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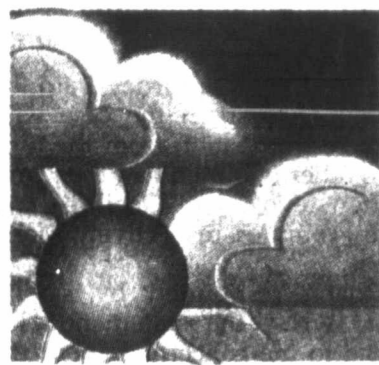
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PAMPA — The Pampa Mall will be observing Western Days on Saturday, with a gun show, a gunfight, a bicycle rodeo and other events.

A gun collection show will be on display at the mall, along with authentic coins and knives, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. The National Association of Friends will be demonstrating line dancing from 2-3 p.m.

Country General will be sponsoring its Old West Days events beginning at 12 noon, featuring fun, food and other festivities, including a professional gunfight by the Perryton Peacemakers.

In addition, children are invited to participate in a bicycle rodeo, riding bicycles through a safety course and receiving an official bicycle driver's license from the Pampa police. Kids ages 2-5 may enter a stick horse race between 1:30 and 3:30 p.m. for the chance to win a free battery operated stick horse.

Covered wagon rides will be available in the parking lot, and cowboy poet Levi Rutledge of Woodward, Okla., will be on hand. Hamburgers, soft drinks and cotton candy will be available.

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — The red tide remains in Corpus Christi Bay, but city officials say the number of dead fish washing ashore has decreased.

Lawrence Mikolajczyk, collections superintendent at the Corpus Christi Solid Waste Services Department, said Thursday that city workers have picked up tons of fish killed by the red tide algae bloom during the past week.

Red tide is caused by microscopic algae. When waters are warm and still, red tide cells can reproduce quickly, clouding the water with a reddish color and killing fish.

The dead fish inundated the city's bayfront with a fishy stench. Red Tide covered as much as half of the bay.

DALLAS (AP) — Three Central Texas high school students who got into trouble for drinking beer during a school trip to the State Fair of Texas are back in good graces.

They went undercover and helped authorities nab some of the vendors who illegally sold them the beer.

Lt. Don Engleking of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission said the students from Hutto High School were able to buy beer from 19 of the 32 vendors they approached at the fair on Thursday.

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Mann, Roach discuss issues during forum

By CHIP CHANDLER
Staff Writer

District attorney candidates John Mann and Rick Roach came out swinging Thursday, with the Democratic incumbent attacking his opponent's honesty and the Republican challenger assailing Mann's record and part-time prosecutor status.

The two candidates spoke at a forum Thursday afternoon at the Hoechst Celanese plant west of Pampa. Each candidate was allowed about 10 minutes, though both went over, for separate speeches to the employees.

"If you have got to compare the experience of the candidates and what the real, candid, honest, unvarnished, unsugarcoated truth is in deciding who you want for your district attorney, you know I think one of the ways to do that is deciding about credibility and integrity ...," Mann said, "and the candor and the complete truthfulness with which your candidates put out their literature."

The Democrat then asked the crowd of approximately 60 Celanese employees to examine Roach's brochure which the Republican had set out prior to the forum.

Mann pointed their attention to a statement attributed to Tom Grantham, a local certified public accountant and a Miami school trustee, that calls Roach a "fierce litigator and aggressive prosecutor."

"Even though my opponent has been the chief prosecutor of misdemeanors in his county for over a year longer than I have been the chief prosecutor of felonies ...," Mann said, "he has never yet taken a case into court for trial as the county attorney.

The court records in the Roberts County Courthouse bear that out. Who do you want to go in and represent you trying the next Henry Watkins Skinner case, God forbid? Someone who's tried over 200 jury trials, or someone who in six years has never taken a case to trial?" Mann asked.

Skinner was sentenced to death in 1995 for the 1993 murders of Twila Busby and her sons Elwin Caler and Randolph Busby Jr. Mann was appointed district attorney in April 1992; Roach was elected as Roberts County attorney in 1990.

Roach retorted later that the bulk of his own experience in criminal law has been in prosecution, referring to Mann's 15 years experience as a criminal defense attorney.

"Mr. Mann states correctly that I have never tried a case in Roberts County. I have tried cases, civil cases ... but the criminal aspects of Roberts County ... tend to be limited to DWI's and small time marijuana cases that come through... We have not had the necessity to try these cases simply because the defendants were already willing to plead guilty. We didn't need to, much along the same lines as Mr. Mann handles a great majority of the cases, the felony cases here," Roach said.

During his comments, Roach pressed hard on Mann's status as a part-time district attorney who maintains a private law firm.

"The purpose of the Professional Prosecutors Act, which was enacted in 1985, was to encourage the full time prosecution of criminals, to encourage lawyers to become full time, professional prosecutors who do nothing more than prosecute criminals. ... I believe that we

need a full-time prosecutor; I do not believe that the job can be adequately done with a part-time prosecutor, which we have," Roach said.

He questioned the fact that Mann says he can handle the job as a part-time district attorney but has an assistant district attorney.

"As a full-time prosecutor, I will not need an assistant. Mr. Mann said it is impossible to do this job without an assistant. I would have you contact five other individuals who are full-time prosecutors ... in the area ... none of whom have an assistant," Roach said, citing among others 100th District Attorney Randall Sims.

Roach said the Professional Prosecutors Act was written, in part, to prevent district attorneys from taking referral fees from other attorneys.

"The idea is that when they enacted this statute they did not think it was proper for a prosecutor to be conducting business deals with the same lawyers who represent criminal defendants ... It creates ... potential conflict. I'm not saying that the conflicts currently exist; all I'm saying is that the temptations are there," he said.

Another proposal by Roach — community prosecution — also stirred comments from the candidates.

In proposing the plan in his brochure, Roach pointed out that Mann recommended probation for a man accused of sexually molesting an eight-year-old girl in Allison. The man, Jimmy Ray Donaldson, was later given probation for having sex with a 16-year-old girl and subsequently sentenced to prison on federal child pornography charges.

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Canadian foliage



(Pampa News photo by Chip Chandler)

The sun glistens through the yellowing leaves of a cottonwood on Formby Road near Lake Marvin at Canadian. Canadian will hold its 39th annual Fall Foliage Festival beginning Saturday. The foliage drive is located along the eight-mile drive to Lake Marvin. Also scheduled are a photography exhibit, the tour of homes and an arts and crafts show. The festival runs through Sunday.

U.S. to sell F-16 jets to Indonesia

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Clinton administration plans to go ahead with a sale of nine F-16 fighter jets to Indonesia despite congressional objections on grounds of alleged human rights abuses in that country.

A top State Department official disclosed the sale in little-noticed testimony at a Senate hearing a few weeks before questions surfaced about potential improper influence by an Indonesian banking family whose members and associates have given heavily to Democratic candidates.

House Speaker Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., said the sale should be postponed. He told reporters Thursday he thinks the administration "should suspend any activities in regard to Indonesia until there's time for hearings" in Congress about the Indonesian contributions.

Gingrich said he expects several committees to investigate after Congress returns in January. "There's something fishy in this whole Indonesian connection," he said on CNN's *Larry King Live* program.

The fighter is built in Fort Worth, Texas, by Lockheed Martin.

Assistant Secretary of State Winston Lord told a Senate panel last month of administration plans to notify Congress formally in January of its intention to proceed with the sale. Lord expressed concern about Indonesia's human rights record but said the administration believes the jet sale was in the interest of the United States because it would bolster stability in East Asia.

Elk hunt success



(Pampa News photo by Darlene Holmes)

Gerald Sanders of Pampa shows the six-point herd bull elk he shot during a hunt in Pagosa Springs, Colo. Elk season opened Oct. 12. Sanders got his elk the first morning out. Hunting companions included his son-in-law, Vic Snider and Harry Tracy, both of Pampa, and cousins Dale Baker and Olen Baker of Odessa, who all got their elks the second day out. Sanders, who returned to Pampa Wednesday, has been hunting in the Pagosa Springs area for 32 years.

United Way drive tops 42 percent toward goal

The Pampa United Way fundraising drive neared the halfway mark after totals were recorded at Thursday's volunteer check-in luncheon meeting.

United Way Executive Administrator Katrina Bigham reported this morning that the latest collections and returned pledge cards push the 1996 campaign totals to \$133,873.48, reaching 42.5 percent of the \$315,000 goal.

"There's still a whole bunch out" yet to be turned in, Bigham said, including collections from employee drives at some of the bigger firms.

"It takes the bigger firms a bit longer to turn in" all of their collections, she noted.

Bigham encouraged the campaign volunteers to push during the next two weeks to get their cards and donations collected and turned in to the office. The Pampa United Way drive officially ends on Oct. 31, though some collections will still be turned in after that date.

At Thursday's check-in meeting, drive chairman Jack Reeve told the volunteers to "keep up the good work, keep painting," referring to the United Way drive theme, "Paint a Brighter Tomorrow."

Reeve noted that as an additional means of raising funds for the United Way this year, tickets are now on sale for a chance to win an official NFL Miami Dolphins football autographed by Zach Thomas, former Pampa High School and Texas Tech University player in his rookie year as a middle linebacker for the Dolphins.

Tickets for the raffle, with the drawing to be held during the halftime at the Pampa Harvester football game on Nov. 1, are \$5 each. Various businesses and civic clubs are assisting in the sale of the tickets, with all proceeds going to the Pampa United Way.

Civic clubs selling the tickets include Pampa Kiwanis Club, Pampa Rotary Club and Pampa Shrine Club. Tickets are also available at the Pampa United Way office in the Pampa Community Building, as well as at Boatmen's First Pampa Banking Center, FirstBank Southwest, Culberson-Stowers Inc., Heard-Jones Health Mart, Wayne's Western Wear and Pampa Office Supply.

Sponsoring Thursday's check-in luncheon were the Texas Panhandle Mental Health Authority, Golden Spread Council Boy Scouts and the Southside Senior Citizens Center.

The fourth check-in meeting will be at 11:45 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 23, at The Salvation Army building.

Funding collected in the 1996 United Way drive will provide assistance for 17 service agencies and organizations in the 1997 operating year.



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Daily Record

Services tomorrow

HENDERSON, Opal Orene - 10 a.m., Morrison Funeral Directors Memorial Chapel, Dumas. Graveside services, 1 p.m., Fairview Cemetery, Pampa.
SPENCER, Mamie - 10 a.m., Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors Colonial Chapel, Pampa.

Obituaries

OPAL ORENE HENDERSON
DUMAS - Opal Orene Henderson, 79, a former Pampa resident, died Wednesday, Oct. 16, 1996, at Memorial Hospital in Dumas. Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in Morrison Funeral Directors Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Vince Kolb, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, officiating. Graveside services will be at 1 p.m. in Fairview Cemetery at Pampa with the Rev. Richard Coffman, pastor of Grace Baptist Church of Pampa, officiating. Burial will be under the direction of Morrison Funeral Directors of Dumas.
 Mrs. Henderson was born May 15, 1917, in Love County, Okla. She married Carl Henry Henderson on July 21, 1938, at Pampa; he died Sept. 17, 1988. She moved to Pampa in 1951 and from Pampa to Dumas in 1988. She worked as a cashier at Your Laundry and Dry Cleaners in Pampa for over 30 years and was a member of Grace Baptist Church.
 She was preceded in death by a sister, Faye Morris.
 Survivors include three daughters, Barbara Black of Elk Hart, Kan., Shirley Elaine Pattie of Amarillo and Lois Smith of Dumas; a sister, Ruth Tucker of Friona; 10 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.
 The family will be at 219 N. Meredith in Dumas and requests memorials be to Memorial Hospice, 224 E. 2nd, Dumas, TX 79029.

Calendar of events

- PAMPA AREA LITERACY COUNCIL**
 Pampa Area Literacy Council office will be open from 9 to 11 a.m. and 1 to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday. For more information, call 665-2331.
- PAMPA BRIDGE CLUB**
 Pampa Bridge Club meets at 2 p.m. Sunday in Room 11 at Clarendon College. For a partner, contact Marie Jamison at 669-2945.
- THEE PLACE**
 Thee Place for Singles is open 7-10:30 p.m. Saturdays at 520 W. Kingsmill.
- MOBILE MEALS**
 Mobile meals menu for Saturday, Oct. 19, is roast, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, rolls, dessert.
- PAMPA SHRINE CLUB**
 The Pampa Shrine Club will meet at 7 p.m. today at the Sportsman's Club. For more information, call President James H. Lewis at 669-8056.
- BORGER VFW DANCE**
 The Borger Veterans of Foreign Wars Post will be having its Halloween Dance from 8 p.m. to midnight Saturday at the post home, 101 S. Main in Borger. Music will be provided by the Bobby Wynne Band. Admission is \$5 per person.
- MACEDONIA BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST**
 Macedonia First Baptist Church, 441 Elm, is to host its monthly fellowship breakfast beginning at 8 a.m. Saturday. The menu includes pancakes, toast, eggs, juice and coffee. The Rev. L.L. Patrick and church family invites the public. For more information call 665-4926.

Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Atterbury Grain of Pampa

Wheat	4.12	up 1/8
Milo	4.48	dn 1/8
Corn	5.15	up 1/8

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

Occidental	25 1/8	dn 1/8
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The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation

Mutual	78.29	up 1/8
Puritan	16.82	dn 1/8

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

Amoco	75 1/4	up 1/8
Arco	132 1/2	up 1/8
Cable	28 1/4	up 1/8
Cable O&G	15 1/4	dn 1/4

Fires

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

THURSDAY, Oct. 17
 9:15 a.m. - Three units and seven personnel responded to 1147 S. Clark on an alarm malfunction.
 7:27 p.m. - Three units and six personnel responded to the intersection of Hobart and Somerville on a motor vehicle accident.

Police report

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

THURSDAY, Oct. 17
 Theft of 35 to 40 compact discs was reported at Pampa High School and occurred between 11:20 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. Wednesday.
 A 35-year-old woman reported aggravated assault in the 100 block of South Dwight.
 Five yards of unsorted sand was reported dumped at Pam Apartments, 1200 N. Dwight, between 9:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. Thursday.
 Information about someone possible obtaining medication by fraud was reported at Albertson's Pharmacy, 1233 N. Hobart on Tuesday.
 A 22-year-old man reported aggravated assault - domestic violence at 201 W. Kingsmill at 5 p.m. Thursday.

FRIDAY, Oct. 18
 A 19-year-old man reported assault in the 1100 block of Neel at 2 a.m. Friday. He suffered black eyes made by fists, hands and a beer bottle.

Arrests
THURSDAY, Oct. 17
 William Roudet Britton, 43, 113 S. Dwight, was arrested on a warrant alleging aggravated assault (family violence) with deadly weapon and a warrant alleging possession of a controlled substance under one gram. His bond is \$500.
 Jorge Luis Cordero a/k/a Juan Manuel Aldaba, 24, 315 S. Ballard, was arrested on a charge of possession of controlled substance with intent to deliver - cocaine four to 200 grams. His bond is \$500.
 Jose Rivas Moreno, 18, 619 Carr, was arrested at Pampa Municipal Court on five capias pro fine warrants totaling \$1,440.

FRIDAY, Oct. 18
 Sedrel Allen McGuffin, 38, 709 E. Scott, was arrested in the 600 block of South Barnes on three warrants and two instanter.

Sheriff's Office

Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following incident and arrests in the 24-hour period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

THURSDAY, Oct. 17
 Evading arrest was reported in the 500 block of North Hobart.

Arrests
THURSDAY, Oct. 17
 Jana Elizabeth Turlington, 22, 510 N. Starkweather, was arrested on bond surrenders from Randall and Potter counties. On the Randall County charge, her bond is \$500 cash or \$1,000 surety; on the Potter County charge, her bond is \$500 cash.
 Michelle Lea Miller, 26, 1821 Charles, was arrested on a charge of violation of probation. She is remanded to the custody of Gray County jail until she completes a term of confinement at a substance abuse felony treatment facility.
 Jason Dewey Kysar, 21, Clarendon, was arrested on a bond surrender and charge of theft of property by check. His bond is \$1,500 on the theft charge. His bond is \$20,000 on the bond surrender.

Accidents

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

THURSDAY, Oct. 17
 7:26 p.m. - A 1996 Ford pickup driven by Louella Bledsoe Kirby, 49, White Deer, was in collision with a 1993 Chevrolet driven by Ricardo Cruz, 18, 702 E. Browning, at the intersection of Hobart and Somerville. Kirby was cited for failure to yield right of way on a left turn. Cruz was cited for having no proof of liability insurance.
 11:10 p.m. - A 1981 Pontiac owned by Hope Rodriguez, 810 Jorden, and with an unknown driver, was in collision with a dumpster, forcing it into a chain link fence owned by Sally Britton in the 500 block of North Faulkner. The Pontiac fled across a field and was then abandoned by the driver. Damage to the fence and dumpster totals \$700.

Ambulance

Rural/Metro reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

THURSDAY, Oct. 17
 7:29 p.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to the intersection of Hobart and Somerville on a motor vehicle accident. No patient was transported.
FRIDAY, Oct. 18
 4:49 a.m. - A mobile ICU unit responded to the 1100 block of Seneca on a medical assist and transported one patient to Columbia Medical Center.

