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## Heavy rain, high winds, hail pound area

From Staff and Wire Reports

A powerful storm system ripped across the Texas Panhandle on Sunday, packing 60-mph winds, flooding roads and knocking over trailer houses near Canadian.

No injuries were reported.

The storm dumped about 1.21 inches of rain on Pampa, and winds gusting to 62 mph were reported at the height of the storm. Most of Pampa received pea-to marble-sized hail, smaller than the golf ball-sized hail was reported to the west of town.

Pampa police and storm spotters ringed the town as the severe storm approached at about 6 p.m. Sunday, but reported little damage in and around town. Spot flooding was reported on parts of North Hobart Street and Texas Highway 70, north of Pampa.

Power was out in parts of Pampa due to the storm.

In Hemphill County, the Sheriff's Department reported two trailers were knocked over by the storm's high winds. Trees also were reportedly uprooted, and roads flooded immediately following the storm.

The National Weather Service reported the storm covered a vast area, from Hemphill and Wheeler counties west to Hereford.

Wheeler County Sheriff Lonnie Miller said today that his county received "just a good, hard rain," but didn't experience the wind and hail that hit other area counties.

"We were real lucky," Miller said.

Tonight's forecast calls for a slight chance of isolated evening thunderstorms, but otherwise fair. Sunny skies are forecast for Tuesday.

Showers and thunderstorms are

possible across portions of Northwest Texas and South Texas tonight.

A high pressure system located over the northern plains was building southward across the state today, causing most of the state to have clear to partly cloudy skies. Mostly cloudy skies prevailed over the Panhandle, South Plains and portions of South Texas.

Some heavy thunderstorms were reported late Sunday afternoon and evening across portions of West Texas.

Scattered showers were reported at dawn over the southwest third of the Panhandle and northwestern portions

of the South Plains. Scattered showers and thunderstorms were also located over the middle coastal plains, extending offshore into the Gulf of Mexico early today.

Lows tonight will be mostly in the 60s and 70s except in the higher elevations of Southwest Texas where readings will be in the 50s.

Highs Tuesday will be mostly in the 70s and 80s except in the Big Bend area of Southwest Texas where readings will be in the lower 90s.

(Senior Staff Writer Paul Pinkham and The Associated Press contributed to this report.)

## Final vote set on city tax hike

Pampa city commissioners will take the final vote on approval of the \$9.2 million 1987-1988 operating budget and the property tax rate during their regular meeting at 6 p.m. Tuesday.

The budget was approved by a 4-1 vote on Sept. 8, with Commissioner Richard Peet casting the only dissenting vote for the budget that is \$600,000 under the current budget.

Peet claimed that there were "too many" typographical and addition errors "in a few areas" for him to put his signature on the budget, which serves as a guideline for spending in the fiscal year.

The property tax rate, set at 64 cents per \$100 valuation as it has been for the past two years, was approved unanimously on its first reading two weeks ago.

In other business, the city will consider authorization for a contract with Rural-Metro Corp. for provision of emergency medical services. The commission has

previously approved Rural-Metro's bid, the only one received, keeping its rates and fees with the city at the same rates.

The commission has scheduled a public hearing concerning potential opportunities and uses for economic development projects under the Texas Capital Fund.

The fund is a state project providing grants to be used by communities to give loans for economic development projects. The loans will be repaid to create a revolving loan fund under the city's supervision.

In other action, the commission will consider:

- awarding of bids relative to the purchases of a dump body and an animal transport unit;
- appointing three new members to the Plumbing and Mechanical Board;
- reappointing members to the Electrical Board; and
- approving accounts payable.

In other old business items, the commission will consider:

- second and final reading of an ordinance adopting the service credit updates under the Texas Municipal Retirement System;
- second and final reading of an ordinance establishing general election dates and run-off dates in May for municipal elections;
- second and final reading of an ordinance changing the location of polling places in Wards 2 and 4; and
- first reading of an ordinance establishing a fee for services in dismissing actions where state law requires such dismissal.

In other items, Dr. Ron Hendrick of the Pampa Apartment Association has requested time in the citizens request section to speak concerning multi-family utility rates. There also will be a presentation by new robot Aries III on the fire prevention program.

The commission also has scheduled an executive session to discuss purchase of real estate for groundwater rights.

## Protester aflame



Flames engulf a man identified as Neusha Farrahi after he set himself ablaze in Los Angeles Sunday in protest of the impending visit to the United Nations by the Iranian

president. According to sheriff's officials, Farrahi doused himself with flammable liquids during a demonstration at the Federal Building and is listed in serious condition.

(AP Laserphoto)

## Hearings continue with former government officials testifying

WASHINGTON (AP) — Former Transportation Secretary William T. Coleman Jr. urged today that the Senate turn down the Supreme Court nomination of Robert H. Bork on grounds that Bork has rejected high court reasoning in landmark civil rights and personal liberty cases.

Coleman, who served in the Ford administration, told the Senate Judiciary Committee that Bork "has repeatedly rejected the well-established line of Supreme Court decisions" that hold the Constitution protects against government invasion of personal liberty and privacy.

The first public witness after Bork to testify, Coleman is a Republican who said he supports President Reagan's basic policies. He led a parade of prominent people who are to testify for or against Bork.

Coleman told the senators, "Included in the substantive liberty interests that Judge Bork would remove from constitutional protection is an individual's right to privacy — the right to be left alone."

He also objected to Bork's stated view that several leading constitutional decisions protecting the rights of blacks were wrongly decided and had no basis in the Constitution.

He cited Bork's views that there was faulty court reasoning in a decision holding that the 14th Amendment forbids a state from enforcing a racially restrictive covenants in property deeds, in a high court ruling that struck down state poll taxes, and in the Bakke affirmative action case. "In objecting to these leading civil rights deci-

sions, Judge Bork, as a scholar, has often written that the court has exceeded its constitutional powers and is attempting to legislate," Coleman said.

The committee, after hearing five days of testimony from Bork, a record for a prospective justice, is now turning to scores of other individuals and groups.

When Bork was nominated for the U.S. Court of Appeals in 1982, Coleman headed an ABA investigation into his role in firing Watergate special prosecutor Archibald Cox on Oct. 20, 1973.

Bork was questioned extensively during last week's hearings on the firing that became known as the "Saturday Night Massacre." Bork, then solicitor general, fired Cox on orders of President Nixon after Attorney General Elliot Richardson resigned, and his top deputy, William D. Ruckelshaus was fired rather than carry out the directive.

Bork told the hearings that despite the firing, he assured Cox's top assistants that the independent Watergate team would stay together and could continue Cox's effort to secure Nixon's tape recordings. Cox's pursuit of those tapes led to his ouster.

Bork also told the hearings that he had not originally planned to name a new special prosecutor to head the team, and it wasn't until several days after the firing — following a public outcry — that Nixon agreed to do so.

According to one committee source, speaking only on condition he not be identified, panel members want to know if Bork told Coleman the same story.

## Pampa police arrest 22 people in raid on after-hours nightspot

By PAUL PINKHAM  
Senior Staff Writer

Pampa police raided a southside nightspot early Sunday, and arrested 22 people in connection with charges of drinking after hours.

The raid was conducted at the B&J Restaurant, 400 Maple Ave., at the request of the state Alcoholic Beverage Commission.

Pampa Police Chief Robert Eberz said today an undercover ABC agent had the late-night establishment under surveillance for several days before requesting assistance from police.

"We were glad to cooperate," Eberz said. ABC District Supervisor Jody McCarthy of Amarillo said today that the agency had received complaints of liquor being sold without a license at the restaurant. The complaints prompted the investigation, McCarthy said.

Thirteen men and seven women, all patrons of the restaurant, were arrested on misdemeanor charges of consuming alcoholic beverages during prohibited hours. Some also were charged with being minors in possession of alcoholic beverages.

All were booked into the jail shortly after 2:30 a.m. Sunday, then released on bond and court summonses.

Eberz said both local bail-bonding companies, Freedom Bail Bond Co. and Stonie Ferguson Bail Bond Co., were called in to expedite uncrowding of the jail. The chief said he had plenty of room for all the suspects, but conditions would have been crowded had they had to spend the entire night in jail.

Most were released on bond after a few hours. The drinking after hours charge carries a maximum \$50 fine in Municipal Court. The minor in (See Raid, Page 2)

## Volvo models join gas-guzzlers on EPA mileage list

WASHINGTON (AP) — Volvo, the Swedish car that is advertised as safe and durable and is a favorite of young professionals, has two models on the government's list of gas-guzzlers, those automobiles subject to a federal excise tax because of their poor fuel economy.

Volvo's 780 and 760-740 series will be liable under the 1975 law designed to encourage people to buy fuel-efficient cars. The two lines received 17 miles per gallon in the city and 20 mph on the highway, according to the Environmental Protection Agency's annual ratings, released today.

Fred Hammond, spokesman for Volvo's U.S. headquarters in Roekleigh, N.J., said buyers have to pay an extra \$650 for each of the lines. "I don't think we're too happy about it," he said.

The EPA list showed little change among the most economical cars. For the third straight

year, a Japanese-made Chevrolet Sprint took top honors with a rating of 54 mpg in urban driving and 58 mpg on the highway.

A Honda Civic was again in second place with 50-56 mpg result.

Bringing up the rear was a new entry, the Lamborghini Countach, an Italian car that gets 6 mpg in the city, EPA's lowest figure ever, and 10 mpg on the highway. This bears the highest gas-guzzler tax, \$3,850.

Last year's biggest guzzlers, several Rolls-Royce Models, are next-to-last with 8-10 mpg ratings.

For the first time, a Korean company cracked the list of best-ranked cars, last year an all-Japanese preserve.

Ford's Festiva, made in Korea by Kia Motors Co., was ranked fifth at 39 mpg city, 43 mpg highway.

Counting sister models sold as the Pontiac Firefly and the Suzuki Forsa, the Sprint captured seven of the top 12 positions — three of the top eight counting ties.

The trend over the past several years has been away from economy toward comfort — which means size, which means more fuel use — and power — which also means more fuel used.

This trend, according to some people in the industry, has gone about as far as it will go if fuel prices don't change radically.

Volvo's offending models are powered by 174-cubic inch, six-cylinder engines designed more for power (145 horsepower compared with 125 horsepower from a 173-cubic inch six in General Motors Corp. cars) and smoothness than for economy.

Hammond said Volvo is "always seeking ways to improve fuel economy."

So, too, is Ford, where the demand for bigger cars last year prompted a request — granted by the Transportation Department, along with a similar petition from General Motors Corp. — for a rollback in federal mileage standards.

David Kulp, Ford's manager of fuel economy planning, said he doesn't think demand will change enough to jeopardize the meeting in the near future of the lower standard: an average city-highway rating of 26 mpg for all manufacturers' models before the application of deflation factors.

But the standard is supposed to revert to 27.5 mpg for 1989 models.

Automakers face large fines if their "fleet" averages do not meet the standard, and last year's relaxation saved Ford and GM several hundred million dollars.

# Daily Record

## Services tomorrow

**BRUMMETT, Barnie** — 10:30 a.m., Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel.

## Obituaries

**RALPH M. PUCKETT**  
**AMARILLO** — Funeral services for Ralph M. Puckett, 75, who died Saturday, were to be at 2 p.m. today in Blackburn-Shaw Memorial Chapel with the Rev. Harold Scarbrough, pastor of Temple Baptist Church, officiating.

Graveside services were to be in Liano Cemetery by Masonic Lodge No. 731.

Mr. Puckett, born at Bryan, moved to Amarillo about 30 years ago from Pampa. He was a retired foreman for ASARCO. He was a member of Masonic Lodge No. 731. He was preceded in death by a son, John Wayne, earlier this year.

Survivors include his wife, Grace; a daughter, Peggy Joyce Schumett of Wichita, Kan.; two stepdaughters, Nikki Anglin of Dallas and Pat Miracle of Amarillo; a stepson, Sonny Belcher of Amarillo; three sisters, Mary Elizabeth Brewer of Phoenix, Ariz.; Margaret White of Andrews and Josephine Smith of Hobbs, N.M.; a brother, Buster of Pampa; 12 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to St. Anthony's Hospice.

## Police report

The Pampa Police Department reported the following incidents for the 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

**SATURDAY, Sept. 19**  
 Disorderly conduct was alleged in a field in the 500 block of West Brown.

**SUNDAY, Sept. 20**  
 Minor in possession of an alcoholic beverage was reported in the 400 block of Maple.

Robert Allen Yarbrough, Davis Hotel, 116 W. Foster, reported theft of a wallet in a bar in the 2100 block of West Alcock.

Rebecca Johnston, 212 Thut, reported theft of a wallet from a motor vehicle in the 400 block of Maple.

Mia S. Nash, 1145 Varnon, reported assault at the address.

Driving while intoxicated was alleged in the 900 block of South Wells.

Mary Lou Noel, 612 Hazel, and Lana Renee Manry, 1307 Coffee, reported theft of purses from motor vehicles in the 400 block of Maple.

David Bessler, 2222 N. Russell, reported theft from a motor vehicle at Fellowship Baptist Church, 622 E. Francis.

Betty Rice, 940 S. Dwight, reported theft at the address.

Bob Sharp, 2430 Charles, reported attempted burglary at the address.

Jimmy Barton, 1226 Christine, reported assault in the bull barn at Recreation Park, U.S. Highway 60 East.

Joel Ray Kingston, 1136 Sierra, reported criminal trespass at the address.

**MONDAY, Sept. 21**  
 Driving while intoxicated was alleged in the 300 block of Sunset.

Burglary and assault were reported in the 600 block of Hazel.

## Calendar of events

**PAMPA SINGLES' ORGANIZATION**  
 Pampa Singles' Organization will have a game night beginning at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at 2129 Hamilton. Those attending are asked to bring games and snacks. For more information, call 665-8312.

**PAMPA PARENT SUPPORT GROUP**  
 Pampa Parent Support Group using TOUGH-LOVE will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday in Pampa High School Library. Anyone needing support or willing to give support is welcome; confidentiality is stressed. For more information, call 669-2786 or 665-6815.

**VARIETAS STUDY CLUB**  
 Varietas Study Club will have its first meeting of the year at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday in the home of Nina Spoonemore, 1200 Hamilton. The meeting will be a coffee social, with members telling what they did during the summer.

**PAMPA CIVIC BALLET COMPANY**  
 Due to a conflict of schedules, auditions for Pampa Civic Ballet Company will be held Oct. 4 instead of Sept. 27. Auditions will begin at 2 p.m. Oct. 4 at Beaux Arts Dance Studio, 315 N. Nelson. For more information, call Jeanne Willingham at the studio, 669-6361.

## Hospital

**CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions**

Florine Cox, Miami Pampa

James Hollingwood, Pampa

Marcell Pell, Pampa

Mary Ray, Lefors

**Dismissals**

Icy Beard, Pampa

Michael Ditmore, Pampa

Jack McKnight, Pampa

Paulette Oxley and infant, Pampa

Tammy Sutton and infant, Pampa

Evelyn Winborne, Pampa

**SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions**

Belinda Seay, Shamrock

Carol Kidd, Shamrock

Janie Lowe, Shamrock

**Dismissals**

Daren Copeland, Wheeler

Willie Knoll, Shamrock

Everett Miller, Wheeler

Daren Copeland, Wheeler

Carol Kidd, Shamrock

## Arrests

**Arrests-City Jail SATURDAY, Sept. 19**

Felipe Perez D'Jesus, 33, 1037 Prairie, was arrested in the 900 block of West Kentucky on a capias warrant, and was later released on a court summons.

Patrick Wilson, 56, 630 W. Brown, was arrested in the 500 block of West Brown on charges of public intoxication and disorderly conduct.

**SUNDAY, Sept. 20**

Jack Lloyd Addy, 33, Kingsmill, was arrested in the 900 block of South Wells on charges of driving while intoxicated and defective license plate light, and later released on bond.

Sammy J. Whitley Jr., 42, 1101 Clark, was arrested in the 100 block of South Starkweather on warrants alleging failure to appear and failure to drive in a single lane, and was later released on bond.

20 people were arrested at B&J Cafeteria, 400 Maple, on charges of consuming alcoholic beverages after hours. (See related story, Page 1).

**MONDAY, Sept. 21**

Terrell Don Barton, 29, 1721 Fir, was arrested in the 300 block of Sunset on charges of driving while intoxicated, no drivers license and no proof of liability insurance.

Willie G. Caldwell, 33, 510 Oklahoma, was arrested in the 900 block of South Hobart on charges of no drivers license and speeding.

**Arrests-DPS**

Robert Chad Bridge, 29, Lefors, was arrested by the Texas Department of Public Safety at Texas Highway 273 and Spur 398, Lefors, on charges of driving while intoxicated, possession of marijuana and speeding.

Edward Bernard Alexander, 24, Borger, was arrested by the DPS on Texas Highway 152, 2 miles west of Pampa, on charges of driving while intoxicated, speeding and failure to maintain financial responsibility.

Kenneth Ray Davis, 28, Kountze, was arrested by the DPS on U.S. Highway 60, 4 miles west of Pampa, on charges of driving while intoxicated and speeding.

