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Players and owners work to save games, Page 12

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Fall sets sweater weather

By CATHY SPAULDING
Staff Writer

Anything happen to you at 8:45 this morning? Did you feel a sudden drop in temperature?

Get a sudden urge to stash your shorts, swimwear and beach towels and dig out your sweaters, long underwear and mittens?

Probably not. But there's no reason why you shouldn't, now that autumn is officially here.

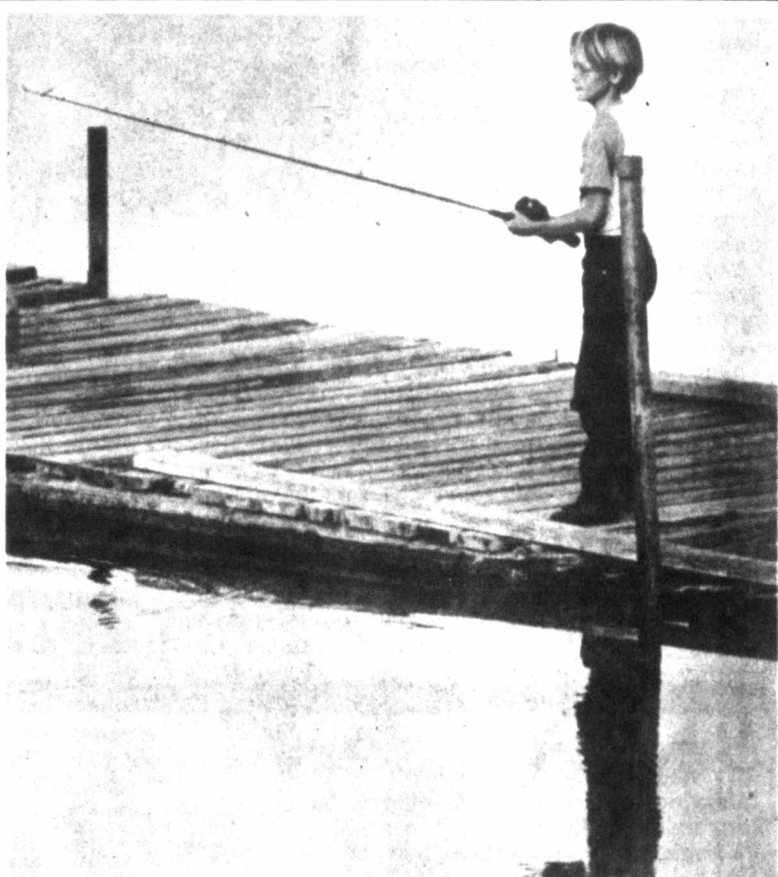
Fall fell onto Pampa with no fanfare at 8:45 a.m. today, heralding the official start of sweater weather, caramel apples, football homecomings, foliage festivals, turning leaves and Christmas layaway sales.

It is also perhaps the most unpredictable season when it comes to Panhandle weather. Summer is hot. Winter is cold. Spring is warm and breezy.

But, what can be said about autumn, when temperatures drop from sweltering to freezing. And just when you thought it was safe to go out in your new coat, the weather hits the 70s again during Indian Summer, which traditionally hits in late October.

But, eventually the temperatures do drop, according to meteorologist Rick Arkell with the National Weather Service in Amarillo.

Pampa temperatures during the four autumn months drop from an average of 69.3 degrees in September to 38.2 degrees in December. October's average is 56.3 degrees, dropping to 43.4 degrees in November.



(Staff Photo by Duane A. Lavery)

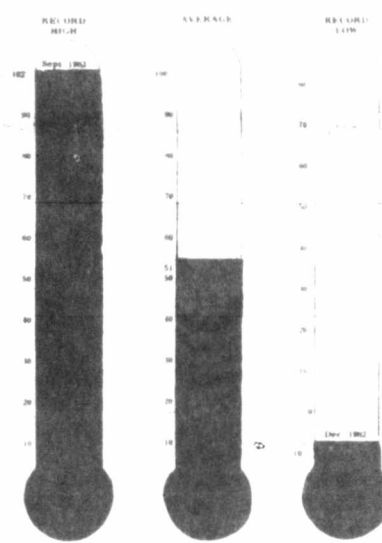
An area youngster enjoys fall fishing and mild weather at Lake Marvin near Canadian.

Arkell said the Amarillo office depends on weather "observers" stationed in different spots in the area. These observers can be anything from a Federal Aviation Administration station, such as one on Gage, Okla., to ranchers to retired people.

Because of a "discontinuity of records," Arkell said he has Pampa record temperatures and precipitation from 1934-1969, but not later.

"We had no co-operative observer for that area after that," Arkell said, adding that the service now depends on Darrel Sehorn, staff meteorologist for Pampa's KGRO radio.

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U.S. to free Iranians captured sowing mines

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States has "incontrovertible" evidence that Iran has been sowing mines in the Persian Gulf, according to Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger, who says the Navy is releasing the crew of an Iranian ship that was attacked by U.S. forces.

Weinberger, in a television interview Tuesday, said the United States attacked the Iranian ship after discovering it in the act of planting mines and now has all the evidence it needs to show the world that Iran is engaged in "hostile acts" against neutral shipping.

The Iranian ship Iran Ajr, after being disabled Monday night in the U.S. helicopter attack, was boarded and mines and arming devices were discovered, Weinberger said Tuesday night on the "MacNeil-Lehrer News-Hour."

Some of the crewmen also have been interviewed and acknowledged they were laying mines at the time the U.S. helicopters attacked, Weinberger continued.

The Iran Ajr was a "warship" that was engaged "in a hostile act; not hostile intent, but a hostile act," the secretary added.

"And when you have hostile acts committed against you, our rules of engagement and the rules of international law fol-



(AP Laserphoto)

Mines found aboard captured Iranian ship.

lowed by civilized nations require that you take appropriate action to stop those hostile acts, and that's what we did."

The Pentagon said three Iranians were killed and two were listed as missing, while 26 Iranians were rescued, four of them wounded. It said a Navy boarding party found 10 mines aboard the Iran Ajr, a 1,662-ton amphibious landing craft.

Reporters in a Pentagon press pool who were allowed to visit the Iranian vessel said there were three large gashes in the hull and deck and that it was pock-marked by machine-gun fire and stained with blood. They quoted sources as saying it appeared the crew

had destroyed documents before abandoning the ship.

News photos showed mines sitting on the ship's deck.

Weinberger said the United States had made arrangements to release the survivors of the Iranian ship in Oman to the International Red Crescent Society, the Islamic equivalent of the Red Cross.

He declined to say when the transfer would occur, but other Pentagon officials indicated it would be within the next day or so. One source said the United States was releasing the men in part to protect its status as a "neutral, non-belligerent" in the

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Iran slaps Uncle Sam at the U.N.

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Iranian President Ali Khamenei assailed the U.S. strike on an Iranian vessel and vowed his country's retaliation "shall not be restricted to the Persian Gulf." The United States meanwhile campaigned for sanctions against the Islamic nation.

In his speech Tuesday to the U.N. General Assembly, Khamenei also bitterly attacked a U.N. Security Council cease-fire resolution. However, a diplomat said the Iranian president hinted at flexibility during a later meeting with the Security Council president.

Khamenei, the highest-ranking Iranian to travel to the United States since Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini came to power in 1979, addressed the world body a day after U.S. helicopters fired on an Iranian ship reportedly laying mines in the Persian Gulf. Iran said five crewmen were killed.

Khamenei, who claimed the ship was a merchant vessel, told the General Assembly the "abominable act" is "the beginning of a series of events, the bitter consequences of which shall not be restricted to the Persian Gulf."

The U.S. delegation stalked angrily out of the chamber.

"The speech was swill," said



(AP Laserphoto)

Detained Iranians, hands bound, lie on stretchers.

Herbert Okun, deputy U.S. ambassador to the United Nations.

Many diplomats saw Khamenei's address as Iran's last chance to give a definitive answer on the resolution aimed at ending the 7-year-old Iran-Iraq war. The Iranian leader, in black robe and turban, disappointed them.

The Iranian president assailed the terms of the resolution, repeatedly demanding that Iraq be branded the aggressor in the war and calling the Security Council a "paper factory" and a tool of the United States.

The Security Council's Resolution 598, adopted July 20, calls for a cease-fire, a mutual troop withdrawal to international borders, a prisoner exchange and an inquiry into who started the war.

U.S. officials said they found nothing in the speech to indicate Iran would embrace a truce in the war, which has imperiled shipping in the oil-rich area.

At a news conference after Khamenei's speech, Secretary of State George Shultz said the United States was stepping up consultations with other Security Council members on imposing an international arms embargo on Iran.

"The consultations intensify," Shultz said. The aim, he said, is "to form a consensus. It is very desirable."

To go into effect, the embargo would require a second resolution. Any of the Security Council's five permanent members — the Soviet Union, China, Great Britain, France and the United

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Biden: To be or not to be in race, that's his question

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Joseph Biden, strongly urged by close aides and relatives to give up his damaged campaign for the 1988 Democratic presidential nomination, intends to make a statement of his plans later today, sources said.

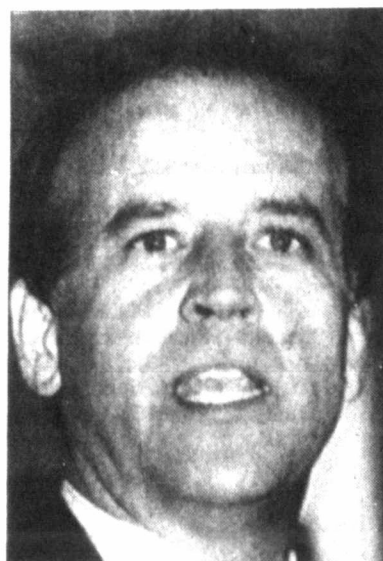
These sources, who refused to be identified by name, said Biden would make an afternoon announcement. Aides did nothing to dampen speculation that the senator would drop out of the race in the wake of his admission that he committed plagiarism in law school and exaggerated his academic accomplishments during campaign appearances.

The senator had no comment as he arrived to chair Senate Judiciary Committee confirmation hearings of Supreme Court nominee Robert H. Bork.

Biden's campaign has been struggling for more than a week to recover from a string of disclosures.

The first blow fell when it was disclosed that Biden had lifted campaign speech material from British politician Neil Kinnock, delivering a personal anecdote as if it were his own. That was followed by reports — swiftly confirmed by the senator — that he had plagiarized material for a law school paper more than 20 years ago.

Biden's political situation became more troubled Monday when he confirmed published reports that he had exaggerated his academic credentials and accomplishments in a heated exchange with a voter in New Hampshire last spring.



Biden

Peet still can't stomach city budget

Spending approved over lone dissent

By PAUL PINKHAM
Senior Staff Writer

Despite one commissioner's argument that "six heads are better than one," city commissioners approved a budget Tuesday that gives the city manager complete control of investments and transfers of funds.

By a vote of 4-1, commissioners OK'd an ordinance establishing the \$9.2 million budget for 1987-88. The amount is \$600,000 less than the 1986-87 budget.

A unanimous vote held the tax rate at 64 cents per \$100 valuation, meaning the owner of a \$50,000 home will pay about \$320 in city taxes.

The lone dissenting vote on the budget came from Commissioner Richard Peet, who said he has no problems with figures in the current budget, only the wording that he says gives City Manager Bob Hart too much responsibility.

Peet had earlier complained about typographical errors that changed figures in the preliminary budget by thousands of dollars. Tuesday, he said almost all of those errors had been corrected to his satisfaction.

"I do approve of the budget," Peet said in voting against it. "I have no difficulty with that whatsoever. I'm simply disagreeing with section 3 and 4 of this ordinance."

The two sections authorize City Manager Hart to invest and transfer funds, without seeking approval from the commission.

Peet moved to amend both sections to require Hart to seek approval from commissioners before investing or transferring funds. Both motions died for lack of a second, as they did in the commission's Sept. 8 meeting.

Peet said he isn't questioning past investments, or the integrity or capability of Hart and his staff, but simply saying that taxpayers' money needs to be in the hands of the elected City Commission.

"I don't feel that we should be giving to any single individual, regardless of who that may be, that control," he said. "Six heads are better than one."

Peet received the public support of two taxpayers in attendance: Kent Olson and Walter Shed.

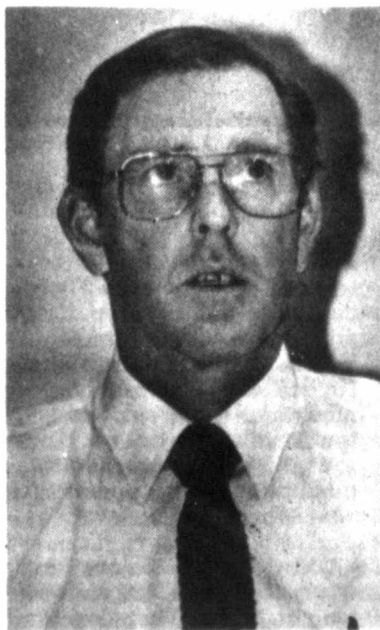
"I appreciate a commissioner that tries to keep control over the city government," Shed told commissioners.

But Mayor David McDaniel and several of Peet's fellow commissioners opposed the move.

McDaniel said waiting for regular City Commission meetings to authorize investments could cost the city interest money. Commissioner Joe Reed said commissioners would have to meet four nights a week to vote on investments and transfers under Peet's plan.

In an interview after the meeting, Peet said it should be fairly easy to predict when city investments come due, and to vote on them at regular meetings beforehand. He said commissioners may foresee a more crucial use for funds at a particular time than simply reinvesting them, and should have the right to make that decision.

Peet also told The Pampa News in the See BUDGET, Page 2



Peet

Daily Record

Services tomorrow

No funeral services for Thursday were reported to *The Pampa News*.

Obituaries

No obituaries were reported to *The Pampa News* today.

Arrests

Arrests-City Jail

TUESDAY, Sept. 22

Michael Lynn Lee, 29, 2005 Love, was arrested in the 300 block of Tuke on two warrants alleging criminal mischief, and later released on bond.

Carlos Hernandez, 25, El Paso, was arrested at Faulkner and Wilks on a charge of public intoxication.

Alex Henry Fink, 31, Tulia, was arrested at Faulkner and Wilks on a charge of public intoxication.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 23

Frank Abner Thornton, 60, 409 S. Ballard, was arrested in the 300 block of South Russell on a charge of public intoxication.

Tommy Ray Olive, 49, Fort Worth, was arrested in the 100 block of East Brown on a charge of public intoxication.

Charles Herbert Jenkins, 73, 520 Yeager, was arrested in the 100 block of East Brown on a charge of public intoxication.

Stock market

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler Evans of Pampa:

Wheat 2.31
Corn 2.90
Soybeans 3.16

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

Danison Oil 3/4
Ky. Cent. Life 17 1/2
Sercos 6 1/2

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

Magellan 57.77
Puritan 14.10

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

Amoco 8 1/4 up 1/2

Fire report

The Pampa Fire Department reported three fire runs in the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

TUESDAY, Sept. 22

10:35 a.m. Trash fire at Scooter Bradley shop.
5:36 p.m. Fire at Black Gold Motel, 1110 Frederic. Out on arrival.

11:05 p.m. Gas leak at 712 E. 16th. Owner not determined.

School again tries to set tax rate

Pampa school Superintendent Harry Griffith knows the adage: "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again."

Griffith and Pampa school board members will try, try again to set a tax rate when they meet at noon Thursday in Carver Educational Center, 321 W. Albert.

For those who think that sounds like deja vu, here's why.

Although trustees set an 86.25-cent tax rate at their Sept. 15 meeting — representing an almost 14½-cent increase from the 72.8-cent rate taxpayers have been paying for two years — they did so as an "emergency" addition to the agenda.

The tax-rate item had been left off of the original Sept. 15 meeting agenda, due to a mix-up at the school administration building, Griffith said.

Under old laws, approving the tax rate as an emergency item would have been fine, Griffith

Hospital

CORONADO COMMUNITY Admissions

Ira Bettis, Pampa

Don Evans, Pampa

Christine Fisher, Pampa

Antonio Gonzales, Perryton

Fern Hinds, Pampa

Tillie Holland, Pampa

Ladonna James, Skellytown

Jackie Johnson, Pampa

Stella Kramer, Skellytown

Sidney Mansel, Groom

Tommie McIlvain, Pampa

Deborah Stone, Pampa

Chester Terry, Miami

Carole Tucker, Pampa

Dismissals

Freddie Betchan, Pampa

Minnie Evans, Pampa

Cecil Hoskins, Skellytown

Velda Smith, Pampa

Alfred Thorne, Pampa

Lori Whittington, Pampa

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions

Louis Bybee, McLean

Ann Bryant, Shamrock

Sarah Davis, Shamrock

Loma Clements, Shamrock

Joy Keeling, Wheeler

Bill Lang, Shamrock

Dismissals

Lisa Simon, Nebraska

Belinda Seay, Shamrock

Margaret Oldham, Shamrock

Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

TUESDAY, Sept. 22

Forgery was reported at Frank's Foods, 421 E. Frederic.

Attempted burglary and attempted theft of a television were reported in the 300 block of South Gray.

A 15-year-old boy reported assault in the 700 block of East 14th.

Sonya Slaubaugh, 426 S. Faulkner, reported assault at the address; Slaubaugh's shirt was torn during an argument.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 23

An individual wanted by the Dallas County Sheriff's Office was reported in Pampa.

Minor accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported the following traffic accident for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

TUESDAY, Sept. 22

A 1987 Chevrolet Police Department patrol car, driven by Patrolman Robbie Brown, Box 483, left the roadway and landed in a bar ditch on South Farley, one mile south of Pampa. No injuries or citations were reported.

United Way campaign tallies week

One week into its trek toward its \$296,000 goal, the Pampa United Way reports only a small beginning.

But it's still a beginning. United Way officials tallied contributions of \$10,852 at their first weekly report Tuesday.

United Way Executive Director Katrina Bigham said today that the total does not include \$6,500 that was reportedly collected at Pampa schools. She said that the school sum had not yet been received.

Bigham admitted that the \$10,852 is "kind of low."

"By this time last year we got 10 percent," she said. "It's not as good as it could be, but it will pick up."

Of the seven divisions in the drive, special gifts, under the direction of Bill Harris and Carol Cofer was the top money raiser with \$5,924.

W.A. Morgan's commercial division brought in \$3,280.

Other first week contributors were:

- Public entities, \$2,500.
- Individual, \$1,368.
- Professional, \$250.

Bigham invited United Way supporters and concerned Pampans to join her Thursday on a tour of facilities funded through the United Way.

"The main purpose of the tour is to make people aware of the agencies and how many people they touch and serve," Bigham said. "A lot of people are not aware of what these agencies do and how they serve the people."

There will be two tour schedules Thursday:

Tour A

9:30 a.m. — pick up employees at workplace.
10 a.m. — Community Day Care Center.



(Staff Photo by Cathy Spaulding)

Meals on Wheels volunteer June Elliott prepares bread for United Way check-in.

10:30 a.m. — Pampa Sheltered Workshop.

11 a.m. — Meals on Wheels to deliver a route.

11:45 a.m. — Genesis House.

12:10 p.m. — Lunch at Pampa Senior Citizens Center.

Tour B

9 a.m. — pick up employees at workplace.
9:15 a.m. — Pampa Sheltered Workshop.

9:45 a.m. — Meals on Wheels

10:15 a.m. — Community Day Care Center.

"If people want to join this tour, let me know at 669-1001, so I can find a place," Bigham said. "If we have enough people, we'll take two vans."

Next week's report, at 5 p.m. Tuesday at the Pampa Community Building, will feature an art demonstration by Pampa Fine Arts Association Artist of the Year Cile Taylor.

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Budget

interview that, although the current budget is relatively free of major errors, he is still bothered by "significant" errors in past budgets, and figures that have been changed to account for the errors. Although the figure errors have been explained as "typos," Peet said when figures "don't add up, that bothers people."

