seven miles southwest of White Deer), White Deer and Kingsmill. After Pampa was incorporated in 1912, he surveyed, platted and filed more than 70 additions to the city.

He served as County Tax Assessor from 1913 to 1919 and was elected county surveyor for the next 30 years.

In 1922 the citizens of Pampa approved (149 for and 18 against) a civic improvement bond for \$80,000. Doucette was called upon to plan the street, water and sewer system for Pampa which then had a population of 910.

Doucette was appointed City Engineer from 1922 to 1931. Neither the job as County Tax Assessor



(White Deer Land Museum photo)
Gulf Office south of Borger, ca 1927. From left are A.H. Doucette, Pampa surveyor; H. Guy Price, Browning employee; Morris Browning, Amarillo surveyor; P.G. Omohundro, Beaumont surveyor; W.T. Moore of Borger, field superintendent for Phillips Petroleum Co.



(White Deer Land Museum photo)
Elizabeth Ellen "Nana" Gething is standing in front of her home about 10 miles east of Lefors. Vera Lefors (on horse) might be coming or going to her home on West Cantonment Creek. Her side saddle is in the White Deer Land Museum.

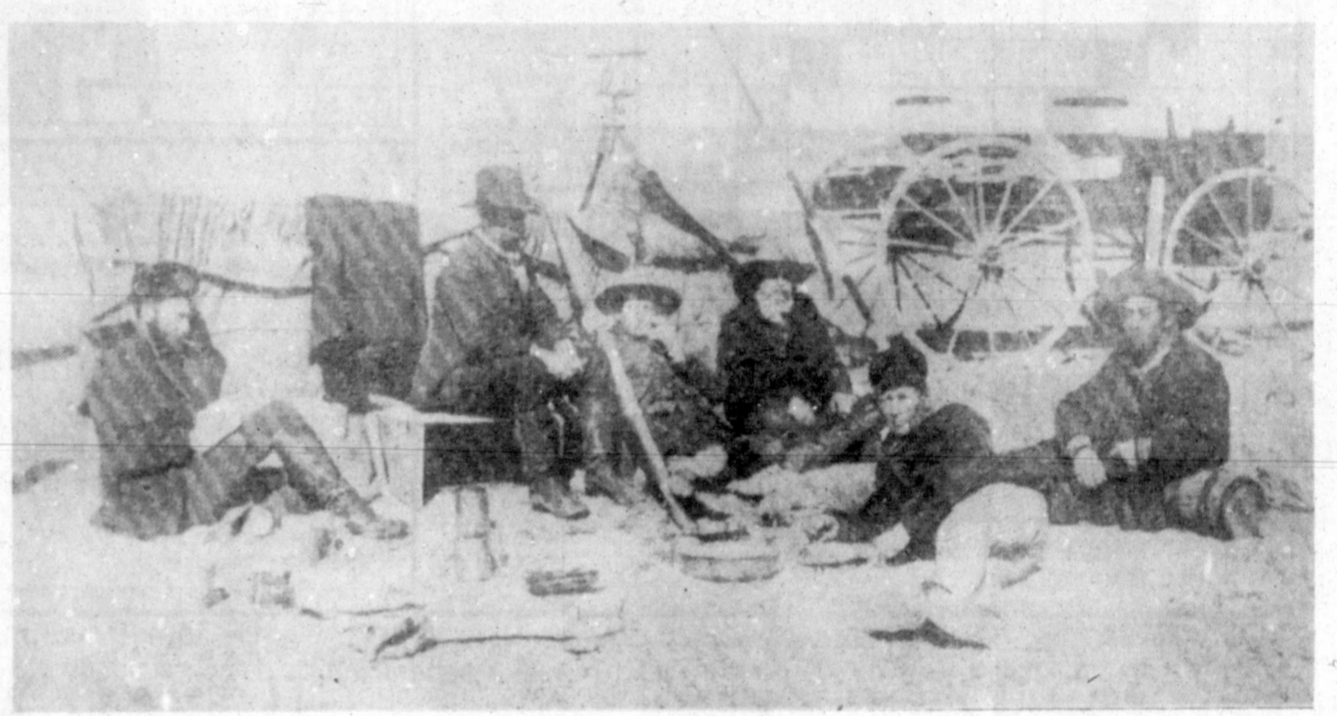
nor the job as City Engineer carried any salary but required filing records in the courthouse and keeping developments in order. Doucette's largest paying jobs were engineering and laying out the entire city water system, wells, pipe, sewer system including the water treatment plant, and streets for paving. (The bones of a mastodon were uncovered when an excavation was made for the foundation for the bottom of a tank.

In 1930-31, highways were the responsibility of the counties, and Doucette engineered and had paved roads north out of Pampa, two roads west to the county line, a road east seven miles and then south to the breaks toward Lefors and a road south toward Bowers City.

In 1918 Doucette helped to organize the Pampa Red Cross and was its first chairman during WWI. He was a member of the Rotary Club, a member of the Pampa Lodge, a Registered Professional Engineer, the first Pampa Country Club, and president of Pampa Commercial Club of early days.

Vera Doucette, a charter member of the Red Cross, Pampa Chapter, helped to organize the first Parent Teachers Association in Pampa. She organized the Blue Bonnet Music Club and was a charter member of the Child Study Club and the Twentieth Century Club. A member of the Methodist church and later Presbyterian church, she was active in church work. She was a soloist in Pampa's early churches and for over 40 years sang for many weddings, funerals and special occasions.

A.H. Doucette died on Oct. 26, 1964, and Vera LeFors Doucette died on March 6, 1984. Both are buried in Fairview Cemetery at Pampa.



(White Deer Land Museum photo)
The picture shows a surveying outfit in 1888. Phil G. Omohundro, at far left, was handsome and attractive to the girls who nicknamed him "Omyhoney." Notice Doucette and Omohundro Streets when you drive through the town of White Deer.

Recycled presents make for great stories

DEAR ABBY: I have been a widower for four years. Last Christmas, my daughter gave me a toaster-oven, brand-new, in its original box. When I removed it from the box, I found a card wishing my daughter and her husband "a long and happy marriage." They were married six years ago.

Abby, how do you and your readers feel about recycled gifts?

J.D.D., MONTGOMERY, ALA.

DEAR J.D.D.: If the gift has never been used, it should be accepted as a brand-new one. However, some are not. As to my readers' feelings on the subject, let me share the experiences of some whose letters I have saved for some time. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: What would you do if you received an electric coffee-maker for a wedding gift that not only looked as though it had been used, but didn't work? There was no warranty coupon with it, either. I took it to an electrical appliance repair shop and was informed that the model was so old there were no available parts for it.

STUCK IN HOLLISTER, CALIF.

DEAR ABBY: For my 25th wedding anniversary, I was given a beautiful party and bra set — pink satin trimmed in lace. I knew I would never wear it, so I took it to the store whose name was on the box, hoping to exchange it for something a little more practical. I was advised that the merchandise had not been purchased at that store. I tried another store. Same story. I finally gave up. (It's still in my drawer.)

