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Robert Bass acquires California thrift.

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Team feels crash cause can be found

GRAPEVINE (AP) — Despite conflicting evidence and a crew member with amnesia, federal investigators say they are confident they will determine what caused a Delta jetliner to crash on takeoff.

Wreckage work continued today on Delta Flight 1141, which went down trying to take off from Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport last Wednesday, killing 13.

Most members of the National Transportation Safety Board team investigating the accident, which 95 people survived, have returned to Washington.

"A good number are there that are just finishing up in terms of collecting, typing up their notes," said Mike Benson, NTSB spokesman. "This is a difficult accident."

A group of investigators must still interview the plane's pilot, Capt. Larry Davis, he said.

Davis was scheduled to undergo facial surgery at Parkland Hospital in Dallas today and may not be ready for questioning for several days, officials said.

The NTSB learned much from flight engineer Steven Judd, but 1st officer Wilson Kirkland told officials he has no recollection of the accident.

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— Mike Benson, NTSB spokesman

Nevertheless, NTSB member Lee Dickinson on Monday said, "I still think we will be able to collect enough information to get at why this accident happened."

The cockpit of the Boeing 727 remained covered in blue tarpaulin Monday. Benson said it will soon be taken to a hanger for storage. The left wing of the Boeing 727 was sheared in half and hauled away by a bulldozer.

"Right now it's wreckage work, preparatory to the NTSB's releasing it to Delta," said Joe Dealey, spokesman for Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport.

Benson said he was unsure when the fuselage would be removed and where it would go, but said it would be inspected to determine the condition of the passenger seats and the extent of fire damage they suffered.

Investigators take with them evidence indicating that the wing flaps were completely or almost completely retracted. But they also were told by Judd the crew believed the wing flaps were extended in the proper position for takeoff.

A cockpit voice recording captured a crew member saying "engine failure" just before the crash, but officials aren't sure engine trouble caused the crash.

"When someone says engine failure there are a whole host of things that might mean," Dickinson said.

Bakker struggles to buy back PTL

COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) — With the deadline today, PTL founder Jim Bakker was $1 million short in his bid to buy back the ministry he left in a sex-and-money scandal, but vowed to leave no stone unturned in coming up with the money.

Bakker and his attorney, Jim Toms, said Monday they're certain supporters will donate the money needed to satisfy PTL bankruptcy trustee M.C. "Red" Benton, who wanted $3 million toward Bakker's $165 million bid by the end of the day.

"To come up with $3 million in a holiday weekend I had to pray and say, 'God help me,'" Bakker said.

He said friends and acquaintances contacted by word-of-mouth had contributed close to $2 million in cash and letters of credit toward the $3 million.

"We are sort of running our own Labor Day telethon without a television station," he said. "I'm not going to leave any stone unturned. I'm not going to stumble now."

Bakker said a group of people was working on raising the remaining $1 million in thousand-dollar pledges and he has set up a trust account at a Hendersonville, N.C., bank to accept donations. Those donations would be used only if he and his wife, Tammy Faye, succeeded in purchasing the ministry, he said.

Benton asked for the money as a sign of Bakker's ability to follow through on his offer for the Heritage USA Christian theme park, a satellite TV network and undeveloped property near the Fort Mill ministry.

Bakker leads the bidding for the assets of the ministry that went into bankruptcy protection soon after he left in March 1987. Bakker stepped down after admitting to a sexual encounter with church secretary Jessica Hahn and after the ministry paid her hush money.

Benton said Friday he was "very, very skeptical" Bakker could come up with the $3 million by the deadline. Calls to his Winston-Salem, N.C., home Monday went unanswered.

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Observers feel fight over film boosting Christian right

By JOHN HORN

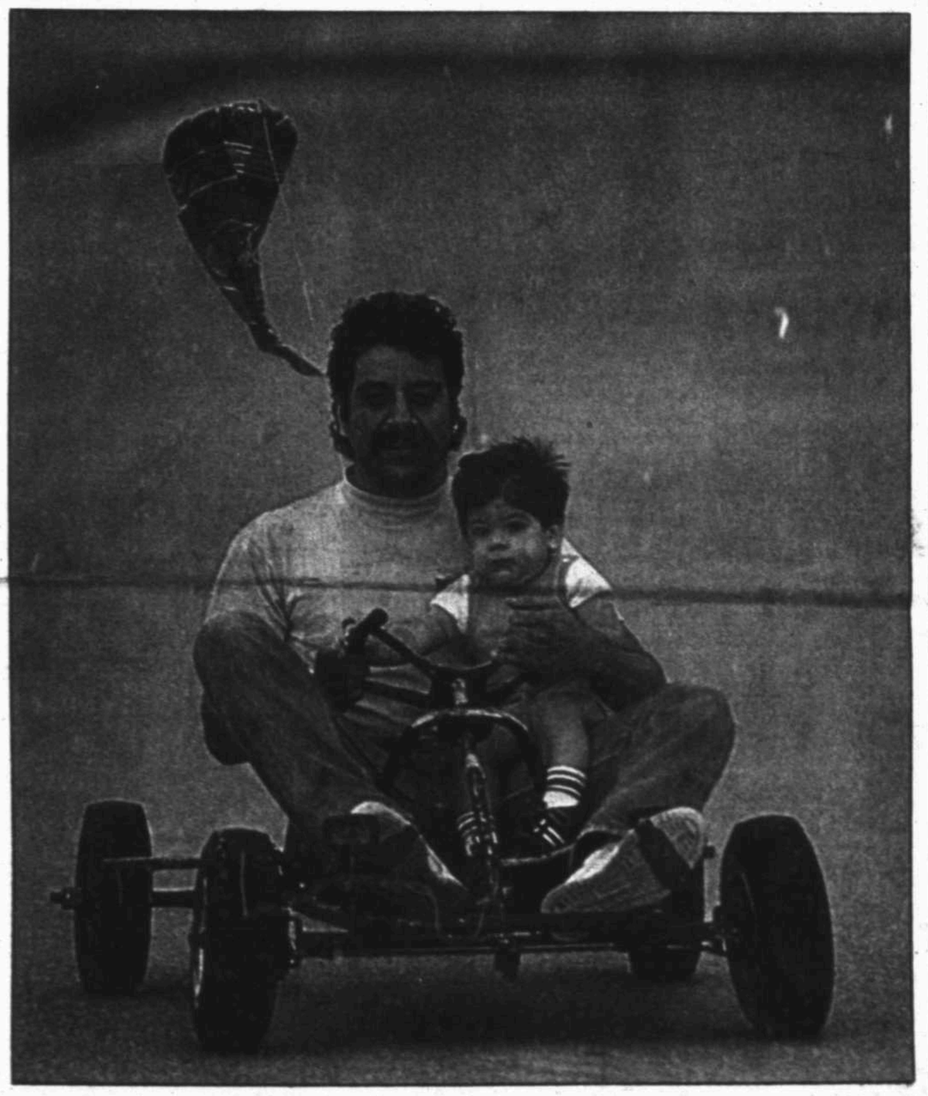
HOLLYWOOD (AP) — "The Last Temptation of Christ" has proven to be a blessing for conservative Christians.

Denounced by its critics as blasphemous and profane, the movie about a Jesus with human frailties not only has energized the Christian right; it has revived stagnant fund-raising, Christian leaders say.

The movie "has helped our ministry more than anything else before," said the Rev. Donald Wildmon, leader of the American Family Association. Said Don Beehler, director of communications for Campus Crusade for Christ: "This gives us a wonderful opportunity to talk about the real Jesus Christ. ... We're taking lemons and making lemonade."

At the same time, filmgoers are not avoiding the movie, as Christian leaders had hoped. In fact, the controversy seems to have prompted more people to see it.

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Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

On the go

Pete Tucker and his son Carlos, 1, motor around Midland on their homemade go-cart.

El Pasoan hit by bullet fired at policemen

EL PASO (AP) — A man who heard gunshots and looked out his window was hit in the right cheek by a bullet fired at two police officers, authorities said.

Dionicio Roman, 26, was in stable condition this morning at Thomason Hospital, officials said.

The officers were not hit in the Monday morning incident, and a 17-year-old boy was arrested a few minutes later and charged with one count of attempted capital murder and two counts of attempted capital murder, said Lt. Paul Saucedo.

The boy was held in El Paso County's jail in lieu of $250,000 bail.

Saucedo said officers Efrain Griego and Thomas Duran were sent to Roman's south El Paso neighborhood about 1:30 a.m. Monday to investigate a report of vandalism to automobile windows. As they were investigating, someone began shooting at them, Saucedo said.

The officers did not fire, Saucedo said.

Roman was struck after he looked out the window to see what was going on, Saucedo said.

The shooting suspect was arrested two blocks away soon after Griego and Duran radioed for help and described the assailant, police said.

Saucedo said investigators don't know why Griego and Duran were fired upon or whether the suspect was involved in smashing car windows.

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Weather

Clear and cooler tonight; low in the mid-50s. Details on Page 2A.

Service

Delivery	682-5311
Classified Ads	682-6222
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Street work most expensive part of bond package

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the second of a four-part series on the city bond election, slated for Sept. 17. This installment deals with the streets issue.

By CHRIS VAN WAGENEN
Staff Writer

CITY
a five-year blueprint
BONDS
Part 2

They are a pathway to work — a pathway to home — main streets, side streets, intersections and lights.

They also are expensive to maintain.

Little wonder why the most expensive project headed for voters as part of a $17.4 million bond election on Sept. 17 is a $5.5 million street and intersection improvement issue.

If okayed, the issue — one of four on the ballot which can be voted on separately — will cost the owner of a $100,000 valuated home 93 cents a month or $11.17 per year, according to Midland City Manager Fred Poe.

The other three issues included in the bond election deal with drainage, parks and public safety.

Of the 28 street projects planned over a five-year period, the most expensive — as a group — involves $1.03 million for signal light improvements along a number of arterial streets.

"For all practical purposes, we're out of bond money for streets. In all likelihood, if this doesn't pass, we'll probably have to come back to the voters. We don't want to piecemeal this," says Poe.

In agreement was Councilman Gordon Marcum III. "It's been six years since we've had a street issue. Many of our main thoroughfares were built in the late 1940s, early 1950s ... they need to be ugraded.

"Streets are the largest, single investment in this community," commented Mayor Carroll Thomas. "They need to be maintained"

Lighting the way

Included in its proposal are signals located in the city's central business district, Big Spring Street, Andrews Highway, Midland Drive, Midkiff Road, A Street, Wall Avenue, Florida Avenue and U.S. Highway 80 at Bankhead Highway and again at Fairgrounds Road.

Under its proposed plan, the city says that in order to synchornize its current system, new controllers will have to be installed at 66 traffic lights, according to Poe.

Motorists are all too familiar with the start-stop situation that now exists along Big Spring and Andrews Highway. Poe says the contractor selected by the state to install those controllers a few years ago has since gone out of business. Now, Midland is scrambling for spare parts, purchasing them from other cities.

"We (the city) want to take bids from companies that are going to be around a while. This contractor was small, but he was selected (by the state) because he was the lowest bidder."

Other controllers and lights must be replaced just because of their age. City officials want to install a number of solid-state signals in place of an outdated electro-mechanical system.

"A lot of these are vintage 1950s lights," said Thomas. "There are a lot of advantages to updating these. By sychronizing them, fuel will be saved and there will be less wear and tear on cars and streets."

Lights would be updated on Andrews Highway from Midland Drive to Wall Street; on Midkiff Drive from Illinois Avenue to Loop 250 North; on Midland Drive from Highway 80 to Loop 250 North; and Wadley Avenue from A Street to Loop 250 West.

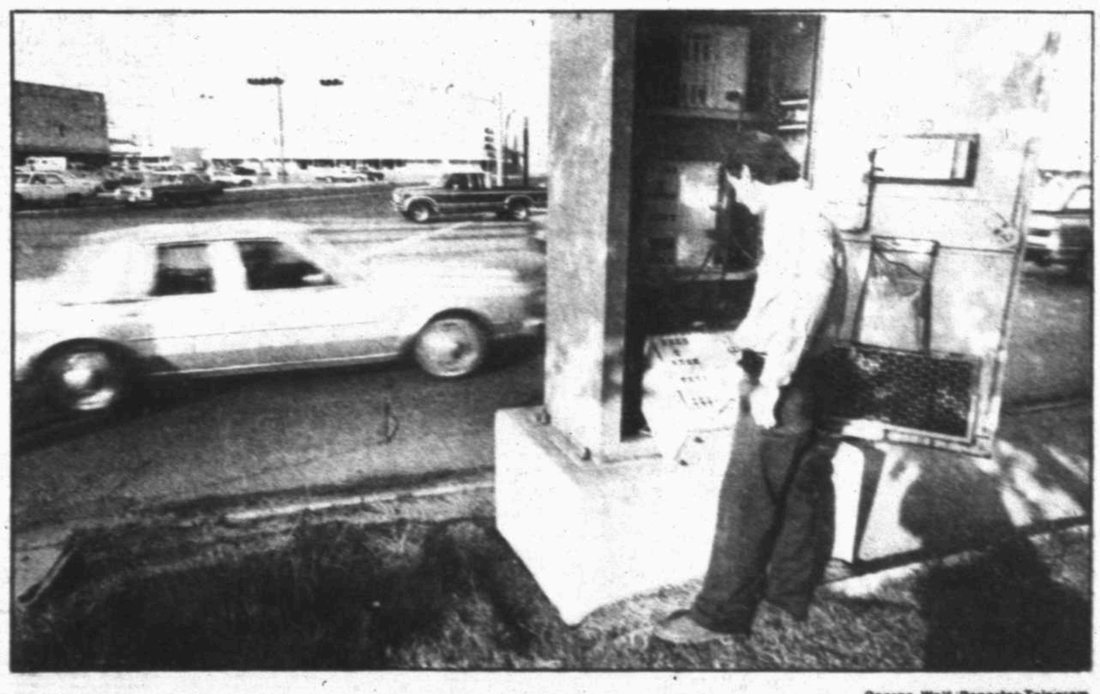
Also, Big Spring from Louisiana Avenue to Loop 250 North; A Street from Michigan Avenue to Wadley Avenue; Wall Street from A Street to Midkiff Drive; three lights along Florida Avenue; and in the central district, every block from A Street to Baird Street.

Poe said new traffic signals will be installed at three intersections. They are Highway 80 at Bankhead Highway, Highway 80 at Fairgrounds Road and Big Spring Street at Airpark Drive.

"Part of it will be updating the controllers so we can time them with other lights," said Poe. "But a good portion of the work will involve putting (light trips) loops in the turning lanes.

Poe said the loops will allow better traffic flow, particularly at intersections that aren't as dependent on a steady green like Midland and Midkiff drives — both heavily traveled thoroughfares.

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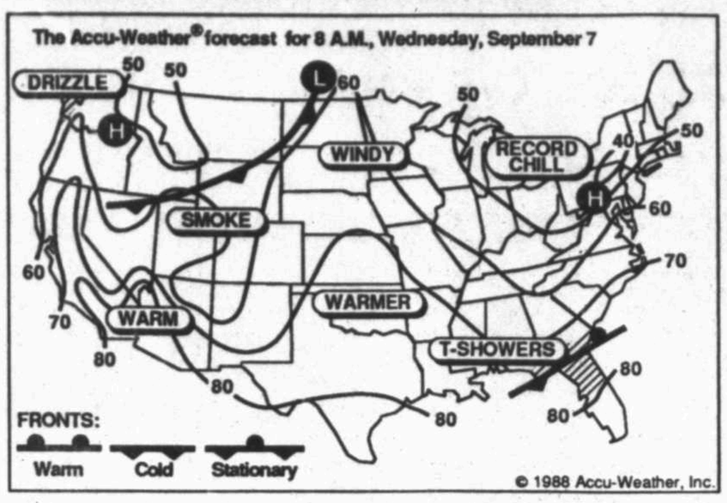


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City signal technician Ray Purdy works on a control box at the intersection of Illinois Avenue and Andrews Highway. Under the proposed bond election, the city would spend $5.5 million to synchronize lights as well as upgrade streets and intersections. The issue is one of four contained in a $17.4 million package scheduled to go before voters Sept. 17.

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WEATHER SUMMARY



Cooler temperatures anticipated

Clear skies and cooler temperatures will dominate the weather tonight, according to the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport. The low will be in the middle 50s, and winds will be out of the southeast 5-10 mph.

Wednesday is expected to be sunny and a little warmer with the high reaching into the lower 90s. Winds will be out of the south 10-15 mph.

Monday's high of 82 was 22 degrees cooler than the record high of 104 set for that date in 1948. The overnight low of 57 was one degree warmer than the record low of 56 set for this date in 1973.

STATE

Pleasant weather was expected to continue across all of Texas through Wednesday as the state's weather remained under the influence of a high pressure system.

The high pressure system, located over the mid-Mississippi Valley, pumped cool, dry air into the state.

Temperatures dipped to fall-like levels around the state at dawn today.

There were a few high level clouds around the state, but skies were mostly clear.

Forecasts called for sunny skies and slightly warmer temperatures through Wednesday.

Lows tonight will be in the 50s over most of West Texas except in the Big Bend area where readings will be in the 60s, in the lower 60s in North Texas and in the 50s in the Hill Country and in the 60s and 70s over the rest of South Texas.

Highs Wednesday will be in the 80s and 90s in West Texas, low to mid 90s in West Texas, and in the 80s and 90s in South Texas.

Early morning temperatures were mostly in the 60s, ranging from the 50s in the mountains of West Texas to the lower 70s in Southeast Texas. Extremes ranged from 49 at Marfa in the Davis Mountains to 71 at Houston.

Other early morning temperatures around the state included 53 at Amarillo, 63 at Wichita Falls, 66 at Fort Worth, 69 at Austin, 65 at San Antonio, 67 at Corpus Christi, 65 at Brownsville, 61 at San Angelo, 58 at Lubbock, 59 at Midland and 53 at El Paso.

NATION

Canadian air spread cool, autumn-like temperatures from the northeast Plains to the Northern Atlantic coast and into central Appalachia today.

Showers and thunderstorms formed along a stationary front over southern Georgia and Florida, producing locally heavy rain. Savannah, Ga., and Charleston, S.C., received just over two-thirds of an inch of rain in the six hours ended at 2 a.m. EDT.

Skies continued to be smoky over Wyoming, southern Montana and Idaho because of forest fires, reducing visibility to as little as 3 miles in some locations Monday.

Early morning temperatures dropped into the upper 30s in northeast Minnesota and parts of Upper Michigan, and frost advisories were issued for much of Wisconsin and parts of Minnesota.

Temperatures were in the 40s from the northeast Plains across the Great Lakes and into New England, and stretching south through the Ohio Valley and into the central Appalachians.

The temperature dropped to 41 degrees at Binghamton, N.Y., a record low for the date.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Tonight: Clear and cooler with the low in the middle 50s, winds southeast 5-10 mph. Wednesday: Sunny and slightly warmer with the high in the lower 90s. Southerly winds 10-15 mph.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	82 degrees
Overnight Low	57 degrees
Sunset today	8:07 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:28 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	0 inches
This month to date	2.96 inches
Year to date	15.65 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 a.m.	53	6 p.m.	77
7 a.m.	54	7 p.m.	72
8 a.m.	59	8 p.m.	71
9 a.m.	66	9 p.m.	71
10 a.m.	73	10 p.m.	69
11 a.m.	76	11 p.m.	66
noon	77	midnight	67
1 p.m.	78	1 a.m.	64
2 p.m.	79	2 a.m.	62
3 p.m.	80	3 a.m.	61
4 p.m.	81	4 a.m.	59
5 p.m.	80	5 a.m.	58
		6 a.m.	57

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Pcp
Abilene	87	59	
Alice	90	65	
Amarillo	80	51	
Austin	92	68	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	87	63	
Beeville	93	65	
Brownsville	87	64	
Bryan-College Station	91	62	
Childress	85	59	
Corpus Christi	89	66	
Cotulla	91	65	
Dalhart	79	49	
Dallas	87	68	
Del Rio	89	65	
El Paso	78	52	
Fort Worth	89	61	
Galveston	84	73	
Hondo	91	64	
Houston Hobby	88	68	
Junction	90	52	
Kingsville	90	66	
Laredo	90	68	
Longview	83	61	
Lubbock	81	58	
Lufkin	87	57	
Marfa	74	45	
McAllen	93	66	
Midland-Odessa	82	57	
Mineral Wells	88	58	
Palacios	87	66	
San Angelo	87	57	
San Antonio	91	62	
Stephenville	87	56	
Texarkana	86	60	
Victoria	92	64	
Waco	93	59	
Wichita Falls	86	57	
Wink	81	55	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc.	Otlk
Albany,N.Y.	74	41	.09	clr
Albuquerque	80	56		clr
Anchorage	56	47		cdy
Atlanta	78	57		clr
Atlantic City	76	53		clr
Baltimore	77	49		clr
Boise	90	57		clr
Boston	81	51		clr
Buffalo	66	45	.01	clr
Casper	84	46		cdy
Charleston,S.C.	79	70	.44	cdy
Chicago	64	43		clr
Cincinnati	69	44		clr
Dayton	65	42		clr
Denver	87	51		clr
Detroit	62	44		clr
Flagstaff	76	44		cdy
Grand Rapids	60	40		clr
Great Falls	88	54		clr
Honolulu	91	78	.01	clr
Indianapolis	67	44		clr
Jackson,Miss	83	57		clr
Kansas City	75	43		clr
Las Vegas	100	75		clr
Little Rock	84	56		clr
Los Angeles	102	75		cdy
Louisville	70	50		clr
Memphis	81	56		clr
Milwaukee	62	42		clr
Mpls-St Paul	67	43		clr
Nashville	77	51		clr
New Orleans	82	71		clr
New York City	80	50		clr
Oklahoma City	85	56		clr
Omaha	71	44		clr
Philadelphia	78	48		clr
Phoenix	100	77		cdy
Pittsburgh	64	43		clr
Reno	98	59		clr
Richmond	80	60		clr
St Louis	71	49		clr
Salt Lake City	90	57		clr
San Diego	97	69		cdy
San Francisco	74	53		cdy
Sioux Falls	72	40		cdy
Spokane	96	60		clr
Syracuse	67	44	.02	clr
Topeka	78	42		clr
Tucson	89	68		cdy
Tulsa	85	54		clr
Washington,D.C.	78	55		clr
Wichita	82	53		clr

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Glasscock, Upton, Reagan, Crane, Gaines, Andrews, Dawson, Borden, Martin and Howard counties: Tonight, fair and cool. Lows in the mid 50s. Wind southeast 5 to 10 mph. Wednesday, sunny and a little warmer. Highs in the lower 90s. Wind south 10 to 15 mph.

Sterling, Coke, Irion and Tom Green counties: Tonight, fair and cool. Lows in the mid 50s. Wind southeast 5 to 10 mph. Wednesday, mostly sunny and a little warmer. Highs in the lower 90s. Wind southeast 10 to 15 mph.

Candidates offering differing views

By DONALD M. ROTHBERG
AP Political Writer

Democrat Michael Dukakis and Republican George Bush, offering starkly different views of the nation's economy, headed today into the decisive two months of the 1988 presidential campaign, with Dukakis saying Republicans "love to blame American workers first."

In a speech prepared for delivery to Polish-Americans in a Chicago suburb, the Massachusetts governor saluted the Polish union Solidarity and went on to describe Bush as insensitive to American workers.

Bush was campaigning on the West Coast and President Reagan was hitting the campaign trail on his vice president's behalf.

Ending a vacation at his California ranch, Reagan was speaking in Nebraska and to the American Legion convention in Kentucky before returning to the White House.

Democratic vice presidential nominee Lloyd Bentsen visited a technical institute in Lawrenceville, Ga., where women were being trained to make electronic circuit boards.

"Education is the key ... to see that we restore the United States" as the world's economic leader, he said, adding that the Republicans have presided over a "throwing away of the key of education."

During Labor Day appearances and again today, Dukakis recalled Bush's praise of Soviet tank mechanics during a European trip last fall.

"Send them to Detroit, we could use that kind of ability," Bush said after being told of a trouble-free Soviet tank maneuver. Later, he apologized to U.S. autoworkers, adding, "Hey give me a break; I didn't mean anything by it."

Dukakis said today, "Do you really believe we in America have anything to learn from a society where workers have no rights, consumers have no choices and even Mr. Gorbachev admits their economy is a shambles? Those Republicans in Washington love to blame American workers first."

Dukakis' speech was interrupted for about 15 minutes by demonstrators, who shouted, "What about abortion?" and "Abortion is murder."

Supporters of the candidate chanted back, "We want Mike." Several of the demonstrators were removed from the room by people in the crowd, and Dukakis proceeded with his remarks. His position on abortion is that he is personally opposed to it but believes a pregnant woman has the right to make her own decision.

In an interview published today in The Washington Post, Republican vice presidential candidate Dan Quayle said he saw little difference between Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev and his predecessors. Quayle described Gorbachev's reforms as "nothing more than refined Stalinism."

The Indiana senator said Gorbachev "has a different approach to things and his mannerisms and style are unfortunately pleasing to the West ... unfortunately because I don't think from an ideological point of view he's any different from (Leonid) Brezhnev or anybody else."

STREETS

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Second Wadley dosage

Phase I of the Wadley Avenue construction project is only a lead in to Phase II, where the city has proposed spending $966,000 for a center concrete drainage ribbon and four lanes of roads from Whitney Drive to Godfrey Street.

Poe said if voters approve the street bonds, final phase construction will occur on the west link either in 1991 or 1992. While drainage is expected to improve, city officials say that is not the project's objective.

Midland's goal is to save the road from washing away. Poe objected to critics of the project, particularly those who claim that the road is being rebuilt for the second time in four years.

Poe doesn't dispute that a portion of the road was torn apart, but said the purpose was to install a storm sewer before road construction began; not to rebuild the road.

For the time being, the city plans to add an asphalt coat over the Phase II area until actual construction can begin. If the bond issue fails, there is some indication the city will return it to voters as part of another special election.

Bridging the gap

Midland will have to replace two bridges over the Northwest Channel in conjunction with the city's massive $3.5 million drainage issue. The Texas Department of Highways and Transportation has agreed to foot the bill on a third.

The proposed $650,000 project would take place as early as March of 1989 and is considered critical to head off future residential flooding that would accompany any new developement in that area.

The city has called for constructing two bridges at Haynes and Maxwell drives. "The idea there is to slow the flow of water by deepening the channel to increase capacity," said Poe.

In doing so, the city will have to tear apart two bridges in place, that, up to now, served as a band-aid solution. "We know we're going to have more construction on that side of town and when that happens, there's going to be some more drainage."

Poe said the reason the bridges are not included in the drainage issue has to do with the way the bonds are marketed and sold. "We have sold issues in the past as street and drainage, but because of the size of the issue our bond counsel recommended against it and told us to parcel them out."

Future park way

The city's third largest project, which is contingent on passage of the park issue, is the $650,000 paving extension of Wadley Avenue from Loop 250 West into an SBC Corp. planned development.

The Scharbauer family-owned entity has offered the city 150-acre of choice land for development of a multi-faceted recreation park that would include softball, baseball and flag football facilities as well as pavilions, walkways and parking for 2,000 vehicles.

For the City of Midland, the tradeoff is simple. In exchange for the Wadley extension and for park development, SBC Corp. will donate the acreage. If, however, the park bond isn't approved: "The money just won't be spent for that," said Poe.

Where the little adds a lot

Midland's list of little ticket items run the gambut from dip repairs to intersection realignments.

Among the largest is a $300,000 construction job at the intersection of Illinois Avenue and Midland Drive, where the city plans to straighten the meeting roads and add turning lanes.

"We already have the right-of-way there," says Poe. "When we rebuilt Illinois and Midland (roadways) we left the intersection alone."

In addition to straigtening both approaches, city engineers have proposed widening the area to include four right turning lanes.

City engineers also have planned a number of dip repairs, particularly on roadways where vehicles bottom out at less than 30 mph.

Midland's dips — which serve to channel water at the height of storms — in some cases, exceed necessity, according to Poe.

While the city has no intention of eliminating the miniature channelways, Poe said engineers have proposed easing the grades by widening the channels, thus saving wear and tear on passing vehicles.

Among the streets scheduled for repair under the five year program are: Carver Street at Orchard Lane and at Cuthbert Avenue, $40,000; Carver Street at Golf Course Road, Hamby Avenue and Jax Avenue, $60,000; Garfield Street at Missouri Avenue, $22,000; and Texas Avenue at F Street, $16,000.

City officials also have proposed spending $165,000 to "retie" Illinois and Texas avenues into Lamesa Road, once the state completes Phase I construction sometime in 1990. It also wants to do the same at Michigan and Louisiana avenues, which would extend to Orchard Lane at a cost of $200,000.

About $166,000 has been earmarked for Terrell Street and Illinois Avenue, which Poe said serves as a drainage ditch after heavy rains. Under a proposed plan, engineers would rework that intersection and divert the water into a nearby storm drain.

At Cuthbert Avenue and Midkiff Drive, the city wants to spend $65,000 for intersection reconstruction, including the addition of right turning lanes. Poe said relocation of a storm drain on Midkiff justifies the added expense.

Engineers estimate about $175,000 will be needed on southside at Carter Street, where the city has proposed extending it as a connecting artery from Cotton Flat Road to Big Spring for those living on the southwest side of town who now enter Midland from Highway 80.

Finally, about $58,000 has been proposed to update two other intersections — Tennessee Avenue at Baird Street; and Ohio Avenue at Andrews Highway. Poe said the engineers will raise the height of the Tennessee intersection and plan to remove the island and straighten the approach at Ohio Avenue which parallels Midland Memorial Hospital.

Odds and ends

Among projects of expense that won't necessarily be seen, but are necessary, according to city engineers, are right-of-way acquisitions; funds set aside for miscellaneous paving projects; and construction of a bridge and two crucial box culverts for the northwest section of town.

Midland has proposed spending an estimated $150,000 on right-of-way property acquisitions along South Midland Drive and at the Midland Draw just east of Big Spring St.

But the largest of the acquisitions involve $600,000 for parcel purchases involving the much-hearlded Lamesa Road Project.

Final phase acquisition, which is scheduled for 1993, will involve property parcels from Wadley Avenue to Loop 250 North. Poe said much of the property in Phase III involves business district parcels. "We figure it's going to be very expensive ... by that time, we'll be ready for the state," Poe says.

At South Midland Drive, Poe says the state has agreed to provide an entryway onto Highway 80. "We need to get that land now before someone decides to build on it. We're probably talking about less than 1,000 feet in length."

It also is looking to set aside $575,000 for assessment share programs, whereby the city works with local developers to pave new roads at a share ranging from 10 to 40 percent depending on the road prominence location.

Finally, city engineers have proposed $480,000 in expenditures to locate two box culverts and a bridge at the northwest corner of town. Engineers want to build a bridge and culvert at Norwood over the Northwest Channel and add a culvert at East Wadley and Parkway Drive to address future development.

WEDNESDAY: Parks

FILM

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That price, though, might be a small one for Christian activists. Beset by negative publicity from the Jim Bakker and Jimmy Swaggart scandals, conservative Christians have used "Last Temptation" as a lightning rod around which to organize and raise money.

In addition to bringing together fundamentalists, Pentecostals, Prostestants and Catholics, the controversy makes for a natural fund-raiser: It pits the conservative Christian organizations, which often depict themselves as small and struggling, against a Hollywood Goliath.

The Concerned Women for America, in a fund-raising letter, said, "Your gift of $100, $75, $50, $20 — or whatever amount — is sorely needed. We need your financial help to fight these rich Hollywood moguls." Similarly, the American Family Association has said that those "giving $15 or more to help AFA oppose the movie will receive a one year subscription to the AFA Journal."

"Jerry Falwell has been preaching about the movie for the last three weeks," said the Rev. Robert Hymers, a Los Angeles minister who has been one of the movie's most outspoken critics. "Falwell's doing a tremendous fund-rasing job through the film."

The American Society for the Defense of Tradition, Family and Property used a four-page, full-color attack on the movie to solicit small contributions. "People have put their money where their values are," said Raymond Drake, president of the organization. Drake said that a phone campaign brought in $39,000, enough for a full-page advertisement in The New York Times against the movie.

It also may be true that some Christian-themed organizations are trying to exploit the controversy for less-than-noble purposes.

"I've seen the fund-raising letters. (The movie) has become another hype button to raise funds," said Cal Thomas, a syndicated columnist and former comunications director for the Moral Majority.

Universal Pictures, meanwhile, appears to have benefited from the controversy. By telling people not to see the movie, Christian leaders may have encouraged the opposite response. "Universal is raking in the dough," Thomas said.

Studio officials refused comment.

Although "Last Temptation" is by no means a blockbuster, it has done respectable business for an art film, grossing more than $2 million since its limited release Aug. 12. "It wouldn't have done anywhere near what's it's done without the controversy," said Alex Ben Block, editor of the industry newsletter Sow Biz News. "Although some Christians might have stayed away, many other (filmgoers) went because of the controversy. People say, 'If they tell me I can't go, I'll go.' "

At the same time, production plans for at least one movie with a Christian theme are not being stalled by the flap: "Christ the Man," to be directed by Paul Verhoeven, is in the planning stages at Mel Brooks' production company. Described by company spokeswoman Randy Auerbach as a serious interpretation of Jesus' life, the movie will be "absolutely unaffected" by criticisms of "Last Temptation."

It is too early to tell if the attacks on Universal Pictures will lead to any long-term losses, though Christian leaders are hopeful. "What we're sensing is a lot of people — in the tens of millions — who are now angry at Universal," said Tim Penland, who served as a consultant to film producer Universal Pictures before becoming a leading critic of the movie.

Wildmon and other activists will soon launch a boycott against Universal's videocassette of "E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial," due out Oct. 27.

PTL

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After today, Benton said he would consider other offers to purchase the ministry's assets, including Canadian real estate executive Peter Thomas' standing offer of $113 million.

Benton must recommend a buyer by Saturday to U.S. Bankruptcy Judge Rufus Reynolds.

Toms said although Bakker expected to have the $3 million backing, he planned to ask Benton to accept $1 million in cash and a $500,000 letter of credit.

Bakker hopes to sign a contract within the next two days and take over the ministry and be back on the air within a week.

Bakker said a Midwest bank has agreed to handle the funds from unidentified Greek investors who are backing his offer to buy PTL, and he has several other banks that are willing.

He declined to identify the banks.

"We're almost there," Bakker said, characterizing the past few days as "quite a weekend of emotion."

"The banks will be handling the major loan, this $3 million is more like a performance bond to guarantee the trustee we will pay the lease," he said.

Traffic accidents claim 25 lives across Texas

Associated Press

The Texas Department of Public Safety reports at least 25 people died on Texas highways over the three-day Labor Day weekend, including a teen-ager and a child who were killed in separate single-car accidents.

DPS officials had estimated that at as many as 35 people would die before the traffic fatality count ended at midnight Monday. The count began at 6 p.m. Friday. Last year, 28 people died in Texas during the Labor Day holiday weekend.

Cody Massey, 14, of Quitman, was killed at 12:45 p.m. Monday when the pickup in which he was riding became airborne and rolled over twice, DPS spokesman David Wells said. The truck, believed to have been traveling at 100 mph on a hilly county road in Wood County, was driven by a 15-year-old who suffered minor injuries in the accident.

Four-year-old Corey Box, of Pecos, died Monday of injuries suffered Sunday in a single-vehicle rollover on Farm-Market Road 869 10 miles south of Interstate 20 in Reeves County.

Two people were killed north of South Padre Island shortly after 4 a.m. Monday when a car left the road, throwing the driver and passenger from the vehicle. Driver Israel Antonio Martinez, 28, of Port Isabel, and passenger Angela Danielle Nevils, 24, of South Padre Island, both died in the wreck.

Eugene V. Fuller, 48, a longtime Garland officer, was one of four motorcycle fatalities over the weekend when he was struck by a car while riding through Garland just before 5 p.m. Sunday. He was not on duty at the time of the accident.

Two Baylor students also were killed on a motorcycle outside Robinson near Waco Sunday when the cycle changed lanes on Loop 340 and was struck by an approaching car. And a 22-year-old Pottsboro motorcyclist was killed Sunday in a collision on a farm-to-market road near Sherman.

Eighteen others, including four pedestrians, were killed earlier in the weekend, DPS officials said.

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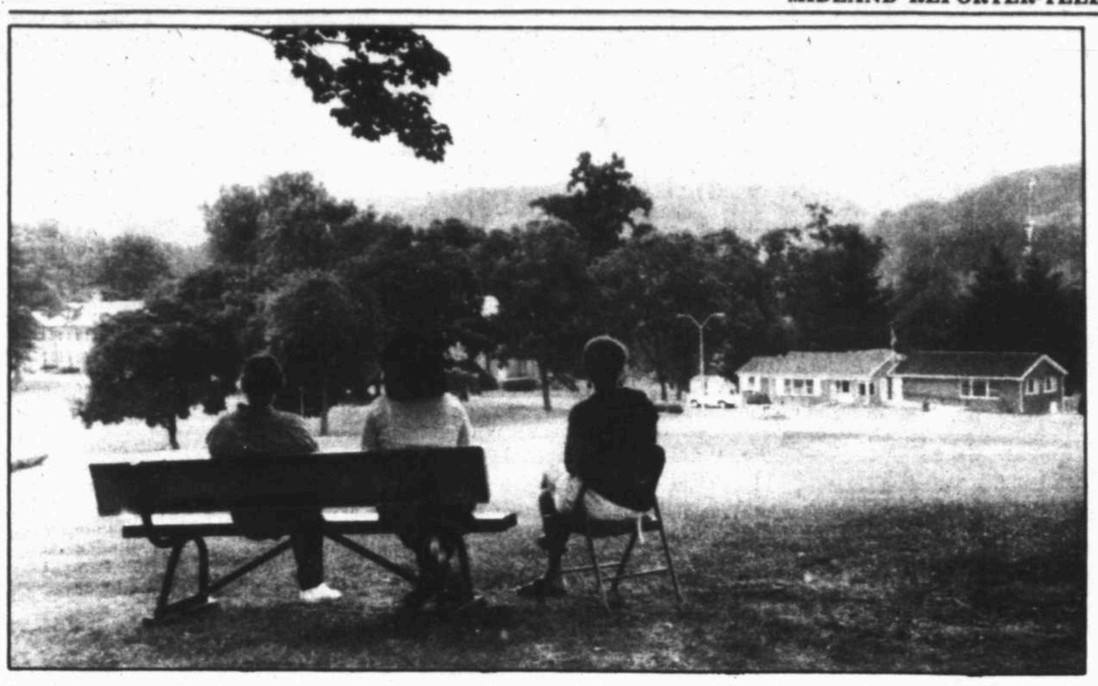
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Inmates relax and chat on a bench overlooking the picturesque grounds of the Federal Correctional Institute in Alderson, W. Va.

Picturesque prison helps inmates forget their crimes

ALDERSON, W.Va. (AP) — Colonial cottages on spacious grounds and lovely scenery greeted Liz when she arrived in West Virginia. A matronly woman held out her arms and said, "Come on in, sweetie."

Come on in, that was, to serve your 30-year sentence in the place to be if you're in that kind of a jam. For this was Liz's welcome to the Federal Correctional Institute at Alderson, the federal government's only all-women's prison.

Here, where the Greenbrier River winds among rolling hills, the affluent come to take mineral waters, and farmers bring livestock to market, Liz curls up on the bed in her tiny private room. There's a fluffy pink rug. Bits of beads and ribbons are draped around the mirror. Snapshots are pinned to the wall, reminders of the daughters Liz left behind in far-off Texas.

Neither Liz nor the prison will specify her offense. "In this place," says Liz, "you can forget."

Not entirely.

"This is a prison," says Jean Gump, a pacifist who took a sledgehammer to a missile silo and must spend eight years away from her 12 children.

The head counts, homosexuality, contraband, snitching, inspections, guards, isolation, lack of privacy, lack of control all are typical of prison life.

Added to that are the absent children.

A social worker says about 80 percent of the women at Alderson are mothers.

"What happens to the children, the families of the women here, is devastating," Gump says.

Things go wrong at home. The children get into trouble. They go to jail. Their mothers sit helpless in prison, cut off by the same mountains that make the view so pretty.

"It is so heartbreaking," another inmate says. "Everyone in the visiting room starts crying. It must be the most intense torture there is — the intense pain of being emotionally helpless."

Liz's daughters are growing into strangers. She copes, she says, by not thinking about it.

"You can't be a mother. You try to be a friend," says Dora Brown, serving life for murder.

Brown's husband ran off with a younger woman and left her three sons to fend for themselves. They lasted a month before they got into trouble and two were made wards of the state. She has seen them twice in the past year.

Sometimes there is sisterhood.

"You'll see it in people that you think, 'My God, they're so violent, they're so cold, they're so everything.' All of a sudden this one woman is going to have a need and then the goofy one you think is so nuts responds," Gump says.

"It is so good. It is just so good. You can't count on it, but it manifests itself."

But mostly the women shut their turmoil inside. If they didn't, Brown says, "it would be a mess around here."

Easygoing as life is in Alderson, compared with other prisons, temptation to escape remains. Charles Manson disciple Lynette "Squeaky" Fromme escaped last Christmas, when she thought her cult guru, also in prison, had cancer and "I just had to get out." She was captured after three days. Fromme was sentenced in an assassination attempt on then-President Gerald Ford.

Another inmate fled in the winter of 1984 to reach the bedside of her ailing father. Her frozen body was found in an abandoned feed store about a mile from the prison six weeks later.

Alderson's warden is Ronald Burkhart. At some federal prisons, he says, you can cut the tension with a knife.

"Here, the tone is more relaxed," he says. "I don't want it to be tense."

He's speaking in his office on a humid, 90-degree day, hotter inside. The warden has his tie knotted, his suit coat on and the air conditioner off. He looks comfortable.

Burkhart plays it cool. Eighteen prisoners escaped the year he arrived, 1984; five fled last year and only one so far this year. "Our first wall is our staff," he says. "Friendly but not familiar." More relaxed inmates means fewer escapes.

When nuclear disarmament radical Helen Woodson tried to "escape" in March, she hung an "end war" banner on the prison fence, walked through the outer gate and poured white paint on the parking lot.

Guards marched her back in. The warden stayed calm.

"She said, 'I escaped, didn't I?' And I said, 'No, you didn't,'" Burkhart says.

Security at Alderson is not oppressive. On the grounds, maximum security murderers, some holding hands, are chatting with minimum-security embezzlers beneath majestic oaks.

The only gun visible is one carried by a guard who patrols the 159-acre penitentiary's perimeter, walking along a chain-link fence that doesn't always keep neighborhood dogs out.

Beyond, however, are the mountains and miles and miles of woods, which make a stroll to freedom much less inviting.

The isolation that keeps prisoners in also keeps their families out.

"The remoteness is a real barrier," says John Vodicka, who with his wife runs a hospitality house for what few inmate relatives make the journey to this rural corner of West Virginia, where Greenbrier, Summers and Monroe counties meet.

Amtrak pulls through Alderson, about a mile down the road from the prison, three times a week. A van brings families from Washington, D.C., twice a month. The only other way is by car.

Last Thanksgiving, Vodicka says, only some 65 of the 812 inmates received visitors.

The geographic isolation grates. Alderson's inmate population is 45 percent black and 24 percent Hispanic. More than 150 inmates are Colombians, and many of the women don't speak English. Most are from big cities.

Their relatives often find the Alderson environment — rural and 95 percent white — puzzling.

It's a tolerant town, however, one of those rare communities that actually wanted the prison to be built there and donated land for it. "I've been really impressed with how friendly Alderson is," say Vodicka's wife, Dee.

Inmates, in fact, march in Alderson's holiday parade. They provide fire protection, too; the prison runs the nation's only all-female firefighting force. Competition is keen among inmates for the tough training required, in part because they then live in a cottage set aside for the firefighters and emergency medical technicians.

The women take special delight in telling about the time they arrived at the scene of a car accident and treated the injured child of a prison guard.

In this rather unusual coexistence, town folk don't worry when the prison whistle sounds an occasional escape alert.

"You just about expect it," says a waitress at the Alderson Livestock Market's coffee bar. "Mostly I never think about it. If it were men, you'd think of more hardened criminals. If a man escapes, you have to watch for it. But women..."

