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Area resident feared aboard bombed ship isn't on roster

From Staff and Wire Reports

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration, fighting congressional criticism of its Persian Gulf policy, says keeping American warships in the waterway and registering Kuwaiti tankers under the U.S. flag will counter Iranian and Soviet threats.

Administration officials also said Tuesday that the seven U.S. Navy vessels in the gulf were preoccupied with the threat of attack by Iran, helping explain why one of the ships, the USS Stark, did not defend itself Sunday against an Iraqi missile that claimed 37 American lives.

Meanwhile, a Skellytown native who relatives feared was aboard the Stark, was not listed on the ship's roster, a Navy spokesman said today.

Wesley Rogers, son of Gene and Janet Rogers of Skellytown, had been aboard the vessel, "the last we knew," Mrs. Rogers said this morning.

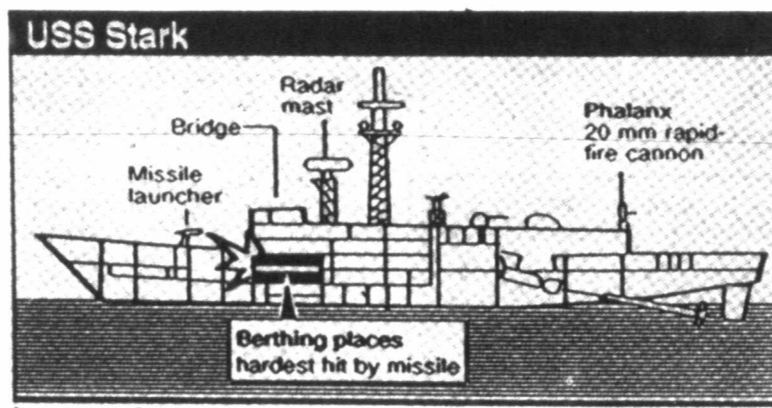
The woman said the Skellytown family was awaiting word of her son's fate from the Navy.

"This is a private matter," Mrs. Rogers said. "We don't want any tearful interviews."

Navy spokesman Ensign Tim Juarez of Norfolk, Va., said today that Rogers was not aboard the Stark, according to the ship's log.

"Our information was that he was not on the Stark at the time (of the missile attack)," Juarez said.

Rogers' brother, Scott Rogers, an employee of Lake Meredith Marina in Sanford, also said today that his brother was not aboard the attacked ship. He said



Source: Navy Department

AP/ Nancy Carpenter

his brother reportedly was last stationed on the USS Riley, based in Norfolk.

Today's edition of the *San Francisco Examiner*, in another possible explanation of what happened in the Stark attack, quotes an anonymous administration source as saying that sophisticated radar aboard the ship was unmanned or failed to operate properly during a crucial moment in the attack.

A dispatch by Hearst Newspapers, quoting an unidentified administration source, reported that the wife of Stark Cmdr. Glenn Brindels had written a letter to an unidentified person complaining that "nothing worked on the ship" and that the 5-year-old ship was "in terrible shape."

The Hearst report had no other details about the letter from Donna Brindels, including the basis for her opinions about the ship. The contents of the letter were described by a source familiar with the allegations.

Lt. Alice Prucha, a Pentagon

spokeswoman, said today she was unaware of such a letter. She had no comment on the radar report.

In Baghdad, meanwhile, Iraqi Foreign Minister Tarek Aziz said the fighter pilot who attacked the Stark believed he was firing on an Iranian vessel.

At a news conference Tuesday night, Aziz said the Iraqi pilot did not receive any signals from the frigate before he fired his missiles.

The newspaper *Ash-Sharq* in Beirut, Lebanon, today reported that two Iraqi pilots who fired on the Stark were arrested by Iraqi authorities and interrogated. The paper is aligned with Syria — Iraq's main Arab rival — and has frequently been wrong regarding Iraqi affairs.

Shortly after the attack, U.S. officials joined with Iraqi officials in calling the incident a mistake.

State Department spokeswoman Phyllis Oakley said Tuesday.

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Bears eat child Brooklyn zoo animals devour 11-year-old boy

By JOHN M. DOYLE
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Two polar bears killed and partially ate an 11-year-old boy who went with two playmates to their lair for a swim, and police shot to death the half-ton animals as they fought over the remains, authorities said.

"It's too gory, too horrendous to describe," said Mayor Edward I. Koch.

"It's awful, awful. The lower part of the body had been chewed up."

Police initially thought the bears had devoured the other playmates, whose clothes were found inside the fenced-in compound Tuesday night at Brooklyn's Prospect Park Zoo. The boys had returned home safely, police said.

Police needed 20 blasts from four shotguns and six rounds from a .38-caliber pistol to kill the animals, one of which had dragged the boy, Juan Perez, into its lair, said police spokesman Officer Peter O'Donnell.

The boy and two other 11-year-olds had decided to take an after-hour dip in the moat inside the fence, he said.

They took off their clothes, but the two lost their nerve, O'Don-

nell said. Perez then threw everyone's clothes into the cage, and he and a playmate squeezed through the fence to fetch them, O'Donnell said.

At about that point the bears woke up, O'Donnell said. "The first one comes down and does nothing, just looks at the kids. Then the second one comes down and grabs Juan and drags him up the rocks into the cave."

One of the bears, Teddy, a 33-year-old male, weighed 1,400 pounds; the other, a 32-year-old female named Lucy, weighed 900 pounds, parks officials said.

Officers responding to a report of screams from the cage had to wait for the groundskeeper to open the zoo's bolted gates, police said.

"They saw two bears actually devouring a child," said First Deputy Police Commissioner Richard Condon. He added that the animals were fighting over the boy.

Autopsies done immediately on the bears found remains of only one human, said Dr. Elliot Gross, the city's chief medical examiner. The other children had returned home without clothes and were brought to police by their parents.

An investigation was to begin today by the Parks Department.

School to refurbish track, tennis courts

By PAUL PINKHAM
Senior Staff Writer

Fresh on the heels of honoring the girls track team for a second place finish at the state meet, Pampa school trustees cleared the first major hurdle Tuesday toward fixing the deteriorated high school track.

Trustees directed BGR Architects and Engineers of Lubbock to begin drawing up bid specifications for major resurfacing of both the track and high school tennis courts at a combined estimate of \$159,000.

The decision came during a meeting when trustees had already honored the Pampa girls track team with a proclamation for finishing second at the state meet in Austin last weekend.

Work on the \$63,000 track project will consist of repairing the existing surface, then resurfacing it and the field events area east of Harvester Field, BGR architect Frank Wilson explained.

Wilson said the tennis court project — at an estimated cost of \$6,000 — will include a major re-

working of the deteriorated south courts and resurfacing of the north courts.

Jack Miller, from Vibra-Whirl construction company of Panhandle, said both projects conceivably could be finished by Aug. 15, and should last, with the exception of occasional restriping, for eight to 10 years with good maintenance. Miller accompanied Wilson to Tuesday's meeting.

Interim Superintendent Tommy Cathey has been sounding the alarm about the deteriorating track and tennis court conditions for more than two years. Money has always been the sticking point, and Tuesday was no exception.

"We've been putting these projects off for a good two years, and yet we're in worse financial condition now than we were two years ago," board President Joe VanZandt remarked.

But, in the end, concerns for athletes' safety won out, at least enough to seek bid specifications.

Trustee Darville Orr said he worries about serious injuries

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(Staff Photo by Duane A. Laverty)

Grimes enters courtroom Tuesday.

Girl testifies man abducted, raped her

By PAUL PINKHAM
Senior Staff Writer

A 10-year-old girl, called a "real little trooper" by one courtroom observer, told a jury Tuesday that she was kidnapped while walking home from Sunday school, then taken outside the city limits and raped.

Testifying in the child-rape trial of 28-year-old Troy Lee Grimes, the Pampa girl said the man who raped her threatened to kill her several times before driving her back to Pampa and giving her \$2 last November.

The youngster never looked at Grimes and was not asked to identify him as her attacker, as testimony got under way before the jury of nine men and three women.

Grimes, formerly of 1013 Huff Road, faces charges of aggravated sexual assault of a child in the Nov. 9 attack. The charges carry a sentence of five to 99 years in prison and a maximum fine of \$10,000.

The black defendant — who faces an all-white jury — was arrested Nov. 9 in the 1000 block

of Love Street after the girl and her grandparents went to police. He has been in jail since his arrest, unable to post a \$25,000 bond.

In a soft, fearful voice that was at times barely audible, the girl, now 11, testified that she was walking home to her grandparents' house on Crawford Street from Sunday school at New Hope Baptist Church on Nov. 9. She said she saw a man sitting in his car at Marcus Sanders Park as she cut across the park to get home.

She said she had learned in Sunday school not to lie.

"You sin," she told jurors Tuesday. "You may go to the devil."

The youngster said the man honked his horn, then, after asking her several questions, told her if she didn't get in his car he was going to kill her. When she tried to run away, she said, he grabbed her by the arm and jerked her into the car.

She said she remembers seeing a sign dangling from the rear.

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Pampa plant has craving for sweetener

By CATHY SPAULDING
Staff Writer

Pampa's economy may get sweeter if Hoechst-Celanese Chemical Co. is allowed to bring an artificial sweetener to American markets.

That was the dessert Pampa Celanese Plant Manager Ron Guard offered at Tuesday's Pampa Chamber of Commerce membership luncheon.

Guard announced that Hoechst, the West German company that acquired Celanese Corp. in February, manufactures an artificial sweetener that it wants to introduce to American markets.

The sweetener, which has no brand name yet, is already popular in Europe and needs only Food and Drug Administration approval for U.S. markets, Guard said.

If and when it does hit the states, Guard said, it's going to need a good supply of the

chemical ketene as a base, Guard said. And ketene is one chemical the Pampa plant has plenty of, he added.

"In fact, we have excess capacity for ketene," Guard said, explaining that the chemical is used to make acetic anhydride.

"Hoechst looked at our ketene capacity as an opportunity to make sweetener in the United States," Guard said. "They are also looking at a plant in South Carolina, but I feel we may have a slight edge."

Guard compared the Hoechst sweetener to aspartame (the base for such commercial products as NutraSweet), an artificial sweetener found in Equal packets and diet soft drinks.

He added that the European sweetener is better than aspartame because it has a longer shelf life and will not decompose when heated. That means that, unlike aspartame, the new sweetener can be used in cooking.

After the luncheon, Guard said Hoechst's biggest obstacle in bringing the sweetener stateside is approval by the FDA.

"But that's just a matter of time before the sweetener is approved in dry form (the powder packets)," Guard said. "And we're looking at another 18 months for wet (diet sodas) approval."

But the Pampa plant has "two irons in the fire" as far as growth potential is concerned, the plant manager said.

According to Guard, Hoechst is looking for sites in Texas to manufacture agricultural chemicals. He said he doesn't have any details on those plans yet.

Guard admitted that he was at first worried about the German company's takeover.

He said that with 19 years at Celanese, he didn't want the company to be purchased, "especially by a foreign company." "But part of it was pride in what we had

in the past," Guard said, adding that he had to put his initial emotions aside and "look at the fact we're part of a larger company."

He said the February merger brought opportunities to the Pampa plant.

Guard said the new company owners are interested in and impressed with Pampa. "We had a visit two weeks ago from corporate headquarters and they were very impressed with our facility," Guard said.

The Hoechst-Celanese merger combines two corporations with two marketing styles, according to Guard.

He explained that Celanese, a public stockholder-owned American corporation, is "market driven, action-oriented, profit-oriented with short term goals." It was on the stock exchange before the merger.

Hoechst, on the other hand, is privately owned and geared toward technology.



Guard uses sweetener.

Daily Record

Services tomorrow

FARRIELL, Jess Z. - 11 a.m., Fairview Cemetery.
McGILL, Casey Elizabeth - 3 p.m., Memory Gardens Cemetery, Amarillo.

MILLER, Henry Orestes - 3 p.m., Wheeler Cemetery, Wheeler.

Obituaries

CASEY ELIZABETH MCGILL AMARILLO—Graveside services for Casey Elizabeth McGill, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike McGill of Amarillo, will be at 3 p.m. Thursday at Memory Gardens Cemetery in Amarillo with Rev. Jess Younger, associate pastor of South Georgia Baptist Church, officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Schooler-Gordon Bell Avenue Chapel. The infant died Monday in Amarillo.

In addition to the parents, survivors include two sisters, Tasha and Ashley McGill, both of the home; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wood, Pampa; Vicki Heiskell, Amarillo; Alvin McGill, Wilmer, Minn., and Gayle Gully, Muskogee, Okla.; and great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L.A. McGill, Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Heiskell, Pampa, and Mrs. Elaine Gully of Munday.

LULA HARRIS
 SHAMROCK - Services are pending with Richerson Funeral Home for Lula Harris, 90. She died at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday.

She was born Aug. 21, 1896 in Ellis County. She had lived in Shamrock since 1931, moving there from Lockney. She married Hillary A. Harris in September, 1912 in Ellis County. She was a member of the Eleventh Street Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her husband.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Lucille O'Neal, Shamrock, and Mrs. Rachel Brown, Mineral Wells; eight grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandsons.

JESS Z. FARRIELL
 Graveside services for Jess Z. Farriell, 83, will be at 11 a.m. Thursday in Fairview Cemetery. Officiating will be Rev. Jim Fox, Hobart Baptist Church pastor.

Arrangements are under the direction of Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

Mr. Fox died Tuesday.
 He moved to Pampa in 1940 from Cimarron, N.M. He married Viola Ford in 1927 at Quinton, Okla.; she died in 1946.

Survivors include three sons, Marvin Farriell, Pampa; Howard Farriell, Dallas, and David Farriell, Waco; a daughter, Bonnie Robertson, Carlbad, N.M.; 11 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

HENRY ORESTES MILLER
 BORGER - Graveside services for Henry Orestes Miller, 88, of Borger, a former Wheeler resident, will be at 3 p.m. Thursday in Wheeler Cemetery at Wheeler. Officiating will be Rev. James Putnam, pastor of St. Paul United Methodist Church of Pampa.

Arrangements are under the direction of Wright Funeral Home of Wheeler.

Mr. Miller died Tuesday afternoon in Borger.
 He was born Feb. 27, 1899 at Baird. He married Virginia Conwell; she died in 1985. He was the retired owner and operator of Service Cleaners in Borger. He was also preceded in death by a son, S.D. (Sam David) Miller, in 1986.

Survivors include a daughter, Pauline McCarroll, Algarve, Portugal; three sisters, Ruth Hayhurst, Waco; Barbara Clay, Chowchilla, Calif., and Texas Landtroop, Peoria, Ariz.; three grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Stock market

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

Wheat	2.33	closed
Wheat	2.91	closed
Corn	3.47	closed

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

Damen Oil	1 1/2	dn 1/4
Ky. Cent. Life	14 1/2	up 1/4
Service	36 1/2	dn 1/4

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

Amoco	52 1/4	dn 1/4
Arco	87	dn 1/4
Cabot	36 1/2	dn 1/4

Chevron 55 3/4 up 1/4
 DIA 46 1/2 closed
 Enron 45 1/4 dn 1/4
 Halliburton 35 1/2 dn 1/4
 HCA 44 dn 1/4
 Ingersoll-Rand 77 1/2 dn 1/4
 Kerr-McGee 35 NC
 KNE 18 dn 1/4
 Mapco 58 1/2 dn 1/4
 Mesa Ltd 15 1/2 dn 1/4
 Phillips 47 1/2 dn 1/4
 Pennco 47 1/2 up 1/4
 Phillips 15 1/2 dn 1/4
 SLB 41 1/2 dn 1/4
 SPS 25 1/2 dn 1/4
 Taseco 45 1/2 dn 1/4
 Texaco 38 1/2 dn 1/4
 London Gold 479.96
 Silver 9.47

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions
 Ruby Back, McLean
 Laverne Devoll,
 Pampa
 Sharon Hegeman,
 Pampa
 Glenn Knight, Pampa
 Edwin Lick, Skellytown
 Ethel Meador,
 McLean
 Jack Prater, Pampa
 Jay Roth, Pampa
 Richard Wilson, Harlingen

Births
 Vivian Cornelious, Pampa, a girl.
Dismissals
 Iona Cornwell, Skellytown
 Brenda Donelson, Pampa
 Wanda Fleming, Pampa
 Hazel Lamke, Pampa
 Norma McBe, Lefors
 Carrie Riley, Pampa
 Curtis Schaffer, Pampa

Police report

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

TUESDAY, May 19
 Damage to a Southwestern Public Service meter, estimated at \$40, was reported in the 1200 block of Mary Ellen.
 An 18-year-old woman reported being slapped in the 400 block of North Somerville.
 Driving while intoxicated was alleged in the 700 block of East 23rd.
 Disorderly conduct and resisting arrest were reported in the 400 block of South Cuyler.
 Gloria Angela Romero, 937 S. Hobart, reported disorderly conduct at the address.

WEDNESDAY, May 20
 A window was reported smashed at Pampa High School, 111 E. Harvester.

Arrests-City Jail
TUESDAY, May 19
 David Lee Day, 17, 2420 Comanche, was arrested in the 2400 block of Duncan on charges of driving while intoxicated and traffic offenses, and was released to the Gray County Sheriff's Department after posting bond.
 Pedro Rodriguez, 39, 202 Craven, was arrested in the 400 block of South Cuyler on charges of public intoxication, disorderly conduct and resisting arrest.

Minor accidents

The Pampa Police Department reported the following traffic accident for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

TUESDAY, May 19
 A 1979 Oldsmobile, driven by Glenda Ray Currie, 1932 N. Banks, collided with a legally parked 1977 Pontiac, registered to Charles A. Fletcher, 1400 Crescent, in the 1400 block of Crescent. No injuries were reported. Currie was cited for unsafe backing.

Fire report

The Pampa Fire Department reported one fire run in the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today.

TUESDAY, May 19
 11:30 a.m. Flash fire in tractor trailer rig owned by Cabot Corp. Cabot employees put out the fire by the time fire department arrived.

