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Good Evening!

AREA

AMARILLO — Terry Noble, 21, of Pampa, is in satisfactory condition today at Northwest Texas Hospital following a one-vehicle rollover at noon Saturday one mile north of Perryton.

Noble was traveling with three others in a 1990 Geo Prism south on US 83 when the car veered off the roadway and struck a tree.

Killed in the crash was William Aaron Gamblin Jr., 18, Amarillo. Injured were Trinady Fuller, 18, and Dustin Stoddard, both of Liberal, Kan.

STATE

By The Associated Press

No tickets correctly matched all six numbers drawn Saturday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, state lottery officials said.

The numbers drawn Saturday night from a field of 50 were: 12, 14, 34, 38, 45 and 46.

Ninety-nine tickets matched five of six numbers, worth \$1,865 each; 5,095 tickets matched four numbers, worth \$130 each; and 107,839 tickets correctly matched three numbers, worth an automatic \$3.

Wednesday night's drawing will be worth an estimated \$11 million.

HOUSTON (AP) — The National Rifle Association urged former President Bush in newspaper advertisements today to reconsider dropping out of the group.

The organization's president, Tom Washington, urged Bush to wait until Congress completes hearings on the U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms.

Bush said in a May 3 letter to the NRA that he quit because he was deeply offended by its references to federal agents as "jack-booted government thugs." He reiterated his complaint Sunday, describing those who criticize agents in such harsh terms as "crazy people."

WORLD

MOSCOW (AP) — A body recently found in Chechnya matches the description of an American disaster relief expert who disappeared in the break-away republic last month, an official said today.

Fred Cuny, a 50-year-old Texas businessman, disappeared April 9 along with his Russian translator and two Russian Red Cross doctors while on a mission for the New York-based Soros Foundation.

The body, with two gunshot wounds in the head, was found by children near the village of Geldugin in the Shali region, Pyotr Kosov, a state councilman in Ingushetia, told the Interfax news agency.

MADRAS, India (AP) — An express train collided with a freight train in southern India, killing at least 43 people, railroad officials said today.

The first three cars of the passenger train were destroyed in the collision, which occurred late Sunday when most passengers were sleeping. Three other cars went off the rails.

By early today, police had recovered 43 bodies, and the death toll was expected to rise.

County delays action on speeding ticket plan

By CHERYL BERZANSKIS
News Editor

Gray County commissioners today delayed action on a request by County Attorney Todd Alvey to change the way speeding tickets for holders of commercial drivers' licenses are handled.

Alvey proposes speeding tickets appealed to county court from justice of the peace court be resolved by deferred adjudication, which wipes the slate clean for the CDL holder and raises money for the county at the same time.

He further proposed to divide the fees generated 50-50 with the county, retaining \$250 or more from each deferred adjudication to bolster the hot check fund and the computer budget and provide office improvements.

Commissioners declined to act on Alvey's proposal, instead instructing him to get more information about how it is done from Texas Association of Counties and Texas Attorney General's Office. He also plans to call the Texas District and County Attorney's Association.

Alvey told the court laws governing commercial driver's licenses are very strict and two speeding offenses of 15 miles over the speed limit in six months will result in license revocation for another six months.

When a speeder has his second conviction in justice court, Alvey said, he will appeal the ticket to county court, where Alvey is required to try the case. It requires a full day to try the case plus jury fees and court reporter fees.

Alvey proposed Gray County copy Howard County's method of handling the appeals. Howard County, which includes a stretch of Interstate 20, has been using the

Would change affect safety?

County Attorney Todd Alvey said today he does not know how the proposed change in adjudication of speeding tickets will affect the safety of motorists.

Alvey's proposal to dismiss speeding tickets for commercial driver's license holders if they successfully complete a several month, several hundred dollar probation was put on hold by the commissioners court today when they asked him for more information about it.

Alvey said with him a speed-

er will get only one shot at mercy, but admitted he will not be able to determine whether they similarly disposed of tickets in other places.

"If they buy themselves out of a ticket somewhere else, I'll never know this," Alvey said.

"The safety of the motorist ... I understand that's what the CDL law is in effect for. It's either this or trying all the cases ... I knew there's a conflict there, but I know we can't afford to try all these cases," he said.

deferred adjudication method for two years, he said.

He proposes the offender sign a deferred prosecution agreement with him and successfully complete a three- to five-month supervised probation and pay \$500 to \$600 over the period.

All the fee is retained by the county's general fund or, optionally, may be split with the county attorney, Alvey told the court. If the speeder successfully completes the probation, the ticket is dismissed, he said.

His office handles 10 to 20 CDL speeding appeals yearly, he said. There are two appeals on the docket now which will be continued, Alvey said.

He expects to raise \$5,000 annually based on the change.

Alvey said it is up to him how to handle speeding appeals, but he wants the court to authorize the fee split.

"Instead of doing it the old way, I would propose to do it like Howard County," he said.

Precinct 2 Commissioner Jim Greene told Alvey he was afraid

every officeholder would begin to ask for a chunk of the fees collected and the court will lose control of the county budget.

Alvey responded the option is allowed by the legislature, but justices of the peace have no option to change the way their fees are allocated.

Precinct 4 Commissioner Gerald Wright commended Alvey for efforts to make money for Gray County.

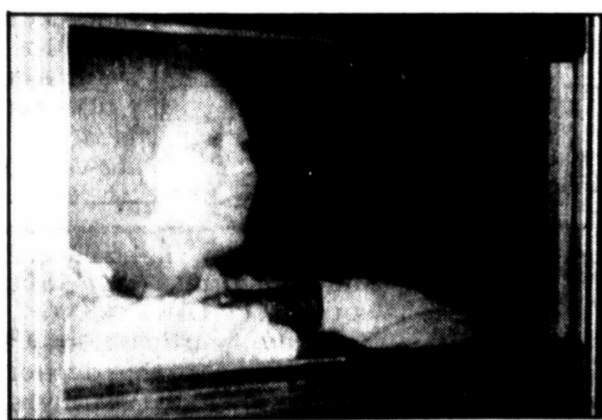
"Nobody wants to hear it, including myself, but I think we're looking at some reductions in our budget," said Wright.

County Clerk Wanda Carter objected to Alvey's proposal because none of the fee collected will be allocated to cover filing and supplies in her office. Alvey said he thinks something can be worked out for Carter's expenses to be covered.

He expects to contact Howard County to find out how they cover county clerk expenses, Alvey said.

"They have worked out some bugs," he said.

Mother's Day serenade



(Pampa News photos by Melinda Martinez)
In photo at right, Daniel Silva, left, and Chuy Silva, members of the men's group of Primera Iglesia Bautista Mexicana Church in Pampa, were among those who were serenading several mothers during the early morning hours of 3-6 a.m. on Mother's Day. Both men, along with Raul Silva, Benny Silva, Issac Silva, Blas Ramirez, Omar Gutierrez, Jose Gutierrez, Sammy Ramirez and Jose Gutierrez Jr., traveled around town serenading the women at their bedroom windows or front doors. They have been doing this for four years. Silva said it's a Mexican tradition to sing to the mothers before the sun comes up otherwise it's too late. Above left, Daniel Silva's mother-in-law, Olivia Hernandez, was one of the women they serenaded.



Pampa school children to prepare tiles for Oklahoma bombing memorial

Pampa school children will be participating in a project in Oklahoma City as a memorial to those killed in the April 19 bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in which 168 people, including a number of children, died.

Floye Christensen of Pampa said an art council in Oklahoma City is wanting to build a memorial, with the focus on the children who died in the explosion.

The memorial will feature numerous porcelain tiles prepared by children, including those in Pampa.

Christensen said some 3,000 tiles will be prepared by Pampa area school children, assisted by local and area porcelain artists. The artists will assist the students in painting the porcelain tiles, with paints being provided by the Golden Spread Porcelain Art Club, the Texas Lone Star Art

Club and the Top O' Texas Porcelain Art Club.

Preparation of the tiles was expected to begin today at Pampa Middle School, with 275 tiles. Also participating initially will be St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School, with 20 tiles, and the Grandview-Hopkins School, with 28 tiles. The program then will be extended to other schools, Christensen said.

Christensen, local porce-



Anne Dingus, associate editor, 'Texas Monthly'

'Texas Monthly' associate editor to speak Tuesday at PHS Honors Banquet

Former Pampa associate editor of *Texas Monthly*, will be guest speaker for the 1995 Pampa High School Senior Honor's Banquet on Tuesday, Superintendent Dr. Dawson Orr announced.

Twenty-one seniors will be honored at the banquet, which will be held at 6:30 p.m. at the Pampa Country Club.

Dingus, a fifth-generation Texas, was born and raised in Pampa. She graduated from Pampa High School in 1971, graduating in the top ten of her class. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Dingus of Pampa.

Upon graduation from PHS, Dingus entered Rice University in Houston, where she earned a bachelor of arts degree in English literature in the spring of 1975. While at Rice, she studied under Max Apple, a well-known short story writer and novelist. She had several short stories published and did free lance work for several weeklies during her time at Rice.

After graduating from Rice, Dingus worked briefly for NASA as a technical writer, where her most exciting work was to edit all the Apollo-Soyuz material.

During 1976-1977, she was a reporter for the *Oil Daily*, an oil and gas publication, for which she covered conferences and announced new products.

"One of my goals had been to work on the staff of *Texas Monthly*," Dingus said, "so in August of 1977 I moved to Austin and did graduate work in English literature. In January of 1978, I began my work with that magazine and I love it."

Dingus is currently an associate editor with *Texas Monthly*. She

also is the author of *The Truth About Texas* and *The Book of Texas Lists*. With the help of readers, she compiled hundreds of lists of people, places and things, all Texan. The lists range from momentous to the trivial, some have humor.

While at *Texas Monthly*, Dingus has written articles on amateur private detectives in San Antonio who have solved several murder cases that baffled police; a profile to the two stars of *Greater Tuna*, a spoof of small-town Texas life; an article on vintage Western pulp magazines; an interview with the homicide detective who is the state's foremost expert on blood splatter analysis; and the Cadillac Ranch, the automotive shrine buried in a wheat field west of Amarillo.

"I started off at the magazine as a fact-checker, working to verify the accuracy of the writers' stories," Dingus said. "Then I moved on to editing, and now I'm a staff writer. I love it!"

In March of 1980, she married Patrick Redman, whom she had met at Rice. He is a lawyer and legal counsel for the Texas Legislature. They have two sons, Phillip, 10, and Parker, 8. They reside in Austin.

Concerning her name, Dingus explained, "I use my maiden name professionally. I like the sound of it and I had already begun to establish my reputation as a writer under that name."

While in high school, Dingus was active in student council, Quill and Scroll, and National Honor Society. She served as co-editor of *The Little Harvester* during her senior year. She said Pampa High School's *Little Harvester* was the beginning of her successful writing career.

Christensen said she was asked to see that Texas has tiles for the memorial. She is coordinating the project for the state through porcelain art clubs and schools. She said the project is being handled by regions, with porcelain art clubs working with student groups in each region.

"Our group will probably have the best representation from Texas, if we get the participation," she

said, adding that the schools have very cooperative in helping with the project.

Christensen said donations are being sought to help defray expenses for purchasing the tiles and to cover other related expenses. Those wishing to make donations may do so through the Oklahoma Memorial Fund at First National Bank, by contacting Sheila Lott at the bank.

Daily Record

Obituaries

RUDYARD KIPLING EDENBOROUGH
AMARILLO - Rudyard Kipling (Rudy) Edenborough, 82, a former White Deer resident, died Monday, May 15, 1995 in Amarillo. Services are pending with Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors of Pampa.

Mr. Edenborough was born Oct. 15, 1912 at Higgins. The married Addine Simmons on May 26, 1935 in White Deer, she preceded him in death in 1990. He attended Texas A&M University and became a registered pharmacist. He owned and operated Edenborough Pharmacy in Amarillo for many years. He was a former resident of White Deer, where he was a member of the White Deer Lions Club. He was a 32nd degree Mason.

Survivors include a son, Harry Kipling (Kip) Edenborough of Berkeley, Calif.; and three grandchildren, Christopher Edenborough and Michael Edenborough, both of Berkeley, and Laura Edenborough Lewis of Vallejo, Calif.

