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Crossroads weather

Forecast for the Big Spring area: Increasing cloudiness tonight, with a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the 60s. Partly cloudy Saturday. Highs near 90. Thursday's high was 92 and the low was 89.



District plans committee on minority issues

By STEVE GEISSEN
Staff Writer

Formation of a committee on minority concerns by the Big Spring Independent School District evolved into a major portion of the regular monthly meeting Thursday.

The board also heard a report that the district is in compliance with the mandated 20-to-1 student-teacher ratio in grades 1-4, and will make adjustments to comply with the mandate at the kindergarten center.

Ford Farris, board president, who initiated discussion on formation of a minority concerns committee, suggested that the committee would serve as a liaison between the minority community and the board.

He added that the committee would likely be composed of himself, Bill McQueary, superintendent, Billy Pineda, board member, one or two teachers, and members of the minority community.

The proposal was not designated an action item, thus no formal action was taken. Instead, each board member present was given the opportunity to express his views on the matter.

Dwayne Fraser was the only board member not in attendance at the meeting.

"I felt like it was time to take a step to better relations with the minority community," said Farris.

"I think it's a beginning," said Billy Pineda, adding "the minority issues are American issues. I think it will alleviate a lot of the problems we've had in the past."

Bill Brooks was the only board member who objected to the proposal.



FORD FARRIS

Brooks said he "would be opposed to it the way it's worded."

The board currently represents "the entire community," said Brooks, adding that the board should not "be concerned with one particular member of society."

Farris responded to Brooks' comments, saying, "I feel like there is a conception by the minority that we're hard to get to, and that we don't listen to them. We appear to have more minority problems come to the board than other boards."

Said McQueary, "Clarification, understanding and communication might reduce the amount of problems, or perceived problems."

He added that the committee would not infringe upon the powers of the board, but would serve in an advisory capacity.

SCHOOL BOARD page 3-A

Gilbert's eye on Texas

Death toll reaches 50

By JOEL WILLIAMS
Associated Press Writer

BROWNSVILLE — Hurricane Gilbert's leading edge lashed the coast and its 120 mph winds swirled toward landfall tonight, as officials in the Caribbean and Mexico tallied billions in damage from the giant storm blamed for at least 50 deaths and indirectly linked to one in Texas.

As seas churned, a U.S. Coast Guard helicopter rescued five people from a fishing boat near Port Isabel. A 41-foot search and rescue boat arrived about 10:15 a.m. in Matagorda Bay to try and pull seven people from a fishing boat, the Coast Guard said.

Two 70-foot shrimp boats, the KI-I and KI-II, from Venice, La. had left Tampico, Mexico "and ran into a bit of a problem" with 10- to 20-foot seas and high winds, said Lt. j.g. Robin Starrett, Coast Guard spokesman in Corpus Christi.

The helicopter from Houston also located KI-I, "beached between Port Isabel and the Rio Grande with no one aboard," and was searching along the coast for its occupants, said Starrett.

Thousands of residents along Texas' 370-mile coast, many evacuated to higher ground after piling sandbags in the doorways of their homes and boarding up windows, huddled in shelters and waited for the news:

When and where would Gilbert hit?

"We are going to sit and wait and pray for the best," said Larry Brown, director of transportation for Brownsville, where officials estimated that as much as one-fourth of the city of 110,000 could end up in emergency shelters.

In heavy rains, Brownsville

police today went into low-lying areas to tell residents to evacuate before the hurricane made landfall.

A 3-year-old Rockport boy died in what authorities said was the first Texas drowning indirectly related to Hurricane Gilbert.

The boy fell off his family's shrimp boat when the family had moved the vessel into the Victoria Barge Canal for safe mooring, according to the Calhoun County Sheriff's office.

Sheriff's office spokesman Rick Prush said authorities determined the boy's death was indirectly related to Gilbert.

Port Isabel, a city of about 5,000 just east of Brownsville, had turned into a virtual ghost town by Thursday evening. Officials also evacuated the coastal resorts of South Padre Island and Galveston.

"It sounds facetious, but people can stay as long as we can fingerprint them so we can identify them later," said South Padre Mayor Bob Pinkerton Jr.

In Corpus Christi, police were ordered to leave North Padre Island as water began flooding the causeway. The city had earlier asked everyone to leave the island, but police Chief Robert Olson said he had heard that about 10 to 15 residents remained there last night.

"I'd have to feel that some of those people came to their senses," and left, Olson said.

Corpus Christi officials were encouraged that the storm appeared headed south, but remained wary.

"The situation looks favorable to Corpus Christi at this point. But we can't take anything for granted. We all know hurricanes are unpredictable," Mayor Betty

GILBERT page 3-A



CORPUS CHRISTI — Six-year-old Raul Flores Jr. waits in the photo above Thursday afternoon with his family's belongings in front of Ray High School, a refugee shelter, as Hurricane Gilbert approaches the Texas coast. Below, Phillip West, and his wife Dorothy, pack a flat bed trailer with their household goods as they prepare to evacuate their home in Port O'Connor. The bottom photo shows the results of Hurricane Gilbert after passing through the island of Jamaica and leaving thousands homeless in its wake.



Associated Press photos

Devastated Valley prepares for blow

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — Officials say Hurricane Gilbert may wipe out the economic recovery in the Lower Rio Grande Valley an area struggling to rebound from natural and economic disasters for the past five years.

And the storm could threaten delicate wildlife refuges and the \$500 million oyster and shrimp industry, officials said Thursday.

State officials said the massive storm moving toward the Brownsville area may wreak havoc with the region's citrus crop.

"We could lose everything, about a couple hundred million dollars worth of crops," said Doyle Warren, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in the Lower Valley.

In an effort to salvage some of the Texas crop, workers picked about 80 tons of oranges in the last two days. But most of the crop will not be ready for harvest for about two weeks.

The Valley has been dealt several setbacks recently. A deep freeze in 1983 destroyed fruits and trees in the four counties bordering Mexico, causing about \$100 million in damage.

The area has also been reeling from the devaluation of the peso, and more recently, this summer's drought.

The storm also threatens the jobs of thousands of farm hands, many of whom are migrant workers and could push unemployment rates higher, already among the highest in the nation.

Also, the portion of the coast between Brownsville and Corpus Christi has two of the most productive shrimping areas in the Gulf of Mexico.

This is the prime season for shrimping, the time of year when shrimpers must be on the water every day to make money. But Gilbert has forced most of them to bring in their boats and try to find safe harbor.



Herald photo by Tim Appel

On the job

New Big Spring Postmaster Howard Richey, formerly postmaster at Los Alamos, N.M. for seven years, surveys his new surroundings. He assumed his new responsibilities this week.

United States, Vietnam agree to joint MIA searches

By PETER ENG
Associated Press Writer

BANGKOK, Thailand — U.S. and Vietnamese experts will conduct unprecedented joint field investigations this month, asking villagers about U.S. servicemen lost in Vietnam more than 15 years ago, a U.S. official said.

Lt. Col. Joe Harvey said Thursday that the two sides agreed in talks earlier this week to form two joint teams to search a broad area roughly 38 miles north of Vietnam's capital, Hanoi.

The search will begin Sept. 25 and last about 10 days, Harvey said. It would be the first time U.S. specialists will be allowed to interview villagers in the countryside and the first joint field activity since the two sides in late 1985 unearthed the wreckage of a U.S. B-52 bomber near Hanoi.

Harvey, commander of the U.S. Joint Casualty Resolution Center, headed the U.S. side at this week's talks.

National POW/MIA Day being observed

By STEVE REAGAN
Staff Writer

U.S. President Ronald Reagan has declared today National POW/MIA Day in observance of servicemen who were prisoners of war and those still listed as missing in action.

He has directed that the black and white POW/MIA flag be flown over the White House, Departments of State and Defense, Veterans' Administration and the Vietnam Veterans' Memorial in observance of the day.

"We're going to do joint investigations of incidents, not just crash sites, but places where people were last thought to be but we don't know exactly what happened to them," Harvey said in a

In his announcement of the observance, Reagan stated, "We have a deep moral responsibility in (the POW/MIA issue) — a duty to make every possible effort to account for and return missing Americans to their homeland and to their loved ones. Until the POW/MIA issue is resolved, this issue stays, and will stay, among our nation's highest priorities."

Activities in observance of the day have been planned locally, according to Don Boling, president of the local Vietnam Veterans'

telephone interview from Honolulu.

"I think it's a very significant development," he said. "We think this will be the first of many such joint activities," he said.

Association chapter.

They began today at noon with the testing of the city's emergency siren, Boling said.

A special program in honor of the POW/MIAs is scheduled for 6:30 p.m. tonight in room 212 of the VA Medical Center. Featured speaker will be Ron Boxmeyer, team leader of the Midland Vet Center.

Boxmeyer is a combat veteran and career employee of the VA, according to information released by the hospital.

A dutch treat dinner at Furr's

The United States wants to account for nearly 1,800 servicemen and civilians listed as missing in action, or MIA, from the war that cost about 58,000 American lives until U.S. forces withdrew in 1973.

Cafeteria, Highland Shopping Center, will follow the program. All former POWs and their guests; families and others interested in those still listed as MIA; and the general public are invited.

The local VVA chapter will host a showing of the film, "When Hell was in session," a true-to-life account of the experiences of POW Jeremiah Denton, in the Chamber of Commerce conference room at 9 p.m., Boling said.

After the film, a prayer/candle vigil will be conducted in front of the city auditorium, he added.

Since communist North Vietnam defeated U.S.-backed South Vietnam in April 1975, ending the war, progress on the MIA issue has been hampered by frequent bickering and the lack of

diplomatic relations between Washington and Hanoi.

Harvey said each joint search team will include three U.S. experts drawn from the casualty resolution center and the Army Central Identification Laboratory, both Honolulu-based units entrusted with resolving the fate of missing U.S. servicemen.

The teams will talk to local government officials and villagers who may have witnessed the incidents in which the American soldiers were lost, he said.

Harvey said the teams would focus on several of the 70 "discrepancy cases" that the United States has asked Vietnam to resolve urgently.

In these cases, the United States says there is strong evidence the men survived and were captured or otherwise came under Vietnamese control, and Vietnamese authorities should have information about them.

Oil futures rally, fall

NEW YORK (AP) — The decreasing likelihood that Hurricane Gilbert would seriously disrupt Gulf of Mexico energy production and indications that Iraq was balking at coming under OPEC output restrictions have helped curb the recent oil futures rally.

On the New York Mercantile Exchange, wholesale unleaded gasoline for October delivery closed down 1.39 cents at 45.63 cents a gallon on Thursday after rising 3.21 cents in the previous session.

The October wholesale heating oil contract fell 1.37 cents a gallon to close at 42.70 cents after a 2.24-cent rise on Wednesday.

The October contract for West Texas Intermediate, the benchmark grade of U.S. crude, settled 50 cents lower at \$14.90 per

barrel following an 84-cent rise in volatile trading on Wednesday.

Crude prices generally had been rising since plunging briefly to two-year lows on Monday. But factors that strengthened the market recently began to fade early in the trading day Thursday along with reports that Hurricane Gilbert was headed for the U.S. Gulf of Mexico coast, analysts said.

A statement Thursday from Iraq's oil minister that his country would not lower its oil output if asked to do so by the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries and instead might raise production contributed to depressing prices.

Iraq has refused to abide by its OPEC-assigned quota of 1.5 million barrels a day.

Engines from Delta jet appear intact

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal investigators say the engines from the Delta Air Lines jetliner that crashed last month in Texas show no evidence of mechanical failure — a finding that is focusing more attention on possible pilot error.

The National Transportation Safety Board said Thursday the evidence shows "that all engines (on the plane) were running as commanded and capable of producing full power at the time of impact."

Early speculation after the Aug. 31 crash at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport, in which 14 of 108 people aboard Delta Flight 1141 died, was possible engine failure because witnesses reported fire coming from an engine.

The cockpit voice recorder tape also included a reference by a crew member to "engine failure" seconds before the crash.

But the NTSB said that after the three Pratt & Whitney JT8D engines were disassembled at the manufacturer's facilities in Connecticut "there was no evidence of pre-impact failure" in any of the engines.

The findings also seemed to rule out the possibility that an object or bird was sucked into an engine since that would have caused damage or been determined when the engines were disassembled.

While the safety board is continuing to examine the possibility that there was a compressor stall because of improper air flow

through an engine, investigators believe that would have to have been caused by some other irregularity.

Proper air flow can be disrupted through an engine if a plane is in an unusual angle that restricts the flow of air across the wings or fuselage, according to aviation experts.

Investigators have said the cockpit voice recorder tape includes at least five noises that could be engine compressor stalls, but all of them occur after the plane already was having serious problems remaining aloft.

The engine findings, according to one source close to the investigation, have caused investigators to focus more closely on the possibility

that an error by the pilots such as improperly configuring the aircraft for takeoff — was the cause of the crash.

Meanwhile, the cockpit crew members, all three of whom survived the crash, have yet to provide information that might shed light on the cause of the accident.

Earlier this week, Capt. Larry Davis, who was at the controls during the takeoff, told investigators he recalls one of the other pilots stating the flaps were properly extended, but doesn't recall checking the flap indicators to verify if they indeed had been set.

The co-pilot, Carey W. Kirkland, has told investigators he doesn't remember anything after the aircraft left the gate.

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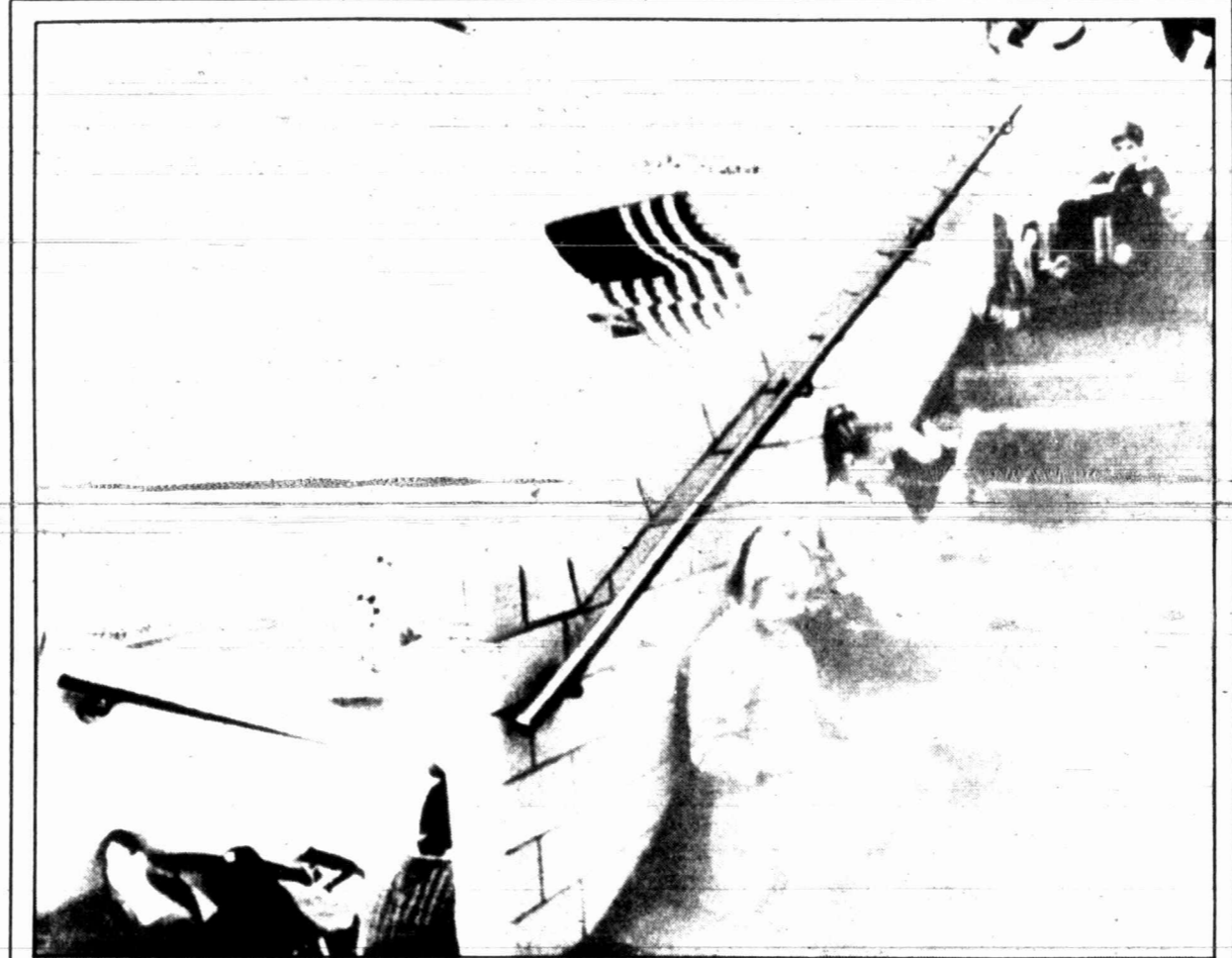
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A 1988 version of the classic television movie "Ten Angry Men" will be presented at Howard College the weekend of Oct. 7. If you enjoy drama, you'll not want to miss this!



Stairway to higher learning

DALLAS — Sixth-graders in the gifted and talented class study in the stairwell they use as a classroom at Lakewood Elementary School in Dallas. Students have tried to make the best of

their plight with colorful pictures on the walls and pillows for the steps until they move into a portable classroom in November.

Associated Press photo

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Odessa hospital faces lawsuit

ODESSA, Texas (AP) — Citing potential legal problems, Medical Center Hospital board members have fired the last two administrators connected with the hospital's former management corporation.

Board member David Meisell said Interim Administrator Judi Guthrie and financial consultant Jeff Stinert were asked to leave because of the possibility of a lawsuit by HCA against the hospital.

A 376-bed facility owned by Ector County, Medical Center was administered by HCA until Aug. 8, when county commissioners and the hospital board terminated the company's contract.

