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PAMPA — All high school students new to the Pampa Independent School District should report to the counselor's offices between July 25-29 to enroll for classes.

Parents or legal guardians need to accompany the students to the counselor's office which will be open from 9-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-3:30 p.m.

A record of the student's social security number and any available school records are needed for the enrollment process.

For more information call Kay Kibbe, counselor, at 669-4806.

PALE, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — Bosnian Serbs conditionally accepted an international peace plan today, sources said. It was unclear if their secret vote would buy the Serbs time against threatened international reprisals.

Deputies of the Serbs' self-styled parliament refused to tell reporters what the legislature decided, saying negotiators in Geneva would be informed first. But sources, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the legislature accepted the plan with conditions.

The Bosnian Serb assembly in Pale, the Serb stronghold 10 miles east of Sarajevo, concluded its closed-door debate a day after the Muslim-led Bosnian parliament approved the deal.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nice thing about working for the Internal Revenue Service is it's easy to see your tax files. But it's also easy to see other people's tax files — too easy, complains Sen. John Glenn.

"When Americans sit down and provide the government with their most personal information, the IRS has a moral and legal obligation to keep it private and confidential," said Glenn, chairman of the Senate Governmental Affairs Committee.

IRS Commissioner Margaret M. Richardson agreed.

"Abuses of taxpayers' right to privacy will not be tolerated," she said in remarks prepared for delivery today to Glenn's committee.

EASTON, Pa. (AP) — Color a lime, smell a lime. Color a tree, smell pine. Color the sky, and Crayola says you can even smell fresh air.

Starting today, the nation's premier crayon maker offers a set of 16 new sensations: Scented crayons.

The secret is tiny, aroma-filled capsules mixed into the wax. The capsules — smaller than the tiny pellets in cold capsules — burst as the crayon rubs the paper.

The smells are lime, pine, fresh air, cherry, grape, lemon, orange, strawberry, chocolate, licorice, rose, blueberry, coconut, peach, banana and bubble gum. Scents correspond to colors, more or less.

The crayons are still nontoxic, and they still have that waxy flavor — at least the bubble gum crayon does.

The scent is slight when the crayons aren't being used, but a smell not unlike fruit salad wafts from a freshly opened box.

FORT WORTH (AP) — Authorities are attempting to determine if the gunshot wound a Fort Worth man suffered in a 1992 crime spree contributed to his death.

Tommy C. Garnett, 39, who had suffered frequent seizures after the shooting, was found dead early Friday morning by his wife, Lora, police said.

Garnett was heading to work at a convenience store on July 20, 1992, when he was shot in the head as three men tried to rob him while he sat in his car at an intersection.

He was the first victim among five people, including American Airlines flight attendant Kelly Davis, attacked and robbed by the three men during their crime spree in Fort Worth and Arlington.

All three attackers have been sentenced to long prison terms for assault and robbery, but police may file an additional homicide charge depending on the ruling of the Tarrant County Medical Examiner's office.

DALLAS (AP) — Frank Murphy's favorite eating place is a Mexican restaurant on Dallas' north side, and it didn't shake him up too much to hear that somebody was saying Mexican food was bad for him.

"I ate here last night, too. And I did it Saturday night. I'm endeavoring to enjoy life. I hate fat-free food. It doesn't taste good," the 35-year-old Murphy said outside On The Border in suburban Addison.

Earlier Monday, a consumer group held a news conference in Washington, D.C., to warn that most Mexican dishes in restaurants will saddle you with up to a full day's worth of fat and sodium, and more than 1,000 calories.

Will that stop Murphy from returning soon for more Mexican food?

"Of course not," he said.

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Foreign oil bill helps drive trade deficit higher

By MARTIN CRUTSINGER
AP Economics Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — America's trade deficit widened sharply to $9.17 billion in May as the deficit in merchandise jumped to the highest level in more than six years, the government said today.

The Commerce Department reported that the U.S. deficit in goods and services was up 7.6 percent in May from a revised April imbalance of $8.53 billion as for the third straight month America's appetite for imports set a new record high.

Rising oil prices pushed America's foreign oil bill up by $339 million last month. Imports of clothing, iron and steel and telecommunications equipment also posted big gains.

America's growing trade deficits this year have been one of the factors cited for the weakness in the U.S. dollar, which has fallen against the German mark and been pushed to a 50-year low against the Japanese yen.

Currency markets have battered the greenback on the belief that with the failure of the Clinton administration to achieve more success in lowering Japan's trade barriers, the only way to correct the U.S. trade gap is with a weaker U.S. currency.

A weaker dollar makes imports more expensive and U.S. goods more competitive, but in the short term it can actually make the trade deficit worse as buying patterns lag behind the currency changes.

In May, the deficit with Japan actually shrank by 19.9 percent to $4.39 billion. However, it was still the largest deficit for any country and figures released by Japan show that the deficit widened again in June.

America's trade surplus with Mexico climbed to $353 million last month. U.S. exports surged to $4.38 billion as Mexico surpassed Japan to become America's second largest export market last month.

That fact is certain to be cited by the Clinton administration as vindication of its hard-fought battle last year to win approval of the North American Free Trade Agreement removing trade barriers among the United States, Mexico and Canada. Canada, America's biggest export market, enjoyed a $735 million trade surplus with the United States in May.

So far this year, the United States has been running an annual deficit in merchandise of $137.3 billion, the worst showing since an all-time record of $152.1 billion set in 1987.

For May, the overall deficit of $9.17 billion was the worst since a February imbalance of $9.61 billion. Starting this year, the government has been including not only merchandise but also services, such as tourism and royalty payments, in its monthly trade report.

The United States historically runs surpluses in the services category but they are not enough to wipe out the huge deficits in goods. For May, the goods surplus was $4.90 billion while the deficit in goods was $14.07 billion.

The goods deficit was the worst monthly imbalance since October 1987.

While the Clinton administration has vowed to open U.S. markets as a way of reducing huge trade imbalances, economists maintain that effort will be overwhelmed this year by disparities in global economic performance.

The United States is growing at the fastest pace of any of its major allies, while Europe and Japan are still struggling to recover from steep recessions, making it hard for U.S. exporters to boost sales in those markets.

For May, the big gains in imports were in energy products, up $339 million as the volume rose slightly but the price jumped even faster, climbing to $14.04 per 42-gallon barrel, up from $12.77 in April.

Imports of apparel were up $175 million, while shipments of iron and steel rose by $125 million and telecommunications equipment was also up $125 million.

U.S. goods exports edged up a slight 0.2 percent to $40.45 billion in May as gains in sales of office equipment and other categories offset a big $609 million drop in civilian aircraft sales.

Chautauqua planning underway



A planning session for the Chautauqua festival was held yesterday evening by Christie Higgs, Pampa Fine Arts Association president, left, and Chautauqua co-chairs Sandra Keeton and Berinda Turcotte at Turcotte's home. Plans for the event were discussed including getting a female cowboy poet from Miami to read this year. (*Pampa News* photo by Melinda Martinez)

Millions flow out of Rwanda as Tutsi rebels claim victory

KIGALI, Rwanda (AP) — Declaring Rwandan's civil war over, victorious Tutsi rebels inaugurated a new government today and urged a halt to the desperate human flight out of the country.

More than a million Hutus have poured across the border into Zaire in the past week, and refugee officials say almost 2 million more are on their way in an exodus that has overwhelmed relief workers.

The refugees are afraid the rebels will retaliate for the slaughter of about 200,000 to 500,000 people, mostly Tutsis, by Hutu militias since April, even though little evidence has emerged of widespread reprisals.

Rebel leaders who renewed a stilled uprising after the massacres began proclaimed an end to the 14-week war Monday. Hutu officials fled to Zaire.

In the capital, Kigali, today, Faustin Twagiramungu was sworn in as prime minister, and Pasteur Bizimungu was inaugurated as president. Rebels said the two moderate Hutus would choose a Cabinet.

"For my part, I feel this day is a very big day with a lot of happiness, an important day in the lift of Rwanda," the rebel military chief, Maj. Gen. Paul Kagame, said in a speech at the inaugural ceremony.

"I think it is a big day because I hope it is a sign that this is the last time that we have seen such bad things in this country of ours," he said.

Twagiramungu had been designated prime minister under a power-sharing accord between the government and rebels last August.

The August accord halted the civil war, but violence flared April 6 when President Juvenal Habyarimana, a Hutu, died in an unexplained plane crash. Within hours, Hutu militias began systematically killing anyone perceived to oppose the government, and the rebels again took up arms.

The violence that convulsed the country touched off a human flight of epic proportions.

In the past week, as many as a million Hutu civilians and soldiers pushed into Goma, Zaire, from northwest Rwanda. An estimated 400,000 more refugees have crossed into Kamannyola, Zaire, from the southwest border.

Refugee officials said an estimated 1.9 million more Hutus were streaming toward the southwestern Rwandan border town of Cyangugu and had started another exodus into Bukavu, Zaire.

If they all cross into Zaire, about 3.5 million Rwandans would be living in refugee camps in neighboring countries. Rwanda's prewar population was about 8 million.



A Tutsi boy stares out from behind a barbed wire fence in a Rwandan Tutsi refugee camp in Zaire today. The massive influx of Rwandan Hutu refugees has created tensions between the two groups. (AP photo)

"The whole country is coming out of its borders," U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees spokesman Panos Moumtzis said in Goma. "We feel absolutely desperate. It is impossible to cope with. What we really need right now is an enormous reaction, an enormous response."

Daan Everets, second-in-command at the U.N. World Food Program, issued an urgent appeal for $90 million in cash and relief supplies. He said the agency is living on borrowed time because it is moving resources in from areas such as Ethiopia and Eritrea, where they will be needed soon.

The European Union agreed Monday to send $185 million in emergency aid to help feed the refugees. The United States pledged an additional $31 million in aid.

In Paris, French Foreign Minister Alain Juppe recognized the rebel victory and said it was up to the new government to take care of its population. France will begin to withdraw its 2,500 troops from Rwanda by the end of this month and will be completely out before mid-

Testimony begins in Hill assault trial

By CHERYL BERZANSKIS
News Editor

A Pampa man who admits being unable to identify his Christmas Eve, 1993 attacker testified before an eight man, four woman jury today in District Court.

Ronald Gene Carr told the panel he did not pay attention to a trio of men who came to his company's Christmas party in 1993 because he did not think they were there to make trouble.

A fight broke out in the living room of a farmhouse which is headquarters to Carr's company, Gateway N.A. Inc., 1300 Northcrest, and when he attempted to break it up outside and run off three nonemployees of the company at the party, he was attacked from behind and left unconscious, he told the panel.

Dewayne Rodney Hill, was indicted Jan. 13 on a charge of aggravated assault, alleging he attacked Carr on Dec. 24, 1993 at Gateway.

Testifying for the state, Carr said he and six other people were at the farmhouse when the attack occurred about 12:30 a.m.

Carr, Panhandle regional manager for Gateway, told the panel he arrived at the employee Christmas party he was hosting about 7 to 7:30 p.m. Later, he said, he and his wife and two others left the party and when he returned he saw three men who were not employees standing in the living room of the farmhouse.

Carr said he presumed the three had been invited by employees. He said he went into the kitchen but heard a scuffle break out and another employee ask the three to leave. The sounds of a fight continued outside the house, he said.

Carr testified he went outside, told the employees to go back inside and instructed the three to leave. He testified the three opened their car doors and he turned around to go inside.

Then, Carr said, he heard one of the trio shout to the others to go after him, and he was struck from behind and rendered unconscious.

He sustained a broken nose and collar bone and a swollen mouth. He was treated and released at Coronado Hospital, he said.

Under cross examination by Hill's court appointed attorney, Ken Fields, Carr told the jury panel the party was not a family event with children, but employees brought and drank alcohol, with no other entertainment except Pictionary.

Later in the evening, Carr said he and his wife, Sandy Carr, Doug Kidwell and Kidwell's friend, Robert, went to two bars before returning to Northcrest Road and the employee party where the attack occured.

"If you suffered any type of bodily injury you could not say who caused that bodily injury?" Fields asked.

"No, I couldn't," Carr answered.

Fields was expected to continue questioning Carr today after lunch recess.

Youth breaks officer's nose

A Pampa policeman today suffers from a fractured nose following an predawn assault by a 15-year old boy, say police officials.

Officer Jimmy Dale Lake, 27, was struck by the boy who butted his head into Lake's nose as the policeman helped him from a squad car. Lake was behind the handcuffed youth when the boy bashed his head into the officer's nose, said Lt. Steve Chance.

Both were taken to Coronado Hospital for treatment. After an examination which revealed no injuries, the boy was transported by Gray County Sheriff's Office to Youth Center of the High Plains in Canyon charged with aggravated assault on a peace officer.

Lake was treated and released from the hospital.

About 2:30 a.m. today, Chance, Lake and Officer Jessie Garcia responded to a family violence call at 839 S. Sumner where they took the youth into custody. He rode quietly to the Pampa police station in Garcia's car, but attacked Lake after officers helped him from the car, Chance said. The youth became verbally abusive during examination at Coronado Hospital, officers say.

A juvenile detention hearing, required before a youth less than 17 years of age may be detained, was held by Justice of the Peace Margie Prestidge about 6 a.m. today.

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Daily Record

Services tomorrow

BRANSGROVE, Weldon C. — 1:30 p.m., Bethleham Lutheran Church, Perryton.

JENKINS, Glenis — 3 p.m., Hillcrest Cemetery, McLean.

ROBERSTON, Jean Ida — 9 a.m., Saint Paul Apostle Catholic Church, Foster R.I.

Obituaries

WELDON C. BRANSGROVE

PERRYTON — Weldon C. Bransgrove, 71, died Monday, July 18, 1994. Services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday in Bethleham Lutheran Church with the Rev. Scott Kirchoff officiating. Burial will be in Gray Cemetery at Beaver, Okla., by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home.

Mr. Bransgrove was born in Lulu, Mich., and had lived in the Perryton and Balko, Okla., areas most of his life. He attended school in Perryton and graduated in 1940 from Bethany School in Beaver County, Okla. He married Eleanor Jennrich in 1939 at Perryton. he had farmed in Beaver County and Eads, Colo.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, William Bransgrove of Spearman and Richard W. Bransgrove of Miami; a daughter, Linda Vilardell of Amarillo; two sisters, Florence Bass of Beaver, Okla., and Neva Herdiman of Lawton, Okla.; and a brother, Laurence Bransgrove of Liberal, Kan.

GLENIS JENKINS

McLEAN — Glenis Jenkins, 85, died Monday, July 18, 1994. Graveside services will be at 3 p.m. Wednesday at Hillcrest Cemetery with the Rev. Q.D. Bevel, pastor of the First Baptist Church in McLean, officiating.

Mrs. Jenkins was born on Nov. 7, 1908, in Arkansas. She married Johnnie Hayden Jenkins at Holdenville, Okla., on March 10, 1928. He preceded her in death on Sept. 12, 1978. She moved to McLean in 1947 from East Texas. She was a housewife and a Methodist.

Survivors include a daughter, Patrcia Stoben of Arlington; a son, Mike Jenkins of McLean; three sisters, Vela Morris of Wewoka, Okla., Jetta Simpson, of Bakersfield, Calif., and Mary Duncan of San Diego, Calif.; and two grandchildren.

ALMA MADDOX

WHEELER — Alma Maddox, 62, died Thursday, July 14, 1994. Graveside services were at 10 a.m. Monday in Gageby Cemetery, north of Wheeler, with B.A. Hyatt officiating. Arrangement were by Peoples Cooperative Funeral Home of Lone Wolf, Okla.

Survivors include her husband, Robert Maddox; three sons; two daughters, a brother; and three sisters.

The family requests memorials be to the Hospice Social Workers in Amarillo, P.O. Box 950, Amarillo, Texas 79176-0001.

JEAN IDA ROBERTSON

CANADIAN — Jean Ida Robertson, 96, died Sunday, July 17, 1994. Mass will be celebrated at 9 a.m. Wednesday, July 20 at the Saint Paul Apostle Catholic Church at Foster, R.I. Her body was cremated by Stickley-Hill Funeral Directors. Burial will be at a later date. her remains will be entombed at Saint Ann's Cemetery Mausoleum in Cranston, R.I.

Mrs. Robertson was born in Central Falls, R.I. She moved to Canadian in 1989 from Cranston where she was a homemaker.

Survivors include a son, Wilson Rollinson of Rhode Island; two daughters, Pearl Teague of Canadian and Ruth DiPippo of Rhode Island; seven grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the Edward Abraham Memorial Home.

OLIVER N. WATERS

CANADIAN — Oliver N. Waters, 79, died Monday, July 18, 1994. Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Edith Ford Cemetery in Canadian with the Rev. Jack Lee, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Canadian, officiating. Burial will be in the Edith Ford Cemetery in Canadian.

Mr. Waters was born on Aug. 28, 1914, in Glazier and was a farmer and rancher in Libscomb County. He graduated from Canadian High School. He married Mabel Ruth Rutledge on Aug. 8, 1939. He moved to Canadian in 1950 and she preceded him in death on Feb. 1, 1994. He was preceded in death by a son, Thomas Waters, in 1962.

Survivors include a daughter, Sandra Waters Gorohoff of Seattle, Wash.; a brother, Bill Waters of Clovis, Calif.; three grandchildren, Andrew Gorohoff of Seattle, Alexander Gorohoff of Seattle and Nicholas Gorohoff of Seattle.

The family requests memorials be to the American Cancer Society of a favorite charity.

Stocks

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

Wheat	3.10
Milo	3.88
Corn	4.38

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

Serfco	4	NC
Occidental	19 1/2	NC

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

Magellan	66.57
Puritan	15.89

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

Amoco	61	up 1/8
Arco	108 1/8	up 1/4
Cabot	50 1/2	up 1/4
Cabot O&G	21 1/8	dn 1/8
Chevron	45	NC
Coca-Cola	42 1/2	up 1/8
Diamond Sham	26	up 1/8
Enron	32 1/8	NC
Halliburton	35	up 1/4
HealthTrust Inc	28 5/8	up 1/4
Ingersoll Rand	36	dn 1/8
KNE	23 7/16	dn 1/16
Kerr McGee	50 5/16	dn 3/16
Limited	18 1/2	up 1/4
Mapco	60 7/8	up 1/4
Maxus	5 1/2	dn 1/8
McDonald's	28 7/8	dn 1/8
Mobil	84 5/8	dn 3/8
New Atmos	18 7/8	up 1/4
Parker & Parsley	26 3/4	dn 1/8
Penney's	49 3/8	up 3/8
Phillips	33 3/8	dn 1/8
SLB	61 7/8	NC
SPS	25 5/8	dn 1/8
Tenneco	47 1/2	NC
Texaco	64	up 1/4
Wal-Mart	25 7/8	NC
New York Gold		384.00
Silver		5.20
West Texas Crude		19.51

Police report

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents and arrests in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

MONDAY, July 18

Billy Joe Bash, 833 Gordon, reported theft.

Tina Sue Hoskins, 500 N. Perry, reported theft $20-$200 at 943 S. Finley.

Domestic disturbance was reported in the 1000 block of Huff.

Brian Collier, 1329 Garland, reported assault by threat.

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Family violence/assault was reported in the 800 block of South Sumner.

Officer Jimmy Dale Lake reported aggravated assault on a police officer which occurred at 201 W.Kingsmill.

Christine Kay Diaz, Amarillo, reported an endangered missing person at 524 N. Faulkner.

Peggy Sherlene Koehler, 2115 N. Nelson, reported criminal mischief under $20.

Arrests

MONDAY, July 18

Raul Rudy Rodriguez, 18, 400 block of Dwight, was arrested in the 200 block of Russell on two warrants.

Kelly Lambright, 24, 1616 N. Zimmers, was arrested in the 200 block of North Russell on three warrants. He was released to do community service.

Michael Dean Williams, 29, 325 N. Wells, was arrested on a charge of assault with bodily injury and four Department of Public Safety warrants. He taken to Gray County jail and released on bond.

Sheriff's Office

Gray County Sheriff's Office reported the following incidents and arrests in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

MONDAY, July 18

Shorty Henderson reported criminal trespass at the old packing house on Frederic.

Charlie Lee Mulkey, McLean, reported information.

Arrests

MONDAY, July 18

Freddie Lee Stidam, 43, Sunray, was incarcerated to serve a 60 day sentence for driving while intoxicated-subsequent offense.

Juan Castro Benavidez, 49, 521 W. Montagu #3, was incarcerated to serve a 60 day sentence for driving while intoxicated-subsequent offense.

Accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported the following accident in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

MONDAY, July 18

6 p.m. - A 1987 Nissan driven by Jim Kenemore, 38, 2132 Coffee, was in collision with a 1991 Pontiac driven by Chandra Desirel Sherling, 21, 911 Somerville, at the intersection of Hobart and Somerville. Transported to Coronado Hospital via American Medical Transport were Kenemore, Stacie Kenemore, 10, Harold Kenemore, 9, and Sherling. Stacie Kenemore was transferred to North West Hospital, Amarillo, where she is in satisfactory condition. She is in pediatric ICU. The others were treated and released from Coronado Hospital. No citations were issued.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

MONDAY, July 18

6:03 p.m. — Three units and seven firefighters responded to a medical assistance call at the intersection of Hobart Street and Somerville Street.

7:04 p.m. — Two units and three firefighters responded to a hay fire at the Perry Lefors Airfield located five miles north of Pampa on Price Road.

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL
Admissions
Pampa

Wima Gene Chambers
Robert Alvin Jewell
Bertha Loraine Dye Moore
Gay Lynn Smith

Dismissals
Pampa

Angela Rose Braddock and baby boy
William E. Helms
Angie Renae Moss
Karmon M. Stewart
Robert Alonzo Story
John Carney Whitson (extended care)

Canadian

Joyce E. Gallegos

Lefors

Claud Walter Lamb

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL
Admissions
Shamrock

Helen Anderson
Iva Barker

McLean

Oran Jay Dorsey

No dismissals were reported.

Calendar of events

PAMPA TOASTMASTERS

The Pampa Toastmasters Club meets each Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at Hi-Land Church, 18th and Banks. Those interested in improving their public speaking skills are invited to join the club.

Bush attacks state jail system

DALLAS (AP) — Gov. Ann Richards should be held accountable for a new state jail system that is "off track, over budget and behind schedule," GOP challenger George W. Bush said.

At Monday's opening of his Dallas headquarters, Bush said Richards should be considered responsible for what he considers a growing jail crisis in her Democratic administration.

"Governor Richards, as the chief executive officer of the state of Texas, must be accountable for the mismanagement" of the state jail system, he said.

The Senate Criminal Justice Committee was scheduled to meet today to investigate the status of the state jail system, which was created by the Legislature in 1993 to house nonviolent felons. Those inmates will serve up to two years and receive intensive education, job training and therapy programs. The jails will be operated separately from prisons.

A 1,000-bed facility in Beaumont was scheduled to open, but apparently won't be ready for prisoners by its targeted Sept. 1 date.

Bush also criticized the Texas Board of Criminal Justice and called for appealing the Ruiz settlement.

Chuck McDonald, spokesman for Richards' campaign, said the Republican candidate doesn't understand "the enormity of the prison construction program in Texas."

"Yes, there are problems. But this is an unprecedented prison construction program," he said. "I think Mr. Bush, with even a smidgeon of understanding of the size of this prison construction program, would understand what a difficult job it is. Unlike Mr. Bush, she has a pretty good track record of getting things done in the prison system."

Wreck sends four to hospital



Three units and seven firefighters responded to an auto accident Monday evening about 6 p.m. at the intersection of Hobart Street and Somerville Street. Jim Kenemore, 38, Stacie Kenemore, 10, Harold Kenemore, 9, and Chandra Sherling, 21, were transported to Coronado Hospital and released. No citations were issued. (*Pampa News* by Cheryl Berzanskis)

North Korea puts Kim to rest in secrecy

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — A flower-laden hearse bore the body of Kim Il Sung on a funeral journey through his Stalinist capital today as hundreds of thousands of North Koreans jammed streets and squares to weep and wail for their fallen "Great Leader."

"The whole country is enveloped in the bitterest grief ever in the history of the nation, spanning five thousand years!" the North's official news agency proclaimed. Kim, 82, died July 8 after nearly five decades of absolute rule over his reclusive communist state.

Only top officials, including Kim's son and successor Kim Jong Il, were permitted to attend the secrecy-shrouded funeral ceremony at the presidential palace outside Pyongyang, the capital, where Kim's body had lain in state all week.

But what followed could not have been more public. Official Northern media said 2 million people crowded the streets while a hearse with Kim's coffin — draped in a red party flag and piled with white flowers — was driven slowly through the streets.

That was in keeping with Korean tradition, which dictates that the hearse be driven past sites and buildings associated with the dead person's life.

By custom, bereaved family members offer food and wine to comfort the souls of the dead. State television showed scenes of a family, dressed in black and white mourning clothes, wailing before a table laden with what appeared to be offerings of fruit and liquor.

In carefully selected official footage from the North, shown on South Korean television, farmers in rice paddies, passengers on an ancient-looking train and party cadres with lapel pins bearing Kim's likeness all offered tearful eulogies to Kim.

"I just cannot believe that you are gone," a woman wept as she clutched a companion's hand. "You have been our heaven, our teacher, our friend."

The North's official media clamped a strict blackout on the hour-long funeral ceremony, reporting nothing until it was over.

"A solemn ceremony was held ... to bid farewell to the Great Leader, President Kim Il Sung," the official Korean Central News Agency reported tersely.

The funeral proceedings were closely watched for clues to the North's new political hierarchy.

In the official list of those present at the ceremony, there was no mention of Kim's stepmother, Kim Song Ae, or his half-brother Kim Pyong Il. Both were edited out of official video footage last week, prompting speculation he had purged his political rivals.

Kim Jong Il, 52, is believed to have cemented his succession, and a formal announcement of his ascension was expected soon. South Korean officials said last week they believed he had already been anointed at a secret meeting of the communist Workers' Party.

Consumer groups say utilities, SPS pollute

AUSTIN (AP) — Electric companies are defending their records as consumer groups call them the biggest polluters when it comes to several substances linked to environmental and health problems.

Public Citizen, Texas Citizen Action and the Environmental Defense Fund are calling for state and industry action to cut emissions, as a special committee meets to study the issue.

The consumer groups said Monday they want changes in the law to favor less-polluting energy sources and a 50 percent decrease in pollution by the companies.

Utility company representatives said they care about the environment and already meet or exceed state and federal emissions laws.

"We are continually looking for any way we can to make the air and water as clean as possible in our operations. We believe we have done that," said TU Electric Co. spokeswoman Joan Hunter.

