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GRAY COUNTY — Grandview-Hopkins Independent School District's Board of Education will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the cafeteria of the school located at Rt. 1 Box 27.

Items scheduled to be discussed include the school district's annual Chapter II hearing, the renewal of the National School Lunch and Child Nutrition programs, the renewal of a tax collection agreement with Gray County, budget amendments and a number of votes on matters ranging from bilingual education to instructional goals and objectives to the disposal of school property.

In addition, Norman Baxter, school superintendent, will give a report on the school's investment pool and the school financing situation in the state.

BRISCOE — Fort Elliott Consolidated Independent School District's Board of Trustees will meet beginning at 7 p.m. today in the superintendent's office, which is located at 501 E. Wilson.

Items scheduled to be discussed include hiring an auditor to review the 1993-1994 school year's budget, a waiver for staff development, a review of TAAS results, the tax collection results, a policy update and reports by the principal and superintendent of the school.

PAMPA — The Gray County Chapter of the American Red Cross is now registering people for its two-day bowling tournament which is scheduled to begin at 3 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday at Harvester Lane.

Anyone interested in joining can do so by contacting the Red Cross office at 669-7121, or by signing up at the bowling alley prior to the tournament on Saturday.

Cash awards and door prizes will be given to participants. A \$20 registration fee is required.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Portrayed as a chronic money-loser, Whitewater Development Co. for a time had a healthy cash flow, generating nearly enough from land sales to cover all its loans, an Associated Press reconstruction of its accounts shows.

During a three-year period key to federal investigators, Whitewater brought in more than \$100,000, the review found.

The fact that Whitewater, which was partly owned by President Clinton and his wife, Hillary, was nearly breaking even between 1984 and 1986 could cut several ways in the public debate over the way the venture was run.

The figures provide another side to the portrayal of the Arkansas land venture that was furnished in a 1992 report released by Clinton's presidential campaign. It showed Whitewater with a massive loss in those years.

BALTIMORE (AP) — America's blacks are facing a life-or-death crisis, NAACP leaders said as they convened a summit to try to forge a new civil rights agenda that will have the support of the most diverse elements of the black community.

Attended by about 65 leaders, including not only NAACP figures, but also Nation of Islam leader Louis Farrakhan, the summit is to address crime and drugs, and political power and spiritual renewal.

Criticized for inviting Farrakhan to the National African American Leadership Summit, NAACP Executive Director Benjamin Chavis said the need for dialogue is too great to shut anyone out.

"We want to have a fair exchange of views because we believe that the situation facing our people is one of life and death," Chavis said Sunday as the summit opened.

WASHINGTON (AP) — A major cancer research project that has been tainted by fraud could be shifted away from the University of Pittsburgh under a plan being considered by advisers to the National Cancer Institute.

The institute's board of scientific counselors was taking up a proposal today to open competition for management of the National Surgical Adjuvant Breast and Bowel Cancer Project, or NSABP, a leading clinical trial program that has been based at Pittsburgh since 1958.

The NCI provides \$8 million to \$10 million a year for the NSABP and in its 35-year history the research project has dramatically affected the way cancer is treated among patients worldwide. At its height, more than 5,000 physicians at 484 institutions were participating in the clinical research.

Dr. Bernard Fisher, founder of the program, is a legendary figure in the field, credited with pioneering efforts to verify new treatments for cancer of the breast and bowel.

Report: High cancer rates found near Pantex

From staff and wire reports

Reports of high cancer rates among neighbors of the Pantex nuclear weapons plant have alarmed a doctor with the U.S. Department of Energy.

"Elevated cancer rates of that order of magnitude warrant further investigation as to the cause," said Dr. Steven Galson, chief medical officer in the Office of Environment, Safety and Health.

The DOE oversees the 16,000-acre Pantex plant, the nation's primary disassembly plant for nuclear weapons located 35 miles west of Pampa.

Cancer rates in counties surrounding the Pantex plant are on the rise, leading residents to suspect a link between the disease and the nuclear weapons facility, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram reported in Sunday's editions.

In Carson County, just a few

miles east of the Pantex plant, the leukemia death rate among 6,800 residents was twice the statewide rate between 1981 to 1991, the Star-Telegram reported, citing Texas Department of Health statistics.

"If they (the leukemia numbers) are valid, they are clearly alarming," Galson said.

To the west, in Potter County, thyroid cancer death rates among women were the highest in the state, the Star-Telegram said.

Tom Walton, a DOE spokesman at the plant, said he doubts the plant is responsible for the cancer rates.

Walton said he was unaware of any numbness indicating higher than usual cancer rates. "I doubt very seriously if there is any cause and effect tying Pantex to anything anybody is claiming."

"In order for there to be an effect, there has to be a cause, and

the cause would have to be some kind of emission from this site. There have been no (chemical or radiation) emissions from this site," he said.

According to Walton, a 1992 state survey of reported malignancies indicated lower than average cancer rates in the area around Pantex. He said he was unaware of what study was reporting elevated cancer rates.

But nearby residents aren't so sure that the plant is not responsible for the cancer rates. They are marking maps with colored pins to note neighbors who have died of cancer.

Jeri Osborne's Carson County map has 235 pins.

To the south, retired school teacher Dorothy Bell has used Armstrong County death certificates to plot 71 cancer deaths she found in the county of 2,100 residents.

Mrs. Osborne and Mrs. Bell

said the plant belched black smoke that irritated the eyes of nearby farmers during the 1960s and '70s. Government reports show lead, mercury and arsenic were discharged into wastewater some farmers used for irrigation, they said.

Mrs. Osborne said five of seven farmers who irrigated their crops with treated sewage water from the plant have died of cancer, mostly lymphatic cancer. A sixth has been fighting cancer for five years.

Low-level uranium has been detected in soil on the site, said Boyd Deaver of the Texas Natural Resources Conservation Commission. Depleted uranium used in the development of metal armor did not migrate off the plant site and "is very, very low in radioactivity" according to Walton.

"There's some past sins which I know they are not doing

these days," Deaver said. "It was a common practice for a long time to just burn things in the burn pits. They didn't know what they burned."

"The fact is, they don't know what they released into the air. The bottom line was getting the (atomic) bomb out, not the environment," he said.

"That's inaccurate. We knew what we were burning," Walton said, adding that emission levels generated by burning at the plant fall below Clean Air Act standards even with an increase in the disposal of weapons components in recent years.

Mrs. Bell and her husband, retired Pantex employee John Bell, have sued the plant, saying exposure to radioactive material caused Bell to suffer a series of nervous system ailments.

He won a workers' compensation award, which the plant is appealing.

Morning accident



A west-bound Ford pick up collided with a south-bound Dodge mini-van at about 8:30 a.m. today at the intersection of Hobart Street — Texas 70 and Wilks Street — U.S. 60, sending three vacationing South Dakota residents to Coronado Hospital. Craig Skuya, 40, Vicki Skuya, 38, and Phyllis Karbo, 66, all of Sioux Falls, S.D., were listed in stable condition as of press time today. Two units and four firefighters from the Pampa Fire Department responded to the scene. (Pampa News photo by Jeff Carruth)

South Korea calls up its reservists

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — Reflecting rising tensions over North Korea's nuclear program, South Korea today called up 6.6 million reservists for one of its biggest civil defense drills in years.

The exercise, to be held Wednesday, will involve all military and civil defense corps members, whose job is to organize evacuations and provide first aid for air raid victims.

Seoul has staged monthly civil defense drills, but because of military tensions with North Korea, this month's is being expanded nationwide and will include more personnel and equipment.

Former President Carter arrived in Seoul today to try to help ease tensions that have arisen from growing suspicions that North Korea is building nuclear weapons.

The agenda on Carter's private visit includes talks with President Kim Young-sam and other top South Korean officials. Carter did not speak to reporters when he arrived.

Carter also plans to visit the North for four days starting Wednesday. The South has said the visit could weaken international pressure for U.N. sanctions against the North and offer it a propaganda bonus.

Almost all army reservists

younger than 50 will be mobilized for the civil defense drill, officials said.

During the 20-minute drill streets are usually cleared and people rush to shelters. Large-scale evacuation drills are conducted at selected locations.

South Korea has been stepping up war preparations as the United States and other nations move to seek punitive U.N. sanctions against the North over its refusal for 15 months to allow full inspections of its nuclear facilities.

North Korea, which denies it is working on nuclear weapons, today reiterated its warning that sanctions would provoke war.

The isolationist Communist regime also said it would immediately quit the United Nations' nuclear watchdog agency and accept no more inspections of its nuclear facilities.

"This stand of ours will never change until our nuclear issue has been solved fairly through dialogue and negotiation," said a Foreign Ministry statement carried by the North's official Korean Central News Agency.

In Vienna, Austria, a spokesman for the International Atomic Energy Agency, Hans-Friedrich Meyer, said the U.N. organization had not been informed of such a decision by North Korea.

Justices curb power to ban signs

By RICHARD CARELLI
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court today curbed the power of communities to prohibit the display of signs on private property, ruling that such a ban in a St. Louis suburb violated free-speech rights.

The justices unanimously ruled that Ladue, Mo., a small town of stately mansions and tree-lined streets, went too far in seeking to avoid visual blight and protect real estate values.

In other actions today, the justices:

— Made it harder for people to avoid cigarette taxes by shopping on Indian reservations by allowing wholesalers to provide Indian retailers with only enough untaxed cigarettes to supply a reservation's residents.

— Dealt a big-money defeat to federal regulators by making it harder to hold lawyers financially liable for failing to uncover insider wrongdoing at savings and loans.

— Allowed Congress to close an estate-tax loophole retroactively, sparing the government a projected tax revenue loss of \$7 billion.

In the Ladue case, Justice John Paul Stevens wrote for the court: "A special respect for individual liberty in the home has long been part of our culture and our law."

"That principle has special resonance when the government seeks to constrain a person's ability to speak there," he said. "Most Americans would be understandably dismayed, given that tradition, to learn that it was illegal to display from their front window an 8-by-11-inch sign expressing their political views."

That's what happened to Margaret Gilileo, who was cited in 1991 for violating Ladue's anti-sign ordinance after she posted a notebook-size piece of paper in her bedroom window. It read: "For Peace in the Gulf."

She previously had posted an anti-war sign in her front yard, but it was stolen.

All political signs were illegal in Ladue, as were garage-sale signs, signs seeking lost pets, bake-sale and school-picnic signs, happy birthday and welcome home signs. Among those allowed are traffic and for-sale signs.

Gilileo challenged the ordinance and won in lower courts. But the city's appeal was accepted by the nation's highest court last October.

The small-town fight over Gilileo's small sign attracted a lot of attention. The justices received unsolicited advice, in the form of friend-of-the-court briefs, from the Association of National Advertisers, American Jewish Congress, the conservative Washington Legal Foundation and the Clinton administration — all supporting Gilileo.

Chamber to have membership drive

The Greater Pampa Area Chamber of Commerce will kick off its annual three-day membership drive beginning at 8 a.m. Tuesday in an attempt to get new members and promote the area.

This year's drive is titled "Promoting Pampa Pride."

Mary McDaniel, chairwoman of the chamber's membership committee, said she expects a great deal from this year's membership drive as 40 staff members, board members and volunteers gather to work the phones.

"We hope to get as many (new members) as possible," she said. "We're already to go and have been for a couple of days."

McDaniel said that while everyone is welcome to join the organization, members don't necessarily have to be owners or operators of a local business. In fact, senior citizens are encouraged to become new members and will

be targeted to join, she said.

Beginning at a breakfast at 8 a.m. Tuesday, six team captains, all members of the chambers, will direct workers in the membership drive that is expected to last until 4:30 p.m. Thursday.

The team captains include Kathy Massick of Mr. Gatti's Pizza; Billy Smith, a CPA for the accounting firm of Smith and Cargill; Rick Paulus of Brown's Shoe Fit; Pete Denney of Pete Denney Real Estate Appraisal; C.J. Johnston of All-State Insurance; and Mickey Piersall of the Pampa Country Club's Pro Shop.

Mary Alice Roberts of Dobson Cellular Phones will help each of the teams with motivation.

"People were really eager and happy to help," McDaniel said. "It was easy to persuade them."

In an effort to help promote the membership drive, three lighted signs have been rented and are strategically located throughout Pampa, McDaniel said.

Support for the roses



Lambert Bertram ties up his rose bushes this morning to give them some support. Bertram, who moved to Pampa 27 years ago from a farm near Higgins, said the hot dry winds have really hurt the roses this year. (Pampa News photo by Darlene Holmes)

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Daily Record

Services tomorrow

HESS, George W. — 10 a.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel.
RODGERS, Arizona — 2 p.m., First Baptist Church, Wheeler.

Obituaries

GEORGE W. HESS
George W. Hess, 83, died Sunday, June 12, 1994. Services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Kenneth Metzger, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery by Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.
Mr. Hess was born on Feb. 5, 1911, in Stevens County, Kan. He came to Pampa from Perryton in 1975. He married Ethel Lea Prater on April 24, 1937 in Pampa. She died Dec. 15, 1973. He later married Sally Inez Keyes on Dec. 9, 1976 in Pampa. He worked for Texaco Oil Co. for 40 years as a production manager, retiring in the early 1970s. He was a member of the Perryton Masonic Lodge No. 910, the Perryton Elks Lodge and the Loyal Order of the Moose, Pampa Lodge No. 1385. He was a Methodist.
Survivors include his wife, Inez, of the home; a son, Ronald Hess of Pampa; three daughters, Janice Peacock of Dallas, Delores Matter of Mobile, Ala., and Nancy Crocker of Pampa; two sisters, Mildred Hall of Hugoton, Kan., and Beedie Laverty of Pampa; 12 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

MAGGIE LEVONIA RENEAU
Maggie Levonia "Mary" Reneau, 80, died Friday, June 10, 1994. Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel with the Rev. Dr. Don Turner, associate pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery by Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.
Mrs. Reneau was born on March 24, 1914 in Claphane, N.M. She had been a resident of Pampa since Jan. 5, 1948. She married Rex R. Reneau on April 29, 1948 in Oklahoma City. She worked for the Pampa Independent School District for 23 years as a cook at Sam Houston Elementary School. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Pampa.

Survivors include her husband, Rex, of the home; a son, Loyd Reneau of Lake Tanglewood; a daughter, Dorothy Moat of San Antonio; four sisters, Nancy Condo of Pampa, Anna Reid of San Antonio, Clytee Sullivan of Los Angeles, Calif., and Lyla Bisson of Long Beach, Calif.; and six grandchildren.