The family requests memorials be to the High Plains Baptist Hospital Auxiliary in Amarillo.

CATHRYN COMPTON GROFF
 Cathryn Compton Groff, 82, of Pampa, died Sunday, May 14, 1995. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Memory Gardens Cemetery with the Rev. Lynn Hancock, pastor of Briarwood Church, officiating. Burial will be under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Groff was born Aug. 16, 1912 at Blue Field, W. She was married to Allen Groff, who preceded her in death on Nov. 11, 1974. She had been a resident of Pampa for over 60 years. She was a homemaker and a member of Briarwood Church.

She was also preceded in death by a son, J.D. Compton, in 1988.

Survivors include a son, Gene Compton of Borger; three brothers, Clyde Neal and Billy Neal, both of Pampa, and Clarence Neal of Las Vegas, Nev.; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

The family will be at the Doug Kempf residence on Loop 171 east of Pampa.

JÉAN BOND WOODS
 KENT, Wash. - Jean Bond Woods, a former McLean, Texas resident, died April 28, 1995 in her home in Washington. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Hillcrest Cemetery in McLean with Pat Andrews of the McLean Church of Christ officiating. Burial will be under the direction of Lamb Ferguson Funeral Home of McLean.

Mrs. Woods was a native of Baltimore, Md. She married Wayne Woods of McLean and the couple moved to Seattle on April 21, 1967. She was a graduate of Gouches College and was a former engineer with Boling Company of Seattle. She was a member of the American Association of University Women and of the President's Forum. She was also a member of the Federal Way Church of Christ in Kent.

Survivors include her husband, Wayne, of Kent; her mother-in-law, Mary Emma Woods of McLean; and two brothers-in-law, David Woods of McLean and Don Woods of Amarillo, Texas.

The family requests memorials be to a favorite charity.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls for the 38-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

SATURDAY, May 13
 8:18 p.m. - Two units and four personnel responded to a medical assistance call at 1233 N. Hobart.

SUNDAY, May 14
 3:01 a.m. - Three units and seven personnel responded to a structure fire (garage) at 921 S. Sumner. Cause of the fire is under investigation.

3:22 a.m. - One unit and three personnel responded to a medical assistance call at the Pam Apartments, 1200 N. Wells.

8:19 a.m. - Two units and four personnel responded to a medical assistance call at 1504 W. Kentucky.

2:19 p.m. - Two units and three personnel responded to a controlled burn in the 1200 block of McCullough.

3:26 p.m. - Two units and three personnel responded to a trash fire in the back yard of 1148 Prairie Dr. Cause of the fire is under investigation.

10:31 p.m. - Two units and four personnel responded to a good intent call at 429 N. Christy.

Calendar of events

H.E.A.R.T. SUPPORT GROUP
 The H.E.A.R.T. Support Group for Women meets Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m. at the Tralee Crisis Center office at 119 N. Frost.

TOASTMASTERS
 The Pampa Toastmasters Club meets at 6:30 a.m. on the first and third Tuesdays of each month in the private dining room of Coronado Hospital. For more information call Dan Silva at 669-6351 or Lois Strate at 665-7650.

PAMPA AREA CANCER SUPPORT GROUP
 The Pampa Area Cancer Support Group for individuals, families and friends who have been touched by cancer meets the third Thursday of each month from 7-8 p.m. This month's meeting will be in the main cafeteria of Coronado Hospital. Program for this month's meeting, on May 18, will feature Dr. Elaine Cook, dermatologist, who will speak skin care, skin cancer and what we can do to protect ourselves against skin cancer. For more information, call 665-4742, 669-7619 or 665-8628.

Police report

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents and arrest in the 40-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

TUESDAY, May 9
 Possible violation of narcotic drug laws was reported by a member of the Panhandle Regional Narcotics Trafficking Task Force.

FRIDAY, May 12
 Information about possible child abuse was reported in the 3000 block of Rosewood which occurred at 7:45 p.m. Friday.

Clifford Davenport, 601 Dean, reported theft which occurred at 9:30 p.m. Friday.

SATURDAY, May 13
 Darrell Roland, 818 N. Frost, reported burglary of his 1979 Firebird which occurred at 2 a.m. Saturday at 429 Naida. Taken were a Peavey amplifier system valued at \$450 and a guitar valued at \$410.

Information about domestic disturbance was reported in the 2200 block of North Nelson which occurred at 4:06 p.m. Saturday.

Joy Yvonne Bybee, 617 N. Christy, reported aggravated assault which occurred in the 1000 block of East Denver at 8:55 p.m. Saturday.

Aaron Kyle Whitney, Rt. 1 Box 29, reported assault with injuries which occurred at Pampa Athletic Club at 11:30 p.m. Saturday. He reported blunt trauma to the left eye and face.

SUNDAY, May 14
 Chris Kappes of Wal-Mart, 2225 N. Hobart, reported violation of city ordinance at 3:30 p.m. Sunday. A vehicle had been parked in the lot several days.

Terry Hembree, 812 E. Kingsmill, reported violation of city ordinance at 610 Magnolia at 3:30 p.m. Sunday.

Janet Jenkins, 801 E. Francis, reported burglary of a 1978 Chevrolet pickup at Optimist Club Park on Friday.

Brenda Kay Wilkinson, Pampa, reported assault in the 1400 block of North Banks which occurred at 6:15 p.m. Sunday.

Assault - family violence was reported at 8 p.m. Sunday in the 300 block of Anne.

ARREST
SUNDAY, May 14
 Rod Lamont Donnell, 18, 1159 Huff Rd., was arrested on a warrant and two tickets in the 900 block of West Rham. Bonds total \$600.

Ambulance

American Medical Transport reported the following calls for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Sunday.

SATURDAY, May 13
 9:33 a.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to Cuyler and Hwy. 60 to render mutual aid to Wheeler EMS on a medical assistance call. A patient was transported to Coronado Hospital.

9:58 a.m. - A patient was transported from a local nursing center on a medical assistance call to Coronado Hospital.

11:28 a.m. - A patient was transported from Coronado Hospital to St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

2:22 p.m. - A patient was transported to Coronado Hospital from a local nursing center on a medical assistance call.

2:22 p.m. - A patient was transported from Coronado Hospital to St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

3:37 p.m. - A patient was transported to Coronado Hospital from a local nursing center on a medical assistance call.

6:39 p.m. - A patient was transported from Coronado Hospital to a local nursing center.

8:20 p.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to a local business in the 1200 block of North Hobart on a medical assistance call. A patient was transported to Coronado Hospital.

SUNDAY, May 14
 3:08 a.m. - A patient was transported from the 1200 block of North Wells to Coronado Hospital on a medical assistance call.

Sheriff's Office

Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following incidents and arrest in the 40-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

SATURDAY, May 13
 Agency assistance was rendered to Department of Public Safety.

Dewayne Hickman reported unauthorized use of a motor vehicle at 525 N. Sumner.

SUNDAY, May 14
 Gray County Sheriff's Office reported incident of driving while intoxicated, subsequent offense, in the 1000 block of South Hobart.

ARREST
SUNDAY, May 14
 Bobby Gene Armstrong Jr., 36, 1817 Coffee, was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated, subsequent offense. He was released on bond.

Stocks

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

Wheat	3.50	Diamond Sham	27 1/2
Milo	4.15	Eron	35 1/4
Corn	4.74	Halliburton	38 1/4
		Ingersoll Rand	37 1/4
		KNE	26 3/8
		Kerr McGee	53 3/8
		Limited	21 1/2
		Mapco	57 1/8
		Maxus	5 3/8
		McDonald's	36 1/2
		Mobil	98 1/8
		New Atmos	18 1/4
		Parker & Parsley	21 1/8
		Penney's	46 1/4
		Phillips	36 1/8
		SLB	63 1/4
		SPS	28 3/8
		Tenneco	47 5/8
		Texasco	68
		Wal-Mart	25 3/8
		New York Gold	383.65
		Silver	5.31
		West Texas Crude	19.53

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

NOWSCO	10 3/4	NC
Occidental	24	NC

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

Magellan	77.36
Puritan	15.98

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

Amoco	65 1/4	up 3/8
Arco	114 1/8	up 1/8
Cabot	42	NC
Cabot O&G	15 5/8	NC

Japanese police seek arrest warrants for cult members in attack on subway

KAMIKUISHIKI, Japan (AP) - After an eight-week investigation, police sought arrest warrants on murder charges today for the leader and 20 members of the cult suspected in the nerve gas attack on Tokyo's subways.

Earlier today, police arrested a top sect official suspected of supervising the March-20 gas attack, which killed 12 people and sickened 5,500.

Japan got another scare tonight when one person was hospitalized and 10 others were sickened with coughing fits by strange-smelling fumes at a subway station in Yokohama, just south of Tokyo, firefighters said.

It was the latest in a series of such incidents that have profoundly changed Japan's image of itself as a safe nation.

The arrest warrants marked a breakthrough in the investigation into the Tokyo subway attack.

The leader of Aum Shinri Kyo, Shoko Asahara, and about 20 cult members will be charged with manufacturing and releasing the nerve gas sarin in the subway, a police spokesman said today.

News reports later said the warrants were issued tonight, but police would not comment. The reports said police were expected to begin making the arrests early Tuesday.

Police tightened security because of fears that sect members would retaliate after their leader's arrest. "We're worried about what's going to happen next," said an officer patrolling Tokyo's Ginza subway station.

Although more than 200 cult members have been arrested in the investigation, Japan's largest-ever criminal probe, none has been directly charged in connection with the gas attack.

More than 100 reporters and camera operators staked out Asahara's residence at the group's Mount Fuji commune in Kamikuishiki, 70 miles southwest of Tokyo. Police tightened already strict security around the compound.

The bearded, guru-like leader disappeared after the subway attack but is widely believed to be staying in a hidden area of the building.

Several hundred of his disciples are also believed to be living at the commune.

Police said Yoshihiro Inoue, head of the cult's "ministry of intelligence," and three other cult members were caught at a roadblock on the outskirts of Tokyo just before dawn today.

Inoue resisted arrest, and was taken into custody for obstruction of justice. He refused to

answer questions but was identified by his fingerprints, a Tokyo police official said.

Inoue was responsible for recruiting 1,000 of the cult's 10,000 members in Japan, the newspaper Asahi said today.

Several arrested cult members have told police that Inoue personally supervised the gas attack, heading a group of five to 10 people who left sarin in plastic bags on the subways, according to Japanese news reports.

At least one cult member has admitted to police that he placed a bag on a subway train, the Yomiuri newspaper reported.

Police have seized tons of chemicals that could be used to make nerve gas at the commune.

The cult has repeatedly denied involvement in the subway attack.

Also arrested with Inoue today was Jun Toyota, a leading member of the division within the cult that carried out extensive chemical experiments. Police confiscated numerous documents and a personal computer from the cult members' car.

Asahara preaches a mixture of Buddhist and Hindu doctrines, and has predicted World War III will begin in 1997. He claims to be a messiah, and says his followers will survive the war.

Dow seeks bankruptcy over lawsuits

MIDLAND, Mich. (AP) - Dow Corning Corp., once the nation's leading maker of breast implants, today filed for bankruptcy protection because of lawsuits over the devices. The filing freezes all suits against the company.

Dow Corning, a 50-50 joint venture of Dow Chemical Co. and Corning Inc., filed under Chapter 11 of the federal bankruptcy code in U.S. District Court in Bay City, Mich. The company had said early this month that it might take such a step.

Dow Corning and other makers of the implants face billions of dollars in damages. An estimated 500,000 to 2 million women have received the implants, and many blame them for health problems including lupus and hardening of the breasts.

In a group settlement approved last year in federal court in Birmingham, Ala., Dow Corning had pledged \$2 billion, and other implant makers an additional \$2.25 billion, to settle claims from implant recipients

over the next 30 years. Thousands of women were opting not to join the settlement, and talks were under way to expand it.

Dow Corning said it hopes the bankruptcy filing will allow it to remain part of the settlement. The company has discontinued making the implants but insists they are safe.

Dow Chemical said today that it was taking a \$1.25-per-share charge against earnings in the second quarter because of the Dow Corning filing. It said it was writing off the full \$374 million of its stake in Dow Corning.

