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Tuesday's high temperature	81
Tuesday's low temperature	50
Average high	72
Average low	45
Record high	90 in 1987
Record low	30 in 1917
Inches	
Rainfall Tuesday	0.00
Month to date	1.43
Normal for Month	1.87
Year to date	18.87
Normal for year	16.96

Talk of war against Iraq escalates

By LISA GENASCI
Associated Press Writer

President Bush said today he was running out of patience with Saddam Hussein's harsh treatment of American hostages, and in both the Middle East and Europe there was more talk of war against Iraq. At the same time, Iraqi Ambassador Mohammed al-Mashat said in Washington today that an attack on Iraq would earn the United States the animosity of Moslems worldwide. He suggested it was time for negotiation — if other Middle Eastern conflicts were also considered.

"Do you think I'm concerned about it? You're darn right I am. And what I'm going to do about it — let's just wait and see, because I have had it with that kind of treatment of Americans." — George Bush

President Hosni Mubarak of Egypt said the Persian Gulf crisis had become so dangerous it "could explode at any time." Mubarak urged "our brothers in Iraq" to realize the gravity of the situation their Aug. 2 invasion of oil-rich Kuwait has caused. The commander of British forces in the Persian Gulf said today his troops would be fully operational

within two weeks and warned that a military attack on Iraq was increasingly likely. For Bush, a key issue was the Americans trapped in Iraq and Kuwait. "The American flag is flying over the Kuwait Embassy and our people inside are being starved by a brutal dictator." Speaking to reporters in Virginia, where he was campaigning for a congressional candidate, Bush said: "Do you think I'm concerned about it? You're darn right I am. And what I'm going to do about it —

let's just wait and see, because I have had it with that kind of treatment of Americans." On Tuesday, Saddam said he was making final preparations for war, and Bush discussed possible military action with congressional leaders. A few diplomats have held out at the U.S. Embassy in Kuwait, defying an Iraqi order to close missions in the annexed nation. Iraq has responded by cutting utilities and surrounding the compound with troops. Only the British and American embassies remain open.

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Davidson wins football contest

This week's first place winner in the Herald's Football '90 contest is I.H. Davidson with 15 correct. He won a tie-breaker against second-place winner Bill Cregar by more closely guessing the final scores of the Atlanta vs. Cincinnati game. Third place goes to Sam Hartfield with 14 correct guesses. This week's advertising winner is McDonald's.

Absentee voting up from 1988

A total of 1,662 voters, about 11 percent of the county's registered voters, have voted absentee as of Tuesday, reported Howard County Clerk Margaret Ray. This compares to 1,511, about 9 percent of the registered voters, who voted at this time in the November 1988 presidential general election, the first year of no-excuse absentee voting. However, 251 mail-in ballots were sent out this year compared to 802 in 1988. The deadline for absentee voting is 5 p.m. Friday. The courthouse will be open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. every day until then. Ray said most absentee voting usually occurs the last three days. Mail-in ballots must be received through the mail by 7 p.m. on election day, Nov. 6. The deadline to have ballots sent out was Tuesday.

Kiwanis schedule bean supper

The Kiwanis Club will sponsor a "down home cornbread and bean supper" Friday beginning at 5 p.m. The meal will be served at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum East Room. Tickets will be available for \$2.50 each. Serving will continue until 7:30 p.m. The community is invited to attend the dinner.

Children to jump rope for Heart fund

Moss and Kentwood Elementary school children are sponsoring Jump Rope for Heart to raise money for the American Heart Association. The event will take place on Saturday, Nov. 10, at the Howard County Fair Barns in the Exhibit Barn. Coordinator Deehoma Minton said she's planning on partner rope jumping, older children jumping rope and possibly demonstration teams of high school students. The activities will leap off at 9 a.m. and last until 12 p.m. The children participating in the activities will collect donations before the event, and prizes will be awarded for the most donations. All proceeds go to the American Heart Association. Anyone interested in donating, or in entering the event, can contact Moss Elementary, 264-4148 from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. or Kentwood Elementary, 267-9874 from 12 to 4 p.m. Minton also said she's seeking someone to donate the \$50 rental fee for the Exhibit Barn.

Williams' answer creates stir

By STEPHEN L. ARTERS
Associated Press Writer

DALLAS — Republican gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams fielded many questions during two television interviews, but it was the one he couldn't answer that caused a stir. Williams stumbled Tuesday when asked about the proposed constitutional amendment on next week's ballot, that deals with Senate confirmation of appointments by a governor. The GOP candidate did not know what the amendment would do. Democrat Ann Richards quickly said Williams' confusion bolstered her argument that Williams isn't qualified to be governor. "This job is no place for on-the-job training," she said.

"Being the governor of Texas is not something that you just take as a crown to some other career," she said, adding that she voted for the measure. "Frankly, I am extremely surprised that someone who has set out to be governor of Texas would not even understand the constitutional amendment on the ballot," Richards said. Meanwhile, a new poll published in today's editions of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram showed a close race. Williams had a 45 percent to 41 percent lead with 14 percent undecided according to the Fort Worth Star-Telegram Gallup Texas Poll.

The survey showed that Richards has gained among those saying they are likely to vote. Each candidate had the support of 44 percent of that group, but Williams had a 10-point lead in a previous Star-Telegram Gallup Poll two weeks ago.

The telephone poll of 1,005 registered voters was conducted Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The margin of error is 3 percent.

Williams' stumble over the constitutional amendment came during an on-camera session with reporters at KERA-TV studios in Dallas. Williams said he was unfamiliar with the amendment, the only one on the ballot, and was unclear how he had voted on it.

Williams was interviewed for about 30 minutes by moderator Bob Ray Sanders and other Texas journalists. Panelist Wayne Slater of The Dallas Morning News asked Williams for his position on the amendment, Proposition 1. "Now Prop. 1 is which, excuse me?" Williams asked.

Slater noted it was the only one on the ballot and dealt with when gubernatorial appointees must be confirmed.

"Oh, on the education commissioner," Williams said. "No, changing the timing on gubernatorial appointments," Sanders interrupted.

"Are you aware of the problem?" Slater asked. "I'm not aware of the problem," Williams responded.

"It was a major problem in the Legislature last year," Slater said. He noted the amendment was drafted to clear up confusion over the status of gubernatorial appointments made between regular legislative sessions.

"Oh," Williams said, "between the changing of the guard? Well, I think it certainly needs to be remedied. I don't know... I really

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Herald photos by Tim Appel



Costume parade

Students at the Kindergarten Center were able to display their Halloween costumes before their peers and parents this morning during the annual Halloween parade. Khas Baker and Jonathan Jackson, top photo, watch and wave to their friends as they check over the different costumes. Below, costumed students and a tin woodsman-principal wave to the audience as they march past.

Write-ins provide additional choices

By BILL AYRES
City Editor

The Nov. 6 general election is less than a week away and some voters are beginning to express their dissatisfaction with the tone of several state-wide races. The dilemma facing the voter is: "Who can one vote for if not for a candidate on the ballot?"

This year Texas voters will have the opportunity to vote for approved write-in candidates. The list of candidates will be posted at each ballot box.

If the choices for U.S. Senator are not to one's liking, then the write-in choice is Ira Calkins, a cashier from Austin. Calkins, in addition to seeking the U.S. Senator's position, has filed as a write-in candidate for Governor, Lt. Governor, Attorney General, State Comptroller, State Treasurer, Land Commissioner, Agriculture Commissioner and Railroad Commissioner.

There are 19 write-in candidates for Governor, including Calkins. The list includes jewelry saleswoman Bubbles Cash, florist Carl "Crazy" Hickerson-Bull and writer Lloyd "Alamo" Scott.

Several efforts have been made to contact these candidates to determine their qualifications and platforms, but most have been elusive.

Bubbles Cash, in a brief phone interview, stated she's "hoping this year will make a difference." She added that the two major parties had better look at the number of

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Prison to receive funds for expansion

By DEBBIE LINCECUM
Staff Writer

The Big Spring Federal Correctional Institute has been notified that it will receive \$659,000 to build a 150-bed "camp" extension outside the new fence.

The camp will house Level I inmates in buildings "orbiting" the main prison area now secured and completely enclosed. The money was included in a 1991 budget plan for the Justice Department, State Department, and Commerce Department that lawmakers approved last week.

Executive Assistant Joe Aguirre said today that the camp would allow the prison to continue much of its community-service work. Level I inmates can work outside the facility in such areas as the Department of Veteran's Affairs hospital, the Howard County Humane Society and Howard College.

Aguirre said the money will fund renovation and enhancements of several existing buildings to house the camp.

The camp will be constructed partly in the old broom factory building, and dining and food service facilities will be added. Health services and recreation areas already exist outside the fences.

Warden Michael Fitzpatrick said the camp is in its "final design stages."

The money to construct the camp is part of \$374 million being given to the Federal Bureau of Prisons to expand and repair facilities, according to Herald Washington Bureau reports.

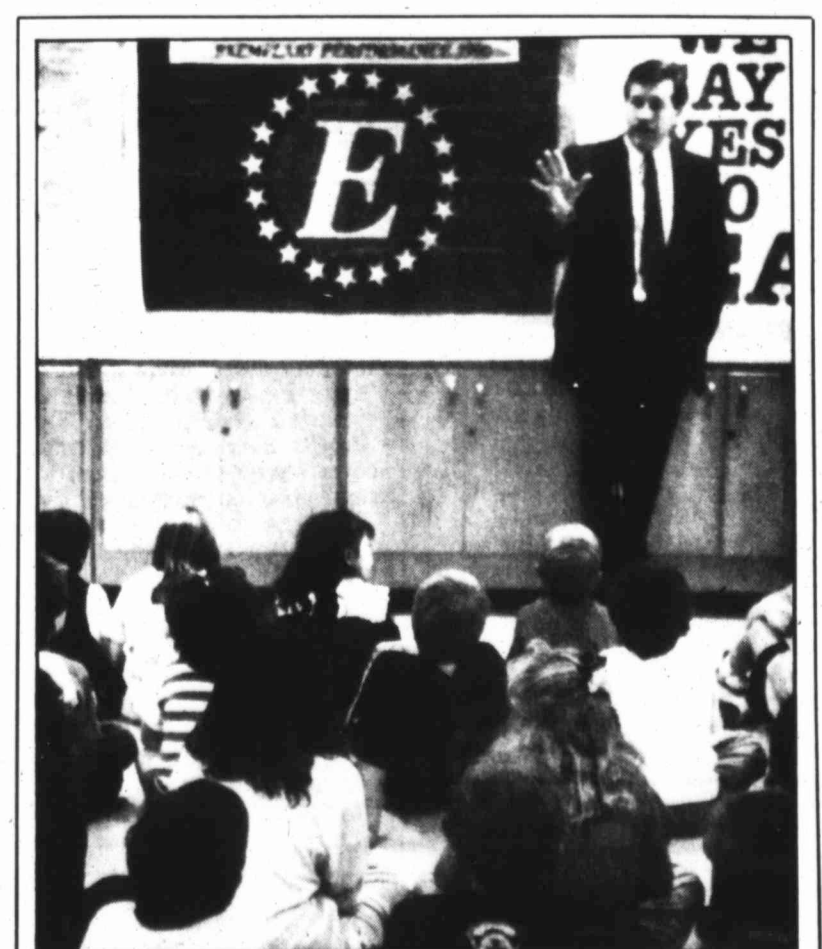
According to reports, the budget for expansion and repairs would add 6,176 new beds to the federal prison system, which currently holds 60,000 inmates and is severely overcrowded.

Also included in that budget is \$82 million for converting into prisons military bases that would otherwise be closed. The Big Spring prison follows that pattern, being located on what was formerly Webb Air Force Base.

Warden Michael Fitzpatrick had expressed the hope that the camp extension would be approved soon after the prison's mission change began to take effect. Under the new mission, many of the 680 inmates are classified at security Level II and must remain inside the fenced area.

The mission change began in 1988. As it is completed, the total inmate population is expected to rise to about 1,000.

Fitzpatrick has said that Big Spring's geographic location made it a good candidate for the security upgrade. He has also said that he does not expect the prison's security level to rise further.



Award-winning school

Herald photo by Tim Appel

State Representative Troy Fraser was at Kentwood Elementary School this morning to make a special presentation to the school. After a three-year evaluation, the school was named in the top 10-percent of the state in education, and received the 1990 Governor's Educational Excellence Committee award, of which the flag in the background is a reminder. Fraser also presented principal Andre Clark with a letter from Gov. Bill Clements and a Texas state flag that was flown over the Capitol.

Inside Texas

Three dead from well explosion

GRAND ISLE, La. (AP) — Coast Guard helicopters rejoined surface vessels at dawn today in a search for two men still missing after an explosion that killed three workers as they tried to cap a south Louisiana oil or gas well.

The Jefferson Parish sheriff's office will assist in today's search also for the missing workers, who are employed by a Houston company, said Petty Officer Scott Campbell. Deputies will be dragging the bay in case any of the bodies went down, he said.

"There have been no sightings yet," Campbell said. The bodies of three workers were recovered within a few hours after the explosion at 5 p.m. Tuesday aboard a rig in marshes surrounding Barataria Bay, the Coast Guard said.

A sixth man was at West Jefferson Medical Center in suburban New Orleans, where a nursing supervisor said he suffered multiple injuries and burns over 20 percent of his back. The supervisor said the Hispanic worker, who speaks no English, was in serious and unstable condition.

Museum receives unclaimed artifacts

AUSTIN (AP) — Historic artifacts abandoned in an Odessa bank vault have found a new home, at least for now, in the Texas Memorial Museum.

The items include newspaper articles reporting the deaths of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln, and a Massachusetts Bay lottery ticket dated June 1779 and believed to be engraved by Paul Revere, four days after his famous ride, the Austin American-Statesman reported Tuesday.

The bits of history were among possessions found in an abandoned safe-deposit box at Texas Commerce Bank in Odessa that the state treasurer's office turned over Monday to the museum on the University of Texas campus.

"It is unfortunate that their owners cannot be located, but on the other hand, it gives the public an opportunity to see such historically significant items that, in many cases, have been hidden for long periods of time," said Kathy Weir, treasury department spokeswoman.

William Reader, the museum's curator, said, "These items have lost all but their intrinsic value. We do not attach any commercial worth to them, but we do emphasize their scholarly and future educational value."

The artifacts were found in 1985 in a safe-deposit box owned by Mr. and Mrs. Jack L. Hansen, Ms. Weir said.

Officials take fetus sample

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — Police acquired the aborted fetus of a 13-year-old girl so DNA tests could be performed to determine whether her uncle got her pregnant during an alleged rape, a prosecutors' spokesman said.

The effort to test the genetic tissue of an aborted fetus apparently breaks new ground in the prosecution of rape cases, said Tom Krampitz, executive director of the Texas District and County Attorneys Association.

"As far as I know it's the first time that anybody has used that to corroborate the testimony of the victim," he said Tuesday.

Ryland Hayden, 33, of Corpus Christi is charged with aggravated sexual assault after his niece reported he raped her Aug. 9.

The girl told authorities she was in a bed at her grandmother's Corpus Christi house when she was awakened by someone smothering her, a criminal complaint said. She said Hayden forced her to have sexual intercourse after threatening to kill her if she cried out.

Polls, money dominate gubernatorial race

AUSTIN (AP) — The biggest issues in the Texas gubernatorial race during the campaign's final week are money and just who's ahead in the polls.

Democrat Ann Richards contends the race is a dead heat; Republican Clayton Williams disagrees.

"She's never broken 40 percent in any poll," insists Williams' press secretary, Gordon Hensley. "She's the 'Typhoid Mary' of Texas politics — nobody seems to want to vote for her."

But Ms. Richards, outspent by a margin of nearly 2-1 in the state's

most expensive governor's race, notes that the most recent independent poll shows the candidates tied, each favored by 38 percent of those questioned.

In August, the same poll had shown Williams with a 13-point advantage.

"This race is even. There's no gap at all," Ms. Richards said.

Jerry Polinard, a political scientist at the University of Texas-Pan American, said the major shift has come from supporters who are bolting from Williams, especially after he refused to shake hands with Ms. Richards at a joint ap-

pearance in Dallas. "He put his boot in his mouth again and he closed the gap," Polinard said.

Williams says he isn't worried about polls that "are bouncing back and forth every day," adding that his own surveys show him with a substantial lead.

All of the comments came in advance of a Fort Worth Star-Telegram poll, released late Tuesday night, that showed Williams with a 45-41 percent lead in a survey that has a 3 percent margin of error.

However, Williams once again

dipped into his personal bank account to give his campaign a \$1.4 million boost during the final weeks.

Campaign finance reports filed Monday showed that Williams had spent \$20.4 million, including about \$8 million in personal funds, since June 1989.

"That has to be some kind of world record for trying to buy a governor's race," said Ms. Richards' spokesman, Bill Cryer. "I would be ashamed if I were his campaign. It shows he doesn't have any support."

Ms. Richards has spent about

\$11.7 million.

Hensley, Williams' spokesman, said Ms. Richards "has an unprecedented landslide of liberal, special-interest cash dumped in from greedy trial lawyers, Hollywood liberals and others whose agendas are contrary to the interests of the working people of Texas."

"We're not going to let Richards have special-interest groups buy the election for her," he said.

Ms. Richards' campaign manager, Mary Beth Rogers, said most contributors have given \$50 or less.

Texan home after escape from Kuwait

GRAPEVINE (AP) — A North Texas man, reunited with his family, gave little information about the joint escape effort that brought him home from his hiding place in occupied Kuwait.

Manfred Hoffman, 57, said only that he escaped, and that a network of Arab friends and U.S. embassy officials helped him.

Speaking at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport Tuesday, Hoffman said the State Department told him it might use similar methods to free other Americans hiding in the country invaded by Iraq on Aug. 2.

Hoffman's wife, Barbara Hoffman, who was allowed to leave the Middle East without her husband Sept. 7, said she learned of the escape Monday when Hoffman called from Paris.

"We didn't believe it (the escape's success) until today when they called and said he was on a plane," she said at DFW airport. "We've just been thrilled all day."

While also refusing to reveal details about her husband's escape, Mrs. Hoffman told The Dallas Morning News the former executive for Sun Co. in Dallas was able to slip out of Kuwait undetected when the departure of French citizens caused enough confusion to distract occupying Iraqi troops.

Hoffman's daughter, Lauren Deardurff, said having him home gives new meaning to the word Thanksgiving.

"Now we can go back with our lives again," she said.

Seven or eight other foreigners who had been living with Hoffman in a safe house decided not to risk the journey, Mrs. Hoffman said before her husband's arrival.



GRAPEVINE — Freed hostage Manfred Hoffman is greeted by his wife, Barbara, and daughter, Lauren Deardurff, upon returning to Texas after his escape from Kuwait.

"I was living with four Americans, a Brit, one Lebanese guy and one Kuwaiti," Hoffman said at DFW airport. "The Kuwaitis and the Lebanese could go out, you know, looking for food."

Mrs. Hoffman said her husband was healthy when he arrived in

Kuwait in April to take a job as vice president of a Kuwaiti trading firm.

But he was suffering chest pains when she left him in their Kuwait city apartment Sept. 7. She said the pains were similar to those he suffered before a heart attack that led

to surgery.

Hoffman said Tuesday night that his health was good.

She said her joy over Hoffman's phone call from Paris was muted by then having to tell the families of others still trapped in the Middle East that only Hoffman was safe.

Dillard: LSS officials suspected sex abuse

AUSTIN (AP) — Officials at Lubbock State School suspected that a mentally retarded resident was being sexually abused six months before she became pregnant, but did not report their suspicions, a former state physician says.

Dr. Dorothy Dillard, who resigned from the institution in March, told U.S. District Judge Barefoot Sanders that instead of reporting their suspicions, the institution secretly conducted a series of gynecological exams in an unsuccessful attempt to prove she was abused during weekly visits to her relatives' home.

Dr. Dillard told the judge about the state's efforts to conceal from

authorities the growing suspicions that someone was molesting the retarded woman a year ago.

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The woman cannot walk and must use a wheelchair. She has only the use of her right arm and can say only a few words.

The older sister and legal guardian of the woman, said she is outraged that Lubbock State School failed to tell police or her about the suspected abuse.

"They were letting her be molested for God knows how long," the sister said.

Lubbock police have been investigating the sexual assault since the institution reported it in June. But police say they probably won't know who abused the woman until her baby is born.

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Contract is accepted by Chrysler

HIGHLAND PARK, Mich. (AP) — Chrysler Corp. has a new tentative contract patterned on agreements at the other Big Three automakers but says it won some unique provisions.

The company and the United Auto Workers reached agreement Tuesday afternoon after 27 straight hours of bargaining. The 63,000 union members in eight states who are covered by the agreement worked without a contract for a half-day.

The automaker, which on Monday reported a third-quarter loss of \$214 million, had earlier indicated it might not be able to afford the agreement signed within the past six weeks by General Motors Corp. and Ford Motor Co.

On Tuesday, UAW President Owen Bieber bragged that the union had reached its goal of bargaining a pattern agreement with each of the Big Three.

"It's a total pattern settlement," he said.

However, Anthony St. John, a Chrysler vice president and the company's chief negotiator, said the agreement "contains elements of the pattern but also some provisions which address needs specific to Chrysler."

Bieber and St. John wouldn't discuss most details of the contract before union leaders meet Monday in Detroit to decide whether to send the proposal to the rank-and-file for ratification.

Reconnaissance satellite is at work

WASHINGTON (AP) — An American reconnaissance satellite written off by the Soviets and others as an expensive failure apparently is alive and spying after all.

First, three men in Europe separately spotted it orbiting 503 miles high. Then a computer programmer in Canada followed a trail of mathematical clues to the conclusion that the object is the satellite launched from the shuttle Atlantis on March 1.

It apparently has been there all along, said Ted Molczan of Toronto, who took the observations of three other satellite observers and tracked its course backward to the hush-hush launch.

The Atlantis mission was secret and all the Pentagon said about it was that it achieved its goal. Whether that referred to a safe

shuttle flight or a new operational spy satellite was left to conjecture.

The Soviet news agency Novosti reported March 7 that four orbiting fragments, "presumably separated from the American spy satellite," were spotted in orbit. The agency said it assumed "the spy satellite has been blown up by its owners for some unknown reasons."

Defense Department spokesman Pete Williams replied only that two parts "associated with" the payload had entered Earth's atmosphere and burned up and "the remainder are expected to decay within two to seven weeks."

The reappearance of the satellite was first reported by *Florida Today*, a daily newspaper published in Melbourne, Fla.

Volunteers patrol on Devil's night

DETROIT (AP) — Firefighters smothered blazes scattered throughout the city overnight as thousands of volunteers walked the streets to deter arsonists on Devil's Night, Detroit's annual Halloween eve fire spree.

Fire officials refused to say how many blazes they fought, but some volunteers said they believed there were fewer than last year. Police said arrests for violating a 6 p.m.-to-6 a.m. curfew were down by more than a third.