Emergency numbers

Energas	665-5770
Fire	669-1177
Police	669-1177
SPS	669-7432
Water	665-3881
Ambulance	669-1177

School

occurring on the track due to its deterioration. Orr also said estimated costs have risen nearly 30 percent since trustees first started considering the project.

Trustee John Curry noted that the community — not just students — uses both the track and courts.

"Because they are somewhat the public image of the school system, I think we ought to go ahead with it," Curry said.

Architect Wilson said BGR tried to determine a way to place field events inside the Harvester stadium complex — either north of the football field or in the southeast corner of the stadium. Currently, field events are held east of Harvester Field, behind the visitors' bleachers.

But, Wilson said, the area north of the football field is a natural drainage area, and there is not enough room in the southeast corner of the stadium.

"Conditions are marginal, drainage had a significant impact, and we felt like where they were located is the best place for them," Wilson said.

School officials also asked about having the track paved in green with gold stripes. Miller said that would cost an extra \$6,000.

Tuesday was also a night for honors. In addition to recognizing the achievements of the Lady Harvester track team, trustees also honored state 4-A typing champion Tommy Joe Bowers and five retiring educators with 165 years of experience between them.

The honored retiring teachers include Dan Johnson, Geraldine Rampey, Jean Casey, Howard Graham and Wathena Watt.

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In other action Tuesday, trustees:

- directed Cathey to advertise for bids for a new telephone system for the schools;
- set the 1987-88 tuition rate for transfer students at \$1,827; and
- accepted the resignations of Watt, Steve James, Eileen Strong, Beverly Jack and Paulette Edgar; employed Terri Wells as Travis third grade teacher, Marva Delk as Baker resource advisor and Rebecca Poland as Mann fifth-grade teacher; and reassigned Amy Parnell to Travis music teacher, Shirley Moore to Travis fourth-grade teacher, Berdene Neef to Mann first-grade teacher, Sandy Osborne to high school math teacher, Bill Mackey to half drafting and half ICT instructor, and Jane Anne McBride to half office education lab and half office education co-op lab instructor.

When he asked someone to identify the car, Grimes stepped forward and said it was his, Cox said.

The suspect was then arrested, the officer testified.

Assistant District Attorney Harold Comer told prospective jurors before testimony began that he plans to seek the maximum life imprisonment if Grimes is found guilty.

"The evidence envelops the defendant in a shroud of guilt from which he cannot escape," Comer said.

"You can imagine the fear and the terror, but the little girl, even at 10 years old, used what force she could" by punching her attacker in the stomach, the prosecutor added.

But Grimes' court-appointed attorney, Pink Dickens of Amarillo, said he plans to establish the alibi that Grimes was seen talking to family and friends at the time of the assault.

The trial is expected to last through Thursday, Comer said.

The man then drove her back to Marcus-Sanders Park and handed her \$2. She said she ran home, and noticed she was bleeding.

The girl's grandmother testified Tuesday that her granddaughter came home crying that she had been raped. But she asked her grandmother not to tell authorities.

"She said, 'Don't tell it! Don't tell it!'" the grandmother testified. "She said, 'He said he'd kill me and kill the whole family.'"

Also testifying Tuesday were Pampa police Detective Mark King and Patrolman Terry Cox. King said he met the girl at HCA Coronado Hospital, where she underwent emergency surgery for pelvic injuries caused by the attack.

King said the girl appeared withdrawn and "might have been in shock," but was able to describe her attacker and his car. The description of a tall black man with a deep voice and thick glasses fit Grimes.

Cox said he later located the car in the 1000 block of South Love, near a crowd of people.

Girl

view mirror that read "I Love Grass & ..."

The man then held her with one arm as he drove south out of town, the girl testified. She said she remembers seeing a sign for Bowers City, before turning onto a gravel road.

As they turned onto the back road, the man said if she told anyone what they did he would kill her, "and if he goes to jail, then his big brother was going to come kill me and my family," the girl testified.

Later, she said, he produced a knife from under the driver's seat and told her he would kill her if she didn't stop crying. He threatened her life again when she tried to punch him in the stomach, she testified.

After driving a short distance on the gravel road, the man stopped the car, pulled off her panties, put a towel over her face and then sodomized and raped her, the girl told jurors.

Kennedy boosts health insurance

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Edward Kennedy and others launched a drive to require all employers to offer health insurance benefits, proposing a plan that would cost \$25 billion and extend coverage to more than 24 million people.

"There is a fundamental flaw in a health care system that denies millions of Americans the right to health care that is adequate for their needs and affordable for their pocketbooks," Kennedy, chairman of the Labor and Human Resources Committee, said at a news conference Tuesday.

"The proposal we are introducing today will require that every working American have access to

at least a minimum package of health insurance," he said, contending the requirement would not have a negative impact on business.

Under the bill, co-sponsored by Kennedy, D-Mass., and Sen. Lowell Weicker, R-Conn., employers would have to offer benefits that cover hospital care, physician care, diagnostic tests, prenatal care, well-baby care and limited catastrophic care.

Affected would be 24.3 million workers and dependents, or two-thirds of the 37 million Americans estimated to lack medical insurance. Employers would have to pay at least 80 percent of the projected 40-cent-per-hour cost per worker.

Choral plans show Thursday at PHS

The Pampa High School Choral Department will put on its annual Variety Show at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the high school auditorium.

Featured in the show will be skits, solo acts, duets, groups, piano solos, dance acts and performances by the Mixed Choir, Concert Choir and Show Choir.

Solo performers include Cyndi Epperly, Valerie Anderson, Grant Peurifoy, Leslie McQueen, Chris Gustin, Marla Jett and MaLori Davis.

Other solo performers include Donnie Berry, Ronnie Berry, Angie Harvey, Krystal Keyes, Julianna Enloe, Talley Potter, Kathy Smith, Kenny Steward, Kelley Harris, Sheryl Williamson, Ricky Chapman, Mark Bridges, Mark Wood, Corey Coon, Greg Wilson and Brian Hogan.

City Briefs

CHAUTAQUA PLANS are underway for the 6th Annual Chautauqua. Pampa's Labor Day Festival in Central Park, September 7, 1987. Please write Chautauqua, P.O. Box 2094, Pampa, Tx. 79065 for more information.

BOBEE J'S Boutique, now open in Plaza 21. 2143 N. Hobart. Ladies fashions, jewelry. Adv.

ALL FORMALS now 25-50% off at Michelle's, Pampa Mall. Adv.

CPR CLASSES now available. Dee Barker, 665-3721. Adv.

WILD WEDNESDAY this week. Free, for members, wild game feast plus "Silver Nickel" band! Stage Stop, 1101 Alcock. Adv.

PERM SALE \$20. Thursday last day! Steve and Stars, 701 N. Hobart. 665-8958. Adv.

COFFE MEMORIAL Blood Bank will have a blood drive May 21st, 2 p.m. to 8 p.m., at HCA Coronado Hospital.

LOST: AUSTIN Area. 6 month old Siberian Husky, black and white. Before 5, 665-4441 ask for Robby. After 5, 669-1909 or Roysse Animal Hospital and give tag number. Reward. Adv.

BARBEQUE AND all the trimmings. Free for members, tonight at the Star Dust, 618 W. Foster. Adv.

ART SHOW Lovette Memorial Library, May 21, 22, 23. Blanche Wilson's students. Adults and childrens work. 665-2645. Adv.

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

ROCK & Roll tonight at Catalina Club. Ladies night specials. Adv.

TOP O Texas Chapter 1064 OES will meet Thursday night 7:30 p.m.

ROWDY ACE will be playing Friday and Saturday for your dancing pleasure at Catalina Club. Adv.

Ship

day the United States was willing to join with Iraq in a joint investigation of the attack.

"Both governments are determined not to allow a recurrence of such an error," she said. "We have not yet worked out the timing and the modalities of the (joint) investigation."

The mild U.S. reaction to the attack and the decision to protect ships from Kuwait, a non-belligerent Arab ally of Iraq, were signs of a growing American tilt toward Baghdad in its nearly 7-year-old conflict with Iran.

Senate Republican leader Bob Dole of Kansas called for "a special, renewed examination" of the Kuwait deal. "That plan may still make sense, but at the least, in light of Sunday's tragedy, we need to take a new look," Dole said.

"Are we becoming a silent party to the Iran-Iraq war?" said Rep. Tom Lantos, D-Calif., chairman of the House Foreign Affairs subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East.

But Richard Murphy, assistant secretary of state for Near East affairs, said the Soviet Union has leased three tankers to the Kuwaitis, putting them under the protection of its hammer-and-sickle banner.

"We do not want the Soviet Union to obtain a strategic position

from which it could threaten vital free-world interests in the region," Murphy told Lantos' subcommittee. "We believe our arrangement will limit Soviet advances."

In other developments:

- President Reagan, in an interview with newspapers in the Chattanooga, Tenn., area, said the administration is waiting to find out why the guided-missile frigate didn't return fire at the attacking Iraqi plane in the 60 seconds to 90 seconds during which such a response would have been possible.

And in a speech to 2,700 graduating high school seniors in the Chattanooga area, Reagan said U.S. military forces in the gulf had been told to "defend yourselves" against possible attacks spilling over from the Iran-Iraq war.

"We're going to do what has to be done to keep the Persian Gulf open," Reagan said. "It's international waters. No country there has a right to try and close it off and take it for itself. And the villain in the piece really is Iran. And so they're delighted with what has just happened."

Rear Adm. Harold J. Bernsen, speaking to reporters in the gulf state of Bahrain, said the Stark had about a minute's warning that the Iraqi warplane had turned on its weapons radar and had locked in on the frigate. But based on preliminary reports, the admiral said, there was "no in-

dications" to the crew that a missile had actually been launched. He said an official Navy board of inquiry into the attack will begin today.

Two Saudi Arabian F-15 fighters were in the air and asked to force down the Iraqi plane, but the fighters couldn't get clearance from their ground controllers to do so before they ran low on fuel, administration officials said. The officials, speaking only on condition they not be named, said the request was relayed from a U.S.-manned AWACS radar-surveillance plane either during or just after the attack.

Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger acknowledged that "we don't know why" the Stark did not return fire on the Iraqi warplane which hit it with at least one French-made Exocet missile.

The ship's Phalanx gatling gun anti-missile system was in manual rather than in an automatic mode in which computers would have directed the guns to open fire, *The Washington Post* reported in today's editions, quoting Pentagon sources it did not name.

Navy veterans of the Persian Gulf told the Post earlier there are so many false alarms from stray aircraft that it would not be unusual for a ship's commander to keep the Phalanx under his own control rather than the computer's.

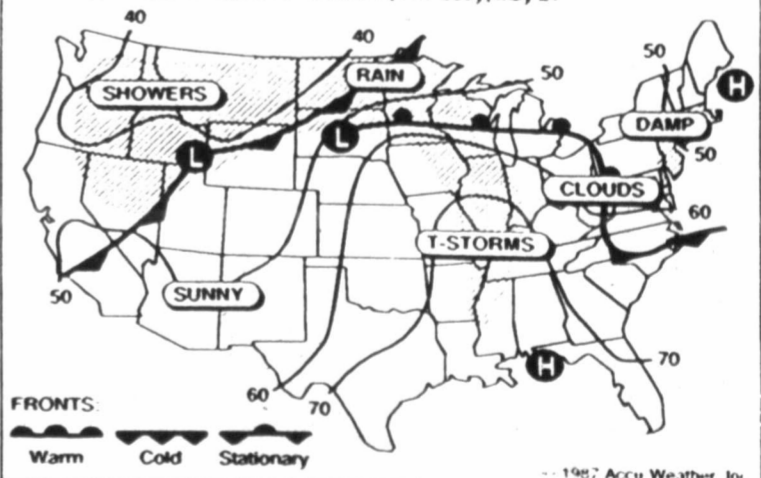
Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST
 Partly cloudy tonight with a low in the mid 50s and southerly winds at 10 to 15 mph. Partly cloudy Thursday with a high of 85 and south to southwesterly winds at 10 to 20 mph and gusty. High Tuesday, 73; low this morning, 59. Pampa received 0.37 inch of precipitation in the 24-hour period ending at 6 a.m. today.

REGIONAL FORECAST
 West Texas — Fair to partly cloudy tonight and Thursday. Lows tonight mid 50s Panhandle and southwest to mid 60s south. Highs Thursday mid 80s north to mid 90s south.
 North Texas — Isolated mainly afternoon and evening thunderstorms central and east tonight and Thursday. Otherwise, partly cloudy. Lows tonight 65 to 70. Highs Thursday 87 to 92.
 South Texas — Cloudy mornings with partly cloudy and warm afternoons through Thursday. Widely scattered thundershowers most sections Thursday afternoon. Lows tonight mostly 70s. Highs Thursday in the 90s.

EXTENDED FORECAST
 Friday through Sunday
 West Texas — Partly cloudy with scattered thunderstorms

The Accu-Weather forecast for 8 A.M., Thursday, May 21



and minor day to day temperature changes. Lows Panhandle mid 50s and highs around 80. Lows South Plains upper 50s. Highs mid 80s. Lows Permian Basin in lower 60s and highs upper 80s. Lows far west mid 50s to near 60 and highs upper 80s.

North Texas — Partly cloudy warm and humid with a chance of thunderstorms Saturday and Sunday. Highs in the 90s Friday and Saturday lowering into the 80s Sunday. Lows in the 60s.

South Texas — Partly cloudy and warm with a chance of thundershowers mainly northern sections. Highs in the 90s and lows mostly in the 70s, except 60s Hill Country.

BORDER STATES
 Oklahoma — Widely scattered thunderstorms east tonight and statewide Thursday. Highs Thursday low 80s to low 90s. Lows tonight mid 50s to mid 60s.

New Mexico — Fair skies tonight. Partly cloudy Thursday with isolated afternoon and evening thundershowers over the mountains. Highs Thursday will be in the upper 60s and low 70s in the mountains with 70s to mid-80s at lower elevations. Lows tonight will be in the mid-30s to mid-40s in the mountains with mid-40s to mid-50s elsewhere.

Texas/Regional

Concealed weapon bill gunned down by House

AUSTIN (AP) — Lawmakers concerned about the state's image and the safety of law enforcement officials combined in the House to kill a measure that would have allowed Texans to carry concealed weapons.

"Don't you think if this bill was to pass that the news would go out all over the country that we're a bunch of wild Indians here in this state?" said Rep. Lloyd Criss, D-LaMarque.

"I've attended too doggone many funerals of police officers and deputy sheriffs and highway patrol members who were killed in the line of duty. If we

allow this bill to become enacted into law there will be an awful lot more members of the law enforcement community in the state of Texas killed," said Rep. Dick Burnett, D-San Angelo, and a former FBI agent.

But Rep. Ron Wilson, D-Houston, said criminals would think twice before striking a victim that might be packing a pistol.

"Quite frankly, if it comes down to us deciding who is going to be inflicted with some kind of bodily harm in those instances, I'd much rather it be the criminal than the law-abiding person,"

Wilson said Tuesday before his bill was killed by a 79-48 margin.

His bill would have allowed people of sound mind and no criminal record to pay a \$100 license fee to carry a concealed weapon. The weapon could not be carried in places such as a bank, airport, place of worship or meeting of a government body.

"You're not going to stop criminals from having guns. If somebody assaults someone with a gun I want that potential victim, that vulnerable one, to be able to speak up and be able to stand up for themselves for a change," Wilson

said. Criss said the bill could hurt economic development.

"If you had a corporation in another state and you were planning to come to Texas, if you knew we were all ready and armed for you would you want to bring your new business in Texas," he said.

Wilson, D-Houston, stuck to his guns despite the verbal fire.

"There is a problem out there," he said, referring to crime statistics and calls and letters he has received from people who want to carry concealed

weapons for protection. "This is not a bill for wimps. If you've got some courage members, let's go," he told the House before the bill was killed.

After the vote, he said it is up to Texans to tell their lawmakers they want to carry guns.

"Victims of crime have yet to communicate their frustration to the members of the Legislature. Once that starts happening you are going to see a change of attitude. We have to start being concerned about the victims in this society," Wilson said.

Budget negotiations continue; trying to find 'bottom line'

AUSTIN (AP) — The most important game in the Capitol these days is looking for the "bottom line" in the 1988-89 budget controversy.

Gov. Bill Clements conferred with legislative leaders several times Tuesday. But there was no sign of an easing in the standoff that some say makes a special session appear likely.

A scheduled late afternoon meeting of the 10-member conference committee on state spending was canceled because the House was still locked in debate on a series of bills.

"You can't settle anything when you can't meet," said Sen. Grant Jones, D-Temple, chairman of the conference committee.

The meeting was rescheduled for today. Jim Kaster, legislative liaison for Clements, said the governor met once with Speaker Gib Lewis on Tuesday "and probably will again."

"We have come a long way," Clements said in a statement. "There is still a long way to go, but we are making progress and we are all working in absolute good faith."

"The bottom line is what we are searching for," said Rep. James Rudd, D-Brownfield, head of House conferees on the spending bill.

"I think it is a true statement that he (Clements) is only inflexible until we get near his bottom line and then I think he will become flexible."

"He knows this process is a compromise process, and he will compromise but we have to get to some point to show him the bottom line," Rudd said.

Rudd and Lewis spent much of Tuesday studying the combined spending and taxing plan from the Senate that would raise taxes about \$5.2 billion — \$2.3 billion above Clements' announced limit on new taxes.

Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby said the Senate plan was "about as bare bones as you can get. We cannot go any lower."

Clements urged the Senate to pass as soon as possible two House-approved measures that would make permanent the so-called temporary sales and motor vehicle tax increases passed in 1986.

"Approving the temporary taxes is one issue that we all can agree on," Clements said. He said once the state's cash-flow problem is solved by continuing current tax levels, "we can then focus on the negotiations and the discussion to resolve the entire budget issue."

Consumers oppose deregulation

AUSTIN (AP) — Consumer groups are urging the House to defeat two bills that would deregulate a long-distance telephone company and partially deregulate local phone companies.

The consumer organizations said Tuesday they believe that both AT&T Communications and local telephone companies have enough leeway under current regulatory laws.

