One-per-week executions, Page 3 | Harvester tennis, Page 7 | Hurricane Emily nears, Page 10

The Pampa News

25¢ AUGUST 30, 1993 MONDAY

Most House Democrats against NAFTA

By JIM ABRAMS
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) – President Clinton today predicted passage of the free trade agreement with Canada and Mexico despite a key Democrat's warning that up to three-fourths of House Democrats opposed the pact.

"I think in the end my position will prevail," Clinton said before a briefing on flood relief efforts.

The president, fresh from an 11-day vacations, was answering a warning from Rep. David Bonior, D-Mich, who said that "up to two-thirds to maybe 75 percent of the Democratic caucus in the House is opposed to this treaty."

Clinton says he wants Congress to pass the North American Free Trade Agreement by the end of the year.

But among the powerful opposition, headed by organized labor, are the second and third-ranked Democrats in the House, Majority Leader Dick Gephardt of Missouri and Bonior, the majority whip.

Most Republicans support NAFTA, which was negotiated during the Bush administration. But some conservatives such as Pat Buchanan join Democrats in saying it will exacerbate the loss of American jobs to Mexico. Ross Perot is heading a nationwide campaign against the treaty.

Bonior, speaking Sunday on NBC's *Meet the Press*, said NAFTA was a "lousy treaty" and that Clinton could not change his opposition to it.

"This treaty is premature. It was negotiated in a way which will harm American workers; it will not help Mexican workers, because of their low-wage society and the corruptness of ... their political, economic and social structure," he said.

Rep. Robert Matsui, D-Calif., appearing with Bonior on NBC, said making American goods more accessible in Mexico through lowered tariffs will create, not eliminate, jobs. "Almost every study shows that it will create a minimum of 200,000 jobs over the next 24 months if NAFTA passes."

Clinton said his strategy will be to ask legislators "to read the agreement and wait until they see the implementing legislation."

He added: "I think if that happens, we can prevail. Latin America is the second-fastest growing part of the world. Mexico is just the beginning of this process and I think it means more jobs for Americans."

Sen. Majority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., suggested on CNN's *Newsmaker Sunday* that the treaty first be taken up by the Senate, where opposition is not as great.

"I think we have enough votes if we can furnish 34, 35 Republicans. I certainly think you could get 16 out of 56 Democrats" in the Senate, said Dole, who supports NAFTA.

NAFTA would lower tariffs and remove other trade restrictions among the United States, Mexico and Canada. Clinton came out for the plan during the presidential campaign after promising he would obtain side-agreements on protecting jobs and the environment – such agreements were reached earlier this month.

Rep. Fred Grandy, R-Iowa, also on *Meet the Press*, said Republicans were not entirely happy about helping Clinton but "if we are unable to deliver this package it's not just the president that loses, it's the country."

Bonior said suggestions that he and Gephardt step down from their party posts because of their opposition to Clinton on NAFTA were "pretty ludicrous."

"I'm not interested in defeating Bill Clinton on this; I'm interested in defeating this particular agreement," he said. "And we obviously don't want to weaken the president so we can't move on in health care and other important issues."

Clinton, claiming no ill will with Bonior, said it's up to the House leadership to decide who holds party posts.

"I think we have an honest disagreement here," Clinton said of Bonior. "He has worked his heart out for me. This is the first issue on which we have disagreed. I think he's wrong. He thinks I'm wrong. I think in the end my position will prevail."

School board meetings

Pampa ISD

Pampa Independent School District board of trustees on Tuesday is expected to consider approval of the budget for the 1993-94 school year and declare its intent to set a 1993 tax rate.

The meeting is scheduled at 6 p.m. in the board conference room of PISD administration building, 321 W. Albert St.

Also on Tuesday, the Pampa school board is scheduled to:

- Consider an amendment to the budget for the 1992-93 school year.
- Consider approval of the PISD Wellness Program.
- Consider approval of the PISD Health Insurance Fund rates.
- Consider approval of the flexible benefit plan administration.
- Consider approval of an amendment to the employee flexible benefit plan.
- Consider a Texas Association of School Boards unemployment compensation fund interlocal agreement.
- Consider and approve the Texas Teacher Appraisal Calendar and Certified Appraisers for 1993-94.
- Consider sale of delinquent tax property.
- Consider approval of a bid for reinsulation of piping at Pampa High School.
- Hear a report from the superintendent concerning a review of Policy Update 44, enrollment and the Texas Association of School Boards' annual convention.

Grandview-Hopkins ISD

Grandview-Hopkins school board on Tuesday is expected to consider approval of the budget for the 1993-94 school year. The board will begin its meeting at 6 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Also on Tuesday, the Grandview-Hopkins school board is expected to hold a community meeting beginning at 7 p.m. in which the board will answer questions from the general public about the board's July selection of Option 3 under the new state educational finance law.

The new state educational finance law is designed to redistribute property wealth from rich school districts to poorer districts in the state.

Under Option 3, Grandview-Hopkins ISD would send some of the local property tax revenues this school year to the Texas Education Agency.

The funds would be sent through the school district's purchase of weighted average daily attendance from the state.

Voters in Grandview-Hopkins school district on Sept. 11 are expected to cast their ballots on whether the district should follow Option 3.

Miami ISD

MIAMI – Miami Independent School District's board of trustees on Tuesday is expected to consider a proposal to set the property tax rate for the 1993-94 school year at $1.16 per $100 property valuation.

The specially called meeting is scheduled to begin at 8:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Miami school district administration office.

Also on Tuesday, the Miami school board is expected to set a tax rate hearing for Sept. 9.

In other items on the agenda for Tuesday, the Miami ISD trustees are scheduled to discuss a report on establishing a UIL baseball program; discuss a policy change on the Miami High School senior trip; and discuss amending the budget for the 1992-93 school year.

Police arrest three in burglary ring investigation

Three people were in Gray County jail today and more arrests are expected as the investigation continues into an apparent burglary ring in Pampa.

Connie Sue Kirklin, 30, of 926 E. Campbell; Juan Manual Moreno, 19, of 126 S. Sumner; and Angela Wildcat, 20, of 126 S. Sumner, were in Gray County jail in lieu of bond after being arrested early today in connection with a burglary Sunday morning.

The trio appeared this morning before Gray County Justice of the Peace Margie Prestidge, who set bond at $10,000 each on charges of burglary of a habitation.

Pampa police officers said the three were arrested following the investigation of a burglary reported Sunday morning. Officers said their investigation into the burglary led to the recovery of a number of items believed taken from a building in Pampa. Included in the items were an air conditioner, hand and power tools, lawn mowers and an air compressor.

Lt. Steve Chance of the department's Criminal Investigation Division placed the value of the recovered items at $1,700. Pampa police officers said the items were found Sunday night behind the house occupied by Moreno and Wildcat on Sumner street.

Glenn Honeycutt of 1900 Charles reported the burglary of a building at 200 N. Wells shortly before noon Sunday. Authorities said information developed through from that report led to the arrests following a long night for Pampa investigators.

Pampa detective Terry Young said the investigation is continuing and that more arrests are expected.

– David Bowser

Home sales down in July

WASHINGTON (AP) – Sales of new homes dropped 5 percent in July to the lowest level in four months, despite the lowest mortgage rates in more than two decades, the government said today.

Purchases were down in every region of the nation.

The Departments of Commerce and Housing and Urban Development said sales totaled 629,000 at a seasonally adjusted annual rate, down from a revised 662,000 a month earlier. The June figure first was estimated to be 678,000.

It was the fourth decline this year and dropped sales to the lowest level since they stood at 602,000 last March. In advance of the report, many analysts had expected sales to dip just 1 percent.

For the first seven months of 1993, sales were up 6.8 percent from the same period a year ago.

The announcement followed a National Association of Realtors' report last week that sales of previously owned homes jumped 5.4 percent in July, the fourth straight advance after three consecutive declines last winter.

But the lowest mortgage rates in 22 years and relatively stable prices failed to provide a similar lure for the new home market.

Economist David Berson of the Federal National Mortgage Association said in advance of the report that two factors could hold sales down.

"One, we had a big jump in June, which often is followed by a big drop the next month," he said. "Also, there were the floods."

A Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp. survey showed that 30-year, fixed-rate mortgages averaged 7.21 percent in July, down from 7.42 in June and the lowest since the corporation began tracking rates in 1971. They had fallen to 6.97 percent, a 25-year low, by last Thursday.

The government report said the median price of a new home in July was $124,900, up 2.4 percent from June and 5.8 percent from a year ago.

Kellerville reunion



(Staff photo by David Bowser)

Corea Barker, left, goes over newspaper obituaries with organizer Mary Ann Boyd of Amarillo as Joe Hefner and Marie Boyd look on at the Kellerville reunion in Lefors Sunday. "We've had as many as 70 here for the reunion," Barker said, "but it dwindles more every year."

Price Road crossing to be closed

The intersection crossing at Price Road (Highway 282) and Highway 60 will be closed Wednesday morning to traffic.

Jerry Raines, area engineer for the Texas Department of Transportation, said the intersection crossing is being closed for repairs on the railroad track by Santa Fe Railway.

Raines said the intersection will be closed beginning at 8:30 a.m. and will remain closed for several hours while the Santa Fe crews do the repairs on the track.

Barricades will be placed at the intersection crossing and detours for motorists will be set up during the time for the repairs.

Raines said the intersection should be reopened by early afternoon, depending on the length of time needed to complete the repairs.

Torrential rains bring floodwaters back

By MIKE GLOVER
Associated Press Writer

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP) – Volunteers were back to filling sandbags and keeping a nervous watch on swollen rivers and creeks after yet another round of heavy rain added to record-setting summer flooding.

"I'm sick and tired of this," said West Des Moines Fire Chief Randy Bracken.

As much as 10 inches of rain forced hundreds to evacuate Sunday as crews rushed to protect Des Moines' water treatment plant for the second time this summer.

Flash flooding was reported along streams throughout the central part of the state, sending water back into homes and businesses still being cleaned from a deluge last month.

"It just never stops," said Steve Little, who stopped cleaning and started sandbagging at his Rocket Diner. "Unless the dike breaks, we'll probably be all right. But I'm not taking any chances."

More rain fell again this morning but it was moderate.

Flooding closed roads in parts of Nebraska today after more than 6 inches of rain fell Sunday and early today. A flash flood watch was issued this morning for east-central Nebraska, and Omaha had street flooding after more than 4 inches of rain.

Officials sealed a levee around the Des Moines waterworks Sunday to protect it from the rising Raccoon River. Last month's flooding knocked the plant out of operation and left 250,000 residents without safe drinking water for weeks.

The Raccoon River was predicted to crest during the night at 22 feet, 9 feet above flood stage, but plant manager L.D. McMullen said he was confident the dike would hold.

The torrential rains Sunday fell on saturated ground and quickly swamped storm sewers and flooded streets and roads.

"It was just a little more water than a city can prepare for," said Des Moines Mayor John Dorrian.

About 400 houses in western Des Moines and 200 in West Des Moines were evacuated, said West Des Moines Mayor Dino Rodish. The American Red Cross opened three shelters.

Hundreds of volunteers spent the day filling sandbags.

"This was going to be the first Sunday we weren't here since the first of July," said Jack Mendrys, owner of an antique shop in the flooded area. "I've been moving for six weeks. I'm tired."

Weather Service officials said the latest deluge gave the city its wettest summer in recorded history. As of early Sunday, summer rainfall in Des Moines totaled 29.06 inches, breaking an 1881 record of 26.54 inches for June through August moisture.

Old buildings yield materials for Capitol renovation

AUSTIN (AP) – Renovators of the Texas Capitol have opted to use lumber from demolished buildings across the state in their attempt to duplicate the grain and look of century-old woodwork.

"It's not like you can go out and buy this stuff anymore," said Tom Duncan, project director for Darby & Mitchell Inc., the millwork contractor for the renovation.

So officials went looking for a source of long-leaf yellow pine lumber that would match the ornamentation in the Statehouse.

They found what they were looking for in a building scheduled for demolition in Knippa, a Uvalde County community 70 miles west of San Antonio, and in a century-old warehouse that had been demolished in Port Arthur.

Duncan said he had a good feeling from the start about the building in Knippa.

"We looked at it very closely – checked things like the color, the grain structure ... whether it had absorbed any oils or odors during the years," Duncan said. "That's all important."

The wood passed the test.

Most of the salvaged wood was in huge timbers. It was trucked from Knippa to East Austin's Delta Lumber Co., where it was resawed and milled into usable boards.

Today, it decorates newly restored doorways in what will be legislative offices on the Capitol's fourth floor. Other old pine came from the demolished warehouse in Port Arthur, Duncan said.

The recycled wood also shows up in decorative trimwork in other parts of the capitol. It has been used to patch holes in the original woodwork, such as holes drilled for now-removed door locks or wall pipes.

Carpenters have made the repairs so carefully that in many places the grain lines appear almost a perfect match, noticeable only because of the lighter color of the newly installed wood.

"It's a little tricky," said Don Janicke, with the Southern Pine Association, a lumber trade group. While long-leaf yellow pine lumber is still available commercially, "the newer material isn't as dense," he said.

"The growth rings aren't as close together as they are in the old pine. Those trees grew slower. And to get the growth rings to match, you pretty much have to go to the old pine."

While pine is used in many Capitol rooms, others were finished originally in white oak and cherry. They are being restored with just as much care, though matching the new to the old is somewhat easier.

At the same time, the work must be exacting.

"Craftsmanship is the key," said Cyrus M. Jones, Darby & Mitchell's site coordinator.

INSIDE TODAY

A FREEDOM NEWSPAPER

Classified 8-9
Comics 6
Daily Record 2
Editorial 4
Lifestyles 5
Obituaries 2
Sports 7-8

Partly Cloudy

VOL. 86, NO. 127 10 PAGES, 1 SECTION

Daily Record

Services tomorrow

HOWARD, Annie Marie — 2 p.m., Central Baptist Church.

Obituaries

ANNIE MARIE HOWARD

Annie Marie "Geecie" Howard, 74, died Sunday, Aug. 29, 1993, in Amarillo. Services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Central Baptist Church, with the Rev. Norman Rushing, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery by Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Howard, born on Nov. 8, 1918, at Quail, had lived in Gray County since 1926 and had been a resident of Pampa since 1952. She married Ernest Howard on Dec. 25, 1937, at Wheeler. She was a member of Central Baptist Church and the Order of the Eastern Star No. 65. She worked for 17 years at McClellans Store.

Survivors include her husband, Ernest, of the home; three sons and daughters-in-law, Leslie and Pat Howard of Pampa, Bob and Marolyn Howard of Laketon, and Fred and Jeannie Howard of Schuylkill Haven, Pa.; four sisters, Clara Hupp of McKean, Burtie Gallegly of White Deer, Frankie Derr of Pampa and Eddie Sargent of Baytown; four brothers, H.P. Quarles of Thermopolis, Wyo., Wayne Quarles of Jeffrey City, Wyo., George Quarles of Skellytown and Johnnie Quarles of Lubbock; six grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and 29 nieces and nephews.

The family requests memorials be to St. Anthony's Hospice and Life Enrichment Center, P.O. Box 950, Amarillo, Texas 79176.

WILLIE RUSSELL HUNT

Willie Russell Hunt, 79, died Sunday, Aug. 29, 1993, in Mineral Wells. Graveside services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in Memory Gardens Cemetery. Arrangements are by Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Hunt was born on April 1, 1914, in Elk City, Okla. He was a longtime resident of Pampa before moving to Possum Kingdom in 1986. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, Doris Hunt, of Pampa; a son and daughter-in-law, Larry and Dorothy Hunt of Austin; a grandson, Steven Russell Hunt of Austin; and a stepfather, Carl Lawrence of Pampa.

The family requests memorials be to Boys Ranch/Girls Town, P.O. Box 1890, Amarillo, Texas 79174.

Accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported the following accidents for the 72-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

FRIDAY, Aug. 27

12:30 p.m. – A 1993 Ford Ranger pickup driven by Mashanda King collided with pedestrian Lamont Gray, 15, in the 100 block of West Harvester. A possible injury to Gray was reported; he declined treatment. No citation was issued stemming from the accident.

SATURDAY, Aug. 28

12:52 a.m. – A 1991 Mazda pickup driven by Peter Smith Nelson, 213 Buckler, struck a barricade in the 1000 block of North Hobart. Damage to the barricade, which is owned by the Texas Department of Highways and Transportation, was estimated at $200. There were no injuries reported from the accident. Nelson was cited for driving while intoxicated.

SUNDAY, Aug. 29

5:15 p.m. – A 1993 Jeep driven by Brandon Wayne Leathers, 1213 Darby, struck a Texas Department of Highways and Transportation sign in the 900 block of North Hobart. Leathers was cited for disregarding a stop and go signal. No injuries were reported from the accident.

DPS - Accident
SATURDAY, Aug. 28

9:40 a.m. – A 1985 Isuzu pickup driven by Michael McKinney Jones, 44, 1121 S. Hobart, hit a reflector pole 3.8 miles north of Lefors on Texas 273, and his vehicle rolled twice. He suffered a non-incapacitating injury and was taken to Coronado Hospital by Lefors Ambulance Service. He was treated at Coronado and released. His vehicle was destroyed in the accident.

Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa.

Wheat	2.88
Milo	3.76
Corn	4.38

The following show the prices for which these securities could have traded at the time of compilation:

Serfco	5 7/8	up 1/4
Occidental	21 1/4	up 1/8

The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation:

Magellan	74.17
Puritan	17.05

The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa.

Amoco	56 1/4	dn 1/8
Arco	115 1/2	NC
Cabot	50 3/4	dn 1/4
Cabot O&G	26	dn 1/8
Chevron	91 7/8	dn 1/8
Coca-Cola	42 3/4	dn 1/8
Enron	35 3/8	dn 1/8
Halliburton	40	dn 1/8
HealthTrust Inc	20	NC
Ingersoll Rand	37 5/8	dn 3/8
KNE	39 3/8	NC
Kerr McGee	55 3/8	up 1/8
Limited	22 1/4	NC
Mapco	63	dn 1/8
Maxus	8 5/8	dn 1/8
McDonald's	54	up 1/4
Mobil	77 3/4	dn 1/4
New Atmos	30	NC
Parker & Parsley	31 1/2	NC
Penney's	44 7/8	up 1/8
Phillips	33	up 1/4
SLB	66 1/8	up 5/8
SPS	30 3/8	dn 3/8
Tenneco	53 1/2	up 1/4
Texaco	65	up 1/4
Wal-Mart	26 1/8	up 1/8
New York Gold		369.20
Silver		4.78
West Texas Crude		18.82

Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents during the 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Monday.

SATURDAY, Aug. 28

Ricky Basden, 732 S. Barnes, reported assault with injury in the 800 block of Murphy.

Jarle Dyan Brown, Barrington Apartments, reported criminal trespass.

Isaac Silva, 1219 Williston, reported criminal mischief at 1044 Huff Rd.

Mark Patrick Kennedy, 1139 S. Nelson, reported unauthorized use of a motor vehicle (1978 Chevy Impala) at 400 N. Ballard.

SUNDAY, Aug. 29

Jerry Carroll Mulinax, 1820 N. Wells, reported criminal mischief at 929 N. Duncan.

Glenn Honeycutt, 1900 Charles, reported burglary of a building at 200 N. Wells.

MONDAY, Aug. 30

Angela Christy Wildcat, 20, 126 S. Sumner, reported burglary of a habitation.

Juan Manuel Moreno, 19, 126 S. Sumner, reported burglary of a habitation.

Connie Sue Kirkland, 30, 926 E. Campbell, reported burglary of a habitation.

Arrests
SUNDAY, Aug. 29

Cleo Jane Parker, 25, 506 Yeager, was arrested on a charge of public intoxication and released on a court summons.

Sheriff's Office

The Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following incidents during the 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Monday.

SATURDAY, Aug. 28

Brady Burns reported theft over $750/under $20,000 at 801 E. 17th St.

SUNDAY, Aug. 29

Debra Barnes reported strong-arm robbery at 710 N. Russell.

Arrests
SATURDAY, Aug. 28

Joe David Richardson, 37, Groom, was arrested on a charge of theft by check and released on bond.

DPS - Arrest
SUNDAY, Aug. 29

Jeffery Scott Lucas, 31, 521 Montagu, was arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated, first offense.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls during the 40-hour period ending 7 a.m. today.

SATURDAY, Aug. 28

3:51 p.m. – Two units and four firefighters responded to a medical assist call at 112 S. Starkweather.

6:56 p.m. – Three units and five firefighters responded to a grass fire six miles west of Pampa on Texas Highway 152.

SUNDAY, Aug. 29

2:55 a.m. – Two units and four firefighters responded to a medical assist call at 1018 Duncan.

9:35 a.m. – Three units and six firefighters responded to a structure fire at Dyer's Bar-B-Que on U.S. 60 West. The call proved to be a false alarm.

3:53 p.m. – Two units and three firefighters responded to a grass fire in the 2200 block of Charles.

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL
Admissions
Pampa

Marston Burney
Lynn C. Kuhn
Christine Elaine Pereira

Shamrock

Misty Dawn Kirkland

Allison

Shelley Dee Jackson

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Steven Kuhn of Pampa, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Brian Kirkland of Shamrock, a boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Pereira of Pampa, a boy.

Dismissals
Pampa

John David Ball
Ciera Cree Cook
Jennifer Oxley
Lacie Oxley
Sharon Wadsworth

McLean

Ogden Ayers

Balko, Okla.

