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## Diana's legacy to be children

LONDON (AP) - In her short and turbulent life, Princess Diana put one role above all others: being a good mother.

For many Britons, there is no doubt that the most important legacy she left the nation are her children, especially eldest son Prince William, whom she was grooming to be a 21st century king.

"Even her harshest critics would be hard pushed to deny that Diana attached supreme importance to the job of motherhood," said Ingrid Seward, editor-in-chief of Majesty magazine.

But her tragic death robbed William and younger brother, Prince Harry, of a confidante and guide at an especially awkward time in their lives. And there is widespread concern that her loss may ultimately be the monarchy's loss.

Even though Diana clashed with the royal family during her marriage to Prince Charles and was sidelined after their divorce, she passionately believed in William's destiny. And she was grooming Harry to support his brother.

A few weeks ago, Seward said she visited Diana at Kensington Palace and noted that her living room was "a shrine to the boys," their photographs covering every surface. And the conversation kept returning to the princes, William, 15, and Harry, whose 13th birthday is Sept. 15.

"Her boys, she told me, were part of her very being. They were the reason for her existence and she was determined that whatever she might do with her own life would come second to their concerns," Seward wrote in Monday's Daily Mail.

She said Diana told her: "I have no wish to upset what is essentially part of William's inheritance, whether he likes it or not."

By all accounts, the tall, handsome prince with his mother's shy smile does not.

William has made no secret that he dislikes the media, especially the paparazzi who dogged his mother and now may turn their lenses on him. Last month, Diana said the photographers get him "freaked out."

"As a young man who has lost his mother, Prince William would be unnatural if he did not burn at the thought of what she suffered," The Daily Telegraph said in an editorial Monday.

"But if, in the future, he fears the entire press and seeks revenge against it, all this misery will only carry on into another generation, with great harm to the country we hope he will rule," the conservative daily said.

## Photographer in court

LONDON (AP) - Mourners for Princess Diana stood 10 deep in London today, while French prosecutors began court proceedings against photographers accused of pursuing her car then reaching for their cameras rather than lending a hand after it crashed.

A Paris judge placed the first of seven photographers expected to appear in court today under formal investigation for involuntary homicide and failing to aid the dying princess and her companions. The judge then released Nikola Arsoy, who was working for the Sipa agency.

Formal investigation is a step short of being formally charged.

In London, thousands waited up to seven hours in line on Pall Mall to sign condolence books at St. James's Palace, where Diana's body is lying in the Chapel Royal.

Buckingham Palace, grappling with how to handle the million or more expected to compete Saturday for a glimpse of Diana's funeral procession, announced that the nation will observe a minute's silence after the Westminster Abbey service. The palace also announced Prince Charles canceled all public and private engagements through next week.

With the funeral arrangements looking increasingly complex, the palace said the half-mile route from St. James's Palace to the abbey may be narrowed to allow more people in and bring them closer to the casket.

Five hundred members of Diana's favorite charities, which include AIDS, cancer, the homeless and leprosy, will walk behind the coffin.

Outside Chapel Royal, officials increased the number of condolence books from four to 15, but could not keep up with the demand. Mountains of flowers sprouted outside of Kensington Palace, Diana's residence.



Princess Diana is shown with her two sons, Princes William (left) and Harry. The photo was included in the book "Diana: Her True Story," written by Andrew Morton.

The public outpouring intensified as emerging details of Sunday's crash grew more shocking. Much of the initial outrage was directed at the paparazzi - the photographers who pursued Diana on motorcycles the night she died.

Since then, French authorities have said the driver of Diana's car, Henri Paul, was legally drunk and possibly pushing his Mercedes over 100 mph. The driver also reportedly taunted pursuing photographers and tried to weave around slower traffic.

A French newspaper reported today that Paul's blood-alcohol level was 1.87 grams of alcohol per liter - nearly four times France's legal limit.

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- Rick Perry, Texas agriculture commissioner

## Latest tax law benefits heirs

By DIANNA F. DANDRIDGE  
Staff Writer

Provisions in the latest federal tax reform package will allow more family farms, ranches and small business, to remain in the family.

The provisions offer many small family-owned operations relief from the inheritance tax.

"This death tax break is one of the single most important policy decisions that could have been made by our lawmakers in Washington, to help maintain family farms and encourage younger generations to stay on the farm," said Texas Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry.

"Without this tax relief, we would have continued to see many families forced to break up or sell off farms and ranches to pay the steep inheritance taxes," he said.

As early as 1998, family farms, ranches and other small private businesses will have an estate tax exemption of \$1.3 million - up from the current exemption of \$600,000.

Perry, a long-time advocate of inheritance tax relief, said the "tax change has been long overdue and desperately needed by thousands of farm and ranch families.

The new law will effect only the estates of people dying after Dec. 31, 1997.

In line with the new tax reform legislation, the Texas Department of Agriculture is accepting applications for the 27th Annual Family Land Heritage Program.

The program recognizes farms and ranches which have been in continuous production by the same family for at least 100 years.

Backers of the tax reform say many of these Texas farming families have been heavily hit by the current inheritance taxes, with some losing the entire farm or ranch just to pay those taxes.

Since its inception in 1974, more than 3,000 farm and ranch families have been honored in the program.

Perry called these farm and ranch families the "legacy of Texas agriculture."

"The history each of these families bring to the Family Land Heritage Program is an integral part of the solid foundation that helped build Texas agriculture into what it is today - the state's second largest industry," said Perry.

"These honorees will continue to strengthen Texas agriculture through their commitment to hard work and their love of the land," he said.

Program applications are available through county judges and the Texas Department of Agriculture, but applications must be submitted to TDA by Sept. 15.

Applications may be obtained by writing to Debbie Ellis, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin 78711 or by calling Ellis at (512) 463-7653.

In another agriculture development, applications for emergency farm loans for losses caused by excessive rain and freeze are being accepted at the Farm Service Agency (FSA) office, 317 W. 3rd in Hereford.

Deaf Smith County is one of seven in Texas recently named by U.S. Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman as eligible for loans to cover part of actual production losses resulting from excessive rain and freeze, according to Rodney L. Baker, local FSA representative.

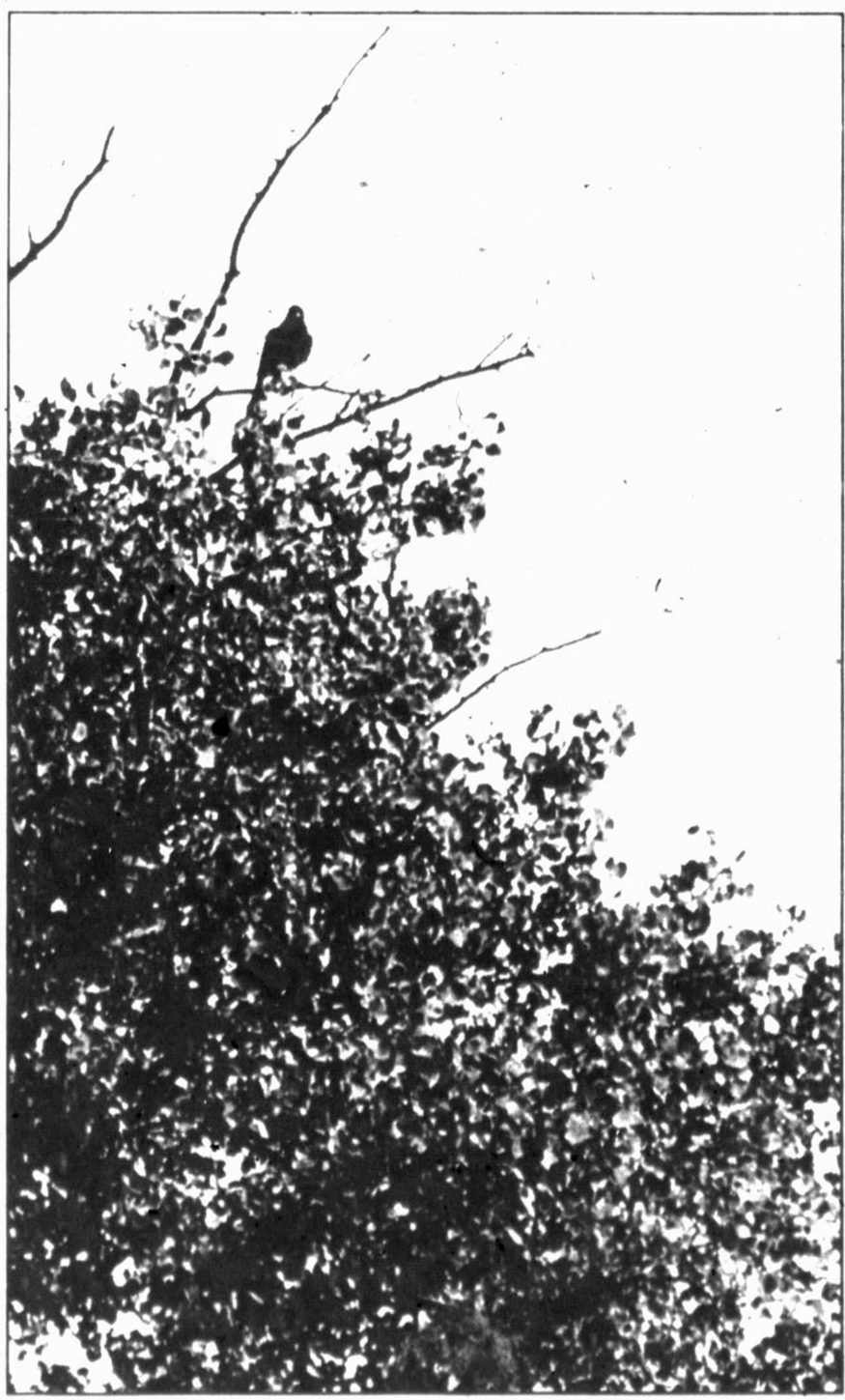
Baker said farmers may be eligible for loans of up to 80 percent of their actual losses or the operating loan needed to continue in business, whichever is less. For farmers unable to obtain credit from private commercial lenders, the interest rate is 3.75 percent.

To be eligible for an FSA emergency loan, a farmer must have suffered at least a 30 percent loss of production. Farmers who participate in the Federal Crop Insurance program will have to figure in proceeds from those programs in determining losses.

## On the lookout

A solitary hawk sits in the top a tree at the Buffalo Springs Wildlife Management Area. The bird was watching closely as visitors drove through the wildlife refuge on Labor Day.

Photo by Don Cooper



## AFL-CIO official: Texas is still big challenge for labor

By The Associated Press

One of the nation's most anti-union states remains a challenge for labor activists who must become more involved in community activities as well as recruiting members in offices and factories, a labor official says.

Linda Chavez-Thompson, the AFL-CIO's executive vice president, told a Labor Day breakfast Monday that elected officials should insist that companies moving to Texas give workers good wages and benefits.

Thousands of other working Texans had a reason to celebrate Labor Day this year. On Monday, the federal minimum wage increased to \$5.15 an hour as part of the second phase of an increase approved by Congress last summer.

But Chavez-Thompson said the state needs high-paying jobs and union members must reach out to their community in the effort.

