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FRIDAY

County commissioners continue to chop away at budget expenditures

By DEE DEE LARAMORE
Staff Writer

Gray County commissioners took the ax to the proposed \$4.7 million 1989 budget, chopping off \$230,000 with one whack, at an eight-hour budget workshop Thursday in the Gray County Courtroom.

In that time span, they reduced the \$1 million gap between estimated revenue and proposed expenditures almost in half.

Hours were spent shuffling papers and juggling figures during the full-day work session attended by all four commissioners, County Judge Carl Kennedy and various office holders.

While the largest adjustment to the proposed budget was \$233,413 for 10 different social service organizations, the county court did not abandon the programs.

Judge Kennedy suggested that the funds for contributions to these agencies be taken from the interest earned this coming year by the proceeds from the sale of Highland General Hospital.

Commissioner Jim Greene questioned the legality of using the money this way, to which Commissioner O.L. Presley commented, "It's more legal than building a golf course with it. That's what it was originally to be used for."

"Legally, I always had a problem with us paying (these services) with tax levy," Kennedy said.

"This is another way of funneling some of those funds back to the taxpayers," Commissioner Ted Simmons added.

Agencies to be included in this amount are Pampa, Lefors, and McLean ambu-

lance services; Pampa, Lefors, McLean, Groom and Mobeetie fire departments; Pampa and Southside, McLean and Lefors senior citizens centers; Meals on Wheels, McLean museum, Pampa and McLean libraries, and distribution of commodities. High Plains Food Bank and Panhandle Alcoholic Recovery Center was added to the list for the coming year.

Commissioners were no friends to themselves, either. Precinct 2 Commissioner Greene had already taken the purchase of two trucks for a \$20,000 cut from capital expenditures. He made additional adjustments in various line items, which added up to \$21,000 less than originally budgeted.

Precinct 3 Commissioner Gerald Wright, who asked that office holders who submitted increased budgets come before the commission, was no easier on his own budget.

Capital expenditures bore the brunt of the cuts in his budget, as well, with \$15,000 taken off the top, leaving only enough to cover a \$12,900 payment due the first of the year and about \$1,000 for emergencies. Other cuts, plus the \$15,000, added up to a total reduction of \$21,000.

Presley, Precinct 1 commissioner, had kept his budget well below the other commissioners at approximately \$93,000. He still took off an additional \$1,150, bringing his budget for the year to \$91,131.

Precinct 4 Commissioner Simmons had budgeted closely to current expenditures, but after considering his proposals with the other commissioners, an additional \$6,600 fell to the floor.

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Bush, Quayle hit campaign trail dogged by National Guard issue

By TERENCE HUNT
Associated Press Writer

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — George Bush plunges into his self-proclaimed underdog campaign for president today, buoyed by rave reviews for his speech at the Republican National Convention and betraying no concern over the controversy engulfing his running mate.

With a declaration that "I mean to win," Bush was taking vice presidential nominee Dan Quayle home to Indiana for a big welcoming rally in Huntington, where the conservative, two-term senator grew up.

The GOP candidates were sure to be dogged by questions about Quayle's use of family influence to get into the National Guard at the height of the Vietnam War, a step that virtually assured he would avoid combat.

From Indiana, Bush will point his campaign toward big battlefield states for the November election, visiting Ohio, Illinois, Washington state, Oregon, California and Texas in a non-stop blitz through Wednesday.

"I know that what it all comes down to, this election — what it all comes down to, after all the shouting and the cheers, is the man at the desk" in the Oval Office "and who should sit at that desk," Bush told cheering delegates in a convention windup speech Thursday night.

"My friends, I am that man," Bush said.

Although speechmaking is not Bush's strong suit, he delivered his remarks with strength, confidence and poise.

"He hit it. He hit it out of the park," exulted Sen. Alfonse D'Amato, R-N.Y. "For me, it was (a question of) survival, the speech of his life and he did it." Massachusetts delegate Joyce Hampers called it "a grand slam."



(AP Laserphoto)

Bush, with Quayle at his side, gives thumbs up to delegates.

Nebraska Gov. Kay Orr said: "It was a sensitive speech because he was so strong and yet so sensitive. He showed that he is attuned to the American people. I believe he revealed a George Bush people have not yet seen and had a chance to appreciate."

"The main message here," said Florida Gov. Bob Martinez, "is America discovered George Bush."

"It was his finest hour. He just couldn't hold back his charisma," said state Rep. Shirley Duer of Tennessee.

Bush's wife, Barbara, delighted the convention with a tribute to her husband. "You've nominated for the presidency a man who is as strong and caring and decent as America herself."

Yet, the controversy over Quayle cast a cloud over the convention euphoria and the forging of a ticket to challenge Democratic presidential candidate Michael Dukakis.

Republicans fretted that the furor would undermine GOP chances of renewing their eight-year lease on the White House.

"It's not going to help the ticket," said Illinois Secretary of State Jim Edgar, a Republican. "I think we'll just have to wait a few days and see how this thing settles out."

"Let's face it, the question is whether a rich kid's family got him into the Guard when other people were getting drafted," said John DeCamp, a Vietnam veteran and GOP delegate from Nebraska. "Some of them like me got shot at a lot and great many of them just got shot and killed."

Quayle, a member of an influential newspaper family, refused to discuss the matter Thursday on the grounds it would detract from Bush's acceptance speech. "It's the vice president's night, why should Sen. Quayle hold some big news conference?" said press secretary Sheila Tate.

The Democratic opposition campaign stepped around the controversy over Quayle and the National Guard but raised questions about his qualifications.

"We leave it to the American people to judge who made the

best decision, who made the presidential decision," said Paul Brontas, chairman of Michael Dukakis' presidential campaign. "The key question is: Did (Bush) pick the person who is best qualified to serve?"

Quayle had an abundance of defenders, most notably George Bush.

"I'm proud to have Dan Quayle at my side," Bush said, giving delegates an unmistakable sign that he was not backing away from his running mate. The declaration triggered roars of approval.

Quayle, accepting the vice presidential nomination, referred only indirectly to the flap surrounding him. He mentioned his service in the National Guard and said, "I am proud of it."

After he addresses a meeting of the Republican National Committee today, Bush was to set out on a six-day campaign swing through the Midwest and far West.

His running mate, Quayle, will accompany him for the first three days.

Sprinkler fun



(Staff photo by Duane A. Laverly)

Sarabeth McCall, 4, finds that a lawn sprinkler can be used for other things besides watering a yard as she squirts some of her

friends recently near First United Methodist Church. Sarabeth is the daughter of John and Nancy McCall of Pampa.

Lefors principal says he feels excited about new school year

By BEAR MILLS
Staff Writer

In spite of a still-troubled economy Bill Crockett, Lefors schools principal, says he is "very enthusiastic" about school beginning in a few days.

Crockett said the Lefors Independent School District has lost another \$6 million in assessed value this year because of the continued slump in oil prices.

"Basically, we're trying to tighten our belts but not take anything away from the kids," Crockett said.

He points out that a federal energy grant has allowed the district to lower ceilings, install a new heating system and light fixtures and replace worn outside doors and windows.

"With the new things around the school comes a new sense of pride," Crockett said. "We've got a bunch of excellent students to go along with the improvements we've made. It all adds up to an exciting school year."

The LISD has held a shrinking budget in check by reducing the number of teachers over the last few years by three. The district also only has one principal.

"There will be 20 teachers for grades K-12 this year and about 120 students," Crockett said.

Also helping the budget situation is the fact that

Lefors did not have to spend any money cleaning up problem asbestos. In Pampa the asbestos clean-up will cost around \$400,000 while in Miami the price tag was in the neighborhood of \$20,000.

All asbestos costs are absorbed by the district following a federally mandated removal due to potential health threats.

"We had a couple of small areas of asbestos, but they've been contained with no expense," Crockett said.

Crockett is pleased that the district was able to hold the line on tax increases at \$1.07 per \$100 assessed value.

"Our effective rate is \$1.13 but we kept it where it was. We lost \$60,000 by not raising taxes," Crockett said. However, the district decided a tax increase would create an undue strain on Lefors residents.

School in Lefors will begin on Thursday, Sept. 1.

Pre-registration will be as follows:

■ Juniors and Seniors, 9-11 a.m., Aug. 30.

■ Freshmen and Sophomores, 1-3 p.m., on Aug. 30.

■ Seventh and Eighth graders, 9-11 a.m., Aug. 31.

All others will register on the first day of school.

Crockett said the Hoechst Celanese rebuilding currently under way in Pampa will cause a temporary increase in the number of students in Lefors schools.

"Our attitude about the school year is very good. We've got some kids that will blossom into leaders. It's very exciting," he said.

4-H Youth Rodeo begins tonight

Youngsters age 9-18 will have a chance to showcase their rodeo skills at the Gray County 4-H Youth Rodeo, which begins tonight and continues Saturday night at the Top o' Texas Rodeo Arena in Pampa at 7 p.m. each evening.

The youth team roping (heading and heeling) event is open to all contestants age 9-18, and is scheduled for Saturday at 1 p.m. It will be followed by the adult/youth team roping, featuring teams with a youth age 9-18 and an adult over 21.

Events for competitors age 15-18 include calf roping, pole bending, bull riding, barrel racing,

goat tying, breakaway roping and ribbon roping.

For 12- to 14-year-olds, the events consist of Steer riding, pole bending, breakaway roping, barrel racing, goat tying, ribbon roping and adult/youth ribbon roping.

Participants age 9-11 will compete in breakaway roping, calf riding, goat tying, barrel racing, pole bending, flag racing and adult/youth ribbon roping.

Boys and girls are eligible to compete in any event listed for their particular age group. All-Around buckles will be awarded in each age group on the basis of points earned in all events except

adult/youth ribbon roping for ages 9-11 and 12-14 and the adult/youth team roping.

Events for Pee Wee contestants are scheduled for Saturday afternoon at about 2:30 p.m., following the team roping events. Children age six and under can compete in a stick-horse barrel race, goat ribbon race, boot scramble race and sack race. Events for children age 7 and 8 include goat ribbon race, barrel race, flag race and pole bending.

An All-Around trophy will be presented in each age group of the Pee Wee division, and ribbons will be awarded through sixth place.

Daily Record

Services tomorrow

No services for tomorrow were reported to The Pampa News by press time today.

Obituaries

JANET McMILLEN GRAHAM

ODESSA — Memorial services for Janet McMillen Graham, 65, a former Pampa resident, are to be at 3 p.m. Sunday at Bethany Christian Church with the Rev. David Everton officiating. There will be no burial. Arrangements are by Frank W. Wilson Funeral Directors of Odessa.

Mrs. Graham died Thursday at Deerings West Nursing Home after a lengthy illness. She was born Feb. 23, 1923 at Clovis, N.M. She married Burl Graham Jr. on July 5, 1945 in Sayre, Okla. The couple lived in Pampa during the 1950s. She had been a resident of West Texas since 1962. Survivors include her husband, Burl, of the home; three sons, Burl M. Graham III of Big Spring, Jonathan L. Graham of Cincinnati, Ohio, and James D. Graham of Greeley, Colo.; one sister, Blanche A. Kirkvliet of Fairchild, Wis., and five granddaughters.

The family requests memorials be made to Bethany Christian Church.

Police report

The Pampa Police Department responded to the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

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Harvey Mart, 314 E. 17th, reported a theft at the store.

Pampa Youth Center, 1000 W. Harvester, reported criminal mischief and vandalism.

Randy's Food Store, 401 N. Ballard, reported forgery of a stolen payroll check.

Taylor Food Mart, 600 E. Frederick, reported theft under \$20.

First National Bank of Canadian reported forgery of four personal checks.

Jonnie Crumie, 1013 S. Clark, reported burglary of a building.

Allsup's, 859 E. Frederick, reported two thefts.

Joseph Anthony Wilson, 1117 N. Starkweather, reported unauthorized use of a motor vehicle at 1321 Coffee.

Allsup's, 500 E. Foster, reported a theft under \$20.

Arrests

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David A. Ball, 31, of Midwest Towers, Wis., was arrested at 535 W. Brown for public intoxication. He was released on a cash bond.

Donnie Eugene Terry, 25, 601 Red Deer, was arrested in the 200 block of East Francis for driving while intoxicated and failing to maintain a single lane.

Stock market

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

Wheat	3.22	Amoco	75 1/2	up 1/2
Milo	4.30	Aro	80 1/2	NC
Corn	4.80	Cabot	37 1/2	up 1/2
		Chevron	45	up 1/2
		Enron	39 1/2	up 1/2
		Halliburton	28 1/2	up 1/2
		HCA	33 1/2	dn 1/2
		Ingersoll Rand	35 1/2	up 1/2
		Kerr-McGee	35 1/2	up 1/2
		KNE	16 1/2	dn 1/2
		Mapco	7 1/2	NC
		Maxxus	55 1/2	up 1/2
		Mesa Ltd.	13	up 1/2
		Mobil	42 1/2	NC
		Penney's	40 1/2	up 1/2
		Phillips	17 1/2	dn 1/2
		SBJ	34	NC
		SPS	25 1/2	up 1/2
		Tenneco	46 1/2	up 1/2
		Texaco	46 1/2	up 1/2
		N.Y. Gold	432 7/8	up 1/2
		Silver	6 66	up 1/2

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

Magellan	45.93
Puritan	12.67

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

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL

Admissions	Dismissals
Eula Bradshaw, Pampa	To Mr. and Mrs. Loney Wilson, Pampa, a girl.
William Bray, Pampa	Merle Bohlander, Pampa
Ricky Brewer, Pampa	Shyla Brown, Pampa
Opal Butcher, Pampa	Larry Cook, Shamrock
Clyde Chisum, Pampa	John Cooper, White Deer
Margaret Devitt, San Diego, Calif.	Candy Cross and baby girl, Pampa
Brian Driscoll, Pampa	John Dawes, Pampa
Vera Gonzales, Lefors	Billy Gillis, Pampa
Dorothy Hammons, Pampa	John Kindall, Pampa
Randall Hendrick, Pampa	Brenda Roth, Pampa
Sidney Hill, Pampa	Opal Shelton, Borger
W.M. Ledbetter, Pampa	SHAMROCK HOSPITAL
Charles Murrah, Pampa	Admissions
A.D. Neal, Groom	Thula Wilson, Wellington
Lewis Stark, Pampa	John Pavlovsky, Shamrock
Willie Nickleberry, Pampa (extended care)	Karen Perez, Wheeler
Births	Dismissals
	Carrie Edwards, Shamrock

Calendar of events

CAR WASH

A car wash will be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, at Pampa Nursing Center. Cost will be \$5 per car plus any additional donations; all proceeds will go to the local chapter of the Alzheimer's Foundation.

ACT I AUDITIONS

ACT I will conduct auditions for its 1988-89 season opener, *I Do! I Do!*, at 6 p.m. Sunday and Monday, Aug. 21-22, in the M.K. Brown Room of Pampa Community Building, 200 N. Ballard. Auditions will be for one male role, one female role, two pianists and a percussionist. For more information, contact Paula Simpson, director, at 665-1617 or 665-4985.

Fire report

The Pampa Fire Department responded to the following calls during the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

THURSDAY, Aug. 18

8:42 a.m. — A trash container fire was reported in the 1300 block of Duncan.

10:22 a.m. — A trash container fire was reported at 1408 Hamilton.

12:45 p.m. — A fire was reported at 1107 1/2 Ripley, but was out when firefighters arrived. Owner of the property is unknown.

Minor accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported no minor accidents in the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

Emergency numbers

Ambulance	911
Energas	665-5777
Fire	911
Police	911
SPS	669-7432
Water	665-3881

County

True to their word, commissioners slashed conference and training expenses to \$500, amid protests from the district and county clerk and county treasurer.

"I object," County Clerk Wanda Carter said when Greene made the motion. "I absolutely must go to some of these, if I have to pay it out of my own pocket. If I don't keep ahead of (changes), they're going to get ahead of me, and if I mess up, you're the ones that will get sued."

"We're in the same boat," Simmons countered. "Laws are changing all the time. No one can keep up with all of them."

County Treasurer Scott Hahn asked Simmons that as the former owner of a car dealership, didn't he see that his employees and salesman receive training?

"If you owned Firestone and you weren't to make enough money to send employees to school, you aren't going to do it," Greene replied.

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Carter suggested that commissioners limit conference and training to \$1,000 per year, "so we can attend whatever meeting we feel is important to us."

Commissioners stood firm to the \$500 figure, but Kennedy amended the motion with the stipulation that office holders who "feel if there is a need to make a trip can go before the county commission and make their request."

A travel allowance of \$25 per month for the district and county clerks remained status quo, despite the requests from the two clerks and four other county employees for a \$500 a month travel allowance.

An additional line item of \$180 per year for Panhandle Community Services Board travel was added to Carter's budget, since commissioners had required that she be a member of the board.

Requests from Pampa Army Air Field Association and Panhandle Transit were both turned down. Simmons said he felt the needs of Panhandle Transit could be handled through donations

and the churches.

Kennedy said he would offer manpower and equipment to PAAF when they began to work on the proposed air field museum.

Longevity pay was unanimously approved and retirement was left at 12 years for vestment, as has been the previous practice. County employee salaries were frozen, with the exception of the Department of Public Safety secretary whose salary was raised \$200 per month in order to be in line with the salaries of the other county secretaries.