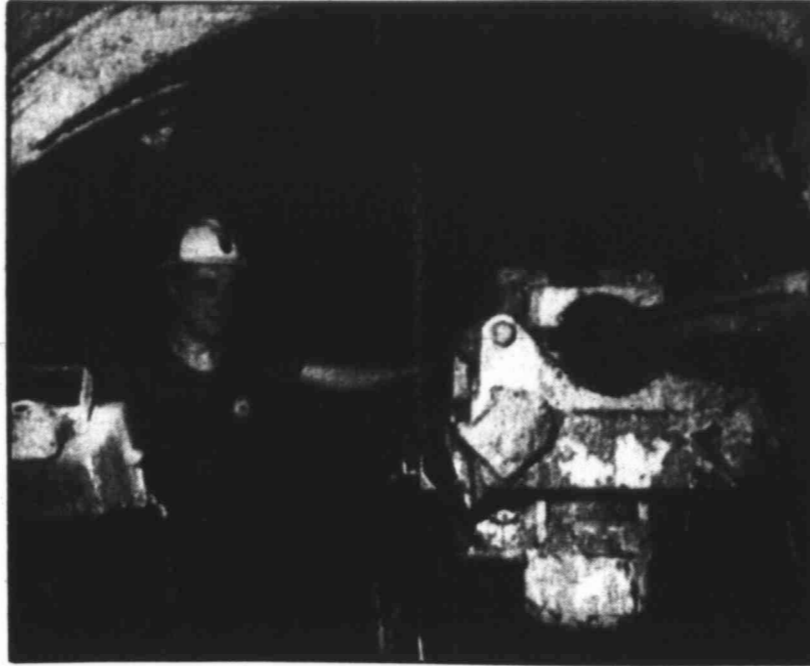
One volunteer patrolling the streets, Ray Wright, said he saw only one small fire in his neighborhood.

"It's definitely down from last year," he said.

A smoky haze lingered in many areas and it appeared likely there were more fires than the 60 reported on an average night in Detroit.



LOSING THE BATTLE



CHANNEL TUNNEL — A worker stands beside the probe drill in the Channel Tunnel that was used to drill a tiny two inch hole to connect the English and French sides. Trains are scheduled to run through the 30 mile tunnel in 1993.

'Chunnel' connects England to Continent

CALAIS, France (AP) — Workmen tunneling under the English Channel have created the first land link between Britain and the Continent, connecting 31 miles of tunnel in a prodigious feat of engineering and finance.

TransManche Link, the construction consortium building the "Chunnel" said the historic linkup occurred at 8:25 p.m. Tuesday when British workers sent a probe 2 inches in diameter through to their French colleagues.

Linking England and France, the tunnel symbolizes the growing unification of Europe. It also fulfills a dream of Napoleon, who wanted to send his armies through the tunnel to conquer Britain.

Eurotunnel PLC, the Anglo-French consortium overseeing the world's largest engineering project, plans for high-speed trains to pass through the Channel Tunnel in June 1993.

Eventually a train trip from Paris to London should take three hours.

Despite her countrymen's fears of losing their ancient moat against Europe, British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher described the breakthrough as "a very exciting moment."

"It is an example of what Europe is about," she said in London. "This is Europe in practice."

In London, the conservative *Daily Express* newspaper noted today that Britons will be able to walk to France for the first time since the Ice Age.

"This is a hugely historic moment because it means, in effect, that Britain is no longer an island."

a construction union official in Calais said.

Champagne corks popped and workers danced jigs after French drillers phoned news of the probe's arrival to their British counterparts.

Initial tests indicated the two halves were 20 inches out of alignment. Technicians will be more certain Wednesday, but they called the rough line-up "exceptional."

The workers will now bore out a one-yard hole. Tunnelers are expected to walk through and greet each other with handshakes in a few weeks.

The tunneling machine on the French side will then guide itself by laser toward the British machine, ensuring perfect alignment.

Thatcher and French President Francois Mitterrand will meet mid-tunnel on Jan. 26.

The linkup came on the maintenance tunnel, the smallest of three tunnels being dug. The other two will handle rail traffic — freight and special piggy-back trains that will carry passengers and cars.

About 80 percent of all the drilling is now complete.

When its work is done, the drilling machine on the French side will be hauled out in pieces. The one on the British side will dig a side passage, and be buried in cement. Officials say it is too costly to extricate the machine.

France hopes the project will revitalize depressed northern regions. But many Britons fear an influx of continental ills ranging from terrorists to rabid animals.

World

Courier may have carried bomb

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Drug Enforcement Administration says it is investigating whether one of its undercover couriers may have unknowingly carried the bomb that blew up Pan Am Flight 103 over Scotland.

The December 1988 bombing, which killed 270 people aboard the plane and in the village of Lockerbie, has been attributed by law enforcement authorities to a pro-Iranian terrorist group.

Investigators said the terrorist group put plastic explosive in a tape recorder in baggage that was shipped from Frankfurt, Germany.

NBC News, which first reported the new DEA investigation Tuesday night, said it had learned that

Pan Am's flights from Frankfurt had been used in a Cyprus-based undercover operation to fly informants and suitcases of heroin from the Middle East to Detroit.

Nazir Khalid Jafaar, 20, of Detroit, was killed in the bombing. The network said part of the drug agency review was to determine whether he had been enlisted in the drug operation and whether he had been tricked into carrying the bomb.

The drug agency and German authorities had arranged for Pan American World Airways' baggage operation in Frankfurt to be used to put suitcases of heroin on planes, apparently without the usual security checks, NBC News said.

French Boy Scouts freeze to death

ALBERTVILLE, France (AP) — Two Boy Scouts whose hiking team was surprised by a severe Alpine storm died in a hospital today from the effects of exposure.

The youths were airlifted to a Grenoble hospital Tuesday after their leader, a 22-year-old former scout, managed to climb down the mountain in bare feet to summon help, police said.

Doctors said the two youths were barely alive when they arrived at Grenoble's Sablons hospital, with body temperatures below 68 degrees. Doctors tried unsuccessfully to restore their heart beats.

The group of seven scouts, all aged 16 to 20, and their leader had come from a Paris suburb to spend the All Saints Day vacation week hiking in the Alps.

On Monday evening, the group

camped on a mountainside above the town of Parlognan-lavoisier, at an altitude of 8,200 feet. They had hoped to reach a shelter, but were forced to stop several hundred yards short of the refuge because of poor visibility.

A storm moved in during the night, ripping their tents and scattering their equipment, officials said.

On Tuesday morning, the storm descended to get help. Police said he made the descent in bare feet because his boots had been lost in the storm.

Members of the regional mountain police unit said the scout team was well-equipped, but apparently made the mistake of not obtaining current weather reports.

Factions in Beirut agree to a truce



PALACE GUARD

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Rival Shiite Moslem factions agreed today to end their bloody 3-year power struggle, which has claimed the lives of more than 1,100 people.

Also today, the government of President Elias Hrawi announced that the four principal Moslem and Christian militias who fought a 15-year-old civil war that left 150,000 dead have agreed to move out of Beirut.

Efforts to end factional fighting accelerated after Syria, with an estimated 40,000 troops in Lebanon, helped the government crush Christian Gen. Michel Aoun's 11-month-old mutiny.

The two Shiite militias — the pro-Iranian Hezbollah and Syrian-backed Amal — issued a joint communique today saying a "comprehensive cease-fire" in their confrontation began at midnight Tuesday.

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TOTAL LOCAL SOURCES	3,199,601
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TOTAL STATE SOURCES	270,082
FEDERAL SOURCES	
Federally Distributed	33,269
TOTAL FEDERAL SOURCES	33,269
TOTAL REVENUES	\$3,502,952
EXPENDITURES	
Instructional Services	1,384,635
Instructional Related Services	311,029
Pupil Services	509,899
Administration	195,861
Debt Service	729,794
Plant Services	417,813
Ancillary Services	8,702
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	3,557,733
Excess Expenditures	(54,781)
Other Resources	(50,870)
Excess (Deficit) Revenues/Other Resources	(105,651)
FUND BALANCES	
General Operating Fund	1,966,237
Debt Service Fund	67,125
TOTAL FUND BALANCES	\$2,033,362

Opinion

Herald opinion

Surprise attack is not an option

Nothing is likely to happen until after the election, but then the balloon may go up. Many think there will be war soon in the Persian Gulf.

Regardless, the Congress should be consulted before any offensive action is taken against Saddam Hussein. The Constitution gives the Congress sole power to declare war.

Sometimes, the president has to take immediate action in his capacity as commander-in-chief of the armed forces. This is not one of those times.

True, it would increase the danger to our troops to deprive them of the element of surprise in their attack. That is unfortunate but, in these circumstances, inevitable.

Before we attack, it would be necessary to get the approval of our allies and it would be advisable to get authorization from the United Nations.

That means the element of surprise would be lost in any case, so a surprise attack would not remain as an option to be sacrificed to the constitutional requirement for a congressional declaration of war.

Say our allies approve, the U.N. Security Council approves, and the Congress issues an ultimatum, a conditional declaration of war, giving Iraq an opportunity to withdraw from Kuwait by a time certain. That would be a powerful incentive for withdrawal.

If Saddam Hussein still refused to withdraw, he would know he was going to be hit, but he still wouldn't know when or how.

Does this scenario sound too cumbersome to be credible? It does indeed. Yet, the alternative is a lightning strike that splits the American-Arab alliance, splinters the Security Council, leaves Uncle Sam as the ugly American and hangs the Congress out to dry. Not a happy option either.

The third option is to wait him out. By the time that works, Operation Desert Sword will become Operation Desert Rat. Our troops in the desert may turn to sand. But they are professional and can be patient, provided only that we Americans at home are patient too.

Remembering times full of fun and fright

By BILL AYRES
City Editor

Today is All Hallow Even, commonly referred to as Halloween. It is the eve of All Saints' Day.

The story goes that this is the one day of the year when the forces of evil are let loose on the world. Or something like that.

Countless books, movies and cartoons have been made to illustrate evil's attempt to take over the world before the sun rises to cleanse everything.

The best is probably the segment done by Walt Disney in "Fantasia". Set to "Night on Bald Mountain", the segment has one of the most terrifying representations of Satan drawn. In fact, had there been a rating system when the film was released, it might have been given a PG-13 rating.

There was talk at the time that the film was too tense for young viewers. Compared to what children watch today, who's kidding who?

These days when I read reports about hospitals having to X-ray candy, or of animals being harmed, I stop and wonder what has happened to Halloween.

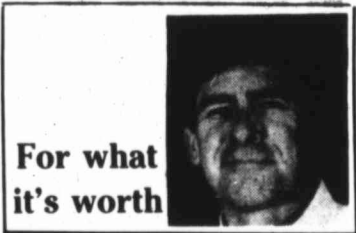
The film has since become a cult favorite, released every couple of years, although it didn't do well at the box office.

But, getting back to Halloween, this used to be one of the most popular holidays. Children looked forward to dressing up and heading out to "trick or treat".

Costumes were available, but they weren't as fancy as those available today. It was more fun to rummage through your parents' closet to see if you could find anything you could turn into a weird or scary costume.

It meant using your mother's, or sister's, makeup to create scars or wounds. The old wig your mother left up in the closet turned you into an Indian. That old suit of dad's quickly became the trappings of a hobo. The only limit was one's imagination and what your parents would let you use.

I remember one Halloween, one of my little brothers decided to put a stocking on his face. So he went into our sister's room and took a couple. The problem developed when some of his friends came over and decided he looked pretty cool. Before too long, the drawer was empty. It took our sister many months to get over that Halloween, but my brother and his friends looked



For what it's worth

pretty good that night. Growing up in a big city, we never pulled the pranks one hears about. You know, the pushing over of an outhouse and that kind of stuff.

We were more into creating effects to scare little tricksters. For instance, one year some buddies and I dressed in dark clothing, blacked our faces and slinked through the bushes, pouncing on unsuspecting children.

We would wait until a group would come by and begin to make growling or moaning noises and rattle the branches. When we got their attention, we would jump out.

As the little kids scattered screaming, we would roll around the ground laughing. Sometimes it backfired, especially when they had a big brother nearby. Then it was us who scattered screaming.

One of the neighbors really got into Halloween. Every year he would decorate a portion of his home. One year it might be a tomb or a grave yard, the next it might be the laboratory of a mad scientist. You never knew, but you looked forward to it every year.

He had a long table one year with really gross things on it. He had taken a skull and put raw liver in it to look like brains. Then he would blindfold you and make you put your hands in bowls of things. They were squishy and slimy, really weird. While you had your hand in the bowl, he would ask something like "how do you like the fresh eyeballs?"

He played with your mind. He never did anything to harm a child, just made Halloween something to remember.

These days when I read reports about hospitals having to X-ray candy, or of animals being harmed, I stop and wonder what has happened to Halloween.

Could it be we have gotten to the point that everything has to be graphic? Look at the horror movies, there's more blood and guts in a 90 minute movie than most horror operas in a year.

The movies made by Boris Karloff and Vincent Price never had to rely on graphic violence. They used the fears in one's own mind to scare him. How sad Halloween is today.

And that's for what it's worth!

"I may not agree with what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." — Voltaire



Some rich should be fleeced

By LEWIS GRIZZARD

There's a big cry out there to tax the rich. In Congress they scream, "Tax the rich!" They don't mean it, of course, since they're all rich, but it sounds good and might get them re-elected so they can come back to Washington and get even richer.

They say President Bush doesn't want to tax the rich. That's because he doesn't know anybody who isn't rich, and that wouldn't be a very nice way to treat your friends.

On the other hand, he could change his mind.

As for me, I certainly think the rich should do their part. But I don't think you can just say, "Tax the rich!"

Not every person who is rich got that way by the same route. The rich should be taxed at rates they deserve and I have devised my own plan.

I don't think people who got rich because they were smart and thought of a great idea and then busted their tails to make the idea work should be harshly penalized for making a few million honest bucks.

I don't think people who rose from meager beginnings and worked 18 hours a day, seven days a week for years until they finally made it should suffer unduly, either.

But there are groups of rich people I think we should stick it to. Send the IRS in with guns and just take what we think we need to help get us out of this financial mess we're in.

You asked for it, and here it is — The Rich People I'd Tax Out of Their Assets:

The Lucky Sperm Club Rich: These are people who just happened to be born in the right place at the right time, the ones who caught the old Fallopian Tube of Fortune.

Daddy did all the work and now these little snits have the money. If they won't pay, the IRS should cut off the head of one of their polo ponies and put it in the bed with them. It's worked before.

The Rock Star Rich: They make awful music and still get rich. Then they buy 14 new cars and mansions with 612 rooms and then decorate each room with tacky furniture.

I'd nail these people, too. Ten percent of their annual earnings for every sofa in their mansions that looks like it once was an animal that lived in or near a jungle.

The Slime Ball Rich: This would include dope and smut dealers, almost everybody currently involved in the film industry (Jessica Tandy being one of the exceptions), anybody who made a lot of money on the polyester hoax that was pulled on the country in the '70s, and the Rev. Al Sharpton.

The Jock Rich: Mike Tyson, all boxing promoters, Jose Canseco, Deion Sanders, and anybody who holds out for 117 days and then signs for \$20.5 million and later gives the credit to the Lord for helping him win the game. And George Steinbrenner.

The Advertising Rich: Find whoever first thought of the phrase "new and improved" and take all his or her money. Also, put a big tax on car dealers who do their own TV commercials, and anybody who has ever done a commercial trying to push insurance off on old people — like Ed McMahon. He's got to be loaded in more ways than one.

The Elected Rich: Find all the people who got rich after being elected to public office. First, tax them. Then, hang them.

Everybody who likes my plan can help by voting against an incumbent every chance they get.

Congress finally went home

By JAMES J. KILPATRICK

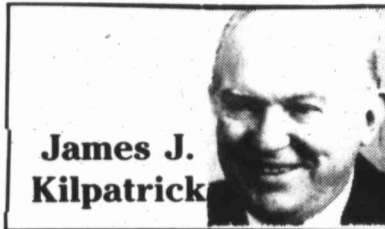
WASHINGTON — It is 1:17 o'clock on the morning of Sunday the 28th of October, and the U.S. Senate, the greatest deliberative body in the world, has at last adjourned. The House quit 15 minutes earlier. On behalf of millions of fed-up citizens, let me say to the Congress, good riddance! Get out! Go home!

This has been the most disgraceful session of Congress in my memory, and my memory goes back a long way. It will be weeks before the country discovers exactly what has been perpetrated on the people in these past few days.

In the mad rush to adjournment, members were voting on bills they knew little or nothing about. They were voting on amendments that had not been printed. Through the device of "unanimous consent," they hustled surreptitious deals to enactment faster than clerks could record them.

At this juncture, any effort to analyze the deficit reduction act is an exercise in futility. During the wheeling and dealing, members wrote one little favor after another into the bill. Eventually a few experts on the Tax Code will fit the pieces together, but this will take time.

The act purports to reduce the 1991 deficit by \$40 billion. It supposedly will lower the deficit over the next five years by something approaching \$500 billion. Yes, sir. And the moon is made of blue cheese. No Congress can bind a future Congress. Early in 1991 you may confidently expect a supplementary appropriations bill to relieve the pain of these phony deficit "reductions." There won't be any significant reductions — not as the word generally is understood. Congress doesn't



James J. Kilpatrick

know how to spend less in 1991 than it has spent in 1990. Families know how. Businesses know how. The collective clowns of Capitol Hill never have learned such discipline.

One small item in the trillion-dollar budget will tell you how the congressional process works. In the small town of Strasburg, N.D., Sharon Eiseman several years ago had a great idea. She would raise money to restore the boyhood home of band leader Lawrence Welk and would build a museum to the pioneers at the site.

The fund raising went slowly. Then someone suggested that maybe federal funds could be tapped. Ms. Eiseman wrote North Dakota's Sen. Quentin Burdick. Burdick turned the matter over to his press secretary, Jean D. Brodshaug. She got in touch with Rocky L. Kuhn, clerk of the agriculture subcommittee of the Senate Appropriations Committee. The subcommittee is chaired by — who else? — Sen. Burdick. Wheels turned.

Under the heading of a rural development grant, Kuhn proceeded to write the sum of \$500,000 into the agriculture appropriations bill. No hearings on the Welk boyhood home ever were held. No witness testified in the project's behalf. The printed record contains not one word of documentation, explaining how the \$500,000 would be spent. Kuhn simply pulled a half-million

dollars out of thin air. Sen. Burdick is such a benevolent man.

That did it. At a time when the government is running more than \$200 billion a year in the red — at a time when every tax dollar should be squeezed — a committee clerk takes his pen and writes a needless \$500,000 into an appropriations act. A one, a two, a three, and our money waltzes away.

Burdick's imperial attitude pervades the legislative process. The senator is 82; he has served without significant distinction since he replaced Bill Langer 30 years ago. He ranks third in seniority in the Senate; he is chairman of the committee on the environment. He looks like Jiggs of Jiggs & Maggie, but there is nothing comic about the power he wields. The \$500,000 for Welk's boyhood home was just one item in \$17.6 million that Burdick wrote into the bill for North Dakota.

What does this Congress have to show for itself? Mighty little. It passed a clean-air bill and a bill to aid handicapped Americans. These are good bills, but they will impose heavy costs on an already weak economy. There is something to be said for the immigration bill that passed on Saturday. Otherwise the list of constructive accomplishments is pathetic.

The House has raised the salary of its members to \$120,800 in January, with a further raise to \$124,000 in October. Senators will get \$101,000 in 1991 plus another \$23,600 in potential lecture fees. On that cheery note, as the weary members ride into a lucrative sunset, let us bid them farewell. Until noon on Jan. 3, when they return, the liberties of the people are secure.

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Quotes

"If there is a provocation, it's got to be a real one. ... It has to be something that can stand the test of time and of the people." — Rep. Dante Fascell, D-Fla., urging President Bush not to rush into a military confrontation with Iraq.

"I can't understand why someone would come out at night for the sole purpose of burning down a

house. It's just sick. They have to be sick." — Mark Ploch, who visited Detroit during Devil's Night, a pre-Halloween arson spree.

"It is an example of what Europe is about. This is Europe in practice." — British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher on the construction of the English Channel tunnel linking Britain and France.

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Cabbage patch

BEIJING, China — A toddler helps his mother carry cabbages on his tricycle in Beijing Thursday. This year's supply of cabbages, a winter staple, will be slashed by half because a greater variety of vegetables are now available.

Well-wishers clog mail line to troops

DHAHRAN, Saudi Arabia (AP) — Along with the bullets, guns and food the military needs to wage war, there's a precious commodity that links the troops in Saudi Arabia to home — the mail, 70 tons a day of it.

But the system's becoming clogged with boxes of cookies, books, newspapers and letters to "any soldier" from stateside well-wishers, courtesy of "Dear Abby" campaigns and drives by churches and schools.

With Christmas around the corner, it's going to get worse.

"I think we're getting so much of it that it bogs down the mail from loved ones," said Sgt. J.W. Allen, postmaster for the 1st Tactical Fighter Wing.

"We're getting to the point of maximum utilization. We're constantly filling up," said Air Force Capt. Philip Jewitt at the military's main sorting center. "To be honest, I don't know anybody who'd rather get a newspaper in exchange for a loved one's letter."

But, with Christmas in mind, reinforcements are on the way. Maj. Gen. William Pagonis, who heads the Army Support Command for Operation Desert Shield, said he plans to activate two more reserve postal units to help the four units, not counting volunteers, now carrying the mail. That will boost the total of people working in the mail system to 450.

"We're handling 70 tons a day. That's killing us. The United States is going super-patriotic," said Pagonis.

"It wouldn't be fair to say the system doesn't have some problems. We're improving conditions every day," he said. "When was the U.S. Army ever set up across miles of desert?"

Pagonis is aiming for a delivery time of less than 10 days for letters or packages for troops in the desert. Soldiers are sending four tons of mail back home every day, officers said.

Some troops are getting so many old newspapers, books and cookies from well-meaning strangers that they send them back from the desert to the mail room, said Staff Sgt. Russ Lewis of Newark, Calif.

"We'll try to throw them on the trucks, but a lot of people don't want them," he said.

However taxed the system is, Pagonis says the letter-writing campaigns are not interfering with keeping the fighting men supplied with essential needs.

"I never allow mail to interrupt supply. I'm not going to let that happen. Supplies get priority," he said.

"I know the mail's just as important to the troops. . . . When I see the mail interrupting something, I put more guys on supply."

With freedom comes rising crime rate

BUDAPEST, Hungary (AP) — The liberation of Eastern Europe has stripped police of their greatest weapon — fear — and crime is booming.

People seldom tested police authority in the old days. They knew every officer was empowered by the Communist authorities to intimidate, beat or arrest anyone.

Crime existed, but the streets were generally safe for all except dissidents.

When Communist parties fell from power, the prestige and authority of police fell with them. Without the advantage of fear, the forces of law and order seem unequal to high-tech criminals emboldened by the new climate of freedom and the high profits of dishonesty.

"When I started walking a beat a couple of years ago, all I had to do was look hard at any suspicious character," said Joska, an officer in his late 20s.

"When I'm off duty and walking around here now, I have to be extra sharp to make sure nobody picks my pocket." Joska, whose beat is fashionable Vaci Street, would not give his full name.

Hungarian police recorded a 38.8 percent increase in crime during the first six months of 1990 compared with the same period last year. In Budapest, 48,279 criminal cases were under investigation, up 79.5 percent from a year earlier.

Police in the predominantly rural Slovak republic of Czechoslovakia reported a

relatively modest 17 percent increase in crime, but the growth rate was 52 percent among the urbanized Czechs, with muggings up 250 percent in the first half of the year. In Prague, crime went up 138 percent.

One reason Bulgaria began rationing some goods was that black marketeers were hijacking 70 percent of the shipments bound

About 20 pickpockets routed Polish officers at Warsaw's huge main railroad station in August.

They sprayed some with a paralyzing gas and attacked others with planks ripped from benches. One patrolman was hospitalized and police managed to arrest only one person.

Among recent victims of Bulgaria's brazen pickpockets

weekly, devoted a cover page to the unequal contest. It depicted policemen on bicycles, armed with slingshots, pursuing gangsters firing submachine guns from a Mercedes.

Lt. Col. Janos Bodracka, head of the criminal investigations unit in Budapest, said police could not expect financial help while East European governments are trying to modernize their economies.