Among the better-known prisoners at Alderson have been Tokyo Rose and Axis Sally, serving time for their World War II activities in behalf of the nation's enemies. Singer Billie Holiday was there once on a drug conviction.

No prison is wholly trouble free. In 1979, inmates complained of mistreatment by guards and inadequate health care. One woman told a civil rights task force that prison doctors didn't discover her pregnancy until she gave birth to twins, one alive and one stillborn.

In 1982, Haitian refugees — held there while the federal government tried to figure out what to do with them — waged a hunger strike and two were force-fed.

Lesbianism is said to be widespread, but as one former warden noted, "Homosexuality in a women's institution doesn't take the same (violent) form it often does in a male facility."

Alderson was unusual from its beginnings in 1927. Inmates in white gloves served tea and presented plays under the first warden, Superintendent Mary B. Harris, who once taught Latin at a girl's finishing school in Chicago.

Both parties predict modest gains in battle for House seats

WASHINGTON (AP) — Incumbents traditionally hold an overwhelming advantage in House races — good news for the majority Democrats this year and a continuing source of frustration for the Republican opposition.

The Democrats, with 256 seats in the 435-member House, say they hope to win an extra three to five slots in 1988. The Republicans, with 177 seats, are looking for a similar gain. There are currently two vacancies.

House-watchers say the modest projections — a maximum five seats plus or minus — signal a year of limited ambitions. But Peggy Connolly, a spokeswoman for the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, disagrees.

A gain of three to five seats is "a fairly bold prediction," she said in light of Democratic failures in past presidential years.

The recent high-water mark was 1964 — the year of the Lyndon Johnson landslide and 37 new Democratic House seats. In 1976, the last time the party won the White House, the gain was one seat. Since 1960, presidential-year losses have ranged from five House defeats in 1968 to 33 in 1980.

With the sky-high safe rate of incumbency, the best opportunities for both parties continue to be seats left open by death or departure. But there are only 26 this year, compared to 41 in 1986.

A dozen of the open seats are currently held by Democrats and 14 by Republicans. Connolly said only two of the Democratic seats — a Florida district represented by Dan Mica and the New Jersey district represented by the late Jim Howard — are vulnerable to GOP challengers.

By contrast, she said Democratic candidates are competitive for almost all of the 14 open GOP districts. But Rich Galen, a spokesman for the National Republican Congressional Committee, said simply being competitive "doesn't turn the tide."

Galen said the 14 districts coming open are traditionally Republican and likely to send GOP successors to Congress. "I won't concede any of those as potential losses," he said.

Despite the advantages of incumbency, which range from heavy financial contributions to cheap satellite time, there likely will be a handful of casualties. In 1986, eight incumbents seeking re-election were defeated. This year, the first was Rep. Ernest Konnyu, R-Calif., who lost a primary.

Some of the endangered lawmakers, like Reps. David Skaggs, D-Colo., and Richard Stallings, D-Idaho, are from swing districts or areas normally dominated by the rival party. Others have been touched by scandal: Rep. Patrick Swindall, R-Ga., accepted a questionable loan from a man indicted for money laundering but later returned the loan; Roy Dyson, D-Md., whose chief of staff tried to limit the social life of male aides and later committed suicide; and Bill Chappell, D-Fla., who has been implicated in the Pentagon procurement scandal.

Reps. John Hiler, R-Ind., John Miller, R-Wash., and Ron Marlenee, R-Mont., are facing rematches against tough challengers. Others considered vulnerable are Reps. Bob Lagomarsino, R-Calif., facing state Sen. Gary K. Hart; and Jack Davis, R-Ill., running against former state Senate president George Sangmeister.

The Democrats are pouring money and attention into a Georgia match that pits attorney David Worley against Rep. Newt Gingrich, the conservative ringleader who filed an ethics complaint against House Speaker Jim Wright of Texas.

Though Democrats say at this point that they do not expect to unseat Gingrich, they hope to keep him at home and on the defensive about his proposal to replace Social Security with a voluntary system and his ties to his district in light of his role as a national conservative spokesman.

Connolly denied that there is any element of retribution in the focus on Gingrich but added, "We want to tie him down. He's a Republican rabble-rouser who we would like to contain in his congressional district."

Women and blacks, with 23 members each in the House, stand to make incremental gains this year. No black incumbents appear to be imperiled and a new black lawmaker is sure to be elected from the Newark seat being vacated by Rep. Peter Rodino, D-N.J.

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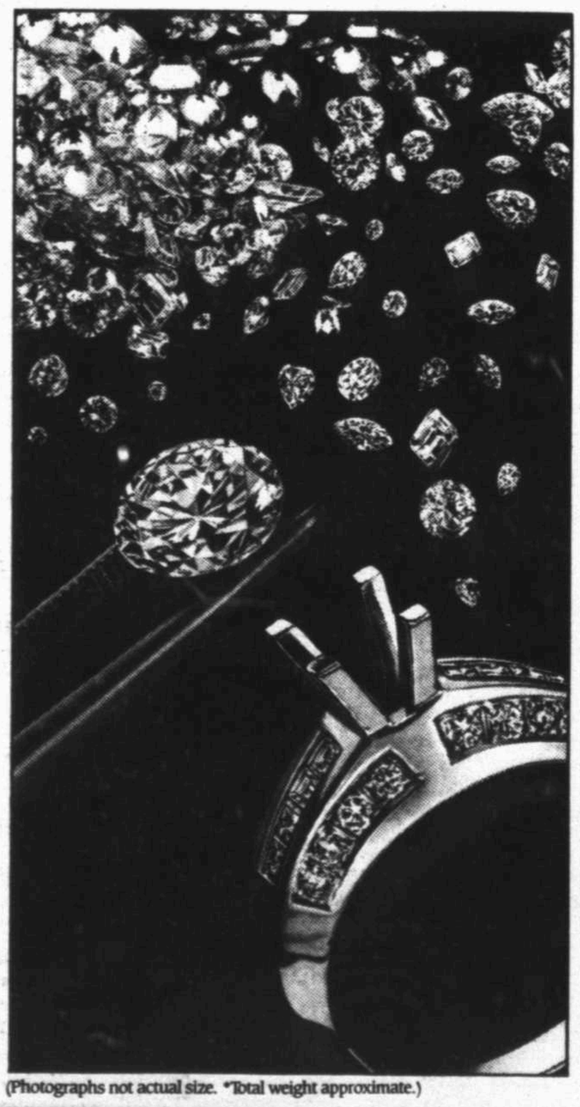
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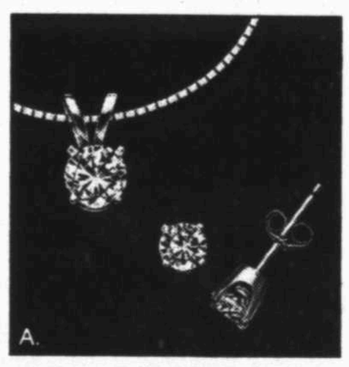
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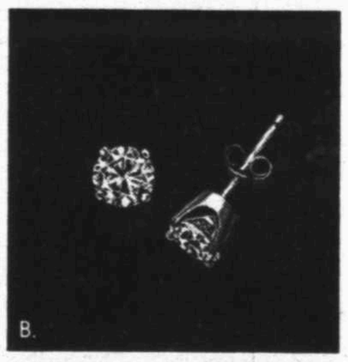
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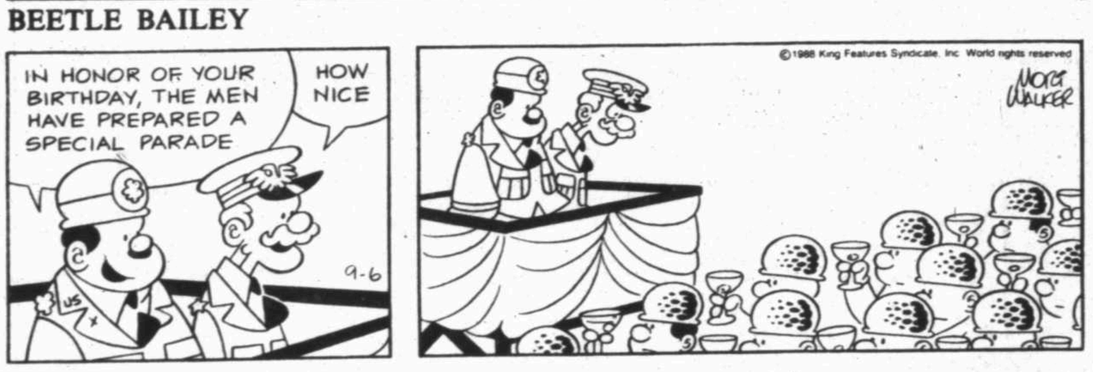
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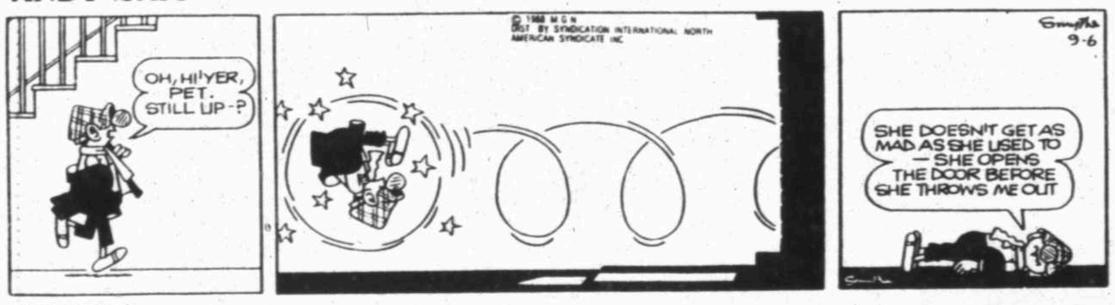
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The new reporter saw dozens of police officers milling outside an old building. "What is going on here?" he blurted. "Not much," said an officer, "we're changing SHIFTS."

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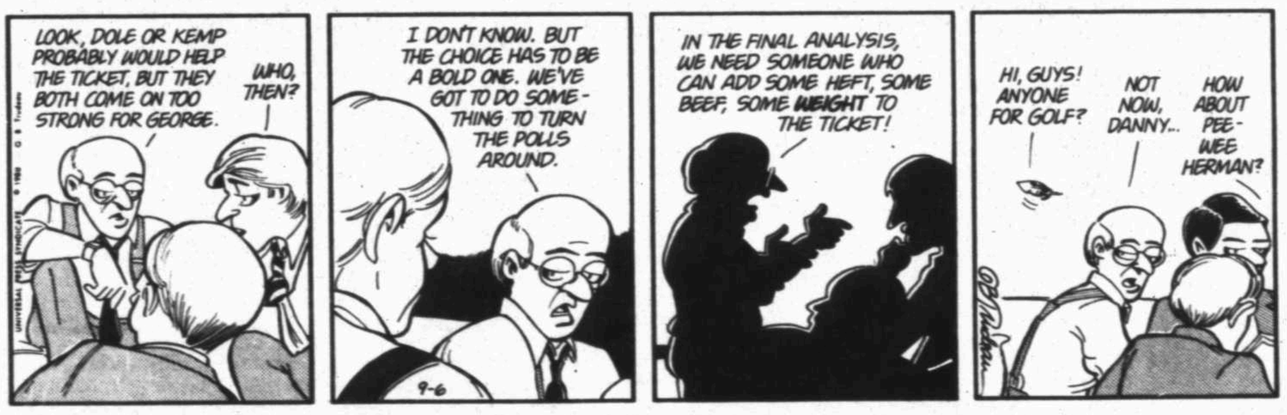
"I can't find my umbrella *anywhere*!"

FAMILY CIRCUS



"SCHOOL IS OKAY, BUT IT'S NO PLACE FOR KIDS."

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TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 6, 1988

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4:00	Donahue	Jeopardy!	Sup. Court	Jetsons	Big Valley	Munsters	Alba Marina	G.I. Joe	Baseball	Read/Rainbow	Scuba World
4:30	"	Current Affair	People's Court	DuckTales	"	Day at a Time	"	Jem	Motorcycles	3-2-1 Contact	Golf Journal
5:00	Family Ties	M*A*S*H	News	Double Dare	Bonanza: The	Laverne	El Tesoro	Good Times	SportsLook	Sesame Street	Ray Alborn
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	B. Hillbillies	Lost Episodes	Andy Griffith	Noticiero	Jeffersons	PGA Tour	"	Ken Hatfield
6:00	News	News	News	Star Trek	Remington	9 to 5	Primavera	Benson	SportsCenter	Money Watch	"
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	Lose or Draw	Day at a Time	"	Steele	Sanford & Son	"	Benson	Baseball Mag.	Innovation	Mike Archer
7:00	Who's Boss?	CBS Summer	Matlock	Black Sheep	The Blue and	Movie: "The	El Extrano Re-	Major League	Surfer Mag.	MacNeil/	Bill Worrell
7:30	Full House	Playhouse	"	Squadron	the Gray	Tin Star"	torno	Baseball: Phi-	Classic Sum-	Lehrer	Major League
8:00	Moonlighting	Movie:	In the Heat of	Movie: "Lace"	"	"	Mi Nombre es	ladelphia Phil-	mer	Nova	Baseball: Cin-
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10:30	Ent. Tonight	WKRP	Best of Car-	Soap	Steele	"	che...No	Trapper John,	SportsCenter	"	Major League
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12:30	Headline News	Night Stalker	Bob Costas	"	"	mont"	Hora del Gane	"	Lighter Side		tros

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7:30	Man in Love"	Pick-Up"	Stories	"	nounced	"	"	Mister Ed	Lombardi	Wild Game	BJ Robinson
8:00	"	"	Movie: "Col-	"	Movie: "Steal	"	"	My 3 Sons	Movie: "The	Fishin' Texas	Dan Schaeffer
8:30	"	"	our in the	"	the Sky"	New Country	"	Donna Reed	White Dawn"	Outdoor Trail	"
9:00	Movie:	Movie: "Star	Creek"	Movie: "The	"	Crook	"	Rowan/Martin	"	Adv. in Wild	Praise the
9:30	"Gotham"	Trek IV: The	"	Living Day-	"	VideoCountry	"	Car 54	"	Woods/Water	Lord
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12:30	"R.S.V.P."	"	"	Nice Dreams	"	"Idaho"	Hollywood Ins.	Rowan/Martin	White Dawn"	Wild Game	E.V. Hill

PEOPLE

Pageant will have new look



Posing in their swimsuits are Miss America contestants, from left, Carla Haag of Mississippi, Laura Ludwig of Delaware, Denise Meyer of Pennsylvania and Dawn Spicuzza of Illinois.

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) — Longtime watchers of the Miss America Pageant may notice a few changes during Saturday's contest, including "swimsuit strolls" and an "improved" final crowning moment.

Bill Caligari, the production manager for the Miss America Pageant, has been testing new ideas in local contests in the past year.

Other changes will be a deeper set on the stage and a Y-shaped runway "that will give us more flexibility in production numbers," Caligari said during a rehearsal break last week.

But a more daring innovation is in the swimsuit competition, he said.

"Instead of standing in front of the judges and 'ankling up,' as we called it, we're going to have the girls do a 'walking turn' and not stop at all," Caligari said. "We're de-emphasizing that 'inspection' image that it had for so long."

The changes in this year's pageant, scheduled to be televised nationally by NBC, came largely from "brainstorming" sessions held in the past year after the appointment of the pageant's new executive director, **Leonard Horn**.

The final moments of the competition will also be different than in recent years, Caligari said. Traditionally, the fourth, third, second and first runners-up were announced, and then the new Miss America was announced from the remaining six contestants.

This year, the fourth, third and second runners-up will be announced, and then, to heighten the drama, the remaining six contestants will be narrowed down to two. The first runner-up will then be announced, leaving the new Miss America, Caligari said.

"The interplay between the two young ladies promises to be good," he said. "We've tested this in some of the states and it's worked well."

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LONDON (AP) — Rock star **Elton John's** treasures, from glitzy spectacles and platform boots to Rembrandt etchings and Tiffany lamps, are up for sale and Sotheby's auction house predicts they will bring in more than $5 million.

The sale catalogue alone costs 40 pounds ($67) and already is a collector's item.

Sotheby's set aside four days for the sale at its London headquarters, starting today, and called on five auctioneers to handle the 1,922 lots.

John, 41, singer, pianist and composer, is selling everything in the collection he put together over 20 years and kept at Woodside, his mansion near Windsor, west of London.

The sale includes John's stage costumes, pinball machines, zany hats, jukeboxes, beer advertisements, tartan bagpipes, soft toy gorillas, art deco vases and statuettes, walking sticks, pottery mugs of Queen Elizabeth II, furniture and jewelry.

There are even clothes that are both fashionable and wearable.

John, a millionaire many times over, rarely gives interviews but prepared a videotape to explain why he is selling his collection.

"People will say I need the money, which is ridiculous," he said on the video. "I just bought things that I liked whether they were cheap or expensive."

"I would rather people bought them and got pleasure from them than leave them sitting in cases ... I am not too old to rock'n'roll but I am too old to wear this lot again."

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NEW YORK (AP) — Mamas, don't let your babies grow up to be restless, says **Willie Nelson**, who blames his wanderlust nature for ruining three marriages.

The country music singer says in his autobiography, "Willie," due out next month from Simon and Schuster, that he prefers the road to matrimony.

Nelson met his third wife, Connie, in 1969. They married, had two children and lived in Westlake Hills on the shores of Lake Austin, Texas.

But they spent much of their time arguing.

"For me the choice came down to staying ... with Connie all the time when I came off the road — which meant giving up all my pals who I hung around with on the golf course or in my recording studio — or never going back to the ... house again," Nelson said in his book.

He chose to leave and the couple divorced.

Nelson, whose hits include "Mama, Don't Let Your Babies Grow Up to Be Cowboys," and "Blue Eyes Crying in the Rain," admits life as Mrs. Willie Nelson would be difficult.

"It's not easy to be married to somebody like me and be a wife and stay home and take care of the family when I'm out here acting like a big star," Nelson said. "I mean, it rubs."

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Manilow

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Pop balladeer **Barry Manilow** says he doesn't hunger for applause like many of his fellow entertainers.

"But don't get me wrong. This is a great job that I've got. I enjoy it and I know there's a part of me that needs that love-me-love-me-love-me stuff," he said in a recent interview.

Manilow concedes that his own time in the spotlight has been sporadic, by choice.

Manilow, known for the hits "Mandy" and "I Made It Through the Rain," is getting favorable reviews with the "Big Fun" tour, a lavishly produced stage show playing around the world until New Year's Eve 1990.

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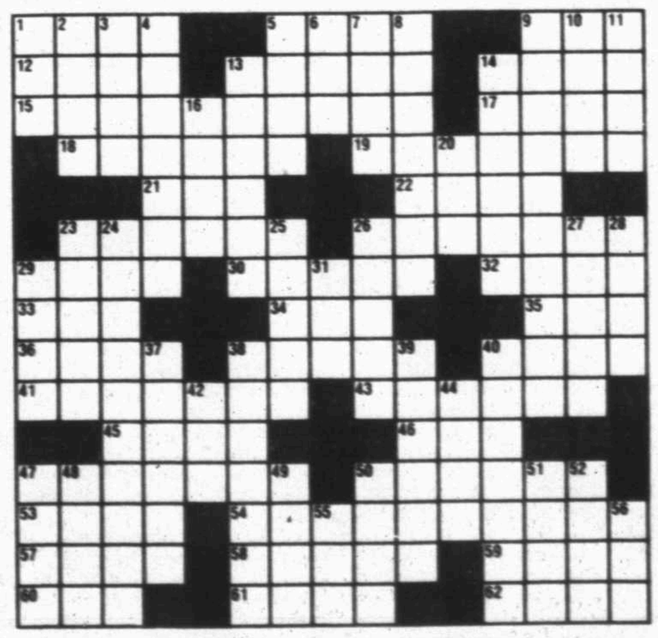
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Thornburgh says no to drug dealers

Officials in 30 nations have learned to say — in unison — no to drugs. This unprecedented, internationally coordinated crackdown on drug peddlers has resulted in the arrest of more than 1,200 people, the seizure of 11 tons of marijuana and 118,000 coca plants, and the closure of 13 cocaine laboratories.

Not a bad month's work.

Much of the credit for the successful anti-drug campaign must go to Attorney General Richard Thornburgh who only settled into his new post a few weeks ago. It would be easy for Thornburgh to put his feet up on the desk and use the spot he has found for the final few months of the Reagan administration to merely add luster to his resume.

Not Thornburgh. He's obviously decided to use those last few months to team up with officials of 29 nations, including many in South and Central America, to send a message to the drug dealers that they are not wanted anywhere on this planet.

A lot of credit also must go to officials in Latin American nations in which drug peddlers have become major figures, making billions of illegal dollars and murdering public officials with a disturbing degree of regularity. It takes courage to battle the organized gangs of pushers who think nothing of killing their enemies.

As astounding as the statistics of the drug crackdown were — and they also included the demolition of seven hidden airstrips used by flying drug pushers and the confiscation of $3.8 million in cash — Thornburgh said they are not as important as the message that the unified international campaign is sending to the drug thugs.

"Henceforth they will increasingly feel the combined fury of law enforcement agencies of all nations whose people they victimize."

Thornburgh and his colleagues should keep up the good work. If enough drug peddlers can be locked up, they may get the message that people throughout the world are tired of their brand of poison.

Another View:

Metric confusion

Discreetly tucked away in the trade bill recently signed by President Reagan is an obscure provision designating the metric system as the preferred standard of weights and measures for trade and commerce. It requires government agencies to start buying metric whenever practical.

Members of the 3,500-member U.S. Metric Association are ecstatic. They believe this is the breakthrough they've been waiting for since 1916, when they first started lobbying for a change away from the strange system of feet and inches, pounds and ounces, pints and gallons that complicates the lives of young schoolchildren.

But once again, their hopes may be premature. Americans had a good look at the metric system during the 1970s, and decided they didn't like it much. With good reason. For a start, very few of the measurements relate to human beings. Under the ancient method of measures that evolved into the British imperial system, a foot was the length of a man's foot. A 12th part (uncia in Latin) of a foot became an ynce in Anglo-Saxon and an inch in modern English.

Anglo-Saxon sailors measured the depth of water by stretching a weighted line between their arms. They called this distance a faethm. It meant an "embrace." The fathom, the foot, the inch, and many others were measurements that were comfortable, human, and, above all, convenient.

The metric system on the other hand, is contrived, artificial, and inconvenient. The meter is usually too long. The millimeter is often far too short.

Metricationists point to the difficulty of standardizing imperial measurements. They scoff at the standard bronze yard of 1496 that still exists in England. The history and romance of it means nothing to them.

What they don't publicize is the fact that the meter, the very basis of the metric system, is the perpetuation of a silly mistake made way back in 1798 by the French revolutionary government.

With a Gallic zeal that overmatched their capability, government mathematicians announced that the meter was exactly one ten-millionth of the distance from the equator to a pole. Unlike the dumb English yard, it was a measurement that could always be calibrated, they said. Presumably they envisaged the construction of a 10 million-meter-long tape measure.

But they miscalculated. They got it so wrong that modern science has been forced to re-define the meter as 1,650,763.73 wavelengths of the orange-red radiation of an isotope of the element krypton (Kr86). Got that?

They made other mistakes, too, but for the French the metric system had one overwhelming advantage: It wasn't English.

Much of the world has since been seduced by the standardized simplicity of the metric system. It is the international language of scientists, and it is almost inevitable that the United States will convert wholly to the metric system one day. But that day is probably much further away than the U.S. Metric Association thinks. We'll know it's happening when there is a rush on Krypton 86.

— The San Diego Union

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Tuesday, Sept. 6, the 250th day of 1988. There are 116 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

In 1901, President William McKinley was shot by anarchist Leon Czolgosz at the Pan-American Exposition in Buffalo, N.Y. McKinley died eight days later.

On this date:

In 1620, the Pilgrims set sail from Plymouth, England, on the Mayflower to settle in the New World.

In 1837, the Oberlin Collegiate Institute of Ohio went coeducational as it conferred equal academic status to a class of four women and 30 men.

In 1888, Joseph P. Kennedy Sr., diplomat and financier, was born in Boston.

In 1909, American explorer Robert Peary sent word that he had reached the North Pole five months earlier.

In 1948, Queen Juliana of the Netherlands was crowned queen.

In 1952, Canadian television broadcasting began in Montreal.

In 1958, Mary Ann Mobley of Mississippi was crowned Miss America 1959 at the pageant in Atlantic City, N.J.

In 1966, South African Prime Minister Hendrik Verwoerd was stabbed to death during a parliamentary session in Cape Town.

In 1970, Palestinian guerrillas seized control of three jetliners which were later blown up on the ground after the passengers and crews were evacuated.

In 1975, Czechoslovakian tennis star Martina Navratilova, in New York for the U.S. Open, requested political asylum.

In 1980, Polish Communist Party chief Edward Gierek was ousted following 2½ months of labor turmoil in his country. He was succeeded by Stanislaw Kania.

In 1986, 24 people were killed when two gunmen, believed to be on a suicide mission, attacked the congregation of a synagogue in Istanbul, Turkey, with machine guns and grenades.

Thought for Today: "That pestilent cosmetic, rhetoric." — T.H. Huxley, English biologist and author (1825-1895).

JACK ANDERSON

Discount merchants hurt by ruling

WASHINGTON — When a major piano manufacturer said it would no longer stock its piano in a Hutchinson, Kan., music store, the store owner smelled a rat. Brad Davison, of Nelson Music, suspected it might have something to do with his rock-bottom prices.



Jack Anderson

Nelson Music may be a casualty of a recent Supreme Court decision that allows manufacturers to cancel deliveries to discount stores whose bargain-basement prices are hurting higher-priced retailers. Vertical price fixing is illegal under the 1890 Sherman Antitrust Act, but the Supreme Court ruling this May makes it tough to enforce it.

Davison told us the piano maker was under pressure from music stores three hours away in Kansas City who were complaining about his low prices. The manufacturer never put it in writing, but Davison said the company's officials warned him verbally to stop selling pianos to customers outside his sales district.

Time was when the Sherman Antitrust Act protected discounters, but the Supreme Court opinion written by Justice Antonin Scalia changed that. The case that brought the issue to a head involved the Sharp electronics firm. Scalia wrote that Sharp could stop selling calculators to a Houston discounter in response to complaints from full-price retailers. The only thing that Scalia said should be illegal was an outright attempt by a company to set mandatory prices.

But vertical price restraints are rarely that blatant. Just ask Jim Daskal of the Service Station Dealers of America. He said that oil companies like to keep a rein on pump prices. That usually means service stations are expected to sell leaded gas at below their cost and unleaded gas at one cent per gallon above cost. The stations make their profit on premium unleaded, which usually goes for 10 to 15 cents per gallon over the wholesale price.

Oil companies have been known to twist arms when a maverick station tries to sell premium gas a little cheaper. If the service station is leased from the oil company, the rent might go up and renovations might be delayed. Gasoline deliveries have also been known to arrive late, Daskal told our associate, Stewart Harris.

A bill introduced by Sen. Howard Metzenbaum, D-Ohio, would stop the subtle forms of price restraint. But the chances of it passing are dimming as the 100th Congress winds to a finish.

Senators Strom Thurmond, R-S.C., and Christopher "Kit" Bond, R-Mo., have threatened a filibuster. Even if the bill passes, the Justice Department has recommended that President Reagan veto it.

Thurmond said he opposed the bill because it goes too far. Several business groups say the bill would make it impossible for a manufacturer to cut off a retailer who was not providing good service to customers.

Thurmond and his business allies aren't making any friends among the businesses, many of them small, that are falling victim to the Supreme Court ruling. One of the discounters hit, the Burlington Coat Factory, recently assembled a list of several more casualties. Here are a few:

■ Turner Tolson Furniture in New Bern, N.C., was cut off by several major suppliers without explanation. The 103-year-old business now faces bankruptcy.

■ The Northwood General Store in Madison, Wis., lost its supplier of metal detectors because of pressure on the manufacturer from competing stores.

■ Service Merchandise Catalog of Nashville, Tenn., was threatened with a supply cutoff by five appliance and computer makers and one toy maker. The company was told it had to show price increases in its catalog if it wanted to get the merchandise. That happened shortly after the court ruling.

Discounters aren't the only victims of the ruling. Consumers have also kissed many bargains goodbye.

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THE REAGAN FACTOR — George Bush has taken some pride in the fact that he, not his advisers, selected Dan Quayle as a running mate. But Bush got plenty of advice, including some from Ronald Reagan. Bush wanted to know if he should chose California Governor George Deukmejian and thus increase his chances of winning that state. "Don't worry about the West. I'll take care of the West," Reagan told him. Sources close to Reagan say he doesn't want to loom over the Bush campaign. He will wait for Bush to ask for his help. Some Bush advisers didn't want him to make much use of Reagan, fearing the president would overshadow Bush. But campaign manager Jim Baker overruled them. He said Reagan is Bush's best campaign asset.

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CHARLEY REESE

Approach to Soviets most important issue

One of the things to pay attention to in the presidential campaign is how the two candidates view our relationship with the Soviet Union. This relationship is the single most important foreign policy issue facing us.

Charley Reese

Failed domestic policies under the worst circumstances can cause financial hardship and poverty, but a foreign policy blunder can kill you. I've known many people who recovered from poverty but no one who has recovered from death.

Even this early and different approach and attitude has become evident. The Democrat, Mike Dukakis, appears to believe the Soviet economy is so wounded that they are vulnerable to mere diplomatic pressure. This is convenient for Dukakis since he also says that our strategic forces do not need further modernization and are survivable.

The Republican, George Bush, is much more skeptical of the Soviets — more so, it appears, than even President Reagan. He wants to continue the modernization of our strategic forces and to continue the policy of negotiating from a position of military strength.

No reader should be surprised that on this issue I share Bush's viewpoint, though no reader should blindly accept mine or anyone else's views. You should study this issue very carefully and form your own judgment.

The Soviets, despite their current Mr. Smiley Face campaign, continue to modernize their already more-modern-than-ours strategic forces. They continue to work on their strategic defense initiative. Despite claims of an ailing civilian economy, they continue a high level of weapons production and heavy subsidies to Cuba, Nicaragua, and Angola. Despite a promise to cease, they continue their disinformation campaigns which spread outrageous lies about the United States.

Most significantly, despite the claimed openess, the KGB, the Soviet Union's massive and all-purpose secret police and intelligence organization, remains exempt from criticism.

No sensible person should be fooled by a claim of openess which amounts to nothing more than a Soviet game of Gorbachev Says. Gorbachev says you may now criticize Joe Stalin. Gorbachev says you may not even mention the Hitler-Stalin Pact.

Moreover, in assessing the Soviet economy, you have to remember that it is not comparable to a Western economy. It is a closed system in which the dictators own the workers, the factories, the natural resources, the transportation systems, and everything else. The Soviets print their own money, set its value, set wages, and set prices.

Thus, to a far greater degree than a free economy, they can direct their resources into the area of their choice and so far it has been primarily into military production and military research and development. There is yet no hard evidence that I'm aware of that they have changed their priorities.

For that reason, it is very important that the next president not be naive but rather alert to signs of treachery as well as to opportunities for better relations. Given the Soviet Union's long history of secrecy, deceit, and treachery, there's nothing unreasonable about adopting a Missouri Show Me attitude rather than swallowing their public propaganda.

Since our system gives us a choice of one of two men, we must decide before November whether Bush or Dukakis is better able to handle this single-most important task of an American president. We will have to live with and perhaps die with the results of our decision.

No one should take a presidential election lightly or prostitute themselves by voting for the guy who promises to put the most bucks in their pockets. Wars result from decisions made by national leaders.

An election to choose a national leader is a serious business and we in journalism do the people a great disservice when we trivialize it or cheapen it by treating it as an amusing sideshow. I've been guilty of that in the past. I'm sorry I have. I won't do it again.

Charley Reese is a columnist for King Features Syndicate.

EVANS & NOVAK

Hamilton likely Dukakis pick for Cabinet

WASHINGTON — A choice appointment, probably secretary of state, was seen as assured for Rep. Lee Hamilton when Gov. Michael Dukakis quietly invited the No. 2 Democrat on the House Foreign Relations Committee to play a major role in the presidential nominee's first in-depth CIA briefing on the Middle East.

When CIA Director William Webster and his deputy, Bob Gates, quietly flew to Boston Aug. 22 for the briefing, there was Hamilton sitting beside the governor. A former chairman of the House Intelligence Committee, Hamilton often advised Dukakis on foreign policy during the presidential primaries and was on his short list of running mates.

The CIA refused comment on the briefing. But one Dukakis insider — not Hamilton — said Dukakis was unfamiliar with both the political terrain and the major players in the Middle East, except for Israel.

JESSE JILTED

The Rev. Jesse Jackson, who has kept his irritations within bounds, confided to powerful political allies last week that he had received only one telephone call from Michael Dukakis since the Atlanta convention.

Jackson's associates say he is determined not to break with the Democratic nominee and share the blame



Rowland Evans and Robert Novak

for a possible presidential election defeat. They say his criticism is unlikely to get much worse than it was on ABC's David Brinkley program Aug. 28 when he complained about the Dukakis campaign, not the candidate himself.

A footnote: Jackson's own supporters have been complaining about overdoing it as a team player. They strongly disapproved of his bury-the-hatchet session with a hated foe, New York's Mayor Ed Koch.

DEBATING THE DEBATE

Playing hardball, Bush campaign chairman James A. Baker III is putting two presidential debates and one vice presidential debate, with nothing scheduled later than Oct. 19, on a take-it-or-leave-it basis.

Under no conditions will the Bush campaign agree to more than the "two-and-one" formula. Beyond that, Baker seems impervious to reminders by his counterpart from the Dukakis campaign, Paul Brountas, that Ronald Reagan debated President Jimmy Carter with only two weeks remaining in the 1980 campaign. The negotiator for the Reagan forces then: Jim Baker.

The word from Bush operatives is that they are prepared to walk away and forego any 1988 debates if Dukakis insists on a late debate. Are they bluffing? "We can't be sure," one Dukakis operative told us.

CUOMO'S FAULT

Gov. Mario Cuomo concedes he may have "miscalculated" when he advised Gov. Michael Dukakis two years ago that, with both houses of the Massachusetts Legislature firmly in Democratic hands, he could campaign for president and still run his state at the same time.

Just such worries, the New York governor told his colleague before Dukakis annnounced his candidacy, made it "impossible" for Cuomo himself to run. Cuomo said Republican control of the Senate in Albany made it imperative that he stick to his knitting in New York.

Cuomo now says Dukakis' all-Democratic legislature has caused him more pain than the divided New York legislature would have given Cuomo, forcing Dukakis to allocate too much time to defend his home base. Still, he predicts a post-Labor Day surge by the limping Democratic presidential campaign.

A GOP LANDSLIDE?

One of Michael Dukakis' Democratic colleagues, Gov. Rudy Perpich of Minnesota, is shocking friends with dire predictions of the Nov. 8 outcome.

Whatever he says in public, Perpich in private considers the election result a foregone conclusion. He says that not only will George Bush be elected but that it will be a landslide nationally.

Although Minnesota is considered one of the strongest Democratic states, Bush has been steadily cutting into Dukakis' once formidable lead in the state. In the Senate race, Republican Sen. David Durenberger is widening his lead against Democratic State Attorney General Hubert (Skip) Humphrey.

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U.S. underestimated Soviets in Cuba during missile crisis

WASHINGTON (AP) — Soviet scholars are shedding new light on the 1962 Cuban missile crisis, including the disclosure that Moscow had twice as many troops in Cuba as the Kennedy administration believed, says an American author.

"Startling new information will require a revision of historical and analytic accounts of the events of the Cuban missile crisis," Raymond L. Garthoff writes in the autumn edition of the journal "Foreign Policy."

Garthoff, a senior fellow at the Brookings Institution and a State Department participant in the crisis, based his article on Soviet sources who under the policy of greater openness, or "glasnost," are beginning to publicly discuss formerly taboo subjects.

Perhaps the most eye-opening revelation in Garthoff's article is the presence in Cuba of 42,000 Soviet troops in the fall of 1962.

"While the United States had very good intelligence on the missiles in Cuba in October and November 1962, its information on the number of Soviet military personnel was weak," Garthoff wrote.

"Official U.S. intelligence estimates rose from 4,500 on October 3, to some 8,000-10,000 by October 22, to 12,000-16,000 by November 19, and finally to 22,000 in a retroactive estimate in early 1963," he said.

"But, it turns out, this figure was still far too low. Years later, Fidel Castro said the number was 40,000. Sergo Mikoyan (a Soviet scholar) has now confirmed that the full Soviet military complement in Cuba in October 1962 totaled 42,000 men," wrote Garthoff.

Among the other disclosures:

— Nikita S. Khrushchev, then the Kremlin leader, decided to secretly place nuclear-tipped SS-4 and SS-5 missiles in Cuba without a formal decision by the ruling Politburo. Such "voluntaristic" actions led to Khrushchev's downfall two years later.

— Khrushchev considered running a naval blockade ordered by President Kennedy, but was dissuaded by Anastas Mikoyan, then deputy Soviet premier.

— Khrushchev did not authorize a proposal by the KGB station chief in Washington, Aleksandr Fomin, to U.S. journalist John Scali that was long thought to have been the key to ending the crisis. The deal, which was very close to the final resolution, called for withdrawal of Soviet missiles from Cuba in return for removal of U.S. missiles from Turkey.

— Soviet leaders hurriedly cut a diplomatic deal to get their missiles out of Cuba because they thought a U.S. invasion of the Caribbean island was imminent.

— The commander of Soviet forces in Cuba at the time was a four-star general, Issa Pliyev, an odd choice because Pliyev was a career cavalry officer unfamiliar with missiles and with only one previous foreign assignment, in the Far East before and during World War II.

— The decision to shoot down a U.S. U-2 spy plane over Cuba during the crisis was made by a Soviet one-star general on the scene, Igor Statsenko, and surprised Khrushchev, helping spur him to lower tension.

Most of the new disclosures come from two intellectuals associated with the reforms of Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev: Fyodor Burlatski, who was a member of Khrushchev's inner circle, and Sergo Mikoyan, who is the son of Anastas Mikoyan and is an expert of Soviet-Cuban relations. Mikoyan drew on his father's unpublished memoirs.

Garthoff also quoted a number of unidentified Soviet officials who he said are well-placed but not ready to step into the spotlight.

More disclosures are possbile at an international conference on the Cuban missile crisis tentatively scheduled for January 1989 in Moscow.

Despite the disclosures, little is known about Soviet decision-making in the crisis, prompting Garthoff to conclude that "crisis management, even when handled well, is a poor alternative to crisis prevention...Glasnost, in policy as in politics and history, can help avert new superpower crises."

And Garthoff said the Kremlin is placing more importance on accurate historical analysis, a rarity before Gorbachev came to power in March 1985.

"For nearly two decades before 1985 the name Nikita Khrushchev...was absent from the brief, occasional and carefully circumscribed Soviet accounts of the crisis," Garthoff wrote. "Some writers even managed to address the topic without mentioning the presence in and removal from Cuba of Soviet missiles."

He said more recent Soviet articles have been more balanced, but added, "New light on Moscow's key decisions in the crisis has scarcely begun to appear in the Soviet media — although it probably will within the year."

Cuba among most heavily militarized countries

By GEORGE GEDDA

WASHINGTON (AP) — Cuba has become one of the most heavily militarized countries in the world, with more than 250,000 personnel under arms and another 1.5 million in militia units, according to U.S. government and independent sources.

By lavishing attention and resources on the military and with a substantial assist from the Soviet Union, Cuba can send large numbers of troops on foreign expeditions without sacrificing its ability to defend its own territory.

There are an estimated 60,000 Cubans serving in Angola, a figure which exceeds by more than 20,000 the size of the army of the military dictatorship that preceded President Fidel Castro's rise to power almost 30 years ago.

State Department figures indicate that in Latin America, only Brazil — with a population 13 times Cuba's — has a comparable military establishment.

A recent article in the monthly magazine Atlantic said that Cuba has 250 combat aircraft, mostly Soviet-made MiG's, compared with only 45 for Canada, a country with 2½ times the population and a vastly larger land area.

Cuba also has about 950 battle tanks — some in Angola — compared with Canada's 114, the article said. All of the equipment is delivered for free by the Soviet Union.

Cuba spent an estimated 10 per cent of its government budget on the military in 1985, higher than all but a few countries worldwide.

The Cuban troop presence in Angola has been a sore point for the Reagan administration, which has been trying through diplomatic talks to encourage a withdrawal.

The talks have produced agreement on a statement of principles by the parties, but critics point out there are 40,000 more Cuban troops in Angola than when U.S. diplomats undertook their initiative more than seven years ago.

In "The Evolution of the Cuban Military," Cuban affairs expert Rafael Fermoselle wrote that Cuba has remained in a high state of combat readiness since the early 1960s but starting in 1980, "Castro has placed the whole country on a wartime footing without parallel."

In that year, Castro began organizing the so-called Territorial Troop Militias, known by its Spanish initials MTT, in response to his stated concern that Ronald Reagan, a presidential nominee at the time, posed a threat to the revolution.

By incorporating most able-bodied citizens, including women, into a national defense structure, Castro felt that no invading force could conquer Cuba. The United States could defeat the Cuban army but not an entire people, according to the theory.

In his Atlantic article, author John Hoyt Williams estimated that there were 1.5 million armed and trained men and women in the MTT's by 1986, arrayed in about 1,000 regiments.

"Japan in the summer of 1945 was not nearly so well prepared to resist invasion," Williams wrote.

An added defense mechanism is the Committees for the Defense of the Revolution, with a 1986 membership of 6.6 million. The committees, set up on a block-by-block basis, watch for subversion and counter-revolutionary activity.

Most troubling to the Reagan administration has been Cuba's willingness to deploy military forces abroad. Angola has been Cuba's most ambitious venture but Cubans have been stationed in Chana, Algeria, Guinea-Bissau, Ethiopia, South Yemen, Syria and elsewhere.

In the Western Hemisphere, there are at least several hundred Cuban military advisers in Nicaragua. Cuba also had a military presence in Grenada until the 1983 U.S. invasion toppled the leftist government there.

A State Department report says that Cuba "has developed an extraordinary capacity to influence events" in distant lands.

"Its ability to project power far out of proportion to its size is directly related to its association with the Soviet Union and Soviet support for the development of its military machine," the report says.

City to build home for centenarian

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Munching on junk food and wearing pajamas, Willie Sanchious — who says he's 111 — wondered why so much fuss has been made to have him leave the small wood and stucco house he's owned for over a half century.

"Why does everybody want me to move out of my place?" asked the crusty bachelor who, for years, resisted efforts to relocate him to a retirement home or public housing.

"I'm happy here," added the animated centenarian, who outlived two wives and his immediate family.

Sanchious' dilapidated home is no longer fit for habitation and is beyond repair. Lopsided from termite decay, the roof leaks, all the windows are gone and fetid mattresses propped against the walls block gaping holes in the structure.

For Sanchious, however, it's his home. He helped build it and the adjacent house on a city lot he bought in 1922. The second house is in worse condition and is unoccupied.

Both are among 600 abandoned and ramshackled houses earmarked for demolition.

City officials are sympathetic for this senior-senior citizen and decided to build him a new home on his property.

Adopting a proposal by the city's community development administrator, Richard Smith, a two-bedroom prefabricated home will be paid for with federal money normally used to repair and improve substandard homes for the needy. The cost will be under $30,000 including demolition of the old houses.

"Willie would probably die or be emotionally distraught if he were forced to move," explained Smith. "That would put stress on his mental wellbeing and affect his health."

"He most surely would wither away," added Shirley Simpson-Wray, community development coordinator. "For him to look at the land he purchased over 60 years ago must be a comfort."

When told of the city commission's July 25 decision, Sanchious was pleased, but had a terse observation.

"Why don't they do it and stop talking about it. If they're waiting for me to die, I ain't gonna die. Jesus has a lot of things for me to do."

Smith and the city commission have succumbed to one demand by Sanchious.