Corning said it was considering a similar move. Dow Corning contributed about 35 cents of the \$1.94 per share that Corning earned in 1994, said Corning spokeswoman Kathryn Littleton.

Last month, Dow Chemical was reinstated as a defendant. The bankruptcy action will not absolve Dow Corning of its obligations to make payments under the settlement, said Cincinnati

attorney Stanley L. Chesley, who represents thousands of the women.

"They have the assets to do it," Chesley said. "We are their largest creditor, the women of America I represent."

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration has banned the use of silicone breast implants for patients who want them strictly for cosmetic reasons.

The company said continuing operations remain strong, but the lawsuits threatened its economic health.

"Dow Corning will continue to supply products to our customers, and compensate our suppliers and employees as we have in the past," chairman and chief executive officer Richard A. Hazleton said in a news release.

Hazleton complained of "exorbitant demands" by lawyers for women who have not agreed to the settlement. The company also has been unable to collect more than a small fraction of its losses from insurers, he said.

Accidents

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents in the 72-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

FRIDAY, May 12
 8:03 a.m. - A 1987 Chevrolet driven by Sandy Alvarez Hernandez, 405 N. Dwight, was in collision with a 1992 Oldsmobile driven by Carol Conner Phillips, 2220 N. Christy, in the 1100 block of North Hobart. Hernandez was cited for failure to display driver's license and for having no proof of insurance.

SATURDAY, May 13
 An unknown vehicle was in collision with a 1983 Ford pickup owned by Gabriel Hernandez, 313 Short, in the 300 block of Short.

GM recalls Blazers, Jimmys

DETROIT (AP) - General Motors Corp. said recently it is voluntarily recalling 111,000 1995-model Chevrolet Blazers and GMC Jimmys to modify a fuel tank cover that leaked in one crash test.

The November test by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration found that the tank could leak after a 35-mph crash into a barrier. That speed exceeds federal crash standards. The company said it began notifying owners of the recall on May 5.

GM has been criticized for the design of fuel systems in millions of 1973-87 full-size pickups. Critics said the pickups' fuel tanks are vulnerable to rupture because they are located outside the vehicles' frame rails.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST
 Mostly cloudy tonight with a 50 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms, some possibly severe. Low near 60 with southeasterly winds 10-20 mph. Tuesday, cloudy with a 30 percent chance of showers. High in the middle 80s with southwesterly winds 10-20 mph. Sunday's high was 76; the overnight low was 52.

REGIONAL FORECAST
 West Texas - Panhandle and South Plains: Tonight, mostly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms. Some storms could be severe with locally heavy rain. Lows in upper 50s to low 60s. Tuesday, mostly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms. Highs low to upper 80s.

North Texas - Tonight, partly

cloudy. A slight chance of thunderstorms all except southeast. Lows 68 to 71.

Tuesday, partly cloudy. A slight chance of thunderstorms all except southeast. Highs in upper 80s to low 90s.

South Texas - Hill Country and South Central: Tonight, partly cloudy becoming mostly cloudy by midnight. Lows in mid and upper 70s. Tuesday, mostly cloudy. Highs in low to mid 90s. Coastal Bend and Rio Grande Plains: Tonight, mostly cloudy and windy. Lows from mid 70s inland to near 80 coast and Rio Grande plains. Tuesday, partly cloudy and windy. Highs from near 105 Rio Grande plains to upper 80s coast. Upper Coast: Tonight, mostly cloudy with patchy fog late. Lows in the 70s. Tuesday, patchy early morning fog, then partly sunny. Highs in

low 90s inland, mid 80s at the coast.

BORDER STATES
 New Mexico - Tonight, scattered evening showers and thunderstorms eastern plains. Partly to mostly cloudy otherwise. Lows in the 30s and 40s mountains and northwest with upper 40s to low 60s elsewhere. Tuesday, considerable cloudiness. Breezy during the afternoon most areas. A chance for showers and thunderstorms. Highs in mid 60s and 70s mountains and northwest with 80s to low 90s at lower elevations of east and south.

Oklahoma - Tonight, mostly cloudy central and south, partly cloudy north. A slight chance of thunderstorms. Lows in the 60s. Tuesday, partly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms. Highs in mid to upper 80s.

City briefs

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Motorists have options to keeping tickets off records

By MARK BABINECK
Associated Press Writer

DALLAS (AP) — Chester Dade went to the Dallas Municipal Courts Building to pay the fine on his speeding ticket. What he found was a loophole as big as Texas.

By simply checking a box on his citation and tacking \$20 onto his fine, Dade managed to keep his 20 mph transgression off his driving record and out of the hands of his auto insurance provider.

"I'm glad I found this," said Dade as he left the building. "I hate paying insurance."

And insurance companies hate deferred adjudication. "It is frustrating when through the systems we have in place people are able to disguise their (driving) record," said Susan Slivinske, a spokeswoman for the Insurance Information Institute in Austin. "We have people with

a higher-than-average risk for loss disguising their violations and collecting an insurance discount as well."

Besides fighting a citation in court, drivers have two options to keep tickets off of their driving records:

— Pay a small court fee, usually less than \$40, and take a certified driving safety course no more than once a year. That keeps the ticket off of Department of Public Safety records, which insurance companies use to set rates. By law, all courts provide this choice.

— Pay a larger fee, often more than the fine itself, and promise not to get another ticket for a pre-determined amount of time.

Deferred adjudication, as its known, may have other restrictions levied by the judge, such as a court-ordered defensive driving course. It's the second chance for drivers who have used the first option, but it's not

available everywhere.

In places like Lubbock and Dallas, deferred adjudication is a simple clerical procedure handled at municipal cashiers' windows. In Corpus Christi and Harlingen, alleged offenders must appear before a judge and request the option.

It's tougher in places like Houston and Midland, where the accused must hire a lawyer to get the decision deferred.

State lawmakers have no apparent plans to make major changes to traffic administrative laws this session, but they've dabbled with minor alterations.

One bill, proposed by state Rep. John Smith, R-Amarillo, would eliminate one of the ironies in current law. Currently, drivers who take a safety course to erase a citation also can send a copy of their course certificate to their insurance provider for a discount.

The law would allow the Texas Department of Insurance to permit drivers to use their six-hour course either for ticket dismissal or the discount, but not both.

For insurance purposes, violations remain on a driver's record for three years.

A spokesman for State Farm said the rules in place potentially lump chronic offenders with basically safe, but uninformed, motorists.

"We're always concerned about the accuracy of motor vehicle records," said Keith Androff of State Farm's Northern Region office. "It gets back to the philosophy of giving the lowest rates to the best drivers. When the risk increases, drivers (with accidents and tickets) ought to pay proportionally more."

"Because of information not appearing, the bottom line is that people are not paying the appropriate rates."

Another legislative effort,

signed into law last week by Gov. George W. Bush, might put the final nails in the coffins of many of Texas' historic "speed traps." It prevents small towns from earning more than 30 percent of their revenue from fees and fines related to traffic tickets.

In Lavon, 28 miles northeast of Dallas, about half of the city's \$400,000 budget comes from traffic tickets.

Lavon Police Chief Tim Hammond said the rule, which takes effect in August, makes it unprofitable to cite speeders once the 30 percent cap is reached. Above that point, the state takes all but \$1 of each ticket written.

"It doesn't even cover the cost of writing the ticket when you talk about paying for the officer's gas, the prosecuting attorney and the judge," said Hammond, who said he'll have to eliminate two positions in his department.

"It will be open season for drug runners and drunk drivers."

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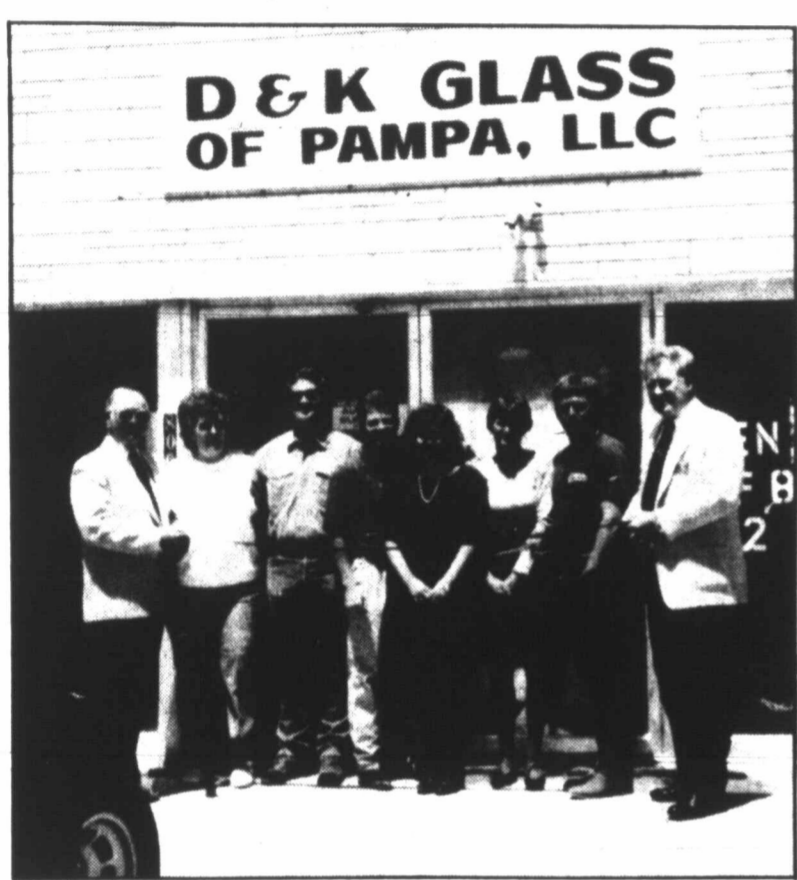
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Lucas granted another day in court

DALLAS (AP) — Convicted killer Henry Lee Lucas, who once claimed to be a serial killer with as many as 600 victims, has a court date for a hearing that could result in the dismissal of the only charge for which he was sentenced to death.

Lucas was scheduled to appear in a Williamson County courtroom today for a hearing in connection with the "orange sock" case. It has that name because that was the only article of clothing worn by the unidentified victim at the time her body was found 13 years ago.

Williamson County prosecutors say evidence to be presented could exonerate the one-eyed drifter and implicate another man.

Lucas was scheduled to face death by injection two months ago, but the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals halted the execution to allow for the hearing.

Lucas was first arrested in 1983 in Montague County by then Texas Ranger Phil Ryan in the deaths of Kate Rich, 80, and a 15-year-old girl named Frieda "Becky" Powell. Lucas claimed that the 15-year-old was his wife.

Lucas, who has been convicted of 10 other murders, at one time confessed to as many as 600 slayings in various states across the country. Then he suddenly recanted almost all of the confessions.

Ryan, who is now sheriff of Wise County, says he believes Lucas probably killed 20-30 people. He said he doesn't believe all of the confessions or all of the later denials.

"When someone wanted him to confess, he did," Ryan said. "When someone wanted him to recant, he did."

Motor voter law susceptible to fraud

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — Voter registration is up. But so may be the opportunity for voter fraud.

Since the so-called "motor voter" law went into effect Jan. 1, voter registration apparently has risen, but some are crying fraud.

Signed into law two years ago by President Clinton, the law requires states to allow registration by mail.

It also requires that citizens be allowed to register to vote whenever they apply for or renew a driver's license, visit welfare and other government agencies, or stop by a military recruiting office, hence the term "motor voter."

During the process, employees of state agencies cannot make a determination as to a person's

citizenship status in order to allow them to register, even if they see documents that state a person may not be a U.S. citizen.

Among the skeptical is Corporal Larry Drake, an investigator for the Texas Department of Public Safety in Harlingen.

"We just process it (voter registration application) and make it available to the registrar. Then it's in their ballpark," Drake said. "That's one of the regulations the Secretary of State put on us. We're just letting them fill out the form."

Since May 6, allegations of vote abuse have flooded the Secretary of State's office, said Ann McGeehan, legal division director.

"We got a lot of reports about mail-in votes in the May 6 elec-

tions across the state," she said.