"If these bills are passed, be assured that phone service will become a necessity that is priced like a luxury," Carol Barger, Southwest director of the Consumers Union, told a news conference.

"In a state where consumers are already behind, it would be a mistake to grant the phone companies more regulatory freedom than they have in almost any other state in the union," added Stewart Henderson of the Campaign for Affordable Phones.

At issue are two bills scheduled for debate by the House today. Similar measures have passed the Senate.

One would free AT&T from state regulation of long-distance phone calls within Texas.

Backers of the measure say US Sprint, MCI and other companies are free to set their own rates and pick whom they serve and what services are offered.

The bill to be debated by the House would give AT&T the ability to set its own intrastate long-distance rates beginning in 1989. The Senate version would allow AT&T to lower rates at will but require the Public Utility Commission to approve rate increases.

Ms. Barger said that measure would hurt rural Texans most because many rural residents have few long-distance options.

"Consumers oppose this bill because it unleashes a company that still has monopoly power," she said.

Ms. Barger also said lobbying by Clayton Williams, founder of the long-distance company ClayDesta Communications, had been effective in mounting opposition to the AT&T deregulation bill.

"He has had a tremendous impact, for the members to see that it's a small businessman out there trying to make a go of it. He's genuine and honest. I think his personal appeal has had a whole lot of impact," she said.

The second bill to be debated in the House would partially deregulate local telephone companies such as Southwestern Bell and GTE on competitive services.

Critic: Nuke plant may cost \$15 billion

FORT WORTH (AP) — The utility that is building the Comanche Peak nuclear power plant says it should cost about \$7.7 billion and be ready to open in 1989 but critics countered the price tag could be almost double that figure.

In a talk to residents concerned with energy issues, lawyer Billie Garde said the price tag for the troubled plant could reach \$15 billion — almost twice as high as the projections of Texas Utilities Electric Co. And the start-up date could be as far away as 1994, Ms. Garde added.

A spokesman for TU Electric called Ms. Garde's pronouncement outrageous, but Ms. Garde said her numbers come from sources within the Nuclear Regulatory Commission — "people with direct knowledge of the situation."

Ms. Garde represents the Dallas-based Citizens Association for Sound Energy, which opposes the plant. Members of senior citizen groups and the Fort Worth Nuclear Freeze Campaign were in her audience Monday.

The legacy of Rita Hayworth



Off Beat
By Cathy Spaulding

Rita Hayworth was an obsession. From the first time I saw a picture of her sitting seductively on her bed in an old *Life* magazine I found in a used book store, I knew she was one special lady.

From then on, I spent my high school years hanging around bookstores and gossip magazine racks trying to read all I could about this siren. This goddess with the flaming red mane and clingy satin gown. But in those days of superficiality, Rita Hayworth's name was rarely mentioned.

While my friends were glued to *Laverne & Shirley*, I read every listing in *TV GUIDE* to make sure I wouldn't miss *Gilda* or *Cover Girl* or *Blondie* on a Budget.

One year, during a Labor Day family retreat, I insisted on a separate motel room so I could catch *Salome* on the 12:30 late movie. To my chagrin, I misjudged the time and missed the whole movie.

But I did get to see *Blood and Sand*. Her acting was not as breathtaking as I had expected. Her lip-synched rendition of a seductive song was a joke. But the way she captured the tempting Dona Sol and stole the movie from childish Tyrone Power or simpering Linda Darnell was magic. I ended up rooting for her — the villainess.

My dream was shattered when I saw a picture in *Time* of a haggard, wrinkled old bag being helped from an airplane.

The magic died when I found a front page article with the heading "Rita Hayworth mentally incompetent." My brother, the valetictorian, showed it to me in a pompous effort to show how childish I

was in idolizing the star. Since then, every picture I saw of the older Rita had the same aura of emptiness, the same silent despair.

As much I wanted her to break free of her bonds, to overcome what everyone thought was "alcoholism" and make a comeback, I knew she was beyond hope.

I shudder to imagine how Rita Hayworth must have spent her final years. Trapped in a body she could no longer control. Her memories, ideas and intellect entangled in a web of wayward nerves. Lying there, apparently unable to comprehend the beauty of the daylight or the joy in her movies with Fred Astaire.

I think of a deeper question. What type of relationship does a person in the final stages of Alzheimer's disease, or any other brain-damaging disorder, have with the Almighty? To put it bluntly, can a person whose judgment is gone find salvation and peace with God?

Perhaps this is what makes the hospice movement so important. At it's best, a hospice can encircle the dying patient with love. Even with a decayed mind, one can still feel the firm grasp of a loved one's hand and the blood transmitting the warmth to the heart. If there is no hope for the body, there can be hope for the soul and spirit.

Rita Hayworth is at peace now. But her legacy lives on twofold. Her slow death — it is hoped — will increase public awareness not only of Alzheimer's, but also of the special needs of elderly and terminally ill patients.

It unfortunately takes the death of a "star" to bring people to their senses. Rock Hudson had to die to bring AIDS to public concern. Karen Carpenter had to die to warn of the ultimate dangers of anorexia nervosa and other eating disorders. And now, Rita Hayworth has to die to remind people of that lonely ride to the grave.

Her other legacy is more pleasurable: The flip-pant toss of her head in *Gilda*, her brassiness in *Miss Sadie Thompson*, her exuberance in *Cover Girl*, her painful grace in *Circus World*. Rita Hayworth was one special lady.

Wind damage



Clayton Amunson, a volunteer emergency radio operator, inspects remains of a barn that was blown over 10 miles southwest of Waco Tuesday evening after high winds swept down on Central Texas. Radar indicated a tornado was in the area as severe thunderstorms moved through.

Senate OKs proposed constitutional amendment

AUSTIN (AP) — A proposed constitutional amendment that would give the state a limited right to appeal in criminal cases has been approved by the Senate.

The proposal was sent to the House on a 26-4 vote Tuesday, following a half hour of debate by the sponsor, Sen. John Montford, D-Lubbock, and Sen. Craig Washington, D-Houston.

Currently, the state has no right of appeal in criminal cases, and it would require a constitutional amendment to grant that authority. Texas is the only state that prohibits all prosecution appeals, according to a written analysis of the proposal.

Washington, a lawyer who does criminal defense work, offered an amendment that would give the defendant the same right of appeal as the state because "this would make it a little more even-handed."

Montford, a former prosecutor, said granting a defendant certain appeal rights probably would result in inordinate delays. "There's not the same motivation — good or bad — for the state of Texas," Montford said.

Washington's amendment was rejected 20-10, after Montford said a proposed constitutional amendment with the same language as Washington's amendment was defeated by the voters in 1980. Montford's proposal would go on a statewide ballot Nov. 3.

The bill specifies that the state could appeal a court order in a criminal case if, for example, the order dismisses an indictment, modifies a judgment, grants a motion to suppress evidence or a confession, sustains a claim of former jeopardy or grants a motion for a new trial.

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Opinion

Can't base policies on exception to rule

The rationale used by supporters of temporary tariffs targeted to protect specific declining or troubled industries is that with a little protection the industry will have a chance to get its act together, invest wisely, work like the dickens, and emerge from the process able to compete again without tariff protection. Most economists scoff at this scenario, and 200 years of tariffs have yielded numerous examples of "temporary" tariffs making industries even lazier and less competitive.

After all these years, however, the advocates of short-term tariffs seem to have but a solitary example of tariffs working out the way they keep hoping they will: The Harley-Davidson case.

In 1983, President Reagan imposed temporary tariffs on foreign motorcycles to help Harley-Davidson, whose share of the market had fallen to 23 percent. The tariffs began at 45 percent, declined to 15 percent this year, and were scheduled to be 10 percent next year. Harley officials, however, earlier this year told the government they were back on their feet and ready to face the marketplace with no tariffs next year.

Perhaps you can hardly blame President Reagan and others for wanting to celebrate the apparent fact that once in a great while even a fairy tale can come true. It would hardly do for the rest of us, however, to begin believing that tariffs are likely to lead to the rejuvenation of troubled industries.

Harley constitutes one example in the face of a blizzard of countervailing evidence. It is hardly prudent to build policy on exceptions to the rule.

Despite the appearance of success, the Harley situation still bears watching. A common procedure for a company protected by a temporary tariff it knows is temporary is not to invest in modernization, but to produce like crazy to take advantage of the temporary price bulge. Often that means a company ends up even further behind the state of the art at the end of the process.

We don't know enough about Harley's inner workings to know whether it has used its protection to plan for the long run or to make out in the short run. If it has done the latter, it may be staring at a rocky, even unpaved, road ahead.

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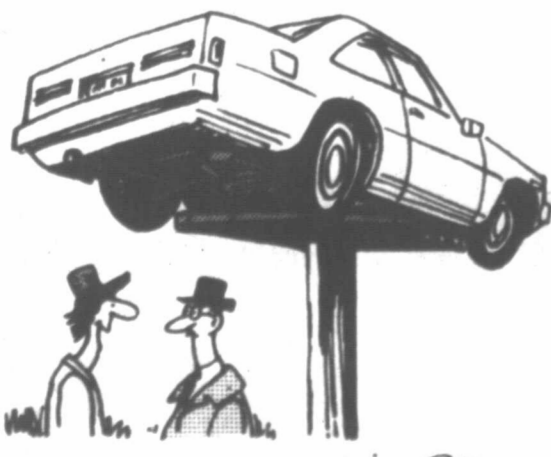
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Stephen Chapman

U.S. welfare comes first

On April 28, a young American engineer working in Nicaragua on a hydroelectric project was killed in a rebel attack. Benjamin Linder's death was portrayed by the Sandinista government as a cold-blooded execution: His father said he was shot in the head at close range. The incident dramatized a point made by opponents of U.S. aid to the Contras: That their atrocities render our policy criminal.

As the left-wing Village Voice put it, "The targeting of humanitarian workers in Nicaragua shows that the aim of the Contras — and their American apologists — is not a free society but the destruction of self-determination and material progress." Said the magazine, "American" is becoming synonymous with "ruthless killer."

No one doubts that the Contras have committed serious abuses. A report last year by the respected human rights group Americas Watch found that they have carried out widespread executions, torture and kidnappings of government sympathizers. For some Americans, crimes like these discredit the rebel cause and warrant cutting off aid.

But atrocities rarely are used as an honest moral gauge of American policy. Witness for Peace, an American group that sends volunteers to live and work in Nicaragua, criticizes Contra abuses but keeps silent about the Sandinista government's violations of human rights. It dismisses the latter as "internal political issues."

The double standard applies elsewhere too. The Contras' crimes pale next to those committed during the Vietnam War by the communist

Viet Cong — who many leftists regarded as morally superior to the United States. Between 1957 and 1972, the VC assassinated nearly 37,000 people and kidnapped 58,000, most of whom weren't government officials.

Militant anti-government black groups in South Africa habitually execute suspected black opponents by burning them alive, a practice known as "necklacing" and publicly endorsed by Winnie Mandela. Yet no one in the American Left regards necklacing as an argument against U.S. sanctions. If Linder had been killed by black guerrillas while working on a "humanitarian" task for the South African government, would Jesse Jackson weep?

Nor do the Reagan administration's critics have any stomach for the sure cure for the abuses committed by the Contras — which is to expand the American role in training, advising and supervising their operations, giving us greater leverage to clean up their tactics.

But hypocrisy is not the only weakness of this approach. It also makes our policy a hostage to statistics, implying that if side A has killed twice as many civilians as side B, we must support side B. This is as unworkable as well as analytically vacuous. Do we change sides if B later outstrips A? Do we ignore the broader consequences of a victory by one side or the other?

Of course not. The first concern of American policy is the welfare of Americans. No government worthy of respect puts the interests of foreigners above those of its own citizens. But intimately related to this purpose is the advance of American values — democracy, individual liberty, the rule of law.

The surest protection of American security lies in the success of liberal institutions abroad. Democracies don't go to war with one another. That is why, though it sometimes assists friendly dictators, the United States almost never opposes genuine democracies. Outside of Nicaragua, democracy is gaining ground in Central America, largely thanks to U.S. aid and efforts.

In the case of the Sandinistas, our military interests and our concern for democracy clearly converge. They have earned out hostility by their close ties with the Soviet Union and Cuba and their expansionist designs in Central America. Their marxist-Leninist ideology is a virtual guarantee of dictatorship. In the 1960s, leftists said Castro was building a new kind of socialism, just as they now see the same prospect in Nicaragua. He didn't, and his disciples in Managua aren't likely to do better.

The Contras include some Somozistas, but they also boast plenty of former Sandinistas and former opponents of Somoza. As the *Wall Street Journal* puts it, not all the Contras are democrats, but all the democrats are Contras. The alternatives are a certain Sandinista dictatorship and a possible anti-Sandinista democracy.

In revolutions and civil wars, few participants have perfectly clean hands. The real choice, in a war in which both sides have violated human rights, is between those abuses that are the byproduct of a bitter military conflict and those that are embedded in ideology. Americans who demand morality in our foreign policy ought to support efforts to prevent the institutionalized atrocity known as totalitarianism.

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Paul Harvey

Dyslexics learn reading skill

Dr. Vearl McBride won't quit! You and I have followed the accomplishments of this extraordinary educator since his early years at Culver Stockton College in Missouri.

There he was teaching some students to read and comprehend an entire book in minutes!

Since retirement from that faculty, Dr. McBride has taken his teaching skills around the world — teaching speed reading even in Brazil.

And now in Port Arthur, Dr. McBride and his wife are teaching speed reading to dyslexics!

Most of us read less than 200 words a minute and comprehend 60 to 65 percent of what we read.

With two weeks of instruction, McBride has us "ordinary people" reading three to 10 times faster and comprehending at least 75 percent of what we read.

His technique I hesitate to mention because it sounds too simple to be that effective. Essentially, it encourages the use of eye movement patterns that make reading easier.

Dyslexics, of course, have singular problems. For generations they were considered "dumb" because they could not read as most of us do. (A large percentage of our prison population is dyslexic.)

We have since learned that their brains may reverse the image their eyes see.

Dr. McBride says, "That's all right. There is no reason that 240 million Americans all have to read the same way."

So what he is doing every day in his classes in Port Arthur is allowing and encouraging unhappy students to read in whatever way suites them.

For some it means holding the book sideways. A girl named Lana, 17, is able that way to read 42,000 words a minute. She reads the right hand page first, then the left hand page, sweeping across both pages with excellent comprehension.

Chad, a handsome dyslexic boy, 15, is totally blind in one eye. Several years in remedial clas-

ses left him discouraged.

Now, under McBride's tutelage, young Chad reads as Lana does, with the book turned sideways. He reads up the right hand page, down the left hand page, at 47,000 words a minute!

Shawn, 13, another dyslexic, has learned to read 20,000 words a minute, zigzagging down the left and then the right hand page.

And there are scores more — Dwayne and Aaron and Donnie and Shelly and others — who have learned in just a few weeks to speed-read. Their personalities as well as their school grades have improved dramatically. Once discouraged and disconsolate, now they and their parents are ecstatic.

In answer to your logical question — the answer is no. Because Dr. McBride and his wife are Mormon missionaries, they accept no remuneration of any kind for their teaching services.

"But," says Dr. McBride, "none could deny that we are indeed 'paid.'"

Key players believed in Contra strategy

By Ben Wattenberg

Something strange may happen. The conventional wisdom had it that the Iran-contra hearings would ravage the Reagan presidency and savage the president's contra policy. That would happen because, in the mind's eye, what the hearings would yield was modeled on the Watergate tribunals. There would be sniveling witnesses, cringing before stern and stentorian senators while admitting criminality and immorality.

Members of Congress are accustomed to deference. Witnesses appearing before their committees are often government officials who want money from Congress or businessmen who are afraid that their inquisitors will take away their subsidies.

But the testimony of Maj. Gen.

Richard Secord showed a different sort of witness, and one who may serve as a model for what is to come — destroying the Watergate analogy and helping the contras. Secord wasn't looking for appropriations or protecting a subsidy. He believes he acted in a patriotic way to support the contras.

Secord hung tough and gave as good as he got. Agree with his cause or not, believe him or not, Secord came across as smart and fearless, like a man who has flown 250 combat missions, which he has.

The most dramatic moment may have been the exchange between Secord and Sen. David Boren, D-Okla., a very bright fellow. Boren was leaning hard on Secord: How dare you set up a private foreign policy — haven't you ever read the Constitution?

You bet I have, Secord snapped, and I've fought for it several times. Boren backed down a bit and said he understood that.

In microcosm, that's what these hearings are going to be about: the self-identified constitutionalists vs. the self-perceived patriots — both with positions having some merit.

The constitutionalists are weaving a case that there was a presidentially led, government-wide conspiracy to circumvent the spirit if not the letter of the law.

But there may be a flaw in that. The president is constitutionally bound to execute the law, but this not being Russia, he is not forced to agree with it. Thus, abortion is legal in America. Ronald Reagan cannot singlehandedly make it illegal. But he can speak at right-to-life rallies and help right-to-

lifers raise money. You and I and the Congress may not want him to do it. But he can do it anyway, legally.

At such a point, when a president disagrees with a law, the letter of the law becomes very important, particularly when the law is somewhat ambiguous — "Swiss cheese" is the way the loopholed Boland Amendment has been described. If the president doesn't violate the letter of the law, he can still try to pursue his policies by other means. He can say the contras are like our Founding Fathers, he can personally congratulate people who give money to the contras. But can he let government employees (like Oliver North) spend their time on the issue? Maybe not. Maybe so. Perhaps a gray area.

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Nation

Owen says North was to be Contra aid 'fall guy'

WASHINGTON (AP) — Robert W. Owen, a key operative in the clandestine U.S. aid program to the Nicaraguan Contras, says former CIA Director William J. Casey knew in detail about Lt. Col. Oliver L. North's activities and agreed that North would be the "fall guy" should the covert scheme become public.

Testifying Tuesday for 4½ hours before a House-Senate committee, Owen also said he had heard complaints from Contra leaders that U.S. middlemen had taken heavy markups on the prices of weapons sold to the Contras — as much as 300 percent in one instance, according to one senator.