"If I gave you one of our radios, you couldn't talk to someone 10 meters away," he said. "If one cop tries to warn another that the suspect is about to leave, the damn thing is so loud it scares the suspect away."

"I have 20 cars for 100 detectives and most of them cannot do over 120 kilometers (70 miles) an hour. Western criminals can walk in here and get away with murder."

Low pay exacerbates the grievances of bad image and outdated equipment.

Junior police officers in Warsaw are paid the equivalent of about \$115 a month, the pay in Hungary is \$150 and the rates elsewhere are no better. With inflation rapidly outstripping wages, corruption is growing.

Bright young people avoid the profession in Warsaw, where the police force has 9,500 officers and needs 4,000 more, only about 150 of this summer's 2,000 applicants met the requirements.

Bodracka said the Budapest force of approximately 4,000 needs at least 500 more officers.

"People must realize that, in a democracy, the police force functions as a protective force and not an abuser of its powers. It must not be treated as an enemy." — Vladimir Nikl, a Prague criminologist

for stores, the newspaper Duma reported in September.

Poland reported a 69 percent increase in crime during the first half of 1990 and a 12 percent higher murder rate — to 236 killings in a nation of 37 million.

In Romania, with a population of 23 million people, 886 murders had been committed by the end of August, nearly double the number in the first eight months of 1989.

Both street and white-collar crime have increased in the Soviet Union, where democratic change has been slowest.

Embezzlement cases are twice as numerous as last year, said Vyacheslav I. Runyshkov of the Interior Ministry, and investigators found corruption in half the 160,000 state firms checked between January and August.

Sometimes, lack of respect leads to the humiliation of police.

was a Greek police general relieved of his wallet in a Sofia department store.

In Prague, citizens conditioned by the image of police as the enemy ganged up on several pursuing officers when a pickpocket yelled: "The police are after me." The suspect escaped.

"People must realize that, in a democracy, the police force functions as a protective force and not an abuser of its powers," Vladimir Nikl, a Prague criminologist, told reporters. "It must not be treated as an enemy."

Technology is another problem. Criminals often have better equipment than the police.

Old Soviet-made Lada squad cars and walkie-talkies from the early 1960s are no match for Mercedes, BMWs and the latest electronics.

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Pumpkin carving is easy, creative

By TERESA S. JOHNSON
Waco Tribune-Herald

WACO, Texas (AP) — A jack-o'-lantern can be scary element in your decorations for Halloween, so don't be afraid to get out your knife and start carving.

"Pumpkins are an easy medium," said Ken Garrett, an art instructor at the Waco Ninth Grade Center. "They are very forgiving about mistakes."

He said many people are afraid to carve jack-o'-lanterns because they think they can't draw or carve properly. But Garrett said the wonderful thing about carving pumpkins is you use your own design, so who is to say it's wrong.

"After all you are usually carving a demon that is ugly to begin with," said Garrett, who has been carving jack-o'-lanterns for The Art Center Pumpkin Event for three years.

This year, he's doing a Teen-age Mutant Ninja Pumpkin.

"When we carve the mask, we won't carve all the way through the skin," said Garrett, who is bringing his class into the project and using pumpkins supplied by the school cafeteria. "That will give it a translucent effect. Then we'll cut out the eyes."

Garrett likes conceptual designs. He's got an idea for a punk-in — a punk rock jack-o'-lantern with a mohawk wig, ragged eyes and a safety pin in its ear.

He said the pumpkin he carved for last year's Pumpkin Event had a face like an abstract painting because his students had been studying the abstract artist Picasso.

Even this year's Teen-age Mutant Ninja Pumpkin has a link to art. Like all the Ninja Turtles, this one is named after a famous artist — Michelangelo.

For those who still aren't convinced they can carve a pumpkin,

Garrett suggests painting and decorating one instead.

"There are many people who decorate pumpkins without carving them," he said. For instance they might draw on a face, then add wig, arms or have the pumpkin as the head for a stuffed body. Then there are people who do both.

In the years he has carved pumpkins, Garrett has found several helpful tips.

First choose your pumpkin carefully. The best jack-o'-lantern pumpkins weigh 15 to 20 pounds, have bright orange, blemish-free rinds and well-defined ribbing.

If you have a design in mind, choose a pumpkin with a shape to match it. For instance, some designs look best on round pumpkins while others are more suited to oblong pumpkins.

When you are ready to go to work on your jack-o'-lantern, Garrett suggests cutting into the bottom of the pumpkin instead of the top when making the initial hole to scrape out the insides.

"You can scoop out the pumpkin easier from the bottom and you don't have the mess at the top," Garrett said.

It's also easier to install a candle or even an electric light from the bottom than it is from the top.

He recommends using a long sharp knife and making a hole about five inches in diameter.

Use a large soup spoon to scoop out the seeds and pulp. A cleanliness note: Spread lots of newspaper around before making the cut. There are many seeds and lots of juice and rind in a pumpkin that you won't want all over the floor.

Once the pumpkin is ready for carving, Garrett suggests drawing your design on the pumpkin with a felt tip pen to use as a guideline.



WACO, Texas — Ken Garrett, a Waco High School art teacher, puts his artistic talents to the test by carving a spooky jack-o'-lantern. He says, "Pumpkins are an easy medium to work with."

Keep the design simple and practice on paper before moving to the pumpkin.

For those who don't feel comfortable drawing freehand, they can find a picture and transfer the design by wrapping it around the pumpkin and making pricks through the paper, Garrett said. When the paper is removed, follow the pricks with the felt tip pen.

Garrett said an X-acto knife or a small paring knife work well for carving out the design.

Besides the layering technique Garrett mentioned for the ninja mask, there are other tricks that produce nifty effects in jack-o'-lanterns. One is reinserting. "For instance you can cut out holes for the eyes, then put them back in," Garrett said. "This

leaves a hole around the eyes that allows light to come through."

Another trick is attaching other items to the carved pumpkin. For instance, a carrot can be inserted into a hole cut for a nose to become a menacing witch's snout. Toothpicks can be used to attach small gourds for ears.

And don't forget hair. Corn husks make good hair when taped or glued to an old hat and placed on top of the pumpkin for a scarecrow effect. Or tape toothpicks onto long spiral pasta and stick them into the top of a pumpkin. It makes a great fright wig.

Lastly, jack-o'-lanterns last longer when sprayed with a disinfectant. This cuts down the bacteria that causes pumpkins to rot.

New controls planned

WASHINGTON (AP) — A federal law going into effect next month clamps new controls on companies that sometimes charge telephone users at airports, hotels and other public places two or three times what they normally pay for long-distance calls.

As of Nov. 17, the so-called alternative operator service companies will be required to clearly identify themselves during calls, provide rates and billing procedures on demand, stop charging for unanswered calls and

allow some access to the interstate long-distance company that callers wish to use.

The Federal Communications Commission, which already had instituted many of these rules but had found widespread lack of compliance, also will be required to begin monitoring the rates these companies charge. If the commission finds the rates unjust, it could order them rolled back.

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Family reunited after four decades

NEW YORK (AP) — A frail, gray-haired woman who spent most of the last four decades in an Albanian prison camp kissed and hugged some middle-aged strangers who met her at John F. Kennedy International Airport.

They were her children. "Which one are you?" 78-year-old Haxhire Bushka asked each of her children, the youngest of whom are in their early 40s, after she stepped off the plane this month.

"You're not my son," Mrs. Bushka joked with Eddie Bushka, 60, of Waterbury, Conn., her oldest. "You're too old."

"I'm Joan, Mommy — Joan. Joan," said Joan Ali, 46, of Waterbury, Conn., as she hugged her mother for the first time since she was a small girl.

Mrs. Bushka was imprisoned in 1950 a few days after her husband fled Albania for Greece, taking Eddie with him. Halil Bushka feared he would be killed if he stayed in Albania after the Communist regime confiscated their farm.

Eddie Bushka returned to Albania in 1951 and led six of his brothers and sisters seven miles across the border to freedom in Greece.

Halil Bushka refused to let Eddie

go back for his mother, fearing for her life as well as Eddie's.

Bushka took his children to the United States in 1952 and settled in Connecticut, where the children still live and the brothers run a construction company. Bushka Lumber. Halil Bushka died in 1971.

Mrs. Bushka was imprisoned on and off for nearly 40 years with her youngest child, Skender, who was 6 months old when she was first arrested. He accompanied her to the United States.

The children have tried for years to get their mother and brother out of Albania, keeping in touch through a trickle of letters Mrs. Bushka was permitted to receive. They said she kept her hopes alive with the help of a few tattered photographs.

Six months ago, as reforms began infiltrating the hardline Communist government, she was let out of prison.

"She had no belongings, nothing," said Eddie Bushka. He said she went to live with friends.

"This is all so overwhelming for her," said Mrs. Ali. "She is the very best present in the whole wide world."

"This is the most wonderful day of my life," said Eddie Bushka.



KEITH THOMLINSON

Bar tip is winning lottery ticket

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP) — There are big tippers — and then there are those who leave \$25,000, even though they might not know it.

Just ask Keith Thomlinson, a bartender at the Greenhouse Inn and Restaurant in Middletown. He found an instant lottery ticket among his tips last week. When he scratched off the numbers, he had won \$25,000.

"It sat there for almost two days until I scrubbed it off," Thomlinson, 42, said Monday. "I was just shocked."

The ticket came from Russell Clark of Newport, a regular at the Greenhouse who often leaves an instant lottery ticket with a dollar or two as a tip at area restaurants and bars. He said he often leaves candy or flowers, too.

"It's just something I do," he said.

Thomlinson gave \$1,800 to Clark and \$5,000 to his mother and father.

"She's going to pay bills," Thomlinson said. "Dad's retired. They don't have a real big pension."

Clark, 60, a lab technician in Newport, said he probably would use his \$1,800 to buy more lottery tickets for his friends in the restaurants.

He has an informal agreement with the waiters and bartenders that if they win more than \$600, he gets a cut. Clark said that in the 10 years he had been handing out tickets, a waitress once won \$500.

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Christmas Bazaar

Christian Women's Fellowship to host annual fund-raiser

By LYNN HAYES
Lifestyle Editor

The Christian Women's Fellowship of First Christian Church will host its 23rd annual Christmas Bazaar Saturday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A chicken spaghetti luncheon, which includes a drink, bread, salad and dessert, will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Rainbow Cafe located in the fellowship hall. Tickets are \$4.50 for adults, and \$2.50 for children under 12.

Several booths will be set up, including a food booth featuring burritos, baked goods, canned goods, frozen casseroles, frozen eggrolls and green beef enchiladas.

A crafts booth will offer needlework, woodwork and ceramic items for sale.

Handmade Christmas items will be sold, including ornaments, wall hangings and card holders. Other booths will feature antiques and collectibles; plants; and a White Elephant sale.

Proceeds will go to local missions and to missions of the Disciples of Christ Church, said Freda Hoover, chairman.

This week's Recipe Exchange features recipes for food items to be sold at the bazaar.

ORANGE CANDY SLICE CAKE

Faye Turner
2 sticks butter or margarine
2 cups sugar
4 eggs
1 1/2 cups buttermilk
1 teaspoon soda
1/4 teaspoon salt
4 cups flour
1 pound dates, chopped
1 pound orange jelly candy slices, halved
2 cups peans, chopped

Cream the butter and sugar. Add eggs one at a time, beat well. Add 1 cup buttermilk. Beat well. Add soda to other 1/2 cup buttermilk. Add to mixture. Combine dry ingredients, add candy, then the dates and nuts, blend. Bake in greased tube pan or similar pan at 275 degrees F for 2 1/2 hours. To ice: To one small can of frozen orange juice concentrate, thawed, add 1/2 cup brown sugar. Let stand while cake bakes. Pour on cake while hot. Let cake cool in pan before removing.

CRUMB CAKE

Dolores Le Vier
Watching your cholesterol? This cake doesn't call for eggs. This recipe was given to Dolores by her late mother-in-law. Cake will fall in the center. Bake at 375 degrees F in a 9x13-inch pan for 20-25 minutes.
2 cups brown sugar, firmly packed
1/2 cup butter or oleo
2 cups flour
1 cup buttermilk or sour milk
1 teaspoon soda mixed with milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
Mix top three items to cream stage, taking out 1/2 cup for topping on cake. Add next three items; mix well. Pour in pan, sprinkle the 1/2 cup mixture over top of cake. Delicious. Even better to add 1/2 cup peans, 2 teaspoons cinnamon to topping mix.

WHOLE WHEAT BREAD

Charlene Driver
3 envelopes dry yeast

An onion a day?

It's not surprising that as Americans have become better informed about nutrition, the per capita consumption of onions has increased dramatically — up 70 percent since 1982; from 9.8 pounds per capita per year to 14 pounds today.

Today medical science is learning through research what ancient people knew intuitively. That onions not only bring extra zest and flavor to our foods but also important nutrients that improve our health and help prevent disease.

For example, a medium-sized onion contributes 11.9 milligrams of vitamin C, or 20 percent of U.S. RDA recommendations. Onions also provide generous amounts of vitamin B6, vitamin B1 or thiamine, and folic acid.

Onions are a real source of important minerals, including calcium, phosphorus, magnesium and copper.

3/4 cup warm water and a pinch of sugar

In a large bowl, combine 3 cups lukewarm milk, 3/4 stick butter, 1/2 cup dark brown sugar, 1/4 cup unsulfured molasses and 3 tablespoons each of sesame seed and yellow cornmeal. Stir in 2 lightly beaten eggs. The yeast mixture and 3 cups whole wheat flour. Stir the mixture until it's smooth and let stand, covered in a draft-free place until it reaches top of bowl. Beat in 1 teaspoon salt, 4 cups whole wheat flour, 1 cup at a time. Turn dough out on a lightly floured board, knead in 2 more cups of flour and continue to knead dough,

CHICKEN SPAGHETTI

1 chicken
3-4 ribs celery
1 onion, chopped
1 teaspoon salt
2 1/4 cups water
Bring to a boil. Simmer 2 hours. Debone chicken. Chill stock and remove fat.

Add:
1 cup diced celery
1/4 cup chopped onion
1/4 cup chopped olives
1/4 cup chopped pimientos
1 can cream of mushroom soup
Mix all the above ingredients together and cook 10-15 minutes. Cook 12 ounces spaghetti in water

when cake comes from oven. Poke holes in cake when it comes from oven and pour glaze over it. When cake is cool, dust with powdered sugar. It is rich and moist and keeps forever.

APPLE CRISP

Freda Hoover
8 apples, sliced
1/2 cup water, (omit if using canned apples)
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 cup granulated sugar
1/2 cup brown sugar
3/4 cup flour
1/4 teaspoon salt
7 tablespoons margarine or butter

knife inserted halfway to center comes out clean. Let stand 5 minutes to set. Cut in squares and serve with sauce on top.

PIMIENTO MUSHROOM SAUCE

1 small can of cream of mushroom soup
1/4 can milk
1 cup sour cream
1/4 cup chopped pimiento
Mix all ingredients together and stir until hot. Do not boil. Makes 12 servings.

BURRITOS

Harriet Richardson
1 pound ground beef
2 cloves garlic

1 onion, chopped
Saute garlic and onion; add meat and cook. Add:
1 can Ro-Tel tomatoes and peppers
1 small can green chilies, chopped
1/4 to 1/2 can (1 ounce) comino powder

1 can (1 pound) refried beans
Cook down very slowly. Add 1 1/2 cups grated Cheddar; mix well and set aside to cool. Spread desired amount in center of tortilla and roll. Wrap individually in foil. For speedy heating after having been frozen, warm the tortillas a little so they are pliable in a heavy skillet or microwave oven. Makes about 12 burritos.



Members of the Christian Women's Fellowship of First Christian Church have been busy preparing for the 23rd annual Christmas Bazaar. Pictured from left are: Pat Grace, Freda Hoover, June Waters and Dolores Le Vier.

adding more flour if necessary until it's smooth and elastic. Transfer to buttered bowl and brush with melted butter. Let rise until double in bulk. Punch down and divide into 4 loaves. Brush loaves with one egg beaten in a little cream. Let rise and bake in a 350 degree F oven for 45 minutes.

GREEN BEEF ENCHILADA

Charlene Driver
1 can cream of chicken soup
1 small can evaporated milk
1/2 pound processed cheese (Velveeta)
1 small can green chilies, chopped
1 pound ground beef, lightly browned
1 small can pimientos
1 dozen corn tortillas
1/2 pound Longhorn cheese
1 cup chopped onions

Heat soup, milk and processed cheese in top of double boiler until cheese is melted. Add chopped chilies and pimientos. Combine grated Longhorn cheese, onions and meat. Warm tortillas and fill each with meat mixture. Roll tightly, place in long baking dish. Pour cheese sauce over top of tortillas. Cover with foil and bake 30 minutes at 350 degrees F.

according to package directions. Place spaghetti in large Pam-sprayed casserole and your chicken mixture over it. Be sure it's plenty moist. Add more liquid if needed. Grate 1 pound American cheese and sprinkle over chicken mixture. Bake at 350 degrees F until thoroughly heated and cheese is melted about 20 minutes. Makes 12 generous servings.

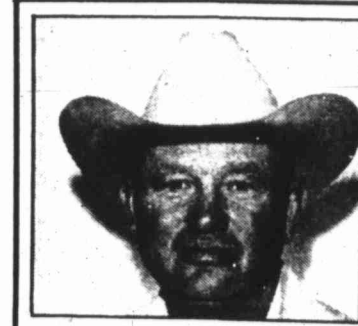
BLACK RUSSIAN BUNDT CAKE

Harriet Richardson
1 box yellow cake mix
1/2 cup sugar
1 package (6-ounce) chocolate pudding mix, instant
1 cup oil
4 eggs
1/4 cup vodka
1/4 cup Kahlua
3/4 cup water
Mix in a large bowl all ingredients. Mix at low speed about 1 minute. Beat at medium speed 4 minutes. Pour into greased and floured bundt pan. Bake in 350 degree F oven for 60 to 70 minutes. Let cool in pan 10 minutes. Invert onto pan or rack.
Glaz:
1/2 cup unsifted powdered sugar
1/4 cup Kahlua
Combine well and have ready

Place apples in greased casserole dish. Mix sugars, flour, cinnamon, salt and butter with fingertips until consistency of cornmeal. Sprinkle over apples. Dot with butter. Bake, uncovered, for 30 minutes in a 350 degree F oven, or until top is delicately browned. Serve with Cool Whip or ice cream, if desired.

PEPPERIDGE FARM CHICKEN

Dorothy Blackwell
1 8-ounce package Pepperidge Farm Herb-Seasoned dry stuffing
3 cups cubed cooked chicken
1/2 cup margarine
1/2 cup flour
1/4 teaspoon salt
Dash of pepper
4 cups chicken broth
6 slightly beaten eggs
1 recipe Pimiento Mushroom Sauce*
Prepare stuffing according to package directions for dry stuffing. Spread in 13x9x2-inch baking dish. Top with layer of chicken. In a large saucepan, melt margarine, blend in flour and seasonings. Add cool broth. Cook and stir until mixture thickens. Stir eggs into small amount of hot mixture then pour all over chicken. Bake in 325 degree F oven for 40-45 minutes, or until



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This is precisely what happened to me. When dirty tongues wag, and they will, how do I respond? Should I put her back on the highway and say, "Sorry, lady, but our society does not approve?"

This is for real, Abby, but please don't print my name or address. Just sign me — SOCIETY'S PROBLEM

DEAR SOCIETY'S PROBLEM: Unless your friends and neighbors are told something about this woman who is living in your home, they will be naturally curious. There are many unanswered questions here. The most obvious: What was this hungry, homeless woman doing walking on the highway? Is she an amnesia victim? Is she mentally competent? Is she running from someone? Is she a "missing person"? Is she a fugitive from justice?

Stick to the truth — but don't tell anyone more than you want to.

DEAR ABBY: You may smile at our baby, coo at her, compliment her, but please do not touch her! Our daughter is 6 weeks old, and she accompanies us on outings to the grocery store or the mall, where well-meaning people come up to her and without warning grab her little hands! Like most babies, our daughter is a world-class hand sucker, and whatever was on your hands gets on her hands, which go directly into her mouth!

Babies' immune systems are just developing, and the last thing they need is some unknown person spreading viruses and bacteria through touching the baby's hands. Would these strangers expect us to allow them to put their fingers into our daughter's mouth?

So, the next time you see a darling little baby, please don't put the parents in the position of having to say, "Please don't touch the baby!" — THOMAS FUNK, OR "KEEPING IT CLEAN IN ELK GROVE, CALIF."

DEAR KEEPING: You make an excellent point. I am reminded of a campaign the Mayo Clinic launched some years ago in an effort to remind people to wash their hands. They posted enormous signs with the following message: "The 10 Greatest Spreaders of Disease" — then portrayed a pair of hands.

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award presented by Lions International. Presenting the award was Past District Governor George Beard of Winters; looking on is Robert Noyes, Sr.

Herald photo by Robert Loveless

Forsan marks Red Ribbon Week

By KATHRYN HOLLINGSHEAD

Forsan High School Student Council sponsored "Red Ribbon Week" at the school as well as around the community of Forsan last week, reminding students and community residents once more to "just say no" to drugs and alcohol.

Monday the council members tied red ribbons in conspicuous places around Forsan. Tuesday the halls of Forsan Jr./Sr. High School were decorated with locker signs reminding students to remain drug free, while Wednesday, student council members handed red ribbons imprinted with the slogan "Proud to be Drug Free" to each student. Badges were awarded to parents in the community with drug-free slogans Thursday and Friday the council members tied red ribbons on the antennas of all the cars in the school parking lot.

Spaghetti supper

The Senior Class of '91 will host a spaghetti supper before the Forsan-Stanton game Friday at the Forsan Cafeteria. Tickets will be sold at the door: \$4 for adults, \$3 for students, \$2.50 for preschool children. The menu includes spaghetti, salad, garlic bread, drink and dessert. Football boys will be served at 5 p.m., everyone else at 5:30.

Last dance

A "Last Home Game Dance" will be held at the Forsan gym from 10 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday after the Forsan-Stanton game featuring "Foxy". Tickets are \$3.50 at the door.

Class officers

Forsan Junior High School elected class officers recently. Sixth grade class officers are Brandon Curry, president; Todd McAdams, vice president; Heather Cooper, secretary, and Robert Hillger, treasurer. For the Seventh grade, Jason brown serves as president, Rusty Baker, vice president; Rusty Rutledge, secretary and Ryndi Hamby as treasurer.

Laurie Light serves as president of the eighth grade class, with

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Justin Curry as vice president, Tonya Vess as secretary and Rudolph Munoz as treasurer.

Annual sales

Sales for the 1990-91 Forsan Annual will commence Monday in the office of the elementary school or from Mrs. Ceniceros at the high school. Next year's annual will cost 26.81. Order now if you want an annual.

Fall Festival

The Elbow Fall Festival was held Saturday night at Elbow Elementary. This year's festival sported about 20 booths, raffles and door prizes. New features this year included Bingo and Ninja Turtle Pizza Toss, as well as face painting and hula hoop toss, with the old country store remaining a favorite with children and adults like. Festivities opened at 5:30 p.m. with a meal served in the cafeteria, but parents of students spent days planning and decorating for this annual event. This year's chairmen were Julie Bailey and Reba Bristow, who unflinchingly answered questions, unravelled knotty problems, solicited donations and promoted the festival with the help of the Elbow Parent and Teacher group and volunteer parents.

Favorites to be named after game

Mr. Buffalo, Buffalo Gal, Football Sweetheart and Band Favorites will be named at halftime Nov. 2, during the Forsan-Stanton game.