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions

Pampa
Lisa Hill
Ramie Hutto
Catherine Jones
Kallie Marak
Paula Lene Cherry
To Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Cherry of Pampa, a boy.
To Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Hill of Pampa, a boy.
To Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jones of Pampa, a girl.
Dismissals
Pampa
Velma Garrison
Kallie Marak

Wanda Juanita Davis

Onita C. Floyd
Opal Mae Franklin
Dorothy Inez Gattis
Jewell Inez Judkins
Lefors
Betty Hannon
Shamrock
Heefley Katherine
Skellytown
Willie Cooper
SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions
Shamrock
Reta Conner
Dismissals
Shamrock
Lydia Guthrie

Stocks

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

Wheat — 3 1/2
Milo — 4 3/4
Corn — 5 06

The following show the prices for which these securities could have traded at the time of completion

Serico — 4 dn 1/4
Occidental — 18 7/8 dn 1/8

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

Magellan — 66 23
Parian — 15 93

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

Amoco — 51 1/4 dn 3/8
Arco — 101 3/8 NC
Cabot — 51 NC
Cabot O&G — 20 1/2 NC

Chevron — 45 dn 3/8
Coca-Cola — 39 3/4 dn 1/2
Diamond Sham — 25 1/2 dn 1/8
Enron — 31 3/4 up 1/4
Halliburton — 32 1/4 up 1/8
Health Trust Inc — 29 3/4 up 1/8
Ingross Rand — 36 3/4 up 1/4
KNE — 22 7/8 NC
Kerr-McGee — 46 up 3/8
Lumint — 18 up 1/4
Mapco — 62 1/8 NC
Marx — 4 3/4 NC
McDonald's — 59 3/4 dn 3/8
Mobil — 82 3/4 up 3/8
New Atmos — 19 1/4 up 1/4
Parker & Parsley — 25 3/8 up 3/8
Phillips — 32 1/2 NC
Penny's — 50 1/8 dn 1/2
SLH — 56 3/4 NC
SPS — 25 7/8 NC
Tenneco — 48 1/2 up 1/8
Texasco — 64 3/8 dn 3/8
Wal-Mart — 24 3/4 up 1/4
New York Gold — 382 40
Silver — 5 31
West Texas Crude — 18 49

Police report

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

SATURDAY, June 11

A domestic disturbance was reported in the 1300 block of Garland Street.

The city of Pampa reported criminal trespassing. Priest Park Church of God, 1123 Gwendolen, reported criminal mischief.

A domestic disturbance was reported in the 1000 block of Sumner Street.

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Barry D. Sims, 1814 Charles, reported a burglary of a motor vehicle.

Mike Thomas Helms, 341 Anne, reported an aggravated assault.

Conoco, 2101 N. Hobart, reported a theft.

Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following call during the 42-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

SATURDAY, June 11

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported someone driving while intoxicated.

Arrests

SATURDAY, June 11
Martha Leah Towles, 32, 710 N. Christy, was arrested on a charge of theft of services. She was later released from custody after posting bond.

Ramon Armendariz Romero, 21, 520 Davis, was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

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Jason Scott Wood, 20, 604 E. 17th Ave., was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated and for having a prohibited substance in a correction facility. He was later released from custody after posting bond.

Accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported the following accidents during the 72-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

FRIDAY, June 10

3:51 p.m. — A 1984 Cadillac driven by Donna Baker Howard, 33, 640 N. Roberta, collided with a 1993 Dodge pickup driven by Shirley Hunt Davis, 58, HCR 2 Box 37M, in the 100 block of Hobart Street. No injuries were reported. Howard was cited for backing without safety.

7:50 p.m. — A 1985 Chevrolet driven by Sharee Sumner Ingram, 16, 809 N. Wells, collided with a 1990 Geo driven by Melissa Ann Darsey, 19, Borger, in the 1400 block of Harvester Street. No injuries were reported. Ingram was cited for failure to yield right of way.

SATURDAY, June 11

5:45 a.m. — A 1983 Chevrolet Blazer owned by Edwin D. Carter, 1800 Evergreen, collided with a fence owned by Herman Lee Ledbetter in the alleyway of the 2400 block of Fir Street. No injuries were reported. No charges were filed.

Time unknown — A 1983 Chevrolet Blazer struck a bush and mailbox belonging to Luther E. Hankins of 2300 Cherokee. The vehicle then fled the scene of the accident, according to police. No injuries were reported. No charges were filed.

Calendar of events

HIDDEN HILLS LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION

The Hidden Hills Ladies Golf Association plays golf every Monday evening at the course north of Pampa. Tee off time is 6 p.m. All ladies are welcome. For more information, call the Hidden Hills pro shop, 669-5866.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported no calls during the 42-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Emergency numbers

Ambulance.....911
Crime Stoppers.....669-2222
Energas.....665-5777
Fire.....911
Police (emergency).....911
Police (non-emergency).....669-5700
SPS.....669-7432
Water.....669-5830

China trade status expected to help Texas business

DALLAS (AP) — The biggest impact of President Clinton's decision to renew trade privileges with China is that Texans will keep their access to a stream of Chinese-made clothing, toys and small appliances, some experts say.

"If we had shut off China and imposed higher tariffs, that would have had devastating impact on the pocketbooks of particularly low- and middle-income Texans," said Bernard Weinstein, director of the University of North Texas Center for Economic Development and Research.

Clinton decided May 26, before a June 3 deadline, to allow China to keep its "most-favored nation" trading status.

While some decried Clinton's decision to sever the link between China's trade status and its lack of progress in human rights, business leaders hailed the move.

"That's going to continue to keep the door open for Texas businesses to try to increase their trade and their business with China. And the people in Texas will be able to continue to purchase the goods with China that they have been without the increased tariffs put on it," said Larry Wolken, a senior lecturer in the department of finance at Texas A&M University.

Deborah Kastin, executive director of the Texas Department of Commerce, said the decision will let Texas business keep its export opportunities.

"I think it creates a more stable trade environment and reduces the risk for Texas companies doing business in China," Ms. Kastin said.

"Trade barriers coming down is good for business, and anything that's good for business is good for job growth and job opportunity in Texas," she said.

With more than one billion people, China is the world's fastest-growing economy. American businesses export \$8 billion in goods to China, supporting more than 150,000 jobs in the United States. Meanwhile, China exported more than \$31 billion to the United States last year, for a \$22.8 billion trade surplus.

According to the state Commerce Department, Texas exports to China last year totaled \$591 million, or about 1 percent of the state's \$52 billion in trade to all countries in 1993. China is the 20th-leading destination for Texas exports and the 13th-leading destination for U.S. exports, the agency said.

Several Texas-based industries do significant business with China and

may do a lot more, Weinstein said. They include:

— Electronics and telecommunications. "We've got lots of companies doing hardware, software systems, anything having to do with information technology," he said.
China's efforts to upgrade its telecommunications systems could mean business for Texas companies such as San Antonio-based Southwestern Bell Corp. and Dallas-based Electronic Data Systems Corp., as well as many small and medium-size telecommunications, electronics and information services companies, Weinstein said.

— Oil and gas. "China's growing rapidly. They have significant reserves, but they're going to need the technology and the equipment to get the oil and gas out of the ground," Weinstein said.

— Aviation, avionics, anything related to the manufacture of airplanes for a market growing up to 30 percent a year.
Dallas-based Aviall Inc. has been doing business in China since 1979 and hopes to take advantage of the growing opportunities, said Frank Leftwich, executive vice president of marketing. Aviall repairs and overhauls turbine engines and distributes parts.

Rwandan rebels claim control of strategic city

By JEFFREY ULBRICH
Associated Press Writer

KIGALI, Rwanda (AP) — Tutsi rebels claimed today their fighters seized control of the strategic city of Gitarama in heavy fighting and were chasing Rwanda's government army from the surrounding area.

There was no immediate independent confirmation of the claim. But if true, it would be a key victory for the Rwanda Patriotic Front, which already controls most of the north and east of the country.

"The town has been cleared and is under our control," Maj. Gen. Paul Kagame, chief of staff of the rebel army, said of Gitarama. "Yesterday (Sunday) there was a big fight."

Kigali, the capital, and Gitarama, 30 miles to the southwest, have seen heavy fighting in recent days, with government troops entrenched in the cities and the rebels attempting to dislodge them.

The interim government fled to Gitarama after the civil war began two months ago. As the rebels advanced, interim president

Theodore Sindikubwabo and some of his ministers left Gitarama last week and headed west toward Zaire.

An estimated 200,000 Rwandans have died since the civil war began in April. Most victims were civilians from the minority Tutsi ethnic group slaughtered by government-trained militia from the majority Hutus.

Brig. Gen. Marcel Gatsinzi, a government commander representing the Rwandan army in cease-fire talks, said he knew nothing about the situation in Gitarama.

"I have no news of it," he said as he entered United Nations headquarters in Kigali for more talks with the rebels.

Kagame said the rebels were in the process of mopping up the high ground around Gitarama. He said the rebels were pursuing government forces fleeing on the road from Gitarama to Ruhengeri in the far northwest of the country.

The rebel commander said the seizure of Gitarama would stop the killings by government-trained militias in that area.

"It doesn't allow them to roam around killing people," he said.

The rebels have largely surrounded government forces in Kigali.

Kagame claimed the rebels had made significant gains overnight in the capital and were moving ever closer to the center of the city.

The rebels are seeking control of a road leading from the city center to the Nyamirambo quarter in the southwest, he said. The Patriotic Front has fought its way into part of the Nyamirambo, scene of two massacres last week.

"We have rescued hundreds of people in Nyamirambo," Kagame said.

Even if the rebels win the war on the ground, they will find it difficult to effectively rule the central African nation.

Tutsis accounted for only about 10 percent of the population before the war started, and many Tutsis have died in the ethnic slaughter. The rebels are thought to have no more than 20,000 fighters.

The rebels and the army have held cease-fire talks over the past 10 days with little progress. One condition set by the Patriotic Front is that the massacres must stop before there can be a cease-fire.

Memorial barrel races



Nancie Condo, left, and her daughter Mary Winton watch the benefit memorial barrel races on Sunday which were held at Taylor's Arena for the late Terrell Rucker, who died earlier this month. Rucker suffered from cancer and money raised from the benefit will help pay for hospital bills as well as funeral costs. Sana Alexander, a friend of the Rucker family, said most of the concessions and the prizes were donated and over 62 entrants participated in various events. (Pampa News photo by Melinda Martinez)

Rustling of trees becoming a problem in East Texas

DALLAS (AP) — Sometimes it's hard for authorities to see the forest thieves for the trees.

"There are chain saws running and logging trucks going up and down the road every day of the year in East Texas," said John R. Wood, a forestry consultant who lives in Silsbee, near the Big Thicket

National Preserve. "Anyone cutting illegally is going to blend right in. If they do catch one, it's pure luck."

But the Texas Forest Service hopes to cut into the illegal activity.

So far this year, the agency has received about 60 complaints of possible thefts, more than in all of 1993.

Officials say they have no estimate of losses attributed to timber thieves. However, forestry officials in neighboring Louisiana say thieves haul off \$12 million to \$15 million in wood each year.

Louisiana has 13.8 million acres of forests, compared with 11.8 million in East Texas.

One ticket in West Texas matches Lotto numbers

By The Associated Press

One ticket bought in West Texas correctly matched all six numbers drawn Saturday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, state lottery officials said. The ticket is worth \$28 million.

The numbers drawn Saturday night from a field of 50 were: 39, 18, 32, 22, 9 and 19.

In addition to the jackpot winner, there were 362 tickets sold with five of the six numbers, with each ticket worth \$1,081. There were 17,273 tickets with four of six numbers, with each winning \$81. And there were 293,185 tickets sold with three of six numbers, with each worth an automatic \$3.

Lottery officials estimate the jackpot for Wednesday night's game will be \$3 million.

City briefs

BUSINESS RENTAL, corner Cuyler & Kingsmill, 2800 square feet. 665-3509. Adv.

A PERFECT 10 Nail Salon, 107 W. Foster, 669-1414. All types of nails and pedicures. Adv.

GOLDEN AGERS Luncheon, Tuesday 12 noon, 701 S. Cuyler, Salvation Army. Everyone 55 or older or handicapped welcome.

VINE RIPE tomatoes, okra, watermelon, cantaloupe. Epperson Garden Market, Hwy. 60 East, 665-5000. Adv.

BEAUTICONTROL COSMETICS Summer Sale, up to 20% off all products. Lynn Allison will be at Bobee J's Boutique, 2143 N. Hobart, Monday and Tuesday. Adv.

COMPUTER SALES and Technology, 112 E. Francis will be having a Grand Opening in their new location Monday 13th thru Saturday 18th from 9-6 p.m. Everyone is welcome to come by and enjoy refreshments, register for door prizes, and look at the latest in technology. Adv.

LATE SHIPMENT New Recliners for Father's Day, priced below sale prices. Also great selections of Desk and Entertainment centers. Charlie's Furniture, 1304 N. Banks. Adv.

TOP O Texas Masonic Lodge 1381, will present Le' Mar Awards, June 14th, 7:30 p.m. Adv.

ROLANDA'S JUST received Bed & Breakfast Birdhouses. Great for Father's Day!! Adv.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Tonight, mostly clear with a low in the mid 60s and south winds 10-20 mph. Tuesday, sunny and hot with a high in the upper 90s and southwest winds 15-25 mph and gusty. Caution will be advised on area lakes Tuesday. Sunday's high was 94; this morning's low was 71.

REGIONAL FORECAST

West Texas — Panhandle: Tonight, fair. Lows in mid 60s. Tuesday, mostly sunny. Highs 95-100. Tuesday night, fair. Lows in mid 60s. South Plains: Tonight, fair. Lows 65-70. Tuesday, mostly sunny. Highs in upper 90s. Tuesday night, fair. Lows in upper 60s to low 70s.

North Texas — Tonight and Tuesday, partly cloudy west. Mostly cloudy central and east with a chance of thunderstorms. Lows 73 to 78. Highs 87 to 93. Tuesday night, mostly cloudy with a chance

of thunderstorms. Lows in the 70s. South Texas — Hill Country and South Central: Tonight, partly cloudy, becoming mostly cloudy after midnight. Scattered showers and thunderstorms during the evening. Lows in upper 60s Hill Country to 70s south central.

Tuesday, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Highs near 90. Tuesday night, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the 70s.

Coastal Bend: Tonight, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Lows low 70s inland to upper 70s coast. Tuesday, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Highs near 90 inland to 80s coast. Tuesday night, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Lows low 70s inland to upper 70s coast.

Lower Rio Grande Valley and Plains: Tonight, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunder-

storms. Lows mid 70s inland to near 80 coast. Tuesday, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Highs near 90 inland to 80s coast. Tuesday night, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Lows mid 70s inland to near 80 coast.

BORDER STATES

Oklahoma — Tonight, clear to partly cloudy. Lows from 70 to 77. Tuesday, mostly sunny with highs from 87 to 95.

New Mexico — Tonight, isolated thunderstorms southwest. Widely scattered thunderstorms east, becoming fair after midnight. Tuesday, isolated afternoon and evening thunderstorms southeast, otherwise fair. Breezy most areas. Continued warm to hot. Lows tonight in mid 30s to upper 50s mountains with 50s and 60s lower elevations. Highs Tuesday in mid 70s to low 90s with 90 to near 105 lower elevations.

Elections show many voters unhappy with European governments

By ELIZABETH D. WISE
Associated Press Writer

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP) — The elections confirmed what everyone knew: voters throughout Europe are unhappy with their governments.

In elections for the European Union Assembly, ruling parties in Britain and Spain suffered major setbacks, results showed Sunday. Governments in France, Denmark, Greece, Portugal, Ireland and Belgium also lost ground.

Only Germany and Italy defied the trend. German Chancellor Helmut Kohl won backing from voters, while Italian Premier Silvio Berlusconi's fledgling conservative party maintained its support.

Far-right parties gained in France and Belgium, raising concerns for those governments. But in Germany, the far-right Republican Party failed to gain an assembly seat. And support dropped slightly for the neo-Fascist National Alliance in Italy.

Final results were expected today in elections for the 567-seat Parliament, which can amend legislation, control the EU's \$77 billion budget and veto appointments

to the union's powerful executive agency.