Those complaints were likely to be echoed today with Adolfo Calero, leader

of the largest rebel fighting force, appearing at the witness table.

In a prepared opening statement, Calero compared the Contra movement to the American Revolution and said some of his exploits were not unlike those carried out by the founding fathers of the United States.

"Yes, we set up front companies; we had to mask our identity," said Calero's statement, a copy of which was obtained in advance. "We received monies from foreign sources. That was the only way to survive after U.S. aid was cut off by Congress."

In additional testimony, Owen:

- Said he believed his frequent memos to North, detailing internal Contra dealings and plans, were sent

- "across the street" by North to former National Security Adviser Robert C. McFarlane and his successor, Rear Adm. John M. Poindexter. He said he believed President Reagan had "at least a general idea" of the group's activities.
- Offered new details about his job as a courier in the Contra support network and as North's eyes and ears in Central America. He said he almost always acted on North's instructions or orders, clandestinely making three cash pickups in New York City and traveling to Costa Rica to inspect a rural site to be used as a secret air base for supply drops.
- Said it was he who handed to a Saudi Arabian official the bank account num-

ber later used for that country's contributions to the Contras.

- Said he and North occasionally joked about being caught breaking the law and going to jail, although he added he did not believe there was any serious question of lawbreaking for him because he was a private citizen.

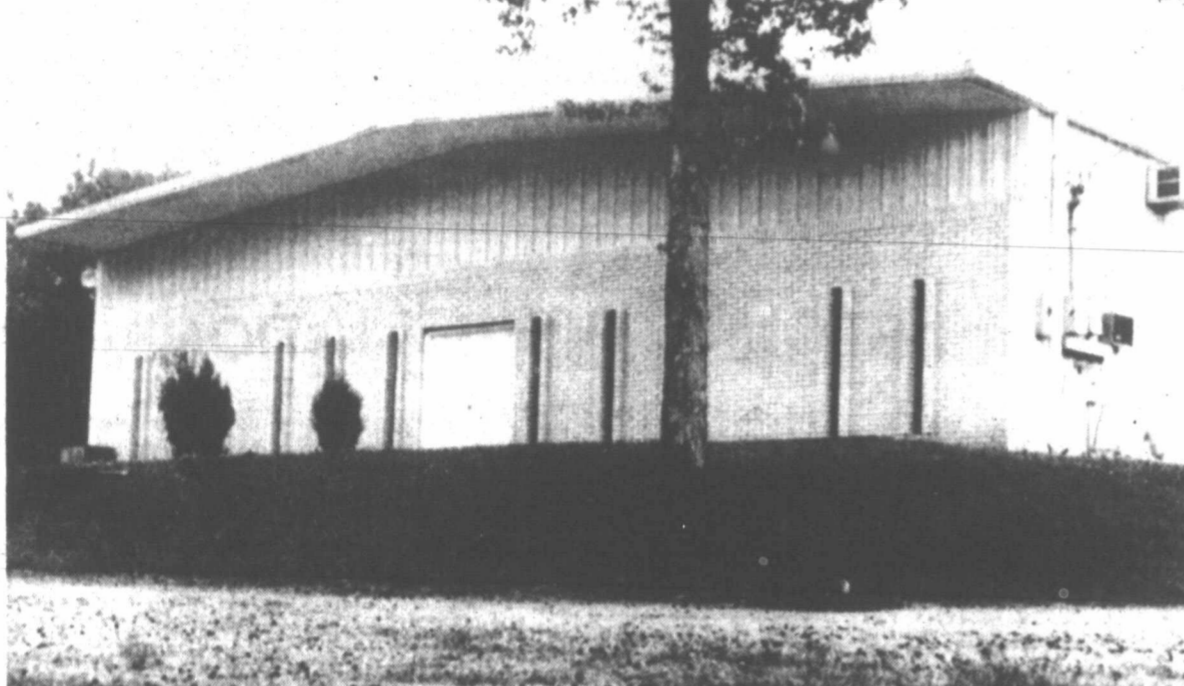
In a related development, Swiss authorities said that some records of bank accounts allegedly used to launder money from the arms sale would be turned over to independent counsel Lawrence E. Walsh. The documents should be made available within two weeks, Swiss Justice Department spokesman Juerg Kistler said.

Other banking records naming Iranian-American businessman Albert

Hakim and Iranian arms dealer Manucher Ghorbanifar will be withheld pending their appeal of an April 15 order releasing the accounts, Kistler said.

Owen, under oath and with a grant of limited immunity from prosecution, told the committees investigating the secret sale of U.S. arms to Iran and the diversion of payments to the Contras that North spoke with Casey frequently.

When it became clear that Congress was going to cut off military aid to the Contras in 1984, Casey approached North, who was an aide at the National Security Council, and asked him to suggest someone who could be sent to Central America to help the rebels keep going, Owen said North told him.



(AP Laserphoto)

Klan headquarters in Tuscaloosa, Ala.

Klan agrees to turn over headquarters to settle case

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — The nation's largest Ku Klux Klan group is effectively "out of business," having given its \$250,000 headquarters to a black woman whose son was beaten to death by Klansmen in 1981, her lawyer says.

The move by the United Klans of America settles its share of a \$7 million judgment won by Beulah Mae Donald against the organization and six past or present members, civil rights lawyer Morris Dees said Tuesday.

"This is the end of an era," Dees said. "Here is (Imperial Wizard) Robert Shelton, the notorious Klansman since the 1950s, who was at the University (of Alabama) when they tried to stop integration, and now his whole empire is in the hands of a black woman."

The Montgomery attorney said the Tuscaloosa building was the only major asset of the 2,500-member United Klans, which experts have described as the largest and most secretive of several rival Klan organizations.

"It's all they've got," said Dees. "This lawsuit dried up their membership. They all dropped off like flies. They only had \$3,000 or \$4,000 left in their bank account."

"For all practical purposes, they're out of business," he said.

An all-white jury awarded the damages to Mrs. Donald on Feb. 12. Two members of United Klans were convicted earlier in the slaying of the Mobile woman's 19-year-old son, Michael.

A former Klansman had testified Donald was abducted at random from a street and killed to show Klan strength in Alabama. The teen-ager's corpse was left dangling from a tree.

Dees said the deed to the 7,200-square-foot building on 6.4 acres was given to Mrs. Donald, a 67-year-old mother of seven, on Tuesday.

There was no immediate confirmation from the United Klans. John Mays, an attorney for the Klan at trial, hung up Tuesday night when contacted by telephone for comment.

Dees said only one of the six individual defendants in the lawsuit, Benny Hays, has substantial assets. But Dees had no estimate of Hays' worth. "Our lawyers are in the process of foreclosing on everything they can" from him, Dees said.

Mrs. Donald said she was unsure about her plans for the building.

"I really don't feel anything yet," she said in an interview published today in The New York Times. "I said before that the money didn't mean anything to me, and it still doesn't mean anything to me."

Webster takes over CIA amid troubles

WASHINGTON (AP) — William Webster, who as FBI director built good relations with Congress, takes over the CIA at a time when the spy agency's reputation on Capitol Hill has seldom been worse.

Webster was confirmed Tuesday by the Senate, 94-1, becoming the 14th director of the Central Intelligence Agency which has agents throughout the world and a corps of analysts at its Langley, Va., headquarters near Washington.

Webster promised in confirmation hearings last month that he would keep congressional oversight committees fully informed of the CIA's activities, which cost an estimated \$3 billion last year.

His confirmation comes as the Iran-Contra

hearings bring to light details of the CIA's role in covert U.S. arms sales to Iran and its involvement in assisting the Nicaraguan rebels under the late director William J. Casey.

Webster's confirmation is "important for the country and the administration," said President Reagan's chief spokesman, Marlin Fitzwater. "At this crucial juncture in world affairs, we need thoughtful and strong leadership at the CIA."

The search continues for a successor to Webster at the FBI. Former Pennsylvania Gov. Dick Thornburgh turned down the job two weeks ago. In late March, sources said five candidates were being considered.

Webster's nomination for the CIA post was delayed for three days earlier this month

when Sen. Ernest F. Hollings, D-S.C., used a prerogative allowed any senator and put a "hold" on the nomination. Hollings demanded FBI investigation of civilians at the U.S. Embassy in Moscow in connection with espionage allegations against Marine Guards; Webster promised such an inquiry.

Webster promises to work with Congress helped him win a unanimous endorsement May 1 from the Senate Intelligence Committee. The panel's chairman, Sen. David Boren, D-Okla., on Tuesday called Webster "fully qualified in all respects."

Webster "is a man of extreme capability, dedication, idealism and integrity," added the intelligence committee's vice chairman, Sen. William Cohen, R-Maine.

Rich, near rich and not so rich make up U.S. Senate

WASHINGTON (AP) — The 100 men and women of the U.S. Senate include the rich — Jay Rockefeller, Ted Kennedy, John Heinz, John Danforth — the near rich — Lowell Weicker, Bob Graham — and the not so rich — Christopher Dodd, Mark Hatfield, Paul Sarbanes.

That, at least, was the picture that emerged from a two-foot stack of financial disclosure reports released Tuesday in an annual ritual that gives constituents a peek into the pocketbooks of their politicians.

The reports often conceal at least as much as they reveal, for they disclose the lawmakers' income from investments and business interests in brackets wide enough to drive a stretch limousine through.

Sen. John Heinz, R-Pa., the ketchup-and-pickle heir whose worth has been estimated by Fortune magazine at \$300 million, reported income on top of his \$75,100 salary in 1986 of \$1 million to \$1.5 million or more, and showed his assets in a range of \$9.3 million to \$12.1 million or more. He also listed liabilities of up to \$1.4 million.

Such debts would be enough to overwhelm some of his brethren in the Senate, such as Sen. Paul Sarbanes, D-Md., who reported no assets at all. At least Sarbanes, who has been putting his children through college, also had no liabilities.

Likewise, Sen. Christopher J. Dodd, D-Conn., had no debts, but a modest \$6,002 to \$20,000 in assets. The forms did not require the senators to list their homes or mortgages. Dodd did report a \$500 gift from his ex-wife's father on his 42nd birthday last May 27 and a rowing machine from a friend for Christmas.

Sen. Mark Hatfield, R-Ore., listed assets of \$285,000 at the most — not including his home — and liabilities of between \$290,000 and \$615,000.

Most of the senators bumped right up against the \$30,400 ceiling on speech fees. Many spoke at \$2,000

a clip, and sometimes the work entailed jetting to Palm Springs, San Francisco or Honolulu to beguile a business group.

But not everything was rosy in the senators' financial affairs.

Sen. Bob Packwood, R-Ore., reported that his wife, Georgie, who owns an antique shop in Bethesda, Md., was one of the unfortunate depositors whose savings accounts are frozen in Baltimore's Old Court Savings and Loan. It collapsed in 1985 with \$15,001 to \$50,000 of her money.

Sen. John D. Rockefeller, D-W.Va., picked up only \$500 in speech fees, but hardly missed it. Rockefeller — whose wealth has been estimated by Fortune magazine at \$150 million — listed assets of at least \$3.7 million, liabilities of at least \$500,000 and other income of \$508,013 or more.

Many of the senators come from two-income families. They only had to list their spouse's salary as "over \$1,000." Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, showed his wife's earnings that way. Wendy Gramm's actual salary as a top Office of Management and Budget executive is \$77,500.

Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., listed assets of at least \$144,000 and no liabilities. But the income alone on his holdings, most of which are held in trust, brought Kennedy more than \$632,000 last year.

Danforth, an heir to the Ralston Purina fortune, listed assets of at least \$7,240,269 and income of \$464,644.

Millionaire senators included Alan J. Dixon, D-Ill.; William L. Armstrong, R-Colo.; Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas; Alan J. Dixon, D-Ill.; Lawton M. Chiles, D-Fla.; Chic Hecht, R-Nev.; Richard Shelby, R-Ala.; and Harry M. Reid, D-Nev.

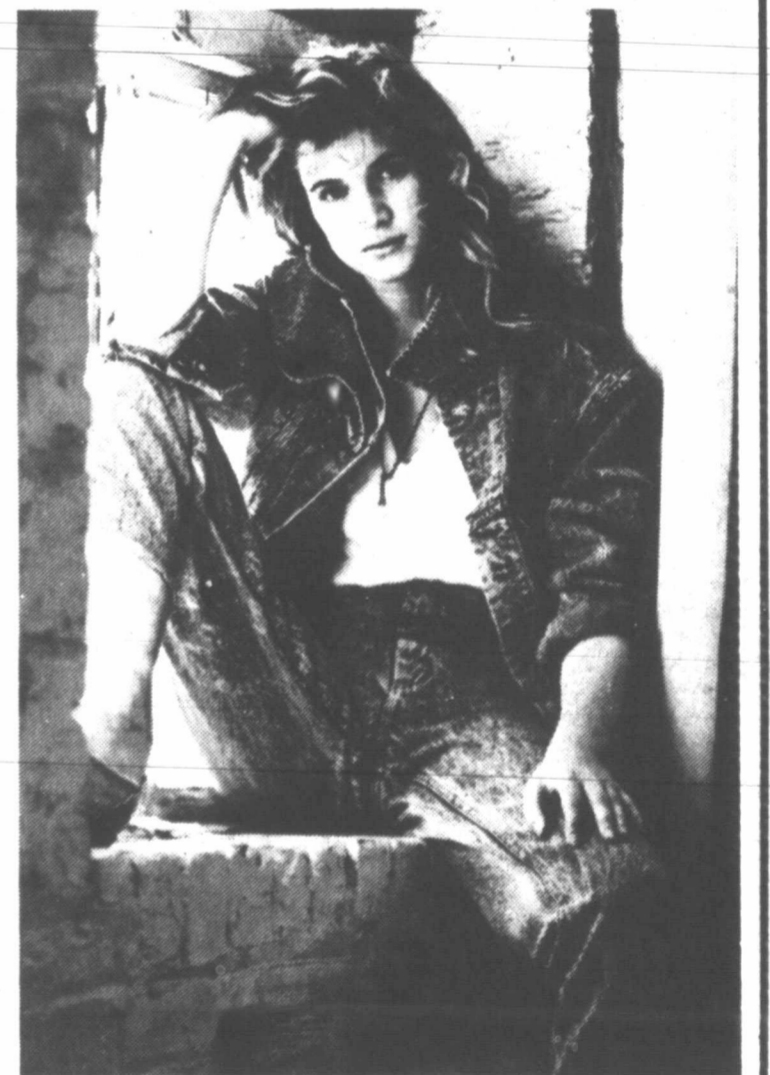
Sen. Lowell P. Weicker, R-Conn., showed assets of nearly \$5.8 million, and freshmen Sen. Bob Graham, D-Fla., reported assets of \$3.3 million to \$6.3 million.

Patient injuries go unreported by VA

WASHINGTON (AP) — Veterans Administration hospitals have failed to report or investigate many serious patient injuries, including deaths and surgical accidents, a congressional report says.

A study today by the General Accounting Office said it found 613 cases, or 86 percent of 714 cases it selected for review, of patient injuries or deaths that were not reported by hospital officials for investigation.

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An unidentified officer of the Bahrain Defense Force offers condolences to Mrs. Barbara Kiser, widow of U.S. Marine Steve Kiser, who was killed in the attack on the USS Stark. Kiser's son John sits in center of photo taken at Bahrain Airport Wednesday.

Bombs kill policeman and injure 11 others

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Two bombs exploded today outside a courthouse in Johannesburg, killing a white policeman and injuring 11 officers and civilians, police said.

The blasts occurred about 12:30 p.m. at the magistrate's court building at the edge of the financial district.

A policeman at the scene said one bomb — apparently the more powerful of the two — had been placed in a car parked across from a side entrance to the courthouse.

More than 13 other cars along the street and in an adjacent parking lot were damaged by the flying debris from the exploded car. The hood of one car was blown off, and the back end of another was crumpled into a mass of twisted, black metal.

The police public relations office in Pretoria said four policemen were seriously wounded and two policemen were slightly wounded. Five civilians also were injured, the office said, but the extent of their injuries was not immediately known.

The independent South African Press Association said about 20 photographers and television crewmen were taken into custody to police headquarters after they took pictures from the roof of a nearby building.

Today is the fourth anniversary of the deadliest guerrilla bombing attack in South Africa, when 19 people were killed and more than 200 injured by a car bomb that exploded outside an office building in Pretoria.

The outlawed African National Congress, the main guerrilla movement fighting to overthrow the South African government and end apartheid, claimed responsibility for the Pretoria bombing four years ago. The ANC has made no specific comment on the nearly 50 bombings in South Africa since a state of emergency was declared June 12.

Today, rescue workers carrying medical supplies could be seen rushing into the courthouse and treating a woman for shock on the sidewalk. Witnesses said they saw an ambulance carry away one injured person and that three other people were taken out of the courthouse on stretchers.

"It was terrible. There was this

huge bang and I looked round and saw this woman flying through the air," said a man who was at the scene. He spoke on condition of anonymity.

Windows of shops up to two blocks away were shattered, and police ordered nearby snack shop owners to close for fear of more explosions. Police with sniffer dogs checked vehicles outside the Rand Supreme Court building 10 blocks away after the explosions at the magistrate's court.

Specialists set out to answer key questions about attack on frigate

MANAMA, Bahrain (AP) — The bodies of 35 USS Stark crewmen killed in an Iraqi missile attack began their journey home today after a brief sendoff ceremony at Bahrain International Airport.

Five-year-old John Kiser crossed his heart at his mother's bidding as the remains of his father, electronics mate Stephen Greg Kiser of Elkhart, Ind., and the other dead were saluted.

The 35 bodies, each in a metal casket draped with the American flag, were placed on a C141 transport plane heading for Frankfurt, West Germany, en route to the United States.

In addition to the 35, two other crewmen are missing but presumed dead. Navy damage assessment specialists on their way here today hope to provide answers to major questions remaining three days after the Stark was hit.