"I think you have to be as accurate as possible to make a proper projection" for the next year, Peet said. "The changing of the figures is what bothers me."

Peet said he is merely trying to do his job as an elected commissioner, and respond to citizen complaints, regardless of how insignificant they might seem.

"That's what I'm for," he said. "Each person should have equal representation in that respect. If I don't mention it because it might offend someone, then I'm not doing my job."

Peet may have lost the budget argument Tuesday night, but he scored a victory in opposing additional Municipal Court fees for motorists who agree to take defensive driving in exchange for having a traffic ticket dismissed.

A motion by Commissioner Reed to allow the \$10 fee died after failing to receive a second.

Hart explained that the fee is allowed by the state to cover cities' administrative costs in handling the dismissed traffic tickets. He noted that an individual must plead guilty to the offense before a judge can offer defensive driving.

Peet said the fee would put additional burdens on

citizens and wouldn't raise that much revenue for the city.

Commissioners also held a public hearing on the Texas Capital Fund, a program set up to grant \$13.7 million to cities for use in establishing a revolving loan program for new or expanding businesses in the community. Hart said Pampa can seek \$50,000 to \$500,000 of the money.

Chamber of Commerce President Norman Knox and Chamber Manager Bruce Barton both expressed support for the program during Tuesday's hearing.

In other action, commissioners:

- agreed to look into establishing a commercial water rate structure for apartments, after Dr. Ron Hendrick of the Apartment Association of the Panhandle complained on behalf of the organization's Pampa chapter about surcharges per apartment of \$2 for water and \$4 for sewer;
- contracted with Rural Metro Corp. for ambulance service in Pampa, at a cost to the city of \$4,360 per month;
- moved polling places in Wards 2 and 4 from the north and south fire stations to Austin Elementary and Horace Mann Elementary schools;
- set the first Saturday of May for municipal elections, and the next to last Saturday in May for run-offs;
- approved bids of \$4,700 for a dump body for the Water Department, and \$6,450 for an animal transport unit;
- appointed six members to the city electrical board, and three members to the plumbing and mechanical board; and
- met the Fire Department's new fire safety robot, Aries III.

City briefs

FARMERS MARKET Lots of farm fresh vegetables. M.K. Brown parking lot. Wednesday and Saturday. Opens 7 a.m. Adv.

SEAFARERS INN, 665-6442 Tuesday Special Pork Chops or Lobster Tail. Adv.

WEDNESDAY BARBEQUE Firing Line Band. Stage Stop. Adv.

18 HOLE 2 Man (Best Shot) Golf Scramble, sponsored by Altrusa Club of Pampa, Saturday, September 26. For information call Leona Willis, 665-8269 after 5. Adv.

THREE FAMILY Garage Sale, 1009 S. Wells. Adv.

PERMS \$20, including haircut. Delinda or Ruth 665-9236. Adv.

FREE BARBEQUE members and guests at the Star Dust Super Club tonight. Adv.

POST OFFICE Box Banks, great gift idea. Las Pampas Galleries, Downtown. Adv.

MEALS ON WHEELS 669-1007, P.O. Box 939 Adv.

DELUXE HAMBURGERS 99¢. Large drinks 69¢. The Hamburger Station. 665-9131. Adv.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST Sunny and warm Thursday with a high in the 80s. Low tonight in the 50s. Southwesterly winds at 5 to 15 mph. High Tuesday, 75; low this morning, 54.

REGIONAL FORECAST

West Texas — Mostly sunny through Thursday with slightly warmer afternoon temperatures. Fair tonight. Highs Thursday in the 80s except lower to mid 90s Big Bend valleys. Lows tonight in the 50s except mid 60s Big Bend valleys.

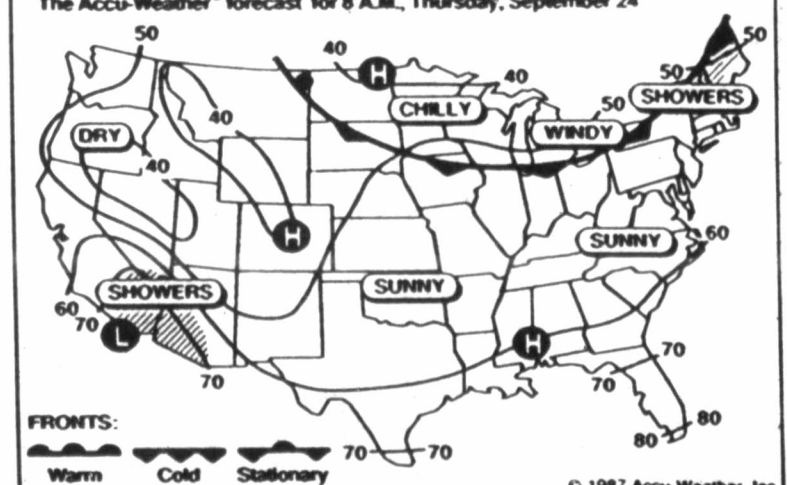
North Texas — Clear skies through Thursday with a gradual warming trend. Highs Thursday mid 80s to near 90. Lows tonight in the lower 50s to near 60.

South Texas — Partly cloudy with mild days and cool nights through Thursday. Highs 80s. Lows 50s north and east and 60s south and west.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Friday through Sunday West Texas — Partly cloudy with widely scattered showers and thunderstorms possible throughout the period. A little cooler Panhandle and South Plains Friday, otherwise little change in temperatures.

The Accu-Weather® forecast for 8 A.M., Thursday, September 24



Panhandle and South Plains, highs mid 70s to near 80. Lows lower to mid 50s.

North Texas — Partly cloudy Friday through Sunday with little or no rainfall expected. Highs in the 80s. Lows in the mid 50s to lower 60s.

South Texas — Partly cloudy with a slight chance of showers or thundershowers mainly from the Rio Grande eastward into south Central Texas. Daytime highs in the 80s, lower 90s Rio Grande plains and lower Rio Grande Valley. Overnight lows in the upper 50s Hill Country, low 70s lower coast and lower Rio Grande Valley, 60s elsewhere.

BORDER STATES

New Mexico — Widely scattered thundershowers south-west and isolated thundershowers remainder of the central and west through Thursday mainly during the afternoon and evening hours. Mostly fair in the eastern plains. Highs Thursday 60s to mid 70s mountains to the mid 70s and mid 80s lower elevations. Lows tonight in the 30s and 40s mountains to the mid 40s to near 60 at the lower elevations.

Oklahoma — Sunny and warm Thursday. Fair and cool tonight. Highs Thursday 80s. Lows tonight 50s.

Fall

Arkell noted there is usually little difference between average weather in Pampa and Amarillo.

"The temperature in Pampa is usually about one degree higher than in Amarillo," Arkell said. "And Pampa is also wetter because it is 400 feet lower altitude when it gets near the caprock. Miami (located below the caprock) is even wetter than Pampa."

Fall precipitation averages from 2.02 inches for September to 1.47 inches in October, dropping to 0.84 inch in November and about a 0.5 inch in December.

Arkell said that record fall temperatures for Amarillo ranged from 102 degrees for September 1983 to 7 degrees

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below zero in December 1982. In October, the record high hit 93 in 1954 and a record low of 21 in 1980. November records ranged from 87 in 1980 to zero in 1976. September lows hit 30 degrees in 1984. While it got up to 81 degrees in December 1955.

Arkell said Pampa records should not be much different.

The meteorologist said not to expect the first frost until about Halloween because the average day that temperatures decline to freezing — 32 degrees — is Oct. 29.

Even with colder temperatures, snow isn't expected to fall until Dec. 6, the average day for snowfall of 1 inch or more. Snow cover — less than 0.1 inch — is expected on Nov. 23.

Arkell said fall could be

cooler and wetter than normal according to the National Weather Service's 90 day forecast for the area.

Arkell's forecast comes as no surprise for Pampans who spent summer enjoying cooler than usual temperatures.

According to JoAnn Bitteck, a secretary at KGRO radio station, the temperature never hit 100 degrees.

This put a damper on the radio station's contest at which listeners guessed the first day temperatures would hit 100 degrees in Pampa.

"The nearest it got was 99 degrees," Bitteck said.

If it hits 100 degrees this month, or in December, guessers are out of luck. Bitteck said the contest ended on Sept. 1.

air as it steamed through the central gulf toward Bahrain "because it had been seen loading suspect devices" before leaving an Iranian port.

"When we caught them in the act, we had the evidence we needed and we moved in," one source said.

Weinberger said, "We had it under surveillance long enough to satisfy ourselves completely that... was performing these hostile acts, that it was dropping mines."

ber, said after a meeting with Khamenei late Tuesday that Iran is leaving the door open to a cease-fire.

Ghana's foreign minister, Obed Asamoah, told reporters:

"We believe from our discussions that they (Iran) are not rejecting the Security Council resolution."

Mines

Iran-Iraq war.

"You can't take prisoners of war unless you become a belligerent," the source said. "We are not a belligerent, nor do we intend to become one."

Pentagon spokesman Fred Hoffman said the Iranian ship had been towed to an anchorage in international waters off Bahrain. He said the United States had made no decision as to what it would do with the ship.

Slaps

States — could veto it.

The Soviet Union and China, which have said virtually nothing about the issue this week, were to take their places on the General Assembly podium today.

A Western diplomat said Khamenei's lack of commitment

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In other developments:

■ President Reagan denied the United States had entered a shooting war in the Persian Gulf.

"We did what was authorized by law any place in international waters," Reagan said at a photo session in the Oval Office.

■ Pentagon sources disclosed U.S. military forces had shadowed the Iran Ajr for days, waiting for conclusive evidence the vessel was laying mines. The officials, speaking only on the condition of anonymity, said the vessel had been tracked by radar and by

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to the cease-fire resolution would prompt the Security Council to impose sanctions.

"He described the Security Council as a paper factory, and if that's the case, we will get tough," the diplomat said, speaking on condition of anonymity.

But a diplomat from Ghana, which presides over the 15-nation Security Council during Septem-

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Texas/Regional

Man shoots three in spree; kills self

CORSICANA (AP) — A man known as a "crazy" Rambo-esque eccentric who dabbled with pit bulldogs and powerful weapons went on a cross-town shooting rampage that killed three people and two of his pets before he turned a gun on himself, police say.

Frank Stewart, 37, of Corsicana filled his camouflage suit's pockets with ammunition clips Tuesday before setting off on a half-hour spree that terrorized a restaurant crowd and left his estranged wife, a friend of hers, his former employer and himself dead, police said.

Stewart, who neighbors nicknamed "Rambo," also may have been responsible for three execution-style murders in Missouri last week, according to police who said he told several people earlier this week that he had killed three people there.

"Everything he said he did is true so far, so this may be, too," Detective Dwayne Hensley said.

Mark Johnstone said Stewart, who recently lost his job at Hulcher Services Inc. and was afraid of losing his wife, talked of his plans to kill his spouse, Brenda Stewart, over coffee Monday.

"He said he was going to do what he did today," Johnstone said Tuesday. "I'm divorced and I've said things I didn't do. He said if he couldn't have her, nobody could have her. I told him you just don't kill people."

"He was crazy as a bedbug. I wish I had taken him more serious. But if I had told the police, they wouldn't have done anything. If he was talking about the pope or the president, maybe they would have arrested him," Johnstone said.

Sometime before 1:40 p.m. Tuesday, Stewart shot his two pit bulldogs and left them in his van on a hillside near Lake Halbert just south of this city of 23,000 about 50 miles southeast of Dallas.

Also found in the abandoned van were a litter of six puppies, two Claymore anti-personnel mines and a poster of the "Grim Reaper" that was plastered on the dashboard.

Stewart then rode his motorcycle to Hulcher, a company specializing in cleaning up railroad accidents where he had worked until a few weeks ago, police said.

There, he shot and killed Dennis James Wade, who had been his foreman, and stole a company truck, police Sgt. Lewis Palos said.

Stewart drove to the Western Sizzlin' steak-

house, where Mrs. Stewart, 34, was a manager. He brandished two pistols, a .22-caliber automatic with a 50-shot magazine and an antique breech-loading .38-caliber for which he prepared his own loads, Hensley said.

Stewart threatened the steakhouse's assistant manager, demanding to know where his wife was, police said. She told him she didn't know, and he fired several shots into the air but left without injuring anyone.

With police in pursuit, he then drove to a mobile home where his wife lived, shot 30-year-old Edward L. Persons Jr. of Louisiana 10 times, cornered his wife in a bathroom and fatally shot her before walking outside and shooting himself in the right temple, Palos said.

Mona, a waitress at the steakhouse who asked that her last name not be used, said the gunman "came in yelling and screaming and waving a gun. He yelled at everybody to get out. He shot a few times up at the ceiling."

"He went to the window where I was standing and said, 'Mona, get out.' Then he went to the back office where his wife worked. She wasn't there and he left," the waitress said.

"He was probably despondent," Palos said. "I don't know what loss of job, estrangement of wife. We just don't know yet."

Stewart had worked at Hulcher until a few weeks ago, but it wasn't immediately clear whether he had been fired or had resigned. A preliminary check revealed no previous criminal record, Palos said.

Neighbors said Stewart often wore camouflage fatigues and told them he had been wounded in Vietnam. Police said he apparently served in the Marines for two years.

"(He) was into that Army stuff bad," said neighbor Judy Brown. "He always wore camouflage. He was always bragging about how bad his dogs were."

She said Stewart was referred to by his neighbors as Rambo.

"He was always messing around with his pit bulls," said Duane Evans II, another neighbor. "He was just a crazy type we stayed away from. He had a lot of weapons and we'd hear gunshots all the time from him hunting rabbits."

Meanwhile, police are investigating allegations



(AP Laserphoto)

A body is removed from a mobile home in Corsicana.

that the gunman may have slain three people in Missouri last week, Sykes said.

"He told two people he didn't have much time because he had killed three people in Missouri and was wanted there," he said.

Stewart had left Corsicana to visit his parents in Missouri earlier this month and had returned Friday, police said.

Laclede County Sheriff Lawrence Rifenburg was expected to arrive at Corsicana today to consult with local authorities about the slayings last week of Steve Vestal, 38, of Conway and George Brewer, 43, and his wife, Carol, 36, a Niangua couple were shot to death with a .22-caliber gun.

Rifenburg is expected to compare evidence gathered from the Missouri slayings with that from the Corsicana killings, such as ballistics reports and information from witnesses.

Rifenburg was unavailable for comment late Tuesday.

Missouri authorities continue to look for two escapees from a Nevada penitentiary for questioning in the three shooting deaths.

Rifenburg had said earlier, "it's a possibility that they are out here in the area. They fit the general description, but we still don't know for sure that there's any connection between them and the shootings."

Justice Department looking at Texas for prison site

WASHINGTON (AP) — Citizens of a small Texas town are urging the Federal Bureau of Prisons to build a 900-bed prison complex in their economically strapped region because it would provide up to 250 jobs, a spokeswoman said.

The bureau announced last week that it plans to start the environmental impact process at the four potential prison sites immediately, including a 300-acre site near Three Rivers, Texas, in Live Oak County southeast of San Antonio.

"We are so economically depressed it's just unbelievable," said Rosie Jafford, the city secretary, in a telephone interview Tuesday. "Live Oak County has just relied on the oil industry over the years. And now, the local industries are really having a tough time."

She said the entire area supports the prison, a minimum security facility with a "prison camp" for inmates nearing the end of their terms. The prison could be built near the Choke Canyon Reservoir seven miles east of Three Rivers.

"Our city council has adopted resolutions in support of it, so has the commissioners court and the Chamber of Commerce," Ms. Jafford said. "We do know that the land already belongs to the

Federal Bureau of Prisons."

The 1,800 townspeople were told by federal officials that the prison would require approximately 250 employees, and that the bureau would attempt to hire as many from the local area as possible. Construction jobs would also be open to local residents, she said.

"As depressed as we are, if they hired 20 people it would mean 20 happy families," Jafford said. "I understood also there would be a bid process and all local merchants and businesses could bid on any of the needs and supplies of the prison."

Ms. Jafford said U.S. Rep. Kika De la Garza, D-Mission, and Sens. Phil Gramm and Lloyd Bentsen were also going to bat for the project.

According to a Justice Department statement, the Bureau of Prisons is faced with a critical shortage of prison facilities following an increase in the prison population from 23,783 in 1981 to 44,000 today.

Other sites being scrutinized by the bureau are a 300-acre site near Manchester, Ky.; a 320-acre site adjacent to the City of East Peoria, Ill.; and a 320-acre site near the City of Taft, Calif.

Pickens' group alleges 'lock-out' scheme by Newmont, Consolidated

DALLAS (AP) — Newmont Mining Corp. plotted an alleged lock-out scheme to keep an investor group led by oilman T. Boone Pickens from buying shareholders' stock in the company, a suit filed by Pickens' Ivanhoe Partners claims.

"Newmont and its directors have facilitated a scheme which, if implemented, will effect a change of control of Newmont without all shareholders participating equally and no shareholders receiving a control premium," an Ivanhoe Partners' statement said Tuesday.

Vice Chancellor Jack B. Jacobs is expected to decide today whether to side with Ivanhoe and issue a restraining order against Consolidated Gold Fields PLC of Britain from purchasing additional Newmont shares, law clerk David Schaffer said.

The restraining order sought against Consolidated, which currently owns 26.2 percent of Newmont's stock, was filed in Wilmington, Del.

Ivanhoe's suit filed Monday alleges that an agreement between Newmont and Consolidated is part of a "lock-out scheme" that is causing shareholders to receive a substantially lower price for their shares than Ivanhoe's offer.

The suit also charged that Newmont's board of directors have "assisted Consolidated in its misuse of Newmont's confidential business information to which other shareholders do not have access."

Newmont announced the agreement with Consolidated Gold Monday, which limited Consolidated's stake in the company to less than a majority. But Newmont also said Consolidated planned to increase its Newmont holdings to as much as

49.9 percent, as indicated in a document the British company filed Monday with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

In its SEC filing, Consolidated Gold indicated that it would expand its holdings in Newmont through both purchases on the open market and negotiated deals — which means it could arrange to buy 6.65 million shares, representing 9.95 percent of the total outstanding, now owned by Ivanhoe.

Neither Newmont spokesman James Hill nor Pickens group spokesman David Batchelder returned phone calls from The Associated Press Tuesday.

The Pickens group recently launched a \$105-per-share tender offer for 28 million Newmont shares, but Tuesday scaled back its offer to \$72 per share in response to Newmont's announcement Monday that it would pay a \$33-per-share dividend to fend off Ivanhoe's hostile bid.

Newmont's board of directors, which previously had rejected as inadequate the \$105 bid, said it would pay the dividend as part of a previously announced restructuring aimed at enhancing shareholder value and focusing on its key gold business.

Ivanhoe's bid for Newmont shares contained a clause providing for a reduction in the per-share package if Newmont declared or paid certain dividends, according to a statement issued by Ivanhoe Partners.

On Sept. 8, Ivanhoe launched a \$95-a-share tender offer for the 28 million Newmont shares and later sweetened the offer to \$105 a share.

Hospitals prepare policies for AIDS tests

DALLAS (AP) — A new state law allowing hospitals to test patients for the AIDS virus without their consent has officials formulating policies to deal with possible legal problems.

"I would venture to say that we're getting closer to every institution having a policy," John Gavras, president of the Dallas-Fort Worth Hospital Council, said Monday.

Gavras said many hospitals are researching legal precedents for testing without consent.

The Texas Communicable Disease Act, which took effect Sept. 1, allows hospitals to test patients for exposure to the AIDS virus before most medical procedures are performed, said Matt Wall, attorney for Texas Hospital Association in Austin.

Some hospitals have begun taking advantage of the new law that was designed to protect health care workers from catching the disease.

An example is Parkland Memorial Hospital in Dallas.

Parkland officials routinely test surgery patients without their consent who are judged to be in groups at high risk for AIDS, a hospital official said.

John Peter Smith Hospital in Fort Worth also tests patients for the human immunodeficiency virus, or HIV, if a health care worker is stuck with a needle or comes into contact with blood or body fluids from a patient, a spokesman said.

