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## Good Evening!

### AREA

**HOOVER** — The Texas Department of Transportation announced today that FM 2391 at Hoover will be closed all day Monday as work crews replace railroad tracks in the area.

### NATIONAL

**TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (AP)** — Limited casino gambling would be allowed in Florida under a proposed constitutional amendment approved today for the November ballot by the state Supreme Court.

Backers had collected about 430,000 signatures to get the proposed amendment on the ballot. The high court reviewed the amendment for scope and clarity.

A total of 47 casinos could be opened. Existing horse tracks, dog tracks and jai-alai frontons would be able to open casinos. In addition, seven counties would be allowed one casino each. Broward County would be allowed two, and Dade County would be allowed three, including two in Miami Beach.

Also, five riverboat casinos also would be allowed in counties without a standing casino.

"I'm not surprised; I'm disappointed," said Stephen MacNamara, an attorney casino opponents. Florida voters rejected casino gambling in 1978 and 1986.

**NEW YORK (AP)** — The crash of a USAir jet near Pittsburgh, killing all aboard, was the airline's fifth fatal accident in as many years.

Dave Shipley, a USAir spokesman, called Thursday's crash an isolated incident and said the crashes had no common thread.

It wasn't immediately known what caused the plane to go down as it approached Pittsburgh International Airport. The Boeing 737-300 was heading from Chicago's O'Hare Airport to Pittsburgh and was to continue to West Palm Beach, Fla.

The plane was delivered to USAir in October 1987, said Jerry Johnson, a spokesman for Boeing Commercial Airplane Group in Renton, Wash.

USAir, based in Arlington, Va., has lost money every year since 1989. It lost \$393 million in 1993 and \$182.8 million for the first half of 1994.

USAir's stock was down 50 cents per share at \$6.12 1/2 in early trading today.

Bookings typically drop for about a week after a crash, analysts say, and travelers tend to be more forgiving of crashes tied to weather or other acts of God.

### STATE

**SAN ANGELO (AP)** — Actress Whoopie Goldberg says people misunderstood the intent of a dramatic reading she wrote about a teenager's home abortion.

In a letter the *San Angelo Standard-Times* printed Thursday, Goldberg defended "The Surfer Chick" as a plea for communication to help prevent teen pregnancies.

"The point of the story," she wrote, "was to remind people that if you don't have dialogue going and don't counsel your children and if you take away safe, clean abortions, they may find themselves — as millions of women did — back in the bathroom and back on the butcher's table."

Parents were offended when Sonora High School students came home Aug. 10 talking about the tale of a 16-year-old girl who uses a coat hanger during an abortion on herself. Goldberg's piece was performed for students as part of freshman orientation.

"I still don't agree with how the issue was presented, and if the school is going to tackle the issue, it should be done professionally," said parent Ramiro Perez.

**NDALLAS (AP)** — A Dallas minister has been elected president of the nation's four million Missionary Baptists.

The National Missionary Baptist Convention of America elected the Rev. S.M. Wright of Dallas to serve a four-year term as head of its board.

The selection came during the annual meeting of the predominantly black denomination Thursday.

Wright, longtime pastor of Peoples Missionary Baptist Church, had been vice president of the convention board last year.

He said the convention will focus on "teenage pregnancy, crime — all the problems we're having in our state and our communities."

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# Plane crash kills 132 near Pittsburgh

By MICHAEL HADDIGAN  
Associated Press Writer

ALTIQUIPPA, Pa. (AP) — The jetliner banked to the right, rolled a few times and nose-dived into a ravine. There was a muffled boom, then the evening sky turned bright with flames as a black cloud of smoke mushroomed into the air.

"It was just coming straight down," said one person who saw the USAir jetliner crash Thursday evening.

All 132 people aboard died when the Boeing 737-300 dropped from the sky on a clear, windless evening as it approached Pittsburgh International Airport, the deadliest crash in the United States since 1987 and USAir's fifth fatal crash in as many years.

Witnesses described a gruesome scene of body parts, pieces of plane and baggage strewn everywhere in a clearing on the heavily wooded ravine.

"All we saw was body parts hanging from the trees," said Denise Godich, a nurse who was one of the first at the scene. "There were people everywhere. You could just see parts of them."

A pilot, nurse and paramedic flown in by a medical helicopter walked through the site moments after the

7:19 p.m. crash.

"It was total devastation," said Jim Bothwell, director of operations for the STAT MedEvac helicopter service. "The airplane was in a million pieces and the people inside were in pieces."

USAir Flight 427 originated in Chicago and was to stop in Pittsburgh before continuing to West Palm Beach, Fla.

Jason Moka, a 10-year-old who was playing soccer a half-mile from where the plane went down, said its engines seemed to sputter before the crash.

The crew radioed the airport tower when the plane was about six miles away and "there was no indication at that time of any difficulty," USAir said in a statement this morning.

Among the victims was 43-year-old Alan Sefcik of North Franklin Township southwest of Pittsburgh, who was returning from a business trip to Chicago, said his wife, Jane. He was a business manager of a paint company.

"I've only had my dad for seven years. I wish he could have been here longer," 7-year-old Tom Sefcik said this morning when told of his father's death, Mrs. Sefcik recounted by telephone. The couple, married 21 years, also had two teenage sons.

With body parts strewn over a wide area, some victims may never be identified, said Beaver County Coroner Wayne Tatalovich.

Firefighters fought their way to the scene through trees and down treacherous terrain Thursday night, but there was no road to transport heavy vehicles. The search was called off about two hours after the crash.

Crews began cutting a road into the rocky, wooded site at daybreak, and as of midmorning a team was waiting for clearance from investigators to begin the search for remains. Refrigerated trucks waited to bring bodies to a temporary morgue at Pittsburgh Airport.

A heavy downpour this morning was expected to make removing the remains even more difficult.

The plane's tailpiece seems to be the only part intact, said Jim Eichenlaub, Hopewell Township emergency services director.

Investigators hoped to gain some clues from the plane's black box, which records flight data. An emergency worker said the box was recovered.

The plane was powered by engines made by CFM International, a joint venture of General Electric Co. and French

manufacturer Snecma. The company sent an investigator to the scene.

The plane was manufactured in 1987 and had logged 23,846 flight hours and 14,489 takeoffs and landings.

The plane underwent a routine maintenance check, performed every 35 hours, on Wednesday in Hartford, Conn. No problems were found, USAir spokeswoman Susan Young said. The last heavy maintenance check, done every 11,000 hours, was completed Feb. 3, 1993.

Witnesses said the plane rolled over once or twice and headed nose down into the ravine.

"I looked up and there it was," said Tom Michel, who was at a gas station near the crash site. "It was just coming straight down. I was screaming for every body to run. It looked like it was under full power and he just went straight in."

Linda Dickhart, a nearby resident, said the heat and smoke were "so intense you couldn't see anything."

"I thought it was coming in my room," Dickhart said. "Oh my God, I thought it was coming through my roof."

At Pittsburgh International Airport, people who had been waiting to meet passengers from the flight were taken into a private area to meet with counselors.

## School board OKs lower tax rate for 1994-95 budget

By RANDAL K. MCGAVOCK  
Staff Writer

Pampa Independent School District's Board of Education approved a new, lower tax rate for the 1994-1995 budget in their meeting Thursday night.

The new tax rate is set at \$1.43 per \$100 of valuation of taxable property and is a decrease from last year's rate of \$1.45 per \$100.

"I really appreciate the work they've done and I think the entire community owes them a debt of gratitude," said school board member John Curry about the school district's administration which drew up the zero-growth budget.

Dr. Dawson Orr, PISD superintendent, credited his staff as well as school administrators and teachers within the district with helping to achieve their budget goal.

To establish the tax rate, enrollment within the district was surveyed to determine any changes in the number of students attending school in Pampa.

Specifically, statistics from the third Friday of this school year were used to determine the district's enrollment. Based on that enrollment, there should be an average of 3,965 students enrolled in Pampa schools during the year.

Average daily attendance is a key factor when establishing funding from the state, Orr said at the meeting.

In other business, the school board also approved a policy update from the Texas Association of School Boards. The policies specifically deal with the sexual abuse and harassment of students, drug and alcohol testing of bus drivers and the expulsion of students for possession of firearms.

During the superintendent's report section of the meeting, Orr said he will update the board members on the proposed Multi-Purpose Activity Center at the October school board meeting and propose that non-tax funds from the school district be donated to the project.

In addition, Debbie Middleton, PISD food service director, updated the board on computer items she is asking the district to purchase and install in the school cafeterias.

Although the upgrade would take approximately two years, Middleton said she expects a more efficient food management system.

The school board was also given a list of proposed overnight and extra-curricular trips scheduled to be taken by students this school year.

School board member James Frugé expressed concerns about the cost of some of the trips. He said that since each student pays their own way, some might not be able to go if a trip is too far away and costs too much.

Orr said the matter will be looked into and discussed at the October meeting of the board.

Following the meeting, members of the school board attended a laser light show at the M.K. Brown Memorial Auditorium and Civic Center.



Police officers discuss injuries of fellow officer Trevor McGill, who suffered a fractured leg breaking up a fight on South Faulkner. From left, Beverly Chase, Cpl. Donny Brown, Col. John Ellen and Lt. Tommy Pickering arrived shortly after McGill's call for help. (Pampa News photos by Cheryl Berzanskis)

## Pampa police officer injured while trying to break up brawl

By CHERYL BERZANSKIS  
News Editor

A Pampa Police Department officer called to break up a domestic fight in southwest Pampa Thursday evening sustained a broken leg when the brawling parties reportedly fell on top of him.

Officer Trevor McGill, 25, was sent to 941 S. Faulkner at 7:45 p.m. on the report of a fight between Richard Lee Dismuke, 46, 1021 S. Dwight, and Vernon Woodward, 33, of the Faulkner Street address. Police officials say they are stepfather and stepson.

As McGill attempted to break up the driveway scuffle, the trio apparently fell with the officer on bottom breaking his leg, said Col. John Ellen.

McGill suffers five breaks in his left leg, Ellen said. The officer was transported to Coronado Hospital, where he was treated and released. He is expected to be on light duty for about six weeks.

Woodward and Dismuke were arrested Thursday on assault charges unrelated to McGill's injury.

Woodward was released and Dismuke was in the process of being released at press time today, police officials said.



Officials of Pampa Police Department and Gray County Sheriff's Office assist emergency workers loading Trevor McGill for transport to Coronado Hospital.

## Parolees accused in police shooting were free on holiday pass

HOUSTON (AP) — Two parolees were out of a halfway house and on a holiday pass when they allegedly wounded an off-duty Houston police officer as they tried to steal his car last weekend, according to a published report.

Derrick D. West, 20, and Kevin O. Hines, 23, were arrested for shooting Roderick Segura, 23, who remains in critical condition with gunshot wounds to his chest, abdomen and thigh.

Segura was talking with friends outside a barbecue stand when two men pulled a gun and ordered him to surrender his car. He was able to get to a gun in his

car and return the suspects' fire before he collapsed.

West and Hines were arrested early Tuesday at a school when they set off alarms there. Both were in court Thursday to face charges of aggravated robbery. West also is charged with attempted capital murder. Both

were held without bond.

The *Houston Chronicle*, citing unidentified sources, said the two were selected to participate in a one-year program that includes nine months of treatment aimed at addressing the problems underlying their offenses. After successful completion of the nine

months, they go to halfway houses to complete the final three months of treatment.

The newspaper said the two were released in June to a Houston halfway house. They had two weeks of treatment left when they received a pass to leave for the Labor Day holiday.

# Daily Record

## Services tomorrow

**BEGHTEL**, Annie Lois — 10 a.m., First Baptist Church, Canyon.  
**CASWELL**, Kay — 10 a.m., Church of Christ, Wheeler.  
**HEPLER**, Betty Murphey — 10 a.m., Carmichael-Whately Colonial Chapel.  
**ROBERTSON**, Mamie — 2 p.m., First United Methodist Church, Memphis.

## Obituaries

**ANNIE LOIS BEGHEL**  
 CANYON — Annie Lois Beghel, 63, died Wednesday, Sept. 7, 1994. Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church with Dr. Charles Price officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery at Amarillo by Brooks Funeral Directors.  
 Mrs. Beghel was born and reared in Canadian. She graduated from Canadian High School. She married Arden D. Beghel in 1953 at Clovis, N.M.; he died in April. She moved from Canadian to Amarillo in 1955, and then to Canyon in 1956. She was a member of the First Baptist Church.  
 Survivors include two sons, Allen Beghel of Bedford and Roy Joe Beghel of Amarillo; a daughter, Lou Ann Angel of Amarillo, two brothers, Lawrence Cook and Dale Cook, both of Amarillo; a sister, Patsy Wilson of Canadian; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.  
 The family requests memorials be to the American Heart Association or the American Epileptic Foundation.

**KAY CASWELL**  
 MOBETTIE — Kay Caswell, 50, died Thursday, Sept. 8, 1994 in Amarillo. Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in the Wheeler Church of Christ with the Rev. Gene Allen, former pastor of the Briarwood Full Gospel Church in Pampa; the Rev. Lynn Hancock, pastor of the Briarwood Full Gospel Church, and Bill Morrison, minister of the Wheeler Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery by Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.  
 Mrs. Caswell was born Jan. 3, 1944 in Wheeler. She graduated from Putnam City Central High School at Putnam, Okla., and earned her registered nursing degree from Cameron College in Lawton, Okla. She had lived in Pampa from 1980 to 1985, when she moved to Mobettie. She married Bill Caswell on Nov. 30, 1985 at Mobettie.  
 Mrs. Caswell worked as a registered nurse at hospitals in Hobart, Okla., Shamrock and Pampa and also worked as a home health nurse in Pampa. She was baptized at the Putnam City Church of Christ and was a member of the Mobettie Church of Christ.  
 She was preceded in death by her father, O. Alton Nations; her stepfather, Roy Tower; and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Nations and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hyatt.  
 Survivors include her husband, Bill, of Mobettie; two daughters, Stacey Cheatham of Edmond, Okla., and Amy Rhoades of Lubbock; a son, Ross Kelso of Mobettie; her mother, Wanda Nations Tower of Oklahoma City; two stepdaughters, Kelley Lovelace of Garland and Whitney Morton of Pampa; two sisters, Jo Garnard and Lynn Harp, both of Norman, Okla.; two stepsons, Debbie Strahn of Indianapolis, Ind., and Jo Ann Light of Bethany, Okla.; five grandchildren; and a nephew, Greg Wright of Burlington.

The family requests memorials be to the Benevolent Fund at Briarwood Full Gospel Church, P.O. Box 1880, Pampa, Texas 79066.  
**MAMIE ROBERTSON**  
 LAKEVIEW — Mamie Robertson, 81, died Thursday, Sept. 8, 1994. Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Keith Wiseman, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Union Hill Cemetery by Cox Funeral Home of Memphis.  
 Mrs. Robertson was born in Marion County, Ala., and moved to Hall County in 1925. She married Charlie Robertson in 1933 at Lakeview and they lived and farmed there for many years. Mrs. Robertson moved to Memphis in 1990. She was secretary and treasurer of the Union Hill Cemetery Association and a member of the First United Methodist Church.  
 She was preceded in death by her husband, Charlie Robertson, in 1969 and a son, Jerry Byron Robertson, in 1966.  
 Survivors include a daughter, Frankie Lee Robertson of Amarillo; a son, Charles Gaylon Robertson of Memphis; two sisters, Betty Jean Dunn of Amarillo and Dorothy Mae Alexander of Abilene; three brothers, Lester Cochran of Pampa, John Cochran of Arlington and Junior Cochran of Lubbock; four stepdaughters, Norene Meyer and Bonnie Jean Fager, both of Boulder City, Nev., Dorris Harrington of Orange, Calif., and Billie Clyde Foote of Plainview; 10 grandchildren; 10 step-grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.  
 The family requests memorials be to the Union Hill Cemetery Association.

**Services tomorrow**

## Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa			
Wheat	3.45		
Milo	3.81		
Corn	4.22		
The following show the prices for which these securities could have traded at the time of compilation			
Serico	4.38	NC	
Occidental	24.58	dn 1/8	
The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation			
Magellan	68.27		
Puritan	15.60		
The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa			
Ameco	590 3/8	up 3/8	
Arco	106 3/4	dn 1	
Cabot	28 1/4	NC	
Cabot O&G	20 1/8	dn 1/2	
Chevron	43 1/4	dn 1/4	
Coca-Cola	45 3/4	dn 1/8	
Diamond Sham	26 7/8	up 1/4	
Enron	30 5/8	dn 3/8	
Halliburton	30 3/4	dn 1/4	
HealthTrust Inc.	29 5/8	up 5/8	
Ingersoll Rand	36 1/2	dn 1/4	
KNE	26	NC	
Kerr McGee	49 1/4	dn 1/4	
Limited	21	dn 1/4	
Mappco	58	up 1/4	
Maxam	4 3/4	dn 1/8	
McDonald's	27 3/8	dn 1/8	
Mobil	81 5/8	dn 1/4	
New Atmos	16 1/2	NC	
Parker & Parsley	26 3/4	dn 1/4	
Penney's	53 1/4	dn 3/4	
Phillips	34 3/4	dn 1/8	
SLB	57	dn 1/4	
SPS	26 1/4	dn 1/4	
Tenneco	47 3/8	dn 3/8	
Texasco	62 3/8	dn 1/4	
Walt-Mart	24 7/8	dn 1/4	
New York Gold	390.90		
Silver	5.50		
West Texas Crude	17.67		

## Accidents

Pampa Police Department reported the following accident in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

**THURSDAY, Sept. 8**  
 Unknown time and date — A legally parked 1990 Star Craft trailer owned by Troy Lee Murray was struck by an unknown vehicle in the 100 block of West Pennsylvania.