Emergency numbers

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

Police capture burglar suspected of striking rich, famous

GREENWICH, Conn. (AP) - Police found a directory of the rich and famous in America when they arrested a man suspected of stealing millions of dollars in silver from wealthy residents.
 Blane David Nordahl is a suspect in 50 burglaries along the East Coast, including break-ins at the homes of Ivana Trump in Greenwich, Bruce Springsteen in Rumson, N.J., and sportscaster Curt Gowdy in Palm Beach Gardens, Fla. He was arrested Wednesday in

Sparta, Wis., on a federal fugitive warrant and faces extradition to Connecticut, where he is wanted for a half-dozen burglaries that netted an estimated \$400,000, the *Greenwich Time* reported Thursday.
 He was being held on \$500,000 bond.
 Two cats he traveled with were turned over to the Humane Society.
 Nordahl, who served time for burglary, is wanted for dozens of break-ins in Connecticut, New York,

Issues

Mann defended his recommendation of probation on the molestation case, saying he was following the girl's family's wishes.
 "They thought about it, and the [girl's] grandfather called me at home a few nights later and he said, 'we've met about it, and we've prayed about it, and we don't want her to have to go through that trial.' So I agreed to recommend to the court that he be put on probation," the district attorney said.
 "My response to that would have been, number one, this little girl has already been victimized and while I'm concerned about the feelings of the parents with regard to the little girl, that I would have an obligation to other eight-year-old girls in the community to see to it that this pedophile was off the street," Roach replied.
 Mann also defended later recommending probation for Donaldson, pointing out that it is a legal defense if the defendant can prove promiscuity on the part of a girl "just under the age of majority."
 "I could have taken the easy way out, and just said, 'I can't, I don't have a case because he's got promiscuity proven.' And I could

have just not taken the case, period. My thinking was that knowing I couldn't win it in court, at least get a conviction on his record so that some day in the future we can, when they bring me a case that's prosecutable, do something to him," Mann said.
 "Let's give my opponent credit with respect to the first aspect of getting the probation for the first offense. With respect to the second offense, he would have been on probation at that time, and the way that I would have handled that would have been to revoke his earlier probation and send him to jail at that time, rather than to go ahead and give him probation again so that he could get involved in other matters regarding children," Roach responded.
 "The (community prosecution) plan is that after cases have been disposed of, that there will be public input regarding the way the cases were disposed of. The victims will only be one aspect of that. The public has an idea about how they want criminals prosecuted," Roach said.
 "If I'm elected as district attorney I will not give probation, recommend probation to any person that is charged with dope. The same is true for any person that is charged with child abuse, any burglary, or any violent criminal," Roach later said.

Mann, in his comments, also discounted a statement attributed to Darla Brown of Miami calling Roach a "family man who believes in and adheres to traditional family beliefs and values."
 The incumbent claimed Brown in fact never wrote that statement, a charge Roach denied.
 "I'll stand by everything that's in there. And if Darla wants to come up and say publicly ... that she did not make this statement or she did not attribute this statement to herself, I would take issue with that," Roach said.
 Mann also refuted statements in Roach's brochure that implied cases were dismissed against two men accused of assaulting former Pampa resident Ron Carr.
 The district attorney said he tried one man in the case who received probation from the jury. The other two men had their probation revoked in Ochiltree and Gray counties, respectively, Mann said.
 Roach responded by saying Carr wrote the statement: "He came to me concerned about the way he was treated as a victim during the course of the prosecution of the defendants by my opponent. And he was very upset by the way he was treated and consequently he wanted to make a statement to the people regarding that type of treatment."

Police report: Fuhrman's claims false or exaggerated

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Former Detective Mark Fuhrman's claims that he beat suspects, fabricated evidence and let a suspect die in custody were all false or exaggerated, the police chief concluded in a report.
 The Police Commission said the report on allegations of misconduct against Fuhrman and other officers wasn't objective, and ordered Chief Willie Williams to rewrite it to better explain why most charges against Fuhrman could not be confirmed.
 "We haven't come as far as I thought we had ... in terms of the department making a very concerted effort to be objective about itself," Commissioner Edith Perez said Thursday.
 In a series of taped interviews with a screenwriter, Fuhrman bragged that he had tortured suspects and beat them "to mush" after a 1978 police ambush. Fuhrman had maintained the statements were exaggerations meant to impress the screenwriter.
 According to a 30-page summary of the Police Department's investigation obtained by the Los Angeles Times, teams of department investigators probed 29 allegations of misconduct against Fuhrman.
 Fuhrman's claim that police allowed a suspect to die in custody rather than let him receive treatment from a paramedic was unfounded, even though evidence surfaced that said police did block paramedics after an April 9, 1977, shooting, the summary said.

The executive summary attributes that to a "misunderstanding," and adds that the delay did not appear to contribute to the death of Lee Roy Dean, a suspect who had been shot by police.
 Investigators found incidents that paralleled the ones Fuhrman bragged about, but in almost every case, they concluded he was exaggerating or lying.
 "Each of Fuhrman's statements is refuted by the evidence, witness statements or a combination thereof," the executive summary states.

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Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST
 Fair tonight and not as cold with a low near 42 and south winds 10-20 mph. Saturday, sunny, breezy and much warmer with a high near 80 and southwest winds 15-20 mph and gusty. Sunday, a high in the mid 70s. Thursday's high was 61; the overnight low was 32.

REGIONAL FORECAST
 West Texas - Panhandle: Tonight, mostly clear and breezy. Lows in low to mid 40s. Saturday, warm. Becoming partly cloudy west. Mostly sunny east. Windy central and east. Highs 75 to around 80. Saturday night, partly cloudy with lows in the 40s.

South Plains: Tonight, clear. Lows near 40 to mid 40s. Saturday, mostly sunny and breezy. Highs in mid 70s. Saturday night, Fair. Lows near 50.
 North Texas - Tonight, clear and cold. Lows 37 east to 48 west. Saturday, sunny, windy and warmer. Highs 68 northeast to 78 southwest.
 South Texas - Hill Country and South Central: Tonight, clear and cool. Lows in the 40s. Saturday, sunny and pleasant. Highs in the 70s. Upper Coast: Tonight, clear and cool. Lows in the 40s inland, 50s coast. Saturday, mostly sunny and pleasant. Highs in the 70s. Coastal Bend and Rio Grande Plains: Tonight, clear and cool.

Lows in the 40s and 50s inland, near 60 coast. Saturday, mostly sunny, breezy and pleasant. Highs in the 70s, near 80 Rio Grande plains.
BORDER STATES
 New Mexico - Tonight, fair skies. Lows 20s and 30s mountains with 40s to around 50 lower elevations. Saturday, increasing cloudiness northwest, fair to partly cloudy elsewhere. Moderate afternoon breezes especially north. Highs 60s to mid 70s mountains and north with mid 70s to mid 80s lower elevations south.
 Oklahoma - Tonight, clear skies. Lows in low and mid 40s. Saturday, mostly sunny and windy. Highs in the 70s.

City briefs

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SALE TRALEE Crisis Center Resale - TVs, clothes, furniture. 10-2 p.m. Saturday only, 308 S. Cuyler. Adv.
CHANEY'S CAFE - Friday 5-8 p.m. Catfish, turkey and dressing, chicken fried steak. 716 W. Foster. Adv.

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Man found guilty in DWI fetus case

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — It's too soon to know how the conviction of a man who drove drunk into a pregnant woman's car, resulting in her baby's death, might impact laws determining when life begins, say groups on both sides of the abortion debate.

Frank Flores Cuellar, 50, was convicted Thursday of intoxication manslaughter in the death of Krystal Zuniga, who was born a month and a half premature because of the crash.

The case is one of the first in Texas to test whether a person can be held criminally liable for harming an unborn child. However, both abortion supporters and opponents said the implications of the verdict would remain murky until considered by an appeals court.

Cuellar's attorney refused to say whether she would appeal, citing a gag order that remains in effect through sentencing, scheduled for today.

"It's too early to know whether or not it's a setback," said Pauline Cashion, executive director of the Texas Abortion and Reproductive Rights Action League.

Still, anti-abortion groups hailed the conviction as a step toward tougher laws against criminals whose actions harm the unborn.

Cuellar faces two to 20 years in prison. He also is charged with driving while intoxicated and intoxication assault, for which he will be tried later. His defense had asked for the separate trial on the manslaughter count to avoid airing Cuellar's prior DWI convictions.

On June 15, Cuellar's blue Chevrolet Blazer veered into the wrong lane and crashed head-on into a car driven by Jeannie Coronado as she returned from a late-night trip to the grocery store.

Coronado, 7 1/2-months pregnant, gave birth to Krystal by emergency Caesarean section. Weighing four pounds and suffering extensive brain damage, Krystal died some 44 hours later.

When the verdict was read, Coronado clasped her hands together, smiled and nodded. Neither she nor the child's father, Julian Zuniga, would comment.

Defense attorney Anne Marshall argued her client never should have been charged because Krystal was not born at the time of the accident.

She cited the state's legal meaning of a person, defined in the penal code as an individual "who has been born and is alive."

"Krystal Zuniga has to be Krystal Zuniga," Marshall told the jury during closing statements. "She must exist as the penal code defines her in order to be a victim."

She urged jurors to set aside their emotions and base their decision strictly on the law.

Senator says he wasn't forced to pay child support

GREENVILLE, Texas (AP) — A state senator who helped pass stiffer penalties against deadbeat parents has defended himself against allegations he was forced to pay back child support.

Sen. David Cain, D-Dallas, said during a debate between District 2 Senate candidates Thursday that his children were his first priority.

Cain's ex-wife recently took him to court to force him to pay back child support and to get him to pay for half of their two children's private school educations, according to court records.

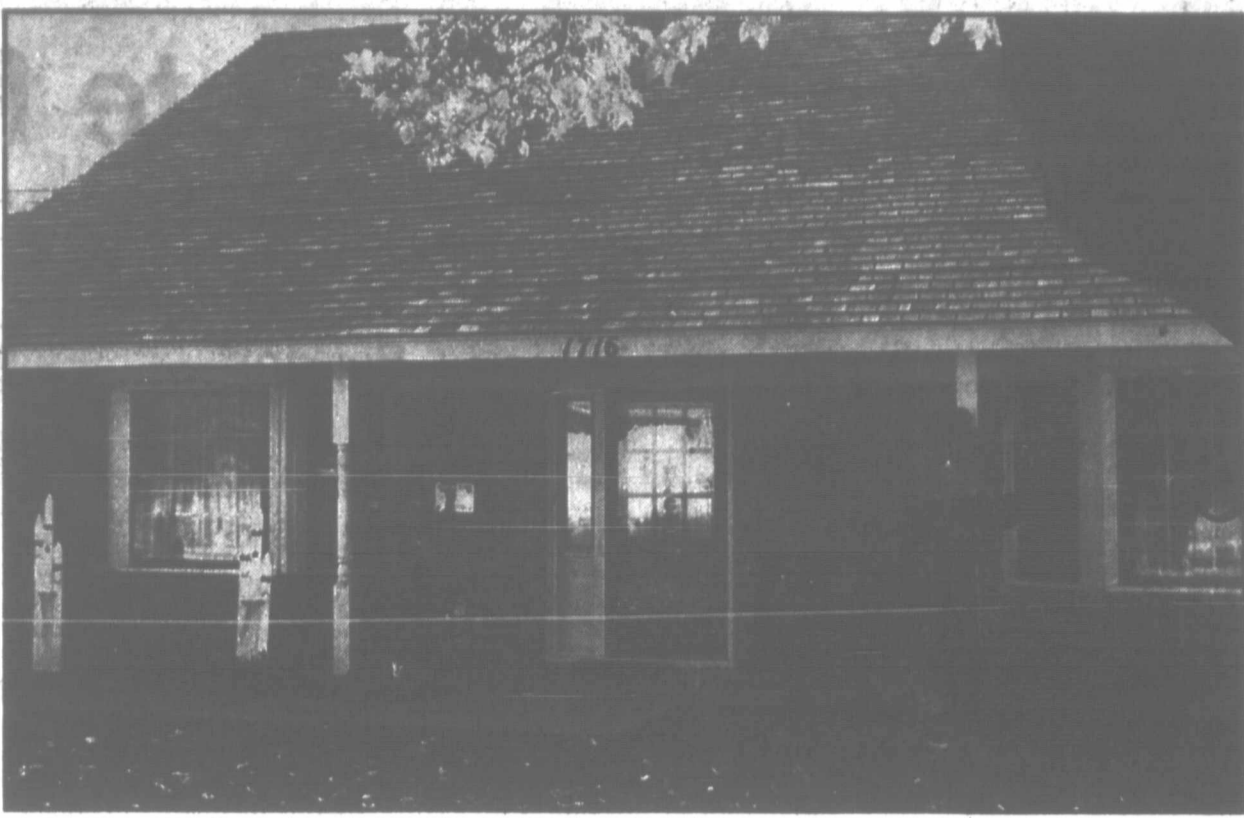
"She and I were divorced over eight years ago and we had a difference in opinion since that time, but we worked as a family to resolve those issues and reached an agreement over a year ago," Cain said of his divorce from Kathryn Hall in 1988. Their two children are now teenagers.

But Cain was not the only one facing allegations.

"My opponent's attack on me through my family for something that is essentially a family matter I find deplorable," Cain said of Republican opponent Bob Reese.

Reese denied allegations he leaked the story to the press. He said he has stuck to the real issues and upon hearing the report of Cain's back child support decided there was most likely nothing to it.

Halloween lane



Nesa and Joe Brown have provided a festive look for their house and yard on Holly Lane. A scarecrow, jack-o-lanterns and other decorations look forward to Halloween, arriving at the end of the month.

Moore County to host resource fair on issues for women and families

DUMAS — What's the best way to get answers to those nagging questions about — well, just living, staying healthy, taking good care of our families or building better communities?

One way is to kick off an event which brings the public and service agencies together in a convenient location, say organizers of the first of its kind resource fair scheduled Saturday in Dumas.

Called "Moore Women Helping More Women," the event will feature many issues of importance to women and families. The information day begins at 10 a.m. and ends at 5 p.m. in the Moore County Community Building, 16th and Maddox. There will be no admission fee.

Exhibitors will represent a cross section of civic, business, education and health service groups found in Moore County, and in nearby communities including Amarillo. Booths will be open all day.

"Often times just knowing who and where to call will make a difference in our quality of life," said Kandy McWhorter, Moore County Extension agent for family and consumer sciences.

The idea to mobilize resources and information in one location grew out of concerns expressed recently by Moore County Extension Service Program

Council. The event is being organized by Texas Agricultural Extension Service in cooperation with participating agencies and community volunteers.

"People need to know what services are possible in this community, and elsewhere in the Panhandle," the agent said.

Speakers featured at 1 p.m. will include Coco Medina, Medina Translating Service of Amarillo, who will address issues important to women in business.

At 2 p.m. Nell Campbell with Dalhart's Consumer Credit Counseling Service will discuss credit and debt management issues.

Moore County Judge Billie Faye Schumacher will introduce Rep. David Swinford of Dumas at 3 p.m. for a briefing on legislative issues important to area residents.

The day-long affair will offer many opportunities for contacts with the following participating organizations: Moore County Community Education Club, Region XVI Education Service Center's Early Childhood Intervention Program and Make A Wish Foundation.

"Convenience and access are basic to our program," McWhorter said. Language translators will be available for Spanish and Laotian speakers.

Information will be available from Amarillo's Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center, Panhandle Dietetic Association, Friends of the Library and Dumas Independent School District's distance education partnership program with Amarillo College, which offers college courses to local residents.

Other agencies will include Memorial Home Health and Hospice, National Home Health Care Division of Me Again, The Pilot Club, Meals on Wheels, Just Between You & Me, Amarillo Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse, Multiple Sclerosis, Moore County 4-H Clubs, Future Homemakers of America, Dumas High School Home Economics, Girl Scouts and Consumer Credit Counseling Service.

Representatives from FirstState Bank, Sun Bank, Natural Nutrition, Merrill Lynch, Outreach Health Services with WIC Program, Veterans Administration Medical Center, High Plains Hearing Aid Center, Safe Place Inc., Veterans Center, D.A.R.E., Moore County Historical Museum, Uniting Parents, First Baptist Church and KareMore Int. also will be participating.

With national and state election day approaching, organizers have also added the convenience of voter registration booths.

223rd District grand jury returns indictments

The following indictments were returned Wednesday during a meeting of the 223rd District grand jury. Listed are the charges, dates of alleged offense and bonds of those indicted.

- Jacqueline Marshman, 27, 1152 Prairie Dr., two charges of forgery by passing which occurred Aug. 14 and 15. Bonds total \$3,000.
- Kaye Norwood, 17, 1121 Sierra, two charges of forgery by making which occurred July 14. Bonds total \$3,000.
- Jose Antonio Bilbao, 21, Kansas City, Kan., a charge of possession of marijuana which occurred Oct. 10. Bond is \$20,000.