Clifton E. Adair

Booker

Arly James Niece

Fritch

Dana Danene Pannell and baby boy

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL
Admission
Shamrock

Imogene Clay

Birth

To Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Kelley of Mobeetie, a girl.

Dismissal
Shamrock

Imogene Clay

Calendar of events

HIDDEN HILLS LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION

Hidden Hills Ladies Golf Association play day tee off at 6 p.m. tonight. Ladies welcome.

Well-known restaurants claim EEOC unfairly targets them on discrimination

By SUSAN HIGHTOWER
AP Business Writer

DALLAS (AP) – When customers have eaten an elegant dinner at The Mansion on Turtle Creek Restaurant or slurped Hurricanes at rowdy Pat O'Brien's in New Orleans' French Quarter, their waiter likely has been a man.

That has gotten the two restaurants and other high-profile establishments in trouble with the federal Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, which accuses them of discriminating against women.

But the restaurants counter that they have been unfairly targeted so that the EEOC can use them to gain publicity about sex discrimination.

"Why would they select us? What would make them, with no complaints, come in and happen to pick the restaurant with the highest profile in the state?" said Jeff Trigger, general manager of The Mansion.

"The strategy is clear," he said. "It's a real deliberate public relations approach."

"I don't know of any small establishments being harassed by these people," said Skip Hebert, general manager of The Court of Two Sisters in New Orleans.

All three of those establishments in recent years have been the subject of a commissioner's charge, a method by which the agency can pursue a discrimination charge without an individual bringing it. All were accused of failing to hire enough female waiters.

James Finney, director of systemic investigations for the EEOC in Washington, denies that the commission has been targeting well-known food and drink establishments. He said the agency now has 110 active commissioner's charges nationwide, against all sorts of respondents.

"Certainly and unequivocally, there isn't any conscious commission policy to go after quote-unquote fine dining institutions per se because they are high profile," Finney said.

"If you look at our docket, it's pretty diverse in terms of the types of respondents or companies involved in systemic charges," he said.

Dale Jurgens, senior litigator for the commission's Dallas district, said several commissioner's charges would be filed a year in the Dallas district office, compared with about 2,600 charges brought by individuals last year.

He also said the agency's actions were based on evidence not profile. But he admitted that publicity couldn't hurt.

"When you're doing law enforcement, you want to have a wider impact, and that may be a consideration," Jurgens said.

Joe's Stonecrab, a well-known Miami Beach eatery, became the subject of another EEOC lawsuit in May, Jurgens said. Representatives of the restaurant, which is closed until October, did not return telephone calls.

And last year, Tomaso's, an upscale Italian restaurant in Phoenix, agreed to pay $130,000 to 26 women, the culmination of a 1989 commission investigation.

Hebert said The Court of Two Sisters reached a settlement with the commission about a year ago that did not involve any payments nor any admission of guilt.

Jurgens said a federal judge in New Orleans found that Pat O'Brien's was discriminating against women in its hiring practices. But Evangeline Vavrick, an attorney for Pat O'Brien's, said the judge found a limited amount of liability, if any.

Legal action remains pending in the case, and Pat O'Brien's has not paid any damages, Ms. Vavrick said.

Some 80 percent of the available waiters in the Dallas-Fort Worth area are female, the EEOC's Jurgens said. But during the agency's investigation, the Mansion had 16 waiters – all male – in its main dining room, and 10 – all men again – in its private dining service, he said.

The EEOC's Finney said the issue becomes one of economics in fine dining, because upper echelon waiters obviously make more money in tips. The problem also likely "has to do with sex stereotypes, an inaccurate perception that fine dining wait person positions are positions that would be better performed by males," Jurgens said.

But Trigger said he has trouble finding women with experience in fine dining because it traditionally has been a man's role.

"When you're looking at fine dining compared to pancake houses in our trade, it is a profession. The people that do it are very well paid and they work very hard in a profession that requires knowledge of spices, food preparation and wine, than somebody that knows how many pancakes are in a stack and the difference between maple syrup and blueberry syrup," he said.

Hebert said his restaurant is more casual at lunch, when seven or eight of the 19-person wait staff are women. But of the 25 waiters for the evening, five-star restaurant, only one or two are women, he said.

"As I tried to explain to them, most women don't want to work at night in the French Quarter. Really, I couldn't find that many qualified waitresses at night," he said.

While Pat O'Brien's had numerous female entertainers, bartenders and cashiers, the bar had no waitresses, Ms. Vavrick said.

"We didn't have female waiters in the bar because females didn't apply," Ms. Vavrick said. "It's a raucous bar, and women just didn't like being in these huge crowds carrying the trays."

"Women can do what they want to do, but if they don't want to do it, you can't force them. It is social engineering for the sake of social engineering," she said.

Fireworks expected at insurance board meeting

AUSTIN (AP) – A crucial meeting today of the State Board of Insurance has turned into a battleground between consumers and the insurance industry.

The Insurance Board was scheduled to vote on several consumer-backed insurance rules just days before much of its authority is transferred to a single state insurance commissioner.

The insurance industry has accused the board of trying to ramrod last-minute regulations.

But Board Chairwoman Claire Korioth said the proposals have been under consideration for months.

"What's clear is they (insurers) don't like some of the rules, so they are trying to make it suspect," she said.

The proposals include banning discrimination in the sale or continuation of insurance, and establishing a bill of rights attached to automobile, homeowners, and credit life policies.

The board requested the anti-discrimination rule after a study showed low-income and minority consumers pay higher rates for insurance even if they are a lower risk. The practice of charging more or not making insurance available in certain areas is called redlining.

But Bob Zeman, a spokesman for the National Association of Independent Insurers, said the proposed rule would impose costly and burdensome reporting requirements on insurers.

"Conditions which lead to charges of insurance redlining actually reflect broader societal problems which make insurance costlier in inner cities," he said. "If premiums do not account for those higher costs, then all insurance customers ultimately will be subsidizing those in inner cities."

No winning number in Saturday's Lotto

By The Associated Press

No tickets correctly matched all six numbers drawn Saturday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, state lottery officials said.

The numbers drawn Saturday night from a field of 50 were: 15, 16, 35, 39, 47 and 50.

There were 105 tickets sold with five of the six numbers, with each ticket worth $2,448. There were 6,335 tickets with four of six numbers, with each winning $146. And there were 132,340 tickets sold with three of six numbers, with each worth an automatic $3.

Lottery officials estimate the jackpot for Wednesday night's game will be $16 million.

Sales from Wednesday to Saturday's draw were $10.6 million.

City briefs

BRICK REPAIR, Harley Knutson, 665-4237. Adv.

FRANK SLAGLE Electric. All electrical services, 665-3748. Adv.

REGISTER NOW For Dance Classes. Jeanne Willingham, 669-6361 or 669-7293. Adv.

MERLE NORMAN Cosmetics 1/2 Price Sale and free gift with purchase. September 1st. Adv.

FREE GIFT with purchase. Merle Norman cosmetics. 1/2 Price Sale beginning September 1st. Adv.

REGISTRATION for Clarendon College will continue until Friday, September 3. For more information 665-8801. Adv.

CITY OF PAMPA - Persons interested in serving on one of the following advisory boards/commissions should submit a letter of interest to the Office of the City Secretary, P. O. Box 2499, so they may be presented to the City Commission: Planning and Zoning Commission, Parks and Recreation Board, M. K. Brown Memorial Auditorium Board, and the Library Board. If you would like information regarding any of the advisory boards/commissions and their responsibilities, please contact the City Secretary. Adv.

WEDDING DRESS: paid $850 will take best offer. 669-2004. Adv.

PARENTING WORKSHOP - Robert Lento, nationally known educator, presents "A Positive Parenting Experience," August 30, 7 p.m. St. Vincent's School. Everyone welcome. Adv.

TOTAL PACKAGE Collectables, opening September 1. Comic, sport cards, non-sport cards, antiques and collectables. Across from Cinema IV at Coronado Center. Adv.

STEEL OFFICE Desks, great shape, $35 each. 665-5444. Adv.

ENJOY CHAUTAUQUA - Pampa Fine Arts Community Festival, Labor Day, Central Park. Adv.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Tonight, partly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms, low around 60, north winds 15 to 25 mph, lake wind warnings posted on area lakes. Tuesday, partly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms, warm with a high near 80. Sunday's high was 88; the overnight low was 68.

REGIONAL FORECAST

West Texas – Panhandle: Showers, thunderstorms likely tonight. Lows in mid 50s to near 60. Tuesday, mostly cloudy and cooler with a slight chance of showers across the southern Panhandle. Highs in the 70s. Tuesday night, mostly cloudy and cool. Lows in the 50s. South Plains: Showers and thunderstorms likely tonight. Lows in upper 50s to low 60s. Mostly cloudy Tuesday, chance of showers and thunderstorms. Cooler with highs in upper 70s to low 80s. Tuesday night, mostly cloudy with a slight chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the 50s.

North Texas – Tonight, increasing cloudiness northwest. Partly cloudy elsewhere. A chance of thunderstorms areawide, more numerous northwest portions late. Lows 69 to 73. Tuesday and Tuesday night, mostly cloudy and cooler with scattered to numerous thunderstorms. Highs Tuesday 82 northwest to 92 southeast. Lows Tuesday night 63 to 69.

South Texas – Hill Country and South Central: Partly cloudy evening with widely scattered showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy after midnight. Lows in upper 60s to near 70 Hill Country to 70s south central. Tuesday, partly cloudy with widely scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms. Highs in the 90s. Tuesday night, partly cloudy with widely scattered showers or thunderstorms. Lows in the 60s Hill Country to low 70s south central. Coastal Bend: Partly cloudy tonight with isolated showers toward morning. Lows near 80 at the coast to the 70s inland. Tuesday, partly cloudy with widely scattered showers and thunderstorms most numerous near the coast in the morning and inland during the day. Highs from 90s inland to 80s coast. Tuesday night, partly cloudy with isolated showers. Lows near 80 at the coast to the 70s inland. Lower Rio Grande Valley and Plains: Partly cloudy tonight with isolated showers toward morning. Lows near 80 at the coast to the 70s inland. Tuesday, partly cloudy with widely scattered showers and thunderstorms most numerous near the coast in the morning and inland during the day. Highs near 90 coast to upper 90s and near 100 inland west.

BORDER STATES

Oklahoma – Scattered showers and thunderstorms tonight. Cooler with the lows in upper 50s northwestern to near 70 southeast. Tuesday, considerable cloudiness and cooler with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Highs low 70s northwest to upper 80s southeast.

New Mexico – Tonight, mostly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Gusty east winds into the Rio Grande valley. Lows mid 40s to mid 50s mountains with 50s to mid 60s at lower elevations. Tuesday and Tuesday night, mostly cloudy and cool. Chance for rain east with a chance for showers or afternoon thundershowers west. Highs 60s and 70s mountains and north with 70s to low 80s elsewhere.

Wildlife preserves proposed west of Austin

AUSTIN (AP) – A staff proposal of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department has recommended that about 30,000 acres west of Austin be set aside for a refuge for rare birds, cave bugs, plants and amphibians.

The estimated $500,000 a year to operate the preserves would be raised through fees imposed on developers.

In return, development now restricted by the federal Endangered Species Act, would be allowed outside the preserves.

The Parks and Wildlife Department would manage the preserves.

The primary emphasis of preserve management would be to ensure "biological integrity." Recreation, public access, education and research would be secondary considerations.

Before taking effect, the plan must be approved by the nine-member commission overseeing P&W, as well as by the city of Austin, Travis County, the Lower Colorado River Authority and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

Officials of those agencies have endorsed the idea, saying it resolves the question of how preserves would be managed under the Balcones Canyonlands Conservation Plan.

"We've been discussing it for some time with Texas Parks, hoping that they would step forward and manage these lands. I think it's a workable proposal," said Sam Hamilton, state administrator of the Fish and Wildlife Service.

"It's a great step forward for the advancement of this plan," Austin Mayor Bruce Todd added.

The most important issue remaining is county funding for land acquisition.

The Parks and Wildlife Department was originally expected to contribute $7.5 million to acquire land for the Balcones plan.

But the Parks and Wildlife Commission tabled the issue last year, and its new, two-year budget provides no money for such acquisition.

The county is expected Tuesday to call for a Nov. 2 referendum on whether bonds should be issued to finance the purchase of about 12,000 acres.

Officials said about $48 million would be needed.

Texas executions now averaging one per week

By MICHAEL GRACZYK
Associated Press Writer

HUNTSVILLE (AP) – In the quiet just before midnight, Mike Heath sets up shop under the glow of eerie pink floodlights that reflect off 20-foot-high red brick walls.

A few candles. Maybe a sign or two. Sometimes he's alone. Other times a handful of companions join him at Avenue I and 12th Street, outside a corner of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice Walls Unit prison.

For years, Heath, 25, has been a fixture outside the death house where the state – just after midnight – administers lethal injections to convicted killers.

Now, the University of Houston graduate student and opponent of the death penalty finds his 90-mile trip from Houston to Huntsville becoming all too familiar as the pace of executions in Texas has accelerated to a one-per-week clip.

The lethal needle has been used five times in the last five weeks – an unprecedented briskness in a state that by far leads the nation in the administering of capital punishment.

This year, 12 inmates have been put to death and 66 since 1982, when executions resumed. Texas had 12 executions in 1992.

It also is likely another five convicted killers will meet their demise in the next several weeks, including two this week, making 1993 the busiest execution year in Texas.

Those five additions also would mean Texas had executed more prisoners in one year than all but three states had since the U.S. Supreme Court allowed the penalty to resume in 1976.

"I don't see this as discouraging," Heath says of the increased frequency of his trips. "I see it as something I'm compelled to do. I stand for many people in the world who say what's happening behind those walls is wrong."

Barring a legal challenge which could entangle the capital punishment statutes in the courts, it appears the execution pace in Texas is likely to remain steady.

State attorneys note that broad issues regarding the death penalty have been resolved and the only questions now tend to be very narrow.

"People out there come up with issues now like spaghetti thrown on a wall," says Bob Walt, an assistant attorney general who handles capital cases. "Sometimes it sticks. I don't think you'll see anything extensive but you may see things on the edges."

Condemned inmates are conscious of the hastened activity.

"People are wary," Ruben Cantu, 26, executed last week, said in his last interview two weeks ago. "They've done greased that death machine."

Some inmates describe the Texas death row, the nation's largest with nearly 370 prisoners, as unusually tense this summer. Others assume a more nonchalant posture.

"I don't feel more threatened," says inmate James Beathard, awaiting execution for an incident in which three people were killed. "I'm of the opinion I'm dead meat anyway."

Even at one per week, it would take seven years to execute all the inmates who now call death row home.

An impetus for the stepped-up activity was a 1993 Supreme Court ruling that once again upheld the Texas death penalty statute. Nearly two dozen inmates had based their appeals on the hope that a provision limiting sentencing juries' consideration of certain evidence, like young age or troubled family history, would void their own sentences.

When the court, in a 5-4 decision, ruled in the state's favor, it opened the death chamber door for those prisoners. Meanwhile, inmates whose appeals had run out and at least one volunteer combined to add to the death toll.

Of the 66 executions in Texas, the condemned men spent an average of eight years on death row before taking the final trip to the gurney.

So despite the quickening stride, the punishments are not necessarily swift, a fact that leaves a trail of murder victim families and friends bitter at what they consider is a criminal justice system that favors the rights of the defendant.

"Shocking," a cynical Rhonda York said this month when told that Carl Kelly, convicted of killing her brother in a 1980 robbery, finally was executed. "I figured at the last minute he'd get a stay."

Patricia Guillermo of the Texas attorney general's office says the agency gets similar complaints.

"It takes too long," she says of the nature of the objections. "However, this is a process and prisoners on death row had their due process. Their scheduled time is because they have run out of appeals."

She also denies criticism from capital punishment foes that the state is too aggressive in seeing the death penalty used.

"There's no rush," she says. "There's a large number and each time their number is up and it's exhausted for them and that's what is said in the courts. The determination is made as those cases come up."

Walt also bristles at accusations the state is bloodthirsty.

"Our perception is that the citizens of the state want these carried out," he says. "If voters think we're killing too many, they can call their legislators and have them do away with the death penalty."

Austin residents upset by flood plain revisions

AUSTIN (AP) – Many homeowners believe revised maps, indicating thousands of houses are in the 100-year flood plain, are way off course.

The maps in question are new maps from the Federal Emergency Management Agency that took effect June 16. Several residents in the area disagree with the map revisions.

"It would have to be like Noah's Ark for my house to flood," said Paul Linehan, who has lived near Bull Creek.

About 6,000 structures, mostly homes, are affected by revised flood plain maps of more than a dozen creeks in Austin. FEMA uses the maps to determine which properties are covered by the National Flood Insurance Program.

"These FEMA maps are bogus," said Linehan, who is a land planner. "I've lived where I live for 11 years. My house is higher than about 10 houses on the block."

Because homeowners insurance does not cover flood damage, property owners in the flood plain have to pay $200 to $1,000 a year if they desire coverage. Many mortgage lenders require it.

In addition, Austin ordinances and building codes prohibit new construction in a 100-year flood plain, which is defined as a place with a 1 percent chance of a flood in a year.

Linehan's former neighbor Bruce Wencel, a homebuilder, says he learned about the flood plain revision after he tried to sell his house. The home, adjacent to Linehan's, sold last month after two sales fell through because of the new flood plain maps, which became effective June 16, he said.

"All of a sudden, they were telling us we were in a flood plain," Wencel said. "That went against the survey when we bought the house in 1985 and when we refinanced in 1989. We had the same information, and all of a sudden we came up in a flood plain.

"The buyer didn't want to go through on the deal because he said it was in a flood plain. They said we were deceiving him because we didn't disclose we were in a flood plain," he said. "Of course, we never knew that."

Ray Windsor, the city's flood plain coordinator, said it's likely the homes near Linehan's have been in the flood plain all the time. He said the original maps were so sketchy that surveys may have been inaccurate.

Diane Calhoun of FEMA's regional office in Denton agrees. She said new maps are more detailed, but the lack of specifics in some areas means mistakes are possible.

"We do not have the funding to do block-by-block or lot-by-lot studies," she said. "We know there's going to be areas where the natural ground elevation is above the flood line. If the property owner can prove to us that the lowest floor of his structure will not be inundated by the 100-year discharge, then we'll issue a (amendment)."

Linehan is asking for an amendment to remove his lot from the flood plain map.

"In most cases, they approve it," Windsor said. "He has a good chance. The house is some distance out of the flood plain."



(AP photo)

David Letterman opens his new late-night show on CBS with its premier tonight.

Letterman debuts his show on CBS tonight

By FRAZIER MOORE
AP Television Writer

NEW YORK (AP) – It's the cigar, kids ...

Every Letterman devotee will be watching tonight as NBC rebroadcasts the very first edition of *Late Night With David Letterman*. Originally aired Feb. 1, 1982, this precious artifact will be on display in Dave's old slot at 11:35 p.m. CDT.

Oh, yeah: Also tonight, CBS unveils *Late Show With David Letterman*. This means CBS is finally making good on its relentless "Same Dave, better time, new station" campaign the network launched when Letterman jumped from NBC in June.

With guests Bill Murray and Billy Joel, the *Late Show* premiere starts at 10:35 p.m. CDT. In this long-awaited faceoff, Dave goes up against NBC's *Tonight Show* with host Jay Leno, who will welcome as his guests country singer Garth Brooks and *Beverly Hills 90210* heartthrob Luke Perry.

Or maybe you heard.

But despite what CBS says, WILL this be the same Dave you've known and loved on *Late Night* since 1982? Everyone – well, almost everyone – changes and grows over time. Hasn't Letterman evolved, too?

Lettermaniacs conducting comparative analysis tonight between Dave Now and Then will learn for themselves. And they may discover the big difference can be summed up in two words: Dave's cigar.

What will you see on NBC's *Late Night* rerun?

You'll see preternaturally odd Larry "Bud" Melman kicking off the hour with "a word of friendly warning" about Letterman, "a man of science who sought to create a show after his own image, without reckoning upon God."

You'll see "Shame of the City," a recurring feature where Letterman exposes New York's sordid underbelly. In this first outing, he boldly uncovers urban blight in the form of a Manhattan deli sign with not one, but two misspelled words.

You'll also see guest Bill Murray (yeah, the same Bill Murray) perform that aerobics favorite "Let's Get Physical."

You'll see a Brooklyn man recite from memory dialogue from a Bela Lugosi film.

What you won't see is a cigar.

Dave fidgets with some pencils.

But there's no cigar.

"I think the viewers are going to be amazed at how he's changed over the years," Dave's executive producer, Peter Lassally, said last week. "It's a completely different persona. Then, he was a homespun philosopher. Now he's tough, just bristling with energy."

Like the man said: Dave's cigar.

It was unknown at presstime whether Letterman would smoke a cigar tonight on *Late Show*, since the program is recorded just hours before airir .

But let the record show that on Dave's REAL first hour for CBS – a run-through taped last Wednesday that may or may not eventually air – he puffed half a stogie.

So what's the deal with those cigars? Letterman was asked recently.

"There's no getting around it, it is a nasty habit," he told The Associated Press. "I would not try to defend it. But sometimes if you get a nice cigar and you're by yourself and nobody's screaming at you to put it out, it can be like a short vacation."

Whether or not in Dave's lexicon "by yourself" includes sitting at a desk hosting a late-night talk show for an adoring audience of millions, the latter-day Letterman does light up when he's on the air. And band leader Paul Shaffer has never screamed at him to put it out.