HARTFORD, CONN.

DEAR ABBY: I once received a handsome purse for my birthday. It bore a well-known label, but looked a little shopworn. The zipper was jammed, so I took it to a shoe repair shop where they got the zipper to work. There I found a coin purse with a dime and two pennies.

MRS. F.S.A., SCOTTSDALE, ARIZ.

started to try them on, I realized that I had two "lefts."

PHYLISS IN LITTLE ROCK

DEAR ABBY: I think I have a recycling story that takes the cake! My sister-in-law, Joy, received a hand-painted cake plate from my mother that had to be the ugliest piece of crockery in existence.

Joy used it once when Mom went to her home for tea, then she gave it to her church for their annual swap sale. Joy never did know who bought it, but she was glad to get rid of it.

Three years later, Mom, Joy and I attended a church benefit. We each paid a dollar for a chance to win the door prize. Mom won! Guess what she won — that ugly, hand-painted cake plate!

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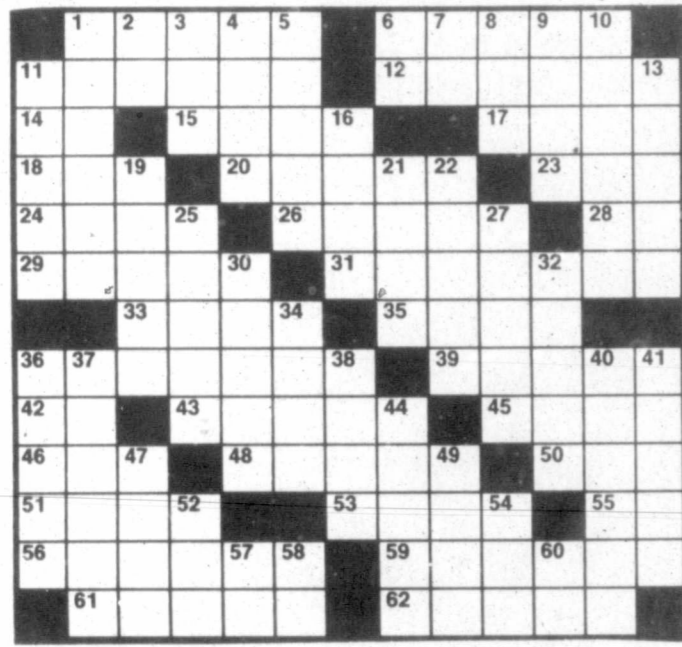
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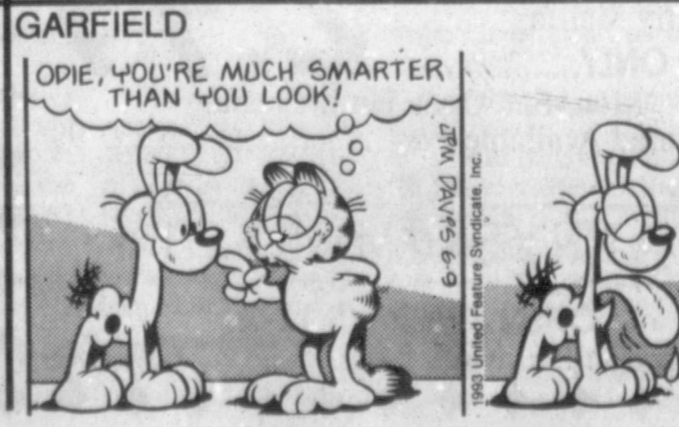
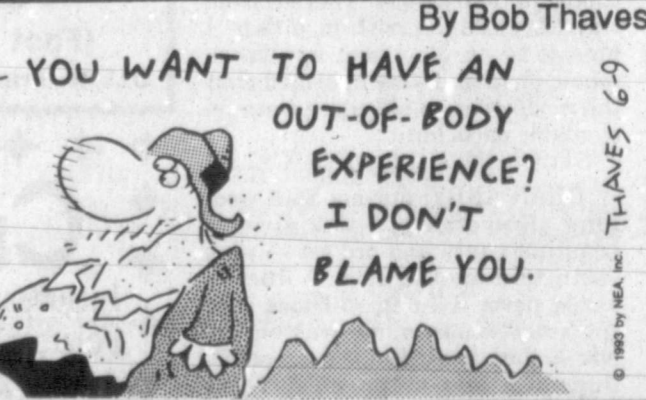
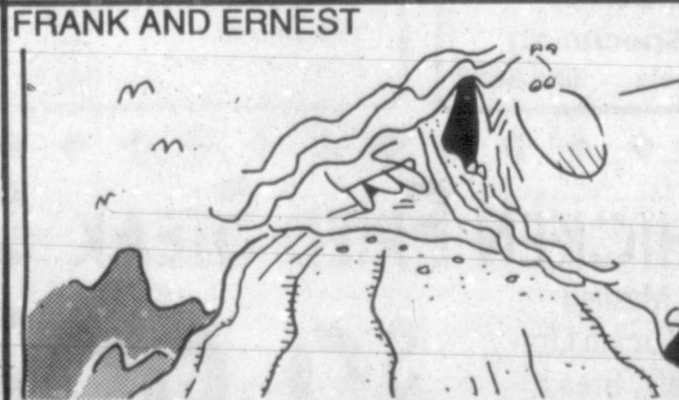
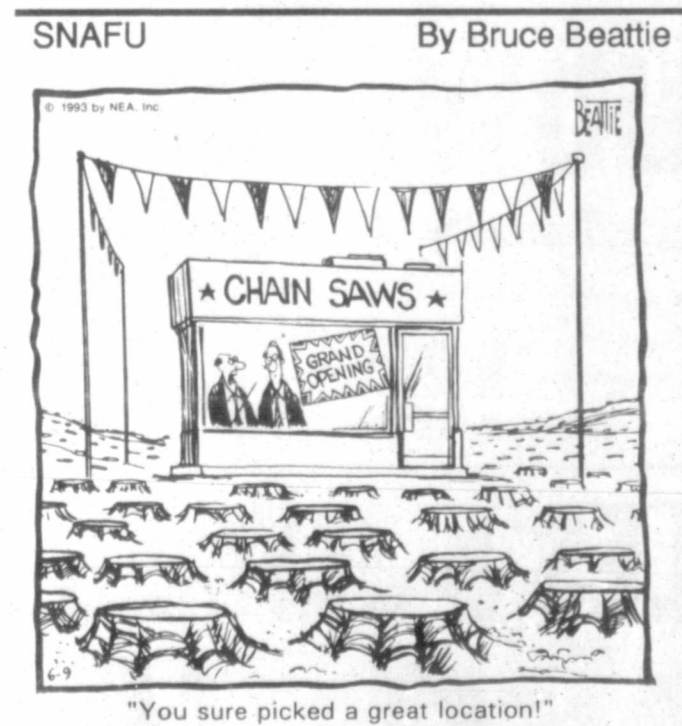
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Sports

Focusing on the finals

Gossip shoved aside as Suns host Bulls in series opener

By HOWARD ULMAN
AP Sports Writer

PHOENIX (AP) — Finally, the focus is on the finals, not on how much Michael Jordan lost on golf bets or how well Charles Barkley knows Madonna. Just on how brilliantly Michael and Charles play basketball.