Key among them is why the ship's approximately 200-member crew failed to respond to the attack. Rear Adm. Harold J. Bernsen, commander of the Navy's Persian Gulf task force, said the crew apparently had no idea Iraqi missiles were launched until the last minute, and that "the surprise was incredible."

The vessel was anchored about five miles off Manama harbor today, with a gaping hole

in its port side, its bridge a tangle of twisted metal and its flag at half-mast for the dead crewmen.

In Baghdad, Iraqi Foreign Minister Tarek Aziz said the fighter pilot who attacked the Stark believed he was firing on an Iranian vessel.

At a Tuesday night news conference, Aziz said the Iraqi pilot did not receive any signals from the frigate before he fired his missiles. Speaking in English, he said, "We're sorry it happened and that the toll is so high. I was really shocked and unhappy."

Bernsen said a team dispatched Tuesday from Norfolk, Va., would go to the vessel today and decide if it should be brought into port.

He said at a briefing Tuesday that the Stark was "on an even keel and floating well" after being towed from the attack site in the central gulf, about 85 miles northeast of Bahrain. All fires aboard were extinguished, but the ship still had some "hot spots," he said.

Bernsen said it appeared the guided-missile frigate was hit by two missiles in the Sunday night attack. The Pentagon has said only that one and possibly two missiles hit the ship.

Asked if he knew why no weapons were fired in self-defense, Bernsen replied: "No, I really don't. I think that the surprise was

incredible, quite frankly."

He said the crew knew an Iraqi pilot had the frigate locked on radar, but not that he had fired until "the crewman on lookout saw a missile coming and gave a warning." He added, "A great deal of detail needs to be worked as to why it (the Stark) did not respond."

Bernsen was on his flagship destroyer LaSalle at the time of the attack. He has six other ships in his command, which patrols the gulf to protect American commercial shipping.

Associated Press Radio correspondent Steve Katz, who viewed the Stark from a boat about 200 yards away Tuesday, said the bridge was "all twisted metal."

He saw a gaping hole under the bridge. A few U.S. Navy men were busy around the damaged area and two dozen stood on the undamaged rear decks.

Reporters taken on the boat trip organized by the Bahrain government were not allowed to get closer because the 453-foot Stark and its towing vessel needed room to maneuver.

The U.S. task force is assigned to patrol the gulf and the Strait of Hormuz, its southern gateway, through which about 20 percent of the non-communist world's oil passes.

Brooke burn unit to receive wounded

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Brooke Army Medical Center, home of the military's burn treatment unit, will receive some injured servicemen from the USS Stark, officials said.

The Army Burn Center, which is operated by the U.S. Army Institute of Surgical Research at Fort Sam Houston, has a long history of helping troops with burns.

The injured servicemen were aboard the Stark, a missile frigate that was attacked Sunday night by an Iraqi warplane in the Persian Gulf.

"It could be Thursday or Friday. We just don't know for sure yet," fort spokesman Ray Dery said Tuesday.

The 40-bed burn unit has a staff of 240 and has treated numerous military burn victims.

Thirty-seven marines were treated at Brooke after they were injured in a barracks fire in Japan in 1979, Dery said.

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Students shown results of drunken driving

By JOE VARGO
Austin American-Statesman

AUSTIN (AP) — The lesson presented to students at Lake Travis High School — a slide show of gruesome pictures taken at alcohol-related traffic accidents — wasn't pretty.

It wasn't meant to be. "It's real, ladies and gentlemen," said Allan Boutwell, a flight paramedic on STAR Flight, Travis County's air ambulance. It was Boutwell who thought up the STAR Flight-DWI Awareness Program. He spoke to the group of somber students after they watched the presentation.

"None of these slides have been staged. Now you know what drinking and driving can do to you. This could be you. It happens all the time. It really saddens me."

Boutwell, STAR Flight nurse Valerie Calogero and pilot Skip Davis are going to area high schools to plead with students not to get behind the wheel after using drugs or alcohol. The three say they do not deliver a lecture against drinking or taking controlled substances, but they offer a warning of what can happen when young people mix the deadly combination.

None of the team is paid to participate. They say they do it because they all have children of their own. They are tired of picking up the mutilated bodies of teen-agers who have been critically injured in drug- and alcohol-related smashups. And they are worried that many more young people will be hurt

and killed in accidents, especially since high schools are holding their proms this month and students are getting ready for summer vacation.

"We're not here to tell you what to do," said Davis, who has been flying for STAR Flight since the program's inception two years ago. "You're perceptive enough to make your own decisions. If you're going to drink and drive, think about yourselves. Think about the ramifications to your parents and friends."

Mrs. Calogero, who has been a STAR Flight nurse for more than a year, said, "Every time I have to pick a kid off the street, it makes me want to cry. When I see a young person whose life is wasted, I can't sleep at night."

A tape recording of an actual emergency medical call involving a drunken driving accident was played during the slide show, which lasted about 10 minutes. Throughout the presentation, the students were shown slide after slide of accident scenes. The pictures showed cars that were split in half, turned over on their tops and otherwise reduced to twisted piles of junk. Many showed dead people trapped inside the vehicles or thrown onto the pavement, green sheets placed over their remains. Other slides showed firefighters and paramedics working frantically to pull victims from crushed cars and administering cardiopulmonary resuscitation on badly injured victims.

Little was said during the presentation. Little had to be, the three STAR Flight personnel

agreed. "I won't apologize for the slides," Davis said. "They're strong. I hope they make a strong impact."

"I love to fly," he continued. "That's why I'm in the STAR Flight program. But I would rather not fly than to have to come out here and pick you up. I don't want to pick you off the pavement, and I don't want to put a sheet over you and let the medical examiner pick you up."

Toward the end of the slide show, Boutwell, who has been a paramedic for nine years, related the story of a family whose vehicle was hit by a drunken driver as they drove home from San Antonio. The mother and father were killed, and the two small children were critically injured.

"That family would have made it home if one negligent soul had chosen not to drink," Boutwell said as slides of the wreck site flashed on the large auditorium screen. "We don't want that to happen to you."

Many students gasped at the grim slides. Others watched without speaking. The audience was silent afterwards.

"It was gross," said Denise Brown, 16, a junior. "It did have an impact. I figure now I won't drink and drive."

Guy Meyers, a 17-year-old junior, said, "I'm taking it seriously. I can't say it can't happen to me. It makes me think about it."

Principal George Curry said he did not know if the stark presentation would get through to students.

Record-breaking plane retired

WASHINGTON (AP) — One of the U.S. Navy's most famous airplanes of the postwar era — one that John Glenn used to set a transcontinental speed record and that he calls "an old friend" — has joined the illustrious roll of great aircraft of the past.

The F-8 Crusader, the Navy's first supersonic jet fighter, served for 31 years as both a fighter and a photo reconnaissance plane. Recently, in formal ceremonies at Andrews Air Force Base outside Washington, the last five Crusaders on active duty as Light Photographic Squadron 206 were formally put out to pasture.

The first F-8, which achieved supersonic speed on its maiden test flight at Edwards Air Force Base in California on March 25, 1955, now is the property of the Smithsonian Air and Space Museum here.

Glenn, then a major in the U.S. Marines and still years from his career as an astronaut, was the pilot of the first supersonic transcontinental flight on July 16, 1957, when he flew his F-8 Crusader from Los Angeles to New York in a stunning three hours, 23 minutes, 8.4 seconds.

Other historic accomplishments by the F-8:

- It played a major role in the Cuban missile crisis in 1962, obtaining many of the photographs which gave President John F. Kennedy proof of the construction of missile sites in Cuba.

- It set a world speed record of 1,015 miles per hour over a 15-kilometer course at China Lake, Calif., in 1956, winning the Thompson Trophy for the most outstanding aviation accomplishment of that year.

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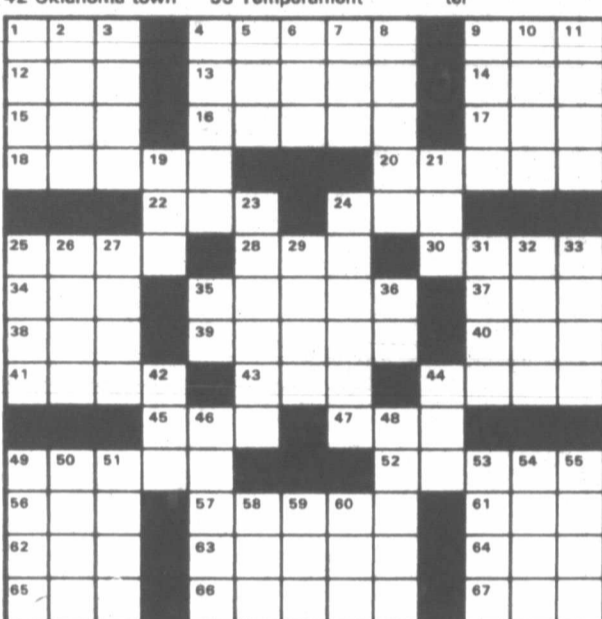
ACROSS

- 1 Sash
- 4 The real
- 9 Nocturnal bird
- 12 Not at home
- 13 Elicit
- 14 Openings
- 15 Sgt.
- 16 Marnet
- 17 Last letter (Brit.)
- 18 Rubber city
- 20 Paradise
- 22 Degree (abbr.)
- 24 Full of (suff.)
- 25 Roused
- 28 Have
- 30 Ills
- 34 Reverence
- 35 Wet
- 37 Place for unclaimed mail (abbr.)
- 38 Victory symbol
- 39 Actor Albert
- 40 Along in years
- 41 Novelist Ferber
- 43 Went before
- 44 Very (Fr.)
- 45 Twenty-four hours
- 47 WWII area
- 49 One
- 52 Houses
- 56 Containing a certain gas
- 57 Grass cutter
- 61 Eight (pref.)
- 62 Actress Ruby
- 63 Sidestep
- 64 Ear (comb. form)
- 65 Noun suffix
- 66 Alcove
- 67 Jones averages

DOWN

- 1 Eugene O'Neill's daughter
- 2 Male deer

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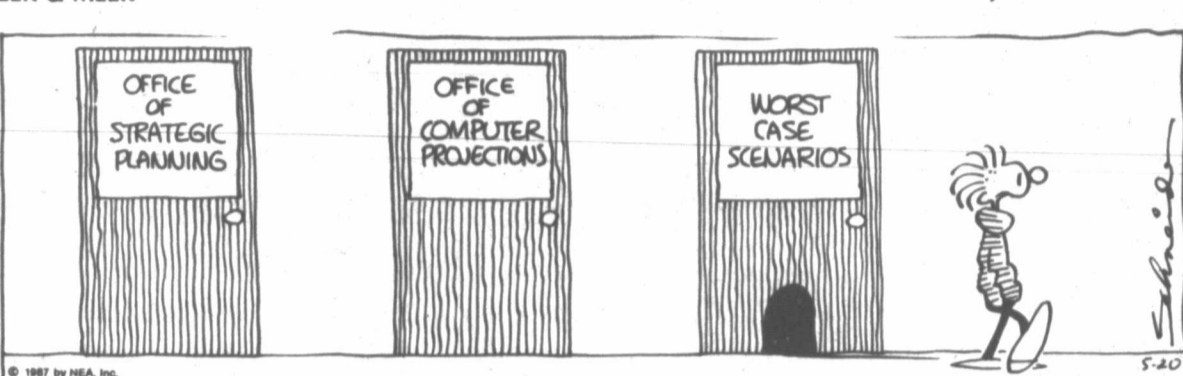
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Astro-Graph

by bernice bede osol

Thursday, May 21, 1987

Advancement in your chosen field is a strong possibility in the year ahead. Don't be reluctant to assume extra responsibilities if you are requested to do so.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) To achieve an important career objective today, you will have to have the full cooperation of associates. If it isn't forthcoming, it may be wise to wait. Major changes are ahead for Gemini 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.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) If you request a favor today from someone you didn't help when you had the opportunity, the response could embarrass you in front of others.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Before assuming any financial obligations for your club or group today, be sure you have the approval of the committee in charge.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) A conflict of aims may develop today between you and an associate with whom you usually see eye to eye. Don't let this become an issue that could damage the alliance.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You won't do a good job today if your heart isn't in your work. Instead of performing tasks you resent, it's best to set them aside for the moment.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Don't attach strings to favors you do for friends today. Actions of this ilk will breed resentment rather than evoking appreciation.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Today, if you are unsure of yourself in an important situation, put up a bold facade. What you pretend to be, you will become.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) If you're in a bad mood today, don't take it out on other people. There's a good chance you may encounter someone who got up on the wrong side of the bed as well.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Usually you're rather generous when dealing with friends, but today you may be more of a taker than a giver.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) There is a fine line today between being properly assertive and just plain aggressive. Be careful not to step over it.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You could have a faculty today for creating your own problems. Before doing anything, consider the penalties that may be associated with erratic action.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Try to profit from recent developments, especially where finances are concerned. Don't put good money after bad in a situation that isn't working out.

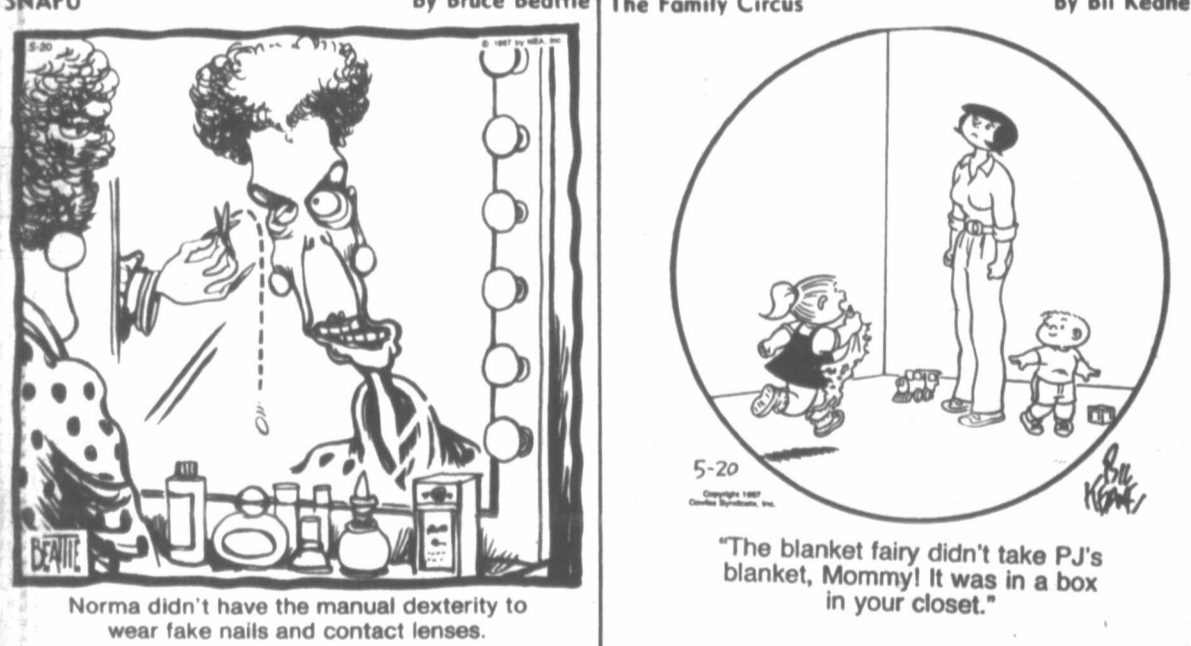
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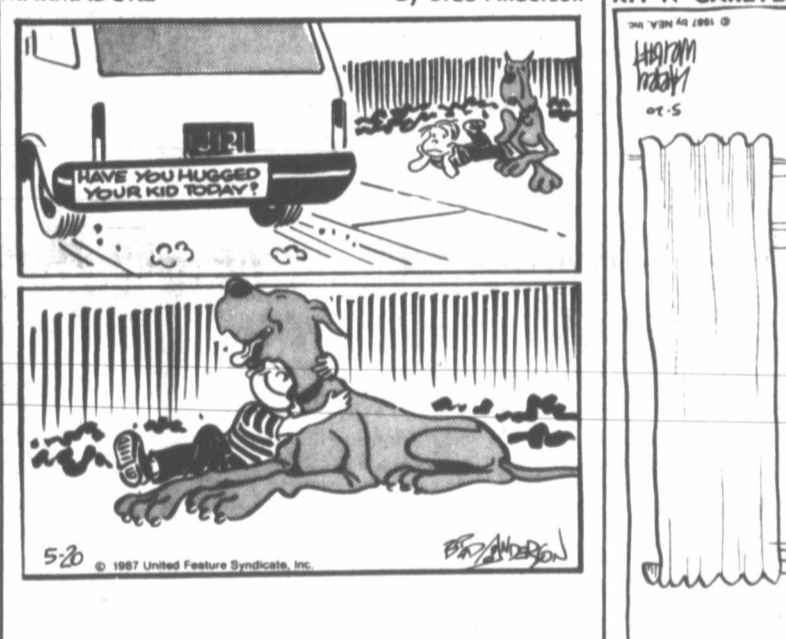
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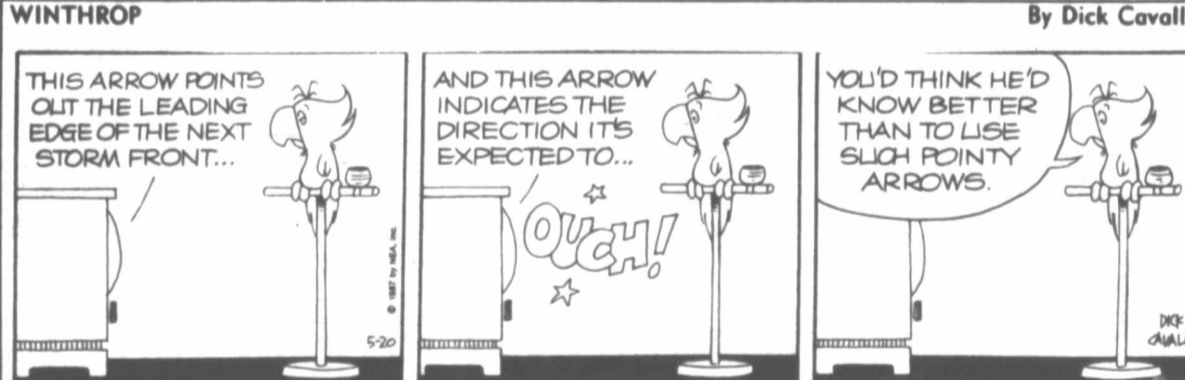
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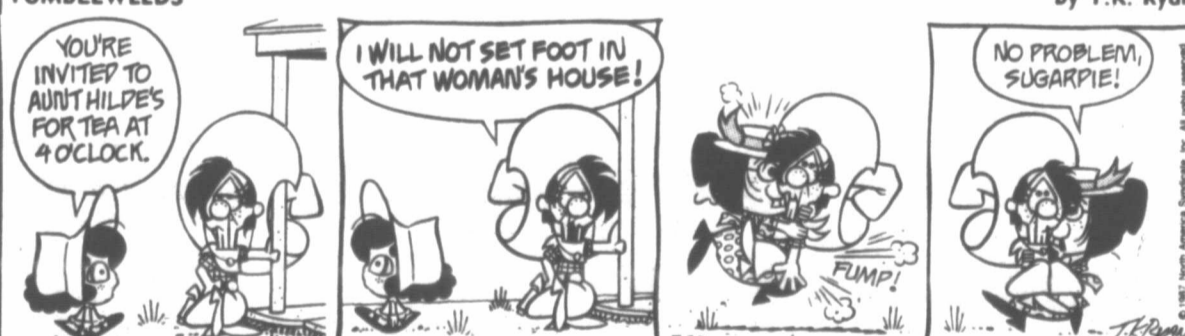
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(AP Laserphoto)

Superman turns 50 next year and to mark the occasion DC Comic has scheduled a year-long series of events including an exhibition on the Man of Steel at the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C.