She said TU Electric has an "outstanding" environmental record. Three of its lignite coal-fired plants rank No. 1, 2 and 4 on the emissions list because they are so large, she said. Those plants are in Titus, Rusk and Freestone counties.

TU Electric, with 2.5 million customers, was the second-largest electricity generator in the state last year and in recent years has been the biggest, she said. "We ... meet all and exceed many environmental standards," Ms. Hunter said.

Phil Roth of Amarillo-based Southwestern Public Service Co., whose Lamb County plant ranked No. 8 on the list, said, "The statements today by these special interest groups are misleading ... and their plans would needlessly drive up the cost of electricity while offering little benefit to the environment."

Roth said his company's coal-fueled power plants "are among the cleanest in the United States and operate well within state and federal air quality standards."

Cindy Conte of Houston Lighting & Power Co., whose Fort Bend County plant ranked No. 3 on the list, said the facility is one of the nation's largest and is already meeting year 2000 standards on the emission of sulfur dioxide. She said when size is taken into account, utilities' emission rates are lower than those of many other industries.

City briefs

CAJUN FOOD, Wednesday 20th, 6-9 p.m. Hamburger Station. Adv.

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LOCAL FORECAST

Tonight, partly cloudy with a low in the mid 60s and south to southwest wind 10-20 mph. Wednesday, partly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of afternoon thunderstorms, a high in the lower 90s and west wind 5-15 mph early, becoming northeast 10 20 mph during the morning.

REGIONAL FORECAST

WEST TEXAS — Panhandle: Tuesday, mostly sunny. Highs around 100. Tuesday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the mid 60s to mid 70s. Wednesday, mostly sunny. Highs around 100. Wednesday night, fair. Lows 65-70. Thursday through Saturday, partly cloudy. A chance of afternoon and nighttime thunderstorms. Lows in the 60s. Highs in the lower to mid 90s.

South Plains-Low Rolling Plains — Tuesday, mostly sunny. Highs near 100. Tuesday night, fair. Lows 70-75. Wednesday, mostly sunny. Highs around 100. Wednesday night, fair. Lows near 70. Thursday through Saturday, partly cloudy. A slight chance of late afternoon and nighttime thunderstorms. Lows in the upper 60s to lower 70s. Highs in the mid to upper 90s.

NORTH TEXAS — Tuesday through Wednesday, partly cloudy with highs in the middle 90s east to near 100 cental and west. Wednesday night, fair with lows in the lower to middle 70s. Thursday and Friday, partly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms. Highs in the lower 90s east to the upper 90s west. Lows in the lower to middle 70s. Saturday, partly cloudy with highs in the middle 90s east to near 100 west. Lows in the middle to upper 70s.

SOUTH TEXAS — Texas Hill Country and South-Central Texas — Tuesday, sunny and hot. Highs 100 to 103. Tuesday night, fair skies. Lows in the 70s. Wednesday, sunny and hot. Highs 100 to 103. Thursday through Saturday, mostly sunny and hot days, fair at night. Low in the 70s. High in the upper 90s to near 103.

BORDER STATES

Oklahoma — Tonight, a slight chance of thunderstorms north. Mostly clear south. Lows in lower to mid-70s. Wednesday, partly cloudy. A slight chance of thunderstorms north and central. Mostly sunny south. Highs in low to mid-90s.

New Mexico — Tonight, partly cloudy with widely scattered afternoon and early nighttime thunderstorms west and north. Fair skies except for a few late afternoon and evening thunderstorms southeast. Wednesday, variable clouds with scattered showers and thunderstorms northeast. Partly cloudy with widely scattered afternoon and nighttime thunderstorms west and south. Cooler northeast. Lows tonight will be in the 40s to mid-50s mountains with upper 50s to lower 70s elsewhere. Highs Wednesday will be in the mid-70s to 80s mountains and northeast with upper 90s to near 105 southern lowlands and upper 80s to 90s elsewhere.

Jupiter gets black eye and soon gets triple whammy

GREENBELT, Md. (AP) — The mark left on Jupiter's clouds by fragments of a comet is the most prominent feature ever observed on the face of the solar system's largest planet, an astronomer said today.

Steve Maran, an astronomer at the Goddard Space Flight Center, said a check of historical records dating back to 1610 show there is no previous recording of Jovian features as large as the scars left by the comet pieces.

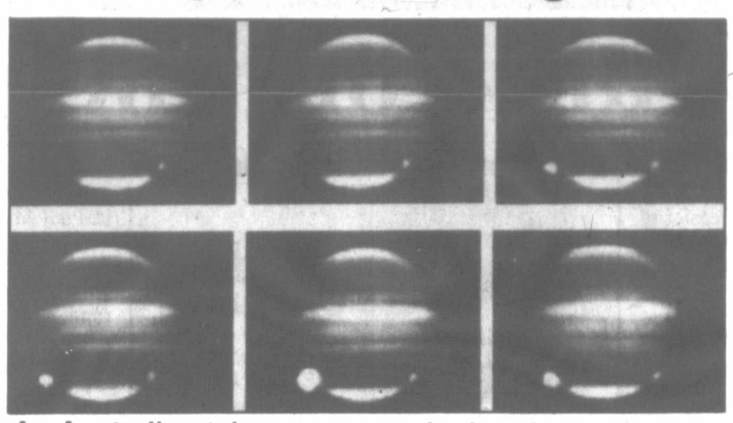
The black scar left by fragment G of the Shoemaker-Levy 9 comet is "visually the most prominent discreet spot seen on Jupiter ever," Maran told an earlier morning news conference.

Jupiter has been observed since 1610, early in the history of telescopes, and never before has a feature been seen that is as vivid as the "black eye" created by fragment G.

The impact of fragment H today created a fireball that appeared to one observer to be 50 times brighter than Jupiter and a portion of the infrared light spectrum. The observation was made by a telescope in Chile.

Though this appears to be brighter than the signal produced by the larger fragment G, which hit earlier, Maran said that the relative brightness is deceptive because the readings were taken with different instruments.

Astronomers were puzzled today by their failure to find the chemical signature of water in the clouds created by the comet's impacts on Jupiter.



An Australian telescope records the aftermath of the impact on Jupiter of fragment G from the comet Shoemaker-Levy 9. (AP photo)

Jupiter is 74 percent hydrogen and experts had expected that the comet would bring oxygen to the planet. The combination of the two would make water, but none has been detected.

"It's puzzling, but we will continue to look for water," said Lucy McFadden, astronomer at the University of Maryland.

Chemical analysis of light signals from Jupiter show evidence of ammonia boiled up from the Jovian clouds. Other analyses are still under way, McFadden said.

Scientists said Monday that three fragments from the comet will hit Jupiter 10 hours apart at approximately the same location.

"You'll have three — boom, boom, boom" said Heidi Hammel of the Space Telescope Science Institute. "You are going to have one heck of a mess."

The first of the three fragments, Q, is expected to hit just before 4 a.m. EDT on Wednesday, R follows 10 hours later and S will be 10 hours after that. The Jovian rotation is 10 hours, which means the fragments will hit at nearly the same location on the planet.

Two fragments, K and L, are expected to impact today. They will be the eighth and ninth fragments to hit the gas clouds of Jupiter since the cosmic bombardment started Saturday. The last comet shard smashes the planet on Friday.

Hammel said Jupiter was hit Monday by fragment G, the largest yet of the 21 chunks of ice and rock from the broken-up comet. The impact and massive explosion left a distinctive mark in the planetary cloud tops.

"There is now a black eye on Jupiter," said Hammel. Pictures from the Hubble Space Telescope show a circle, with a black center and a smear of gray resembling a bruise.

The circular portion of the mark is 80 percent the size of Earth, proof of the power of the explosion triggered by fragment G.

All of the fragments are hitting the backside of Jupiter, as viewed from Earth, but the fireballs rise so high that the Hubble is able to spot the cloud poking above the horizon.

Eugene Shoemaker, who is a U.S. Geological Survey scientist and co-discoverer of the comet, said the comet fragment released an energy equal to the power of about 6 million megatons of TNT. This explosion is far more potent than all of the world's nuclear weapons set off at once.

Had this comet fragment hit Earth, he said, "the crater would pretty well have covered all of Rhode Island. It would also blanket the Earth with a fine layer of dust that would blacken the sun."

Slab damage coverage changed

AUSTIN (AP) — The Office of Public Insurance Counsel says consumers have suffered a setback in their insurance coverage of water damage to foundations and slabs in homes more than 10 years old.

Under a legislative mandate carried out on Monday by Texas Insurance Commissioner J. Robert Hunter, coverage for slab damage from broken water pipes in houses more than 10 years old will be offered to consumers only by insurance companies that choose to provide it.

The change, due to go into effect later this year, was applauded by insurance companies that said slab damage from broken water pipes is a costly claim that has driven up consumer rates.

Consumer groups criticized the change as an erosion of homeowners' protection, particularly to residents of the Corpus Christi area, where slab damage is an epidemic.

"Policyholders are wondering why they have been paying for insurance all these years, if only to find a part of their coverage eroded," said Public Insurance Counsel Mark Kincaid.

"The insurance companies response on this is like saying they are only going to insure healthy people and leave the sick unprotected. That's not insurance. That's just taking premium dollars," he said.

ATF agents file suit over shootout

WACO, Texas (AP) — A lawsuit filed by three federal agents claims that a newspaper, a television station and an ambulance company were responsible for a botched raid at the Branch Davidian compund that left 10 people dead.

The lawsuit filed Monday alleges that reporters and photographers from the Waco Tribune-Herald and KWTX-TV alerted cult members to the Feb. 28, 1993 raid by Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms agents.

It also claims that representatives of American Medical Transport, who were placed on standby for the raid, tipped the newspaper "and-or" the TV station.

The Tribune-Herald's editor and a lawyer for KWTX denied the allegations, noting that ATF commanders went ahead with the raid knowing that the element of surprise had been lost.

"We covered the news, and we did it responsibly," said editor Bob Lott. "The tragedy happened because of actions by David Koresh and, as the U.S. Treasury pointed out after an extensive investigation, inept leadership of its own agency, the ATF."

Noley Bice, an attorney for the ambulance company, declined comment.

Range officials hope rain will slow wild horse deaths

WHITE SANDS MISSILE RANGE, N.M. (AP) — The desolate terrain of White Sands Missile Range has received scattered rainfall recently, giving range officials reason to hope for the survival of a herd of starving mustangs.

White Sands spokeswoman Debbie Bingham said the rainfall means dried-up water sources can begin to replenish. The horses had congregated to stay close to water sources, causing the nearby land to become overgrazed.

"There's always been food out there," Bingham said Monday. "They just wouldn't leave the area around the water sources."

Bingham said there have been two recent "significant rainfalls" — one late last week and another over the weekend. And she said the forecast Monday called for scattered thunderstorms in the afternoon and overnight that could bring heavy rainfall.

"We're praying for rain," she said.

A vicious cycle of drought and overpopulation resulted in the deaths of the 106 horses — including 49 that were destroyed — in one of the four herds on the 3,200-square-mile New Mexico military test range.

Range officials estimate White Sands has about 1,300 to 1,500 feral horses — descendants of horses that lived on the range when the government took over the property in 1945.

The dead horses were part of a herd of about 400 in the Mound Springs area about 75 miles north of the range's headquarters. Officials have said they believe the three herds that run elsewhere on the range have sufficient food and water.

"Throughout the year the horses tend to graze or roam in a large area in the missile range," Bingham said. "In the late spring and summer they concentrate where the water is."

The Mound Springs horses stripped the area around the springs of edible vegetation and fouled the muddied water with their urine and droppings.

"What the rain means is there are more water sources so the horses can go further out," she said.

"If the rains continue and the horses get healthier, then the plan is to do roundups" to reduce the population, she said. "We don't want anyone to ever have to deal with a situation like this again."

The horses belong to the state, and once they regain their strength the state Livestock Board will be called in to take horses that are rounded up.

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Senator calls for two new Texas interstates

By MICHAEL GRACZYK
Associated Press Writer

HOUSTON (AP) — Don't expect Sen Kay Bailey Hutchison to take sides in a brewing state highway war.

On Monday she said Texas should have at least two interstate highways to Mexico — an updated I-35 and a new I-69.

"I don't think we have to take one or the other. I think we need to have both. I think it's important that we have them both," Hutchison said.

She's also in favor of more bridges at the Mexican border to handle the anticipated commerce generated by the North American Free Trade Agreement.

"To have two very strong highways out of Texas, out of Mexico, is going to be good for all of Texas," Hutchison said while taking a tour of the Port of Houston, which also expects to cash in on NAFTA.

A Dallas-Austin-San Antonio coalition is pushing for I-35 improvements. The highway connects those cities with Laredo on the Texas-Mexico border.

An East Texas and Houston effort would upgrade highway U.S. 59 to an interstate highway to be known as I-69, a road that would begin in Port Huron, Mich., and end at Laredo.

"I think we are going to see the need for both because the trade is going to make it necessary," Hutchison said.

"I think you have to look at this as the corridor into the United States. If we don't have good infrastructure coming out of Mexico through Texas, that means people in Kansas, Missouri and Illinois are not going to get their goods on a timely basis."

She also said more bridges are needed along the border to eliminate more than hour-long waits for trucks to get into the United States. And she endorsed Port of Houston plans to widen and deepen the Houston Ship Channel, which makes Houston the nation's top port in foreign tonnage and the nation's second-busiest port overall. Last year, a record 137 millions tons of cargo went through the port.

The Republican senator, seeking her first full term in a November race against Democrat Richard Fisher, a Dallas businessman, visited a warehouse at the Port of Houston and climbed a two-story tower in a railroad yard to get an overhead view of the Port Terminal Railroad.

'True Lies' leads box office

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Arnold Schwarzenegger's spy thriller "True Lies" made $25.9 million in its first three days of release to lead the weekend box office.

It was followed by "Forrest Gump," which had second strong weekend with $24.1 million in ticket sales. Third was "The Lion King," which seemed certain to reach the $200 million mark.

The independent British comedy "Four Weddings and a Funeral" also has passed $50 million in ticket sales, according to box office figures released Monday.

The weekend's top 5 films according to Exhibitor Relations Co. Inc., based on actual returns and studio estimates:

1. "True Lies," 20th Century Fox, $25.9 million, 2,368 locations, $10,925 per location, $27.5 million, 1 1/2 weeks.

2. "Forrest Gump," Paramount, $24.1 million, 2,014 locations, $11,979 per location, $72.1 million, two weeks.

3. "The Lion King," Disney, $16.9 million, 2,624 locations, $6,435 per location, $174.3 million, five weeks.

4. "Angels in the Outfield," Disney, $8.9 million, 1,894 locations, $4,708 per location, $8.9 million, one week.

5. "Speed," 20th Century Fox, $5.1 million, 1,903 locations, $2,682 per location, $93.6 million, six weeks.

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Louise Fletcher, Publisher — Larry D. Hollis, Managing Editor

Opinion

New tomato offers food advancement

If the tomatoes you see at the grocery store look even more appetizing these days, you can thank Calgene Inc.

The California-based biotechnology company received permission recently from the federal Food and Drug Administration to begin marketing a genetically engineered tomato. What's different about the new tomato, called the Flavr Savr, is an altered gene that promotes ripening on the vine. The new tomato promises to be better tasting and have a longer shelf life.

The new product sounds like a sure winner for consumers, but it has been the target of rotten verbal tomatoes thrown by a few fringe groups. The Pure Food Campaign, for example, has declared the new tomato unsafe, dubbing it "Frankenfood." These same groups and activists also oppose BST, a genetically engineered growth hormone recently approved by the FDA that helps cows produce more milk.

This opposition is based on ignorance and ideology, not on any reasonable interpretation of science. The FDA, after five years of study, has declared the genetically engineered tomato "as safe as any on the market." The new product is so benign the FDA won't require any special label (although the company marketing it may put one on anyway.)

The same fear and ignorance is at work in opposition to BST. This genetically engineered product, produced by Monsanto Corp., allows cows to produce more milk. After years of private and government study, milk from BST-treated cows has been approved for consumers. It is just as safe as, and is in fact chemically indistinguishable from, milk produced by untreated cows.

It's interesting to note, by the way, how these opponents spend much of their time thinking up catchy words to convey their objections, such as "Frankenfood," instead of providing any scientific evidence to sustain their claims. If they have evidence or data indicating that, indeed, genetically altered products present a true hazard, then let them provide it.

Granted, government has a role to play in keeping truly unsafe products off the market. By that standard, these newest products have been thoroughly tested and are as safe as food can reasonably be.

If the fearmongers succeed in derailing development of these new food products, they will do more than merely inconvenience American consumers. They could deprive hungry people around the world of a more affordable source of food.

Consumers should ignore the misinformed objections of these fringe groups and welcome these new products to the market. The genetic engineering of food, if allowed a fair chance, promises to provide us with more and better tasting food at a lower price.

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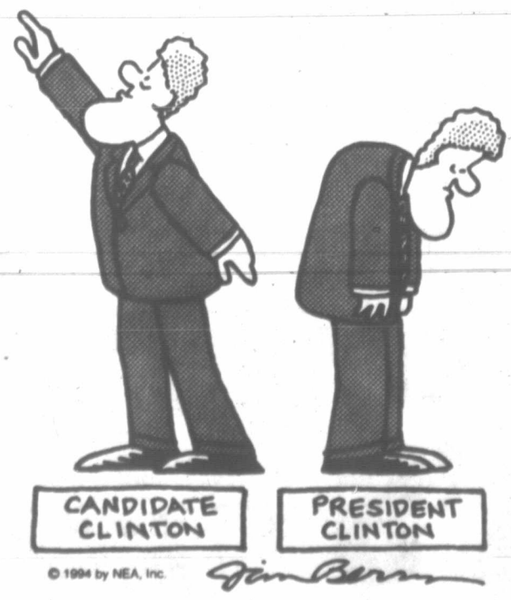
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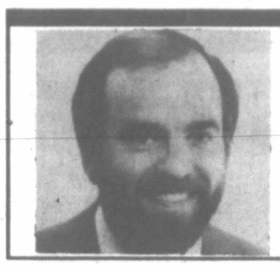
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Foreign Affairs



Ethanol rule won't help much



Stephen Chapman

Somebody once described the process of democratic government as taking pennies from the many and giving dollars to the few. It would be easier to resist such unfortunate cynicism if that process were not repeated so often, even by presidents who claim to be working mightily on behalf of the many against the few instead of the other way around.

Common as the practice is, it rarely emerges in such unvarnished form as it did last month, when the Environmental Protection Agency signaled its intention to stop worrying about protecting the environment and start worrying about protecting farmers and agribusiness.

The 1990 Clean Air Act says that in those cities where smog is a problem, the government has to require production of "reformulated" gasoline to minimize the automobile emissions that cause such pollution. By next year, the fuel sold in nine cities (Baltimore, Chicago, Houston, Los Angeles, Milwaukee, New York, Philadelphia, San Diego and Hartford) has to contain more oxygen so it will burn cleaner.

That requirement could be met with additives derived from either methanol or ethanol. Methanol, which is cheaper, would be the universal choice if gasoline refiners were allowed to do what they want.

Ethanol, however, is usually made from corn and therefore serves the interests of corn farmers, who would profit from increased demand for their crop. Archer-Daniels-Midland Co., by far the biggest U.S. producer of ethanol, likewise has financial motives for favoring the idea, and it has ensured the solicitude of politicians through large contributions to the two major parties.

Those facts help explain why the Bush administration adopted policies to promote ethanol over methanol. The Clinton administration agrees that politics counts for more than science or economics. When the EPA issued its new regulation on the subject, it insisted that at least 30 percent of the additives used in reformulated gasoline come from ethanol.

During the energy turmoil of the 1970s, ethanol was hailed as a wholesome, homegrown alternative to that nasty foreign oil. But unlike many other policies of that era – price controls on oil and gasoline, windfall profits taxes, federal allocation of fuel supplies, money for synthetic fuel production – this one refuses to take its rightful place in the museum of boneheaded ideas.

The federal government continues to subsidize ethanol through $540 million in annual tax exemptions, in addition to the tax breaks granted by many states. Yet ethanol stubbornly remains too expensive to compete with gasoline.

This new sop, the EPA has acknowledged, could cost the Treasury another $340 million in lost revenue. Like anything that boosts demand, it is also apt to raise the price of ethanol, making it even less competitive in cost.

As an energy option, ethanol has been a flop. As environmental policy, it has nothing to recommend it. Paul Miller of the Environmental Defense Fund has said that the use of corn-based ethanol would have "marginal benefits at best on air quality," which would be "largely outweighed by the environmental damage caused by growing corn" – including water pollution from the use of pesticides, herbicides and fertilizer, as well as soil erosion.

A study commissioned by the Department of Energy found that ethanol was likely to generate more pollution than methanol, besides raising the cost of reformulated gasoline. The Sierra Club says the rule favoring ethanol will have "no environmental benefits."

Proponents fall back on the alleged energy value of the change, stressing that corn is a renewable source while the natural gas used to make methanol is not. They are careful to avoid mentioning that growing and processing corn require lots of fossil fuel.

In fact, the non-renewable fuel it takes to produce a gallon of ethanol from corn is roughly equal to the amount of energy the ethanol supplies – making the entire transaction a wash. So this regulation won't shift demand toward renewable supplies, won't lessen our imports of oil and won't reduce the emissions suspected of causing global warming. The energy advantages of ethanol, like the environmental merits, are fraudulent.

These assorted defects were not enough to stop the administration from pandering to those with a stake in its success. During the 1992 campaign, Bill Clinton attacked George Bush for pushing ethanol "to buy the votes of the corn growers." It's only fair he should have the chance to buy them back.



Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, July 19, the 200th day of 1994. There are 165 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

Twenty-five years ago, on July 19, 1969, Apollo 11 and its astronauts, Neil Armstrong, Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin and Michael Collins, went into orbit around the moon.

On this date:

In 1553, 15-year-old Lady Jane Grey was deposed as Queen of England after claiming the crown for nine days. King Henry VIII's daughter Mary was proclaimed queen.

In 1848, a pioneer women's rights convention called by Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Lucretia C. Mott convened in Seneca Falls, N.Y.

In 1918, during World War I, German armies began a retreat across the Marne River in France following the failure of their last big offensive on French soil.

Robert E. Lee: Worthy role model

Charley Reese

Gen. Robert E. Lee, who led the Army of Northern Virginia in the War Between the States, was widely respected for his military skill but revered for his personal character.

A letter Lee wrote to his son in 1852 and reprinted in *Confederate Veteran* magazine provides an insight into that character. The advice is as valid in 1994 as it was in 1852.

"You must study to be frank with the world: frankness is the child of honesty and courage," Lee wrote. "Say just what you mean to do on every occasion and take it for granted you mean to do right. If a friend asks a favor, you should grant it, if it is reasonable; if not, tell him plainly why you cannot; you will wrong him and wrong yourself by equivocation of any kind.

"Never do a wrong thing to make a friend or keep one; the man who requires you to do so is dearly purchased at a sacrifice. Deal kindly, but firmly, with all your classmates. ... Above all, do not appear to others what you are not. If you have any fault to find with any one, tell him, not others, of what you complain; there is no more dangerous experiment than that of undertaking to be one thing before a man's face and another behind his back. We should live, act and say nothing to the injury of any one. It is not only best as a matter of principle, but it is the path to peace and honor."

Lee then related a story about a day in the past when the sun suddenly went dark without explanation. Some members of the Connecticut legislature, fearing that it might be the last day, the day of judgment, moved for an adjournment. But an old Puritan legislator rose and said that if the last day had come, he desired to be found at his place doing his duty.

"Duty, then," Lee admonished his son, "is the sublimest word in our language. Do your duty in all things, like the old Puritan. You cannot do more, you should never wish to do less."

It's interesting how many problems would vanish if people could live up to the advice in this letter. It's not far off the mark, I think, to say that most, perhaps all, social problems in our society are caused fundamentally by moral failure.

How many contract disputes would there be if both parties were frank, honest and committed to fulfilling their obligations – doing their duty? How much of a welfare problem would we have if men and women did their duty as husbands, wives and parents? Would we need to study Japanese management styles to produce quality products if workers and management alike were committed to doing their duty?

And how much better government would we have if politicians abandoned equivocation and spoke honestly and firmly on all the issues? If they did their duty, which is to obey the Constitution, there would be less need for federal litigation.

Sometimes it seems that people today want to live immorally in an honest and orderly society, but that's impossible. You can stack laws to the moon, hire geniuses to design systems, but neither laws, systems nor institutions can be a whit better than the people. If the people are brutish, selfish, irresponsible and dishonest, then so will be society in all its manifestations both public and private.

Our age is so cynical that few people even believe Robert E. Lee really was decent, but in fact, in the context of his times, he came as close to the ideal of a Christian gentleman as anybody probably could. Fierce, courageous and brilliant in battle, Lee was nevertheless humble and compassionate in his personal life. He never boasted or tried to become a celebrity or cash in on his fame. He never once tried to shift the blame or make excuses for what he considered his failures.

He remains a role model worth emulating.

Campaign finance debate is futile exercise



Martin Schram

"Campaign Finance Showdown Nears; House, Senate Leaders Deadlocked Over Limiting PAC Donations." – Headline in the Washington Post, June 27.

Along the K Street assembly lines of Washington's only hometown industry, the lawyers and lobbyists who manufacture legal loopholes that are the envy of the corporate world can't figure what this "showdown" fuss is all about.

For K Street long ago solved the challenges posed to its corporate clients by campaign spending reforms and PAC spending limits. That is why you can read the law that limits contributions by a political action committee to $10,000 – which well-intentioned reformers want to cut in half.

But you can also discover – by reading the soon-to-be-published *Open Secrets: The Encyclopedia of Congressional Money and Politics* by Larry Makinson and Joshua Goldstein of the Center for Responsive Politics – that 21 senators and 29 representatives received 1992 campaign contributions from one corporation or special interest that ranged from $130,405 (13 times the legal PAC limit) to $20,250 (merely twice the limit).

It's all perfectly legal – and it won't be effectively stopped by the compromise that will come out of the "campaign finance showdown." K Street's lawyers and lobbyists long ago fashioned a loophole known as "bundling": A company or other special interest has its executives write out personal checks to a candidate's campaign, then it wraps the checks as one big bundle of joy, to make sure the candidate can measure just how grateful he or she must be.

Since 1907, it has been illegal for companies to give direct contributions; but they can create PACs through which they can give in limited amounts. Or they can use the bundle loophole and give as much as they want. Securities firms have been the most energetic corporate bundlers; nine securities firms made the *Open Secrets* list of biggest bundlers for needy senators in '92.