With less stringent federal regulations, critics of the new law complain that it's easier to register fraudulent, or even imaginary, voters.

Said DHS Program Manager Laura Gilmore: "When somebody comes in we have to ask them if they're registered. Even if they haven't got anything that says they are a U.S. citizen, we just give them the form."

Last week, an unidentified Mexican citizen turned in his illegal voter registration card to the election administrator's office, *The Brownsville Herald* reported.

"I told them I was a resident alien. They mailed it in anyway," the man said. Resident aliens are not allowed to vote.

TEC to host Farm Labor Training session

PLAINVIEW — The Texas Employment Commission will host West Texas' first Farm Labor Training session at the Ollie Linder Agriculture Center in Plainview on Wednesday and Thursday, May 17-18, with officials expecting capacity crowds for the two-day event.

Requested by Texas employers and endorsed by the United Farm Workers' Union and the Texas Citrus and Vegetable Association, the training brings together representatives from the Texas Department of Agriculture, the Internal Revenue Service, Texas Workers' Compensation Commission, Texas Department of Human Services, Texas Department of Health, the

Department of Labor's Employment, Training and Wage and Hour Divisions, and the Immigration and Naturalization Service.

James J. Kaster, TEC's commissioner representing employers, says this type of training benefits everyone.

"There are a lot of laws covering employers in the agricultural sector," Kaster said. "If the laws are to serve their purpose, which is to ensure a prosperous and safe industry, then voluntary compliance that results from educating employers about those laws will mean a stronger and healthier economy for all Texans."

One of the training session's biggest draws is the special

"Train the Trainer" course for contractors who must teach workers about pesticide handling and field re-entry laws. The Environmental Protection Agency's new Worker Protection Standards Law requires certification in this area. Contractors from Texas and other states can obtain certification at this event.

The seminar will begin at 8 a.m. Wednesday when TEC representatives will welcome participants and explain the training format. Seminars will continue until 5 p.m. on Wednesday and reconvene Thursday from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

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Opinion

Vietnam wasn't fought in vain

Twenty years ago, America suffered a searing national defeat when South Vietnam surrendered to communist invaders. The fall of Saigon on April 30, 1975, ended the longest and most unpopular war in American history - and the first war ever in which America failed to achieve its objective.

Former Defense Secretary Robert McNamara's new book, *In Retrospect*, has reopened some of the wounds left by the Vietnam conflict. In the book, McNamara writes that he and other policy makers in the Johnson administration were "wrong, terribly wrong" in their pursuit of the war. McNamara said that as early as 1965, he realized the war was unwinnable.

Many Vietnam veterans have expressed justifiable anger at McNamara's admission. His book confirms what many Americans have always believed about the Vietnam War - that our biggest mistake was not fighting to win.

Were we "wrong, terribly wrong" to even be in Vietnam? Was the war doomed from the beginning, or was our effort the victim of mistaken tactics and failed leadership?

Clearly, the war was over managed from Washington. Our political leaders failed to define attainable military objectives while hindering the military's ability to engage the enemy and take the war to the aggressor. Even so, America's armed forces succeeded, along with the South Vietnamese army, in holding the communist invaders at bay through the signing of the ill-fated peace treaty of 1973. When Saigon fell in 1975, American ground troops had been out of Vietnam for more than two years.

Ronald Reagan was right. Vietnam was a "noble cause," even though our conduct of the war often failed to match our ideals. Our motivation, above all else, was to prevent the expansion of tyranny over the human spirit and human liberty. Our goal was to save a foreign nation from the same communist domination that had caused so much human misery in the Soviet Union, Eastern Europe, Korea and China.

The victory of the North Vietnamese communists did not usher in an era of peace. Instead, it plunged Southeast Asia into a new and even darker era of bloodshed.

Today the communist government of Vietnam presides over one of the world's poorest and least free nations. The communists won a military battle over their southern countrymen, but they have utterly lost the war of ideas.

America and its Vietnam veterans need make no apologies for what motivated our involvement in the war. The war was an idealistic effort to defend the freedom of a people far removed from us in miles and culture.

Robert McNamara and his colleagues in Washington may have been "terribly wrong" in how they pursued the Vietnam War, but Americans were not wrong in their motives for entering the war. The fall of Saigon was a bitter experience for Americans, but it proved to be even more bitter for millions of people in Southeast Asia.

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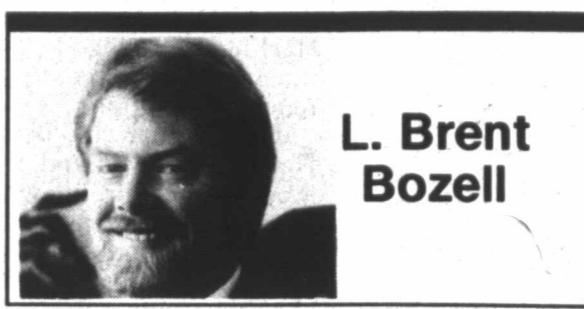
THE SWORD OF DAMOCLES

Sen. Alfonse D'Amato has never won a Congeniality Award from the national media. His annoying tendency to get reelected no doubt disturbs the many New Yorkers who are responsible for delivering our national news. Add to that his role in retiring media hero Mario Cuomo and his determination to investigate the Clinton finances from his chairmanship of the Senate Banking Committee, and you have a man the media would enjoy bringing down.

So, when D'Amato mocked Judge Lance Ito on a radio show, sporting a Japanese accent the judge does not have, the network news pounced, reporting this as a scandal of real substance, a two-day story. NBC's *Today* show held a solemn interview with Rep. Norman Mineta, with co-host Katie Couric explaining with great seriousness that Mineta and his family were interned by their own country in World War II.

Gaffes are a powerful tool in the hands of the national media. Games can strengthen media caricatures in the public mind, creating character sketches in 25 words or less: the flighty volubility of Newt Gingrich, the stop-lying nastiness of Bob Dole, the spelling of Dan Quayle and now the clumsy ethnic satire of Al D'Amato.

In late January, the networks struck a similar pose of outrage when House Majority Leader Dick Armey misspoke by calling gay Rep. Barney Frank "Barney Fag." CBS's *Evening News* made the game its No. 1 story Jan. 27. That same night, ABC's *Evening News Tonight* flagged the story in its opening seconds. A couple of minutes later, anchor Catherine Crier asked: "Was it a slip of the tongue or a sign of deep prejudice? ... Mr. Armeys wields enormous



L. Brent Bozell

power over all kinds of legislation, including laws that deal with discrimination and civil rights. What Mr. Armeys says matters."

Even simple ideological labeling is, considered an impolite slur - if the label is placed on a liberal. In a CNN interview after his speech to the nation April 6, Newt Gingrich called the Democratic leadership "a small, left-wing clique." That offended reporter Bob Franken, who asked: "Why would somebody want to sit down with you - and this gets to basic Newt Gingrich - why would someone want to sit down with you who you call names, you call left-wing, for instance?"

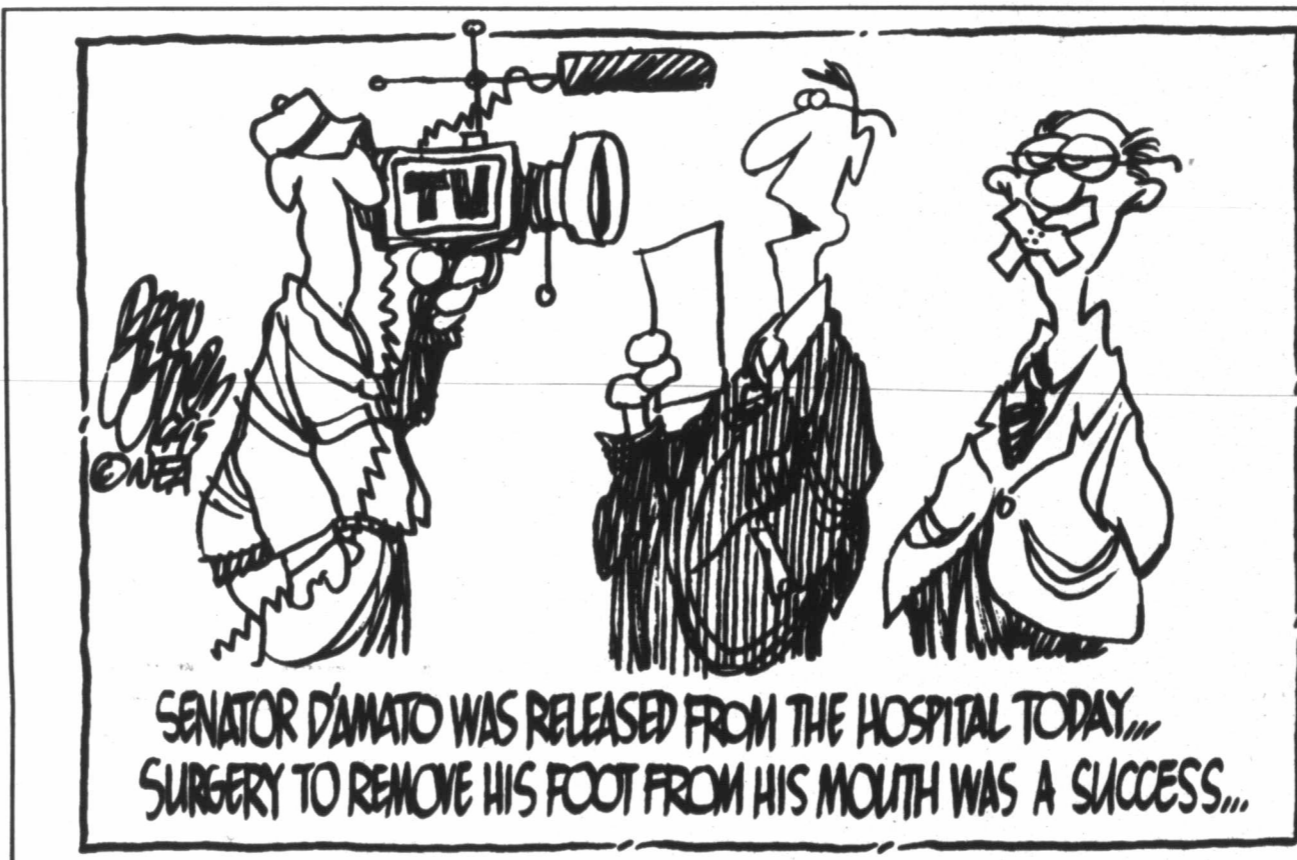
The liberal media are suffering from an achingly obvious double standard, and they just can't be that blind to it. On March 21, Rep. John Lewis took to the House floor and compared the Republicans to the Nazis, paraphrasing an anti-Nazi saying from World War II: "They're coming for our children, they're coming for the poor, they're coming for the sick, the elderly and the disabled."

No network considered it news that night to report a liberal Democrat had labeled the GOPs as Nazis. When NBC's Jim Miklaszewski aired Lewis' remarks on the March 22 *Today* show, he

followed with Republican Clay Shaw calling them "an outrage." Then, Miklaszewski amazingly suggested the attack was acceptable political discourse by dismissing it: "Outrage or not, Democratic attempts to paint Republicans as heartless budget cutters are beginning to hit home." The closest thing to network criticism of Lewis' remarks came from Miklaszewski and Bob Schieffer calling the debate - the debate, not Rep. Lewis - "nasty." On ABC's *Good Morning America*, Bob Zelnick simply termed the debate "emotional." The Lewis outrage was not a one-time occurrence but a recurring theme of the Democrats that's yet to spur any media scrutiny. A few weeks back, Rep. Charles Rangel compared Republicans to Nazis in a letter to Rep. Bill Archer - no network coverage there. In December, Jesse Jackson declared: "The Christian Coalition was a strong force in Germany. It laid down a suitable, scientific, theological rationale for the tragedy in Germany. The Christian Coalition was very much in evidence there." No coverage followed on ABC, CBS or CNN; NBC simply mentioned the slander.

Comparing the modern Republican Party to hate-filled slaughterers of millions simply does not strike the network types as far-fetched, no matter who says it. Could this really reflect their own views?