The management firm claimed the contract, up for renewal Oct. 1, was wrongly terminated. HCA regional Vice President Dick Coughlin told the hospital board the contract called for a 60-day written termination before the beginning of the next fiscal year or it automatically would be renewed for two years.

Briefs

Ammunition amnesty offered

FORT BLISS (AP) — Business wasn't booming on Ammunition and Explosive Amnesty Day, and that suits officials fine.

Fort Bliss declared the amnesty day Thursday to lure soldiers and civilians into bringing in stray ammunition, no questions asked, so they can clear their homes of dangerous doorstops and potentially murderous mantelpieces.

A spokesman said ammunition and explosives are common because the area around Fort Bliss and White Sands Missile Range used to be a practice range 40 years ago. The Franklin Mountains, which lie roughly between the fort and downtown El Paso, were used as a backdrop — and now housing developments are being built on the mountainside.

The most common live items found in and around Fort Bliss are practice hand grenades, which hold about 3 ounces of powder and pack enough explosive power to blow off most of one's hand. Anti-tank rockets used in training exercises during World War II and the Korean War are plentiful, too.

Flares seemed to be the most popular item brought in on the amnesty day. By midday, people had brought a trip flare, two slap flares, a green-smoke grenade, shells for .45 and 9 mm pistols and 303 Enfield rifles, belted machine gun blanks and an empty, blue-and-red painted 20 mm cannon round.

It is illegal to possess explosives without a license, and the Army hoped the amnesty day would bring forward lots of dangerous devices, said Fort Bliss spokeswoman Jean Shoffut.

'Fast for Life' continues

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower is scheduled to pass the "Fast for Life" cross to Fernando Chavez, oldest son of farm worker union organizer Cesar Chavez, at the Diez y Seis celebration at the Capitol Friday.

"It is fitting that a leader of Mexican descent continue the fast at a Diez y Seis celebration," said Rebecca Flores Harrington, state director of United Farm Workers.

The fast was started by the elder Chavez to focus attention on the dangers of pesticides used on grapes.

Unanimous confirmation expected for Cavazos

WASHINGTON (AP) — Texas Tech University President Lauro Cavazos is now just one vote away from becoming the nation's top educator, and Sen. Phil Gramm says he expects a unanimous confirmation by the Senate.

"I would be very surprised if anybody voted against Larry," Gramm said Thursday after the Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee recommended unanimously that Cavazos be confirmed as the next education secretary.

The 61-year-old son of a South Texas cattleman and a registered Democrat, Cavazos would become the first Hispanic member of a president's cabinet.

He will only serve until the next president takes office in January, but Gramm believes Cavazos would stay on the job if Republican presidential nominee George Bush wins the election.

"He will clearly then have an opportunity to have great impact on every school child in America," said Gramm, R-Texas.

Senate staff said a confirmation vote was likely early next week. President Reagan nominated Cavazos, a registered Democrat, to succeed outgoing Education Secretary William Bennett last month.

Cavazos testified before the Senate committee last week that he would push for increased education spending and focus on meeting the educational needs of all citizens.

"It is vital we have a Department of Education that speaks up for every citizen in the area of education. There is not a problem in the United States that could not be solved with education," Cavazos testified.

Cavazos is the first Hispanic to serve as president of Texas Tech, and is also the school's first graduate to hold the post. He is president of the Texas Tech medical school, although he is not a medical doctor.

Huntsville prison inmates are indicted

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — A state prison inmate faces a murder charge in connection with the alleged gang-ordered killing of another prisoner, and three other inmates are accused of setting fire to a prison shoe factory.

The four inmates were indicted Thursday by a Walker County grand jury.

Dionicio "Danny" Duran, 36, serving a life sentence for theft and possession of heroin convictions in El Paso, was indicted on a murder charge in connection with the December 1986 stabbing death of inmate Joe Arredondo at the Texas Department of Corrections' Ellis I Unit.

Duran is the eighth person to be indicted in connection with Arredondo's death. One of the eight is Luis Sandaval, 25, a TDC guard accused of unlocking a door to the hallway where Arredondo, 33, was killed.

Special prison prosecutor David Weeks said the Texas Syndicate, one of the most powerful prison gangs, ordered Arredondo's death after he returned from a furlough without the drugs he promised to deliver to gang leaders.

Although Duran did not participate in the killing, he allegedly was involved in planning the murder, Weeks said.

Indicted on arson charges Thursday were Odus Rogers, 36, Daniel Mendoza, 39, and Adolfo Chavez, 41. They are accused of setting fire to the shoe factory at the Ellis I Unit on May 20. The fire destroyed the building and contents, valued at \$3 million to \$5 million.

Weeks said the fire was set because the inmates were unhappy with higher production quotas.

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How's That?

Howard College

Q. What is the enrollment at each of Howard College's Campuses?

A. The number of students at each campus enrolled in regular credit hour classes is as follows: Big Spring — 1,136; SouthWest College Institute for the Deaf — 115; Federal Prison Camp — 67; Lamesa — 110; San Angelo — 258; and Del Rio — 27 according to Linda Conway, Dean of Admissions at Howard College. She said the district also has 150 students enrolled in vocational classes. The vocational enrollment is as follows: Big Spring — 49; Lamesa — 22; San Angelo — 45; Del Rio — 15; and Federal Prison Camp — 16.

Calendar

TODAY

- Homecoming Smorgasbord dessert supper sponsored by the GFWC Forsan Study Club will be in the old gym in the Forsan High School immediately following the game. \$2 per plate. Supper benefits GFWC Forsan Study Club projects and scholarships.

- The city of Big Spring will be flushing fire hydrants in the Greenbelt housing area from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Residents in this area should experience low water pressure during this time.

- There will be a senior citizens' dance beginning at 8 p.m. at the Senior Citizen Center in the Industrial Park, Building 487.

SATURDAY

- The Big Spring Humane Society will sponsor a dog dip to fight ticks, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the First National Bank parking lot.

- The Texas Tech Ranching Heritage Center offers Ranch Day activities from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is free and activities include demonstrations of Old West ranch and homemaking events, games and crafts. The public is welcome, including children.

MONDAY

- Free blood pressure check at the Kentwood Center from 1 to 3 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

- The O'Neal-Knuckle Chapter No. 47 of the Disabled American Veterans and Ladies Auxiliary will meet at 7:30 p.m. at 402 Young St.

- The Agriculture Committee of the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce's 17th annual Agricultural Appreciation Barbecue is Wednesday from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Howard County Fair Barns. Tickets are free to all agricultural producers in the Big Spring trade area, and are available in the chamber office between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Deadline is Sept. 19.

TUESDAY

- The Big Spring Band Boosters will have a meeting at 7 p.m. at the Steer Band Hall. Everyone is welcome.

- Big Spring Art Association will meet at Kentwood Center at 7 p.m.

Tops on TV

Pee Wee

Pee Wee's Big Adventure CBS Special Movie — (1985) Paul Reubens, Elizabeth Daily. When his beloved bicycle is stolen by ruthless bikers, America's favorite nerd goes on an insane quest to retrieve the treasured two-wheeler — 7 p.m. Ch. 7.

● Summer Olympic Games — Opening Ceremonies. — 7 p.m. Ch. 13.

Memorial fund

A memorial fund has been established for a 24-year-old Big Spring man who died from injuries sustained in a traffic accident Sept. 9 near Del Rio.

Edward (Ed) Obed Berry died in San Antonio hospital Saturday. Contributions can be made to the Edward Berry Memorial Fund through First National Bank, P.O. Box 3070, Big Spring.

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Clements: Bush victory ensures super collider

DALLAS (AP) — Texas leads the race for the "super collider" and a victory by Republican presidential nominee George Bush would ensure winning the \$4.4 billion federal project, Gov. Bill Clements said.

To make sure Texas is selected for the physics research laboratory, Clements said, "It's terribly important that we elect George Bush."

Clements, a Republican, did not

mention Texas Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, the Democratic vice presidential nominee. But the governor cited the political clout of House Speaker Jim Wright, a Fort Worth Democrat, and the cohesiveness of Texas' congressional delegation in helping to attain the super collider.

Clements said the race for the project has been narrowed to Texas and Illinois. "I think — and I have good reason to believe this —

that we're in the No. 1 position," he said after a speech in Dallas.

The U.S. Department of Energy denied Clements' claim that Texas is the frontrunner, but the governor said his information is "very reliable" although he refused to reveal the source.

Clements said he expects the government to announce its choice after the November general election; possibly the first week of

December.

Five other states — Arizona, Colorado, Michigan, North Carolina and Tennessee — are vying for the project that carries the promise of up to \$270 million per year for the local economy and 3,000 new jobs.

The project involves a 53-mile-long circular tunnel in which beams of subatomic particles would collide at enormous speeds, producing high-energy conditions similar to those that may have existed when the universe was created.

"I fully expect us to be awarded the super collider," Clements said.

His comments followed a speech to the Rotary Club of Dallas, during which Clements said the Texas economy is "back on track and all the signs are pointing to recovery."

Probation revoked for charge, not conviction

By SARAH LUMAN Staff Writer

STANTON — A Big Spring judge has revoked an Odessa's probation for a Martin County felony despite a defense contention that the revocation motion — filed three days before the probation expired — was flawed.

Howard County District Judge James Gregg revoked a four-year deferred adjudication probation Thursday, sentencing Troy Dal Richburg, 23, Odessa, to four years in the state penitentiary, court records indicated. Richburg has been charged with — but not convicted of — five counts of involuntary manslaughter in connection with a July 23 traffic accident.

A Martin County Sheriff's Office spokesman confirmed Thursday that Richburg's probation had been revoked, although no orders or papers in the court records indicated what decision Judge Gregg had made in the case.

Richburg was sentenced to four years' deferred adjudication probation on Aug. 15, 1984, after pleading guilty to unauthorized use of a motor vehicle — a third-degree felony. His probation period was to expire Aug. 15. The motion to revoke probation was filed Aug. 12, court records show.

According to a motion filed by defense attorney Roy L. Bell in the case, the motion to revoke Richburg's probation fails to allege any violation of Richburg's probation, because it alleges he committed an offense "by being charged with driving while intoxicated and involuntary manslaughter."

Judge Gregg signed an order denying the defense's motion to quash the revocation on Aug. 30.

Richburg was charged with involuntary manslaughter after a July 23 traffic accident in Midland County. Five persons were killed and three others, besides Richburg, injured in that accident, according to the Midland Reporter-Telegram, which has published reports on the case.

Bell's motion states that nowhere in the motion to revoke probation against Richburg does the State allege that anyone was killed, that a motor vehicle accident occurred, or that an individual was killed as a result of intoxication, all of which are required for involuntary manslaughter to occur.

The motion to revoke Richburg's probation also states he was charged with DWI follow-

Gilbert

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Turner said this morning.

The storm has weakened since its destructive assault on the Caribbean, and despite forecasters' predictions, Gilbert showed little sign of strengthening early today as it headed for the southern tip of Texas.

Winds up to 34 mph, accompanied by squalls, began pounding South Texas and northern Mexico early today, a preview of the fury of Gilbert.

The hurricane has left at least 50 dead, \$8 billion in damage and more than half a million homeless on several Caribbean islands and Mexico's Yucatan Peninsula.

The National Weather Service issued a hurricane warning for Mexico's northern coast and the southern half of the Texas coast from Brownsville to Port O'Connor, including 250,000-resident Corpus Christi. A hurricane watch remained in effect for the remainder of the Texas coast, from Port O'Connor north to Port Arthur near Louisiana.

At 11 a.m. CDT, Gilbert was located about 150 miles southeast of Brownsville, near latitude 23.9 north and longitude 96.4 west, the National Weather Service said.

A tornado watch included 20 counties in south central Texas and eight counties adjacent to coastal waters, according to the weather service.

The watch area extended 60 miles east and west of a line 40 miles west of Brownsville to Beeville.

The storm is moving toward the west-northwest at 12 mph and forecasters say the movement would cause the eye's landfall from 50 to 100 miles south of Brownsville, expected about 6 p.m., said Tom Larkin, Texas Water Commission meteorologist.

"It has gone a little left of our track, and that means it's a little bit closer to the coast than if it had veered up the coast," said National Hurricane Center Director Bob Sheets. "So we'll probably have the landfall tonight, as far as the center is concerned, somewhere around 7 p.m., plus or minus a couple of hours, somewhere south of Brownsville, maybe 50 to 100 miles south of Brownsville."

Sheets said at midday some Texans should be encouraged because the storm never took an expected northward turn and the eye probably would hit land south of the U.S.-Mexican border.

"It seems like by 1 o'clock this afternoon, there will be hurricane-force winds of at least 75 mph sweeping across Brownsville," Larkin said. "And in addition to that, 60 mph winds are likely at the same time to be felt as far up the coast as Corpus Christi."

The national weather service has issued flash flood watches for Hidalgo, Cameron, Kenedy and Brook counties for today. Willacy also. He said that Cameron and Hidalgo are especially prone to flooding. By 7 a.m. Saturday, some areas of Cameron and Hidalgo counties could have up to 5 inches of rain, he said, and tides from Brownsville to Mustang Island could run 7 to 11 feet above normal.

In some areas, tides were already running 3 to 4 feet above normal. State Highway 4 to Boca Chica Beach was underwater and impassable, said Larkin.

Under state law, Brownsville officials could not order people to evacuate their homes, but police Sgt. Dean Pooos noted, "Where are you going to put 100,000 people anyway?"

Gov. Bill Clements dispatched Texas National Guard units to McAllen, Alice and Corpus Christi.

Area officials will meet with Water Board

By SARAH LUMAN Staff Writer

STANTON — Commissioners from three counties, City of Big Spring representatives and a state senator's aide will meet with members of the Texas Water Development Board here Thursday to discuss the Sulfur Draw watershed and Natural Dam Lake water problems.

Martin County Judge Bob Deavenport said today that Morris Wilkes, assistant to State Sen.

John Montford, D-Lubbock, will meet at 1 p.m. Thursday in Martin County Commissioners' Court with the group, which includes Dawson, Howard and Martin County Commissioners and a Big Spring City Councilman as well as city public works director Tom Decell.

He said plans call for the Water Development Board's executive administrator Reg Arnold and assistant administrator Cherill Conger to attend, along with financial analyst Dan Black, engineer Bobby Critendon and planner Bob Ware, from Austin.

Howard County commissioners Paul Allen and O.L. (Louis) Brown are expected to attend, along with Martin County's E.D. Holcomb and Donald Tollison. Dawson County Commissioners Guy Kinnison and Rudy Arredondo are also expected to attend the meeting, Deavenport said.

Allen said the meeting is designed to provide the committee with "some do's and don'ts" concerning possible solutions to the buildup of salt water behind Natural Dam.

"I'm very pleased, definitely," that Austin has responded so quickly concerning the problem, he said.

Efforts to reach Brown were unsuccessful early today.

School board

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Al Valdez, board member, said he supported the proposal, and suggested that such a committee would be most efficient if composed of a small number of people.

Dan Wise, board member, expressed his support for the creation of such a committee, saying it "is a good way to clear up miscommunication."

"I think it's a good idea, and will be a step in the right direction," said Don Baker, board member.

After the meeting, Farris said he and McQueary would most likely work on formulating a mission and goals for the committee. The proposal would again be submitted to the board for further discussion, he said.

The district's Sept. 14 enrollment of 4,557 students represented an increase of 23 students as compared to last year at the same time, reported Murray Murphy, assistant superintendent for instruction and personnel.

The district's Sept. 14 elementary school enrollment increased by 106 students as compared to last year at the same time, while its secondary enrollment decreased by 81 students.

Murphy said a few elementary students had to be transferred from Moss to Washington, and from Marcy to College Heights for the district to meet the state-mandated, 22-to-1 student/teacher ratio.

He said the students who were transferred will be provided transportation to the schools. Kindergarten is the only grade level not meeting the ratio, Murphy said.

The district has four more students in full day kindergarten classes than is allowable, and Murphy said the district will make the necessary adjustments to comply with the mandate in the kindergarten classes.

In other business, the board:

- Approved an Asbestos Management Plan to be submitted to the state for approval. The plan, in part, outlines where asbestos is located in the district's buildings, how the district will remove it, and what safety procedures will be implemented during its removal.

- Approved a two-year contract with the law firm of Bancroft and Mouton for collecting delinquent taxes.

- Approved a lease agreement with Howard County concerning the Lakeview YMCA property.

- Approved Update 32, which will bring district policies in compliance with rulings made by the Texas Board of Education and legislature.

- Heard from Donald Brooks and Jesse Hernandez, members of the Big Spring/Howard County Veterans of Foreign Wars, who requested the district recognize Veterans Day, Nov. 11, as a school holiday.

Death

William Russell Rayburn

William Russell Rayburn, 77, Big Spring, died Wednesday, Sept. 14, 1988, in a local hospital.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with Billy Patton, pastor of 11th and Birdwell Church of Christ, officiating. Graveside services, under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home, will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Roscoe Cemetery with John Morgan, pastor of Roscoe Church of Christ, officiating.

He was born Sept. 24, 1910 in Roscoe. He was affiliated with 11th and Birdwell Church of Christ, a member of the Odd Fellows Lodge and was active in the local Parents Without Partners Chapter for many years. He lived in Big Spring for more than 40 years. He was a jeweler and a watchmaker and worked for Chaney's Jewelry until he retired in 1984.

Survivors include two daughters: Modelle Banning Quinlan; and Betty Rous; one brother, Doug Rayburn, Atwater, Calif.; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Sheriff's log

Howard County Sheriff's Department officers reported investigating the following incidents as of 8:30 a.m. today:

- Charles Edward Watson, 56, El Paso, was released from Howard County jail and credited with two days' time served toward \$203.50 in total fines. He had been arrested by Department of Public Safety Highway Patrol officers on charges of no insurance and no driver's license.

- Trisha Harper, 18, 538 Westover No. 119, paid fines and court costs totaling \$58.87 for Taylor County warrants, according to sheriff's records.