"Our members are in the PTA, the NAACP and other organizations with concerns similar to ours," Chavez-Thompson told about 200 people, including several members of Congress, at the event sponsored by the Dallas Central Labor Council.

"We need to get involved."

She said hostility by some in Texas to unions must change, but will take a lot of work.

"We have chambers of commerce in Texas ... who entice companies from the north, who say come to Texas where you don't have to worry

## Gore wooing unions

HAMPTON, Ill. (AP) - As laborers took a day off, Vice President Al Gore was hard at work romancing the unions, a constituency that could be vital in a presidential campaign in 2000.

Gore traveled to the banks of the Mississippi River on Monday to offer a rousing endorsement of a "new unionism," march in a Labor Day parade and give a union-boosting speech to 700 cheering activists.

Gore ripped Republican critics of legislation that has raised the minimum wage 90 cents since October, including a 40-cent boost Monday to \$5.15 per hour.

Republican critics said the raises "would ignite inflation," Gore said. "They said it would lead to the

ruination of our economy. They were wrong for 12 years when they were running the place."

Gore was joined at the rally by AFL-CIO President John Sweeney and Labor Secretary Alexis Herman. Ties between President Clinton and organized labor have occasionally been strained, but there was little notice taken of those differences during the Labor Day celebrations.

Gore urged union members aggressively expand their representation.

Sweeney declared that Gore "has been a singular voice on behalf of the right of every worker to form or join a union free from harassment or intimidation."

are concerned with being able to raise a family, getting health benefits and having decent jobs."

Holiday crowds in the Texas Panhandle watched stick-horse barrel races and bull riding, despite temperatures of up to 100 degrees.

The 53rd Annual Cal Farley's Boys Ranch Rodco drew riding club members, fans and Boys Ranch alumni from as far away as Abilene, Oklahoma and Colorado.

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# Local Roundup

## 'Fun Lunch'

Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce will sponsor its first "Fun Lunch" Friday at the Hereford Community Center. Serving will begin at 11:30 a.m. and the communitywide event should be over by 1 p.m. Lunch will be catered by K-Bob's. The Fun Lunch will follow the same format as the chamber's regular Fun Breakfast, featuring singing, games, skits, community updates and the presentation of the "prestigious" Bull Chip Award. The lunch also will feature a \$200 giveaway drawing. All chamber members are included in the drawing, and the winner must be present. The cost is \$5.25 per person and chamber officials request reservations be made by Sept. 4. For reservations, call the chamber office at 364-3333. Also, the chamber's "Hustlers" are urged to attend the lunch. Hustler Chairman Jeff Brown has asked members of the group to be at the community center at 11:30 a.m. to help with the fun lunch.

## Clouds on the horizon

Tonight, becoming cloudy with a 30 percent chance of light rain or drizzle. Low in the upper 50s. Northeast wind 10-20 mph. Wednesday, cloudy and cool with a 50 percent chance of light rain or drizzle. High of 70-75. Northeast to east winds at 10-20 mph. Wednesday night, mostly cloudy and cool with a 30 percent chance of light rain or drizzle. Low of 50-55.

# News Digest

### JURORS' AGE LIMIT RAISED TO 70

HOUSTON (AP) - A new state law has taken effect that removes the automatic exemption from jury duty for citizens between the ages of 65 and 70.

Previously, state law had exempted Texans older than a age 65 from jury duty. The new law, passed by the recent Legislature and effective Monday, raised the limit to 70.

"It is good to see that the Legislature has recognized that people of this age are still very much contributing members of society," said State District Judge Doug Shaver, the chief administrative judge in Harris County. "They bring with them a great deal of experience that is vital in returning quality verdicts. They are most definitely an asset to the justice system."

Dr. Richard Murray, a University of Houston political science professor and a jury selection consultant, said older jurors are viewed as more stable and generally more conservative in their outlooks.

Depending on the case, those traits could translate into a more prosecution-oriented juror, and one less inclined to award large civil damages, he said.

### NEW STUDY GIVES HOPE ON TB VACCINE

HOUSTON (AP) - The germs that cause tuberculosis, for the most part, are all alike, according to a study published today by a group of Baylor College of Medicine researchers.

According to the study appearing in today's issue of the Proceedings of the National Academy of Science, the biggest sources of mutation and corruption in mycobacterium tuberculosis, the bacteria that causes TB, are the antibiotics used to attack it.

"The vast majority are linked to antibiotic use," said Dr. James Musser, the Baylor associate professor who led the study.

"Every gene we sequence is essentially identical regardless of where you recover the organisms - Tibet, Nepal, China, Alaska, the United States, Europe," he told the Houston Chronicle for today's editions. "The geographic changes are not as dramatic as those seen with something like HIV."

HIV, the human immunodeficiency virus that causes AIDS, had mutated repeatedly and spontaneously, dramatically complicating the search for a vaccine against AIDS. That doesn't appear to pose a problem for tuberculosis, Musser said.

### BROTHERS 'IN WRONG PLACE AT WRONG TIME'

CIUDAD JUAREZ, Mexico (AP) - Two El Paso brothers who were among the five people shot in a restaurant in Ciudad Juarez were "simply in the wrong place at the wrong time," family members say.

Carlos Valmana, a 25-year-old student at the University of Texas at El Paso, was one of three people killed in a hail of bullets fired from an AK-47 by a lone gunman Sunday night outside Gerónimo's Bar & Grill in Juarez, police said.

His 31-year-old brother, Alex Valmana, was wounded severely in the shooting at the bar, located near a restaurant where six people were massacred in a similar shooting four weeks earlier.

Also killed were Jose Ignacio Guzman, owner of the Juarez restaurant Jarro Kaffee, and Juarez resident Jose Elias Carrillo. Also shot was Tony Cole of El Paso, who was shot in the buttocks.

### LINES DRAWN BETWEEN CLINTON, CONGRESS

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### TOURISTS SWARM OVER CARMEL

CARMEL, Calif. (AP) - There's a new set of villains in the town once ruled by Clint Eastwood.

They're harmless alone. But banded together, they clog the pine-shaded sidewalks. They traipse through elegant courtyards and leer over fences into manicured backyards.

# Emergency Services

Activities reported by law enforcement agencies include:

### Police Department

#### Arrests

- A 20-year-old man was arrested in the 600 block of Irving on charges of assaulting his wife.
- A 21-year-old man was arrested on charges of driving with no liability insurance, no driver's license and several violations of allowing children under the age of 4 to ride unsecured.
- A 22-year-old man was arrested on charges of public intoxication.
- A 34-year-old man was arrested on charges of public intoxication.
- A 39-year-old woman was arrested on an outstanding warrant for curfew violation.
- A 28-year-old man was arrested on charges of burglary and violation of probation.
- A 30-year-old man was arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated.
- A 21-year-old man was arrested on a domestic violence charge in the

- 500 block of Ave. G.
- A 38-year-old man was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated.
- A criminal trespass was reported in the 900 block of Lafayette.
- A truck driver reported losing more than \$2,000 in the 800 block of W. 1st.
- More than \$1,600 worth of property was taken from the 600 block of Grand.
- A criminal trespass was reported in the 500 block of Blevins.
- A report of possible elder abuse was reported in the 300 block of Star.
- An unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was reported in the 200 block of Hereford Calle.
- A domestic disturbance was reported in the 100 block of Ranger.
- More than \$2,000 damage was done to a parked pickup in the 400 block of Ave. J.
- Credit abuse was reported in the 500 block of Ave. J.
- Theft of beer was reported at a convenience store in the 1300 block

- of east 1st.
- Suspicious persons were reported in the 800 block of east 3rd.
- A loud party was reported in the 500 block of Ave. K.
- A reckless driver was reported in the 300 block of east 5th.
- A fight was reported in the 600 block of Irving.
- A criminal trespass was reported in the 400 block of Whittier.
- Three teenage boys are considered to be suspects in a burglary of a residence in the 400 block of Avenue C.
- Crackers threw several dead rabbits on the front steps of the Jr. High.
- A report of an attempted suicide in the 1100 block of West Park.
- 26 traffic citations were issued.
- One motor vehicle accident with possible injuries; two accidents with no injuries were reported.
- A smoke scare was reported at a residence in the 300 block of Star, one other fire call was reported.

# Clinton and congress cross new lines, Clinton gets first chance to use line item veto

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And, in an unanticipated twist, Clinton would lose the power if a continued strong economy results in eliminating the deficit as early as next year - as some forecasters are predicting.

Clinton issued three line-item vetoes on Aug. 11 - the first time any president has used the power - but Congress was in recess.

Now, as Congress returns, lawmakers have 30 days to challenge those vetoes. More importantly, Clinton will have abundant opportunity in the weeks ahead to use the power.

That's because Congress must pass 13 separate spending bills to keep the government functioning after Oct. 1, the start of the new fiscal year. So far, none of these has gone to Clinton's desk.

Under the new law, Clinton has the power to reject individual projects or other spending items from these appropriations bills.

A likely early target for Clinton's veto pen: Funds to build more B-2 stealth bombers, which the White House opposes. The House defense appropriations bill contains \$505 million for the program, \$331 million more than Clinton requested, and some B-2 money is expected to be in the Senate version.

When he used it for the first time, Clinton called the veto "a tool

designed to fight against waste and unjustifiable expenditures."

But skeptics are quick to suggest that the power can just as easily be used by Clinton to barter with individual lawmakers - exchanging a promise not to line-item veto a particular member's pet project, for instance, in exchange for that member's support on another issue.

Will the line-item veto increase Clinton's leverage with certain members? "There are 535 answers to that question," White House spokesman Mike McCurry said.

"The dynamic in which that is used is part of the equation of how the executive and legislative branch wrestle out any piece of legislation," he added.

Despite advice from some senior advisers that he hold off until the fall appropriations bills, Clinton used the new powers on the new legislation to balance the budget in five years and to provide the first major tax cut in 16 years.

He killed three relatively obscure provisions - two narrowly focused tax breaks and a Medicaid clause that would have helped New York.

The power is aimed mostly at appropriations bills, but also permits the president to "cancel" limited tax breaks, ones that would benefit 100 or fewer individuals.

New York's Republican governor, George Pataki, called Clinton's veto - if not overridden - a "body blow" to the state's health care network. And Christina Martin, a spokeswoman for House Speaker Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., said the early vetoes amounted to "petty politics."

Still, it got the attention of members of House and Senate appropriations committees.

Clinton contends he hopes to use the veto sparingly - on the theory that the mere threat of its use will keep lawmakers from putting wasteful "pork barrel" spending items into appropriations bills.

# Russian crew blamed for space collision

MOSCOW (AP) - Russian space officials formally blamed the Mir's former crew for a nearly disastrous space collision in June and said today that the two cosmonauts likely would be fined.

In a harshly critical report, a space commission concluded "beyond any doubt" that Mir's former commander Vasily Tsibilyev and flight engineer Alexander Lazutkin were responsible for the June 25 accident, when a cargo ship slammed into the Mir during a practice docking, the ITAR-Tass news agency reported.

Valery Ryumin, Russian coordinator of the Mir-NASA program, said the finding was reached after a thorough examination of flight data.

"Personally we felt pity for the boys, but the facts remain," Ryumin said. "Most likely we will have to fine them, cutting the payments due under the contract."