IRS unveils first new tax forms

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Internal Revenue Service is taking the wraps off the first of about 240 new or rewritten tax forms required by the 1986 tax overhaul. For most Americans, it means no dramatic change in how they file their returns.

But there are enough differences between the old and new forms to affect every taxpayer to some extent. Even the simplest tax form, the single-page 1040EZ, had to be reworked to reflect increases in the standard deduction and personal exemptions and a new requirement affecting mainly students with part-time jobs.

There is some complication, for example, for taxpayers with losses from rental operations and for children under 14 with significant interest and dividends. And there is some simplification for perhaps 10 million couples and individuals who, because of the loss of some deductions, will find it unprofitable to continue itemizing.

"The forms are a reflection of what the Congress has given us," Arthur Altman, chairman of the tax-forms advisory committee at the IRS, told reporters Monday as the IRS released first drafts of eight revised forms and schedules.

They are: the basic individual forms, the long 1040, the short 1040A and the 1040EZ; Schedule A for itemized deductions; Schedule B for interest and dividends; Schedule D for capital gains; Schedule E for self-employment income, and Form 2106 for employee business expenses.

Even the most noticeable changes in forms — those requiring the listing of dependents — are hardly radical.

The old Forms 1040 and 1040A required the reporting of the first names of dependent children and the names of other dependents claimed. In an effort to stop cheating, the new versions shift some of the lines around and require the full names of all dependents plus the Social Security numbers of those over age 4.

And although Congress severely restricted the number of workers entitled to fully deductible Individual Retirement Accounts, the change is reflected on the new tax forms as simply a requirement that each spouse's IRA deduction be listed separately.

Altman said the IRS will begin testing the

new forms soon among taxpayers and he expects some changes will be made after those tests are complete.

Altman estimated that the new tax law, most of which is taking effect this year, requires creation of about 40 new forms — only eight to 10 of them affecting individuals — and modifications in about 200 existing forms. Virtually every individual form will require some updating.

That new law affects virtually every individual and business taxpayer in one way or the other. It cut tax rates significantly, raised the personal exemption and standard deductions and eliminated or reduced several itemized deductions.

The new law and the new forms give the IRS the capability for the first time of estimating how much tax-exempt interest is earned each year by Americans. Each of the three basic forms requires that tax-free interest be listed. That interest will not be taxed, although higher-income Social Security recipients will continue to use the figure in calculating how much of their Social Security is subject to tax.

Bentsen predicts August passage of trade bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Lloyd Bentsen declared that the threat brought on by the lack of a Reagan administration energy policy were underlined this week by the Iraqi missile attack on a U.S. frigate in the Persian Gulf.

"Look what just happened in the Persian Gulf the other day," the Texas Democrat said, referring to the air attack on the USS Stark in which 37 sailors died. "Doesn't that

give you a sense of vulnerability?"

The Democratic Finance Committee chairman, in a speech at the National Press Club Tuesday, called for development of a policy that would reduce U.S. dependence on foreign oil and bolster domestic production.

Foreign oil accounts for 39 percent of that consumed by Americans and estimates are that figure will reach 50 percent before 1995. The Senate trade bill, reported out of Bent-

sen's committee earlier this month, contains a provision to restrict oil imports to 50 percent or less.

"This administration had a free hand on trade for years — and they sat on it. They talked free trade rhetoric and turned the other cheek while markets were closed to American products," Bentsen said. "The days of free hands and unlimited White House discretion on trade are over."

Sewer system seen as step for colonias

LAS MILPAS (AP) — Sewer lines will soon replace outdoor toilets in rural, unincorporated areas known as "colonias" in the Rio Grande Valley, officials said.

About 50 percent of residents in the colonias of Las Milpas and Lopezville use outhouses, which often overflow during heavy rains, officials said.

The city of Pharr in Hidalgo County applied Tuesday for a \$4.1 million state loan to purchase existing water lines and extend the city sewer system into the two colonias with a total of more than 12,000 residents.

"We waited a long time," Carmen Anaya, a Las Milpas resident and neighborhood activist, said in Spanish. "To have water and basic services is the most legitimate thing a family can hope for."

Pharr is the first city to apply for water and sewage improvement money out of \$100 million set aside for colonia development after passage of the Texas Water

Plan in 1985, said McAllen banker Glen Roney, a member of the Texas Water Development Board.

Las Milpas and Lopezville are in the extraterritorial jurisdiction of Pharr. Pharr has about 31,000 residents, not including the colonias, said Mayor Fidencio R. Barrera, who attended a press conference at the Nuestro Senor Catholic Church in Las Milpas.

"With more orderly development now, and with the city taking a lead, these people will become more interested in becoming incorporated," Barrera said.

He said the improvements would lead to further development in the colonias, and that eventually roads would be paved in the areas where real estate developers attracted people with cheap lots beginning in the early 1950s.

Sewer lines funded with a \$3.1 million revolving loan fund will improve health conditions in the colonias.

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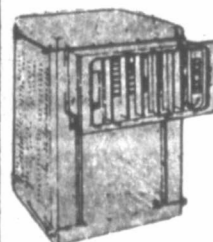
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Lifestyles

Use these tips to create perfect souffle every time

By NANCY BYAL
Better Homes and Gardens
Food Editor

A fluffy souffle makes a big impression every time. Our test kitchen offers these secrets to a perfect souffle:

For best volume, separate eggs straight from the refrigerator, but leave them at room temperature 30 minutes before beating.

For a "top hat," use a spatula to trace a 1-inch-deep circle through the mixture about 1 inch

from the edge.

An unbaked souffle can wait in its dish in the refrigerator for up to 2 hours before you put it in the oven.

Don't peek! At least not for the first 25 minutes of baking time.

Serve by gently breaking the souffle into portions with two forks. Then spoon out.

CAMEMBERT-CRAB SOUFFLE

¼ cup finely chopped celery

- 2 tablespoons thinly sliced green onion
- 1 small clove garlic, minced
- 3 tablespoons margarine or butter
- 3 tablespoons all-purpose flour
- 1 teaspoon dry mustard
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- Dash pepper
- 1 cup milk
- 5 ounces camembert cheese, rind removed and cubed
- 6-ounce can crab meat, drained, flaked, and cartilage removed
- 5 egg yolks
- 7 egg whites

Butter one side of a foil strip. Secure it around a 2-quart souffle dish, extending 2 inches above the dish. In a medium saucepan cook celery, onion and garlic in margarine until tender. Blend in flour, mustard, salt and pepper. Add milk all at once; cook and stir until bubbly. Add cheese; stir to melt. Stir in crab meat. Remove from heat.

Add egg yolks to cheese mixture one at a time, mixing thoroughly after each. Beat egg whites to stiff peaks; gradually fold yolk mixture into beaten whites until well mixed. Turn into prepared ungreased souffle dish. Bake in a 350-degree oven for 40 minutes or until a knife inserted near center comes out clean. Remove collar. Serve immediately. Makes 6 servings.

Nutrition analysis per serving: 260 cal., 18 g pro., 7 g carbo., 18 g fat, 276 mg chol., 820 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 22 percent vit. A, 23 percent riboflavin, 19 percent calcium, 26 percent phosphorus.



Delight your family and friends with a light, airy camembert-crab souffle. Use two forks to gently break apart the souffle into serving portions, then spoon out.

Serve this salad in pineapple shells

By NANCY BYAL
Better Homes and Gardens
Food Editor

An impressive way to serve this lunch or supper salad is right in the fresh pineapple shells. Some of the cutout pineapple goes into the salad, with enough extra for breakfast or a fruit salad the next day. Pass the dressing so diners can serve themselves.

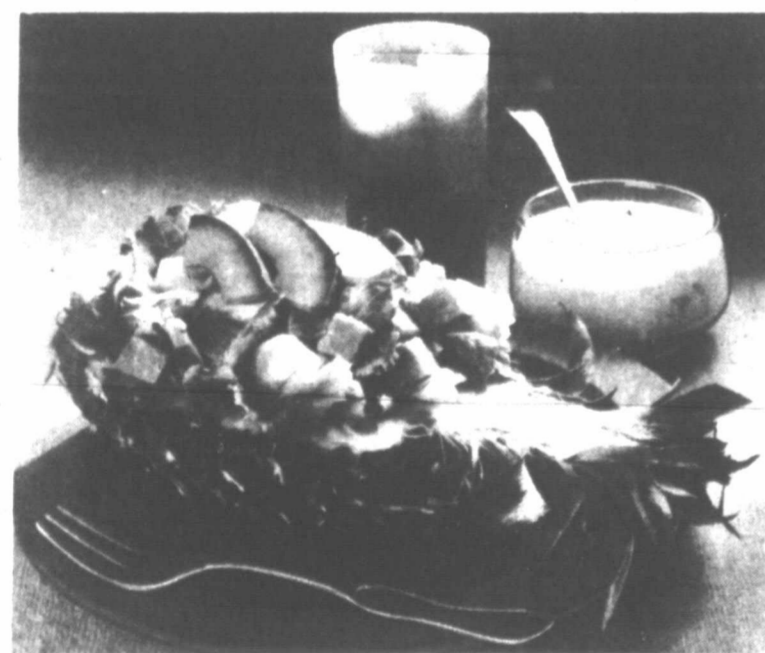
PINEAPPLE-HAM SALAD

- ¼ cup mayonnaise or salad dressing
- ¼ cup dairy sour cream
- 2 tablespoons finely chopped cucumber
- ¼ teaspoon garlic salt
- Dash bottled hot pepper sauce
- 2 small fresh pineapples (about 2 pounds each), chilled
- 3 cups torn lettuce
- 2 cups diced fully cooked ham
- 1 avocado, peeled, seeded

and sliced
In a small bowl combine mayonnaise, sour cream, cucumber, garlic salt and hot pepper sauce; set aside. Halve pineapples lengthwise. Using a sharp knife, cut out pineapple meat, leaving shells intact. Reserve shells. Cut hard core from pineapple meat; cut pineapple into large chunks.

Combine lettuce, ham and 3 cups of the pineapple chunks (cover and refrigerate remaining pineapple chunks for another use); toss. Spoon ham mixture into pineapple shells. Garnish with avocado slices. Pass dressing. Makes 4 servings.

Nutrition analysis per serving: 376 cal., 17 g pro., 21 g carbo., 26 g fat, 52 mg chol., 1052 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 13 percent vit. A, 64 percent vit. C, 47 percent thiamine, 16 percent riboflavin, 22 percent niacin, 13 percent iron, 19 percent phosphorus.



Few can resist pineapple-ham salad served in a fresh pineapple shell. The dressing that accompanies it has a touch of garlic and hot pepper sauce.

Almond, apricot flavors combine in layer cake

By NANCY BYAL
Better Homes and Gardens
Food Editor

If you can't find cake and pastry filling with the other baking supplies in your supermarket, decorate the cake with plain whipped cream. Add 2 teaspoons of Amaretto or a few drops of almond extract for the almond flavor.

ALMOND APRICOT CAKE

- 1 package 2-layer white cake mix
- 12-ounce jar apricot preserves
- 2 tablespoons Amaretto
- ¼ cups whipping cream
- ½ cup almond cake and pastry filling
- Sliced almonds, toasted (optional)

Prepare and bake cake mix according to package directions,

using two 8 by 8 by 2-inch baking pans. Cool 10 minutes on wire racks. Remove from pans; cool. Cut layers in half horizontally, forming 4 layers. Stir together preserves and Amaretto.

To assemble, spread 1 cake layer with one-third of the apricot mixture. Repeat with 2 more layers and the remaining apricot mixture. Top with final layer. Beat cream to soft peaks. Gently fold in almond cake filling. Using pastry tube and decorative tip, pipe whipped cream mixture over top and sides of cake (or spread with narrow metal spatula). Garnish cake with toasted almonds. Chill. Makes 16 servings.

Nutrition analysis per serving: 299 cal., 2 g pro., 45 g carbo., 4 g fat, 30 mg chol., 223 mg sodium. U.S. RDA: 13 percent phosphorus.

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Xi Beta Chi officers



New officers for Xi Beta Chi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi are, seated from left, Linda Hiler, vice president; and Donna Monthey, treasurer. Standing from left are Sue Garner, recording secretary; Debbie Hogan, president; Shirley Bullard, corresponding secretary; and Debbie Middleton, parliamentarian.

Rho Eta officers



New officers for Rho Eta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi are, seated from left, Pam Garner, Extension officer; and Jan Parks, president. Standing from left are Cheryl Harris, vice president; Lynn Ferrell, treasurer; and Joyce Pulse, corresponding secretary. Not shown is Charisa Wiseman, recording secretary.

LeFors relatives attend dedication

Among those attending dedication ceremonies of the Perry LeFors statue Saturday near Coronado Center were family members Molita LeFors Eastland of Beaumont and Margaret Lang of Zurich, Switzerland.

Mrs. Eastland is LeFors' youngest child, and Lang is a relative of Emma LeFors, who came to the United States from Switzerland at age 16 and married Perry LeFors about three years later.

LeFors was a Panhandle area pioneer who helped organize Gray County and gave the town of LeFors its name.

This was Lang's fourth visit to the United States and her second to Pampa. She has traveled by train through 34 states.

The Lang family, of which Emma LeFors was a member, was from Rheinfielden, Switzerland. The name means fields on the Rhine river, and the area has a population of 8,000.

"I have more relatives (about 100) in the United States than in Switzerland. Many of my family's members came to the United States," Lang said.

Mrs. Eastland said she had very faint memories of her father and four sisters, who died of typhoid fever when she was a small child.

"I have a mental picture of them, but I don't know whether it is memory or what I've been told. Vera, the eldest, Mother, brother Emmett and I were the only survivors (of typhoid) in a family of seven," she said.

Mrs. Eastland and her mother moved to McLean and then to California after the tragedy, where they stayed for about 10 years. Mrs. Eastland had completed her public school education in California and attended college at the University of Texas and University of Oklahoma.

She has resided in Beaumont since 1933, when she married James H. Eastland of Mineral Wells, who was employed by Sun Oil Company.

"The oil business changed Pampa, and it has grown, naturally. There are lots of trees — there weren't this many trees when I was a child. I think Pampa has turned into a beautiful city," Mrs. Eastland said.



Molita LeFors Eastland, left, of Beaumont, and Margaret Lang of Switzerland were relatives of Perry and Emma LeFors who attended dedication ceremonies Saturday of a statue honoring LeFors.

Money is tie that binds wife to boring marriage



Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I am a small-town minister's daughter who married a very nice but boring man. When I first met "Steve," he was a young lawyer who had just lost his license to practice and was building houses at the time. I taught school. We did all kinds of crazy and fun things, and after a while we were married, much to the displeasure of my parents. A year later we had a beautiful daughter. I continued to teach because being home with a small child was not my idea of fun. Steve got his license back and continued to practice law, spending long hours at the office. He has gained a lot of weight and now looks like the late W.C. Fields — bulbous nose and all.

I want out of this marriage, but the money is really rolling in right now, and I hate to walk away from it. I can't talk to a lawyer because the only ones I know are friends of Steve's.

I need to know a few things: If I retain custody of our daughter, will Steve be responsible for the payments and upkeep of our new home? Will I be given a living allowance or alimony? Or will I just get child support? Please help me because I don't want to jeopardize my situation before I know where I stand.

DYING OF BOREDOM IN TEXAS

DEAR DYING: I can't predict the terms of your settlement should you divorce this "nice but boring" man.

As long as the money is "really rolling in," spend a little, and take a trip to another Texas town and consult a lawyer who doesn't know your W.C. Fields lookalike, my little chickadee. Only a lawyer can answer your questions.

DEAR ABBY: I am an ordinary guy and a corporate accountant. A major part of my job is hearing complaints from employees who perceive that errors were made in the area of accounting.

More and more, as I listen to these complainers, I fantasize smashing them with my fists, knocking them to the ground and stomping them to death!

Of course I would never do such a thing in real life, but I enjoy these daydreams so much, I'm becoming concerned about my mental health.

Am I in trouble?
CONCERNED IN HOUSTON

DEAR CONCERNED: Not necessarily. "Fantasizing" acts as a safety valve, allowing us to blow off the steam of suppressed desires without actually acting out anti-social behavior for which we would become accountable.