- Larry Joe Creech, 31, Stanton, was sentenced to three years' probation, 30 days in county jail to run concurrent with time served in the Martin County jail, and fined \$500 plus court costs in 118th District

Court Thursday. Creech had pleaded guilty to charges of felony driving while intoxicated.

- Eddie Saucedo, 23, 504 40th St., was released after serving out \$243.50 in fines on outstanding warrants of the peace court warrants, according to sheriff's records.

- Holston Banks Jr., 23, 1106 N.W. Seventh St., was released on \$2,500 bond. He had been arrested by city police on charges of criminal mischief and unlawfully carrying a weapon.

- George Nabaiz, 21, 1003 Sycamore St., was released on \$500 personal recognizance bond after being arrested on a warrant for terroristic threats.

- Froylan Flores Lopez, 56, 707 N. Douglas, was released on \$5,000 bond. Sheriff's records indicate Lopez surrendered on a grand jury indictment Thursday.

Oil/Markets

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Opinion

Another win for glasnost

Among the positive results of glasnost and the new climate in U.S.-Soviet relations has been the sharp increase in cultural exchanges at every level — musicians, dancers, scholars, teachers, lawyers, doctors.

Now the United States Information Agency and the Soviet Union have agreed on the framework of an agreement under which the two nations will, in addition, exchange 1,500 high school students each year by 1991. Of all those programs, this one may be the most important for the long term.

The exchanges will be administered by the American Council of Teachers of Russian, which will choose 100 high schools — the first of those schools will be selected this month — from which the U.S. students will be drawn and where the Russians will study in the United States.

While abroad, the students will live with families — some for as long as a year — in the communities where they go to school. The exchange, of course, presumes an ability to function in the other country's language — meaning that only those American schools that have sufficiently strong Russian-language programs to produce proficient Russian speakers (and readers) will be eligible.

On that score, the Soviets, where all students study English, are better positioned than the United States. (Of California's 822 public high schools, a paltry 27 teach Russian).

This kind of program ought not necessarily presume a future of harmony and friendship between the countries. But it should achieve a far higher level of realism among educated people in each about life in the other, a challenge to stereotypes and an understanding of the complexities of history, experience and attitudes in the other country.

The naive of those who believe that deep down the Russians are no different from us is as great and as dangerous as that of those who regard them as nothing but Communist bores. Conversely, the Russians have worlds to learn about us. On both counts, firsthand experience could do wonders. Gavoritye pa russki?

Mailbag

Enforce the ordinances

To the editor:

Pat Deanda said the city ordinance about chickens inside city limits would be enforced. Well there is one city ordinance that is not enforced (and) that is the dogs barking all night. I guess Pat Deanda can sleep through that. The dogs and cats are taking Big Spring.

I blame the people who own the animals. They could control their pets. I can't even go in my backyard without the dog on Kentucky Way right behind me that

barks all the time.

And as for cats, I don't like them coming in my yard messing up all over and squealing and fighting all night.

I like dogs, but you can control them. I have reported these dogs barking several times but nothing has been done about them. I think the chicken ordinance stinks. It is wrong.

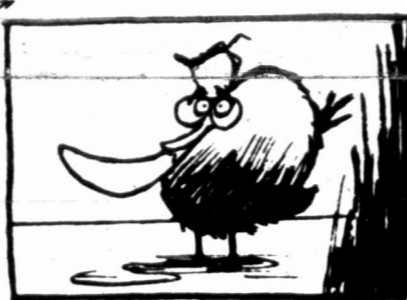
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Quotes

"My first year on the court made me long at times for obscurity." — Justice Sandra Day O'Connor, describing her desire to escape media attention after she became the first female Supreme Court justice in 1981.

"We are going to sit and wait and pray for the best." — Larry Brown, director of transportation for Brownsville, speaking about preparations for Hurricane Gilbert.

ORNITHOLOGIST'S GUIDE TO THE ELECTION



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HABITAT: COASTAL WATERS AROUND MAINE
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CHARACTERISTICS: MOSTLY QUIET BUT EASILY EXCITABLE
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CHARACTERISTICS: GOLDEN TOP-KNOT—LOOKS GOOD ON TV
CALL: "DAD CAN YOU GET ME OUT OF THIS?"

Duke's people court a swing vote

By ART BUCHWALD

Almost everyone is predicting a very close presidential election result, maybe 48 percent for Bush and 48 percent for Dukakis, with the remaining Reagan Democrats deciding the outcome.

With this in mind, both sides are trying to win over the undecided voters.

Freddy Dumstark, who is listed in both the Dukakis and Bush computers as one of the key "don't know" voters, is therefore receiving tremendous attention from each camp.

Three of Dukakis' people called on Dumstark the other day.

"What do you want with me?" Freddy asked.

"We are appealing to all the Reagan Democrats to come home," one of the Dukakis men said. "We wish you to know how much we love you and what you personally mean to the governor and his dear wife, Kitty."

"That's nice to hear, but I still haven't made up my mind about whom I'm going to vote for," Dumstark said.

"Can the governor take you to dinner at an extremely good ethnic



Art Buchwald

restaurant and explain his position on agricultural price supports?"

"I have already eaten at a good ethnic restaurant with the Bush people and am not really interested in that particular issue."

"Then maybe you would like to attend a night football game in Texas with Lloyd Bentsen while he tells you what a squirt Sen. Quayle really is. Fred, we want you on our team now."

"You're barking up the wrong tree, gentlemen. I am not going to make up my mind this early in the game."

"Why not?"

"Because as soon as I announce how I intend to vote, no one will take me to dinner any more. Look at the millions of voters already lined up for Dukakis. You know that you have them in your pocket,

so you don't even care if they exist or not. All your time and energy is devoted to people like me who are still on the fence."

"Would you consider a tour of Boston Harbor in the governor's pollution-free launch? Surely that would be a wonderful way for you and your family to get to know him."

"I'm not giving in. Many years back I voted the straight Democratic ticket and LBJ wouldn't even accept my calls. Then eight years ago I announced that I was an independent and rather than vote along party lines, I would choose the best man for the job. That decision changed my life. The pollsters called me the most sought-after person in the presidential elections."

One of Dukakis' people said, "I think you exaggerate your own importance. We couldn't care less if you voted for our candidate or not. How would you like to be Secretary of the Treasury?"

Freddy answered, "The Bush people offered me head of the CIA."

"They have no intention of delivering on that, Mr. Dumstark.

We're not just asking you to give us your vote without proof that you would be backing the right man. Gov. Dukakis is prepared to show you a slide presentation on the miracles he has performed for the state of Massachusetts."

"I'd rather hear the dirt he has on Bush. George was over at the house last night and you can't believe what he told me about Dukakis' behavior when the Japanese bombed Pearl Harbor on April Fool's Day. I'm one of those voters who always prefers the candidate who takes the low road."

"Look, it's your vote and you can do anything you want with it."

"Then why are you here?"

"To prevent you from making a fool of yourself. The country needs leadership as it has never needed it before. When you pull that lever all America will face either four years of pain or four years of low interest rates from sea to shining sea."

"I'll give you my answer on Election Day."

"It may be too late. We're holding a seat on the Supreme Court for you, but if you don't decide right away we'll have to give it to another fence-sitter from Hoboken, N.J."

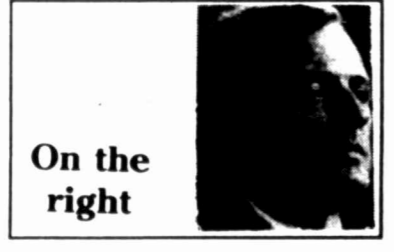
Candidate Bush should lean on Henry Kissinger for advice

By WILLIAM F. BUCKLEY JR.

The story (written by E.J. Dionne Jr. of The New York Times) is that George Bush, having made his peace with the American right, is now free to tomcat among Republican liberals, if the expression is still permitted.

The idea, we gather, is this: George Bush needed to nail down the conservative vote hard and fast, and did so in New Orleans. But now he needs to go after the big swing vote, the so-called Reagan Democrats, whose allegiance to Reagan gave the GOP 49 states the last time around.

Among those interviewed by Dionne to test out his thesis was Burton Yale Pines, one of the principal officials of the Heritage Foundation, which is the mecca of American conservatism. Here is the story as published on Sept. 11: "Already there are rumblings on the right over a new spectre: Henry A. Kissinger, the former



On the right

secretary of state. When Mr. Bush's aides told conservative leaders that the vice president was planning to name Mr. Kissinger as a member of a campaign advisory committee on national security, some conservatives became apoplectic.

"They see Mr. Kissinger as the architect of the policy of detente with the Soviet Union and of arms control agreements they opposed."

"He represents all the great U.S. foreign policy defeats of the 1970s," said Mr. Pines. "George Bush cannot seriously be thinking of turning to a discredited

Kissinger for any advice."

There are two questions posed here by Pines. The first has to do with public perception; and it is certainly true that Kissinger is associated with the fall of Vietnam, the SALT I Treaty, and the ABM Treaty, none of them causes for celebration.

The second question has to do with justice, and here one registers surprise, and dismay.

Henry Kissinger did not go from the State Department to a Trappist monastery. He wrote two huge books in which he recorded in great detail the events that led to the fall of Saigon, and to the 1972 treaties, deploring a concatenation of circumstances that ranged from neo-isolationism in Congress to ineptitude by Watergate burglars.

In 1983, he led the commission that explored the crisis in Central America and succeeded in getting all the Democrats on that commission, with the single exception of

Henry Cisneros of San Antonio, to endorse a hard U.S. line there, including the maintenance of pressure through the contras.

But Kissinger talks more or less non-stop on television and in the press. He has written articles and columns in Time and Newsweek and for his syndicate.

And the body of the advice he has given in these times is, on the subject of detente and arms control in particular, substantially to the right of the positions taken by George Bush.

Bush is a dutiful enthusiast for the INF Treaty, as one would expect. That is the treaty whose floor manager in the Senate was Alan Cranston, whose only reservation about it was that we didn't also give away our Coast Guard.

The preposterous suggestion is being made that the right wing has to fear arms control advice given to Candidate George Bush by the toughest opponent of SALT II and

INF in public life today.

Henry Kissinger's position on INF, for reasons elaborated in full in many statements, added up to opposition to the terms of the treaty. In opposing those terms, he agreed with every Republican presidential candidate except George Bush and one-half of Dole (the other half of Dole was also opposed to the treaty's terms).

As recently as last week, to an audience of about 5 million people on television, Henry Kissinger, answering a question put to him by George McGovern, "Do you approve of the terms of the INF Treaty?" replied, "I do not" — and set forth his reservations.

If Pines is saying that SALT I turned out to be a bad arrangement, he has an interesting historical point to make. And certainly ABM, in hindsight, was a mistake. But no one was more ardently in favor of developing anti-missile technology than Henry

Kissinger even then.

The question before the house is: Ought the right to welcome advice by Henry Kissinger to George Bush on the matter of relations with the Soviet Union? I not only hope Bush will be advised by Kissinger, I pray that he will.

I was for 25 years in near day-to-day company with the foremost anti-communist strategist of our time, the late James Burnham; the author not only of the volume "The Struggle for the World," but one of the earliest minds that perceived that that was what it was all about.

I rank second only to James Burnham in the insight, the skills, the imagination and the constancy of Henry Kissinger.

The commission appointed by George Bush lists as co-chairmen Brent Scowcroft, Zbigniew Brzezinski and Henry Kissinger. In enlisting the aid of Kissinger, Bush is doing his country and himself a singular service.

Gun control: Bush, Dukakis find themselves on opposite sides

By CHRISTOPHER CONNELL
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — George Bush, who has made law-and-order a centerpiece of his presidential campaign, finds himself on the opposite side of law enforcement officials on the controversial issue of a mandatory, national waiting period for gun purchases.

Democrat Michael Dukakis' prescription for cracking down on crime includes tougher gun controls, including waiting periods for handgun purchases.

A provision calling for the handgun waiting period was eliminated Thursday in the House from a bill calling for a multi-billion dollar increase in the federal war on drugs. The House already voted overwhelmingly last week in favor of a Bush campaign



Capitol report

promise to seek the death penalty for drug killers.

Bush opposed the so-called Brady amendment to the drug bill which would have required a federal waiting period. The National Rifle Association waged a pitched battle against it.

Bush, a lifetime NRA member, told the National Association of Police Organizations in a recent survey: "I am opposed to federal waiting period legislation; as I

have stated in the past, this is a matter for the states to decide."

Twenty-two states have laws requiring waiting periods. The House amendment is being pushed by Sarah Brady, wife of White House press secretary James Brady, who was one of four people shot during John Hinckley's March 1981 attempt to assassinate President Reagan.

Mrs. Brady's lobbying group, Handgun Control Inc., wants a seven-day wait on handgun purchases from licensed dealers.

Under the amendment, a dealer would have to send law enforcement authorities a sworn statement including the gun's serial number and description and the buyer's name, address and birth date. The police, at their option, could perform a background

check.

Dukakis told the police organizations: "I support legislation that allows law enforcement officials adequate time to review the criminal record or competency of anyone applying for a handgun permit."

Dukakis' record in support of gun control, including a proposed ban on cheap "Saturday Night Specials" used in many street robberies, has angered gun owners in his home state of Massachusetts. Signs at the state's borders call attention to its mandatory prison sentences for illegally carrying a gun.

Dukakis says government should respect the right of citizens to use firearms for hunting and target shooting, and "to own firearms to protect their homes and

businesses, subject to the regulation of state and local governments."

But the governor says "there are too many illegally owned handguns across this nation, and we must act strongly to control the use of handguns by criminals." He says homicides committed with handguns claim 22,000 lives each year.

Bush, in his campaign literature, says, "I have always opposed federal gun registration or licensing of gun owners." But he adds that "we must balance the legitimate interests of gun owners with the rights of society. . . . We must do all we can to keep guns out of the hands of convicted criminals."

In a debate with other Republican candidates before the Gun Owners of New Hampshire

last Feb. 2, Bush said, "I'm not only a hunter but I'm a lifetime member of the NRA. I do have a deep appreciation for the Second Amendment rights" to keep and bear arms.

He assured the gun owners he would, as president, veto a bill drafted by Sen. Howard Metzenbaum, D-Ohio, that would ban undetectable plastic handguns as a security hazard, but he urged gun owners to work with police organizations to compromise.

"I'm making a pitch here for reason on the part of hunters," Bush said. "The last thing you want to do is find yourself opposed by those that are on the cutting edge of fighting narcotics, fighting against international terror and trying to protect international safety."

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Gun control legislation fails

WASHINGTON — Rep. Charlie Stenholm, D-Texas, voted for legislation Thursday that would require handgun purchasers to wait seven days before receiving the weapon from the store.

Stenholm, from Stamford, said he disliked gun control but agreed police should have some opportunity to stop convicted felons and other people from illegally purchasing a gun from a store.

"I've heard from the National Rifle Association and others who oppose any restrictions, but the basic question is should anyone,

no matter how crazy, just be able to walk in to a store and buy a handgun? I don't think so," Stenholm said.

Critics, however, persuaded the House to reject the waiting period and adopt a substitute amendment that orders the Justice Department to develop a system to help gun sellers identify convicted felons who are trying to purchase handguns.

Supporters of the waiting period said such a system was unworkable and unwanted by the FBI.

Reagan denies unfitness charge

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan and his spokesman deny an account in a new book that says the president's aides closely scrutinized him to determine "whether he appeared mentally fit to serve" at the height of the Iran-Contra crisis.

"There's no truth to any of this," Reagan said Thursday when asked about the report that aides weighed whether to invoke the 25th Amendment, providing for the vice president to take over if a president is unable to discharge his duties.

"It's just ridiculous," Reagan said while attending the annual White House picnic for members of Congress. "There isn't an iota

of truth in the whole story."

As to whether people were considering invoking the 25th Amendment, the president said, "I never knew that anyone was. I don't think anyone was."

Spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said, "There's nothing to this. This is fiction by staff people who for their own reasons chose to say this. It was dismissed immediately by those who heard it. It was never taken seriously."

The account appears in "Landslide" by reporters Jane Mayer of the *Wall Street Journal* and Doyle McManus of the *Los Angeles Times*, published by Houghton Mifflin.

Firefighters get pep talk

YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK, Wyo. (AP) — Firefighters battling wildfires braced for higher winds today after a pep talk from presidential candidate Michael Dukakis, who expressed awe at nature's devastation.

"I can't remember a year in my lifetime when the weather seemed to be more important to us in many ways," the 55-year-old Democrat said Thursday while touring fire-blackened Yellowstone National Park.

"The drought, the heat, and now a massive hurricane bearing down on us are reminding us not only of our mortality but of the importance of pulling together and caring for each other," the Massachusetts governor said.

Blazes burned Thursday in Wyoming, Montana, Idaho, Oregon and Washington state as the worst fire season in 30 years continued. More than 4 million acres, including 1.75 million acres in Alaska, have gone up in smoke.

FDA working to ban hairspray

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Food and Drug Administration is close to banning a chemical that once was used widely as a propellant in hairsprays, according to the agency's director.

"We feel all the evidence indicates it is a hazardous substance," said Dr. Frank E. Young at a hearing of the House Small Business Committee's regulation subcommittee on Thursday.



VILLA PARK, Ill. — Dorothy Eber, 63, grandmother of 11, recalls her years of peace activities. Eber faces between six months and 3 1/2 years in prison for participating in the Missouri Peace Planting.

Activist grandmother faces prison sentence

CHICAGO (AP) — Dorothy Eber says her children and grandchildren respect her strong views but they don't want to see her go to prison, even though that's where the 63-year-old activist may be headed.

"They wish it was somebody else doing it but me," the suburban Villa Park mother of four and grandmother of 11 said Thursday.

Ms. Eber faces six months and 3 1/2 years in prison for her part in the Missouri Peace Planting, in which she and 13 others entered 10 missile sites and planted flowers or trees.

