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Haiti invasion could be soon, over quickly

By RITA BEAMISH
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WASHINGTON (AP) - The Clinton administration said today the U.S. invasion of Haiti could come within days and when it does, the military mission would be over "in a matter of hours." There were hints that Haiti's leaders had made an overture toward a peaceful exile.

President Clinton told Americans in a televised address Thursday night, "We have exhausted diplomacy," and he put Haiti's rulers on notice that a massive deployment of U.S. troops were ready to remove them by force.

Overnight polls and morning interviews indicated that many Americans and members of Congress were opposed to military intervention in Haiti and unconvinced that the situation there was a threat to U.S. interests. Clinton laid out his reasoning and said he'd made up his mind.

"When brutality occurs close to our shores, it affects our national interests."

Clinton signaled that an invasion could come at any time and has authorized the call-up of 1,600 reservists to support the 20,000-strong invasion force.

One high-ranking official said, however, an invasion was not likely before Monday and Secretary of State Warren Christopher told ABC today, "It's a matter of days. It's a very short time."

Christopher also suggested that ousted President Jean-Bertrand Aristide would not return immediately. "It would be a short time. I would say a week or two. It depends on the security situation there," Christopher said.

Perry, in interviewed NBC, said the U.S. invasion would be overwhelming and fast. "The military aspect of this would be over in a matter of hours, at most a day or two," he said, adding that U.S. soldiers would stay longer "restoring order and establishing security on the island."

Perry also suggested the invasion would not turn into a manhunt for Lt. Gen. Raoul Cedras and the other military leaders, as happened in Panama when Manuel Noriega was taken prisoner only after he disappeared for several days and then holed up in a church residence

surrounded by U.S. soldiers.

"Our military task is simply to separate the leadership from the military forces... we do not have any orders or directions to track down those leaders," Perry said. "If, in the course of our military operations we come across them, we will arrest them," he added.

Even as two U.S. aircraft carriers moved to join 20 warships off Haiti's shores, the country's military ruler, Lt. Gen. Raoul Cedras, stood firm.

In a CBS interview after Clinton's speech, Cedras said he was "prepared to fight with my people."

Nevertheless, Cedras and his colleagues were putting out feelers for a way out of their dilemma, according to former Jamaican Prime Minister Edward Seaga. Seaga told The Associated Press Thursday night that he was contacted Tuesday by a well-placed Haitian intermediary close to Cedras.

The intermediary said the junta leaders were offering to step down and allow the return of Jean-Bertrand Aristide, Haiti's deposed president, "if there was an agreement not to proceed with the invasion" and a pledge of no retribution against some 600 people associated with the Haitian regime, Seaga said.

He passed the proposal to U.S. Embassy charge d'affaires Lacy Wright in Kingston for relay to Washington, but said he had no reply following a series of conversations to clarify different points.

State Department spokesman Mike McCurry would not confirm or deny Seaga's account of the offer. But he said the military leaders would have to leave Haiti unconditionally.

In his address, Clinton forcefully portrayed Haiti as a critical U.S. interest, worthy of risking American lives in an invasion. But he promised the American mission would be short-lived.

"The vast majority of our troops will come home in months, not years," he said.

A ABC poll after Clinton's speech indicated that he had won over some support, with 60 percent opposed to an invasion, compared with 73 percent four days earlier. Republican lawmakers are strongly opposed to military action, and many Democrats

are insisting he should seek a congressional vote of approval for invasion.

Sen. Richard Lugar, R-Ind., said Clinton's speech was unconvincing. Unlike Panama and Grenada, he said, "There is no physical threat from Haiti to the United States, no strategic interest whatever."

But Democratic Sen. Dennis DeConcini of Arizona, chairman of the Senate Intelligence Committee, said Clinton's speech had "made as good a case as you can for any invasion."

Clinton sought to dispel doubts and suspicions about Aristide, which have contributed to opposition in Congress and reticence in some quarters of the administration.

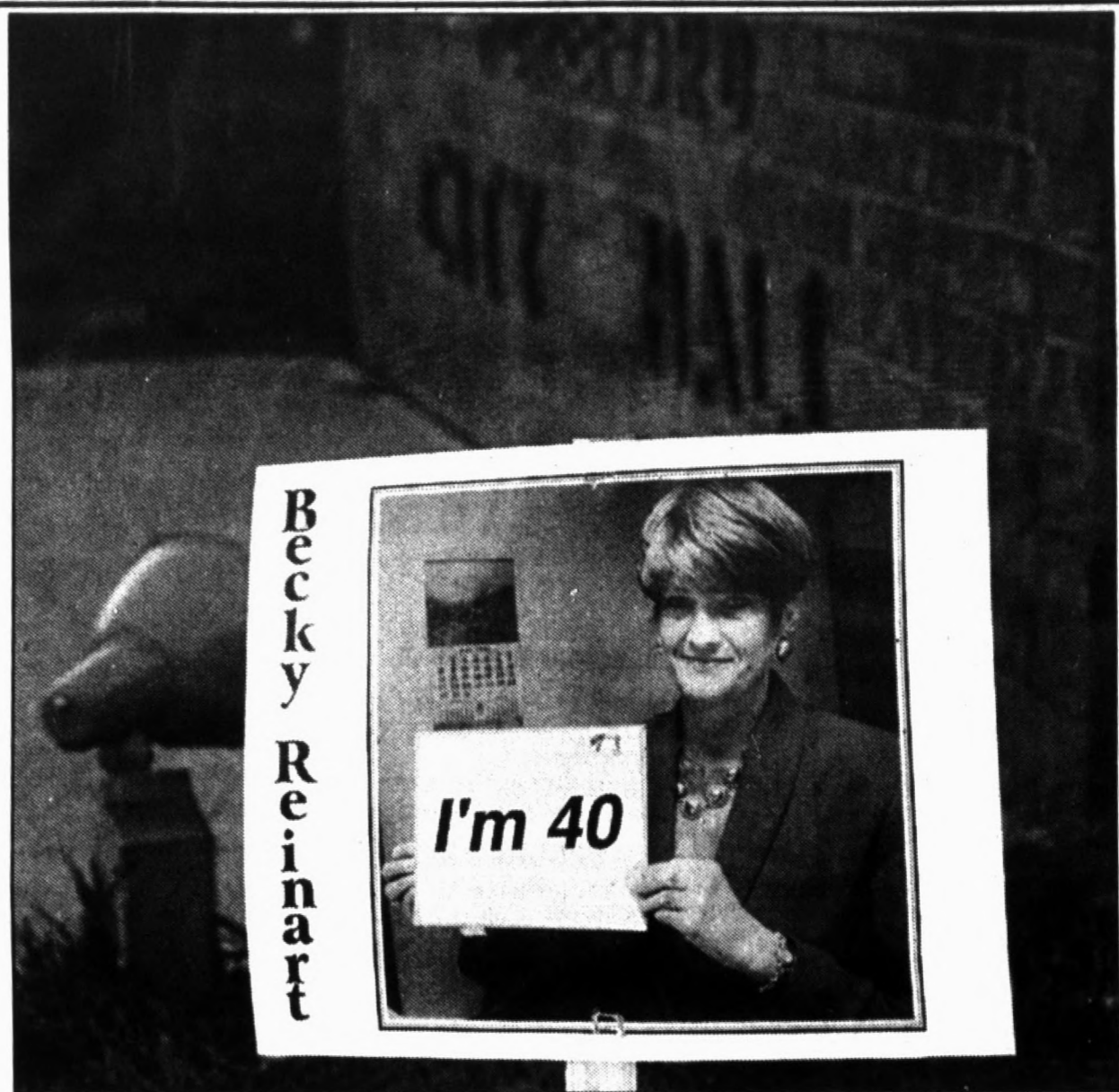
He said Aristide, ousted in a military coup in September 1991, has pledged to step down when his term expires in February 1996. Aristide critics worried that he would try to extend the time on grounds he has missed three years in office. But his Washington representative, Mike Barnes, said it has always been Aristide's intention to abide by the constitutional schedule.

Clearly pointing to concerns that Aristide would not dissuade retribution by his supporters, Clinton said the Roman Catholic priest-turned-politician has "committed himself to promote reconciliation among all Haitians."

The administration is concerned about the prospect of Haitian-on-Haitian violence after the coup is toppled, and U.S. planning has incorporated efforts to thwart such activity, said a congressional source who has been briefed by officials.