Time out for a Quick Quiz:

QUESTION: Who was the Capitols' proud recipient of the biggest single bundle – $130,405 – from a single special interest in '92? And who received the second biggest $83,190 bundle? Were they:

(A) Senate Republican Leader Bob Dole, a Senate Finance Committee top GOP; and Sen. Al D'Amato, R-N.Y., ranking Republican on the Banking Committee;

(B) Then-mighty House Ways and Means Chairman Dan Rostenkowski; and House Majority Leader Richard Gephardt, D-Mo.;

(C) Rostenkowski and Rostenkowski (first and second);

(D) Sen. Bob Packwood, R-Ore., a longtime friend of corporate America; and the irrepressible D'Amato;

(E) Sen. Barbara Boxer, D-Calif.; and Sen. Carol Moseley-Braun, D-Ill., two liberal first-termers just elected in 1992.

ANSWER: (E)

Do not adjust your bifocals, that is "E" – for Sens. Boxer and Moseley-Braun. The liberal Senate newcomers topped all of Corporate America's traditional pals because the women's rights groups got their activism together and out-bundled the big boys.

The womens' rights PAC, called Emily's List (for "Early Money Is Like Yeast"), bundled almost $1 million in contributions that the Center for Responsive Politics (where I am a senior fellow) was able to chart by tracking contributions of $200 or more. Emily's List takes credit for bundling $6 million, mostly from individual small donations.

But lest the liberals and women's rights advocates get swept away by their success, the sobering fact is that their money (be it $1 million or $6 million) is dwarfed by the total from corporate America. Right behind the bundles received by Boser and Moseley-Braun was D'Amato's $62,051 bundle from Bear, Stearns & Co. He also got a $32,600 bundle from Goldman, Sachs &Co.; $28,450 from Morgan Stanley & Co.; $24,605 from Merill Lynch; $23,600 from Smith Barney; $22,990 from Coopers & Lybrand; and the beat goes on.

So showdown, schmoedown. K Street's lawyers and lobbyists will always find ways of spinning loop-the-loops around well-intentioned incremental reformers. Nothing short of true, democratic financing of campaigns – using public funding – can end the abuses by which corporations now invest in campaigns and reap huge profitable returns in subsidies and tax bonanzas.

Regulator's memo: Clinton asked for Whitewater advice

By LARRY MARGASAK
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A high-level banking regulator says in a confidential memo that President Clinton sought his "advice and counsel" on Whitewater last New Year's weekend.

Eugene A. Ludwig, the comptroller of the currency, made clear in the memo — and in an interview Monday — that he wasn't comfortable with the request by his old college friend who now is the president.

The memo, obtained by The Associated Press, could be a worrisome political problem for Clinton when Whitewater hearings begin next week — Tuesday in the House and two days later in the Senate.

While Whitewater special counsel Robert Fiske looked into the request and found no criminality, the hearings are to spotlight administration-regulator contacts in full public view.

"The president asked me whether it would be permissible for me, as a lawyer knowledgeable about banking law, to provide advice and counsel on any of the legal-regulatory issues relative to the Whitewater matter," Ludwig wrote in the memo dated March 11.

"Beyond asking this question, the only information I recollect that he imparted to me was that he had done nothing wrong, and moreover had lost money in the transaction."

Whitewater was the name of the Arkansas land venture formerly owned by Clinton and his wife, Hillary, along with James McDougal and his former wife, Susan. McDougal also owned Madison Guaranty Savings and Loan, which later failed. Fiske is investigating whether Whitewater caused losses at Madison.

At their hearings, the House and Senate Banking committees will not delve into the transactions in Arkansas, under an agreement to only cover topics that Fiske has completed examining.

Ludwig wrote the memo in response to Fiske's subpoena to the Treasury Department for documents and communications about Whitewater.

The comptroller said that after Clinton made the request at the Renaissance Weekend conference of policy-makers, held last Dec. 30-Jan. 2 in Hilton Head, S.C., he contacted White House and Treasury officials for advice.

"I told them (the officials) that I was not certain whether to discuss the matter with the president or the first lady," Ludwig said in the memo. "Accordingly, we did not discuss the matter."

White House Counsel Lloyd Cutler said Monday that Clinton was not asking Ludwig to provide his own advice but to "recommend some people to me who understand real estate transactions and could write about them for the public in a way the public could understand."

Asked how Ludwig could conclude that the president was asking him directly for advice, Cutler said in an interview, "They may not have understood one another."

Cutler said Ludwig's calls to administration officials alerted Deputy White House Counsel Joel Klein, who asked Clinton about the conversation.

"Joel said that since Ludwig was comptroller, he thought it was inadvisable to get that sort of information from Ludwig and he (Clinton) should get it from someone else. The president said he will get it from someone else," Cutler said.

Ludwig, a classmate of Clinton at Yale Law School and at Oxford University in England, said in an interview he was "really quite torn" over the president's request.

"Here was a friend who I think a great deal of who was interested in my professional advice," he said. But Ludwig also was on the board of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp., which has played a significant role in Whitewater, and said he "wondered whether I really ought to be discussing this with him. I concluded it was not appropriate, as did the people I discussed it with, and that's where it ended."

Ludwig said he had "no contact, no knowledge, no nothing" regarding the FDIC's role in Whitewater.

While Ludwig said he did not get back to Clinton, it wasn't the end of the matter for the regulator. He said in the memo that last Jan. 19, he contacted Mrs. Clinton's chief of staff, Margaret Williams.

Ludwig wrote he "offered my own unsolicited view that the White House should promptly provide full public disclosure of all materials associated with Whitewater, if that had not already been done."

He also suggested to Williams that the White House should "devote one fulltime lawyer and-or other fulltime staff to the matter because of the great public visibility it was getting. Otherwise, we did not exchange any information," the memo said.

Ludwig wrote he could recollect no other discussions in which he mentioned Whitewater "other than in passing."

Asked in the interview why he called Williams, who participated in other contacts with regulators, Ludwig said he wanted to convey "one thing that seemed to me to be harmless" — his advice on handling the controversy.

His advice, Ludwig said in the interview, was that "in these kinds of matters, the best thing to do was get all this information out up front."

Ludwig's memo was addressed to Edward S. Knight, executive secretary of the Treasury Department, the comptroller of the currency's parent agency.

As comptroller, Ludwig regulates nationally chartered banks, including most of largest banks in the country. That part of his job would not include jurisdiction over Madison Guaranty.

The FDIC, however, has played a major role in investigating Madison. There, Ludwig has considerable influence, since the five-member board has two vacancies.

The FDIC, for example, pursued civil claims related to Madison's failure after the thrift went under in 1989.

Lawmakers take bumpy road to health care reform package

By WALTER R. MEARS
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AP News Analysis

WASHINGTON (AP) — There's an obstacle course coming up on health care reform, with issues like abortion coverage to be bargained by Democratic leaders who need a consensus in order to win a bill. Their majority is fragile, and even allies are wary of roadblocks.

Democratic governors, for example, urged Congress to act, saying health care coverage ought to be guaranteed to all Americans. But they didn't say how the coverage of the uninsured should be paid for, a politically troublesome call.

And there also were complaints at their meeting in Boston that a plan the House Ways and Means Committee approved would saddle states with a costly new federal mandate to pay for coverage of people who can't buy health insurance.

That's not going to be the bill Congress considers. The House and Senate majority leaders are trying to negotiate compromise legislation to bring up for action within the month.

Four committees have approved varying bills, and the advocates of a Canadian-style government insurance system have been assured of a vote on their plan.

At this late point in the health care debate, successive critics have been lodging their complaints, some saying they advocate coverage for all Americans as President Clinton insists, then adding the ifs and buts.

Thus Roman Catholic bishops said they would work for universal coverage, but only if that does not include a requirement for abortion coverage. To include abortion, the bishops said, would be to turn advocates into adversaries.

Abortion would be covered under the committee bills, as under Clinton's original proposal. But the White House apparently is willing to compromise on the point. "I think our goal is to basically work now with the House and the Senate to try to come up with an approach that ... allows people to make that decision, doesn't have the government necessarily impose one approach or the other," Leon Panetta, the White House chief of staff, said on NBC.

That leaves open the question of whether abortion coverage would be in or out as part of a standard benefits package set by the government. Thirty-five House Democrats have said they won't vote for a health care bill that includes it. Sixty-eight, plus four Republicans, say they won't support a bill that doesn't.

And reformers can't afford to lose either bloc of votes.

So they're sidestepping the issue. Promoting universal health coverage Monday, with a study issued by the Catholic Health Association of the United States, they avoided talking about it.

"No, I don't want to comment on that," said Sen. Jay Rockefeller, D-W.Va. "The whole question of abortion or not will be sorted out one way or another in the legislative process."

Rockefeller said what he intends to push, without distraction, "is the godfather, which is universal coverage."

Clinton, meanwhile, said Americans are losing ground on coverage, yet "a lot of people say that what we ought to do is put a Band-Aid on the present system."

"This is one issue where the political rhetoric is divorced from the reality," he said in a speech in Miami on Monday.

That's a complaint both sides have made: Clinton in demanding universal coverage, which he would finance by requiring employers to provide insurance and pay most of the cost, with the government paying to cover the jobless; and Republicans in advocating more limited, incremental change.

Republicans at the National Governors Association conference in Boston said they don't like his proposal to finance it in part by putting a ceiling on federal spending for Medicaid, since that would shift costs to the states.

Ross Perot's United We Stand America has endorsed limited reform. A bipartisan group of former federal officials called the Committee for a Responsible Federal Budget has done the same, saying it would be premature and ill-advised to try to overhaul the system now.

When the governors met in Washington five months ago, they agreed that there should be action on health care this year and urged Congress to get on with it, so that the effort wouldn't be caught up in the politics of the off-year election campaign.

It is.

Government issues final auto label rules

WASHINGTON (AP) — Consumers confused over the increasingly blurred lines of whether or not a new car is American will get some help in showrooms beginning Oct. 1.

A new window sticker will list the combined percentage of parts of the vehicle made in the United States or Canada, where the engine and transmission were made, the name of any nation that supplied more than 15 percent of a vehicle's value and the place of final assembly.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration issued its final rule Monday on how manufacturers must calculate the information.

U.S. automakers hope the label, required by a 1992 law, will quash advertising efforts by foreign-owned manufacturers to depict their vehicles as "made in America." But importers, who do build some of their cars in the United States, say the American Automobile Labeling Act will be misleading to consumers.

Foreign automakers say the labels are deceiving because the value of labor isn't included in the calculations, U.S. and Canadian parts are grouped together and the same part that comes from an internal supplier could be counted differently if purchased by another manufacturer.

Another contentious point is that all cars with the same nameplate will be counted the same even if they are built in more than one country. In other words, a Toyota Camry built in Japan will have the same statistics as one built in Kentucky.

NHTSA decided to allow manufacturers to add a sentence further explaining the domestic content of the vehicles built in the United States.

"We're in favor of a label that would provide accurate information to consumers, but this label would provide useless information to the consumer," said Morry Markowitz, a spokesman for the Association of International Automobile Manufacturers.

Jason Vines, a spokesman for the U.S. Big Three trade group, the American Automobile Manufacturers Association, said all producers are operating under the same rules.

"It's not misleading; it's the first time we have something that's consistent and uniform for the manufacturers," Vines said. "What's been misleading and confusing are comments made by some of those manufacturers that oppose this law most stridently.

"Up to now, that's all consumers have had to go on is these advertisements. Come Oct. 1, they can look on the window sticker and have five simple pieces of information they can use or they can ignore."

Clearly, the law was meant by Congress to boost sales for U.S. automakers. But consumers might be more surprised to see "assembled in Mexico" on a U.S. nameplate.

Columbia astronauts spin roots, separate rat cells

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — Astronauts aboard Columbia spun sprouting cress roots and separated rat cells today while ground controllers monitored a quirky orbiter navigation unit.

Astronauts Leroy Chiao and Donald Thomas separated rat pituitary cells into several hormonal components. Scientists want to know how and why weightlessness slows pituitary systems — which control growth and metabolism — in animals and humans.

Chiao also spun cress roots in a centrifuge for a study of how much gravity the plants need. It's a basic question if humans are ever to grow plants for food and oxygen in space.

Late Monday, Mission Control told the space shuttle crew that five erratic readings were detected in a gyroscope in one of the spacecraft's three navigation units, but the unit was still working.

Inertial measurement units, as the mechanisms are called, feed data to on-board computers about the space shuttle's position in relation to Earth.

"This IMU is still considered to be good and the shuttle could land using only the data from this IMU, if required," said NASA spokesman Kyle Herring.

Monday night, Thomas fished a dead newt out of its small aquarium tank after scientists figured out a way to keep water from splashing around the shuttle laboratory.

He slid back the cover of the small tank, took out the 4-inch salamander, snapped the tank shut and used towels to soak up some spilled water.

Scientists wanted the dead newt out so it wouldn't contaminate the water for newts, newt eggs and Japanese Medaka fish in that tank and two other tanks hooked up to the shuttle aquarium system.

Senate scrambles for compromise on telecommunications reform bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two senators are pushing a bipartisan proposal to impose several conditions on regional telephone companies entering the long-distance and cable television markets.

Sens. John Breaux, D-La., and Trent Lott, R-Miss., are attempting to win enough member and industry support for their plan to be included in a major telecommunications bill offered by Senate Commerce Committee Chairman Ernest Hollings, D-S.C.

Hollings' bill, opposed by the largest phone companies, would let cable and local telephone companies into each others' businesses after meeting a strict legal test.

It also would let the seven regional Bell operating companies manufacture telecommunications equipment and offer long-distance service — the most contentious provision of the bill.

The Breaux-Lott plan would set new terms and conditions for regional Bell company entry into the long-distance and cable businesses.

Even though telephone companies oppose the legal test in the Hollings' bill — saying it would be years before they would be allowed to offer consumer long-distance service — the Breaux-Lott proposal doesn't get them into this business any faster, lobbyists said.

Under the proposal, a local telephone company would have to comply with a list of nine requirements before they can provide both long-distance and cable television services. Those requirements include:

—"Balloting" — allowing customers to chose their local phone company.

—Letting customers who change their local phone company to keep their telephone number.

—Assuring that customers of local phone company competitors don't have to dial extra digits to make local calls.

—Assuring that the assignment of telephone numbers— now controlled by local telephone companies — does not disadvantage competitors.

—Requiring local companies to let competitors connect to their networks to provide local telecommunications services.

—Letting competitors buy telecommunications services from local companies on an a la carte basis.

Lawmakers want the Senate Commerce Committee to vote on a package before the end of this month. This would allow the Senate to consider the measure in September upon returning from its annual August recess.

But then the package still has to be reconciled with the House bill with the final product voted on by each chamber before Congress adjourns in early October.

Panel votes on Supreme Court nominee

WASHINGTON (AP) — Stephen G. Breyer's nomination to become the nation's 108th Supreme Court justice is on track to win Senate confirmation later this week.

The Senate Judiciary Committee, in an expedited move, planned to vote on Breyer's nomination today.

The committee completed a mostly tranquil, four-day hearing into Breyer's nomination last week with no indication any of its 18 members — 10 Democrats and eight Republicans — would vote against the longtime federal judge from Boston.

Committee Chairman Joseph Biden, D-Del., said he hoped that today's vote by the panel would get Breyer's nomination before the full Senate by Thursday or Friday.

President Clinton nominated Breyer to replace the retiring Harry A. Blackmun. The selection turned out to be as noncontroversial as Clinton's nomination of Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg last year.

As a witness before the Senate committee, Breyer bolstered his image as a careful pragmatist who is likely to find a comfortable home at the middle of the generally conservative high court.

He at times sounded somewhat liberal, in voicing general support for affirmative action and separation of church and state. But he also indicated that he could vote to uphold capital punishment and stringent sentences for some criminals.

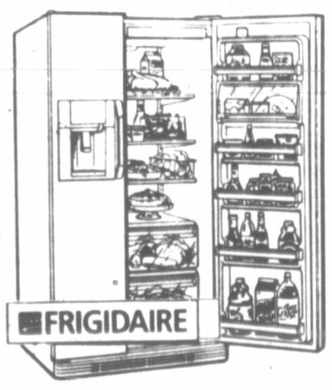
About abortion, Breyer said he considered a woman's right to end her pregnancy "settled law." But he did not say whether he agreed with or opposed past Supreme Court rulings establishing that right.

Breyer told the committee he thinks the law "requires both a heart and head."

"If you don't have a heart, it becomes a sterile set of rules removed from human problems, and it won't help," he said. "If you don't have a head, there's the risk that in trying to decide a particular person's problem ... you cause trouble for a lot of other people, making their lives yet worse."

A federal jurist since 1980 who is now chief judge of the 2nd U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, Breyer previously served as chief counsel of the Senate Judiciary Committee. Last week's hearings made it clear he still has close friends among its members.

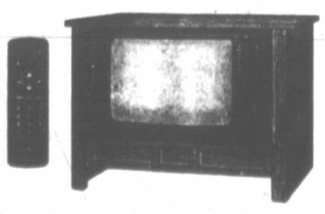
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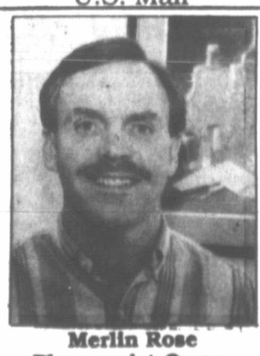
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On eve of showdown, governors draw sharper partisan lines on health care

By JOHN KING
AP Political Writer

BOSTON (AP) – Democratic governors demanded Monday that Congress guarantee health coverage to all Americans, but their silence on how to pay for it undermined White House hopes for help in the reform uebate.

To counter the Democrats, GOP governors inched closer to backing Senate Republican leader Bob Dole's health care proposal, provided Dole abandons his call for caps on Medicaid and finds a new way to pay for his plan.

The developments set the stage for a Tuesday showdown between President Clinton and Dole at the closing session of the National Governors Association summer meeting.

Keeping with NGA tradition, the partisan maneuvering was polite, as governors stressed they had far more bipartisan consensus on health care than members of Congress and were eager for major reform to be passed this year.

And neither side planned to propose any major changes to the NGA health care policy adopted in February. That document endorses an array of insurance reforms and subsidies for low-income Americans but stops short of calling for universal coverage or offering any financing proposal.

The Democratic governors' resolution was designed to give Clinton, who was giving a health care speech in Florida on Monday, a political boost, and White House aides insisted it did – by putting a majority of the nation's governors on record supporting "guaranteed health benefits that cannot be taken away."

But the Democratic Governors Association document's silence on financing left it with little political muscle, despite a weekend of negotiations with White House officials over how the Democrats could come to Clinton's defense.

After all, even most conservative Republicans say they are in favor of the concept of universal coverage, but do not believe the government or employers can afford to pay for it.

"We don't have all the answers," conceded Gov. Evan Bayh of Indiana, the DGA chairman.

The Democratic organization could not endorse Clinton's financing plan – requiring employers to provide coverage and pay 80 percent of the cost – because many of its individual members oppose it.

"I'm running for office," said New Mexico Gov. Bruce King. "The mandates get kind of hard to defend."

Because of that omission, Republicans labeled the Democratic statement meaningless.

"I think it just reinforces the predicament the president is in over how to pay for this," said GOP Gov. Tommy Thompson of Wisconsin. Instead of holding out for universal coverage, Thompson said Clinton should take the best of the Democratic and GOP proposals and fashion a plan that would have broad support and cover most of those who do not now have insurance.

"Right now he's like a guy who got to the altar but won't consummate the marriage because he didn't get everything he wants," Thompson said. "He could miss a chance to take a great step forward."

The Democratic resolution also does not use the words "universal coverage," White House shorthand for its bottom line. The governors said that was not a slight, but that they viewed the term as confusing and preferred the word "guaranteed," which appears eight times in their nine-paragraph resolution.

"It's fine with us because we mean the same thing," said Marcia Hale, Clinton's liaison to the governors.

Throughout the weekend, Republicans joined Democrats in lambasting the Dole proposal, which includes caps on certain Medicaid spending. Governors say such federal caps mean the costs would be shifted to state budgets, forcing cuts in other programs or higher taxes.

"We're the guys who have to take the money out of education, the guys who can't man the prisons," said one GOP governor, South Carolina's Carroll Campbell.

But Campbell said Republicans like the Dole plan otherwise, and had received assurances from the senator that he would address their concerns. "The caps are not a killer because it can be changed," he said. "If he does that, I think you will find Republicans will be comfortable supporting his plan."

The Republican Governors Association chairman, Maine's John McKernan, echoed that view and said the Dole plan was more in line with the NGA's bipartisan policy "as long as he fixes the caps on Medicaid."

The Democrats and allies took a much dimmer view of Dole's plan.

The Democratic governors said it would "shift enormous new costs onto the states' taxpayers," and Bayh labeled it "a calamity."

Two Clinton allies in the health care fight, the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees and Citizen Action, released a study that said the Dole plan would cost states $115 billion from 1996 through 2003.

Probe opens into France's tainted blood AIDS scandal

By CHRISTOPHER BURNS
Associated Press Writer

PARIS (AP) – A French prosecutor opened an inquiry Monday into allegations a former prime minister and two other top officials were to blame for the distribution of AIDS-tainted blood through a national bloodbank.

Monday's development was the biggest gain yet in the campaign by infected transfusion patients and their families to hold top government officials accountable for a scandal that, so far, has been blamed only on doctors.

Officials had ruled the statute of limitations prevented charging the former ministers with negligence for the infection of 1,200 hemophiliacs with the virus that causes AIDS in 1985. More than 300 have died.

But Prosecutor General Pierre Truche said he opened a judicial investigation into "the administration of substances harmful to health," a charge that could bring a 10-year prison sentence.

Those named in the probe were Socialist former Prime Minister Laurent Fabius, former Social Affairs Minister Georgina Dufoix, and Edmond Herve, the former deputy health minister.

Fabius, now a member of Parliament, noted that he had "asked for such an investigation for a long time." In a statement, he said he expected the investigation would "contribute to establishing the truth clearly, rapidly and completely."

Families of the victims, many of them children, have pressed prosecutors to continue pursuing officials linked to the France's worst health scandal, which contributed to the Socialists' defeat last year.

The inquiry, which was expected, is the result of constitutional reform approved last July that allowing citizens with a grievance against the government to petition a judicial panel for an investigation.

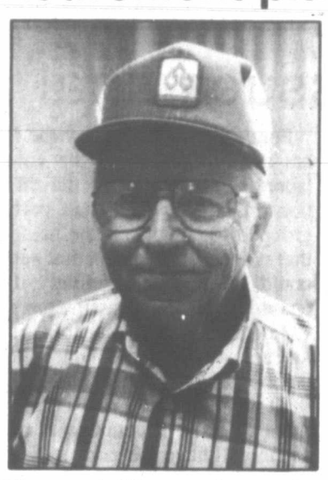
Another prosecutor recommended last month that four lower-ranking former health officials already convicted in the scandal should be tried again on the harsher charge of poisoning. A panel of judges is to rule on his recommendation this week,

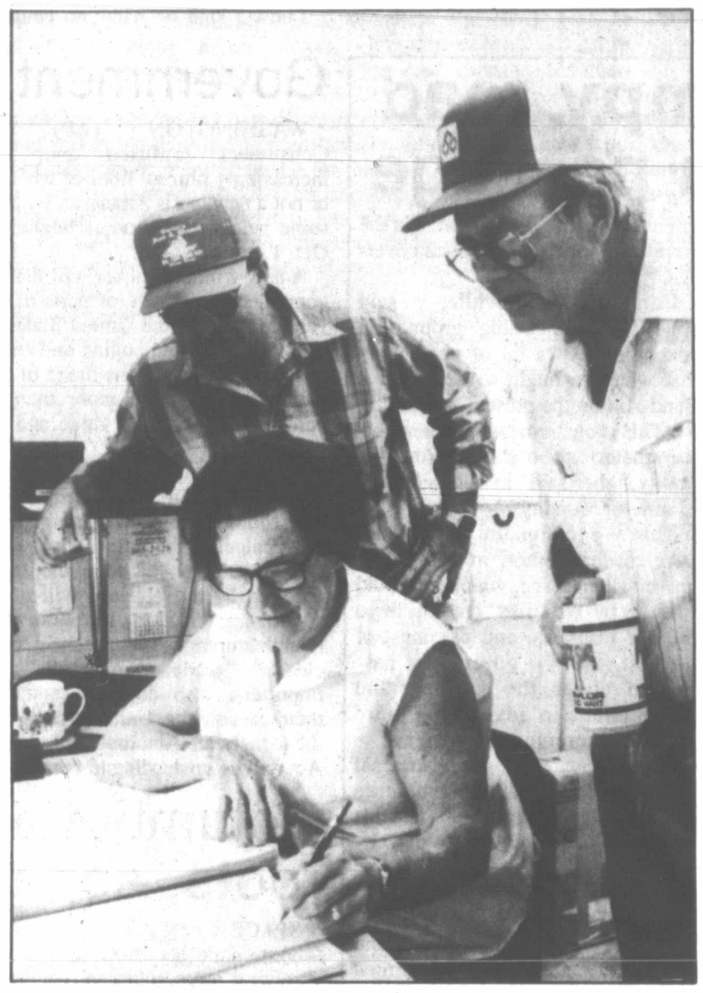
The four were convicted in 1992 of knowingly allowing hemophiliacs to receive transfusions of blood that risked carrying the human immunodeficiency virus, or HIV, which causes AIDS.

The key defendant was Michel Garretta, former head of France's national blood bank, who was sentenced to four years in prison. Dr. Jean-Pierre Allain, chief researcher for the National Center for Blood Transfusion, received a two-year sentence, and two other defendants received suspended sentences.

Prosecutors have said the government could have used available techniques to decontaminate HIV-tainted blood or replace it with untainted stocks.

Retirement plans





Diamond Shamrock employees Betty Nabors, seated, and James Red and Max Gatten make plans for the retirement party of Jim Reddell, above, superintendent of the North Texas Plains system of Diamond Shamrock. Reddell has been with the company for 18 1/2 years. He and his wife Sue have three children, Mike, Tim and Beth. A retirement dinner is planned for July 28 at 7 p.m. in the Shriners' Sportsman Club. The plant is located 3 1/2 miles southeast of Pampa off the Bowers City Highway. (Photos by Darlene Holmes)

Mr. Nice Guy lawyer guides Simpson's defense

By LINDA DEUTSCH
AP Special Correspondent

LOS ANGELES (AP) – He hobnobs with the rich and famous, sits in front-row seats when celebrities sing and when sports figures score, and gets them out of jams with the law.

Robert Shapiro is familiar with showtime. Now he faces the ultimate spotlight as O.J. Simpson's lawyer in the ultimate murder case.

Colleagues portray the dapper, bushy-browed Shapiro as the Mr. Nice Guy of Los Angeles legal circles, a man with a gentlemanly style. But the Simpson case has become a messy tabloid affair.

