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How about those Harvesters!



(Staff photo by Stan Pollard)

Pampa High School senior, Zach Thomas, #32, breaks through the line in first quarter action of the record-breaking Pampa High School vs. Amarillo High School game here Friday. The Harvesters, with the help of a key fumble recovery by Thomas near the end of the game, slipped past the Sandies for a 23-21 win. The win was the first for Pampa against Amarillo High in 14 years. For more details and photographs from Friday night's game, see page 9.

Seleta Gwin named manager of M.K. Brown Civic Center

By BEAR MILLS
Staff Writer

Things are falling into place for the M.K. Brown Civic Center.

Community Services Director Bill Hildebrandt said after years of the auditorium being Pampa's most under-utilized resource, a new manager and marquee, along with numerous improvements to the building, are going to help lure tourists and trade shows to the city.

The new manager, Seleta Gwin, said she joined the city after one year as manager of Total Temporaries in Pampa. During that time, she noted, she came to appreciate the city and what could be accomplished if more promotion was done.

"Having recently moved here, I see opportunities opening up and I believe I have a lot to offer," Gwin said. "I grew up in Canyon and lived in Amarillo most of my adult life, so I know West Texas."

Gwin and Hildebrandt said the days of M.K. Brown Civic Center being the Panhandle's best-kept secret are over.

"I hope to make presentations to local civic organizations and outlying areas to let them know what we have and draw interest in other towns bringing their activities here," Gwin said. "The auditorium is a beautiful building and has wonderful facilities that need to be utilized. We can offer a service to the community."

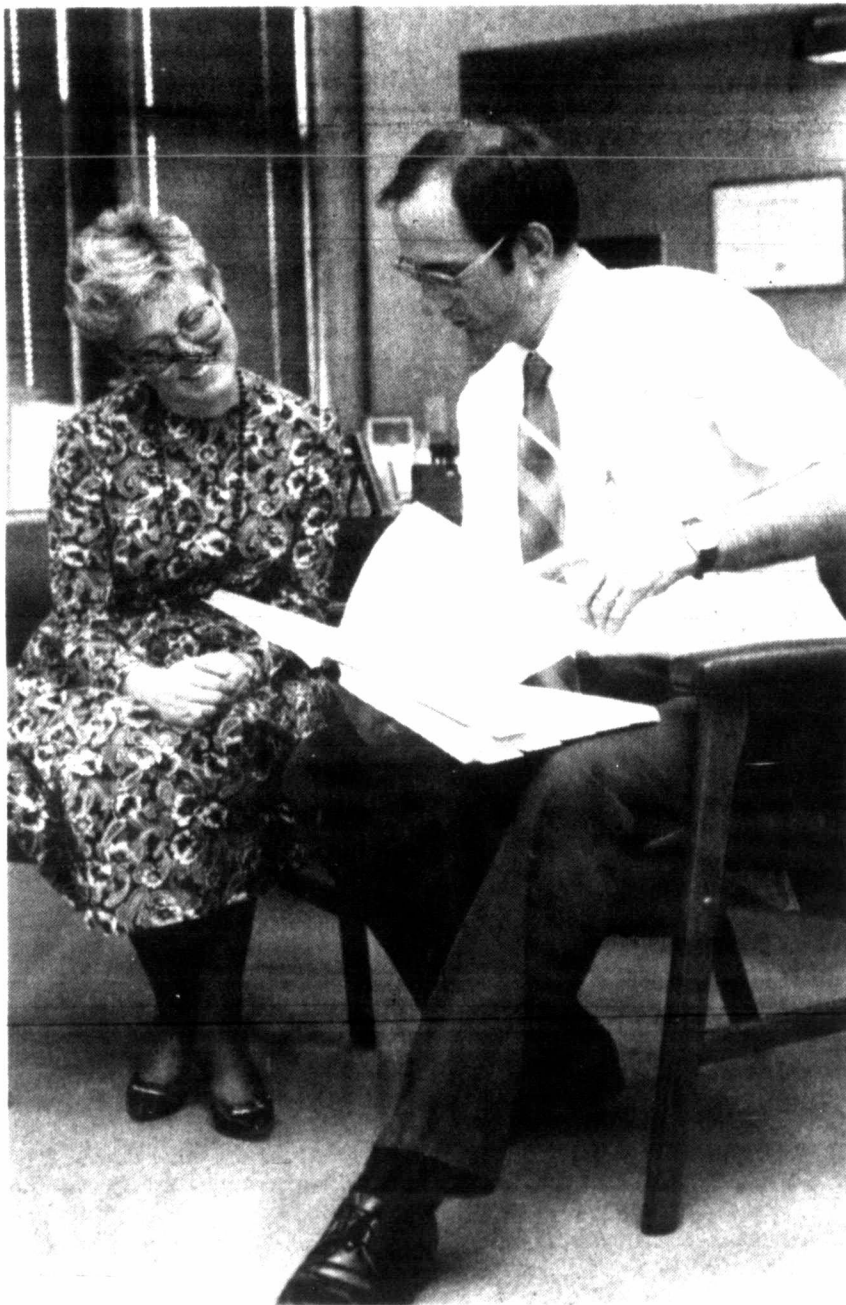
Hildebrandt said slide presentations advertising Pampa will soon be taken to other cities in the region by Gwin and are available for use by groups when trying to lure a convention or regional conference to the civic center.

He agreed with City Manager Glen Hackler that in the past when groups such as Rotary wanted to bring their West Texas conference here, "all we had to give them was a map of the city."

"In the long term it would be helpful to attract large banquets and annual conventions, not only from Pampa, but also from Borger and other towns in the Panhandle," Hildebrandt said. "The first thing we need to do is re-establish ourselves as having an absolutely beyond-compare facility that can be used by in-town organizations."

He said while some groups use the civic center regularly, others remain in the dark about it.

Gwin said for most of the first year she lived in Pampa, she remained uncertain where the civic center was even located, since it has no significant external



(Staff photo by Stan Pollard)

New M.K. Brown Civic Center manager Seleta Gwin reviews the auditorium's operating procedures with Community Services Director Bill Hildebrandt.

markings and is across the park from Hobart Street.

A new electronic marquee, purchased last week from a private company that had located it at Hobart and Alcock streets, will help change all that.

Hildebrandt said the marquee will be located in the park between Braum's and Coronado Inn's property, pointing residents and visitors to the civic center while informing them of upcoming events.

"We not only have the civic center, we also have the hotel/motel trade and restaurants that serve as support facilities for hosting a convention," he said. "We're hoping that with Seleta speaking around the area, we will be able to branch out and bring additional people in."

Hildebrandt and Gwin said they hope to help traditional Pampa events like the Festival of Trees and Gift Boutique, held

each Christmas season, to draw in many more participants and shoppers through enhanced publicity.

"What we are anticipating is that with the help of the marquee, some of the renovations and some of the promotional expertise of the incoming auditorium manager, we will be able to not only continue, but expand these, attracting more merchants, retailers, as well as people from Perryton and other areas into town to see the festival," Hildebrandt said.

Gwin agreed that when people see the civic center they are amazed a city of less than 25,000 could have such a luxurious facility.

The key, she said, is getting them to see it.

She plans to begin turning that key in the near future, opening the door to never-before-seen enthusiasm over the possibilities in Pampa.

Luncheon to kick-off '91 United Way drive

By BETH MILLER
Staff Writer

Plans are set for the 1991 kick-off on Tuesday of "Share the Spirit - Give to the United Way," the theme for this year's campaign, said campaign chairman Jack Bailey.

Bailey said he is confident this year's goal of \$349,000 will be met. "Everyone is excited about the United Way campaign. I've lived in Pampa for 25 years and the people of Pampa always rise to the occasion. I feel real good about meeting the goal."

This year's goal is \$23,000 higher than last year's goal, he said. "When it comes to helping people, the Pampa citizens always help," said Bailey, an assistant superintendent with Pampa Independent School District.

The money is used to help fund 16 non-profit agencies, which Bailey said are worthwhile organizations. "They are all reviewed each year and the 16 agencies to be funded this year are the ones who deserve and need the money."

This year's campaign kicks off with an 11:45 a.m. luncheon at the Heritage Room of the M.K. Brown Auditorium on Tuesday.

Inspirational speaker will be attorney Don Lane of Pampa. Sona Solano will provide music. Danny's Market will serve steaks during the luncheon.

The 16 agencies of the United Way this year are the American Red Cross, Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Pampa, Boy Scouts Golden Spread Council, Community Day Care Center, Genesis House, Girl Scouts Quivira Council, Gray County Child Protective Services, Gray County Latch Key, High Plains Epilepsy, Pampa Family Services, Pampa Sheltered Workshop, Pampa Meals on Wheels, Pastoral Counseling, Salvation Army, South



Jack Bailey
'91 campaign chairman

Side Senior Citizens Center, and Tralee Crisis Center for Women.

As campaign chairman, Bailey will coordinate with the different organizations of the community to raise monies for the different entities.

Bailey has been active in prior years in the United Way and has worked as chairman for the school district in gathering funds for the organization.

He received a bachelor's degree from Panhandle State University and a master's degree from Southwestern State University. He is a member of First United Methodist Church and chairman of the Pastor Parrish Board. He is also chairman of the finance committee.

Bailey is married to Jo and they have three children, Angie Bailey, Leslie Bailey and Jo Bailey.

"The United Way has a great effect, financially speaking, on some great organizations in Pampa," Bailey said. "I would like to see everyone involved in our campaign."

Check-in meetings will be held

weekly throughout the campaign, beginning Sept. 26. The meetings will be held at 4:30 p.m. each Thursday in the M.K. Brown Room of the Community Building on Ballard Street. Ann Loter will be in charge of refreshments, entertainments and prizes at the weekly check-ins.

In charge of publicity this year is Jack Gindorf, last year's campaign chairman.

Co-chairman of the campaign is Curt Beck. The Cabot retirees letter was mailed out by N. Dudley Steele.

Others involved and their divisions are: Brian Vining of First National Bank, commercial division; Loden Moore of Celanese, C.J. Johnston of Allstate Insurance, Dan Brown of Energas and Danny Bainum of Danny's Market, all with major firms division; Carol Cofer with IRI International, special gifts division; E.L. Green, individuals division; Claudie Phillips (chairman) with the city of Pampa, Margie Gray with Gray County, Ramona Hite with Pampa ISD and Dr. Darrell Rains representing churches, all in the public division; Dr. Jay Johnson representing dentists and doctors, Phil Vanderpool representing lawyers, David Cory representing accountants, Tony Frogg representing pharmacists, Dr. Ron Easley representing veterinarians and Dr. Louis Haydon representing chiropractors, all in the professionals division.

Loaned executives for the 1991 campaign are Ernie Willis of IRI International; Al Chapa of Coronado Hospital; Bryan Kauffman of Southwestern Public Service; Sylvia Goss of Citizens Bank & Trust; Mike Freyburger of Wal-Mart; Charles Jones of Hoechst-Celanese; Paul Moore of the Girl Scouts; and Kim Hill of Citizens Bank & Trust.

Cuban officials: U.S. should close military base at Guantanamo Bay

MEXICO CITY (AP) - The Cuban government said Saturday the departure of Soviet military personnel would leave it vulnerable to a U.S. attack unless American forces also withdraw.

In an editorial in Granma, the Communist Party newspaper, the Cuban government called on the United Nations to help negotiate the closing of the U.S. base at Guantanamo Bay and an international treaty preventing the United States from invading Cuba.

The newspaper called the announced departure of Soviet forces an "unconditional concession" to the United States that "compromises our national security."

Without Soviet military in Cuba, the United States now has a green light to invade the island, Granma said. Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev announced Wednesday that the military training brigade of between 6,800 and 7,700 soldiers would be removed from Cuba in the next few months.

Soviet Foreign Minister Boris D. Pankin said the Soviet Union expects that the removal of their military

personnel from the island will be matched by a U.S. closing of Guantanamo. But he did not demand that the United States close the base, which it has leased since the turn of the century.

Cuba, 90 miles south of Florida, has been one of the most volatile flashpoints in U.S.-Soviet relations since the abortive U.S.-backed invasion by Cuban exiles at the Bay of Pigs in 1961 and the Cuban missile crisis in 1962.

Granma said the U.S. base, on the far eastern end of the island, constitutes an "illegal occupation of Cuban territory ... that is totally obsolete for its defense strategies."

The Cuban government, the editorial said, would accept the simultaneous return of Soviet and U.S. military personnel to the island pending discussions with the government.

The editorial, titled, "Cuba Will Never Give up nor be Sold to the United States," was filled with harsh words of defiance and criticism of the 30-year economic embargo against Cuba.

New PHS drama teacher has high hopes

By BEAR MILLS
Staff Writer

New Pampa High School teacher Sophie Goode has some mighty big aspirations.

The former Glen Rose drama instructor wants to take PHS's struggling theater arts department and make it as respected an entity as band, choir, basketball and football.

Immediate plans call for building up an under-equipped set of props and costumes, encouraging community support of the program and doing well in University Interscholastic League one-act play competition.

Those are impressive plans for a first season in a new district, but Goode said a strong middle school drama program has given PHS students a solid foundation on which to build.

"I moved here from Glen Rose because they had backward ideas about theater, so I came to Pampa," Goode said. "I'm believing there is a more progressive attitude here. (School officials) want me to make drama as good as band and choir."

When Goode arrived at Pampa High School she found no unit set



Sophie Goode

and things were "generally negative toward theater at this point because of past history."

To help turn the tide, Goode has organized a drama club called Way Off Broadway and Co. and is beginning fundraising efforts so students will "have something to work with."

"We literally have nothing to work with in our department right

now," Goode said. "We need furniture and props. Anybody with old furniture or wall hangings or old clothes they would like to donate, they can call the high school and tell us and we will come and pick them up."

Goode said the first productions of the season will be horror spoofs for the Halloween season so "any old junky furniture would be great because it would go in a set for a haunted house."

"Every student in my theater arts class has a speaking role," Goode said of the Halloween plays. "They are doing *Almost the Bride of Dracula*, *Frankenstein Slept Here* and *Little Miss Christie*, which is an Agatha Christie spoof."

Noting that the plays "don't have witches or anything occultic," Goode said they are "wholesome entertainment for the whole family" that will begin the PHS drama department's quest for excellence.

"We want to go to state in one-act play and be the state champions," Goode said unashamedly. "We want to be the best in the west and as much a champion as any other group here."

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Services tomorrow

SMITH, Phil — 11 a.m., St. Mary's Catholic Church, Groom.
POTTER, Meril Kermit — 2 p.m., Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel.
RUSHING, John Henry — 2:30 p.m., First Baptist Church, Shamrock.
FOGLEMAN, George W. — 4 p.m., Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel.

Obituaries

PHIL SMITH

TUCSON, Ariz. — Phil Smith, 74, a former Groom, Texas, resident, died Tuesday, Sept. 10, 1991. Services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Groom, Texas, with Monsignor Norbert Kuehler of St. John's Church in Borge, Texas, officiating. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Mr. Smith was born Nov. 13, 1916, in Groom, Texas. Survivors include two sons, Willard A. Smith of Brush Creek, Tenn., and Irl M. Smith of Pampa, Texas; two daughters, Susie Bain of Phoenix and Eileen High of Claypool, Ariz.; 11 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

GEORGE W. FOGLEMAN

LEFORS — George W. Fogleman, 93, died Friday, Sept. 13, 1991, in Pampa. Services will be 4 p.m. Monday at Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel with Rev. Jim Wingert, pastor of the United Methodist Church in Lefors, and Rev. Lewis Ellis, pastor of First Baptist Church in Lefors, officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery.

Mr. Fogleman was born Jan. 7, 1898, in Thayer, Kan., and moved to Lefors in 1930. He married Betty Griffin at Oklahoma City on Sept. 19, 1937. She died Dec. 9, 1989. He was a stationary engineer for Phillips Petroleum for 33 years, retiring in 1963. He was a member of Pampa Masonic Lodge #966 AF&AM, and a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Memorials are requested to the First United Methodist Church in Lefors or may be made to a favorite charity.

MERIL KERMIT POTTER

SKELLYTOWN — Meril Kermit Potter, 81, died Friday, Sept. 13, 1991, in Pampa. Services will be 2 p.m. Monday at Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel with Rev. J.C. Burt, pastor of First Baptist Church in Skellytown, officiating. Burial will be in Memory Gardens Cemetery.

Mr. Potter was born April 8, 1910. He had been a Skellytown resident for 30 years. He married Hazel Dora Mathis at Jacksboro on Nov. 19, 1929. She died Oct. 1, 1990. He worked for 42 years for Skelly Oil Co., retiring in 1975. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include a son, Jerry Potter of Pampa; two daughters, Frances Randall of Artesia, N.M., and Lois Hollar of Amarillo; a brother, Harry Potter of Tampa, Fla.; three sisters, Mae Watson and Louise Morris of Rising Star, and Daisy Courtney of Muskogee, Okla.; five grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

EDNA PAULINE "SIS" STRICKLAND

BOWIE — Edna Pauline "Sis" Strickland, 81, died Sept. 13, 1991. Services were to be at 2 p.m. today at Burgess-Fry Funeral Home with Rev. Roger Bishop, pastor of Faith Baptist Church in Bowie, officiating. Burial was to be in Shannon Cemetery in Shannon.

Mrs. Strickland had lived in Bowie 19 years, moving to Decatur last year. She was born Dec. 17, 1909, in Shannon. She and Perry Bowland Strickland were married Oct. 4, 1935, in Wichita Falls. She was a homemaker, and a member of the Women's Auxiliary of the VFW, Salvation Army board of directors, and the Moose Lodge. She was preceded in death by her husband in 1980, and a daughter in 1937.

Survivors include two daughters, Nancy Ennis and Sue Crunk, both of Decatur; a son, Pat Strickland of Chico; a brother, Lewis Fry of Fort Worth; 21 grandchildren; 51 great-grandchildren.

JOHN HENRY RUSHING

SHAMROCK — John Henry Rushing, 71, died Saturday, July 14, 1991, in Amarillo. Services will be 2:30 p.m. Monday at First Baptist Church with Rev. Mike Chancellor, pastor, and Rev. Norman Rushing, pastor of Central Baptist Church in Pampa, officiating. Burial will be in Shamrock Cemetery under the direction of Richerson Funeral Home.

He was born in Wewoka, Okla., on Feb. 19, 1920. He moved to the Dozier Community as a child and lived in Shamrock until 1950, when he moved to Oklahoma City. He returned to Shamrock in 1958 and operated the North End Texaco until he moved to Amarillo in 1968. He returned to Shamrock in 1980 and operated Rushing's Exxon until his retirement in 1990. He married Lora Parks in 1940 at Sayre, Okla. He served in the U.S. Marine Corps in World War II, seeing Pacific Theater duty. He was a member of the First Baptist Church and the VFW.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, Charles Rushing and David Rushing, both of Shamrock; two daughters, Sandra Brannan of Beaumont and Teresa Netherton of Austin; one brother, James Clyde Rushing of Oklahoma City; and six grandchildren.

Court report

GRAY COUNTY COURT

A motion to revoke the probation of Marion Henry Fuller was dismissed because the probationer is deceased.

Denise L. Newton was fined \$45 and received deferred adjudication of one month probation on a speeding charge, appealed from Pct. 4 Justice of the Peace.

Debra Kay Howard was fined \$300 and received two years probation on a driving while intoxicated conviction.

Larry Dean Kershner was fined \$300 and received two years probation on a driving while intoxicated conviction.

Robert Joe Brown was fined \$300 and received two years probation on a driving while intoxicated conviction.

DISTRICT COURT

Criminal

Matthew Maul, 17, Route 1, Box 89, Pampa, was sentenced to eight years in the Institutional Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, with the provision that he first be placed in the boot camp program. Maul was convicted of a June 22, 1990, burglary at Pampa High School.

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL

Admissions
 Sarah Dickerson, Groom
 Cindy Marie Lee, McLean
 Betty Stowe, Wheeler
 Nova Mae Tiller, Skellytown
 Sammi Villareal, Pampa
 Rena Belle Anderson (extended care), Pampa

Births
 To Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Lee of McLean, a boy.

To Betty Stowe of Wheeler, a boy.
Dismissals
 Rena Belle Anderson, Pampa
 Leonard Earl Cash, Pampa
 Luis Del Fierro, Pampa
 Ethel Higgins, Pampa
 Sharon Yvonne Ketter, Pampa
 Dixie Lively, Pampa
 Kim Carlene Shipley and baby girl, Pampa

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL
 Not available

Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following calls during the 32-hour period ending at 3 p.m. Saturday.

FRIDAY, Sept. 13

A juvenile reported an assault at the Coronado Center parking lot.
 Dorothy Leshar, 2115 Lea, reported lost property at an unknown location.

SATURDAY, Sept. 14

Tina Leshar, 228 N. Nelson, reported an assault at 309 N. Hobart.

Arrests

SATURDAY, Sept. 14

Wade M. Pendergast, age unknown, 1031 N. Sumner #215, was arrested at Francis and Powell on a charge of driving while intoxicated. He was released on bond.

Miles Colbert, 42, 427 Oklahoma, was arrested in the 600 block of South Gray on a grand jury indictment for delivery of a controlled substance. He was transferred to county jail.

Gray County Sheriff's Department

FRIDAY, Sept. 13

Ramond Valdez, 60, 800 E. Denver, was arrested on a grand jury indictment for indecency with a child and sexual assault. He was released on a \$20,000 bond, as set by District Judge Lee Waters.

DPS

FRIDAY, Sept. 13

Travis Marcum, 30, Borger, was arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated and driving while license suspended.

Minor accidents

Accident reports were not available from the Pampa Police Department due to administrative offices being closed for the weekend.

Ambulance

American Medical Transport Paramedic Service had a total of 42 calls for the period of Sept. 6 through Sept. 12. Of those calls, 36 were emergency responses and six were of a non-emergency nature.

Fires

The Pampa Fire Department reported no calls during the 32-hour period ending at 3 p.m. Saturday.

Calendar of events

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS

Overeaters Anonymous meets Mondays at 7 p.m. at Briarwood Church, 1800 W. Harvester Ave.

T.O.P.S. #149

Take Off Pounds Sensibly (T.O.P.S.) meets Monday evening at 6:30 p.m. at 513 E. Francis. Call 669-2389 or 665-1994 for more information.

MHIA TAKING APPLICATIONS

The Maternal Infant Health Improvement Act project sponsored by the Texas Department of Health and the Texas Tech Health Science Center of Amarillo will be in Pampa, 9-4 p.m., Monday, Sept. 23 taking applications from pregnant women for financial assistance for prenatal care at the Hughes Building, Suite 100. For more information, call 1-800-237-0167.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC

The Texas Dept. of Health Immunization Clinic will be offering vaccines that give protection against polio, diphtheria, tetanus (lock jaw), pertussis (whooping cough), measles, rubella and mumps. The clinic located in the Canadian City Hall, 1st floor, 6 Main St., Canadian, and will be open Monday, Sept. 16, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. The fee is based on family income and size, and the ability to pay.

GOLF SCRAMBLE

Hospice of Pampa is sponsoring a 4-person golf scramble Saturday, Sept. 21, 9 a.m., Hidden Hills Golf Course. Register by Sept. 19 at Hidden Hills.

PAMPA RETIRED TEACHERS

Pampa Retired Teachers will meet Monday, Sept. 16, 2 p.m. at Pampa Senior Citizens Center. The program will be a legislative update by Warren Chisum and Teel Bivins.

Marriage licenses

John Burton Mitchell and Lisa Gaye Malone
 Kevin Paul Moxon and Jill Alison Brown
 Charles Herbert Jenkins and Grace Marie Sells
 Carroll Glenn Knight and Patricia Marie Carter
 Francis Lynn Stafford and Sue Ellen Batchelor
 Clifford Neal Cahall and Rebecca Ann Myers
 Cody Dan Gouard and Trista Ann Green

Divorces granted

Vickie Ann Gunter and Zoy Gunter Jr.
 Jari Lynn and Michael Lynn
 Marlene Smith and Scott Smith
 Martha Gonzales and Richard Gonzales
 Carolyn Valerie Lovelady and David Dean Lovelady
 Tena Lanice Hopkins and Monte Hopkins
 Kyle Wayne Oneal and Kelley Victoria Lea Oneal
 Carl Marion Baumgardner and Fay Eileen Baumgardner

Two men named in sealed indictments arrested

Two Pampa men were arrested Friday by local law enforcement officers who were named in sealed indictments returned last week by a Gray County grand jury.

Raymond Valdez, 60, of 800 E. Denver, was arrested by sheriff's deputies Friday night on charges of sexual assault and indecency with a child.

"The indictments stem from assaults during a four-year period," said District Attorney Harold Comer.

He said two juvenile girls were alleged to be victimized in the assaults.

Valdez reportedly was released after posting a \$20,000 bond, as set by District Judge Lee Waters.

In an unrelated case, 42-year-old Miles Colbert was arrested Friday by Pampa police on a grand jury indictment charging him with delivery of a controlled substance.

Police listed Colbert's address as 400 Maple, while the sheriff's office listed it as 427 Oklahoma. Bond on him was also set at \$20,000.

Colbert was also charged with theft under \$200. Colbert had not been arraigned and remained in Gray County Jail through press time.

No other details on the two cases were available through press time late Saturday.

McLean ISD board members to meet Monday afternoon

MCLEAN — McLean Independent School District Board of Trustees are scheduled to meet at 5:30 p.m. Monday in the business office and consider setting the ad valorem tax rate.

A tax rate of \$1.23 per \$100 valuation, up 3 1/2 cents per \$100 valuation from last year, is proposed. The \$1.23 per \$100 valuation includes the 75.5 cents per \$100 valuation set by County Education District 14.

The school board is also scheduled to discuss the sales of old buses, discuss storing a new activity bus, when it arrives and consider a bid for asbestos removal.

In other business, the board is scheduled to:

- discuss a change in the Attendance Committee members.
- consider a request from the yearbook account.
- discuss consolidation with Alanreed and Lefors schools.

Investigator says tail of aircraft missing 43 screws

EAGLE LAKE (AP) — A commuter airplane that plunged into a cornfield, killing all 14 people aboard, was missing dozens of screws in its tail section after undergoing maintenance the day before the crash, an investigator said Friday.

"Obviously the plane should not have left the hangar without the screws," Jim Kolstad, chairman of the National Transportation Safety Board, said at an evening news conference.

The Continental Express airplane went into a hangar in Houston for routine maintenance on Tuesday, the day before the crash, and left without 43 screws in the leading edge of its horizontal stabilizer, Kolstad said.

The horizontal stabilizer is a piece that perpendicularly crosses the tail. The leading edge is a slanted area that allows air to flow over the stabilizer. A 9-foot-long piece of the stabilizer's leading edge probably came off the Brazilian-made Embraer-120 (pronounced EM-bry-air) in midflight, Kolstad said.

The loss would have caused the wing to nose down sharply toward the ground and lose control, he said.

Art Kent, spokesman for Continental Airlines, said the investigation was still too premature to determine the exact cause of the crash.

"I would remind you it's far too early to come to any conclusion," he said. "We want to know what's up more than anyone."

At another news conference Friday, Kolstad said a cockpit voice recorder picked up loud noises and a "whooshing" sound before the airplane crashed.

"The tape shows normal takeoff, climb and cruise," Kolstad said. "There was very little crew conversation."

"All of a sudden there was a loud

noise, followed a few seconds later by an even louder noise that was followed by a series of warning horns and messages. Then there was a very loud whooshing sound and then the end of the tape," he said.

The information came from the so-called black boxes recovered from the wreckage.

The twin-engine commuter plane was heading to Houston's Intercontinental Airport from Laredo on Wednesday morning when, according to eyewitnesses, it dropped speed, caught fire, and crashed into a cornfield near Eagle Lake, 75 miles west of Houston.

There were no survivors.

Advertising rates to increase Oct. 1

Due to rising costs in the production of the newspaper, *The Pampa News* will be implementing an increase in advertising rates effective Oct. 1.

Advertising Director Rick Clark said this is the first rate increase in three years, the last being on Oct. 1, 1988.

"During the last few years, the economy in this area has been on the downside," he said. "One way we have tried to combat this prob-

lem was to refrain from rate increases."

But the cost of producing a newspaper "has soared greatly over the last few years," Clark said, making it imperative that advertising rates be increased to meet those production costs.

The increased rates apply to all advertising in the newspaper, including display ads, all classified ads and the City Briefs notices.

City briefs

BRICK REPAIR: Harley Knutson 665-4237. Adv.

ALLSTATE INSURANCE, Clois Robinson, 1064 N. Hobart, 665-4410. Adv.

COMPUTER SOFTWARE, cheap! \$6.00 per diskette. A&B Software Specialties. Open evenings, Tuesday-Friday and Saturday, 329 N. Hobart, Pampa, Tx., 665-3121. Adv.

FRESH TOMATOES and other vegetables. Cantaloupes and watermelons. Epperson's, Hwy 60 east 2 miles also 1900 N. Hobart. Adv.

PRICE REDUCED 3 bedroom brick. Cole Addition 665-5488. Adv.

HOMECOMING MUMS! Yes we are doing mums again this year. For all the sparkle, glitter and glitz, call 665-7154 or 669-9271. Adv.

VERA CRUZ? Avocado, tomato, mushroom, and cheddar cheese omelette served with salsa \$3.50. Only at Fajita's! Homemade biscuits and gravy! Fresh cinnamon rolls! Open Sunday. Senior Citizen discount, 10%. 669-2808. Adv.

ATTENTION: HAIR Dresser with following, Shear Elegance, reasonable rent. First week free. 669-9579. Adv.

COME HOME to a sparkling clean house. Call 665-4910. Adv.

BOB JEWELL is still doing furniture upholstery. 669-9221. Adv.

NINNY'S BUCKET - Pampa Mall, large selection of maternity clothes. Adv.

USED 19 inch Zenith color TV's \$100, used brown carpet 12x18 feet \$40. Best Western North gate Inn. Adv.

SUNDAY BUFFET Served every Sunday at the Coronado Inn. Choices of 3 meats, 4 vegetables, rolls, 3 different desserts, coffee and tea. Adults \$5.95, Senior Citizens \$4.95. Children under 12 free. Dine cards welcome. Adv.

NOW IS a good time to apply Fertilome Winterizer on bermuda lawns. Pampa Lawnmower & Garden Center, 501 Cuyler. Adv.

MUMS THE Word! Reasonable homecoming mums by Jeannie Wells, 669-0953. Adv.

CANYON, SEPTEMBER 21st, \$5 advance, \$7.50 door, tickets at Music Shoppe and City Limits. Limited seating. Adv.

TICKET DISMISSAL, Insurance Discount, 669-3871. Bowman Defensive Driving, (USA). Adv.