## Stock market

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

Pampa	2.36	NC
Wheat	2.36	NC
Milo	2.50	NC
Corn	3.20	NC

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

Danison Oil	17 1/2	NC
Ky. Cent. Life	17 1/2	NC
Serico	6 1/4	NC

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

Magellan	57.69	up 1/2
Puritan	14.00	up 1/2
SFS	26 1/2	up 1/2
Tenneco	56	up 1/2
Texaco	40	up 1/2
London Gold	458.85	up 1/2
Amoco	7 1/4	up 1/2

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

Arco	88	up 1/2
Cabot	43	dn 1/2
Chevron	50 1/2	NC
Enron	49 1/2	dn 1/2
Halliburton	38 1/2	up 1/2
HCA	45 1/2	NC
Ingersoll Rand	44	up 1/2
Kerr-McGee	41 1/2	up 1/2
KNE	16 1/2	up 1/2
Mapco	57	NC
Maxxus	12 1/2	NC
Mesa Ltd.	16 1/2	NC
Mobil	46 1/2	up 1/2
Pennsylvania	54 1/2	dn 1/2
Phillips	16 1/2	up 1/2
SLB	46	up 1/2
SFS	26 1/2	up 1/2
Tenneco	56	up 1/2
Texaco	40	up 1/2
London Gold	458.85	up 1/2
Silver	7.49	up 1/2

## Minor accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported the following traffic accident for the 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

**SUNDAY, Sept. 20**

A 1972 Mercury, driven by Bobby DeWayne Hicks, 632 E. Craven, struck a fence and tree in the 700 block of East Craven. Hicks and a passenger refused treatment for reported injuries. Hicks was cited for defective brakes, no safety restraint and failure to maintain financial responsibility. The passenger was cited for no safety restraint.

## Fire report

The Pampa Fire Department reported no fire runs during the 40-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

# Reagan wants Iran to indicate if cease-fire will be accepted

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — President Reagan called upon Iran today to say whether it will accept a cease fire in the Persian Gulf war, declaring that the U.N. Security Council will have no choice but to impose sanctions if Iranian military action continues.

In an address prepared for delivery at the opening session of the 42nd U.N. General Assembly, Reagan also pledged to pursue reductions in long-range strategic nuclear arms in the wake of an agreement in principle with the Soviet Union to eliminate intermediate-range land-based missiles.

In addition, the president said he will continue to seek peace in Central America, but warned Nicaragua that "We will not, and the world community will not, accept phony 'democratization' designed to mask the perpetuation of dictatorship."

Reagan opened his address by welcoming U.N. Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar back from a peace mission to Persian Gulf countries, saying, "All men and women of goodwill pray that the carnage can soon be stopped."

Noting that Iranian President Ali Khamenei will address the General Assembly on Tuesday, Reagan said, "I take this opportunity to call upon him clearly and unequivocally to state whether Iran accepts" a previous Security Council resolution calling for a cease fire.

"If the answer is positive, it would be a welcome step and major breakthrough," he said. "If it is negative, the council has no choice but rapidly to

adopt enforcement measures."

The United States is supporting a proposed resolution calling for sanctions to enforce compliance with the cease-fire. Iraq has said that it will comply.

"We do not seek confrontation or trouble with Iran or anyone else," Reagan said. "When the tension diminishes, so will our presence."

Reagan also said that although the Soviet Union helped draft the cease-fire resolution and secure its approval, the Soviets had also called for withdrawal of U.S. naval forces from the gulf and "made the false accusation that somehow the United States — rather than the war itself — is the source of tension" in the region.

"The United States hopes the Soviets will join the other members of the Security Council in vigorously seeking an end to a conflict that should never have begun," he said.

Turning to Nicaragua, Reagan warned, "The temporary relaxation of controls — which can later be tightened — is not democratization."

The president's remarks came after the government in Managua authorized the immediate reopening of the opposition daily La Prensa in what was described as an effort to comply with a Central American peace plan.

Addressing Nicaragua's Sandinista rulers, Reagan said, "You must end your stranglehold on internal political activity. You must hold free and fair national elections."

# Aquino begins military reshuffle

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — President Corason Aquino began to reshuffle the military today, naming an "anti-coup force" commander for Manila and a new military spokesman.

Meanwhile, several thousand people gathered at a major intersection in suburban Quezon City today to protest Saturday's unsolved killing of Lean Alejandro, 27, secretary general of a leftist coalition called the New Patriotic Alliance.

Fighting between government forces and Communist rebels blocked rail service from Manila to southeastern Luzon and the military said it thwarted a plan to blow up a foreign freighter on Mindanao island.

Mrs. Aquino conferred Monday with Defense Secretary Rafael Ilo, Chief of Staff Gen. Fidel Ramos and other senior commanders. Afterward, the military announced that Brig. Gen. Ramon Montano, deputy chief of staff for operations, was named commander of the National Capital Regional Defense Command.

The command was established as an "anti-coup force" to control all armed forces units in the Manila area. The government is trying to strengthen

and streamline the Manila area armed forces so they can respond better to future coup attempts.

Before he was forced out last week, Aquino advisor Joker Arroyo had complained that Manila area forces failed to respond adequately to presidential orders to strike at mutineers holding radio and television stations during a failed coup last month.

The reshuffle included the replacement of the military's chief spokesman, Col. Honesto Isleta, who was accused of understating Mrs. Aquino's role in quelling the Aug. 28 coup attempt, which left at least 53 people dead and hundreds wounded.

He was replaced by Col. Oscar Florendo, the statement said. Ramos said other changes would be announced later. National Democratic Front said Alejandro's murder was a sign that leftists "threaten the entire reactionary classes and the U.S.-Aquino regime."

"The seeds of a provisional revolutionary government have begun to sprout in many areas of the countryside," the statement said.

Many Filipinos have accused the United States of pressuring Mrs. Aquino into granting the armed forces a greater role in national policy.

## Raid

possession charge, also a misdemeanor, carries a maximum \$200 fine.

B&J's owners, Ernest Lee Mathis Jr., 44, and Mary Mathis, 46, both of 112 W. Albert St., also were arrested and taken directly to the Gray County Jail on charges of possession of alcoholic beverages with intent to resell.

The ABC's McCarthy said the couple may also be charged with selling alcoholic beverages without a permit. Both charges carry

a \$100 to \$1,000 fine and up to a year in jail.

McCarthy said charges against the couple will be turned over to County Attorney Bob McPherson.

Eberz said ABC surveillance of the restaurant began Thursday night, and an agent observed "a significant amount of drinking going on" after hours, three nights in a row.

The chief said he supports the after-hours drinking laws.

"If you don't keep controls on the consumption of alcohol, you can't control the problem," he said. "You're going to have a free-for-all if you don't."

Those arrested on the after-hours drinking charges were: Sherry Lorraine Barnett, 37, 1214 E. Francis; Margaret Andrea Green, 21, 620 N. Zimmers; Carmen Renee Stone, 24, 529 Naida;

Randy Burl Perry, 32, 510 Elm; Rebecca Ellen Johnston, 31, 212 E. Thut; Clyde C. Sirtes, 24, 1029 Huff Road; Willie D. Mills, 47, 1053 Huff Road; Jerry Lynn Norwood, 22, 404 N. Gray; Mike DeWayne Cox, 23, 1160 Prairie Drive; Henry Lee Williams, 28, 1040 Huff Road; Donnie K. Nickleberry, 32, 1137 Varnon Drive; Charles Edwin Shelton Jr., 39, 2120 Coffee; Manuel Moreno, 31, 807 E. Craven; and William Major Johnson, 58, 1068 Prairie Drive.

Arrested on both the after-hours and minor in possession charges were:

Mary Lou Noel, 17, 612 Hazel; Missy Taylor, 17, 612 Hazel; Lana Renee Manry, 18, 1307 Coffee; Rick Villarreal, 19, 1109 S. Hobart; Ethan Wayne Hutchinson, 20, Route 1; and Keith Lee Lambright, 18, 1616 N. Zimmers.

## Planning critical for community's lifeblood

By BOB HART  
 Pampa City Manager

Economic development planning is critical to the lifeblood of any community and region.

Although the Pampa Chamber of Commerce and Pampa Industrial Foundation have taken the lead through the TEXCEL program with support from the city, county and school, many programs continue to be channeled through the city government.

The Texas Capital Fund is one such program. The Texas Capital Fund was recently created to help improve the Texas economy. The fund will provide \$13.7 million to encourage business development or expansion and to assist in local infrastructure that support private economic development.

The City Commission will conduct a public hearing concerning potential projects under the Texas Capital Fund at 6 p.m. Tuesday in the City Commission Room of City Hall.

Among the projects that are eligible include real property acquisition, new construction or rehabilitation of commercial or industrial facilities, the purchase of machinery and equipment and/or working capital.

The minimum grant is \$50,000, with a maximum of \$500,000.

Each project must create or retain jobs for Texans.

The fund serves as a grant to the city, which in turn loans the money for a specific business or industry (either new or expanding project) in or around Pampa. The loan is then repaid to the city and converted to a revolving loan fund.

The loan fund will then support the efforts of the chamber of commerce or industrial foundation.

I would certainly encourage you to attend the public hearing tomorrow evening. If you have any questions concerning the Texas Capital Fund, please call Bruce Barton at the chamber at 669-3241 or me, Bob Hart, at 665-8481.

## City Briefs

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

**SEAFARERS INN**, 2841 Perryton Pkwy. Tuesday Special - Quiche Lorraine or Fried Oysters. 665-6442. Adv.

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

**REVIVAL SERVICES** nightly, twice Sunday through all this week. First Church of the Nazarene, Pampa, 7 p.m.

## Weather focus

**LOCAL FORECAST**

A slight chance of isolated evening thunderstorms tonight, otherwise fair with lows in the upper 40s and light and variable winds. Tuesday mostly sunny, high in the mid 70s, with south winds 5 to 10 mph. High Sunday, 81; overnight low, 47. Pampa received 1.21 inches of precipitation during the 24-hour period ending at 6 a.m.

**REGIONAL FORECASTS**  
 By The Associated Press

West Texas — Isolated showers and a few thunderstorms tonight. Becoming fair most sections by late tonight. Some early morning cloudiness mainly east Tuesday otherwise sunny. Lows tonight 49 Panhandle to 59 southeast and mid 60s Big Bend valleys. Highs Tuesday 74 Panhandle to 83 far west and lower 90s Big Bend.

North Texas — Widely scattered showers or thunderstorms area wide tonight lingering over the south sections Tuesday morning. Skies becoming mostly sunny area wide by Tuesday afternoon. Highs Tuesday ranging from the upper 70s to the mid 80s. Lows tonight ranging from the mid 50s to around 60.

South Texas — Partly cloudy to occasionally cloudy. A good chance of thunderstorms south and a slight chance upper coast and west through Tuesday. A slight chance of thunderstorms north tonight and Tuesday. A little cooler Tuesday. Lows tonight upper 50s Hill Country to 70s south, 60s elsewhere.

The Accu-Weather® forecast for 8 A.M., Tuesday, September 22

50 40 40

DRY CLEAR SHOWERS

60 70 60

PARTLY CLOUDY COOL SHOWERS

70 70 70

FRONTS: Warm Cold Stationary

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Highs Tuesday in the 80s except near 80 Hill Country and 60s elsewhere.

**EXTENDED FORECASTS Wednesday through Friday**  
 West Texas — Partly cloudy to cloudy with scattered thunderstorms or rain far west and Panhandle Wednesday and over much of area Thursday and Friday. temperatures a little below normal. Panhandle and South Plains: Highs 70s, lows 50s. Permian Basin and Concho Valley: Highs upper 70s to mid-80s, lows 50s. Far west: Highs 80s, lows 50s. Big Bend: Highs 70s mountains to 80s lowlands and along the river, lows mostly 50s.

North Texas — No significant rainfall expected. Mild days and cool nights. Highs 70s Wednesday and mid-70s to mid-80s Thursday and Friday, lows lower 50s to lower 60s.

South Texas — Fair skies with cool nights and mild days Wednesday through Friday. Highs 80s except around 90 inland south Thursday and Fri-

**BORDER STATES**

Oklahoma — Cool with scattered thunderstorms statewide this afternoon and early evening. Sunny and mild Tuesday. Highs 70s Tuesday. Lows tonight 50s.

New Mexico — Increasing cloudiness and cooler with a chance for showers and thundershowers eastern plains and eastern slopes central mountain chain through tonight. Mostly cloudy east Tuesday with a slight chance of showers southeast. Partly cloudy and slightly cooler daytime temperatures west through Tuesday with a slight chance for afternoon and evening showers and thundershowers mountains and southwest. Highs Tuesday 60s to near 70 mountains and northeast with 70s to low 80s elsewhere. Lows tonight 30s to mid 40s mountains and northeast with upper 40s and 50s elsewhere.

# Texas/Regional

## South Texans hoping for share of baron's will

**BENAVIDES (AP)** — Residents in this shrinking Duval County oil town are spending money to join would-be heirs to the fortune of a Brazilian land baron.

Armed with birth records and family trees, hundreds of local families have filed claims to a share of the estimated \$12 billion fortune of 19th century Brazilian Domingos Faustino Correa who died in 1873.

Many are spending more than \$150 to claim what they dream may rescue them from the dilapidation of this town about 70 miles east of Laredo.

"Opportunity only comes around once, and if you don't grab hold of it, it's never coming back," Rudy Couling, an ex-oil field worker who operates of a small convenience store at the edge of

town, told the San Antonio Light.

In Brazil, the details of Correa's life are local legend — how he shot one of his brothers in a dispute over land, married a millionairess, acquired scores of plantations and thousands of acres of virgin land and earned the gratitude of Emperor Dom Pedro II for setting up slaughterhouses to feed the troops during the country's five-year war with Paraguay.

But the biographical fact residents in this town are banking on is the report that Correa stipulated no member of his family have any part of his estate for 100 years.

Though childless himself, Correa's brothers and sisters, whom he loathed, were prolific. His eight siblings had 68 children, many of whom enjoyed equal-

ly large families.

Interest in the fortune was sparked by a 1977 advertisement in an Argentine newspaper that said "If your last name is Correa, \$4 million is waiting for you in Brazil."

Couling did not see the ad. But the tabloid article it inspired a decade later included a half-dozen related surnames, including Oliveira, which is common to many Benavides families.

Couling passed the information along to a distant cousin named Grace Oliveira Bridges, well-known for her knowledge of the family tree.

Ms. Bridges, like most of the heirs, is reluctant to speak openly on the matter. She said she has held meetings attended by as many as 1,200 heirs and that 500 of them — some living as near as the Val-

ley and San Antonio, some as far away as Hawaii and Philadelphia — have decided to risk the investment.

Claimants pay \$150 to Ms. Bridges as well as the attorney fee. The money is intended for expenses she incurs in traveling to Brazil to deliver documents (she has gone twice) and meetings held throughout the state with heirs.

Some heirs, who spoke on the condition of anonymity, complained that the fee is too much. But Ms. Bridges dismissed the complaints as the ill will of a few troublemakers.

Despite the legal difficulties, families in Benavides keep the faith. The older claimants talk about what the fortune could mean for their children. The younger ones imagine a life free of worry about how they can squeeze a living

out of the meager cities and parched wastes of South Texas.

"You can count me as one of the believers, and you can quote me on that," said potential heir Fernando Caballero, a former mayor of Benavides, now the county tax assessor-collector. "I think it's going to come about. I am very, very confident."

Upon his 1873 death, Correa's vast landholdings in southern Brazil were turned over to government-appointed administrators. As the years passed, much of the land was developed. Two cities were built on top of it. Selling the land now, in accordance with probate law, would involve either removing thousands of businessmen and families or forcing them to pay to stay.

## Newspaper fighting mistaken identity

**ARLINGTON** — The owner of a newspaper that uses ad sales to help unemployed veterans complained that some businesses are pulling their advertisements because his publication is being confused with one under investigation by the U.S. Postal Service.

Johnnie Jaynes founded the "Veterans News" four months ago to print veteran-related news and help jobless veterans.

But advertisers have erroneously linked the local quarterly with the "Veterans News Digest," which the U.S. Postal Service alleges has billed small businesses in several states for unsolicited ads that never ran in any publication, Jaynes said.

The "Veterans News Digest" is owned by Paul Necessary of Conyers, Ga.

"Business people thought it was me doing this, and some have stopped placing ads," said Jaynes, who solicits contributions and \$10-\$20 ads to finance his newspaper. "Even though I do all I say I do, they are afraid that I could be bogus and lying."

The 28-year-old ex-Marine said he distributed 9,000 copies of the first edition on Sept. 10 for free, but the \$700 printing cost and food purchases for veterans consumed all the pro-

ceeds from ads.

"People are now reluctant to buy an ad," he said. "I'm being hurt, and so are a lot of hungry veterans because of this other outfit."

Necessary has been unavailable for comment since postal authorities won a court order on Sept. 10 temporarily stopping incoming mail to his Dallas mail-drop. His wife, however, said her husband has done nothing wrong.

The Postal Service initiated its investigation last month after Jaynes reported receiving numerous complaints contending that he had wrongly billed the businesses for \$47-\$87 ads, Ms. Broussard said.

Jaynes said the complaints began shortly after he listed his business number with the telephone company and directory-assistance operators erroneously gave the "Veterans News" number to callers seeking the other publication.

But Jaynes said the mistaken identity won't force him to give up a dream realized after years of thinking about ways to help fellow veterans.

Cookie Rogers, executive secretary for the

newly formed Veterans Council of Tarrant County, described Jaynes as a "guardian angel" who tries to help anyone in need.

The Veterans Council, made up of veterans associations and organizations in Tarrant County, has endorsed Jaynes' newspaper, Mrs. Rogers said. The paper also is a member of the council, she said.

Jaynes' newspaper is distributed free, but discussions are under way to accept 10-cent donations, which the Veterans Council would use to pay utility bills and buy non-perishable food for veterans facing hard times, she said.

Jaynes recently used his own money to buy bread, milk and other food items for a family who had nothing but a jug of water in their refrigerator, ice in the freezer and saltines and a half-pound of red beans in the pantry, Mrs. Rogers said.

Jaynes also is a mechanic and often repairs broken-down cars for anyone in need of transportation to a Veterans Administration hospital, despite his own financial problems, she said.

Jaynes' wife is hospitalized for complications from pregnancy, and they live with his wife's grandparents to make ends meet.

