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Hill quits as state's top judge

AUSTIN (AP) — Chief Justice John Hill says his decision to leave the Texas Supreme Court will make him a more effective leader in his bid to convince Texans to do away with partisan judicial elections.

"Private citizens can affect the body politic more than judges. And that's as it should be," Hill said. "We are going to have judicial reform. The question is not if, but when."

Hill announced Wednesday that he will step down Jan. 1, return to private law practice, probably in Houston, and not seek public office in the future. He said he will continue to lobby for replacing the system of electing judges with one under which they would be appointed on merit.

"As long as I have breath, I will work for a better system than we presently use," he said.

The former attorney general and unsuccessful 1978 Democratic gubernatorial nominee also said he wants Gov. Bill Clements to use a merit-selection process to choose a replacement.

Hill urged Clements to issue an executive order to create a 15-member nominating commission to offer names for consideration as his successor.

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*** GOP happy, Demos mad at decision

AUSTIN (AP) — Democratic Chief Justice John Hill's early exit from the state Supreme Court probably hands the Republicans a top state job they had not dreamed of winning.

"This is so much easier than elections," state GOP Chairman George Strake of Houston said Wednesday after Hill announced he would leave the bench Jan. 1.

Republican Gov. Bill Clements will appoint a chief justice who will serve until the 1988 elections. Candidates will then vie for the remainder of Hill's term, which ends in 1990. Strake said Clements should make sure the appointee is a qualified judge, a Republican and electable in 1988.

"We have to know what to do with the breaks when we get them," Strake said.

In Sherman, Texas Democratic Party Chairman Bob Slagle heard about Hill's surprise announcement from a reporter.

"I'm startled that John Hill would do this. Obviously, it gives Clements an appointment I'd just as soon he not have," Slagle said.

But he predicted Democrats would win the job back in November 1988.

"I am confident that Texas Democrats will have the opportunity to select one of several well-qualified individuals who would be excellent winning candidates," Slagle said.

Supreme Court Justice Raul Gonzalez, a Democrat, said, "I am shocked and disappointed and very, very surprised. I did not see it coming and I don't think anybody in the court did. I just wish he hadn't done it."

But Gonzalez said the appointment of a Republican did not concern him.

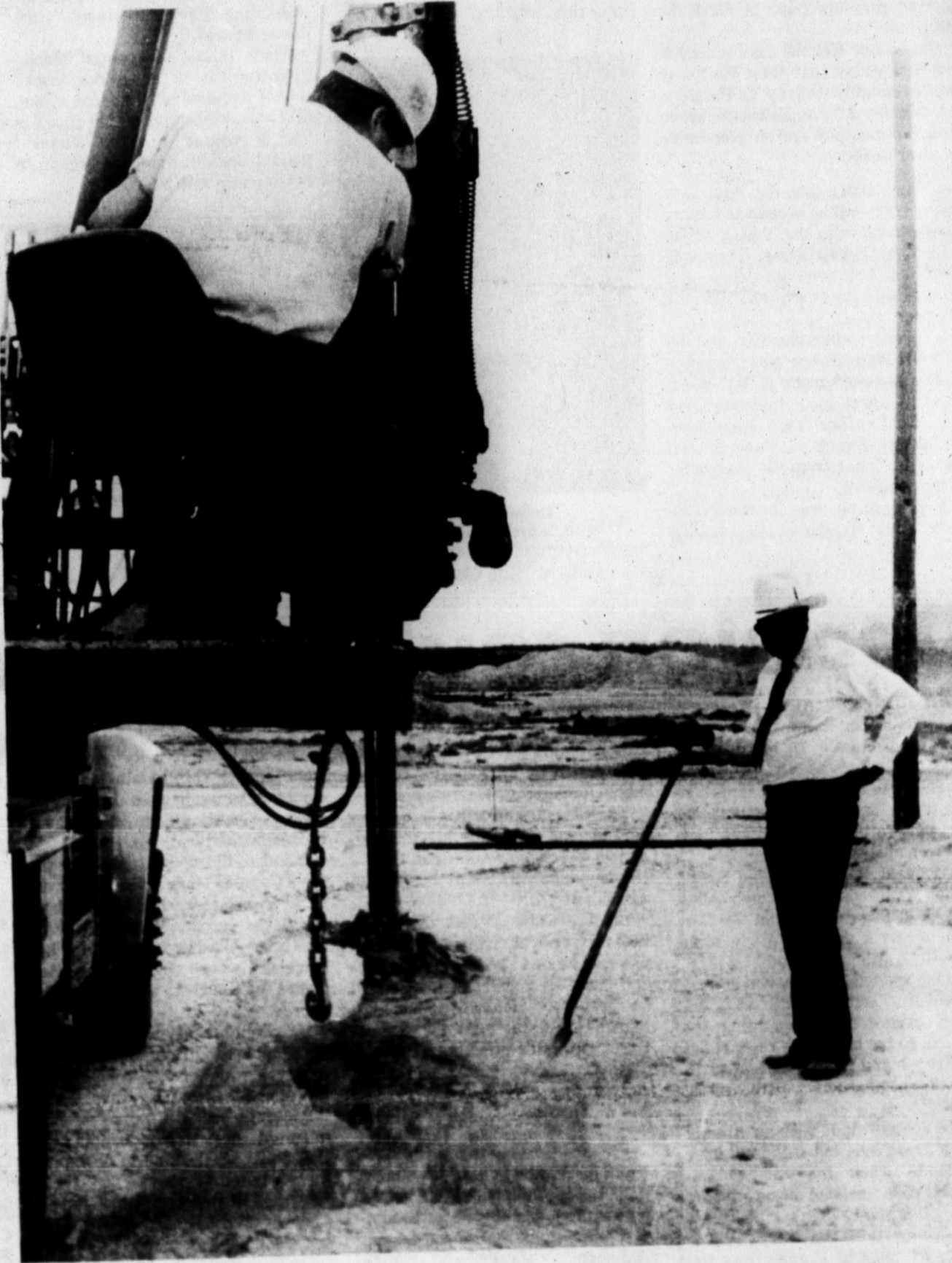
"We don't make decisions on this court based on political affiliation. I don't fear the appointment of a man or woman of political integrity," he said.

"The governor will make an appointment, as he always does, based on merit, based on ability and based on willingness to serve the people of Texas," said Reggie Bashur, Clements' press secretary.

The governor was vacationing in Colorado and unavailable for comment. In a release issued through his Capitol office, Clements said, "No stone will be left unturned in my efforts to find the very best individual for the position."

In 1978, Clements upset Hill in the governor's race to become Texas' first GOP chief executive in a century. Earlier this year, in his capacity as chief justice, Hill administered the oath of office to Clements, who defeated incumbent Democrat Mark White last year.

"Although we were opponents in a gubernatorial election, I always respected John Hill and believed he stated his positions on deep-felt beliefs. He has been a most able chief justice," Clements said in the statement.



Boring

Deaf Smith County Sheriff Joe Brown, right, looks over a borehole being dug by a Deaf Smith Rural Electric Cooperative employee at the new county gun range being constructed east of Hereford. The gun range, to be used by the sheriff's

department and reserve officers, will include mobile and stationary targets. Brown said most of the material and labor has been donated for the range, which may be ready for use next week.