## Police report

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents and arrests in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

**THURSDAY, Sept. 8**  
 Rebecca Sue Hilton of Pizza Hut Delivery, 1500 N. Banks, reported theft.  
 Thomas Randall Townsend, 641 N. Wells, reported information.  
 Stacey Marie Johnson, 1908 N. Faulkner, reported burglary of a motor vehicle at 1233 N. Hobart.  
 Lt. Tom Pickering reported Officer Trevor McGill injured at 941 S. Faulkner.  
 Billy Ray Brown, 840 Beryl, reported burglary of a habitation.  
 Simple assault-domestic violence was reported in the 900 block of South Faulkner.  
 Terry Ross Hembree, 812 E. Kingsmill, reported criminal trespass.  
 Patricia Ann Pickens, 716 E. Browning, reported assault by threat in the 1100 block of Varnon Drive.  
 Apolona Puentes, 541 S. Barnes, reported theft at 1234 S. Nelson.  
 Troy Lee Murray, 1132 Charles, reported hit and run in the 100 block of West Pennsylvania.  
 Russell Allen Owen, 804 N. Christy, reported theft.  
 Kari Leigh Phillips, 2632 Evergreen, reported information at 2245 N. Hobart.  
 A juvenile reported burglary of a motor vehicle in the 1400 block of Duncan.

**Arrests**  
**THURSDAY, Sept. 8**  
 Michael Cox, 30, 1024 Neel Rd., was arrested in the 800 block of South Hobart on two warrants.  
 Vernon Woodward, 33, 941 S. Faulkner, was arrested on a charge of assault.  
 Richard Drismuke, 46, 1021 S. Dwight, was arrested at 941 S. Faulkner on a charge of assault.

## Ambulance

American Medical Transport reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.  
**THURSDAY, Sept. 8**  
 8:09 a.m. — A mobile ICU unit responded to Coronado Hospital to transport a patient to John Seley Hospital in Galveston.  
 10:15 a.m. — A mobile ICU unit responded to Coronado Hospital to return a patient to a local nursing home.  
 1:21 p.m. — A mobile ICU unit responded to Coronado Hospital to return a patient to a local nursing home.  
 2:04 p.m. — A mobile ICU unit responded to a local nursing home on a medical assistance call. One patient was transported to Coronado Hospital.  
 5:14 p.m. — A mobile ICU unit responded to Coronado Hospital to return a patient to a local nursing home.  
 7:48 p.m. — A mobile ICU unit responded to a local residence on an assault. One patient was transported to Coronado Hospital.

## Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.  
**THURSDAY, Sept. 8**  
 8:09 a.m. — Four units and eight firefighters responded to a structure fire in the 400 block of the Cole Edition. Moderate damage was done to the home, according to a representative of the fire department.  
 10:33 p.m. — Two units and three firefighters responded to a grass fire three miles west of Pampa on Texas 152.

## Hospital

<b>CORONADO HOSPITAL</b>		<b>Dismissals Pampa</b>	
<b>Admissions</b>			Ruby Callis (to extended care)
Hiley Armstead		<b>Fritch</b>	
Ruby Callis (extended care)		Chester Venable	
		<b>Miami</b>	
Thomas Cox		Colby Sires	
Bertha Moore		<b>Skellytown</b>	
Dorothy Morris		Thelma Shaw	
Keri Munguia			
Angela Rivera		<b>SHAMROCK HOSPITAL</b>	
<b>Alanreed</b>		<b>Admissions</b>	
Anita Bruce		<b>Shamrock</b>	
<b>Births</b>			
To Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Munguia of Pampa, a girl.		Lucille Franks	
To Mr. and Mrs. Hector Rivera of Pampa, a boy.		<b>Dismissals</b>	
		No dismissals were reported.	

## Calendar of events

**PAMPA BRIDGE CLUB**  
 Pampa Bridge Club meets at 2 p.m. Sunday in Room 11 at Clarendon College. For a partner, contact Marie Jamieson at 669-2945.

**THEE PLACE**  
 Thee Place for Singles is open 7-10:30 p.m. Saturdays at 520 W. Kingsmill.

**SOUTHSIDE SENIOR CITIZENS MOBILE MEALS**  
 The mobile meals menu for Saturday is hot pockets, baked beans, stewed tomatoes, brown bread, fruit.

**PETROLEUM ENGINEERS WIVES SOCIETY.**  
 PEWS membership brunch will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 13, at the First Christian Church. A style show will be presented by Bobee J's Boutique. Interested women may call 669-9858 for information.

## Sheriff's Office

Gray County Sheriff's Office reported no incidents or arrests in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today. Two inmates are being housed for Hall County.

## 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

# Discovery poised for afternoon liftoff

By MARCIA DUNN  
 AP Aerospace Writer

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Discovery stood ready to blast off today on a mission to study the atmospheres of the Earth and sun and to test a jet pack in the first unethered spacewalk by astronauts in 10 years.

NASA finished fueling the shuttle late this morning. The forecast — 70 percent chance of good launch weather — was less favorable than Thursday's. Thunderstorm clouds were the main concern.

After analyzing last month's last-second engine shutdown on another shuttle and other mechanical problems over the past three weeks, NASA declared Discovery "100 percent go."

"If we get some (good) weather, we'll be out of here," promised shuttle director Brewster Shaw.

The six astronauts slept in, a rare luxury for shuttle crews on launch day. Shuttles usually lift off in the morning; Discovery's late afternoon

departure was dictated by one of its science experiments.

Many of Discovery's experiments have never flown before in orbit.

There's a \$25 million laser machine that will beam pulses down to Earth and measure the light that's bounced back from clouds, atmospheric particles and the surface itself. Scientists hope to learn more about the climate.

There's a \$14 million satellite with two telescopes to study the sun's corona, the outer part of the sun's atmosphere. These measurements will coincide with the solar probe Ulysses' pass over the sun's unexplored south pole.

There's a \$7 million jet pack to be tested by astronauts Mark Lee and Carl Meade near the end of the nine-day mission. They will fly without a lifeline.

The last time spacewalkers relinquished their safety tethers was in 1984 when they used an older, bulkier, costlier jet pack. The new unit is designed to be used as an emergency rescue device for future

space station crews.

And there's a \$3 million robot — the first U.S. robot to fly in space — that will try to load semiconductor crystals into furnaces: It will work while the crew sleeps; that's the only time the shuttle will be still enough for the delicate task.

"All in all, this flight takes 100 percent advantage of every on-orbit minute and all the capabilities of the space shuttle," mission commander Richard Richards said during training.

There's even popcorn aboard Discovery. Students at the Edith Bowen Elementary School at Utah State University in Logan will microwave the two bags of popcorn after the flight to see whether they taste different from the Earthbound variety.

This will be NASA's 64th shuttle mission and the fifth this year. An environmental research flight by Endeavour was supposed to hold that spot, but was bumped into early October because of that shuttle's Aug. 18 engine shutdown.

## Legislature to consider creating DNA fingerprint registry

AUSTIN (AP) — Creating a statewide registry of DNA fingerprints from convicted sex offenders would be an investment in the future of Texas law enforcement, proponents say.

State Rep. Brian McCall, R-Plano, proposed legislation on Thursday that would allow authorities to take blood samples from convicted sex offenders upon their release from prison.

The Department of Public Safety then would be authorized to process the blood samples and log them into a database.

Like regular fingerprinting, authorities use DNA technology to match the unique makeup of a person's blood against a sample collected at a crime scene.

McCall said the program would cost \$1.4 million to start and \$700,000 a year to maintain. McCall said the necessary funds could come from federal grants provided in the recent crime bill.

"The sexual aggressor ... does two things. It's predictable that he will commit his crime again and again, and he leaves behind evidence at the scene of the crime that can absolutely connect him to the crime," McCall said.

"Law enforcement all over the state has said give us the tools and we will finish the job."

Critics of DNA testing question whether a registry would be cost effective and whether it would infringe on a person's privacy. Since last year, data from DNA

registries in 12 states have led to the arrests of five people in murder and rape cases, according to John R. Brown, manager of the FBI's DNA Identification Index Program in Washington, D.C.

When asked if such results were cost-effective, Brown said, "I think you would need to talk to a victim of a sexual assault or the family of a victim who died as the result of a murder to determine that."

Patsy Day of Victims Outreach in Dallas, said, "This is a very early stage of this game and we have to look at this as an investment."

Dr. C. Thomas Caskey, a DNA expert at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, said the registries are a new technology that must be given time to work.

## Court report

**DISTRICT COURT**  
**Divorces**  
 Reynaldo Cardenas and Erma Cardenas  
 Christian Randolph Lockridge and Jamie Dee Lockridge  
**Civil**  
 Amwest Savings Association, S.S.B. vs. Daniel William Collins and wife, Regina Carol Collins, suit on note  
 Rudon Stephenson vs. Allsup's Convenience Store Inc. d/b/a Allsup's and Affiliated Foods, damages  
**Criminal**  
 An order was entered to dismiss a charge of possession of a controlled substance against Shannon Drell Harris because the evidence is insufficient.  
 An order was entered to dismiss a charge of driving while intoxicated-subsequent offense against Manuel Rodriguez Jr. because he was convicted in another case.  
**COUNTY COURT**  
**Marriage licenses issued**  
 Donald Lee Riddle and Marlene Thornton  
 Anthony Jay Mahorney and Cynthia Lynne Pollock  
 Steven Wayne Elliott and Angela Ann Poole

**Civil**  
 An order was entered to revoke the probation and order the arrest of Christopher Lance Mirabella because he is delinquent in court costs, fine and probation fees and failed to complete the treatment program at Allen Treatment Center due to being discharged for defiant behavior and excessive anger.  
 Staci Jo Hutton pleaded guilty to theft of property by check. She was assessed six months deferred adjudication probation, \$25 fine and \$215 restitution.  
 An order was entered dismissing Jerry Don Rex from misdemeanor probation.  
 Amy Candace Wardlow pleaded no contest to theft of property by check. She was assessed 12 months deferred adjudication probation, \$150 fine and \$698.94 restitution.  
 Cynthia Rose Stubbs pleaded guilty to theft of property by check. She was assessed \$50 fine, six months deferred adjudication probation, \$277.77 restitution and fees.  
 Ronald Eugene Unruh pleaded no contest to driving while intoxicated. He was assessed \$300 fine, two years probation and \$210 court costs.

# City briefs

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**LOCAL FORECAST**  
 Tonight, fair with a low in the upper 50s and south winds from 5 to 15 mph. Saturday, mostly sunny with a high near 80 and south to southwest winds from 10 to 20 mph. Thursday's high was 80; this morning's low was 58.

**REGIONAL FORECAST**  
 West Texas — Panhandle: Tonight, clear. Lows, upper 50s to low 60s. Saturday, sunny. Highs near 90. Saturday night, fair. Lows in low 60s. South Plains: Tonight, clear. Lows around 60. Saturday, sunny. Highs around 90. Saturday night, fair. Lows in low to mid 60s.

North Texas — Friday night, partly cloudy with a slight chance of thunderstorms early. Lows around 70. Saturday and Saturday night, partly cloudy with a slight chance of thunderstorms central and east.

Highs 85 to 90. Lows near 70.

South Texas — Tonight, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms becoming less numerous. Lows near 70. Saturday, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms, more numerous south central. Highs near 90. Saturday night, partly cloudy. Lows near 70. Coastal Bend: Tonight, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the 70s. Saturday, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Highs near 90 inland to 80s coast. Saturday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the 70s. Lower Rio Grande Valley and Plains: Tonight, mostly cloudy with isolated showers or thunderstorms. Lows in the 70s. Saturday, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Highs from 90s inland to 80s coast. Saturday night, partly cloudy with widely scattered

showers or thunderstorms. Lows in the 70s.

**BORDER STATES**  
 New Mexico — Tonight, skies fair to partly cloudy. Isolated to widely scattered evening thunderstorms, most of them east and south. Lows in upper 30s to low 50s mountains, 50s to mid 60s elsewhere. Saturday and Saturday night, fair skies Saturday followed by increasing clouds Saturday night northwest. Partly cloudy with widely scattered afternoon and early nighttime thunderstorms east and south. Highs upper 60s to mid 80s mountains, 80s to mid 90s lower elevations. Lows in upper 30s to low 50s mountains, 50s to mid 60s elsewhere.  
 Oklahoma — Tonight, clear to partly cloudy with lows from 59 to 65. Saturday, mostly sunny. Highs from mid 80s to near 90. Saturday night, mostly clear. Lows in low and mid 60s.

**Yardwork**



Justin Lake, 3, help hid dad, Jimmy Lake, cut the family lawn Thursday afternoon. (Staff photo by Darlene Holmes)

**Kmart begins restructuring**

By JENNIFER LOVEN  
Associated Press Writer

DETROIT (AP) — The troubled Kmart Corp. is closing 110 stores in 31 states and eliminating 6,000 jobs as part of a restructuring plan to counter intense competition.

Investors pushed Kmart stock higher, welcoming Thursday's move to close stores that aren't making enough money so the company can concentrate on expanding in more promising areas.

It's a steep retrenchment for Kmart, whose blue-light specials dominated suburban mini malls, but have been eclipsed by Wal-Mart's aggressive moves into rural areas.

"Much remains to be done. But we are making considerable progress with initiatives to strengthen the core Kmart discount business and enhance the profitability of Kmart Corporation," Kmart chairman Joseph E. Antonini said.

Also Thursday, Kmart replaced the head of its expanding Super Kmart division with grocery executive Ronald J. Floto.

Super Kmart Centers put traditional Kmart offerings and a supermarket under one roof. There are 44 existing Super Kmarts and plans to open another 26 by year's end.

"It's a tough decision for the company to make," said Walter Loeb, a retail analyst and consultant in New

York. "Will they catch up to Wal-Mart? I don't think so. Will they be a discount store in their own right? I think they can."

Kmart's stock finished 50 cents per share higher on the New York Stock Exchange Thursday at \$18.

The job cuts also include 10 percent of the company's managers. Those cuts—a total of 2,300 jobs—will be made over two years, including 650 store managers who will lose their jobs immediately as a result of the store closings. Kmart employs about 260,000 people worldwide.

"It's a very emotional time for us," said Jim Phillips, manager at the Kmart in Norfolk, Neb., one of four to close in the state. "You can just imagine the reaction. It just came out of the blue."

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The City of Pampa will hold a Public Hearing at 6:00 p.m. on September 13, 1994 at the City Commission Chamber at City Hall, 200 W. Foster/200 W. Kingsmill in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Commerce for Approval of funding through the Texas Capital Fund, a part of the Texas Community Development Program (TCDP). Topics to be discussed will include the Development of Housing and Community Development needs, the amount of funding available, and all eligible activities under the TCDP. Citizens that desire to attend the meeting but who are unable to do so may submit their views and proposals to the City Manager, P.O. Box 2499, Pampa Texas 79066-2499. City Hall is wheelchair accessible on the west side (N. Frost). Deaf persons must request an interpreter 48 hours in advance of the meeting. Call 669-5888 or 669-5710 TDD for assistance. Persons requiring other assistance should contact Bill Hildebrandt at City Hall, at 669-5700, Ext. 230.

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**MTV hands out awards amid antics**

NEW YORK (AP) — It started with Michael and Lisa Marie, and finished with Dave and Madonna.

In between, there was something for everyone at the MTV Video Music Awards: Murder suspect Snoop Doggy Dogg winning for best rap video, Roseanne dancing with two dozen transvestites, Madonna and Aerosmith's Steven Tyler swapping masturbation jokes.

Oh, and they handed out awards, too: R.E.M. won four for their dreamy black and white "Everybody Hurts" clip, while Aerosmith collected three for their "Cryin'" video — including best video of the year, best group video, and the viewer's choice award.

Between the strange and salacious goings-on, Kurt Cobain's former bandmates offered tributes Thursday night to the late leader of Nirvana.

"It would be silly to say it doesn't feel like something's missing," drummer Dave Grohl said after the band won its second award of the night. "I think about Kurt every day."

Bassist Krist Novoselic later introduced a video montage that paid tribute to Cobain, who committed suicide in April. Nirvana won for best alternative video and best art direc-

tion for its "Heart-Shaped Box" clip.