The ballot was a referendum on both individual governments and the EU, which is trying to bring member nations closer with a common foreign policy and a single currency by 1999.

In a separate referendum, Austrians boosted the EU's expansion plans by voting overwhelmingly to join the union. Austria will become a full member on Jan. 1.

Across the union, Socialists were expected to remain the largest faction with 195 seats, thanks largely to gains by Britain's Labor Party.

With results in from 73 of Britain's 87 seats, the Conservatives suffered their worst showing ever. They had won only 16 seats, compared to 55 for the Labor Party. The centrist Liberal Democrats won two seats, their first seats ever in the European Parliament.

The center-right Christian Democrats were seen coming close behind the Socialists — with 152 seats — boosted by Kohl's good showing and the rise of the opposition Popular Party in Spain.

In Spain, the ruling Socialists, battered by political scandals and high unemployment, acknowledged their first nationwide loss since 1979.

Taking less than 31 percent of the vote, the Socialists won 22 seats, down from 27 in 1989. With 40 percent of the vote, the Popular Party secured 28 Euro-parliament seats, up from 16 in the outgoing assembly.

Prime Minister Felipe Gonzalez hinted he might call early general elections, which he had opposed before the vote.

Germany's Kohl defied recent opinion polls to increase support for his center-right Christian Democrats in Germany.

Official results gave Kohl's Christian Democrats and their allies in a Bavarian regional party almost 39 percent of the vote. The left-leaning opposition, the Social Democrats, scored 32 percent, its poorest showing in a Euro-parliament election since 1979.

In Italy, Berlusconi repeated the national election success three months ago of his conservative Forza Italia (Let's Go, Italy) party.

Complete results announced today by the Interior Ministry gave Forza Italia just under 31 percent, compared to 21 percent in the March national elections.

In France, final results showed the conservative ruling alliance with the largest share of the vote, capturing

25.5 percent and an estimated 29 Parliament seats, the Interior Ministry said.

But two right-wing groups together gained almost a quarter of the vote. One group positioned against the Maastricht treaty on closer European union garnered 12 percent of the vote for an expected 13 seats.

And right-wing nationalist Jean-Marie Le Pen took 10.5 percent, worth an expected 10 seats.

Socialist leader Michel Rocard suffered a serious blow to his hopes to replace Francois Mitterrand in next year's presidential elections by scoring a dismal 14.5 percent, for about 16 seats.

The European Parliament is a largely advisory assembly which holds monthly sessions in Strasbourg, France. Last year's Treaty on European Union, which tightened links between the EU nations, strengthened its role.

Some 5,300 candidates from almost 200 parties ran for the assembly.

Turnout for the election was 54 percent, down 4.5 percent from the last Euro-vote in 1989.

Belgium, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Luxembourg, Portugal and Spain voted Sunday, while Britain, Ireland, Denmark and the Netherlands voted Thursday.

Smith, Buckingham lead Kelton graduates

KELTON — Elizabeth Pauline Smith was valedictorian of the Kelton High School Class of 1994, with John Daniel Buckingham named salutatorian.

Smith, daughter of Bill and Betty Smith, played volleyball in her sophomore, junior and senior years, earning the Sportsmanship Award at the Alamo Catholic Tournament her junior year. She was named to the First Team her senior year.

She played on the girls basketball team her junior and senior years and participated in track her senior year.

Smith, who served as Senior Class president, plans to join the U.S. Marines after graduation and then get married.

Buckingham, son of Bob and Dianne Buckingham, played on the boys basketball team for four years, making All-District for three years. He also was on the cross country team for two years, being a regional qualifier both years as the team was district champion. He also was a regional qualifier in the long jump event on the track team.

He was a Student Council representative, was listed on the A-B Honor Roll and participated in cross peer tutoring for two years.

He plans to attend a four-year college.

Also graduating from Kelton High School this year were Brian Scott Kirkland, son of Kenneth and Dixie Kirkland, and Floyd Willie Scales, son of Jean Scales.

Kirkland was an All-District player for four years in basketball, the Most Valuable Player for District 5-A his senior year. He was named to the Golden Spread All Star Game and was listed on The Pampa News Super Team for 1992-93. He was a regional qualifier in the long jump in track.

He served on Student Council for two years, including being Senior Class secretary, participated in the



Smith



Buckingham



Kirkland



Scales

cross peer tutoring program and was Basketball King for two years. He plans to work after graduation.

Scales, who was Senior Class vice president, was FFA sentinel his senior year and exhibited livestock in the Wheeler County Stock Show his junior year. He participated in the cross peer tutoring program and plans to become a mechanic after graduation.

Rebels vow no violence, but want clean election

By BILL CORMIER
Associated Press Writer

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Mexico's rebels have rejected a government peace offer, but pledged not to resume fighting if this summer's presidential elections lead to democratic reform. But they warned the vote had better be clean.

President Carlos Salinas de Gortari responded late Sunday through his peace envoy that the army will continue holding fire in southern Chiapas state where the Indian revolt erupted Jan. 1.

"I wish I could have come here tonight with the good news of a peace accord, but it just wasn't so," said envoy Manuel Camacho Solis at a Mexico City news conference late Sunday night.

The 19-page "declaration" by the Zapatista National Liberation Army, issued over the weekend, was only the second since the guerrillas declared war on the government.

But despite no new vows of violence, the announcement stirred growing unease in a nation under unprecedented calls to achieve democratic reform. The presidential election is scheduled for Aug. 21.

"Democratic change is the only alternative to war," said the declaration, signed by the guerrilla leader Subcomandante Marcos. "Whether

by suicide or by firing squad, the death of the current political system is a necessary condition for a transition to democracy in our nation."

Mexico has been ruled for 65 years by the Institutional Revolutionary Party, which is widely accused of fraud and vote rigging.

Camacho Solis praised the rebels for announcing they would not renew violence that claimed 145 lives in fighting with the army which subsided with the government's declaration of a cease-fire Jan. 12.

"The Mexican army remains firmly in support of a political solution, and the Zapatista decision not to resume hostilities is an important step toward consolidating peace," Camacho said.

The Zapatistas, who claim 3,000 men and women fighters, occupied several Chiapas towns before fighting with the army pushed the rebels into mountains bordering Guatemala.

Capping 10 days of talks in March, Camacho offered the rebels a peace plan of farm aid, health clinics, schools, roads and reforms of a political system in which ruling-party bosses historically dominated poor Indians.

But the rebels said Saturday the proposal left unanswered their main demands: democracy in Mexico.

They suggested that any fraud in the upcoming election could bring violence.

The announcement said the Chiapas communities, mostly Mayan Indians, voted for "a new national dialogue with all the nation's progressive forces for democracy, liberty and justice for all Mexicans."

According to the declaration, 97.8 percent of villagers in rebel-controlled territory in remote southeastern Chiapas state voted against the peace offer and 96.7 percent against renewing the hostilities.

The insurgents gave no details of how the vote was carried out or how many people took part. But they said villages, hamlets and ranches all took part.

The Zapatistas said they wouldn't disrupt the presidential election to replace Salinas, who by law can't seek a second six-year term.

But the declaration accused Salinas of preparing to rig the election in which the ruling party candidate, Ernesto Zedillo, is facing two major opposition challengers.

"There is no doubt that the Salinas government is trying to impose it's way by fraud. But we will not tolerate this," it said. "We will lay down our demands, nor our arms, until questions of democracy, liberty and justice are resolved for all Mexicans."

Alleged sex abuse at center of teen's murder trial

By JEAN PAGEL
Associated Press Writer

LUBBOCK (AP) — Accusations of sex abuse are the backdrop to court proceedings against a 15-year-old accused of killing Levelland auto parts dealer Jackie Condren.

Defense attorney Ray Lopez said he would argue that his client is mentally ill because of sexual encounters more than three years ago by Condren's estranged wife.

Today was the first day of the trial of the Levelland teen, accused of shooting Condren, 54, as he watched television at home last Sept. 19.

"We're going to put on expert testimony to show he was mentally ill at the time," Lopez said last week. "Our argument is that all of the mental illness was caused by the abuse."

In January, a Hockley County grand jury indicted Johnell Condren on two counts of aggravated sexual assault with a child.

The indictment alleged that Mrs. Condren, 40, had intercourse and oral sex with the boy when he was 11.

Neighbors have described him as a bully. At the time Condren was killed, according to evidence during

a hearing in February, the teen was on parole with the Texas Youth Commission for a sex offense with a 4-year-old girl.

Psychiatrists testified that the teen showed symptoms of major depression and post-traumatic stress disorder from sexual abuse.

At the order of State District Judge Andy Kupper, presiding judge over the trial moved to Lubbock from Levelland, the teen spent about 90 days hospitalized for psychiatric evaluation.

"My client is as much a victim as anybody else in this thing," Lopez says.

Days after the murder, police arrested the boy, who was 14 at the time, and a 13-year-old friend. A .45-caliber automatic pistol was found at the older boy's home.

Police said initially that robbery appeared to be the motive for Levelland's first homicide in two

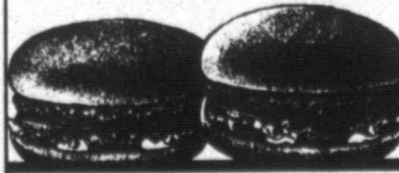
years. But apparently nothing was taken from the home.

Lopez said he subpoenaed Mrs. Condren. He said it was unclear whether he would have the teen testify.

District Attorney Gary Goff declined to comment.

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District seeks loophole for school finance

HOUSTON (AP) — The wealthy Calhoun County school district is maneuvering for an end-around of the Texas school finance law that could offer a loophole for other wealthy districts across the state.

The plan hinges on a major area company, Formosa Plastics Corp., donating millions of dollars to the district instead of making traditional tax payments, thereby keeping that additional wealth off the county tax rolls.

Advocates for the state's poorer school districts call the plan as a selfish attempt to thwart the court-ordered redistribution of school funds.

But Calhoun County Judge Howard Hartzog compares the district's struggle to that of American colonialists who fought against British taxation in the 18th century.

"This nation was founded by a group of immigrants who came to this country because of the resources it found," Hartzog told the Houston Chronicle.

"And we had war because England said: 'No! It all belongs to England.' It almost continues to be the same now."

Exact figures of the deal between the Calhoun district and Formosa are still being negotiated, but here's how it would work:

— The school district would extend the term of an estimated \$200 million tax abatement pack-

age approved in 1989 for an expansion of Formosa's plant in Point Comfort. Abatements exempt a company from property taxes for new plants or extensions for a set number of years.

— In return for not collecting up to \$54 million in taxes from Formosa between 1997 and 2000, the county and city would receive cash payments from the company equaling the amount of the abatements.

The state finance law caps local school property taxes at \$280,000 per student. Additional tax revenue must be surrendered to the state for redistribution.

According to Texas Education Agency records, Calhoun had a taxable value of \$378,947 per student, making it ineligible for state funding and forcing it to surrender \$2.9 million.

The prospect of keeping as much as \$50 million off the tax rolls and in local schools is therefore an appealing prospect to local officials.

"I think it is a win-win situation," Point Comfort Mayor Pam Lambden said. "We will not be out any money. We hopefully will be allowed to keep the money within our children's school district. We have nothing to lose, so why not go for it?"

The plan must be approved by both county and city governments. County commissioners will consider it this week, and Point Comfort officials will hold

a public hearing.

The attempt to short-circuit state law is already alarming some lawmakers and representatives of poor school districts.

"It's not that Calhoun County is keeping some \$50 million for themselves, it's that they are denying the benefit of that \$50 million to children in poorer districts," said Craig Foster, head of the Equity Center, a coalition of poor districts.

"I think it is a baldfaced attempt to thwart the intent of the school finance plan. They are not even trying to conceal what they are attempting."

Whether the Calhoun strategy is deemed legal depends on whether the planned abatement for Formosa is determined to be an extension of the current tax break or a new abatement altogether.

Under the finance law, abatements granted after May 31, 1993, are considered revenue subject to fund redistribution.

There is a considerable difference of opinion on how the new abatement would be viewed in legal terms.

But state Sen. Greg Luna, D-San Antonio, a member of the Senate Education Committee, is already thinking about what effect the plan could have if found legal.

"The onerous aspect about it is that if this works, it will be tried elsewhere," Luna said.

Higher gas prices seen as motorists hit road for summer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — With more drivers hitting the road, the price of gasoline at the pump has risen 2 1/4 cents a gallon nationwide, an industry analyst said.

"The rise in prices started in mid-March and it has taken on much more speed. This is the largest yet," Trilby Lundberg said Sunday.

"There are two reasons here: the rise in crude oil prices passing

through into the gasoline market and a very vigorous summer demand. A lot of people are on the road."

The average cost at the pump, including all grades and taxes, rose from 114.06 cents on May 20 to 116.32 cents Friday, when the latest Lundberg Survey of 10,000 stations was completed.

The survey found the average

price of gas at self-serve pumps was 109.46 cents for regular unleaded, 120.12 cents for mid-grade unleaded, 128.51 cents for premium unleaded. Regular leaded was 112.83 cents.

At full-service pumps, unleaded regular was 144.21 cents, mid-grade unleaded was 152.60 cents, premium unleaded was 160.01 cents and regular leaded was 137.36 cents.

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Opinion

Curfew non-ruling hasn't solved issue

Many Texas law enforcement officers and city officials are breathing a little easier today after the U.S. Supreme Court ducked having to either overturn or uphold a law that surely they must know is, on its surface, unconstitutional.

Civil libertarians have long opposed curfews on the grounds they punish both the innocent and the guilty. And nothing in the U.S. Constitution sets out the principle that teenagers somehow do not have the same rights enjoyed by adults.

Obviously, not even the lower-level courts agree on the matter. The Dallas curfew had, in 1992, been ruled unconstitutional by a U.S. district judge, who declared it violated both the Texas and U.S. constitutions.

At the time District Judge Jerry Buchmeyer ruled Dallas' curfew unconstitutional, he observed, correctly we believe, "Thousands of juveniles that are properly supervised by their parents and that do not violate the law will be held under virtual house arrest. Meanwhile, the truly dangerous juveniles, those with regard for the law, will continue to roam the streets, curfew or no curfew."

Another problem with curfews is that there always is the danger many young persons who do not fall under the curfew's restrictions will be stopped and questioned by police for no good reason. After all, when officers spot young people driving after hours, it often is difficult to tell at a glance whether someone behind the wheel is 15 years old or 20 years old.

The reason why curfews have popular support is because Americans have decided crime is the number one problem in this country and any measures that can take a bite out of juvenile crime are justified. Too many people are willing to swap civil liberties for what they think will be safer neighborhoods.

Undoubtedly a police state would be even more crime-free. And maybe juveniles would think twice before painting graffiti on a store wall if they knew there was a chance they would be caned so badly that they would be scarred for life. However, is this what we really want in this society? It does appear that, at least for now, the case is closed on the curfew issue.

The Supreme Court may have effectively defused the touchy issue by its non-ruling for at least a couple of years, but our guess is new suits will be filed and that eventually the matter will end up back in the laps of the nation's top judges.

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Libertarians enjoy their play

Not very much attention was given to the doings of the Libertarian Party of New York in April. If the right gauge of how much attention a party should get is, What is its leverage on the election?, then it doesn't particularly surprise.



William F. Buckley Jr.

The nomination of Howard Stern to anything is of course intended as a joke, although at the Libertarian convention, Mr. Stern gave a halfway serious talk designed to stress the libertarian elements of his own political beliefs.

