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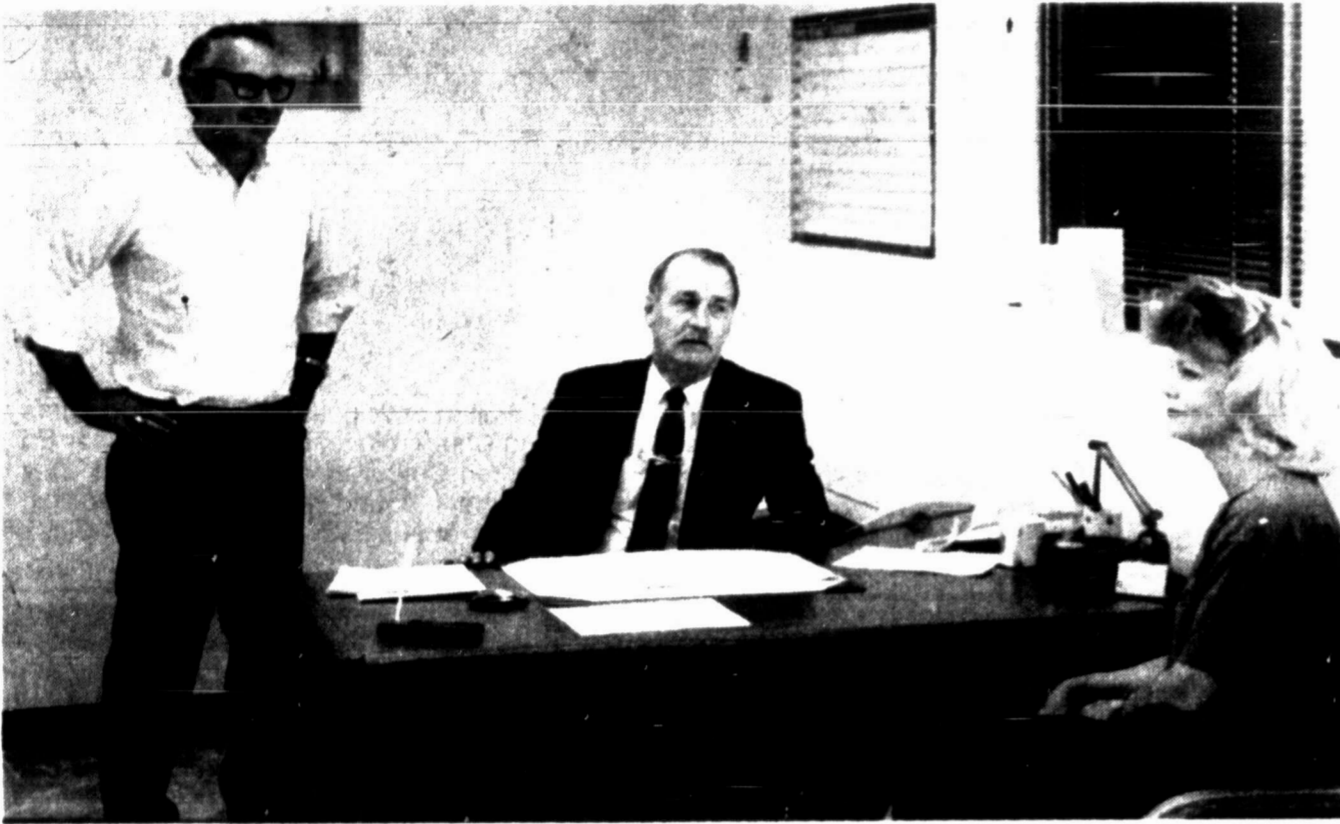
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(Staff photo by Bear Mills)

Ray Hupp, a Pampa city commissioner and board member for the new Pampa Counseling Service, talks with, from left, Gene Richardson, counselor, and Sherry McWilliams, recreation director.

Counseling center to open here for alcohol, chemical abuse cases

By BEAR MILLS
Staff Writer

Responding to alcohol and chemical abuse problems among Pampa teen-agers and young adults, a new outpatient counseling service is opening on June 1.

Pampa Counseling Service, operating on a five-year grant from the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse (TCADA), will open its three-person office to reach young people who might otherwise "fall through the cracks."

Gene Richardson, who has 12 years experience in chemical-dependency counseling in Texas and Oklahoma, will head the program.

"I like to live in a small town," Richardson said of his reasons for coming to Pampa. "We're going to try to help young adults and adolescents and families. We know there are problems all over the Panhandle."

A 12-member board of directors, which includes Pampa City Commissioner Ray Hupp, has been working for such a service for the community for years, officials said.

An \$84,000-a-year grant from TCADA will be combined with sliding-scale charges from counseling to fund the project.

Richardson and Hupp said no family or young adult will be turned away from the program because of a lack of ability to pay.

"A lot of people can't afford to take their kid to a treatment center in Amarillo," Hupp pointed out. "In this particular program, no one will be turned away. When we initially started looking into this, we got with the probation officer, county judge and school officials and this was felt to be one of the biggest problems—the financial problems. The parents want to help the kids but they can't take the time off to go to Amarillo (for treatment) and they didn't have the finances to go to a Care Unit or hospital.

"We feel like this will really meet a need."

"We hope we're going to be able to reach them before they get to the addiction phase," said Sherry McWilliams, recreation director for the service.

She said it is important to show young people there

are activities from which they can find fulfillment that do not include alcohol or drugs.

Activities and games are among the key proponents involved in redirecting behavior, she said.

"We're trying to get them to be active and involve them in board games or craft ideas or things like volleyball," McWilliams said. "We will try and involve the family because sometimes that's where the breakdown is. The interest of a teen-ager is so different than that of their parents that they have trouble communicating and doing anything together because it ends up being a fight."