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- Betty Herron Belflower, 19, Mansfield, on a charge of forgery by making which occurred Jan. 21. Bond is \$1,500.
- David Allen David, 28, 608 N. Sumner, on a charge of unauthorized use of a motor vehicle which occurred June 29. Bond is \$5,000.

Commission approves cash value option, additional Cash 5 drawings

AUSTIN (AP) — Texans picking what they hope will be winning Lotto numbers soon will have another choice to make: whether to the total estimated jackpot spread over 25 annual payments or take about half of the amount as a lump sum.

The Lottery Commission on Thursday approved the "cash value" option.

Voting 2-0, commission members also approved the addition of two more weekly Cash 5 drawings and other changes. They said the changes give Texans the choices they want and will boost Lotto jackpot prizes.

Commissioner Anthony Sadberry was not present for the vote. However, he supported the proposals when the commission discussed them in August.

"Beginning Nov. 25, we will add Monday and Thursday to our current Tuesday-Friday (Cash 5) schedule," said Lottery Executive Director Nora Linares. Adding the Monday and

Thursday drawings will bring in about an additional \$12.5 million in fiscal year 1997, the commission estimated.

Linares said the cash value option will be introduced early next year.

Players would have to choose the cash option when they purchase their tickets, said Pam Udall, coordinator of the lottery's online games. Players who don't indicate a preference at that time will be paid in 25 installments.

Linares said the cash prize will be worth about half the estimated jackpot because about 50 percent of the total prize comes from interest earned on annuities the lottery purchases for winners.

Winners who choose 25 payments will get the cash value, plus interest, she said.

The commission said jackpots will increase because the annuities starting next year will be purchased for 25 years instead of 20 years as they are now.



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DISTRICT ATTORNEY GIVES PROBATION TO REPEATED CHILD MOLESTER

In 1989, Jimmy Lee Donaldson pleaded guilty to sexually molesting an 8-year-old girl. John Mann gave him 10 years probation.

In 1993, Donaldson was convicted of indecency with a child. This time, John Mann gave him 6 years probation.

According to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, 98% of child molesters cannot be rehabilitated which means they will commit the crime repeatedly until they are sent to prison.

Surely the District Attorney knew this when he gave Donaldson probation. Do we want a District Attorney who allows child molesters to go free?

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Texas Editorials

The Dallas Morning News on electoral fraud
State and county officials agree: The biggest threat to fair elections in Texas is corruption of the mail voting process.

Throughout Texas, unscrupulous politicians and campaign operatives have unlawfully manipulated mail ballots to gain advantage in hotly contested local races.

Their methods vary. Some steal mail ballots. Others unlawfully drop the old, sick or gullible to vote for certain candidates. Others throw away ballots cast for opponents. Others entice ineligible people to vote by mail.

All must stop. Testimony at recent public hearings by the Texas House of Representatives revealed that such practices are widespread and may actually have begun to affect the outcomes of numerous elections.

If voters are to avoid sinking further into the slough of cynicism that already discourages many of them, the 1997 Texas Legislature must strengthen the state's manifestly weak electoral laws and increase penalties for fraud. As they are constituted now, the laws invite fraud.

The temptation to take advantage of those weak laws will remain until people realize that the penalties for fraud are real, severe and certain.

The Legislature can start by resurrecting some sound proposals that it failed to pass in 1995, including:

- Waiting at least 72 hours to publish the names and addresses of people to whom ballots have been mailed. This would limit opportunities for campaign operatives to steal or manipulate ballots.

- Requiring elections administrators to mail ballots only to the address at which a person is registered to vote.

- Forbidding bulk shipments of marked ballots to elections headquarters.

- Warning voters in writing to mark ballots before they sign the envelopes into which the ballots are placed.

Other good ideas that the Legislature should consider include:

- Requiring a disabled voter to have a doctor's certification.

- Restricting the blanket eligibility of people 65 and over to vote by mail, unless they are too incapacitated to vote in person.

- Warning voters in writing not to give their ballots to strangers.

Above all, fraud penalties must be increased. At present, the maximum penalty usually is only six months in jail and a \$2,000 fine. First-time offenders usually get probation. Not only do these weak penalties fail to deter wrongdoing, they fail to give prosecutors the leverage they need to entice cooperation.

Success will depend on the active support of North Texas legislators. Democratic Rep. Harryette Ehrhardt of Dallas carried a reform bill in the last session and has said she will continue to press for reform if re-elected. She will need help from both sides of the aisle.

The stakes are high. Reform is imperative.

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Why less blacks vote for GOP

I've conducted an informal survey of my black friends, most of whom are either Democrats or independents, but all of whom are moderate to conservative in their political views.

They appear to me to be potential recruits for the party of Dole, yet not one plans to vote Republican for president. And only one (of more than ten) plans to vote Republican for Congress.

"It's not necessarily that the Democrats represent my point of view on all issues," says my pal Alexis Dixon, a mediator. "But they speak a language that suggests that they will promote my interests."

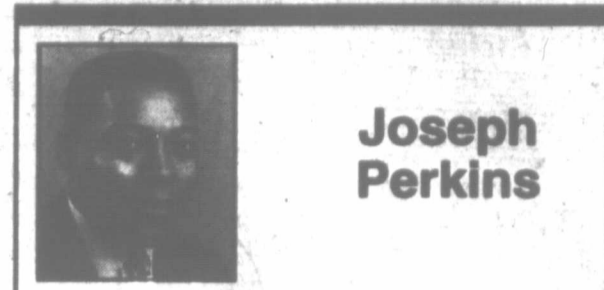
"I'm not a Democrat," says my buddy Ken McClusky, a securities broker. "And many of my positions are conservative. But there's something I can't put my finger on it — that doesn't make me comfortable with the Republicans."

Dixon and McClusky are right in line with the majority of black voters. In fact, in a recent *New York Times*/CBS News poll, only three percent of blacks indicated that they would vote for the Dole-Kemp ticket, and only seven percent said they would vote for the Republican House candidate in their district.

What this means is that the "party of inclusion" — as the Republicans aspire to be — is not only failing to make inroads among the black electorate, it is actually losing the limited support it enjoyed among the nation's largest minority.

Indeed, in 1992, George Bush managed to snare 11 percent of the black vote. And, in 1994, blacks cast 12 percent of their ballots for Republican congressional candidates. In 1996, Bob Dole and the Republican Congress will be lucky to do half as well.

I refuse to believe that the reason Dole and the Republicans are doing so badly among my black friends — and among the black electorate as a whole — is personality. That Bill Clinton and Al Gore are 97 percent more palatable to black Americans than Bob Dole and Jack Kemp. That Tom Daschle and Dick



Joseph Perkins

Gephardt are 93 percent preferable to Trent Lott and Newt Gingrich.

I think the real problem for the party of Dole and Kemp — and Lott and Gingrich is message. It is not enough for Republican candidates to visit the occasional black church or do photo ops at inner-city schools.

They have to show black voters why putting Republicans in charge at the White House and on Capitol Hill is better for them and their children.

Most blacks share the sentiments of my friend Alexis, who perceives that the party of Clinton and Gore and Daschle and Gephardt will promote black interests. But on a number of important public-policy issues, blacks may be surprised to learn that Republicans are their real friends, while the Democrats are working against their best interests.

Take tort reform, for instance. Many blacks don't consider it especially important. But it is extremely important to black business people like Abdur-Rahim Hameed, executive director of the Black Contractors Association of San Diego.

Hameed is particularly concerned that he and other black contractors will be driven out of business by the rash of "construction-defect" lawsuits, which are filed by contingency-fee trial lawyers to shake down construction firms for millions of dollars.

The only way for Hameed and his fellow black contractors to avoid being bankrupted by litigation is for lawmakers to enact legal reforms. But that will never happen with Democrats in power, since they receive millions in campaign contributions from the trial

lawyers. So the black contractors' best chance is with the Republicans. Same goes for education reform. Democrats are in bed with the powerful teachers' unions, who want poor black children to remain slaves to the public schools, no matter how violence-ridden those schools may be, no matter how inferior the education those black youngsters receive.

Republicans are breaking the public school monopoly on black education in cities like Cleveland and Milwaukee. They are providing poor black parents with vouchers — or "scholarships," if you will — so that they can shop around for the best schools for their children — private, parochial or public — just like wealthy Democrats do.

Then there's tax reform. Clinton and the Democrats insist that any tax cuts will be a sop to the wealthiest Americans. And this class-warfare rhetoric has resonance among the black electorate, though there are nearly a quarter-million black households throughout the country bringing in more than \$100,000 a year.

But Democrats oppose tax cuts, no matter what form they take and even when blacks stand to be the biggest beneficiaries. Indeed, earlier this year, Gingrich proposed a 15 percent federal flat tax for the predominantly black residents of Washington, D.C.

The idea was to encourage more high-earning people to live within the city (rather than the predominantly white, affluent, D.C. suburbs), thereby enlarging the financially strapped city's tax base and allowing its government to provide more services to residents.

But Clinton and the Democrats quashed Gingrich's tax-cut proposal for Washington, D.C. So the city's predominantly black residents continue to labor under one of the highest tax burdens in the country.

It may not have occurred to a lot of black voters that they have a real interest in such issues as tort reform, education reform and tax reform. Otherwise, Republicans could surely look forward to more than a pittance of the black vote in next month's election.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Friday, Oct. 18, the 292nd day of 1996. There are 74 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Oct. 18, 1767, the boundary between Maryland and Pennsylvania, the Mason-Dixon line, was agreed upon.

On this date:
In 1685, King Louis XIV of France revoked the Edict of Nantes, which had established the legal toleration of France's Protestant population, the Huguenots.

In 1867, the United States took formal possession of Alaska from Russia.

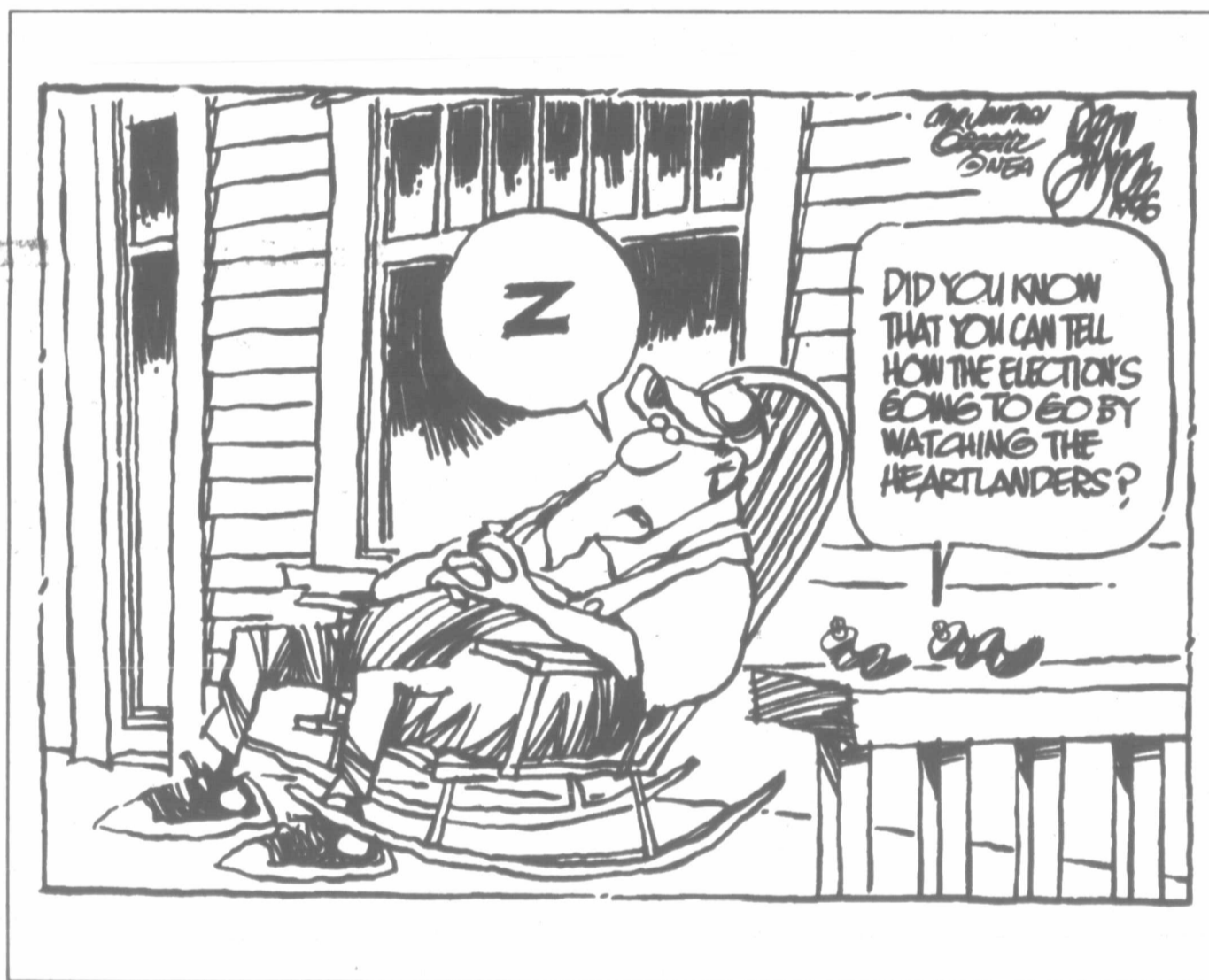
In 1898, the American flag was raised in Puerto Rico shortly before Spain formally relinquished control of the island to the United States.

In 1931, inventor Thomas Alva Edison died in West Orange, N.J., at age 84.

In 1944, Soviet troops invaded Czechoslovakia during World War II.

In 1968, the U.S. Olympic Committee suspended two black athletes, Tommie Smith and John Carlos, for giving a "black power" salute as a protest during a victory ceremony in Mexico City.

In 1982, former first lady Bess Truman died at her home in Independence, Mo., at age 97.



Negotiating a two-way street

Judging the judges is a perennial political dispute — and while Bob Dole hasn't been able to make a major issue of his claim that President Clinton's are too liberal, the Republicans have kept his latest nominees off the bench for now.

Twenty-eight of Clinton's judicial nominees were left hanging when the Republican Congress adjourned, among them seven approved for confirmation by the Senate Judiciary Committee. Names for those federal court vacancies will have to be submitted again next year.

Dole has pledged that as president, he would appoint judges tougher on crime, criminals and punishment than Clinton's choices. But the Democratic president has staked his own claim on the crime issue, usually a Republican staple.

And Dole's charge that Clinton judges are "an all-star team of liberal leniency" is not a theme he has pushed since he used that line six months ago.

Re-elected, Clinton's choices, past and future, could account for nearly half of the 649 federal district court judges. The Dole campaign says Clinton judges are soft on crime and "will be with us for life."

A study published by the American Judicature Society reports that while Clinton appointees to the federal trial courts are more liberal in their decisions than judges chosen by GOP presidents, the turn has not been as sharp as the campaign rhetoric suggests.

Clinton promised four years ago to reshape the courts and reverse a trend to the right under his Republican predecessors. The academic study, by three political scientists, reflects that turn on cases involving criminal justice.

Walter Mears
AP Special Correspondent

In their analysis, on matters of criminal justice, Clinton appointees made liberal decisions in 34 percent of the cases in which the rulings were clearly liberal or conservative. That compared with 29 percent by judges chosen by George Bush, 23 percent by those Ronald Reagan named to the bench, and 38 percent of those selected by Jimmy Carter.

The study was written by Robert A. Carp of the University of Houston, Donald R. Songer of the University of South Carolina, and Ronald Stidham of Appalachian State University.

When Dole harshly challenged Clinton's judicial appointees last April 19, accusing some of outright hostility to law enforcement, it was said to be a theme he would press in a law and order campaign. But he seldom raises it now, and it wasn't even mentioned in his first debate with Clinton.

Dole also said that he would end the role of the American Bar Association in advising the Senate on the judicial qualifications of prospective nominees, saying it is too liberal for the role.

The ABA countered that all but three of the 26 nominees its rating panels have found to be unqualified in recent years have been named by Democrats.

The Dole campaign issued a "fact sheet" a week ago, criticizing ten Clinton judges for decisions in criminal cases. That statement claimed the president "is filling the federal

bench with judges who would elevate the rights of criminals above the community's right to protect itself."

But by White House account, the average sentence imposed for federal firearms offenses and violent crimes has increased by more than a year since Clinton took office.

The practical impact of the political argument was displayed as the Senate adjourned without acting on a months-old backlog of Clinton nominations to the federal courts. Sen. Trent Lott, the majority leader, said his office telephone had been ringing steadily with calls saying:

"No more Clinton federal judges."

Not this year, anyhow. But unless Dole upsets Clinton on Nov. 5, there will be a crop of them in 1997 and beyond. An average of about 50 federal judgeships come open each year, in addition to leftover vacancies. There are now 63 vacancies on federal district and appeals courts.

All told, 185 Clinton nominations have been confirmed since he took office, 73 since the Republicans took control of the Senate in 1995.

But the pace slowed sharply during this campaign year. The Senate confirmed 17 judicial nominations in 1996. In the two most recent campaign years in which Democrats controlled the Senate and Republican presidents sought second terms, the average was 54 judges confirmed.