As usual, the 11th annual awards played second fiddle to the on-stage antics of the performers, presenters and winners.

The evening opened with the first live-on-the-television appearance of newlyweirds Michael Jackson and Lisa Marie Presley-Jackson, who exchanged a long kiss as the Radio City Music Hall audience cheered wildly.

"I'm very happy to be here. And just think, nobody thought this would last," said Jackson, who held his wife's hand during the brief appearance.

The night ended with Madonna escorted onstage by David Letterman. The singer's repeated use of an obscenity during a recent appearance on "Late Show" had left the talk show host nonplussed, but the pair appeared to have patched up their differences.

"I'll be in the car. Watch your language," Letterman cautioned before exiting stage right.

"Goodbye, Dave," Madonna said sweetly — a pleasant prelude to her crude exchange with Tyler.

Of course, that was in keeping

with the spirit of the evening. Host Roseanne and MTV personality Kennedy swapped insults over oral sex with Rush Limbaugh. Public Enemy's Chuck D described convicted rapist Mike Tyson as a political prisoner.

An acceptance speech by R.E.M.'s Michael Stipe was interrupted when a masked invader began ranting about Beastie Boys' director Spike Jones.

"Wow," said a genuinely surprised Stipe. "I have no idea. I think that was Cindy Lauper."

Oh, and there were more awards: Bruce Springsteen added an astronaut to his Oscar, winning for best video from a film for "Streets of Philadelphia." Tom Petty and the Heartbreakers won for best male video, and Petty received a Video Vanguard award for career achievement.

No-shows Counting Crows were the best new artist. Salt-N-Pepa, with En Vogue, won best R&B video and best dance video for "Whatta Man." Janet Jackson — who offered no insight on her brother's recent nuptials — won the best female video.

When they weren't handing out awards, there was an incredible array of live performances. The Rolling

Stones, after accepting a lifetime achievement award from Rolling Stone publisher Jann Wenner, played "Love Is Strong" and "Start Me Up."

"Without us, Jann, the magazine might have been called the Herman's Hermits Monthly," Jagger observed.

Springsteen, backed by former E Street drummer Max Weinberg, did his winning song. The Beastie Boys wailed "Sabotage." A bearded Petty strummed "Mary Jane's Last Dance." Snoop Doggy Dogg offered a production number on "Murder Was the Case."

Snoop enjoyed a better night than he did last year, when he was arrested on a murder charge hours after the show.

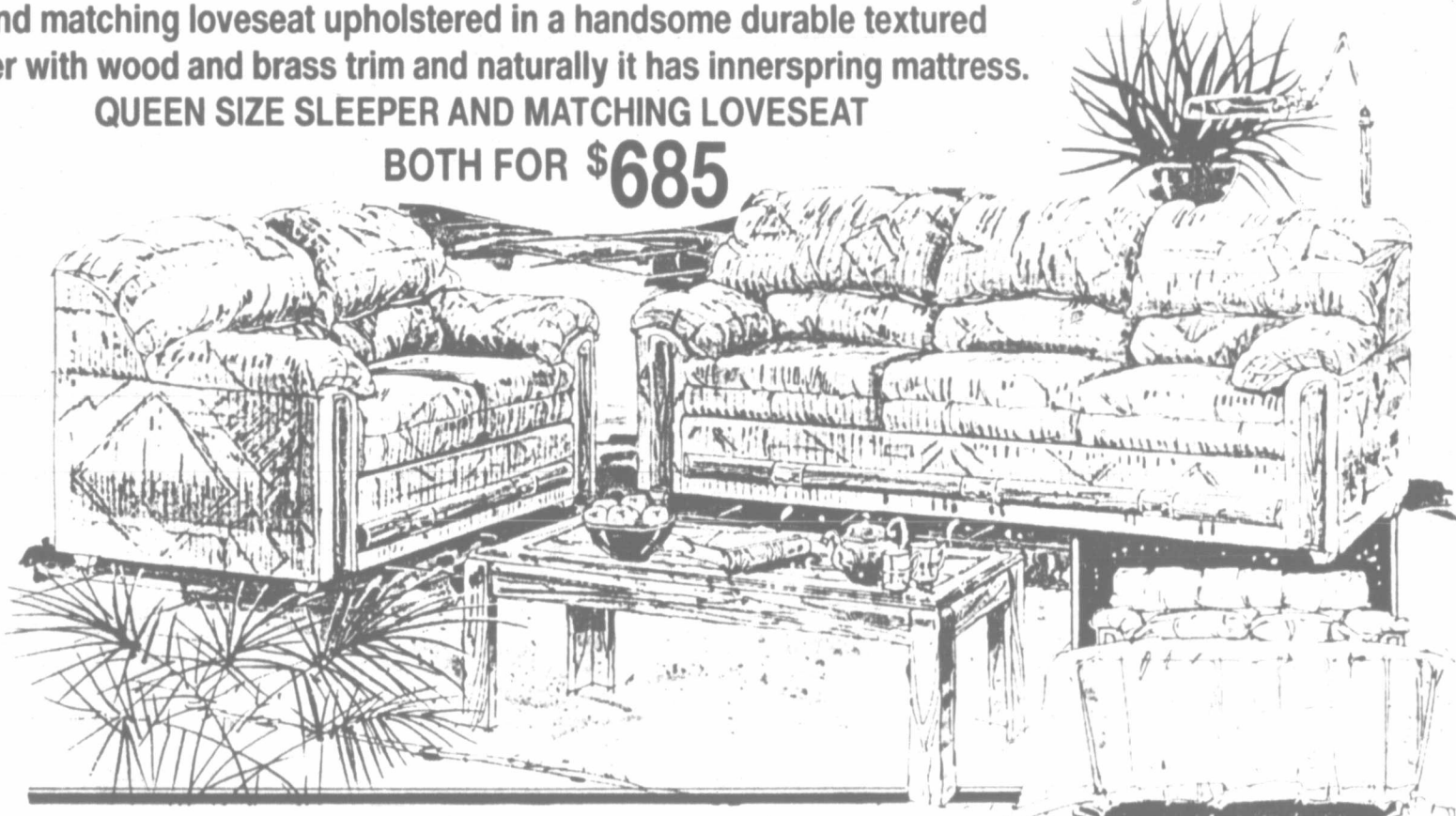
Not everyone went home a winner. One-hit wonder Beck, who was a triple nominee, appropriately won zippo for his song "Loser."

While Roseanne was rude and Madonna ruder, at least everyone kept their pants on. In years past, The Artist Formerly Known as Prince bared The Backside Formerly Known as Prince's during a 1991 performance and Howard Stern showed a considerably flabbier butt a year later.

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Louise Fletcher  
Publisher

Larry D. Hollis  
Managing Editor

## Texas Editorials

### Fort Worth Star-Telegram on seafood war:

Commerce Secretary Ron Brown recently gave a glowing report about how the North American Free Trade Agreement already is an economic boon for the United States, Canada and Mexico. OK, but what about the seafood war?

In late July, a Mexican navy vessel fired on, boarded and seized an American fishing boat. Three weeks later, Mexican navy personnel boarded the shrimp trawler Don Enrique two miles inside U.S. territorial waters. And in early August, two fishing boats out of New Bedford, Mass., were seized on the high seas — 10 miles outside the 200-mile limit of Canadian territorial waters — and their crews were arrested at gunpoint by Canadian authorities.

And this is the age of NAFTA?

At stake is hundreds of millions of dollars' worth of seafood, plus the principle of access to international waters. We need to get this settled. It wouldn't do for U.S. businesses to be trading with Canada and Mexico while U.S. scallopers and shrimpers are shooting it out with those same friendly neighbors.

### Beaumont Enterprise on Texas politics:

The political silly season is beginning to heat up. The Coordinated Campaign for Texas Democrats office, in its effort to help U.S. Senate candidate Richard Fisher, sent out a news release the other day chastising Fisher's opponent, Republican Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison, for hiding "behind her PR machine." The statement said Hutchison relies almost exclusively on campaign aides — specifically press secretary Dave Beckwith — to respond to Fisher's criticisms of her.

"If no one puts words in Hutchison's mouth," according to the statement, "why can't she speak for herself?" The news release makes a good point: Candidates should speak for themselves and not leave important pronouncements to their hired guns.

So, who authored the statements contained in the nine-paragraph news release? Joe Cutbirth, a spokesman for Richard Fisher.

### Austin American-Statesman on discrimination against gays:

Americans profess that anyone can get a job and that careers hinge on ambition, talent, education and hard work.

Those convictions have been abetted in the last three decades by statutes prohibiting employers from hiring or firing based on race, religion or gender. While people might assume that anti-discrimination laws also apply to sexual orientation, that is not the case in Texas, most other states or nationally.

Among the legislation that will be considered when Congress returns from its Labor Day recess is the Employment Non-Discrimination Act. The bill, which protects homosexuals from job discrimination, should be passed.

It corrects possible injustices in the marketplace; yet it creates no special rights or quota systems. ...

### The Houston Post on congressional redistricting:

The three federal judges who ruled last month that three Texas congressional districts were unconstitutional are correct to let the districts remain as they are until after the November elections. In addition, the judges ruled the boundaries will be redrawn — as they should be — by the Texas Legislature at the beginning of its session in 1995.

Any other decisions by the judges would have been courting disaster. ...

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## Berry's World



# NAACP needs new management

If the NAACP were a company, it would be ripe for a takeover. It is \$3 million in the red. It is riddled with bad management. And it has failed to update its product line to fit the times.

Let's begin with the money. As a former dues-paying member of the NAACP, I wonder how the organization managed to pile up a \$3 million debt. Didn't it occur to NAACP officials when the debt got up to, say, \$1 million that maybe they ought to get around to some cost-cutting?

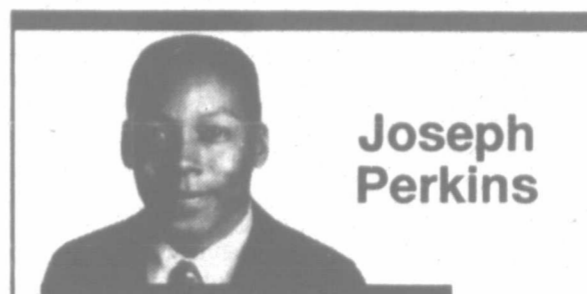
It should have been NAACP Executive Director Benjamin Chavis himself who began the belt-tightening. With the organization slouching toward bankruptcy, he hardly needed to be jetsetting around the world or limousining from one stop to another.

If these extravaganzas were not enough to make NAACP donors think twice about sending any more checks to the civil rights organization's Baltimore headquarters, there are recent reports that Chavis scandalously signed off on a six-figure legal settlement, unbeknownst to the NAACP's board of directors.

Now why would an organization that can't pay its bills agree to shell out \$332,000 to avoid a lawsuit? Because Chavis was accused of sexual harassment by a former NAACP staffer, who had worked for the organization only six weeks. Chavis gave her \$82,400 in hush money and promised to pay her another \$250,000 if he could not find her a government job paying at least \$80,000 a year.

But who was Chavis going to get to hire her? Mike Espy?

This secret payoff is enough of a reason for the NAACP's 650,000 members to question whether they made the right decision 16 months ago when they named Chavis executive director. But it is only the lat-



Joseph Perkins

est embarrassment in which Chavis has embroiled the once-venerated civil rights organization.

One of his first initiatives, it may be remembered, was to hold summits for black gang members. He thought that if he asked nicely, they would help end the cycle of violence in our communities. But the last time I checked, the cycle was still going strong. Instead of wasting time with gang bangers, Chavis could have made better use of his time by organizing assistance programs for black crime victims.

Chavis also did much to alienate the NAACP's longtime white and Jewish supporters by embracing Louis Farrakhan, whose Nation of Islam continues to espouse racial hatred and anti-Semitism.

The NAACP's executive director saw nothing wrong with inviting Farrakhan to take part in a black leadership conference, arguing that the black Muslim was only one of more than 100 black leaders who took part. But would Chavis and other black leaders feel sanguine if, say, David Duke were invited to participate in a major forum that would provide him the cloak of legitimacy, even if he were only one of more than 100 leaders invited? Of course not.

Because the NAACP is so caught up in its present

leadership crisis, it has yet to address its foremost problem: In the 1990's, it has become all but irrelevant to the lives of most black Americans.

This is quite a comedown from the NAACP's glory years. It was the NAACP, in 1954, that won the landmark Brown vs. Board of Education lawsuit, in which the Supreme Court struck down the legal principle of separate but equal. It was the NAACP that was at the forefront of the civil rights movement of the 1960's, which made possible the tremendous social, economic and political gains black Americans have enjoyed over the past three decades.

The NAACP today is not even a serious player in major public policy debates. If the regional Bell telephone companies, for instance, can influence the shape of the pending rewrite of federal telecommunications law, shouldn't the NAACP hold some sway over, perhaps, federal welfare reform?

With black Americans making up half the nation's murder victims year by year, shouldn't Chavis have been up on Capitol Hill testifying about the crime bill, agitating for greater police presence in the 'hood? With inner-city black communities overrun with drugs, shouldn't the NAACP be protesting that the Clinton administration has all but abandoned the war on drugs? There are so many issues on which black Americans could benefit from a strong advocacy organization. Unfortunately, with the NAACP preoccupied with deficits and sex scandals, it does not fit the bill.

The NAACP will continue to flounder until its directors, who finally had the courage to admit they made a mistake in hiring Chavis, put someone in charge who not only brings inspired leadership to the moribund organization, but also competent management.

## Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Friday, Sept. 9, the 252nd day of 1994. There are 113 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Sept. 9, 1776, the second Continental Congress made the term "United States" official, replacing "United Colonies."

On this date:

In 1830, Charles Durant flew a balloon from New York City across the Hudson River to Perth Amboy, N.J.

In 1850, California became the 31st state of the union.

In 1893, Frances Cleveland, wife of President Cleveland, gave birth to a daughter, Esther, in the White House; it was the first time a president's child was born in the executive mansion.

In 1919, most of Boston's 1,500-officer police force went on strike.

In 1926, the National Broadcasting Company was created by the Radio Corporation of America.



# Mop, broom and hoe still good

During my travels, when I address audiences of high school students, I am frequently asked variations of this question: "How come our generation is going to have to settle for less 'security'?"

Such cynicism results from a misreading of history.

History says the United States was "carved out of wilderness."

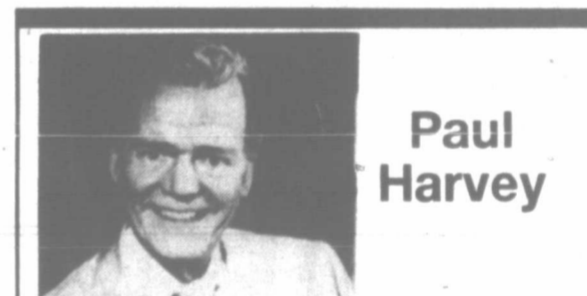
Our country was never "carved" out of wilderness. It was hacked and plowed and chopped and mopped and dug and sawed and hoed out of wilderness.

Earlier Americans expected nothing for nothing. But what they did, they did with faith and fortitude and determination to leave the woodpile a little higher than they found it.

And most did. Today's young, for three generations indoctrinated with the notion that "government" will take care of everybody, have lost that old fire in the belly that characterized their grandparents.

We do not expect the house to stay clean by itself; how come we expect the planet to stay tidy?

We recognize the necessity for unending dusting and periodic scrubbing and frequent repairing just to keep the homestead presentable. How can we imagine that all of the unkempt corners of the world can



Paul Harvey

be mopped up once and for all?

Any housewife knows that if you put aside the broom, the place is going to get dirty again. As any gardener knows, you put aside the hoe, and the weeds take over.

Yet impatient Americans are somehow inclined to expect prompt, total and final extermination or reformation of all the world's malcontents.

This is a disorderly planet, and it will continue to be.

Perhaps it would help our young people to feel less sorry for themselves if they could be made to understand that it was ever thus. We will not be able to put aside the mop, broom and the hoe. Not ever!

And thus compared, good housekeeping with our intra-nation crime and our international

challenges will perhaps make our tedious chores less exasperating.

Now, there is a point beyond which the most capable and healthy housewife is going to collapse from trying to do too much, from overexertion, from exhaustion.

And Uncle Sam does not have the energy or the resources to serve as custodian for the whole planet.

Every nation that has thus overextended itself — trying to put out all the fires and mop up all the mess — has, in the end, itself collapsed.

Therefore, if we can neither wet-nurse the whole world nor abandon all responsibility for it, we must learn to recognize our own limitations. These perhaps are subject to debate. This is not to say that we will not be able to do without mopping and sweeping and hoeing — not in this world.

Not if we truly deserve a better one.

So, young Americans, you get no apology.

You get for yourself a country that is still mostly free, a church door that is still open and unwatched an economy that is better than most.

And you get a new mop and a new broom and a new hoe and a new chance to preserve, protect and defend these things as we did.

I hope you can do better than we did.

But you could do worse!