In justifying military force to evict Haiti's military regime, Clinton described a nation where orphans are slain because Aristide once ran an orphanage, young girls are raped, people are mutilated "with body parts left as warnings" all because they are suspected of political dissidence.

Clinton also cited the cost of maintaining Haitian refugees intercepted fleeing Haiti, the United States has spent more than \$177 million to support the refugees in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, and maintain the economic embargo around Haiti.



Not much of a secret

Someone wanted everyone in town to know that Becky Reinart, who works for the City of Hereford, had a birthday on Friday. A photograph that originally appeared in **The Hereford Brand** earlier this summer was altered slightly to include a supposedly personal message from Reinart. Copies were mounted on stakes around the City Hall lawn, down South Main and Austin Roads near her house and along U.S. 385. Then, just in case anyone did not know that it was her birthday, signs were taped to windows and walls around City Hall.

Clinton intervenes to stop seizure of gifts to church

By PHILIP BRASHER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Clinton personally intervened to stop a government lawyer from arguing before an appeals court that a couple's creditors could seize money they gave their church.

The Justice Department withdrew from the Minnesota case shortly before the 8th Circuit Court of Appeals started oral arguments on the matter Thursday in St. Louis.

"This is consistent with his personal interest and his record in support of religious freedom," said Phil Lader, Clinton's deputy chief of staff.

The department had filed legal papers in the case this spring, siding with a bankruptcy trustee who was

Insurance co. cuts hike plan

AUSTIN (AP) - The second largest automobile insurer in Texas says it will reduce its recommended increase in the benchmark automobile insurance rate from 12.5 percent to 9.8 percent.

Clint Gardner, regional manager for Farmers Insurance Group, said Thursday that the reduction was based on recalculating insurance industry data.

Farmers has 1.2 million auto policyholders in Texas.

The Texas Automobile Insurance Service Office, which represents small- and medium-size insurance companies, has called for a 17.7 percent increase in the benchmark auto rate.

An administrative law judge will conduct a hearing on benchmark rates then make a recommendation to Insurance Commissioner Robert Hunter.

Hunter will make the final decision on the benchmark, which has not gone up since 1991. Under the new flexible rating system, however, companies can price auto policies as much as 30 percent below and 30 percent above the benchmark without state approval.

A public hearing on the proposed rates will be held Sept. 27.

trying to recover the couple's donations.

The case is one of the first major tests of the Religious Freedom Restoration Act, passed last year, and religious freedom groups were outraged when the Justice Department intervened.

Utah Sen. Orrin Hatch, the law's coauthor, hailed the department's withdrawal as a "tremendous step forward in our efforts to protect the fundamental rights of the citizens of this nation."

"President Clinton has proven that he is sincerely committed to meaningful legal protection for religious exercise," said Steve McFarland, director of the Christian Legal Society's Center for Law and Religious Freedom.

The White House said Clinton ordered Attorney General Janet Reno on Wednesday to pull out of the case.

Judge Theodore McMillian began the appeals court hearing by announcing that the Justice Department's lawyer would not appear.

"I suppose he was spoken to by God on high," the judge said.

The bankruptcy trustee's attorney, Richard Thomson, was left to argue

the case by himself.

"They have run, for reasons unknown," Thomson told the court. "I was given no explanation."

At issue is \$13,500 that Bruce and Nancy Young gave to the Crystal Evangelical Free Church of New Hope, Minn., in the year before they filed for bankruptcy.

A federal judge ruled that because the Youngs got nothing of monetary value for the donations, the offerings amounted to a fraudulent transfer of their assets.

Lawyers for the church, however, say that contributing money to a church is an act of worship protected by the new law, which says government must have a "compelling interest" to interfere with religious practices.

Lader said Clinton believed the law "was intended to protect the practice of good-faith tithing in these circumstances."

The Justice Department's lawyers were divided over the case but notified the White House last week after further review that they were sticking to their position, said a department source, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Bullock has heart surgery

AUSTIN (AP) - Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock underwent heart bypass surgery today.

Dr. Kent Beasley of Austin said the operation was recommended "as a result of tests in connection with a routine physical examination."

Beasley said the surgery wasn't prompted by a heart attack or other emergency. "Mr. Bullock has been in good condition throughout the week-long testing period," Beasley said.

Bullock, 65, is serving his first term as lieutenant governor, the state's No. 2 elected official. He faces Dallas lawyer Tex Lezar, a Republican, in the Nov. 8 election.

Mary Jane Wardlow, a spokeswoman for Bullock, said he "decided the campaign was in good shape and he wanted to get the surgery over with now rather than take time to do it when the (legislative) session was

running." The regular legislative session starts in January.

Ms. Wardlow refused to say what hospital Bullock was in.

On Tuesday, Bullock attended his annual campaign fund-raiser in which he raised more than \$1.5 million.

Bullock has had health problems in the past. He had part of one lung removed several years ago.

Bullock is recovering alcoholic, and has quit and resumed smoking several times.

He has been a figure in state politics for nearly 40 years. Prior to being elected lieutenant governor, he was state comptroller for 16 years. He also has served as Texas secretary of state and in the Texas House.

After the three-hour surgery, Bullock is expected to stay in the hospital from five days to 10 days, Beasley said.



Raising the colors

Every morning, sixth-grade students at St. Anthony's Catholic School run outside to raise the U.S. and Texas flags in front of the building. On Friday, Joseph Valdez, left, attaches the U.S. flag to the cord while Randy Evers, center and Jonathan Soto assist.

Tough '95 standards would hit schools

AUSTIN (AP) - Hundreds of Texas public schools would have been ranked low-performing this year, rather than just 55, if tougher standards slated for 1995 were in effect, a newspaper's analysis has showed.

Many of the 792 schools, out of more than 6,000 in the state, have otherwise good reputations and academic records, according to the Austin American-Statesman's editions Thursday.

Rankings of schools are based on the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills, a statewide test.

Schools were rated "low-performing" this year by the Texas Education Agency if less than 25 percent of students passed the test's reading, writing or math portions.

That yardstick, under next year's standards, will be applied to each "student group" - whites, blacks, Hispanics and economically disadvantaged students.

A school will be ranked low-performing if one group slides below the threshold. The TEA can take over or close such schools.

The newspaper said some school administrators are worried about the tougher standards. But other experts believe the new requirements will help focus attention on minority and low-income students who are failing in - or are failed by - the existing system.

"These kids are the future of Texas," said John Stevens, executive director of the Texas Business and Education Coalition. "They're the work force of the next century."

The coalition promotes business and parental involvement in schools. Stevens said schools should be judged by their success with all kinds of students.

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Local Roundup

Freshmen parents to meet

The parents of Hereford High School freshmen will hold a meeting at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 20, in Room 122 of the High School. The meeting will be to discuss the Freshman Class Supper. All parents are encouraged to attend. Parents should enter the building through the north door.

Mild days ahead

After a high of 82 degrees Thursday and a low of 54 degrees Friday morning, Hereford will enjoy continued mild weather. The temperature is expected to drop to 45 to 50 degrees overnight, with light winds, and climb to about 80 degrees Saturday. Winds will be variable, 5-15 mph.

News Digest

World/Nation

WASHINGTON - Battling congressional and public opposition, President Clinton is pledging a "limited and specific" U.S. military invasion to end Haiti's "nightmare of bloodshed."

WASHINGTON - The Pentagon's plan for invading Haiti relies on a tactic untested in combat - launching thousands of Army soldiers and dozens of their helicopters from Navy aircraft carriers.

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti - With U.S. warships in sight offshore and aircraft buzzing overhead, Haiti's military rulers vow to stand their ground and resist any U.S. invasion.

WASHINGTON - The religious right movement heads into the general election with a mixed pre-season record that highlights the problems of turning Christian activism into statewide electoral victories.

BATON ROUGE, La. - The parents of a Japanese exchange student shot to death by a man who thought he was an intruder got what they wanted - and it wasn't money.

SPACE CENTER, Houston - With their major chores behind them, Discovery's astronauts are finally concentrating on the high point of their 10-day mission - a spacewalk to try out a new jet pack.

State

SAN ANTONIO - An art exhibit on sex and AIDS that provoked raging debate within the city's sizable Roman Catholic community is being moved out of a gallery run by nuns.