The chairman of the committee that handles judicial confirmations said there wasn't time to deal with the leftover nominations before adjournment. But Sen. Orrin Hatch had warned earlier in the year that if Republicans blocked Clinton nominees in an election year, the Democrats would the same thing when they get a chance.



Boris Yeltsin **Viktor Chernomyrdin** **Alexander Lebed**

Ailing Yeltsin fires national security advisor Lebed despite his popularity

By **SERGEI SHARGORODSKY**
Associated Press Writer

MOSCOW (AP) — Boris Yeltsin fired security chief Alexander Lebed Thursday, one day after the popular and ambitious former general was accused by a political rival of building his own rogue army in an attempt to seize power.

The firing — the latest Kremlin upheaval since the ailing Yeltsin has been away preparing for heart surgery — choked off Lebed's growing influence.

It clearly has not stemmed the political aspirations of a man whose quest for power has led his detractors, including the prime minister, to accuse him of having a "Napoleon complex."

In an interview after his ouster was announced, Lebed told the Interfax news agency that he would "get some sleep" and then begin to "prepare for possible presidential elections."

Lebed blamed his ouster on Yeltsin's chief of staff, Anatoly Chubais, saying: "I was very much in his way," Interfax reported.

One of Russia's most well-liked leaders because of his strong law-and-order platform, Lebed's endorsement helped Yeltsin win the presidential election in July. Lebed's signing of a peace accord in Chechnya in August boosted his popularity among ordinary Russians, but met with harsh resistance in Moscow from politicians who accused him of selling out the Russian army.

Yeltsin announced the firing Thursday on national television. He immediately signed a presidential decree removing Lebed from his official duties, saying that Lebed's behavior was damaging to the country.

"I can't tolerate the situation any more," Yeltsin said. "I have to relieve General Lebed of his position as secretary of the security council."

The president spoke from the spa outside Moscow where he has been resting. Ailing for months, Yeltsin has been making periodic television appearances, and he looked slightly better Thursday than he has in weeks.

Lebed's departure from the Kremlin should diminish the bickering that has created the wide-

spread impression of a government in chaos. It would, however, also clear the way for Lebed to begin campaigning for the presidency if Yeltsin's health problems prevent him from serving out his term.

With Yeltsin unable to function fully because of his heart trouble, the government is likely to remain weak, beset by internal squabbling and external criticism.

In Washington, State Department spokesman Nicholas Burns said only that Lebed's dismissal was "an internal affair for the Russian government and the Russian people."

Yeltsin took Lebed into his government after the popular general came in third in the first round of presidential elections in June. Lebed's relentless desire for power made him too troublesome, particularly with Yeltsin absent from the Kremlin.

In his address, the president said he had encouraged Lebed to be patient and try to work with others when the security chief tried to resign several weeks ago. Now, Yeltsin said it was time for Lebed to step down.

The president acted hours after an emergency government meeting of security chiefs, called because Interior Minister Anatoly Kulikov, who runs the nation's police, had accused Lebed of plotting a mutiny.

Kulikov says he had documentary proof that Lebed was trying to create his own Russian Legion of up to 50,000 fighters, with designs to carry out a coup with help from Chechen rebels.

Yeltsin did not say whether he believed the mutiny charges — denied firmly by Lebed and questioned by top lawmakers. Lebed has stressed that he believes leaders should be democratically elected.

The president accused Lebed of excessive ambitiousness and complained that Lebed, during his less than four months in the job, had made decisions without consulting the president and the rest of the government.

After the emergency meeting, Prime Minister Viktor Chernomyrdin appeared on national television in an effort to calm the situation. He played down the possibility of a coup, but called for

increased security "in the dangerous places of the country" and appealed for calm among security forces.

Chernomyrdin apparently referred to Lebed when he condemned "irresponsibility, incompetence, a home-grown Napoleon complex, that are clearly brimming over, especially lately."

He also told Cabinet officials that some documents Kulikov presented on the Legion have some merit.

Beefed-up police patrols were visible throughout the capital Thursday, following an Interior Ministry security alert the night before. Ministry officials said up to 2,000 interior troops were being brought to Moscow to increase roadblocks and patrols at airports, subways and train stations.

Lebed attended the meeting Thursday. Hours later, his guards detained and disarmed Interior Ministry agents whom his office said were following him. Lebed accused Kulikov's ministry of possibly having other Kremlin leaders under illegal surveillance.

The ministry said the two agents involved were on a special anti-terrorism operation, and claimed their lives were put in danger when Lebed's men seized and unmasked them. It denied that Lebed was watched, the Interfax news agency said.

Kulikov's outburst Wednesday was the latest barb in the verbal feud he and Lebed have held for months over the war in Chechnya.

Lebed has blamed Kulikov for Russia's failure in the war and demanded his ouster. Kulikov has accused Lebed of "a maniacal striving for power" and "high treason" for signing a peace accord with Chechen rebels fighting for independence.

On Tuesday, Lebed told parliament that Kulikov was among those responsible for prolonging the bloody war, and the interior minister retaliated Wednesday by accusing Lebed of the mutiny plot.

Lebed has been seeking control over the so-called "power ministries."

Those include Kulikov's Interior Ministry, which has tens of thousands of troops at its disposal and is in charge of police and some elite paramilitary forces.

Lili kills eight in Central America, descends in full fury upon Cuba

HAVANA (AP) — Fidel Castro welcomed scores of evacuees into the National Palace to wait out Hurricane Lili, which pounded mainland Cuba today with battering waves and 115-mph winds.

The hurricane hit Cuba this morning after killing eight people in Central America. Heavy rains and winds that preceded its arrival toppled scores of aging buildings in downtown Havana.

A hurricane warning was in effect today for the Isle of Youth, mainland Cuba from Camaguey province westward and the northwest Bahamas. A tropical storm warning was issued for the Florida Keys.

A worried-looking Castro appeared on state television late Thursday, warning Cubans to prepare for an onslaught that he said could prove "catastrophic."

Civil defense workers went door-to-door in driving rain through the capital's poorer neighborhoods, persuading residents to seek shelter in sturdier buildings. Those seeking safety in the National Palace with Castro came from the nearby neighborhood of La Timba.

By nightfall Thursday, at least 28,000 residents

had been evacuated from low-lying coastal areas. Thousands of others refused to leave their homes for fear of looting. Cuban authorities said 80,000 people would have to be evacuated from dangerous dwellings in Havana alone.

In Havana's hospitals, all but the sickest patients were asked to go home so there would be empty beds in the event of heavy casualties. Schools sent home 100,000 students.

Lili struck Cuba's tiny Isle of Youth overnight. There were no immediate reports of damage or injuries.

The hurricane was expected to move northeastward across Cuba's mainland today, squeeze through the Florida Straits separating Cuba and Florida, and head for the Bahamas. Forecasters said Florida would probably get no more than a glancing blow.

At 8 a.m. EDT today, the center of the storm was 35 miles south-southwest of Varadero, a northern port city directly south of Florida's tip, and was moving northeast at 8 mph, the National Weather Service bureau in Miami reported.

Sustained winds close to 90 mph were reported in Cuba, with gusts of up to 115 mph.

World briefs

Teenager convicted of murdering school principal

LONDON (AP) — A jury convicted a teenage gang leader Thursday of murdering a high school principal who was trying to protect a student under attack.

Learco Chindamo, 16, bowed his head in the dock as Judge Neil Denison ordered him to be imprisoned indefinitely. Under British law, the sentences of juveniles convicted of murder are kept under constant review to determine when they are ready to be released.

Philip Lawrence, 48-year-old headmaster of St. George's Roman Catholic school, was fatally stabbed to death Dec. 8 outside the school in the comfortable Maida Vale neighborhood of north London.

Chindamo denied killing Lawrence. He blamed another boy who allegedly had left the country the day after.

The attack appeared to stem from a shoving incident between two boys in the school corridor earlier in the week.

A 14-year-old brought his friends to beat up a 13-year-old boy. As the 13-year-old left the main gates, he was clubbed with a metal bar and ran, with the gang in pursuit.

Lawrence was trying to protect the younger boy when he was slapped, punched and finally stabbed. He died after seven hours of surgery.

Court jails eleven for life in 1993 rioting

BOMBAY, India (AP) — A court convicted eleven Muslims of murder and sentenced them to life in prison for burning six Hindus to death during religious riots that erupted in Bombay three years ago.

The judge acquitted ten other suspects in Wednesday's ruling.

The eleven convicted men locked the victims in their houses and set the buildings on fire.

More than 800 people were killed in Bombay during three days of violence across the country after Hindus tore down an ancient mosque in the town of Ayodhya in northern India. The

riots killed 2,000 people nationwide.

Gunman leads violent car chase as nation watches

TOKYO (AP) — A taxi driver with a shotgun dragged his two children into a stolen car and led police on a six-hour car chase Thursday while horrified Japanese watched the drama on live television.

TV stations broadcast footage of the gunman's car smashing through roadblocks and cutting across farmland to elude the police dragnet. Videotape shot from a helicopter showed the car racing along narrow roads snaking through farmland and forests.

During the chase, the gunman, identified as 45-year-old Takumi Yanagita fired his pump-action shotgun about 30 times, and police said they returned fire. Six policemen were injured in the chase.

The incident began early Thursday morning when Yanagita marched into another man's home and shot him to death.

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A royal grandchild

VADUZ, Liechtenstein (AP) — The tiny European principality of Liechtenstein is celebrating the birth of a royal grandchild.

Princess Sophie, the 29-year-old wife of the heir to the Liechtenstein throne, Prince Alois, gave birth to a daughter, Marie-Caroline Elisabeth Immaculata, in a Swiss hospital on Thursday.

Officials said both mother and daughter were "in the best of health."

Prince Alois and Princess Sophie also have a 17-month old son, Josef Wenzel Maximilian Maria.

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Talk show murder trial underway

PONTIAC, Mich. (AP) - Jonathan Schmitz laughed in embarrassment but showed no anger on the *Jenny Jones Show* when his gay friend revealed he had a secret crush on him because of his "cute little hard body."

Scott Amedure spoke on the show of "whipped cream and champagne" fantasies with his friend, who shot him to death three days later.

The jury at Schmitz's murder trial watched the never-aired episode of the show for the first time Thursday. Clips were broadcast nationally.

"I'm flattered," Schmitz said sheepishly at one point during the March 6, 1995, taping in Chicago. But when asked by Jones if he was interested, Schmitz said: "I'm definitely heterosexual, I guess you could say."

Defense lawyers don't deny that Schmitz, 26, killed Amedure, but they contend the show ambushed and humiliated Schmitz because he thought he was going on the show to meet a female secret admirer.

They also say Schmitz's battles with depression, alcoholism and a thyroid condition called Grave's disease left him unable to plan a killing, a key point in proving first-degree murder.

During the talk show, Jones questioned Amedure, 32, about his infatuation of Schmitz.

"He's got a cute, little, hard body, one you want to pick up and put in your curio cabinet and dust him off once in a while," Amedure said. "He's just a tiny, little cute thing. He's gorgeous."

When Schmitz walked onto the show he found a giggling Amedure. With the studio audience howling and hooting, Schmitz only laughed and turned away when Amedure put his arm around him and tried to kiss him.

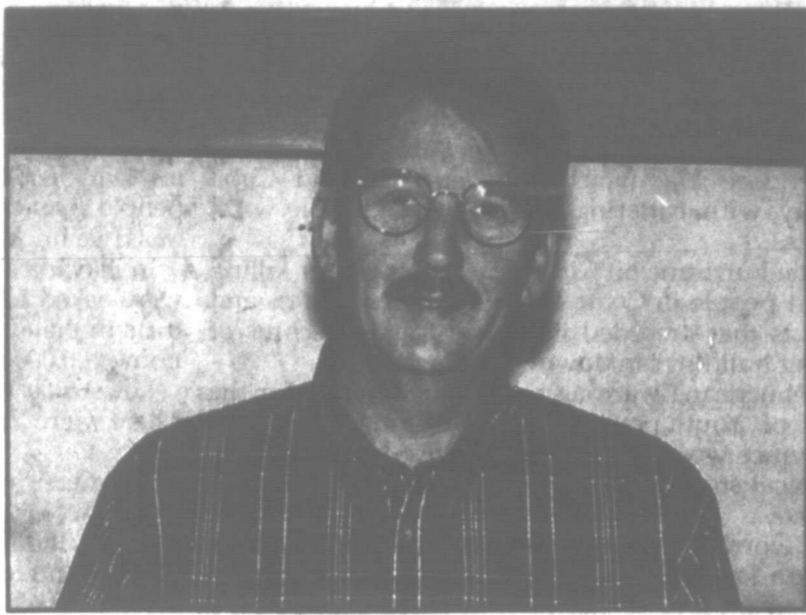
Feathered fossil found

NEW YORK (AP) - A 121 million year-old feathered fossil from China could be the most graphic evidence yet that dinosaurs didn't exactly go extinct - some of them evolved into birds.

Chinese paleontologists have found the remains of a feathered dinosaur in rocks from the north-eastern part of the country. Scientists said Thursday that the feathered fossil provides some of the best evidence to date that birds evolved from dinosaurs.

On Thursday, Chen Pei-Ji of the Nanjing Paleontology Institute showed photographs of the fossil at the American Museum of Natural History, where the Society of Vertebrate Paleontology is holding its annual meeting. The photographs show the flattened remains of a birdlike beast splayed out on a slab of rock, its neck twisted backward at an agonizing angle.

Employee of the Month



(Pampa News photo by L.D. Strutz)

Terry Dittberner is Employee of the Month at the Jordan Prison Unit east of Pampa. He supervises inmates who sew leather shoe parts and do window blind assembly. Dittberner has been employed by Texas Department of Criminal Justice for three years and previously worked in the petroleum industry. He is a native of White Deer and his interests include wood working projects and spending time with his wife and two children.

Out-of-court settlement reached in Branch Davidian raid lawsuit

WACO (AP) - Federal agents have reached an out-of-court settlement with two Waco news organizations, ending a two-year lawsuit claiming reporter's actions helped cause the deadly 1993 Branch Davidian raid.

Both sides agreed to keep details of the financial agreement confidential.

"It just goes to show the arrogance of those people at the newspaper and TV station. They could have settled for a lot less two years ago with a simple admission of wrongdoing and an apology. Now it's cost them a lot of money," said Fort Worth-based agent Mike Russell.

The media companies and American Medical Transport were sued by the families of four U.S. Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms agents who were killed during the Mount Carmel raid. Other agents joined the suit, claiming the defendant's actions contributed to the tragedy.

The settlement included no admission of wrongdoing or acceptance of liability, lawyers for the two media outlets, the *Waco Tribune-Herald* and *KWTX-TV*, said.

The *Waco Tribune-Herald's* parent company president, Jay Smith, said the settlement was a business decision by Cox Newspapers Inc.'s insurance carrier. Smith said Cox officials believed they could win the law-

suit had the case gone forward. "The compromises to the secrecy of the raid were not our doing and, indeed, took place before our reporters even got to the scene of the raid," he said.

Rick Bostwick, who represented KWTX in the case, said he believed that the settlement was "mutually satisfactory."

He said the station will be able to focus on the broadcast of television news instead of litigation.

The agreement included a settlement for a local ambulance firm hired by BATF. American Medical Transport provided medical support for the raid, several lawyers involved in the case said.

An American Medical Transport employee admitted to tipping the Waco television station about the BATF operation.

Investigations by the Texas Rangers and the U.S. Treasury Department determined that a KWTX cameraman inadvertently alerted a sect member to the impending raid less than two hours before it began.

Four federal agents died during the raid and more than 20 were wounded in the firefight that broke out when federal officials tried to arrest cult leader David Koresh for alleged weapons violations. Six Branch Davidians also died in the battle.

Gingrich pushes for hearings, questions Democrats' connections to Indonesia

WASHINGTON (AP) - In an expanding controversy weeks before the election, House Speaker Newt Gingrich is calling for congressional hearings on contributions to Democrats by a powerful Indonesian banking family.

Gingrich said Thursday he expects several committees to investigate the contributions after Congress returns in January. "I can think of no greater danger for this country than to create a pattern of foreigners trying to buy access to the politics or government and the criminal justice system," Gingrich told reporters at the Capitol.

"There's something fishy in this whole Indonesian connection," he said later on CNN's *Larry King Live* program.

Gingrich, R-Ga., said the Clinton administration should postpone its plans to sell F-16 fighter jets to Indonesia until Congress holds hearings on the matter.

A top State Department official disclosed the sale in little-noticed

testimony at a Senate hearing a few weeks before questions surfaced about the foreign donations.

The administration says it plans to proceed with the sale of the nine F-16s, despite congressional objections on grounds of alleged human rights abuses in the Asian nation.

In related developments: —The Democratic National Committee acknowledged it was a mistake for Democratic fundraiser John Huang and others to hold a fund-raiser in April with Asian-Americans at a Buddhist temple in California. Religious facilities are not supposed to host such events because of their tax-exempt status as nonprofit charitable institutions.