## Brandley hearing could result in new trial

**CONROE (AP)** — Clarence Brandley, who returns today to the courthouse where he was sentenced to die six years ago for the rape-slaying of a teen-ager, is hoping for a third trial to get him off death row.

Brandley, who turns 36 this week, was convicted of killing 16-year-old Cheryl Ferguson. He has had two execution dates, both of them stayed.

His case has triggered allegations of racial discrimination and demonstrations by Brandley supporters, who claim the only reason he was convicted and sentenced to death was because he is black and the victim was white.

Defense attorneys, who already have succeeded in getting a visiting judge assigned to the case, also want this week's evidentiary hearing moved from Montgomery County. They contend Brandley can't get a fair hearing in the county directly north of Houston.

County prosecutors have said they would oppose such a request.

Brandley was one of several janitors working at Conroe High School Aug. 23, 1980 when Miss Ferguson was found raped and strangled.

He was the only black man among them, however, and his attorneys contend he was singled out because of his race.

The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals in July granted this week's hearing, saying issues raised by defense attorneys three months earlier should be reviewed in court. A key issue is a claim that statements from two former janitors — fellow workers — should clear Brandley.

Last week, Texas Attorney General Jim Mattox said a months-long inquiry of the case by his office determined that any new evidence uncovered was inconclusive as to Brandley's guilt or innocence.

Mattox refused to release the actual report except to prosecutors and defense attorneys.

"Some new evidence was found, but it would not be considered clear and convincing evidence of Mr. Brandley's guilt or innocence," Mattox said.

The attorney general did say he favored moving the case out of Montgomery County.

Brandley was convicted by an all-white jury on circumstantial evidence. Defense attorneys insist prosecutors never pursued leads which would have cleared him.

Brandley, who in recent weeks has declined requests for interviews on death row, has said in the past he was skeptical of the Mattox probe, calling it a smokescreen.

"They all work together," he said. "This whole ordeal is that no one wants to admit that what happened was wrong."

"I don't have anything to hide," he said. "I'd much rather be retried. I think there's still a lot of doubt in many people's minds."

Miss Ferguson was manager of the Belleville High School volleyball team, which traveled 60 miles to Conroe for a Saturday morning scrimmage. She was noticed missing shortly after the team arrived.

Two hours later, she was found dead. Brandley and another janitor said they found her body while searching a storage loft above a stage in the school auditorium.

Brandley was arrested within a week and charged with her slaying. His first trial ended in a hung jury, 11-1 for conviction, with the lone dissenter opposed to the death penalty. A second jury deliberated 85 minutes before convicting him and took 65 minutes to decide he should be put to death.

## Two dead, one jailed following motel shooting

**BLANCO (AP)** — Two San Antonio men are dead and another jailed following a shooting at a motel in an apparent robbery attempt, authorities say.

Blanco County Sheriff Holton Burleson said Sunday that the San Antonio men were shot to death while apparently attempting to rob a Houston couple who were staying in a motel room.

Killed in the Saturday night shooting were Ronald M. Flores, 24, and Joe A. Nuncio, 24, Burleson said.

Richard G. Nuncio, 17, was arrested on two charges in connection with possession of a weapon, and other charges were pending, the sheriff said.

Nuncio, brother of Joe A. Nuncio, was being held without bond in Comal County Jail

Sunday night.

Herbert Cameron, 50, and his wife, Marilyn, 38, of Kingswood, near Houston, had checked into the Mobley Motel in Blanco about 5:30 p.m. Saturday, authorities said.

The couple told authorities they were in Blanco looking at land.

Burleson said that about 10 p.m. there was a knock on the door. Cameron opened it, "and three people pushed the door open."

Cameron apparently staggered backwards and grabbed his gun from the night stand near the bed, the sheriff said.

"When he reached for his gun, the shoot-out started," he said, adding that the case still was under investigation to determine who shot first.

When authorities arrived, they found

Flores dead outside the motel room door, he said.

Flores was shot several times in his head, chest and abdomen. His body was taken to the Travis County medical examiner's office.

Cameron was shot twice in the stomach and rushed to Brackenridge Hospital in Austin, where he was listed in stable condition late Sunday.

His wife, who ducked between the bed and the wall to avoid the hail of bullets, escaped injury, Burleson said.

Joe Nuncio, who was shot in his chest, fled in a pickup truck with another man. They stopped at a convenience store about 12 miles south on U.S. Highway 281 to ask the attendant to call for medical help.



Wilson begins 8-foot drop.

## Man re-enacts hanging, survives 8-foot fall in self-made gallows

**GIDDINGS (AP)** — Handcuffed, 67-year-old Woodrow Wilson climbed up the stairs to the gallows where his great-uncle, a murderer and an outlaw, was executed 109 years ago in a public hanging.

Sunday afternoon, as a crowd of about 100 people watched, one man covered Wilson's head with a black hood and secured the noose. Another chopped the rope that held the trap door shut.

The crowd was silent as they watched Wilson plummet eight feet through the trap door and dangle off the ground, hanging by his neck.

Then a cheer broke out — as Wilson announced that he was OK.

"I'm alive," Wilson said. "I did it the way Bill Longley did."

Longley was Wilson's great-uncle. Official records showed that Longley was hanged in

Giddings in 1878 for murdering at least 32 people.

But Wilson, who owns a flea market near Giddings, has long felt differently.

Wilson, whose grandfather married Longley's sister, said he and a cousin researched the case and concluded that the outlaw escaped death by bribing a sheriff and using a body harness like the one Wilson used Sunday.

He said Longley fled to Louisiana, where he died 41 years after he was supposed to have been hanged.

Wilson prepared for the hanging with simulated runs, from a three-foot drop. He said the body harness he wore, concealed under his clothing, was similar to mountain-climbing equipment. The harness had two metal hooks to attach to the noose.

Wilson suffered cuts behind his ears from rope burns.

## Dallas leads nation in car phone use

**DALLAS (AP)** — Dallas is the nation's top market for car phones with the highest percentage of cellular telephones in any major U.S. metropolitan area, an industry analyst says.

As of March 31, there were 38,000 car phone subscribers in Dallas, up from 22,000 in January, economist Herschel Shosteck said. The 64 percent increase happened with two of cellular's largest user groups — construction and real estate — in major decline, he said.

"It proves what people have always thought — that Dallas would be cellular's ideal city," said Shosteck, whose Silver Spring, Md., firm tracks the cellular phone industry.

Cellular service is offered in 129 U.S. cities, and its customer base accounts for about 1 percent of the population. But the base could grow as high as 7 percent, analysts say.

Dallas's cellular penetration rate is 1.09 percent, making it the only top 10 market to break the 1 percent barrier, Shosteck told the Dallas Times Herald.

Cellular phones pass radio signals between transmitter "cells" as a car moves through the city. Car phones account for the bulk of sales, but hand-held portables and portables stored in briefcases are gaining popularity as they're made smaller and lighter, Shosteck said.

Nationwide, the cellular industry expects to have more than 1 million customers by the end of the year, up from 655,000 a year ago, he said.

The two companies that provide the cellular network for Dallas say they've only scratched the surface of the market.

"We could triple our size in the next five years," said Dan Yost, president of MetroCell Cellular Telephone Co., which activated its network in March 1986.

Sales professionals, construction crew chiefs and service company executives are obvious target markets, but companies also want to attract casual users.

"We're in the unusual position of trying to down-scale our image," said John Stupka, chief executive officer for Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems, which began providing cellular service to Dallas in mid-1984. "We've got to persuade people they don't have to be affluent to have a cellular phone."

The lowest-priced phones sell for an average of \$1,071, down from \$2,628 in 1983, Shosteck said. By 1990, technology advances and competition among more than 15 phone manufacturers are expected to force phone prices below \$500, he said.

Both companies in Dallas lease car phones at less than \$30 a month. Air-time fees are 38 cents per minute during prime time, which is 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Casual users can keep their monthly bill around \$50, Stupka said. The average monthly rate among all Southwestern Bell cellular customers is \$130, he said.

But some professionals pay much more. Kay Flynn, a real estate agent, said she spends nearly \$300 a month for air time.

"I couldn't live without it now," Ms. Flynn said. "I show three times the number of houses, and one commission pays the cost for the whole year."

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Louise Fletcher  
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## Opinion

### Keep Soviet bombs off U.S. territory

A Soviet nuclear bomb might soon explode in America — if the Reagan administration doesn't reject a Soviet arms "control" proposal that Dr. Strangelove would have admired.

A while back American arms-control officials proposed that a Cortex seismic monitoring device be installed in the Soviet Union. All right, Soviet military official Nikolai F. Cervov said; and you can even explode a nuclear bomb nearby to make sure it works. In return we want to plant our own monitoring device in America, and explode a Soviet bomb to check it.

American arms-control advocates have already begun chanting the wonders of this Soviet proposal. But the whole idea is an outrage.

Under no circumstances should America allow the Soviets to explode a nuclear bomb on our free soil; nor should we let the Kremlin set up monitoring teams here. This is simply a matter of national sovereignty.

That's reason enough to say *nyet* to this scheme. But Max M. Kampelman, chief U.S. negotiator at the arms-control talks in Geneva, said the Kremlin proposal is a "new thought" worth looking into. Let's hope he's only expressing politeness. If not, then Kampelman and our other negotiators obviously need new instructions from Ronald Reagan.

Are other reasons needed for rejecting the Soviet proposal? Well, here are two. First, the proposal is unnecessary. We already can monitor Soviet nuclear tests with reasonable accuracy. And future technological developments will improve matters, without letting the Soviets explode bombs in America.

Second, America is shifting to a strategy that relies more on defensive weapons: The Strategic Defense Initiative. And underground nuclear tests are essential to developing some high-energy defense weapons. Ah — that's the real reason behind the Kremlin proposal. They want to kill SDI.

Indeed, it may be that the Soviets, using underground nuclear tests, have already made great technological breakthroughs, and don't want the United States to discover them independently. In other words, the Soviets want to keep developing their own Red Star Wars strategic defense, on which they already have a long lead, while tricking the United States into killing SDI.

Moreover, development of SDI would thwart another Soviet strategic aim: The ongoing deployment of a first-strike intercontinental missile force. A deployed SDI would be able to shoot down many — though not all — of the Soviets' new SS-24 and SS-25 mobile missiles. Since these new nukes can be easily hidden in the Soviet Union's vast spaces, there's no way America can halt their deployment, even the paper arms "control" agreements.

Therefore, letting the Soviets explode nuclear bombs here would mean we first would give up part of our independence, then make ourselves vulnerable to a full-scale Soviet nuclear attack.

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## Schools churn out ignoramuses

WASHINGTON — Who was Gulliver? Who was Achilles, and why was his heel important? Who was Midas and what was memorable about his touch?

Don't ask the typical 11th-grade student in American schools. Don't ask this student about Richard Wright, Jane Addams, Henrik Ibsen or Henry James. Some of our high school students might tell you that J.P. Morgan, of all people, was the first president of the American Federation of Labor. Forty percent of them have a vague notion that World War I was waged prior to 1900. Brace yourself: One more stunning report on the inadequacy of American education is at hand.

This is *What Do Our 17-Year-Olds Know?* by Diane Ravitch and Chester E. Finn Jr. She teaches at Columbia Teachers College; he is an assistant secretary of education. Their report is based upon the findings of a national study of 11th-graders. The object was to assess the students' knowledge of history and literature. As it turned out, the students' knowledge was deplorably poor.

The Ravitch-Finn report comes on the heels of other devastating critiques of American education. In the spring of 1983 a commission on educational excellence produced *A Nation at Risk*, with its stunning exposure of the thin broth that is served by most of our local school systems. More recently we have heard from Professor E.D. Hirsch on our cultural illiteracy and from Professor Allan Bloom on the deterioration of higher education. Last month brought a blockbuster from the National Endowment for the Humanities. The conclusions are identical: Our schools, for the most part, are squandering our inheritance of the past. The typical 11th-grader, culturally speaking, is an ignoramus.



James J. Kilpatrick

Some students and some schools, of course, do well. That ought to go without saying. Overall, the findings arouse sorrow and kindle resentment. This year America will spend more than \$300 billion on education at every level. Is the nation getting a fair return on that investment? The answer, bluntly, is, no.

In their book, Ravitch and Finn review the findings of a test administered by the National Assessment of Educational Progress in the spring of 1986. The test was given to a statistically valid sample of 7,812 students across the nation. On 141 questions having to do with history, only 54.4 percent provided correct answers. On 121 questions dealing with literature, the rate was 51.8 percent. If we assume that a score of less than 60 percent on an examination means failure, our students are flunking badly.

The picture probably is much worse than those figures would suggest. Questions were posed with four or five multiple-choice answers. It was not possible for a participant to check "Don't know," which meant that many scores were improved by guesswork. Skipped or unanswered questions were not counted as wrong answers. The test questions might fairly be de-

scribed as easy questions. They required no analysis, interpretations or calculation. Virtually all of the questions about history dealt with American history, a subject most of the 11th-graders were taking.

Not even half the students knew that Jefferson's presidential term was between 1800 and 1820. Barely half could place Franklin Roosevelt in the 1930s. More than two-thirds of the students had not even a foggy notion of when the Civil War was waged. The good news, if so it may be described, is that 80 percent had heard of George Washington and could place his presidency within 20 years.

This was a question in the portion on literature: "Aesop is best known for having written (a) fables, (b) dramas, (c) proverbs or (d) epic poetry." Not quite two-thirds of the students got it right. Asked if King Solomon was famous for his courage, frugality, eccentricity or wisdom, 39 percent flunked. Half of the students evidently knew nothing of the *Iliad*, nothing of *Don Quixote*, nothing of Shakespeare's *Julius Caesar*. Four out of five had at least a nodding acquaintance with *Robinson Crusoe* and *Huckleberry Finn*. That is about the best that could be said.

All in all, the authors conclude, the examination turned up "a shameful level of performance." American 17-year-olds, they emphasize, are not stupid or apathetic. This younger generation is not "going to the dogs."

"We merely conclude that it is ignorant of important things that it should know, and that it and generations to follow are at risk of being gravely handicapped by that ignorance upon entry into adulthood, citizenship and parenthood." Let us read that "mere" conclusion, and weep.

## Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Monday, Sept. 21, the 264th day of 1987. There are 101 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On Sept. 21, 1897, the *New York Sun* ran an editorial that answered a question from 8-year-old Virginia O'Hanlon: "Is there a Santa Claus?"

Francis P. Church wrote: "Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy."

On this date: In 1792, the French National Convention voted to abolish the monarchy.

In 1866, English novelist H.G. Wells was born in Bromley, Kent.

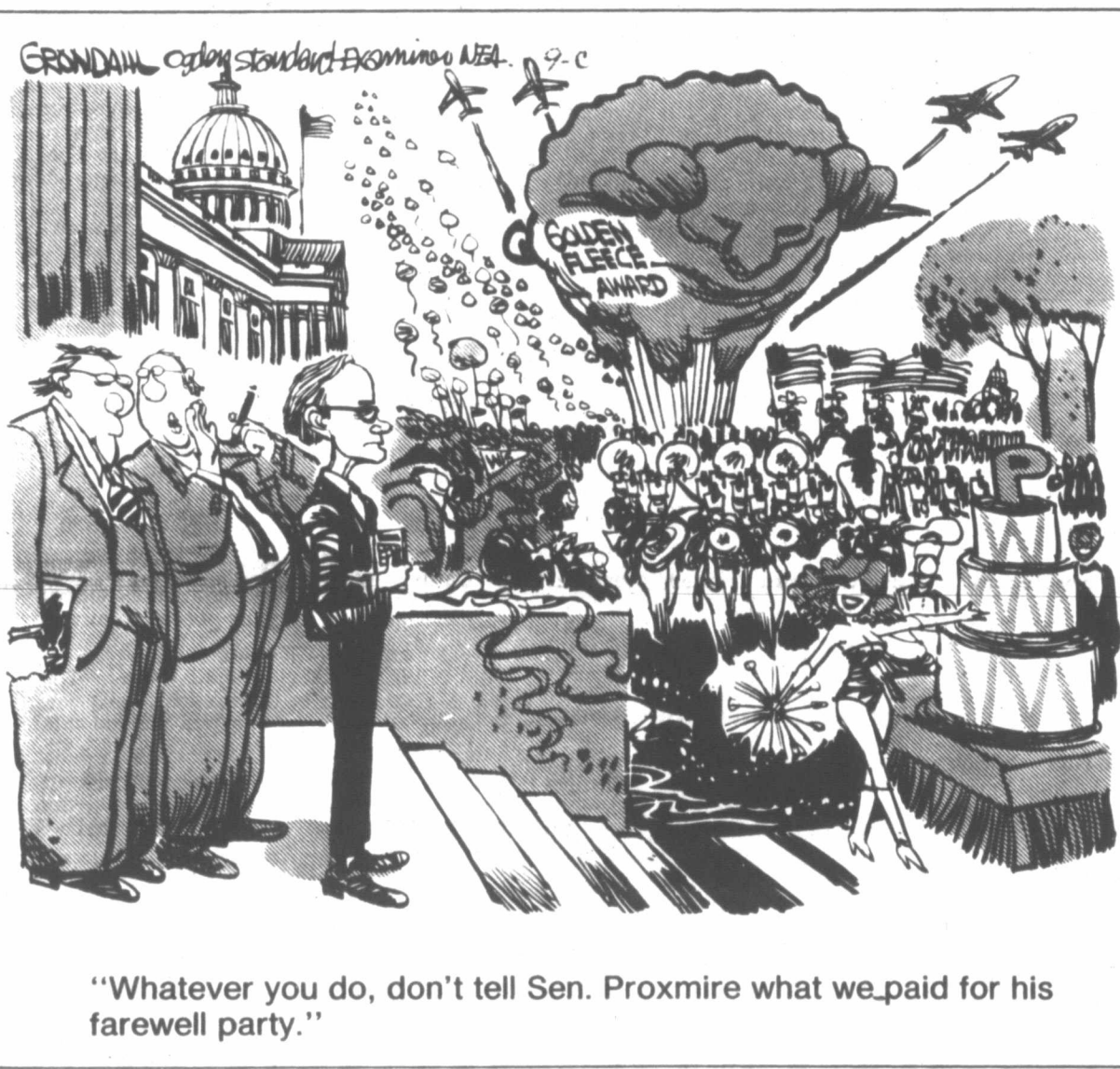
In 1931, Britain went off the gold standard.