Now the cause he stressed most avidly, indeed the reason he is running for governor, is to restore capital punishment in New York. A position one way or another on capital punishment isn't a plank of libertarian theory. The most recently brooding omnipresence of libertarianism, the late Ayn Rand, was a feisty and determined cold warrior, which brings up the next confusion, namely the kind of pacifism that has recently drifted into libertarian pronouncements.

Now it was to be expected that when Howard Stern got into the act, the result would be comic chaos. En route to the Albany convention in a tour bus, he and his entourage stopped to give a stump speech. Stern: "I talked to blacks, I talked to Puerto Ricans, I talked to all kinds of frightening people."

Good for an iconoclastic laugh, as were other sallies. He was speaking at the town of Saugerties, and there he told the crowd that he thought the idea of a Woodstock anniversary concert in the area was stupid. At which point, one gathers, one of his assistants whispered to him that the concert would probably be good for the local economy.

At the rate at which libertarians are going in America, they will desecrate the word as comprehensively as time and tide succeeded in desecrating the word "liberal." Woodrow Wilson could begin his great work, Congressional Government, by intoning that the history of liberalism is the history of man's efforts to restrain government. But 40

years after, the narrative had completely altered, in part under the influence of President Woodrow Wilson. It would then be said, as by George Santayana, that the only thing the modern liberal is interested in liberating is man from his marriage contract.

Up until relatively recently, the Libertarian Party in the United States was a consolidation of anti-statist Americans, touched, perhaps, by naive, but living off a grand tradition that included Jefferson and Thoreau, Sumner and Keller, Mencken and Albert Jay Nock and Frank Chodorov. These were men entirely capable of normal human reflexes ("I have a very even disposition," Nock said. "I'm mad all the time."), but they were absolutely serious and wonderfully competent and readable in pointing to the presumptive case against the political state absorbing powers and responsibilities better exercised by the individual and by social activity.

The Libertarian Party got almost 1 million votes in the presidential election year 1980 — strange, given that the man who won that election was more clearly libertarian in his appeal than anyone successful as a presidential candidate during this century.

But the Libertarian Party got mixed up with outfits that are, quite simply, loony. The leader of one of these ancillary groups has come out not merely for repealing the 16th (income tax) Amendment, but to repealing the Constitution. The trouble with adopting positions of that kind is that an automatic little sorter in the human mind pushes such people into the silly corners of politics. They become, so to speak, Sternites.

It is a pity the word "libertarian" can't be copyrighted — but then, copyrighting is a problematical exercise, by strict libertarian theory.

Today in history

By The Associated Press Today is Monday, June 13th, the 164th day of 1994. There are 201 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On June 13th, 1966, the U.S. Supreme Court issued its landmark "Miranda versus Arizona" decision, ruling that criminal suspects have to be informed of their constitutional rights prior to questioning by police.

On this date: In 1886, King Ludwig the Second of Bavaria drowned in Lake Starnberg.

In 1888, Congress created the Department of Labor.

In 1898, the Yukon Territory of Canada was organized.

In 1900, China's Boxer Rebellion against foreigners and Chinese Christians turned violent.

In 1927, a ticker-tape parade welcomed aviation hero Charles Lindbergh to New York City.

In 1944, 50 years ago, Germany began launching flying-bomb attacks against Britain during World War II.

In 1967, President Johnson nominated Solicitor-General Thurgood Marshall to become the first black justice on the U.S. Supreme Court.



The young man loves the trains

I enjoy reading the Daily Leader published in Brookhaven, Miss., because it introduces me to that area's homefolks one at a time.

Brad loves trains. From his mother's earliest remembering, baby Brad got excited every time he saw a train. He was utterly fascinated by trains.

When Brad was 8, his mother, Linda Sue Tillotson, drove Brad down to Thayer's Crossing in time to watch the Amtrak 4:45 come highballing by.

His animated delight was such that his mother from that day has driven Brad to Thayer's Crossing twice a day every day.

For 15 years. You see, Brad was born what we call "retarded" 23 years ago.

Yet the lad's twice-daily vigil beside the Amtrak tracks has become so significant that the engineer, approaching Thayer's crossing, always blows the train whistle for Brad.

And the engineer will wave and perhaps call out, "Hi, Brad. Comin' through. See you, buddy."

One day, the train stopped. And this day, there were two Amtrak officials aboard. It was with their permission that a trainload of passengers was kept



Paul Harvey

waiting while Engineer Wilkinson, Conductor Wahl and the officials got off the train to chat with Brad and present him with a conductor's cap and a shirt with an Amtrak locomotive across the front.

The conductor says he later explained to the passengers that the train had to stop to fix "a flat tire."

Over the years since, passengers as much as crew look forward to their approach to Thayer's Crossing. All wave; some toss gifts.

Indeed, on the Amtrak's newest route guide, which lists points of interest between Memphis and New Orleans, there is a prominent mention of the Amtrak mascot who can always be counted upon to wave them on their way.

Brad is now 23. His enthusiasm has not waned one whit. His mother says, "He's got to be at that crossing twice a day."

When the weather is bad and Mother suggests perhaps he should not go out, Brad will grin and ask, "Do you want me to get fired?"

So dutifully, in rain or snow or whatever — she delivers Brad to his rendezvous.

Brad now has a portable scanner which keeps him in radio contact with the train crew; if the train might be minutes late, he knows how many minutes and why.

The one night the train was hours late, an Amtrak dispatcher telephoned from Wesson to let him know. And Brad was dutifully at trackside, at Thayer's Crossing — at 10 p.m. — waving a flashlight.

As I say, I enjoy reading the Daily Leader. I get to meet the folks of Brookhaven, Miss. — individually.

And even as Amtrak crew and passengers are cheered by the tall lad in his conductor's cap standing at Thayer's Crossing and waving — I am encouraged by this exceptional young man and by his loving mother.

So many of us with so much more give so much less.

How important is Clinton's character?

The civil lawsuit for sexual harassment filed against President Clinton by Paula Jones raises a number of issues that cannot be ignored, however much the fastidious would like to ignore them.

Mr. Clinton's defenders often begin by deploring the fact that sexual peccadillos are discussed so freely these days. It is tempting, and relevant, to point out that it was the liberals who were in the forefront of the decades-long campaign to destroy public reticence in the matter of open references to sex, and that they haven't hesitated to raise the issue of sexual misconduct themselves, whenever (as in the case of Clarence Thomas) it seemed to serve their political purposes.

But it is also relevant to note that not since John F. Kennedy (if then) has the White House sheltered quite such a sexual alley cat as Bill Clinton. In JFK's day the rules were different, and a friendly press (who knew exactly what was going on) cheerfully covered up for its hero. But that was then, and this is now. And Clinton, heaven help us, is Clinton.

Interestingly enough, Mr. Clinton's defenders waste very little breath trying to deny his sexual athleticism. As Joseph Sobran recently observed, Bill Clinton has a lot of friends but not many character witnesses. Instead, his supporters have developed two serviceable fall-back positions.

First, whenever a particular set of charges swims into focus — whether those of a longtime mistress



William A. Rusher

like Jennifer Flowers or a woman who allegedly rejected his first advance, like Mrs. Jones — the first effort is to discredit the woman. Mr. Clinton may not be a paragon of virtue, we are told, but this particular woman is lying, after money and/or being manipulated by right-wing Clinton haters.

Simultaneously, a second defense is launched on a broader front. We are reminded that Jennifer Flowers told her story right in the middle of Mr. Clinton's campaign for the Democratic nomination, and that Bill and Hillary went on 60 Minutes soon thereafter. They admitted that their marriage had had its ups and downs (nudge, wink), but insisted that together they had worked through the problems and now everything was hunky-dory.

Despite this (or because of it), the Democrats nominated Mr. Clinton anyway, and the American people elected him president. From this, it is argued (most recently by Mary McGrory on Meet

the Press), we are entitled to infer that the American people knew about Mr. Clinton's sexual antics when they elected him, and consciously decided they didn't matter.

One may question whether the American people, in being treated to that endearing admission of marital difficulties on 60 Minutes, were thereby sufficiently put on notice of the gaudy record of sexual misconduct that has subsequently come to light. But even if they were, one cannot assume that they regarded it as wholly irrelevant.

Remember the choice that stared American voters in the face in 1992: an incumbent president on a golfcart, seemingly oblivious to an economic recession; a flaky Texas billionaire who dived in and out of the race; and a Southern governor with unspecified marital problems (allegedly past) who proclaimed himself a "new Democrat" and promised all sorts of good things.

In choosing Mr. Clinton, I certainly don't think that 43 percent of American voters were proclaiming that they were indifferent to the issue of character. But, given what they had been told about Mr. Clinton's, and how they felt about the general state of the nation, they simply decided, in a sort of grim triage, that the economy had to come first.

But I have no doubt at all that the ongoing revelations concerning Mr. Clinton's sexual behavior have damaged him, and will continue to damage him, severely. Don't count character out.

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Lifestyles

Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I have been a blood donor for many years but this year, after I donated blood, I got a call from the blood bank asking me to come in and talk to their doctor about a possible problem with my blood. I went immediately. This doctor informed me that my last test was HIV-positive, and advised me to have another test in six months. I was terrified, but I didn't tell anyone for fear of losing my job.

I decided to get a second opinion, so I went to an out-of-town doctor who specializes in infectious diseases. The doctor said that because I had no real risk factors, the HIV-positive was probably a false positive, and he repeated the tests. My life was pure torture until I got the results which, to my relief, were negative. I later learned that several factors can cause false positives — flu shots and pregnancy, for example.

Abby, please print this to alert people that false positives on AIDS tests are not uncommon. It could save many people from the frightening experience I needlessly endured.

NO NAME PLEASE

DEAR NO NAME: It's unfortunate that a retesting was not ordered immediately to confirm the original results because, as you pointed out, these tests are occasionally in error.

Your letter will undoubtedly encourage others to demand retesting promptly. Thank you for sharing your experience.

DEAR ABBY: I am worried, upset and at a loss as to what to do about my 88-year-old grandfather, who can't seem to keep his hands to himself. I am a female in my early 30s, and he has tried to fondle me several times. After the second time, I found out that he has done this to other women in my family.

Grandpa is in fairly good health. Grandmother is a few years younger, but her health is failing. I worry about what would happen if she should find out what is going on. His behavior has caused a strain in our relationship, and I know Grandpa is hurt because I don't see them anymore.

Abby, this is causing everyone pain. What can I do to keep this from happening to other women he comes in contact with?

IN PAIN IN TEXAS

DEAR IN PAIN: Tell Grandpa "hands off," in no uncertain terms. His inappropriate behavior and lack of judgment could be due to senility.

Grandpa should be examined by a gerontologist (a doctor who specializes in people who are aging). Ask your grandfather's physician for a referral, and tell him why.

DEAR ABBY: I was recently in an automobile accident. (I am still in the hospital.) Last week, the doctors told me I will never walk again. Every morning when I wake up, I have to face the harsh reality of my fate.

I feel that I have the right to mourn over my condition, but my family members think I am blowing it out of proportion. What do you think?

SITTING

DEAR SITTING: I think your family is outrageously unsympathetic. "You will never walk again" is indeed a devastating verdict. However, I would like to hear from readers who were told they would never walk again, but with determination, therapy and the grace of God, they did!

A clear view of summer sheers

By FRANCINE PARNES
For AP Special Features

Some of summer's breeziest fashions are also the sheerest. While they create a cool, wispy look, there's not a thread of modesty among them.

Most women will layer them until they become opaque. Or they'll start with a solid foundation.

Layering can be as easy as putting a long jacket over transparent trousers; or putting one gossamer dress over another, a la Calvin Klein and Ralph Lauren, for a shadow-play effect. Likewise, a cropped tee or an opaque bodysuit under a sheer blouse will keep you from blushing.

"Even when fashion gets stupid,"

the American consumer doesn't," says David Wolfe, creative director of the Doneger Group, a trend forecasting service in New York. "The industry learned very quickly that the slip dress is a great idea. But women learned very quickly that with sheer clothes you have to wear a lot of layers so you don't look half-naked."

Besides slip dresses, there's a fresh crop of wispy baby-dolls and easy tank dresses that shouldn't be worn solo. Consider a body-hugging T-shirt, a tank top, a crop top.

Although layering can multiply your clothing needs, it can also create the freedom to mix and match. It's your adventure in dressing, Richard Auer says.

"Some women love to put things

together, and layering gives them another opportunity," says the owner of Auer's, a boutique in Denver. "It's your chance to combine prints and solids, and knits and wovens."

Often, a visit to the lingerie department with your see-through garment in hand is the best ticket to sheer perfection.

One of the first items to track down is a one-piece foundation, such as a nude color bodysuit. If you don't mind your body being silhouetted, it'll offer necessary coverage under sheer skirts, pants and blouses.

Other body-covering options include a camisole or long-sleeved T-shirt and leggings. Generally, bras and panties alone won't do because

even under sheers they look like bras and panties.

One of the newest spring looks on the runway was the sheer T-shirt. But Wolfe says they have been a tough sell since consumers can't relate.

"Most women decided they didn't know how to wear them," he says.

Let the retailers tell how.

"The stores intend for a sheer T-shirt to be worn under a vest, jacket or slip dress," Wolfe says. "You're just supposed to see a sheer neckline. You're playing peekaboo more than you're revealing."

Wolfe suggests a sheer T-shirt with soft pants, a long tunic and a vest.

A big overshirt is a good go-with for see-through pants.

"A lot of women are thinking of what their kid brother looked like with his shirt out," Auer says. "If you dress it up a bit, all of a sudden it looks right."

Linda Sease, vice president of Foley's in Houston, agrees.

"Every kid grows up with his mother saying, 'Tuck in your shirt.' And there was a time when it looked like you hadn't finished dressing," she says. "But now this look even comes from Liz Claiborne, a mainstream American line."

"A big, untucked shirt is a very casual look, yet it is perfectly appropriate when worn under a vest with sheer wide-leg trousers. There's no reason it can't take you through your day."

Outdoor "cafe" of West an attraction

BORGER — The Hutchinson County Museum is honoring the thoughts of turning to the outdoors for entertainment and family activities with an exhibit of the American West's answer to the outdoor cafe: the chuckwagon.

The museum's chuckwagon is on display with everything but the horses and the fire. With the chuckwagon, the museum also has a traveling exhibit from the Devil's Rope Museum in McLean which helps define the role of chuckwagons in the American West.

Another exhibit, which opened last week in honor of D-Day and World War II, was first assembled and exhibited at Frank Phillips College during March under the direction of Mike Meyers and honors the veterans of WWII. Many other artifacts have been added to the three-case exhibit from the museum's WWII collection and from private collections in Hutchinson County.

Among the artifacts displayed are American and German prisoner of war memorabilia, a Women's Army Corps uniform, and an enlisted Navy dress blue uniform.

Also featured is a WWII paratrooper jumpsuit, including the parachute, all of which were used by George Robie during WWII.

Some 50 contributors have made this exhibit possible.

A videocassette player has been set up to play selected documentaries on the war. One video features county veterans relating their oral histories of their WWII experiences.

Former Pampan engages in poll taking to find out West Texans' views

By CHERYL BERZANSKIS
News Editor

A former Pampa man, now serving in U.S. Air Force in San Angelo, thinks politicians can test the heart beat of America if they will just do what he does — conduct a few polls.

William Rasmussen, a security policeman at Goodfellow Air Force Base, is engaged in poll taking to test what restaurant goers believe about domestic issues of our day.