So it doesn't take much imagination to see that a cigar for Letterman symbolizes his hard-won stature in the TV world. That cigar stands for confidence, command, potency. Night after night.

Sure, Dr. Freud, sometimes a cigar is just a cigar. Or even just a short vacation. But sometimes it's much more: the nasty habit of a talk show host at the height of his powers.

Look for that cigar on *Late Show* tonight.

Central Texas facing eastward spread of bubonic plague

SAN ANTONIO (AP) – Two years of above-average rainfall may have helped an old nemesis, bubonic plague, spread to areas where it seldom has been seen – including a rural area west of San Antonio and a Dallas suburb.

The disease is borne by fleas but is spread by rodent populations, particularly prairie dogs, ground squirrels and wood rats.

Health officials are urging that people and pets avoid contact with rats, squirrels and other rodents as they track the apparent eastwardly spread of the plague.

This year's most notable evidence of plague in Texas occurred in Merkel, about 10 miles west of Abilene. A major die-off of white-throated wood rats and fox squirrels was attributed to plague.

Health officers also found the disease in other Taylor County animals including coyotes, a bobcat, a raccoon, a skunk, a possum and a domestic cat.

Since 1992, 16 human cases of plague have been recorded in the United States, including a 94-year-old woman from Jayton, in Kent County about 80 miles north of Abilene, who became ill April 24.

The next month, residents of a northern Dallas neighborhood notified health officials after finding a dead rat and squirrel on the same property. Both animals were plague-positive.

Rural areas report gang crime problems growing

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) – There's trouble with a capital 'T' in some river cities – gang crime has crept into Texas' Coastal Bend rural areas.

There have been five drive-by shootings this month in Alice, a town of less than 20,000 residents. There were no injuries and no arrests.

Law enforcement officials from Kingsville to Beeville are blaming the violence on gangs.

A recent survey by the Texas attorney general's office shows that 95 percent of the state's smaller towns report gang activity, a 20-percent rise in three years.

State authorities blame the gang growth throughout rural Texas on the migration of urban gangs to smaller cities and on small-town youths mimicking their urban peers.

Gang violence in small towns is generally less serious than in urban areas, but police say the drive-by shootings show that the members have guns and are willing to use them in battles over power or territory.

"One gang in particular is having some internal strife. They're jockeying for leadership," Alice Police Chief Jack Compton said. "I don't think they want to kill anybody. However, we believe this will lead to serious injury or someone's death."

Compton said police have identified at least six gangs in Alice. Some put the number at more than twice that.

Other parts of Jim Wells County also fear the growing number of gangs.

"Once the problem starts, it scatters everywhere," Sheriff Oscar Lopez said. "It's better to look and see if there is a problem than wait and find out there was a problem."

Duval County Attorney Jose "Pepe" Falcon, who chairs a committee on substance and alcohol abuse for youths in the county, blames the rise on urban officials who ship juvenile offenders to relatives in rural areas.

When they arrive, they often find a willing audience among their small-town peers, Falcon said.

"There's some kind of attractiveness to our young people," he said.

Alice Independent School District officials say they plan to hire two security officers for the district's campuses, though there's yet to be a noticeable increase in violence at school.

"Our purpose in doing this (hiring security) is to prevent anything from happening," said spokeswoman Peggy Dodd.

Part of Robstown Police Chief Rene DeAlejandro's plan to combat gangs is a tasl force he's appointed. From 9 p.m. to 3 a.m. they target curfew violators.

Duval County Sheriff Santiago Barrera said when the problem was detected last year in his area, officials asked San Antonio police for help.

The San Antonio officials conducted a workshop for law enforcement and school authorities, who learned how to identify and deal with gang members.

Service

To Reserve This Spot
You Just Read,
Call 669-2525

SULLINS
PLUMBING, HEATING
& AIR CONDITIONING
"Since 1919"
JANITROL air conditioning & heating
"Dependable Gas Heating"
FREE ESTIMATES
304 E. FOSTER
669-2721
Tx. Lic. No. B004132

AFLAC
Plaza 21 • 2139 N. Hobart
The Safest Life & Health Insurance Co. In America According To Financial World Magazine.

ANN GREENE
669-6836
665-8093

Herb Smith's
FotoTime
•1 Hour Film Processing
•Enlarging •Copying
•Photo Supplies
•Clocks & Gifts
Open Mon.-Fri. 9-5:30
107 N. Cuyler 665-8341

Creative Embroidery
from
The Stitchin' Barn
Rt. 1, Box 10
Pampa, Texas 79065
Logos
Embroidery
Monograms
Business - 669-3543
Pat Kennedy - 669-3006
Danina Kennedy - 669-0145

CINEMA 4
Open 7 Nights A Week
Sunday Matinee 2 p.m.
Call Our Movie Hotline
665-7141
•Son-In-Law (PG)
•The Firm (PG)
•In the Line of Fire (R)
•Free Willie (PG)

MARGARITAVILLE
Every Wed. Nite
4 P.M. - 7 P.M.
City Limits
669-9171

END OF MONTH SALE!! IT'S ALL ON SALE!!
Charlie's FURNITURE
1304 N. Banks 665-6506

ALBRACHT
Chiropractic of Pampa

Dr. Jack S. Albracht
Chiropractor
Treating...
•Sports Injuries • Headaches
•Asthma and Allergies
•Back And Auto Injuries
2216 N. Coffee • 665-7161

Pets Unique
Small to Exotic Birds
•Pets
•Supplies
•Grooming
Full Line Pet Supplies
IAMS & Science Diet Products
665-5102
854 W. Foster

Lynne Moore Interiors
Registered Interior Designer with the State of Texas
Complete Residential and Commercial Design
initial consultation complimentary
669-1466 or
669-6202

Viewpoints

The Pampa News

EVER STRIVING FOR THE TOP O' TEXAS
TO BE AN EVEN BETTER PLACE TO LIVE

Let Peace Begin With Me

This newspaper is dedicated to furnishing information to our readers so that they can better promote and preserve their own freedom and encourage others to see its blessings. Only when man understands freedom and is free to control himself and all he possesses can he develop to his utmost capabilities.

We believe that freedom is a gift from God and not a political grant from government, and that men have the right to take moral action to preserve their life and property for themselves and others.

Freedom is neither license nor anarchy. It is control and sovereignty of oneself, no more, no less. It is, thus, consistent with the coveting commandment.

Louise Fletcher
Publisher

David Bowser
Managing Editor

Opinion

More unpleasant surprises ahead

As more people study the provisions of the Clinton administration's budget deal more carefully, numerous unpleasant surprises for taxpayers are likely to emerge. Several news services have already noted a "stealth tax increase" on middle-income people through a change in the rules for 401-K retirement/investment programs that seemed to be aimed at the "wealthy."

The bill limits the tax-deferred contributions to such plans of employees earning more than $150,000 a year. But, because retirement contributions are determined by complex formulas that seek to balance the contributions of high-salaried workers with those of lower-salaried people, the changes could affect anyone earning more than $64,245 in 1993. Most plans, you see, have just one rule for those making $64,245 "or more," so a new law ostensibly aimed at those taking in big bucks will end up affecting those with more modest earnings.

The difference could be quite significant. Robert Scharff, a partner in the St. Louis office of the Todd Organization, a benefit consulting firm, calculated that somebody who earned $70,000 a year and contributed $7,000 – before taxes – to a 401-K, might be allowed to contribute only $4,200 under the new law. The federal tax on the difference, or the $2,800 not set aside (for a single employee), would be an additional $864 – and in most other states, besides Texas, there would be a state income tax on top of that.

Well, a $64,000-a-year salary puts one well above the average, but it's hardly the working definition of a bloated plutocrat. Most people in such salary ranges have 401-Ks and depend on them to shelter money from taxes and build a retirement nest-egg. Thanks to the Clintonistas, they'll be paying quite a bit more to Uncle Sugar now, and receiving less come retirement.

How many more "stealth" tax increases on middle-income people will we find before we're through?

The Pampa News
(USPS 781-540)

Serving the Top 'O Texas 83 Years
Pampa, Texas 79065
403 W. Atchison
PO Box 2198

Circulation Certified by ABC Audit

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

Subscription rates in Pampa by carrier and motor route are $6.00 per month, $18.00 per three months. $36.00 per six months and $72.00 per year. **THE PAMPA NEWS is not responsible for advance payment of two or more months made to the carrier.** Please pay directly to the News Office any payment that exceeds the current collection period.

Subscription rates by mail are: $22.50 per three months. $45.00 per six months and $90.00 per year. No mail subscriptions are available within the city limits of Pampa. Mail subscriptions must be paid 3 months in advance.

Single copies are 25 cents daily and 75 cents Sunday.

The Pampa News is published daily except Saturdays and holidays by the Pampa News, 403 W. Atchison Street, Pampa, Texas 79065. Second-class postage paid at Pampa, Texas. POSTMASTER: Send address changes to the Pampa News, P.O. Drawer 2198, Pampa, Texas 79066-2198.

Missing Your Daily News?
Dial 669-2525 Before 7 p.m. Weekdays,
Before 10 a.m. Sundays

Thought for the day

"It ain't enough to get the breaks. You gotta know how to use 'em."

— Huey P. Long
American politician (1893-1935).

Berry's World



Nuclear quandary isn't simple



William F. Buckley Jr.

The looming question of North Korea and The Bomb leaves many speechless. And the reason for this is plain for those who have looked carefully into the factors that cause a fearful equilibrium.

North Korea is headed toward the acquisition of a nuclear bomb. We cannot let it have it without coming face to face with a nuclear nightmare. Japan has already said, in almost as many words, that it would pull out of the Non-Proliferation Treaty in 1995, when it comes up for renewal, if North Korea has the bomb or is well on the way to having it. China and conceivably Taiwan would in the one case beef up nuclear reserves, in the other develop them.

To "take out" North Korea's nuclear capability is something that our Air Force could do, but only superficially. We could take out that much of it that is above ground, with one of those smashing attacks Gen. Norman Schwarzkopf taught us about the Desert Storm. But we have been reminded (e.g., by Russell Seitz in *The National Interest*) that existing nuclear facilities in North Korea are not to be thought of as similar to those in Iraq that were disposed of by the Israeli air force in 1981.

The North Korean nuclear development capability is exactly described as an iceberg. Schwarzkopf could knock off the tip on Monday, which does not give us security on the following Monday.

Meanwhile, if we were to engage in such a strike, the retaliatory powers of North Korea are formidable. It has the largest per capita army in the world (1.2 million). A reliable estimate of the immediate casualties that would result from the North Korean offensive is 180,000 South Koreans killed, and 36,000 U.S. soldiers among the possible casualties. Seoul would probably collapse within two days.

Which means that the only way we could settle the North Korean threat is by nuclear devastation.

When at the DMZ recently, President Clinton uttered the following words: "We would quickly and overwhelmingly retaliate if they [North Korea] were ever to develop and use nuclear weapons. It would mean the end of their country as they know it."

Now textual analysts can go to work on those two sentences and easily finger the operative qualification. On the other hand, the sentences do give off an apocalyptic air.

Clinton is suddenly saying that we would move against North Korea not if it should merely acquire a nuclear capability, but if it should acquire and "use" that capability. In other words, if the sentence is to be taken literally, we will do nothing if North Korea merely acquires the weapon.

If the North Koreans should proceed to use it, then this would mean "the end of their country." We dropped more bombs on Iraq than we did on Nazi Germany, and we hardly accomplished the "end" of that country. To do any such thing has got to mean to go nuclear. And come to think of it, how else would we go, if North Korea were actually to "use" nuclear bombs?

Seitz, who is with Harvard University's John M. Olin Institute for Strategic Studies, reminded us of the grim scientific realities in an important essay (it is in the winter 1991-92 issue of *The National Interest*). We are informed of several things, among them:

— What took the Allies 40,000 man-years to do in the 1940s when we made the Hiroshima bomb took India only 2,500 man-years in the 1970s.

— Both India and Taiwan now have more than 2,500 American-educated Ph.D.s. South Korea is now acquiring more than 1,000 American doctorates annually.

— Static pressures in excess of 3 million atmospheres, a fantasy in 1945, are now reached in diamond anvil cells that fit in a thimble.

— The "most engaging illusion of proliferation control arises from the temptation to believe that its central goal is to prevent the duplication of existing technology." Chemical and biological warfare can be as devastating as nuclear warfare, and are much easier to wage.

— In the near future it will be possible "to duplicate almost all past technology in all but the most forlorn of Third World backwaters. ... Any effort to keep the microchips vital to our technology out of the hands of Iraq and Libya lacks relevance to the question of the evolution of a Third World bomb."

The dilemma shakes its finger at us darkly. On the one hand the ultimate deterrent is the use of the bomb against any countries so reckless as themselves to threaten its use. On the other hand, the psychological sequestration of the nuclear weapon, like that of poison gas after World War I, is the hardiest anti-proliferation weapon in our arsenal.

We need to be prepared to harden the ethos against the bomb, while calmly explaining to the world under what circumstances we have no alternative than to use it.



"Rates for dollars? If you have to ask, we can't afford it."

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Monday, Aug. 30, the 242nd day of 1993. There are 123 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

One hundred years ago, on Aug. 30, 1893, Huey P. Long, "The Kingfish" of Louisiana politics, was born in Winn Parish.

On this date:

In 30 B.C., on Aug. 30 by some estimates, the seventh and most famous queen of ancient Egypt known as Cleopatra committed suicide.

In 1797, the creator of *Frankenstein*, Mary Wollstonecraft Shelley, was born in London.

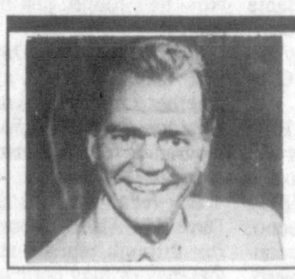
In 1862, Union forces were defeated by the Confederates at the Second Battle of Bull Run in Manassas, Va.

In 1905, Ty Cobb made his major league batting debut, playing for the Detroit Tigers.

In 1941, the World War II siege of Leningrad began as Nazi forces took Mga.

In 1945, Gen. Douglas MacArthur arrived in Japan, and set up Allied occupation headquarters.

You pay for those no-pays



Paul Harvey

In Pueblo, Colo., Mike Naranjo went to the hospital emergency room with a cut finger. He had cut his finger playing basketball.

He went to the emergency room of St. Mary-Corwin Hospital.

When Mike got the bill, he said,"You must be kidding!"

They were not kidding.

The doctor who confirmed that Mike had a cut finger charged $75 for that diagnosis.

Another doctor, to suture the finger, charged $104.

Thirty-seven dollars for a suture tray.

Seventy-five dollars to use the emergency room.

For 2 inches of stretch gauze and a 3-inch-by-3-inch dressing – $70.

For a strip of aluminum used as a splint, $47.

Total charge: $442.50.

At any of several local clinics, Mike could have received the same treatment for $160.

That is the truth; it is not the whole truth.

The comparison of a hospital and a clinic is not fair.

A hospital is mandated by law to see every patient who presents himself at an emergency room, regardless of his willingness to pay for the care. Those who consider themselves entitled to "free medical treatment" have learned long ago something you just learned in the last 10 seconds.

The hospital has no choice; it must treat the no-pay patient just as it would treat you.

The reality of the situation is that many or most hospitals see 10 patients in the emergency room before they get four who will pay for their care.

For the hospital to stay open, you and I must pick up that slack in higher medical fees.

If a medical clinic were required to treat no-pay patients, it too would have to multiply its fees.

That's not all.

Hospitals are mandated to remain open to provide emergency care 24 hours a day.

That means the hospital must be staffed around the clock with ER doctors who receive $70 to $100 an hour, plus lab personnel, radiology personnel, surgical personnel and others necessary to provide this 24-hour service.

These people must be paid whether the emergency room is in use or not and whether the patients pay or not – and most don't pay.

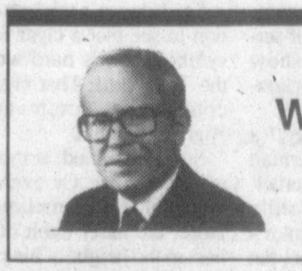
The medical clinic may be open typically 9-to-5, and even urgent care may be denied unless payment is guaranteed.

A former surgeon general of the United States, Dr. C. Everett Koop, once stated that "we Americans can have the best health care in the world – total access to care for everyone – or affordable care. But it is impossible to provide more than two of the three."

Our country has chosen to provide the first two.

And in a nation of very little self-discipline, Americans who pay their way are required to pay the bills of those who can't, don't or won't.

Taxing the rich not the best plan



William A. Rusher

During the run-up to passage of his new tax bill, President Clinton enthusiastically revived the grand old Democratic tactic of class warfare, assuring everybody that practically all of the new taxes would come out of the hides of "the rich," who were not paying "their fair share."

Just what "their fair share" might be Mr. Clinton didn't say, but he implied that, whatever it was, it would simply be a suitable punishment for the way they allegedly made out like bandits during those awful Reagan years.

I suppose there are some Americans mean-spirited enough to actually enjoy seeing their wealthy fellows citizens stripped of a larger chunk of their earnings, and if so, Mr. Clinton has presumably won their support. But I suspect that most people hearing that the new taxes were going to fall almost exclusively on "the rich," felt something more akin to relief than to pleasure – in much the way that many Americans are relieved that AIDS, thus far, has impacted primarily male homosexuals and IV drug users. They wish no one ill, but are grateful that they are not personally at Ground Zero.

But there is a fairness issue here, and we ought to have the courage and magnanimity to face it squarely. Just what have "the rich" been paying, and what should they pay?

In the first place, bear in mind that the famous liberal contention that during the Reagan years "the rich got richer and the poor got poorer" is simply a Big Lie. In constant 1989 dollars, according to the Census Bureau, the average family income of every quintile (or fifth) of the population, from top to bottom, grew larger.

Now, what proportion of all federal income taxes do you personally think it would be fair for the top 1 percent of taxpayers to pay? In 1981, that top 1 percent was paying 17.6 percent of them. Not enough, you say? Squeeze 'em harder? OK – by 1988, when Ronald Reagon got through with them, that top 1 percent was paying 27.5 percent, or well over a quarter of all federal income taxes. (My source here is "Statistics of Income," published by the Internal Revenue Service.)

That is the share that Mr. Clinton, without actually specifying it, described as not high enough.

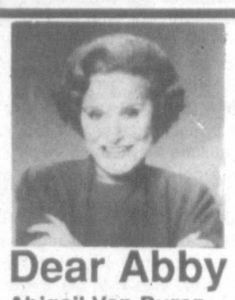
Of course, there is a big difference between the way President Reagan got more tax money out of the rich and how Mr. Clinton proposed to do it. Mr. Reagan's technique was to cut tax rates, so that a person who earned more money could keep a bigger share of it, even though his actual tax payment increased. And that was what actually happened: The average income of the top fifth of American families rose from $75,903 in 1982 to $92,663 in 1989 (in constant dollars). The federal government was thus able to peel the top 1 percent for over a quarter of all the income tax revenues it collected, instead of only 17.6 percent.

Mr. Clinton proposes to be more blunt about it. Forget cutting tax rates (even for the middle class, as he promised to do). Instead, raise them sharply on "the rich." After all, they haven't been paying "their fair share." And so it has been done.

What would you do this year, if you were rich? Work harder? Rejoice at the opportunity to help your less fortunate fellow-citizens more bountifully? My guess is that, instead, you would do whatever you could to reduce your tax bite.

And that, of course, is precisely what will happen. As a result, tax revenues, far from rising, will fall. And Bill Clinton will wonder why giving the goose that lays the golden egg a good beating every now and then doesn't increase its production.

Lifestyles



Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

Phone bill advice was a dud, Abby

DEAR ABBY: I have never written to a columnist before, but I took exception to your answer to "Connecticut Yankees." They should not forget the telephone bill run up by the visiting brother's fiancee. In this day and age, and especially with an income of $100,000 a year, it is almost a certainty that "Dame Diana" or "Brother" had a telephone charge card.

Even if they didn't, one telephone call to the fiancee's 12-year-old son could be overlooked, but nine calls, plus four collect calls between here and London, England – come on, Abby, think with your head, not your bank account. There was no reason to run up this outrageous bill and not pick up the tab, except selfishness on Dame Diana's and Brother's part.

I definitely think Brother should get the bill, even though paying it wouldn't break "Connecticut Yankees." It's obvious that Brother has no respect for his brother and sister-in-law. (Besides, Dame Diana isn't even related yet.)

Abby, this is the only time in all the years I have been reading your column that I felt I had to write to tell you I think you are wrong. I almost always agree with your, but this time you were way off base.

Now that I have gotten off my soapbox, I can tell you that I always read your column and I thoroughly enjoy it.

I am signing my name, but if you print this letter, please sign it ...

REBUTTAL FROM NIKISKI, ALASKA

DEAR REBUTTAL: Thank you for writing and speaking your mind. I can learn more from criticism than I can from praise. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: Begging your pardon, but what banana boat did you just get off of? Your reply to "Connecticut Yankees" is way off base.

You seem to think that because "Connecticut Yankees" have income of $80,000 yearly, it's all right to impose on them.

It doesn't make any difference if they make $8,000 or $8 million a year; 13 trans-Atlantic telephone calls during one weekend is way out of line – unless there was some kind of emergency.

In my opinion, you blew it, Abby.

P.W.E., CAPTAIN, U.S. NAVY (RET.), KILLINGWORTH, CONN.

DEAR CAPTAIN: You'll get no argument from me. I blew it big time.