McWilliams also said, "I will be an intermediary who can mediate the mom and dad fighting with the kid when we're all out on an outing. We want to show them a different way of responding to each other and communicating through activities outside the home."

Richardson noted that parents most often raise their children the way they were raised by their parents. However, if that way is dysfunctional for some reason, he said it can cause serious problems.

"Unfortunately, there is no school for people to go to on parenting," Richardson said. "We think education will help the parents and their kids a lot. We've set up a film library and we're going to be doing films and lectures for the community."

In addition to education, recreation and counseling, the center will provide referrals for mental health problems and intervention for those experimenting with chemicals.

"Sometimes you find denial in the family," Richardson said. "They don't want to admit their child has a problem. We're trying to bring the family in and get them to participate."

After-care treatment for those who have been in a residential facility and are now seeking to re-enter the community will also be covered in the Pampa Counseling Center programs.

Community volunteers and recreation facilities to assist the program are currently being sought by Richardson and McWilliams. Those interested in contacting Pampa Counseling Service for information or help can call 665-5151.

Appraisal District adopts policy for collecting delinquent taxes

By BETH MILLER
Staff Writer

Gray County Appraisal District now has a written policy on the procedures for collecting delinquent taxes.

The GCAD Board of Directors unanimously approved the policies and procedures at a Thursday meeting. Most of the procedures are currently completed, but the document adds a provision for reporting accounts where collection is doubtful.

The board also adopted a written policy, as required by a new state law, concerning public access to meetings where handicapped or non-English speaking people are involved.

And the board unanimously approved allowing the chief appraiser to enter into a contract with a Rockwall appraiser for additional appraisal services regarding petrochemical plant and industrial appraisals.

Pat Bagley, chief appraiser, said the five-page document regarding the policies and procedures for collecting delinquent taxes has been in discussion stages for about five months.

Bagley said that the prior procedure of reporting "doubtful collections" with the rest of the delinquent taxes is a bad representation of what can actually be collected. Although the "doubtful collections" cannot be

removed from the tax roll, they can be listed separately.

"In some cases, after diligent effort has been made to collect the taxes owed on an account, it becomes apparent that no matter what actions, legal or otherwise, are taken to collect these accounts, such actions are unlikely to produce payment of the account," the description of doubtful accounts reads.

The policy lists circumstances where an account would be considered doubtful and also provides for methods and procedures of recording doubtful accounts.

In unrelated action, Bagley said the public access policy for meetings is called for under Section 6.04(d) of the Texas Tax Code. The policy adopted calls for a reasonable period of time to be allowed for public comments on the Appraisal District and Appraisal Review Board policies and procedures at Appraisal District meetings.

The policy adopted by GCAD calls for any non-English speaking person, deaf person, or any person who has any physical, mental or development disability to file a written request with the chief appraiser, who will schedule that person to present testimony at the next meeting. The request should indicate any special assistance or arrangement to make the presentation.

The chief appraiser will appoint

at least one bilingual person in the county to serve as an interpreter each year. He will also appoint an interpreter for deaf people each year. Also, the chief appraiser will be responsible for coordinating with public and private agencies for proper arrangements for people in wheelchairs and other mobility aides to improve the access during a public hearing of the board.

Meetings of the board where written notice has been given from people requiring barrier free access will be conducted in public buildings complying with state law.

In a separate action, the board heard from Director Larry Cross, who along with Bagley interviewed two firms regarding outside appraisal expertise on some industrial and petrochemical properties.

Cross and Bagley both recommended the hiring of Jerry Hooper of Hooper Enterprises of Rockwall for the additional expertise on appraisals. Hooper has 20 years of appraisal experience, Bagley said.

Hooper's estimated fee for his services is \$4,500, based on \$450 a day. Preparation for trial and/or trial services would be \$800 a day.

The other firm interviewed, Barnes & Click Inc. of Dallas, quoted an estimated charge of \$10,000 for the services.

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Legislators plan for possible veto of school finance bill

By PEGGY FIKAC
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — Legislative leaders who have been negotiating a school finance reform compromise with Gov. Bill Clements are taking the proposal to House and Senate members to see if it has enough support to pass.

Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby was going to talk to senators, said a key aide, Saralee Tiede. House Speaker Gib Lewis said he also planned to talk to lawmakers over the weekend.

"Really what we're going to do is start taking it to the membership and see what they say," said Lewis, D-Fort Worth.

Clements has withheld his threatened veto of lawmakers' school finance bill while his staff negotiates with legislative leaders. If they reach a final agreement, the bill could be called back by the Legislature and changed.

Among concessions offered by legislative leaders were reducing the first-year cost of the bill from \$555 million to \$450 million and allowing Clements to appoint the education commissioner from nominees submitted by the State Board of

Education. The board currently appoints the commissioner.

If there is no compromise, and the bill is vetoed, Sen. Carl Parker said Thursday he would propose a public hearing to include court master William Kilgarlin "so the people will know ... it's not a game between the Legislature and the governor."

Kilgarlin will propose a school finance reform plan if lawmakers and Clements don't enact one by June 1.

Because his plan must be within current state revenues, Kilgarlin said that could mean diverting aid from property-rich to property-poor districts.

"I think we need to air publicly what the consequences of not having passed some bill that would extract us from court supervision would have on everybody," said Parker, D-Port Arthur, chairman of the Senate Education Committee.

Parker said he also wants his committee and the House Public Education Committee to hear from superintendents of school districts that could lose state money if a court plan were imposed.