Is Shapiro the right man for the case?

"I don't know who the right lawyer is," said defense attorney Harland Braun, who was involved in the "Twilight Zone" manslaughter case and the second Rodney King beating trial. "The case would scare the hell out of me. It's 10 times bigger than I ever thought it would be."

Simpson, charged with the June 12 slayings of his ex-wife Nicole Brown Simpson and her friend Ronald Goldman, at first turned to a friend, lawyer Howard Weitzman, for representation. When Weitzman withdrew, citing conflicts, Shapiro stepped in.

Shapiro is known as a team builder. Already, F. Lee Bailey and Alan Dershowitz have been assigned out-of-court roles on the defense team, and constitutional scholar Gerald Uelmen was co-counsel for Simpson's preliminary hearing.

Other top lawyers are being consulted, and it's uncertain who will occupy that crucial second defense chair when the case reaches trial.

"The most difficult decision I will make and O.J. will make is which lawyer will be in court with me," Shapiro said.

Leslie Abramson, who as the lawyer for Erik Menendez is accustomed to heavy publicity, knows Shapiro well. He preceded her on the murder case.

"So much is at stake that you want to be perfect," she said. "There's a lot of grief and anxiety. You second-guess your every thought, your every tactic."

Added to these concerns, Abramson said, is the loss of privacy in a high-publicity case and scrutiny by a world of second-guessers.

For Shapiro, a man who seems to have made no enemies, the experience could be shocking.

"They're taking potshots at him already," Abramson said. "Every lawyer in the country is auditioning for his job. ... That's something Bob would be terribly upset by. He's always been a team player and a gentleman."

If the pressures surrounding the Simpson case are bothering him, it doesn't show. Shapiro recently attended World Cup soccer games, the celebrity-studded "Three Tenors" concert at Dodger Stadium and the opening of the trendy Eclipse restaurant in Beverly Hills, where he mingled with Hollywood's biggest stars.

Shapiro, 51, made headlines in 1990 when he arranged a plea bargain for Marlon Brando's son Christian on a murder charge.

He successfully defended Bailey on drunken driving charges and was Johnny Carson's lawyer when the late-night king pleaded no contest to driving under the influence.

He was the lawyer who had Darryl Strawberry cleared last year of an allegation of striking a woman, and he reached deals that avoided prison time for Jose Canseco, who was charged with a weapons offense, and Vince Coleman, who was accused of throwing a firecracker in the parking lot outside Dodger Stadium that injured three people.

His frequent plea bargains have earned Shapiro a reputation as a master negotiator rather than a courtroom warrior.

Shapiro, carefully guarding his options, refused to be formally interviewed for a profile, saying only that, "Everything I do is in the interest of helping my client."

He plans to make a big issue of publicity generated by District Attorney Gil Garcetti after Simpson's arrest, and he clearly wants to steer clear of publicity-mongering accusations.

Simpson is due for arraignment Friday, and Shapiro has said he will seek a trial within 60 days.

Despite early indications that his strategy will focus on excluding damaging evidence, Shapiro said recently his aim is not to have the case thrown out on a technicality.

Shapiro said the prosecution appears to have little more against Simpson than what it presented at a televised preliminary hearing.

"He has to be acquitted on the facts," Shapiro said, "and I believe he will be."

Deserters from Hitler's army seek recognition as 'resisters'

By ARTHUR ALLEN
Associated Press Writer

BONN, Germany (AP) – "Soldiers may die," Hitler said. "Deserters must die." Ludwig Baumann was a sailor in Hitler's navy who didn't want to kill or die. He tried to escape.

Baumann got as far as the border with Vichy France that May 4, 1942, before he was captured, hurled into chains and sentenced to death at the German naval base in occupied Bordeaux.

Germany has paid billions to compensate the victims of Nazism, and made heroes of the 5,000 people executed for roles in the failed July 20, 1944 attempt to kill Hitler. But it still doesn't know what to do about the more ambiguous Nazi cases like Ludwig Baumann.

German military courts executed as many as 20,000 German deserters during World War II. By comparison, one American deserter was executed and a handful of Britons.

The Nazi death sentences were an instrument of terror intended to hold together a disintegrating German army. But even now, not all Germans think this was a bad idea.

Retired Gen. Juergen Schneider, leader of the largest German veterans' association, says the soldiers who battled the Red Army to the last on the eastern front helped save part of Europe from Communist occupation.

"To say that most of the deserters were resisters is grotesque," he said. "They simply left their pals in the lurch."

Most of the 11 million Germans now older than 65 served Hitler in some capacity; about 1 million were soldiers.

These numbers help explain why, in an election year, Chancellor Helmut Kohl's party opposes legislation that would compensate deserters or their families and declare the death sentences unjust.

"To say those who deserted were right, and those who remained and fought and even gave their lives were wrong – we can't say that," said Norbert Geis, a conservative Parliament leader.

"The generation of the sons of soldiers are in Parliament, and they don't want a bill that says, 'What my father did was senseless,'" said Uwe Lambinus, a Social Democrat sponsor of the bill. It comes up for a vote in September.

It took decades for defeated Germany to recognize the heroism of Col. Claus von Stauffenberg and the other soldiers and aristocrats who plotted against Hitler in 1944.

Some forms of resistance are seen as setting bad examples in a nation where obedience and duty are important values.

The drinking and romantic affairs of war profiteer Oskar Schindler, whose rescue of 1,100 Jews is recorded in the film, "Schindler's List," contributed to the fact that when he died in 1974, Germany didn't mourn him.

Still unrecognized are the Edelweiss Pirates, teenagers who colonized the bomb-blasted warrens of wartime Cologne, doing black market deals, harassing the Hitler Youth and occasionally protecting Jews and slave laborers.

"We wore our hair long, we had a knife in our sock, and we wouldn't march," said Jean Juelich, 65, a former Edelweiss Pirate. "We considered ourselves in resistance."

"The position of the authorities is that the Edelweiss Pirates were insects, anti-social elements and criminals," he said at his Cologne home.

Although Juelich was declared a "righteous Gentile" by Israel in 1984, a North Rhine-Westphalia state investigation determined in 1987 that Juelich's group had been petty criminals — though more to be pitied than scorned.

About a third of the condemned deserters, including Ludwig Baumann, were given a reprieve and made to join penal battalions that did dirty jobs like clearing minefields and fighting partisans.

Baumann, now 73, was shot in the back during an ambush in Ukraine. A sympathetic doctor helped him malinger the rest of the war away at a military hospital in Czechoslovakia.

"When I think back 50 years and try to remember why I deserted, I can't pinpoint my feelings," Baumann said in an interview. His fantasy was to escape to Morocco, and from there to America.

Rabies emergency declared

AUSTIN (AP) – Citing an increase in rabies in south and west central Texas, Gov. Ann Richards has declared a state health emergency.

Richards on Monday also called a meeting of state officials this week to discuss the emergency and to develop a plan of action.

"We must protect the people of Texas against rabies, and I am committed to taking whatever action is necessary to control the rabies problem," Richards said in a letter to state Health Commissioner David Smith.

According to Texas Department of Health information, there has been an increase in canine rabies in South Texas and gray fox rabies in west central Texas.

The health department says that in the first five months of 1994, 91 people in South Texas and 126 people in other areas of the state have received post-exposure treatment for rabies.

Richards said she wants state officials to consider oral vaccination of coyotes, foxes and other animals affected by rabies; population reduction of animals likely to transmit the disease; increased rabies vaccination efforts; public education activities; and costs and funding sources for a rabies reduction program.

The session will include officials of Texas A&M University, the health department, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, the Texas Department of Agriculture and the Texas Animal Damage Control Service.

Health advocacy group now directs its attacks against Mexican food restaurants

By DARLENE SUPERVILLE
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) – Toss the tacos, bypass that burrito and just say "no" to the refried beans, guacamole, sour cream and tortilla chips.

Ask for the fat-free salsa instead.

The consumer group that attacked the fat in movie popcorn and in Italian and Chinese meals now warns that most Mexican dishes in restaurants will saddle you with up to a full day's worth of fat and sodium, and more than 1,000 calories.

But unlike Chinese and Italian food, the Center for Science in the Public Interest said, it found few ways consumers could improve the nutritional value of Mexican restaurant food.

"Mexican food is not seen as health food," Michael Jacobson, the executive director, acknowledged at a news conference Monday, "but I think the numbers will shock anybody who has had any concern about health."

"Seeing that you're using up three-fourths of your fat intake just on the side dishes is utterly shocking. It's completely unnecessary," he said.

Herman Cain, president of the National Restaurant Association, said the study "feeds the nation's paranoia about the food system" and "may be far worse than serving the nation an extra gram of fat from time to time."

"In fact, there is nothing wrong with Mexican restaurant food for customers concerned about nutrition if they make the right choices," Cain said in a statement. "The low-fat, low-cholesterol items are there. The consumer merely has to ask for them."

The center's nutritionists bought take-out portions of the 15 most popular Mexican dishes at 19 table-service restaurants in Chicago, Dallas, San Francisco and Washington.

Equal portions of the same dish were mixed and a sample of each was sent to an independent lab for testing, in which the Department of Agriculture assisted, said Bonnie Liebman, director of nutrition for the center.

Liebman said there was no single culprit in Mexican cuisine, but that the problem starts with the side dishes – Mexican rice, refried beans, sour cream and guacamole – and is magnified by the added entree.

Of the 15 dishes, the survey found the only "safe bet" to be chicken fajitas with flour tortillas – but only when eaten without the trimmings.

The worst choice was the chiles rellenos platter. "You might as well eat a stick of butter and one and a half teaspoons of salt," Liebman said of the cheese-stuffed, deep-fried pepper topped with cheese and red sauce.

The Mexican rice served was often sauteed in oil or shortening before it was cooked in chicken broth, which typically is high in sodium.

Somewhere in the middle were:

— Beef-and-cheese nachos: A serving has more than 1,300 calories and as much fat as an stick of butter. Half an order equals three-fourths of the recommended daily allowance of 65 grams of fat.

— Chicken burritos: Second-best, although fattier than fajitas because of the cheese on top and the refried beans inside.

— Taco salad: Each has a day's worth of fat and saturated fat and 1,100 calories, excluding the dressing. It can be made healthier by skipping the ground beef, cheese, guacamole, sour cream and fried tortilla shell – leaving

3 1/2 cups of plain lettuce?

— Beef chimichanga platter: The ground beef-stuffed, deep-fried tortilla, served with rice, beans, sour cream and guacamole, has 1,600 calories.

Lynn Miller, a spokeswoman for the Chi-Chi's chain of Mexican eateries, said the company's 206 restaurants offer a variety of grilled items, fresh produce, nonfried tortillas, fat-free salsa and low-calorie dressing.

"All of our food is prepared right before we serve it so certainly individuals can make requests if they want," Miller said.

Meanwhile, Jacobson praised the 15-outlet Macheezmo Mouse chain of Mexican restaurants based in Portland, Ore., that grills and steams its meals, uses reduced-fat cheese, adds no fat to its beans and offers vegetables as side-dishes.

In a letter to executives of 13 Mexican restaurant chains, he asked them to consider a number of steps to make their food more healthful, including using leaner ground beef and offering whole-wheat tortillas and brown rice.

Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I read a letter in your column that hit me right between the eyes. I am referring to the letter signed "Needs Love." I have been married for nearly seven years. I am 46 and my husband is 52. This is a second marriage for both of us. There is absolutely no tenderness, no touching and no sex. It has been that way for the last six years.

I get three pecks on the cheek a day. One to say, "Goodbye, I'm going to work," one to say, "I'm home," and another to say, "Goodnight, I'm going to sleep."

We have sought counseling with different counselors. My husband has consulted a urologist, and we've purchased the "Making Love Work" videotapes. Nothing has helped. He's just not interested.

Abby, I feel lonely, rejected and starved for affection. I've never cheated — that's not my style — but I've thought of it often.

He's a decent, honest man. Can you help me? Maybe one of your readers can tell me how a wife copes when she's married to an "ice man."

LONELY, REJECTED AND MARRIED

DEAR LONELY: Some men — and women, too — lose interest in sex with the passing years. (When they both lose interest at the same time, there's no problem.) There's obviously a big communication gap here. Is your husband uninterested, unwilling or unable? Have you communicated what turns you on — and off?

I suggest you give therapy another chance. You can always throw in the towel if you find your love life is hopeless.

DEAR ABBY: Every year, during June, July and August, the moving and storage industry does approximately 60 percent of its annual business. Most families choose the end of the month for their moving dates, which puts an incredible strain on the movers to provide services to these people.

This could mean anything from the van not showing up, to having inexperienced "street help" handling your precious heirlooms. Many carriers charge a premium of 10 percent during these periods.

Abby, please advise your readers to try to schedule their move during another week of the month if at all possible.

They should discuss their options with their movers for the best time to move. The result is a better job done at a better price.

MOVING CONSULTANT

DEAR CONSULTANT: Thanks for the tip. Perhaps the moving companies should offer a discount as an incentive for people to move during off-peak weeks.

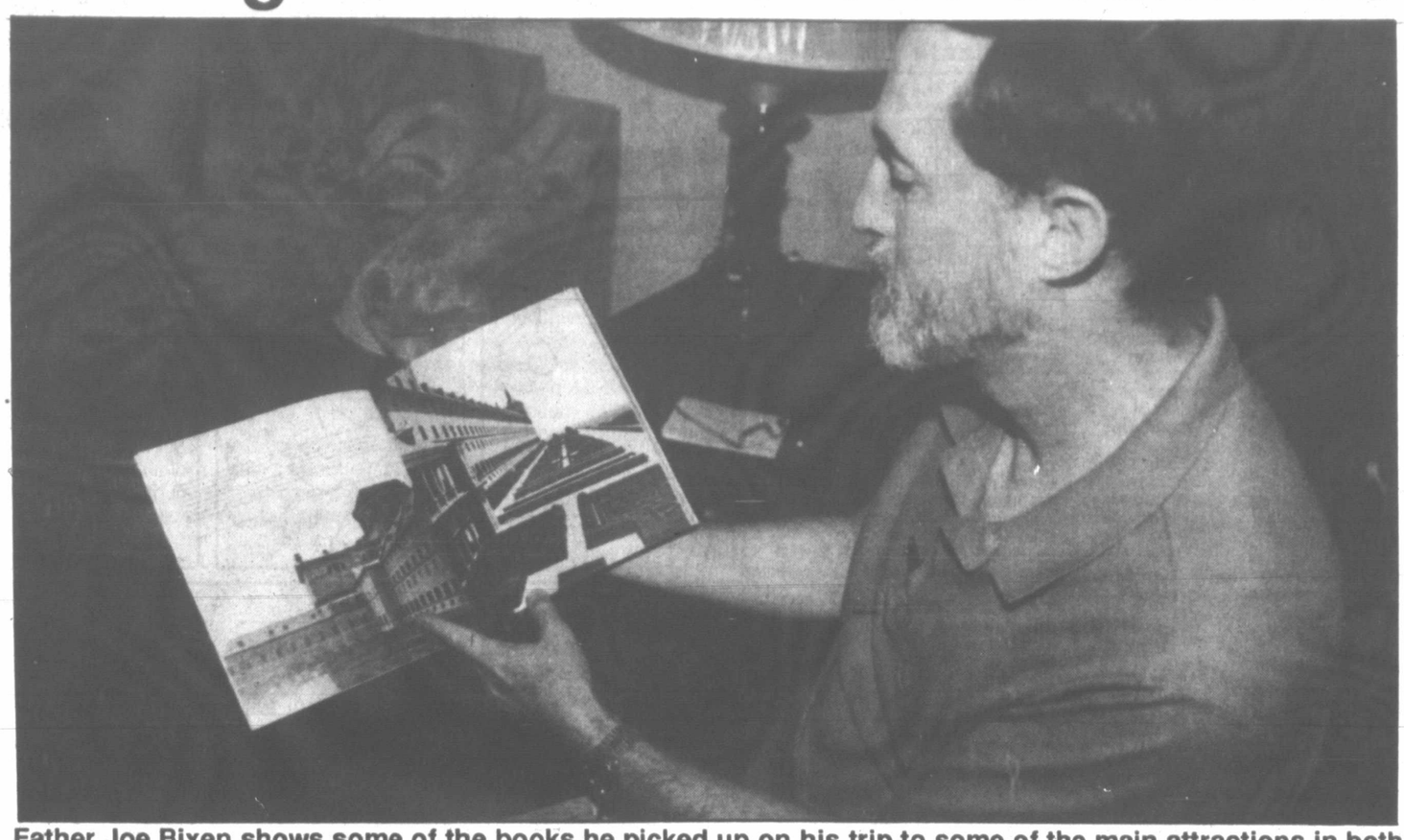
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Seeing the sights of different countries

By MELINDA MARTINEZ
Lifestyles Editor



Father Joe Bixen shows some of the books he picked up on his trip to some of the main attractions in both Spain and Portugual. (*Pampa News* photo by Melinda Martinez)

For quite awhile, Father Joe Bixenman has been traveling this world and seeing the different sights and experiencing the different cultures it has to offer.

"I've ended up going every year to somewhere major for quite a number of years," said Bixenman.

"I love to travel," he said. "And meet different people."

This year, Bixenman traveled to Spain and Portugal. Though he has been to most of Europe, including Germany, France, and Italy, this was the first time he has been to both Spain and Portugal.

Since he also speaks Spanish, he said it helped him out quite a bit on this journey .

He likes to go somewhere every year if possible with friends. With a group of ten people from a travel group his father has in Amarillo which belongs to the St. Thomas the Apostle Church, they started in Madrid and traveled through several other cities in Spain including Cordoba, Costa del Sol, Gibraltar and Seville.

"Spain is well noted for its Moorish architecture," he said.

"Madrid is a pretty big city," he said, adding that it has a population of three million.

"We were able to see the palace of King Juan Carlos and the Prado Museum."

At the museum, he saw the art of some of Spain's most well noted artists such as Velazquez and El Greco and he even bought a couple of copies of their work.

He said he was most impressed with El Greco even though, he added, he was Greek and not Spanish.

In Portugal, they journeyed through the capital of Lisbon and went through the village of Fatima where the Virgin Mary appeared to a three children who were tending sheep in 1917.

Since his first trip in 1975 which was to Rome and the Holy Land, he has also been to Australia, the British Isles, and Ireland.

"I think the best thing I do is get back in touch with history," said Bixenman about his travels. "I get to see places where history was made."

Chiefly, he said he likes to meet people and experience different cultures.

"We get too parochial," said Bixenman.

"We can become very intolerant of others' ways and customs."

Adjusting oven thermostat to match control dial not difficult

By POPULAR MECHANICS
For AP Special Features

Q: Our Kenmore electric range has developed a problem in baking. It appears that the true oven temperature is higher than the indicated temperature setting on the control dial. Is there a way I can verify this, and correct the problem?

A: An electric range should operate with the oven control dial matching the oven temperature. Adjusting the appliance to do this is not difficult and is a good way to get more consistent baking performance.

Begin by checking if the appliance has a sensing bulb. Look to the rear of the oven, and if you see a long thin bulb attached to the oven wall, check that it is not loose. Next, use a mercury oven thermometer (available at large hardware stores) placed in the center of the oven to check the oven temperature. Set the oven dial to 400 degrees F and let the appliance cycle on and off several times. Record the temperature with each cycle.

Average the temperatures. It should be 25 degrees F above or below the dial setting. If not, adjust the oven thermostat. To do this, remove the oven control dial and, using a thin-blade screwdriver, move the calibration screw at the bottom of the shaft while holding the shaft with pliers (this is the most common type of calibration mechanism, though there are variations of it). A quarter turn of the screw changes the oven temperature about 25 degrees F. A clockwise turn increases temperature and counter clockwise decreases it.

Check the oven temperature as before. If after several tries you cannot get the temperature to match the dial setting, replace the thermostat.

Q: I would like to install a strip oak tongue-and-groove floor on top of an above-grade concrete slab. However, I've heard horror stories of costly wood floors buckling from moisture. How can I avoid problems caused by moisture that might accumulate in the area under the slab?

A: A hardwood floor can be installed on a concrete slab at or above grade. The Oak Flooring Institute recommends against below-grade installations.

Moisture is the chief culprit in hardwood floor buckling, so test the slab for dryness. Tape 1 square foot of clear polyethylene sheet to the slab, sealing its edges with plastic tape. If, after 24 hours, no clouding or moisture droplets have formed under it, the slab is dry enough to install a wood floor.

To prevent moisture from reaching the underside of the hardwood floor, place a vapor barrier of either building felt or polyethylene plastic over the slab prior to installation.

Future cable boxes will have power of personal computers

By POPULAR MECHANICS
A Hearst Magazine

The cable box may be the vehicle to help you navigate the information superhighway, but it won't be the econobox model that now sits atop your television.

The souped-up cable box will have the power of a personal computer and will be the gateway for information services, commercial transactions and mega-channel cable systems filled with digitally compressed channels, George Mannes wrote in an article in the current issue of Popular Mechanics.

You will be able to use them to plan your viewing schedule for the week or to make phone calls.

Because virtually all cable boxes are owned by the cable systems that deliver programming, the type of box you'll get will ultimately be decided by your local cable company. There are more than 10,000 cable systems across the country, and companies that are major suppliers of set-top boxes are building them with varying degrees of capabilities.

One new box, called a "home communications terminal," is the 8600x from Scientific-Atlanta. It will be compatible with forthcoming on-screen interactive programming guides. It also comes with an infrared-signal emitter for one-button recording on your VCR.

Cable operators who choose it will be able to download software through the cable system into the 8600x. The converter also will have a slot for a card that can be used to change or add applications, provide security or expand the unit's memory. A serial data port can be hooked up to a printer.

"The main idea is to be flexible," said Scientific-Atlanta spokesman Bill Brobst. "There are applications out there that we haven't thought about yet. And when there are, we'll be able to download them."

Flexibility also is the idea behind Project Skywalker, a low-cost box that can deliver conventional analog TV channels, digitized video and various interacting services. It is a collaborative effort of Scientific-Atlanta, Motorola and Kaleida Labs, itself a joint venture of Apple and IBM, scheduled to be available in 1995.

Also taking the flexible approach is General Instrument. The simplest boxes in its forthcoming line will feature on-screen text menus for features like parental lockout, favorite-channel grazing and time-delay VCR programming, according to Dario Santana, GI's director of addressable systems.

In a cable system that offers sophisticated transactions, much of the intelligence will be in the home box rather than in a central computer. GI is devising a standardized module that could be included in set-top boxes for delivery of interactive devices.

"This would allow that set-top converter to run any level of graphical application that you could imagine," Santana said.

The module, the LinX, is being developed in cooperation with chip manufacturer Intel and software giant Microsoft. It may be introduced by the end of the year.

Some cable operators plan to increase their capacity by transmitting some channels in digitized, compressed form over the cable network. Tele-Communications Inc., the nation's largest cable TV company, is planning to open a $100 million digital television center in Denver.

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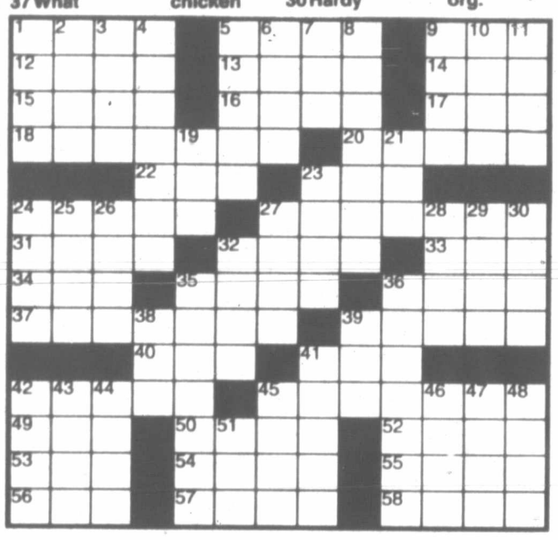
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WALNUT COVE — By Mark Cullum



ARLO & JANIS — By Jimmy Johnson



EEK & MEEK — By Howie Schneider



B.C. — By Johnny Hart



Astro-Graph

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Let well enough alone today in situations where associates are trying to do something for your benefit. What you have to add to the mix could sour the deal rather than sweeten it. Cancer, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing $1.25 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, N.Y. 10163. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) In your commercial affairs today, don't be so impatient that you take the first proposal that is offered. Your deal can be improved, if you have the courage to wait things out.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Someone who historically has proven to be only a part-time ally might attempt to thwart your progress today. If you're aware of this, you'll find ways to circumvent him/her.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Hostile reactions are a possibility today if co-workers aren't treated with consideration and respect. Try to do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Calculated risks you take for practical purposes today should pan out. However, gambling just for the sake of gambling could produce undesirable results.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) In your involvements with outsiders today, you'll behave in a manner that should generate good will. Unfortunately, you might not use these same admirable tactics on family members.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Today, if you have a poor attitude, it will make everything you attempt to do harder than it should be. This can be reversed, however, and inspire productivity.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Situations of a financial or worldly nature might not work out too well for you today, yet you could be very lucky in arrangements you have with persons with whom you have a strong bond.

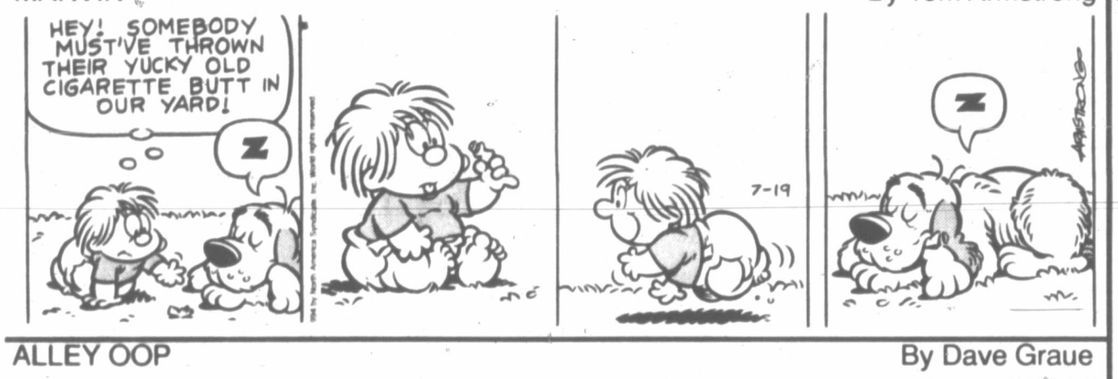
PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Your nobler qualities may be magnified today, but, unfortunately, your less-desirable traits could be as well. Be sure to display more of the former and less of the latter.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Rather than avoid social encounters today, strive to bask in them. You need a sociable sounding board to combat loneliness or despondency. Smile and partake.