DEAR ABBY: I hope you will reconsider your response to "Connecticut Yankees," the woman whose brother-in-law's lady friend "Dame Diana," charged $166.90 worth of trans-Atlantic calls during a weekend visit.

To "forget" the bill is unthinkable. It sets a precedent that will be mighty hard to break if the lady friend becomes a family member, as Yankee's letter implied.

When money matters between adults are not dealt with in a responsible, businesslike way, relationships become clouded and strained. Abby, please change your mind, and advise Yankees to present the phone bill along with a lighthearted note.

Thanks for considering my opinion.

A TEXAS HOSTESS

DEAR HOSTESS: Thanks for offering it. I didn't realize how flat-out wrong I was until the barrage of critical letters hit my desk. The buck stops here. My answer was a dud.

Did you know?

The birthdate of English poet and dramatist William Shakespeare is generally regarded as April 25, 1564. He died on the same date 52 years later.

King Edward III of England established the Order of the Garter in 1348.

The "Vitascope" system for projecting movies onto a screen was demonstrated in 1896 at a music hall in New York City.

A 1940 dance hall fire in Natchez, Miss., claimed some 200 lives.

Godfreys vacation and Epperlys travel to Russia



The last weekend of August translates to the end of summer to most of us. The calendar of activities avoided the wind down time. Several Pampa families are home after multiple trips during the summer.

Corky and Linda Godfrey are back in their routine after being gone several weeks. They visited their daughter and family, Tammie and Jimmy Keough, 6-year old twins Kristen and Kira and Michael-12 in Albany, N.Y. If possible, Corky may have been more excited than Linda over seeing Michael win third place in the National Junior Olympics in Taekwondo. They spent several days with other children, Donna and Josh Corbin, who is serving a three-year internship in occupational therapy, and Cody, one-year old, at Burlington, Vt. Cody was a big attraction! Part of the fun was enjoying the mountains through family outings in the Adirondacks. Next came a school for Corky in Tampa, Fla., followed by a vacation at Palatka, where they visited with Corky's brother and family, Jim and Flo Godfrey. They caught upon on family members while there. Jim, a former Pampan retired from Pantex within the last two years. Then, it was to home, sweet, home!

Dana and Fred Epperly traveled to places near and far for a large part of the summer. They went to Russia for three weeks on a Baptist mission tour. Side trips took them to Moscow and St. Petersburg. To them Russia was beautiful and the food wonderful. Fred attended a birthday celebration in a home where the table was laden with all kinds of great foods, creamed eggs as a special treat and all kinds of veggies with emphasis on tomatoes and cucumbers, roast duck and trimmings, plus two or three cakes, one similar to our chocolate fudge brownies. Their strongest wish is to return to Russia at an early date.

One summer weekend was spent at a weekend seminar at the Brownfield Baptist Church. Neal and Betty Stovall, Dana and Fred served as leaders of a group.

A big, important event was Dana's visit to their daughter Cyndi and husband Shannon Hassell in Benton, Ark. Shannon recently accepted a position as youth minister of Highland Heights Baptist Church. Everything from a lovely church to the beautiful mountain scenery was A-plus to superior from Dana's point of view. Moms do have to check on family members.

June and Buster Ivory have been on the go, too. June, as executive secretary to the Northwest Oklahoma Junior Rodeo Association, has attended 14 of the 15 scheduled rodeos of this organization. She handles all entries and keeps detailed records on all 300 members, many of whom live in the Pampa, Groom, Canadian, Miami and Wheeler areas. June, who has been a star rodeo performer all over the world, discovered anew that heat at summertime rodeos is intense.

Buster served as advisor on cowboys for a movie "On Deadly Ground," starring Steven DeGaulle in Leavenworth, Wash. Buster hired all the bucking stock and cowboys, all the while enjoying the beauty of the mountains.

The movie is Warner Brothers biggest movie in some time. He reports that Steven was wonderful to work with.

A couple of weeks ago Buster had the distinct honor of making the induction speech for Glen Randall, a famous horse and rodeo trainer in Hollywood, into the Pro Rode Hall of Fame in Colorado Springs, Colo. Buster was inducted into the same Hall of Fame in 1991.

Dorothy Jeffreys is home again after a wonderful stay in Lake City, Colo. Her brother-in-law and sister-in-law came from Evansville, Ind. and picked her up. The trio helped celebrate three anniversaries while in cool Colorado.

Jack and Cindy Gindorf, Hank, Melissa and Rebecca camped in South Fork and met Jack's brother and family, Tom and Beth Gindorf, Tom Jr., and his fiancee Julia from La Canada, Calif. All came back to Pampa to extend the visit to include Tom and Jack's mother, Glendora Gindorf. Tom Jr., did want Julia to see Pampa in person.

Friends will want to know that Harold Miller, a long time Pampan has moved to Amarillo after living in Tulsa for a year. Two factors were: being close to his son Mike and to get back to the Panhandle of Texas for a big breath of pure fresh air. On the other hand, his daughter Pat and husband James Hart love living in Tulsa close to their children.

Recovery wishes to Ruby Adcock as she recovers at home after surgery. The same good wishes to R.C, Grider as he recovers at home from knee surgery. George Clark, on who always does his many good deeds very quietly, has been helping by running errands and more.

Ditto wishes to LaDon Bradford following knee surgery. While the children were here to see about LaDon, Emma Lee had some medical problems corrected. Speedy recovery wishes to all!

When Wendy Harris and Chris Poole were married recently, her proud father Melvin E. Harris, pastor of the Church of God, escorted her to the altar, then took his place at the altar and performed the ceremony. Two Pampa ministers have had that special honor and thrill recently.

Carl Sexton got a big surprise last Friday afternoon, when he opened the door to see his three daughters, Carla Clayton from Dallas, Jane Mouhot from Lewisville and Gracie Weems from Lubbock. With their brother Chuck they had planned an early surprise visit for his birthday on Aug. 25.

On Aug. 22, there was a family birthday party. Other family members attending were Carl's wife, Clara and Chuck's wife, Susan. A granddaughter Tammy Pulse and husband Mark came from Arlington for the occasion. Belated birthday wishes, Carl.

Aug. 14 was a busy day for Sophia Hutchison of McLean. She made enough hot rolls and apple and apricot cobblers to satisfy relatives attending a family reunion in her home. Thirty six relatives came from New Mexico, Oklahoma, Oregon, Fort Worth, Pampa, Paducah and Amarillo. Everyone brought food and helped with serving and clean up. While some took advantage of the lawn chairs under shade trees to visit and get reaquainted, others spent the day looking through old family pictures, taking lots of new pictures, reminiscing and enjoying lots of good food. The soon to be 94 year old, Sophia, conceded she was a little tired, but enjoyed every minute of it.

Teresa Reed looked at her immaculate house and yard and made a quick decision to move to a smaller place for ease of care. Teresa is in her 90s, spry as can be and independent as can be.

Spied along the way: Dona Cornutt working in her flower beds. Across the street Norma Ann Briden, was doing a thorough job of mowing her lawn. Her cute little dogs have it made in the shade with Norma Ann as their mistress. Farther north Ernestine Ammons and her grandson were out in the front yard enjoying being together. She and Tom enjoy sitting on their front porch during the summer evening, the better to enjoy their flower beds full of beautiful blooms. Helen Burns and Katherine Taylor were seen having a neighborly chat in the yard. Chuck White did a little afternoon shopping and sharing his lovely eastern accent a la warm greetings to friends.

Jan Cory was probably the only teacher at Woodrow Wilson Elementary who received a bouquet of flowers on her first day of school in Pampa. They were sent by David, her ever thoughtful husband of nearly a month. With her summer marriage, Jan became an instant Pampan — and a very pretty one!

A few early morning walkers are Roy and Margaret Sparkman, Don and Clara Nenstiel, Aubrey Steele and Barney Poodle Dog, Katherine Reeve, Elsie and Floyd, often in opposite directions, Ted Atwood. A long morning walk makes for a surge of energy.

After more than 30 years in the same house, Johnnie and Ray Thompson are moving to Chaumont addition. Other movers are Jean Murtishaw to the John and Jana Spearman house, John and Jana north on Dogwood, Buck and Chleo Worley to the Murtishaw house.

"Good wishes!!!" to Patricia and Scott Ross and three boys on their move to Denver, Colo., on a transfer by the Texas Co.

Mae Williams has five grandchildren who are the pride and joy of her heart. Lourez worked this summer on the *Houston Chronicle* in classified. Note this: She said she much preferred to work in the editorial department of *The Pampa News*.

By this time she is back in school as a junior majoring in computer programming at Prairie View College near Houston.

This is the first summer that another granddaughter LaToya Bester has not visited Mae. LaToya lives in Missouri, a suburb of Houston.

Don and Shirley Stafford, Donna and Dean Burger and Shirley and Billy Fields just returned from an eight-day "Inside Alaska Cruise." Their ship, Crown Princess, stopped at Skagway, Juneau and Ketchikan. Don and Dean spent the day at Ketchikan, pink salmon fishing. One day was spent on the ship touring through Glacier Bay. They are looking forward to their catch being canned and shipped to them in about four weeks. The six spent two days in Vancouver and Victoria. A tour of the Butchart Gardens in Victoria ended a wonderful trip.

Edmund H. and Betty (Tiemann) Lutz came from Euclid, Ohio, to attend the Pampa Army Air Force Base reunion. At PAAFB Ed trained as a pilot preparing for combat. Betty is the granddaughter of Samuel C. and Emily Case whose family was the second to live at the railroad station that became Pampa.

Norma McBee met the following members of her family in Panhandle last week. James and Lanelle Cummings, Spearman; R.J. and Mary Murray, Ruidoso, and Bill and Peggy Murray and Jerry and Joanne Murray of Panhandle. She also visited Sister Celine at St. Ann's and spent the night in Amarillo.

Leta Bradley's weekend guests were three sisters-in-law and a niece. Coming from Baton Rouge was Mary Hill and her daughter, Sherrie Bordofske of Big Spring. From Sweetwater, was Clara Brown and Kate Bradley of Amarillo.

Melba and H.L. Presley had an exciting week. Their son, Kenneth, of Houston came to attend his 30th class reunion in Dimmit. He and Melba went to Hereford to daughter LaJuan Fowler's where Melba spent the time during the reunion. On Sunday, H.L. went to Hereford to attend church with family and friends. Then they had homemade ice cream. Kenneth spent a week in Lefors with his parents following the reunion.

It's not too early to plan for a safe holiday next weekend, Labor Day. Let's make it safe for everyone.

See you next week. Katie.

Jensen silver available to average collector

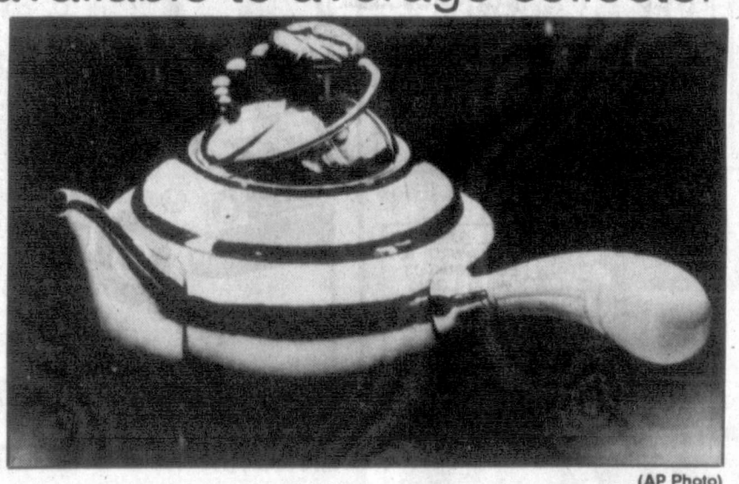
By SIBBY CHRISTENSEN
Associated Press Writer

COPENHAGEN (AP) — Art nouveau silver designed by Georg Jensen, the acknowledged master of the genre, is within reach of the amateur collector who would like to add a few of these intriguing pieces to the pleasures of home.

Lushly sculpted teapots, vases, pitchers, flatware and jewelry created by the famous Danish silversmith are affordably available throughout Europe and the United States, says Mfchael von Essen, curator of the Georg Jensen Museum here.

While some early Jensen originals owned by museums and wealthy collectors are unlikely to be seen outside their display cabinets, much Jensen silver equal in quality can be obtained, enjoyed and used every day by ordinary collectors, von Essen says. "So lots of things to buy and to cherish."

Typical starting price for, say, a piece of cutlery would be about 400 Danish kroner ($62), he estimates. Jewelry items such as brooches and earrings begin around 500-600 kroner ($77-$92), less the 20 percent VAT which visitors can deduct when they export the items. They can be found through independent antiques dealers or at the Jensen antiques store, which shares brand new quarters with the museum at 6 Amagertorv, in the heart of Copenhagen's Stroget shopping district.



(AP Photo)

An art nouveau teapot with an ivory handle, designed by Denmark's master silversmith, Georg Jensen, dates 1904-1905.

Many of the designs have remained popular, and thus in production, since they were introduced — from about 1908 through the mid-1930s.

The best of Jensen's designs are simple but subtle shapes with sculptural details that are integrated but never encrusted. They are seldom flashy; he preferred hammered, slightly dull finishes.

A stemmed fruit bowl, for example, is smoothly finished at at the base and bowl, but the stem forms a sinuous twist of vines and hanging grapes. A teapot in classic form has an unexpected side handle in ivory and a lid curved with leaves and buds. Flatware can be sternly basic, like the "Antik" pattern with hammered finish (inspired by wooden utensils used by Scandinavian peasants), or humorously ornate.

MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL
(Specials) Starting Sept. 6
City Limits
669-9171

FINAL MARKDOWN
ALL SPRING & SUMMER AND SELECTED FALL MERCHANDISE UP TO
70% OFF
4-DAY ONLY-SAT.-WED.
images
DOWNTOWN PAMPA
123 N. Cuyler 669-1091
A Division of BJP Pearson & Pearson

LABOR DAY
EARLY DEADLINES
CLASSIFIED LINE ADS

Day of Insertion	Deadline
Friday, Sept. 3	Thursday 12 noon
Sunday, Sept. 5	Thursday 5 p.m.
Monday, Sept. 6	Friday 2 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 7	Friday 5 p.m.

CLASSIFIED DISPLAY

Sunday, Sept. 5	Thursday 2 p.m.
Monday, Sept. 6	Thursday 4 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 7	Friday 11 a.m.
Wednesday, Sept. 8	Friday 2 p.m.

DISPLAY ADV.

Monday, Sept. 6	Thursday 4 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 7	Friday 11 a.m.
Wednesday, Sept. 8	Friday 2 p.m.

END OF MONTH SALE!! IT'S ALL ON SALE!!
Charlie's CARPET CONNECTION
1533 N. Hobart 665-0995

The Pampa News

Comic Page

NEA Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

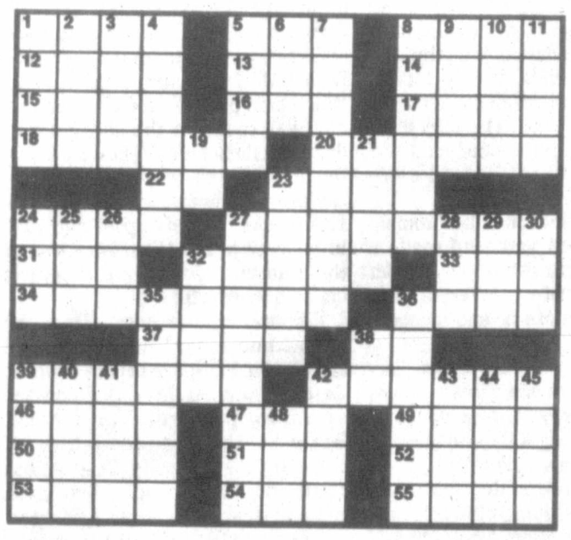
1 Capital of Latvia
5 Beak
8 Clears
12 Winter vehicle
13 Yorkshire river
14 Arrow poison
15 Wine
16 Recent
17 Land measure
18 Sponsor
20 Land surrounded by water
22 — masse
23 Blurt out
24 Peel
27 Quilt, e.g.
31 — pollol
32 Income
33 Garden tool
34 Stranger
36 Actual being
37 Revise
38 Eur. lang.
39 Developed
42 Last Frontier
46 Pocketlike structure
47 Be ill
49 Old name for Thailand
50 Story
51 Deity
52 Old Testament book
53 Dilliseed
54 Author Umberto —
55 Son of Adam

DOWN

1 Request for reply
2 Hipbones
3 Chap
4 Worshipped
5 Senator Sam —
6 Before
7 Perplex
8 Theater district
9 Peruvian Indian
10 Actor Bruce —
11 Sow
19 Running
21 Pouches
23 Give birth to
24 Greek letter
25 Debtor's note
26 Insect egg
27 Playful talk
28 Type of videotape
29 Dawn goddess
30 Sandpiper
32 Broad
35 Part of a sonnet
36 Wipes out
38 South of GA
39 Official records
40 Baseballer Nolan —
41 Capri, e.g.
42 Actor — Ray
43 Magnitude
44 Small vehicle
45 Oriental nurse
48 Olympic org.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

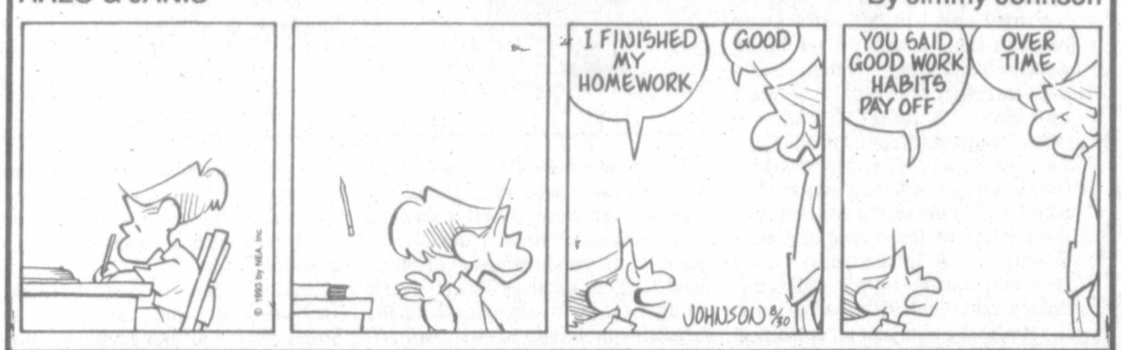
L	A	S	T	E	D		L	A	S	S	O	S
E	M	P	I	R	E		E	M	I	L	I	O
W	A	I	L	E	D		N	Y	L	O	N	S
D	S	T		C	U	R	T			T	K	O
			E	T	C	H	I	N	G			
D	U	A	L		T	O	L	E	R	A	T	E
R	H	U	M					Z	E	B	R	A
A	U	T	O	S				E	R	I	C	
T	H	O	R	O	U	G	H		N	I	G	H
			E	X	P	I	A	T	E			
L	L	D			B	L	U	R		L	I	I
E	U	R	O	P	E		L	A	Y	E	R	S
S	C	O	T	I	A		E	D	I	S	O	N
S	E	P	T	E	T		R	E	P	E	N	T



WALNUT COVE — By Mark Cullum



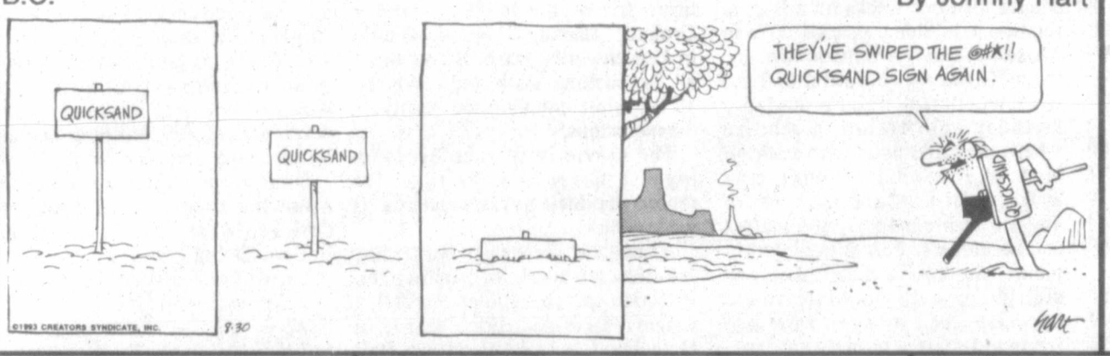
ARLO & JANIS — By Jimmy Johnson



EEK & MEEK — By Howie Schneider



B.C. — By Johnny Hart



VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Don't let an associate do your thinking for you today regarding a critical decision you've been reluctant to make. Your solution may be more painful, but it still could be better. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail $2 and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, N.Y. 10163.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You'll be more effective solving problems today if you take the attitude they can no longer be ignored. If you don't time might only make them worse.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Today if two close friends have a disagreement, think twice before trying to play the role of an arbitrator. This may be a role for which you're not well suited.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) When dealing with others in close proximity today you're inclinations might be competitive as opposed to being cooperative. Work for a common cause, not against it.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You won't enjoy having your concepts and opinions challenged today, so make it a point to avoid persons you know from experience are habitual critics.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) In situations today where there is something of substance at stake, don't take anything for granted. Those with whom you're involved might not treat you as fairly as you'd treat them.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Your mate might be a bit difficult to get along with today. Don't make matters worse by bringing up issues that rub him/her the wrong way to begin with.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) If you do not keep pace with your work at this time, there's a possibility it could get out of hand and overwhelm you later. Devise an effective, productive system today.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You could jeopardize a relationship today if you exclude a close friend from something in which he/she should be involved. Think how you would feel if the tables were turned.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) If there is something for which you're responsible and it goes wrong to today, don't try to palm the blame off on someone else. A move of this ilk would severely tarnish your image.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Weigh your words with extreme care today, because there's a possibility what you say or put in writing may later be used against you. Limit your comments to what you want repeated.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Guard against inclinations today to rob Peter in order to pay Paul in hopes of keeping your financial affairs in balance. Unfortunately, your measures may only be temporary.