"We haven't closed the gap but we took \$425,181 off by today," Kennedy said.

Commissioners have set another work session for 9:30 a.m. Monday, Aug. 25, in the Gray County Courtroom at the courthouse. In this meeting, commissioners plan to discuss the tax rate and funding for the remaining \$575,000 difference between estimated revenue and proposed budget.

Action on the budget and tax rate will not be taken until the Sept. 1 regular meeting of the county commission.

Wright confident of drug bill OK

WASHINGTON (AP) — House Speaker Jim Wright says he's confident Congress will pass a \$1.6 billion drug bill this fall that cracks down on dealers and increases funding for rehabilitation and education programs.

Wright said Thursday Congress will consider the legislation, weighted down with 30 amendments culled from more than 130 originally offered in the election-year war on drugs, when it returns from its August recess. Wright said the bill attempts to undo the advantages drug dealers often have over undermanned and less-equipped law officers, expand rehabilitation programs so those trying to quit the habit aren't put on a months-long waiting list, and instill in children a "loathing for the drug culture... a contempt for the ridiculous lures offered to them."

"Places for rehabilitation are so scarce that when someone is ready to quit and take that great step... there is no place to go."

Wright said Congress must "exercise serious and sober good judgment" when it considers penalties for drug users.

One proposed amendment would bar those convicted of drug possession from receiving government-backed college student loans or grants.

He said Congress must weigh carefully whether it wants to "deprive a kid from going to college

Nine or 10 months later they may no longer be in the mood to quit drugs, or no longer alive," Wright said.

Among the bill's provisions are the creation of a Cabinet-level post to coordinate the drug war; an increase in the Customs Service budget to add more inspectors; expanded enforcement powers for the Postal Service and the Internal Revenue Service; tightened control of drug dealers; to sophisticated weapons; toughened laws for banks that launder drug money; and revocation of drug dealers' passports.

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He said Congress must weigh carefully whether it wants to "deprive a kid from going to college

because as a kid in high school he was foolish enough to be convicted of possession of drugs. It seals him off without an escape hatch that you would like him to have.

"Congress should be sensible and not stamped into doing this because of a knee-jerk reaction," Wright said.

One of the amendments, sponsored by Rep. Solomon Ortiz, would allow local governments to use a portion of their law enforcement agency's share of seized drug assets to build or maintain prison facilities.

Under the measure introduced by the Corpus Christi Democrat, a former sheriff, local governments could ask to use up to 50 percent of the value of seized assets received by their police chief or sheriff in joint raids with federal authorities, on prison programs.

Wright said he expects drug legislation to clear the House and Senate.

City briefs

KICK BACK playing Country and Rock 'n Roll at The Party Station, Friday and Saturday. Adv.

ADDITIONS THE Back To School Headquarters for Levis, juniors 3-13, little boys 4-7, boys 8-14, student 25-30. Open Thursdays till 8 p.m. Adv.

COUNTRY ETC. - Come see our select group of girls Denim shirt and skirt sets, now \$5 off regular price! Country ETC, 614 S. Cuyler. Adv.

FINAL WEEK. 70% Sale. Images. Downtown. 123 N. Cuyler. Adv.

PERSONAL TOUCH Summer sale. Only 1 more day. 113 N. Cuyler. Adv.

MUSIC SHOPPE your home-town record, tape and C.D. store where something is always on sale. Look for our Back To School Savings in Sunday's paper. 2139 N. Hobart. Plaza 21. Adv.

ROWDY ACE, Friday, Saturday nights \$3 single, \$5 couple. City Limits. Adv.

CLARENDON COLLEGE Pampa Center will be offering Hospice Volunteer Training Class, beginning Monday, September 12th, 6:30 p.m. Hazel Barthel instructor. Adv.

NAILS! NAILS! Nails! Long, slender, elegant sculptured finger nails. Call Teresa, Nail Technician at Michelle's, 669-9871. Prices effective only through September 1. 100% guarantee. Adv.

CERAMICS & Crafts, 19 miles east on Highway 152 at Laketon. Open Saturday 1-5 p.m. 665-8554. Adv.

USED CLOTHING Free. White Deer Methodist Church. Sunday, August 21st. 3 to 5 p.m. Adv.

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

LAWN FERTILIZER, 50 pound bag, \$9 delivered. Downtown Kiwanis, 665-1665, 669-6443. Adv.

ROLEX, GUCCI, Corum, replica watches 50% off. VJ's Pampa Mall, 669-6323. Adv.

OKRA, BEANS, blackeye or cream peas, by the bushel or less. W.C. Epperson Garden, 665-8258. Adv.

CLARENDON COLLEGE Pampa Center will be offering introduction to Lotus 1-2-3, beginning September 12th. Monday from 1 to 4 p.m. for further information call the Pampa Center. Adv.

McLEAN IN-Town Carrier needed. Apply Pampa News, 669-2525.

JUST FOR the smell of it. Visit Rolanda's and sniff the wonderful new fragrances of potpourri room spray, sachets, and wax potpourri at Rolanda's in the Pampa Mall. Adv.

APPLY STAY Green fertilizer now - the hot weather lawn food for Bermuda grass lawns, Watson's Feed & Garden, 665-4189. Adv.

GOLDEN MALRIN Fly bait, Amdro Ant killer in stock. Watson's Feed & Garden, 665-4189. Adv.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST Partly cloudy tonight with a 30 percent chance of thunderstorms. Locally heavy thunderstorms are possible. Low will be in the mid 60s with southeast winds at 10 to 20 mph. Saturday, isolated afternoon thunderstorms are possible, otherwise fair with a high near 90 and south winds at 10 to 15 mph. High Thursday was 89 and the overnight low was 71.

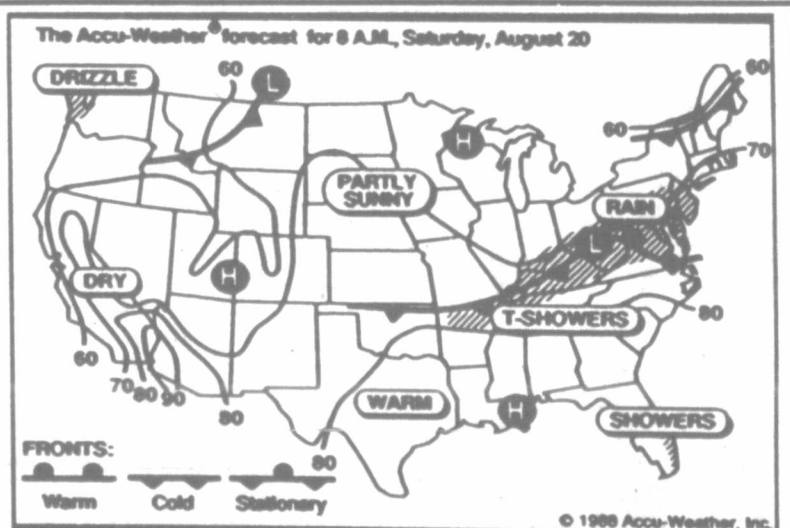
REGIONAL FORECAST

West Texas — Isolated to widely scattered thunderstorms east of the mountains through Saturday. Thunderstorms the most numerous in the Panhandle tonight with local heavy rain possible. Fair far west. Highs Saturday 90s except near 102 Big Bend. Lows tonight mid to upper 60s except near 70 Big Bend.

North Texas — Excessive heat over the central third of North Texas through Saturday with afternoon heat indexes in the 105 to 115 degree range. Partly cloudy days and mostly fair at night. Widely scattered mainly afternoon and evening thunderstorms all area tonight and mainly east and north Saturday. Lows tonight 72 to 78. Highs Saturday 95 to 103.

South Texas — Partly cloudy to occasionally cloudy through Saturday with scattered mainly daytime thunderstorms more numerous south and east. Highs Saturday 90s except 80s beaches. Lows tonight 70s except 60s Hill Country and 80s beaches.

EXTENDED FORECAST Sunday through Tuesday



West Texas — Partly cloudy with isolated to widely scattered afternoon and evening thunderstorms. Temperatures will be normal for the season. Panhandle and South Plains: Lows will be in the mid to upper 60s; highs in the lower 90s. Permian Basin: Lows around 70 and highs in the mid to low 90s. Concho Valley: Lows in the mid 70s, with highs in the mid 90s. Far West: Lows in the upper to mid 60s; highs in the upper 90s. Big Bend: Lows in the lower 60s in the mountains to mid 70s in the lowlands. Highs in the lower 90s in the mountains to near 102 in the Big Bend valley.

North Texas — Partly cloudy with widely scattered afternoon thunderstorms Sunday. Partly cloudy Monday and Tuesday, with widely scattered afternoon thunderstorms in the east. Lows in the 70s. Highs in the mid 90s to near 100.

South Texas — A chance of mainly afternoon and evening thunderstorms in the southeast on Sunday, and mostly southeast and coastal plains on Monday and Tuesday. Otherwise, partly cloudy with warm nights and hot afternoons. Lows in the 70s except in the 80s immediate coast. Highs in the 90s except near 100 southwest.

BORDER STATES

Oklahoma — Partly cloudy through Saturday with scattered thunderstorms. Highs low 90s to near 100. Lows mid 60s Panhandle to mid 70s east. New Mexico — Partly cloudy mornings with scattered afternoon and early nighttime thundershowers through Saturday. Locally heavy rains possible. Highs 70s mountains with 80s central valleys and northeast to lower 90s southeast plains. Lows 50s mountains with 60s lower elevations.

No progress reported as South, North Korea meet on Olympics

PANMUNJOM, Korea (AP) — Lawmakers from North and South Korea met for the first time in nearly three years today to discuss easing their long rivalry, but they made no progress on a non-aggression pact or on the North's demand to be a co-host at the Olympic Games.

The two five-member delegations agreed to hold a second meeting at the truce village of Panmunjom on Saturday to see if they could agree on terms for full-scale parliamentary talks. Today's meeting was the first between delegates from North and South since 1985.

Chief South Korean delegate Park Joon-kyu said afterward that he rated chances for holding parliamentary talks at "50-50" and said North Korea will have to be more flexible.

The two Koreas, technically still at war, are archenemies with hundreds of thousands of troops along the 150-mile border. The two sides have no relations.

North Korea's chief delegate, Chon Kum Chol, said the two sides had yet to clear the way for the North's proposal for talks between their parliaments on a non-aggression pact and the Olympics. North Korea says it must be a co-host at the Olympics or it will boycott the Games. They start Sept. 17 in Seoul.

The Olympics, he said, were a "serious political problem which will decide the destiny of the Korean people."

Park, in an opening speech, said the only solution was for the North to participate in the Olympics. He said the South will keep the door open until the last moment for the North but noted the deadline for entries is Sept. 2.

All the North Korean delegates were drawn from the rubber-stamp Supreme Peoples' Assembly. The South Korean delegation consisted of two government National Assembly lawmakers and a legislator from each of the three main opposition parties.

Delegates differed over an agenda for full-scale

talks, with the North wanting to focus on a non-aggression pact and the Olympics. The North Koreans said they did not want to discuss several issues raised by the South, including a summit between their presidents.

The talks became heated at one point when North Korean delegate Ahn Byong Soo questioned how representative the South's Parliament is. The chief South Korean delegate objected loudly, saying, "Wait, your statement is too much."

The North continued to insist on the participation of the full parliaments of both sides plus representatives of social and class groups in the full-scale talks.

South Korea insisted on 20-member delegations, saying the North's plan would mean talks involving 954 delegates and would be unworkable.

Chon said the first full-scale meeting should be held Aug. 26 in the North Korean capital of Pyongyang. He said any final agreement would be put to a vote of the two assemblies.

The North is demanding to be a co-host at the Olympics to stave off a major political defeat. Both sides claim to be the sole legitimate government of Korea. The South sees its selection to host the Olympics as international recognition of its claim.

The International Olympic Committee says North Korea cannot be a co-host because they are awarded to a single city. South Korean authorities say the North may use terrorism to try to disrupt the Olympics.

Sporadic talks between the two sides since the early 1970s failed to make progress on easing hostilities. The last talks collapsed in January, 1986 when North Korea pulled out to protest annual South Korean-U.S. military exercises.

The Korean Peninsula was divided in 1945 by Soviet and U.S. forces that ended the Japanese occupation at the end of World War II. North Korea invaded the South in 1950 to start the Korean War, which ended in stalemate in 1953 without a peace treaty being signed.

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Fuel tank explosion causes evacuation

DECATUR (AP) — A fuel company tank exploded and erupted into fire today, causing authorities to evacuate a six-block area around the site, a Wise County Sheriff's Department spokesman said.

The explosion occurred at about 7:25 a.m. today near Decatur, sheriff's department spokesman Richard Evans said. There were no immediate reports of injuries.

All fire departments from the incorporated cities of Wise Coun-

ty were arriving to fight the blaze at the Mobil Oil Co. site, located next to a railroad track just south of Decatur, said Wayne Hinshaw, the county's emergency management coordinator.

Also, foam trucks were on standby at Carswell Air Force Base in Fort Worth, Texas, in case they were needed, but they had not been called to the scene, Hinshaw said.

He said he did not know what type of fuel was in the tank that

exploded. "I just know they handled gasoline and diesel there," he said.

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Regulators approve consolidation of dozen troubled thrifts

WASHINGTON (AP) — A federal regulator says the consolidation of 12 insolvent Texas thrifts in a single \$1.3 billion deal signals the things to come in Texas and elsewhere as the government tries to clean up the battered thrift industry.

M. Danny Wall, chairman of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board, declined on Thursday to specify when the next consolidation would take place. But he indicated about half of an estimated 200 insolvent thrift cases currently in various states of negotiation, bidding and marketing may be resolved by the end of the year.

Earlier in the week, bank board member Roger Martin said that by the end of August 35 insolvent thrifts would be dealt with under the so-called Southwest Plan to consolidate and recapitalize ailing thrifts in the region.

Wall's comments came as regulators announced the government would spend \$1.3 billion to assist the acquisition of 12 failed thrifts by an investor group led by Chicago banker William Gibson.

The transaction, the fourth consolidation under the Southwest Plan, was the biggest single such deal to date and doubled the number of Texas thrifts to be merged

since the first transaction in May.

"While we're focusing a lot of attention on the state of Texas, because of the concentration of the problem within the industry in that state, we continue to work elsewhere," Wall said.

The consolidation brings to 68 the number of mergers, consolidations and "insurance actions" approved nationwide so far this year. Wall said the number was "ahead of what we had established as a minimum goal so far this year and that ratio, that average per week, would only continue to increase as we move toward the end of the year."

The action accounts for 24 of the 109 Texas thrifts that were insolvent when work on the Southwest Plan began earlier this year, "and we plan to complete the work in Texas by the end of May 1989," Wall said.

The Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corp. will provide an immediate \$499 million note to fund the new consolidation, with the money going to boost capital and help cover bad loans. Outside investors will inject \$48 million.

Gibson, executive vice president of Continental Illinois National Bank and Trust in Chicago and Continental Illinois

Corp., will serve as president and chief executive officer of the new institution.

Gibson is a former senior vice president at First Republic Bank Corp. of Dallas. The Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. bailed out First Republic Bank in July when it pledged \$4 billion to help NCNB Corp. Charlotte, N.C., take over the troubled banking giant.

The new Dallas-based thrift will be called American Federal Bank F.S.B. It has more than 50 branches in Texas, but it was not immediately known how many would be closed.

The bank board, regulator of the thrift industry, said the 12 thrifts had combined assets of nearly \$2.4 billion and liabilities of \$3 billion.

FHLBB officials said the 12 thrifts were losing a combined \$105 million a quarter. One of the merged thrifts, Richardson Savings and Loan Association of Dallas, had a \$77.6 million loss in the first quarter of 1988, the 10th worst earnings record nationally among thrifts.

Two other thrifts, Mercury Savings Association, Wichita Falls, and Ben Milam Savings and Loan, Cameron, were in the bank board's management con-

signment program, which replaces the management of ailing thrifts with those from healthy ones.

The acquisition was the first involving capital from outside the thrift industry, Wall said.

"Today's transaction shows that private investors are willing to bring in hard cash for the opportunity of participating in the Texas thrift recovery," he said.

Wall said the end of the federal fiscal year, Sept. 30, and the end of the calendar year, are helping drive the bank board forward. A tax exemption involving FSLIC-assisted transactions is scheduled to be phased out Dec. 31, Wall said.

The thrift industry continues to lose capital, although the decline apparently slowed down in the last quarter, and officials have put the cost of restoring health to the industry anywhere from \$26 million to \$100 million as debate continues on Capitol Hill over whether a taxpayer bailout will face the next president after he takes office in January.

The FHLBB reported earlier this month that the industry's capital declined by \$1.72 billion in the April-June period.



Gibson, center, discusses S&L mergers.

Hunt brothers awaiting jury's decision

NEW YORK (AP) — A federal jury has completed four days of deliberations without reaching a verdict in the multi-million-dollar civil lawsuit brought against Texas oilman Nelson Bunker Hunt and his brothers.

The panel, which was to resume this morning, deliberated for about six hours Thursday, ending shortly before 5 p.m.

At about 4:25 p.m., U.S. District Judge Morris E. Lasker had invited federal prosecutors and then defense attorneys into his chambers to tell them about the day's deliberations.