In 1937, *The Hobbit*, by J.R.R. Tolkien, was first published.

In 1938, a severe hurricane struck parts of New York and New England, causing widespread damage and claiming nearly 700 lives.

In 1949, the People's Republic of China was proclaimed by its Communist leaders.

In 1957, the television series "Perry Mason," based on a character by Erle Stanley Gardner, and starring Raymond Burr, made its debut on CBS.



"Whatever you do, don't tell Sen. Proxmire what we paid for his farewell party."

## Cancer victim comforts others

In Ladysmith, Va., Gretel Ailen went to the doctor complaining of various physical problems and extreme weakness. The first diagnosis was "allergy."

Four different doctors told her she was "allergic" — until Gretel grew too weak to walk. Then, at Richmond Memorial Hospital they diagnosed cancer.

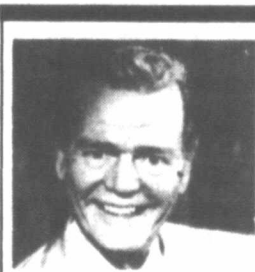
Gretel was dumbstruck. Though there were physicians in her family, sickness was always something that happened to somebody else. She's heard the Cancer Society's "seven warning signs" but had never thought they were meant for her.

Gretel, unmarried and just turned 30, was devastated.

The lymph cancer had already metastasized; there were tumors in her shoulder, her chest and her stomach.

She had "maybe six months."

Her body became weaker and sicker. Ensuing weeks included painful tests and treatments; radiation treatments that made her throat burn



Paul Harvey

so much she could hardly eat. Her long hair began to fall out from the chemotherapy.

When Gretel looked in the mirror, a bald and bloated stranger was looking back at her.

But then Gretel was visited by a volunteer from the American Cancer Society — herself a cancer patient in remission. And that day Gretel decided to fight — for her life.

If her life was to be foreshortened she would make each day count. And, she prayed, if her life was to be extended she would give any added

time to helping other victims of cancer.

She made a needlepoint picture with the words THINK POSITIVE; she carried that with her when she went for treatments.

Eight long months after her diagnosis, the chemo treatments were completed. Her malignancy was in remission.

Now, Gretel was promised, her hair would start growing out and she would be herself again.

She is.

It was almost eight years ago that they thought she had only six months to live. Today Gretel is entirely well, married to a farmer. They have a beautiful, perfectly healthy baby girl.

And she kept her prayer promise. Gretel now reports each day to the Cancer Center of Virginia, there to counsel cancer patients and their families. Some she teaches about fashion and makeup — and coping. And she teaches needlepoint.

And to fight!

## Our baby's clock runs faster than mine

By Sarah Overstreet

Just when I thought it was safe to uncover my ears again, Kathleen and Sydney Campbell of Derbyshire, England decide to have a baby.

As I round the corner toward 36, I'd about convinced myself that the ticking I heard was my middle-aged heart — and not my biological clock. Now the Campbells, both aged 55, tell me I could have as many as 20 more years of fertility left.

My ob-gyn will be thrilled. His beeper can pull him away from the senior center's free hot lunch to come deliver my baby.

Seriously, I'd conceded the baby race just this very year when my 35-year-old best friend had the baby both of us had talked about for the last five years. Graciously, she granted that Drew would be "our baby" and that I could share in his life's events just as if he were mine. Even more graciously, she didn't insist I share a moment of the 12-hour labor, the C-section or the constant milk leakage on her

blouses.

But after having spent five days with the 6-month-old, 22-pound "our baby," I'm convinced the Campbells have rocks in their heads. I can still run five miles and dance at least until the bars close, but I'm good for about 15 minutes with a 6-month-old.

Don't get me wrong — "our baby" is the cutest thing I've ever seen. He plays ducky-wucky in the bath and places hickies upon the chins of adults who get in the way of his mouth. He also mews every five minutes if a breast isn't being stuck into his fat mouth, spits up all over your shoulder, and screams every time his mother and I get to a juicy part of a long-postponed conversation.

And since the Campbells aren't quite old enough to retire, they'll be in the same day-care dilemma my friend and her husband are. My friends, who are attorneys, looked over several day-schools in between long days at the office and in court, and finally settled on one that gives

daily report cards ("Oooooohhh, Drew sucked a BANANA today!" one teacher told us, waving her hands like a helicopter trying to take off) and doesn't believe in playpens.

That means "our baby," who is already starting to propel himself along the floor much like Patrick Duffy cut the water in "The Man from Atlantis," will soon have the run of the house. I wouldn't dare suggest they buy one of the cursed child-prisons. I just hope they don't plan on leaving whatever room "our baby" is exploring for a year or so.

(I made a small scene at the school when I refused to put on surgical booties to tour the school, but was forgiven when I explained that the pain of my childlessness had made me unreasonable. It was easier to say that than admit to being a curmudgeon, especially when "our baby" would be crawling all over the germs brought in by my nasty Nike high-tops.)

In short, after five days of almost-motherhood, I was sure 35 is too old

for me to be having a baby, and darn sure 55 is. I was never so happy to see the back end of anything as I was "our baby's" bald head going in the day-school door on the morning I left. And I LOVE "our baby" and still think he's the cutest thing I've ever seen. But his mother and I had a full 30 minutes on the way to the airport to talk about anything we wanted to, including him, without him mewling, inching off his floor mat and bonging his head on the hardwood floor, or sucking on one of our chins. It was heaven.

He is without a doubt the most wonderful child God ever allowed to suck a banana. It's just a matter of internal time clocks (not to be confused with biological clocks). His clock is set about 30 minutes faster than mine, and I'm afraid that gap would widen the older we both became.

Good luck, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell. I sincerely wish you well. Just don't take the baby to the free hot lunch. If there's one thing that can really spoil bingo, it's a kid squawling.

## Berry's World



"Pity ain't it? I have plenty of time and no money, an' YOU have plenty of money an' no time."

# Nation

## Army shifts focus of recruitment advertisements

WASHINGTON (AP) — Army recruiters, facing a dwindling pool of potential applicants and increased competition from the private sector, are running new ads that stress character virtues instead of excitement and high-tech weaponry.

And some of the other services, struggling with the same problems, have, like the Army, hired new ad agencies and may also be modifying their recruiting campaigns, Pentagon and ad industry officials say.

Young & Rubicam, a major Madison Avenue ad agency, won the \$100 million

Army ad contract earlier this year, inheriting the "Be all you can be" campaign, which was widely regarded in the ad industry as extraordinarily successful.

Army Maj. Greg Rixon describes the new campaign as "evolutionary rather than revolutionary."

In Young & Rubicam's first Army ad, previewed earlier this summer, the "Be all you can be" theme is retained, but gone is the old tag line "Find your future in the Army." In its place is "Get an edge on life," a slogan that will be retained in two more Y&R ads now

being tested and scheduled for release in January, according to William Green, senior vice president at the agency.

Green said ad executives, in an attempt to "provide added rationale and reason for the youth of America to consider the Army as an option," are trying to move beyond the single-focus Army ads that told of the high-tech training and excitement the military provides.

The new ads, he said, will portray the Army "as a place where the youth can learn about those kinds of qualities that

will contribute ultimately to their long-term success in life" like self-discipline, maturity and character.

The company's first Army ad is a far cry from the fast-paced ads that boasted "We do more before 9 a.m. than most people do all day." The new ad portrays a young serviceman patrolling the Berlin Wall.

"The way I see it, the world's a tough place, and to succeed you need every little edge you can get," the soldier says. "That's why I joined the Army. Oh, not just for the college money they're giving me, but for something

else that's gonna help me stick to it through the whole four years. ... These three years didn't just get me ready for college, they got me ready for life."

The "Sentry" ad also focused on the concept of giving something back to the country, but Green said in future ads "forays into societal benefits will be infrequent."

The selling job has grown increasingly difficult, Green said.

"The population base of the prime recruiting age is shrinking," he said. "We're looking for a very difficult and elusive target in that 18 to 21 year old

## 'L.A. Law,' and 'Promise' head longest Emmy show

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — NBC's hot series "L.A. Law" and a poignant CBS movie about mental illness and responsibility, "Promise," shared top honors in the longest and wordiest Emmy Awards show in history.

Each won five awards Sunday night as the 39th annual prime-time Emmy Awards show on the new Fox Broadcasting service dragged on to 20 seconds short of four hours. It was the first time the show had left the big three networks.

"L.A. Law," Steven Bochco's slick ensemble show about a Los Angeles law firm, won Emmys for best drama series. Despite eight acting nominations, only guest star Alfre Woodard won an Emmy, as best guest performer in a drama series. It also won for Gregory Hoblit's directing, writing by Bochco and Terry Louise Fisher, and for art direction.

Hoblit called the show's success a fluke.

"It was a different area, an upscale, potentially stuffy law firm dealing with complex issues," he said. "We decided to make it as clear, concise and entertaining as possible, and we were surprised it did as well as it did."

NBC was once again the big winner, with 16 Emmys, plus 16 others in the craft categories handed out a week earlier for a total of 32. CBS got 11, plus four craft awards. ABC won four Emmys, plus 15 craft awards. PBS got eight Emmys, one went to a syndicated show. Fox did not win any.

"Promise," in which a carefree older brother is forced to care for his mentally ill brother, was named outstanding drama or comedy special. James Woods was named best lead actor in a miniseries or special for his role as the schizophrenic brother.

Piper Laurie won as best supporting actress for "Promise" and other Emmys went to director Glenn Jordan and writers Richard Friedenberg, Kenneth Blackwell and Tennyson Frierden.

NBC's "Golden Girls" won again as best comedy series, and one of its stars, Rue McClanahan, was named best lead actress. Director Terry Hughes also picked up an Emmy.

Michael J. Fox of NBC's "Family Ties" won for the second straight year as best lead actor in a comedy series, and Gary David Goldberg and Alan Uger won as best writers.

Gena Rowlands won as best lead actress in a miniseries or special for ABC's "The Betty Ford Story," which told of the former first lady's battle against drug abuse.

Bruce Willis, the irrepressible private eye on ABC's "Moonlighting," stuck out his tongue at the camera as he went to the stage to accept his Emmy as best lead actor in a drama series.

"I'd like to share this award with everyone on 'Moonlighting,'" he said, and included Al Pacino and the Three Stooges for good measure.

Sharon Gless picked up her second-straight Emmy as Christine Cagney on CBS's "Cagney & Lacey."

The Emmy for the outstanding miniseries went to NBC's "A Year in the Life."

Bonnie Bartlett collected her second Emmy as best supporting actress in a drama series for NBC's "St. Elsewhere."

The Emmys show had tributes to Fred Astaire by Mary Tyler Moore and Jackie Gleason by Audrey Meadows.

John Larroquette, the skirt-chasing prosecutor on NBC's "Night Court" won his third-straight Emmy as best supporting actor in a comedy series.

Jackee Harry won her first Emmy as best supporting actress in a comedy series for NBC's "227."

John Hillerman won his first Emmy after four tries as the stuffy major domo Jonathan Higgins on CBS's "Magnum, P.I."

Robin Williams won best individual performer in a variety or music program for CBS' "A Carol Burnett Special: Carol, Carl, Whoopi & Robin."

Britain's John Cleese was named best guest performer in a comedy series for NBC's "Cheers."

Dabney Coleman was named best supporting actor in a miniseries or special for ABC's "Sworn to Silence."

The 1987 Tony Awards on CBS was selected best variety, music or comedy program. CBS' "Cathy" was named best animated show.

Grant Tinker, who brought NBC from third place to first place during his tenure as chairman, received the Television Academy's Governor's Award.



James Woods, left, and James Garner hold their Emmy Awards Sunday night. Woods picked his up for Outstanding Lead Actor in a Mini Series or a Special for his role in CBS's "Promise." Garner won his as an Executive Producer for "Promise" which was named Outstanding Drama-Comedy Special.

## Train buff lives in rail car

MARION, Ill. (AP) — Not even the constant whistling of his "neighbors" bothers 70-year-old William Schreiber, who says he's living a boyhood fantasy in a 1912 railroad car.

"I first thought I could get myself a mobile home, and then I said to myself, 'Why not get the ultimate and buy the original mobile home,'" says Schreiber, who lives in the car with his German shepherd, Hexie.

"It just suits what I need. My living conditions, the way I like to live and the things I like to do," he said.

"I always liked trains."

For years, Schreiber collected model trains. But it wasn't until 1973 that Schreiber and two friends gave the real railroad business a go.

They founded the Crab Orchard & Egyptian Railroad in this Southern Illinois town of 15,000, starting off with a steam engine and some railroad cars.

The line ran sightseeing trips from a depot in downtown Marion, the company's headquarters, to the Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge.

But when that proved unprofitable, Schreiber

and company switched to diesel engines, providing a short-line railroad service for industry, particularly coal companies.

And in 1975, Schreiber, torn between moving into a mobile home or an apartment, opted for the 700-square-foot yellow and green rail car, which he bought from a private owner in Chicago for a price he wouldn't disclose.

"I wouldn't do it if it wasn't fun," Schreiber said of living in the rail car, parked at the company's headquarters.

There are advantages.

"Well, I don't have a yard to take care of. It's snug. There's plenty of room for me and the dog," Schreiber said of his home. "It's got everything I need."

And it does.

It's equipped with a living room, three bedrooms, two full bathrooms, a dining room and a kitchen. His home gets city water, and has gas and electric hookups and a telephone. A gas heater recently installed replaced the car's old coal heater.

## Newspaper: North makes \$40,000 real estate profit

CHICAGO (AP) — Independent Counsel Lawrence Walsh is examining records of a house sale that brought a \$40,000 profit to Oliver North about the time he told associates he needed money, a newspaper reported today.

Walsh also is investigating whether associates of the Marine lieutenant colonel set aside \$200,000 to give to his wife in case of death, the Chicago Tribune reported.

In May 1986, at the height of the secret sale of arms to Iran and the diversion of profits to the Contras, North sold a townhouse in Falls Church, Va., for \$115,120, the Tribune said.

The newspaper said North purchased the house for \$89,500 in August 1979, and held it after he bought his home in Great Falls, Va., for \$139,000 in July 1983.

The sale is significant because North's associates in the Contra-supply effort were arranging to install a \$16,000 security system at the Great Falls home, the newspaper said.

The Tribune said North's attorney, Brendan Sullivan, declined to discuss how the former National Security Council aide spent the money from the house sale and why he didn't use part of it to pay for the security system.

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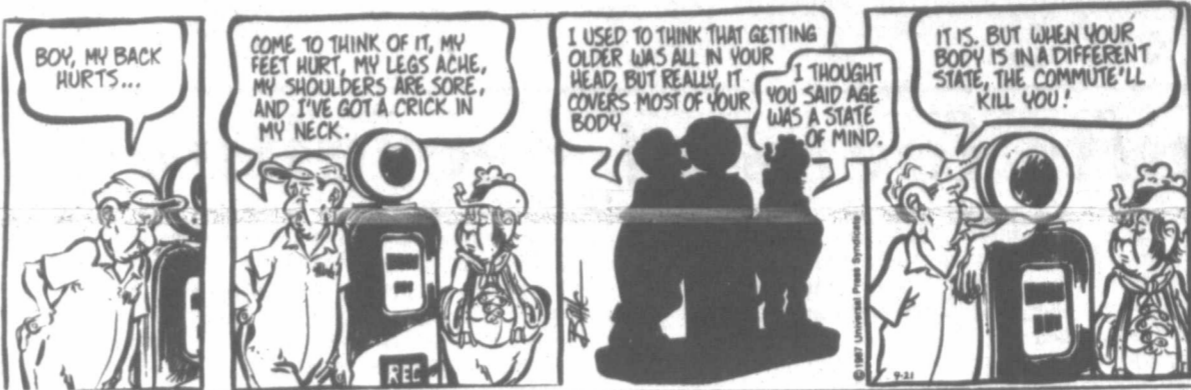
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  - 18 Mail
  - 19 Identifications
  - 21 Full of (suff.)
  - 22 "A" "apple"
  - 25 French shooting contest
  - 27 Dr. Hyde
  - 30 Gams
  - 33 Mrs. Peron
  - 34 Cry of pain
  - 36 Biblical prophet
  - 37 Headgear
  - 39 High cards
  - 41 Bank payment (abbr.)
  - 42 Release
  - 44 Actress
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  - 47 Gravel ridges
  - 48 TV accessory (abbr.)
  - 50 Mail center
  - 52 Identify
  - 56 Buckeye State
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  - 61 Accustomed
  - 62 Capable of (2 wds.)
  - 63 Last letter
  - 64 Cooking fat
  - 65 Carriage
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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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- 14 Sault
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- 18 Biblical king
- 19 Author Hunter
- 20 Actress
- 21 Hepburn
- 22 Make a loan
- 23 Coarse hair
- 24 Computer abbr.
- 25 Tree fluid
- 26 Shinto temple
- 27 Horse (sl.)
- 28 Yes
- 29 Energy
- 30 Takes oath
- 31 Chinese premier
- 32 En Lai
- 33 Pope's name
- 34 Axlike tool
- 35 Sea (Ger.)
- 36 Home of Adam
- 37 Baseball player
- 38 Mel
- 39 School organization (abbr.)
- 40 Actress Myrna

GEECH



By Jerry Bittle

## Astro-Graph

by bernice bede osol

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Don't be hesitant today about launching a project or enterprise that you have originated yourself. Your chances for success in personal ventures are good at this time. Major changes are ahead for Virgos in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH, 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Concerned friends are waiting to go to bat for you when you give them the signal. If you are in need of their assistance, request it today.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Take advantage of any opportunities you get within the next few days to meet new people. You're lucky now in making friends who will be enormous assets in your future.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** Objectives that you previously considered relevant will lose their luster and be replaced by more significant ones. The reasons for the changes will be unusual.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Keep an open mind today regarding a proposal brought to you by an intimate friend, no matter how outlandish it may sound. On review, it will make sense.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** An opportunity that could produce a second source of income may unexpectedly develop for you today. It will be a channel you have never tapped.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** An unusual turn of events at this time may draw you closer to someone you've known long, but not too well. It looks like you're about to become buddies.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** There will be subtle, advantageous changes occurring today where your work or career is concerned. These alterations will eventually offer several new opportunities.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** There are strong indications that something unique and exciting will be stirring for you on the social scene. Fun, new people are about to enter your life.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** A change is developing that will benefit your entire family. It will come about quite suddenly, yet work out as well as if you had planned it.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Some good news you'll receive could cause you to do an about-face on your present plans. There is a possibility some travel may be involved.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** You could be projected into the middle of two seemingly unrelated situations, and come out smelling like a rose financially. It might happen today.