EL PASO - An unprecedented study of toxic chemicals in the Rio Grande has helped researchers take an important step toward fully understanding the river's condition, environmental officials say.

HUNTSVILLE - A 29-year-old ex-welder was put to death early today for killing a jewelry store clerk during a robbery in College Station five years ago.

HUNTSVILLE - Virtually nothing has been filed to try to stop the execution next week of an attorney convicted in a bloody rampage at the Tarrant County Courthouse in 1992. George Lott, 47, is continuing to act as his own attorney as he did during his trial and is refusing legal help to avert execution.

SAN ANTONIO - South Texas oilman and rancher Clinton Manges is facing more legal problems with the return of a federal indictment charging him with conspiracy, mail fraud and bribery.

HOUSTON - Republican gubernatorial candidate George W. Bush wants a tougher state juvenile code to deal with what he believes is a growing crime problem involving youths.

HOUSTON - Conservatives are claiming victory after the University of Texas changed the funding of gay workshops after complaints about the use of student fees to finance the "Living with Pride" seminars.

CORPUS CHRISTI - This Texas coastal city is in danger of losing the replicas of Christopher Columbus' ships because the organization that oversees the display has run out of money, officials say.

BELTON - The mother of a slain U.S. Army officer told two men who had just been convicted of capital murder in his slaying that their actions left those who loved him "crying and dying inside."

HARLINGEN - Cuban and Haitian children held at an immigration detention center in South Texas will be considered for parole to reside in the United States while their cases are resolved, authorities say.

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HOUSTON - Two gang members face possible death sentences after being convicted in the slayings of two teen-age girls who were raped and strangled last summer.

WASHINGTON - Congress didn't anticipate the wonders of the electronic age when in 1940 it enacted a law banning the sale of lottery tickets across state lines. Now the crime bill will shut down an interstate electronic network by closing a loophole in the 54-year-old federal law.

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LAMESA - When Gordon Waldrop bought the old powdered egg factory here 18 years ago, some people thought he was nuts. But in the years that followed, Waldrop turned the sprawling, dilapidated building into a merchant's mecca, a junkman's paradise.

Police, Sheriff, Fire, Emergency Calls

Friday's emergency services reports contained the following information:

- HEREFORD POLICE**
 - A 21-year-old female was arrested on warrants.
 - A 38-year-old female was arrested for public intoxication.
 - A 53-year-old male was arrested for criminal trespass and resisting arrest.
 - Harassment was reported in the 400 block of Centre.
 - Juvenile problems were reported in the 1000 block of 14th Street.
 - Criminal mischief in the amount of \$100 damage to windows was reported in the 700 block of 15th Street.
 - Assaults were reported at U.S. 60 and Park Avenue and in the 700 block of La Plata.
 - Disorderly conduct was reported on West Park Avenue.
 - Theft in the amount of \$60 was

- reported in the 600 block of Irving.
- Theft of beer valued at \$15.58 was reported in the 500 block of South 25 Mile Avenue.
- Officers issued 11 citations.
- There was one minor traffic accident.
- DEAF SMITH SHERIFF**
 - A 22-year-old male and a 19-year-old male were arrested on bench warrants.
 - A 36-year-old male was arrested on a warrant for harassment.
 - A 42-year-old male was arrested for theft over \$20,000/under \$100,000.
- FIRE DEPARTMENT**
 - Firefighters were dispatched at 7:49 p.m. to a trash fire in the 500 block of North 25 Mile Avenue.
- EMS**
 - Ambulances ran on one medical run, one transfer to Amarillo and one transfer from Amarillo to a local nursing home on Thursday.



Kiwanis members honored

Recognized as "Kiwanians of the Month" Bartley Dowell, center, and Sharon Ruland, receive awards from Kiwanis Club President Chris Leonard. Dowell, club treasurer, and Ruland, secretary, were honored for their work in their offices.

Business, consumer groups square off on reform ideas

AUSTIN (AP) - Business and consumer groups are squaring off over proposed changes to the state's civil justice system.

Texas for Lawsuit Reform, a coalition of business and industry groups, unveiled its legislative agenda Thursday and said its proposals would reduce frivolous lawsuits and unfair jury awards.

"Texas' economic future depends on restoring equity and fairness to the civil justice system," said Dick Weekley of Houston, who is chairman of the group.

But Texas Citizen Action and the Consumers Union said the proposals would make it more difficult for ordinary citizens to recover damages when they are victimized by wrongful or negligent acts.

"You don't want any changes to the system that prevent meritorious cases from being heard," said Reggie James of Consumers Union.

"Someone could have called each landmark lawsuit in the history of our country - such as the Ford Pinto exploding gas tank case - frivolous," he said.

James said focusing on methods that encourage early and fair settlements would improve the civil justice system without taking the rights of individuals.

Weekley said the state was suffering economically because businesses are afraid to come here for fear of being sued.

But Tim Curtis, executive director of Texas Citizen Action, said, "Texas leads the nation in new job growth."

Weekley replied, "Whatever job growth Texas has had, if the system were more balanced, it would be double that."

Weekley said Texas for Lawsuit Reform would push its proposal when the Legislature meets in regular session in January.

Proposals offered by the group included:

- Limiting punitive damages and making it more difficult to assess them. Punitive damages are those awarded to the plaintiff beyond the actual loss to punish the defendant's wrongdoing.
- Limiting those who can be sued and the amount of awards under the Deceptive Trade Practices Act.
- Sanctioning lawyers and parties that file lawsuits "that clearly lack merit."
- Requiring that all suits against corporations be brought in the firm's principal place of business.
- Limiting the amount of contributions to judicial candidates.
- Increasing disclosure of political contributions.
- Making judges withdraw in cases involving close financial ties or excessive campaign contributions.

Electric cooperative files notice leading to new generating plant

Golden Spread Electric Cooperative has filed with the Texas Public Utility Commission a notice of intent to apply for a certificate of convenience and necessity for construction of a new 400 megawatt generating plant.

Scheduled for initial operation in early 1998, the plant would consist of four 100 megawatt, simple cycle gas turbine powered generating units. Natural gas would be used as the primary fuel.

A final site selection has not been made, but two preferred sites are currently under consideration. One site is located in Moore County south of Sunray, and the other site involves properties in Yoakum and Gaines

Counties east of Denver City. Approval by the Texas Public Utility Commission of the notice of intent will only give Golden Spread the right to file an application for certificate of convenience and necessity, which is the authorization needed before the project can be constructed.

In its filing, Golden Spread advised the Commission that it also intends to solicit proposals from other utilities and independent power suppliers for both new capacity and demand side control options. The solicitation will be made in about three months and will include a request for purchased power or other supply options.

Golden Spread currently purchases wholesale power from Southwestern Public Service Company and from West Texas Utilities Company. SPS's 1993 load and capacity resource forecast, which includes the Golden Spread loads, shows a need to construct 486 megawatts of new gas turbine generating capacity to serve area loads.

"Our proposal does not duplicate any existing generating facilities," said Golden Spread President Robert W. Bryant. "It simply means that SPS can defer the construction of additional generating plants on its system, and that will benefit SPS retail customers."

Golden Spread's member systems are: Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative in Hereford; Bailey County Electric Cooperative (Muleshoe); Greenbelt Electric Cooperative (Wellington); Lamb County Electric Cooperative (Littlefield); Lighthouse Electric Cooperative (Floydada); Midwest Electric Cooperative (Roby); North Plains Electric Cooperative (Perryton); Rita Blanca Electric Cooperative (Dalhart); South Plains Electric Cooperative (Lubbock); Swisher Electric Cooperative (Tulia); and Tri-County Electric Cooperative (Hooker, Okla.).

Golden Spread's member systems serve 90,000 retail consumers in the Panhandle and on the South Plains of Texas and in the Oklahoma Panhandle.

Ex-welder executed for killing store clerk

HUNTSVILLE, Texas (AP) - A 29-year-old ex-welder was put to death early today for killing a jewelry store clerk during a robbery in College Station five years ago.

"I just love everybody. That's it," Jessie Gutierrez, looking nervous and speaking in a halting voice, said just before receiving lethal injection.

Gutierrez was pronounced dead at 12:20 a.m. CDT, eight minutes after the lethal drugs began flowing into his arms.

His brother, Jose, 33, also convicted of the shooting death of Dorothy McNew, is awaiting execution as well, although Jose Gutierrez's conviction remains under appeal.