PACT test

Sophomores at Forsan High took the PACT test Tuesday, to prepare

them for the ACT tests they will be taking next year.

Student of the Week

Forsan Junior High Student of the Week for Oct. 19 is Elaina Duke.

Bands earns 2nd Division rating

Forsan High School Band, under the direction of Bob Fishback, earned a 2nd Division rating at the marching band competition at Ratliff Stadium in Midland last Saturday.

Inside style

Photo show

The Caprock Photographers of Post will hold its sixth annual photography show Nov. 6-11 at the Algert Art Center in Post.

Entries are open to the public and will be accepted from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., Nov. 6, and from 8 a.m. to noon Nov. 7.

The show will be open for viewing by the public Nov. 8-11. Judging will take place Nov. 7. Juror's Choice, People's Choice, first, second, third and honorable mention ribbons will be awarded.

There are more than \$700 in purchase awards and gift certificates committed, according to a news release.

For additional information, please call Bill Mueller at

806-495-3834, or Judy Weaver at 806-828-3541.

TOPS meets

TOPS Club met Oct. 22 at Canterbury South, where President Olnee Menges presided over the meeting. Fourteen members were present.

Alice Bently led the TOPS pledge, followed by the TOPS song led by Olnee Menges. Receiving a best loser certificate and key chain was Lillian Hendricks with a loss of 8 pounds.

Military

Sgt. Karen K. Matteson, daughter of Ralph R. and Elaine R. Matteson, Big Spring, has graduated from an Air Force major command noncommissioned officer academy.

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 - A) Civic
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 - C) School/College
 - D) Church
- An official Santa Claus will be provided by the Parade Committee. No other Santa Claus will be permitted in the Parade.
- Floats should not exceed 65 ft. in length, 8 ft. in width and 14 ft. in height.
- Undecorated vans and cars (except antique) or vehicles of a strictly commercial nature will not be accepted.
- Deadline for entries is Friday, Nov. 23! Formation and position details will be furnished on receipt of entry.
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Handicapped pupils get pumpkins
 LAKE CITY, Utah — Jordan Valley School student Audra Wilde, 6, and Elaine Glenn examine one of the 186 pumpkins grown and donated this month by prison inmates.

Real Freddy Kruegers hate today


Freddy Krueger hates Halloween.
 In fact, Oct. 31 is a nightmare for five Fred Kruegers who live in Pennsylvania, Virginia, North Carolina and Illinois.
 It's particularly tough for the Fred Krueger who lives in Tobyhanna, Pa. His house is two blocks from Elm Street.
 No kidding, Fred Kruegers, men with the same name as the star of screen, scream and gore, are alive and well but unenthusiastic about the holiday that is descended from the medieval All Hallows Eve.
 The prank calls and weird stares, they say, will be relentless.
 None of the Freds is maimed by scars, has pop-out claws or even dons a fedora. None has been ac-

cused of even one grisly murder, unlike the prolific maniac featured in the never-ending movie saga, "A Nightmare on Elm Street." But these disparities do not ward off pranksters.
 "I got some regular customers on the phone," said Fred Krueger who lives in Olivers Mills, Pa., and works for Liberty Mutual Life Insurance Co.
 "It's best to go along with them," he said, noting that kids will just harass him if he sounds mad or hangs up.
 Fred Krueger, a retired banker from Charlotte, N.C., also plays the demonic role but said he tries to keep it simple because he once scared a little girl.
 "She wanted to know if I was the

Freddy and I said, 'Yeah' and gave her the laugh," said the 75-year-old retiree. "And then I said several other things and said I would be over to see her."
 "There was silence on the phone," he recalled. Followed by a dial tone.
 An understandable reaction. In his most recent movie, "A Nightmare on Elm Street: Dream Child," Freddy Krueger — created by Wes Craver and played by actor Robert Englund — invades the semiconsciousness of an unborn child, torturing her mother and killing off her teen-age friends.
 Probably not the kind of guy you'd want to have over to the house.
 Ellen Krueger, who is married to

the Charlotte Fred, said her husband doesn't look anything like the star.
 "I got a good-looking husband, with blue eyes and dimples."
 Another Mrs. Krueger, Florence, lives in Tamaqua, Pa., and gets a lot of silly calls. It bothered her at first, she said, because she thought someone was playing a cruel joke by asking for her husband. He died 28 years ago.
 After she and a friend figured it out, Florence decided to counter with a trick of her own.
 "Is Freddy Krueger there?" a caller will ask.
 "Yes, he is. Hang on," she'll reply.
 "Then I just put the phone down and walk away," Florence said.

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Calendar

Meeting

- TODAY**
- The Howard County library will be sponsoring a "Halloween Face Decorating" from 3:30 to 5:30. Children must have a signed permission slip from their parents.
 - Co-Dependents Anonymous will meet at 7 p.m. at Scenic Mountain Medical Center, fourth floor.
 - The Divorce Support Group will meet from 6 to 7 p.m. at First United Methodist Church, room 101. Anyone welcome. Child care is available. Enter at back entrance at Gregg Street parking lot.
- THURSDAY**
- The Salvation Army will be taking applications for Christmas food boxes and toys for needy families in Howard County. Fill out your application between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. at 811 W. 5th Street.
 - C.R.I.E. (Children's Rights Through Informed Education) will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Chamber of Commerce meeting room.
- FRIDAY**
- There will be a Phonics Workshop from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church to provide skills, information, and resource material for encouraging, supporting or supplementing reading. Nursery provided. Everyone must bring their own sack lunch (drink provided).
 - The Salvation Army will be taking applications for Christmas food boxes and toys for needy families in Howard County. Fill out your application between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. at 811 W. 5th Street.
- SATURDAY**
- St. Vincent De Paul will sponsor a rummage sale from 7:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church.
 - The Big Spring Bass Club will sponsor a Point Tournament at Colorado City Lake from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. For more information call Jerry Dudley at 267-2629, or Glenn Barry at 394-4802.
 - The Big Spring Humane Society's rummage sale will be Saturday instead of Sunday. Come to West 4th and Galveston from 1 to 5 p.m.
- MONDAY**
- The B.S.H.S. Quarterback Club will meet at 7 p.m. in the B.S.H.S. library. The business meeting will be followed by Coach Thompson's video presentation of the previous week's Steer game.

United Way at 62.8 percent of goal

The United Way of Big Spring and Howard County has reached 62.8 percent of its goal in the annual funding drive, the agency director said Tuesday.

Sherrie Bordofski said the agency's total pledges has risen to \$138,152. That total is more than the drive had raised at this point last year, she said.

Bordofski said she would like to urge everyone who has collected pledges to turn them in to the office this week.

"We were really hoping to be through by this week so we can have the next two weeks to clear everything up," she said. "We want to get to where we can say we've conquered it."

Agency personnel are aware of several collectors who have not yet turned in totals, she added, and they expect those pledges to come in this week.

Bordofski reminded potential donors of the agency's memorial program. Donations made in memory of the deceased will be acknowledged with a note to the family, she said.

The address is P.O. Box 24, Big Spring.

The United Way is an umbrella funding organization for several local non-profit groups, including the Boys' Club, the Westside Day Care Center, the YMCA and the Northside Community Center.

Bush to consider garage doors, food haulers

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress wants electric garage doors to reverse automatically and cigarette lighters to be childproof, mining in Antarctica to be prohibited and food-hauling trucks to be barred from shipping hazardous trash.

These mandates and more are among scores of bills approved and sent to President Bush in the final days of the 101st Congress while headlines concentrated on the budget legislation.

Garage doors and cigarette lighters are governed by the Consumer Product Safety Commission, which Congress strengthened in its first reauthorization of the agency in nine years.

"This important consumer protection agency was an abandoned stepchild during the Reagan years," said Rep. Doug Walgren, D-Pa., chairman of the House subcommittee on consumer protection. "Ideological conflict among the members of the commission paralyzed the agency."

Besides taking steps to make the

commission work better, Congress ordered it to establish mandatory safety standards for automatic garage doors and to complete its work on cigarette lighters.

Although many of the newer garage doors automatically reverse when they hit an obstruction, the safety provision is not required. More than 50 children have been killed in accidents involving automatic doors, Walgren's office said.

It also said that in 1987, fires started by children playing with cigarette lighters killed 180 people, including 140 children under age 5.

"This is a horrible toll that can and should be prevented with an effective safety standard," said Walgren. "I believe it is imperative that the commission work quickly to complete this important task."

Lawmakers also saw the possibility of a toll being taken in Antarctica.

The continent at the South Pole was established as a scientific area in 1959 with a treaty signed by 35

countries. In 1988, the nations agreed to regulate mining by requiring environmental impacts to be considered first. But that pact didn't guarantee preservation of the Antarctic.

A bill passed last week bans any U.S. mineral development on the frozen continent and asks the president to negotiate new international treaties to ban all mining.

"Antarctica is the last, relatively untouched continent on the planet, providing unparalleled research opportunities, and the United States is in a position to exert international leadership to permanently protect and conserve this last frontier," said Rep. Silvio Conte, R-Mass., sponsor of the bill.

Oceanographer Jacques-Yves Cousteau, in testimony to Congress, forecast possible global tragedy if Antarctica were open to widespread mining.

"The Antarctic, with 90 percent of the ice of the world, represents a formidable cold storage that stabilizes the climate of the world," Cousteau said.

A slight warming of the atmosphere could trigger melting that would raise the level of the oceans to intolerable proportions, he said.

"Coal mines would bring about coal dust on the surface of the ice. Even a small quantity would change the reflective power of the ice, would absorb more heat from the sun, would start some melting of the ice," said Cousteau.

Congress passed about 200 bills in its final week. Some involved internal government operations, while others addressed regional issues.

Some took hours of debate and were voted by roll call; others were passed in minutes on voice vote with little discussion.

Two bills designed to protect the public from hazardous materials are on the way to the president.

Rep. Thomas Luken, D-Ohio, led the effort to prohibit the "backhauling" of waste by trucks that also are used to carry food.

He gave a graphic example of the danger of this practice. He said

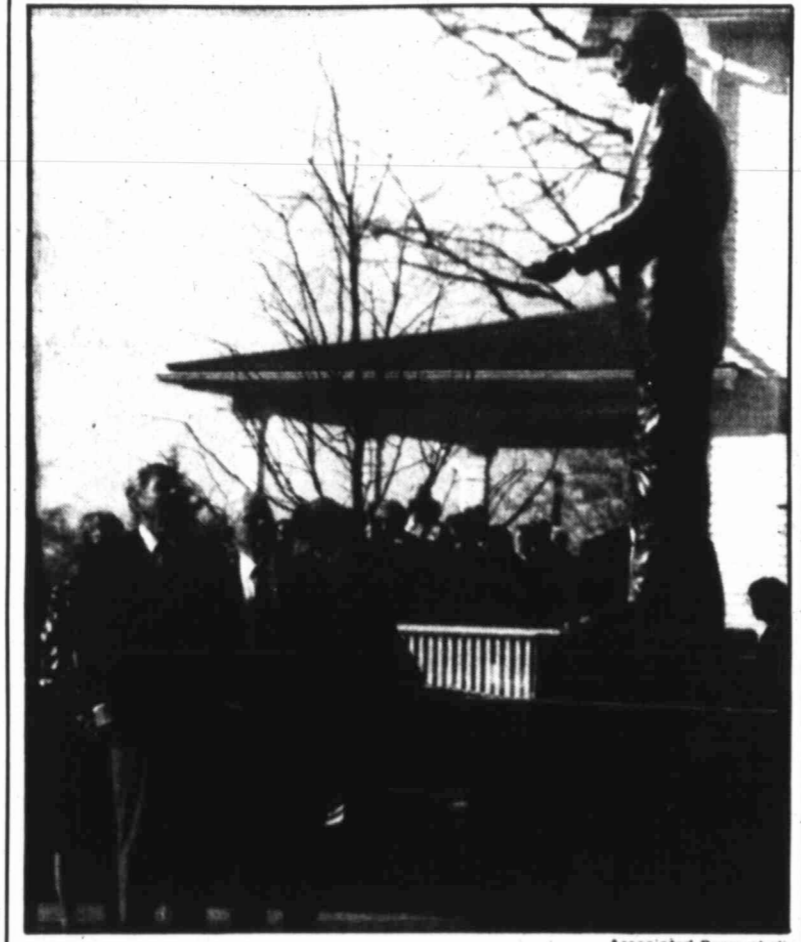
that after feed grain was transported in a rail car that earlier had hauled an arsenic compound, \$1 million worth of cattle died from eating the contaminated grain.

"Milk from other cattle was poisoned and had to be dumped for over four weeks until it tested clean," Luken said.

The legislation instructs the departments of Transportation, Agriculture and Health and Human Services and the Environmental Protection Agency to consult on regulations for transporters.

No food cargo would be allowed in truck or rail cars that carry health-threatening materials. Extremely hazardous materials, such as asbestos or infectious waste, would have to be shipped only in carriers specifically designed for that purpose.

After eight years of trying, Luken also won approval of his bill to strengthen the law governing the transportation of hazardous material.



Face to face
 DIXON, Ill. — Former President Ronald Reagan, accompanied by Norman Wymbs of the Ronald Reagan Preservation Foundation, gets a face-to-face meeting with a statue of his likeness at his boyhood home in Dixon, Ill., Tuesday.

Candidate wants more freedoms

By PATRICK DRISCOLL
 Staff Writer

Libertarian candidate for U.S. senator, Gary Johnson, 37, Austin, wants more individual freedoms and a lot less government.

That includes turning a many government services as possible over to private enterprise, bringing all troops home and reducing the military, says the private stock investor and lifelong resident of Austin. An ultimate goal is to make all taxes voluntary, if possible, he said.

Meanwhile, the rights of individuals need to be protected and that includes the legalization of victimless crimes, such as drug use, although not the advocacy of drug use. His party platform states a desire to see everyone free of drug dependence.

Johnson, who ran for U.S. senator in 1988, said he has entered this year's race so that voters will have a choice. He faces Republican incumbent Phil Gramm, College Station, and Democratic nominee Hugh Parmer, Ft. Worth, in the Nov. 6 general election.

Johnson, who considers taxation a form of theft, looks at much of government as an infringement on



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individual rights.

He said he would strive to eliminate as many government services as possible. That includes, ultimately, any involvement in education, social security retirement, medicare, unemployment insurance and banking and savings and loan insurance.

Anything the government can do, the private sector can do better, he says. "My predilection would be to reduce the federal government at every opportunity," he said.

"A dollar spent in a private charity goes a lot farther than a dollar spent in a government bureaucracy," he said. "We think taxation is theft."

He criticized the (Phil Gramm-Rudman Act) for not reducing deficit spending as it was intended. "The national debt is bigger than ever. The national debt is at \$3 trillion," he said. For every \$1 that taxes went up in the past 13 years, federal spending went up \$1.59 in the same period, he said.

Johnson also said that a free market system and neutrality should be the cornerstone of foreign relations.

There should be no tariffs, quotas on immigration and goods, foreigner work permits or travel limitations, he said. Our government should remain neutral in world affairs and our military used only to defend our shores. Foreign countries should pay for their own defense.

"I think the U.S. should not be

the world's policeman," he said. "I think we should bring our troops home."

That includes removing troops from Saudi Arabia. "I think the presence of troops in the Middle East pushes us closer to the brink of war. It does not make the situation get better," he said.

The government should also quit telling citizens what they can do with their own bodies, he said.

"I think that our rights are being gradually taken away," he said. "What really bothers me is people are really letting it happen."

An example of that is illegal drugs, which according to the party platform, feeds organized crime and lacks any consumer protection from unsafe practices.

"The war on drugs is used as a pretext for Draconian measures which take away our rights in a free society. I think it's being used to undermine our constitutional rights," he said.

"I'm for the legalization of drugs," he said. "I think we are repeating the mistake of prohibition. The war on drugs is not working." Party members credit the spawning of organized crime to prohibition.

Johnson, a former Travis County Libertarian Party Chairman in the 1970s, has not held office before. He has attended the University of Texas at Austin. Before becoming active in the Libertarian Party, he was an independent voter, he said.

It's time to make plans for the Christmas parade

Herald Staff Report

Even though we've still got Halloween and Thanksgiving ahead of us, it's not too soon to be thinking about Christmas. Not if you plan to enter the community Christmas Parade, that is.

Date for the annual parade is Saturday, December 1, but the deadline for entries is Monday, November 23.

Entry forms should be turned in by individuals, groups or organizations as soon as they have completed their plans, but no later than the 23rd.

"There is a lot of work to do after all the entries are in," says Lea Whitehead, coordinator of the event for the *Big Spring Herald*, parade sponsor. "Position assignment and other details will be mailed to each entrant as entries are received. The earlier entries are received, the smoother the task will go."

Entry forms will appear regularly in the *Herald*, and forms will be mailed to many organizations and clubs.

Theme for this year's parade is "Christmas Then — Christmas Now" — and could be anything from a Victorian theme to a space age theme.

Prizes will be awarded in four categories: civic; commercial and manufacturing; school and college; and church. Entries will be judged on originality, aptness to theme, and overall appearance.

The Parade Committee will provide an official Santa Claus; no other entry will be allowed to include a Santa. Undecorated vans or cars (except antique) or vehicles of a strictly commercial nature will not be accepted.

Floats should not exceed 65 ft. in length, 8 ft. in width and 14 ft. in height.

Entries should be mailed to the Parade Committee, *Big Spring Herald*, P.O. Box 1431, or taken to the *Herald* at 710 Scurry.

This marks the fourth consecutive year the annual community Christmas Parade has been sponsored by the *Herald*, and is a project of *Herald* employees.

Candidates

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haven't taken a position."

Williams' opponent has criticized Williams, a Midland businessman, as a political amateur who doesn't understand government. Asked if his confusion did not lend credence to Richards' charges, Williams said, "I'm not a politician."

"But you are running for governor," Slater said.

"Yeah, I can read, and if you put that in front of me it would take me about thirty seconds to give you my opinion," Williams said. "I had the highest grade point in the school of agriculture at A&M my last semester."

Panelists reminded Williams that he had already cast his absentee ballot.

Williams said he voted "right down the ticket." But when asked how he voted on Prop. 1, Williams said, "I voted for it. I think I voted for it."

After the session, Williams, standing with his wife, Modesta, told reporters, "I wasn't highly informed on Prop. 1, but my wife was. She told me what to do, I guess."

Prop. 1 would reaffirm the state Senate's traditional practice of voting on gubernatorial nominees

during regular legislative sessions. Attorney General Jim Mattox has ruled that the appointments must be considered at the next available opportunity, whether regular or special session.

Without the amendment, decisions by boards affecting prisons, electric rates, air pollution penalties and other functions of state government could be challenged in court and put on hold.

In a second television interview, Williams was again asked about the proposition and how he voted on it.

"There's no Prop. 1," he said. "There was a No. 1 constitutional amendment. It threw me a little bit. But that's kind of housekeeping."

"I think tonight I'll be looking forward to talking about facing the real issues..." he added.

In her televised interviews Tuesday, Richards said this year's mudslinging campaign was a kind of vicious circle.

"If you don't fight back, then people think you're weak and you're incapable of governing. If you do fight back, everybody goes crazy because the campaign is negative," she said.

Richardson said she wasn't sorry about poking fun at then-Vice President Bush in a speech to the 1988 Democratic National Convention, although her Republican opponent has used that against her.

She said candidates must be willing to laugh at themselves.

"I wanted that speech to say that this is fun, that politics is a great thing," she said.

Williams also said he had second thoughts about refusing to shake Richards' hand when he called her a liar in an orchestrated confrontation in front of television cameras at a recent joint-appearance in Dallas.

Analysts have suggested it was the turning point in the campaign, allowing Richards to close the gap.

"I'm not real proud of how I handled it. I think I could have handled that better," Williams said.

Mideast

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In addition, about 1,000 Americans are among the Westerners being held in Kuwait and Iraq to deter attack by the U.S.-led multinational forces stationed in the gulf region. Many are being held at strategic sites as human shields.

Asked today if the hostages have become a more important part of his gulf strategy, Bush said: "I wouldn't say more, but I am very concerned about it."

The administration of former President Ronald Reagan used the safety of Americans as a pretext to invade Grenada in 1983, while the Bush administration also cited the safety of Americans when he sent troops to Panama in 1989.

Bush said, however, the recent comments from the administration about the possible use of American military might against Iraq should not be interpreted as an indication war was imminent or unavoidable.

"You don't use pretext when you have force deployed," Bush said today. "You just do what's right."

Sheriff's log

The Howard County Sheriff's Department reported the following incidents:

- Susana Herdei Alvarez, 25, 4107 W. Highway 80, no. 23, was sentenced Tuesday to 180 days and ordered to pay \$295.50 in a Howard County Court judgment for driving while intoxicated.
- David Renteria, 22, Ackerly, was sentenced Tuesday to 30 days in jail in a County Court judgment for DWI.
- James Willie Matthews, 59, no address available, was arrested Monday on a 118th District Court indictment for theft between \$750 and \$20,000 and for a bondsman relinquishing a bond on a DWI charge. Bonds were set at \$1,500 for the indictment and \$1,000 for the DWI charge.
- Abe Austin Jr., 38, American Motor Inn, no. 207, was arrested and charged with filing a false report with a law officer. He was released on a \$500 bond.

Write-ins

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candidates this year and "maybe they (the parties) won't feel so high and mighty."

In regard to the current trend in Texas politics, mudslinging and negative advertising, Cash stated, "children get graded on citizenship in school. Considering how rude and crude Texas politics has become, the best grade the major politicians should get is an 'F'."

"Crazy" Hickerson-Bull, an independent florist, has lived in Austin 20 years. He decided to file for office in July, 1989. He stated he has yet to receive much press coverage since filing. He lists among the reasons to elect him; pro-choice of mind and body, making all drugs legal, legalizing sports betting and poker, making Spanish the official language of Texas, live coverage of all executions and amnesty for defense contractors, especially in Amarillo

Police beat

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following incidents:


- Dewayne Bledsoe, 30, 705 Cherry, was arrested and charged with driving while intoxicated.
- Ruben Gonzales, 25, 603 Caylor, was arrested and charged with driving while intoxicated and unlawfully carrying a weapon.
- The burglary of a home was reported in the 1400 block of Mesquite Street. Two television sets, a VCR and a 22 Derringer were among the missing items.
- The theft of medicines was reported by a business in the 1800 block of Gregg Street. Alka-Seltzer cold medicine and children's cough syrup were reported taken.

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Emily Jean Wanderer, 66, died Monday. Services will be 10:00 A.M. Thursday at Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel. Interment will follow in Trinity Memorial Park.

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Steer 'D' shines bright

By STEVE BELVIN
Sports Editor

The Big Spring Steers' defensive performance against the Sweetwater Mustangs was one of the most outstanding I've seen.

It marked the third consecutive week the Steer defense has limited its opponent to less than 100 yards total offense.

Against league cellar-dwellers San Angelo Lake View and Fort Stockton, it was kind of expected; but not against a good team like the Sweetwater Mustangs, especially in Mustang Bowl, which is one of the hardest stadiums in the state to play in.

The contest was very evenly played in the first half. Big Spring had 83 total yards, and Sweetwater had 67 yards. But the Steers dominated the second half, allowing the Mustangs 23 yards. Sweetwater got its only first down in the second half with 1:09 left in the game.

The Steers defense kept the Mustang offense, which is loaded with speed, away from the big play. Tailback Randall Leopard, who runs a 48.0 in the 400 meters, probably wished he was on the track. He finished the contest with seven carries for minus seven yards. Wingback Kiley Anglin, who runs a 47.0 400 meters, caught two passes for 15 yards.