Local Roundup

Sophomore orientation is tonight

Sophomore orientation will be held today at 7 p.m. at the Hereford High School auditorium.

All HHS sophomores and their parents are urged to attend.

Key Club sets swimming party

The annual Key Club swimming party will be held from 8 to 10 p.m. today at the Green Acres Swimming Pool.

New sophomore members of the organization are to be inducted during the party. In the event of rain, the party will be held at the Community Center.

The high school organization is sponsored by the Kiwanis Club.

Rain remains in forecast

Hereford officially received .59 inch of rain for the 24 hours ending at 7 a.m. today, according to KPAN. Wednesday's high was only 73, with a low this morning of 57.

The forecast is calling for cloudy skies and cooler temperatures tonight with a 30 percent chance of thunderstorms. The low will be 55, and east wind will be 5 to 15 mph.

Friday will be mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms and a high of 75. East wind will be 5 to 15 mph, becoming southerly during the afternoon.

Rain, cool continue

By The Associated Press

Showers and thunderstorms were widespread across Texas today and forecasts called for the precipitation to continue through Friday across most of the state.

Forecasts called for occasional showers and thunderstorms spreading across much of the state tonight and Friday.

Forecasters warned of the possibility of locally heavy rain over central and southeastern portions of West Texas tonight.

Lows tonight will be mostly in the

60s and 70s with a few readings expected to dip into the mid 50s in the mountains of Southwest Texas.

Highs Friday will be mostly in the 80s and 90s.

Showers and a few embedded thunderstorms were being reported over the Panhandle and South Plains at dawn behind a weak cold front that stretches across Northwest Texas.

Other showers were reported early today over the Edward Plateau, the northern Hill Country and North Central Texas.

Statewide S&L probe increases

DALLAS (AP) — The financial records of more than 100 individuals, including those of the state's top thrift regulator, a former governor and former lieutenant governor, have been subpoenaed by a federal grand jury as part of a U.S. Justice Department criminal investigation of Texas banks and savings associations, state and federal officials say.

Among the prominent Texans named in the expanded grand jury subpoena list are Texas Savings and Loan Commissioner L. Linton Bowman III, former Texas Gov. John Connally, former Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes and Gene Phillips, the chairman of Southmark Corp., one of Dallas' largest corporations, the Dallas Times Herald reported today.

The list brings to about 410 the number of individuals whose financial records are being sought by investigators from about 25 to 35 Texas savings associations.

The Dallas Morning News quoted federal officials today as saying the

list does not represent indictments but is simply a fishing list for financial documents that may be used as evidence in subsequent criminal investigations and court cases.

"The whole list would total about 400 names," said one federal official, who asked not to be identified. "But a great number of those would be custodians of records, bank officers and others whose records would be routinely examined or who would have the authority to release the records of those who are actually under investigation."

Bowman told the Morning News he understood that the subpoenas seek records from savings associations at which investigators believe he may have had loans.

"Since I became a bureaucrat in 1980, I have not gotten a loan or the proceeds of loan either directly or indirectly from a state-chartered S&L in this state," Bowman said.

Bowman is a partner in an active (See PROBE, Page 2)

Fight increases for new prisons

HUNTSVILLE, Texas (AP) — For years, Texas towns have fought off the idea of having prisons built near them, but now prison officials say requests for such planned facilities are frequent.

As of Tuesday, the Texas Department of Corrections had received at least 40 inquiries from towns offering to be the home of a proposed maximum-security prison to house some of the state's most dangerous inmates.

"It sure is a turnaround from just a couple years ago," prison spokesman David Nunnelee. "Now, we are getting several calls a week from towns that want us to locate prisons near them."

One 2,250-convict high-security prison and two 1,250-prisoner pre-release centers have been proposed, and proposals must be submitted by towns by Sept. 21, said Allen D. Sapp Jr., prison management services officer, said.

A \$275 million construction bond issue is scheduled to go before voters this November to pay for the new facilities. The maximum-security prison is expected to cost \$60 million, while the two pre-release centers are

expected to cost another \$60 million.

To qualify for the pre-release centers, towns must be within 100 miles of Houston or Dallas. The special facilities are intended to help convicts as they near release to re-establish family contacts and look for work, Sapp said.

"Given the economics of the state right now, it's really not surprising that they would want a prison," Sapp said.

A new prison would bring about 700 jobs and an estimated \$1 million monthly payroll to the area where it is built, he said.

The prison system listed in the Texas Register a formal invitation for donations of land from towns and communities who might to host three planned prisons.

The state prison has been repeatedly overwhelmed by prisoners this year, and has closed to new admissions 20 times.

Under a state mandate, the prison system is not allowed to exceed 95 percent of capacity. Texas has the nation's third-largest state prison system, behind only California and New York.

Teacher salaries dip lower

DALLAS (AP) — The sagging state economy has effectively eliminated the sharp salary gains Texas teachers got from the education reform measures implemented by the Legislature in 1984, a recent national survey shows.

Texas teacher salaries are under the national average, and the typical raise of 1.9 percent for Texas teachers last year was 47th among the 50 states.

After rising during a \$2.8 billion school reform program, Texas teaching salaries have fallen back to their pre-reform ranking in a new survey by the National Education Association.

The state now ranks 26th among the 50 states and the District of Columbia, the same ranking Texas had in 1984 just before the Legislature passed the reform law.

Texas ranked 23rd in the NEA ranking last year and higher than that in 1985, the first year of the state's education reform.

The average teacher salary in Texas is \$24,927 a year; the national average is \$26,704.

Educators and state officials say bad economic conditions and recent school reforms in other states, which have poured billions of dollars into public education, are two reasons for Texas' slip in the rankings.

"Other states were in a lull when our salaries went up three years ago, and now the reverse is true," said Jim Butler, executive director of the NEA-affiliated Texas State Teachers Association.

Texas ranked 30th in spending per pupil at \$3,584 a year, a drop from 1984 when the state ranked 27th. The national average for the 1986-87 school year was \$3,970.

Among the 10 largest states, Texas

ranked eighth in teacher salaries and ninth in spending per pupil.

In addition, the NEA said Texas was 48th in the typical raise paid to teachers, which was 1.9 percent last year.

In Dallas, school superintendent Linus Wright recommended Monday that employees be given a one-percent bonus after saying earlier that teacher salaries should be frozen at the 1986-87 level.