The hearing would coincide with promised efforts by Lt. Gov. Bill

Hobby and House Speaker Gib Lewis, D-Fort Worth, to muster the two-thirds vote needed to override a veto if negotiations aren't successful.

The Texas Supreme Court in a unanimous opinion last year ruled the school finance system unconstitutional and told the state to devise a way to make more money available to property-poor school districts. The \$13.5 billion-a-year system relies on state aid, local property taxes and some federal money.

If lawmakers and Clements don't enact a plan by June 1, Kilgarlin will propose one to State District Judge Scott McCown, who is overseeing the case.

Because McCown mandated that the master's plan be within current state revenues, Kilgarlin said that could mean diverting state aid from property-rich to property-poor districts.

The Democratic-controlled Legislature and Republican governor are in their third special session to try to overhaul the school finance system. The last session ended without a plan after Clements vetoed a half-cent sales tax increase needed to pay for last session's \$555 million reform bill.

John Call, Kevin Mayfield head 1990 graduating class of Lefors

LEFORS — Two young men — John Call and Kevin Mayfield — top the graduating class of 1990 at Lefors High School.

Call, the valedictorian, has resided in Lefors since he was 4-years-old. In 1976, he started kindergarten at Lefors Independent School District with 10 others who will graduate with the class of 16.

Call is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Call Jr. and Mary L. Call.

Mayfield, the salutatorian, has been a lifetime resident of Lefors, attending the Lefors ISD since kindergarten.

Mayfield is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Maples and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Mayfield.

"My elementary and junior high years were just as any other kid," Call said. "But my high school years are what I will probably remember the most."

Mayfield said, "My high school experience has been a time of growing and developing the right attitude to help me in my future endeavors."

Call played basketball, baseball and tennis all four years of high school. He played on the football team his sophomore and senior years at Lefors High School. He ran cross-country track his senior year.

During his freshman year, Call participated in number sense and spelling at the district University Interscholastic League meet. He also became a member of FHA.

Call competed in calculator and



John Call



Kevin Mayfield

number sense at the district UIL meet his sophomore year and advanced to regionals in number sense. He received an award in annual staff and was initiated into the National Honor Society.

Call competed in several Texas Math and Science Coaches Association (TMSCA) math and science meets his junior year and earned numerous awards in calculator and number sense. He was the district champ in calculator and number sense and alternate to state in calculator at the regional meet.

Also his junior year, he was captain of the math team, a member of FCA and treasurer of Student Coun-

cil. He received an "Outstanding Student in Chemistry" award, an all "A's" award, Best Citizen and Who's Who in math, computer and history.

Call worked most of his senior year at McDonalds, where he was promoted to crew trainer. He again competed in many TMSCA meets and received many awards, including several first places. He retained his district champ titles in calculator and number sense, placed second in calculator and fifth in number sense at the state level. He earned second place at the state meet in calculator.

He was a member of NHS, FCA

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Flowers for veterans



(Staff photo by Dee Dee Laramore)

Bill Roberts and John Triplehorn, county veteran's officer, plant red barberry bushes at the Veteran's Walkway of the Gray County Veteran's Memorial. Members of the Pampa Garden Club Thursday planted red barberry, blue and white petunias in keeping with the patriotic theme of the park. Many of the plants were purchased with funds donated by Pampa Beautification Foundation, aid Mrs. Robert Wood, president of the garden club

Daily Record

Services tomorrow

CURRY, Perry Glenn — 2 p.m., First Baptist Church, McLean.
BLACK, John B. — 10 a.m., W.H. Scott Mortuary, Wilmette, Ill.

Obituaries

PERRY GLENN CURRY
 McLEAN — Perry Glenn Curry, 61, died Thursday, May 17, 1990. Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jeff Messer, pastor, and the Rev. Buell Wells, retired Baptist minister, officiating. Burial will be in Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of Lamb Funeral Home.
 Mr. Curry was born on July 13, 1928, in Reydton, Okla., and moved to McLean in 1953 from Reydton. He married Norma Watson on Oct. 3, 1953, at McLean. He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He was owner and operator of Curry Meat Processing. He was a member and a deacon of First Baptist Church. He was active in the McLean Ambulance Service and the McLean Fire Department.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Randy Curry of Stroud, Okla.; a daughter, Cathy Friedrich of Clinton, Okla.; his stepfather, Ralph Coon of Durham, Okla.; two brothers, Norman Curry of Perryton and Jackie Coon of Claremore, Okla.; a sister, Virgie Ballenger of Perryton; and five grandchildren.

OPAL FITZGERALD
 MIAMI — Opal Fitzgerald, 82, died Friday, May 18, 1990. Services are pending with Carmichael-Whately Funeral Directors.

The following show the prices for which these securities could have traded at the time of compilation:
 Ky. Cent. Life.....14 7/8
 Seaford.....6 3/4
 Occidental.....27 1/8
 The following show the prices for which these mutual funds were bid at the time of compilation:
 Magellan.....58 5/8
 Putnam.....13 3/4

The following 9:30 a.m. N.Y. Stock Market quotations are furnished by Edward D. Jones & Co. of Pampa:
 Amoco.....53 3/8 up 1/8
 Arco.....119 1/4 dn 3/8

JOHN B. BLACK
 GLENCO, Ill. — John B. Black, 62, the brother of a Pampa, Texas, woman, died Thursday, May 17, 1990. Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at W.H. Scott Mortuary in Wilmette, Ill.

Survivors include his wife, Marilyn, of the home; two daughters, Kaytie Black of Orlando, Fla., and Helen; one son, Robbie Black, of the home; and two sisters, Patsy Smith of Chicago, Ill., and Mary Helen Ellis of Pampa, Texas.

Police report

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

WEDNESDAY, May 17
 A juvenile reported an assault at Pampa Middle School.