MARVIN — By Tom Armstrong



MARMADUKE — By Brad Anderson



"...and in your favorite flavors."

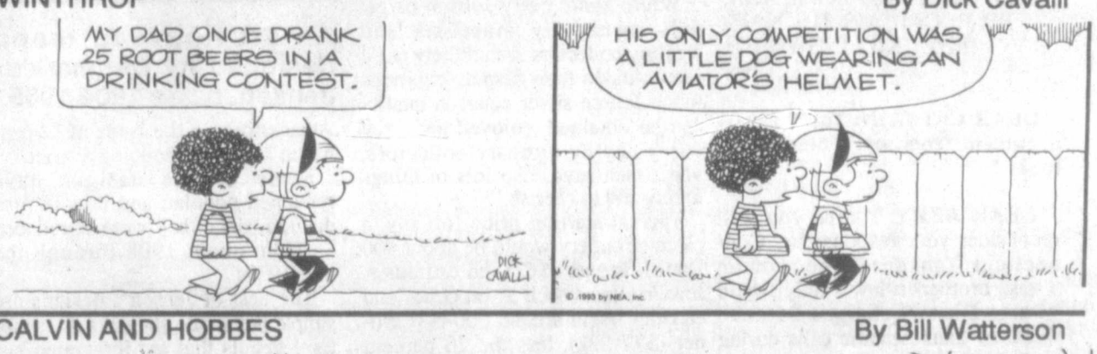
KIT N' CARLYLE — By Larry Wright



ALLEY OOP — By Dave Graue



WINTHROP — By Dick Cavalli

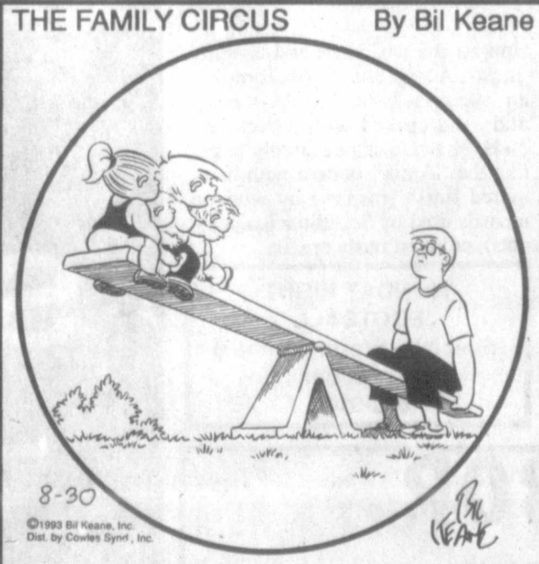


SNAFU — By Bruce Beattie



"We spent so much on our security system I want someone to try breaking in to see if it works!"

THE FAMILY CIRCUS — By Bil Keane

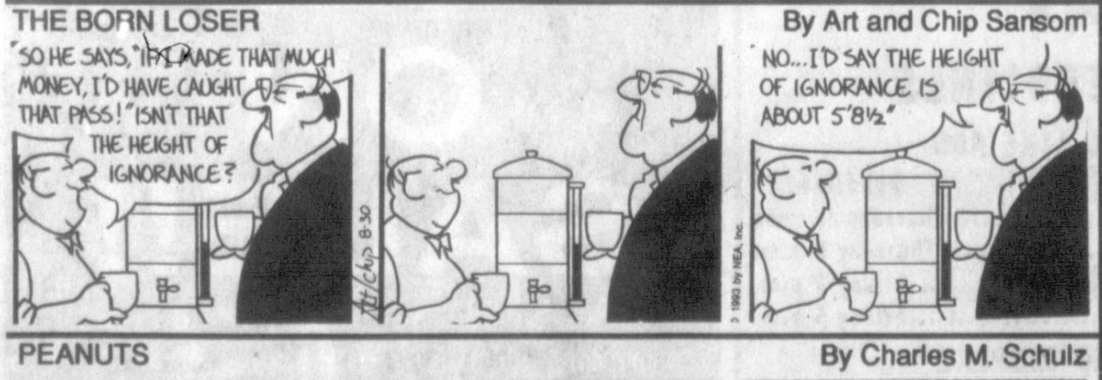


"Wait till next year!"

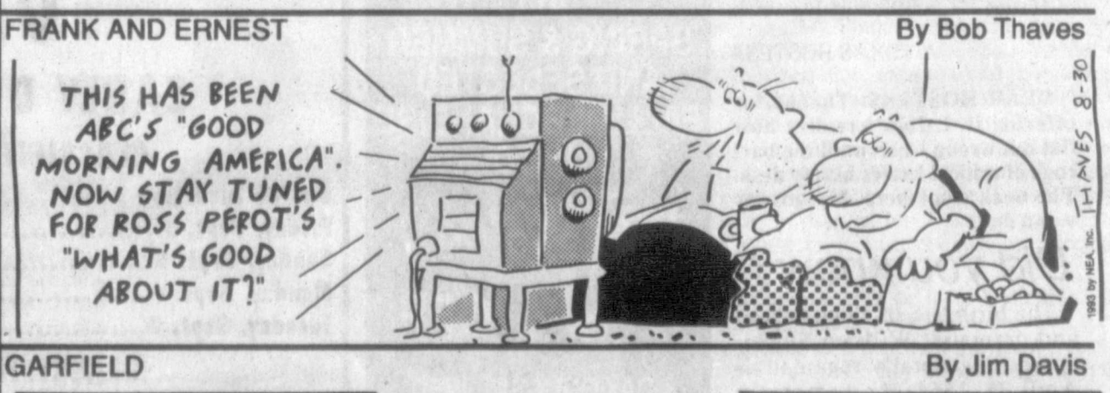
CALVIN AND HOBBES — By Bill Watterson



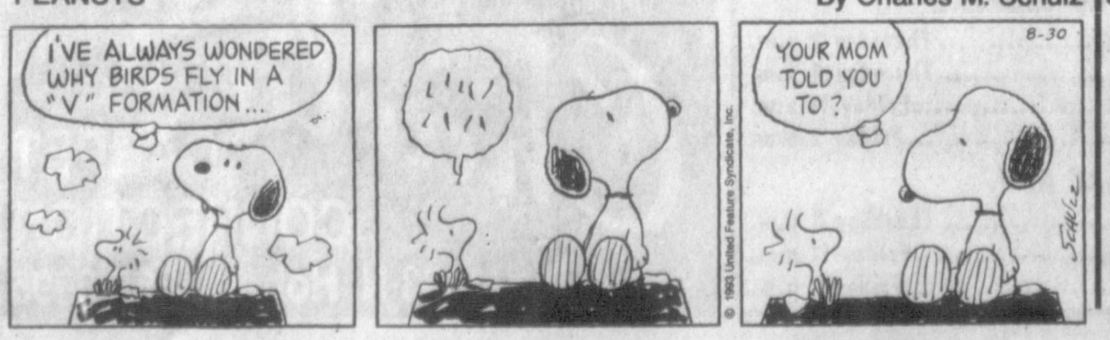
THE BORN LOSER — By Art and Chip Sansom



FRANK AND ERNEST — By Bob Thaves



PEANUTS — By Charles M. Schulz



GARFIELD — By Jim Davis



Sports

Briefs

Season tickets for the Pampa Harvesters football season go on sale from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday this week at the high school athletic office.

Season tickets are $12 per seat.

The home opener is Sept. 10 against Amarillo High.

DALLAS (AP) — Not that it matters to Emmitt Smith, but a majority of Dallas Cowboys fans polled recently said they support owner Jerry Jones in the contract stalemate with his star tailback.

Fifty-one percent of those randomly polled by The Dallas Morning News support jones in the disagreement with Smith, who is seeking to become the highest-paid running back in the NFL, the newspaper reported Sunday.

Thirty-five percent of those polled sided with Smith, who sat out the entire training camp and threatens to miss the team's opener Sept. 6 at Washington.

"The 51 percent mirrors the communication I have been getting through phone calls and letters," Jones said. "What is surprising is how knowledgeable and how sophisticated the callers and writers are.

"We all share one thing in common, even the ones who agree with our strategy, and that is we want Emmitt Smith on this football team. We just have a disagreement on what we are willing to pay him to get him here."

Smith's agent, Richard Howell, refused to comment on the poll, which was conducted by telephone with 498 adults in a four-county area Aug. 25.

The interviews were conducted with those 18 and older who said they usually follow the Dallas Cowboys. The margin of error was 4.5 percent.

NEW YORK (AP) — At the age of 36 and with a record 165 tournament titles, Martina Navratilova knows her place in history and in this year's U.S. Open.

"I've been beyond proving anything for a long time now," the left-hander said. "This is a golden time and I'm just enjoying the ride."

She's also enjoying rewriting the record book, which changes almost every time she takes to the court.

Navratilova is seeded third this year, a record 19th consecutive time she has been seeded in this tournament, 1993's final Grand Slam event. She had been tied with Jimmy Connors and Chris Evert for most years seeded and most successive years seeded.

When she took the court today against Gloria Pizzchini of Italy in a first-round match, Navratilova played in her 21st consecutive tournament, besting Virginia Wade's mark of 20. It will be her 103rd match in U.S. Open play, still 10 shy of Evert's career mark.

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Oilers closed out their exhibition season by getting worse instead of better.

"This was the worst game we've had offensively," coach Jack Pardee said. "With our new alignment, our offensive line had played well three games."

Seattle contributed to the Oilers' misery, capitalizing on Dave McCloughan's 75 yard punt return for a touchdown and two scoring drives by quarterback Stan Gelbaugh for a 20-10 victory Saturday night.

Houston's performance extended to the defense, which had six sacks in the first half but didn't get to the quarterback again. Poor tackling drew most of the attention.

"Our tackling was pathetic," defensive coordinator Buddy Ryan said. "When New Orleans (season opening opponent) sees this film, they'll want to play us on Tuesday."

The Seahawks (2-2) finished the preseason with victories over San Francisco and the Oilers (1-3).

Special teams have set up 23 of the 53 points the Seahawks have scored in preseason. Seattle had 100 yards in return yards Saturday to six for the Oilers, who have made improving special teams a preseason project.

"This is the fourth week in a row our special teams has come up with a big play," Seattle coach Tom Flores said.

North Carolina buries Southern Cal in Pigskin Classic

By BETH HARRIS
AP Sports Writer

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — North Carolina spoiled John Robinson's return as coach at Southern Cal with a 31-9 victory Sunday night in the Pigskin Classic.

Leon Johnson and Curtis Johnson were most of the 20th-ranked Tar Heels' offense. Leon Johnson carried the ball 10 times for 94 yards and caught four passes for 35. Curtis Johnson gained 78 yards on 17 carries.

Coach Mack Brown won his fifth season opener in six years at North Carolina; the Tar Heels have won 20 of their last 24 opening games.

Robinson's plan to reinstitute the 18th-ranked Trojans' famed running game ran into an immediate snag as he returned to the sidelines after a 10-year absence. Dwight McFadden, the team's best rusher, broke his left ankle late in the first quarter. The sophomore gained 44 yards on seven carries.

His backup, Scott Fields, managed just 16 yards on seven carries. Converted tailback Deon Strother caught five passes for 50 yards and rushed for 13 yards on four carries.

Another Trojan left the game in the first quarter. Safety Mike Salmon, brother of California Angels outfielder Tim Salmon, bruised his left shoulder and did not return.

After Southern Cal dominated the first quarter behind McFadden, the second half was all North Carolina. Fields fumbled on a hit by Ray Jacobs, who recovered. Marcus Wall followed with a 6-yard TD run that gave the Tar Heels a 21-3 lead.

Tripp Pignetti kicked a 26-yard field goal on the first play of the fourth quarter and William Henderson scored from 8 yards out as North Carolina took a 31-3 lead.

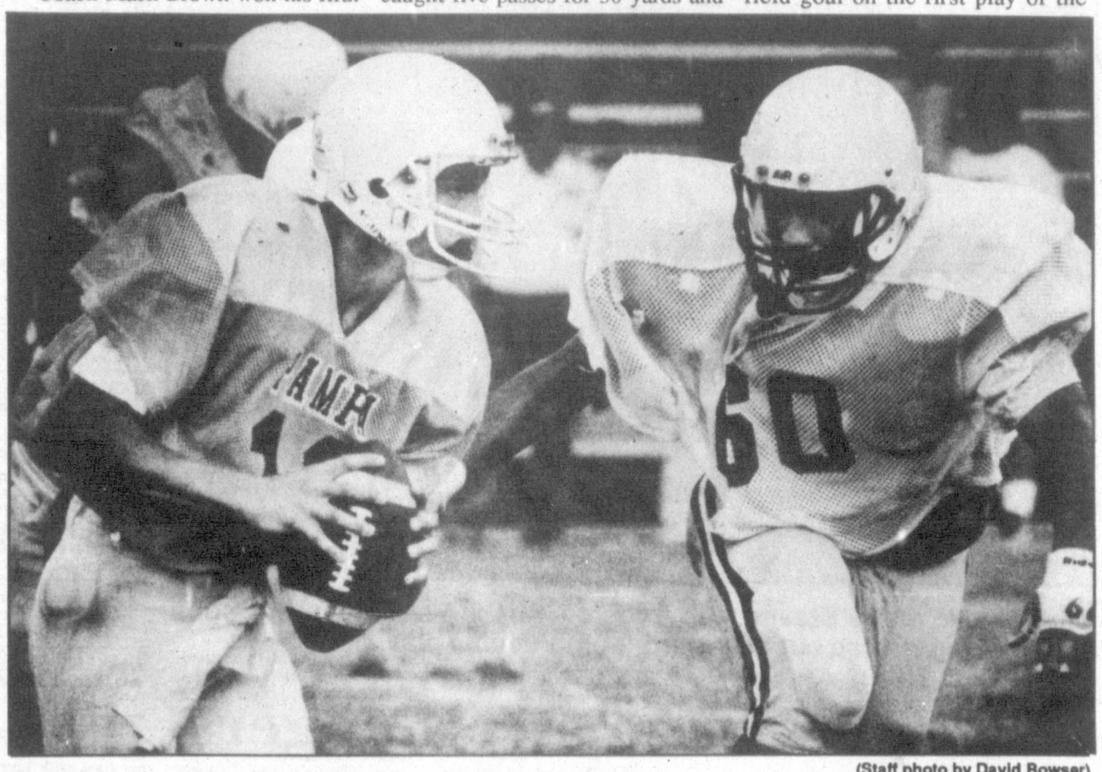
Tyler Cashman gave Southern Cal a late TD when he caught a 5-yard pass from Rob Johnson. Cole Ford's point-after was blocked by Troy Barnett.

The Johnsons staked the Tar Heels to a 14-3 halftime lead.

Leon Johnson scored from 19 yards out early in the second quarter for a 7-0 lead. Curtis Johnson took a pitchout from Jason Stanicek and ran 3 yards for their second touchdown.

A penalty killed the Trojans' chance to tie the game midway through the quarter. Rob Johnson's 16-yard pass to Johnnie Morton in the end zone was nullified due to an ineligible receiver downfield. Southern Cal settled for a 27-yard field goal by Ford.

The loss was reminiscent of Robinson's debut as Southern Cal coach in 1976. Missouri trounced the heavily favored Trojans 46-25 resulting in immediate criticism. He eventually had the last word as the Trojans went on to win their 11 remaining games and the Rose Bowl.



(Staff photo by David Bowser)
Pampa quarterback Joel Ferland (left) looks for a receiver during last week's scrimmage against Altus, Okla.

Harvesters lack sharpness in final grid scrimmage

Mistakes, both mental and physical, had Pampa coach Dennis Cavalier concerned after the Harvesters' scrimmage against Altus, Okla. last week.

"Our level of play was acceptable, but the various misplays and miscues has me concerned," Cavalier said. "We just weren't as sharp as we were the previous week and I'm wondering why. Nothing sticks out in my mind except as we get closer to the season starting, their thoughts may be in that direction."

Pampa opens the 1993 season on the road Friday night against Garden City, Kan.

Last week, the Pampa and Altus varsity each scored three touchdowns in the 3-hour long scrimmage at Harvester Stadium.

"I thought Altus was better in the actual scrimmage than Lubbock Estacado was (Pampa's first scrimmage foe), but Estacado is potentially the better team. I was very impressed with Altus' speed and quickness," especially on defense," Cavalier said.

Tackle Justin Long and end Will Greene were among Pampa's defensive standouts, Cavalier said.

"I thought our offensive line continued to show progress. I thought they did some nice things, especially on that last scoring drive we made, which was basically our backups or second team. I was pleased with the way they looked," Cavalier said. "Ross Watkins looked good in the backfield and strongside linebacker Tyler Kendall made some good plays on defense and also on the other side of the ball. Defensive end Justin Collingsworth was another good player for us."

Pampa running back- safety Gregg Moore was impressive after missing the first scrimmage because of an ankle injury.

"Gregg was a little tentative running the ball because of his ankle, but he really added something to our secondary. He made some big hits."

Pampa tennis team splits dual matches

The Pampa High varsity tennis team traveled to Plainview this past weekendand split a pair of dual matches against Brownfield and Plainview.

Pampa defeated Brownfield, a perennial 3A power, 11-5, in the afternoon match after losing to Plainview, 12-5, in the morning contest. The Harvesters evened their dual record at-2-2 going into the Amarillo Team Tournament on Sept. 10-11.

The first two matches in that tournament will be against Palo Duro and either Odessa Permian or Dumas.

Coach Larry Wheeler said the Players of the Week were sophomore Jamie Barker and senior Catarina Campos.

Scores from the matches are listed below. Some matches were shortened or canceled due to time restrictions.

Plainview 12, Pampa 5
Boys
Singles

Zach Gibson (Pl) def. J.B. Horton, 6-1, 7-6 (7-2).

Troy Clark (Pl) def. Brooks Gentry, 6-3, 6-3.

Josh Pitts (Pl) def. Aaron Witt, 6-1, 6-3.

Jerad Odom (Pl) def. Lanny Schale, 6-2, 7-6 (7-3).

Jeff Porter (Pl) def. Billy DeWitt, 3-6, 6-4, 7-6 (7-2).

John Lung (Pl) def. Jameson Hancock, 7-6 (7-0), 7-5.

Doubles: Gibson-Pitts (Pl) def. Horton-Gentry, 6-4, 6-4; Witt-Schale (P) def. Clark-Porter, 6-2, 3-6, 6-4; Odom-Eddie Lunsford (Pl) def. DeWitt-Hancock, 1-6, 6-4, 6-4.

Girls
Singles

Jamie Barker (P) def. Brandi Morphis, 6-1, 6-2.

Olivia Hernandez (Pl) def. Lora Carlisle, 7-5, 6-2.

Catarina Campos (P) def. Stephanie Blankenship, 5-7, 6-2, 7-6 (7-2).

Lorrie Fulton (P) def. Amber Vaughn, 61, 6-1.

Marissa Grabato (P) vs. Mona Vera (Grabato was leading, 7-5, 1-4, when the match was suspended).

Julie Marin (Pl) def. Kristi Carter, 6-2, 6-0.

Doubles: Morphis=Vaughn (Pl) def. Carlisle-Fulton, 7-5, 7-6 (9-7); Barker-Grabato (P) def. Hernandez-Blankenship, 3-6, 6-2, 6-3; Vera-Marin (Pl) def. Campos-Julie Noles, 6-2, 6-4.

Pampa 11, Brownfield 5
Boys
Singles

J.B. Horton (P) def. Brooks York, 4-6, 6-1, 6-1.

Brooks Gentry (P) def. Casey Lewis, 7-6 (7-0), 6-3.

Aaron Witt (P) def. Mel McRee, 6-2, 6-3.

Lanny Schale (P) vs. Brad Owen, match canceled due to time limit.

Billy DeWitt (P) def. Brent Woods, 8-2.

Jameson Hancock (P) def. David Dinsmore, 8-6.

Doubles: Horton-Gentry (P) def. York-Lewis, 6-2, 6-2; Witt-Schale (P) def. McRee-Woods, 6-4, 6-2; DeWitt-Hancock (P) def. Bruce Churchwell-Bradley Waters, 6-0, 6-1.

Girls
Singles

Jamie Barker (P) def. Talley Jones, 6-1, 6-2.

Marcie Webb (B) def. Lora Carlisle, 8-2.

Catarina Campos (P) vs. Trevah Stafford, match canceled due to time limit.

Kristi Fonseca (B) def. Marissa Grabato, 8-2.

Megan Muldrow (B) def. Kristi Carter, 8-4.

Doubles: Jones-Webb (B) def. Carlisle-Fulton, 6-0, 2-6, 6-3; Barker-Carter (P) def. Stafford-Cheatham, 7-5, 6-2; Fonseca-Muldrow (B) def. Campos-Julie Noles, 2-6, 7-6 (7-3), 6-2.