Texas SAT, ACT scores stable

AUSTIN (AP) — The state's education commissioner is pleased that college entrance exam scores for Texas students remained stable this year although about 12,500 more students took the tests.

But W.N. Kirby also said Tuesday that Texans should be dissatisfied that the state averages remain below the national averages on the Scholastic Aptitude Test and American College Testing program.

"It is apparent that we must do more to increase academic standards in high school," he said.

According to the Texas Education Agency, the state mean score on the verbal section of the SAT this year was 416, compared to 419 in 1986 and a 1987 national average of 430.

The Texas mean score this year on the math section of the SAT was 459, compared to 458 last year and a 1987 national average of 476.

In Texas, 75,364 high school graduates took the SAT this year, an increase of 10,005 from 1986. About 46 percent of all 1987 high school graduates took the SAT.

About 41,000 graduates took the ACT, up 2,535 from 1986. The average Texas score was 17.3, up from 17.1 in 1986. The national average this year was 18.7.

"When the number of people taking standardized tests increases so substantially, it usually results in significant declines in test scores," Kirby said Tuesday.

TEA statistics showed that Texas high school

students who completed 20 or more academic course credits scored slightly above the national averages on the exams. But only 18 percent of Texas students completed at least 20 credits.

Texas requires 21 credits for graduation, but that includes physical education and electives. Kirby said the requirements aren't enough.

"We must gradually require even more of our students. If we hope to compete in the high-tech global economic system of tomorrow, we must have a world-class education system. We do not have that system in Texas today," he said.

He called the education reforms of HB72 a good start toward the goal of educational excellence.

"We must, however, have help from parents. If all parents will stress the importance of education for their children, insist and expect them to achieve in school, see that children attend regularly, behave and apply themselves to learning and set aside quiet study time in the home each day with television sets turned off, then together, parents and educators will turn these test scores around almost overnight," Kirby said.

The results released Tuesday show an upward trend in SAT scores for minority students in Texas. Over the past five years, the average SAT verbal score for blacks has increased from 328 to 341. The average SAT math score for blacks has increased from 360 to 369.

The average SAT verbal score for Hispanics increased to 371 this year from 363 five years ago.

Zucchini used in burglary attempt

BORGER (AP) — A would-be burglar, apparently lacking the usual tools of his trade, used a zucchini squash to smash the window of a house.

The object was first thought to be a cucumber, prompting the police chief to joke that the thief might have been in search of some oil and vinegar.

The burglary attempt, which left the window shattered and the cucumber sliced, was foiled when the homeowner

heard the noise and came running.

Borger Police Chief Mike Smith dutifully dusted the vegetable for fingerprints, but found none and tossed it in the trash.

The attempted burglary occurred about 9:30 p.m. Monday, said Smith, who declined to identify the victim.

"We may have to extradite the suspect from the Valley of the Jolly Green Giant," Smith said.

Governor, speaker tout voter approval of super collider

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Bill Clements and House Speaker Gib Lewis are making a bipartisan pitch for voter approval of a \$500 million bond issue to attract the "super collider."

"By all accounts, the super collider will be a tremendous boost to the Texas economy," the Republican governor said at a Tuesday news conference with Lewis, a Democrat, and Houston businessman Jack Blanton.

Blanton is chairman of the \$800,000 campaign to pass the bond proposal on the Nov. 3 ballot.

The \$4.4 billion atom-smasher would create thousands of jobs and make Texas a leader in scientific research, the officials said. It would pump about \$20 billion into the state during the life of the project, they said.

Proposition 19 would authorize the state to issue \$500 million in general obligation bonds to help prepare the site if Texas wins the federal research project.

The 1987 Legislature already has authorized \$500 million in revenue bonds to attract the super collider.

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Opinion

Immigrants accept back-breaking labor

The Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 has bared its teeth.

Under the law, employers must insist on documentation from all workers they hire, proving that the prospective employee can work in the United States legally. Businesses are required to fill out an INS form for every worker hired after Nov. 7, 1986. The INS has begun inspecting records in a search for employees who do not have the proper documentation.

The law is already having an impact:

■ The paperwork has dismayed personnel directors. Once again, peaceful, law-abiding businessmen have been stuck with another stack of government-mandated paperwork. The cost in extra clerical work to process this new blizzard of paper will inevitably be passed along to you-know-who — the consumer.

■ Fruit and other crops have been rotting in the fields of Oregon, the Western Slope of Colorado and other places where migrant laborers have, in the past, harvested the crop. By scaring away illegal workers, the law has created labor shortages in these regions. Despite the demagogic argument that illegal workers have been "stealing" the jobs of Americans, they have in fact been filling jobs Americans shun. It has been immigrant workers, not Americans, who have been willing in the past to work long, hard hours in the hot sun for low pay.

■ The law has created a booming market in phony documents, such as passports, birth certificates and Social Security cards.

Americans have paid the above price to accomplish absolutely nothing in the national interest. The Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 was a solution in search of a problem. America has not been a nation drowning in a flood of illegal aliens. Official figures of the number of Mexicans entering the U.S. in recent years have tended to be inflated. For example, some illegals have been counted several times, once for each of their attempts to enter the U.S. And a substantial share of the illegals who enter the United States do not stay here, but rather earn a sum of money and return home.

The Immigration Act is built on a stupendous myth. That myth is that immigrants damage the American economy by taking jobs away from legal Americans. While immigrants do tend to compete with some Americans for jobs (isn't competition part of the American system?), there is no evidence that the flow of immigrants into the U.S. has cut wages or increased unemployment. In fact, just the opposite appears to be true.

Look at the numbers. Since 1982, the American economy has produced a net increase of 13 million jobs, with the large majority of those jobs in the medium- to well-paying categories. The Gross National Product has increased for almost five straight years now, the longest peacetime expansion since World War II.

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Berry's World



Students lack basic knowledge

WASHINGTON — Let me keep pounding away, if you will, at two stunning reports on the failures of American education. They point to problems that are far more serious in the long run than problems of farm policy, trade imbalance or the public funding of congressional elections. Either we clean up the mess in our schools, or come the next century, we've had it.

One report, "American Memory," comes from the National Endowment for the Humanities. The other, "What Do Our 17-Year-Olds Know?" is the work of scholars Diane Ravitch and Chester E. Finn Jr. Both reports rely upon findings of a test administered to nearly 8,000 American 11th-graders. The students were examined in history and literature. It was an easy test. They failed abysmally.

Without rehearsing the sorrowful figures, suffice it to say that these students, as a class, proved to be cultural numskulls. They had no sense of when particular events occurred; they therefore had no sense of what events came before or why consequences came after. In the field of literature, they demonstrated shocking ignorance of the cultural inheritance that every high school student should have received.

As a people we must ask ourselves, Why? Why and how did this happen? What has gone so dreadfully wrong? If we can answer those questions, perhaps we can move on to, What do we do about it?

Ravitch and Finn offer some answers to the "why." Fifty years ago the humanities shared equal billing with mathematics and the natural sciences. High school courses in English were heavily weighted with literature. History was taught in solid chunks from the sixth grade through the 12th. But 25 years ago, when the Soviets' Sputnik shocked the Western world, the



James J. Kilpatrick

balance abruptly shifted. The important literacy became computer literacy. History and literature were shunted aside.

The traditional curriculum in literature fell into disarray. Relatively few schools continued to demand that students read the "hard books." The old tradition died, and in its stead the students were fed "merely cafeteria-style literature, including the written equivalent of junk food." It became educationally fashionable to teach "skills" or "concepts." The educational establishment scorned the teaching of mere "facts and dates." If a high school graduate could not say when Columbus discovered the New World, no matter. "He will know how to look it up."

That won't do. The "concept" of equal rights surely is important to any understanding of American political history, but to teach a concept without facts is to teach a kind of cotton candy history. The nationwide test disclosed that half of the 11th-graders know little or nothing of nullification, the Missouri compromise, secession, the Civil War or Reconstruction. Two-thirds of these students dimly supposed that Jim Crow laws were intended to im-

prove the lot of black citizens. The students were generally ignorant of Plessy vs. Ferguson and Brown vs. Board of Education.

Listen for a moment to Ravitch and Finn: "To the extent that we — educators, parents and citizens — allow cultural literacy to wane and to be reduced only to knowledge of celebrities from *People* magazine and the electronic media, then the audience for genuine literature will shrink, material written or produced for a literate public will dwindle, and the quality of public discourse and debate in our society will suffer. It is a tragic downward spiral that can only erode the culture, trivialize the intellect, and in time pauperize our civic life."

What can be done about the situation? The recommendations offered by the NEH study and by Ravitch and Finn call for no radical reforms. They urge merely that our schools restore the humanities to the important position they once occupied. History should be taught from the early elementary grades; high schools should require at least two years of world history in addition to a solid grounding in American history. Greater emphasis should be placed upon geography. Reading assignments should deal with important literary works. None of this is the stuff of revolution.

Will anything be done about the situation? The honest but pessimistic answer is, no, nothing significant will be done. The entrenched educational establishment, supported by timorous textbook publishers and by intimidated school boards, has no enthusiasm for such old-fashioned values. Fifty years hence the student who is asked about the Greeks and the Trojans will be mystified. "Fraternity men? Football players? Sorry, Gramps, it beats the heck out of me."

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Wednesday, Sept. 23, the 266th day of 1987. There are 99 days left in the year. Today marks the beginning of autumn. The Jewish New Year, Rosh Hashanah, begins at sunset.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Sept. 23, 1952, Republican vice presidential candidate Richard M. Nixon rescued his nomination with a nationally broadcast speech in which he refuted charges of wrongdoing in his campaign financing. (The broadcast became known as the "Checkers" speech because it referred to a pet dog given to Nixon as a gift.)

On this date:

In 63 B.C., Caesar Augustus was born in Rome.

In 1642, Harvard College in Cambridge, Mass., held its first commencement.

In 1779, the American warship Bon Homme Richard, commanded by John Paul Jones, defeated the HMS Serapis during the Revolutionary War after Jones reportedly declared: "I have not yet begun to fight!"

In 1806, the Lewis and Clark expedition returned to St. Louis from the Pacific Northwest.



Eating oats may help sex drive

Magazine writers assure us that most Americans can and should have an active sex life well into their advanced years.

"You can still be sexy at 70," they insist.

Yet, 10 million and perhaps 20 million American men are impotent — and many of those are in their 30s and 40s.

So, there are other articles in magazines and Sunday supplements advising impotent men that all they need to do is to avoid stress or get vitamin B-12 shots or eat more oysters.

A new organization has taken root in Los Angeles called the Impotence Foundation, committed to sorting and evaluating information on this subject, "a national information and support service for the purpose of increasing public understanding of the causes of and treatments for impotence."

Spokesperson for the foundation is a San Diego-based urologist, Dr. Albert McBride.

He believes that a major contributor to the problem can be traced to medical prescriptions for certain drugs.

"The No. 1 offender among prescribed anti-hypertensive medications," he says "is Inderal."



Paul Harvey

He says other medications that can cause impotence include Minipress, Catapres, Ismelin, Aldomet and Tenormin.

High blood pressure itself is a major contributor to the problem of impotence — yet Dr. McBride is convinced that many medicines we take to stabilize blood pressure compound the problem of impotence.

Similarly, says Dr. McBride, many of the drugs used to treat depression may have the side effect of contributing to impotence.

One urologist says he has seen patients in

their 20s — and one as young as 15 — with impotence problems due to medications prescribed by psychiatrists. He says the drug Elavil may cause problems with sexual desire and performance in both sexes.

As with high-blood-pressure medication, it is difficult to ascertain whether the impotence is caused by the condition or the medication used to treat it.

The Impotence Foundation, 3540 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, Calif. 90010, offers a free brochure called "Overcoming Impotence."

The foundation urges that patients on prescribed medication should not stop taking that medication without talking to the doctor, but they can talk to the doctor more intelligently when they are informed.

I can't dismiss this subject without offering some recognition to the "nutrition factor" influence on masculine performance.

For generations we've referred to lively old-timers as "feeling their oats."

The Institute for Advance Study of Human Sexuality names a Swiss product, trade name EXSATIVA, as a "genuine love potion."

It's made from oats.

Visitors and development pressure parks

By Robert Walters

WEST GLACIER, Mont. (NEA) — It's easier to find a parking space at a regional shopping mall on a Saturday afternoon than at the Logan Pass Visitor Center in remote Glacier National Park during the summer tourist season.

Visitors to the park's popular Avalanche Creek Campground are assigned tent sites so close to each other they can hear their neighbors whispering. That obviously doesn't do much to enhance the wilderness experience.

The discovery of oil and gas deposits in the region has produced pressure from petroleum companies to drill on three sides of the park — Arco and Chevron on the east, American Petrofina on the south and Cenex on the west.

On the north, not far across the Canadian border, a proposed open pit mine on Cabin Creek would produce 1.5 million tons of coal annually — and possibly contaminate the Flathead River drainage basin that also

serves the park.

Like other national parks, Glacier is under increasing stress — from visitor loads it was not intended to handle, from development on its perimeter, and from a fierce political struggle at the National Park Service.

This year, 292 million people are expected to visit the 337 parks, monuments and other units administered by NPS. That figure is almost 4 percent higher than last year and represents the third consecutive substantial annual increase.

In a landmark 1980 report, NPS identified Glacier as the country's most threatened national park, but also cited dangers faced by Yellowstone, Yosemite, Everglades, Great Smoky Mountains and other major parks.

"Most of these great parks were at one time pristine areas surrounded and protected by vast wilderness regions," the NPS report noted. "With their surrounding buffer zones gradually disappearing, many of these parks are experiencing significant and widespread adverse effects asso-

ciated with external encroachment."

In a report issued earlier this year, the General Accounting Office said NPS generally had failed to mitigate the threats it documented seven years ago. "Most problems remain," said the GAO analysis. "As long as the situation continues, there will be continued deterioration of park resources."

Within the Interior Department, NPS' parent organization, a major schism has developed over how to deal with those issues. On one side are Interior Secretary Donald Hodel and Assistant Secretary for Fish, Wildlife and Parks William Horn.

They generally view commercialization and industrialization as posing little danger to the parks. Indeed, they have encouraged entrepreneurs and have taken punitive action against NPS employees who don't share their views.

That led the National Parks and Conservation Association, a private group, to recently charge that senior Interior Department officials were waging a determined campaign to

"harass, sabotage and politicize the park service."

On the other side are NPS' rangers and Director William Penn Mott Jr. A feisty 77-year-old Republican, Mott has waged a determined — but only partially successful — struggle to protect the parks against the assaults sanctioned by Hodel and Horn.

Even well-intentioned NPS managers cannot resolve the fundamental question of whether to place a higher priority upon serving current visitors or preserving the parks for the enjoyment of future generations.

Meanwhile, the imposition of fees has not stemmed the tide of tourists. Glacier National Park has hosted a relatively modest 1.6 million visitors annually in recent years — but the park's isolation and harsh winters mean that the vast majority of those people visit in the summer.

The 1,583-square-mile park remains spectacularly beautiful — but to survive it must constantly cope with pressures from both within and without its boundaries.

Nation

Senate weighs revived Gramm-Rudman law

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Senate is set to decide whether to restore the muscle of mandatory spending cuts to the Gramm-Rudman deficit reduction law, and even a staunch opponent of the effort concedes it likely will succeed.

Senators planned to consider revising Gramm-Rudman today after the House voted Tuesday night to approve strengthening the legislation that lawmakers hope will guide the federal government out of an era of massive budget deficits.

The new Gramm-Rudman proposal sidesteps Supreme Court objections to

the mandatory spending cut mechanism in the 1985 version of the law by changing the way the reductions are ordered.

The bill also eases the annual deficit targets set by the original legislation, which Congress has had difficulty meeting. It does not require a balanced budget until the 1993 fiscal year, two years after the 1991 deadline established in the original law.

The Gramm-Rudman language is part of a larger bill that would boost the government's debt limit to \$2.8 trillion,

enough to finance federal borrowing through May 1989, after President Reagan leaves office.

Without approval of the legislation, the government will be unable to borrow money after 12:01 a.m. Thursday and could default for the first time.

The House approved the bill by a 230-176 vote Tuesday after leaders of both parties called for the measure's passage.

The new Gramm-Rudman law requires \$23 billion in deficit reduction for the 1988 fiscal year, which begins Oct. 1.

In the budget resolution it passed three months ago, Congress said it would slash the red ink by \$37 billion.

The cuts would bring the deficit to about \$144 billion, well above the target of \$108 billion the original Gramm-Rudman had set for 1988.

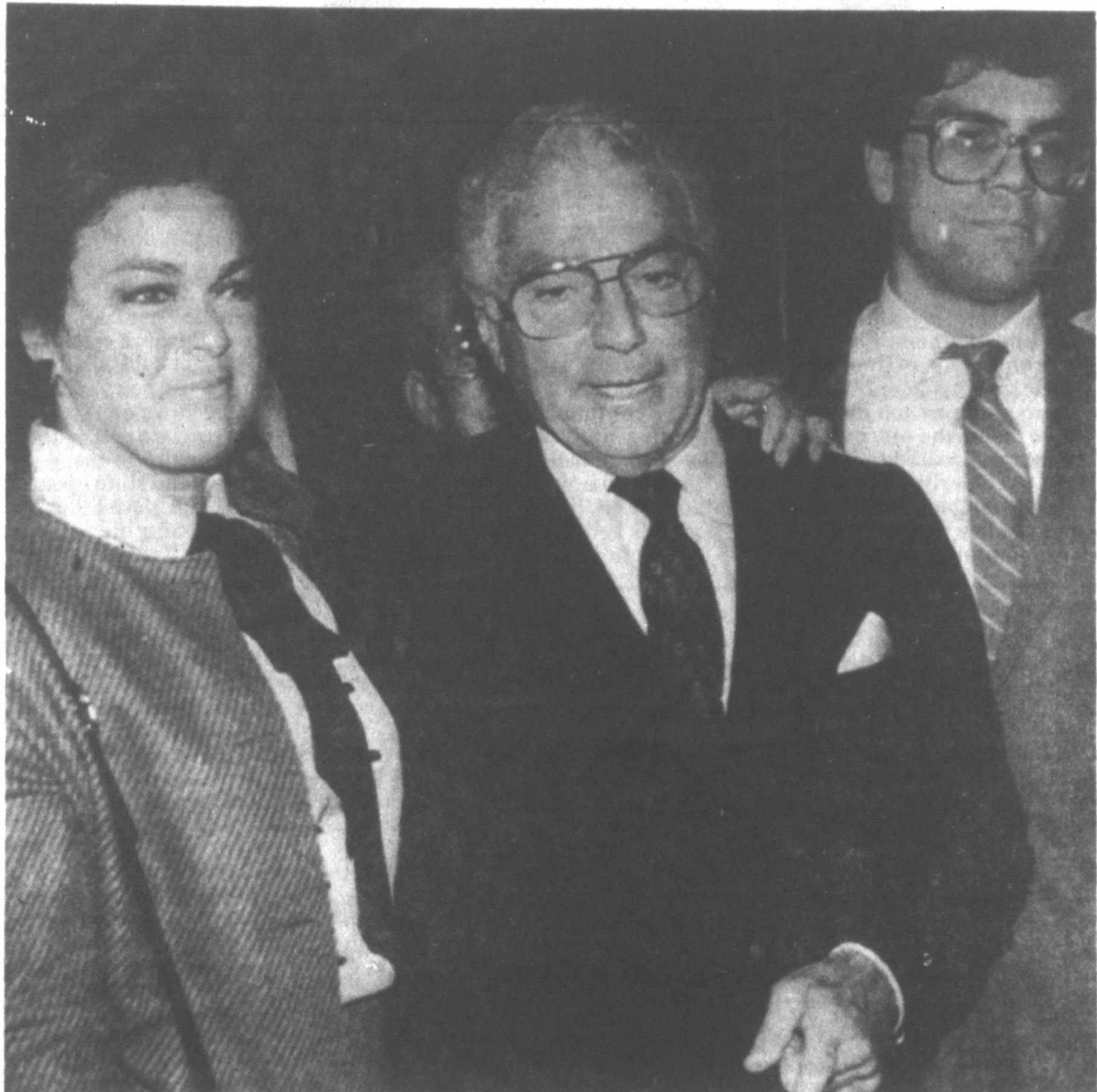
With less deficit reduction required, Congress is no longer seeking \$19.3 billion in new taxes the budget resolution promised. Instead, lawmakers say \$10 billion to \$15 billion will do, an amount that still may precipitate a showdown with Reagan, who says he will veto a tax

increase.