"We want to try to do something for employees," Wright said. He said the one-time payment of \$3.3 million to the district's 14,500 employees will be made with money being taken from supplies, materials and equip-

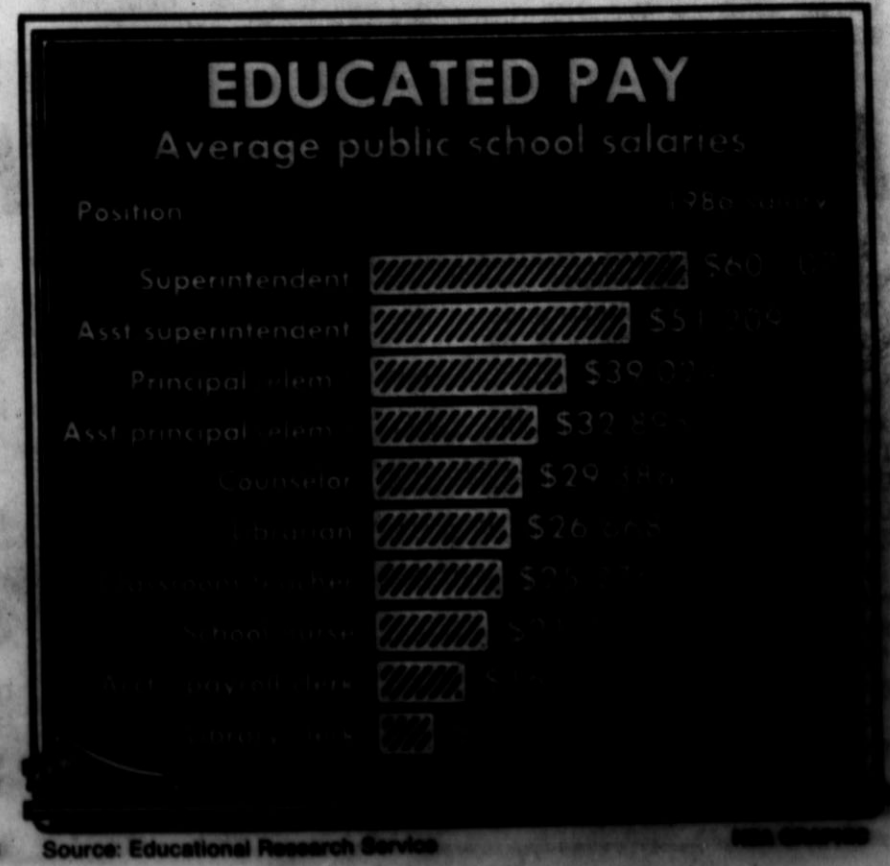
ment budgets.

Representatives of Dallas teacher organizations said the bonus is not enough and that teachers deserve a raise.

Butler said the state's slip in the ranks of teaching salaries indicates how far Texas has to go with education.

"If you're really going to put emphasis on education in this state, you're going to have to significantly increase the salaries of teachers and other school employees," Butler said.

Butler said he fears Texas teaching salaries will fall even further in the rankings next year.



Lifestyles



Stanton Cheerleaders

A cheerleading camp, led by Hereford High School cheerleaders, was held recently at the Hereford Community Center. Serving as 1987-88 Stanton Junior High School cheerleaders are (from left) Rebecca Solomon, Monica Charles, Leslie

Billingsley, Rachel Alaniz, Lorey Kuper and Kimberly Schumacher (at top). The school's mascot is D'Ann Hill who performed a skit to the song "Lollipop" with the HHS mascot.

Aspartame not linked to vision problems

Scientists at Life Science Research Ltd., an internationally recognized testing laboratory located in Suffolk, England, have completed a study with aspartame in pregnant mice to measure its effect on the development of the visual system. They found no adverse effects.

The new findings will be presented today at the American Society for Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics (ASPET) summer meeting in Honolulu, Hawaii.

Allegations have been made in the past that aspartame caused temporary visual problems. In a more comprehensive study, the scientists attempted to verify earlier findings. They could not.

In this study, pregnant mice were given extremely large oral doses of the low calorie sweetener (equivalent to 500 liters of diet soda consumed at once) while development of the visual system in their unborn offspring was occurring. Following birth, each newborn was thoroughly evaluated for possible effects of aspartame on both physical and functional development—particularly as it related to the visual system. Aspartame did not produce any adverse effects even at doses roughly equivalent to the amount an average person would consume, even if he were able to drink 500

liters of diet soda at once.

According to Dr. Robert Moser, vice president for Medical Affairs, "The study once again affirms the safety of aspartame and illustrates the Company's continuing commitment to provide funds to leading institutions for the conduct of high quality research aimed at addressing aspartame safety issues of concern to the public."

Funding for the research was provided by The NutraSweet Company.

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In Germany, Jack Frost appears as an old woman. When Old Mother Frost shakes her bed, snow begins to fall.



by David Hutchins

SELECTING CHABLIS

Unlike Chardonnays from Burgundy or California, many of the finest French Chablis are not aged in oak. After fermentation in barrels, the wines are placed in stainless steel vats for maturation. It is believed that excessive exposure to oak interferes with the rich and complex flavors that the unique soil of Chablis gives to its namesake wine. The best Chablis wines improve with age. Premier cru bottlings are best when held three to five years. Grand cru will mature gracefully for as long as ten years. Vintages are important when selecting a Chablis. The best years in the past decade were 1978, 1981, 1983, and 1984. Although the 1985 harvest was a small one because of early frosts, it produced very attractive wines. In other years, the wines are best when young.

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Leaders program offers scholarships

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Almost \$250,000 in college scholarship awards will be provided by Century III Leaders this year, including \$11,500 in scholarship awards for the top winner. Applications must be completed by October 22, 1987.

Seniors interested in entering the competition, now in its 13th year, should contact their principals for applications in mid-September. Students in public, private and parochial schools are eligible for the program, which is supported by the Shell Companies Foundation, Inc., and administered by the National Association of Secondary School Principals.

The application stresses school and community service, scholarship, and identification of a challenge facing the nation in its third century. Students are also required to pass a current events examination.

School winners advance to state-level competition, where two winners and two runners-up are chosen. State winners each receive \$1,500 college scholarship awards, while the runners-up win \$500 scholarships.

The two winners from each state and the District of Columbia are also given all expense-paid trips to the national Century III Leaders Conference in colonial Williamsburg, Va., March 18-21, 1988.

In Williamsburg, the 102 delegates meet with national experts in business, education, and government; debate key issues of national policy; and compete for additional scholarships, including \$10,000 to the national winner and \$500 to each of nine runners-up.

All state finalists and runners-up become members of the Century III Leaders Alumni program. Alumni are eligible for grants of up to \$5,000 for post-graduate studies or service projects.

Kee Ruland gives school of instruction at meeting

Lodge Deputy Kee Ruland presented a school of instruction on procedure of balloting Tuesday evening at the regular meeting of Hereford Rebekah Lodge No. 228. Members practiced voting procedure.

Noble Grand Anna Conklin presided as reports were made. Twenty visits to the sick, 25 cheer cards, 25 dishes of food and six flowers were

reported for the week.

Ada Hollabaugh served as hostess to Ruland, Conklin, Erma Loving, Jim Loving, Ben Conklin, Susie Curt-singer, Thama Pearson, Irene Merritt, Eunice Boyer, Leona Sowell, Jo Irlbeck, Anthony Irlbeck, Faye Brownlow, Shirley Brown, Lydia Hopson, Dorothy Laundry, Peggy Lemons, Helen Bishop and Gene Bishop.