Deana Jo Milliron, 1054 N. Wells, reported a theft at 2545 Perryton Pkwy.

Gas-N-Stuff, 225 W. Brown, reported a theft at the business.

Police reported injury to a child at an unrevealed address.

Rhonda Pell, 717 E. Browning, reported an assault at the residence.

Police reported a domestic assault in the 1100 block of Varnon Drive.

Jerry Mulanax, 929 Duncan, reported burglary of a motor vehicle at 1 Medical Plaza.

Tyson Willis, 1120 Buckler, reported a theft at the residence.

Arrests
THURSDAY, May 17
 Kelly Jean McAulay, 23, Peralto, N.M., was transferred from Carson County Jail on warrants.

Fires

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

THURSDAY, May 17
 7:06 a.m. — False alarm was reported at Pampa Nursing Center, 1321 W. Kentucky. Three units and five firefighters responded.

Hospital

CORONADO HOSPITAL Admissions
 Doll Alexander, Pampa
 Mary Baten, Pampa
 Nellie Bess Martin, Pampa
 Juanita McKee, Alanreed
 Jossie McPherson, Pampa
 Ira Virgie Tennison, Pampa
 James Frank Cook (extended care), Skellytown
 Jo L. Morris (extended care), Pampa
Dismissals
 L.G. Clifton, Pampa
 Joel Epps, Borger
 Jeanna Lewis and baby girl, Pampa
 Kelly Lusk, Borger
 Martinez baby boy, Pampa
 Lloyd McGill, Pampa
 Bonnie Sue Neef and baby boy, Pampa
 Jewell Parnell, Pampa
 Alice Sharum, Pampa
 Estelle Williams, Pampa
 Pauline Young, Lefors

SHAMROCK HOSPITAL Admissions
 Eloise Robbins, Mid- dlesboro, Ken.
 Frank Payne, Sham- rock
Dismissals
 Sarah Kidd, Sham- rock

Stocks

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

Wheat.....	3.03	Cobot.....	30 7/8	up 1/8
Milo.....	4.10	Cobot O&G.....	15 3/4	NC
Corn.....	4.75	Chevron.....	70	dn 1/4
		Coca-Cola.....	42 3/8	dn 1/4
		Enron.....	56	dn 1/4
		Halliburton.....	48 1/8	NC
		Ingersoll Rand.....	58 5/8	dn 3/8
		KNE.....	23 7/8	NC
		Kerr-McGee.....	49 1/4	dn 1/8
		Limited.....	45 5/8	up 1/2
		Mapco.....	38	up 1/8
		Maxus.....	10 3/4	NC
		McDonald's.....	32	up 1/8
		Mesa Ltd.....	43 3/4	dn 1/8
		Mobil.....	62 1/4	NC
		New Atmos.....	17 1/4	NC
		Pennco.....	65 3/8	up 3/8
		Phillips.....	27 1/8	NC
		SLB.....	56 3/4	dn 1/8
		SPS.....	28 7/8	NC
		Tenneco.....	68 1/8	up 5/8
		Texaco.....	59 3/4	dn 1/8
		New York Gold.....	370.00	
		Silver.....	5.04	

Minor accidents

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

THURSDAY, May 17
 5:17 p.m. — A 1976 Buick driven by Hazel Crossman, 1501 N. Russell, collided with a 1985 jeep driven by Mildred Woelfle, 2105 N. Zimmers, in the 1800 block of North Zimmers. Crossman was cited for failure to yield right of way.

8:05 p.m. — A 1963 Chevrolet owned by Sammy Condo, 705 N. Frost, rolled into a legally parked 1977 Buick owned by Debbie Hageman, 105 N. Nelson, in the 700 block of North Frost after it reportedly slipped out of gear. No citations were issued.

Calendar of events

SOUTHSIDE SENIOR CITIZEN'S MENU
 Southside Senior Citizen's menu for Saturday is meatloaf, spinach, macaroni and cheese, cornbread and Jello.

PAMPA BRIDGE CLUB
 Pampa Bridge Club meets on Sunday at 2 p.m. in Room 11 at Clarendon College. For a partner, contact Verdalee Cooper at 669-2813.

Correction

In a Page One article in Thursday's *Pampa News* on the Pampa High School scholarships and awards assembly, one of the scholarship winners was inadvertently omitted. Traci Baumgardner received the Pampa Altrusa Club scholarship. We apologize for the omission.