# Off-year losses for the president's party

WASHINGTON — By the numbers, President Clinton's standing is slipping, judgments of Congress are worse and off-year election averages point to Democratic losses of about 19 House seats.

Republican gains could go higher, narrowing the Democratic margin to the point that conservative coalitions could control House decisions on some major issues.

It's happened before. But the flaw of averages is that they level the zigzag record of the past, and don't reflect current situations.

Setbacks in line with history would be more damaging to the Democrats than most prior off-year election swings in party strength.

The president's party has lost House seats in every midterm election for 60 years; the pattern has been broken only twice since the Civil War. In part, that is because they're on the defensive, a handicap in any campaign.

But big off-year losses usually offset party gains in the prior presidential election, reversing coattail victories on the winning ticket two years earlier.

And Clinton didn't have coattails. The Democrats lost 10 seats in the House and the Senate was a party standoff while he was winning the White House with 43 percent of the vote in 1992.

So there's no imbalance to be reversed this year. Indeed, Republican gains will cut into what has become the Democratic base in the House they have controlled for 40 years, averaging 261 of the 435 seats over that span. They hold 256 seats now, plus one independent who sides with them.

Major off-year losses by the president's party have followed landslide sweeps like Lyndon Johnson's in



Walter Mears  
AP Special Correspondent

1964 and Ronald Reagan's in 1980, or have stemmed from other factors. Watergate in 1974, for example.

Democrats gained 36 seats in 1964, lost 47 in 1966. Republicans picked up 33 when Reagan was elected, lost 26 in the next election. Democrats gained 43 seats in the Watergate elections of 1974.

The average House loss for the president's party in the off-year elections midway through his first term has been 19 seats. In the Senate, the average has come out even.

"Historically, every president who comes in loses seats in the first election," said Tony Coelho, the former congressman, now back from Wall Street as a senior adviser to the Democratic National Committee. "We'll end up losing about 18 to 22 in the House, and we'll lose about three in the Senate."

The Republican line is that they'll gain at least 25 seats, to their highest point since 1958. They'd have to sweep to 40 more seats to gain a majority, which is unlikely although not impossible — one party or the other has managed gains of that magnitude five times since World War II.

It would take a seven-seat gain for Republicans to reclaim the Senate, Republican for six of the eight Reagan years.

In any event, the gains that do seem to be within GOP reach would be a major obstacle for Clinton's already beleaguered congressional agenda, since rein-

forced Republicans allied with conservative Democrats could effectively control the outcome on issues like budgeting, health care, welfare reform.

It happened that way when Reagan was president and got major proposals through the Democratic House; there were 192 Republicans in the minority then.

And Congress itself has a worsening image problem. In an Associated Press poll, only 14 percent said they trust Congress to do right at least most of the time. While Congress has drawn adverse ratings for years, people have tended to spare their own representatives and blame it on the rest of them. The AP poll indicates that could be changing. Only 36 percent said they were inclined to vote for the re-election of their House member, 37 percent said someone else.

That's a problem for incumbents, and Democrats have more of them.

Clinton is committed to an intensive campaign effort in the two months before the elections. But what he can achieve, and where, isn't clear.

There was at least some skepticism in the camp of Rep. Tom Andrews, running an uphill Senate campaign, about Clinton's Labor Day appearance in Bath, Maine, with the Democratic ticket there. In Sunbelt and Western states, some Democrats are avoiding him, talking up their independence.

Presidents always can help a candidate raise campaign funds; attracting voters is another matter. And Clinton's ratings are down, job approval at 40 percent in a CNN-Time magazine survey, comparable to earlier surveys — and to the ratings of prior presidents who were just about to incur major off-year election losses.



**Dennis Morgan**  
Singer and actor  
Dennis Morgan  
dies at age 85

FRESNO, Calif. (AP) — Dennis Morgan, a ringing tenor and wavy-haired leading man of the 1940s who played opposite such stars as Bette Davis, Barbara Stanwyck and Ginger Rogers, has died at 85.

Morgan, whose movies included *Kitty Foyle*, *My Wild Irish Rose* and *God Is My Co-Pilot*, died Wednesday. He had been ill with heart problems for some time, said family friend Florence Hamer.

Born Stanley Morner, he starred in MGM's *The Great Ziegfeld* in 1936, singing "A Pretty Girl Is Like a Melody" before a huge, white, revolving staircase filled with beauties in lavish gowns.

His breakthrough role came in 1940, as a society snob in *Kitty Foyle*. Ginger Rogers won an Oscar for her role in the movie.

A robust, handsome 6-foot-2 with wavy brown hair, Morgan graduated to first-rate productions at Warner Bros, starring in *The Desert Song* and appearing with Bette Davis and Olivia de Havilland in *In This Our Life*, with Ida Lupino in *The Hard Way*, and with Ann Sheridan in *Shine on Harvest Moon*.

He played a Pacific War flier in *God Is My Co-Pilot* and romanced Barbara Stanwyck in *Christmas in Connecticut*. In *My Wild Irish Rose*, he starred as Irish tenor Chauncey Olcott.

In 1946 Morgan was teamed with Jack Carson as Warner's answer to Bob Hope and Bing Crosby. Morgan and Carson starred in *Two Guys from Milwaukee*, *Two Guys from Texas* and *It's a Great Feeling*, with Doris Day.

In later years he performed in summer theater in such musicals as *Show Boat*, made occasional appearances on television — including *The Love Boat* — and served as spokesman for the American Cancer Society. He became a rancher after his retirement as an actor in the late 1960s.

Morgan began his career as a radio announcer in Milwaukee and was later a sportscaster for the Green Bay Packers.

A memorial service was to be held today in Oakhurst. Burial will be private. Survivors include his wife, Lillian, three children, several grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

**107th birthday**

BONHAM, Texas (AP) — Willie Ross says he enjoys life a day at a time. If so, he's had a great time.

Ross celebrated his 107th birthday Thursday with a lunch of some of his favorite foods: chicken livers, Brussels sprouts, candied sweet potatoes and milk.

"I'm doing fine for a young boy of 107," the Bonham man told the Bonham Daily Favorite.

Ross is the third of 14 children born to John and Martha Ross, a Fannin County farming couple who were house slaves before their emancipation after the Civil War.

After leaving the family farm as a youth, he worked for the Texas and Pacific Railroad (now Union Pacific) and the Bonham Ice Company before retiring and doing part-time yard work for many years.

**Rabin: Israel offers partial withdrawal from Golan Heights**

By DAN PERRY  
Associated Press Writer

TEL AVIV, Israel (AP) — Israel is offering to withdraw from a slice of the Golan Heights for a three-year test period as a first step toward peace with Syria, Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin told the Cabinet Thursday.

But Jewish settlers charged Rabin has already secretly agreed to withdraw over the three years from all of the strategic plateau, seized in the 1967 Middle East War from Syria and annexed in 1981.

With Cabinet ministers predicting an agreement may be only months away and Syria's foreign minister quoted as seeking a "warm peace," Israel was rife with speculation on what kind of deal was in the offing.

A peace treaty with Syria is considered the most important of any with Israel's neighbors, despite progress with the Palestinians and

Jordan over the past year. A treaty with Syria, the most serious military threat to Israel, would bring the other Arab states to accept a full peace.

Rabin maintained he was not committed to any final borders.

"We have no agreement with the Syrians on the line we will reach at the end of negotiations," said a statement from Rabin's office faxed to The Associated Press.

Israel was offering to pull back partially, possibly without dismantling any settlements. The withdrawal would be followed by a three-year period to test the normalization of relations between Israel and Syria, the statement said. The two sides would then negotiate a further withdrawal.

Syrian Foreign Minister Farouk Sharaa rejected an extended withdrawal. "From a logistical point of view there is no need for a long period to conclude the withdrawal," he told Dutch

television. "It doesn't need years."

Syria has demanded that Israel return all of the Golan as a precondition to negotiating a peace treaty.

The settlers, citing government sources, maintained that Israel has already agreed to dismantle 25 settlements in a first stage of withdrawal and the remaining seven during a three-year withdrawal period.

"The negotiations between Syria and Israel are in the most advanced stages ... and a breakthrough is expected in the very near future," said a statement issued by the Golan Settlers Committee.

Contacts with the Syrians are to resume later this month when Secretary of State Warren Christopher is to arrive for more shuttle talks between Jerusalem and Damascus.

Rabin, in a rare briefing to his Cabinet on the peace moves, reiterated a promise that any significant

Golan withdrawal would be submitted to a referendum.

Ministers said Rabin was vague on whether the extent of the eventual withdrawal might be determined from the beginning — as in the 1979 treaty in which Israel exchanged the entire Sinai peninsula for peace with Egypt — or would remain subject to negotiations after peaceful relations were in place.

But some officials said the Syrians would not sign any agreement without knowing the ultimate result.

"Without determining from the beginning the final line of withdrawal the whole process will be impossible," said Environment Minister Yossi Sarid.

Sarid predicted a deal with Syria was "possible and necessary" by the end of the year and predicted it would involve "a painful withdrawal."

Foreign Minister Shimon Peres told Israel television that the next stage

should be meetings between Cabinet-level ministers and secret negotiations brokered by the United States.

Israeli newspapers Thursday highlighted remarks by Sharaa that his country is ready for a "warm peace" with Israel in exchange for a full withdrawal.

In his Dutch TV interview, broadcast on Israeli television, Sharaa cited recent Israeli statements pushing for a renewal of talks. "We are optimistic (now that) optimism has a source in reality," he said.

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Religion

# St. Matthew's to offer 'Catechesis of the Good Shepherd' Sunday

By EDYTH JACKSON  
Guest writer

St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, 727 W. Browning, is beginning the "Catechesis of the Good Shepherd," curriculum for children at 9:30 a.m. Sunday. Suzie Wilkinson and Paulette Hinkle are teachers for the three to five year olds, Laura Clemmens, Sissy Curtis and Jan Ragsdale are teachers for the six to 12 year olds.

The prepared environment, an atrium - central rooms - helps to facilitate recollection and silence for inner dialogue in conversation in God. For the child, it is a place for work and involvement in the larger worshipping community rather than a classroom for instruction. The materials center on scripture reading, portrayals of parables and liturgy in keeping with the Eucharist.

The components, closely linked to the biblical and liturgical sources, are attractively displayed. The children are invited to explore and deepen experiences at their own rhythm. Miniatures, such as the altar and its related furnishings, conveying the centrality of the Eucharist and the baptismal font, initiate the child into the liturgical life of the church. Maps, including a large model of Jerusalem and the empty tomb of Christ, identifying markers for recorded events help the child to develop a sense for historical perspective.



Bryce Hickey works with wine and water for Holy Eucharist service preparation. (Special photo)

For the three to six year old child, emphasis is placed on the parable of the Good Shepherd. The geography materials establish Jesus as a real person in time and space and Israel as the land through which God realized salvation for mankind. The child become acquainted with the historical character of the liturgy through the events of the Last Supper, Christ's death and resurrection. A prayer corner reflects the liturgical cycle with appropriate col-

ors, prayers, songs and readings. For children ages six through 12, emphasis is on the True Vine - "I am the vine, you are the branches. Whoever remains in me, bears fruit in plenty; for cut off from me you can do nothing" - proclaiming the relationship with God, family, friends and the community. Moral parables offer guides to behavior and proclaim God's love. Time lines focus on the high points in the history of salvation and gifts from God.



(AP Photo)

The Rev. David Dye poses in his Atlanta office on Aug. 16. Dye has an advantage over other Catholic priests who counsel engaged couples: he can fall back on his own experience as a husband for the past 22 years.

## Hulsey at St. Matthew's

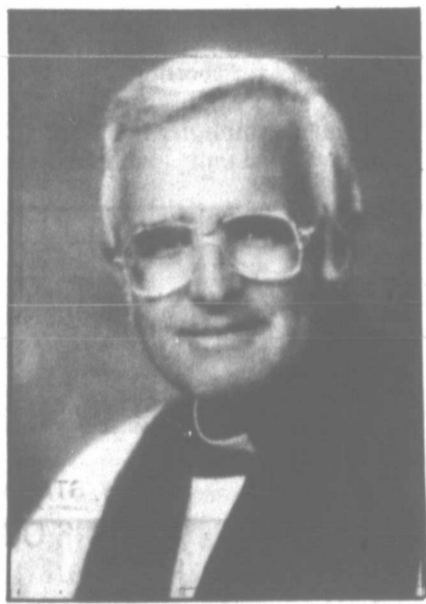
By EDYTH JACKSON  
Guest writer

The Rt. Rev. Sam B. Hulsey, bishop of Northwest Texas Diocese, will be at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, 727 W. Browning, Sunday to confirm and receive candidates presented to him by the Rev. Jake Clemmens, rector of the church.

Hulsey will be principal celebrant at Holy Eucharist and will deliver the sermon at 10:30 a.m. service. A champagne brunch, hosted by Nelda Rogers and Beverly Teague in honor of Hulsey, the confirmands and those to be received will follow in the parish hall.

At the 9:30 a.m. adult Sunday school class, Hulsey and Peggy David, representative for the Churchwomen from the Dioceses of Northwest Texas, will discuss issues from the General Convention in Indianapolis, which concluded Sept. 2.

Hulsey, consecrated bishop on Dec. 13, 1980 in Lubbock, became the third bishop of the Diocese of Northwest Texas, following the Rt. Rev. George H. Quarterman (1958-1972) and the Rt. Rev. Willis R. Henton (1972-1980) in that office. He was born Feb. 14, 1932 in Fort Worth, where he attended public school. He received a bachelor of arts degree in English from Washington and Lee University in Lexington, Va.; pursued graduate studies at St. Andrew's University in Scotland; received his master of divinity and an honorary doctorate of



Rt. Rev. Sam Hulsey

divinity in 1981 from Virginia Theological Seminary, Alexandria, Va.; and received an honorary doctor of divinity degree from the University of the South in 1985.

He was ordained deacon in 1958 and priest in 1959 in the Diocese of Dallas.

He came to St. Matthew's as rector and day school headmaster in 1966. He was also priest-in-charge of All Saints' congregation in Perryton until 1973 when he left the Panhandle to become rector of St. David's parish in Nashville, Tenn.

He returned to Northwest Texas in 1978 as rector of Church of the Holy Trinity in Midland where he served until his election as bishop in 1980.

## Religion briefs

CREIGHTON, Neb. (AP) — The thought of a Sabbath without church bells has inspired a Creighton man to tug on the bell ropes every Sunday for the past 75 years.

Elbert Bonge Sr., 93, inherited the job of bell ringer at Creighton United Methodist Church in 1919. A native of Creighton, Bonge said he has been a member of the church since his baptism at age 8 or 9.

On a recent Sunday, Bonge was so surprised to learn that about 30 members of his family had come from out of town to honor him for his service that he forgot to ring the bell.

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — Charlotte-Douglas International Airport wants to quit observing the Sunday morning hours of worship quite so religiously.

The airport has rerouted jets around neighboring congregations. The airport is too busy to do that now and officials await approval to insulate six churches and reactivate a runway they avoid using Sunday mornings.

In the shadow of the nation's 14th busiest airport, the Rev. Clark Thompson of Shopton Road Baptist Church is resigned to the fact planes may soon be flying overhead during his sermon. He's hoping the combination of a little more insulation and a normally vocal minister can prevail.

Since opening its north-south runway in 1979, the airport has tried to keep it traffic free 9:30 a.m. to noon Sundays, part of the deal made at the time with neighborhood churches.

## 'Harvest in the Land' to be aired Sunday

"Harvest in the Land," a movie about changes in Romania since liberation, is to be shown at Hi-Land Christian Church, 1620 N. Banks, 6:30 p.m. Sunday.

The film, produced by Mission without Borders, features Christian speakers who speak about their experiences during communist persecution.

## Carpenter's House hosts Phillips

Pastor Fred C. Palmer of The Carpenter's House Independent Assemblies of God Church, 639 S. Barnes, invites the public to hear the Rev. Jimmy Phillips of Amarillo speak at 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Sunday.

Phillips pastored First Assembly of God in Pampa for several years in the 1970s.

During his 30-year ministry, Phillips traveled the world including preaching crusades in Calcutta, India, and addressing the world's largest church in Seoul, Korea.

His sermons and teaching sessions feature talks about the miracles he experienced - from surviving a life threatening crisis in a Pakistani airport, to facing occultists in the Virgin Island to counseling with social and diplomatic leaders in several countries.



The Rev. Jimmy Phillips

## 'Littlefolks' perform at HiLand Church

Ventriloquist, Ginger Ingram Brown and the "Littlefolks" will be at HiLand Church, 18th and Banks, at 6:30 p.m. today through Wednesday.

Brown and her husband, Noal Brown, are founders of "Littlefolks Gospel Productions Inc." They live in Claremore, Okla. where Noal is water resources director for the city. Together, they produce "Ginger's Breadhouse" a weekly radio program for children. The produce puppet scripts and songs to create drug awareness among primary age children. Brown is also a song writer and recording artist.