The execution was the ninth this year in Texas, the 80th since the state resumed carrying out capital punishment in 1982 and the 251st nationwide since the U.S. Supreme Court in 1976 allowed the death penalty to resume.

Gutierrez' execution came about an hour after the Supreme Court denied 11th-hour appeals that contended the eighth-grade dropout had mental problems, that his attorneys were not allowed to investigate the case fully and that challenged the constitutionality of the Texas death penalty statute.

The two brothers were arrested in Houston - about 100 miles away - a week after they fled from the store near Texas A&M University with about \$500,000 in jewelry and gems.

Some \$375,000 worth of merchandise was recovered.

Gutierrez was reported confident Thursday he would not be put to death.

Texas Department of Criminal Justice spokesman David Nunnelee said Gutierrez refused a final meal request and also refused to sign documents related to his pending execution, saying he didn't need to because he believed he would win a reprieve.

Ms. McNew was working at the Texas Coin Exchange when the brothers entered shortly before 10 a.m. on Sept. 5, 1989. One of the men pulled a gun.

"There were customers in the store and quite a few employees," Brazos County Assistant District Attorney Deena McConnell said. "The woman shot was not doing anything. She was standing there and had turned around and Jose just fired one shot."

"It was a senseless killing. She did nothing to provoke him, nothing for him to think she had any plans to stop him."

Testimony showed the wounded woman remained conscious, was moaning and asking for help as the brothers were cleaning out jewel cases and ripping telephone wires from the wall. She died the following day.

"It was just cold-blooded," Ms. McConnell said.

Travelers focusing on walk in space

By MIKE DRAGO Associated Press Writer
SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) - With their major chores behind them, Discovery's astronauts concentrated today on the high point of their 10-day mission - a spacewalk to try out a new jet pack.

"It's a great day for an untethered spacewalk in the payload bay," Mission Control told the crew in this morning's wake-up call.

Astronaut Susan Helms used the shuttle's mechanical arm to haul a 2,800-pound satellite into the cargo bay Thursday. The satellite, Spartan, had orbited 65 miles ahead of Discovery for two days to study the sun.

With Spartan safely tucked away for the ride home, astronauts Carl Meade and Mark Lee were able to focus on today's spacewalk, the first in a decade that had astronauts venturing into the void of space without safety tethers.

The two were to test a new \$7 million jet pack designed as a rescue device, or life preserver, should future astronauts become untethered while constructing a space station.

The plan called for Meade and Lee to take turns with the 83-pound pack, which attaches to the standard spacesuits, and use the unit's 24 tiny nitrogen gas jets to move around Discovery's open cargo bay.

The most dramatic part of the planned demonstration had one astronaut spinning and tossing his fellow spacewalker to see if the jet pack allows him to stabilize himself and fly back to the shuttle robot arm.

Lee was confident the 6(-hour spacewalk would go without a hitch.

"I'm not really nervous. We've trained for lots of different things up here. We get up and we find a few things that are different, but basically what we expect is there," Lee said earlier this week.

"I'm sure I'll be a little bit more nervous that day than I am today, but we're ready to do it."

The last spacewalk without safety tethers was in 1984, when astronauts used a bigger, bulkier jet pack.

Spartan project scientists said Thursday that it would be months before the satellite's data tapes are analyzed, but there were indications the craft functioned as expected.

The \$14 million satellite aimed its two telescopes at the sun's corona, or outer atmosphere, to gather information about streams of charged particles, called solar winds, that originate there.

Researchers want to understand solar wind better partly because of the havoc it causes by disrupting radio communications and electrical power on Earth.

Spartan's measurements coincided with observations by *Ulysses*, the first spacecraft to be put into orbit around the sun's poles. It was launched from Discovery four years ago and reached an orbit over the sun's south pole this week.

Obituaries

GENEVA A. CLOUD
Sept. 15, 1994
Geneva Avis Cloud, 78, of Dalhart, mother of Jonny Cloud of Hereford, died late Thursday in Amarillo.

Services are set tentatively for 10 a.m. Monday in Lakeview United Methodist Church of Dalhart with burial there. Arrangements are being made by Haas-Ferguson Funeral Home in Dalhart.

Mrs. Cloud was a lifelong resident of Dalhart. She was a member of Lakeview United Methodist Church. Her husband, Paul Cloud, died in 1981.

Other survivors are a daughter, Paula Seim of Lubbock, four sisters, one brother, six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Hospital Notes

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL
Mary McCutchen, Glenda Minson, Raul Murillo, Arrora Ortiz, Elva Porras, Inf. Boy Porras.
Alma Ramirez, Inf. Boy Ramirez, Rosa Ramos, Marshall Lee Riley, Inf. Girl Seiver, Melody Seiver, Vershan Valadez, Ormel Walker.

NEWBORNS
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rivera are the parents of an infant girl, Samantha Nicole Rivera born September 8, 1994. She weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. John Seiver are the parents of a girl, Bailey Doern Seiver born September 14, 1994. She weighed 7 pounds, 1 ounce.

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Church News

CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST

Come worship at the Central Church of Christ. You will find a friendly group of people trying to restore New Testament Christianity. Using the Bible only as our guide, we week to worship as the early church worshipped. We will teach only those things they taught, and we will try to live by the principals in God's word. We have thrown away all denominational ideas and creeds of men. We simply want to be Christians, followers of Christ.

In God's word we find the church to be a family. A place where people get involved in each others lives and love each other. Together we work to proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ to a lost world. We strive to study God's word and to grow spiritually.

We would invite everyone to come and study with us. If you would like to study in your home we will be happy to do so. We have study courses that can be taken by mail. If you will send us your name and address we will send you a course free.

We worship Sunday at 10:25 a.m. and 6 p.m. We have bible study Sunday at 9:30 a.m. and Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

ST. THOMAS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

"The Suffering Servant" is the title of the sermon by the Rev. Charles A. Wilson on the Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost. The Holy Eucharist is celebrated at 11 a.m. and there is a coffee hour after the service.

The regular Wednesday Public Service of Healing, the Laying-On-Of-Hands with Holy Unction, and Holy Communion. The major prayer book feast day of St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist, will be observed.

Intercessory prayer requests from the community are most welcome. To have them included in the Prayers of the People at all services, please call 364-0146 and leave a message. In case of emergency or to make appointment for personal conferences, please call Father Wilson in Amarillo at 1-353-1734.

There is Christian education for all ages to 9:30 a.m. each Sunday with children and youth meeting in the Education Wing and the Adult Class meeting in the church parlor. The Adult Class continues a 13-week study of Mark's Gospel using the Serendipity material.

The Rt. Rev. Sam B. Hulsey, Bishop of the Diocese of Northwest Texas, will be at St. Thomas on Sunday, Sept. 25. Bishop Hulsey will preside at the all a.m. Holy Eucharist, preach and administer the Sacrament of Confirmation. Anyone who is considering Baptism, Confirmation, Reception or Renewal of Baptismal vows should contact Father Wilson as soon as possible. There will be a reception for the confirmands and Bishop Hulsey after the service.

ST. ANTHONY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

New members of the parish include Maria Escobal and children, Rosie Lee DeLaCruz and Cindy Marie Escobal; and Maria Ontiveros and her children, Carlo and Laura.

Enough need was expressed to reopen the parish nursery during the 9 a.m. Sunday liturgy. The nursery will be located in the east wing of the school, first room on the north. Mothers will rotate babysitting. Nancy Buchanan is coordinating. Please call her for information at 364-7110.

The second Baptism Class is planned at 7 p.m. Oct. 12. Catechetical Sunday is Sept. 18. Current S.A.P.O. can be picked up at all of the church entrances.

The Tri-State Fair Pro-Life booth will be set up Sept. 17-23 at the fair. If you can help man the booth, call Mary Jo Monroe at 372-9993 or Jean Burney at 381-9887.

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and clean up for the Oct. 14-15 Problem Pregnancy Center garage sale. For more information call 364-6150.

The Diocesan Council of Catholic Woman of the Year for 1994-95 nominations are to be submitted by Sept. 25 to: Mary O'Brien, 1203 Florida, Amarillo, Texas 79102. Candidates must have the approval of their pastor.

The annual fall cemetery cleanup day is planned from 8 a.m. until noon Saturday at St. Anthony's Cemetery. Coffee, juice and doughnuts will be served.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Children, Sunday school teachers, car and party people in the children's division will enjoy an old-fashioned hayride to the home of Dee Anne and Johnny Trotter from 5-7 p.m. Saturday.