THE WIZARD OF ID

By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart



ECK & MEEK

By Howie Schneider



B.C.

By Johnny Hart



MARVIN

By Tom Armstrong



ALLEY OOP

By Dave Graue

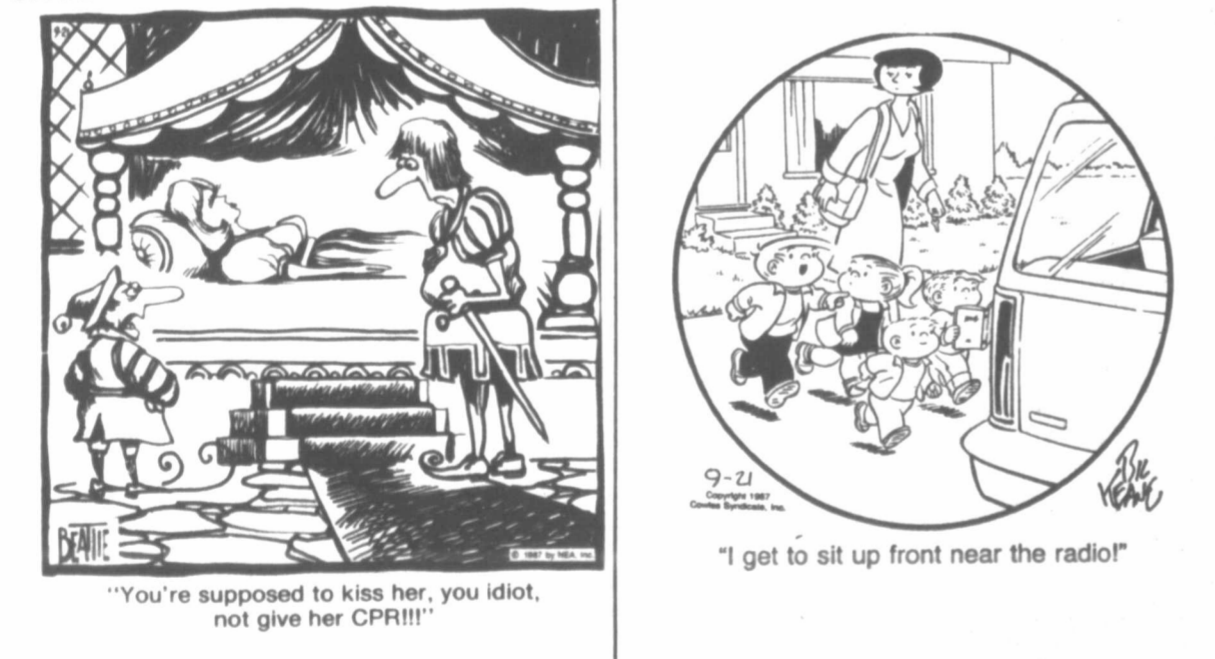


SNAFU

By Bruce Beattie

The Family Circus

By Bil Keane



THE BORN LOSER

By Art Sanson



PEANUTS

By Charles M. Schultz

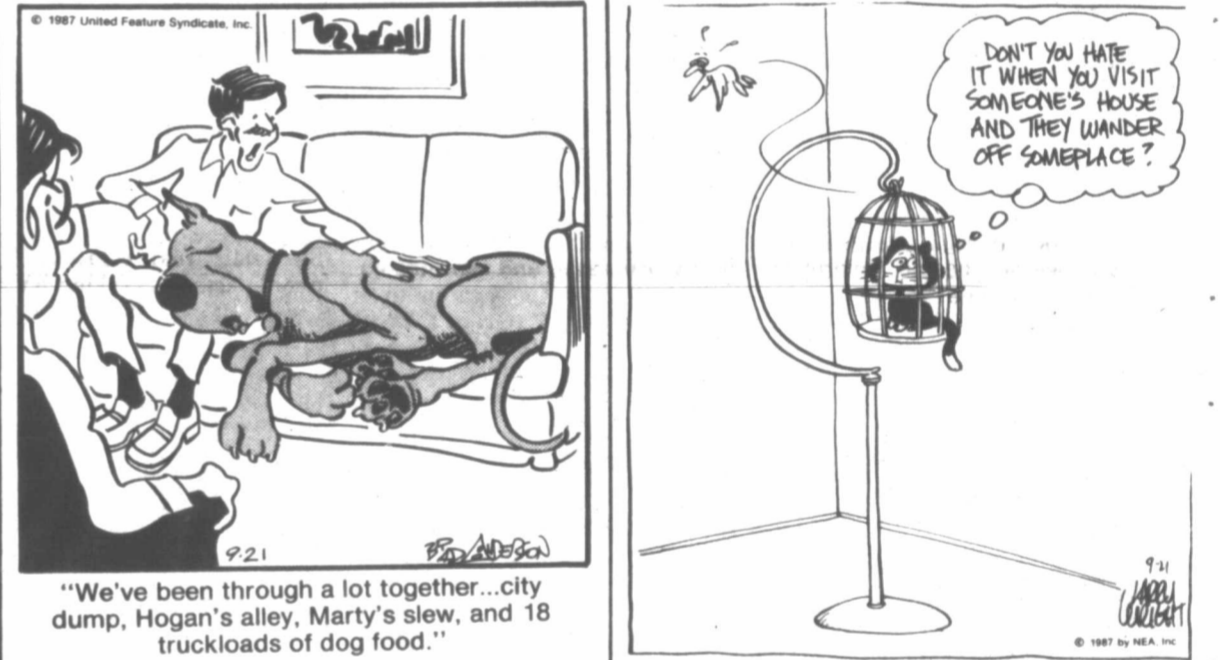


MARMADUKE

By Brad Anderson

KIT N' CARLYLE

By Larry Wright



WINTHROP

By Dick Cavalli



CALVIN AND HOBBS

By Bill Watterson



FRANK AND ERNEST

By Bob Thaves



GARFIELD

By Jim Davis



# Lifestyles

## Some spoon handles had a different twist

by RALPH and TERRY KOVEL

The 1890s silver designers tried to find novel solutions to old problems. All spoon handles had been very similar before 1850. The typical fiddle shape or oval tipped handle was favored.

As the French influence in designs for homes and furniture became more popular, the so-called French style spoon was offered for sale. The handle was made with a twisted shank and a tip made with pointed shoulders and engraved decorations. It was a style found in American silverware made by Dumhrie & Co. of Cincinnati, Ohio; Joseph Seymour Sons & Company of Syracuse, N.Y.; Joseph Moulton of Newburyport, Mass., and others.

The twisted wire shank was not really a new idea. It had been used in Holland, Scandinavia, Russia and England in early times. The twist plus the ornate Victorian handle was new. The style only remained popular for about 10 years.

**Q. I recently purchased two old Disney rugs. Each rug measures 27 by 48 inches. One pictures Mickey Mouse playing the accordion with Minnie Mouse and Donald Duck watching. The other pictures Mickey as a band leader playing to Donald and a pig. A. Mickey Mouse rugs were first made in 1935. The early rugs had a velvety finish.**

The earliest were made by Alexander Smith & Sons Carpet Co. of Yonkers, N.Y., about 1935 to 1937. We have seen ads for one of these rugs featuring Mickey on roller skates chasing Pluto.

We have no positive identification for your rugs without a maker's name.

**Q. I have several pieces of brown willow pattern. Why do I always see blue willow and not brown? Which is more valuable? A. Blue willow pattern dishes have been made since the late 18th century. Most pieces are decorated with a transfer design that was applied to the china.**

The first transfers were in black or blue. During the first quarter of the 19th century most manufacturers were able to do transfer designs in black, brown or mulberry. Later they used pink, green and even yellow.

Sometimes several colors were used on one plate. There is more willow pattern in blue because it has always been the easiest and least expensive to make.

Most collectors seem to favor the blue. The prices are determined by quality and rarity and not only by color.

**Q. Please give me some information on a 6-inch cut glass dish. It is stamped in the middle with a faint mark, "J. Hoare Co., 1853, Corning, N.Y."**

A. J. Hoare and Company worked in Corning, N.Y., from

1868 to 1921. The mark, in a circle, was used after 1895.

The company purchased glass pieces. Then they did elaborate deep cutting in a style that is called "brilliant cut."

**Q. The front of our house is made from bricks marked "Coffeyville, V.B.&T. Co." We have been told that these bricks were antiques and made in Coffeyville, Kan., during the days of Jesse James. Does this give added value to the house?**

A. Brick collectors search for the unusual. Any brick with a name on it is of interest.

If your bricks are part of the front wall of the house, they are of no value to a collector because they are available only when the house falls or is torn down.

Bricks paved into a road are more important. They can be removed and a single brick can be displayed. This has created a problem in some areas, because many old bricks have disappeared during the night.

Enjoy your house. The bricks are just another indication of its age.

**New! Hundreds of magazines, newspapers and newsletters are written about antiques. For a complete list of general and specialized publications for 1987, send \$2 and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to: Publications for Collectors, Kovels, P.O. Box 22900, Beach-**

wood, Ohio 44122.

**TIP:** Pearls have gone up in value dramatically. If you own pearls that are more than 10 years old, have them reappraised.

Care is important. Don't put them in a box with sharp objects. Don't let them touch perfume or hair spray. Perspiration is bad, so wipe the pearls after each wearing.

Don't wash them too often; the water may weaken the string. Never store them in airtight warm places like safe deposit boxes or plastic bags. Long periods of airtight storage will ruin the pearls' luster.

**CURRENT PRICES** (Current prices are recorded from antique shows, sales, flea markets and auctions throughout the United States. These prices vary in different locations because of the conditions of the economy.)

Buttonhook, Walk Over Shoes, \$8.

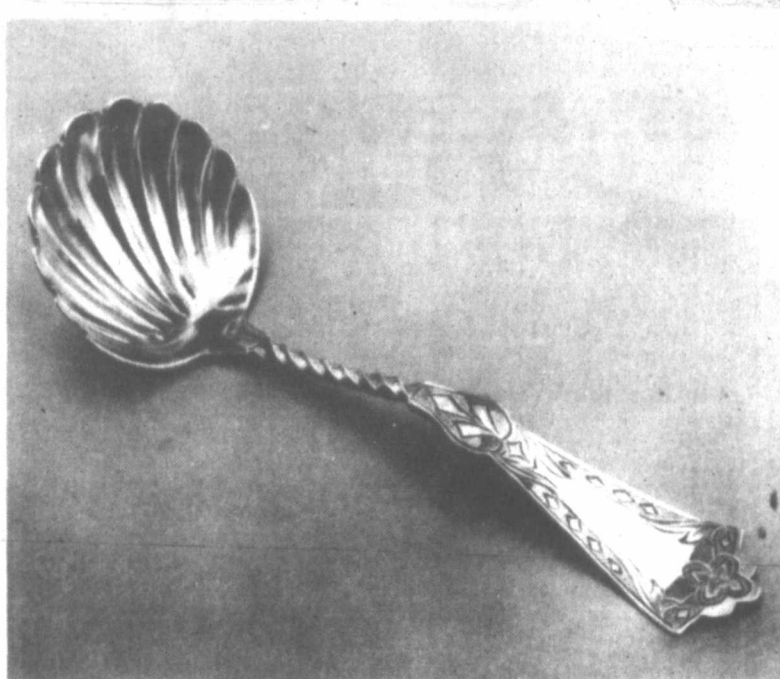
Northwood compote, blue iridescent, twig base, \$29.

Little Orphan Annie ring, adjustable, \$35.

Mirror, Bradley & Hubbard, dolphins, brass finish, beveled glass, signed, 16x6 1/2 inches, \$45.

Madame Alexander doll, Amy, of Little Women, bent knee walker, tag, 8 inches, \$85.

Child's electric stove, Empire



Joseph Moulton IV made this twisted handle gravy ladle in Newburyport, Mass., about 1890. He was carrying on the family tradition of silversmithing in the area. At least seven Moulton silversmiths are known.

Works, 1930s, \$125.

Goffering iron, with original slug, 7 1/2 x 15 inches, \$220.

Weller jardiniere, Louwelsa, floral die, impressed Weller, 6 inches, \$375.

Hammered copper candlesticks, socket and flared boche, hollow cylindrical standard tapers to disc base, stamped L.C.

Shellabarger Handwrought, no. 1927, c.1910, pair, 14 1/4 inches, \$495.

Kerman rug, repeating floral medallions, burgundy, green, gold, aubergine and blue, late 19th century, 7 feet x 4 feet 4 inches, \$1,000.

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### Homemakers' News

Donna Brauchi

## Standards regulate meat product labels

By DONNA BRAUCHI  
County Extension Agent

More and more these days as we walk through the grocery store, we see people looking at can and package labels. This definitely indicates that consumers have an increasing need for the information on the label for health and pocketbook reasons.

Let's look at the parts of a product label for meat and poultry and what they tell us. We will start with the product name.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture, which regulates production of meat and poultry products, has strict standards for the use of particular names. They must approve the labels on any products containing at least 3 percent meat or 2 percent poultry.

The food may contain more meat or poultry than these percentages, but no less. If a product contains less than these minimum amounts, it must be called something else.

The USDA has standards for over 200 poultry and meat products, and limits the amount of fat, moisture and other ingredients that can be added to these products.

The following examples of various meat and poultry products have been compiled by the USDA to give you an idea of what their labels mean.

- Beef with Gravy — must contain at least 50 percent cooked beef.
- Gravy with Beef — must contain at least 35 percent cooked beef.
- Beef Stew — must contain at least 25 percent beef.
- Chili Con Carne — must contain at least 40 percent meat.
- Chicken Soup — (ready to eat) must contain at least 2 percent chicken meat.
- Chicken soup — (condensed) must contain at least 4 percent chicken meat.
- Pizza with Sausage — must contain at least 12 percent cooked sausage or 10 percent dry sausage.
- Turkey Pie — must contain at least 14 percent cooked turkey meat.
- Turkey Ham — is cured thigh meat.

The photo or picture shown on the package must be honest, too. If the label illustration shows five slices of beef, the package must contain at least five slices.

Then there's the ingredients list. The key to the ingredients list is that everything in the product is listed by weight, from most to least.

Meat and poultry products making special claims must also give nutrition information. This could be a listing of the calories, protein, carbohydrates and fat in a single serving of the product. Here are some claims you may

see on meat and poultry products with their USDA-mandated definitions:

- Natural — means that the meat or poultry product is minimally processed and contains no artificial flavors, colors or preservatives.
- Lite, lighter, leaner, lower fat — must contain 25 percent less fat than similar commercial products. Read carefully to see whether the reduction applies to fat, calories, sodium or breeding.
- Lean and low fat — must contain 10 percent or less fat. The label will show the actual fat content of the product.
- Extra lean — 5 percent or less fat. Label will show fat content.
- Lower or less salt or sodium — must contain at least 25 percent less salt or sodium than the traditional version.
- Reduced sodium — products containing 75 percent less sodium than the traditional product.
- Unsalted or no salt added — product processed without salt.
- Low sodium — product must contain 140 milligrams (mg.) or less sodium per serving.
- Very low sodium — products containing 35 mg. or less sodium per serving.
- Sodium free or salt free — products must contain 5 mg or less sodium per serving.

Next we come to the inspection mark, USDA's seal of approval. This is your assurance that the product comes from an approved, federally inspected plant.

USDA requires the name and address of the company that made the product to be on the label. Plus, many products give a lot or batch number which tells the day and shift in which the item was produced.

Knowing the company name and address, plant number and batch code is essential should you ever need to report a spoiled or tampered-with or otherwise "suspicious" product.

The final three pieces of information to be found on all meat and poultry product labels are the item's net weight — weight of the product exclusive of the container; use-by or sell-by dates; and, in the case of perishable products, handling instructions.

While product dating is optional, the date stamped on is an excellent freshness guide. The "sell-by" date explains itself. That's the last day the product should be sold.

The "use-by" date would be the last day you could expect top product quality. Some products may have an expiration date which gives the last day the food should be used.

For additional information about meat and poultry labels, call USDA's Meat and Poultry Hotline, 800-535-4555, or contact your Gray County Extension Office.

## Grandchildren rate third with grandma

DEAR ABBY: Our son is 3 years old. Our daughter is 5. My parents live one hour away — by car. I recently phoned and asked them to come and stay with their grandchildren for a weekend while we attend a convention in another city.

My mother immediately checked to see if the dates (two months away) were on their "RV group" weekend. Since we so rarely ask them to baby-sit our children, and the children love "Nini and Papa" so much, I was hurt, and wrote and told them so.