The report comes as Tsibilyev and Lazutkin are still recovering after their grueling six-month stint on the space station, which was plagued by a series of breakdowns. They returned to Earth on Aug. 14 and are supposed to wrap up their post-flight rehabilitation Friday.

The Russian media has long blamed the crew for the collision, citing anonymous sources saying that Tsibilyev failed to take into account extra weight that was on the cargo ship.

Tsibilyev and Lazutkin had apparently anticipated the decision. Upon their return to Earth, they blamed the collision on the Mir's worn-out equipment.

"It's easy to find a scapegoat," Tsibilyev told reporters within hours of landing. "But tomorrow a similar problem may happen with another cargo ship."

Ryumin would not specify what error the crew made. Nor did he elaborate on what amount of fines that might be levied.

The Mir's current crew was busy today preparing for a spacewalk this weekend in which they will try to patch up the damaged station.

Mir's Russian commander Anatoly Solovoyov and NASA astronaut Michael Foale planned to spend about five hours in their spacesuits to simulate conditions for their spacewalk tentatively set for Saturday, said Mission Control spokeswoman Irina Manshilina.

# First Lady to represent U.S. at Diana's Funeral

OAK BLUFFS, Mass. (AP) - Now that President Clinton has decided not to go, first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton is under active consideration to lead the U.S. delegation to Princess Diana's funeral.

Vice President Al Gore and Secretary of State Madeleine Albright also were on the list of possible U.S. representatives.

The White House on Monday said the president, who with his wife is vacationing here, would not attend Diana's funeral Saturday at Westminster Abbey in London.

White House spokesman Joe Lockhart said consultations about representation at Diana's funeral were aimed at determining what would be appropriate "for the president and people of the United States."

White House aides said there was internal discussion of Mrs. Clinton attending the funeral but emphasized that no decision had been made.

U.S. officials, speaking on condition of anonymity, cited the bonds of protocol when asked why the president would not attend.

"Look at normal protocol and you'll find your answer," Lockhart said.

The officials said the announcement that Clinton would not attend was not made until the British government decided that while the funeral would be ceremonious it would not be a state event.

During his presidency Clinton has only once traveled abroad for the funeral of a foreign dignitary. That was in November 1995 after the assassination of Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin.

While Gore has represented the United States at the funeral services of international dignitaries, Mrs. Clinton enjoyed the closest relationship with Diana, visiting with her on the princess' trips to Washington.

In a condolence letter released Monday, the president wrote British Prime Minister Tony Blair: "We fondly recall her last visit to the White House in June when she met with Hillary. The British people, indeed all of us, have lost a friend and a strong voice for those less fortunate."

Lockhart said the other condolence letters, which were sent by diplomatic cable to Queen Elizabeth, Prince Charles and Diana's family, would remain private.

# Reports indicate buyers deep in debt, spending out-distances income

NEW YORK - If you want some gossip items on the financial secrets of your neighbors, just take a look at the statistics. They contain more good stuff than a supermarket tabloid.

Your neighbors are probably over their head in debt, for example.

Lots of them are using their credit cards to the limit, and even beyond. They aren't able to save a great deal. Their spending is probably growing faster than their income is rising.

How can you tell? From, for example, the 20 per cent growth of debt in the lower 80 percent of incomes, which includes much of the vast middle class.

That item comes from a triennial Federal Reserve study that in 1989 showed the debt-to-asset ratio was 16.4 percent, about 19 percent in 1992 and close to 20 percent in 1995.

You can read the news in the credit-card delinquency ratios (30 days or more overdue), which rose in the final quarter of 1996 to 3.72 percent of all accounts. And in personal bankruptcy figures, which last year rose more than 30 percent to 1 million-plus.

And you can find the suggestion

of financial pressure in the latest Commerce Department report on consumer spending. It shot up 0.8 percent in July, eight times faster than incomes rose.

Not just that, but in savings too. The rate dipped to 3.7 percent in July, one of the lowest not just in recent years but in recent decades. Admittedly, it could be temporary, but maybe not.

The popular explanation for this behavior is that consumers are confident about the future, and that when so disposed they tend to take spending risks. It sounds very plausible.

Equally plausible, however, is the contention that households are caught in a trap. And that, having adjusted their life style to their credit limit, they can maintain it only on more credit.

While they manage to pay down bills for a time, as they did earlier this year, the pressure then builds and they spend again, compelled by necessity or induced by advertising stimuli.

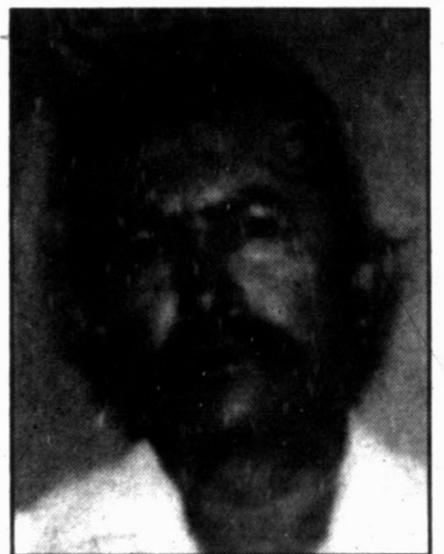
Taxes make it harder on such households. In 1996, according to the Tax Foundation, a private-sector research organization, total taxes as a percent of income rose to 34.77

percent. That level not only is the largest in the foundation's records back to 1940, when it was 18.3 percent, but the largest single item in the household budget.

The tax take is even larger in some states. In Connecticut, the most taxed state on a per capita basis, 41.4 per cent of income goes for taxes.

Though not in a classical sense, all the obvious federal, state and local taxes, plus those hidden from view, have the same impact as inflation on the weekly paycheck and household budgets.

# Obituaries



Fidel Santos Garcia

Fidel Santos Garcia, 55, Hereford died Saturday at High Plains Hospital.

Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the San Jose Catholic Church. Rosary was Sunday and Monday at 7 p.m. in the Rix Chapel. Burial was in the St. Anthony's Cemetery. Deacon Jesse Guerrerro officiated. Services were under the direction of Rix Funeral Home.

Mr. Garcia was born April 24, 1942 in Lampazos, Nuevo Leon, Mexico. He was a Hereford resident for 30 years. He was a truck driver and a member of the San Jose Catholic Church of Hereford.

He is survived by his wife, Maria Luisa Garcia of Hereford, five sons: Rudolfo Garcia of Amarillo, Roel Garcia, Fidel Garcia, Jr., Edmundo Garcia and Alex Garcia all of

Hereford, his parents Fructuoso and Manuela Garcia of Hereford, five brothers; Guillermo Garcia of Laredo, Jose Garcia, Albino Garcia, Manuel Garcia, Fructuos Garcia Jr., all of Hereford, four sisters: Maria Luisa Garcia of Hereford, Maria De Los Angeles Perez of Progresso, Guadalupe Aldape of Alvin and Beatrice Garcia of Hereford and one grandson.

### Doris Crouch

August 30, Doris Crouch, 85, Lorenzo died Saturday at Lubbock's West Texas Skilled Nursing Facility following an illness.

Funeral Services for Doris Crouch were at 4 p.m. on Monday, in the Lorenzo First Baptist Church. Burial was in the Lorenzo Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Adams Funeral Home of Lorenzo.

Mrs. Crouch was born April 12, 1912 in Haskell County, Tx. She married Oliver Nelson Crouch on March 8, 1930 in Rule, Tx. he preceded her in death in 1986.

She was a member of the Lorenzo Study Club and AARP. She had been an Avon representative for 29 years. She moved to Lorenzo in 1952 from Hunt County.

Survivors include three sons: Doug Crouch of Hereford, Joe Crouch and Jansco Crouch of Lubbock; two brothers, D.R. Davis of Lubbock, Clyde Davis of Crosbyton; one sister, Mattie Ruth Payne, Greenville, 11 grandchildren and 16 great grand children.



By The Associated Press No tickets correctly matched all six numbers drawn Saturday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas. The jackpot was worth an estimated \$13 million.

State lottery officials say that amount will increase to about \$20 million for Wednesday's drawing.

The numbers drawn Saturday from a field of 50 were: 14-15-17-25-30-43.

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Saturday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 9-7-8

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery: 7-14-20-25-39

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 7-2-5

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# Lifestyles

Ann Landers

## Youngest son never read letter

Dear Ann Landers: Nine years ago, when I had severe health problems, I wrote the following letter to my wife and children, to be opened upon my death. This year, my youngest son was brutally murdered. He never got to read my letter.

We never know what tomorrow might bring. My hope is that your readers will "do it now." Here is the letter I have written for my remaining children. --No Name in Punta Gorda, Fla.

Dear Friend: I am sure your letter will move my millions of readers as it moved me. Thank you for sending it on. Here it is:

**Loved Ones:** It is my sincere hope that it will be many years before you read this letter, but none of us knows how much time God has allotted us. Whatever length that may be, I would like to have one last chat with you. Should it be God's will that your mother and I enter eternity together, I am certain that she will agree with me. Most of what is contained herein we have talked about many times.

To all of you, I ask your forgiveness. Though your mother and I tried to do what we felt was best, it is I who often failed, sometimes miserably. And as hard as I tried (admittedly, not hard enough at times), many of my faults stayed with me. In my later years, I hope that my lack of patience wasn't as glaring as in earlier times. And perhaps my discipline was too harsh. My intention was only for your welfare. For my other shortcomings, some of which only you were aware, please forgive me.

Each of you children brought your mother and me many joys, moments of pride and happiness. This was especially true in your younger years. Your mother and I tried our best to guide and encourage you along each step of the way. We are pleased that at least one of you took our words to heart and continued your schooling. Perhaps we should have been more insistent, but then, higher education does not always guarantee anything except, perhaps, a smoother road in life. In any case, I urge you all to add up your many blessings and thank the Lord.

Perhaps my greatest disappointment was that you all took the fourth

commandment so lightly. While your dad was admittedly not the greatest in the world, your mother certainly was a most extraordinary woman. I regret that you did not let her know that she was one in a million. Please let her know how much she is appreciated. Show her your love, and encourage your children to do so also.

And it is to my faithful, wonderful wife that I address this paragraph. Thank you, sweetheart, for the many years of happiness you have given me. As I have often told you, I deeply appreciated your beauty, both inside and out. You have been the perfect wife who has stood by my side through these many years, which have passed too quickly. You have been my comforter in trying times. I just wish that I could have been a greater help to you and fulfilled your every wish in life. I am thankful for what I could provide for you, but you, sweetheart, deserved much more. Thank you for your sweet smiles, loving understanding, kindness, tender care, faithful love, great sense of humor, comforting words and forgiveness. You have been the perfect companion in my journey through life.

In closing, again I ask all of you for your forgiveness of my shortcomings. As you know, the final arrangements have been made and are simple. In death, there is little of value to leave behind, except kind words and deeds. This phrase sums it up: One kind word said to the living is worth more than a million tears shed over the grave. I ask that you strengthen your faith and rest assured that we shall all come together again in eternity.

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### Tickets for the tournament

Hereford Pilot Club member Joy Bunch, right, sells tickets for Thursday's Game Night "42" Tournament to Paul Hamilton, left, and Janey Allmon. The tournament will be from 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. in the lounge of the Hereford Community Center. Tickets are \$5 in advance or at the door. Prizes will be awarded in Hereford Bucks. All ticket holders will be entered in a drawing to be held April 2 for a card table and chairs. Other game nights will be Nov. 6 and Jan. 8. Proceeds will benefit Pilot Club service projects throughout the year.