"It was the first time I saw a missile silo and it was devastating," Ms. Eber said, recalling her first protest Aug. 15 on the grassy plains. "To me it looked like a monster."

After writing peace slogans with

her own blood on the silo cover, Ms. Eber said, she sat down and waited nearly two hours for police.

For her trouble, she was given a "ban and bar letter," which forbade her to enter missile sites again.

But she and some others went back — three times during the next two weeks.

And for that, Ms. Eber is scheduled to be tried Oct. 24 in Kansas City on four counts each of criminal trespass and damage of property less than \$100.

"All I did was cut the padlock," she said. "It can't be worth more than 50 cents."

Ms. Eber, whose husband died two years ago, began her activism in the wake of the civil rights movement, when her youngest son started high school in 1967.

World

Israel imposes refugee curfew

JERUSALEM (AP) — The army ordered 180,000 Palestinian refugees to stay in their homes in the seaside Gaza Strip today in anticipation of a general strike called by Moslem fundamentalists and PLO-linked underground leaders.

The round-the-clock curfew was imposed indefinitely on the

Shati, Jabaliya, Nusseirat, Bureij, Maghazi and Khan Yunis camps, the army and Arab reports said.

It came after a violent clash at the camp Thursday night in which 20 Palestinians attacked Israeli soldiers with firebombs, iron chains and clubs, the army said.

Students protest Olympic Games

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — Hundreds of radical students shouting "Yankee go home!" mounted protests against the Olympics today on the eve of Games and burned an effigy of President Reagan.

Students staged protests at three schools in Seoul to demand the Olympics be shared with communist North Korea and to denounce the government of President Roh Tae-woo. The Olympics start Saturday.

"Oppose dictator's Olympics!" and "Crush military aggression!" students yelled. About 300 protesters armed

with firebombs and clubs marched out of Kookmin University to fight riot police after burning effigies of Reagan and Roh, as well as a U.S. flag. But riot police watched from a distance and did not intervene as the protesters repeatedly blocked traffic.

Students, one of whom hurled a single firebomb at a passing police truck and missed, tired of taunting police and dispersed.

About 500 students took part in a similar protest at Seoul National University in the south of the capital. They marched to the gate and burned an effigy of Roh.

Pope on last stop of African tour

MBABANE, Swaziland (AP) — Pope John Paul II arrived today in Swaziland to meet the world's youngest monarch and celebrate a Mass before proceeding to war-torn Mozambique to end his tour of southern Africa.

On Thursday, the pope denounced violence in southern Africa and comforted survivors of the bloody bus hijacking, many still shaken from the shootout that ended their 27-hour ordeal.

"I am saddened to learn that others on their way to join me on this pilgrimage have been victims of a hijack that has caused

such anguish and ended in bloodshed," John Paul said.

All four hijackers and two passengers, including a 14-year-old girl, died in the exchange of gunfire between authorities and the hijackers, officials said. Twenty others were injured.

In an apparent criticism of some militants, including those who contend passive resistance cannot overcome South Africa's system of racial segregation, the pope said: "There could be nothing further from the truth. There is nothing passive about non-violence."

Conditions set for hostage release

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Moslem kidnappers holding four educators issued a photograph Thursday of two of their American hostages with a handwritten statement setting out conditions under which their captives might be freed.

The offer, from the Islamic Jihad for the Liberation of

Palestine organization, was in a note delivered to a Western news agency in Beirut.

The statement, written in Arabic, hinted that the Moslem group would free its hostages if the U.S. administration undertook an initiative within one week in support of the Palestinian uprising in Israel.

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Others	6,000	\$133,600*	+ \$127,600	+ 2127%
AVERAGE (other salary)	\$3,000	\$16,700	+ \$13,700	+ 457%

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Lifestyle



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A girl's best friend

NEW YORK — Cindy Piccoli examines a 407.48 carat diamond to be auctioned at Christie's New York Oct. 19. The flawless "triolette" cut stone will be the largest diamond ever auctioned to the

public. The gem has 65 facets, weighs about three ounces and took three years to go from an uncut stone of 890 carats to its present condition.

Housewife has had it with supermoms

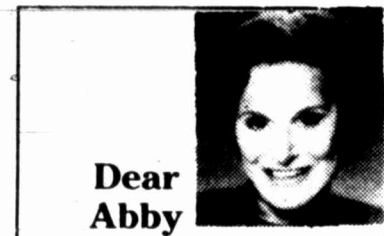
DEAR ABBY: I have had it up to my eyeballs with phrases like "working mom" and "supermom." Just because I don't have a job outside my home does not mean that I am illiterate, lazy or brain dead.

So many people say, "So you're just a housewife!" or ask, "What do you do all day?" Some assume that my husband is a male chauvinist who demands that I stay home. Abby, my husband and I made this choice together. I stay home raising my children because we believe it is best for our family.

I am also bored with this "quality time is better than quantity time" baloney. By the time supermom gets her super self home from her job downtown, prepares a super dinner, then gives the kids a super bath and has them in bed by 8 or 9 p.m., how much time does she have to read to them, sing songs, bake cookies, go for walks or build a snowman?

Who saw her child's first steps? Noticed his first tooth, or heard his first words? She, or a day-care worker?

I would never assume that all children growing up with two "working" parents are destined to



Dear Abby

be slower, so I respectfully ask that you supermoms keep your opinions about us who are somewhat less than super to yourselves.

GOT IT TOGETHER

IN IOWA
DEAR GOT IT: You surely must be aware that many moms have jobs outside their homes because they can't make ends meet with one paycheck. Others are single parents.

After this runs, some of those supermoms may sit down and write some rebuttals. And if they do, I'll print some of the super ones.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I bought a lovely home in a very nice neighborhood a year ago. We have three children, ages 6, 4 and 2 years old. I am 29 and my husband is 30 — quite young to have so much going

for us.
So why am I writing? Our next-door neighbor has propositioned me to have sex with him. The fact that I am married with three children doesn't seem to bother him. He says married women are safe sex partners (safe from AIDS, etc.).

I have herpes. Do you think if I told him, he would leave me alone? He is very persistent.

I love this house and don't want to move. I haven't told my husband about this because I don't want to start an uproar.

What do you advise?
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DEAR NO NAMES: Tell your neighbor that his proposition is grossly insulting, and if he mentions it again, you will tell your husband. And never mind disclosing your medical history. It's none of his business.

DEAR ABBY: I just read your reply to a letter from a 14-year-old girl whose mother wouldn't let her wear a strapless, wraparound, Hawaiian-style dress because she thought it too revealing.
Abby, I didn't object to your saying that the mother's judgment

Military

Navy Seaman Recruit Garland D. Beatty, a 1982 graduate of Sands High School, Ackerly, recently was graduated from the Basic Enlisted Submarine School, Groton, Conn.

During the six-weeks course, Beatty was introduced to the basic theory, construction and operation of nuclear-power and diesel submarines. In preparation for his first assignment, he studied ship-board organization, damage control, and submarine safety and escape procedures.

He joined the Navy in February 1988.

Navy Seaman Apprentice Stephen W. Stansel, son of Arvel W. Stansel, 3706 Cavin St., recently was graduated from the Basic Enlisted Submarine School, Groton, Conn.

During the six-weeks course, Stansel was introduced to the basic theory, construction and operation of nuclear-power and diesel submarines. In preparation for his first assignment, he studied ship-board organization, damage control, and submarine safety and escape procedures.

A 1987 graduate of Andress High School, El Paso, he joined the Navy in April 1988.

Navy Seaman Recruit Teddy Molina, son of Inez and Teddy Molina Jr., both of Big Spring, has completed recruit training at Recruit Training Command, San Diego.

During Molina's eight-week training cycle, he studied general military subjects designed to prepare him for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic fields.

Area brief

Sands celebrates homecoming

Sands schools are celebrating homecoming week this week.

The Sands Mustangs and the Blackwell Hornets will play Saturday at 7:30 p.m. at the high school. Half-time activities will include the Sand Sparklers and the 1988 homecoming queen will be crowned.

Queen candidates and their escorts are: Seniors — Deanna Herm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Herm, escorted by Teddy Gillespie, son of Kenney Gillespie and Judy Sessums; juniors — Kama Blasingame, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Shortes, escorted by Jay Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Johnston; sophomores —

Priscilla Franco, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ysrael Franco, escorted by John Young, son of George Young; freshmen — Jade Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Johnson, escorted by Charles Rhodes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rhodes.

Denise De Los Santos, 1987 homecoming queen, will crown her successor, Denise, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy De Los Santos, will be escorted by Albert Franco, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Franco.

Festivities will conclude with an after-the-game dance, which is sponsored by the Sands Student Council. Refreshments will be served.

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Area brief

Council to sponsor flower show

The Big Spring Council of Garden Clubs is again sponsoring its horticulture show for the Sept. 19-24 Howard County Fair, with an added attraction this year: A flower arrangement show.

The theme of "My Old Hometown" will be accentuated at this year's show, according to council president Edna Womack.

There were more than 300 entries in last year's show and she expects more than that this year, but said it is necessary for entrants to preregister their entries. Anyone with questions should call Mrs. Odell Womack, 267-5126 or Mrs. Carl Johansen at 267-5275 or 263-8216.

Edna said that all plants must be named by both their common and their botanical names, and all design entries must be registered.

Pre-entries for container-grown plants, dish gardens, hanging container-grown plants and terrariums will be accepted



Sunday from 1-3 p.m. Other entries will be accepted Monday from 8 a.m. until noon from any amateur gardener living in Howard County.

Removal time for all entries has been set for 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday, she said.

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Games getting closer

SEOUL, Korea — Workers hand-raise a huge Olympic signboard in downtown Seoul. With 161 participating nations competing for 17 days from Sept. 17 to Oct. 2, the upcoming games are the biggest and longest in Olympic history.

Associated Press photo

Waterway is historical problem

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — The dispute between Iran and Iraq over sovereignty of the palm-fringed Shatt-al-Arab waterway, which threatens to snarl their peace talks in Geneva, dates back more than 400 years.

Although Iran's Islamic Revolution was the catalyst for the 8-year-old Persian Gulf war, the battle for control of the 125-mile-long waterway was also one of the major causes.

Over the last four centuries, the waterway has figured in at least 25 wars.

The Shatt, the traditional southern boundary between the two ancient antagonists, is also the historical racial and religious divide between the Arabs in the west and the Persians in the east.

They even call it by different names. To the Arabs, it's the Shatt-al-Arab, or River of The Arabs, the name used on most maps. To the Iranians, it's the Arvand Rud, or river.

Iraq claims a 1975 agreement that put the border down the middle of the waterway is null and void. Iran, which gained most from

the treaty, insists it is still valid.

Apart from its political significance, the waterway, formed by the confluence of the Euphrates and Tigris rivers, is also economically important to both countries, particularly Iraq.

The Shatt is Iraq's only outlet to the gulf. West of the Shatt's estuary, it only has 10 miles of coastline.

Its major port of Basra, heavily damaged during the war and closed since the start of the conflict, depends for its existence on the Shatt.

Iran has a 1,400-mile coastline, running all the way down the gulf to the Arabian Sea. But it needs the Shatt for its oil export route from Abadan.

Its big port of Khorammshahr, north of Abadan, also lies on the waterway, as does the Iranian naval base at Khosrowabad. The Kharg Island oil terminal, through which 90 percent of Iran's oil exports passes, lies only 30 miles south of the Shatt estuary.

The economic importance of the waterway for Tehran diminished during the war, when the Iranians

boosted trade and oil exports through other gulf ports and installations.

The sovereignty dispute has spawned at least 20 often ambiguous treaties since 1847 that did little to settle it.

Lord Palmerston, Britain's prime minister from 1855 to 1865, considered the problem was so complex that only the superpowers of the day, Britain and Russia, could solve it by arbitrarily imposing a settlement.

The earliest specific boundary agreement to have a historical validity was the Treaty of Erzerum, signed in 1847, which gave control of the Shatt to the Ottomans.

The British and Russians helped arrange another border pact in Constantinople in 1913, which upheld the principle of freedom of navigation by all nations, but drew the boundary down the eastern, Iranian bank.

Iraq, which emerged from the breakup of the Ottoman Empire in 1918, based its subsequent claims of sovereignty on that 1913 accord.

Hospices recommended for AIDS

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Terminally ill AIDS patients should be treated in low-cost hospices rather than expensive hospitals, Surgeon General C. Everett Koop said Wednesday.

Interviewed after an address to the 1,500 employees of Independence Blue Cross, Koop said a move toward more hospice care would have to come from a public-private partnership between governments and private insurers.

"The public and private sectors have to get together... a frank discussion of what AIDS will cost, how insurance fits in, and the terminally ill needing a place to stay," he said.

Thirty hospitals in the Philadelphia area recently reported a \$1.6 million yearly loss from treating AIDS patients. Asked if hospitals were being short-changed, Koop said there is a need to move patients from a high-technology setting to hospice care

to save costs during the final stages of the disease.

Hospices are homelike facilities that provide support for terminally ill patients. Medical care stresses relief of pain rather than efforts to prolong life.

Koop said the stigma attached to AIDS has caused financial problems for hospitals partly because some patients, fearful others might think they have AIDS, have stayed away from institutions known for treating people with the disease.

Some insurance companies don't insure AIDS treatment and in areas where government has required them to, like the District of Columbia, the insurance companies leave town, he said.

During his speech, the surgeon general reiterated his call for AIDS prevention through sexual abstinence, monogamy or condom use and warned that free-needle programs will not wipe out the

deadly disease among intravenous drug abusers. He said camaraderie among drug abusers leads to the sharing of needles and the potential spread of AIDS.

From September 1987 to this month, 31,000 new cases of patients suffering from the symptoms of the disease have been diagnosed in the United States, Koop said. There have been 73,000 AIDS cases, 41,000 of whom have died, reported worldwide since 1981, he said.

Depending on the prevalence of AIDS in the area, the chances of receiving a unit of blood infected with the virus are one in 40,000 to one in 250,000, he said.

About 900 children have been born infected with the virus, he said. Acquired immune deficiency syndrome is most frequently spread through sexual contact with a partner infected with the virus or sharing intravenous drug needles.

Teachers don't feel involved in decisions

NEW YORK (AP) — A majority of public school teachers feel uninvolved in nearly all school matters except choosing texts and shaping curricula, a survey has found.

Seventy-nine percent of those questioned said they feel involved in choosing textbooks and instructional materials, and 63 percent said they have a say in shaping the curriculum.

But 10 percent or less of the 21,698 teachers surveyed by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching felt they have any say in issues like teacher evaluation or selection of new teachers and administrators. And only 20 percent believe they are influential in tailoring school

budgets. "Whatever is wrong with America's public schools cannot be fixed without the help of those inside the classroom. Yet in most states, teachers have been front-row spectators in a reform movement in which the signals are being called by governors, legislators, state education officials — those who are far removed from the field of action," foundation President Ernest L. Boyer said in a forward to the 14-page report titled, "Teacher Involvement in Decision-making: A State-by-State Profile."

The 50-state teacher survey was conducted by mail in the spring of 1987 by the Wirthlin Group, a polling organization in McLean, Va.

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Why is Hurricane Gilbert so powerful?

MIAMI (AP) — Gilbert's growth from a harmless low pressure zone off Africa to a ferocious killer in the Gulf of Mexico was fueled by a combination of heat, moisture and wind that baffles forecasters.

"It's a matter of getting everything together in the right place at the right time. It doesn't happen very often. How it develops, we don't know," forecaster Gil Clark of the National Hurricane Center said Thursday.

Gilbert first came to the attention of center forecasters Sept. 3 as a dry low pressure trough moving west out of Africa.

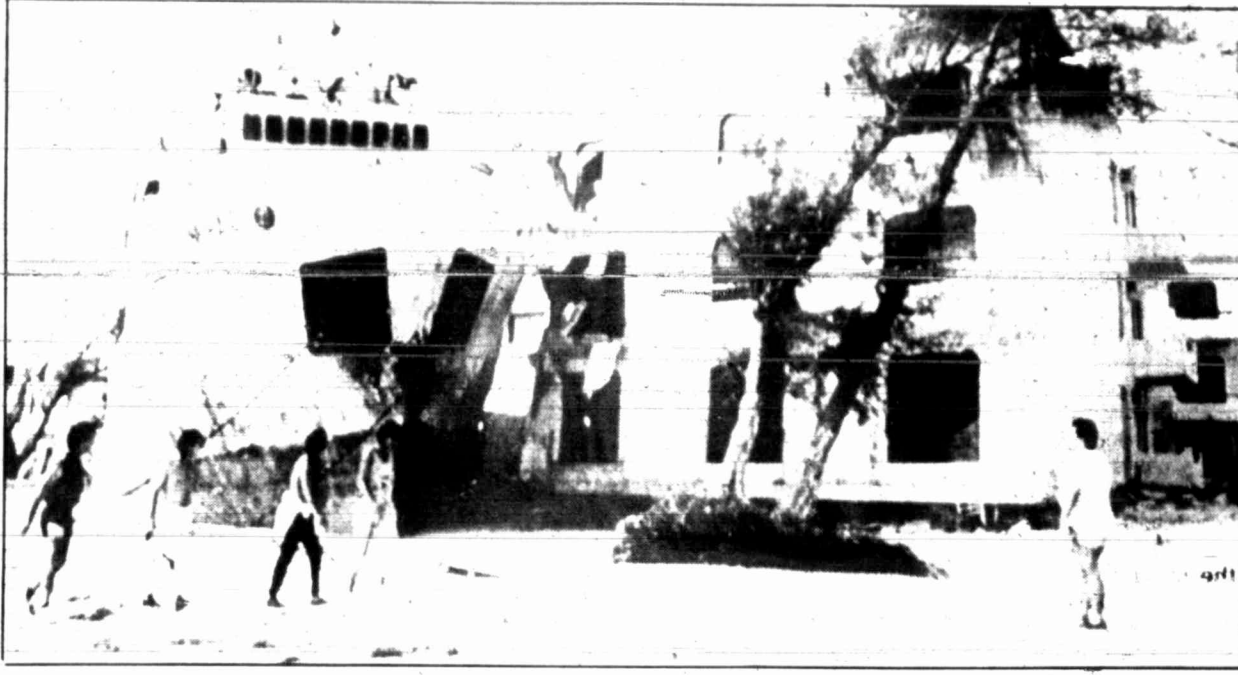
"We get 50 or 60 of these off Africa every summer. About one of six develop," said Clark.