"The Clinton-Gore team have given the California Gold Rush new meaning," said Republican presidential nominee Bob Dole. "They're now holding fund-raisers in Buddhist temples where you take a vow of poverty before you get in."

—Clinton campaign spokes-

man Joe Lockhart said Dole was unjustified in his criticisms "because he accepts the same kind of money" from foreign nationals. Lockhart cited Pepe and Alfie Fanjul of West Palm Beach, Fla., Cuban-born brothers who live in Spain but retain U.S. residency. The sugar growers have contributed to both Clinton and Dole.

"Bob Dole thought it was very proper to take money from them. There's a bit of hypocrisy here," Lockhart said.

—Federal Election Commission documents show that a member of the Riady banking family of Indonesia contributed \$1,000 to Dole's 1988 presidential campaign.

—Confidential White House documents indicate the administration extracted promises from Indonesia to allow workers to form unions and to stop using the military to settle labor disputes. Based on these commitments, the administration renewed a special trade status for Indonesia in 1994.

National Archives releases Nixon's private comments

WASHINGTON (AP) - Every morning in the White House, Richard Nixon would use his pen to vent his anger at critics, scrawling vitriolic comments on the margins of a daily news summary. "Jerks," "clowns," he would write in reaction to news that did not please him.

The president's acerbic feelings showed through in scrawled comments on the typewritten news summaries that were made public Thursday by the National Archives, keeper of the country's official papers.

"Muzzle these jerks," Nixon wrote in a comment to aides John D. Ehrlichman, his domestic

policy adviser, and H.R. Haldeman, his chief of staff, on a March 1973 news summary noting that a columnist had reported that Nixon wanted FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover to resign.

It was not clear who Nixon had in mind, but the context suggested he meant the insiders who leaked the item to the columnist, Jack Anderson.

Reacting to a news report in the same time frame saying some of Nixon's own people were worried that the developing Watergate scandal had weakened the president and made him vulnerable, Nixon wrote to Haldeman: "Can't we muzzle our worry warts?"

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Poll: Presidential race suggests toss up between Clinton, Dole in Texas

By STEVE RAY
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The U.S. presidential race in Texas is a toss up between President Bill Clinton and Republican challenger Bob Dole, according to a recent Harte-Hanks Texas Poll.

Clinton and Dole are tied at 41 percent among likely Texas voters as opposed to Dallas billionaire Ross Perot, who garners eight percent of all likely votes. More Texans have a favorable opinion of Dole, the poll found, than President Clinton, and more Texans consider character the most important issue in choosing a candidate.

Fifty-one percent think Clinton is trustworthy and honest compared to 72 percent who feel the same about Dole. Less than half of Texans polled — 45 percent — view Reform Party candidate Ross Perot as displaying either virtue.

"Character may be important," Bruce Buchanan, University of Texas government professor specializing in presidential politics, stated, "but this shows it's not decisive when the policy differences are this great. That's really what distinguishes Clinton and Dole. (Texans seem to be showing) resistance to the Republican agenda and skepticism about the proposed Dole tax cut."

The poll also indicated: — Clinton is attracting the majority of female votes while Dole appeals more to men.

— Dole leads among Anglos while Clinton is more favorable to minority voters. For every one Hispanic that supports Dole, three support Clinton; with every black that supports Dole, 15 support the current president.

The selection of former congressman Jack Kemp as running mate made little difference to Texans.

Democrats in Texas and nationwide have attempted to link Dole to Speaker of the House Newt Gingrich and the 104th Congress' "Contract with America" — a list of promises by the GOP during the congressional sweep in 1994. Democrats also have charged the 15 percent tax cut proposed by Dole would increase the federal deficit.

"People can have a favorable view of you," Buchanan commented. "They can think your character is great and still not vote for you. People's votes are not driven by instinctive likes and dislikes but by what makes sense."

"What is missing here is a compelling reason to change horses. There is not a compelling reason in bad economic news, or perception of presidential disaster or mistakes to move big numbers toward the Dole column."

Clinton campaign officials say the poll's results could mean an all out effort to win Texas, and, in the process, spend more money in the state than any Democratic presidential candidate in recent history. If Clinton carries the state, he will be the first Democrat presidential candidate to do so since Jimmy Carter in 1976.

With only a few weeks until the election, 10 percent of Texans polled remain undecided.

Buchanan remarked that figure is not unusual even this close to the Nov. 5 voting date.

"A lot of folks still haven't tuned in," he said. "I'd bet the numbers (of undecideds) are even higher nationally. So many people seem to key in on presidential debates. For

many people, it's the first time they tune in and size up these guys."

Many political observers say Clinton benefited from Perot's candidacy in 1992. This year — at least in Texas — Perot seems to be drawing equally from both candidates. Without Perot, Clinton would achieve a probable 44 percent of the vote, Dole 43 percent of the vote and 11 percent undecided.

In the June Texas poll, Dole led Clinton 39 percent to 37 percent, a statistical dead heat. Perot had 11 percent of the vote, and 10 percent of Texans at that time were undecided.

That's till a statistical dead heat and indicates little movement from the June poll which showed Dole and Clinton tied with 42 percent of the vote in a two-way race.

However, the June and September Texas Polls mark a dramatic increase for Clinton over Dole, who led the president by a margin of 54 percent to 40 percent in March.

"The Texas Poll had us down 14 to 16 points this spring," Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro. "The momentum is going in our direction." Mauro is in charge of the statewide Clinton-Gore election effort.

The poll also showed 56 percent of Texans view Clinton favorably compared to 41 percent who do not; 64 percent view Dole favorably compared to 31 percent do not; and 33 percent view Perot favorably, 58 percent do not.

"Clinton's unfavorable ratings in Texas are devastating and they're a problem for him nationally," said Richard Collins, co-chairman of the Texas Dole campaign. "Dole is going to carry our state big. He represents the view of Texans. He's a strong economic conservative.

And his favorable to unfavorable ratings are over two to one and those are stunning numbers."

But Democrats say Clinton's favorability is a big boost over 1994, when only 50 percent of Texans viewed him favorably.

Mauro said Dole's favorability ratings are high because the president has refused to talk negative about his GOP opponent.

"He has said at least a dozen times ... that Dole has given great service to the people of America," Mauro said. "He made a conscious decision not to push Dole's negatives up. Some would say that's not good politics, but no one would say that it isn't good for the political process."

Clinton leads Dole in all areas of the state except for north and east Texas.

But the gender gap is especially evident in Texas, where more women support Clinton and more men support Dole.

Forty-five percent of Texas women support Clinton versus 35 percent who support Dole. On the other hand, 45 percent of Texas men support Dole and 37 percent support President Clinton. Perot support is almost even — eight percent Texas men; nine percent of Texas women.

"Women are closer to the problems that Clinton addresses such as care of the elderly, concern about children and fear about medicare," Buchanan opined. "Many women say they are one problem away from welfare themselves, and to them Clinton looks like a better bet to fix it than Dole.

"Men don't want to think they are as directly affected by the type of problems that the Democratic platform addresses. They tend to key more on economic questions like the tax cut."

Among Texas minorities, there is a huge gap in support.

Forty-seven percent of Anglos support Dole compared with 35 percent for Clinton and eight percent for Perot, and 55 percent of Hispanics support Clinton, 18 percent support Dole and 13 percent support Perot.

"Dole and Kemp made big a push to open up avenues to African-Americans, but it obviously hasn't worked in Texas," Buchanan said.

"The Anglo population in Texas

is primarily conservative, Republican. They key on social issues and issues like gays in the military and support of big government. And that's where Dole is drawing his support."

Eighty-one percent of Texans say Kemp does not make a difference in whether they will vote for Dole. Of the 15 percent who say Kemp makes a difference in their vote, 74 percent are more likely to vote for Dole because Kemp is on the ticket.

The poll was conducted by the Office of Survey Research of UT. The poll surveyed 1,001 adult Texans for Harte-Hanks Communications Inc., including 820 likely voters. The poll has a margin of error of plus or minus three percentage of points.

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Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center volunteers and area Circle of Friends representatives were to be at local and area post offices today, National Mammography Day, to promote

the stamp and to hand out information concerning early breast detection. The Postal Service has issued 100 million stamps.

On National Mammography Day, women across America are encouraged to receive or sign-up for the screening or to make a commitment to get one. Information will be available at the post offices on local and area clinics available to perform such tests through the Harrington Cancer Center Mobile Mammography Program.

In 1996, it is estimated that 184,300 women will be diagnosed with breast cancer (one every three minutes); during this same period, 44,300 are predicted

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FROM THE BACK PEW

By **CHERYL BERZANSKIS**
Religion Editor

I remember the day I learned not to say the n-word.

It was summertime and my family lived in a duplex on the other side of Aunt Emma Redmond. My mother worked at EZ Mills making things like baby shirts and men's underwear and my daddy worked 24 on and 24 off for the fire department. While Mama worked I was left in the care of a black woman named Zadie Wyatt - dearest woman and best pecan pie maker who ever lived.

I was sitting in the floor of the single bedroom of the duplex reciting to myself the rhyme "eenie-meenie-minie-moe" as a way of making some childish decision and instead of saying "catch a money by the toe," I said - you guessed it. I repeated the verse as I learned it.

I was about three. I don't remember knowing what the n-word meant except it made the rhyme work. No sooner was the offending word out of my mouth, than Zadie was on my back side teaching me to never, ever, ever say that again. I still didn't know what I had said, but I got the idea it was not something nice boys and girls said.

One lesson down, many more to go.

I was born in 1954 and by the 1960s, desegregation was in full swing in the Deep South much to the chagrin of people I not only knew, but to whom I was related. (I had to tell my relatives not to say the n-word in front of my newborn babies. Some of them are slow learners.)

I never could figure out the big deal about desegregation. Didn't I eat Zadie's glorious pies? Didn't she spank me when I needed it? Didn't white folks trust their most beloved treasures, their children, to black women?

Do you remember "Jesus Loves the Little Children?"

It goes, "Red and yellow, black and white, they are precious in His sight. Jesus loves the little children of the world."

From the time I could lisp the words, I sang that song Sunday after Sunday at the Tabernacle Baptist Church.

One day when I was about nine, it dawned on me what those words mean - if people of all colors are precious to Jesus, then they had better be precious to me. I felt like I had suddenly gotten the big picture about something profound.

Unfortunately, some others around me weren't so sure I had the big picture. Being unconcerned about what color somebody is might be okay for God, it seemed, but not for a little white girl.

Fortunately for mankind, God doesn't let good lessons be destroyed by bad teachers.

That's when I understood about the n-word.

Salute to you



(Pampa News photo by Chip Chandler)
Students and teachers at Community Christian School begin Thursday's chilly school day with pledges to the United States flag, the Christian flag and the Bible, as they do everyday. CCS, located at 1200 S. Sumner, provides Christian education for kindergarten through ninth grades.

Religion briefs

CONYERS, Ga. (AP) — Thousands of people flocked to a Rockdale County farm to hear Nancy Fowler's annual message which she claims comes from the Virgin Mary.

From Oct. 1990 to May 1994, Mrs. Fowler delivered the messages on the 13th of each month, but then she announced that the Virgin Mary would appear with a public message only once a year, on Oct. 13.

She maintains that the Virgin appears before her in a room and asks her to deliver messages. She said Sunday that Mary is still concerned that people are not

heeding the messages and are offending God.

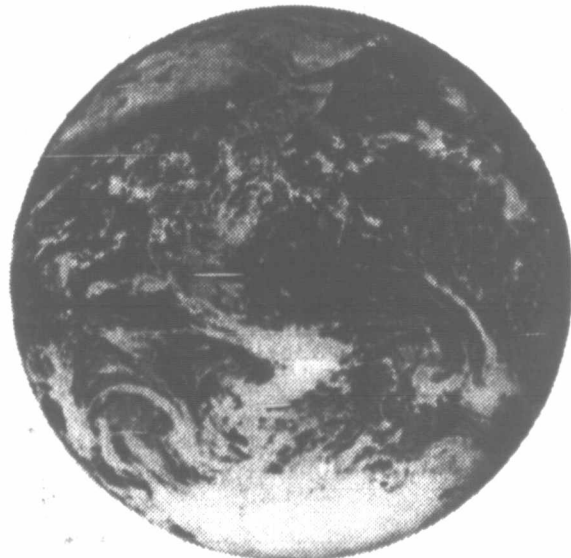
"As your loving mother, please know that God has sent me to help you," Mrs. Fowler said Mary told her. "Please amend your ways."

She spoke in sunny, 70-degree weather, where in previous years, rain turned farm fields to mud.

The crowd on the recent Sunday was considerably larger than last year's estimated 12,000 people. Traffic backed up for several miles near the farm, as cars with license plates from all over the country waited in bumper-to-bumper lines.

Without God, it's a vicious circle.

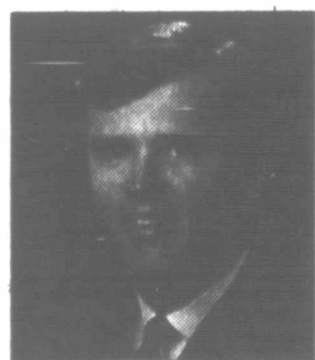
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Coming events

WHITE DEER - White Deer United Methodist Church is to host its annual stew dinner and bazaar on Saturday, Oct. 19.

Events will be held 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the White Deer Community Center. The menu includes stew, cornbread, peach cobbler, tea and coffee for \$3.50.

Funds raised will be used for the church building fund.

For more information call Brenda Vermillion at 883-6911.

SKELLYTOWN - Skellytown's First Baptist Church is to host a revival roundup Sunday through Wednesday. Services will start at 7 p.m. each night. The Rev. Terry Haralson of Barrett Baptist Church, Pampa, and Wes Toller, Highland Baptist Church, Pampa, will lead services.

At noon a brown bag lunch and Bible study are planned.

Special emphasis nights include: Sunday - family roundup night (wear western clothes); Monday - ladies' night; Tuesday - men's night; Wednesday - youth night with hotdogs at 6 p.m.

A nursery is provided for all services.

PAMPA - The Apostolic Faith Bible College tour from Baxter Springs, Kan. presents Gospel Singing - Southern Style. They will be in concert at Pampa Chapel, 711 E. Harvester, 7 p.m., Monday, Oct. 21.

Evangelist Randy Dalton will preach at 7 p.m., Oct. 27 to Nov. 1. For more information call the church of 669-9635 or the Rev. Ron Noble at 665-1579.

PAMPA - St. Mark CME Church, 406 Elm, is to host its annual Harvest Banquet at 6:30 p.m. Saturday. The menu includes fried or baked chicken, creamed potatoes with creamed gravy, green beans, green salad, rolls, tea or coffee, and cake. Tickets are \$5. Meals may be

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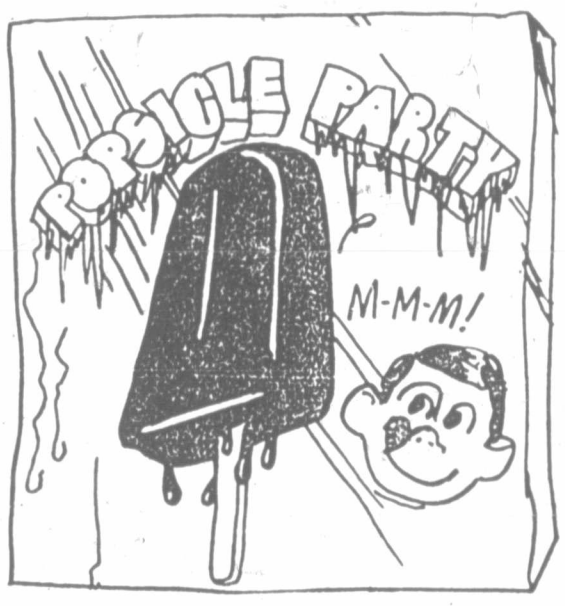
picked up from 4 to 6 p.m. for those unable to attend. The Rev. Kenneth J. Reagans, pastor of Bethel Baptist Church in Borger, and assistant warden at the Jordan Unit, will speak.

low income and senior citizens for Thanksgiving, ham baskets for Christmas and coats for senior citizens and children. For \$5 tickets call 669-3129.

PAMPA - Church of the Good Shepherd, 407 W. Foster, is to host a fresh catfish fry from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 26. The church is attempting to raise \$1,000 for 20 turkey baskets for

PAMPA - The Missionary Society of St. Mark CME Church, 406 Elm, will host their annual missionary day at 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 27. The Rev. Amy D. Lakey, wife of the Rev. Leslie N. Lakey, will be guest speaker.

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Teen Filled With Pain Finds Relief On The Net

DEAR ABBY: I am part of a support group on the Internet via e-mail for self-mutilators — people who cut themselves, beat themselves, etc. All of us are survivors of abuse. We don't do this to get attention, despite what many people may think. It is an effort to turn unbearable emotional agony into bearable physical pain. People who mutilate themselves are also depressed and, while some of the comments made in our chat room would make a "normal" person call the asylum, most of us barely bat an eye.

We have created a supportive atmosphere where people can communicate with others who care about them and understand what they are going through, or just rant if they need to.