It was wide receiver James Moore that proved to be the most dangerous Mustang. The shifty sophomore came within a tackle of breaking a punt and kickoff all the way. On the last play of the first half he almost hauled a bomb in the end zone from quarterback David Ritchey. Moore nearly made the diving catch, but when he hit the ground the ball was jarred away.

The Steers offense moved the ball better in the second half, accumulating 122 yards. Hard-running tailback Jermaine Miller began to wear the Mustang defense down, gaining 59 yards in 13 carries. Wingback Neal Mayfield and quarterback Gerald Cobos hooked-up for three key receptions for 55 yards.

While the Mustangs took Mayfield's ground game away — he carried eight times for two yards — he still hurt them with his receiving, punting and kicking. One reporter in the press box summed it up best — "You can stop Mayfield one way, but he can hurt you in so many other ways."

I guess that would be a safe delineation of the Steer team. Outside linebacker Kevin Rodgers, who was taken off the field on stretcher late in the second half after a vicious blind-side block, is doing well. He has a bruised sternum, and it's questionable if he'll play Friday against Pecos.

With the season winding down, it's time to start thinking about the state football playoffs. It looks like there's a possibility that five of the 10 teams in our area coverage have a shot at the playoffs — Big Spring from District 3-4A, Garden City in 9-A, Borden County in 6A, Six-Man and Grady, Klondike or Sands in 5A, Six-Man.

The Big Spring Steers are sitting better after the Sweetwater win, but are definitely not out of woods, although they lead the league with a 3-0 mark. Big Spring still has to play Pecos and Monahans at home and Andrews on the road.

Sweetwater, Andrews and Monahans all have one loss. Sweetwater has the schedule in its favor, facing Fort Stockton and Lake View, before getting the final week of play off.

Andrews plays Monahans Friday, then Big Spring and Lake View.

After Andrews, Monahans gets a week off before its regular season finale against Big Spring.

There's also a possibility of a three-way tie, if whoever wins the Monahans-Andrews game can beat Big Spring.

In 9-A, Garden City has defeated the two teams that were supposed to challenge

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Michael Chang upset in Paris Open

PARIS (AP) — The teenagers have displayed their talents. Now it's time for the oldest player of the Paris Open — John McEnroe — to show what he can do.

The 31-year-old New Yorker hopes to perform a little better than American youngsters Pete Sampras and Michael Chang did in their second-round matches Tuesday when Sampras struggled and Chang lost.

McEnroe wants to show the new generation that he still has that old magic touch when he takes on Jakob Hlasek of Switzerland in second-round play today.

Although the oldest in the 48-player field, McEnroe is currently ranked 11th in the world and is the No. 7 seed in the \$2 million tournament.

Sampras, the 19-year-old U.S. Open champion, survived two tiebreaks before edging Germany's Carl Uwe Steeb 7-6 (10-8), 3-6, 7-6 (7-2).

"I feel fortunate to still be in the tournament after that last tiebreak," Sampras said.

Chang, seeded 11th, lost to Marc Rosset, a 19-year-old from Switzerland, 7-6 (7-2), 6-4.

Chang was the first seed to be eliminated as Rosset used his big serve to power his way to victory.

"He served really well," Chang said. "It's difficult with that big serve to find an opportunity to break him. It put a lot of pressure on me to hold my serve."

Rosset won five straight points in the first-set tiebreaker.

Leading 5-4 in the second set and the score tied 30-all, Rosset watched Chang blast two straight double-handed backhands into the net to close out the match.

Chang, the 1989 French Open champion, and Sampras still have

a long way to go in matching Grand Slam titles with McEnroe, three times a Wimbledon winner and a four-time U.S. Open champion. Both Chang and Sampras 5 years old when McEnroe played in his first Wimbledon in 1977, when he reached the semifinals as a 17-year-old.

Now, McEnroe faces Hlasek, who eliminated former No. 1 player Mats Wilander 6-3, 6-2 Tuesday.

"McEnroe defeated me last year at Lyon and I'm sure the public is going to appreciate our match," Hlasek said.

Since the first French indoor tournament in 1986, McEnroe has endeared himself to the French crowd. Although he missed the 1987 edition, in 1988 he was loudly cheered when he defeated Frenchman Henri Leconte in a first-round match before being eliminated in the quarterfinals by Hlasek.

But 18 months ago, McEnroe won the title at Lyon, France, dowing Hlasek in the championship match.

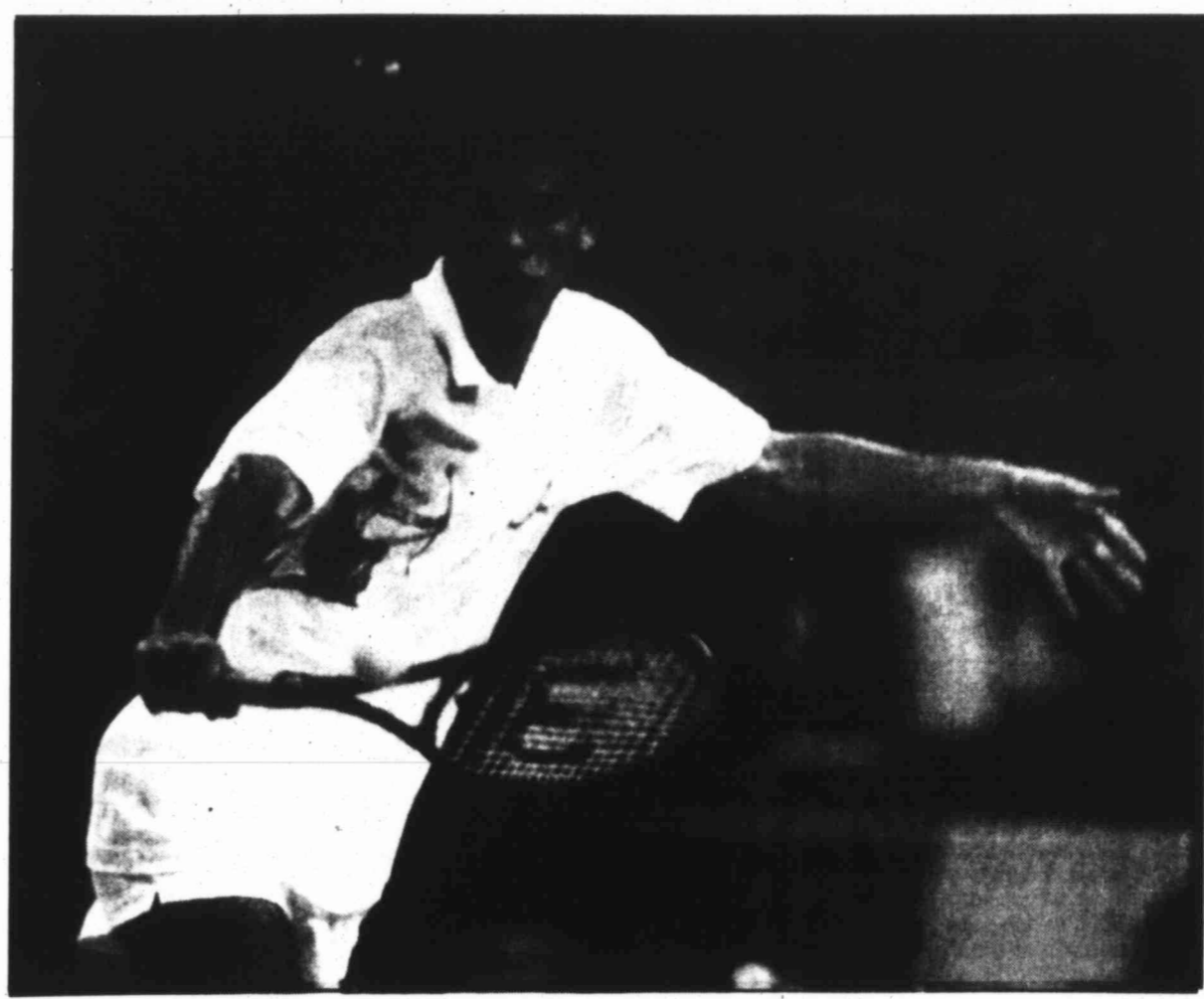
McEnroe recently won the Basel, Switzerland, tournament, coming from two sets down to beat another rising teenager, Goran Ivanisevic of Yugoslavia. If McEnroe beats Hlasek today, he will face Ivanisevic again.

The Yugoslav defeated McEnroe a week ago in a third-round match at the Stockholm, Sweden, Open.

"It was my dream to play against McEnroe. Now I have played him and I have beaten him," Ivanisevic said.

The ninth-seeded Yugoslav posted an easy 6-2, 6-4 victory over Magnus Gustafsson of Sweden in his second-round match Tuesday.

Jonas Svensson, seeded 14th, routed Thierry Champion of



PARIS — U.S. tennis player Peter Sampras returns a backhand to his opponent Carl Uwe Steeb of Germany during their second round match in the two-million dollar Paris Open at Bercy Stadium.

France 6-2, 6-2 and No. 6 Emilio Sanchez of Spain eliminated McEnroe's younger brother Patrick 6-4, 7-6 (7-4).

Two players advanced to the second round without winning on the court.

Sergi Brugera of Spain led France's Henri Leconte in the third set when Leconte retired with an injured knee. Michael Stich of Germany advanced when Austrian Horst Skoff withdrew from the tournament.

Jim Courier overcame a tough Jim Grabb 7-5, 6-7 (2-7), 6-3; Ronald Agenor of Haiti eliminated Soviet Alexander Volkov 7-5, 7-5, and Guillaume Raoux of France defeated Marcelo Filippini of Uruguay 2-6, 6-4, 6-3.

All in the family

Sister and brother running in the footsteps of big sister Sarah

By MARSHA STURDIVANT
Staff Writer

COAHOMA — Coahoma's three running Hanks, Sarah, Stephen and Rachel, are making remarkable speeds in the cross country meets in West Texas.

Sarah stands undefeated as she approaches regional competition; Stephen is the only freshman on Coahoma's varsity track team and he holds the fifth fastest time for them; Rachel can beat every one on the varsity and junior varsity track teams, except her older sister.

Rachel, 13, is an eighth grader at Coahoma Junior High. She's also an eighth grade cheerleader and involved in gymnastics and track. Rachel is also a bible studies teacher at the Sand Springs Church of Christ, where her father is minister.

Blonde, bouncy and thin, Rachel said she loves to run, but that she regrets that her sister Sarah will graduate this year.

"I saw Sarah running, and I wanted to try to be like her, only faster," Rachel said.

Although Rachel is a member of the eighth grade track team, she has been allowed to run in the high school races at the Odessa, Iraan and Big Spring meets. She competed against the 1-A and 2-A varsity and all the junior varsities and took 7th overall in Odessa, 5th in Big Spring, and 2nd in Iraan.

Rachel couldn't compete in district because the eighth grade teams can't compete in a varsity district meet.

Rachel said she received medals at three meets. At Iraan she second second behind sister Sarah.

Sarah, who turned 18 on Oct. 26, has received national attention for her speed on the track. She has "lots of scholarship offers" from universities including UT Arlington, UT San Antonio, Stanford, Cal., Georgetown, Wash., SMU, A&M, Hardin-Simmons and the University of Arizona.

She took home first place medals



COAHOMA — The running Hanks have played a big role in the Coahoma cross country program this season. From left to right are Rachel, Stephen and Sarah. Stephen and Sarah will be competing in the regional meet Saturday in Lubbock.

Bulldog runners shooting for state

By MARSHA STURDIVANT
Staff Writer

COAHOMA — The Coahoma boys varsity cross country team competes Saturday in the Region I Cross Country Meet after upsetting the Ozona team, who was picked to win the district competition in Iraan Oct. 21.

Coach Truman Meissner said he feels the boys varsity has trained for this competition and they're ready to win.

"They've worked really hard. They've got, not just the will to win, but the will to prepare to win. These boys have put in a lot of miles," he said.

"Several football players are runners, and it's tough to get up

after a Friday night game, when you're all sore and bruised, and go to a meet. I have a lot of admiration for them for that," he said.

"We're taking nine boys to regionals," Meissner said.

"Matt Coates has the best time this year and Jeff Marnien is right behind Matt," the coach said.

The other boys on the varsity team are: Shawn Coker, Brent Elmore, Stephen Hanks, Ned Hildebrand and Gary Redlin. The alternates are Mark Arguello and Steven New.

"These kids have really improved their times," Meissner said. The boys varsity will race at 9

a.m. Saturday at Lubbock's Mae Simmons Park.

Sarah Hanks will represent Coahoma in the individual competition for the Region I meet. Hanks goes to Lubbock undefeated thus far in the two-mile event.

"She has an excellent chance of winning regionals and going on to state, where she should also do real well. Sarah has trained harder this year and she's stronger. She's prepared to do super," Meissner said.

Hanks is the only Coahoma girls varsity cross country team member chosen to compete in regionals. Her competition begins at 9:20 a.m. at Lubbock's Mae Simmons Park.

Foreman: 'When the time comes, I'll be ready'

MARSHALL (AP) — Former heavyweight champion George Foreman says he intends to regain the title he lost to Muhammad Ali 16 years ago today.

The 42-year-old Houston resident, who has won 23 consecutive fights since announcing his comeback in March 1987, says he now has his sights set on his old title.

Foreman told the Marshall News Messenger Monday he'll be prepared to face Evander Holyfield, who won the title Oct. 25 with a knockout in the third round of James "Buster" Douglas.

Holyfield's promoter announced Monday that the 28-year-old will defend his new title against Foreman for \$20 million. Foreman will

get \$12.5 million. The site and date of the fight have not been determined.

Foreman lost his title to Ali on Oct. 30, 1974 in Kinshasa, Zaire. Three years later, he retired after being knocked out by Jimmy Young.

The former champ said winning the heavyweight championship after a 10-year layoff and at 42 years of age

is not impossible. "I've dedicated myself for that moment," said Foreman. "When the time comes, I'll be ready."

The Marshall native plans to return to his ranch in Marshall in November, where he'll add "a little wood chopping" to his list of exercises.

Foreman said he is training about 16 hours a day and

plans to be in top shape for the Holyfield bout. Since starting his comeback, his fight weight, anywhere from 255 to 263 pounds, has been the target of criticism.

Foreman, who is 67-2 with 63 knockouts, said he started his comeback with the intention of fighting until getting a shot at the title.

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Inside Sports

Runnels drops two to Andrews

The Runnels Junior High volleyball teams ended their seasons on a losing note here Monday, dropping a pair of matches to Andrews.

In the first game, the Runnels Red team fell to Andrews 15-8, 15-6. High point girl for Runnels was Angie Powell, who scored six points.

Andrews also won the nightcap, defeating Runnels White 11-15, 15-9, 15-10. Top scorer for Runnels was Kathy Smith with 11 points.

The Runnels Red team ended its season with a 4-7 record, while the White team finished with a 6-4 mark.

Things looking bad for U.S. shot putter

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (AP) — The chairman of the International Amateur Athletic Federation's doping commission said he's disappointed news of a positive drug test involving world record shot putter Randy Barnes was leaked to the media.

Barnes set the shot put record of 75 feet, 10 1/4 inches in May.

Federation official Arne Ljungqvist of Engebyberg, Sweden, also on Tuesday said his commission has forwarded its investigation of the Barnes drug test to The Athletics Congress in Indianapolis.

Barnes tested positive for a banned substance following a meet in Malmo, Sweden, this summer. The results of that test were leaked to the media, but no official comment has been made on the findings of a backup test taken at Malmo. No action is taken against an athlete unless both tests are positive under federation policy.

Ljungqvist said it was "very disappointing" that the results of Barnes' test were given to the media before a final decision was made.

He said the federation probably will review its policy in dealing with the media on drug testing cases.

"We will probably, yes, but it's too early to say what we will do," he said by telephone.

Ljungqvist said he remembered one other case in which the results of a positive drug test were leaked during the early stages of an investigation.

In that case, a Norwegian javelin thrower tested positive for a steroid but later was cleared because of uncertainty in the accuracy of testing, Ljungqvist said.

Ljungqvist said the incident probably hurt the reputation of the Norwegian athlete. The federation likely would have made an announcement anyway in that case, but less confusion would have been caused if it had been made after the probe was completed.

Steve

Continued from page 1-B them — Bronte and Rotan. This week they'll play Robert Lee, who's also unbeaten in district, but hasn't played Bronte or Robert Lee.

With two district games left in 5A, Six-Man, 3-0 Borden County defeated preseason favorite Trent last Friday, and has already defeated Ira, who was picked to finish second in the district. If the Coyotes can beat the Loraine Bulldogs Friday, night at home, they will clinch their first playoff spot since 1972. If that happens, there'll be a lot of celebrating going on in Gail.

In 6A, Six-Man, a big showdown will be Friday night in Ackerly. It will be a battle of unbeaten — Sands and Grady on Sands' home turf. Both teams go into the contest with 3-0 records, with the Klondike Cougars, who Grady beat Friday, one game behind.

Klondike plays Dawson on the road Friday, and concludes regular season play the following week by hosting Sands.

There could be another possibility of a three-way tie.

Garden City junior tailback James Soles is the first area runner to crack the 1,000 yard mark this season. With his 209 yards Friday against Rotan, he now has 1,090 yards.

Closing in on the 1,000 yard mark is Coahoma senior halfback Shane Walker. The former quarterback has 940 yards. He'll be the first Coahoma running back since Gary Gee in the early '80s to go over 1,000.

For B-County, winning means a healthy Rios

By STEVE BELVIN Sports Editor

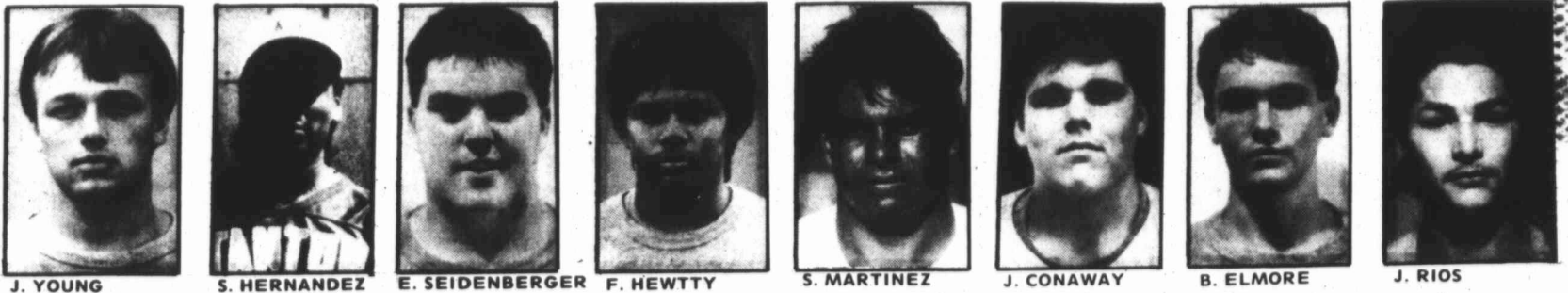
When Jimmy Rios was hurt the Borden County Coyotes struggled both offensively and defensively without their star running back and safety. When Rios came back, the Coyotes regained their winning ways.

Without Rios Borden County was 0-3, with Rios, they've gone 5-0, including 3-0 in district play. In the first two weeks of district Rios carried the ball 26 times for 269 yards and six touchdowns.

Last Friday in Borden County's 45-20 win over preseason district favorite Trent, Rios had another banner night. He carried the ball 16 times for 143 yards, scoring on runs of one and four yards. He also caught a conversion pass, and turned the tables on Trent by returning an onside kick 56 yards for a touchdown. For his effort, the 5-foot-9, 150-pound senior is the Offensive Player of the Week.

The Garden City Barkats pulled off a big win in their District 9-A game against the Rotan Yellowhammers, 35-18. The Garden City defense did a good job of containing a speedy Rotan offensive attack.

Leading the way was junior mid-



die linebacker Eric Seidenberger. The 5-foot-11, 238-pounder was all over the field, making 17 tackles, including two behind the line of scrimmage. For his effort, he's the Defensive Player of the Week.

Other top defensive performances were:

• In Borden County's win, Rios led the way with 15 tackles, and middle linebacker Clint Kemper made 11 tackles.

• In the Garden City win, outside linebacker Matt Seidenberger made 14 tackles, free safety Allen Hoelscher made 12 tackles and intercepted his third pass of the season, and cornerback Mario Aguilar made 12 tackles, four for losses, and blocked an extra point.

• In Big Spring's 16-7 win over Sweetwater, the entire defense

gets credit for holding the Mustangs to 90 yards total offense.

• In Stanton's 31-12 loss to Coahoma, cornerback Selestino Hernandez made seven tackles.

• Keying the Coahoma defense were ends Sam Justiss and Rex Denton, who combined for 28 tackles. Linebacker Mike Hernandez made 17 tackles and picked off a pass, and tackles Keith Burnett and Lee Coleman combined for 19 tackles.

• In Forsan's 23-15 loss to Eldorado, tackle Scott Roman made 14 tackles and linebacker Joe Conaway made 21 stops.

• In Grady's 43-30 win over Klondike, linebacker Gilbert Cortez made 13 tackles and intercepted two passes and Mike McKaskle made 11 tackles.

Other top offensive performances were:

• In Borden County's win, quarterback Shane Kemper completed five of six passes for 73 yards, and J.J. Kincheloe caught three passes for 53 yards and a TD.

• In Garden City's win, tailback James Soles carried 24 times for 209 yards and three TDs. Quarterback Shae Scott completed seven of 12 passes for 58 yards; wingback Richard Morales hauled in four passes for 38 yards, including an 18-yard TD.

• In Stanton's loss, tackle-turned-fullback Allen Prough carried 11 times for 53 yards.

• In Sands' victory, Pank Grigg rushed for a score, caught a pass for another, and kicked five of six

two-point kicks, for 22 points. John Young carried four times for 40 yards and two TDs.

• For the third straight week Coahoma halfback Shane Walker went over the century mark, rushing for 215 yards on 33 carries against Stanton. He also caught two passes for 20 yards. Quarterback Brent Elmore completed five of 9 passes for 75 yards.

• In Forsan's loss to Eldorado, fullback Gilbert Rodriguez carried 22 times for 83 yards and halfback David Britton carried 11 times for 69 yards.

• In Big Spring's win, paving the way in the offensive line were guards Santos Martinez and Lance Reeves, along with center Jon Downey.

• In Grady's victory, Florencio Hewty carried eight times for 127 yards and one TD.

Prosecutors after kicker

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — A federal grand jury that indicted two Nigerians on heroin smuggling charges is expected to meet again Friday in a case tied to Minnesota Vikings placekicker Donald Igwebuike.

Attorneys for the Nigerians have confirmed that prosecutors are seeking a plea bargain with them, reportedly in hopes of persuading them to testify against Igwebuike in court.

Prosecutors and U.S. Customs Service investigators met with Ibezim Ofedu for a total of three hours Monday and Tuesday at the Hillsborough County Jail, but public defender Anthony Martinez wouldn't say whether his client had struck a deal with prosecutors.

Ricky Williams, an attorney for Maduwuba Oluchukwa Ibekwe, who was charged with Ofedu, said his client had turned down an initial plea offer to testify against Igwebuike, but added that they were continuing to monitor developments.

Ibikwe was arrested Oct. 12 at Orlando International Airport as he returned from Nigeria. U.S. Customs inspectors discovered three bags the size of a man's thumb wrapped in electrical tape hidden in Ibikwe's groin. The bags contained powder that federal agents said tested positive for heroin.

Officials said they later discovered 28 other bags in Ibikwe's stomach.

Ibikwe, a taxi driver and substitute teacher in Tampa, is a longtime friend of Igwebuike, Williams said.