Basebrawls put boxing's heavyweight division to shame

By JIM LITKE
AP Sports Writer

Being involved in a basebrawl this season means never having to say you're sorry.

Listen to what two of the three managers serving suspensions for taking part in separate incidents had to say over the weekend:

"It just proves again, turn the other cheek and the other cheek gets slapped," Oakland's Tony La Russa said.

"I won't let these kids get abused. I won't let them run over these young kids. The Pittsburgh Pirates," Jim Leyland went out of his way to make clear, "will not be intimidated."

To be completely fair about it, Leyland did allow a moment later as to how he was "embarrassed" by the suspension and how, while "'Never' is a bad word, I doubt it will ever happen again."

La Russa for his part, may not have been thinking about retaliation when he updated the biblical line about turning the other cheek. But it popped up the middle of a long harangue that started with the inequality of American League justice, and ended with the suggestion that Milwaukee's B.J. Surhoff, who got hammered pretty good in the A's-Brewers confrontation that earned the suspensions, got what he deserved.

The attitude that comes through both conversations — fight first, let the league offices sort out the casualties — is the same, and it's the wrong one. Especially from men who are supposed to be cooling things down, not heating them up. The troubling thing is that the attitude espoused by La Russa and Leyland, and most of the ballplayers who work for them, has become the rule and not the exception.

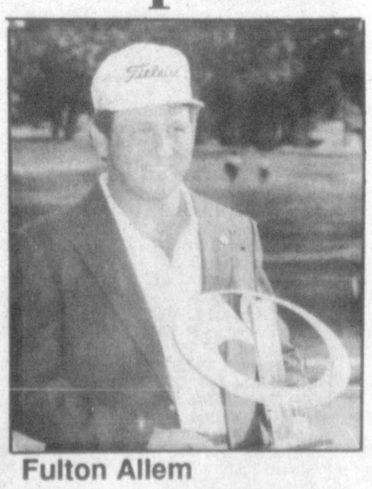
Beginning with spring training games and stretching into last week, baseball's fight schedule put boxing's heavyweight division to shame.

This is the first season anyone can remember where you needed your fingers AND toes to keep count. And file cards wanted to properly document the really weird ones. And medical charts to keep track of the increasingly destructive ones.

There was old Nolan Ryan raining noogies on young Robin Ventura's head. There was Kansas City's Brian McRae, son of Royals manager Hal McRae, breaking from tradition and storming into the Texas dugout to get at opposing manager Kevin Kennedy. There were the two bench-clearing brawls between the Pirates and Phils on the same day, followed by a Pirates-Cubs extravaganza the very next day. And then there was the distance-going affair between Baltimore and Seattle in which the Mariners' Chris Bosio injured his collarbone and the Orioles' Cal Ripken wrenched a knee bad enough to consider ending his consecutive-game streak.

Allem takes lopsided victory in World Series of Golf

By BOB GREEN
AP Golf Writer



Fulton Allem

AKRON, Ohio (AP) — It was a blowout. Pure and simple.

With eight players within a stroke of the lead going into Sunday's final round of the World Series of Golf, a multiple-man race seemed in the offing.

South African Fulton Allem changed that script, with a spectacular 8-under-par 62 that gave him a five-shot victory and produced slack-jawed amazement from his would-be challengers.

"He didn't give us a chance," said Nick Price, one of three in the tie for second at 275.

"Ten under. I can't believe it. That's a great round of golf. I can't say enough about it," Price said after his closing 68 put him with defending champion Craig Stadler and Jim Gallagher.

"Sixty-two?" Stadler questioned, his eyebrows raised. "Good Lord. Is that what he shot? No wonder he blew us away.

"It was that stretch in the middle. I look at the leaderboard and he's 5 under. Then I look at the leaderboard and he's 9 under. Are you sure he didn't skip a couple of holes?"

The stocky, 35-year-old Allem put them away with a 40-foot chip-in eagle on the second hole and a string of six birdies — one on a 60-foot putt — in an eight-hole stretch in the middle of the round.

He capped off the best final round in the history of this elite, winners-only event at Firestone Country Club with a 6-foot birdie putt on the final hole.

With all the other contenders still on the golf course, he responded to a standing ovation from the gallery by raising both arms to the skies.

"To shoot 62 around Firestone you obviously get in that zone you get going maybe once or twice a year," he said. "I just capitalized on it."

Even though six golfers had yet to complete play, Allem, the spectators and the other players knew it was over when he finished with a 10-under 280 total.

The victory was Allem's second of the season, third of his American career and 17th around the world.

It was worth $360,000 from the total purse of $2 million and raised his season's earnings to $770,438.

It also provided him with a 10-year exemption on the PGA Tour, which he has played since finishing second in the 1987 World Series of Golf.

"The 10-year exemption means everything to me," Allem said. "To win at Firestone, where it all started for me, against a field of winners, nothing but great players, it's a very special feeling."

He also won at Houston in 1991 and qualified for this tournament earlier this season by winning the Colonial.

The struggle for second had more meaning that usual.

For the slump-ridden Stadler, it meant "the best I've played in a long, long time."

For Price, the $149,333 pushed his season's earnings to $1,392,270 and made it all but certain he will break Tom Kite's single-season record of $1,395,278.

Stadler, who had a last-round 67, and Price gained a share of second when Gallagher hooked his drive off the 18th tee and made bogey, finishing with a 68.

"From a tie for the lead you shoot 68 and get waxed," he said, and shook his head.

Vijay Singh of Fiji came on with a 66 and was fifth at 277. David Edwards, 72-279, was the only other to break par for four rounds over the parched, spiked-up, treacherous greens.

Greg Norman, in a share of the lead after three rounds, had double-bogeys on both the first and ninth holes and wasn't a factor in the title chase.

He finished with a 73 and was at par, 280.

Braves keep pressure on division-leading Giants

By TOM SALADINO
AP Sports Writer

ATLANTA (AP) — Tom Glavine and the Atlanta Braves have made a habit this season of getting into trouble and then escaping.

David Justice hit a two-run homer, his fifth in five games, and Ron Gant drove in three runs with a pair of singles Sunday to back seven strong innings by Glavine as the Braves kept the pressure on the NL West-leading San Francisco Giants with an 8-2 victory over the Chicago Cubs.

The victory, Atlanta's seventh in eight games and 16th in 19 contests, kept the Braves four games behind the Giants. San Francisco beat Florida 9-3 at Joe Robbie Stadium later in the day.

The Braves, idle Monday while the Giants and Marlins close out a three-game series, play host to the Giants for a three-game set beginning Tuesday.

"It's going to be a big series, but there's still a lot of baseball left when that series ends," Atlantga manager Bobby Cox said. "It doesn't stop there."

Glavine (16-5) pitched seven innings for the win, giving up seven hits, five walks and three strikeouts. He was helped by three double plays as he won for the sixth time in his last seven decisions.

"My best pitch was the ground ball when I got in trouble," Glavine said."I've had the uncanny ability this year to get into trouble and with one pitch get out of it."

The Braves turned the three double plays in the first four innings as Glavine struggled with his control.

"He put some runners on base, but the thing about Glavine is he knows how to get out of jams," Chicago manager Jim Lefebvre said. "He had the double- play pitch going today, and that's all he needed."

The Braves, 10 games behind the Giants five weeks ago, have suddenly caught fire, making a race of it by sweeping three games from San Francisco earlier in the week.

"I don't think many people realistically a week ago — 10 days ago — gave us a chance," Glavine said. "But we took care of business in San Francisco to get back in this thing."

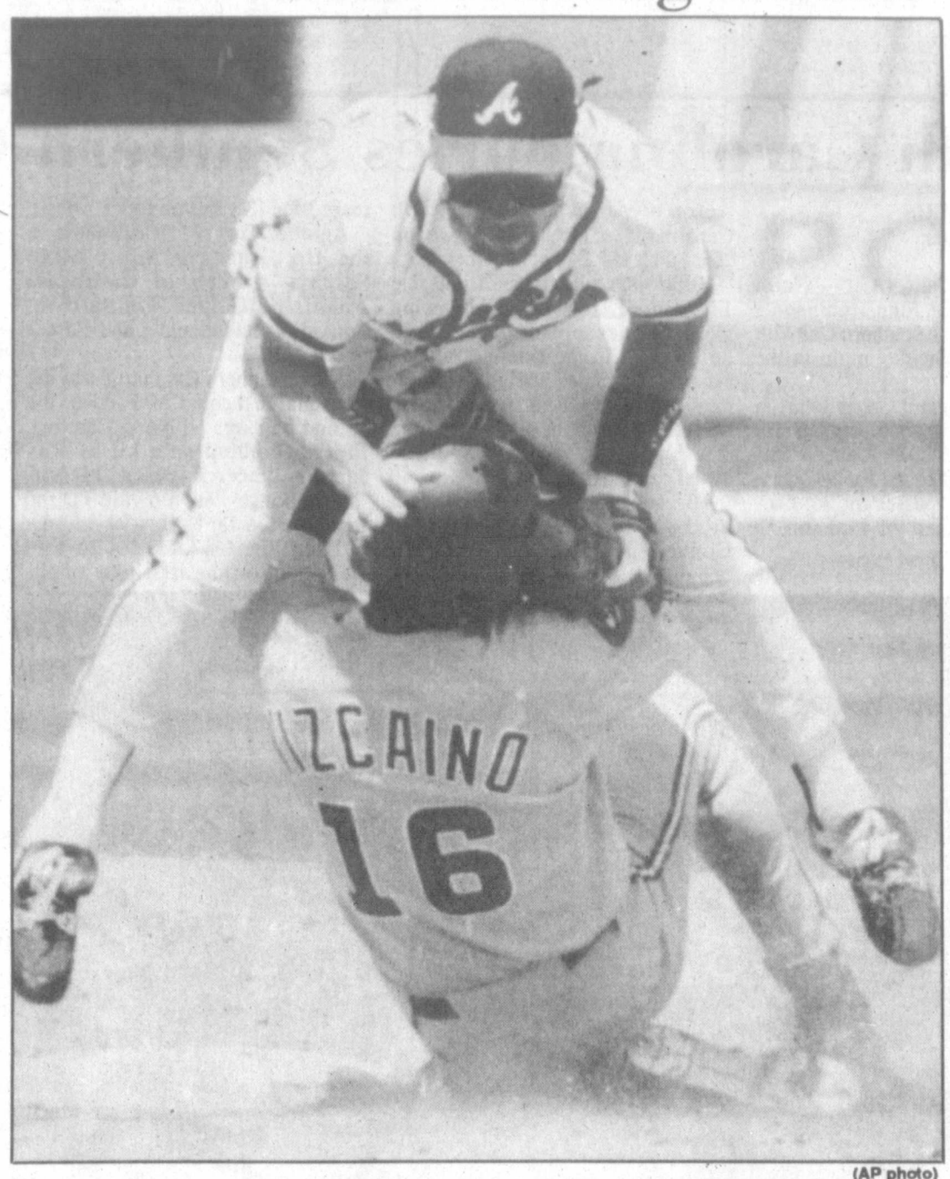
Atlanta broke open a scoreless game in the fourth off Greg Hibbard (10-11) with four runs, keyed by Gant's two-run single and Justice's two-run homer, his 34th.

The Braves added three runs in the fifth on Jeff Blauser's third hit — an RBI triple — Gant's run-scoring single and an error by right fielder Glenallen Hill.

The Cubs scored twice in the fifth on a solo homer by Hill, his second, and a run-scoring single by Steve Buechele.

Justice drove in his third run of the game with an RBI single in the eighth.

Notes: Sammy Sosa's 16 outfield assists are the most for a Cubs outfielder since Lou Brock had 17 in 1963. ... Sandberg extended his hitting streak to 10 games with a fifth inning infield single. ... Blauser's RBI in the fifth inning was his 55th of the season, a career-high. ... Gant has 21 RBIs in his last 20 games. ... Blauser has two consecutive three-hit games and is 23 for his last 44 (.523). ... The crowd of 47,631 pushed Atlanta's attendance to 3,005,985, the third club to go over the three million mark.



(AP photo)
Mark Lemke of the Braves leap frogs over Jose Vizcaino of the Cubs after making a force out on a third-inning double play.

Orioles' soft-throwing southpaw frustrates Rangers

ARLINGTON (AP) — The Texas Rangers' collection of long-ball hitters thrive on fastballs. But soft-tossing lefties like Jamie Moyer of the Baltimore Orioles tie the boom-or-bust Rangers into knots.

Moyer became the latest lefty to frustrate the Rangers, allowing five singles over seven-plus innings Sunday afternoon as the Orioles salvaged the final game of a three-game series, 6-3.

The Rangers had faced four consecutive lefties and will catch another — Frank Viola — in tonight's start of a three-game series in Boston.

Texas is 13-15 against lefthanded starters.

"We've seen too many of these types of lefthanded pitchers," an agitated Rangers manager Kevin Kennedy said. "Give Moyer credit, he pitched well. But there's no excuse. We should have had better at-bats, especially at this point of the season."

Moyer's assortment of off-speed pitches befuddled a Rangers lineup that leads the majors in homers. Moyer (10-6) struck out five and walked one against the team he played for from 1990-91.

"They swung at some bad pitches and they've got some guys who can swing the bats," Moyer said. "These guys can hurt you anywhere in the lineup. The big thing was making them hit the ball on the ground."

Texas had five homers against Baltimore pitching Saturday night, giving the Rangers a total of 24 against the Orioles this season. The Rangers had won six of their previous seven.

Moyer becomes the first Oriole lefthander to win 10 or more games in a season since Jeff Ballard won 18 in 1989.

"He had pinpoint control and changes in his speeds today," Orioles manager Johnny Oates said. "The last three games he's started have been almost identical. I saw him have outstanding command of all his pitches."

Moyer is one of the league's hottest pitchers. After dropping his first three outings with the Orioles, Moyer is 10-3 in his last 17 starts. Moyer started the year at Class AAA Rochester and was called up on May 20.

"I know darned well I'm not a power pitcher," Moyer said. "If I get eight or 10 strikeouts in a game, fine, but I don't go out looking for that."

Ripken's 23rd homer of the year leading off the second gave the Orioles a 1-0 lead.

The Orioles moved ahead 3-0 in the fifth. Brady Anderson led off with a double, went to third on a sacrifice bunt and crossed the plate on Texas starter Brian Bohanon's wild pitch.

Bohanon, taking injured Nolan Ryan's spot in the rotation, lasted 4 1-3 innings, striking out three and walking three while falling to 4-3.

Bohanon is 1-2 with a 4.99 ERA in six starts this season.

"I didn't like what I saw today from our pitchers," Kennedy said. "We didn't pitch smart. Bohanon gives up a wild pitch with a runner on third. That's not pennant-winning baseball."

Moyer lost the shutout in the seventh on singles by Julio Franco and Dean Palmer, a double steal, and Donald Harris' ground-out. That halted Moyer's scoreless streak at 20 consecutive innings.

Singles by Gary Redus and Ivan Rodriguez leading off the eighth finished Moyer's outing with the Orioles in front, 6-1. Juan Gonzalez's single produced another run, and Texas pulled to within 6-3 when shortstop Cal Ripken's throw on a double-play attempt skipped into the Rangers dugout, allowing Rodriguez to score from second.

Scoreboard

Softball

Current standings in the City of Pampa fall softball leagues are listed below:

Men's Open League
Division I

Team	Won	Lost
Harvey Mart II	9	0
Brogan's Boozery	6	1
Bible Church	4	5
Specialty Compressor	3	5
Deaver Construction	3	6
Culberson Stowers	0	8

Division 2

Team	Won	Lost
Coor's Light	8	2
West Texas Ford	8	4
Cabot	7	4
Moose Lodge Bulls	6	5
Hoechst Celanese	5	5
Jordan Unit I	3	6
Cabot R&D	0	11

Division 3

Team	Won	Lost
Ananda Energy	9	1
D.E. Rice	6	3
Special Forces II	6	5
Firemen	5	5
U.P.S. Teamsters	5	6
Bill Allison Auto	3	7
Jordan Unit II	1	8

Mixed Open League

Team	Won	Lost
Mr. Gatti's	5	0
Panhandle Meter Service	5	1
Great Plains Financial	4	1
Budweiser	2	2
Pampa Machine & Supply	1	3
Little Caesar's	1	4
Shepard's Crook	0	3
Coronado Hospital	0	4

Baseball

MAJOR LEAGUE STANDINGS
By The Associated Press

All Times EDT

AMERICAN LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	75	57	.568	—
Toronto	75	57	.568	—
Detroit	70	62	.530	5
Boston	68	61	.527	5 1/2
Baltimore	69	62	.527	5 1/2
Cleveland	62	69	.473	12 1/2
Milwaukee	56	76	.424	19

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	72	57	.558	—
Texas	68	62	.523	4 1/2
Kansas City	68	63	.519	5
Seattle	64	65	.496	8
California	59	71	.454	13 1/2
Minnesota	55	74	.426	17
Oakland	52	77	.403	20

Saturday's Games
Boston 2, Kansas City 1, 11 innings
California 6, Milwaukee 2
Cleveland 8, New York 4
Detroit 5, Oakland 3
Chicago 4, Minnesota 1
Texas 11, Baltimore 1
Seattle 2, Toronto 1
Sunday's Games
New York 14, Cleveland 8
California 6, Milwaukee 1
Kansas City 5, Boston 4, 12 innings
Baltimore 6, Texas 3
Oakland 7, Detroit 3
Toronto 6, Seattle 2
Chicago 13, Minnesota 5
Monday's Games
Texas (Brown 10-10) at Boston (Viola 9-8), 7:35 p.m.
Minnesota (Erickson 8-15) at Chicago (Fernandez 15-6), 8:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Gordon 8-5) at Milwaukee (Eldred 14-12), 8:05 p.m.
Detroit (Gullickson 11-6) at Seattle (Leary 8-6), 10:05 p.m.
Toronto (Hentgen 15-7) at Oakland (Darling 5-6), 10:05 p.m.
Only Games Scheduled
Tuesday's Games
Chicago at New York, 7:30 p.m.
Texas at Boston, 7:35 p.m.
Cleveland at Minnesota, 8:05 p.m.
Kansas City at Milwaukee, 8:05 p.m.
Detroit at Seattle, 10:05 p.m.
Toronto at Oakland, 10:05 p.m.
Baltimore at California, 10:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philadelphia		81	49	.623	—
St. Louis	71	59	.546	10
Montreal	71	60	.542	10 1/2
Chicago	63	67	.485	18
Pittsburgh	61	70	.466	20 1/2
Florida	54	75	.419	26 1/2
New York	45	85	.346	36

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Francisco		84	45	.651	—
Atlanta	81	50	.618	4
Houston	68	62	.523	16 1/2
Los Angeles		66	63	.512	18
Cincinnati	65	67	.492	20 1/2
San Diego	52	79	.397	33
Colorado	50	81	.382	35

Saturday's Games
Atlanta 5, Chicago 1
San Diego 5, Pittsburgh 3
Cincinnati 9, Philadelphia 5
Colorado 7, New York 5
Montreal 7, Houston 3
St. Louis 4, Los Angeles 3
Only games scheduled
Sunday's Games
Pittsburgh 7, San Diego 4, 1st game
San Diego 11, Pittsburgh 0, 2nd game
Atlanta 8, Chicago 2
Montreal 3, Houston 2
Philadelphia 12, Cincinnati 0
Colorado 6, New York 1
Los Angeles 8, St. Louis 3
San Francisco 9, Florida 3
Monday's Games
San Francisco (Sanderson 1-1) at Florida (Armstrong 7-13), 7:35 p.m.
Houston (Portugal 13-4) at New York (Hillman 1-7), 7:40 p.m.
Philadelphia (Schilling 11-6) at Chicago (Morgan 8-12), 8:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Rijo 11-7) at St. Louis (Arocha 10-4), 8:35 p.m.
Montreal (Fassero 9-3) at Colorado (Sanford 1-1), 9:05 p.m.
Only games scheduled
Tuesday's Games
Philadelphia at Chicago, 3:20 p.m.
San Diego at Florida, 7:35 p.m.
Los Angeles at Pittsburgh, 7:35 p.m.
Houston at New York, 7:40 p.m.
San Francisco at Atlanta, 7:40 p.m.
Cincinnati at St. Louis, 8:35 p.m.
Montreal at Colorado, 9:05 p.m.

Football

By The Associated Press

How the top 25 teams in the Associated Press' college football poll fared Sunday:

1. Florida State (1-0) beat Kansas 42-0. Next: at Duke, Saturday.
2. Alabama (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. Tulane, Saturday.
3. Michigan (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. Washington State, Saturday.
4. Texas A&M (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. LSU, Saturday.
5. Miami (0-0) did not play. Next: at No. 21 Boston College, Saturday.
6. Syracuse (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. Ball State, Saturday.
7. Notre Dame (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. Northwestern, Saturday.
8. Nebraska (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. North Texas, Saturday.
9. Florida (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. Arkansas State, Saturday.
10. Tennessee (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. Louisiana Tech, Saturday.
11. Colorado (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. Texas, Saturday.
12. Washington (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. No. 15 Stanford Saturday.
13. Georgia (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. South Carolina, Saturday.
14. Arizona (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. Texas-El Paso, Saturday.
15. Stanford (0-0) did not play. Next: at No. 12 Washington Saturday.
16. Penn State (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. Minnesota, Saturday.
17. Ohio State (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. Rice, Saturday.
18. Southern Cal (0-1) lost to No. 20 North Carolina 31-9. Next: vs. Houston, Saturday.
19. Brigham Young (0-0) did not play. Next: at New Mexico Saturday.
20. North Carolina (1-0) beat No. 18 Southern Cal 31-9. Next: vs. Ohio University, Saturday.
21. Boston College (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. No. 5 Miami Saturday.
22. Oklahoma (0-0) did not play. Next: at Texas Christian, Saturday.
23. Clemson (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. UNLV, Saturday.
24. Mississippi State (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. Memph State, Saturday.
25. North Carolina State (0-0) did not play. Next: vs. Purdue Saturday.