By Sept. 8, the system was a depression. It reached tropical storm status by Saturday and became a hurricane the next day.

A tropical wave becomes a depression when winds start swirling. When sustained winds reach 39 mph, the system becomes a tropical storm. It reaches hurricane status when sustained winds hit 74 mph.

As to why Gilbert organized and strengthened while other systems didn't, "It's a mystery more or less. We don't know," said University of Miami meteorology professor Rainer Bleck.

But the experts do know what fuels a budding storm once



CANCUN BEACH, Mexico — Astonished spectators survey a 300-foot ship that was blown ashore at Cancun, Mexico by Hurricane Gilbert.

development begins. And they know that development is sparked when winds converge, and that growth is affected by time and place.

"If that happens in an area where there's plenty of moisture in the lower atmosphere (the bottom 10,000 feet or so), this convergence

may lead to upward motion and cloud formation," Bleck said.

"If clouds form, the heat of condensation in the clouds occasionally provides 'positive feedback' to the convergence pattern. That strengthens it," he said, adding that storms can begin budding only off the equator because of the

Earth's rotation.

Eventually, a vortex is created. The hurricane center said Gilbert was the most intense storm on record in terms of barometric pressure, measured at 26.13 inches Tuesday night. That broke the 26.35 inches of the 1935 hurricane that devastated the Florida Keys.

Emergency planners into high gear

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal emergency planners say they've moved into high gear in preparing to help remedy whatever damage is inflicted on south Texas by Hurricane Gilbert.

Trucks, equipment and personnel were readied Thursday for quick dispatch to Texas as Gilbert, with maximum sustained winds of 120 mph, marched on across the Gulf of Mexico.

"We are bringing every resource we have up to maximum operational capability in preparedness of relocating and mitigating this problem," said Grant C. Peterson, in charge of the natural disaster pro-

gram at the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

The Pentagon said aircraft at naval air stations all along the Texas coastline were dispatched to a civilian airport in Midland, Sheppard Air Force Base and Biggs Army Airfield, all in Texas.

Navy personnel and dependents were sent to Lackland Air Force Base, 130 miles inland.

Naval ships in the Gulf of Mexico were sent out to sea to avoid the storm.

Army Maj. Gen. J.D. Smith said procedures were streamlined to ensure "this is not a bureaucratic slow-moving turtle."

Gilbert closes NASA space center

HOUSTON (AP) — NASA's Johnson Space Center employees were sent home for the weekend to secure their homes, get supplies or leave the area as powerful Hurricane Gilbert approached the Texas coast.

The space center, about 25 miles from the coast, normally only is closed to visitors on Christmas Day. But it shut down at noon Thursday and employees were told they didn't have to return until normal work times Monday, spokesman James Hartsfield said.

At the space center, there are 3,382 civil employees and 5,665 workers from companies contracting with the space agency.

A core group will remain

throughout the weekend at Mission Control, the strongest building at the center and the place where shuttle flights are controlled, Hartsfield said. Mission Control has concrete walls and no windows.

"If the storm hurts that (Mission Control), we're really in trouble," he said.

If the space center withstands substantial damage, Hartsfield said the expected launch of the first post-Challenger flight at Cape Canaveral, Fla. wouldn't be affected.

But NASA officials on Wednesday decided not to set an exact date for the long-awaited launch of Discovery because of the storm.

Weathering hurricanes becomes family tradition

BROWNSVILLE (AP) — For Amelia Ochoa and five generations of relatives, weathering hurricanes has become a family tradition.

At last count 22 family members had gathered under the roof of Mrs. Ochoa's white brick home as wind began to bend palm trees.

"I think my house is good enough to go through a hurricane, but I wanted to be with my mother," said Oralia Guvman, 31.

The family has gathered to wait out Beulah in 1957 through Allen in 1980.

"We always get together for the hurricane," said Mrs. Guvman's sister, 38-year-old Lydia Cadriel. "It's a gathering."

While the men boarded windows and doors with plywood and reinforced them with planks, bags of groceries were carried into the house and garbage cans were filled

with drinking water.

In the living room, a shrine to the Virgin Mary stood as a symbol of the faith that Mrs. Ochoa, 67, believes is her family's best protection.

Myria Cadriel, 13, brooded about the certain cancellation of her first game as an eighth grade yell leader. "I'm afraid school's not going to be here when I get back," she told *The Dallas Morning News*.

At any given moment, a half dozen children were running through the house.

In the back bedroom 91-year-old Consuelo Ochoa rocked on her wooden chair.

Mrs. Cadriel, meanwhile, rolled tortillas in the kitchen.

Although there were many laughs, the family said they had plenty of respect for Hurricane Gilbert.

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Friday Football Forecast

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Big Spring (0-1) at Plainview (0-2)

Two teams in search of their first win of the season will tangle when the Big Spring Steers play the Plainview Bulldogs tonight in Bulldog Stadium.

The Steers have shown steady improvement under new coach David Thompson, and appear primed to break into the win column. They will face a stern test, however, in a Bulldog defense manned with 10 returning starters.

But with Dennis Hartfield and Rodney Brown running, and Rance Thompson supplying the air power, the Steers should emerge victorious.

Big Spring 24, Plainview 14

Colorado City (2-0) at Slaton (1-1)

The Colorado City Wolves seek to maintain their spotless record when they take on the Slaton Tigers tonight in Slaton.

The Wolves have used a variety of weapons in their victories against Alpine and Seminole. From the running of Beau Rees and Pat Tillie and the receiving threat of Mark Russell to a stingy defense, Colorado City is a tough team to beat.

Tonight should be no exception.

C-City 36, Slaton 7

Coahoma (0-2) at Tahoka (1-0-1)

Avoiding the big play should be high on the Coahoma Bulldogs' agenda when they hit the road tonight to play Tahoka.

Big plays have played a major role in the Bulldogs' two defeats to Seminole and Stanton. Coahoma has played its opponents close, only to watch the game slip away on the back of a long gainer.

The Tahoka Bulldogs have had some close games of their own, defeating Plains, 14-13, and tying Lubbock Cooper, 13-13.

The belief here is that it's time for the Big Red to put together some big plays of their own.

Coahoma 14, Tahoka 12

Roscoe (0-1) at Forsan (0-2)

The Forsan Buffaloes are hoping the third time will be the charm when they host the Roscoe Plowboys tonight in the Buffs' homecoming game.

Forsan has struggled so far this season, losing to Garden City and Rankin by convincing scores. The Plowboys, meanwhile, lost their opener to Winters, 7-6, when they missed on a two-point conversion.

Forsan has to win sometime, and it might as well be in front of the homecoming crowd.

Forsan 21, Roscoe 18

Greenwood (0-2) at Stanton (2-0)

The Stanton Battlin' Buffs will hope to display a bit more offensive power for the home folks when they host the Greenwood Rangers tonight.

The Buffs have relied on their defense in fashioning wins against Seagraves and Coahoma by scores of 2-0 and 19-6, respectively. The offensive, however, has had trouble getting untracked.

But Greenwood has had even more trouble than Stanton, losing its first two games to Denver City and Reagan County.

Make it three-in-a-row for the Battlin' Buffs.

Stanton 12, Greenwood 6

Roby (1-1) at Garden City (2-0)

The Garden City Bearkats — winners in convincing fashion against Forsan and Grandfalls — hope to display more of the same to a homecoming crowd tonight when they host the Roby Lions.

The 'Kats have fashioned their spotless record in equal parts, combining Codie Scott's passing, Tony Ramirez's running and a reluctance on the defense's part to surrender points.

In front of partisan homecoming fans, the Bearkats should go to 3-0.

Garden City 38, Roby 12

Blackwell (1-1) at Sands (2-0)

The surprising Sands Mustangs will try to stay unbeaten when they host the Blackwell Hornets Saturday.

The Mustangs have had little trouble with their opponents so far, defeating both Hermleigh and Buena Vista rather convincingly.

They might be in for a test against the Hornets, however. Blackwell has been a study in extremes, blanking Novice, 51-0, before getting beat by Paint Rock, 50-30.

Test or not, it is the belief in this corner that the Mustangs will leave a homecoming crowd happy with its third win of the year.

Sands 46, Blackwell 32

New Home (2-0) at Klondike (1-1)

The Klondike Cougars will face their sternest test of the young season when they host the New Home Leopards tonight in the Cougars' homecoming game.

New Home has feasted on Crossroads Country teams so far this season, defeating both Borden County and Grady rather handily. Klondike, meanwhile, rebounded from its disappointing loss to Wilson by bouncing Amherst, 50-16.

It'll be close, but New Home will put frowns on the faces of the par-

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Harriers outlook bright

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

Last year the Big Spring High School cross country teams had a banner season. This season it appears more of the same will be in store.

Coach Randy Britton's troops went one-two in the district meet. For the second consecutive year, the girls won the district championship. The boys finished second last year. At the regional meet the boys finished third, thus qualifying them to the state meet in Georgetown, where they finished 12th. The girls finished fourth at regional, missing by one place of going to state.

This season, Britton returns five members from last year's boys team, and six from the girls'

team. They will showcase their talents in front of the home folks Saturday when they host a tri-meet against Midland High and Midland Lee at the old air base golf course at 9:30 a.m.

Britton has been putting his charges through a rigorous training schedule, with some of the team running in the morning and afternoons. "The ones that are strong enough put in as many as 60 miles a week," said Britton.

The Big Spring boys will be led by senior Ben Gonzales. Gonzales finished third in the 1600 meter run at the state meet as a sophomore. Last year was his first season running cross country.

Gonzales won district, finished second in regional and 40th at the state meet. His best on a three-mile

course was 15:39. At the state cross country meet, Gonzales was ill, or he probably would have finished in the top three, Britton said.

Britton said Gonzales would have went back to the state track meet last year as a junior, but a failed class prevented him from competing.

"That (failed class) might help him this season," said Britton. "It will make him hungry, make him work harder. His work habits have been good so far. Last week in Brownfield, he ran 20 seconds faster than he did on the course last year."

Other returners are seniors Tim Pruitt and Mario Ramos, junior Chris Polyniak, and sophomore Shaun Daylong. Britton says all are much stronger runners this

season, citing that Polyniak probably made the biggest improvement last year.

But after that, Britton is still searching for two more strong runners to fill out the seven-man squad. "We've got some kids out, but they're young, and you can't put yours eggs in the basket on that. We've got 15 boys, but that's still not enough."

The cornerstone of the Big Spring girls will be Regalado sisters, Mimi and Yvette, and Susan Garza.

Sophomore Mimi Regalado won district, and qualified for state by finishing fourth at the regional meet. At state she finished 28th out of 105 runners. Mimi owns a school record best of 12:44 over a two-mile

HARRIERS page 2-B

Linksters have chilling experience

SUTTON, Mass. (AP) — The professional golf tour, made up primarily of players who spend most of the year in warm climates, is getting a taste of late New England summer in the \$600,000 Bank of Boston Classic.

Some 125 PGA tourists were gathered in the tournament at Pleasant Valley Country Club, but four pulled out Thursday and most of the rest complained bitterly about the weather.

Temperatures in the mid 40s and a chilling wind sent a number of the early first-round starters scurrying to the pro shop for sweaters and warmer clothes.

The local weather bureau predicted the temperature could dip to 40 this morning, but suggested the chill factor might be better because the winds were expected to fall off.

"This was the toughest day I've ever seen at Pleasant Valley and this is my eighth year here," Larry Rinker said after shooting 33-35-68.

"The combination of the wind and the cold made it extremely difficult. I just tried to get warm and stay warm. The way the wind was swirling, anybody should be happy with par or better today."

"It was colder than I thought it would be this morning," Rinker said. "I tried to warm up by hitting practice balls."

David Frost, who at 34-33-67 tied Donnie Hammond for the opening-round lead, asked "Is it always this cold up here this time of year? I've played here twice before and it wasn't this cold and windy. This was as cold today as the first round of the British open."

Hammond, seeking his first tour victory since the Bob Hope Classic in 1986, said it was "one of the windiest days of the year" when he has played.

"The wind is tougher here than it is in Florida because it was so cold. I'm not much of a cold weather player. I've been in Florida for 12 years or so and my blood has thinned out. I hate the cold weather. I lose the feeling in my hands."

"I don't bring a lot of clothes with me, but I bought a sweater in the pro shop before I teed off. It was a good investment," he said as he went out to shoot a 35-32-67 to gain his share of the lead.

Those scores, posted well before noon, stood up throughout the day, though three players, Fuzzy



BOSTON — Golfer Lee Trevino (left) shares a laugh with marshal Les Spalding of Newton, Mass. Thursday as they waited for Trevino's tee-off on the first hole of the Bank of Boston Classic.

Zoeller, Steve Pate and D.A. Weibring, tied Rinker at 3 under, one stroke off the pace.

Three more, Ray Stewart, Nick Price and Lennie Clements, deadlocked at 69. Eleven more tied at 70, including George Burns III, Joey Sindelar, Ben Crenshaw and John Mahaffey.

A total of 16 players matched par, most of them from the morning group. The jam at 71 included Curtis Strange, who has won three tour events this year, Corey Pavin, Bobby Wadkins, Roger Maltbie, defending champion Sam Randsolph, 1980 Pleasant Valley winner Wayne Levi, Duffy Waldorf, Mark Calcavecchia, and Jodie Mudd.

THE LEADERS

David Frost	34-33-67
Donnie Hammond	35-32-67
Larry Rinker	33-35-68
Fuzzy Zoeller	37-31-68
Steve Pate	35-33-68
D.A. Weibring	35-33-68

Ray Stewart	34-35-69
Nick Price	34-35-69
Lennie Clements	36-33-69
Curt Byrum	33-37-70
Dave Rummells	34-36-70
George Archer	33-37-70
George Burns	36-34-70
Tom Byrum	35-35-70
Bill Britton	35-35-70
Rocco Mediate	37-33-70
David Ogrin	34-36-70
Joey Sindelar	37-33-70
John Mahaffey	35-35-70
Ben Crenshaw	35-35-70
Wayne Grady	37-34-71
Bobby Wadkins	37-34-71
Ron Streck	35-36-71
Roger Maltbie	37-34-71
Mark Calcavecchia	36-35-71
Curtis Strange	36-35-71
Corey Pavin	35-36-71
Brian Mogg	36-35-71
Mike Hammond	36-35-71
Clarence Rose	36-35-71
Jodie Mudd	33-38-71
Sam Randsolph	33-36-71
Wayne Levi	37-34-71
Mark Brooks	26-35-71
Chris Kite	35-36-71
Duffy Waldorf	39-32-71
Mike Sullivan	36-36-72
John Adams	36-36-72

Howard Twitty	37-35-72
Keith Clearwater	36-36-72
Chip Beck	36-36-72
Grant Waite	34-38-72
Jay Delsing	37-35-72
Mike Donald	38-34-72
Aki Ohmachi	38-34-72
Loren Roberts	36-36-72
James Hallet	38-34-72
Larry Ziegler	35-37-72
Rex Caldwell	37-35-72
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Mike Reid	39-34-73
Jeff Coston	37-36-73
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Lee Trevino	37-36-73
Bobby Clampett	35-38-73
Gregory Ladehoff	38-35-73
Blaine McCallister	37-36-73
Kenny Knox	39-34-73
Bruce Zabriski	36-37-73
Ian Baker-Finch	38-35-73
Mike Blackburn	35-38-73

Sub-Varsity Roundup

Goliad B 12, Sweetwater 9

The Goliad Mavericks football team got their first win of the season Thursday night against Sweetwater at Blankenship Field.

The Goliad B team defeated Sweetwater 12-9. Tyrone Banks scored for Goliad in the second quarter on a 28-yard run. In the third period Jimmy Johnson scored from 25 yards out. Goliad coaches credited linebacker Juan Munoz with having a good game.

Goliad A 22, Sweetwater 0

The Mavericks got scoring runs from David Akin, Lennie Jackson and Russ Wilkerson to whitewash Sweetwater.

Akin scored first from 30 yards out. His score was followed by a 48-yard jaunt by Jackson. Wilkerson capped off the scoring with a 15-yard run.

Goliad coaches said cornerback Wilkerson had a good defensive game.

Rannels A 8, Sweetwater 0

SWEETWATER — The Yearlings A team rode a sterling defensive effort to down Sweetwater, 8-0.

The junior Mustangs were limited to minus-16 yards on offense and one first down — which they got on a penalty. Rannels coach Jim Wirwaha said.

Wirwaha said the Yearlings' defense was led by Richard Hain, Steven Robles and Jeromaine Gonzales.

In addition, Freddie Williams and Marcus Yanez recovered fumbles to thwart Sweetwater drives.

Robles scored the only touchdown of the game when he plunged over from one yard out. Waylon McGee was the leading Rannels rusher, gaining 94 yards on 18 carries. McGee also scored the two-point conversion, and had two interceptions on defense.

Sweetwater 30, Rannels B 12

SWEETWATER — The Yearlings' B squad was not quite as successful as their A team counterparts, as they lost to Sweetwater, 30-12.

Lupe Hinojos scored two TDs for Rannels, on runs of 69 and 38 yards, respectively.

Rankin 20, Garden City JH 6

GARDEN CITY — Rankin Junior High defeated Garden City Junior High, 20-6, in a game played here Thursday.

Garden City's lone score came on an eight-yard pass from Shae Scott to Marty Peary.

Jodie Bradford was G-City's leading rusher for the contest, gaining 45 yards on 13 carries. In addition, he caught two passes for 25 yards.