## Today in History

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, Sept. 2, the 245th day of 1997. There are 120 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Sept. 2, 1945, Japan formally surrendered in ceremonies aboard the USS Missouri, ending World War II.

On this date:

In 1666, the Great Fire of London broke out, claiming thousands of homes but only a few lives.

In 1789, the U.S. Treasury Department was established.

In 1864, during the Civil War, Union Gen. William T. Sherman's forces occupied Atlanta.

In 1901, Vice President Theodore Roosevelt offered the advice, "Speak softly and carry a big stick," in a speech at the Minnesota State Fair.

In 1935, a hurricane slammed into the Florida Keys, claiming 423 lives.

In 1945, Ho Chi Minh declared Vietnam an independent republic.

In 1963, Alabama Gov. George C. Wallace prevented the integration of Tuskegee High School by encircling the building with state troopers.

In 1963, "The CBS Evening

News" was lengthened from 15 to 30 minutes.

In 1969, North Vietnamese president Ho Chi Minh died.

In 1985, it was announced that a U.S.-French expedition had located the wreckage of the Titanic about 560 miles off Newfoundland.

Ten years ago: West German pilot Mathias Rust, who flew a private plane from Helsinki, Finland, to Moscow's Red Square, went on trial in the Soviet capital. Rust, who was convicted and given a four-year sentence, was released Aug. 3, 1988.

Five years ago: On the campaign trail, President Bush announced nearly \$2 billion in new aid for U.S. farmers and a \$6 billion jet fighter sale that would largely benefit Texas. Democrat Bill Clinton, meanwhile, charged that Bush would shortchange middle-class students to finance tax cuts for the rich.

One year ago: Muslim rebels and the Philippine government signed a pact formally ending a 26-year insurgency that killed more than 120,000 people.

Today's Birthdays: Author-conservationist Cleveland Amory is 80. Former Sen. Alan K. Simpson, R-Wyo., is 66. Former Baseball Commissioner Peter Ueberroth is 60. Rhythm-and-blues singer Sam Gooden (The Impressions) is 58. Singer Jimmy Clanton is 57. Rhythm-and-blues singer Rosalind Ashford (Martha & the Vandellas) is 54. Singer Joe Simon is 54. Football Hall-of-Famer Terry Bradshaw is 49. Actor Mark Harmon is 46. Tennis player Jimmy Connors is 45. Actress Linda Purl is 42. Rock musician Jerry Augustyriak (10,000 Maniacs) is 39. Country musician Paul Deakin (The Mavericks) is 38. Actor Keanu Reeves is 33. Actress Salma Hayek is 29. Rhythm-and-blues singer K-Ci (Jodeci) is 28. Singer Tony Thompson is 23.

Thought for Today: "Life is a tragic mystery. We are pierced and driven by laws we only half understand, we find that the lesson we learn again and again is that of accepting heroic helplessness." - Florida Scott-Maxwell, American writer and psychologist (1884-1979).

## AARP seeking tax return counselors

The American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) is actively searching for people interested in helping others by assisting taxpayers in the preparation of their 1997 income tax returns.

Those who fill out their own tax returns may wish to help other taxpayers in what many feel to be the worst part of any year.

For those persons who are absolute beginners, AARP will hold a training session for familiarization with basic forms and procedures. For those taking the beginners session and for all other prospective counselors, an additional four-day session will be held in early January after which everyone will be tested and hopefully approved.

All training sessions will be held in Amarillo.

During the tax season, AARP will try to have two counselors at every location so that one can check the other. Counselors are advised to handle only the returns they feel capable of completing correctly.

Applicants are being sought from all cities and counties within 80 miles

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# 'God Squad' brings healing to disasters

Public safety chaplains volunteer time, energy to law enforcement agencies

By EDGAR SANDOVAL  
The Monitor

ALTON, Texas - September 1, 1989, started as a quiet morning in the Rio Grande Valley.

The Edinburg police and fire departments received an urgent radio call.

"A school bus has crashed with another vehicle and has fallen into a water pit ... several fatalities."

The emergency sirens immediately began to wail. Police officers armed themselves with bulletproof vests and guns. And firefighters grabbed their heavy yellow jackets.

Except for one firefighter.

Dick Wade needed nothing more than his Bible and God's prayers to accompany him to the scene. An Alton school bus had collided with a soft drink truck, then plummeted into an open, caliche pit filled with water.

Twenty-one students died and several others were injured.

"That is an incident I will never forget in my life," Wade said. "Just remembering all those lifeless bodies of all those children there ..."

Wade and public safety chaplains like him volunteer their time and energy to law enforcement agencies.

They go to accident scenes to comfort victims who have been injured, or lost a home in a fire, or lost a loved one. They also counsel officers traumatized by what they see and experience in their work.

Like Wade, a Baptist, most chaplains are ordained ministers and often attend counseling seminars and training.

Unofficially, they are known as the "God Squad."

After more than 30 years volunteering his time with both the

Edinburg fire and police department, Wade said, he has seen a lot of accidents and more than his share of fatalities, but none worse than the Alton crash.

"I saw a need to get parents out of there," Wade said. "The family and parents wanted to know more information."

He got a little closer to the caliche pit and saw a man and a woman standing in the middle of the turmoil, lost in the confusion. He helped them identify some of the bodies.

"It was the most difficult thing to do," Wade said. "I cried for two weeks after the accident."

Chaplains who do this sort of work need tenacity; it is a vocation to assist others in pain, they say.

"Being a chaplain is a dirty job," Wade said. "You have to respond to calls in the middle of the night. You have to be there at the scene of the accident."

Still, Wade believes in miracles.

He recalls entering a room at the old Edinburg Hospital and holding the hand of a man brought in after a bad car accident. He said he put his hand on the victim's shoulder and began praying.

A nurse walked in and stared first at Wade, then at the patient.

"I just can't believe it," she said. "I was watching his blood pressure when you were praying, and the pressure went down."

"Well, it's not me," Wade remembers telling the nurse. "It's God answering the prayer. I am just his instrument."

Another of the God squad, Oweny Willich, 52, also a Baptist, assisted at every major accident or fire for four years as a chaplain for the Elsa Fire Department.

Today, she handles treasury duties.

Fellow firefighters elected their new chaplain, Gregorio Madrigal, this year.

Still, she cannot leave the chaplaincy altogether.

"In other jobs, you can just retire and don't work, but I don't believe you can ever retire from this job," she said. "I work here on whatever they need me. I just consider myself a community volunteer."

Her husband, two sons and a daughter-in-law all have been firefighters, but Willich believes the chaplain has the most emotionally challenging role in the department.

She recalls an incident several years ago in which Elsa firefighters responded to house blaze. Willich got to the scene as fast as she could.

She saw a woman in her 30s, near hysterical, jumping up and down, yelling, "My house is on fire ... Help, my house is on fire!"

Willich went to her, hugged her and said, "Everything will be OK."

But the woman pulled away from Willich.

"My house is burning, it's almost destroyed," she said. "How can everything be OK?"

Willich said it would be a matter of faith.

"We just pray and ask for understanding, because sometimes we don't understand why these things happen," she said. "That's what gets me through my days."

Roger Mann, 63, chaplain for the San Juan Fire Department, said he gets through the days communicating one-on-one with God. He does not need to attend church or a specific religious organization to be a believer. He prays to God just outside his home, on the porch, staring at the stars.

He's an "outdoors person," he said, and it is there he spends most of his days as a chaplain.

For more than 25 years with the San

Juan Fire Department, Mann has been a solid shoulder and a sympathetic ear for firefighters who need counseling. The job's high stress absorbs so much of a person's energy, he said, that it often provokes friction in their personal lives.

When one of the men had personal problems, he brought him into the office for counseling.

"Turn the light out," he told the man.

So the man flipped off the lights. "Everything is dark," the fireman said.

"Now, get up and turn the light on," Mann said.

The fireman did so. "The point of this is: If you don't get up and turn your light on, you'll spend your life in darkness," Mann said.

Fellow firefighter Lowell Vernon Neubauer has known Mann for more than 40 years. He appreciates and admires the job the chaplain does, especially in dealing with firefighters who have gone through several traumatic experiences and suffer from stress syndrome.

"We don't realize what the stress syndrome can really do to a firefighter," Neubauer said. "A person like him, who has gone through stress debriefing training, is a big help, especially when a firefighter has witnessed an accident that just claimed four or so lives."

Bruce Covey, director of the Firefighters' District Chapter of Chaplains in the Valley, said the job of a firefighter ranks as one of the most stressful in the nation.

"Chaplains are really needed in this field," Covey said. "Our guys go through a lot and could really use some positive words."

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YOLANDA SAUCEDA

## Sauceda earns master's degree

Yolanda Saucedo was among those receiving degrees Aug. 16 during commencement ceremonies at Tarleton State University in Stephenville.

She received a master's degree in guidance and counseling. Saucedo is the daughter of Lupe and Janie Chavez of Hereford.

More than 900,000 copies of The Hereford Brand were distributed in 1995. If your advertising message was not included in many of these issues, you need to call Mauri Montgomery or Julius Bodner, 364-2030, and let them put together an advertising schedule to fit your budget.

## Hints from Heloise

Dear Heloise: Four years ago we moved across the country. We still occasionally receive mail for the former owners of our home and it takes me only a few moments to write "Forward" and their new address on the envelope, then re-mail the piece.

It has occurred to me that we have never received any forwarded mail from our previous address since the post office stopped doing so after the first year.

Perhaps the new owner does not realize how easy and thoughtful it would be to take on the occasional task. It takes only a bit of time; no new stamp is needed. — Claire Drew, Louisville, Ky.

Your thoughtfulness is surely appreciated. We checked with the post office and they told us that when moving, be sure to fill out a change-of-address form from the post office to make sure that your mail will be automatically forwarded to your new address.

The change of address will stay on file for one year. After this time some mail may go to your old address, where a considerate new owner may forward it to you. — Heloise

Send a money- or time-saving hint to Heloise, PO Box 795000, San Antonio TX 78279-5000 or fax it to 210-HELOISE. I can't answer your letter personally but will use the best hints received in my column.

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The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and Baptist/St. Anthony's Health System will conduct a breast cancer screening clinic at South Plains Health Care Providers, Inc., 603 East Park, on Sept. 12.

Participants will receive a low-cost screening that includes a mammogram and instruction in self-examination by a registered nurse.

A minimum of 15 women need to

register in order for the mobile mammography clinic to come to Hereford.

This clinic is available only to women who need financial assistance. Funding is available through the Texas Department of Health for Texas residents who qualify for assistance.

All exams are by appointment only. Call 806-359-4673 or 1-800-377-4673 for more information.