On Wednesday, the jury of three men and three women said it had answered all but one of the 27 questions it must resolve to reach a verdict.

The jury said it was stuck on the question of damages to be awarded.

The 11-page verdict sheet requires the jury to make a finding of some antitrust, civil racketeering or fraud violation before considering damages.

Trial observers therefore felt the panel had found for Minpeco S.A. on at least one of its allegations.

Minpeco, a mineral marketing company owned by the Peruvian government, is suing the Hunts for \$150 million and seeking triple damages under antitrust and civil racketeering statutes.

The jury has been deliberating since Monday afternoon. The trial began in February.

Minpeco claims the three brothers — Nelson Bunker Hunt, 62; William Herbert Hunt, 59, who also has extensive real estate holdings, and Lamar Hunt, 56, owner of the National Football League Kansas City Chiefs — conspired unsuccessfully with several Middle East businessmen to corner the world silver market.

Minpeco claims they bought unusually large amounts of silver bullion in an alleged effort to manipulate world silver prices between 1979 and 1980 in a failed attempt to corner the market.

The Hunts have denied the



Nelson Hunt, left, and brother William take an uptown train ride after leaving New York court Thursday.

allegations, claiming unstable world political conditions drove up silver prices and they

in turn suffered enormous losses when the silver market collapsed in March 1980.

Texas GOP delegates cheer Bush speech

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — The band played "The Eyes of Texas," balloons rained down and Republicans from George Bush's home state said he hit the home run he needed in his speech accepting the presidential nomination.

"The force was with him," said H. Pulse Martinez of Pleasanton. "He hit a home run. I think we won the election tonight," added Rep. Joe Barton.

Because of the wide acclaim received by Democratic nominee Michael Dukakis, many Texans had said Bush needed to deliver a dynamic speech to the Republican National Convention Thursday night.

In a wide-ranging talk that discussed his personal background,

his family and his philosophy, Bush did just that, Texas delegates said.

"He's not going to make just a competent president, he's going to make a superb president," said Wendy Gramm, chairwoman of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission and wife of Sen. Phil Gramm.

Bush, who calls Houston home, accepted the nomination after telling a national television audience that he had "learned a few things about life in a place called Texas."

He recalled moving to the West Texas in 1948 and going to work in the oil business and starting his own. That, he said, made a lasting impression.

"The big thing I learned is the

satisfaction of creating jobs, which meant creating opportunity. ... I learned that the good done by a single good job can be felt in ways you can't imagine," Bush said.

"We've got a candidate who understands our Texas philosophy," said Tom Loeffler, a former member of Congress who is co-chairman of Bush's state campaign.

Karl Rove, an Austin political consultant, said he believes the vice president accomplished several objectives with the speech.

"He was able to project an upbeat, positive message without the type of personal assaults we saw at the Democratic convention," Rove said.

Rove said Bush also rebutted many of the Democrats' charges about his ability to lead, and the vice president used a little humor to deflect some of the jokes made about him.

"Most effective was the good hard look he gave at who George Bush was," Rove said. "He gave people a look tonight at what makes him tick."

Rob Mosbacher Jr. of Houston, an unsuccessful candidate for the Senate in 1984, said the speech impressed him.

"He defined George Bush separate and apart from Ronald Reagan. He responded to the Democrats without using the ridicule and personal attacks," Mosbacher said.

Feds assigning more agents to Texas border

DALLAS (AP) — In stepped up efforts to keep illegal aliens from entering the country through the South, the U.S. Border Patrol is hiring 600 new agents by the end of the year, mostly in Texas.

"It'll give us a better control of the Southern border," said Perry Cronin, deputy chief border patrol agent for the Southern Region. "We're hoping to do it in one big swoop."

The Border Patrol already has about 1,600 agents in the Southern Region, which spans from New Mexico to North Carolina and includes Texas, with its 1,200-mile border with Mexico.

Since passage of the U.S. Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, about 750 agents

already have been added in the region, Cronin said.

About 50 of the 600 new agents will be in New Mexico, he said.

Almost all of the new agents are scheduled to be assigned to five targeted sectors in Texas along the United States-Mexico border, from El Paso to McAllen.

Cronin said their primary responsibility will be enforcing the employer sanctions provision of the immigration law.

The agents will be visiting places of employment and investigating complaints about employers illegally hiring undocumented workers.

"We get a lot of information about employers of illegal aliens," Cronin said.

The immigration act requires every employer to check and maintain proof that each employee hired after Nov. 6, 1986, the date the bill was signed, is a legal resident of the United States.

After focusing mainly on education programs for employers, the Border Patrol started getting tougher on enforcing the employer sanctions provision of the immigration law beginning June 1.

Agents started slapping fines on employers instead of routinely issuing warnings, said John Armistead, regional spokesman for the Immigration and Naturalization Service, which oversees the Border Patrol.

Employers who knowingly hire undocumented aliens face fines ranging from \$250 to \$2,000 for each illegal employee for a first offense; \$2,000 to \$5,000 per employee for a second offense; and \$3,000 to \$10,000 per employee for subsequent offenses.

An employer who fails to check a worker's status can be fined up to \$1,000. And employers transporting illegal workers are subject to having their vehicles confiscated.

Screening of the prospective agents has been going on for several weeks throughout the region, Cronin said. Candidates for the jobs must pass a written examination and be interviewed before they are appointed.

But Ben Phillips, the El Paso board's attorney in Santa Fe, said he was pessimistic about the board's chances of getting a fair hearing before any elected judge from near the Mesilla Bolson.

Group seeks new judge for water dispute case

LAS CRUCES (AP) — A Las Cruces attorney wants El Paso, Texas, to state which judges it will accept before a new judge is named to hear a dismissal motion in a water rights lawsuit.

Attorney Steve Hernandez, representing New Mexico State Engineer Steve Reynolds, New Mexico State University and the Elephant Butte Irrigation District, filed a motion asking the state Supreme Court to name a new judge in the case. The motion

also asked that El Paso list acceptable judges.

An Aug. 24 state Supreme Court hearing is scheduled on Hernandez's motion.

Hernandez said the motion was in reply to El Paso's request that District Judge Manuel Saucedo of Deming disqualify himself from presiding over El Paso's appeal on grounds of bias.

Saucedo earlier this month was set to preside over El Paso's Public Service Board's appeal of a

December ruling by Reynolds that denied El Paso's request to drill for water in the Mesilla Bolson west of Las Cruces.

But El Paso's request delayed the hearing and Saucedo set Nov. 7 as the date to hear arguments on the Public Service Board's motion.

For a decade, El Paso and New Mexico have fought a legal war over the water, which Las Cruces does not need immediately and El Paso contends it will need to

sustain its growth. Attorneys for Elephant Butte Irrigation District, the primary opponent to the board's plan to use New Mexico groundwater, said the challenge to Saucedo was a delay tactic.

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Albuquerque woman suspect for robbery of Austin bank

By DAN CALDERON
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — Police say a tip from a "mysterious caller" led to the arrest of a female bank robbery suspect who left a New Mexico jail after telling prison officials she needed an emergency leave to attend her mother's funeral.

Victoria Lynn Stevens, 32, of Albuquerque, N.M., remained jailed today in lieu of \$50,000 bail in connection with the Aug. 15 robbery of the Frost Bank in Austin, said Kellye Norris, a police spokeswoman.

Authorities also are investigating whether Stevens may have been involved in the Aug. 9 robbery of the Bank of Austin and similar robberies in Albuquerque, Norris said Thursday.

Police said Stevens was arrested along with David E. Garrett, 30, also of Albuquerque, at an Austin motel Thursday morning.

Norris said police recovered "a large amount of money believed to be from the bank robbery" and three grams of heroin in the room.

Police would not disclose the amount of money recovered. The spokeswoman said Garrett also was being held for failure to appear in a New Mexico court on burglary charges.

Norris said Stevens had been in the New Mexico Department of Corrections system in July, using an alias, but had requested a three-day emergency furlough to attend her mother's funeral.

Furlough papers ordered her to return Aug. 2, but she did not, Norris said.

Kevin Jackson, a spokesman for the New Mexico Department of Corrections, said he could not confirm whether Stevens had been a prisoner.

An unknown woman called Austin police on Aug. 15 after seeing the 6 p.m. television news and said she had heard of similar reports while vacationing in Albuquerque a few weeks before, Norris said.

The spokeswoman said that,

before police could get the woman's name, "she got embarrassed and said it was silly and that there probably wasn't any connection" and hung up.

Texas investigators called Albuquerque police the next day and were told a woman or two women using the same methods used in the Austin heist had recently robbed two Western Banks, a Banquest National Bank of Albuquerque, and had attempted another Banquest robbery, Norris said.

Authorities in New Mexico gave Austin police a description of a yellow car seen leaving the scene after some of the robberies.

A patrolman spotted a yellow car with New Mexico plates parked outside the motel early Thursday.

Officers saw Stevens come out to the car a few times and it was determined that she matched photographs taken by the Frost Bank's surveillance camera during the robbery.

Doug Beldon, an FBI spokesman in Albuquerque, said investigators were checking to see if she could be connected to the New Mexico robberies, saying Stevens was "a good suspect."

In all the robberies, a woman demanded money from a bank teller and implied she had a gun, although a "weapon was never seen, police said.

Police hope to locate the mysterious caller and thank her, Norris said.

"We have no idea who she is. She's the reason we broke the case."

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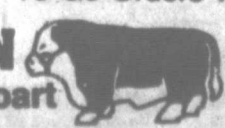
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Opinion

Sanctions will only entrench apartheid

One of the most repellent political systems in the world is apartheid in South Africa, a system imposed by the country's government. And as with most such political monstrosities, the best way to eliminate it, or at least to minimize its bad effects, is to encourage private efforts to circumvent the system.

To that end, for years many American private business tried to advance the management and business skills of South African blacks. Special programs were set up to train blacks to earn their own money, manage their own companies and determine their own destinies. Unfortunately, during the past two years the U.S. Congress has passed several bills that make it all but impossible for American firms to do business in South Africa. That means all that good work will have been almost for naught.

The latest assault was made this month by the House of Representatives, which voted 224-132 for a new volley of sanctions against South Africa. The bill's proponents called it "anti-apartheid" legislation because it sets up severe sanctions against South Africa. But it is not anti-apartheid. If approved by the Senate, and if both houses can sustain an almost certain veto by President Reagan, the bill would further entrench apartheid.

It would drive from the country the few remaining U.S. businesses still operating there, meaning loss of jobs, and precious training, for thousands of blacks. The American-sponsored alternative would end, leaving blacks in the full grip of apartheid.

The bill has an ironic aspect. It would ban all South African imports to America, except publications and strategic minerals, and would ban American exports, except for farm products, publications, and public and private aid. In other words, South African apartheid is just fine so long as it sends us rare metals for our planes and bombs and high-tech computers, but not for the routine consumer items they might export. And sending them U.S. goods is bad, except for the food of our politically powerful farmers, American propaganda and our international welfare projects.

It would serve us right if the South Africans, in retaliation, just stopped selling us the strategic metals absolutely essential to our defense and high-tech industries. Then we would have to turn to the one other source of many of these minerals, that showcase of human rights, the Soviet Union.

Fortunately, the bill may just be an election year ploy that will fizzle out in the coming weeks. But it will reappear next year. And if Mike Dukakis wins and implements the Democratic Party platform's declaration of South Africa as a "terrorist nation," then the worst probably will happen, with South African blacks hurt worst.

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Behind the hooley there's life

NEW ORLEANS - In some ways the Republican platform of 1988 is the same old hooley.

This much can be said: The Republicans have laid their promises and principles of the line. Win or lose, they have raised the flag of conservatism: They have have said to the country, here we stand.

This platform, running to 30,000 words of meat and potatoes, comes in sharp contrast to the cotton candy produced by the Democrats at Atlanta. Except for half a dozen planks, the Democratic platform was long on piety and short on specifics.

The Democrats made vague promises to create, expand or enlarge at least 25 spending programs, but offered not the slightest suggestion about paying for them.

In the grand tradition, both parties have provided in their platforms the kind of partisan rhetoric that would insult the intelligence of a babe in arms. At Atlanta, everything bad was the fault of the Republicans. Here in New Orleans, everything bad is the fault of the Democrats.

The GOP platform claims credit for a 20 percent reduction in the rate of violent crime, an achievement in which the Republican Party had no discernible role whatever.

The interesting thing about this Republican platform is its tone. It breathes with fire-eating fervor. Sis-boom-bah, rah-rah-rah, and plunge into that line!

The Republicans do not flinch from the "C" words — conservation, conservatism and capitalism. Their platform is not painted in pastels; their pigments are red, white and blue, raw colors, straight from the tube. Nothing dainty here. No apologies. Damn the Democrats' torpedoes! Full speed ahead!

To be sure, one notices a fair quantity of blah: "We will increase, strengthen and reinvigorate



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minority business development efforts to afford socially and economically disadvantaged individuals the opportunity for full participation in our free-enterprise system." The Democrats might have inflated that balloon of hot air.

One finds some hitting in the clinches: "The bosses of the Democrat Party have thrown in the towel and abandoned the American worker and producer." There is a "B" word for that sentence: baloney.

In the same partisan vein: "Homelessness is the result of Democratic policies in the 1960s and 1970s that disrupted mental health care, family stability, low-cost housing, and the authority of towns and cities to deal with people in need." Boys will be boys, and politics is a body contact sport, but come on, kids. Knock it off!

On the positive side, the GOP platform commits the party on a hundred specific pledges. At random, the party promises its best efforts to end the limitations on earnings of Social Security recipients, to reduce the rate on long-term capital gains to 15 percent, to privatize many government assets and programs, to prevent tax increases of any kind, and to provide housing vouchers and tuition tax credits.

This platform doesn't mince around. It flatly opposes the liberal notion of equal pay for jobs of

supposedly "comparable worth." It opposes federal funding of congressional elections. It demands that the full panoply of civil rights protections be extended to congressional employees.

It comes out foursquare for a constitutional amendment mandating a balanced budget; it comes out threesquare for an amendment to prohibit abortions. Once again the Republicans ask that a president be empowered to impose a line-item veto on spending bills.

The Republicans are all over the landscape, scrapping for every inch of political ground.

They present themselves as the party of the handicapped, the homeless, the elderly, the young, the disabled, the Indian tribes and the native Hawaiians: They proclaim their dedication to women, minorities, to American citizens residing in Guam, the Virgin Islands, American Samoa and the Northern Marianas.

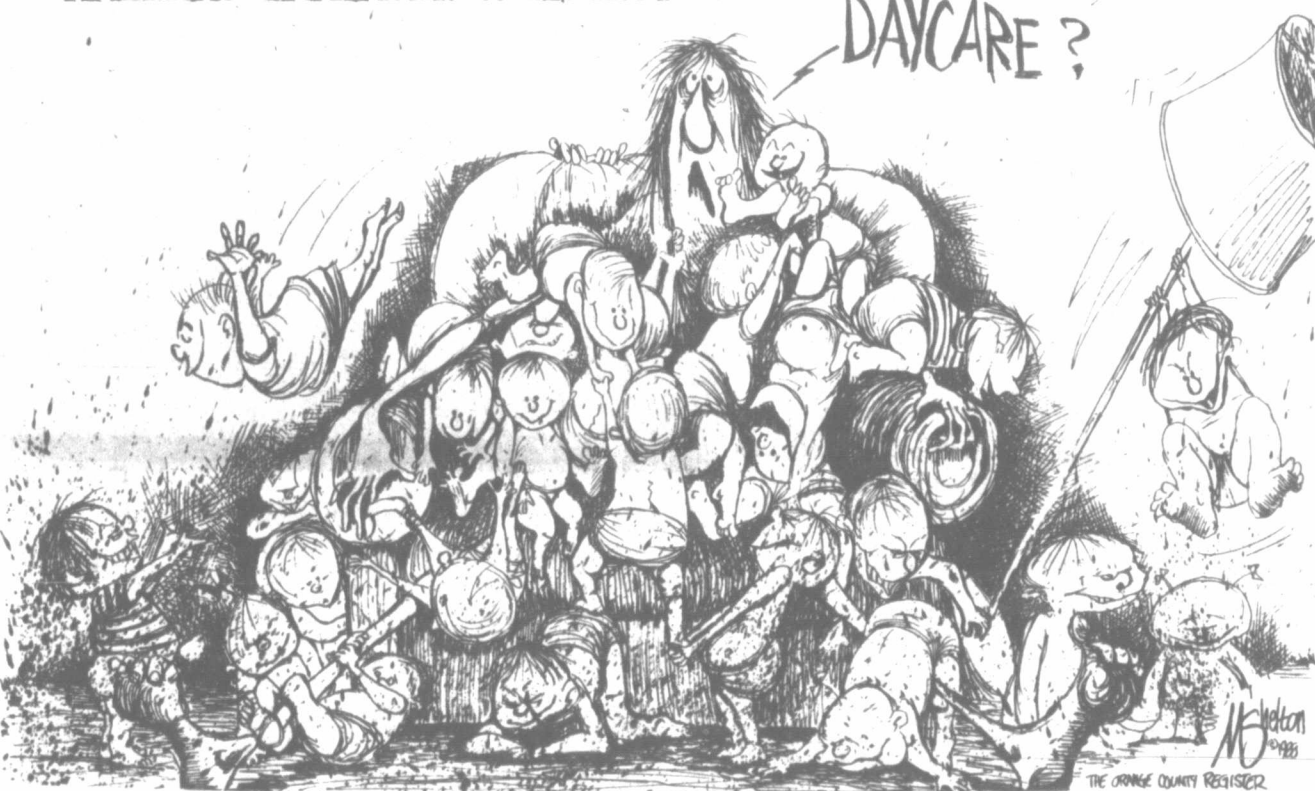
The party "vigorously supports the right of U.S. citizens of Puerto Rico to be admitted into the union as a fully sovereign state after they freely so determine." Statehood for Puerto Rico would give that colorful and hard-pressed territory six seats in the House — seats that would have to be taken from other states.