Will the pressure-tested Chicago Bulls become the third team in NBA history to win three straight titles? Will the Phoenix Suns, with a first-year coach and a superstar in his first season with them, prevent that?

Can Phoenix rookie Richard Dumas guard multi-talented Scottie Pippen? Can Chicago's team defense stop the drives of Kevin Johnson or the 3-pointers of Dan Majerle and Danny Ainge?

Can Chicago take away the home-court advantage in tonight's opener of the best-of-7 series?

And can the media ever get enough gossip?

"That stuff doesn't bother me, although it bothers my in-laws to be called at home and asked about Madonna," Barkley said. "I have

more pressing matters to worry about."

Reports have linked Barkley with the flashy entertainer, although he said they only met once and they're not dating.

He's going through what Jordan has endured with reports of his gambling — one golf partner said Jordan lost \$1.25 million in golf wagers in 10 days. Such reports sparked Jordan's media boycott.

"Michael's got it easier" by not talking to reporters, Barkley said after practice Tuesday. "He doesn't have to deal with idiots like I do."

It's not that the media didn't try. When Jordan emerged for practice as his team's interview session was winding up Tuesday, reporters and cameramen elbowed each other for position and frantically followed him around the court, hoping he would speak.

"I know the vocal cords still work. Prove it," one reporter said.

Jordan, towering over the mob with an expression that was a cross between a smile and a laugh, said little, but did have one message: "get off the floor."

He needed to play some basketball.

"We're good, and they're good, and we'll see who's better," said Barkley, title-less throughout his career, spent entirely with Philadelphia until this season.

Chicago has an overwhelming edge in experience at this ultimate stage of the season. Ainge is the only Phoenix player to reach the finals, winning two championships with the Boston Celtics. The Suns last were in the finals in 1976, losing to Boston.

"This series is no different than any other series. It's just basketball against a very good team," Ainge said. "How they've been together for a long time is to their advantage. I don't think the fact that they've been in the finals is an advantage at all."

The Suns seemed relaxed Tuesday and have proven themselves under pressure.

They survived a 2-0 deficit with three straight wins in their opening playoff series against the Los Angeles Lakers. They survived a seventh game of the Western Conference

finals against Seattle behind Barkley's 44 points and 24 rebounds.

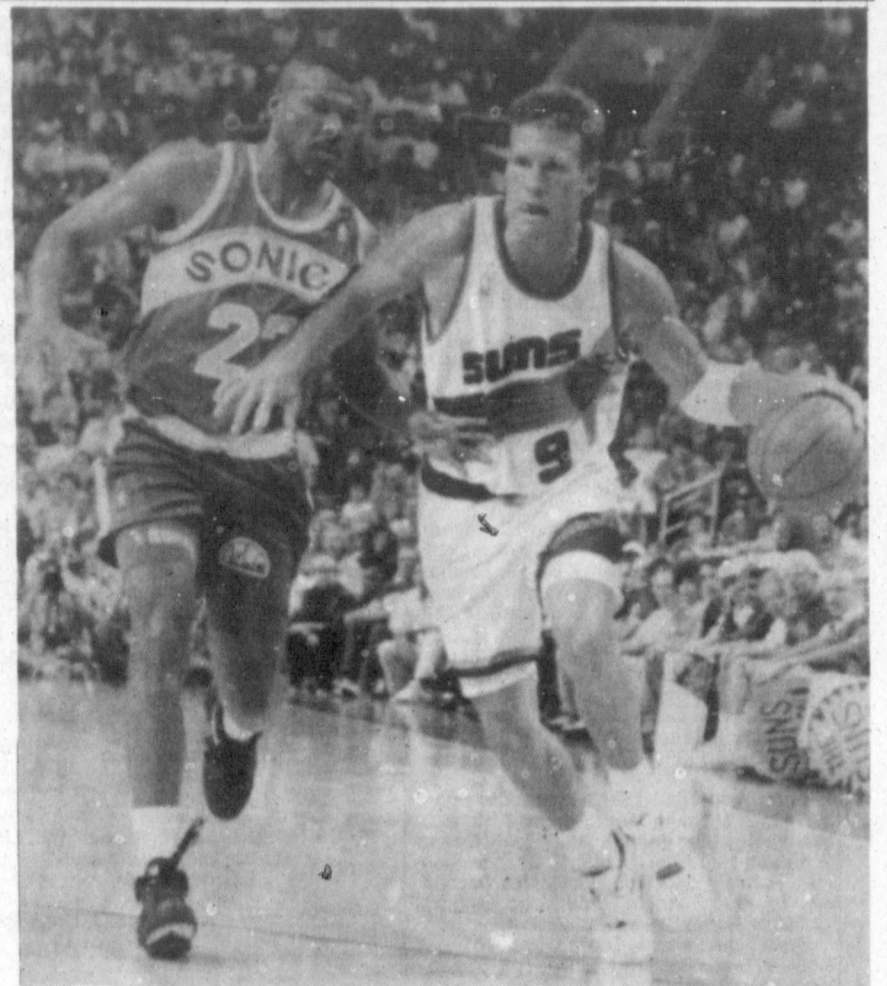
The Bulls aren't relying on their familiarity with the finals to make them the first team since the Celtics from 1958 through 1966 to win three consecutive championships.

"It's nothing that we bring on the court thinking about," Pippen said. He's concentrating on tonight's game and his job of bringing the ball up, hitting outside shots and driving against Dumas, who sat out the entire seventh game against Seattle after starting two-thirds of his regular-season games. Coach Paul Westphal said Dumas will start tonight.

Westphal decided it would be a better matchup to use Tom Chambers against Seattle. Dumas says he understands.

"I understand we won. That's the only thing I want to understand," he said. "I never made money so easy in my life sitting down. I'd do it again if we win the championship."

"We're two similar players. The only thing I have on him right now is probably some experience," Pip-



The Suns' Dan Majerle, shown driving against the SuperSonics' Ricky Pierce in the Western Conference finals, is one of the NBA's top 3-point shooters. (AP photo)

Six named to Oklahoma Sports Hall of Fame

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — The Oklahoma Sports Hall of Fame will get six new members later this summer, including former rodeo star Freckles Brown and former baseball player Bobby Murcer.

Football greats Joe Washington and Walt Garrison, along with basketball player Marques Haynes and the late Bloomer Sullivan also will be inducted Aug. 20 in Oklahoma City, the Jim Thorpe Association announced Tuesday.

This is the first year six people have been inducted and it brings to 35 the number of members in the hall.