Emergency numbers

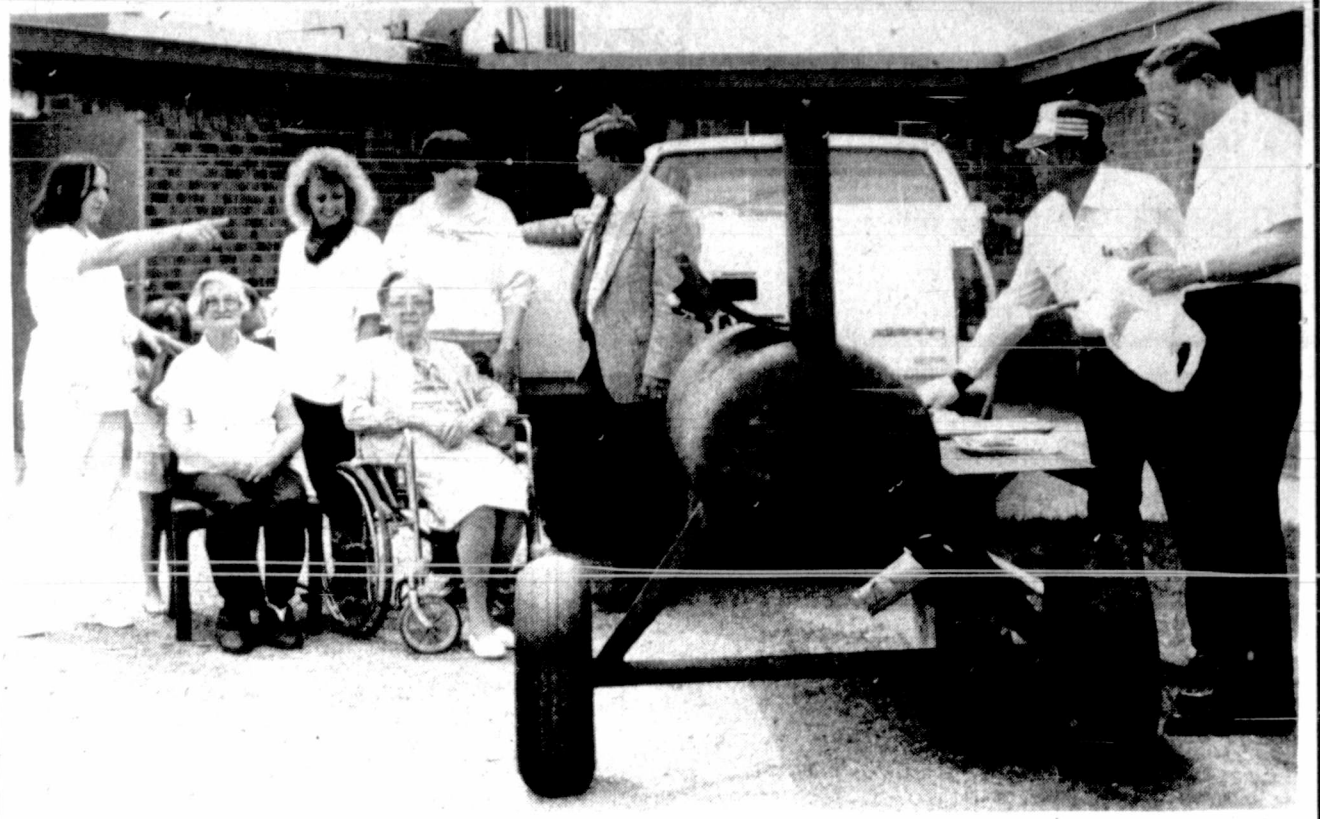
Ambulance.....	911
Crime Stoppers.....	669-2222
Energas.....	665-5777
Fire.....	911
Police (emergency).....	911
Police (non-emergency).....	665-8481
SPS.....	669-7432
Water.....	665-3881

Landscape donation



Members of the Class of 1944 accept a \$1,000 donation towards the Pampa High School landscaping project from representatives of the Class of '52, '53 and '54' which joined funds to make the presentation. Pictured are, from left, Don Nelson, Class of 1953; David Fatheree, Class of 1954; J.C. Hopkins, Class of 1944; Jean Martindale, Class of 1954; Helen Danner, Class of 1952; Charlie Smith, Class of 1954; and John McKinley, Class of 1944. The landscaping project has now reached \$10,600 towards its goal of \$35,000. Another \$7,000 is needed for the project to qualify for a \$5,000 donation from the McCarley Foundation, organizers said.

Nursing home treat



Coronado Nursing Center residents and employees, far left, wait in anticipation for the hamburgers cooked by Hospice of Pampa volunteers, Lloyd Laramore and Chuck White, right. Administrator Ed Dudley, center right, chats with Hospice Grief Coordinator Ellen Corcoran, center left, while they wait. Thursday, Hospice volunteers prepared a lunch of hamburgers, potato salad, beans and chips, followed by ice cream sundaes, for the residents in celebration of National Nursing Home Week, May 13-19.

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Lefors

and secretary of Student Council. He was a part of the One-Act Play and named Best Actor at the zone competition. He was also named Best Citizen and Mr. LHS.

Call is not completely sure what the future holds for him, but said he would like to start college at West Texas State University during the fall and receive a bachelor's degree in mathematics. He would also like to become a commissioned officer in the U.S. Air Force and after retiring from the Air Force, teach secondary math education as a "mere hobby."

Mayfield was a member of the varsity basketball, football, track and baseball teams all four years of high school. He played tennis for three years, ran cross-country one year and played golf one year.

In football, Mayfield was named 1988 All-District spreadback, 1988

All-District linebacker, 1988 honorable mention center and 1989 honorable mention quarterback.

In basketball, Mayfield was named to the 1990 All-District Team and was a 1990 Co-District runner-up. In cross-country he was a regional qualifier this year.

In track, Mayfield was the 1987 district champ in the two-mile run and second in the one-mile run at district in 1987. In 1989 he was a qualifier in pole vault competition at the state Six-Man meet. He was second in-district in the pole vault this year and on this year's regional Six-Man champion mile relay team, which placed second at the state Six-Man meet.

The Lefors baseball team was named district champs in 1987, 1989 and this year and area champs in 1987. The team was the 1987 regional champion and 1987 state semi-finalist.

In the district UIL meet, Mayfield received second in calculator applications this year and qualified

for the regional meet, where he received sixth. He was third place in the 1989 UIL district competition and qualified for the regional meet, where he was seventh place.

Mayfield was the freshman class president, sophomore class vice president, junior class treasurer and senior class representative. He was the Student Council treasurer in 1989-90, Mr. Lefors High School in 1988-89 and received the 1989-90 Sportsmanship award and 1989-90 Best Leader award.

He is also active in his local youth group and enjoys singing, playing baseball and riding horses.