Children four to 12 and their parents are invited.



Ginger Ingram Brown

## Married Catholic priests bring new perspective to marriage counseling

By MICHAEL A. GIARRUSSO  
Associated Press Writer

ATLANTA (AP) — The Rev. David Dye has an advantage over other Catholic priests who counsel engaged couples: He can fall back on his own experience as a husband for the past 22 years.

"As a married priest, I can give couples a different perspective than a celibate priest. Not necessarily a better perspective, but different," Dye said.

Dye, 50, was an Episcopal priest until 1988, when he converted to Catholicism. He was ordained in the Catholic Church in 1992 under an exemption allowing priests from Anglican churches to be ordained as Catholics and remain married.

He and his wife, Chantal, have three children, ages 13 through 20.

There are about 80 married Catholic priests in the United States, all of them former Episcopal priests.

Besides serving as chaplain at Georgia State University, Dye says Mass once a week at St. John

Neumann Church in Lilburn and counsels couples during a day-long seminar on marriage required by the church for engaged couples.

The Atlanta Archdiocese didn't select Dye for the job because he's married, but it didn't hurt.

"Various priests have been involved in that position, and obviously none of them have been married," said the Rev. Peter Dora, spokesman for the archdiocese. "But we are very happy that he can bring his perspective to the job."

"I felt it brought a whole new dimension to marriage preparation," said Lynn Crutchfield, who has worked with Dye in the pre-marriage program. "I thought he shared beautifully his relationship with his wife and children."

"Then again, it can be confusing to some," she said. "It's new for us, and it's very surprising to some people."

Dye says his marriage is sometimes a disadvantage in counseling.

"What if I have an argument with my wife and then I leave the

house to counsel a couple?" he said. "Tell me what side I'm going to be on if they're having a disagreement. I may be biased and side with the man while a celibate priest would be more objective."

James Davidson, a sociologist at Purdue University who studies Catholicism, said many couples may be more apt to accept counseling from a married priest.

"My sense is that there are a number of people who may have marital difficulties and be reluctant to go to a celibate priest because they would expect that he does not understand their problems," Davidson said.

"If it works out, I think you might see the church putting a lot more married priests in those positions," he said.

But Richard Lamanna, a sociology professor at the University of Notre Dame, said most couples don't mind being counseled by a celibate priest.

"You don't have to be sick to treat an illness, and you don't have to be married to be a marriage counselor," Lamanna said.

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## U.S. Air Force probes 1947 UFO claim; findings are down to earth

By JOHN DIAMOND  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — There'll be no convincing some people, but the Air Force says — again — the thing that hit the ground near Roswell, N.M., in 1947 was not the proof that UFOs exist. But it did prove that a crashing balloon could make a 47-year mess.

There were no secret autopsies on space aliens who couldn't fly too well. No flying saucer pieces under guard on an air base. No big conspiracy.

It was just a balloon.  
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It took eight months to reach that conclusion, and the Air Force hopes now to put to rest talk in UFO circles that military authorities covered up a grand extraterrestrial event.

The Air Force began the investigation in January after Rep. Steven Schiff, R-N.M., asked the General Accounting Office, the investigative arm of Congress, to press the Pentagon to declassify documents relating to Roswell.

Air Force officials tracked down principals, combed archives, and even sent some old news photos to the CIA for analysis — all to try to deflate the persistent rumors of a massive government conspiracy to hide the truth.

The effort produced a 25-page report, released Thursday, in which Col. Richard Weaver concludes that the debris a rancher found probably came from a once top-secret balloon designed to monitor the atmosphere for evidence of Soviet nuclear tests.

Of the UFO theories, Weaver had this to say:

"What is uniquely lacking in the entire exploration and exploitation of the Roswell Incident is official positive documentary or physical evidence of any kind that supports the claims of those who allege that something unusual happened."

However, Weaver predicted "pro-UFO" elements simply would dismiss his report as part of the cover-up.

Indeed, Walter Haut, a volunteer at the UFO Museum at Roswell, a center devoted to gathering information on this and other UFO incidents, wasted no time in rejecting the Air Force conclusions.

"I feel very strongly about it," Haut said. Referring to those who made the original UFO claim, he said, "We're not talking about flaky people."

In July 1947 the owner of a ranch near Roswell picked up debris that included scattered foil-coated fabric, sticks, rubber and some small I-beams with strange markings.

Maj. Jesse Marcel, the Army Air Force intelligence officer who brought in the wreckage, was reported to have recovered a "flying disc." A local headline screamed that the Air Force "Captures Flying Saucer." All this coincided with a surge of interest in unidentified flying objects, purportedly from outer space.

Days later a higher-ranking officer identified the material as the remains of a weather balloon. But the seed of what became known as the Roswell Incident had been planted.

There the matter stood until 1978 when the supermarket tabloid *National Inquirer* retold Marcel's story.

A series of books followed advancing the UFO theory and accusing the Air Force of cover-up. The Robert Stack-hosted television show, *Unsolved Mysteries*, aired a re-creation of the Roswell incident. A made-for-TV movie is in the works.

The original reports of a few foil scraps at one ranch site evolved into plane loads of material scattered over multiple debris fields. And the relatively simple materials found would later be described as exotic metals and fiber-optic materials. At a second site, according to some accounts, the Air Force found the bodies of extraterrestrials.

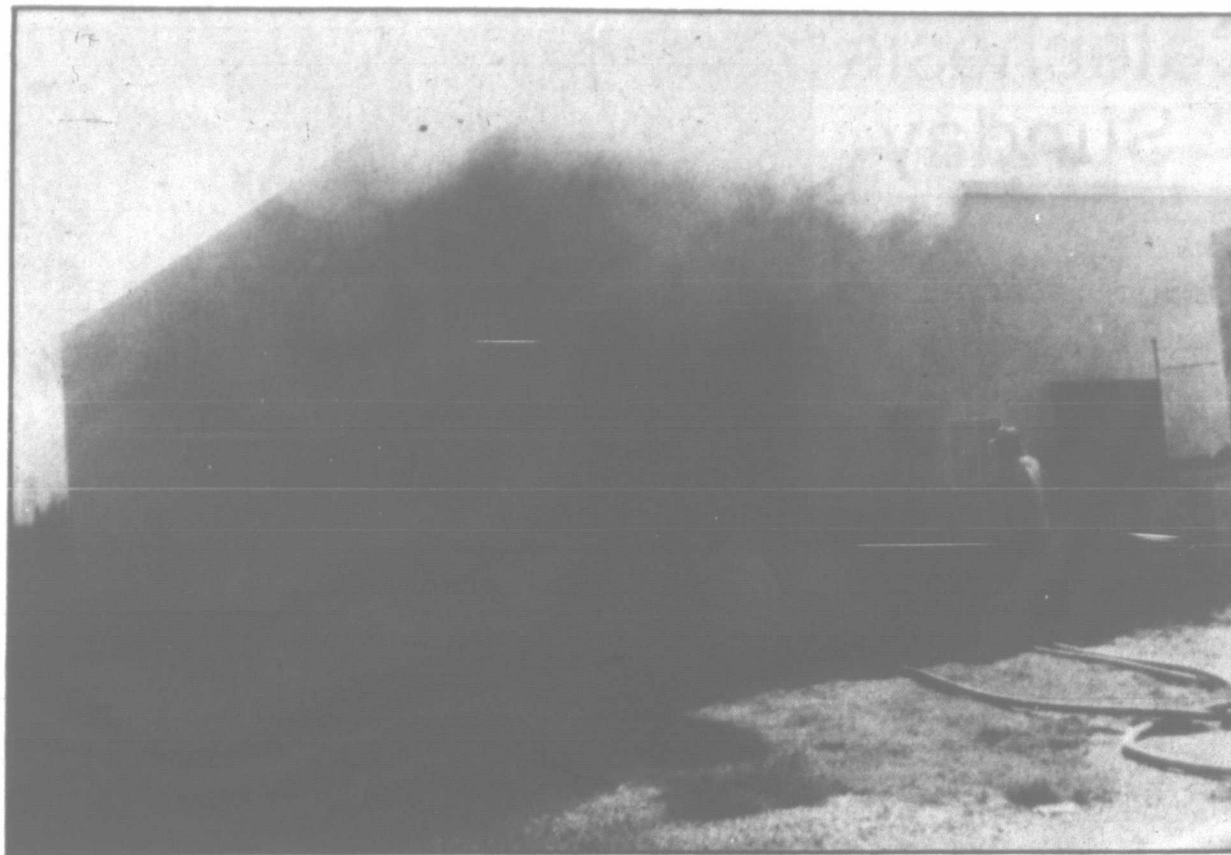
All this was kept from the public by an elaborate conspiracy orchestrated by the Air Force, critics charge.

"The Roswell Incident has since grown to mythical, if not mystical, proportions," Weaver wrote in the Air Force report. The UFO theories, he wrote, are generally "undocumented, taken out of context, self-serving or otherwise dubious."

The report counters the charges of UFO buffs with the same argument used against Kennedy assassination aficionados, that the conspiracy theories are too complicated, and involve too many supposed participants to be credible.

For example, the idea that a massive alien crash site could be kept secret by Air Force brass without even a trace of paper, "stretches the imagination of those who have served in the military who know that paperwork of some kind is necessary to accomplish even emergency, highly classified or sensitive tasks."

## Structure fire



Firefighters from the Pampa Fire Department responded twice to a structure fire at Archies Aluminum Fab this morning. At the second call, three units and eight men arrived at the scene. Both fires are under investigation. The fire was contained during the first call at which one fire truck responded. At left, Pampa Fire Department Capt. Rusty Horton, with seven other firefighters, respond to the second structure fire. (Pampa News photos by Melinda Martinez)

## Population conference moves to other issues

By DANIEL J. WAKIN  
Associated Press Writer

CAIRO, Egypt (AP) — With a hard-bargained compromise position on abortion finally in hand, delegates at U.N. population talks today moved on to other contentious issues, including contraception and teenage sex.

A small committee on Thursday laboriously worked out a single paragraph dealing with abortion in the conference's 113-page draft Program of Action. Although the document is non-binding, the language on abortion was bitterly fought by the Vatican and a handful of Roman Catholic countries.

U.N. officials said the full committee that began considering the abortion text today would extend its deliberations to Saturday. The text would go to the whole conference on Monday.

Countries participating in the conference are trying to come up with a blueprint to control population growth. Currently the world population is growing by a record 90 million people a year.

The draft sets a target of spending \$17 billion a year worldwide by 2000 for basic health care for women and children, family planning and AIDS prevention. That's projected to rise to nearly \$22 billion a year by 2015.

While abortion so far has dominated the nine-day conference, which began Monday, this morning delegates debated the chapter on education, which calls for the eradication of illiteracy and equal education for girls and boys.

The conference will also discuss contraception, adolescent sex and the concept of "fertility regulation" — a phrase the Vatican views as a code word for abortion.

Delegates discussed today whether immigrants have the "right" to be united with their fami-

lies. Some nations with many emigrants say they should, but countries on the receiving end say this would undermine efforts to control immigration.

A small working group began discussions today on reproductive rights, which a draft text calls the "right of couples and individuals to make decisions concerning reproduction free of discrimination, coercion and violence."

Libya, Iran, Algeria, Indonesia and the Central African Republic called for the deletion of the reference to "individuals" — single people — on the basis that it violated Islamic values, which proscribe extramarital sex.

However, Nicolaas Biegman, a Dutch diplomat presiding at negotiating sessions, said individuals' reproductive rights have been recognized since the 1974 population conference and that the idea was "to protect, in most cases, the woman in the couple."

Vatican delegate Diarmuid Martin said the definition of reproductive health could "suggest the possible right to abortions, or be misconstrued as such." The ambiguity should be removed, he said.

The campaign by the Holy See against abortion has infuriated many, including U.N. officials, delegates, private agency officials, activists and even host country Egypt.

"The meetings have been hijacked by a minority of the Vatican and ... (its) vassal states on the abortion issue," said Alexander C. Sanger, president of Planned Parenthood of New York City.

The proposed compromise text on the abortion paragraph uses the World Health Organization definition of unsafe abortion as "a procedure for terminating an unwanted pregnancy either by persons lacking the necessary skills or in an environment lacking the minimum medical standards or both."

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Lifestyles

# Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

**DEAR ABBY:** I finally worked up the courage to ask my sister why her three school-age children never write thank-you notes for the gifts I have given them.

She told me they were so busy with their school work and other activities, they didn't have the time. Then she added, "Since you have no children of your own, you can't understand how hectic their lives are. Besides, they always thank you in person when they see you." (Her attitude was, "Get a life.")

Abby, doesn't she realize how much time it takes me to shop for those gifts, gift wrap them and then deliver them? I find the time to fit it into my busy schedule — children or not.

I do it because I want to — not because I want anything in return. I realize that not everyone cares about written thank-yous, but I do, and they know it. All it would take is 10 minutes and a postage stamp. I try hard to give her kids gifts that matter to them. Why can't they do something simple that matters to me?

I'm steamed enough to stop giving them gifts altogether.

It's too bad my relationship with my sister has soured over something that would have been so easy to fix.

SAD AUNTIE

**DEAR SAD AUNTIE:** Children cannot be expected to know what they have not been taught. I have always emphatically stressed the importance of writing thank-you notes — promptly — but I now realize that not everybody shares my opinion.

**DEAR ABBY:** I never thought of myself as a prude until now, but I suppose that is exactly what I am.

A divorced woman moved into our lovely little neighborhood last year. All was fine until recently. Now a lover has moved in with her. They are both in their mid-40s.

My question: What do I tell my children? I wouldn't think of telling them the truth in this situation. Could I be forgiven if I said the man is renting a room in her house? Thank you.

A PRUDE IN ABILENE, TEXAS

**DEAR PRUDE:** Don't lie. Your children will probably assume that the couple is married; then you won't have to tell them anything. You're welcome.

**DEAR ABBY:** Would you please do elderly people a favor and mention in your column that when people telephone, they should please allow a little longer to answer?

If the television is on, the call can blend in with the program. When it dawns on the viewers that the telephone ringing is their own, they may have difficulty getting up. By the time they get to the phone and lift the receiver, the caller has hung up! This is very frustrating. Not only have I missed the key part of my program, I have been left wondering who is calling.

We are not sitting at desks, you know. Please give us elderly people a little more time to answer the phone.

ELIZABETH HEATH,  
WAYCROSS, GA.

**DEAR ELIZABETH:** Your letter rings a bell with me. There can be many reasons why it's difficult to get to the phone — and age and infirmity are only two of them. Let it ring a minimum of 10 times!

**DEAR ABBY:** If Leslie Barnes of Dallas doesn't provide an explanation as to why men's and women's clothing button from opposite sides, here is what I have read:

"When originally introduced, buttons were expensive and therefore used only on the clothing of the upper classes. Wealthy women were dressed by their right-handed servants, so the buttons were located on the left side of garments.

"Men dressed themselves, so the buttons were placed on the right side of garments."

BERNIE ALTMAN,  
CULVER CITY, CALIF.

**DEAR BERNIE:** Thank you. Your explanation appears reasonable — so I'm squirreling it in the back of my mind in case I'm ever on "Jeopardy."

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# Sunflowers can be very useful plants

By LEE REICH  
For AP Special Features

Sunflowers are orphans of the flower garden.

The plants are widely grown, but mostly on a commercial scale for the seeds and oil within the sunny heads. Sunflower stems and heads even have been made into paper, and the stems alone have been burned for fuel, or converted into a fiber as luxurious as silk.

And where do sunflowers usually turn up in backyards? Not in the flower garden, but usually as a single row of plants along the north edge of the vegetable patch (once again useful: this time as support up which pole beans can climb). Otherwise, plants turn up here or there from seeds accidentally dropped by passing birds.

The reason for sunflowers' absence from flower gardens is the plants' ungainly habit and large size. This is especially true of the

commonly grown annual sunflower (*Helianthus annuus*) varieties like 'Mammoth Russian' or 'Black Giant.' With wrist-thick stalks, gawky leaves, and single, dinner-plate-sized blossoms, 'Mammoth Russian' is just too crude to stand alongside marigolds, petunias and delphiniums.

But there are sunflowers more suited to the flower garden. From the same blood as 'Mammoth Russian' is a variety named 'Teddy Bear,' topping out at a mere 3 feet and with 5-inch flowers. Even shorter is 'Sunspot,' with 10-inch-wide blooms on 2-foot-high plants.

The color spectrum for cultivated sunflowers extends beyond shades of yellow. There are varieties with petals that are creamy-white, chestnut brown, or wine-red. With a slender form, dainty (4-inch-diameter) flowers, and 4-foot height, 'Italian White' is surely eligible for the flower garden. Still

other strains have bicolor flowers, such as dark red toward the center of the petal, then pale orange or yellow toward the outside.

Of the well-nigh 60 species of sunflower, many are perennials. A list of perennial species noteworthy for the flower garden would have to include the thinleaf sunflower (*H. decapetalus*), native from Canada to Georgia and bearing numerous 3-inch flowers on 5-foot plants in late summer.