"I want a big porch in front and one on the street side," he said, recalling homes seen as a child in Thomas County, Ga., and in Florida when he arrived here in 1910 to work on Henry Flagler's railroad.

Stooped with arthritis and age, Sanchious is in good health considering he's survived four heart attacks and a stroke. Barefooted at home, he walks slowly with a cane, but uses a walker outside his house.

Members of the Seventh Day Adventist Church Ephesus where Sanchious was deacon for many years bring him food, take him to services and help clean his house.

"He's here by choice. We've tried to get him out of here for years," said Ena Fraser, a grandmother who brought him lunch and fruit juice. Vandals recently stole the gas tank for his four-burner range.

"He is a very good role model for many of us," said Mrs. Fraser.

The furniture is decrepit; old carpets cover unhewn floors while junk and debris fill the back room.

A small black and white television needs repair and a bare lightbulb hangs from a wall in his bedroom. A refrigerator near his narrow bed contains mangoes, a package of frankfurters and some short ribs.

He asks a visitor to reload a large rat trap on the scarred kitchen table.

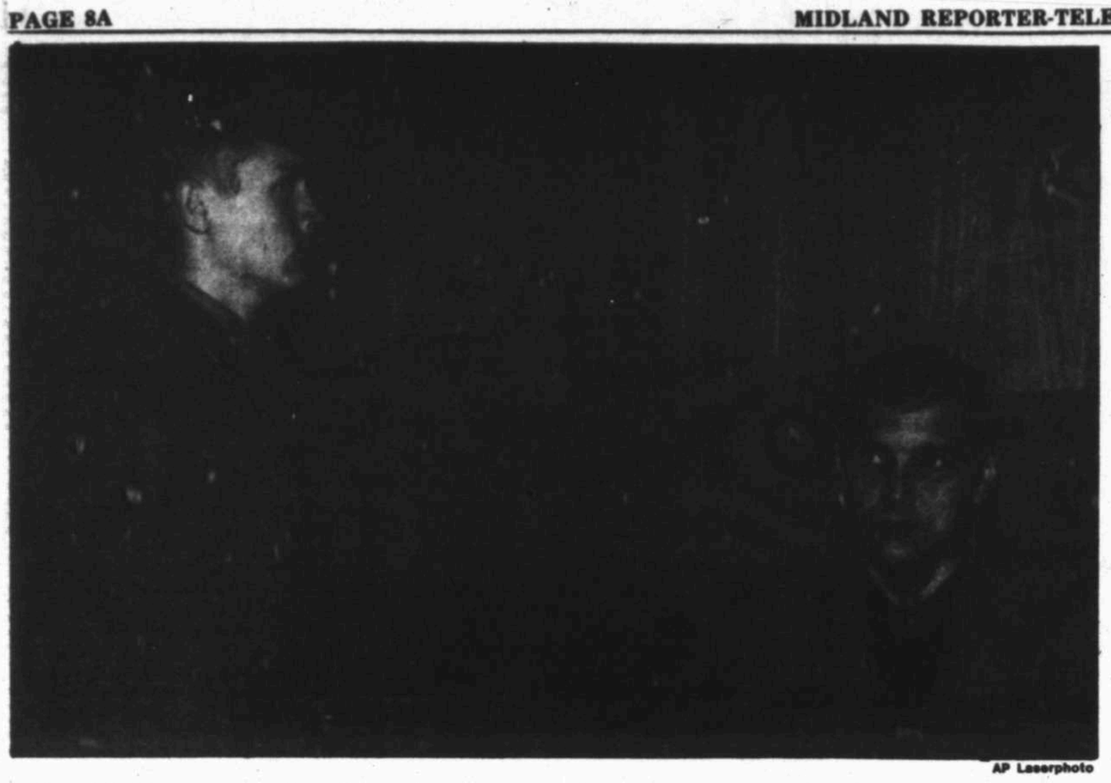
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Yuri Churbanov, son-in-law of late Soviet President Leonid Brezhnev, hears charges against him at Monday's openingof his bribery-corruption trial. Once an Interior Ministry official, Churbanov is accused of taking $1.1 million in bribes.

Prosecutors charge former Soviet interior minister with taking bribes

MOSCOW (AP) — The government charged today that bribes were paid to a former key member of the ruling Politburo by defendants in the sensational influence-peddling trial of Leonid I. Brezhnev's son-in-law.

During the reading of the charges, which fill about 500 pages, prosecutors today alleged that defendants gave former Interior Minister Nikolai Shchelokov, the top law enforcement official and a close Brezhnev associate, three large pearls valued at $5,300 each.

Recent newspaper reports have said Shchelokov took $1.1 million in state funds, gave foreign luxury cars to his children and bought furs and crystal chandeliers for himself and his family.

He was fired by Brezhnev's successor, Yuri Andropov, and died in December 1984 at the age of 73. Shchelokov and his wife are said to have committed suicide.

The central figure among nine defendants, 51-year-old Yuri Churbanov, was Shchelokov's deputy and could face the death penalty if convicted on charges he accepted more than $1 million in cash bribes and gifts including regular supplies of wine, cognac, pomegranates, grapes and other exotic fruit flown to him via the Soviet airline Aeroflot from Uzbekistan.

One defendant was out sick today, the trial's second day, and two others were treated by a doctor in the courtroom.

A judge at the military tribunal announced that Khushvan Norbutaev would not attend today's session, and the defendant's lawyer, Olga Rakitina, said the former regional police chief from Uzbekistan was suffering from angina pectoris, a painful but not necessarily dangerous heart condition.

She sought a recess, saying her client was entitled to hear everything that goes on in court, but the judge rejected the request and a clerk then continued reading the indictment.

A physician later gave heart medicine to another defendant, Tashtimir Kakhramanov and administered stomach pills to D. Dzhamalov.

The trial is considered part of Mikhail S. Gorbachev's effort to separate his leadership from the corruption of Brezhnev's rule, which began in 1964 and ended with the Communist Party chief's 1982 death.

Churbanov married Galina Brezhnev in 1971. He had worked as a mechanic before taking a low-level Interior Ministry job in 1961.

Official media have reported extensively on the trial, which is expected to last about two months. Some foreign reporters also are being allowed to attend.

During Monday's reading of the charges, it was repeatedly alleged that Churbanov received the bribes from provincial officials due to his connection with Brezhnev.

It said the co-defendants were among those who bribed Churbanov.

Churbanov also requested and received government construction materials for a summer house, the indictment said.

Despite receding flood waters, Bangladesh faces big problems

WORLD

RAJBARI, Bangladesh (AP) — Flood waters receded today in some of the hardest hit parts of Bangladesh, but the country still faces massive problems in getting food, medicine and safe drinking water to millions of marooned people.

"We will have to feed the people for two months at least," President Hussain Muhammad Ershad said after a helicopter flight over villages and rice paddies swamped by flood waters that cover three-fourths of this impoverished nation of 110 million people.

The floods that started in June, then eased only to surge again last week, have killed at least 406 people by government count. But this figure is generally regarded as understated, and daily tallies reported by Dhaka newspapers put the death toll at 1,122.

The Health Ministry says more than 100,000 people are known to be suffering from diarrhea and 5,715 more from dysentery as a result of drinking contaminated water.

In Rajbari, a town of 50,000 people 45 miles west of Dhaka, people stood in chest-deep water as a motorboat carried Ershad past their flooded houses.

He disembarked at a relief camp set up in a government school and handed out new, bright pink 50-taka notes (worth about 1.55 cents) to people crowding around him. He plunged into the flood water that surged past his knees as small boys splashed and paddled in the muddy brown swirl around him.

About 800,000 people live in the Rajbari district, which includes hundreds of outlying villages. Munshi Abdul Latif, a member of Parliament from the district, estimated at least 500,000 were temporarily displaced by the flood and had sought refuge on higher ground.

He said at least 15,000 houses were destroyed.

The biggest problem at the moment, Abdul Latif said, was a virtual absence of fuel that has left people without any means of cooking rice or any other food they had managed to save from the flood.

The government has used boats and helicopters to ferry food, mainly rice, to people stranded on bits of high ground. But with only a dozen helicopters in service, the task is proceeding slowly.

Wing commander Firdaus, a helicopter pilot who uses only one name, said he had made 30 relief flights in the last three days. "In some villages we can't even land," he said. "We just have to drop the food."

The flood control center said 12 major rivers were still rising today, but three of the mightiest rivers — the Ganges, Brahmaputra and Meghna — have started receding.

This could be seen clearly in today's helicopter flight over four administrative districts west of the capital.

Bright green rice plants poked above the flood level in neatly defined rectangular fields. During a helicopter flight over the same area 24 hours earlier, the paddies were completely submerged.

Information Minister Mahbubur Rahman told reporters Monday that 50 of the country's 64 districts have been "directly affected" by floods and 21 million people rendered homeless.

The diarrhea cases primarily have hit the interior but were also reported today in Dhaka, a city of 6 million. Rahmat Ali, a municipal official, said flood waters had entere the city's drinking supply through leaky pipes.

Floods are an annual monsoon event in Bangladesh, a disaster that accompanies the blessing of rain for the crops, but Rahman and other officials said those of 1988 are the worst in memory.

Journalists protest defamation bill

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — Thousands of journalists across India went on strike today to protest a proposed new defamation law they say aims to curtail press freedom.

All but one of New Delhi's 17 dailies carried front-page notices announcing they would not publish Wednesday. The two national news agencies, the Press Trust of India and the United News of India, stopped working at 3 a.m. and said they would resume after the 24-hour strike.

The proposed Defamation Act expands the concept of defamation and negates the presumption of innocence of journalists or others making disclosures. Newspapers branded it "draconian," "fascist," and "undemocratic."

The legislation would allow punishment of up to two years in prison for first offenders and up to five years for subsequent convictions. It shifts the burden of proof from plaintiff to journalists and calls for speedy trials — something not stipulated for murder, treason or rape trials.

Professional organizations and the political opposition called the bill censorship in disguise, an attempt by Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi to muzzle the press following reports that top government officials accepted millions of dollars in kickbacks from defense purchases.

"The suspension of publication is an extreme step," the anti-government Indian Express said in an editorial. But it said the strike "is bound to be just one in a long struggle against a cabal which has lost its head."

Even the normally pro-government Hindustan Times newspaper said it supported the strike. "It will be honorable for the government to admit its mistake and rectify it," it said in an editorial.

Gandhi said he was "fully convinced" of the need for the bill.

The Lok Sabha, the lower house of Parliament, approved the Defamation Act on Aug. 30.

The Rajya Sabha, the upper house, was supposed to take up the bill Monday, but Gandhi delayed consideration and appointed a committee of seven Cabinet ministers to discuss the matter with journalists.

Prime minister signs historic pact to give Indians Arctic tract

RAE-EDZO, Northwest Territories (AP) — Two native groups in the Arctic will become the largest non-government landholders in North America under a historic agreement signed by Prime Minister Brian Mulroney.

The long-delayed agreement, signed in this tiny community 200 miles south of the Arctic Circle on the shores of Great Slave Lake, will give the Denes and Metis Indian nations nearly 4,000 square miles of land and special rights to an area the size of Oklahoma.

Mulroney said the signing marked a "day of justice" and heralds "new economic and political development" for the north. But native leaders say many specifics must be negotiated before a final pact is signed in two years.

Monday's agreement gives about 15,000 natives of the Dene and Metis Indian nations ownership and oil and mineral rights to about 3,850 square miles of the rocky bush land bordering the Arctic Ocean.

It would also give them special rights and interests — including a voice in wildlife, forestry and land management — for a nearly 70,000 square miles area.

The agreement, which followed 15 years of negotiations, includes a $405 million cash settlement that would be paid out over 20 years beginning in 1990 — the year negotiators hope to have a final settlement.

"This agreement of principle, when carried forward to its final form, will establish a new, stronger and healthier relationship between the people of this area and the governments which serve them," said Mulroney, who was welcomed with the beat of drums and a ceremonial prayer chant.

He added that the agreement marks "real progress" in the Dene quest for self-determination.

But the chief of the Dene nation warned that Ottawa and native leaders must still negotiate issues such as aboriginal title and self-government.

"We will be seeking changes before we reach the final agreement," Bill Erasmus told about 1,000 Dogrib Indians on the steps of the village's Roman Catholic church.

The Dogribs are the largest of seven groups making up the Dene nation.

Ottawa said the Dene handed over their aboriginal rights when they signed 1899 and 1921 treaties.

But the Dene contend they never gave up their aboriginal rights and, under Monday's agreement, are handing over some of their land in return for financial compensation and the guarantee of hunting and fishing rights.

Mike Paulette, president of the Northwest Territories Metis Association, said he was sure "we can now negotiate a satisfactory deal within the next two years."

Mulroney's visit to Rae-Edzo, 65 miles northwest of the territorial capital of Yellowknife, marked his first trip to the Northwest Territories since his Conservatives gained power four years ago.

WORLD IN BRIEF

Soviet Olympic winners to collect cash in Seoul

MOSCOW (AP) — Soviets athletes who win gold medals at the Seoul Olympics will be awarded the equivalent of $19,000 for their efforts, the head of the Soviet Olympic Committee says.

Marat Gramov announced the new policy at a news conference Monday and denied such payments conflict with the purely amateur status Soviet athletes purportedly possess.

He said those on the 550-member Soviet team in Seoul who win gold medals will be paid 12,000 rubles ($19,047). Silver medalists will receive 5,000 rubles, and bronze medalists will collect 3,000 rubles.

Those are handsome sums in a country where the average monthly wage for a factory worker is around 200 rubles.

According to Mikhail Dmitrieyev, deputy foreign editor of the daily newspaper Sovietsky Sport, the sums earmarked for Seoul medalists will be the largest ever paid to Soviet victors in a Summer Games.

The Soviet Union did not take part in the 1984 Olympics, held in Los Angeles. According to Dmitrieyev, Soviet winners at the 1988 Calgary Winter Olympics also received large sums to reward them for good performance.

Airplanes avoid collision

LONDON (AP) — A British passenger jet swerved to avoid colliding with an Airbus freight plane over the English Channel, Civil Aviation Authority spokesman Simon Lubin reported Monday.

He said an Air U.K. Ltd. Boeing 737 jet passed within 1½ miles horizontally of the Airbus Super Guppy freight plane near Paignton, southern England, at 12:48 p.m. Sunday. He said the freight plane was French-registered but he did not know which airline owned it.

Lubin said both planes were traveling at 20,000 feet, with the British jet bound from Belfast, Northern Ireland, to the island of Jersey in the channel, and the French plane bound from Toulouse, France, to Liverpool, England.

Air U.K. spokesmen were not immediately available for comment but the domestic news agency Press Association said the Air U.K. jet carried 130 passengers. The number of crew aboard either plane was not reported.

Lubin said the Joint Airmiss Working Group — made up of the Civil Aviation Authority, the British Airline Pilots Association and the Air Traffic Controllers' Union — will investigate.

Report: Rights improved

LONDON (AP) — The communist leaders of Cuba continue to imprison citizens who speak out against them, but have also taken significant steps toward improving human rights, Amnesty International says in a report today.

Cuba's recent release of large numbers of political prisoners, improvement of prison conditions and limiting of the scope of the death penalty were welcomed by the international human rights organization.

However, laws that have been used to stifle opposition and jail "prisoners of conscience" remain in force and seriously threaten government critics, it said.

The report was written after a three-member team led by Amnesty Secretary-General Ian Martin visited Cuba in March for the first time since 1977.

The group repeated its longstanding appeal to Cuba for the unconditional release of prisoners of conscience, people jailed for their political or religious beliefs. Many recently released prisoners have been forced to leave Cuba, it said.

32 die in Mexican floods

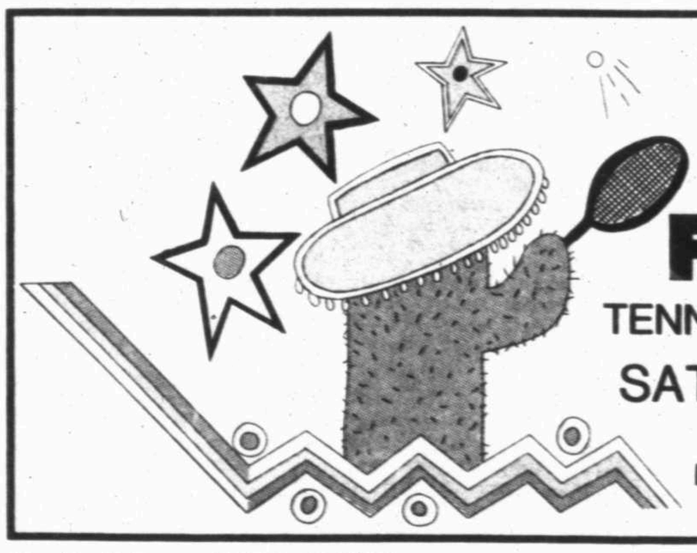
MEXICO CITY (AP) — Red Cross workers and army personnel distributed food, clothing and medicine to thousands of people left homeless by floods along the Gulf and Pacific coasts that killed at least 32 people.

Officials confirmed 16 dead and about 15,500 homeless in northern Veracruz state, said state government spokeswoman Guadalupe Lopez. Rescue workers had dispensed 25,000 care packages to those in public shelters, she said Monday night.

Flood waters were receding in most areas around the port of Tuxpan, about 150 miles northeast of Mexico City, where Hurricane Debby struck land on Friday before dissipating.

"The rains have stopped but the river's still rising," Cruz said from Alamo.

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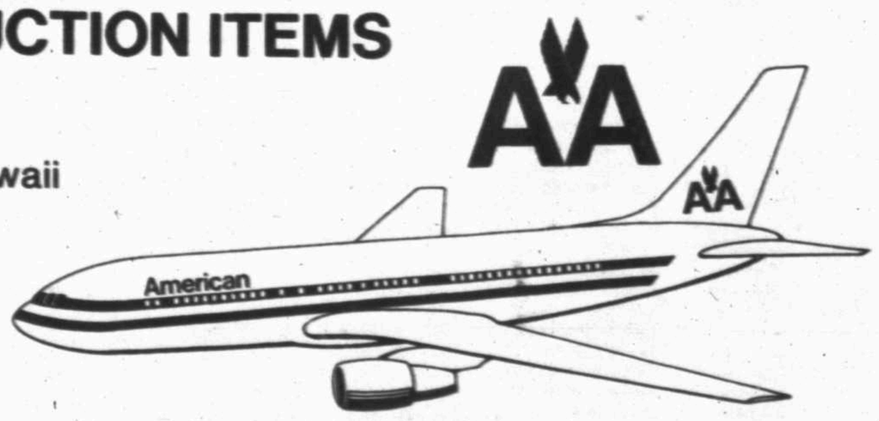
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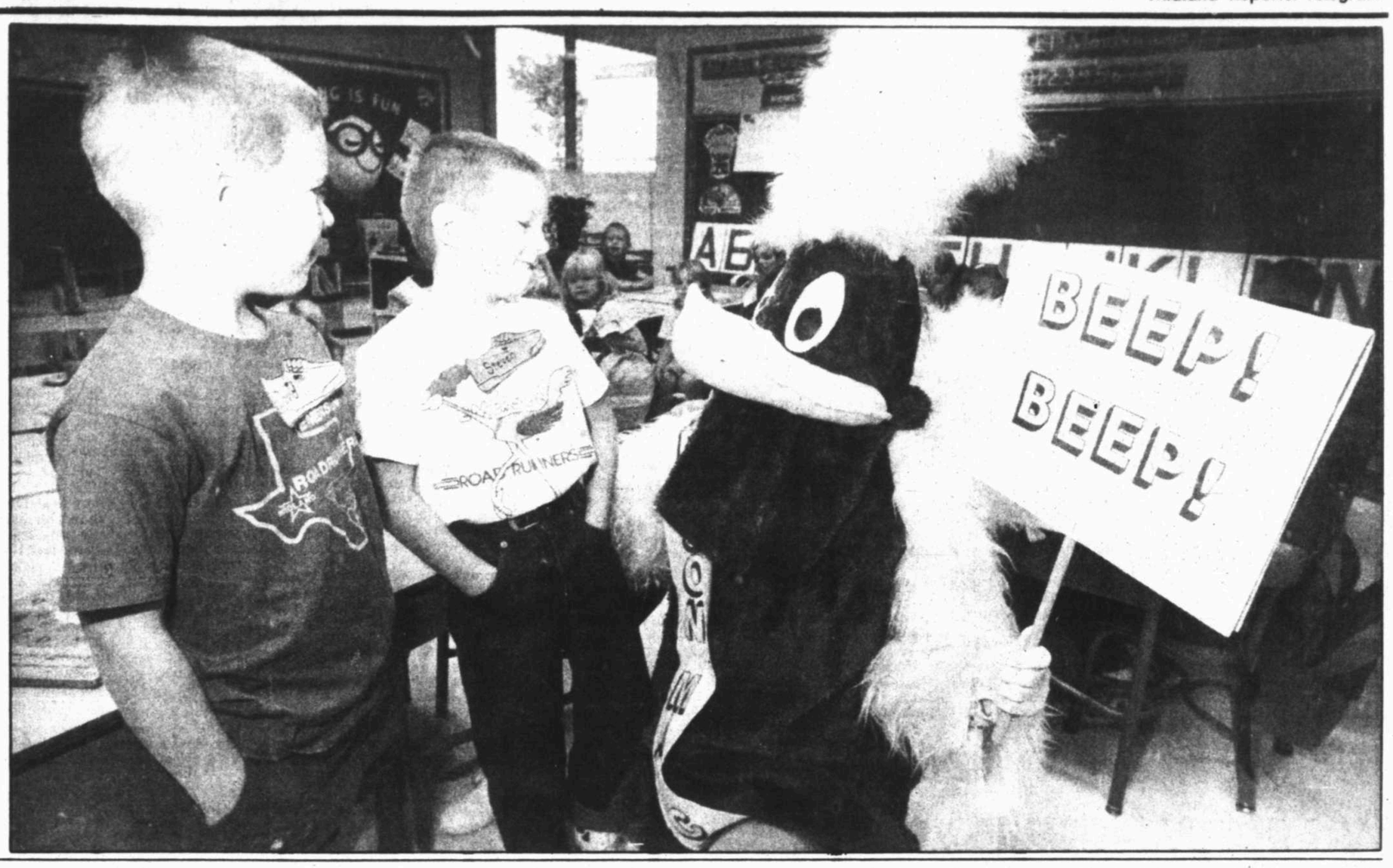
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Warm welcome

Emerson Elementary School's mascot, a roadrunner, welcomes first-graders David Lucas, 6, left, and Steven Heller, 6, to their first day of school Tuesday.

Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Inhalant-use study disputed

By PATRICK CRIMMINS
Staff Writer

Law officers say they disagree with a study that says as many as a fourth of seventh-grade students are using inhalants.

The study, conducted by the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, maintains that the students are sniffing freon, typewriter correction fluid, spray paint, glue and shoe shine.

But in Midland, where the inhalant of choice seems to be freon, there have been few cases reported since several cans of the refrigerant were found March 16 near the site of a bombed drain at Midland Park Mall.

"We have had at least one, maybe two (reports of freon use) since," police spokesman Cpl. Jim White said.

"And I don't hear near as much about glue and paint as I used to."

On March 25, an 18-year-old old Midland man died after ingesting the liquid. Detectives thought the incident was isolated, until April 2, when two 14-year-old San Jacinto Junior High students were found sniffing freon behind a local fast food outlet.

"I haven't had much of an indication of inhalants at all," said Officer Dan Walkenshaw, who acts as liasion between police and the Midland Independent School District. "Alcohol is what is prevalent at nights, and marijuana."

Walkenshaw said he recalls "a few" incidents of students sniffing "white-out," or correction fluid. "That seems a little more frequent," he said.

The correction fluid is most commonly abused by 14 to 15-year-old students, probably in their freshman year of high school, Walkenshaw said.

"That is where the stuff seems to show up," he noted.

The author of the study, research analyst Dr. Eric Fredlund, said results point to an "epidemic" of inhalant abuse.

The survey of 7,500 students who attend 38 school districts found that 28 percent of all seventh-graders had used inhalants. But that number drops with each passing grade, and only 17 percent of the students who were in the 12th grade this year had used inhalants, according to the study.

The names of the school districts surveyed were not made public.

"I think the figure is inflated," Sheriff Gary Painter commented. "Either intentionally by the kids, or by the way the study was conducted. I think he has to take into consideration that kids are going to make things up just for the heck of it."

White said he is not doubting the integrity of the statewide study.

"Our statistics here just don't show that much of a problem locally," he said. "You can't for instance say, 'four out of seven' students are using this or that."

But the spokesman admitted freon is a problem in Midland, and a remedy must come from the Legislature.

"Freon is something they are going to have to look at hard, to try and get legislation so it is not so available," White said.

Painter said he agrees with a portion of the study that says alcohol was the most commonly used drug, but remains skeptical about the research.

"I bet he (the researcher) has a cure for it, too," the sheriff said.

Prosecutor accepts she can't save every child

By GINA SEAY

HOUSTON (AP) — Marie Munier leads the 4-year-old visitor out of her office and down the hall to a playroom. She sounds excited about showing the little boy a toy recently added to the collection.

She shows him a 5-foot inflatable dinosaur and asks the child what he thinks of Godzilla. With the little boy content with his new friend, Mrs. Munier leaves the play room and walks into the next office. She now wears an expression of concern.

Mrs. Munier is the Harris County District Attorney's chief prosecutor in child abuse cases involving those age 6 and younger. And she fears this case is falling apart. The boy, an alleged child abuse victim, is unwilling to talk about the incident anymore. It's been one year since the alleged incident of abuse by his father.

The child, John, has spent much of the past year in therapy for emotional problems. He also is the subject of a custody battle between his parents.

The child's testimony will be critical during the trial in Mrs. Munier's efforts to win a conviction. But during their talk, she says, the child would only communicate by whispering in her ear.

Two days after their meeting, a judge kills all hope of taking the case to trial. When questioned during a pretrial hearing to determine his capability as a witness, John babbles and refuses to recount the incident. The judge declares John incompetent. The case is dropped.

Setbacks like this are common in Mrs. Munier's job. After two years as head of the district attorney's Child Abuse Unit, she has learned to accept the losses and the hard truth that she cannot help every child. But it doesn't keep her from trying.

Reports of repulsive acts of abuse to babies, toddlers and preschoolers cross her desk daily. She talks to the victims and sees their physical and emotional scars.

Firsthand knowledge of abuse fuels her determination to prosecute the guilty and get help for the victims.

Every case is tough, she says, especially because the victims and key witnesses are so young and prone to memory lapses during the lengthy wait for cases to be tried. Some children become so frightened when testifying in court that they clam up. In most cases, their testimony is crucial. Further complicating matters is a recent ruling by the U.S. Supreme Court against videotaped testimony.

"Some days I just want to through my hands up and yell 'I give up,'" she said. But she doesn't. In spite of the obstacles, Mrs. Munier secures convictions or guilty pleas in 80 percent to 90 percent of the cases she handles.

Child abuse is increasing. Her office handled more than 200 abuse cases last year. Harris County Children's Protective Services receives 1,100 to 1,200 calls monthly about suspected abuse of children of all ages. CPS workers are able to verify abuse in 60 oercent of the cases.

Mrs. Munier lobbied hard to create a Child Abuse Unit. She felt the district attorney's office needed a separate division that could give young victims extra attention with the idea of minimizing their trauma.



Marie Munier

Mrs. Munier also works closely with other child advocate professionals promoting public awareness of the problem and making the legal system more sensitive to the needs of young children.

She helped form the Harris County Child Abuse Task Force. The group is working to build a children's center that would provide a friendlier environment than the police station and a staff of specially trained investigators for victims during examinations and questioning sessions.

But the courtroom is Mrs. Munier's primary battleground in the fight to stop abuse.

"She is a good, straightforward, tough-nosed prosecutor," said Michael Ramsey, a defense attorney and recent courtroom challenger.

"She can be tough, but in her job she also has to be soft," said Jim Larkin, Mrs. Munier's boss. Her rapport with children is rare among prosecutors, he says.

Clamped to the side of her black canvas tote is a yellow button with the slogan "Listen to the Children."

She uses the tote to carry two anatomical dolls that victims use to show investigators how they were abused.

Most of her cases never make headlines. But all are crimes of emotional, physical and sexual abuse to children. Her files contain graphic descriptions of tots badly burned with hot water or cigarettes. Sometimes the children's limbs are twisted or broken. Some children are forced to have intercourse or oral sex with adults. Parents, relatives and close friends are the perpetrators in most cases.

When sexual and sadistic abuse is evident, Mrs. Munier seeks a single resolution: "I want that person punished." When adults appear to be good rehabilitation candidates, she pushes for therapy. "A lot of times I play social worker," she said. "We try to work together for a family solution."

Odessa rate hikes to correct 'inequities'

By FRANK TROMBLEY
Staff Writer

ODESSA — Proposed changes in rates charged for water, sewer and trash service will simply correct "a lot of inequities that had crept into the rate structure" over a number of years, says Bob Derrington, Odessa utilities director.

"A lot of people got the wrong impression, that what we were trying to do was raise rates to generate more revenue," Derrington said Friday. "That was not the problem at all."

The city utilities director noted that, in the past, utility rate studies "have been done in-house" and a lot of indirect costs had not been picked up and included in previous rate adjustments, Derrington said.

The recent study done by the Austin consulting firm of CH2M Hill "pointed out these inequities and what we have tried to do is eliminate them," he said.

What was happening, he added, "was that all of the burden was being put on the single-family residence. I'm talking about those people who use 100,000 or more gallons a month and the larger commercial industrial users, who were not paying their fair share."

Even though some rates will increase for some users if the city council approves the recommendations Sept. 13, he said the higher rates will still be significantly below rates for comparable service in Midland.

Citing the current minimum rate, $7.70 charged a single-family residence for 2,000 gallons of water a month, Derrington said this charge will drop to $5.20 cents under the proposed rate changes.

In Midland, he said, the rate for the same 2,000 gallons of water would be $10, based on information from the Midland Utility Department.

Odessa's proposed new rate for 2,000 gallons of water, 2,000 gallons of sewage, and twice-weekly trash pickup, he said, will be $16.54 per month.

Under that same scenario in Midland, Derrington said the charge would be $29.74.

Carrying the comparison further, he cited the current cost to a 100-unit apartment complex for 200,000 gallons of water, sewer and regular twice-weekly trash pickup in Odessa.

Under the current rate structure, he said, it would be $1,668 a month. If the recommended rate structure is approved this cost would drop to $1,078 per month.

The same service in Midland, he said, costs $2,634.

Derrington likened city utility rates to charges made by auto mechanics, TV technicians and appliance repairmen, who charge for the service provided customers.

"It's (utility charges) just what it is," he said. "It's a user fee. If you want a product or service you pay for it."

Observing that some council members as well as Mayor Don Carter, have expressed concern about placing any additional burden on commercial-industrial users right now because of economic conditions, Derrington referred to a comment by the mayor, in which Carter expressed regret that previous councils had not "made some of these adjustments" over the years.

However, Derrington added, the mayor also expressed the belief that council members "may have to bite the bullet" on the proposed utility rate increases.

Carter said last week, "I'm pleased that the water rates look good and will be a benefit to a majority of our citizens." He said he doesn't feel there would be any adverse impact on the city's budget if council members elect to make changes in the proposed recommendations.

"I don't think we're talking about that many bucks," Carter said. "I don't think it would cause us a great deal of harm, of course, only time will tell about that situation."

Southside councilman Jaime Rodriquez described the proposed utility rate changes as "revenue neutral" and said he viewed the rate structure changes as simply an effort to correct inequities that have existed for some time.

Culver kicks off her race for Texas Supreme Court

From Staff Reports

Barbara Culver came home Sunday and some 400 local residents joined her for a giant Labor Day weekend rally at the Yucca Theatre that helped kick off her race for the Texas Supreme Court.

She was appointed to the court earlier this year by Gov. Bill Clements and will be running against Jack Hightower, a Democrat from Vernon, in the November general election.

Culver, a Republican, was a district judge in Midland at the time of her appointment to the Supreme Court.

During a brief speech at the rally, Culver reiterated three central themes of her campaign:

— that she has 25 years of judicial experience while her opponent has none;

— that she will not accept any campaign contribution of more than $5,000 from any individual; and

— that she believes a judge should "interpet the law and not make it."

The rally included entertainment and food, and featured a "red, white and blue patriotic theme."

Co-chairmen for the event were Judy Devenport and Norma Webb.



Barbara Culver

Culver's county campaign chairman is Beth Slaton Rubin while Doris Howbert is serving as district chairman.

Black Baptists to focus on racism in South Africa

DALLAS (AP) — Members of the world's largest black church body are expected to condemn racism in South Africa, meet with members of a rival group and discuss attempts to reopen a closed black college during their annual convention this week.

The Rev. Allan Boesak, leader of the principal non-white activist organization in South Africa, will give the convention's keynote speech and both Vice President George Bush and Democratic presidential candidate Michael Dukakis have been invited to speak.

"We will certainly condemn (President) P.W. Botha and the government of South Africa in no uncertain way," the Rev. Theodore Jemison of Baton Rouge, La., said during a news conference Monday. Jemison heads the National Baptist Convention, USA.

Boesak, a Dutch Reformed minister who helped found the United Democratic Front, will address the NBC and delegates from The National Black Convention of America Thursday night at Reunion Arena.

It will mark the first time since 1915 that the two black Baptist bodies have met.

The National Baptist Convention, USA, has 7 million members. Jemison said he expects between 40,000 and 45,000 church members to attend the Dallas convocation. The National Baptist Convention of America, which has 2.5 million members, is meeting in Fort Worth. The two groups split 73 years ago over control of a publishing house.

A third group, the Progressive National Baptists, pulled out of the National Black Convention, USA, pulled out of the NBC in 1961.

"We're coming together Thursday evening so we can discuss things we can do together as Baptist people," Jemison said. "The matter of merger has not been discussed and I don't have any idea it will."

Contributions collected at the Thursday night gathering will be used to help the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and Bishop College, Jemison said.

DEATHS

Bennett I. Petty


Petty

BIG SPRING — Services for Bennett I. Petty, 59, are scheduled for 10 a.m. Wednesday at the Myers & Smith Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bill Ballard of the Central Baptist Church officiating. Burial will follow in Trinity Memorial Park under the direction of Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

He died Sunday at a Midland hospital.

He was a member of the Baptist church and a veteran of the U.S. Air Force. He was a flight instructor and had served in the Korean conflict. He was born into a pioneer Howard County family. He graduated from Big Spring High School and the University of Houston. He was an engineer for Atlantic Richfield for 30 years, retiring in 1983. He had also been in a farmer in the Elbow community for 25 years.

He is survived by his wife, Betty Petty, of Elbow; a daughter, Nancy Petty of Elbow; two sons, Barry Petty and Steve Petty, both of Midland; a step-daughter, Janet Abner of Big Spring; a sister, Wanda Cottongim of Fairfax, Va.; and two grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be directed to Hospice of Midland.

Faye Carroll Knorr

Services for Faye Carroll Knorr, 73, of Weatherford, formerly of Midland, will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the South Main Church of Christ in Weatherford. Burial will be in the Red Oak Cemetery near Waxahachie under the direction of White's Funeral home in Weatherford.

Mrs. Knorr died Sunday in Weatherford.

She was a native of Waxahachie and also was a former Richardson and Abilene resident. She lived in Midland from 1951-84. She was a former member of the Midland Women's Club and Midland Garden Club. She was a past board member of the La Floricita Day Care Center and Tri-County Foster Care of Midland. She and her husband moved to Weatherford in 1984 and retired to their ranch. She was a member of the South Main Church of Christ in Weatherford.

Survivors include her husband, Charles Knorr of Weatherford; a son, Charles E. Knorr of Dallas; a sister, Elizabeth Layton of Tyler; and two granddaughters.

Petra Camacho

Services for Petra Camacho, 42, of Midland, are pending with Thomas Funeral Home.

She died Monday at a local hospital following a lengthy illness.

Raymond Glover

Services for Raymond Glover, 49, of Midland, are pending with Sizemore Funeral Home.

Glover died Monday at a local hospital.

Irene E. Moreland

Services for Irene E. Moreland, of Midland, are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

She died today at her residence.

Cobbler, tailor mourn dying trades

Craftsmen look for buyer to revive art

By NANCY BENDIX

DALLAS (AP) — In the back room of The Tailor Shop, at Midway Road and LBJ Freeway — amid the old black-and-green sewing machines and worktables strewed with spools of colored thread, canisters of buttons, thimbles and tomato-shaped red pincushions — A.C. Castro twiddles a tailor's chalk in his fingers and says, "It's all dying.

"There were a lot of custom tailoring places in Dallas back then in the '30s and '40s," he says. "There aren't many left now. In that time people used to like to dress. Now, kids wear blue jeans with a tuxedo coat on."

This year Castro will retire after 60 years in the craft, selling out to whoever will buy. He knows none of his seven children will be among the bidders, and he has no apprentice.

In a convenience-conscious, one-stop shopping world, instant service businesses are dramatically redefining Old World trades, driving traditional craftsmen such as Castro and George Nikolopoulos, a cobbler, to the haunting conclusion that their crafts are dying.

Today, the crafts honed over lifetimes and painstakingly passed down to apprentices are being taught in two-week group classes and practiced in high-tech chain outlets run by a new generation of business people who say they are rejuvenating the trade, not killing the craftsman.

Richard Adams, vice president of a 4-year-old international chain of nearly 60 shoe-repair stores called Heel Quik, says companies like his are "bringing shoe repair into the 20th and 21st century." And Adams says Heel Quik, a Marietta, Ga. company, is about to step into the tailoring trade.

"We all have in the back of our mind the little immigrant cobbler from Europe coming over to the United States with this trade that has been passed down from generation to generation," says Adams. "But the American dream came into play here, and that dream is that my son, my daughter should do bigger and better things than me.

"The number of shoe-repair shops began to dwindle. If you don't have someone to pass it down to, then your family business passes into memories. What we're doing is giving people a new chance."

But who are those people, craftsmen like Nikolopoulos wonder. "You can get a few people off the street just to put on heel caps, and then they butcher the shoes," says the native of Trehlos, Greece, who runs The Cobbler shop at Preston Royal Shopping Center. "The real artist is dying."

"That's not the idea at all," says Tom Van Pelt, who manages the Heel Quiks in Garland and Arlington. "The idea is to let people know that the shoe repair business is not a dying art."

It's just different — more modern. "It's actually better to take a virgin and train them in our way of repairing shoes, because sometimes the traditionalist is just so set in his ways, he doesn't want to move the way we recommend they move," says Adams.

Efficiency of movement is important in the new trade. Executives at Heel Quik conducted time and motion studies, then built their two-week training seminars and their shop layouts to provide maximum efficiency.

Now that they've got a foothold in the shoe trade, they're moving into tailoring with a new franchise called Heel/Sew Quik shops. "We don't go into any great tailoring or anything like that, but Sew Quik will be there to hem pants, sew on buttons, shorten sleeves," says Adams.

It's just the thing that traditionalist tailors and cobblers don't want to hear.

"The shoe-repair business is so much competition now," says cobbler Octavio Avila, owner of a shoe-repair business on Knox Street. "It's not skill. They teach them to put on a tap, and it's the only thing they know. This is what's killing the shoe repair (business)."

Avila, 67, learned the trade while working in his uncle's shoe factory in Mexico as a boy and is quick to attribute the trade's decline to the instant shoe-repair shops. He repairs about 100 pairs of shoes each week.

Each Heel Quik repairs roughly 10 times that number and can do it about 10 time faster, says Van Pelt.

But Nikolopoulos, who learned the trade from his father in Greece, says speed isn't everything and, in fact, is being over-emphasized. He says he can repair shoes just as fast as the chains, in most cases.

Plus, he says, he offers personalized service that instant shoe-repair stands can't provide — like designing and constructing metal inserts for a World War II veteran whose right Western boot toe tended to curl up, because he was missing half his foot.

At the shop, shoes are heaped on the shelves in the back workroom — scuffed brown wing tips, aqua satin slingbacks, white leather thongs, purple brocade pumps — waiting to repaired. Others, already sole-less and heel-less, hang from bent nails in wooden workbenches.

"I grew up in this business," Nikolopoulos says. "It gives me a good living, especially in the times with the bad economy," when people are more likely to repair the soles and heels on old shoes than to buy new ones. He says his shop fixes about 750 pairs of shoes and boots a week.

Castro, the 69-year-old tailor, who will retire soon, says sadly that most of his work these days is just alterations: taking in seams and waists, hemming pant legs and skirts.

Off-the-rack suits and the fickle fashion industry made the once necessary trade a very nearly obselete one, and those who still stitch now tend to spend their careers in in-store alteration departments, says Castro. His shop turns out only one custom-tailored suit from scratch a week. Castro remembers the years when he and his father tailored eight suits each day.

And although the quick-fix chain business people say their methods are breathing life into these dying trades, they also acknowledge the trend has little tolerance for traditionalists like Castro, Nikolopoulos and Avila.

"We're not here to put everybody out of business. We're here to help them. But they're just going to have to pick up their feet and come along for the ride with us, 'cause quick's the way it's going to be going," says Van Pelt.

"Otherwise, they're going to go under."

Convicts become leaders for errant Houston youth

HOUSTON (AP) — Errant youths are forming loosely organized groups led by paroled convicts who return to the neighborhoods where their criminal lives began, police say.

These ex-cons become unofficial leaders, teachers and role models to the youths, who admire the paroled inmates' criminal experience, police said.

Houston police previously have discounted rumors of the presence of organized gangs like those in Log Angeles, Chicago and New York. But, police recently began to recognize several small gangs wandering the streets of north Houston at night.

In December of 1987, a rash of murders and robberies in an area near Moody Park caught the attention of police Chicano Squad officers. Officer Rico Garcia said their investigation turned up a suspect who they believed was working with several other youths.

At first, police thought the crimes were the work of just one gang, but further investigation uncovered several pockets of small gangs throughout the area with members ranging from 12 years old into their late 20s.

In many cases, the youths were being guided by ex-convicts who were members of prison gangs, Garcia said. Paroled from prison, the ex-cons, some still in their early 20s, return to the neighborhoods where they grew up and first got involved in crime.

But their status as prison veterans and members of prison gangs brings them a new recognition, Garcia said. The convict becomes the nucleus of a group of admiring youths, whom he directs in criminal activity.

"They (ex-cons) are not actually recruiting them," Garcia said. "These kids just naturally hang around them, and they see the kids as easy prey to do their dirty work for them."

Houston police Officer Victor Trevino, who has worked out of the Wesley Community Center in the area for the past 10 years, has watched many of the neighborhood's children grow up, get involved with crime, serve a prison term and then return to the neighborhood and revert back to old criminal habits.

But Trevino is hesitant to use the word gangs, which implies more organization than the groups have, he said.

"It's not the gangs the way you think of gangs," Trevino said.



Eagle Scout

William S. Ince II, son of Mr. and Mrs. William S. Ince, has received his Eagle Scout award. He is a member of Troop 231, sponsored by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. He is a student at Lee Freshman School where he plans to participate in basketball and soccer.

Waiting for mail, Bayside old-timers shuffle into hall

BAYSIDE, Texas (AP) — The mail wasn't ready, so Ross Downs said, "Let's go across the street."

Over there, just across from the Bayside Post Office, is what some people call Knox's Domino Hall.

It used to be the biggest grocery store in town. Now it's where some of the old-timers hang out when they are waiting for Postmaster Dan Sawyer or his assistant Myrtle McCutcheon, to sort and put up the mail.

On weekends, some of Ernest Knox's friends will gather to play a few games. They don't gamble, he said. It's just for fun.

Knox and Lee Greer were sitting at a table under a ceiling fan shooting the breeze. Knox had to talk quite loud, because Greer can't hear much nowadays. He will be 90 years old Jan. 7.

"I open this place up in the mornings so some of these fellows can have a place to wait for the mail," Knox said. The lobby of the post office is not much bigger than a stamp, and there is no place to sit down.

Downs, who is 88, gets around with the aid of a cane. He lives a couple of blocks down the street,

"I can make the trip walking, if I have a place to rest before I start back," he said.