GYMNASTICS OF Pampa Loop 171 North. New Classes starting - 3 years old and up. 669-2941, 665-0122. Adv.

MARY KAY Cosmetics, Deb Stapleton consultant, 665-2095. Adv.

PETE'S GARDEN Center, 516 S. Russell. Just arrived Fall bulbs, mums 4 inch and 6 inch pots, Fertilome Winterizer for lawn and trees. Adv.

JO ANN'S Pet Salon, 715 W. Foster, 669-1410. Adv.

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

MIKASA CRYSTAL: One table \$17. Copper Kitchen, Coronado Center. Adv.

HARVESTER BASKETBALL Golf Tournament \$35 meal and cart, October 12. Call to enter 669-5866. Adv.

HOMECOMING MUMS, Garters, and earrings for sale. Displayed at Special Effex, 1318 N. Hobart or call 883-6871, 883-2170. Adv.

LADIES, DEB is open at 1607 W. Wilks, offering Original Nail Design. 10-7, Tuesday thru Saturday. First 25 ladies will receive a free gift. Ask about our perfumed top coat. 669-3919. Adv.

RENTAL PROPERTY for sale. Nice 2 bedroom house with large living room and lots of extras. Currently rented at \$225. \$11,000 firm. 669-1244 before 5:30. Adv.

CABLE BOX \$49.95 installed free all cables included get upper cable channels on regular TV. Call Art Owen 665-6779 after 12 noon.

HAIR BENDERS Thanks you for four wonderful years. To better serve you we have expanded by adding a beauty supply. Call 665-7117 or come by 316 S. Cuyler. Adv.

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DEFENSIVE DRIVING Course, Saturday, September 21, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., lunch 12-1. \$25. Clarendon College. Adv.

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MEETING SCHEDULED for Wednesday, September 18th, 7:00 p.m. at the Chamber Commerce for people concerned about equality for students and programs in Pampa Athletic department has been cancelled until further notice. Adv.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Today, mostly sunny with a high of 85 and northerly winds 10-15 mph. Tonight, partly cloudy with a low of 62. Monday, partly cloudy with a high near 90.

REGIONAL FORECAST

West Texas — Fair Far West through Monday. Scattered showers and thunderstorms tonight and Monday from the Panhandle south to the Edwards Plateau and across through the Big Bend. Otherwise partly to mostly cloudy through Monday. A little cooler Panhandle and south plains Monday. Highs today mostly 80s except lower 90s Big Bend valleys. Lows tonight upper 50s Panhandle, Far West and mountains to 60s elsewhere. Highs Monday mid 70s Panhandle and mountains to mostly 80s elsewhere.

North Texas — Mostly cloudy through Monday with scattered thunderstorms. Highs today 89 to 92. Lows tonight 68 to 74. Highs Monday 84 to 91.

South Texas — Mostly cloudy west and central today. Partly cloudy east and south with widely scattered showers and thunderstorms. Partly to mostly cloudy tonight and Monday with scattered showers and thunderstorms. Highs both days from upper 80s west to the 90s east and south. Lows in the 70s, except 60s in the Hill Country.

BORDER STATES

New Mexico — Today, partly cloudy southeast with a slight chance of afternoon thunderstorms otherwise mostly sunny. A little cooler northeast; a little warmer southwest. Highs upper 60s to near 80 mountains and northeast with

80s to low 90s lower elevations elsewhere. Tonight, partly cloudy east a slight chance of evening thunderstorms mainly southeast, mostly fair skies west. Lows 30s and 40s mountains and northwest with 50s to low 60s lower elevations elsewhere. Monday, partly cloudy east and mostly sunny west. A slight chance of mainly afternoon thunderstorms southeast. Cooler east highs upper 60s and 70s mountains and east with mostly 80s lower elevations elsewhere.

Oklahoma — Scattered to numerous showers and thunderstorm mainly in the Panhandle and southeast Monday. Locally heavy rainfall possible. Turning cooler in the northwest by Monday. Highs today in the 80s. Lows tonight 50s Panhandle to mid 70s southeast. Highs Monday 70s northwest to around 90 southeast.

Wanted: Caring individual (or group) to adopt-a-park

Hobart Street Park is up for adoption.

Pampa Parks and Recreation Department Director Reed Kirkpatrick said the city is seeking some individual or group willing to take the park under management through the Adopt-A-Park program.

Kirkpatrick said all the city's other parks lands are currently adopted and he would like to see some individual or group take up Hobart Street Park. The previous adoptee has decided not to continue in the program, he said.

Anyone interested in adopting the park can contact Kirkpatrick at the Parks Department office, 816 S. Hobart, or call 669-5770.

Kirkpatrick said Pampa's Adopt-A-Park program has been very successful in the past few years, and

has even gained national recognition. He said he's had phone calls from such places as St. Petersburg, Fla., and Middlesex, N.J., from officials inquiring about Pampa's program.

Under the program, an individual, a family, a club, a business, a church or any other organization agrees to help with maintenance needs at a park. This ranges from such simple tasks as picking up litter to helping with landscaping or even providing assistance with projects such as playground equipment.

The amount of work and care that the adoptee is willing to give is settled in talks with the city, Kirkpatrick said.

"We match up the city's needs with the adopting person's or group's capabilities," he said.

A "contract" is then drawn up to outline the adoptee's responsibilities, he said. Basically, it's just an agreement indicating the duties and maintenance levels the adoptee is willing to provide. Generally, the agreement is for a year at a time.

The city then puts up a sign at the park indicating who has adopted the park, Kirkpatrick said.

The program in Pampa resulted from the combined effort of the Parks Department and Clean Pampa Inc. and is similar to the Adopt-A-Highway program implemented by the Texas Highway and Transportation Department and Keep Texas Beautiful Inc.

Anyone wanting more information on the program can contact Kirkpatrick.

It's third and long in the patience game

Welcome, fans, to our big pre-game show. We're in for a special treat tonight as the Pampa Harvesters take on the Amarillo Sandies on the field and Bear Mills takes on his 18-month-old daughter in the cheap seats to our left.

Tonight's coverage is sponsored by the American Babysitters Coalition, who says, "Enjoying a ball game is a simple as ABC. Just leave the kid with us."

On the field, Coach Dennis Cavalier's Green Team is doing wind sprints to loosen up for the big action against AHS. In the stands, Mills is doing wind sprints chasing his daughter up the stairs.

Let's go now to a tape-recorded interview and get up close and personal.

"Well, I've always liked football and since my daughter has some of my genes, I figured she'd be a natural sports nut. Since she's a Sarah and not a Stan, she'll probably never be starting quarterback, but I got her a t-shirt that says FUTURE GREEN. Maybe she'll make cheerleader or starter for the volleyball team one day."

Mr. Mills, how do you feel about tonight being the first time your daughter is seeing a football game, the entertainment you so cherish?

"I have no doubt she will love it. I've bought her an entire green and gold outfit, as I mentioned, plus a glittery green and gold pom-pom thing from the Hobby Shop with little bells on it. She can ring it when the GT scores a touchdown. It'll be great."

Mrs. Mills, you've been smirking this whole time. What's so funny?

"Darling little Sarah also has my genes in her. And, to be completely honest, if given the choice of watching a football game or getting a tooth pulled, I'd ask for more pain killer and get as comfortable as possible."

Well, Steve, it's just about time for the action to begin, over to you with the play-by-play.

Thanks, Sam. Right off the bat, the action is getting intense as Baby Sarah breaks for the exit and falls down three rows of stairs. Mills reaches out to make the nab, but just misses the catch.

Boy, Sam, he's really getting a tongue-lashing from

Off Beat By Bear Mills



Mrs. Mills for blowing that play.

That's right Steve, but the little green and gold flash seems no worse for the wear, she's back up and ... look at that! She's intercepted the popcorn box of the people in front of her. What a move for a kid not even two years old yet! Outstanding.

Back to action now, Mills has a Coke can and is trying to complete a drink without getting stripped of the soda. No good, though. Baby Sarah comes in with a clean swipe and spills the thing everywhere.

No flags on the play. The score after one quarter, Irritation 7, Patience 0.

We'll be back after this word from ABC, American Babysitters Coalition.

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Back to the action and ... Sam, what's this? I've never seen anything like this before. Mills is heading for the exits waving a white diaper, the international sign of surrender. Baby Sarah's first game and she claims a decisive victory!

Well, with the final score Irritation 24, Patience 0, that will do it for the action in the bleachers. But stick around folks, we've still got 10 minutes before the game on the field starts.

McLean City Council ups tax rate by 1 cent

By BETH MILLER
Staff Writer

McLEAN — McLean City Council set an ad valorem tax rate of 34.516 cents per \$100 valuation during a regular meeting last week.

The tax rate is up about 1 cent per \$100 valuation from last year's rate of 33.511 cents per \$100 valuation, Mayor Sam Haynes said.

In other business Thursday, Haynes said the council gave the OK for the fire department to order some needed equipment to get ready for 9-1-1 to go on line, expected sometime in 1992. Haynes said the equipment is estimated to cost \$1,500.

In related 9-1-1 business, the council discussed asking residents to update their house numbers and make them plainer in planning for the implementation of 9-1-1. He said the city will check into ordering some numbers and have them available for sale, at cost, to resi-

dents.

The council also appointed City Secretary Stella Lee as the records management officer, a new requirement by the state.

The group read a contract the city of Pampa has with one of the cities which uses the Pampa landfill. McLean plans to close its landfill because of stringent and costly federal regulations that were issued by the Environmental Protection Agency last week.

Haynes said a date has not been set on the landfill closure, but it is a definite event in the future. Haynes

said the city of Pampa landfill will be one place that the city of McLean may negotiate with to take its garbage.

The City Council also reviewed the 1991-92 budget and approved a tentative budget. Haynes said the budget is about the same as last year.

A brief executive session, to discuss personnel, was held. Haynes said, with no action taken following that closed session.

All members of the council were present with the exception of Brad Dalton.

Investment in the future



(Staff photo by Stan Pollard)

Representatives of the Pampa Independent School District and Hoechst Celanese stand near a fume hood, right, donated by the company to the chemistry lab at the high school. The company has so far donated more than \$25,000 to the science program in Pampa, with additional donations of three portable buildings for the middle school. One of those will be used as a science room, said Beth Shannon, PHS chemistry teacher, second from right. She said the hood removes noxious odors from the room. Pictured at the donation ceremony are, left to right, Lance Hadley, senior science student; Margaret Williams, middle school science coordinator; Jerry Moore, Celanese plant manager; Shannon; and Jack McCavit, final products manager at Celanese.

Commissioners Court to set tax rate

By BETH MILLER
Staff Writer

Gray County Commissioners Court is scheduled to vote on a tax rate for the 1992 budget during a regular meeting Monday.

The rate proposed by the Commissioners Court is 30.294 cents per \$100 valuation. The Commissioners Court is scheduled to vote on the tax rate at 11 a.m. In related business, the commissioners will consider adoption of the 1992 budget.

The meeting begins at 9 a.m. Items on the agenda include consideration of information presented at the Sept. 3 meeting regarding the Pantex expansion. During that meeting, members of Panhandle Area Neighbors and Landowners

(PANAL) urged the county to rescind a prior resolution in favor of the Pantex plant expansion.

A request from the Sweetwater Creek Firefighters Association to use the four-county radio tower is also on the agenda, as is a request from the city of Lefors for the county to release delinquent tax properties.

Changes in the fee schedule for various court notices will be considered and bids will be received for the new motor grader for Precinct 4.

Other items on the agenda include:

- discuss county work to be provided for the jail contractor.
- discuss options for retirement, including buy-back in the County and District Retirement System.

- consider sale of delinquent tax property.
- consider purchase of bullet-proof vests for the sheriff's office.
- consider a request to cross the county road with a pipeline.
- receive the treasurer's report.
- consider transfers as recommended by the county auditor.
- pay salaries and bills.

The Commissioners Court meets in the second floor courtroom of the Gray County Courthouse. The meetings are open to the public.

Museum to display John Wayne's horse, 'Dollor'

WINTERSSET, Iowa (AP) — The museum at the central Iowa birthplace home of John Wayne is making plans to stuff and display the actor's horse, Dollor.

"The owners have had him for some time and he's getting old. They called us to see if we would be interested in the horse after its death," said Priscilla Steenhoeck, the manager-curator of the John Wayne

Birthplace. After all, "they have done Roy Rogers' and Gene Autry's horses," she said.

The museum said it will accept the offer, if the Texas owners pay to have the horse stuffed and shipped to Winterset, a community about 25 miles southwest of Des Moines.

The 28-year-old horse is owned by H.P. and Barbara Keffeler of Midlothian, Texas.

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

Louise Fletcher
Publisher

Larry D. Hollis
Managing Editor

Our Opinion

Press protects public interests

Freedom of the press could be one of the most grossly misunderstood, yet one of the most essential, privileges guaranteed us in the U.S. Constitution.

Within a period of several days, this particular newspaper has been accused of interfering in an investigation, of protecting some governmental agencies while maligning others, of "getting on the butt" of an elected official and of "trying" certain matters in the press.

All of the allegations, we believe, are the result of either ignorance of or just plain the ignoring what our purpose is as a news gathering organization.

Supreme Court Justice Potter Stewart aptly described the duties of the press in this way:

"The primary purpose of the constitutional guarantee of a free press was to create a fourth institution outside the Government as an additional check on the three official branches."

A columnist often seen on the editorial page of *The Pampa News*, James Kilpatrick also said: "What we (journalists) want is the freedom, under the Constitution, to do the job that the Constitution implies that we must do. We should not ask for any more, but we ought never to settle for less."

The First Amendment says, "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances."

It specifically says that the freedom of the press is not to be "abridged." Webster's *New World Dictionary* defines this term as "to shorten, lessen, or curtail." Should we curtail our activities in order to take the pressure of our presence from obviously nervous public figures, then we would betray our constitutional directive.

In doing our job, we, as journalists, will step on many toes. Our efforts to protect the public's right to know will be seen as invasive by governmental bodies and elected officials who would rather conduct business in private, away from public scrutiny. Then if there is a mistake, it can be quietly handled ... or pushed aside ... or ignored, with the public none the wiser.

Observe our use of the word "public." What journalists do is not for their own purposes, but for the public's purposes. Most citizens are not aware of their own rights to know the goings on of the governmental agencies they pay for with their tax dollars. They may not realize that any right that the press has to view certain documents, to ask certain questions, to attend certain meetings are the same rights that any person on the street has.

We protect that right for them. We exercise that right for them, so that when they sit down after a day's work and spread the newspaper out before them on the table, the legwork has been done.

We make no apologies for doing our job. We do not set out to be liked by everyone nor do we aspire to the dream that we can make everyone happy. Our goal as journalists is to bring as much of the truth to the public as is humanly possible. Reaching that goal takes diligent effort that many persons, particularly public officials with something to hide, may not like.

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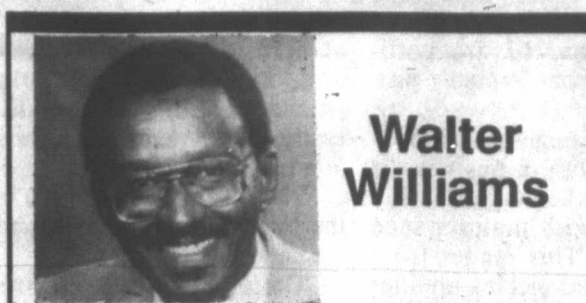
Repeat: Thou shalt not steal

America claims to be a Christian nation. But I think we're a bunch of hypocrites poorly served by derelict ministers. Chapter 5, the Book of Deuteronomy, lists the Ten Commandments. One of those commandments is: "Neither shalt thou steal." Stealing is normally interpreted as taking by force, intimidation or threat that which rightfully belongs to one for the benefit of another.

According to my estimates, roughly two-thirds of the federal budget represents money taken from one American and given to another. Among government programs qualifying for this characterization are: Social Security, crop and dairy subsidies, Medicaid, money to poor people, cities and business bailouts.

"Williams," you say, "I never looked at it this way; are you sure?" Let's be detectives and trace a government-spent dollar back to its previous owner. Then ask that owner, "Did you part with this dollar voluntarily, or were there threats of imprisonment, fines or property confiscation?"

Now you might say, "These government programs are a result of a vote!" I refer you back to Deuteronomy. Nowhere in the Ten Commandments does it say, "Neither shalt thou steal, unless thou has taken a vote." In other words, stealing is stealing whether done privately or collectively. In one way, private stealing is preferable to government



Walter Williams

stealing. When a politician robs you, you have to be bored by listening to the reasons why, but a common thief spares you the grief by just taking your money and going about his business.

"Williams," you say, "I don't have anything to do with theft; I just receive the government program." Herein lies a loophole in the Ten Commandments. There is no prohibition against the receipt of stolen goods. But there's probably a good chance that when God ordered that people should not steal, he also meant that people should neither be recipients of stolen goods.

Being against theft is not the same as being against charity and a willingness to help our fellow man. And we shouldn't confuse the two. Charity is the noblest of human motivations while theft is one of the most despicable. Your minister might object

to this line of reasoning by saying, "There isn't enough charity to serve all human needs." But ask him whether that's a justification for taking by force.

One of the reasons we've become a nation of thieves is that we have forgotten the commandment saying, "Neither shalt thou covet thy neighbor's house, his field, or his manservant or his maid-servant, his ox or his ass, or anything that is thy neighbor's." Politicians have helped us ignore this commandment through the politics of envy and jealousy.

We fall for demagoguery about the rich and corporations and call for taking their money and redistributing it. But this is just a sucker tactic. Politicians are fully aware of the fact that even if they took all of the income of the rich and all corporate profits, they could run the government for only 30 days or so. The middle class picks up the other 335 days.

America is in bad need of a moral reawakening. It won't come from the established churches, for more times than not they are at the forefront of our march to immorality. It won't come from the schools either, and you can forget about Republicans or Democrats. In fact, the only organized political party with a Christian vision of morality is the Libertarian Party.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Sunday, Sept. 15, the 258th day of 1991. There are 107 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Sept. 15, 1917, Russia was proclaimed a republic by Alexander Kerensky, the head of the provisional government that came to power following the abdication of Czar Nicholas II.

On this date:

In 1776, British forces occupied New York City during the American Revolution.

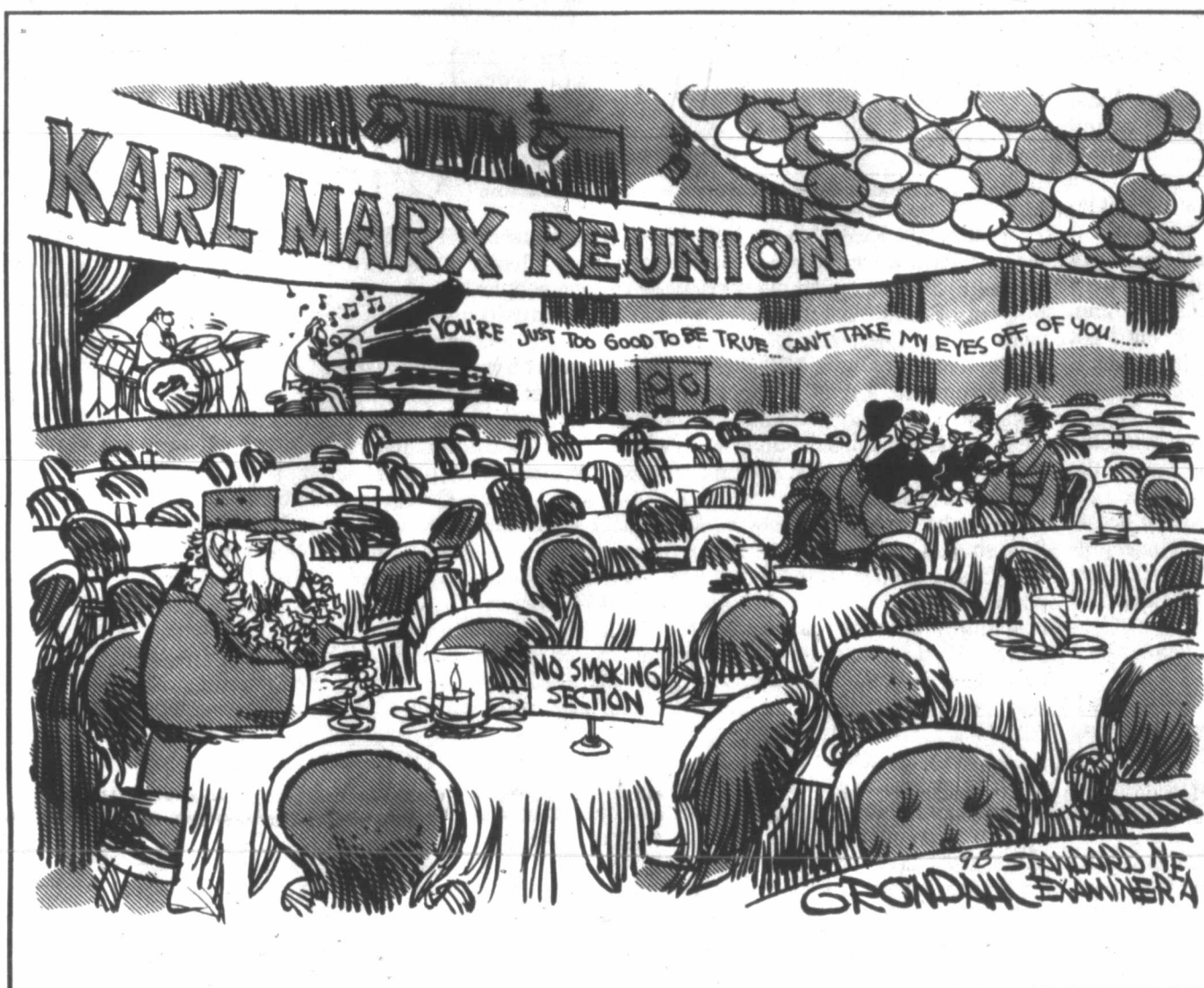
In 1789, the U.S. Department of Foreign Affairs was renamed the Department of State.

In 1821, independence was proclaimed for Costa Rica, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua and El Salvador.

In 1857, William Howard Taft—who served as president of the United States as well as chief justice—was born in Cincinnati, Ohio.

In 1887, the city of Philadelphia launched a three-day celebration of the 100th anniversary of the U.S. Constitution.

In 1935, the Nuremberg Laws deprived German Jews of their citizenship and made the swastika the official symbol of Nazi Germany.



Put Hap Townes in Soviet Union

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — I happily gorged myself at a little joint here called Hap Townes. Pictures of country music's stars, quite naturally, hang on the wall.

Hap Townes began as a pie wagon in 1921. Now it's a little stone building a few miles from Music Row.

Precious little ladies, who are somebody's sweet grandmothers, are the waitresses in Hap Townes. They'll bring you extra iced tea if you need it as well as another piece of pan-fried cornbread.

I needed another piece of the cornbread to finish up what was left of my turnip greens, pinto beans and mashed potatoes with a magnificent gravy upon them.

I also had fried chicken and one of the precious little grandmas asked me, "How about some homemade peach cobbler with ice cream?"

How could I resist. As my boyhood friend and idol, Weyman C. Wannamaker Jr., a great American, once said in behalf of a particularly pleasing cold beer, "If the good Lord made anything better than this, he kept it for himself."

So I'm enjoying this feast sitting next to a friend, Dick Feller, writer of country songs.

He said, "You know if Gorbachev could have figured out a way to put a few thousand Hap Townes around the Soviet Union, he'd never have been held captive by those inept coup-plotters."



Lewis Grizzard

That's what the coup was all about in the Soviet Union, you know. Gorbachev couldn't feed his people.

We love him in the West. He is the first Soviet leader we aren't afraid of.

He ended the Cold War. He signed pacts to end the threat of nuclear holocaust.

But until you've been to the Soviet Union you just can't know how bleak the lifestyles are. I was there for three weeks in 1985.

The Russians are so distant to us in the things that really count to a citizenry.

I made jokes about the fact there was no toilet paper. It's not that funny a joke if you have to live with it.

The food we had was awful. Yet we were told, "You are getting the very best they have."

They served us some gray meat once. What kind of meat is gray?

In the very best hotel in Moscow I had a small,

hard bed. There was no shower curtain for the tub. I had one towel. It had to last me the ten days I was in the hotel.

I went to GUM, the biggest department store in Moscow. I remember the shoes there were in a head-high pile in the middle of the floor.

If you wanted to buy a pair of shoes, you went through the stack and tried to find two that matched. The shoes all looked like something your grandfather might have worn back in the 1930s. Mostly women were going through the stack of shoes.

I had the feeling they weren't shopping for their husbands.

I tried to buy souvenirs to bring back from the Soviet Union. I basically had three choices: vodka, furry hats and dolls.

Soviet citizens are hungry. Their choices of foods are those familiar names: slim and none.

Compare to us, they live in an economic hell.

And that's what happened to Gorbachev. He changed a lot that we in the West loved. But he couldn't figure out a way to meet his own people's basic needs.

So, welcome back, Gorbachev, and if you can hang on and are ever back in the United States, I'd like to take you to Hap Townes in Nashville.

You likely would appreciate it even more than the fat and free Americans sitting at the other tables.

Environmental fascism runs amok

America's wetlands — swamps, bogs and marshes — do more than serve as backdrops for low-budget horror movies. They help prevent flooding and safeguard the quality of the nation's water supply.

Ah, but here's the rub: Not all the wetlands are wet, nor ecologically valuable. Some are glorified mud puddles.

Indeed, the federal definition of a wetland has been painfully imprecise. One qualification is the presence of one of 7,000 "indicator species" of plants. But many of these plants grow equally well on dry land. So even if plots of land are dry for most of the year, they can become targets of government regulators.

And they are. An elderly woman in Wyoming recently was prevented from planting a bed of roses on her land for fear it will lead to water pollution; a Colorado man was indicted for redirecting a river that had been diverted onto his land; a Pennsylvania man was jailed for cleaning up tires in his backyard and using fill dirt as the base for a garage.

This is environmentalism run amok. By one estimate, 104 million acres, or 5 percent of all land in the lower 48 states, now is classified as wetlands. This amounts to nothing less than a federal assault on private property owners.

President Bush just announced a new wetlands



Edwin Feulner

policy that redefines wetlands to ease some of the restrictions on landowners. This is a step in the right direction, but it's too early to tell the practical impact of the new regulations.

Congress never has passed a wetlands-protection law. But federal bureaucrats, led by the Environmental Protection Agency and the Army Corps of Engineers, effectively have turned the 1972 Clean Water Act into a Wetland Protection Act. Any activity that disturbs a wetland, even if no pollutant is involved, can be outlawed.

The Soil Conservation Service calculates that as many as 70 million acres of farmland — yes, farmland! — are subject to federal control. Just ask Irma and Joseph Phillips, who in 1988 invested their life savings in a 44-acre Maryland farm. They had

planned to build their retirement home with money from the partial sale of the land. But the Corps of Engineers said they had bought a wetland and refused to let them build. They have since been forced to move in with their daughter's family.

The federal "swamp thing" is alive, and on the prowl.

The gradual unleashing of this regulatory monster threatens all Americans, not just those who own land. Wetlands regulations raise housing prices by reducing available land; permits required for developers delay state and federal housing projects, raising the cost to taxpayers; and the reduction of farmable land inflates the cost of food.

Federal wetland zealots have used the Clean Water Act to deny landowners permits for the use of their own property, all in the name of conservation. Let's call it what it is: environmental fascism. Regulations of this sort do not improve the quality of life, they simply control it. Legislation that would further ease the controls, now being debated in Congress, is desperately needed.

If wetlands deserve special protection, the government either should buy the land or pay the owners to conserve it.

No property owners should be held hostage by the government's regulation terrorists.

Letters to the editor

He can be silent no more

To the editor:

Like Joe Wright, senior pastor of the Central Christian Church in Wichita, Kan., I must publicly repent for my lack of involvement in the abortion issue. Oh, I have marched in a few peaceful demonstrations—carried a sign or two in front of the main abortuary in El Paso; and even serve on the board of the Right to Life in Carlsbad. But for the most part my voice has been mute.

As an eyewitness to the long overdue mobilization of over 35,000 concerned people who recently met together in the Wichita State University football stadium, I can no longer be silent.

Just two weeks after Hope for the Heartland was organized, the largest gathering of pro-life supporters since Roe vs Wade descended on Wichita. As I listened to the impassioned pleas of church leaders from across the country, it became obvious to me that the battle lines have been drawn. The armor is in place, and the bugle has sounded the clarion call to enter the fray.

I am not naive. "The struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the powers, against the world forces of this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of wickedness in the heavenly places." (Eph. 6:12 NAS). So I was not surprised to watch the evening news spend a full 10 minutes covering the activities of approximately 4,000 to 5,000 pro-choice advocates, who repeatedly referred to pro-lifers as "terrorists." Nor was I shocked when they spent less than two minutes covering one of the most significant events of this generation. I wasn't even dumbfounded when they spent most of that time slanting the truth by saying "one of the local directors of a local abortuary mill had been attacked by a pro-lifer"—and that the "police had been surrounded by a group of demonstrators and had to fight their way out by spraying mace into their eyes."

As an eyewitness, I saw the director of the abortuary physically assault the pro-lifer, apparently because he was taking her picture. He did nothing to defend himself except fall to the ground, and was subsequently arrested for battery. I saw the group of demonstrators huddled together in prayer as they were surrounded by the police. I watched as the police proceeded to spray mace into their eyes, and then knock two of them to the ground and pound them over and over again with their fists—the same public defenders who are paid to defend citizens that choose to exercise their first amendment rights. I heard the scathing vulgarity of profanity that spewed forth from the lips of many of the pro-choice demonstrators, in stark

contrast to the tears and prayers of pro-lifers determined to lay their lives on the line in behalf of unborn babies.

The pro-abortionists had hired an airplane to fly over the stadium with a banner that said, "GO HOME, WICHITA IS PRO-CHOICE!" I found myself chanting with the crowd, "WE ARE HOME! WE ARE HOME!" If the borders of America are not home to its native born citizens, then where can we go? If the wombs of America's women are not safe for our unborn children, then where can they go?

Yes, the battle lines have been drawn. And because of scriptures like Ecclesiastes 11:5—"God's ways are as mysterious as the pathway of the wind, and as the manner in which a human spirit is infused into the little body of a baby while it is yet in its mother's womb." (LB)—I will no longer be silent.

Ron R. Griffith
Carlsbad, N.M.

Not all police officers support gun control

To the editor:

We are writing in the hopes of dispelling the far-flung myth that law enforcement officers support gun control. The police administration on Capitol Hill, most of who haven't been on the street for decades, do not speak for the majority of rank and file police.