Ofedu was arrested two days later and accused of picking up 400 grams of heroin from an undercover customs agent at a Tampa house. Ofedu claimed he was planning to sell the drugs in New York, according to court documents.

Igwebuike has confirmed he was being investigated, but refused to answer specific questions. He has not been charged with any wrongdoing.

Igwebuike, who spent five years with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, was cut by the National Football League team on Sept. 3 and signed by the Vikings.

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Knight nominated for Hall of Fame

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (AP) — Bob Knight and Larry O'Brien, the former NBA commissioner who died last month, were among 12 candidates nominated Tuesday for election to the basketball Hall of Fame — even though they had said they wanted no part of it.

Hall of Fame president Bob Kurland said the trustees decided that "if an individual is worthy of nomination to this prestigious honor that person's name and qualifications will be submitted to the 24-member honors committee."

"The guts of it is that history should be reported in its true form. Both these guys are deserving of being recognized under the standards of the Basketball Hall of Fame. I don't know how they are going to come out in the voting by the honors committee." — Hall of Fame President, Bob Kurland.

The late Larry Fleisher, who founded the NBA players association in 1962, was the only new name on the list. In addition to O'Brien, the late Carol Eckman, who organized the first national college tournament for women in 1969, was also nominated.

The names were announced at halftime of the NBA's Hall of Fame exhibition game between Detroit and Houston.

O'Brien, whose long political career included being an adviser to President Kennedy and national Democratic Party chairman, said

before his death that he had tried unsuccessfully to make the election process public during his two terms as Hall of Fame president.

"I have no quarrel with the Hall of Fame and would consider election a high honor, but I'm a guy who believes in the Democratic process," O'Brien had said.

Kurland said Hall of Fame trustees decided to make some changes in the Hall of Fame voting at their meetings Tuesday, but the names of the honors committee and its vote will remain secret.

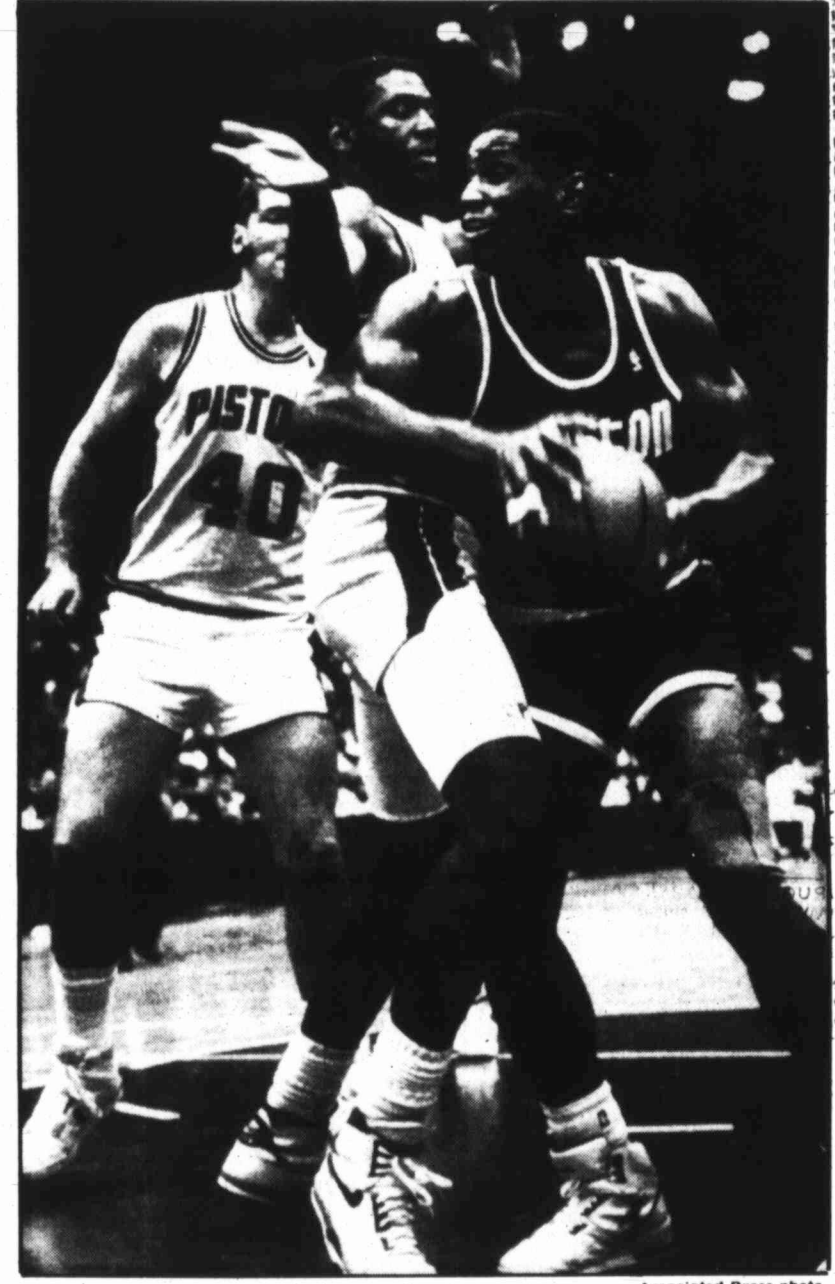
"That will never change," he said.

O'Brien and Knight have been the only nominees who tried to withdraw their names. But they are not the first to express their dissatisfaction. Bill Russell, the first black player to be elected to the Hall of Fame, refused to come to his 1974 induction to protest the lack of blacks.

Since Russell was enshrined in absentia, 16 black players, including Elvin Hayes, Earl Monroe and Dave Bing, who were installed this May, and two coaches, John McLendon and Clarence Gaines, have been inducted. The New York Renaissance, the most famous of the early black teams, was installed in 1963.

Currently there are 169 men, three women and four teams enshrined in the hall. Last year, when none of the nominees got the needed votes on the first ballot, trustees called for a second vote over the objections of president Bob Cousy, who quit in protest.

On Tuesday, trustees voted to require that a minimum of three people be selected by the honors committee each year even if it takes more than one vote, Kurland said.



Muscling to the basket
SPRINGFIELD, Mass. — Houston Rockets forward Otis Thorpe (33) runs into Detroit Pistons' William Bedford (00) and Bill Laimbeer (40) during the NBA Hall of Fame Game at Springfield Civic Center. Detroit won the game 113-104.

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Continued from page 1-B win," Stephen said.

Stephen made the three-mile cross country run in 18:06 minutes, and carried away fifth place for the Coahoma boys' varsity. He said he hopes to run in the mile and the two-mile events in track in the spring.

"We've been working very hard in cross-country. The varsity boys have a good chance to go to state for cross country competition," Stephen said. Coahoma boys varsity beat Ozona, which was ranked sixth in the state.

Sharon Hanks, their mother, is a pre-school teacher at Coahoma Elementary. She said the children keep her busy, and she credits their spiritual life with the success of the family.

"We have family time at supper and at bedtime. We try to support them in all their endeavors, in all their activities. I believe it's very

important that you support your children," she said.

Sharon Hanks said the family spends time together at church and each summer she tries to plan and save money for a long vacation. Last year the family went to the northeast United States. Next summer she's hoping they go to the northwest.

"I'm very proud of them. They've worked very hard to keep their grades up. Grades have to come first, and other things go along with it.

"It wears me out," she said about all the activities her children are involved in. She said she and Pete, her husband, may have to divide the activities, and go to different programs if schedules conflict.

The rowdiness of the Hank teenagers presents itself in guffaws, teasing and underlying competition, especially between Sarah and Rachel. Stephen remains quiet

and lets his sisters do most of the talking.

"He's quieter than the girls. There's a loving kind of competition (between the children). Rachel said she really wished this year she could have been the freshman," Sharon said. Rachel will not compete against Sarah in a meet again.

Sharon said colleges are trying to get Sarah to sign scholarship agreements, and that one coach in San Antonio calls every week to find out how Sarah did in the meet.

"Her sixth grade coach noticed Sarah. He told us she had natural talent, she works hard, and you can't tire her out. She trains with the boys," Sharon said.

Sarah, as well as Rachel and Stephen, adhere to a strict lights-out policy this year, Sharon explained, because Sarah was hospitalized four days last year with pneumonia. Now she's getting plenty of rest and taking vitamins.

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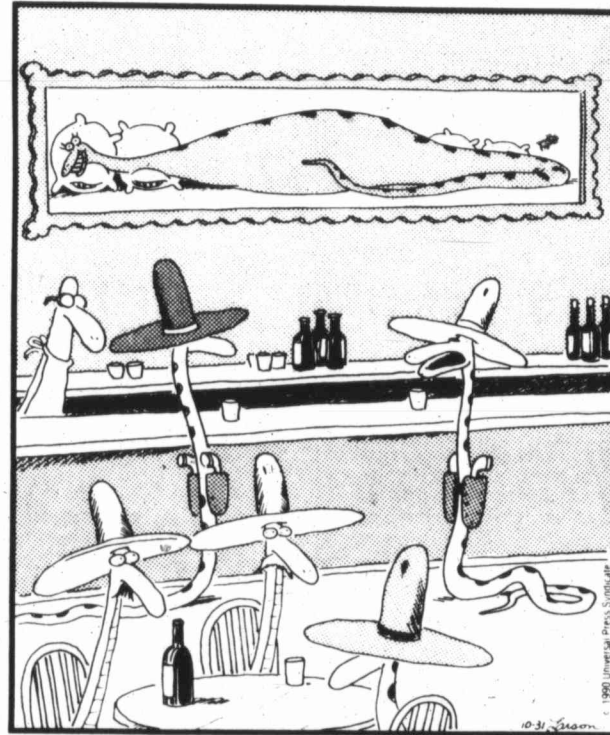
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Names in the news

DIXON, III. (AP) — Former President Reagan breezed down memory lane in a visit to his hometown, leading 225 flag-waving children in the Pledge of Allegiance and bashing Democrats and Saddam Hussein when he got the chance.

Greeted by adoring crowds Tuesday on a visit that coincided with the release of his memoirs, Reagan ate lunch at the first house in Dixon where the Reagan family lived. It is now a museum.

He talked with old friends and skipped stones at the swimming hole where, local legend has it, he saved 76 people as a lifeguard over seven summers.



PRESIDENT REAGAN BARBARA EDEN

of 15,700 about 100 miles west of Chicago.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Barbara Eden is joining the cast of "Dallas" as a business executive who takes Ewing Oil away from J.R. Ewing.

It's a bit of a role reversal for Eden and Larry Hagman, who plays J.R. Twenty years ago, Hagman was "Master" and Eden took the orders as "Jeannie" in the sitcom "I Dream of Jeannie." This time Eden becomes J.R.'s boss.

"My character does end up buying Ewing Oil and J.R. hates it. Of course, he wants to still be in there, so I hire him back," Eden said in the Nov. 13 issue of Soap Opera Digest.

He stopped at the now-vacant grade school he attended.

"I love and remember Dixon as the place I always know I can come home to," Reagan said of this town.

Jeanne Dixon's Horoscope

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1990

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Reflect soberly on a career change or business expansion. A romance begun over the Christmas holidays could turn serious by Valentine's Day. Stay out of family feuds as spring approaches. Invest in property or stocks if you get an unexpected windfall. A sweet deal can be finalized next July. Postpone travel until you can really afford to take the time off from work.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actress Betsy Palmer, columnist James J. Kilpatrick, pitcher Fernando Valenzuela, golfer Gary Player.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): A bank statement or notice may worry you. Check into it. A child does you proud. Find a meaningful way to reward this youngster. A financial project begins to show higher profits.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Getting involved in a community project could prove quite enjoyable. You need to circulate more. News from a loved one boosts your spirits. Look to your elders for helpful advice.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Looking for romance is a waste of time today. If it happens, it will fall into your lap. Do not be afraid to say "no" when you know you are in the right.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Someone's comments could harm your reputation. Demand that this person come up with proof. Spend the evening relaxing. Get together with old friends or read a good book.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): A fear that your luck is running out may slow you down. Stop being so superstitious — hard work will pull you through! Meet a ticklish situation head-on — and be honest. Postpone romance.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A simple misunderstanding can be cleared up with a single phone call. Your interest in science is stimulated by something you read today. Children will do a lot to brighten your evening.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Your creative talents enhance your reputation with those you love. Stick to

artistic work, where you can reap the benefits of your vivid imagination. Do not hide your feelings from mate.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Pressure may lead you to do something that is not in your best interests. Check documents regarding children's welfare. Overlooking a minor mistake now could make for future problems.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): A friend may seek your counsel. Encourage this person to find the answer in his own heart. A visitor from afar could make certain demands on you. Set rules but be polite.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): A long-awaited phone call will relieve your concerns. A complicated family situation can be quickly straightened out if everyone refrains from making suggestions.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Be careful where you put your keys, mail or money. Expect a surprise from a conservative friend who is about to make big changes. Do not try to limit a personal relationship.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Be prepared to do some sleuthing. Asking questions will help you understand a new friend. A feisty young person attracts new attention at work. Avoid trying to force an issue with a relative.

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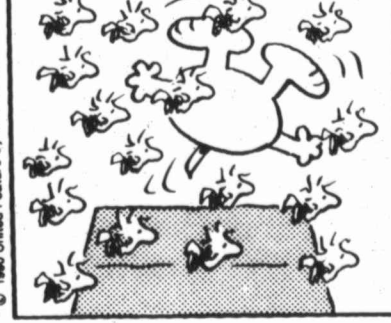
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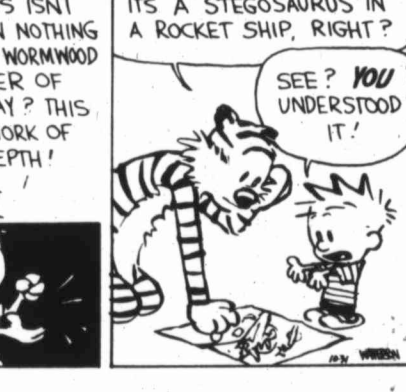
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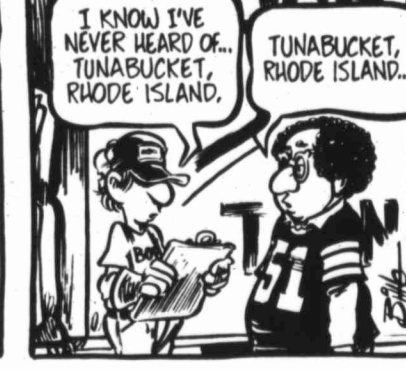
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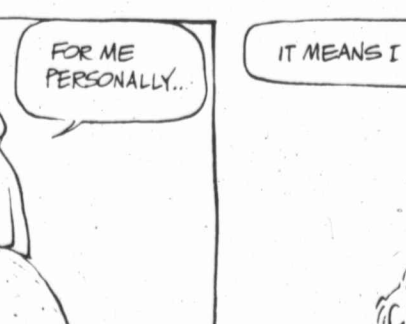
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Area weather: Fair tonight and partly cloudy Thursday. Low tonight around 50; high Thursday around 80.

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Speaker talks sex ed with parents

By MARCELLINO CHAVEZ
Staff Writer

Pat Socia of Project Respect discussed ways Monday for Stanton parents to become instrumental in keeping their children from becoming sexually active.

A new sexuality program for students, teachers and parents from a public health perspective was introduced to adults in the Stanton community Monday night. During the day, assemblies were scheduled for junior high and high school students.

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"We began the project Sex Respect five years ago with a federal grant from the Office of Adolescent Pregnancy Programs, Department of Health and Human Services. And we see significant evidence that pre-post sexual attitudes have changed and also

establishing and reinforcing the idea of marriage as a context for sexual intercourse," Socia said.

"We are having more and more teenagers say, 'It is important for me not to have sex before I get married,'" Socia said. "Our statistical data shows that before the program was implemented, 56 percent perceived the benefits of

premarital virginity. This number increased to 71 percent after the program was introduced."

Significant changes were found regardless of age, sex, family form, parental education, race, church attendance and academic ability, according to Project Respect director Kathleen Sullivan.

"The program's slogan, 'Everyone is not doing it' is designed to help the teenager as well as the parent confront the issue without feeling morally wrong discussing the teenagers decision," said Socia. "Pregnancy is not only the problem now. There is a serious health problem with sexually transmitted diseases being spread in epidemic proportions. Adolescents can become physically hurt for the rest of their lives and even die because of being sexually active."

"We have to keep the idea in the teenagers' minds that it is healthy to say no. Most of the problems

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Tuesday's high temperature.....	81
Tuesday's low temperature.....	50
Average high.....	72
Average low.....	45
Record high.....	90 in 1987
Record low.....	30 in 1917
Rainfall Tuesday.....	0.00
Month to date.....	1.43
Normal for Month.....	1.87
Year to date.....	18.87
Normal for year.....	16.96

Noon Lions meet Tuesday

Stanton Noon Lions met Tuesday at the community center. High School Band Director Kirke McKenzie was recognized for his efforts in placing the Buffalo band in regional competition.

County Judge Bob Deavenport distributed "Just Say No" pictures that county students colored in connection with Red Ribbon Week. The pictures were graded and first place went to Lion Rob Tucker while Dr. Randy Moore received second place.

FFA selling turkeys, fruit

Stanton High School Future Farmers of America will be selling turkeys door-to-door around the community until Nov. 2, according to FFA member Wesley Hardin.

FFA fruit sales continue until Nov. 14. Oranges, apples and grapefruits will be available, according to FFA sponsor Randall Redder.

Anyone wanting to purchase a Thanksgiving turkey or fruit for the upcoming holidays may contact any FFA member of leave a message at the high school office, 756-3326.

Candy to be X-rayed at MCH

Trick-or-treaters will have a chance to have their Halloween goodies examined by the Martin County Hospital tonight according to hospital officials.

Children must bring their candy to the hospital and parents must sign a permission form.

For more information contact the hospital at 756-3345.

St. Joseph site of carnival

St. Joseph Catholic Church will sponsor an All-Saints Carnival at the churches parish hall Nov. 3, according to assistant coordinator Teri Marquez.

The carnival is scheduled from 6:30 p.m. until midnight. Booths such as tic-tac-toe, fish pond, cake walk, balloons, darts, wheel of fortune, hamburgers, burritos and bingo are scheduled.

The Knights of Columbus will help coordinate the carnival.

Noah's Arc carnival party

A community carnival will be held from 7-9 p.m. tonight at the community center for children in grades five and under. The festival is being held in conjunction with First Baptist and First United Methodist churches.

There will be booths such as a duck pond, creative art, bird's nest, rainbow, helium balloons, darts, hippo football throw and gorilla basketball.



Waving goodbye

SAN ANTONIO — Sgt. John A. Uvalde of the 340th Service and Supply Company, waves goodbye to family and friends in the photo at right before departing for the Persian Gulf. Above, relatives of soldier Antonio Alcocer watch as he boards a plane at Kelly Air Force Base.



Williams stumbles during interview

By STEPHEN L. ARTERS
Associated Press Writer

DALLAS — Republican gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams fielded many questions during two television interviews, but it was the one he couldn't answer that caused a stir.

Williams stumbled Tuesday when asked about the proposed constitutional amendment on next week's ballot that deals with Senate confirmation of appointments by a governor. The GOP candidate did not know what the amendment would do.

Democrat Ann Richards quickly

said Williams' confusion bolstered her argument that Williams isn't qualified to be governor. "This job is no place for on-the-job training," she said.

"Being the governor of Texas is not something that you just take as a crown to some other career," she said, adding that she voted for the measure. "Frankly, I am extremely surprised that someone who has set out to be governor of Texas would not even understand the constitutional amendment on the ballot," Richards said.

Meanwhile, a new poll published in today's editions of the Fort

Worth Star-Telegram showed a close race. Williams had a 45 percent to 41 percent lead with 14 percent undecided according to the Fort Worth Star-Telegram Gallup Texas Poll.

The survey showed that Richards has gained among those saying they are likely to vote. Each candidate had the support of 44 percent of that group, but Williams had a 10-point lead in a previous Star-Telegram Gallup Poll two weeks ago.

The telephone poll of 1,005 registered voters was conducted Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The

margin of error is 3 percent.

Williams' stumble over the constitutional amendment came during an on-camera session with reporters at KERA-TV studios in Dallas. Williams said he was unfamiliar with the amendment, the only one on the ballot, and was unclear how he had voted on it.

Williams was interviewed for about 30 minutes by moderator Bob Ray Sanders and other Texas journalists. Panelist Wayne Slater of The Dallas Morning News asked Williams for his position on the amendment, Proposition 1.

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Perry hopes ads will push him to victory

By CHIP BROWN
Associated Press Writer

LUBBOCK — For months, Republican agriculture commissioner candidate Rick Perry has been trying to link incumbent Democrat Jim Hightower to an FBI investigation.

With a week to go before election day, Perry is putting all of his hopes in attack television ads alluding to the alleged scandal.

Perry trails Hightower by as much as 20 points in some Texas cities.

But he hopes the ads depicting Hightower as a liberal who has brought corruption to the ag commissioner's office will put him over the top.

"I think people really care about whether their elected officials are crooks or not," Perry said.

"And, quite frankly, obviously these FBI investigations are not going to be played out in the court prior to the election.

"But let me tell you, they're being played out today in the court of public opinion and Jim Hightower ain't got Perry Mason working for him."

Perry has alleged throughout the campaign that an FBI investiga-

tion into Hightower's 1988-90 campaign fund-raising will produce indictments.

Hightower has denied allegations of wrongdoing and says the FBI has not contacted him about any investigations.

Brigid Shea, a campaign spokeswoman for Hightower, said Perry is "a desperate man."

"I don't know how much longer Perry thinks he can beat this dead horse," Ms. Shea said. "Two investigations of the exact same issue have given us a clean bill of health and yet he continues to drag this on. It's just a portrait of a desperate man."

Perry blamed Hightower for allowing Congress to cut \$11 billion in agriculture programs over the next five years in Congress' new federal budget agreement.

"Hightower was more interested in running around — at state expense I might add — talking about what was happening in Geneva when there was a fire burning that was a great deal more detrimental to the farmers and ranchers of this state."

Ms. Shea said Perry's claim was preposterous.



'I've had it'

WASHINGTON — President Bush said Friday, "I've had it" with Iraq's treatment of U.S. hostages, but added that he had no timetable for a possible military strike.

President criticizes hostages' treatment

By LISA GENASCI
Associated Press Writer

President Bush said today he was running out of patience with Saddam Hussein's harsh treatment of American hostages, and in both the Middle East and Europe there was more talk of war against Iraq.

At the same time, Iraqi Ambassador Mohammed al-Mashat said in Washington today that an attack on Iraq would earn the United States the animosity of Moslems worldwide. He suggested it was time for negotiation — if other Middle Eastern conflicts were also considered.

President Hosni Mubarak of Egypt said the Persian Gulf crisis had become so dangerous it "could explode at any time."

Mubarak urged "our brothers in Iraq" to realize the gravity of the situation their Aug. 2 invasion of oil-rich Kuwait has caused.

The commander of British forces in the Persian Gulf said today his troops would be fully operational within two weeks and warned that a military attack on Iraq was increasingly likely.

For Bush, a key issue was the Americans trapped in Iraq and Kuwait.

"The embassy is being starved," Bush said of the besieged U.S. Mission in occupied Kuwait. "The people out there are not being resupplied."

"The American flag is flying over the Kuwait Embassy and our people inside are being starved by a brutal dictator."

Speaking to reporters in Virginia, where he was campaigning for a congressional candidate, Bush said:

"Do you think I'm concerned about it? You're darn right I am."

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Spring board

How's that?