Mother wrote back, listing her priorities as follows: (1) Her job. (She sells real estate.) (2) Her favorite activity. (Taking RV group trips with her husband, who is retired.) (3) Her grandchildren.

Needless to say, I engaged a baby sitter. My parents are now saying that we should understand their need for freedom. Abby, they have stayed with our children overnight only once in a year and a half, when we delivered the kids — never have they driven to our home to baby-sit for the evening.

We have decided never again to ask them for anything. Are we right or wrong to feel as we do?

THIRD PLACE BUT NO SHOW

DEAR THIRD PLACE: You are wrong. Some grandparents



Dear Abby

Abigail Van Buren

consider it a privilege and a joy to baby-sit their grandchildren. Others do not. No matter how much the grandparents "love" their grandchildren, caring for them for a day, or a weekend, can be very tiring. Your parents have let you know that they are not available as sitters. It's their right. Your resentment is unjustified and unbecoming.

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on him. Let me tell you, Abby, his lack of jealousy hurt me as much as when I learned about his one-nighter.

Why didn't he react to my affair like I reacted to his? Does this show a lack of love for me on his part — or a lack of security on my part?

FURIOUS IN MINNEAPOLIS

DEAR FURIOUS: I don't know the reason for your husband's reaction, but it's entirely possible that he doesn't value fidelity as much as you. Not all men (or women) are fiercely possessive of the one they love, but women have a tendency to be more possessive than men. However, generalizations are dangerous. Especially this one.

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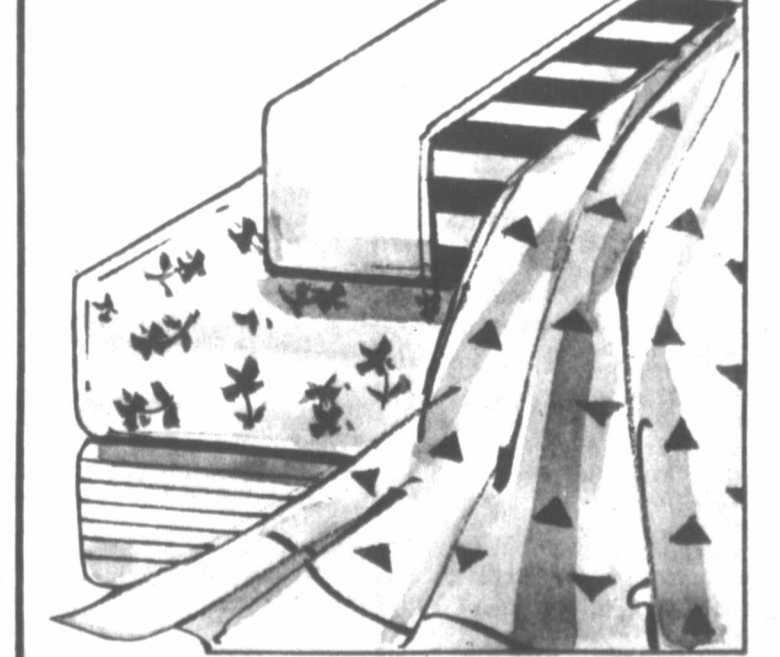
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# Sports Scene

## Strike two, we're out! Eleventh hour miracle needed to avert walkout

By DAVE GOLDBERG  
AP Football Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — The National Football League braced today for its second strike in six seasons.

It will start following tonight's New England Patriots-New York Jets game unless, as management's Jack Donlan put it, "someone pulls a rabbit out of a hat."

No talks were planned and the union's Gene Upshaw said all that was lacking was the official announcement, scheduled to come at halftime.

"My agenda now is to prepare for a strike," Upshaw, executive director of the NFL Players Association, said Sunday at union headquarters in Washington, where picket signs were being prepared.

"We have to be willing to walk out for the season," he said.

The owners plan to break for a week, then continue with the fourth week's schedule using players released in training camp or, literally, from off the street. Some teams, like Indianapolis, say they already have full rosters, others have barely more than one or two players signed. Players seemed resigned to

having a strike:

"It's kind of a bittersweet feeling," said Mike Quick of Philadelphia after the Eagles beat New Orleans on Sunday. "I'm happy with the win but it hurts when you realize there may be a strike just when we're coming of age."

Some were still hoping for a last-minute deal: "It's tough to walk out now, but miracles do happen," said Minnesota's Greg Coleman. "Hopefully, in the 11th hour something will happen."

Some had mixed feelings though they said they would honor picket lines:

"The strike will eat me alive," said Howie Long of the Los Angeles Raiders. "I have a wife and son and Gene Upshaw's not supporting my wife and son, not supporting my financial ability."

Both sides concede that the 57-day walkout in 1982 was a lesson in futility.

The previous walkout was over a demand that players receive 55 percent of the NFL's gross revenues, which amounted to a package of about \$1.6 billion over four years. They settled for \$1.28 billion over five years, plus incentives.



(AP Laserphoto)

Fans in the Hoosier Dome in Indianapolis show their feelings about the proposed NFL strike planned for late Monday night.

## Cowboys mostly mum on union support

DALLAS (AP) — Quarterback Danny White refused to say whether he will support a strike of the NFL, and five other Dallas Cowboys either refused to comment or said they haven't decided what their position will be, a newspaper reported after polling all 45 members of the team.

"I have decided (what to do), but it's not for public knowledge," White said.

The Dallas Morning News said White, defensive lineman Randy White, linebackers Eugene Lockhart and Jesse Penn, cornerback Manny Hendrix and rookie Ron Burton were the only players who did not give their support to a threatened players' strike expected Tuesday.

Defensive tackle Randy White said he wants to wait and see what happens. "I just don't like this part of the game of football. I like the game of football. I don't even like going through contract negotiations," he said.

Other players were brief about their intentions.

"Is there a choice? Yeah, there's a choice. I have no comments. Catch me next week," said Lockhart. Penn had no comment and Hendrix said he, too, would have to wait and see what happens.

Burton said he was not sure what he would do.

If a strike hits Tuesday, players in the National Football League will have to handle the game's second strike in six seasons.

Most of the Cowboys were unified in support of the players' association, although some questioned what they are supporting or why they are supporting it.

"I think it's stupid," Kevin Brooks told the News.

"All I know is they want free agency. That's not going to help players in the long run. If they just made some improvements on some of the other issues, like the pension, I think the players would like to keep playing," Brooks, a defensive tackle, said.

"It looks like a short season for me. Three weeks and one game. But I'll support a

strike if we go out," said No. 1 pick Danny Noonan.

Running back Herschel Walker said he supports the strike.

"For me, the reason I'm striking is for the pension because the lifespan of NFL players is so short. But one thing you've got to have is some give and take. We'll have to give something to take something. Right now it looks like management doesn't want to give up anything."

What will happen to those who don't support the strike is uncertain.

"I think there will be a couple of players (cross the picket line)," said defensive back Everson Walls. "Everybody doesn't think about it the same way. You've got some in financial binds and it's hard on them. I'm sure there will be some who get weak, but they've got to realize the owners depend on them getting weak. I'd be resentful. I'd never forget it, but I'd just handle it in my own way."



(AP Laserphoto)

Cowboy defensive back Bill Bates (40) is congratulated by teammates Vince Albritton (36) and Michael Downs (26) after he pulled down a fourth quarter interception.

## Dallas happily upsets New York 16-14

By TOM CANAVAN  
AP Sports Writer

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — The death watch on the Dallas Cowboys has stopped for now, and one just might be beginning for the New York Giants.

The Cowboys got three field goals from Roger Ruzek, survived a last-minute scare and ended their longest regular-season losing streak since 1963 by defeating the Giants 16-14 Sunday, handing the Super Bowl champions their second straight loss.

"It felt like winning the playoffs," said veteran nose tackle Randy White. "It's a great feeling. What we needed was a game like this to get the confidence back and get rolling on the right track. If the strike happens it will probably screw everything up, but it was great to win the game today."

The Cowboys came into Giants Stadium desperate for a victory on the eve of what might be a players strike. They had not won a regular-season game since defeating San Diego 24-21 last Nov. 16 and they were in danger of losing their seventh straight game, something the club had not done since its expansion season in 1960.

The Cowboys won because they made the big plays when they had to, and the Giants didn't. The biggest one the Giants missed came with six seconds to play when Raul Allegre was wide left with a 46-yard field goal attempt after the Giants drove from their 2 to the Dallas 29 in the final minute.

"I'm down," said Giants team captain Harry Carson. "This one hurt. We were the Super Bowl champions. We have yet to play like Super Bowl champions. We have not played well. We're getting injuries."

"The thing is, it would be one thing if we were playing well and teams beat us. We are not playing well, though," said the linebacker.

There is no denying that the Giants are not playing well. Dallas beat them in almost every offensive category, holding the ball for 41:42. The Cowboys defense also picked off four Phil Simms passes and recovered a Lionel Manuel fumble.

Four of those mistakes came in the opening half when Dallas opened a 10-7 lead. Bill Bates' interception and 28-yard return set up a 1-yard TD pass from Danny White to Thornton Chandler. Ruzek kicked a 46-yard field goal on Dallas' second offensive series.

New York had taken a 7-0 lead in the first quarter on a 5-yard pass from Simms to Stacy Robinson that capped a 71-yard drive. It was the Giants' only scoring drive of the game.

Their other score came midway through the third quarter when safety Terry Kinard made his second of three interceptions and returned it 69 yards to the Dallas 1. Simms, who completed 17 of 36 passes for 219 yards, then hit Mark Bavaro for a 14-10 New York lead.

Ruzek cut the margin to one point with a 43-yard field goal late in the third period. Dallas got its winning score by marching 65 yards in 11 plays with Ruzek hitting from 28 yards out with 5:12 to play.

"I'm happy to come back and perform well here," said Ruzek, who is 5 of 5 on field goals this season. "It was very fulfilling and a great ball game for our team."

The Giants' last-ditch drive came after they stopped Herschel Walker on a fourth-and-goal play at the 1 with 1:52 to play, a coaching decision that left Tom Landry open for second-guessers.

"They didn't have any timeouts left and I felt even if we didn't get the score they still had 99 yards to go," said Landry.

## Bills buffalo Houston in brawl-marred, see-saw battle

By JOHN F. BONFATTI  
AP Sports Writer

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. (AP) — Some of the Buffalo Bills may have needed a small brawl in the third quarter to get them into the game with the Houston Oilers, but not quarterback Jim Kelly.

"Jim is so competitive ... if you played him in checkers, he would cheat to win if he had to," said Bills center Kent Hull after Kelly engineered a startling 21-point fourth quarter Sunday that gave the Bills a 34-30 victory over the Oilers.

Kelly, who was criticized last year after throwing fourth quarter interceptions that cost the Bills chances in several games, almost had to answer

the same criticism again. The Oilers had taken a 27-20 lead with a 12-yard touchdown pass from Warren Moon to Ernest Givins late in the fourth quarter when Kelly, on the first play of the next possession, was intercepted by Houston's Jeff Donaldson.

"You probably thought 'not again' when I threw the interception in the fourth quarter," said Kelly, who threw for three touchdowns and 293 yards.

Houston took advantage of the interception with a 30-yard Tony Zendejas field goal that made it 30-20, but Kelly was itching for another chance. The 10-point deficit only provided more incentive.

"In my heart and in my soul, I wanted the ball back so badly so I could show the fans, my teammates and all the re-

porters that Jim Kelly has a winning spirit and that I'd do whatever it takes to win," Kelly said.

With 4:52 remaining, Kelly ushered the Bills 80 yards in five plays before Robb Riddick, who caught an 11-yard touchdown pass from Kelly in the second quarter, scored on a 2-yard run that brought the Bills to within three with 3:22 left to play.

The Buffalo defense, which came to life after it was involved in a third-period melee that ended with the ejection of Bills defenders Bruce Smith and Darryl Talley and Houston offensive tackle Doug Williams, then rose to stop Houston on four plays.

That set up the winning drive, which began ominously for Buffalo with an offensive interference penalty and an

incomplete pass. The drive ended 54 yards later when Kelly beat a Houston blitz, hitting Ron Harmon with a 10-yard touchdown pass with 57 seconds left in the game.

"When I saw it, I licked my chops because I knew Ronnie was one-on-one with somebody," Kelly said. "In the end, I knew there was nobody that could go one-on-one with Ronnie."

The defense came up big one more time when Ron Pitts intercepted a Moon pass with 19 seconds remaining to snuff out any Oiler hopes.

Several Bills, including linebacker Eugene Marve, credited the fight with pumping them up.

"It fired me up," Marve said. "I wasn't too pleased with the results. We had two key players from our defense

tossed from the game. We felt it was unjust. That sparked us a little bit."

Kelly's heroics stunned the Oilers. "I never thought the whole game that we'd lose," said Moon, who also threw scoring passes to Givins and Drew Hill. "When we went up by 10, I felt pretty comfortable."

But the Oilers were hurt by 10 penalties that cost them 113 yards. Two, including a 33-yard pass-interference call that gave the Bills the ball on the Houston 5, aided the drive that led to Riddick's fourth-quarter touchdown.

"I did not think we'd do the foolish things we did today," Oiler Coach Jerry Glanville said. "I thought we were past that. Watching it, I could not believe what I was seeing."

## Oiler owner admits guilt after arrest

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP) — Houston Oilers General Manager Ladd Herzog has released a statement admitting he slapped a man while protesting loud music at a wedding reception being held in the hotel where his team stayed on the eve of their loss to the Buffalo Bills.

But Herzog, 41, denied that he dropped his pants or shoved another wedding guest during the altercation Saturday night, as some members of the wedding party alleged.

Herzog, who is also executive vice president of the Oilers, was arrested and charged with misdemeanor assault in connection with the alleged fight with James McDonald of North Tonawanda at the Buffalo Ramada Renaissance Hotel, said Cheektowaga police Sgt. Mitchell Kmotek. McDonald, 31, is the bride's brother.

Herzog, whose Oilers lost 34-30 to the Bills Sunday, was arrested about 11:30 p.m., booked into jail and later released on \$100 bail on charges of third-degree assault, Kmotek said. His court date is set for 9 a.m. Tuesday.

The wedding reception was being held in a courtyard that some of the Oilers' rooms overlooked. Herzog said he had been assured the music would stop at 11 p.m., which it did. But the music started up again shortly before 11:30, he said.

Herzog said he was concerned about the team getting a good night's sleep.

"I went down to talk to the band leader to see what time the music was going to stop," Herzog told reporters. "And somebody grabbed me and he looked drunk and I slapped him upside the face. Then I went upstairs."

Herzog denied several charges by members of the wedding party, including an allegation that he dropped his pants and "mooned" reception guests.

The bride, Aileen Stewart, was quoted in the Buffalo News as saying, "I wouldn't have believed it was the general manager of the Houston Oilers. He came in and 'mooned' the reception twice after complaining about loud music from the band. After a band member made a wisecrack about the Oilers, I saw arms swinging,

my brother on the floor ..."

Herzog said the charge was "an absolute lie."

Meanwhile, McDonald said that Herzog had shoved a 71-year-old relative on his way to talk to the band, but Herzog denied that, as well.

"Never happened," he said. "I never saw a 71-year-old man."

Also, McDonald said Herzog punched him three times in the face, but Herzog said he hit McDonald once with an open-handed slap.

He told the Houston Chronicle, "I'm very embarrassed about it, obviously. I'm very uncomfortable with this situation, as you can imagine."

Herzog also said he is considering filing countercharges and will consult the team's lawyers.

officials met with members of the wedding party "the first thing that was brought up was that the wedding cost \$7,000."

"They were eager, I think, for the Oilers to cover the cost of their wedding," Nichols told the Chronicle. "In a last-ditch effort to solve the problem and walk away as gentlemen, the hotel offered to pay for a portion of it, and we did, too, but that offer was unacceptable," he said.

Nichols said hotel officials had assured him that the reception music would stop at 11 p.m. "I was told later the hotel was prepared to pull the fuse out so the band would stop," Nichols said.

Cindy McDonald, James McDonald's wife, said Herzog "was just dressed in sweat pants, T-shirt and no shoes."

"Nobody really knew who he was or where he came from—he obviously wasn't from the wedding," Mrs. McDonald said.

The incident ruined the wedding, she said. "The bride felt like her day was ruined," Mrs. McDonald said. "It was her wedding day. You want everything to be perfect."

## NFL Standings

By The Associated Press		Philadelphia 27, New Orleans 17					
AMERICAN CONFERENCE		Cleveland 34, Pittsburgh 10					
East		San Francisco 27, Cincinnati 26					
W	L	T	Pct.				
New England	1	0	1,000	28	21		
N.Y. Jets	1	0	0	1,000	31	28	
Buffalo	1	1	0	500	62	61	
Miami	1	1	0	500	44	38	
Indianapolis	0	2	0	0	0	31	46
Central				Monday's Game			
Cincinnati	1	1	0	500	49	48	
Cleveland	1	1	0	500	55	38	
Houston	1	1	0	500	50	50	
Pittsburgh	1	1	0	500	40	51	
West				New England at New York Jets			
L.A. Raiders	2	0	0	1,000	47	7	
Denver	1	1	0	500	37	34	
Kansas City	1	1	0	500	34	56	
San Diego	1	1	0	500	41	44	
Seattle	1	1	0	500	29	54	
NATIONAL CONFERENCE				Sunday, Sept. 27			
East				Atlanta at New Orleans			
Dallas	1	1	0	500	29	38	
Philadelphia	1	1	0	500	51	51	
St. Louis	1	1	0	500	48	41	
Washington	1	1	0	500	54	45	
N.Y. Giants	0	2	0	0	0	33	50
Central				New England at Washington			
Chicago	2	0	0	1,000	54	22	
Minnesota	2	0	0	1,000	55	35	
Tampa Bay	1	1	0	500	51	30	
Green Bay	0	1	1	250	17	37	
Detroit	0	2	0	0	0	28	61
West				Los Angeles Raiders at Houston			
Atlanta	1	1	0	500	31	48	
New Orleans	1	1	0	500	45	48	
San Francisco	1	1	0	500	44	56	
L.A. Rams	0	2	0	0	0	22	41
Monday's Game				New York Jets at Pittsburgh			
Denver 17, Green Bay 17, tie							
Buffalo 24, Houston 26							
Miami 23, Indianapolis 10							
Denver at Cleveland				Monday, Sept. 28			
Seattle at San Diego							





# Great NFL season; does it have to end?

By BARRY WILNER  
AP Sports Writer

After two weeks of upsets, wild finishes, crazy plays and strange strategy, the NFL season might be over.