Take it from someone who knows. Gun bans and other harsh anti-gun laws directed at lawful gun owners ultimately do nothing to reduce violent crime. Semi-automatic gun bans in some states put law-abiding gun owners at risk of arrest and prosecution for refusing to register, surrender or otherwise dispose of their guns. Now a similar nationwide ban is proposed. We want to arrest criminals, not lawful citizens made into common criminals by means of misguided laws. That's why we oppose semi-auto gun ban proposals and other worthless anti-gun laws masquerading as crime control.

Our jobs would be a lot easier if our elected officials would dedicate more time, money and effort toward developing anti-crime tools which legislate against the criminal, not law-abiding citizens. Let's cut out the easy parole and courtroom injustice and start enforcing the tough laws already on the books.

Not only are these gun and bullet bans detrimental but they isolate a good citizen and put him or her under the guns of the felon or criminal and thereby do not allow a good, upright citizen to protect himself. Why penalize the good and let the bad

have a field day and put us police officers under the gun?

Bill Holocker
Chief of Police, Gunter

Jeffrey C. Onstott
Whitesboro

Just say 'No' to letting drug abusers, pushers go

To the editor:

Maybe someone should ask Mr. Free how can we expect our kids to say no to drugs when he just lets two alleged drug abusers and dealers walk out of jail on their own recognizance—after a judge has set a total of \$30,000 bond on the two.

Isn't he just going a little too far? Maybe to him dope dealers are upstanding citizens? It's a lot of crap when he said he didn't have room for them; he had people in jail on much less serious offenses—they just didn't have the money to get out. I guess it's who you know!

He is always whining about people out to get him. Well, look at his conduct. Mr. Free, maybe you should consider being a carrier in animal control! Obviously, you know nothing about people.

"Just say no to letting drug abusers and pushers go!" would make a nice slogan for anyone wanting to run against you in the next election!

Wanda Keys
Pampa

Is character assassination needed for appointment?

To the editor:

We are currently having the opportunity to listen to, as James Kilpatrick puts it, "... the same gaggle of ultra liberals who lynched Bob Bork a year ago." This "gaggle" of ultra liberals includes the Democratic Party's stalwarts Ted Kennedy, Joe Biden, Alan Cranston, Lloyd Bentsen, Howard Metzenbaum, Christopher Dodd, Patrick Leahy and others. This group has aims of impressing the American people that they are "important" and to negate any person appointed to the Supreme Court by the president. Joe Biden is convinced he should have been appointed, and if not him, the appointment should have been Jesse Jackson.

According to the Democrats, there are several reasons Clarence Thomas should not serve on the Supreme Court. He will not be prejudiced against

the blacks, whites, Catholics, Protestants or other "splinter" groups. He believes "affirmative action" should work for the whites the same as the blacks. He does not see in his copy of the Constitution where one group gets benefits that are not available for all groups. He sees nothing wrong with working to pay your own way—even if you are poor. He feels that the judiciary is responsible for interpreting the laws using the Constitution as the criteria; the making of the laws is the responsibility of the legislative body.

I hope the American people will let the Senate Judiciary Committee know how they think and that we are tired of hearing how great this committee is and that they went to HARVARD Law School.

Clarence Thomas is a good candidate for the vacancy on the court. It is hoped everyone will let the senators know the inane questions are in poor taste, as is the continuous defamation of character by the inquisitors. For once it seems the Democrats on this committee could lay aside party politics and work toward getting a qualified Supreme Court justice.

W.A. Morgan
Pampa

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Teen saw meteorite drop at his feet

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Brodie Spaulding feels lucky. Not only did the 13-year-old find a meteorite, he actually saw it land. And it missed him.

The youth was standing in his front yard in Noblesville, about 10 miles north of Indianapolis, when the fist-size meteorite plummeted to earth about 5 feet away from him on Aug. 31.

"I was amazed," Spaulding said. "It just happened all of a sudden. I heard a real low whistling noise and saw a rock laying there."

"I feel pretty lucky, especially because it didn't hit me," Spaulding said the meteorite was still warm when he picked it up. It was "dense and solid and kind of like burnt coal."

Purdue University chemistry professor Michael Lipschutz, who specializes in meteorite analysis, said Spaulding is a rare witness to such an event.

"Only about one of these falls on every million square kilometers on the Earth's surface each year, and it's very rare to have one fall at someone's feet," Lipschutz said.

He said it was the 10th meteorite found in Indiana, and only the third to be witnessed falling.

"People always ask if anyone's been killed by one of these," Lipschutz said. "As far as I know, nobody has been, but Brodie could have been in danger if it hit him."

Lipschutz said the only meteorite casualty he knew of was a dog killed by a meteorite in Egypt in 1922. In this country, a 2-inch rock punched a hole in a San Juan Capistrano, Calif., carport in 1973 and an 11-pound meteorite bruised an Alabama woman's hip in 1954.

The meteorite, which weighs 483 grams or just over a pound, will be sent to Johnson Space Center in Houston for study, Lipschutz said.

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT

By
Danny
Bainum



No need to fry fish for a crisp finish. Place fish filets in a baking dish sprayed with non-stick coating. Brush with a little milk, then sprinkle with bread crumbs, grated gingerroot and sliced almonds. Drizzle with melted butter and bake 6 to 12 minutes in a 450 degree oven.

Dried-fruit compote, simmered in brewed tea, is an elegant dessert—especially when spooned onto vanilla ice cream.

Leftover cooked vegetables? Serve chilled with vinaigrette over lettuce leaves. Or, warm in a cream-and-parmesan sauce and toss with pasta for a primavera.

Egg whites separate most easily when they are cold, straight out of the refrigerator. But the whites beat up fluffier if they are at room temperature or warm. If you can't wait, set the bowl of whites in a larger bowl of very warm water and stir gently for a while.

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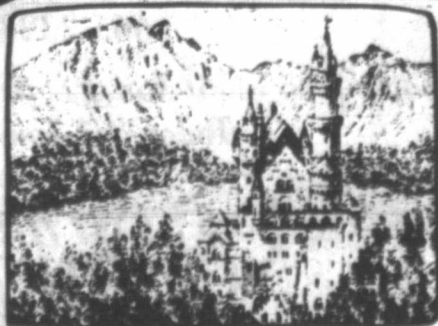
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Business

HealthTrust Inc. announces plans to offer shares in common stock

Coronado Hospital's four years of ownership by HealthTrust Inc., have been good for both the hospital and good for Pampa, according to Bruce W. Reinhardt, hospital administrator, in a news release from Coronado Hospital. The Pampa hospital will celebrate its fourth anniversary as HealthTrust hospital on Sept. 17.

"HealthTrust has been a successful company in its first four years of operation and that success means better health care services at Coronado Hospital," Reinhardt said. Since its inception in 1987, HealthTrust has spent more than \$435 million improving the quality of facilities and availability of services to Pampa through Coronado Hospital.

HealthTrust's investments at Coronado Hospital include new services such as the addition of an Inpatient Rehabilitation Unit and an

occupational therapist to the staff, A Mobile Resonance Imaging Unit (MRI), a mobile lithotripsy, and the addition of a new nuclear medicine camera.

HealthTrust has also agreed to construct a new medical building attached to the north side of the hospital and renovations to both the main lobby and the operating room.

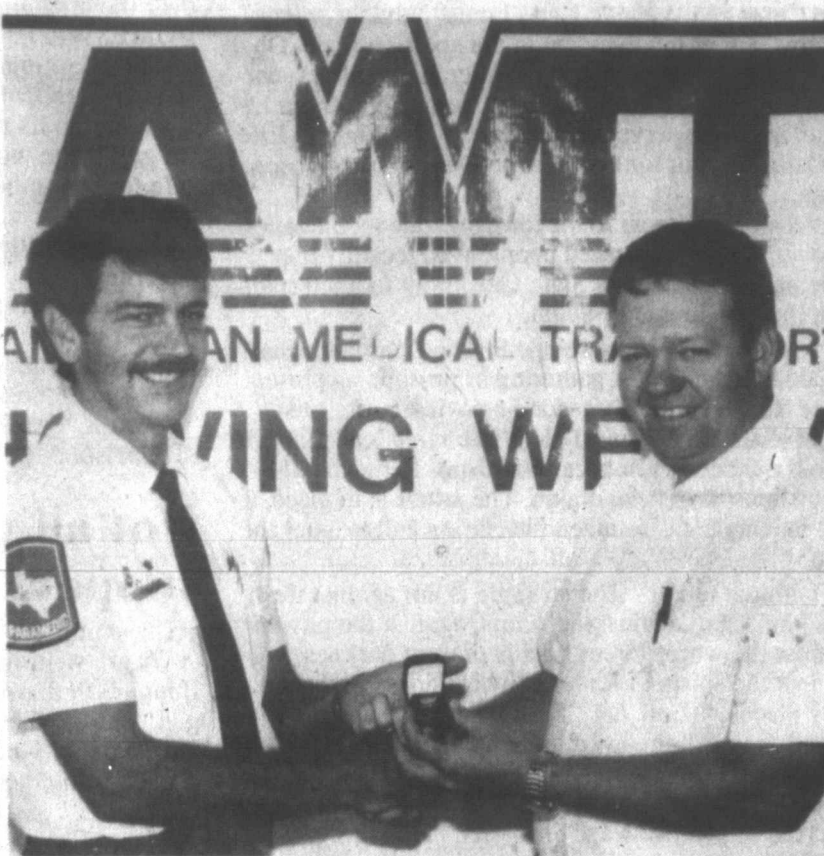
According to the release, HealthTrust expects more changes in the months ahead. On June 17, the employee-owned company announced its intention to buy back from HCA the preferred stock HCA has held since HealthTrust was formed. HealthTrust plans to raise the \$600 million needed to buy the preferred stock through an initial public offering of common stock, which the company expects to take place this fall, the release states. Although members of the public will be able

to buy HealthTrust stock after the offering is complete, the employees will remain the largest group of shareholders and will still have substantial ownership interest in the company.

"Employee ownership is one of the key reasons for HealthTrust's success and will continue to be an important part of the company," Reinhardt said in the release.

"Our employee owners go the extra mile for patient comfort and service, safety, and cost savings measure because they have an ownership interest in the hospital," he said, adding "I'm proud of the ownership culture the employees at Coronado Hospital have created over the last four years and look forward to providing that level of service and commitment to our community for many more years to come."

Service award



(Special Photo)

Lon Robertson, left, manager of AMT ambulance service here, presents Tam Terry, EMT, with a five-year service pin for his years of service working with AMT. Terry received the pin on Sept. 5 for his five consecutive years as an emergency medical technician for AMT.

Heard & Jones merits 'Health Mart of the Year' award

Heard & Jones Mart, 114 N. Cuyler, received the first-ever Oklahoma City division "Health Mart of the Year" award at the recent annual Health Mart Meeting in Orlando, Fla. Heard & Jones Health Mart was chosen from more than 90 other Health Marts in the Oklahoma City division.

Store owner Bill Hite accepted a certificate on behalf of Heard & Jones Health Mart.

"We are honored and proud to be part of this exciting new tradition," he said. Hite, who has been part of the Health Mart program for three years, is involved in the Pampa community. He is a mem-

ber and past president of the Pampa Lions Club, member and past director of the Chamber of Commerce and a member of the West Texas Pharmacy Association.

During the past year, Hite adopted Lamar Elementary School, where he helped fund special projects and school events for the children. Working closely with the school principal, Bill and his wife Ramona, along with several store employees, took 20 disadvantaged children on a Saturday shopping spree for winter clothing.

Degen-Berglund Health Mart of La Crosse, Wisc. was the grand

prize winner in the competition, which recognized the top Health Marts in each of the company's 11 divisions.

Health Mart is a wholly-owned subsidiary of FoxMeyer Corporation, the nation's third-

largest wholesaler pharmaceutical distributor. With more than 675 stores, Health Mart is the nation's largest full-line pharmacy franchise program and posted 1991 fiscal retail sales of \$665 million.

Business highlights

WASHINGTON (AP) — Wholesale prices edged up a tiny 0.2 percent in August as a third straight drop in food costs helped to offset the biggest jump in energy prices since October, the government said.

The Labor Department said Thursday that higher prices for new cars and tobacco products also

played a role in pushing the Producer Price Index up for the first time since May, when it posted a 0.4 percent gain.

But the slight August increase, which was well within expectations, did nothing to jar economists' view that inflation is well under control.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The number of Americans filing new claims for unemployment benefits dipped slightly to 420,000 for the last week in August, the government said, but the improvement failed to impress economists.

For the week ended Aug. 30, the Labor Department said Thursday that the number of first-time claims for jobless benefits fell by 1,000 from the previous two weeks, when they were stuck at 421,000.

But the slight improvement still left the average weekly claims level for August at 420,000, up from weekly averages of 406,000 in July and 418,000 in June. Jobless claims hit a high during the recession of 500,000 in mid-April.

Energas names Wainscott as area marketing manager

LUBBOCK — David Wainscott has been named the Amarillo area marketing manager for Energas Company.

Wainscott, formerly consumer services specialist in the Lubbock area, joined the company in November 1988. Wainscott, a native of Olney, graduated from Texas Tech University with a bachelor of arts degree in communications with a minor in management. During his tenure with the company, Wainscott has been active in professional and civic activities. Currently he serves as a director of the Remodelers' and Home Improvement Council of the West Texas Homebuilders Association.

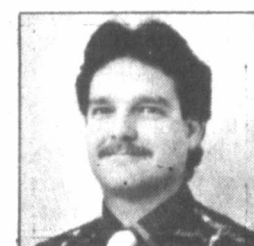
In making the announcement, Vice President of Marketing Lavon Pagett said that Wainscott would be responsible for coordinating all residential and commercial marketing activities in the

Amarillo, Hereford and Pampa districts.

Wainscott and his wife Holly have two children. They will be moving to Amarillo.

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LIPSCOMB (WILDCAT & BRADFORD Tonkawa) Unit Petroleum Co., #5 Miles 'A' (570.5 ac) 1830' from South & 1980' from West line, Sec. 553, 43, H&TC, 9 mi west from Lipscomb, PD 6830'

OCHILTREE (ELLIS RANCH Mississippian) Couroil, Inc., #1-567 Herndon 'A' (640 ac) 850' from South & 770' from East line, Sec. 5676, 43, H&TC, 12 mi S-SE from Perryton, PD 10100' (Box 809, Perryton, TX 79070)

PARMER (WILDCAT) Kilmer-Werner, #1 Wilson-Ferguson Farms #1 (585 ac) 1320' from South & 1800' from East line, Sec. 73, H, Thomas Kelley, 6 mi east from Lazbuddie, PD 9500' (Box 3658, Abilene, TX 79604)

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WHEELER (CONCANNON Granite Wash) Plains Petroleum Operating Co., #1-2 Gille (800 ac) 990' from South & East line, Sec. 2, L, J.M. Lindsey, 2 1/2 mi NW from Kelton, PD 11980' (Box 150278, Lakewood, CO 80215)

Gas Well Completions

HANSFORD (HANSFORD Upper Morrow) Strat Land Exploration Co., #1 O.D.C., Sec. 85, 45, H&TC, elev. 3068 gr, spud

12-6-90, drlg. compl 12-20-90, tested 2-14-91, potential 4400 MCF, rock pressure 1404, pay 7065-7075, TD 7700', PBTD 7637' —

HANSFORD (TEXAS HUGO-TON) C.E. Harmon Oil, Inc., #2 Dozier, Sec. 129, 2, GH&H, elev. 3319 gr, spud 4-25-90, drlg. compl 5-1-90, tested 9-3-91, potential 21 MCF, rock pressure 190.2, pay 3066-3178, TD 3267', PBTD 3256' — Form 1 filed in Brawley Petroleum

MOORE (WEST PANHANDLE) Natural Gas Pipeline Co. of America, #P-3R J.W. Moore, Sec. 55, 44, H&TC, elev. 3722 rkb, spud 11-27-90, drlg. compl 12-6-90, tested 7-11-91, potential 222 MCF, rock pressure 39, pay 3100-3700, TD 3700', PBTD 3700' —

SHERMAN (COLDWATER RANCH Tonkawa) Phillips Petroleum Co., #5 Coldwater 'G', Sec. 36, 3-B, GH&H, elev. 3384 rkb, spud 7-26-91, drlg. compl 7-29-91, tested 8-5-91, potential 4200 MCF, rock pressure 1330, pay 4956-4982, TD 7297', PBTD 5065' — Plug-Back

Plugged Wells
CARSON (PANHANDLE) Hi-Tech Dynamics, Inc., #4 Mobil Fee 'A', Sec. 39, 4, I&GN, spud unknown, plugged 8-2-91, TD 3331' (oil) —

GRAY (PANHANDLE) Conoco, Inc., #17 Carrie Wright, Sec. 13, 3, I&GN, spud 10-31-56, plugged

8-13-91, TD 3006' (oil) — Form 1 filed in Carrie Wright

GRAY (PANHANDLE) Oilwell Operators, Inc., Saunders 'B', Sec. 81, 3, I&GN (oil) — Form 1 filed in Cree Production Co., for the following wells:

#1, spud 12-5-39, plugged 8-28-91, TD 3303' —

#2, spud 1-3-48, plugged 8-12-91, TD 3328' —

HUTCHINSON (WEST PANHANDLE) Cal-T Oil Co., #1 C.C. Whittenburg, Sec. 8, 3, Wm. Neil, spud unknown, plugged 7-30-91, TD 3134' — Form 1 filed in Continental Oil Co.

LIPSCOMB (GHEEN Lower Morrow) WhitMar Exploration Co., #1 Merydith, Sec. 500, 43, H&TC, spud 7-21-91, plugged 8-16-91, TD 10300' (dry) —

LIPSCOMB (S.E. LIPSCOMB Morrow) Maxus Exploration Co., #1-541 Rose C. Turner, Sec. 541, 43, H&TC, spud 3-2-73, plugged 8-3-91, TD 10396' (gas) —

WHEELER (CANDICE Morrow) Marsh Operating Co., #1-97 Shelton, Sec. 97, A-5, H&GN, spud 11-21-91, plugged 7-19-91, TD 12943' (gas) — Form 1 filed in Tom F. Marsh, Inc.

WHEELER (MILLS RANCH South Hutton) Milmac Operating Co., #1A Davidson, Sec. 39, A-7, H&GN, spud 12-15-79, plugged 5-24-91, TD 21166' (gas) — Form 1 filed in Enopco

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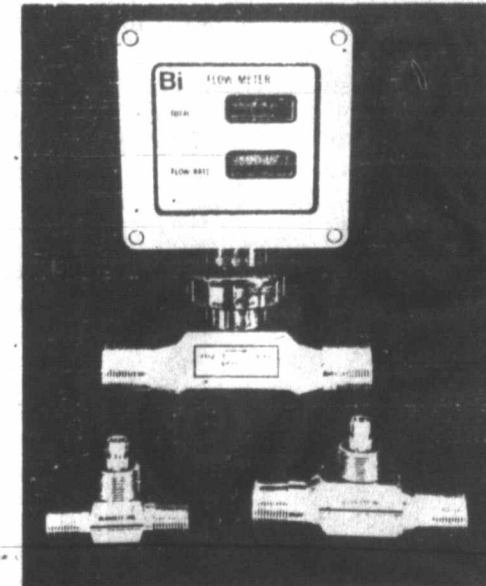
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Mrs. Tom Cantrell of the Las Pampas Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution visits with Mayor Richard Peet as he looks at a proclamation designating Sept. 17-23 as Constitution Week.

Constitution Week begins Tuesday, Sept. 17

Las Pampas DAR encourages local observances

Las Pampas Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution is encouraging Pampa area residents to observe Constitution Week from Tuesday through Monday, Sept. 17-23.

In honor of the occasion, Pampa Mayor Richard Peet has signed a proclamation officially marking the local observance of Constitution Week and encouraging local groups, organizations, schools, churches and others to celebrate the signing of the U.S. Constitution.

The Commission on the Bicentennial of the Constitution is urging residents throughout the nation to join in the national commemoration of The Bill of Rights as part of this year's Constitution Week.

U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm of Texas notes that 1991 concludes the 15-year-long American Bicentennial which started in 1976 with the 200th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence and concludes with the commemoration of the Bill of Rights, which was ratified in 1791.

"The Bill of Rights codified for the nation the basic freedoms that the first American citi-

zens fought and died for in the Revolutionary War," Sen. Gramm said.

"Those fundamental rights — including the right to freedom of religion, speech and press, to keep and bear arms, and seven others — defined America as a unique nation in which the interests of the individual were paramount," he said.

Gramm said the Bicentennial Commission is urging Americans to use Constitution Week to celebrate America's rights and freedoms, with the first day, Tuesday, being specifically set aside to honor the Bill of Rights.

"Constitution Week will succeed only if 'We the People' get involved," the commission notes. "Commemorative events may vary from place to place, but if Constitution Week is to be celebrated annually in schools, churches and workplaces, active participation is needed from individuals, groups and communities."

Mrs. P.R. Britton, Constitution Week chairman for the Las Pampas Chapter, DAR, said the chapter is encouraging area residents "to study the circumstances leading up to this significant event, and to honor the Founding Fathers. Know your Constitution, read it, study it and preserve it. Fly your flag of the United States of America all week."

Mrs. Britton recalled the words to The Preamble to the Constitution, written 204 years ago: "We the People of the United States, in

Order to form a more perfect Union, establish Justice, insure domestic Tranquility, provide for the common defence, promote the general Welfare, and secure the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America."

"Our Constitution, the cornerstone of our freedoms, was written to protect every American from the abuse of power by government," Britton said. "American colonists fought, sacrificed and died to establish and preserve the freedom now guaranteed to us by the Constitution of the United States."

"Our Founding Fathers, in order to secure the blessings of liberty for themselves and their posterity, did ordain and establish a Constitution for the United States of America that gives us a republic in which the laws were written to protect the rights of all citizens."

Constitution Week commemorates the signing of the Constitution, Britton said, adding that "this great document, the guardian of our liberties, established our republic as a self-governing nation dedicated to rule by law."

She said Constitution Week provides an opportunity for all Americans to recall the achievements of the nation's founders, the nature of limited government, and the rights and privileges of citizenship, as well as the responsibilities.

Pampa Hastings store chosen for special Guns N' Roses album preview

Guns N' Roses fans eagerly awaiting the rock group's next albums have a special treat ahead of them Monday night — Hastings will be having a late-night listening party with the albums going on sale after midnight.

Angela Franklin, manager, said the Pampa store is one of the Hastings locations chosen to have the

special party to introduce the latest Guns N' Roses albums, *Illusions I & II*.

"We will start playing the tape at 11:09 p.m. Monday," she said. "It's about 52 minutes long. And then, at 12:01 a.m., we will be putting the album on for sale."

The store will then remain open

until 2 a.m. as the listening party continues.

Guns N' Roses, who some call "the world's most explosive band," is releasing two albums at the same time — a two-part collection of their latest recordings.

Franklin said the record label has told retailers they "positively, absolutely cannot sell *Illusions I*

& II until Sept. 17" — Tuesday. So the Hastings management, noting that the label did not say what time on Tuesday the albums could go on sale, has decided to give its customers the chance to be among the first in the nation to be in earshot of the new Guns N' Roses.

The Pampa store is one of about half of the chain's nearly 130 stores in the nation selected to participate

in the Guns N' Roses listening party, remaining open late Monday night with fans invited to come in, stay up late and line up to be among the first to get *Illusions I & II*.

Franklin said if this party is successful, the store may be having other similar activities in the future.

Hastings, a discount books, music and video retailer, is headquartered in Amarillo.

Houston fifth graders ask for longer school days

HOUSTON (AP) — When 10-year-old Samuel Ndiwe and some classmates told Anderson Elementary Principal LaWanna Goodwin they wanted more time in school, she couldn't believe her ears.

But now, the southwest Houston fifth graders have started going to school a half-hour early and staying a half-hour late just to get extra study time before taking the state's mandatory achievement tests next month.

Ndiwe and some of his classmates said they were worried that there was not enough time to learn everything they needed to know, particularly with the Texas Assessment for Academic Skills approaching in October.

"Are you saying you want me to put more minutes in the

day?" Ms. Goodwin asked. Ndiwe suggested an additional 15 minutes per class and a survey of his classmates showed overwhelming support for the idea.

"I've told the students over and over that you've got to want to learn," Ms. Goodwin told the Houston Chronicle. "To see it is finally regis-

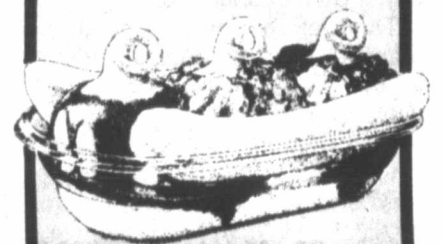
tering and sinking in is so refreshing, extremely refreshing."

The school has added 10 or 15 minutes to every class period until the TAAS is given in early October. The students said they also want the school day lengthened when they prepare for national achievement tests in the spring.

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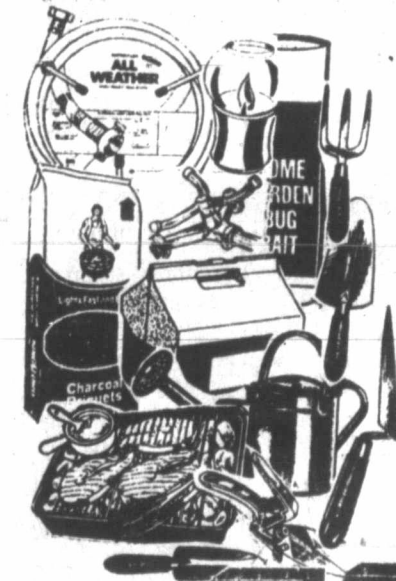
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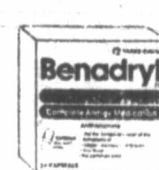


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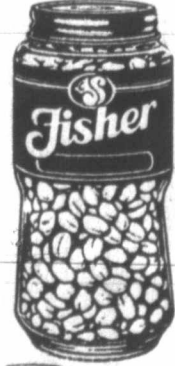
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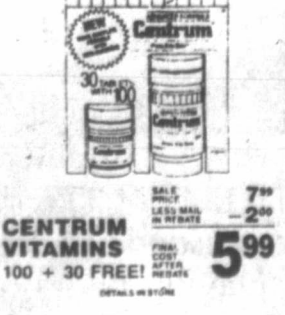
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Fire at Missouri jail kills four inmates

By JERRY NACHTIGAL
Associated Press Writer

FORSYTH, Mo. (AP) — A generator fire poured thick smoke into a county jail before dawn Saturday, killing four of the 26 prisoners who were trapped in their cells behind electronically powered doors.

Firefighters donned air masks and used a special tool to open each cell. All the surviving prisoners were treated for smoke inhalation, and 13 were hospitalized.

"You couldn't send anybody in without air bottles," Fire Chief Ron Correll said. "It was unreal."

Nearly 100 firefighters were sent to the fire in Forsyth, in far southwestern Missouri, about 35 miles south of Springfield. Eleven firefighters and a jail dispatcher were treated for smoke inhalation.

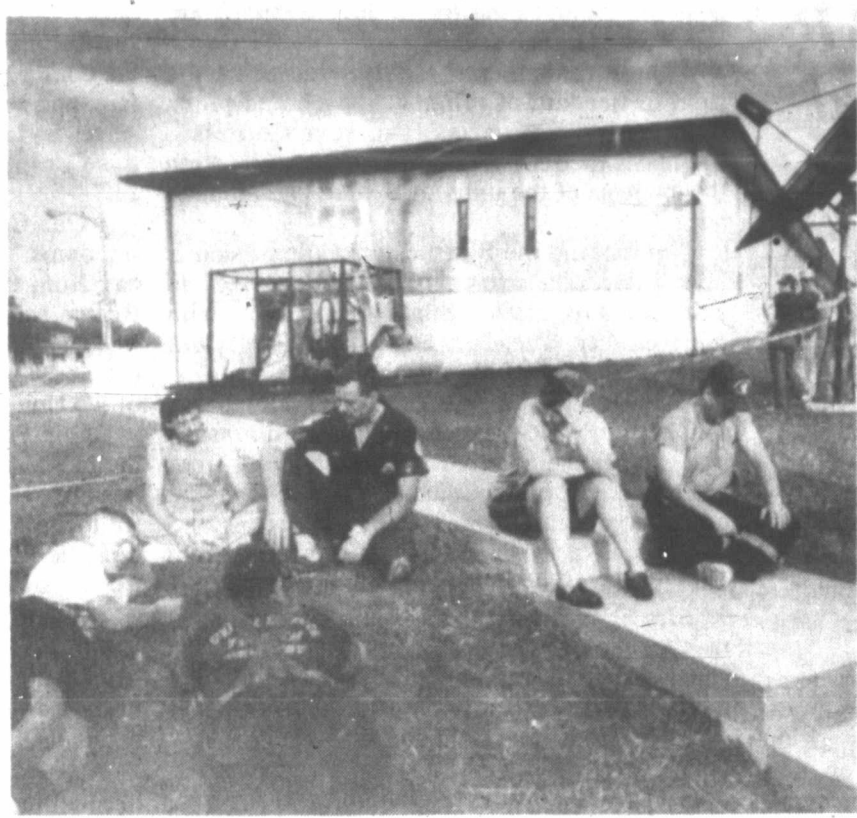
The fire apparently started in an auxiliary generator next to the one-story Taney County Jail, Sheriff Chuck Keithley said. The blaze knocked out electricity to the jail.

"We have a lever that fits into the lock and you have to crank it open, and we did that individually with each cell," said sheriff's investigator Dick Ringler said. "Our maximum-security area was the toughest to get in. We had to use a cutting torch on that."

Firefighter Kevin Clayton said that when he arrived at the jail, "the generator was on fire, the roof was on fire, the jail was full of smoke. Inside, you couldn't see your hand in front of your face."

The inmates were shouting "Help! Help!" and "hollering to get out," he said.

Firefighters instructed the inmates



(AP Laserphoto)

Volunteer firemen from the Central Taney County Fire Department take a break after putting out an early Saturday morning fire at the Taney County, Mo., Jail. Four inmates died in the blaze which apparently started near an electrical generator.

to cover their faces with water-soaked towels and lie on the floor until they could be freed, Clayton said.

Rescuers had to carry each inmate out of the jail. Emergency workers set up a makeshift clinic on the courthouse lawn, treating victims before they were taken to regional hospitals.

"We had bodies lying everywhere," the fire chief said.

The fire began at 3:45 a.m. when an extension cord connected to a battery charger on the auxiliary generator short-circuited, said Bill Zieres, regional chief fire marshal investigator. The extension cord ran up the side of the jail, inside and then ran the length of the jail, he said.