Q. Are there any special Halloween events in Transylvania?
A. Yes, according to North American Precip Syndicate, Inc. A growing number of Americans each year are traveling to Dracula's (the nickname of the 15th century prince, Vlad the Impaler) birthplace during Halloween. For \$999 you can spend one week there including an all-night costume party in a castle.

Calendar

Fair

- TODAY**
- Noah's Ark Carnival/Party for children in 5th grade and under, from 7 to 9 p.m. in the community center. Come dressed as one of God's creations.
- THURSDAY**
- Stanton 8th grade football vs Forsan; home; 6 p.m.
 - Stanton 7th grade football vs Seagraves; away; 5:30 p.m.
- FRIDAY**
- Stanton vs Forsan; away; 8 p.m.
 - Grady vs Sands; away; 7:30 p.m.
 - The Forsan High School senior class will sponsor a spaghetti supper from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the F.H.S. cafeteria. Adults - \$4; students - \$3; and pre-school - \$2.
- SATURDAY**
- All-Saints Carnival at St. Joseph Catholic Church from 6:30 p.m. to midnight. Bingo, etc.
 - Pee Wee Super Bowl at 7:30 p.m.
 - The Buffalo Band is performing in the regional competition at Ratliff Stadium in Odessa. The Buffs will be one of eight schools competing.

Tops on TV

Cop Rock

- Cop Rock.** Vicki's husband becomes jealous of her relationship with her partner; a public relations firm is hired to give LaRusso an image makeover. 9 p.m. Channel 2.
- Unsolved Mysteries.** 7 p.m. Channel 9.
- Married People.** 8:30 p.m. Channel 2.

Sex ed

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come from pro-family planning education that teach premarital sex by showing how to use condoms and devices to control pregnancy. The only way our leaders of tomorrow can be sure that they will survive today is to abstain from sex," Socia said.

Jane Hellinghausen, director of the Permian Basin chapter of Planned Parenthood in Odessa, said having sex is "risky business, and we try to encourage teenagers to be abstinent from sex, but many teens still choose to have sex, and they are the ones that we are here for."

Hellinghausen said that Planned Parenthood provides information and communication between the parents and teenagers.

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Troops doing Christmas shopping

DALLAS (AP) — It's not exactly Neiman-Marcus, but a mail-order catalog from Dallas will allow soldiers in Saudi Arabia to play Santa Claus.

With the Army and Air Force Exchange Service catalog, the 200,000 soldiers in the Persian Gulf can shop for loved ones back home without leaving their desert tents. Tens of thousands of copies of the Christmas catalog are on their way to the Middle East.

"One of the things I think most of our American troops over there are accustomed to is the ability to go in and browse in nice stores. And we want to give them that capability, every day if their duties will allow that," said Maj. Gen. Jeffery B. Kahla, who heads AAFES.

"Our goal is customer satisfaction, whether people are in the sands of Saudi Arabia or living in a beautiful house in Dallas, Texas."

In addition to a mail-order service, the 95-year-old, self-supporting organization with headquarters in Dallas runs cut-rate stores on bases in the United States and around the world for members of the military and their dependents.

The stores are known in Air Force slang as "BX," for base exchange; in the Army, it's "PX," for post exchange. Altogether, AAFES generates about \$7 billion in annual sales and employs 82,000 mostly civilian employees.

The AAFES set up field ex-

change stores within 15 days of the beginning of Operation Desert Shield, Kahla said.

The 50 shops in Saudi Arabia offer soldiers candy, sodas, cigarettes, lotion and batteries — lots of batteries, mostly for cameras and personal stereos, also for sale. Shoppers also can buy socks, underwear and plastic thongs, popular for walking across the burning sand to the showers, Kahla said.

The only things missing are alcohol and adult magazines, barred by the Saudis, Kahla said.

Exchange sales in Saudi Arabia have reached about \$3 million a month, he said.

Some of the shops operated originally from the backs of trucks. Most are now in cramped tents, with shelves of wooden slats and sand or wood floors. Few as yet have air conditioning or refrigerators.

And the inventory is limited to 350 items, which means, for example, that the only cassette tapes for sale are those in the Top 10.

But it's still a link to home.

"It probably looks just like Neiman-Marcus to them," Kahla said, referring to the luxurious Dallas-based department store.

About 98,000 copies of the Christmas catalog have been sent to Saudi Arabia, and an equal number are ready to be shipped. The troops' orders will be processed at AAFES in Dallas and filled

from a warehouse or vendor.

The Christmas catalog is available at military exchanges around the world. But orders from those stationed in the Persian Gulf will get top priority.

"We just don't want them to order something for their girlfriend or their mother and have it come back not in stock. Because they don't have another choice," Kahla said.

The catalog includes items found in most stateside store: model planes and tanks, puzzles, roller skates, walkie-talkies and wagons.

There is the Bear Forces of America — 20-inch teddy bears wearing the uniforms of the four service branches, available in desert camouflage.

There are housewares, jewelry, clothing and a grandfather clock. Soldiers can even order a personal tanner, although the idea may not have much appeal in the desert.

Despite the Saudi ban on non-Muslim religious symbols, angel ornaments and creche figures are available in the catalog.

"I know that the BX is important because I've been to war. It's very important to the morale of the troops," Kahla said. "It made me feel like I was a little bit back home."

In the Gulf, AAFES also circulates hit movies, operates vending machines, manages pay phones and plans to open barber shops within about two weeks.



DALLAS — Maj. Gen. Jerrery Kahla poses with the Army and Air Force Exchange Service catalog in his office. The Christmas catalog is being sent to soldiers in the Persian Gulf.

Bush

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And what I'm going to do about it — let's just wait and see, because I have had it with that kind of treatment of Americans."

On Tuesday, Saddam said he was making final preparations for war, and Bush discussed possible military action with congressional leaders.

A few diplomats have held out at the U.S. Embassy in Kuwait, defying an Iraqi order to close missions in the annexed nation. Iraq has responded by cutting utilities and surrounding the compound with troops. Only the British and American embassies remain open.

In addition, about 1,000 Americans are among the Westerners being held in Kuwait and Iraq to deter attack by the U.S.-led multinational forces stationed in the gulf region. Many are being held at strategic sites as

human shields.

Asked today if the hostages have become a more important part of his gulf strategy, Bush said: "I wouldn't say more, but I am very concerned about it."

The administration of former President Ronald Reagan used the safety of Americans as a pretext to invade Grenada in 1983, while the Bush administration also cited the safety of Americans when he sent troops to Panama in 1989.

Bush said, however, the recent comments from the administration about the possible use of American military might against Iraq should not be interpreted as an indication war was imminent or unavoidable.

"You don't use pretext when you have force deployed," Bush said today. "You just do what's right."

The United States has more than 210,000 troops in the gulf region and

recently announced plans to send 100,000 more. About 100,000 soldiers have been deployed by other nations. The multinational force faces about 460,000 Iraqi troops stationed in southern Iraq and Kuwait.

The Iraqi ambassador, al-Mashat, said any attack on Iraq would earn Americans the animosity of all Iraqis and Moslems throughout the world who, he said, view the use of force in the gulf region as a new form of colonialism.

He said Iraq was ready to begin negotiations on the crisis if issues such as the Lebanon civil war and Israel's occupation of the Gaza Strip and West Bank — land claimed by Palestinians — were included in the talks.

"We seek a peaceful solution to all of these questions," al-Mashat

said. "All of them together. Now."

Al-Mashat also reiterated claims that Iraqi agents in Kuwait had seized a secret document showing that the CIA and Kuwaiti intelligence were plotting against Iraq prior to the invasion.

"What I'm saying is there was a conspiracy by Kuwait with the support of the United States. This is a document that will substantiate what I say," al-Mashat said.

Peter Earnest, a spokesman for the U.S. intelligence agency, has dismissed the document as a fake.

Speaking to reporters in Cairo, Mubarak said he hoped "our brothers in Iraq will understand well that the situation is very dangerous and could explode at any time."

If war comes, "Iraq will be ruined, and (it) will harm all of us," Mubarak said.

Egypt has contributed 16,000 troops to the force arrayed against Iraq — the largest Arab contingent.

There was also talk of war in London.

Britain's Air Chief Marshal Sir Paddy Hines said:

"I am sure we all hope it won't come to that but Saddam Hussein seems reluctant at the moment to accept the judgment of world opinion," said Air Chief Marshal Sir Paddy Hines, speaking at RAF Strike Command.

"It is looking increasingly unlikely that Saddam Hussein will withdraw unconditionally from Kuwait."

He said that 80 percent of Britain's 7th Armoured Brigade is already in Saudi Arabia with 8,000 men and they expect to be fully operational in the next two weeks.

Farm scene

By the ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — Japan has increased its investment in the U.S. food system but still is a long way from taking over the nation's farms and agribusiness network, an Agriculture Department analyst says.

For example, Japanese investors last year bought about \$456 million worth of U.S. farmland, compared with \$289 million spent in 1988.

Before that, the biggest single-year Japanese investment in U.S. farmland was \$22 million in 1982, said Christine Bolling of the department's Economic Research Service.

Overall, about \$1 billion worth of farmland — that agency researchers are aware of — has been bought with Japanese money, sometimes in joint ventures with U.S. companies. Also Japanese investors have spent an additional \$5 billion to buy or invest in agriculturally related businesses.

Bolling, whose study was reported in the November issue of Farmland magazine, said the joint ventures with partial ownership mask the overall presence of Japanese ownership.

According to Commerce Department figures, total foreign investment in the U.S. agribusiness sector is about \$30 billion, with an additional \$10 billion in agricultural land.

Thus, the \$6 billion Japan has in farmland and related industries represents about a 15 percent share of the \$40 billion foreign total.

"The U.S. agribusiness complex is so huge that foreign properties are a small part of the whole complex," Bolling said.

Japan is not the largest foreign investor in American agriculture and agribusiness, she said. But it does appear to be growing faster than some of the traditional leading investors, including the United Kingdom.

"While some are concerned about increasing Japanese investment in U.S. agribusiness, there should be no more concern than that over British, Canadian or other foreign investment in the agribusiness sector," Bolling said.

Among the largest Japanese holdings are a 77,000-acre cattle ranch in Montana, a 25,000-acre citrus grove in Florida, and a 1,000-acre prune orchard in nor-

thern California.

In food processing, Bolling said, Japanese investors own the second-largest vinegar company in the United States, several food processing plants and a company that controls 60 percent of the bread-baking industry in Hawaii.

Japanese are also involved in California wines, bottled water and soft drinks, Alaskan fish processing, textile mills and feed additives and grain storage. Bolling said they also hold a major interest in the 7-Eleven chain of convenience stores.

"In some cases, Japanese investments in U.S. agribusiness are part of a vertically integrated industry, where the products are shipped to Japan," she said. "Such situations have developed in the citrus, prune and beef industries."

For example, Bolling said, Japan not only has bought a Montana cattle ranch but also feedlots, and beef-processing plants in Washington and California. She said joint ventures in feedlots have been established in California, Colorado, Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska, Nevada, Pennsylvania, Texas and Wyoming.

Altogether, Bolling said, beef shipments originating from these cattle operations represent 15 percent to 20 percent of the U.S. beef exports to Japan.

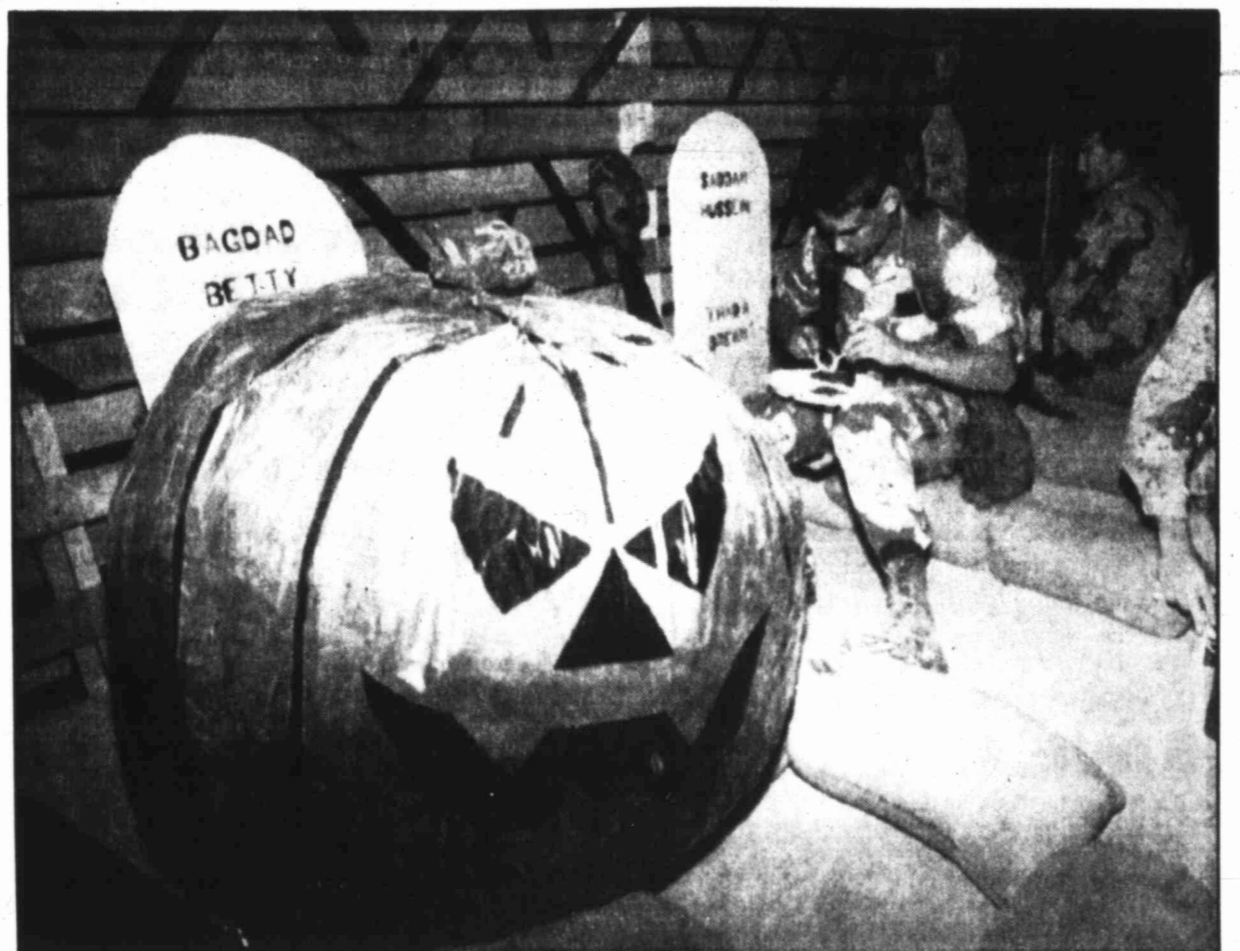
The Japanese investment in U.S. agribusiness is "part of a global phenomenon of market integration," she said. "It also fits in with Japan's situation in that it is an affluent but food-deficit country that sets high standards for the food it imports and consumes."

WASHINGTON

— About 330,000 farmers participating in the long-term Conservation Reserve Program soon will be getting \$1.6 billion in rental payments for taking cropland from production, Agriculture Secretary Clayton Yentler says.

The payments are for the 1991 fiscal year that began Oct. 1. Yentler said Tuesday the department's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service will notify county offices to begin payments immediately "without any further delay."

During the recent budget-cutting maneuvers, it appeared the payments would be delayed or even reduced. But Yentler said full cash payments will be made to cover contracts signed to place cropland in the program during crop years 1986 through 1990.



Associated Press photo

Gulf Halloween

SAUDI ARABIA — Airman First Class Kurtis Crawford of York, Pa., eats a dinner of beans and barbecue chicken here Wednesday. Members of

the Air Lift Control Element from McGuire Air Force Base, N.J., celebrated Halloween with the meal at a Saudi airbase.

Candidates

Continued from page 1-A

"Now Prop. 1 is which, excuse me?" Williams asked.

Slater noted it was the only one on the ballot and dealt with when gubernatorial appointees must be confirmed.

"Oh, on the education commissioner," Williams said.

"No, changing the timing on gubernatorial appointments," Sanders interrupted.

"Are you aware of the problem?" Slater asked.

"I'm not aware of the problem," Williams responded.

"It was a major problem in the Legislature last year," Slater said. He noted the amendment was drafted to clear up confusion over the status of gubernatorial appointments made between regular legislative sessions.

"Oh," Williams said, "between the changing of the guard? Well, I think it certainly needs to be remedied. I don't know. I really haven't taken a position."

Williams' opponent has criticized Williams, a Midland businessman, as a political amateur who doesn't understand government. Asked if his confusion did not lend credence

to Richards' charges, Williams said, "I'm not a politician."

"But you are running for governor," Slater said.

"Yeah, I can read, and if you put that in front of me it would take me about thirty seconds to give you my opinion," Williams said. "I had the highest grade point in the school of agriculture at A&M my last semester."

Panelists reminded Williams that he had already cast his absentee ballot.

Williams said he voted "right down the ticket." But when asked how he voted on Prop. 1, Williams said, "I voted for it. I think I voted for it."

After the session, Williams, standing with his wife, Modesta, told reporters, "I was highly informed on Prop. 1, but my wife was. She told me what to do, I guess."

Prop. 1 would reaffirm the state Senate's traditional practice of voting on gubernatorial nominees during regular legislative sessions. Attorney General Jim Mattox has ruled that the appointments must be considered at the next available opportunity, whether regular or special session.

Without the amendment, decisions by boards affecting prisons, electric rates, air pollution penalties and other functions of state government could be challenged in court and put on hold.

In a second television interview, Williams was again asked about the proposition and how he voted on it.

"There's no Prop. 1," he said. "There was a No. 1 constitutional amendment. It threw me a little bit. But that's kind of housekeeping."

"I think tonight I'll be looking forward to talking about facing the real issues," he added.

In her televised interviews Tuesday, Richards said this year's mudslinging campaign was a kind of vicious circle.

"If you don't fight back, then people think you're weak and you're incapable of governing. If you do fight back, everybody goes crazy because the campaign is negative," she said.

Richards said she wasn't sorry about poking fun at then-Vice President Bush in a speech to the 1988 Democratic National Convention.

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A Festive Country Feast



From the first few strains of "Over the River and Through the Woods" to the last chorus of "Auld Lang Syne," this time of year is the "official feasting season" in the United States and Canada. It's a time for family and friends to celebrate with festive meals featuring foods that have historical and ethnic significance or bring back cherished memories.

The early settlers in North America brought their traditional holidays with them but adapted them to the new foods they found in the wilderness. Plentiful wild turkeys replaced scarce domestic livestock as the main course at special dinners, and resourceful cooks learned to use native foods such as corn, squash and maple syrup in delicious side dishes.

Today's busy cooks often face the dilemma of time versus tradition. Resourceful modern cooks rely on convenience foods such as prepared mincemeat in ready-to-use or condensed forms, 100% pure maple syrup and beef- or chicken-flavor bouillon in instant or cubes to ensure old-time flavors and cut preparation time.

Creamy Carrot Soup is the perfect first course for your at-home banquet. Chicken-flavor bouillon gives a slow-simmered stock taste to the pureed base of carrots, tomatoes, and half-and-half seasoned with onion, garlic, bottled lemon juice and basil.

Turkey still holds a place of honor on holiday tables, and most families want stuffing with their bird. Cornbread Pecan Stuffing features a packaged stuffing mix enhanced with celery, green pepper, pecans and chicken-flavor bouillon. This fast and easy side dish is equally delicious stuffed in the turkey or baked alongside. Serve with simple-to-make Rich Turkey Gravy.

Maple Acorn Squash does double-duty as a vegetable side dish or as a garnish for the turkey. The squash is cut into rings, brushed with a mixture of 100% pure maple syrup, margarine, orange rind, cinnamon and nutmeg then baked until tender.

For dessert, pure maple syrup adds a new flavor twist to a traditional favorite in luscious Maple Pumpkin Pie. This all-natural sweetener is used in both the filling and the Maple Whipped Cream topping the pie.

Mincemeat pie is a holiday item rich with history. Introduced by English colonists, the recipe has gradually evolved from a savory meat pie to the more familiar dessert blend of apples, raisins, citrus and spices. Apricot Walnut Mince Pie is a layered pie that uses ready-to-use mincemeat, dried apricots and walnuts in a flavorful filling that is topped with a vanilla-spiked sour cream mixture.

No time to bake a mincemeat pie? Keep the mincemeat tradition with Quick Mince Spice Cookies, a time-saving recipe using a package of spice cake mix and condensed mincemeat.

Take time to enjoy family, friends and good cheer throughout the holiday season with stress-free cooking that relies on convenience foods to make traditional feasts simple and fuss-free.

Creamy Carrot Soup

(Makes about 2 quarts)

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| ½ cup chopped onion | 5 teaspoons chicken-flavor instant bouillon or 5 chicken-flavor bouillon cubes |
| 1 clove garlic, finely chopped | ¼ cup bottled lemon juice |
| 2 tablespoons margarine or butter | 1 teaspoon basil leaves |
| 5 cups water | ½ teaspoon pepper |
| 2 pounds carrots, pared and sliced | 1 cup half-and-half or coffee cream |
| 2 medium tomatoes, seeded and chopped (2 cups) | |

In large kettle or Dutch oven, cook onion and garlic in margarine until tender. Add remaining ingredients except half-and-half; bring to a boil. Reduce heat; cook covered until tender. In blender or food processor, blend half the carrot mixture until smooth; repeat. In large saucepan, over low heat, combine half-and-half with carrot mixture; cook and stir until hot. Garnish as desired. Refrigerate leftovers.

Cornbread Pecan Stuffing

(Makes about 2 quarts)

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| 1 cup chopped celery | 1 tablespoon chicken-flavor instant bouillon or 3 chicken-flavor bouillon cubes |
| 1 cup chopped green bell pepper | 1 (16-ounce) package cornbread stuffing mix |
| 1 cup chopped onion | 1 cup chopped pecans |
| 1½ teaspoons poultry seasoning | 2 eggs, slightly beaten |
| ¼ teaspoon rubbed sage | |
| ½ cup margarine or butter | |
| 2 cups boiling water | |

In large skillet, cook celery, green pepper, onion, poultry seasoning and sage in margarine until tender. In large bowl, dissolve bouillon in water. Add celery mixture, stuffing mix, pecans and eggs; mix well. Loosely stuff turkey just before roasting or place stuffing in greased baking dish. Bake at 350° for 30 minutes or until hot. Refrigerate leftovers.

Rich Turkey Gravy

(Makes about 1½ cups)

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| ¼ to ½ cup unsifted flour | 2 teaspoons chicken-flavor instant bouillon or 2 chicken-flavor bouillon cubes |
| ½ cup turkey pan drippings | |
| 2 cups boiling water | |

In medium skillet, over medium heat, stir flour into drippings; cook and stir until dark brown. Stir in water and bouillon; cook and stir until thickened and bouillon is dissolved. Refrigerate leftovers.

Maple Acorn Squash

(Makes 6 to 8 servings)

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| 2 acorn squash, cut horizontally into ½-inch rings, seeds and membrane removed (about 2½ pounds) | 2 tablespoons margarine or butter, melted |
| ½ cup water | 1 tablespoon cornstarch |
| 1 cup pure maple syrup | 2 teaspoons grated orange rind |
| | ½ teaspoon ground cinnamon |
| | ¼ teaspoon ground nutmeg |

Preheat oven to 350°. Place squash and water in 15x10-inch jellyroll pan; cover with aluminum foil. Bake 35 minutes; drain. Combine remaining ingredients; brush squash with pure maple syrup mixture. Bake uncovered 25 minutes, brushing frequently with pure maple syrup mixture. Refrigerate leftovers.