In 1992, one prominent American pronounced: "In the 1920s, the Ku Klux Klan urged the nation to adopt family values and to return to old-time religion. Similarly, Adolf Hitler launched a family-values regimen. ... In the modern United States, new proponents of family values continue this tradition of fear and intolerance." More bigoted bile from the Rev. Jackson? No, an ABC Radio commentary by Hugh Downs.



Today in history

By The Associated Press
Today is Monday, May 15, the 135th day of 1995. There are 230 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:
On May 15, 1972, Democratic presidential candidate George C. Wallace was shot and left paralyzed while campaigning at a Laurel, Md., shopping center. Wallace's assailant, Arthur Bremer, was sentenced to 63 years in prison, although the sentence was later reduced.

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In 1602, Cape Cod was discovered by the English navigator Bartholomew Gosnold.

In 1886, poet Emily Dickinson died in Amherst, Mass.

In 1911, the U.S. Supreme Court ordered the dissolution of Standard Oil Company, ruling it was in violation of the Sherman Antitrust Act.

In 1918, U.S. airmail began service between Washington, Philadelphia and New York.

Television continually fails to cover religion

Not all of the fallout from the Oklahoma City bombing has consisted of crass advantage seeking by politicians. One gratifying result of the tragedy was a report on the *NBC Nightly News* about the strength and succor the people of Oklahoma City derive from their Christian faith.

It was the most positive report I've ever seen on television about the Christian religion. The reporter stressed that Oklahoma City, and by extension, the heartland of the United States, is a very religious place. The camera settled on graffiti scrawled on a wall near the bomb site - it read, "The Lord is my rock and my redeemer."

The story went on to offer glowing descriptions of the people of Oklahoma City - their generosity, openness, honesty and integrity - interspersed with video of people singing in church, children at their sides. The viewer was left with the unmistakable impression that religion, specifically Christianity, is part of what makes these people so virtuous.

That is a remarkable departure from usual practice on television. In the usual case, a Christian must oppose the ordination of women priests, be accused of sexual abuse or murder an abortion doctor to get mentioned on television.

The Media Research Center (113 South West St., Alexandria, Va. 22314) released a study last March of religion's treatment on television. Their findings reveal a pattern of neglect that is striking.



Mona Charen

The MRC studied the five major evening news programs, *ABC World News Tonight*, *CBS Evening News*, *CNN's World News*, *NBC Nightly News* and *The MacNeil-Lehrer NewsHour* during the year 1993. Of 18,000 stories, only 211 dealt with religion (excluding stories about the siege of the Branch Davidian compound at Waco and the World Trade Center bombing). Of those, only 134 were taped pieces featuring a reporter; the remainder were short anchor reads.

Of the religion stories that did make the news, most (60 percent) were coverage of Pope John Paul II's visit to the United States.

What about all those magazine programs? They have hundreds of hours to fill. The MRC looked at *Day One*, *Prime Time Live*, *20/20*, *Eye to Eye*, *48 Hours*, *60 Minutes*, *Street Stories*, *Dateline* and *Now*. And for good measure, they also included *This Week With David Brinkley*, *Face the Nation* and *Meet the Press*. For the entire year of

1993, these shows dealt with religious issues only 18 times. Seven of those stories concerned the Catholic Church. One followed the pope's visit to the United States. Six dealt with sex abuse by priests or the church's "rigid" stance on priestly celibacy.

Among the four networks (five, if you include PBS), there is exactly one full-time religion reporter. Her name is Peggy Wehmeyer, and she was recently hired by ABC - for which the network deserves honorable mention. But I learned about her existence by reading *TV Guide*. I have yet to see one of her reports on the air.

According to media critic Michael Medved, there are signs of movement on television. The once entirely bleak landscape is showing a few points of light. CBS produced *Christy*, a series about a devoted Christian teacher in turn-of-the-century Appalachia. The lawyers at MacKenzie/Brackman (*LA Law*) managed to hire a genuine born-again Christian who is neither a nut nor an extremist. And ABC produced *Thea*, a comedy series about a widow whose profound Christian commitment helps her to instill solid values in her children.

Still, in the more than 1,000 hours of entertainment reviewed by the MRC, negative references to the clergy outnumbered positive ones 4-to-1. Portrayals of lay believers were even worse, with 68 percent of churchgoers depicted negatively and only 18 percent shown positively.

Liberals hope bombing will improve Big Brother's image

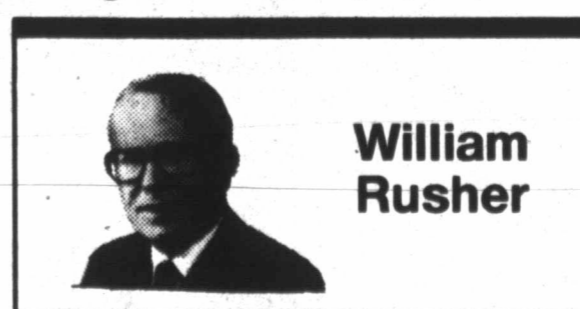
No one who understands our liberal politicians and media doubted for a moment that they would seize the opportunity provided by the unspeakable tragedy in Oklahoma City to make a little political hay for themselves. Some of these people would pass out propaganda leaflets at funerals if they thought there were any votes in it.

Usually, though, the dirty work is left to second- or third-level operatives. So I was surprised when President Clinton, after feigning statesmanlike emotions for several days, yielded to his instinct to kick his foes in the groin and stepped down into the mud-pit himself.

"We hear," Mr. Clinton declared, "so many loud and angry voices in America today whose sole goal seems to be to try to keep some people as paranoid as possible... They spread hate. They leave the impression, by their very words, that violence is acceptable." He indicated that these were "things that are regularly said over the airwaves in America today."

Now whom do you suppose Mr. Clinton was talking about? He carefully didn't say, thereby insuring that his smear would injure as many people as possible. But it was obvious - as his horrified aides implicitly admitted when they fanned out all over town to deny it - that his chief target was Rush Limbaugh, whom Mr. Clinton attacked by name in an interview last June.

The lame suggestion that Mr. Clinton was really referring to various crackpots on short-wave radio is preposterous; he couldn't have named a



William Rusher

single one of them if his life depended on it. No, his target was Limbaugh, about whom not one of Mr. Clinton's carefully chosen and deliberately damaging words was true.

The Oklahoma City bombing gave liberals their biggest high since those heady hours on Nov. 22, 1963, when they briefly believed John Kennedy's assassin was a "right-wing extremist," rather than the Marxist traitor he turned out to be.

It will be interesting to see how they try to harness this tragic event to the cause of gun control. Will Congressman Charles Schumer, D-N.Y., now introduce a bill requiring registration of all purchasers of fertilizer or fuel oil? Or will he admit that "Explosives don't kill people - people do?"

But the chief hope of the liberals is that the Oklahoma City bombing can somehow be used to improve the image of Big Brother. As it was put by the knee-jerk liberals who dominate the news

pages of the *Wall Street Journal*, "At a minimum, the horrific pictures of destruction in America's heartland seem likely to reduce public tolerance for advocates of anti-government philosophies."

I doubt it very much. It certainly wouldn't if photographs could show all the human misery caused by the destruction of millions of black families by liberalism's deadliest invention, Aid to Families With Dependent Children. By paying teenagers to have illegitimate children and then insisting that they be raised in single-parent households, AFDC all but foreordained the stoned youngsters, teenage gangs, savage criminals and crack-addicted mothers who now infest our inner-city ghettos.

Or (to go further back, and look further ahead) how will the surviving liberals 35 years hence explain to the public that Social Security was always just a Ponzi game, and that the working Americans of that grim day must choose between betraying their parents' generation or bankrupting their country and themselves?

I have wasted too many years telling myself and my readers that at least the liberals' intentions were good. The fact is that they have known the truth about both AFDC and Social Security for decades, and haven't lifted a finger to avert either disaster.

Abjuring hatred, precisely what is the appropriate reaction to that performance? We are in the presence of crimes without a name - unless the name is genocide.

Lifestyles

Getting those dirty stains out

Homemaker's News By Donna Brauchi



ever, have no effect on oily stains, and it may cause a problem on fabrics that are sensitive to water, such as silk and rayon.

Salt water and vinegar solutions are said to be effective in setting dyes before laundering an item of clothing. There is no research showing that any home treatment will "set" a dye. If the garment is not colorfast when it is purchased, it is not possible to make it colorfast.

Hair spray is often used for removal of ink stains. The alcohol in hair spray can remove some ink stains, but it can also remove some fabric dyes. Before using, one should test an area in an inconspicuous area or better use isopropyl alcohol.

Sunshine is used for keeping white clothes white. In fact, hanging white clothes in the sun may cause yellowing of the garments.

This is due to the optical brighteners used in many fabric softeners and detergents today. These brighteners actually break down in artificial or sunlight which causes a yellowing of garments.

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Stains are difficult enough to get out when you can see them before they go into the laundry, but when stains are not visible until after the item is laundered, it becomes a particularly annoying problem. Since unknown stains seem to be a problem for many, the International Fabricare Institute (IFI) analyzed in excess of 42,000 items with "mystery" stains. By doing this, the Institute identified several categories of unknown stains.

One of the most common causes of unknown stains are water soluble dyes. Often, even if a care label is followed, any contact with water will cause a garment's dye to bleed. This occurs in both laundering and drycleaning. Dye transfer can occur in both expensive and inexpensive items. Price does not in any way determine colorfastness. Consumers need to be aware of the possible instability in some dyes used today, and if a problem occurs that they are entitled to an exchange of merchandise.

Consumer-caused stains are also a big problem. This kind of unknown stain is caused by the consumer spilling a substance on the garment that may not be visible before washing. Common invisible stains are soft drinks, cocktails, corn syrup, fruit juices and honey. When the stain dries into the fabric it may be undetectable, but if it is left in, the garment may oxidize into a yellow stain. The additional heat from the launder-

ing process increases this oxidation and sets the stain.

Items left in pockets are often the culprit of difficult, unknown stains.

Of course, checking items before laundering is crucial. If however, an item such as a crayon or lipstick escapes the check, the dryer drum may be stained. These drum stains must be cleaned before they stain other garments.

This should be done by using a spray cleaner, a laundry pretreat product, or a mildly abrasive cleanser.

After the drum has been cleaned, one should tumble a load of wet old rags, or towels on regular temperature for a least 20 minutes.

There still may be visible signs of the stains on the drum, but they will not transfer color to future loads.

Fabric softeners can be a source of unknown stains. If a fabric softener is poured directly on an item, it may leave a stain. The stains will vary in color depending on the softener used, or it

may be a gray color if it has attracted soil from the laundry. These stains are easy to remove. Simply dampen the area, rub it with a bar of soap and launder the item.

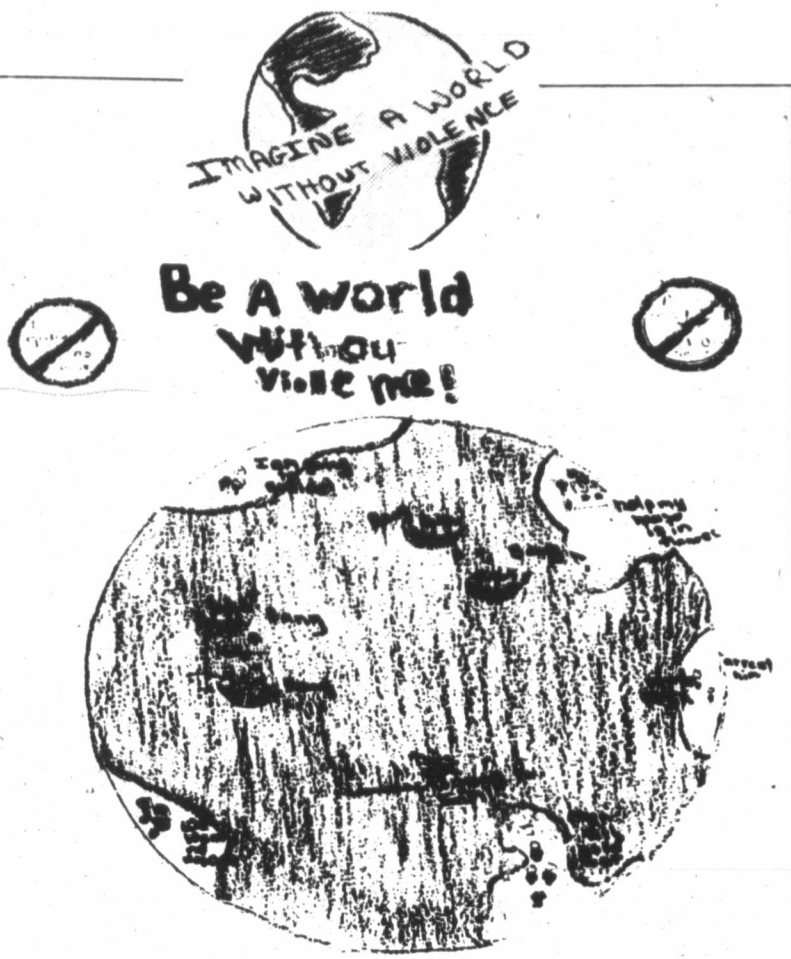
Consumer substances that may also cause color changes/stains are any acidic, alkaline, or alcoholic products.