Today a friend of mine from the chat room was hospitalized for severe depression. I was devastated because we had been corresponding and supporting each other through similar difficulties. He had discussed "running away," but thanks to the people from the e-mail group, he is now safely in the hospital.

Abby, self-mutilation is so often misunderstood. People don't want to talk or even think about it. Knowing that I'm not the only person who does it has made me feel a lot better. I, too, am experiencing major depression, and a friend of mine from the group e-mailed me into the wee hours of one suicidal morning, until she was certain I was going to be all right. We are so far apart geographically, but on the Internet, I and others like me can find people

Abigail Van Buren
SYNDICATED COLUMNIST

who are experiencing what we are going through and we can help each other.

If it hadn't been for the Internet, I would not have learned more about my self-mutilating behavior and would never have gained the support I needed to survive. People should not condemn or fear a technological advance that has just saved someone's life.

I apologize for the length of my letter. Because of the help I have received from people I have never seen face-to-face, I hope to overcome my need for pain and abuse. With their help and support, someday I may even make it to my senior year of high school. Sign me ...

HEALING
DEAR HEALING: Thank you for an honest letter, and for explaining a behavior that few individuals understand. I hope that with professional help and the support of the members of your chat room, you will achieve complete recovery. In your case, the Internet and e-

mail are a powerful complement to therapy. The best of luck to you.

DEAR ABBY: I know many people appreciate the good work you do, but I am sending you a special thanks.

On July 25, I read a letter in your column from John Hardaway, who discovered he had severe cardiovascular disease. He was especially surprised because he was a daily runner and thought he was in excellent health. The symptoms he experienced were not classic warning signs of a heart attack, so he had not been paying them much attention.

On July 21 (the Sunday before your Thursday column appeared), I began experiencing pain in my breast bone. It always went away after I took antacids. This continued well into the week. On Thursday night the pain did not abate, even after six tablets. Remembering what I had read in your column that morning, I decided to take a trip to the emergency room. On Saturday, July 27, I underwent angioplasty for an artery that was 90 percent blocked!

Had I not read your column I could have suffered dire consequences. Thank you from the bottom of my much-healthier heart.
SAM DILLER, BLUFFTON, OHIO
DEAR SAM: I'm pleased that a letter you read in my column helped save you from "dire consequences." Your letter did my heart a world of good. It made my day. Thank you for writing.

Horoscope

1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Make sure to state your zodiac sign.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Today you might feel an urge to tidy up your house. Take care not to get involved in a major renovation, because you could lose interest before you finish.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) In social discussions with friends today, do not introduce volatile topics. Religion and politics should both be avoided.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You will manage your personal affairs skillfully today, but you might not be as sharp when you have to handle a project for someone else.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) A confidential business matter should not be discussed in front of outsiders today. Limit your conversations to trusted associates.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Profitable results are indicated today, but you must handle commercial matters prudently. Do not make unreasonable demands or give away more than is necessary.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) If you partic-

ipate in a social gathering with friends today, you don't have to be the center of attention. Just be yourself!

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Indifference could deprive you of success today, so don't take anything for granted. Remember to count your blessings.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Think before you speak today, because you might unintentionally blurt out something that could generate ill will instead of good will.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Conditions will be ripe for a misunderstanding with an old friend today. You might think your pal is guilty of something, while he thinks it's your fault.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Extend the same tolerance and attention you display to friends to your mate today. If your spouse feels neglected, your excuses will not be effective.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You will not be able to have fun today if you have to worry about responsibilities you neglected. Take care of these tasks first, then go have a ball.

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Your Birthday

Sunday, Oct. 20, 1996

In the year ahead, you might be instrumental in organizing an interesting endeavor. You will have to manage a wider variety of resources than ever before.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You will enjoy yourself more today if you practice moderation in all of your activities, especially in regard to eating and drinking. Libra, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$2 and SASE to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box



The Family Circus



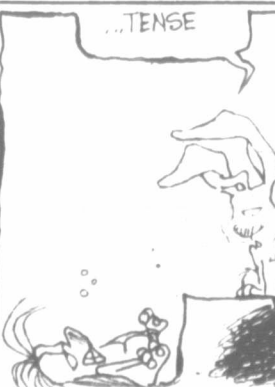
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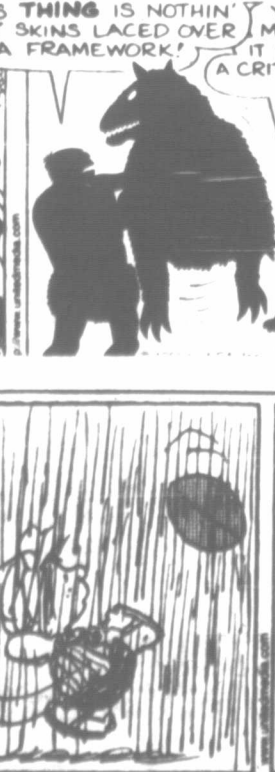
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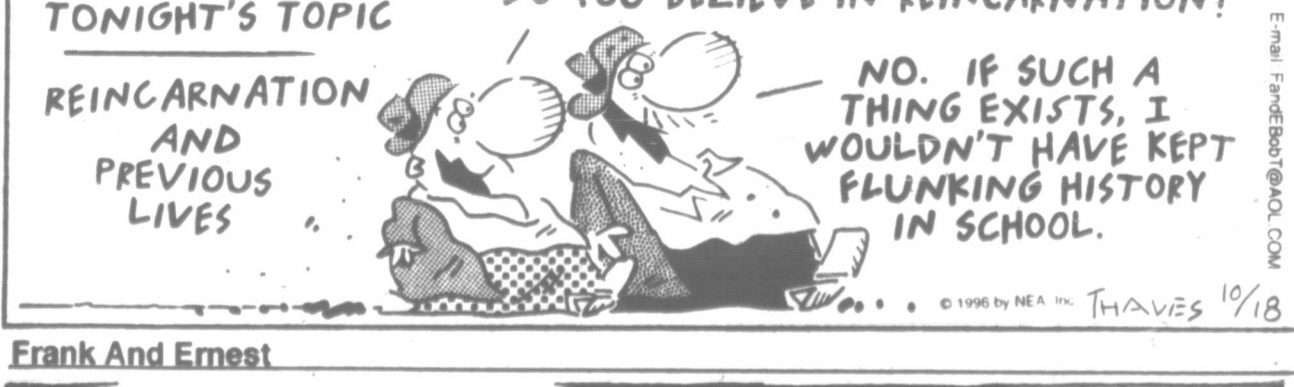
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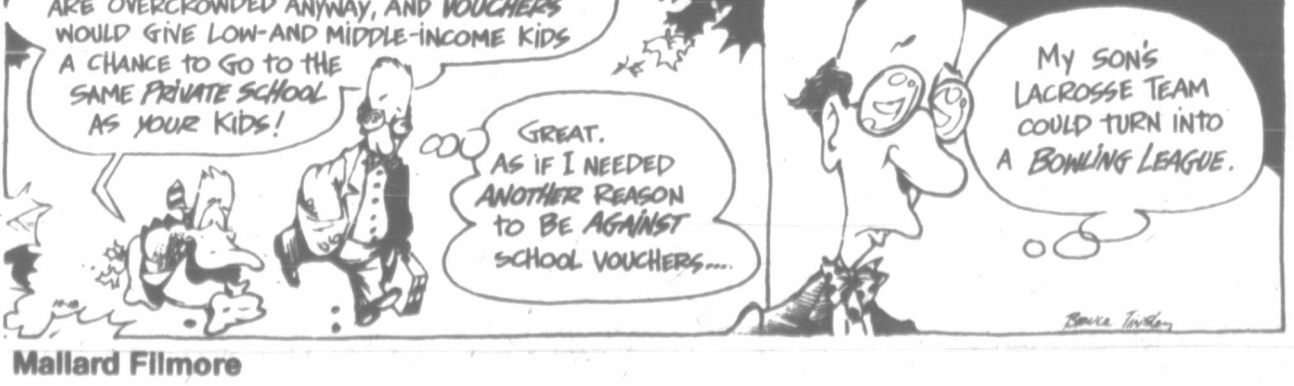
Eek & Meek



The Born Loser



Reincarnation and Previous Lives



Frank and Ernest

Sports

Notebook

FOOTBALL

PAMPA — Pampa blanked Borger, 40-0, Thursday night in 9th grade football action.

Vincent Martinez and Nathan Amne ran for two touchdowns each for Pampa while Carey Knutson ran for one touchdown. Justin Trollinger ran back an interception for a touchdown.

Pampa head coach Dennis Doughty praised his defensive unit for holding Borger scoreless.

The Pampa 9th graders evened their record at 3-3. They meet Caprock at 7 p.m. Oct. 31 in Pampa.

CANYON — West Texas A&M University, 1-4, hosts Texas A&M University-Commerce, 3-3, in a battle of football playing members of both the Lone Star Conference and the Texas A&M University System at 6 p.m. Saturday in Kimbrough Memorial Stadium.

Both teams enter the contest hoping to break a two game skid to open the Lone Star Conference schedule. TAMUC, formerly East Texas State University, started the season 3-1 and ranked as high as fourth in the NCAA Division II national football poll.

The Buffs feature one of the most explosive special teams in the country with Robert Mack (Galveston) leading the nation in kickoff return average, while Cliff Douglas (Galveston) is third in the same category.

SOCCER

CANYON — The Buff soccer team, 9-3 overall and ranked 16th in the NCAA Division II poll, will host Colorado University-Cororado Springs at 2 p.m. Sunday in the WTAMU Soccer Complex.

WTAMU is riding an eight match winning streak and has outscored its opponents 28-4 during that span. Buff goalie Emile Unverzagt is ranked 10th in the nation in goals-against-average with a 0.78 mark, while the WTAMU defense is 9th in the country with 0.75 goals allowed per match. Jason Morgan (forward, Amarillo), Ragan Young (forward, Richardson) and Lee Harvey (back, Dallas) all have twelve points on a season to lead the squad.

Prior to the match WTAMU will honor its five seniors — Morgan, Dan Seay, Chad Landry, Beau Brown and Lance Lomborg — as they play their final home game of 1996.

CANYON — WTAMU women's soccer team, ranked 24th nationally in its inaugural season, hosts Lone Star Conference opponent Angelo State University at 2 p.m. in the WTAMU Soccer Complex as part of Senior Day recognition. The Lady Buffs enter the contest with a 9-3 record overall and a 3-1 mark in the LSC.

WTAMU leads the LSC with a 3-1-0 record, while second place Midwestern State holds a 2-1-1 mark in the conference. The Lady Buffs have received balanced scoring all season with nine different players scoring goals, topped by Alicia Arias' (forward, El Paso) five. Arias and July Saylor (midfield, Amarillo) lead the squad in points with eleven each.

Seniors Wendy Morris (forward, Tyler) and Tracy Striley (back, Amarillo) will be recognized prior to the game, which is the last home contest of the season.

GOLF

VIRGINIA WATER, England (AP) — Steve Stricker's stunning streak continued today when he fired six birdies to go 6 up on defending champion Ernie Els at halfway of their World Match Play championship match.

The 26-year-old American, who won all five of his Dunhill Cup matches at St. Andrews last week, appeared in a strong position to oust the South African, who has never lost in this competition.

Helped by two bogeys by Els at the third and fourth holes, Stricker went into an early a two-hole lead.

POOL

Results of Tuesday night's pool tournament at the Pampa Athletic Club are as follows:

1. Tim Davis; 2. Darby Schale; 3. Robert Akins.

Braves rout Cardinals to win NL crown

ATLANTA (AP) — By the time the crowd started singing along with Frank Sinatra's version of "New York, New York," the Atlanta Braves already knew what was next.

On to Yankee Stadium for the World Series.

The St. Louis Cardinals, meanwhile, could only try to figure out what went wrong.

In one of the most surprising Game 7s in baseball history — and the biggest postseason rout ever — the Braves embarrassed the Cardinals 15-0 Thursday night to complete a remarkable rally from a 3-1 deficit in the NL championship series.

How startling was the comeback?

Held to 12 runs in the first four games, the defending champion Braves erupted to outscore St. Louis 32-1 in winning the last three. Atlanta, known for its pitch-

ing, permitted that lone run to score on a wild pitch.

"I don't think we expected to dominate like this," Tom Glavine said. "We always seem to get in nail biters."

Not this night, thanks to Glavine.

Glavine, MVP of the 1995 World Series, hit a bases-loaded triple to highlight a six-run first inning. He also pitched seven innings of three-hit, shutout ball.

"You wouldn't expect this many runs from any team," Braves manager Bobby Cox said. "You would never imagine it. I thought every game here would be very tight, low scoring. A couple of balls fell, and then it just steamrolled."

"But when we were down 1-3, we felt like we could reel off three. You always worry, but there's an awful lot of talent on this team," he said. "We had a lot of confidence. Not only did we pitch well,

We hit well, too."

The Braves have reached four of the last five World Series. When John Smoltz starts Game 1 on Saturday night in the Bronx, it will be a homecoming of sorts for Cox — he made his major league debut with the Yankees and coached first base on their 1977 championship team.

"My roots," he said. "It will be great to get to the old house before they tear it down."

The Yankees have been idle since Sunday, when they finished off Baltimore in the AL playoffs. Since then, though, New York has been keeping its eye on the Braves.

Yankees scout Gene Michael, the team's former manager and general manager, sat in the front row behind the backstop taking notes. He was one of about a half-dozen scouts watching Atlanta. Surely, it's been a scary site, as

the Cardinals found out firsthand.

"It just wouldn't stop," outfielder Brian Jordan said. "It was hit after hit after hit."

Javy Lopez, MVP of the series, Fred McGriff and Andruw Jones added two-run homers. Jones, at 19, became the youngest player to connect in a postseason game.

The sellout crowd of 52,067 spent the whole game cheering, chopping and chanting. The fans sang "New York, New York" in the late innings and reprised it during the on-field celebration.

The crowd also gave a standing ovation when Ozzie Smith came to bat for the last time in his career. Glavine stepped off the mound to let Smith soak in the applause, and the future Hall of Famer waved his helmet.

Smith, pinch-hitting the sixth, fouled out. The 41-year-old shortstop had previously announced

his retirement, and was hugged by his teammates in the dugout after batting.

"It would have been great to win another ring, but I'll get up tomorrow and get on with my life," Smith said.

Though Marquis Grissom began the rout by singling on Donovan Osborne's first pitch, the Braves' playoff comeback, clearly started before then.

It may have begun back at Busch Stadium when Dennis Eckersley pumped his fist forcefully in the air after closing out a Game 4 win that gave St. Louis the 3-1 lead. That prompted the Cardinals to put 20 cases of champagne on ice in anticipation of a clincher that never came, and seemed to anger Atlanta.

"They've proved it to us," Eckersley said. "They didn't have to beat the hell out of us to prove it to us, that's for sure."

Bucks welcome Panthers in District 2-2A contest

WHITE DEER — After a disappointing loss to Memphis last week, White Deer will try and bounce back when the Bucks host Panhandle at 7:30 tonight.

"From what I've seen on film, Panhandle has a pretty good team, but they've been hurt by their own mistakes," said White Deer coach Ralph Samaniego. "If they keep making mistakes we're going to have to try and take advantage of them."

White Deer, 4-2 overall, dropped its District 2-2A opener to Memphis, 22-6, last Friday night. Panhandle, 2-4 overall, shut out Wellington, 44-0, to open its district play.

The White Deer-Memphis game went scoreless until the

fourth quarter when the Cyclones tallied all their points in an eight-minute span. The Bucks suffered a blow when leading rusher Craig Urbanczyk was injured in the second quarter and was sidelined the remainder of the game.

"Craig's backup is a good kid, but he just doesn't have the snaps," Samaniego said. "It put a crimp in our offense, but our defense hung in there and made it interesting."

White Deer scored the final touchdown of the game when Torey Craig tossed a 66-yard scoring strike to Nick Knocke.

Urbanczyk should return to the lineup tonight, Samaniego said.

Harvester Football Notes

Sophomore middle linebacker Jared White had 9 tackles in Pampa's 31-16 victory over Canyon. Defensive end Aaron Wiseman had two quarterback sacks and 7 tackles...Senior free safety Ray Tollerson has become one of the best defensive backs in District 1-4A. He leads the Harvesters in fumble recoveries with three and has six blocked passes. He returned a blocked field goal try 85 yards for a touchdown in Pampa's 20-14 win over Dumas...Pampa's offensive linemen have been taking turns catching the eyes of the coach staff. Last week against Canyon, it was the blocking of center Willie Shaw and guard Brian Swift...

Pampa has dominated Borger on the football field during the 1990s, winning five of the last six meetings. The two teams meet at 7:30 tonight in Borger. Last season, Pampa's 24-9 win decided the District 1-4A cham-

pionship. Borger's 20-10 win over Pampa in 1994 decided the district's No. 2 playoff seed. When Pampa advanced to the fourth round of the playoffs in 1991, the Harvesters rolled past Borger, 52-7. When Borger beat Pampa, 12-3, in 1989, the outcome had no bearing on the playoffs. Both teams finished the season with 5-5 records. Lubbock Estacado won the district title that year and Hereford finished second.... The Harvesters are leading their opponents in almost every category expect penalties. Pampa has been penalized 61 times for 476 yards, the opposition 45 times for 348 yards after six games...Pampa is ranked No. 44 in this week's Class 4A Harris poll while Borger is No. 71. Other 1-4A team rankings has Dumas No. 73, Canyon 108, Randall No. 135, Hereford No. 171 and Caprock No. 176. Corpus Christi Calallen is ranked No. 1.