Everyone interested will meet at the west parking lot and travel by hay wagon to the Trotter home for games and a hot dog roast. The children will be returned to the west parking lot by 7 p.m. The youth will be riding with the children and helping with games and the hot dog roast.

Come and join the congregation at FUMC at 9:30 a.m. for Sunday school and morning worship at 10:45. Dr. Williamson's sermon will be "A Good Future for You" taken from Rev. 21:1-7. The anthem will be "Be Strong in the Lord" by Fetke and the choir ensemble will repeat a great song they performed for the revival entitled "Solid Rock" with Margaret Williams as soloist. The postlude will be performed by Flint Dollar at the piano.

The Sunday evening service will be at 6 and the youth will have their snack supper and program at 6 p.m. They will be rehearsing a skit for the church service on the evening of Sept. 25.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Sunday school begins at 9:30 a.m. and the Sunday worship services are held at 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. Meeting each Wednesday: Kids Fall Program, 7 p.m.; Teen "Club Paradise," 7 p.m.; and the Adult Bible study, 7 p.m.

This Sunday morning, Pastor Ted Taylor and the church board are calling the church to "An Offering of Sacrifice." A goal of \$25,000 has been set to help provide for a music minister, missions and other areas of need.

"Positive Singles" will meet following the evening worship service in Jacob's well in the N.C.A. building.

"Promise Keepers" will be having a meeting Oct. 28-29 in the Metroplex Area. If you are interested in this gathering of men contact the Nazarene Church or Jeff Torbert.

This is a new meeting but will fill up fast.

The NCA auction is set for Oct. 1. If you have anything of value to donate, you may bring it to the school.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Rev. Lanny Wheeler, chaplain at King's Manor, will be the guest speaker at the 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship service.

Sunday school for all ages will begin at 9:30 a.m. and Joe Kerr will lead the Adult Sunday School class.

The youth groups will meet at the church. The junior highs will meet from 5-6 p.m. and then meet with the senior highs for fellowship and snacks from 6-6:30 p.m. after which the seniors will assemble for the following hour.

The prayer group will meet at 6 p.m. Monday at the church.

The youth groups will sponsor a dance after the football game Friday until midnight. The DJ will be Doug Schroeter. Cost is \$3 per person.

COUNTRY ROAD CHURCH OF GOD

The Rev. Ron Garland and the Rev. Woody Wiggins, as well as other preachers from across the country, will be speaking at a camp meeting at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sept. 18 through Oct. 1 at the Country Road Church of God, 401 Country Club Drive.

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We cordially invite you to our Saturday morning worship service. At 9:30 a.m., we open with a special program. At 10 a.m., we separate for class study. For the 11 a.m. sermon hour, Bob Campbell will be our speaker.

It is also noted that pamphlets have been mailed in advertising for Bible Seminar that we will be doing in Hereford. Pastor Harold Bohr, a retired minister from Amarillo, will be leading out. Look for the pamphlets for the time, place and date.

FELLOWSHIP OF BELIEVERS

We invite anyone looking for a church home to come and visit with us.

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WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor John Westman and the congregation of the church, 410 Irving, invite the public to attend all services at the church.

Sunday school begins at 10 a.m.

and the Sunday worship services are held at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. A special children's sermon is held each Sunday during the morning worship service.

Choir practice is held at 7 p.m. each Thursday.

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Sports

Hereford CC Meet to host 700 runners

Nearly 700 runners from 45 area high schools will come to Veterans Park for the Hereford Cross Country Meet, which starts at 9 a.m. Saturday.

There will be two divisions at the meet: one for 5A and 4A schools, and one for 3A, 2A and A schools. The big school division will include every school in Hereford's District 1-4A, plus the 5A schools from Amarillo and Lubbock—all the District 3-5A schools except Plainview.

The favorites in the big school girls' race are Canyon and Randall, Hereford coach Martha Emerson said, while Berger and Randall should top the boys' field.

The starting and finish lines will be on the east side of Veterans Park this year. In past years, the start and finish were on the west edge of the park, but teeter-totters, swing sets and parking lot posts made the start almost an obstacle course, so Emerson moved the lines across the park.

There will be seven races in all: 9 a.m.: junior high girls and boys; 9:30: all junior varsity girls; 10: varsity girls, 3A-2A-A; 10:30: varsity girls, 4A-5A; 11: all JV boys; 11:30: varsity boys, 3A-2A-A noon: varsity boys, 4A-5A.

The fields in the two divisions are: 5A-4A: Hereford, Berger, Canyon, Caprock, Dumas, Pampa, Randall, Amarillo High, Tascosa, Palo Duro, Lubbock High, Coronado and Monterey.

3A-2A-A: Adrian, Bovina, Boys Ranch, Canadian, Channing, Clarendon, Claude, Dalhart, Dimmitt, Farwell, Friona, Ft. Elliott-Briscoe, Gruver, Hart, Hedley, Lazbuddie, Mulshoe, Nazareth, Panhandle, Perryton, River Road, Samnorwood, Sanford-Fritch, Spade, Stratford, Sunray, Texline, Tula, Vega, Wellington, West Texas High, Wheeler and White Deer.

Pokes' extend Hennings' deal

IRVING, Texas (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys have signed defensive tackle Chad Hennings to a three-year contract extension that will pay him about \$3 million, including this year's \$312,500 salary.

The contract also contains a \$700,000 signing bonus, sources told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram in today's editions.

Hennings, in his third season with the Cowboys, would have been a restricted free agent after this year and an unrestricted free agent after next season. But he decided to forgo a chance at free agency to stay with the Cowboys.

Hennings has four tackles, four quarterback pressures and two sacks in the Cowboys' first two games this season.



Starting them early

Third-graders at Aikman Elementary got an introduction to golf from Pitman Municipal Golf Course pro Dave Kaesheimer and assistant pro Anthony Gale, who is shown at left inspecting the swing of one future member of the ladies' pro tour.

Ponies picked to pound Herd

Hereford will be a 16-point underdog to Coronado, according to the Harris Rating System, when the football teams meet at 7:30 tonight in Whiteface Stadium.

Hereford moved down only two spots—to 86 from 84—after last week's 20-19 loss to Palo Duro. Hereford has a power rating of 178.

Coronado is the 60th-ranked team

in Class 5A with a rating of 194.

Borger is the top team from District 1-4A, ranked 32nd at 191. The other teams in 1-4A are: Pampa, 39th at 188; Randall, 48th at 186; Dumas, 137th at 169; Canyon, 148th at 173; and Caprock, 164th at 160.

In other games involving area

teams, Harris picks: Odessa Permian by 11 over Amarillo High; Midland Lee by 20 over Palo Duro; Randall by 17 over Tascosa; Lubbock High by 7 over Canyon; Plainview by 1 at Pampa; Frenship by 27 over Caprock; Borger by 5 at River Road; Perryton by 1 over Dumas; Tulia by 6 over Dimmitt; Springlake-Earth by 14 over Friona; Boys Ranch by 2 over Vega.

Gibbs expects better Sooner effort

NORMAN, Okla. (AP) — When the Oklahoma Sooners play their first home game of the season Saturday afternoon, coach Gary Gibbs hopes the new grass field isn't the only thing that looks different.

Gibbs expects No. 21 Oklahoma to play better than it did in a narrow, season-opening victory over Syracuse and in last week's 36-14 loss to Texas A&M.

"We strive for perfection and we know we're not ever going to achieve that," Gibbs said. "We understand we're all going to make mistakes. I make more than anybody. But it's a case where some things are just not acceptable in terms of the number of times they're showing up."

Those things are the little things, like using the proper blocking scheme, blocking the right person,

carrying out each assignment on each play.

Gibbs says he has found no fault with his team's effort. It's the lack of proper execution that has him grinding his teeth.

That is most evident in the running game. Sooner running backs, considered the best on campus in a decade, are averaging 3.3 yards per carry as a group. That's despite the

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Norris, Hubbard win tourney

Tracy Norris and Paul Hubbard won the Heifer and Bull Golf Tournament, played Saturday and Sunday at Pitman Municipal Golf Course, on the first hole of a sudden death playoff.

The winning duo combined to shoot 131 over two days of the two-man scramble. Jim and Thurlene Madison finished with the same total but lost to Norris and Hubbard in a playoff.