Mild alkaline products such as toothpaste, perspiration, and facial soaps, or acidic products including deodorants, and hair sprays, are often to blame for unknown stains.

Perfumes contain alcohol so they are often responsible as well. Even rain can leave spotty stains if it has picked up impurities from the air. All of these may dry invisible, but age and exposure to heat will cause them to become visible.

There are many stain removal solutions that people may believe in.

Some may work, and some may not. Some of those include: Club soda may be useful if applied immediately before a stain has time to set. It will, how-



cause this is happening

Teryn Stowers 4th grade Austin School

"Be A World Without Violence! Because This Is Happening"—Teryn Stowers, Austin Elementary School, first place in the fourth-grade category of the Tralee Crisis Center coloring contest, "Imagine A World Without Violence." The Tralee Crisis Center, a non-profit organization, helps victims of violent crime. To show our readers how some of the youngsters in our community envision what our world would be like without violence and to show them what hope our children hold, *The Pampa News* is running drawings entered in the contest twice a week.

Area Newsmakers

A former Pampan, Glee Little, EVN, went to Sonora, Mexico, with the Flying Samaritans, based out of Arizona, on a medical mission.

The Flying Samaritans is a nonsectarian international, philanthropic organization that provides health care services to those living in Mexico.

This is a volunteer group of physicians, dentists, nurses, pharmacists, pilots and translators who share their time, talents and resources to operate free clinics at over 20 locations in Sonora and Baja California.

The medical care provided in

these clinics is sometimes the only source of health care for those living in these regions.

The Flying Samaritans have a motto which says, "There is a destiny that makes us brothers... none goes his way alone. All that we send into the lives of others... comes back into our own." — Edwin Markham.

Jason C. Laramore, a 1994 graduate of Cooper High School in Abilene, graduated from the United States Air Force Basic Training at Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio.

Laramore was assigned as element leader for his flight during

the six week basic training.

He will remain at Lackland AFB for the his training and then be stationed at Sheppard AFB in Wichita Falls to complete his training.

He will train in electronic principles of the F-15 and the F-11 fighter planes in the areas of attack control systems, avionics and penetration systems of these aircraft.

Laramore is the son of former Pampa Chief of Police Jim and Jo Carol Laramore, now of Abilene, and the grandson of Lloyd and Phyllis Laramore and the nephew of Vic and Dee Dee Laramore, all of Pampa.

Club News

The business meeting of Altrusa International, Inc. of Pampa was held May 8 in the Biarritz Club of Coronado Inn.

Thirty-two members were present and one guest, Sherry Diggs.

Mary Wilson announced an Orientation Meeting for Monday, May 15. Becky Holmes reported that program, standing, and special committees had been assigned for the coming club year. Jeanne Mitchell announced that membership dues were due. The board recommended and the club approved that unused money budgeted for Emergency Dental Care and GED testing be donated to charitable dental care. Also approved was the transferring of funds from the General

Operating Fund to be obligated for the refurbishing of the Senior Citizens Center Quiet Room.

Members sang "Happy Birthday" to Irene Smith who celebrates her 90th birthday on May 11. Glyndene Shelton gave the accent on "Controlling Stress". Altrusa will meet on at 7 p.m., May 22, in the Starlight Room of the Coronado Inn.

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Marriage Is Cooling for Wife Who Lacks Heat of Passion

DEAR ABBY: I am a woman in my early 40s and have been married for 12 years. My husband is a good man, an excellent provider and a wonderful father to our three children. Ours would be a perfect marriage, except for the fact that I have absolutely no desire for sex.

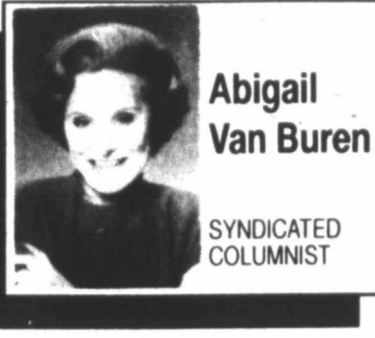
This is not a problem that surfaced after our marriage. I was married before (briefly), and it was the same story. At the beginning of a sexual encounter, I experience a shivery feeling for about eight or nine seconds — then the feeling quickly passes. I don't know whether that would qualify as an orgasm or not because I'm not sure I've ever had one.

My husband is a very patient, understanding man and has never complained. I have consulted two psychiatrists. The last one referred me to a sex therapist, but I didn't go. I even tried hypnosis, but it didn't work for me.

Abby, to be perfectly frank, my lack of interest in sex is putting a strain on my marriage. I don't miss sex, but my husband does. If you or your experts can come up with a solution, I would be eternally grateful.

SEXLESS IN MAINE

DEAR SEXLESS: No one can come up with a solution to your problem unless you are willing to cooperate and see it through. There can be many reasons for a lack of interest in sex. To rule



Abigail Van Buren
SYNDICATED COLUMNIST

out the physical, discuss this with your physician and ask for a complete physical examination. If everything checks out, then it's possible that the psychiatrist who recommended a sex therapist is on the right track. Please heed that advice.

DEAR ABBY: Whenever I have a holiday dinner for family, my mother-in-law causes a problem.

There are usually from eight to 15 people seated at my dining room table. Everyone knows that my husband always sits at the head of the table, and I sit at his right. This seat is convenient for me because I get up frequently.

When called to sit down to dinner, my mother-in-law asks me where she should sit, and I tell her to sit "anywhere," but I sit here because I need to be close to the

kitchen.

I am the last one to sit down, of course, and more than once I have found that my mother-in-law has parked herself in my chair.

I don't want to be rude by asking her to move, and I don't want to have any arguments, especially during a holiday dinner, so I take another seat and wind up at the far end of the table.

Abby, what do you suggest I do next time? She is a very jealous, stubborn, self-centered person.

DAUGHTER-IN-LAW

DEAR DAUGHTER-IN-LAW: Use place cards at your next family dinner. It will not only give your party an elegant touch, you will also eliminate the seating problem with your mother-in-law. Since she obviously wants to sit next to her son (your husband), seat her to his left.

For Abby's favorite family recipes, send a long, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for \$3.95 (\$4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Cookbooklet No. 1, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

Horoscope

Tuesday, May 16, 1995

Although you usually prefer to operate independently, there are indications that you might become more partner-oriented in the year ahead. You will probably form several alliances.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You aren't apt to have trouble gaining support today if others understand that you're trying to do something for their benefit as well as your own. 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 \$2.75 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, NY 10163.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) A joint endeavor should go smoothly today, pro-

vided that none of the participants try to upstage the other. Leave your ego at home and strive to think as one.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Probabilities look strong for an usually good return on your commercial dealings today. Take advantage of this foothold and concentrate on success.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Today you might feel an extremely strong urge to put your personal imprint on all of your projects. Fortunately, when you make your mark, you won't offend others.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) This could be one of your more creative days, especially for making changes at home. There is a strong chance the furniture will get rearranged yet again.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Seek positive associations today because people you're with will have a very strong influence on your attitude, aspirations and agenda.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You mustn't dillydally today if you see possibilities for financial gain. You are in a very lucky cycle and this is not the time to be timid

or lethargic.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Put your best foot forward today so that your admirers will have something constructive to imitate. There will be power in the example you establish.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) In order to function more productively today, create an environment in which you can operate at your own pace, using your own concepts and methods.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) It could prove beneficial for you at this time to broaden your network of acquaintances. Take advantage of friends offering to introduce you to someone new.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) A goal you've been pressing for might require just a tad more effort at this time. Success is within your grasp. Keep the faith.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) To advance your personal interests today, it might be necessary to take a calculated risk. Once you make your decision, be bold in your methods and tactics.

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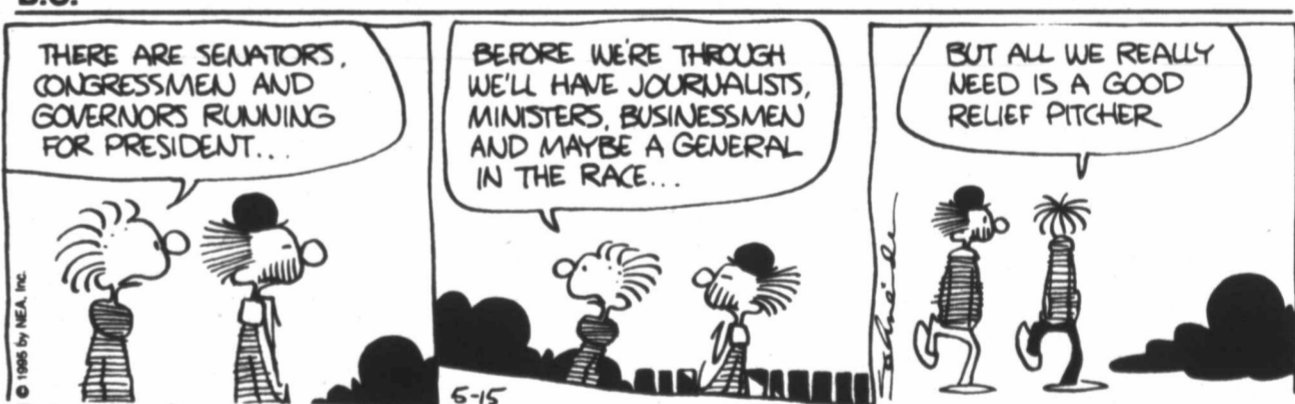
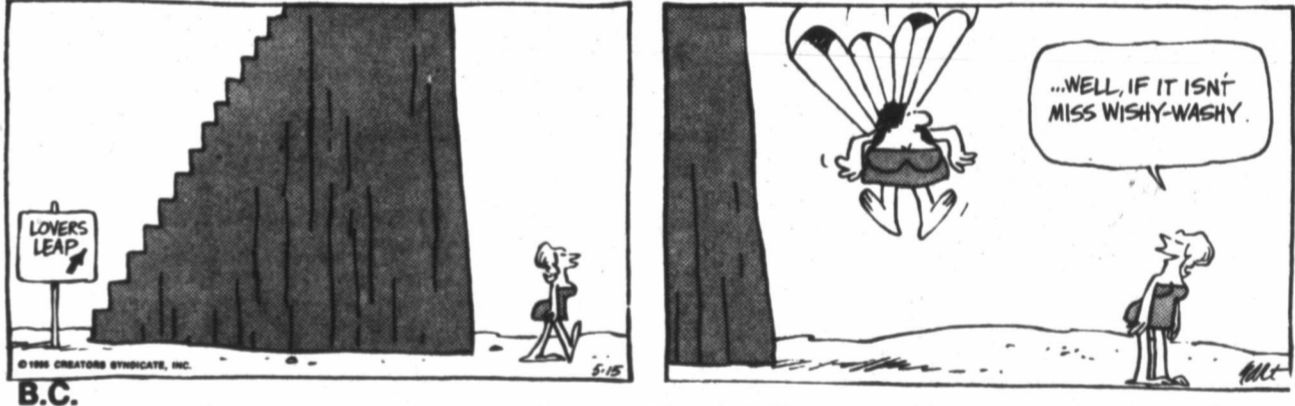
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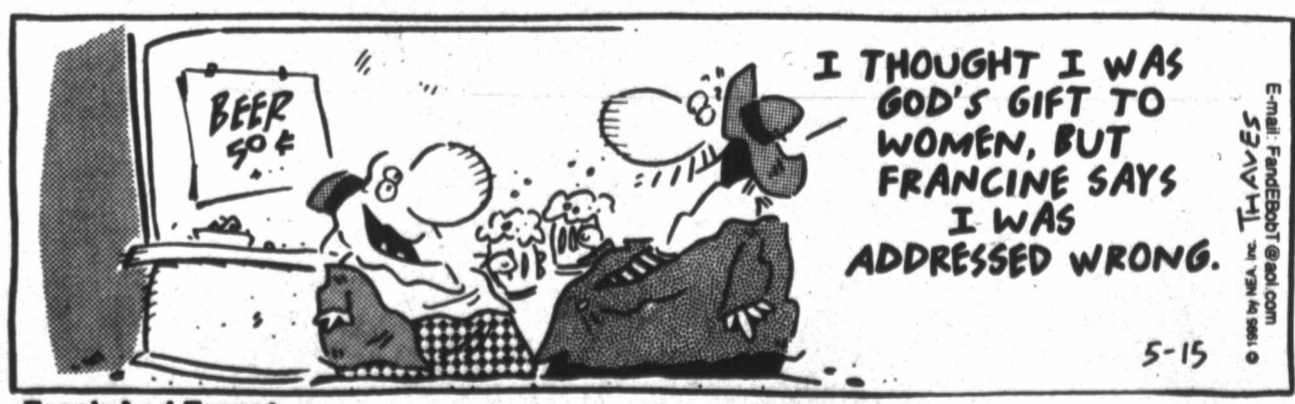
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Sports

Notebook

FOOTBALL

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — Former NFL coach Tommy Prothro, who took Oregon State and UCLA to the Rose Bowl in consecutive years, died Sunday at his home after a three-year bout with cancer. He was 74.