Golf

WORLD SERIES OF GOLF SCORES

AKRON, Ohio (AP) — Final scores and earnings Sunday of the $2 million World Series of Golf, played on the 7,149-yard, par-70 Firestone Country Club course:

Fulton Allem, $360,000	68-68-72-62—270
Craig Stadler, $149,333	71-69-68-67—275
Nick Price, $149,333	69-67-71-68—275
Jim Gallagher, $149,333	66-75-66-68—275
Vijay Singh, $80,000	73-70-68-66—277
David Edwards, $72,000	66-69-72-72—279
Steve Elkington, $62,367	69-67-72-72—280
David Frost, $62,367	68-69-71-72—280
Greg Norman, $62,367	69-69-69-73—280
Grant Waite, $54,100	72-70-75-65—282
Fred Couples, $46,100	77-77-65-67—286
Tom Kite, $46,100	72-71-72-71—286
John Daly, $46,100	72-73-70-71—286
Lee Janzen, $37,100	75-70-73-69—287
Richard Zokol, $37,100	73-71-71-72—287
John Huston, $32,500	68-74-78-68—288
Gary Hallberg, $32,500	74-69-72-73—288
Isao Aoki, $32,500	74-72-69-73—288
Larry Mize, $28,125	75-72-70-72—289
Bradley Hughes, $28,125	73-73-69-74—289
Joe Ozaki, $26,550	76-74-68-72—290
Mike Standly, $25,150	75-72-76-68—291
Jim Mcgovern, $25,150	73-76-71-71—291
Tommy Nakajima, $25,150	71-75-71-74—291
Nolan Henke, $22,500	73-72-77-70—292
Craig Parry, $22,500	74-71-76-71—292
Davis Love III, $22,500	75-71-75-71—292

2 Museums

DEVIL'S Rope Museum, McLean, Tuesday thru Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sunday 1 p.m.-4 p.m.

HUTCHINSON County Museum: Borger. Regular hours 11 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. weekdays except Tuesday, 1-5 p.m. Sunday.

LAKE Meredith Aquarium and Wildlife Museum: Fritch, hours Tuesday and Sunday 2-5 p.m., 10 a.m. Wednesday thru Saturday, closed Monday.

MUSEUM Of The Plains: Perryton. Monday thru Friday, 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Weekends during Summer months, 1:30 p.m.-5 p.m..

OLD Mobeetie Jail Museum. Monday- Saturday 10-5. Sunday 1-5. Closed Wednesday.

PANHANDLE Plains Historical Museum: Canyon. Regular museum hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, weekends 2 p.m.-6 p.m.

PIONEER West Museum: Shamrock. Regular museum hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, Saturday and Sunday.

RIVER Valley Pioneer Museum at Canadian, Tx. Tuesday-Friday 10-4 p.m. Sunday 2-4 p.m. Closed Saturday and Monday.

ROBERTS County Museum: Miami, Regular hours, Tuesday-Friday 10-5 p.m. Sunday 2-5 p.m. Closed Saturday and Monday. Closed Holidays.

SQUARE House Museum Panhandle. Regular Museum hours 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. weekdays and 1-5:30 p.m. Sundays.

3 Personal

MARY Kay Cosmetics. Supplies and deliveries. Call Dorothy Vaughn 665-4953, 665-5117.

MARY Kay Cosmetics and Skincare. Facials, supplies, call Theda Wallin 665-8336.

BEAUTICONTROL
Cosmetics and skincare. Offering free complete color analysis, makeover, deliveries and image updates. Call your local consultant, Lynn Allison 669-3848, 1304 Christine.

Alcoholics Anonymous
910 W. Kentucky
665-9702

SHAKLEE: Vitamins, diet, skincare, household, job opportunity. Donna Turner, 665-6065.

ADOPTION: Loving young couple, extended family, want to share our lives with your precious newborn. Love, laughter, hugs and Kisses. Expenses paid. Call Jonathan/Susan anytime toll free 1-800-230-0268.

5 Special Notices

ADVERTISING Material to be placed in the Pampa News, MUST be placed through the Pampa News Office Only.

PAMPA Masonic Lodge #966 will have E.A. Degree for Certification, September 2, 6:30 p.m. Tom Hyer, committee on work will be attending. Sandwiches will be served.

TOP O Texas Lodge 1381 Meeting Night Monday and Tuesday.

13 Bus. Opportunities

Motel for sale
Good Price!!!
669-3221

14a Air Conditioning

FOR Room Air conditioner service call Williams Appliance Service, 665-8894.

14b Appliance Repair

RENT TO RENT
RENT TO OWN
We have Rental Furniture and Appliances to suit your needs. Call for estimate.
Johnson Home Furnishings
801 W. Francis

14d Carpentry

Ralph Baxter
Contractor & Builder
Custom Homes or Remodeling
665-8248

Panhandle House Leveling
Excellent Floor Leveling and Home Repairs, call 669-0958.

DEAVER Construction: Building, remodeling and insurance repairs. 21 years experience, Ray Deaver, 665-0447.

RON'S Construction. Capentry, concrete, drywall, fencing, masonry and roofing. 669-3172.

OVERHEAD Door Repair. Kidwell Construction. 669-6347.

ADDITIONS, remodeling, new cabinets, ceramic tile, acoustical ceilings, paneling, painting, patios. 18 years local experience. Jerry Reagan, Karl Parks 669-2648.

Childers Brothers
House Leveling
Professional House leveling. Free estimates. 1-800-299-9563.

ADDITIONS, remodeling, roofing, cabinets, painting, all types repairs. No job too small. Mike Albus, 665-4774.

CALDER Painting: Interior/exterior, mud, tape, acoustic, 30 years experience in Pampa. 665-4840, 669-2215.

14e Carpet Service

NU-WAY Cleaning service, carpets, upholstery, walls, ceilings. Quality doesn't cost...It pays! No steam used. Bob Marx owner-operator. 665-3541, or from out of town, 800-536-5341. Free estimates.

RON'S Floor Service. Carpet, tile, wood. Installation and repair. Free estimates. 669-0817.

14h General Services

COX Fence Company. Repair old fence or build new. Free estimates. 669-7769.

Commercial Mowing
Chuck Morgan
669-0511

ASPHALT Repair. Ron's Construction, 669-3172.

14h General Service

CONCRETE work, all types, driveways, sidewalks, patio, etc. Ron's Construction, 669-3172.

FENCING. New construction and repair. Ron's Construction, 669-3172.

MASONARY, all types. New construction and repair. Ron's Construction, 669-3172.

Laramore Master Locksmith
Call me out to let you in
665-Keys

14i General Repair

IF it's broken or won't turn off, call the Fix It Shop, 669-3434. Lamps repaired.

14m Lawnmower Service

PAMPA Lawnmower Repair. Repairs on all makes of mowers and chainsaws. Pick up and delivery available. 665-8843, 501 S. Cuyler.

14n Painting

PAINTING and sheetrock finishing. 35 years. David and Joe, 665-2903, 669-7885.

PAINTING done reasonable, interior, exterior. Minor repairs. Free estimates. Bob Gorson, 665-0033.

CALDER Painting: Interior/exterior, mud, tape, acoustic, 30 years in Pampa. 665-4840, 669-2215.

14q Ditching

RON'S Construction. Loader, Dirt Work, Fill Dirt and Fill Sand. 669-3172.

14r Plowing, Yard Work

MOW, till, tree trim. Light hauling. Flower beds. We contract. 665-9609, 665-7349.

TREE Trimming, feeding. Yard clean up, hauling. Kenneth Banks, 665-3672.

FOR professional tree trimming and removal, call the tree experts at Pampa Tree Care Company. Free estimates. 665-9267.

MOWING lawns and vacant lots. Call 665-8020.

14s Plumbing & Heating

Builders Plumbing Supply
535 S. Cuyler 665-3711

LARRY BAKER PLUMBING
Heating Air Conditioning
Borger Highway 665-4392

McBride Plumbing Co.
Complete repair
Residential, Commercial 665-1633

CHIEF Plastic Pipe & Supply, 1237 S. Barnes, 665-6716. State approved septic tanks, plastic pipe and fittings. 665-6716.

JACK'S Plumbing Co. New construction, repair, remodeling, sewer and drain cleaning. Septic systems installed. 665-7115.

Jim's Sewer and Sinkline Service
$30 665-4307

Bullard Plumbing Service
Electric Sewer Rooter
Maintenance and repair
665-8603

Terry's Sewerline Cleaning
$30 669-1041

14t Radio and Television

Johnson Home Entertainment
We will do service work on most Major Brands of TV's and VCR's. 2211 Perryton Pkwy. 665-0504.

14z Siding

STEEL siding, windows, storm doors, carports, Rv covers and patio covers. Free estimates. Pampa Home Improvement, 669-3600.

19 Situations

I will do housekeeping. Experienced and references available. 665-0539.

NEED a house sitter or experienced driver part time? Call 665-8020.

TOP O Texas Maid Service, bonded. Jeanie Samples 883-5331.

21 Help Wanted

NOTICE
Readers are urged to fully investigate advertisements which require payment in advance for information, services or goods.

LVN'S and RN'S needed, apply at Shepard's Crook Nursing Agency, 2225 Perryton Parkway.

US Postal Government Jobs, $23 hour. Excellent benefits. 1-800-935-0322, 24 hours.

OILFIELD shop personnel. Driver's license required, drug test, steady job with benefits. Send resume to Box 69 % Pampa News, P.O. Drawer 2198, Pampa, Tx. 79066.

OWNER operators wanted for 5 state grain haul. Contact Billy Crain Trucking Inc., 806-273-9858 or 806-273-5500.

BOOKER Transport Services, Inc. in Booker, Tx. needs over the road drivers for their regional refrigerated operation. Company provides late model equipment, a competitive wage rate, weekly pay checks and a $10,000 cash longevity bonus program. This is a good driving job with a good company. For more information call 1-800-999-2340.

CHARGE Nurse or RN, LVN positions open immediately, day and evenings (Monday thru Friday) shifts. Wages based on experience. Company benefits, insurance available. Contact Barbara Patrick at Pampa Nursing Center, 669-2551.

EXPERIENCED Commercial Ice machine repair person needed. Salary, benefits, vacation. 665-1841

21 Help Wanted

NEEDED Someone to watch children in my home. Come by before noon at 340 Tignor or after 3 come by Harvey Mart.

TAKING Applications, August 31. Photo Lab and sales. FotoTime, 107 N. Cuyler.

30 Sewing Machines

WE service all makes and models of sewing machines and vacuum cleaners. Sanders Sewing Center. 214 N. Cuyler, 665-2383.

48 Trees, Shrubs, Plants

DAVIS TREE SERVICE
We're back full time. We do all types tree work, landscaping. 669-2230, 665-5659.

50 Building Supplies

HOUSTON LUMBER CO.
420 W. Foster 669-6881

White House Lumber Co.
101 S. Ballard 669-3291

57 Good Things To Eat

APPLES and Pears for sale. No chemicals. Gething Ranch, 669-3925.

PEACHES Peaches lots of Fresh Freestone peaches. You pick or we pick. Also plums, cantaloupes watermelons, orka and blackeyed peas at Monroe's Peach Ranch 11 miles East of Clarendon, Hwy 287. 856-5238.

60 Household Goods

SHOWCASE RENTALS
Rent to own furnishings for your home. Rent by phone.
1700 N. Hobart 669-1234
No Credit Check. No deposit. Free delivery.

RENT TO RENT
RENT TO OWN
We have Rental Furniture and Appliances to suit your needs. Call for estimate.
Johnson Home Furnishings
801 W. Francis 665-3361

JOHNSON HOME FURNISHINGS
Pampa's standard of excellence
In Home Furnishings
801 W. Francis 665-3361

GOOD Used furniture and appliances. Will do estate sale and appraisals. Abby's Country Store, 201 N. Cuyler, 669-9871.

62 Medical Equipment

HEALTHSTAR Medical, Oxygen, Beds, Wheelchairs, rental and Sales. Medicare provider 24 hour service. Free delivery. 1541 N. Hobart, 669-0000.

68 Antiques

Antiques & More
617 E. Atchison, 665-4446

69 Miscellaneous

RENT IT
When you have tried everywhere and can't find it, come see me, I probably got it! H. C. Eubanks Tool Rental, 1320 S. Barnes, phone 665-3213.

CHIMNEY Fire can be prevented. Queen Sweep Chimney Cleaning. 665-4686 or 665-5364.

ADVERTISING Material to be placed in the Pampa News MUST be placed through the Pampa News Office Only.

FOR sale: Motorola two-way radio repeater, duplexer, phone patch, antenna, coax. Currently mounted East edge of Pampa at 200 feet. 652-3405.

TOPPER for full size truck, long wide bed $200. Utility trailer with topper $175. 669-2403, 522 E. Francis.

70 Musical Instruments

PIANOS FOR RENT
New and used pianos. Starting at $40 per month. Up to 6 months of rent will apply to purchase. It's all right here in Pampa at Tarpley Music. 665-1251.

ALTO Saxaphone for sale. 665-4019.

CLARINET For Sale: Good Shape $150.00 call 665-6830.

75 Feeds and Seeds

Wheeler Evans Feed
Full line of Acco feeds
We appreciate your business
Hwy.60 Kingsmill 665-5881

FOR sale Grass Hay, square bales. 665-2563.

80 Pets And Supplies

GROOMING, exotic birds, pets, full line pet supplies. Iams and Science Diet dog and cat food. Pets Unique, 854 W. Foster. 665-5102.

CANINE and Feline grooming. Also, boarding and Science diets. Royse Animal Hospital, 665-2223.

Grooming and Boarding
Jo Ann's Pet Salon
1033 Terry Rd., 669-1410

Golden M Grooming
Cockers, Schnauzers a Specialty, Dips. Mona, 669-6357.

89 Wanted To Buy

WANTED: Old quilts, pocket knives, marbles, old toys, spurs, costume jewelry, collectables, miscellaneous. 669-2605.

WILL Buy good used furniture and appliances, air conditioners. 669-9654 after 5 p.m.

95 Furnished Apartments

ROOMS for rent. Showers, clean, quiet. $35. a week. Davis Hotel. 116 1/2 W. Foster. 669-9115, or 669-9137.

1 bedroom, bills paid, $55 a week. 669-1459, 669-3743.

LARGE 1 bedroom apartment, bills paid, $250 month. 665-4842.

DOGWOOD Apartments, 1 or 2 bedroom. References and deposits required. 669-9817, 669-9952.

BILLS Paid, 1 bedroom $300 a month or $80 weekly. Central heat/air, utility, large walk in closets. No leases. 669-9712.

CLEAN garage apartment, $150 plus utilities and deposit. 412 W. Browning. 665-7618.

BEAUTIFULLY Furnished 1 bedroom townhomes. All utilities paid. $425 per month. Caprock Apartments, 1601 W. Somerville. 665-7149.

96 Unfurnished Apts.

1 or 2 bedroom furnished or unfurnished, covered parking. Gwendolen Plaza Apartments, 800 N. Nelson, 665-1875.

1 bedroom, covered parking, appliances. 1-883-2461, 663-7522, 669-8870.

2 Bedroom, refrigerator, stove, air conditioner, washer/dryer connection 665-1346.

CLEAN 1 bedroom, stove, refrigerator. All bills paid. 669-3672, 665-5900.

98 Unfurnished Houses

1,2, and 3 bedroom houses for rent. 665-2383.

CLEAN 1 or 2 bedroom furnished or unfurnished house. Deposit required. Inquire 1116 Bond.

2 bedroom, central heat, fenced, garage, carport. Realtor, Marie 665-4180, 665-5436.

2 bedroom, den. 941 Kentucky, 669-3764.

3 bedroom mobile home in the country, partly furnished. Well water, cable, fenced yard, air and dishwasher, 2 baths, 1/2 mile from school, in Miami. 868-4441.

3 bedroom, garage, carport, fenced, new carpet, Williston St. Available September 1 st. Realtor Marie, 665-5436, 665-4180.

TWO bedroom, 1 bath, large living. $350 rent, $250 deposit. 1005 Mary Ellen. 665-6215.

99 Storage Buildings

MINI STORAGE
You keep the key. 10x10 and 10x20 stalls. Call 665-3389.

CHUCK'S SELF STORAGE
Some commercial units. 24 hour access. Security lights. 665-1150 or 669-7705.

TUMBLEWEED ACRES SELF STORAGE UNITS
Various sizes
665-0079, 665-2450.

Hwy. 152 Industrial Park
MINI-MAXI STORAGE
5x10-10x10-10x15-10x20-20x40
Office Space For Rent
669-2142

Econostor
5x10, 10x10, 10x15, 10x20 and 10x30. Now Vacant. 665-4842.

Action Storage
10x16 and 10x24
669-1221

102 Business Rental Prop.

OFFICE SPACE
NBC Plaza 665-4100

BEST office location, Cuyler and West Foster. Action Realty, 669-1221.

102 Business Rental Prop.

FOR Sale or Lease: 2400 square foot office building available September 1. Also 1400 square foot office space. Call Norma Ward 669-3346.

OFFICE Space for rent near downtown Pampa. 1 room 15 x 20 foot, 1 room 25 x 35 foot. Please call if interested 665-0986.

RENT or LEASE: Retail, high traffic location. Reasonable rent. Will remodel for tenant, 116 W. Foster, 120 W. Foster. See Ted or John at 114 W. Foster. 669-9137.

103 Homes For Sale

BOBBIE NISBET REALTOR
665-7037

TWILA FISHER REALTY
665-3560

ACTION REALTY
Gene and Jannie Lewis
669-1221

PRICE T. SMITH INC.
665-5158

FORMAL living, dining, 2 bedrooms (could be 3). Beautiful isolated master, 2 full baths, single garage-opener, central heat/air, Jenn Air cooktop, dishwasher, storage building. 1312 Charles. 665-1038.

SEVERAL 3 bedroom houses. Owner will carry with small down. 665-4842.

3 bedroom, 1 bath, living room and den, 3 car garage, corner lot. 2200 N. Dwight, 665-3341.

LARGE 4 bedroom 2 bath in Austin school, 2604 Comanche. 665-4432.

BY Owner, 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, fireplace, nice yard, vaulted living room, 1531 N. Nelson. $62,500. 665-6955.

CHURCH MUST SELL recently acquired property at 318 E. Foster. 2 bedroom 1 bath home with zoning for commerical property. As is for $11,500 firm. 669-1155 ask for Jerry Arrington.

3 bedroom, 1 bath, single garage, fenced yard. Payments approxiamatley $365 per month plus closing cost of about $1000.Can have posession on September 15. If interested call 665-0031.

BY Owner 969 Cinderella. Very neat 3 bedroom 2 bath, large patio and cellar, across from park. $48,000. 669-3615, 669-7279.

1414 Williston; 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, den, central heat, air. 665-6000, 665-6258, 665-3001.

Jim Davidson
First Landmark Realty
669-1863, 665-0717

LARGE 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, like new. Lots of extras. 720 N. Frost, $33,000. Roberta Babb 665-6158, Quentin Williams 669-2522. MLS 2828.

2 bedroom house, in Pampa. Owner finance, $500 down, $300 month payment. 857-2162 (Fritch)

EXTRA NICE, EXTRA INCOME, 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, low maintenance, central heat/air, 2 efficiency apartments. GOOD BUY. MLS 2878 Shed Realty, Milly Sanders, 669-2671.

104 Lots

CHOICE residential lots, northeast, Austin district. Call 665-8578, 665-2832 or 665-0079.

First Landmark Realty
665-0717
1600 N. Hobart

CONTEMPORARY
Nice 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 baths, interior paint and neutral carpet less than one year old. 18x24 shop and 10x12 storage building. Water conditioner and garage door opener. Central heat and air. Priced below $40,000.00. MLS 2798.

104 Lots

FRASHIER Acres East-1 or more acres. Paved street, utilities. Balch Real Estate, 665-8075.

105 Acreage

WINDY Acres- Hwy. 152 West, 5 acre plots. Utilities available. Will finance. 665-7480.

114 Recreational Vehicles

Superior RV Center
1019 Alcock
Parts and Service

Bill's Custom Campers
930 S. Hobart, 665-4315

1982 23 foot Front Range Travel Trailer, large bath, 2 clothes closets, 2 tables, sleeps 6, $5000. 806-375-2530 or 806-375-2571 after 5 p.m.

1988 Silverado pickup, 32 foot Carrie Lite fifth wheel. 665-6978

FOR Sale: Camper and trailer. $1200 or best offer. See at 726 N. Hobart.

NICE 1982 23 1/2 foot Road Ranger, $4000. 665-2289.

115 Trailer Parks

CAMPER and mobile home lots. Country Living Estate, 4 miles West on Highway 152, 1/2 mile north. 665-2736.

RED DEER VILLA
2100 Montague FHA approved
Wagner Well Service 669-6649

TUMBLEWEED ACRES
Free First Months Rent
Storm shelters, fenced lots and storage units available. 665-0079, 665-2450.