Auburn set to take on number one Florida

By The Associated Press

Auburn is the only Southeastern Conference team to beat Florida in the past 3 1/2 seasons. The Tigers will try to do it again Saturday.

No. 16 Auburn will play the top-ranked Gators at Gainesville, where the Tigers upset then-No. 1 Florida 36-33 in 1994. The Tigers also defeated the Gators the previous year, 38-35 at Auburn.

Those are Florida's only two SEC losses since the start of the 1993 season. The Gators are 29-2 in the league during that span and 67-13-1 overall since Steve Spurrier became coach in 1990.

"That's kind of a mark to shoot for from a coaching standpoint," Auburn coach Terry Bowden said. "It's tough to go out and beat him because he's gotten to the point where he can beat everybody."

Under Bowden, Auburn has been in three straight shootouts with Florida. Last year, the Tigers lost to the Gators 49-38.

Bowden said trying to play conservatively against Spurrier's high-scoring teams is a losing proposition.

"That usually gets you about a 35-7 loss, or maybe a 28-7 loss," Bowden said. "If I'm going to lose, I'd just as soon be 50-38 or 50-45."

This year, Florida (6-0) leads the nation in scoring with 52.5 points

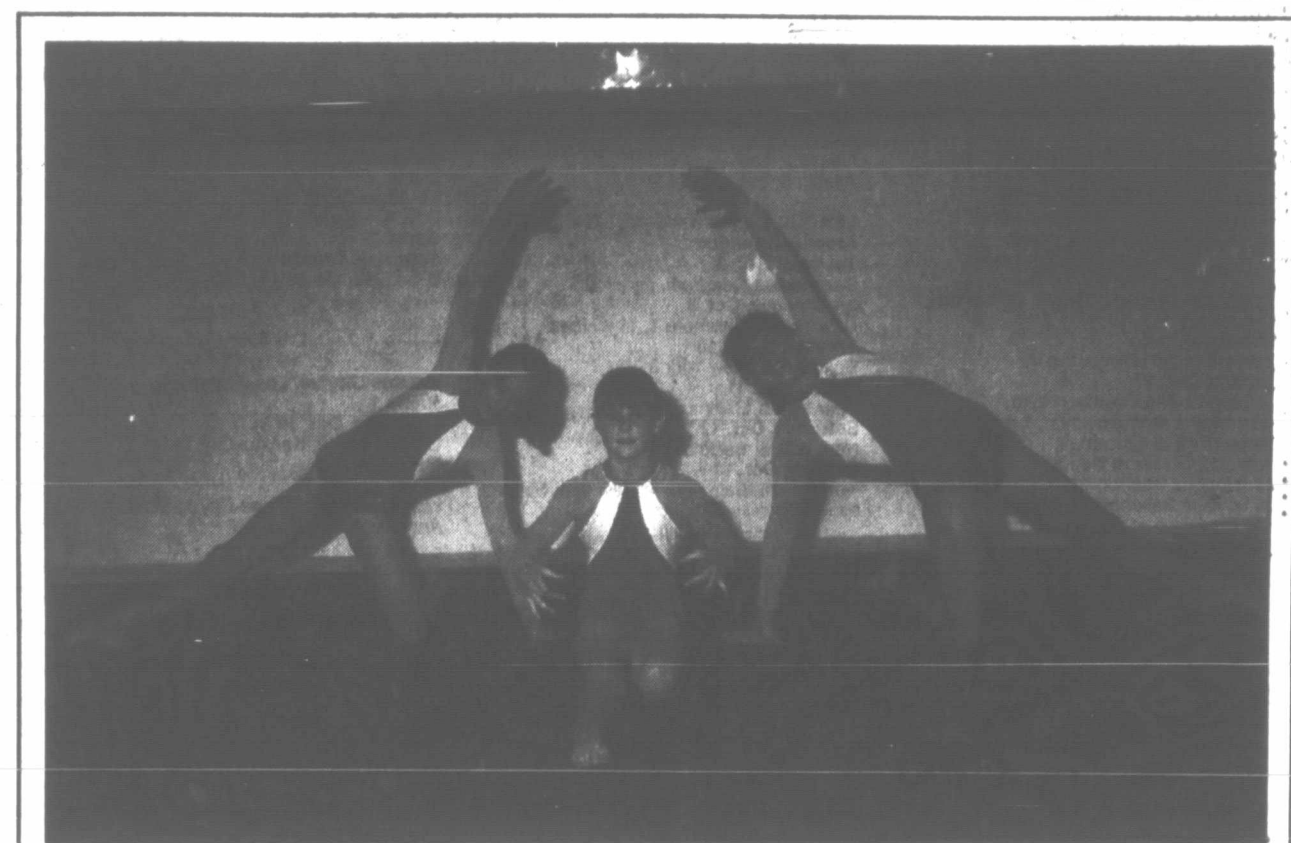
per game. The Gators have been especially devastating in the first quarter, outscoring the opposition 83-7 and getting a touchdown on their first possession of each game.

"It's just worked out for us, and has really set the tone for the game," said quarterback Danny Wuerffel, who has thrown five of his 17 TD passes on the first drive of the game.

Auburn (5-1) knows it will have to get off to a good start to stay with Florida.

"You want to establish the tempo for the afternoon, and Florida has done it every week," Bowden said.

In other Top 25 games Saturday, it's No. 2 Ohio State at Purdue, Southern Cal at No. 4 Arizona State, No. 5 Nebraska at Texas Tech, Mississippi at No. 7 Alabama, Air Force at No. 8 Notre Dame, No. 9 Colorado at Kansas, Iowa at No. 10 Penn State, East Carolina at No. 12 Miami, Indiana at No. 13 Michigan, No. 14 Northwestern at Wisconsin, No. 15 West Virginia at Temple, Kentucky at No. 17 LSU, No. 18 Brigham Young at Tulsa, No. 19 California at Washington State, North Carolina State at No. 20 Virginia, No. 21 Kansas State at Texas A&M, No. 22 Georgia Tech at Clemson, Fresno State at No. 23 Wyoming, Texas Christian at No. 24 Utah, and UCLA at No. 25 Washington.



(Special photo)

Gymnastics of Pampa team members (l-r) Erin Coffey, Amanda McKendree and Abby Cavalier work on one of their routines.

Pampa gymnasts get ready for District Championships in Odessa

PAMPA — Gymnastics of Pampa team members Abby Cavalier and Erin Coffey continued to dominate Level 6 All Around at the third District I Qualifying meet at Midland earlier this month.

Cavalier, two-time state championship competitor, held off the competition to take the Gold in the All-Around with a combined score of 34.80.

On her way to the gold, she

won first on balance beam (9.0); third on bars (8.7); fourth on floor exercise (9.0); and fifth on vault (8.1).

Coffey, first year level 6 competitor, performed solidly earning the Silver medal in All-Around with a score of 34.50. She posted a high meet score to place first on floor exercise (9.3); second on bars (8.8); second on beam (8.65); and seventh on vault (7.75).

Another competing first

year competitor was Amanda McKendree, placing third on balance beam with an excellent score — 8.8; seventh on bars (8.45); tenth on floor exercise (8.45); and tenth in All-Around (31.70).

The gymnasts will now get ready for the District Championships to be held in Odessa Nov. 2 under Coach Kristi Fatheree, daughter of their former Coach, the late Fred Hughes.

Chiefs cruise past Seahawks, 34-16

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — The Seattle Seahawks looked at their game against Kansas City as one that would define their season.

They would either challenge the established teams in the AFC West or fall again into the division cellar.

The cellar won out again. The Seahawks were penalized 118 yards and had two players ejected while losing to the Chiefs 34-16 Thursday night.

"Wow," defensive end Michael Sinclair said about four times. "118 yards? You can't even beat a Little League team playing like that."

Seattle helped Kansas City keep a drive alive in the first half with three offsides penalties, then committed three personal foul penalties in the second half to lead to another Chiefs touchdown.

"It's inexcusable," Seahawks coach Dennis Erickson said. "You expect to be offsides once or twice. But you can't do it time and again against a team like that team in that stadium."

Ejected in the second half after personal foul penalties were linebackers Winston Moss and Dean Wells.

"It's frustrating because you watch the film and you know they are going to cut you, you know they are going to block you low," Sinclair said. "It's frustrating to me personally. It's nothing bad, you just know they are going to do it. We knew that if we could come in here and win the game, we could turn the corner. But we didn't do it."

Corey Harris earlier was given a personal foul penalty for shoving Marcus Allen while Allen was out of bounds in the second quarter.

Allen, who almost lost the cool that he always maintains, scored

twice to move within one rushing touchdown of Walter Payton's career NFL mark of 110.

There were many scuffles in the game, and the officials seemed to take a harder view of things after the incident between Harris and Allen.

The Chiefs, who lost two in a row after winning their first four, now must go to Denver a week from Sunday in an unusual schedule that saw them play on Monday night, go through their bye week and then play on Thursday night.

"We really went back to basics," Allen said. "We went back to fundamentals. A lot of us felt like we were in training camp the past couple of days. But I think it paid off. I still think this offense has a lot of room for improvement."

Kansas City led 17-0 with less than four minutes left in the first half after Pete Stoyanovich kicked a 45-yard field goal. Kimble Anders scored on a 15-yard run and Allen scored a 1-yard TD.

Todd Peterson kicked a 24-yard field goal for Seattle with 26 seconds left in the half, but Stoyanovich's 43-yarder as time expired made it 20-3.

Chris Warren broke a 50-yard run for the Seahawks early in the third quarter to give Seattle hope, but the Chiefs answered with drives ending with scores by Allen and by Sean LaChapelle on a pass from Steve Bono to make it 34-10 with 6:40 remaining.

Joey Galloway caught a 16-yard pass from John Friesz with less than two minutes to go for Seattle's final score.

The Seahawks had won two of three and were coming off a victory at Miami.

But the Chiefs shut down

Warren in the first half, although he finished with 81 yards on 14 carries, and the Kansas City offense featuring slant routes by the wide receivers began to work.

Bono was 17-of-26 for 194 yards and a touchdown. Allen had 39 yards on 14 carries, and Anders gained 38 yards on four carries for a still-stumbling Chiefs rushing attack that nonetheless finished with a total of 146 yards.

In games Sunday, Atlanta is at Dallas; Miami at Philadelphia; New England at Indianapolis; New Orleans at Carolina; the New York Giants at Washington; Baltimore at Denver; Buffalo at the New York Jets; Cincinnati at San Francisco; Jacksonville at St. Louis; and Tampa Bay at Arizona.

Oakland is at San Diego on Monday night.

Chicago, Detroit, Green Bay and Minnesota are off.

Both the Atlanta-Dallas and Miami-Philadelphia games are preliminaries of a sort to next week, when Dallas goes to Miami to face Jimmy Johnson and the Dolphins. That will be Johnson's first game against Jerry Jones, Barry Switzer, and the team he coached to two Super Bowl victories.

Still, Sunday's game is critical for both the Eagles and Dolphins. Both are 4-2 and a game out of first place in their divisions, the NFC East and AFC East.

Philadelphia has been carried by its defense, which scored its only touchdown in a 19-10 win over the New York Giants last week.

"We have to get a drive going and sustain it," says Ty Detmer, who replaced Rodney Peete at quarterback when Peete was lost for the season with a knee injury.

Scoreboard

PRO FOOTBALL

National Football League

At A Glance

By The Associated Press
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AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Indianapolis	5	1	0	.833	115	87
Buffalo	4	2	0	.667	79	95
Miami	4	2	0	.667	140	88
New England	3	3	0	.500	147	131
N.Y. Jets	0	7	0	.000	92	187

Central

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Pittsburgh	5	1	0	.833	121	80
Houston	4	2	0	.667	151	130
Jacksonville	3	4	0	.429	137	138
Baltimore	2	4	0	.333	125	158
Cincinnati	1	5	0	.167	107	132

West

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Denver	5	1	0	.833	144	88
Kansas City	5	2	0	.714	151	108
San Diego	4	2	0	.667	145	144
Oakland	3	4	0	.429	156	134
Seattle	2	5	0	.286	109	187

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Washington	5	1	0	.833	130	78
Philadelphia	4	2	0	.667	125	121
Dallas	3	3	0	.500	104	79
Arizona	2	4	0	.333	85	148
N.Y. Giants	2	4	0	.333	88	116

Central

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Green Bay	5	1	0	.833	227	92
Minnesota	5	2	0	.714	127	118
Detroit	4	3	0	.571	182	124
Chicago	2	5	0	.286	104	152
Tampa Bay	1	5	0	.167	89	139

West

Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Carolina	4	2	0	.667	145	84
San Francisco	4	2	0	.667	155	85
New Orleans	2	5	0	.286	114	161
St. Louis	1	5	0	.167	88	171
Atlanta	0	6	0	.000	95	175

Thursday's Game

Kansas City 34, Seattle 16

Sunday's Games

Atlanta at Dallas, 1 p.m.

Miami at Philadelphia, 1 p.m.

New England at Indianapolis, 1 p.m.

New Orleans at Carolina, 1 p.m.

New York Giants at Washington, 1 p.m.

Baltimore at Denver, 4 p.m.

Buffalo at New York Jets, 4 p.m.

Cincinnati at San Francisco, 4 p.m.

Jacksonville at St. Louis, 4 p.m.

Pittsburgh at Houston, 4 p.m.

Open date: Chicago, Detroit, Green Bay, Minnesota

Monday's Game

Oakland at San Diego, 9 p.m.

Sunday, Oct. 27

Carolina at Philadelphia, 1 p.m.

Indianapolis at Washington, 1 p.m.

Jacksonville at Cincinnati, 1 p.m.

New York Giants at Detroit, 1 p.m.

Pittsburgh at Atlanta, 1 p.m.

St. Louis at Baltimore, 1 p.m.

San Francisco at Houston, 1 p.m.

Tampa Bay at Green Bay, 1 p.m.

Dallas at Miami, 4 p.m.

Kansas City at Denver, 4 p.m.

New York Jets at Arizona, 4 p.m.

San Diego at Seattle, 4 p.m.

Buffalo at New England, 8 p.m.

Open date: New Orleans, Oakland

Monday, Oct. 28

Chicago at Minnesota, 9 p.m.

BOWLING

HARVESTER WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost
Schiffman Machine	17	7
Graham Furniture	16	8
DBR H20 Vending	13	11
R & H Sporting	13	11
Koyes Pharmacy	9	15
O'Brien Enterprises	7	17

Week's High Scores

High game: Peggy Smith 220; High series: Peggy Smith 530; High handicap game: Peggy Smith 241; High handicap series: R. O'Neil Robinson 547.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MIXED LEAGUE

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost
Cal Enterprise	15	9
Dorman Tire	13	11
Harbison Fischer	12	12
McCarthy-Hull Inc.	12	12
Warner Horton	12	12
Team Eight	10	14
Team Three	10	14
Graham Furniture	8	16

Women

High game: Benny Horton 224; High series: Andy Anderson 580; High handicap game: Richard Patterson 238; High handicap series: Charlie Martin 659.

Women

High game: Susan Radzloff, 236; High series: Susan Radzloff 561; High handicap game: Susan Radzloff 275; High handicap series: Susan Radzloff 678.