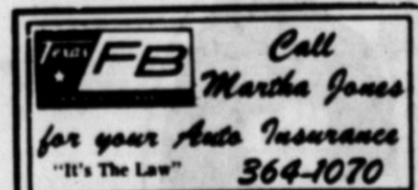
Senior parents to meet

Parents of Hereford High School seniors are invited to attend a meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the HHS auditorium.

The purpose of the gathering will be to discuss the senior class supper and a fund-raiser.



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Now You're Cooking

By GAYE B. REILY
Staff Writer

Mrs. Charles D. (Thuy) Carnahan of 307 Douglas may miss family members who remained in her native Viet Nam, but she feels a little closer to them when she prepares Oriental food.

"I cook almost every kind of food for my family but mainly stay with American food and recipes from Viet Nam," said the mother of four. "Since American food is quicker, I cook it more often but twice a week I'll go to the trouble of preparing Oriental food."

While she likes a variety of American food, she confesses to hating beans and cornbread. "My husband likes them so I'll fix them for him, but I eat something else," she laughed.

Carnahan says that the adjustment to life here in the United States was not too difficult as she learned English quickly and now feels that

her home is here. But despite her household duties in caring for her husband, three daughters, and one son, she still gets lonely.

"I've written many letters to my Viet Nam relatives but I have not seen them during the 14 years I have been in the U.S.," said the quiet-spoken lady. "I hope to see my two brothers and three sisters someday."

The slight woman found employment in an American company located in Viet Nam and also met her future husband there. "The company had to research my background to see if I had any Communist ties before they would employ me. It was my first job and I enjoyed it. Then I married Charles and we moved to Ohio and stayed with his parents."

The Carnahans then moved to Kentucky and proceeded to Hereford four years ago. "I stay home and take care of my children, who range in age from 5-16 years of age," she

said. "I sew most of our clothes, macrame, and crochet."

While she likes Hereford quite well, she did love the trees and flowers in Kentucky which reminded her of her birthplace. "When I moved to Hereford, I had never seen snow, so I sat up all night just to watch it fall. I wrote about it and the cold weather to my family in Viet Nam—they said it sounded like I was living in a refrigerator!" She noted that the climate in Viet Nam was quite mild like that of Los Angeles, Calif.

Other differences abound between Carnahan's native country and her new home. "Very few people in Viet Nam own cars; most of them travel on bicycles. Several street vendors sell a large variety of flowers; there are flowers everywhere. Also, Vietnamese children wear a plain style of clothing. Over here, my kids are picky and have to be dressed in style!" she laughed.

"Midwives once delivered babies, but there are nice hospitals available now. In fact, my first child was born over there."

As for agricultural products, Carnahan stated that rice, corn, soybeans, sweet potatoes, peppers, tobacco, tomatoes, different kinds of beans, and lots of sugar cane is raised in Viet Nam. Livestock raised there include cows, pigs, water buffalo, chickens, ducks, and goats. She acknowledged that she had never seen a sheep before coming to the U.S.

When she speaks of her native land, there is pride in her voice but there is also sadness. Most of her memories of Viet Nam are pre-war although she was there late enough to see changes brewing. "We would celebrate New Year in December as a four-day celebration. We'd wear new clothes, eat a lot of food, visit with relatives, and the children played games. It was a belief that you must have good people in your home during this time in order to have a good year. We had huge firework displays, but these were stopped while the war was going on because you couldn't tell the difference between firecrackers and gunfire."

"It became very difficult to travel during this time; I was fortunate to leave when I did. Now everyone works for the government; they are not allowed to work for themselves. At the present time, the only way to leave the country is by escape. I know that relations between the U.S. and Viet Nam will have to improve before I can ever see my family over there again."

Yet Carnahan has adapted well to this country. "Learning English was not so hard; it is much easier than the Vietnamese language where different pronunciations of the same word can give it different meanings. This is my country now—nothing bothers me or is strange anymore."

Carnahan manages to maintain her active household while sometimes sharing Oriental dishes with friends and neighbors. Some of her favorite recipes follows:

PORK FRIED RICE

4 c. boiled rice, cold
4 scallions, chopped
3 Tbsp. oil
3 eggs, beaten
½ lb. pork (or ham)
salt and pepper
2 Tbsp. soy sauce
½ c. chopped parsley

Heat oil to high temperature and add scallions and rice. When well-heated, add diced pork and seasonings. Stir well and make hole in center of mixture and add eggs. Fry three minutes and mix into rice. Sprinkle with parsley and serve.

STIR FRIED SHRIMP WITH VEGETABLES

2 medium carrots
1 c. fresh mushrooms
1 lb. fresh or frozen shrimp in shells (chicken may be substituted)
½ c. chicken broth
1 Tbsp. cornstarch
¼ c. soy sauce
2 Tbsp. cooking oil
1 clove garlic, minced
1 c. thinly sliced cauliflower
2 c. chopped Chinese cabbage (or regular cabbage)
1 c. fresh pea pods (or 1 6-oz. pkg. frozen pea pods, thawed)
1 c. fresh bean sprouts
Using sharp cleaver, slice carrot

and mushrooms. Thaw shrimp if frozen. Shell and devein shrimp. Halve shrimp lengthwise. Blend chicken broth into cornstarch; stir in soy sauce and set aside.

Add cooking oil; preheat skillet over high heat. Stir-fry garlic in hot oil for 30 seconds. Add cauliflower and carrots; stir-fry three minutes. Add cabbage, pea pods, mushrooms, and bean sprouts; stir-fry two minutes more or until vegetables are crisp-tender. (Be sure to keep heat high throughout, remove vegetables to bowl. Add more oil to skillet if necessary).

Add shrimp to hot skillet; stir-fry 7-8 minutes or till shrimp is done. Push shrimp away from center of skillet. Stir chicken broth mixture and add to center of skillet. Cook and stir till thickened; serve with vegetables. May serve with rice.

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Robert L. Thompson 364-0843



LAMB, the group that pioneered the sound that today has become known as Messianic Praise and Worship, will be in concert at Community Church on August 30 at 10:30 a.m. It's not pretentious to call LAMB a group, for this duo of Joel Chernoff and Rick "Levi" Coghill make a big sound. Their music is as contemporary as Israel's jet squadrons, yet the ancient mystique of

the Psalms is equally present. Steeped in tradition and bursting with the rhythm of a Hebraic dance, their Messianic music can be haunting-almost mystical.

LAMB'S use of straight forward scripture-oriented lyrics is convicting, joyful, and compelling. Their challenge is clearly one of redemption, personal renewal, and joy in the Messiah Yeshua (Jesus). Known also for their innovative use of the latest stage and sound equipment, LAMB promises to provide a truly powerful evening of Messianic praise and worship. For further information concerning concert details call 364-3821.



THUY CARNAHAN
...Copies down Oriental recipes

POLLY'S POINTERS

Keep bread fresh
in microwave oven

By Polly Fisher

DEAR POLLY — Breads and rolls always get tough when I reheat them in my microwave oven. Is there any way to keep them tender? — JANICE

DEAR JANICE — You're probably overheating the bread. Yeast breads can get tough quickly in a microwave, so only warm them gently and serve immediately (they toughen further upon standing). A single bread slice, muffin or roll takes only 8 to 12 seconds on high or full power to warm. If frozen, it may need 15 to 20 seconds. Of course, more time is required if you're heating more than a single slice.