Garrison, Washington, Murcer and Haynes were selected in general balloting by members of the Jim Thorpe Association, Oklahoma Sports Hall of Fame and the media. Brown and Sullivan were added by the veterans committee.

Brown etched a place for himself in rodeo history when, at age 46, he rode a bull named Tornado at the National Finals Rodeo in 1967. To that point, Tornado had thrown every one of its more than 200 riders.

Murcer was a three-sport star at Southeast High School in Oklahoma City before moving on to the

major leagues, where he played with the New York Yankees, Chicago Cubs and San Francisco Giants. He was a five-time all-star.

Washington, a native of Port Arthur, Texas, became the leading rusher in University of Oklahoma history. He was a two-time All-American and a three-time All-Big Eight, and was runner-up in the Heisman Trophy voting in 1974 and '75. He went on to play 10 years in the National Football League.

Garrison, a native of Lewisville, Texas, was a star at Oklahoma State from 1963-65 before going on to a long career with the Dallas Cowboys of the NFL. He played in two Super Bowls with the Cowboys and retired as the team's third-leading rusher.

Haynes, from Sand Springs, was a great player at Langston University and went on to play with the Harlem Globetrotters. He also had his own team that toured the world entertaining fans.

Sullivan was basketball coach and athletic director at Southeastern Oklahoma State from 1937-67, compiling a record of 662-222. He was NAIA national coach of the year in 1957 and was inducted into the NAIA Hall of Fame in 1957.

Texans ousted from CWS

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — College baseball's national championship is down to its final four teams, none from Texas.

Long Beach State and Oklahoma State, winners of elimination games Tuesday, must win two additional games each to reach Saturday's championship of the double-elimination tournament.

Long Beach plays Louisiana State (51-16-1) this afternoon, and the Cowboys play Wichita State (57-16) on Thursday. The Tigers and Shockers have yet to lose in CWS play.

The 49ers beat top-seeded Texas A&M 6-2 and Oklahoma State rallied to beat Texas 7-6 Tuesday to make it to the final four.

After an emotional and hard-fought game with the Longhorns, Oklahoma State coach Gary Ward doesn't relish the thought of having to beat Wichita State twice.

"I wish we could flip for one and play the other. Beating them back-to-back will take a lot of effort," Ward said.

It might take some effort for Texas A&M coach Mark Johnson to wipe the memory of the 1993 CWS from his mind.

The top-seeded Aggies committed three errors and were doomed by shoddy infield play.

"It's a lot easier to get whipped. It's harder to look at mistakes," Johnson said.

"We gave things away," Johnson said of Long Beach's four-run seventh inning.

Dave Snow, head coach of the 49ers, saw it differently.

"We saw an opportunity and came up big with it," Snow said.

Cobi Cradle drove in two runs and Jeff Liefer homered in support of Daniel Choi for Long Beach.

Cradle singled in runs in the third and seventh innings, the latter sparking a four-run uprising by the 49ers (45-18). Liefer's homer in the fourth put Long Beach State ahead for good at 2-1.

Choi (17-2), pitching with only three days of rest, found himself in immediate trouble when Texas A&M (53-11) loaded the bases with one out in the first. Choi got catcher Robert Lewis on a foul pop and Rob Trimble on a grounder to get out of the inning.

Robert Harris accounted for both Texas A&M runs with a homer in the third and a run-scoring single in the seventh.

Rangers sign Bell

ARLINGTON (AP) — The Texas Rangers on Monday signed No. 1 draft choice Mike Bell, son of former Rangers third baseman Buddy Bell, and agreed to terms with their second pick and seven other draft selections.

The 18-year-old Bell, also a third baseman, led Cincinnati Moeller to the Ohio state championship this year, hitting .407 with 4 homers and 22 RBIs during the regular season.

The 6-2, 185-pound right-handed hitter stole 23 bases and scored 30 runs.

"We believe he is an excellent prospect who will make steady progress through the minor league system. We are excited about his potential," said Sandy Johnson, the Rangers' vice president for player personnel and scouting.

The club's second pick, second baseman Edwin Diaz, 18, of Bayamon, Puerto Rico, played this past year for the Bayamon Post American Legion team. A 5-11, 172-pound right-handed hitter, he is from the same hometown as Rangers Juan Gonzales and Ivan Rodriguez.

Both Bell and Diaz will report to the Gulf Coast Rangers in the

Gulf Coast League on Monday. No contract terms were disclosed.

The other signings Monday, all collegians, were Marc Sagmoen, Nebraska outfielder; Chris Unrat, Arkansas State catcher; Tim Cossins, Oklahoma catcher; Eric Dominov, Western Michigan first baseman; Chris Smith, Kentucky right-handed pitcher; Greg Willing, Evansville right-handed pitcher; and Matt Huff, Northwestern outfielder.

Physicals scheduled

Physical examinations for Pampa athletes from the 7th through 12th grades will be held throughout the summer.

The physicals are for both male and female athletes and will be held from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday in Dr. Keith Black's office at Northcrest Medical Building.

Pampa athletic trainer Stuart Smith said no fee will be charged and he urged 7th and 9th graders to have their physicals completed as soon as possible.

Bizarre injuries often plague major league players

Careers threatened by off-the-field mishaps

By JIM DONAGHY
AP Baseball Writer

When it comes to injuries, Jose Canseco knows the bizarre ones. First, he got hit on the head trying to catch a fly ball, then he hurt his arm as a mop-up relief pitcher.

Dwight Gooden also is familiar with unusual aches. He was minding his business in the New York Mets clubhouse this season when he got hit with Vince Coleman's 9-iron practice swing. Gooden missed a start.

"These are accidents that happen to people every day," said Bret Saberhagen, who needed 16 stitches to close facial cuts after he tripped in a New York hotel room a few years ago while with the Kansas City Royals.

Some of the most notable injuries are the strangest. Bob Ojeda nearly

severed a finger with hedge clippers; Curt Simmons sliced a toe with a lawn mower; Dick Allen put his hand through a headlight while pushing a stalled car uphill.

Coleman's career almost ended when his leg got caught in an automatic tarpaulin machine. Pat Zachry, upset at giving up the hit that enabled Pete Rose to tie for the longest hitting streak in National League history, kicked the dugout steps and broke his toe.

Ruben Sierra, one of the American League's most talented players, put himself out of action while playing for Texas when he sprained an ankle chasing after his daughter on a mall escalator in Texas.

"When it happened," he said, "I just thought, 'I don't get hurt on the field, but I get hurt here. I can't believe it.' It just shows you have to be careful everywhere."

John Smiley, now with Cincinnati, slammed a taxi door shut on his left hand after a game for Pittsburgh in Atlanta.

"I didn't think it was that serious," Smiley said. "I broke the hand before and it wasn't as swollen as the first time."

Gooden was a clubhouse victim this season for the second time in his career. In San Diego a few years ago, reserve catcher Mackey Sasser was looking for a place to put a metal chair and accidentally set it down on Gooden's left foot, and then sat down.