His latest question concerns the Brady Bill — are you for it or against it?

He uses no tricky questions to discriminate shades of support, Rasmussen simply asks for straight forward, unequivocal, black-and-white responses. The computer technology is such that politicians can poll their constituents and base their votes on the will of the voters in the true spirit of democracy, he said.

He has conducted his informal surveys since 1993 on such questions as the line-item veto,

Weather hazards parents should watch for

YOUR CHILD'S WELLNESS NEWSLETTER
For AP Special Features

Parents. Be alert for the health hazards that "come out of hibernation" as warmer weather arrives, including:

Traffic: Review kids' street and sidewalk safety habits. The smaller kids may be crossing on their own for the first time this year, and where there's a ballgame, there's a ball that can roll into the street, too.

Bike: Make sure bikes are in proper working order, that kids know the rules of the road (or side-

And people think only cowboys and Indians fought here



Stephen Radcliff, left, charges David Harris as they engage in a pretend medieval battle at City Park over the weekend. They and several of their friends are part of Amptguard, a group of people high school age or older who like to get together, dress in costumes, and play out personas of the medieval period whether real or fictional. Tony Shipp, another member of the group and the leader, (or baron), said the group is both a fantastical and historical gathering for people who want to play out medieval times. (Pampa News photo by Melinda Martinez)

Book Review

An absorbing, thorough, study of Jesus' last days

By DAVID SMYTH
Associated Press Writer

The last few days in the life of a 33-year-old man who had attracted little public notice, wrote no books and had nothing written about him until several decades after his death are covered in the monumental work, "The Death of the Messiah."

With such a dearth of original material, the layman might wonder how it is possible for the author, the Rev. Raymond E. Brown, to write two volumes — 1,608 pages — on events that covered less than a week nearly 2,000 years ago.

For one thing, those events mark the last days of Jesus, from his arrest in the Garden of Gethsemane to his burial near Golgotha. They are of absorbing interest to hundreds of millions of Christians around the world two millennia later.

Even the Gospels dedicate only a few pages to the trial and death of Jesus, which is the subject of this phenomenally focused book. (It does not cover the previous events of Jesus' life, nor does it cover his resurrection. It does not even cover the Last Supper).

Brown, a distinguished Catholic scholar, dedicated 10 years to this task, and it shows in the thoroughness of his research. Even his appendixes have pages-long bibliographies.

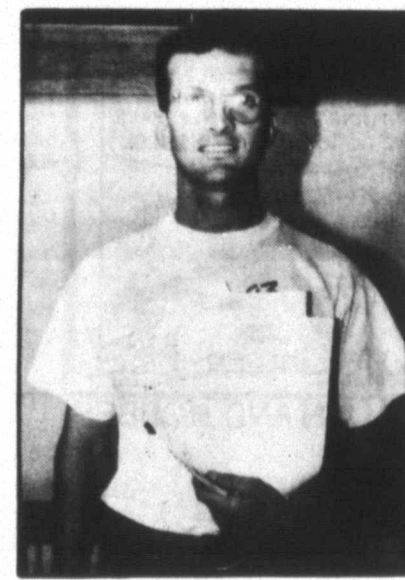
If there is any aspect of the arrest, trial, crucifixion and death of Jesus that Brown has not examined from every conceivable angle, it would be hard to say what it is.

However, this is not a work for scholars only. As Bible study groups have discovered, there are inconsistencies in the Gospels. Matthew, Mark, Luke and John report three different sayings as Jesus' last words from the cross. Was Jesus mocked and scourged after the Roman trial? Yes, according to Matthew and Mark, but not according to Luke and John.

There are doubts about how much power the Jewish sanhedrin had under Roman rule.

"The Jewish authorities are particularly malevolent" in Matthew's Gospel, Brown notes. Why in that Gospel rather than the others?

It is crucial, Brown contends, to take into account the context in which each of the Gospels was written — apparently over a period of 40 to 60 years after the crucifixion of Jesus.



William Rasmussen displays his polling sheets reflecting West Texas views on the Brady Bill. Responses are running four-to-one against the handgun control law.

the Congressional pay raise and the balanced budget amendment. As new issues arise, he starts another round of polling.

Adults and teens can carry their own kits.

Spiders: All states except Alaska have the poisonous black widow. The brown recluse, also poisonous, lives primarily in the mid-western and south-central sections of the United States. Both favor warm, dark, dry places. Teach kids not to play in likely spider "hide-outs."

Wounds: Cuts and scrapes are inevitable. Make sure the kids' tetanus shots are up-to-date and check your first-aid kit. Because each family's needs are different, ask your pediatrician what should be in your home first-aid kit.

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NEA Crossword Puzzle

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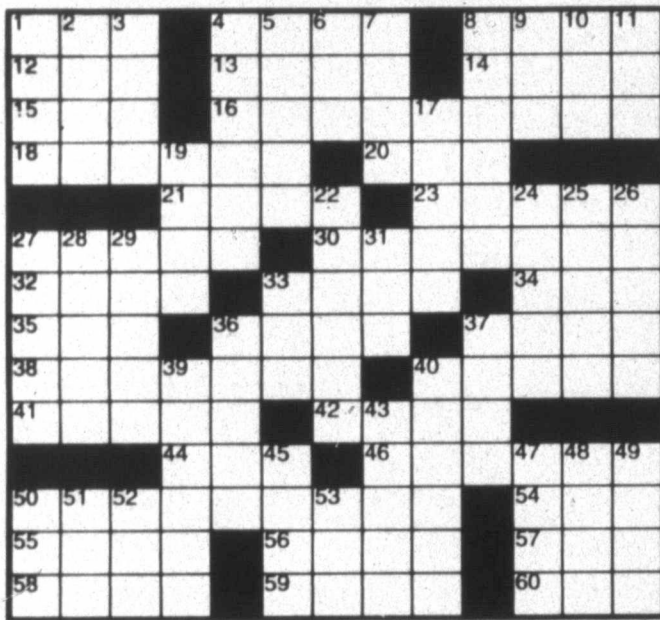
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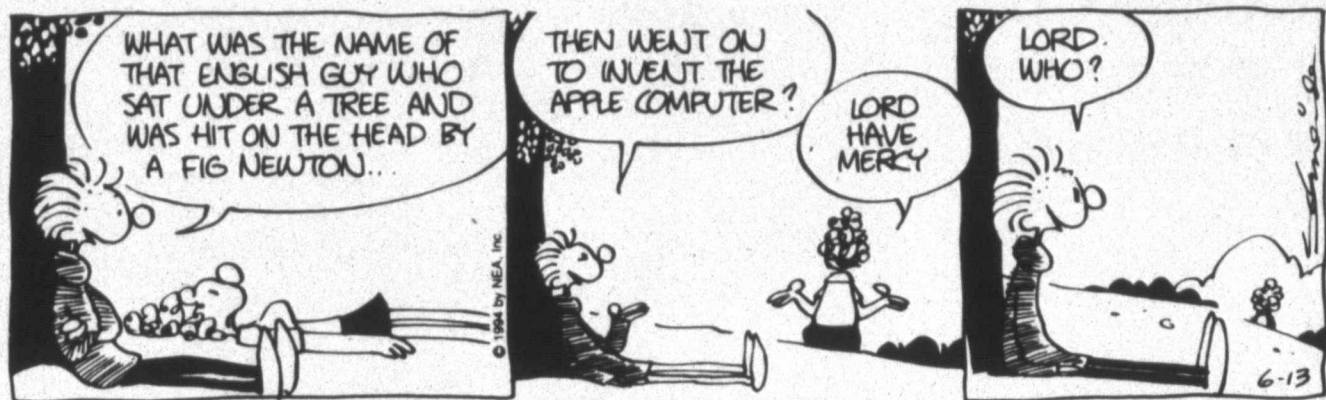
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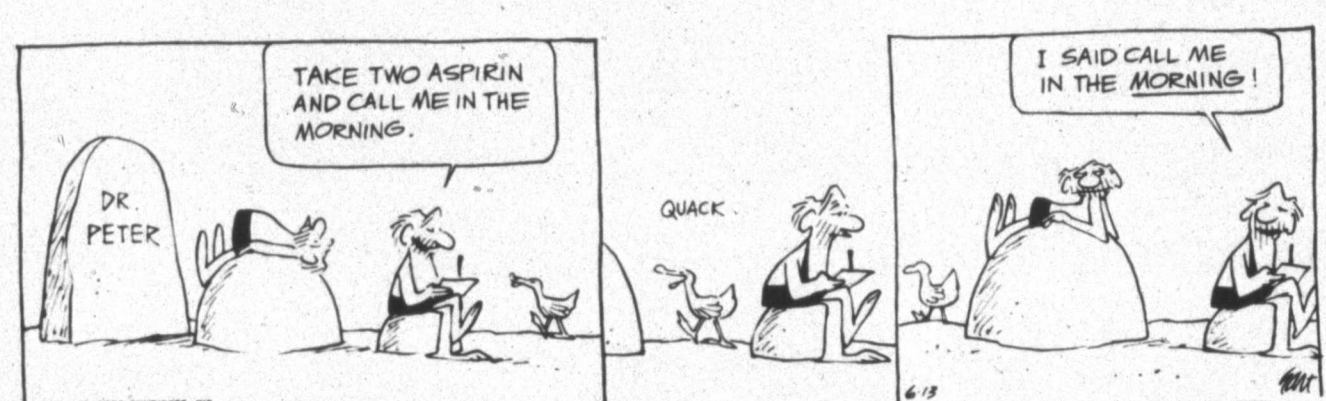
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GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Even though you might think the criticism you offer is constructive, the recipient may feel the opposite and deeply resent your remarks. Judge not, lest ye be judged. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, N.Y. 10163.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Financial conditions could be a mixed bag for you today. On one hand, your earning abilities look promising, but on the other, your extravagance may go unchecked and dissipate what you gain.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Conditions over which you'll have no control might prevent you from fulfilling your personal intentions today. Rebelling against these trends might only add to your frustrations.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You might be more strongly influenced by something unpleasant from the past than by today's fresh developments. Reliving yesterday inhibits success.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Strive to reduce your expenses at this time where nonessential outside interests are concerned. Don't make commitments today that you can't afford.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) The results could turn out undesirable today if you try to bulldoze your way through situations that affect your career. Be able to define the difference between aggressiveness and assertiveness.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Information that comes your way today through questionable sources could turn out to be distorted or severely biased. Don't believe everything you hear.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You'd better review your motives today if you hope to profit in some manner at the expense of another. Chances for personal gain are nil when operating along these lines.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Have a clear-cut understanding in partnership arrangements today regarding who is responsible for what. Without ground rules the venture could veer off course.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) If you fail to approach your work in a positive manner today, you might make the tasks with which you have to contend much more difficult than they actually are.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Lady Luck might not be around when you need her as backup. If you knowingly buck the odds, you may have to pay the consequences.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) It's best not to bring up an old, unresolved domestic issue at the dinner table this evening. It could parallel the opening of Pandora's box.

Sports

Notebook

RODEO
GOODWELL, OKLA. — Shan Til Hext of Canadian has qualified for the College National Finals Rodeo today through Sunday in Bismarck, Montana.

Hext, a junior at Panhandle State in Goodwell, Okla., qualified for the nationals by winning the Central Plains Region title in barrel racing. She competed in nine collegiate rodeos during the season, earning the most points in short go, long go and average.

The Central Plains Region consists of Oklahoma and Kansas.

This is Hext's first trip to the nationals.

GOLF
HARRISON, N.Y. (AP) — Lee Janzen, who begins his U.S. Open title defense Thursday at Oakmont, shot a 5-under-par 66 on Sunday for a three-stroke victory over South Africa's Ernie Els in the Buick Classic.

Janzen, who earned \$216,000 for his first victory since the U.S. Open, tied the tournament record set by David Frost in 1992 with a 16-under 268 total on the Westchester Country Club course. Els closed with a 68. Brad Faxon (66) and Jay Haas (67) tied for third at 274.

ALPHARETTA, Ga. (AP) — Dave Stockton shot a 4-under-par 68 for a one-stroke victory over Bob Murphy in the Nationwide Championship on Sunday.

Stockton, who earned \$172,500 for his first victory of the season and seventh in 80 career starts on the Senior PGA Tour, had an 18-under 198 total on the Country Club of the South. Murphy also shot a 68.

ALVESLOHE, Germany (AP) — Australia's Robert Allenby parred the third hole of a sudden-death playoff with Spain's Miguel Angel Jimenez to win the Honda Open on Sunday. Allenby, who earned \$130,000 for his first victory on the PGA European Tour, closed with a 3-under-par 69 and Jimenez shot a 70 for 12-under 276 totals on the Gut Kaden course.

BROOKLYN PARK, Minn. (AP) — Liselotte Neumann of Sweden shot a 6-under-par 66 for a two-stroke victory over defending champion Hiromi Kobayashi of Japan in the Minnesota LPGA Classic on Sunday. Neumann, who earned \$75,000, had an 11-under 205 total on the Edinburgh USA course. Kobayashi shot a 65.

WOODRIDGE, Ill. (AP) — Former NBA star Jack Marin shot a 1-over-par 73 for a one-stroke victory in the Michael Jordan-Ronald McDonald Children's Charities Celebrity Classic on Sunday. Marin, who earned \$37,500, had a 1-over 217 total on the Seven Bridges course. Ken Harrelson (71), Darren Veitch (71) and Jan Stenerud (74) tied for second.

AUTO RACING

DETROIT (AP) — For the fifth straight race, the Penske team dominated Indy-car racing as Canada's Paul Tracy ran away from the field in the ITT Automotive Detroit Grand Prix on Sunday.

Tracy finished 9.25 seconds ahead of teammate Emerson Fittipaldi and 4:13 better than Danny Sullivan's track record set last year. He averaged 86.245 mph in his Penske-Ilmor Indy V8 for his first victory of the season.

LONG POND, Pa. (AP) — Rusty Wallace dived past Dale Earnhardt three turns from the end of Sunday's UAW-GM Teamwork 500 to salvage a victory in a confusing finish at Pocono International Raceway.

Wallace, who captured his second straight victory and the 35th of his NASCAR career, outdueled Winston Cup leader Ernie Ivan for the second straight week and appeared to have the race wrapped up before a late caution period threw the event into chaos.

MONTREAL (AP) — Michael Schumacher pulled away on the opening lap and easily won the Canadian Grand Prix on Sunday for the German star's fifth victory in six Formula One races this season. Schumacher, driving a Benetton Ford, finished 39.660 seconds in front of Britain's Damon Hill and averaged 109.536 mph.

KIRKERSVILLE, Ohio (AP) — Scott Geoffrion edged Jim Yates with a quarter-mile run of 7.227 seconds at 192.14 mph to win the Pro Stock title in the NHRA's Oldsmobile Springnationals. Scott Kalitta won the Top Fuel competition.

BASEBALL

TEMPE, Ariz. (AP) — Jim Brock, the Arizona State coach whose battle with cancer forced him to miss much of the recent College World Series, died Sunday night of liver and colon cancer. Brock, 57, won two national titles and was 1,100-440 in 23 years at the school.

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — Damon Minor hit a three-run homer and Chip Glass added a solo homer in the sixth inning as Oklahoma routed Georgia Tech 13-5 to win the College World Series on Saturday. Both teams finished 50-17.

CINCINNATI (AP) — The Cincinnati Reds are looking into Kevin Mitchell's claim that he was an innocent bystander when he was hit in the right eye at a local night spot after Friday night's game against Colorado.