The short circuit was responsible for knocking out power to the jail, Zieres said. The short began a fire in

the metal and wood shed housing the generator, and the fire fed on a propane tank situated nearby, Zieres said.

The flames then spread to the graveled roof of the jail. Apparently, some wood supports in the roof and some insulation also burned, producing a thick smoke, Zieres said.

"We don't know why it shorted out. We just have evidence there was a short," Zieres said during an afternoon news conference.

The generator and use of the extension cord didn't violate any fire code regulations, Zieres said. He didn't know why the propane gas tank was so close to the generator.

The dispatcher on duty, Jerry Newman, radioed for help before his system went out. Newman was treated for smoke inhalation and released.

The generator had not had any "serious problems" before the fire, Keithley said. He was unsure when it was checked last and whether any repairs had been made.

The jail was built in 1981 and designed to hold 40 prisoners, he said. County offices occupy a lower level.

Four inmates were pronounced dead at the scene.

Seven prisoners were in satisfactory condition at Skaggs Community Hospital in nearby Branson. Three were in serious condition at Cox Medical Center in Springfield, and three were at St. John's Regional Medical Center in Springfield, where hospital officials refused to release any information.

The prisoners treated and released were being held in the jail in nearby Branson.



(AP Laserphoto)

The toe of Michelangelo's David's left foot, second from left, is seen broken after a man wielded a hammer and attacked the famed statue at the Accademia Museum in Florence, Italy.

Hammer-toting man breaks toe of Michelangelo's David

FLORENCE, Italy (AP) — A man pulled a hammer from under his jacket Saturday and attacked Michelangelo's famed statue of David, but museum patrons subdued him before he could seriously damage the 487-year-old masterpiece.

Officials at the Accademia museum said the second toe of the statue's left foot was broken, but all the fragments were recovered and they would be able to make repairs.

"The material damage is repairable since we have found all the fragments, but the emotional distress remains," said museum director Antonio Paolucci. "He damaged the most famous statue in the world."

A police official, who spoke on condition of anonymity, described the 47-year-old attacker as mentally ill. He was charged with damage to a national cultural treasure.

Officials said when the man began striking the statue, patrons grabbed him and held him until the police arrived.

The incident marked the second time a Michelangelo masterpiece in

Italy has been damaged by a hammer-wielding attacker.

In 1972, a Hungarian-born man attacked Michelangelo's Pieta at the Vatican, breaking off the left arm and disfiguring the face of the madonna. The attacker spent two years in a mental hospital, and the Pieta is now kept behind a wall of protective glass inside St. Peter's Basilica.

Francesco Sisinii, the director general of Italy's Ministry of Culture, expressed "deep sorrow" at the attack on the David statue. But, he added: "It is not possible to put every work of art in Italy under bulletproof glass."

The chief prosecutor in Florence, Piero Luigi Vigna, called for tougher punishment for damaging works of art. Under current law, the penalty ranges from six months to three years in jail.

"Just think that someone who damages a statue such as David faces the same punishment as someone who damages a typewriter in a public office," said Vigna.

U.N. peacekeeper, Arab guerrilla die in firefight

By ARIEH O'SULLIVAN
Associated Press Writer

JERUSALEM (AP) — A gun battle between U.N. peacekeepers and guerrillas just north of the Israeli border claimed the lives of a U.N. soldier and one Arab gunman Saturday, a U.N. official said.

The firefight was the second in as many days in southern Lebanon, where U.N. troops have been deployed since 1978.

On Friday, guerrillas apparently intent on attacking Israel were forced ashore from dinghies and seized 14 U.N. soldiers hostage in south Lebanon, then traded fire with Israeli soldiers. A guerrilla and a U.N. soldier were killed.

Saturday's firefight began when a U.N. patrol intercepted an armed squad near the village of Yater, four miles north of the Israeli border, said Timor Goksel, spokesman for

the U.N. Interim Force in Lebanon.

The gunmen killed one Nepalese soldier and slightly wounded a second, Goksel said, and the peacekeepers killed one of the gunmen.

Israel radio said the guerrilla squad was on its way to launch a Katyusha rocket into Israel, but Goksel denied the report.

"There was a report of an explosion, but it was probably from a (rocket propelled grenade)," he said, adding that no Katyushas were found.

Meanwhile, a guerrilla captured in Friday's clash said he belonged to Yasser Arafat's Fatah faction of the Palestine Liberation Organization, despite the denial of Fatah.

Rabia Salman Awad Abu Sebah repeated the claim several times in an interview with reporters in Tel Aviv, saying he belong to "Abu Amar," nom de guerre of the PLO leader.

Abu Shebab, captured with one other guerrilla, also told Israeli television that they were forced ashore while on a mission to commit a "mass killing and kidnapping of (Jewish) settlers."

He said their commander had told them "if anything happened to us not to say that we are from Fatah."

The 21-year-old guerrilla said they had planned to come ashore in the Israeli town of Nahariya, but that "navigational problems" forced them to land on the Mediterranean coast at Naqoura, just north of the border.

Earlier reports said they landed in Lebanon because they had been fleeing an Israeli gunboat.

Another dinghy carrying three guerrillas became separated and surrendered to UNIFIL soldiers at a post manned by French peacekeepers.

Abu Shebab's group, however, rounded up 14 other U.N. peace-

keepers and took them to an empty house where they held them hostage.

The shooting broke out during negotiations for their release. One Swedish sergeant and a Palestinian guerrilla were killed and five peacekeepers wounded in the exchange.

South African leaders sign peace pact

By BARRY RENFREW
Associated Press Writer

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Frustrated by unrest that threatens to set back reforms, government and anti-apartheid leaders signed a national peace pact Saturday even as bloodshed in black townships claimed 15 more victims.

The accord, which creates groups to investigate violent acts by police and citizens, marks the first joint agreement between the government and the two main black movements: the African National Congress and the Inkatha Freedom Party.

It is also seen as an important test of whether the main political groups can work together for reforms to end white-minority rule.

But other accords have failed to work, and leaders and delegates expressed doubts that the peace pact would halt the clashes between the ANC and Inkatha, which have killed at least 6,000 people in the past six years.

Underscoring fears of more violence, about 3,000 armed Zulu supporters of the Inkatha Freedom Party appeared outside the hotel where the pact was signed in an apparent show of force. They refused a request from police and soldiers to surrender their weapons, but there were no confrontations.

More than 135 people have died in a week of clashes in Johannesburg townships, including 15 people killed in faction violence overnight.

The violence threatened to derail the pact even before it was signed, but the three main parties — President F.W. de Klerk, ANC President Nelson Mandela, and Inkatha leader Mangosuthu Buthelezi — committed themselves to the peace effort.

"The darkness of violence is making way for the lightness of peace," de Klerk said as he signed the 33-page pact.

"We dedicate ourselves to ending the specter of terror in the lives of our people," said Mandela.

Buthelezi, who quoted the biblical account of creation when his turn came to sign, said: "God is creating a new order in South Africa. I believe that this peace accord is an instrument of God."

More than a dozen other political and labor organizations also signed, but some radical white and black leaders either boycotted the meeting or attended, while refusing to sign.

More militant black leaders said they would not sign the peace pact because they believed the government was responsible for the violence and they would not cooperate with the white minority government on this issue.

At a news conference later, the issue of the Zulu protest led to a heated exchange involving Mandela, de Klerk and Buthelezi.

Mandela said the ANC had taken the "responsible step" of stopping its supporters from coming to the hotel and said if the ANC had staged a rally, "the police would have used force."

De Klerk denied the security forces have a double standard.

The pact, arranged by church and civic leaders, sets up strict monitoring controls and outlines standards for political conduct. It also calls for reconstruction of communities hit by violence, and special courts to deal with political violence.

The government and the ANC reached a cease-fire in August 1990 and Mandela and Buthelezi agreed to peace terms in January. In both instances, the violence raged on.

Mandela, in a speech interrupted several times by applause, said the ANC, the largest black opposition group, had serious doubts about the pact. He did not spell out the ANC's reservations.

Mid-East highlights international nuclear conference agenda

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — Delegates to a global nuclear power conference are expected to scrutinize the nuclear capabilities of Israel and Iraq, but pressure on South Africa could ease.

The annual general conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency will also likely accept membership by the newly independent Baltic states of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania, bringing IAEA membership to 115.

At the meeting, which begins Monday, delegates from more than 100 nations plan to review findings by agency officials that Iraq tried to conceal its production of weapons-grade nuclear material, agency offi-

cials said. Iraq is the only IAEA member that officials have found secretly producing such material.

The organization is expected to censure Iraq, said an official, who spoke on condition of anonymity. But he said Iraq will not be stripped of membership.

It is still unclear how near Iraq was to producing a nuclear bomb before the bulk of its atomic facilities were destroyed during the Gulf War, and whether it is still concealing parts of such a program.

Before the war, many Western intelligence analysts believed Baghdad was at least 10 years away from producing an atom bomb. But Iraq has since disclosed it had produced

a small amount of plutonium, yet it was far short of the 18 pounds required to make a nuclear bomb.

"As a quantity, it is not significant, but as a practice it is of great concern," said Robert L. Gallucci, deputy chairman of the U.N. special commission charged with eliminating Iraq's weapons of mass destruction.

The disclosure called into question the effectiveness of the IAEA inspections before the war, which failed to detect the plutonium program.

Arguments over whether Israel possesses nuclear arms are also expected to be raised at the five-day conference.

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Sports

Harvesters' dogged defense logs win over archrival Sandies

Laury shines with big runs, great defense

By J. ALAN BRZYS
Sports Writer

Harvesters' defense received credit for the gargantuan upset victory, but a sterling offensive display by Sammy Laury insured the 23-21 win Friday night against Amarillo High.

Pampa bolted to a 16-0 lead early in the second quarter and led the Amarillo Sandies at halftime, 16-7.

Although never headed, the Harvesters were outscored 14-7 in the third stanza and played dogged, determined defense in the final quarter to record the win.

The Harvesters defeated their 70-plus-year archrivals for the first time since 1975.

"It's a tremendous victory," said Pampa head football coach Dennis Cavalier after the game. "We've just got to be careful that this is not the highlight of the season."

"It's a rare, rare occasion that a Pampa Harvester football player has been on the victory side against the Amarillo Sandies," he said with a broad smile. "Dating back into the 1920s ... there's been just a handful of victories."

The Sandies won the toss and opted to receive at the start of the game. Wind from the south was a factor and Pampa took field position to its advantage.

It was three-and-out for AHS on their first possession and Pampa took over on their opponent's 48.

On 3rd down and two at the 40, Sammy Laury galloped off left tackle, averted a shoestring tackle at the 2-yard line and leaped into the end zone less than three minutes into the game for Pampa's first score. Todd McCavit's PAT attempt was good for a 7-0 Pampa lead.

Pampa took over again after a Sandies fumble of a completed pass.

The Harvesters took over at its own 38-yard line and several plays

later, PHS quarterback Andy Cavalier hit wide receiver Matt Garvin with a spiral for a 47-yard gain.

The Sandies stymied the Harvesters running game and McCavit connected on a 21-yard field goal at 3:31 in the first quarter, making the score 10-0.

Strong Pampa defense forced another Sandies punt and the Harvesters running game advanced the ball back to the Sandies 5-yard line. Cavalier ran the keeper for the TD and the PAT attempt failed. Pampa led 16-0 with 9:41 left in the first half.

In the next series, Sandies QB Brad Kidd opted for a bootleg to the right and scurried 24 yards for the touchdown. The PAT was successful and Pampa led 16-7 with 2:44 left in the first half.

At 9:09 in the third quarter, Kidd hit Ricky Hinnant near the goal line for 23 yards and a Sandies TD. The PAT was good, tightening the score to 16-14.

Eight minutes into the third quarter, Laury rushed to the right, broke several tackles and scooted 63 yards for the score. The McCavit PAT was good, giving Pampa a 23-14 lead.

With less than a minute remaining in the third quarter, Kidd again connected with Hinnant on a 28-yard pass play for the TD. The PAT was good and Pampa led 23-21.

Neither team scored in the fourth quarter and Pampa's defensive unit dug in to stop two Sandies scoring drives deep in Pampa territory.

Pampa offensive and defensive standout Zach Thomas recovered a Sandies fumble inside the 20 with 4:09 left in the game and end Eric Dickson recovered an AHS fumble with 59 seconds remaining.

"He (Thomas) made a great play," said Cavalier. "They (Amarillo) ran a quarterback sneak ... in my opinion an illegal play because they were pushing from behind. But, in the interim, Zach got in there and stripped the ball away and stole it."

Laury averaged 7.7 yards per carry with 170 yards rushing on 22



(Staff photo by Stan Pollard)
Pampa's Matt Garvin (30) tries to outrun Amarillo High defenders Cory Albracht (82) and Jake Sloan (13).

attempts. He scored two touchdowns and made a key interception. Dave Davis accounted for the other PHS interception.

Thomas ran for 47 yards on 13 carries and Garvin rushed for 25 yards on three carries.

"Sammy Laury played nearly every down tonight (on offense and defense)," said Cavalier. "(He's) just a tremendous all-around athlete and, even more importantly, a fine, fine young man."

"There were so many outstanding players tonight," he said, adding Phil Sexton made "a key pass reception, great blocks and played great defense."

"In my opinion, we were playing stronger in the end than they were ... from a physical exertion standpoint," he said of his varsity squad which numbers about 30 players, half of what many teams field.

"In all honesty, I feel like we could have dominated the game

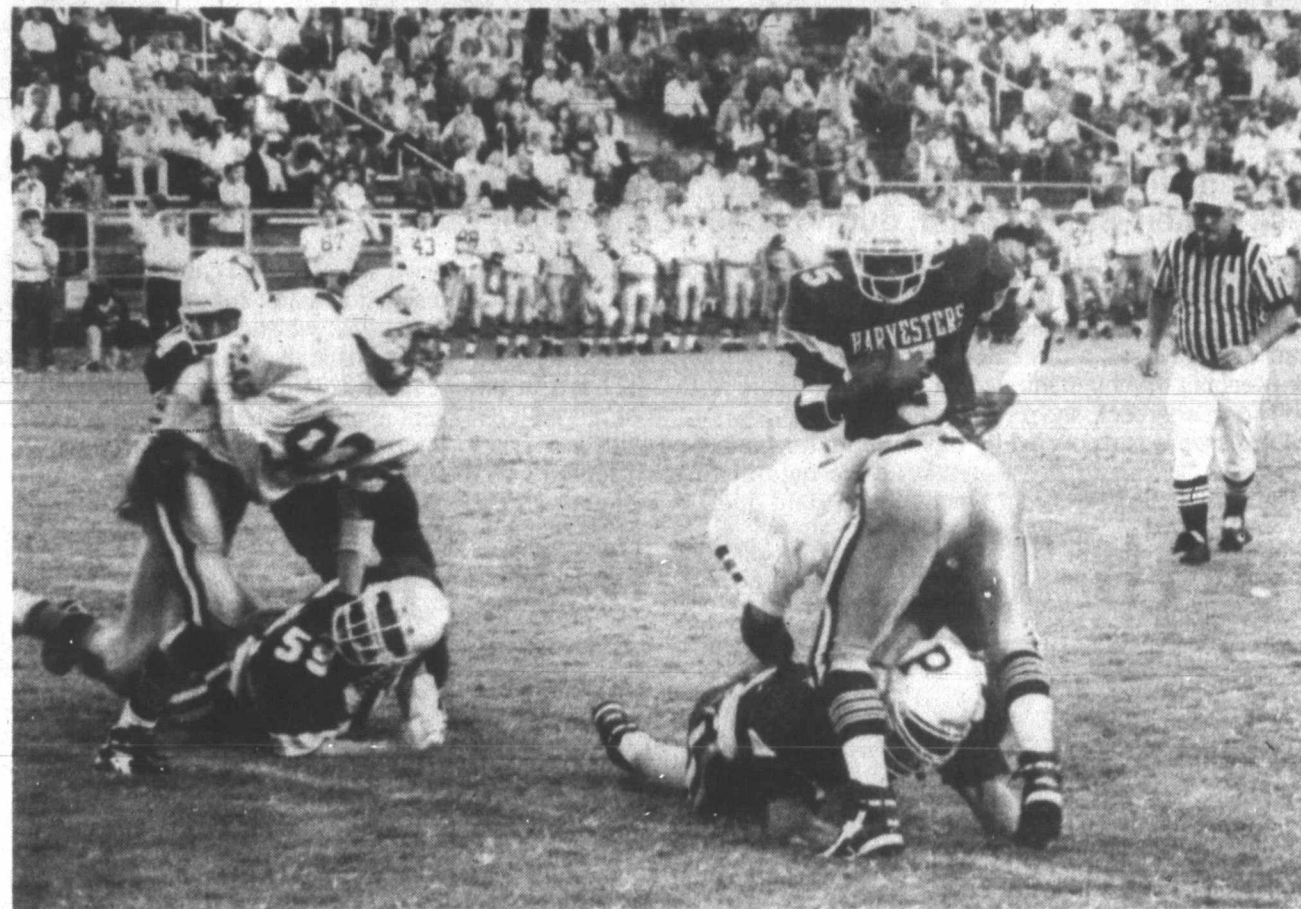
from beginning to end on both sides. I think we would have shut them out except for our miscues, our own mistakes."

"The times that he (Hinnant) caught the passes, we had relatively little pressure on the quarterback."

"We're an outstanding defensive team," said Cavalier, who gave credit for the win to the defense. "I don't think there's any doubt that the defense was instrumental in the first 16 (Pampa) points."

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(Staff photo by Stan Pollard)
Pampa's Sammy Laury (5) carries for several of his 170 total yards for the night as teammates Andy Cavalier, far left, Matt Clark (59) and Zach Thomas block.

Canadian wins nail biter; Groom, Lefors, Wheeler and McLean earn victories

By L.D. STRATE
Sports Editor

Canadian 29, Sanford-Fritch 28

CANADIAN — Quarterback Shad Jergenson threw a 30-yard touchdown pass and ran across the two-point conversion in the closing seconds as Canadian pulled out a 29-28 win over Sanford-Fritch Friday night.

Jergenson's TD pass to Trent Butcher pulled the Wildcats within one, 28-27, with 21 seconds to go in the game.

S-F had rallied to take the lead in the second half after trailing Canadian, 21-0, at intermission.

Jergenson threw for 156 yards and two touchdowns. He hooked up with Butcher for a 38-yard score in the first quarter.

J.K. Hester and Steven Flowers scored Canadian's other two touchdowns. Hester ran for a 30-yard TD while Flowers bucked over from the three.

Chad Mullens scored three times for S-F on runs of 34, 41 and 47 yards.

S-F ended up with more total yards, 403 to 335.

Canadian, 1-1 on the season, hosts Shamrock for its homecoming game next Friday night.

Groom 38, Woodson 12

GUTHRIE — Brian Baker ran for three touchdowns and 195 yards as Groom rolled to a 38-12 win over Woodson in six-man action Friday night.

"Woodson has a really good team. We needed a victory over a tough team," said Terry O'Dell, who is in first year as coach at Groom.

One of Baker's touchdown scampers covered 60 yards.

Groom's Paul McLaughlin, who rushed for 142 yards, ran for two TD's, including a 70-yard jaunt, while teammate Rhett Patterson blocked a punt and recovered it in the end zone.

Groom has a 2-0 record while Woodson is 1-1. The Tigers tackle Sammorwood at home next Friday night.

Lefors 50, Vernon 25

VERNON — The Lefors Pirates stayed unbeaten with a 50-25 win over Vernon Northside in a six-man game Friday night.

Dusty Helfer ran for four touchdowns as Lefors went 2-0 on the season. Helfer, a freshman, rushed for 143 yards on 13 carries. His touchdown runs covered 35, 30, 5 and 4 yards.

Overall, Lefors coach Ronny Miller was pleased with the way his Pirates played despite a lead-in in the second half.

"Once we had a good lead I think we lost our concentration and let them back in it," Miller said. "We played pretty good overall, however."

The Pirates built a 22-6 lead in the first quarter.

Mickey Nunn was Lefors' leading rusher with 176 yards on 15 carries. He also scored a 36-yard touchdown. Andy Swires caught a 15-yard

TD pass and Gary Wyatt ran back an interception 44 yards for a TD.

For the game, Lefors had 530 total yards compared to 356 for Vernon.

Wheeler 12, Throckmorton 0

THROCKMORTON — Wheeler scored all its points in the first half and the Mustangs' defense shut down Throckmorton in a 12-0 win Friday night.

Mark Marshall led Wheeler's rushing attack with 99 yards on 22 carries and a two-yard touchdown plunge. Quarterback Jason Beers ran across from 17 yards out.

Wheeler is now 2-0 on the season while Throckmorton dropped to 0-2.

The Mustangs travel to Quanah next Friday night.

McLean 40, Follett 6

FOLLETT — McLean scored 32 points in the third quarter enroute to a 40-6 win over Follett in a six-man tilt Friday night.

Destry Magee led McLean's offensive show with three touchdowns on runs of 34, 9 and 4 yards. Daniel Harris scored twice from 41 and 45 yards out for the Tigers, who are 1-1 for the season.

McLean had led by only 8-6 at halftime.

The Tigers chalked up 374 yards in total offense. Follett had 137 total yards.

McLean visits Silvertown next Friday night.



(Staff photo by Stan Pollard)
Canadian Wildcat quarterback Shad Jergenson (10) turns the corner for a first down in third-quarter action Friday. Canadian defeated Sanford-Fritch, 29-28.

Silvertown 28, Miami 12

SILVERTOWN — Silvertown scored 20 points in the fourth quarter for a 28-12 six-man win over Miami Friday night.

Brian West and Brian Martin scored two touchdowns each for the Owls, who remain undefeated at 2-0.

Matthew Neighbors scored both

TD's for Miami, one on a 62-yard interception return and the other on a 22-yard run.

Miami led 12-8 after three quarters, but six turnovers led to the Warriors' downfall.

Happy 35, White Deer 0

HAPPY — Happy's defense limit-

ed White Deer to 99 total yards in a 35-0 win Friday night.

White Deer is 1-1 on the season while Happy is 2-0.

Todd McCarter, who scored two touchdowns, rushed for 126 yards on 16 carries for Happy.

Happy led 14-0 at halftime.

The Bucks are at home against Spearman on Friday night.

Wolverines defeat Notre Dame, 24-14

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) — Desmond Howard scored on a 29-yard reverse and a spectacular 25-yard diving catch as third-ranked Michigan beat No. 7 Notre Dame 24-14 Saturday to snap a four-game losing streak against the Irish.

Notre Dame (1-1) cut Michigan's lead to 17-13 in the third quarter on a 35-yard TD pass from Rick Mirer to Tony Smith.

But the Wolverines (2-0) regained a 10-point lead with 9:02 left in the game when Elvis Grbac pump faked on a fourth-and-1 and threw a lob pass to a tightly covered Howard, who dove and caught it with both hands in the right corner of the end zone.

Notre Dame didn't cross midfield the rest of the way as Michigan won its eighth straight game.

It was the sixth touchdown in two games for Howard, a junior who caught three TD passes and scored on a 93-yard kickoff return in a 35-13 victory over Boston College last week.

The victory ended four years of

frustration against Notre Dame, which won its three previous games against Michigan by a total of 11 points. It also ended Notre Dame's 14-game winning streak over Big Ten teams, which included a season-opening 49-27 win over Indiana.

Michigan's Ricky Powers rushed for 164 yards and one touchdown on 38 carries. It was his sixth straight game over 100 yards.

Grbac completed 20 of 22 passes for 195 yards with no interceptions. Mirer was 13-of-25 for 226 yards with one interception.

Michigan got off to a good start when Lance Dottin intercepted a pass by Mirer on the second play of the game and returned it 6 yards to the Notre Dame 42. The Wolverines then drove to the Irish 5 before settling for a 23-yard field goal by J.D. Carlson.

The Wolverines made it 10-0 midway through the second period on the reverse by Howard, who took a handoff from Powers, sidestepped Rod Smith at the 25 and dashed into the end zone. The touchdown

capped an 82-yard, 11-play drive that featured three completions by Grbac and three runs for 20 yards by Powers.

On its next series, Notre Dame moved to the Michigan 20 on a 46-yard pass from Mirer to Derek Brown. But two plays later, Tony Brooks fumbled and the ball was recovered by Michigan's Erick Anderson.

The Wolverines then started another long drive, going 80 yards in 14 plays and eating up almost seven minutes before Powers scored on a 16-yard draw to make it 17-0 with 1:49 remaining in the half. Grbac kept the drive alive three times with third-down completions.

Michigan center Steve Everitt broke his jaw on the TD play, was placed on a stretcher and driven off the field on a cart.

Notre Dame finally scored with 17 seconds left in the half on a 3-yard pass from Mirer to Jerome Bettis. Mirer was 4-for-4 during the 65-yard drive, including a 20-yard pass to Lake Dawson.

Area High School Football Statistics

Canadian.....	29	Lefors.....	50	Silvertown.....	28				
Fritch.....	28	Vernon.....	25	Miami.....	12				
Canadian	14	Lefors	22	Silvertown	0	8	0	20	28
Fritch	0	Vernon	6	Miami	0	6	6	0	12
Canadian	S-F	Lefors	Vernon	Silvertown	Miami				
First Downs	20	14	12	15	7				
Yards Rushing	166	439	230	337	126				
Yards Passing	169	91	126	89	30				
Total Yards	335	530	356	426	156				
Comp-Att.	11-25	0-0	1-20	5-6	8-16				
Interceptions by	1	3-1	3-1	Interceptions By	4				
Punts-Avg.	2-36	8-65	6-40	Punts-Avg.	1-35	3-26			
Fumbles-Lost	2			Fumbles-Lost	3-3	3-2			
Penalties-Yards	9-95			Penalties-Yards	6-65	4-15			
McLean.....	40	Groom.....	38	Happy.....	35				
Follett.....	6	Woodson.....	12	White Deer.....	0				
McLean	8	Groom	12	Happy	14	0	21	0	35
Follett	0	Woodson	6	White Deer	0	0	0	0	0
McLean	Follett	Groom	Woodson	Happy	White Deer				
First Downs	16	13	9	First Downs	17	5			
Yards Rushing	321	396	80	Yards Rushing	279	100			
Yards Passing	53	35	0	Yards Passing	62	-1			
Total Yards	374	411	80	Total Yards	341	99			
Comp-Att.	6-16	3-7	8-0	Comp-Att.	6-12	1-4			
Interceptions by	0	-	-	Interceptions by	0	0			
Punts-Avg.	2-25	0-0	3-35	Punts-Avg.	3-3	2-2			
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-1	2-2	Fumbles-Lost					
Penalties-Yards	6-31			Penalties-Yards					

Baylor blocks FG attempt to rally past Colorado, 16-14

By JOHN MOSSMAN
AP Sports Writer

BOULDER, Colo. (AP) — Baylor ought to bottle it and apply for a patent, this habit of blocking field goals and recovering on the other end of the field to set up their own scores.

For the second time in two years, the Bears turned another team's scoring opportunity to their own advantage when Santana Dotson blocked a field goal attempt to set up teammate Jeff Ireland's clinching 3-pointer with 51 seconds left Saturday, rallying No. 23 Baylor past No. 12 Colorado 16-14.

Last year, the Bears blocked a Texas Tech field goal and finally recovered the bounding ball at the Tech 1-yard line, setting up a tying touchdown in the second quarter and sparking a 21-15 victory.

On Saturday, the timing was even better. Colorado had just recovered a Baylor fumble and appeared primed to add to its 14-13 lead with three minutes remaining.

"We were yelling 'Texas Tech, Texas Tech' on the sideline," Baylor coach Grant Teaff said. "Last year we had our backs to the wall and we blocked a field goal and it ended up turning the game around, and that's what we were thinking today. Santana may have won the Lombardi with that block."

Dotson, a 6-foot-5, 264-pound senior defensive tackle, is one of 12 semifinalists for the Lombardi Award, which goes to the nation's top lineman.

Teaff called the game a "head-knocker. It ended up going 15

rounds, and we got lucky. They got a big break (with the fumble recovery), but then we made our own break.

"I've said all along this team was special because of what they learned last year. A team that never gives up, wins. Today they would not give up, they would not quit."

Colorado coach Bill McCartney said Dotson was able to penetrate and make the block because "one of our young linemen (freshman Clint Moore) blocked down when he should have blocked out."

Moments earlier, Colorado (1-1) had recovered a Baylor fumble at the Bears' 30-yard line. After marching to the 6, the Buffs lined up for a 24-yard attempt by Jim Harper, but Dotson stormed in and blocked it. The ball careened back across midfield, where the Bears' Brian Hand picked it up and returned it 13 yards to the Colorado 30. Tailback David Mims had a 13-yard run to help move the Bears (2-0) in position for Ireland's 35-yard game-winner.

"It's one thing to block a kick and another to have it end up on the other end of the field," McCartney said. "It was the kind of game I thought it would be, a close game that wasn't decided until the fourth quarter. We made mistakes, but you expect young kids to make mistakes. I felt we played hard and could very well have won the game. We didn't win because we didn't convert that field goal."

The loss snapped Colorado's winning streak, the nation's longest, at 11 games.

Baylor, trailing 7-3 at the half despite dominating the first 30 min-

utes, went ahead on J.J. Joe's 74-yard touchdown pass to Melvin Bonner early in the third quarter. Joe and Bonner subsequently hooked up on a 24-yard pass to set up Ireland's 40-yarder for a 13-7 lead with 3:11 left in the third period.

But Colorado rebounded on its next series to reclaim the lead. Darin Hagan passed 14 yards to Rico Smith to start the drive, and freshman tailback Kent Kahl finished it, sweeping the left side with a pitchout from 10 yards out on the first play of the final period.

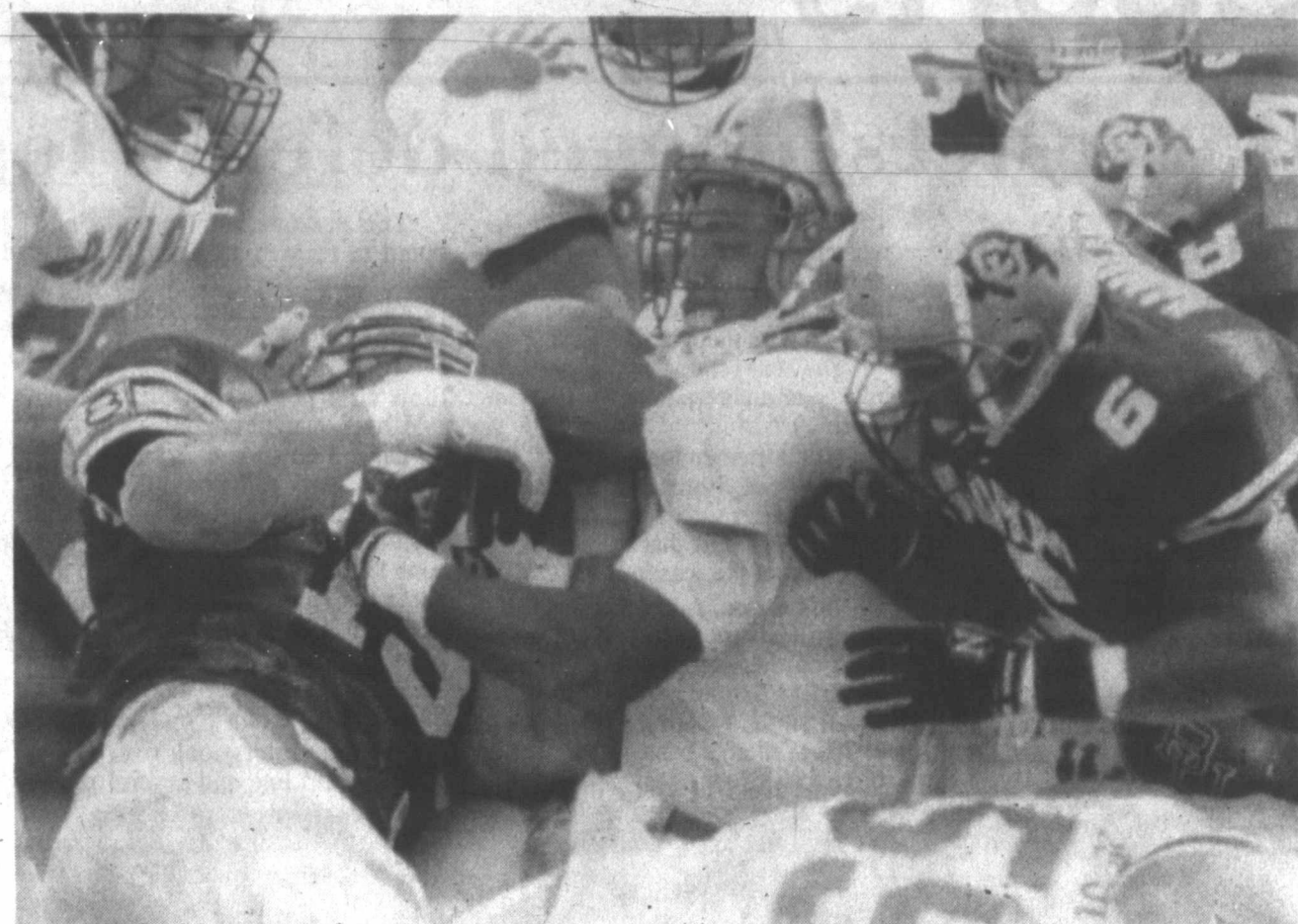
The Buffs, who had won a school-record-tying 15 straight home games, then forced a turnover midway through the final quarter. Split end Lee Miles caught a short pass but was hit by safety Greg Lindsey and fumbled, and cornerback Deon Figures raced 16 yards with the loose ball to the Baylor 30 with 7:02 remaining.

Wingback Michael Westbrook took a pitchout and, apparently intending to pass across the field to Hagan, instead ran for 17 yards to the 14, but the Bears held and the Buffs had to settle for the ill-fated field goal try.

After Ireland's clincher, Colorado launched a desperation drive in the final minute, reaching the Baylor 45. But Hagan's long pass was intercepted by cornerback Frankie Smith.

Baylor crossed midfield four times in the first half but came up only with a field goal to trail the Buffs 7-3. The Bears had 218 total yards compared to Colorado's 117 and maintained possession more than twice as long.

Colorado squandered a first-quarter



Colorado linebacker Greg Biekert, left, forces the football loose from Baylor fullback Robert Strait, center, during action Saturday at Colorado.

scoring opportunity. Hagan's 28-yard punt return put the Buffs at the Baylor 29-yard line. But on second-and-goal from the 4, Hagan and center Jay Leeuwenburg miscommunicated on a planned quarterback sneak, and the fumbled snap was recovered by Baylor's Curtis Hafford.

The Buffs later marched 70 yards

in five plays for the lone TD of the half. Hagan completed all three of his passes on the drive, including a 26-yarder to tight end Sean Brown for the score with 14:27 left in the half.

Baylor countered with a 64-yard drive culminating in Ireland's 41-yard field goal. A key play on the

drive was Joe's 21-yard run which resulted in a 36-yard gain when Colorado was whistled for tackling out of bounds at the end of the play.

Joe's 8-yard run on fourth-and-1 kept another march alive just before intermission, but Ireland's 26-yard field goal try was blocked by Greg Thomas.

Sooners stomp determined North Texas, 40-2

By MICHAEL SMITH
Associated Press Writer

NORMAN, Okla. (AP) — North Texas coach Dennis Parker knew going into Saturday's game with No. 9 Oklahoma that the Sooners had everything going for them.

The only consolation for North Texas was a big payday for the school, because it certainly was the Sooners who cashed in on the field with a 40-2 victory.

Still, the Eagles forced three turnovers and played tough defense, things Parker will be happy to take back to Denton.

"I tried to tell our kids to never give up and to make the University of North Texas and the community proud of them," Parker said.

The Sooners sputtered offensively but shut down an Eagles offense that returned only three starters, all sophomores.

"I have to feel that a lot of our problems was a lack of communications between our guards and tackles," Oklahoma coach Gary Gibbs said. "The youth we have at guard ... hurt us because they had not seen the type of defense that North Texas threw at us."

"In the first game there are always some crazy things that can happen and they did today," Gibbs said. "I thought our defense dominated the game."

Fullback Mike McKinley had two 1-yard touchdown runs and Cale Gundy threw for another score as

the Sooners rang up 361 yards of offense.

Gundy completed eight of 15 passes for 85 yards and was intercepted once.

Although the Eagles didn't get untracked in the game, Parker found some reason for encouragement on defense.

Linemen Bruce Walker, Noel Crum and David Burns led a front four that sacked Gundy three times and stuffed several Oklahoma running plays.

On Oklahoma's opening possession, the Eagles sacked Gundy for a 13-yard loss on the first play. They followed that by recovering Ted Long's fumble at the 37.

The Eagles then drove to the Oklahoma 23 before Kevin McDaniel missed a 39-yard field goal attempt.

North Texas held Oklahoma scoreless until early in the second quarter when Ernest Williams scored from 3 yards out. But Tomur Barnes blocked the extra-point attempt by Brad Riddell and Keith Wilkerson picked up the bouncing ball at the 30 and sprinted untouched down the sideline for a safety.

"The 2-point runback was the highlight of my two-game career," Parker said. "The kids showed a lot of character after just being scored on by going out and blocking the kick."

Riddell missed another extra point and field goal attempts of 32 and 24 yards in the half.

"We spent extra time in our fall camp (on kicking) and today it just blew up in our face. We were very inconsistent," Gibbs said.

Oklahoma returned the game's opening kickoff to its own 45, but stalled and Long dropped the ball after he caught a 5-yard pass at the 37.

North Texas completed a short pass on its second play from scrimmage, fumbled and recovered for a 17-yard gain. The drive stalled when McDaniel missed.

On its next possession, Oklahoma drove from its 23 to the North Texas 7, highlighted by Gundy's 23-yard scramble, the longest play of the half for the Sooners. But Riddell missed a 24-yarder.

Oklahoma pinned the Eagles deep in their territory on their next possession, but North Texas quick-kicked 55 yards on third down.

After the kickoff that followed North Texas' safety, Oklahoma's Proctor Land intercepted Wendell Mosley's pass and returned it to the North Texas 16. The Eagles stopped Oklahoma in three plays and Riddell missed a 32-yard field goal.

On the next series, linebacker Mike Coats blocked a North Texas punt and John Anderson recovered at the 1. Gundy sneaked in for the score on the next play.

Coats then intercepted a pass at the 16 and returned it to the 8. McKinley scored on a 1-yard run to make it 20-2.



Oklahoma tailback Mike Gaddis (32) tries for a steal.

Central Michigan upsets No. 18 Michigan State

By The Associated Press

The idea was to open with a breather. That's exactly what Central Michigan did.

The Chippewas were "an opponent," one of those teams that takes a big payday to play at a major school. They were to provide a tune-up for Michigan State on Saturday.

Apparently no one told Central Michigan, which rode the 162 rushing yards by workhorse Billy Smith to a 20-3 victory over the 18th-ranked Spartans.

"It's the biggest in the history of the school, simply put," Smith said after carrying the ball 40 times.

"Once our offense put points on the board, we came together as a defensive unit," said Lamar Sally, who had three sacks. "This is Big Ten, Michigan State, you know. What can you do? I am happy we won. ... I never dreamed it would be like this."

Central Michigan did not pull the only surprise Saturday. No. 23 Baylor went to Colorado and beat the 12th-ranked Buffaloes, the defending national champions, 16-14.

Central Michigan 20, No. 18 Michigan State 3

Smith had a 15-yard TD run for the Mid-American Conference team that is 2-0-1 this year. His touchdown came with 52 seconds left in the first half and put the Chippewas up 7-0. Jeff Bender and wide receiver Ken Ealy teamed for a 57-yard scoring pass, and Chuck Selinger's field goals of 22 and 32 yards finished Central Michigan's scoring.

Michigan State avoided a shutout with Jim DeVere's 45-yard field goal in the third quarter, and the

Spartans couldn't capitalize on two first-quarter interceptions.

"It was a lousy game for us and a great game for Central Michigan. They played as well as they probably can play, which was good enough to beat us," Michigan State coach George Perles said.

No. 11 Tennessee 30, No. 21 UCLA 16

At Knoxville, the Volunteers made some big plays to take control. Substitute defensive back Tracy Smith returned an interception 38

yards for a touchdown and Darryl Hardy's block of a punt resulted in another score.

Smith, a converted tailback, stepped in front of the Sean LaChapelle at the UCLA 38 to pick off Tommy Maddox's pass on the first play of the fourth quarter for a 23-9 lead.

Despite having its ground game shut down all day, Tennessee never trailed. Andy Kelly completed 25 of 35 passes for 275 yards and a touchdown, with three interceptions, for Tennessee (2-0). Carl Pickens had

six receptions for 104 yards and a touchdown.

No. 13 Nebraska 71, Colorado St. 14

At Lincoln, Derek Brown ran for 121 yards and two touchdowns, while Omar Soto and redshirt freshman Calvin Jones added two touchdowns each for the Cornhuskers (2-0), who rolled up 696 yards in total offense and 529 yards rushing.

Nebraska, which had 787 yards in total offense and 617 rushing in its opening 59-28 win against Utah State, had 309 yards rushing and 429 in total offense to lead 43-0 at the half.

No. 14 Iowa 29, Iowa State 10

Matt Rodgers threw a 46-yard touchdown pass to Danan Hughes off a flea-flicker on Iowa's second play and the visiting Hawkeyes scored three times in the first 8 1/2 minutes. Iowa (2-0) capitalized on Iowa State mistakes in beating the Cyclones (1-1) for the ninth straight time.

The Hawkeyes turned two fumbles and an interception of Iowa State quarterback Chris Pedersen into 13 first-half points, and blocked a punt out of the end zone for a safety in the second half.

No. 17 Georgia Tech 30, Boston College 14

Visiting Georgia Tech evened its record as Rodney Wilkerson rushed for his first two college touchdowns and Shawn Jones ran for two in the second half. Jones rushed 12 times for 91 yards, including touchdowns of 14 and 35 yards, and completed 15 of 29 passes for 224 yards.

It wasn't a smooth performance

by last year's only unbeaten Division I-A team, which lost 34-22 to Penn State in the Kickoff Classic last month. The Yellow Jackets were intercepted twice and had a punt blocked by Boston College (0-3). But BC had a tougher half, with four sacks, two interceptions, two blocked field goal attempts, a safety and a lost fumble.

No. 19 Ohio State 23, Louisville 15

Butler By'not'e scored two touchdowns, then host Ohio State, which led 16-0 in the fourth quarter, turned back a last-minute march by Louisville. The Cardinals (1-2) drove to the Ohio State 12 on their final possession, needing a touchdown and two-point conversion to tie the score. But Erik Watts' fourth-down pass fell incomplete in the end zone.

Watts, a graduate student making his first collegiate start in his fifth year in the program, completed 22 of 43 passes for 303 yards with three interceptions.

No. 20 Texas A&M 45, LSU 7

Greg Hill, the highly touted replacement for All-American Darren Lewis, set a major-college record for rushing yards in his first game with 212 and also scored twice for host Texas A&M. Hill erased the record for a freshman in his first game of 207 yards, ironically set against Texas A&M by Baylor's Walter Abercrombie in 1978.

Hill, who carried 30 times, scored on runs of 22 and 7 yards and added a twisting 35-yard run in the Aggies' opener. It was A&M's biggest victory over the Tigers (0-2) since a 47-0 beating in 1922.

Results of AP top 25

By The Associated Press

How the top 25 teams in the Associated Press' college football poll fared Saturday:

1. Florida State (2-0) vs. Western Michigan. Next: at No. 3 Michigan, Sept. 28.

2. Miami (2-0) did not play. Next: at Tulsa, Sept. 28.

3. Michigan (2-0) beat No. 7 Notre Dame 24-14. Next: vs. No. 1 Florida State, Sept. 28.

4. Washington (1-0) did not play. Next: at No. 13 Nebraska, Saturday.

5. Penn State (2-0) vs. Southern Cal. Next: vs. Brigham Young, Saturday.

6. Florida (1-0) vs. No. 16 Alabama. Next: at No. 22 Syracuse, Saturday.

7. Notre Dame (1-1) lost to No. 3 Michigan 24-14. Next: vs. No. 18 Michigan State, Saturday.

8. Clemson (1-0) did not play. Next: vs. Temple, Saturday.

9. Oklahoma (1-0) beat North Texas 40-2. Next: vs. Utah State, Saturday.

10. Houston (1-1) did not play. Next: at Illinois, Saturday.

11. Tennessee (2-0) beat No. 21 UCLA 30-16. Next: vs. No. 25 Mississippi State, Saturday.

12. Colorado (1-1) lost to No. 23 Baylor 16-14. Next: vs. Minnesota, Saturday.

13. Nebraska (2-0) beat Colorado State 71-14. Next: vs. No. 4 Washington, Saturday.

14. Iowa (2-0) beat Iowa State 29-10. Next: vs. Northern Illinois, Sept. 28.

15. Auburn (1-0) vs. Mississippi. Next: at Texas, Saturday.

16. Alabama (1-0) at No. 6 Florida. Next: vs. Georgia, Saturday.

17. Georgia Tech (1-1) beat Boston College 30-14. Next: vs. Virginia, Saturday.

18. Michigan State (0-1) lost to Central Michigan 20-3. Next: at No. 7 Notre Dame, Saturday.

19. Ohio State (2-0) beat Louisville 23-15. Next: vs. Washington State, Saturday.

20. Texas A&M (1-0) beat LSU 45-7. Next: at Tulsa, Saturday.

21. UCLA (1-1) lost to No. 11 Tennessee 30-16. Next: at San Diego State, Sept. 26.

22. Syracuse (1-0) at Maryland. Next: vs. No. 6 Florida, Saturday.

23. Baylor (2-0) beat No. 12 Colorado 16-14. Next: vs. Missouri, Saturday.

24. Pittsburgh (3-0) beat Temple 26-7. Next: at Minnesota, Sept. 28.

25. Mississippi State (1-0) vs. Tulane. Next: at No. 11 Tennessee, Saturday.



Texas A&M freshman Greg Hill (27), left, makes quick work of scoring by breezing past LSU's Anthony Marshall.

Extra-inning victory puts Braves back in the driver's seat

By ED SHEARER
AP Sports Writer

ATLANTA (AP) — It took awhile, but neither a downpour nor the Dodgers could stop the Atlanta Braves on Saturday.

Ron Gant's bases-loaded single off the left-field fence with two outs in the 11th inning drove in the winning run that put the Braves back in first place in the NL West with a 3-2 victory over Los Angeles.

The Braves lost a national television audience because of a 1-hour, 19-minute rain delay in the first inning, and were in danger of losing for the second straight day when the Dodgers scored two early runs.

The Braves, however, bounced back to take a one-half game lead over Los Angeles. They won it against Roger McDowell (8-9), the seventh Dodgers pitcher.

Pinch hitter Jerry Willard drew a leadoff walk in the 11th and was replaced by pinch runner Keith Mitchell. Terry Pendleton dumped a bloop double to left, and David Justice was walked intentionally, loading the bases before Gant's hit scored Mitchell with the winner.

It was Atlanta's eighth victory in nine games, and was only its fifth win in 14 meetings with the

Dodgers this season. Los Angeles had won four straight against the Braves and still holds a 6-2 edge in Atlanta.

The Dodgers had their three-game winning streak stopped. The team wrap up the series Sunday, and then play three times next weekend at Dodger Stadium.

Jim Clancy (2-4) pitched two scoreless innings for the victory. A crowd of 44,773 saw the 4-hour, 10-minute game.

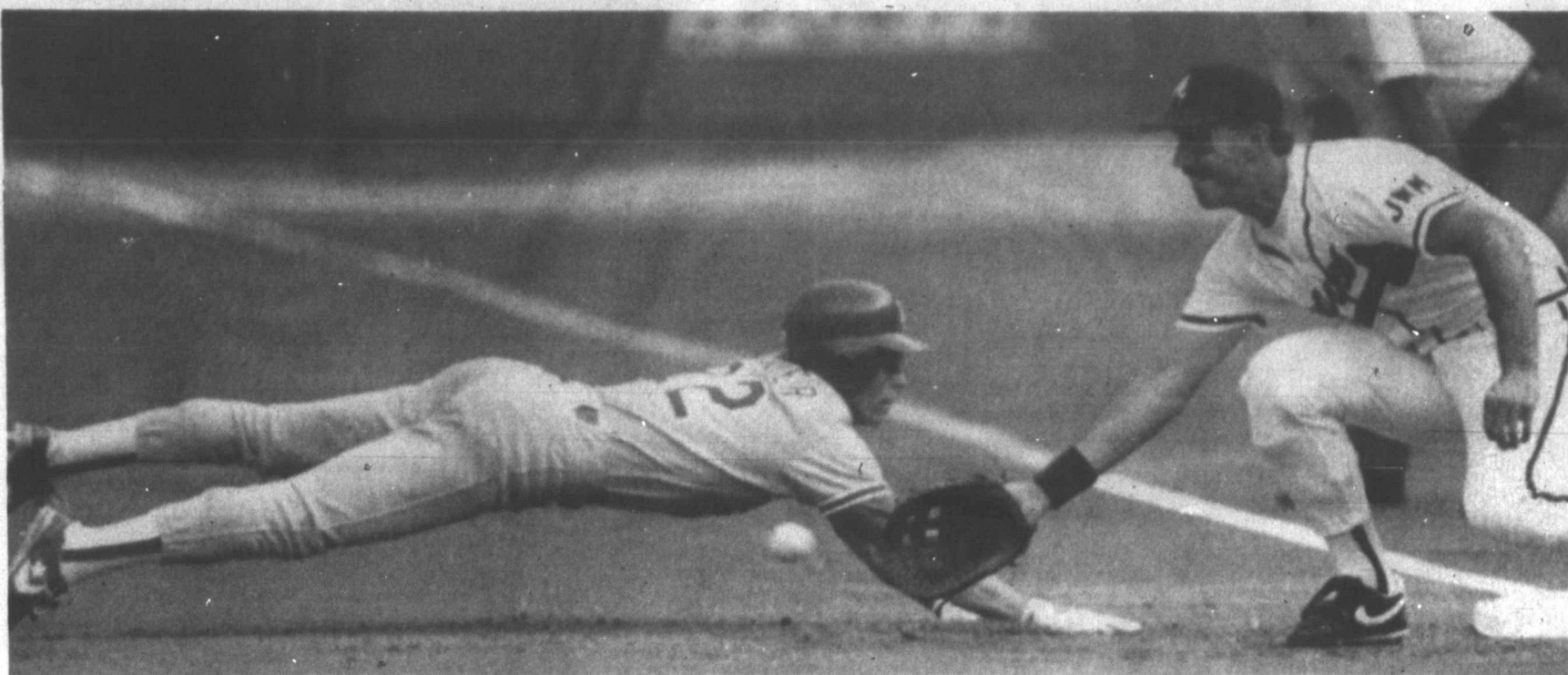
The Braves put runners at first and second with one out in the ninth. But reliever John Candelaria struck out Justice before McDowell got Gant on a grounder.

The Braves tied it 2 in the fifth when they ended a string of 19 1-3 scoreless innings by the Los Angeles bullpen.

Atlanta got the run on consecutive singles by Jeff Treadway, Pendleton and Justice off Kevin Gross.

The Dodgers took a 2-0 lead in the first inning before the game was delayed by rain. Because of the long delay, CBS-TV shifted its national telecast to the Oakland-Toronto game.

Just as he had in Friday night's series-opening, 5-2 victory by the Dodgers, Brett Butler began the game with a walk. Television replays



Los Angeles Dodgers Brett Butler dives back to first base Saturday to beat a pickoff attempt by Atlanta Braves pitcher John Smoltz to first baseman Sid Bream in the first inning at Atlanta.

showed that pitcher John Smoltz picked off Butler at first, but umpire Steve Ripple called him safe.

Two outs later, Butler went to third on Eddie Murray's single and Kal Daniels followed with a triple

past Gant in center.

The Braves cut the lead to 2-1 in the third inning when starter Tim Lincecum lost his control. Smoltz drew a leadoff walk, went to second on a single by Otis Nixon and both

runners advanced on a wild pitch. After Belcher retired the next two batters, he issued consecutive walks to Justice and Gant, forcing home a run.

Belcher made his start since leav-

ing last Monday's game at Cincinnati with a pulled right groin. Smoltz, who had lost four previous decisions to the Dodgers this year, was lifted for a pinch-hitter in the sixth.

Giants face Bears, 49ers meet Vikings in Sunday action

By DAVE GOLDBERG
AP Football Writer

All the signs point to it. This should be the week that Tom Tupa and the Phoenix Upstarts — er, Cardinals — learn the NFL facts of life.

Tupa, the Cardinals and that defense that's forced 13 turnovers in two road upsets, head into RFK Stadium Sunday to meet the Redskins, who have scored 78 points in two wins and are the NFC's best team ... this week at least.

One fact to ponder: the Cardinals haven't won in 13 games in Washington going back to 1978 and are 4-26 overall against the Redskins in the last 15 seasons.

Another (strange) fact: The Redskins haven't started 3-0 since 1982, the year they won their first Super Bowl. Not so oddly, the last time the Cardinals were 3-0 was 1974.

And a third fact: Twice in the last six seasons, the Cards have started

2-0 and finished ... well ... 5-11 both times.

And a fourth: Phoenix coach Joe Bugel is returning to the place where he built the Hogs into one of the NFL's top offensive lines. Washington's offensive line coach is Jim Hanifan, who coached the Cardinals from 1980 to 1985.

Most people don't run on the Redskins. They can throw on the Redskins, who will be missing strong safety Alvin Walton.

But Tupa, subbing for the injured Timm Rosenbach, has completed just 43 percent of his passes, although he did average 36 yards a completion in going 6 for 19 in the 26-10 win in Philadelphia last week.

"I think it's a misconception that people think we are afraid to throw the football," Bugel says. "No, we're not afraid to throw the football."

If they can't run, they'll have to.

In other games Sunday, Miami is

at Detroit as Don Shula goes for his 300th win as an NFL coach.

New England at Pittsburgh; the New York Giants at Chicago; Philadelphia at Dallas; Tampa Bay at Green Bay; San Francisco at Minnesota; Cincinnati at Cleveland; Seattle at Denver; Atlanta at San Diego; Buffalo at the New York Jets; Indianapolis at Los Angeles Raiders and the Los Angeles Rams at New Orleans in the Sunday night game.

Giants (1-1) at Chicago (2-0) — The Ray Handley era is six games old (counting exhibitions) and a pattern has emerged — win one, lose one; beat the good teams (Buffalo and San Francisco); lose to the lesser ones (Patriots, Browns and Rams).

This is a "win" week and the Bears are an "up" team, so draw your conclusion.

What may also help is that Rodney Hampton, last seen when he broke his leg in last season's 31-3

playoff victory over Chicago in the Meadowlands, is finally ready to play after missing the first two games with a shoulder problem. Hampton and Dave Meggett in the backfield at the same time are tough to key on.

Like the Giants, the Bears have had their problems on offense — Neal Anderson, their workhorse, gained just 35 yards on 17 carries in the one-point win in Tampa last week.

This week they get back guard Mark Bortz and fullback Brad Muster.

"We need all our horses," says Mike Ditka. "These are the world champions we're playing, not Hoboken High."

San Francisco (1-1) at Minnesota (1-1) —

Maybe Steve Young isn't Joe Montana, but the Vikings have seen enough of him — he ran 49 yards with 1:58 left in 1988 to beat them. He could do it again — Keith Mil-

lard, the key to the Minnesota defensive line is out indefinitely, maybe for the season, with continuing knee trouble.

The Vikings are coming off their first outdoor win in 19 games and Herschel Walker's first 100-yard game since his debut in Minnesota two years ago. After Jerry Rice complained Young didn't throw to him in the opening week loss to the Giants, he caught nine passes for 150 yards in the 34-14 win over San Diego.

Rams (1-1) at New Orleans (2-0) —

The Saints, 2-0 for the first time in their 25-year history, are having their most trouble with fans, who hadn't experienced a winning season until Jim Mora showed up in 1987. Their complaint — the Saints blew a 17-point lead before beating Seattle and almost did it again in Kansas City last week.

John Robinson is using the psychological approach so far this year. After the Rams lost to the Cards, turning the ball over seven times, he said "we're not that bad." After they upset the

Giants last week, he announced "we caught them on a down week." Miami (1-1) at Detroit (1-1) —

This could make Shula just the second coach in NFL history to win 300 games and would put him just 25 behind George Halas, the all-time leader.

Both teams came to life last week after opening week losses and in similar fashion — with improved and unexpected defense.

Detroit's comeback was more dramatic, if only because it was so embarrassing in a 45-0 nationally televised loss in Washington. The Lions held the Packers to 253 yards in their victory even though Barry Sanders (18 carries for 42 yards) was just so-so after missing the opener.

The Dolphins continue to get surprising rushing yardage from Mark Higgs, who had 111 yards in the 17-6 win over the Colts and is second in the league in rushing after two weeks.

Major League standings

By The Associated Press

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Toronto	80	62	.563	—
Boston	76	65	.539	3 1/2
Detroit	74	67	.525	5 1/2
Milwaukee	66	73	.475	12 1/2
New York	60	80	.429	19
Baltimore	59	82	.418	20 1/2
Cleveland	46	94	.329	33

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Minnesota	85	56	.603	—
Chicago	77	65	.542	8 1/2
Texas	74	65	.532	10
Oakland	75	67	.528	10 1/2
Kansas City	71	68	.511	13
Seattle	70	69	.504	14
California	70	70	.500	14 1/2

Friday's Games

Late Games Not Included

Boston 5, New York 4

Baltimore 5, Cleveland 4

Toronto 7, Oakland 6

Seattle at Kansas City, (n)

Detroit 3, Milwaukee 2

Minnesota at Texas, (n)

Chicago at California, (n)

Saturday's Games

Boston (Hesketh 10-3) at New York (Sanderson 14-9), 1:30 p.m.

Oakland (Welch 11-11) at Toronto (Candiotti 12-11), 3 p.m.

Chicago (A. Fernandez 8-12) at California (Langston 17-7), 3:15 p.m.

Cleveland (Swindell 8-14) at Baltimore (Milacki 9-8), 7:35 p.m.

Seattle (Krueger 10-7) at Kansas City (Appier 11-9), 8:05 p.m.

Detroit (Aldred 0-3) at Milwaukee (Plesac 1-6), 8:35 p.m.

Minnesota (Edens 1-1) at Texas (Boyd 1-5), 8:35 p.m.

Sunday's Games

Cleveland at Baltimore, 1:35 p.m.

Oakland at Toronto, 1:35 p.m.

Detroit at Milwaukee, 2:35 p.m.

Seattle at Kansas City, 2:35 p.m.

Minnesota at Texas, 3:05 p.m.

Chicago at California, 4:05 p.m.

Boston at New York, 8:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Pittsburgh	84	57	.596	—
St. Louis	73	67	.521	10 1/2
Chicago	69	72	.489	15
New York	68	72	.489	15
Philadelphia	66	75	.468	18
Montreal	62	78	.443	21 1/2

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	81	61	.570	—
Los Angeles	81	62	.566	1/2
San Diego	73	70	.510	8 1/2
Cincinnati	69	72	.489	11 1/2
San Francisco	64	78	.451	17
Houston	57	84	.404	23 1/2

Friday's Games

Montreal 3, Chicago 2

Cincinnati 13, Houston 2

Pittsburgh 8, Philadelphia 6

Los Angeles 5, Atlanta 2

New York 4, St. Louis 2, 10 innings

San Diego 13, San Francisco 2

Saturday's Games

Late Games Not Included

Atlanta 3, Los Angeles 2, 11 innings

San Diego 3, San Francisco 1

Houston at Cincinnati, (n)

Pittsburgh at Philadelphia, (n)

Montreal at Chicago, (n)

New York at St. Louis, (n)

Sunday's Games

Pittsburgh (Tomlin 8-5) at Philadelphia (Greene 10-7), 1:35 p.m.

Los Angeles (R. Martinez 16-10) at Atlanta (Avery 15-8), 2:10 p.m.

Houston (C. Gardner 0-1) at Cincinnati (Rijo 13-4), 2:15 p.m.

New York (Schourek 3-3) at St. Louis (Cormier 2-3), 2:15 p.m.

Montreal (M. Gardner 8-10) at Chicago (Sutcliffe 5-4), 2:20 p.m.

San Diego (Rasmussen 6-11) at San Francisco (Burkett 9-10), 4:05 p.m.

Monday's Games

Chicago at Pittsburgh, 7:35 p.m.

Houston at San Diego, 10:05 p.m.

Atlanta at San Francisco, 10:05 p.m.

Cincinnati at Los Angeles, 10:35 p.m.

Only games scheduled

Red Sox fumble away run, lose to Yankees

NEW YORK (AP) — Joe Morgan called it crazy. Hensley Meulens said it reminded him of Little League.

It certainly wasn't your usual major league play, and it help cost the Boston Red Sox a game on Saturday.

Boston fumbled away a run with a triple error in the second inning and stumbled a bit in the AL East race as Scott Sanderson led the New York Yankees to a 3-1 victory, ending their eight-game losing streak.

Boston, which had won nine of 10, fell 4 1/2 games behind division-leading Toronto, which beat Oakland 6-0. This was not the time for a breakdown, and when it happened, it turned into one of the season's more messed-up plays.

Pitcher Joe Hesketh, first baseman Mo Vaughn and left fielder Mike Greenwell combined to turn a simple pickoff throw into a high-speed chase. And Boston lost it.

Meulens singled and Hesketh's pickoff attempt was wide of first,

rolling between the Yankees' dugout and the tarp.

"I thought it was catchable," Hesketh said. "When I throw the ball to first, sometimes the ball tails. I think it surprised Mo a bit and came back on him."

Vaughn picked up the ball and threw toward second, but his throw was high as he avoided hitting Meulens. The ball rolled into left.

"I should have held the ball in that situation," Vaughn said. "You try to make the play to help yourself and your team, but it didn't go that way."

Greenwell rushed in and allowed the ball to kick off his glove. By the time he recovered, Meulens was able to beat his throw home.

"I was asking myself, 'Are these guys seeing those balls?'" Meulens said.

Morgan was pretty amazed.

"A good throw might have picked him off," the manager said. "A good throw at second might have flagged him. I don't know about

third. A good throw to the plate might have nailed him. That's three chances and no out. It set the tone for the game."

Hesketh (10-4) lost for only the second time in nine starts since July 29, a span that includes six wins. He allowed all three runs and nine hits in seven-plus innings.

"If I can go out and throw seven innings and give up two runs, I'll be satisfied," Hesketh said. "I don't think that's a bad out."

Sanderson (15-9) outpitched the Red Sox for the third time this season increased his career record against Boston to 5-0 as New York stopped an eight-game losing streak. He said it was too early to decide if he matched up particularly well against Boston.

"After 15 of 20 starts, then you can see a pattern emerging," he said.

Sanderson allowed three hits in eight shutout innings, struck out two and walked two.

"We can't seem to do anything

with him," Morgan said. "He moves the ball well, doesn't walk anyone and throws the ball well. He's better than I thought he was."

New York got two runs in the third. Pinch-hitter Randy Velarde doubled, took third on Steve Sax's single and scored on Don Mattingly's sacrifice fly. Sax scored on Mel Hall's RBI groundout, as Hesketh couldn't find first while covering for what could have been an inning-ending double play.

Boston scored in the ninth on Carlos Quintana's RBI single off Greg Cadaret. Steve Farr got the last out for his 19th save, finishing the five-hitter by throwing a third strike past Tony Pena with runners on first and second.

Farr was a bit confused by the large crowd at Yankee Stadium. Many Red Sox fans made the trek for the weekend series.

"I got cheered when I threw a strike. I got cheered when I threw a ball," he said. "I thought I was on a neutral field today."

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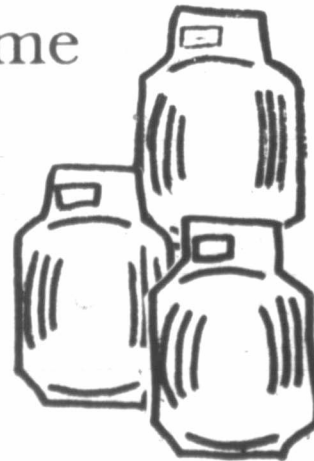
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Canyon in Pampa



(Special Photo)

Contemporary country music act "Canyon" has scheduled a concert in Pampa on Saturday night, Sept. 21, at the City Limits on South Barnes. The East Texas band with the West Texas name has been a consistent fixture on Country Music TV and national music charts since they signed with 16th Avenue Records in 1988. Their latest album is entitled *It's Always Something*. Tickets are available at the City Limits and Music Shoppe.

Soviet film wins Golden Lion Award at Venice Film Festival

VENICE, Italy (AP) — A Soviet film about a shepherd's search for contraceptives to obey China's birth control law won the top Golden Lion award Saturday at the Venice Film Festival.

"Urga" was filmed by prize-winning director Nikita Michalkov in Mongolia using non-professional actors speaking Russian, Chinese and Mongolian.

Michalkov, known for his "Oci Ciorne" (Black Eyes), said he chose the topic "because people in Russia are now too busy dealing with the past." The film's title refers to a lasso placed in front of a tent to indicate the couple inside is making love.

Portugal's veteran director Manuel de Oliveira won the Jury's Special Prize for his "Divina Comedia," set in an insane asylum where demented patients question Western values.

The jury divided the Silver Lion Prize among three films — American director Terry Gilliam's "The Fisher King," "J'entends Plus La Guitare" (I Can't Hear The Guitar) by Philippe Garrel of France, and "Red Lantern" by China's Zhang Yimou.

The jury also awarded a "Golden Lion" for career achievement to actor Gian Maria Volonte, the star of

"Una Storia Semplice," (A Simple Story). The film by Emidio Greco tells the story of a drug-trafficking police chief investigating himself.

'High Ground' marketing coalition bringing new business to Panhandle

Regional communities are aggressively pursuing new jobs for the Panhandle and the South Plains areas, reaching more than 18,000 manufacturing businesses last year, according to Jerry Hinnenkamp, chairman for public relations of High Ground of Texas.

Twenty-four Panhandle communities are members of the High Ground of Texas, a marketing coalition founded in 1989.

"The purpose of the group is a cooperative effort of drawing new jobs to the territory," Hinnenkamp said.

"I see it as an excellent opportunity for communities to work together to accomplish something they can't do alone," said member Red McNatt, executive vice president of the Pampa Area Chamber of Commerce. "There is strength in numbers and it makes sense for us to pool our resources for mutual benefit."

The group promotes the area through direct mailouts of promotional pieces to companies nationwide. The mailouts explain the benefits of relocating to the Plains of the Southwest, Hinnenkamp said.

This year the High Ground has produced two mailouts to Los Angeles, one to New York/New Jersey, and is beginning one to Chicago, Hinnenkamp said.

He also said the coalition attends national trade shows with South-

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— Red McNatt
Pampa Chamber

western Public Service, bringing a booth extolling the area to prospects. The High Ground publishes advertisements in national magazines, according to Hinnenkamp.

The High Ground has two goals, he said. One of those is to be nationally competitive in attracting business and industry to the Panhandle and South Plains. The second is to produce training for community professionals and volunteers in dealing with prospects, he said.

"I've had a lot of training in economic development from Southwestern Public Service and from the interaction with other communities," said member Rick Osburn, assistant city manager in Levelland.

Currently the High Ground has 10 active projects, Hinnenkamp said. The participating communities will send proposals to these prospective businesses when they receive the companies' criteria for a relocation site. Three businesses identified through the High Ground

have visited the area and at least one is still viable, he said.

"It's a low percentage process," Osburn said. "Eventually one will hit right for us and it will be great for everyone."

One by-product of the High Ground is that it has fostered regional cooperation, Hinnenkamp said. Previously, there was no contact between economic development people in the area but now, with four meetings a year, the High Ground provides a regional network of support, he said.

"I have been very pleased with the cooperation of the members," said Grady Elder, the executive director of the Plainview/Hale County Industrial Foundation.

Sponsorship of five local groups allowed for the start-up of the High Ground of Texas, Hinnenkamp said. They include Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, South Plains Community Action Corporation, South Plains Association of Governments, Lubbock-Garza Counties Private Industry Council and Southwestern Public Service Co.

With its \$40,000 budget this year, the group is looking at becoming more financially independent from the original sponsorship "seed money," Hinnenkamp said. Membership registration for 1992 goes out in September, he said. The membership fee is \$500 per community per year.

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The soda fountain a taste of Americana



The Corner Drug in Shamrock has been operating since 1925. Owner Jim Wakefield said, "It is a lot like the drug stores when I was a kid." The memory of the past brings people into his store, he said.



This photo was made about 10:30 a.m. on a Tuesday at the fountain at M.E. Moses. Customers were enjoying breakfast, lunch or just a cup of coffee. Waitress Jackie Gooch said, "Chatter can go from one end of this counter to the other."

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Cheryl Berzanskis

Webster defines nostalgia as wistful sentimental yearning for the return of some romanticized period or condition in the past. And indeed, styles or customs from the past come around again. People talk about the "good old days," and look back with longing for what once was.

The soda fountain once enjoyed a heyday in America. Often a fountain was housed in the back of some variety or drug store. It was the place to find a nickel ice cream cone, or the teen-age crowd after school, and probably enough coffee was served to float Noah's Ark.

But like dinosaurs which became extinct, many fountains closed, victims of the demise of small town America and the trend toward fast food and self-service shopping.

Some fountains in the Panhandle didn't make it, but a few did. In our, some are alive and well and community institutions. This gallery looks at them, their appeal and their future.

Nostalgia is one reason for the appeal of the old soda fountain. Jim Wakefield, owner of The Corner Drug, Shamrock, said the revival of Route 66 is helping business. He said some travel on Route 66 just to be on the historic highway, and then they hear of his business and stop by. He said many are fascinated by the atmosphere of the place, but disappointed when they hear his computer operate in the pharmacy area of the store, because it reminds them that they do live in the present. Collectors, too, come to his establishment and offer goodly sums of money for his antique fountain, which came from a defunct Sayre, Okla., business in 1925. Wakefield said that hardly a week goes by that someone doesn't try to buy some piece of his store-cigar case, mirrors, or the pressed tin ceiling.

Don Biggers, owner of Mahnken Family Pharmacy, Shamrock, echoed Wakefield's experience. The Route 66 revival has generated traveler/customers for his business, too, and he'd like to advertise his business as an "old fashioned soda fountain" on Interstate 40. Biggers takes another tack with his business. Not only does he capitalize on people's interest in the past, he meets their present needs, too. He said, "In a small town you, better have a blend of merchandise, and a blend of departments. I think the days are gone where you can make a living selling one thing."

Harry Vance owns H&J Pharmacy in Panhandle.

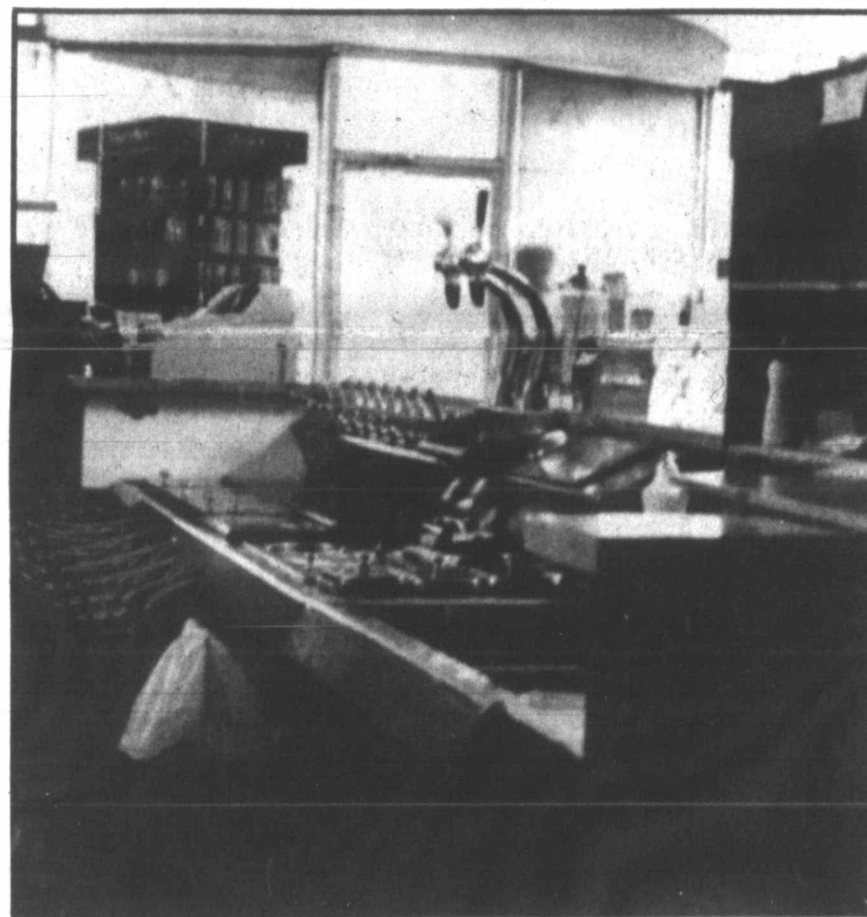
They make sodas the original way, he said, and he keeps the fountain mainly for nostalgic reasons. Other store fixtures, too, he said he keeps for nostalgia, though not for merchandising reasons. "They are just in keeping with the era," he said. Parts for the fountain are hard to come by also, but he plans to keep the fountain going.

Gary Gattis, a regular customer at M.E. Moses, Pampa, said he likes to visit the fountain because it is a "traditional old soda fountain". But there are other reasons, too. Good fellowship, is one reason, and for another, the fountain, he said, is a "listening post" for community affairs. Fountain manager and cook, Debbie McKinney, calls the customers by name. She said, "We know our customers and that's what pulls alot back in here."

Bill Hite, owner of Heard Jones Health Mart, Pampa, said he knows most of his customers, too. With the very regular customers, he said, he can tell what time of day it is by who is in his fountain area. "The Cuyler Street Breakfast Club" is group of about 20 people who "meet" at about 8 a.m., "adjourn" about 9:15 a.m., and in the mean time, swap stories, discuss sports and current events. Likewise, Hite said, some regular customers come in at about 3 p.m. for "tea time".

Menu offerings vary from fountain to fountain. Some owners focus on fountain items only. Wakefield of Corner Drug says coffee is his biggest seller, followed by lime drinks. H&J Vance Pharmacy, Panhandle, has a fountain only menu. Mahnken Drug, Heard Jones, and M.E. Moses, offer full meals, sandwiches plus fountain items. Whatever the selections might be, there is one thing in common: food and drink items are familiar favorites. Grilled cheese sandwiches, hamburgers, shakes, sodas, and cherry limes top the menus. Daily "specials" range from beans and cornbread to enchiladas and chicken breasts.

What does the future hold for these fountains? If the current owners and managers have their way, the fountains are here to stay. Though sometimes parts for the carbonator pumps are hard to find, and the fountain is an adjunct to the main business, the future looks good for these particular eateries. McKinney of M.E. Moses said, "Our business is too good for Moses to pull this out." The nostalgia, the fellowship and the food keep customers coming to an American institution.



Behind the counter at H&J Vance Pharmacy in Panhandle. Owner Harry Vance said that he makes sodas the original way.

Lifestyles



In Heard Jones Health Mart, owner Bill Hite said that they serve "just good ol' country cooking like Mama used to make." He credits the store location and good cooks over the years with the success of the fountain area.



Robert Rodgers of Erick, Okla., waits for a prescription to be filled at Mahnken Family Pharmacy in Shamrock. He enjoys the Pepsi that owner Don Biggers gives to waiting customers. Biggers uses his soda fountain area as a kind of advertising tool for the rest of his store.



Mr. and Mrs. Orville Whinery

Whinery anniversary

Orville and Alice Whinery celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary with a dinner at Sirloin Stockade, on Sept. 13. The dinner was hosted by Letha Adams, Pampa, and Kathy Harvey, Clovis, N.M.

Mr. Whinery married Alice Wadsworth on Sept. 16, 1946, in Pawhuska, Okla. They have lived in Pampa for 33 years and are retired.

They are the parents of Kathy Harvey, Clovis, N.M.; Barbara Owen, Amarillo; Letha Adams, Pampa; Johnny Whinery, Pampa; Linda Crocker, Pampa; Mary Couch, Pampa; and Orville Whinery, Jr., Pampa. They have 19 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.



Ute Doris Thielemeier and Lynn Howard Whiteley

Thielemeier-Whiteley

Mr. and Mrs. Ludger Thielemeier of Bredstedt, Germany, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ute Doris, to Lynn Howard Whiteley, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Howard Whiteley, Pampa. The Whiteleys are pastors of the Pampa Chapel.

The bride-elect finished school in Bredstedt, Germany. She lived with the Jerry Jacobs family of Clifton, Va., for the past three years, and graduated in May, 1990, from the Washington Business School.

The groom-to-be is a 1989 health graduate of Baxter Springs, Kansas,

High School also attended the Apostolic Faith Bible College. He attended commercial art classes during that time also. He graduated magna cum laude from Oklahoma Baptist University in May, 1989.

They are active in the Manassas, Va., Assembly of God Church and the Singles Group.

The wedding will be an event of October 5 at the Manassas Assembly of God Church, Manassas, Va. Following a wedding trip, the couple will make their home in Calverton, Va. They are both employed in the Manassas, Va. area.

Mrs. John Burton Mitchell
Lisa Gaye Malone

Malone-Mitchell

Lisa Gaye Malone became the bride of John Burton Mitchell on Sept. 14, at Central Baptist Church, with Rev. Norman Rushing, officiating.

She is the daughter of A.C. and Estelle Malone, Pampa, and granddaughter of Alma Lunsford and Bessie Malone, both of Pampa.

He is the son of Janice Aufleger, Amarillo, and grandson of J.C. and Winnie Flowers, Pampa.

Brandi Hill, Richardson, served as matron of honor. Teresa Glover and Lynette Finchum, both of Amarillo, were bridesmaids. Daughters of the groom, Heather Mitchell and Lindsey Mitchell, Plainview, were junior bridesmaids. Kelli Jo Mitchell, daughter of the groom, Plainview, was flower girl.

Brother of the groom, Randy Mitchell, Pampa, stood as best man.

Chris Mitchell, brother of the groom, Pampa, and Steve Huffhines, Pampa, were groomsmen. Jeremy Mitchell, nephew of the groom, Pampa, was ring bearer.

Uncles of the groom, Larry Anderson, Amarillo, and Milton Saltzman,

Midland, served as ushers. They also lit candles.

Guests were registered by Tara Jeffers, the groom's cousin, Amarillo.

Vocal music was provided by Richard and Wanetta Hill. Organ music was provided by Myrna Orr. They are all of Pampa.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the parlor of the church. Guests were served by Becky Anderson, Amarillo, and Trencia Saltzman, Midland, both aunts of the groom; Kristi Whitson, Oklahoma City, Okla.; and Melody Oliphant, Pampa.

The bride is a 1983 graduate of Pampa High School and a 1988 graduate of West Texas State University, with a bachelor of business administration degree. She is employed at Coronado Hospital as an administrative secretary.

The groom is a 1978 graduate of Pampa High School. He is employed by Cabot Oil and Gas, Pampa, as a pumper.

Following a wedding trip to Montego Bay, Jamaica, the couple will make their home in Pampa.

Essay contest announced by Air Force Association

The Panhandle Chapter #181-Air Force Association announces that all high school seniors in the State of Texas, in both public and private schools, have an opportunity to compete for cash awards to be given to the winners of a statewide essay contest sponsored by the Air Force Association of Texas. Three awards, should be returned to Jones at the first place, \$3,000; second place, \$2,000; and third place, \$1,000--will be presented the authors of the top three essays on the topic, "Should Women in the American Military Assume an Unrestricted Combat Role?"

Guy W. Leach, president of the Air Force Association Panhandle Chapter #181, said the AFA-Texas Earle North Parker Awards are made annually. He explained that any senior student wishing to enter the contest should complete the con-

test entry form obtainable from their high school counselors, or from the local essay chairperson, Wanda Jones, 4117 Tucson, Amarillo, 79108, (806)-352-2036. The completed contest entry form, along with an original short essay on the above subject of 500-600 words, should be returned to Jones at the Panhandle Chapter #181, P.O. Box 15065, Amarillo, 79105.

All entries must be submitted by Dec. 7. Each essay will be evaluated by a local committee and the chapter winners will be announced. Leach said that the Panhandle chapter winner will receive a \$300 bond, and that the winning essay will be forwarded to the state office where it will represent the Panhandle chapter in the statewide competition. Nineteen other AFA chapter winners will compete for the state awards.

Bits of historic information

In a three-hour speech in 1950 before the U.S. Senate, Daniel Webster endorsed the Compromise of 1850 as a means on preserving the Union.

Composer Maurice Ravel was born in Cibourene, France, in 1875.

Alexander Graham Bell received a patent in 1876 for his telephone.

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Happy birthday to you!



Loleat Byars is to celebrate her 90th birthday today, Sept. 15, with a 2:30-5:30 p.m. reception in her home at 2227 Chestnut. The reception is hosted by her family. Byars has been a Pampa resident since 1941. She and her husband were owners of Lad and Lassie Children's Shop in Pampa.

High Plains Food Bank plans drive for Sept. 28

The eighth annual High Plains food drive will be held in Pampa on Saturday, Sept. 28, 8:30 a.m.-12 p.m.

All food collected will remain Pampa and will be divided among High Plains Food Bank members, Good Samaritan House, Tralee Crisis Center, Genesis House, Meals on Wheels, Salvation Army, Community Day Care, and Southside Senior Citizens.

Area agencies participating in the annual drive are eligible to purchase food from the High Plains

Food Bank at \$.12 per pound. The drive will help stock emergency food pantries and provide food charity agencies which furnish meals and feed the needy of Pampa.

Volunteers will meet at St. Vincent's Catholic Church to organize and sign up for the door to door collection routes. Free breakfast will be served by the Knights of Columbus in the St. Vincent's cafeteria at 8:30 a.m. for all volunteers.

For further information call Linda Radcliff at Shepard's Nursing, 665-0356.

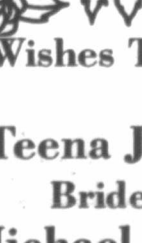
Model railroaders display layout at Tri-State Fair

The Amarillo Model Railroad Association will set up its modular lay-out for display and operation at the Amarillo Tri-State Fair, Sept. 16-21. The display will be set up in the sports arena, just inside the main gate on 10th Street.

The lay-out features a 32 foot

yard, a pumping oil well, a 135 scale foot wood bridge, nearly 300 feet of operating mainline, and buildings and scenery. The club will be operating trains from steam to the diesel era and from passenger to the modern double stack and piggy back models.

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Parents' weekend at WTSU

Parents and other family members of West Texas State University students are invited to WTSU's 14th annual Parents' Day weekend. The weekend's events kick off with an evening of comedy entertainment at 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 20 in the dining hall and conclude with Casino Night, scheduled to begin at 8:30 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 21 in the activities center.

Additional activities planned for Saturday include a faculty/staff reception for parents from 9:30-11 a.m. in the Jack B. Kelley Student Center, a fajita luncheon 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. in the dining hall featuring a welcoming address by WTSU president Barry B. Thompson and the naming of the 1991-92 Parents of the Year, a 2 p.m. soccer game versus Oklahoma Christian at North Spur Field, an equestrian demonstration at 3 p.m. at the WTSU Horse Center, and a volleyball match versus the Air Force Academy at 7:30 p.m. at Tascosa High School, Amarillo. For more information call, 806-656-2394.

The Bible Church of Pampa

invites you to attend the 10th Annual Fall Bible Conference



featuring Marvin J. Rosenthal, executive director of Zion's Hope, Inc. editor of Zion's Fire, a monthly Christian magazine on Israel and prophecy. He is author of The Prewrath Rapture of the Church.

Marvin J. Rosenthal

Saturday, Sept. 21,	7:00 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 22,	10:00 a.m.
	11:00 a.m.
	7:00 p.m.

The Bible Church of Pampa

300 W. Browning - One block north of Gray County Courthouse.



Peeking at Pampa By Katie

Reunion of first classes at PHS brings good time

Did you ever have the feeling that when you say, "Hi!" you've told everything you know? Well, it's "hi!" time now! Let's peek around town to see what we can find.

When family members came to see Audie Kendrick's earlier in the summer, family pictures were made of five generations. In the pictures with Audie were her former daughter-in-law Florence Parker, her grandson and wife Dennis and Carolyn Kendrick of Odessa, her great-grandson Rodney and wife Renee Kendrick with their baby girl, Victoria Danielle, Audie's great-great granddaughter of Lubbock. There aren't many five-generation pictures taken, huh?

A tacked on p.s.: Each morning Audie makes three biscuits from scratch for breakfast, two for her and one for her cat.

Special applause to Margie Brummett Moore for doing weeks of research on the construction of the Pampa High School building and in making this week's reunion of the first PHS classes of 1942, '43, '44, and '45 in the new building. Did you know that Mike Fraser with a degree in landscape design drew up the plans for the 112 trees and 220 shrubs in front of PHS, excluding the area behind the school? The class of '44 erected a stone monument giving credit to other donations from classes, individuals, organizations and foundations. At the banquet last night, Bill Waters, class of '43 served as emcee for the crowd of about 250. Dr. Dawson Orr, PISD superintendent, gave the welcome. Excitement and response rated high on both counts. Congratulations to all who had a part in this milestone event.

Coyle Ford had cataract surgery a week or so before sponsoring the Salvation Army Golden Agers' luncheon last Tuesday. Assisting were Joe Autry, Joe Martinez, Pinky and Loretta Shults. Coyle leads a busy life running his own business, raising a few cattle and finding time to do good deeds along the way. Every Friday afternoon he and Humpy Matheny visit Coronado Nursing Center where Coyle pops popcorn and visits and Humpy plays the piano. Humpy, who is 90, and Robert "Boozie" Howard play piano and banjo duets. A dream and project that claimed a lot of Coyle's time and consideration was the family patio garden at Coronado Nursing Center.

Ruth Rosenbaum, CNC resident, had a heyday squirting water on every shrub and hosing down the cement area and sprinkling a little on herself. She tried to squirt Greg Dress, maintenance man, but he escaped. Greg is a special fixture at the Center and does far more than maintenance work in entertaining residents while they take their exercise, never takes a break and always has time for a kind word and to lend a helping hand. Greg also works hours on end for youth of Spirit of Truth Church. He's a special guy to all who know him.

Belated congratulations to Irene Harrah, who celebrated her 91st birthday early in the week. Irene has been a Pampa resident for more than 60 years.

Congratulations to Jim Martin, a respiratory therapist, maybe free lance, for losing 100 pounds. Jim lost the weight by running miles every day, an exercise he intends to continue and to get others to follow suit. He did well in the Chautauqua runs. He will be the first male to receive a \$100 reward from Dr. R.M. Hampton. Keep up the good

Panhellenic dinner Sept. 17

Dr. Robert Vartabedian, chairman of the art, communication, and theater department at West Texas State University, will present a program at the Pampa City Panhellenic annual fall dinner meeting, 7 p.m., Tuesday, Sept. 17, at the Club Biarritz in Coronado Inn.

Dr. Vartabedian will speak on communication in organizational meetings, relationships and with family members. He has a Ph.D. from the University of Oklahoma and obtained his M.A. from Wichita State University where he was assistant dean of graduate studies.

His teaching fields include public speaking, communication, and debate, and he is a public speaking consultant. Dr. Vartabedian has published numerous articles and won teaching and forensic awards.

Reservations or information can be obtained by calling, Adelaide Colwell, 665-3488, or Glennette Goode, 665-8015.

work, Jim!

Pamela Little is working to open up an occupational therapy program at Coronado Hospital. Pamela, dark haired, cute and sharp entertains with a Boston accent at will to the delight of her listeners. Sounds like she's being Texanized and that she someday might say "Y'all" for the Bostonians.

John Sloan planned his 40th birthday celebration recently to be the big blowout he wanted it to be from the guest list, invitations, menu and games. Jack, his dad, dressed in a big apron and cowboy hat, did bar-b-que honors for the 24 guests. Louise Smith carved a basket out of a watermelon and filled it with fruit, much of it from her garden. John was the perfect host as he greeted and saw to the needs of his guests. He wrote his "thank you" notes promptly, too. John is a rare individual, always, kind, considerate, polite and interested in his many friends. He takes care of his own books and bank account, tends and waters flowers at his house and reads all the stockman books around. What's more he is an airport fan.

Thank you, Scottie Herring, for giving passersby an eyeful of beauty. Scottie's front yard flowers are like a blanket of pretty colors, evidence of a green, green thumb and hours and hours of tender care and work.

If you see Donna Turner along 23rd street with a plastic sack in her hands, know that it's okay. Donna picks up and saves cans, sells them periodically, then matches funds and gives the full amount to the Baptist Mission Program. She and Don are physical fitness buffs with slim and trim bodies for proof. Sherry McCavit is another who while walking briskly never misses picking up a can in the street. The quick stooping would be good for all of us.

Recovery wishes to Dona Cornutt, as she recovers at home from recent knee surgery.

The Young at Heart group of First Presbyterian Church enjoyed another game night this past week. Games were bridge, Skip Bo, canasta and dominoes. Hostesses were Gladys Mann and Margie Salmon.

Melanie Warner has been here in transit from Dallas to Los Angeles, where she will make her home. Judy swallowed some of her motherly reservations and gave her support by accompanying Melanie to L.A. to help her get settled. Melanie, a vivacious and beautiful young lady with enough pizzazz to assure success, has been in the entertainment field in commercials and music videos and more in the Dallas area. She has several options, including creating a new role in one or more soaps. Good luck in your new venture, Melanie! See you next week, Katie.

Davenport, Brauchi bake winning muffins in show

DATES

15 - On-feed deadline for 4-H steers
16 - Steer Show, Tri-State Fair
17 - Lamb Show, Tri-State Fair
Food & Nutrition Planning meeting, 7:00 p.m., Lovett Library
Dog Project meeting - 7:30 p.m., Annex meeting room
18 - Pig Show, Tri-State Fair
4-H BAKE SHOW

Angie Davenport, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Davenport of Lefors, took top honors in the Gray County 4-H Bake Show. Angie earned the opportunity to represent Gray County at the District 4-H Bake Show in Amarillo on September 14. Angie made Date Nut Orange Muffins for her winning entry. Barry Brauchi was named alternate in the contest with his entry, Crunchy Lemon Muffins. Earning blue ribbons were Shelly Davenport and Nonnie James.

Bake Show entries for juniors had to be muffins made with at least one-third whole wheat flour. Entries were judged on nutrition, appearance, flavor, taste, and texture.

4-H FOODS-NUTRITION PROJECT PLANNING MEETING

All adults and 4-H'ers interested in helping plan the 4-H Foods-Nutrition Project are encouraged to attend a meeting Tuesday, September 17, at 7:00 p.m. in the Lovett Library meeting room. Dates for the County 4-H Food Show and other activities and events will be set. Project groups' leaders will be identified.

IT'S ENROLLMENT TIME
Every former 4-H member must re-enroll in 4-H each year to continue to participate. If you have not completed a new enrollment form, please do so immediately.

DOG OBEDIENCE PROJECT

An organizational meeting for the 4-H Dog Obedience Project will be September 17 at 7:30 p.m. in the Gray County Annex meeting room. All interested 4-H'ers and their parents are encouraged to attend. For more information, contact leader Lynn Ledford at 665-5622.

BE A WINNER WITH WOOL

Make plans now to enter the Make-It-With-Wool Contest! The district competition is scheduled for Saturday, November 16, in Leveland. Specific information and entry blanks are available in the Extension Office.

Entry fees are being charged this year. Age divisions are:
Junior - Age 14-17 Senior - Age 18-24

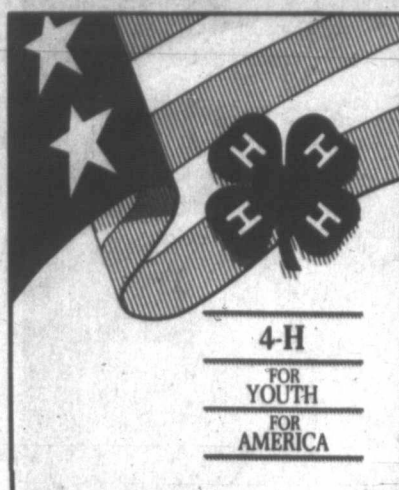
Pre-Teen - Ages 13 & Under
Adult - over 24
Juniors, Seniors, and Adults may enter dresses, coats, suits or other garments. Pre-teens may enter jumpers, skirts, dresses, pants, vests, sweaters, jackets or shirts.

LAMB FEEDERS

All lambs for the 1992 Stock Show must be on feed and in your possession by Oct. 15. If you need assistance in selection, please call Joe VanZandt - 669-0833 or 665-6236, so I can help you.

HANSFORD COUNTY FAIR

There will be a Lamb and Steer Show at the Hansford County Fair, Sept. 28, in Gruver at the County Barn, located just east of the schools. The time for weigh-in will be from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. The steer show will start at 11:30 a.m.



and the lamb show will follow the steers.

The lamb entry fee is \$10.00 and the steer entry fee is \$20.00. Entries will be accepted day of the show.

Additional information is available in the Gray County Extension Office.

SHOOTING SPORTS LEADER TRAINING

The annual workshop for training leaders involved with any of 10 different 4-H Shooting Sports activities will be held in Kerrville, Oct. 25-27, 1991, at the Texas Lion's Camp.

The different workshops offered include: Basic Archery, muzzle loading, basic pistol, basic rifle, basic shotgun, trap, skeet, sporting clays, position rifle and light rifle and smallbore silhouette.

The total cost is \$110 per person with \$50 of this fee due with registration by Oct. 9. Most workshops are limited enrollment and early registration is encouraged to get choice of workshops.

Additional information is available in the Gray County Extension Office. If you are interested in helping with any of the above type of shooting sport activities, please contact Joe VanZandt. Generally the adults get as much or more out of these leader roles as the youth do. This is excellent training and will ensure success with a youth project by following their suggestions.

LAND JUGEND DELEGATES SHARES CULTURE

What is a dime worth, how much is petro, and how do you eat a taco are just a few of the questions being asked by the young adults from Germany visiting Texas this month. In turn, they are sharing what Germany is like since the reunification, how schools operate, and pictures of their beautiful state that contains the "Black Forest."

Bernhard Zwicker is a member of the "Land Jugend" delegation sharing their culture with 4-H families in Texas. Land Jugend is a counterpart of the 4-H organization, although their members are much older. You can be a Land Jugend member from age 14 to 35.

Bernhard Zwicker will be living with the Doug Reeves family of Lefors for the first two weeks of their month long stay. The last two weeks of their trip will be spent visiting Austin, San Antonio and camping in the Big Bend National Park.

The cultural exchange is being organized by the 4-H and Youth Development department of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Land Jugend organization of Bden-Wurtemberg, Germany.

Menus

Sept. 16-20

Pampa Meals on Wheels	Lefors Schools
Monday Lima beans/ham, mixed greens, carrots, candy.	Monday Breakfast: Sausage, biscuits, gravy, juice, milk. Lunch: Lasagne, salad, garlic toast, peaches, cottage cheese, milk.
Tuesday Impossible pie, okra/tomatoes, corn, pineapple.	Tuesday Breakfast: Hot or cold cereal, toast, juice, milk. Lunch: Sliced roast beef, potatoes, gravy, green beans, cherry cobbler, rolls, milk.
Wednesday Oven-fry chicken, green beans, spiral macaroni salad, jello.	Wednesday Breakfast: Pancakes/syrup, sausage, juice, milk. Lunch: Pizza, salad, pickles, apple, milk.
Thursday Bar-b-q beef, potato salad, cole slaw, apricots.	Thursday Breakfast: French toast sticks, sausage, juice, milk. Lunch: Baked potatoes, choice of ham/cheese or broccoli/cheese, chocolate pudding, rolls, milk.
Friday Chicken patties, macaroni/cheese, yams, apple-sauce.	Friday Breakfast: Breakfast burrito, juice, milk. Lunch: Hamburgers or BBQ, ranch beans, hamburger salad, cake, milk.
Pampa Senior Citizens	Pampa Schools
Monday Chicken fried steak ormeat loaf; mashed potatoes, spinach, beets, pinto beans; slaw, toss or jello salad; apple raisin cobbler or butterscotch pie; cornbread or hot rolls.	Monday Lunch: Hot ham and cheese sandwich, corn on the cob, spinach, corn bread, choice of milk.
Tuesday Chicken salad or hamburger stea with onions;boiled okra and peas, cheese potatoes, buttered broccoli; slaw, toss or jello salad; chocolate pie or ugly duckling cake; cornbread or hot rolls.	Tuesday Lunch: Chicken fried steak, whipped potatoes, gravy, mixed fruit, hot roll, choice of milk.
Wednesday Roast beef brisket with brown gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, turnip greens; slaw, toss or jello salad; cherry cobbler or cheese cake; cornbread or hot rolls.	Wednesday Lunch: Burrito, pinto beans, buttered rice, pear halves, corn bread, choice of milk.
Thursday Chicken salad or Swiss steak; macaroni and cheese, green beans, fried okra; slaw, toss or jello salad; banana pudding or german chocolate cake; cornbread or hot rolls.	Thursday Lunch: Steak fingers, gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, choice of milk.
Friday Fried cod fish or baked ham with fruit sauce; French fries, yellow squash, Spanish macaroni; slaw, toss or jello salad; coconut cream pie or strawberry shortcake; garlic bread, cornbread or hot	Friday Lunch: Hamburger, burger salad, pickle slices, peaches, pudding, choice of milk.

Positive choices presented at Weekend with Wellness

Negative lifestyles choices contribute to 63% of all deaths in this country, according to a press release from West Texas State University. To combat this trend, WTSU will present positive alternatives during Weekend with Wellness, scheduled Friday, Sept. 27 and Saturday, Sept. 28 at the Virgil Henson Activities Center on the WTSU campus.

The Weekend with Wellness kicks off at 5 p.m. Sept. 27 and ends at 5:15 p.m., Sept. 28. Eric Engstrom, principal of Health Advocates, and Dr. Ed Foreman, a recently featured guest on "CBS News 60 Minutes", will deliver the keynote addresses. Other events include physical assessment training, a dance and midnight breakfast as well as team training sessions related to alcohol and illegal drug abuse, AIDS, date rape and eating disorders.

Program presenters include RuNell S. Coons, director of radio-television-film program at WTSU; Jim Craig, Say It Straight program in Amarillo; Martha Estes, assistant professor of music at WTSU; Misty Vars Evans, nutritional consultant at Galbraith House; Elliott Garrett, director of adult psychiatry services at Cedar Creek Hospital; Dr. Jim

Gibbs, life services' physicion at WTSU; Bill Hill, principal of Puckett Elementary School in Amarillo; Mary Hill, dean of student services at WTSU; Cora LaGrone, health education specialist at Region XVI Education Service Center; Lorraine Mains, drug education specialist for Region XVI Education Service Center; Tricia McGuire, education program coordinator at WTSU; Wendy Murray, director of expressive therapy at Cedar Creek Hospital; Sandy Purcell-Carter, vocation equity specialist at Region XVI Education Services Center; and Dr. Kenneth Wilson, associate professor of animal science at WTSU.

Designed to introduce student, university employees and the public to a healthy lifestyle, Weekend with Wellness is geared toward those who wishing to start a wellness organization.

The event is sponsored by WTSU student services, WTSU student government, Palo Duro Hospital, Cedar Creek Hospital, Region XVI Education Service Center and the Texas A&M Agriculture Extension Service Center.

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Officers for the 1991-92 year for the Harvester All-Sports Booster Club are, left, Jessie Etheredge, president; Shelley Dyer, treasurer; Billie Weatherly, secretary; and Les Weatherly, vice-president.

Harvester All-Sports Booster Club aims to expand membership, support athletes

According to officers of the Harvester All-Sports Booster Club, the club supports about 400 student athletes at Pampa High School. Club officers named 18 sports supported by the booster club. They are Special Olympics, cheerleaders, rodeo, football, tennis, cross country, volleyball, golf, girls basketball, boys basketball, wrestling, swimming, boys soccer, girls soccer, boys track, girls track, baseball, and girls softball.

All parents of Pampa High students are eligible to be members of the booster club, whether their child is enrolled in athletics or not. The club meets at 7 p.m., each Monday, in the athletic building at Pampa High School. Officers of the club emphasized that meetings are limited to one hour each.

As the name suggests, the booster club has as its goal to support all sports at Pampa High School. President Jessie Etheredge said, "We are trying to break the old feeling that we are a football booster club only." Billie Weatherly, club secretary, added, "We need parents of all athletes to participate because if we don't have a child in that sport, we may not know what's going on." Officers explained that decisions made now effect out of season sports also, so current participation by parents of all athletes is important.

Les Weatherly, club vice-president, described a new project for the 1991-92 year. Weatherly said that near the end of September an all-sports catalogue will be available, the purpose of which is to identify student athletes of every sport. He said, "We want to make sure kids of every sport are recognized."

The club also is instituting an "Athlete of the Week" award. The honoree will be chosen by his or her head coach.

According to Etheredge, the main goal for the year involves construction of a concession area in McNeely Field House. The concept has been presented to the Pampa Independent School District board, but the project has not been approved.

Fund raising in the past has been primarily through sale of concession items at PHS basketball games. The club plans to expand concession sales at junior varsity football and volleyball games, plus adding concessions at freshman football games. The club is selling to the public a "Harvester Booster Jacket", a quilted award-type jacket. Memberships provide funds for the club, too. Individual or family memberships are available.

According to club officers, past booster club activities include building concession stands at the PHS stadium and purchasing the original travel bus used by athletes. The travel bus now in use was purchased by PHS, but according to booster club officers, bus improvements amounting to about \$5,000 were added.

Small on-going projects for athletes include purchasing sweatshirts for the track team; contributing toward the purchase of sweatshirts for the tennis team, provided nets for the tennis court, contributing toward the upgrade of golf equipment, and contributing toward the purchase of baseball uniforms. Major purchases included purchasing a sound system for the baseball diamond, and state-of-the-art camera and film equipment for the athletic department. The booster club aims to add lockers to the girls locker room in McNeely Field House.

For more information about the Harvester All-Sports Booster Club, call Jessie Etheredge at 665-8202, or Les Weatherly at 669-9941.

Mammograms offered at Lefors Civic Center

The breast cancer screening program of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and High Plains Baptist Hospital of Amarillo will continue community outreach clinics for early detection of breast cancer.

Funding is available through the Texas Cancer Council for

screening mammography for Texas residents qualifying for financial assistance, according to a press release sent by the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center.

Early detection of breast cancer is the major goal of cancer control for each woman seen in the clinic. The clinic provides low cost screening which includes a breast exam by a registered nurse trained in breast cancer detection, teaching

of breast self examination and a mammogram.

The clinic will be held on Monday, Sept. 30, 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m. at the Lefors Civic Center. Exams are by appointment only.

For information about the clinic or to make an appointment, call the Harrington Cancer Center at 1-800-274-HOPE.

For more information in Lefors, call 835-2773.

Wheelchair bound have zest for life



Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I speak for the people who are in wheelchairs permanently, having been in one myself for a short time following a head injury.

Recently, I went to a concert in the park. I noticed a man in a wheelchair struggling to get to the dancing area. As he approached people, he would reach out as far as he could with his better hand. He was rejected time after time — or just plain ignored.

Finally, my heart just couldn't take it anymore, so I walked over to him, took his hand and started swinging it back and forth to the rhythm of the music. Then I "danced" quickly around his wheelchair as I held his hand.

Ordinarily, I am scared to death to perform in front of people, but I was as peaceful and self-assured as I could be.

The only thing I saw was the look of happiness in his face. When the song ended, he pulled me close enough to give me a sweet little kiss on the cheek. After that, others "danced" with him, and he had a wonderful time.

Abby, I ask everyone to treat people in wheelchairs as if they were standing up — to recognize their courage and realize that they have the same feelings as you do.

CELESTE RICE, LORANE, ORE.

DEAR CELESTE: Thank you for a letter that warmed my heart and will be appreciated by many.

DEAR ABBY: Please help me. My desk at work is 10 feet away from a person who whistles constantly. I get so irritated that I cannot concentrate on the task at hand. This is beginning to have a great effect on my work, and I don't like it. The problem is that this person is my boss, and I don't want to run the risk of seeming insubordinate. On the other hand, if this whistling does not stop, I will go crazy. What should I do?

SOON-TO-BE-BONKERS

DEAR SOON: Your job can't possibly be more important to you than your sanity, so tell your boss that you can't concentrate on your work while "someone" is whistling. And if your boss continues to drive you bonkers with his/her whistling, repeat the message, unless, of course, you don't mind going bonkers.

To get Abby's booklet "How to Write Letters for All Occasions," send a long, business-size, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for \$3.95 (\$4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Letter Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

The Book Report

by
Janette Quarles & Ellen Malone
Lovett Library Staff



Old Sins by Penny Vincenzi

Old sins do indeed cast long shadows in this glitz and glitter novel set in England. Julian Morell's family is shocked to discover that he has left the controlling shares of his cosmetics empire to a stranger, Miles Wilburn. The story jumps back in time to show how Julian built the empire, and reveal his relationships with the women in his life, including his mother, whose financial savvy kept the company running during its lean beginnings. The novel's characters seem especially compelling and intelligent in this surefire winner.

Boy's Life by Robert R. McCammon

Innocence meets pure evil in the American South in the new thriller by the author of Swan Song. In 1964 in the small Alabama town of Zephyr, young Cory Mackenson and his father are involved in an automobile accident that causes another car to drive off the road into a lake. While trying to save the driver from drowning, Cory's father observes that the man is actually handcuffed to the steering wheel. While the town is outraged by the murder, Cory searches for clues in the case, and discovers the evil lurking in his hometown.

Ruska by Edward Rutherford
Russia's tumultuous history comes alive in a saga that traces the destinies of four families through generations of revolution, invasions, famine, and love. With a scrupulous regard for historical accuracy, Rutherford recreates the often tortured legacy of Russia, from the Greco-Italian, Kazar Jewish, and Finnish invasions to the triumph of the Bolsheviks in 1917 and the subsequent horrors of Stalinism. As the strong-willed characters in this gripping saga pursue their varied goals, the pageant of Russian history unfolds, revealing a land of contradiction, tragedy, and promise.

The Sum of All Fears by Tom Clancy

A timely new thriller from the author of "Clear and Present Danger." Shunned by its former sponsor in the Soviet Union and isolated by the realignment of the Middle East, a terrorist group plunges the world into a nuclear crisis. Its act sends the American president's cherished Middle Eastern peace

plan-and his hopes for reelection-up in a puff of smoke. With the world poised on the brink of nuclear war, agent Jack Ryan frantically seeks a solution, determined to salvage the president's reputation and the fate of the world.

Uh-Oh: Some Observations from Both Sides of the Refrigerator Door by Robert Fulghum

The best-selling author of "All I Really Need to Know I Learned in Kindergarten" returns with another whimsical, philosophical look at ordinary life. Addressing everything from meatloaf to the Salvation Army Band, the self-proclaimed down-home philosopher cheerfully preaches his upbeat message for the 1990s with a combination of whimsy and wonder.

This is Living: How I Found

Health and Happiness by Lynn Redgrave

Nominated for an Academy Award for her role in "Georgie Girl," Lynn Redgrave is perhaps most widely recognized for another role—as the spokesperson for Weight Watchers. In "This is Living," Redgrave recounts the poor habits that contributed to her weight problems and describes how career demands and her tenuous relationship with her famous father, Sir Michael Redgrave, made the problems worse. Practical and personal, "This is Living" shares the secrets to Redgrave's success—one hundred recipes, forty-two planned menus, and nutrition tips. Highlighted with personal photographs, the work celebrates one actress's private triumphs in a public field.

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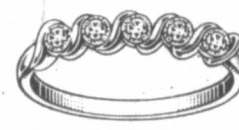
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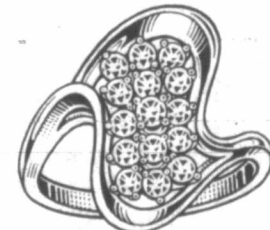
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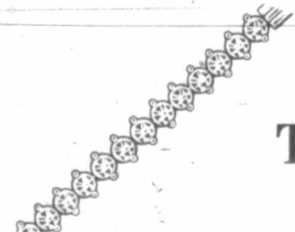
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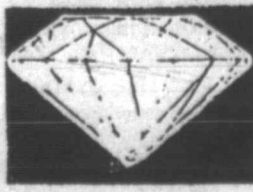
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So, don't put it down.

Be assured that Denis Boyles more than fulfills the promise contained in that opening line as he tells of madcap adventures in Zanzibar (home of the goat and the taxi-cab), and then in Kenya, on a railroad journey from the city of Mombasa, on the Indian Ocean, inland to the city of Kisumu, on Lake Victoria. The train ride serves, says Boyles, "as a device for threading together a few good stories and a lot of personal observations."

His material is more than just good, it's marvelous. His vest-pocket history of Zanzibar, detailing it from its role as "one of the most important places on Earth" during the latter half of the 19th century to "just another exotic African place-name" today, is most informative as well as vastly amusing.

After a few days in Mombasa, Boyles begins the long journey inland. Since the train only carries passengers at night — Boyles tells you why — and moves at only 20 mph most of the time, Boyles tells stories to while away the hours.

Stories about the slave trade in Africa — it still exists — and about man-eating lions in the bad old days who defied all efforts to kill them, and he draws a fascinating portrait of the man who finally did the brutes in.

As for the Man Eaters Motel: There is a place with that name, but there's no motel there, just some gas pumps and a dining room, and a small stand where soda is sold to travelers.

By Phil Thomas
For AP Special Features

OUTER BANKS. By Anne Rivers Siddons. HarperCollins. 400 Pages. \$19.95.

Can four middle-aged women, having taken widely divergent paths in life, recapture the joy and intimacy of their college years as sorority suitemates?

In *Outer Banks* by Anne Rivers Siddons, it's nostalgia time back at the Nags Head, N.C., beach house where they had spent school vacations together.

Kate, now a successful interior designer, moves the story back and forth, from past to present, as she recounts events leading up to the reunion. Amid toasts and laughter, the quartet recall their days as Tri Omegas at a Southern school.

There's Cecie, Kate's poetry-sharing best friend; Ginger, everyone's friend until she married Paul Sibley, the love of Kate's young life; and Fig, unattractive diary-keeping misfit who was pledged only because she was a triple "legacy."

But guilt-ridden Ginger has become fat and unhappy, realizing that Paul married her only for her money; Cecie is a widow burdened with the care of her mother-in-law; and Fig, reinvented thanks to plastic surgery, is a world-famous romance novelist.

And Kate, happily married to an architect, finds the past overwhelming as Paul re-enters the picture.

The writing is powerful, and descriptions of sand, sea and sky present a feast to be savored word by word. So Siddons, author of *King's Oak* and *Peachtree Road*, can be forgiven for the unpalatable finish to a delicious repast. Unbelievable and undigestible, the hash dished out in the final pages leaves a sour taste.

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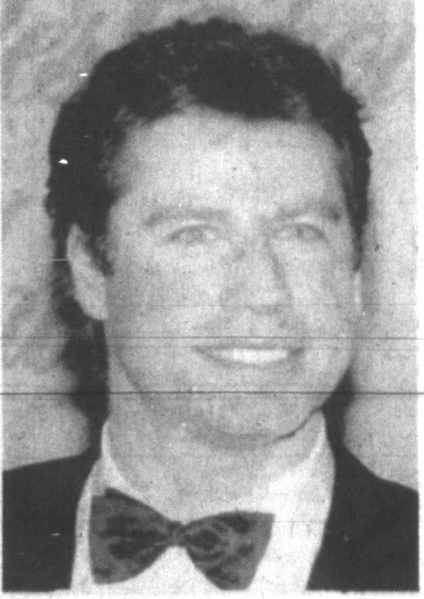
Exhibitors say autumn movie season is looking lean

By BOB THOMAS
Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — U.S. film exhibitors, slogging through a disappointing summer, face the fall season with little hope of a box-office turnaround.

"I see no blockbusters out there," says Angelo Torchetta, vice president of the 28-screen Capitol Theaters Group in Milwaukee. "Maybe out of the fog will appear another *Ghost*, but it certainly isn't apparent now."

"Pretty lousy," grumbles John Krier of the autumn product. He is president of Los Angeles-based Exhibitor Relations, which tracks box-office figures. "I hear a lot of exhibitor complaints, and I don't detect any enthusiasm from the studios."



John Travolta to return to screen in 'Shout.'

Dan Harkins, head of the 31-theater Harkins Theaters chain of Phoenix, concedes that September probably will be a weak month. But he says receipts for the rest of the year should catch up to what they were in 1990.

Harkins sees these possible winners for the fall: *The Addams Family*, *Beauty and the Beast*, *Star Trek*

VI, The Prince of Tides, *Frankie and Johnny* and *Hook*.

Despite three summer films that together have topped \$300 million (*Terminator 2: Judgment Day*, *Robin Hood: Prince of Thieves*, *City Slickers*), the year's total theater take is down from last year. Art Murphy of *Daily Variety* calculates \$3.01 billion for the first seven months vs. \$3.07 billion last year.

"The second wave of summer releases turned out to be a ripple," observed Murphy.

"The business does seem in a slump, but then it has always been a rollercoaster ride," said Krier. "I started as a theater usher in 1924 and even then people were saying, 'We can't go on with these dinky pictures.' Nothing has changed."

Missing from the fall schedule are any sequels to previous blockbusters. The autumn season traditionally brings out dramas that might wilt in the hot weather. Some are Academy Award hopefuls released late in the year so they will remain fresh in the minds of Oscar voters.

A survey of the releases from the major studios shows these dramas slated for autumn release:

— *Little Man Tate*: Oscar winners Jodie Foster and Dianne Wiest in a story about a gifted child, directed by Foster.

— *Cape Fear*: Robert De Niro, Nick Nolte and Michelle Pfeiffer in Martin Scorsese's reworking of the 1962 thriller.

— *The Fisher King*: Robin Williams again as a teacher in a drama with Jeff Bridges.

— *Shattered*: Tom Berenger suffers amnesia and rebuilds his life; with Greta Scacchi, Corbin Bernson and Bob Hoskins.

— *Company Business*: Gene Hackman of the CIA and Mikhail Baryshnikov of the KGB combine in a spy thriller.

— *The Indian Runner*: the story of two feuding brothers, written and directed by (but not starring) Sean Penn.

— *Frankie and Johnny*: Pfeiffer



Macaulay Culkin to star in 'My Girl.'

and Al Pacino as waitress and short-order cook, based on the Off-Broadway play, *Frankie and Johnny in the Clair de Lune*.

— *The Butcher's Wife*: Demi Moore and Jeff Daniels in a clairvoyance tale.

— *Deceived*: Goldie Hawn and John Hurt in a suspense yarn.

— *Paradise*: Melanie Griffith and Don Johnson in a story about a boy's coming of age.

— *Shining Through*: Michael Douglas and Griffith spy for the OSS inside Germany in World War II.

The major companies will be hoping that another *Home Alone* will

appear in their lists of comedies. Macaulay Culkin, who starred in last year's blockbuster, stars in this fall's *My Girl*, a comedy-drama with Dan Aykroyd and Jamie Lee Curtis.

Other comedies for the fall include:

— *Hard Promises*: a romantic comedy with Sissy Spacek and William Petersen.

— *Necessary Roughness*: Mayhem on the football field with Scott Bakula, Robert Loggia and Hector Elizondo.

— *The Addams Family*: Anjelica Huston (Morticia), Raul Julia (Gomez) and Christopher Lloyd (Uncle Fester) in a film version of the celebrated Charles Addams' drawings.

— *Curly Sue*: another John Hughes comedy, with James Belushi as guardian of an orphan girl.

— *Meeting Venus*: troubles in an opera company, with Glenn Close.

— *Other People's Money*: Danny DeVito, Gregory Peck and Penelope Ann Miller in a Norman Jewison comedy.

— *Lame Ducks*: another zany outing from the Zucker Brothers (*Airplane!*, *The Naked Gun*).

— *The Super*: Landlord Joe Pesci is forced to live in his slum building.

And Steve Martin takes on the Spencer Tracy role in a remake of 1950's *Father of the Bride*.

There'll be a touch of music this autumn. Liza Minnelli stars in *Stepping Out*, about a tap-dancing class for amateurs. John Travolta plays a music teacher in *Shout*. Bette Midler and James Caan appear as performers who entertain U.S. troops for a half-century in *For the Boys*. And for Vanilla Ice fans, there's *Cool as Ice*.

Two animated features face each other on Nov. 22: Disney's *Beauty and the Beast*, with a score by the songsmiths of *The Little Mermaid*; and *An American Tail II: Fievel Goes West*, presented by Steven Spielberg.

Action films will be in shorter supply than in the summer months. Among them are: *The Taking of Beverly Hills*, terrorists destroy Rodeo Drive; *Freejack*, Emilio Estevez as a futuristic race driver pursued by a murderous Mick Jagger; and *Ricochet*, Denzel Washington as a cop and John Lithgow as a hit man.

Theater people can find some solace in the December holiday offerings. Among the most promising: *Hook*, Steven Spielberg's updating of *Peter Pan* with Dustin Hoffman, Williams and Julia Roberts; *The Prince of Tides*, directed by Barbra Streisand and starring Nolte; *Newsies*, Disney's full-out musical, the first in years; *Star Trek VI* with the same reliable crew; and *Bugsy* with Warren Beatty and Annette Bening.

Prime-time coverup



(AP Laserphoto)

This Monday's episode of the comedy series *Evening Shade* finds strategically-placed foliage all that covers stars, from left, Charles Durning, Burt Reynolds and Michael Jeter as the plot takes them skinny-dipping in prime time on CBS-TV. The hit series is beginning its second season.

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Broadcast and print media sharing resources for news

By DEBORAH HASTINGS
AP Television Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Time was, TV reporters looked down their perfect noses at their ink-stained colleagues and snickered. Unkempt print reporters, glaring back, considered broadcast journalists panicked poseurs.

But hard times make for strange confederates.

Or, as Cable News Network Executive Vice President Ed Turner put it, "I think we can all live in the same house, if not the same bedroom, and share cooking duties."

Bending over the same pot of dwindling ad revenues, TV news divisions and print organizations are turning to each other to make ends meet.

Sometimes, television and the written word link camera and pen simply to reach a bigger audience. Most of the time, however, it is to get a bigger bang from shrinking bucks.

ABC News and its *Nightline* program have joined with the *Financial Times* of London to investigate the so-called "October surprise" story and Iraq's postwar nuclear and chemical arsenal.

ABC News also shared resources with *Time* magazine in reporting the Bank of Credit and Commerce International scandal.

And in an unprecedented marriage of networks, NBC and PBS announced this summer that they will provide joint coverage of the 1992 Democratic and GOP conventions.

This stepped-up relationship between journalistic rivals is not confined to national media. Local coupling also is taking place. In San Diego, for example, the *San Diego Tribune* and KGTV Channel 10 have formed an alliance called "Newslink" for coverage of the same stories.

Tribune editor Neil Morgan said "Newslink" combines "the most comprehensive source of information in San Diego County" with the "best source of broadcast news."

Such niceties are a far cry from the usual contemptuous relationship between print reporters and TV journalists. But despite their professed disdain for each other, print and television organizations have been working together for decades in one lesser form or another.

In the past, the associations largely were confined to political or opinion polls in which two normally competitive news organizations shared the surveys' results and costs.

The reason for the newest twist on this relationship is simple.

"The cost of gathering news has become more expensive than the advertising revenue generated from it," said Sid Feders, an executive producer in NBC's news division.

None of the news executives involved in ongoing collaborations even hinted that such joint ventures were bad news for journalism.

"The only danger, and I don't see this happening, is if you have only one news source," Feders said.

"As long as there are others out there not beholden to you, reporting the story, then the audience is served and the reporting is served."

Nightline teamed with the *Financial Times* of London after a March broadcast in which reporter Alan Friedman discussed the financial holdings of Iraqi leader Saddam Hussein.

Program spokeswoman Laura Wessner said "it became clear that *Nightline* and the *Financial Times* were working on similar stories." A standing investigative unit called "Project X," consisting of about a dozen people, was established to work with the British publication.

Nightline executive producer Tom Bettag said the union has helped cut the tremendous costs of researching investigative stories.

What *Nightline* and the *Financial Times* did, in the case of the "October surprise" story, was to probe well-circulated allegations that Americans acting on behalf of the Reagan-Bush campaign conspired in 1980 to delay the release of 52 U.S. citizens held hostage in Iran.

Nightline host Ted Koppel, quoting from an off-camera interview, said during a June broadcast that an Iranian arms dealer claimed to have been present during Madrid hotel meetings in which the late William Casey, former CIA director and Reagan-Bush campaign manager, negotiated for the hostages' freedom.

But Casey, Koppel quotes the arms dealer as saying, didn't want the prisoners released until after Reagan took office. Eleven-year-old hotel records obtained by *Nightline* and the *Financial Times* placed the arms dealer and a Casey aide at a Madrid hotel during the same dates the alleged meetings took place.

One day after that broadcast, the *Financial Times* carried the same story, but with more detail.

"We worked side by side," Bettag said. "The *Financial Times* doesn't have a Saturday edition, so we would not release anything on a Friday night. We would agree on a release date."

CNN and the Times Mirror Foundation, the public policy end of the corporation that publishes newspapers, including the *Los Angeles Times* and *Newsday*, conducted a joint poll in eastern and western Europe on attitudes toward work and democracy.

The results will be used by CNN in a 30-part series to be aired later this month. Times Mirror will publish the findings in a special Sept. 17 edition of the *Los Angeles Times* weekly World Report section.

"I'm proud of the association," CNN's Turner said.

He, too, sees nothing inherently wrong with news organizations sharing information, though CNN has yet to do so outside of traditional polling efforts.

"If you're going to take on something that's of substance, and I don't mean glitz, those things take a lot of money," Turner said. "I don't think the desire to be first and best with the story is going to be less in any one of us."



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Every year thousands of farmers suffer from injuries and illnesses. This high rate could be reduced if farmers would invest in safety, such as proper personal protective equipment.

Personal protective equipment (PPE), such as goggles, hard hats, respirators, protective eye wear and safety shoes, has been available to farmers for a long time. Many farmers do use PPE when dealing with significant health hazards, such as applying pesticides. However, far too many farmers seldom or never use PPE on farm jobs for which protection is needed.

Risks to Eyes: When using liquid chemicals, farmers should wear goggles designed to protect eyes from splashes and sprays. Farmers can also use welder's goggles which

protect against intense light and sparks. Full face shields are another option for eye protection and can be worn comfortably.

Safe Breathing: Respirators protect the lungs from many airborne health hazards on the farm, ranging from deadly soil and manure gases to longer term health threats from frequent exposure to dust, molds and chemicals. Respirators must be selected based on the air hazards that exist on the farm. Some purify the air you breathe, while others provide fresh air from a tank strapped to the individual. Make sure you choose the proper one for the job.

Hands and Feet Protection: Hands are the most frequently injured part of the body. During a day's work, a farmer's hands might come into contact with chemicals, harsh detergents, paint, solvents, rough materials and sharp tools, or be scaled, burned or frostbitten. Cuts and abrasions on the hands may allow toxic chemicals to enter the body and, if not cleaned properly, may lead to infections. Use appropriate gloves, barrier creams, hand cleaners and lotions to protect hands.

Toes and feet can also be injured during farm work. Poorly fitting or improper footwear often causes clips, trips and falls. Farm workers should wear safety shoes or boots with metal toe-caps and slip-resistant soles. Special rubber or plastic boots can be used when spraying chemicals. Farmers should also wear spray suits or coats impervious to chemicals when spraying.

Ear Protection: Studies indicate that farmers have a higher-than-average occurrence of noise-induced hearing loss. Earplugs or muffs should be worn whenever exposed to a continuous noise level of 90 decibels (A) or higher. Ear protection allows normal conversation or warnings to be heard but protects the ear nerves from damage.

The benefits of PPE can be seen by the reduced work injury and illness costs. What farmers need to realize is that PPE works as well on a farm as in a manufacturing plant, mine or construction site.

PPE has helped thousands of companies improve worker safety and health and saved them billions of dollars ... farmers can reap the same benefits.

Wetlands now becoming hot environmental issue

By CHARLES CAMPBELL
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Once seen as worthless bogs, swamps and marshes, the nation's wetlands have turned into one of the hottest environmental issues.

The Bush administration has a new wetlands policy, but while the details are being worked out, Congress is considering proposals that would make even more sweeping changes in the laws controlling wetlands development.

Developers, farmers, builders and oil companies say federal regulations keep them from making the best use of their property, even when the land in question is scarcely wet.

Environmentalists accused the president of betraying his 1988 campaign pledge to stop the loss of wetlands.

Environmentalists reply by arguing that the laws have not been tough enough to prevent a steady loss of wetlands throughout the country, with the recent pace of conversion estimated at 300,000 acres a year.

Bush announced his policy Aug. 9, featuring proposed new rules for applying the basic wetlands definition, based on soil type, plant life and seasonal water levels.

One key change: there must be standing water for 15 days or saturation to the surface for 21 days in the growing season. The existing rules, adopted in 1989, said there had to be water within 18 inches of the surface for seven days in the growing season.

As a result of this and other changes, it seems likely that millions of acres recently defined as wetlands will no longer be covered by the law, although experts on both sides of the debate say it will be several months before they know for sure.

Bush's proposal also included promises to seek funds for wetlands acquisition and to look into creating

incentives for wetlands restoration. There is to be a study of how to classify wetlands into categories providing varying levels of protection.

Environmentalists accused the president of betraying his 1988 campaign pledge to stop the loss of wetlands.

Jim Tripp, general counsel for the Environmental Defense Fund, called the administration proposal "an ecological disaster, an outrage."

The National Wildlife Federation's president, Jay D. Hair, said the new policy was "a death sentence for millions of acres of this critical American resource."

Developers, farmers and builders said Bush's announcement was a step in the right direction, but said they intended to keep pushing for more comprehensive congressional action.

Bills introduced in the Senate by Sen. John Breaux and in the House by Rep. James Hayes, both Louisiana Democrats, would limit EPA's role in wetlands regulation, rank wetlands by value and allow destruction of a wetland if a developer restored another wetland somewhere else.

Another proposal in Congress would require the federal government to compensate a landowner if wetlands restrictions reduced the land's value. Environmentalists say that would gut existing wetlands protection because the government could not afford to pay much compensation.

Fight brews over land farmers devote to grains

By JENNIFER DIXON
AP Farm Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A high-stakes political fight is brewing over calls that farmers be allowed to unleash full production next year and plant corn, barley and grain sorghum fence row-to-fence row.

Farmers fear that if they don't idle some of their land, grain supplies will swell and further depress the slumping farm economy.

But bakers, brewers, grain conglomerates, livestock producers and chemical companies stand to gain from full production, either through lower prices, increased volume or greater use of pesticides, insecticides and fertilizers.

Agriculture Secretary Edward Madigan must decide how much land feed-grain farmers must take out of production, from none to 12.5 percent, by Sept. 30. But he has until Nov. 15 to make adjustments if there are dramatic changes that would affect U.S. or world grain supplies.

The decision has implications for the economy, the federal budget and consumer prices for meat, poultry and dairy products. But it must be based on factors that may not be known at the time, particularly how much grain the United States can expect to ship to the Soviet Union.

"I'd describe it as an exotic wild card," says Rep. Dan Glickman, chairman of the House Agriculture subcommittee on wheat and feed grains.

Complicating the issue is this year's drought across portions of the Corn Belt, which is tightening grain supplies, and questions about whether parched conditions will linger into 1992.

"There's never a right or wrong answer," said Keith Bjerke, administrator of the Agricul-

tural Stabilization and Conservation Service, the Agriculture Department agency that is analyzing the situation for Madigan. "It's just the best estimate for that point in history."

The decision is being closely watched by industry and farmers, who harvested nearly \$18 billion in corn in 1989-90 and received \$3.5 billion in government support payments. The sorghum crop was worth \$1.3 billion; barley, \$968 million. Support payments for sorghum totaled \$391 million; for barley, \$23 million.

Exports are important to corn growers, who shipped 29 percent of their crop overseas in 1989-90, USDA said. The Soviet Union was the biggest buyer of U.S. feed grains in fiscal 1989, purchasing \$1.9 billion worth.

If more land is planted, and production increases and prices slide, consumers could benefit because livestock producers who depend on corn would be paying less for their feed.

But the costs to government can also increase because the more land in production, the more acres are eligible for subsidy payments. And the lower the grain price, the greater the government payment per bushel.

On the other hand, if not enough land is planted and harsh weather cuts yields and stocks dwindle, prices could rise.

Farmers who receive support payments must participate in the acreage reduction program (ARP). This year, they were required to set aside 7.5 percent of their land.

Both sides in the debate are contacting USDA, including handwritten notes from struggling farmers and fact-filled reports from agribusiness.

"Why does a cup full of oil make a nation rich? And a bin full of grain running over make us poor?" asks a 48-year-old Illinois farmer whose land has been in her family for generations.

With Food Lion at the door, D-FW grocers ready to battle

By EVAN RAMSTAD
AP Business Writer

DALLAS (AP) — All together now: FOOD FIGHT!

Dallas-Fort Worth grocers are tossing around triple coupons, credit card payment and even home delivery in a war aimed at blunting brash competitor Food Lion Inc., which entered their jungle Friday.

"We probably haven't seen it like this before in that so many people are doing so many different things," said J.L. Williams, president of Minyard's Food Stores, a Coppell-based owner of 73 stores in the metropolitan area.

Grocers in the region last offered triple coupons when they grappled for the customers of Safeway Stores Inc., which closed its Dallas-Fort Worth stores in 1987.

Since then, the only blip in the market was the creation in 1988 of two Hypermart USAs, mammoth Wal-Mart Stores Inc. facilities that are part food store and part everything else.

But the entry of Food Lion, a \$5.5 billion, 800-store giant with a reputation for discount prices, has caused grocers to pull out their swords and their red markdown pens.

Truckers warned about hitchhiking bees

WASHINGTON (AP) — Truckers leaving the Rio Grande Valley of Texas are being warned to check their cargo for unwelcome hitchhikers: "killer" bees.

Swarms of Africanized honeybees, unlike domestic honeybees, are known to "abscond" in late summer or fall, or, as Texas agriculture official Paul Jackson describes it, "just pick up and move."

The bees' tendency to flee threatens to help push the species northward from South Texas, said Jackson, chief inspector of the Texas Apiary Inspection Service, an agency of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

In the last month, two swarms of the bees were discovered on trucks near Corpus Christi, Jackson said. One of the swarms came in on a flatbed truck, hidden near the spare tire; the other came north with some cotton-picking machinery.

"If you find bees around a truck, the odds are that they may be Africanized," Jackson said.

The hitchhiking bees, he said, could end up far from the Rio Grande Valley, depending on where the truck stops and the bees get off.

"If they stay on the truck they may go to Oklahoma or Dallas or Houston or anywhere. It's happened

several times and we think the trucking industry should be made aware of it," Jackson said.

He said careful examination of a truck's cargo can help delay the more northern establishment of the bees.

A dozen Texas counties are quarantined to prevent the intentional movement of the bees out of the area where they have been detected.

Almost 140 swarms of Africanized bees migrating from Mexico have been trapped and destroyed in Texas since October 1990. Most of the swarms have been in Starr and Hidalgo counties along the Rio Grande.

More than 1,400 traps are set up across South Texas.

The Salisbury, N.C.-based company is leaving its base in the Southeast for the first time with 41 North Texas stores to be open by the end of the year.

The first 13 opened Friday across the Dallas-Fort Worth area. A distribution center near Roanoke, north of Fort Worth, will serve the stores and about 150 more if the company expands in Texas, spokesman Mike Mozingo said.

"Any community, regardless of size, is fair game," Mozingo said. "From that distribution center, we can reach 200 miles in any direction."

That probably rules out the Houston market, considered by industry analysts to be even more competitive than Dallas-Fort Worth, and the San Antonio market, dominated by locally-based H.E.B. Grocery Co.

But many grocers are watching Food Lion's first steps in Texas, said Mike Duff of *Supermarket Business*, a monthly industry magazine published in New York.

"They've been sort of the up-and-coming challenger in the food business," Duff said. "It does not necessarily mean Food Lion's success will translate well from one area to another."

Food Lion's typical store is smaller than most of its competitors. The

"Can you drink the cup of oil?," says the woman, in a scrawl that makes it difficult to read her last name. "We need government, now please hear our voices."

Mark Toberman of Janesville, Wis., points out that the more land in reserve, the more farmers save on soil, fuel, chemicals and wear and tear on machinery.

On the other side, the American Bakers Association seeks zero ARP. It says that the United States and the world face a "potential disaster in the cereal foods and feed grain sectors in the 1992-93 season."

The association said stocks are so low that declines in production could cause serious shortages and result in higher prices. And, it said, "forecasts of greater-than-usual risks of adverse weather in 1992 and possibly in 1993 if an El Nino develops, add to our concern."

The American Malting Barley Association Inc., which represents three of the nation's top brewers, said malting barley production in 1992 could be severely limited by continued poor growing conditions. And with short reserves, the industry might have to turn to imports to meet its needs.

"Acreage reduction programs function as a tax on the productivity of U.S. agriculture, limiting the use of resources and raising the average cost of producing crops," said William R. Allen Jr. of the National Grain and Feed Association, which represents processors, millers, grain elevators and feed mills.

Lawmakers and farm groups are also involved in the tussle, including Democratic Sen. Bob Kerrey of Nebraska and the National Corn Growers Association. Both are pushing for a 7.5 percent ARP. The American Farm Bureau Federation said it favors a 5 percent ARP.

A random shopping-basket survey by *The Dallas Morning News* in May found lower prices at a Food Lion store in North Carolina than at Dallas-Fort Worth grocers except Hypermart USA.

While Food Lion creates a low-price perception, Duff said the chain rarely gets involved in price wars the way Hypermart or other discounters do.

But grocers in Dallas-Fort Worth aren't taking any chances.

Among the promotions, service expansions or sales developed in recent months:

- Triple the value of coupons below 30 cents and double between 30 cents and 50 cents at Kroger and Tom Thumb stores last week.

- Home delivery by Kroger for the cost of groceries plus a \$9.95 service charge, payable by cash, check or credit card.

- Image and name change for Skaggs Alpha Beta. The chain, a subsidiary of Salt Lake City-based American Stores Co., will take the Jewel Osco name of another American Stores subsidiary.

- Outstanding teacher of the week program by Minyard's that allows customers to nominate teachers. Each week's winner receives \$1,000.

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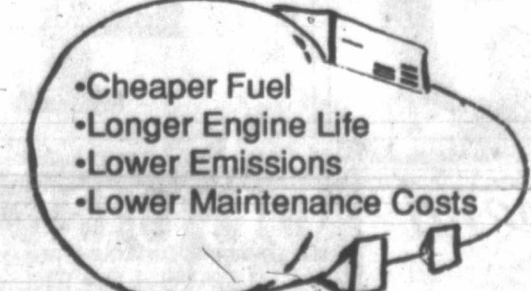
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Names in the news

NEWARK, N.J. (AP) — Singer David Cassidy shared the spotlight with former *Partridge Family* co-star Danny Bonaduce this weekend as Cassidy kicks off his first U.S. tour in 15 years.

Bonaduce opened Saturday's show in Hershey, Pa., with a comedy routine based on his recent run-in with the law, Cassidy's publicist, Steve Levesque, said.

Bonaduce, 31, was sentenced to three years probation last month in Phoenix for attacking a transvestite prostitute.

The tour is Cassidy's first since he scored a top 20 hit last year with the single "Lying to Myself" from his self-titled album.

Plans for a 1990 tour fell through when his record company went out of business.

"It was so disheartening because I had a hit, there was an audience for my music, I was getting so much positive press and then, nothing," said Cassidy, 41.



Victoria Principal

OVERLAND PARK, Kan. (AP) — Victoria Principal, Brian Dennehy and other stars will stroll the streets of Kansas City, Kan., this week as Hollywood turns the Scott Turow novel *The Burden of Proof* into a miniseries.

Beginning Monday the Kansas

City area will become Kindle County, the fictional city in *The Burden of Proof* and Turow's earlier novel, *Presumed Innocent*.

The show is expected to air on ABC next February, said director Mike Robe, whose credits include the miniseries *Son of the Morning Star*, which also aired on ABC.

"Kansas City has the look that Scott Turow's novel is based on," said Robe, who is familiar with the area from his days as a University of Kansas student.

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actors John Travolta and Kelly Preston ended their weeklong honeymoon with an appearance before a Florida justice of the peace who remarried the couple, making the union legal under U.S. law.

Travolta, 37, and Miss Preston, 28, were married Sept. 5 in a midnight ceremony in Paris only to learn the union wouldn't be recognized in the United States, said publicist Paul Bloch in Los Angeles.

The couple headed to the county courthouse as soon as they returned home to Daytona Beach, Fla., on Thursday, Bloch said. It was Travolta's first marriage and Preston's second.

Travolta and Preston, who are expecting a child next spring, met while filming the 1988 movie *The Experts*.

ST. LOUIS (AP) — The heavy metal band Guns N' Roses sent a nasty-gram to this city via its new record albums, and a local radio station plans to send the message right back.

The band, which police said helped touch off a disturbance July 2 at an amphitheatre in suburban St. Louis, mentioned the city, preceded by an obscenity, in a list of acknowledgments in the liner notes of its new albums *Use Your Illusion I* and *Use Your Illusion II*.

"We've got to do something. We couldn't sleep at night if we didn't," said Terrence Trawick, who's known as Steve on the "Steve and D.C." show on WKBF-FM.

The station intends to gather people together Tuesday to form an obscenity of its own — a giant hand with its middle finger extended, then send photographs of the formation to Guns N' Roses lead singer, Axl

Rose, the group's record company and others, Trawick said.

Rose was charged in August with four counts of misdemeanor assault and one count of property damage in connection with the melee at Riverport Amphitheatre. No court date has been set.

Prosecutors said Rose hit a security guard and hurt three concertgoers and also smashed a mirror in his dressing room and damaged a wall.

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Burt Reynolds, like thousands of Palm Beach County homeowners, thinks his property assessments are too high.

Make that properties. The actor has filed an appeal of the value county assessors put on the 147-acre Burt Reynolds Ranch, a tree house, airplane hangars and the house where his parents live.

The ranch alone, assessors say, is worth \$2.4 million. Reynolds says it's more like \$1.3 million. The tax difference is \$22,000.

"Burt really wants to get along with everybody. As a result, he lets things get a little bit carried away," said Reynolds' accountant, Richard Rampell. "When we were hired a year ago, we really got tough."

Reynolds recently won an Emmy for his role in the CBS sitcom, *Evening Shade*.

NEW YORK (AP) — Television can blur the lines between past and present and it did it again when Morley Safer, Dina Merrill and Marlo Thomas and a slew of other famous TV faces inaugurated the Museum of Television and Radio.

Formerly the Museum of Broadcasting, the museum reopened last week in a Manhattan home designed by Philip Johnson.

While real-life celebrities marked the event with a ribbon-cutting and speeches, the late Jackie Gleason, Ed Sullivan, Danny Thomas and Lucille Ball came alive again on monitor screens.

So did the Beatles, Walter Cronkite, George Burns, Howdy Doody and Marlo with her dad, the late Danny Thomas.

Report: French spied against U.S. business

NEW YORK (AP) — France's government has set up an elaborate covert operation to go after U.S. business secrets, with spies posing as employees and bugging phones to give French industry an edge, a television report said Friday.

The NBC *Expose* news show quoted industrial espionage experts as warning American businessmen not to fly Air France, the state-owned carrier, because the government spies use it as a base.

"Along with the champagne, the caviar and the chateaubriand on these flights, there may be microphones hidden in the seats, and French government spies posing as passengers or flight attendants ...," the report said.

Targets of the spy network included IBM, Corning Glass and Texas Instruments, NBC said. It quoted a former Justice Department prosecutor, John Gibbons, as saying the espionage may have cost U.S. firms billions of dollars.

Asked about the report in Paris, French Foreign Ministry spokesman Daniel Bernard said, "I'm not in the habit of commenting on television entertainment programs." Air France released a statement denying it was involved in any spying on its passengers.

The television documentary includes an interview with Pierre Marion, the former chief of the French secret service, describing how he set up a network in 1981 to spy on U.S. companies and American businessmen in France.

Marion, now retired, told NBC he personally made the decision to set up a special industrial espionage branch in 1981, assigning 20 agents to the French secret service to go after confidential U.S. business plans.

He said he had no regrets. "It would not be normal that we do spy on these states in political matters or military matters. We are really allied," he said. "But in the economic competition, we are competitors, we are not allied."

Marion said his network succeeded in securing a billion-dollar sale of France's Mirage warplanes to India after obtaining plans of rival planes from the United States and Soviet Union.

According to the report, International Business Machines Corp. fired at least six employees in 1989 in its Paris office after IBM gathered evidence showing the employees were working for the French secret service and stealing trade secrets.

IBM spokesman Brian Doyle told The Associated Press in a telephone interview the information cited in the report had been previously reported and was "essentially accurate." He declined to elaborate.

Fed lowers lending discount rate

By JOHN D. McCLAIN
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Federal Reserve Board Friday lowered two important bank lending rates in a move intended to ensure the economy's recovery from the recession.

The twin moves prompted major banks to reduce their prime rates by one-half of a percentage point to 8.0 percent. The prime is used to calculate loans to businesses and determine rates for many types of consumer loans. The Fed first announced it was dropping its benchmark discount rate to 5.0 percent from 5.5 percent, the fourth reduction since last December.

Later in the morning, although no announcement was made, the Fed was believed to have reduced the federal funds rate from 5.5 percent to 5.25 percent.

The funds rate, the interest that banks charge each other for overnight loans, also had moved down with previous discount rate cuts.

The reduction in the discount rate is the most dramatic signal the central bank can send of its intention to battle economic weakness with easier credit.

The rate is the interest the Fed charges commercial banks for loans. Such a move usually results in lower interest on other loans, including consumer credit, and thus stimulates spending and economic growth.

The Fed said its action was taken in light of weakness in the money supply, "the improving inflation environment, and concerns about the ongoing strength of the economic expansion."

The move followed the announcement Friday that retail sales had fallen 0.7 percent in August, the steepest decline in seven months. At the same time, the Labor Department said consumer prices rose just 0.2 percent in August.

The vote to lower the discount rate was 4-0, with vacationing board governor Edward W. Kelley Jr. not voting. However, the Fed said later that Kelley would have approved the move. Two other positions on the seven-member are vacant.

The decline was the fourth since Dec. 18 and dropped the rate to the lowest level since February 1973, when it stood at 5 percent.

Unlike the discount rate, the Fed does not announce

changes in the funds rate. But economists said the central bank had added reserves to the banking system in a way that made it clear it was targeting a funds rate of 5.25 percent.

"It looks like the Fed is taking the funds rate down another quarter point," said economist Davis Wyss of DRI-McGraw-Hill, a Lexington, Mass., economic forecasting company.

The last two times the Fed lowered the discount rate, it also permitted a drop in the federal funds rate. The last time it lowered the funds rate was Aug. 6, from 5.75 percent to 5.5 percent.

The interest rate cuts followed renewed pressure by the Bush administration for the Fed to do more to prevent the economy from lapsing back into recession.

Some analysts have expressed concern over the continuing sluggish and erratic nature of the recovery, fearing the possibility of a "double-dip" recession in which the economy turns down again after a brief rebound.

Fed policy is aimed at both ensuring the rebound from the recession and avoiding setting the stage for resurgent inflation.

Last Dec. 18, the Fed said it was lowering the discount rate to 6.5 percent from 7 percent, the first decline in more than four years. The move followed government reports of economic weakness and low inflation.

The Fed in 1987 started a series of interest rate hikes to stem rising prices. Then, as the economy grew sluggish as a result, the central bank gradually began easing in mid-1989, trying to guide the economy into a "soft landing" rather than an actual downturn.

Still, after months of fits and starts, the economy fell into recession in July 1990. And as it grew weaker after the Iraqi invasion of Kuwait the following month, the Fed let rates fall faster.

The federal funds rate dropped in a series of 10 reductions from 8.25 percent in July to 5.50 percent on Aug. 6. The discount rate, which had been at 7 percent since Feb. 24, 1989, fell to 6.5 percent last Dec. 18, to 6 percent on Feb. 1 and to 5.5 percent on April 30.

The prime rate accompanied several of the Fed discount rate moves, falling from 9.5 percent to 9.0 percent on Feb. 1 and to 8.5 percent on May 1. Banks use this important interest rate to calculate a range of other loan rates including some types of mortgages.

Taxpayer group says Legislature broke budget law

AUSTIN (AP) — A conservative taxpayer group says the Legislature should convene in another special session because it broke the law when writing the 1992-93 state government budget.

Richard Ford, head of Taxpayers Against a State Income Tax, said the Legislature should "live within the law and live within the budget just like the rest of us have to live within the law and live within the budget."

Ford, who is forming a new group called Texans for Limited Tax-

ation, said his organization's lawyer is working on details of a lawsuit he plans to file later this month.

The Legislature in August approved a record \$59.4 billion two-year budget and a \$2.7 billion tax increase to help fund it.

The taxpayer group contends that Democratic legislative leaders ignored a constitutional requirement that limits the growth of the state budget to the rate of private sector economic growth. Lawmakers said they acted properly.

At issue is whether state officials failed to follow provisions of a 1978 constitutional amendment approved by voters requiring that state spending not exceed the state's economic growth rate. The only exception is for declared emergencies.

The 1992-93 budget represented about a 17 percent increase over the previous two-year spending plan. According to the Legislative Budget Board, the state's economy grew 12 percent to 14 percent during the same period.

Weapons cutoff won't bring quick peace in Afghanistan

By SHARON HERBAUGH
Associated Press Writer

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) — The U.S.-Soviet agreement to cut weapons shipments to their warring clients in Afghanistan won't necessarily mean a quick end to fighting that has left more than 1.5 million people dead.

It also is unlikely to convince 6 million Afghan refugees that it's safe to return home, and it likely won't start the process of rebuilding an ancient tribal society that has been turned upside down by war.

The agreement does, however, give Washington and Moscow a face-saving exit from the costliest and bloodiest conflict of the 1980s.

And it leaves the United Nations to find a solution. Throughout the Red Army's nine-year occupation of Afghanistan, the United States and the Soviet Union provided billions of dollars in weapons and ammunition in a proxy war.

AP News Analysis

After Moscow withdrew its troops 2 1/2 years ago, the mujahedeen guerrillas and the Communist-style government knew that eventually the weapons supply would dry up. It was a day the fundamentalist guerrillas had waited for.

"This is what we have wanted all along," said Qutbuddin Hilal, a spokesman for Hezb-e-Islami, or Party of Islam, considered the most radical of the seven major guerrilla groups in Pakistan.

"Foreign interference in Afghanistan will end and the Afghans can settle the matter among themselves."

Hezb-e-Islami and its firebrand leader, Gulbuddin Hekmatyar, despite being fiercely anti-Western, have received the lion's share of weapons throughout the war because they are considered the most capable of a victory on the battlefield. They reportedly have stockpiles to sustain their fighters for several years.

But few are convinced the weapons supplies to the guerrillas, especially the fundamentalists, will end soon.

Diplomats in Kabul and Islamabad believe the fundamentalist groups will continue to purchase arms on the open market, financing the deals with the lucrative heroin trade that has flourished in the guerrilla-controlled areas of Afghanistan.

The guerrillas may also be able to count on other backers to make up the difference. The agreement announced in Moscow does not include Pakistan, Iran or Saudi Arabia, which reportedly matched U.S. contributions dollar for dollar. Most of the money has been funneled to the fundamentalists, sources said.

In announcing the weapons cutoff, the United States and the Soviet Union said Friday they hoped other countries would follow their lead.

But neither Riyadh, Tehran or Islamabad have made any comment on their intentions.

Many observers fear Afghanistan may become the battleground for a regional proxy war between Saudi Arabia, Pakistan and Iran, which has been supporting the smaller Shiite parties that are demanding a major share of power in the future Kabul government.

Like the mujahedeen, Afghan President Najibullah has said he favored a mutual weapons cutoff to all warring sides. His forces, too, have stockpiled arms and reportedly have a two-year supply, diplomatic sources say.

Before the cutoff takes effect Jan. 1, both sides could significantly increase their stockpiles, the sources say.

Western diplomatic sources in Pakistan said they had been told earlier the cutoff date would be Sept. 30. The three-month delay could allow time for massive shipments to both the mujahedeen and the Kabul government.

In recent weeks, sources said large shipments of weapons, ammunition and other supplies have been hauled into guerrilla bases across Afghanistan, reportedly in preparation for major offensives on key government-controlled cities before November, when snow blocks mountain passes and makes fighting more difficult.

Witnesses in Kabul also reported a dramatic increase in the number of Soviet transport planes landing at the city's airport.

A year ago, an average of 40 transport planes spouting anti-missile flares landed at Kabul airport every day. That number had dropped to about four earlier this week but jumped to more than a dozen on Friday, witnesses said.

They did not know whether the planes were carrying weapons or badly needed food supplies.

Diplomatic and guerrilla sources said the delay in implementing the agreement could buy more time for Najibullah, who is already under pressure because of massive food shortages and lack of fuel.

Witnesses say markets in Kabul bazaars are almost empty and prices for basic foodstuffs such as wheat, ghee, sugar and tea have risen more than 50 percent since March.

Citizens are openly complaining about the government and particularly Najibullah.

Government-run television has tried to pacify the disgruntled public with reports of a 150-truck convoy arriving from the Soviet border.

But diplomats in Kabul say most supplies are going to government stocks for soldiers and government employees.

PUBLIC NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF GRAY
TO THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF
MARTHA MARIE SUTTERFIELD, Deceased.
On the 27th day of August, 1991, RAYMOND ALTUS SUTTERFIELD, MARGARET ROSE SUTTERFIELD, WEBB, CHARLES LEE SUTTERFIELD, BRENDA JO SUTTERFIELD, HELTON, DEBORAH JEAN SUTTERFIELD HORTON, and MELFORD RAY TIBBETS filed an application requesting that a determination and declaration be made of the heirs and the only heirs of the said MARTHA MARIE SUTTERFIELD and their respective shares and interests in her estate, in a proceeding styled "Estate of Martha Marie Sutterfield, Deceased," and bearing the number 7,424 in the County Court of Gray County, Texas.

The Court will hear the aforesaid application at 10:00 a.m. on the 1st Monday after the expiration of 42 days, exclusive of the day of publication, from the date this citation is published, which will be Monday, the 28th day of October, 1991, in the County Courtroom of the County Courthouse of Gray County, Texas, in Pampa, Texas.

All persons interested in the estate of MARTHA MARIE SUTTERFIELD are commanded to appear at or before the time set for said hearing by filing a written contest or answer to said application should they desire to oppose or contest it.

Said written contest or answer shall be filed in the office of the County Clerk of Gray County, Texas, in Pampa, Texas.

The officer serving this citation shall, in compliance with the law, serve it by publication once in a newspaper of general circulation in this county in which such proceeding is pending, for not less than 10 days before the return day hereof, exclusive of the day of publication, and the date of publication said newspaper bears shall be the day of publication.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE this 11th day of September, 1991 at office in Pampa, Texas.

Wanda Carter
County Clerk
Gray County, Texas

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Wanda Carter
County Clerk
Gray County, Texas

C-43 September 15, 1991

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Notice is hereby given that ROY FEAZEL d/b/a MINIT MART, hereto a sole proprietorship with its office and principal place of business in the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas, will be incorporated and that after September 3, 1991, the business will be conducted under the name of MINIT MART, INC., a Texas corporation, with its office and principal place of business in the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas. This notice is given pursuant to article 1302-2.02 of the Texas Miscellaneous Corporation Laws Act.

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2 Museums

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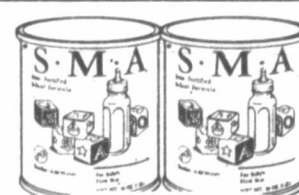
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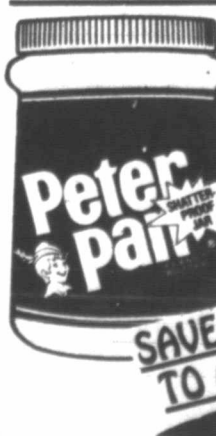


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