Probably the best perennial sunflower for the small garden is the ash sunflower (*H. mollis*), blooming from July through September. *H. debilis* (sorry, no common name) is small in all respects, with purple mottled stems and flowers that are especially good for cutting. *H. orgyalis* (also without a common name) is the least coarse of the sunflowers, with dense foliage and a profusion of blooms.

Sunflower species hybridize

readily, and some of the most useful hybrids for the flower garden are offsprings of the annual sunflower and the thinleaf sunflower.

These hybrids have taken on the perennial character of the latter parent. 'Flora Pleno' is one example, a plant growing about 4 feet high and bearing 3-inch blooms with petals so doubled that the yellow flowers resemble those of pompom dahlias. 'Triumph de Gan,' another hybrid, bears semi-double, yellow flowers on plants 3 feet high.

All sunflowers are easy to grow, generally tolerating through and enough cold so that seeds of annual sorts can be sown a week or two before the date of the last frost.

Of course, sunflowers do need sun. To save seed for the next season, protect the seedheads from birds either by swaddling the drying heads in cheesecloth, or by putting the almost dry heads in an attic to finish drying.

# Blueberry plants provide two bonuses

By MIDWEST LIVING  
A Meredith Magazine  
For AP Special Features

For a handsome hedge, shrub or ground cover that treats you to a bonus of delicious fruit, Dan Hartmann insists you can't beat blueberries.

Hartmann, along with his father, Patrick, and his sisters, Ann and Patrice, operates Hartmann's Plantation in Grand Junction, Mich. It's the world's largest supplier of blueberry plants, says Midwest Living

magazine.

In spring, white blossoms cloak the blueberry plants. Aromatic and attractive fruit clusters follow. In autumn, the leaves put on a color show, ranging from rust to orange to scarlet. And the plants are easy to tend.

"If you can grow acid-loving rhododendrons or azaleas, you can grow blueberries," Dan insists. "The only difference is that blueberries don't need shade."

Dan recommends four easy-to-grow varieties: Northland, Jersey,

Blue Ray and Blue Crop. Each fits comfortably into a yard (none grows taller or wider than 7 feet at maturity). If you want prolonged harvests, plant all four.

Here are Dan's tips for blueberry planting and care:

— Add lots of organic matter to the soil when you plant. Peat moss is ideal: Use about 2 gallons of damp peat moss for each of the plants.

— Don't use fertilizer in the planting hole. Instead, feed plants a liquid food just before they bloom and again after blooms

fade. Choose a fertilizer labeled for azaleas and rhododendrons.

— Maintain acidic soil. Occasionally, apply powdered sulfur (sold at garden supply centers). As a general guide, spread 6 ounces of sulfur evenly in a 5-foot circle around each plant in alternate years (during winter).

— Water established plants when you can't feel moisture in the top inch of soil.

— Prune in winter. Remove dead or broken branches and stems more than five years old.

# WIFE convention set for Saturday

AMARILLO — The 18th annual convention of Texas Women Involved in Farm Economics (WIFE) will be held Saturday at the Texas A&M Agricultural Research Extension Center.

Mary Emma Matthews of Dimmitt, president of Texas WIFE, will preside at all sessions. The convention will begin at 9 a.m. and conclude with a banquet that evening.

During the business meeting, election of officers for 1995 will be held. Other business will include setting goals and priorities for the coming year.

WIFE members will give testimony during regional congressional hearings on the 1995 Farm Bill in the coming months.

James Esty of Littlefield, pesticide inspector for the Texas Department of Agriculture, will speak on new rules and regulations for applying pesticides in agricul-

tural operations. New rules will go into effect on Jan. 1.

Lois Wales, Dimmitt WIFE member, will give an update from a meeting with the National Feed Grain Council in Dallas.

An installation service will

be conducted for the newly elected officers.

The banquet will begin at 6 p.m. at the Steak and Ale Restaurant, 1-40 West and Paramount. Kathy Teague of KACV-TV, public television, will be the guest speaker.

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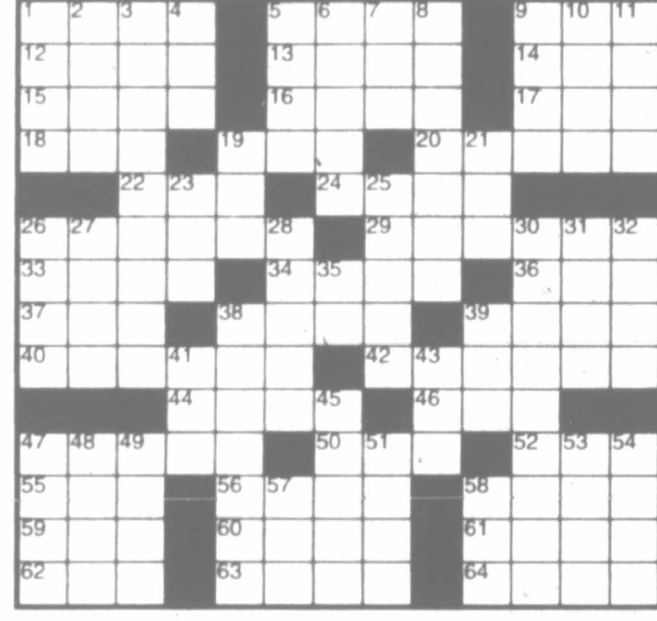
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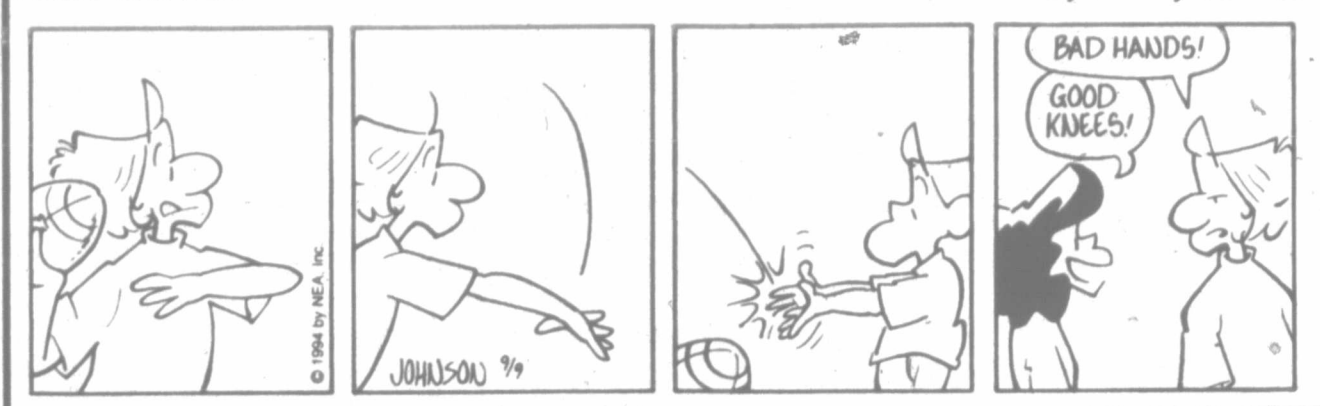
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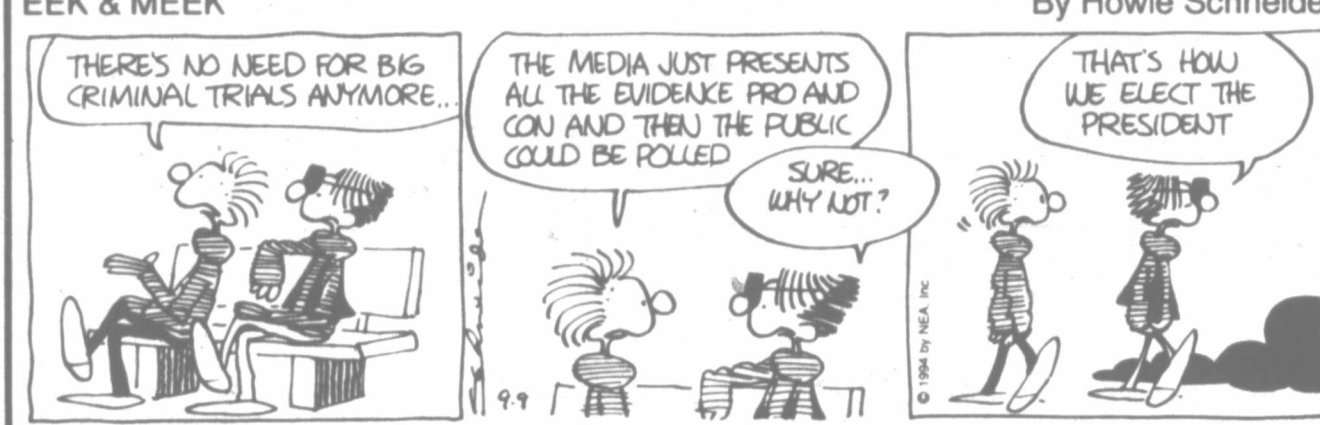
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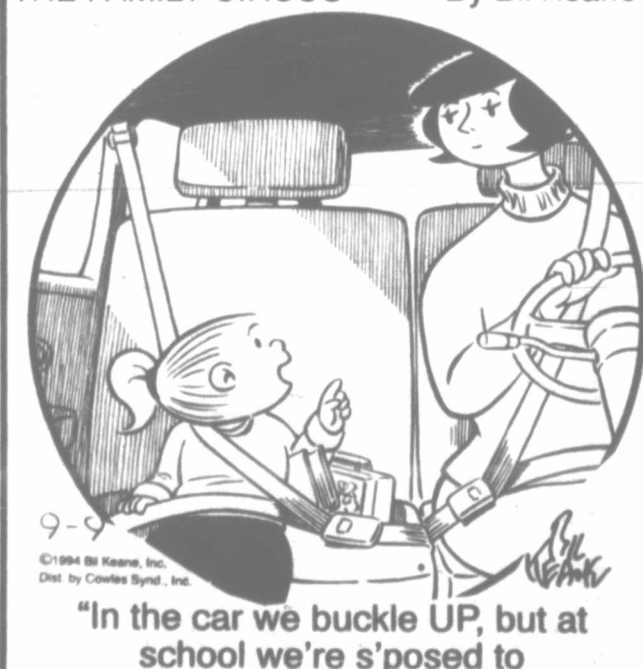
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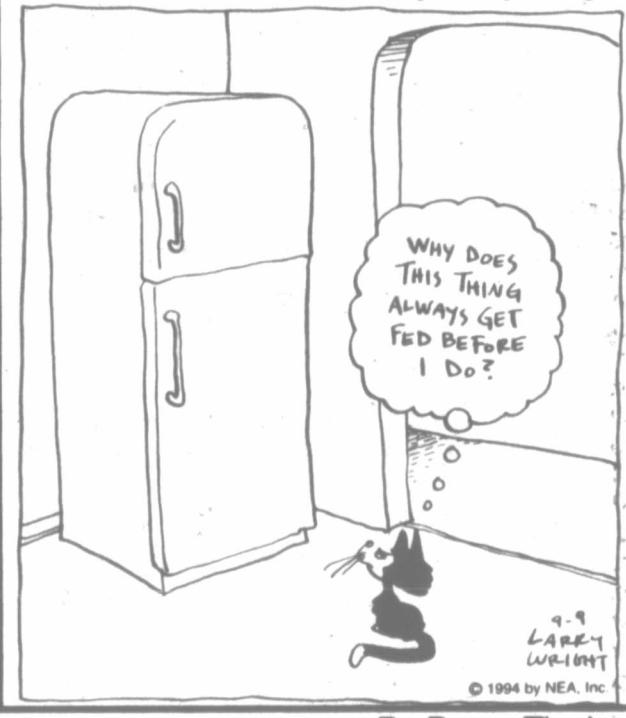
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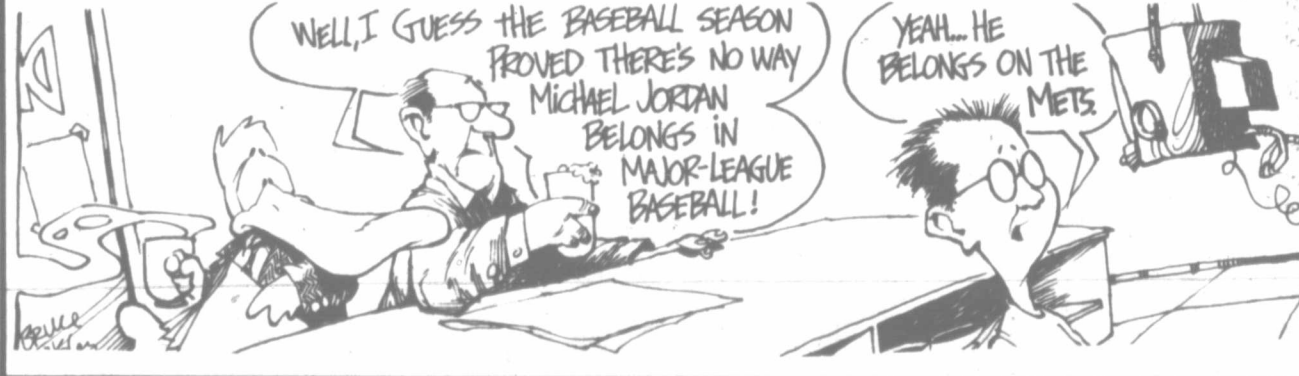
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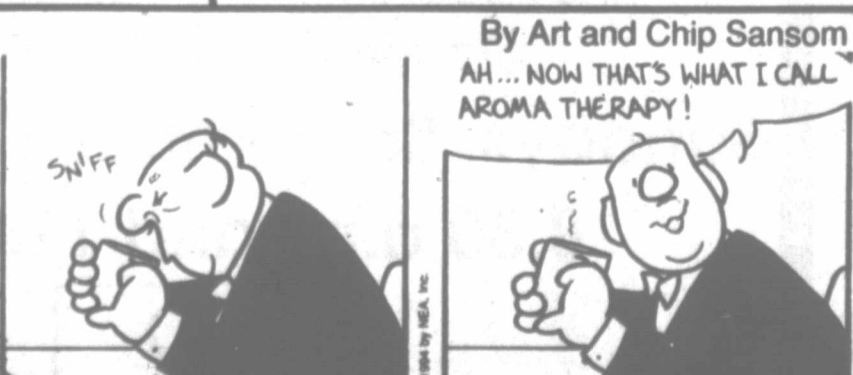
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**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Attitude is extremely important today, especially if you have to deal with something that is complex and distasteful. The secret to your success is to remember that all tasks are endurable. Know where to look for romance 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.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Lady Luck continues to hover about you where your financial and commercial interests are concerned. Don't think in petty terms. Envision winning on a large scale.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** It pays to be a good listener today, because you have the ability to analyze information quickly, and to take what you hear and turn it to your personal advantage.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** Financial tides are beginning to trend in your favor, so be doubly alert for unusual types of opportunities today. One or more might develop.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Whether involved with a large or small group, your natural leadership inclinations will come to the fore today. Others will look to you to handle anything unexpected that occurs.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Your resourceful and progressive contacts will be the persons who'll be best able to help you the most today. Don't waste time conferring with others who are too steeped in tradition.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** Your commercial instincts are rather acute today. There's a possibility you'll conceive something that could be profitable, not for now, but for the very near future.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Someone whose knowledge and experience you desperately need might come to your assistance today, enabling you to accomplish something you've been unable to do on your own thus far.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** You're a quick thinker today and your immediate responses are apt to be your best. Companions will appreciate their value perhaps even more than you do.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** New ways and methods can be found at this time to enhance your productivity where your work is concerned. Experiment with new ideas and concepts and let go of the old.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Don't reject any social invitations you get today, because you might meet someone extremely interesting who will introduce you to a fascinating new group.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Pay heed to any flashes of inspiration today that could improve your basic lifestyle. Your intuition may be trying to put you on the track to self-improvement.

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# Notebook

## VOLLEYBALL

**BRISCOE** — Fort Elliott downed Alamo Catholic, 15-3, 15-5, in high school matches earlier this week.

Keri Nelson led the Lady Cougars' attack, coach Dave Johnson said.

"Keri had some good serves early in the match and she really hit the ball well across the front line," he said.

Fort Elliott, 3-2, participates in the Borger Varsity Tournament this weekend.

Fort Elliott junior varsity won over Alamo Catholic junior varsity, 15-7, 15-0. Fort Elliott also won the junior high contest, 15-8, 7-15, 15-3.

## COLLEGE FOOTBALL

**LITTLETON, Colo. (AP)** — Western Athletic Conference commissioner Karl Benson has had discussions with officials of the Cotton and Holiday bowls in a bid to have the WAC champion compete in a major bowl in 1995.

Benson wants to leverage the WAC into a partnership with the San Diego and Dallas postseason games along with the Pac-10 runnerup, the Big 12 runnerup and the Big Ten third-place team.

The WAC also has had talks with the Sun and Alamo bowls.