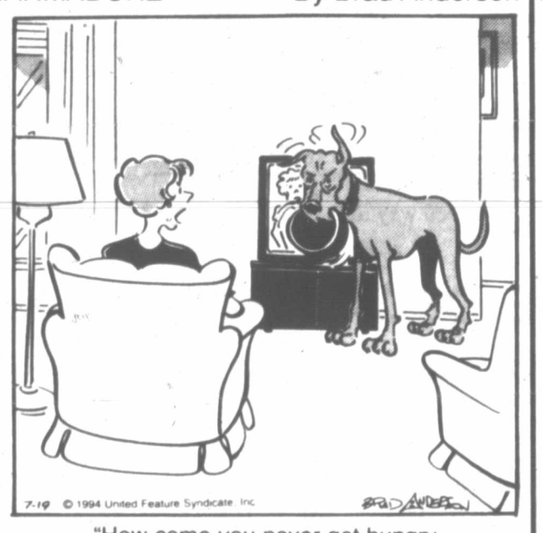
TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Things on which you're depending might be on wobbly legs today and not come through when needed. Conversely, that in which you put little stock could be a winner.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) In order for successes to be meaningful for you today, what is achieved must be shared with others. If it isn't, your gratification may be only nominal.

MARVIN — By Tom Armstrong

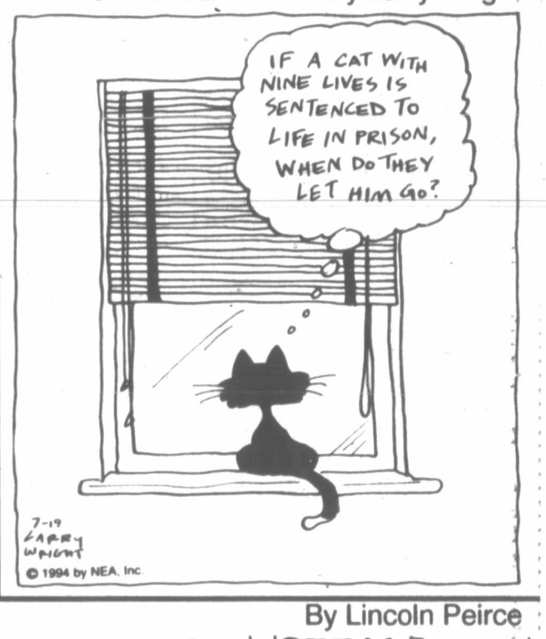


MARMADUKE — By Brad Anderson



"How come you never get hungry during the commercials?"

KIT N' CARLYLE — By Larry Wright



ALLEY OOP — By Dave Graue



BIG NATE — By Lincoln Peirce



BEATTIE BLVD. — By Bruce Beattie



THE FAMILY CIRCUS — By Bil Keane



"Won't this pollute the ocean if I go in?"

CALVIN AND HOBBES — By Bill Watterson



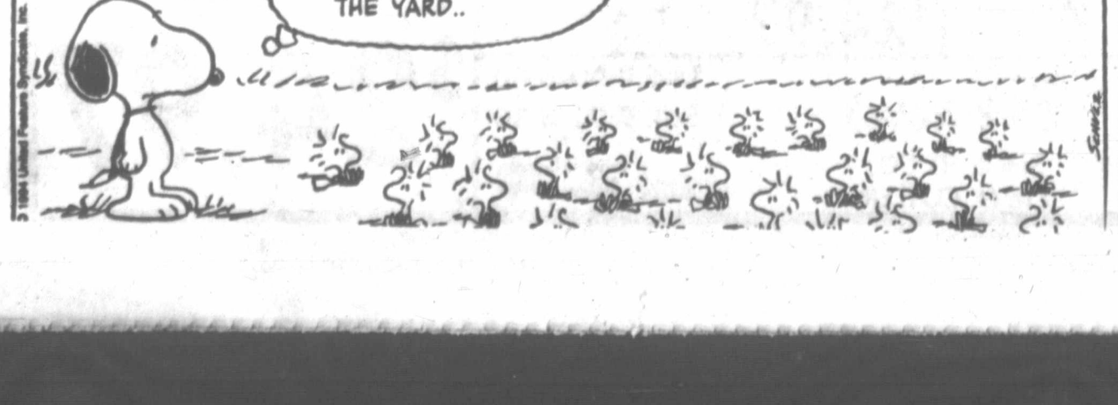
THE BORN LOSER — By Art and Chip Sansom



FRANK AND ERNEST — By Bob Thaves



PEANUTS — By Charles M. Schulz



GARFIELD — By Jim Davis



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BASEBALL

CLEVELAND (AP) — Cleveland Indians outfielder Albert Belle was suspended for 10 days for attempting to use a corked bat following a weekend investigation that included a mysterious switched bat.

Belle appealed the suspension, which will be delayed until his hearing before American League president Bobby Brown in New York on July 29.

The bat, supplied to the league Sunday by the Indians after someone in the organization took it from the umpires' dressing room in Chicago's Comiskey Park on Friday night, was found to contain cork when it was X-rayed and sawed open.

The Indians have not disclosed who switched bats. The culprit apparently used a ceiling crawlspace to get into the locked room.

NEW YORK (AP) — Baseball players rejected the owners' salary cap proposal, moving the sides closer to a confrontation that could interrupt the season.

During a four-hour bargaining session, union head Donald Fehr asked owners to return the threshold for salary arbitration to two years instead of three and to raise the minimum salary from $109,000 to between $175,000 and $200,000.

Fehr said the union believed management's salary cap proposal would transfer at least $1.5 billion from players to owners if revenues rise at an average of 7 percent per year.

NEW YORK (AP) — Kansas City's Wally Joyner, who had his first five-hit game Saturday and reached base in 10 consecutive plate appearances, is the American League player of the week. Colorado's Dante Bichette, who hit .632 with two homers, was honored in the NL.

LAS VEGAS (AP) — The Clark County District Attorney's office will review the death of a woman who was shot when a gun discharged while Las Vegas Stars pitcher Fidel Compres was playing with the weapon at his apartment. The 19-year-old woman's identity was not released pending notification of family members.

HOOVER, Ala. (AP) — Michael Jordan was 0-for-3 in Birmingham's 1-0 loss to Greenville in the Southern League to drop his average to .190.

BASKETBALL

NEW YORK (AP) — U.S. District Judge Kevin Duffy declared the NBA's salary cap, college draft and right of first refusal legal and urged the league and its players to stay out of court in the future.

Duffy rejected the NBA Players Association's argument that the salary cap violated antitrust law, saying the NBA was not subject to the law as long as it has a collective bargaining relationship with the union. The ruling freed teams to resume signing contracts with players.

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — U.S. District Judge James Rosenbaum ruled the NBA may release its schedule, invalidating a Louisiana judge's ruling forbidding it until the Minnesota Timberwolves' sale is resolved.

Rosenbaum, ruling from Duluth in a hearing conducted by conference call, voided Thursday's ruling by Bernette Johnson, a state district judge in New Orleans. League rules forbid teams from moving after schedules are released.

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Golden State acquired guard Ricky Pierce, the rights to former Tennessee State forward Carlos Rogers and two 1995 second-round picks from Seattle for guard Sarunas Marciulionis and forward Byron Houston.

FOOTBALL

DAVIE, Fla. (AP) — Miami Dolphins offensive tackle Richmond Webb signed a three-year contract extension through 1997 for an average of $2.7 million a season. He'll earn a base salary of $645,000 this year under his previous deal.

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The Philadelphia Eagles signed former Georgia offensive tackle Bernard Williams, selected 14th overall in the NFL draft, to a five-year contract for $5.1 million, including a $2.125 million signing-reporting bonus.

ASHBURN, Va. (AP) — Free safety Brad Edwards, scheduled to make $825,000, was released by the Washington Redskins to clear salary cap room to sign rookie quarterback Heath Shuler and four other unsigned draft picks.

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. (AP) — Former Notre Dame defensive back Jeff Burris, selected 27th overall in the NFL draft by the Buffalo Bills, signed a four-year deal for a reported $2.8 million.

HEMPSTEAD, N.Y. (AP) — Tony Meola, the U.S. goaltender in the just-completed World Cup, was scheduled to be introduced as a member of the New York Jets today.

TEMPE, Ariz. (AP) — The Arizona Cardinals signed defensive tackle Michael Bankston to a three-year, $2 million contract.

TENNIS

WASHINGTON (AP) — Mats Wilander of Sweden beat Vic Spadea 7-5, 7-5 and 12th-seeded defending champion Amos Mansdorf of Israel defeated David Nainkin of South Africa 2-6, 6-3, 6-4 in the first round of the Legg Mason Classic.

Top-ranked Pete Sampras, upset Sunday by Richard Krajicek in the United States' 3-2 victory over the Netherlands in the Davis Cup quarterfinals, withdrew because of an inflamed ligament in his left ankle.

FRANKFURT, Germany (AP) — Julie Halard beat Choi Ju-Yeon 6-4, 6-4 and Mary Pierce routed Park Sung-Hee 6-3, 6-1 as third-seeded France beat South Korea 3-0 in the first round of the Federation Cup.

No. 4 Germany, No. 5 Japan, No. 7 Netherlands, No. 9 Belgium, No. 11 Argentina, No. 14 South Africa and No. 15 Slovakia also advanced. The second-seeded United States opened today against the Czech Republic.

MAHWAH, N.J. (AP) — Pam Casale-Telford beat Catarina Lindqvist-Ryan of Sweden 6-1, 7-5 in the first round of the Pathmark Classic.

TRACK AND FIELD

NICE, France (AP) — Kim Batten of the United States won the women's 400-meter hurdles in the Nikaia Grand Prix with a 1994 best of 53.72 seconds.

In other world bests, Javier Sotomayor of Cuba cleared 7 feet, 10 1/2 inches in the high jump and Sonia O'Sullivan of Ireland won the 1,500 in 3:59.10.

Rangers edge Indians in 10th inning

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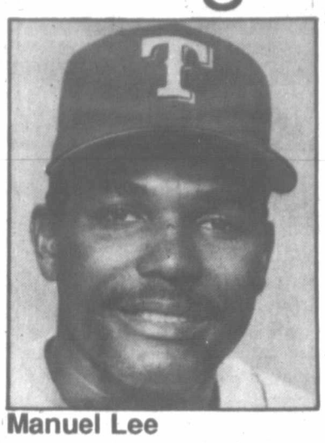
CLEVELAND (AP) — Manuel Lee couldn't quite understand the fuss his teammates were making over him.

"I saved the game, but I've made better plays than that," the Texas shortstop said after his over-the-shoulder catch of Omar Vizquel's pop fly started a game-ending double play Monday night as the Rangers beat Cleveland 6-5.

Texas took the lead in the top of the ninth on an RBI double by Jose Canseco, whose two-out drive off Jose Mesa (7-5) banged off the bullpen fence in center field.

Sandy Alomar started the Cleveland ninth with a single and moved to second on Kenny Lofton's grounder to first. Vizquel then lofted a pop fly into shallow left-center, apparently into no-man's-land.

Alomar broke toward third in



Manuel Lee

hopes of scoring the tying run if the ball fell in — leaving himself no margin for error. So when Lee reached out and snared the ball, Alomar was easily doubled off second.

"If I were the runner, I would have gone as well," Texas manager Kevin Kennedy said. "I told Manny that's one of the best plays I've ever seen. If he doesn't make that, there's no doubt it's a tie game. Those are the kinds of plays that make you enjoy the Manny Lees. It separates the men from the boys."

Tom Henke got his 11th save after Darren Oliver (3-0) pitched two perfect innings for the win.

The Indians, back from a 5-5 road trip, lost for only the fifth time in 29 home games and fell a game behind the AL Central-leading Chicago White Sox. The loss came hours after the Indians learned that Albert Belle, their All-Star slugger, had been found guilty of using a corked bat during a weekend series in Chicago.

Belle appealed his 10-day suspension and will keep playing until his case is heard by American League president Bobby Brown on July 29. He went 1-for-4 against Texas, lining a double to left in the fifth inning, and is 3-for-16 since his bat was confiscated Friday night.

The Rangers lead the AL West at 45-47, the latest that any division leader has ever had, a sub-.500 record. Canseco, though, said the Rangers aren't obsessed with getting back to .500.

"I think the biggest goal is really just staying in first place," he said.

Texas squandered a 3-0 lead, but came back to tie it 5-5 in the seventh on a two-run single by Ivan Rodriguez off Mesa.

In the ninth, Mesa yielded a one-out double by Jeff Frye before Canseco hit his two-out double.

"We hit some balls hard but right at people," Cleveland manager Mike Hargrove said. "They hit some balls hard, too, but they also had some key balls that were just out of our reach. Rodriguez's hit in the seventh hopped four or five times (in the infield). But you have to give them credit for putting the ball in play."

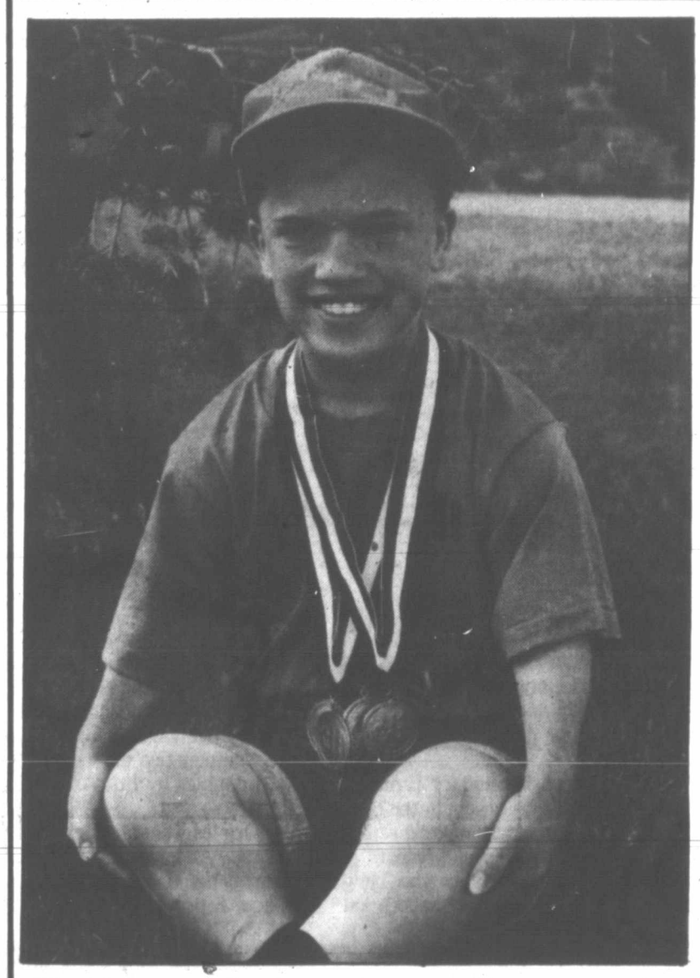
The Rangers scored three off Jason Grimsley in the second on an RBI double by Lee and David Hulse's two-run single.

The Indians scored twice in the second on a wild pitch by Tim Leary and a double by Paul Sorrento, and they tied it 3-3 on Carlos Baerga's 14th home run in the third. Baerga has hit in 15 straight games.

Cleveland finished Leary in the fourth, taking a 5-3 lead on Alomar's RBI single and a run-scoring forceout by Lofton.

"I just didn't have good stuff," Grimsley said. "I got by basically by changing speeds and getting them to hit the ball on the ground. This team can come back from just about anything. We're going to win a lot of ballgames if we just keep these guys close."

Former President George Bush, in town for Republican fund-raising events, watched part of the game from a seat several rows behind the Texas dugout. Bush's son is a general partner of the group that owns the Rangers.



Jill Nelson displays her national medals. (Courtesy photo)

Pampa athlete wins national swim honors

Pampa High School swimmer Jill Nelson of Pampa assaulted the record books while almost making a clean sweep at the National DAAA (Dwarf Athletic Association of America) Athletic Events held earlier this month in San Antonio.

Jill, who is 16, won gold medals in the 200 freestyle and 100 backstroke, and also set DAAA national records in both events. She also won gold medals in two relay events and a silver in the 50 freestyle.

"Jill was real excited about winning those medals. She competed in Dallas three years ago for the first time and this was the only the second time she's competed nationally," said Mrs. Brian Nelson, Jill's mother. "Jill is also on the high school swim team. She works out regularly with coach (Cody) Huckaby and the swim team, and this type of meet gives her the opportunity to compete against swimmers on her level. We're hoping next year she'll be able to compete in a high school meet to help give her some experience."

Because of her outstanding national showing, Jill has qualified for an international meet near the end of October where she will participate against other handicapped athletes. In 1996, Jill is also looking ahead to the Paraolympics in Atlanta, Georgia.

Last month, Jill was one of several elite swimmers from seven Disabled Sports Organizations (DSO) which took part in a swim camp at the U.S. Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs, Colorado. The week-long camp included two 90-minute swimming practices each day, educational sessions and biomechanical research on swimming stroke techniques.

Hoechst Celanese helped provide Jill with financial assistance for the trip to the national meet at San Antonio. An athletic account has been set up in Jill's name and persons interested in helping her with the upcoming meets can call 669-0125 for more information.

Rodeo

Results from the 48th Annual Top O' Texas Rodeo held last week.

Bareback Bronc Riding

1. Rob Hendrickson, Caputa, S.D., 78; 2. Justin Williams, Weatherford, Okla., 77; 3. Chuck Logue, Decatur, 76; and 4. Pete Hawkins, Fort Worth, 75.

Steer Wrestling

1. Jeff Babek, Granite, Okla., 4.1; 2. Robbin Peterson, Checoth, Okla., 4.1; 3. Kendall Bolding, Yukon, Okla., 4.2; 4. Brad Stewart, Carolette, N.C., 4.4; 5. Brandon Turney, McAllester, Okla., 4.5; 6. Shannon Daves, Valiant, Okla., 4.7; 7. Houston Powers, Sonora, 4.7; and 8. Scott Quick, Weatherford, Okla., 4.7.

Double Mugging

1. Shawn Whatley, Sammy J. Whatley and Johnny Carter, 17.9; 2. Garrett Scribner, Dave Davis and Michael Craig, 24.9; and 3. Art Rhine, Matt Rhine and Justin Taylor, 25.1.

Saddle Bronc Riding

1. Robert Etbauer, Goodwell, Okla., 80; 2. Joe Belkham, Richland Hills, 78; 3. Cory Hughes, Pratt, Kan., 75; and 4. James Chadwick, Anthony, Fla., 74.

Calf Roping

1. Jerry Jetton, Stephenville, 8.3; 2. Brad McReynolds, Groesbeck, 9.6; 3. Doug Clark, Wayne, Okla., 9.7; 4. Tommy Guy, Abilene, 10; 5. Roger Davis, Elk City, Okla., 10.4; 6. Bruce Gibbs, Olney, 10.5; and 7. Jim Cade, Davidson, Okla., 10.5.

Barrel Racing

1. Felicia Otis, Alex, Okla., 17.67; 2. Jo Ann Middleton, Levelland, 17.81; 3. Mindy Schueman, Madisonville, 17.87; 4. Beb Mohon, Gladewater, 17.96; 5. Kelly Maass, Montalba, 18; 6. Pat Ward, Grand Prairie, 18.02; 7. Shandi Metzinger, Dexter, Kan., 18.04; 8. Leslie Ward, Snyder, 18.05; 9. Janet Mosier, Clayton, N.M., 18.07; and 10. Judy Godfrey, Anza, Calif., 18.07.

Bull Riding

1. Bobby Randolph, Gainesville, 80; 2. Philip Elkins, Arlington, 79; 3. Scooter Hamilton, Bowie, 76; 4. Michael Gaffney, Lubbock, 75; 5. Pete Hessman, Dodge City, Kan., 74; and 6. Lance Reed, Canyon, 74.

Pampa routs Plainview in West Texas Major Bambino State Tournament

PLAINVIEW — The Pampa Major Bambino All-Stars opened the West Texas Bambino State Tournament here Monday with a 10-2 pounding of Plainview Red.

Tommy Lozano was the winning pitcher for the 11 and 12 year-old All-Stars, despite pitching only two innings. Lozano allowed no runs and no hits as Pampa built a 9-0 lead after two innings of play. He allowed two baserunners on walks. Brent Coffee relieved in the third inning and allowed only one baserunner on a walk during the inning. Jesse Francis finished for Pampa. He allowed two earned runs on three hits. He walked five, hit two batters and struck out seven.

Lozano led off the bottom of the first inning for Pampa with a walk. He went all the way to third as Casey Owens beat out a slow roller down the third base line for a hit. Owens was allowed to take second base on a fielder's choice without a throw. Trey Rogers grounded to the shortstop, who elected to try and get Lozano at the plate, but the throw was too late. A wild pitch moved Rogers to second. Jonathan Waggoner also grounded to the shortstop, who again threw home trying to get Owens. Owens retreated toward third and then bolted past the catcher to score as the throw went to third.

After two strikeouts appeared to have settled Pampa down, Francis blasted a three-run homer to deep center field for a 5-0 Pampa lead. Cody Shepard and Josue' Silva each reached base on an error. Lozano singled home Shepard to up the Pampa lead to 6-0. Owens beat out another roller down the third base line for his second hit of the inning, but an infield out ended the inning for the Pampa All-Stars with the bases loaded.

In the second inning, Waggoner singled past the shortstop's glove and moved to third on two passed balls. Greg Lindsey walked and took second without a throw. Kaleb Snelgrooes' groundout scored Waggoner while Lindsey went to third. Francis grounded out to score Lindsey. Shepard again reached base on an error and Silva singled him to second. A double by Lozano scored Shepard making the score, 9-0.

Pampa scored its last run in the third inning. Kyle McCullough walked and went to second on a wild pitch. He alertly tagged up on a fly ball to deep right field hit by Waggoner and scored on a single by Snelgrooes. Pampa loaded the bases in the fifth inning, but a double play erased the scoring opportunity.

Plainview Red managed a run in the fourth inning on two hit batters, a single and a walk. Their other run came in the sixth on two walks and a double.

Lozano and Owens led the nine-hit Pampa attack with two hits each. Francis paced the team with four RBI. Shepard and Waggoner scored two runs each. The winners committed no errors and left eight runners on base. Plainview Red committed four errors and left 11 on base.

The winner of the West Texas Major Bambino Tournament will win the right to play state champions from Louisiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma and other regions of Texas in Springdale, Ark. later this month.

Karros' run-scoring single lifts Dodgers past Mets

NEW YORK (AP) — The Dodgers aren't getting a good return on all the money they've invested in Todd Worrell.

Worrell allowed New York to tie the game with three runs in the ninth inning but was bailed out when Eric Karros hit a two-out RBI single in the 10th inning Monday night to give the Dodgers a 7-6 victory over the Mets.

"Worrell was hired as our stopper," Los Angeles manager Tommy Lasorda said, "and I'm staying with him. He has to earn his $3.5 million. All I was hoping is that he was going to get that last out. I'm sure he's not happy but neither am I. We're not paying him all that money for nothing."

Tim Wallach drove in six runs for the Dodgers, who had to endure yet another disastrous performace by their bullpen. The Dodgers blew their 17th of 35 save opportunities when the Mets rallied in the ninth against Worrell, who has blown seven of 15 chances.

With two outs in the Los Angeles 10th, Mike Piazza reached on a infield single against Mauro Gozzo (2-4). Wallach, who had a three-run homer and a three-run double, was intentionally walked after pinch-runner Delino DeShields stole second.

Karros then singled to left, scoring DeShields.

Worrell (5-4) was credited with the win and Jim Gott pitched the 10th for his second save.

In the New York ninth, Jose Vizcaino singled and Bobby Bonilla singled with one out. Pinch-hitter Jim Lindeman and Joe Orsulak hit RBI singles and the tying run scored when second baseman Jeff Treadway misplayed Jeff Kent's potential game-ending, double-play grounder.

Emergency reliever Tom Candiotti pitched seven strong innings for the Dodgers.

"No one feels worse than Todd. He should have been out of the inning," Candiotti said. "The only solid hit (he gave up five) was (Bobby) Bonilla's single. He's won a good deal of games in a stretch before this."

Wallach hit his 20th homer in the first off Mike Remlinger, and added a bases-loaded double in the seventh for a 6-3 lead.

Wallach is batting .406 (13-for-32) against the Mets this season with three homers and 12 RBIs.

Candiotti, pitching on two days rest, replaced starter Ismael Valdez in the second inning. Valdez, making his major-league debut, was forced to leave after incurring a blister on the middle finger of his right hand.

Candiotti was scheduled to start Tuesday night's game. It was the second time in three games that a Dodgers starter was forced out with an injury.

Carey set to return

CHICAGO (AP) — Harry Caray plans to return to the Chicago Cubs broadcast booth Friday, a month after he fell before a game in Miami.

Caray, 77, will remain with the team through an 10-game homestand that ends Aug. 10 and then skip an 11-day road trip, said Wayne Vriesman, vice president of Tribune Broadcasting Co., which owns WGN-TV.

"Harry will go to Pittsburgh and St. Louis and then come back for a long homestand," Vriesman said Monday. Caray is scheduled to rejoin the Cubs on Aug. 23 following the trip to Los Angeles, Atlanta and New York.

Caray, in his 50th year broadcasting major league baseball, apparently was overcome by heat June 23 before a game against Florida at Joe Robbie Stadium.

He sustained a cut above his lip and a scrape on his forehead in the fall and spent a day in intensive care at Miami's Parkway Regional Hospital.

He then transferred to Northwestern Memorial Hospital in Evanston where doctors treated him for an irregular heartbeat. He was released July 7.

Astros awesome in 15-12 comeback against Cardinals

HOUSTON (AP) — It started as a laugher for the St. Louis Cardinals, but by the time the sixth inning was over the Houston Astros were doing the laughing.

The Astros, who trailed 11-0 after three innings, scored two runs in the fourth and two in the fifth before an 11-run outburst in the sixth inning powered them to a 15-12 victory over the Cardinals Monday night.

It was vindication for the Astros, who blew an 8-0 lead last Friday in an 11-8 loss to the Pittsburgh Pirates. It was a nightmare for the Cardinals, who tied the record for the biggest collapse in the National League since the Chicago Cubs blew a 12-1 lead to the Philadelphia Phillies in 1976 to lose 18-16 in 10 innings.

Asked if he had ever experienced anything like this before, Cardinals catcher Tom Pagnozi said, "Yeah I have. I was 8 years old. But that happens when you're 8 years old, not in the big leagues."

The Cardinals appeared to be in shock following the game.

"I just pitched the wrong pitchers. It's my fault we lost," St. Louis manager Joe Torre said.