Maple Pumpkin Pie

(Makes one 9-inch pie)

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| 1 (9-inch) unbaked pastry shell | ½ cup firmly packed light brown sugar |
| 1 (16-ounce) can pumpkin (about 2 cups) | 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon |
| 1 cup half-and-half or coffee cream | ½ teaspoon ground ginger |
| 3 eggs, slightly beaten | ½ teaspoon ground nutmeg |
| ½ cup plus 2 tablespoons pure maple syrup | |

Preheat oven to 425°. In large mixer bowl, combine all ingredients except pastry shell and 2 tablespoons pure maple syrup; mix well. Pour into pastry shell. Bake 15 minutes. Reduce oven temperature to 350°; bake 25 to 30 minutes longer or until knife inserted near edge comes out clean. Cool; brush with remaining 2 tablespoons pure maple syrup. Serve with Maple Whipped Cream. Refrigerate leftovers.

Maple Whipped Cream: In small mixer bowl, beat 1 cup (½ pint) whipping cream and ¼ cup pure maple syrup until stiff. Refrigerate leftovers. (Makes about 2 cups)

Apricot Walnut Mince Pie

(Makes one 9-inch pie)

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| 1 (9-inch) unbaked pastry shell | 1 (16-ounce) container sour cream, at room temperature |
| 1 (6-ounce) package dried apricots | 1 tablespoon sugar |
| 1 jar ready-to-use mincemeat (regular or brandy & rum) | 1 teaspoon vanilla extract |
| 1 cup chopped walnuts | |

Place oven rack in lowest position; preheat oven to 400°. Chop ½ cup apricots; reserve remainder. In medium bowl, combine mincemeat, chopped apricots and nuts; turn into pastry shell. Bake 25 minutes. Meanwhile, in medium bowl, combine sour cream, sugar and vanilla. Spread evenly over pie. Bake 8 minutes longer or until set. Cool. Garnish with reserved apricots. Refrigerate leftovers.

Quick Mince Spice Cookies

(Makes about 5½ dozen)

(not pictured)

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| 1 (18.25-ounce) package spice cake mix | 2 teaspoons grated orange rind |
| ½ cup vegetable oil | 1 (9-ounce) package condensed mincemeat, crumbled |
| 2 eggs | 1 cup chopped nuts |
| 2 tablespoons orange juice | |

Preheat oven to 350°. In large mixer bowl, beat cake mix, oil, eggs, juice and rind. Stir in mincemeat and nuts. Drop by heaping teaspoonfuls onto ungreased baking sheets; flatten slightly. Bake 15 minutes or until lightly browned around edges. Cool. Store tightly covered at room temperature.

THERE'S MORE...

- For a nutty Blue Cheese Dip: Stir together mayonnaise, sour cream, crumbled blue cheese, instant beef-flavor bouillon and chopped walnuts.
- For a rich Butter-Basted Turkey: Combine melted butter with instant chicken-flavor bouillon; brush on turkey before or during roasting.
- For Maple Glazed Sweet Potatoes, Yams or Carrots: Drizzle pure maple syrup over cooked vegetables; sprinkle with pecan halves.
- For a delicious Dessert Sauce: Mix together and heat shredded coconut, pecan halves and ready-to-use mincemeat; spoon over cake or ice cream.
- For a quick After-Dinner Drink: Stir pure maple syrup into hot black coffee; top with whipped cream and add a cinnamon stick.



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What is the most mixed-up creature in the world?

This strange creature has fangs that squirt poison—just like snakes; it lays eggs—just like chickens; it has a bill and webbed feet—just like ducks; it burrows tunnels in the ground—just like moles; and it nurses its young—just like humans.

If you haven't already guessed, this strange creature is the duckbill platypus, which comes from Australia.

The platypus is both a water and land animal. In order to adapt to both environments, its body combines features found in reptiles, birds and mammals.

The platypus's feet, for example, have webbed toes, just like turtles and ducks, to help it swim under water.

But its toes end in sharp claws, like those on birds. The platypus uses these claws to dig tunnels in muddy river banks.

On the inside of each leg, the platypus has a bony, hollow, needle sharp fang, like those on snakes. Through this fang, the platypus shoots a deadly poison into its enemies.

Its snout and bill are very similar to a duck's, and like a duck, the platypus uses it to poke around in the river bed in search of worms, snails and tiny shellfish.

Also, like every species of bird, the platypus lays eggs and sits on them until they hatch. She does this in a nest she has burrowed out of the mud on the riverbank.

Yet surprisingly enough, with all these features of birds and reptiles, the platypus is a mammal.

It's been classified as a mammal because the female nurses her young with her milk. Newly hatched platypuses look like hairless squirrels!

The deadliest fish in the world

The harmless looking silver and brown speckled piranha is the deadliest fish in the world.

The blood-thirsty fish of South America's Amazon River has jaws containing triangular shaped teeth as sharp as razor blades.

These meat eaters can strip an animal or human being down to a skeleton in just minutes.

Because the piranha has a huge appetite, it will go after any bait on a fisherman's hook. They will even go after one another. Once a piranha is hooked, the rest

of the school will not hesitate to devour it.

So the next time you look into a fish tank and see a little piranha swimming around inside, don't forget it's not as cute as it looks!



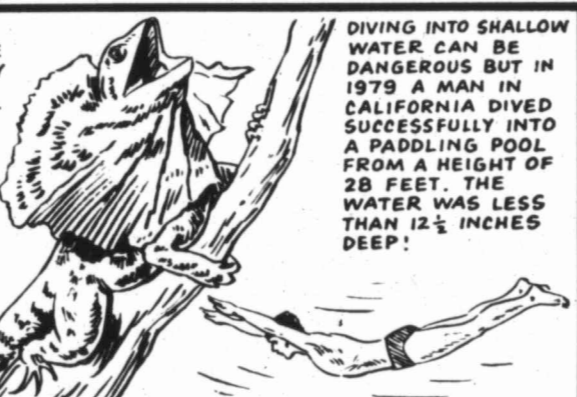
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Sweet suggestions for dessert indulgences without the fat, cholesterol and calories

If you love to indulge in rich desserts, but know they're off limits on your healthful diet, there's good news. You can still limit your intake of fat, calories and cholesterol and also appease your sweet tooth.

To enjoy tempting desserts without abandoning healthy eating practices, Barbara Beck, M.S., R.D., spokesperson for the Dannon Yogurt Information Center, recommends using yogurt as a substitute for cream, cream cheese or sour cream to maintain taste, add extra calcium and cut down on fat, calories and cholesterol.

Here's how:

- Prepare chilled dessert recipes with yogurt instead of sour cream, cream cheese or heavy cream and significantly reduce the amount of fat and calories. Compare one cup of each of the following:
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 - Sour Cream—415 Calories, 40 g of fat;
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To maintain the flavor of sour cream and cut back on fat and calories, mix two parts Dannon® Low-Fat or Non-Fat Plain Yogurt with one part sour cream.

- When dessert recipes call for butter-milk or whole milk, substitute equal parts of yogurt instead. When added to certain cake, cookie and pudding recipes, yogurt produces a rich, moist consistency and an added boost of calcium.
- Top Belgian waffles and fill crepes with a dollop of vanilla or fruit-flavored yogurt instead of ice cream, or other high-calorie fillings such as fruit preserves, whipped cream or chocolate sauce.

- Slim down a sundae by substituting a cup of plain or vanilla yogurt for ice cream. Top with fresh fruit and sprinkle with blanched almonds.

- Create a low-fat banana split by cutting a banana lengthwise, placing in a dish and covering with slices of fresh strawberries and whole blueberries. Top with a well-shaken banana or other fruit-flavored yogurt.

- Serve a slender yogurt parfait at your next get-together. In a tall, clear glass, alternate layers of well-mixed raspberry yogurt with equal parts lemon yogurt. Top with fresh raspberries or a delicate lemon-rind curl.

- Better than a shake, whip up a citrus refresher like an Orange-Banana Smoothie. Combine a 1/2 cup orange juice, one medium ripe banana and eight ounces Dannon® Vanilla or Lemon Yogurt in a blender, and whirl for 30 to 60 seconds.

- For a summertime treat, try Dannon Soft Frozen Yogurt instead of rich and calorie-ridden ice cream. With half the calories and twice the calcium of most ice creams, it's low in fat and cholesterol, and only 100-120 calories per four fluid ounce serving.

See the following recipes for more great-tasting dessert ideas that are good for you and your waistline:

RASPBERRY YOGURT MOUSSE

Servings: 4
Per serving: 120 Calories; 1 gram fat; 5 mg cholesterol

1 1/2 cups raspberries, fresh or frozen without sugar, puréed
1/4 cup apricot nectar
1 envelope unflavored gelatin
1 1/2 cups Dannon® Low-Fat Vanilla Yogurt
1/2 cup fresh raspberries (optional)

In a small saucepan, sprinkle gelatin over nectar. Let stand one to two minutes, until softened. Over low heat, warm mixture until just dissolved.

In a medium bowl, using a small whisk, gradually beat the gelatin mixture into the fruit purée. Place the mixture in refrigerator for 10 to 15 minutes.

Using an electric mixer set at low speed, beat the mixture about 30 seconds until luffy. Fold in the yogurt.

Transfer the mousse to a three cup mold or four individual serving dishes. Let chill for several hours until firm. Garnish with fresh berries.

YOGURT CREAM PIE

Servings: 8
Per serving: 205 Calories; 10 grams fat; 15 mg cholesterol

1 cup graham cracker crumbs
3 T. margarine, melted
1 envelope unflavored gelatin
1/2 cup low-fat or skim milk
4 ounces (1/2-8 oz. pkg.) neufchatel cheese (light cream cheese), softened
1/2 cup sugar
1 container (8 oz.) Dannon® Low-Fat Vanilla Yogurt
1 cup low-fat cottage cheese

Preheat oven to 350° F. In nine-inch pie plate, thoroughly combine crumbs and margarine. Press into bottom and sides of plate. Bake seven minutes; cool.

In small saucepan, sprinkle unflavored gelatin over milk. Stir over low heat until gelatin dissolves, about five minutes; set aside to cool.

In food processor (or in bowl with hand mixer), place neufchatel cheese and sugar; process until smooth. Add yogurt, cottage cheese and gelatin mixture and process until smooth. Pour into prepared crust. Chill until firm, at least four hours. Cut into wedges and serve.

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Prepare your eyes before seeing the sights

A hold has been put on newspaper delivery, arrangements have been made for the neighbors to water the plants and emergency telephone numbers have been given to relatives.

But no vacation has been truly prepared until the vacationers have considered their eyes, says the American Optometric Association.

Preparing the eyes is especially important for people over 60 who are planning a driving vacation. Changes in vision that come naturally with growing older can hamper driving ability, particularly on unfamiliar roads.

That's why the association recommends older travelers include a thorough eye examination in preparations for a driving vacation.

Passing a driver's license screening is

no guarantee that vision is up to par, because such tests are minimal. A thorough optometric examination covers eye health, common vision problems and vision skills used for driving.

Once they embark on their driving vacation, older adults can take several steps to get the most out of their vision. The association recommends they reduce speed at dusk or night, make sure the windshield and headlights are clean, take a break every hour or two from the heavy visual concentration of driving, keep the head and eyes moving to get the whole driving picture, and know the side effects of prescription drugs they are taking.

Optometrists recommend carrying a spare pair of glasses or contact lenses, especially when traveling in another country or in remote wilderness areas. This could save hours or even days of

frustration trying to replace lenses in another city or country.

Older adults who plan to stay in an area for an extended period of time can ask their optometrist for names and addresses of optometrists there who could care for their vision needs if necessary.

Those who need eye care while passing through an area can check telephone directories for the state or local optometric association in the area.

Vacationers who plan to spend a lot of time in the sun, whether it be on the beach, road, snow or water, should arm their eyes against harmful ultraviolet (UV) radiation by sporting a good pair of sunglasses that provide maximum UV protection and block 75 to 90 percent of light. If glare is a problem, polarizing lenses can help.

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KITCHEN SPRAY SPOUT is ideal for cleaning fruits and vegetables and watering plants. But beware! Make sure the spray spout has a warranty for both the faucet and the finish, warns Peerless' Dana Severs. SH894196

Practical spray spout is an ideal addition to kitchen sink

For spring home improvements, create the look and function of a gourmet kitchen by replacing your standard kitchen faucet with a spray spout. High-quality, do-it-yourself units like the Peerless Spray Spout pictured above are available with a five-foot long retractable hose located within the spout itself for quick, easy access. A push-button control on the water spout that transforms the flow of water from standard aerated flow to a handy spray is preferable. These features make the spray spout ideal for cleaning fruits and vegetables, watering plants, and other household chores requiring the spray of water. To ensure safe handling, make sure the spout is temperature-insulated. Besides function, a major concern is how well the spray spout fits into your kitchen design scheme. Some spray spout models such as Peerless' are available in white (shown), almond and other colors to help coordinate decorating needs. Dana Severs, national sales manager for Peerless Faucet Company, suggests that, when selecting a spray spout, you should make sure it includes a warranty for both the faucet and finish, for as long as you own your home.

Give Concrete Steps A Facelift With Alkali-Resistant Paint To Increase Beauty

Are your concrete steps plagued by chipping, flaking paint? If so, the National Paint and Coatings Association suggests you tackle the problem by applying a fresh coat of alkali-resistant paint. Some masonry surfaces, including concrete steps, contain alkali. The presence of alkali causes problems of adhesion in the form of chipping, flaking and discoloration. Alkalinity decreases with age and weathering, but to assure adhesion, apply a coat of alkali-resistant paint.

General suggestions for painting concrete surfaces: Wait 60-90 days before painting over new concrete surfaces. Use a wire brush to roughen up the surface. Apply two to three topcoats of alkali-resistant paint to new and repainted concrete surfaces. And, the NPCA recommends you set aside two days for the job. By painting alternate steps, you will be able to walk on the dry steps while painting the others.

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From the bookshelf...

A cookbook treat for the eyes as well as the palate

If your taste for the exotic is not quite matched by your culinary skills or ambitions, there is now a cookbook that's perfect for you. It's *Pacific Flavors* (Stewart, Tabori & Chang), a compilation of recipes by Hugh Carpenter, who has been hailed as "one of the most innovative chefs working today on the West Coast."

Fresh, light and delicious are the words that best describe Carpenter's cooking, which is predominated by the "Pacific flavors" of coconut, lime, mint and ginger. His book boasts more than 150 recipes, and while these recipes may seem at first to be incredibly complicated, they aren't.

The steps of preparation are simple and the necessary ingredients are, for the most part, easy to come by in American grocery stores.

Carpenter's real talent here is in combining ordinary ingredients with Oriental seasonings to create a cuisine that's accessible to almost everyone.

Here are some examples. Chicken becomes Coconut Curry Chicken when stir fried and then served in a sauce made with sherry, curry powder, coconut milk and soy sauce.

Pork cooked with ginger, lime, peanut butter and cherry tomatoes becomes

Tender Thai Pork. Veal cooked with ginger, sesame seeds, chives, vermouth and lemon becomes Sichuan Lemon Veal Chops.

Everyday vegetables such as broccoli, corn and peas, as well as pasta and rice, undergo similar transformations, and the book also includes chapters on desserts, appetizers, salads, soups and seafood, offering such diverse dishes as Oriental Paté and Flambéed Thai Bananas.

If you have never experimented with Oriental cooking, and lack even the basic seasonings, don't despair. Carpenter has outlined a short shopping list of must-have items (brand names included) "which are the basis for nearly all the recipes in this book," Carpenter writes.

These items, such as plum sauce, hoisin sauce, red sweet ginger, unsweetened coconut milk and Chinese chili sauce are inexpensive and last indefinitely. Carpenter points out, reassuring those who might be hesitant about getting started.

He recommends consulting the telephone book to track down the nearest Oriental market but, if that doesn't work, he has included the names and addresses of Oriental stores throughout the United States that provide mail-order services.

Carpenter is very good at explaining the details of his craft to others, which isn't surprising considering that he's taught more than 30,000 students at his cooking school in Santa Barbara, California, and at other leading cooking schools. He is also the executive chef at the Chopstix Cafe, and he leads culinary tours to China and Southeast Asia.

Carpenter has included in *Pacific Flavors* anecdotes from his experiences in the Orient, which add much to the appeal of the book—one can't help but get caught up in Carpenter's enthusiasm after reading them.

For example, this one appears as the introduction to his recipe for Beef Satay: "One of my favorite ways to spend an evening is to sit outdoors on a stool, eating ribbons of tender meat at the famous Satay Club in Singapore. You're under a sultry sky, amidst the shouts of satay cooks and the racket of cicadas.

"The fiery peanut sauces contribute their own heat, matched by the quantities of cold beer that are washed down as animated conversations about future adventures continue late into the evening—that's the good life!"

Even if Carpenter's words don't con-

vince you to try his recipes, the many color photographs that illustrate *Pacific Flavors* almost certainly will. The photos were taken by Teri Sandison, who just happens to be Carpenter's wife.

She also happens to be the director of a photography studio in Hollywood and has done the photography for more than 30 cookbooks. (This is the first book she and her husband have done together.)

With the help of two food stylists, Sandison has captured her husband's culinary creations in an incredibly striking and artistic fashion. In fact, the book jacket doesn't even refer to the unusual tableware used in the photos as dishes, or even tableware, but rather to "the most contemporary tabletop art."

For example, two varieties of dumplings are shown serving as the "checkers" on a brightly colored checkerboard tray.

Carpenter's book has a most engaging and friendly tone that really does encourage one to start experimenting in the kitchen. Carpenter also includes many tips on how to entertain and plan menus using his cookbook. All and all, he takes a rather intimidating cuisine and makes it seem a simple pleasure that none of us should do without.

FROM PACIFIC FLAVORS (STEWART, TABORI & CHANG) BY HUGH CARPENTER

COCONUT CURRY CHICKEN

- 4 chicken breast halves, boned and skinned
 - 1 tablespoon dry sherry
 - 1 tablespoon light soy sauce
 - 1 tablespoon plus 2 teaspoons cornstarch
 - 2 tablespoons plus 2 teaspoons peanut oil
 - 1 red onion
 - 1 large green bell pepper
 - 3 cloves garlic, finely minced
 - 1 tablespoon finely minced fresh ginger
- Sauce
- 1/2 cup unsweetened coconut milk
 - 2 tablespoons dry sherry
 - 1 tablespoon light soy sauce
 - 1/2 tablespoon curry powder
 - 2 teaspoons Oriental sesame oil
 - 1/2 teaspoon sugar
 - 1/2 teaspoon Chinese chili sauce
 - 1/4 teaspoon salt

Advance preparation

Cut chicken into 1/4-inch cubes, then mix with sherry, soy sauce, 2 teaspoons cornstarch, and 2 teaspoons peanut oil. Refrigerate until ready to cook. Peel onion then cut or chop into 1/2-inch cubes. Stem and seed pepper, then cut into 1/2-inch cubes. Combine onion and pepper and refrigerate until ready to cook. In small bowl combine ingredients for sauce.

Last-minute cooking

Combine remaining 1 tablespoon cornstarch with an equal amount of cold water. Set aside. Place wok over highest heat. When wok becomes very hot, add 1 tablespoon peanut oil to center of wok. Roll oil around sides of wok. When oil just begins to smoke, add chicken and stir-fry until it just loses raw outside color, about 2 minutes. Transfer to a work platter. Immediately return wok to highest heat. Add remaining 1 tablespoon peanut oil to center, then add garlic and ginger. Sauté a few seconds, then add onion and pepper. Stir fry until onion pieces separate and green pepper brightens, about 2 minutes. Return chicken to wok and pour in sauce. When sauce comes to a low boil, stir

in a little cornstarch mixture so sauce glazes the food. Taste and adjust seasonings, then spoon onto a heated platter or individual plates. Serve at once.

FIREWORKS RICE

- 4 dried black Chinese mushrooms
 - 1 1/2 cups long-grain white rice (not instant or converted)
 - 1/2 cup pine nuts (pignoli)
 - 2 cloves garlic, finely minced
 - 1 tablespoon finely minced fresh ginger
 - 3 tablespoons unsalted butter
 - 1/2 cup dark raisins
 - 1/2 cup minced green onions
- Sauce
- 2 1/4 cups chicken stock
 - 1/4 cup tomato sauce
 - 2 tablespoons dry sherry
 - 1 tablespoon oyster sauce
 - 2 teaspoons Oriental sesame oil
 - 1/2 teaspoon sugar
 - 1/2 teaspoon Chinese chili sauce

Advance preparation

Soak dried mushrooms in hot water until they soften, about 20 minutes. Discard stems and mince caps finely. Place rice in a sieve. Wash under cold water, stirring with your fingers, until the water is no longer cloudy, about 2 minutes. Drain thoroughly. Toast pine nuts in a 325°F oven until golden, about 10 minutes. Set aside. Prepare sauce. In a small bowl, combine ingredients and set aside.

Cooking

Place a 3-quart saucepan over medium-high heat. Add the garlic, ginger, and butter. Sauté until butter sizzles, then add rice. Stir rice until coated with the butter and well heated, about 5 minutes. Add the raisins, mushrooms, and sauce. Bring to a low boil, stirring, then cover, reduce heat to lowest setting, and simmer until all liquid is absorbed, about 18 to 24 minutes. Remove cover stir in the green onions and pine nuts. Serve at once. Serves: 4 to 6 as the side dish to any entree; 6 to 8 as part of an Oriental dinner.



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When planning your summer wardrobe, think about how your home can "dress" for the warm weather, too! It's easy to give a home a more seasonal look, according to the experts. Says designer Lyn Peterson of Motif Designs, New Rochelle, New York, it can be as simple as rearranging.

Take a look at your summertime lifestyle, is another bit of advice from Peterson. For example, where are you going to entertain or spend the most time? On the screened porch? The south-facing living room rather than the north-facing den? Focus your efforts there. Downplay the bedroom, saving that for winter.

To give the most-used rooms a summery look, follow the same guidelines as in putting together a summer wardrobe. Bright colors and cool pastels simply look best in warm climates and white, of course, is always right in summer.

Shed layers. Stow away the afghans and accessories that fill up a room with coziness in winter. Send the dried floral arrangement to the basement, it's out of season now. Think of how a thick wool sweater would look in July.

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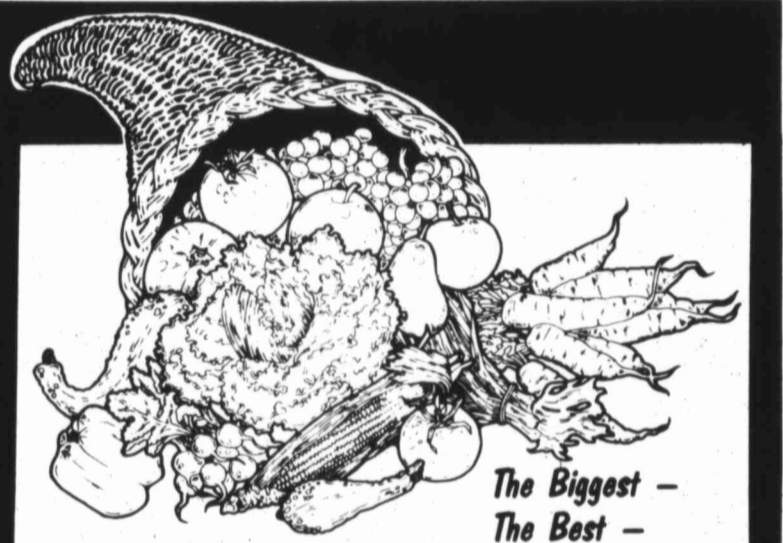
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