Place the bread on a paper towel to keep it from getting soggy as it reheats. With care, your microwave can provide you with fresh-tasting, warm bread and rolls for every meal! — POLLY

DEAR POLLY — I have found that one of the best ways to make the grocery budget stretch is to prepare menus for a month or so ahead. By planning the meals, you will use up your leftovers, as well as the food that sometimes get pushed back on the shelf or freezer. This also saves you from spur-of-the-moment buying and cuts down on trips to the grocery store.

Also, by knowing ahead of time what you're going to be fixing, you can get out that frozen roast the day before, or make two or three pie crusts at one time to have later that week. It is also easier to try a new recipe now and then, when you have it on the menu and have already bought the ingredients for it. Planning for a month at a time just makes cooking so much more enjoyable for me, and also cuts down on the grocery bills. — BILLIE

Make summer really special with homemade ice cream! Easy recipes for luscious flavors — rocky road, strawberry, creamy banana, double-chocolate peanut butter — as well as standard vanilla and chocolate will delight the whole family. Polly's newsletter "Homemade Ice Cream" includes recipes to make in your freezer or food processor, too! Send \$1 for each copy to POLLY'S POINTERS, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 93863, Cleveland, OH 44101-5863. Be sure to include the title.



Fifty-year-old blue whales have been known to reach a length of 100 feet.

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2 Tbsp. soy sauce
1 Tbsp. sugar
1 Tbsp. cornstarch
½ tsp. salt
1 Tbsp. sherry
2 Tbsp. oil
1 pkg. frozen string beans

Prepare marinade of soy sauce, sugar, cornstarch, salt and sherry. Marinate meat, heat pan. Add oil to pan and saute beef a few seconds. Prepare beans as indicated on package. Add beans to meat with water they were in; simmer a few seconds. Serve hot. Serve with rice.

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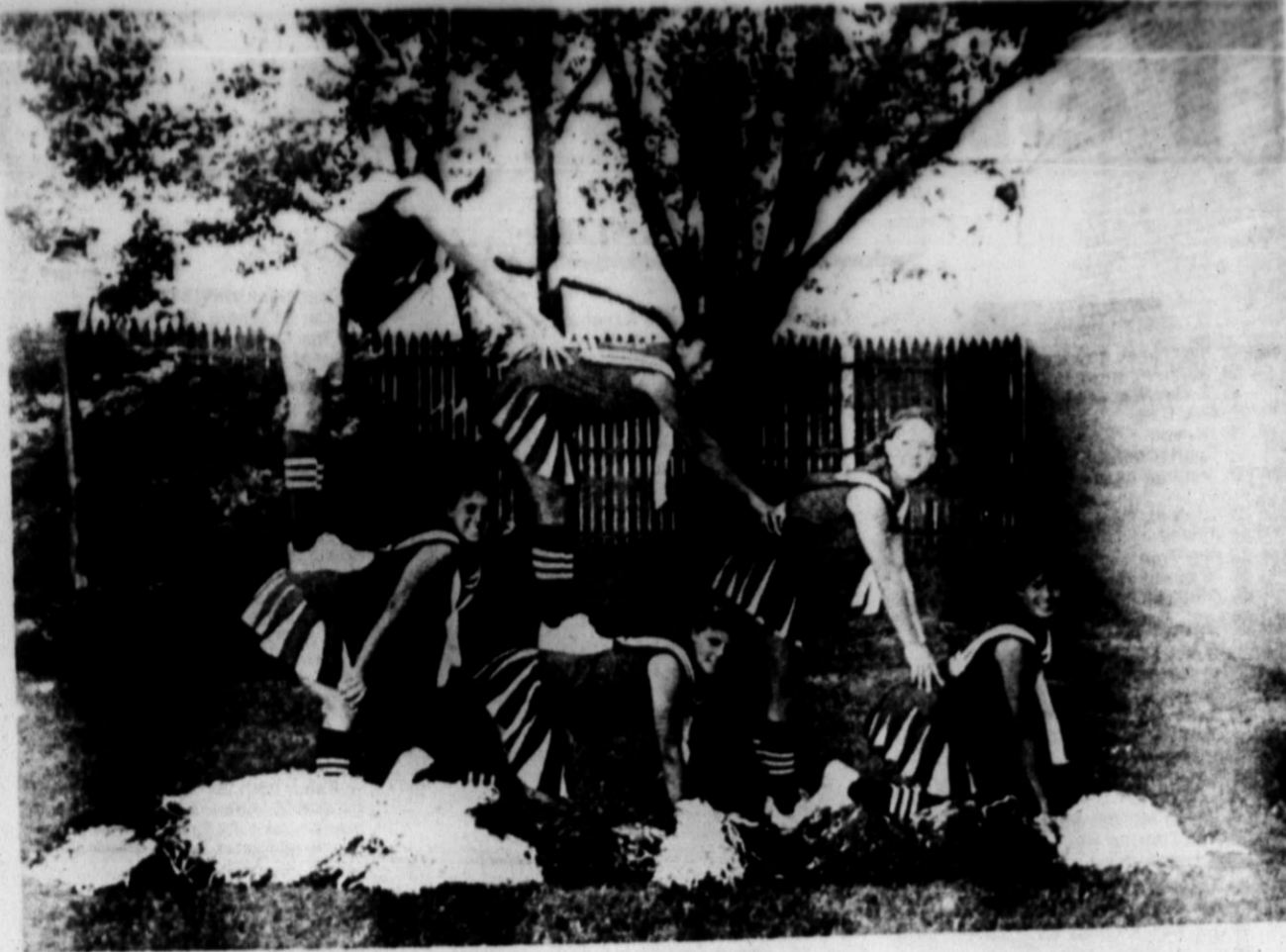
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La Plata Cheerleaders

Cheerleaders from La Plata Junior High School for 1987-88 participated in a cheerleading clinic recently at the Hereford Community Center. Cheerleaders from other schools were also present to learn new routines and chants

from the Hereford High School cheerleaders. Pictured at top, from left, is Teresa Baker and Jody Parker. Others include (from left) Dawn Mason, Shantel Cornelius, Jayme Moore and Brenna Reinauer.

Names In The News

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Eddie Murphy has signed an exclusive five-picture, multimillion-dollar deal with Paramount Pictures Corp. that gives his production company control over the films and other projects, the studio says.

"I don't want to say how much money I'm getting, but I got a raise," Murphy told 100 reporters gathered at a sound stage on the Paramount movie lot.

The 28-year-old comic, actor and recording artist, who starred in "Beverly Hills Cop" and its sequel, got a \$15 million guarantee from Paramount when he signed a similar contract in 1983.

Under the new deal announced Tuesday, Murphy will star in at least five movies. He also will develop and produce additional film and television projects.

The first movie will be a comedy starring Murphy as an African coming to the United States in search of a bride.

Murphy said the contract would allow him to expand as a filmmaker. "I'd like to be more like Woody Allen," Murphy said, adding that he wants to write, produce, direct and star in his films.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The NBC comedy series "Valerie" has been renamed "Valerie's Family" now that the show's namesake, Valerie Harper, won't be around.