Gooden thought his middle toe was broken, but it wasn't. Instead, the Mets said there was some "soft-tissue damage."

But another Cy Young Award winner, Jim Lonborg, was never the same after a skiing accident following Boston's pennant-winning season in 1967. He tore ligaments on the slopes at Lake Tahoe and did not completely recover.

Two years later, he cut up his foot while running through a parking lot at his apartment complex.

Roger Clemens was forced to miss a start for the first time in sev-

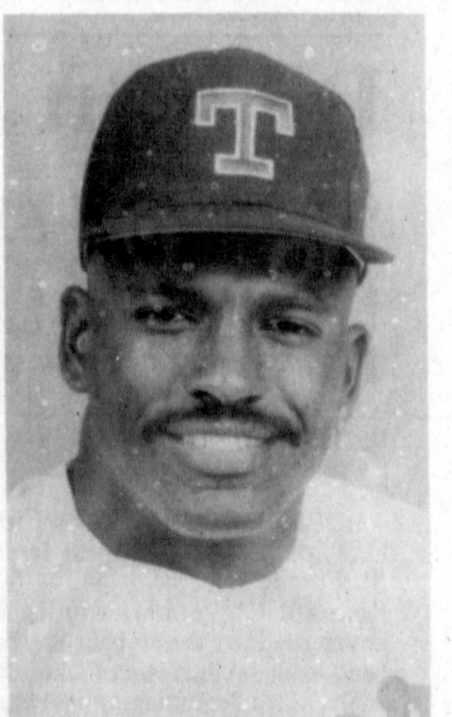
eral seasons in 1988 when he injured his back moving furniture at home. Wade Boggs also put himself out of Boston's lineup when he pulled a muscle in his back while pulling off his cowboy boots at a hotel room in Toronto.

Then there was the time All-Star Lou Whitaker hurt himself trying to do splits while dancing with his wife at a party. Or the time Cecil Upshaw sliced his hand on a rain gutter, trying to show teammates how he used to dunk basketballs.

Sometimes, even the celebrations cause injuries. In 1949, the New York Yankees had been plagued by injuries so many times that the newspapers began a daily count.

So when the Yankees finally outlasted their injuries and beat Boston on the final day to win the pennant, coach Bill Dickey jumped for joy.

He jumped right up and hit his head on the dugout ceiling, and knocked himself out.



Ruben Sierra was sidelined after spraining an ankle on a shopping mall escalator.

Jones to step down as Texas Tech athletic director, no successor named

LUBBOCK (AP) — On the heels of possibly Texas Tech's most successful year in athletics, T. Jones has announced he'll step down as athletic director on Aug. 31.

"I don't know that you can ever pick a right time to leave," Jones said Tuesday. "The facilities are in good shape, we've got a good staff and good coaches. Why not leave with a smile on your face and feel good?"

In this last of eight years with Jones as athletic director, Texas Tech's women's basketball team won the NCAA championship, the men's basketball team won the Southwest Conference post-season tournament and the football team tied for second in the SWC for the second straight year.

Jones said he made the decision this weekend.

"It's a very recent one, frankly," said Jones, whose contract expires Sept. 1, 1994.

"I'm proud of the quality of coaches we have been able to bring in. And I feel like the facilities have been upgraded to the point Tech can be competitive in recruiting across the board. It's just time for me to turn the reins over to somebody else."

He makes \$100,011 annually, but said because the resignation was his idea he does not expect Texas Tech to honor the remaining year of his contract.

Jones, 62, has headed Tech's athletic program since 1985, when he left a position as assistant and asso-

ciate athletic director at Texas.

The school has not named Jones' successor. Texas Tech President Robert Lawless did not return a telephone call from The Associated Press.

Jones oversaw the merging of the men's and women's departments shortly after his arrival and hired several coaches, including football coach Spike Dykes, basketball coach James Dickey and baseball coach Larry Hays.

The most significant accomplishments under his eight-year leadership, he said, were improvements to the football and baseball fields and better recruiting of student athletes. Jones also said more Tech athletes are graduating.

James Carroll Jones got his nick-

name "T" growing up in Childress. He earned All-Southwest Conference honors as quarterback for Texas, the 1952 SWC champions, and returned to UT as an assistant coach for eight years under Ed Price and Darrell Royal.

After 11 years serving as senior vice president of City National Bank of Austin, he worked for five years as Texas' assistant and associate athletic director.

"T. has made substantial contributions to the Southwest Conference during his tenure at Texas Tech and he will be sorely missed," said Britton Banowsky, assistant Southwest Conference commissioner.

"He has been a leader in the development of women's programs in the conference," Banowsky said.

"He always approached the conference issues with a spirit of cooperation and has demonstrated excellent judgment."

Baylor Athletic Director Grant Teaff credited Jones with insight and an unselfish attitude.

"I'm shocked," said Teaff, who has known Jones for 21 years. "We were just together in Dallas. He was being very creative helping us on a problem we had in scheduling in 1994. I just think he's been one of the rare statesmen in the conference."

Larry Hays said Jones' resignation came as a shock and a disappointment.

"He just does such a great job here. It's a big surprise for me just because things are going so well," Hays said.

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Rodeo

Tri-State High School Rodeo Association Finals

at Tri-State Fairgrounds Saturday's final results

Barrel riding: 1. Justine Henderson, Hereford, 70; 2. Brady Pool, Gruver, 66; 3. J.J. Blacksher, W.C. 65; 4. Ryon Porschbacher, Adrian, 62.

Breakaway roping: 1. Tanya Short, Goodwell, Okla., 4:18; 2. Sonya Coy, Wheeler, 4:57; 3. Manchie Light, Randall, 5:12; 4. Chastity Rickman, Hereford, 5:42; 5. Krista Krehbiel, Canadian, 5:47; 6. Samantha Winters, Hereford, 15:34.

Call roping: 1. Jim Locke, Canadian, 9:21; 2. Travis Goad, Wheeler, 10:43; 3. Shawn Hill, Canadian, 12:74; 4. Brady Pool, Gruver, 13:88; 5. Rob Denny, Gruver, 15:50; 6. Jered Norris, Canadian, 15:72; 7. Ryan Rankin, Canadian, 18:40; 8. Ross Montgomery, Vega, 23:85.

Saddle bronc riding: 1. Rance Bray, Dumas, 66.

Barrel racing: 1. Sanja Hext, Canadian, 17:25; 2. Chastity Rickman, Hereford, 17:43; 3. Michel Reeves, Pampa, 17:95; 5. Summer Leffew, Wheeler, 18:19; 6. Nicole Williams, W.C. 18:20; 7. Alicia Miller, Stratford, 18:29; 8. Manchie Light, Randall, 18:40.

Ribbon roping: 1. Travis Goad, Wheeler, 11:07; 2. Ben Blue, Gruver, 11:38; 3. Matt Eakin, S&S, 11:52; 4. Seth Fiel, Canadian, 12:57; 5. Rob Denny, Gruver, 13:14; 6. Jim Locke, Canadian, 13:35; 7. Jered Norris, Canadian, 13:59; 8. Brandon Brown, Dumas, 14:06.

