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Inside information



(Staff photo by Bear Mills)

Pampa resident Clint Thompson, left, visits with Santa Claus in downtown Thursday morning. Thompson reportedly wanted information on reports of flying reindeer, Santa's alleged ability to traverse up and down chimneys and a magic sleigh able to hold enough toys for all the children in the world. Santa's answers were polite, if a little evasive, emphasizing faith and that Christmas is a time when the power of love works many incredible wonders.

Hackler says strategic plan needed to carry Pampa into next century

By BEAR MILLS
Staff Writer

New Pampa City Manager Glen Hackler said his biggest priority in leading the municipal administration will be developing a strategic plan to carry the city through the next decade and into the 21st Century.

During an interview Thursday, Hackler said he is certain he is the right man to work with city commissioners in developing accountability and efficiency in local government and helping them solve some of the nagging problems the community faces.

"One of my goals will be to provide stability to an area that has seen four (city managers) in less than a year," Hackler said. "I want to provide sound leadership and accentuate the positive. We need to look for ways the city can run more efficiently and effectively, paying particular attention to the bottom line."

Hackler emphasized that "I hope in January to meet with the City Commission in a special session, providing them with good information and solid recommenda-

tions that will allow them to map the direction of this city for several years to come.

"I'm talking about a strategic plan. Every community needs one to organize the thought process and have the community in a position to meet those needs."

Agreeing that issues like street repair and/or replacement, the city animal shelter and defining the city's role in economic development must be addressed, Hackler insisted they must not be dealt with in a random way.

"We have to make sure it's not a plan we can visualize but not realize," Hackler said.

He insisted that if he and the city staff can provide commissioners with good information on important issues, the commission will be in position to prioritize those areas and decide how to pay for them.

"A street plan is available and will be included in our (January) presentation," Hackler said. "From a staff standpoint, we need to be organized instead of haphazard. You don't say, 'Here's a big need,' and two months

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Vandalism of road signs at Lefors costs taxpayers, says maintenance supervisor

By BETH MILLER
Staff Writer

LEFORS - Vandalism of state highway signs has escalated this week at the sharp turnoff from Highway 273 to Spur 398 (Main Street) just north of town, and state highway officials say the damage hits the taxpayers in the pocket-books.

Joe Duncan, roadway maintenance supervisor with the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, said the vandalism of the signs at the intersection has been a continual problem for the state highway maintenance crews for numerous years.

"Ever since I've been here it's been a problem at Lefors. It runs in spurts. When they catch somebody and try to prosecute him, it slacks off," Duncan said.

On Monday, Charlie Mullen, a maintenance technician with the highway department, put up four signs at the intersection that had been knocked down and damaged. Included in the signs that were knocked to the ground were a stop sign and a "Do Not Enter" sign, he said.

Two of the four signs will have to be completely replaced due to the damage, Mullen said.

On Thursday, Mullen was again at the site of the intersection, this time standing upright two signs in an island that designate which side of the road a vehicle is to travel. A third sign, with Junction 273 on it, was completely destroyed, as was its pole. A new pole with a new sign had to be placed in the ground.

"I've been here for nine years and it's been going on since I've been here. They push them over

with cars and run over them," Mullen said.

"We try to keep them up for the safety of the public," he said.

The damage and vandalism to the signs ends up costing the taxpayers and could cost the life of someone not familiar with the area, Duncan said.

"It's dangerous when they get to messing with our signs," he said. "People not familiar with the area could have an accident."

The signs are not cheap, ranging

from \$25 to \$50 each, with the poles costing the state about \$15 each. Labor for going out and putting up the signs and poles and repairing them, if needed, is estimated to cost about \$15 an hour.

Duncan said the main problem is trying to find the culprits, many of whom apparently do their deeds in the dead of night when no witnesses are around. Anyone with information on the vandalism can contact the Gray County Sheriff's Office at 669-8022.



(Staff photo by Beth Miller)

Charlie Mullen with the state Highway Department shows one of the signs crumpled by vandals near Lefors.

U.S. planes join battle to save Aquino's rule

By CLARO CORTES
Associated Press Writer

MANILA, Philippines (AP) - U.S. warplanes today joined the battle to save President Corazon Aquino's elected government after military rebels bombed the presidential palace in the strongest bid yet to topple her.

President Bush authorized military assistance to back Mrs. Aquino's government after rebels also seized two air bases, including the air force headquarters, and were moving artillery and armor into the capital.

The mutinous soldiers also seized two television stations.

By sundown, military chief of staff Gen. Renato de Villa declared the coup attempt had failed and that loyal troops had recaptured one of the bases seized by the rebels. He said 30 rebel officers and 300 enlisted men had been captured.

But sporadic fighting continued, and the mutineers were still in control of the government television station and parts of Villamor air base, the air force headquarters. Rebels were transporting large amounts of ammunition to Villamor from nearby Fort Bonifacio.

The extent of U.S. involvement was fighter jets flying over the rebel-held Sangley and Villamor air bases near Manila, a U.S. official in Washington said. "Even now, U.S. fighters are joining the fight to give air cover to our ground troops," Mrs. Aquino said. "Once more, two Pacific democracies stand shoulder-to-shoulder in the defense of freedom."

"The fight is joined in earnest," she said. "The outcome is assured."

Bush, Gorbachev hope summit will improve peace

By CHARLES CAMPBELL
Associated Press Writer

MARSAXLOKK BAY, Malta (AP) - President Bush praised Mikhail S. Gorbachev today as "a dynamic new Soviet leader" and hailed their shipboard summit's promise of advancing world peace. Gorbachev met with Pope John Paul II at the Vatican and pledged freedom of religion in his communist homeland.

Bush arrived at the cold, rain-swept summit site after ordering American warplanes to support Philippines President Corazon Aquino's struggle against a military coup attempt.

While Gorbachev promised to establish diplomatic ties with the Vatican and guarantee religious freedom for all Soviet citizens, one of his major European allies - East Germany - took another major step toward democratic reform.

The East German parliament voted overwhelmingly to change the constitution and eliminate the

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(AP Laserphoto)

Government troopers, backed by an armored personnel carrier, keep their position near TV station as they attempt to take it back from rebel soldiers today.

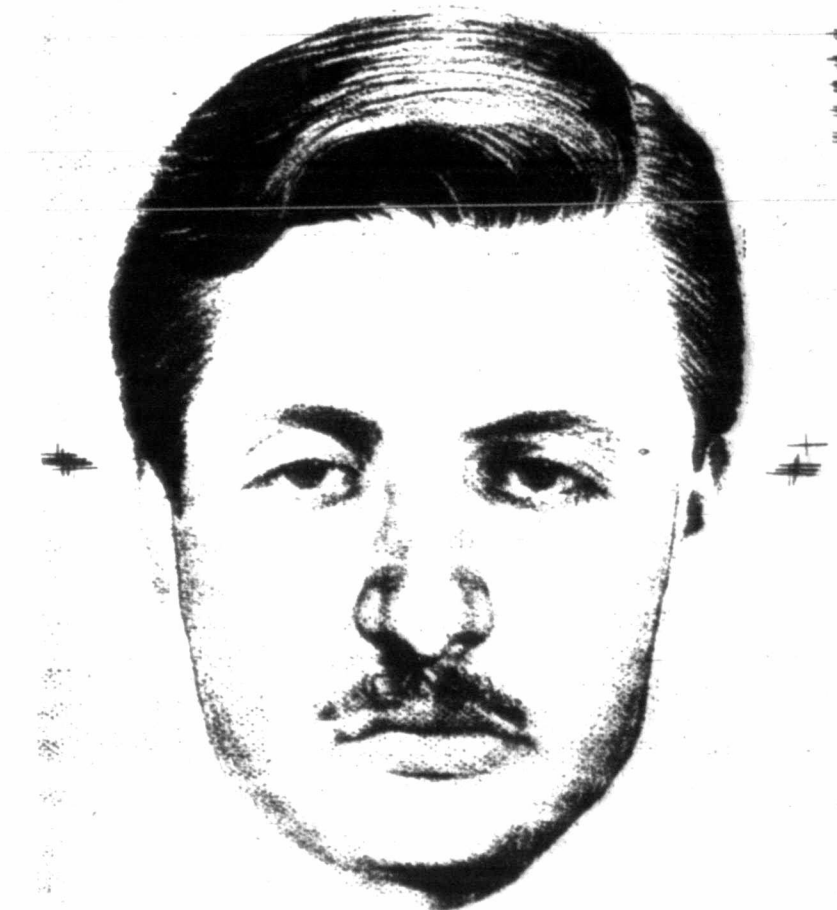
At least 10 people were killed and 64 wounded in the most serious of the six coup attempts since Mrs. Aquino came to power. She was reported safe after the attack on the palace.

She was swept into office in February 1986 by a civilian-military uprising that drove President Ferdi-

nand Marcos into exile in Hawaii. But public discontent with her government has risen because of economic problems and allegations of corruption.

U.S. F-4 fighter jets flying "combat air patrol" roared over the

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Composite drawing of suspect sought in White Deer robbery was prepared by Pampa Police Department.

Carson County authorities seeking suspect in robbery

By BETH MILLER
Staff Writer

WHITE DEER - Carson County Sheriff's officers are seeking help in identifying and locating a man who allegedly assaulted and robbed a convenience store clerk on Monday, Barry Knoke, Carson County deputy, said Thursday.

The man is described as Hispanic, about 30 years old, 5 feet 10 inches tall and weighing 160 pounds. He reportedly left the scene in a 1975-77 Chevrolet four-door that was white over brown.

Knoke said the incident was reported about 1:58 a.m. Monday at the Allsup's convenience store in White Deer after the man bought gasoline and then came into the store.

He picked up a 16-ounce glass soft drink bottle and struck the clerk, Margaret Leslie Burns of Kingsmill, on the head and then went behind the counter and got an undisclosed amount of money from the register, according to officials. The victim was taken to Corona-

do Hospital in Pampa by Rural/Metro Ambulance and was treated and released from the hospital. The deputy said the clerk's head was cut by the bottle and she received stitches at the hospital to close the wound.

According to Sheriff Terry Timmons, four suspects have been questioned and others will be interviewed. The sheriff's office asked the Pampa Police Department to complete a composite drawing of the suspect.

In a separate incident, 10 homes and vehicles were burglarized on Saturday night or early Sunday morning in Groom. An estimated \$6,000 worth of tools and other items of value were taken.

Sheriff Timmons said residents should be alerted to lock vehicles, homes and garages. Traditionally, more burglaries occur during the Christmas season, he said.

Anyone with information on the robbery suspect or with information concerning the burglaries can contact the Carson County Sheriff's Office at (806) 537-3511.

Daily Record

Services tomorrow

WARMINSKI, Donald E. — 11 a.m., Sacred Heart Catholic Church, White Deer.
BEATY, Herman E. — 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel.
MOORE, Don Rogers — 2 p.m., People's Church, Dalhart.

Obituaries

HERMAN E. BEATY

Herman E. Beaty, 81, died Tuesday. Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel with Rev. Norman Rushing, pastor of Central Baptist Church, officiating, assisted by Rick Parnell, associate pastor. Burial will be in Wheeler Cemetery at Wheeler under the direction of Carmichael-Whitley Funeral Directors.

Mr. Beaty was born in Palo Pinto County and moved to Pampa in 1947 from Wheeler. He married Bessie Rose Long on Dec. 21, 1929 at Sayre, Okla.; she preceded him in death on Sept. 12, 1989. He was a member of Central Baptist Church. He retired from Cabot Corp. in 1970 after 24 years of service.

Survivors include two sons, Eugene Beaty of Dallas and Gerald Beaty of Seminole; a daughter, Larue Morton of Fort Worth; five sisters, Imogene Clay, Nellie Mae Lackey and Vivian Dodson, all of Shamrock; Edith Pearl Henderson of Muleshoe and Frankie Franks of Houston; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be made to Central Baptist Church Mission Fund.

CARL ALBERT OGLESBY

AMARILLO — Carl Albert Oglesby, 75, the brother of a Pampa man, died Wednesday. Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. today in Miles Cemetery near San Angelo under the direction of Johnson's Funeral Home of San Angelo. Local arrangements are by N.S. Griggs Funeral Directors of Amarillo.

Mr. Oglesby married Edna Hanes in 1951. He served in the Air Force 20 years, retiring in 1962 as a master sergeant. He was a Methodist minister for 14 years, retiring in 1980. He moved to Amarillo in 1962 from Cannon Air Force Base at Clovis, N.M.

Survivors include his wife; seven sons, Carlito Oglesby of San Angelo, Sherwood Oglesby of Dallas; Robert Oglesby and Darryl Oglesby, both of Amarillo; Donald Oglesby of Denver, Colo.; Carl Oglesby Jr. of New Mexico, and Jimmy Oglesby of Brownwood; and a brother, Dale Kessel Oglesby of Pampa.

DON ROGERS MOORE

DALHART — Don Rogers Moore, 58, the father of a Pampa man, died Thursday. Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in People's Church with Rev. David Rietten, pastor, and Rev. Gene Amerson, pastor of First United Methodist Church in Hartley, officiating. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors.

Mr. Moore was born in Holdenville, Okla., and moved to Borger in 1952. He married Ann Kimmel in 1952 at Borger. They moved to Sunnott in 1958 and later moved to Hartley in 1971. He served in the Marine Corps during the Korean War. He was a member of "Chosin Few." He was a musician and singer-songwriter. He was a member of People's Church in Dalhart. He was employed as field operator for Phillips Petroleum Co.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Jerry Moore of Pampa; three daughters, Donna Blagg and Gaye Cooley, both of Sunnott, and Teresa Moore of Dalhart; a brother, J.R. Moore of Hartley; two sisters, Joy Mullins of Okmulgee, Okla., and Linda Turley of Morris, Okla.; and eight grandchildren.

FRED J. WELLS

STEDMAN — Fred J. Wells, 70, the brother of a Pampa woman, died Nov. 10. Services were held Nov. 13 at Stedman Baptist Church with Rev. Robert Phipps and Rev. Virgil Wilson officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Baptist Church Cemetery.

Mr. Wells was born in Miami and reared in Hedley. He was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Letha Cashwell Wells; two daughters, Cathy Blackman and Judy Hairr, both of Fayetteville; two sisters, Joe Anderson of Pampa and Hope Overstreet of Houston; and a brother, E.P. Wells of Temple.

JIMMIE FAYE CRAWFORD

ERICK, Okla. — Jimmie Faye Crawford, 67, brother of a Pampa resident, died Thursday at Amarillo Veterans Hospital. Services are to be at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Father-Albert Chapel with Jim Medlock, pastor of First Baptist Church of Erick, officiating. Burial will be in Texola Cemetery.

Born Sept. 26, 1922 at Erick, Mr. Crawford was a resident there until he joined the armed services during World War II. He fought at Rome-Arno, North Apennines, Po Valley, northern and southern France, Normandy, central Europe, Rhineland and the Air Combat Balkans. He received three Overseas Service bars, the EAME Campaign Ribbon with nine bronze stars, the Good Conduct Medal and the Distinguished Unit badge. Following his discharge from the service in 1945, Mr. Crawford lived in several areas of Oklahoma before returning to Erick. He was a member of the Baptist Church and a lifetime member of the Elk City chapter of Disabled American Veterans. He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother and one sister.

Survivors include one brother, John A. Crawford of Wilburton, Okla.; two sisters, Oneda Merilatt of Erick, Okla., and Marie C. Stephens and her husband, Melvin, of Pampa; and a nephew, Thomas Gary Barker of Amarillo.

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions	Pampa
Essie Knowles, Deer	Virgil Raines, Pampa
Groom	John Shaw, White
Dena Parry, Borger	
Jesefa Vizcaino, Pampa	
Margaret Wells, Pampa	
Dismissals	SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions
Elbert Derr, Clarendon	Howard Zumbaugh, Reno, Nev.
Paul Edwards, Pampa	Rose Hefley, Shamrock
Oneeta Herring, Pampa	
Melinda Hillman and baby girl, Pampa	
Harold Justice, Pampa	
W.H. King, Shamrock	
J.D. Langwell, Pampa	
Clarene Laycock, Pampa	
Maria Ontiveros, Pampa	

Stocks

The following grain quotations are provided by Wheeler-Evans of Pampa	Amoco 49 1/8 up 1/4	Aroco 104 3/8 up
Wheat 3.63	Cbo 35 1/2 dn 1/8	Chevron 68 1/2 dn 1/8
Milo 3.53	Enron 55 3/4 up 1/4	Halliburton 40 dn 1/4
Com 4.05	Ingersoll Rand 47 dn 1/8	KNE 22 3/4 NC
The following show the prices for which these securities could have traded at the time of compilation	Kerr-McGee 48 up 1/8	Mapco 36 5/8 NC
Ky. Cent. Life 18 5/8	Mesa 10 3/8 NC	Mesa Ltd 7 3/4 NC
Serico 5 1/8	Mobil 59 3/8 up 1/2	New Atmos 16 5/8 NC
Occidental 30 1/8	Penney's 66 7/8 up 1/8	Phillips 23 3/8 dn 1/8
The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation	SLB 46 3/8 dn 1/4	SPS 30 1/4 up 1/8
Magellan 65 42	Tenneco 59 3/8 dn 3/8	Texas 54 3/8 up 1/4
Puritan 14 50	New York Gold 413.25	Silver 5.70
The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa		

Police report

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

THURSDAY, Nov. 30

Police reported offenses against family and children in the 700 block of North Sumner and the 1600 block of North Nelson.

William Clinton Weeks III, 2318 Beech, reported burglary of a motor vehicle in the 100 block of Randy Matson.

Southwest Business Machines, 726 N. Hobart, reported a theft of services at the business.

Minor accidents

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

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3:20 p.m. — A 1973 Buick driven by Donna Boyd, 445 Graham, collided with a 1984 GMC driven by Edward Hopson, 1518 Williston, in the 100 block of West Foster. Boyd was cited for leaving the scene of an accident, improper passing and no proof of liability insurance.

5:30 p.m. — A 1970 Chevrolet driven by Calvin Nelson, Perryton, collided with a 1974 Chevrolet driven by Jack Sims, 1940 N. Faulkner, in the 500 block of North Sumner. Nelson was cited for failure to yield right of way and no proof of liability insurance. Possible injuries were reported.