Greer also uses a cane. He has a bum knee he got when playing football for Mississippi A&M (now Mississippi State University). He drives to the post office, though.

"They laugh about me and my bum knee," he said, "but I don't know what I would do if it weren't for my friends to help me."

"He's a bug man," Downs said. "He used to inspect cotton for the government."

Greer was an entomologist for the U.S. Department of Agriculture for 40 years. He's been in Bayside since 1951.

Some others came in. There was Ethan Wicks, who used to farm but decided he had it made when he was 72 and retired. He is 78 now and still likes to kick up his heels when he hears some good music.

"I go to two or three dances a week," he said. He refers to himself and his friends as the senior citizen action group.

Knox isn't much on dancing, but he said he likes to go up to Refugio now and then on Wednesdays for the senior citizen get-togethers. He sits out the dances and concentrates on the potluck suppers.

Bill McCutcheon came in. He's Myrtle's husband. You know, she works over at the post office. Bill worked for Reynolds Metals for 22 years before he retired.

"He was a cow puncher when he was a young 'un," Downs said. "He rode bulls."

No, he didn't make the rodeo circuit. "It was local," Bill said. "Just us boys around town in those days," he said.

"Yeah, he slings more bull than he's rode," Knox said, drawing a laugh from everybody, including McCutcheon.

Bill was the youngster in the group. Only 74. Some people call him Little Bill. His father was Big Bill. They came to Bayside from Seadrift right after Bill was born.

"His daddy and his uncle were bringing the family down here in a boat," Downs recalled. "It was a day like this. No wind. They sat right out there in the bay. His daddy and his uncle got out in a skiff and towed the boat across the bay. Bill and his sister were burned up."

Down knows a lot about Bayside and its people. He's been around since 1909 when his family came down on the railroad from Sedalia, Mo.

That was when Bayside was just getting started. The promoters sold five-acre tracts and with each sale went a lot in town. "There's people all over the country who own lots in Bayside because they bought those 5-acre tracts," Downs said.

There wasn't much here in 1909, and hardly anything was left of St. Mary's, right next door. It had been a bustling seaport before and after the Civil War. The town went downhill after a storm in 1886. By then, Rockport had emerged as a seaport and was nearer the Gulf.

Today, the only thing left of St. Mary's is the cemetery out by the highways and, if you want to count it, the big mansion John H. Wood built in 1877 at the southern extremity of St. Mary's. It is right in the center of Bayside, which stretched about two miles along the Copano Bay shore.

Downs recalled coming to South Texas on the railroad, they rode as far as Rockport and had to take a boat across Copano Bay. The only vehicular road to Bayside was a dirt road out of Woodsboro.

It was three years before it got a shell cover. By 1912 Bayside had five grocery stores, two blacksmith shops, a hotel — the Wood mansion was the hotel — and some gas stations.

The town isn't what it once was, Knox said. He recalled his store was a busy place for years, but business slacked off when the big chain stores began moving into neighboring towns. He finally closed it in 1970 and retired.

Today, Bayside has few commercial establishments. There is a small grocery store and gas station, a couple of restaurants, an ice house and a fish house.

Even action at the domino hall has slowed down.

"Who put that sign up?" somebody asked, pointing to cardboard on the wall with the legend: "This domino hall wasn't here in 1776, but some of the players may have been."

El Paso law partners friendly political foes

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Four El Paso lawyers demonstrate that if politics makes for strange bedfellows, it also makes for strange law partners.

Tom Diamond, chairman of the El Paso County Democratic Party, is a law partner with Alan Rash, county chairman of George Bush's campaign. And Ron Ederer, chairman of the El Paso County Republican Party, is a law partner with Bob Neill, who is running Michael Dukakis' campaign in El Paso.

Diamond and Rash teamed up in 1968, four years after they were county chairmen of their respective political parties. Snide remarks intensify as the fall campaign accelerates, Diamond said.

"It's kind of like a husband and wife with different political viewpoints," he said.

For example, Diamond is fond of referring to Republicans as the silk-stocking set who socialize at the country club. Rash, pointing out his acrylic-and-nylon socks, said Diamond's stereotype doesn't bother him.

"He says those things because he refuses to wear a tie," Rash said. "He can't buy a shirt that's big enough to fit around his neck so he can wear a tie."

The portly Diamond said: "Unfortunately, that's true."

The rivalry between Ederer and Neill does not seem quite as sharp, but it has been marked by its share of mischief. In 1984, when Neill ran Gary Hart's campaign in El Paso, Neill told Ederer he planned to bring Hart to the office.

"I told him if he did, I would have a big Ronald Reagan banner draped in front of the building and that the office would be turned into a Republican phone bank," Ederer said with a chuckle.

Hart did not visit the office.

Ederer and Neill have been partners for eight years. They discuss politics but avoid debate. Their most serious conflict came in 1982, when one of Neill's best political friends, Democrat Mary Haynes, defeated Ederer for a seat on Commissioners Court.

Although Diamond and Rash are polarized in their politics, Diamond considers Rash his best friend.

FBI arrests man wanted in two killings

BOSTON (AP) — The FBI trailed one its 10 most wanted fugitives from Boston to Mexico before arresting the Texas native for allegedly shooting two Boston Police officers, one fatally, 11 months ago.

Authorities said Ted Jeffrey Otsuki, 36, was being extradited to Los Angeles late Monday after he was arrested a day earlier in Guadalajara, Mexico, as he returned to his condominium.

"Otsuki is a very very violent and dangerous fugitive," said James F. Ahearn, special agent in charge of the FBI's Boston bureau. "I characterized him...as one of the most dangerous I had ever encountered."

In addition to the police shooting, Otsuki faces charges in connection with the unlawful possession of explosives outlined in a federal warrant issued out of San Francisco, felonious posession of a firearm, interstate flight to avoid prosecution and parole violations, the FBI said.

Otsuki, a Harlingen, Texas, native, was on parole after serving a prison sentence for robbing a Texas bank when he allegedly shot detective Roy J. Sergei, 42, and rookie officer Jorge Torres in Boston, Gallagher said.

On Oct. 2, 1987, two Boston police officers had stopped a suspect at about 1 a.m. after they caught him trying to climb a fence behind a building in the city's Back Bay section.

Veteran accused of driving car through station

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — A Vietnam veteran claiming he only had two months to live was arrested after he led officers on a chase and then tried to drive through the front door of police headquarters, authorities said.

Robert M. Rodriguez, 38, was arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated and criminal mischief in connection with the incident that occurred about 2:30 a.m. Monday.

Rodriguez is in the Bexar County jail in lieu of bail totaling $6,200.

Police said after the man was arrested he told them, "I'm a Vietnam vet. I have only two months to live. I don't care. I'm going to die and I'm going to take someone with me."

A patrolman first spotted a vehicle after it ran a red light near the police station early Monday.

The officer tried to stop the car and a chase ensued before the car drove up the front steps of the police headquarters, stopping short of the door.

"He tore up the steps," patrolman Morris Tomlinson, who was working at the front desk, told the San Antonio Light. "He stopped right at the door."

Police search for robbery suspects

From Staff Reports

Midland Police are searching for two suspects who stole an unspecified amount of money at knife point from a convenience store early Monday morning.

Reports say two black males in their mid-20s entered the Kent Quik store at 1709 S. Rankin Highway shortly before 5 a.m.

The second male wielded a pocket knife, reports said.

The two men stole an assorted amount of dollar bills and coins and told the cashier, "if you call the cops we'll be back to get you," reports said.

With the help of the canine unit, police were able to track the two suspects to the intersection of Stokes Avenue and Colorado Street, reports said.


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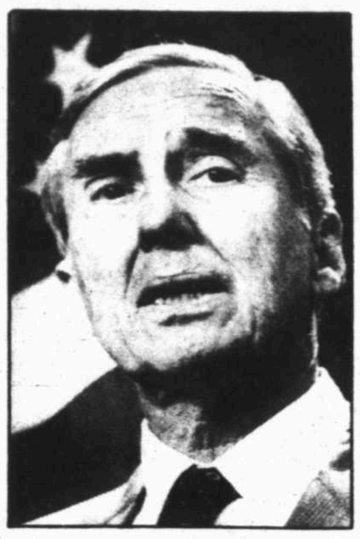
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Bentsen expects more aggressive campaign

ATLANTA (AP) — Democratic vice presidential nominee Lloyd Bentsen is stepping up his attacks on the Republicans while hammering home the Democratic theme that the U.S. economy can do better and distribute the benefits more fairly.

"I think you'll see a more aggressive campaign," Bentsen told reporters on Monday. He then went on to criticized Vice President George Bush as someone who gets his economic advice at "Disneyland."



Bentsen

Bentsen was visiting a job training program today in Lawrenceville, Ga., where people are taught to make computer circuit boards. He later planned to visit Virginia Polytechnic Institute in Blacksburg, Va., before returning this evening to Washington.

The visits appeared to be aimed directly at Republican positions — GOP vice presidential nominee Dan Quayle's sponsorship of a jobs training bill and George Bush's statement that he wanted to be "the education president."

Beginning his fall campaign on Labor Day in his native Texas, Bentsen attacked Bush and Quayle as operating "on autopilot" when the nation needs to compete more aggressively in world markets.

Echoing Democratic presidential nominee Mike Dukakis, he said ideology is not the issue.

"The Republicans like to talk about left and right. But this election is not about moving left or right," he said. "It is about standing still with George Bush or moving forward with Mike Dukakis."

Bentsen, speaking to a partisan Democratic rally in Beaumont, ridiculed Bush's statement that the Republicans would create 30 million new jobs, noting there were only 6 million people out of work.

"I understand George Bush is out at Disneyland today. I think he's out there talking to his economist," he said.

Bentsen told reporters traveling with him that he expected to take Texas and win the national election, but he acknowledged the Democrats were revising their tactics.

"You can't keep taking the kind of attacks that we saw," such as Bush's repeated suggestions that Dukakis was unpatriotic.

The Texas senator's events on Labor Day were boastfully patriotic.

His speech in Beaumont was given standing before a huge American flag, and when he met Dukakis for a picnic in St. Louis later in the day, the thousands of spectators had been handed little flags.

Bentsen's trip to Atlanta was his first campaign appearance in Georgia since he received the vice presidential nomination at the Democratic National Convention in July. Bentsen had planned to visit Atlanta on his last campaign trip, but was forced to cancel when his campaign plane was grounded.

Bentsen's spokesman, Mike McCurry, acknowledged that the Democrats were behind in the polls in both Georgia and Virginia but said with help from state Democratic officials they think there is a chance to reverse that by election day.

Presidential race near dead heat in Texas

Associated Press

Republican candidate George Bush and Democrat Michael Dukakis are almost in a dead heat in the presidential race in Texas, a state that is critical to both campaigns, a poll indicates.

The vice president and his running mate, Indiana Sen. Dan Quayle, have the support of 47 percent of Texas voters, and Dukakis and Texas Sen. Lloyd Bentsen have 44 percent, according to a poll published Monday.

But the presidential race, which also appears close nationally, could virtually be in a dead heat in Texas because the poll's margin of error is plus or minus 3 percentage points.

The poll, conducted for the Dallas Morning News and the Houston Chronicle, surveyed 1,001 likely voters between Aug. 26 and Sept. 2. Eight percent of the Texas voters surveyed were undecided and less than 0.5 percent expressed support for Libertarian Party presidential nominee Ron Paul.

"Texas figures are to remain highly competitive, among the top four or five most competitive states," said Richard Murray, the University of Houston political scientist who directed the survey.

Texas, with 29 electoral votes, is considered critical by both campaigns.

A similar poll done in July showed that Bush was the heavy favorite in Texas, his adopted state. But Dukakis' selection of Bentsen as his running mate drastically narrowed that gap.

The latest poll shows Bentsen stills provides a big boost to the Democrats: 43 percent of the respondents say they are more likely to vote for the Democratic ticket because of Bentsen.

In contrast, only 13 percent said they were more likely vote Republican because Qualye was on the ticket. In addition, 82 percent said Bentsen is qualified to serve as president, and only 32 percent said Quayle is.

But Bush appears to be scoring well with his charges that Dukakis, the governor of Massachusetts, is a liberal — a tag that has doomed other Democratic presidential candidates in Texas.

When asked to rate the candidates philosophically, 45 percent of the poll respondents called Dukakis liberal. Bush was labeled conservative by 57 percent.

Bush has a slight majority of the support of strict independents, but Dukakis has the support of 62 percent of identified Democrats who voted for President Reagan in 1984, the poll shows.

Tom Cosgrove, Dukakis' Texas campaign coordinator, said the poll bodes ill for Bush.

"If I were the Republicans, and I had just had my candidate for president in the state four days straight during perhaps his best week ever campaigning and he was in a statistical dead heat, I'd be a little scared," he said.

But Reggie Bashur, spokesman for the Bush campaign in Texas, said the poll shows the momentum is in the vice president's direction.

"We believe Texans are seeing the issues more clearly. They see George Bush as a conservative and Michael Dukakis as a liberal," he said.

Bentsen, also seeking re-election, is far ahead in his Senate race, having the support of 58 percent in that race, compared with 28 percent for Republican Beau Boulter of Amarillo and 14 percent undecided, the poll indicated.

Poll: Bentsen has lead in Senate race

Associated Press

Despite Republican criticism that Democratic U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen's dual candidacy is unfair, Bentsen holds a commanding lead over his GOP opponent in the senate race, a poll indicates.

Bentsen had the support of 58 percent of the respondents, Republican Beau Boulter had 28 percent and the rest were undecided, according to a survey conducted for the Houston Chronicle and the Dallas Morning News and published Monday.

The statistical margin of error for the poll is plus or minus 3 percentage points.

Bentsen is seeking re-election and he also is Democratic presidential nominee Michael Dukakis' running mate.

"Boulter remains still effectively an unknown," said Richard Murray, the University of Houston political scientist who conducted the survey of 1,001 likely Texas voters from Aug. 26 to last Friday.

Boulter, a two-term House member from Amarillo, and the Republican Senatorial Campaign Committee contend that Bentsen's two campaigns give him a financial advantage.

Bentsen campaign aides say the money is used separately, but the GOP says the spending in the Senate race automatically helps the Democratic presidential ticket.

The Texas senator has said that dropping his re-election bid would ensure the office going to Boulter, whom he says is unqualified.

If Bentsen is elected vice president, a temporary Senate replacement will be named by Republican Gov. Bill Clements, who will then call a special election to fill the office for the six-year term.

Candidates of all parties would run against one another, as they did in a special election in 1961 after Texan Lyndon B. Johnson was elected vice president and re-elected senator at the same time.

The Legislature had changed the law in 1959 to allow Johnson to seek both offices at once. Bentsen's dual candidacy is authorized by that law.

Crowds turn out for holiday activities

Associated Press

Texans celebrated Labor Day, the last holiday of summer, with picnics, beach outings, concerts, fireworks displays and backyard cookouts.

Events at McKinney and Austin drew crowds estimated at 100,000.

At McKinney, an estimated 100,000 attended an early-morning extravaganza featuring fireworks and an aerial show by vintage aircraft from the Confederate Air Force and a hot air balloon race.

At Austin, an estimated 100,000 people attended a free concert at Zilker Park sponsored by a group of businesses.

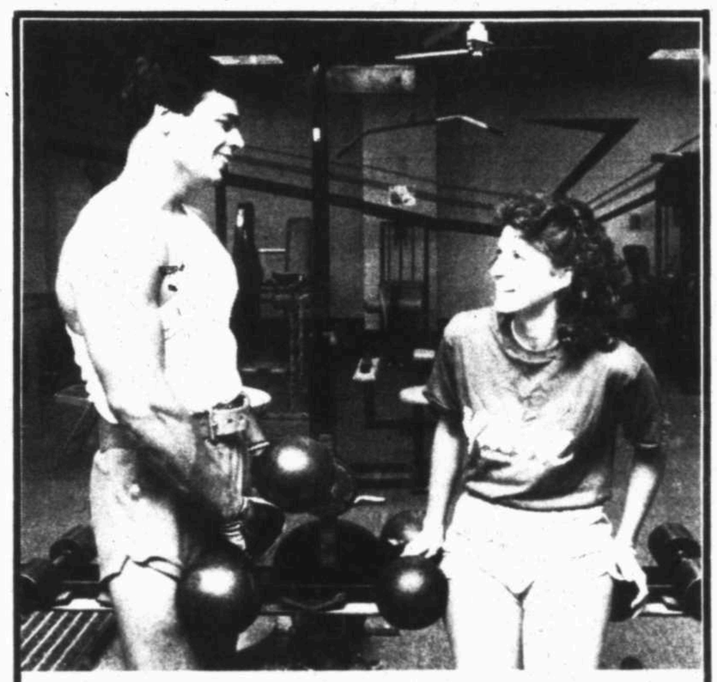
The concert featured appearances by the Moody Blues and several Austin groups, including the Killer Bees, Jay Aaron and Joe Ely.

Tanya Fain, spokesman for Jubilee Productions Inc., organizer of the event, said the may become an annual Labor Day event.

"It really has brought the community together," Fain said. "It's good to see the community joined together on Labor Day. We have a good cross-section of people from age 50 to babies. The people are mostly from Austin, but they have come from as far as Abilene, Lubbock, Waco and San Antonio."

Thousands also turned out in downtown Dallas for the Texas Taste Festival where crowds sampled food from 42 booths, listened to country musicians and lined for rides on a carnival-type midway.

Large crowds were reported on the beach at Galveston and area parks were reported to be filled with Texans seeking a last-minute break before school starts and summer ends.



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Disabled protesters block Dallas bus terminals

DALLAS (AP) — Police in several U.S. cities arrested demonstrators in wheelchairs who blocked Greyhound terminals claiming buses are inaccessible to disabled riders.

Participants in some of the demonstrations Monday organized by American Disabled for Accessible Public Transportation, or ADAPT, blocked travelers' entry to buses, police said.

Five protesters in wheelchairs and one blind demonstrator were arrested in Dallas and taken to jail, said police Sgt. K. Walters. A jailer said $213 bond each was set, but she did not know how many were jailed.

Arrests also occurred in Louisville, Ky., and Denver, and an organizer said the protests occurred in a dozen cities on a busy day for bus travel.

"This is a very busy day for us," said George Gravley, a spokesman for Dallas-based Greyhound Lines Inc. "It's a holiday weekend. People are going home and thousands of people are being inconvenienced because buses are being delayed."

Leaders of the Denver-based civil rights group said the arrests would focus attention on the plight of low-income disabled people who cannot afford cars. ADAPT wants Greyhound to install lifts on buses to make them more accessible to the handicapped.

"We're asking them to sign an agreement that any new bus built will be accessible," said the Rev. Wade Blank, an ADAPT spokesman in Denver.

Joe Carley, a demonstrator at the Dallas terminal, said society has "spent thousands of dollars keeping us alive and they say, 'We have spent this money to keep you alive we're not going to spend any money to see that you can live.' And accessibility is living."

Greyhound officials met leaders of ADAPT in August and will do so again this month, Gravley said.

"We went through all of this in Denver," he said. "We thought we responded in a forthright way to issues they raised. We are disappointed obviously that the demonstrations continued."

In Denver, 10 people, including eight in wheelchairs, were cited for disturbing the peace. The protest shifted to the Denver City Jail after police officers booked the two able-bodied people, but released those in wheelchairs, said Blank.

Two hours later, they too were released, and a police officer at the scene told the protesters they had been booked due to a misunderstanding.

In Louisville, Ky., a protest involving 25 people resulted in the arrest of eight demonstrators, six in wheelchairs. The eight were charged with failure to disperse and obstruction of a highway and released on their own recognizance.

Protests also were scheduled Monday in Atlanta, Savannah, Ga., Salt Lake City, Utah, Phoenix, San Francisco and Los Angeles, Blank said, with one in Chicago set for today.

He termed Monday's demonstrations "successful" and said the group's fight has just begun.

"Well, it's just a long process. You don't really win it in one day," Blank said.

Gravley said a Greyhound subsidiary has applied for a grant to use toward designing an exprimental bus that would be accessible to the disabled. He said the company has proposed creation of an advisory group comprised of some ADAPT members.

Greyhound operates Helping Hands, a program that provides a free ticket for disabled people who are unable to travel by themselves. But to avoid fraudulent use of the program, the bus carrier requires users to provide proof of their disability, Gravley said.

"This handicapped organization feels that's demeaning and they ought to be the judge of whether they travel alone," Gravley said.

SSC site likely to be located in Texas, Illinois

DALLAS (AP) — The federal government's $4.4 billion supercollider atom-smasher project likely will be located in Texas or Illinois, according to a published report in a weekly news magazine.

In the Sept. 12 issue that hit newsstands Monday, the U.S. News & World Report listed the two states as "neck and neck" in the race with five other states to be named site of the new super-conducting atom-smasher scheduled to be decided before President Ronald Reagan leaves office in January.

The magazine quoted unidentified sources whom it characterized only as "savvy bettors" as saying Arizona, Colorado, Michigan, North Carolina and Tennessee trail in the race for the project.

The supercollider laboratory would be a scientific research park with office space and support buildings for an estimated 2,500 to 3,000 workers. Texas has proposed an Ellis County site, south of Dallas, for the supercollider park.

U.S. News & World Report said a recently completed state-by-state environmental impact study by the Department of Energy did little to settle the Texas-Illinois rivalry for the top spot.

Texas has promised the Department of Energy $1 billion to help pay for construction and the laboratory's electricity bills. Illinois has offered the use of the Fermilab atom smasher in Batavia as its bid booster, which would save the Department of Energy $500 million, the magazine said.

Physicists hope to use the proposed 53-mile-round underground particle accelerator to study subatomic particles — nature's fundamental building blocks.



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Kym Milburn's ageless designs — short, medium and long. From left, blouson jacket and 23-inch skirt, three-quarter-length "riding jacket" and fitted skirt topped with "Jackie O" jacket.

Designer's new lines are 'skin games' made from leather, suede

By PATRICIA DIBSIE
Copley News Service

The look is soft, buttery leather — solo or combined with sensuously soft suedes. The colors are the classic blacks and whites or intriguing olives, taupes, browns, grays or butterscotch tones.

The designs are by Kym Milburn — a U.S. designer whose clothing is worn by women both in America and in Europe.

The Milburn style is soft and sophisticated — no skimping on the sumptuous feeling of slipping into pliable lea hers and clingy suedes. The shape is a soft-edged silhouette.

But a word of warning: The Milburn mastery carries a high price tag along with the high-price look. Clients can buy her fashions at Milburn's K Street studio or at Neiman-Marcus or in boutiques in most of the 50 states and in Europe.

Milburn started designing what she calls "progressive classics" three years ago, shortly after finishing a design course at a local college.

"Designing clothes had always been a dream, but I can't draw and I can't sew," said the 25-year-old. "I had resigned myself to working in retail as a buyer and was taking business classes at the University of San Diego.

"I wasn't happy. I saw the clothes and thought I could do better. But what kind of chance does a designer have who can't draw or sew?"

Milburn was working out of her home, sketching with the help of an artist's kit. She hired seamstresses to put her designs together.

Orders, mostly generated by word-of-mouth, started slowly but soon snowballed, and Milburn knew she had to make a decision.

"I signed up for a design course at (a community college) and admitted my lack of art and sewing talents to the instructor," she said. "His only comment was, 'That's what I'm here to teach you.' "

So Milburn took a deep breath, quit her business courses and went ahead with design classes full time. She opened her first shop in a 500-square-foot space in downtown San Diego a few months later.

Three years after that, she moved into a nearby design studio five times as large. Six people work for her, a design assistant, an office manager and four seamstresses.

"It's the best decision I've ever made," she said. "I'm happy and the business has turned out to be very profitable."

The business grossed $10,000 the first year. In the first six months of 1988, orders have increased 500 percent, according to Milburn.

Where do the Milburn designs originate? "When I sleep, I dream of my designs; they're like movies going on in my head," she said. "It's like a fashion show. I keep a sketch pad and pencil by the bed."

All the debate about skirt lengths these past two seasons hasn't bothered Milburn. Her skirt lengths come in both mid-thigh and mid-calf lengths ("both are selling equally well, so I have no plans to limit my designs to one or the other"). The skirts usually fit like a glove.

Her jackets are usually fitted but not tight and, in keeping with fall '88, are cropped at the waist. Another favorite trademark is the longer, tailored jacket.

Milburn said "I think many women who are progressive and aggressive in their professional and personal lives still hold back when it comes to getting 'fashion forward.' It's because we sometimes don't realize our fullest individual image or fashion potential, so we stay on the conservative side."

Milburn wants to change all that. She suggests her more conservative clients start out by combining new textures and fabrics, or even adding one new type of accessory, like a scarf or a belt.

Then she takes them one fashionable step further.

"My favorite design fabric is elegant leather with ostrich," she said. "But never trendy or flashy. I never use clutter — no fringe, studs or rhinestones."

Pedicured feet pretty

Associated Press

The results of a salon-quality pedicure can be duplicated at home by following an easy routine outlined in Ladies' Home Journal.

Remove old polish with cotton balls soaked in gentle nail polish remover. Clip nails straight across, even with the ends of the toes. Buff and shape until smooth, and trim hangnails with cuticle clippers.

Apply cuticle softener, soak feet in warm, soapy water for five minutes, then gently push back cuticles with an orangewood stick. Smooth calluses and remove dead skin on soles with a pumice stone or heavy duty emery board. Then boost circulation with a massage: slather cream on feet and with both hands on one foot make circular movements with thumbs from the top of the instep to the toes.

Rinse and dry feet and remove traces of cream from toenails with tissue dipped in nail polish remover. Splash astringent or cologne on feet and let dry.

Insert tissues between toes to prevent nail polish from smearing. Apply one coat of ridge filler or other base coat, then apply polish the same way as on hands with one stroke down the center and one on each side of nail. Wait three minutes then give nails another coat.

Let the color dry for five minutes, then add a top coat to give nails extra protection and sheen.

Finally, apply baby oil or a brush-on oil-finish product to reduce drying time. Leave separators between nails for 15 more minutes, and wait another hour before putting on shoes.

Leather requires care

Associated Press

The family Bible's leather cover is smoothed paper-thin by generations of use. A pair of cowboy boots slouch beside a trunk in the attic. A catcher's mitt dangles from a hook at the back of a closet. In their natural state, these leather pieces should retain their supple beauty for many years. However, according to Country Home magazine, leather that has been havily used, neglected or mistreated may require special attention.

Because leather readily absorbs moisture, wiping it clean with a wet rag only invites attack by mold and bacteria. Instead, try using a soft brush to sweep away dust. Loosen ground dirt with an artist's eraser, which are sold at office or art supply stores. Massage saddle soap into leather surfaces with a damp cloth, let dry and then gently buff with a soft cloth.

CORRECTION

An error occurred in the preparation of our preprint of Friday, September 2, 1988.

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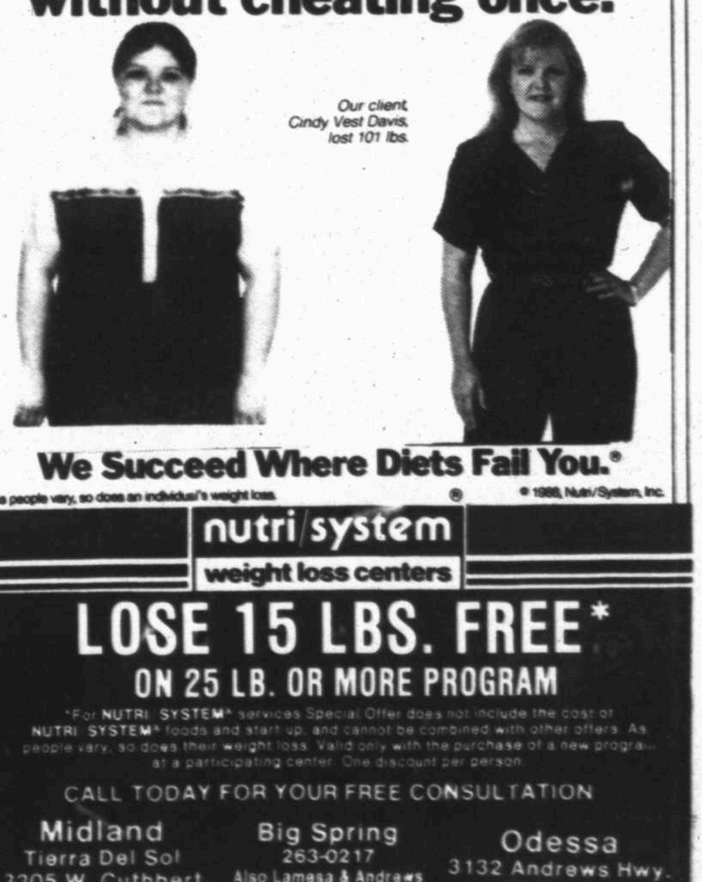
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DEAR ABBY

Doctor's attitude leaves some readers smoldering

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN



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Abby, most of them quit. And when they do, my whole office rejoices, and the patient feels like a real winner. If the smoker backslides, I try various other methods: stop-smoking clinics, support groups, Nicorette gum. But abandon my patient — never!

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Taking a color cue from nature, Intelligent Skincare landscapes a color palette called the Moods of Autumn in amber, tawny brown, forest green, burnished gold and deep red. The Selector for Fall '88, a comprehensive but streamlined compact starts with a neutral pressed powder. Then, choose soft browns or greens for eyes, warm earth tones for cheeks and, for evening drama, touches of gold to highlight eyes and lips.

The mascara that offsets these colors to best advantage? Basic black, in Intelligent Skincare's new Lengthening-Conditioning Mascara. Black is the color of choice for makeup experts. A small amount defines lashes. And because you need minimal mascara for maximum impact, there's less danger of clumping and caking.

A BEAUTY option for fall, the monochromatic face, is easily achieved with a single powder that colors eyes, cheeks and lips. Perlati, by Princess Marcella Borghese, is a silky pigment that's creamy enough to glide on easily and is sufficiently moist to wear for hours without drying delicate lips or lids. And because Perlati is a powder, its setting properties keep color in place — eye color stays put, and lip color transfers less easily to coffee cups. Perlati colors such as russet, golden brown and violet come with a triple brush that contains the necessary applicators for cheeks, lips and eyes.

A blush innovation for cheeks that blaze with high color, Blush Majeur from Lancome is a brush-on cream cheek color that also can be applied with the fingertips. Micro-bubbles are responsible for the "glideability" of this cheek color. These microscopic spheres help color move easily into place, but the blush has the staying power of traditional powder formulations. Available in rose, plum, tulip, mocha and sienna, Blush Majeur blends instantly, without streaking, for a sheer finish.



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Another blush breakthrough making cheek color exciting, Plus Brush loose powder blush from Maybelline comes in a streamlined hourglass container that's capped by the brush. The blushing powder is spillproof because the cap locks in with a quarter turn.

To use: Tilt to get powder on brush, unlock, tap to remove excess and then remove brush from container. The brush is truly plush — bristles are abundant for better application control. The formula is non-comedogenic, so it won't clog pores. Choose from six shades: Touch of Pink, Petal Pink, Satin Rose, Parisian Pink, Snowberry and Peach Melba.

WHEN YOU'RE not ready for a heavy eye cream but do want to begin caring for eyes, consider a light but thorough eye moisturizer such as Stendhal's Premier Soin Contour Des Yeaux. Delicate eye area skin is the first to show fine dryness lines and wrinkles. This Stendhal treatment is designed for under-30 skin, as a first-time eye treatment that hydrates while easing morning puffiness. It also provides a good base for eye makeup and concealer because it glides on easily and is quickly absorbed.

Unlike other skin, lips don't have a protective outer layer, the stratum cornea, to set up a barrier between them and the environment. Consequently, lips need extra care to replace easily lost moisture and to shield delicate tissue from the wrinkling effects of the sun.

From Revlon, Triple Defense Lip Anti-Ager is a three-in-one lip treatment. A white Solarplex band has a sun protection factor of 19 to screen out damaging UV rays. A pink Lubriplex band, made from a rose-hip complex, smooths dryness lines and helps lipstick glide on. The third component, a blue Vitaplex band, contains vitamins and minerals that condition and rehydrate lips. They look more plump and feel resilient. Wear under lipstick by day; reapply at night as a bedtime intensive treatment.

BOOST LIP color this season with luxe shades that last. Clinique's Superlipstick with a semimatte finish debuts in autumnal colors such as Super Nectar, a soft, dusty rose; Super Spice, a gingered raisin; and Super Poppy, a rich red. They provide smooth color and coverage and are designed to stay on the lips. Clinique lipsticks are fragrance-free and allergy tested.

Summer's carefree mood gives way to a more groomed fall aesthetic. As formal, catered parties replace whimsical picnics and cropped structured boleros put easy linen jackets back in the closet — at least until next summer — makeup keeps pace with a more refined, polished outlook.

Women will be more manicured — from the tips of their fingers to the fringe of their eyebrows. Estee Lauder obliges with Brow Gel, a grooming tool that keeps unruly brows in place. Create an expressive frame for eyes and at the same time coax brows into shape and make them appear fuller without the aid of a brow pencil.

When summer's humidity goes out of the air, hair tends to lose its volume and moisture. Spritz conditioner into hair with a spray format humectant that stays on locks. MOIST Penetrator from Oggi International works on wet or dry tresses. It's not washed out; rather, it stays on to keep conditioning. The formula contains no heavy oils, so strands remain free of waxy buildup. MOIST also helps control scalp flakiness and itching that occurs when the air outside turns dry and cold. For best results, apply to freshly shampooed hair.

THIS YEAR, resist the temptation of a last-gasp tan, the urge to sun unprotected that final summer weekend in the interest of keeping your color into autumn. Healthier options? Use a bronzing powder or a tinted moisturizer to play up the sensible color you already have. If you overdo sunning and burn your face, treat affected areas with aloe vera gel or a treatment like Kiehl's Soothing Gel Masque with Aloe. This treatment also contains nourishing herbal extracts that help calm and cool skin.

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AT WIT'S END

Even in death, 'The King' can't escape his crown

By ERMA BOMBECK



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There are only a handful of people who become so beloved in life that their public refuses to let them die.

Marilyn Monroe is like that. Live starlets would marry their agents for the media coverage she is accorded, not to mention the books, posters and calendars still in circulation. So is Karen Carpenter. The music goes on as if she just recorded it. You have to keep telling yourself that "We've Only Just Begun" is probably 15 years old.

And now Elvis is showing up in an amusement park in Texas, a fast-food chain in Atlanta and a Laundromat in East Lansing, Mich.

Did you ever wonder why only superstars come back? How many Calvin Coolidge sightings are recorded each year? Or when was the last time you saw Eleanor Roosevelt hanging out in a tanning salon in Middletown, Ohio?

I am very susceptible to the power of suggestion. Tell me that an area is noted for earthquakes, and five minutes later, for no apparent reason, I will fall out of my chair. Anyway, Mother and I were at a concert the other night when I leaned over and whispered, "I see Elvis."

"Where?" she asked.

"On the stage. The guy in the white bell bottoms and the big belt buckle singing."

She leaned forward because our seats were in another time zone. "That's Wayne Newton," she said, squinting. "He's what we bought tickets for."

"I say it's Elvis Presley and he looks great and sings better than ever."

I've seen Elvis only twice since — once in L.A. having lunch with Michael Landon, and last week I glimpsed him loading baggage on an America West flight in Phoenix. He looked hot in the bell bottoms.

It has to be difficult for the families of these legends when they are trying to put the loss behind them and get on with their lives. Yet it is probably the most sincere form of flattery. The public refuses to believe the talent outlasts the life that housed it. They want more.

I have no reason in this world to imagine that I will be recalled for an encore after I'm gone. But I can tell you where to look. Try the nearest aerobics center. Because I'm not leaving unless I'm in shape.

Erma Bombeck is columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Beauties give beauty tips

Associated Press

"It's very hard to live by your face," says top model Rosemary McGrotha. Christie Brinkley remarks, however, that "I work fewer days for more money than I ever dreamed possible." Days off are spent with 2-year-old daughter Alexa Ray and husband Billy Joel.

Jerry Hall says she believes "charm is the only way to go," and admits, "I have a wonderful life." Hall, who often negotiates her own contracts, earns more than $2 million a year and has plenty of spare time for raising children, making celebrity appearances and designing her own line of glamorous swimwear.

Supermodels can command $1,000 an hour and land million dollar contracts. Ladies' Home Journal talked to Brinkley, Hall and McGrotha about the secrets of their success, including their best beauty tips.

Every model sings the praises of drinking "gallons" of water every day and always using a moisturizer during the day to keep skin beautiful. At night all these beauties apply cream around the eyes.

The supermodels suggest natural bonds spritz hair with a mixture of lemon juice, coconut oil and a drop of peroxide before sitting in the sun. Afterward, use a good moisturizing rinse.

They advise against a common makeup mistake, matching eyeshadow to eye color, which draws attention away from the eye to the shadow itself. Instead, they recommend contrasting shades.

Hall, who has had two babies, reveals that massaging skin with olive oil daily during pregnancy helps to prevent stretch marks and keeps skin smooth.

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Kym Milburn's ageless designs — short, medium and long. From left, blouson jacket and 23-inch skirt, three-quarter-length "riding jacket" and fitted skirt topped with "Jackie O" jacket.

Designer's new lines are 'skin games' made from leather, suede

By PATRICIA DIBSIE
Copley News Service

The look is soft, buttery leather — solo or combined with sensuously soft suedes. The colors are the classic blacks and whites or intriguing olives, taupes, browns, grays or butterscotch tones.

The designs are by Kym Milburn — a U.S. designer whose clothing is worn by women both in America and in Europe.

The Milburn style is soft and sophisticated — no skimping on the sumptuous feeling of slipping into pliable leathers and clingy suedes. The shape is a soft-edged silhouette.

But a word of warning: The Milburn mastery carries a high price tag along with the high-price look. Clients can buy her fashions at Milburn's K Street studio or at Neiman-Marcus or in boutiques in most of the 50 states and in Europe.

Milburn started designing what she calls "progressive classics" three years ago, shortly after finishing a design course at a local college.

"Designing clothes had always been a dream, but I can't draw and I can't sew," said the 25-year-old. "I had resigned myself to working in retail as a buyer and was taking business classes at the University of San Diego.

"I wasn't happy. I saw the clothes and thought I could do better. But what kind of chance does a designer have who can't draw or sew?"

Milburn was working out of her home, sketching with the help of an artist's kit. She hired seamstresses to put her designs together.

Orders, mostly generated by word-of-mouth, started slowly but soon snowballed, and Milburn knew she had to make a decision.

"I signed up for a design course at (a community college) and admitted my lack of art and sewing talents to the instructor," she said. "His only comment was, 'That's what I'm here to teach you.' "

So Milburn took a deep breath, quit her business courses and went ahead with design classes full time. She opened her first shop in a 500-square-foot space in downtown San Diego a few months later.

Three years after that, she moved into a nearby design studio five times as large. Six people work for her, a design assistant, an office manager and four seamstresses.

"It's the best decision I've ever made," she said. "I'm happy and the business has turned out to be very profitable."

The business grossed $10,000 the first year. In the first six months of 1988, orders have increased 500 percent, according to Milburn.

Where do the Milburn designs originate? "When I sleep, I dream of my designs; they're like movies going on in my head," she said. "It's like a fashion show. I keep a sketch pad and pencil by the bed."

All the debate about skirt lengths these past two seasons hasn't bothered Milburn. Her skirt lengths come in both mid-thigh and mid-calf lengths ("both are selling equally well, so I have no plans to limit my designs to one or the other"). The skirts usually fit like a glove.

Her jackets are usually fitted but not tight and, in keeping with fall '88, are cropped at the waist. Another favorite trademark is the longer, tailored jacket.

Milburn said "I think many women who are progressive and aggressive in their professional and personal lives still hold back when it comes to getting 'fashion forward.' It's because we sometimes don't realize our fullest individual image or fashion potential, so we stay on the conservative side."

Milburn wants to change all that. She suggests her more conservative clients start out by combining new textures and fabrics, or even adding one new type of accessory, like a scarf or a belt.

Then she takes them one fashionable step further.

"My favorite design fabric is elegant leather with ostrich," she said. "But never trendy or flashy. I never use clutter — no fringe, studs or rhinestones."

Pedicured feet pretty

Associated Press

The results of a salon-quality pedicure can be duplicated at home by following an easy routine outlined in Ladies' Home Journal.

Remove old polish with cotton balls soaked in gentle nail polish remover. Clip nails straight across, even with the ends of the toes. Buff and shape until smooth, and trim hangnails with cuticle clippers.

Apply cuticle softener, soak feet in warm, soapy water for five minutes, then gently push back cuticles with an orangewood stick. Smooth calluses and remove dead skin on soles with a pumice stone or heavy duty emery board. Then boost circulation with a massage: slather cream on feet and with both hands on one foot make circular movements with thumbs from the top of the instep to the toes.

Rinse and dry feet and remove traces of cream from toenails with tissue dipped in nail polish remover. Splash astringent or cologne on feet and let dry.

Insert tissues between toes to prevent nail polish from smearing. Apply one coat of ridge filler or other base coat, then apply polish the same way as on hands with one stroke down the center and one on each side of nail. Wait three minutes then give nails another coat.

Let the color dry for five minutes, then add a top coat to give nails extra protection and sheen.

Finally, apply baby oil or a brush-on oil-finish product to reduce drying time. Leave separators between nails for 15 more minutes, and wait another hour before putting on shoes.

Leather requires care

Associated Press

The family Bible's leather cover is smoothed paper-thin by generations of use. A pair of cowboy boots slouch beside a trunk in the attic. A catcher's mitt dangles from a hook at the back of a closet. In their natural state, these leather pieces should retain their supple beauty for many years. However, according to Country Home magazine, leather that has been havily used, neglected or mistreated may require special attention.

Because leather readily absorbs moisture, wiping it clean with a wet rag only invites attack by mold and bacteria. Instead, try using a soft brush to sweep away dust. Loosen ground dirt with an artist's eraser, which are sold at office or art supply stores. Massage saddle soap into leather surfaces with a damp cloth, let dry and then gently buff with a soft cloth.

CORRECTION

An error occurred in the preparation of our preprint of Friday, September 2, 1988.

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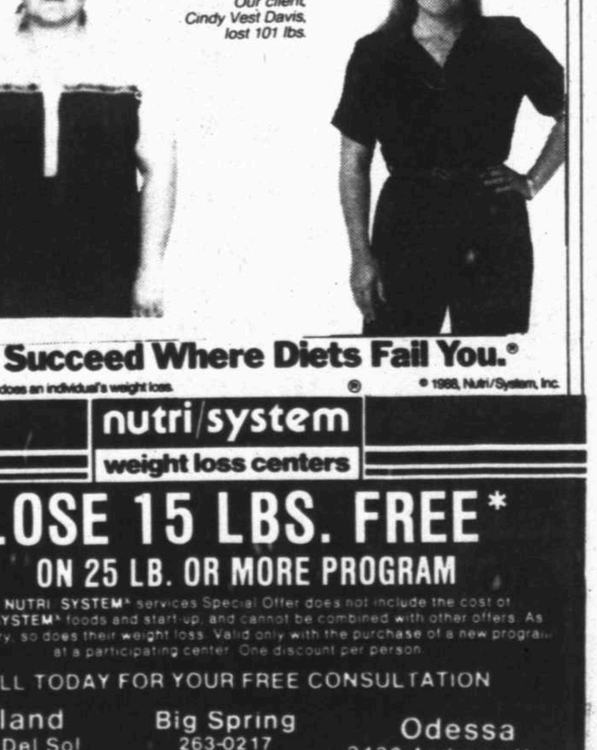
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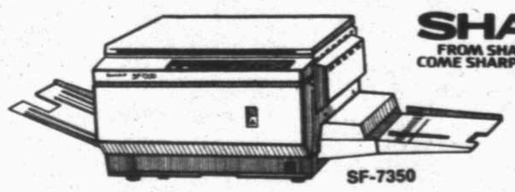
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It's the end of the season, the beginning of another. Whether you live in a climate that doesn't change or you're waiting for the cool weather to catch up with the calendar, create the excitement of a new season with small makeup changes that anticipate the feel of fall.