Mayfield plans to attend Texas Tech University and major in pre-medicine. He later plans to attend medical school, although his profession in the medical field is undetermined at this time.

Baccalaureate is set for 8 p.m. Sunday at the Lefors High School Auditorium. Graduation will be at 8 p.m. May 25 at the auditorium.

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Appraisal

Both Cross and Bagley said they had made their decisions on which firm to recommend before the prices were quoted.

In other action, the board:
 • Unanimously approved a resolution amending the policies of operation and personnel rules of the GCAD. The resolution updates con-

ditions for employment and termination.

• Received an activity report for the month of April from the delinquent tax attorney firm.

• Heard from Bagley, who said an estimated 18,500 notices were mailed out in the county this month out of more than 48,000 accounts. The notices were estimates of what the property owner's taxes would be. Notices were mailed to residents

whose property values changed or whose property was re-appraised, Bagley said.

• Unanimously approved the expenditures for April.

All board members were present for the meeting.

At a GCAD Appraisal Review Board meeting earlier this week, the board presented the estimated values for 1990, listed by taxing entities and listed by categories.

City briefs

BRICK REPAIR. If your home has brick that need repair Call Harley Knutson 665-4237. Adv.

FREE DIP with clip! Boarding. Mona, 669-6357. Adv.

EASY'S PRIVATE Club, 2841 Perryton Parkway will now be open Sundays. Adv.

BARBEQUE - LIVE Entertainment - Silent Auction - Zion Lutheran, 1200 Duncan. May 19th, 6-8 p.m. Tickets \$7 advance, \$8 at door. Adv.

HOUSE OF Coiffure \$45 Perm for \$25. Call Betty, 669-2451 or 665-8243. Adv.

PROPERTY TAXES too high? You may be entitled to a reduction in valuation. Call Property Valuation Analysts. 669-3248. Adv.

SUNDAY LUNCH Buffet, Coronado Inn, 11-2 p.m. Best in town! Adv.

SADDLE Shop, Boot and Shoe Repairs including ladies shoes. Saddle Repair and Tack. United Feed, 625 West Str. 665-1142, Pampa, Tx. Adv.

THE CLOTHES Line 109 N. Cuyler. Sale, Friday and Saturday. Campus casuals 50% off, Hang 10 and Beverly Hills Polo Club 25% off. New shipment of leather purses, perfect for graduation 10% off. Adv.

MUSIC FOR Less. We buy, sell and trade new and used cassettes and CD's. All t-shirts \$6 thru Saturday. The Music Shoppe 2139 N. Hobart, open 10-9. Plaza 21. Adv.

GREAT GIFT Ideas for the Sports minded graduate. Come in and check out our every day low prices. Major League Sports. 321 N. Ballard. 665-0948. Adv.

LIL DAVY and the 98's will be at City Limits Club this weekend. Adv.

PROM WORK Days. Friday May 18th, 8 a.m.-midnight. Saturday May 19th, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Adv.

SOUTHWEST ART Gallery, 2133 N. Hobart. Southwest art, vases and pots, western art, bronze, brass, lithographs and fine art. Canvas paintings, Indian blankets, cow skulls, more. Adv.

2 BOX spring and mattress sets. full size, \$30 set. 1132 Mary Ellen. Adv.

CONCRETE BIRD Baths, patio tables and benches. Watson's Feed & Garden. Hwy. 60 East. Adv.

NEW STOCK of bedding plants at Hobart Street Garden Center. 665-3725. Adv.

NEW SHIPMENT Geraniums, Petunias, hanging baskets. Lots more bedding plants all in bloom Watson's Feed & Garden. 665-4189. Adv.

Weather focus

LOCAL FORECAST

Tonight, a 30 percent chance of thunderstorms, a low in the mid 50s and southerly winds 10-20 mph and gusty. Saturday, a decrease in cloudiness, fair and warm by noon with a high in the low 80s, and southwesterly winds 10-20 and gusty. Thursday's high was 74; the overnight low was 58.

REGIONAL FORECAST

West Texas — Decreasing clouds from west tonight, becoming fair most sections Saturday. Scattered thunderstorms all but far west tonight with most numerous and possibly severe storms over Panhandle and South Plains tonight. Highs Saturday low 80s Panhandle to upper 80s Concho Valley and from low 90s far west to near 103 Big Bend. Lows tonight mid 50s Panhandle to upper 60s Concho Valley westward through the Big Bend.

North Texas — Mostly cloudy tonight. Scattered thunderstorms west. Widely scattered thunderstorms central. Some thunderstorms possibly severe northwest. Lows 67 to 71. Partly cloudy Saturday. Widely scattered afternoon thunderstorms. Highs 83 to 90.

South Texas — Partly cloudy to cloudy through Saturday with scattered showers or thunderstorms mainly west over the area Saturday. Highs Saturday in the 80s to low 90s north and 90s south with 80s immediate coast. Lows tonight 70s.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Sunday through Tuesday
 West Texas — Panhandle, South Plains: Slight chance of thunderstorms Saturday and Sunday. Fair and dry Monday. Highs in mid to upper 80s Saturday cooling to near 80 by Monday. Lows in upper 50s Saturday cooling to low 50s Monday. Permian Basin, Concho-Pecos Valley: Slight chance of thunderstorms Saturday and Sunday. Generally fair and dry Monday. Highs in mid and upper 80s each day. Lows in the 60s. Far West: Fair and warm. Highs in upper 80s each day. Lows in low 60s. Big Bend: Slight chance of thunderstorms Saturday. Fair and warm Sunday and Monday. Highs mid and upper 80s mountains, 100 to 105 along the Rio Grande. Lows in the 50s mountains to mid and upper 60s along the river.