Under the revision, new deficit targets are \$136 billion in 1989, \$100 billion in 1990, \$64 billion in 1991, \$28 billion in 1992 and zero in 1993, leaving most of the deficit cutting until a new president takes office in 1989.

Gramm-Rudman provides that if Congress and the president fail to agree on spending cuts and tax increases to reach those targets, mandatory slashes in military and most domestic programs will be imposed to meet the deficit numbers.

Biaggi convicted



U.S. Rep. Mario Biaggi, center, was convicted Tuesday of illegally accepting gratuities from a Brooklyn political leader who paid for his vacations. He also was found guilty of crossing state lines in commission

of that crime and of obstruction of justice, but was found innocent of bribery and conspiracy charges. With Biaggi as he leaves the Brooklyn Federal Court are his oldest daughter Jackie and his son Mario Jr.

Author, artist fearful of Bork

WASHINGTON (AP)—A prominent author and an artist say Robert H. Bork's elevation to the Supreme Court would jeopardize their freedom to write and paint what they please.

Writer William Styron and artist Robert Rauschenberg joined a score of witnesses appearing for or against Bork on Tuesday. Their pleas for artistic freedom gave the Senate Judiciary Committee a brief respite from the legal scholars, including Bork, who have dominated the week-old hearings thus far.

Styron and Rauschenberg were followed by representatives of the nation's police officers. They testified Bork would be good for law enforcement because he supports the death penalty and would not let criminals free on a technicality. More opponents and supporters of Bork were due to testify today.

Also supporting Bork Tuesday was Carla Hills, secretary of housing and urban development in the Ford administration. She said Bork's opponents "used highly selective quotations and skewed tabulations of his opinions to brand him anti-labor, anti-First Amendment, anti-feminist, and in particular, anti-the social objective of the writer."

The anti-Bork forces had their own legal expert, Harvard professor Laurence Tribe, who said none of the 105 past and present justices shares Bork's "fundamentally narrow view of liberty."

Styron has published five novels, including "Sophie's Choice" and "The Confessions of Nat Turner," which won a Pulitzer Prize. He appeared as a member of the executive board of PEN American Center, an organization of poets, playwrights, essayists, editors, novelists and translators.

The author cited Bork's 1971 article in which he said only political speech deserved constitutional protection. Bork told the committee last week he long ago abandoned that view and now believes many types of speech should be protected.

Styron asked, "How can we be sure that, upon further reflection... he will not return to his earlier views, held so long?"

The author said he was disturbed that Bork did

not address himself, in a record five days of testimony, "to the existence of, or necessity for, First Amendment protection for an undefined category of non-obscene speech, which some might see as provocative."

Styron described himself as "personally quite sensitive" to the issue because "The Confessions of Nat Turner," about a slave revolt, was removed from a school library in Iowa because of a sexually explicit passage.

The author said Bork is not a "book-burner," but questioned whether the judge would afford such works constitutional protection in a court case.

"We should be able to write anything we want to write. He would not be friendly to writers who want to write the way I described," Styron said.

Artist Rauschenberg said he was expressing "the unanimous fears that the art world has toward the nomination of Bork."

"There must be persons with less controversial and destructive qualifications to assume this highest office," he said, adding that the nominee's views could "rob a society of expression."

But Sen. Alan K. Simpson, R-Wyo., a Bork supporter, suggested the writer and artist were hypocritical. He said they were attempting to chill the right of Bork, a former law professor, and other legal scholars to author controversial pieces because their old quotes would someday be used against them if nominated as a judge.

Ms. Hills told the committee she disagreed with women's groups that contend Bork's views on equal protection are too narrow to give them victories in sex discrimination cases. "There's not a scintilla of evidence that he is anti-feminist," she said.

The former Cabinet member brought with her four witnesses she identified as independent scholars, all of whom defended Bork.

One of them, University of Chicago law professor Michael McConnell, predicted that Bork would join an elite list of justices who became giants after controversial careers.

"Controversy swirls around nominees who have made a mark prior to their nominations," he said.

'I am not a bimbo,' Hahn says in Playboy interview

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP)—Jessica Hahn in a Playboy interview says she was told "you're going to do something tremendous for God" before Jim Bakker and another evangelist forced themselves on her sexually and "ruined my life."

"I am not a bimbo. ... I am a human being. I was done in. I was hurt," she declared in the interview, which includes topless photos of the 28-year-old former church secretary whose encounter with Bakker led to the PTL evangelist's downfall.

A copy of Playboy's November issue became available Tuesday as Ms. Hahn ended two days of testimony before a grand jury investigating alleged financial misconduct at the \$172 million evangelical empire, including hush money paid her.

Ms. Hahn in the interview said Bakker and evangelist John Wesley Fletcher forced her into having sex with them separately in a Florida hotel room in 1980 and then slyly boasted about it on television later in the day.

"Jim, God really ministered to us today, didn't He?" she quoted Fletcher as telling Bakker during a televised fund-raiser. "Yeah, he really did," Bakker was said to have replied.

Ms. Hahn's lawyer, Dominic Barbara, declined on Tuesday to say how much she was paid for the Playboy interview, but when asked whether it was as much as \$1 million, he replied, "I'm not going to deny \$1 million."

The West Babylon, N.Y., woman said that Bakker and Fletcher encountered her in her room, and that Bakker said he was unhappy sexually with his wife, Tammy.

"And John Fletcher said, 'Jessica, you're going to be doing something tremendous for God,'" according to Ms. Hahn, who told Playboy she was a virgin and had gone on two dates before meeting Bakker.

Ms. Hahn said after Bakker forced her into having sex, Fletcher returned and told her, "You just saved PTL."

Then he tore her clothes off and had sex with her, she said. "Jim Bakker is not going to have you. You are mine," she quoted him as saying.

Ms. Hahn said she had agreed to accept \$265,000 to keep quiet but broke her silence when Bakker disclosed the encounter in resigning from PTL in March. Barbara said Ms. Hahn received \$20,300 before PTL stopped the payments.

"Two men had me in one day. I hated every second of it and it has ruined my life," she said. "And I took hush money, all right—money to hush them up."

Bakker has acknowledged having sex with her but claims she was the seducer. He lives in Gatlinburg, Tenn., and has an unlisted phone number.

Referring to Ms. Hahn's decision to pose semi-nude and testifying she was victimized, Bakker's attorney, Melvin Belli, said Tuesday, "I think that for a poor, naive young girl, she's learned the ways of the world very fast."

"The poor girl is trying to get another million" dollars, Belli said.

Fletcher has acknowledged introducing Bakker to Ms. Hahn, but has not commented on her allegations that he also had sex with her.

A man answering the telephone at the John Wesley Fletcher Evangelistic Association in Oklahoma City said Fletcher would make a statement after testifying today before the federal grand jury here.

Ms. Hahn also told Playboy the Rev. Jerry Falwell used her to gain control of PTL, which was placed in his hands by Bakker after his downfall.

"You know I'm no fan of Jim Bakker, but Jim Bakker has also been screwed," Ms. Hahn said. "I believe Jerry Falwell just outright screwed him."

At a news conference Tuesday, Falwell, who is struggling to keep control of PTL against Bakker, said Ms. Hahn's involvement with Playboy "brings her down unfortunately to the level where Mr. Bakker is."

NOTICE OF VOTE ON TAX RATE

The Pampa Independent School District conducted a public hearing on a proposal to increase your property taxes by 7.99 percent on September 10, 1987 at 6:00 p.m.

A public meeting to vote on the tax will be held on September 24, 1987 at 12:00 noon at the Pampa I.S.D. Administration Building at 321 West Albert Street, Pampa, Texas.

Stocks advance

By The Associated Press

Optimism about the inflation outlook and declines in interest rates carried the Dow Jones Industrial Average to its biggest ever one-day gain, while oil prices fluctuated in active trading as tension heightened in the Persian Gulf.

The Dow Jones Average of 30 Industrial Stocks leaped a record 75.23 points on Tuesday to close at 2,568.05 in moderately active trading.

"The market exploded," said Charles Jensen, who follows stock price movements for the investment firm MKI Securities Corp.

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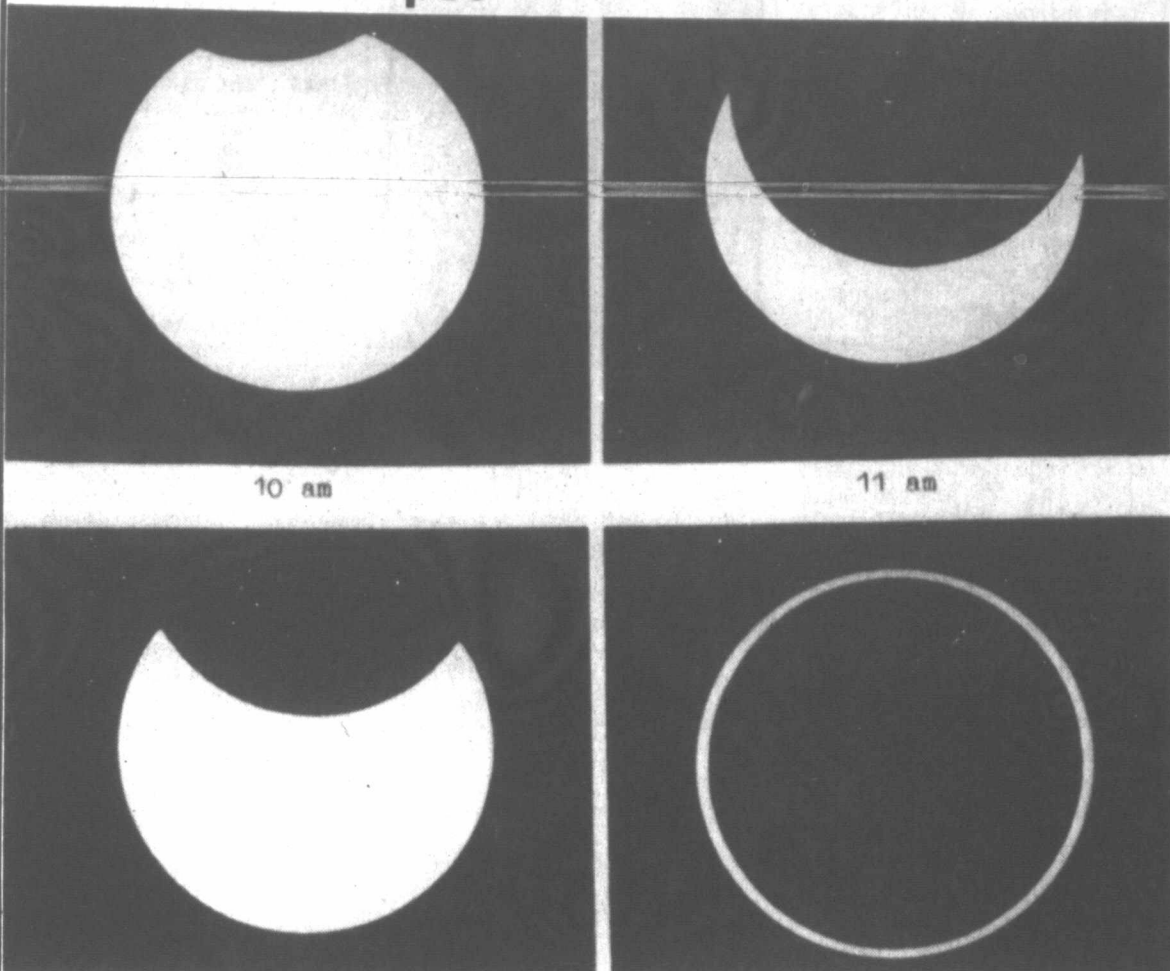
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Full annular eclipse



A sequence shows a full annular eclipse observed on Japan's subtropical island of Okinawa late Wednesday morning. The gold ring eclipse, the first in Okinawa in 29 years,

started shortly before 10 a.m., local time, then the moon's shadow gradually covered the sun before a perfect golden ring was formed in the skies, bottom right.

Doctor charged with dispensing drugs illegally caught year later

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A physician who eluded authorities for more than a year has been arrested in Pennsylvania on a 15-count indictment charging him with dispensing drugs for non-medical purposes, officials say.

FBI agents nabbed Dr. Charles Melenzyer of San Antonio on Monday, and he was ordered held without bond by federal Magistrate Ila J. Sensenich until his scheduled detention hearing Thursday in Pittsburgh.

"We've chased him around the country, and have come close several times," San Antonio District Attorney Fred Rodriguez said Tuesday. "This time he got arrested on a request we made to the feds on an unlawful flight to avoid prosecution charge."

An FBI spokesman in Pennsylvania declined to release details on the arrest, but he said it appeared the doctor had moved from Texas to Florida and lived in Jacksonville the first three months of 1987 before moving to Pennsylvania.

Melenzyer's license was revoked June 12, 1986, for allegedly writing bogus prescriptions, authorities said.

Texas and federal officials began investigating the 66-year-old doctor that year when they suspected he used voter registration lists to write prescriptions for fictitious patients.

Investigators believe most of those drugs — amphetamines and barbiturates — went to street drug peddlers and users.

A Bexar County grand jury charged Melenzyer with 15 counts of dispensing drugs for non-medical purposes Sept. 16, 1986.

When Melenzyer fled, U.S. Magistrate Jamie Boyd signed a warrant for the doctor's arrest May 22, 1987, on a charge of unlawful flight to avoid arrest.

Rodriguez said his office was attempting to have Melenzyer returned to Bexar County for trial.

"We're preparing extradition papers right now," he said. "I will send them to our governor and he sends them to the governor of Pennsylvania."

John C. Lawn, the administrator of the Drug Enforcement Administration, said that doctors are responsible for 90 percent of the prescription drugs that are used illegally.



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- 5 Single part
- 9 Last letter
- 12 Sources of metal
- 13 contender
- 14 Airline information (abbr.)
- 15 Tropical fruit
- 17 Years (Fr.)
- 18 Fast aircraft (abbr.)
- 19 Fair grade
- 20 Slow down
- 22 Understanding
- 23 Destroy (sl.)
- 24 Sooner State (abbr.)
- 27 Play outline
- 32 Swings
- 34 Welfare initials
- 35 Unit of energy
- 36 Medieval poem
- 37 Wide shoe size
- 39 Arabian prince
- 41 Salve
- 44 Different
- 45 House fuel
- 46 Dawn goddess
- 48 Slope
- 51 Buddhism type
- 52 Electrical unit
- 55 Eerie, meenie, miney
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- 59 Be wrong
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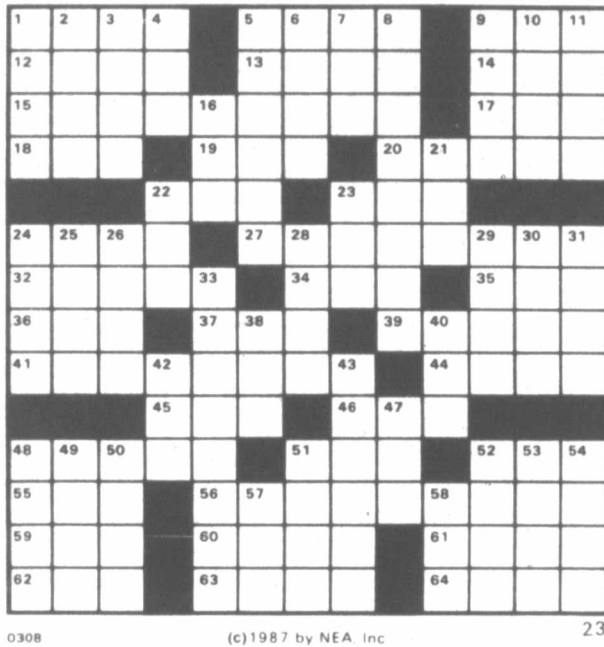
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- 40 Intermediate
- 42 Avoirdupois weight
- 43 Seesaw
- 47 Yoko
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- 54 Gravel ridges
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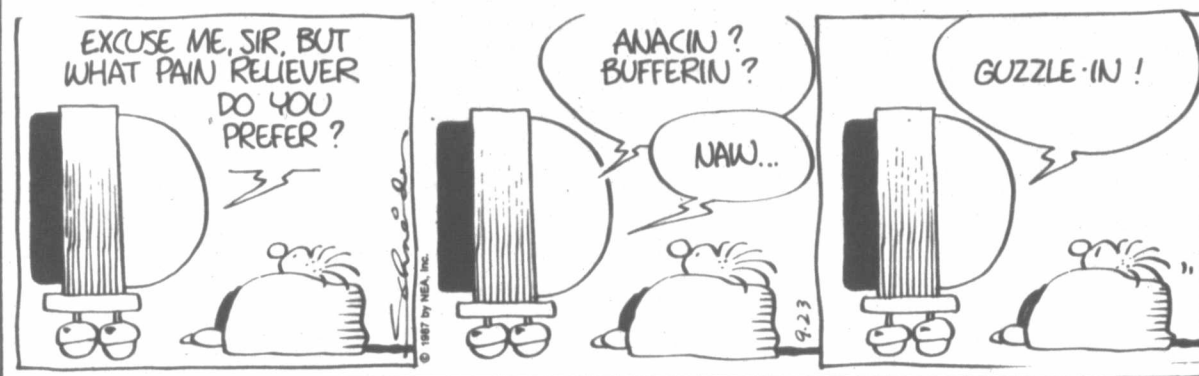
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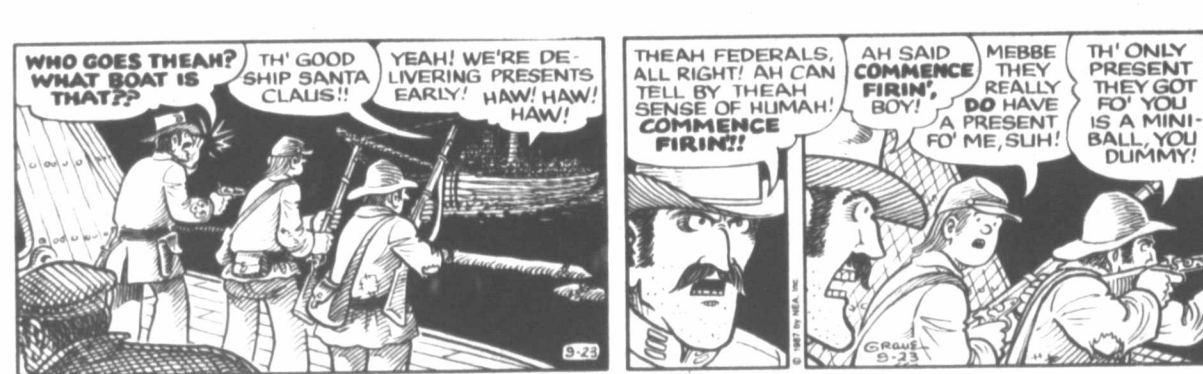
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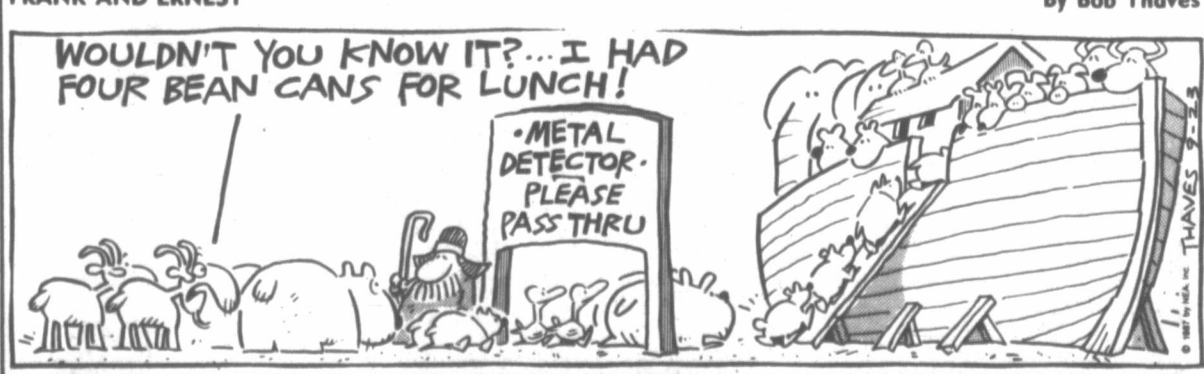
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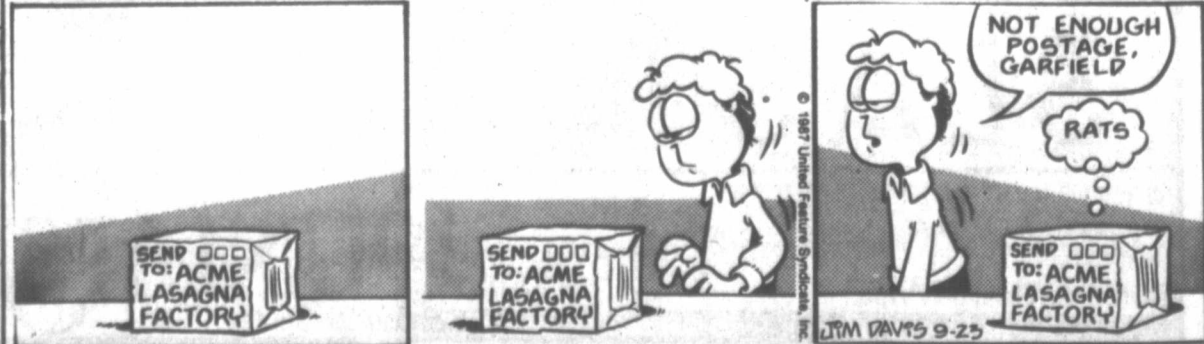
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SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Bright, articulate companions will serve as stimulants today to trigger your own creative processes. In conversational exchanges, each person will say things that will help the other.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) A unique opportunity of a fleeting nature is within your grasp today. If you are not alert and observant, however, you could fail to appreciate its value.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Someone who is separated from you by distance, but not in spirit, is eager to hear from you today. A call or note will be truly welcomed.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) This is an extremely promising day for joint ventures. Extraordinary benefits can be developed now that will please both you and the other parties involved.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Rather than lock yourself into a definite schedule today, you and the person with whom you'll be involved will have more fun engaging in impromptu activities.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) An unexpected development today could create a more lucrative arrangement for you where your work or career is concerned. Move on it swiftly.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Spur-of-the-moment happenings could bring a welcome ray of sunshine into your life today. Approach all of your involvements with an optimistic attitude.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You can accomplish a lot of little things today that you have neglected to finish in the past. Dedicate yourself to the completion of each job.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Bright ideas that flash into your head today will be worth exploring. Try to act on them immediately, but if you can't, do something about them as soon as possible.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) There are strong indications that there may be a sudden shift in financial trends today. This favorable switch will aim you toward the profit column.