HOOPER, Ala. (AP) — Michael Jordan had two singles and an RBI in four at-bats in Birmingham's 11-5 loss to Nashville in the Southern League on Sunday. He's hitting .210 with 24 RBIs in 214 at-bats.

BOXING

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Mike Tyson faced what could be his final bid for early freedom today, appearing before Marion Superior Court Judge Patricia J. Gifford to ask that his six-year sentence for rape be shortened to time served. The former heavyweight champion has spent 26 months in prison since a jury convicted him of raping a beauty pageant contestant.

Rockets turn back Knicks in Game 3

By RICK WARNER
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Once again, the New York Knicks shut down Hakeem Olajuwon in the fourth quarter. Only this time, his teammates came to the rescue.

Rookie Sam Cassell scored Houston's last seven points. Otis Thorpe made a key three-point play and Robert Horry had two dramatic dunks in the final period to lead the Rockets over the Knicks 93-89 Sunday night in Game 3 of the NBA Finals.

Olajuwon, the league's MVP this season, was held to four points in the fourth quarter and finished with 21, eight below his playoff average. He was 1-

for-3 from the field in the final period, continuing a trend that has seen him miss 10 of 12 fourth-quarter shots over the first three games.

But unlike Game 2, when the Knicks wore down Houston for a 91-83 victory at the Summit, other Rockets came up with big shots when Olajuwon faltered to help the Rockets take a 2-1 lead in the best-of-7 series.

"Every game, someone different is going to step up for us," said Cassell, who scored 15 points on 4-for-6 shooting, including 3-for-3 from long range. "I made some big baskets and Otis had a big three-point play down the stretch. Hakeem will do everything, but we need different guys to give

him help."

The Knicks took their first lead of the game, 82-81, on Patrick Ewing's baseline jumper with 2:50 left. But the Rockets quickly regained the lead 84-82 on the three-point play by Thorpe, who was fouled while making a one-handed, fadeaway near the basket.

New York moved ahead 86-84 on baskets by Charles Oakley and Ewing before Horry, who finished with 16 points, countered with a dunk off a pass by Thorpe.

After Derek Harper's jumper put the Knicks up by two, Cassell hit the biggest basket of the game. Olajuwon was surrounded in the post so he passed the ball out to the top of the key, where Cassell buried a 3-point-

er with 32 seconds remaining.

"I made a move, but I saw him open and went for the 3 instead of the 2," Olajuwon said. "I wasn't comfortable taking an off-balance jump hook."

He had three guys on him and I was open and he got me the ball," said Cassell, a first-round draft pick from Florida State.

Cassell clinched the victory with four free throws in the final 22 seconds. He made the first two shortly after Ewing was called for an offensive foul while setting a pick on Vernon Maxwell during an inbound play.

"This was a big character win for us," Houston coach Rudy Tomjanovich said. "I felt Game 2 was a little bit demoralizing.

... We did a better job of executing today, but it really comes down to putting the ball in the basket."

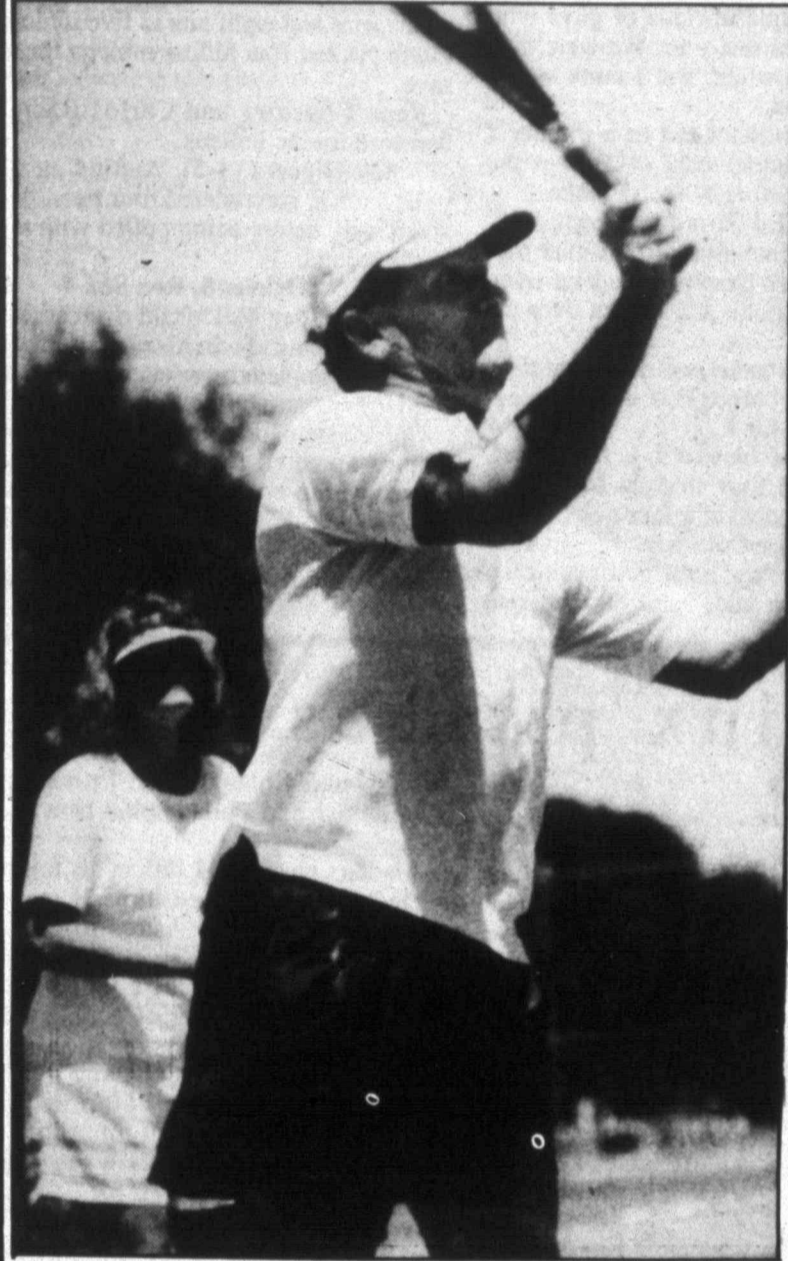
Rockets 93, Knicks 89

HOUSTON (93)
Horry 5-11 5-6 16, Thorpe 3-5 3-3 9, Olajuwon 8-20 5-6 21, Maxwell 5-15 2-2 12, K. Smith 3-7 3-3 10, Cassell 4-6 4-5 15, Herrera 1-8 2-2 4, Elie 1-3 3-4 6. Totals 30-75 27-31 93.

NEW YORK (89)
Oakley 3-8 1-2 7, C. Smith 3-5 3-4 9, Ewing 9-29 0-0 18, Harper 9-15 0-0 21, Starks 6-16 5-7 20, Mason 3-7 4-5 10, Anthony 1-3 0-0 2, Davis 0-1 0-0 0, Bonner 1-1 0-1 2. Totals 35-87 13-19 89.

3-Point goals—Houston 6-17 (Cassell 3-3, Elie 1-1, K. Smith 1-2, Horry 1-5, Maxwell 0-6), New York 6-19 (Harper 3-7, Starks 3-9, Anthony 0-1, Ewing 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Houston 58 (Olajuwon 11), New York 49 (Ewing 13). Assists—Houston 19 (Olajuwon 7), New York 17 (Starks 9). Total fouls—Houston 18, New York 25. Technicals—Maxwell, New York illegal defense, New York illegal defense, Houston illegal defense, Houston illegal defense. A—19, 763.

Tennis action



Caleb Heatwole (right) sets up to swat the ball back to Ken and Stephanie Rheams during a Mixed B Doubles match Sunday in the Pampa Open tennis tournament at the Pampa High School tennis courts. Ken Rheams, foreground, looks to return a volley by Heatwole as Stephanie Rheams looks on. The Rheams, of Pampa, defeated Heatwole and Hillary Brown, both of Canadian, 4-6, 6-4, 7-6 (7-5) in a semi-finals match. The Rheams went on to win the Mixed B Doubles division, defeating Stefan Bressler and Kimberly Martin, 2-6, 7-6 (9-7), 6-4. (Pampa News photos by Jeff Carruth)



When Arnie met Jack

OAKMONT, Pa. (AP) — The private meeting between Arnold Palmer and Jack Nicklaus took place in a very public place.

"Arnold came up to me on the putting green and asked if I wanted to split the purse," Nicklaus recalled of a day in June 32 years ago while the two were readying for a playoff for the U.S. Open championship.

The world was different then, back in 1962. The map was different. Even names were different.

No one could force a time where there would be one Germany. Only comic strip hero Buck Rogers had walked on the moon. And, in Hope, Ark., 15-year-old Bill Blythe was considering changing his name to Clinton.

Golf was different, too. Purse splitting — the prearranged sharing of prize money — was a fairly common, accepted practice.

And Palmer, 32, the reigning Masters champion, at the peak of his powers, the most popular player in the history of the game, was making a gesture to the new kid on the block, a chubby-checked, crew-cut, 22-year-old rookie.

"I thought it was very nice of him, very thoughtful. He was being nice to the new kid," Nicklaus said.

But Jack was having none of it.

"No, I don't think so. Let's play for it," he responded.

They played for it, for the U.S. Open championship, over 18 holes. Nicklaus won and pro golf shifted and turned.

It changed on a rare touch of superstition, a pair of green pants, and a series of 3-putts on the glass-slick greens of the Oakmont Country Club.

With Jack's 71-74 playoff triumph, his first pro victory, the Nicklaus era had its beginning, an era that was to run for more than two decades.

And it was the beginning of the end of the Palmer era. Oh, he won again after that. He won majors, the British Open later in 1962, the '64 Masters. But he was never the same again.

It was the beginning of a life-long competitive relationship for the two giants of the game.

And that beginning will be celebrated in an exercise in nostalgia next week in the 94th U.S. Open, again at Oakmont.

Schoolyard prepared Cassell for Knicks

By JIM LITKE
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Spring for the uniforms, take them down to the corner playground and stage your own NBA Finals. You couldn't do much worse than the version Houston and New York are torturing a national television audience with.

And who knows? The experience just might come in handy someday.

Sam Cassell played in a few pickup games just as ragged and at least as rugged as the one he decided Sunday night by scoring seven points over the final 32 seconds. But those rough-and-tumble affairs took place on the playgrounds in Baltimore when he was a kid — not as a rookie with the Rockets in the decidedly unfriendly confines of Madison Square Garden.

"There must have been a few like that," Cassell said, grinning as he watched the

stands empty. "They're just not coming to me right now."

With the game on the line, conventional wisdom dictates you don't look for the most inexperienced player in your lineup, even if he also happens to be the most street-wise.

And at times like those, you don't necessarily look for the smallest player on the floor, either. Or the guy who plays so out of control at moments that he describes himself, guilelessly, as "sometimes a bad spark, sometimes a good spark." Especially when, a few minutes into the fourth quarter, that guy is writhing on the floor, doubled up in pain.

But at the end of that same quarter, when three Knick defenders made a sandwich of Hakeem Olajuwon down in the paint, the Rockets center knew exactly who to look for.

"I don't consider Sam a rookie," Olajuwon said. "He's an experienced player."

How so?

"He played on the streets a lot," Olajuwon said.

The earnestness in Hakeem's expression suggested he was not kidding. Laugh if you want, but the answer makes as much sense as anything else in this madcap series. Indeed, streetball might be too gracious a description of the goings-on.

Houston's 93-89 win was secured after Cassell smoothly stroked the 3-pointer, then calmly made four free throws down the stretch. It only took some 30 clicks of the game clock, but it might have been the best sustained offensive stretch of the evening. Maybe even the series.

"It's a war out there," Houston coach Rudy Tomjanovich said. "You've got a lot of big bodies out there working really hard. I know a lot of people don't appreciate it, but it's hard work and not easy to do."

Apparently not. All told, the two teams combined for 43 fouls, 28 turnovers, 40 percent

shooting and who-knows-how-many slips, stumbles and air-balls. But just to make sure the Knicks don't lay claim to the title of NBA's worst offense without a battle, the Rockets staged their own offensive work stoppage for the third straight game.

Late in the third quarter, they launched a stretch of sheer incompetence that would extend 10 minutes and 27 seconds without a basket — well into the middle of the fourth quarter. That, by itself, would have been numbing enough. But following similar scoreless stretches of 11 minutes in Game 1 and 6 minutes, 30 seconds in Game 2 — the last 6:30 of the game, no less — it seemed surprising that any Houston player was willing to catch the ball, let alone shoot it.

Into that breach, fortunately for the Rockets, stepped Cassell.

VFW, Cree claim Babe Ruth wins; Mr. Gattis downs Malcolm Hinkle

VFW defeated Bowers, 21-8, in 13-15 Babe Ruth League action last weekend at Optimist Park.

VFW improves to 6-1-1 while Bowers, 3-4-1, had a three-game win streak snapped.

The winning pitcher was Jason Lee (2-1), who struck out three, walked six and didn't give up a hit or earned run in one and one-third innings. Eric Greer picked up his first save, giving up three hits and two earned runs while striking out three and walking three in two and two-thirds innings.

Jeremy Knutson was VFW's leading hitter, going three for four

at the plate. Marques Long, Aaron Whitney, Carey Knutson, Aaron Hayden, Clint Curtis and Jason Lee had one hit each.

Long's hit was a solo home run over the right centerfield fence.

Cody Lewallen, Chad Epperson and Adam Scroggins had one hit each for Bowers.

Cree defeated the Lions Club, 9-6, last week in a Babe Ruth League contest.

Top hitters for Cree were Ernie Cruz, who gave up six runs on four hits while striking out 10, and walking 10 in six innings.

Brown and Avery Taylor, one single each.

Top hitters for the Lions were Aaron Wiseman, double, two RBI; Francis Juan, double, one RBI and Josh Rodriguez, a single.

Davis and Bowles both turned in unassisted double plays for Cree.

Winning pitcher was Ernie Cruz, who gave up six runs on four hits while striking out 10, and walking 10 in six innings.

League standings through June 11 are as follows:

Team	Won	Lost	Tie
VFW	6	1	1
Triangle	6	2	0

Lions	4	4	0
Bowers	3	4	1
Cree	3	5	0
First National	3	5	0
Fototime	2	6	0

Mr. Gattis 14, Malcolm Hinkle 6

Mr. Gattis combined for 14 hits, nine for extra bases, in a 14-6 win over Malcolm Hinkle in 10-12 year-old girls' softball action last weekend.

Good control by Jill Forman along with a stingy defense held Malcolm Hinkle to just one hit during the game.

Twice it looked like Malcolm Hinkle might rally, but their runners were gunned down at the

plate on throws from Mr. Gattis players Angela Brown and Kimberly Clark to catcher Tandi Morton.

Forman struck out three, walked five and allowed just one hit.

Top hitters for Mr. Gattis were Tandi Morton, triple and single; Kimberly Clark, two doubles; Angela Brown and Forman, two singles; Amanda White, double and single; Brooke Pope, Ashley Boring, Kim Grice and Ashley Derington, one double each.

Shauna Broadus had a single for Malcolm Hinkle.

With the win, Mr. Gattis improves to 6-1 on the season.