Taking a color cue from nature, Intelligent Skincare landscapes a color palette called the Moods of Autumn in amber, tawny brown, forest green, burnished gold and deep red. The Selector for Fall '88, a comprehensive but streamlined compact starts with a neutral pressed powder. Then, choose soft browns or greens for eyes, warm earth tones for cheeks and, for evening drama, touches of gold to highlight eyes and lips.

The mascara that offsets these colors to best advantage? Basic black, in Intelligent Skincare's new Lengthening-Conditioning Mascara. Black is the color of choice for makeup experts. A small amount defines lashes. And because you need minimal mascara for maximum impact, there's less danger of clumping and caking.

A BEAUTY option for fall, the monochromatic face, is easily achieved with a single powder that colors eyes, cheeks and lips. Perlati, by Princess Marcella Borghese, is a silky pigment that's creamy enough to glide on easily and is sufficiently moist to wear for hours without drying delicate lips or lids. And because Perlati is a powder, its setting properties keep color in place — eye color stays put, and lip color transfers less easily to coffee cups. Perlati colors such as russet, golden brown and violet come with a triple brush that contains the necessary applicators for cheeks, lips and eyes.

A blush innovation for cheeks that blaze with high color, Blush Majeur from Lancome is a brush-on cream cheek color that also can be applied with the fingertips. Micro-bubbles are responsible for the "glideability" of this cheek color. These microscopic spheres help color move easily into place, but the blush has the staying power of traditional powder formulations. Available in rose, plum, tulip, mocha and sienna, Blush Majeur blends instantly, without streaking, for a sheer finish.



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Another blush breakthrough making cheek color exciting, Plus Brush loose powder blush from Maybelline comes in a streamlined hourglass container that's capped by the brush. The blushing powder is spillproof because the cap locks in with a quarter turn.

To use: Tilt to get powder on brush, unlock, tap to remove excess and then remove brush from container. The brush is truly plush — bristles are abundant for better application control. The formula is non-comedogenic, so it won't clog pores. Choose from six shades: Touch of Pink, Petal Pink, Satin Rose, Parisian Pink, Snowberry and Peach Melba.

WHEN YOU'RE not ready for a heavy eye cream but do want to begin caring for eyes, consider a light but thorough eye moisturizer such as Stendhal's Premier Soin Contour Des Yeaux. Delicate eye area skin is the first to show fine dryness lines and wrinkles. This Stendhal treatment is designed for under-30 skin, as a first-time eye treatment that hydrates while easing morning puffiness. It also provides a good base for eye makeup and concealer because it glides on easily and is quickly absorbed.

Unlike other skin, lips don't have a protective outer layer, the stratum cornea, to set up a barrier between them and the environment. Consequently, lips need extra care to replace easily lost moisture and to shield delicate tissue from the wrinkling effects of the sun.

From Revlon, Triple Defense Lip Anti-Ager is a three-in-one lip treatment. A white Solarplex band has a sun protection factor of 19 to screen out damaging UV rays. A pink Lubriplex band, made from a rose-hip complex, smooths dryness lines and helps lipstick glide on. The third component, a blue Vitaplex band, contains vitamins and minerals that condition and rehydrate lips. They look more plump and feel resilient. Wear under lipstick by day; reapply at night as a bedtime intensive treatment.

BOOST LIP color this season with luxe shades that last. Clinique's Superlipstick with a semi-matte finish debuts in autumnal colors such as Super Nectar, a soft, dusty rose; Super Spice, a gingered raisin; and Super Poppy, a rich red. They provide smooth color and coverage and are designed to stay on the lips. Clinique lipsticks are fragrance-free and allergy tested.

Summer's carefree mood gives way to a more groomed fall aesthetic. As formal, catered parties replace whimsical picnics and cropped structured boleros put easy linen jackets back in the closet — at least until next summer — makeup keeps pace with a more refined, polished outlook.

Women will be more manicured — from the tips of their fingers to the fringe of their eyebrows. Estee Lauder obliges with Brow Gel, a grooming tool that keeps unruly brows in place. Create an expressive frame for eyes and at the same time coax brows into shape and make them appear fuller without the aid of a brow pencil.

When summer's humidity goes out of the air, hair tends to lose its volume and moisture. Spritz conditioner into hair with a spray format humectant that stays on locks. MOIST Penetrator from Oggi International works on wet or dry tresses. It's not washed out; rather, it stays on to keep conditioning. The formula contains no heavy oils, so strands remain free of waxy buildup. MOIST also helps control scalp flakiness and itching that occurs when the air outside turns dry and cold. For best results, apply to freshly shampooed hair.

THIS YEAR, resist the temptation of a last-gasp tan, the urge to sun unprotected that final summer weekend in the interest of keeping your color into autumn. Healthier options? Use a bronzing powder or a tinted moisturizer to play up the sensible color you already have. If you overdo sunning and burn your face, treat affected areas with aloe vera gel or a treatment like Kiehl's Soothing Gel Masque with Aloe. This treatment also contains nourishing herbal extracts that help calm and cool skin.

Lisa Lebowitz is a former staff writer for Glamour magazine.

AT WIT'S END

Even in death, 'The King' can't escape his crown

By ERMA BOMBECK



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There are only a handful of people who become so beloved in life that their public refuses to let them die.

Marilyn Monroe is like that. Live starlets would marry their agents for the media coverage she is accorded, not to mention the books, posters and calendars still in circulation. So is Karen Carpenter. The music goes on as if she just recorded it. You have to keep telling yourself that "We've Only Just Begun" is probably 15 years old.

And now Elvis is showing up in an amusement park in Texas, a fast-food chain in Atlanta and a Laundromat in East Lansing, Mich.

Did you ever wonder why only superstars come back? How many Calvin Coolidge sightings are recorded each year? Or when was the last time you saw Eleanor Roosevelt hanging out in a tanning salon in Middletown, Ohio?

I am very susceptible to the power of suggestion. Tell me that an area is noted for earthquakes, and five minutes later, for no apparent reason, I will fall out of my chair. Anyway, Mother and I were at a concert the other night when I leaned over and whispered, "I see Elvis."

"Where?" she asked.

"On the stage. The guy in the white bell bottoms and the big belt buckle singing."

She leaned forward because our seats were in another time zone. "That's Wayne Newton," she said, squinting. "He's what we bought tickets for."

"I say it's Elvis Presley and he looks great and sings better than ever."

I've seen Elvis only twice since — once in L.A. having lunch with Michael Landon, and last week I glimpsed him loading baggage on an America West flight in Phoenix. He looked hot in the bell bottoms.

It has to be difficult for the families of these legends when they are trying to put the loss behind them and get on with their lives. Yet it is probably the most sincere form of flattery. The public refuses to believe the talent outlasts the life that housed it. They want more.

I have no reason in this world to imagine that I will be recalled for an encore after I'm gone. But I can tell you where to look. Try the nearest aerobics center. Because I'm not leaving unless I'm in shape.

Erma Bombeck is columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Beauties give beauty tips

Associated Press

"It's very hard to live by your face," says top model Rosemary McGrotha. Christie Brinkley remarks, however, that "I work fewer days for more money than I ever dreamed possible." Days off are spent with 2-year-old daughter Alexa Ray and husband Billy Joel.

Jerry Hall says she believes "charm is the only way to go," and admits, "I have a wonderful life." Hall, who often negotiates her own contracts, earns more than $2 million a year and has plenty of spare time for raising children, making celebrity appearances and designing her own line of glamorous swimwear.

Supermodels can command $1,000 an hour and land million dollar contracts. Ladies' Home Journal talked to Brinkley, Hall and McGrotha about the secrets of their success, including their best beauty tips.

Every model sings the praises of drinking "gallons" of water every day and always using a moisturizer during the day to keep skin beautiful. At night all these beauties apply cream around the eyes.

The supermodels suggest natural bonds spritz hair with a mixture of lemon juice, coconut oil and a drop of peroxide before sitting in the sun. Afterward, use a good moisturizing rinse.

They advise against a common makeup mistake, matching eyeshadow to eye color, which draws attention away from the eye to the shadow itself. Instead, they recommend contrasting shades.

Hall, who has had two babies, reveals that massaging skin with olive oil daily during pregnancy helps to prevent stretch marks and keeps skin smooth.

Here's the hardest part of the Diet Center program.



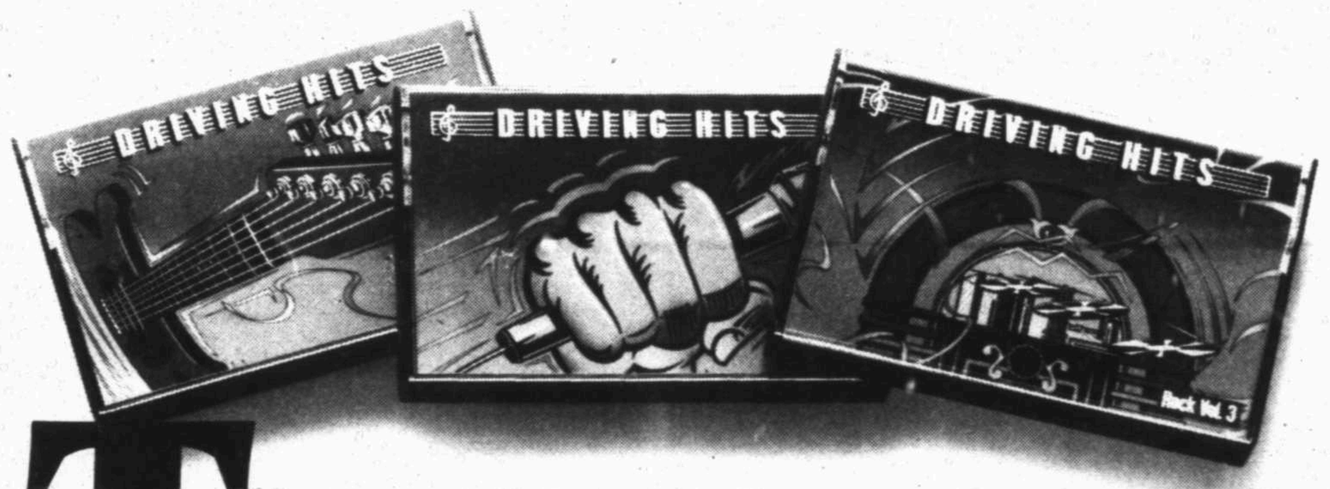
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Beach demonstrations mark summer's unofficial end

Associated Press

A summer marred by fouled beaches, drought and sweltering heat came to its unofficial Labor Day finale with frustrated beachgoers demonstrating against pollution, and a nip in the air over much of the nation.

Millions of Americans attended parades, foods fests and political rallies Monday. And though labor seems to have little to do with Labor Day 106 years after the holiday's inauguration, some people were even on the job.

In Southern California, a third day of sizzling heat over 100 degrees drove an estimated 1 million people to beaches.

"It's pretty much a towel-to-towel beach gridlock out there by the water," said Malibu lifeguard Bill Barker, estimating that more than 200,000 sunbathers hit the beach.

But east of the upper Mississippi Valley, afternoon temperatures remained below 70 degrees.

The city-owned Wave Pool in Nashville, Tenn., drew only about 30 people as the temperature rose to the high 60s. The normal Labor Day crowd is 1,000.

As night fell, frost advisories were issued in Minnesota and Wisconsin.

A human chain of about 1,000 people stretched across two Long Island, N.Y., beaches, singing "America the Beautiful" and calling for an end to ocean dumping. Medical waste and other debris has washed ashore this summer from the Great Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico, ruining vacations for hundreds of thousands of people.

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Others spent Labor Day laboring. But they didn't seem to mind.

"I feel working on Labor Day is appropriate," said Pam Pettegrew, a receptionist at the Boston Harbor Hotel.

In Baltimore, Archbishop William Borders honored workers with the Blessing of the Tools at the Cathedral of Mary Our Queen. Rank-and-file members of unions placed the tools of their trades at the altar.

In the West, forest fires interfered with Labor Day traditions for some outdoorsmen. Yellowstone National Park — full of smoke — closed roads and campgrounds, some public forests closed, and the governors of Montana and Utah asked people to voluntarily stay out of the tinder-dry woods.

Thousands swarmed to the third annual Railroad Days celebration at Topeka, Kan., an observance of the role the Santa Fe and Union Pacific played in the city's history. Tickets were sold out weeks for rides on a 1940s vintage train.

Lawrence, Mass., held its fourth-annual Bread and Roses Heritage Day Festival. The celebration, marked by a parade and concerts by folk singer Odetta and others, commemorates the Great Strike of 1912 against textile mills, also known as the Bread and Roses Strike.

Labor Day's role as the traditional end to the summer season was seen in Maine, where southbound traffic reached more than 3,400 vehicles an hour on the Maine Turnpike as vacationers left the state.

Entertainer Jerry Lewis conducted his annual telethon drive for the Muscular Dystrophy Association, raising a record $41,132,113.

Dallas marked Labor Day with a 12-hour sampling festival with food from 40 restaurants and a downtown celebration that included live music and entertainment, with proceeds donated to Lewis' telethon.

On Chicago's Northwest Side, thousands gathered at the Taste of Polonia festival to eat sausage, play bingo and listen to polka bands and an Elvis impersonator.

The weekendlong Rock 'A' Rama in downtown Philadelphia celebrated the fads, music and food of the 1950s. Jerry Lee Lewis, Chubby Checker, Ben E. King, Carl Perkins, the Shangri-Las and others were on the weekend's entertainment schedule.

Lewis calls record telethon 'wild ride'

LAS VEGAS (AP) — Comedian Jerry Lewis says his 23rd-annual Labor Day telethon was "the wildest ride of emotions I've ever gone through" as he raised a record $41,132,113 in the 21½-hour nationally broadcast program.

Lewis had vowed to tug at the hearts of the 120 million viewers, and did so with a parade of celebrities and poignant stories from muscular dystrophy victims and their families.

"This is the wildest roller coaster I've ever been on, the wildest ride of emotions I've ever gone through," Lewis said as the tote board surpassed last year's record of $39,021,723.

Lewis has been involved with the New York-based Muscular Dystrophy Association for 39 years, beginning his annual Labor Day telethons in 1966.

The show featured appearances by corporate sponsors who contributed $34,379,537, which was not included in the telethon's final tote.

Because of the longevity and the money raised to date — $484,314,483 — the annual Labor Day event has become known as "the" telethon.

Lewis saved some of the most touching moments for the final hours of the show, including a farewell to Mikey Neufeldt of New Berlin, Wis., the MDA poster child the past two years.

Researchers chronicled the progress that had been made during the past year in fighting muscular dystrophy, a chronic, non-contagious disease characterized by a progressive wasting of the muscles.

And celebrities such as Ann-Margret and her husband, Roger Smith, appealed for help in fighting diseases that have touched their lives.

Smith suffers from myasthenia gravis, a sometimes fatal muscle disease that is among the 40 targeted by the MDA.

"It is difficult to sit by and wait and hope" while cures are sought, his wife said.

The show also featured a segment on Dennis Day, who died in June of amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, known as Lou Gehrig's disease.

Two of Day's 10 children were featured on a tape with their father as he talked of his hope of beating the disease.

"I could see it in his eyes," said son Tom McNulty. "He was afraid. I was afraid, too, afraid of losing him."

The telethon also featured some of the victims of muscular dystrophy.

Susan and Leonard DeStefano wept as they talked of the death of their 6½-month-old girl from muscular dystrophy. DeStefano said his daughter, weakened by the disease, didn't have the strength to smile at him until the couple left her hospital bed for the last time.

"I turned and she gave me this huge smile," DeStefano said, weeping. "That was Sarah's way of saying goodbye to me."

Reagan praises school's balanced budget

HASTINGS, Neb. (AP) — President Reagan, heading back to the White House after a three-week California vacation, today saluted a privately supported communications school in a college that runs on a balanced budget as "a model for our society to follow."

Dedicating the C.J. and Marie Gray Communications Arts Center at Hastings College, Reagan said the school's students will be entering a profession that "at times does not seem to appreciate the simpler virtues."

In a speech at the dedication of the communications facility, Reagan said, "I'm told that Hastings College operates on a balanced budget."

"And the Gray Center itself has raised all its funds in the private sector, not looking toward the government for a special leg up or a free lunch," he said. "That kind of self-reliance is inspiring and a model for our society to follow."

"It's a philosophy I hope the students who come here to learn will carry with them when they leave to ply their skills elsewhere in a profession that at times does not seem to appreciate the simpler virtues," the president said.

The center was built with the help of a $1 million grant from former Reagan campaign official Bob Gray. A Hastings native, Gray is a Washington public relations executive who was director of communications for Reagan's 1980 campaign for the White House.

The center is named for Gray's parents, Marie Gray and the late Garold C.J. Gray. The elder Gray was an electrical engineer and his wife was a house mother at the college.

Reagan was also attending a closed fund-raising reception for Nebraska's appointed Republican Sen. David Karnes at Grand Island, Neb. Karnes is seeking election against Bob Kerrey, the state's popular former Democratic governor.

Later in the day, the president was speaking to about 70,000 delegates at an American Legion convention in Louisville, Ky., on his way back to Washington for the first time since George Bush was nominated to succeed him.

Bush and his Democratic opponent, Massachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis, will speak to the legionnaires later in the week.

In the coming weeks, Reagan faces a new round of negotiation with Congress on the thorny issue of aid to Nicaraguan rebels and a busy round of campaigning for Bush and other Republican candidates.

On Wednesday, his first day back at work, the president has scheduled a meeting with Republican congressional leaders.

While the agenda has not been announced, the legislative calendar includes aid to the Contra rebels in Nicaragua, a landmark free trade agreement with Canada, 11 appropriations bills, welfare legislation, and confirmation of Reagan's nominations of Nicholas Brady as secretary of the treasury and Lauro Cavazos as secretary of education. Also hanging are backlogs of judicial and diplomatic nominations Reagan hopes to see confirmed before he leaves office 4½ months from now.

"Contra aid is certainly one of the issues we have to deal with right off the bat," said White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater.

The Senate has passed a bill which the administration termed minimally acceptable and the House, the biggest hurdle for Contra aid in the past, has not acted.

When asked whether the administration wanted to change the bill to include military as well as humanitarian aid, Fitzwater declined to answer, saying, "It's to be a negotiated process."



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Sen. Dan Quayle, center, stands with his family — from left, Tucker, Benjamin, Marilyn and Corinne — and newly sworn citizens as they visit Ellis Island on Labor Day.

Whistle-blower fears suit set undesirable precedents

WASHINGTON (AP) — A victory that could give $800,000 to a fired government whistle-blower sets precedents that he and his lawyers fear will make it riskier for other federal employees to expose waste and hazards.

Bertrand G. Berube, fired in 1983 after he accused the General Services Administration of becoming "the nation's slumlord," said he will take early retirement in a settlement with the agency. He had been GSA's top regional director, overseeing all major government buildings in the Washington, D.C., area.

Despite the settlement ordered by the Merit Systems Protection Board, Berube said laws are needed to prevent the government from punishing other employees who disclose overspending and dangerous conditions and that the federal system to protect such whistle-blowers actually worked against him.

Berube, who says he is the highest ranking civil servant ever fired for whistle-blowing, said federal employees should not think they can duplicate what he did unless they have several hundred thousand dollars to spend on attorneys. He was defended by a public interest group that can afford to back only a fraction of those who go against government employers, he said.

"If a government employee has that kind of money, they're usually not working for the government," said Berube. Those who think they can get help from the special government counsel set up to protect whistle-blowers may find "they're going to the executioner when they think they're going to the doctor," he said.

The special counsel for the merit board refused to take his case and ended up testifying in Congress against him, saying there were other grounds for firing him besides his criticism of waste, fire danger and health hazards in federal buildings, Berube said.

The GSA had claimed that Berube, who earned $64,000 a year overseeing 7,000 employees, engaged in "irresponsible sensationalism" in describing GSA's problems.

Herb Koster, a spokesman for Gerald Carmen, former GSA administrator who fired Berube, said Carmen would not comment on the settlement signed Aug. 18. Carmen now heads the Federal Asset Disposition Association.

GSA spokesman Paul Costello said GSA officials also had no comment on the agreement.

Thomas Devine, legal director for the Government Accountability Project which represents Berube and other government and private industry whistle-blowers, said rulings by the merit board during its consideration of Berube's case further inhibit whistle-blowing.

"Under the Berube standards, agencies have everything to gain and nothing to lose by opening up a witch hunt on a whistle-blower," he said.

Devine said that under the precedent, government agencies are allowed to look after-the-fact for reasons to justify a dismissal.

The Berube settlement agreement with GSA precludes further appeal by either side and says the settlement does not assume any "unlawful personnel practice, discrimination, reprisal or any other unlawful or illegal acts" by the agency or its officials.

Devine said neither the merit board nor the courts have done anything to discourage government reprisals against whistle-blowing employees.

Several states conduct primaries

Associated Press

Nevada voters were expected to set the stage today for Democratic Gov. Dick Bryan's drive to oust Republican Sen. Chic Hecht, while six Florida Democrats and two Republicans fought over the seat of retiring Sen. Lawton Chiles.

Hecht and Bryan faced only token opposition in today's primaries, and for months they have been attacking each other. Hecht, who is seeking his second term, has criticized the governor as too pro-labor. Bryan, in the middle of his second term, has charged Hecht with lacking credibility and being ineffective.

A poll taken in August for the gaming industry showed Bryan with a 14-point lead over Hecht, who six years ago narrowly defeated Democratic Sen. Howard Cannon after the incumbent was implicated in a Teamsters union scandal. Hecht has stopped releasing his own poll results but said he is closing the gap and considers the race a toss-up.

Hecht, whose voting record is extremely conservative, has become known for his occasional verbal miscues, once referring to a "nuclear suppository" when he meant "repository." A recent survey of Senate administrative assistants ranked him as the least effective senator in Washington.

Hecht's only primary opponent is Larry Scheffler, 38-year-old owner of a graphics business in Henderson who said he would press for reprocessing nuclear waste brought to Nevada so that only low-level, less radioactive waste would remain.

Bryan's opponents in the Democratic primary are Manford "Cave Rock Manny" Beals, Patrick Fitzpatrick, and Larry Kepler.

In Florida, a two-man Republican primary matched Rep. Connie Mack III, grandson of the legendary Philadelphia A's baseball manager, against former U.S. Attorney Robert Merkle, who successfully prosecuted Colombian cocaine kingpin Carlos Lehder Rivas.

Merkle entered the race late, in June, and Mack was heavily favored in pre-election polls after outspending his rival by about $2.2 million to $100,000.

President Reagan and former Marine Lt. Col. Oliver North made appearances for Mack, who has one of the most conservative records in Congress.

Merkle was frustrated by Mack's refusal to debate, and emphasized that point by carrying around a life-size replica of Mack he called "Cardboard Connie."

"If he debates me, he knows the jig's up," said Merkle. "He'd be forced to discuss issues. ... People would see the lights are on but nobody's home."

Mack said Merkle wasn't "a viable candidate," and that there was no reason "to have been drawn into his campaign. My feeling was that we should continue with delivery of the message we started with in October, talking about the importance of freedom, free markets, less taxes, freedom as an objective of foreign policy."

For the Democrats, state Insurance Commissioner Bill Gunter appeared to hold a wide lead, but not wide enough to win a majority and avoid an Oct. 4 runoff with the second-place finisher.

Others in the race were Reps. Dan Mica and Kenneth "Buddy" McKay, state Sen. Patricia Frank, former Republican Gov. Claude Kirk and former Senate postal clerk Fred Rader.

Gunter, who lost to Paula Hawkins in the 1980 Senate race, raised $1 million within six weeks of announcing, and opponents noted he took at least $160,000 from the insurance industry he regulates. MacKay campaign manager Greg Farmer called Gunter's department "a saga of sleaze."

The early Democratic frontrunner, former Gov. Reubin Askew, quit the race in May, saying running for office had become too expensive.

Sarah Brady says Reagan endorsed concept

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sarah Brady, whose husband was shot along with President Reagan, says Reagan recently reaffirmed to her that he supports a mandatory waiting period for the purchase of handguns.

The wife of presidential press secretary James Brady said she reminded Reagan in a telephone conversation that John W. Hinckley Jr. shot him and Brady in March 1981 with a gun purchased in a state — Texas — without a waiting period.

Mrs. Brady said Reagan endorsed the concept of a federal waiting period, but not the specific language in a comprehensive anti-drug bill that the House will consider this week — and likely pass.

"He recognized the need for federal legislation," Mrs. Brady said, after she told him that states "are not doing the job" in stopping drug dealers from obtaining handguns.

Debate on the overall drug bill begins Wednesday, and a final vote could take place Friday. The Senate will then follow with its own drug bill and the two versions would eventually be merged into final legislation.

The House bill as introduced would carry a $1.5 billion to $2 billion annual price tag, money that would be added to the $3.9 billion a year the federal government is now spending to fight drug use.

The legislation includes something for everyone involved in fighting illegal drugs: more money for education, treatment and rehabilitation; more resources for state and local law enforcement efforts to seize drugs on land, in the air and on the seas.

Strict controls would be placed for the first time on the chemicals used as raw materials in the manufacture of heroin and cocaine.

There will be controversies over Republican-inspired amendments for a federal death penalty against those who kill during a drug crime; a "good faith" exception that would allow use of illegally seized drug evidence in court, and denial of many federal benefits for convicted drug users.

Prison camp-outs keep mothers, children in touch

By TERRI COLBY

DWIGHT, Ill. (AP) — Wearing a yellow poncho in the steady rain, 10-year-old Margaret Nathaniel helped her mother stock their gray tent with camping supplies: sleeping bags, thin mattresses and a cooler.

Outside the tent, beneath a cluster of sturdy oak trees, they had a clear view of the 12-foot fence, topped with a spiral of barbed wire, that surrounded them and the rest of the Dwight Correctional Center, Illinois' only prison for women.

But inside, at the start of an overnight campout for inmates and their children, they could ignore the fence, be alone and, if only for a few hours, do the things that mothers and daughters do.

"It gives me pleasure today to sleep with her, to comb her hair, to wash her," said Margaret's mother, Cathy Nathaniel, a convicted murderer.

The campout on the last weekend of August was the last of three held over the summer at Dwight, located some 75 miles southwest of Chicago. About 80 children and 36 inmates took part in the program, funded by a federal grant, said Warden Jane Huch.

The children arrived on a Saturday morning, stayed overnight in tents with their mothers and left the next day. Volleyball, crafts, a play performed by the prison drama club and an evening bonfire helped fill their time.

The overnight visit gave Sheryl Decker, 37, a chance to have some "girl talk" with her 17-year-old daughter, Debbie, but it didn't completely ease the pain of separation.

"When we look at each other and I know she's got to go beyond that fence, you know it hurts, and we know it for a minute but then we shrug it off and we go on," Ms. Decker said. "We kind of play and get it up out of our system. But it's coming."

For Ms. Decker and Ms. Nathaniel, separation from their children is the hardest part of imprisonment.

"That is the punishment, that's it," said Ms. Nathaniel, who hopes to be paroled in 4½ years.

But the visits help.

Imprisonment means missing experiences that other mothers and daughters share, said Ms. Decker, who hopes to be paroled in three years from an 18-year term for armed violence.

"You go to sleep at night and you wake up and it's to the same thing every day," she said. "It's not like being with your child and raising them and teaching them the facts of life, going through their first dating experience ... finding her first love."

Ordinary visits can last from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on a weekday or until 7 p.m. on weekends, but Ms. Decker said it's not enough.

"You really don't have time to really talk about the most important parts of a daughter-and-mother relationship," she said.

Ms. Decker has been in prison for six years, since her daughter was 11. At first Debbie lived with foster parents, then at a children's home. Now she lives alone in the central Illinois town of Paris as she begins her senior year in high school.

She cries as she describes life without her mother, whom she calls her best friend.

"You know how you get up for school and your mom always tells you you look nice or you go to prom and they're there," she says, haltingly, adding that for her, "they're not there."

Luz Ferro, 26, has been in Dwight on a drug-dealing conviction for nearly half of her 4-year-old daughter's life.

Ms. Ferro says her daughter, Karina, who is living with her sister-in-law in Waukegan, is too young to fully understand why they have to be separated.

"Today she saw this little tent. She said, "Oh Mama, this is wonderful,' and I said 'Yes, honey, we're going to be sleeping here tonight.'

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Merganser wins All-American Futurity race

Horse Racing

RUIDOSO DOWNS, N.M. (AP) — All American Futurity winner Merganser is million-dollar proof that durability doesn't have to carry a big price tag.

Purchased a year ago for $9,000 by Oklahoma horsemen Jerry Wells and Ronald Shalz, the chestnut colt earned $1 million on Monday by taking the All American Futurity at Ruidoso Downs.

This year's 440-yard dash produced one of the closest finishes in the 30-year history of the race, the richest in the quarter horse industry with a total purse of $2.5 million.

Merganser, surviving a tough summer of racing that saw him win 10 of 12 races over a five-month period, finished a head in front of the Oklahoma filly See Me Do It. The filly was a nose in front of the colts Super De Kas and Sky Fire, who finished in a dead heat for third.

Sig Hanson, the undefeated California colt who was the 3-5 betting favorite, was another half-length back.

Despite nine victories and earnings of $321,049 prior to the futurity, Merganser was no better than the third choice with the fans. A second-place finish in the final trials that determined the 10-horse field led to speculation Merganser had been over-raced and sent most bettors to Sig Hanson's side.

But Merganser, who had repeatedly bounced back in solid form, refused to give in when challenged in the blanket finish.

Merganser's win also made the jockey-trainer combination of Jacky Martin and Jack Brooks the only four-time winners of the All American.

Martin and Brooks now have combined to win the futurity four times in the last 11 years. The first was Moon Lark in 1978, followed by Mr Master Bug in 1982 and Mr Trucka Jet in 1985.

Brooks, however, said Merganser might be a notch above the rest.

"I don't think there are too many colts who can win four futurities in one year," he said.

The futurity streak began in April at the Sunland Park track in southern New Mexico, where Merganser won the West Texas and Sun Country futurities.

He ran his only poor race of the year in the Kansas Futurity at Ruidoso Downs in June, finishing ninth after hitting his head in the starting gate. He rebounded to win the Raindbow Futurity, the second leg of quarter horse racing's triple crown, at Ruidoso in July, and qualified for the All American with a second-place finish to Easy Lady Oak in the time trials.

The win increased Merganser's earnings in his first season of racing to $1,321,049.

See Me Do It, also unbeaten going into the race, earned $343,500 for owner Jean Dillard of Ringling, Okla.

Super De Kas, owned by William Mills Jr. of Ocala, Fla., and Sky Fire, owned by J.D. Saunders of Baytown, Texas, split the third and fourth place money totaling $259,000.

Merganser, sent off at odds of 9-2, covered the 440 yards in 21.69 seconds and paid $11.60, $4.40 and $3.

See Me Do It paid $4.20 and $3.20; Sky Fire paid $4.20 and Super De Kas $2.60, both to show.

See Me Do It was first out of the gate with Larry Layton aboard.

Younger players shine in Open

U.S. Open

NEW YORK (AP) — Kids. What's the matter with kids today?

Nothing, if they're teenage American tennis players. Or a 21-year-old on the comeback trail.

Andre Agassi, the 18-year-old from Las Vegas who is the hottest men's player in the world, and 16-year-old Michael Chang, advanced Monday to the fourth round of the U.S. Open. Tonight, they meet on the stadium court in what Chang called a "special" match.

Aaron Krickstein, who gained fame here as a 16-year-old in 1983, when he made it to the fourth round, is back. This time, after a dramatic five-set night win over No. 3 Stefan Edberg in chilly, windy conditions, Krickstein is in the quarterfinals.

For once, the focus of the U.S. Open is on the United States.

Agassi, who has surged to fourth in the world and has won six tournaments this year, stretched his winning streak to 21 with a 6-3, 6-1, 2-6, 6-0 victory over Johan Kriek. Chang, ranked 48th, came from two sets behind Tim Wilkison for a 4-6, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4, 7-5 win over Tim Wilkison.

"It isn't the first time I'm playing him," Agassi said. "I played him in New York (at the Tournament of Champions). Every week that goes by, your game takes new levels when you are so young.

"It's unbelievable how much your game can improve in such a short time. I'm sure he's better now then when I played him before.

"I think for me to go out there and concentrate on my game ... if he can outdo me for three of our five sets, than he deserve to win."

Chang had never won a five-set match before doing it twice here — he upset No. 13 Jonas Svensson in the second round.

"He's 18, I'm 16, it's at the U.S. Open, the round of 16, it's a night match," Chang said. "I predict everyone is going to come watch. It's going to be fun."

And the winner might have to play Jimmy Connors, who took on Jorge Lozano of Mexico today. Connors, seeded sixth, is 36 — older than Agassi and Chang combined.

Spectators also came today to watch No. 1 Ivan Lendl against Jakob Hlasek of Switzerland, and unseeded American Derrick Rostagno against Haiti's Ronald Agenor.

Three other men's seeds were ousted Monday — No. 9 Tim Mayotte by Rostagno, No. 12 Guillermo Perez-Roldan of Argentina by Lozano, and No. 15 Anders Jarryd of Sweden by Hlasek. That left just four men's seeds in the tournament, the fewest in the round of 16 since 1971.

Two women's seeds lost to other seeded players. No. 7 Helena Sukova of Czechoslovakia was beaten by No. 14 Katerina Maleeva of Bulgaria 6-1, 6-3. Katerina's sister, No. 6 Manuela, eliminated No. 12 Barbara Potter 6-3, 6-2.

Other men's winners included Lendl, going for an unprecedented fourth straight Open crown, and No. 2 Mats Wilander.

The Australian advance was halted on three fronts as Mark Woodforde lost to Wilander, John Frawley fell to Emilio Sanchez of Spain, and Jason Stoltenberg was beaten by Agenor. But Darren Cahill moved into the quarterfinals by beating Martin Laurendeau of Canada.

Steffi Graf and Martina Navratilova, the top two women, struggled early before moving into the quarterfinals.

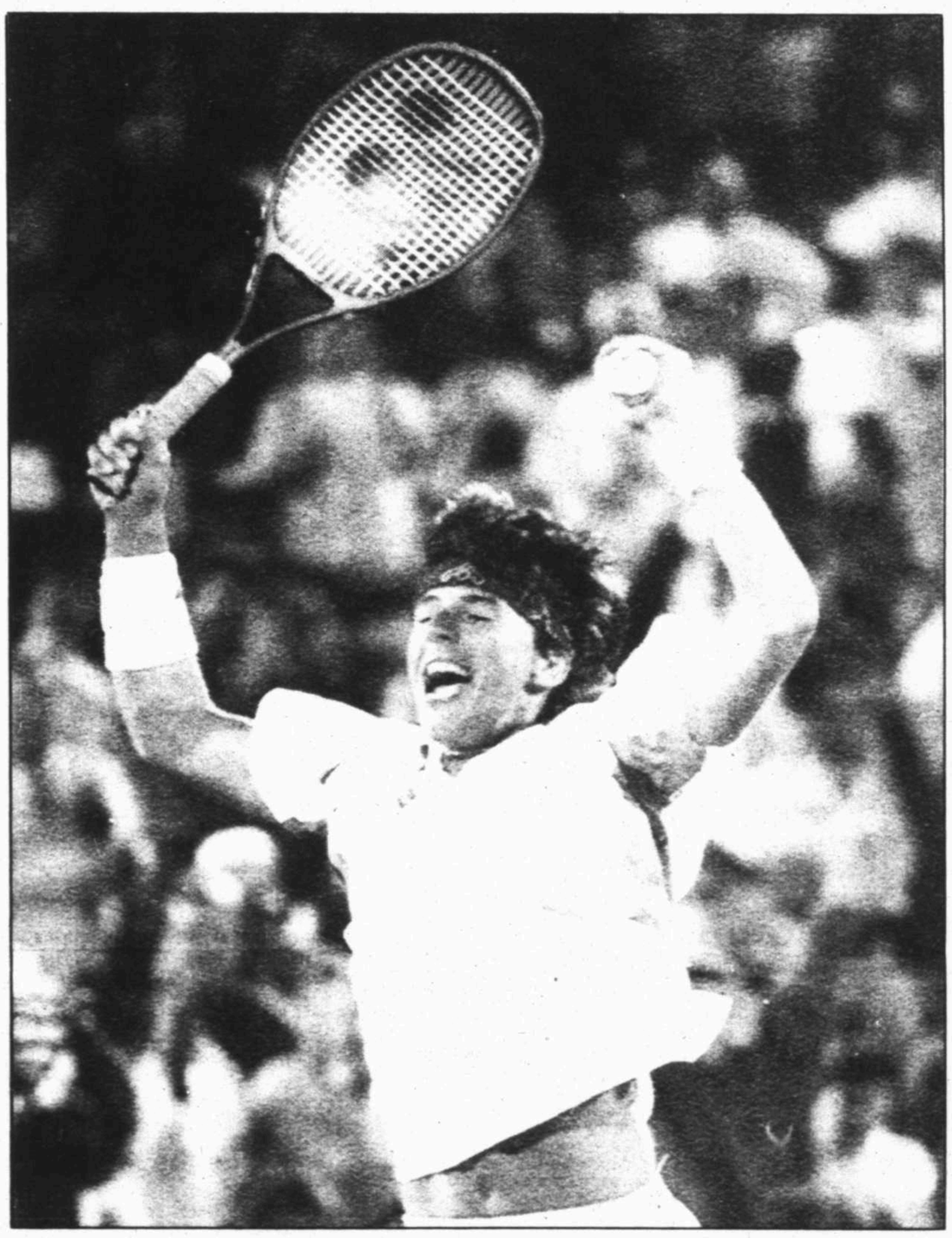
Graf, seeking the first Grand Slam since 1970, lost as many games in the first set against Patty Fendick as she had in her first three matches. The West German star won 6-4, 6-2.

"I was really impatient," Graf admitted. "The first week went too quickly for me. I'm happy to be into the second week."

Navratilova, the two-time defending champion, had a sleepy start against Elna Reinach of South Africa. Navratilova dropped the first four games, then woke up for a 6-4, 6-1 win.

"I probably shouldn't be telling you this," she said, "but I took a nap before the match and I was not quite awake at the beginning. I can't let what happened in the first four

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AP Laserphoto

Aaron Krickstein exults after upsetting Stefan Edberg in fourth-round action Monday night.

Hurricanes take rank in stride

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON
Associated Press

The Miami Hurricanes aren't nearly as excited about being No. 1 in this week's Associated Press college football poll as they were when they won the 1987 national championship.

"We set our goals toward team success and working at getting better each week," quarterback Steve Walsh said Monday after the Hurricanes leaped from sixth place to the top of the poll following Saturday night's 31-0 pasting of Florida State, which had been No. 1.

"We got off to a good start, but we didn't play anywhere near as good as we can offensively (Florida State "held" Miami to 450 yards). We want to continue to improve each week and get better," Walsh said. "If that happens, then all the rankings and all that other recognition will take care of itself."

Nebraska remained No. 2 while Florida State skidded to 10th and Texas A&M and Tennessee dropped out of the Top Twenty.

Miami received 38 of 60 first-place votes and 1,149 of a possible 1,200 points from a nationwide panel of sports writers and sportscasters. Nebraska, No. 2 in each of this season's three polls, received 14 first-place votes and 1,113 points following a 63-13 rout of Utah State.

Miami's players apparently have taken their low-key cue from coach Jimmy Johnson.

"It's really too early in the season for a coach to be concerned about the rankings," Johnson said. "I wouldn't even address it one way or another.

"We have a very young team and a lot of difficult games to play. Our only concern right now is going up and playing Michigan (on Sept. 17) in a place that's very difficult to play in. All we've done is win one game."

Defensive end Bill Hawkins said the Hurricanes "really don't get all that excited about the polls that take place during the season. The only poll that counts is the one on January 2nd and that's a long way off.

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Takeaways pace Giants to comeback win over 'Skins

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — Some coaches say to never to base a season on one game, but consider this:

During a dismal 6-9 season in 1987, the New York Giants never once rallied from more than seven points down to win a game, and more often than not, the trademark of the-then Super Bowl champions was finding ways to lose.

It was a far cry from 1986 when the Giants usually found ways to win.

The Giants on Monday night regained some of the 1986 championship form as Tom Flynn returned a blocked punt 27 yards for a touchdown and nose tackle Jim Burt scored on a 39-yard touchdown waddle with a fumble to rally New York to a season-opening 27-20 NFL victory over the Super Bowl champion Washington Redskins.

"Last year, there were so many times when we fell behind and couldn't come back or we had a lead in the fourth quarter and just couldn't hold it," Giants safety Kenny Hill said. "We knew this year had to establish some things."

What the Giants established Monday night in this matchup of the past two Super Bowl champions was that they could come back and that their defense is still very capable even without Lawrence Taylor, who is sitting out a 30-day suspension for substance abuse.

New York fell behind 13-0 in the opening 18:42 as Super Bowl hero Doug Williams hit Ricky Sanders with a 29-yard scoring pass and rookie Chip Lohmiller added field goals of 26 and 25 yards.

The Giants did not score until the final play of the half with a 23-yard field goal by Raul Allegre. However, being down 13-3 at the half might have been a moral victory for New York which was held to minus 2 yards rushing in the opening 30 minutes and was frequently in bad field position.

"When we came in here at halftime we just stressed that we had to hang together, and not panic," Giants linebacker Harry Carson said. "Defensively, we just hung together and made the plays."

Actually there were a lot of plays made by New York in the second half and they come from the defense, the special teams and even occassionally the offense.

"This was an ugly win," said offensive tackle Karl Nelson, who played in his first regular-season game after missing all of last season with cancer. "Thank God special teams played lights out. The offense did it when we had to and the defense did it when they had to and that was enough."

The Giants closed their deficit to 13-10 midway through the third quarter on a 9-yard touchdown run by Joe Morris that was set up by a 20-yard punt by Steve Cox of Washington.

The defense stopped Washington on its next series and then the special teams took over breaking Phil McConkey on a 35-yard punt return to the Redskins 22.

Schroeder gets deal wish

EL SEGUNDO, Calif. (AP) — The Los Angeles Raiders' fall from glory has been greatly precipitated by one fatal flaw — the lack of a quarterback.

Jay Schroeder cautions that he shouldn't be considered a "savior" for the Raiders.

"I'd like to think of myself as somebody that can play the game," the former Washington Redskins quarterback said Monday at a news conference. "My style seems to fit with the style here, and we'll go with that. But it's not one guy out there. It's 11 guys on offense, 11 guys on defense and all the special teams."

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BILL GRIMES

4-4A schools strut past 5A foes



Grimes

AROUND THE AREA — The Andrews Mustangs have to be hoping that District 4-4A schools' mastery over Class 5A opponents continues this week.

Precedent is on the side of the Mustangs going into Friday's game with Midland High, even though Coach W.T. Stapler's team played no part in developing said precedent.

While the Mustangs were all but blanking Wolfforth Frenship, 18-4, several of their district opponents were mastering 5A competition — if you can term El Paso schools as legit 5A quality football operations.

Even though El Paso isn't known as the hotbed of Texas schoolboy football (just ask Odessa Permian), let's assume District 4-4A rivals Pecos, Fort Stockton and Monahans put a feather in their caps with wins over El Paso High, EP Ysleta and EP Riverside.

From a purely numerical standpoint, these are all impressive wins. Fort Stockton (830) has less than a third the enrollment of Ysleta (2,675), while Pecos (930) and Monahans (790) are much smaller than EP High (1,675) and Riverside (1,826).

Even though Lubbock Coronado rapped Snyder to ruin a perfect 4-4A record vs. 5A foes, the smaller district's showing is nothing to sneeze at.

District 4-4A schools have another chance to shine against their larger neighbors. Fort Stockton again gets an El Paso foe, Socorro this time, while Andrews hosts Midland High, Monahans travels to Odessa High, San Angelo Lake View entertains Lubbock High and Sweetwater gets a visit from Abilene High.

Big Spring entertains Class 4A Lubbock Estacado, but that's misleading since the Estacado Matadors are considered to have a 5A quality program. The Steers probably shouldn't be envied.

THERE'S SOMETHING TO BE SAID for making one's high school football predictions on Tuesday. It gives people plenty of time to forget about them.

Midland High 28, Andrews 7. Michael Hernandez and Co. just don't have the speed to compete with the much-improved Bulldogs.