What a season it's been! The Super Bowl champion Giants are 0-2 and reeling. The Los Angeles Rams, a favorite in the NFC West, have fallen twice in the final minutes of their games.

The Atlanta Falcons, routed by Tampa Bay in their opener, shocked the Washington Redskins, who lost the NFC title game last year. New Orleans, which upended AFC runner-up Cleveland in the opener, fell to Philadelphia on Sunday.

Coaches made weird decisions. Cincinnati's Sam Wyche bypasses a punt or safety with six seconds left and his team goes ahead by six points, allowing San Francisco to pull out a miraculous victory. Kansas City's Frank Gansz goes with a quarterback rotation — Todd Blackledge for short plays, Bill Kenney for long passes — and his Chiefs are routed.

Maybe everyone has the strike in mind. The NFL Players Association has called for a walkout following tonight's game between the New England Patriots and New York Jets if a collective bargaining agreement is not reached. With no negotiations planned today, the strike appears certain.

Little of what has happened the last two weeks has been predictable. Who would have thought the Giants, winners of their last 12 games of the 1986 season, would begin this one at the bottom of the NFC East? That's where they belly-flopped following a 16-14 loss to the Dallas Cowboys on Sunday.

The Rams are stuck at the tail end of the NFC West after a 21-16 defeat to Minnesota, which won the game on a 41-yard touchdown pass from Wade Wilson to Hassan Jones with 30 seconds to go.

That lifted the Vikings into a

first-place tie in the NFC Central with the Bears, who beat Tampa Bay 20-3 as Walter Payton set an NFL record with his 107th rushing touchdown.

Atlanta stunned Washington 21-20, the difference being a botched extra point. Green Bay, which looked totally inept against the Raiders last week, held AFC champion Denver to a 17-17 tie.

The Raiders finally found an offense in the second half of their 27-7 win over Detroit. Seattle's attack was overwhelming in a 43-14 rout of Kansas City.

Buffalo's Jim Kelly staged a stirring late rally in lifting the Bills past Houston 34-30. St. Louis rallied for all of its points in the second half, but a dropped pass at the goal line cost it as San Diego held on for a 28-24 victory.

In tamer games, Dan Marino continued his dominance of the Colts as Miami whipped Indianapolis 23-10; Cleveland used five interceptions to beat Pittsburgh 34-10, and Philadelphia took New Orleans 27-17.

And, in the wildest ending the NFL has seen in a long time, San Francisco edged Cincinnati 27-26.

The Bengals needed to run out the final 54 seconds to win 26-20. Wyche had quarterback Boomer Esiason run three times as San Francisco used all of its timeouts. On fourth down at the 30, with six seconds to go, Wyche decided against a punt or an intentional safety.

"He was worried about a blocked punt," 49ers Coach Bill Walsh said.

When the Bengals lined up on defense, All-Pro receiver Jerry Rice had single coverage from rookie Eric Thomas, who had been burned for two scores earlier.

Montana's pass was caught by Rice, who outjumped Thomas for the ball. And the game.

"I've never had a game like this," Brooks said. "But football is very strange." Especially this season.

## Astros beat Padres

HOUSTON (AP)—The Houston Astros took Hal Lanier's late-night clubhouse sermon to heart.

After Saturday night's 2-1, 14-inning loss to the San Diego Padres, Lanier told the Astros they need to do whatever it takes to win the rest of their games in the 1987 season—even if it means running into fences or getting their noses dirty.

Righthander Mike Scott pitched a 4 2-3 innings of no-hit baseball on Sunday and held on for a 3-2 victory when pinch-hitter Jim Pankovits delivered a bases-loaded single in the bottom of the ninth inning.

"I told the players that we have to do everything we can to win the rest of our games, even the little things," said Lanier.

The Astros, who won the National League West crown last year, came into the game six games under .500 and in third place, 11 games behind the San Francisco Giants.

"I told them that we play 162 games, and we have to do everything we can to finish .500 and in second or third place," Lanier said.

"Obviously, we would like to be playing for more than second place," said Scott, now 16-12. "Last year, at this time of the season, we were playing like the Giants are now. They are playing well at all phases of their game,

and we are not. Last year, we never had a long losing streak and found a way to win when we had to."

The Astros won despite a good effort by Padres starter Eric Nolte, who allowed only three hits and one walk while striking out six. It also was Nolte who broke up Scott's bid for a no-hitter with a fifth-inning single to left field.

Houston's first two runs came off Nolte, and both were unearned.

The Astros' Glenn Davis was safe on an error by third baseman Tim Flannery leading off the second inning and scored on a two-out double to center by Ron Reynolds.

In the fifth, Reynolds reached on an error by shortstop Luis Salazar and later scored on a fielder's choice ground ball by Billy Hatcher.

The Padres tied the game in the seventh inning on a leadoff single by Carmelo Martinez, a double by Marvell Wynne, an infield ground out by Flannery, and a sacrifice fly by Salazar.

In the ninth, Kevin Bass led off with a double. After an intentional walk to Davis, Bass tagged and went to third after pinch-hitter Chuck Jackson's fly out. The Padres walked Davey Lopes intentionally to set up a double play, but Pankovits singled off relief pitcher Mark Davis, 8-8, for the game-winner.

## Rangers sweep Angels

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP)—Texas Rangers manager Bobby Valentine was caught between a rock and a hard place Sunday afternoon.

With the game tied at 1-1 in the ninth inning, Valentine wanted veteran knuckleballer Charlie Hough to get another victory and enhance his chances of winning 20 games this season.

But even more, he wanted a win — no matter who got credit — because he still believes the Rangers have a chance — however slim — at winning a division title.

Valentine pulled Hough and the Rangers came out with a 2-1 victory over the California Angels when Darrell Porter drew a walk with one out and the bases loaded in the bottom of the 10th off Angels reliever DeWayne Buice.

"It was tough pulling Hough," said Valentine after the Rangers' fourth straight triumph. "It would have been nice for him to win that game, but he was coming back on a short three-day rest."

I'd probably stay in there, but we had fresh guys in the bullpen ready to go."

Howe pitched two perfect innings and was the winner when Porter, for the second time in the six-game homestand, won an extra-inning game by drawing a bases-loaded walk.

"I've always had a good eye," said the veteran catcher. "I believe that was my 900th career walk."

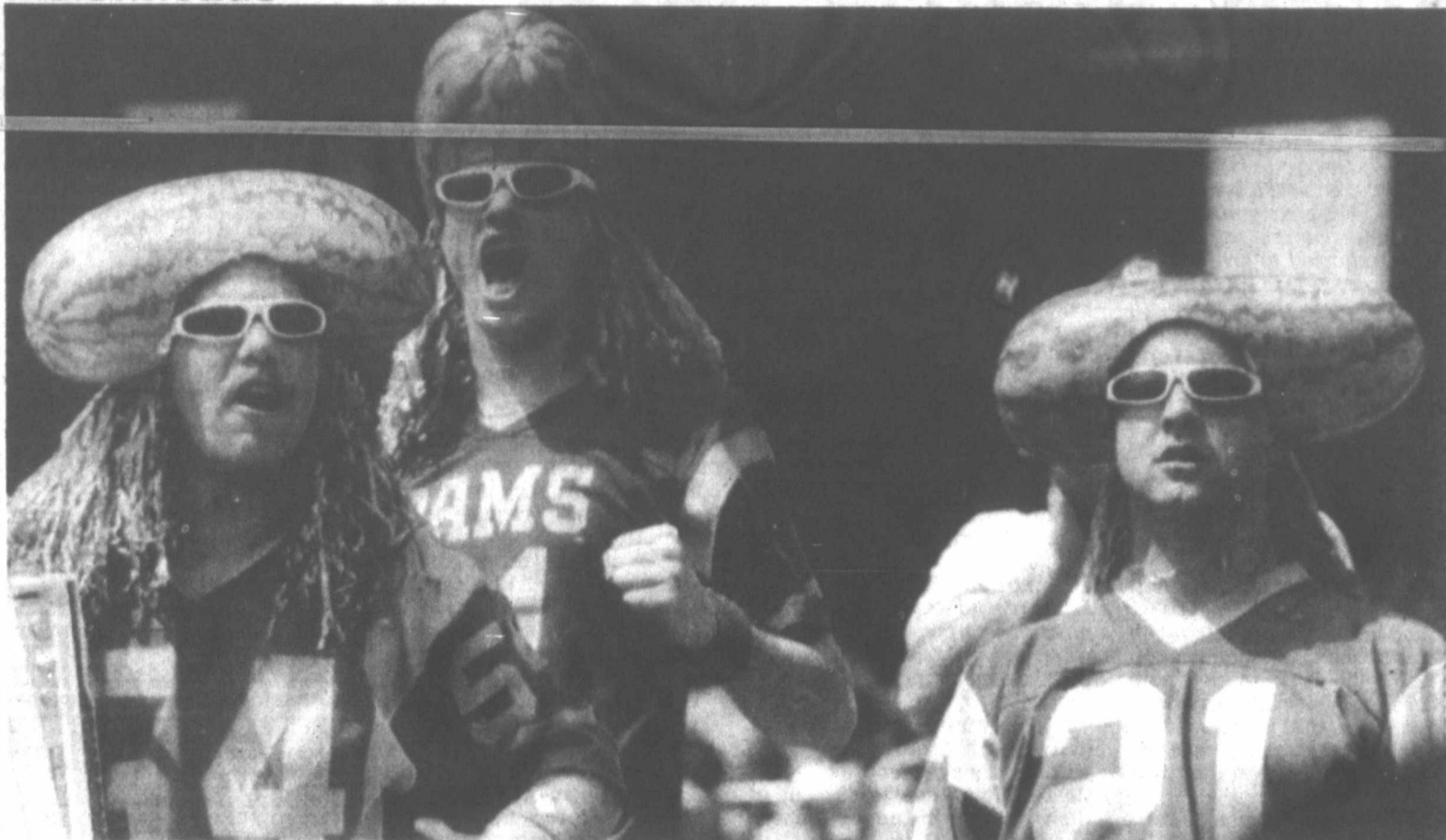
By winning four straight and eight of their last nine, the Rangers are 6½ games behind front-running Minnesota in the American League West and open a three-game series with the Twins in Minnesota on Tuesday night.

"I still believe in miracles," said Valentine. "We're going to need a miracle, but I believe in them. And we're playing great right now."

Porter also believes the Rangers can't be counted out despite having only 13 games remaining. "We're going to Minnesota knowing we've got to win three straight. If we do that, well ... anything can happen," he said. "We're not mathematically eliminated yet, and we're playing our best baseball right now."

The same cannot be said for the Angels, who have lost 13 of 17 in September and have fallen from one-half game out of first to 10

## Melonheads



The coneheads are given a run for their money by these crazy Rams fans, wearing — you guessed it — watermelons on their heads. The melonheads appeared at the Rams-Vikings matchup in Anaheim Sunday. It is difficult, though, to judge whether the stunt was a hex or a boost as the Rams lost 21-16.

## Coaches quip, quotes

**Groom coach Terry Coffee** on having the Gruver Greyhounds down 34-6 at halftime and then allowing them to close to 34-20 before game's end:

"We came out lackadaisical and it killed us. We felt like they weren't going to do any-

losing. I still think we have a good chance at a good season."

**Wheeler coach Preston Smith**, on being shut out 18-0 by Hobart, Okla.:

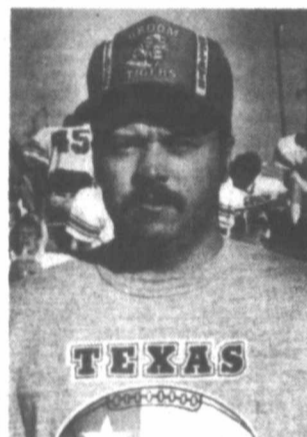
"They lined up with some good football players and whipped us. We thought we could win the ball game and at least score some points. We played hard and played good and I think we realize that."

**Lefors head coach Johnny Crim**, on the Pirates first score of the season, although his team lost to Lazbuddie 56-6:

"There was a couple of drives that really looked good. What I was impressed with is we finally started putting it together. We're just not consistent yet. When the whole thing went and we made our drives, everybody impressed me."

**Windy Williams**, head coach, **White Deer Bucks**, on his defensive squad holding the Cleordon Bronchos to just 77 yards offensively in a 36-6 win:

"I thought our defense did a super job. We had probably two defensive mistakes that allowed them to score. We accomplished our goal and that was to stop what we felt like they did best and we felt like that was their quarterback."



## Coffee

thing. The momentum changed and we came out low key. Too low key."

**Buck Buchanan**, a head coach, **Shamrock Irish**, on his team's 20-7 loss to Oklahoma's Mangum: "We played pretty good 'til about the fourth quarter. We just didn't capitalize on breaks. Our kids are still fired up. They're not getting down about things. They hate

## SWC highs and lows

**BYU** and **Texas Tech** had 514 yards, including 364 yards rushing against Lamar in 43-14 victory.

**BEST DEFENSE** — TCU gave BYU only 30 yards rushing. **Texas A&M** allowed Washington only 13 first downs and 173 yards total.

**WORST DEFENSE** — Rice gave LSU 664 yards, including 436 rushing in a 49-16 beating.

**WORST EXECUTION** — Baylor was penalized 14 times for 120 yards in a 21-14 victory over UNLV.

## AP Top Twenty

**By The Associated Press**

How the Associated Press Top Twenty college football teams fared this week and schedule for Sept. 26:

No. 1 Oklahoma (2-0) was idle; at Tulsa

No. 2 Nebraska (2-0) was idle; at No. 15 Arizona State

No. 3 Auburn (2-0) was idle; at No. 14 Tennessee

No. 4 Louisiana State (3-0) beat Rice 49-16; vs. No. 5 Ohio State

No. 5 Ohio State (2-0) beat Oregon 24-14; at No. 4 Louisiana State

No. 6 Miami, Fla. (1-0) was idle; vs. No. 12 Arkansas at Little Rock, Ark.

No. 7 Florida State (3-0) beat Memphis State 41-24; at No. 17 Michigan State

No. 8 Clemson (3-0) beat No. 18 Georgia 21-20; vs. Georgia Tech

No. 9 Notre Dame (2-0) beat No. 17 Michigan State 31-8; at Purdue

No. 10 Washington (2-1) lost to Texas A&M 29-12; vs. Pacific U.

No. 11 Alabama (2-1) lost to Florida 23-14; at Vanderbilt

No. 12 Arkansas (2-0) beat Tulsa 30-15; vs. No. 6 Miami, Fla. at Little Rock, Ark.

No. 13 USC (2-1) beat Fresno State 17-0; vs. Arizona

No. 14 Tennessee (3-0) was idle; vs. No. 3 Auburn

No. 15 Arizona State (2-0) beat Pacific U. 31-12; vs. No. 2 Nebraska

No. 16 Pittsburgh (2-1) lost to Temple 24-21; at West Virginia

No. 17 Michigan State (1-1) lost to No. 9 Notre Dame 31-8; vs. No. 7 Florida State

No. 18 Georgia (2-1) lost to No. 8 Clemson 21-20; vs. South Carolina

No. 19 Michigan (1-1) beat Washington State 44-18; vs. Long Beach State

No. 20 Penn State (2-1) beat Cincinnati 41-0; vs. Boston College at Foxboro, Mass.