"All the talks are in the early stages," Benson said Thursday. "We're trying to be aggressive so we're not left out."

"We want the opportunity to play a No. 2 team from those conferences. The Pac-10 has gone on record they don't want to match their No. 2 with a WAC champ. The games this weekend are games the WAC needs to win to demonstrate a level of competitiveness."

WAC teams play four Pac-10 opponents on Saturday. Wyoming is at Oregon State, San Diego State entertains California, Fresno State visits Washington State, and Hawaii plays host to Oregon.

The WAC has agreements to place teams in the Holiday and Freedom bowls for this season.

Benson also said Reunion Arena in Dallas will make a bid to host a future WAC basketball tournament. The WAC will expand to a 16-team conference in 1996, adding SMU, TCU, Rice, Tulsa, UNLV and San Jose State.

## BASEBALL

**CINCINNATI (AP)** — Police today charged Cincinnati Reds outfielder Deion Sanders with a felony stemming from his confrontation with an off-duty police officer at Riverfront Stadium last month.

In upgrading earlier misdemeanor charges against Sanders, Safety Director William Gustavson said the baseball player was charged with failure to comply with an order or signal of a police officer.

Sanders also was charged with two misdemeanors for allegedly leaving the scene of an accident in the Aug. 8 incident.

"No matter what your position or station in life, if you cause injury to a Cincinnati police officer, you are going to be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law," Gustavson said.

A conviction on the fourth-degree felony charge could be punished by up to five years in jail and a \$5,000 fine. The maximum penalty for resisting arrest, a second-degree misdemeanor, is 90 days in jail and \$750; the other charges, first-degree misdemeanors, each carry maximum penalties of 180 days and \$1,000.

He refused to answer questions after reading a statement in which he lauded police Specialist Herb Kohus.

Sanders was arrested after allegedly ignoring a warning by Kohus and driving his motor scooter through a restricted gate following a Reds home game.

Police said Kohus was dragged about 30-40 feet while trying to turn Sanders' motorcycle off. Kohus, who was treated for ligament damage and scrapes, remains in physical therapy and has not returned to work, Gustavson said.

## BASKETBALL

**PHOENIX (AP)** — Danny Manning signed a one-year, \$1 million contract with the Phoenix Suns, accepting 20 percent of his market value to join one of the NBA's highest-profile organizations.

Suns president Jerry Colangelo announced the acquisition Thursday and said the action by an established star like the former Atlanta Hawks forward was unprecedented in his experience.

"The speculation is that he was offered \$5 million a year for seven years," Colangelo said. "This is so unique and so refreshing, and I'll repeat what I said earlier — I think it's something that should be championed by the league. Here's a classic case of a player who yearns to be with a winner, with an organization that he's respected."

"And this is an opportunity that comes once in a lifetime for a player, so he can make his pick and put the financial consideration aside for a year."

He said Manning, who did not attend the news conference, signed the contract Wednesday.

Manning fits into the salary slot of Mark West, who was traded to the Detroit Pistons for a second-round draft choice.

Manning had said this summer that he wanted to play in Phoenix and would not talk to any other teams. He said he would sign for whatever the Suns could offer under the salary cap.

Manning made \$3.5 million last year, ending the season with Atlanta after a trade that sent Dominique Wilkins to the Los Angeles Clippers.

Ron Grinker, Manning's agent, told The Phoenix Gazette the signing was done quietly in the hope that it would not attract the interest of NBA commissioner David Stern. But Colangelo said because Manning was signed for just one season, the NBA will not take exception to the contract.

The league has rejected long-term several contracts, including that of Green, saying they attempted to circumvent the salary cap. The contracts have in common that a player is underpaid the first season and then is allowed to become an unrestricted free agent.

A U.S. District Court judge in New Jersey will hear arguments on those cases Monday.

# Nebraska downs Texas Tech, 42-16

By JEAN PAGEL  
Associated Press Writer

**LUBBOCK (AP)** — Nebraska coach Tom Osborne wasn't as impressed as 42 points and more than 500 yards rushing might indicate.

"We're very mortal," Osborne said after the Cornhuskers' 42-16 thrashing of Texas Tech Thursday night. "We're a good football team, but we've got a long way to go. And we've got a lot of things to prove."

No. 1 Nebraska took a 14-0 lead and then let the Red Raiders close the gap to 14-9 in the third quarter

before regaining control. Quarterback Tommie Frazier ran for two touchdowns and threw for another as Nebraska (2-0) extended its regular-season winning streak to 15. The Cornhuskers amassed 524 yards rushing.

"We just ran the ball. Old traditional Nebraska football — run it down their throat," Frazier said.

Nebraska hadn't played since routing West Virginia 31-0 in the Kickoff Classic on Aug. 28. Osborne thought some rustiness showed.

"We played good football, but we didn't play inspired football," he said. "I think the layoff took a

little edge off. Probably we weren't as sharp as we should have been."

The performance from Texas Tech (1-1) was inconsistent.

It was defense that kept Tech within reach of Nebraska until midway through the third quarter. The unit, led by linebacker Zach Thomas, sacked Frazier once and had four tackles for losses.

But Tech allowed Lawrence Phillips to score two TDs in the third period and run for 175 yards as the Cornhuskers pulled away.

"I don't know if I've ever seen a team that stronger and better prepared," Texas Tech coach Spike

Dykes said. "It was really disheartening to be in there for a while and then lose it."

"We played good at times and then the next quarter you don't know what happens," Thomas said. "I think we lost our poise a little bit and didn't play like we can for 60 minutes."

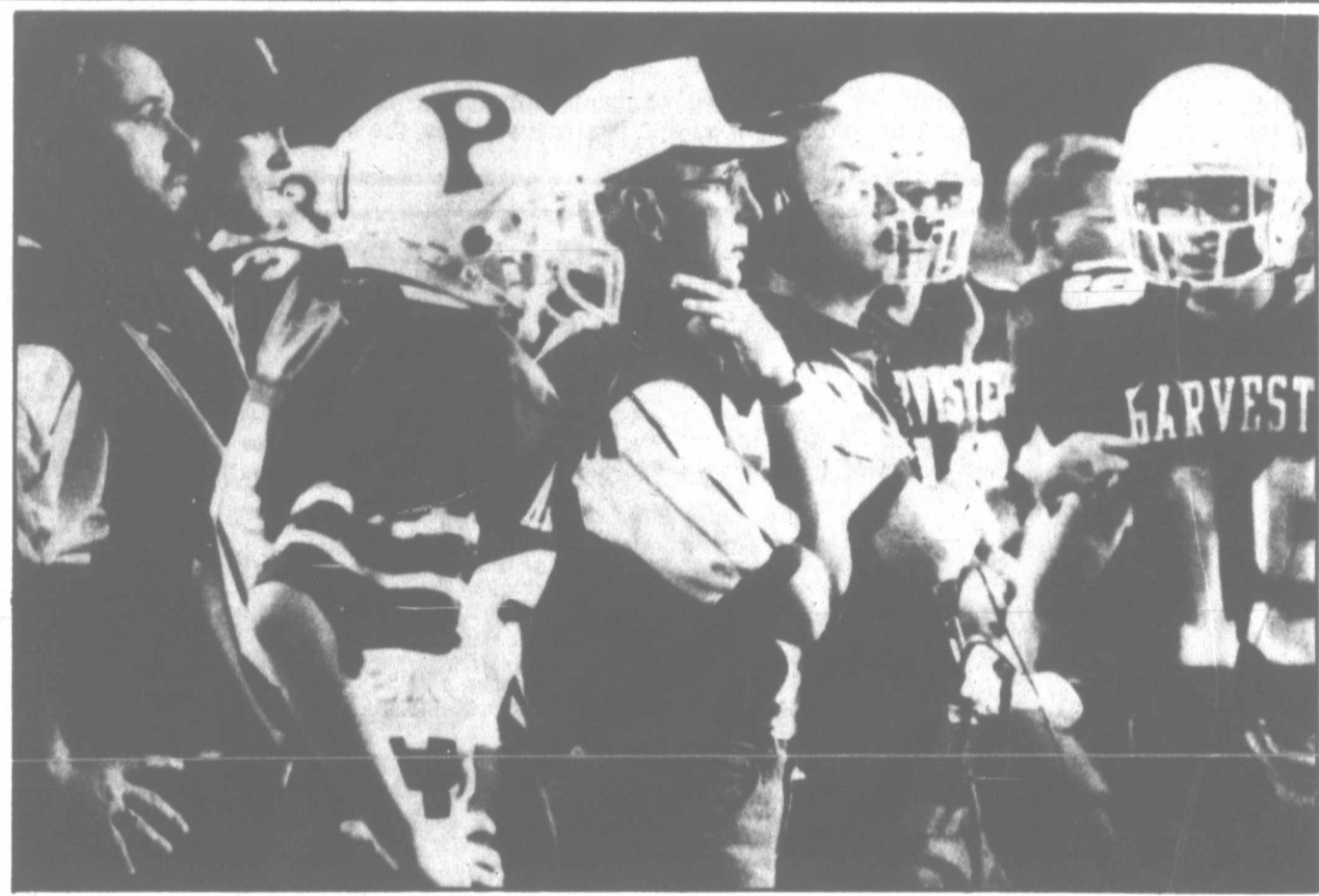
Frazier, who ran for 84 yards and threw for 88, gave Nebraska a 7-0 lead just 2:01 into the game when he sprinted 58 yards down the sideline, then made it 14-0 by going the last three yards of a 98-yard drive early in the second quarter.

Tech's first pass completion of

the game, with 12:22 left in the half, was a big one, a 43-yarder from Tony Darden to split end Field Scovell that set up a 49-yard field goal by Jon Davis.

The Red Raiders made it 14-9 on Zebbie Lethridge's 6-yard pass to tight end Scott Aylor. A 2-point conversion attempt failed when Lethridge fumbled.

Tech nearly gave away a touchdown in the fourth period when Darden ran 11 yards to the 2, only to fumble. A Nebraska defender jumped at the ball, but missed it and Tech tackle Ben Kaufman recovered in the end zone with 6:24 to go.



PHS head coach Dennis Cavalier (white cap) ponders his next move during the Harvesters '94 opener last week against Garden City, Kan. The Harris Rating System picks Pampa as a 4-point favorite over Amarillo High this weekend. (Pampa News photo by L.D. Strate)

## Pampa is 4-point favorite over AHS

By L.D. STRATE  
Sports Editor

For now, the Harris Rating System is predicting a bright future for the Pampa Harvesters.

After last week's 42-0 win over Garden City, Kan., Pampa jumped 10 spots to No. 25 in this week's Class 4A poll. Harris also picks Pampa as 4-point favorites over Class 5A Amarillo High.

Amarillo High, which held off Clovis, N.M., 17-12, in its opener last week, is ranked No. 87 in Class 5A by Harris. AHS head coach Larry Dippel doesn't look for things to get any easier against Pampa this Saturday at 2 p.m. in Dick Bivins Stadium in Amarillo.

"Clovis always has a good football team who gives us more than we need and now getting ready for Pampa is not going to be an easy task," Dippel said. "Pampa looks strong on defense, but you can't take anything away from their offense. They're impressive on both sides of the ball."

Pampa rolled up 432 yards total offense while its defense held Garden City to just 26 total yards. But it was the intangibles that head coach Dennis Cavalier liked most about the Harvesters.

"I felt like we did real good both offensively and defensively, but there's always room for improvement. After

looking at the film, the thing I liked most was their enthusiasm and zest," Cavalier said. "That just jumped off the screen at me. I thought the highlight of the game, from my standpoint, was the blocking of the wide receivers. Our defensive ends played well and I thought our offensive line looked better than it has."

The win over Garden City was Cavalier's 40th at Pampa. He's 40-35-1 in his eighth season.

### PROBABLE LINEUPS

**Pampa Harvesters**  
Offense  
Center: Josh Calfy, 170-pound junior; Guards: Jesse Silva, 190-pound junior and Kyle Parnell, 185-pound senior; Tackles: Greg Erpelding, 225-pound senior, and Brandon Soukup, 215-pound senior; Tight end: Jason Warren, 205-pound senior; Split end: J.J. Mathis, 150-pound sophomore; Flanker: Luke Long, 140-pound senior; Quarterback: Joel Ferland, 160-pound junior; Fullback: Matt Garvin, 210-pound senior; Tailback: Matt Archibald, 170-pound junior.

**Defense**  
Noseguard: Donnie Middleton, 225-pound junior; Tackle: Ryan Davis, 220-pound sophomore; Ends: Keith Stewart, 190-pound senior, and Devin Lemons, 190-pound sophomore; Cornerbacks: Shawn Lewis, 170-pound senior and Ray Estrada, 160-pound senior;

### Amarillo High Sandies

**Offense**  
Split end: Detrick Johnson, 170-pound senior; Tackles: Galy N Gafford, 210-pound senior, and Scott Chauveaux, 260-pound senior; Guards: Nick Wright, 220-pound senior, and Michael Quintero, 255-pound senior; Center: James Lary, 190-pound senior; Tight end: Chris Plumlee, 190-pound senior; Flankerback: Todd Friant, 170-pound senior; Quarterback: Clay Aderholt, 160-pound senior; Fullback: Collin Teuton, 160-pound senior; Tailback: Brandon Blount, 170-pound junior.

**Defense**  
Nose tackle: Chad Cummings, 185-pound senior; Tackles: Josh Mann, 190-pound junior, and Cortney Gardner, 220-pound senior; Ends: Doug Debard, 185-pound senior, and Damon Manning, 160-pound senior; Linebackers: James Jones, 175-pound junior; Jimmy Denholm, 185-pound senior; Cornerbacks: Bob Canode, 160-pound senior; Gerry Clawson, 150-pound senior; Safeties: Jeb May, 145-pound senior, and Keith Lotman, 170-pound senior.

## Adams will play for Longhorns

**AUSTIN (AP)** — Texas receiver Mike Adams, who was suspended from the Longhorns' season opener last week for violating an NCAA rule, will play this weekend against Louisville, UT coach John Mackovic said Thursday.

Mackovic said the junior All-Southwest Conference performer, who gained 1,854 all-purpose yards and scored eight touchdowns in 1993, will return kicks and play some at receiver in Saturday's home opener.

"It's been a long wait, but I am excited to be back, and I am looking forward to getting on the field," said Adams, who has been through a string of off-the-field problems since last season.

His latest incident involved a rental car he and fellow receiver Lovell Pinkney used for five weeks earlier this year at a cost of \$1,000.

A specially appointed UT committee ruled that Adams and Pinkney violated the NCAA's amateur rule by using the car and the panel suspended them from the No. 20 Longhorns' 30-28 victory against Pittsburgh last Saturday.

The committee also ordered the players to each pay \$500 in restitution.

## Softball standings

Standings in the Pampa Recreation Department fall softball leagues are listed below:

Men's Open Division 1		
Team	Won	Lost
Harvy Mart II	9	0
Pampa Machine	5	4
Brogan's Stars	4	4
Albertson's	4	6
Specialty Compressor	3	6
Moose Bulls	2	7

Men's Open Division 2		
Team	Won	Lost
Christian Consolidated	7	2
West Texas Ford	6	3
Ananda Energy	5	4
Hoechst-Celanese	5	4
Halliburton	2	7
Cabot Carbon Black	2	7

Men's Open Division 3		
Team	Won	Lost
Trand	8	1
Jordan Unit	6	3
City of Pampa	5	4
J & J Motor Co.	4	5
City Limits	4	5
Crall Products	0	9

Mixed Open		
Team	Won	Lost
Great Plains Financial	10	0
Easy's Club	9	1
Mr. Gatti's	8	1
X-Rayted	8	3
Albertson's	5	5
Bill Allison Auto	6	4
Subway	7	4
Rangers	4	6
Hoechst-Celanese	4	7
Pampa Machine	3	7
Sherwin-Williams	1	9
Culberson-Stowers	1	9
Jordan Unit IV	0	10

\*Standings as of Sept. 2

# Fighting Irish favored against Michigan

By RICK WARNER  
AP Football Writer

The Michigan-Notre Dame game is often decided by great players making great plays.

In 1989, it was Rocket Ismail returning two kickoffs for touchdowns. In 1990, it was Rick Mirer leading a Montana-like drive in the closing minutes. In 1991, it was "The Catch" by Desmond Howard.

Unfortunately for Michigan, the Wolverines must play this year's game without their greatest player.

Running back Tyrone Wheatley, the preseason Heisman Trophy favorite, will be sidelined with a separated shoulder Saturday when the sixth-ranked Wolverines meet the No. 3 Fighting Irish at South Bend.

In Michigan's 34-26 victory over Boston College last week, sophomore Tim Biakabutuka rushed for 128 yards and one touchdown. But no one can fill the void left by Wheatley, whose personal performance has been closely tied to Michigan's success or failure.

The Wolverines are 13-1-1 when Wheatley has rushed for at least 100 yards, but only 5-3-3 when he hasn't. Notre Dame is 1-0 with Ron

Powlus as starting quarterback. After missing last season with injuries, the ballyhooed sophomore made an impressive debut last week, throwing four touchdown passes in a 42-15 win over Northwestern.