There were four of those "wrong" pitchers in the fateful sixth. St. Louis starter Allen Watson already had given up a pair of runs each in the fourth and fifth innings to give the Astros a glimmer of hope.

After Watson surrendered a walk to Craig Biggio and an RBI double to Kevin Bass to open the sixth inning, the Astros sensed a comeback was possible.

It was then that Torre, who had an unhappy 54th birthday Monday, started to parade his pitchers.

When the inning was over, the Astros had collected seven hits, five walks and a hit batsman. Sixteen Astros went ot the plate. The third pitcher, left-hander Bryan Eversgerd (2-1) took the loss when Bass singled again in the inning to score Mike Felder to give the Astros a 12-11 lead.

Without recording an out, Eversgerd gave up four hits and four runs. The big blow was Felder's two-run triple to right center that scored Tony Eusabio and Andujar Cedeno, who had the other two hits against Eversgerd. That tied the game at 11-11.

"Watson got erratic, and we just kept chipping away," said Bass. "We used up everybody they had, and they couldn't get us out."

"I felt like I let the team down," said Watson, who gave up six runs on 11 hits and three walks in five innings. "It was my fault.

"I didn't try to change anything," he added. "I got the ball up, and they were placing it in the gaps. It was hard to get any rhythm after that."

Caminiti added a two-run single, and James Mouton added a sacrifice fly off reliever Steve Dixon to round out the scoring in the sixth.

Felder, who pinch hit in the third inning for ineffective starter Brian Williams, didn't figure he would have a chance to get two hits.

"I thought it would be a short night," he said. "Then I ended up getting five at-bats."

There were 17 hits by each club. Jeff Bagwell hit his 29th homer of the year, a solo shot, for the Astros in the fifth.

Greg Jefferies, who went 3-for-5, hit his 10th of the year off Williams in the second.

Williams set the tone of the game by hitting leadoff batter Bernard Gilkey in the first inning. After a wild pitch, Ozzie Smith reached with an infield hit. A passed ball moved Gilkey and Smith to second and third, then Jefferies singled them home for a 2-0 lead. Mark Whiten added a two-out RBi double in the same inning to make it 3-0.

Gilkey added an RBI single in the third, then scored on Jefferies' two-out homer to make it 6-0. Two batters later, Todd Zeile added an RBI double and the rout appeared to be on.

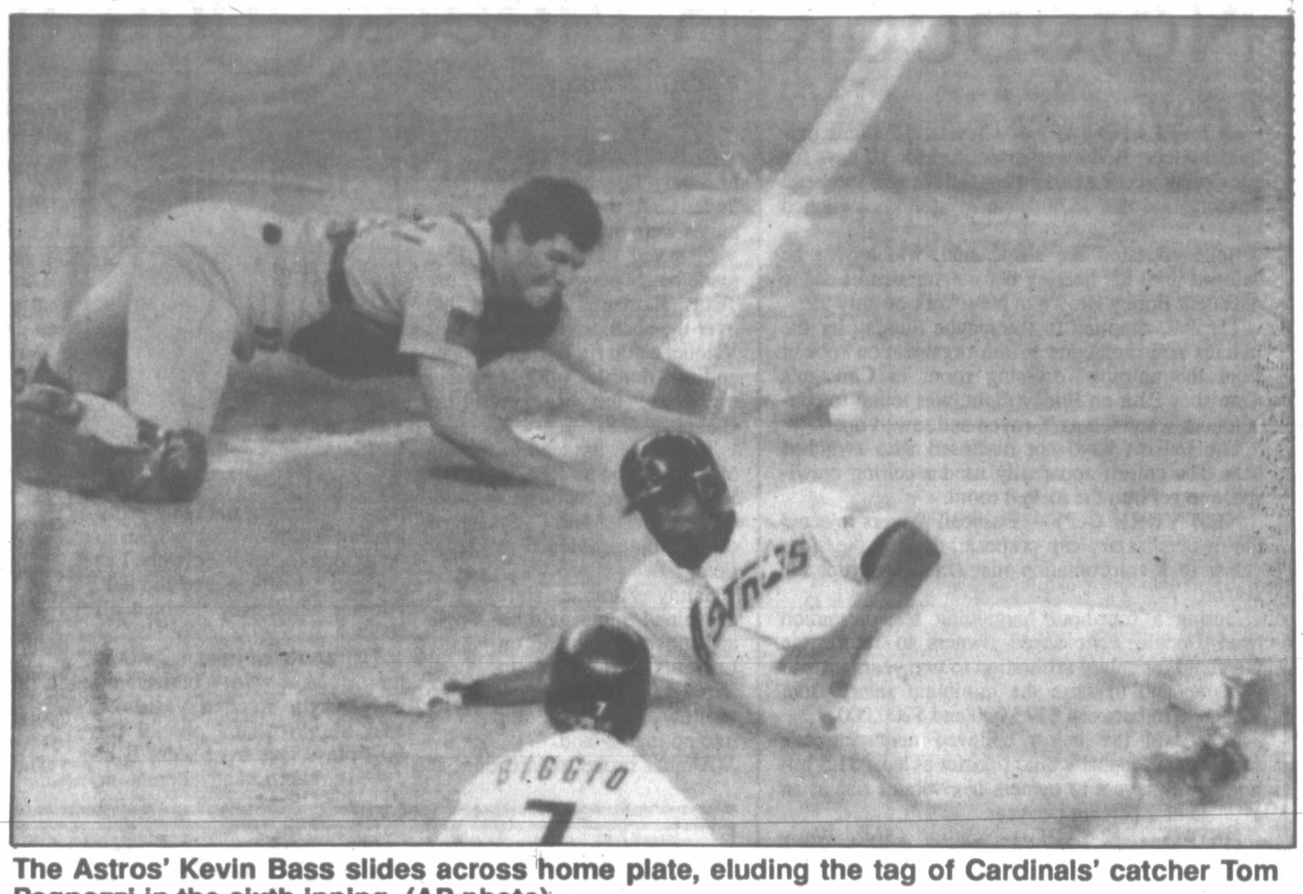
The Cardinals added four more in the third on an RBI triple by Watson, followed by a Gilkey single and a two-run single from Ray Lankford.

The Astros began their comeback in the fourth when Eusebio drove in Luis Gonzalez, who doubled. Cedeno followed with a double to put runners on second and second and third. With two outs, Felder got an infield hit to shortstop that scored Eusebio to make it 11-2.

Bagwell's homer in the fifth made it 11-3 before Cedeno hit a two-out RBI double to set the stage for the sixth.

Mike Hampton (2-1) picked up the win by pitching a perfect fifth and sixth, striking out two. Todd Jones struck out three in the last three innings to collect his third save.

"I've never been behind 11-0 and come back," said rookie Astros manager Terry Collins. "Even in the Pacific Coast League (Triple A), where the ball flies around a lot and you get crazy scores."



The Astros' Kevin Bass slides across home plate, eluding the tag of Cardinals' catcher Tom Pagnozzi in the sixth inning. (AP photo)

Yankees win battle of the bulipens

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — The New York Yankees won the battle of the bullpens Monday night.

Xavier Hernandez, Bob Wickman and Steve Howe cleaned up after a brief and messy start by Sterling Hitchcock, allowing just one run in six innings Monday night. Danny Tartabull had three hits and drove in two runs, leading New York over the Oakland Athletics 5-3 for their fifth straight victory.

Hernandez (4-4) pitched three innings, allowing only Geronimo Berroa's 12th homer leading off the fifth, for the victory. Steve Howe pitched the ninth for his 10th save.

"Sometimes it's nice to go out there and vulture a win," Hernandez said. "I was just getting ahead in the count and throwing my forkball."

New York's relievers made the two-run lead hold up while the A's bullpen kept its team in the game. Three Oakland relievers — Vince Horsman, Bill Taylor and Dave Leiper — threw five perfect innings, retiring the final 16 hitters.

"They (the Yankees) won both games — the game of the starters and the game of relievers," A's manager Tony La Russa said.

Tartabull hit his 17th homer and an RBI single as the Yankees remained unbeaten since the All-Star break, winning all five on the road. He hit a grand slam Sunday in a 14-4 win at Seattle.

Tartabull is 8-for-21 on the road trip, but didn't want to make too much of the Yankees' streak.

"I like it quiet and to just do my job," he said. "I'd like to keep it going and not look back. We just have to keep bearing down and be patient."

The Yankees made it 5-2 in the fourth, taking advantage of three walks by reliever John Briscoe.

Mariners snap five-game losing streak with 7-5 victory over Orioles

SEATTLE (AP) — Ken Griffey Jr. wanted to talk about Henry Genzale, the equipment manager who was circulating around the Seattle dressing room, shaking hands with the players and patting them on the back.

"You can see how bad it's been when our clubhouse guy has to congratulate each of us for a win," Griffey said.

Edgar Martinez's two-run double in the eighth inning gave the Mariners a 7-5 victory over the Baltimore Orioles Monday night, snapping a five-game losing streak.

Seattle won for only the third time in 13 games. The Orioles lost for just the fourth time in 13 games.

Martinez was 0-for-4 before doubling off Mark Eichhorn (5-3), the fifth of six Baltimore pitchers. Griffey reached on second baseman Mark McLemore's error and stole second before Eichhorn walked Jay Buhner.

The Orioles had allowed a major league-low 15 unearned runs going into the game. But Baltimore manager Johnny Oates refused to point a finger at McLemore.

"That play was a big one but we had chances earlier that we didn't take advantage of," Oates said.

The Mariners' bullpen, battered for 22 runs in 12 1-3 innings as Seattle was swept by the New York Yankees in a four-game weekend series, gave Piniella 4 1-3 innings of shutout relief.

Mariners closer Bobby Ayala, who blew save opportunities against the Yankees on Thursday and Friday, pitched a 1-2-3 ninth for his 14th save.

Bill Risley (7-6), Seattle's fifth pitcher, got the win by pitching a scoreless eighth.

The Mariners tied the score at 5 in the sixth on RBI doubles by Eric Anthony and Griffey off Jim Poole.

The Orioles went ahead 5-3 with a four-run fifth. Brady Anderson had an RBI double, Leo Gomez hit a sacrifice fly and Rafael Palmeiro followed with a two-run homer, his 19th, off rookie George Glinatsis. It was Palmeiro's fourth homer in five games.

In the first, Griffey had an RBI single. Anderson tied the score with a double-play ground ball in the third after the Orioles loaded the bases on walks.

Tino Martinez singled in two runs for the Mariners in the third.

Mike Oquist started for the Orioles and went 3 1-3 innings. He gave up three runs on seven hits and three walks.

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East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	56	34	.622	—
Montreal	55	37	.598	2
Philadelphia	44	49	.473	13 1/2
New York	42	50	.457	15
Florida	42	51	.452	15 1/2

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincinnati	55	37	.598	—
Houston	53	40	.570	2 1/2
Pittsburgh	43	48	.473	11 1/2
St. Louis	42	47	.472	11 1/2
Chicago	39	52	.429	15 1/2

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Los Angeles	48	45	.516	—
Colorado	46	49	.484	3
San Francisco	44	50	.468	4 1/2
San Diego	37	57	.394	11 1/2

Sunday's Games

Atlanta 2, Florida 1
San Diego 10, New York 1
Houston 9, Pittsburgh 0
San Francisco 6, Montreal 4
Philadelphia 9, Los Angeles 7
Cincinnati 3, Chicago 2, 10 innings
Colorado 10, St. Louis 6

Monday's Games

Montreal 9, San Diego 2
Los Angeles 7, New York 6, 10 innings
San Francisco 7, Philadelphia 5
Atlanta 3, Pittsburgh 2
Cincinnati 5, Florida 3
Houston 15, St. Louis 12
Chicago 6, Colorado 3

Tuesday's Games

San Diego (Ashby 4-8) at Montreal (Martinez 6-5), 7:35 p.m.
Los Angeles (Gross 7-6) at New York (Jones 10-7), 7:40 p.m.
San Francisco (Black 3-0) at Philadelphia (Jackson 11-4), 7:35 p.m.
Atlanta (Avery 6-3) at Pittsburgh (Lieber 5-4), 7:35 p.m.
Florida (Gardner 3-2) at Cincinnati (Smiley 9-9), 7:35 p.m.
St. Louis (Palacios 1-7) at Houston (Kile 6-4), 8:05 p.m.
Chicago (Trachsel 8-6) at Colorado (Nied 9-4), 9:05 p.m.

Wednesday's Games

San Francisco (Portugal 8-6) at Philadelphia (West 4-7), 1:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Tewksbury 10-8) at Houston (Swindell 6-6), 1:35 p.m.
Los Angeles (Martinez 8-6) at New York (Saberhagen 10-4), 1:40 p.m.
Chicago (Banks 8-8) at Colorado (Ritz 3-4), 5:05 p.m.
San Diego (Benes 6-10) at Montreal (Henry 6-2), 7:35 p.m.
Atlanta (Glavine 11-7) at Pittsburgh (Neagle 8-8), 7:35 p.m.
Florida (Weathers 8-8) at Cincinnati (Rijo 9-4), 7:35 p.m.

American League

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	55	35	.611	—
Baltimore	53	37	.589	2
Boston	45	46	.495	10 1/2
Detroit	42	51	.452	14 1/2
Toronto	41	50	.451	14 1/2

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	55	36	.604	—
Cleveland	53	36	.596	1
Kansas City	49	44	.527	7
Minnesota	43	48	.473	12
Milwaukee	42	50	.457	13 1/2

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Texas	45	47	.489	—
Oakland	40	52	.435	5
California	40	54	.426	6
Seattle	37	54	.407	7 1/2

Sunday's Games

Milwaukee 5, Minnesota 3
Chicago 5, Cleveland 2
Baltimore 10, California 5
Boston 4, Oakland 3
New York 14, Seattle 4
Toronto 3, Texas 1
Kansas City 4, Detroit 1

Monday's Games
Late Game Not Included

Toronto 7, Minnesota 4
Texas 6, Cleveland 5
Kansas City 2, Milwaukee 0
Chicago 10, Detroit 9, 13 innings
California 13, Boston 4
New York 5, Oakland 3
Baltimore at Seattle, (n)

Tuesday's Games

Texas (Fajardo 5-5) at Cleveland (Nagy 7-6), 7:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Tapani 9-5) at Toronto (Stottlemyre 5-7), 7:35 p.m.
Kansas City (Appier 6-6) at Milwaukee (Eldred 9-9), 8:05 p.m.
Detroit (Belcher 7-10) at Chicago (Fernandez 8-7), 8:05 p.m.
Boston (Clemens 8-4) at California (Langston 5-6), 10:05 p.m.
New York (Abbott 7-6) at Oakland (Witt 7-8), 10:05 p.m.
Baltimore (McDonald 11-6) at Seattle (Fleming 6-10), 10:05 p.m.

Wednesday's Games

Kansas City at Milwaukee, 2:05 p.m.
Baltimore at Seattle, 3:35 p.m.
Texas at Cleveland, 7:05 p.m.
Minnesota at Toronto, 7:35 p.m.
Detroit at Chicago, 8:05 p.m.
Boston at California, 10:35 p.m.
New York at Oakland, 10:35 p.m.

MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS
NATIONAL LEAGUE

BATTING—TGwynn, San Diego, .391; Bagwell, Houston, .355; Morris, Cincinnati, .345; Justice, Atlanta, .337; Jefferies, St. Louis, .331; Alou, Montreal, .329; Piazza, Los Angeles, .328.

RUNS—Bagwell, Houston, 79; Grissom, Montreal, 75; Galarraga, Colorado, 73; Biggio, Houston, 72; Lankford, St. Louis, 71; Bonds, San Francisco, 69; TGwynn, San Diego, 66.

RBI—Bagwell, Houston, 89; Bichette, Colorado, 89; Piazza, Los Angeles, 78; Galarraga, Colorado, 78; MaWilliams, San Francisco, 74; Morris, Cincinnati, 70; LWalker, Montreal, 68; McGriff, Atlanta, 68.

HITS—TGwynn, San Diego, 129; Bichette, Colorado, 125; Morris, Cincinnati, 123; Galarraga, Colorado, 121; Bagwell, Houston, 116; Mondesi, Los Angeles, 113; Conine, Florida, 113; Biggio, Houston, 113.

DOUBLES—Biggio, Houston, 35; LWalker, Montreal, 34; Bichette, Colorado, 28; Morris, Cincinnati, 27; Bagwell, Houston, 26; JBell, Pittsburgh, 26; TGwynn, San Diego, 26.

TRIPLES—Butler, Los Angeles, 8; RSanders, Cincinnati, 7; Mondesi, Los Angeles, 5; Clayton, San Francisco, 5; DLewis, San Francisco, 5; Sosa, Chicago, 5; Alicea, St. Louis, 5; Sandberg, Chicago, 5.

HOME RUNS—MaWilliams, San Francisco, 34; Bagwell, Houston, 29; Bonds, San Francisco, 28; Galarraga, Colorado, 28; McGriff, Atlanta, 25; Bichette, Colorado, 23; Mitchell, Cincinnati, 23.

STOLEN BASES—DSanders, Cincinnati, 32; Grissom, Montreal, 30; Biggio, Houston, 29; Carr, Florida, 26; DLewis, San Francisco, 25; Mouton, Houston, 22; Larkin, Cincinnati, 22.

PITCHING (10 Decisions)—Mercker, Atlanta, 8-2, .800, 3.59; Freeman, Colorado, 8-2, .800, 3.03; KHill, Montreal, 13-4, .765, 3.31; DnJackson, Philadelphia, 11-4, .733, 3.35; Saberhagen, New York, 10-4, .714, 2.92; GMaddux, Atlanta, 12-5, .706, 1.75; Nied, Colorado, 9-4, .692, 4.31; Rijo, Cincinnati, 9-4, .692, 2.97.

STRIKEOUTS—Benes, San Diego, 152; Rijo, Cincinnati, 128; GMaddux, Atlanta, 125; Fassero, Montreal, 115; Saberhagen, New York, 115; Glavine, Atlanta, 114; PJMartinez, Montreal, 112.

SAVES—DJones, Philadelphia, 23; Beck, San Francisco, 21; Franco, New York, 20; McMichael, Atlanta, 19; Myers, Chicago, 18; Hudek, Houston, 15; Rojas, Montreal, 15.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING—O'Neill, New York, .381; Thomas, Chicago, .375; Lofton, Cleveland, .364; Belle, Cleveland, .348; WClark, Texas, .341; CDavis, California, .341; Palmeiro, Baltimore, .338; Boggs, New York, .338; Molitor, Toronto, .338.

RUNS—Thomas, Chicago, 95; Lofton, Cleveland, 84; Canseco, Texas, 78; Griffey Jr, Seattle, 77; Phillips, Detroit, 76; Baerga, Cleveland, 73; Belle, Cleveland, 71.

RBI—Puckett, Minnesota, 86; Carter, Toronto, 85; Thomas, Chicago, 84; Sierra, Oakland, 79; Franco, Chicago, 79; Belle, Cleveland, 78; WClark, Texas, 78; Canseco, Texas, 78.

HITS—Lofton, Cleveland, 132; Baerga, Cleveland, 124; Molitor, Toronto, 121; Thomas, Chicago, 120; Belle, Cleveland, 120; Griffey Jr, Seattle, 120; Palmeiro, Baltimore, 117.

DOUBLES—Knoblauch, Minnesota, 38; Belle, Cleveland, 33; Fryman, Detroit, 29; Puckett, Minnesota, 28; Thomas, Chicago, 27; Baerga, Cleveland, 27; Palmeiro, Baltimore, 27.

TRIPLES—LJohnson, Chicago, 13; Coleman, Kansas City, 11; ADiaz, Milwaukee, 7; Lofton, Cleveland, 7; McRae, Kansas City, 6; White, Toronto, 6; ACole, Minnesota, 5.

HOME RUNS—Griffey Jr, Seattle, 35; Thomas, Chicago, 34; Belle, Cleveland, 26; Canseco, Texas, 25; Fielder, Detroit, 24; MVaughn, Boston, 21; Sierra, Oakland, 20; Carter, Toronto, 20.

STOLEN BASES—Lofton, Cleveland, 47; Coleman, Kansas City, 46; Nixon, Boston, 36; Knoblauch, Minnesota, 27; ByAnderson, Baltimore, 26; LJohnson, Chicago, 23; Javier, Oakland, 23.

PITCHING (10 Decisions)—Key, New York, 14-2, .875, 3.21; Bere, Chicago, 10-2, .833, 3.54; Boever, Detroit, 8-2, .800, 3.86; MClark, Cleveland, 11-3, .786, 3.61; Mussina, Baltimore, 13-4, .765, 2.94; Cone, Kansas City, 13-4, .765, 2.78; Sanderson, Chicago, 8-3, .727, 4.68.

STRIKEOUTS—RJohnson, Seattle, 159; Clemens, Boston, 138; Finley, California, 124; Hentgen, Toronto, 116; Appier, Kansas City, 113; Guzman, Toronto, 106; Cone, Kansas City, 104.

SAVES—LeSmith, Baltimore, 30; Aguilera, Minnesota, 20; Montgomery, Kansas City, 18; Eckersley, Oakland, 15; Ayala, Seattle, 14; Russell, Cleveland, 14; Grahe, California, 12; Fetters, Milwaukee, 12.

TOUR de FRANCE

CARPENTRAS, France (AP) — Results Monday of the 15th stage of the Tour de France — 144 miles from Montpellier to Carpentras, with cyclist, country, team and winning time:

1. Eros Poli, Italy, Mercatone, 6 hours, 31 minutes, 59 seconds.
2. Alberto Elli, Italy, GB-MB, 3 minutes, 39 seconds behind.
3. Pascal Lino, France, Festina, 3:39
4. Roberto Conti, Italy, Lampre, 3:41.
5. Richard Virenque, France, Festina, 4:00.
6. Armand De Las Cuevas, France, Castorama, same time.
7. Piotr Ugrumov, Russia, Gewiss, same time.
8. Alex Zulle, Switzerland, ONCE, same time.
9. Miguel Indurain, Spain, Banesto, same time.
10. Marco Pantani, Italy, Carrera, same time.
11. Vladimir Poulnikov, Russia, Carrera, same time.
12. Luc Leblanc, France, Festina, same time.
13. Udo Bolts, Germany, Telekom, 5:52.
14. Bruno Cenghialta, Italy, Carrera, 5:42.
15. Hernan Buenahora, Colombia, Kelme, 5:42.

Also

38. Alvaro Mejia, Colombia, Motorola, 9:59.
69. Raul Alcala, Mexico, Motorola, 23:00.
97. Phil Anderson, Australia, Motorola, same time.
109. Frankie Andreu, Dearborn, Mich., Motorola, same time.
110. Sean Yates, Britain, Motorola, same time.
114. Stephen Swart, New Zealand, Motorola, same time.
131. Michel Demies, Belgium, Motorola, 23:15.

Lance Armstrong, Austin, Texas, Motorola, withdrew.

Overall Standings
(After 15 stages)

1. Indurain, 76 hours, 11 minutes 38 seconds.
2. Virenque, 7:56 behind.
3. De Las Cuevas, 8:02.
4. Leblanc, 8:35.
5. Poulnikov, 11:30.
6. Pantani, 11:55.
7. Ugrumov, 13:37.
8. Thomas Davy, France, Castorama, 16:12.
9. Zulle, 16:13.
10. Abraham Olano, Spain, Mapei, 17:51.
11. Conti, 17:53.
12. Lino, 17.55
13. Elli, 18:04.
14. Jean-Francois Bernard, France, Banesto, 20:00.
15. Gianluca Bortolami, Italy, Mapei, 21:24.

Also

25. Mejia, 27:34.
58. Yates, 59:10.
75. Anderson, 1:11:54.
78. Alcala, 1:12:59.
87. Andreu, 1:15:38.
102. Demies, 1:19:51.
128. Swart, 1:33:50.

TRANSACTIONS

Monday's Sports Transactions

By The Associated Press

BASEBALL
American League

NEW YORK YANKEES—Recalled Sterling Hitchcock, pitcher, from Albany of the Eastern League. Optioned Dave Silvestri, infielder, to Columbus of the International League.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Placed Carlos Reyes, pitcher, on the 15-day disabled list. Recalled Eric Helfand, catcher, from Tacoma of the Pacific Coast League.

SEATTLE MARINERS—Purchased the contract of George Glinatsis, pitcher, from Jacksonville of the Southern League. Designated Milt Hill, pitcher, for assignment. Signed Doug Carroll, outfielder, and Randy Vickers, third baseman. Assigned Carroll to Bellingham of the Northwest League. **Arizona Fall League**

AFL—Named Steve Gilbert director of media relations and Herb Clark media relations aide and feature writer.

BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association

GOLDEN STATE WARRIORS—Acquired Ricky Pierce, guard; the rights to Carlos Rogers, forward-center; and two second-round picks in the 1995 draft from the Seattle Supersonics for Sarunas Marciulionis, guard, and Byron Houston, forward.

FOOTBALL
National Football League

ARIZONA CARDINALS—Claimed Michael Brandon from Indianapolis and Darryl Milburn from New Orleans, defensive ends, off waivers. Signed Michael Bankston, defensive tackle, to a three-year contract.

ATLANTA FALCONS—Signed Lance Zeno, offensive lineman. Waived Mike Gann, defensive end.

BUFFALO BILLS—Signed Jeff Burris, defensive back, to a four-year contract. Agreed to terms with Mario Perry, linebacker.

CINCINNATI BENGALS—Signed Damay Scott, wide receiver, to a three-year contract.

DETROIT LIONS—Agreed to terms with Johnnie Morton, wide receiver, on a four-year contract.

GREEN BAY PACKERS—Signed Edgar Bennett and Adam Walker, running backs. Claimed Eric Boles, wide receiver, off waivers from San Diego.

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS—Signed David Treadwell, placekicker.

LOS ANGELES RAMS—Waived Kevin McDougal, quarterback.

MIAMI DOLPHINS—Signed Richmond Webb, offensive tackle, to a three-year contract extension.

NEW YORK GIANTS—Signed Mark Jackson and Chris Calloway, wide receivers, Chris Maumalanga, defensive tackle and John Booty, defensive back. Rescinded the tender offer to Ed McCaffrey, wide receiver.

NEW YORK JETS—Agreed to terms with Tony Meola, placekicker.

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES—Signed Bernard Williams, offensive tackle, to a five-year contract. Agreed to terms with Charlie Garner, running back, on a three-year contract.

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS—Waived Curtis Whitley, offensive lineman. Announced that Grant Carter, linebacker, left training camp.

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS—Agreed to terms with Lamar Smith, running back. Announced Rick Wood, fullback has left camp.