DPS

THURSDAY, Nov. 30

2:30 p.m. — A 1990 Cadillac driven by Carolyn Groninger Terry, 54, of White Deer, collided with a 1988 Chevrolet pickup driven by Gaylon Melvin Vineyard, 55, of Kress, at FM 2385 and a city dirt street in White Deer. According to the report, Terry was traveling west on the dirt street and failed to yield the right of way at the intersection of FM 2385, colliding with the Vineyard vehicle, traveling south on FM 2385. Citations were issued.

Calendar of events

SOUTHSIDE SENIOR CITIZEN'S MENU

Southside Senior Citizen's menu for Saturday is baked fish, later tots, green peas and carrots, stewed apples and white bread.

RED CROSS CPR AND STANDARD FIRST AID COURSES

The Red Cross is offering a two-session CPR Course from 6 to 10 p.m. Dec. 5 and 7. The Red Cross is also offering a Standard First Aid course from 6 to 10 p.m. on Dec. 12 and Dec. 14. Both courses will be offered at the local office, 108 N. Russell St. Cost of each course is \$15 per person. The Red Cross requests those interested in taking the courses call the office the Friday before the classes begin.

PAMPA SINGLES ORGANIZATION

Pampa Singles Organization will meet at 7 p.m. Saturday for snacks and games at 1002 E. Francis. For more information, call 669-7704.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported no calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

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Hackler

later say, 'Oh, and here's another big need.'

"It won't happen overnight. You have to prioritize what you're doing and how you're going to get there."

Hackler said his belief is that city commissioners are committed to looking at budgetary issues involving understaffing in the police department.

He added that adequate staffing and fair compensation of all city employees will be an issue the commission will address before being faced with next year's budget discussions.

"I'm going to be very cognizant of the performance I'm getting from all levels of our staff," Hackler stated. "Those that work for me understand that I expect high levels of performance from them, just as I do myself."

"Accountability is going to be pervasive throughout this organization."

Hackler said he is not afraid to insist on excellence from city employees, while making sure the city also gives them the proper training to achieve that excellence.

"In some instances, performance may be lacking

because of inadequate leadership," Hackler said.

He pointed out that promises by former administrators and elected leaders of a new cable television contract with Sammons Communication before 1991 were probably not realistic.

However, he also said city staff shared citizens' concerns about sub-par service by the cable company.

"I was just visiting today with a competitive cable company," Hackler said. "It's important not to develop a false sense of hope in our community (that the city could legally bring in another cable franchise). However, we're not accepting the status quo either."

"An important message to send (to Sammons) is that the city staff and city manager live in this town and share some of the same concerns the citizens do. We're going to be reasonable, but also firm and demanding that some changes occur."

Hackler said if the Sammons contract is renewed, the cable company must assure the city it will be an effective service provider with a vastly expanded channel format and reasonable prices.

Such negotiations will probably begin in the summer of 1990, Hackler predicted.

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Summit

Communist Party's guaranteed monopoly on political power, a major reform demanded by the mass movement for democratic change.

Touring the U.S. aircraft carrier Forrester in the Mediterranean after his arrival for the weekend summit, Bush said he yearned for a future "free of both tyranny and fear," and urged the Soviet Union to "join us in building that kind of future."

"A new freedom is sweeping the globe," the president told officers and crew members aboard the carrier. "Our meeting here off Malta will last a few days, but the freedom we seek will last for generations."

Bush presented the Forrester's crew with a piece of the crumbling Berlin Wall as "a symbol of the peace we seek." He thanked them for making the Malta summit possible because "you and sailors like you around the world have kept us strong."

He said the two-day summit starting Saturday aboard U.S. and Soviet warships anchored in the harbor off Malta's shore presented "a historic opportunity to foster the peace."

Bush saluted Gorbachev as "a dynamic new Soviet leader willing, as Lincoln said, to think anew." The president added that "we want him to succeed" in bring economic and political reforms to the Soviet

Union.

Gorbachev flies to Malta tonight after meeting with Italian Premier Giulio Andreotti and business leaders in Milan, Italy.

Preceding Gorbachev to Malta, Soviet spokesman Gennady Gerasimov said it was unlikely the summit leaders could do anything to resolve the conflict in Central America, where the United States says Soviet arms are continuing to flow to leftist guerrillas.

"We are not helping anybody there," Gerasimov said during a CBS *This Morning* interview. "It's very dangerous to infuse great-power rivalry into this conflict, which we think must be settled by political means."

Banner gives surprise advertising for drug dealers

By BEAR MILLS
Staff Writer

weights so it would not bunch up.

However, they also noted that hanging such a sign was criminal trespassing onto Santa Fe Railroad property.

Lt. Roy Denman said Santa Fe officials will press charges if the person who hung the sign is found.

Police hypothesized that the banner was probably the result of someone seeking revenge for a narcotics deal gone sour.

They also said the crux of the message coincided with police intelligence about the two people named on the sign.

Police are uncertain how long the banner was hanging from the overpass before it was discovered Thursday night.

Once discovered, it was removed and taken to police headquarters.

City briefs

PUTMAN'S QUALITY Services Professional tree trimming, removal, hauling. 665-2547, 665-0107. Adv.

FOR YOUR Shopping Convenience—Las Pampas will stay open until 8 p.m. every Tuesday and Thursday through Christmas. 110 N. Cuyler. 665-5033. Adv.

LARRY BOONE will be at City Limits, Friday, December 1. Get your tickets early! Adv.

PERFECT CHRISTMAS gifts for entire family, handmade knives, oil paintings on canvas, saws, saw blades. 669-9689. Adv.

THE PERFECT Christmas Gift for the man on your list, Snap-On Tools. 665-1405. Adv.

MICHELLE'S CHRISTMAS Shoppers! Open Thursday 6:30-8 p.m. until Christmas. Adv.

ALL MATERNITY Sportswear, Jumpers, Dresses 20% Off. Find her a unique gift at Bobee J's Boutique, 2143 N. Hobart, Plaza 21. Adv.

LANCER CLUB Friday, Saturday, live music by Kick Back. Adv.

GREAT GIFT Ideas at The Music Shoppe! Magnavox CD players, new shipment of T-shirts. CD and cassette cases 20% off. Open 10 a.m.-10 p.m. Monday thru Saturday, 1-6 p.m. Sunday. 2139 N. Hobart. Adv.

IMAGES 123 N. Cuyler, Customer Appreciation Sale! Any item at regular price and get 1/2 off any other item of equal or lesser value. Offer limited to all Fall and Winter merchandise. Sale starts Thursday, November 30, Friday, Saturday, 3 days only. Adv.

BOBBYE RUSSELL and Ken McGuire formerly of Hairhandlers, now associated with Styles Unlimited. 110 E. Francis. 665-4247. Adv.

AKC REGISTERED Cocker Spaniel puppies. 665-8315. Adv.

LOST LADIES Diamond and Sapphire ring. 665-4890 or 669-2769. Adv.

LOST GRAY male neutered cat, white face, neck, chest, white paws, fairly short haired, tan flea collar, afraid of strangers, "Tigger". Please call 665-6910, 669-6881. Adv.

CRAFT SALE December 1 and 2 at 2119 N. Nelson, 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Miniature quilts with stands, padded photo albums, country animals, rag dolls, Christmas items. Free standing fireplace. Adv.

WILL DO babysitting in my home. Reasonable rates. 669-3184. Adv.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING, 5th, 7th and 9th, Bowman Driving School, 669-3871. Adv.

LITTLE MEXICO - Mexican Food to go and home delivery only. Monday-Friday. 5-8 p.m. 669-7991. Adv.

NEW THOUGHT! Jesus Christ accepts us as we are. Single. Married. Formerly married. Single adult parent. So do we! Single Adult Ministry. Central Baptist Church. The place to be! Adv.

OPEN HOUSE Pete's Greenhouse, White Deer, December 2-9, 9-5, Monday-Saturday. We will be open until Christmas. We have over 2000 Poinsettias this season, priced from \$3.99 to \$18.50, including hanging baskets. Place your order early at either White Deer 883-4911 or Pampa 665-9425. Adv.

THREE HAIR Stylist needed at 110 E. Francis. Call 665-4247 or 669-3728. Adv.

COME TO buy for Christmas and see the beauty of Christmas at the Festival of Trees and Gift Boutique. M.K. Brown Civic Center, Pampa, Friday December 1, 6 p.m.-9 p.m. Saturday, 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Sunday 1 p.m.-5 p.m. Chamber of Commerce, sponsor. Adv.

CHRISTMAS TREES now here, make your choice now for best selection. Pampa Lawnmower. 501 S. Cuyler. Adv.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Tonight, partly cloudy with a low of 26 degrees and westerly winds 5-15 mph, shifting to the north 10-20 mph by midnight. Saturday, fair with a high near 50 degrees and northerly winds 15-25 mph and gusty. Thursday's high was 52; the overnight low was 27.

REGIONAL FORECAST

West Texas — Clearing Panhandle and South Plains tonight, fair Saturday. Concho Valley westward through Big Bend cloudy through Saturday. Far west partly cloudy through Saturday. No significant temperature change through Saturday. Lows tonight from mid 20s Panhandle and mountains to mid 30s elsewhere except mid 40s Big Bend valleys. Highs Saturday ranging in the 50s area wide.

North Texas — Cloudy with a chance of showers tonight. Turning a little colder northwest. Lows 34 to 41. Turning windy and much colder Saturday with a chance of showers central and east. Highs 50 to 55 early with temperatures falling in the afternoon.

South Texas — A good chance of rain or showers through Saturday, otherwise continued cloudy and

cold. Rain ending and turning windy northwest Saturday afternoon. Lows tonight near 40 north to near 50 south. Highs Saturday in the 50s north to near 60 south.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Sunday through Tuesday

West Texas — Fair through the period. Panhandle: Highs mid to upper 50s. Lows mid 20s to low 30s. South Plains: Highs mid 50s to near 60. Lows upper 20s to mid 30s. Permian Basin: Highs mid 50s to low 60s. Lows low to mid 30s. Concho Valley: Highs upper 50s to mid 60s. Lows mid 30s to near 40. Far West: Highs mid 50s to near 60. Lows mid 20s to low 30s. Big Bend: Highs near 50 to mid 50s mountains, with low 60s to near 70 along the Rio Grande. Lows upper teens to mid 20s mountains, with mid 30s to low 40s lowlands.

North Texas — Partly cloudy and cool Sunday, a little warmer Monday and Tuesday. West: Lows in the 30s. Highs in mid to upper 50s Sunday and in low to mid 60s Monday and Tuesday. Central and East: Lows in mid to upper 30s Sunday and in the 40s Monday and Tuesday. Highs in mid to upper 50s Sunday and in low to mid 60s Monday and Tuesday.

South Texas — Partly cloudy skies. Turning a little warmer on

Monday. Hill Country and South Central: Lows in the 30s Hill Country to 40s South Central Sunday, warming to 40s Hill Country and near 50 South Central Monday and Tuesday. Highs in the 50s Sunday and the 60s Monday and Tuesday. Texas Coastal Bend: Lows in the 40s Sunday, in the 50s Monday and Tuesday. Highs Sunday in the 60s, warming to the 70s Monday and Tuesday. Lower Texas Rio Grande Valley and Plains: Lows in the 50s Sunday, warming to the 60s Monday and Tuesday. Highs Sunday in the 60s. Highs Monday and Tuesday in the 70s. Southeast Texas and Upper Texas Coast: Lows Sunday near 40. Lows Monday and Tuesday near 50. Highs Sunday near 60. Highs Monday and Tuesday in the 60s.

BORDER STATES

Oklahoma — Clear to partly cloudy through Saturday. Turning cooler Saturday. Low tonight mid 20s to mid 30s. High Saturday mid and upper 40s northeast, mid 50s south.

New Mexico — Fair north and partly cloudy south tonight. Sunny north and fair south Saturday. Highs Saturday mid 30s to 40s mountains with 40s to mid 50s at lower elevations. Lows tonight near zero to low 20s mountains with 20s and low 30s at lower elevations.

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capital from Clark Air Base, about 50 miles from the capital, said a Defense Department spokesman, Air Force Lt. Col. Rick Oborn.

"They fly up high and watch for any hostile airplanes and if necessary, engage (fire) if they pose a threat to Philippine forces," Oborn said in Washington. He reported no fire so far.

At sunset three U.S. military helicopters landed at the seaside U.S. Embassy compound. Later,

more than 20 armed American troops in full battledress could be seen milling around the compound.

A spokesman for the rebels, speaking on condition he not be named, said his forces had declared themselves a provisional revolutionary government. He said the U.S. move was an affront to Filipino sovereignty and that mutineers would hold U.S. Ambassador Nicholas Platt personally responsible for the intervention.

De Villa estimated rebel strength at 800. A mutinous captain put the figure at 2,000. De Villa claimed

troops remained loyal in northern Luzon, Mindanao and in the southern Luzon command.

A U.S. official in Washington said the U.S. patrols began over two rebel-held Philippine air bases shortly after the presidential authorization came at 11:33 a.m. CST.

"The goal in this authorization has been to discourage any hostile attempt on the part of the rebels in the Philippines. President Aquino's request was very specific and that was to conduct an aggressive campaign over two Philippine air bases, Villamor and Sangley Point," he said.

Houston selected as site for economic summit

By RITA BEAMISH
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House today confirmed that Houston will be the site for the annual economic summit of the world's leading industrial democracies next July 7-9.

Leaders in San Antonio had remained optimistic until late Thursday that they had a chance to land the summit.

Rep. Jack Fields, R-Texas, said he was informed by the White House on Thursday that President Bush would announce Houston had been selected for the seven-nation meeting while in Malta, where he is attending a summit with Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev.

The lawmaker said the decision gives Houston, which calls itself the energy capital of the world, a chance to showcase itself to other countries.

"This is coming at the perfect time because we are coming out of a

severe economic downturn," said the Houston-area congressman.

An administration official, who spoke on condition of anonymity, also said Thursday that Houston was the likely choice but was not made official because final details were being worked out.

In San Antonio, Mayor Lila Cockrell was unwilling to concede defeat in the city's race against Houston to host the 1990 summit.

"Until there is an official announcement, I continue to remain hopeful," Mayor Lila Cockrell told the *San Antonio Express-News*.

U.S. Rep. Lamar Smith, R-San Antonio, said he would reserve comment until the president's announcement.

"The congressman (Smith) doesn't want to undermine any efforts city officials still have going," said Sherri Burkholder, a Smith spokeswoman who said Smith was away from the office.

Publicly, Bush indicated he

wanted the summit to be in his adoptive home state of Texas. He said recently the contest was between Houston and San Antonio.

Held last summer in Paris, the summit is attended by heads of state from Great Britain, Canada, France, Italy, Japan, West Germany and the United States.

The summit's location is rotated among the participating nations. This year is the United States' turn. The meeting will take place July 7-9. The conference is a forum for the nations to discuss a wide range of economic, trade and political issues.

Fields said administration officials, who had been looking for a city with a scenic backdrop for the summit, will find beauty in Houston.

"I've always thought refineries were beautiful, ships coming down the Houston Ship Channel, representing economic progress," said Fields. "It's beautiful to go to the Texas Medical Center and walk

through the labs and have explained the great research that's being done. Going out and touring the space station (under construction at Johnson Space Center) is a perfect backdrop for the future."

The president's decision to pick Houston over San Antonio was first reported Thursday in *The Dallas Morning News* and the *Houston Chronicle*. Sources have said he will assign Fred Malek, a top campaign adviser to Bush last year and his convention manager at the 1988 Republican National Convention, as executive director of the summit.

Sources have said formal summit sessions would be held at Rice University.

The newspapers reported the final details in making the Houston site official hinged on one aspect of the city's bid, apparently having to do with hotel rates. After Houston adjusted its hotel package, the average rate for all hotel rooms offered for the summit was said to be \$68.

Man who allegedly plotted to kidnap billionaire won't fight his extradition

FORT WORTH (AP) — An unemployed Tennessee man who the FBI says plotted for seven years to kidnap Fort Worth billionaire Robert Bass said he will not fight extradition back to Tennessee, where he faces charges of racketeering and extortion.

Austin James Veleff, 57, will waive his right to an extradition hearing before being returned to Memphis, Tenn., to face charges there, said his attorney, Stephen Shankman.

Shankman, of Memphis, said Veleff would be returned in a couple of days.

"I think it's in his best interest to go back to Memphis," Shankman said Thursday. "I reasonably expect that upon his return ... that 'not guilty' pleas will be entered to this charge and any following indictment."

Shankman said Veleff, who lives in Germantown, Tenn., has had no comment about his arrest.

Assistant U.S. Attorney Carroll Andre in Memphis said investigators think Veleff's trip to Fort Worth was for "reconnaissance," not to act on the alleged plan.

"According to the affidavit (filed by Andre's office), he was to make this trip to accomplish certain things and then perform the abduction later," Andre said.

Veleff was ordered held in the Johnson County Jail at Cleburne. The FBI says Veleff had plotted for seven years to abduct Bass and then demand a total of \$25 million ransom.

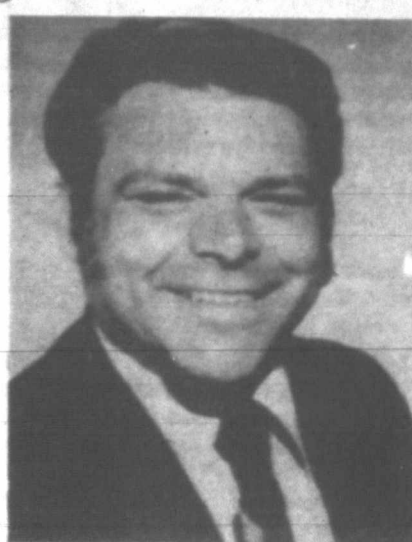
Bass has a history of keeping a very low public profile. A woman who answered the phone at Bass headquarters Thursday said the company would have no comment and referred all calls to the Dallas FBI office.

FBI agents from Dallas arrested Veleff Wednesday near Fort Worth after he had driven to Texas with an undercover FBI agent, who he thought was going to help him, the FBI said.

The arrest came after Veleff had taken pictures of City Place, a 33-story office complex built by the Bass family where Robert Bass, 41, has his office.

Andre said Veleff had never met Bass and had no connection with him.

He had made Bass the target of



Veleff

the kidnapping plot after reading about him in a business magazine, Andre said.