In fact, her character has died and

the series will focus on the family, Lorimar Television spokesman Barry Stagg said Tuesday.

The new star, Sandy Duncan, will play Valerie's sister-in-law, who has been called in to look after the children. Miss Harper was dropped from the show in a salary dispute.

HAMILTON, Bermuda (AP) — Blind yachtsman Jim Dickson, whose attempt to sail solo across the Atlantic Ocean was thwarted by

equipment failures, says he'll head back to Newport, R.I., next week.

The 41-year-old sailor, who arrived in Bermuda on Aug. 14 in his 38-foot sloop Eye Opener, says he expects to reach Newport in four or five days. Dickson said he will be accompanied by another yachtsman.

Dickson, the associate director of the Washington-based voter education group Project Vote, said he aims to begin his second attempt at a trans-Atlantic crossing to England in May.

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Ann Landers

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Your column sure does bring out the dingbats. I couldn't believe my eyes the other day when I read the letter from the women who freeze-dried her cat. She suggested it was the perfect way to keep a precious pet forever.

As if that wasn't bad enough, you gave the freeze-dry guy a wonderful commercial by telling people how to get in touch with him. If I'm not mistaken, you called him on the phone and he told you he freeze-dries cats, dogs, squirrels, raccoons, beavers and snakes, but please, no skunks.

At present I have two Persian cats and a standard poodle. When these dear animals die I would no more think of having them freeze-dried than I would have my grandmother stuffed and put in a chair in my living room.

The whole idea is so grotesque I can't believe you printed the letter. Must have been a full moon the night you put the column together. Sign me — Flabbergasted In Glencoe

DEAR FALB: Yup, I did it, and several people have written to say it's a good idea. As I've said before, it takes all kinds to make a world.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: My younger sister and I were always close. She was my best friend. All this changed when our father passed away three months ago. I'm still in a state of shock over what happened.

Dad was a wonderful person and a terrific family man. He was kind and considerate and loved my sister and me equally. There was never any playing of favorites. Sis and I never completed for his love.

Then Dad died of a heart attack. We were stunned by this loss, more so because he had always enjoyed good health. Losing him so suddenly was a tremendous shock. Another big shock hit when I learned that most of his assets were in stocks in my sister's name. I'm sure he did this for tax purposes.

I will never believe that Dad intended to leave my sister several hundred thousand dollars and me almost nothing.

I told my sister that common decency required that she split her inheritance with me. She said, "Why should I? Dad was a smart man. He left me these stocks because he wanted me to have them."

My lawyer says I have absolutely no rights and everything is clear cut in my sister's favor. I told her if she doesn't do the honorable thing I will never speak to her again. Her response, was "That is up to you. I am not mad at anybody."

I never dreamed such a thing could happen in our family. I'm sick about it, Ann. Please tell me what to do. —No Name, Just Land O'Lakes

DEAR L.O.L.: You have your lawyer's opinion regarding the legal status. I am in no position to question it. If you aren't satisfied, get a second opinion.

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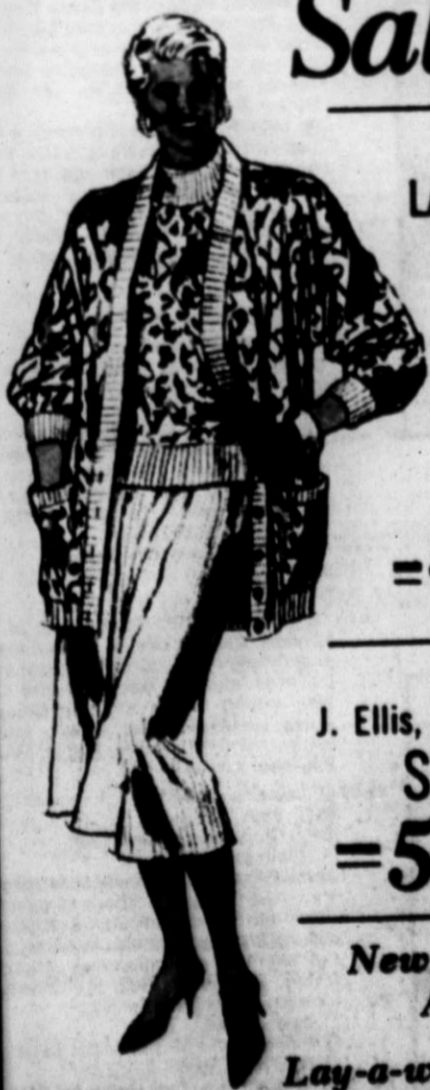
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Sports

Brewers' DH fails to tie Ty Cobb

Rookie pitcher stops Molitor

By RICK GANO
AP Sports Writer
MILWAUKEE (AP) — Think Paul Molitor had an emotional evening? How about Rick Manning.

Here was Manning, a reserve outfielder in his 14th major-league season, celebrating a rare game-winning hit, and yet the fans were booing.

They had wanted Manning to fail, because in doing so Molitor, the next batter, would have one more chance to succeed.

But Manning didn't fail, singling to center to drive in the only run as the Milwaukee Brewers beat the Cleveland Indians 1-0 Wednesday

night. More importantly, at least to the fans, was that Molitor's 39-game hitting streak had ended.

And so they booted.

"The irony is the distortion of priorities. You have the home team win in extra innings and the crowd goes silent," said Molitor, who was hitless in four at-bats against Cleveland rookie John Farrell.

"It was meant to be 39 and not 40," Molitor said.

"I went up to Rick and he said, 'Sorry.' " Molitor recalled. "And I said 'Sorry? You won the game.' "

Molitor struck out in the first inning, grounded into a double play in the third and grounded out in the

sixth.

In the eighth, in what turned out to be his final plate appearance, Molitor came up with a runner at second and two out. The situation called for Molitor, a .365 hitter, to be walked intentionally to set up a force play.

But Cleveland Manager Doc Edwards and Farrell decided to give Molitor one more chance.

Molitor tapped a weak grounder to third and the throw from Brook Jacoby beat him. But Molitor was awarded first base when Pat Tabler juggled the throw for an error.

"He had four chances," Manning said. "I understand the feeling of the fans. They wanted him to keep going but no more than I did."

There was no way to get that message across to the 11,246 fans who braved rainy and cool weather to see if Molitor could continue his march toward Joe DiMaggio's record 56-game hitting streak.

"Paulie was saying, 'Come on, guys, let's get a run and end this thing. Come on, Arch, get a hit,' " Manning said. "I was going to say, 'I'll try to get infield hit.' "

Manning took the first pitch from Indians reliever Doug Jones for a strike. The crowd cheered.

He lined the next pitch to center.

It took Molitor, the man of the month and the moment, to get Manning off the hook as the bad guy.

"I was pulling for Archie (Manning) to get a hit to win the game," he said. "You concentrate on winning games, despite personally what you might have at stake."

Molitor had known the night would finally come when there would be no hits left in his bat. But after 39 games and six weeks, it was difficult to see it end.