The junior Bearkats' next game will be at Forsan Thursday night. Big Lake JV 22, Garden City JV 0

Starting Lineups Big Spring-Plainview

STEERS	POSITION	BULLDOGS
Terry Ward, sr. 225	C	Kevin Wheeler, sr. 200
Pete Buske, sr. 220	RG	Bill Mulder, sr. 200
Jesse Rios, sr. 250	RT	James Cargill, sr. 291
John Sotello, sr. 250	LG	Reg Martin, sr. 190
Mike Calvio, sr. 220	LT	Mike Mull, jr. 204
John Wofford, sr. 165	SE	Mike Edwards, jr. 183
Tony Lewis, sr. 155	FI	Monroe Jennings, jr. 140
Joe Downey, jr. 205	TE	Frank Huey, sr. 220
Rance Thompson, jr. 160	QB	J.T. Smith, jr. 176
Rodney Brown, sr. 170	FB	Brian Brazler, jr. 163
Dennis Hartfield, sr. 145	HB	Stan Robertson, jr. 178
Jeff Leal, sr. 206	RE	Kurt Woffard, sr. 185
Adam Ramirez, sr. 200	RT	Wayne Wilson, sr. 195
Dusty Reeves, sr. 190	LT	James Cargill, sr. 291
Kevin Pirkle, sr. 185	LE	Mike Edwards, sr. 183
Chris Mason, sr. 155	RLB	Freddie Toney, sr. 165
Jason Phillips, sr. 195	MLB	Bill Mulder, sr. 200
John Covington, jr. 180	LLB	Steve Thompson, jr. 198
Tony Lewis, sr. 155	RCB	Reg Martin, sr. 190
Ray Darden, sr. 150	LCB	Jerry Salazar, sr. 161
Mike Hilario, jr. 145	SS	Darrel Hallman, sr. 161
Rye Bavin, jr. 160	FS	Stan Robertson, jr. 178

1988 Pigskin Predictions

TIM APPEL 13-3 25-7 781	STEVE REAGAN 14-2 24-8 750	RICHARD WHITE 15-1 22-10 687	HANK BURNINE (guest picker) 13-3 22-10 687	LYNN HAYES 12-4 22-10 687	MARCELLINO CHAVEZ 14-2 26-12 625	SARAH LUMAN 10-6 18-14 562
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Yankees beat Bosox, 5-3

By The Associated Press
Ten years after the Boston Massacre, the memories remain. With a 5-3 victory over the Red Sox on Thursday night, the New York Yankees began to exhume skeletons that generations of Boston players have tried to bury. "Coming into this series 4 1/2 games out, we have nothing to

day night's victory was less impressive than New York's 15-3 drubbing in the series opener a decade ago, but it was no less vital. "We have to play the games, we have to win the games," said Don Mattingly, who constantly has been reminded of his spring training guarantee that the Yankees would win the pennant. "We have to do the work and we'll see how it comes out. It's not going to take long. Within the next three days, we'll know."

Al Leiter pitches against Boston's Wes Gardner tonight in the second game and Tommy John pitches against Bruce Hurst on Saturday. In other games, Oakland beat Texas 6-2, Minnesota beat Chicago 10-3, Toronto beat Cleveland 3-0 and Kansas City beat California 2-1. Rick Rhoden, 11-10, won his fourth consecutive start, giving up six hits, walking four and hitting a batter in 5 1-3 innings for the Yankees. Dave Righetti, the fifth Yankees pitcher, went the eighth and ninth for his 22nd save. "I could lie and tell you I feel great," Righetti said. "Actually, I can pitch every day for the rest of the year. Of course, I don't know if

I could throw the ball. "We have some guys who can hardly lift their arms going out there pitching," Righetti continued. "That's what it takes at this time of year. You find out a lot about yourself."

Clemens found himself in trouble as he lost for the sixth time in seven decisions. He allowed nine hits and walked four in 6 1-3 innings. He also struck out eight, raising his major league-leading total to 277. New York found itself ahead in the second when Pagliarulo hit his 13th homer. Boston tied it 1-1 in the second on Dwight Evans' sacrifice fly. New York took a 3-1 lead in the fifth when Jack Clark singled, Pagliarulo doubled, Willie Randolph hit a run-scoring groundout and Joel Skinner followed with an RBI single.

Athletics 6, Rangers 2
Dave Parker drove in three runs with a pair of singles and Oakland lowered its magic number to five. Todd Burns, 7-2, pitched a seven-hitter for his second complete game. Bobby Witt, 6-10, gave up eight hits and five runs in seven innings.

Twins 10, White Sox 3
Jim Dwyer's pinch grand slam capped a six-run sixth inning, Frank Viola became major league baseball's first 22-game winner and Kirby Puckett had his seventh four-hit game this season.

Viola, 22-6, allowed seven hits, struck out five, and walked one over seven innings. Melido Perez, 11-9, allowed five runs but only three hits in five innings.

Blue Jays 3, Indians 0
Jeff Musselman, 6-4, pitched a four-hit ball over eight innings for his first victory since Aug. 13, and Tom Henke finished with one-hit relief for his 24th save.

Mike Walker, making his major league debut, gave up six hits and all three runs in six innings, walking four and striking out five. Fred McGriff hit an RBI single in the first, Tony Fernandez hit an RBI double in the fifth and Kelly Gruber hit a run-scoring groundout in the sixth.

Royals 2, Angels 1
Charlie Leibrandt pitched a four-hitter to outduel Dan Petry, who pitched a three-hitter, and Pat Tabler hit a two-run homer. Kansas City completed a three-game sweep and Leibrandt evened his record at 12-12 after a 2-9 start. Tabler hit his second homer of the season.

pos' AAA affiliate at Indianapolis, became the tallest player ever to appear in a big league game. The 6-foot-10 Johnson is one inch taller than Johnny Gee, who pitched with the Pirates and the New York Giants in the 1940s.

Cardinals 3, Phillies 1
Scott Terry won his seventh straight decision as St. Louis beat Philadelphia to snap a three-game losing streak.

Terry, 9-3, struck out six and walked none in eight innings. He made his first start on Aug. 11 and has allowed 11 runs in 57 innings over eight starts, a 1.74 earned-run average. Todd Worrell finished for his 30th save.

Shane Rawley, 7-15, gave up nine hits and three runs in 6 1-3 innings. "I just have to stay with it as long as I can," said Terry.

American League

the Yankees beat Roger Clemens for their seventh victory in eight games.

"We're going out there and giving whatever we've got. I don't know if they're thinking of being swept, but for us this is a real boost for everyone. I think it shows a lot about our team and what we're capable of doing," said Pagliarulo, who homered, doubled during a two-run, go-ahead fourth inning and singled in a run in the seventh.

It was in 1978 when the Yankees swept Boston by a combined 42-9, moving from four games out on Sept. 7 into a tie on Sept. 10. Thurs-

Astros continue to falter

By The Associated Press
Things are continuously looking up for the National League division leaders. The Pittsburgh Pirates and Houston Astros both continue to move down.

Both second-place teams in the division races dropped farther off the pace as the result of Thursday's

National League

games, which saw the New York Mets beat the Chicago Cubs 4-1, the Montreal Expos stop the Pirates 9-4 and the Cincinnati Reds trim the Astros 7-5.

The results gave the Mets a hefty 11-game lead over the Pirates and reduced their magic number for clinching the NL East to seven. Houston's loss to the Reds dropped the Astros seven games behind Los Angeles and reduced the Dodgers' magic number to 11 in the NL West.

In the only other NL game Thursday, it was St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 1.

Reds 7, Astros 5
Eric Davis and Barry Larkin drove in two runs apiece to lead Cincinnati over Houston.

The Astros rallied from a 6-2 deficit on sixth-inning homers by Billy Hatcher and reliever Danny Darwin off starter Norm Charlton, but were shut down by the Reds' bullpen over the last three innings. John Franco pitched the ninth to gain his league-leading 34th save in 36 opportunities.

Charlton, 2-4, got his second victory in seven major league starts despite allowing five runs and nine hits in 5 2-3 innings. The Reds handed Bob Forsch, 10-5, one of his worst drubbings of the season.

"We have a tremendous bullpen, all the way around," said Charlton. "The middle men are good, and our stopper (Franco) — what can you say? There's probably not a better bullpen in baseball."

Mets 4, Cubs 1
David Cone won for the eighth time in nine decisions and Kevin McReynolds hit a two-run homer, leading the Mets past the Cubs for their seventh victory in eight games.

Cone, 17-3, struck out 10 in seven innings for his sixth double-digit strikeout game this season. He gave up five hits, walked three and beat Chicago for the third time this year. Terry Leach finished, allowing one hit in recording his third save.

Chicago, 1-6 on the completed road trip, continued its traditional September tailspin.

Expos 9, Pirates 4
Andres Galarraga drove in three runs with a two-run homer and a triple as Montreal defeated Pittsburgh.

Left-hander Randy Johnson was a winner in his major league debut with relief help. Andy McGaffigan pitched 2 1-3 innings of one-hit relief for his fourth save. Johnson, recalled from the Ex-

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tisan homecoming crowd. New Home 48, Klondike 40

Loraine (2-0) at Grady (0-1)

At least no one will be able to accuse the Grady Wildcats of having a soft pre-district schedule.

After losing to six-man power New Home last week, the 'Cats will have another tough test on their hands when they host the unbeaten Loraine Bulldogs tonight.

The Bulldogs have encountered little opposition in their first two games, blasting Leuders-Avooca and Dawson by scores of 50-0 and 56-6, respectively.

Grady is improving, and will win its share of games before the season's finished, but Loraine should prove too tough for the Wildcats.

Loraine 48, Grady 28

Borden County (1-1) at Jayton (1-1)

The Borden County Coyotes will try to build on the momentum of last week's win against Wellman when they travel to Jayton to take on the tradition-rich Jaybirds Friday.

Coach John Bond's Coyotes bowed to six-man power New Home in their season opener, before rebounding to bounce Wellman, 21-6, last Friday.

The Jaybirds, a perennial playoff team, has found the going a little bit rougher this year. Jayton edged Bovina, 22-18, before being blasted by Trent, 46-14.

This one is rated as a toss-up, but with all things being equal, we'll give the Jaybirds the edge on the home field advantage.

Jayton 24, Borden County 18

Harriers

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course.

Sister Yvette, a junior, finished 12th at the regional meet, missing a state berth by two places. She battled a leg injury all season but still ran a 13:31. "Yvette had a torn hamstring and I didn't even think she would make district. Between her treatment and training, she's a gutsy runner," said Britton.

Britton says the competition between the sisters is a big reason they are so good. "They are sisters all the way. They are always running against each other. It's a challenge, they want to beat each other. But that's good in a way. You can control that a lot better than trying to motivate them," said Britton.

Other returners are juniors Trisha Barnes and Rocky Alviar and sophomore Lillian Trevino. This year, senior sprinter Angie Dees came out for the team, and Garza, a senior, finished 14th at the regional meet. Her best is 13:33.

Britton says she will help a lot.

Other promising runners include sophomores Erica Franks and Charleen Rodriguez, and freshmen Ginger McMullan, Rene Osborn and Wendy Lunsford.

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Unlike the boys, Britton says there will be no problem finding seven strong female runners. "We've got about 20 girls out and there is 11 girls fighting for the top seven spots. Their times will decide who makes the team," he said.

Britton added that he hopes he receives some help from the public. "I'd like to get some input from the public. We have the meet Saturday, and we'll have our invitational Oct. 1, our relay meet Oct. 15 and the district meet Oct. 29," said Britton. "Anyone willing to help us with those meets are welcome. It doesn't take much of your time and they'll get a chance to see some good meets."

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Phillips is big success on and off playing field

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor



JASON PHILLIPS

Jason Phillips is a young man that excels on and off the playing field.

When the bell rings for the conclusion of school, Phillips goes from the honor student to a mean dude on the gridiron. He's soft-spoken on and off the field, but his actions speak for themselves.

It's hard to say whether Phillips, a 6-0, 195-pounder excels more in the classroom or on the football field. But it's comparable to having a tooth pulled to get Phillips to talk about his exploits in either.

When asked about his grade point average, he replies "I know I'm on the honor roll, but I don't know what my grade point average is, I never look at it."

When quizzed about his football abilities, he simply replies "I just try to do the best I can do."

What Phillips isn't telling you is that he carries a 3.70 grade point average, and after the first football game, is the Steers' leading tackler.

Not to mention he's carried a grade average well above 90 throughout his high school career, and was one of the Steers' leading tacklers last season at defensive end, gaining all-district and all-area honors.

There's no doubt Phillips will go to college. Whether it's as a scholarship athlete or student remains to be seen.

"I want to go to college and I want to play sports. I have no idea what I want to major in," said Phillips.

This season Phillips was back at the linebacking position for the first time in a year. He had played linebacker from the seventh grade until his sophomore season. Then he was switched to the defensive end spot.

He admits he wasn't fond of the move, but one couldn't tell by his performance. Although no defensive stats were kept last season, he was one of the leaders in tackles and quarter-

back sacks. "I really didn't know much about defensive end. I hadn't played there until last year and I really didn't like it that much," said Phillips.

"I was moved to linebacker in the spring and I was slow catching on. It's a big difference from defensive end. There's more room to run, there's more action, you get to make more tackles," he said with a grin.

Phillips was one of the bright spots in the Steer defense that yielded 384 yards total offense to Estacado. He finished the contest with two unassisted tackles and 16 assists. He also caused one fumble.

He says he has taken a liking to the new 4-3 defense implemented by coach David Thompson. "I like the new defense really well. I think everybody does."

"I think we've got a chance to win a lot of games this year. There's a lot more excitement. Everybody's enjoying practice and the games. All-around, it's better."

The question of the day, what advice would he give to the younger athletes?

"Work hard, keep a good attitude about everything. Don't go home tired dreading your schoolwork."

Spoken like a young man that excels on and off the field.

Steer Stats

Rushing	TC	Yds	TD	Avg.	Lg.
Hartfield	13	60	0	4.6	24
Thompson	4	4	0	1.0	9
Lewis	3	28	0	9.3	12
Brown	8	59	0	7.4	14
Cole	1	2	0	-2.0	-2

Receiving	No.	Yds.	TD	Lg.	Avg.
Lewis	6	122	2	58	20.3
Downey	1	12	0	12	12.0
Wofford	1	66	1	66	66.0
Hartfield	1	10	0	10	10.0
Brown	1	13	0	13	13.0

Punting	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	Bld.
Mayfield	4	87	21.7	33	0

Scoring	TD	PAT	2-Pts.	FG	Total
Lewis	2	0	0	0-0	12
Wofford	1	0	0	0-0	6

DEFENSE	UA	A	Total
Tackles	2	16	18
Phillips	1	16	17
Pirkle	3	12	15
Mason	2	9	11
Darden	2	8	10
Hilario	0	10	10
Reeves	1	8	9
Hagen	8	0	8
Ramirez	2	5	7
Bailey	1	6	7
Leal	2	4	6
Covington	5	0	5
Bavin	1	1	2
Lewis	0	1	1
Sotello	0	1	1
Mayfield	0	1	1
Crownover	0	1	1
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Fumble Recoveries

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Leal	2
Pirkle	1

BS	Team Stats	Opp.
17	1st downs	19
165	Yds. Rush	340
33	Rush Attp.	44
5.0	Avg. Per. Attp.	7.7
247	Yds. Pass	44
21	Pass Attp.	8
4	Pass Comp.	4
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4-87 yds.-21.7	Punts	1-40 yds.-40
3	Fumbles	5
1	Fumbles Lost	3
10-60 yds.	Penalties	8-70 yds.

4-4A Standings

TEAM STANDINGS

Team	Dist	Pts-Opp	Season	Pts-Opp
S-water	0-0-0	00-00	2-0-0	70-07
Monahans	0-0-0	00-00	2-0-0	34-14
Pecos	0-0-0	00-00	2-0-0	55-25
Lake View	0-0-0	00-00	2-0-0	57-28
Andrews	0-0-0	00-00	1-1-0	18-39
FT Stockton	0-0-0	00-00	1-1-0	28-14
Big Spring	0-0-0	00-00	0-1-0	18-30
Snyder	0-0-0	00-00	0-2-0	13-59

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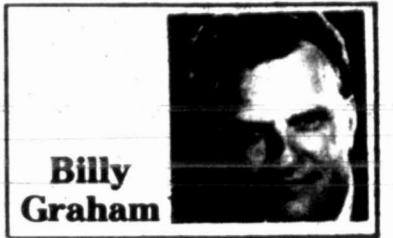
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DEAR DR. GRAHAM: I was told if I prayed about my problems they would get solved, but it hasn't worked out that way at all. In fact, I'm not even sure God cares about my problems. Why isn't God answering my prayers? — Mrs. R.H.



Billy Graham

DEAR MRS. R.H.: Let me assure you God is not only concerned about your problems, but he is concerned about you as an individual.

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When we know Christ, we know that God hears us when we pray. Let us then approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need." (Hebrews 4:16) Does that mean God will always answer our prayers the way we want him to? No, sometimes God's answer is

You see, God knows what is best for us; and often what we think is best will not be the case. Even when we cannot understand why he does not answer our prayers as we think he should, we know he can be trusted to do what is right. In

prayer we should always seek God's will, and not our own. This is the assurance we have in approaching God: That if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us." (1 John 5:14)

DEAR DR. GRAHAM: Which political party will you be backing in the next election? I find politics fascinating, but sometimes I get confused because I don't know what the candidates really stand for. I'd like your opinion. Or do you think that one vote isn't all that important anymore? — S.W.

DEAR S.W.: I have no intention of getting involved in political issues or endorsing any candidate. God has called me to be an evangelist, not to get involved in partisan politics.

That does not mean I am unconcerned — not at all. Nor does it mean I will not vote. I'm thankful for the political system we have, and I believe it is our responsibility to be informed about the issues and to ask God to guide us as we vote.