Lubbock Estacado 24, Big Spring 10. Don't look for these Matadors to get gored by them young Steers.

McCamey 14, Crane 7. Home-field advantage ought to be worth something, even though neither team generated much offense in Week 1.

Reagan County 28, Greenwood 14. Another tough week for the Rangers, as the Owls continue to build toward another outstanding year.

Stanton 10, Coahoma 7. Another defensive struggle for the Mustangs, who have shown their ability to pull out the close games.

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SportScan

TV Sports...

(Subject to Change)

BASEBALL — Philadelphia Phillies at Chicago Cubs, 7 p.m., WGN.

TENNIS — U.S. Open highlights, 11 p.m., CBS.

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"I would have thought that all I've done for them in the past, they wouldn't object. But the way they treat people, it doesn't surprise me." — Ivan Lendl, after the Czechslovakian government thwarted his bid for immediate U.S. citizenship and a berth in the Seoul Olympics.

Sports Today...

VOLLEYBALL — Midland Lee at Lamesa, 6:30 p.m.; Midland High at Denver City, 6 p.m.

Trivia Teaser...

Tuesday's Question— The name of the Duke University home football field is....?

Monday's Answer— Don Perkins (1961-68) is the Dallas Cowboys No. 2 all-time rusher with 6,217 yards.

Baseball Today...

SEASONS
Sept. 6

1905 — Frank Smith of the Chicago White Sox pitched a no-hit game against the Detroit Tigers for a 15-0 victory in the second game of a doubleheader. The score was the most lopsided margin of victory during a no-hitter in major league history.

1924 — Urban Shocker of the St. Louis Browns pitched two complete game victories over the Chicago White Sox and won both by the identical score of 6-2.

1943 — At 16 years, eight months and five days, Philadelphia A's pitcher Carl Scheib became the youngest player to appear in an American League game.

1950 — Don Newcombe failed to pitch a doubleheader for the Brooklyn Dodgers by leaving in the seventh inning of the second game, trailing the Philadelphia Phillies 2-0. Newcombe had won the first game 2-0.

1952 — Robin Roberts of the Philadelphia Phillies went the distance in a 7-6, 17-inning, victory over the Boston Braves to open a doubleheader. The Phillies won the game on a home run by Del Ennis in the 17th.

1981 — Fernando Valenzuela of the Los Angeles Dodgers beat the St. Louis Cardinals 5-0 to tie a National League record of seven shutouts by a rookie pitcher.

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West Texas Sports

Football

UT-BYU film for Midland Texas Exes 7 p.m. Sept. 8 at The Bar, 606 W. Missouri...

Men's Flag football meeting 6 p.m. Sept. 6, Midland P&R office, 300 Baldwin. Call 685 7355....

Fishing

Tall City Fishing Club's Sept. 9-11 at Wildcat Marina, Lake Spence. Entry fee $10. Contact Albert Beto Valles at 682-9136.

Field Hockey

Organizational field hockey meeting 2 p.m. Sept. 11 at Midland College Student Union parking lot. Men, women ages 12 and up. Instruction offered. Equipment available...

Water Skiing

WT tournament Sept. 18 at Pleasure Lake (between Stanton and Big Spring), details 697 6711...

Golf

Winkler County 2-man-2-lady Crimestoppers Scramble Sept. 17-18. Fee $50. Contact Todd Ethridge 586 6213 or Paula Cole 527 3685...

RK Petroleum WT Open GTCC Oct. 21-23. Pros $175. Amateurs $88. Seniors division. Contact 694 7726...

Uvalde Golf Course hosts a tournament Sept. 17. Florida Scramble. 9 a.m. shotgun start. Entry Fee $25 per person. For more information, call 512-278-6155...

Andrews Country Club two-lady scramble, Sept 10-11. Entry fee $70 per team; call 1-523-2461 ...

Flatlanders

Texas Ski Week Jan. 7-14 at Steamboat Springs, Colo., $720 air package and $460 ground...

Running

SeptemberFest Run-for-Fun 8:30 a.m. Sept. 10. 10K, 2 mile entry fee $10; $12 race day. Contact Craig St. Martin 699-5308 or 694-7565 ...

Race Against Time 5K in Dallas Sept. 11. Call 1-800-888-2RUN...

Volleyball

Central Y Fall Adult League begins Sept. 29 Tuesdays, Thursdays. Deadline Sept. 25. Brent Finlay at 682-2551...

Coed Power League Northeast Y. Starts Sept. 29. Deadline Sept. 25. Call 682 8469...

Softball

Midland Stone Tournament Sept. 17-18. Entry fee $90. Sept. 15 deadline. Call Tony Stone at 699-4244...

Double Elimination tourney at **Avalos Field in Uvalde** 9 a.m. Oct. 2. 15 players per team. Tony Rodriguez at 278-2330...

Bowling

Youth Program roundup Sept. 3 and 10th from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Dellwood Lanes for ages four to seniors in high school. Call 697-7871...

Uvalde Bowling Center tournament Sept. 10. Entry fee $10 per person. George Fugimoto at 512-278-3046.

Karate

Black belt instructor Curtis Abernathy lessons at the Central Y Tuesdays, Thursdays beginning Sept. 15.

Flag Football

Men's Flag Football League meeting 6 p.m. Sept. 6 at Midland P&R office, 300 Baldwin. Calla 685 7355.

Racewalking

Central YMCA racewalk 8:30 a.m. Oct. 1. Call 682-2551...

Kosar injured

BEREA, Ohio (AP) — The Cleveland Browns are facing the probability of having to play as many as eight NFL games without star quarterback Bernie Kosar, the top rated passer in the American Football Conference last season.

Kosar, at 24 the youngest starting quarterback in the league, is expected to be sidelined four to eight weeks because of an injury to his throwing arm suffered in Sunday's season-opener, a hard-fought 6-3 win over the Kansas City Chiefs.

Kosar and coach Marty Schottenheimer said Monday that Dr. John Bergfeld of the Cleveland Clinic made the prognosis after Kosar's examination Monday morning revaled strained elbow ligaments.

"I'm obviously, from my standpoint, pretty disappointed," Kosar said, shortly after receiving the diagnosis. "The encouraging thing, though, is that the team is solid and has a lot of depth. This will be a true test of our team's character."

Forsch shines in Astro win

Associated Press

Nerves proved more of an obstacle for Bob Forsch in his first appearance as a Houston Astro than the Cincinnati Reds.

Forsch allowed five hits in eight innings and hit a three-run double as the Astros defeated Cincinnati 3-0 Monday night, snapping the Reds' five-game winning streak.

Forsch, 38, broke into the major leagues with St. Louis in 1974 and remained a Cardinal until last Wednesday when he was traded to the Astros for utilityman Denny Walling.

"I remember my first start (ever), it was against Cincinnati when they were the Big Red Machine. I was just as nervous starting this game. It was deja vu," Forsch said.

Reds rookie starter Norm Charlton, 1-3, hit Glenn Davis with a pitch leading off the fifth and Buddy Bell singled. After a sacrifice by Billy Hatcher advanced the runners, Rafael Ramirez was intentionally walked to load the bases.

Alex Trevino flied to shallow center for the second out, but Forsch followed with a double to center field that cleared the bases.

Forsch is 8-for-27 (.296) this season with five runs batted in. He's 186-for-864 (.215) in his career with 80 RBI.

"Pitching-wise and hitting-wise, his first game as an Astro was a great game. He pitched an outstanding ball game," Houston manager Hal Lanier said. "He's always been a good hitter. If I hadn't had him, I would have played the whole inning differently. He started out as a third baseman, and he's a good athlete all the way around."

Dodgers 3, Braves 0

Orel Hershiser pitched a four-hitter and won his 19th game as visiting Los Angeles beat Atlanta to snap a three-game losing streak.

Hershiser, 19-8, struck out eight and walked one en route to his fourth shutout and fourth straight complete game.

Mets 7, Pirates 5

New York moved 10 games ahead of second-place Pittsburgh in the East as Mookie Wilson hit a three-run homer in the eighth inning following Lee Mazzilli's tie-breaking sacrifice fly.

David Cone, 15-3, pitched seven innings for his sixth victory in seven decisions and Darryl Strawberry hit a solo homer run as Mets won for the ninth time in 11 games. They are 11-4 against the Pirates, who have lost four in a row and 26 of their last 41.

Padres 7, Giants 4

San Diego beat San Francisco at Candlestick Park to improve to 67-68 and move above the .500 mark for the first time since July 19, 1986.

Cardinals 6, Expos 2

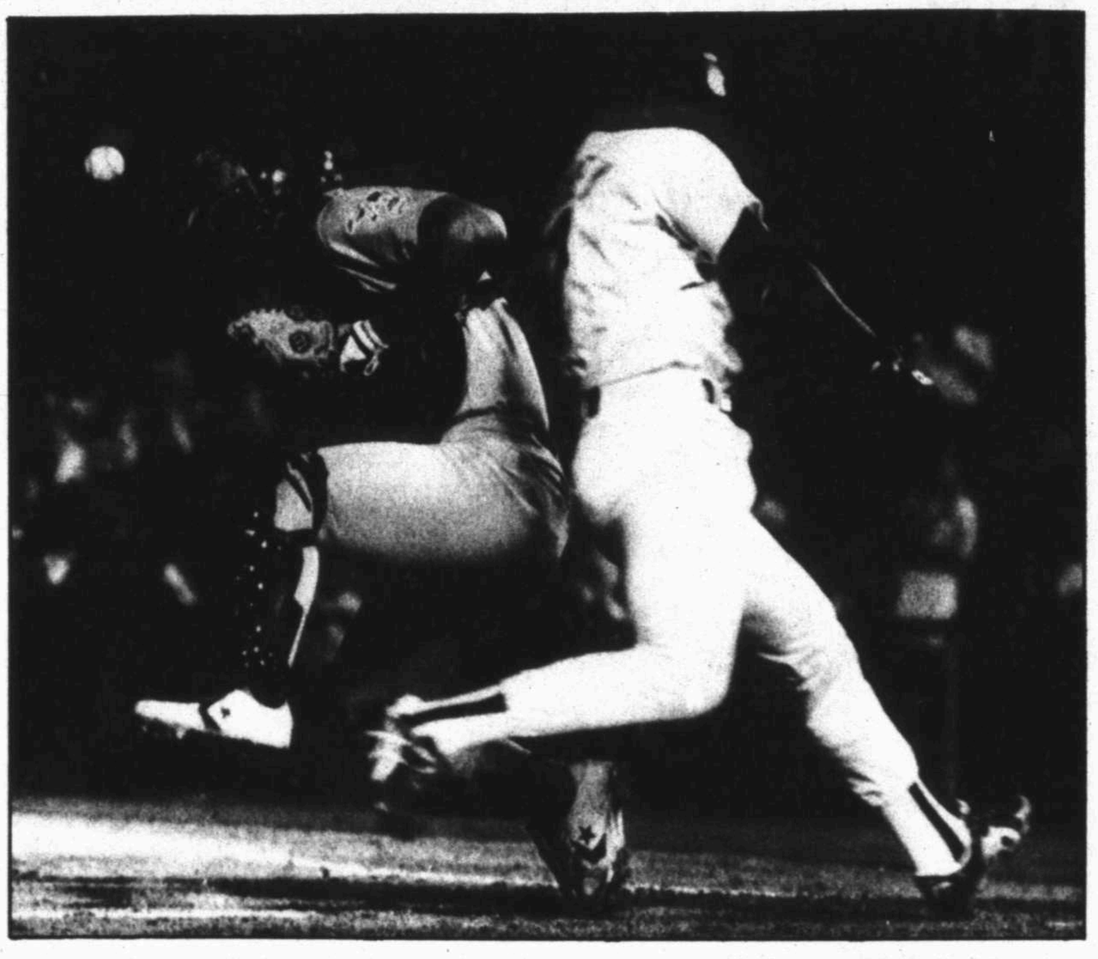
Pedro Guerrero hit his first homer as a Cardinal at Busch Stadium and Scott Terry won his fifth straight game as St. Louis defeated Montreal, snapping the Expos' four-game winning streak.

Cubs 14, Phillies 3
Phillies 4, Cubs 3

Ricky Jordan's sixth hit of the day, a two-run homer in the seventh inning, gave Philadelphia a 4-3 victory over Chicago at Wrigley Fiueld and a doubleheader split.

In the first game, rookie center fielder Doug Dascenzo hit a double and RBI single during an eight-run, third inning as the Cubs beat the Phillies 14-3.

The Labor Day doubleheader was the result of the rainout of the Cubs' first home night game ever on Aug. 8.





AP Laserphotos

Top, Barbaro Garbey of the Texas Rangers scores despite the presence of Oaland catcher Terry Steinbach in Monday's game. Bottom, Seattle Mariners Jim Presley, Scott Bankhead and Mark Langston clown around.

Red Sox seize E. Division lead

Associated Press

American

It was a night of firsts for the Boston Red Sox — first time in a long time they had won two straight on the road and, more importantly, first time they had undisputed possession of first place in two years.

The Red Sox finally got over the hump Monday night with a 4-1 victory at Baltimore while Detroit was losing 5-4 in 10 innings to Toronto. That gave Boston a one-game lead over the Tigers in the sizzling American League East race which also saw the Milwaukee Brewers and New York Yankees keep pace with victories on Monday.

"Now we don't have to scoreboard watch as much," Marty Barrett said after the Red Sox took over first place alone for the first time since 1986, when they won the AL pennant.

"If we keep winning, teams can't creep up on us. We've got half our games against Cleveland and Baltimore. We need to play well against them and break even against New York and Toronto."

Hanging tough just behind the 1-2 teams in the AL East were the Yankees and Brewers, who remained virtually tied for third, four games out. The Yankees were one percentage point ahead of the Brewers after their 7-2 victory over Cleveland on Monday. The surging Brewers, meanwhile, beat Chicago 5-2 for their seventh straight victory.

Elsewhere, it was Oakland 11, Texas 4; California 4, Kansas City 2, and Minnesota 2, Seattle 0.

Dwight Evans knocked in three runs, two with a homer, and Larry Parrish homered for the fourth time in five games to lead the Red Sox. The slugging of the pair helped Mike Smithson win his first game since July 23.

"I was real happy with how I pitched," said Smithson, who scattered eight hits in six innings. "I had all the pitches. It may have looked like they were getting a lot of hits, but they were high bouncers and bloopers ... It's a funny game, the line drives get caught and the bloopers fall in."

The 6-foot-8 right-hander improved his record to 7-5, striking out three and walking two batters. In his previous seven appearances, Smithson was 0-2 with an 8.80 ERA.

The victory marked the first time since June 21 that the Red Sox won back-to-back games on the road. Boston, now 31-38 away from Fenway Park this year, defeated California 6-5 Sunday in Anaheim.

Blue Jays 5, Tigers 4

Ernie Whitt homered leading off the 10th inning to power Toronto over Detroit at Tiger Stadium. The Tigers have lost five in a row and 12 of its last 14 games.

It's the first time since July 27 that the Tigers have not been in first place. The fifth-place Blue Jays have won five straight and are 6½ games in back of the Red Sox.

Todd Stottlemyre, 4-8, pitched three innings of perfect relief for the victory and Duane Ward got his 12th save.

Whitt hit the game-winning homer off reliever Guillermo Hernandez, 5-4. It was Whitt's 21st home run lifetime against Detroit, 11 at Tiger Stadium.

Yankees 7, Indians 2

Don Mattingly singled home the go-ahead run and Ken Phelps hit a three-run homer as New York scored six times in the eighth inning to beat Cleveland.

Brewers 5, White Sox 2

Paul Molitor hit a leadoff home run in the bottom of the first inning, sending Milwaukee over Chicago.

Rookie Don August, 9-6, allowed six hits and left the game after Carlton Fisk's leadoff homer in the ninth. Juan Nieves relieved for his first career save.

A walk-up crowd of 18,492, lured by Milwaukee's surge, boosted the Labor Day attendance to a total of 32,024. The Brewers had been 11 games behind in the AL East on Aug. 26.

A's 11, Rangers 4

Storm Davis won his 10th straight game and Mark McGwire, Jose Canseco and Dave Henderson homered to lead a 15-hit attack for Oakland.

In his last 12 starts Davis, 15-4, has had 10 victories and two no-decisions. Davis improved his lifetime record against the Rangers to 11-1.

Oakland won for the eighth time in its last 10 games and lowered its magic number to 16. Any combination of A's victories and Minnesota Twins' defeats equalling 16 will give the A's the AL West title.

With their sixth consecutive defeat, the Rangers were mathematically eliminated from the AL West race.

Angels 4, Royals 2

Wally Joyner doubled home the tying run in the eighth inning, then scored the game-winner on an error by right fielder Bo Jackson as California beat Kansas City.

Charlie Leibrandt, 10-12, walked Brian Downing with two outs in the eighth before Joyner doubled home pinch-runner Mark McLemore to tie the game at 2-2.

The winner was Willie Fraser, 11-10. Reliever Brian Harvey got the final two outs for his 15th save.

Twins 2, Mariners 0

Frank Viola won his major league-leading 21st game and John Moses' run-scoring single broke a scoreless tie in the eighth inning as Minnesota defeated visiting Seattle.

Viola, 21-6, yielded five hits in 8 2-3 innings and struck out eight.

Green outlasts Verplank for win

Canadian Open

OAKVILLE, Ontario (AP) — Ken Green was standing in the 18th fairway, his hand resting on a 1-iron in his bag, watching and waiting.

He was watching Scott Verplank, on the green ahead, lining up a 20-foot birdie putt that could tie the Canadian Open.

Green was waiting to make a decision on whether to go for the water-guarded green on the par-5 finishing hole at the Glen Abbey Golf Club.

When Verplank's putt missed, Green dropped the 1-iron like a wriggling reptile and grabbed the 8-iron.

"If he'd made the putt, I'd have gone for the green. I'm glad he missed it," Green said. "It's a lot easier to hit a lay-up 8-iron and a wedge than a pure 1-iron."

Green's par at the 72nd hole on Monday gave him a final round of par 72 and a 275 total, 13 under par. The one-stroke victory in the rain-delayed tournament was worth $135,000 from the total purse of $750,000 and pushed his year's earnings to a career-high $413,097.

Verplank, who tied for second at 276 with Bill Glasson, had a closing 70 and was two under for the seven holes he played Monday. Glasson finished off a 67 with birdies on the three holes he played.

"There are guys that say they want to have to birdie the 18th to win. I'm not one of them. I wanted to have to make par," Green said.

He did. He laid it up safely, pitched on and two-putted for the title, the third of his career and he said, the best.

"The first was great. The second was even nicer. But it had been two years since I won," said Green, who had lost two playoffs this season. "So this one, I actually think they just keep getting better."

Green led by three strokes with seven holes to play when he and 20 others returned to the Glen Abbey Golf Club course Monday morning

King earns Springfield win

LPGA

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP) — A two-stroke lead didn't look like much to Betsy King, who had it, or to Margaret Ward, who was trying to overcome it.

But that turned out to be enough Monday to give King her third career victory and a $37,500 winner's check in the $250,000 LPGA Rail Classic at the Rail Golf Club.

She endured a late surge by Ward to win the tournament with a final round of 1-under-par 71, giving her a 9-under-par total of 207 for 54 holes on the wind-blown 6,403-yard course.

King started Monday's final round with that two-stroke edge and led by as many as five shots in the early going. But her own miscues and birdies by Ward on the 14th and 16th made it close before Ward bogeyed the 17th and sealed King's victory.

"I felt like I had a lot of chances to put it away, but I never really did," King said. "It's amazing when you're out there with a two- or three-shot lead and it feels a lot closer."

Monday's victory was King's second of the season along with the Kemper Open in March.

Drillers take 2-game lead

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — The Tulsa Drillers scored twice in the sixth inning to defeat El Paso 3-1 and take a two-game lead in their Texas League championship series on Monday.

El Paso, the Western Division champion, took a 1-0 lead in the second inning when Greg Vaughn doubled to left field and scored from third one out later on a sacrifice fly by Joe Mitchel.

Tulsa tied the game in the fourth inning on back-to-back singles by Scott Coolbaugh and Kevin Reimer and a sacrifice fly by Gar Milay that scored Coolbaugh.

The Drillers, the league's Eastern Division champs, took the lead with two runs in the sixth inning. Tack Wilson started the rally with an infield single and advanced to second on a groundout. He scored on a single by Reimer, who then came in when Milay followed with a double.

Ten Goose and the Nunn...they're not kidding

By ED SCHUYLER
Associated Press

Analysis

This is a story about Ten Goose and the Nunn.

Ten Goose is not incorrect English, it's the name of a boxing management outfit comprised of eight Goosen brothers and two Goosen sisters.

Serving as secretary is Mother Goosen, whose name is Ann.

Nunn isn't a grammatical goof either, but a middleweight boxer with the first name of Michael.

Afte every Nunn fight, a gaggle of Goosens can be found at ringside celebrating.

Celebrations have occurred after all of the 25-year-old Nunn's 31 pro fights and it's likely they will continue for some time. The next opportuity will come when Nunn defends the International Boxing Federation middleweight title against Juan Domingo Roldan on Oct. 4 at Las Vegas, Nev.

The featured fighter on the card will be Thomas Hearns, bidding to win an unprecedented fifth title as he faces IBF super middleweight champion Fulgencio Obelmejias. But the best fighter on it will be Nunn.

"As long as Michael does his job, as he has done from Day One, he can beat any middleweight in the world," said Dan Goosen, who is the senior partner in Ten Goose, which also manages three other fighters and promotes monthly shows in Reseda, Calif.

Joe Goosen trains the boxers. Another brother, Pat, is a former pro welterweight who had about a dozen fights, and Dan once unsuccessfully tried out for the Dallas Chaparrals of the old American Basketball Association.

The brother who looked as though he would be the Golden Goosen as an athlete, was Greg, who recalls boxing with his brothers as a boy.

"Our father taught us to box and we boxed all over the house," Greg said. "I don't know if he ever fought in the ring but he knew how to defend himself."

The father was a policeman.

Baseball was the sport that interested Greg.

"I knew when I was a little kid I was going to be a major league baseball player," he said. And he was. As a catcher, he played in parts of five seasons with the pre-championship New York Mets and part of the 1969 season with fleeting Seattle Pilots.

He also the subject of one of the late Casey Stengel's greatest lines.

During Goosen's rookie season of 1965, he recalls, Stengel was talking about him and other younger players as being good enough to be 10-year men in the majors.

That might have been what Stengel meant, but what he said about Goosen was:

"He's 20 years old, and in 10 years he's got a chance to be 30."

Greg, who hit 109 home runs in the minors, hit 12 homers and batted .241 in 151 major league games. After spending the 1971 season with three clubs in the Pacific Coast League, he retired.

Sports Scoreboard

American

Athletics 11, Rangers 4

OAKLAND	ab	r	h	bi	TEXAS	ab	r	h	bi
Lansfrd 3b	4	0	1	1	McDwel cf	2	0	0	0
Phillips 3b	2	0	0	0	Brower cf	2	1	1	0
DHedan cf	4	2	2	1	Fletchr ss	2	0	1	0
Polonia lf	1	0	0	0	Browne 2b	3	1	3	3
Jose lf	0	0	0	0	Sierra rf	3	0	1	1
Canseco rf	4	3	3	2	Jeffcoat p	0	0	0	0
Jennge rf	0	0	0	0	Russell ph	1	0	0	0
McGwir 1b	4	3	2	3	OBrien 1b	3	0	0	0
Steinbch c	5	1	2	1	Petrelli 3b	4	0	0	0
Baylor dh	4	0	2	1	Espy lf	4	0	1	0
Javier lf	5	0	1	1	Buechle 3b	1	0	0	0
Gallego 2b	4	1	1	0	Kunkel ss	3	0	0	0
Weiss ss	4	1	1	0	Wilkrsn 2b	1	0	0	0
Blknshp 2b	1	0	0	0	MStanly c	2	0	0	0
					Sundbrg c	2	1	1	0
					Garbey 3b	2	1	1	0
Totals	42	11	15	10	Totals	35	4	9	4

Oakland	204 220 100—11
Texas	000 003 001— 4

GW RBI-McGwire (20). E—Fletcher, Gallego. DP—Oakland 1. LOB—Oakland 8, Texas 8. 2B—Canseco, Sundberg, Browne, McGwire. HR— McGwire (26), DHenderson (23), Canseco (36). SB—Canseco (35). SF—Canseco.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Oakland						
GDavis W,15-4	7 1-3	6	3	3	3	5
Honeycutt	2-3	1	0	0	1	0
Nelson	1	2	1	0	0	0
Texas						
Kilgus L,11-13	3 2-3	9	8	7	1	1
Henry	1 1-3	4	2	2	0	1
May	3	2	1	1	1	2
Jeffcoat	1	0	0	0	0	2

HBP—Baylor by Kilgus. T—2:59. A—10,934.

Twins 2, Mariners 0

SEATTLE	ab	r	h	bi	MINNESOTA	ab	r	h	bi
Brantly cf	4	0	1	0	Moses lf	4	1	1	1
Reynlds 2b	4	0	1	0	Newmn 3b	4	0	1	1
Coles lf	3	0	1	0	Puckett cf	4	0	1	0
Balboni 1b	4	0	0	0	Hrbek 1b	3	0	2	0
ADavis dh	3	0	0	0	Larkin dh	3	0	0	0
Valle c	3	0	1	0	Bush rf	3	0	0	0
Buhner rf	3	0	0	0	Laudner c	2	0	1	0
EMrtnz 3b	3	0	1	0	Gagne ss	2	1	0	0
Quinons ss	3	0	0	0	Lmbrdz 2b	2	0	0	0
Totals	30	0	5	0	Totals	27	2	6	2

Seattle	000 000 000—0
Minnesota	000 000 02x—2

GW RBI-Moses (3). E—Quinones. DP—Seattle 2, Minnesota 1. LOB—Seattle 4, Minnesota 4. 2B— Coles, Laudner. S—Gagne, Lombardozzi.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Seattle						
Hanson L,0-1	7 1-3	6	2	0	1	2
MJackson	2-3	0	0	0	0	0
Minnesota						
Viola W,21-6	8 2-3	5	0	0	1	8
Reardon S,36	1-3	0	0	0	0	0

T—2:17. A—31,133.

Brewers 5, Chisox 2

CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi	MILWAUKEE	ab	r	h	bi
Gallghr cf	4	0	2	0	Molitor 3b	4	2	2	1
Lyons 3b	4	0	0	0	Leonard lf	3	1	1	0
Baines dh	4	0	1	0	Felder lf	0	0	0	0
Fisk c	2	1	1	1	Yount cf	4	0	1	1
Boston lf	3	1	1	0	Deer rf	3	0	1	1
Morrne ph	1	0	0	0	Brock 1b	4	1	1	0
MiDiaz 1b	4	0	0	0	Meyer dh	3	0	1	0
Guillen ss	4	0	1	1	Hamltn pr	0	1	0	0
KWilms rf	3	0	0	0	MiYong ph	1	0	0	0
Hill 2b	3	0	0	0	Surhoff c	4	0	2	1
					Sheffild ss	2	0	0	1
					Ganter 2b	3	0	1	0
Totals	32	2	6	2	Totals	31	5	10	5

Chicago	010 000 001—2
Milwaukee	102 002 00x—5

GW RBI-Yount (10). E—MiDiaz. DP—Milwaukee 1. LOB— Chicago 5, Milwaukee 5. 2B—Boston, Yount. 3B—Guillen. HR—Molitor (12), Fisk (15). SB—Surhoff (18), Brock (4). SF—Deer, Sheffield.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Chicago						
Hillegas L,0-1	5 1-3	9	5	5	1	4
BJones	1 2-3	0	0	0	0	1
Patterson	1	1	0	0	0	0
Milwaukee						
August W,9-6	8	6	2	2	2	4
Nieves S,1	1	0	0	0	0	1

August pitched to 1 batter in the 9th. WP—August. T—2:39. A—26,992.

Yankees 7, Indians 2

CLEVELAND	ab	r	h	bi	NEW YORK	ab	r	h	bi
RWagtn 3b	3	1	1	0	RHndsn lf	4	1	0	1
Upshaw 1b	3	1	2	1	Rndlph 2b	3	1	0	0
Franco 2b	3	0	0	1	Mtngly 1b	4	1	2	1
Carter cf	4	0	1	0	Winfield rf	4	1	3	1
Hall lf	4	0	0	0	Phelps dh	4	1	1	3
Kittle dh	4	0	1	0	Pgirulo 3b	4	1	1	1
DClark rf	3	0	2	0	GWard cf	3	1	1	0
CCastill ph	1	0	0	0	Velarde ss	0	0	0	0
Allanson c	3	0	0	0	Slaught c	2	0	1	0
Zuvella ss	3	0	0	0	Santana ss	2	0	0	0
					JClark ph	0	0	0	0
					Kelly cf	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	2	7	2	Totals	30	7	9	7

Cleveland	101 000 000—2
New York	000 010 06x—7

GW RBI-Mattingly (12). E—Mattingly. DP—Cleveland 2, New York 1. LOB—Cleveland 5, New York 2. 3B—Slaught. HR—Upshaw (11), Pagliarulo (12), Phelps (21). SB—Franco (22), Upshaw (12), RHenderson 2 (77). S—Allanson, Slaught.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Cleveland						
Candiotti	7	5	1	1	0	3
Gordon L,2-3	2-3	1	3	3	2	0
Bailes	0	1	1	1	0	0
Dedmon	1-3	2	2	2	0	1
New York						
Rhoden W,9-10	8	7	2	2	2	1
Righetti	1	0	0	0	0	2

Bailes pitched to 1 batter in the 8th. HBP—RWashington by Rhoden. BK— Gordon. A—27,884.

Red Sox 4, Orioles 1

BOSTON	ab	r	h	bi	BALTIMORE	ab	r	h	bi
Boggs 3b	5	1	2	0	Orsulak rf	5	0	1	0
Barrett 2b	3	1	1	0	BAndsn cf	3	0	1	1
DwEvns rf	5	1	3	3	CRipkn ss	3	0	0	0
Greenwl lf	4	0	2	0	Murray dh	3	0	1	0
Burks cf	4	0	0	0	Kennedy c	4	0	1	0
Bnzngr 1b	4	0	0	0	Sheets lf	3	0	2	0
Parrish dh	4	1	1	1	Traber 1b	4	0	1	0
JoReed ss	2	0	2	0	Gonzals 3b	3	1	1	0
Gedman c	3	0	0	0	Stanick ph	1	0	1	0
					BRipkn 2b	3	0	1	0
					Tettleto ph	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	4	11	4	Totals	33	1	10	1

Boston	110 000 002—4
Baltimore	000 010 000—1

GW RBI-DwEvans (11). E—Gonzales. DP—Boston 1, Baltimore 2. LOB—Boston 11, Baltimore 9. 2B— BAnderson, JoReed. HR—Parrish (13), DwEvans (14). SB—Burks 2 (23). S— BAnderson, Barrett.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Boston						
Smithson W,7-5	6	8	1	1	2	3
Lamp	1	0	0	0	0	2
LSmith S,23	2	2	0	0	1	3
Baltimore						
Schmidt L,7-4	7	8	2	2	4	4
Olson	2-3	0	0	0	3	1
Thurmond	1-3	0	0	0	0	1
Wilmson	1	3	2	2	0	0

BK—Smithson. T—3:20. A—19,614.

Blue Jays 5, Tigers 4

TORONTO	ab	r	h	bi	DETROIT	ab	r	h	bi
Fernndz ss	4	0	3	4	Pettis cf	4	1	1	0
Moseby cf	5	0	0	0	Brgmn ph	1	0	0	0
Milnks dh	3	0	2	0	Salazar ss	4	0	1	2
Fielder ph	0	0	0	0	Traml ph	0	0	0	0
Infante pr	0	0	0	0	Lynn lf	5	1	1	1
GBell lf	5	0	1	0	Lemon rf	4	1	1	0
Whitt c	5	1	1	1	Knight 1b	3	0	0	0
McGriff 1b	4	2	1	0	DaEvns 1b	1	0	0	0
Barfield rf	4	1	1	0	Herndn dh	1	0	0	1
Gruber 3b	4	0	0	0	Murphy ph	1	0	0	0
Lee 2b	4	1	3	0	Heath c	3	0	0	0
					Nokes c	1	0	0	0
					Brokns 3b	3	0	0	0
					Whendr 2b	2	1	1	0
					Sheridn ph	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	5	12	5	Totals	33	4	5	4

Toronto	030 001 000 1—5
Detroit	100 021 000 0—4

GW RBI-Whitt (4). E—Lee. DP—Toronto 2, Detroit 3. LOB—Toronto 9, Detroit 6. 2B—Fernandez, Mulliniks, Lee, Salazar, Lemon. HR—Lynn (19), Whitt (12). SB—Fernandez (13). SF—Herndon.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Toronto						
Flanagan	6 1-3	5	4	2	4	2
Stottlmyr W,4-8	2 2-3	0	0	0	0	2
DWard S,12	1	0	0	0	2	1
Detroit						
Morris	8	11	4	4	5	4
Hernandz L,5-4	2	1	1	1	0	1

HBP—Fielder by Hernandez. T—3:25. A—21,913.

Baseball Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Boston	78	61	.555	—	4-6	Won 2	45-23	31-38
Detroit	75	62	.547	1	1-9	Lost 5	42-28	33-34
New York	71	64	.526	4	3-7	Won 1	38-30	33-34
Milwaukee	74	67	.525	4	z-9-1	Won 7	42-30	32-37
Toronto	70	68	.507	6½	7-3	Won 5	35-33	35-35
Cleveland	66	71	.482	10	z-5-5	Lost 2	37-31	29-40
Baltimore	48	86	.353	27½	4-6	Lost 1	29-38	19-50

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Oakland	87	51	.630	—	z-8-2	Won 3	45-24	42-27
Minnesota	77	60	.562	9½	5-5	Won 1	40-29	37-31
Kansas City	72	65	.526	14½	z-6-4	Lost 1	38-30	34-35
California	71	67	.514	16	z-7-3	Won 1	33-35	38-32
Texas	60	76	.441	26	z-2-8	Lost 6	33-36	27-40
Chicago	3	78	.431	27½	4-6	Lost 1	34-35	25-43
Seattle	55	83	.399	32	4-6	Lost 2	30-38	25-45

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
New York	81	54	.600	—	z-8-2	Won 3	44-23	37-31
Pittsburgh	71	64	.526	10	z-3-7	Lost 4	37-32	34-32
Montreal	70	66	.515	11½	5-5	Lost 1	36-30	33-36
Chicago	67	69	.493	14½	z-4-6	Lost 1	34-35	33-34
St. Louis	64	73	.467	18	z-7-3	Won 1	34-35	30-38
Philadelphia	55	81	.404	26½	3-7	Won 1	32-35	23-46

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Los Angeles	78	57	.578	—	6-4	Won 1	36-31	42-26
Houston	74	63	.540	5	z-6-4	Won 3	42-28	32-35
Cincinnati	71	65	.522	7½	6-4	Lost 1	36-31	35-34
San Francisco	70	67	.511	9	2-8	Lost 4	40-29	30-38
San Diego	68	67	.504	10	z-7-3	Won 4	39-28	29-39
Atlanta	46	89	.341	32	3-7	Lost 1	23-44	23-45

z-denotes first game was a win

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Monday's Games

Minnesota 2, Seattle 0
Milwaukee 5, Chicago 2
New York 7, Cleveland 2
Boston 4, Baltimore 1
Toronto 5, Detroit 4, 10 innings
California 4, Kansas City 2
Oakland 11, Texas 4

Tuesday's Games

Cleveland (Swindell 14-13) at New York (Leiter 4-3), 6:30 p.m.
Boston (Gardner 3-4) at Baltimore (Tibbs 4-12), 6:35 p.m.
Toronto (Key 9-4) at Detroit (Alexander 11-10), 6:35 p.m.
Seattle (Campbell 5-8) at Minnesota (Blyleven 9-13), 7:05 p.m.
California (Clark 6-3) at Kansas City (Gubicza 17-7), 7:35 p.m.
Oakland (Burns 6-1) at Texas (Hough 11-15), 7:35 p.m.
Only games scheduled

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Monday's Games

Chicago 14, Philadelphia 3, 1st game
Philadelphia 4, Chicago 3, 2nd game
New York 7, Pittsburgh 5
San Diego 7, San Francisco 4
St. Louis 6, Montreal 2
Los Angeles 3, Atlanta 0
Houston 3, Cincinnati 0

Tuesday's Games

Los Angeles (Belcher 10-4) at Atlanta (P.Smith 7-13), 4:40 p.m.
New York (Ojeda 9-12) at Pittsburgh (Smiley 10-9), 6:05 p.m.
Philadelphia (Freeman 0-2) at Chicago (Moyer 7-13), 7:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Browning 14-5) at Houston (Deshaies 9-11), 7:35 p.m.
Montreal (Da.Martinez 15-10) at St. Louis (DeLeon 9-8), 7:35 p.m.
San Diego (Rasmussen 12-8) at San Francisco (Hammaker 7-7), 9:35 p.m.

NFL Standings

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Buffalo	1	0	0	1.000	13	10
N. Englnd	1	0	0	1.000	28	3
Indianapolis	0	1	0	.000	14	17
Miami	0	1	0	.000	7	34
N.Y. Jets	0	1	0	.000	3	28

Central

Cincinnati	1	0	0	1.000	21	14
Cleveland	1	0	0	1.000	6	3
Houston	1	0	0	1.000	17	14
Pittsburgh	1	0	0	1.000	24	21

West

Raiders	1	0	0	1.000	24	13
Seattle	1	0	0	1.000	21	14
Denver	0	1	0	.000	14	21
Kansas City	0	1	0	.000	3	6
San Diego	0	1	0	.000	13	24

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East

Giants	1	0	0	1.000	27	20
Phila.	1	0	0	1.000	41	14
Dallas	0	1	0	.000	21	24
Phoenix	0	1	0	.000	14	21
Washington	0	1	0	.000	20	27

Central

Chicago	1	0	0	1.000	34	7
Detroit	1	0	0	1.000	31	17
Green Bay	0	1	0	.000	7	34
Minnesota	0	1	0	.000	10	13
Tampa Bay	0	1	0	.000	14	41

West

L.A. Rams	1	0	0	1.000	34	7
San Fran	1	0	0	1.000	34	33
Atlanta	0	1	0	.000	17	31
New Orleans	0	1	0	.000	33	34

Sunday's Games

Detroit 31, Atlanta 17
Pittsburgh 24, Dallas 21
Los Angeles Rams 34, Green Bay 7
Chicago 34, Miami 7
Buffalo 13, Minnesota 10
Philadelphia 41, Tampa Bay 14
Cincinnati 21, Phoenix 14
San Francisco 34, New Orleans 33
New England 28, New York Jets 3
Houston 17, Indianapolis 14, OT
Los Angeles Raiders 24, San Diego 13
Seattle 21, Denver 14
Cleveland 6, Kansas City 3

Monday's Game

New York Giants 27, Washington 20

Sunday, Sept. 11

Chicago at Indianapolis, noon.
Miami at Buffalo, noon.
New Orleans at Atlanta, noon.
Pittsburgh at Washington, noon.
San Francisco at New York Giants, noon.
Tampa Bay at Green Bay, noon.
San Diego at Denver, 3 p.m.
New York Jets at Cleveland, 3 p.m.
New England at Minnesota, 3 p.m.
Los Angeles Raiders at Houston, 3 p.m.
Detrit at Los Angeles Rams, 3 p.m.
Kansas City at Seattle, 3 p.m.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia, 3 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 12

Dallas at Phoenix, 7 p.m.

NFL Sum

At East Rutherford, N.J.— 76,417

Redskins 6 7 0 7—20
Giants 0 3 10 14—27

First Quarter

Wash—FG Lohmiller 26, 4:54
Wash—FG Lohmiller 25, 9:03

Second Quarter

Wash—Sanders 29 pass from Williams (Lohmiller kick), 3:42
NYG—FG Allegre 23, 15:00

Third Quarter

NYG—Morris 9 run (Allegre kick), 8:29
NYG—FG Allegre 32, 11:05

Fourth Quarter

NYG—Flynn 27 blocked punt return (Allegre kick), 5:01
NYG—Burt 39 fumble return (Allegre kick), 7:14
Wash—Bryant 19 pass from Williams (Lohmiller kick), 14:49

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Washington, Smith 20-100, Monk 2-12, Bryant 2-5. N.Y. Giants, Morris 16-24, Simms 3-17, Manuel 1-12, Adams 1-3.

PASSING—Washington, Williams 24-50-0-288. N.Y. Giants, Simms 19-37-0-195.

RECEIVING—Washington, Sanders 5-79, Bryant 5-41, Smith 4-31, McEwen 3-23, Warren 3-21, Clark 2-61, Monk 2-32. N.Y. Giants, Manuel 4-54, Ingram 4-48, Bavaro 4-28, Mowatt 4-17, Morris 1-24, Turner 1-17, Adams 1-7.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—None.

Ruidoso

RUIDOSO DOWNS, N.M. (AP) — Results of Monday's horse racing at Ruidoso Downs racetrack. The 11th race was the $2.5 million All American Futurity.

First — 5½ furlongs; Early Dash 47.40, 27.20, 8.60; Master Wahoo 23.20, 8.60; Charlock 3.20. T — 1.08.2.

Second — 7½ furlongs; A.G. Amanda 26.60, 13.00, 6.60; Valentine Debt 5.60, 4.00; My Sweet Toot Toot 3.80. T — 1.36.4.

Daily Double — $734.00.

Quiniela — $44.00.

Third — 5½ furlongs; Dream Of Tomorrow 4.60, 3.60, 3.20; Johnsons Bet 7.60, 5.20; Dashaway Dashaway 4.20. T — 1.00.6.

First Half Twin Trifecta — $94.40.

Quiniela — $24.40.

Fourth — 5½ furlongs; Frisky Business 4.80, 3.40, 2.80; Northern Crimson 4.60, 3.20; Ride The Breakers 3.40. T — 1.06.6.

Second Half Twin Trifecta — $2,303.60.

Quiniela — $13.40.

Fifth — 7½ furlongs; Pot Luck 25.80, 12.00, 7.00; Command Mim 6.80, 4.40; Princeofthearcitic 3.60. T — 1.37.4.

Quiniela — $103.00.

Sixth — 5½ furlongs; Tino 8.20, 4.20, 3.40; Egor 4.00, 3.00; Menehume Prince 4.80. T — 1.05.4.

Exacta — $33.00.

Seventh — 440 yards; Senor Edition 8.20, 4.00, 3.00; Power Effort 3.40, 3.00; One Night With You 3.60. T — 21.72.

Quiniela — $16.80.

Eighth — 1 mile; Windfall Prophet 8.40, 5.60, 4.40; Capitan Smokey 8.80, 5.60; Olden Hills 8.60. T — 1.41.2.

Trifecta — $1,322.20.

Quiniela — $52.60.

Ninth — 550 yards; Go Street Music 4.00, 2.80, 2.60; Six Popper 3.40, 3.20; Follow The Fox 5.20. T — 27.05.

Quiniela — $13.40.

Tenth — 7½ furlongs; Written Right 14.00, 6.60, 4.20; Avance 13.60, 6.40; Arrowhead's Pro 3.40. T — 1.34.

Exacta — $107.40.

Eleventh — 440 yards; Merganser 11.60, 4.40, 3.00; See Me Do It 4.20, 3.20; (deadheat) Sky Fire 4.20 and Super De Kas 2.60. T — 21.69.

Exacta — $59.20.

Twelfth — 6 furlongs; Sticky Native 6.40, 4.60, 3.20; Draconcade 12.60, 5.80; Wish For Plenty 3.20. T — 1.13.6.

Trifecta — $355.20.

Quiniela — $82.80.

Attendance — 9,364.

Handle — $1,099,113.