North Texas — Generally, partly cloudy, warm and humid with a chance of thunderstorms Sunday and Monday. Decreasing cloudiness and continued warm Tuesday. Lows

in mid 60s to low 70s. Highs in mid to upper 80s.

South Texas — Hill Country and South Central: Partly cloudy and warm. Chance of thunderstorms Sunday and Monday. Lows near 70. Highs upper 80s. Texas Coastal Bend: Partly cloudy and warm. Slight chance of showers or thunderstorms Sunday and Monday. Low in the 70s. Highs from the 80s at the coast to the 90s inland. Lower Rio Grande Valley and Plains: Partly cloudy and warm. Lows in the 70s. Highs from near 90 at the coast to near 100 inland. Southeast and Upper Coast: Partly cloudy and warm with a chance of thunderstorms each day. Lows in the low 70s. Highs in upper 80s.

BORDER STATES

Oklahoma — Considerable cloudiness and a little warmer through Saturday with scattered thunderstorms mainly west and north. A few thunderstorms possibly severe. Highs Saturday mostly 80s. Lows tonight upper 50s Panhandle to mostly 60s elsewhere.

New Mexico — Fair tonight. Fair but breezy again Saturday. Highs Saturday 65-80 mountains, 80s lower elevations to low 90s south-east. Lows tonight 30s and 40s mountains and northwest, mostly 50s elsewhere.

Jury acquits Panamanian of Bush threat

By CHIP BROWN
Associated Press Writer

LUBBOCK (AP) — Otto Lakas, the son of a former Panamanian president, spent a month in jail for "shooting his mouth off."

After being found innocent of threatening to kill President Bush Thursday, Lakas didn't want to do any more talking.

"I better not say anything," Otto Lakas said while leaving the U.S. District courthouse. "Talking is how I got into this mess."

Lakas was accused of threatening to kill Bush in a discussion with the managers of a pawnshop where he was looking at a gun.

Lakas, a 21-year-old architecture student at Lubbock Christian University, could have faced a 5-year prison term had he been convicted.

Lakas clenched his fists and looked toward the ceiling, tears rolling down his cheeks as the verdict was read. The jury deliberated only 15 minutes.

"I am very happy," Lakas said. "I don't want to comment any more than that, but I am glad to go back home" to Panama.

Demetrio Lakas, who was president of Panama from 1972-78, testified Thursday that death threats in Panama "are a way of expressing ourselves." After hearing the jury's decision, he cried and hugged his wife Elizabeth.

Demetrio Lakas said Otto will be returning to Panama where he will do some "hard labor" for his engineering consulting firm.

"The whole thing was so confusing," said the elder Lakas, who flew from Panama City to Lubbock to testify on behalf of his son. "I am so relieved. I want to take my boy home."

During testimony Thursday Otto Lakas told jurors he did say, "I have a bullet with Bush's name engraved on it" while talking to Stacy and Tracy Nichols at the Exact Pawn Shop last month.

"I apologize for making the statement,"

Lakas said under cross-examination Thursday. "I didn't mean it."

Lakas' attorney Tommy Turner told jurors in closing arguments his client made the threat in retaliation for being taunted by the pawnbrokers about the U.S. invasion of Panama last December.

Stacy and Tracy Nichols said during testimony Wednesday they refused to believe Lakas' father was a former Panamanian president and taunted Lakas when he told them U.S. troops entered his home and confiscated his father's gun collection.

"Otto used an exaggeration to make a point," Turner told the jurors. "But you can't throw a man in jail for shooting his mouth off."

Government prosecutors refused to comment about the decision.

In the trial's second day Thursday, family and friends continued testifying about the non-aggressive nature of Lakas. They characterized his threat as a joke.



(Special Photo)

Horse- and mule-drawn wagons like the one pictured here will be among the participants of the Lazy "H" trail drive set for June 16-23 at the Lazy "H" Ranch near Canadian.

Canadian park sponsors 'ride and drive' program

CANADIAN — Lazy "H" Recreation Park and Equestrian Center of Canadian is to sponsor a "ride and drive" June 16 through June 23 for horse- or mule-drawn wagons and riders.

The trail ride routes transverse the Canadian River Valley are designed for both wagons and riders, organizers say. Water for both stock and people will be provided at the base camp, as well as portable toilets and shade trees.

Feed and hay are available on site if needed. Local veterinarians will alternate evenings checking by the camp, also.

Three meals are provided each day by the Lazy "H" Chuck Wagon. Big country breakfasts will be served each morning. After breakfast, everyone can pack their lunch for that day's ride from the "lunch counter."

Since outdoors usually makes people hungry, dinners will include roasts, steaks, brisket and Mexican food. The coffee pot will be kept hot, and for those wanting a happy hour, "Horse-Doovers" and beverages will be available in camp after each day's ride.

A campfire is planned for most evenings, along with music provided

ed by local bands and Lazy "H" employees.

June 16 is arrival day with everyone gathering at the Lazy "H" for a welcome dinner that evening. A competition size swimming pool is offered for swimming.

The first leg starts June 17, Sunday, with everyone riding to the northeast, then to the south to cover the beautiful and varied scenery of the Canadian River Valley. Tuesday, the base camp will move to the Waterfield Ranch. Rigs can be moved up that morning and a bus will shuttle everyone back for the start of the ride. Since this is "moving day," only a 14-mile ride is planned.

The last day will be Saturday, June 23, with everyone back at the Lazy "H" for dinner, awards, music and visiting.

Rules of the ride are kept to a minimum. Good manners and common courtesy should cover most situations. Dogs must not be allowed to roam free or be left unattended.

For more information about charges for the ride and to register before June 1, contact Shelley Behney, P.O. Box 65, Canadian; telephone (806) 323-9700. A limited number of registrations is available.