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Holy hoedown

Congregation carries on with spirit

By STEPHANIE McCOLLUM
Denton Record-Chronicle

DENTON — The sound system is being tested and all but drowns out the greetings of the faithful who trickle in to meet under the tent covering rows of pews.

As the members and guests of Life Tabernacle Church begin the songs that characterize their worship, chills run up the legs of those in attendance.

Some called it the presence of the Holy Spirit, but maybe it was just the cool wind that blew at dusk on the sixth night of the late-summer revival.

Janet Teague, who keeps the nursery for the church, said the cool breeze was a gift from God, who wanted his worshippers to continue the revival beyond its scheduled five days. She was quick to talk about the healings she has seen take place: the restoration of hearing to a deaf boy and the relief of an elderly man's arthritic pain.

Evangelist Bill Mills, who was a guest speaker at the services, called it a "Holy Ghost hoedown."

Harry Spiechler said when the Rev. Paul Haygood prayed for him, "I felt just a warm feeling from the top of my head to the bottom of my feet. When Rev. Haygood prayed for me, the pain just left my knees." Spiechler said the pain would soon have kept him from walking.

Healing is not a new experience for Spiechler, who said he was instantly healed of inflammation of the vertebrae in 1961 in a St. Louis hospital. Although the Army had discharged him as disabled, a faith healing erased all signs of his ailment.

"I feel that a little bit of doubt sometimes keeps us from being



DENTON — Mike Spiechler receives healing praise from evangelist Bill Mills and from the congregation of Life Tabernacle Church in Denton.

healed," he said. He said he believed in God before he was healed the first time, but "I just couldn't grasp the fact that it would actually come to me."

Haygood is pleased with the faith of his congregation. Their church on Wood Street burned down in December 1983, and the congregation now has a metal building on a 10-acre lot at Windsor and Bonnie Brae. But for five months the church has met in a tent.

"And there were as many people here each time as you see now," the pastor said. About 150 people attended each night of the

recent revival. Eight of those people are members of the Donna and Robert McCauley family. They say their son, Shane, 3, was healed at the revival.

Mrs. McCauley said her son would listen to the stereo with it turned all the way up and his ear to the speaker. One night at the revival, while he and his family were standing in the audience, he suddenly put his hands over his ears to block out a singer.

Haygood said the healing happened at the same time he told his assistant pastor the crowd needed a miracle and to go find someone

who needed help. His assistant immediately suggested Shane.

When McCauley took his son to the front of the tent and Haygood prayed, he whispered to his son, "Can you hear me?" and Shane nodded. Haygood said the crowd went wild.

"I don't even know what a healer is. To me, nobody heals. God heals. I just lay my hands on them and pray for them."

"Don't let anyone ever fool you and tell you that he's a healer, because he's not. God is the healer."

Teague said, "This is not TV."

Church briefs

Church announces activities

Church officials at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 810 Scurry St., have announced the following activities for the 1988-89 school year.

Mid-week school classes will be conducted every Wednesday at 6 p.m. at the church. Classes are designed for children ages 3 through eighth grade. The seventh and eighth grade youth will be attending first and second-year confirmation classes.

Christian training and a music program are also being offered, and a children's choir will be organized.

These activities will be every Wednesday from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

There is no cost, and all children are invited to attend.

A light meal will be served at 5:15 in the fellowship hall. A free-

will offering will be taken. For more information, please call the church office at 267-7163.

Rev. Carroll Kohl will offer an annual fall refresher course in "The Christian Faith." This class will be conducted for 16 weeks, and is designed to strengthen and renew the Christian faith. The only text used is the Bible.

The community is invited to attend and walk-in are welcome.

For more information, please call the church office Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., or call the parsonage at 263-2764.

A father/son dinner will be hosted Sunday at 6 p.m. in the fellowship hall. The dinner is for members of the church.

Cookout planned for Saturday

First Church of the Nazarene, 1400 Lancaster, will host a "Fall Kick-Off" cookout Saturday at Comanche Trail Park at 2 p.m.

With Us Is Me," is designed to encourage and renew the spark in your marriage.

"Marriage Enrichment," an award winning film series, will resume Sunday morning at 9:30 a.m. The film, titled "The Trouble

The public is invited to attend the church every Wednesday at 7 p.m. to study team ministry.

For more information, please call 267-7015.

Petra to perform in Odessa

The Christian rock group, Petra, will be in concert Monday at Chaparral Center, Odessa.

Tickets are available locally at Son Shine Christian, Bookstore. Prices are \$10 in advance or \$12 at the door. A group rate also is offered for a group of 10 or more, the price will be \$8.50 per person.

Geoff Moore and The Distance also will perform.

Soviets ask for 100,000 Bibles

NEW YORK — The American Bible Society reports that churches in the Soviet Union have asked the United Bible Societies, the partnership for global Bible work which ABS helps fund, to supply them with a further 100,000 Bibles in Russia, as well as 50,000 Bible storybooks.

Soviet authorities granted the import permit Sept. 1, and United States officials predict that the most likely date for shipment is January 1989.

The request brings to 369,700 the number of copies of the Scriptures which have either been shipped by the UBS since January.

Couple shares pastoral charge

MERIDIAN (AP) — Melanie and Stephen Soulen take Genesis 2:24 to heart. "Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh."

They even share one job.

The Soulens both are ordained United Methodist ministers serving the First United Methodist churches in Meridian and Morgan. The two churches make up a single pastoral charge and have provided them an opportunity to share in visitation responsibilities, preaching — and raising their two young sons.

Stephen, a slim man with boy-next-door good looks, admitted to balking sometimes at housework.

"I grew up in a very traditional family, and even though I've always wanted to share work, and that was easy, I find it more difficult to share in the household work," he said, with a grin.

"He's very good with the boys," said Melanie, a pretty, dark-haired woman with a thoughtful manner of speaking.

"I hate to cook," said Stephen. "In fact, my last sermon was on how much I hate to cook."

Well, only part of the sermon was about aversion to cooking, he said. The sermon discussed how people

taking Holy Communion often do not appreciate the price Jesus paid for that rite. He compared it with how people often do not appreciate the effort that goes into cooking a tasty meal.

For the Soulens, sharing the housework may cause tussles, but sharing the ministry does not. They've been doing it since before they were married.

They met at the Candler School

"Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh." — Genesis

of Theology at Emory University in Atlanta. Stephen grew up in Georgetown and graduated from Baylor University. He served as youth director in Hubbard and at First United Methodist Church in Woodway before entering the school during Melanie's senior year.

Melanie, an Alabama native who finished college and seminary in six years, said jokingly, "I never

thought I'd marry a Texan."

She and Stephen served as associate pastors to a small Georgia church and married in 1984. They moved to Shady Dell, Ga., population 250. "Most of them were probably dogs they counted running around," said Stephen. He served as student pastor to six small Methodist churches while Melanie served as youth minister to a church in Madison, Ga. After moving to Texas and serving a large church in Temple as associates, the couple arrived in Meridian in June.

In Temple, "because we had to separate job areas, we didn't share as much. We were just there together," said Stephen. "Bouncing ideas off each other, that's where we find our motivation. That's where we're creative."

The job suits them because it leaves them a lot of time for family life, said Melanie.

"I guess we model as a good marriage," said said.

They belong to the Association of Couples For Marriage Enrichment. The organization's premise is "based on the fact that strong marriages make strong families, and for us as well ... it makes for a strong ministry," she said.



CHICAGO — Worshippers approach the icon that appears to be shedding tears at St. Nicholas Albanian Orthodox Church in Chicago last week. The painting of the Virgin Mary first appeared to 'weep' in 1986 and continued for seven months.

Thousands witness 'weeping' icon

CHICAGO (AP) — Costandini Cosma says her eyesight was so poor she could hardly see, before the Virgin Mary began "weeping" at St. Nicholas Albanian Orthodox Church. Now, her eyes feel much better.

"I believe," the 74-year-old parishoner said Wednesday.

She believes the icon that appears to be shedding tears rewards those who have faith. And like thousands of others, she has stood in line for hours to get a look at what St. Nicholas' pastor calls a "phenomenon, a miraculous sign."

It's the second time the icon shows wet streaks under the eyes. The first time started in December 1986 and lasted seven months, attracting millions to the small, 17-pew church on Chicago's Northwest Side.

Last week, a man who entered the church to pray spotted the streaks.

"We had just finished a prayer service and I was in the banquet hall," said the Rev. Philip Koufos, the pastor. "He came running in saying he saw something strange in the eyes."

"We feel very blessed," said Koufos. "The mother of God is saying 'I'm still with you.'"

The church is open only three days a week, and despite the interest in the icon, Koufos says he has no plans to extend the hours as he did in 1987.

So at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday, the line

starts at the altar rail and snakes to the back of church, through the vestibule and into the adjacent banquet hall.

When the viewer gets to the rail, the icon hangs about 10 feet away behind a plexiglass shield. An usher helps visitors get the best angle to see what Koufos calls the "trickles of tears."

After a few seconds, another viewer steps up.

"People sometimes go around a

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number of times," Koufos said.

"Some stay in the church for hours."

"They come for all sorts of reasons," he added. "Some come looking for consolation, contrition, out of curiosity — for every possible reason. Some are looking for cures."

The queue has parents carrying children, people toting Bibles and the devout clutching practice. All bear a desire to witness what most consider a bizarre yet pious mystery.

"I believe it," said Eleanor Chiczewski of Elmwood Park. "I need help. I came here hoping she could help me. I'm Roman Catholic but it's God, Jesus and Mary; it's

all the same."

Patricia Slove, 22, of Chicago considers the tears a miracle.

"When I came here I saw a streak," she said. "On TV I saw a stream of water. Maybe she was crying harder then. It's a mystery to me. Why is there glass in front of her? Is it for reflection? You can't study it. They move you right along."

Dorothy Duke of Niagara, Wis., stopped at the church while visiting her sister.

"Not for any deep faith experience," Ms. Duke, 54, explained. "But I had hoped to feel a little different. Maybe I'll come back."

A collection basket is kept at the rear of church and all donations go to the poor, Koufos said. Many people drop dollar bills at the altar rail after viewing the icon.

In 1987, when the tears lasted more than half the year, an archbishop of the Eastern Orthodox faith visited the church and pronounced the weeping an "inexplicable sign" of religious importance.

Koufos says the icon's significance is mostly personal, determined by the people who pass through the church.

"I see miracles all the time on people's faces. It's beautiful," he said. "I feel the mother of God is preparing us, strengthening us for something. It's a very positive thing."



Celebration

Rev. Carroll Kohl, pastor of St. Paul Lutheran Church, and several church members, participate in a balloon launch recently to kick off the begin-

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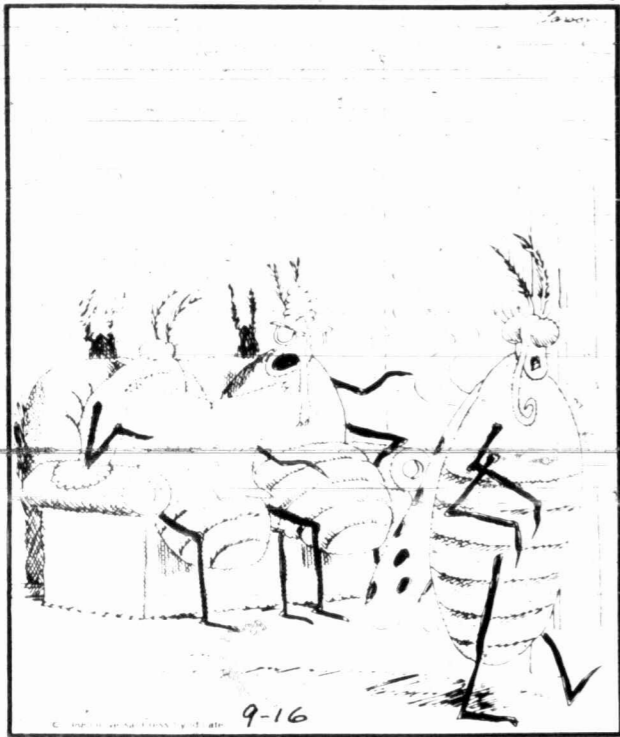
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'88 Games U.S.A., Russians to renew bitter rivalry

By JAMES LITKE
 AP Sports Writer

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 And let the Games begin. American and Soviet athletes, kept apart the last two Summer Olympiads in a tit-for-tat boycott that saw the former stay away from Moscow and the latter from Los Angeles, meet again after 12 years on the relatively level playing fields of Seoul.
 "No problems, no regrets, no recourse. What's past is past," said Mac Wilkins, the seemingly ageless discus thrower who brought the United States gold at the 1976 Games in Montreal and will be trying to repeat the feat in South Korea — his fourth Olympic appearance.
 "In most cases, track and field is very objective — you run a certain time, you throw a certain distance. In some cases, the result would have been the same. And when you look at it in a book, a gold medal in Moscow looks just as good as one in Los Angeles.
 "But people in the sport, people who know what's going on, usually add something like an asterisk," Wilkins said, "because half the world wasn't there for one or the other."
 The last superpower showdown at the Olympics was won decisively by the Soviets, who clutched a then-record 125 medals to their chests by the time the torch was extinguished in Montreal.
 The East Germans, who finished

second in the 1976 Games, were present when it was lit again four years later, but U.S. athletes were not, convincing 35 other nations to cross Moscow off their travel itinerary after the Soviet Army crossed into Afghanistan.
 Nonplussed, the Soviets rewrote the Olympic record book, winning 80 gold, 70 silver and 47 bronze medals. East Germany was second again, totaling 126 medals and giving the Eastern bloc duo more than half the 632 medals awarded.
 "I would ask the sportsmen of the world to unite in peace before a holocaust descends," Lord Killanin, outgoing president of the International Olympic Committee told a crowd of 100,000 in Lenin Stadium at ceremonies concluding the Moscow Games.
 But after saying first they would, Soviet athletes declined to descend on Los Angeles, the Kremlin deciding after all that the streets of a big U.S. city were not safe.
 Thirteen allies, including the powerful East Germans, said the same and U.S. athletes ran over, under and through the depleted field to claim 83 golds among an unprecedented total of 174.
 "The fact is," said hurdler Edwin Moses, heading to Seoul for his third Olympic Games, "they give out the medals on one particular day and whoever's there is there. I wasn't there in 1980 and I was disappointed — as much as the Soviets who weren't in Los Angeles."
 "Our lives are dominated by training, racing and competition and that's enough," he added. "Most athletes — and this is true everywhere — could care less

about the political content of the world."
 "But the one thing all of us learned is that politics are part of the Games and if politicians say you don't go, you don't go. The funny thing," Moses said, "is the Games are one of the few times you can offer a kind of cohesion separate from politics, when you can break down some barriers."
 In some ways, the Montreal Games reflected the chaos — not to mention the skulduggery and intrigue — that characterized superpower relations of the era.
 Within days of the start of the Games, Soviet pentathlete Boris Onischenko, a silver medalist at Munich in 1972, was caught with a wired epee and sent packing.
 Following that embarrassment, U.S. diving team manager Tom Gompf reported to the International Swimming Federation that a Soviet had approached him and offered favorable scores for American Phil Boggs in exchange for the same support for Irina Kalinina. When the report was made public, Gompf denied the entire affair.
 A few days later, 17-year-old diver Sergei Nemtsanov disappeared, the host Canadians saying he had defected, the visiting Soviets charging he had been brainwashed and everybody else whispering that he had been smitten by a young American woman he'd met in Florida.

likely will be reprised in Korea.
 "Many have waited 10 years or more for this opportunity. ... We are looking forward to closer and more friendly contacts among the athletes in Seoul," said Anatoly Kolesov, a deputy Soviet sports minister.
 "We expect our share of medals in all sports," he added. "But we will have to fight for them, and not just against the Americans, but against our comrades from the GDR (East Germany)."
 Moses expects the same high caliber of competition from the Soviets — even if they will be dressed a little better.
 "For one thing, they've probably gotten rid of those tall-tale heavy shoes they always wore," he said with a laugh. "They're wearing Italian loafers now. They travel more, they've got more freedom."
 "When you've got a guy like (pole-vaulter Sergei) Bubka, who can jump 20 feet, you want to be able to generate good publicity," he said. "When you can put a guy in the spotlight like that, you want to make sure he looks good."
 "I don't know that they're any different," Wilkins said. "I never thought of the Soviets as secretive, anyway. To me, the East Germans and the Cubans have always been the politically uptight ones anyway."

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- '85 Ford F-150 Lariat Loaded, clean \$7,488
- '86 Chevy Suburban 2-Tone Auto air \$13,988
- '87 C-20 Chevy Pickup Ext-cab \$6,988
- '85 Dodge D-250 4X4 Good work truck \$6,988
- '83 Chrysler 5th Ave. Loaded, nice \$5,988
- '85 Chrysler 5th Ave. **SAVE**

SCOREBOARD

HOME	PERIOD	GUEST
106	2:00	93
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NL Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	88	57	607
Pittsburgh	77	68	531 11
Montreal	74	72	507 14 1/2
St. Louis	71	76	483 18
Chicago	69	77	473 19 1/2
Philadelphia	59	87	404 29 1/2

West Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
Los Angeles	84	60	583
Houston	78	68	534 7
Cincinnati	76	69	524 8 1/2
San Francisco	75	71	514 10
San Diego	72	72	500 12
Atlanta	49	95	340 35

Thursday's Games

New York 4, Chicago 1
 St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 1
 Cincinnati 7, Houston 5
 Montreal 9, Pittsburgh 4
 Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

St. Louis (DeLeon 11-8) at Chicago (Harkey 0-1)
 Los Angeles (Belcher 10-4) at Cincinnati (Browning 15-5), (n)
 Montreal (Dopson 3-10) at New York (Ojeda 10-13), (n)
 Pittsburgh (Smiley 11-10) at Philadelphia (Freeman 2-2), (n)
 San Diego (Show 13-11) at Atlanta (P-Smith 7-13), (n)
 San Francisco (Hammaker 7-8) at Houston (Knepper 13-4), (n)

Saturday's Games

San Francisco at Houston
 Montreal at New York
 St. Louis at Chicago
 Los Angeles at Cincinnati, (n)
 Pittsburgh at Philadelphia, (n)
 San Diego at Atlanta, (n)

Sunday's Games

Montreal at Philadelphia
 Pittsburgh at Philadelphia
 San Diego at Atlanta
 Los Angeles at Cincinnati
 St. Louis at Chicago
 San Francisco at Houston

Linescores

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Texas 200 021 018-4, 9-0
 Oakland 200 021 018-4, 9-0
 B.Witt, Guante (8), Henry (8) and Kreuter; Burns and Hassey W—Burns, 7-2. L—B.Witt, 6-10. HRs—Texas, Petralli (7). Oakland, Phillips (1), Steinbach (7).