The platform is unequivocal on statehood for the District of Columbia: It is unequivocally silent.

It is the overall tone that makes the contrast. Republicans are unabashed for the old virtues — chastity, frugality, temperance, restraint, sanctity of marriage, voluntary prayer in the public schools.

They want the Pledge of Allegiance recited every day in every classroom. This is the old-time religion. Sophisticates may scoff at such patriotic stuff, but there is real vitality in this platform. It is a pity so few voters ever will read it.

AFTER WORKING OVER FOUR STRAIGHT MONTHS FOR THE GOVERNMENT, THE AMERICAN TAXPAYER COMES HOME TO



Hope the best for Gorbachev

I don't know what to think of head red Mikhail Gorbachev; I know what I'd like to think.

His recent three-and-a-half-hour speech to his Communist Party Congress sounded like he wants to be like us.

To 5,000 party stalwarts he proposed a new full-time Supreme Soviet (legislature), a more powerful president (to be elected, yet) and a greater separation between party and state.

He asked that farmers be allowed to lease state land, grow their own crops, profit from increased production.

The Union of Soviet Socialist Republics is a nation of 280 million people, only 20 million of them members of the Communist Party. Only police-state ruthlessness has kept the "minority party" in power.

Indeed, even as Gorbachev was speaking, a few blocks from the Kremlin Moscow police were dragging away street demonstrators who had demanded multi-party government.

So, while Russia may be a "pinker shade of red" than under Gorbachev's predecessors, it remains a dictatorship.

He was careful to assure the assembled party bosses that they would have more — not less —



Paul Harvey

power at the local level. The new president will be elected by the new parliament, but the new parliament will be selected by these grassroots party bosses.

While his rhetoric called for a "full-blooded democracy with no reservations," that phrase has a different meaning for him than for us.

Maybe Gorbachev wants ultimately to be more democratic than he now dares to be.

He's been around. He's seen the advances in capitalist countries, contrasted it with the stagnation of the Soviet empire. He has to know that communism, as an economic system, just

doesn't work.

He is ready to make changes, and probably these changes are as drastic as he dares to propose now.

Against this backdrop, his words to the party conference do indeed sound courageous:

"There can be no compromise. The next few years will determine the fate of our country. The people demand total democracy, full-blooded democracy with no reservations."

It's noteworthy that this remark was criticized from the floor by economist Leonid Abalkin and Abalkin was loudly applauded.

Gorbachev reassured the delegates that the Soviet Union, whatever its political reforms, will never allow the formation of opposition political parties. For this crowd he had to say that.

Our president returned from his most recent summit meeting to report privately to Britain's Maggie Thatcher that Gorbachev is gambling for his political life. If the West is too quick to applaud his efforts, our overt support will further mobilize his hard-line Communist adversaries in the Soviet Union.

So the United States and the rest of the West will hope for the best — quietly.

We should keep helping Angolan rebels

By WILLIAM A. RUSHER

Somewhere in the hot, dry bush country of southeastern Angola there is a military camp called Jamba. It doesn't appear on any map of the region, partly because it is only a few years old and partly because its builders prefer to keep its exact location somewhat imprecise. It's a big place, with a total population that may reach five digits — the actual figure is likewise unavailable.

The thatched-roof huts of the camp (which I visited in February last year) sprawl over a number of square miles, and the facilities include a hospital, a machine shop, and a school for orphans. Almost every hut is decorated with cheap color reprints of a photograph of President Reagan sitting in the Oval Office with a burly black man in camouflage fatigues. Jamba is the headquarters of that man: Jonas Savimbi, leader of UNITA, the anti-Communist army that is battling the Communist puppet government of Angola.

Recently, apparently as a result of

an agreement reached (but not announced) between President Reagan and Secretary Gorbachev at the Moscow Summit, the governments of the United States, South Africa, Cuba, and Angola — with a Soviet diplomat hovering nearby — have at last begun to make real progress on the interlocked questions of independence for Namibia (formerly South West Africa), which South Africa now occupies, and the withdrawal of upwards of 50,000 Cuban troops from Angola, which borders Namibia on the north.

South Africa, which has had troops of its own inside Angola, aiding Savimbi in his struggle against the Communist government and its Cuban protectors, has declared a "de facto cessation of hostilities" there and commenced the withdrawal of its forces. It has also accepted Nov. 1 as the date for beginning the implementation of a plan for free elections in Namibia, supervised by the United Nations.

For their part, to quote the joint statement of the parties, "Angola and Cuba reiterate their decision to sub-

scribe to a bilateral accord which will include a timetable acceptable to all parties for the staged and total withdrawal of Cuban troops from Angola. The parties have undertaken to reach agreement on this timetable by Sept. 1, 1988."

What should serious anti-Communists think of these developments? Their most worrisome aspect is the fact that those "free" elections in Namibia will be held under the watchful eyes of the blue-helmeted troops of the UN.

The UN long ago proclaimed the South West Africa People's Organization (SWAPO), a Communist-backed guerrilla force that will have candidates in those elections, as the "only legitimate" representative of the people of that territory. Realism, therefore, compels one to assume that SWAPO will win those elections, and the Communist-Third World alliance will thus advance another square in its march toward the power and wealth of South Africa.

On the other hand, neither the Unit-

ed States nor South Africa has agreed — at least, so far as the public record shows — to stop giving arms and other aid to Jonas Savimbi. And if the Cubans do in fact withdraw their troops from Angola, there is simply no chance that the feeble Angolan Communist regime can defeat Savimbi's forces all by itself.

The ensuing military stalemate might ultimately result in the formation of a "government of reconciliation" in Angola, in which Savimbi would play a part along with his Communist foe. South African Foreign Minister Roelof ("Pik") Botha told reporters recently that "I cannot see peace returning to the territory unless that happens" — a remark which appears to contain an implicit promise that South Africa (and the United States — at least unless Dukakis wins in November) won't let Savimbi down.

"Unless Dukakis wins." More and more, people's hope of freedom from Communist tyranny — in Angola, in Nicaragua, and elsewhere — hinges on the chance that he won't.

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Questions raised about Quayle's Guard service

By EILEEN PUTMAN
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NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Dan Quayle's vice presidential nomination was supposed to be a triumph for the precocious young Indiana senator, but the dream faded overnight.

Bush's surprise choice for his running mate was supposed to ignite a campaign that has seemed at times to suffer from lack of inspiration, but he quickly encountered questions over his military record and suggestions he could best serve the Republicans by withdrawing from the ticket.

Though he found himself in danger of fizzling Thursday, Quayle managed to stir the convention hall with his upbeat speech about family, generations and the rosy future he foresaw under a Bush administration.

"Let's go on to victory!" Quayle exhorted, as the crowd erupted in cheers.

The 41-year-old nominee delivered the speech with calm self-assurance, sticking close to his text and avoiding his penchant for extemporaneous remarks — perhaps another result of the unanticipated controversy.

Bush, who followed his running mate to the podium, said he was "proud to have Dan Quayle at my side."

The two will stress the unity of their ticket as they campaign together this weekend through Indiana, Ohio and Illinois.

But beyond the optimistic words was an unsettling undercurrent that threatened Quayle's candidacy just as it was launched.

Retired Maj. Gen. Wendell C. Phillips — who worked for Quayle's grandfather, Eugene C. Pulliam, as managing editor of *The Indianapolis News* — said he contacted the National Guard on behalf of Quayle when the young man applied in 1969 and "recommended him very highly," the

News reported.

Quayle, a hardliner on defense matters, has said he sought guard duty so he could attend law school.

A Bush aide said the matter was discussed with the Indiana senator during the process that led to his selection for the Bush ticket, and Quayle had denied that he used influence to gain admittance to the Guard.

Bush aides said no thought had been given to dropping Quayle from the ticket, as some Republicans suggested. Quayle was tense and refused to answer reporters' questions about the topic during a brief walk-through at the convention hall.

It was a daunting change for the senator, whose youthful vigor, rapid political rise, striking good looks and wealth have been compared to those of John F. Kennedy.

Quayle alluded to the National Guard issue during his speech, saying he was proud of the six

years he served. He also addressed his relative anonymity: "Many this week have asked, 'Who is Dan Quayle?' The people of Indiana know me and now the nation will."

Those who addressed the convention on his behalf also pulled out their ammunition. Sen. Bob Dole of Kansas, who placed Quayle's name in nomination, stressed his campaign skills and sought to deflect concerns that he lacked experience for the job.

"He's already spent 12 years as a congressman and senator. ... That is 12 more years of national experience than Michael Dukakis, and he is running for president," Dole said.

Sen. Alan Simpson of Wyoming, one of those who seconded the nomination, said Quayle would "bring vim, vigor and vitality" to the party and would bring "sparks and voltage to this campaign."



Quayle addresses GOP delegates.

Congress seeking Noriega drug info documents

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SANTA BARBARA, Calif. (AP) — The White House says it will not provide information sought by congressional investigators about alleged drug dealing by Panamanian ruler Manuel Antonio Noriega unless the scope of the investigation is reduced.

The announcement Thursday by President Reagan's chief spokesman, Marlin Fitzwater, came as Democratic presidential nominee Michael Dukakis accused the White House of "stonewalling" the probe by the General Accounting Office.

The inquiry could delve into Republican presidential nominee George Bush's knowledge of the Noriega case.

Bush, who is promoting his role in administration anti-drug efforts, has denied having early knowledge of Noriega's ties to the drug world or suppressing information about the matter.

For years, Noriega provided intelligence information to the CIA, which Bush headed in the 1970's.

Fitzwater, in Santa Barbara while Reagan vacations at his ranch north of here, said administration officials had "met with the GAO in an effort to narrow the request, which GAO declined to do."

He said the GAO request "asks for a broad range of sensitive intelligence material, information from open law enforcement files, and material reflecting the deliberative decision-making process of the executive branch."

The administration told the GAO on July 13 that it would need to complete a legal review before responding to the request, Fitzwater said.

"The Justice Department has just completed that review and

has concluded that the subject matter of the request is beyond GAO's statutory authority," he said.

"The Justice Department has also concluded that, even were the request within GAO's legal authority, there are statutory and constitutional objections to providing various specific categories of information requested," he said.

Based on this advice, the White House spokesman said, "We cannot participate in the study as currently designed."

In Miami, Dukakis said, "I think the White House does not want to cooperate because they are embarrassed by this. They should be embarrassed by this."

Nancy R. Kingsbury, who is directing the study for the GAO, an investigative arm of Congress, said the agency has had disputes with the executive branch in the past over specific documents, but it is unusual for the administration to refuse to answer any questions at all.

Nicholas Rostow, legal adviser to the National Security Council, said in a letter to Kingsbury that the GAO request raised "important statutory and constitutional issues" requiring analysis before the administration could reply.

The Rostow letter was made public by Rep. Bill Alexander, D-Ark., who requested the study along with Sen. John Kerry, D-Mass.

Rostow's letter was followed by one from State Department comptroller Roger B. Feldman saying the NSC counsel was "acting as the administration's point of contact on this matter."

and adding, "All executive branch agencies have been instructed by the White House not to take any action on your request until various legal issues have been analyzed by the administration."



Noriega

tion."

Rostow's office said he was not available to comment.

Kingsbury said the study is part of a larger inquiry examining how information about drug trafficking by foreign officials has affected U.S. foreign policy decisions.

Noriega was indicted on drug trafficking charges earlier this

year by two federal grand juries in Florida.

The administration has sought without success to force Noriega from power in Panama since that time.

The GAO is seeking information from the State Department, Defense Department, Drug Enforcement Administration and National Security Council.

Republicans court Hispanics with view to the Southwest

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Republican strategists urged "sensitivity" toward Hispanic voters, and party heavyweights spent much of their convention courting a group that could spell the difference in such key states as Texas and California.

The week opened with muted grumbling from some minority groups about being excluded from the party, but that didn't extend to Hispanics where party leaders said "the environment is changing" and the GOP must react.

"Whether it is welcome or unwelcome, the fact is the key political factor in the Southwest is going to be the Hispanic vote before the turn of the century," said Arizona Sen. John McCain.

"Our Republican Party is learning that if we're going to prevail, if we're going to play a major role in politics in the Southwest, we must have good Hispanic candidates," McCain told a group of Hispanic teen-agers Thursday.

The 265 young people, many of them yet too young to vote, were brought to the convention from across the country for a lesson in non-textbook politics. They heard speeches from various senators and members of the family of presidential

nominee George Bush.

"We are teaching them about politics, about the political process," said Sandy Estrada, a Dallas-based political consultant. "When they come to conventions, they're not going to be intimidated."

Both parties are targeting the Hispanic vote in this election, with Texas looming large because of its significant Hispanic population.

Bush claims Texas as his home, while Democratic nominee Michael Dukakis picked Texas Sen. Lloyd Bentsen as his running mate.

There is little hard evidence of any progress by either party. A CBS News poll last month showed two-thirds of the blacks and Hispanics polled backed Dukakis. McCain noted that President Reagan got about 45 percent of the Hispanic vote in his 1984 victory, but conceded that figure is skewed because of his heavy support among Cubans.

McCain conceded the GOP has work to do before it can lure big numbers of Hispanics.

"Why have the Republicans not done as well as they should have done with the Hispanic vote?" McCain said. "Very frankly, a lot of it has to do with concern and interest and sensitivity to issues that affect the Hispanic community."

Minorities aren't heeding message about 'safe sex'

ATLANTA (AP) — A jump in the syphilis rate to the highest level in 37 years shows that minorities, and particularly heterosexuals, have failed to heed the message about practicing safe sex despite the AIDS scare, health officials say.

The national Centers for Disease Control on Thursday reported 35,241 cases of syphilis in the United States in 1987. The rate of 14.6 per 100,000 people was up from an estimated 11.4 a year earlier and equaled the 1982 rate as the highest since the rate of 16.7 in 1950.

Reported U.S. cases of syphilis rose 30 percent in two years, from 27,143 or 11.5 per 100,000 in 1985, the CDC said.

"The increase ... was greatest for blacks and Hispanics — groups for which incidence rates were already high," the CDC said in its weekly report.

The increases came during a period when sexually transmitted disease rates were falling among homosexual men, the largest group at risk for AIDS. The use of condoms and other safe-sex techniques lessen the likelihood of contracting all venereal diseases.

"Homosexual men ... have taken safe sex messages seriously," said Dr. Joel Greenspan, a CDC specialist in sexually transmitted diseases. "They have changed their behavior. Minority people, and particularly heterosexuals, have not gotten that message."

From 1986 to 1987, among Americans 15 to 64 years old, the syphilis rate for black males increased 36 percent, from 106 per 100,000 people to 145, and the rate for black females shot up 43 percent, from 56 per 100,000 to 79.

The rate for Hispanic males

rose 7 percent, from 66 to 71 cases per 100,000, while the rate for Hispanic women rose 24 percent, from 18 to 22.

In contrast, the rate for white males dropped from 6.4 to 5.7 cases per 100,000, apparently due to a drop in syphilis among homosexual men. The rate for white females rose, but slightly, from 2.2 to 2.6, the CDC said.

The increase in syphilis appears to be concentrated in a few urban areas; 57 percent of all U.S. cases last year were reported in Florida, California and New York.

While the exact cause of the increase is not known, the CDC speculated on some possible factors in January when it released its preliminary syphilis figures for 1987, including:

- An increase in prostitution in which the crack or other drugs are exchanged for sex.
- A decrease in the resources available for programs to control syphilis.

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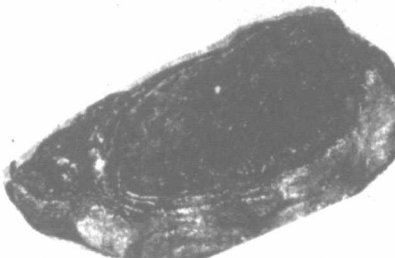
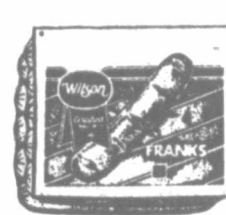
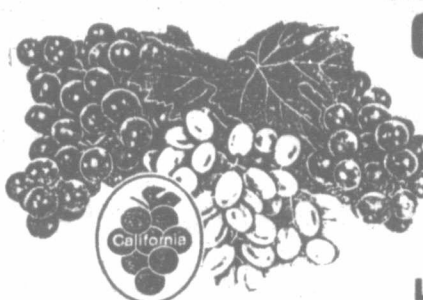
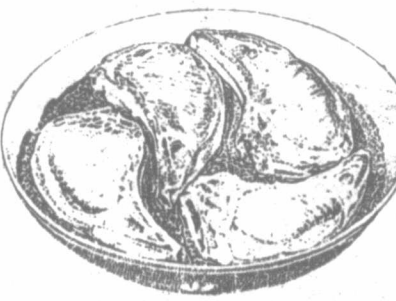
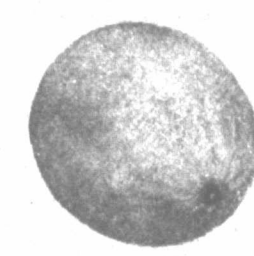
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Striking Polish miners shut down docks

WARSAW, Poland (AP) — Labor unrest idled five major coal mines today and left the nation's second-largest port without dockworkers or public transportation. Solidarity leaders called a rally to show support for the strikers.