WASHINGTON REDSKINS—Released Brad Edwards, safety. Signed Joe Patton, guard, and Kurt Haws, tight end.

Arena Football League

CLEVELAND THUNDERBOLTS—Signed Fred Guions, wide receiver and defensive back.

MIAMI HOOTERS—Waived John Bonds, quarterback. Suspended Glenn Neely, linemen.

Canadian Football League

OTTAWA ROUGH RIDERS—Signed Joey Browner, safety. Released Jeff Braswell, linebacker.

HOCKEY
International Hockey League

DETROIT VIPERS—Signed Joe Day, center.

SOCCER
National Professional Soccer League

HARRISBURG HEAT—Promoted assistant general manager Gregg Cook to general manager.

COLLEGE

HOCKEY EAST ASSOCIATION—Named Tim Burton director of marketing and media relations.

MID-CONTINENT CONFERENCE—Named Dr. Jon A. Steinbrecher acting commissioner.

ALBRIGHT—Named Susan D. Stuebner women's basketball coach.

DICKINSON—Announced the resignation of Jere Harbold, men's track and field coach. Named Tracy Santanello men's track and field coach.

DREXEL—Named Monte Ross men's assistant basketball coach.

TENNESSEE-CHATTANOOGA—Named Sara Cooke assistant sports information director.

TULANE—Extended the contract of Rick Jones, baseball coach, through 1999.

WITTENBERG—Named Milton Anderson men's assistant basketball coach.

WOFFORD—Named Jennifer Nodine women's volleyball coach.

GOLF

Eds: Does not include the British Open which is not a PGA Tour event.

PGA statistical leaders

PONTE VEDRA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Statistical leaders on the PGA Tour through the Deposit Guaranty Classic, which ended July 17:

Scoring Leaders

1, Greg Norman, 68.59. 2, Tom Lehman, 69.25. 3, Loren Roberts, 69.61. 4, Hale Irwin, 69.68. 5, Phil Mickelson, 69.75. 6, David Edwards, 69.82. 7, Mark McCumber, 69.85. 8, Scott Hoch, 69.87. 9 (tie), Bob Estes and Jeff Maggert, 69.90.

Driving Leaders

1, John Daly, 288.9 yards. 2, Dennis Paulson, 280.5. 3, Davis Love III, 280.1. 4, Robert Gamez, 278.0. 5, Todd Barranger, 277.9. 6, Kelly Gibson, 275.2. 7, John Huston, 274.7. 8, Dan Pohl, 274.4. 9, Greg Norman, 273.8. 10, Vijay Singh, 273.7.

Driving Accuracy

1, David Edwards, 81.5 percent. 2, Bruce Fleisher, 80.8. 3, D.A. Weibring, 79.8. 4, Fred Funk, 79.6. 5, Fulton Allem, 79.4. 6, Hale Irwin, 79.0. 7 (tie), Bruce Lietzke, Bob Lohr and Corey Pavin, 78.5. 10, 3 tied with 78.4.

Greens in Regulation

1, Bob Estes, 72.2 percent. 2, Hal Sutton, 71.6. 3, Bill Glasson, 71.4. 4, Dan Forsman, 70.8. 5, Tom Lehman, 70.7. 6, Nick Price, 70.6. 7 (tie), Lennie Clements and Bruce Lietzke, 70.3. 9, John Huston, 70.2. 10, 3 tied with 70.0.

Total Driving

1, Bill Glasson, 34. 2, Greg Norman, 47. 3, Nick Price, 50. 4, Bruce Lietzke, 51. 5, Mike Heinen, 57. 6, Dan Forsman, 61. 7, Fuzzy Zoeller, 64. 8, Tom Watson , 65. 9, Jeff Maggert, 78. 10, Ed Humenik, 80.

Putting Leaders

1, Mark Wurtz, 1.720. 2, Greg Norman, 1.734. 3, Loren Roberts, 1.736. 4, Ben Crenshaw, 1.746. 5, David Frost, 1.747. 6, Hale Irwin, 1.748. 7, Steve Stricker , 1.750. 8, Jeff Woodland, 1.751. 9, Corey Pavin, 1.754. 10, Brian Henninger, 1.755.

Birdie Leaders

1, Ted Tryba, 270. 2, Mark Brooks, 258. 3, Clark Dennis, 257. 4, Fred Funk, 255. 5, Hal Sutton, 254. 6, Steve Stricker, 253. 7, Vijay Singh, 245. 8, Brad Bryant, 244. 9, Jeff Maggert, 243. 10, Paul Goydos, 241.

Eagle Leaders

1, Davis Love III, 16. 2, Mark Brooks, 13. 3, Mike Standly, 11. 4 (tie), Robin Freeman, Robert Gamez, Jim Thorpe, Glen Day and Jesper Parnevik, 9. 9 (tie), Mike Hulbert and Ted Tryba, 8.

Sand Saves

1, D.A. Weibring, 68.5 percent. 2, Corey Pavin, 64.8. 3, Stan Utley, 64.0. 4, Scott Hoch, 63.1. 5, Richard Zokol, 62.0. 6, Brian Kamm, 61.6. 7 (tie), Payne Stewart and Kirk Triplett, 61.2. 9, Michael Bradley, 60.9. 10, Donnie Hammond , 60.8.

All Around

1, Bob Estes, 225. 2, Tom Lehman, 236. 3, Greg Norman, 241. 4, John Huston, 250. 5, Jeff Maggert, 259. 6, Lennie Clements, 302. 7, Scott Hoch, 322. 8, Fuzzy Zoeller, 333. 9, Donnie Hammond, 344. 10, Andrew Magee, 356.

FOOTBALL

Arena Football

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American Conference

	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA
Albany	7	1	.875	453	349
Arizona	6	2	.750	372	287
Massachusetts	6	2	.750	381	324
Las Vegas	2	6	.250	191	309
Cleveland	1	8	.111	331	423
Milwaukee	0	9	.000	270	468

National Conference

	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA
Orlando	8	0	1.000	427	228
Tampa Bay	5	3	.625	391	364
Miami	4	4	.500	273	307
Fort Worth	4	5	.444	432	381
Charlotte	3	6	.333	314	395

Saturday's Games

Massachusetts 58, Milwaukee 51
Albany 62, Cleveland 40

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
(Real Estate)

By VIRTUE OF A JUDGEMENT issued out of the Honorable 223rd Judicial District Court of Gray County, on January 11, 1994 in the case of FARM CREDIT BANK OF TEXAS v. KERRY KNORPP, LAUREL KNORPP CHUCOVICH, KENTON MORRIS KNORPP, JUDITH ANNE KNORPP AND VONOIL COMPANY, Cause No. 28,494, ordering the foreclosure of all deed of trust liens existing by virtue of that certain Deed of Trust, dated November 16, 1978, executed by Myrtle Lee Knorpp, Laurel Knorpp Chucovich, Kenton Morris Knorpp and Judith Anne Knorpp for the benefit of The Federal Land Bank of Houston (predecessor in interest to Farm Credit Bank of Texas), recorded in Volume 216, Page 173 of the Deed of Trust Records of Gray County, Texas, I, as sheriff, having levied upon the same on the 12th day of March, 1994, will between the hours of 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., on Tuesday, August 2, 1994, at the courthouse door of Gray County, in Pampa, Texas, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all of the right, title and interest that Myrtle Lee Knorpp, Laurel Knorpp Chucovich, Kenton Morris Knorpp and Judith Anne Knorpp had on November 16, 1978 in and to the following described property:

320 ACRES OF LAND BEING THE EAST ONE-HALF (E1/2), OF SURVEY NO. 34, BLOCK B-3, H.&G.N. RY. CO., CERTIFICATE NO. 15/3293, ABSTRACT NO. 788, PATENT NO. 33, VOLUME 26, DATED FEBRUARY 7, 1903, GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS

Said deed of trust lien being foreclosed against the aforesaid property to satisfy indebtedness of Laurel Knorpp Chucovich, Kenton Morris Knorpp and Judith Anne Knorpp to Farm Credit Bank of Texas pursuant to the aforesaid judgement amounting to $27,541.81, plus post-judgement interest accrued from July 26, 1993 at the rate of 10 percent (10%), per annum and all costs of executing the judgement.

Given under my hand this 12th day of July 1994.

Randy Stubblefield
Sheriff Gray County Texas
By Jim McDonald Deputy

B-49 July 12, 19, 26, 1994

2 Museums

WHITE Deer Land Museum: Pampa, Tuesday thru Sunday 1:00-4 p.m. Special tours by appointment.

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Astros awesome in 15-12 comeback against Cardinals

HOUSTON (AP) — It started as a laugher for the St. Louis Cardinals, but by the time the sixth inning was over the Houston Astros were doing the laughing.

The Astros, who trailed 11-0 after three innings, scored two runs in the fourth and two in the fifth before an 11-run outburst in the sixth inning powered them to a 15-12 victory over the Cardinals Monday night.

It was vindication for the Astros, who blew an 8-0 lead last Friday in an 11-8 loss to the Pittsburgh Pirates. It was a nightmare for the Cardinals, who tied the record for the biggest collapse in the National League since the Chicago Cubs blew a 12-1 lead to the Philadelphia Phillies in 1976 to lose 18-16 in 10 innings.

Asked if he had ever experienced anything like this before, Cardinals catcher Tom Pagnozi said, "Yeah I have. I was 8 years old. But that happens when you're 8 years old, not in the big leagues."

The Cardinals appeared to be in shock following the game.

"I just pitched the wrong pitchers. It's my fault we lost," St. Louis manager Joe Torre said.

There were four of those "wrong" pitchers in the fateful sixth. St. Louis starter Allen Watson already had given up a pair of runs each in the fourth and fifth innings to give the Astros a glimmer of hope.

After Watson surrendered a walk to Craig Biggid and an RBI double to Kevin Bass to open the sixth inning, the Astros sensed a comeback was possible.

It was then that Torre, who had an unhappy 54th birthday Monday, started to parade his pitchers.

When the inning was over, the Astros had collected seven hits, five walks and a hit batsman. Sixteen Astros went ot the plate. The third pitcher, left-hander Bryan Eversgerd (2-1) took the loss when Bass singled again in the inning to score Mike Felder to give the Astros a 12-11 lead.

Without recording an out, Eversgerd gave up four hits and four runs. The big blow was Felder's two-run triple to right center that scored Tony Eusabio and Andujar Cedeno, who had the other two hits against Eversgerd. That tied the game at 11-11.

"Watson got erratic, and we just kept chipping away," said Bass. "We used up everybody they had, and they couldn't get us out."

"I felt like I let the team down," said Watson, who gave up six runs on 11 hits and three walks in five innings. "It was my fault.

"I didn't try to change anything," he added. "I got the ball up, and they were placing it in the gaps. It was hard to get any rhythm after that."

Caminiti added a two-run single, and James Mouton added a sacrifice fly off reliever Steve Dixon to round out the scoring in the sixth.

Felder, who pinch hit in the third inning for ineffective starter Brian Williams, didn't figure he would have a chance to get two hits.

"I thought it would be a short night," he said. "Then I ended up getting five at-bats."

There were 17 hits by each club. Jeff Bagwell hit his 29th homer of the year, a solo shot, for the Astros in the fifth.

Greg Jefferies, who went 3-for-5, hit his 10th of the year off Williams in the second.

Williams set the tone of the game by hitting leadoff batter Bernard Gilkey in the first inning. After a wild pitch, Ozzie Smith reached with an infield hit. A passed ball moved Gilkey and Smith to second and third, then Jefferies singled them home for a 2-0 lead. Mark Whiten added a two-out RBi double in the same inning to make it 3-0.

Gilkey added an RBI single in the third, then scored on Jefferies' two-out homer to make it 6-0. Two batters later, Todd Zeile added an RBI double and the rout appeared to be on.

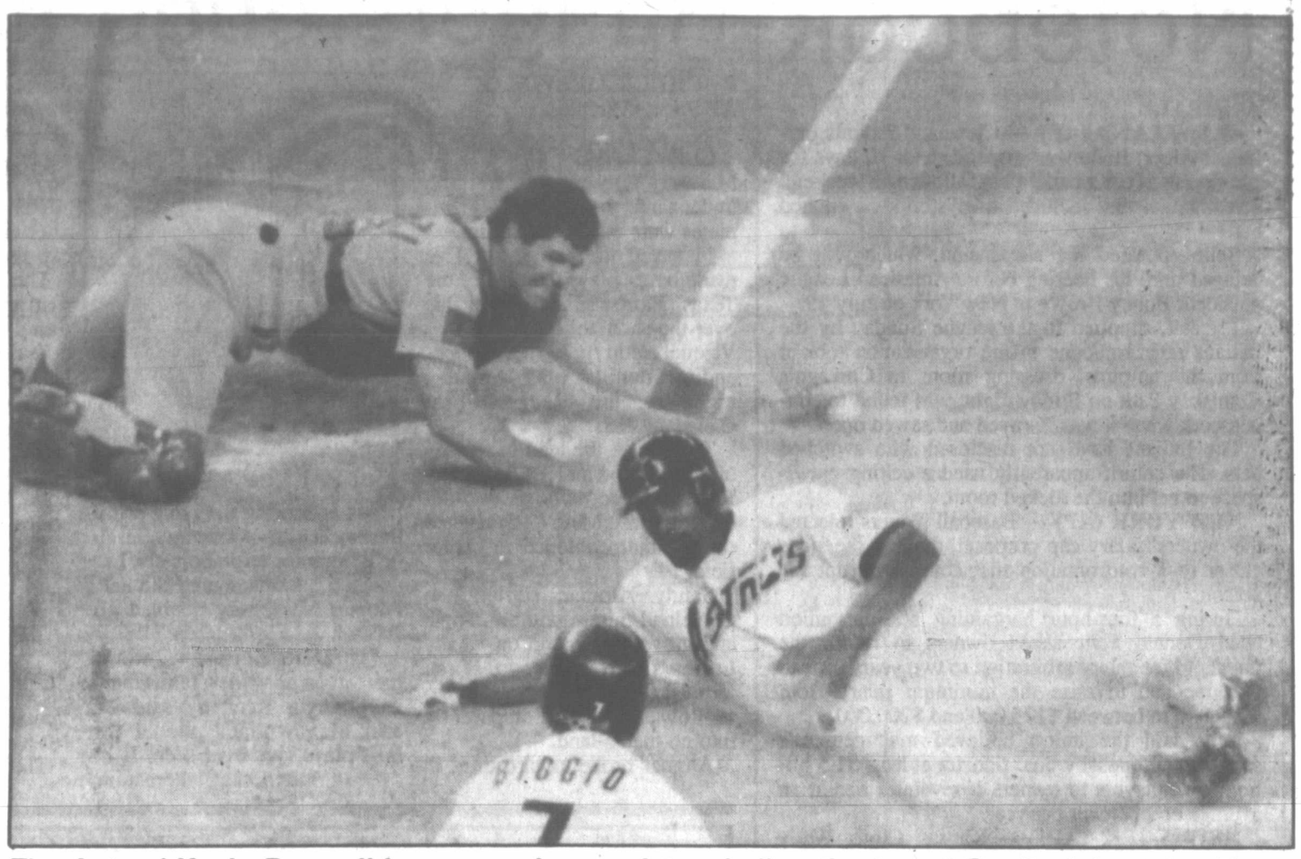
The Cardinals added four more in the third on an RBI triple by Watson, followed by a Gilkey single and a two-run single from Ray Lankford.

The Astros began their comeback in the fourth when Eusebio drove in Luis Gonzalez, who doubled. Cedeno followed with a double to put runners on second and second and third. With two outs, Felder got an infield hit to shortstop that scored Eusebio to make it 11-2.

Bagwell's homer in the fifth made it 11-3 before Cedeno hit a two-out RBI double to set the stage for the sixth.

Mike Hampton (2-1) picked up the win by pitching a perfect fifth and sixth, striking out two. Todd Jones struck out three in the last three innings to collect his third save.

"I've never been behind 11-0 and come back," said rookie Astros manager Terry Collins. "Even in the Pacific Coast League (Triple A), where the ball flies around a lot and you get crazy scores."



The Astros' Kevin Bass slides across home plate, eluding the tag of Cardinals' catcher Tom Pagnozzi in the sixth inning. (AP photo)

Yankees win battle of the bulipens

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — The New York Yankees won the battle of the bullpens Monday night.

Xavier Hernandez, Bob Wickman and Steve Howe cleaned up after a brief and messy start by Sterling Hitchcock, allowing just one run in six innings Monday night. Danny Tartabull had three hits and drove in two runs, leading New York over the Oakland Athletics 5-3 for their fifth straight victory.

Hernandez (4-4) pitched three innings, allowing only Geronimo Berroa's 12th homer leading off the fifth, for the victory. Steve Howe pitched the ninth for his 10th save.

"Sometimes it's nice to go out there and vulture a win," Hernandez said. "I was just getting ahead in the count and throwing my forkball."

New York's relievers made the two-run lead hold up while the A's bullpen kept its team in the game. Three Oakland relievers — Vince Horsman, Bill Taylor and Dave Leiper — threw five perfect innings, retiring the final 16 hitters.

"They (the Yankees) won both games — the game of the starters and the game of relievers," A's manager Tony La Russa said.

Tartabull hit his 17th homer and an RBI single as the Yankees remained unbeaten since the All-Star break, winning all five on the road. He hit a grand slam Sunday in a 14-4 win at Seattle.

Tartabull is 8-for-21 on the road trip, but didn't want to make too much of the Yankees' streak.

"I like it quiet and to just do my job," he said. "I'd like to keep it going and not look back. We just have to keep bearing down and be patient."

The Yankees made it 5-2 in the fourth, taking advantage of three walks by reliever John Briscoe.

Mariners snap five-game losing streak with 7-5 victory over Orioles

SEATTLE (AP) — Ken Griffey Jr. wanted to talk about Henry Genzale, the equipment manager who was circulating around the Seattle dressing room, shaking hands with the players and patting them on the back.

"You can see how bad it's been when our clubhouse guy has to congratulate each of us for a win," Griffey said.

Edgar Martinez's two-run double in the eighth inning gave the Mariners a 7-5 victory over the Baltimore Orioles Monday night, snapping a five-game losing streak.

Seattle won for only the third time in 13 games. The Orioles lost for just the fourth time in 13 games.

Martinez was 0-for-4 before doubling off Mark Eichhorn (5-3), the fifth of six Baltimore pitchers. Griffey reached on second baseman Mark McLemore's error and stole second before Eichhorn walked Jay Buhner.

The Orioles had allowed a major league-low 15 unearned runs going into the game. But Baltimore manager Johnny Oates refused to point a finger at McLemore.

"That play was a big one but we had chances earlier that we didn't take advantage of," Oates said.

The Mariners' bullpen, battered for 22 runs in 12 1-3 innings as Seattle was swept by the New York Yankees in a four-game weekend series, gave Piniella 4 1-3 innings of shutout relief.

Mariners closer Bobby Ayala, who blew save opportunities against the Yankees on Thursday and Friday, pitched a 1-2-3 ninth for his 14th save.

Bill Risley (7-6), Seattle's fifth pitcher, got the win by pitching a scoreless eighth.

The Mariners tied the score at 5 in the sixth on RBI doubles by Eric Anthony and Griffey off Jim Poole.

The Orioles went ahead 5-3 with a four-run fifth. Brady Anderson had an RBI double, Leo Gomez hit a sacrifice fly and Rafael Palmeiro followed with a two-run homer, his 19th, off rookie George Glinatsis. It was Palmeiro's fourth homer in five games.

In the first, Griffey had an RBI single. Anderson tied the score with a double-play ground ball in the third after the Orioles loaded the bases on walks.

Tino Martinez singled in two runs for the Mariners in the third.

Mike Oquist started for the Orioles and went 3 1-3 innings. He gave up three runs on seven hits and three walks.

Scoreboard

BASEBALL

National League

By The Associated Press

All Times EDT

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	56	34	.622	—
Montreal	55	37	.598	2
Philadelphia	44	49	.473	13 1/2
New York	42	50	.457	15
Florida	42	51	.452	15 1/2

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincinnati	55	37	.598	—
Houston	53	40	.570	2 1/2
Pittsburgh	43	48	.473	11 1/2
St. Louis	42	47	.472	11 1/2
Chicago	39	52	.429	15 1/2

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Los Angeles	48	45	.516	—
Colorado	46	49	.484	3
San Francisco	44	50	.468	4 1/2
San Diego	37	57	.394	11 1/2

Sunday's Games

Atlanta 2, Florida 1
San Diego 10, New York 1
Houston 9, Pittsburgh 0
San Francisco 6, Montreal 4
Philadelphia 9, Los Angeles 7
Cincinnati 3, Chicago 2, 10 innings
Colorado 10, St. Louis 6

Monday's Games

Montreal 9, San Diego 2
Los Angeles 7, New York 6, 10 innings
San Francisco 7, Philadelphia 5
Atlanta 3, Pittsburgh 2
Cincinnati 5, Florida 3
Houston 15, St. Louis 12
Chicago 6, Colorado 3

Tuesday's Games

San Diego (Ashby 4-8) at Montreal (Martinez 6-5), 7:35 p.m.
Los Angeles (Gross 7-6) at New York (Jones 10-7), 7:40 p.m.
San Francisco (Black 3-0) at Philadelphia (Jackson 11-4), 7:35 p.m.
Atlanta (Avery 6-3) at Pittsburgh (Lieber 5-4), 7:35 p.m.
Florida (Gardner 3-2) at Cincinnati (Smiley 9-9), 7:35 p.m.
St. Louis (Palacios 1-7) at Houston (Kile 6-4), 8:05 p.m.
Chicago (Trachsel 8-6) at Colorado (Nied 9-4), 9:05 p.m.

Wednesday's Games

San Francisco (Portugal 8-6) at Philadelphia (West 4-7), 1:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Tewksbury 10-8) at Houston (Swindell 6-6), 1:35 p.m.
Los Angeles (Martinez 8-6) at New York (Saberhagen 10-4), 1:40 p.m.
Chicago (Banks 8-8) at Colorado (Ritz 3-4), 5:05 p.m.
San Diego (Benes 6-10) at Montreal (Henry 6-2), 7:35 p.m.
Atlanta (Glavine 11-7) at Pittsburgh (Neagle 8-8), 7:35 p.m.
Florida (Weathers 8-8) at Cincinnati (Rijo 9-4), 7:35 p.m.

American League

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	55	35	.611	—
Baltimore	53	37	.589	2
Boston	45	46	.495	10 1/2
Detroit	42	51	.452	14 1/2
Toronto	41	50	.451	14 1/2

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	55	36	.604	—
Cleveland	53	36	.596	1
Kansas City	49	44	.527	7
Minnesota	43	48	.473	12
Milwaukee	42	50	.457	13 1/2

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Texas	45	47	.489	—
Oakland	40	52	.435	5
California	40	54	.426	6
Seattle	37	54	.407	7 1/2

Sunday's Games

Milwaukee 5, Minnesota 3
Chicago 5, Cleveland 2
Baltimore 10, California 5
Boston 4, Oakland 3
New York 14, Seattle 4
Toronto 3, Texas 1
Kansas City 4, Detroit 1

Monday's Games

Late Game Not Included

Toronto 7, Minnesota 4
Texas 6, Cleveland 5
Kansas City 2, Milwaukee 0
Chicago 10, Detroit 9, 13 innings
California 13, Boston 4
New York 5, Oakland 3
Baltimore at Seattle, (n)

Tuesday's Games

Texas (Fajardo 5-5) at Cleveland (Nagy 7-6), 7:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Tapani 9-5) at Toronto (Stottlemyre 5-7), 7:35 p.m.
Kansas City (Appier 6-6) at Milwaukee (Eldred 9-9), 8:05 p.m.
Detroit (Belcher 7-10) at Chicago (Fernandez 8-7), 8:05 p.m.
Boston (Clemens 8-4) at California (Langston 5-6), 10:05 p.m.
New York (Abbott 7-6) at Oakland (Witt 7-8), 10:05 p.m.
Baltimore (McDonald 11-6) at Seattle (Fleming 6-10), 10:05 p.m.

Wednesday's Games

Kansas City at Milwaukee, 2:05 p.m.
Baltimore at Seattle, 3:35 p.m.
Texas at Cleveland, 7:05 p.m.
Minnesota at Toronto, 7:35 p.m.
Detroit at Chicago, 8:05 p.m.
Boston at California, 10:35 p.m.
New York at Oakland, 10:35 p.m.

MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

BATTING—TGwynn, San Diego, .391; Bagwell, Houston, .355; Morris, Cincinnati, .345; Justice, Atlanta, .337; Jefferies, St. Louis, .331; Alou, Montreal, .329; Piazza, Los Angeles, .328.

RUNS—Bagwell, Houston, 79; Grissom, Montreal, 75; Galarraga, Colorado, 73; Biggio, Houston, 72; Lankford, St. Louis, 71; Bonds, San Francisco, 69; TGwynn, San Diego, 66.

RBI—Bagwell, Houston, 89; Bichette, Colorado, 89; Piazza, Los Angeles, 78; Galarraga, Colorado, 78; MaWilliams, San Francisco, 74; Morris, Cincinnati, 70; LWalker, Montreal, 68; McGriff, Atlanta, 68.

HITS—TGwynn, San Diego, 129; Bichette, Colorado, 125; Morris, Cincinnati, 123; Galarraga, Colorado, 121; Bagwell, Houston, 116; Mondesi, Los Angeles, 113; Conine, Florida, 113; Biggio, Houston, 113.

DOUBLES—Biggio, Houston, 35; LWalker, Montreal, 34; Bichette, Colorado, 28; Morris, Cincinnati, 27; Bagwell, Houston, 26; JBell, Pittsburgh, 26; TGwynn, San Diego, 26.

TRIPLES—Butler, Los Angeles, 8; RSanders, Cincinnati, 7; Mondesi, Los Angeles, 5; Clayton, San Francisco, 5; DLewis, San Francisco, 5; Sosa, Chicago, 5; Alicea, St. Louis, 5; Sandberg, Chicago, 5.

HOME RUNS—MaWilliams, San Francisco, 34; Bagwell, Houston, 29; Bonds, San Francisco, 28; Galarraga, Colorado, 28; McGriff, Atlanta, 25; Bichette, Colorado, 23; Mitchell, Cincinnati, 23.

STOLEN BASES—DSanders, Cincinnati, 32; Grissom, Montreal, 30; Biggio, Houston, 29; Carr, Florida, 26; DLewis, San Francisco, 25; Mouton, Houston, 22; Larkin, Cincinnati, 22.

PITCHING (10 Decisions)—Mercker, Atlanta, 8-2, .800, 3.59; Freeman, Colorado, 8-2, .800, 3.03; KHill, Montreal, 13-4, .765, 3.31; DnJackson, Philadelphia, 11-4, .733, 3.35; Saberhagen, New York, 10-4, .714, 2.92; GMaddux, Atlanta, 12-5, .706, 1.75; Nied, Colorado, 9-4, .692, 4.31; Rijo, Cincinnati, 9-4, .692, 2.97.

STRIKEOUTS—Benes, San Diego, 152; Rijo, Cincinnati, 128; GMaddux, Atlanta, 125; Fassero, Montreal, 115; Saberhagen, New York, 115; Glavine, Atlanta, 114; PJMartinez, Montreal, 112.

SAVES—DJones, Philadelphia, 23; Beck, San Francisco, 21; Franco, New York, 20; McMichael, Atlanta, 19; Myers, Chicago, 18; Hudek, Houston, 15; Rojas, Montreal, 15.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING—O'Neill, New York, .381; Thomas, Chicago, .375; Lofton, Cleveland, .364; Belle, Cleveland, .348; WClark, Texas, .341; CDavis, California, .341; Palmeiro, Baltimore, .338; Boggs, New York, .338; Molitor, Toronto, .338.

RUNS—Thomas, Chicago, 95; Lofton, Cleveland, 84; Canseco, Texas, 78; Griffey Jr, Seattle, 77; Phillips, Detroit, 76; Baerga, Cleveland, 73; Belle, Cleveland, 71.

RBI—Puckett, Minnesota, 86; Carter, Toronto, 85; Thomas, Chicago, 84; Sierra, Oakland, 79; Franco, Chicago, 79; Belle, Cleveland, 78; WClark, Texas, 78; Canseco, Texas, 78.

HITS—Lofton, Cleveland, 132; Baerga, Cleveland, 124; Molitor, Toronto, 121; Thomas, Chicago, 120; Belle, Cleveland, 120; Griffey Jr, Seattle, 120; Palmeiro, Baltimore, 117.

DOUBLES—Knoblauch, Minnesota, 38; Belle, Cleveland, 33; Fryman, Detroit, 29; Puckett, Minnesota, 28; Thomas, Chicago, 27; Baerga, Cleveland, 27; Palmeiro, Baltimore, 27.

TRIPLES—LJohnson, Chicago, 13; Coleman, Kansas City, 11; ADiaz, Milwaukee, 7; Lofton, Cleveland, 7; McRae, Kansas City, 6; White, Toronto, 6; ACole, Minnesota, 5.

HOME RUNS—Griffey Jr, Seattle, 35; Thomas, Chicago, 34; Belle, Cleveland, 26; Canseco, Texas, 25; Fielder, Detroit, 24; MVaughn, Boston, 21; Sierra, Oakland, 20; Carter, Toronto, 20.

STOLEN BASES—Lofton, Cleveland, 47; Coleman, Kansas City, 46; Nixon, Boston, 36; Knoblauch, Minnesota, 27; ByAnderson, Baltimore, 26; LJohnson, Chicago, 23; Javier, Oakland, 23.

PITCHING (10 Decisions)—Key, New York, 14-2, .875, 3.21; Bere, Chicago, 10-2, .833, 3.54; Boever, Detroit, 8-2, .800, 3.86; MClark, Cleveland, 11-3, .786, 3.61; Mussina, Baltimore, 13-4, .765, 2.94; Cone, Kansas City, 13-4, .765, 2.78; Sanderson, Chicago, 8-3, .727, 4.68.

STRIKEOUTS—RJohnson, Seattle, 159; Clemens, Boston, 138; Finley, California, 124; Hentgen, Toronto, 116; Appier, Kansas City, 113; Guzman, Toronto, 106; Cone, Kansas City, 104.

SAVES—LeSmith, Baltimore, 30; Aguilera, Minnesota, 20; Montgomery, Kansas City, 18; Eckersley, Oakland, 15; Ayala, Seattle, 14; Russell, Cleveland, 14; Grahe, California, 12; Fetters, Milwaukee, 12.

TOUR de FRANCE

CARPENTRAS, France (AP) — Results Monday of the 15th stage of the Tour de France — 144 miles from Montpellier to Carpentras, with cyclist, country, team and winning time:

1. Eros Poli, Italy, Mercatone, 6 hours, 31 minutes, 59 seconds.
2. Alberto Elli, Italy, GB-MB, 3 minutes, 39 seconds behind.
3. Pascal Lino, France, Festina, 3:39
4. Roberto Conti, Italy, Lampre, 3:41.
5. Richard Virenque, France, Festina, 4:00.
6. Armand De Las Cuevas, France, Castorama, same time.
7. Piotr Ugrumov, Russia, Gewiss, same time.
8. Alex Zulle, Switzerland, ONCE, same time.
9. Miguel Indurain, Spain, Banesto, same time.
10. Marco Pantani, Italy, Carrera, same time.
11. Vladimir Poulnikov, Russia, Carrera, same time.
12. Luc Leblanc, France, Festina, same time.
13. Udo Bolts, Germany, Telekom, 5:52.
14. Bruno Cenghialta, Italy, Carrera, 5:42.
15. Hernan Buenahora, Colombia, Kelme, 5:42.

Also

38. Alvaro Mejia, Colombia, Motorola, 9:59.
69. Raul Alcala, Mexico, Motorola, 23:00.
97. Phil Anderson, Australia, Motorola, same time.
109. Frankie Andreu, Dearborn, Mich., Motorola, same time.
110. Sean Yates, Britain, Motorola, same time.
114. Stephen Swart, New Zealand, Motorola, same time.
131. Michel Demies, Belgium, Motorola, 23:15.

Lance Armstrong, Austin, Texas, Motorola, withdrew.

Overall Standings
(After 15 stages)

1. Indurain, 76 hours, 11 minutes 38 seconds.
2. Virenque, 7:56 behind.
3. De Las Cuevas, 8:02.
4. Leblanc, 8:35.
5. Poulnikov, 11:30.
6. Pantani, 11:55.
7. Ugrumov, 13:37.
8. Thomas Davy, France, Castorama, 16:12.
9. Zulle, 16:13.
10. Abraham Olano, Spain, Mapei, 17:51.
11. Conti, 17:53.
12. Lino, 17.55
13. Elli, 18:04.
14. Jean-Francois Bernard, France, Banesto, 20:00.
15. Gianluca Bortolami, Italy, Mapei, 21:24.

Also

25. Mejia, 27:34.
58. Yates, 59:10.
75. Anderson, 1:11:54.
78. Alcala, 1:12:59.
87. Andreu, 1:15:38.
102. Demies, 1:19:51.
128. Swart, 1:33:50.

TRANSACTIONS

Monday's Sports Transactions

By The Associated Press

BASEBALL
American League

NEW YORK YANKEES—Recalled Sterling Hitchcock, pitcher, from Albany of the Eastern League. Optioned Dave Silvestri, infielder, to Columbus of the International League.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Placed Carlos Reyes, pitcher, on the 15-day disabled list. Recalled Eric Helfand, catcher, from Tacoma of the Pacific Coast League.

SEATTLE MARINERS—Purchased the contract of George Glinatsis, pitcher, from Jacksonville of the Southern League. Designated Milt Hill, pitcher, for assignment. Signed Doug Carroll, outfielder, and Randy Vickers, third baseman. Assigned Carroll to Bellingham of the Northwest League. **Arizona Fall League**

AFL—Named Steve Gilbert director of media relations and Herb Clark media relations aide and feature writer.

BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association

GOLDEN STATE WARRIORS—Acquired Ricky Pierce, guard; the rights to Carlos Rogers, forward-center; and two second-round picks in the 1995 draft from the Seattle Supersonics for Sarunas Marciulionis, guard, and Byron Houston, forward.

FOOTBALL
National Football League

ARIZONA CARDINALS—Claimed Michael Brandon from Indianapolis and Darryl Milburn from New Orleans, defensive ends, off waivers.Signed Michael Bankston, defensive tackle, to a three-year contract.

ATLANTA FALCONS—Signed Lance Zeno, offensive lineman. Waived Mike Gann, defensive end.

BUFFALO BILLS—Signed Jeff Burris, defensive back, to a four-year contract. Agreed to terms with Mario Perry, linebacker.

CINCINNATI BENGALS—Signed Damay Scott,wide receiver, to a three-year contract.

DETROIT LIONS—Agreed to terms with Johnnie Morton, wide receiver, on a four-year contract.

GREEN BAY PACKERS—Signed Edgar Bennett and Adam Walker, running backs. Claimed Eric Boles, wide receiver, off waivers from San Diego.

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS—Signed David Treadwell, placekicker.

LOS ANGELES RAMS—Waived Kevin McDougal, quarterback.

MIAMI DOLPHINS—Signed Richmond Webb, offensive tackle, to a three-year contract extension.

NEW YORK GIANTS—Signed Mark Jackson and Chris Calloway, wide receivers, Chris Maumalanga, defensive tackle and John Booty, defensive back. Rescinded the tender offer to Ed McCaffrey, wide receiver.

NEW YORK JETS—Agreed to terms with Tony Meola, placekicker.

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES—Signed Bernard Williams, offensive tackle, to a five-year contract. Agreed to terms with Charlie Garner, running back, on a three-year contract.

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS—Waived Curtis Whitley, offensive lineman. Announced that Grant Carter, linebacker, left training camp.

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS—Agreed to terms with Lamar Smith, running back. Announced Rick Wood, fullback has left camp.

WASHINGTON REDSKINS—Released Brad Edwards, safety. Signed Joe Patton, guard, and Kurt Haws, tight end.

Arena Football League

CLEVELAND THUNDERBOLTS—Signed Fred Guions, wide receiver and defensive back.

MIAMI HOOTERS—Waived John Bonds, quarterback. Suspended Glenn Neely, linemen.

Canadian Football League

OTTAWA ROUGH RIDERS—Signed Joey Browner, safety. Released Jeff Braswell, linebacker.

HOCKEY
International Hockey League

DETROIT VIPERS—Signed Joe Day, center.

SOCCER
National Professional Soccer League

HARRISBURG HEAT—Promoted assistant general manager Gregg Cook to general manager.

COLLEGE

HOCKEY EAST ASSOCIATION—Named Tim Burton director of marketing and media relations.

MID-CONTINENT CONFERENCE—Named Dr. Jon A. Steinbrecher acting commissioner.

ALBRIGHT—Named Susan D. Stuebner women's basketball coach.

DICKINSON—Announced the resignation of Jere Harbold, men's track and field coach. Named Tracy Santanello men's track and field coach.

DREXEL—Named Monte Ross men's assistant basketball coach.

TENNESSEE-CHATTANOOGA—Named Sara Cooke assistant sports information director.

TULANE—Extended the contract of Rick Jones, baseball coach, through 1999.

WITTENBERG—Named Milton Anderson men's assistant basketball coach.

WOFFORD—Named Jennifer Nodine women's volleyball coach.

GOLF

Eds: Does not include the British Open which is not a PGA Tour event.

PGA statistical leaders

PONTE VEDRA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Statistical leaders on the PGA Tour through the Deposit Guaranty Classic, which ended July 17:

Scoring Leaders

1, Greg Norman, 68.59. 2, Tom Lehman, 69.25. 3, Loren Roberts, 69.61. 4, Hale Irwin, 69.68. 5, Phil Mickelson, 69.75. 6, David Edwards, 69.82. 7, Mark McCumber, 69.85. 8, Scott Hoch, 69.87. 9 (tie), Bob Estes and Jeff Maggert, 69.90.

Driving Leaders

1, John Daly, 288.9 yards. 2, Dennis Paulson, 280.5. 3, Davis Love III, 280.1. 4, Robert Gamez, 278.0. 5, Todd Barranger, 277.9. 6, Kelly Gibson, 275.2. 7, John Huston, 274.7. 8, Dan Pohl, 274.4. 9, Greg Norman, 273.8. 10, Vijay Singh, 273.7.

Driving Accuracy

1, David Edwards, 81.5 percent. 2, Bruce Fleisher, 80.8. 3, D.A. Weibring, 79.8. 4, Fred Funk, 79.6. 5, Fulton Allem, 79.4. 6, Hale Irwin, 79.0. 7 (tie), Bruce Lietzke, Bob Lohr and Corey Pavin, 78.5. 10, 3 tied with 78.4.

Greens in Regulation

1, Bob Estes, 72.2 percent. 2, Hal Sutton, 71.6. 3, Bill Glasson, 71.4. 4, Dan Forsman, 70.8. 5, Tom Lehman, 70.7. 6, Nick Price, 70.6. 7 (tie), Lennie Clements and Bruce Lietzke, 70.3. 9, John Huston, 70.2. 10, 3 tied with 70.0.

Total Driving

1, Bill Glasson, 34. 2, Greg Norman, 47. 3, Nick Price, 50. 4, Bruce Lietzke, 51. 5, Mike Heinen, 57. 6, Dan Forsman, 61. 7, Fuzzy Zoeller, 64. 8, Tom Watson , 65. 9, Jeff Maggert, 78. 10, Ed Humenik, 80.

Putting Leaders

1, Mark Wurtz, 1.720. 2, Greg Norman, 1.734. 3, Loren Roberts, 1.736. 4, Ben Crenshaw, 1.746. 5, David Frost, 1.747. 6, Hale Irwin, 1.748. 7, Steve Stricker , 1.750. 8, Jeff Woodland, 1.751. 9, Corey Pavin, 1.754. 10, Brian Henninger, 1.755.

Birdie Leaders

1, Ted Tryba, 270. 2, Mark Brooks, 258. 3, Clark Dennis, 257. 4, Fred Funk, 255. 5, Hal Sutton, 254. 6, Steve Stricker, 253. 7, Vijay Singh, 245. 8, Brad Bryant, 244. 9, Jeff Maggert, 243. 10, Paul Goydos, 241.

Eagle Leaders

1, Davis Love III, 16. 2, Mark Brooks, 13. 3, Mike Standly, 11. 4 (tie), Robin Freeman, Robert Gamez, Jim Thorpe, Glen Day and Jesper Parnevik, 9. 9 (tie), Mike Hulbert and Ted Tryba, 8.

Sand Saves

1, D.A. Weibring, 68.5 percent. 2, Corey Pavin, 64.8. 3, Stan Utley, 64.0. 4, Scott Hoch, 63.1. 5, Richard Zokol, 62.0. 6, Brian Kamm, 61.6. 7 (tie), Payne Stewart and Kirk Triplett, 61.2. 9, Michael Bradley, 60.9. 10, Donnie Hammond , 60.8.

All Around

1, Bob Estes, 225. 2, Tom Lehman, 236. 3, Greg Norman, 241. 4, John Huston, 250. 5, Jeff Maggert, 259. 6, Lennie Clements, 302. 7, Scott Hoch, 322. 8, Fuzzy Zoeller, 333. 9, Donnie Hammond, 344. 10, Andrew Magee, 356.

FOOTBALL

Arena Football

By The Associated Press

American Conference

	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA
Albany	7	1	.875	453	349
Arizona	6	2	.750	372	287
Massachusetts	6	2	.750	381	324
Las Vegas	2	6	.250	191	309
Cleveland	1	8	.111	331	423
Milwaukee	0	9	.000	270	468

National Conference

	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA
Orlando	8	0	1.000	427	228
Tampa Bay	5	3	.625	391	364
Miami	4	4	.500	273	307
Fort Worth	4	5	.444	432	381
Charlotte	3	6	.333	314	395

Saturday's Games

Massachusetts 58, Milwaukee 51
Albany 62, Cleveland 40

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
(Real Estate)

By VIRTUE OF A JUDGEMENT issued out of the Honorable 223rd Judicial District Court of Gray County, on January 11, 1994 in the case of FARM CREDIT BANK OF TEXAS v. KERRY KNORPP, LAUREL KNORPP CHUCOVICH, KENTON MORRIS KNORPP, JUDITH ANNE KNORPP AND VONOIL COMPANY, Cause No. 28,494, ordering the foreclosure of all deed of trust liens existing by virtue of that certain Deed of Trust, dated November 16, 1978, executed by Myrtle Lee Knorpp, Laurel Knorpp Chucovich, Kenton Morris Knorpp and Judith Anne Knorpp for the benefit of The Federal Land Bank of Houston (predecessor in interest to Farm Credit Bank of Texas), recorded in Volume 216, Page 173 of the Deed of Trust Records of Gray County, Texas, I, as sheriff, having levied upon the same on the 12th day of March, 1994, will between the hours of 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., on Tuesday, August 2, 1994, at the courthouse door of Gray County, in Pampa, Texas, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all of the right, title and interest that Myrtle Lee Knorpp, Laurel Knorpp Chucovich, Kenton Morris Knorpp and Judith Anne Knorpp had on November 16, 1978 in and to the following described property:

320 ACRES OF LAND BEING THE EAST ONE-HALF (E1/2), OF SURVEY NO. 34, BLOCK B-3, H.&G.N. RY. CO., CERTIFICATE NO. 15/3293, ABSTRACT NO. 788, PATENT NO. 33, VOLUME 26, DATED FEBRUARY 7, 1903, GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS

Said deed of trust lien being foreclosed against the aforesaid property to satisfy indebtedness of Laurel Knorpp Chucovich, Kenton Morris Knorpp and Judith Anne Knorpp to Farm Credit Bank of Texas pursuant to the aforesaid judgement amounting to $27,541.81, plus post-judgement interest accrued from July 26, 1993 at the rate of 10 percent (10%), per annum and all costs of executing the judgement.

Given under my hand this 12th day of July 1994.

Randy Stubblefield
Sheriff Gray County Texas
By Jim McDonald Deputy

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2 Museums

WHITE Deer Land Museum: Pampa, Tuesday thru Sunday 1:00-4 p.m. Special tours by appointment.

ALANREED-McLean Area Historical Museum: McLean. Regular museum hours 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Saturday, Sunday 1-4.

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Teacher union wants to expel violent students

By CAROLE FELDMAN
AP Education Writer

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) – In several Texas school districts, teenagers who bring drugs or weapons to school or commit an assault there are expelled. No second chances. No excuses.

It's part of a "zero-tolerance" policy that also includes alternative schools for expelled students – an idea the American Federation of Teachers wants adopted nationwide.

"There has to be a message we are not going to tolerate certain behaviors," John Cole, president of the Texas Federation of Teachers, said Monday at the AFT's national convention here.

In a 1993 survey by Metropolitan Life, more than one in 10 teachers and nearly one in four students reported they had been victims of violence in or near their schools. Thirteen percent of the students said they had brought a weapon to school at least once.

The Council of Great City Schools said violence was the major concern in the country's urban school districts.

"There's a climate in which there is no respect for school, for the teacher, for the rights of others," Cole said.

Educators are fighting back, with locker searches and metal detectors. The National Association of Secondary School Principals is asking students to sign a pledge that they will not bring weapons to school.

In Washington, Sens. Dianne Feinstein, D-Calif., and Byron Dorgan, D-N.D., said Monday they would offer an amendment to pending education legislation that would require any school district receiving federal funds to expel for a year any student who carries a gun on school grounds.

"The time has come to get tough on guns in schools," said Feinstein. "Schools must be safe houses for learning. ... The message has to be to parents that it is wrong to carry a gun into a public school."

The amendment was passed by Congress earlier this year as part of the Goals 2000 education bill. Since state participation in Goals 2000 is voluntary, including it in the Elementary and Secondary Education Act gives it broader reach, to virtually every school district in the country.

AT its convention, the AFT called for a national summit on school safety and violence and greater distribution of programs and curriculum that have been proved effective in teaching students how to solve conflicts peacefully.

They also approved without debate a resolution calling for adoption of strict codes of student conduct and zero tolerance of "drugs, weapons, crimes and violence on school campuses."

Corpus Christi, Texas, implemented a zero-tolerance policy during the last school year. "We saw a dramatic decline in the number of weapons on campus in the second semester," from 10 down to two, said Linda Bridges, president of the city's AFT local.

"It became very clear that they won't be tolerated," she said. Letters were sent home to all the parents in a school where a weapon was discovered detailing the disciplinary action.

An alternative school was established for children who were expelled. Bridges said the 200 slots filled up very quickly. When school reopens this fall, there will be 400 spaces.

Cole said alternative settings are key if zero-tolerance policies are to work.

"If there's no place to send a student, what you have is a suspended student hanging out in the school playground," he said. "It's a perfect lesson that if you want a free vacation, you punch out the teacher."

San Antonio will implement a zero-tolerance policy when school reopens in the fall, limiting it to children in middle school.

"Any student who is found to have committed an expellable offense – possession of weapons, drugs, assault – will be expelled," said Shelley Potter, president of the AFT's San Antonio local.

If they agree to guidelines covering behavior and other issues, the students may attend an alternative school, the Bexar County School of the Community.

Potter said the school district is working hard to make sure students and their parents are informed about the new policy. It is critical, she said, that schools follow through. "There will be kids who will test if we really mean what we say," she said.

Study: Monday bad for heart

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DALLAS (AP) – If you thought Mondays couldn't get any worse, consider this: a researcher has determined that working people are more likely to have a heart attack on Monday morning than any other day of the week.

Results of the study, led by Dr. Stefan Willich at the Free University in Berlin, were reported in the July issue of *Circulation*, an American Heart Association scientific journal.

"Assuming that Monday is usually a day of more stress for more people, we may expect a higher occurrence – a higher risk – of heart attacks," Willich said Monday.

Willich, a visiting assistant professor at Harvard University, said the researchers analyzed 2,636 heart attack victims in Augsburg, a mid-sized city in Germany. The victims, 75 percent of them men, were hospitalized between 1985 and 1990.

Among the working population, heart attacks occurred 33 percent more often on Mondays than on other days of the week. The occurrences were evenly distributed throughout the rest of the week, with a slight dip on Sundays.

Among non-working people, no day stood out as high risk, Willich said.

Previous studies have shown that heart attacks are more likely to occur in the morning.

Willich said he would like to study another culture in which the workday begins on a different day of the week to compare results. In the meantime, he said his findings are merely an "interesting phenomenon."

Dr. Gary Weingarden, a cardiologist who practices in Richardson and Plano, said the study's conclusion is "potentially valid," but he considers it only a minor factor in predicting heart attacks.

Stress, affected by a person's moods and thoughts, can cause changes in hormones and adrenalin levels. That, in turn, can affect blood clotting, cause spasms of the coronary arteries and increase blood pressure – all factors in causing heart attacks, Weingarden said.

"It's not a huge leap of faith to see perhaps Monday morning would be higher than any other morning because of stress," he said.

Dr. Redford Williams, director of behavioral medicine research at Duke University, agreed that Willich's theory appeared sound.

Williams, author of *Anger Kills: 17 Strategies For Controlling the Hostility That Can Harm Your Health*, suggested that people at risk for heart disease take an aspirin before they go to bed Sunday night. Aspirin has been shown to thin the blood slightly and reduce the risk of blood clots.

Phony tax-refund claims climb with new electronic filings

WASHINGTON (AP) – Electronic filing, which lets impatient refund-seekers zip their tax returns to the Internal Revenue Service, was used by crooks to zap the government for $15 million this year.

The IRS has far more difficulty catching fraudulent refund claims from electronic returns than from traditional paper returns.

Sen. John Glenn, who made the statistics public Monday, suggested electronic filing may have to be suspended while the IRS gets a grip on the problem.

"I do not believe that the agency currently has the capacity or technology to catch most refund schemes," said Glenn, D-Ohio, chairman of the Senate Governmental Affairs Committee. "There must be better controls on electronic filing."

He said he wants the electronic filing program added to the government's list of "high-risk" programs vulnerable to abuse, and wants IRS Commissioner Margaret Richardson to come up with a plan to curb electronic filing fraud before next year.

IRS spokesman Frank Keith said "We have made significant progress in dealing with refund fraud, both on paper and in the electronic arena. We remain convinced that the electronic filing program is an important part of our plans to modernize the IRS."

Keith confirmed statistics provided by Glenn's staff that showed a difference between the early detection rates of phony refund claims filed on paper and those filed electronically.

During the first four months of this year, the IRS found that paper tax returns seeking $55.3 million in refunds were fraudulent. The agency discovered the fraud early enough to prevent $53.1 million of that from going out to the cheaters.

For electronic filings, the IRS found $44.1 million in fraudulent refunds, of which $29.1 million was spotted before refunds went out.

During that four months, the IRS approved almost $62 billion of refunds.

In 1993, electronic filers tried to dupe the IRS for $54 million in undeserved refunds. The agency spotted the questionable refunds in time to prevent $29 million from going out, but the checks for another $24 million were mailed.

That compared with $82 million worth of falsely claimed refunds on paper filings, of which $72.9 million was detected in time to prevent payment.

Under electronic filing, available nationally since 1990, authorized preparers and commercial companies can file returns for taxpayers via computer, cutting the refund time from six or seven weeks to two weeks.

In remarks prepared for delivery Tuesday to Glenn's committee, Richardson said the IRS has tightened the standards new companies must meet before being allowed to file electronic returns. For 1995, they will have to submit to fingerprinting for criminal background check and give authorization for credit checks, she said.

Study suggests Caesareans may lower babies' risk for AIDS at birth

WASHINGTON (AP) – Pregnant women with the AIDS virus who experience complications during delivery may have slightly better chances of delivering healthy babies if they quickly undergo a Caesarean section, a study suggests.

Doctors believe most mothers who pass HIV, the AIDS virus, to their babies do so during delivery.

They're not sure just how transmission takes place or why some babies escape the fate. But evidence from twins born to HIV-infected mothers indicates the longer the infant is in the birth canal, exposed to the mother's blood and other fluids, the greater the risk.

A study in Tuesday's *American Journal of Public Health* lends credence to that theory and suggests a way to help.

Researcher Louise Kuhn of Columbia University discovered that 632 babies with AIDS in New York were more likely than similar "control" infants to have undergone complicated deliveries, everything from prolonged labor to premature rupture of membranes or excessive bleeding.

But HIV-infected women who underwent a Caesarean with no complications had only a 19 percent chance of passing the fatal virus to their babies, versus a 25 percent chance during a vaginal delivery with no complications, she found.

The problem: Other studies have suggested Caesareans actually could spur HIV transmission by exposing the child to more blood than a routine vaginal delivery. And there are no data on how well the mothers, with their weakened immune systems, survive such major surgery.

Kuhn looked at complicated deliveries, where the unborn child is already in danger, and Caesareans posed less risk: 38 percent versus 41 percent.

While one study isn't proof, she concluded that if a woman begins experiencing complications, doctors might protect the unborn child by quickly opting for a Caesarean.

"This knowledge may lead to changes in obstetric practice to reduce HIV transmission," agreed Dr. James Goedert of the National Cancer Institute in an editorial accompanying the study.

Caesareans aren't magic, Kuhn warned. "Even with Caesarean delivery, there's a 19 percent chance the child is going to be infected anyway."

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