Pole bending: 1. Sanja Hext, Canadian, 20:74; 2. Michelle Meyer, Vega, 21:08; 3. Michel Reeves, Pampa, 21:05; 4. Deana Schwartz, Hub City, 21:19; 5. Chastity Rickman, Hereford, 21:40; 6. Jodi Morris, Lazbuddie, 21:49; 7. Angie Underwood, Pampa, 22:30; 8. Rob Denny, Gruver, 25:41.

Steer wrestling: 1. Travis Goad, Wheeler, 8:04; 2. Brady Pool, Gruver, 9:15; 3. Billy Pillars, Wheeler, 11:40; 4. Judd Agee, Canyon, 15:50; 5. Matt Eakin, S&S, 16:67; 6. Hoss Montgomery, Vega, 17:32; 7. Joshua Puroell, Wheeler, 19:00.

Goat tying: 1. Samantha Winters, Hereford, 9:27; 2. Michelle Meyer, Vega, 10:34; 3. Jessica Dean, Wheeler, 11:31; 4. Tanya Short, Goodwell, Okla., 12:84; 5. Manchie Light, Randall, 13:69; 6. Sonya Coy, Wheeler, 16:33; 7. Jana McCoy, Gruver, 16:42; 8. Kari Cobb, Wheeler, 17:14.

Team roping: 1. Jim Locke, Canadian, and Chancy Franks, S&S, 7:38; 2. Brook Beardon, Dumas, and Jake Monroe, Gruver, 8:86; 3. Matt Eakin, S&S, and Lee Gabel, Adrian, 14:16; 4. Brady Pool, Gruver, and Sage Britain, S&S, 24:14; 5. Jered Norris, Canadian, and Travis Goad, Wheeler, 29:34; 6. John Gregory, River Road, and Ross Montgomery, Vega, 33:45.

Bull riding: 1. C.W. Weaver, Canyon, 83; 2. Andy Crist, Boys Ranch, 81.

Baseball

COLLEGE WORLD SERIES

By The Associated Press

All times EDT
At Rosenblatt Stadium
Omaha, Neb.

Friday, June 4
Bracket One
Texas A&M 5, Kansas 1
LSU 7, Long Beach State 1

Saturday, June 5
Bracket Two
Wichita State 3, 11 innings
Texas 6, Oklahoma State 8
Sunday, June 6
Bracket One
Long Beach State 6, Kansas 1, Kansas eliminated

LSU 13, Texas A&M 8
Monday, June 7
Bracket Two
Oklahoma State 5, Arizona State 4, Arizona State eliminated

Wichita State 7, Texas 6
Tuesday, June 8
Bracket One
Long Beach State 6, Texas A&M 2, Texas A&M eliminated

Bracket Two
Oklahoma State 7, Texas 6, Texas eliminated

Wednesday, June 9
Bracket One
Game 11 — LSU (51-16-1) vs. Long Beach State (45-18), 4:06 p.m.
Thursday, June 10
Bracket Two
Game 12 — Wichita State (57-16) vs. Oklahoma State (45-16), 7:36 p.m.
Friday, June 11
Bracket One
Game 13 — LSU vs. Long Beach State, 4:06 p.m., if necessary
Bracket Two
Game 14 — Wichita State vs. Game 10 winner, 7:36 p.m., if necessary
Saturday, June 12
Championship
Game 15 — Game 11 or 13 winner vs. Game 12 or 14 winner, 1:06 p.m.

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Barker, Sellers win Pampa Tennis Open titles

First round

Tory Sellers, Hereford, def. Joe Hiemstra, Canadian, 6-2, 6-1; Brooks Gentry, Pampa, def. Conrad Grodd, Borger, 7-6 (7-2), 6-3; Aaron Witt, Pampa, def. Phil Grove, Pampa, 6-4, 6-4; Troy Clark, Plainview, def. Brian Hughes, Memphis, 6-2, 6-0; Ken Rheams, Pampa, def. Andy Hawkins, Amarillo, 6-1, 6-0; Billy DeWitt, Pampa, def. Toya McLeod, Canyon, 7-5, 6-3; Brandon Reyes, Panhandle, def. Brett Gordon Reyes of Panhandle, 4-6, 6-4, 7-5, for the men's open championship.

Quarterfinals

Sellers def. Gentry, 6-2, 6-2; Clark def. Witt, 6-4, 6-2; DeWitt def. K. Rheams, 4-6, 6-4, 6-1; Reyes def. Eddins, 5-7, 6-2, 6-1.

Semifinals

Sellers def. Reyes, 4-6, 6-4, 7-5.

Boys 14 Singles

First round

Daron Parnell, Amarillo, def. Mike Littlejohn, Amarillo, 6-1, 6-1; Rahul Sreenivasan, Amarillo, def. David Jurado, Memphis, 6-1, 6-4;

Boys 14 Doubles

Round-robin

Sean Teng-Ryan Witt, Pampa, def. Ross Watkins-Darby Schale, Pampa, 6-7, 6-4, 6-3; Zac Helton-David Jurado, Memphis, def. Watkins-Schale, 6-3, 6-0.

Girls 14 Doubles

Round-robin

Emily Waters-Kellen Waters, Pampa, def. Marcella Morehead-Leigh Farrar, Canadian, 6-2, 6-3; McKinley Quarles-Haley Bell, Pampa, def. Morehead-Farrar, 6-0, 2-6.

Finals

Waters-Waters def. Quarles-Bell, 6-4, 6-3.

Men's Open Doubles

First round

J.B. Horton, Pampa-Tory Sellers, Hereford, by; Ken Rheams, Pampa-Jeff Munger, Borger, def. Mike Heatwole-Caleb Heatwole, Canadian, 6-1, 6-0; John Hiemstra-Joe Hiemstra, Canadian, def. John Dunlop-Brett Gordon, Amarillo, 7-5, 6-2; Billy DeWitt-Brooks Gentry, Pampa, def. Juan Campos-Tony Campos, Pampa, 6-2, 6-1; Sameer Mohan-Joe Welborn, Pampa, by; Troy Clark, Plainview-Toya McLeod, Canyon, def. Benny Horton-David Sellers, Pampa, 7-6 (7-5),

Finals

Coffey-Coffey def. P. Barker-Sparkman, 6-1, 6-4.

Quarterfinals

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Semifinals

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Finals

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Women's Open Doubles

Semifinals

Patsy Barker, Pampa-Jennifer Crowe, Oklahoma City def. Becky Dockray-Tisha Carr, Canadian, 7-5, 6-3; Elaine Eddins, Pampa-Leslie Jabor, Lubbock def. Marcie Hansen-Vickie Jubang, Amarillo, 6-2, 6-4.

Finals

Barker-Crowe def. Eddins-Jabor, 6-2, 6-0.