Optimist Roundup Glo-Valve survives Rotary rally

Glo-Valve Service survived a five-run sixth inning by Rotary Club and held on to win 9-7 Saturday in an Optimist Major Bambino league contest.

Kyle McCullough was the winning pitcher. Cody Shepard was credited with a save. Josh Larkin took the loss for Rotary.

McCullough scattered four hits, struck out two and allowed no walks and no runs in three innings. He gave way to Shawn Strate who allowed one earned run on five hits. He struck out two and walked two. Shepard came on in the bottom of the sixth inning to put out the fire. He allowed one hit and struck out a batter.

Larkin was touched for seven earned runs and eight hits in one and one-third innings. He struck out two and did not walk a batter. Trey Rogers pitched the rest of the game limiting Glo-Valve to four hits and one run. He struck out four, walked four and hit a batter.

With one out in the first inning, McCullough beat out an infield hit. He went to third on a single by Shepard who then moved to second on the throw to third. Both runners scored on a double by Eric Lemons. Lemons tallied the third run of the inning on a single by Josue Silva.

Kyle Keith opened the second inning for Glo-Valve with a double. He stayed at second on an infield single by Taylor Harris. Keith scored when Strate was safe on an error. McCullough cracked a double to score Harris and send Strate to third. Shepard followed with a home run. Silva greeted Rogers with a double but

was left stranded as Glo-Valve opened an 8-0 lead.

Glo-Valve did not score in the third or fourth innings. In the bottom of the fourth, Strate relieved McCullough and walked Patrick Parsons. Tyson Curtis was safe on a fielder's choice. Both runners moved up on a passed ball. Parsons scored Rotary's first run on an infield out.

In the fifth inning, Matt Jennings worked Rogers for a walk. Jonathan Brockington was put in as a pinch runner, and he moved to second on an infield hit by Harris. A single by Strate brought in Brockington. A walk to McCullough loaded the bases, but Rogers stiffened to leave the runners stranded.

In the fifth inning, Larkin tripped and scored when Trevor Muniz was safe on an error. That bought the score to 9-2 and set the stage for Rotary's sixth inning.

With two out in the bottom of the sixth, Rotary rallied for five runs. A walk, an error on a ball hit by Ryan Chambers, singles by Rogers and Muniz sandwiched around a double by Larkin brought in Shepard in relief of Strate for Glo-Valve.

Shepard gave up a single to Francis but struck out the next batter to end the game.

Larkin was the defensive star of the game for Rotary. He made three outstanding fly ball catches in center field and turned one into a double play. Harris, Scott James, Keith and Silva made fly ball catches for Glo-Valve with Silva turning a double play on his catch.

Knowles wins pitching match up

Knowles Motor Co. came away with a win, 13-10, over Citizens Bank Friday in a game that saw two of the league's top hurlers battle it out from the mound.

Randy Tice pitched for Knowles and Luis Gonzalez threw for Citizens.

Tice picked up the win allowing four runs, two hits, four walks and recording four strike outs. Gonzalez struck out five and allowed two runs, three hits and one walk.

Nathaniel Hill and Matt Driscoll combined for the save for Knowles. Hill struck out three in an inning of work. Driscoll allowed six runs on three hits and four walks.

Schuyler Danner suffered the loss for Citizens while allowing three hits and one walk. Miguel Campos closed for Citizens giving up three hits and six walks while recording two strike outs.

Citizens was leading 4-3 when both

teams made pitching changes. Knowles held on defensively while Citizens committed four fielding errors to help spark Knowles.

Matt Driscoll lead the offensive attack for Knowles with a home run, a triple and three runs scored. Aaron Keller had a single, a double and a RBI, and he scored twice. Kevin Youree had a triple and scored. Nathaniel Hill had a hit and scored two runs Tice and Daniel Williams had a combined two singles, two runs and three RBIs.

For Citizens, Gonzalez had a double and a single, scored twice and knocked in three RBIs. Carlos Solis had a double, scored one and had an RBI. David Sigala had a hit, scored two runs and hit an RBI. Danner had a hit, Luis Campos scored two runs. Nathaniel Holmes, Miguel Campos and Zach Mitchell also scored runs for Citizens.

Moose, IRI improve records

Moose Lodge got by McCarty Hull 11-9 in a Minor Bambino league game Friday at Optimist Park.

Ryan Zemanek picked up the win on the mound for Moose. He allowed two hits, walked four and recorded five strike outs. He also helped hit own cause with a double, a triple and home run.

Moose coach Mike Zemanek said Ryan's home run is the believed to be the first one to go over the fence in the newly renovated Minor Bambino field.

Other hitters for Moose were Brandon Trice, Jared Snelgroots and Blake Helms who picked up two hits each.

Dusty Harper struck out six while suffering the loss for McCarty Hull.

Hitting for McCarty Hull were Dusty Harper, Zack Farris, Matthew Crow and

Reece Walton.

Moose improved to 5-2 with the win.

IRI downed AMT 12-2 in a Minor Bambino league game Saturday at Optimist Park.

Adam Jones worked two innings for IRI and picked up with win. He allowed just one hit, one walk and struck out six.

Evan Miller belted four hits including an inside the park home run for IRI. Jay Gerber had three hits and Michael Cochran had two hits.

Cochran and Miller both pitched one inning, allowing a combined no hits and three strike outs.

AMT pitchers allowed 13 hits while striking out seven in the game.

IRI's record improved to 7-0 with the win.

Major League Standings

American League					
By The Associated Press All Times EDT					
East Division					
W	L	Pct.	GB		
New York	35	24	.593		
Baltimore	34	25	.576	1	
Boston	32	27	.542	3	
Detroit	31	29	.517	4 1/2	
Toronto	30	30	.500	5 1/2	
Central Division					
W	L	Pct.	GB		
Chicago	33	25	.569		
Cleveland	33	25	.569	-	
Minnesota	33	27	.550	1	
Kansas City	29	31	.483	7 1/2	
Milwaukee	27	34	.443	7 1/2	
West Division					
W	L	Pct.	GB		
Seattle	30	30	.500		
Texas	25	35	.417	5	
Oakland	26	37	.413	5 1/2	
Oakland	19	42	.311	11 1/2	
National League					
East Division					
W	L	Pct.	GB		
Atlanta	39	20	.661		
Montreal	37	24	.607	3	
Philadelphia	31	32	.492	10	
St. Louis	31	28	.523	3	
Florida	30	32	.484	10 1/2	
New York	28	33	.459	12	
Central Division					
W	L	Pct.	GB		
Cincinnati	35	26	.574		
Houston	34	27	.557	1	
St. Louis	31	28	.523	3	
Pittsburgh	28	32	.467	6 1/2	
Chicago	23	37	.383	11 1/2	
West Division					
W	L	Pct.	GB		
Los Angeles	32	30	.516		
Colorado	28	33	.459	3 1/2	
San Francisco	28	34	.452	4	
San Diego	23	39	.371	9	

Blue Jays are starting to soar

By TOM WITHERS
Associated Press Writer

The Toronto Blue Jays are hoping that the funk is over so the fun can begin.

Less than two weeks ago, the Blue Jays fell 10 games back of New York in the AL East and people began to wonder: What's wrong with the Blue Jays?

Well, those doubts appear to be premature as the Blue Jays have started to show the form that's made them two-time defending World Series champions.

AL roundup

Devon White hit a two-run homer in the eighth inning Sunday, sending Pat Hentgen and the Blue Jays to a 3-1 victory over the Yankees.

In taking three of four games in the weekend series with New York, the Blue Jays moved within 5 1/2 games in the AL East.

White's ninth homer enabled the Blue Jays to avoid a split and helped ease the sting from the Yankees' two-game sweep of Toronto at Yankee Stadium last month.

"They beat us up good in New York," said Hentgen, who limited New York to three hits in eight innings. "I guess things weren't looking too bright for us back then, but this is pretty much the same nucleus of guys who won the World Series last year. We were in a bit of a funk for a while. But I think we've turned things around."

Hentgen (8-5) was locked in a pitcher's duel with Scott Kamieniecki (4-2) over the first eight innings before White's homer.

In the eighth, Ed Sprague singled off Kamieniecki and pinch-hitter Rob Butler sacrificed pinch-runner Domingo Cedeno over. One out later, White hit a 2-1 pitch over the wall in right.

"If they had won today, we'd be right back where we started before this series," said White, who went 3-for-4.

The Yankees, who blasted to a 32-13 start, have now dropped four straight series and now head to Baltimore for a four-game series with the second-place Orioles.

"It's not like we've been getting blown away," Kamieniecki said. "One hit, here, one

hit there and we'd be OK. But it's a long season and nobody thought we were going to go the whole year and run away with it.

"Maybe we'll turn it around tomorrow."

Elsewhere in the American League, it was: Minnesota 6, Chicago 2; Cleveland 12, Milwaukee 6; Baltimore 8, Boston 4; California 8, Detroit 6; Oakland 11, Seattle 2; and Kansas City 7, Texas 2.

Twins 6, White Sox 2

At Minneapolis, Kirby Puckett had three hits and drove in three runs to take the major-league RBI lead as Minnesota completed a four-game sweep of the White Sox.

Puckett homered, singled and doubled in his first three at-bats to increase his RBI total to 63, one more than Toronto's Joe Carter.

The Twins, who have won 17 of their last 20 games at the Metrodome, completed their first four-game sweep at home over Chicago since 1969.

Carlos Pulido (3-5) allowed two runs and six hits in six innings.

The Twins sent Wilson Alvarez (8-2) to his second straight early exit.

Indians 12, Brewers 6

At Milwaukee, Albert Belle's grand slam capped an eight-run second inning outburst as Cleveland moved into a first-place tie with the White Sox in the AL Central.

Dennis Martinez (4-4) won despite giving up six runs and eight hits in five innings. Eric Plunk pitched four hitless innings for his first save.

Rene Gonzalez and Carlos Baerga also homered for the Indians.

Teddy Higuera (1-5), continuing a disastrous stretch, surrendered four runs, three hits and a walk before being pulled with none out in the second.

Orioles 8, Red Sox 4

At Boston, Ben McDonald overcame a two-hour rain delay to win his ninth game as Baltimore completed a weekend sweep of the struggling Red Sox.

Cal Ripken, Rafael Palmeiro and Leo Gomez homered for the Orioles, who have moved within one game of the AL East-leading New York Yankees by winning six of seven.

McDonald (9-4) allowed three runs and six

hits in eight-plus innings. His 50th career win was interrupted by a 2:01 rain delay in the fourth inning.

Brady Anderson went 4-for-4, with two RBIs and two steals, for the Orioles.

The Red Sox have lost 9 of 11.

Angels 8, Tigers 6

At Anaheim, Calif., Gary DiSarcina and Spike Owen hit consecutive homers to snap a fifth-inning tie as the Angels ended the Tigers' winning streak at four.

With the score tied 2-2, Chris Turner tripled to open the fifth off David Wells (1-4). DiSarcina, who had three RBIs, followed with his third homer before Owen hit his second to make it 5-2.

Before those at-bats, DiSarcina had hit eight homers in 1,256 major league at-bats and Owen 43 in 4,528.

Brian Anderson (4-1) allowed five hits in 7 1-3 innings.

Athletics 11, Mariners 2

At Seattle, Ruben Sierra went 4-for-5 with five RBIs and Stan Javier hit a two-run homer for Oakland.

Sierra had an RBI single and a run-scoring double before hitting his 15th homer in the eighth inning. Javier went 3-for-5 as the A's got 15 hits against three Seattle pitchers.

Todd Van Poppel (2-5), who entered the game with a 7.69 ERA, allowed two runs and five hits in seven innings.

Dave Fleming (3-9) gave up six runs and eight hits in four-plus innings to lose his fifth straight decision.

Royals 7, Rangers 2

At Arlington, Texas, David Cone became the American League's first 10-game winner, allowing three hits in 7 2-3 innings.

Cone (10-2), who has won nine of his last 10 decisions, joined Atlanta's Greg Maddux as baseball's only 10-game winner.

Cone carried a two-hit shutout into the eighth before the Rangers closed to 6-2 with a pair of unearned runs. Cone leads the AL with a 2.41 ERA.

Greg Gagne supplied the offense for Cone with an RBI double in the third off Hector Fajardo (2-2) and a two-run triple in the seventh. Felix Jose added a solo homer in the eighth for the Royals.

Maddux pitches Braves past Astros

By BEN WALKER
AP Baseball Writer

While a lot people try to predict his future, Greg Maddux thinks about the present, pitch by pitch.

Maddux became the first 10-game winner in the majors Sunday, leading the Atlanta Braves over the Houston Astros 3-1.

NL roundup

Maddux (10-2) leads the major leagues with a 1.38 ERA. At this rate, he could become the first pitcher to win three straight Cy Young Awards.

"I'll take any win I can get," he said. "But if you start thinking about 20 wins or pitching in the World Series or the Cy Young Award, you'll stop pitching. I can throw the pitches I make. Everything else is out of my control."

In other games, Colorado beat Cincinnati 3-2, New York defeated Montreal 5-4, San Diego stopped San Francisco 5-2, Los Ange-

les downed Chicago 2-1, Pittsburgh beat Florida 5-1 and Philadelphia beat St. Louis 7-2.

Maddux gave up 11 hits in his fourth complete game. He helped himself by walking none and getting the Astros to ground into three double plays.

"That's what's great about playing on Astro turf, you get a lot of double plays that wouldn't be double plays on grass," Maddux said. "When you're not pitching well, all you have to concentrate on is throwing strikes over the plate and a lot of times they'll hit it right at somebody. That's what helped me out."

Fred McGriff went 4-for-4 for the Braves. His double started a two-run second inning and he hit an RBI double in the ninth.

Greg Swindell (5-3) gave up two runs in eight innings, but that was not good enough to beat Maddux.

"He's a magician out there. He gets out of jams," Swindell said.

The Braves have won 22 of the last 25 at the Astrodome.

Rockies 3, Reds 2

Charlie Hayes homered, doubled and scored the go-ahead run in the ninth inning as Colorado won for the first time at Riverfront Stadium.

The Rockies had been 0-10 in Cincinnati until Nelson Liriano singled in the ninth off Hector Carrasco (3-3).

Steve Reed (2-1) pitched two scoreless innings and Bruce Ruffin got his ninth save.

Dodgers 2, Cubs 1

Tom Candiotti pitched a five-hitter and Mike Piazza hit a tiebreaking single in the eighth inning that lifted Los Angeles over Chicago.

The Cubs have lost 11 of 12. They have dropped eight of nine at Wrigley Field.

Candiotti (5-2) walked none and struck out seven in his fourth complete game. Anthony Young (3-5) lost when Brett Butler doubled in the eighth and Piazza singled.

Tim Wallach hit his 16th homer for the Dodgers and Sammy Sosa hit his 15th for the Cubs.

Spinks honored

CANASTOTA, N.Y. (AP) — Michael Spinks stunned the boxing world in 1985 when he outgouged undefeated Larry Holmes to become the first light heavyweight title.

That upset, along with Spinks' domination of the light heavyweight ranks between 1981 and 1985, carried him into the International Boxing Hall of Fame on Sunday.

"He was one of the greatest champions. He had the attitude and the ability. It would have been surprising if they didn't include him," said his one-time trainer, Eddie Futch, who was enshrined along with Spinks and 12 other former ring personalities.

With his brother Leon and his longtime friend and associate, promoter Butch Lewis, looking on, 37-year-old Michael Spinks became the youngest member of the boxing hall of fame.