## Texas Scores

Here is a list of how Texas schools fared in college football action Saturday:

Ahrens Christian 40, Tennessee Tech 31

Angelo St. 31, E. Central U. 24

Ark.-Monticello 28, Howard Payne 0

Arkansas 30, Tulsa 15

Austin Col. 16, William Jewell 14

Baylor 21, Nevada-Las Vegas 14

Harding 21, Tarleton St. 14

Henderson St. 7, Texas Lutheran 6

Jackson St. 16, Prairie View 12

Louisiana St. 49, Rice 16

McJannet 35, Lambuth 9

McNeese St. 20, Stephen F. Austin 8

NE Louisiana 44, SW Texas St. 7

N. Texas St. 15, NW Louisiana 13

Rhodes St. 22, Trinity, Tex. 9

Sam Houston St. 45, Texas A&I 35

S. Arkansas 21, E. Texas St. 17

Sul Ross St. 14, W. New Mexico 6

Texas A&M 29, Washington 12

Texas Christian 33, Brigham Young 12

Texas Tech 43, Lamar 14

Texas-Ti Paso 45, Colorado St. 6

Troy State 45, W. Texas St. 0

## Major League standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE		NATIONAL LEAGUE	
East Division		East Division	
W. L. Pct.	GB	W. L. Pct.	GB
Detroit 90 58 .608	—	St. Louis 87 61 .588	—
Toronto 90 59 .604	½	New York 85 64 .570	2½
Milwaukee 82 67 .550	8½	Montreal 84 64 .568	3
New York 82 67 .550	8½	Philadelphia 75 74 .503	12½
Boston 72 76 .486	18	Pittsburgh 72 77 .483	15½
Baltimore 63 86 .423	27½	Chicago 71 77 .480	16
Cleveland 56 94 .373	35		
West Division		West Division	
W. L. Pct.	GB	W. L. Pct.	GB
Minnesota 80 70 .533	—	San Francisco 82 67 .550	—
Oakland 78 73 .510	3½	Cincinnati 74 75 .497	8
Kansas City 74 76 .489	6	Houston 72 77 .483	10
Texas 73 78 .486	6½	Los Angeles 64 85 .430	18
California 70 80 .467	10	Atlanta 63 85 .428	18½
Seattle 69 80 .463	10½	San Diego 63 86 .423	19
Chicago 67 82 .450	12½		
Saturday's Games			
Minnesota 3, Cleveland 1		San Francisco 5, Cincinnati 1	
Detroit 5, Milwaukee 2		New York 5, Pittsburgh 4	
New York 4, Toronto 2		Montreal 12, Philadelphia 4	
Chicago 10, Seattle 8		St. Louis 5, Chicago 3	
Boston at Baltimore, p.p.d., rain		San Diego 2, Houston 1, 14 innings	
Oakland 9, Kansas City 5		Atlanta 10, Los Angeles 7	
Texas 4, California 3, 10 innings			
Sunday's Games			
Boston 5, Baltimore 1, 1st game		Philadelphia 4, Montreal 1	
Baltimore 6, Baltimore 3, 2nd game		Pittsburgh 9, New York 8, 14 innings	
Toronto 6, New York 2		St. Louis 10, Chicago 2	
Milwaukee 11, Detroit 4		Houston 3, San Diego 2	
Minnesota 3, Cleveland 2		Los Angeles 5, Atlanta 3	
Chicago 5, Seattle 3		Cincinnati 10, San Francisco 6	
Oakland 7, Kansas City 6			
Texas 2, California 1, 10 innings			
Monday's Games			
Toronto (Stieb 13-8) at Baltimore (Bodicker 10-9), (n)		New York (Gooden 14-6) at Chicago (Lancaster 7-1)	
Detroit (Snell 1-1) at Boston (Sellers 7-8), (n)		Pittsburgh (Drabek 8-12) at Montreal (Sebra 6-14), (n)	
Oakland (Stewart 19-11) at Cleveland (Schrom 6-11), (n)		Philadelphia (Madux 2-9) at St. Louis (Tudor 7-2), (n)	
New York (John 12-5) at Milwaukee (Barker 2-1), (n)		Los Angeles (Welch 12-9) at San Francisco (Hammaker 10-10), (n)	
Chicago (DeLeon 10-12) at California (Finley 2-6), (n)			
Kansas City (Saberhagen 17-9) at Seattle (Campbell 0-4), (n)			
Tuesday's Games			
Toronto at Baltimore, (n)		New York at Chicago	
Detroit at Boston, (n)		San Diego at Cincinnati, (n)	
Oakland at Cleveland, (n)		Pittsburgh at Montreal, (n)	
Texas at Minnesota, (n)		Houston at Atlanta, (n)	
New York at Milwaukee, (n)		Philadelphia at St. Louis, (n)	
		Los Angeles at San Francisco, (n)	

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# Many elderly never get their day in court

**EDITOR'S NOTE** — Elderly Americans facing guardianship enjoy none of the legal safeguards extended to criminal defendants. They are often placed under someone else's care without legal representation. This is the second part of a six-day series, "Guardians of the Elderly: An Ailing System."

By FRED BAYLES and SCOTT MCCARTNEY  
Associated Press Writers

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla. (AP) — Billie sat at the table, trying to joke with the social workers and lawyers sitting around her. "Are you talking about me?" she asked the strangers who said they were there to help. The man beside her, her lawyer she was told, softly explained she needed a guardian, someone who would handle the everyday worries.

"Does this mean I won't be able to go back to where I live?" the 74-year-old woman asked. "I still want to get out and take care of my house and do shopping. I feel well enough to be on my own."

Despite her doubts, Billie was declared incompetent and assigned a guardian: another stranger who would control her life, from where she would live to how her money would be spent. It took only a few minutes.

The informal judicial hearing witnessed by AP reporters in the Fort Lauderdale boarding home was not unusual. An average of 10 people a week are placed under guardianship in this community of retirees. Nationally, 300,000 to 400,000 senior citizens are under guardianship.

What was unusual was that Billie had her "day in court" at all. A year-long investigation by The Associated Press found that senior citizens facing guardianship are often denied courtroom rights considered essential to criminal defendants and those being committed to mental hospitals.

A review of more than 2,200 cases around the country showed 44 percent of the elderly were not represented by attorneys; almost half did not attend their own hearings.

In fact, more than one in four cases had no hearings. And in places such as Cleveland or Charlotte, N.C., a proposed ward may not even get a judge — a court clerk conducts hearings and issues the ruling.

The AP also found laws vague in defining who needs guardianship, lax standards in determining the proposed ward's medical and psychological status and insensitivity toward the elderly throughout the legal process.

Combined, these factors make it very easy to get a guardianship and hard for the elderly to defend themselves against the process.

"When somebody goes to jail, the court system has bent over backwards with due process. But there is no such thing with a guardian," said Ina Katich, a Denver expert on law and the elderly.

But the process of placing someone under guardianship is not just a question of legal rights. It involves issues of medicine, psychiatry, geriatrics and, importantly, society's attitudes toward the elderly.

D'Jean Testa, a Legal Services attorney in Phoenix, recounts story after story of people who faced guardianship because their actions did not fit what society expects of older people.

In one case, a daughter sought guardianship for her mother because the elderly woman wanted to buy a camper and tour the country with a male friend. In another, a son sought guardianship to stop his father's plans to remarry.

"If you're old, you can't be foolish," said Ms. Testa.

This bias is reflected in the wording of guardianship law and the way courts handle their wards.

Guardianship is granted when a court believes a person is incompetent: unable to handle his affairs or care for herself. But a survey by the American Bar Association found that in 25 states "advanced age" is enough cause to find someone incompetent. Other reasons are equally vague, from "improvidence" in Ohio to "spendthrift" in Massachusetts and "habitual drunkard" in several states.

"Advanced age just isn't a good enough reason to appoint a guardian," said Gwen Bedford, a national director of the American Association of Retired People. "You've got to tell the difference between someone who is just eccentric and someone who really is incapacitated."

Advanced age was given as the reason for incompetence in 8 percent of the cases the AP studied. While the competency of the elderly comes under close scrutiny,

little is done to tailor the legal process to their special needs and problems.

Notices of guardianship petitions are often printed in hard-to-read legalese. For example, old people facing guardianship in Texas receive this notice calling them to court:

"... at or before 10 a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 10 days after the date of service of this citation by filing a written answer to the application of (petitioner) filed in said court on the (date) alleging said ward has no guardian and praying for the appointment of the person and estate of said ward. At said above mentioned time and place, said ward and all other persons may contest said application if they so desire."

Such warnings, sent by mail or delivered by sheriff's deputies with no other explanation, do little to inform senior citizens of their rights or the implications of guardianship.

Only 14 states specifically require that the elderly be informed of their rights and what freedoms they would lose under guardianship.

"People have the right to defend themselves and people need to know that," said Paul Wharton, an attorney with the Utah Legal Services Senior Law Center. "What really ought to be considered is providing notice, like a Miranda warning, why not our parents?"

While the proposed ward's medical status is the basis for determining incompetence, at least 11 states require no medical evidence other than the allegations of the petitioner. In fact, 34 percent of the cases examined nationwide by the AP showed no medical evidence supporting petitioners' claims; in 16 percent, the only evidence came from the petitioners.

Tod Porterfield, an 83-year-old Albion, Ind., farmer was placed under guardianship and forced into a nursing home on the strength of a petition saying he suffered from Alzheimer's disease. It was later discovered the allegation came from a social worker at a hospital where Porterfield was treated for stomach problems.

"No doctor ever diagnosed me," said Porterfield, who eventually had the guardianship overturned. "I never talked to a doctor or an officer of the court."

In some states, a simple note or fill-in-the-blank form from a family physician is enough: a Woonsocket, R.I., woman was placed under guardianship on the strength of a scrawled doctor's note that read, "She is incompetent (sic) in signing or managing her check."

Courts in 11 states appoint visitors to examine the ward and report back to the judge. The skill of these visitors and the detail of their reports vary widely.

In California, trained court employees have a checklist of questions they must answer for the court. In Oregon, the AP found instances where the visitor was the secretary for the attorney bringing the petition. A special master in Phoenix said he appointed visitors recommended by the petitioner.

Few states define what doctors or visitors should look for or how they should conduct their examinations. Many diagnoses fail to explore whether the condition is temporary or chronic. In many cases the examining doctors are unfamiliar with the proposed ward's medical history or what medication they are taking. Some doctors base their decision on non-medical determinations.

"Really, what is most important to me is whether the person could be victimized, whether the guardian will help the person," said Dr. Cesar Hernandez, a psychiatrist who performs examinations for the Broward County, Fla., courts.

Hernandez also considers the condition of the person's home and his appearance. "You talk to the person," he said. "You see if they are well-groomed, overweight, underweight, antagonistic, depressed. Can they make good conversation?"

Case files reveal brief, often perfunctory medical examinations with even briefer diagnoses: "forgetful," "diabetes" and others.

Medical experts note that because the elderly are sensitive to changes in medication, they may seem to be floundering when the condition is actually reversible. A simple vitamin deficiency can cause temporary memory lapses.

"What some doctors want to do is have some sort of cookbook form where they could diagnose the patient in five or 10 minutes," said Dr. George Grossberg, director of geriatric psychiatry

at St. Louis School of Medicine who is studying guardianship examinations for the National Institute of Mental Health.

During examinations, some doctors assume the role of inquisitor, and elderly patients may react nervously, Grossberg said. "It's easy to jump to conclusions when you push people."

As terrifying as the legal process can be, only 28 states mandate legal representation for people facing guardianship; 12 leave it optional, and 10 require no representation.

Other studies made similar conclusions to the AP's finding. A look at Los Angeles courts by the National Senior Citizen Law Center found that 96 percent of proposed wards are not represented.

On the other hand the person seeking to become a guardian is nearly always represented by an attorney whose fee, along with that for the proposed ward's court-appointed attorney, is charged to the elderly person.

"It's ironic the very person that should be represented at the hearings is not represented by counsel," said Paul Zaverella, a Pittsburgh judge.

But when attorneys are appointed, sometimes picked from a courthouse list and paid a limited fee, they often serve only as rubber stamps.

In Fort Lauderdale, court-appointed attorneys receive \$125 to conduct a brief interview. The attorneys often waive the entire hearing process when they believe guardianship is best for the person.

"You just talk to them at great lengths for five to 10 minutes and you can tell if they're competent or not," said Victor DeBianchi Jr., a Hollywood, Fla., attorney assigned by the court to represent Billie.

One Fort Lauderdale file contained a medical examination saying an elderly woman was more coherent in the morning than in the evening. Yet the attorney appointed to represent the woman interviewed her at 7:20 p.m., found her incoherent, waived the hearing and, in effect, made the judge's decision.

Dr. Dennis Koson, a forensic psychiatrist, looked at 200 guardianship cases in the Broward County, Fla., court system as an associate law professor at Nova University. He found that court-appointed attorneys told judges hearings would not be necessary 90 percent of the time.

In 44 percent of the cases, the proposed ward's attorney served a dual role as a member of the examining committee called upon to determine the person's competency.

"That was shocking," said Koson. "Their own attorney was making the determination."

Attorneys in Fort Lauderdale were waiving clients' rights so often that the state appeals court this summer ruled that hearings must be held in all guardianship cases.

"What the decision says is that an attorney cannot give away a client's rights, something that was done regularly," said Nancy Trease, the Legal Aid attorney who brought the suit that led to the ruling.

Attorneys who want to help clients trying to fight guardianship often find themselves at odds with judges who believe lawyers should do what they think best for the proposed ward.

"The judge wants to know what you're doing in his courtroom wasting time," said Steve Feldman, a Philadelphia lawyer.

Judge Francis Christie, a Miami probate judge, sees no need for an attorney's advocacy if it is clear the proposed ward needs help.

"I have told the attorneys that they should not formulate and adopt the Clarence Darrow philosophy," he said. "If a person is incompetent they should have a guardian. That should be obvious to the attorney once they meet the client."

Casual attitudes toward the rights of the elderly are repeatedly reflected in guardianship case files. In Mississippi, the AP found a case in which Lenore Prather, now a state Supreme Court justice, had presided over a guardianship case, her husband had served as the petitioner's attorney, and the proposed ward was also a relative.

When asked about the case, Prather acknowledged she should have followed state bar association ethics guidelines and noted the family ties in the court record.

"It was a family situation where there was no contest," Prather said.

Many of these factors were at work when two attorneys, two social workers and a probate master, an attorney deputized to serve as a judge, held the hearing to determine Billie's competency.

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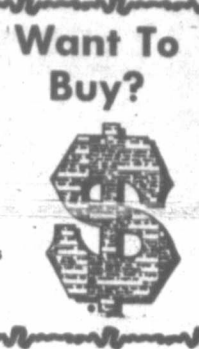
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naries, mostly from Druse warlord Walid Jumblatt's Progressive Socialist Party, (flag), were due to begin leaving by air for Tripoli on Monday.

## Indian visit is tearful for elders, political for leaders

FORT SIMPSON, Northwest Territories (AP) — Receiving Holy Communion from the pope was a tearful experience for tribal elders, but John Paul II's colorful pilgrimage to this Indian outpost was also highly political.

Leaders of Canada's half a million Indians and Inuit (Eskimos) are locked in dispute with the federal and provincial governments over native rights, including comprehensive claims for land and resources.

Hours before arriving Sunday, the pope strengthened his address to reinforce native demands for self-government.

He also affirmed their right to a "land base and adequate resources necessary for developing a viable economy."

"Every time this statement is made, it helps," said George Erasmus, president of the Indian Assembly of First Nations.

The pope was repeating sentiments he expressed in Yellowknife three years ago when fog prevented him from speaking to assembled Indians in Fort Simpson. But native leaders have suffered setbacks since then, and made several trips to Rome to urge the pontiff to reschedule his visit.

In March, negotiations on spelling out aboriginal rights in the Constitution broke down and no further sessions are planned.

The Northwest Territories is taking the federal government to court over a separate constitutional accord that would make it harder for the vast region — with only 50,000 inhabitants — to become a province.

"I hope (Prime Minister) Brian Mulroney and the (provincial) premiers were watching," said Nick Sibbeston, a half-Indian Meti who is leader of

the Territories' government.

He said the pope's four-hour visit, which drew some 4,000 members of the Dene Indian nation, was much more political than spiritual.

"It was a world stage for a few hours for the Dene and aboriginal peoples across Canada," Sibbeston said.

French missionaries brought Roman Catholicism to caribou country in the 1850s, and the papal visit was intended to boost a church facing decline because of a lack of priests and disinterest among youth.

The pope stepped right into a controversy when he praised past and present missionaries as "best friends" with respect for Indian customs.

Since the 1950s, Indians have been trying to repair the damage done by missionary schools where natives were punished for speaking their own languages and taught to emulate white culture.

The pope apologized for past errors in his remarks three years ago, and again last week when addressing Indians in Arizona, but he omitted the sentiment Sunday.

For many of the Indians and Inuit from more than 20 settlements across the northern third of Canada, the chance to see, touch and take Communion from the pope brought tears.

"He lifted up our hearts," said 59-year-old Mary Redhead, a blind woman from Sturgeon Lake, Alberta, who was blessed by the pontiff.

Greg Nolicho of Saskatchewan said: "It's like greeting Jesus Christ on earth."

It was the final stop for the pope after a 10-day tour of the United States. He flew home to Rome Sunday night.

## Emily could be Gulf's first hurricane of the season

By The Associated Press

A late-season tropical storm churning into the Caribbean is the first this year to pose a potential threat to Texas.

Emily, born Sunday from a tropical depression east of Barbados, was expected to strengthen as it moved west-northwest at 15 to 20 mph, forecasters said.

"Conditions favor some strengthening during the next 24 hours," National Hurricane Center forecaster Hal Gerrish said in the initial advisory on the storm. "All interests in the Lesser Antilles should closely monitor the progress of this storm."

The storm brought 45 mph winds and 5-inch rains to Barbados early today and headed on toward St. Vincent, packing winds of at least 60 mph, forecasters said.

"Barbados had gale-force winds at 3 a.m. and the storm has moved to the southwest of Barbados. The next (likely landfall) location would be St. Vincent," said Miles Lawrence, hurricane forecaster at the National Hurricane Center in nearby Coral Gables.

Tropical storm warnings were posted early today for the southern Caribbean.

The center was only 50 miles east of St. Vincent, or at 12.8 north latitude and 60.5 west longitude at 6 a.m. today. The storm was moving west-northwest at about 20 mph, Lawrence said.

The fifth named storm of the season, Emily is the first that could enter the Gulf of Mexico. Usually, storms developing late in the season swing along the Atlantic coast of the U.S. instead of into the Gulf.

There were four previous named tropical storms in this year's hurricane season, which began June 1 and ends Nov. 30.

Only the first, Arlene, reached hurricane status with winds exceeding 74 mph. All the other storms died at sea, including Dennis, which expired Sunday 1,000 miles east of Bermuda.

While September hurricanes are statistically rare for Texas, they are not unusual.

Tropical storms and hurricanes have been given names since the 1950s.



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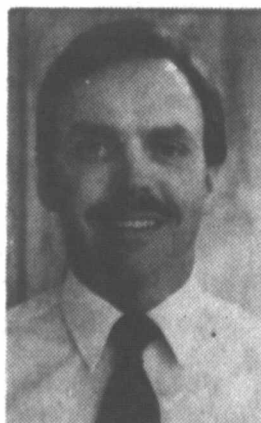
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