Mixed A Doubles

Quarterfinals

Jennifer Crowe, Oklahoma City-Larry Wheeler, Pampa, by; Becky Dockray-Mike Heatwole, Canadian def. Jamie Barker-Kyle Sparkman, Pampa, 6-4, 6-7, 6-0; Patsy Barker-Brooks Gentry, Pampa def. Johanna Ashley-Caleb Ashley, Canadian, 6-2, 6-1; Regan Eddins, Pampa-Leslie Jabor, Lubbock, by.

Semifinals

Crowe-Wheeler def. Dockray-Heatwole, Canadian, default; Barker-Gentry def. Eddins-Jabor, 6-4, 6-6.

Finals

Crowe-Wheeler def. Barker-Gentry, 7-6 (7-4), 7-6 (9-7).

Mixed B Doubles

Quarterfinals

Susan Coffey-Brad Coffey, White Deer, by; Jamie Barker-Ross Watkins, Pampa, by; Angel Coufal-Larry Wheeler, Pampa, def. Tisha Carr-Caleb Heatwole, Canadian, 7-5, 6-3; Patsy Barker-Kyle Sparkman, Pampa, by.

Semifinals

Coffey-Coffey def. J. Barker-Watkins, 3-6, 7-5, 7-5; P. Barker-Sparkman def. Coufal-Wheeler, 6-4, 6-3.

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SEATTLE MARINERS—Placed Chris Bosio, pitcher, on the 15-day disabled list, retroactive to June 7. Recalled Greg Litton, infielder, from Calgary of the Pacific Coast League.

TEXAS RANGERS—Placed Brian Bohanon, pitcher, on the 15-day disabled list. Purchased the contract of Mike Schooler, pitcher, from Oklahoma City of the American Association. Signed Mike Bell and Edwin Diaz, third basemen; Marc Sagmoen and Matt Huff, outfielders; Chris Unrat and Tim Cossins, catchers; Eric Dominow, first baseman; and Chris Smith and Greg Wilming, pitchers.

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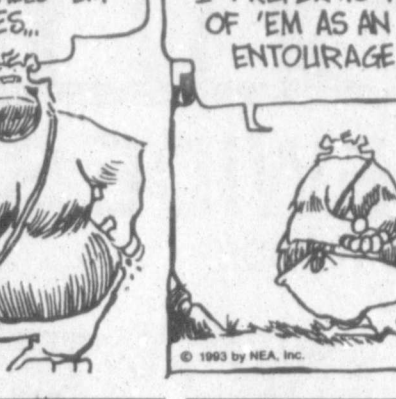
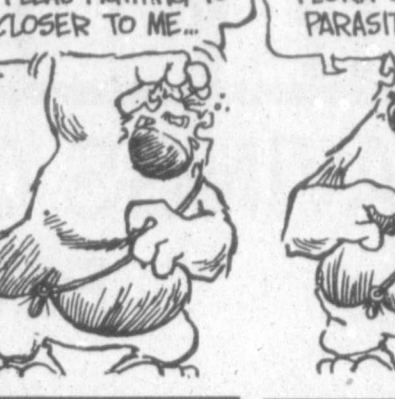
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Los Angeles elects new GOP mayor

By MICHAEL FLEEMAN
Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Richard Riordan was elected Los Angeles' first new mayor in a generation and its first Republican chief executive since 1961, defeating a liberal Democrat in a city hobbled by crime, racial tension and budget woes.

With 83 percent of precincts reporting Tuesday, Riordan, a white conservative businessman raised on the East Coast, received 258,282 votes, or 54 percent, to 220,980 votes, or 46 percent, for City Councilman Michael Woo.

"Fear and despair must come to an end. We must create a will in every Angeleno to turn this city around," Riordan (pronounced REER-dun) declared at a victory rally.

In New Jersey, Republican Christie Whitman, a former state utilities regulator, became the first woman to win a major-party nomination for governor in the state. She will face Democratic Gov. Jim Florio in November.

Elsewhere, voters along California's central coast elected Democratic state Assemblyman Sam Farr to the congressional held by Leon Panetta before he became President Clinton's budget director. And Montana voters crushed 3-to-1 proposal to impose the state's first sales tax.

The election in Los Angeles ended an era that saw Tom Bradley elected five consecutive times until he chose to retire. It gave the city its first GOP mayor since Norris Poulson.

The election in the struggling city trying to rebuild from the 1992 riots capped a bitter campaign of negative commercials and character attacks.

Riordan, a 63-year-old multimillionaire, takes over July 1 and faces a number of immediate problems, from racial tensions to a budget mess that may leave the city as much as \$500 million in the hole this year.

Bradley, 75, came to power after the 1965 Watts riots by forging a multi-ethnic coalition. But his 20-year-old power base, which Woo had hoped to inherit, was strained by rioting triggered by the Rodney King beating case.

Woo, who was better known going into the campaign and was endorsed by Clinton, was beaten by Riordan's rise from obscurity with an aggressive campaign bankrolled almost entirely by \$6 million of his own money.

Riordan had stressed public safety, pledging to beef up the police force and make the streets safe so businesses would stay.

But he had his own brushes with the law in the 1960s and '70s: arrested twice for drunken driving and once for interfering with a friend's arrest while they were out drinking. The arrests became public during the campaign, forcing Riordan to explain.

In New Jersey, Whitman, who nearly ousted Sen. Bill Bradley three years ago by harnessing voter anger over Florio's \$2.8 billion tax hike, defeated former state Attorney General Cary Edwards and former state Sen. Jim Wallwork.

"We're going to be Florio-free by November the third of 1993," the 46-year-old Whitman declared. Florio was unopposed for the Democratic nomination.

With 91 percent of precincts reporting in the House race in California, Farr got 52 percent to 42.8 percent for Republican lawyer William Campbell. Five other candidates split the remainder.

In Montana, the 4 percent sales tax proposal pitted Republican Gov. Marc Racicot, the leading advocate, against unions and the Democratic Party.

Supporters said it would mean a more balanced tax system, create jobs by easing the tax burden on businesses and tap out-of-state companies and tourists for more money.

In Arkansas, Little Rock lawyers Nate Coulter and Tom McRae were headed for a runoff June 22 to decide the Democratic nominee for lieutenant governor. No one got the majority needed to win the job outright.