Texas League

Divisional Finals
(Best-of-three)

Wednesday, Aug. 31

Tulsa 2, Shreveport 1
El Paso 3, San Antonio 2, 11 innings

Thursday, Sept. 1

Tulsa 2, Shreveport 1, Tulsa wins series 2-0
El Paso 4, San Antonio 3, El Paso wins series 2-0

Championship
(Best-of-seven)

Sunday, Sept. 4

Tulsa 1, El Paso 0, Tulsa leads series, 1-0

Monday, Sept. 5

Tulsa 3, El Paso 1, Tulsa leads series, 2-0

Tuesday, Sept. 6

El Paso at Tulsa

Wednesday, Sept. 7

No Game Scheduled

Thursday, Sept. 8

Tulsa at El Paso, if necessary

Friday, Sept. 9

Tulsa at El Paso, if necessary

Saturday, Sept. 10

Tulsa at El Paso, if necessary

Sunday, Sept. 11

Tulsa at El Paso, if necessary

AL Box

Angels 4, Royals 0

CALIFORNIA	ab	r	h	bi	KANSAS CITY	ab	r	h	bi
Ramos 3b	5	0	1	0	WWilsn cf	5	0	0	0
Howell 3b	0	0	0	0	Seitzer 3b	3	1	2	0
Ray 2b	5	0	1	1	Brett 1b	4	0	0	0
Dwnng dh	3	1	1	0	Tabler dh	4	0	2	1
McLmr dh	1	1	0	0	FWhite 2b	4	0	0	0
Joyner 1b	4	1	1	1	Eisnrch lf	4	0	1	0
CDavis cf	4	0	0	0	BJackson rf	4	0	2	0
DWhite cf	0	0	0	0	Quirk c	3	1	2	0
Hendrck rf	3	0	2	1	Wellmn pr	0	0	0	0
Miller pr	0	0	0	0	Pecota ss	3	0	1	1
Bichette cf	1	0	0	0	Bucknr ph	1	0	0	0
Brown lf	3	0	1	0					
Boone c	4	1	3	0					
Schofild ss	3	0	0	0					
Totals	36	4	10	3	Totals	35	2	10	2

California	000 100 021—4
Kansas City	110 000 000—2

GW RBI-None. E—Boone, BJackson. DP—Kansas City 1. LOB—California 8, Kansas City 8. 2B— Tabler, BJackson, Eisenreich, Joyner, Brown. 3B—Pecota. SB—Seitzer (8), BJackson (24). S—Brown.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
California						
Fraser W,11-10	8 1-3	10	2	2	2	5
Harvey S,15	2-3	0	0	0	0	1
Kansas City						
Lebrndt L,10-12	8	7	3	2	2	2
Montgmry	2-3	3	1	1	0	1
Gleaton	1-3	0	0	0	0	0

WP—Fraser. T—2:51. A—25,855.

Transactions

FOOTBALL

National Football League

ATLANTA FALCONS—Activated Rick Bryan, defensive end; Scott Case, cornerback; John Rade, linebacker, and Rick Donnelly, punter. Placed Tim Green, linebacker, and James Milling, wide receiver, on injured reserve. Released Lewis Colbert, punter, and Tom Strauthers, defensive end.

CINCINNATI BENGALS—Agreed to terms with Rickey Dixon, safety.

DENVER BRONCOS—Waived Richard Reed, defensive end.

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS—Re-signed Darrell Colbert, wide receiver. Released J.R. Ambrose, wide receiver.

MINNESOTA VIKINGS—Activated Darrin Nelson, running back, and Gary Zimmerman, tackle. Waived Mark MacDonald, guard. Placed Brian Habib, defensive tackle, on injured reserve.

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS—Announced that Kenneth Sims, defensive end, will miss the remainder of the season with a ruptured Achilles tendon.

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS—Placed Steve Trapilo, guard, on injured reserve. Signed Mark MacDonald, guard.

NEW YORK GIANTS—Activated Carl Banks, linebacker. Placed John Carter, defensive lineman, on injured reserve.

PHOENIX CARDINALS—Placed Tony Jeffery, running back, and Andy Schillinger, wide receiver, on the two-man inactive list.

National

Astros 3, Reds 0

CINCINNATI	ab	r	h	bi	HOUSTON	ab	r	h	bi
Quinons ss	4	0	1	0	GYoung cf	4	0	0	0
Winghm lf	4	0	1	0	Doran 2b	4	0	0	0
Sabo 3b	4	0	3	0	Bass rf	3	0	0	0
EDavis cf	4	0	0	0	GDavis 1b	2	1	1	0
ONeill rf	4	0	0	0	Bell 3b	3	1	1	0
Esasky 1b	3	0	0	0	BHatchr lf	2	0	0	0
Reed c	3	0	0	0	Ramirz ss	2	1	0	0
Charlton p	0	0	0	0	Forsch p	2	0	1	3
Griffey ph	1	0	0	0	Fishel ph	1	0	0	0
Dibble p	0	0	0	0	DSmith p	0	0	0	0
Collins ph	1	0	1	0					
RMrphy p	0	0	0	0					
Totals	31	0	6	0	Totals	26	3	3	3

Cincinnati	000 000 000—0
Houston	000 030 00x—3

GW RBI-Forsch (2). DP—Houston 1. LOB—Cincinnati 6, Houston 2. 2B—Sabo 2, Forsch. SB— EDavis (34). S—BHatcher.

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Cincinnati						
Charlton L,1-3	5	2	3	3	1	3
Dibble	2	1	0	0	0	3
RMurphy	1	0	0	0	0	1
Houston						
Forsch W,10-4	8	5	0	0	1	5
DSmith S,25	1	1	0	0	0	2

HBP—Charlton by Forsch, GDavis by Charlton. T—2:09. A—17,128.

Cubs 14, Phillies 3

First Game

PHILA	ab	r	h	bi	CHICAGO	ab	r	h	bi
Samu



AP Laserphoto

Mike Tyson's wrecked car is examined by a bystander after the heavyweight boxing champion was involved in a one-car accident near Catskill, N.Y. on Sunday. Tyson was hospitalized.

Tyson has more exams after wreck

NEW YORK (AP) — Heavyweight champion Mike Tyson, knocked out by a tree in a one-car wreck, will undergo more medical tests as his representatives debate whether he'll be able to defend his title next month.

Tyson, fresh from a unanimous decision over boxer Mitch Green on a Harlem sidewalk two weeks ago, was knocked unconscious for several minutes Sunday when the BMW he was driving skidded into a tree in a friend's yard upstate.

Physicians at Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center in New York said they were keeping Tyson in the hospital for more tests today on his head and bruised chest.

"Those tests should include an N.M.R., which is a state-of-the art brain scan, and other tests for heart and chest," said Dan Klores, a Tyson spokesman. "The reason for this is that he did suffer a chest wall contusion and a blunt head trauma in the accident. Moreover, he did lose consciousness for a brief period of time."

Doctors were scheduled to have a news conference today to clarify Tyson's condition.

"He's conscious," said Dan Klores, a Tyson spokesman. "He's still a little groggy because of the head trauma, but he's in stable condition and generally pretty alert."

Tyson's championship bout against British champ Frank Bruno was recently postponed until Oct. 22 because of the hand injury. Klores said it was not clear if the car accident would affect the fight, but Tyson manager Bill Cayton told the Daily News that "the early reports I've gotten lead me to be positive about his fighting ... next month."

In London, a member of Tyson's managerial team said the fight was not in danger.

"He's been through worse things than this as a kid," said Steve Lott. "The fight is on, Mike will be fine. There's a reason they call him 'Iron Mike.' "

Tyson also has a broken bone in his right hand, the result of the lone blow landed in his brief encounter with fellow heavyweight Green outside an all-night clothing store.

Green, who lost to the undefeated Tyson in the ring two years ago, had the bridge of his nose split by Tyson. Green claims it was a sucker-punch; Tyson says he hit Green in self-defense.

Sunday's accident occurred around 11:20 a.m. in Catskill, a two-hour drive north of New York. Tyson had spent the night at the home of Camille Ewald, an elderly woman with whom Tyson lived when he was a teenage protege of trainer Cus D'Amato.

Tyson continues to train in the area, and frequently visits the Ewald home.

Moon out four to six weeks

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston Oiler quarterback Warren Moon hopes he'll be able to finish what he started this season.

Moon had an outstanding preseason and completed 11 of 15 passes in Sunday's 17-14 season-opening victory over Indianapolis.

But Moon suffered a broken scapula in his right shoulder in the third quarter and will be sidelined four to six weeks.

If Moon misses four games, he would return Oct. 9 in a home game against the Kansas City Chiefs.

"Obviously, I'm very disappointed to have this injury at this time," Moon said Monday. "When it happened, I thought it was a bruise but the x-rays showed it was fractured."

Moon suffered the injury when he was tackled by linebacker Cliff Odom early in the third quarter of Sunday's season-opener.

"I thought it was just a stinger and the pain would go away," Moon said. "But it didn't."

Moon had been anticipating his best year with the Oilers.

This season marks the first time Moon has operated the same offense two straight years and had the same position coach.

Moon had a near flawless preseason, leading the Oilers to an unbeaten record. He completed 11 of 15 passes for 137 yards and had no interceptions before the injury.

Moon will miss Sunday's home opener against the Los Angeles Raiders and also will likely miss succeeding games against the New York Jets, New England Patriots and Philadelphia Eagles.

Cody Carlson, an Oiler rookie last season, played his first NFL game after Moon's injury and is the probable starter for Sunday's game in the Astrodome.

Landry backs Pelluer despite gaffe

IRVING (AP) — Dallas Cowboys coach Tom Landry says he will support quarterback Steve Pelluer despite Pelluer's botched play that cost the team a possible victory against Pittsburgh.

With 3:20 to play, and the Cowboys trailing 24-21, Pelluer suffered an interception after rolling out the wrong way on a third and two play from the Steelers' 4-yard line.

Pelluer called "36" when he meant to say "37."

Tailback Herschel Walker and fullback Timmy Newsome went left while Pelluer went right. Pelluer then panicked and was intercepted by Steeler linebacker David Little.

"He (Pelluer) learns like we all do," Landry said Monday. "You learn something today, I learn something today.

"All our players on this team are in the same boat. We are inexperienced. And we can't worry about the mistakes of individuals."

Asked if might change quarterback after another mistake, Landry replied, "It would just depend on what the circumstances are. He is going through an adjustment period himself.

"It would be foolish to make the mistake over again. You learn once. But it would be foolish to make that mistake again."

Gogan back; Oswald cut

IRVING (AP) — Offensive lineman Paul Oswald was released by the Dallas Cowboys on Monday when Kevin Gogan was activated off the reserve roster.

Gogan missed 30 days when he was placed on the non-football illness list. Offensive line coach Jim Erkenbeck announced that Gogan would start at right tackle next Monday against the Phoenix Cardinals

McWilliams confident with young DB's

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas football coach David McWilliams says that although his defensive backfield is young and untested, he doesn't necessarily mind a season opener against a passing team like Brigham Young.

"No question that our inexperience is a concern against a passing team," McWilliams said Monday. "But the other problem with that is if you were to go up against a wishbone team for example, you still wouldn't know how your backs react to the pass."

Going into the nationally televised season opener Thursday in Provo, Utah, McWilliams is concerned with his young defensive backfield that includes three sophomores and three freshmen on the two-deep depth chart, but is eager to see how the youngsters will handle game situations.

"When you have question marks, the only way to answer them is to put your feet in the fire," he said.

It may be the opener for the Longhorns, 7-5 a year ago, but the Cougars have already seen game action and were surprised by Wyoming 24-14 last Friday night.

Brigham Young lost starting quarterback Sean Covey to a mild concussion late in the first half of that contest and backup Ty Detmer threw three interceptions on consecutive drives.

A lot of questions will be answered for the Longhorns at quarterback where Shannon Kelley will be making only the second start of his career after backing up Bret Stafford last season.

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California thrift bailout sets record

Will cost regulators $2 billion

By NATHANIEL C. NASH
New York Times News Service

WASHINGTON — The Federal Home Loan Bank Board Monday announced the most expensive rescue of a single savings and loan association on record in a transaction that will cost the agency $2 billion.

After five days of intense negotiations that often began early in the morning and went late into the evening, the agency said it had reached an agreement to sell the $30 billion American Savings and Loan Association of Stockton, Calif., the nation's largest insolvent thrift institution, to a group headed by Robert M. Bass of Fort Worth.

The chairman of the bank board, M. Danny Wall, said in a telephone interview that it would provide assistance equal to $2 billion and the Bass group would inject $550 million in cash to rejuvenate the institution.

In return for its $2 billion in assistance, the bank board will own 30 percent of American Savings.

The agreement Monday is the fourth such transaction involving $1 billion or more that the bank board has participated in during the last three weeks.

In all, the agency has committed itself to financial aid packages worth more than $12 billion since mid-August.

But while the Bass deal will be the most costly single rescue for the bank board, it will not be the most costly transaction, Wall noted.

On Aug. 19 the agency announced that it had combined eight Texas institutions, forming the giant Sunbelt Savings FSB of Dallas, and that in order to return that institution to solvency it would have to inject up to $5.5 billion of aid.

While the bank board has been shutting down, merging or finding new owners for troubled thrift institutions at a brisk pace, the financial assistance required has not come in the form of large cash outlays by the agency, which regulates the nation's 3,000 savings and loan associations.

Rather, the bank board's assistance has involved billions of dollars in promissory notes issued by its Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corp. as well as guarantees to an acquiring company, in cases where

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New thrift owner active dealer

By ALISON LEIGH COWAN
New York Times News Service



Robert Bass

From all appearances, Robert M. Bass is having an especially active year as a deal maker.

First, Bass, 40, helped pry the Westin hotel chain from the Allegis Corp. for $1.53 billion. Then in March, he sold the Plaza Hotel in Manhattan to a fellow billionaire, Donald J. Trump, for $410 million. In May, he led a $702 million buyout of the Bell & Howell Co., a publishing and information services company in Skokie, Ill.

He has also been making overtures — so far rebuffed — to acquire Macmillan Inc., another publishing and information company, in a deal valued at more than $2 billion.

Now comes his successful pursuit of the American Savings and Loan Association of California, a subsidiary of the Financial Corp. of America.

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Policies hurt New Mexico producers

ROSWELL (AP) — New Mexico's natural gas producers have lost 40 percent of their market share in California due to that state's new policies that favor foreign gas, said the president of the Independent Petroleum Association of New Mexico.

Fred Schlicher said producers also have been hurt by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's efforts to deregulate the gas market.

Schlicher said New Mexico's natural gas industry has been nearly destroyed by federal regulators and policies in California.

Schlicher, a Roswell producer, said California Public Utility Commission policies have led distribution companies to buy gas from Canada instead of from New Mexico.

Schlicher said measures that favor foreign gas have cost the state as well as the producers.

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Purchasers see strong third quarter

By KURT EICHENWALD
New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — The economy's robust growth rate slowed in August, but healthy gains are expected in the third quarter, the National Association of Purchasing Management said in its monthly report, scheduled to be released Tuesday.

The rate of growth in production remained healthy, but was less than the June and July levels. Sharp declines were posted in the rate of growth of new export orders, the report said, and inventories declined considerably. Prices and employment were reported up, but vendor deliveries were lower.

The report is based on a survey of managers at more than 250 companies in 21 industries. Economists consider its findings to be an early indicator of the previous month's economic performance.

The association's composite index, reflecting the declines for August, slipped to 56.2 percent, from 59 percent in July. August was the second consecutive month in which the index declined.

An index reading above 50 percent indicates that the economy is expanding, the purchasing group says, while a reading below 50 percent implies a contraction.

August was the 25th consecutive month that the index, which is seasonally adjusted, exceeded 50 percent. The August results bring the average for the first eight months of the year to 56.3 percent.

Robert J. Bretz, chairman of the association's business survey committee and director of materials management at Pitney Bowes Inc., said the August figures indicated continued expansion.

"Although the economy continued to grow in August, it did so with less vigor than in the previous two months," Bretz said. "Nevertheless, new orders are still at a high enough level to all but assure robust economic growth for the third quarter."

In its latest report, the association made several changes in its presentation of statistics including a seasonally adjusted index for each economic category that it examines. Comparisons with previous months were calculated from the raw numbers.

New orders rose in August for the 39th consecutive month, after adjustments for normal seasonal variations. The index for new orders fell to 59.9 percent, the fourth-highest level reached this year.

Thirty-one percent of the purchasers reported an increase in new orders, and 15 percent reported a decline. The rest reported no change in the level of new orders.

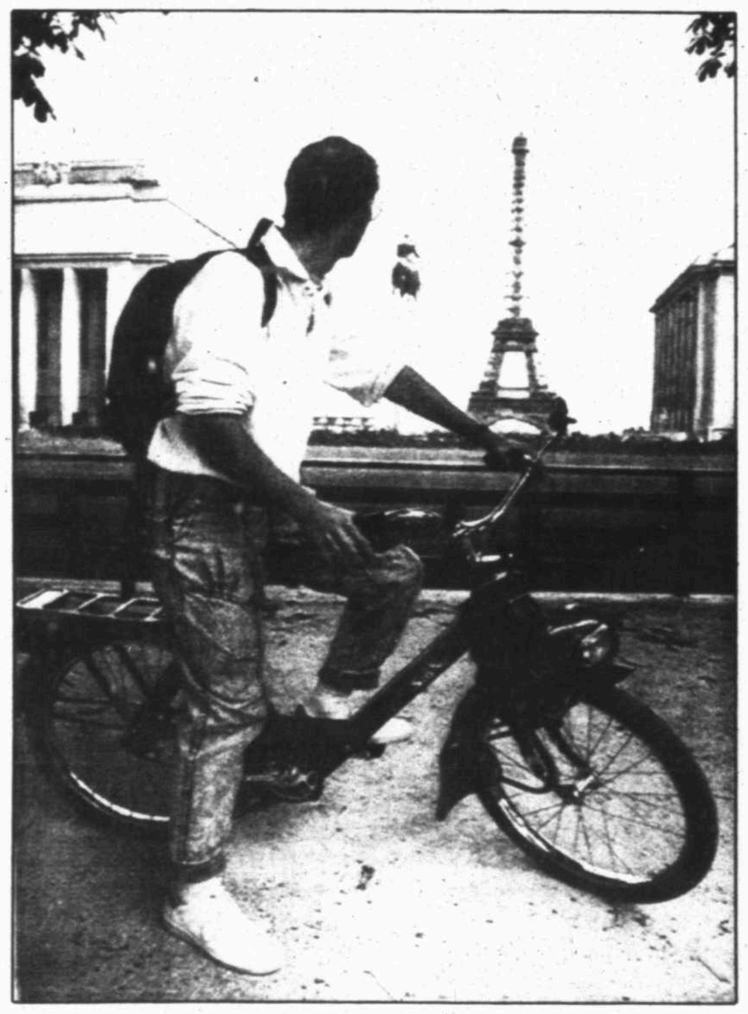
The decline in the growth rate of new export orders contributed to the weakening growth in overall orders. Of the association members that export, only 20 percent reported higher orders, compared with 39 percent in the previous month. Four percent said orders were lower, slightly more than the 3 percent who had lower orders in July.

The report also indicated that production slowed in August. The index for production fell to 58.2 percent, down from the previous month's 62.7 percent.

Twenty-six percent of the managers reported better production in August, while 14 percent said production was off.

Employment rose in August for the third consecutive month, after seasonally adjusted variations are considered. The rate of increase for employment was lower than in July, however, with the index at 50.7 percent for August, down from 51.7 percent for July.

Inventories declined in August after rising significantly in July, the report shows, with an inventory index reading of 48.6 percent, down from 55.1 percent for July.



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Sun sets on moped

An unidentified Parisian visitor views the Eiffel Tower on his Solex moped, soon to be discontinued. Though it was popular in 40 countries, meager sales forced the end of production.

Jittery investors falling prey to gold swindles

By DAVE SKIDMORE
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Thousands of jittery investors are jumping from the frying pan of a volatile stock market into the fire of gold swindles pushed by high-pressure telephone sales operations, state regulators said today.

The North American Securities Administrators Association, together with the Council of Better Business Bureaus, issued an "investor alert" warning of a rash of high-pressure, boiler-room telephone scams promoting various schemes to buy gold at below-market prices.

"We hope to alert the public to what is clearly the fraud du jour — one that has earned the title: the fool's gold rush of 1988," said James C. Meyer, president of the regulators' group and director of the Tennessee Division of Securities.

Project Goldbrick, a New Mexico-based task force established by the regulators, began tracking eight scams in the spring of 1987. Since then, Meyer said, the number of known operations has mushroomed to 52.

He estimated "tens of thousands of Americans in all 50 states will lose $250 million" this year.

"It seems clear that the success of the new breed of gold swindle is attributable in large part to the decline in investor confidence since the Black Monday stock market crash of October 1987," Meyer said in a statement.

"Thousands of individuals fled the markets," he said. "The result: a huge pool of potential, cash-rich victims ripe for exploitation."

The typical scheme, known as a "dirt pile," works like this:

A caller working from a boiler room telephone operation in another state offers to sell, for instance, 100 tons of dirt for $5,000. The con artist guarantees the "aggregate ore" will yield at least 20 ounces of gold, an effective price of $250 an ounce vs. current spot market prices of about $430 an ounce.

The regulators' organization tested the ore in one New Mexico mine, billed by salesmen as the richest mineral deposit on Earth. It turned out to have no more gold than is found in sea water, Meyer said.

In another case cited by the group, a Wyoming inmate already jailed on a fraud charge used prison telephones to bilk investors in Minnesota and Wyoming into paying $6,250 each for worthless dirt from an inactive Utah mine. When he was caught the second time, prison authorities moved him to solitary confinement.

James H. McIlhenny, president of the Council of Better Business Bureaus, said virtually all of the swindlers operate by telephone.

The two groups offered tips for avoiding a gold swindle:

—Hang up on high-pressure telephone sales tactics.

—Beware of vague promises about delayed delivery of gold.

—Remember that there is no such thing as a "guaranteed" investment in gold.

—Ignore such terms as "secret," "special" or "can't-be-duplicated" methods for mineral testing.

—Don't be swayed if a mine is supposedly on federal land. It costs only a few dollars to establish such a claim.

—Gold and platinum don't mix, so reject assertions that a mine has high levels of platinum along with gold or silver.

—Take time to make your decision and get everything in writing.

August reports ease pressure on Fed to raise rates

By KENNETH N. GILPIN
New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — Pressure on the Federal Reserve Board to push up short-term interest rates again soon has eased somewhat, credit market analysts say, as the government's first report for August activity showed signs that an economic slowdown may have begun.

This view of the Fed's situation represents a marked shift in attitude from concerns that the central bank might be forced to continue efforts to rein in the economy and dampen inflation expectations.

Those concerns were fostered by government statistics that showed that second-quarter growth was stronger than previously reported and that industrial production was continuing to rise in July.

The new optimism that further increases in interest rates may not be necessary was sparked Friday by the release of weaker-than-expected August employment data.

After four days of listless trading before the long Labor Day weekend, the employment numbers generated the most explosive bond market rally since the middle of January.

The data, which included a smaller-than-anticipated increase in nonfarm payroll employment, no increase in hourly wages and a dip in the average workweek, all suggest that subsequent economic statistics for August will show that activity has moderated from its blistering pace of earlier this year.

Despite the positive implications for those who have feared further Fed tightening, analysts were reluctant to say that the Fed had been given anything more than a temporary reprieve.

"The almost universal opinion of dealers and speculators has been that economic activity would remain on the strong side, that inflationary pressures were rising and that the Fed would again tighten policy," said Richard Kelly, president of Aubrey G. Lanston & Company, a primary dealer in government securities. "The employment numbers, as well as other data, cast doubt on that assumption. But we would need several more months' worth of data to conclude that this is something significant."

"The employment numbers tell you that August was definitely soft," said Donald J. Fine, chief market analyst at the Chase Manhattan Bank. "But all the employment numbers do for me is to revise my forecast for third-quarter growth in gross national product to 3.5 percent, from 4 percent. That is still stronger than the 2 percent to 2.5 percent the Fed wants.

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BUSINESS GLANCE

MARKETS

Futures price plummet continues

Oil futures opened sharply lower this morning, as traders continued to react negatively to reports of a worldwide oil glut.

On the New York Mercantile Exchange, contracts for October delivery of West Texas Intermediate opened at $14.57, 22 cents below Friday's close.

On Friday prices fell 29 cents per barrel to close at $14.79 Friday. Other contract months also dropped. Most Permian Basin crude buyers dropped their postings late last week by a quarter to $14.50 per barrel.

Analysts said the near-month contracts for crude oil slid to seven-week lows Friday, breaking a key support level of $15.10 a barrel, and dragging other contract months down.

Analysts said the market eroded steadily all week after reports that some members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries were continuing to ignore production quotas, increasing the world's oil supply and further weakening prices.

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W.T. INTERMEDIATE
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- Monday — Holiday
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- Previous Close $15.10
- One Year Ago $19.30

W.T. SOUR
- Friday's Close $13.70
- Previous Close $14.03
- One Year Ago $18.57

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- Previous Week $14.75
- One Year Ago $19.00

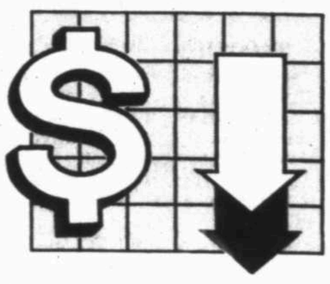
Dollar trading stagnant on holiday

LONDON (AP) — The dollar fell against most major foreign currencies in thin early European trading today. Gold prices were mixed.

Foreign exchange dealers said they were waiting for American markets to reopen and provide fresh direction. American financial institutions were closed Monday for the Labor Day holiday.

"The market is likely to remain relatively dead until the U.S. opens," said one trader in Frankfurt, West Germany.

In Tokyo, the dollar fell 0.43 yen to a closing 135.60. Later, in London, it was quoted at 135.68 yen.



Other dollar rates at midmorning, compared with late Monday:

—1.8532 West German marks, down from 1.8555

—1.5605 Swiss francs, down from 1.5625

—6.3045 French francs, down from 6.3124

—2.0939 Dutch guilders, down from 2.0957

—1,382.75 Italian lire, up from 1,380.50

—1.2335 Canadian dollars, down from 1.2338

In London, the dollar fell more than 1 cent against the British pound. One pound cost $1.6965 today compared with $1.6860 late Monday.

Gold prices were steady in sluggish London trading today. Bullion dealers said there was little incentive to push the precious metal one way or the other.

Gold opened in London at a bid $426.80 a troy ounce, down from $427.50 bid late Monday. At midmorning today, the city's five major bullion dealers fixed a recommended price of $427.65.

In Zurich, the bid price was $427.70, up slightly from $427.50 bid late Monday.

Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold fell 23 cents to close at a bid $429.15. Silver was unchanged at $6.50 a troy ounce in London.

BUSINESS IN BRIEF

Suzuki rebounds to record Samurai sales

Associated Press

U.S. sales of the Suzuki Samurai rocketed to a record in August, escaping damage done by a Consumers Union claim that the vehicle tips over too easily.

The surprising turnaround, disclosed by the company Friday, appears to be the result of a generous dealer incentive program and fading public concern about the rollover issue that was raised by the consumer watchdog organization.

Stock futures trading begins in Japan

TOKYO (AP) — Trading of stock-index futures has begun in Japan, theoretically giving investors a new opportunity to protect themselves if and when the big rally in the world's largest securities market ends.

Although stock-index futures have been blamed by some critics for playing a significant role in the October stock market crash in the United States, there seems to be little concern the same thing could happen in Japan, where trading in index futures began Saturday.

Soviets announce more U.S. corn purchases

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Soviet Union has bought an additional 800,000 metric tons of U.S. corn for delivery during the 1988-89 marketing year, the Agriculture Department says.

The sale, announced Friday, came after the department said the Soviets had contracted separately to buy 100,000 tons of corn, also for delivery in the 1988-89 marketing year, which began Thursday.

BUSINESS TRENDS



In your ear

A Japanese pen maker used a plaster bust to demonstrate its new single band AM radio. The 3/4-in. diameter, 7 1/2-in. long radio resembles a fountain penn sticking out of the listener's ear. The AM version of the radio will retail for $16, with an FM model for $24.

Businesses cash in on baby-boom's baby wave

Miniature consumers spur giant product demands

By LISA H. TOWLE
New York Times News Service

NEW YORK — The prognosticators were wrong. The number of births in the United States would drop in 1987, they predicted. Instead, an estimated 3.8 million births were recorded, 3 percent more than in 1986, according to the Department of Health and Human Services. And the number is expected to increase slightly this year, too.

That is good news for the furniture manufacturers, toy makers, clothing designers and others who focus on the juvenile market. Buoyed in the last few years by the high-spending ways of millions of older first-time parents, the industry is now scrambling to cash in on this latest boom in baby-boomer babies.

The new crop of parents is apparently just as eager as its immediate predecessors to find novel ways to entertain, educate and otherwise cater to the small fry.

"They are looking for the kind of product that was almost unknown 15 years ago," said Gary Hoffman, president of Treasure's Island in Minneapolis, one of the most successful independent retailers of juvenile products. He mentioned such accouterments as electric play swings and heated baby wipes.

"Some of the new products on the market today sell not necessarily because they're good for children," said Dr. T. Berry Brazelton, clinical professor of pediatrics at Harvard University, "but because they play on the vulnerability of parents who want to be perfect and create a perfect environment for the child."

Meanwhile, more and more service-oriented specialty stores are making their mark by repackaging tried-and-true products into sleeker, modernized forms.

Bellini's, based in New York, has successfully capitalized, for example, on the "cradle to college" concept. Its nationwide chain of stores for the affluent offers stylish, modular furniture for juveniles: everything from cribs that convert to beds to a specially developed computer table for the older child that will be in the stores within three months.

Still other stores offer a variety of choices unknown to the juvenile market until recently. The national chain of Wallpapers to Go, based in Houston, stocks no less than 40 borders and 30 wallpaper styles for children's rooms with an additional 30 special-order books of juvenile patterns.

Over all, retail sales of infant products reached $1.8 billion in 1987, according to the Juvenile Product Manufacturers Association Inc., a trade group based in Moorestown, N.J. That is the highest number since the group started compiling statistics 23 years ago.

Such a wealth of products invites rampant consumerism, said Faith Popcorn, a professional trend watcher and chairman of Brainreserve Inc. in New York. She cautioned: "Many of these new products, however well intentioned, represent a desire to control what's happening in the womb, the nursery and beyond. It's an overpreparation for life."

But while parents should "beware of junk on the market," said Cynthia Gerdes, owner of the Creative Kid Stuff stores in the Minneapolis-St. Paul area, they should also relax. "There is an educational value inherent in almost anything that a child does," she said.

SMOOTHING OUT THE ROAD FOR THE KID ON THE GO

Necessity is the mother — and in some cases, the father — of invention.

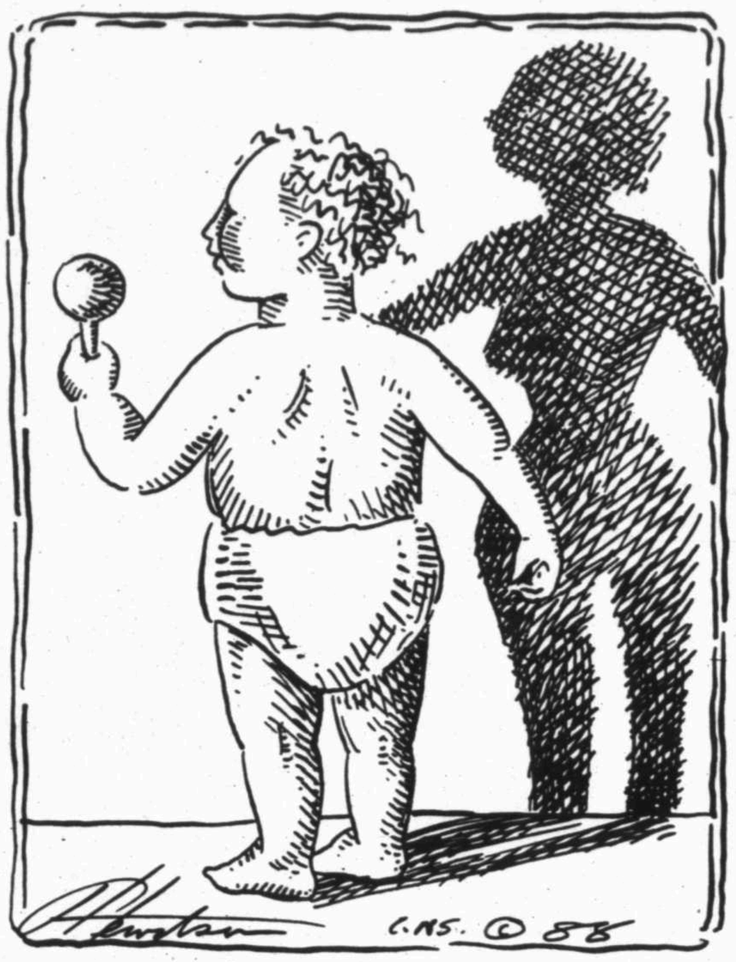
Three years ago, Mark Greenwood and Alan Sherman, both fathers, formed Children on the Go, a company in Wheeling, Ill., that has quickly become known for its innovative line of products for children going on trips.

Now marketed in specialty and department stores around the country, the company's offerings include the Totty Seat, a portable folding potty seat, and the Auto Splat Mat, which protects car upholstery from spills and muddy feet.

In July, Children on the Go introduced the Inflatable Booster Seat for parents to take to restaurants or the homes of childless friends or relatives.

"It's only when you have children of your own that you truly understand what is needed to keep life running smoothly," Greenwood said.

Another father turned inventor is Phil Baechler, a former newspaperman and dedicated runner. After the birth of his first child, Baechler realized he was going to have to come up with a way to do his share of baby watching while completing his workout.



His solution was to invent the now-popular Baby Jogger, a durable "all terrain" stroller with a light aluminum frame, a slightly reclined seat and three over-sized wheels that allow it to roll smoothly over most surfaces. A jogger can push the stroller along without having to bend to the task, thanks to high handlebars.

The latest variation: Special Needs strollers that can carry children who need wheelchairs.

Last year, 4,000 strollers were marketed directly through Baechler's Racing Strollers Inc. of Yakima, Wash., as well as retail outlets and specialty catalogue stores.

When her daughter was a year old, Cynthia Gerdes discovered she could not find the kind of toys she wanted so she opened her own store. That was six years ago. Today, there are three Creative Kid Stuff stores. The stores sell no "war toys" or "designer dolls," like those in the Cabbage Patch Kid series. Instead, Mrs. Gerdes has successfully put the emphasis on developmental toys that involve music, science and art.

Like a growing number of owners of specialty toy stores, Mrs. Gerdes buys supplies from representatives attending the trade shows held by the Educational Dealers and Suppliers Association International.

"Over the past five years, we've seen more and mo e toy stores attending our show," said Allen Warren, co-director of the association, which is based in Costa Mesa, Calif. "They are working to create a new niche for themselves in a tough market by offering products that help children learn while they play."

AND NOW, A MESSAGE FROM YOUR SPONSOR

The word is out: music has the ability not only to soothe the savage breast but a child — and parent — as well.

Inspired by research showing that fetuses hear after five months' gestation and by the desire to "become a real part of my wife's pregnancy," Brad Gorman of Tucson, Ariz., invented Babyphones.

A thin tailored adjustable belt with built-in, lightweight stereo speakers is placed around the woman's waist, underneath her clothing, so that the two speakers rest against her stomach. A cassette player hooks onto the belt or fits into a back pocket or purse.

What to play? Gorman and the experts recommend tapes of gentle music or of Mom and Dad speaking or singing to their baby. Gorman advises parents to let their obstetricians know they are using a Babyphone. Sounds that are too loud might hurt a fetus, some doctors say.

Gorman's company, Babyphones Inc., began marketing the product nationally in March.

Playskool introduced its own "womb tune" device for newborns in February. Sleepy Sounds attaches to the side of the crib and calms the newborn by playing the body noises that the baby heard in utero, including the sounds of the mother's heart beat and of the movement of fluids in the womb.

Dolly Inc.'s new electronic voice-activated mobile will play nine tunes to quiet a crying baby. The mobile and music box can be separated once the child is old enough to reach up and become entangled in it.

And a Fisher-Price Christmas offering will be the Soft Sounds Tape Player Mobile, a cassette-playing mobile that can be converted to a crib toy and later to a "first tape player."

Ellen Wohlstadter, a music industry veteran, and her husband, David, formed Discovery Music four years ago after they could not find music they liked for their newborn son.

Today, about 3,500 stores carry their "Lullaby Magic" and "Morning Magic" tapes, which blend traditional songs with contemporary music from the Beatles and Paul Simon, among others. The company, which is based in Sherman Oaks, Calif., has targeted its products to children up to age 5.

Discovery Music recently released another in its series of sing-along audio cassettes. As in the other fully orchestrated tapes, which come with lyric booklets, the vocalist is Joanie Bartels. Selections on this cassette, called "Travelin' Magic," include Rodgers & Hammerstein's "Surrey With the Fringe on Top" and Willie Nelson's "On the Road Again."

David Zaslow formed Kids Matter in Ashland, Ore., two years ago. His first offering — audio cassettes with read-along songbooks — features Steve Allen and Jayne Meadows narrating songs set to rock and jazz music in a collection entitled "Shakin' Loose With Mother Goose."

The nursery rhymes have been "gently edited" to dispense with ethnic and sexual stereotypes, Zaslow said. In the Kids Matter version of "Sing a Song of Sixpence," for example, the queen counts the money while the king sits back eating bread and honey.

SEEING THE WORLD TAKE SHAPE IN BLACK AND WHITE

Thanks to two entrepreneurial health-care professionals, more parents are now discovering what vision researchers and infant care workers have known for years: that babies easily see and therefore enjoy the high contrast of black-and-white items.

Shortly after their own daughter was born, Ruth Wimmer and her husband Allan Ferguson decided to capitalize on what Ms. Wimmer had learned as director of therapeutic recreation at Children's Hospital in Denver. She designed a mobile for her child and was so impressed with the "rapture" her daughter displayed while watching the black-and-white patterns that she made similar mobiles for friends' children.

That was the beginning of Wimmer-Ferguson Child Products.

Today the company offers a variety of products other than visual ones. But two of its biggest sellers consist exclusively of black-and-white designs. One is Pattern-Play, which uses soft vinyl cards with arresting graphics. The other is the Infant Stim-Mobile (stim is shorthand for stimulation).

Ms. Wimmer consults various experts when designing products since the juxtaposition of geometric shapes is most effective when it is specially adapted to the limited field of vision of the very young.

Wimmer-Ferguson has a direct-mail operation but most of its sales are wholesale, to stores such as Alphabet Alley and Bellini's, in New York. This fall a new visual toy will be introduced: the Double-Feature, a crib mirror on one side and a carefully patterned black-and-white scene on the other.

In Washington, Susan Vincent, a neonatal nurse at Georgetown University Hospital, has formed Turn On Toys Inc. with her husband Lee. The idea for the company grew out of Mrs. Vincent's examinations of newborns and from her search for a way to get parents to relate better to their children.

She made some black-and-white drawings of faces, gave them to new parents and found that the parents who had drawings to show their babies ended up playing with their children more than parents who did not. The drawings evolved into the company's stuffed animal toys, featuring subjects that are black-and-white in life as well, including zebras, pandas and Dalmatians.

New trade law could trigger retaliation

WASHINGTON (AP) — American businesses are mobilizing to take advantage of the new trade law while economists still fret that even in its watered-down form the measure could spark harmful retaliation against U.S. exports.

The three-year battle to get the landmark legislation through Congress marks only the beginning of a bigger fight to make sure that the law is fully utilized, supporters contend.

To that end, lobbying organizations for both business and labor groups are briefing their members on the details of the 1,000-page bill, which President Reagan signed into law on Aug. 23.

The U.S. Chamber of Commerce has prepared a detailed guide to acquaint business leaders with a law that Chamber President Richard Lesher calls a "turning point in U.S. economic history." In addition, the chamber is preparing a videotape and will offer seminars both in the United States and abroad.

"We have prepared a very extensive program to inform U.S. and foreign businesses of the impact of this legislation on current operations and its implications for long-range planning," Lesher said.

The chamber and many other business groups opposed the trade bill as it was first passed, objecting to a provision that would have required companies to give workers advanced notice of mass layoffs and plant closings.

Reagan vetoed the original trade law primarily because of the plant closing section but reversed course later and allowed a separate bill with just the layoffs and plant-closing legislation to become law without his signature.

The chamber's guide seeks to explain the complex trade law in laymen's language and at the same time explode what the business group believes are myths about the legislation.

"There has been an enormous amount of misunderstanding about what this trade bill is," said William T. Archey, the chamber's top trade expert. He blamed this on the fact that the legislation took three years to emerge from Congress with much of the early attention focused on heavily protectionist provisions that were jettisoned from the final product.

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"I still think rates will end the year higher than they are now, and that the Fed will tighten again," he said. "But for the next month this eliminates the urgency of another Fed move."

By the close of trading on Friday, yields on the Treasury's closely watched 9¼ percent issue stood at 9.04 percent, down sharply from the 9.30 percent yield of a day earlier. Yields on the bellwether issue have not been so low since early August.

The big drop in bond yields was not matched by a comparable drop in short-term interest rates. This has led some traders to suggest that unless the Fed suddenly decides to ease policy, the market may have to give back some of its gains in the coming week to restore some balance to the yield curve.

Late Friday, for example, the Treasury's 8⅝ percent two-year notes were offered at a price to yield 8.43 percent. The overnight federal funds rate, meanwhile, traded at around 8.30 percent. The spread between those two rates is less than half its average over the last 30 days.

While technical factors may push prices somewhat lower over a trading week shortened by the Labor Day holiday, analysts say there is little on the economic calendar that is likely to have a big influence on trading.

The most important of the week's figures will not be released until Friday, when data on producer prices for August is disclosed.

Most analysts were forecasting that the report would show that wholesale prices for last month rose at about the same rate recorded in July — 0.5 percent.

Had last week's employment data been as strong as many analysts had expected, a bad producer price report could well have pushed the Fed to tighten monetary policy further.

"The employment report lowered the probability in most people's minds that inflation will be the No. 1 concern over the next month," said John D. Paulus, chief economist at Morgan Stanley & Co. "It was a very good report for the Republicans, because rightly or wrongly it defuses the inflation issue. But I still think the problem is very much with us."

Some analysts associated with the Republican Party, however, contest that last view.

"We think inflation has peaked for this year, and will go back to the 3 percent to 4 percent range in the next six months from the 4 percent to 5 percent area it now occupies," said Lawrence A. Kudlow, chief economist at Bear, Stearns & Co.

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Independent Petroleum Association figures show New Mexico lost $134 million in direct taxes and royalties on gas from 1985 to 1987, he said.

Schlicher said FERC chairwoman Martha Hesse and CPUC president Stan Hulett will be featured speakers at the association's annual meeting Saturday through next Monday in Albuquerque. Schlicher said "sparks could fly" at the meeting.

He said a focus of the meeting will be House Bill 322 passed during the 1988 Legislature that calls for the state to study the natural gas market and represent New Mexico's interests before California and federal regulators.

The bill appropriates $300,000 to carry out the goals.

"It's a token commitment, but it's a first step," Schlicher said.

He said the meeting will address how the measure can be made more effective.

BASS

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The Federal Home Loan Bank Board Monday said the Robert M. Bass Group Inc. would lead the bailout of the insolvent institution, which is based in Stockton, Calif.

All of which indicates that Robert Bass is coming into his own in 1988. An heir to his uncle's oil fortune, Bass enjoyed a privileged youth. He attended two prep schools, Phillips Andover Academy and Governor Dummer Academy. He was a student at Yale University and then at Stanford University Business School in 1972.

Institutional Investor magazine reported recently that a fellow student at Yale remembers Bass spending his free afternoons fashioning slugs out of soda can flip-tops for use in New Haven's parking meters.

In 1974 Bass returned to Texas and a spot at Bass Brothers Enterprise, the investment vehicle created for Robert and his brothers Sid R., Lee M. and Edward P. by their father Perry in 1960.

Tales of rivalries between Robert and his brothers have often marked speculation about the brothers in recent years. In 1983 Robert broke away from his brothers and formed the Robert M. Bass Group Inc. to pursue deals on his own.