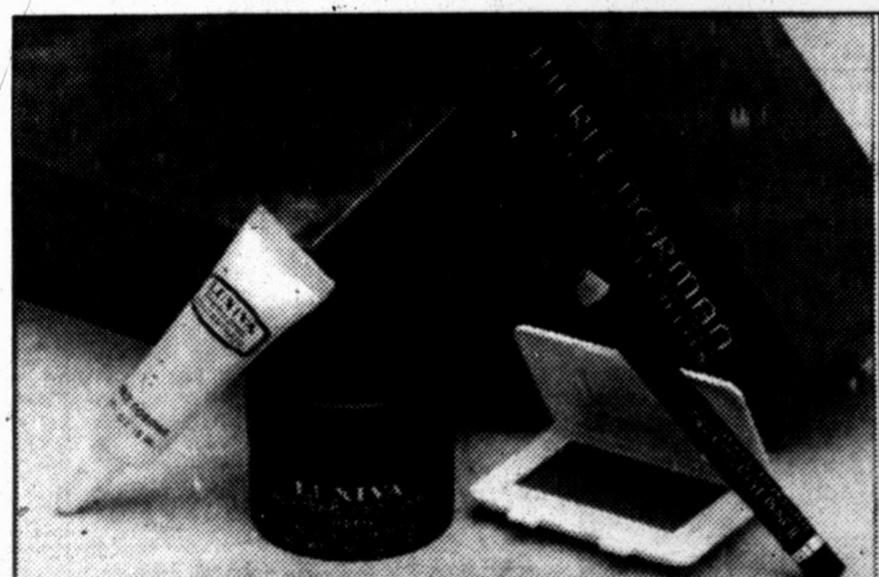
## Parade planned for Diez y Seis

La Iglesia de San Jose will celebrate "El Diez y Seis de Septiembre" on Sept. 13.

The celebration will start with a parade at 11 a.m. from the high school parking lot.

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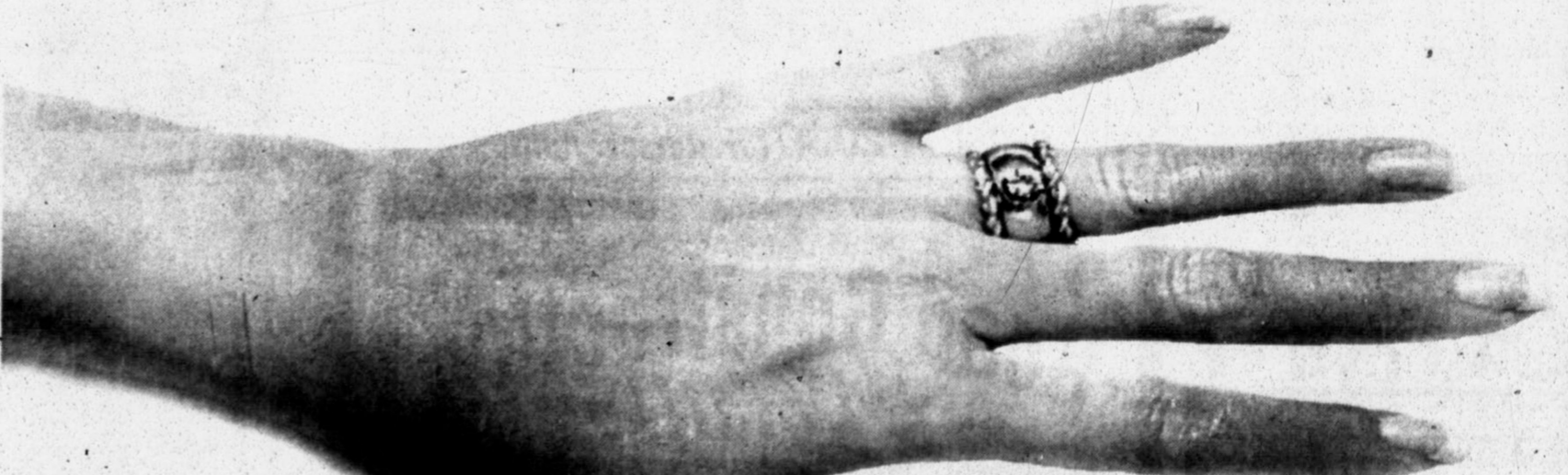
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# Sports

## Cook-Cross duo wins Packers don't look like champs

Stafford Cook and Steve Cross shot a 129 to capture the 1997 Hereford Country Club Member-Guest Golf Tournament title.

The annual Labor Day weekend event features low-ball play on Saturday and a scramble on Sunday.

Cook and Cross fired a 67-62 en route to the win. Cal Garrett and Bill Dirks took second place with a total of 132, while Butch White and Dwayne Caells were in third with 135.

The "Freeze Out," historically the most galled event of the season, was held Sunday before regular play. Jeff Shelton and Scott Hall won the Hereford Country Club version of a shootout when Shelton sank a 20-foot putt on No. 6.

In the "Freeze Out," the 10 highest individual scorers from Saturday's play are teamed with the 10 lowest scorers. The 10 teams all begin play on the first hole. Partners must alternate shots and the highest scoring teams are eliminated on each hole.

Pat McGinty and Gary Stagner took second place, while Steve Cross and Max Moss finished third.

### 1997 HCC Member-Guest Complete Results

#### BULLS

Stafford Cook-Steve Cross 67-62, 129; Cal Garrett-Bill Dirks 68-64, 132; Butch White-Dwayne Caells 67-68, 135; Rodney Barrett-Clint Savoini 70-66, 136; Roy Riley-Jerry Ripley 71-66, 137; Jim Perrin-Jim Geagan 71-68, 139; Leland Shelton-Jeff Shelton 70-70, 140; Lewis Block-Larry Walterscheid 71-72, 143.

#### STOCKERS

Wade Easley-Jim Bob Carver 74-65, 139; John Sherrod-Wade Wilson 73-66, 139; Cal Miits-Stewart Miits 75-66, 141; Pat McGinty-Scott McGinty 73-68, 141; Temple Abney-Larry Richardson 74-69, 143; Max Moss-Bill Holland 74-69, 143; Bob Sims-Steve Sims 74-70, 144; Shorty Roark-Bill Davis 74-70, 144.

#### PACKERS

Don Cumpton-Don Clements 76-70, 146; Frank Brorman-Jeff Joyce 77-71, 148; Tony Brorman-Eric Walterscheid 77-72, 149; Bruce Clark-John Hall 81-70, 151; Scott Keeling-Scott Hall 77-75, 152; Dan McWhorter-Ted McWhorter 82-72, 154; John Stagner-Gary Stagner 83-74, 157; Ron Banks-Alvin Downey 82-78, 160; Alex Schroeter-Quincy Curtis 86-75, 161.

## Lady Whitefaces take 3rd

JUSTIN - The Lady Whitefaces downed Randall 11-15, 15-3, 15-11 to capture third place in last weekend's Justin Northwest Invitational Volleyball Tournament.

En route to the third-place finish, the Lady Whitefaces defeated Austin McCallum 15-13, 9-15, 15-12 in the quarterfinals before falling to Dumas 15-13, 11-15, 12-15 in the semifinals.

In pool play, Hereford defeated McKinney 15-9, 15-5; Denison 15-4, 15-7; and Justin Northwest 15-11, 14-15.

The Lady Whitefaces will be on the road today, with both the varsity and the junior varsity visiting Amarillo Tascosa. Competition will begin at 6 p.m.

## Adams best at pick-'em

Linda Adams of Hereford was the first-place winner for Week One in *The Brand's* football contest.

Adams missed picking the winners on just four games. Paul Guyer of Amarillo was the second-place finisher, missing five games and finishing with a total point score of 13.

In third place was Mary English of Hereford, who missed five games with a total point score of 28. In the tie-breaker, she correctly picked Lovington, N.M., to defeat the Hereford Whitefaces.

Cori Watts also missed five games with a total point score of 38. However, he missed the tie-breaker when he went with the Herd over Lovington.

Wayne Amstutz missed five games with a total point score of 45. There were 14 people who missed six games. Total point score was 17.

There was a glitch in the contest, however. Because of an error in a newspaper schedule, three high school games were included by mistake in the contest. Those three games were not counted in scoring the contest.

The newspaper regrets the error.

## Sports Briefs

#### FOOTBALL

ASHBURN, Va. (AP) - Washington Redskins running back Terry Allen has a broken thumb, X-rays revealed. Allen, who rushed for 141 yards on 25 carries in the 24-10 victory at Carolina, injured the thumb on a late out-of-bounds hit by Pat Terrell early in the second half. Allen stayed in the game until leaving with the team ahead by two touchdowns midway through the fourth quarter.

KIRKLAND, Wash. (AP) - Seattle Seahawks quarterback John Friesz had surgery on his broken right thumb is expected to be out for eight weeks. He was injured when he was hit by New York Jets' Victor Green on a safety blitz with 15 seconds left in the first half.

#### AUTO RACING

FLORENCE, S.C. (AP) - Dale Earnhardt was released from the hospital and told by doctors not to drive until more tests can determine why he lost control of his car at Sunday's Southern 500.

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dropped, then spent two laps trying to find pit road. The driver was rushed from the car and later taken to McLeod Regional Medical Center. His spokesman David Allen said the tests did not show any symptoms of a heart attack or evidence one was starting.

#### SOCCER

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (AP) - In tears and with his voice rambling, Diego Maradona said he has "no more energy to go on fighting" and claimed he was being persecuted by people who wanted to see him dead.

Maradona was speaking in public for the first time since the Argentine Football Association announced last Thursday that he had failed a drug test for the third time in his career. The AFA temporarily banned him from playing until results of a second test later this week are known.

GREEN BAY, Wis. (AP) - The Super Bowl champions were out of sync, sloppy and susceptible on offense and defense.

Luckily for the Green Bay Packers, none of that seeped over to their maligned special teams.

Bill Schroeder had 160 return yards and set up all three of rookie Ryan Longwell's field goals in the Packers' 38-24 victory over the Chicago Bears on Monday night.

But the champs lost two more starters to knee injuries - cornerback Craig Newsome, who will be out for the season, and tight end Mark Chmura, expected to be out 4-6 weeks.

They join Edgar Bennett, the starting running back, already gone for the season with a knee injury in the exhibition opener.

"I know exactly how they feel," said Packers flanker Robert Brooks, who had a touchdown catch in his return from reconstructive knee surgery. "They just have to stay positive."

But the Packers find themselves reaching into their depth chart yet again.

"What's new?" two-time MVP Brett Favre said. "It seems like it happens to us all the time."

Last year, the Packers lost Chmura, Brooks and wideout Antonio Freeman midway through their Super Bowl run, although Freeman and Chmura returned.

"We found a way to overcome it and I hope we can overcome this,"

Favre said. "It's going to hurt us because we're losing two leaders, two starters," Packers safety LeRoy Butler said. "It's going to hurt us big-time."

"I'm not happy about the injuries," Holmgren said. "But hey, we won 38-24 and I'll take it."

But the injuries stung. "It makes it less enjoyable," said Favre, who threw two TD passes as the Packers woke up after a sluggish start that lasted almost a half. "Those are two key guys."

Still, the Packers have a way of finding unsung contributors - this night it was Schroeder and Longwell, two obscure newcomers who helped the Packers stay in the game in the first half.

Schroeder, a brash kick returner who spent the summer with the World League's Rhein Fire, more than replaced departed Super Bowl MVP Desmond Howard with punt returns of 46, 22 and 47 yards.

They set up three field goals by Longwell, who made the team only because Brett Conway, drafted in the third round to replace Chris Jacke, was ineffective in the first exhibition game and then got hurt.