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West Texas couple restores old hotel

By LARRY ZELISKO
Abilene Reporter-News

MULLIN (AP) — From a rocking chair on the second-floor balcony of an old hotel, Warren Duren looks out over a peaceful little lake.

A horse grazes on the far bank. A breeze and the shade make the afternoon heat bearable. Deer and turkey abound in the hills surrounding the lake, but are not to be seen this time of day.

The old hotel is everything a country home should be — quiet and comfortable, quaint and relaxing. Duren's only regret is that he and his wife, Oleta, cannot spend more time here.

This was once the Star Hotel, built sometime between 1900 and 1907. The balcony, where Duren now sits, once faced the noisy Santa Fe Railroad tracks in downtown Mullin, some 3½ miles from where the hotel now stands.

Neither the hotel nor the lake was here when Duren bought this land nine years ago. Duren built the lake and wanted to build a cottage beside it. Driving past the old hotel

one day, Duren mentioned to his wife how good it would look next to the lake. The idea stuck, and when the price was right, he bought the hotel.

After the big move in January 1985, work began on the interior. A previous owner had restored the outside of the hotel and given it its wine color trimmed in white. Two carpenters worked four months and the Durens worked six months to transform the hotel into a home.

Much of the hotel's personality has been restored. Old flooring and ceilings, a six-foot bathtub, and numbered doors remain. Plenty of antiques furnish the rooms or find new uses such as the old wagon wheel from which kitchen utensils hang.

The rooms are small by today's hotel standards.

"We want king-size now, we don't even want queen-size," Duren says. "They probably got about two bits a night for this room."

"This is kinda my favorite spot," Duren says of the balcony. "The water goes back for half a mile."

His granddaughters' favorite place is the playroom in what used to be the attic, he

adds. Or, maybe the tree house he built for them.

"We've spent two nights here during the last couple of months," says Duren. The couple live in nearby Goldthwaite.

"We'd like to spend every night here if we could, but there always seems to be a meeting in town or something to go to."

The hotel gets plenty of use from friends and the Durens' sons, Tom and Phil, and their families. While we were visiting, three youngsters came by to ask if they could swim in the lake. They brought along a hammer to fix some loose boards in the pier. Duren gave them permission.

Growing up near Mullin, Duren didn't get a chance to stay at the Star Hotel, but remembers eating here when it was the McNeill Boarding House.

"Mrs. McNeill was a great cook," he says. "I think you'd pay about two bits and sit around a big table, family style and eat all you wanted back in the Depression days."

Duren ran a grocery store and locker plant for several years in Mullin. A friend encouraged him to go into the banking business in 1947.



(AP Laserphoto)

Deputy Chief Patrol Agent Jerry L. Hicks with the Border Patrol's McAllen sector shows one of the off-the-road vehicles the agency plans to use in remote coastal areas.

Agency is attempting to expand jurisdiction to non-border areas

McALLEN (AP) — The U.S. Border Patrol in Texas has proposed that its jurisdiction be widened to enable it to better enforce the new immigration law and cope with increased drug smuggling.

New stations in Houston, Dallas, San Antonio, Corpus Christi and Port Isabel are included in the proposal, which has been approved at the regional level, officials said.

"They're not on the border, but they're on the main routes leading into the United States," said Jerry Agan, deputy chief with the agency's southern regional office in Dallas.

The Laredo sector would be expanded to include Houston, Dallas and San Antonio, he said.

The McAllen sector would double in size to 18 counties, including all of Nueces County, where Corpus Christi is the seat. It covers an area of South Texas that has seen a steady increase in drug seizures, particularly since last year, when the Border Patrol began actively looking for illegal drugs along with its usual search for illegal aliens.

A long stretch of coastline not closely patrolled would receive badly needed attention under the plan, said Jerry L. Hicks, deputy chief patrol agent with the Border Patrol's McAllen sector.

"We need to better control drug smuggling along the coast," Hicks said. "It's just logical that we in the McAllen sector would have that responsibility."

Prosecutor raps new state law

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A new state law allowing pseudonyms of rape victims to be used in public records may make it impossible to prosecute some accused sex offenders, a prosecutor says.

Bexar County District Attorney Fred Rodriguez said if the victim's true identity is kept secret during the actual trial, it will be impossible for attorneys to properly question potential jurors about whether they are

Agan said the proposed new facilities and increased manpower are the regional office's response to the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, but funding has not been approved in Washington.

"You could safely say it will double our area of responsibility," Hicks said.

On Tuesday, the sector breaks ground for a new 8,061-square-foot station building in McAllen. The sector will retain its existing headquarters space near the McAllen airport.

Border Patrol agents began actively to search for drugs a year ago through Operation Alliance, a cooperative anti-drug effort among federal agencies.

In fiscal year 1986, the Border Patrol in the McAllen sector seized \$38 million worth of drugs, primarily marijuana and cocaine, in 543 incidents. In fiscal 1987, which ends Sept. 30, the same South Texas sector has seized more than \$181 million worth of drugs in 953 incidents.

Last week Border Patrol agents reported suspicious airplane activity at a private air strip near the town of Hargill, where authorities seized 2,600 pounds of marijuana, five airplanes and about \$20,000. The agency is attempting to keep the planes, under federal forfeiture law, along with a 22-foot boat seized recently in a drug bust, he said.

The sector also has purchased several off-the-road vehicles.

personally acquainted with the victim of the crime.

The law provides that the victim's true identity may be divulged only to the defendant and to the victim's lawyer.

"This is a ridiculous law," Rodriguez said.

He said that Senate Bill 1392, which became law earlier this month, "probably had good intentions."

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Two dishes illustrate the point: Pissaladiere, a pizza with French flair, and Chicken with Apples and Snow Peas in Patty Shells. Each uses ingredients Grandma couldn't find on her market shelf; neither, no doubt, could her children.

Once exotic ingredients are now standard items at most food markets: boneless chicken breasts, snow peas, dijon mustard, to name a few. Add another marvel — frozen puff pastry — which is available in sheets, or as patties to easily finish in the oven. Today's cook can take full advantage of the ease and creativity they allow.

So, if you're entertaining after work, remember to shop the night before. Put out the ingredients and set the table in the morning — and relax.

Both of these dishes lend themselves to "group participation" if your kitchen is big enough. And they're simple enough so that conversation can continue while you create the meal.

Pissaladiere, a French version of traditional pizza, is a savory Niçoise specialty topped with onions, anchovies and black olives. It sits on a light, flaky round of puff pastry. One package of frozen puff pastry may make two 10-inch pizzas, which is enough for four people.

Do not be alarmed at what seems like a large amount of onions. Sautéed, the onion takes on a full, sweet flavor — far removed from its raw state.

A simple salad (argula or endive are good choices) rounds out the main course. Add a pot of coffee or espresso, some cheddar cheese and fruit or takeout tarts, and turn an ordinary evening into a chance to see old friends or develop new ones.

Chicken with Apples and Snow Peas in Patty Shells is another good candidate for a light, after-work meal for guests. Here, the chicken is combined with apples and snow peas, and is highlighted with mustard and wine, all a fresh and delicious blend of flavors.

Spoon it into flaky patty shells, garnish and serve. Again, a salad, a simple dessert and coffee, sparked by good conversation, make a social occasion out of dinner.

Working or not, this is a good recipe whenever a light meal is in order, be it a luncheon, brunch or Sunday supper.

PISSALADIÈRE
6 cups onion, very thinly sliced

2 teaspoons minced garlic
2 tablespoons olive oil
Salt and pepper
1 package (17½ ounces) frozen puff pastry sheets
4 Italian plum tomatoes, sliced
1-3rd cup ripe olives, pitted and sliced
6 anchovy filets, rinsed to remove salt and oil
1 tablespoon olive oil
½ teaspoon dried oregano or basil leaves

In a large pan, sauté onion and garlic in 2 tablespoons olive oil for 15 minutes over moderately high heat until very soft and browned. Season to taste with salt and pepper; set aside to cool. Thaw puff pastry 20 minutes; unfold and cut into two 10-inch circles. Spread onion mixture evenly over each piece of pastry to within ½ inch of edges. Top with tomato slices, olives and anchovy filets. Sprinkle with 1 tablespoon oil and oregano. Place on baking sheet and bake at 425°F. for 20 to 25 minutes or until pastry is puffed and browned. Serve immediately with Parmesan cheese if desired. Makes two 10-inch pizzas.

CHICKEN WITH APPLES AND SNOW PEAS IN PATTY SHELLS

1 Golden Delicious apple, peeled, cored and cut into wedges
4 tablespoons butter or margarine
1 tablespoon sugar
¼ cup minced onion
1 pound boneless, skinless chicken breast, cut into 1-inch pieces
2-3rd cup vermouth or dry white wine
1-3rd cup dijon-style mustard
2-3rd cup heavy cream or dairy half-and-half cream
½ pound snow peas, trimmed, cut in half and blanched until tender crisp*
1 package (10 ounces) frozen patty shells, baked according to package directions

Sauté apple in 2 tablespoons butter over high heat. Sprinkle with sugar and cook until apple is browned and drippings are caramelized. Remove from skillet and set aside. Sauté onion in 2 tablespoons butter until tender; add chicken and cook until just done and browned. Remove from skillet with slotted spoon. Add vermouth to skillet and cook over high heat until reduced to two-thirds. Reduce heat and stir in mustard and cream. Simmer 15 minutes or until thickened. Add chicken, snow peas and apples; heat. Spoon into warm patty shells and serve. Makes 6 servings.

*NOTE: To blanch snow peas, drop in boiling water and cook until crisp.

Avoid squashed deviled eggs

NEW YORK (AP) — Ever wonder how to safely transport your picnic from kitchen to park?

Mary Ellen Pinkham, a household hints expert and a contributing editor to *Family Circle* magazine, tells how to get deviled eggs to a picnic safely.

"I love deviled eggs at a picnic," Pinkham said, "but they

lose a lot of their appeal when they're squashed en route. To avoid this, put the whites in one container and spoon the yolk mixture into a plastic bag.

"When you are ready to eat, cut a tiny hole in a bottom corner of the bag and 'pipe' filling into each egg half."

Church women's cookbook out

Christian Women's Fellowship of First Christian Church of Pampa has put together a cookbook, "Cherished Recipes," which is currently on sale to raise funds for various church activities and improvements.

The cookbook includes 100 pages of recipes for appetizers, relishes and pickles; soups, salads and sauces; main dishes; vegetables; breads, rolls, pies and pastry; low-calorie dishes; cakes, cookies and confections; desserts; and beverages, sandwiches and miscellaneous.

Other features of the book include cooking hints, a glossary of cooking terms, nutrition information, use of herbs, and space for additional recipes.

The book sells for \$5 each and is available by calling Lavonia Skidmore at 669-4314, or the First Christian Church office at 669-3225.

Here are a few recipes from "Cherished Recipes." These feature a Southern or Southwestern flavor.

SOUTHWESTERN CAVIAR

Appetizers, Relishes and Pickles

1 (15-ounce) can black-eyed peas
2 green onions with tops, chopped
1 stick margarine
1 (4-ounce) can green chilies, chopped
1 clove garlic (optional)
1 (3-ounce) jar Old English cheese spread or 3 ounces grated cheese
Cook onions and garlic in margarine for 2 minutes on High power in microwave. Add all other ingredients and microwave on High for 3 minutes or until bubbly. Serve with corn chips.

—Leda Lyon

GUMBO

Soups, Salads and Sauces
3 quarts water

3 or 4 chopped green peppers
2 or 3 chopped onions
1 pound Polish sausage
1 chicken fryer, cooked and deboned
4 heaping tablespoons roux
1 package frozen okra
1 to 1½ pounds shrimp
In large pan, add water and roux; bring to a rolling boil. Boil for 30 minutes. Then add vegetables and frozen okra; cook for several hours. Save broth from chicken and add to this mixture. Cut up sausage in bite-size pieces and boil in water, then drain and add to mixture. Add chicken about 30 minutes to an hour before serving. Add shrimp 15 minutes before serving. Serve over rice.

—Lisa Crossman

SOUTHERN HAMBURGER CORN PONE PIE

2 pounds lean ground beef
½ cup chopped onion
2 teaspoons chili powder
¼ teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce
1 (15-ounce) can tomatoes
1 (15-ounce) can Ranch Style beans
1½ to 2 packages prepared cornbread mix
Brown the meat and onions in a little margarine. Add tomatoes and seasonings. Add beans and pour into a greased 13x9-inch casserole dish. Top with cornbread batter. Bake 20 minutes at 425°F. Cut into squares and serve.

—Catherine Stringer

SWEET POTATO BALLS

Vegetables

Several sweet potatoes
½ cup sugar
Large marshmallows
Coconut
Cook several sweet potatoes in

a large saucepan until soft. Drain, cool and mash. Form the mixture around the marshmallows, then roll the balls in the coconut. Place in a baking dish and bake in 350°F. oven until coconut is lightly browned. Watch very closely; the coconut will burn quickly. These may be made ahead and frozen before they are baked.

—Mary Alice Skaggs

NO FAIL PECAN PIE

Breads, rolls, pies and pastry

3 eggs, well beaten
¾ cup sugar (mix well with eggs)
¾ cup white Karo syrup
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 tablespoon flour
1 tablespoon melted butter
Cream eggs and sugar together. Add remaining ingredients. After ingredients are mixed together, add 1 cup chopped or whole pecans. Mix well and pour into unbaked pie shell; cook on bottom rack of oven at 350°F. for 40 minutes or until firm.

—Sandy Warren

LOW CALORIE COLESLAW

Low calorie dishes
2 cups finely shredded cabbage
¼ cup chopped green pepper
2 tablespoons green onion
1 tablespoon radish slices
½ teaspoon salt
3 tablespoons vinegar
1 teaspoon sweetener
¼ teaspoon celery
Combine ingredients in large bowl; toss lightly and chill. Yields 5 servings. One serving equals 15 calories.

—Leda Lyons

SOUTHERN KISSES

Cakes, cookies, frostings and confections

1 egg white, beaten stiff
1 cup lightly packed brown sugar
1 cup chopped nuts
1 teaspoon vanilla
Add brown sugar to eggs, 1 tablespoon at a time. Add nuts and vanilla. Drop teaspoonsful onto a lightly greased cookie sheet. Bake 30 minutes at 300°F. Be careful not to overbake — these burn easily.

—Phyl Cherry

FROZEN LIME FLUFF

Desserts

1 quart lime sherbet
12 ounces Cool Whip
½ package crushed chocolate mint cookies
Soften sherbet and mix all ingredients together. Freeze in a rectangular pan. Serve in squares.

—Ruth Allston

JOHN WAYNE'S CHEESE CASSEROLE

Beverages, sandwiches and miscellaneous

2 cans chopped green chilies (4 ounces), drained
1 pound Monterey Jack cheese
1 pound Cheddar cheese
4 egg whites
4 egg yolks
2-3rd cup canned milk
1 tablespoon flour
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon pepper
Grate cheeses and add chilies. Beat egg whites until stiff. Add yolks and other ingredients and fold into whites. Pour over cheeses. Mix with fork. Bake at 325°F. for 45 minutes to 1 hour in large casserole. Serves 8.

—Martha Boswell

12th-century monastery 'reconstructed' by drawing

ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP) — Bordesley Abbey, a 12th-century British monastery destroyed in 1538 by Henry VII, is being reconstructed in drawings by a fine

arts professor at the University of Rochester.

In imagining the details of its construction, David Walsh, who has led an archaeological dig at

the abbey for the past 20 summers, says it helps to "think like a medieval designer."

The abbey's foundation is preserved about six feet up, provid-

ing Walsh with many clues. Another aid is that architecture was standard among Cistercian monasteries, so Walsh can surmise many of the features.

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Lifestyles



Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

Should girl marry mom's pick of men?

DEAR ABBY: As a 79-year-old male, I protest your advising that 22-year-old girl to marry Sammy against her mother's wishes. Who else is more interested in the girl's future happiness than her own mother? And who is better qualified to advise in this matter?

Sammy can find happiness with another mate, and the girl can find happiness with another man. She should consider the risks involved, and let her head rule her heart this time.

CHARLES J. BURCH,
VERO BEACH, FLA.

DEAR CHARLES: What risks? The man she loves with all her heart happens to be short, poor and Jewish. The girl says he's a good person from a dirt-poor family, and he's working two jobs to put himself through college.

I don't question the mother's interest in her daughter's future happiness, but she is far from qualified to advise her in the choice of a husband if she "hates" a man because he's poor, short and Jewish. It appears that Sammy is the one taking the risk. He'll have a mother-in-law who's bigoted, snobbish and ignorant.

DEAR ABBY: Are we losing our minds, or has "Eileen," our 39-year-old daughter, lost hers? Eileen never married, and has not lived at home for 21 years. She has just informed us that she is going to marry the divorced man she's been living with for the last seven years. He is a 57-year-old grandfather.