Members of Fort Worth's upper crust, Robert Bass and his wife Anne tend to be bashful outside of their Fort Worth social circles, though they have occasionally taken more public roles on behalf of civic projects. For instance, Bass won a hard-fought public relations campaign opposing the expansion of a Fort Worth freeway overpass that he thought would jeopardize the city's historic district.

With the recent string of successes under his belt, Robert Bass has probably become "the richest of the clan," according to a February issue of Forbes magazine, which estimated his personal net worth at about $1 billion. His investments are clustered in financial services, the information industry, cable television and real estate.

But Bass is not adverse to owning a few diversions as well. For example, Bass owns a sensible and unsporty Volvo. But his enthusiasm for the car also led him to add a Volvo dealership to his portfolio.

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AlskAir	16	15	1659	19⅛	+ ⅛
Alcan	s.88	8	3335	30⅜	+ ⅛
AlcoStd	.68	11	272	25	— ⅛
AlgInt		35		2⅜	— ⅛
AllgPw	3	10	282	37⅜	+ ⅛
AldSgnl	1.80	10	310	33¼	— ⅛
AllisC		36		⅝	
Alcoa	1.40	8	825	51⅛	+ ⅛
Amax	.20	10	2151	21⅜	— ⅛
AmHes	.60		1506	27⅜	— ⅛
AmBrnd	2.20	8	205	46½	+ ⅛
ACyan	1.20	14	950	48¼	
AElPw	2.32e	10	1121	27¼	— ⅛
AmExp	.76	22	3453	29⅛	
AFamly	.24	9	228	12	
AHome	3.60	13	354	79⅜	
Amrtch	5.40	10	439	91⅜	— ⅜
AlntGr	.40	9	1468	63	+ ⅜
AmRlty	.56e	2	34	4½	+ ⅛
AmStor	.84	13	146	50⅛	+ ⅛
AT&T	1.20	13	2983	25	
Ametk	s.60	16	160	14	— ⅛
Amoco	3.50	10	1491	74⅜	— ⅜
AMP	1	17	460	42⅜	+ ⅛
Anacmp	10	471		8¼	— ⅛
Anadrk	.30	72	298	26½	— ⅛
Anheus	.72	14	2425	30⅜	— ⅛
Anthony	.44b	8	43	15⅜	— ⅛
ArchDn	.10b	9	609	18½	
Armco	21	385	10	—	⅛
ArmWl	1	10	773	34⅛	+ ⅛
Asarco	.80	3	178	23¼	— ⅛
AshOil	s1	11	1487	35⅜	+ ⅜
AtlRich	4	10	1330	81⅜	— ⅛
AtlasCp	108	30	38⅝	+ ⅜	
Augat	.40	23	199	11⅛	— ⅛
AVMCO	34	11	41	23	+ ⅛
Avery	.48	22	81	22¼	
Avnet	.50	14	171	20⅛	
Avon	1	69	1147	23⅜	— ⅜
Aydin	11	7	22⅛		

B—B

BakrHu	.46		315	13⅜	— ⅛
BallyMf	.24	31	398	21⅜	— ⅛
BaltGE	.2	9	x477	30⅜	— ⅛
BncOne	.92b	10	272	25¼	— ⅛
BkNY	1.80	6	1397	34½	+ ⅛
BnkAm	9	1145	14	—	⅛
Bausch	1	14	314	42¼	+ ⅛
Baxter	.50	16	x1420	20½	— ⅛
Belcer		325	13-64	—	1-32
BellAtl	4.06	11	327	69⅝	— ⅜
BellSo	2.36	12	1302	40½	— ⅛
BenfCp	.2	11	133	51⅛	+ ⅛
BengtB	.12r	10	125	4¼	
BestPd	19	924	15¼	+ ⅛	
BethStl	6	1933	21⅜	— ⅛	
Bevrly	.05i		173	6	+ ⅛
BlackD	.40	15	152	21¼	— ⅛
BlkHR	s1.04	16	x173	27⅛	+ ⅜
Boeing	1.60	17	1647	59⅜	— ⅛
BoiseC	s1.20	8	615	43½	+ ⅜
Borden	1.56	14	465	53¼	+ ⅛
BostEd	1.82	11	102	15	
BristMy	1.68	16	2940	43⅜	+ ⅜
BritPt	3.18e	12	392	50⅛	+ 1
BrwnFr	.48	19	3952	26⅛	+ ⅜
Brnwk	.44	8	426	19½	— ⅛
BrlNth	2.20	19	898	66¼	— ⅛

C—C

CBS	3	15	204	161¾	+ ⅛
CIGNA	2.96	8	x877	50¼	+ ⅛
CMS	En	6	196	21⅛	
CNW	8	425	25⅛	+ ⅛	
CPC	1.44	14	415	47⅜	+ ⅛
CSX	1.24	38	820	26½	+ ⅛
Caesar	.9	122	26⅛	— ⅛	
CamSp	s.84	15	364	27	+ ⅜
CapCits	.20	16	58	318¼	+ ⅜
CarPw	2.76	9	164	34½	
CartHw	9	102	9⅜	+ ⅛	
CastlCk	12	383	25⅜	+ ⅛	
Caterp	.75	10	1934	56	+ ⅛
Centel	s1.72	15	438	42⅝	+ ⅛
CentEn	1.60	6	783	13⅜	— ⅛
CenSoW	2.44	8	354	31½	
CnlPS	1.76	10	54	21¼	+ ⅛
Chmpln	1	8	1314	32½	— ⅛
ChamSp	.20	32	196	12½	+ ⅛
ChartC	.02e	5	27	3¾	
Chase	2.16	3	1125	29⅜	
ChmBnk	2.72	5	1106	33⅜	+ ⅛
Chevrn	2.60	11	2296	44⅜	— ⅛
ChrisCr	.53t	25	20	21¼	+ ⅛
Chryslr	1	5	2004	23	— ⅛
CircleK	.28	11	794	12⅜	— ⅛
CirCty	.12	15	662	35⅜	+ ⅛
Citicrp	s1.48	4	2845	24¼	+ ⅛
ClarkE	135	124		28¼	— ⅛
Clorox	1.04	13	162	31¼	+ ⅛
Coastal	.40	15	1074	34⅜	+ ⅛
CocaCl	1.20	16	4981	41⅜	+ ⅛
Colec		40		1⅜	
ColgPal	1.48	40	992	43	+ ⅛
ColGas	.2	14	158	34⅛	— ⅛
CmbEn	1	20	594	32⅜	
Comdre	.8	92		11⅜	
CmwE	.3	8	936	30	+ ⅛
Comsat	1.32	8	209	25⅜	— ⅛
ConsEd	3.20	10	478	43⅜	+ ⅛
ConsNG	1.64	16	453	39⅛	+ ⅛
Conrail	1.20	7	805	30⅜	— ⅛
CnStor	17	31		5⅜	+ ⅛
Contel	2.08	27	317	35	— ⅛
CntlCp	2.60	10	454	38¾	— ⅛
CtData	.24	191		22⅜	+ ⅛
Cooper	1.80	14	165	52½	
CornGl	1.48	12	x250	58½	+ ⅛
CrayRs	21	504		78¾	— 1⅛
CrwnCk	.12	41		11¼	+ ⅛
CumEn	2.20	110	154	46	+ ⅛
CurtW	1.60	9	12	49	

D—D

DPL	2.16	10	558	25⅜	
DanaCp	1.52	10	419	35⅛	— ⅛
DataGn	.18	57		18¼	
DaytHd	1.02	15	715	38⅛	+ ⅛
Deere	.80	11	905	44	+ ⅛
DeltaAr	1.20	8	2502	47¼	+ ⅛
DetEd	1.68	15	483	15⅜	— ⅛
Digital	9	3448	93	—	1½
Disney	.40	17	1192	83	+ ⅛
DomRs	3.08	9	309	42½	— ⅛
Dover	1.36	15	279	58¾	— ⅛
DowCh	2.80	9	3187	85⅜	+ ⅛
DowJns	.68	14	265	34	+ ⅛
Dresr	.70	15	380	29⅜	— ⅛
duPont	3.80	9	1892	82⅜	+ ⅛
DukeP	2.96	10	464	44⅜	+ ⅛
DuqLt	1.20	11	1747	15⅜	

E—E

ERC	9	52	10⅜	—	⅛
EastGF	1.30	11	27	23⅜	— ⅛
EKodk	s2	11	2135	43⅜	
Eaton	3	10	42	74⅜	+ ⅛
Echlin	.62	17	198	16½	
EKCO		125	2		
EmrsEl	1	13	869	29½	
Enron	2.48		545	37⅜	
Ensrch	.80	38	191	20	— ⅛
Ethyl	.44	13	707	21⅜	— ⅛
Exxon	2.20	12	7025	46⅝	— ⅛

F—F

FMC	12	184	34¼	+ ⅛	
FPL Gp	2.20	10	216	30⅜	
Fairchd	.20		36	10½	+ ⅛
Feders	.32	13	111	9⅛	
FedNM	.72	8	1583	47⅜	— ⅛
FnSBar	.10		2	4	
FtBkSy	1.64	8	269	21	+ ⅛
FCapHd	.5	62	6⅛	— ⅛	
FstChic	1.50	9	218	32⅛	+ ⅛
Flntste	2.92		64	51½	+ ⅛
FstPa	.11	295	12		
FtWach	1.36	10	12	38⅜	— ⅛
FleetEn	.64	10	18	22⅜	
FlightS	s.16	18	40	24⅛	+ ⅛
FlaPrg	2.48	9	130	34⅜	— ⅛
FlwGen	.10	53	6⅜	— ⅛	
Fluor	13	321	21		
FthillG	.20	8	16	7⅜	+ ⅛
FordM	s2.40	5	4699	50⅜	+ ⅛
FrptMc	2.62e	8	71	25⅜	— ⅛

G—G

GAF	.10	14	1561	48⅜	+ ⅛
GTE	2.68	12	4335	41⅛	+ ⅜
Gannett	1	15	1143	32⅜	+ ⅛
GnCrp	s.60	9	626	21⅜	— ⅛
Genetch	28	1789	20⅜	—	⅛
GnDyn	1	6	500	50⅜	— ⅜
GenEl	1.40	12	5928	41¼	+ ⅜
Gnmat	.50	13	1690	30⅜	+ ⅛
GnMills	1.88	16	869	50⅜	+ ⅛
GMot	.5e	6	1897	73⅜	— ⅛
GM E	.68	13	365	40⅜	+ ⅛
GPU	1.20	7	93	34¼	
GnSignl	1.80	27	88	47	+ ⅛
Genaco	.8	186		5⅜	
GaPac	1.20	9	874	38⅜	— ⅛
GerbPd	1.48	30	71	47⅜	
GibrFn		190	3¼		
Gillete	.88	15	3785	34⅜	— ⅛
Glaxo	.45e	13	1016	16⅛	+ ⅜
GldNug	.3	6	12⅜	—	⅛
Gdrich	1.72	11	1308	53¼	
Goodyr	1.80	6	1819	60	+ ⅜
Gould		7395	22⅝		
Grace	s1.40	11	1124	24⅜	— ⅛
GtAtPc	.60	14	84	40⅜	+ ⅛
GtNNk	1.12	8	2023	40⅜	+ ⅛
GtWFn	.76	10	648	14⅜	— ⅛
Greyh	1.32	131	130	31⅛	
Grumn	1	1108	130	22⅜	
GtWat	s.70	14	583	41⅜	— ⅛
GtStUt	.7	412		7⅛	+ ⅛

H—H

Halbtn	.1	25	1870	26⅝	— ⅛
Harlnd	.58	15	231	19⅜	
Harley	.8	27	25⅛	— ⅛	
Harris	.88	17	233	27⅛	+ ⅛
Hecks		16	13-16	—	⅛
HeclaM	.05e	18	419	14⅝	+ ⅛
Heinz	1.24	15	2271	44¼	+ ⅛
Herculs	1.92	3	1124	45½	+ ⅛
Hrshey	.70	14	534	24⅝	+ ⅛
HewlPk	.34	15	1835	47⅞	
Holidy		n	6 411	24⅝	— ⅛
Hmstk	s.20	9	1341	14⅛	
Honwell	2.10	10	1543	58	— ⅛
HCA	.72	10	391	34⅜	+ ⅛
Hotlinv	.2	23	85	13⅜	— ⅛
HousInt	2.14	9	54	55⅜	+ ⅜
HouInd	2.96	8	509	29⅛	— ⅛
Human	.92	11	422	23⅜	+ ⅛

I—I

IC Ind	.96	15	495	34⅜	+ ⅛
IRT	1.40	12	48	18¼	— ⅛
ITT Cp	1.25	6	706	48⅝	— ⅛
IdahoP	1.80	22	107	22⅛	+ ⅛
IdealB		53		2⅛	
IllPowr	2.64	8	437	18⅜	+ ⅛
ITW	.48	14	641	33¼	+ ⅜
ImpCh	4.20e	7	156	69¾	+ ⅜
ICA	.60	4	1	11½	— ⅛
INCO	.80	8	2834	29⅛	+ ⅛
IngerRd	1.04	15	261	37⅜	+ ⅜
InldStl	1	8	404	37⅜	+ ⅛
Intrlke	1.50	9	21	41½	— ⅛
IBM	4.40	13	5415	112⅜	— 1⅛
IntFlav	1.60	14	136	46⅜	+ ⅛
IntMin	1	15	1618	45¼	+ ⅛
IntPap	1.30	9	1693	45	
Ipalco	1.64	9	212	22⅜	

J—J

JRiver	.48	11	2247	26⅜	+ ⅜
JohnJn	.2	15	2279	82⅜	+ ⅜
Johnind	.6	5	17	—	⅛
Josten	.56	7	100	16⅜	— ⅛

K—K

K mart	1.32	9	2483	33⅜	+ ⅜
Kaisrtc	.15j	7	35	18⅜	
Kaneb		72		2⅛	
KanGE	1.48	11	13855	18⅜	— ⅛
KansPL	1.72	10	41	23½	+ ⅛
Katyln	.31	32		16¼	— ⅛
KaufBd	.32	7	690	11⅜	
Kellogg	1.52	16	451	58	+ ⅛
KerrMc	1.10	20	946	38½	— ⅜
KimbCl	1.60	13	646	57⅜	+ ⅛
KnghtR	1.12	14	354	40	
Kraft	2.04	7	x690	56⅜	+ ⅛
Kroger	1.12	16	410	36¼	— ⅛

L—L

LTV	1	574	3¼		
LeeEnt	.64	18	x163	28	+ ⅛
Lehmn	2.14e		330	12¼	
Lilly	2.30	17	1305	84½	+ ⅛
LincNtl	2.36	13	142	51⅛	+ ⅛
Litton	12	18	73⅜	—	⅛
Lockhd	1.60	6	1231	39⅜	— ⅛
Loews	1	6	565	71½	+ ⅜
LnStar	1.90	15	29	31¼	
LILCo	.8	206		12⅛	
LaLand	1		153	32⅜	— ⅜
LaPac	.92b	7	133	31⅛	+ ⅛
Lukens	1.20	8	60	41	

M—M

MCA	.68	31	3795	44	+ ⅜
MDU	1.42	11	14	18⅜	+ ⅛
Macmil	.80a	32	284	80½	— ⅜
MfrHan	3.28	3	600	29¼	
Manvl		137	2		
MAPCO	1	7	151	54⅜	+ ⅛
Marriot	.20	16	238	27⅜	+ ⅛
MartM	1.10	9	149	40⅛	+ ⅛
Masco	.48	13	448	25¼	+ ⅛
Maxus		1710		7⅜	
MayDS	1.28	12	1519	36¼	+ ⅜
Maytag	s.90	13	347	22⅜	+ ⅛
McDerl	1.80		118	19	+ ⅛
McDnl	.56	14	3544	44½	+ ⅛
McDnD	2.56	8	275	63¼	+ ⅛
McGrH	1.84	19	2128	66¾	+ 1⅛
McKes	1.44	15	121	33⅜	
Mead	.76	10	1520	42⅛	— ⅛
Mellon	1.40		86	28¼	+ ⅛
Melvill	2.10	12	206	66⅜	
MercSt	.80	11	62	39¼	— ⅜
Merck	s1.48	21	2540	55⅜	+ ⅛
MerLyn	1	9	623	25⅜	— ⅛
MidSUt	.8	360		13⅜	— ⅛
MWE	1.56	10	88	19¼	+ ⅛
MMM	2.12	13	883	61	+ ⅛
MinnPL	1.72	11	30	24⅜	— ⅛
Mobil	2.40	11	1907	43⅜	
Monsan	.3	11	1120	85	+ 1⅛
MonPw	2.68	12	216	35⅜	+ ⅛
Morgan	1.50	7	1074	37	+ ⅛
Morton	.84	12	527	38⅛	+ 1⅛
Motorla	.64	13	3399	42	— ⅛

N—N

NCNB	.92	13	913	28	— ⅛
NCR	1.24	11	688	56¼	— ⅛
NIPSCO	.45e	14	166	11⅜	+ ⅛
NL Ind	.20		27	6⅜	
NWA	.90	17	703	46½	+ 1⅛
Nalco	1.32	14	219	33½	+ ⅜
NatlFGs	1.26	11	35	18	+ ⅛
NBI	.12j		123	17½	— ⅛
NtSemi	.19	1515		9¼	
Navistr		7	3643	5⅜	+ ⅛
NevPw	1.52	10	19	20	
NEngEl	2.04		7005	23¾	— ⅛
NwtMg	.60a	14	1876	35¾	+ ⅛
NiaMP	1.20	13	387	13⅜	— ⅛
NflkSo	1.32	29	224	27¼	
Nortek	.10		124	6¾	
NoestUt	1.76	10	59	19	— ⅛
NoStPw	2.12	10	130	31½	— ⅛
Nortrp	1.20	6	356	30	
Norton	.2	14	256	50⅜	+ ⅛
Norwst	s1.34	9	721	34¼	+ ⅛
Nynex	4.04	10	549	64½	— ⅛

O—O

OccidPet	2.50	22	x1845	26⅛	— ⅛
OhioEd	1.96	9	5446	5	18⅜
OklaGE	2.28	12	138	31½	— ⅛
Olin	1.80	11	30	46⅜	— ⅛
ONEOK	.64j	9	50	17	— ⅛
OrngCo	.15	20		8¾	+ ⅛
OwenC		n	6 208	24	— ⅛
Oxford	.50		3	9¾	

P—Q

PHM	.12	109	173	7⅜	
PPG	1.36	11	327	42¼	+ ⅛
PSI	.5	65	12⅜	+ ⅛	
PacEnt	3.48	12	105	45⅜	— ⅛
PacGE	1.40	13	1017	17⅛	+ ⅛
PacTel	1.76	11	5805	28¼	
Pacifcp	2.64	9	152	35⅜	— ⅛
PanAm		369		2½	— ⅛
PanEC	.2	9	485	25	— ⅛
Patten	.12	6	52	4½	— ⅛
Penney	.2	10	2594	45¾	+ ⅛
PaPL	2.76	10	8362	34⅜	— ⅛
Penwlt	2.40	21	2201	88½	— ⅛
Pennzol	.3	90	581	74⅜	— ⅛
PepBy	s.10	19	145	11⅜	— ⅛
PepsiCo	.84	14	3144	36⅜	+ ⅛
PerkEl	.60	15	287	24½	+ ⅛
Pfizer	.2	11	1058	51⅜	+ ⅛
PhelpD	.80	4	510	38⅜	— ⅛
PhilaEl	2.20	8	500	18	
PhilMr	4.50	11	2632	94	— ⅛
Philpln	.52	12	44	18⅛	+ ⅛
PhilPet	.72	12	2775	17⅜	— ⅛
Phlcorp		13		8⅜	— ⅛
Pilsbry	1.12	44	767	35¾	+ ⅛
PinWst	2.80	9	430	22⅜	— ⅛
PitnyBw	.92	15	345	42¾	+ ⅛
Pittstn		52	15⅜	—	⅛
PlcrD g	.n.20		666	12⅜	— ⅛
Polaroid	.60	26	1938	41⅜	+ ⅛
PortGC	1.96	14	31	21½	+ ⅛
Primca	s1.60	9	4844	28⅜	
ProctG	2.80	13	1470	77⅜	+ ⅛
PSvCol	.2	8	155	21½	+ ⅛
PSEG	.2	9	1345	22⅜	— ⅛
PugetP	1.76	9	75	18⅜	
Pullmn	.12	24	3	9¼	
Pyro	.394			5⅜	+ ⅛
Qantel	.2	13	1	—	⅛
QuakrO	1	16	402	52⅜	
QuakSC	.80	36	100	20⅜	— ⅛
Quantm	2.20	10	716	95¾	+ ⅛
Questar	1.88	20	329	33½	

R—R

RJR Nb	2.20	10	2875	52⅜	
RLC	.20	9	220	10½	
RalsPur	1.50	13	213	75⅜	
Ramad		86		7⅛	
RangrO	.47	424		5⅜	— ⅛
Raythn	.2	10	87	65¾	+ ⅜
ReadBt		187	1	—	⅛
ReyMtl	1	8	1373	52⅜	
RiteAid	.74	14	629	33	— ⅛
Robins	.13	144		25⅜	
Rockwl	.72	7	733	20⅜	— ⅛
RoHaas	1.12	11	50	34	
Rohr	.17	31		29½	— ⅛
Rorer	s.80	21	132	36¼	+ ⅜
Rowan		38		6⅜	— ⅛
RoyID	6.62e	7	2406	107½	+ ⅜
Rydar	.56	16	494	24¾	+ ⅛

S—S

SCEcp	2.48	11	1032	32½	+ ⅜
SPSTec	1	17	41	42½	— ⅛
SFeSP	s.10	5	886	19⅜	— ⅛
SaraLee	1.20	14	954	40⅜	+ ⅜
SCANA	2.40	10	3003	30	— ⅛
SchrPlg	1.40	17	1715	53⅜	+ ⅛
Schimb	1.20	13	852	32⅜	— ⅛
ScottP	s.74	10	267	36⅜	
Seagrm	1.20	9	264	53⅛	+ ⅛
Sears	.2	9	1503	38⅛	+ ⅜
ShellT	4.76e	9	212	67¾	+ ⅛
Shrwin	.84	13	424	29¾	+ ⅜
Skyline	.48	12	31	14	
SmkBch	1.84	10	2430	45⅜	+ ⅜
Sonat	.2	11	72	27⅝	+ ⅛
SonyCp	.29e	33	87	50	— 1
SouthCp	2.14	9	6981	20⅜	— ⅛
SwBell	2.48	12	1183	38⅜	— ⅛
SwPS	2.12	10	281	25⅜	+ ⅛
SquarD	1.92	11	123	47⅜	+ ⅛
Squibb	1.60	16	2006	82	+ ⅜
SunCo	.3	83	188	58⅜	— ⅛
Syntex	1.30	15	719	38½	+ ⅛
Sysco	.32	19	341	33¾	+ ⅛

T—T

TECO	1.42	11	38	23	
TRW	1.60	9	539	41½	— ⅜
TacBt		39		1⅜	+ ⅛
Talley	.30		56	13⅜	+ ⅛
Tandem	14	953		13¾	— ⅛
Tandy	.60	11	692	39⅜	— ⅛
TchSym	13	136		15⅜	— ⅛
Tektrnx	.60		22	21⅜	— ⅛
Teldyn	.4	8	460	326	+ ⅛
Tennco	3.04		1662	48	— ⅛
Tesoro	278	283		11⅛	+ ⅜
Texaco	.3	13	3120	46⅛	— ⅛
TexEst	1	17	413	26⅛	+ ⅛
Texinst	.72	13	2644	39⅜	— ⅜
TxPac	.40	46	10	30½	+ ⅛
TexUtil	2.88	6	2212	28⅛	
Textrn	.s1	8	1142	24⅜	— ⅛
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Time	1	20	149	95⅜	
TmMir	s.92	14	301	30⅜	
Timkn		s21	1512	30⅜	— ⅛
Tokhem	.46	11	25	18¾	+ ⅛
Tosco	6	348		2⅜	
Transm	1.84	7	281	34⅜	
Transco	1.36		182	33⅜	— ⅛
Travler	2.40	62	335	34	+ ⅛
TriCon	4.50e		97	21¼	
Tribune	.76	16	435	36¾	+ ⅜
Trinova	.84	11	225	25⅜	— ⅛
TucsEP	3.90	11	x388	52⅜	— ⅜

U—U

UAL		Cp	8	825	90¼ + ⅜
UGI	2.14		8	21	27⅛ + ⅛
UNCInc	.01e		15	429	9⅜ — ⅛
USFG	2.64		8	386	30⅜ + ⅜
USG		n	3	775	7¼
USX	1.20		17	2133	27⅜
UCarb	.80		8	1975	23 + ⅛
UnElec	1.92		8	8790	23 — ⅜
UnPac	2.20		11	955	57½ + ⅛
Unisys	1		9	3390	31 — ⅛
URnd	s.20		10	21	17⅛ + ⅛
USWest	3.52		9	582	54⅜ — ⅛
UnTech	1.60		7	734	36½ — ⅛
UniTel	1.92		28	5823	34⅜ — ⅛
Unocal	1			852	35⅜ — ⅜
Upjohn	.72		18	847	31⅜ + ⅛
USLIFE	1.28		9	149	38⅛
UtaPL	2.32		11	241	30 + ⅛

V—V

Varian	.26	69	112	27⅜	— ⅛
Varity	10	517		2⅜	— ⅛

W—W

Wackht	.60a	14	2	20⅜	+ ⅛
WalMrt	.16	24	1299	30⅜	+ ⅛
WarnC	.56	16	3053	33⅜	+ ⅛
WarnrL	2.16	16	788	73½	+ ⅛
WshWt	2.48	10	39	26⅜	+ ⅛
WellsF	2.40	7	970	63	+ ⅛
WUnion		135		2¼	+ ⅛
WstgE	.2	9	778	50¼	— ⅛
Weyer	s1.20	10	1130	24⅜	— ⅜
Whrlpl	1.10	11	340	25⅜	— ⅛
Whittak	.1	11	647	36⅛	— ⅜
William	1.40	7	652	29⅜	
WinDix	1.92	14	60	41¼	— ⅛
Winnbg	.40	26	54	9⅜	+ ⅛
Wolwth	1.64	12	1064	49	+ ⅛
Wynns	.60	62	17	20½	+ ⅛

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GENERAL NEWS

Firefighters hose down homes near park



AP Laserphoto

Rangers in Yellowstone National Park Sunday spray fire-retardent foam on a building near the park's northeast entrance. A back fire was ignited in the area as efforts to halt a major forest fire continue.

COOKE CITY, Mont. (AP) — Firefighters, worried it would start "raining fire" today, hosed down houses and bolstered lines against blazes that have blackened nearly 1 million acres in and around Yellowstone National Park.

Southwesterly winds 20 to 30 mph were expected after relatively light winds Monday.

The changing winds could send embers and flames into this community and nearby Silver Gate from the advancing 61,300-acre Storm Creek blaze and backfires set to deprive the fire of fuel.

"We have about a 25 percent chance of holding the fire out of these two communities," David Liebersbach, incident commander in Silver Gate, said on NBC-TV's "Today" show this morning.

"With these winds, it will be heroic, a real success to save some of these buildings," said fire information officer Pat Kaunert.

Elsewhere in Yellowstone, the 142,000-acre North Fork fire burned to within a few miles of the Old Faithful geyser, but authorities were optimistic the fire would not reach the tourist attraction.

"The fire's about four miles from Old Faithful. So if we do get those predicted winds we could have some problems there, but I think we have a good chance," said Bob Barbee, Yellowstone National Park superintendant.

"I think the folks at Old Faithful have a lot better chance of saving those old structures" than firefighters at Silver Gate, said Barbee, also appearing on "Today."

Thirteen fires in and around Yellowstone have scorched 900,000 acres, and should top 1 million acres today after aerial surveys are completed, Gary Cargill, head of the U.S. Forest Service in Denver, said at a news conference in Bozeman. About 300,000 more acres could burn this week, he said.

In Washington, Gov. Booth Gardner on Monday called in the National Guard to support firefighters battling blazes that have scorched more than 26,000 acres. The guardsmen will help crews working a 12,500-acre blaze in the northeastern part of the state.

Fire bosses don't expect to have the blaze, the state's largest, contained until Saturday, said Patty Burel, spokeswoman for the Colville National Forest.

In Idaho, 13 forest fires raged out of control. A new fire broke out Monday seven miles north of Island Park, on the western edge of the massive North Fork fire that burned out of Yellowstone during the weekend, forcing an estimated 150-200 summer cabin owners to evacuate.

In Silver Gate and Cooke City near Yellowstone's northeastern entrance, all but 30 of the approximately 150 residents had evacuated.

"Some of them are staying around because they want to see what the fire does," said Bob Fry, an emergency services official. "They're mostly packed up, though, and we're trying to push them out."

Mild winds blew ash and smoke toward the towns Monday afternoon.

Fire center fighting its own battle to provide supplies

BOISE, Idaho (AP) — With 25,000 firefighters in the West, the logistics of supplying all of them is staggering, say officials of the federal center established to do just that.

As of Monday, the Boise Interagency Fire Center has sent out 50,000 pairs of fire retardant gloves, 25,445 pairs of flame-proof trousers and nearly 32,000 paper sleeping bags.

It also has distributed 41,607 canteens, 30,984 shirts, nearly 3,000 cans of foot powder, 15 pocket dictionaries, and for firefighters' internal blazes, 182 bottles of antacid.

The center, established in 1965, is responsible for dispatching firefighters, aircraft and supplies to state and federal agencies throughout the country.

More than 67,000 fires, burning a record of more than 3.6 million acres, have been reported in the United States this year. The previous record was 3.2 million acres in 1985.

"This has been a very long fire season," said Arnold Hartigan, public affairs officer. "It began early in June and now, almost three months later, it shows no signs of letting up."

Report says classrooms much like 1938 counterparts

By CHRISTOPHER CONNELL
AP Education Writer

WASHINGTON — American schools have only one computer for every 30 students and even those pupils with access to computers get to use them an average of just one hour a week, a report to Congress said today.

The report by the congressional Office of Technology Assessment said "today's classrooms typically resemble their ancestors of 50 years ago more closely than operating rooms or business offices resemble their 1938 versions."

The agency estimated that schools have spent $2 billion on computer hardware over the past decade. There are now 1.2 million to 1.7 million computers in public schools, and fewer than 5 percent have no computers.

But the agency said it would cost $4 billion to buy enough equipment to reduce the student-computer ratio from 30-1 to 3-1.

The 246-page report, based on two years' research, said that between 1981 and 1987 the percentage of schools equipped with computers for instructional use grew from 18 percent to 95 percent.

But "the vast majority of schools still do not have enough of them to make the computer a central element of instruction," it said.

Computers are not the only new machines in American classrooms.

"The 1980s witnessed a tremendous expansion in school use of advanced technology of all types," the report said.

"In 1980 very few schools had videocassette recorders. Today roughly 90 percent do," it said, adding that the availability of cable and satellite transmission has made the television a more potent teaching tool — especially for schools in remote areas.

"In practice there is wide disparity — one computer in a classroom, clusters of computers in the library or classrooms, full computer laboratories and classrooms with no computers," it said. "Not all students use computers and ... those who do spend on average a little more than one hour per week on the computer."

The report said that "although new interactive technologies cannot alone solve the problems of American education, they have already contributed to important improvements in learning. These tools can plan an even greater role ... both by helping children acquire basic skills and by endowing them with more sophisticated skills so they can acquire and apply knowledge over their lifetimes."

To tap the potential of technology, the report said, "a greater investment will be necessary," including a more active federal role in spurring research and helping spread the new teaching tools.

The report warned that "the vast majority of those now teaching or planning to teach have had little or no computer education or training."

'Domino effect' toppling more financially ailing city hospitals

CHICAGO (AP) — Inner city hospitals collapsing in financial failure are likely to topple their ailing neighbors in a "domino effect" hastened by growing tides of poor and eroding government support, medical authorities say.

Rural hospitals are shutting down at an equal rate and are leaving large gaps in the availability of health care, the authorities say.

Last week, a 437-bed hospital in Chicago and a 30-bed institution in rural southwestern Illinois announced they would close, becoming casualties in an accelerating national trend.

"It's a fragile environment for hospitals," says Jan Shulman, a spokeswoman for the American Hospital Association, which tallied a record 79 hospital closings nationwide last year.

In Illinois, for example, five closed in 1987. Twenty-five of the state's 226 remaining hospitals fit the profile of endangered institutions, most in Chicago and one in East St. Louis, said Kenneth Robbins, president of the Illinois Hospital Association.

Typically, the shaky hospitals are in poor, inner-city neighborhoods, with 25 percent of their patients poor people covered under Medicaid, 30 percent to 40 percent elderly people covered under Medicare, and 5 percent to 10 percent indigent people with no way of paying, Robbins said.

The state pays hospitals only 73 cents for every dollar they spend treating Medicaid patients, and the federal government pays only 90 cents for every dollar spent treating Medicare patients, he said.

"Nearly 60 percent of all community hospitals lost money providing patient-care services in 1986," Ms. Shulman said. She noted that the number of uninsured people has risen from 33 million in 1983 to 37 million.

"There's a certain domino effect that accompanies the closing of any hospital," Robbins said. If a neighboring hospital has been treating many poor patients, "and it has to absorb even more, the additional load could be the straw that breaks the back of that hospital."

Edward Duffy, outgoing director of the Illinois Department of Public Aid, says surplus beds as much as inadequate government support are to blame for much of the trouble. He cited the soon-to-be closed St. Anne's Hospital as an example, noting that it has been using only about one-quarter of its 437 beds.

"Hospitals like St. Anne's are the steel mills of the hospital industry," Duffy said after the hospital announced its closing last week. "People don't use hospitals like they used to. I could have tripled my rates (of Medicaid reimbursement) but that would not have kept that hospital open."

"I totally disagree," said Robbins, adding that St. Anne's scaled back on beds as an appropriate response to falling demand. "In the final analysis, it was inadequate payment that killed them, not just ... this year or last year, but over a period of years."

Inner city hospitals are not alone in these difficulties.

Texas, whose 43 hospital closings since the beginning of 1987 are the most for any state during the period, sees most of the shutdowns among tiny rural hospitals, said Ann Ward Rogers, a spokeswoman for the Texas Hospital Association.

Besides inadequate government reimbursement and falling occupancy rates, rural hospitals have trouble attracting qualified doctors and nurses, she said in a telephone interview last week from Austin.

Texas has 48 counties with no hospital, Mrs. Rogers said.

Robbins said solutions to the problem will come only through more adequate Medicaid and Medicare financing; better incentives for physicians to treat poor patients in their offices, relieving the burden of indigent patients on hospitals; and better provision of nursing home care.

'Boarder babies' given much-needed love

By JUDIE GLAVE

NEW YORK (AP) — The infant gingerly reaches for Ed Belling's mustache. Their eyes meet and a big baby grin spreads across the 2-month-old's face.

The boy's teen-age parents, homeless and drug addicted, aren't there to capture the moment. But Belling is.

He is one of a growing number of 60-minute dads and moms. They give their time and love to help cuddle and care for the city's small army of boarder babies — infants forced to live in sterile hospital settings.

Looking around the crowded nursery at St. Luke's Hospital in Manhattan, Belling, an unmarried box-office clerk, prefers to dwell on the positive: "What I've done is given a tiny baby some nourishment, some comfort, even if it is only for an hour."

The babies wind up in hospitals for various reasons. Some have been abandoned or have parents who can't afford to take care of them. Most have parents who "aren't fit to take care of them," usually addicts, says Anne Ormsby of the city's Human Resources Administration, which oversees the boarder baby program.

There are about 300 such infants in the city, most of them black or Hispanic; children who, at one point, spent as much as three months lying in steel-sided cribs and plastic bassinets, waiting to be put in foster homes.

Reforms in the system have since helped reduce that wait to an average of five days for healthy infants. But those with special needs can stay as long as eight months, says Carolyn Yordan, of the Greater New York Hospital Association, which represents 70 hospitals.

Boarder babies are fed and changed at regular intervals by already overburdened staff nurses.

But what about love?

That's where people like Belling come in. They're part of St. Luke's-Roosevelt Medical Center's volunteer program to give the infants the human touch they crave.

Nine women and eight men donate an hour each week to care for the hospital's boarder babies.

"Before the volunteers came up to hold the babies in the nursery, the babies were not reactive to anything," said Virginia Crosby, director of volunteers at the medical center. "They would just lie there.

"The staff would go in and feed them when they could. The babies didn't even react to sound after a while.

"Once the volunteers started, it was totally different," Ms. Crosby said. "They began to react to the love and you could see a real difference."

It was there in the face of the month-old boy Loretta Donato gently rocked in a dilapidated rocking chair inside St. Luke's boarder baby nursery, a small, gray-walled room that would be cheerless if not for the efforts of the staff nurses who used their own money to decorate it.

Eight tiny "cribs" — actually, miniature hospital beds, their iron sides disguised with white paint and brightened with colorful mobiles — dominate the room. The desolate hospital walls are masked with a wallpaper border of skating bunnies.

The "Alice in Wonderland" curtains remind Ms. Donato of the story of Alice's tumble down the rabbit hole, and she tells it to the baby content in her lap.

Across the room, Ian McCart, who like Belling is single, expertly changes a 2-week-old girl's diaper.

McCart, a Manhattan banker who lives in Westchester County, went to the hospital 18 months ago to volunteer to help AIDS patients and met Ms. Crosby.

One day, she coaxed him into going upstairs to look at the babies. "I was hooked," he said.

NATION IN BRIEF

Nudists flee fire that injures two

DEVORE, Calif. (AP) — Three hundred people left their clothes behind as they fled a nudist camp when a propane gas tank exploded, igniting a fire that injured two people and damaged several buildings, authorities said.

Residents of the Tree House Fun Ranch were nude when the fire broke out Monday afternoon, said San Bernardino County Fire dispatcher Martha Pfrommer.

One naked woman flagged down a fire truck and directed it to the blaze.

"It gave them pause at first," Ms. Pfrommer said of the firefighters who answered the call. "They haven't been to a fire like that in recent memory."

About 150 of those who fled were permanent residents of the 53-acre ranch, located in this rural area about 50 east of downtown Los Angeles; the other 150 were Labor Day visitors, she said.

Is janitor lottery winner?

LONGWOOD, Fla. (AP) — Lottery officials were checking their calculations for the record $54 million Lotto jackpot and a report that a school janitor has the only winning ticket.

Lottery officials know the ticket with the correct series of six numbers was sold in this central Florida community.

But 280 miles away, Liberty County Sheriff Harrell Revell said Monday night that Bristol resident Charles Hill has offered his ticket as the winner.

"It isn't confirmed," Revell said, adding he sent a deputy to Hill's house as a security precaution as word of mouth spread through the tiny Florida Panhandle hamlet.

Telephone messages left with lottery officials were not returned Monday night.

Deputy guarding Kings

ATLANTA (AP) — A deputy has been assigned to provide security for the family of Martin Luther King Jr. for the past five months, a measure defended by the county sheriff as a valid use of tax money.

"I'd say it's public money going to protect a public family," Fulton County Sheriff Richard Lankford was quoted as saying in today's editions of The Atlanta Constitution. "Anything that happened to the King family at this juncture would become international."

King was assassinated April 4, 1968, in Memphis, Tenn. His mother, Alberta King, was shot to death in 1975 while playing the organ for a Sunday service in an Atlanta church.

"It would be an indictment, I think, against our community if another tragedy would befall the family," the sheriff said in acknowledging he assigned deputy Angelo Willoughby to the post.

The newspaper said it learned of the deputy's hiring through county records.

Soup kitchens opposed

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Residents near Golden Gate Park oppose open-air soup kitchens near their homes, a neighborhood leader said, after the arrest of 50 people who clashed with police while trying to pass out food and pamphlets.

No injuries were reported in Monday's fracas. On Aug. 29, 29 people were arrested in a similar confrontation, and leaders of the group called Food Not Bombs said they would return each Monday.

Lorraine Rorke, vice president of one of several neighborhood organizations opposed to the giveaways by the group, said residents believe it is "not so interested in giving away food as they are in promoting their particular message."

Food and fists flew Monday when police in riot gear closed in on about 200 people gathered for the giveaway.

Plane crash kills one

SITKA, Alaska (AP) — One person was killed and nine others aboard a commercial aircraft were injured when the plane crashed near a mountain lake Monday shortly after takeoff from Sitka, the Coast Guard said.

The crash was reported at about 3:35 p.m. near Indigo Lake, about five to 10 miles east of the Sitka airport, Coast Guard Cmdr. Bruce Merchant said.

Merchant said the twin-engine Britton-Norman BN-2 operated by Island Air crashed in a mountainous area at about the 2,000-foot level. Nine passengers and a pilot were on board the flight from Sitka to Petersburg, he said.

One person, whose identify was not immediately released, died at the scene. The other nine were evacuated by helicopters from the Coast Guard and from Mountain Aviation, a private air service, Merchant said.

He said all were taken to hospitals, where two people were in serious condition.

Wedding gifts left in cab

NEW YORK (AP) — Somewhere out there is a cab with a trunkful of wedding presents that belong to a pair of newlyweds.

Tom and Betsy McCormack were married Sunday night and celebrated with about 100 friends and relatives.

After the reception, they invited their closest relatives back to their suite at the Barbizon Hotel across town to open the gifts.

But Tom's brother, Dan, who was charged with transporting the 30-odd presents and dozens of checks, left them in the trunk of a cab.

"This was not the way we wanted to cap off a beautiful wedding," the 32-year-old groom, a lawyer, said Monday.

"Everyone's running around trying to figure out how to get the presents back," said the bride, 29, a computer analyst.

Private schools favored

EMMAUS, Pa. (AP) — More than 80 percent of parents are satisfied with their children's public schools, but if they had the money, more than half would send their children to private schools, a poll shows.

The survey, commissioned by Children magazine, shows that 41 percent of parents said they were very satisfied with their child's public school, and another 40 percent said they were somewhat satisfied.

But if money were no object, 51 percent would choose to send their child to a private or parochial school, according to the survey.

The poll, which has a margin of error of plus or minus 6 percentage points, drew from a sample of 305 parents with children in public schools.

The poll is included in a report in the magazine's October issue, "Report Card on Public Education."

Brother held in killing

HAUPPAUGE, N.Y. (AP) — A 22-year-old Navy recruit was being held without bail today for the shotgun killing of his older brother in what one policeman called "a Cain and Abel type" case.

Michael Schmid of Long Island, N.Y., pleaded innocent to second-degree murder at his arraignment before Judge W. Bromley Hall in Hauppauge on Monday.

Suffolk County police said Schmid, who had recently finished boot camp at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station near Chicago, was staying in a friend's apartment in Smithtown on Long Island when the shooting occurred Sunday.

According to Detective Gene McCready of the homicide squad, when Schmid's family offered to get him a lawyer, Schmid said in court: "Don't bother. I did it! I did it! I planned it!"

The judge warned him that if he wasn't quiet he would incriminate himself.

Environment debated

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress has left itself about a month to solve major environmental problems that have eluded solution in the 1980s — redoubling the battle against urban air pollution and launching an attack on acid rain.

Lawmakers return to town Wednesday, shooting for an early October adjournment. As the House and Senate enter the home stretch, clean air legislation is barely out of the starting gate.

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Acacia Masonic Lodge #1414. 1000 Upland. Stated Meetings 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 7:30 pm. Visiting masons welcome. Ron Yeager, W.M. J.H. Beaty, Secretary

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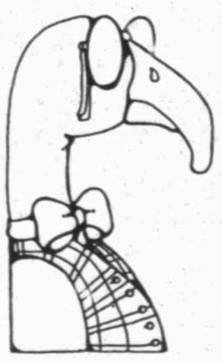
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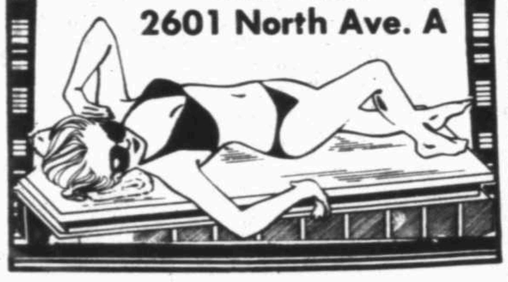
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