Greg and Angela Robinson were third with 134.

The tournament included five flights besides the championship flight.

First flight: 1, Carter Osborne and Robin Madison, 138; 2, Bob and

Joyce Swope, 140; 3, Steve and Regina Gorman, 141.

Second flight: 1, Butch White and Sherry Sargent, 141; 2, N.D. Kelso and Kelly Kelso, 144; 3, Shady and Sandy Bynum, 145.

Third flight: 1, Ivan Rush and Mary Shelton, 146; 2, Jimmy and Jackie Bennett, 148; 3, Ranza Boggess and Barbara Sanborn, 150.

Fourth flight: 1, Jeff and Kim Shelton, 145; 2, Don and Shirley Cornett, 150; 3, Doc and Collen Weaver, 154.

Fifth flight: 1, Earl and Joy Stagner, 156; 2, Pete and Sandy Hymen, 161; 3, Fred and Sandy Lookinbill, 163.

JV loses in Lubbock

The Hereford junior varsity football team lost to Coronado's JV, 22-12, Thursday in Lubbock.

Hereford quarterback Joseph Arthro ran one yard for one touchdown and hit Anthony Cervantez for a 20-yard touchdown pass. The score was 22-12 at halftime. Hereford had two touchdowns called back in the game.

Hereford's sophomores also played Coronado in Lubbock, but they lost 30-0.

Hereford's freshmen B team hosted Friona's freshman Thursday, and Hereford lost 34-12. Friona got some early gifts, scoring its first four touchdowns after Hereford turnovers.

Friona led 28-0 early in the second quarter and 34-0 at the half.

Hereford shut Friona out in the second half and scored two touchdowns. Gilbert Salinas ran 14 yards for the first scored, then threw a pass to Andy Claudio 15 yards for the second touchdown. That score came late in the game, and it was set up by Charlie Timms' 50-yard run.

Hereford's freshman A team played at Pampa Thursday, but no results were reported.

Vizay Singh, the 1993 .GA Rookie of the Year, was born in the Fiji Islands.

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Selig planning for future

By RONALD BLUM
AP Sports Writer
NEW YORK (AP)—Now that this season is over, the task of salvaging 1995 begins.

After going to temple Thursday for Yom Kippur services, acting commissioner Bud Selig went to his office at County Stadium in Milwaukee. A day after owners canceled the World Series for the first time since 1904, Selig pondered what will happen next.

"It's too early," he said in a telephone interview Thursday night. "We're just through that tumult we've been through."

Management negotiator Richard Ravitch took Thursday off and also went to temple for the Jewish Day of Atonement. It will be his task to resume negotiations at some point with union head Donald Fehr.

"I did give it some thought," Ravitch said Thursday night. "I can't get it out of my mind."

No talks are scheduled. Fehr went to Washington on Thursday night and is expected to hold regional meetings with players next week. Selig and Fehr are expected to testify next Thursday before a congressional committee investigating baseball's antitrust exemption.

The strike starts its sixth week today. But no more games can be canceled until next spring. In order for spring training to start on time in February, there must be a deal.

"I would hope there are renewed communications," Ravitch said.

Agent Tom Reich didn't think a quick deal was possible.

"I think this battle is going to go on for quite a while, but frankly I don't see owners cracking. And I don't see players cracking either," he said during an interview on "CNN Sportsnight."

Owners can say there is an impasse in negotiations and implement the salary cap proposal they made June 14. If that happens, the union will file an unfair labor practice complaint with the National Labor Relations Board and the strike will continue next spring.

"I think if the owners invoke their salary cap proposal and the elimina-

Willis Reed of the Knicks was the NBA regular season MVP in 1970 and also the MVP of the All-Star Game and league title series.

Former welterweight and middleweight champion "Sugar Ray" Robinson was rated the best fighter in ring history pound for pound.

tion of arbitration, there's going to be litigation from now until hell freezes over," Reich said Thursday night.

Throughout baseball, teams reacted to Wednesday's announcement. In Kansas City, the Royals fired manager Hal McRae and began tearing up the artificial turf in Kauffman Stadium, which will have a grass field whenever play resumes.

The New York Mets said suspended pitcher Dwight Gooden had again failed drug tests, leaving his future in limbo. The Pittsburgh Pirates fired four front-office workers and laid off about a dozen more.

Fans showed up at Yankee Stadium and other ballparks for ticket refunds. Players began other pursuits - Minnesota catcher Derek Parks is now an assistant coach for a girls' soccer team. Umpires, whose contract was to run out at the end of the season, wondered about their future.

In St. Louis, Rawlings Sporting Goods wondered what to do with 5,000 baseball stamped "Official Ball, 1994 World Series." They are

stored in a warehouse in Springfield, Mo.

"We don't even know if major league baseball will allow us to sell them," Rawlings spokesman Scott Smith said. "But we imagine they will let us do that."

Bobby Bonilla of the New York Mets, who lost \$1.6 million in salary this season because of the strike, the most of among players, tried to be a standup comic Thursday night on the "Jon Stewart" show.

"When I go to 7-11, I only get the medium gulp," he said.

Among Bonilla's other one-liners:

- "Pete Rose bet a thousand I wasn't able to do this."

- "I wanted to end this with a bang, but my man Vince Coleman wasn't able to be here tonight."

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Quarterback sack

An unidentified Hereford defender pulls down the Friona quarterback for a loss during a game Thursday at the South Field. Hereford's ninth grade B team lost to Friona 34-12.

Mets suspend Gooden again

NEW YORK (AP) - Dwight Gooden, once the New York Mets' shining star, is in trouble again.

Gooden, already serving a drug-related suspension this season, faces more disciplinary action after again failing drug tests.

The Mets said Thursday that Gooden "has committed additional

violations of both his aftercare program and the commissioner's office drug policy."

In a statement, the commissioner's office said: "After the investigation has been concluded, including receipt of a report from baseball's medical advisor, a determination will be made regarding Gooden's status."

In his first three seasons in the majors, Gooden had an amazing 58-19 record. He has a career mark of 157-85 with a 3.10 ERA.

In December 1986, he was arrested and charged with battery on an officer and resisting arrest with violence after his car was stopped in his hometown of Tampa, Fla.

OKLAHOMA

fact Gibbs says tailbacks Jerald Moore and James Allen are tremendous competitors.

It goes back to Xs and Os. A 25-yard run by Allen would have gone for a touchdown last week if the two wide receivers downfield had blocked properly, Gibbs said. A fourth-quarter fumble by Allen that led to an A&M touchdown would not have happened if a teammate hadn't blown an assignment and let a defender surprise Allen with a clean shot.

"We want to run the football better," Gibbs said. "We want to eliminate out mental mistakes and improve our technique to give ourselves a chance to run the football better. We should be able to do that. We're not talking about splitting atoms here."

"We can't rush for 98 yards a game and expect to beat anybody." That brings us to Texas Tech (1-1).

The Sooners have beaten Tech handily each of the past two years - 34-9 in the 1992 season opener, and 41-10 in the John Hancock Bowl last season. But in both games, the biggest plays came through the air.

In the 1992 game, the Sooners ran for 135 yards. In the bowl game, they finished with 177 yards but averaged just 3.6 yards per carry.

Tech likes to use an eight-man front, which makes it tough on the running game. And the Red Raiders are an experienced group on defense, with nine starters back from a year ago.

"We can't worry about Tech," Gibbs said. "We need to worry about ourselves and we need to improve as an offensive and defensive unit, as individual players. And as we do that, then the other stuff takes care of itself."

The Red Raiders beat New Mexico

in their opener, then gave Nebraska a test into the third quarter before losing to the then-No. 1 Cornhuskers.

Coach Spike Dykes is using two redshirt freshmen at quarterback, Tony Darden and Zebbie Lethridge. Darden has started each half of each game and then been replaced.

"We'll continue to use that type of rotation until one definitely rises over the other," Dykes said.

The Red Raiders use several offensive formations and like to mix up the run and the pass. Through two games, they have run 91 times and thrown the ball 64 times. They average 216 yards per game passing, 166 rushing.

"They really ask a lot of their skill people, yet they really force you defensively to come up with two or three different game plans for each offensive structure," Gibbs said. "We'll have our hands full."