However, if you are genuinely concerned about "enjoying" these violent fantasies too much, I think you should consult a mental health professional — if only to put your mind at ease.

DEAR ABBY: On behalf of all hearing-impaired people like me who have to read lips, will you please remind professionals such as doctors, lawyers, actors, lecturers, clergymen, etc., to trim their mustaches and beards? In order to read their lips, we must see them.

SUN CITY LIP READER

Good Sam has fewer aid requests in April

Good Samaritan Christian Services, 309 N. Ward, has had fewer requests for the second month in a row, with April's requests down 11 percent from March.

Aid for utility payments was down 66 percent, with the 18 assisted representing the fewest utility aid recipients since June 1985.

Part of the reason for decreased utility aid is availability of special funds from two other organizations for this type of aid, according to Bill Ragsdale, executive director of Good Samaritan. The extra funds will not be renewed at the other two organizations, Ragsdale said, and utility aid from Good Samaritan is expected to increase once again after the other organizations' monies are exhausted.

Food requests were down 18 percent, while clothing requests were up from 43 in March to 75 for April, a 75 percent increase.

The Rev. Charles Paulson, Good Samaritan president and pastor of Zion Lutheran Church, will be leaving his post to move to Wichita Falls, where he will pastor a Lutheran church.

Of 217 families requesting aid in April, 187 families were helped. Of these, 139 received food; clothing, 75; utilities, 18; transportation, four; lodging, four; medical, 11; and other, 12. A total of 645 persons were helped.

Thirty families did not receive requested aid because several utility aid requests were not considered to be an emergency, but a continuing situation with no effort at self-help. Some food requests were refused due to the applicants receiving food the same day from the Salvation Army.

There were 195 families residing in Gray County who received help. Others were 13 newcomers, one family outside Gray County but within 25 miles of Pampa, and eight transients.

Six families were referred by churches, 13 by friends, and 198 were returns. There were nine emergency after-hours calls.

Out-of-pocket expenses for April were \$132.34 for food; clothing, \$78.05; utilities, \$1,015.08; transportation, \$98.48; lodging, \$37.74; and medical, \$200.50. Total April expenses were \$2,826.85, including \$885 annual insurance cost, compared to \$3,465.70 for March.

Clothing requests were up for adults and down for children, a reversal of last month's pattern of requests. Clothing items needed include children's clothing, any size jeans, work clothing and tennis shoes.

Food shortages for April included canned meat, frozen meat and peanut butter.

The board of directors will meet Thursday to consider a proposal to amend the by-laws concerning attendance requirements for a quorum. The by-laws currently require a minimum of one representative from a majority of the member churches.

Exercise works best in moderation

NEW YORK (AP) — Moderation in exercise is better for you than running marathons or trying to set fitness records, according to Reebok Aerobic Information Bureau.

A recent study of 17,000 male Harvard alumni by Dr. Ralph S. Paffenbarger Jr. of Stanford University showed that men who en-

gaged in a modest exercise program, like a brisk three-mile daily walk, had death rates one-quarter to one-third lower than the sedentary alumni.

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Sports Scene

LA takes 2-0 lead

By JOHN NADEL
AP Sports Writer

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP) — Magic Johnson saved his best for what he calls winnin' time as the Los Angeles Lakers took a 2-0 lead over the Seattle SuperSonics in the NBA's Western Conference finals.

Tom Chambers, on the other hand, saved his best for the post-game interviews.

Johnson, selected Monday as the NBA's Most Valuable Player, scored 12 of his 20 points in the fourth quarter Tuesday night to lead the Lakers to a 112-104 victory over the Sonics.

"We've been there so many times before and we know what to do and who to look for," Johnson said of the game's final minutes. "They were doubling me all the time, but I don't worry about scoring, just winning."

"When I was finally able to break through at the end, the scoring just came into place."

Chambers, Seattle's high-scoring forward, was held to eight points, all in the first half. He made only four of his 12 field goal attempts.

Afterward, he was livid concerning the game's officiating.

"It was discouraging because I didn't play as well as I could have," Chambers said. "I think (referee) Eddie Middleton had a wager on the game. He stunk."

The best-of-seven series now moves to Seattle for the third and fourth games Saturday and Monday.



(AP Laserphoto)

Celtics bombard Pistons 104-91

By HOWARD ULMAN
AP Sports Writer

BOSTON (AP) — It was an unbelievable game, but not because it was well played.

How could two of basketball's best players, Isiah Thomas and Larry Bird, miss 33 of 46 field-goal attempts?

How could two of basketball's best teams, the Detroit Pistons and Boston Celtics, perform with such mediocrity in the playoffs?

And how could the NBA's defending champions be as banged up as they say they are?

"All that stuff about injuries is a lot of hogwash," Thomas said after Boston beat the Pistons 104-91 in Tuesday night's opener of their Eastern Conference final series. "I think they are lying, flat out lying."

Center Robert Parish, who is recovering from a sprained left ankle, had 31 points and nine rebounds. Forward Kevin McHale, who has a broken bone in his right foot and is getting over a sprained right ankle, had 21 points.

And Bird, who is relatively healthy, hopes his shooting touch will get well after he made just seven of 22 shots. But he finished with a triple-double of 18 points, 16 rebounds and 11 assists.

"I try to play the total game every night," he said. "If I'm not scoring, I try to make up in other areas."

He wasn't the only superstar who couldn't find the hoop. Thomas had two points in the first half, when he made just one of 12 shots. He ended up leading De-

troit with 18 points, but connected on only six of his 24 shots.

"I'll never shoot this way again," he said. "Next time I don't know if they'll leave me that open but if they do, they'll pay."

Next time is Thursday night, when the Celtics are home again for Game 2 of the best-of-seven series. They have won 33 of their last 34 games at Boston Garden, where the Pistons are 0-15 since winning on Dec. 19, 1982.

In the opener, both teams showed the effects of their previous series.

The Celtics had trouble mustering much intensity after ending their intense seven-game series with Milwaukee last Sunday. Detroit had trouble shaking off the cobwebs from five days on the sidelines since they eliminated Atlanta 4-1 last Wednesday night.

"We were a little rusty," Detroit forward Ricky Mahorn said. "I guess the layoff didn't help."

As for Boston, "the letdown was very much apparent out there," after the "championship-type series" with Milwaukee, Celtics Coach K.C. Jones said.

The lead was 75-68 after three quarters and 90-83 when Detroit's Vinnie Johnson made a layup with 6:23 left in the game.

"I was ecstatic going into the final seven minutes," Detroit Coach Chuck Daly said. "That was great after the way we shot in the game."

But after Vinnie Johnson's basket, Detroit didn't score for 3:25 and by that time Boston's lead was up to 98-83 with less than three minutes remaining.

Major League Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
East Division			
Team	W	L	Pct.
New York	23	14	.621
Toronto	22	15	.595
Milwaukee	20	15	.571
Baltimore	20	19	.513
Detroit	17	20	.459
Boston	16	22	.421
Cleveland	12	26	.316

West Division			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Kansas City	23	14	.621
California	20	19	.513
Seattle	20	19	.513
Minnesota	19	19	.500
Oakland	19	19	.500
Texas	18	20	.474
Chicago	16	21	.432

Tuesday's Games			
Cleveland 4, Minnesota 3			
Kansas City 4, Boston 1			
Chicago 5, Milwaukee 1			
Texas 10, Detroit 8			
California 2, Toronto 1			
Oakland 4, New York 2			
Baltimore 15, Seattle 6			

Wednesday's Games			
Chicago (J. Davis 1-2) at Milwaukee (Nieves 2-1)			
Baltimore (Hibson 0-0) at Seattle (Morgan 2-4)			
Minnesota (Berenger 1-4) at Cleveland (Candlish 1-5), (n)			
Boston (Hurt 4-4) at Kansas City (D. Jackson 1-5), (n)			
Detroit (Petty 1-3) at Texas (Witt 1-2), (n)			
Toronto (Key 5-3) at California (Lester 0-0), (n)			
New York (Hudson 0-0) at Oakland (Plunk 1-2), (n)			

Thursday's Game			
Minnesota at Cleveland, (n)			

Only game scheduled			
Minnesota at Cleveland, (n)			

Bill Laimbeer hangs from the net as Larry Bird rebounds.

Bowers Ranch downs Pampa Hardware Optimist roundup

Bowers Ranch went on a scoring spree in the late innings to down Pampa Hardware, 11-3, Tuesday in a Babe Ruth game at Optimist Park.

The game was tied at 2-2 after four innings when Bowers cut loose at the plate.

Winning pitcher was Tory Peet, who allowed six hits while striking out seven and walking six. Scott Lucas, who yielded four hits while striking out seven and walking six, took the loss.

Chapo Rivera had three base hits and an RBI while Eric Cochran had an RBI double and Tory Peet a triple for Bowers. Clay Lee, Andrew Ramirez, Jay Earp and Todd Peak all had singles. Four runs crossed the plate on a fielder's choice error after a groundball by Peet.

Mark Wood had a triple and single and Donnie Medley a double for Hardware while Richardo Armendariz, Scott Lucas and Jon Clark each had a single.

Bowers coach Weldon Ellis said outstanding defense was played by Rivera, Lee, Bryan Ellis, Cochran and Steve Sanders.

It was the first victory for Bowers after two losses while Pampa Hardware dropped to 0-3.

First National Bank won over Grant Supply, 7-4, in another Babe Ruth game played last night.

Will Winborne pitched a two-hitter as OCAW defeated Moose,

12-3, Tuesday in a National League Bambino game.

Winborne pitched all six innings and recorded eight strikeouts as OCAW lifted its record to 3-2.

Greg Moore led OCAW at the plate with a two-run homer and also played outstanding defense at shortstop.

Others collecting hits for OCAW were Winborne, Dan O'Dell and Matt Winborne.

Justin Cornelsen and Jeremy Roberts had the only hits for Moose.

Keith Stewart and Matt Finney pitched for Moose.

Bret Queen played a good defensive game at first base, said OCAW coach Larry Gilbert.

Moose is still looking for its first victory.

In American League Bambino action, Dyers outlasted Holmes for a 7-5 victory.

Lamont Nickleberry hit the game-winning home run for Dyers.

Winning pitcher was Micah Brooks, who helped his own cause with a double and single. Clarence Reed had three singles, Ross Johnson a single and double, Dwain Nickleberry a single and double, Ben Hunter Shawn Tranthum and Shawn Hayes, singles.

Jarrod Shaw knocked in four of the five Holmes' runs with a sacrifice and double. Vincent Martinez had a double and single while Brad Baldrige and T.J. Warren had singles.

The game was a makeup from last Monday night's contest which was rained out. Dyers was leading 8-0, but the game had to be replayed after the rain halted ac-

tion.

Matthew Clark picked up a save for Dyers.

Sean Hardman was the losing pitcher.

Dyers is unbeaten in AL play with a 3-0 record while Holmes is now 1-1-1.

In a T-Ball game, the NBC Cubs slipped past the Texas Furniture Jaguars 30-29.

Chad Epperson and Cara East each had singles to lead the Cubs while John Callison had a single

for the Jaguars.

Outstanding defensive players for NBC were Jerren Miller, J.D. Woelfle and Jason Harper. John Callison and Josh Blakeman were the top defensive players for Texas Furniture.

In tonight's action, Cabot plays Dixie in the National Bambino League while Keyes plays Deans and Chase takes on Citizens in the American League.

No games are scheduled in the Babe Ruth League.



(Staff photo by L.D. Strate)

Guy Savage beats a throw back to third.

Sports briefs

By The Associated Press

TENNIS

DUESSELDORF, West Germany (AP) — Martin Jaite sparked Argentina to a 2-1 victory over defending champion France in the opening group match of the \$750,000 World Team Cup tennis tournament.

Czechoslovakia beat Australia 3-0 in the other group match.

Meanwhile, the trainer for Sweden's Stefan Edberg said the world's No. 3-ranked player had suffered a groin injury and might have to miss the French Open that starts next week in Paris.

Jaite, a runner-up at last week's Italian Open, defeated France's Henri Leconte 7-6, 7-6 after veteran Guillermo Vilas beat Thierry Tulasne 7-6, 6-2 in the opening match.

BASKETBALL

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — An arbitrator has ruled that the New Jersey Nets cannot void the remaining two years on a \$1.55 million contract with injured guard Otis Birdsong, but the NBA club does not have to pay him his full salary for the season just completed.

The Nets filed suit Feb. 25, claiming Birdsong did not tell them he had suffered a stress fracture of his right leg before he signed the three-year contract in November. Birdsong played in only seven games this past season.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP) — Navy's David Robinson and two players from the NCAA championship team from Indiana were named to the 12-member basketball team that will compete for the United States in the Pan American Games this summer.

Financial help needed for Pampa tracksters

FROM THE NOTEPAD: PAUL MCINTIRE, three-time winner of the Most Valuable Golfer award at PHS, will become an assistant professional at Byron Nelson's Trophy Club championship layout at Roanoke. McIntire had been an assistant at the Papago CC at Phoenix... Speaking of golf, did you know that former major league baseballer JIM PIERSALL and Pampa CC golfer pro MICKEY PIERSALL are shirttail relations? Jim, now a public relations assistant for the Chicago Cubs, dug the information out while delving into his hobby of genealogy... Another baseball relative, DANNY HEEP, cousin of former PHS star baseballers Steve and Gary Molberg, is "sitting in his new home on Medina Lake near San Antonio and driving his Mercedes." Age 29, Heep was a member of the NY Mets the past four seasons, got his world championship ring, took free agency last winter, and has had no attractive offers. Some club swinger is missing the boat... arly, incidentally, is a banking officer at Tascosa National in Pampa, where brother Steve

(who once signed a nice bonus deal with the Houston Colt 45s) is a partner in a tire company.

RUTH HOLLADAY, who accompanied her husband, Odie, through several coaching jobs across Texas (including White Deer and Pampa) is still teaching in the Boys Ranch School District. "The four girls and I got together in Dallas last weekend," Ruth tells me... Two PHS senior Lady Harvesters need to raise \$4,500 immediately in order to compete internationally in Red China and Hong Kong under the International Sports Exchange banner June 15 through June 22. LAQUITA BROWN and ANDREA HOPKINS have been invited and need local financial support. If you can help, contact the Pampa Chamber of Commerce or the PHS athletic department. AMY COCKRELL, daughter of former Harvester grid-basketball star Buddy and football queen Joyce, has been elected secretary of next year's PHS's senior class. Amy is a star member of the school's champion girls' rodeo team. Outstanding athlete DUSTIN MILLER will serve as junior class president next year... via quiz: He holds

Sports Forum

Warren Hasse



the all-time record for the most career pinch hits, and is still active in the major leagues, and his middle name is Geronimo. Who is he and what team is he on?

Canyon HS will join the District 1-4A volleyball competition next August, after fielding its first game as an all-sophomore squad last year. Coach is former PHS basketball star KELLEY RICHARDSON... Although plagued with a variety of injuries that allowed him to play in only 68 games, the fewest in nine NBA seasons, Ex-WTSU star MAURICE CHEEKS averaged 15.6 points per game, third best on the Philadelphia 76ers team, and the seventh consecutive year Cheeks has topped the previous season average... Aren't the absolutely worst calls in the major leagues being made on plays at

second base?... Sym,athies to former WTSU assistant coach LEON FULLER, who lost 91 percent of last season's offense in the recent National Football League draft. Running back STEVE BARTALO (drafted by Tampa Bay) and qb Kelly Stouffer (St. Louis) accounted for 4,023 of the Colorado State Rams' 4,428 total yards in 1986. Fuller was defensive coordinator for GENE MAYFIELD at the Canyon school prior to moving to the same post at UT-Austin.

"I think we had a good recruiting effort," former PHS basketball coach ROBERT MCPHERSON told me last week. "We recruited eight players to UNC-WILMINGTON, four from junior college and four high schoolers."... Another former Harvester coach, GARLAND NICHOLS,

has been elected to the board of the Texas HS Basketball Coaches Association. Retiring from the board after completing his term is popular Palo Duro HS mentor, Ed Smith. And do you realize that Amarillo school has only had one other head basketball coach, Tom Gilley, since opening in 1955 as that city's second senior high school. Nichols will also help conduct the TABC boys summer basketball camp at UT-San Antonio June 21-26... Trivia answer: Manuel Geronimo (Manny) Mota is the pinch-hitter supreme who had a 20-season major league playing career, manufacturing 150 base hits in 505 pinch hit at bats, and more impressively, only once took a called third strike. He is now a coach with the Dodgers.

And who was the Panhandle area basketball coach who posted this announcement on the bulletin board at the recent Texas Association of Basketball Coaches meeting? "Basketball Job: Boys or Girls. By coach who started his son ahead of board president's son two ballgames. Contact—(signed by a Class A coach in the Texas Panhandle), reports the TABC newsletter.

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Rangers rally for win over Detroit

Incaviglia tossed out

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — If beauty is in the eye of the beholder, so, too, is the aesthetic quality of a baseball game.

Looking at Tuesday night's game from the winner's dugout, Texas Rangers manager Bobby Valentine called it "a heck of a ballgame and one hell of a comeback."

Shifting through the debris of his club's 10-8 loss in the Detroit clubhouse, Tigers manager Sparky Anderson called it "criminal, a circus."

"In my 18 years of managing in the major leagues," Anderson continued, "that's the worst baseball game I've ever seen."

Both managers had evidence to back their claims.

Valentine's Rangers went into the fifth inning trailing 8-2 and rallied to win it on Larry Parrish' 2-out, 3-run home run in the bottom of the eighth.

Along the way, Texas relievers Ron Meridith and Dale Mohorcic combined for 5 1-3 innings of

scoreless relief with Mohorcic, 3-1, picking up the victory.

Anderson's evaluation was flavored by the fact that his club made five errors, giving the Rangers four unearned runs, and his bullpen couldn't hold an 8-2 lead. Eric King, 2-3, served up the homer to Parrish.

Adding to the circus atmosphere was a bench-clearing scuffle in the fifth inning in which there was a lot of milling around



but no punches thrown, and only one ejection, that of Rangers left fielder Pete Incaviglia.