"Offensively and defensively we weren't really doing much, and Billy gave the fans something to really cheer about," Freeman said.

"And Longwell? Perfect night," Freeman added. "I don't think enough can be said about this guy. Really, no one expected a lot from

him, but he's paying huge dividends for this football team right now."

Favre, who was 15-for-22 for 226 yards, had TD passes of 1 yard to Jeff Thomason, Chmura's replacement, and 18 to Brooks, who made an impressive debut after missing the second half of last season with a serious knee injury.

Favre also directed an 85-yard fourth-quarter drive that was capped by Dorsey Levens' 1-yard run for the clinching TD.

By then, the game had deteriorated.

Bryan Cox, Chicago's temperamental linebacker, was penalized 45 yards within a minute, leading to a Green Bay kickoff from the Bears' 40, 30 yards up the field from the normal spot.

"There is no rule against taking your helmet off and throwing it," Cox said mistakenly. "I have no regrets. If I get fined, I won't be mad about it."

Cox said he didn't care what impression his actions might have on youths, either.

"This game is not ballet. It is not basketball. It is football, a violent game," he said.

And it was the 19th straight victory at Lambeau Field for Green Bay and its seventh straight over Chicago, tying the Packers' longest winning streak in the NFL's oldest and longest series that covers 153 games dating to 1921.

But it wasn't easy against a team that last year knocked off defending

champion Dallas on the opening Monday night.

The first 28 minutes belonged to the Bears, who outgained the Packers 149-46 during that period. And even though Green Bay led 18-11 at halftime, the Bears held the Packers to minus-2 yards rushing before intermission and held the ball for more than 20 of the 30 minutes.

But just before halftime, Favre and Brooks connected on a 44-yarder, then Favre found Brooks sliding across the left side of the end zone for the TD.

"We did look pretty sloppy at times, but we found a way to win it," Favre said. "I think that's the sign of a good ballclub."

AFC BEST?: The Raiders and Seahawks went deep into the free-agent market this spring, leading to predictions the AFC West would be the NFL's strongest division... by far.

Sorry.

The Seahawks were routed 41-3 by the Jets, 1-15 last year but rejuvenated by Bill Parcells. So decisive was the beating that Keyshawn Johnson actually was spotted congratulating Wayne Chrebet, whom Johnson trashed as the "team mascot" in his book, on Chrebet's two touchdown receptions.

The Raiders lost 24-21 in overtime to the Oilers (Tennessee Oilers, please) in Memphis as Eddie George, 216 yards in 35 carries, outdid Jeff George (295 yards and three TD passes to Tim Brown.) So much for the three-tackle defense that was supposed to stop the run.

## New Rose is blooming

By TOM WITHERS  
 AP Sports Writer

Pete Rose Jr. has spent his whole life trying to be like his dad. And when he reached first base after his first big league hit, Petey raised his fist to salute baseball's Hit King.

Pete Rose clapped along with 31,000 fans, then celebrated his son's single by holding up his index finger - No. 1.

It was a sweet moment for the younger Rose, 27, who toiled for one-third of his life in the minors before getting his chance.

"It was everything and more," Rose Jr. said, still wearing eye black and a sweaty jersey with No. 14 on the back long after Monday's game. "Those nine years of bus rides, bad food, bad hotels, bad fans - it was all worth it."

For Reds fans, it was baseball like it used to be.

"I was in tears," said Pam Carmin, of Enon, Ohio. After he struck out in the first inning using a bat his dad gave him 11 years ago, Pete Jr. led off the fourth inning against Kansas City's Kevin Appier.

On a 2-2 pitch, Rose, this time swinging one of Barry Larkin's bats, lined a single off first baseman Jeff King's glove.

"After his first at-bat, I said, 'He's only got 1,142 to catch me,'" Pete Rose said, referring to his career strikeout total. "After the second at-bat, I said, 'He's only got 4,255 hits to catch me.' He did all right."

A 7-4 loss to the Royals was merely a footnote to Rose's day.

Elsewhere in interleague play, it was Seattle 9, San Diego 6; Philadelphia 5, the New York Yankees 1; Cleveland 7, Pittsburgh 5; the New York Mets 3, Toronto 0; Montreal 4, Boston 2 in 10 innings; the Chicago White Sox 5, St. Louis 4; Milwaukee 3, Houston 2; Minnesota, 7; the Chicago Cubs 6; Florida 10, Baltimore 4; Detroit 4, Atlanta 2; San Francisco 8, Oakland 2; and Colorado 4, Anaheim 1.

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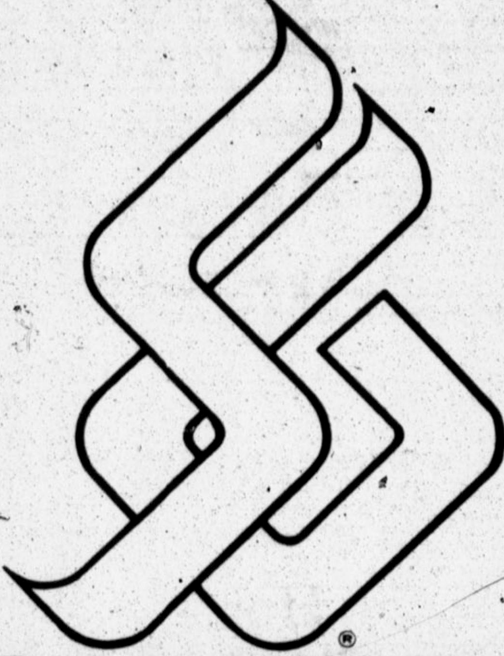
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## News Digest

### JERRY'S TELETHON SETS RECORD

LOS ANGELES (AP) - A plea by Jerry Lewis for "just \$1 more" apparently worked as his annual muscular dystrophy telethon raised a record \$50.5 million.

Throughout the show, Lewis said he wanted the 32nd year to bring in "just \$1 more" than last year's telethon that raised \$49.1 million.

"The American people have set a new standard in expressing love and caring," said Lewis, national chairman of the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

Lewis began this year's fund-raising event with a dedication to Princess Diana, killed in a car crash in Paris less than a day before the 21 1/2-hour telethon began Sunday evening.

Featured were performers from the musical "Ragtime" and a taped number from "Riverdance." Celebrities including Tony Danza, Charo and Jerry Springer helped urge viewers to send pledges.

### MISS AMERICA CONTESTANTS ARRIVE

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) - As gamblers and Labor Day tourists gawked, 51 women looking to become Miss America 1998 hit the Boardwalk, overflowing with smiles and ambition.

For one wants the crown, a \$40,000 college scholarship and a grueling year-long speaking tour. The televised contest takes place Sept. 13.

A jazz trio played "It Could Happen To You" and "Satin Doll" as the women were introduced and walked across a stage in Convention Hall. Soor, they would get to work.

But first, some photographs. Lots of them. Wearing brightly colored, neatly pressed suits with ribboned lapel corsages, the contestants gathered for a group photograph. Said one passerby: "Don't tell me. Now, they're going to sing 'God Bless America.'"

Then they were funneled inside, where they stood for more photos, sat for one-on-one interviews with reporters and signed their names to a wall map of the nation.

### BOUNTY HUNTERS MISTAKENLY KILL COUPLE

PHOENIX (AP) - Bounty hunters wearing black ski masks and looking for a bail jumper kicked in the front door of a house, held children at gunpoint and shot a young couple to death in a case of mistaken identity, police said.

Three of the bounty hunters were in custody Monday, including one who has been charged with second-degree murder and two hospitalized with gunshot wounds. Police were looking for two others.

Investigators said they don't believe the bail jumper was in the house and may never have lived there.

"It's still a mystery why they went to that house," said police Sgt. Mike Torres.

The shootings have focused renewed attention on Arizona laws that allow bounty hunters to break down doors and use guns to bring bail jumpers back to jail. They don't need a court order or warrant. They don't even need a license to do what they do, police said.

### CASTRO MAKES PUBLIC APPEARANCE

MEXICO CITY (AP) - Fidel Castro made his first public appearance Monday since Miami news media reported rumors - immediately denied by Cuba - that Castro could be very ill or dead.

The Cuban government news agency Prensa Latina, monitored in Mexico City, said Castro officially opened the school year in Ciudad Libertad, a school at former fort west of the capital.

The Mexican government news agency, Notimex, confirmed the report, and said it was Castro's first public speech since April 4.

Castro wore an olive-green military uniform and spoke to hundreds of schoolchildren, teachers and officials under a light rain. Castro, 71, spoke for nearly an hour, Notimex said.

Last week, Miami news media reported rumors that Castro had taken ill or died, sparking much discussion in Spanish-language media and in cafes in Miami's Little Havana. Cuban officials quickly denied the rumors.

### RAY ATTORNEYS TRY NEW AVENUE TO GET TRIAL

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) - Attorneys for James Earl Ray say their client should have gotten a trial in 1969 when a judge died days after receiving Ray's request to withdraw his guilty plea.

Two weeks days after confessing to the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., Ray sought to withdraw his plea, sending a letter to Shelby County Criminal Court Judge W. Preston Battle. Battle died of a heart attack five days later.

Ray's attorneys were expected to file a petition today in Davidson County Chancery Court in Nashville. The petition, which seeks Ray's immediate release on bond, cites a state law that allows a new trial when a judge dies while considering a motion.

"He has an automatic right to a trial," attorney Andrew Hall said Monday from his office in Wartburg, Tenn.

Ray has been seeking a trial in a separate court action in Memphis. In that court, the 69-year-old Ray has argued the hunting rifle found at the murder scene with his fingerprints on it was put there to frame him.

### ROSEBUD SIOUX LOSE OUT

WASHINGTON (AP) - Few groups of people in America are poorer or more dependent on the federal government than the Rosebud Sioux in South Dakota. One of every two tribal members on its barren reservation can't find work.

But the Bureau of Indian Affairs provides funds to the Rosebud Sioux at a fraction of the rate it does many wealthier tribes because of the wide disparities in how the agency distributes money.

The Rosebud Sioux receive about \$225 per tribal member from the BIA, while tribes in the Minneapolis-St. Paul area, the Pacific Northwest and other regions get as much as \$1,000 per capita and more, according to an Associated Press analysis. Some tribes in Oklahoma and elsewhere receive less than \$100 per capita.

It's as if the government were to give Connecticut, a relatively wealthy state, five times as much as assistance as Mississippi.

## Names in the news

### HARRISON FORD

VENICE, Italy (AP) - Harrison Ford arrived at the Venice Film Festival in style Monday. The star of "Air Force One" piloted his own plane and sported a recently pierced left ear.

Ford, who recently turned 55, called the piercing - and the new earring - a birthday present to himself.

The festival is screening "Air Force One," in which Ford plays a president forced to take over the controls of his own hijacked jet.

The movie, which also stars Glenn Close and Gary Oldman, is not competing for the Golden Lion award for best movie.

The two U.S. films in competition are "Niagara, Niagara," by Bob Gosse and "One Night Stand" by Mike Figgis, the director of "Leaving Las Vegas."

### DAVID CARUSO

NEW YORK (AP) - Working with David Caruso, who made a less-than-graceful exit from "NYPD Blue," didn't get any easier on his latest television series.