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New treatment offering a high success rate

In 1987, Don Cox was just a statistic-one of the 97,000 American men diagnosed that year with prostate cancer. This year, he's a winner. Seven years after undergoing a revolutionary treatment called "seed implantation," Don is cancer-free, without the common side effects - incontinence and impotence - associated with conventional treatments such as radical prostate surgery (surgical removal of the prostate) and external radiation therapy.

"I chose seed implantation because it offered the fewest side effects," said Mr. Cox. "I received the implants in the morning, stayed in the hospital overnight, and was released by noon the next day. It was a no-sweat procedure." Now 69, the retired aeronautical engineer and his wife Ruth enjoy skiing, tennis, golf, dancing, boating, and spending time with their four children and five grandchildren.

In seed implantation, titanium pellets (about the size of a grain of rice), irradiated with Iodine-125 or Palladium-103, are non-surgically inserted directly into the prostate. This one-time, outpatient procedure represents an attractive middle-ground between "watchful waiting" (observation only, with no treatment) and more aggressive interventions, including surgery and radiation, both of which can compromise a patient's quality of life.

Prostate surgery (also known as radical prostatectomy), requires a lengthy hospitalization and recovery period. It is also frequently followed by impotence and incontinence. External beam radiation, which involves daily treatments at a medical center for several months, is associated with a 15 to 30 percent rate of impotence, as well as a loss of bladder control and rectal burning.

"Until recently, choices for patients like Don with early stage prostate cancer - were limited to radical prostatectomy, external beam radiation, and watchful waiting," said Dr. Blasko, radiation oncologist and director of the Northwest Tumor Institute (NTI), Seattle. "The results of our five-year study indicate that seed implantation is an important and promising option for men with early-stage prostate cancer."

According to Dr. Blasko's five year results, 298 patients treated with Iodine-125 or Palladium-103 seeds at Northwest Hospital, in Seattle, showed a 92 percent cancer-free success rate.

HORSHAM, Pa. (AP) - Charles Barkley has talked about running for governor of Alabama when he retires from basketball. Now he says he'll do it in 1998 - as a Republican.

The Phoenix Suns star says he's already asked former vice president Dan Quayle and conservative broadcaster Rush Limbaugh for support. And he tried out some GOP rhetoric Monday at a celebrity golf tournament outside Philadelphia.

"People just assume because you're black and from the South that you're a Democrat," said Barkley. "But I don't think like Bill Clinton does, that you should penalize people for being successful."

with minimal bladder or potency problems.

Another study, conducted by David Beyer, M.D., at Boswell Memorial Hospital in Phoenix, Arizona, confirmed these findings.

"We saw a survival rate higher than 91 percent in our study group of 357 seed implant patients at the five-year mark," said Dr. Beyer. "Our study showed that overall success rates with Iodine-125 seed implants are excellent and comparable to those of surgery and radiation therapy."

"Today, seed implantation is an important prostate cancer treatment option for patients like Don Cox-not only to control cancer, but also to ensure that men can continue to enjoy satisfying, comfortable, and active lives," concluded Dr. Beyer.

Lunch Menus

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THURSDAY-Texas style cinnamon toast or cereal, buttered toast, banana, chocolate milk.

FRIDAY-Breakfast pizza or cereal, buttered toast, orange wedges, milk.

Lunch

MONDAY-Fish strips with tartar sauce, macaroni and cheese, blackeyed peas, carrot sticks, hot fruit cobbler, whole wheat rolls, butter, chocolate milk.

TUESDAY-Kitchen-made pizza, cabbage-apple salad, mini corn on the cob, raspberry sherbet, milk.

WEDNESDAY-Submarine sandwich, lettuce leaf with tomato slices, curly Q French fries with catsup, cantaloupe, oatmeal-raisin cookies, bun, chocolate milk.

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DEAR ANN LANDERS: My boyfriend has been a heroin addict for 10 years. I've been seeing him for the last 18 months. "Hal" tells me that he's tried everything from rehabilitation centers to a methadone program, but he keeps going back to his "poison."

Whenever he slips, he lies to me, and this is the hardest part of his addiction. I thought I'd be able to handle it, but now I'm not sure. I do love him very much, but I'm afraid my love is not enough.

I am aware of several groups that could help me, but something prevents me from going. Maybe I can't accept the fact that I've fallen in love with a drug addict.

I'm writing to you because I have too much on my plate, and the pain, confusion and heartache are more than

I can handle. What should I do? I need some advice to help me deal with Hal's lies.--Heartsick in Quebec

DEAR QUEBEC: Your acceptance of Hal's addiction and his lies has made you something of an enabler.

I'm not going to tell you how to deal with his lies. Instead, I urge you to get out of this self-destructive relationship and start to attend the meetings of one of those groups that can give you the emotional support that you need.

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I want this to be a happy occasion, and I will not mention my feelings. However, I do wish to know how long it is proper to include "the late Jean Doe." I want to be prepared for the next son's wedding and when the grandchildren arrive.--Shirley in Peoria

DEAR PEORIA: If your stepson and his fiancée want to include a reference to the boy's deceased mother on their wedding invitation, accept their decision with grace. This is their way of honoring his mother, who did not live long enough to see her son marry.

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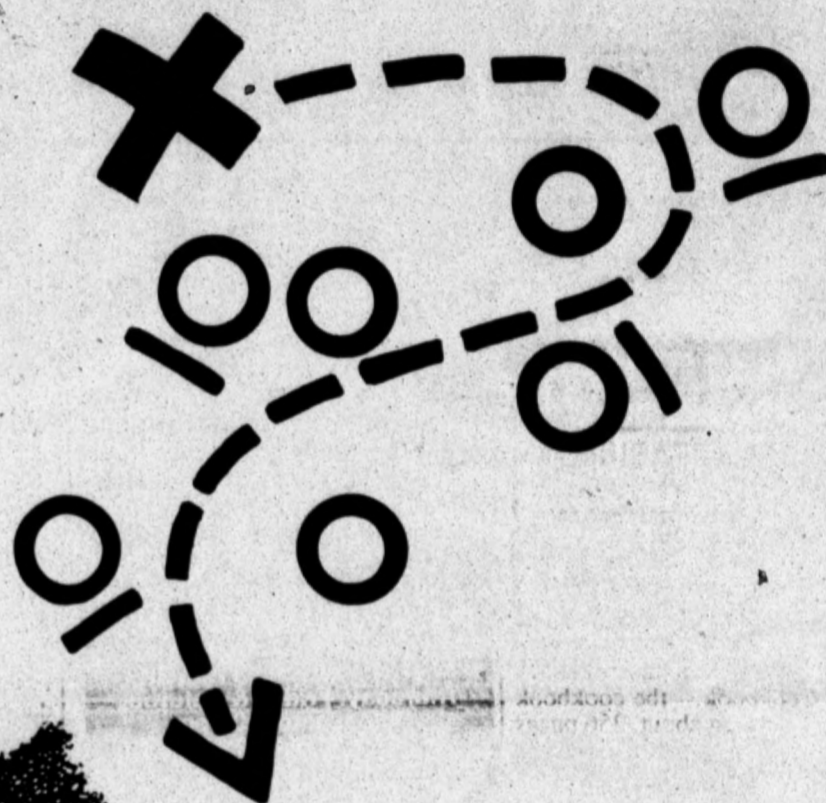
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Doctor relies on Christian faith to deal with tumor

By JOE GULICK
Lubbock Avalanche-Journal
LUBBOCK, Texas - Vince Rittmann is at the peak of his professional career.

He has performed 33 heart transplants, 1,500 heart surgeries, 1,000 other surgeries, and he has assisted in more than 2,000 operations.

However, Rittmann made the transition from physician to patient in late July when he learned he has a malignant brain tumor - one that cannot be removed or cured by medical science.

He and his wife, Ellen, have four children. His oldest child is 5-1/2 years old, and his youngest was less than one month old when Rittmann learned that, by medical standards, his situation is incurable.

Vince Rittmann is 43 years old. "There's a big difference between a sickbed and a maybe-deadbed," Rittmann said. "In a sickbed, people anticipate getting well. When a person is on a deathbed, he starts thinking, 'This is it for me.' When you are lying here, you have nothing to do but think."

Rittmann did not feel sick on July 22.

He had conducted several long and difficult operations that day, and he had been working hard every day before that. He had no idea anything was wrong with him.

After work on July 22, Rittmann went to visit a friend to show him a

new car he had bought. He told his friend, who is a radiologist, that he had a headache and asked him if he had anything for it.