Cleveland 000 000 000-0, 5-0
 Toronto 100 011 008-3, 7-0
 Walker, Bailes (7), Gordon (8) and Tingley; Musselman, Henke (9) and Whitt. W—Musselman, 6-4. L—Walker, 0-1. Sv—Henke (24).

New York 010 210 100-5, 12-0
 Boston 001 001 010-3, 8-0
 Rhoden, Mohorec (6), Pena (6), Allen (8), Righetti (8) and Skinner. Clemens, Stanley (7) and Godman. Cerone (9). W—Rhoden, 11-10. L—Clemens, 16-11. Sv—Righetti (22). HR—New York, Pagliarulo (13).

Chicago 110 000 010-3, 8-2
 Minnesota 100 006 218-10, 10-0
 Perez, Rosenberg (6), Pall (6), J.N. Davis (7) and Fisk, Salas (9); Viola, Schatzeder (8), Gonzalez (9) and Laudner, Nieto (7). W—Viola, 22-6. L—Perez, 11-9. HRs—Chicago, Fisk (17). Minnesota, Dwyer (1).

Kansas City 200 000 000-2, 3-0
 California 100 000 000-1, 4-0
 Leibrandt and L.Owen; Petry and Boone. W—Leibrandt, 12-12. L—Petry, 3-7. HR—Kansas City, Tabler (6).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Chicago 000 001 000-1, 6-1
 New York 000 200 208-4, 6-4
 Sutcliffe, and Berryhill. Cone, Leach (8) and Sasser, Lyons (8). W—Cone, 17-3. L—Sutcliffe, 12-13. Sv—Leach (3). HR—New York, McReynolds (22).

St. Louis 010 010 100-3, 11-2
 Philadelphia 010 000 000-1, 5-1
 Terry, Worrell (9) and Pena; Rawley, Tekulve (7), M.Maddux (8) and Parrish. W—Terry, 9-3. L—Rawley, 7-15. Sv—Worrell (30).

Houston 010 103 000-5, 10-1
 Cincinnati 203 100 018-7, 10-0
 Forsch, Darwin (4) and Biggio, Trevino (4); Charlton, Dibble (6), Franco (9) and Reed, McClendon (6). W—Charlton, 2-4. L—Forsch, 10-5. Sv—Franco (34). HRs—Houston, Hatcher (6), Darwin (1). Cincinnati, Larkin (11).

Pittsburgh 010 100 200-4, 11-1
 Montreal 003 130 208-9, 11-0
 LaPoint, Kramer (6), Medvin (7), Rucker (8) and Ortiz, LaValliere (6), Rodriguez (7); R.Johnson, Parrett (6), Sauveur (7), McGaffigan (7) and Fitzgerald. W—R.Johnson, 1-0. L—LaPoint, 4-1. Sv—McGaffigan (4). HRs—Pittsburgh, Wilson (2). Montreal, Galarraza (27), Brooks (18).

ATLANTA FALCONS—Signed Paul Oswald, offensive lineman. Placed Elbert Shelly, safety, on injured reserve.
DETROIT LIONS—Signed Curt Singer, offensive tackle. Released Rob Rubick, tight end.
GREEN BAY PACKERS—Signed Ron Pitts, defensive back.
NEW YORK GIANTS—Claimed Johnnie Cocks, linebacker, on waivers from the Indianapolis Colts. Placed Karl Nelson, offensive tackle, on injured reserve. Signed Ron McLean, defensive end.
NEW ORLEANS SAINTS—Re-signed Buford Jordan, fullback.
SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS—Re-signed Darryl Pollard, cornerback. Waived Ilija Jarostchuk, linebacker.
Canadian Football League
BRITISH COLUMBIA LIONS—Activated Reggie Taylor, running back, from the practice roster and Eric Streeter, wide receiver, from the reserve list. Released Anthony Charry, running back, and Marcus Thomas, defensive back.
HAMILTON TIGER-CATS—Transferred Tony Champion, wide receiver, to the injured list.
COLLEGE
NATIONAL Hockey League
NEW YORK RANGERS—Released Drago Adam, goaltender; Patrick Dunn, left wing; and Dwight Mullins, right wing.
ST. LOUIS BLUES—Signed Paul Cavallini, Gordie Roberts, Gaston Gingras and Rob Whistle, defenseman, to multiyear contracts.
International Hockey League
DENVER RANGERS—Announced that Larry Mizel has become a co-owner.
SOCCER
Major Indoor Soccer League
KANSAS CITY COMETS—Named Tony Glavin assistant coach.
COLLEGE
HALL OF FAME BOWL—Signed a multiyear agreement with NBC and announced the game will be played on Jan. 2.
IONA—Named Jim Bostic assistant men's basketball coach and Gary Stanley assistant sports information director.
MASSACHUSETTS—Announced that Keith Harris, forward, has transferred from Kansas.
PAN AMERICAN—Named Tim Hicks women's basketball coach.
ST. PETER'S—Named Bob Thomas head football coach.

NFL Standings

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Buffalo	1	1	0	100	22 16
New England	1	1	0	500	34 39
N.Y. Jets	1	1	0	500	26 31
Indianapolis	0	2	0	000	27 34
Miami	0	2	0	000	13 43

Central

W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Cincinnati	2	0	0	1000	49 38
Houston	2	0	0	1000	55 49
Cleveland	1	1	0	500	9 26
Pittsburgh	1	1	0	500	53 51

West

W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Seattle	2	0	0	1000	52 24
Denver	1	1	0	500	48 24
L.A. Raiders	1	1	0	500	59 51
Kansas City	0	2	0	000	13 37
San Diego	0	2	0	000	16 38

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East

W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Dallas	1	1	0	500	38 38
N.Y. Giants	1	1	0	500	44 40
Philadelphia	1	1	0	500	65 42
Washington	1	1	0	500	50 36
Phoenix	0	2	0	000	28 38

Central

W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Chicago	2	0	0	1000	51 20
Detroit	1	1	0	500	41 34
Minnesota	1	1	0	500	46 19
Tampa Bay	1	1	0	500	27 51
Green Bay	0	2	0	000	17 47

West

W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
L.A. Rams	2	0	0	1000	51 17
San Francisco	2	0	0	1000	54 50
New Orleans	1	1	0	500	62 55
Atlanta	0	2	0	000	38 60

Sunday's Games

Chicago 17, Indianapolis 13
 Buffalo 9, Miami 6
 New Orleans 29, Atlanta 21
 Washington 20, Pittsburgh 29
 San Francisco 20, New York Giants 17
 Tampa Bay 13, Green Bay 10
 Denver 34, San Diego 3
 New York Jets 23, Cleveland 3
 Minnesota 36, New England 6
 Houston 38, Los Angeles Raiders 35
 Los Angeles Rams 17, Detroit 10
 Seattle 31, Kansas City 10
 Cincinnati 28, Philadelphia 24
Monday's Game
 Dallas 17, Phoenix 14

AL Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	82	64	562
New York	78	67	538 3 1/2
Detroit	77	69	527 5
Milwaukee	78	70	527 5
Toronto	75	72	510 7 1/2
Cleveland	70	76	479 12
Baltimore	51	93	354 30

West Division

W	L	Pct.	GB
Oakland	93	54	633
Minnesota	81	65	555 11 1/2
Kansas City	78	68	534 14 1/2
California	73	74	497 20
Texas	64	81	441 28
Chicago	62	83	428 30
Seattle	60	86	411 32 1/2

Thursday's Games

Oakland 6, Texas 2
 New York 5, Boston 3
 Toronto 3, Cleveland 0
 Minnesota 10, Chicago 3
 Kansas City 2, California 1
 Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

New York (Leiter 4-4) at Boston (Gardner 7-4), 7:35 p.m.
 Baltimore (Ballard 8-11) at Detroit (Morris 12-13), 7:35 p.m.
 Cleveland (Candiotti 12-8) at Toronto (Flanagan 11-13), 7:35 p.m.
 Chicago (Hillegas 1-1) at Minnesota (Byejeven 9-15), 8:05 p.m.
 Texas (Kilgus 11-13) at California (Fraser 11-10), 10:05 p.m.
 Milwaukee (Higuera 13-9) at Seattle (Hanson 1-1), 10:05 p.m.
 Kansas City (Gubicza 17-7) at Oakland (Welch 15-7), 10:35 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Chicago at Minnesota, 11 a.m.
 New York at Boston, 1:05 p.m.
 Cleveland at Toronto, 1:35 p.m.
 Kansas City at Oakland, 4:05 p.m.
 Baltimore at Detroit, 7:35 p.m.
 Texas at California, 10:05 p.m.
 Milwaukee at Seattle, 10:05 p.m.

Sunday's Games

New York at Boston, 1:05 p.m.

Transactions

BASEBALL

American League
CLEVELAND INDIANS—Renewed their working agreement with the Colorado Springs Sky Sox of the Pacific Coast League for the 1989 season.
TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Announced that they will exercise the option in their player-development contract with Syracuse of the International League for next season.

National League
PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES—Named Lee Thomas vice president and general manager.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
NEW JERSEY NETS—Signed Lorenzo Romar, guard, to a multiyear contract.

FOOTBALL
National Football League

LPGA Tour

KENT, Wash. (AP) — Scores with relation to par Thursday in the first round of the \$225,000 LPGA Safeco Classic played on the par-72, 6,222-yard Meridian Valley Country Club.

Cathy Johnston	36-33-69-3
Susie Fedman	34-35-69-3
Kathryn Young	35-34-69-3
Debbie Massey	32-38-70-2
JoyAnne Carner	35-35-70-2
Lynn Adams	35-35-70-2
Kim Bauer	35-35-70-2
Jane Cramer	37-33-70-2
Judy Dickinson	34-36-70-2
Anne-Marie Pali	35-35-70-2
Jan Stephenson	36-35-71-1
Sandra Palmer	34-37-71-1
Patti Rizzo	36-35-71-1
Mary Beth Zimmerman	33-38-71-1
Beth Daniel	36-35-71-1
Becky Pearson	33-38-71-1
Sherrin Smyers	35-36-71-1
Deborah Skinner	37-34-71-1
Ok-Hee Ku	34-37-71-1
Alicia Finney	35-36-71-1
Patty Sheehan	37-35-72-2
Allye Ritzman	34-38-72-E
Meg Mallon	35-37-72-E
Kathy Postlewait	34-38-72-E
Gina Hull	34-38-72-E
Cindy Figg-Currier	37-35-72-E
Penny Hammel	34-38-72-E
Amy Alcott	33-39-72-E
Amy Benz	36-36-72-E
Heather Farr	34-38-72-E
Nancy Lopez	37-35-72-E

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF GLADYS AP PLETON, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary were issued on the Estate of GLADYS AP PLETON, DECEASED, No 11,025, now pending in the County Court of Howard County, Texas, on September 13, 1988, to ELDON HEX APPELTON, whose residence is 1915 Big Horn, Houston, Texas 77090.

All persons having claims against said estate now being administered are hereby required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated this 13 day of September, 1988.
 4919 September 16, 1988

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF RATE CHANGE REQUEST AND STATEMENT OF INTENT

Notice is hereby given that Cap Rock Electric Cooperative, Inc. (the "Utility") intends to change the rate charged to the General Service Class effective as soon as may be permitted by law. Based upon the twelve months ending April 30, 1988, the modification results in a decrease of 39,238 or 13% of revenues during that period. The changes are applicable to all areas and all General Service customers (approximately 8100) served by the Utility. No other class of customers is affected.

Implementation of the proposed change is subject to approval by the appropriate regulatory authority persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

4920 September 16, 23 & 30, 1988
 October 7, 1988

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- Lizard
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- Living in still waters
- Easy gait
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- Stylish
- Eastern ruler
- Machine parts
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Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:



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**JEANE DIXON'S
Your Horoscope**

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1988

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: You will profit from group dynamics. Be part of the team for a change and you will gain power you never thought possible. Your finances improve substantially. Help others find practical ways to accomplish whatever they need to do. Spiritual growth leads to a new inner harmony. You feel better about yourself and your personal relationships. Romance is more satisfying than in the recent past. Show tenderness.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actors Roddy McDowall and John Ritter, former Chief Justice Warren Burger, actress Anne Bancroft, relief ace John Franco, novelist Ken Kesey, outfielder Thad Bosley, country singer Hank Williams Sr.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Reading a good book or working in the garden will provide the happiest moments this weekend. You treasure your privacy. Protect it! Avoid an individual who always puts pressure on you.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You enjoy the outdoors if you are with someone very special. Make an effort to rekindle a romance or renew a family relationship that deteriorated long ago. Travel for fun.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You have plenty of social invitations to choose from now. A blind date will be more exciting than expected. Help children learn the importance of doing things for themselves. Shopping.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Spending time in a library or museum gives you new inspiration. A parent or child's advice may infuriate you. Think twice! It could be right on target. Plan a train trip.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Make sure that those who drive you are sober. Your life could depend on it. Loving people are all around you. Be as bold as you need to be to make a point.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Talk about the positive side of what you have done recently. Others will appreciate having the benefit of your advice. Keep things simple. Go for the obvious solution to a business problem.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Improve the technological aspects of a business, whether it is large or small. Making minor changes now will eliminate the need for a major investment later on. Keep pets out of harm's way.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): A child's progress is particularly pleasing today. Handle paperwork carefully. You should be able to a work slowdown quickly. A close relationship requires more attention than you have been giving it. Be affectionate.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Be less inhibited and you will improve your chances of landing a leadership spot. Search committee does not want a "stuffed shirt" executive. Travel as far and as much as necessary.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Keep track of expenditures, both big and small, and you will avoid getting into a financial hole. You are brimming over with great ideas. Protect your health by getting more rest.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Read between the lines, or better yet, get an expert to do it for you. Then sign the papers. Socializing with a customer pays off handsomely. Reserve time for regular exercise.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): You do not know as much as you think you do about a new partner. Quietly check further. Traveling to get a better job is worth every effort. You should be able to a work slowdown quickly. A close relationship requires more attention than you have been giving it. Be affectionate.

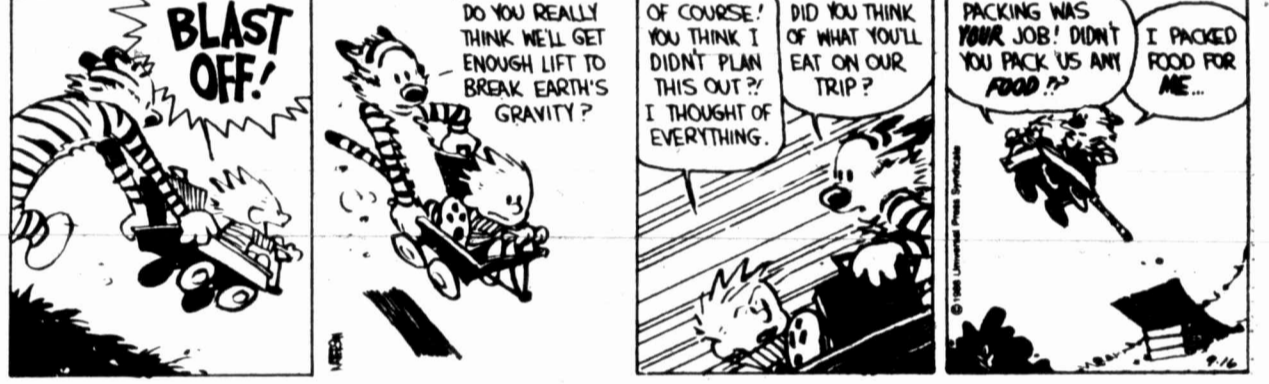
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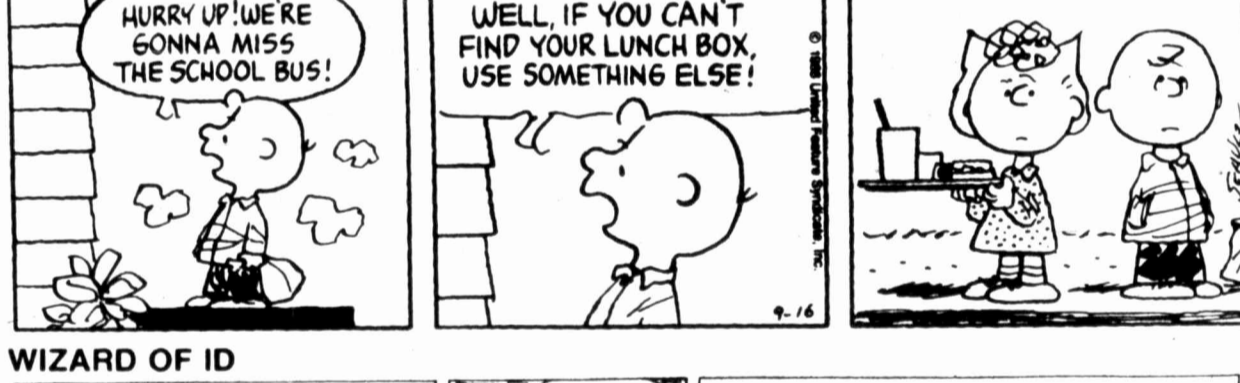
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