Ty Cobb (40 games), George Sisler (41), Pete Rose (44) and DiMaggio are the only players in this century with longer hitting streaks.

During the 39-game streak that began July 16, Molitor had 68 hits in 164 at-bats with 43 runs scored and 33 RBI, all as a designated hitter.



City Junior Golf Champions

These five golfers won championships in the Hereford City Junior Golf Tournament on Tuesday and Wednesday. They are, from left, Kelby Hagar, boys' 15-17 division winner; Melissa Grijalva, girls' division winner; Kevin Kelso, boys' 13-14 division champion; Jayson Mines, boys' 11-12 division champion; and Scott Burkhalter, boys' 10 and under division winner.

Event had five divisions

Junior golf tourney ends

Naomi Grijalva, girls' division; Mikel Walsler, boys' 13-14; Kirk Self, boys' 11-12; and Kirby Christie, boys' 10 and under.

Competition was 18 holes each day in all divisions except the 10 and under division played nine holes each day.

Here are the scores for each participant for Tuesday's and Wednesday's round, plus the overall score:

BOYS' 15-17 DIVISION		GIRLS' DIVISION	
1. Kelby Hagar	80-76-154	1. Melissa Grijalva	97-96-193
2. Marcus Urias	83-80-163	2. Naomi Grijalva	102-99-201
3. Jason Scott	88-85-177	3. Susan Bell	121-109-230
4. Kevin Crane	93-92-185	4. Brenda Allen	140-122-262
5. Keith Kelso	102-100-202		

BOYS' 13-14 DIVISION		BOYS' 11-12 DIVISION	
1. Kevin Kelso	105-99-204	1. Jayson Mines	104-104-208
2. Mikel Walsler	106-99-205	2. Kirk Self	101-124-225
3. Damon Godwin	112-107-219	3. Jamie Kapka	108-120-228
4. Anthony Gale	111-111-222	4. Tim Burkhalter	121-113-234
		5. Cory Newton	129-116-245
		6. Justin Wright	125-128-253

BOYS' 10 & UNDER DIVISION	
1. Scott Burkhalter	88-61-149
2. Kirby Christie	107-100-207

Jackson outduels Hough, Royals beat Rangers 3-0

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Danny Jackson knew what to expect from Charlie Hough, he just wasn't going to accept it.

"He was dazzling with that knuckleball again," Jackson said after shutting out Texas 3-0 on four hits as Kansas City rallied for all three runs in the bottom of the seventh behind Kevin Seitzer's two-run double.

"Whenever he throws against us, you know that it's going to be close. So you have to go out there and anticipate there won't be a lot of runs scored, Jackson said.

Jackson, 7-15, got himself into his most serious trouble, walking the bases full with two outs in the fifth inning. He got Bob Brower to ground out to end the inning.

Jackson won his third straight over the Rangers while breaking Hough's string of three straight over the

Royals.

Kansas City's rally started when Ross Jones hit a two-out single to left. Willie Wilson followed with a single before Seitzer rapped a double off the wall in left-center to drive in both runners.

George Brett then lined a sharp single to right to score Seitzer. Hough struck out Danny Tartabull to end the inning.

The Rangers argued that Seitzer was out at the plate on Brett's hit, and the television replay showed that Seitzer never touched the plate. The call was made by Larry Barnett.

"The guy was out," Hough said. "But it's tough to argue with the guy because you figure the two runs are going to hold up the way the other guy is pitching. The guy missed a call at the plate, but he worked a good game behind the plate, so it's tough to argue one call."

Major league standings

By The Associated Press

AMERICAN LEAGUE				NATIONAL LEAGUE					
East Division				East Division					
W	L	Pct.	GB	W	L	Pct.	GB		
Detroit	73	56	.566	—	St. Louis	75	51	.596	—
Toronto	73	51	.589	1/2	New York	71	56	.559	4 1/2
New York	71	55	.562	4 1/2	Montreal	69	58	.542	5 1/2
Milwaukee	68	58	.540	7 1/2	Philadelphia	66	61	.519	9 1/2
Boston	61	65	.484	14 1/2	Chicago	62	62	.500	12
Baltimore	57	69	.452	18 1/2	Pittsburgh	56	71	.441	19 1/2
Cleveland	48	79	.378	23					

West Division				West Division					
W	L	Pct.	GB	W	L	Pct.	GB		
Minnesota	67	62	.519	—	San Francisco	68	60	.531	—
Oakland	65	61	.516	1/2	Houston	65	62	.512	2 1/2
California	62	64	.492	3	Cincinnati	63	65	.492	5
Kansas City	62	64	.492	3	Atlanta	55	69	.444	11
Texas	59	66	.470	5 1/2	Los Angeles	58	71	.447	11 1/2
Seattle	57	67	.460	6 1/2	San Diego	52	74	.413	15
Chicago	53	73	.421	12 1/2					

Wednesday's Games

Atlanta at Chicago, pp., rain
St. Louis 5, Houston 4
New York 3, Los Angeles 2
San Francisco 2, Philadelphia 6
Pittsburgh 5, Cincinnati 5

Thursday's Games

Atlanta (Z.Smith 13-7 and Dodson 3-3) at Chicago (Meyer 10-10 and Lancaster 3-1), 2
Montreal (B.Smith 7-6) at San Diego (Jones 6-4), (8)

Friday's Games

Chicago at Cincinnati, (8)
Houston at Pittsburgh, (8)
Atlanta at St. Louis, (8)
Philadelphia at San Diego, (8)
Montreal at Los Angeles, (8)
New York at San Francisco, (8)

Cowboys' ticket sales at lowest point since 1970

DALLAS (AP) — Sales of Dallas Cowboys season tickets are at their lowest point since the club moved to Texas Stadium in 1970, and single-ticket sales are lagging far behind last year's pace, team officials say.

Ticket manager Steve Orsini said a number of factors are contributing to the slow sales. "From the responses I'm getting, the performance (of the club) is definitely No. 1, and No. 2 would have to be the price (\$24.67). Our schedule and the economy are other factors but they're pretty hard to quantify," he said.

Cowboys president Tex Schramm said Wednesday he anticipated the dropoff in season-ticket sales, which currently are in the 46,000-47,000 range, roughly 3,000-4,000 behind last year. The Cowboys have sold approximately 50,000 season tickets every year since moving to Texas Stadium.

"When you're coming off of your first losing season in 20 years, you're not going to have people clamoring to get to the front of the line for games they think are going to be televised," Schramm said.

He said the club's price hike — from \$19 to \$24.67 — is not to blame for the sales slump.

"Fans respond to your team, not your ticket prices," Schramm said. "That's just the nature of the fan that I've learned about in my 38 years in the league."

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The combined effect of these price changes is expected to produce approximately \$4.99 million annual revenue, which is approximately .5% of AT&T's annual revenues for all Texas intrastate services.

If you have questions regarding the changes for Private Line service, please call AT&T toll-free at 1-800-345-5092. If you have questions regarding the WATS or SDN price changes, please call our business consultants toll-free at 1-800-222-0400. AT&T's tariffs reflecting these changes will be filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas on August 31, 1987, with an effective date of October 1, 1987.