"I thought he was going to offer an aspirin or Tylenol," Rittmann said. "He said, 'Come lie down here and we'll take an X-ray.'"

"He walked up and said, 'You've got a problem.' He recognized right away what it was."

Rittmann immediately took the X-rays to a neurologist, who told him that he needed to go to the hospital right away.

"I walked out of the office and drove to this hospital," he said. "I checked in and walked up to this room. I called my wife from the hospital room and told her I was here."

"There used to be a joke when I was in training: Operations are for other people," Rittmann said, smiling slightly. "I find out that's not true."

"It doesn't hurt any less when the doctor gets operated on. We whine and moan just as much as everybody. We're not any better patients."

Doctors had to conduct brain surgery on Rittmann in order to make a diagnosis. The operation was scheduled for July 25, which was a Monday. Although the existence of his illness had only been known for two days, word had spread by the Sunday before the surgery to several city and area church congregations who began to pray for him.

During the brain surgery, the surgeons took a sample of the growth from Rittmann's brain, and the initial reports were not encouraging. The tissue was sent for a biopsy, which confirmed that the growth was a glioblastoma, a type of malignant brain tumor.

Despite the grim prognosis, Rittmann continues to exhibit positive attitudes about every aspect of his situation, according to his pastor.

"I've really been thankful for the fine physicians in this town," Rittmann said. "We've got some top-notch doctors here. They've really taken good care of me. I've been able to get the treatment I needed here rather than go hundreds of miles away and be away from my family."

Even lying in a hospital bed, Rittmann exhibits vitality. "I am not disappointed in the Providence of God for my life," he said.

His wife and friends say his Christian faith has given him great strength and comfort on which to draw.

"My faith completely determines my outlook toward this illness," he said. "I do not consider myself hopeless, because there is a God in heaven. I am not ashamed to pray for his healing mercy."

Rittmann believes that all healing is divine healing. In some cases, God uses medicine and doctors as instruments to heal, he said.

"Other times he directly inter-

venes himself," he said. "The Scriptures are full of examples of direct intervention."

Rittmann said that he himself has been used by God as a healing instrument in the lives of patients. However, he is quick to reject a comment that he, on his own, has ever extended the length of a life.

"The job of a doctor is to do operations," he said. "The length of life is in God's hands."

Rittmann, his family and friends, and many other Christians are asking God for a miracle that will give him back his life and allow him to stay with his wife and children. But Rittmann notes that God's will in his life is more important than what Rittmann himself wants.

Rittmann is asked by a visitor when he became a Christian. He replies that he accepted Jesus Christ as his Savior when his mother took him to a Billy Graham crusade at a football stadium in Rittmann's home town of El Paso when he was 11 years old.

"My mother has been a devoted Christian and the primary witness in my life," he said.

His mother still lives in El Paso.

"I believe all people are sinful and in rebellion to God. Because of sin, they are separated from God," Rittmann said. "The Son of God, Jesus Christ, paid the price of sinful people by willingly giving up His life as a sacrifice on the cross."

"By the grace of God, men become Christians. By faith, they trust in that sacrifice as a payment for their sins," he said.

"God has continued to develop my faith since I was converted. Through many different mechanisms - different churches, different literature that I have read - I have been pleased to have my faith develop and grow. It has truly always been there since I was converted. God has continued to develop it."

Rittmann was a charter member of Cornerstone Bible Church when the church was formed in August 1989. Richard Grubbs, past of the church, confirms that Rittmann's faith is no deathbed conversion.

"The reality of his faith has been demonstrated for years," Grubbs said. "He is now drawing on the foundation of faith which has been laid for years. He recalls Bible verses he has learned over the years which come to mind and provide comfort and stability."

Grubbs has spent many hours with Rittmann since the illness. Both men say that they have benefited greatly from the time they have spent together. "My faith has been challenged and encouraged just listening to Vince," Grubbs said.

"I've had times of great crises of fear," Rittmann said. "I've been very scared and miserable. Richard has responded with his presence and prayers and getting on the phone organizing members of the church to

pray for me."

Rittmann said one of his great comforts has been the knowledge that people are praying for him.

"I get phone calls, cards, letters," he said. "In every contact, it is wonderful to know someone is praying for you - placing you on the throne of grace before God. There is a big difference between a standard get well card and one that says 'I'm praying for you.'"

Rittmann has charged his church family to watch over and take care of his wife and children. He desires for his children to grow up to be strong Christians functioning in a New Testament local church, he said.

"I've worked to communicate my faith to my wife and children - regardless of how young they are - for years," he said. "I eagerly anticipate a Rittmann family reunion around the throne of God," he said.

"I've been blessed economically, and I have been able to make arrangements to sustain my wife and children if I depart," he said.

Rittmann says he asks his friends to thank God for their health and mobility.

"Sometimes you're not thankful

for health and mobility until it is taken away," he said. "Ingratitude is something humans have no problem with."

He listed some scriptures that have been comforting to him, including Christ's promise in Matthew 28:20: "And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

Other scriptures he mentioned are 1 Corinthians 10:13: "And God is faithful; He will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear," and Romans 8:28: "And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose."

Rittmann said absence from the body is presence with God.

"One of the great comforts I have, if I should have an untimely death, is that the first thing I'll do is look into the face of my Savior," he said. "And that is the most beautiful thing you can behold."

"I believe the time for everyone to be born and die is in God's hands," Rittmann said. "If it is my time to die, I am prepared for it. I don't know what the future holds, but I know who holds the future."

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And another time when He appeared to them,

The apostles were at the Mount of Olives when Jesus ascended, so now they walked the half mile back to Jerusalem and held a prayer meeting in an upstairs room of the house where they were staying. This prayer meeting went on for several days.

During this time, on a day when about 120 people were present, Peter stood up and addressed them as follows: "Brothers, it was necessary for the Scriptures to come true concerning Judas, who betrayed Jesus by guiding the mob to Him, for this was predicted long ago by the Holy Spirit, speaking through King David.

"Judas was one of us, chosen to be an apostle just as we were. He bought a field with the money he received for his treachery and falling headlong there, he burst open, spilling out his bowels. The news of his death spread rapidly among all the people of Jerusalem, and they named the place 'The Field of Blood.' King David's prediction of this appears in the Book of Psalms, where he says, 'Let his home become desolate with no one living in it.' And again, 'Let his work be given to someone else to do.'"

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they asked Him, "Lord, are you going to free Israel now and restore us as an independent nation?"

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It was not long afterwards that He rose into the sky and disappeared into a cloud, leaving them staring after Him. As they were straining their eyes for another glimpse, suddenly two white-robed men were standing there among them, and said, "Men of Galilee, why are you standing here staring at the sky? Jesus has gone away to heaven, and some day, just as He went, He will return!" Acts 1:1-11

"So now we must choose someone else to take Judas' place and to join us as witnesses of Jesus' resurrection. Let us select someone who has been with us constantly from our first association with the Lord—from the time He was baptized by John until the day He was taken from us into heaven." The assembly nominated two men: Joseph Justus (also called Barsabbas) and Matthias. Then they all prayed for the right man to be chosen. "O Lord," they said, "You know every heart; show us which of these men You have chosen as an apostle to replace Judas the traitor, who has gone to his proper place." And Matthias was chosen and became an apostle with the other eleven.

Acts 1:12-26



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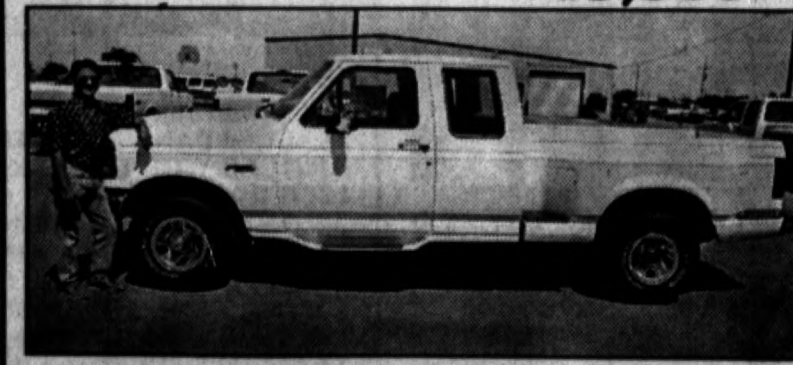


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