She wants to be married in the city where she has resided for the last 21 years because that's where all her friends are. (Incidentally, it's 1,500 miles from here.) We understand this, and have no objections to that whatsoever, but she has informed us that it is "customary" for the parents to pay for their daughter's wedding and reception — as long as it is her first. The estimated cost (she says) will be about \$15,000.

Abby, we are retired and living comfortably on a pension, but we are not able to finance a \$15,000 wedding. Please tell us what our obligations are in this case.

UNABLE TO OBLIGE
IN WEST TEXAS

DEAR UNABLE: Obligations? You have none. Your daughter's demands are not only unreasonable, they're outrageous.

DEAR ABBY: I am nearly 21 years old and I met my real father for the first time six months ago at the funeral of my grandmother. (She was his mother.) That day my father was very kind to me, and I was thrilled to meet the father that I had been missing for so many years. (He and my mother divorced when I was a baby.) I gave him my address and phone number and waited and waited to hear from him, but he never called or wrote.

I wrote him a letter telling him I wanted to see him again to establish a real father-daughter relationship with him. He wrote back saying it was impossible, and he did not want to see me again!

Abby, I know it is his new wife's doings. I really want a father in my life and this man is my blood father, and it is not fair for him to reject me. I feel so hurt and alone, and I really need a close relationship with him. We live 2,000 miles apart, but that is no excuse.

Please help me figure out how I can get him to see me and treat me like his daughter. I have written him countless letters, begging him to call or write me, but I have had no response.

What should I do? Now that I have found him, I want him in my life.

REJECTED AND HURT

DEAR REJECTED: You cannot force your father to be a "real father" to you if he chooses not to. It's sad, unfortunate and unfair, but he has made his feelings for now crystal clear. Accept this painful decision and do not pursue him.

(Is your social life in a slump? Lonely? Get Abby's booklet, "How to Be Popular" — for people of all ages. Send a check or money order for \$2.50 and a long, stamped (30 cents), self-addressed envelope to: Dear Abby, Popularity, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61064.)

Food stamp delay creates problems

Food requests remain at a high level at Good Samaritan Christian Services, 309 N. Ward, because of the delay encountered locally in receiving food stamps, according to Bill Ragsdale, executive director of the interfaith mission.

"This delay (in receiving food stamps) can be several weeks, and emergency food stamps, which are issued upon application in other areas, are not available here, according to many applicants," he said. "These applicants report that applicants for emergency stamps are told to go to the Good Samaritan for food, and that the regular food stamps will be issued in a few weeks. A large number of regular food stamp recipients report that their food stamps have been delayed recently.

"We also know that some applicants put off filing for food stamps due to the awesome application they must complete and return to the food stamp office," Ragsdale said.

Good Sam distributes food in amounts determined by the number of people in the family. Some variation in distribution occurs due to differences in volunteers' practices. Total amounts of food issued and size of each family receiving food are recorded.

The average family size in August was 3.35 persons. About 74 percent received peanut butter, each family received two loaves of bread, and 76 percent received a can of fruit per family. Other foods issued included vegetables, tuna, rice, powdered milk, soup, cereal, flour and sugar.

The amount of food issued each time is expected to last from five to seven days. Good Sam's food list has been checked by the coun-

ty Extension agent for nutrition balance versus cost.

"We seem to have been out of fruit one-fourth of the time, as we issue fruit to all families if available," Ragsdale said.

Of 252 families requesting aid in August, 234 were helped. Some families requesting utility aid were not helped because it was determined that there was no emergency causing the need for aid. Aid to families included food, 166 families; clothing, 78; rent, one; utilities, 21; transportation, 20; lodging, three; medical, 18; and other, 24. Total number of individuals receiving aid was 784.

Of the families requesting aid, 226 were from Gray County, 13 were newcomers, six lived outside Gray County but within 25 miles of Pampa, and seven were transients.

Referrals included churches, two; friends, 17; news, two; other organizations or agencies, six; and returning families, 225. There were five emergency after-hours calls.

Out-of-pocket expenses for August totaled \$4,192.59, as opposed to \$2,020.21 for July. Expenses included food, \$583; clothing, \$29.97; utilities, \$1,274.47; transportation, \$96.89; lodging, \$71.66; medical, \$450.78; and funds returned to food and shelter grant distributed by United Way, \$1,374.50.

Amount of clothing issued is at record numbers due to many requests for school clothing, Ragsdale said. Food requests were down about 11 percent, and items issued were also down, with some exceptions.

Clothing needed for distribution includes children's clothing, jeans, tennis shoes, work clothing and work boots.

Volunteers needed for 'jail and bail' fund-raiser

Amarillo March of Dimes is looking for Pampa volunteers to help with a November fund-raiser in Pampa.

The fund-raiser will be a "jail and bail," in which prominent Pampans will be tossed into a makeshift slammer, built by Coca Cola at Culberson-Stowers Chevrolet, 805 N. Hobart St. In-

mates will have to raise at least \$50 in bail to get out of jail.

Also sponsoring the event is KGRO-KOMX radio station.

The fund-raiser is scheduled for Nov. 11-13, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Those interested in helping out can call the March of Dimes Amarillo office collect at 355-5321.

"Big" donation



(Staff photo by Duane A. Laverly)

Kim Gass, manager of Domino's Pizza of Pampa, and John Valdez, franchisee of the store, present a giant check for \$1,009 to James Baird of the American Red Cross. The money will be split between the Red

Cross and Salvation Army, and was raised for victims of July's tornado in Pampa. Domino's also collected household items and distributed them among families who lost their homes in the twister.

Former Pampan wins national title

Donna G. Slavick of Ulysses, Kan., formerly of Pampa, was recently crowned National Mrs. Southern Charm.

Mrs. Slavick is the mother of Pampa residents Mark Lamar and Debbie Douglas. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Jones of Pampa, and the niece of Mr. and Mrs. M.R. Jones, Mrs. Clyde Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Virden, all of Pampa.

The three-day pageant was held in Paducah, Ky. Along with the national title of Mrs. Southern Charm, Mrs. Slavick was also selected Most Photogenic during the pageant.

Her experience in pageants includes 1986 first runner-up for Mrs. Kansas (named Mrs. Congeniality), 1987 fourth runner-up for Mrs. Kansas; 1986 World's Universal Mrs. Mini-Queen; World's Universal Top 10 Mrs.; World's Universal Second Alter-

nate Living Doll; Best Figure for Grandmother; and Best Portfolio. She also received five first place Pro-Am Modeling Awards.

In addition to competing in pageants, she has judged, emceed, coached and served as a consultant for pageants and their contestants.

Mrs. Slavick is secretary-treasurer for Kansas Irrigation Engine, Inc. Her hobbies include classic cars, Rod and Custom Shows and drag racing, and tap and ballet dancing.

With a background in fashion as manager of a retail clothing store and buyer for a fashion store, her love of fashion has led her to take 17 modeling courses and has given her the opportunity to model frequently at workshops and fashion shows. She also designs clothing and has designed costumes which she wears for pageant competitions.

She is the wife of Randy R. Sla-



DONNA G. SLAVICK

vick, and has two children and five grandchildren. She is a member of Daughters of the American Revolution and served as a page at the Kansas State Conference for three years.

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Sports Scene



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Cowboys' free agent Rich Borrens (right) gears up for practice.

Lady Harvesters throttle Canyon to remain unbeaten

By L.D. STRATE
Sports Editor

Pampa's Lady Harvesters were just a little slow coming out of the starting gate. But only a little.

Canyon jumped out to early leads in both games against Pampa in District 1-4A volleyball play Tuesday night before the Lady Harvesters zipped to a 15-3, 15-7 victory in McNeely Fieldhouse.

Pampa is now 3-0 in the district standings and owns a share of first place with Borger. Canyon, in its first season of varsity competition, drops to 0-3.

"Canyon has improved since we last played them, but we were able to do what we wanted to do, which was set them up for the kill," said Pampa Coach Mike Lopez. "We were a little shaky with our serves the second game, but overall I was real pleased."

Canyon scored the first point in the opener, but two straight service points by Jeana Macon put the Lady Harvesters on top to stay.

The smaller Eaglettes had trouble handling the hot kills by Keitha Clark, Yolanda Brown and Tanya Lidy in both matches. A dink and spike by Brown gave Pampa seven consecutive points before Canyon finally got on the board again.

Pampa's serves became erratic the second game as Canyon jumped out to a 3-1 advantage be-

fore Pampa started pulling away. But Canyon refused to fold. Pampa was ahead 7-4 when an unforced error, a net violation by Clark and a service point by Canyon's Stephanie Steen knotted things at 7-all.

However, the Lady Harvesters were not to be denied and shut out Canyon the rest of the way. The Eaglettes were the own worst enemy down the stretch as they hit three returnable lob shots out of bounds and had problems timing their sets.

Pampa also won the junior varsity match 15-6, 16-14.

The Lady Harvesters host Lubbock Dunbar at 2 p.m. Saturday in another district clash.

In the only other district match last night, Borger defeated Dumas 15-11, 15-8.

Both Pampa seventh and eighth-grade teams played Canyon Monday and came away with victories.

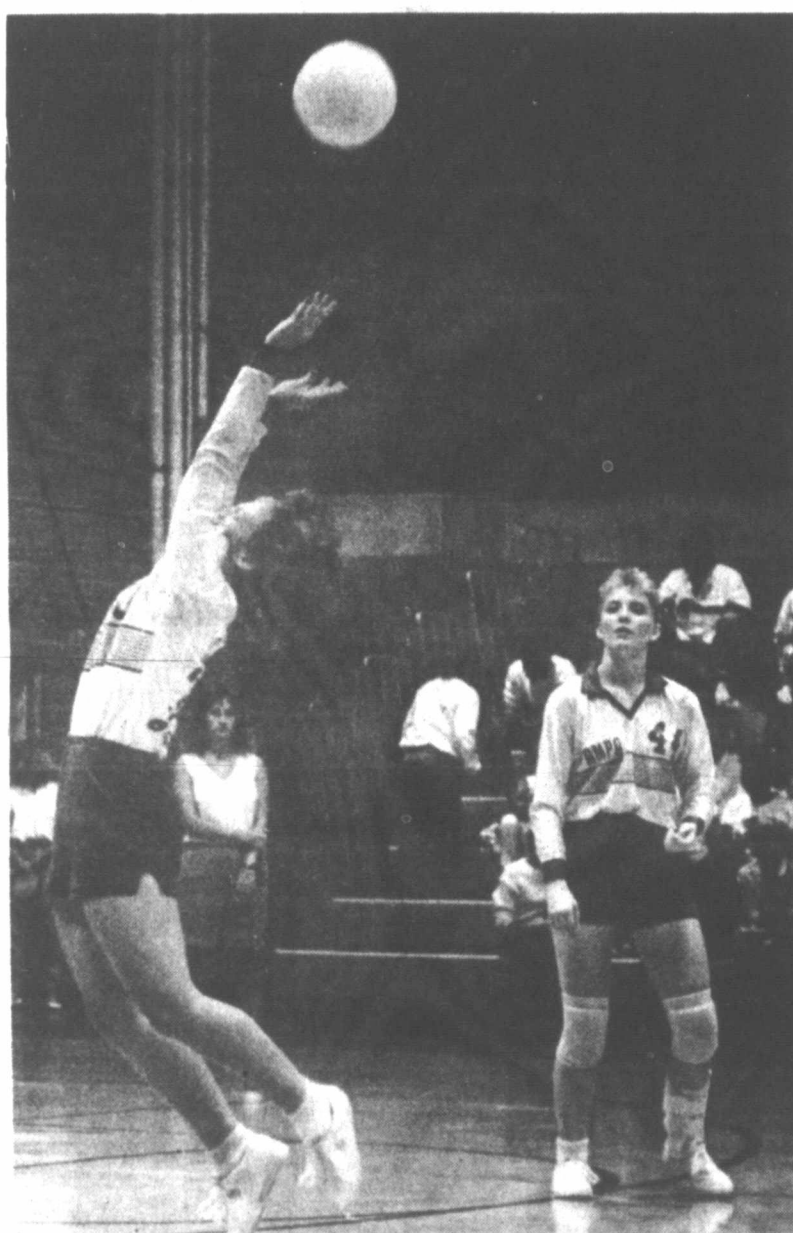
In the eighth-grade match, Pampa lost the first game 15-6, but bounced back to win the next two, 15-9, 15-10.

Kristi Simpson scored several points for Pampa on service shots.

Pampa's seventh-grade won by 15-11, 15-7 scores.

Pampa had strong serving from Casie Schmidt, Casey Bowers, Veronica Santacruz and Kelly Haines.

Both Pampa seventh and eighth-graders have 1-1 records.



(Staff Photo by L.D. Strate)

Pampa's Lisa Lindsey keeps ball in play.

Players reluctant to follow strike leaders

By DAVE GOLDBERG
AP Football Writer

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Day I of the NFL strike found players and teams alike reluctant at best to follow their leaders. Day II finds the leaders ready to meet again in efforts to cut the walkout short.

And there were increasing indications that a settlement might be near, in part due to Commissioner Pete Rozelle, the "mystery man" alluded to by union head Gene Upshaw when he ordered the players to walk out Tuesday.

The two sides were to meet today midway between their Washington and New York headquarters with Tex Schramm of the Dallas Cowboys and Dan Rooney of the Pittsburgh Steelers joining the negotiating team. Rooney is credited with helping settle the 1982 strike, which lasted 57 days. The main negotiators until now have been Upshaw and Jack Donlan, the executive director of the NFL Management Council.

"We plan to meet around the clock," Upshaw said Tuesday night after arriving at NFLPA headquarters in Washington. "We have a format set up where we have the owners in one room, the players in one room, Jack and I in the middle and we're going to try to hammer this thing out."

Upshaw also indicated there was still a chance for the players to be on the field this weekend in the regularly scheduled games.

Donlan and Upshaw met for 90 minutes Tuesday after Upshaw met privately with Rozelle in the commissioner's office.

Nearly all of the NFL's 1,585 players honored Upshaw's call to strike cleaned out their lockers

and hoisted their picket signs and professed their solidarity.

As all 28 teams intensified preparations to continue the season with free agents, retirees and other prospects or near-prospects, there were just a few defections among players.

Quarterbacks Gary Hogeboom of the Colts and Marc Wilson of the Raiders crossed the picket line Tuesday and two Pro Bowlers, Randy White of the Cowboys and Leonard Smith of the Cardinals were set to cross today.

The league, which is planning to continue play a week from Sunday with whatever players it can dig up, put off cancelling this week's games.

"Unless they settle instantly, we won't play this week," said one owner, who was part of a conference call involving Rozelle and all 28 teams after the meeting with Upshaw. "I don't think that will happen. There are too many issues to get through."

For many of the players, the strike seemed to be total frustration.

"I'm completely disgusted with both sides," said Mickey Marvin, who crossed a picket line set up by the Raiders to undergo treatment for a knee injury that put him on injured reserve. "You're supposed to learn from your mistakes in the past. Neither side learned from the disaster of 1982."

Nor were general managers or coaches delighted about re-signing players they had already deemed inadequate for NFL play.

"We've been ordered to field a football team and we're trying to do that," Seattle general manager Mike McCormack said. "But putting a football team together is not a one-week job."

Cavalier impressed with Pampa's improved offense

By L.D. STRATE
Sports Editor

Although fifth-ranked Hereford proved too much for Pampa to handle last week, Harvester head coach Dennis Cavalier felt good about the offensive yards his team was able to roll up.

The Harvesters compiled 207 yards total offense and 11 first downs in the 37-8 loss to the Whitefaces. "We needed something good to happen offensively and toward the end it did," Cavalier said.

Hereford had 310 yards in total offense, including 203 on the ground.

After being shut out for seven quarters (including the 28-0 loss to Amarillo High), the Harvesters scored their first TD of the season when quarterback Dustin Miller scored on an 11-yard keeper play with 4:16 to go in the game.

Cavalier was particularly impressed with the Harvesters' passing game as the 6-4 Miller completed 6 of 21 passes for 100 yards.

"We threw about 30 percent of the time and it's something we're going to emphasize more and more," Cavalier said. "I thought Miller did a pretty good job all game long."

A second-quarter injury to 200-pound fullback David Fields may have cost Pampa some momentum. Fields went down with a severely sprained ankle after catching a pass from Miller that put Pampa on Hereford's five-yard line. Hereford then halted Pampa on a fourth and two situation.

"I'm not saying we would have scored if Fields had been in there, but who knows what would have happened?" Cavalier said. "After that, things just got away from us. A touchdown on that drive would have made it 14-7."

Fields, who has averaged 4.2 yards per carry in the first two games, will probably not see action against Borger Friday night.

"He did practice Monday, but

his mobility is very limited. We'll just have to see how it goes," Cavalier said.

Brad Sokolosky would move into the fullback spot against Borger while Chris Ickles would be used as a backup, Cavalier said.

Pampa also cut down on penalty yardage, another area Cavalier was concerned about. The Harvesters were penalized five times for 55 yards, quite an improvement over the 11 flags, 90 yards in the opener against Amarillo High.

With the win over Pampa, The Associated Press moved Hereford (2-1) up two notches to fifth place in the latest Class 4A state poll.

"Hereford is an example of where we want to be headed," Cavalier said. "They have a great program. Coach (Don) Cumpton does a fantastic job."

District

Canyon 1-0 (3-0); Hereford 1-0 (2-1); Levelland 1-0 (2-1); Lubbock Estacado, 1-0 (2-1); Borger 0-0 (1-1); Dumas 0-1 (2-1); Lubbock Dunbar 0-1 (1-2); Pampa 0-1 (0-2); Frenship 0-1 (1-2).

Points Scored

Canyon 102; Levelland 81; Hereford 77; Frenship 68; Dumas 57; Lubbock Dunbar 53; Lubbock Estacado 50; Borger 40; Pampa 8.

Points Allowed

Hereford 29; Borger 33; Lubbock Estacado 38; Dumas 43; Levelland 44; Canyon 48; Frenship 53; Pampa 65; Lubbock Dunbar 71.

Last Week's Results

Hereford 37, Pampa 8; Canyon 35, Lubbock Dunbar 14; Levelland 20, Dumas 17; Lubbock Estacado 18, Frenship 7; Borger, open.

This Week's Games

Borger at Pampa; Canyon at Levelland; Hereford at Frenship; Lubbock Estacado at Lubbock Dunbar (Saturday); Dumas, open.

Television networks scrambling to fill void left by striking NFL football players

NEW YORK (AP)—Barring a quick settlement of the NFL players' strike, the third week of the season will be replaced on television by baseball, a movie and a

replay of last year's Super Bowl.

If the players remain on strike, owners plan to skip next week's games and resume play Oct. 4 with teams made up of free

agents and non-striking veterans.

In place of live football Sunday, CBS will show a replay of the New York Giants' 39-20 Super Bowl

victory over the Denver Broncos. The telecast will be preceded by an expanded, hour-long version of the "NFL Today," which will focus on the strike.

UIL needs to cut restrictions on summer programs

SEVERAL OF THE ADJUSTMENTS to UIL rules and regulations to be considered in the October meeting of the Legislative Council will impact on the athletic programs of the state's high school significantly. We'll endeavor a brief insight into a few today.

Somewhat frightening is the first one on the agenda. A philosophical statement to provide direction and consistency for off-season and summer regulations. If taken with the attitude of protecting the student in extracurricular activity (not just the athletes but all UIL participants) and giving them the freedoms of all other students, fine. But if an action is taken to further restrict those freedoms, and further separates them from what non-activity students can do, it is wrong.

For example, they might bar using school weight-room facilities, private lessons for music students, employment as interns by journalism students. The list could be endless with the "children belong to the state" attitude already in place among many in the bounty-hunting education industry.

Rather than barring students from improving themselves,

rules governing non-school month activities should be eased. Pampa basketball coach Robert Hale has received a special invitation from the UIL to address the Council about that very point on another of the matters under consideration, summer training camps. His presentation should include a lesson in geography for the members who think everyone has access to city bus transportation.