Prothro, a member of the National Football Foundation's Hall of Fame, coached the Los Angeles Rams in 1971 and 1972, finishing with a 14-12-2 record. He went to San Diego the next season and resigned in 1978 with a 21-39 record.

KEYSTONE, Co. (AP) — Big 12 coaches, putting themselves at odds with most of their bosses, voted unanimously Sunday against a conference playoff.

Shortly afterward, Big 12 athletic directors adjourned their own meeting, saying they may not be ready to make a firm recommendation by the end of their five days of meetings.

BOXING

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — Michael Moorer kept alive his hopes for a rematch with heavyweight champion George Foreman with a unanimous 10-round decision over Melvin Foster on Saturday night.

The bout was a co-feature with Lennox Lewis' successful return after losing the WBC title to Oliver McCall. Lewis, 26-1 with 22 knockouts, stopped Lionel Butler in the fifth round. Moorer is 36-1 with 30 knockouts.

HOCKEY

WINNIPEG, Manitoba (AP) — In a last attempt to keep the Winnipeg Jets from leaving, the city council was to meet today with Manitoba Premier Gary Filmon to review a plan shaped by the city's financial leaders.

The deal reportedly includes \$110 million from the private sector for the purchase of the team and future losses. The city, provincial and national governments would have to add \$37 million each to build a 16,000-seat arena.

The agreement must be in place by noon Thursday or the team will be sold to a Minnesota group for \$65 million.

BASEBALL

BALTIMORE (AP) — In the first salary case ever decided by three arbitrators, the Baltimore Orioles beat third baseman Leo Gomez on Saturday.

The three-person panel, which heard the case Friday, awarded Gomez \$925,000, up from \$550,000 last year. He had asked for \$1.85 million.

MIAMI (AP) — Vinny Castilla homered and Dante Bichette doubled twice Sunday night to help the Colorado Rockies beat the Florida Marlins 6-3.

Castilla also singled home a run, scored twice and went 3-for-4, improving his batting average for the past seven games to .571. Bichette scored once, drove in a run and extended his hitting streak to 13 games.

Kevin Ritz (2-0) won his second game in a row, shutting out Florida for five innings before being knocked out in the sixth. He allowed five hits and three runs.

Florida left the bases loaded in the sixth and eighth innings. Darren Holmes retired Jerry Browne on a foul pop to end the eighth, and Bruce Ruffin pitched a one-hit ninth for his fifth save.

Florida, which ended a six-game losing streak Saturday against Colorado, has lost 11 of its past 12 home games.

Colorado scored three times in the sixth against Pat Rapp (0-3) to take a 4-0 lead.

Spurs stifle cold-shooting Lakers

By JOHN NADEL
AP Sports Writer

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP) — Dennis Rodman, turned into a spectator by his no-nonsense coach, was hardly missed by the San Antonio Spurs.

This time, anyway. David Robinson had 26 points and 22 rebounds before fouling out with 1:18 remaining Sunday as the Spurs stifled the cold-shooting, mistake-prone Los Angeles Lakers 80-71.

The Spurs, who never trailed, hold a 3-1 advantage in the best-of-7 Western Conference semifinal series and can wrap it up by beating the Lakers in Game 5 on Tuesday night in San Antonio.

With Rodman watching from the end of the San Antonio bench — and at times chatting and laughing with a fan sitting next to him — the teams combined for 151 points, the NBA's second-lowest scoring playoff game since the shot clock was introduced in 1954. In 1955, Fort Wayne beat Syracuse 74-71.

"I thought our guys had their hearts and energy into it, but it just didn't work out," Lakers coach Del Harris said. "We looked a little bit slow. It's really tough when you shoot 35 percent to look good."

It was actually 36 percent — the Lakers made a franchise playoff-low 27 field goals in 75 attempts. The Spurs didn't do much better, making 32 of their 78 floor shots (41 percent). But that proved to be enough.

Rodman angered Spurs coach Bob Hill when he failed to participate in a huddle during the second half in Game 3 Friday night. After being replaced, he took his shoes off, wrapped a towel around his head and proceeded to lie down on the court.

About 45 minutes before Sunday's game, Hill said he hadn't yet made up his mind if Rodman would start. But when the lineups were introduced, it was Terry Cummings at forward along with Sean Elliott, not Rodman.

"It was a disciplinary move," Hill said. "I was going to use him if we had needed

him. I had a quick discussion with the (coaching) staff at one point in the third quarter. We just didn't need him. J.R. Reid played a great game.

"We changed our coverages, that caught them off guard a little bit. It was like chess."

Cummings had six points and nine rebounds while Reid, who also played at Rodman's forward spot, had all but one of his 15 points in the second half.

Rodman, meanwhile, sat and watched. At times, it appeared he wasn't paying much attention to the game.

"There's a lot of things I do that people take out of context," he said afterward. "I just go with the flow. I'm not your average basketball player that lets everything affect me."

"I do a lot of things that a lot of players don't do on and off the court and he looked at as I'm not being professional. ... I'm too much of a child."

"I just do what makes Dennis Rodman go. It's not really hurting anybody." Hill sees the situation differently.

"He just has to completely become a part of our team," the coach said. "This has been a normal existence for us all year long. If I had \$10 for every meeting I had with Dennis Rodman this year, I wouldn't have to coach."

When asked about Rodman's status for Game 5, Hill said: "We'll get on the plane and digest what happened. Dennis doesn't hold grudges and neither do I. We'll re-evaluate the situation."

The Lakers outscored the Spurs 10-4 in the first seven minutes of the third quarter to close to 50-49, but got no closer. San Antonio scored the next 11 points — eight by Reid — to make it 61-49, and Los Angeles trailed by at least seven points after that.

"I think this is really the first game of the series that we really stepped it up and played the way we're capable of playing," Robinson said. "We really cut down on their fast breaks. We didn't give them a lot of easy buckets, and that's a credit, because last game, that's what killed us."



(Pampa News photo)

Bill Harwood of Pampa tees off Saturday at Hidden Hills. Hospice of the Panhandle's fifth annual golf scramble was held over the weekend with 76 players entered in the event.

5th annual Hospice scramble held at Hidden Hills course

PAMPA — Final results in the Hospice of the Panhandle's fifth annual benefit golf scramble held over the weekend at Hidden Hills are listed below.

Proceeds from the four-player, 18-hole scramble goes to Hospice of the Panhandle, a non-profit organization that provides care for terminally ill patients and support for their families throughout nine counties of the northeastern Texas panhandle.

There were 19 teams or 76 players entered in this year's scramble.

Nicklaus Division

First place: Chuck White, Phyllis White, Gregory White and Douglas

White, 57.

Second place: Corey Stone, Jerry Stephens, Robert Morris and Ron Loter, 58.

Third place: Kelly Everson, Todd Meharg, Mike Hargas and Roy Don Stephens, 60.

Palmer Division

First place: Greg Vanderlinden, Herman Waite, Jerry Steed and Gary Griggs, 63.

Second place: Bill Simon, Bob Simon, Vincent Simon and Ed Haley, 65.

Third place: Dawson Orr, Jim Baker, Regina Scroggins and Tom Lindsey, 65 (lost scorecard play-off).

Flaherty knocks in four runs to help Rangers past Tigers

By JAIME ARON
AP Sports Writer

ARLINGTON (AP) — Detroit manager Sparky Anderson knows it won't last, but he can't help but enjoy the fact light-hitting catcher John Flaherty has as many RBIs this season as slugger Cecil Fielder.

"I'm really glad for him," Anderson said after Flaherty's career-best four hits and four RBIs led the Tigers to an 8-3 victory Sunday over Texas. "He's better now than he was (last year). There's no question about that."

Flaherty went 4-for-5, raising his season average from .265 to .333. He also upped his RBI total to seven — the same as Fielder.

Twice he came up with the runners on second and third, and both times he drove them home. The first time was in the second inning to give Detroit a 3-0 lead, then in the ninth to break the game open 6-3.

"I've been working on my situation hitting," said Flaherty, who also singled leading off the sixth and eighth innings. "(Coach) Larry Herndon and Travis Fryman have been telling me I'm going to get a good pitch to hit, but I just have to wait for it. I did that today. I felt relaxed and I waited. Instead of thinking I've got to drive them in, I was waiting for a pitch I wanted and didn't care if I got behind in the count."

Flaherty, who hit .150 in 40 at-bats last year, didn't impress Anderson enough to make him the full-time starter. Anderson is sticking with his plan to let Flaherty catch Mike Moore and David Wells, and let Ron Tingley catch Buddy Groom and Sean Bergman.

With Bergman and Groom set to start Tuesday and Wednesday against Baltimore, that means Flaherty may not see much action until Thursday.

"That's showing him you appreciate his contribution," Anderson said, smiling.

Flaherty's big day from the No. 9 spot in the lineup overshadowed a nice game from the seemingly all-or-nothing-hitting Fielder.

Fielder hit his fifth home run of the year in the second inning to score Detroit's fourth run and he scored their fourth run in the third. He was then walked three times to load the bases, although the Tigers never capitalized.

Fielder, who went 1-for-2 including a groundout in the ninth, raised his average 10 points to .177. Fielder leads the team with five homers but he has only 11 hits overall.

He's obviously not expected to hit .300, but he is expected to drive in runs. Having only seven and being tied with a part-time catcher isn't a good sign.

Curtis ties Dunlap for lead in National Bambino League race

Curtis Well Service shocked Glo-Valve Industrial with a 2-0 record for first place in the Optimist Major National Bambino League.

Casey Meharg, with help from Michael Campos, was the winning pitcher. Shawn Strate, Randy Tice and Nathanael Hill pitched for Glo-Valve.

Meharg scattered five hits and only allowed the heavy hitting Glo-Valve team one earned run in three innings pitched. He struck out four and walked two. Campos surrendered only one hit, three earned runs while walking six in two innings. He struck out four.

Strate was touched for six hits and five earned runs in two innings. He struck out four and walked one. Tice allowed three hits and four bases on balls while striking out five. Hill gave up four runs on two hits with two walks and three strikeouts.

Glo-Valve took the lead with two runs in the bottom of the first inning on a single by Tice, a walk to Kyle Keith and a double by Matt Driscoll. Tanner Dyer also singled in the inning.

Curtis scored six runs in the second on a walk to Schuyler Danner, singles by Jarod

OPTIMIST BASEBALL

Allen, David Sigala and Shane Story, a fielder's choice on a ball hit by Taylor Stellman and doubles by Hayden Wade and Danner.