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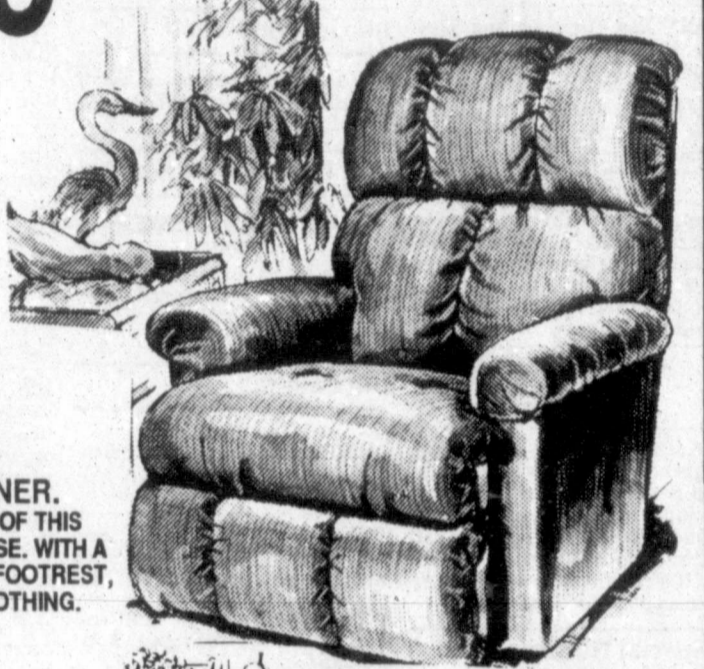
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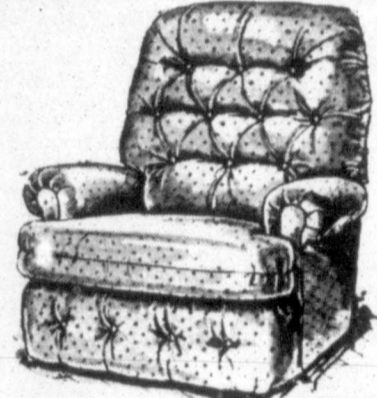
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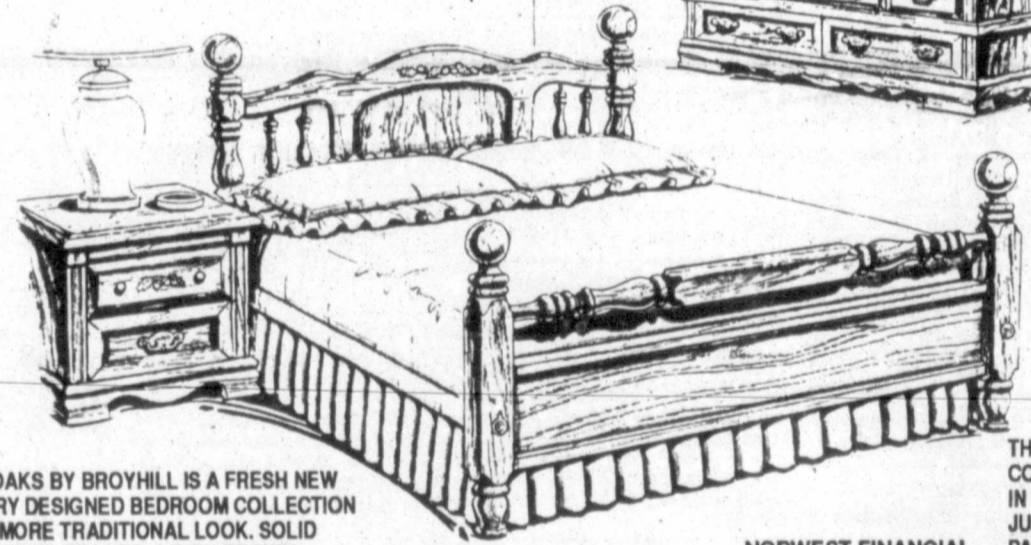
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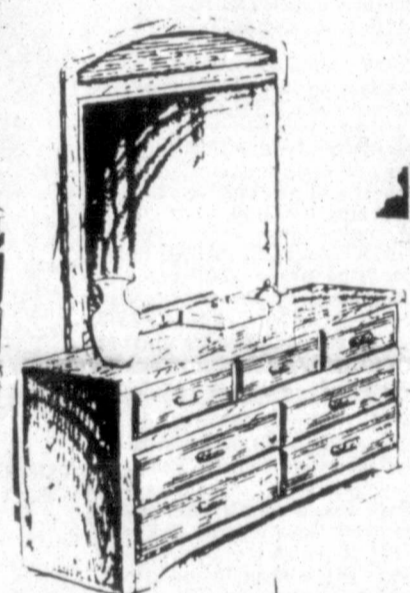
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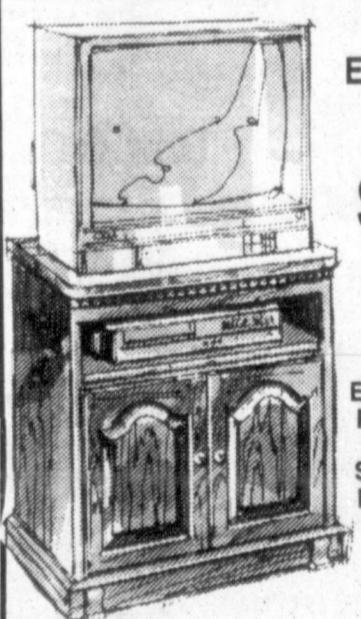
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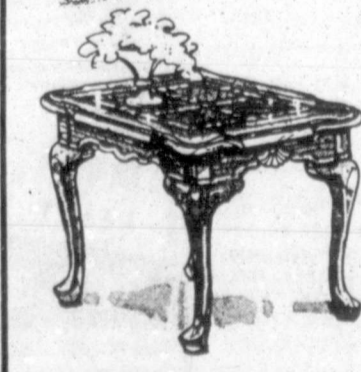


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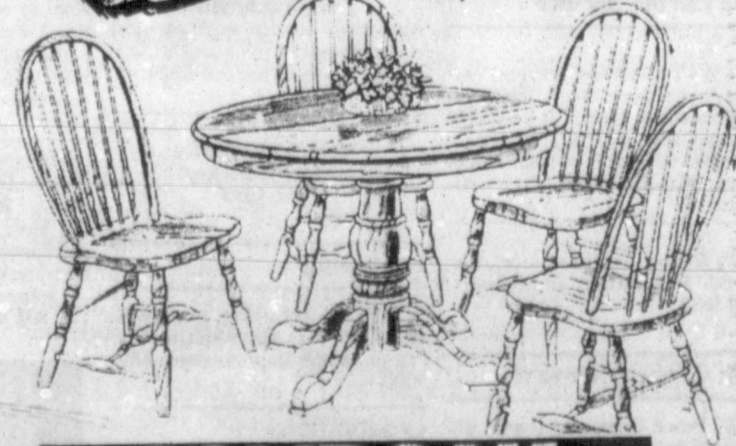
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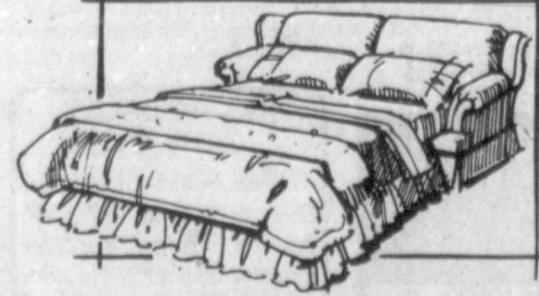
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