But one rule being considered that sad to say, is definitely needed, prohibits school systems from forcing students to participate in one interschool sport as a prerequisite for participation in another school sport. That method of conscription has been going on for years in Pampa and probably most other schools in the state, primarily below high school level at the introductory stage to organized athletics. It is a rule that shouldn't be needed, but is because overzealous coaches can't be trusted. Primarily it is junior or middle school football coaches who put the pressure on, intimidating athletes to go out for football in order to play anything else. The reasons are multifold, and all unjust.

Football season comes first

Sports Forum

By Warren Hasse



and almost without exception, every male coach below high school level is involved in the football program. They need every body available, whether volunteered or drafted under duress, to field enough teams to keep all coaches busy. It saves having to set up off-season programs or study halls for non-footballers. You never know how much a small seventh grader might mature physically in two years. Sadly, some coaches simply want to harm other programs. Some want to impress the head coach and/or athletic director with numbers.

Pampa would not need the rule being proposed if Supt. Dr. Harry Griffith's orders are complied with. He emphasized to me in August and again last week that such coercion would not be permitted, and we hope those orders

are being heeded. In seventh grade, 83 boys are signed up for athletics, 68 are in football and 15 in off-season basketball. "We ENCOURAGE them to play all three sports (track the other)," said one of the Middle School coaches, "but we don't tear their arms off if they don't." Asked the rationale behind 'ENCOURAGE', the answer was that the seventh graders are too young to make that decision right now.

They're not too young to start looking at a lifetime career and make major decisions concerning classroom studies, counselors being hired to assist. How is the decision made about which expensive instrument parents are going to have to buy for band students? And if the child is too young to know what is good for them, why not a teacher supervising cafeteria and beating

them until they eat their spinach or brussel sprouts? And does anyone in their right mind really think that a seventh grader and his parents don't sit down and discuss what lies ahead athletically before signing up for anything? Are coaches wiser than family counsel?

Whether it is happening today here or in any school system is up to administrators to ferret out. But the fact is it has in the past, with many cases to support it. Sometimes it comes, too, from peer pressure brought about by coaches leading other athletes into pressuring another classmate. Examples of that case also exist, along with other abuses of athletes who hope to enjoy a sport-playing experience. And one has to wonder what effect upon a young man's attitude toward school and the classroom is made being forced to do something undesired. How pleasant would every afternoon class period be knowing that when it is over you've got to go to the dentist or to jail? He might quit school, as two athletes we know of did here in Pampa.

The answer would be in a bit more understanding and cooperation between coaches and extra-curricular program direc-

tors. A good example of same is in eighth grade, where six members of the band also play football. And one of the most successful basketball seasons in high school saw the top row of an all-state choir filled by those elongated, athletic bodies. It can be done, it has been done...and by making the programs fun and desired rather than forced and hated. It is too bad that the UIL is having to consider a special piece of legislation to prohibit such abuses of our teenagers.

Guilford County, N.C. this year banned football in its middle schools, not just for academic reasons. School officials cited the time involved along with the premature stress placed on young minds and bodies. Cost of football equipment is a major taxpayer expense, too. Football, as any extra-curricular activity, has much to offer young people, if properly administered and taught.

School programs are to learn; then allow the student to implement that learning in any way possible. The UIL needs useable and enforceable legislation to aid in that process. Sadly, as the evidence proves, even in the Texas public school system policing and punishment for abusers is needed.

Outspoken McWilliams hopes to 'dog' Lazbuddie

By JIMMY PATTERSON
Sports Writer

Miami Warrior head coach Currie McWilliams has been looking forward to Friday's game with the Lazbuddie Longhorns for quite some time.

What he is looking forward to the most, perhaps, is the fourth quarter.

"They haven't played anybody into the fourth quarter," McWilliams said. "But they're going to find out what the fourth quarter looks like against us."

The reason for Lazbuddie's resistance to play fourth quarter football is that they quite simply haven't had to.

The Longhorns have managed 45-point leads in each of their first three games this year and six-man rules state that once a 45-point lead is assumed, the game will end.

Three games for Lazbuddie and they have outscored opponents by a combined 174-29 total.

Last week, the Longhorns allowed the Lefors Pirates their first touchdown of the season in winning 56-6.

This season marks Lazbuddie's first in the six-man ranks after dropping down from 11-man last year.

The Longhorns are sort of like the college rank's 'major independents' as they are not yet competing within a six-man district.

"When you play (the team's) they've played this year) you're not playing with the big kids," McWilliams said. "They haven't played anybody good yet. They're going to find out what kind of football team they are this week."

Lazbuddie does have three standout key players—quarterback Tim Lust, tailback

Omar Sanchez and end Pat McBroom.

Lust threw for three touchdowns last Friday against Lefors; Sanchez scored twice, McBroom once. But, the Longhorns managed only 238 total offensive yards against the Pirates. Some would say their offensive output should have been double against the weaker opponent in Lefors.

"They're kind of untested but are excellent at the skill spots," McWilliams said. In order for the 'Horns to even come close to the Warriors they will have to do one thing—stop tailback Shane Bridwell.

It's not often that a football player in any rank scores 19 touchdowns in just three games—but that is what Bridwell has done.

What Miami has to do is shut down Lust and the Lazbuddie passing attack.

"If our pass coverage is good enough to

where they have to run the ball," McWilliams said, "then we'll beat the dog out of 'em."

"The key to winning the football game is can they throw better than we can run? I don't think we're going to stop them a whole lot but they're not going to stop us at all. I just don't think they'll be able to stop our offense. Nobody has yet."

Needless to say, McWilliams is looking for a high scoring game.

"It could easily be 60-56, Miami wins."

"A win this week will do a tremendous amount for our kids. A loss I don't think'll hurt 'em."

And as explosive as the Warrior offense is—160 points in three games for an average of 53.3 per game—don't expect the Warriors to come home with their heads hanging low.

Pigeon race results

The Top O' Texas Racing Pigeon Club held a young bird series recently at Childress.

Results are as follows:

1. Doug Keller, (slate-c), 686.955 ypm; 2. Doug Keller, (red-c), 685.889 ypm; 3. Jim Cantrell, (bc-c), 685.794 ypm; 4. Jim Cantrell, (re-h), 684.103 ypm; 5. Jim Cantrell, (bc-h), 680.998 ypm; 6. Jim Cantrell, (re-c), 678.021 ypm; 7. Jim Cantrell, (sil-c), 673.779 ypm;
8. Doug Keller, (red-c), 657.050 ypm; 9. Walter Thoms, (red-c), 615.391 ypm; 10. Walter Thoms, (red-c), 507.033 ypm; 11. Donnie Winegeart, (gric-c), 374.697 ypm; 12. Marion Waldrop, (re-c), 263.753 ypm.

Cards increase lead in National League East

By RONALD BLUM
Associated Press Writer

Putting pitchers in the outfield seems to be a requirement for winning the National League East.

Last season, Davey Johnson alternated Jesse Orosco and Roger McDowell between the mound and the outfield to help the Mets win a 14-inning game in Cincinnati.

The rare move happened again when Whitey Herzog alternated Todd Worrell and Ken Dayley Tuesday night as St. Louis Cardinals hung on for a 3-2 victory over the Phillies. It increased their lead to 3½ games over New York and four games over the Montreal Expos.

Mike Schmidt hit a leadoff homer off Todd Worrell to start the ninth, pulling Philadelphia within a run. Herzog then moved

Worrell into right field and brought in Ken Dayley, a left-hander, to pitch to Von Hayes, a left-handed batter.

After Dayley struck out Hayes, Worrell returned to the mound, getting Rick Schu to ground out to third.

"The fans like it. It's a fun part of baseball you don't see very often," Worrell said. "The last time we did it, Dayley came in and got the last out by striking out Barry Bonds."

Major League standings

By The Associated Press AMERICAN LEAGUE									
East Division					West Division				
Team	W.	L.	Pct.	GB	Team	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Toronto	87	59	.595	—	Minnesota	87	59	.595	—
Detroit	81	65	.556	1 1/2	Oakland	77	74	.510	4
Milwaukee	83	68	.550	2	Kansas City	75	77	.493	6 1/2
New York	73	77	.487	10 1/2	Texas	73	77	.487	7 1/2
Boston	63	88	.417	20	California	71	81	.467	10 1/2
Baltimore	57	95	.375	35 1/2	Seattle	70	81	.464	11
Cleveland	60	83	.420	13	Chicago	69	83	.450	13

Tuesday's Games
 Milwaukee 7, New York 2, 1st game
 New York 10, Milwaukee 8, 2nd game
 Toronto 8, Baltimore 4
 Detroit 8, Boston 5
 Oakland 10, Cleveland 2
 Minnesota 6, Texas 4
 California 5, Chicago 3
 Kansas City 4, Seattle 3, 10 innings
Wednesday's Games
 Toronto (Flanagan 5-7) at Baltimore
 (Halyan 5-5), (n)
 Detroit (Alexander 7-0) at Boston
 (Hurst 15-11), (n)
 Oakland (Oliverson 9-8) at Cleveland
 (Akerfeldt 2-5), (n)
 Texas (Guzman 14-11) at Minnesota
 (Blyleven 14-11), (n)
 New York (Gullickson 3-2) at Milwaukee
 (Wegman 10-11), (n)
 Chicago (Long 8-8) at California (Reuss 4-4), (n)
 Kansas City (Gubicza 11-17) at Seattle
 (Langston 18-11), (n)
Thursday's Games
 Detroit at Toronto, (n)
 Texas at Minnesota, (n)
 Boston at Milwaukee, (n)

By The Associated Press NATIONAL LEAGUE									
East Division					West Division				
Team	W.	L.	Pct.	GB	Team	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	88	61	.593	—	San Francisco	82	69	.543	—
New York	86	65	.570	3 1/2	Cincinnati	75	75	.500	6 1/2
Montreal	85	65	.567	4	Houston	72	78	.480	9 1/2
Philadelphia	75	76	.497	14 1/2	Los Angeles	66	85	.437	16 1/2
Pittsburgh	72	78	.483	16 1/2	Atlanta	64	85	.430	17
Chicago	72	78	.480	17	San Diego	63	87	.420	18 1/2

Tuesday's Games
 Chicago 6, New York 2
 Cincinnati 5, San Diego 3
 Montreal 4, Pittsburgh 3
 Atlanta 4, Houston 2
 St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 2
 Los Angeles 4, San Francisco 3
Wednesday's Games
 Philadelphia (Ruffa 10-10) at Chicago
 (Moyer 11-14)
 San Diego (Show 8-16) at Cincinnati
 (Power 10-12)
 Montreal (Smith 10-7) at New York
 (Candelaria 8-6)
 Houston (Deshaies 10-6) at Atlanta
 (Z. Smith 15-9)
 Pittsburgh (Fisher 9-9) at St. Louis
 (Mathews 10-10)
 Los Angeles (Hershiser 16-13) at San Francisco (Kuechel 13-7)
Thursday's Games
 San Diego at Cincinnati
 Philadelphia at Chicago
 Houston at Atlanta
 Montreal at New York
 Pittsburgh at St. Louis
 Only games scheduled

Aggies' Brooks named SWC's best defender

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer

Texas A&M's rowdy defense is calling itself "The Wrecking Crew" and the head demolition expert is safety Terrance "Chet" Brooks.

Brooks had 10 tackles, eight of them solo, forced an errant pass and recovered a fumble in the Aggies' 29-12 upset of 10th-ranked Washington on Saturday.

It earned the 5-foot-11, 191-pound senior from Dallas The Associated Press Southwest Conference Defensive Player of the Week award.

Texas Christian running back Tony Jeffery, who rushed for 207 yards on 19 carries and had a 69-yard touchdown run in a 33-12 rout of Brigham Young, was the AP's SWC Offensive Player of the Week.

Brooks was one of numerous Aggie defensive stars as A&M limited Washington to only 20 yards' offense in the second half and minus-11 yards rushing. Noseguard Sammy O'Brien, linebackers Aaron Wallace and John Roper, and back Kip Corington also made big contributions.

Brooks prides himself on talking trash then backing it up. "I like to let the receivers know I'm there," Brooks said. "It's my way of getting into the game. They were inviting us to blitz and I think we gave them more than they could handle."

Defensive coordinator R.C. Slocum said, "We felt, going into the game, that we would have to mix our blitzes to confuse their quarterback (Chris Chandler). We blitzed 70 per cent of the time in passing situations."

"We knew we couldn't match-up physically. So we used our speed. Our secondary which included Brooks got to him (Chandler)."

Chandler has passed for 514

yards against Stanford and Purdue. Against the Aggies, he managed only 11 of 31 for 120 yards.

"Chet personifies our defense in that he can run—and our entire defense is a fast one—and he is a very physical tackler," said Slocum. "I know he likes to talk a lot but he doesn't get obnoxious about it and if he did, he backs up it up with his play."

Brooks moved to strong safety in the spring after playing cornerback in 1986. He rehabilitated in 1985 after a knee injury suffered against Baylor.

He made 80 tackles, fifth best on the team, and was second on the squad in pass breakups with 11.

"Moving him to strong safety will help us tremendously because it puts him around the ball more," said A&M secondary coach Curley Hallman. "He loves to play the game as much as anyone we've got."

At Dallas Carter High School, Brooks was a Parade Magazine All-American.

"Roper and I came up with the name of 'wrecking crew' for our defense," Brooks said. "I think it fits. At least Washington thinks it does."

Jeffery moved into second place in two school career categories. He is now second in career rushing with 2,723 yards and needs only 272 yards to replace Jim Swink as the school's all-time leading rusher.

Jeffery had gained only 120 yards in two games until he found his form against the Cougars.

"We needed to get the ball to Tony more and he responded in a big way," said TCU Coach Jim Wacker.

Jeffery, a senior from Gladewater, said, "You have to give a lot of credit to (quarterback) David (Rascoe). His timing was great on a lot of the pitches out of the option."

Lefty-righty tourney results

Here are the winners of Pampa's Lefty-Righty Golf Tournament, held last weekend at the Pampa Country Club:

First Place
 Ralph Baker and Ken Reeves, both of Pampa, 192.

Second Place
 Ted Jett of Pampa and Bill

Bowhunters Club schedules meeting

The Texas Panhandle Bowhunters Club will meet Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

Anyone who is interested in archery or who would like to learn to bowhunt is invited to attend the meeting.

The topics of the meeting will be target shooting and hunts.

The meeting will be held at the Western Sizzlin' Steakhouse in Pampa.

Jett, 194.

Third Place
 Creel Grady of Pampa and John Beals, 198.

There were 38 teams in the tournament, sponsored by the National Association of Left-Handed Golfers.

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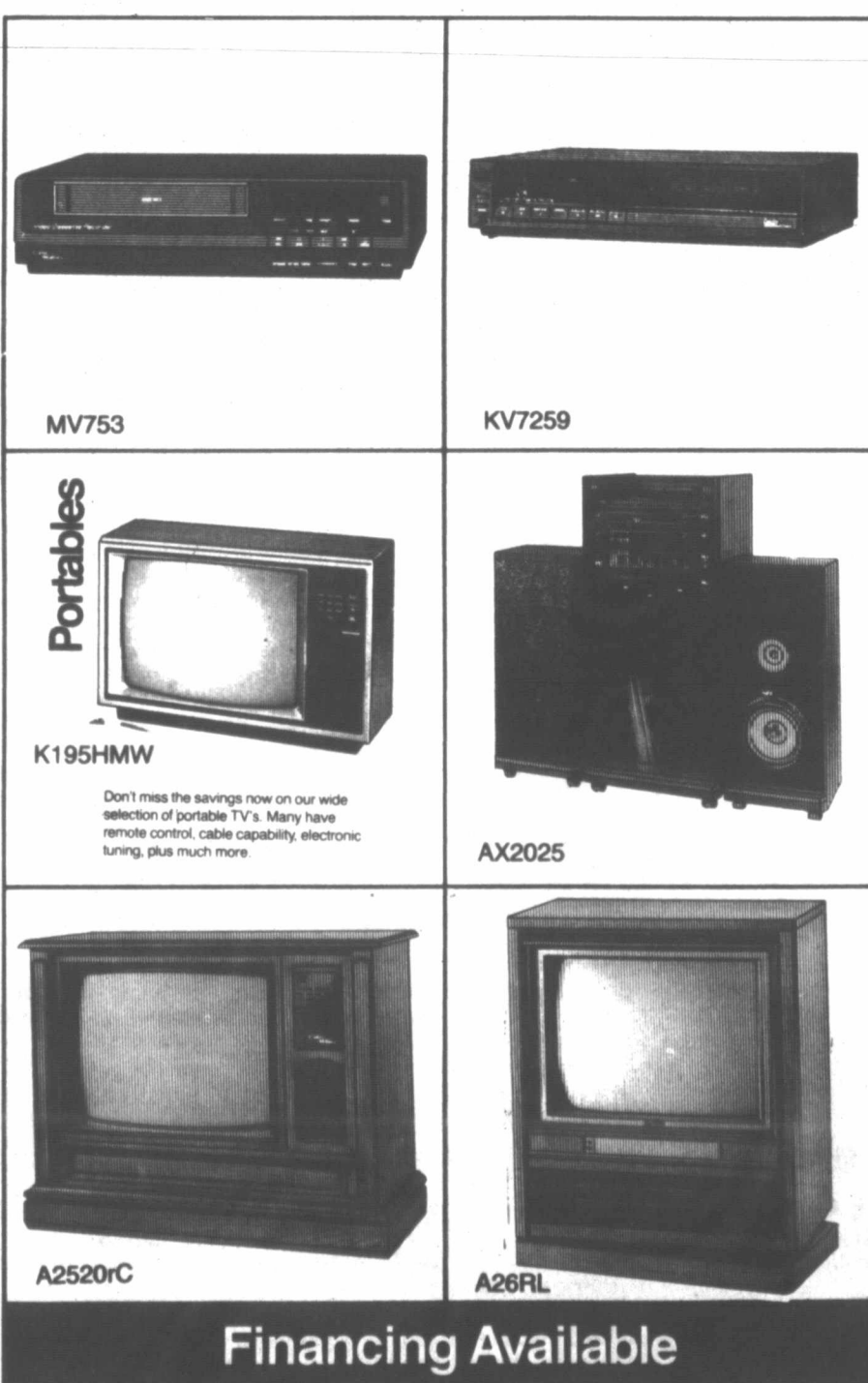
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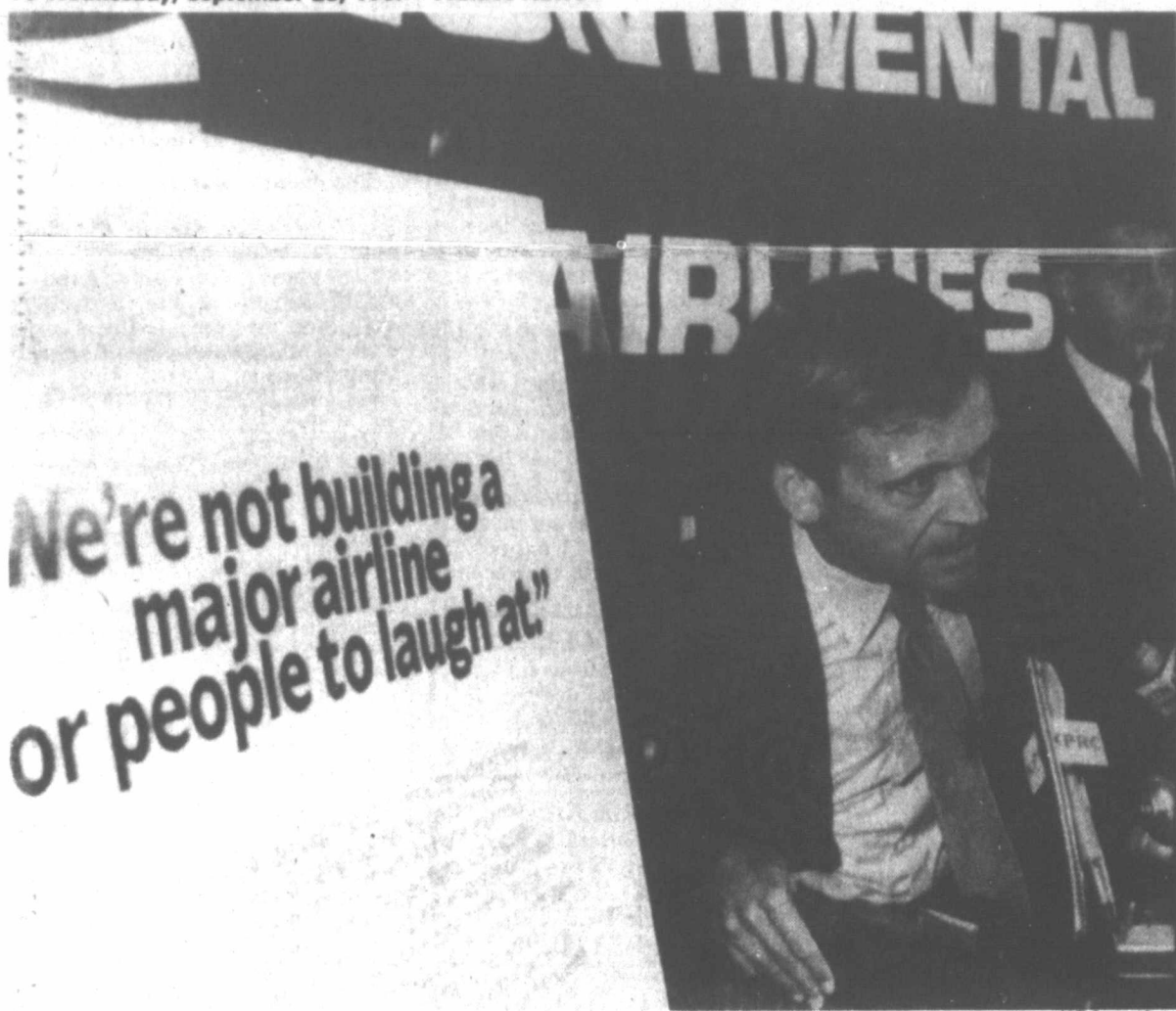
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Lorenzo leans over to get a question.