The work stoppages, which began Tuesday when miners occupied the July Manifesto colliery near Jastrzebie, in southwestern Poland, spread Thursday to a fifth mine.

In the Baltic port of Szczecin, transportation workers also stopped work Thursday, joining dockworkers in the city, the nation's second-largest port after Gdansk.

The state-run PAP news agency estimated that 70,000 tons of coal had gone unmined as a result of the miners' strikes, resulting in a loss of more than \$1.7 million. It has denounced the strikes as illegal.

Solidarity activists at the Lenin Shipyard in Gdansk urged workers to rally today in support of the strikers, who are demanding legalization of the Solidarity trade union federation, higher pay, and improved working conditions.

Solidarity's leader, Lech Walesa, who

works at the Lenin Shipyard, gave his support to the "just struggle" of those on strike.

"The workers are defending Solidarity because it is for them the key condition of preparing, winning and carrying out economic and political reforms," Walesa said in a statement released in Gdansk.

Solidarity was born in Gdansk eight years ago during nationwide labor unrest. It was crushed during a martial-law crackdown in 1981 and officially declared illegal in 1982.

Solidarity spokesman Jacek Kuron said Thursday night the five striking mines formed a 15-member strike committee, led by Krzysztof Zakrzewski of the July Manifesto mine. But no new talks were announced between workers and management.

All the struck mines are in Silesia, the rich mining region of southwestern Poland, and are major producers of high-grade export coal. Together, they employ about 40,000 workers.

In addition to the July Manifesto mine, strikers also occupied the Andaluzja, Moszczenica, Morcinek, and the Jastrzebie mines.

Solidarity activists estimated that a total of

9,900 miners joined the strikes. They said there were 5,000 occupying the July Manifesto mine. A management spokesman put the July Manifesto figure at 800-900.

In Szczecin, 600 bus drivers and other employees of the municipal transport service walked off the job. PAP said the walkout stopped normal bus service and forced authorities to lease buses from tourist agencies and factories to aid stranded commuters.

About 2,000 Szczecin dockworkers were on strike, said Solidarity spokesman Wojciech Maziarski.

Czeslaw Czerwec, a spokesman for July Manifesto strikers, complained that security forces were hampering efforts by supporters and relatives to bring food into the mine.

Witnesses described the scene as tense, with police still holding positions around the mine's entrances. A regional leader of Solidarity, Wladyslaw Frasyniuk, was picked up by police in Wroclaw on Thursday night.

Czerwec said the miners would continue the strike until their demands were met. "We're fighting for everyone," the strike spokesman said.



(AP Laserphoto)

Striking miners guard a gate Thursday.

Fleeing bandits captured

BONN, West Germany (AP) — Police Thursday stopped a speeding car carrying two bank robbers, a female accomplice and two hostages, ending two days of shooting sprees and chases across West Germany and the Netherlands. One hostage was killed and the other seriously injured in a gunbattle.

The two robbers and their accomplice also were injured, police said.

The ordeal began Tuesday when the two gunmen robbed a bank in Gladbeck. They later commandeered a bus with 25 passengers and shot a teen-age hostage, who later died. A policeman died in a car accident while pursuing the bus.

Police spokesman Horst Fechner said officers Thursday stopped the dark gray BMW sedan the bank robbers were driving and closed in from both sides in Bad Honnef, near Bonn. Hesse state radio in Frankfurt said a special tactical unit led the blockades on the busy autobahn.

Fechner said one of the women hostages was killed and the other received "life-threatening injuries." He said he could not release their names.

The spokesman said the two gunmen were seriously injured and their female accomplice received minor injuries.

Fechner is the police spokesman in the city of Recklinghausen, where a special command post was set up to coordinate police strategy.

Police identified the gunmen as Hans-Juergen Roesner, 31, and Dieter Degowski, 32. The accomplice's name was not released.

Police spokesman Hermann Wahl said the shootout began after police stopped the BMW at 1:45 p.m. He said many people stopped their cars and watched the shootout, leading to massive traffic jams on the busy autobahn.

The bandits fled the bank in Gladbeck on Tuesday with two employees, \$227,000 and a car provided by police.

They surfaced Wednesday in Bremen, 135 miles from Gladbeck, where they took a third person hostage at a vegetable market, then commandeered a near-by passenger bus and drove off with 25 hostages. Five elderly people were later freed.

It was not clear when the gunmen were joined by the female accomplice, but West German police seized her when the bus stopped at a highway rest area.

The hijackers shot a 15-year-old Italian boy aboard the bus and dumped him at the rest stop. The police then let the woman accomplice go. The boy, who was not identified, died later in a hospital.

A West German police officer was killed and two others injured in a car crash while pursuing the bus as it headed toward the Netherlands border.

The hijackers freed five more hostages after crossing the border, but demanded a getaway car in return for freeing all but two of their captives.

Wahl said the female accomplice was shot Thursday in the Netherlands when the two hostages tried to flee.

The gunmen sped back into West Germany Thursday with their accomplice and the two woman hostages. After racing through the Ruhr industrial area, the car stopped in the center of Cologne and was immediately surrounded by journalists.

"We aren't going to negotiate with police any more, because we know that leads to nothing," said Degowski. "I want to say through the news media, that the police should back off."

He sat in the back seat of the car, pointing a pistol at a young woman hostage squeezed beside him. Then the car roared off on the highway toward Bonn.

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Hispanic agent complains of alleged Mormon FBI network

By HOLDEN LEWIS
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EL PASO (AP)—An alleged network of Mormon agents in some FBI offices is figuring prominently in a racial discrimination lawsuit against the agency by Hispanics.

Sammy Martinez, a special agent in New York, testified this week that he was discriminated against for racial and religious reasons when he worked in Mexico City in 1986.

Martinez said later that he was the only Hispanic and non-Mormon in the Mexico City office.

In his testimony Wednesday, Martinez charged his boss in Mexico City, John Walser, of falsely accusing him of wrongdoing as a pretext to get Martinez transferred out of the office.

"I know there was a contract on me," Martinez told U.S. District Judge Lucius Bunton, explaining that in FBI jargon, a contract means "someone's out to get you" to sabotage your career. Martinez said the incident would not have happened were he non-Hispanic or Mormon.

Walser, who is now an executive assistant director in Washington, did not return a phone call from The Associated Press.

The 311 agents who have joined the lawsuit con-

tend the FBI discriminates against Hispanics in hiring, promoting, assignments and disciplining. They want damages and a change in the way the FBI promotes and handles discrimination complaints.

Hispanic leaders have said the suit, if successful, could lead to others and could deeply affect employers' treatment of Hispanics in public and private industry across the country.

About 400 of the FBI's 9,000 special agents are Hispanic. Every agent who has testified so far said he fears retaliation for appearing in court.

The suit was filed in January 1987 by Bernardo "Matt" Perez, assistant special agent in charge at the El Paso office. Perez was the No. 2 man in Los Angeles for two years before his El Paso transfer in 1984.

Perez has contended that Richard Bretzing, special agent in charge of the Los Angeles office, criticized his performance as an administrator because of racial prejudice. Bretzing in the past has declined comment.

After his transfer, Perez testified in the espionage trial of former FBI agent Richard Miller that he told Bretzing he should fire Miller for incompetence. Miller was convicted of espionage.

Bretzing and Miller are both Mormons, and the

Bretzing-Perez fight led to charges of a "Mormon Mafia" in the Los Angeles office.

Martinez said after his testimony that about 50 of 450 agents in Los Angeles are Mormons.

Because most Mormon men serve as missionaries in their younger years, "a lot of Mormons come into the bureau because of language ability," Martinez said. "They're recruited, supported and move up the career ladder because of the clique."

Another agent, Ernesto Patino, testified he sought several times to be a legal attaché in various Latin American countries, but "the posts in Latin America are monopolized by agents who are of the Mormon faith."

Martinez said three of four agents in Mexico City at the time he was there were Mormons.

Martinez said he was demoted and transferred to Los Angeles because of Walser's unspecified allegations against him, and that he was reinstated to his old rank and transferred to Washington after the FBI decided not to fight his appeal.

When defense attorney Alan Ferber reminded Martinez that Walser has adopted four Mexican children and that his brother-in-law is Hispanic, Martinez said he had studied Mormon theology to further understand Walser.

"The Book of Mormon says Mexican-Americans

are cursed with dark skin and are defiled," Martinez said. "It says when they are brought into the church, they become white and delightful."

Ferber said Walser likely will be called as a defense witness next week.

In his opening arguments Monday, Ferber prominently mentioned Walser's adoption of four Mexican children and implied it would be a central argument in the FBI's defense.

Testimony began Monday and is expected to last two weeks.

In other testimony, Miami special agent Maria Villaruel testified she entered the FBI as a law school graduate and Spanish speaker, but that she was put to work counting seized drug money.

Special agent Sandra Chinchilla of Boston said she has been turned down for a transfer repeatedly during her nine years in the city. Non-Hispanic agents with fewer years' experience in Boston have gotten transfers, she said.

She said she has been told she is indispensable to the Boston office because she is the only Hispanic Spanish-speaker there.

Another agent, David Martinez, said he speaks almost no Spanish but has been expected to translate documents.

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Religion

The Continentals to be at Lefors church tonight

LEFORS - The Continentals, an internationally recognized Christian musical group, will present a concert of inspirational and traditional Christian music at 7 p.m. today at the First Baptist Church in Lefors.

Featuring 24 vocalists and a 10-piece orchestra, the Continentals' two-part program will focus on themes of devotion, inspiration and worship, integrating a variety of popular Christian songs, hymn medleys and gospel music arrangements.

The concert also will feature Kevin Mayfield of Lefors, who has toured with the Continentals all summer. Kevin is the son of Edward Mayfield of Panhandle and Mrs. Virginia Maples of Lefors.

Kevin auditioned for the Continentals following a concert last summer in Pampa.

Cam Floria, Continentals' president and program producer, said the concert will appeal to audiences of all ages "in both music and content."

"We've divided our program into two parts," he explained. "The first follows the theme, 'Run to Win,' and our songs are arranged to encourage people to persevere. We want to encourage adults to stay in the race, hang in there, see it to the finish. While to young people, we want to say 'run for Jesus and run to win.'"

Floria noted that the inspiration for this part came from the books of I Corinthians and Hebrews in the Bible. The message there, Floria said, is appropriate now more than ever.

"Christians need to be determined to work together, to be unified in 'our race.' We must persevere together against all opposition and odds," he added.

The second part of the Continentals' program will concentrate on the worship of God.

"We need, as individuals and as churches, a renewed sense of worship," Floria said. "We must renew our sense of awe of having God in our presence."



Kevin Mayfield

To that end, Floria has compiled a selection of hymns and contemporary inspirational songs that explore the majesty of God, His provision of forgiveness and grace for believers, and His ever-present power in times of need.

"As Christians, we take so much for granted about God," Floria said. "The second part of our program will remind us of who He is and what He has done for us, though we don't deserve it."

Now in their 21st year of existence, Continental Singers and Orchestra will send 11 tours to perform in all 50 states and approximately 32 countries throughout the world. Each tour is made up of young people from all over the United States. There are also international groups located in Eastern Europe, Holland, England, Singapore, Latin America and Australia.

For those interested in touring with the Continentals as vocalists, instrumentalists or technicians, auditions will be held after the concert.

Pastor Lewis Ellis invited people from the surrounding area to attend the special concert tonight.

Pampa Baptists return from Australia mission

Eight Pampa residents were among the 634 Southern Baptist missions volunteers who returned earlier this month from eight-day evangelistic Partnership Missions crusades in Australia.

Volunteers from the First Baptist Church of Pampa, who worked as partners with Armidale District Baptist Church in New South Wales, were Larry Heard, Francis Ann Heard, Priscilla Alexander, Cynthia Lyn Epperly, Dana J. Epperly, Fred L. Epperly and Amber Whately. Lucio Moreno worked with Guilford Spanish Baptist Church in New South Wales.

Activities during the eight-day crusade included scripture distribution, home Bible studies,

evangelistic outreach dinners and sharing personal Christian testimonies.

About 500 Texas Baptist volunteers — joined by workers from at least eight other states — teamed up with churches in New South Wales, and more than 130 Texans served in Western Australia during the 1988 Texas-Australia Partnership Missions Bicentennial Crusades during July 24-31.

Partnership Missions is a program of short-term, volunteer missions projects coordinated by the Baptist General Convention of Texas in cooperation with the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board, initiated at the invitation of Christians in other nations.

Religion Roundup

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints (Mormon) has reiterated its policy of strict political neutrality — of not endorsing any candidates or parties and not using church facilities for political purposes.

NEW YORK (AP) — The U.S. Jewish population rose slightly last year to an estimated 5.9 million, representing 2.5 percent of the overall population, reports the 1988 Jewish Yearbook.

Biggest gains were reported in the Sunbelt and West Coast areas, with a 50,000 increase in the San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose area, and 30,000 increase in Florida.

Of 15 states reporting a drop in Jewish population, New York, whose 1,891,400 make it the highest Jewish concentration, had the greatest absolute loss, down 20,000.

Biggest relative loss occurred in Mississippi, which fell from 3,005 to 2,400 Jews.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Churches can be effective partners in helping the poor, but "we cannot go it alone," says Auxiliary Bishop John H. Ricard of Baltimore.

Testifying recently for the U.S. Catholic Conference before a House subcommittee, he said churches and other private groups have labored valiantly to take up the slack caused by erosion of government programs.

But he said the private sector can't substitute for the "essential responsibility" of the government.

Increased church efforts, he

said, are "a desperate attempt to feed hungry people when others have abandoned their responsibility," but "we cannot pretend that soup kitchens and shelters" are sufficient.

"They cannot substitute for a national commitment to end hunger and invest our common resources to feed the hungry," he added.

HARTFORD, Conn. (AP) — People who live together before marriage should be denied a full church wedding because "such a wedding would be dishonor," and instead be married in a low-key ceremony, Hartford Archbishop John F. Whealon said in a column published in The Catholic Transcript.

"I would be happy to witness your marriage in a simple, quiet ceremony with two witnesses, and perhaps your immediate families," Whealon said he would tell such couples. His comments were addressed to priests confronted with the issue.

Whealon said, however, couples living together should be granted a full marriage ceremony if they are willing to "live separately and chastely" until they are married.

The statement serves as an advisory and does not set policy. Parish priests say they make the ultimate decisions on church weddings based on pastoral consideration.

Whealon said co-habiting couples who want an extravagant church wedding are in effect asking the church to provide "tacit approval" to unacceptable behavior.

Vacation Bible School



Vacation Bible School time is here at the First Church of the Nazarene in Pampa, located at 500 N. West. The school will begin at 6:30 p.m. and close at 8:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, Aug. 22-26, with a final program at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday, Aug. 28. Children ages 3 years to sixth graders will be having flannelgraph stories, object lessons, film strips and a variety of puppets to teach

Bible lessons. Rewards will be given for children based on memorizing scripture, attendance and bringing other children to Vacation Bible School. "Your children will love it," said Rev. A.W. Myers, pastor. "If your children go nowhere to church, we would encourage you to be our guests at Vacation Bible School."

Church eases the transition for immigrants from Korea

By SANDRA GINES
Waco Tribune-Herald

WACO (AP) — The transition from Korean culture to American culture is not without its rough spots, and the Rev. Sung Chul Lee said he hopes his congregation helps smooth the path.

Lee, a recent Korean immigrant himself, has several goals for the Korean United Methodist congregation, which meets in Waco's Service Memorial United Methodist Church.

"My first goal is to grow my church congregation for Korean immigrants. My second goal is to educate the Korean second generation," Lee said.

"The third goal is to communicate with the United Methodist Church for world mission, and my fourth goal is to serve in this community — Waco."

Lee is the third pastor the small congregation has had since its birth a year and a half ago.

About 25 Korean immigrants formed the congregation under the leadership of the Rev. Byong Lee (no relation to Lee), who was visiting relatives in Waco at the time.

Some Waco-area Koreans "didn't go to church because they can't speak or they can't hear English very well," said George Lieu, a church deacon who was one of its original members.

"We thought, if we start our own church with our own language, we can share our customs here," he said.

Members united to form the Korean church from various Christian denominations — Baptist, United Methodist and Presbyterian. The congregation aligned itself with the United Methodists because the first pastor was a Methodist and because the church is highly supportive of the congregation, Lieu and Lee said. The church has

nearly doubled since its inception, from about 25 members to 40 adults and 15 children.

Children are another focus for the congregation.