Paul Haggis, executive producer of Caruso's new CBS series "Michael Hayes," said he was very worried about working with his star.

"When I told (friends) I was doing this show, I got comments like 'You're in for it now,' and 'Look out!'" Haggis said. "I went in with a feeling of dread."

"We got off to a bumpy start, David and I. ... I think David was understandably nervous about how he would return to TV, and he wanted everything right," Haggis said. "But things have worked out and settled down."

Caruso left his role as Detective John Kelly on "NYPD Blue" three years ago and went on to star in the box-office flops "Kiss of Death" and "Jade." He stars as a federal prosecutor in his new series.

### LAURENCE FISHBURNE

NEW YORK (AP) - Laurence Fishburne plays a character in the new movie "Hoodlum" he says many Americans aren't used to seeing - a black, Depression-era gangster.

"Black people are everywhere, and they've done extraordinary things everywhere as well as some things that are quite embarrassing and shameful," Fishburne said. "There are a lot of stories, and a lot of them should get told."

"Hoodlum," which opened last week, features Fishburne and Andy Garcia playing crime bosses based on real gangsters in Harlem.

### LINDA McCARTNEY

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - When the Beatles took to the road during the "Summer of Love" 30 years ago, Linda McCartney was on hand to record the trip in black and white.

Today, McCartney's pictures - which include shots of Stephen Stills, Jimi Hendrix and Aretha Franklin - are hanging in The Museum of the City of San Francisco.

They are part of a fund-raiser for a free concert in Golden Gate Park this fall. The show will commemorate the fabled summer's 30th anniversary.

"She saw people in moments of personal space and intimacy that would be hard for a lot of us to capture," said Chet Helms, who hitchhiked to San Francisco with Janis Joplin 30 years ago and is organizing the concert.

Also included in the photos is a picture of John Lennon working on a song with Paul McCartney. The photos, offered when Helms called the McCartneys about the concert, were collected in Linda McCartney's book "Sixties."

### CHARLES SCHWAB

HAMILTON, Mont. (AP) - Charles Schwab wants people to make an investment in Bitterroot Valley.

The chairman of Charles Schwab & Co. calls it "one of the most beautiful valleys in all of America." He has been visiting the area for about 14 years and owns a home south of Missoula.

Schwab was in town Saturday to check on the progress of a 2,600-acre residential development known as Stock Farm in which he is the principal partner. It includes 95 home sites, a golf course and 30 cabins.

"In my view, it will probably take 10 years for the complete mission," he said. "We're in no hurry."

### JAMES TAYLOR

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) - James Taylor took an old English ballad and gave it a contemporary country twist.

Accompanied by fiddler extraordinaire Mark O'Connor, Taylor sang "Johnny Has Gone for a Soldier" on Sunday for a sold-out crowd at Starwood Amphitheatre.

Taylor, singer of such hits as "Carolina in My Mind" and "You've Got a Friend," said he and O'Connor recorded the song months ago for an upcoming album.

The Country Music Association has named O'Connor its musician of the year from 1990 through 1995. He played with classical cellist Yo-Yo Ma on Taylor's latest album.

## 'G.I. Jane' in top spot

LOS ANGELES (AP) - "G.I. Jane" is the top of the heap for a second straight week.

The film starring Demi Moore as the first female Navy SEAL fended off a squad of new recruits to take in \$10.1 million over the three-day Labor Day weekend, according to Monday estimates from Exhibitor Relations Co.

"Money Talks," which sparked a flap when its distributor estimated wrongly that it would tie with "G.I. Jane" for the top spot last weekend, remained in second place.

The estimates for Friday through Monday:

1. "G.I. Jane," \$10.1 million.
2. "Money Talks," \$9.5 million.
3. "Air Force One," \$8.1 million.
4. "Hoodlum," \$7.8 million.
5. "Conspiracy Theory," \$6.8 million.
6. "Mimic," \$6.5 million.
7. "Excess Baggage," \$6.3 million.
8. "Cop Land," \$6.1 million.
9. "Kull the Conqueror," \$3.5 million.
10. "Men in Black," \$3.3 million.


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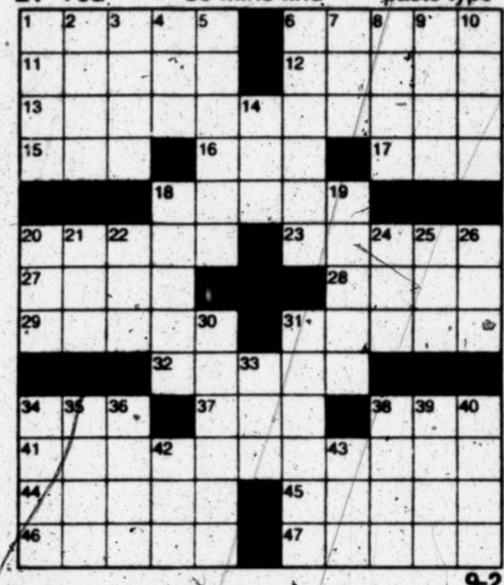
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--Give the price. A newspaper consultant says 70 percent of classified readers won't respond to an ad with no price.  
--Use key words to describe what you're selling. The key words for a car are make, model, year, body style, color, mileage and price. If it's a house, key words are location, type of construction, number of bedrooms and baths, and condition.  
--Don't use abbreviations. It's tempting to abbreviate and save money if ads are billed by the line. Brand ads are billed by the words, so spell them out so readers won't be confused trying to figure out abbreviations.  
--Don't be misleading. Think accurate and factual when you write. Be sure to include a phone number and the best times to reach you.

—Alain

# Stocks show gain

NEW YORK (AP) - Manufacturing growth slowed in August, according to a closely watched survey issued today. The report eased fears of higher interest rates, pushing stock prices sharply higher in early trading.

The National Association of Purchasing Management's manufacturing index slipped to 56.8 percent in August from 58.6 percent in July. The August figure was well below economists' expectations of 58 percent. Anything above 50 percent indicates that the economy is growing.

The Dow Jones industrial average, which started moving higher just ahead of the report, climbed to a 150-point gain this morning.

The report, which is based on a survey of purchasing managers around the country, indicates that the economy grew in August, but at a slower pace than in July. August marks the 15th consecutive month of expansion.

"The overall picture in August as indicated by growth in production, new orders and backlog of orders, is one of continued growth in manufacturing activity," said Norbert J. Ore, chairman of the association's business survey committee and director of purchasing at Sonoco Products Co.

The group's price index, which is closely watched by investors for hints of inflation, rose by 0.2 percentage point to 53.8 percent in August from 53.6 percent in July. In August, 20 percent of purchasing executives reported paying higher prices, while 10 percent said they paid lower prices and 70 percent said prices were unchanged.

Production by manufacturers decreased 2 percentage points in August, to 62.4 percent from 64.4 percent. New orders to manufacturers fell 4 percentage points to 60.6 percent from 64.6 percent.

State Capital



**HIGHLIGHTS**  
By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Texas may lose millions of dollars in federal funding if it restricts minors' access to birth control and other prescription drugs, an official with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services warned in a letter presented at a hearing last week.

Federal regulations state that funding will be denied to programs that discriminate on the basis of age in providing services, wrote Dr. James Randolph Farris, regional administrator for the U.S. Health Department.

State District Judge Scott McCown took the case under advisement after listening to arguments from Planned Parenthood of Houston and Southwest Texas and the attorney general's office, the *Dallas Morning News* reported.

The state Legislature attached a rider to its 1997 budget stipulating that "no state funds may be used to dispense prescription drugs to minors without parental consent." The rider was aimed primarily at the dispensation of birth control pills. Planned Parenthood filed suit, asking the judge to invalidate the Legislature's action.

State Sen. Steve Ogden, R-Bryan, who sponsored the rider, attended the hearing. "As a matter of policy, I believe parents ought

to always have an opportunity to consent on whether their children are receiving prescription drugs," he told the *Morning News*.

**Rollback Amount Is Questioned**  
Texas would benefit from a \$555 million insurance premium rollback in 1998 under a plan announced by the state Department of Insurance.

The rollback would reflect the insurance industry's cost savings that have come about since 1995 laws limited frivolous lawsuits and capped civil damages.

But, a consumer advocacy group testified last week at a public hearing that Texans were overcharged \$1 billion in 1996 by insurers who failed to pass on savings from legal reforms brought about by the 1995 laws.

D.J. Powers of the Center for Economic Justice and a former general counsel for the Department of Insurance, said the reforms have not provided savings for Texans, but are "providing a \$1 billion windfall for insurers."

"If the rates were reduced as they should have been, consumers would have paid \$1 billion less than they did. That averages out to a \$100 per car overcharge in 1996 alone. That overcharge will be even bigger in 1997," he said, adding that the next rollback should be \$1.5 billion for automotive liability coverage and \$2 billion for all types of coverage.

Insurance Commissioner Elton Bomer disagreed with Powers' figures and took the testimony under advisement. Bomer said he will announce later whether he will adopt the department's recommendation of a \$555 million rollback or set his own amount, according to an Associated Press report.

**Bullock Names More Panels**  
Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, who is retiring Dec. 31, 1998, continued to name Senate interim committees to get a head start on the agenda for the 76th Texas Legislature, which

convenes in January 1999.

He appointed panels to study issues regarding air emissions, public schools, state finances and accountability in handling taxpayers money, and the funding of higher education, including the cost of tuition and other concerns that affect students' ability to earn degrees.

Bullock requested that each committee submit a progress report by March 1, 1998 and a final report by Oct. 1, 1998.

**Other Capital Highlights**  
■ Comptroller John Sharp has assembled a 10-member team to study high unemployment, low wages and pollution along the Texas-Mexico border. Sharp's "performance review" is intended to dissect, analyze and make recommendations to remedy the border's persistent problems.

■ Attorney General Dan Morales last week unveiled the state's new computer system for processing child support payments. The system, which was to be operational in early 1993, has cost \$68 million, so far. Six months of staff training are needed before the system is fully operational, Morales said.

■ Comptroller Sharp, a Democratic candidate for lieutenant governor, said he won't accept a \$1,000 a month raise in the new budget that became effective Sept. 1. Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry, a Republican candidate for lieutenant governor, said he would accept the raise.

■ Texas Secretary of State Tony Garza announced that astronauts will be allowed to cast votes via "electronic mail" to NASA, which would forward the encrypted ballots to county election officials. The procedure is authorized under a law signed by Gov. George W. Bush.

■ The Texas Supreme Court reversed an opinion from Attorney General Morales, ruling that its telephone and telecopier records are not subject to the Texas Public Information Act.

# Gephardt to fight Dornan challenge

WASHINGTON (AP) - Defeated Republican Rep. Bob Dornan often enraged colleagues with his bombastic speeches, so it's not surprising that his legal challenge to win back his seat is producing a volatile reaction.

Democratic leader Richard Gephardt, D-Mo., is uncharacteristically threatening to "shut the House ... down" if a Republican investigation of Dornan's defeat continues.

But Republicans insist they'll forge ahead with a probe of the conservative Californian's 1984-vote upset loss to Democrat Loretta Sanchez in California's 46th congressional district last year.

"We believe we have to get to the

bottom of it," said Rep. Bill Thomas, R-Calif., who has jurisdiction as chairman of the House Oversight Committee.