"He was trying to pick someone that had a lot of money, it appears," Andre said.

Andre said the Bass family was told of the investigation.

He said the Bass' private security team led by a former U.S. Secret Service agent cooperated with authorities in the investigation.

A woman who works at City Place and who asked not to be identified said security seemed to be tighter this week.

"They've (security guards) been driving around, parking, using their binoculars, a lot of increased surveillance," she said.

Investigators searched Veleff's residence Thursday and seized two rifles, a pistol and a stun gun, which Veleff allegedly intended to use on Bass if he resisted during the abduction, officials said.

FBI Special Agent William Fallin in Memphis said Veleff had purchased some night vision goggles and a device that would detect another tracking device or electronic surveillance equipment.

Although federal authorities had been aware of the plot only since May, Andre said Veleff told the undercover agent he had been planning the abduction for seven years.

Dee Kelly, a lawyer for the Bass family, declined comment, but a source close to the family referred to Veleff as "a crank" who did not have a chance of succeeding in the alleged plot.

Workers' comp bill's fate uncertain in Senate

By MICHAEL HOLMES
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — The lengthy battle over workers' compensation reform was back in the Texas Senate today, with sponsors of a business-backed plan uncertain about its fate.

"I think it's going to be tough, realistically," to win enough Senate votes for the measure, said Rep. Richard Smith, R-Bryan, who won House passage of the proposal on Wednesday. "It's about 50-50. I would not be real optimistic ..."

The House approved 122-23 a business-backed workers' comp overhaul similar to one that was written by Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby.

The so-called Hobby plan was gutted in the Senate by Sens. Kent Caperton and Carl Parker.

The House bill is up for a Senate vote Friday, and if it fails a second time the issue likely goes to a conference committee between the chambers.

Gov. Bill Clements has predicted that pressure was strong enough to cause several senators to switch their votes when the Senate considers the bill Friday.

But Parker, D-Port Arthur, said he wasn't convinced the governor had marshaled enough forces to win.

"The governor said he was going to run over us like a freight

train to begin with," Parker recalled.

Parker said he believes 14 of the 31 senators would vote for the House-passed plan.

"I think it'll go to conference committee. I hope we can get a compromise (there)," Parker said.

One House-Senate conference committee, during the summer special session, already failed to resolve the differences.

Smith said he wasn't optimistic if another conference panel tackles the issue.

"If the Senate rejects the House position (and) the House rejected the Senate's position by almost 2-to-1, that doesn't give you a lot of hope

the conference committee will succeed," Smith said.

Clements, meanwhile, said he still thinks the House plan will win.

"Everybody is an expert bean counter. When you start counting heads over there (in the Senate), the nuances of the situation and everything ... I think that we have 16 votes. That's just my opinion, and I don't have a vote so we'll wait and see," the governor said.

Under the House bill, maximum weekly benefits would increase from \$238 to \$416, but critics of the plan say it would be more difficult for injured workers to collect benefits and get a fair award in disputed comp cases.

Sarpalius says Price using 'distorted facts' to open campaign

By BEAR MILLS
Staff Writer

Congressman Bill Sarpalius, D-Amarillo, said Thursday that the tone of Republican Bob Price's speech announcing he was running for the 13th District seat in the House of Representatives shows Price will run a "mud-slinging" campaign full of distorted facts.

In remarks and a press release Thursday, Price charged Sarpalius with not "uttering a word" against a recent 25 percent congressional pay increase.

"I voted against it twice," Sarpalius argued. "And I also put that in a letter that went to his mailbox. If he had read his mail, he would know that."

Sarpalius also said Price was issuing statements with incorrect information.

He noted that while Price said the pay raise, from \$89,000 to \$120,000, would go into effect next year, it does not actually become law until 1991.

"And, (Price) said it is \$120,000, but it is

actually \$124,000," Sarpalius said. "I voted against it; I know."

To a statement in which Price said Sarpalius gets his salary "plus free first-class plane fares home plus numerous other perks," Joel Brandenburger, an aid to Sarpalius, responded that plane travel is in every congressman's budget.

"The government has never paid for a first-class ticket for me," Sarpalius said. "Occasionally, if there is a seat open in first class, American Airlines will offer it to me. Sometimes I take it and sometimes I don't. But the government has never paid for a first-class ticket for me."

Price also said that Sarpalius had done so little work that if he were a private-sector employee, "no more than he has accomplished this year, they more than likely would have already fired him."

He went on to say that Sarpalius should resign or be fired.

"As far as being fired," Sarpalius responded, "Bob has been fired twice. I have been re-hired six times by the voters. I was also elected president of the freshman class (of legislators) and we

have accomplished some important things. I think that's what people want in a congressman."

Sarpalius said he was proud of his conservative voting record and work in agriculture and other areas.

"We are willing to defend our record," he said. "We welcome anyone who wants to run. That's the great thing about this country, that people have the opportunity to do that."

Sarpalius went on to suggest that Price should be worrying about Rep. Dick Waterfield, R-Canadian, who has been personally asked by President George Bush and the National Republican Committee, to oppose Sarpalius.

"Bob ought to concentrate on Dick Waterfield. That will be his first opponent," Sarpalius said.

He added that Price, in spite of his "mud-slinging tactics," will make a tough opponent in whatever race he runs in.

In a telephone interview from Austin Thursday, Waterfield said he was still exploring options and had not decided whether to take up Bush's invitation to run against Sarpalius.

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Opinion

Doomsayers just want more power

"One of the most striking results suggested by the data is that there appears to have been little or no global warming over the past century," says the November/December *MIT Reporter*, a news digest from the prestigious Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

The journal was reviewing a new book that appears to be the best analysis to date of global temperature trends. *The Global Ocean Surface Temperature Atlas* will soon be published by MIT Press (if it gets a sponsor to pay the \$60,000 publishing price.) Its data was collected and analyzed by MIT researchers Reginald E. Newell, Jane Hsiung and Wu Zhongxiang.

Their analyses are based on air and water temperature data carefully logged by merchant marine captains since the mid-19th Century. The data were then maintained by the British Meteorological Office and other agencies. Observes the *MIT Reporter*: "The result is an incredible storehouse of information about global temperatures since the Industrial Revolution."

The book's conclusion, as summarized by the *MIT Reporter*: "Global temperatures have warmed by only 0.2 degrees Centigrade over the past century, which is within the estimated margin of error. In other words, the results leave open the possibility that there has been no warming at all."

This dumps a vat of chilly water over the heads of the environmental doomsayers. NASA meteorologist James Hansen has released a study saying that the atmosphere has warmed by 0.5 to 0.7 degrees Centigrade over the past century because of industrialization. A new book that typifies the greenhouse doomsaying fad is called *The End of Nature*, by Bill McKibben. (A decade ago, fad-dists were forecasting a new ice age.) And the California Democratic Party has proposed an Environmental Protection Initiative that would impose several draconian measures and panaceas to combat the alleged greenhouse effect.

Why this un-scientific concern? Why don't such people at least wait for more data to be analyzed, as scientists normally do before drawing vital conclusions? Perhaps it's because, with the demise of socialism across the world, even in the Soviet fatherland, many people have been searching for a new excuse to expand government control over people's lives.

With the old ideology dead, they're constructing new one. Alas, even some moderate and conservative politicians, including President Bush and British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, have signed on to parts of the ideology. But the facts fail to prove the new ideology. The new science of environmental doom has the same relation to a scientific study of the weather that Marx's "scientific" socialism had to the discipline of economics.

Yes, environmental problems exist. But a free people analyzes them calmly, and finds rational solutions that employ, not destroy, free human choices.

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On balance, pay raise is good

On balance, the pay raise bill just approved in Congress is a good bill. It will provide sorely needed increases for top executives and for all federal judges. It will provide not-so-sorely needed increases for members of the House. It will accomplish needed reforms under the general heading of "ethics."

All this is to the good. But some of the touted ethical reforms are likely to prove more cosmetic than real. The bill leaves senators free to accept lecture fees from private interest groups. A dizzy new "citizens' commission" would be created to recommend future pay adjustments.

The best that can be said is that this touchy subject — an issue so vulnerable to demagoguery — is behind us for a while. Ralph Nader, the insufferable nag, promises to raise an army of citizens howling for repeal, but not many persons listen to Ralph Nader anymore. The pay raise may figure in a few House contests next year, despite a bipartisan gentlemen's agreement to exclude such unseemly discussion. This is a done deal.

A few afterthoughts are in order. It was just a year ago that the Quadrennial Commission, a blue-ribbon body of high-toned folks, recommended an increase from \$89,500 to \$135,000 in congressional pay. Presidents Reagan and Bush went along with the proposal, but everything was wrong with it.

The 51 percent increase was too large, and the parliamentary procedure was tolerably sneaky. The commission's recommendations were to become effective unless both houses passed resolutions to block them. It was the parliamentary flimflam, as much as anything else, that brought the February fiasco.



James J. Kilpatrick

This time around we heard the railroad whistle. Speaker Tom Foley introduced the House bill on Nov. 15. It passed on the 16th before printed copies were available, but at least members stood up and were counted. By 1991 members of the House will be paid about \$125,000 a year, with guaranteed cost-of-living increases promised thereafter.

For its part, the Senate wiggled and waffled, puffed and postured, and at last opted for a plan by which the most powerful senators — the ones who earn hefty honoraria for speeches — will come out at about the same level provided for the House. Less influential senators may wind up with less purchasing power than they had before.

The precise levels of congressional pay are not worth the oratory they provoke. As a percentage of federal spending, the increases are infinitesimal. All along, the object has been to pay members fairly — not generously, not parsimoniously, but fairly — and this act hits expensive.

The average member of the House may not be "worth" \$125,000 a year, but that is for constituents to decide. The senator who takes lecture fees from trade associations also is answerable to his people. If the voters believe a senator is thus

tainted, they can always throw the bum out.

It would be interesting to know who came up with the giddy scheme by which the pay-raise buck will be passed in the future. The act creates a commission of 11 members, five of whom are to be "chosen by lot from among randomly selected voter registration lists." Recommendations thus will come from six aristocrats and five couch potatoes, but perhaps the leavening influence of the proletariat will be helpful.

What is most pleasant in the whole affair is that senior executives and federal judges will get some relief, at last, from the gross unfairness of recent years. They have been held hostage to the spinelessness of Congress.

A 7.9 percent cost-of-living adjustment will raise the pay of a U.S. district judge next year from \$89,500 to \$96,570. This will go to \$120,713 in 1991. Appellate judges will benefit accordingly, and members of the Supreme Court will be paid just short of \$150,000 two years hence. The salaries should make it possible to attract first-rate nominations for the federal bench.

A couple of years of experience will be required before we know how well the ethical reforms will work. On paper they look impressive. The rules forbid honoraria in the House. They strictly limit the all-expenses-paid travel of members and spouses. Most of the restrictions apply equally to top civil servants and to judges.

But paper cages will not confine unscrupulous fellows. Standards of ethical behavior live more in the mind than in a manual. The new standards on gifts and outside income make generally good sense. Sign the bill, Mr. President, and let us get on with work that needs to be done.



No more hide-outs for gangs

A 26-city survey indicates that homeless is increasing everywhere.

Hollywood actors, encouraged by their agents, march on Washington demanding that our government do more for the homeless.

Policy analyst John Scanlon of the Heritage Foundation says the advocates of more housing for the homeless may do more harm than good.

He says, "A person with a fever cannot be cured by a cold bath to bring down the temperature; what's needed is to identify and treat the infection."

Why are homeless homeless?

Scanlon says — and all the surveys I have seen agree — that the factors causing homelessness are, in this order, mental illness, drug and alcohol addiction and, last, limited availability of low-income housing.

Scanlon also says there is plenty of low-income housing available in most communities — group homes, boarding houses, hotels.

So he suspects that at least some of those marchers demanding "more government housing" are in the construction business, thinking more of their own economic interests than of the primary



Paul Harvey

social problem.

So what should we do?

Scanlon says first we should improve care for the mentally ill. "Any psychiatrist, psychologist or psychiatric social worker who receives federally subsidized training should be required to do pro bono work. Federally funded community mental health centers should be required to provide care for the seriously mentally ill who now, too frequently, are turned away in favor of 'the worried well.'"

In other words, there are currently existing and already-paid-for public services which could assist

the one-third of our nation's homeless whose basic problem is mental illness.

Now we come to the availability of "public housing." We can use what we have a lot cheaper than we can build additional units.

With rental vouchers for group homes and single-room occupancy hotels we could shelter hundreds of thousands of homeless. We'd have to amend existing regulations that prohibit the widespread use of these facilities.

Scanlon says further that cities and states should receive no further federal housing assistance if they persist in rent controls, restrictive zoning or other regulations that make it costly to build and maintain low-income housing.

As is, federal taxpayers are footing the bill for poor people's housing, which local politicians are likely to divert to those who are not poor at all.

Scanlon's experience in this field qualifies him for consideration.

Your and my experience in New York, Los Angeles and Chicago qualifies us to offer the further suggestion that subsidized public housing must never again provide a hide-out for lawless gangs.

And what about the Carters' junket?

By WILLIAM A. RUSHER

The media have given former President and Mrs. Reagan a very hard time over their recent private visit to Japan. According to the press, Mr. Reagan was paid \$2 million by his Japanese hosts for making "a couple of speeches."

In an apparently unrelated transaction, he seems also to have persuaded the Japanese to make a substantial contribution toward the construction cost of his presidential library.

Given the way House majority leader Richard Gephardt and other Democrats have complained about the alleged Japanese takeover of American businesses, you might suppose that Mr. Reagan might get a little credit for lifting a few yen. But no, he has been denounced as greedy, and compared unfavorably to former President Carter.

Carter got a lot of laudatory press for coming up to New York twice after his 1980 defeat and doing car-

penry, with his own weatherbeaten hands, in a house being rehabilitated for the use of the poor.

There is, of course, a lot the media haven't told you about Mr. Reagan's financial situation and what he and Nancy actually did in Japan. The former president is not a rich man.

The house he is currently living in, in Los Angeles, is rented from a group of friends who bought it for him and Nancy as a retirement home, several years ago. Now Mr. Reagan has to find the 2 million bucks it will take to buy it from them, and that undoubtedly explains his raid on Japan.

But, in addition, there was a lot more to the trip than just "a couple of speeches." There were intensive conferences with high Japanese business and government leaders on matters of mutual interest to the two countries, and Nancy had a full program of her own, centering on her longstanding interest in drug rehabilitation and related subjects.

Nevertheless, envy isn't listed among the seven deadly sins for nothing, and the critics have been meowing cattily. Among other things, they have complained that it costs the taxpayers a bundle whenever a former president travels abroad.

Indeed it does, and that persuades me to bring up a matter I had previously elected to leave alone. (You see how these people contrive to drag you down to their level?) I am speaking of Jimmy and Rosalyn Carter's 1985 expedition to Nepal.

As it happens, I was in Katmandu myself in the autumn of 1985, in the course of a trip around the world. Jimmy and the Steel Magnolia had just passed through, on a private visit to Nepal to trek through its famous valleys and mountain passes. The little Himalayan kingdom is world-renowned as a trekker's paradise. There are half a dozen favorite trekking areas, and the idea is to pick the one that appeals to you most.

The Carters, however, had grander

ideas. They tried to talk the Nepalese government into loaning them its military helicopters to fly them and their entourage to one choice trekking area after another. Unfortunately, the Royal Nepalese Air Force had to refuse, since the helicopters were being used at that moment to rescue a group of tourists who were stranded in life-threatening circumstances, on a glacier.

That Carter entourage, I should explain, numbered about 16 people altogether, including Secret Service guards and communications technicians (the latter being needed to keep the ex-president closely in touch with world events as he and Rosalyn tramped along those mountain trails on the other side of the globe).

U.S. taxpayers ponied up about \$1 million to transport the whole crew to and around Nepal and back.

Of course, I was out of the country myself and may have missed the media's extensive criticism of Jimmy's junket. Or was there any?



Pope John Paul II, right, gives Vatican medallions to Raisa Gorbachev during the visit of her husband, Mikhail Gorbachev (center) to the Vatican today.

Gorbachev says Soviet Union will have freedom of religion

By VICTOR L. SIMPSON
Associated Press Writer

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Mikhail S. Gorbachev pledged in a historic meeting with Pope John Paul II today that the Soviet Union will soon guarantee freedom of religion at home and establish diplomatic ties with the Vatican.

Departing from his prepared text, Gorbachev also said, "We discussed a future papal visit."

John Paul has often expressed a desire to go to the Soviet Union under certain conditions, but no firm plan was announced today.

The pope welcomed the meeting — the first between a Kremlin chief and Roman Catholic pontiff — as a "promise-filled sign for the future" and promised support for Gorbachev's attempt to reform Soviet society.

In his address after about 70 minutes of private talks, John Paul referred to the "painful trials" that Soviet believers suffered in past decades.

He issued a strong call for religious freedom for all believers which included a reference to the Ukrainian Catholic Church that had been suppressed by Soviet dictator Josef Stalin.

"On their behalf — whether they be of the Latin, Byzantine or Armenian Rite — I express the fervent hope that they be able to practice freely their religious life," the pope said.

He also said the Holy See was following with interest Gorbachev's

efforts to renew society and promised support for "every initiative" to protect the rights of people and help ensure peace.

John Paul spoke first, beginning in Russian and switching to Italian, and Gorbachev responded to the pope's concerns in his brief remarks.

"People of many confessions, including Christians, Moslems, Jews, Buddhists and others, live in the Soviet Union. All of them have a right to satisfy their spiritual needs," Gorbachev said, speaking in Russian.

He said a freedom of conscience law would soon be adopted.

The Soviet leader also said the Vatican and Moscow had reached agreement in principle to give "official status to our interstate relations" with the details to be worked out by diplomats.

After the closed-door talks in the papal library, the two leaders were beaming as members of the entourage and Gorbachev's wife, Raisa, were ushered in.

The Polish-born pontiff, smiling and touching his pectoral cross, welcomed Gorbachev to the first meeting ever between a Kremlin chief and pope.

The leader of a system that has reviled religion for most of this century appeared serious as he walked through the marble and frescoed halls of the Apostolic Palace but broke into a smile when the pope offered his hand.

The two men chatted and posed for photographers before the white-robed John Paul led Gorbachev, wearing a pin-striped suit, into the papal library, guiding him to an oak desk beneath a religious painting to begin the closed door talks.