A fine relay throw from Aaron Willis to Hill to Tice caught Campos at the plate. Campos reached base on an error.

In the third inning, Curtis added two more runs on a single by Ryan Black and four walks. Back to back home runs by Black and Allen in the fourth upped Curtis' lead to 10-2. Keith and Strate walked for Glo-Valve in the fourth and both moved around to score on wild pitches.

Curtis scored three times in the fifth inning on walks to Anthony Carbone and Wade and doubles by Meharg and Black.

Glo-Valve tried to come back in the bottom of the inning on walks to Taylor Harris, Matthew Smith and Tice sandwiched around a double by Isaish Manaznares, but Campos settled down to get the last two batters to end the game an inning early because of the time limit.

Dunlap Industrial and Curtis lead the National League with 2-0 records. Glo-Valve falls to 1-1.

Pampa High School tennis players honored at banquet

PAMPA — Billy DeWitt, Brooks Gentry and Cami Stone have been named players of the year for the Pampa High School tennis varsity. These players and other team members were honored at the recent PHS tennis banquet.

DeWitt, a senior co-captain, had a combined 54-20 singles and doubles record in finishing his Harvester career as the school's all-time victories leader with 135. He combined with Gentry to make the Region 1-4A doubles semifinals this

spring as the duo had a 37-8 yearly mark.

Gentry, a junior, had a 52-13 combined singles and doubles record in being a co-player of the year for the second consecutive year. Stone, a sophomore, had a 37-23 combined mark which included a team-high 31 singles victories. She was a District 1-4A singles semifinalist.

Senior David Kludt and freshman Halley Bell were given the Most Improved Player Awards. Sophomore Kyle Easley and freshman

April Lopez received the Hustle Awards.

Senior co-captain Marissa Grabato received the Leadership Award.

The varsity ended the year with an 11-10 dual record, one tournament title and two tournament runner-up finishes.

Individually, varsity members claimed five singles tournament titles and four doubles tournament championships. The junior varsity had a 4-5 yearly dual mark.

The Pampa High tennis teams are coached by Larry Wheeler.

Astros home woes continue

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Astros, perennially an outstanding team at home, haven't been winning anywhere except the road this season.

"I'd be more concerned if we hadn't played well on the road and came home and played like this," manager Terry Collins said Sunday after Philadelphia beat the Astros 5-2 to cap a three-game sweep at the Astrodome.

The Phillies have won 10 of 11 and own baseball's best road record at 10-2 and best overall record at 13-4.

Greg Jefferies had a two-run homer as the Phillies never led by less than three runs after the first inning.

The Astros led for only one inning in the entire series.

The Phillies outscored Houston 17-9 and outthrew them 34-20.

"Obviously, we didn't play anything like we're capable of," Collins said. "But these things run in cycles, and we're in a bad one."

Philadelphia manager Jim Fregosi agreed.

"We're definitely in a good cycle," he said. "I'm just glad to get out of town

before Jeff Bagwell gets going."

Bagwell, the 1994 National League MVP, is hitting .156. The Astros, 1-5 at home, are averaging 7.5 runs per road game, but only 2.2 in the Astrodome.

On the recent nine-game road trip preceding the Phillies series, the Astros scored 72 runs and never scored fewer than five runs in any game.

At home, the Astros have yet to score more than five runs in a game, and only once scored more than three.

"We'll get it going here," Collins said. "You have to remember Philadelphia has a heck of a team. They had a lot to do with this."

Paul Quantrill (3-0) pitched seven shutout innings before tiring in the eighth. He allowed five hits and two runs in 7 1-3 innings. He did not walk a batter, and he retired 18 consecutive batters between the second and eighth innings.

Fregosi called Quantrill's performance the best in the right-hander's career.

"He was very good out of the bullpen last year, and it looks like he's going to do very well as a starter," Fregosi said.

Jefferies' homer off of Todd Jones with one out in the seventh gave the Phillies a 5-0 lead. Jefferies' second homer of the season scored Mickey Morandini, who singled.

"This team is playing with a lot of confidence and doing all of the right things," Morandini said. "Last year, we had a lot of injuries, and that set us back. But this year we're healthy and playing up to our potential."

Singles by Tony Eusebio and Andy Stankiewicz with one out in the eighth, and pinch-hitter Milt Thompson's double scored one run, and the Astros added their final run when Stankiewicz scored on a wild pitch.

"I was running out of gas," Quantrill said. "With this team, you don't have to feel like you have to go the distance or pitch a shutout. If you just hold the other team close, these guys will find a way to win."

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- Joined
- Long-haired cat
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- Vegetable
- Girl's nickname
- Alien
- Boxer
- Willard
- Vast age
- Possessed
- Not even
- Roman
- Girl's nickname
- Still
- Uncle (Sp.)
- Costa — Sol
- Soupe du —

DOWN

- Football coach — Rockne
- Sharpens
- Do a pilot's job
- Outfit
- Of a North Atlantic nation
- Neb.'s neighbor
- Outfit

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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ATRIPLY **EELEPOY**
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Virologists search for source of the sinister killer Ebola virus

By **KARIN DAVIES**
Associated Press Writer

KINSHASA, Zaire (AP) — Bob Swanepoel is like a detective who's been waiting for years for a sinister killer to strike again — and give himself away.

The South African virologist is one of the medical experts from around the world who are converging on a Zairian city plagued by the Ebola virus, one of nature's most mysterious and hideous killers.

"I knew it would happen again, and I've been waiting 20 years for it," Swanepoel said Sunday before departing with 225 pounds of laboratory equipment for Kikwit, the epicenter of the infected zone, 370 miles east of the Zairian capital Kinshasa.

Scientists have seen outbreaks of Ebola, or related strains, in 1967 and 1976. At 59, Swanepoel said, he may not get another

chance to study a virus he's only known firsthand lurking in flasks in "a clear pinky liquid."

In Geneva, Richard Leclair of the World Health Organization said three new confirmed cases, all of them in Kikwit, were reported Sunday, bringing the total to 79. Of those cases, 59 have died.

Cases have been confirmed in the Kikwit-area villages of Musango, Vanga, Yassa Bonga, and Kenge. Kenge, 125 miles east of Kinshasa, is more than halfway from Kikwit to the capital and lies near the main road to Kinshasa.

In Bergamo, Italy, a spokesman for the Sisters of Poverelle, Rev. Arturo Bellini, said a fourth Italian nun of the order died Sunday in Kikwit. Dinarosa Belleri, 58, was last Italian nun of the order working in Kikwit. In Rome, Pope John Paul II offered prayers Sunday for the nuns.

President Mobutu Sese Seko canceled a scheduled trip Sunday to Paris because of the outbreak.

Kikwit, a city of 600,000, has been quarantined. Health workers were moving into the area Sunday to dispel fears, inform people how to avoid contracting Ebola and try to trace people who were in Kikwit's hospital but have left.

"The total number of cases and deaths will be increasing," as more people are traced, WHO spokesman Valery Abramov said in Geneva. Leclair said health workers are covering Kikwit street by street to persuade possible victims to report to the hospital.

The United States government donated \$25,000 of medical supplies, including blood plasma and protective clothing, which arrived in Kinshasa on Sunday.

There is no vaccine or cure for Ebola, which kills 80 percent of

those who contract it, usually within days. Victims suffer from violent diarrhea and vomiting, and finally die with blood pouring from their eyes, ears and noses.

Specialists from the WHO, the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, France's Pasteur Institute and South Africa's National Institute for Virology will first try to prevent Ebola's spread — cool off the hot zone, as they say.

But beyond the humanitarian mission, what drives the "swamp stompers" is curiosity, Swanepoel said.

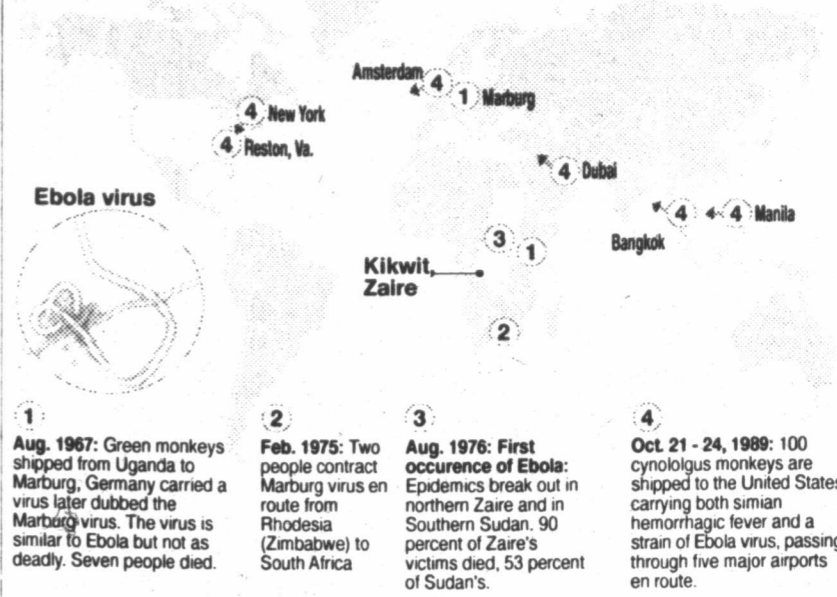
"If you asked scientists, 'What gives us kicks?', it's 'Where does this all come from?' That's our holy grail," he said.

On the surface, the scientists work well together. They stay in touch by E-mail and fax and fly to outbreaks of unusual, deadly diseases like bees to honey.

Deadly virus

More than 100 people in Zaire have died from the Ebola virus. The outbreak appeared in Kikwit and may have spread to nearby Mosango. There is no known treatment or cure.

Past occurrences of Ebola and related viruses



Source: The Coming Plague

AP/Wm. J. Castello

Senator says filibuster will fail in the end

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Phil Gramm is renewing his threat to filibuster a vote on the nomination of Dr. Henry Foster to be surgeon general, but fellow Republican Sen. Bob Packwood predicts that delaying tactic will fail.

The administration also was upbeat about the nomination, with White House Chief of Staff Leon Panetta predicting that Foster will get a vote on the Senate floor and "if he comes to a vote, we're confident that he'll win."

Gramm, R-Texas, said on NBC's *Meet the Press* that he would "do everything in my power to stop this nomination," including launching a filibuster to keep the nomination from coming to a vote.

It appears that the Tennessee obstetrician-gynecologist is close to the 51 votes needed for confirmation, but getting 60 votes to end a filibuster could be a more difficult hurdle.

But Packwood, R-Ore., the chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, said on NBC he thought Foster had excellent qualifications and he planned to support him. "My hunch is on this one that the filibuster won't last long," he said.

Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan, D-N.Y., agreed: "Phil (Gramm) will talk at some length, but in the end Dr. Foster will become surgeon general as he ought."

Foster's nomination to succeed Joycelyn Elders as the nation's top spokesman on health issues has been marred by questions about his record of performing abortions and his knowledge of a syphilis study among black men in Alabama.

Two Republicans running for president, Gramm and Sen. Majority Leader Bob Dole of Kansas, have spearheaded the opposition, with Dole threatening to use his office to keep the nomination from a Senate floor debate.

After Foster performed well in Senate Labor and Human Resources hearings earlier this month, Dole promised to meet him before deciding on taking the nomination to the floor.

The committee has scheduled a vote for May 24. So far, one Republican member of the panel, James Jeffords of Vermont, has said he would support Foster.

Lawn ornament takes vacation

GRAPEVINE, Texas (AP) — The quack is back.

And what a vacation it was! A yellow plastic duck that disappeared from the front yard of Jess and Judy Daniels last spring reappeared recently.

They'd feared it had fallen victim to a mauling dog, but no.

The culprit left a photo album logging the duck's travels to some of the landmarks of Europe and the United States.

"I went out to get the paper a few weeks ago, and the duck was back with the photo album beside it," Daniel said. A wrapper proclaimed: "The World Quack Tour 94-95."

The album contained 43 vacation photos, including Ducky cavorting with Canada geese in London's Hyde Park, Ducky peering out from the gardens of Notre Dame in Paris and Ducky at the Gateway Arch in St. Louis.

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