Continental back on track

HOUSTON (AP) — Explosive growth may have made Continental Airlines one of the most complained-about carriers in the country, but Texas Air Corp. Chairman Frank Lorenzo says his employees are getting the company back on track.

In a pep rally of sorts for about 4,000 employees at a downtown convention center and thousands more by satellite, Lorenzo said the airline wants to rebuild a reputation for quality service with consistency, saying its success depends on frequent business flyers who generate a lot of money.

"We're going to win them back," he said Tuesday. "We'll meet and exceed business travelers' demands for consistent quality and service and we'll continue to lead the industry in offering value to the flying public."

Lorenzo admitted mistakes were made and customers have been lost, but nevertheless praised his employees' efforts.

"I'm proud of all of you because you took the problems head-on under the toughest of circumstances and you came through flying," he said.

"There was rapid growth and expansion. But there were also plenty of growing pains," Lorenzo said. "There were delays, cancellations, lost bags. But that's changing and it's going to keep changing for the better."

Earlier this year, New York Air, Frontier Airlines and People Express merged operations into Continental, a subsidiary of Houston-based Texas Air.

The merger created the nation's largest domestic carrier, and Continental became the most groused-about airline in America as the consolidation spawned a series of service problems and a flurry of customer complaints.

The Department of Transportation reported that Continental topped its passenger complaint list for the first three months of this year, although it had dropped to No. 2 by August with 1,343 complaints behind Northwest Airlines' 1,585.

Tuesday's rally included a high-tech slide show, a performance by the singing group, "Gladys Knight and Pips," and cheers from a special section of employees wearing hats and waving banners. The whole crowd cheered several times dur-

ing the hour-long presentation by Lorenzo, who also is chairman and president of Continental, and other company executives and employees.

About 20,000 people saw the presentations—one held Tuesday morning and one in the afternoon—either in person or by via satellite in Boston, Chicago, Denver, Honolulu, Los Angeles, New Orleans, New York, Salt Lake City, San Francisco, Seattle and Washington, D.C., officials said.

The airline also unveiled a new advertising campaign that begins today in which Continental admits it had problems with consolidating, but says it has improved and is committed to improve its service.

The airline has one ad saying, "We're not building a major airline for people to laugh at."

Lorenzo said the company "didn't do a good job six months ago. The statistics show it and I know it. What we're trying to do in our advertisements is try to try to describe the feelings of some of our passengers."

He vowed to respond to the complaints of passengers and improve the company overall.

"We will be the proud bird again," Lorenzo said, referring to Continental's past slogan as the "Proud Bird With the Golden Tail."

He said Continental already is improving its service. Customer complaints fell 28 percent in August while compliments increased 16 percent, shuttle operations between Newark, Washington and Boston were over 90 percent on time in August and 99.4 percent of the passengers' bags arrived on time.

Continental officials also said the carrier is spending \$1.25 billion this year alone to upgrade airport facilities and aircraft and to expand its fleet. Another \$60 million is being spent on employee training.

"A lot of hard-working people at Continental were pretty embarrassed," Lorenzo said. "But it led to an intensified commitment to quality. And it's beginning to pay off."

He said the purpose of Tuesday's meeting was to get employees together and update them on the company's new programs and goals.

MHMR citizens' panel meets

AUSTIN (AP) — A new citizens' advisory panel on mental health and mental retardation should examine ways to help people whose needs are not being met by the state, the MHMR commissioner says.

Among those in need are mentally retarded people who are not in the state system, mentally ill children and teen-agers, and people who should have residential care, Commissioner Gary Miller said at a Tuesday news conference before the first meeting of the Citizens Planning Advisory Committee.

The citizens' committee, which was appointed last month by the MHMR board, takes its responsibility seriously, said Mike Moncrief, committee chairman and former Tarrant County judge.

"It is obvious that there is a tremendous amount of interest in and concern for the need for additional and improved MHMR services," he said.

"While the needs are clear, we must recognize that the economic constraints facing the state will dictate that the MHMR services both currently being offered and those planned for the future be delivered efficiently and effectively," Moncrief said.

The committee, which will help the department revise its long-range plan for providing services, is

the second to be formed.

The first was appointed in 1985 to help draft the original plan, which includes strategies to put more clients into community programs and to maintain quality services in state institutions for the mentally ill and mentally retarded.

"The emphasis of the department over the last two to three years in the area of mental retardation is to improve services to people who we have identified already and who are in our service system," Miller said.

"Because of litigation demands and other pressures on this agency, our dollars, resources and energies have been concentrated on that group," he said.

"At the same time, we're aware of the fact that there are hundreds of mentally retarded citizens in the state of Texas ... who are out there and who need services just as desperately."

The department is under a federal court order to improve services.

Department officials "have recognized for some time that children and adolescents with mental illness have not been adequately addressed in the state of Texas," Miller added.

The department received a 9.5 percent budget increase from the 1987 Legislature, to about \$1.3 billion in 1988-89, Miller said.

Supporters of English seek referendum

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas Republicans probably will vote in March on whether English should be made the state's official language, but Democrats probably won't get to voice a ballot-box opinion on the topic.

The American Ethnic Coalition, which is pushing the "official English" idea, on Tuesday asked each major party to put the issue on their primary ballots as a non-binding referendum.

John Weaver, director of the Texas Republican Party, said "odds are good" the State Republican Executive Committee will approve the request in November. The SREC last November approved a resolution endorsing the concept.

But Ed Martin, director of the Texas Democratic Party, said the State Democratic Executive Committee considers the proposal divisive and would reject it.

"It's the kind of issue that serves no purpose in our primary. It's relatively superfluous compared to issues voters are concerned about," Martin said.

Each party occasionally puts issues on their primary ballots in the form of non-binding referenda. Sometimes those issues, often controversial, are used to try to attract people to vote in a particular primary.

"This issue is deserving of having a vote taken by all of the citizens because it is of such magnitude," said Lou Zaeske of Bryan, chairman of the American Ethnic Coalition.

It is the position of the American Ethnic Coalition ... that the citizens of Texas deserve the opportunity to express their wishes as to whether they want English to be established as the official language of our state and nation," he said.

Under the coalition's proposal, all official government documents, including ballots, would be printed only in English.

"We have to have a uniting thing in this country to unite us, in as much as we do not all look alike and we come from various ethnic backgrounds," Zaeske said at a news conference. "There is an American culture and our English language embodies that culture."

Texas legislators this year failed to approve a coalition-backed bill, sponsored by Rep. Pete Patterson, D-Brookston, that would have made English the official language. The bill did not get out of committee.

The coalition then urged Gov. Bill Clements to put the issue on the agenda of the summer special session. He declined.

Ortega announces partial cease-fire; Contras cautious

MANAGUA, Nicaragua — The leftist government has announced rough details of a partial truce in its war against the U.S.-backed Contra rebels, and said an influential opposition radio station could resume broadcasting.

A top Contra leader reacted cautiously to the cease-fire proposal, while Reagan administration officials dismissed it as "meaningless."

The announcements about a truce and Radio Catolica, the Roman Catholic Church's official broadcast voice, were the latest aimed at compliance with a new Central American peace plan. In the past month, Nicaragua has allowed two banished priests to return and has said it will allow the opposition newspaper La Prensa to re-open without censorship.

Ortega also has appointed a leading critic to head a National Reconciliation Commission and has said his government would begin talks with internal opposition groups.

"We are going to go in a gradual way," Ortega said about the truce proposal at a news conference Tuesday. "It's the first concrete step to move ahead in the cease-fire process."

He did not specify a timetable for the plan but said: "We are working on concrete actions to make known the first zones where the cease-fire will be declared."

He said soldiers would be withdrawn to designated areas as a step toward a total cease-fire with the Contra rebels, who have been fighting his government since 1982.

In Washington, White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said: "A unilateral cease-fire is meaningless without conditions." He said cease-fire negotiations must involve the Contras — a demand the Sandinistas have rejected.

Alfonso Robelo, a top anti-Sandinista rebel leader, said in Honduras that Ortega's move may be aimed at dividing the Contras by sowing confusion in their ranks.

Political opposition leaders in Nicaragua adopted a wait-and-see attitude.

"It's clever," said Enrique Bolanos, head of the private enterprise organization known as Cosep. "But a unilateral cease-fire is difficult to work out because you need the consent of the other side."

Bolanos and Social Christian Party leader Erick Ramirez said the reopening of Radio Catolica and the opposition newspaper La Prensa represented the restoration of freedoms taken away.

"They were silenced by a totalitarian dictatorship," Ramirez said in a telephone interview.

The government said Radio Catolica could reopen immediately. It was forced off the air Jan. 1, 1986, for failing to broadcast Ortega's year-end address.

The Sandinista government, which came to power in a 1979 revolution, agreed Saturday to allow La Prensa to publish. The paper was closed June 26, 1986, a day after the U.S. Congress approved \$100 million in aid for the rebels.

The Sandinistas have pledged to comply fully with the peace plan signed Aug. 7 by the presidents of Nicaragua, El Salvador, Guatemala, Costa Rica and Honduras.

The pact calls for cease-fires, amnesties, democratic reforms and an end to strategic and tactical support of insurgencies.

Those and other measures are to take effect simultaneously in the five countries on Nov. 9, 90 days after the plan was signed.

President Reagan has called the peace plan "fatally flawed" and is asking Congress to approve an additional \$270 million in aid for the Contras.

Names in Public Notice

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: MAGIE LEE JOHNSON / GREETING: You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 28th day of October, A.D. 1987, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. before the Honorable 223rd District Court of Gray County, at the Court House in Pampa, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 11th day of September, 1987.

The file number of said suit being No. 26,116. The names of the parties in said suit are: EARNEST L. MATHIS and wife, PRECIOUS MATHIS as Plaintiffs and MAGIE LEE JOHNSON, a/k/a MAGGIE LEE JACKSON as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being SUBSTANTIAL AS FOLLOWS, to wit: DEFENDANT'S PETITION TO TRY TITLE. If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this 11th day of September, A.D. 1987. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Pampa, Texas, this 11th day of September, A.D. 1987.

Vickie Walls Clerk 223rd District Court Gray County, Texas Sept. 16, 23, 30 Oct. 7, 1987

2 Area Museums

WHITE Deer Land Museum: Pampa, Tuesday through Sunday 1:30-4 p.m., special tours by appointment.

PANHANDLE Plains Historical Museum: Canyon. Regular museum hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and 2-4 p.m. Sundays at Lake Meredith Aquarium & Wildlife Museum: Fritch. Hours 2-5 p.m. Tuesday and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Saturday. Closed Monday.

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ROBERTS County Museum: Pampa. Tuesday through Friday 10 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Closed on Monday and Sunday.

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

ROCHESTER, Minn. (AP) — Evangelist Billy Graham has finished outpatient treatment at the Mayo Clinic for a fractured rib and injuries to other ribs suffered in a fall in a Tokyo hotel room.

The treatment for the 68-year-old Graham was completed Monday after 10 days, a clinic spokeswoman said. Doctors advised him to "significantly reduce his schedule" for the next several weeks, she said.

The injuries forced Graham and his wife, Ruth, to call off a visit to China.

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One-third of Texas citrus industry foreign owned

WASHINGTON (AP) — The notion of owning a citrus grove in sunny South Texas appealed to Maria von Arnim of West Germany, so in 1980 she bought 15 acres in Hidalgo County, spending \$65,000 when land prices were reaching their peak.

A few months earlier she plunked down \$6,300 for a 4.2-acre parcel, joining dozens of West Germans, French, Swiss and other Europeans in a South Texas citrus buying binge that ran from the late 1970s to early 1980s.

As of Dec. 31, 1986, foreigners owned 368 parcels of land totaling 119,300 acres of farm land in Hidalgo County, three times more than in any other county in the state, according to the U.S. Agriculture Department.

Industry officials say foreigners, primarily Europeans — French and West Germans in particular — currently own a third of the Valley citrus industry. Hidalgo County accounts for 87 percent of the Texas citrus acreage.

But the balloon burst for many of those speculators in 1983 when a killer freeze wrapped its icy fingers around the citrus groves of the Rio Grande Valley, causing more than \$100 million in damage and driving scores of small investors out of business.

Not only did the fruit trees get a lethal dose of winter chill, but land values plummeted to a fraction of their pre-freeze levels, prompting roughly half of the foreign investors to get out of the business, according to industry sources.

"My mother invested in the property without seeing it, as did many other Germans through a German investment company, which I won't name," said Mrs. von Arnim's son, who asked that his name not be published.

"At that time (in the late 70s and early 80s), there wasn't much security investing in Germany, so a lot of people bought American property, farms, citrus groves, offered by investment companies here. There were ads in all of the papers for these things."

"It was not a professional investment. I wouldn't invest in anything that far away without seeing it. In the future, all investments (by the family) will be with a reliable company."

He said his mother will probably hang on to the property in hopes that values go back up, "but it's a mess in Texas right now."

Gerhard Gloy, an agriculture attache at the

West German Embassy in Washington, said his countrymen were attracted to the Valley by a combination of low interest rates and faith in the value of American citrus land.

With land prices in the Rio Grande Valley at their lowest in years and interest rates relatively low, some industry officials feel the time is ripe now for renewed investment, both foreign and domestic.

"There's been an awful lot of the foreign investors who've gotten out of the business," said Ray Prewett, vice president of Texas Citrus Mutual in McAllen. "But some new parties have come in since the freeze."

Four years after the trees froze to their roots, productive acreage is still only 30,000 acres as compared to a pre-freeze level of 69,000 acres. Growers expect a harvest this year equivalent to only 25 percent of pre-freeze production.

Mobile home parks now stand on land where ruby red grapefruit once grew and 19 percent of the citrus acreage is now overrun with weeds and rotting trees abandoned by their owners, many of whom bought at a time when land prices were at \$6,000 to \$7,000 an acre, according to industry officials.

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"I'd say that the majority of that idle land is from the foreign owners, a lot of whom, quite frankly, just walked away from it," Prewett said.

A buyer now can purchase some of that land for less than \$1,000 per acre.

"Property sales are still dragging, but they are starting to pick up a little," said Robert Davis of Davis Real Estate in Weslaco. "We're getting U.S. citizens buying and some Europeans."

A strong market exists for the sweet Texas red grapefruit and Valencia oranges, not only domestically but overseas, according to Les Whitlock, manager of the Texas Valley Citrus Committee.

Florida citrus producers sent record amounts of fruits to Europe and Japan last year and the market is expected to continue expanding, Whitlock said.

Trees planted after the freeze should begin producing in earnest in the 1988-89 season and a staggered growth will continue in the coming years, which will help vault Texas growers back into the global market, he said.

We're looking for a rebuilding of the industry on a steady course, but we're not looking to overplant.

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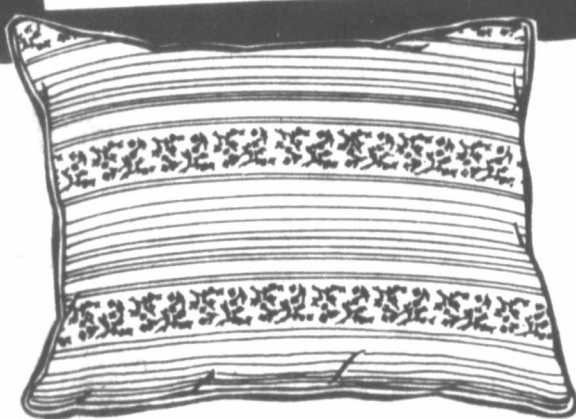
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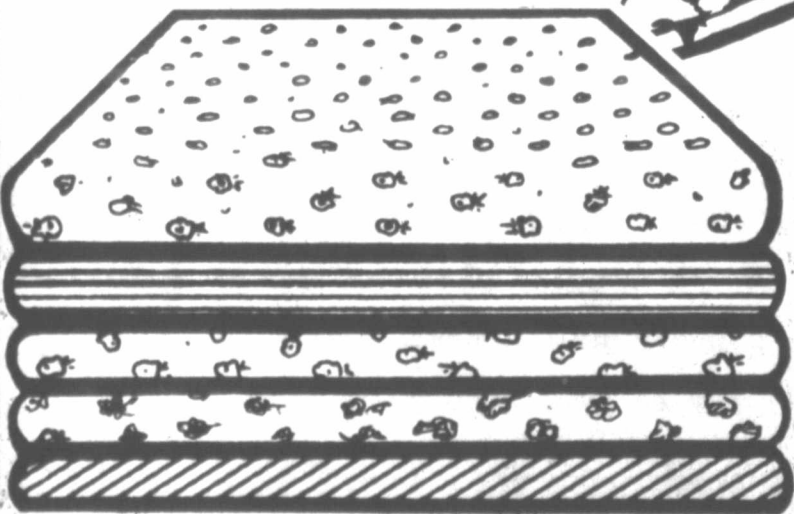
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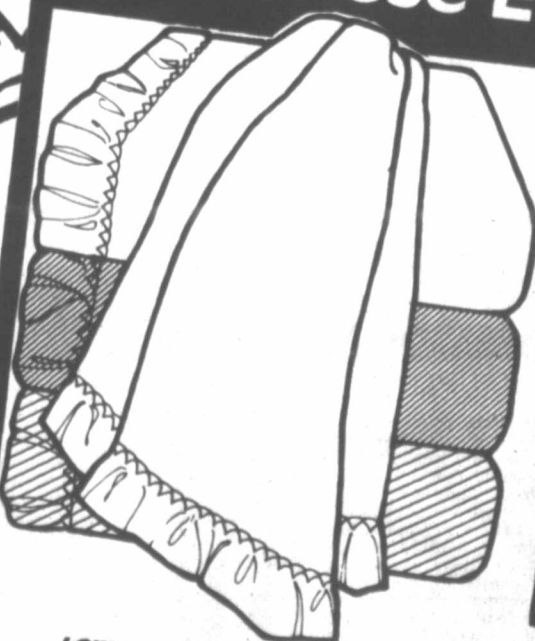
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