As Gorbachev and Raisa, wearing a red dress, entered the Apostolic Palace, they were greeted by bearded Vatican dignitaries and received a salute from a detachment of Swiss Guards, the pope's ceremonial army.

Earlier today, thousands of Romans lined the broad avenue leading to the largest church in Christendom and cheered as Gorbachev's black limousine headed into St. Peter's Square and he entered the Vatican.

Record promoter indicted for music payola

By RICHARD DE ATLEY
Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — One of the music industry's most powerful independent promoters was named in a long-expected payola indictment alleging that he used money and cocaine to get his client's records played on Top 40 radio stations.

The 57-count federal indictment, handed up Thursday against Joseph Isgro, also names a former Columbia Records executive and one of his business partners.

Isgro was indicted on charges of giving payola in the form of money and cocaine to personnel at radio stations in Los Angeles, Fresno and El Paso, Texas.

The alleged illicit payments were made while Isgro, 42, was promoting records for Columbia, MCA, Warner Bros., RCA and Polygram, according to the indictment.

In May, Isgro employee Ralph Tashjian, 41, entered guilty pleas to a misdemeanor charge for sending cocaine in an overnight delivery service envelope.

He also pleaded guilty to two felony charges of obstructing a federal grand jury investigation and filing a false corporate tax return.

The cocaine went to a Fresno radio station director to encourage more air play for records by Bruce Springsteen, Laura Branigan and Elvis Costello, the federal indictment against Tashjian said.

Isgro was often named as the lead independent record promoter in a group of about 30 people known in the recording industry as "the Network."

Until three years ago, when investigations got under way, independent promoters exerted more and more influence on which records were played on the air, particularly Top 40, or contemporary hit, radio, which draws the largest audience and the most advertising dollars.

"The indictment is unjustified and unfounded," said Donald M. Re, Isgro's attorney. "There has been no criminal wrongdoing. Mr. Isgro is anxious to fight these charges. He is a well-established figure in the music industry."

Isgro surrendered Thursday to federal agents. Bail was set at \$500,000. A hearing to reduce bail was set for today.

He and Raymond Anderson, a 49-year-old former Columbia Records executive, are charged with conspiracy and engaging in a scheme to defraud Columbia Records, then a part of CBS Inc., through kickbacks and use of the U.S. mail.

Isgro also was charged with a violation of the federal Racketeer Influenced, Corrupt Organizations Act.

The indictment claims that Isgro, through businesses that included his Isgro Enterprises Inc. and Quickcross Promotions Inc. practiced racketeering through the alleged kickback payments to Anderson.

Along with Isgro, 31-year-old Jeffrey Monka was charged with conspiracy to defraud the Inter-

nal Revenue Service through the creation of a sham corporation, the indictment said.

The document alleged Isgro used Star Promotions Inc. and another company called Marlene's in northern California to launder corporate checks for cash.

The indictment alleged Isgro funneled money through the companies for improper payments to radio station managers, news directors and employees, and for kickbacks to record company executives.

Monka was arrested Thursday and bail was set at \$100,000. Anderson was expected to surrender to authorities today.

All three defendants will be arraigned on Monday.

Isgro could face a maximum sentence of 200 years in prison and \$1.4 million in fines if convicted of all counts; Anderson could face 20 years in prison and \$13,000 in fines; and Monka faces a possible prison sentence of 23 years and a \$1.3 million fine.

Under a 1960 federal law, failing to disclose payola is illegal, but the actual payment is not a violation.

Virtually all major labels used independent promoters by 1986, and some critics claimed it was a way for record executives to distance themselves from the questionable methods of promoting records.

Rolling Stone magazine estimated that record companies paid \$60 million to \$80 million in 1985 to independent record promoters.

Salvadoran soldiers prepare for more rebel attacks

By CANDICE HUGHES
Associated Press Writer

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador (AP) — Infantrymen in battle gear from the army's toughest battalions patrolled the capital's wealthiest neighborhoods early today, preparing to fend off more attacks by leftist guerrillas.

Soldiers from U.S.-trained Atlacatl and Arce battalions, hardened by years of war, patrolled the littered streets of Escalon and San Benito, combing entrances and alleyways for any remaining rebels.

None were reported found.

A total of 282 Americans, many living in the two neighborhoods, fled the embattled country Thursday when the guerrillas declared a six-hour truce. U.S. Embassy personnel and dependents were among those who departed in two chartered planes.

The two neighborhoods on the west and southwest side of the city were the scene of a surprise rebel incursion late Tuesday and early Wednesday that turned their stately

tree-lined streets and carefully tended lawns into battle zones.

Leaders of the Farabundo Marti National Liberation Front rebel organization said the invasion was part of the rebel's biggest offensive in the decade-old war, which was launched Nov. 11.

Infiltrating in small groups under cover of darkness, the guerrillas had seized and entrenched themselves in about 40 homes in the neighborhoods.

There were no reports of civilian casualties from the fierce fighting. The number of combatants killed was not known, although reporters at the time counted 11 bodies dressed in battle gear lying in the area.

By nightfall Thursday, when a dusk-to-dawn curfew went into effect, the rebels vanished as silently as they had come and no more shooting could be heard.

But the neighborhoods remained littered with spent cartridges, burned-out luxury cars, downed power lines, and some damaged homes and mansions — and a few

rebel dead.

One of the bodies in Escalon had been burned by soldiers and dumped headfirst into a mesh trash can outside a mansion, a crude cardboard sign scrawled with a skull and crossbones jammed beside the charred remains.

Written on the piece of cardboard was a sign in Spanish saying the soldiers take no prisoners. "There is no man, no law that holds us back," the sign added.

One infantryman with a shoulder-length mop of hair lounged by the trash can. "He thought he'd scare us," the soldier explained laughing, "We burned him."

Before departing, the rebels set

the National Information Center ablaze.

The center was set up Nov. 12, when the government suspended constitutional guarantees, declared a state-of-siege, imposed censorship on Salvadoran news media and forced the networks to broadcast its news programs several hours every day.

For the first time in the civil war, the rebels Wednesday reportedly fired a surface-to-air missile.

A military source, who insisted on anonymity, identified the missile as a Soviet-made SAM-7 aimed at an A-37 jet fighters near Zacatecoluca, a provincial capital 25 miles south of the capital.

Pampa Elementary Chorus to give Christmas concert at Briarwood

The Pampa Elementary Chorus will be presenting a Christmas concert at Briarwood Church, 1800 W. Harvester, at 7 p.m. Sunday.

The chorus is comprised of 87 fourth and fifth grade students from all six elementary schools.

The chorus was founded in May 1988 by Pampa Independent School District teacher Wanetta Hill to meet the need for a quality vocal ensemble opportunity for the children of Pampa.

Hill said the chorus was founded on the ideals that music for children

should be of the highest quality and that they be expected to perform with a high level of artistic excellence.

The Pampa Elementary Chorus will be singing "Christ Is Born Today," "Angel's Lullaby," "The Littlest Carol," "Christmas Is a Time of Many Colors" and "Silent Night." The chorus is accompanied by Donna Caldwell.

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Chapter One helps some, leaves others out

By TAMARA HENRY
AP Education Writer

HYATTSVILLE, Md. (AP) — Delonte Washington plopped on his headphones, deftly fingered the computer keyboard and gleefully watched as the screen exploded into brightly colored pictures and the machine "talked" about the day's reading lesson.

For third-grader Washington and many other students, the time spent in the computer laboratory is a favorite part of the school day. Yet regulations for the federal Chapter One program bar some of his

schoolmates from using the same lab because their families aren't poor enough or there's not enough federal money to serve all the eligible children.

Barring such use of computer equipment is "a waste of material and community resources and it doesn't help education in general," said Warren Simmons, director of instructional support programs for Prince George's County, Md.

The frustration felt by Simmons and other educators made the Chapter One program a prime topic of discussion at this fall's national education summit.

"Several states report that large numbers of computers purchased by federal funds are idle at night, while adult education classes that need them either do without or use scarce tax dollars to buy other equipment," said a statement signed by President Bush and representatives of the governors who attended the two-day event.

The federal government spends about \$4 billion a year on Chapter One, a program that provides remedial classes, teachers and equipment to help bring educationally disadvantaged children up to par.

"Clearly by every account Chapter One is one of the most effective federal programs," said Michael Edwards, manager of congressional relations for the National Education Association.

In Prince George's County, Chapter One provides an \$8 million budget for about 8,100 eligible low-income students. The county has 104,000 students.

Washington and about 246 other students at Langley Park-McCormick Elementary School are Chapter One students. They scored poorly on academic tests and were

identified as needing educational services to raise their achievement level.

"I'm glad to get the special attention," he says.

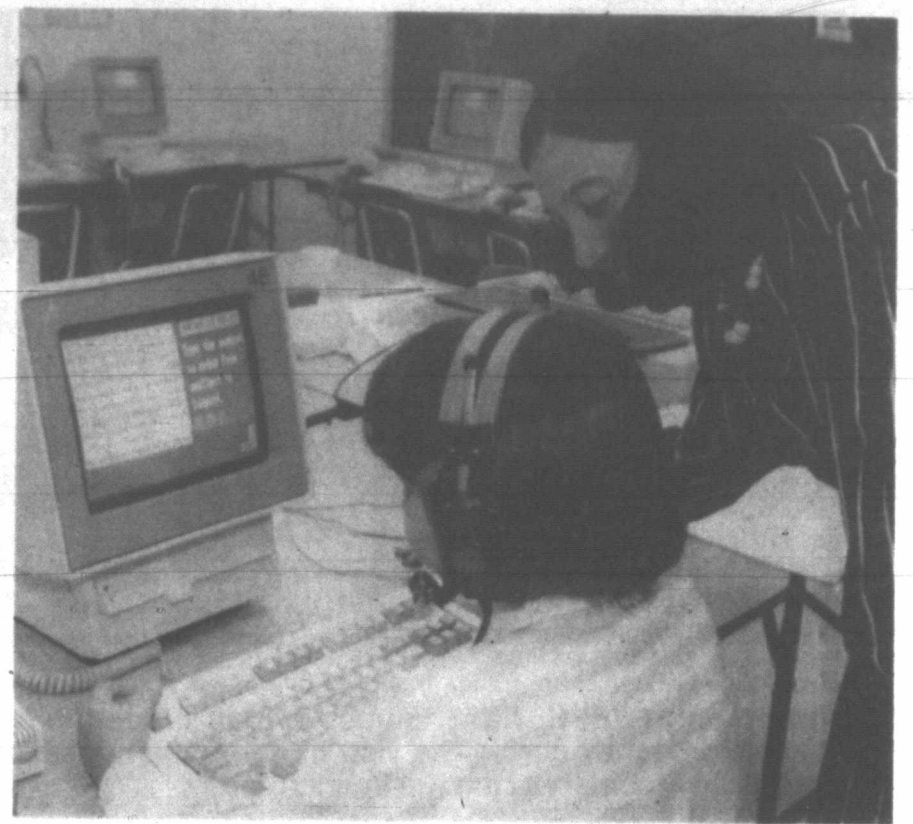
"The computer lab is one of the favorites," said Jeri Taylor, who oversees the school's program. "The students always want to know, 'Is today the day we go to the lab?'"

Like most Chapter One schools, Langley Park-McCormick strictly follows the rules to identify students and to allow only designated children to use its equipment and remedial education material.

That means that computers, other educational materials and even teachers and assistants can be used only by designated students, and sometimes are idle.

Langley Park-McCormick has been able to leap over some of the regulation hurdles.

Last year, Langley Park-McCormick won special permission to use the computer lab, which was made for the county and is connected into one main computer, for an evening class of English as a second language. Six hundred adults enrolled.



(AP Laserphoto)

HYATTSVILLE, Md. — Dr. Patricia Kelly, principal of Langley Park-McCormick Elementary School, instructs third grader Lina Mansilla on the use of a computer. Langley Park is one of only two elementary schools in the county to be equipped with a state-of-the-art IBM computer laboratory.

Yucca Mountain work delayed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Energy Department says it will be 2010 before the nation's first permanent dump for highly radioactive nuclear waste opens — seven years later than the original date.

"The plan I'm announcing sets the operating date for a repository at 2010 and assumes that there will be no unexpected setbacks in the program's progress and that the science proves that Yucca Mountain is a suitable site," Deputy Energy Secretary Henson Moore said in a speech Tuesday night.

"I am convinced that the 2003 date was driven more by a political desire than by science or engineering," Moore told the American Nuclear Society and the U.S. Council for Energy Awareness, a nuclear industry group, in San Francisco. A copy of the speech was released in Washington.

Moore also said the department would:

- Seek to sue Nevada to force granting of permits for certain tests at the Yucca Mountain site near Las Vegas that the department is considering.

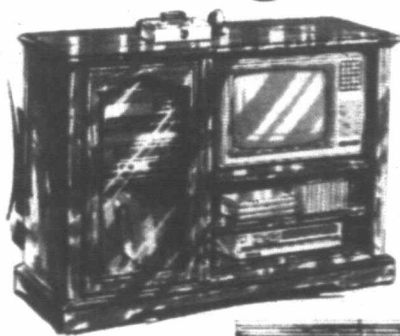
- Delay sinking exploratory shafts at Yucca Mountain.

- Ask Congress to let it build an interim storage facility before the permanent depot is in hand.

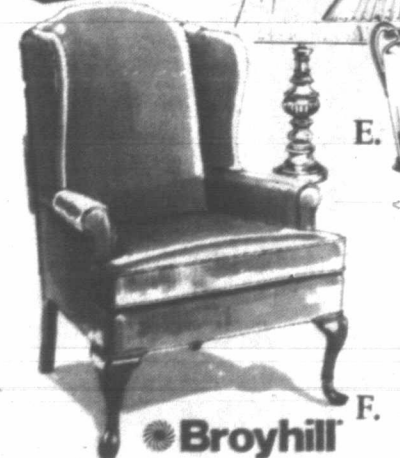
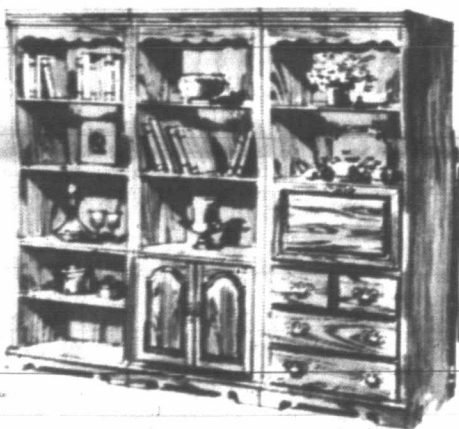
The department is required by law to take title in 1998 to the highly radioactive spent fuel stored at more than 100 operating civilian nuclear power plants.

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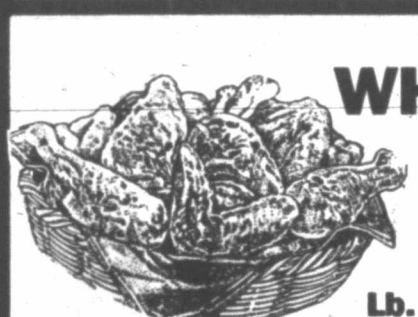
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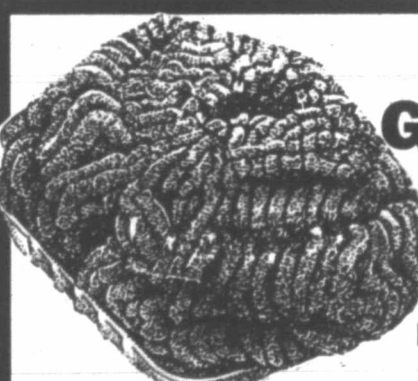


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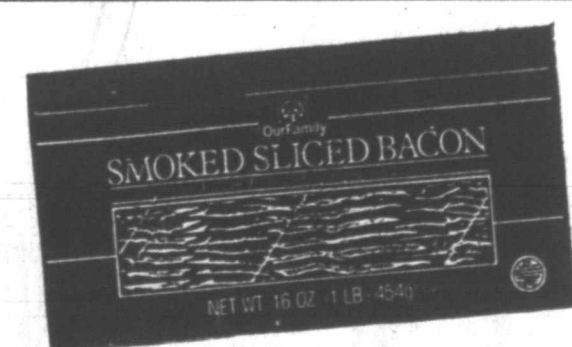
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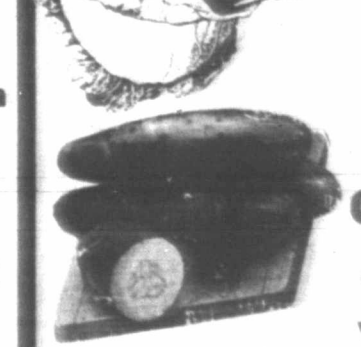
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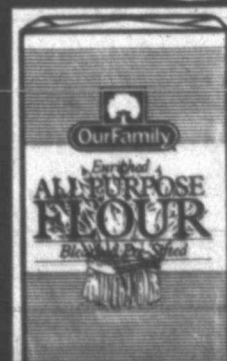
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Abortion advocates face challenge from public on notifying parents

By RICHARD CARELLI
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — In the battle for public opinion on abortion, a daunting challenge confronts those who say young girls should be able to obtain abortions without first telling their parents.

The problem for abortion rights advocates is that most Americans view the issue — now under Supreme Court study — primarily as one of parental rights.

Many who support the Supreme Court's 1973 decision that women have a constitutional right to abortion also favor parental involvement when minors seek abortions, public opinion polls indicate.

The Supreme Court, after hearing arguments Wednesday in cases from Minnesota and Ohio, must decide whether states may outlaw abortions for most unmarried girls

under 18 unless their parents are notified or a judge's approval is given.

About half the states have such laws, although most of them have been blocked by court challenges.

An AP News Analysis

Those who oppose notification laws may be in danger of being perceived as enemies of parents and families.

That perception has not escaped anti-abortion forces stung by the momentum their movement lost after July's Supreme Court decision giving states more power to regulate abortions.

"It defies common sense to suggest that children should be allowed to undergo ... surgery without the foreknowledge of their parents," Ann-Louise Lohr, an attorney with Americans United for Life, said after Wednesday's high court session.

"The common-sense solution (is) that parents be informed of their minor daughter's medical situation," she said.

Cleveland lawyer Linda Sogg, however, earlier told the justices that not all young girls have loving and supportive parents. Some young girls must be protected from abusive mothers and fathers, she said.

Of the approximately 180,000 girls under 18 who obtain abortions each year, about half are accompanied by one or both parents when they go for the operation.

Ms. Sogg argued that state parental notification laws likely do not affect such girls, but others may be better off not telling their parents need to be protected from intrusive state regulation.

Whatever the court says about parental notification laws, in decisions expected by July, will not necessarily endanger the 1973 Roe vs. Wade decision that legalized abortion.

The consensus among lawyers on both sides of the abortion issue is that the justices will not use the Minnesota and Ohio cases as vehicles to reassess the 1973 ruling.

But James Bopp, general counsel of the National Right to Life Committee, disagrees. "Roe vs. Wade is on the table," he said. "The court has to decide whether there is a right to abortion" before saying whether a particular parental notification law violates any right.

If the parental notification cases are to carry any impact for adult women, the words of Justice Sandra Day O'Connor will be decisive.

O'Connor, who as the court's sole woman never has said explicitly whether she believes an abortion right exists, controlled the outcome of last July's ruling.

She has never voted to invalidate a state regulation on abortion, but seemed greatly troubled by Minnesota's requirement that both biological parents be notified.

The question is whether O'Connor could vote to strike down the Minnesota law without stating, or at least implying, that it violates some constitutional right enjoyed by young girls.

Four justices support the 1973 conclusion that abortion is constitutionally protected. Four justices appear ready to abandon that decision.

If O'Connor, a critic of the rationale used in Roe vs. Wade, decides to articulate some alternative approach, she will have charted a new course for the future of abortion law.

Cost of 12 days of Christmas goes a-leaping

By A.J. HOSTETLER
Associated Press Writer

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Dreams of a white Christmas may be the cheapest gift to give this holiday, but those with fatter wallets might want to consider something more traditional — the 12 Days of Christmas.

The cost of the 12 days as outlined in the carol rose almost \$800 this year to \$14,598.78, said J. Patrick Bradley, chief economist of Provident National Bank.

The 5.9 percent increase in the bank's seventh annual Christmas Price Index compared with a 4.8 percent increase in another CPI, the Consumer Price Index.

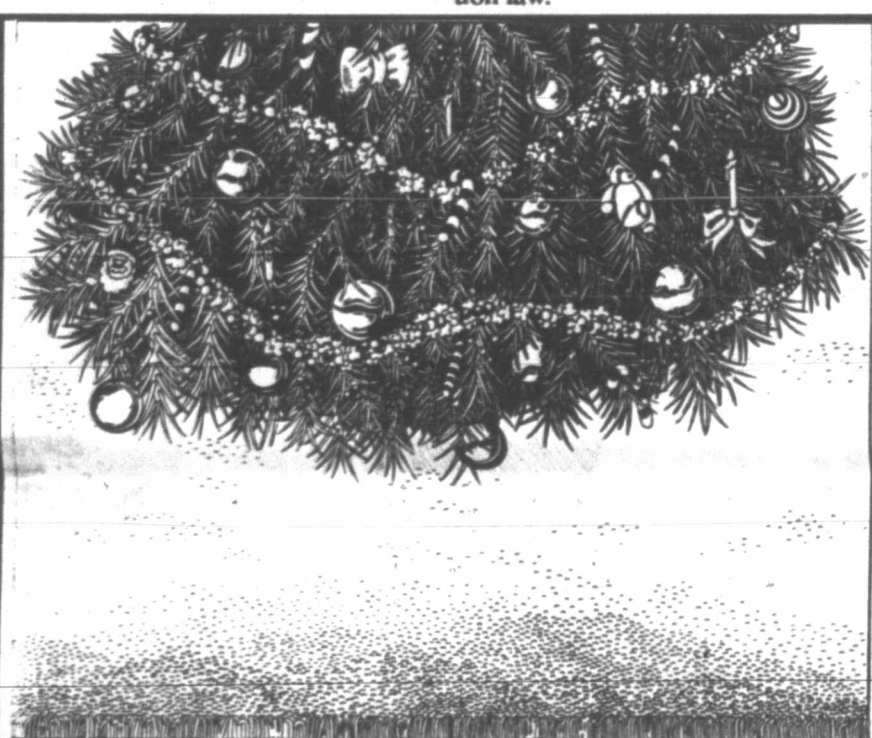
Since the gifts accumulate with each refrain into a shopping nightmare of 364 items, Bradley said a lovestruck swain would have to spend \$70,961.21 to buy all 12 verses.

The bank turned to the Philadelphia Zoo for the costs of the fowl.

For the nine ladies dancing, the 10 lords a-leaping, the 11 pipers piping, and the 12 drummers drumming, it consulted the Philadelphia Dance Co. and the musicians union local chapter.

Seven of the 12 items remained at 1988 prices — the partridge and pear tree, turtle doves, French hens, calling birds, geese-a-laying, swans-a-swimming and maids-a-milking, Bradley said Monday.

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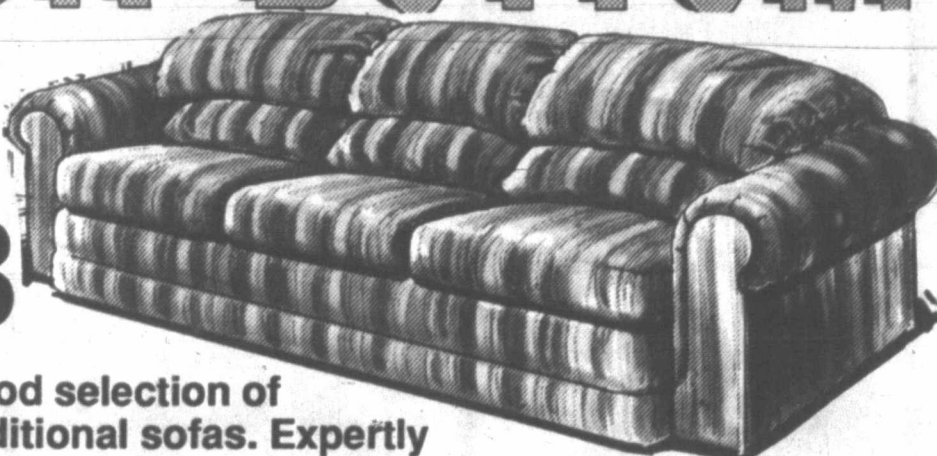
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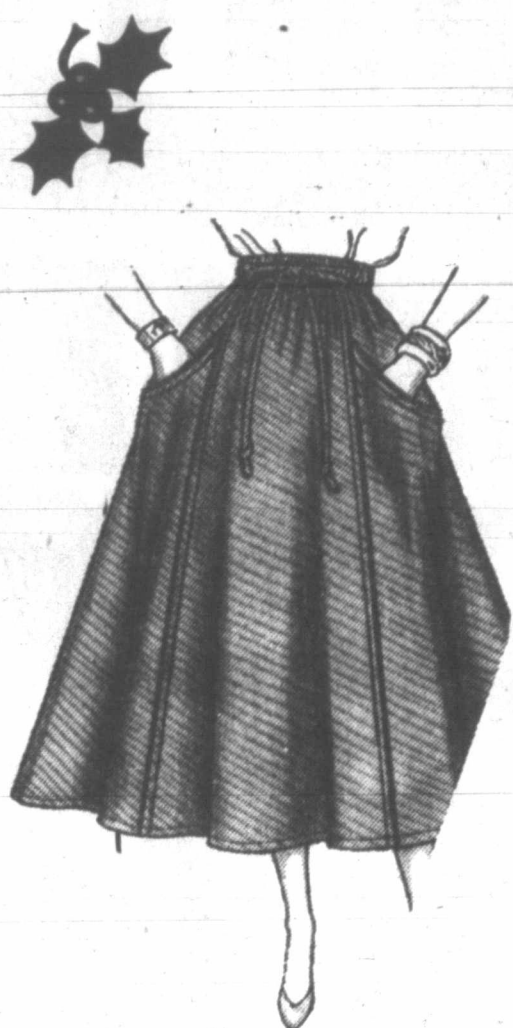
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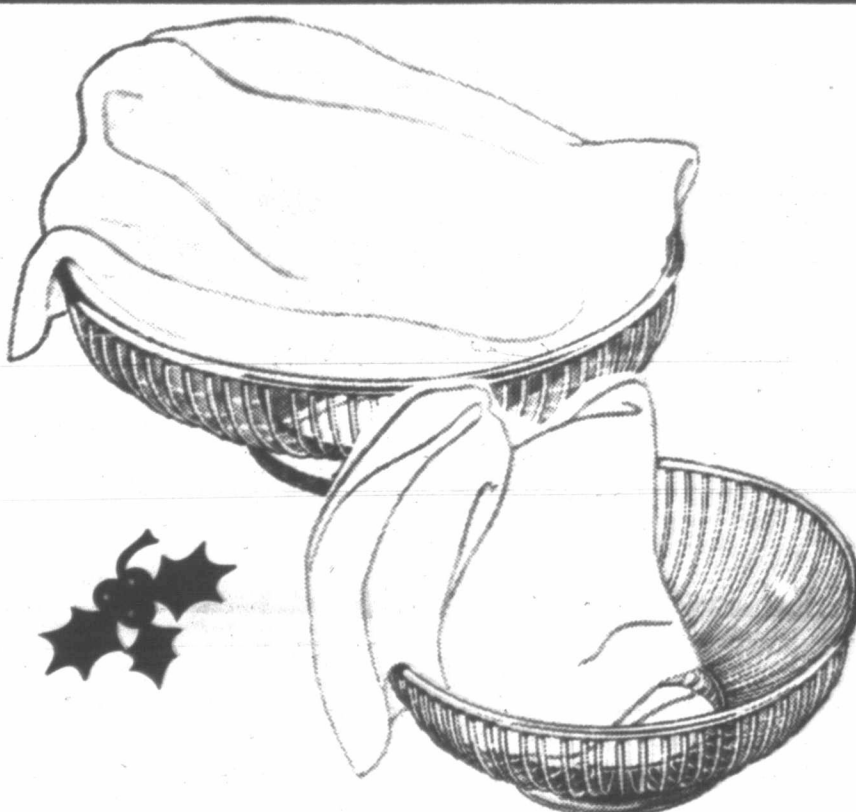


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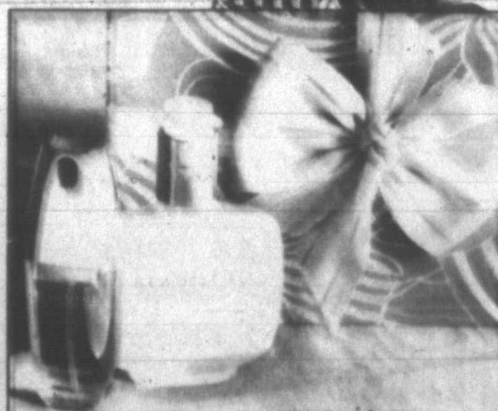
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# Religion

## Volunteers help to reclaim drug-ridden neighborhood

By TOM PRATT  
Tyler Courier-Times-Telegraph

TYLER (AP) — There's more than yapping dogs breaking the silence of early Saturday mornings in some North Tyler neighborhoods.

The sounds of hammering nails, saws buzzing and volunteer paint crews are slowly becoming routine along West Wilson Street as area church groups and other community volunteers continue the process of renovating a once drug-torn neighborhood into a safe place to live.

Six months ago Tyler policemen occupied the West Wilson Street area north of historic Oakwood Cemetery like a foreign outpost, making dozens of arrests. The policemen patrolled the area around the clock as part of a police department operative designed to rid the neighborhood of high-traffic drug markets.

**'We're talking about doing minor repairs and painting. It's just the community pulling together — fighting back.'**

"After that it was our intention to get some work done and this is simply following through on this," Tyler Police Chief Larry Robinson said.

Robinson, one of 30 volunteers representing three Baptist churches, said in his opinion "fixing up houses in the area will improve the neighborhood and reverse the broken window effect."

"We're talking about doing minor repairs and paint-



(AP Laserphoto)

Sandra Mast and her son Timothy work to repair a house in a Tyler neighborhood noted for its high drug traffic recently.

ing," Robinson said.

"It's just the community pulling together — fighting back."

The clergy and lay volunteers from First Baptist Church, St. Mary's Baptist Church and True Vine Baptist Church got together on two recent Saturdays ago to do house repair work.

The volunteers have committed to work together on rehabilitating houses in the West Wilson Street area "whenever they can get together and do it," said Sandra Nauls-Mast, community affairs officer at the Tyler Police Department.

Mrs. Nauls-Mast, wife of City Councilman Michael K. Mast, minister of St. Mary's church, said her church got involved in the neighborhood renovation project through Robinson's plea for community help.

Robinson, who envisioned church groups working together to rehabilitate blighted neighborhoods throughout the city, first approached staff members at First Baptist about the possibility of conducting a joint work project with other church groups.

"Larry Robinson has really wanted us to help and we are glad to be a part," said Gary Swartz, communications director at First Baptist.

Through First Baptist, Robinson was able to get Carl Rogers, director of home repairs and maintenance for the church's VISTA ministry to join the community effort. VISTA is First Baptist's volunteers ministry, which includes a variety of volunteer services available to church members and the community at-large.

"We said we'd be glad to," Rogers, a retired engi-

neer, said.

Once arrangements were made at First Baptist, the police chief discussed his idea of a neighborhood cleanup with Mast. Mast contacted the Rev. Harlon Overstreet at True Vine church, who then got volunteers from the church for the joint effort.

"We thought it might give the people living there some incentive," said Overstreet, president-elect of Tyler Ministerial Alliance.

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"We are hoping to maintain a relationship with them that will help keep the neighborhood like it should be," Overstreet said.

The joint church project on West Wilson Street has the firm endorsement of city officials, including Bob Turner, director of Neighborhood Services.

Turner, who coordinates the city's "Paint The Town" neighborhood renovation program, said the city is constantly looking for community volunteers interested in painting and cleaning up houses in blighted neighborhoods.

The city provides paint and other supplies to qualifying volunteer groups, Turner said.

"It's the simplest and most effective way to work. We can really be of help and make volunteers' jobs easier," Turner said.

## Former jewel thief 'Murf the Surf' now ministering to prison inmates

By LINDA FORMET-HEATH  
The Brazosport Facts

CLUTE (AP) — His past reads like a lurid novel of intrigue. Professional surfer. Entertainer. Internationally known jewel thief, with the illegal acquisition of the Star of India sapphire to his notorious credit. Prisoner in Florida State Penitentiary for 19 years.

Today a free man, Jack Murphy, better known as "Murf the Surf," devotes his life to ministering to those still behind bars and their families on the outside.

He is disinclined to talk about his past, preferring to concentrate on his ministry and its impact on the lives of those who need his help.

"I had a tremendous childhood. I was an athlete, an entertainer," Murphy boasts of his younger days. "I worked hard, I played hard. I did everything with gusto."

Unfortunately, he says he put the same energy into as many of the wrong things as he did the right.

"We are products of our choices and I made a lot of young, foolish choices that led me into the jungle of darkness," Murphy says.

That darkness included drug and alcohol abuse, which he says he began just to go along with the crowd, not realizing what he was getting into.

"Kids today are the same. Everybody talks about getting high, nobody talks about the coming down. We don't hear enough about the consequences. We don't want to listen to those who do talk about the consequences."

The fact that Murphy faced up to those consequences, took his punishment and turned his life around is attributable to the good life he'd had before, he says.

"I didn't fit the profile of the average American prisoner: somebody who's been poor, had no education, no self-esteem... who'd never been a winner. I knew about the good stuff and I wanted to get back to that," Murphy says.

While the process took years, he

began to notice that those who visited the prison, businessmen and athletes, were Christians and that fellow prisoners who became Christians were changing as well.

"We were all in the same uniforms, in this controlled laboratory known as prison, eating together, watching television. Yet they were changing," he recalls of his enlightenment behind bars.

"They were tough guys, but they knew they didn't have all the answers and something was happening. You could see it in their countenance and hear it in their voices," he says.

To check out these changes, Murphy began attending prayer groups and Bible studies, beginning to realize that the converted convicts weren't playing games or were phonies.

He says hundreds of Christian businessmen and their families are united in prayer groups across the United States, dedicated to reaching men in prison and help them change their lives.

"I'm the harvest of their ministry. They impressed on me that I could have a relationship with Jesus Christ. It wasn't a denominational thing."

He credits Florida prison chaplain Max Jones with steering him through his spiritual "boot camp," bringing him to a place of faith where he was willing to make his voice heard for others.

"Being saved is just joining up," says the man whose infamous escapades as a highly publicized jewel thief were sensationalized in a

movie starring Robert Conrad.

"I had to put on my armour and learn how God's soldiers work. You have to stand up for the Lord because he said, 'If you confess me before men, I will confess you before the Father,'" the former prisoner says.

While many suspect that prisoners will profess to have become Christians simply to make parole earlier, Murphy said his conversion didn't shorten his sentence any.

He stated that he served nearly nine more years after professing Jesus Christ as his savior before being paroled.

Of the extended prison sentence he served, Murphy simply says, "I did my time in God's timing. By then I had sold out completely to the Lord. There was no doubt in my mind that God alone was working in my life and had a plan for it."

Released five years ago to a work release center, he quickly discovered what that plan was. Soon he was back in jails, this time as a volunteer in Christian ministry with the power to walk out of the prisons when he so desired.

He founded Sonshine Adventures Ministries in Florida and works actively with the Bill Glass prison ministries, concentrating much of his efforts on the young men who are so rapidly filling up prisons due to drug activities and related crime.

Another aspect of his ministry lies in working with the families of those who are in prison, keeping the family unit strong so a parolee will have a secure place to return.

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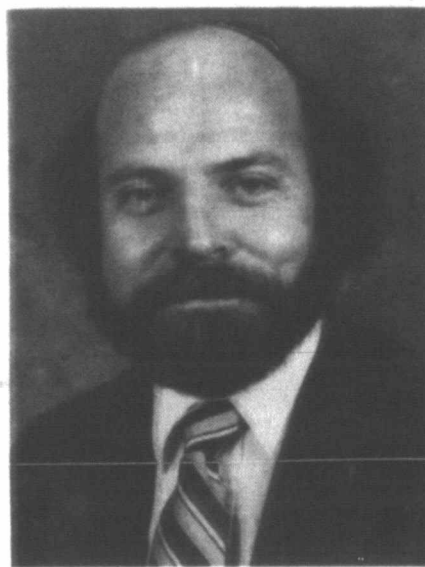
## Hargis: Digest gives Mid East 'true story'

Claude C. Hargis, international director of Ariel International, recently returned from his seventh trip to Israel, where he attended an international conference of approximately 5,000 people from 60 nations.

During the conference, seminars were held concerning the media's "war on Israel," including a videotape of the NBC in Lebanon, which covered NBC's allegedly very biased reporting on the Lebanon invasion in 1982.

"We were very much informed of the other side of the story" in contrast to what is being presented on the media in the U.S., said Hargis, who has his office in Pampa.

"While in Canada at the end of October, I spoke at a Canadian national conference along with two Israeli young men," he said. "During the course of the conference, I was amazed to find that the Canadian media showed more accuracy in the reporting of Middle East events than the U.S. media."



Claude C. Hargis

Hargis said two major events occurred during his recent stay in Israel: the defection of a Syrian fighter pilot, who landed his MIG fighter plane southeast of Haifa (an event which his tour group witnessed) and the attempt to lay the

cornerstone for the Third Temple by the Temple Mount Faithful and its resultant riots.

"The former incident received very vague coverage in the U.S., the latter practically nil," he said. "Yet these were two of the greatest events in Israel in months."

Hargis said the International Christian Embassy Jerusalem is publishing the *Middle East Intelligence Digest*, with articles written by Jews, Christians and Arabs, "to properly present the true story of Middle East events."

The digest articles give "a well-rounded perspective to the often complicated Middle East scenario," Hargis said.

For subscription information to the *Digest* and other materials distributed by the International Christian Embassy Jerusalem and Ariel International, those interested may contact Ariel International's office at P.O. Box 2119, Pampa, TX 79066.



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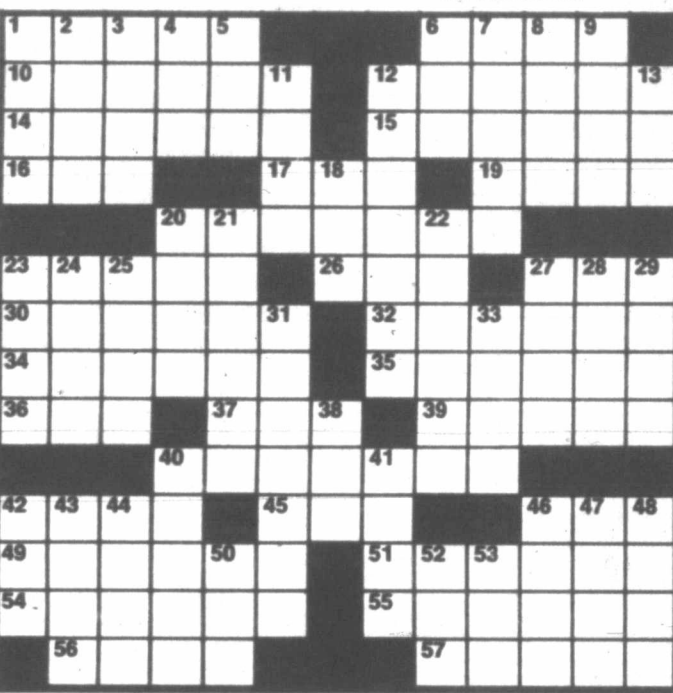
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- 10 One-legged support
- 12 Fought
- 14 Actress — Signoret
- 15 Portrayed
- 16 Cunning
- 17 Salt (pharm.)
- 19 Gestures assent
- 20 Room top
- 23 Nobleman
- 26 Actor — Majors
- 27 Paddle
- 30 Famed quarterback
- 32 Actress — Stevens
- 34 Serious

## DOWN

- 1 Kiss
- 2 Indigo dye
- 3 Icy
- 4 Mail center abbr.
- 5 Long time
- 6 Escape (sl.)
- 7 Borneo ape
- 8 Southern constellation
- 9 Necessity
- 11 Bandleader
- 12 Cleverest
- 13 College deg.
- 18 Everything
- 20 Pigeon shelter
- 21 Inflame with love
- 22 Under
- 23 Sculptured piece
- 24 Small forest
- 25 Small stream
- 27 Margarine
- 28 Exclamation of sorrow
- 29 Classify
- 31 Tangled
- 33 Is human
- 38 Winter mo.
- 40 Line for the audience
- 41 Interrogates
- 42 Landing boat
- 43 Olive genus
- 44 Caroled
- 46 Curved molding
- 47 Clan
- 48 Abstract being
- 50 Fair grade
- 52 Guido's high note
- 53 German article

## Answer to Previous Puzzle

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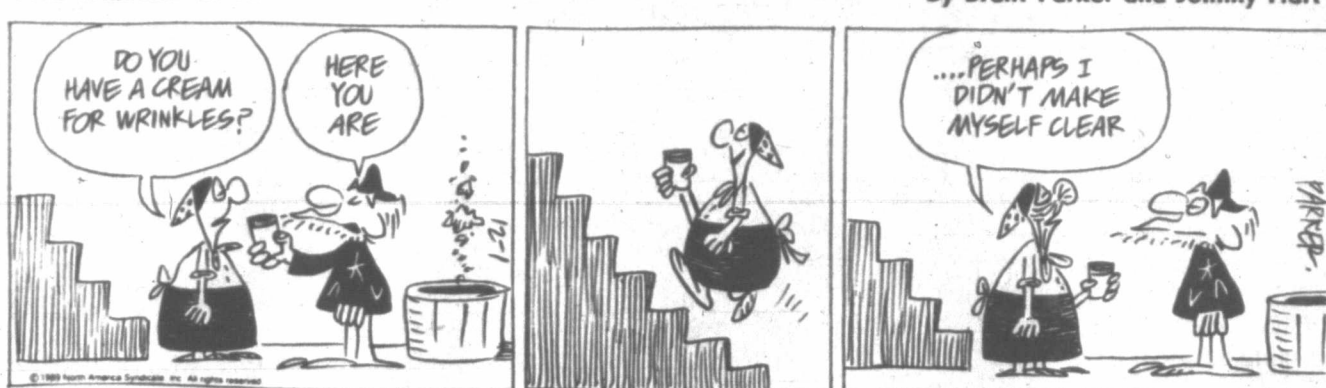
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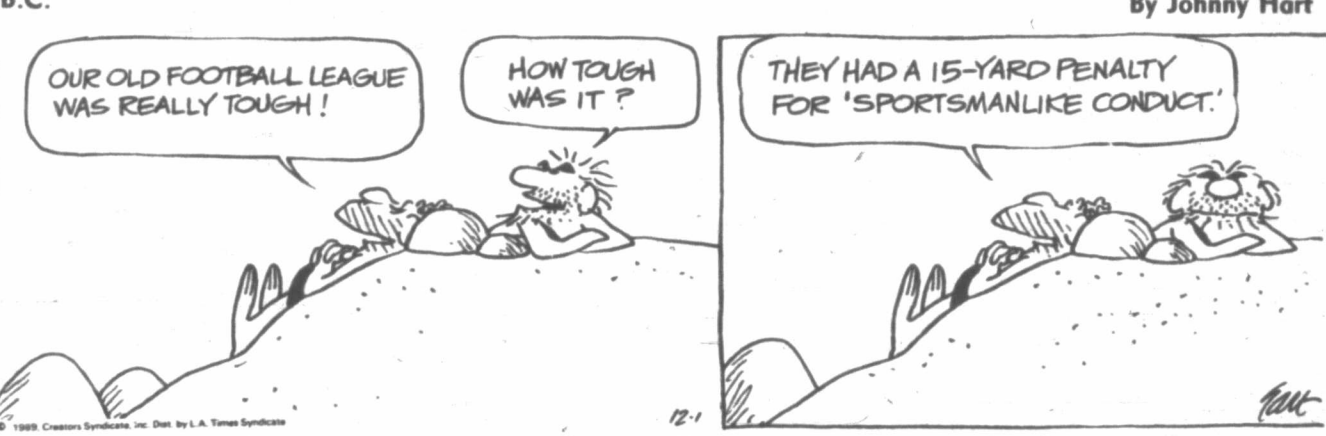
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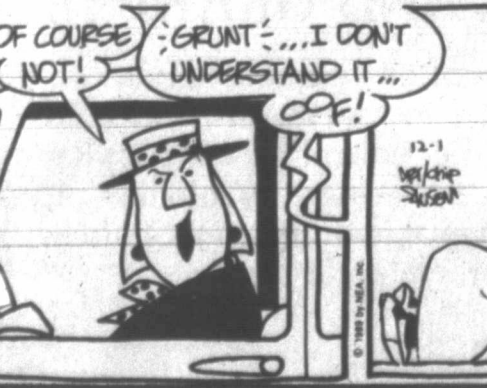
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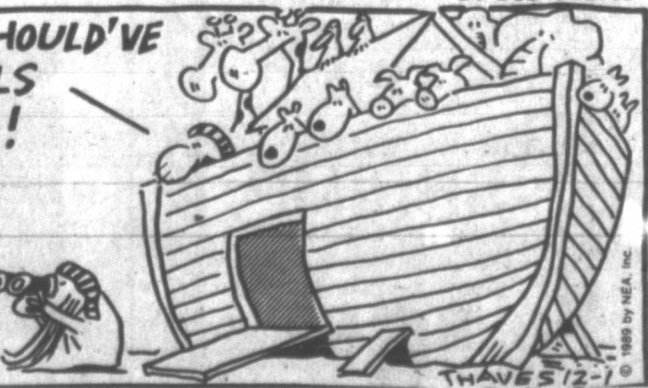
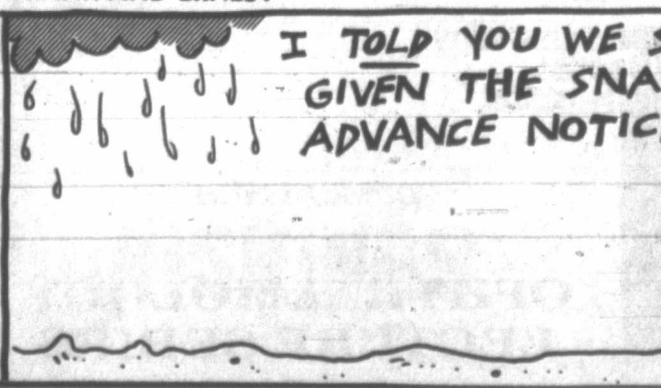
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By Bob Thaves



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## Astro-Graph

by bernice bede osol

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** There's a possibility today that you may be more mentally than physically restless. These inclinations can be gratified if you select companies with whom you can exchange stimulating ideas. Get a jump on life by understanding the influences which are governing you in the year ahead. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today by mailing \$1.25 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Have your trowel and mortar ready today, because there is a possibility you might be able to lay the foundation for a future accomplishment.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Appearances are important today, so put on a positive face if you hope to impress or command others. If you want to be a leader, you must look and act like one.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** Your intuition and perception could turn out to be extremely valuable assets today. They may provide you with insights your logic failed to reveal.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** In your involvements with friends today try to keep everything light and breezy. If heavy issues are introduced, it could put a pallor over the get-together.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** A meaningful objective is achievable today, but you must be single minded regarding your purpose. If you spread your forces too thick, the results may be only nominal.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** As of today, start making an effort to broaden your perspectives. When you widen your horizons, it will provide you with greater possibilities for new opportunities.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Your skills for researching, probing or detecting are likely to be keener than usual today. This is a good time to investigate something about which you've been curious.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** In order to make your one-to-one relationships more enjoyable today, make an effort to see things from the other guy's point of view. Things won't go too happily if you're infected with tunnel vision.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** It might not be wise today to start something that is a trifle too complicated for you to manage on your own. If you run into trouble be sure there is someone around to help you.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** You might experience a bit of group pressure today to go along with something you do not find too enjoyable. However, do your best to abide by the will of the majority.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Do your best today to complete to your satisfaction anything that you begin, because what you leave undone will cause you to collect guilt.



# Lifestyles

## St. Vincent students enter tree in Festival



(Staff photo by Kayla Pursley)

These St. Vincent Catholic School students get a head start on decorating their entry in the Festival of Trees, this weekend at M.K. Brown. They call their tree "Our Gifts to Jesus" and each grade made their own decorations of ribbon banners and scrolls listing "their gift" for the holiday season, from simply loving Jesus to being more helpful at home. Pictured here from the left are Kama Bronner, Sarah Stockman, Tyrell Terry, Justin Juan, Geoffrey Willis, Barbara Blaylock, Joel Quisenberry, Stephen Soto, Nikki Terry and Dionne Hayden. Festival of trees begins tonight at 6 p.m. and continues through Sunday, Dec. 3 at 5 p.m.

## Hospice of Pampa plans two 'Trees of Love'



(Staff photo by Kayla Pursley)

David Fatheree (left) and Bill Hite discuss the Christmas lights that will be used on the Hospice Tree of Love set up in Memorial Park on Hobart with Sharon Haynes, Hospice board treasurer. Fatheree and Hite donated \$450 for the purchase of 1200 lights to go on the tree. There will also be a Tree of Love set up in the post office decorated with ribbons. Each ribbon and light on the Trees of Love will represent a memorial in honor of someone special. Lighting ceremonies for the Memorial Park tree will be Saturday, Dec. 2 at 6 p.m. followed by a reception at the Hospice office in the Combs Worley building. Persons interested in establishing a tax deductible memorial as a Christmas season tribute to a loved one, may contact Pam Barton at the Hospice office, 665-6677.

## Kid's coats are needed

Bob Clements Inc. is collecting coats for the needy in a Share the Warmth program sponsored by the Texas Laundry and Drycleaning Association.

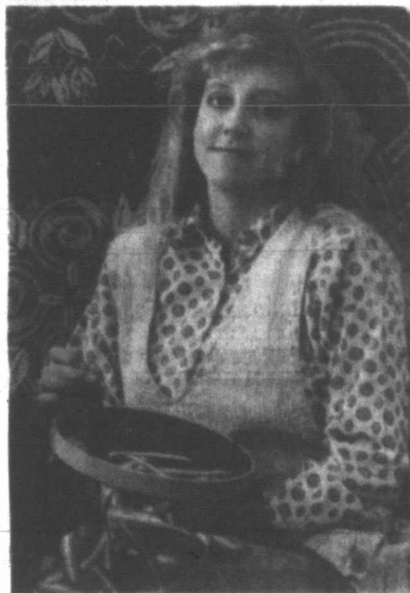
"We are in need of more children's coats," says Bill Downs. If your children have outgrown their winter coats, please consider donating them to this program. Coats will be accepted until Dec. 15 at 1437 N. Hobart.

## Bohanan's art featured at show

AMARILLO — An art exhibition featuring the work of Pampa artist Nancy Bohanan is being featured today through Dec. 9 at the Lost Circus Gallery, located at 618 S. Polk in Amarillo.

A reception for the artist has been scheduled for Saturday, Dec. 2, at the Lost Circus beginning at 7 p.m. Visitors are invited to peruse a variety of works ranging from mixed-media sculpture to fabric art to pastel drawings.

Bohanan, a native of Colorado Springs, Colo., was graduated from West Texas State University with a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree. Her work has been featured in galleries around the state, including Le Gere Gallery in Fort Worth, Spanish Skirts on the Square in Canyon, and Lost Circus Gallery in Amarillo.



Nancy Bohanan's specialty is sculpture and her most recent work is fabric art and embroidery.

## Korean War remembered by one who was there

DEAR ABBY: Last year you solicited contributions for the Korean War Veterans Memorial. Your readers responded with a total of more than \$350,000. You are to be congratulated.

Abby, the Korean War has a very special meaning to me because I am a Korean man who fought in that war. I was a young medical student when the United States liberated my small town in North Korea in 1950. I quit medical school to join the Korean army. (We North Korean refugees were forced to fight for South Korea on the front line.) Miraculously, I was one of only 26 survivors from the refugee forces.

When I left my home in North Korea, I promised my mother that I would return in three days. Little did I dream that 33 years would pass before I could return to my homeland.

After the war ended, I found myself on the streets of Seoul, broke, with little hope of fulfilling my dream of returning to North Korea and becoming a doctor. Then fate intervened when a former professor, whom I accidentally met on the street, offered me a job and the opportunity to apply to a local medical school in Seoul.



### Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

If the old saying "Adversity builds character" holds true, I am a prime example, because I not only graduated from medical school magna cum laude, I was offered an internship at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis, Mo. — half a world away, in the United States of America!

Today, I am a well-established physician and have authored several textbooks on cardiology, which is my specialty. I have a thriving office practice and am enjoying a splendid home life with my wife and our two sons in Long Beach, Calif.

I salute all American servicemen and women who participated in the Korean War, which gave freedom to hundreds of thousands of refugees like myself. That war was not forgotten — those of us who fought in it will never forget it.

Abby, I know that you have very little time for outside reading, but I am taking the liberty of sending you the book I wrote titled, "The Three Day Promise." It is the story of my life.

If you think your readers would enjoy it, I will make it available to them for a donation to the Korean War Veterans Memorial. I will leave it to you to set the price. Every penny that the book brings shall go directly to the Korean War Veterans Memorial.

DONALD C. CHUNG, M.D., LONG BEACH, CALIF.

DEAR DR. CHUNG: You were right. I have very little time for outside reading, but after reading the first chapter of "The

Three Day Promise," I was positively hooked! I didn't close that book until I had read the last page — which is the ultimate compliment for a 400-page book.

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## Charities to benefit from 'Taste of Pampa'



(Staff photo by Beth Miller)

Royce Jordan of Dos Caballeros, Jay Gist of Jay's Drive-In and Shane Dyer of Dyer's Barbecue are among 17 members of the Pampa Restaurant Association who will have samples of their goodies at the Pampa Mall on Saturday from 1 to 3 p.m. for a "Taste of Pampa" food fair. For a small fee, visitors will get a chance to sample foods and drink from Danny's Market, Mr. Gattis Pizza, Randy's Food Store Deli, Food Emporium Deli, Food Connection, Leta's Cafe, Coca Cola, Pepsi Cola, Armstrong Coffee, Sirloin Stockade, Jim's Hickory Hut, Jake's Coffee Shop, Paradise Donuts and Daylight Donuts. All proceeds from the food fair will go to benefit local non-profit service organizations. Pampa Restaurant Association officers are Danny Bainham, president, Shane Dyer, vice president, and Royce Jordan, secretary.

## Festival of Trees Schedule of Events

### Festival of Trees & Gift Boutique Schedule of Events Friday, Dec. 1

6:30 p.m. - Origami workshop with James Hinkley  
7:30 p.m. - Elementary chorus under the direction of Wanetta Hill  
8:00 p.m. - Magician - Dorsey Cruzan

### Saturday, Dec. 2

11:30 a.m. - Origami workshop with Justin Pyne  
1:00 p.m. - Origami workshop with James Hinkley  
2:00 p.m. - High school show choir under the direction of Fred Mays  
3:00 p.m. - Origami workshop with James Hinkley  
4:00 p.m. - St. Vincent School Chorus under the direction of Rebecca Lewis  
5:00 p.m. - Corsages by Donna Caskey, Freeman Flowers  
5:45 p.m. - Bow tying with Jan Pyne  
6:00 p.m. - Origami workshop with Justin Pyne

### Sunday, Dec. 3

1:30 p.m. - Origami workshop with James Hinkley  
2:00 p.m. - Soloist, Joanna Young  
2:30 p.m. - Woodcrackling with Sharon Price  
3:00 p.m. - Origami workshop with Justin Pyne

## Weekend Attractions

### LOCAL

FESTIVAL of Trees and Gift Boutique, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce will get under way beginning at 6 p.m. on Dec. 1 at M.K. Brown Civic Center and run through 5 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 3.

LIGHTING the city Christmas Tree by Mayor Richard Peet will be at 6:30 p.m. on Dec. 1 at West Coronado Park on Hobart Street near Coronado Inn. The High School Band will be performing.

CHRISTMAS parade is set for Saturday morning beginning at 11 a.m. starting at the Cuyler Street underpass and ending at M.K. Brown Civic Center parking lot.

TASTE of Pampa, a food fair sponsored by the Pampa Restaurant Association, will be going on from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Pampa Mall on Saturday, Dec. 2. Proceeds will be donated to charity.

PAMPA Civic Ballet will present "The Nutcracker Suite, Act II" beginning at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 2 at M.K. Brown Auditorium. Tickets will be available at the door.

ART show sponsored by the Pampa Area Art League may be viewed from Dec. 4-8 in the lobby of the National Bank of Commerce during regular banking hours. A reception and presentation of awards will be conducted on Friday, Dec. 1 at the bank.

HOSPICE of Pampa will have a lighting ceremony for their "Tree of Love" at 6 p.m. on Dec. 2 at Memorial Park. Each donated light will represent a loving remembrance and tribute in honor of someone special.

### AREA

PERRYTON - Saturday, Dec. 2, "The Messiah" will be presented in the Perryton High School Auditorium at 7 p.m. The hour long performance under the direction of the Cloys Webb, will feature a 100 plus voice choir from the tri-state area, members of the Amarillo Symphony Orchestra, ten area soloists and local musicians Gay Unruh and Trev Tevis. No admission charge.

BORGER - The Hutchinson County Museum will sponsor a program to commemorate the Civil War battle of Adobe Walls, Dec. 2 beginning at 10:30 a.m. in Borger. Members of the 4th Cavalry re-enactment group based in Lubbock, dressed in authentic cavalry dress of the period, will present a demonstration of cavalry riding beginning at 2:30 p.m. at the Adobe Walls site 37 miles northeast of Borger off state highway 207. They will also fire a 12 pound mountain howitzer, the type of weapon used during the battle.

The public is invited to attend wearing 1860s period dress. The program marks the 125th anniversary of the battle and hopes to encourage efforts to restore the marker at the site.

DALHART - Over 90 booths featuring Christmas items, paintings, stained glass, home baked items, water colors and wood crafts will be featured at an Arts and Crafts Bazaar sponsored by Xi Delta Gamma Sorority at the Rita Blanca Lake Coliseum on Saturday, Dec. 2 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

AMARILLO - The local chapter of the American Cancer Society is hosting the first Cattle Baron's Ball, dinner and dancing, with Janie Fricke providing the evening's entertainment. For more information contact the ACS office at 353-4306.

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# Sports

## Mavs fall to 1-1 under Adubato

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — The Dallas Mavericks have played well enough to win both games under their new coach, Richie Adubato said after his coaching record dropped to 1-1.

Terry Cummings scored 20 points and teammate David Robinson scored 15 points and grabbed 17 rebounds to lead the San Antonio Spurs to a 93-89 NBA victory over the Mavericks Thursday night.

Adubato had coached the Mavericks to a 102-83 victory over the Charlotte Hornets Wednesday night, only hours after the team fired John McLeod and moved Adubato, an assistant coach, into the head coaching job. Know he knows the flip side.

"Obviously nothing feels as good as a victory," Adubato said. "This is a difficult loss, not because it's my first, but because we played well enough to win."

It was only the second victory for the Spurs over the Mavericks in 12 meetings.

Adubato had high praise for Robinson.

"David is one of the best men in the middle," Adubato said. "We missed a lot of opportunities and that was because David was so intimidating in the middle."

"Right now I just feel numb after everything we've been through," Adubato said. "From yes-

terday afternoon through now, I haven't been able to catch my breath. I hope I can take a little rest tomorrow."

Adubato said the team simply did not have enough time to drill. He said he intends to work on new plays and expects the team to take some time in making the adjustments.

"We have to practice on executing in the final two minutes," Adubato said. "We didn't do that tonight. We have to practice on the options we have late in the game."

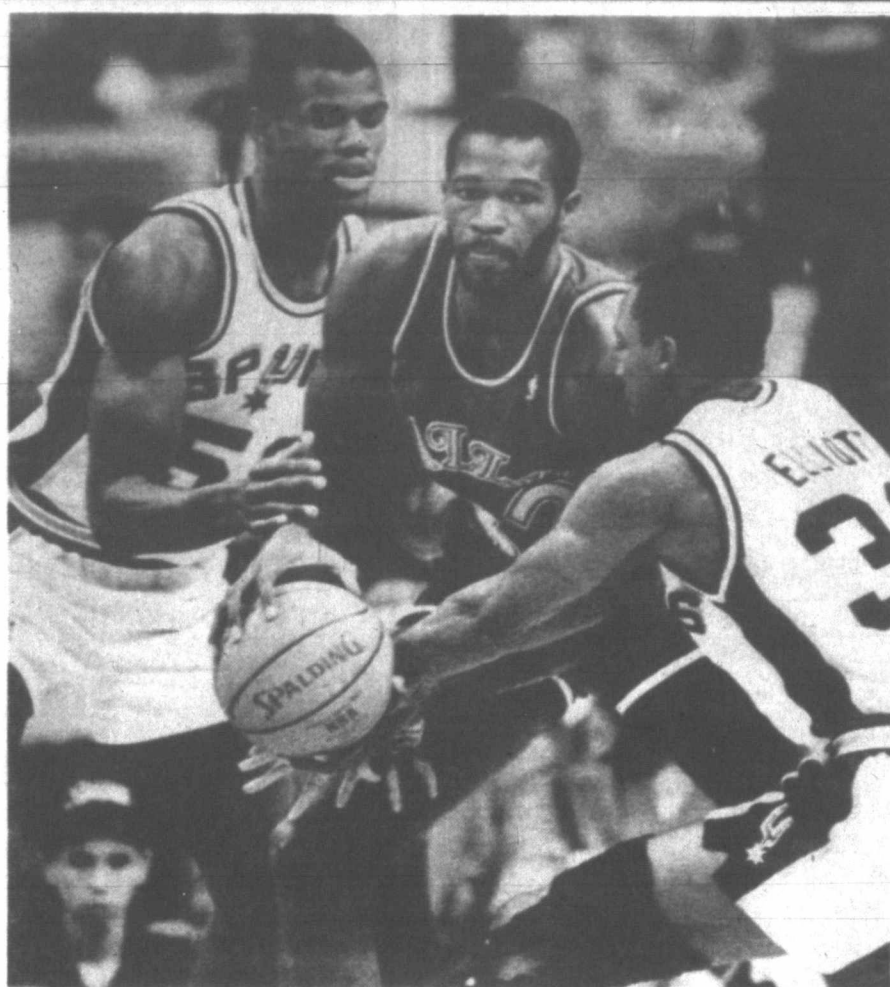
## NBA on deck

See Scoreboard on Page 15 for NBA standings and a schedule of this weekend's games.

Despite missing five-of-six shots from the free-throw line, San Antonio outscored the Mavs, 3-1, in the final four minutes.

The Mavericks battled back from a 12-point deficit at the onset of the final period, and pulled within 90-88 with 4:10 left.

Rolando Blackman, who matched Cummings and teammate Derek Harper with 20 points, missed both ends of a one-and-one



San Antonio's Sean Elliot (32) and David Robinson close in on Herb Williams of Dallas Thursday night.

to leave the game tied with 2:10 remaining.

"I have to make free throws at the end of a game," Blackman said. "That really hurt us. Our offense started executing, but we missed the shots too much."

San Antonio trailed 45-43 at intermission, but opened the third period with a 23-10 run to take a 66-55 lead with 4:30 left in the quarter.

Dallas hit just two field goals in the first eight minutes, and finished the period 6-of-12 from the floor.

The Mavericks nailed 14-40 from the field in the second half, and finished the game with a 41.9 percentage.

"The key to the game was our missed free throws down the stretch and our shots not falling," Harper said. "We just didn't execute."

## Manhattan outlasts Harvesters, 64-61

HAYS, Kan. — The Pampa Harvesters experienced it all Thursday night — a 10-point lead, an eight-point deficit, and finally a three-point loss.

But ultimately, the game was decided in the final seven seconds when Pampa sophomore Cedrick Wilbon was called for offensive charging. The Harvesters trailed the Manhattan (Kan.) Indians by one, 62-61, and Wilbon was driving downcourt for what would have been the winning bucket.

Instead, Manhattan senior Jason Weigle nailed a shot from the foul line to secure a 64-61 victory for the Indians during first-round action at the Hays City Shootout basketball tournament.

"We were just one shot away from being right in the game," said Pampa coach Robert Hale. "But we got to play in a new situation in new surroundings, and playing under those conditions was a great learning experience for us."

The loss was the first setback of the season for the Harvesters, who entered the tourney with a perfect 3-0 record. The game was the season opener for the Indians, as the basketball season officially opened in Kansas on Thursday.

Pampa will face Thomas Moore Prep in the consolation bracket tonight at 9:15 in the Hays High School Gym. Manhattan meets Garden City at 5:45 in the quarterfinals today at Felten Middle School.

As in their first three games, the Harvesters jumped out to a commanding lead in the opening quarter. With just over four minutes gone, they held a 15-5 advantage over the Indians, the biggest lead of the game for either team. By the start of the second frame, Pampa was still on top, 20-12.

But the next eight minutes were a nightmare for the Harvesters, who

managed only five points — one field goal and three foul shots — the entire second quarter. Manhattan, on the other hand, added 20 points, its best period of the game.

"We have to score more than that," Hale said, referring to the Harvesters' five-point, second-quarter performance. "I don't really think there was any turning point, really. I felt like we weren't as intense early and we weren't in the flow of the game."

Meanwhile, Pampa's top two scorers this season had gotten themselves into foul trouble. Senior Mark Wood, who came into the game averaging 19 points, had two fouls in the first four minutes and finished the game with only eight points. Sophomore Jeff Young, who averaged more than 15 points in the Harvesters' first three games, had three fouls by intermission. He added 12 points Thursday.

"Jeff and Mark were in foul trouble all night and that doesn't help any," Hale said. "Our inside players, like Jeff and Mark are key players. They've been playing well for us."

The Harvesters redeemed themselves with a 25-point performance in the third quarter. David Johnson hit a three-point shot from near half-court at the buzzer to put Pampa up by one at the beginning of the fourth, 50-49.

The game see-sawed back and forth in the final eight minutes. Pampa took its final lead, 61-60, with half a minute to play, but Manhattan senior Marvin Butler hit a field goal with 13 seconds remaining to put the Indians up for good. Wilbon, who led the Harvesters in scoring with 13 points, then got the foul charge to set up the final point for the Indians.

Tonight's game against Thomas Moore Prep will be carried live at 9:15 on KGRO 1230 AM radio.

## Lady Indians overpower Pampa, 67-48

HAYS, Kan. — The Manhattan (Kan.) Lady Indians used an effective zone defense to defeat Pampa, 67-48, in the opening round of the Hays City Shootout basketball tournament Thursday at Felten Middle School.

Manhattan also took advantage of an overabundance of Lady Harvester fouls, collecting 21 easy points on 35 trips to the charity stripe.

Pampa led late in the first quarter, 13-12, before double fouls on senior Tara Hamby opened the door for four straight Lady Indian points. By the end of the opening period, Manhattan had regained the advantage, 16-13.

"It just didn't seem like the same bunch of girls I'm used to watching," said Pampa coach Albert

Nichols, whose Lady Harvesters evened their season record at 2-2. "We just never seemed to get into our game tonight."

Pampa moves into the consolation bracket today, where they will meet Thomas Moore Prep at 7:30 p.m. in the Hays High School Gym. Since Thursday was opening day for basketball in Kansas, Manhattan moved to 1-0 on the season. The Lady Indians will meet Garden City in the winner's bracket at 4 p.m.

Manhattan's zone defense was a factor for most of the game as the Lady Indians effectively sealed off Pampa's inside game. Sophomore post Nikki Ryan was limited to 12 points, six less than she has averaged in every other game this season for the Lady Harvesters.

Pampa was forced to shoot the

ball from outside, and junior guard Christa West responded well, pouring in 13 points to lead all Pampa scorers. West and Ryan were the only Lady Harvesters to score in double figures.

Three members of the Lady Indian squad tossed in more than 10 points. Ann Hollingsworth, who was scoreless in the first period, came off the bench to contribute a game-high 25 points in the final three quarters. Teammate Regina Dill added 13.

"I was really after our girls because we weren't talking on defense," Nichols said. "Probably the best we did was our man defense at the end of the game, but by then it was too late."

The Lady Harvesters trailed only 30-25 at intermission, but the worst

damage was done in the third quarter. Manhattan outscored Pampa, 20-11, including an eight-point run to close out the period. The Lady Indians posted 17 more points to Pampa's 12 to clinch the win.

Pampa did manage to out rebound Manhattan, 28-26, but that advantage was lost when the Lady Harvesters surrendered 25 turnovers (compared to 16 for the Lady Indians) and converted only 4-of-10 free throws.

Nichols tried to look on the bright side.

"We're gonna come out and see if we can't win the consolation bracket," Nichols said.

Tonight's game between the Lady Harvesters and Thomas Moore Prep can be heard live on KGRO AM 1230 at 7:30.

## Houston's Ware a front-runner in Heisman race

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ  
AP Sports Writer

HOUSTON — Houston Cougars quarterback Andre Ware would like to take the Heisman Trophy partying.

"I don't want it just for myself, I want it for my teammates," Ware said. "We couldn't go to a bowl this year so what better way to end the season than for us to win the Heisman."

"We'd all share it together. We'd party with it."

The Cougars will find out if the Heisman Trophy will attend their party when the Downtown Athletic

Club of New York announces its 1989 winner Saturday.

Ware has difficulty believing his consideration for the honor.

"At the beginning of the season, I really thought it was just talk," Ware said. "Just being mentioned was something special."

"Now to be, I guess, considered the front-runner... I don't know what I'll do if I win."

Actually, Ware knows exactly what he'll do.

He'll go out for the final game of the season against Rice Saturday, trying to set more NCAA records, especially two held by former Brigham Young quarterback Jim

McMahon.

Then, if he wins the Heisman, he'll set out to win it again next year.

"I don't mean to sound greedy, but if I was to win it this year, that would be the goal, to win it twice," Ware said.

The 13th ranked Cougars (8-2) will close out the season Saturday against Rice (2-7-1) as the national leader in total offense, scoring and passing offense.

The Cougars can't go to a bowl because they are on NCAA probation but the Heisman balloting has given the Cougars a challenge.

"It's flattering just to have a

team member be considered (for the Heisman) and that's really kept everybody's enthusiasm and interest," Houston coach Jack Pardee said.

Ware has established seven NCAA records this season, has tied two others and is within reach of eight more.

Ware has passed for 4,299 yards, thrown 44 touchdown passes and gained 4,266 total yards in 10 games this season.

He's within reach of former Brigham Young quarterback Jim McMahon's records of 4,571 passing yards, 47 touchdowns and 4,627 total yards in 12 games in 1980.

## Area Calendar

Here is a glance at area sporting events for the next seven days involving high school varsity teams from Pampa and the surrounding area:

**Today**  
Basketball: Pampa at Hays City Shootout  
Harvesters vs. Thomas Moore Prep, 9:15 p.m.  
Lady Harvesters vs. Thomas Moore Prep, 7:30 p.m.  
Area Games: Claude at Kelton, 6:30 p.m.; Canadian at McLean, 6:30 p.m.; Hedley at Briscoe, 6:30 p.m.; Miami Tournament.  
Football: McLean vs. Christoval at Hamlin, 7:30 p.m.  
Wheeler vs. Rankin at Levelland, 7:30 p.m.

**Saturday**  
Basketball: Pampa at Hays City Shootout.  
Miami Tournament.

**Monday**  
Wrestling: Pampa at Palo Duro, 6:30 p.m.

**Tuesday**  
Basketball: Randall Lady Raiders at Pampa, 6:30 p.m.  
Randall Raiders at Pampa, 8 p.m.  
Area Games: Gruver at Canadian, 6:30 p.m.; Kelton at Hedley, 6:30 p.m.; Samnorwood at Lefors, 6:30 p.m.; McLean at Groom, 6:30 p.m.; Panhandle at White Deer, 6:30 p.m.; Follett at Miami, 6:30 p.m.; Darrouzett at Briscoe, 6:30 p.m.

**Thursday through Saturday**  
Basketball: Harvesters at Lawton Roundball Classic Tourney  
Lady Harvesters at Levelland Friday, 6:30 p.m.  
Area Tournaments: Samnorwood Tourney (Kelton, Lefors, Groom, Briscoe, McLean); Shamrock Tourney (Canadian); Sunray Tourney (White Deer).

## Briefs

### Golf

Volunteer workers are invited to help out with rest room construction at the new public golf course north of town.

Work will begin Saturday at 9:30 a.m. Coffee and donuts will be served at 9 a.m.

"All help will be appreciated," said Buddy Epperson of the Pampa Public Golf Association.

### Tennis

NEW YORK (AP) — John McEnroe outlasted Michael Chang 6-2, 5-7, 6-4 in the Masters tennis tournament Thursday at Madison Square Garden. After he and Chang had split the first two sets, McEnroe grabbed a 4-0, 40-0 lead in the third. Chang won five consecutive points to hold serve.

Then, in the eighth game, McEnroe was serving for the match at 5-2, 30-15. The next serve was called a fault by a linesman but not by the electronic sensor, and McEnroe rushed to umpire Gerry Armstrong to complain.

"He (Armstrong) clearly stated to me before the match that we were going to go by the machine. He reit-

erated it two or three times," McEnroe said.

Armstrong overruled the linesman and gave McEnroe two serves, turning down a plea by Chang.

Top-seeded Ivan Lendl, seeking his sixth Masters title, easily outclassed Aaron Krickstein 6-1, 6-3. Lendl and McEnroe, who face each other tonight, clinched semifinal berths in the eight-player field with their victories.

Boris Becker, the defending champion, and Stefan Edberg assured themselves of semifinal spots with victories on Wednesday. They play tonight to determine the semifinal pairings.

### Football

NEW YORK (AP) — Wide receiver Anthony Miller of the San Diego Chargers and linebacker Karl Mecklenburg of the Denver Broncos were named AFC offensive and defensive players of the month for November, the NFL announced.

Joe Montana of the San Francisco 49ers and linebacker Tim Harris of the Green Bay Packers were named the NFC offensive and defensive players of the month for November by the NFL.

## Pampa spikers make 1-4A academic team

Pampa volleyball coach Mike Lopez announced the selection of five PHS volleyball players to the All-District 1-4A Academic team this week.

Kristen Becker, Joy Cambern, Rochelle Pritchard, Kandy Winton and Leslie Bailey were recognized as academic team members for their performances in the classroom throughout their high school careers.

To be eligible for All-District Academic honors, a student-athlete must maintain at least a 90 average from the time she enters high school through the present. She must also be a varsity player.

"It's quite an honor to get that many girls on the list," Lopez said. "Hopefully from here, they'll be chosen for the All-State Academic team."

The all-staters are selected by the Texas Volleyball Coaches Association. Girls that meet the above criteria are nominated by their coaches, and the TVCA makes the final choice on All-State selections.

Becker, a sophomore hitter for the volleyball squad this season, has a 98.7 grade point average at PHS. Cambern, also a sophomore, has maintained a 93.2 average, while

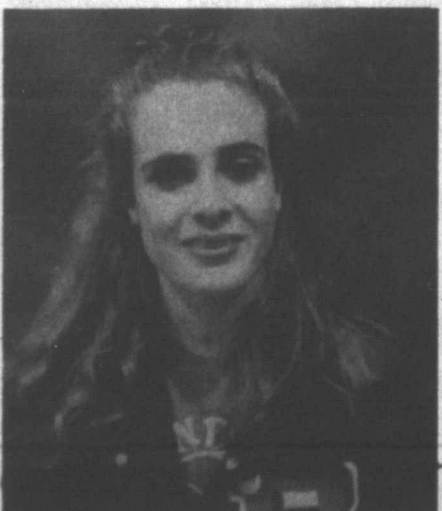
Winton, a senior, checks in with a 92.2. Both Cambern and Winton were setters for the third-place Lady Harvesters.

Pritchard, a junior, has a 93.1 average and was a hitter on this year's team. Senior hitter Leslie Bailey rounds out Pampa's academic squad with a 91.4 average. She was also selected to the All-District 1-4A first team, which was announced last week.

All but Winton and Bailey will return to play for the Lady Harvesters in 1990.



Kristen Becker



Joy Cambern



Kandy Winton



Rochelle Pritchard



Leslie Bailey



# Giants favored against all odds

By DAVE GOLDBERG  
AP Football Writer

Don't tell the New York Giants that they're favored over Philadelphia Sunday. Every element is against them.

To wit: While the Giants were banging heads, arms and legs against San Francisco Monday night, the Eagles were sitting home watching on television, on the fourth day of a 10-day rest following their Thanksgiving game in Dallas.

The Giants will be without Lawrence Taylor, who sprained a knee and an ankle against the 49ers. Without Taylor, who shadows Randall Cunningham?

Just as the Giants always seem to beat the Redskins, the Eagles always seem to beat the Giants, usually in off-beat ways. They've won three straight against New York, any or all of which the Giants could have won — Philadelphia got a lot of help from a replay official in their 21-19 win in Philadelphia last month.

New York is favored by three, a number that could drop with Taylor out.

But maybe it should go up. The Giants showed more character and resilience overcoming a 17-point deficit in San Francisco Monday night than they did in their nine wins this year. Unless some bounty hunter knocks out half the team ...

GIANTS, 17-13.  
Chicago (+6) at Minnesota

Sunday night  
Every time Mike Ditka says the Bears' season is over, the rise up and smite someone. This time it may be difficult, although the Vikings sure can find ways to lose.

VIKINGS 27-17  
Cincinnati (+4) at Cleveland

Which guys will come out of hibernation? The Bengals had trouble with the win in Buffalo last Sunday and it's almost always windy at this end of Lake Erie, too.

BROWNS, 20-14  
Green Bay (-3) at Tampa Bay

The kind of game that often trips up an emerging young team that's beaten Chicago, San Francisco and Minnesota but lost to Detroit and to the Bucs at home. That should make them wary, but it'll be a tight fit.

PACKERS, 24-23  
Houston (-3) at Pittsburgh

Noll-Glanville VIII. The Steelers won in a Miami monsoon last week and the Oilers have trouble with weather.

STEELERS, 27-25  
Denver (+2) at Raiders

The Broncos may have clinched the division, but the Raiders think they can get a wild-card playoff

spot. The incentive talks. RAIDERS, 24-20

San Francisco (-9) at Atlanta  
A 45-3 victory the first time, a bruising Monday night game and a new Atlanta coach equal ...

49ERS, 27-19  
Buffalo (-51/2) at Seattle

Monday night  
The way the Seahawks are playing, the Bills can mail in this one, which means they'll probably self-destruct. The Seahawks self-destructed weeks ago.

BILLS, 27-10  
Miami (+31/2) at Kansas City

The Chiefs are coming. The Chiefs are coming. The Chiefs are coming.

CHIEFS, 24-20  
Indianapolis (+11/2) at New England

Beware of DomeTeams in the elements.

PATRIOTS, 13-11  
OTHER GAMES

Home team in CAPS  
Washington (-41/2) 27, PHOENIX 12

New Orleans (-4) 10, DETROIT 9  
Rams (-91/2) 24, DALLAS 10

SAN DIEGO (-5) 22, Jets 16

Last Week: 8-6 (spread); 10-4 (straight up).  
Season: 75-89-4 (spread); 110-57-1 (straight up).

## Scoreboard

### Basketball

#### High School Scores

##### Hays City Shootout Tournament

##### BOYS

Manhattan 64, Pampa 61

Pampa 20, 25, 50, 61

Manhattan 12, 32, 49, 64

##### Individual Scoring

Pampa: Cedrick Wilton 13, Jeff Young 12, David Johnson 9, Mark Wood 8, Ryan Teague 8, Cornelius Landers 6, Daniel Trejo 4, Randy Nichols 1; Free Throws: 20/27; Record: 3-1.

Manhattan: Top Scorers — Rod Sterling 21, Marvin Butler 14, Jason Weigle 11; Free Throws: 24/33; Record: 1-0.

##### GIRLS

Manhattan 67, Pampa 48

Pampa 13, 25, 36, 48

Manhattan 16, 30, 50, 67

##### Individual Scoring

Pampa: Christa West 13, Nikki Ryan 12, Sheila Reed 8, Bridgett Mathis 7, Tara Hamby 4, Kristen Becker 4; Free Throws: 4/10; Record: 2-2.

Manhattan: Top Scorers — Ann Hollingsworth 25, Regina Dill 13; Free Throws: 21/35; Record: 1-0.

##### Hartley Varsity Tournament

##### GIRLS

Pampa JV 58, Alamo Catholic 33

Pampa 19, 20, 34, 58

Alamo 12, 14, 20, 33

Leading Scorers: P — Alana Ryan 15, Shelly Vinson 14; A — Garcia 15.

Schedule: Pampa girls JV plays the winner of the Dumas-Hartley Varsity game tonight at 7. Pampa boys JV drew a bye in first round, will meet winner of Hartley JV. Logan, N.M. game today at 2:50 p.m.

##### (Tuesday night)

Hedley 38, Mobeetie 24 (girls)

Leading scorers: H — A. Ward 19, T. Bright 10; M — Shana Whitley 14, Dana Brittenham 12. Records: Hedley (1-4), Mobeetie (1-5).

(Note: The official score was not kept after three quarters because Mobeetie could not field a full team after two players fouled out.)

Hedley 83, Mobeetie 39 (boys)

Leading scorers: H — Curtis Neely 32, R. Long 12, K. Johnson 12; M — Jackie May 15, Kelly Quarles 11, Destry James 11. Records: Hedley (3-2), Mobeetie (0-5).

##### Middle School Scores

##### Borger Tournament

##### Eighth Grade

Pampa Red 68, Borger 11

Pampa 18, 37, 53, 68

Borger 5, 9, 7, 11

#### NBA Standings

##### By The Associated Press

##### All Times CST

##### EASTERN CONFERENCE

##### Atlantic Division

Pampa 8 4 667 —

New York 9 5 643 —

Boston 8 7 533 —

Washington 7 9 438 —

Dallas 4 12 250 —

New Jersey 3 11 214 —

##### Central Division

Indiana 8 4 667 —

Detroit 9 5 643 —

Chicago 8 6 571 —

Atlanta 7 7 538 —

Milwaukee 7 7 500 —

Orlando 7 7 500 —

Cleveland 6 7 462 —

##### WESTERN CONFERENCE

##### Midwest Division

Denver 10 4 714 —

Utah 8 4 667 —

San Antonio 8 5 615 —

Houston 9 6 600 —

Dallas 6 7 462 —

Charlotte 3 11 214 —

Minnesota 3 12 200 —

##### Pacific Division

L.A. Lakers 11 2 846 —

Portland 11 3 786 —

Seattle 11 3 786 —

Phoenix 5 6 455 —

L.A. Clippers 4 8 333 —

Sacramento 4 9 308 —

Golden State 3 10 231 —

##### Thursday's Games

Orlando 103, Minnesota 96

Houston 113, Charlotte 101

San Antonio 93, Dallas 89

Denver 103, Milwaukee 102

Seattle 127, New York 122

Los Angeles Lakers 109, Sacramento 93

Friday's Games

Cleveland at Boston, 6:30 p.m.

Miami at New Jersey, 6:30 p.m.

Orlando at Indiana, 6:30 p.m.

Philadelphia vs. Washington, 7 p.m.

Utah at Atlanta, 7 p.m.

L.A. Clippers at Phoenix, 8:30 p.m.

Detroit at Los Angeles Lakers, 9:30 p.m.

Golden State at Portland, 9:30 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Utah at Washington, 6:30 p.m.

Chicago at Miami, 6:30 p.m.

Philadelphia at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.

Minnesota at Cleveland, 6:30 p.m.

Dallas at Houston, 7:30 p.m.

Charlotte at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.

Portland at Denver, 8:30 p.m.

New York at Phoenix, 8:30 p.m.

Detroit at Seattle, 9 p.m.

Sacramento at L.A. Clippers, 9:30 p.m.

Milwaukee at Golden State, 9:30 p.m.

Sunday's Games

New York at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m.

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LOST diamond ring, watch, and pinkie ring. Large reward. Call 665-1875.

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ADDITIONS, Remodeling, new cabinets, old cabinets refaced. Ceramic tile, acoustical ceilings, panelling, painting, wall-paper, storage building, patios. Estimates. Jerry Reagan, 669-9747. Karl Parks, 669-2648.

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ROPER Electric range. Good condition. Call 665-1746.

FIREWOOD—Skellytown wood. 848-2555 after 5.

METAL building to be demolished for material. Contact Vernon Maddox at 669-9583.

FOR sale - very nice practice piano at good price. 669-9829 after 5 p.m.

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FOR rent - 3 bedroom brick house, close to school. 669-3794.

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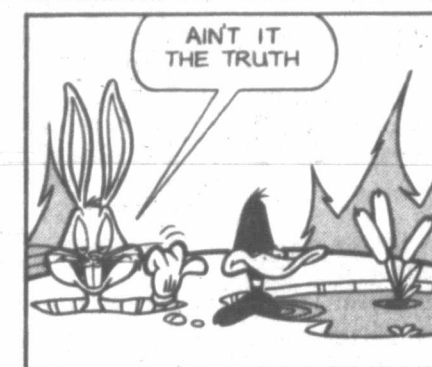
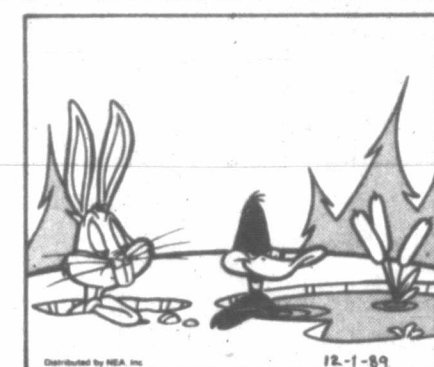
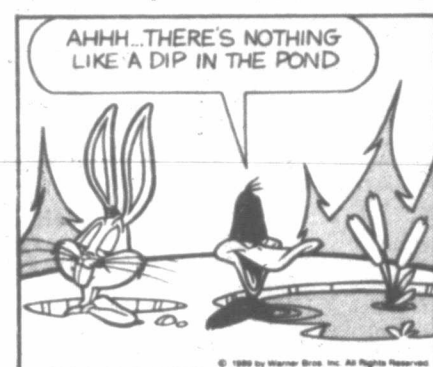
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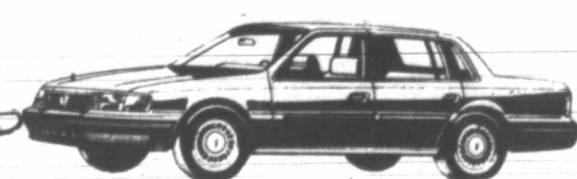
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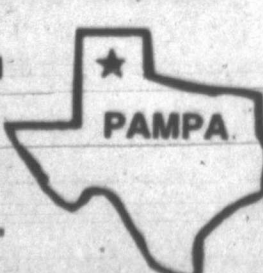
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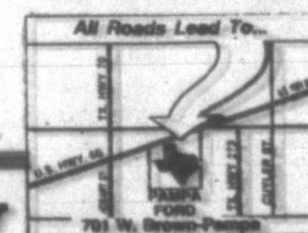
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# Poll indicates Soviets gaining trust of American public

NEW YORK (AP) — Americans give Mikhail Gorbachev more credit than President Bush for lessening East-West tensions, and nearly eight in 10 believe the Soviet leader seeks true reform in his country, according to a poll.

The Media General-Associated Press survey found suspicions of the Soviet Union's intentions fading rapidly, with a majority of Americans now convinced that the Soviets do not seek world domination.

Bush and Gorbachev, who are meeting in a shipboard summit off Malta this weekend, won exceedingly high popularity marks, with roughly seven in 10 respondents rating each favorably.

Their summit comes at a time of momentous change in the communist world. While Gorbachev pushes reforms in the Soviet Union, his Eastern European allies in recent weeks have moved dramatically away from political domination by their Communist parties.

Forty percent of the 1,117 adults surveyed Nov. 17-25 in the continental United States rated Bush as "too cautious" in encouraging

reform in the Eastern Bloc; 46 percent said he was doing enough. The rest were unsure.

Moreover, 41 percent said Gorbachev has done more than Bush to ease tensions, compared with 29 percent who said Bush has done more. The others weren't sure.

To encourage Soviet reforms, respondents by 2-1 favored establishing normal trade relations — a step the Bush administration is exploring. A less likely move, foreign aid, was opposed by seven in 10.

Goodwill toward Gorbachev aside, the poll found lingering doubt about Soviet reliability. Fifty-three percent said the Soviets cannot be trusted to live up to its arms control agreements, down from 61 percent in a poll last year but still a majority.

Reflecting that cautious view, 52 percent opposed making significant cuts in U.S. military spending because of lessened tensions. The Bush administration is contemplating large cuts in its military budget.

Similarly, respondents split on whether the United States should

remove all its troops from Western Europe if the Soviets removed theirs from Eastern Europe. Forty-seven percent favored such a deal and 42 percent were opposed, a division within the poll's 3-point error margin. The rest were unsure.

Respondents overwhelmingly opposed immediate cuts in U.S. troops in Europe as a response to the reforms. But among those who were

opposed, a majority favored reductions later if reforms continue.

While the respondents favored continued defense efforts, just 35 percent said they believed the Soviets seek to dominate the world — down from 50 percent who held that view in a CBS News-New York Times poll last spring.

Fifty-seven percent in the new survey rejected the notion that the

Soviets seek world domination, with the rest unsure.

Despite the split opinion on Bush's encouragement of communist changes, 74 percent approved of his overall handling of U.S.-Soviet relations. Seventy percent had a favorable opinion of Bush in general.

Sixty-eight percent had a favorable view of Gorbachev, virtually

the same rating as Bush's and well up from 54 percent in a Media General-AP poll in April 1988, before a summit between Gorbachev and then-President Reagan.

Gorbachev was more popular than Bush — 85 percent to 65 percent — among respondents with postgraduate educations. Gorbachev also outscored Reagan among this group in 1988.

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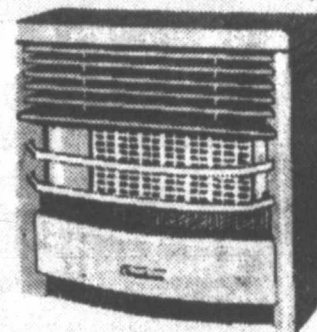
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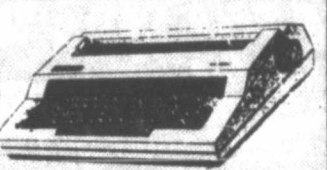
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