"The fight is the players' business," said Anderson. "I don't ever get involved in that stuff."

Incaviglia and Detroit catcher Mike Heath were the central figures in the scuffle that erupted while the Rangers were staging a 3-run rally to pull within 8-5.

"He (Heath) tried to trip me as I was coming to the plate," said Incaviglia.

"He (Incaviglia) yelled 'Get out of my way' as he crossed the plate," said Heath. "I hollered back that I wasn't in his way and things broke loose. No punches were really thrown."

Parrish was on first base, having singled home Incaviglia, when the scuffle broke out, and he and veteran infielder Darrell Evans sort of wrestled around.

"Just a couple of old guys rolling around so we wouldn't get hurt," said Parrish, who has driven home 23 runs in his last 14 games. "That way you get to play tomorrow."

Two at-bats later, Parrish came to the plate with two outs and two runners on and worked King to a 3-0 count before hitting a drive that traveled an estimated 450 feet, one of the longest ever hit at Arlington Stadium. It hit with enough impact to break a seat in the bleachers section.

"It went 450 feet, and that's where it broke the seat," said Valentine.

Bob Brower and Don Slaught also homered for the Rangers, and Alan Trammell and Darnell Coles connected for the Tigers, who saw a six-game winning streak snapped.



Players from both teams break up a fight at home plate during the Rangers-Tigers game.

Texas player signed pre-season contract

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Former University of Texas wide receiver Everett Gay said he signed with a sports agent three weeks before the Longhorns started their 1987 season — a violation of NCAA regulations — because he needed the money.

Gay, a fifth-round choice of the Dallas Cowboys in last month's National Football League draft, told the Austin American-Statesman on Tuesday that he signed with sports agent Norby Walters last summer.

NCAA rules prohibit players from entering into agreements with agents until after they finish their eligibility.

Gay said Walters loaned him money. He does not remember how much money he borrowed,

against first-round draft picks, against his former clients. Walters has admitted he signed many college athletes before their eligibility ended, giving them money and providing them cars.

Simmons' agent, Willie Anderson, said Simmons talked to federal attorneys Tuesday in Chicago.

The Atlanta Constitution, in its editions today, reported that athletes appearing before the grand jury have been threatened with up to one year in jail on fraud and tax evasion charges.

The newspaper quoted Anderson as saying Simmons phoned him in a panic after Tuesday's grand jury session, saying, "They're going to throw me in jail for a year."

"Edwin went up there to cooperate and they hit him with this," Anderson said. "It's caught us completely off-guard. Apparently, that's what they're hitting the athletes up with: one-year imprisonment for fraud and tax evasion."

The Constitution said two other attorneys said the athletes they represent also were threatened with imprisonment. The attorneys asked that they and their clients not to be identified, the newspaper said.

Gay now is represented by Bruce Allen, son of former Washington Redskins coach George Allen, of Phoenix. Gay has moved to Irving and is participating in a Cowboy minicamp this week.

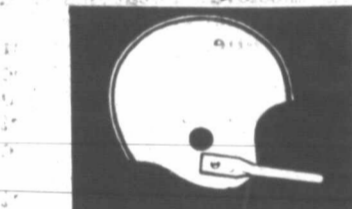
Gay said the last time he spoke to Walters was before the NFL draft in April.

"He was still trying to get me to go with him," Gay said of his conversation with Walters.

Asked if Walters had threatened him, Gay said "I can't talk about that now." He did say Walters had not filed a breach of contract suit against him.

Gay said he has been subpoenaed to testify before the grand jury May 26. Last week, a federal grand jury in Chicago subpoenaed all of his scholarship and amateur status records from UT, Gay said.

Harris' agent Tom Williams said the grand jury has not subpoenaed his client, but he has talked to the FBI.



he told the American-Statesman, but said he plans to repay the loan. He said he terminated his contract with Walters Dec. 30.

Gay is one of nine players from three Southwest Conference schools and one of 60 athletes from 28 schools nationwide who have been subpoenaed to appear before a Chicago grand jury looking into Walters' admitted signing of players while they still had college eligibility remaining.

The list includes eight first-round draft picks.

Other SWC players subpoenaed by the grand jury are two of Gay's former UT teammates, Edwin Simmons and William Harris; Jeff Atkins, Jerry Ball, Terence Mann and Ron Morris, all of Southern Methodist; and Byron Linwood and Egypt Allen of Texas Christian.

The grand jury is to meet each Tuesday for at least two months, looking into dealings by Walters and an aide, Lloyd Bloom, and possibly others. The panel is investigating reports that Walters and Bloom threatened former clients who had broken agreements with them.

Walters has filed six breach of contract suits, including three

Groom blasts Briscoe, 18-1, in high school baseball action

Donald Brogdon threw a one-hitter as Groom defeated Briscoe, 18-1, in high school baseball action Monday.

Brogdon struck out a dozen batters while walking seven.

Bruce Thornton had a single

and double in two trips to the plate for Groom while teammates Sid Brass and Brent Thornton also had extra base hits. Jack Britten and Sid Brass knocked in two runs each.

Sam Watson had the lone base hit for Briscoe.

Ladies Open Partnership results

Placings in the Ladies Open Partnership Golf Tournament held last week at Celanese are listed below:

Championship

1. Martha Badgett-Ruby Holmes; 2. Lavonna Dalton-Nita Hill; 3. Mona Jennings-Bobbi Jennings.

First Flight

1. Sue Winborn-Hazel Warren; 2. Joyce Epperson-Mary Jo Fiveash; 3. Margaret Lawyer-Joyce Swope; 4. Mary Bond-Glenda Koch.

Second Flight

1. Peaches Hood-June Kelp; 2. Jan McKee-M. Schmidt; 3. Nancy Chase-Gale Curtis; 4. Ann King-Margaret Adams.

Third Flight

1. Jane McBunch-Delma Field; 2. Jane Gattis-Fay Harvey; 3. Andrea Walling-Lois Watkins; 4. Ginger Loeffler-Barbara Guard.

Longest drive — Carol Bush, championship; Hazel Whittington, first flight; Peaches Hood, second flight; Delma Field, third flight.

Longest putt — (tie) Gail Curtin and Linnie Schneider.

Closest to the pin — (tie) Jan Johnson and Mona Jennings.



Astros' Billy Hatcher is safe at home.

Swindell keeping fingers crossed

By STEVE HERMAN
AP Sports Writer

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Sammy Swindell was the 34th-fastest qualifier for Sunday's 33-car Indianapolis 500.

Swindell, a veteran sprint car racer with more than 400 career victories, qualified for his rookie Indy 500 last Saturday, then waited nervously as the field was completed with faster cars. Now, he is the first alternate for the \$4 million race.

On Sunday, after the final three spots were filled, the three slowest cars were bumped from the lineup by three faster cars. Swindell, who had qualified at 201.840 mph, was the last to go, bumped by veteran Ed Pimm in the closing minutes of qualifications.

"It was close, but not close enough," said Swindell, whose average speed was .648 mph slower than the 33rd-place qualifier, Steve Chassey, who was at 202.488.

"It was a lack of horsepower," said Swindell, who was driving the only Pontiac-powered race car entered for this year's race. "I ran only 207, 208 mph down the straights, so I ran as good a lap as I could. But I had to be a good 60 horsepower down from anybody else here."

The only chance for Swindell to

get into the race now is if one of the qualified drivers is injured or if a car is too severely damaged to be repaired following Thursday's final two-hour practice period. A year ago, Dennis Firestone's qualified car was wrecked during that final pre-race practice, and he had to withdraw.

The withdrawal allowed first-alternate Dick Simon to start his 15th Indy in the 33rd position.

"The tension to qualify was high," said Swindell, hoping, somehow, he might still get into the race. "It was a struggle. I wish we had another week (to qualify) ..."

"I've gained a lot of knowledge from driving the Pontiac, and it has a lot of small problems. Being a pioneer, you have to do with it what you can," he said.

Swindell, 31, from Bartlett, Tenn., began racing modifieds in 1971. He made his Indy-car debut at the Michigan 500 in 1985 and was ninth in A. J. Foyt's backup car at the Pocono 500 last year.

He has not yet driven in an Indy car this season.

"I'm disappointed because I wanted very much to make this race," he said of his failed effort at Indianapolis. "But I'm satisfied, too. I'm convinced I got the most that was in the car and that (car-owner) John (Buttera) and the crew had the car as close to perfect as it could be."

Pirates down Astros

By ALAN ROBINSON
AP Sports Writer

PITTSBURGH (AP) — All the Pittsburgh Pirates needed to beat the Houston Astros was Mike Diaz's long ball and Bobby Bonilla's short hop.

Diaz hit one of the Pirates' longest homers of the season and Bonilla's apparently routine ground ball scored what proved the winning run in the seventh inning as the Pirates defeated Houston 5-2 Tuesday night.

"This was an excellent, excellent win for us," Diaz said. "We had key hits in clutch situations. We did the little things you have to do to win ball games, and it's important for us to keep doing those things if we're gonna be a winner."

Diaz's long homer into the third tier of Three Rivers Stadium's left-field seats and Sid Bream's RBI single staked starter Brian Fisher to a 2-0 lead in the fifth inning — until the rains came. After a one-hour, 27-minute delay, Pittsburgh Manager Jim Leyland replaced Fisher with rookie

John Smiley.

Smiley, 3-1, lost the lead by allowing Glenn Davis' solo homer in the sixth and another run in the seventh following Billy Hatcher's triple. But he still wound up the winning pitcher.

Dave Meads, 3-1, the Astros' third pitcher, got into immediate trouble in the seventh when he hit Rafael Belliard with a pitch, pinch hitter Bill Almon singled and Barry Bonds walked. Bonilla then grounded to second, but shortstop Dickie Thon dropped Bill Doran's throw for an error, allowing Belliard to score the go-ahead run. Johnny Ray followed with a sacrifice fly.

The Pirates thought Bonilla's ball was too slowly hit to be turned into an inning-ending double play, but Houston Manager Hal Lanier said, "It would have been close."

"Bonilla gets down the line pretty well for a big man and it wasn't really hit that hard but I still think it might have been close," he said. "If we had handled it cleanly, it might have been interesting."

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Honor student punished

WICHITA FALLS (AP)—A student who maintained a perfect grade average will not be allowed to sit on the stage with other honor graduates during the graduation ceremony because she was drinking beer before an off-campus, after-school function.

Bonni Britt, 18, who is scheduled to graduate next week from Rider High School, said she and two friends drank two beers after school March 30, off of the campus and more than an hour before a school choir function at Park Place Christian Church.

Britt said she was questioned twice by school officials and eventually admitted drinking the beer because she thought her punishment would be less severe if she told the truth.

She was kicked out of choir, stripped of her membership in the National Honor Society and removed as president of the school's French Club and removed from her post as senior class secretary.

Principal Jack Robertson also assigned Britt to three days of on-campus suspension and she and her mother had to attend two nights of two-hour counseling sessions.

"I'm following school board policy," Robertson said, although he was not more specific.

"She will have an asterisk (on the graduation program) denoting that she is an honor graduate," Robertson told the Wichita Falls Record-News.

Superintendent Dr. Lee Williamson said he supports Robertson's decision not to let Britt sit on the stage.

"She was violating the school regulation concerning alcohol and she was involved in a school activity at the time," Williamson said.

"The principal established the penalty," Williamson said. "She's able to complete (school) and graduate," he added.

Being banned from the stage during the graduation ceremony is "a punishment that does not fit the crime," he said.

Public Notice

The White Deer Independent School District is accepting bids for the resurfacing of and marking to metric the Athletic Track at White Deer. Specifications may be obtained by contacting the Administration Office, White Deer I.S.D., Box 517, 601 Omohundro, White Deer, Texas 79097 (phone: 883-2311). All bids must be clearly marked SEALED BID: ATHLETIC TRACK and submitted no later than 5:00 p.m., Friday, June 5th in order to be considered at the June 8th, 1987 Regular Board Meeting. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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Bilingual aisles



Customers shop recently in the Tianguis market in Montebello, Calif., where the clerks and signs are bilingual to serve the growing Hispanic population. Grocery retailers in Los Angeles that have made the effort to cater to the dietary habits of specific groups say it is paying off in higher sales.

Memory takes a seat at general store

By BETTY STEPHENSON
Denton Record-Chronicle

ROSSTON (AP) — Most days, folks from miles around this small southwestern Cooke County community head for the Rosston General Store. They know they can get a cup of coffee and warm conversation.

They take a seat on the long wooden bench, pull up a milk crate or a wooden Coke case and sit down to talk about state or national problems, or discuss what their neighbors are up to.

On chilly days, they huddle by the glowing embers in a cast-iron stove in the rear of the building. It's been that way for 108 years, and though the people and the times change, the store remains the glue that holds the community together, and its only link between the past and the present.

Years ago, on warm sunny days, men would gather on the front porch and whittle. There was a bench, made of logs cut from native trees, where men sat and visited.

"Some would stay and eat cheese and crackers and never go home for lunch," said Josephine Berry, who, with her husband, George, owned the store from 1943 to 1973. "Many people came to Rosston on horseback and in wagons when we first got the store. There were no good roads then."

They bought the store from Joe W. Stone.

The Rosston store was built in 1879 by Sam and Clay Raney and their sister, Sarah. They thought the railroad was coming through Rosston, which would have caused the town to boom. When the railroad bypassed the community, the Raney's sold the store and moved to West Texas.

Mrs. Berry recalled the difficult war years, times when gasoline and some food were rationed.

"We had a ceiling list of some food prices, and we could charge only a certain amount for them. We were called on the carpet for selling a 16-ounce can of cocoa for 15 cents when it was supposed to be 13 cents."

"We had to go before the rationing board in Gainesville, who told us to lower the price two cents," she said. "After the war, the government never informed me to quit taking the gasoline ration stamps."

When the Berrys took over the store, it had electricity, but no telephone. When they finally got lines into Rosston, area residents came to the store to call Myra and Forestburg, which were local calls.

"We were considered the information bureau, and everyone would come in and ask us who went where and when," Mrs. Berry said.

Fox and wolf hunts also were popular subjects that the men who sat on the porch would talk about for hours. "Bee hunting also was common then. The men marked the trees in the summer, and in the fall they would cut the trees down and gather the honey. They don't do that any more, because crop spraying has killed most of the bees," she said.

During the Berrys' tenure, gasoline was sold in old glass-top pumps and kerosene came in 100-gallon containers. "The customers would have to bring their own containers and pump kerosene into them," Mrs. Berry said. Vinegar was sold from a barrel and chicken laying mash came in 100-pound bags of print material that the women would buy to make dresses.

Sugar was sold in bulk and chewing tobacco was in long wooden boxes that had to be cut with a special knife.

"We got rich in experience, but not moneywise," Mrs. Berry

said. Linda and Johnny Muller, who were reared in the area, bought the store in 1973. They have tried to keep the charm and old-fashioned flavor of the store intact, but they have made some modern concessions.

"We still have to have comfort and make the product look nice," Mrs. Muller said. "We added some insulation and put up cedar planks inside. It's a lot warmer now."

They also added an air conditioner and some new light fixtures. The ceiling had been lowered with sheetrock. They removed it to expose the original beaded ceiling.

"I had always heard about a man who was cleaning his gun in here and it went off, making a hole in the ceiling," she said. "We found that the hole had been covered by a piece of tin, which is still there."

Soft drink and ice machines have replaced the whittling benches outside, since there aren't many whittlers left, but a hitching post it still there. Antique farm items line the inside walls, and an old corn sheller is near the wood stove. Most of the things belonged to Muller's grandfather, Mrs. Muller said.

The stove is older than the store and came from the old Methodist Church in Rosston, she said.

Old tin signs advertising snuff, cigarettes and soft drinks were outside, until they began to disappear, and now they are kept inside the store.

There aren't many old-timers who spend all day at the store anymore. Mrs. Muller provides free coffee to those who drop by. "They usually come and stay until around 11, when the mail comes," she said.

The store's contents have changed to accommodate the customers' desires. "They want something fast nowadays, so we keep frozen pizzas. A lot of the younger generation is moving back and building homes, so there are more children. We sell a lot of soda pop and candy."

There is a good supply of transmission fluid, cans of oil and pressurized containers of fix-a-flat. "Johnny has changed a lot of tires for the older men and the little old ladies who can't change their own," Mrs. Muller said.

Higher prices have been one of the changes since the Mullers took over the store. "Snuff was 49 cents then, and now it's \$1.50 for a little can," Mrs. Muller said.

State trooper reconstructs scenes of fatal accidents

PONTIAC, Ill. (AP) — Russell Sauve isn't surprised by a phone call in the middle of the night. It's part of his job.

Sauve, a state trooper with District 6 State Police in Pontiac, is one of 14 officers in Illinois who are qualified to reconstruct the scene of a fatal accident. He works a seven-county area of central Illinois.

Sauve, of Bloomington, has worked as a paramedic and a patrolman. He was trained in accident investigation with the Buffalo Grove Police Department.

"The department received a federal grant for an accident investigation training class, and I was offered a chance to take it," he explained. "That class was the building block for the work I now do."

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration made recommendations for programs to certify accident reconstructionists, but Illinois was the first state actually to take several courses and develop the program.

"Before the state began the certification program in 1985, there were only five troopers who

handled all the fatal accident investigation in the state," Sauve said.

"Each accident is different, but it usually takes between five and six weeks to complete an investigation."

Sauve begins his job when the phone rings. He immediately goes to the scene of the accident and secures it for evidence.

"Accurate measurements of skid marks, oil spills and broken glass are gathered first," he said.

"I'm usually at the scene for a few hours. Then the cars involved are impounded and a thorough examination and damage analysis follows. Any indicators as to the cause of the accident — the speedometer, tires, where the car was crushed — everything is taken apart and studied."

Careful documentation of all evidence is required in case the accident leads to felony charges, such as reckless homicide.

"Cases sometimes are settled out of court, but all this training is necessary so that we will be recognized as expert witnesses if called to testify," Sauve said.

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