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Oilers are surprisingly confident team

Browns favored to repeat AFC Central title

By **CHUCK MELVIN**
AP Sports Writer

CLEVELAND (AP) — The Cleveland Browns learned the dangers of standing still in 1981, when they followed their 1980 AFC Central Division championship with an embarrassing 5-11 record.

So off a 12-4 season that came with 37 seconds of the Super Bowl, owner Art Modell can't be accused of standing still, although the wisdom of his biggest off-season move remains to be seen. The Browns sent Pro Bowl linebacker Chip Banks to the San

Diego Chargers last spring and have replaced him with rookie Mike Junkin of Duke, their No. 1 draft pick.

Coach Marty Schottenheimer has been open in his admiration of Junkin's college performance, but a two-week holdout at the start of training camp put a dent in Junkin's plan to step directly into the starting lineup.

"He reminds me of the way Jack Lambert played," Schottenheimer said. "Now, you've got to remember, Mike was at Duke, and the other guy

is on his way to the Hall of Fame."

If Junkin can take over where Banks left off, the Browns should be favored to win their third straight AFC Central Division title. The division became a two-team race between the Browns and Cincinnati Bengals a year ago, and it should be the same in 1987.

Cleveland's 12-4 regular season got somewhat lost in the drama of its two overtime playoff games last year — a 23-20 victory over the New York Jets and the 23-20 loss to the Denver Broncos in which the Broncos tied the score with 37 seconds left in regulation after a 98-yard scoring drive directed by John Elway.

So the Browns must fight the tendency to overlook the task of winning their division, which wasn't as easy as it might have seemed in 1986.

Cleveland was 5-1 in the division, splitting with Cincinnati and beating Houston and Pittsburgh twice each. But all four games against the Oilers and Steelers were close, and two went into overtime.

Quarterback Bernie Kosar is the key to the Cleveland offense. He passed for 3,854 yards while throwing just 10 interceptions.

Cleveland's running game, one of the league's best in 1985, suffered in 1986 because of injuries to backs Kevin Mack and Earnest Byner and because of the passing offense installed by offensive coordinator Lindy Infante. That option-filled system got off to a slow start, but Kosar felt comfortable with it by year's end.

"It's the second year with the same system and really the first time in about five or six years that the Browns have had the same system back to back, so it'll help all of us," he said.

The Browns' respectable defense,

built on the man-to-man coverage of cornerbacks Hanford Dixon and Frank Minnifield, might make the difference in the divisional battles with Cincinnati, whose offense was the best in the NFL a year ago.

The offense was so good that Coach Sam Wyche sees no reason they cannot improve on their 10-6 mark, which left them a tiebreaker shy of making the playoffs in 1986. But the defense gave up 394 points, by far the worst in the division.

Quarterback Boomer Esiason passed for 3,959 yards and 24 touchdowns last year and has two of the best receivers in the league in Cris Collinsworth and Eddie Brown. Pro Bowl back James Brooks averaged 5.3 yards per carry and finished with 1,087 yards rushing and another 686 yards receiving.

No. 1 draft pick Jason Buck, who was expected to step right in an improve the pass rush, is a holdout, so defensive line coach Bill Urbanik is teaching his linemen karate techniques to improve their pass rush.

The Steelers' 1986 season was wrecked by a 1-6 start, and they finished at 6-10.

"The strength of the team right now is probably the rushing game. We have Earnest Jackson and Walter Abercrombie. They ranked third and fourth respectively in the conference rushing," said team spokesman Dan Edwards.

Mark Malone returns for his third year as Pittsburgh's starting quarterback after a poor 1986 in which he passed for 2,444 yards with 18 interceptions. The Steeler passing game ranked last in the AFC as Coach Chuck Noll's team tumbled to its worst record since 1970.

The Steelers' hopes of rebounding this year suffered a blow when their

top draft pick, cornerback Rod Woodson of Purdue, announced he was bypassing the team's contract offer to try out for the 1988 Olympics as a hurdler, although he may yet sign at some point.

The Oilers, 5-11 last year, are surprisingly confident for a team that has the worst overall record in the NFL the past five years.

The reason? Coach Jerry Glanville revised his offense late in the year, and quarterback Warren Moon began to resemble the player he was in the Canadian Football League, leading Houston to four victories in the last six games he started.

The Oilers' offense has been set back by the holdouts of veteran offensive tackle Bruce Matthews and their first-round draft pick, fullback Alonzo Highsmith.

On defense, the Houston pass rush was weak. Ray Childress led the

Oilers with five sacks.

Running back Mike Rozier, a disappointment in his two years with the Oilers, has his own plan for turning things around in Houston. He's switched his jersey number from 33 to 30 — the number he wore when he won the Heisman Trophy at Nebraska.

Coleman runs, homers

Cardinals over Astros 5-4

By **PAUL LeBAR**
AP Sports Writer

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Based on experience, Vince Coleman of the St. Louis Cardinals permitted himself only one thought when he muscled up in the fifth inning.

His calculations and his doubts turned out to be wasted Wednesday. The swift outfielder, more renowned for his legs, wound up celebrating his first over-the-wall homer as part of a 5-4 victory over the Houston Astros.

"When I hit it, I thought I should run," Coleman said of his thoughts upon breaking new ground during his 1,914th major league time at bat.

"A couple of nights ago, I hit one off the wall and stopped at second base," Coleman said. "This time, when I got to second base, I saw (the ball) go over the wall."

Coleman's homer, his second in three years, was preceded by an inside-the-park shot he hit May 21, 1985 off Len Barker of the Atlanta Braves.

"It's a lot of fun to do it," he said of his opposite-field homer over the gate in right field, which was computed at 386 feet. "I had confidence in my ability that I'd hit at least one. I feel awfully proud."

As it turned out, however, Coleman's speed rather than his power was St. Louis' winning ingredient.

He also singled, doubled, stole his 83rd and 84th bases of the year and scored three times.

Coleman's double followed by Ozzie Smith's sacrifice bunt set up the winning run under Houston catcher Robbie Wine's tag.

The Astros, who earlier lost a 2-0 lead, scrambled back to tie 4-4 in the top of the seventh on Billy Hatcher's two-run, two-out double off Ken Dayley, 8-4.

Glenn Davis hit a two-run homer for Houston, his 21st, in the first. Jack Clark matched that with his 34th for St. Louis, and the Cardinals went ahead 4-2 on Smith's sacrifice fly after Coleman singled and stole bases on consecutive pitches and Coleman homered.

St. Louis starter John Tudor wobbled through six innings on 104 pitches, yielding five hits before giving way to Dayley.

Juan Agosto, 1-1, took the loss for Houston. The Astros, in addition to the damage inflicted by Coleman, lost two runners on the basepaths against Tudor in the early innings.

Houston's loss, only its third in 13 games but its second in less than 24 hours to the Cardinals, left Astros manager Hal Lanier pensive.

"You have to get your baserunner going back to the base. You just can't look to freeze him there," Lanier said of the play Houston failed to make on Coleman. "He's got excellent speed. I think (Berra) did the right thing; he just didn't do it long enough."

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