The 1994 class also included Jack Sharkey, at 92, the oldest living former heavyweight champion; longtime promoter Chris Dundee, who joined his brother Angelo in the hall of fame; Joey Maxim, the light heavyweight champion from 1950-1952 who recorded victories over hall-of-famers Jersey Joe Walcott, Sugar Ray Robinson and Floyd Patterson during his 17-year career; and Mexican-born Carlos Zarate, a bantamweight champion in the late 1970s.

Pampa Open Tennis Tournament

(Borger) - Ken Rheams (Pampa), 6-2, 6-2.

Semi-Finals

Benny Horton - J.B. Horton (Pampa) def. Stefan Bressler - Aaron Witt (Pampa), 6-2, 6-3. John Gonzalez (Amarillo) - Larry Wheeler (Pampa) def. Billy Dewitt - Brooks Gentry (Pampa), injury default.

Finals

Winners: Benny Horton - J.B. Horton (Pampa) def. John Gonzalez (Amarillo) - Larry Wheeler (Pampa), 6-4, 7-5.

MENS OPEN SINGLES

First Round

Ken Rheams (Pampa) def. David Kludt (Pampa), 6-1, 6-1. Billy DeWitt (Pampa) def. Tracy Kotara (White Deer), by injury default. Ralph White (Borger) def. Phil Grove (Pampa), 4-6, 6-4, 6-2.

Second Round

Torey Sellers (Pampa) def. Ken Rheams (Pampa), 6-1, 6-0. Aaron Witt (Pampa) def. Billy DeWitt (Pampa), 7-5, 4-6, 6-2. Stefan Bressler (Pampa) def. Ralph White (Borger), 1-6, 6-2, 6-4. Tony McLeod (Canyon) def. Brooks Gentry (Pampa), 6-3, 6-0.

Semi-Finals

Torey Sellers (Pampa) def. Aaron Witt (Pampa), 7-5, 4-6, 6-2. Brooks Gentry (Pampa) def. Tony McLeod (Canyon), 6-3, 6-0.

Finals

Winner: Torey Sellers (Pampa) def. Brooks Gentry (Pampa), by injury default.

GIRLS 14 YEARS OLD AND UNDER

DOUBLES

Round robin format.

Leigh Farrar - Marcella Morehead (Canadian) def. Halley Bell - April Lopez (Pampa), 6-2, 3-6, 7-5. Emily Waters - Kellen Waters (Pampa) def. Leigh Farrar - Marcella Morehead (Canadian), 6-2, 7-5. Emily Waters - Kellen Waters (Pampa) def. Halley Bell - April Lopez (Pampa), 6-4, 6-3.

First: Waters - Waters (2-0). Second: Farrar - Morehead (1-1).

GIRLS 16 YEARS OLD AND UNDER

DOUBLES

Round robin format.

Shea Fraley - Taryn Willard (Borger) def. Crystal Frame - Marcella Morehead (Canadian), 6-4, 6-3. Shea Fraley - Taryn Willard (Borger) def. Erin Atwood - Crystal Boyd (Spearman), 6-1, 6-3. Crystal Frame - Marcella Morehead (Canadian) def. Erin Atwood - Crystal Boyd (Spearman), 6-4, 6-2.

First: Fraley - Willard (2-0). Second: Frame - Riggs (1-1).

BOYS 14 YEARS OLD AND UNDER

DOUBLES

First Round

Winners: Joe Hiepstra (Canadian) def. Tom McLeod (Canyon), 6-1, 4-6, 6-2.

Finals

Winner: Joe Hiepstra (Canadian) def. Tom McLeod (Canyon), 6-1, 4-6, 6-2.

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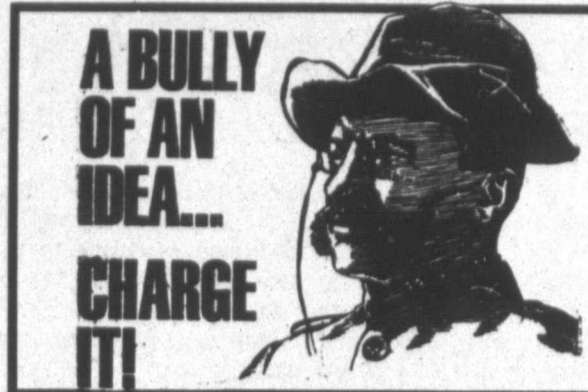
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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING: June 28, 1994. The City Commission of the City of Pampa will conduct a Public Hearing at 6:00 P.M. on Thursday June 28, 1994 at the Pampa City Hall, located at 201 W. Foster Street, Pampa, Texas, on the 3rd Floor, in the City Commission Chambers. This will be a meeting of the City Commission to conduct a Public Hearing for the purpose of receiving public comments concerning the following: A) Amend Zoning Ordinance No. 690, amending the definition and criteria for a "Home Occupation" as provided in subparagraph (2) of paragraph 18 of Section 7 of Ordinance No. 690. If approved, the above mentioned amendment would allow for dog and cat grooming shops as a "Home Occupation" as outlined and specified in the amending ordinance. All interested parties are encouraged to attend. B-31 June 13, 1994

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING: June 23, 1994. The Planning and Zoning Commission of the City of Pampa will conduct a Public Hearing at 3:30 P.M. on Thursday, June 23, 1994 at the Pampa City Hall, located at 201 W. Foster Street, Pampa, Texas, on the 3rd Floor, in the City Commission Chambers. This will be a meeting of the Planning and Zoning Commission for the purpose of receiving public comments concerning the following: A) Amend Zoning Ordinance No. 690, amending the definition and criteria for a "Home Occupation" as provided in subparagraph 18 of Section 7 of Ordinance No. 690. If approved, the above mentioned amendment would allow for dog and cat grooming shops as a "Home Occupation" as outlined and specified in the amending ordinance. All interested parties are encouraged to attend. B-30 June 13, 1994

NOTICE TO BIDDERS The City of Canadian will be accepting bids for painting and repairs as necessary on the outside of the City Hall building. The building may be inspected at 6 Main Street in Canadian, and inquiries may be made Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Calls may be directed to City Manager, Dean Loper at 323-6473. B-26 June 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 1994

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AS of this day, June 10, 1994, I, W.D. Thomas, will no longer be responsible for any debts other than those incurred by me. Signed, W.D. Thomas.

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PAMPA Lodge 966, 420 W. Kingsmill, Business meeting 3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

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Vintage planes destroyed in fire at WWII hangar

CONROE, Texas (AP) — Authorities say a part of history was destroyed in a fire that raged through a World War II hangar at the Montgomery County Airport, destroying 19 small aircraft, including vintage warplanes.

The 20,000-square-foot tin hangar, built by the Navy around 1940, and its contents were a total loss in the blaze early Sunday, said airport manager John Mays.

"It has many years of neat history to it, and it's flat," Mays said.

Nineteen planes were in the hangar at the time, said Bob Covington, general manager for General Aviation Services, which leased the structure from the county and sub-leased space to aircraft owners.

Covington said the planes destroyed included a vintage Japanese World War II "Zero" owned by the Confederate Air Force. The hangar also held authentic biplanes and vintage American warplanes, he said.

Mays estimated that "about half a dozen" of the planes destroyed were of historical importance. The others were modern small planes.

Conroe fire department Capt. Robert Matheson said a night watchman at the county-run airport reported smoke coming from the hangar about 5 a.m. By the time firefighters arrived, about five minutes later, "we had heavy fire inside the hangar area," Matheson said.

Firefighters attempted to control the fire, but it spread too quickly, fed by up to 500 gallons of fuel in each plane's fuel tank.

"You could hear it going off when it got to each one," Mays said. "It'll break your heart."

About 75 firefighters from throughout the county put out the two-alarm fire between 6:30 a.m. and 7 a.m. There were no injuries, Matheson said.

Arson investigators were studying the charred remains, but Matheson said there was no clue as to how the blaze started.

TV's 'Dennis the Menace' dad dies

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) — Herbert Anderson, a versatile movie and stage actor who was best known as the owl father of television's *Dennis the Menace*, died Saturday. He was 77.

Anderson died in his sleep at his home in Palm Springs. He had suffered a stroke about two months ago, said family spokesman Mike Vest.

A native of Oakland, Anderson acted in a number of Broadway, television and movie roles but was best known as Henry Mitchell from the 1959-1963 CBS series.

"That's what people remember," Anderson said in a 1992 interview.

"A waitress once came up to me and said, 'I used to dream I'd have a father like you.'"

Anderson retired in 1982 following heart surgery and moved to Palm Springs in 1985.

His acting career began with Warner Bros. in 1939, and his big break came in 1941 with the musical comedy *Navy Blues*, starring Ann Sheridan and Martha Raye. A year later he played a college newspaper editor in *The Male Animal* with Olivia de Havilland and Henry Fonda.

Anderson also played Dr. Bird in the 1953 Broadway production of the *Caine Mutiny Court Martial*, which also starred Fonda.

Anderson said he and his TV wife, Gloria Henry, read *Dennis the Menace* scripts from a parent's perspective.

"Many times, Gloria or I would read what Dennis was supposed to do and we'd say, 'If my kid did that, I'd whack him,'" Anderson said. "And the writers would cut that part out. They listened to us."

Anderson is survived by his wife, Mary, a daughter, Babbie Anderson of Huntington Beach, Calif., son Nick Anderson of Frenchtown, Mont., four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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Followers mourn death of Lubavitcher Jews rabbi

By LARRY NEUMEISTER
Associated Press Writers

NEW YORK (AP) — It was a day that thousands of Menachem Schneerson's followers thought would never come. They fervently believed he was the Messiah and would live forever, someday creating a heaven on earth.

But Schneerson, the grand rabbi of the Lubavitcher Jews, died at age 92 on Sunday, three months after suffering his second massive stroke.

"Nobody can believe it," said Jack Lefkowitz. "We all prayed he would get better, but he's gone with no replacement."

The white-bearded, blue-eyed Schneerson never claimed to be divine, but his death stunned many in his worldwide flock of ultra-Orthodox Jews. He had no children and no designated successor.

"We're hoping that maybe it's not true, maybe some doctor's going to come along and say he's really alive," said Rabbi Shea Hecht.

The number of his followers has been estimated at anywhere from the tens of thousands to more than a million.

His death provoked near-hysteria in the tiny Israeli village where followers had built a brick-by-brick replica of his headquarters in the borough of Brooklyn. Outside the New York headquarters, more than 4,000 Lubavitchers initially danced, sang and feasted on fruit and beer, saying the Messiah was about to be revealed.

Later Sunday, thousands of followers, some shrieking hysterically, surged forward to touch the rabbi's simple pine coffin as it was brought out of Lubavitcher headquarters.

As far as the eye could see, there were bearded men dressed in the Hasidim's traditional black pants, coat and hat. Behind police barricades, women wept wildly. Men tore their shirts or jacket lapels, a sign of mourning.

Police struggled to control the tens of thousands who waited under spotlights early today at the cemetery where Schneerson was buried in a small granite mausoleum. Several police officers and mourners suffered minor injuries, and several Lubavitchers were arrested for disorderly conduct.

Schneerson was the first Lubavitcher rebbe to receive a secular education. Under his leadership the sect became the most outward-looking of the ultrareligious Hasidic groups, constructing giant Hanukkah menorahs in public places, proselytizing among less-pious Jews, televising Schneerson's speeches by satellite.

As a result, the Lubavitchers became the most influential Hasidic group, with more than 1,000 education and cultural centers around the globe.



Mourners carry the casket bearing the remains of Rabbi Menachem Schneerson in the Brooklyn borough of New York on Sunday. (AP photo)

Menachem Mendel Schneerson, a charismatic leader, trained as an engineer at the Sorbonne in Paris, spoke 10 languages fluently. Among his followers, he was regarded with awe and consulted on every question — whom to marry, what career to pursue, where to live.

When he wrote something, Lubavitchers studied it. When he spoke, often for six hours at a time, each word was transcribed and published.

Until a 1992 stroke that left him speechless and confined to a wheelchair, Schneerson sat for hours at a dais each Sunday, giving his blessing and a dollar bill to followers who lined up. Visitors ranged from the humblest pilgrims to Israeli officials to Bob Dylan.

The seventh in a line of "rebbe" dating to 18th century Russia, Schneerson was a great-grandson of the third Lubavitcher rebbe, and later married the daughter of the sixth rebbe. The sect's leading rabbis chose him as leader after the death of his father-in-law in 1950.

Schneerson gradually transformed the sect from an obscure, insular group into a media-savvy, worldwide movement.

Violence reached Schneerson twice in his later years. In August 1991, riots broke out in his Brooklyn neighborhood of Crown Heights after a driver in his motorcade lost control and killed a 7-year-old black boy. A rabbinical student was fatally stabbed in the violence that followed the boy's death.

And on March 1, a vanload of Lubavitcher students returning to Brooklyn after visiting Schneerson in the hospital was shot at. One student was killed. A Lebanese national was charged.

Mayors to question Clinton on concern for urban areas

By SONYA ROSS
Associated Press Writer

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — Mayors of the nation's largest cities, who already have told President Clinton what they dislike about his welfare reform plan, are anxious to question the president on his overall commitment to urban areas.

The concern is that many of Clinton's domestic proposals, such as plans to create jobs or to add extra police officers to fight crime, have the potential to stick cities with a bill they can't afford.

"If we take money from one badly needed program and shift the priorities to another, the local level has to pay the funds either way," said San Francisco Mayor Frank Jordan. "I want to see the federal government look at what kind of work programs they are going to provide. Are they programs that are viable for the future?"

Clinton was to address the mayors via satellite today, during the business session of the U.S. Conference of Mayors' annual meeting. On the agenda is a vote on a resolution that outlined the mayors' "areas of concern" in Clinton's \$9.3 billion welfare reform plan.

The mayors objected to cuts in entitlement programs and the treatment of community service jobs that could put welfare recipients to work, although they support Clinton's overall plan.

Housing Secretary Henry Cisneros said Sunday that mayors need not worry about having to shoulder the cost of federal domestic programs such as welfare reform. He pointed out a variety of Clinton efforts on behalf of cities, such as enterprise zones, increased spending for homeless programs and greater allocations for community development grants.

"We know America's cities must succeed. We are working hard to eke out additional resources so you can do your jobs," he said. "Americans are desperate for results. They don't want to hear how short our resources are."

Cisneros announced a new program, Safe Neighborhood Action Plan, that would attack violent crime in federally assisted housing complexes much like another program, Operation Safe Home, does in public housing.

"Many times, the crime conditions in this form of assisted housing are worse than they are in public housing," Cisneros said. "We're putting this together because the cities asked for it."

The program will operate in 12 cities: Atlanta; Baltimore; Boston; Columbus, Ohio; Denver; Detroit; Houston; Los Angeles; Newark, N.J.; New Orleans; Philadelphia and Washington. Cisneros did not provide specifics on the plan or say how much it might cost.

Earlier Sunday, Health and Human Services Secretary Donna Shalala told about 200 mayors that she anticipates great input from local officials as the welfare reform plan moves through Congress. The administration plans to unveil the details Tuesday.

"We want mayors to play a major role," Shalala said. "We are particularly mindful of the perspective you offer as representatives of many of this nation's low-income people."

The mayors particularly oppose two key aspects of Clinton's plan: a cap on family size and a two-year lifetime limit on Aid to Families with Dependent Children.

Shalala said the administration is willing to work with mayors on job programs, but is firm on the family caps and benefit cut-offs.

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