BASEBALL

Postseason Baseball

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DIVISION SERIES

American League
New York 3, Texas 1
Texas 6, New York 2
New York 5, Texas 4, 12 innings
New York 3, Texas 4
New York 6, Texas 4

Los Angeles 2, San Jose 1
San Jose 1, Los Angeles 0
Los Angeles 2, San Jose 0
Los Angeles 2, San Jose 0

Kansas City 3, Dallas 2
Kansas City 3, Dallas 1
Kansas City 3, Dallas 2, SO (3-2)

CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS (Best-of-3)

D.C. 2, NY-NJ 1
NY-NJ 3, D.C. 2, SO (6-5)
D.C. 1, NY-NJ 0
D.C. 2, NY-NJ 1

Tampa Bay 2, Columbus 1
Tampa Bay 2, Columbus 0
Columbus 2, Tampa Bay 1
Tampa Bay 4, Columbus 1

Los Angeles 2, San Jose 1
San Jose 1, Los Angeles 0
Los Angeles 2, San Jose 0
Los Angeles 2, San Jose 0

Kansas City 3, Dallas 2
Kansas City 3, Dallas 1
Kansas City 3, Dallas 2, SO (3-2)

CONFERENCE FINALS (Best-of-3)
Tampa Bay vs. D.C.
Game 1
Thursday, Oct. 10
D.C. 4, Tampa Bay 1
Game 2
Saturday, Oct. 12
D.C. 2, Tampa Bay 1, D.C. wins series 2-0

Kansas City vs. Los Angeles
Game 1
Thursday, Oct. 10
Los Angeles 2, Kansas City 1
Game 2
Sunday, Oct. 13
Los Angeles 2, Kansas City 1, SO (3-1), Los Angeles wins series 2-0

MLB CUP
At Foxboro Stadium
Foxboro, Mass.
Thursday, Oct. 20
D.C. vs. Los Angeles, 3:30 p.m.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

Thursday's Scores

Austin McCallum 24, Austin Travis 23
Austin SFA 38, San Marcos 20
Dallas Center 58, North Dallas 9
Dallas Lincoln 27, Dallas Adarnson 0
Dallas Spruce 38, Seagoville 21
Dallas White 14, Dallas Jefferson 7
Kennedale 24, Dallas Madison 22
Laredo Alexander 54, Laredo Cigarros 6
Rockwall 40, Rowlett 3
Saginaw Boswell 41, Trimble Tech 6
SA Brackneridge 31, SA Edison 14

National League (Fox)
Wednesday, Oct. 9
Atlanta 4, St. Louis 2
St. Louis 6, Atlanta 3
Saturday, Oct. 12
St. Louis 3, Atlanta 2
Sunday, Oct. 13
St. Louis 4, Atlanta 3
Monday, Oct. 14
Atlanta 14, St. Louis 0
Wednesday, Oct. 16
Atlanta 3, St. Louis 1
Thursday, Oct. 17
Atlanta 15, St. Louis 0, Atlanta wins series 4-3

WORLD SERIES (Fox)
Saturday, Oct. 19
Atlanta (Smoltz 24-8) at New York (Pettite 21-8 or Cone 7-2), 8:01 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 20

SOCCER

Major League Soccer

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Tampa Bay 2, Columbus 0
Columbus 2, Tampa Bay 1
Tampa Bay 4, Columbus 1

Los Angeles 2, San Jose 1
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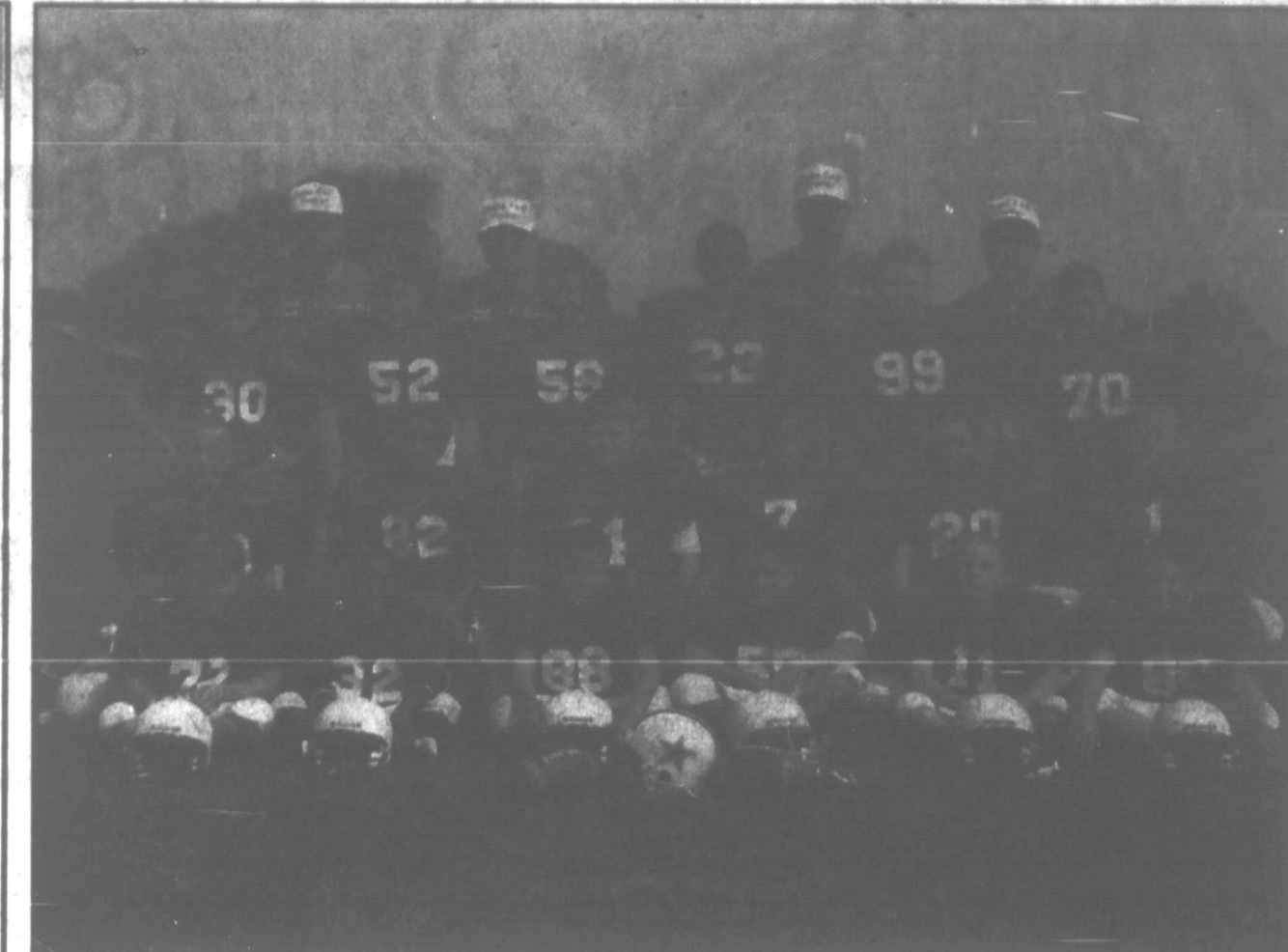
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Rockwall 40, Rowlett 3
Saginaw Boswell 41, Trimble Tech 6
SA Brackneridge 31, SA Edison 14

National League (Fox)
Wednesday, Oct. 9
Atlanta 4, St. Louis 2
St. Louis 6, Atlanta 3
Saturday, Oct. 12
St. Louis 3, Atlanta 2
Sunday, Oct. 13
St. Louis 4, Atlanta 3
Monday, Oct. 14
Atlanta 14, St. Louis 0
Wednesday, Oct. 16
Atlanta 3, St. Louis 1
Thursday, Oct. 17
Atlanta 15, St. Louis 0, Atlanta wins series 4-3

WORLD SERIES (Fox)
Saturday, Oct. 19
Atlanta (Smoltz 24-8) at New York (Pettite 21-8 or Cone 7-2), 8:01 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 20



Members of the undefeated champion Cowboys are: (front row, l-r) Clint Dalrymple, Larry Wilson, Luis Campos, Joel Botello, Hunter Craig and Alex Couch Jr.; (second row, l-r) Chance Henley, Christopher Perez, Kevin Parks, T.J. Nickleberry, Tres Morris and Mac Smith; (third row, l-r) Andy Keeton, Rodney Scobee, Luis Gonzales Jr., Derrick Williams, Trevor Allen and Carlos Solis Jr. Coaches are (back row, l-r) David Smith, Dick Henley, John Mann and Mando Ramirez. Not pictured are Aaron Simon and Max Simon.

Tiger League's Cowboys go unbeaten

Pampa — The Tiger League Cowboys football team won the north zone with a 3-0 record then took the League Championship with a 5-0 record. They beat White Deer 28-0 in the City Tournament and defeated Wheeler 40-0 in the Championship Game.

In the game against White Deer, Cowboy's Derrick Williams ran 35-yards for a touchdown and twice added a two-point conversion. Trevor Allen bulled his way in for a 15-yard touchdown. Luis Gonzales Jr. added a 50-yard run for an additional touchdown. Luis Campos had a 15-yard scamper for the final Cowboy play.

In the championship game against Wheeler, the Cowboys had eight different players scoring. Williams, Allen Gonzales Jr., Campos, Arron Simon — each

scored at least one touchdown apiece, and Carlos Solis Jr., Max Simon, Alex Couch Jr., all had two-point conversions.

This season the team averaged 32-points a game on offense while defense — led by Mac Smith, Chance Henley and linebacker Solis Jr. — fended off an average of 0.85-points a game. The Cowboys "D" were a mighty solid unit, said coach Mando Ramirez.

"Our coaches are proud to have had an opportunity to be involved with such a great group of young men. Thank you, Cowboys," Ramirez said.

Canucks end Stars' win streak

DALLAS (AP) — The Dallas Stars knew the odds were good that their franchise-record winning streak to start the season would come to an end sometime soon.

The way they lost Thursday night snapped them back to reality.

Vancouver used its superior team speed to force Dallas out of its game, and Markus Naslund had two goals and an assist as the Canucks routed the Stars 6-1.

"What's disappointing is we recognized the tempo, but we didn't control the flow," Stars coach Ken Hitchcock said. "We were a little intimidated by their speed. We backed up and were on our heels."

Dallas was off to a 6-0-0 start, the best in the 30-year history of the Stars franchise.

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4 Panhandler
7 Tavern
10 Spare
12 Rose
13 Bye-bye
14 Unslightly
15 Toddler
16 Looked at
17 Scary
19 Compile
21 Wall Street worker
23 Wolflike animal
24 Clash
31 Emerald Isle
32 Taxed
33 Sayings
35 Fodder
36 State
37 Religious poem
38 Pressed
40 Non-religious one
42 Speak
46 It could be red!

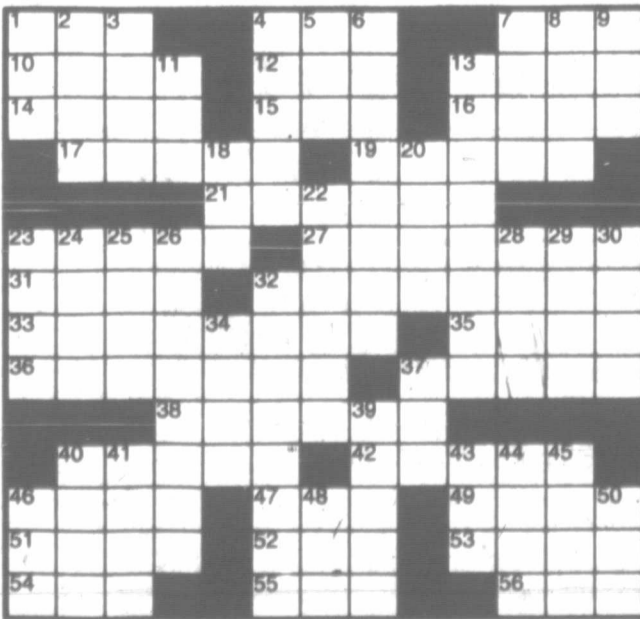
DOWN

1 Heat unit (abbr.)
2 Egg on
3 Fictional story
4 Mean dog
5 Gls' club
6 Bullfighters tower
7 Takes care of the bills
8 Southwestern porpoise
9 Faulty
11 Unit of light
13 Dry-eyed
18 Give
20 Merge

Answer to Previous Puzzle

KERN MIAMI
ANGERS AORTAS
TURBAN FOREST
TITIA URARI
SET TOBAR YAWS
BY TOBY MACHO
AFLAME MATTED
TRONED CLEATS
MAINS WELD
SYME AONE ISO
RIGER KOLA
ANQINT OPIER
LEVERS ESTIES
ABASE WICK

22 Keen
23 Insight
24 Obey
25 Cry of pain
26 Singer
27 Lingerie purchase
28 Freshwater porpoise
29 Small valley
30 Esau's country
32 Palatial
34 -avis
37 Ore.
39 time
40 Southeast wind
41 Anguish
42 Church area
43 Singing syllable
44 Skinny fishes
45 Invitation letters
46 Prefix for pod
48 Comedian
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Nation briefs

State investigating disappearing doctor

NEW YORK (AP) — The state Health Department is investigating New York Hospital's chief surgeon, who left a hernia patient on the operating table and was meeting someone at the airport when the man died.

Hospital spokeswoman Myrna Manners angrily dismissed claims that Dr. John Daly's conduct was improper, saying his actions on Aug. 18 were standard procedure.

Daly performed the surgery on 72-year-old Lawrence Beckerman successfully, then left a resident to close the incision, she said. After visiting with Beckerman's family and other patients, Daly left the hospital to pick up a visiting professor at LaGuardia Airport, Manners said.

Beckerman suffered a fatal heart attack as an anesthesia tube was being removed after Daly left.

One dead in all-night standoff with deputy sheriff

HOUMA, La. (AP) — Police worked through the night trying to negotiate the surrender of a deputy sheriff who stormed into the bank where his estranged wife works, shot a teller to death and took an unknown number of people hostage, authorities said.

The dead woman was identified as Pamela Duplantis, 27, an ArgentBank teller from Houma, but state police would not say why she was killed.

Three hostages were released individually several hours after Chad Louviere, 24, laid siege to the bank about 11 a.m. Thursday, police said. Fewer than five others, including Louviere's estranged wife,

Adele, were believed still inside.

Louviere is a deputy with the sheriff's department in Terrebonne Parish, about 50 miles southwest of New Orleans. He became a deputy several months ago after more than three years as a police officer in nearby Thibodaux.

Louviere, who separated from his wife about six months ago, also had SWAT team training with the Thibodaux Police Department.

Mix said negotiators were talking with Louviere via a cellular telephone that had been brought to the deputy earlier Thursday. Neither Louviere nor his hostages had eaten since noon.

Frog song deemed inappropriate by Baltimore schools

RANDALLSTOWN, Md. (AP) — The author of *Froggy Went A-Courtin* is hopping mad.

First, Baltimore County schools pulled his book off the shelves after a parent complained about the amphibian protagonist's smoking, carousing and armed-robbing ways.

Now the school district has canceled author-illustrator Kevin O'Malley's appearance at an elementary school in this suburban Baltimore town, which means he won't get his \$800 speaking fee.

O'Malley says it may be time to go a-courtin' himself — and appeal to the State Board of Education.

"If I kept quiet ... that's like not reporting a crime," he said Wednesday. "But I'm not suing. It's a far too litigious society."

County schools spokesman Donald J. Mohler III said school officials found Froggy an inappropriate role model.

Hiker trapped in crevasse rescued after eight days

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Hiker John Ey spent eight days trapped in a narrow crevasse in southern Utah, living on only a swallow of water a day after he ate the last bites of his last sandwich.

The 44-year-old printer and photographer from Tucson, Ariz., was rescued Wednesday after he heard the tinkle of a search dog's bell and put all the energy he had left into yells.

The dog had tracked his scent to the 75-foot-deep crevasse near Brimstone Canyon in the new Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument, about 200 miles south of Salt Lake City.

"It was hard, horrible," he said by telephone Thursday from a hospital bed in Page, Ariz., where he was being treated for dehydration. "I wouldn't wish it on a murderer or a rapist."

"I'm eternally thankful for a second chance at life."

Ey (pronounced EYE) had been camping alone in the area for several days and started what he intended to be a day trek the morning of Oct. 8. He packed 3 quarts of water, two sandwiches and two candy bars, expecting to return to his truck by nightfall.

The area is fractured with slot canyons, some hundreds of feet deep and only 2 or 3 feet wide. Ey went into one and was unable to hike out.

He searched for another exit in the sandstone maze, descending again and again, sometimes in canyons so narrow that he was forced to squeeze through on his side.

After a day of exhausting dead-ends, Ey found himself all but wedged into a narrow crevasse with no more room to maneuver.

How long will jury last in latest Simpson case?

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — The jury in the O.J. Simpson wrongful-death trial had been impaneled less than two hours when trouble struck.

In a series of events reminiscent of the turmoil surrounding the criminal trial, unspecified "jury problems" stalled the civil case Thursday.

Nobody would officially provide details, but the trouble appeared to involve a black juror on the mostly white panel who was summoned to the judge's chambers.

The juror was the target of misconduct allegations and could be dismissed today, sources said. The misconduct, however, did not rise to the level that might cause a mistrial, said one source, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

The only formal explanation came from court spokeswoman Jerriane Hayslett, who said, "The jury was seated. It's still a 12-person jury. Right now, we're having jury problems."

With eight alternate jurors still to be chosen, opening statements set for Tuesday morning will probably be postponed.

The juror apparently at issue is a black man in his 50s who said he was involved in three cases of domestic violence, and each time it was an ex-wife

or girlfriend attacking him. He said he never hit back.

He said he had his fill of violence in 20 years in the military. He has relatives working in the FBI, and said police may have planted evidence against Simpson.

The trouble began less than two hours after the swearing-in of the panel of eight whites, two blacks, one Hispanic and one man who is half-Asian and half-black. Seven of them are women; five men.

Nine blacks were on the jury that acquitted Simpson last October in the 1994 slayings of ex-wife Nicole Brown Simpson and her friend Ronald Goldman. The families of Ms. Simpson and Goldman are suing Simpson for unspecified damages, claiming he is responsible for the deaths.

At his criminal trial, Simpson's lawyers argued he was a victim of a racist police frame-up, and they are expected to use the same line of defense this time. Polls have shown that blacks are far more likely than whites to believe Simpson is innocent.

"This is a very different jury, which is exactly what the plaintiffs were hoping for," said Loyola University Law School Dean Laurie Levenson.



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