ESPN's Beano Cook has already predicted that Powlus will win two Heisman Trophies. This week, Powlus would simply settle for a win over 5-point underdog Michigan.

Northwestern held Notre Dame's normally powerful rushing attack to 161 yards by stacking as many as nine defenders on the line of scrimmage. If Michigan tries the same strategy, Powlus will pick the Wolverines apart.

Notre Dame holds a 5-1-1 edge over Michigan since 1987, although most of the games have been close. The trend will continue Saturday. ... NOTRE DAME 28-24.

**THURSDAY**  
No. 1 Nebraska (minus 24) at Texas Tech  
Cornhuskers No. 1 for first time since 1987 ... NEBRASKA 35-10.

**SATURDAY**  
Kentucky (plus 24 1/2) at No. 2 Florida  
Billy Curry 0-7 vs. Gators ... FLORIDA 44-17.

No. 4 Florida St. (minus 33) at Maryland  
Terps were blown out by Duke ... FLORIDA ST. 61-7.

No. 5 Miami (minus 11 1/2) at Arizona St.  
Hurricanes 0-3 at Sun Devil Stadium ... MIAMI 24-10.

No. 14 Southern Cal (plus 5 1/2) at No. 8 Penn St.  
Lions won 21-20 thriller last year at Beaver Stadium ... PENN ST. 28-21.

New Mexico St. (plus 37) at No. 9 Arizona  
Aggies haven't beaten Wildcats since 1938 ... ARIZONA 42-0.

Eastern Michigan (plus 37) at No. 10 Wisconsin  
Badgers return 15 starters from Rose Bowl team ... WISCONSIN 48-0.

Vanderbilt (plus 19) at No. 11 Alabama  
Tide has won nine straight over Commodores ... ALABAMA 34-10.

Northeast Louisiana (plus 36) at No. 12 Auburn  
Terry Bowden still perfect in I-A ... AUBURN 41-7.

Sooners handed Aggies only regular-season loss in '93 ... OKLAHOMA 27-24.

No. 18 Ohio St. (plus 4) at No. 25 Washington  
Huskies rebound from loss to Southern Cal ... WASHINGTON 28-21.

No. 19 Tennessee (even) at No. 23 Georgia  
Vols off to rough start ... GEORGIA 32-28.

Louisville (plus 10 1/2) at No. 20 Texas  
Longhorns looked shaky against Pitt ... LOUISVILLE 27-24.

No. 21 Virginia Tech (minus 8 1/2) at Southern Mississippi  
Tech's DeShazo one of nation's top QBs ... VIRGINIA TECH 24-17.

North Carolina St. (plus 6) at No. 22 Clemson  
Tigers win defensive struggle ... CLEMSON 14-7.

No. 24 Stanford (minus 13 1/2) at Northwestern  
The Cardinal wins Brain Bowl ... STANFORD 31-21.

Last week: 17-2 (straight); 5-11 (spread).  
Season: 19-2 (straight); 7-11 (spread).

# Major League players prepare new plan

By RONALD BLUM  
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — As precious time ticked away, owners awaited a new proposal from players that could be the last chance to save the season.

Just one day before the deadline to declare baseball over for 1994, players spent the morning and afternoon meeting with their own lawyers and economists, preparing the new plan.

Owners, in their offices three blocks away, waited for the proposal, which at 5 p.m. EDT still hadn't been transmitted. Both sides said they expected a bargaining session would be scheduled later in the day.

It was unclear if acting commissioner Bud Selig would change his deadline.

"I'm sure if we get closer to a deal, I'm sure that date might have some flexibility," Colorado Rockies owner Jerry McMorris said after a 3-hour meeting with union officials late Wednesday night at a Manhattan hotel. McMorris and Boston Red Sox

chief executive officer John Harrington sounded hopeful after the informal session. They attended the meeting along with Selig's daughter, Milwaukee Brewers vice president-general counsel Wendy Selig-Prieb, and management lawyer Chuck O'Connor. Management negotiator Richard Ravitch was not present.

"I would say in terms of a specific proposal there's been no movement," Harrington said, "but there was a good exchange of ideas and positions."

Union head Donald Fehr, who invited the management group for dinner with himself and three union aides, wasn't optimistic, but also wasn't as pessimistic as his norm.

"I'll begin to be optimistic when a deal is signed — I think," he said. "I'm not going to do anything short of that."

Harrington, however, termed the meeting "fruitful" and McMorris said he was "hopeful."

"This was a positive sign," McMorris said. "We've been seeking

to get the negotiations started, but you can't do that unless you start talking. We've got to continue to talk."

Fehr, dressed in blue jeans — a contrast to management's business suits — said he expected larger groups will meet today. Chicago White Sox owner Jerry Reinsdorf, Atlanta Braves president Stan Kasten and former St. Louis Cardinals CEO Stuart Meyer also arrived in New York on Wednesday. Twelve players on the union's negotiating subcommittee were due in by today.

"I'm not at the stage where I can say anything definitive," Fehr said. "There's nothing definitive to say. We'll have conversations in the morning and see what people come up with overnight."

Fehr said the discussion revolved around new information the union received last weekend. He said the data dealt with the revenue-sharing agreement owners adopted last January.

"What we've been attempting to do," Fehr said, "is study whether the

suggestions we had previously made would have been any different if we had known at the time before the strike what we now know."

Several officials on both sides said they expected a possible union plan to be a variation of the "taxation" concept. Under this plan, the salary cap owners have been demanding would be replaced by a system in which richer clubs would share a higher percentage of their locally generated revenue if they exceed certain levels of payrolls or revenue.

Fourteen more games were canceled Wednesday in baseball's eighth work stoppage since 1972, raising the total to 352, more than 15 percent of the season.

Federal mediators, who entered the dispute the day after the strike began, played no role in the renewal of talks. Brian Flores, the national representative of the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, said they didn't plan to attend any meetings this week.

"If we played any role whatsoever, it was bringing people to a certain

place at a certain time so they could look at each other and perhaps make an appointment to see each other later," Flores said.

There have been just two days of formal talks since the strike began and none since Aug. 25. But an informal meeting on Aug. 31, which included Fehr and McMorris, sparked a series of background telephone calls that led to Wednesday's meeting.

Fehr said the union decided to call in its bargaining team after Selig's announcement Sept. 2 of the tentative Friday deadline for canceling the rest of the season.

Players expected in New York today included Tim Belcher of Detroit, Jay Bell of Pittsburgh, Kevin Brown of Texas, Brett Butler of Los Angeles, Tom Glavine of Atlanta, Orel Hershiser of Los Angeles, Dennis Martinez of Cleveland, Paul Molitor of Toronto, Scott Sanderson of the White Sox, Bob Scanlan of Milwaukee, Terry Steinbach of Oakland and B.J. Surhoff of Milwaukee.

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**GARAGE Sale:** 2607 Evergreen, Bed, dresser, lots of children clothes, Friday 8:30 to 12 noon, Saturday 8:00 to 12 noon.

**GARAGE & Bake Sale:** 1200 N. Wells, Friday 8-5 Saturday 8-12.

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**YARD Sale:** 632 S. Reid, Wednesday - Sunday, 10 a.m. New items added daily.

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**SALE:** Friday-Saturday, 8-5:30, 2124 Hamilton. Linens, dishes, material, lots of miscellaneous.

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**GARAGE Sale:** Saturday 8 a.m. - ? 1973 Ford tires and parts, more miscellaneous. 1428 N. Hamilton. No early birds.

**GARAGE Sale:** Saturday, 1304 Mary Ellen, lots of goodies, cheap.

**GARAGE Sale:** 2508 Aspen, Saturday 9-7, Sunday 12-5. Clothes and miscellaneous.

**GARAGE Sale:** Saturday only 8-5. 2 couch and chair sets, stove, Volkswagens tires, skis and lots of miscellaneous. Cole addition-Back Street.

**Garage Sale** 2605 Evergreen Saturday 9-6

**LARGE GARAGE SALE** 912 S. Sumner

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**GARAGE Sale:** 2128 N. Christy. Some baby things. Lots of stuff. Friday 9-5, Saturday 9-1.

**GARAGE Sale:** Saturday only, 8 a.m. to 5. Skis, bike, clothes and more. 1624 N. Zimmers.

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### 50-year Masonic pin



Elmer E. Fite, pictured with his wife Loraine, recently received his 50-year Masonic Service Award. The presentation of the pin was made Aug. 18 by Blake Laramore and Lloyd Laramore, fellow Masons. Fite is a charter member of the Top O' Texas Masonic Lodge #1381 in Pampa. (Courtesy photo)

### Clinton administration opposes term limit plans for lawmakers

By RICHARD CARELLI  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — State-imposed congressional term limits threaten the election system, the Clinton administration said in its first official word on the volatile campaign issue. Supporters of limits said the opposition "will come back to haunt the president."

The administration's position is stated in an Aug. 31 request filed by Solicitor General Drew Days III seeking permission to participate in Supreme Court oral arguments over the validity of an Arkansas term-limits measure.

Days, the administration's highest-ranking courtroom lawyer, told the court the Arkansas law "poses a particular threat to the federal system in that it makes membership in the Congress dependent on regulation by the states."

The Arkansas measure "contradicts the framers' design, which was to fix the qualifications for office in the Constitution itself, and to deny the power to add further qualifications to both the Congress and the states," Days told the court.

Voters in 15 states have adopted such limits since 1990, and more states are considering them in this year's elections.

Arkansas' term limits were adopted in 1992, while Clinton was governor. He opposed them then.

Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers said Thursday, "The president has generally said over the course of the last 10 years that he has some real reservations about term limits. ... He believes the voters should have the

opportunity to elect their leaders."

During the presidential campaign Clinton said he was opposed to limits for Congress but understood the voter frustration behind the movement. He argued that term limits would hurt small states, which depend on the seniority of their representatives to gain influence in Congress.

He said voters should first demand significant congressional reform, including lobbying restrictions and campaign financing changes designed to make challengers more competitive.

Advocates of limits said he was making a mistake.

"Mr. Clinton, who has surrounded himself with the consummate Washington insiders, is swimming against the tide on this," said Cleta Mitchell, director of the Term Limits Legal Institute. "This filing by the solicitor general will come back to haunt the president."

Mitchell called the administration's move to enter the Arkansas case "a political decision, and the wrong decision politically."

Paul Jacobs, executive director of U.S. Term Limits Inc., said, "The people want term limits but he's siding with career politicians in Congress who have been stonewalling."

The Supreme Court's argument session has not yet been scheduled, but may be held in late November. The court could respond as early as Oct. 3, the start of its new term, to Day's request to participate in the case.

The court entered the political storm last June when it agreed to use the Arkansas case to decide the validity of term limits.

### Breakthrough reported in MIAs search

HANOI, Vietnam (AP) — The United States apparently has made a significant breakthrough in accounting for Americans missing in action from the Vietnam War, a U.S. official said Thursday night.

American search teams scouring the countryside may have solved the first of 84 cases the United States handed over to Vietnam a year ago that it felt Hanoi should have information on, said Army Lt. Col. Melvin E. Richmond Jr., head of the U.S. MIA Office in Hanoi.

These are cases listed as "special remains cases," where the Vietnamese photographed dead American servicemen or where POWs died in captivity and their remains were buried.

The search teams found on a current operation in the central part of Vietnam an almost complete skeleton and 11 teeth believed to be a special case, an American POW who died in captivity and was buried by another American POW.

"This is very tentative," said Richmond. "We will go through a joint forensics review and then our anthropologist will look at the remains. By no means is the identification final but we are hopeful. We

think we may have been successful but it's very premature now."

"Up until this time, we've been unable to solve a single one of the 84 special remains cases," said Richmond. "This is the first time that we have the possibility of solving one."

The United States lists 2,229 Americans as unaccounted for from the war, including 1,639 in Vietnam, 505 in Laos, 77 in Cambodia and eight in China.

The U.S. forces ended hostilities in 1973, though battles continued between the North and South until the latter's defeat in 1975. North and South Vietnam formally unified in 1976.

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### Napoleon buffs split hairs over mystery of emperor's death

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CHICAGO (AP) — Was Napoleon murdered in exile? More than 170 years after the emperor's death, the FBI is on the case.

Using a few strands of his hair, the feds are trying to determine whether Napoleon's body was full of poison.

"It's a very hotly debated issue," said Michael La Veau, a board member of the Napoleonic Society of America.

The Clearwater, Fla.-based group will release the results of the FBI tests and debate their significance Sunday, the last day of the society's annual meeting in Chicago.

The history books say Napoleon died of stomach cancer. But some

say the British murdered the deposed French emperor; others contend French royalists did him in. And some historians believe Napoleon's love of licorice killed him.

At last year's Napoleonic Society meeting, "people were standing on their chairs shouting at each other" over death theories, La Veau said.

Napoleon was exiled by the British to the remote island of St. Helena off southern Africa in 1815. His health began to fail in 1817; he died in 1821 at 51.

During his exile, the British feared Napoleon might make another comeback, as he had from the Mediterranean island of Elba earlier in 1815 — an adventure that the British barely stopped at Waterloo.

French royalists also wanted to get rid of Napoleon, regarding him as a

threat to Louis XVIII's hold on the throne.

Two books, *Murder of Napoleon* by Dr. Ben Weider and David Haggood, and the soon-to-be published *L'Assassin de Napoleon* by French professor Rene Maury, support homicide, La Veau said.

But if Napoleon's hair contains arsenic, it won't necessarily indicate foul play, said La Veau, who majored in Napoleonic studies at Florida State University.

He said arsenic was commonly found in licorice in Napoleon's day, and Napoleon was a licorice addict.

The society decided to pay the FBI to test for poison and DNA after the hair's owner, Dr. Jean Fichou of Rennes, France, agreed to sacrifice a few strands before putting the rest of the lock up for sale.

The remaining 220 hairs are being offered for sale by a Chicago auctioneer. The lock of hair is in a tooled leather box about the size of a cigar box with a glass cover.

The FBI agreed to test the hair out of scientific interest — to discover if traces of poison and DNA can be obtained from so old a sample.

"That's all there is to it from our standpoint," FBI spokesman Paul Brandon said.

The society is hoping to match the DNA findings to tissue of Napoleon's nephew Achille Murat.

If the DNA matches, historians can test thousands of other hair samples purportedly from Napoleon that have turned up since the sale of the hair and the testing of Fichou's sample became public, La Veau said.

### Shrimpers hiding turtle carcasses

HOUSTON (AP) — Lax turtle protection in Louisiana is providing a haven for shrimpers who want to avoid detection, *The Houston Post* reported Thursday.

In Louisiana, accurate reporting is hampered by the many remote inlets that easily can hide turtle carcasses.

Authorities say some shrimpers from the upper Texas coastline, near Port Arthur, have started working along western Louisiana, in part to avoid the rigid government enforcement campaign in Texas.

"Louisiana is certainly a concern because of their lax enforcement," said David Costa, a research associate at the Institute of Marine Life Sciences at Texas A&M University in Galveston. "When you see the numbers we're seeing, it's definitely alarming."

At least 126 sea turtles have died in 1994, said Bruce Koike, coordinator of the Louisiana Sea Turtle Stranding and Salvage Network.

Shrimpers are believed to be the culprits in turtle deaths because they

either refuse to use, or improperly use, turtle excluder devices on their nets. The TEDs offer an escape for turtles caught in the nets.

The turtle death rates in Louisiana have caught the eye of federal authorities.

Andy Kemmerer, regional director of the National Marine Fisheries Service, said authorities are beginning to respond with tougher enforcement in western Louisiana waters.

The campaign, which started Sept. 1, is the second crackdown this year and came as a response after 42 endangered turtles washed up on beaches since Aug. 21, according to the Texas Sea Turtle Stranding and Salvage Network.

In all, 456 sea turtles have died along the Texas coast this year, 243 of which are Kemp's ridley sea turtles, said Donna Shaver, state coordinator for the network. The previous Texas high was 355 in 1990.

Koike could not say what the Louisiana record is since this is his first year to track turtle deaths.

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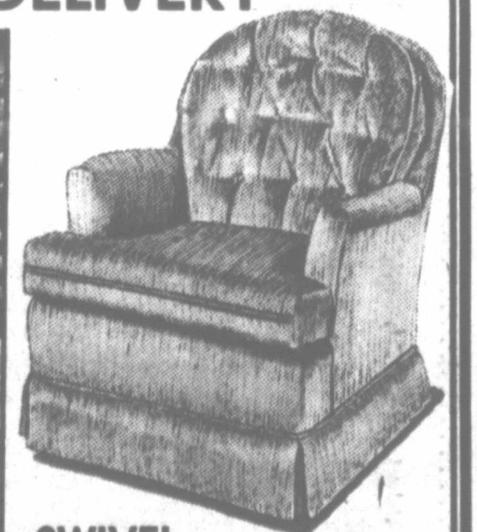


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