116 Mobile Homes

1983 Kirkwood trailer house, 14x56 foot, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, carpet and vinyl 1 year old, $5500. 806-375-2571 or 806-375-2548 after 5 p.m.

120 Autos For Sale

Doug Boyd Motor Co.
We rent cars!
821 W. Wilks 669-6062

KNOWLES
Used Cars
101 N. Hobart 665-7232

PANHANDLE MOTOR CO.
869 W. Foster 669-0926

CULBERSON-STOWERS INC.
Chevrolet-Pontiac-Buick
GMC and Toyota
805 N. Hobart 665-1665

BAD CREDIT? SLOW CREDIT? NO CREDIT?
You can still drive a late model automobile from:
BILL ALLISON AUTO SALES
1200 N. Hobart-Pampa, Tx.
665-3992 or 665-8673
Ask for Cody

Used Cars
West Texas Ford
Lincoln-Mercury
701 W. Brown 665-8404

Make Your Next Car
A QUALITY CAR
QUALITY SALES
210 E. Brown
669-0433
Lynn Allison or Ted Hutto

ACTION REALTY
918 CINDERELLA - Great Travis location and great neighborhood. Neat three bedroom with two baths. Oversized double garage. Family room plus kitchen/dining. Central heat and air. Owners are willing to help buyers with closing costs. If you're a qualified buyer with $2200±, consider this home. Call Jannie for details. MLS 2811.
669-1221

669-2522
Quentin Williams REALTORS
Keagy-Edwards Inc.
"Selling Pampa Since 1952"

OFFICE 669-2522 2208 Coffee Perryton Parkway

Mary Etta Smith	669-3623	J.J. Roach	669-1723
Rue Park G.R.I.	665-5919	Shelli Tarpley	665-9531
Becky Baten	669-2214	Exie Vantine Bkr	669-7870
Beula Cox Bkr.	665-3667	Debbie Middleton	665-2247
Susan Ratzlaff	665-3585	Dirk Ammerman	669-7371
Heidi Chronister	665-6388	Bobbie Sue Stephens	669-7790
Darrel Sehorn	669-6284	Lois Strate Bkr.	665-7650
Bill Stephens	669-7790	Bill Cox Bkr.	665-3667
Roberta Babb	665-6158	Katie Sharp	665-8752
JUDI EDWARDS GRI, CRS BROKER-OWNER	665-3687	MARILYN KEAGY GRI, CRS BROKER-OWNER	665-1449

Norma Ward REALTY
1912 N. Hobart
669-3346
Mike Ward 669-6413
Jim Ward 665-1593
Norma Ward, GRI, Broker

SHED REALTY, INC.
900 N. Hobart
665-3761
LEFORS, TX. Spacious 3 bedrooms, 1 3/4 baths. Large kitchen, breakfast bar. Beamed ceiling in living room, large dining room. Central air & heat. Large fenced corner lot. One of Lefors great homes! MLS 2733.

120 Autos For Sale

John Cook Motor Co.
421 S. Cuyler
669-2665, 1-800-656-2665

1982 Honda Accord, runs great, good school car. $595 or best offer. 665-2731.

1988 Ford Mustang, clean, low mileage. 665-3900.

FOR Sale: 1989 Mazda 626. One owner. Call 669-3764.

1982 Bronco, navy, 351, new tires, new turbo mufflers. Good shape, $2750. 665-1538.

1988 Chevy Astro Van, $4000. 848-2558.

120 Autos For Sale

1988 Mercury Cougar, 69,000 miles, fully loaded. 665-9699.

FOR sale: 1988 Chevrolet Beretta. Tinted windows, stereo, 70,000 miles, $4250. 669-6694.

1981 Chevy Malibu Classic, runs good. Tagged and stickered. $750. 669-2403, 522 E. Francis.

1969 Ford Country Sedan Station wagon, 85,450 acutal miles. Good condition. Asking $875. 665-7655.

121 Trucks For Sale

1981 CJ8 Scrambler with 9000 pound winch. Leave message if no answer, 665-1939.

121 Trucks For Sale

1988 White Chevy Suburban Silverado 4x4 heavy 1/2 ton, 350 engine, 4 speed, automatic transmission, new tires, loaded, excellent condition inside and out. $8500. 665-2961, 669-6960.

122 Motorcycles

1983 Harley 1000 Sportster. 665-8976.

1988 KX 125, $675 or best offer. Call 665-6340.

1984 Honda Shadow 500, $1000. 835-2779.

124 Tires & Accessories

OGDEN AND SON
Expert Electronic wheel balancing. 501 W. Foster, 665-8444.

125 Parts & Accessories

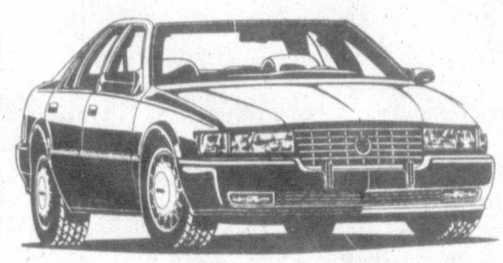
STAN'S Auto & Truck repair. 800 W. Kingsmill. Rebuilt GM and Ford engines. State inspection, new windshields. We accept Master Card and Visa. 665-1007.

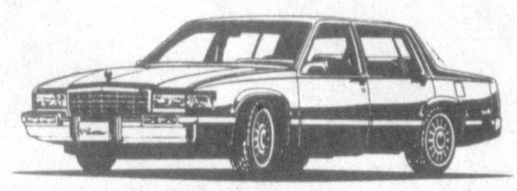
126 Boats & Accessories

Parker Boats & Motors
301 S. Cuyler, Pampa 669-1122, 5909 Canyon Dr., Amarillo 359-9097. Mercruiser Dealer.

Cadillac®

CHANGING THE WAY YOU THINK ABOUT AMERICAN AUTOMOBILES.





Sedan de Ville

On Our 1993 Summer Clearance Sale! (Only A Few Left) CADILLAC SEVILLES

Proven Technology, Purposely Put To Use!

(Stk. #223275) 1993 Cadillac Seville White With Blue Leather
MSRP $42,080
Robert Knowles Discount $5,081
NOW ONLY $36,999

(Stk. #223245) 1993 Cadillac Seville Platinum With Light Gray Leather
MSRP $40,885
Robert Knowles Discount $5,086
NOW ONLY $35,799

•ELDORADO EMPLOYS SOPHISTICATED TECHNOLOGY NOT FOR ITS OWN SAKE, BUT FOR YOURS*

(Stk. #223254) 1993 Cadillac Eldorado White With Blue Cabrolet Top Dark Blue Leather Seating
MSRP $39,613
Robert Knowles Discount $6,500
NOW ONLY $33,113

(Stk. #223279 1993 Eldorado Sport Coupe, North Star 4.6 Liter V8 270 HP White With Red Leather, Chrome Wheels
MSRP $41,934
Robert Knowles Discount $7,000
NOW ONLY $34,934

•DEVILLES EXPENSIVE INTERIOR ADDRESSES THE ISSUE OF COMFORT FROM TWO PERSPECTIVES: MIND AND BODY*

(Stk. #22185) 1993 Sedan DeVille Slate Green With Neutral Leather Seating
MSRP $34,160
Robert Knowles Discount $3,600
Cadillac Rebate $3,000
NOW ONLY $27,560

(Stk. #223252) Cadillac Sedan DeVille Light Beige With Neutral Leather, Chrome Wheels
MSRP $36,508
Robert Knowles Discount $3,600
Cadillac Rebate $3,000
NOW ONLY $29,908

(Stk. #222185) 1993 Cadillac Sedan DeVille
Slate Green With Neutral Leather Interior, Aluminum Wheels
MSRP $34,160
Robert Knowles Discount $3,600
Cadillac Rebate $3,000
SALE PRICED NOW FOR ONLY $27,560

Free Oil & Filter Change Every 4,000 Miles On Your Automobile From Robert Knowles Auto Center, Excluding Diesel Pick-ups.

Robert Knowles
Oldsmobile • Cadillac • Chrysler • Dodge • Jeep
101 N. Hobart - 669-3233
1-800-299-6699

KNOWLES-HARNED CHEVROLET GEO

Looking For Aggressive Sales People To Join The Fastest Growing Automotive Group In The Panhandle

We Offer The Qualified Employee:
•Company Vehicle •Retirement Plan
•High Commission Pay Plan •Paid Vacation
•Promotions From Within •Continuous Training.

Join our team of trained professional automotive consultants and work at the fastest growing dealership in the Panhandle Area. Call Doug Baird for an interview:
1-800-725-7177



(AP photo)

A.C. Copeland and his wife Odean, from Virginia Beach, Va., board up their beach cottage in Kitty Hawk, N.C., Sunday as the prepare for a possible strike from Hurricane Emily.

U.S. upbeat for Israeli, Palestinian settlement

By BARRY SCHWEID
AP Diplomatic Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) – Secretary of State Warren Christopher, seizing on a promising Israeli proposal to give the Palestinians self-rule in Gaza and Jericho, has top aides working on details with the Israeli government.

Christopher directed Dennis Ross, his chief Mideast mediator, and others to try to resolve some of the questions raised by Israel's offer, which Foreign Minister Shimon Peres outlined to Christopher at a secret four-hour meeting on Friday.

From his home in Santa Barbara, Calif., Christopher also was on the telephone last week to Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin and Syrian Foreign Minister Farouk Sharaa. Syria's approval is a prerequisite for any Israeli deal with the Palestine Liberation Organization.

Formal Mideast peace talks are due to resume here Tuesday unless the probable resignation of the chief Israeli negotiator, Elyakim Rubinstein, causes a brief postponement.

Rubinstein, an experienced diplomat who helped shape the 1979 peace treaty between Israel and Egypt, objects to the concessions Israel is prepared to make to the PLO, diplomatic sources said.

The Israeli negotiating team arrived here Sunday without Rubinstein. He is a career diplomat and protege of the late Israeli defense and foreign minister Moshe Dayan. Palestinian negotiators sought to have him dismissed when a Labor-dominated government replaced the hard-line Likud regime.

The proposal would give the PLO administrative control over Gaza and also the West Bank city of Jericho. The result would be at least a toehold on the West Bank for PLO Chairman Yasser Arafat after decades of diplomatic disappointment.

According to reports from Jerusalem, a settlement also would include mutual recognition by the Palestine Liberation Organization and Israel provided the PLO agrees to call off the rebellion, known also as the intifada, that Palestinians have conducted against Israeli control of the West Bank.

Christopher's intervention, the meeting with Peres and Israel's secret bargaining with the PLO have taken precedence over the formal negotiations at the State Department, though the talks provide a handy mechanism for working on details.

Also, Shimon Sheves, director of the Israeli prime minister's office, is due here this week for talks with Clinton administration officials.

Christopher was sufficiently impressed with what Peres told him to have aides work over the weekend by telephone with Jerusalem "to nail down some key details," a U.S. official said.

"We are looking toward serious negotiations when the talks resume here," said the official, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

In Jerusalem, Israel's Cabinet was holding a special session today to consider the proposal.

President Clinton, asked about the Christopher-Peres meeting before ending his 11-day vacation at Martha's Vineyard, Mass., said, "I'm obviously glad the meeting occurred, but we've still got a long way to go."

One of the key unsettled issues is how Israel could guard the security of some 3,300 Jews who took up residence in Gaza after Israel captured the strip on the Mediterranean from Egypt in the 1967 Six-Day War.

Israel would withdraw its troops, where they have been a target of Arab attack, but would insist on letting the settlers remain while Israeli forces control a nearby highway to ensure their safety.

In Jericho, the storied biblical city conquered by Joshua, there are few Jewish settlers. The plan would be a major step toward fulfilling Arafat's dream of establishing control over at least part of the territory Jordanian forces surrendered to Israel in the 1967 war and that he wants to turn into a Palestinian state.

A senior aide to Arafat said on Sunday in Tunis, Tunisia, that the plan would include Israeli recognition of the PLO. It is considered a terrorist organization by the United States and Israel and has been committed to the dismantling of Israel as a Jewish state.

The negotiations at the State Department will include Israel's disputes with Syria, Jordan and Lebanon. Only two weeks have been set aside for this 11th round of negotiations, which have been conducted periodically over the last 22 months.

State Department spokesman Michael McCurry said the Christopher-Peres session "makes clear the parties are focused on choices that could produce real progress."

However, he also said that "a substantial amount of work remains to be done."

American officials left little doubt that the prospective agreement is the result of a secret meeting Peres held two weeks ago in Stockholm, Sweden, with a PLO official.

Israeli officials have refused to confirm the meeting.

American soldiers raid ... U.N. building in Somalia

By REID G. MILLER
Associated Press Writer

MOGADISHU, Somalia (AP) – It sure looked good.

Elite American troops under the cover of darkness dropped from helicopters on ropes. They tied up people inside and forced them to lie on the floor. It was quick, precise, the stuff of a recruiting commercial.

There was just one problem. They raided the wrong target. In fact, they raided a building housing U.N. personnel.

Three foreign U.N. workers and five Somali employees were briefly detained today in what the chief U.N. military spokesman, Maj. David Stockwell, nevertheless described as "a successful operation."

"They were searching a place they had every reason to believe was hostile and they acted appropriately until they determined otherwise," Stockwell said.

The building's entrance is marked by a sign identifying it as a project office of the U.N. Development Program, one of many U.N. agencies operating in Somalia. Stockwell said the building was in an "unauthorized area."

Stockwell declined to characterize the objective of the mission, which involved more than a dozen helicopters, U.S. Rangers and soldiers from the Army's Quick Reaction Force.

Asked if he would categorically say that the objective was not the capture of fugitive warlord Mohamed Farrah Aidid, Stockwell replied: "No, what I'm saying is that ... I will not go into detail on the purpose of our operation."

But he declared it "a textbook example of how these operations should go," using "lightning speed and overpowering force."

An Egyptian woman, who would identify herself only as the administrative officer of the raided U.N. compound, said she and other foreign employees were tied up and forced to lie on the floor.

"They just told us to behave properly, to keep flat on the floor," she said. "Then we started telling them who we are and they said it would be alright, don't worry, but we have to do our thing and that's it."

She said three colleagues – a Canadian, Irishman and Belizian – were taken away by the raiding troops along with five Somali household employees. They were later released.

No one was hurt in the action, and the woman said the troops "acted properly," although she acknowledged being terrified.

Reporters visiting the walled, two-story villa found several empty shotgun shells on the floor of the entrance, windows blown out, the telephone and radio destroyed and vehicles damaged by gunfire.

The raid began shortly after 3 a.m. Reporters watching from the rooftop of their hotel a mile away saw soldiers slither down ropes from helicopters hovering over the rooftop of the U.N. building.

At least two muffled explosions were heard, but no gunfire.

The raid came after an earlier mortar attack by Somali militiamen on Mogadishu's old international airport, now a bustling U.N. military encampment.

Stockwell said three Rangers were slightly injured by flying gravel from the explosions, treated at a field hospital and released. It was the latest in weeks of almost nightly harrassing attacks on U.N. positions.

The raided building is in an area of southern Mogadishu long considered a stronghold of Aidid, wanted by the United Nations for a series of ambushes on June 5 that killed 24 Pakistani peacekeepers.

He also has been blamed for the deaths of four American soldiers when their vehicle was ripped apart by a remotely controlled mine on Aug. 8. It was that attack that prompted President Clinton to dispatch 400 Rangers last week.

Carolinas preparing for Hurricane Emily

By ESTES THOMPSON
Associated Press Writer

NAGS HEAD, N.C. (AP) – Up to 100,000 people on North Carolina's barrier islands were ordered to evacuate early today as Hurricane Emily twisted on a path toward the southeastern United States.

While beachgoers enjoyed relatively calm seas Sunday, forecasters warned waves would begin to build all along the East Coast. Gale force winds also could reach North Carolina shores by today.

The state of emergency in Dare County – effective this morning – covers communities stretching along the Outer Banks, a loop of fragile islands off North Carolina's coast.

"Nobody's going to be arrested for not leaving, but they're probably going to be asked for their next of kin," said county spokesman Ray Sturza. "Use common sense – and then go."

National Park Service campgrounds at Cape Point and Frisco on Hatteras Island also were to be evacuated today, officials said.

The National Hurricane Center declared a hurricane watch Sunday from Cape Romain, S.C. – about 20 miles north of Charleston, S.C. – to Fenwick Island on the Delaware-Maryland border.

A watch means hurricane conditions pose a threat. A warning means hurricane conditions are expected within 24 hours.

The storm's maximum sustained winds were near 85 mph this morning. They were expected to increase "a little" over the next 24 hours, forecaster Lixion Avila of the National Hurricane Center said today.

Hurricane Andrew tore through South Florida and Louisiana last year with sustained winds of 145 mph.

Early today, the center of the storm was about 375 miles to the southeast of Cape Hatteras, moving toward the northwest near 9 mph. It was not projected to make landfall before Tuesday.

Hurricane Hugo, which killed 29 people and caused $5.9 billion in damage when it hit South Carolina in September 1989 with winds of 135 mph, was on the minds of many of those watching Emily's progress.

"Everybody is preparing earlier this time," said Karen Eyerly, who works at a surf shop in Myrtle Beach, S.C. "I'm stocking up on food and water and just making sure I have supplies."

Elaine Smith, operations manager at a home-supply store in Newport News, Va., said customers were stocking up on flashlights and other emergency items.

The store ordered extra batteries. "I figure by tomorrow we'll be wiped out of them," she said.

Others were taking a wait-and-see attitude.

"If we're talking about 85 mph winds, there will be some damage. But it will be nothing like Hugo or Hazel," said Robert Canady, a shopper at a Wilmington discount store. Hurricane Hazel came through in 1954.

The mandatory evacuation designation for Dare County gives police the authority to ban all cars headed for the Outer Banks over the two bridges from the North Carolina mainland.

About three-quarters of the estimated 100,000 people in the county are tourists, Sturza said.

On Sunday, about 2,500 people were told to leave Ocracoke Island – reachable only by ferry.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency sent several trucks with supplies Sunday from Miami to Thomasville, Ga. They will be dispatched when it's clear which areas are most affected by the storm, said FEMA spokesman Morrie Goodman.

The Coast Guard reminded boaters not to try to ride out the storm in small craft. A dozen people died during Hugo trying to do that, the agency said.

The Navy said 16 ships and seven submarines from the Charleston Navy Base were ready to head to sea if necessary to avoid the storm.

The Yugoslav freighter Kapetan Martinovic was also ordered to weigh anchor and leave the harbor to ride out the storm. The 500-foot freighter was detained last fall by the federal government, which froze $450 million in former Yugoslav assets.

But John Townsend, meteorologist for the National Weather Service in Charleston, said the storm wasn't big enough to reach that far south.

Sprinkle ends 2-month dry spell – technically, anyway

SAN ANTONIO (AP) – The longest dry spell in San Antonio history is officially over, but officials aren't ecstatic about it.

Although the one-hundredth of an inch of rain broke the two-month rainless streak, it didn't do much practical good.

The smallest amount of rain that can be accurately recorded in the three official rain gauges at San Antonio International Airport – 0.01 inches of rain – was recorded at 6:10 p.m. Sunday.

Still, a bulletin from the National Weather Service stated:

"It's over. ... It's over. ... It's over. ... It's over. ... It's over. The longest period of consecutive days without measurable rain in San Antonio has officially ended."

"We weren't all that thrilled about it. We would much rather have ended the record with some rain that did some good," meteorologist Larry Eblen said. "It kind of left you with an anti-climactic feeling.

"As T.S. Elliot put it, it kind of ended not with a bang, but with a whimper," he said. "We were all sitting around here wondering: How can it end so meaninglessly?"

But now that the streak has ended, chances appear good for some meaningful rain. The weather service said there was a 20 percent chance of showers or thunderstorms for both today and Tuesday.

Temperatures in the San Antonio area were expected to range between a high in the middle to upper 90s and a low in the middle 70s.

Sunday's modest precipitation came in a 31-minute streak that began at 6:04 p.m. Just more than five minutes into the shower, one of the rain gauge's electronic counters gave the signal that meteorologists were waiting for.

"We were all aware that the rain had begun and then we could hear the click on the tipping bucket (rain gauge) about 6:10 p.m., and an observer immediately went up to the roof," Eblen said. "We were kind of curious."

The dry spell began after a particularly heavy downpour. It rained 1.29 inches June 26.

Since that date, not a drop of rain had fallen inside the San Antonio city limits.

MONDAY NIGHT
FOOTBALL
(Specials) Starting Sept. 6
City Limits
669-9171

If you suspect a hearing problem, you don't want to miss out on the world's most beautiful sounds - especially the sweet words whispered by someone you love - Call Lile's today.

Lile's Hearing Aid Service
August 31, 1993
2219 Perryton Parkway *665-1608*

HARVEY O. EDWARDS M.D.
is closing his pratice effective
August 31, 1993.
100 W. 30TH,
PAMPA
665-0054

Dr. R.R. Loerwald
CHIROPRACTOR
1716 N. Hobart
(806) 669-7676

To Move To The Head Of The Class, Kids Have To See Where They're Going.



FAMILY EYE CARE
DRS. SIMMONS & SIMMONS
1324 N. BANKS 665-0771

GET THE ALCO Advantage



FREE
EVERY TUESDAY!
SECOND SET OF PRINTS
Receive a second set of 3" prints FREE with any exposure roll of 35mm, disc, 110 or 126 color print film left for developing and printing at our everyday prices! C-41 process only. Excludes larger 4" size prints, and photo galaxy.
Kodak Colorwatch system