Suit filed over 'moo' and 'moo'

LUBBOCK (AP) — Is "Moo" too close to "Moos"? That's what a state district court is being asked to decide in a suit filed against a Georgia-based restaurant chain by a Lubbock restaurant.

Yet Inc., which operates two "Bob York's Western Sizzlin'" restaurants here, filed suit against Western Sizzlin' Inc., a Georgia-based restaurant chain, alleging that the chain has begun using "Moo" on a number of advertising properties.

Yet Inc. has been using the "Moos" slogan as its trademark since 1984.

Attorneys for Yet Inc. claim in the suit filed Wednesday that the company created the "Moos" slogan in 1984 and has used it on a variety

of company materials, including Moos saddles for children to sit in, Moos horns to wear and Moosones from which to order a Moos meal. Children who take a table manners course from Mr. Moos (who travels in a Moos Mobile that is parked in the "Moos-K Corral") received a degree from Moos U.

The suit alleges that the parent Western Sizzlin' Inc., dropped an "o" from the Lubbock slogan and illegally appropriated the similar "Moo" designation for its own "Moos U" (for the company's restaurant management training center), "Moos-Lah" (for a payroll program for its restaurant services) and Moos News (a company newsletter).

No distribution means no money for T. Boone Pickens

By JOHN A. BOLT
AP Business Writer

DALLAS (AP) — T. Boone Pickens, one of the highest paid executives of the '80s, will start the new decade with no paycheck because of low natural gas prices.

In a meeting Thursday with stockholders of Mesa Limited Partnership, Pickens noted that his salary is tied to cash distributions, which the company had suspended because natural gas prices were so low.

Pickens said the distributions would be resumed when natural prices improved, but the temporary elimination was necessary to protect the company's financial integrity.

"The turnaround won't come today, and it won't come tomorrow, but it will come," Pickens said in remarks prepared for delivery at the meeting.

In response to questions, Pickens estimated the distributions could be resumed by 1992 or 1993, when Mesa is predicting natural gas prices

will reach about \$3 per thousand cubic feet (mcf).

Pickens said natural gas prices would have to reach \$2.50 per mcf to sustain a preferred distribution of \$1.50 a year and hit \$3.50 to support a \$1.50 annual payout to common unitholders. Mesa expects prices to average \$1.65 this year.

"These measures have been tough on Mesa unitholders, as well as Mesa executives," Pickens said, noting 90 percent of his net worth is tied up in Mesa. "My compensation is based on 1 percent of distributions, so with no distributions, I receive no salary in 1990."

Last year, Pickens was paid \$1.8 million based on distributions of \$180 million, Mesa spokesman Jay Rosser said.

According to *Business Week* magazine, Pickens was the sixth highest paid executive of the 1980s, pulling down \$56.9 million from 1980-89.

"1990 will be another tough year," Pickens predicted, saying, "Mesa will focus its attention on debt reduction."

Pickens admitted he may have paid too much in 1988 when he bought mid-continent gas reserves from Tenneco Inc., a move responsible for much of Mesa's long-term debt.

"Considering today's gas price, we may have been a little too aggressive," he said.

He also conceded past distributions to unitholders may have been excessive in light of falling natural gas prices. "But if distributing money to shareholders is a mistake, it's a burden I can shoulder," he said.

"We didn't waste the money testing some obscure geological theory by drilling 50 dry holes in the Gulf of Mexico," he said.

The distributions have been maintained through profits from other Mesa investments.

SPS to promote region in fax machine project

Southwestern Public Service Company (SPS) has announced a program to promote the region through technology commonly found today in U.S. offices — the fax machine.

SPS has produced messages promoting the local four-state region that are designed to be affixed to the bottom of fax cover sheets. They are available free from SPS offices to any business in the service area using a fax machine. The material also can be obtained through local chambers of commerce and economic development foundations.

Messages are available for Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Kansas. All read: "Wish you were here ... Call and I'll tell you why!" The sheets are individualized for each community in which SPS maintains an office.

The Texas version carries the emblem for The High Ground of Texas, and the New Mexico version has the emblem for The Business Quarter of New Mexico. Oklahoma and Kansas versions highlight those states. The High Ground and Business Quarter are regional economic development efforts in which SPS participates.

"The proliferation of fax machines is truly incredible," said

Gary Gibson, SPS vice president of marketing. "What an obvious way to spread the good news about this part of the country."

These economic development messages are designed to be photocopied to the bottom of a company's existing cover sheets, which typically designate to whom the fax is being sent and from whom it originates. Most cover sheets have the company's letterhead at the top.

"We are all spokesmen for this part of the country. These messages will let everyone with a fax machine get involved in economic development. We're not asking businesses to send extra fax messages but to use the sheets in the normal course of business," Gibson said.

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Opinion

Sandinistas playing the old shell game

The Sandinistas in Nicaragua gave up office in a style befitting their 10 years of socialist misrule: They stole everything not nailed down. Houses, cars, boats and land were seized by members of the ruling elite. Said Guillermo Quant, an aide to new President Violeta Chamorro: "We are about to inherit the shell of a government. Until we look at the books, we won't know how thin the shell is."

Where are the denunciations by liberal critics who so loudly and properly, denounced the thievery carried out by the Philippines' Ferdinand and Imelda Marcos? As bad as the Marcos's kleptocracy was, it probably did not match the percentage of national wealth stolen by the Sandinistas (if only because the Philippines' GNP is about 15 times larger).

Where are the investigations of the Sandinista comandantes' high lifestyle — partying down in villas while the people were homeless, tooling around in limousines while the people crawled, splurging on delicacies while the people starved? