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Good Evening!

AREA

PAMPA — The Third Annual Tribute to Woody Guthrie will be held Saturday, Oct. 1., to honor the former folk singer who lived in Pampa from 1929-1937.

Scheduled activities will begin at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Quivira Room at Coronado Inn, with "talk time" for Guthrie families and friends and discussion of long-range plans for the annual tribute.

At 2 p.m., various musicians will be performing Guthrie songs at the stage in Central Park, with Jack Selby serving as chairman for the musical tribute. The public is invited to drop by to listen to the music.

A dinner will be held at 6:30 p.m. at the Starlight Room of Coronado Inn, with Guthrie family members in attendance being recognized. The Pampa Elementary Chorus, under the direction of Wanetta Hill, will be singing children's songs written by Guthrie. Dinner cost is $10 per person.

For more information and for dinner reservations, call Mrs. Thelma Bray at 665-1180.

SHAMROCK - Seven people are suspected to be involved in an organized crime ring responsble for burglarizing three homes in Shamrock, said District Attorney John Mann today.

The ring was uncovered Saturday by Mann, Shamrock Constable Jerry Bob Jernigan and police officer Monty Cornett, who learned from a man jailed on unrelated charges he was one of the burglars.

Stolen goods including motorcycles, movie cameras, a walkie-talkie and other household items were discovered in a Shamrock second hand store and a residential storage building.

Mann said he expects to ask a grand jury to return a single indictment for organized crime activity, a first degree felony. No arrests have been made.

PAMPA — The Pampa United Way will have its first check-in meeting today for the 1994 fund-raising campaign.

The meeting is scheduled to begin at 5 p.m. in the M.K. Brown Meeting Room at the Pampa Community Building, 200 N. Ballard. Campaign volunteers will be reporting on the contributions and pledges they have received to date.

Earlier this week, Pampa United Way Executive Administrator Katrina Bigham reported that the campaign had already received $11,087 plus $6,038 in matching funds for a total of $17,125.

The campaign goal is $300,000 to assist the 16 agencies receiving funds from the United Way.

PAMPA — Richard Peet, candidate for Gray County judge, will be the featured speaker at the noon meeting of the Downtown Kiwanis Club on Friday.

Peet will be discussing his plans for the future of Gray County and key issues that support his candidacy for the office.

Persons interested in hearing Peet are invited to attend. The Downtown Kiwanis Club meetings are held Fridays at noon at the First United Methodist Church basement, located at the intersection of Ballard and Foster.

HOOVER — FM 2391 will be closed Friday for further work on the Santa Fe Railway crossing and patching work on the road surface, according to the local office of the Texas Department of Transportation.

The road will be closed at least until sometime in the afternoon. Motorists traveling in the area will be routed to other roads.

STATE

By The Associated Press

One ticket bought in Houston correctly matched all six numbers drawn Wednesday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, state lottery officials said. The jackpot is worth $45 million.

The numbers drawn from a field of 50 were: 7, 10, 16, 17, 23 and 47.

Lottery officials estimate the jackpot for Saturday night's game will be $3 million.

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Braun expected to enter guilty plea

By CHERYL BERZANSKIS
News Editor

Law enforcement officers today journeyed to Oklahoma's Death Row to retrieve a man expected to enter a guilty plea in a five-year-old capital murder which took the life of a Hobart Street shop owner.

Gregg Francis Braun, 33, accused of the July 20, 1989 killing of Pampa photo shop owner Edley "Pete" Spurrier, 54, is to be returned to Pampa Friday from prison in McAlester, Okla., in anticipation of entering a guilty plea before District Judge Lee Waters at a later date, said District Attorney John Mann.

Mann said he is recommending a life sentence in the plea-bargained case although Braun is eligible for the death penalty.

"He broke the law here so he's got to be prosecuted here without regard for what he did any where else," Mann said today. "It wouldn't be fair to the people of the county if he got off scot free for what he did to the people of this county."

Attorneys for Braun, Ken Fields and David Holt, were away from the office and unavailable for comment.

Sheriff Randy Stubblefield said four law enforcement officers will travel to McAlester in two cars to pick up Braun and return him to Gray County jail, where he will be held in administrative segregation. Guidelines for Braun's transport were established by the governor of Oklahoma.

"That's the reason for the extra procedures," Stubblefield said.

In the convoy are Stubblefield, Pampa police detective Terry Young, investigator for the district attorney's office Bill McMinn and Kelly Rushing, investigator for the Texas Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association.

Gregg Francis Braun

Spurrier was one of five shop workers to die in four states within a few days of each other in a string of July 1989 robberies.

Braun, formerly of Garden City, Kan., faces execution plus two consecutive life sentences in Oklahoma, one life sentence in New Mexico and two life sentences Kansas.

He entered a no contest plea and was sentenced to death in the summer of 1993 for killing Ardmore, Okla., flower shop owner Gwendolyn Miller, 31, and wounding two other women in the store robbery.

Braun pleaded no contest in March 1992 to the murder kidnappings of two convenience store clerks - Barbara Kochendorfer, 27, and Mary Rains, 28 - in Garden City, Kan. For that plea, he was sentenced to two life terms in prison. New Mexico sentenced Braun in September 1991 to life in prison for the murder of a Springer, N.M., store clerk, Geraldine Valdez, 48.

The five murders occurred between July 19 and July 23, 1989.

In Pampa, Braun is charged with shooting Spurrier in the back of the head at his Hobart Street business. At that time, police said less than $50 was reportedly taken in the crime.

Pampa police said it occurred between 1 and 2:10 p.m. while Spurrier's wife was away from the store buying flowers for their home. A single .25-caliber shell was found by police on the floor of the business.

Braun was indicted on a charge of capital murder Oct. 1, 1992.

Cold front ushers in end of summer

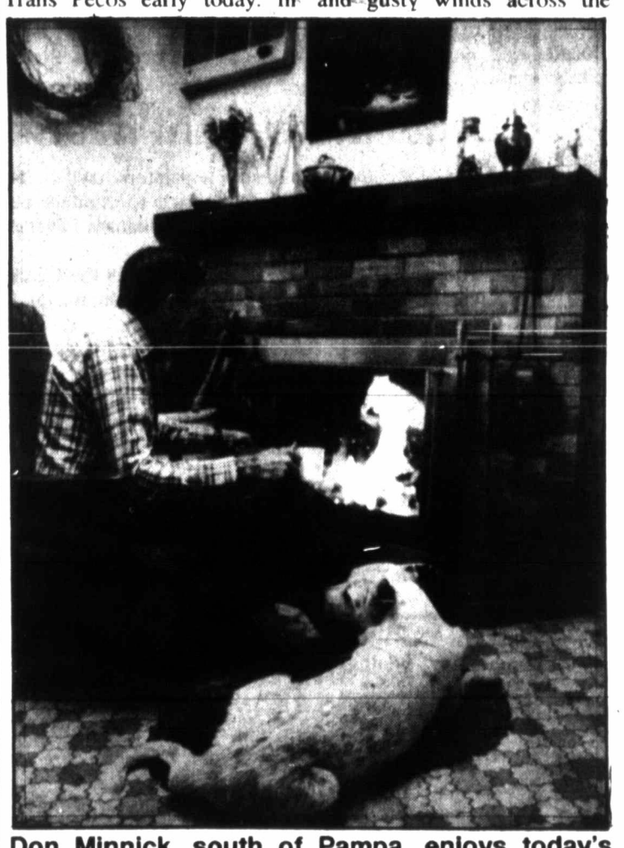
Compiled from Associated Press and Staff Reports

A fast-moving cold front was moving southward across Texas early today on the last full day of summer.

A few patches of light rain and showers were reported in the northern Panhandle, Permian Basin and eastern Trans Pecos early today. In North Texas, showers and thunderstorms were reported in the area from Wichita Falls eastward along the Red River.

The front was also accompanied by gusty north winds that caused temperatures to drop into the 40s in the Panhandle before dawn.

Department of Public Safety officials reported clear roads and gusty winds across the panhandle this morning.



Don Minnick, south of Pampa, enjoys today's cool morning with a fire in his fireplace, with his dog Barney resting beside him. (*Pampa News* photo by Darlene Holmes)

Despite threatening clouds Wednesday night, the promise of rain appeared short-lived with most Panhandle cities receiving only trace amounts.

"We only got a little bit," said Ann Bryant with the Roberts County Sheriff's Office in Miami. "We didn't get enough."

Bryant reported today that temperatures were cool in Miami, a report echoed by the community's neighbor to the north, Canadian.

"It's cool," said Hemphill County Sheriff's Office Dispatcher Sharon Keener in Canadian. "We like it."

Keener said Canadian received a small amount of moisture overnight.

"We just got a little bit," she said. "We're thankful for what we got."

Wheeler reported light rain overnight.

"We had a few showers," said Kathleen Frankenbery with the Wheeler County Sheriff's Office. "Barely enough to wet the pavement and a lot of north wind."

Brenda Turpin with the Carson County Sheriff's Department reported that the wind was blowing shortly before dawn this morning in Panhandle, but the city had not received any rain.

Perryton reported some rain and cold temperatures in the past 24 hours.

"We got about a two-inch rain," said Dave Dodson with the Ochiltree County Sheriff's Office in Perryton. "Drops about two inches apart. Yesterday afternoon we had a brief shower that split the town. The southside got about a quarter inch. The northside didn't get any. About 3:30 this morning we got a clap of thunder and a shower but not much. All total, we probably got about a tenth of an inch."

Dodson reported 41 degrees in Perryton shortly after sunrise with a windchill factor of 28.

To the south of Pampa, intermittent rain wet the pavement of Interstate 40 between Alanreed and Groom Wednesday evening and Lefors reported sprinkles.

Jennifer Brownlee with the Donley County Sheriff's Office in Clarendon reported two-tenths of an inch of moisture by midnight.

To west, Amarillo reported overnight showers with some hail on the northside of the city.

Forecasts called for much cooler temperatures and scattered showers and thunderstorms across the northern half of the state through tonight.

Lows tonight will be in the 30s in the Panhandle and in the 40s and 50s elsewhere across West Texas.

Highs Friday will be in the 60s and 70s in West Texas, ranging from the 50s in the Panhandle to the 80s in the Big Bend area, in the 70s in North Texas and in the 80s in South Texas.

Early morning temperatures were in the 40s in the Panhandle and in the 50s and 60s elsewhere in West Texas, the 50s and 60s in North Texas and in the 60s in South Texas. Extremes ranged from 42 at Amarillo to 70 at McAllen.

Judge Poff campaigns in Pampa today for court post

Judge Bryan Poff was in Pampa today campaigning to hold his job on the state's 7th Court of Appeals.

"David Fatheree and I are out meeting people today," said Poff, the Democratic nominee for the bench. "We're generating quite a bit of Republican support."

Poff said he was proud of the Republican support he had in the campaign.

"Judgeships should be non-partisan," he said. "I've supported that position for 20 years. If we can keep looking at the race in a non-partisan manner, then I feel we're going to win."

Poff cited his experience as his most valuable asset in the race, noting that he had served as a district judge for 12 years and on the appellate court for five. He said his opponent has never been a trial judge and has little experience in trial work.

The Canyon resident said he felt trial experience was a key to being effective in the appellate court.

"Since the war," Poff said, "only two people have been on the court that have not been trial judges. One of them was a former district attorney, the other had been an assistant district attorney with a lot of trial work experience. The history of this court is that you run for it after you've been in a trial court."

One of the problems with the judicial system, Poff said, was that three decades ago, people were put on the Supreme Court who had no trial experience. They had been law professors and academicians.

"They did not understand the judicial process," Poff said. "They didn't understand the problems that law enforcement agencies have. If you have not been in the process, you tend to think it works as it's written in books."

But there is a difference, Poff maintained, between theory and practice.

"No one can try a case without an error," Poff said. "I don't care how good they are. The real test is whether that error is harmful to the people involved and results in an unfair trial."

Poff is the incumbent in his race against Brian Quinn for a seat on the 7th Court of Appeals. The court hears appeals in civil and criminal cases from trial courts in a 46-county area that extends from the Texas Panhandle to near Midland-Odessa.

Hospital has no comment on possible merger

Pampa's hospital administrator said today he had no comment on a national news story concerning the merger of the parent of Pampa's hospital with two other hospital groups to form the second largest hospital chain in the nation.

"As far as we're concerned, it's speculative,"said hospital administrator Doug Garner today in Pampa of a report in *The Wall Street Journal* that National Medical Enterprises Inc. was attempting to take over American Medical Holdings Inc. and HealthTrust Inc., the parent company of Pampa's Coronado Hospital. "It's rumor, and we make no comment on speculation and rumor."

Calls to HealthTrust's corporate offices in Nashville, Tenn., today were being referred to a Nashville public relations agency. That firm, Lovell Communications, said the company does not comment on rumor.

"We're not confirming it or denying it," said Paula Lovell of Lovell Communications.

According to a report in *The Wall Street Journal* Wednesday, National Medical Enterprises is attempting to acquire HealthTrust and American Medical Holdings to form the second-largest hospital chain in the nation.

The three hospital chains operate 188 acute care hospitals in 12 states. More than half of them are run by HealthTrust, including Coronado Hospital in Pampa.

HealthTrust operates 118 hospitals in 12 states with a concentration of them in Florida, Tennessee and Texas. The company also has hospitals in Alabama, Arkansas, California, Georgia, Indiana, Louisiana, Missouri, North Carolina and South Carolina. But of their 118 hospitals, 33 are in Texas, 13 are in Tennessee and 10 are in Florida.

National Medical operates 33 hospitals in six states while American Medical has 37 hospitals in 12 states.

According to *The Wall Street Journal*, National Medical, headed by former investment banker Jeffrey Barbakow, is attempting to buy American Medical and HealthTrust for cash and stock. The newspaper reported that such a merger would create a hospital chain almost as large as Kentucky-based Columbia/HCA Healthcare Corp., which has 200 hospitals.

But Wall Street analysts question whether the economies achieved by Columbia/HCA in consolidation of their chain would work with the three-way merger proposed by Barbakow. Analysts point out that many of the hospitals owned by HealthTrust and AMI are well-run hospitals that don't offer the opportunities for cost-cutting that the larger, urban hospitals of Columbia/HCA offered.

Analysts point out, however, that the smaller, rural hospitals of HealthTrust could feed patients to National Medical and AMI hospitals in bigger cities for more specialized services such as heart surgery.

But some local doctors say that such mergers would have little direct impact on local health care.

""A lot of these things that happen on Wall Street wouldn't have a direct effect on us," Dr. Joe Lowry of Pampa said today. "It would be more of a subtle change of attitude. As far as I know, HealthTrust is a pretty healthy company."

National Medical Enterprises opened today on the most actively traded stocks on the New York Stock Exchange. At 10 a.m. it was listed at $17.75, down one-eighth.

American Medical Holding closed Wednesday down three-eighths at $22.875. HealthTrust closed down three-quarters at $30.125.

Check our ads daily for those sale bargains!!

Daily Record

Services tomorrow

BURGIN, Dawnivea (Donnie) — 2 p.m., Westview Church, Amarillo. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery, Pampa.

PENDERGRAFT, R.B. — 2 p.m., First Southern Baptist Church, Fritch. Burial will be in Westlawn Memorial Park, Borger.

Obituaries

DAWINIVEA (DONNIE) BURGIN

AMARILLO — Dawnivea (Donnie) Burgin, 68, died Wednesday, Sept. 21, 1994 in Amarillo. Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at the Westview Christian Church in Amarillo with the Rev. Charles Waugh, pastor, officiating. Arrangements are with Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors of Pampa. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery in Pampa.

Mrs. Burgin was born June 3, 1926 in Memphis. She married Roy Burgin on Jan. 31, 1946 in Borger. She had been a resident of Amarillo since 1974. Mrs. Burgin was a member of Westview Christian Church and a member of the Order of Eastern Star and Daughters of the Nile.

She was preceded in death by a son, Hobart Edward Burgin.

Survivors include her husband, Roy, of the home; one son, Wayne Burgin of Lubbock; one daughter, Linda Burgin of Sweetwater; two brothers, Cletis Imel of Amarillo and Dale Imel of Pampa; one sister, Dora Wedge of Amarillo; five grandsons and two great-granddaughters.

The body will be available for viewing from 1 to 2 p.m. Friday at the church.

The family requests memorials be to Westview Christian Church Building Fund.

R.B. PENDERGRAFT

FRITCH — R.B. Pendergraft, 78, died Tuesday, Sept. 20, 1994. Services will be at 2 p.m. Friday in the First Southern Baptist Church with the Rev. Orville Rogers, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Stinnett, officiating. Burial will be in Westlawn Memorial Park in Borger by Minton/Chatwell Funeral Directors.

Mr. Pendergraft was born in Canadian and had been a Fritch resident since 1946. He married Alma Overton Head in 1958 at Tucumcari, N.M. He was a truck driver for Phillips Petroleum Co. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Joanne Kreuger of LaCrosse, Wis.; three stepdaughters, Barbara Hudson of Borger, Nadine Forrest of Sanford and Gloria Robbins of Crocker; a stepson, Billy Wayne Head of Farmington, N.M.; a sister, Thelma Vitek of Austin; two grandchildren; several stepgrandchildren; three great-grandchildren; 13 step-great-grandchildren; and 11 step-great-great-grandchildren.

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL
Admissions
Pampa
Ellen Bronner
Aubia Randolph
Adelfa Silva
White Deer
William Easter
Birth
To Mr. and Mrs. Manual Soto of Pampa, a girl.
Dismissals
Pampa
Alice Sharum
Canadian
Ina Carver
Lefors
Betty Louise Wells
Madison, Idaho
Joseph Frank Powers
Stinnett
Debi Sue Just

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL
Admissions
No admissions were reported.
Dismissals
No dismissals were reported.

Stocks

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

Wheat	3.51
Milo	3.69
Corn	4.01

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

Serfco	4 7/16	NC
Occidental	20 3/4	NC

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

Magellan	67.59
Puritan	15.33

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

Amoco	57 5/8	dn 1/4
Arco	101 3/8	up 3/8
Cabot	27 3/8	up 1/8
Cabot O&G	19 1/2	NC
Chevron	40 1/4	dn 1/4
Coca Cola	48 1/4	dn 3/8
Diamond Sham	26	NC
Enron	29 3/4	up 1/8
Halliburton	30	dn 1/8
HealthTrust Inc	30	dn 1/8
Ingersoll Rand	35 5/8	dn 1/8
KNE	25 3/8	dn 1/8
Kerr McGee	46 1/4	dn 1/8
Limited	19 1/2	dn 1/8
Mapco	56 1/8	dn 3/8
Maxus	4 3/4	NC
McDonald's	26 5/8	NC
Mobil	76 7/8	dn 1/2
New Atmos	18 1/2	dn 1/4
Parker & Parsley	25 1/4	dn 1/8
Penney's	51 3/8	up 1/8
Phillips	33 3/8	up 1/8
SLB	54	up 1/8
SPS	25 3/4	dn 1/8
Tenneco	44 1/8	up 1/8
Texaco	59 1/4	up 1/4
Wal Mart	23 7/8	NC
New York Gold		393.60
Silver		5.59
West Texas Crude		17.22

Police report

Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today. No arrests were reported.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 21

City of Pampa employee Terry Brown reported criminal mischief at Central Park west of the restroom.

Janet Ann Romack, 817 N. Dwight, reported criminal mischief.

Timothy Clayton Trevathan, 1224 E. Foster, reported burglary.

Vincent Hernandez, 1001 Terry, reported theft.

Gail Redman Smith, 117 S. Faulkner, reported theft.

Jerry Hicks, 939 S. Hobart, reported criminal trespass.

Teresa Locke of Texas Department of Adult Protective Services, 1511 N. Banks, reported miscellaneous noncriminal information which occurred at 1005 E. Francis.

Sheriff's Office

Gray County Sheriff's Office reported no incidents in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

Arrests

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 21

Donald Edward Clem, 34, Amarillo, was arrested in Potter County on a Gray County District Court motion for enforcement of judicial order. He was released on bond.

Department of Public Safety

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 21

Billie Rutherford Casper, 35, Claude, was arrested on a charge of speeding and released on bond.

Ambulance

American Medical Transport reported the following calls during the 48-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

TUESDAY, Sept. 20

11:06 a.m. – A mobile ICU unit responded to a local residence for a patient transfer to the Coronado Hospital Emergency Room.

4:56 p.m. – A mobile ICU unit responded to a local residence on a chest pain complaint. The patient was transported to Coronado Hospital.

7:29 p.m. – A mobile ICU unit responded to a local nursing home on a medical call. The patient was transported to Coronado Hospital.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 21

9:50 a.m. – A mobile ICU unit responded to a local nursing home to transport a patient to Coronado Hospital.

10:54 a.m. – A mobile ICU unit responded to a local nursing home for a patient transport to Coronado Hospital.

12:44 p.m. – A mobile ICU unit responded to Coronado Hospital for a patient transport to a local nursing home.

4:28 p.m. – A mobile ICU unit responded to Coronado Hospital to transport a patient to V.A. Medical Center in Amarillo.

10:54 p.m. – A mobile ICU unit responded to a local residence to transport a patient to Coronado Hospital.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported the following calls for the 21-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

THURSDAY, Sept. 22

4:52 a.m. – Three units and seven personnel responded to an alarm malfunction at 2316 Cherokee.

6:09 a.m. – Three units and seven personnel responded to an alarm malfunction again at 2316 Cherokee.

Calendar of events

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK

A blood pressure check is offered from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. each Friday in the Red Cross office, 108 N. Russell. Blood sugar tests are offered the first Friday of each month. A donation is accepted to cover expenses.

Accidents

Pampa Police Department reported no accidents in the 24-hour reporting period which ended at 7 a.m. today.

Sheltered Workshop board appreciation

The Pampa Sheltered Workshop Advisory Board received a certificate of appreciation for their time and effort from the Amarillo State Center. Participating in the presentation of the plaque to the Pampa board Wednesday are, from left, Hilmer Heinritz, board treasurer; Jack Sawyer, Amarillo State Center; Ruth Durkee, workshop director; and Ron Goode, board president. The presentation was made during the advisory board meeting Wednesday at the workshop center. (*Pampa News* photo by Darlene Holmes)

Sisters found guilty in eye-gouging trial

By KATIE FAIRBANK
Associated Press Writer

DALLAS (AP) – Myra Obasi says she believes she was possessed by a devil when her eyeballs were scooped out of her head and left in a wastebasket wrapped in a facial tissue.

A Dallas jury said Wednesday the devil didn't do it. It was her sisters.

Doretha Crawford, 34, and Beverly Johnson, 35, both of Arcadia, La., were both convicted of aggravated assault against their now-blind sister. The convictions carry a punishment of two to 10 years in prison.

The jury began sentence deliberations Wednesday. The panel met for about an hour before state District Judge Mike Keasler sent them home. Jurors continued deliberations today.

The two sisters' hellish odyssey began when they left their rural, pine-forested town of around 3,000 people on March 17 because, they said, they believed Ms. Obasi was possessed.

The idea was planted by a suggestion of their father, Chester Crawford, that they visit a man named Benny, described as a "voodoo" or "hoodoo" man.

Hoodoo combines elements of voodoo, an African-rooted faith modified in Haiti, with elements of Catholicism and Biblical verse.

Crawford said he thought Benny could ease family tension.

"Benny's supposed to be a spiritual man," Crawford told The Dallas Morning News. "I thought I was doing something to help my kids."

After Benny said the family's problems were due to a demonic attack, Crawford told his daughters to flee.

The three sisters and their five children ran for their lives.

During a two-day trip, the women – afraid the devil had caught up with them – left their children with a stranger in Marshall. The family called state child welfare officials, who have since returned them to their family.

"For a mother to leave her children with strangers is an act of a desperate woman," defense attorney Lela Washington said.

The sisters set out for the Dallas suburb of Carrollton, where an in-law lives.

Suddenly, Ms. Obasi began trying to drive into traffic and off bridges, they said.

Despite the erratic driving, they wound up in Waxahachie, about 30 miles south of Dallas, where police saw them stopped about 4:30 a.m. They told the officers there was a curse on the rental car. The jury was told Wednesday that the starter was bad.

The siblings then hitchhiked into Dallas, where residents reported hours later that they saw the women praying and begging for help.

Legayla Jones testified that, on March 18, she watched for about seven hours as the sisters shouted and prayed across the street from her house before pushing garlic into Ms. Obasi's eyes while she made "strange noises."

"She was sounding like a man," Ms. Jones said, adding that the sisters also stuffed paper down Myra's throat.

Dorothy Hughes, a schoolteacher who spotted the women during her morning walk, said the sisters pummeled their sister and prayed with her. She said Ms. Obasi offered no resistance.

Legislators want hearing on Arkansas River shiner

AMARILLO — Panhandle legislators have called on the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to conduct public hearings on plans to designate the Arkansas River shiner as an endangered species.

The shiner is a 2-inch minnow found in the Canadian River in Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma, and the Cimarron River in Kansas and Oklahoma.

"We are very concerned that the listing of the Arkansas River shiner as an endangered species would have a tremendous negative impact on our region of the state," said Sen. Teel Bivins and Reps. David Swinford, John Smithee and Warren Chisum in a letter to the federal agency.

The legislators want a public hearing so area residents can speak directly regarding the proposal. They also requested all information on which the Interior Department is basing its proposed federal regulation.

The lawmakers asserted that the Panhandle's "economic, social and recreational resources should not be devalued nor our citizens have to suffer these losses because the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service feels the need to save this shiner in the Canadian River."

They particularly questioned the listing of the minnow for the two designated rivers without including the shiner population in the Pecos River in New Mexico in its endangered species designation.

City briefs

The Pampa News is not responsible for the content of paid advertisement

CHANEY'S CAFE: Esther's cooking evenings 5 to 8 p.m. 716 W. Foster. Adv.

APPEARING LIVE at Easy's Bar & Grill, 23rd and 24th, Brush Fire, $4 cover. Adv.

LADIES NIGHT every Wednesday. Drink specials, Free $25 bar tab. Easy's. Adv.

HOAGIE'S DELI is now offering Free Home Delivery 5 to 9 p.m. 665-0292. Adv.

MACHINE EMBROIDERY Class, mornings or evenings available. Sign up at Sand's Fabrics. Class, September 26. Adv.

2 BEDROOM unfurnished apartments. References required. Lakeview Apartments, 2600 N. Hobart, 669-7682. Adv.

KEVIN'S IN The Mall, Lunch Sunday 11 a.m.-2 p.m. 669-1670. Adv.

COLORADO APPLES for sale. 3 miles south on Bowers City Rd. 665-8017. Adv.

OAK FIREWOOD, Pampa Lawn Mower, 665-8843. Adv.

FENCE REPAIR, Joe Johnson, 665-3368, 669-9232. Adv.

SOCCER, FOOTBALL, Volleyball and tennis players we are here to serve you. Holmes Sports Center, 304 S. Cuyler. Adv.

HARVESTER SPECIAL, 5 deluxe hamburgers, 5 french fries, 5 large drinks, $12. 3 p.m.-7 p.m. The Hamburger Station. Adv.

SENIOR CITIZEN Appreciation Day! Please join us in the main lobby for refreshments on Friday, September 23, so we may say Thank You for your patronage, First National Bank in Pampa. Member FDIC. Adv.

WINDSHIELD REPAIR and Replacement, Suntrol 3M Window Tinting, 703 W. Brown, 665-0615. Adv.

OUT BACK Express this weekend at City Limits. Adv.

GARAGE SALE Large assortment antiques, tools. Friday, Saturday 8 a.m. No early sales. Cash only. 1001 S. Hobart. Adv.

BEGINNERS SQUARE Dance Lessons, Saturday, September 24, 7 p.m., 324 Naida. Adv.

NATO jets hit Serb tank outside Sarajevo

ZAGREB, Croatia (AP) – NATO warplanes struck at Serb positions just outside Sarajevo today in retaliation for a Bosnian Serb rocket attack on U.N. peacekeepers, a U.N. official said.

The official, who refused to be identified, said the attack followed a Bosnian Serb assault on a light tank manned by French soldiers on U.N. duty northeast of the Bosnian capital. One French soldier was wounded.

The United Nations is authorized to call on NATO jets for protection any time peacekeepers are attacked.

There was no immediate confirmation from NATO. An air strike would be the second time in less than two months that NATO warplanes targeted a Serb position. NATO jets destroyed a Bosnian Serb anti-tank gun Aug. 5, after the Serbs seized weapons from a U.N.-guarded compound near Sarajevo.

The Serbs hit the French tank with four rocket-propelled grenades shortly after it moved to observe fighting between government troops and the Serbs around Sedrenik, just northeast of Sarajevo, the U.N. official said.

The attack came amid continuing defiance by Bosnian Serbs, who have rejected an international peace plan and alienated their traditional supporters in Serb-led Yugoslavia.

Bosnian Serbs have besieged Sarajevo for the past 2 1/2 years. They pulled most of their heavy weapons away from the Bosnian capital in February, under threat of a NATO ultimatum and possible airstrikes.

Removal of the weapons has made life safer for Sarajevans, but not all big guns were removed or put under U.N. control.

Previous NATO air attacks on Serb targets occurred April 10 and 11 around the eastern enclave of Gorazde, after besieging Serbs ignored repeated U.N. warnings to stop attacking. The assaults repeatedly imperiled U.N. peacekeepers and other personnel in the region.

About 200,000 people are missing or dead in the war, which began in April 1992 when Serbs rebelled against a vote by Muslims and Croats to leave Yugoslavia.

Ex-hostage Terry Anderson suing government for files

WASHINGTON (AP) – Former hostage Terry Anderson filed suit against 11 government agencies today, claiming all had withheld records covering the years he was held captive in the Middle East. Some of the agencies, he said, demanded he get permission from his terrorist kidnapers first.

Anderson, Middle East correspondent for The Associated Press when he was kidnapped in Beirut in 1985, said the State Department withheld two documents, claiming their release would cause "a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy."

At a news conference, Anderson said he wanted the records for a second book on conditions in the Middle East and the Hezbollah group of Moslem fundamentalists who held him for nearly seven years.

"Mr. Anderson has been frustrated in his attempt to gain access to responsive agency records," the lawsuit said. "The agencies have relied on, among other grounds, blanket claims of national security, although no Americans remain hostage in lebanon, and, incredibly, on the need to protect the privacy of Mr. Anderson's abductors."

The suit pointed out that the U.S. privacy law applies only to U.S. citizens.

"I don't think that they have anything against me," Anderson said. He blamed "a culture of secrecy." Among the documents he did receive through a barage of requests and appeals from denial, were his own Associated Press dispatches, Anderson said.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Clear tonight with northwesterly winds 5-15 mph and a low near 40. Friday, increasing cloudiness with a high near 60 and northerly winds 20-30 mph and gusty. Lake wind warnings are in effect. Wednesday's high was 82; the overnight low was 42.

REGIONAL FORECAST

West Texas – Panhandle: Tonight, clear and cold. Lows around 40. Friday, sunny morning, then becoming cloudy. Windy. Highs in upper 50s. Friday night, fair. Lows in the 40s. South Plains: Tonight, clear and cold. Lows in upper 30s northwest south plains to mid 40s rolling plains. Friday, mostly sunny. Highs in low 70s. Friday night, fair. Lows in the 40s.

North Texas – Tonight, decreasing cloudiness with lows 44 northwest to 53 southeast. Friday, fair to partly cloudy and mild with highs 72 north to 81 south. Friday night, fair and cool with lows 46 to 53.

South Texas – Hill Country and South Central: Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows near 50 Hill Country, near 60 south central. Friday, partly cloudy. Highs in the 80s. Friday night, fair. Lows upper 40s Hill Country to mid 50s south central. Coastal Bend: Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows from 60s inland to near 70 coast. Friday, partly cloudy. Highs from 80s inland to near 80 coast. Friday night, fair. Lows from near 60 inland to mid 60s coast. Lower Rio Grande Valley and Plains: Tonight, mostly cloudy with isolated showers. Lows from 60s inland to near 70 coast. Friday, partly cloudy. Highs from the 80s to near 90. Friday night, fair. Lows in the 60s.

BORDER STATES

New Mexico – Tonight, partly cloudy southwest with isolated evening showers and a few thunderstorms. Mostly fair elsewhere. Cooler statewide. Lows in the 20s to low 30s mountains with mid 30s to low 50s elsewhere. Friday and Friday night, partly cloudy northeast with a slight chance of showers and possible thunderstorms. Mostly fair elsewhere. Highs in the 50s and 60s mountains and northeast to the 70s to mid 80s elsewhere. Lows in mid 20s and 30s mountains with 40s to low 50s elsewhere.

Oklahoma – Tonight, mostly cloudy with a chance of showers in northern and central Oklahoma. Clear to party cloudy in southern Oklahoma. Lows in the 40s to near 50. Friday, mostly cloudy with showers likely and a chance for thunderstorms. Highs from mid 50s in northern Oklahoma to mid 60s in southern Oklahoma. Friday night, mostly cloudy with and chance for showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the 40s.

Richards, Bush draw campaign money from all 50 states

By MICHAEL HOLMES
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) – They're running for governor of Texas, but Ann Richards and George W. Bush are raising campaign money around the nation.

Both the Democratic governor and her Republican challenger have received contributions from all 50 states, according to a computer analysis by The Associated Press.

"It's the nature of politics these days," said George Christian, an Austin consultant and former press secretary to President Lyndon Johnson.

"Richards is an attractive national figure, and Bush is a member of a family of national figures. It helps the national Democratic Party for Ann Richards to be governor, and it helps the national Republican Party for George Bush to be governor," Christian said.

According to their most recent campaign finance reports, filed with the Texas Ethics Commission and made available to the AP via computer disks, the majority of money raised by each campaign this year came from Texas.

About 65.5 percent of the $3.1 million Richards raised between Feb. 28 and June 30 came from Texas donors. For Bush, about 83 percent of the $3.5 million he raised during that period was from Texans.

Richards reported 17,529 contributions and Bush had 18,084 during that period.

The majority of Richards' total number of contributors – 60 percent, or 10,543 – were from out of state, while 40 percent, or 6,986, were Texans. The majority of Bush donors – 76 percent, or 13,833 – were Texans, while 24 percent, or 4,251, were from out of state.

Outside of Texas, Richards' raised the most money in Washington, D.C. Her reports showed just over $444,000 coming from the nation's capital. That was 14 percent of the total she reported.

The Democrat also received sizeable chunks of cash from California and New York. She got $149,187 from California and $138,889 from New York.

Bush, eldest son of the former president, got more money from New York than any other state besides Texas. Those contributions totaled $97,767. He received $83,127 from California and $69,692 from Washington, D.C.

Karen Hughes, a spokeswoman for Bush, said she thinks Richards' acceptance of so many out-of-state contributions hurts her.

"She has turned to a lot of national, liberal groups to raise money outside of Texas. I think the folks from Lubbock to Luling will look at that," she said.

Chuck McDonald, a spokesman for Richards, said most of the governor's out-of-state donors gave small amounts.

"He (Bush) has a handful of a few, well-heeled friends of the family who give him large amounts of money. ... Ann Richards represents a real spirit for average people all over the country and for women in particular," McDonald said.

Both Richards and Bush have political contacts across the country.

As one of the nation's most visible Democrats, Richards has both keynoted and chaired her party's national convention and helped other candidates, including California gubernatorial candidate Kathleen Brown and California Sen. Dianne Feinstein.

"You do have a phenomenon in this race," McDonald said. "Republicans have always been able to raise a lot of money both nationally and in this state. For the first time, we have a Democrat who can match the Republicans."

Bush was heavily involved in his father's presidential campaigns and enjoys numerous GOP connections from those races, plus his brother is running for governor in Florida this year.

"He has friends all around the country. He was involved in his father's campaigns," Ms. Hughes said. "But the biggest reason is that Texas is viewed as a key state. Conservatives who want to beat Bill Clinton in 1996 know that winning Texas in 1994 is an important step."

The cost of running Texas campaigns is high. The 1990 governor's race cost more than $35 million – $21 million for Republican Clayton Williams and $14.5 million for Richards.

Richards has raised $12 million since taking office four years ago; Bush has raised $7.5 million since announcing his candidacy last fall.

Unlike politicians in smaller states, Texas candidates must buy time on dozens of television stations – including those in three of the nation's 10 largest cities. The bigger the market, the more costly the air time.

"It's television that drives this thing. It's access to the media that's absolutely essential. And that is terribly, terribly expensive," said Nikki Van Hightower, the 1990 Democratic candidate for state treasurer who now teaches political science at Texas A&M University.

Political fund-raisers use national mailing lists of people with like interests who are prone to giving: women's groups, environmental organizations, business associations and others.

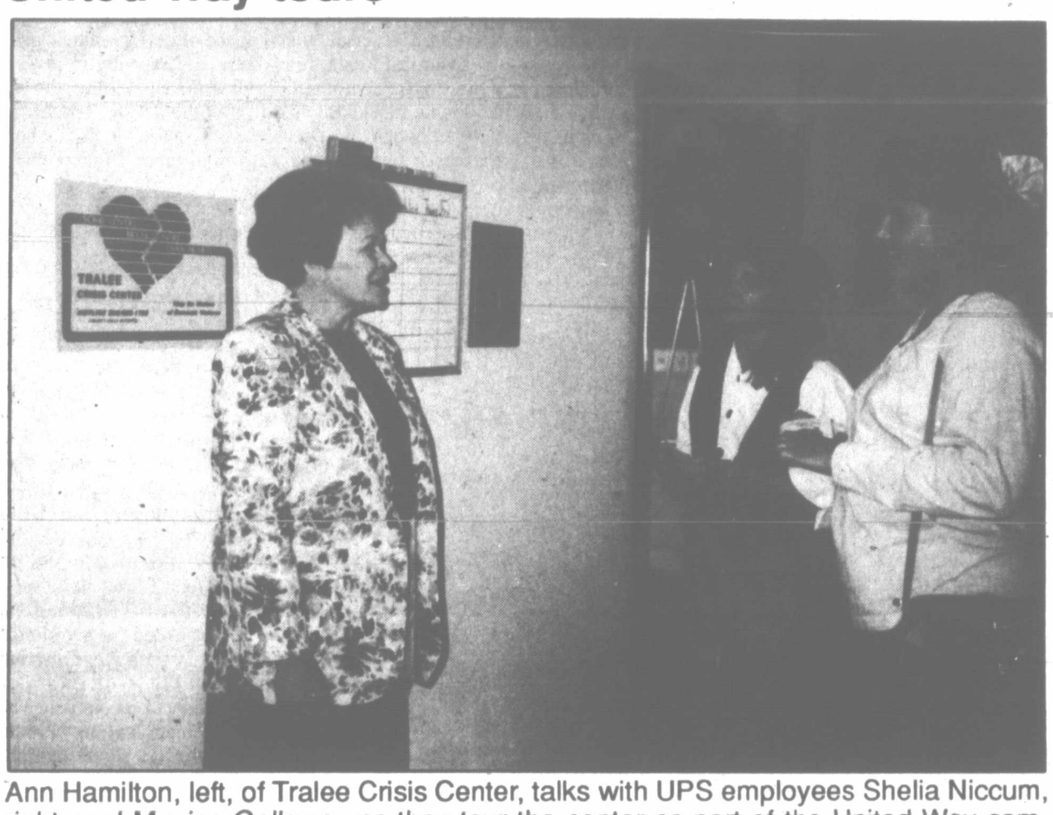
"Even people who are not Ann Richards and George Bush raise money now nationwide," Christian said. "The other side of that coin is that candidates in other states raise money from Texas. In the Virginia Senate race, both party candidates are raising big bucks in Texas."

If contributors want to give, why not take it?

"From the candidate's point of view, if there's money out there, go after it," Ms. Van Hightower said.

"There is no big incentive not to, except when the media gets on it. Then it can sound almost 'foreign.' But it really isn't that way. It's a system that's fundamentally corrupt when candidates have to go out begging for money," she said.

United Way tours



Ann Hamilton, left, of Tralee Crisis Center, talks with UPS employees Shelia Niccum, right, and Monica Galloway as they tour the center as part of the United Way campaign tours for agencies. United Way tours are now being scheduled. "Seeing and hearing what some of the agencies do is impressive," said Reed Echols, tour director. "We will do a tour for one or 21 persons. Tours last from 1 1/2 to 2 hours. We guarantee you an interesting morning and increased giving in your workplace." Call the Pampa United Way office at 669-1001 to schedule a tour. (Special photo)

Perryton to host Rural Development Council meeting

PERRYTON - The Perryton Economic Development Corporation and the Perryton/Ochiltree Chamber of Commerce will be hosting the quarterly meeting of the Texas Rural Development Council (TRDC) in Perryton on Sept. 28-29.

"We are excited to have this opportunity to share with agencies involved in rural programs the issues that are affecting us in this part of Texas," said Sheryl Hardy, executive vice president of the Chamber of Commerce.

"Senior staff from such agencies as the Department of Commerce, Farmers Home Administration, the Economic Development Administration, the Small Business Administration and Department of Agriculture will have the opportunity to see first-hand what is happening in the Panhandle and to get acquainted with the people and their concerns," Hardy said.

According to Myron McCartor, president of the Perryton Economic Development Corporation, the issues to be addressed will be air and water permitting, transportation, financing rural business development, housing and rural fire protection equipment.

John Crowell, with the North Rolling Plains Resource Conservation and Development Area, says "equipment for fighting fires is a major concern of almost every small town in the Panhandle. Additional trucks and equipment are needed to adequately protect rural homeowners."

"Swine production in the area will be the single largest agricultural development since cattle feeding," McCartor said, "and we need to capitalize on this development in every way possible."

Recognizing the importance of this development to the economy of the area is a major thrust of the TRDC meeting, according to McCartor. State Sen. Teel Bivins will be the keynote speaker at lunch on Sept. 28. Sen. Bivins will be discussing issues facing the next session of the Texas Legislature, and commenting on issues important to the Panhandle.

The meeting is expected to draw 35 agency staff members and over 75 area residents from the Panhandle who will have an opportunity to comment on the importance of the various issues to their community.

Advance registration forms for the meeting are available from the Perryton Economic Development Corporation, (806) 435-2262, or from the TRDC in Austin.

Regulators propose $150,000 fine for State Farm

AUSTIN (AP) – State regulators have proposed $150,000 in fines against State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Co. – the largest auto insurer in Texas – for refusing to turn over records when the agency investigates policyholder complaints against the company.

The Texas Department of Insurance "considers the refusal of State Farm to provide information to be a serious attack on the ability of TDI to regulate insurance in Texas," the agency said Wednesday.

State Farm spokeswoman Bobbie Clear said the company wouldn't release information without a subpoena because the claim files include confidential material, such as medical records.

"This just doesn't really make a lot of sense," she said of the agency's charges.

She said State Farm has offered to work with the insurance department to draw up legislation that would allow regulators to get the information "they say they need to get their job done."

But the insurance department says it already has that authority, and that every other insurer is complying.

"With the exception of State Farm, insurance companies routinely comply with TDI information requests, and the department is able to handle the complaints quickly and efficiently," the agency said.

Chamber's Country Fair tickets on sale now

General admission tickets are currently on sale at the Greater Pampa Area Chamber of Commerce office, 200 N. Ballard, for the 10th annual Country Fair.

The Country Fair, a main fundraiser for the chamber, is scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 15, at M.K. Brown Memorial Auditorium and Civic Center. Doors will open at 5 p.m.

Tickets are $15 per person. The price of admission includes dinner, which will be served from 5:30-7:15 p.m.

Special drawing tickets can be purchased for $100 each. Prizes of $500, $1,000, $1,500 and $5,000 will be given away to lucky ticket holders.

Other activities at the Country Fair will include a silent auction, a live auction, bingo (50¢ per card and up) and dancing to the music of the Tiny Lynn Band.

All auction items are donated by local merchants, individuals and businesses. All proceeds help fund the Greater Pampa Area Chamber of Commerce in its efforts to promote economic vitality and improve the quality of life in the greater Pampa area.

Schedule of events for the Country Fair will be as follows:

5-8 p.m. — Silent Auction

5:30-7:15 p.m. — Dinner. Five Pampa eateries will provide food.

8-9 p.m. — Live Auction

9 p.m.-Midnight — Bingo, with new games and new prizes.

9 p.m.-1 a.m. — Dancing, Tiny Lynn Band.

For more information, contact the chamber office at 200 N. Ballard, or call (806) 669-3241.

Veterans' Memorial 'Moving Wall' to be in Amarillo

AMARILLO - Coming to Amarillo on Oct. 15-21 is the Vietnam Veterans' Memorial "Moving Wall." It is being brought to Amarillo by Llano Cemetery, with the support of the Veterans Organizations and the community.

Llano Cemetery is bringing the "Moving Wall" as a service to the community and the Panhandle for those people who could never get to Washington, D.C., to see the original Vietnam Veterans Memorial.

The "Moving Wall" is a half-size version of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial located in Washington, D.C. which was dedicated on Nov. 11, 1982.

The overall length of the "Moving Wall" is 252.83 feet with 148 panels made of black aluminum. At the vortex, the walls are 6 feet in height. The dates on the wall for names are from 1959 to 1975. As of Jan. 1, 1994, there are 58,191 names on the memorial. Approximately 1,300 of the names listed are still unaccounted-for prisoners of war and missing in action.

The Wall will be placed in Llano East for viewing. The wall will be open 24 hours a day with free admission. The opening ceremony will take place on Oct. 15.

At the Tri-State Fair there is a booth focusing on the "Moving Wall" and listing the 119 Panhandle area servicemen who gave their lives in Vietnam.

For further information, contact Llano Cemetery, Dory Lacy or Tommy Needham at (806) 376-4538.

Hoodlum hotels

AUSTIN (AP) – Prison officials want to build lockups to hold convicts overnight when they are transported across the state. But don't look for chocolate mints on the pillows of these "hotels."

"Plain Jane, no frills – just beds and showers – that's what we're looking at," said David McNutt, budget director for the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

"They'd basically just be a holding area so we can stop overnight if we're going from, say, Huntsville to El Paso," he told the *Austin American-Statesman*.

The department's budget request to the Legislature seeks $6.4 million to build two lockups for overnight use.

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Notice of Vote on Tax Rate

The Gray County conducted a public hearing on a proposal to increase your property taxes by 1.08 percent on September 19th, 1994.

The Gray County Commissioners Court is scheduled to vote on the tax rate at a public meeting to be held on September 30th, 1994 at 10:00 a.m. at Courtroom, Gray County Courthouse

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Viewpoints

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Let Peace Begin With Me

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

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

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

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

Opinion

Computers can open new worlds for many

Personal computers keep spreading through society even as they become more powerful and easier to use.

One of the most exciting developments is that for people with disabilities PC's "often represent the difference between getting a job done or not being able to do it at all," according to an article by Cathryn Conroy in *CompuServe Magazine*. "Hardware and software designed to overcome specific limitations increase the productivity of disabled workers."

The magazine provides the inspiring story of Stan W. Gowin of Reston, Va. He can see only out of his left eye, and then only partly. Back in the days of punch cards (remember the long yellow cards with holes at the top?), he began programming computers by touching the cards and spying through a magnifying glass.

Now he uses a modern PC with software from AI Squared that, Conroy describes, "offers a large-print display that magnifies text and graphics and represents, the image as much as ... 32 times larger ... Speech synthesis software and hardware from Arctic Technologies let him take full advantage of the computer, relying on his sense of hearing rather than sight to access it."

Gowin explained: "The combination of large-print display and speech is powerful when properly used for the partially sighted computer user. This gives me the ability to use my computer as efficiently as a fully sighted person." Amazing.

He added, "Without my computer and its adaptive add-ons, I wouldn't be employed in the computer industry and probably wouldn't be enjoying my current lifestyle. The PC has been a booster rocket for my career." He programs for IBM, the industry giant.

CompuServe and other on-line-systems offer special forums that discuss technology for the disabled, while offering many databases of products and research. For example, CompuServe Handicapped Users' Database (HUD) offers "Dozens of articles ... on adaptive computer hardware, software and reading devices. Some topics include voice-operated computers, synthetic language interfaces, and braille embossers."

The cost of the equipment Gowin uses? About $3,500. And prices keep dropping literally every month. The same equipment used by Gowin likely will cost about $2,000 in less than two years. Meanwhile, even better devices will go on the market; and that better equipment itself will, in turn, begin dropping rapidly in price. Lower prices mean the equipment will enable more people.

That's the beauty of entrepreneurial capitalism: The competition keeps turning out better and cheaper products – including those that now, literally, allow the blind to see.

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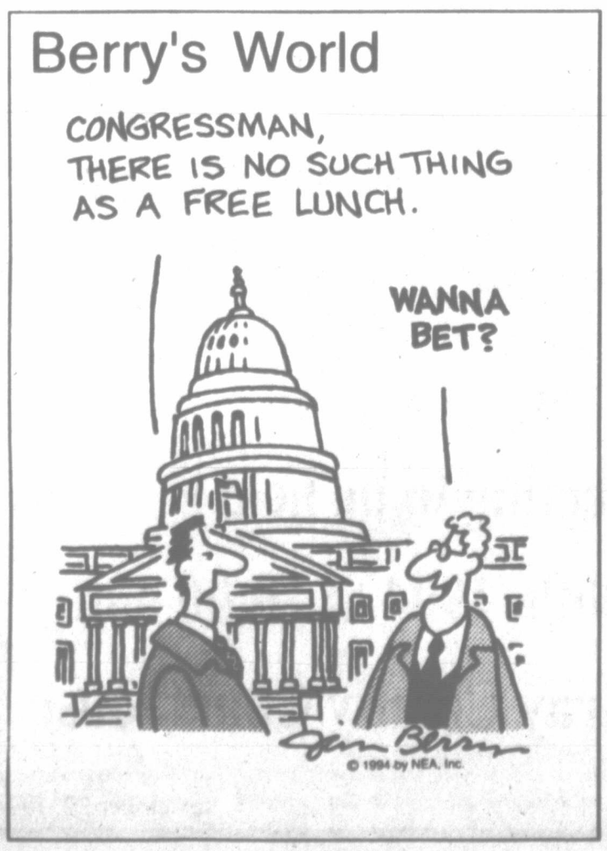
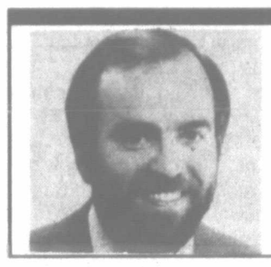


Cuban embargo is here to stay



Stephen Chapman

Last month, threatened with a flood of refugees generated by Fidel Castro, Bill Clinton surprised everyone by junking the 28-year-old American policy of embracing any Cuban trying to escape to the United States. It was the rare occasion when the Hamlet from Hope showed a capacity to act swiftly and boldly.

But when it comes to the other timeworn U.S. policy aimed at Castro, the economic embargo begun in 1960, don't expect another attack of enlightenment. Lifting the embargo would take more nerve than we are likely to find in any president, much less this one.

Nor should we anticipate greater decisiveness from Clinton on Bosnia, Haiti or any other crisis abroad. The lesson of his about-face on the Cuban boat people is that he will take firm measures only where he sees a clear political payoff.

In this instance, he initially appeared to be accepting the risk of antagonizing Florida's large Cuban-American community. But he foresaw what became evident to the rest of us only afterward: that the residents of Little Havana were willing to go along with the new policy as a way of frustrating Castro.

Even if Clinton had been wrong about that, the danger from offending Cuban-Americans was less than that of alienating everyone else in Florida. The state's Cuban-Americans aren't likely to vote for him anyway, since three out of every four are registered Republicans. If the change had contradicted their desires, it would not have carried a significant political price.

Allowing a repeat of the 1980 Mariel boatlift, on the other hand, would have cost him a lot of votes among the 92 percent of Floridians who are not Cuban-American. It would have doomed his 1996 chances of winning the nation's fourth-largest bloc of electoral votes, which he nearly captured the last time around.

Another huge influx of refugees also would have shortened the political life expectancy of Florida's Democratic governor, Lawton Chiles, who already faces an arduous re-election battle. As Jimmy Carter can attest, it would also have made him look helpless before the American electorate and the world. All the political arguments were in favor of a U-turn on the refugees.

The same cannot be said of lifting the embargo, which has only intrinsic merit on its side. Its defenders predict that sooner or later it will bring Castro down. But they have been saying that since it was imposed – by President Eisenhower – and could be saying it for another 34 years. The economic blockade is also in direct contradiction of U.S. policy everywhere else in the world, which is to force communist countries to liberalize by trading mercilessly with them day and night.

Clinton has dangled trade before North Korea as a reward for giving up its nuclear program. He swallowed his own threats against Beijing when he decided to extend its Most Favored Nation trade status, a retreat he justified as a way to foster democracy and freedom in China. He removed the sanctions on Vietnam, which had merely fought a war against the United States.

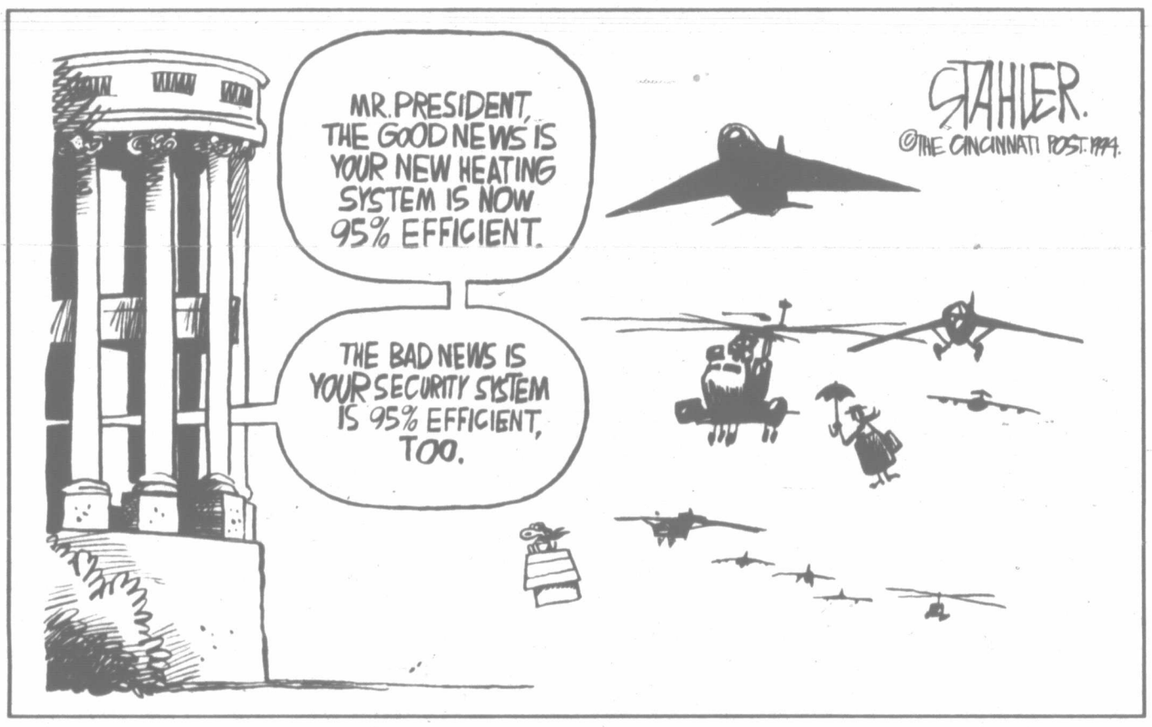
Aside from Cuba and Haiti (a recent addition), the only countries still subject to commercial quarantine are a handful that we regard as security threats to us or their neighbors – Iraq, Libya, North Korea and Serbia. Cuba may have qualified during the Cold War, but not today. Being a nasty dictatorship is normally not enough to get on the list, which is why we permit trade with Iran, Nigeria, Indonesia, Peru and a host of other countries that do not get four-star ratings from Amnesty International.

So why does Clinton insist on maintaining an inconsistent and perennially unproductive policy toward Castro? Because for him, there is nothing much to gain by changing it and a lot to lose.

The first effect would be to inflame Cuban-Americans into all-out mobilization against him, turning a minor political disadvantage into a major one. The wrath might not be expressed only in peaceable fashion. At a meeting with administration officials in Miami recently, one leader of a Cuban American National Foundation warned that if the embargo is scrapped, "this community will explode ... completely, completely explode." On the eve of a midterm election, the president could have rioting Cuban refugees in Guantanamo and rioting Cuban-Americans in Miami.

The political cost of this kind of change, unlike the refugee reversal, would not be offset by political gains. Even in Florida, few voters are fervently in favor of permitting commerce with Cuba. And lifting the economic blockade would be portrayed by Republicans everywhere as appeasement by a foreign policy bumbler – exploiting a suspicion about Clinton that is already too prevalent.

So the embargo is here to stay. It if fails to destroy Castro, that is irrelevant, as long as it helps to preserve Clinton.



Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Thursday, Sept. 22, the 265th day of 1994. There are 100 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Sept. 22, 1776, Nathan Hale was hanged as a spy by the British during the Revolutionary War.

On this date:

In 1656, in Patuxent, Md., an all-female jury heard the case of a woman accused of murdering her child. (The jury voted for acquittal.)

In 1792, the French Republic was proclaimed.

In 1862, President Lincoln issued the preliminary Emancipation Proclamation, declaring all slaves in rebel states should be free as of Jan. 1, 1863.

In 1949, the Soviet Union exploded its first atomic bomb.

In 1950, Omar N. Bradley was promoted to the rank of five-star general, joining an elite group that included Dwight D. Eisenhower, Douglas MacArthur, George C. Marshall and Henry H. "Hap" Arnold.

Answer: Only big business counts

Charley Reese

Which is more important to the United States government - business profits or human rights?

Answer: business profits.

Can you believe anything President William Clinton says and maintain any pretense of being a sensible person rather than a con man's delight?

Answer: No.

This is what you can learn from Secretary of Commerce Ron Brown's recent trip to Communist China - Ron Brown, the ultimate public dealmaker, taking along American dealmakers from the private sector. Um, um, all that docile cheap labor. Smack those lips. Rub those manicured hands together.

I can well imagine the private conversation:

"Now, okay, Mr. Commissary, let me get this straight. I pay you. You put a gun to the heads of your coolies and keep them on the factory workbenches day and night making my product. Wish we could shoot American labor organizers like you do, but to heck with them. This is a global economy. We got the money. You got the labor. It's a deal. You make this stuff cheap, we mark it up, ship it to the U.S., and tell the suckers they're benefiting from free trade."

So say the American deal-makers. So is created China's $30 billion trade surplus with the U.S.

Now, are the Chinese communist bosses just basically good guys who, gosh darn it, have to be a little strict now and then with troublesome students?

No. They are as brutal, as vile, as murderous as any Nazi who ever stood on the face of the earth. Nobody in the West knows for sure how many millions perished when Mao Tse-tung, a third-rate poet and first-rate killer, made his communist omelet. I've seen estimates that run from 30 million to 60 million.

The U.S. Department of Justice, however, has no office of special prosecutors to seek out old communist murderers and torturers, but the frenchman philosopher Jean-Francois Revel says in his book, *How Democracies Perish*, that the genocidal campaign conducted by the Chinese against the Tibetans can be fairly compared to the Holocaust.

"Testimony by travelers returning from Tibet ... indicates up to 80 percent of the population remaining after the invasion died ... victims who were not murdered outright were felled by those other great pillars of communism: famine and forced labor ... The massacres were particularly ferocious among Tibetan monks ... the obiteration of Tibet's culture was carried on with almost insane violence ..."

Well, you get the idea. And Campaign Charming Billy was morally outraged and promised that he, unlike George Bush, was going to use trade negotiations to do something about China's deplorable human rights. President Charming Billy, however, says, (expletive) human rights. Let's cut business deals.

So, I hope your son doesn't have to die in Haiti because Charming Billy, for some bizarre reason, is concerned, or claims to be, about human rights in Haiti, though not in China or, for that matter, in any other place where good business deals can be made.

The misfortune of the Haitians is that not only do they have no oil but they are so poor and miserable that even Clinton thinks it would be safe to use them as an example of U.S. resolve in standing up for human rights and democracy.

Not far away is Cuba, where Fiedel Castro is a 100 times worse abuser of human rights than anyone in Haiti, but Clinton doesn't have the guts to treat that ill-tempered tyrant the way he treats General Cedras in Haiti. He won't ask for U.N. authority to invade Cuba. He won't put up a blockade against Cuba. He won't demand democracy. He'll just equivocate and, in the end, probably cut a deal.

Well, there's no use hoping the U.S. government can be morally upright anymore, but let's at least ashcan this hypocritical talk about human rights and democracy and tell the truth: only big business counts.

Playing telephone tag the modern way

Sarah Overstreet

Along about the early 1970s, houses began to become more and more mouse-proof. The mousing industry turned its attention to little glue-floored "motels" that trapped rodents inside and made them run in place until their hearts gave out. Homeowners no longer had to handle them by their tails to throw them out.

The nation's inventors turned their attention to another dilemma, hoping the world would beat a path to their doors: building a better phone-call trap.

They came up with call waiting, call forwarding, the answering machine, answering services, pagers that beep, buzz, blab and vibrate, and phones one can put in cars, by pools and in boats. If we allow ourselves to be bothered, we can be bothered supreme.

But perhaps the most bothersome dilemma left them scratching their superb heads: how to be selectively bothered, to be reachable by those we want desperately to reach us, while remaining remote to those we wish just as desperately not to reach us.

Of course, unlisted phone numbers are an especial nuisance to reporters, whose livelihood depends on whom we are able to call. Yet I'll have to say that just about as many potential sources I've wanted to call and couldn't were disappointed at not having had a chance to be interviewed as were relieved I couldn't reach them.

And I hate even more having an unlisted phone number myself, because it causes all sorts of people whom I'd love to contact me to give up without so much as calling someone who knows me to get my number. People whose livelihood doesn't depend on calling other people are traditionally pretty lazy about digging for phone numbers.

I held out as long as I could with the listed number until I become a television consumer reporter, one of those crusaders who help wronged viewers get back at the guys who replaced a transmission they didn't need, or get answers from government bureaucracies who use their tax money to avoid their phone calls.

After the 15th late-night phone call that began, "Miss Overstreet, I couldn't get through to your station's help line today, but I'm sure you'll understand why I didn't think my problem could wait until tomorrow ...," I unlisted. Four years after I left that job for another in the same city, I'll still get calls at my new job wondering if I'm the lady who helps people because they really have a problem.

Still, I detest having an unlisted number. And believe it or not, I had already thought it would be great to have some kind of go-between amid the coaxial and fiber-optic maze that delivers us so much else. But, "No," I thought, "that's why you were an English major, because you don't understand science or technology. Obviously, if they could, they would. Now, shut up and wait helplessly for that cute pharmacist who flirted with you at that party to wade through the gaggle of friends who know him and know you until he gets your number." Fat chance.

But lo, the technoheads were holding out on me! The Nynex Corp. is starting an experiment with some of their New York state customers whereby callers to an unlisted phone number can leave a short message. A computer will then ring the number.

If the unlisted callee wants to call, he or she can hear the message. If not, the callee can just refuse the message and/or all future calls and not be bothered again, Nynex promises.

The callers pays approximately $1 for leaving a message. I figure the times I'm in a froth to reach someone about equal the times I'm in a froth to be reached, so my bill should even out.

Will it work? This experiment should give us an idea.

Until then, Mr. Pharmacist, don't give up. I'll be waiting by the phone.

U.S. forces begin ripping out heart of Haiti's former military power

By ANITA SNOW
Associated Press Writer

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) – The U.S. military today began dismantling heavy weapons belonging to the Haitian army company that spearheaded the overthrow of President Jean-Bertrand Aristide three years ago.

U.S. troops late Wednesday occupied Camp d'Application, where the military stores heavy equipment and munitions, and a U.S. Special Forces battalion began sharing the barracks with Haitian soldiers.

Today the American forces moved two armored vehicles to a soccer field where they will be "rendered inoperable," along with the Haitian company's anti-aircraft weapons, anti-tank weapons and artillery.

"Symbolically, this is the end of coups d'etat in Haiti," Fritz Mevs, one of Haiti's richest businessmen, said Wednesday as he drove by the base in suburban Petionville. "The heavy weapons unit has been the tool of coup d'etat."

Streets were calm today with Haitians going about their business. Two U.S. light armored vehicles were patrolling a main road that runs past the port.

Haitian police showed more restraint Wednesday in dispersing away crowds that came to the port to watch the arrival of more and more Americans and their military machines.

But they still shoved and threatened people, and in one case hurtled through a crowd in a van to break up a demonstration.

Haitian radio broadcast a statement by de facto President Emile Jonassaint saying he intends to convoke lawmakers as soon as possible to consider an amnesty for coup leaders and their supporters.

The dismantling of the weapons company is the result of talks Wednesday between the commander of the U.S. force, Army Lt. Gen. Henry Hugh Shelton, and Haitian army leader Lt. Gen. Raoul Cedras.

Shelton said Cedras also agreed to rein in his soldiers and police to try to prevent a repeat of Tuesday's beatings, when police clubbed Haitians in full view of the American troops.

In an interview with CBS broadcast Wednesday night, Cedras said he told Shelton that measures were being taken to ensure "that members of the public force have more self-control."

Cedras also said he won't go into exile, because the agreement he signed Sunday with former President Jimmy Carter only requires him to retire from the army by Oct. 15 – it says nothing about him leaving Haiti.

Aristide, who is to return to office under the agreement, finally voiced his support for the U.S. effort to restore democracy in his Caribbean homeland.

He objected to the part of the agreement that allowed Cedras to remain in power for almost a month and to stay in Haiti afterward.

Haitians detainees at the U.S. Navy base at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, who want to return home could be repatriated beginning next week, U.S. officials said. They would be the first to return since U.S. troops arrived in Haiti.

It was unclear how many of the 14,175 Haitians wanted to go back. Since the camp opened at the end of June, 5,783 refugees have returned by choice.

Helicopters, planes and amphibious boats ferried in more American troops Wednesday. Shelton expected up to 10,000 troops by the end of Wednesday, not including 1,000 military police.

President Clinton said the military police were sent to monitor Haitian police "and by their own presence help to deter violence."

"The situation in Haiti will not change immediately but today is better than yesterday and yesterday was better than the day before," Clinton said. "We will keep going. We will make steady progress. We will restore democracy."

The American force is to begin fanning out into the countryside by Friday, trying to train traditionally repressive rural police and soldiers how to do their jobs more professionally.

Humanitarian aid to Haiti also will increase sharply as U.S. soldiers are deployed, the U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, Madeleine Albright, said Wednesday.

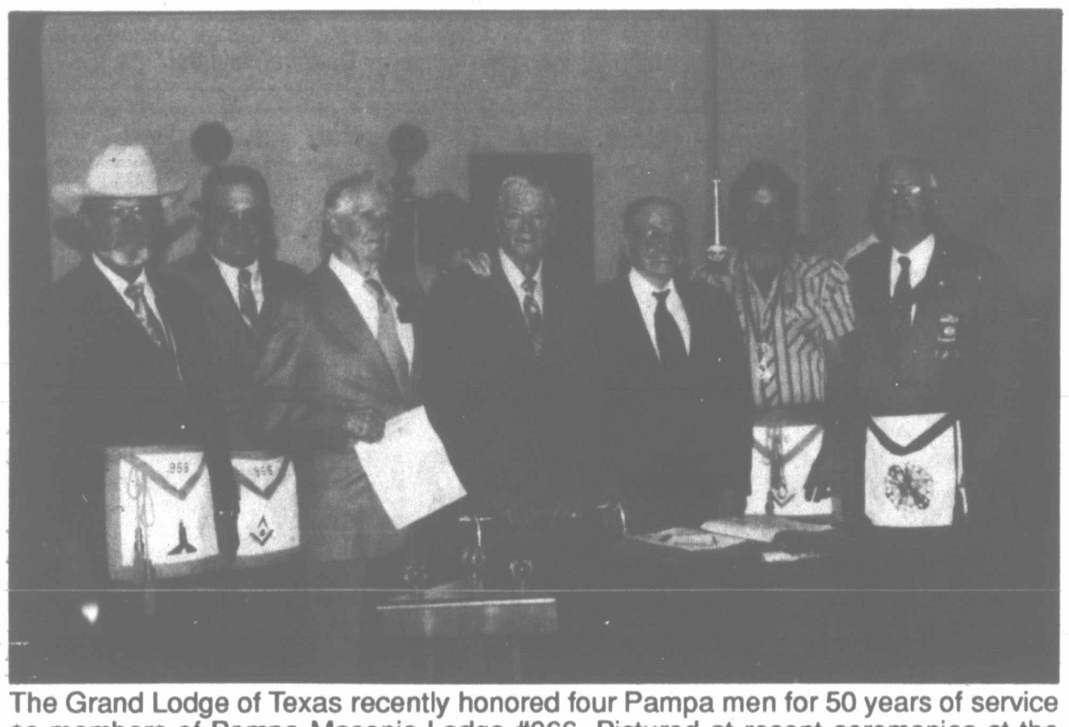
But she reiterated that the United States will not ask the U.N. Security Council to lift the economic embargo that has crippled Haiti until the coup leaders step down and Aristide is back in office.

Thousands of people at the port cheered as Bradley fighting vehicles clanked off a ship ramp onto the docks and rode through the capital's streets.

Hundreds more crowded around the international airport, which the American military took over when it arrived in Haiti on Sunday.

U.S. Embassy spokesman Stanley Schrager criticized a ban by Haiti's military-backed government on street demonstrations, a ban that was generally ignored Wednesday. If the United States is going to support democracy, "we cannot support a ban that prohibits demonstrations," Schrager said.

50-year Masonic pins



The Grand Lodge of Texas recently honored four Pampa men for 50 years of service as members of Pampa Masonic Lodge #966. Pictured at recent ceremonies at the lodge are, from left, Othal Hicks, Senior Warden acting as Master Pro Tem; Gordon Fore, Senior Deacon; Coyle Ford, H.B. Alverson and R.C. Grider, all 50-year pin recipients; Jim Downey, Junior Deacon; and Bob Schnell of Borger, Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas, who presented the pins. Not present was James Culpepper, 50-year pin recipient. (Special photo)

Carter reveals he had phone call from Castro

By DAN SEWELL
Associated Press Writer

ATLANTA (AP) – Jimmy Carter's latest peace overture is aimed someplace closer to home: the White House.

Carter went out of his way to praise President Clinton Wednesday in an Associated Press interview and a university speech. The globe-trotting former president also disclosed that he received another diplomatic feeler: a telephone call from Cuban President Fidel Castro.

Carter, retired Gen. Colin Powell and Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., secured the 11th-hour accord that averted a U.S. invasion of Haiti. But since Sunday, public tensions have risen between the Clinton administration and Carter because of his sharp criticism of the State Department's Haiti policy.

"In the aftermath of these trips, you always have a resurrection, particularly in the news media — 'Well, gee, President Clinton said this and Jimmy Carter said that, and now they're fighting with each other,'" Carter said in the interview.

Carter said a similar purported rift between the two was reported after his return in June from North Korea. Carter helped arrange a series of accords after the Clinton administration had threatened sanctions, which Carter opposed.

"I look on President Clinton as having shown superb political courage on very difficult issues," Carter said. Clinton, he said, cast aside objections from advisers on Korea and Haiti to "say 'OK, Let's take a chance.' And it paid off."

Carter heaped more praise on Clinton when he spoke to a group of students and faculty Wednesday night at Emory University.

"People have said Clinton is too wobbly, why isn't he firm like Ronald Reagan, and why wasn't he firm like George Bush?," Carter said.

But he said the Gulf War and the invasions of Panama and Grenada could have been avoided if either Reagan or Bush had turned to the Carter Center or similar peacemaking organizations for help.

"Those presidents didn't have the political courage to make one last effort for peace. President Clinton did," Carter said.

Yet in the AP interview, Carter continued criticizing the State Department for avoiding links to the Haitian military rulers. When trying to negotiate peace, he said, he can't follow "the attitudes of the State Department that has created the deadlock in the first place."

Carter also urged a re-thinking of the U.S. hard-line policy against Cuba, saying Cuban people "have been suffering severely under an American embargo."

Castro telephoned him during the recent Cuban exodus, Carter said. He said their conversation was "pleasant," but wouldn't discuss it in detail without his notes at hand.

He said Castro did mention the 1980 Mariel boatlift, the election-year crisis Castro handed Carter by allowing 125,000 Cubans to flee to Florida.

Oldest ape-man fossils discovered in Ethiopia

NEW YORK (AP) – Scientists have discovered fossils of the earliest known relative of humanity since the human lineage split off from the ancestors of the African apes.

The previously unknown species of ape-man roamed woodlands about 4.4 million years ago in Ethiopia, said researcher Tim White of the University of California, Berkeley.

"This is the first time we've seen a human ancestor in such a wooded environment," White said Wednesday.

The finding suggests the first stages of human evolution probably happened in forests, rather than grasslands as many scientists had envisioned, said Bernard Wood of the University of Liverpool in England.

"It's not the savannah that forced us along the evolutionary road," White said. "The first steps seem to have been taken in a forest habitat" after the human lineage split from the ancestors of the chimps.

White said the creature was closely related to the last ancestor shared by humans and chimps.

White and his colleagues announce the discovery in today's issue of the journal *Nature*. They found fossils from 17 individuals of the species they dubbed Australopithecus ramidus, including teeth, parts of a skull and lower jaw, and complete bones of a left arm.

"Ramidus" means "root" in the language of the Afar people who live in the area of the discovery and contribute to the scientific work there. Scientists chose the name to recognize them.

The fossils are about 800,000 years older than the earliest firmly established remains of Australopithecus afarensis, which had been the oldest known link to ancestors of the apes.

The ramidus fossils were recovered in 1992 and 1993 about 140 miles northeast of Addis Ababa. The site is about 45 miles south of Hadar, where the most famous afarensis remains, a partial skeleton nicknamed "Lucy," were found.

Researchers uncovered the ramidus fossil trove after Gen Suwa of the University of Tokyo spotted a ramidus tooth among pebbles on the desert floor in December 1992.

Analysis of the teeth and other fossils showed a mix of traits that place ramidus between afarensis and a more chimp-like predecessor. Wood said the work supports the controversial view that modern humans are more closely related to chimps than to gorillas.

Pope calls off scheduled trip to United States

VATICAN CITY (AP) – Pope John Paul II today called off his trip to the United States next month because he hasn't fully recovered from a recent fall.

The 74-year-old pope was due to leave Oct. 20 for a visit to the United Nations in New York; Yonkers, N.Y.; Newark, N.J., and Baltimore.

Vatican spokesman Joaquin Navarro said the pope had not fully recovered from a fall in April in which he broke his leg and needs further physical therapy.

"It's a question of mobility, not health," Navarro said.

John Paul underwent hip replacement surgery. He has been walking with a cane and has looked frail and tired during recent public appearances.

The Vatican said the pope intends to make the trip to the United States in November 1995 to coincide with the 50th anniversary of the founding of the United Nations.

"The pope was advised not to increase his activity in this period following his thigh operation for a complete and fast functional recovery," a Vatican statement said.

In the 16th year of his papacy, John Paul has been troubled by medical problems in recent years.

Doctors removed what they said was a benign intestinal tumor two years ago. He also broke his shoulder in a fall last November.

The Vatican has repeatedly denied the pope is suffering from a serious illness, dismissing reports he has Parkinson's disease.

Navarro said the pope will carry on his normal activities in Italy.

He also said a trip in January to the Philippines, Sri Lanka, Australia and Papua New Guinea was still scheduled.

The pope's weakened condition was evident during a visit to Zagreb, Croatia, 10 days ago. Apparently unable to kneel on the tarmac and kiss the ground as on his other foreign tours, John Paul blessed a basket of Croatian earth held up to him.

San Antonio wants motorists to turn down boom boxes

SAN ANTONIO (AP) – A debate has arisen among Alamo City officials over an earthshaking issue: car stereos loud enough to drown out emergency sirens.

The City Council is scheduled to debate today a proposed ordinance that would subject motorists to fines as high as $2,000 if they play their stereos too loud.

The so-called "boom box" ordinance would outlaw playing radios and other audio systems at "a volume that disturbs the peace of persons of reasonable sensibilities" who are 50 or more feet away.

Council member Lyle Larson proposed the measure at the request of the neighborhood task force of the Greater San Antonio Crime Commission, of which he is chairman.

Police, city park rangers, airport police and code-compliance officers will be responsible for enforcing the ordinance, Larson said.

"There is officer discretion," Larson said. "If it's too loud, he'll pull them over and cite them."

Council member Bob Ross supports the idea but not the discretion. He proposed objective measurements that do not rely on officers' evaluations.

"Sound to you and sound to me can be recorded differently," Ross said.

One council member's opposition runs deeper, however.

Council member Juan Solis argued that the proposal seems to be aimed at certain ethnic groups.

"Bass is more utilized in certain kinds of music than others," he said. "Are we talking about a concert by Beethoven or Tejano or rap? If bass is the problem, how do we get around it?"

Council members Roger Perez, Bill Thornton and Howard Peak said they needed more information on the proposal before endorsing it.

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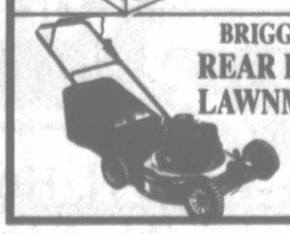

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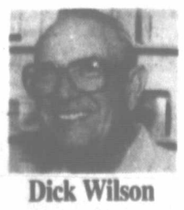

Dick Wilson
Pharmacist

MORE THAN 825 STORES NATIONWIDE

Former GOP first ladies break abortion silence

By CONNIE CASS
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) – In the White House, they stood silent beside husbands who condemned abortion. Now Nancy Reagan and Barbara Bush have quietly spoken up for a woman's right to choose.

But the former first ladies' candor pleases neither side of the abortion debate.

"It's very little and it's awfully late," James Wagoner, vice president of the National Abortion Rights Action League, said Wednesday.

"I don't think anybody particularly cares what they say," said Phyllis Schlafly, who has led efforts to keep a strong anti-abortion plank in the Republican Party platform.

During their years as first lady, Mrs. Bush and Mrs. Reagan kept their opinions to themselves in deference to conservative Republican husbands who were staunchly anti-abortion.

But this month, in separate venues, each of them said she was personally opposed to abortion, but believed it should be legal for women who choose it. Mrs. Bush came first, describing her pro-choice view in her memoir published in early September.

Mrs. Reagan broke her silence Tuesday night, in an interview as part of a university course on the role of first ladies. She was asked whether she, like Mrs. Bush, held an opinion different from her husband's public stance.

"I don't believe in abortion," Mrs. Reagan answered. "On the other hand, I believe in a woman's choice.

"That puts me somewhere in the middle, but I don't know what to call that," she said.

Colleen Parro, executive director of Schlafly's Republican National Coalition for Life, also said Mrs. Reagan's statement clearly falls into the pro-choice camp.

But she said it reflected an "unclear, ambivalent, inconsistent position."

"It's like saying I don't believe in slavery, but people have the right to own slaves if they choose," Parro said.

Eleanor Smeal, president of the Feminist Majority Foundation, expressed anger that neither of the first ladies spoke out while they were still in a position to influence abortion policy.

"What difference does it make how they personally feel when in fact they were part of administrations installing some very punitive programs for women?" Smeal said. "When it counted, they never spoke up."

Wagoner and Smeal suggested that Mrs. Bush and Mrs. Reagan may have voiced their opinions now as part of an organized effort to soften the Republicans' position on abortion, thereby appealing to a wider swath of voters.

But historian Carl Sferrazza Anthony, who interviewed Mrs. Reagan for the course at George Washington University, said it's more likely that the two simply feel free to express their personal opinions now that they are out of the White House.

First ladies traditionally are reluctant to say anything controversial that "would divert attention away from the administration and its agenda," he said.

In her book, Mrs. Bush wrote that abortion was the "toughest issue" she faced while campaigning.

"Everyone, it seemed, tried to make me say how I felt about the issue, hoping to catch me disagreeing with George," she wrote. "I honestly felt, and still feel, the elected person's opinion is the one the public has the right to know."

Big watermelon

Showing off a big watermelon grown in the garden located by Suoco Oil Co. are, from left, J.C. Daniels, employee Juan Merinda and Red Watkins, head gardener and friend. The watermelon weighs 81 pounds and is 32 1/2 inches long and 34 inches around. The garden produce – watermelon, potatoes, okra, squash, cantaloupe, radishes, beets and carrots – is given away to Good Samaritan Christian Services, Southside Senior Citizens Center, Pampa Senior Citizens Center, Schneider Hotel and Pam Apartments. (*Pampa News* photo by Darlene Holmes)

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Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: In a previous column, you stated that according to veterinarian Dr. Erwin David of Studio City, Calif., it is not possible for a cat to impregnate a rabbit.

Enclosed you will find a picture of a "cabbit," the name given to the offspring of a female rabbit that was impregnated by a cat.

As you can plainly see, Abby, the front half looks like a cat, and the hindquarters looks like a rabbit. Pictures don't lie.

PROOF FROM TAMPA, FLA.

DEAR PROOF: I sent the picture to Dr. David asking for an explanation. His reply:

DEAR ABBY: The picture you sent is that of a Manx. Interspecies breeding is genetically impossible. A possible explanation for "cabbit" sightings:

There is a breed of cat called the Manx; it has no tail — just a stump similar to a rabbit's. In addition, it has a broad, round rump, and its hind legs are longer than its forelegs, giving it a rabbit-like posture and a hopping gate.

I am enclosing pictures of a Manx from a book of cat breeds. Don't they look exactly like "cabbits"?

ERWIN D. DAVID, D.V.M.

DEAR DR. DAVID: They certainly do, and I'm sure this is the reason for the confusion. The Manx has a classic cat face — and the rear end of an Easter rabbit. (I hope I don't lay an egg on this one.)

DEAR ABBY: After reading the letter from the fellow who appreciated it when a stranger told him his zipper was down, I had to write.

A few years ago, I spend a hot summer day job-hunting. I wore a red cotton dress that buttoned up the back from the hem to the neck. I stopped at a drugstore to get a cold drink at the soda fountain. All the stools were occupied, so I stood in line, waiting until I could get a seat.

After I finished my cold drink, I walked about a block to where my car was parked. When I got in, a man tapped on my window and said, "Lady, your whole backside is showing." Then he flashed a badge and added, "Be careful — next time you may not be so lucky."

I thanked him, but after I realized what he was implying, I wanted to smack his face!

Anyway, if only one person in that drugstore had told me that my rear was exposed, I would have appreciated it.

HUMILIATED IN HAMILTON, OHIO

P.S. I never wore that dress again.

DEAR HUMILIATED: More than a few readers wrote to share their "southern exposure" experiences — read on:

DEAR ABBY: When I read the letter from "Stumped in Delaware," who debated about whether to tell a stranger his fly was open, I had to write and share my own experience.

Many years ago, I was a nurse's aide in a nursing home. It was one of those days when several elderly gentlemen had forgotten to put up their zippers, so I went around checking patients, and zipping them up when necessary.

After zipping up umpteen zippers and saying my usual cheery "There you go," a blushing young man said, "Thank you very much."

Abby, he wasn't one of our patients — he was a new young priest who was visiting patients.

That was the last time I pulled up a zipper without checking its owner first.

MARY DYKES, LORAIN, OHIO

CONFIDENTIAL TO "BALTIMORE DAD TRYING TO DO IT ALL": Slow down, my friend — and remember the wise words of Malcolm Forbes: "There is never enough time, unless you're serving it."

Hotels are going extra miles to please

By JENNIFER MERIN
For AP Special Features

NEW YORK (AP) — Frequent fliers, come the new year, will need 25 percent more mileage to qualify for a free flight from most major U.S. airlines. With that in mind, consider letting the miles stack up while you sack out.

Many major domestic and international hotel chains, in an effort to capture a loyal following and repeat business, began in the past couple of years to offer programs that reward overnight guests with points or bonuses that may be deposited as miles in airline frequent flyer accounts.

Before declaring your allegiance, though, do some comparison shopping because rules vary from chain to chain.

First, be sure the chain has hotels in the places you visit most frequently. Then ask what alliances they have with airline frequent flyer programs. Find out how the number of bonus points awarded per stay is calculated and how those points may be used.

Some hotels offer points for every dollar spent — for room, room service, minibar, telephone, valet and laundry. Others give credit based on the price of the room only. Another variation is to offer a standard number of points per night, or per stay, so long as the room rate is at least that charged to corporate customers. Corporate customers usually pay less than the regular rack rate and more than discounted weekend or package specials.

ITT Sheraton's Club International, representing some 400 hotels and resorts worldwide, has a flexible program with some quirky regulations and two levels of membership — blue and gold. Study the information carefully.

ITT Sheraton allows members to accumulate points indefinitely, either for free hotel stays or frequent flyer programs. Airline partners for the frequent flyer programs include American, Continental, Delta, United, Air Canada and Thai Airlines.

Marriott, with some 250 hotels and resorts worldwide, offers guests two frequent traveler choices. The Marriott Miles program adds 500 miles per stay — plus a 2,500-mile bonus for every fifth stay — to members of frequent flyer programs at American, Delta, Northwest, TWA, USAir, Air Canada or British Airways. Its Honored Guest Program offers 10 points per dollar spent, with 20,000 points needed for one free hotel night.

Registration at any of Hyatt's 284 hotels and resorts is worth 500 miles toward your frequent flyer account with Alaska, Northwest, United or USAir, no matter how you are traveling. Hyatt will deposit 1,000 miles into Delta's frequent flyer account, but only if you have a valid Delta ticket. In addition, Hyatt's Gold Passport program offers five points for each dollar spent, good toward a free hotel night after a minimum of 8,000 points.

The Hilton Honors program at 400 hotels internationally offers the option of 500 miles in an American, America West, Alaska, Delta, United, USAir, Air Canada or Mexicana frequent flyer account or 10 points per dollar toward a free hotel night. One weekend night requires 20,000 to 30,000 points, depending on location.

The Hilton, Hyatt and Marriott programs are free. There's a nominal annual membership fee for the ITT Sheraton.

Other major chains offering frequent flyer miles with overnight stays include Intercontinental, Holiday Inn and Westin.

Hotel frequent traveler programs often offer off-season or other bonuses — double miles or more — for stays at particular hotels. Inside Flyer Magazine, a Colorado-based monthly, is a good source for tracking and taking advantage of these and other short-term frequent flyer offers.

It's Happenin'

Emily Laird, 8, left, Jerry Chapman, 7, and Drew Morrison, 7, all students at Horace Mann Elementary School, stand in front of a poster promoting "Happenin' at Mann." The fall fundraising carnival for the school is set for this evening from 5 to 8 p.m. on the playground. Chapman and Morrison hold raffle tickets for the event.

Texas Center offers job retraining for the elderly

By JAY JORDEN
Associated Press Writer

DALLAS (AP) — With each job interview, Jim Roeder knows there are already two strikes against him.

First, he's 57. Second, he has had more than 20 years of experience as a hospital administrator and as a strategic planning and marketing consultant in health care.

He has found that too much experience and age can be hazardous to a career, at least in the view of some prospective employers.

"And merger, consolidation, cutbacks and so forth don't help either," he said. "But I'm realistic about the situation. I tell them I am looking for a stable, long-term and productive position."

Roeder has found an ally at last. The Center for Retraining Experienced Workers, or CREW, offers the over-55 set the skills needed to compete with their younger counterparts.

Since the program began last October at Richland College, 186 people have signed up. Of those, 125 have completed the training, and 88 have landed jobs. The average training consists of 80 hours of classroom training and 40 hours of laboratory work.

Job hopefuls, sometimes in their 70s, are competing in a market with applicants the age of their grandchildren.

"Most career management programs are geared more to young people," said Lorraine Clark, workforce programs representative for the Washington-based American Association of Retired Persons, which provided materials for CREW.

"Until recently, the idea was to teach you what you will do for the rest of your life," she said. "But now, we know that people change jobs from four to seven times during their work lifetime."

Job seekers with master's and doctoral degrees — even a dentist — have entered the program.

Some are changing careers after becoming victims of corporate downsizings and consolidations. Others have been homemakers or had other responsibilities which took them out of the job market.

The AARP, about one-third of whose members are still working, considers job retraining program such as CREW a valuable service.

Most students spend at least six weeks in the computer lab, which trains them in popular word processing and other programs so they'll feel comfortable in today's electronic workplace.

"We have some who just need a brushup on DOS, and some are brushing up on their typing skills," said Johnny Hill, a computer skills instructor.

CREW is receiving $320,464 from the U.S. Labor Department through the Texas Department of Commerce for 1994-1995.

"The big pot of money goes for all ages," said Bebe Champ, a department program representative in Austin. "There is a separate pot of money set aside for just older workers."

One of 14 programs the state is funding with Job Training Partnership Act money, CREW is known for quality of services, Ms. Champ said.

"It is probably one of the better programs in the state," she said. "They are very client-oriented. We have been very pleased with their program."

Ms. Clark agreed, saying CREW goes the extra mile for workers by forwarding their names to a list of prospective employers.

"What we find that seems to be very popular now is customer service," computer skills teacher Hill said.

Diplomacy with sometimes angry consumers and typing skills of at least 30 words per minute are typically required in such jobs. Former secretaries adapt well to such positions, said Judith Oldham, a senior placement specialist.

A 73-year-old woman who applied for the Dallas program said she realized her need for computer training when she wanted to return to the workplace.

"I had done accounting and general office work in the past," said Ruth Scherzer. "But now, if you can't run a computer, you can't work.

"I want to keep active," said Ms. Scherzer, who recently began computer courses.

Roeder, who started the CREW program May 11, was a consultant for five years after losing his full-time health care job, then was an income tax preparer.

"The firm that I worked for closed down its office and then I went out on my own, eventually went to Florida and then came back here to Dallas," said Roeder, who has a master's degree in business administration from George Washington University.

"I really had difficulty finding stable income working as an individual consultant," said Roeder, adding that he found he needed computer training for some positions.

"It's also a matter of some companies wanting younger people and, although they don't totally exclude somebody older, there are some difficulties," he said.

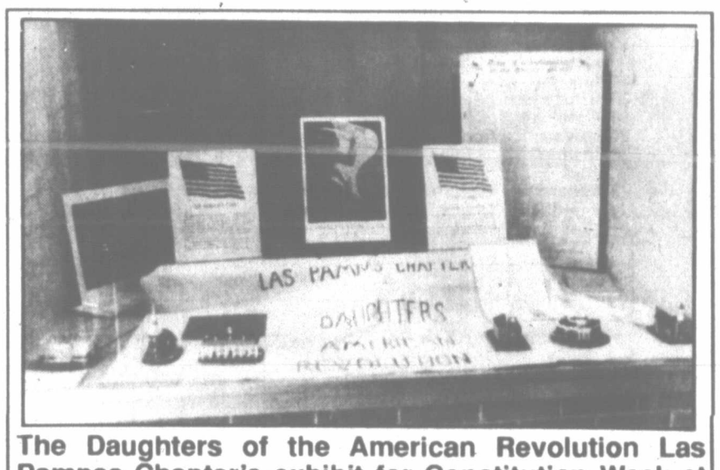
Roeder is waiting to hear from one hospital which interviewed him during an Urban League-sponsored job fair where he distributed a resume produced at the center.

"We're keeping our fingers crossed," said Jamie Thompson, one of the center's job developers.

The center teaches job-seekers to overcome age discrimination by marketing their strengths — a strong work ethic, experience and maturity — to smaller companies that need key people, Ms. Oldham said.

Nonetheless, she said it's a battle to educate corporations on the value of older workers. Mehrdad Haroutunian, the Richland Skills Training Center director, said some older workers have dyed their hair for job interviews.

"It's very cold out there," he said.



The Daughters of the American Revolution Las Pampas Chapter's exhibit for Constitution Week at the Lovett Memorial Library.

Remembering our Constitution

Reaffirming the ideals the framers of the U.S. Constitution had in 1787. That is the reason behind Constitution Week which began Sept. 17 and ends this Saturday.

"It is a time we honor the signing of the constitution," said Mary Nace, the Daughters of the American Revolution Las Pampas Chapter Constitution Week chair. The purpose for having a Constitution Week, said Nace, is to renew appreciation for the Constitution.

"The Constitution and Preamble were the promise and guarantee of individual rights and the end of one man tyranny."

Focus for this year's Constitution Week has been centered on the Bill of Rights on which the DAR Las Pampas Chapter recently had a program.

During the time which the Constitution was being drawn up, most people, said Nace, wanted a Bill of Rights before they would consent to the Constitution.

"People ought to be more aware than ever," said Nace about the freedoms inherent in the Bill of Rights. Gun control, speech and political correctness are issues being faced today. She continued by saying that if one freedom is given up, what others will have to be given up. Nace said there are differing opinions on the topic and others ought to study the Constitution and give some thought to what the framers wrote.

To mark this occasion, the Daughters of the American Revolution Las Pampas Chapter has a display at the Lovett Memorial Library which includes a copy of the Constitution, an illustration of the signing of the Constitution and books on the the Constitution and the DAR. Mayor Richard Peet also signed a proclamation.

A poster with the American creed and the Preamble to the Constitution also help make up the display. Louisa Britton, a DAR member, ordered display houses from the Franklin Mint which are also part of the exhibit.

A display is also at M.E. Moses variety store on North Cuyler Street.

Learning the qualities of being a better leader

A four day leadership training series is being planned for the Panhandle area. Leadership 2000 will help prepare Panhandle residents for active roles in decisions in their communities. The training series will be held from 9:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Oct. 5, Oct. 19, Nov. 2 and Nov. 16 at the Texas A&M University Research and Extension Center at 6500 Amarillo Blvd., West in Amarillo.

The course series is sponsored by Family Community Leadership (FCL) and the Texas Association for Family and Community Education (TAFCE) in cooperation with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Family Community Leadership is an educational program designed specifically for women who want to develop their leadership potential and become more involved in decision making in their community.

Those interested in attending will receive training in leadership styles, problem solving in a community, how to prepare for change, how to teach others, teamwork, improving communication skills, delegating of duties, effective group work, conflict management, motivation of members and networking. The information can be pursued personally by participants and with groups or organizations. It is the intent of the FCL program to train individuals who can in turn work in their community sharing the information and making their community a better place to live. The course cost $35 which includes a file box of 16 leadership lessons, refreshments, lunch each day and supplies for the class. To enroll for the class or receive more information, contact Donna Brauchi, Gray County Extension agent in the Courthouse Annex or call 669-8033.

"NOTICE"

The PAMPA POLICE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION is presently conducting a Fund Raising Campaign. The money raised will be used for Needy Families during the Holidays, for food baskets, warm coats, for needy children this winter and extra needed equipment for our PAMPA POLICE OFFICERS. Everyone making a donation will receive a Discount Card good for discounts at local merchants. These Discount Cards will be delivered to each home or business and a check made out to PAMPA POLICE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION will be picked up at the same time. Please be generous when you are called. The PAMPA POLICE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION THANKS YOU!!!

The Pampa News

NEA Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1 Cancel
5 Make weary
9 Church seat
12 Not outwardly
13 Diva's song
14 Mountain on Crete
15 Ore deposit
16 Soak up the ink
17 Mesh
18 Basement opening
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33 Right this minute!
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35 Bridal attire
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55 Aware of (2 wds.)
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3 Tennis player — Nastase
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5 Fictional elephant
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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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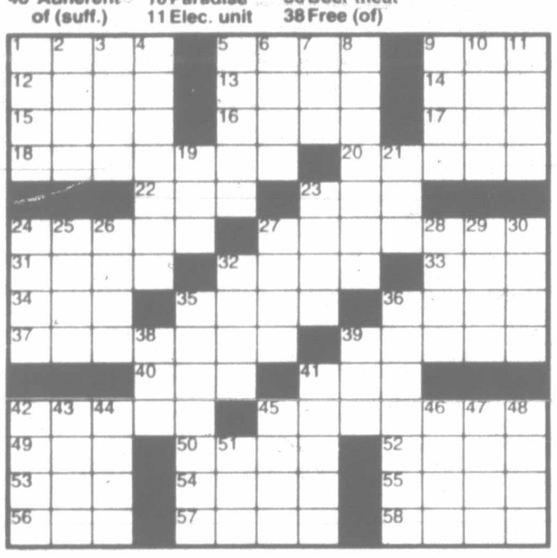

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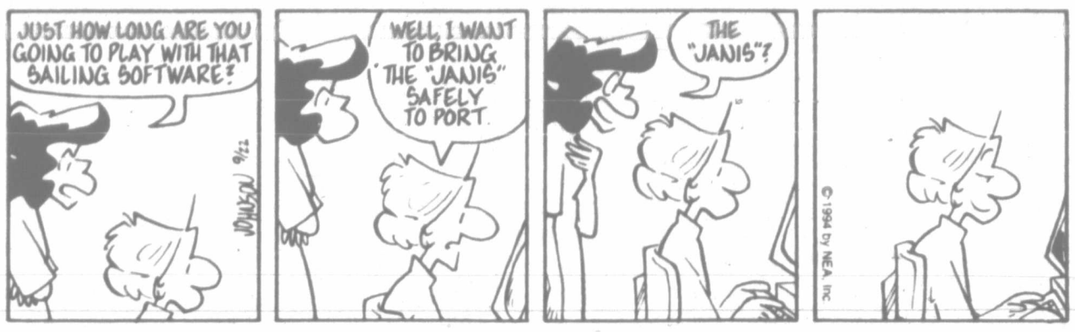
ARLO & JANIS — By Jimmy Johnson



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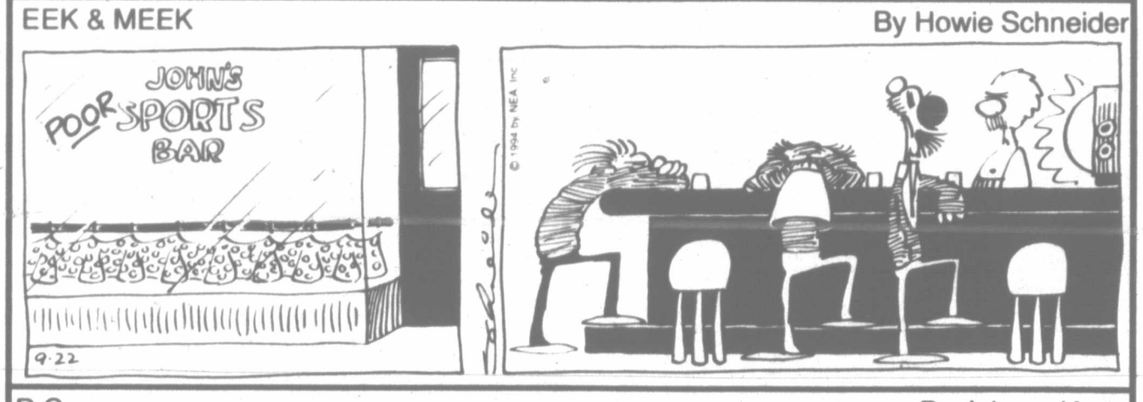


B.C. — By Johnny Hart

Astro-Graph

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Acknowledge and reward the deserving today, but don't feel under obligation to do the same for persons who have not earned this treatment. Get a jump on life by understanding the influences which are governing you in the year ahead. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today 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.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Associates could be a trifle difficult to get along with today. You might find it necessary to placate or appease them, even when you know your position is right.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Strive to be sensible about health matters today and make moderation your byword. If there are things you shouldn't eat or drink, find comparable substitutes.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Don't get caught in a petty political situation today with friends. You might find yourself forced to side with one pal against another.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Be diplomatic and tactful today if you have to deal with individuals in authority, especially persons who could hurt or impede your career.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) This is not a good day to introduce issues or subjects into discussions where others hold strong views that diametrically oppose your own. Sparks are likely.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Be extra careful today and tomorrow in your business or financial affairs. Don't let your impulsiveness overrule your logic just because you seek quicker answers.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Situations that require collective action might not work favorably for you today. The problem may not originate with you, but with your associates.

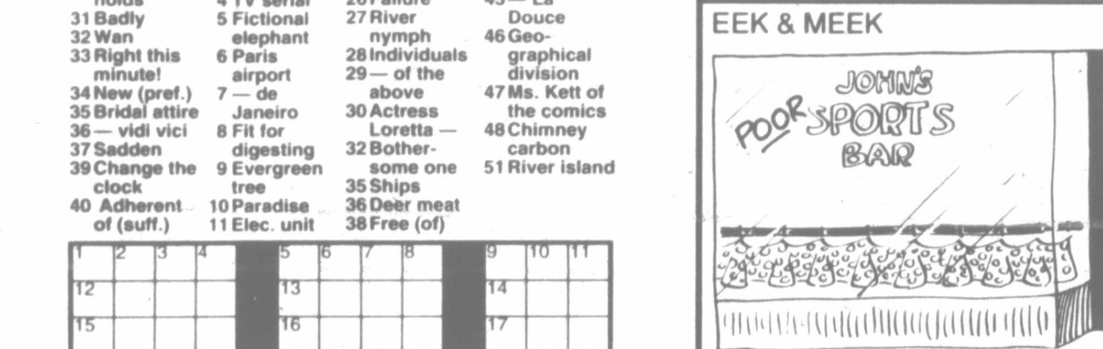
GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Take care of critical developments as they occur today, because they could worsen over time. The one thing you don't want to do is let things pile up on you.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Self-approval is of greater importance to you today than acknowledgment by others. Don't let your peers pressure you into doing things against your better judgment.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) In challenging situations, guard against inclinations to underrate your adversaries. Your competition could be tougher than you think today.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Even though you might believe your way of doing things is superior today, don't try to impose your procedures on others. Some type of serious misunderstanding could result.

MARVIN — By Tom Armstrong



MARMADUKE — By Brad Anderson

"You call *that* rising and shining?"

KIT N' CARLYLE — By Larry Wright

ALLEY OOP — By Dave Graue

Mallard Fillmore — By Bruce Tinsley

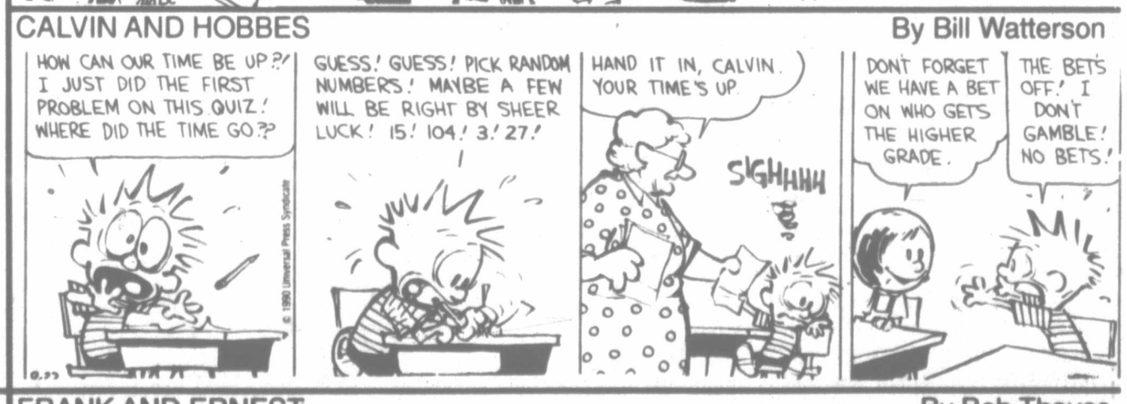
BEATTIE BLVD. — By Bruce Beattie

"That's how you keep it warm?"

THE FAMILY CIRCUS — By Bil Keane

"What luck! The wind blew my glider out of the tree!"

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

Notebook

FISHING

PAMPA — The Top of Texas Bassmasters of Pampa held a bass tournament on Lake Crowder in Oklahoma on Sept. 17-18.

Eleven members weighed in 29 fish with a total weight of 45.78 pounds.

Roy and Mary Alderson took first place with a team weight of 22.16 pounds. Others placing were Jimmy Corley and draw partner Roy Alderson, second, 19.24; Mike Young-Billy West, third, 9.80; Steve Stauffacher-Maxine Stauffacher, fourth, 8.60; Floyd Lott-Ronny Alderson, fifth, 1.97; Joe Millican-Lynn Odom, sixth.

Big Bass was caught by Mary Alderson, a 5.03 pounder caught on a white buzz bait.

The Crowder Tournament was sponsored by Mojave Petroleum Company of Pampa.

The next club meeting will be Oct. 4 at the Pampa Lovett Library meeting room, 111 N. Houston Street, starting at 7:30 p.m.

The next club tournament will be Oct. 22-23 at an undetermined lake.

MIDDLE SCHOOL FOOTBALL

PAMPA — Pampa won over Borger, 18-8, in an 8th grade B game Tuesday.

Bryant Smith scored two touchdowns on runs of three and 21 yards. Jared Bowles also scored on a 35-yard run.

Pampa lost the A game, 14-6. Pampa's touchdown came on Justin Roark's 25-yard pass to Grady Locknane.

In 7th grade action, Pampa's A team was defeated by Borger, 26-6. Javier Cruz scored on a 35-yard run for Pampa.

In the B team game, Borger won, 30-8. Jeremy Silva scored on a 15-yard run and he also had the conversion run for Pampa.

Next Tuesday the Pampa teams play Canyon, the 8th grade at home and the 7th grade there at 5 p.m.

TENNIS

SOUTHAMPTON, N.Y. (AP) — Authorities say proper inspection might have revealed the heating system flaw in the pool cottage where Vitas Gerulaitis died.

Jon Foster, the Southampton Village Building Inspector, said Wednesday that the bungalow where the retired tennis star was poisoned by carbon monoxide should have had an occupancy permit. But the inspector said no one had applied for one.

An inspection is required for such a document, Foster said, and an inspector might have discovered the problem in the heating systems on the property.

Investigators suspect a malfunction in one of the systems used to heat the pool was the source of the lethal gas that leaked into the cottage bedroom, killing Gerulaitis, 40, once one of the world's top players. His body was found Sunday afternoon.

Foster said the shingle and stone cottage on the 4.7-acre exclusive oceanfront estate was listed only as a pool house.

"It was not allowed to be used for cooking, heating or sleeping," he said.

The environmental crimes unit of the Suffolk County district attorney's office has begun a separate investigation which could lead to criminal charges in Gerulaitis' death, New York Newsday reported today.

"They have the technical expertise on environmental situations," Drew Biondo, a spokesman for District Attorney James Catterson, told Newsday.

"Because this involved a gas in an enclosed environment, they have the expertise to sample the air and find out what emissions were coming from what location," Biondo said.

When the probe is completed in several days, the district attorney's office will decide whether to present a criminal case to a grand jury.

In 1991, in an advertisement to sell the estate, owner Martin Raynes said his property included a guest house. After seeing the ad, village officials contacted Raynes, a real estate developer and friend of Gerulaitis. The officials told Raynes to obtain an occupancy certificate if he planned to let anyone sleep in the cottage, Foster said.

Inspectors are waiting to further inspect it to determine if there also were any building code violations, Foster said.

A funeral is scheduled for today at St. Dominic's Roman Catholic Church in Oyster Bay. Gerulaitis owned a home in the area.

Once ranked as high as No. 3 in the world, he was one of the most popular players in tennis.

Pete Sampras, in Goteborg for the United States-Sweden Davis Cup semifinal this weekend, told the Swedish newspaper Dagens Nyheter: "It's very sad. I met Vitas only last week (in the United States). He was a close friend. He was always a very generous person, he always cared about me."

Tennis great Bjorn Borg often stayed with Gerulaitis when visiting New York:

"Vitas was like a brother to me," he told the Swedish paper Aftonbladet. "It feels like I've lost someone in my family."

Borg played a doubles match with John LLoyd against Gerulaitis and Jimmy Connors last week in the Champions Tour in Seattle.

PRO BASKETBALL

CHICAGO (AP) — The Chicago Bulls, looking to beef up their depleted front line, have signed Larry Krystkowiak to a multiyear contract.

Krystkowiak, a 6-foot-9 forward, played with the Orlando Magic last year after stops in San Antonio, Milwaukee and Utah. Details of the deal were not released.

"We are very happy to add a quality NBA veteran power forward to our roster," said Jerry Krause, Bulls vice president of basketball operations.

"Larry has the mental toughness, attitude and intelligence that we want," Krause said. "He is a system player, and we feel he will bring his special brand of toughness to us."

Since the end of last season, the Bulls have lost forwards Scott Williams and Horace Grant and center Bill Cartwright. All three departed as free agents, Williams to Philadelphia, Grant to Orlando and Cartwright to Seattle.

The Toronto Sun reported today that the Bulls have re-signed center-forward Bill Wennington.

Krystkowiak was originally drafted by Chicago in 1986, but was traded to the Portland. He has averaged 8.4 points and five rebounds in an 8-year career.

Harvesters visit win-hungry Andrews

By L.D. STRATE
Sports Editor

Andrews is 0-3 and their opponents have scored twice as many points, but Pampa head coach Dennis Cavalier sure isn't thinking about an automatic win Friday night.

"Andrews has eight returnees off a team that made the quarterfinals a year ago and they had high expectations this year," Cavalier said. "I'm sure they're going to be hungry for a win."

Andrews' losses have been to Sweetwater, Lubbock Estacado and Snyder. But with all-state candidate Kevin Lawrence returning from an injury, the Mustangs could start picking up the pieces. Lawrence, a running back, rushed for over 1,200 yards last season.

"Andrews has had a tough predistrict schedule similar to ours. It's been very difficult. They could be a pumped up and motivated team Friday night," Cavalier said.

Cavalier is concerned with Chris Miller (5-10, 175-pound senior), quarterback of Andrews' wishbone offense.

"He's clearly outstanding at running their option wishbone," Cavalier said. "He also has great throwing ability. Chris Fisher (5-7, 145-pound senior) is the receiver he goes to quite often and he's a good one. Their offensive line is aggressive and they block exceptionally well."

Pampa opened the season by romping over Garden City, Kan., 42-0, followed by a 34-10 loss to Amarillo High. Last weekend, the Harvesters got back on the winning track with a 24-19 win over Plainview in Harvester Stadium. It's been an upbeat week of practice for the players. The coaching staff also savors the win, but while taking stock of Andrews.

"I've learned in this business you enjoy success for the next 8 or 10 hours and then its 'what's up next?' I know it's been a very exciting week for the players," Cavalier said.

Pampa will kick off against Andrews with about the same lineup as last week with the exception of defensive end Josh Starnes. The 190-pound junior suffered a shoulder injury in Tuesday's practice and will not suit up Friday. Starnes has been alternating the end position with 190-pound senior Keith Stewart, who will probably start against Andrews. Ryan Gibson (185-pound junior) and Chris Miller (230-pound junior) could see some action. Miller, a transfer from White Deer, just became eligible this week.

Others scheduled to start on defense are noseguard Donnie Middleton (225-pound junior), tackle Ryan Davis (220-pound sophomore), end Devin Lemons (190-pound sophomore), cornerbacks Shawn Lewis (170-pound senior) and Ray Estrada (160-pound senior), linebackers Floyd White (205-pound junior), Jason Bryan (170-pound senior) and Matt Garvin (210-pound senior), strong safety Ross Watkins (160-pound junior) and free safety J.J. Mathis (150-pound sophomore).

Bryan is the team's leading tackler with 32 tackles after three games. White is next with 30.

Pampa's offensive line of center Josh Calfy (170-pound junior), guards Jesse Silva (190-pound junior) and Kyle Parnell (185-pound senior), tackles Greg Erpelding (225-pound senior) and Brandon Soukup (215-pound senior), tight end Jason Warren (205-pound senior) and spilt end J.J. Mathis (150-pound sophomore) drew special praise from Cavalier for their performance against Plainview.

"I felt like our offensive line as a unit was the strongpoint of the whole game," Cavalier said. "Warren did a good job of blocking on (Ross) McCoy, their blue chip prospect, and Silva also threw some big blocks....as they all did."

District 1-4A leaders
(through Sept. 17)
Touchdown receptions
J.J. Mathis, Pampa, 2
Cornell Jones, Borger, 2
Marc Haney, Hereford, 2
Tim Baker, Borger, 1
Marcus Quesenberry, Randall, 1
Scott Parker, Hereford, 1
Jason Richardson, Randall, 1
Daren Brown, Borger, 1
Receiving
(catches, yards)
Tim Baker, Borger, 11-324
Marcus Quesenberry, Randall, 10-189
Marc Haney, Hereford, 4-103
Jason Richardson, Randall, 3-95
Jason Warren, Pampa, 5-94
J.J. Mathis, Pampa, 6-92
Daren Brown, Borger, 3-89
Brad Easterling, Dumas, 5-80
Marcus Gonzales, Dumas, 4-69
Matt Garvin, Pampa, 4-57
Brian Baggett, Canyon, 3-57
Kelly Coryell, Randall, 3-57
Kick scoring
(PAT's-field goals)
Todd Finney, Pampa, 16
Terance High, Hereford, 9
Josh McKinney, Borger, 9
Joe De Dawson, Canyon, 7
Mark Ladd, Randall, 7
Eric Hernandez, Caprock, 6
Michael Castillo, Dumas, 5

PHS senior David Kludt won his singles match in the Pampa-Randall dual last weekend. The Pampa team hosts Borger at 1 p.m. Saturday. (Courtesy photo)

Pampa tennis team drops narrow decision to Randall

The Pampa High tennis team tries to climb back into the win column against Borger in a dual match at 1 p.m. Saturday at the Pampa High School courts.

Last weekend, Pampa lost a narrow decision to Randall despite winning nine matches and 19 sets. The Harvesters trailed in number of games won by a count of 165-150. The loss evened the Harvesters district record at 1-1.

PHS head coach Larry Wheeler named senior David Kludt, sophomore Christi Carter and freshman Kimberlea McKandles as Players of the Week.

The Harvesters had opened district play with an 11-7 win over Dumas last week.

Pampa-Randall results are as follows:

Boys Singles
Brooks Gentry (Pampa) def. Brandon Wing, 6-0, 6-3.
David Kludt (Pampa) def. Courtney Henderson, 2-6, 6-3, 6-3.
Billy DeWitt (Pampa) def. Justin Scarth, 6-3, 6-1.
Cory Griggs (Pampa) def. Brad Love, 6-3, 6-2.
Matt Rheams (Pampa) def. Tom Stephens, 6-2, 6-2.
Jerid Nichols (Randall) def. Jamisen Hancock, 1-6, 7-5, 6-3.
Kyle Easley (Pampa) def. Chris Henderson, 8-6.

Boys Doubles
Gentry-DeWitt (Pampa) def. Wing-Co. Henderson, 6-0, 6-3.
Kludt-Rheams (Pampa) def. Scarth-Nichols, 6-3, 7-5.
Griggs-Hancock (Pampa) def. Love-Stephens, 6-3, 7-5.

Girls Singles
Nicole Munoz (Randall) def. Kristi Carter, 6-0, 6-0.
Hollye Hodges (Randall) def. McKinley Quarles, 6-0, 6-0.
Jami Nightengale (Randall) def. Marissa Grabato, 6-1, 6-0.
Tiffenie Mashburn (Randall) def. Sondra Wright, 6-2, 6-4.
Cami Stone (Pampa) def. Micah Wing, 6-3, 6-4.
Tara Griffin (Randall) def. Halley Bell, 6-1, 6-2.
Melanie Steinkruger (Randall) def. Kimberlea McKandles, 9-8.

Girls Doubles
Hodges-Nightengale (Randall) def. Carter-Grabato, 6-2, 6-0.
Munoz-Wing (Randall) def. Quarles-Stone, 6-2, 6-1.
Mashburn-Mindy Norman (Randall) def. Wright-McKandles, 6-3, 6-4.
Tara Harrelson-Andrea Burrow (Randall) def. Meredith Hite-Amy Hahn, 8-5.

Major Leagues could have minor league look in '95

By RONALD BLUM
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Don't be surprised if you don't recognize many names on spring training rosters.

By next spring, the AL and NL could resemble glorified minor leagues. Teams are slashing staffs and officials are talking about using any players who show up.

"You have to prepare now for the unknown, and I don't think anybody knows how long it's going to be," acting commissioner Bud Selig said. "You prepare for the worst and hope for the best."

Two management officials, speaking on the condition of anonymity, say owners are contemplating starting spring training next year with any available players, including major leaguers who break ranks, minor leaguers willing to suit up and players from Latin America and possibly Japan.

Selig, speaking by telephone Tuesday from Milwaukee, said it was too early to make those decisions. Union head Donald Fehr said he isn't trying to figure out management's intentions yet.

"If you look at the pattern of this so far, you have to assume the worst," agent Tom Reich said. "We're in an all-out war. If you look at their strategy up until now, it would follow that they'll use whatever tactics they think they can get away with in dealing with the public to intimidate major league players about their jobs."

Agent Dick Moss, who is attempting to start a new league next season, also thinks owners will attempt to open camps.

"I think that's probably the plan. I'm not even convinced they're going to implement their (salary-cap) proposal,' he said. "They may just go along and tell everybody they have no money left. It certainly would be a very ugly brand of baseball."

At least 12 teams have cut staff and three more are cutting salaries. Cincinnati, Milwaukee and San Diego got rid of their public relations directors. Even Selig admits there's a chance baseball will be a smaller industry when the battle ends.

"There's a lot of economic damage being done, and some clubs are going to come back in a very streamlined fashion," he said.

Selig's Milwaukee Brewers terminated 30 of 73 full-time employees this week, and the New York Mets got rid of 28 of 79. San Diego cut 25 workers, 40 percent of its payroll.

The Cincinnati Reds, who had 53 employees before the strike, have just seven left, according to a management official speaking on the condition of anonymity.

"We've got a situation where a lot of people are going to have to take on a lot more responsibility and work a lot harder," general manager Jim Bowden said. "We're doing the best we can with limited staff."

Montreal cut 35 full-timers, about half its staff, and San Francisco cut 43 of 94. Houston cut 19 of 62 full-time workers, Oakland cut 17 of 71, and Pittsburgh cut 16 of 80 workers. In addition, the Pirates put about 80 percent of its remaining employees on shortened work weeks.

California eliminated three of 50 positions, while Baltimore and the New York Yankees also made cuts. Los Angeles, meanwhile, slashed salaries.

Texas will cut employees' pay next month and Minnesota said it probably will announce layoffs.

Some long-time baseball employees have been casualties. Selig fired Tom Skibosh, the Brewers' public relations director since 1976. San Diego got rid of John "Doc" Mattei, the Padres' traveling secretary since the team began play in 1969.

San Diego also fired Jim Ferguson, a baseball publicist for 22 seasons, including the last four with the Padres. The voice mail on his telephone says: "This is Jim Ferguson. Press zero to return to the switchboard. You'll need to talk to somebody else. I don't work here anymore."

Tradition to continue

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Oklahoma athletic director Donnie Duncan says the expansion of the Big Eight to include four Southwest Conference teams won't alter the tradition of the annual Oklahoma-Texas game.

"We are headed to a new world," Duncan said Wednesday in Kansas City, Mo., where Big 12 school representatives are meeting to discuss scheduling and other topics. "But we also can accommodate the old world."

Duncan said the tradition of Oklahoma and Texas meeting in the Cotton Bowl in Dallas the second week of October would continue.

The Big 12 also is studying the idea of sending one of its teams to play in the Cotton Bowl on New Year's Day each year.

Duncan said he didn't think other conference schools would raise the issue that Oklahoma and Texas might have an advantage because of their annual game there.

"Much of the classic part of that game is that it has been played on the second Saturday in October at the State Fair," Duncan told The Daily Oklahoman. "That won't change."

Texas athletic director DeLoss Dodds agreed. He had said last week that the fact the two schools are in the same conference won't affect "one of the most unique games in college football."

"If you move it to a campus, you lose that," he said. "Being a conference game probably just gives it more importance."

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Scoreboard

BOWLING

HARVESTER WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost
H&H Sporting	7	1
DBR H20 Vending	6	2
Team One	5	3
Keyes Pharmacy	2	6
Team Six	2	6
Graham Furniture	2	6

Week's High Scores

High game: Rose Johnson, 181; High series: Rose Johnson, 502; High handicap game: Rose Johnson, 241; High handicap series: Rose Johnson, 682.

SOCCER

Pampa Soccer Association standings

Under 8 Girls			
Team	W	L	T
Dean's Pharmacy	1	0	0
Culberson	0	1	0
Under 8 Boys			
Team	W	L	T
North Crest	1	0	0
Lowes	1	0	0
Scotty's	1	0	0
Charlie's Furniture	0	0	1
Danny's Market	0	0	1
Wheeler Evans	0	1	0
Willis Shaw	0	1	0
Under 10 boys			
Team	W	L	T
Kid's Stuff	1	0	0
B&G Lawn Care	1	0	0
Beaver Express	1	0	0
Pampa Office Supply	1	0	0
Dust Rite	0	0	1
Medicine Shop	0	1	0
Curtis Well Service	0	1	0
Kyle's Welding	0	1	0
Under 10 Girls			
Team	W	L	T
Keyes Pharmacy	1	0	0
T-Shirts & More	0	1	0
Rush M-D	0	0	1
Dust Rite	0	0	1

Under 12 Division
(opening matches don't count in standings)

BOYS			
Team	W	L	T
A Cut Above	0	1	0
FNB	1	0	0
Panhandle FNB	0	1	0
Pampa Transmission	1	0	0
Ed Jones	1	0	0
Mr. Gatti's	0	0	0
Dos Caballeros	0	0	0
GIRLS			
Team	W	L	T
Haydon-Ford	1	0	0
Jay's Drive Inn	1	0	0
Rod's Ditching	0	1	0

FOOTBALL

NFL Team Standings

By The Associated Press

TOTAL YARDAGE
AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE
OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
New England	1386	232	1154
Miami	1277	370	907
San Diego	1181	399	782
Kansas City	1179	316	863
Denver	1163	283	880
New YorkJets	1039	254	785
Buffalo	973	302	671
Houston	969	313	656
Pittsburgh	941	432	509
Cincinnati	929	330	599
L.A. Raider	s902	235	667
Seattle	879	340	539
Cleveland	856	267	589
Indianapolis	831	418	413

DEFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Pittsburgh	899	351	548
Seattle	901	228	673
Houston	926	412	514
San Diego	937	301	636
Cleveland	964	297	667
Buffalo	1053	309	744
New YorkJets	1054	283	771
L.A. Raiders	1072	322	750
Kansas City	1114	247	867
Denver	1160	319	841
Cincinnati	1168	355	813
Miami	1198	151	1047
Indianapolis	1241	394	847
New England	1309	312	997

NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE
OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
San Francisco	1283	371	912
Atlanta	1201	342	859
Dallas	782	312	470
Philadelphia	1084	274	810
Washington	1057	267	790
New Orleans	990	122	868
Minnesota	947	346	601
Green Bay	922	169	753
Tampa Bay	903	262	641
Chicago	886	163	723
L.A. Rams	851	305	546
Detroit	564	186	378
New YorkGiants	833	368	465
Arizona	726	208	518

DEFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Arizona	680	247	433
Dallas	465	192	273
San Francisco	751	247	504
Green Bay	775	285	490
Minnesota	780	191	589
Tampa Bay	867	286	581
Philadelphia	877	215	662
Detroit	678	204	474
New YorkGiants	1025	197	828
New Orleans	1035	390	645
Washington	1105	321	784
L.A. Rams	1116	335	781
Chicago	1184	440	744
Atlanta	1200	355	845

AVERAGE PER GAME
AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE
OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
New England	462.0	77.3	384.7
Miami	425.7	123.3	302.3
San Diego	393.7	133.0	260.7
Kansas City	393.0	105.3	287.7
Denver	387.7	94.3	293.3
New YorkJets	346.3	84.7	261.7
Buffalo	324.3	100.7	223.7
Houston	323.0	104.3	218.7
Pittsburgh	313.7	144.0	169.7
Cincinnati	309.7	110.0	199.7
L.A. Raiders	300.7	78.3	222.3
Seattle	293.0	113.3	179.7
Cleveland	285.3	89.0	196.3
Indianapolis	277.0	139.3	137.7

DEFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Pittsburgh	299.7	117.0	182.7
Seattle	300.3	76.0	224.3
Houston	308.7	137.3	171.3
San Diego	312.3	100.3	212.0
Cleveland	321.3	99.0	222.3
Buffalo	351.0	103.0	248.0
New YorkJets	351.3	94.3	257.0
L.A. Raiders	357.3	107.3	250.0
Kansas City	371.3	82.3	289.0
Denver	386.7	106.3	280.3
Cincinnati	389.3	118.3	271.0
Miami	399.3	50.3	349.0
Indianapolis	413.7	131.3	282.3
New England	436.3	104.0	332.3

NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE
OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
San Francisco	427.7	123.7	304.0
Atlanta	400.3	114.0	286.3
Dallas	391.0	156.0	235.0
Philadelphia	361.3	91.3	270.0
Washington	352.3	89.0	263.3
New Orleans	330.0	40.7	289.3
Minnesota	315.7	115.3	200.3
Green Bay	307.3	56.3	251.0
Tampa Bay	301.0	87.3	213.7
Chicago	295.3	54.3	241.0
L.A. Rams	283.7	101.7	182.0
Detroit	282.0	93.0	189.0
New YorkGiants	277.7	122.7	155.0
Arizona	242.0	69.3	172.7

DEFENSE

	Yards	Rush
Pass		
Arizona	226.7	82.3
Dallas	232.5	96.0
San Francisco	250.3	82.3
Green Bay	258.3	95.0
Minnesota	260.0	63.7
Tampa Bay	289.0	95.3
Philadelphia	292.3	71.7
Detroit	339.0	102.0
New YorkGiants	341.7	65.7

Plano East climbing out of crosstown rival's shadow

By JOHN McFARLAND
Associated Press Writer

PLANO (AP) — Plano East has long been "the other" high school football team in this suburb just north of Dallas.

Crosstown rival Plano has played in eight state championship games over the past 30 years, winning six of them.

Plano East, meanwhile, has never been to the big game. The Panthers have made the playoffs six times their 13-year football history, but advanced past the second round just twice.

New Plano East coach Scott Phillips, who has won state titles at two other schools, plans to change all that.

"I think sometimes people refer to us as the stepson or stepchild in a lot of ways. I don't think Plano East has to take a back seat to anybody," says Phillips, who is also the school's athletic director.

The Panthers are 3-0 and ranked 10th in this week's Associated Press poll. Plano, Class 5A Division I runnerup last year, is 2-1 and unranked.

If Plano East can hold on and surpass Plano as the town's football power, it would be just a small step for Phillips, who's setting his sights much higher for himself and his coaching staff.

"Because we've been fortunate enough to have won a couple of those titles, I think that's the first thing people anticipate, that we can do it again here," Phillips said. "And of course, that's our goal. We want to do it this year."

Phillips first realized that goal in 1989, when his Groveton team went 16-0 and won the Class 2A state championship. In 1992, his 4A Waxahachie team also won all 16 games and a state title.

Even though he's never had a losing season and has a career record of 155-26-4, Phillips said he doesn't feel any pressure to bring a title to Plano East.

"I think if this was Plano Senior High, there'd be a lot of pressure to win because they're used to it — and hopefully that same situation will occur here," said Phillips, 42.

But the players are putting pressure on themselves.

"We want to listen to him because he knows how to win," said senior quarterback Jeff Whitley. "Everybody's really pumped up. We really do believe we can win a state championship, and that's what we're working to accomplish."

"There's a whole new attitude on this team," added safety Aaron Easterling.

The transition, however, wasn't easy for some players, especially those whose post-touchdown celebrations were too much for a coach who stresses discipline.

"One Friday night I got on a player pretty heavy," Phillips said. "He came dancing off the field, then jerked his helmet off, then he flopped around down on the ground. I guess he didn't understand what I expect of him. That is not tolerated."

Phillips' players aren't allowed to talk trash, tear their helmets off after a score, do end zone dances or use profanity.

"We don't act like that," says Phillips, who disciplines players with extra workouts or "licks," swats to the rear with a wooden paddle that are approved by the players' parents.

"One of the things that sticks out in my mind the most is that he was a disciplinarian," said Rodney Thomas, who played on Groveton's 1989 championship team and is now a star running back at Texas A&M.

"But he wanted you to follow strict rules for a reason, and that was to build team unity. I think when you have that, you're going to have a championship team," he said.

Phillips says his program is designed to "build high school football players and better people, better students, better citizens of the community that they're going to live in."

He's been preaching that philosophy since 1975, when he landed his first coaching job, as an assistant under his brother, Steve, at West Hardin.

In 1980, Phillips was promoted to head coach at Class A High Island, where he had been defensive coordinator.

Phillips went 42-10-2 there before moving up to 2A Groveton.

With the Indians, he went 60-8-2 from 1985-89. Most of those losses came during his one non-winning season, a 5-5 finish in 1986.

At Waxahachie, Phillips was 49-8 from 1990-1993.

Because Phillips has been successful moving up level-by-level in high school, he realizes the next logical step would be to coach in college.

But he's not sure that's something he'd be like.

"I feel like I have the best job in the state of Texas," he said. "I don't know whether that opportunity would ever lend itself, or if I would take it if it did."

Klingler returns to Astrodome

CINCINNATI (AP) — David Klingler's return to the Astrodome this weekend conjures memories of college exploits he only hopes to duplicate as the quarterback of the Cincinnati Bengals.

He was 9-2 at the Dome as quarterback for the University of Houston, and set 51 NCAA records in two seasons with the Cougars. In the NFL, he's 4-16 as a starter.

"It's been a struggle here since I've been drafted, no question about that," Klingler said. "But it's better than it's ever been. Bruce Coslet and Kenny Anderson have turned around my career and have me playing with confidence."

Coslet returned to the Bengals as offensive coordinator this year, and Anderson, the longtime Bengals quarterback, is the Bengals' quarterbacks coach. For the first time, Klingler senses the Cincinnati offense is on the upswing.

"There's a winning attitude," Klingler said. "The players are different. The scheme is different. It's like the offensive coordinator at Houston. Every pass play drawn up would get 20, 30 yards every time and that's what Bruce is doing here."

But he goes to the Dome carrying the baggage of last week's 31-28 loss to New England, which included seven Patriot sacks and two fumbles by him. He knows that Sunday's game plan is a far cry from the exotic passing game he exploited in college.

"That's not what we do," Klingler said. "We're a ball control offense. We take what the defense gives us. ... We're coming. There are new players here like Darnay Scott and (Steve Broussard) who let us do things we couldn't so the last few years."

Despite last Sunday's career-high 266 passing yards, Klingler says he should have gotten rid of the ball quicker. With the Oilers swarming and blitzing every down with the fifth best NFL pass defense, that will be job one.

With his club 0-3, Cincinnati's franchise quarterback is still trying to prove himself to the franchise.

"His progress is obvious," said Anderson, the last Cincinnati quarterback to beat the Oilers in the Dome — in 1984.

"The big thing is his accuracy. He's got a (65 percent) completion rate, which is what you need in this offense. Each game, he's played a little better than the last one."

General manager Mike Brown knows that Klingler's biggest problem in the NFL has been lack of protection from his offensive line.

"He's well on schedule," Brown said. "We ran out of offensive linemen last year. I admire how he stood up under it. I wish some of the people throwing brickbats his way would have the opportunity to be in his shoes for one week."

Ashleigh Patton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Patton of Pampa, has qualified for the District Meet next month.

Ashleigh qualified for district at the first District Qualifying Meet held earlier this month at the Madeline Graves Gymnastic Center in Pampa. She placed seventh in vault, third, beam; third, bars and first, floor, with a score of 9.25. She was second in all-around with a score of 33.50.

Vikings' defense has edge against Dolphins

By DAVE GOLDBERG
AP Football Writer

The Minnesota Vikings have allowed the fewest points in the NFL, 33 in three games. The Miami Dolphins have scored the third most, 91.

So we have a doubleheader in the Metrodome this weekend: an "Irresistible Force-Immovable Object" game and ...

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As usual, Miami has injury problems — the Dolphins are down to a fourth-stringer at one corner. At usual, injury problems don't faze Don Shula (unless they get overwhelming, as they did in the final weeks of last season.)

One reason for the success of the Minnesota defense may be the opposition — Green Bay, Detroit and Chicago are NOT offensive powers. But they did hold Barry Sanders to 16 yards, or 178 fewer than Dallas was able to do.

So the Vikings are favored by 3 1/2 points, three for the HomeDome and the other half ... maybe for being in the NFC. Except that except for the very top, the AFC may be just as good this season if not better.

Pro picks

So give the Vikings' defense an edge and give Warren Moon an edge on that weak Miami corner. Plus, his receivers are starting to catch the ball.

VIKINGS, 24-20

New England (plus 3 1/2) at Detroit

A trap for the Lions, who played the dreaded Monday night road game and now have the dreaded short week to get ready for New England. Worse, there's the dreaded celebration factor after beating the Super Bowl champs.

That wouldn't be bad if their coach were Joe Gibbs, Dan Reeves, Jimmy Johnson or Bill Parcells, who can deflate their teams in a second.

Unfortunately, Parcells coaches the other guys.

PATRIOTS, 38-37

Denver (plus 7) at Buffalo (Monday night)

The "Wade Must Go" chants are beginning. This week, Wade goes to Buffalo, where his defense should perk up the Bills' somewhat dormant offense.

BILLS, 34-20

San Diego (plus 3 1/2) at Raiders

This is one of those games they seem to play every week.

Two things going for the Raiders.

1, They woke up in Denver.

2, The Chargers aren't quite good enough to be 4-0.

RAIDERS, 22-17

Pittsburgh (pick 'em) at Seattle

These odds are a mark of how far the Seahawks have come, last week's loss notwithstanding. If Chris Warren were healthy, maybe. But ...

STEELERS, 20-17

New Orleans (plus 16) at San Francisco

How times have changed ... for the Saints.

49ERS, 41-19

Chicago (plus 7 1/2) at Jets

The Jets play better on the road, so this spread's a little big.

JETS, 17-11

Rams (plus 14 1/2) at Kansas City

The biggest controversy anyone can drum up in Kansas City is whether to rest Joe with a 20-point lead.

Maybe this week.

CHIEFS, 24-3

Tampa Bay (plus 7) at Green Bay

Green Bay can't run. Tampa Bay can't win.

PACKERS, 13-7

Cleveland (minus 1) at Indianapolis

If Vinny Testaverde manages to keep the ball in the hands of his own receivers ...

BROWNS, 20-10

Atlanta (pick 'em) at Washington

The Falcons are 0-10 at RFK and can't stop anyone. The Redskins are 10-0 against the Falcons at RFK and can't stop anyone.

REDSKINS, 40-38.

Cincinnati (plus 8 1/2) at Houston

The Oilers' defense is fighting with the offense. The Bengals are simply fighting for a win.

David Klingler comes home.

BENGALS 9-6.

Last week 7-6-1 (spread); 9-5 (straight up)

Last week 20-20-2 (spread); 25-17 (straight up)

Oklahoma State's Ivy: The accidental punter

By OWEN CANFIELD
AP Sports Writer

STILLWATER, Okla. (AP) — The leading punter in the Big Eight Conference is someone who never even punted in sandlot games as a kid and really just fell into punting by accident.

Even Greg Ivy himself can't truly explain the secret to his success, which has carried over to his first two games at Oklahoma State.

"It's just one of those things," Ivy said. "I don't know. Maybe I'm a natural at it, I guess. It just happened."

Ivy's college career has been one big "it just happened." He spent most of his high school career in Atlanta, Texas, playing defensive back. He handled the kicking and punting duties only during his senior year, and figures he might have averaged 37 yards a punt that season.

The summer after graduation, he went to a camp where he worked on his placekicking. "I never thought I'd be able to punt or anything, but while I was at the camp I learned how to do both and I ended up being a better punter than I was a field goal kicker," he said.

Arkansas Tech offered Ivy a scholarship as a punter and he accepted. But he didn't like the semester he spent in Russellville, Ark., so he transferred to Stephen F. Austin in the spring of 1992.

He had to sit out a year, and during that time he continued to work at his craft and continued to improve.

"That's really when I started becoming real good at punting. All I did during the fall and spring was just punt," he said.

And watch a little TV, where he saw Division I punters who were good, but not as good as him.

Ivy knew the best way to get to a Division I school was via a junior college. So the day before two-a-day workouts were to begin at Stephen F. Austin in the fall of 1993, he drove to Corsicana, Texas, and tried out for Navarro College coach Bob McElroy.

"He had me try out and I punted a few times, then he told me to go get my things and come back," Ivy said. "That's what happened. He said, 'Don't get in an accident, just be here tomorrow morning.'"

Ivy did as told and made it safely back to Navarro. Then last season he proceeded to average 42.6 yards per punt and was named a junior college All-American.

Bucks at Clarendon

White Deer visits Clarendon for a non-district football game Friday night, starting at 7:30.

The Bucks were 2-0 until last week's 47-6 setback to Stratford. White Deer's only touchdown in that game came on Jeff Caffey's 29-yard pass to Duane Coffey.

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

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WE HAVE LOWERED THE PRICE OF HUNDREDS OF ITEMS TO HELP YOU $AVE "MORE" ON YOUR TOTAL FOOD BILL

SHOP THESE SPECIALS AND $AVE

ASSORTED COCA COLA
6 Pack 12 Oz. Cans
$1.69
3 Liter Coca Cola $1.79

RUSSET POTATOES
15 Lb. Bag
99¢

PILGRIMS PRIDE WHOLE CUT-UP FRYERS
Lb.
59¢

RUFFLES POTATO CHIPS
Reg. $1.49
79¢

ASSORTED SUNNY SANDWICH COOKIES
14 Oz. Pkg.
79¢

KRAFT CHEEZ WHIZ SQUEEZABLE
12 Oz. Btl.
$2.59

KRAFT CARAMELS
14 Oz. Bag
$1.79

KRAFT AMERICAN CHEESE SINGLES
12 Oz. Pkg. Pre-Priced $1.99
$1.69

MAHATMA RED BEANS & RICE
8 Oz. Pkg.
99¢

MAHATMA WILD RICE WITH SEASONINGS
5 Oz. Pkg.
89¢

HOMOGENIZED SHURSAVING MILK
Gal.
$1.89

BAKERY SPECIALS

6 CT. FRESH BAKED BAGELS-ONION AND PLAIN $1.49
12 CT. MIXED DONUTS AND ROLLS $2.99
12 CT. GLAZED DONUTS $1.99
12 CT. BUTTER EGG AND WHEAT ROLLS $1.49

CHECK OUR BAKERY FOR OTHER EVERYDAY LOW PRICES

PAMPA'S HOMEOWNED FRANK'S

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