A three-member House task force is reviewing Dornan's allegations that Sanchez won because of voter fraud by illegal aliens and other non-U.S. citizens in the Orange County district.

Both parties acknowledge that illegal votes were cast in November, but the level of wrongdoing is strongly disputed.

Dornan contends there were enough improper ballots to support a new election. Sanchez - the first woman and Hispanic sent to Congress from the district - says she won

race fair and square. Gephardt has asserted "there's no question" that Sanchez won.

If Republicans "continue in this immoral pursuit, the Democratic Party in the House of Representatives will shut the House ... down until this investigation is shut down," he fumed.

Gephardt's emotional warning - indicative of the strong reactions Dornan frequently drew during his nine congressional terms - came in a recent speech to La Raza, which represents Hispanic-Americans.

The acknowledgement of some vote fraud sets the House investigation apart from a Senate probe of last year's Louisiana Senate race. Republican Woody Jenkins' has challenged the victory of Democrat Mary Landrieu.

Without any consensus on that disputed election, Senate Democrats withdrew from the probe earlier this summer and are threatening to stall Senate legislation if Republicans

don't halt the investigation.

Such legislative stalls are common in the Senate, where a single member can tie the chamber in knots unless 60 of the 100 senators vote to end a filibuster. In the House, where a simple majority rules in most cases, such threats are more rare.

But this case is not ordinary. First, there have been allegations of racism, with Democrats contending Sanchez was challenged because she's Mexican-American and with Republicans labeling Democrats as racists for even making the suggestion.

Second, the case involves Dornan, who also was a Republican presidential contender in last year's GOP primaries.

Dornan's fiery House speeches often evoked intense anger from Democrats, who many times demanded that his words be stricken from the official record. It wasn't just Dornan's words that provoked his critics. It was his frenzied style as he attacked liberal targets.

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# Jewish settlers stone Palestinians

HEBRON, West Bank (AP) - Jewish settlers threw stones today at Palestinian workers on a U.S.-funded road project in Hebron. The American project manager and a Palestinian bulldozer driver were arrested for refusing to cooperate with Israeli police.

The United States is paying \$1 million to renovate Shuhada Street, a main thoroughfare that passes in front of two settler enclaves, a project that is supposed to lead to the street's reopening to Palestinian traffic for the first time in more than three years.

The settlers oppose the reopening, claiming it will put them in danger of Palestinian attacks.

Also today, several thousand Palestinians returned to jobs in Israel after Israel eased its closure of the West Bank and Gaza Strip. The travel ban was imposed after the July 30 market bombing in Jerusalem that killed 17 people. The Islamic militant group Hamas claimed responsibility for the blast.

At 3 a.m., a first group of workers from the Gaza Strip lined up at the Erez crossing into Israel. One of those waiting to cross, Salem Hussein, 47, said he found it difficult

to provide food for his wife and six children.

"The people's patience is over," he said. "If (Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin) Netanyahu continues this policy against us, everything will explode."

Israel announced Monday that 4,000 workers and 2,000 merchants would be able to enter Israel. Before the market attack, some 100,000 Palestinians worked in Israel.

A further easing of the closure was expected before the Sept. 10 visit of U.S. Secretary of State Madeleine Albright. She is to meet with Israeli and Palestinian leaders to try and restart peace talks.

The Palestinians want Israel to lift the closure and halt the expansion of Jewish settlements in the West Bank and Gaza, while Israel demands the Palestinians resume cooperation on preventing attacks in Israel and round up Hamas activists.

Israel has arrested seven brothers of the Sbeih family in the West Bank village of El Khader on suspicion they provided the timers to a Hamas bomb factory discovered in July in the town of Beit Sahour, a Palestinian

**CAPITOL COMMENT**

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## PRESSING QUESTIONS

The best part of this job is hearing what Texans from all over the state have to say. The hard part is getting the views of all 18 million of us! While in the Senate I have kept my election pledge not to make use of the franking privilege (free postage for members of Congress) to conduct surveys or for political purposes. But I'm still vitally interested in what's on your mind.

So, to help my staff and me obtain feedback from constituents, I hope you will take time to clip our annual survey, fill it out and mail it in with your opinions and observations. A big thanks to your local newspaper for publishing this questionnaire.

The three earlier surveys showed that Texans have excellent insights to offer regarding America's most pressing issues. I look forward to reading your responses.

## SURVEY QUESTIONS

\* **Taxes:**  
Do you believe that tax reductions should come in the form of an across-the-board reduction in the income tax rate? Or do you support more targeted tax incentives, for example, to encourage savings for college or retirement?  
If Congress could throw out our current tax system and start fresh, would you favor a consumption tax instead of an income tax?  
Or a flat income tax of 20 percent for everyone?  
Any other reform?  
Congress' efforts to be fiscally responsible may result in a budget surplus in the near future. If a surplus accrues, do you think Congress should use it to reduce the national debt, or to provide Americans with additional tax relief?

\* **Campaign finance:**  
Do you support reforming federal campaign finance laws by imposing stricter limits on contributions by individuals? By unions? By corporations? By non-citizen permanent residents?  
Do you believe there should be limits on the amount of their own money individuals or organizations can spend to support or oppose candidates or specific political issues? (There are no such restrictions currently.)  
Why?  
Some proposals for campaign finance reform include public (government) financing of political campaigns. Do you favor such a plan?  
Are there other specific reforms you support?

\* **Education:**  
Do you support or oppose the establishment of national, standardized achievement tests for all public school students?

\* **Trade:**  
Since NAFTA was implemented in 1993, there has been a dramatic increase in jobs and export growth in Texas and the U.S. What are your views on expanding NAFTA to include Chile and the rest of Latin America?

\* **Environment:**  
Do you support Congressional efforts to roll back excessive regulation by federal agencies?  
Most endangered species live on private property. Do you believe that private property owners have a role to play in the effort to protect species?  
\* **Transportation:**  
The new budget bill that just passed includes more than \$2 billion for Amtrak on the condition that the railway makes meaningful reforms in the way it operates. Do you believe it serves our national interest to maintain rail passenger service?  
\* **Foreign policy:**  
Do you favor further expansion of the NATO alliance?  
Do you believe the United States should spend more money, less money or about the same amount it does now to support NATO?  
Do you believe our European allies are paying their fair share of the bill?  
\* **Energy:**  
Congress is considering deregulation of the electricity industry. Some analysts suggest that deregulation could cut electricity prices by 25 percent for the average family. There would, however, be transitional and operational costs borne by each electricity consumer. Do you believe electricity deregulation will be beneficial to you?  
\* **Arts funding:**  
Do you favor federal arts funding?  
Would it make a difference if most of the support were to go directly to the states allowing state arts commissions to decide which institutions or groups were to receive grants?

\* **Comments:**  
Please send your responses to me at 284 Russell Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C., 20510. I look forward to hearing from you.

# Tobacco money apparently swayed votes

WASHINGTON (AP) - A new study says members of Congress who took money from tobacco companies were three times more likely to have voted to block spending to help states fight cigarette sales to minors.

The Food and Drug Administration has requested \$34 million to distribute to states to enforce new federal rules intended to prevent teen-age tobacco sales.

The Senate has yet to decide how

much anti-tobacco money to provide to the FDA after an attempt to provide the full amount was blocked in July.

A Senate committee voted to provide \$4.9 million, and the full Senate voted 52-48 to turn back an amendment by Sen. Tom Harkin, D-Iowa, that would have added the remaining funds.

An analysis by the Campaign for

Tobacco-Free Kids found that senators who opposed Harkin's amendment had received 15 times more tobacco money during the last election year than did supporters of the full FDA funding.

The interest group said that of the 47 senators who had received money from the tobacco industry, 83 percent voted to table Harkin's amendment. Of the 53 senators who took no

tobacco money, just 25 percent voted to table the amendment.

The pattern held true in the House, too. A House committee has voted to give the FDA \$24 million to fight teen smoking, and an amendment for the full \$34 million was defeated. Lawmakers who voted against the money took, on average, five times as much money from the tobacco industry as their colleagues, the financial analysis found.

Muirhead said the roadwork is about a third completed, and that officials hope the project would be completed by the end of September.

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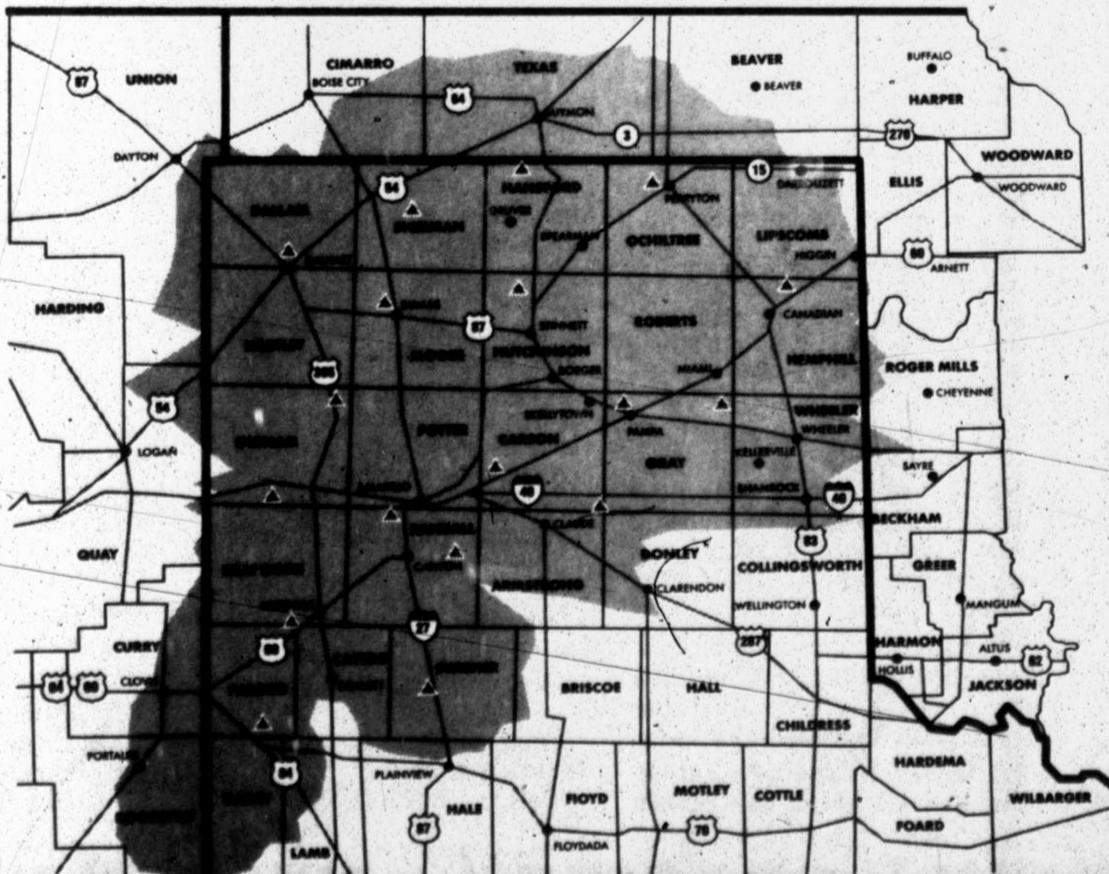
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