Both Lieu and Lee spoke of the congregation's desire to keep second-generation Koreans familiar with the Korean language and their cultural heritage. They pointed out Korean lettering across the wall in the church's Fellowship Hall.

"Some of them moved to this country when they were very young, so they almost forgot their language," Lieu said. "Some of them already have experienced some identity crisis; they ask, 'Who am I?' We are trying to prepare for those kinds of challenges."

As well as Sunday morning church services and Sunday School, the congregation holds Bible study meetings Sunday nights, church services Wednesday nights, and fellowship meetings in members' homes on Friday nights.

Lieu translated Lee's description of what he believes are some unique challenges for Korean-Americans.

"As a pastor, he sees a lot of negative characteristics in Korean logic, a melancholy sadness," said Lieu. "Our Korean mind, even if we are in this country, we still have some kind of negativity inside."

The sadness is partly due to past upheavals and conflicts in Korea, Lieu said in his role as translator, but also because of the effects of Confucianism, a religion founded by the Chinese philosopher Confucius.

"Enjoying life is restricted in that ethic," Lieu said. "We have the tendency of closing our minds to any new or more positive thing."

"The Bible said to us, it is good to enjoy life in Christ, but Korean



Lee Christians don't understand that very well," Lee added.

The church already has addressed some of the hurdles Korean immigrants face. An English conversation class, open to anyone, meets at the church on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, Lieu said.

He said the congregation hopes to provide help for several members who are store owners and have had their businesses burglarized or have had "bad things" happen to them.

"Whatever happens, they don't know how to deal with it, who to talk to," said Lieu.

Zion Lutheran to offer ideas for kids alone

"I'm in Charge When I'm Home Alone" is a special program currently being presented by the Aid Association for Lutherans, Branch #4049, in Pampa.

The session will be held at 4:30 p.m. Sunday at Zion Lutheran Church Parish Hall, 1200 Duncan.

The program is designed to inform both parents and youth about things they can do together to make being home alone a more comfortable and safe experience for the child.

The hour-long workshop combines a video presentation, group discussion and a specially designed take-home workbook for parents and children to complete together.

Betty Beyer will lead the workshop. Her goal will be to prepare the child for the responsibilities of being home alone and in charge.

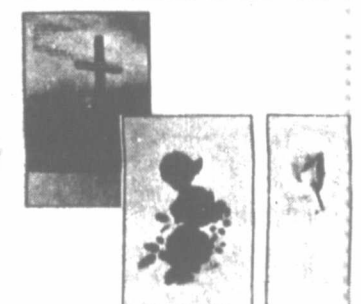
Material to be covered includes such items as recognizing and handling emergencies, possible dangerous situations, safe use of a key, telephone rules, importance of a list of key telephone numbers, household safety checks, creative use of time spent alone and coping with "home alone" feelings.

There is no charge for the workshop session.

For more information, call Betty Beyer at 665-2906 or Joy Thomas at 665-2060 or 669-3101.



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Teams recover bodies of Pakistani leader, U.S. ambassador

By KATHY GANNON
Associated Press Writer

BAHAWALPUR, Pakistan (AP)—Air force teams Thursday recovered the bodies of President Mohammed Zia ul-Haq and U.S. Ambassador Arnold Raphel from the charred wreckage of Zia's military plane.

The remains of the U.S.-built C-130 transport lay strewn across a sandy plain near the Indian border in Punjab province.

The plane exploded Wednesday after taking off from a nearby airport.

Soldiers slid the flag-draped coffins of Zia, Raphel and 28 others onto planes bound for Islamabad and other Pakistani cities where relatives of the victims were waiting.

The government originally put

the death toll at 37.

Most of the wreckage lay in a 100-yard radius. A wing lying about 1,000 yards away was the only piece not charred and mangled when the turbo-prop aircraft fell to the ground shortly after takeoff from Bahawalpur airport.

The head of Pakistan's caretaker government, Ghulam Ishaq Khan, said he could not rule out sabotage but was waiting for a probe to be completed.

A Pakistani air force crash investigation team flew to the scene Thursday in search of the plane's flight recorder.

A similar U.S. team was also expected, but details of its visit were not disclosed.

Unofficial reports and rumors circulated that the American-made C-130 was hit by an anti-

aircraft missile or a helicopter or was shot down by India.

The United News of India news agency Thursday quoted a "highly placed Pakistani military official" as saying a sophisticated time bomb may have caused the explosion.

It quoted the official, who was not identified by name, as saying the pilot did not radio any message to the control tower. He said the pilot probably would have had time to radio if the plane had been attacked by a missile.

Heavy security surrounded the crash site which was covered with tufts of weeds and stagnant pools.

The site is about eight miles northwest of the airport and 330 miles south of Islamabad.

An army brigadier who identified himself only as Zaidi said

some eyewitnesses reported seeing the plane explode shortly after takeoff, but others said it was only smoking when it lost altitude and crashed.

"If it burst in the air it would be spread over a large area but it is all in one area," he said. But he said the far-flung wing was "a puzzle to investigators."

Ishaq Khan declared a state of emergency and businesses were shuttered in official mourning for Zia. It was not immediately clear what civil rights were curtailed by the state of emergency.

A funeral for Zia, a close U.S. ally, was set for Saturday. The U.S. Embassy said Secretary of State George P. Shultz would attend.

The people killed aboard the plane included U.S. defense adviser Brig. Gen. Herbert M.

Wassom and five top Pakistani generals. The group had been inspecting a military unit near Bahawalpur.

The Indian border states of Jammu and Kashmir were placed under curfews Thursday after pro-Pakistanis tried to set two bridges ablaze.

Indian news reports said three people were killed and nine wounded by security forces when a crowd defied the curfew.

Pakistan was created from Moslem-dominated areas of predominantly Hindu India when the subcontinent became independent of Britain in 1947. The two countries have fought three wars.

A U.S. official in Washington, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the United States will help Pakistan investigate the crash. "There is no confirmation

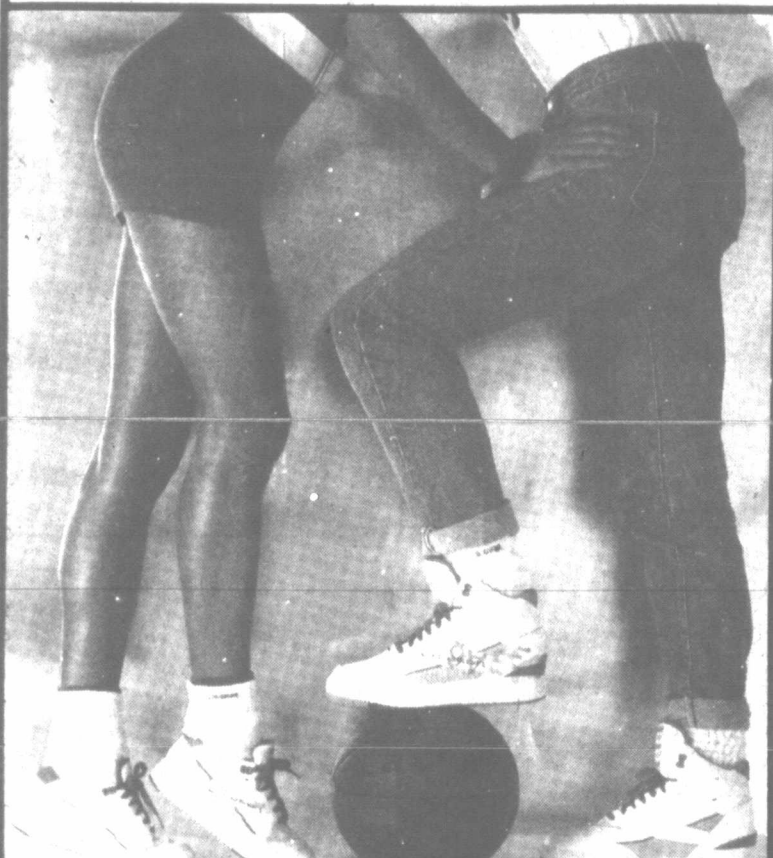
of any foul play, but we are not taking anything for granted," the U.S. official said. "An incident like this arouses suspicion."

Zia allowed his country to be used as a staging ground for U.S.-backed guerrillas fighting Soviet and government troops in neighboring Afghanistan. Since the Soviet troop withdrawal began there May 15, the Kremlin has accused Pakistan of continuing to funnel arms to the insurgents.

Zia, 64, ruled Pakistan for 11 years, longest of anyone in the nation's 41-year history.

Ishaq Khan pledged to continue Zia's foreign policy of close ties with the United States and with fellow Moslem nations. He said he would proceed with Zia's vision of an Islamic society under a Moslem code of law.

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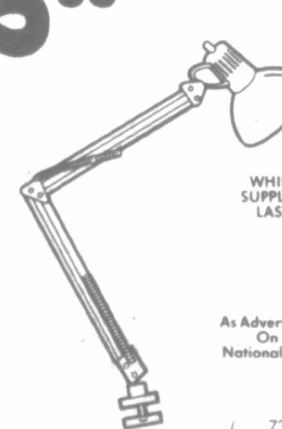


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Course Abr. & No.	Course Title	Credit Hours	Lab Fee	Instructor
MONDAY/WEDNESDAY 9:00-10:20 A.M.				
*BAS 142-1P	Word Processing I	3	\$10.00	Pat Johnson
ENG 123-1P	English Comp & Reading	3		Linda Thompson
HST 213-1P	American History 1500-1865	3		Margaret Hopkins
MONDAY/WEDNESDAY 10:30-11:50 A.M.				
*BAS 143-1P	Word Processing II	3	\$10.00	Pat Johnson
ENG 113-1P	English Comp & Reading	3		Linda Thompson
HST 223-1P	American History-1865 to Present	3		Margaret Hopkins
PSY 204-1P	Child Psychology	3		Linda Olson
MONDAY/WEDNESDAY 1:00-2:20 P.M.				
BAS 214-1P	Office Procedures	3		Pat Johnson
MONDAY/WEDNESDAY 1:00-4:00 P.M.				
*BIO 214-1P	Intro to Zoology	4	\$10.00	Shirley Windhorst
TUESDAY/THURSDAY 9:00-10:20 A.M.				
*BAS 113-1P	Beginning Typewriting	3	\$10.00	Pat Johnson
*BAS 123-1P	Intermediate Typewriting	3	\$10.00	Pat Johnson
ENG 263-1P	World Lit. Greeks to 1850	3		Linda Thompson
TUESDAY/THURSDAY 10:30-11:50 A.M.				
*BAS 114-1P	Beginning Shorthand	3	\$10.00	Pat Johnson
GOV 213-1P	American National Government	3		Staff
PSY 133-1P	General Psychology	3		Linda Olson
TUESDAY/THURSDAY 1:00-2:20 P.M.				
BUS 214-1P	Principles of Accounting I	3		Phillip Conner
BUS 215-1P	Business Communications	3		Dana Epperly
GOV 223-1P	State & Local Government	3		Staff
EVENING CLASSES				
MONDAY 7:00-10:00				
*ART 241-1P	Introduction to Water Color Painting (LAB-TBA)	3	\$10.00	James Ivey Edwards
*ART 251-1P	Introduction to Oil Painting (LAB-TBA)	3	\$10.00	James Ivey Edwards
*ART 131-1P	Drawing I (LAB-TBA)	3	\$10.00	James Ivey Edwards
*ART 132-1P	Drawing II (LAB-TBA)	3	\$10.00	James Ivey Edwards
*BIO 234-1P	Anatomy & Physiology	4	\$10.00	Shirley Windhorst
*CHM 114-1P	General College Chemistry	4	\$10.00	M.B. Smith
ENG 123-2P	English Comp. and Reading	3		Linda Thompson
HST 223-2P	American History-1865 to Present	3		Ray Thornton
*BAS 142-2P	Word Processing I	3	\$10.00	Lee Carter
VRLE 0100	Property Management	3		Charles Buzzard
ENG 273-1P	World Lit-1850-Present	3		Tim Powers
*BAS 143-2P	Word Processing II	3	\$10.00	Lee Carter
*BIO 224-1P	General Botany (LAB)	4	\$10.00	Staff
BUS 214-2P	Principles of Accounting (I)	3		Phillip Conner
TUESDAY 7:00-10:00				
*BAS 113-2P	Beginning Typewriting	3	\$10.00	Marian Allen
*BAS 123-2P	Intermediate Typewriting	3	\$10.00	Marian Allen
*BIO 234-1P	Anatomy and Physiology (LAB)	4	\$10.00	Shirley Windhorst
*BIO 238-1P	Microbiology	4	\$10.00	David Lowrie
*CIS 205-1P	Prin. of Computer Info. Systems	4	\$10.00	Doug Rapstine
ECO 213-1P	Principles of Economics (Macro)	3		Bob Killebrew
MTH 120-1P	Modern Math (I)	3		Staff
MTH 115-1P	Math for Business and Economics	3		Michael Downes
RLE 114-1P	Real Estate Principles	3	\$10.00	Charles Buzzard
*SPA 113-1P	Beginning Spanish	4		Tina Eberz
SPE 113-1P	Basic Techniques of Speech	3		Gary Kelton
PSY 204-2P	Child Psychology	3		Herman Vinson
*BIO 224-1P	General Botany	4	\$10.00	Staff
*ELE 3002-1P	AC Electronics	4	\$20.00	Lee Jackson
WEDNESDAY 7:00-10:00				
BUS 134-1P	Introduction to Business	3		Marian Allen
*CHM 114-1P	General College Chemistry (LAB)	4	\$10.00	M.B. Smith
ENG 113-2P	English Comp. & Reading	3		Linda Thompson
ENG 263-2P	World Literature - Greeks to 1850	3		Marion Teel
GOV 223-2P	State and Local Government	3		Richard Peet
MTH 116-1P	Math for Business & Economics	3		Staff
PSY 133-2P	General Psychology	3		Staff
NUT 113-1P	Principles of Nutrition	3		Beverly Baker
VRLE 106-1P	Real Estate Law	3		Phil Vanderpool
*BAS 142-3P	Word Processing (II)	3	\$10.00	Jan Haynes
MTH 105-1P	Intermediate Algebra	3		Frank McCullough
THURSDAY 7:00-10:00				
*BAS 114-2P	Beginning Shorthand	3	\$10.00	Gloria Robbins
*BIO 238-1P	Microbiology (LAB)	4	\$10.00	David Lowrie
BUS 224-1P	Principles of Accounting (II)	3		Tom Grantham
BUS 215-2P	Business Communications	3		Dana Epperly
SOC 233-1P	Marriage	3		Dr. Bin Gilbert
MTH 113-1P	College Algebra	3		Michael Downes
GOV 213-2P	American National Government	3	\$10.00	John Watson
*SPA 113-1P	Beginning Spanish (LAB)	4		Tina Eberz
SOC 243-1P	Introduction to Sociology	3		Herman Vinson
VRLE 105-1P	Real Estate Finance	3		Charles Buzzard
HST 213-2P	American History 1500-1865	3		Margaret Hopkins
*CIS 206-1P	Advanced Computer Programming Tech.	4	\$10.00	Staff
*ELE 3001-1P	DC Electronics	4	\$20.00	Lee Jackson

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Lifestyles

Poster child visits Pampa

Summer Butts, 1988 Epilepsy Poster Child for High Plains Epilepsy Association, spent two action-packed days in Pampa Wednesday and Thursday.

Summer, 12, daughter of Nicky and Tim Butts of Texhoma, stayed with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reed of Pampa, while she visited here.

Her Pampa activities included two local radio interviews, a visit to White Deer Lands Museum, lending a hand to help deliver Meals on Wheels, an ice cream social hosted by Gray County 4-H Clubs and lunch at the Coney Island Cafe as a guest of owners Ted and John Gikas.

Summer, who will be in the sixth grade this fall, has had epilepsy since she was 5. She suffers from grand mal seizures and must take medication twice daily to control them. She has not had a seizure for over two years, she said.

"Before I was the poster child, I didn't want anybody to know I had epilepsy. Now it's OK. I used to not tell anyone because I was afraid they'd make fun of me," she said.

"My dad said I should try to explain it to people. It's like an electrical storm in your brain," she said.

Her poster child activities have also included visits to other cities. She met Gov. Bill Clements in Austin and gave him a friendship bracelet, and also met State Rep. Dick Waterfield in Dumas, where she rode with him in the Dogie Days parade.

In Borger, she visited epilepsy association

offices, and will return there next month to be in the Veterans of Foreign Wars parade.

Her Amarillo visits have included acting as hostess at an epilepsy association art show, in which Gerald Sanders of Pampa was featured artist; running a mile in the Fun Run; selling hot pockets at FunFest; a bowl-a-thon; attending the annual poster child banquet sponsored by the American Legion; and an epilepsy association Christmas party.

Summer has also visited Stinnett and Hereford. She has received two Texas flags, plus a medallion that was given to her on her Pampa visit this week by White Deer Lands Museum.

Her expenses are met by the United Way and by donations in the towns she visits. Her trip to Austin and the annual banquet in Amarillo were financed by the Amarillo American Legion. High Plains Epilepsy Association is a United Way agency.

Summer still has some goals and activities left to pursue as poster child before a new poster child is named. She hopes to meet State Sen. Bill Sarpaullis, and will appear in a "For Kids' Sake" segment on KAMR TV in Amarillo.

"I wanted to be Epilepsy Poster Child because I wanted to know what they were doing and I thought it would be fun," she said. "I'm not ready to give up the poster child title."

When she is not busy with poster child duties, she enjoys collecting old and new pens and pencils. She also has a herd of stuffed animals, and she likes to watch TV and play

softball and basketball.

She is especially active in 4-H, and her strong points are sheep showing and cooking. One of her animals won champion of breed honors at a show last year in Liberal, Kan., and at Stratford, she won a first place with her lamb.

Her culinary talents have also won honors. Her recipe for cheese dip earned a grand championship in a cook-off two years ago, and last year she won a first place with "bitter bites," coated cream cheese bites.

The new poster child will be selected in mid-October from entrants across the 26-county region served by High Plains Epilepsy Association.

Entry forms will be ready in September, according to Betty Brown, executive director of the association. Any child in the 26-county Panhandle area who has epilepsy may enter; the new poster child will be chosen by a panel of judges.

"We're hoping for lots of entrants this year. We have not had an entry from Pampa," Brown said.

"Tell the people in Pampa who have epilepsy to sign up (for the poster child contest) because it's fun and you'd have fun all year long," Summer said.

The Pampa office of the association is open from 9:30 a.m. to noon on the first and third Wednesdays of each month at the Red Cross building. The Pampa phone number is 689-9323. The Amarillo office number to call is 372-3891.



(Staff Photo by Duane A. Laverty)

Summer Butts, left, Epilepsy Poster Child, and Betty Brown, executive director of High Plains Epilepsy Association.

Porch swing is easy, economical to build with PVC pipe

By BOB SAWYER

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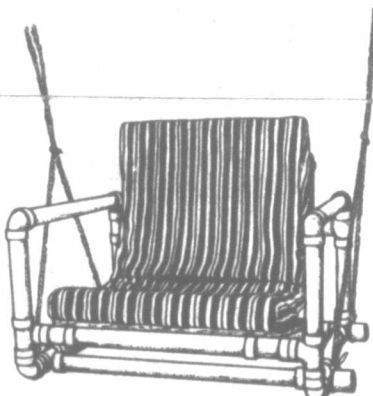
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To build the PVC yard swing, you'll need about 30 feet of straight 1½-inch pipe, 12 90-degree elbows, 14 T-joints, four double-Ts and four end caps.

Permanent joints can be made with PVC solvent cement, or use self-tapping screws for a project you can disassemble later.

Cut and label the following amounts and lengths of pipe: (2) A



7½ inches; (1) B 19½ inches; (2) C 11½ inches; (24) D 1½; (2) E 6; (2) F 26; (4) G 10½; (2) H 17½; (2) J 21½; (1) K 27½; (1) L 19.

The swing is assembled in four rectangular sections. Put the entire thing together before securing any joints, to make sure of the fit. It may be necessary to trim here and there.

For the back section, start with the left-hand side and join, in order, an elbow, A pipe, T-joint, E pipe, elbow. Make an identical assembly for the right-hand side.

For the bottom side, join a D pipe, T-joint, C pipe, T-joint, D pipe. Insert the bottom into the lower open elbow of the left-hand side. Insert a B pipe into the upper elbow. Install the right-hand side on the free ends.

For the seat section, install a T-joint at each end of a J pipe to form the left-hand side. Make an identical right-hand side. The front is the L pipe. The back is identical to the bottom of the back section.

For one side section, start with the left-hand side and join an elbow, D pipe, T-joint, G pipe, elbow. The right-hand side is identical, but turned the opposite way end for end.

The top is an F pipe, and the

bottom consists of a D pipe, double-T; H pipe, double-T, D pipe. Assemble the rectangle, and make another identical side section.

Connect the open T-joints at the bottom of the back section to the matching open T's at the back of the seat section, using a D pipe for each connection.

Install one side section in the same manner. On the outside, install in each open double-T a D pipe and end cap.

There will be one double-T at the bottom front of the side section that is left open on the side facing the center of the chair. Insert the K pipe into this open joint.

Install the second side section in the same manner. The extensions formed by the end caps at the sides of the swing are used as anchors for the hanger chain or rope.

Friends propose to bring strangers for week's stay



Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: Today a woman who has been a friend of my wife for many years telephoned to tell her that she and a married couple whom we have never met would be visiting our city in the near future.

"Agnes," my wife's friend, then invited herself and the couple to stay with us for the week of their visit. To my surprise, my wife accepted this "offer," then "asked" if it would be OK with me.

Abby, I love my wife and I am willing to have Agnes stay here, but I do not like the idea of having a strange couple staying here as well.

We have a small (two bedroom, one bathroom) house, and it would be too much of an inconvenience for five adults to live here for "only" one week. I think I should have been consulted before my wife made these arrangements. Furthermore, I think Agnes should be informed that she is welcome, but her friends should make arrangements to stay elsewhere (like a hotel).

My wife thinks I'm being selfish, unreasonable and inhospitable. What do you think?

FRIED IN FRISCO

DEAR FRIED: I think Agnes was presumptuous to have asked if she could invite a couple of strangers to be guests in your home. (She put your wife on the spot.) And your wife should not have agreed to welcome the additional couple without having consulted you. She should telephone Agnes and say, "I'm sorry, I just shared this with my husband. Now we both agree that our little place cannot accommodate five adults for a week." Then she should offer to make reservations for Agnes' friends. Don't worry about offending Agnes. She appears to be anything but thin-skinned.

DEAR ABBY: I would like your opinion on a difficult matter. I am one of many divorced fathers and

I'm doing my best to build a good relationship with our 2-year-old daughter.

My ex-wife is in the process of toilet-training her, and has voiced concern over the fact that I intend to take our little girl into a men's rest room when she has to use the bathroom.

I cannot think of another reasonable alternative during our outings together, and feel that if this is done using good judgment, there is no problem with it. Is there another way for divorced fathers to handle this situation?

DIVORCED DAD

DEAR DAD: Obviously, you should take your daughter to the men's room. Of course, if there is a stall with a door, that's the one you should choose. (Women would be properly outraged to see a man in the women's bathroom even though he's there tending to his little girl's needs.)

If your wife is concerned because the plumbing facilities are unlike those in the women's bathrooms, she need not be. A 2-year-old will think nothing of it — unless an adult makes a fuss.

DEAR ABBY: I want very much to write to you about a personal matter. What address should I use?

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Did your ancestor make a will? Was it probated or held by a family member for personal reasons and perhaps filed years after the death of the author?

These things apparently happened quite frequently, especially if children of two marriages were involved in the inheritance. The second wife would hold the will if it favored the "first" family rather than her children. Then if the heirs died or moved away so that they would not know about the court proceedings, a will would be "found" and submitted to the county for probate.

Wills have been found in every type of record book imaginable in the early 1800s and even as recently as the 1950s. Do not assume that there was no will just because it is not filed in the record book for wills.

Estate books are a good hiding place for wills. Sometimes the will was recorded with the sale of the land or transfer of ownership. The recording might have been an attempt to keep the will private or simply the wrong book used by the clerk.

Some things to remember about wills found in the record books: Most important, it is not



Gena on Genealogy

Gena Walls

the penmanship of your ancestor (unless he/she happened to be the county official recording the will) but is a copy of the will. Depending upon the county, some of the originals were filed and others were given back to the family.

For research reasons, the names of the people witnessing the will are often more important than the will itself. Usually, the witnesses were family members, in-laws or close neighbors who were younger than the person writing the will and can lead to additional information and relationships.

Do you have a will? It is important, especially today and especially if you are a woman, to have a will and to be explicit with what you want done with your property.

Fortunately, Texas is a community-property state, meaning that whatever the husband and wife earn, they share equally. At the same time, the door is open for disposing with your share in whatever manner you wish. In some cases, persons other than the surviving spouse have requested part of the estate and are often successful in obtaining a

share. When you write a will, check with the state to see what requirements it must meet to be valid. This varies state to state; if you made your will while living in another state, check to see if it meets the requirements of the place you are living at now.

To avoid problems with contested wills, try to have as witnesses people who are younger than you and who are not family members. At the moment, there is a case in Camden County whereby a clear title to land cannot be obtained because of a contested will that gave the son the land and the son had signed as a witness.

Place your will in a secure place. It is good thinking to have several copies of the will for convenience when it is needed. Do not place it in a safety deposit box that has limited access. This would cause a problem if the will could not be recovered in a timely fashion.

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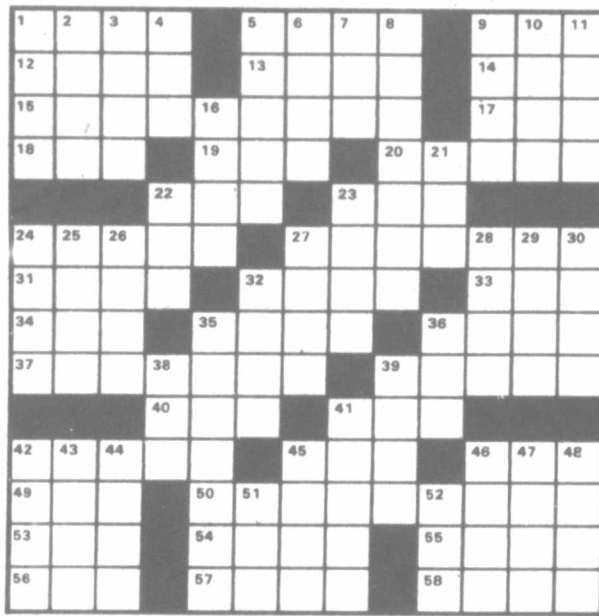
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- Beer
 - Bitter nut
 - Cavity in rock
 - Bow
 - Turkish title
 - I possess (cont.)
 - Unconventional
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 - Here (Fr.)
 - Surfaces
 - Anglo-Saxon letter
 - Chemical suffix
 - Limerick
 - Lifted
 - Looks at
 - Singer — Turner
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 - Dyeing tub
 - Chapter of Koran
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 - Cry of affirmation
 - Most harmful
 - Jackie's 2nd husband
 - Author — Wiesel
 - Large knife
 - Numbers (abbr.)
 - Dean Martin's nickname
 - Layer

- DOWN**
- Swerve
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 - Sault — Marie

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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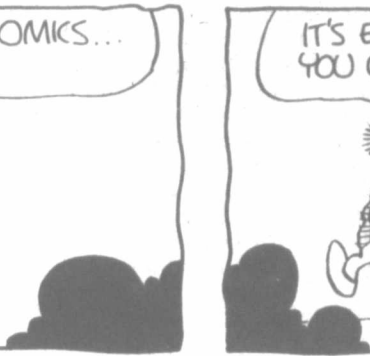
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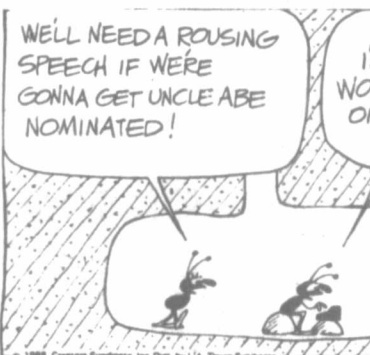
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Astro-Graph

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LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) There is a possibility you may play it a bit too loose today, not only with what you have, but also with that which belongs to others. This could create complications. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Conditions may be a bit tumultuous at home today owing to everyone pulling in different directions. Substantial blame might be traced to you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Your wisest course of action today is to tell it like it is, even if what you say is unflattering to yourself. It's best to play it straight than be sorry.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Your judgment might not be too nifty today where finances are concerned, so before making any significant cash outlays, give matters a second, or even a third, thought.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Your independence and freedom of movement may be infringed upon by others today if you allow them to do so. Avoid involvements that don't serve your best interests.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Complications that you have to deal with today could be self-inflicted. Guard against irrational actions where you might paint yourself into a corner.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) A relationship could be jeopardized today if you put material considerations above good will. Don't place something at risk that money cannot buy.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Supporters who are important to your present aims must be handled very tactfully today. If you alienate anybody, they might turn around and work against you.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Have a competent associate check your work today if you are required to put anything in writing. You could look your own mistakes square in the eye and never recognize them.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Be extra watchful in joint ventures or business matters today. If you make any wrong moves, there is a chance they could have serious consequences.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Do not enter into agreements today unless all of the fine points are clearly spelled out to your satisfaction. That which you assume could be interpreted otherwise later.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Co-workers could be a trifle difficult to get along with today, especially if you are insistent upon doing everything your way. Strive to be democratic.

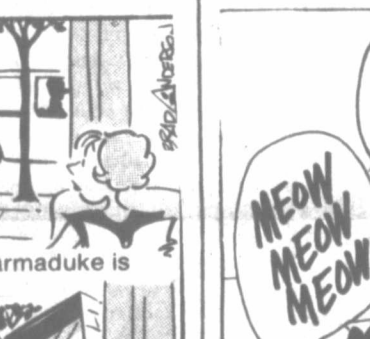
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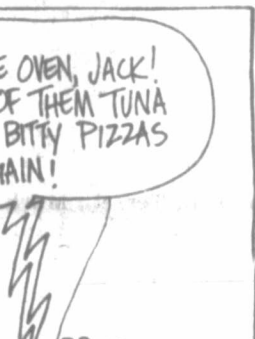
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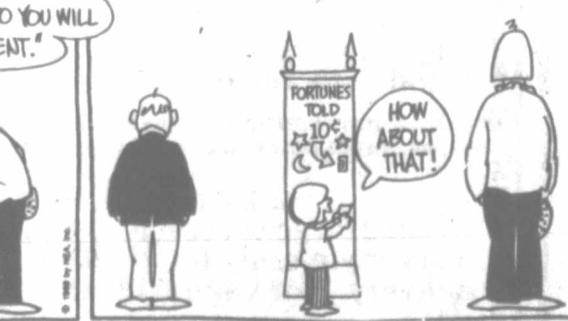
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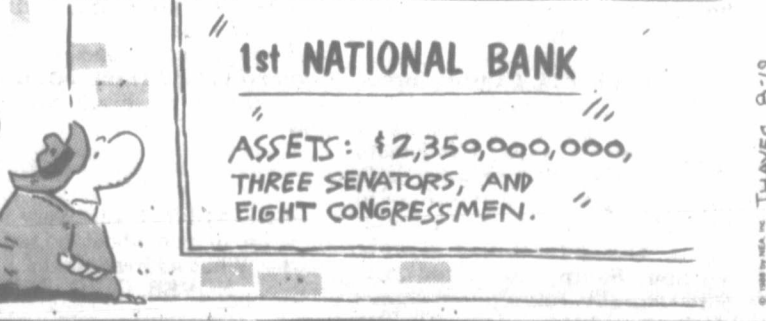
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Sports

Aggies' Richardson ready for Kickoff Classic

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ
AP Sports Writer

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — Texas A&M quarterback Bucky Richardson is tired of talking about what the Aggies are going to do this season.

He's ready to see what they can do. Hired by two-a-day workouts, Richardson says the Aggies are ready to defend their Southwest Conference title.

"You get tired of talking about the schedule and you just want to play," Richardson said Thursday. "We're ready to get on the plane and go to New York."

York."

The Aggies and Nebraska open the season in the Kickoff Classic at The Meadowslands on Aug. 27.

It's part of a brutish schedule that also includes Alabama, Louisiana State and Oklahoma State.

"Everybody's tired of talking about what they are going to try to do; we're all ready to get on the field and go at it," Richardson told visiting SWC media.

Coach Jackie Sherrill ended another oft-asked question by naming Richardson the starting quarterback over Lance Pavlas and Ole Miss transfer Chris Osgood.

Richardson was the outstanding offensive player in the Aggies' 35-10 victory over Notre Dame in the 1988 Cotton Bowl.

Questions persisted about his passing ability into spring practice but Sherrill says the sophomore from Baton Rouge, La., is improved.

"I'm just relieved the decision has been made," Richardson said. "I think it was important to all the quarterbacks that we go ahead and get that in the open and not make it a big deal."

Sherrill expects all three quarterbacks to contribute and Richardson thinks Pavlas and Osgood accepted the decision.

"They are team players too," Richardson said. "It's not a negative thing. We have to keep it in a team perspective and everything will be all right."

Pavlas played in the spotlight last season because he was a highly decorated Texas schoolboy. He played well in the Cotton Bowl but had in erratic season.

"I think last year was a new experience for me," Pavlas said. "There were positive things that happened but a guess being a local boy put more attention on me. But you have to take your chances when you get them."

Lady Harvesters bow to Amarillo

The Pampa High volleyball team is now 1-1 against Amarillo teams after losing to the Amarillo High girls 15-5, 15-8 last night in the AHS gym.

The Lady Harvesters defeated Palo Duro 15-10, 8-15 and 15-2 Tuesday night in their season opener.

Against the Sandie girls, Pampa had jumped out to an 8-2 lead in the first game when AHS started rallying back.

The Lady Harvesters are entered in the Lubbock Tournament this weekend. They met Andrews in first-round play this morning.

Club championships scheduled at PCC

Both men's and women's club championships will be decided this weekend at the Pampa Country Club golf course.

Clint Deeds has won the men's title the past two years while Carol Blenden defends the women's crown.

Deeds also won the Top O' Texas Invitational in 1986. The 36-hole stroke play tournament concludes with the finals on Sunday.

Prizes will be awarded according to the number of entries in each flight.

Other upcoming tournaments at the PCC course are the Top O' Texas Invitational Sept. 2-5 and the Lefty-Righty Tournament Sept. 17-18.

In a Thursday scramble, Deeds teamed with Curtis Heard, Terry Allan and Joyce Rasco for a winning score of 28. Buddy Lamberon, Joan Terrell, Mark McVay and Art Crabbe defeated the team of Lavonna Dalton, Jerry Simpson, Lance Defever and Bob Swope in a playoff for second place.

Ruzek leaves Cowboys

THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. (AP) — As the Dallas Cowboys cut 10 more players from their prospects list, back in Dallas holdout kicker Roger Ruzek headed for home after the team rejected a compromise proposal calling for a new one-year deal.

Ruzek left Dallas on Thursday and returned to Ogden, Utah. Cowboys vice president Joe Bailey said no additional negotiations were planned.

"I'm going to head back to Utah and do whatever makes Roger Ruzek happy," Ruzek said. "I'm going to hunt, fish and pursue whatever comes my way."



Rangers' pitcher Jeff Russell picks up tenth win.

Rangers' Russell holds off Twins

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Jeff Russell and his team's manager saw no reason to dwell on mistakes he made while pitching a five-hitter for the Texas Rangers in their 4-2 defeat of the Minnesota Twins.

Russell encountered some trouble in the eighth inning Thursday night, when the Twins scored twice. But a single run in the third and Pete O'Brien's solo homer in the eighth gave Russell a cushion.

"I made a mistake on (Dan) Gladden," who singled in a run in the eighth, Russell admitted. "I blew two fastballs by him and then threw two sliders in a row. But all in all I felt I pitched well, and the guys made some great plays behind me."

Texas manager Bobby Valentine was pleased, too.

"Jeff did a great job. He was throwing real hard. He got in a little trouble in the eighth, but he got out of it," Valentine said.

Twins manager Tom Kelly also had praise for Russell.

"That other guy is a heck of a pitcher. He has a good sinker-ball," he said.

Unlike most American League pitchers, Russell says he feels comfortable in the Metrodome.

"I like throwing here," Russell said. "They've got a good mound here. The ball sails a little, but I

like it here. I get psyched up against these guys."

Russell, 10-5, retired the first 10 batters he faced before John Moses doubled in the fourth inning after consecutive homers by Pete Incaviglia and Geno Petralli off Twins starter Charlie Lea, 6-7, gave Texas a 2-0 lead in the second.

"It was a nice ball game all around," Valentine said. "These guys want to get more out of this season than they've gotten thus far."

Russell got a lot out of the first half of the season, winning six of his first seven starts. But he was just 2-5 in his most recent nine outings before Thursday.

"I think he has some of the best right-handed stuff in the league," Twins first baseman Kent Hrbek said. "He throws the ball well. Certainly this season I would put him up there with the top five right-handers in the league."

With two outs in the eighth, Russell allowed a double by Al Newman, an RBI single by Gladden and a single by Moses. Gladden then scored from third on a wild pitch, but Kirby Puckett struck out to end the threat.

The attendance of 40,656 gave the Twins a total for the season of 2,111,711 in 58 dates, breaking the previous team high of 2,081,976 in 1987.

Major League standings

By The Associated Press All Times CDT AMERICAN LEAGUE					NATIONAL LEAGUE				
East Division					East Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB		W	L	Pct.	GB
Detroit	49	50	.500	—	New York	71	50	.587	—
Boston	47	53	.469	2½	Pittsburgh	67	54	.554	4
New York	45	52	.462	3	Montreal	63	57	.525	7½
Milwaukee	41	62	.399	10	Chicago	58	60	.492	11½
Toronto	40	61	.396	10	St. Louis	53	67	.442	17½
Cleveland	38	63	.379	12	Philadelphia	51	69	.425	19½
Baltimore	40	60	.393	29½					
West Division					West Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB		W	L	Pct.	GB
Oakland	77	45	.631	—	Los Angeles	69	51	.575	—
Minnesota	68	52	.567	8	Houston	65	54	.547	4½
Kansas City	62	58	.517	14	San Francisco	64	57	.529	5½
California	61	60	.504	15½	Cincinnati	61	58	.513	7½
Chicago	54	66	.450	22	San Diego	58	63	.479	11½
Seattle	53	66	.445	22½	Atlanta	41	79	.342	28
Texas	47	74	.388	29½					
Wednesday's Games					Thursday's Games				
Minnesota 2, Detroit 1					Los Angeles 2, Philadelphia 1				
Cleveland 11, Milwaukee 7					San Diego 5, Montreal 4				
Oakland 10, Baltimore 7					San Francisco 4, New York 1				
New York 11, California 7					Cincinnati 9, Chicago 1				
Chicago 5, Toronto 1					St. Louis 2, Houston 1				
Boston 7, Seattle 2					Only games scheduled				
Kansas City 9, Texas 6					Today's Games				
Late Game Not Included					Atlanta (Mahler 9-11) at Chicago (G.Maddux 16-6), 3:05 p.m.				
California 7, New York 1					Houston (Darwin 5-9) at Pittsburgh (Dunne 6-9), 6:35 p.m.				
Seattle 6, Boston 1					Cincinnati (Charlton 0-0) at St. Louis (DeLeon 8-8), 7:35 p.m.				
Cleveland 4, Milwaukee 3					New York (Fernandez 7-10) at San Diego (Shaw 10-10), 9:05 p.m.				
Texas 4, Minnesota 2					Montreal (Martinez 14-8) at Los Angeles (Hershiser 16-7), 7:35 p.m.				
Only games scheduled					Philadelphia (Palmer 7-8) at San Francisco (Downs 12-9), 9:35 p.m.				
Seattle (Moore 6-13 and Taylor 0-0) at New York (Candelaria 13-7 and Dotson 9-5), 2:35 p.m.									
Oakland (Stewart 15-10) at Boston (Smithson 6-4), 6:35 p.m.									
Kansas City (Saberhagen 12-12) at Cleveland (Cofield 9-4 and Rodriguez 1-2), 6:35 p.m.									

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No cells visible at NCAA headquarters

IT LOOKED LIKE SOME of the most desirable real estate a person would want for business purposes. Two beautifully manicured lawns, enhanced with ample tree varieties and shrubbery for landscaping. Sitting in the middle of each was a modern, three-story office building, served by more-than-ample paved driveways and parking facilities. Access was simple, just off the interchange that handled the divided highway traffic at the intersection of US 56 and Nail Street, and thoroughfare servicing the greater Kansas City area.

But it looked like almost any school from the Southwest Conference or Big Eight entry from Oklahoma had been nighttime visiting. There were "For Sale" signs firmly implanted in obvious view in front of each building.

This is NCAA headquarters today, located in the Shawnee Mission area of the mid-American metropolis which serves as headquarters for nearly every major organization serving education-associated athletics in the country. In addition to the NCAA, the KC also hosts the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics, the National Federation of High Schools, as well as the Big Eight and Central States Intercollegiate Conferences.

Invited to lunch by the organization's No. 2 man, comptroller Lou Spry, we had arrived well-ahead of the appointed time for two reasons. Uncertainty about finding the facility since it moved from the downtown location now occupied by the NAIA, and a desire to just look around. Maybe

Sports Forum

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we could see the jail cells where they keep folks like SMU incarcerated (it might be visitors day) and to see where they planned to house Oklahoma, Oklahoma State, Texas A&M, West Texas State and several other schools.

But with no shotgun-carrying guards around, we went first to NCAA West, where the meeting room in which the big decisions are made is located. Centerpiece is the football-shaped table, but the various pieces of collegiate history hanging on walls and sitting on shelves was more interesting. There are footballs autographed by the all-American teams. Just pick them up, throw them, whatever. One will find all kinds of old cloth-bound books, faded with browning pages, about sports, factual and fictitious. The walls are covered with commissioned lithographed prints of momentous Final Four championships and famed coaches pictures, all autographed. The room is not designed as a museum or tour facility, simply decorated to set the mood for the sometimes critical meetings held there. The upper two floors held offices for various services of the organization, primarily publications and

public relations.

Dodging traffic, we scurried across the busy highway to NCAA East and took the elevator to the top floor. The waiting room was filled with the organization's latest publications. A portrait of Walter Byers oversaw it all. Lou came out and ushered us into his modest, but ample, southwest corner office. Lou had already signed an agreement to purchase land for a new site. "We needed more space. Each floor here was 8100-square feet. The new building will be triple that. Plus we will be able to have all our people together in one building. It's just a few miles back east, nearer the other organizations." (He didn't mention it would also be almost adjacent to the Harry Truman Sports Complex, for some reason.)

"It's been a good year for us. Despite having the Final Four here at Kemper (Arena) with its limited seating, the smallest crowd we had at any playoff site was over 11,000." He turned around and searched through a two-foot pile of computer printouts atop the back-bar desk. "And it's all going to be much better financially than we anticipated," beamed the ever-

conservative Spry. He ran down some figures which showed more than \$29 million in revenue from the playoffs, over a million dollars more than he had estimated prior to the start. "All of it (\$29,714,704) will be distributed to the schools in Division I. Of course, the Big Eight (with two clubs in the finals) receives the big bucks, nearly four million."

Then the talk turned to his days at West Texas State as sports information director.

"Frank Kimbrough was athletic director, but Kerbel called the NAIA where I was working then and asked if we had anyone who might be interested. I asked him about the job duties and salary. After hearing that I told him 'I'd recommend me'."

"Okay, me. You've got the job," said Kerbel. I realized then that Kerbel was running the show, not Kimbrough. I'll never forget my interview visit. He took me all over introducing me to the top business people in the city. It was on the Fourth of July holiday. That night he had a whole bunch of fireworks to shoot. Joe loaded his whole family in the car and we drove out to Buffalo Stadium. He unlocked it, we went in, and started shooting the fireworks. Just the car full of us in that stadium that seats 20,000! After that visit, I couldn't turn down the job. Besides, I would make about a thousand bucks more than I was making at the NAIA, which meant a lot then."

It was time to gather another member of the staff and go eat. Lou picked up the check. I never did see those cells. Presumably they'll be in the new facilities.

Irish practice



(Staff Photo by Sonny Bohanan)

Shamrock back Ty Clark (11) takes a handoff during a practice session Thursday. The Irish open their 1988 football season Sept. 2 when they host Spearman.

Bowlers needed for Monday night league

Bowlers are needed for the Monday Night Mixed League this fall at Harvester Lanes. Interested persons can call 848-

2894. A meeting has been scheduled Aug. 29 to form the league. League play begins Sept. 12.

PMS gridders to receive gear

Football gear will be issued to Pampa middle school players next week.

On Aug. 23, equipment will be issued to eighth-graders from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and to seventh-graders from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Players are also asked to bring a lock to secure their equipment.

Middle school practice starts on Sept. 1.

Drillers top Travelers 7-5

By The Associated Press

George Threadgill slugged a three-run homer to lead the Tulsa Drillers to a 7-5 Texas League baseball victory over the Arkansas Travelers.

In other Texas League games Thursday night, Wichita edged San Antonio, 3-1, Jackson edged Shreveport, 4-3 and El Paso defeated Midland, 5-2.

Threadgill's homer came in the sixth inning.

Kevin Reimer added a solo homer for Tulsa and other runs came on a sacrifice fly, an error and a balk.

Arkansas scored four runs in the sixth on a two-run single by Sal Agostinelli and RBI singles by Bien Figueroa and Maricio Nunez. The final run for the Travelers came in the ninth inning.

Rick Lundblade's seventh-inning single drove in two runs to break a 2-2 tie and lead the Jackson Mets to 4-3 victory over the Shreveport Captains.

Romy Cucjen homered in the top of the ninth inning, his eighth of the season, to bring Shreveport to within one, 4-3.

That was the only run allowed by Jackson reliever Rich Rodriguez, however, who struck out four over the last two innings to record his sixth save. Virgil Conly, 4-4, earned the win on the mound, pitching into the eighth inning.

Borger schedules softball tourney

Borger will have a Class C and D men's slowpitch softball tournament Aug. 26-28.

First and second place team trophies will be presented. Entry fee is \$100.

Marty Jordan can be contacted at 274-5201 or 273-2234 for more information.

Entry fees can be mailed to 1310 South Florida, Borger, Tex. 79007.

Softball dream

ALICE, Texas (AP) —

Ronnie James, a first-team all-state basketball player for Alice High School four years ago, is ready to begin his final season of eligibility at Texas A&I in Kingsville, but he's been busy all summer playing his favorite sport: softball.

About the same time he took up organized basketball at William Adams Junior High School in the ninth grade, James also began playing softball.

"Basically, I used to go watch my cousins play, enjoyed it a lot, and watching my brothers play kinda rubbed off on me. I guess I put a lot of practice into it. I always had a natural stroke. It just comes natural for me," James said of softball.

The 6-foot 6½-inch James estimated he played about 50 softball games this summer. He has picked up about 35 trophies since the year began. In a tournament in San Diego, Texas, James belted seven home runs in the six games his team played on its way to the championship. His play deep behind third base earned him tournament honors as the defensive Most Valuable Player.

"I'll just see where my career takes me. With basketball I'll be happy or softball I'll be happy. There is a league for that now," James said. "I'm fortunate to have two sports to lean on. Some just have one."

"It all depends on how much money they pay me. That would matter right there," he said. "Basketball is a harder game on the body, and softball is an easy-going game. Not a whole lot of work goes into it."

A highlight for him was getting to play last year in the slow pitch softball national tournament in Midland, Texas.

"Some guys play 20 or 25 years and never see the nationals, and I just play and go," James said. "I never thought I would be a good baseball or softball player. I was just playing for fun."

A&I has only a fledgling baseball program that is still in the club sport stage. But the Atlanta Braves, Cincinnati Reds, Pittsburgh Pirates and the Major League Scouting Bureau all hold tryout camps in Texas each summer, and he is considering such a tryout after his college basketball career ends.

Public Notice

The Clarendon Consolidated Independent School District of Clarendon, TX will review sealed bids until 4:00 p.m. September 7, 1988 in the Office of the Superintendent for the removal and disposal of asbestos materials. The project will require the removal of approximately one hundred and thirty six (136) linear feet of heating pipe. All bids should be mailed to the Office of the Superintendent, P.O. Box 610, Clarendon, TX 79226. Telephone number is 806/874-2062. Clarendon CISD will reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive technicalities.

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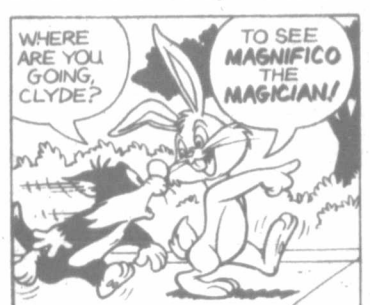
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Owner may carry 2 bedroom on Sirroco with attached garage: MLS 293. Quentin Williams 669-2522, Mildred 669-7801.

FOR sale in Clarendon: 5 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, 2 bedroom, 2 baths and water well, 4, 3 or 1 bedrooms. 3 bedroom house at Greenbelt Lake, 5 acres with house or 2 bedroom at Hedley. Call before 3:30 p.m. for appointment. Sanders Real Estate, 874-2333.

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104 Lots

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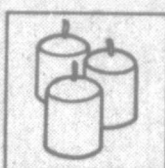
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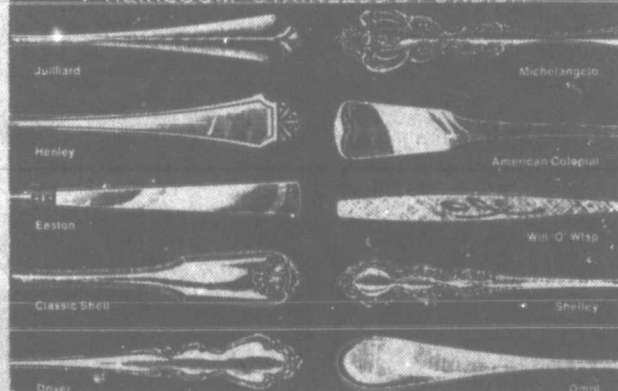
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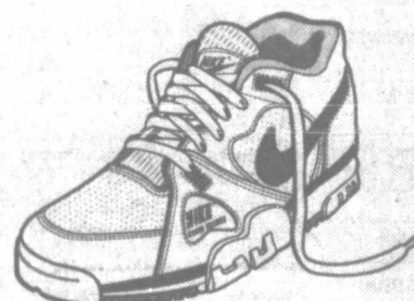
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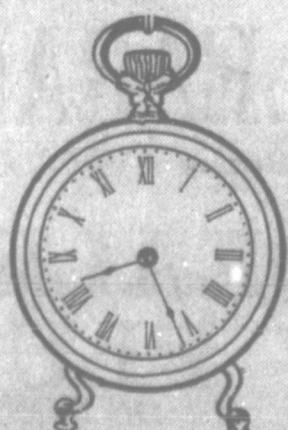
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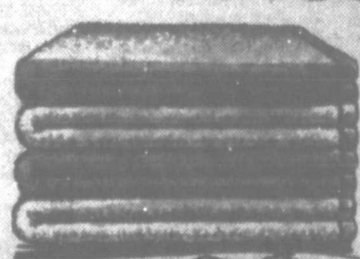


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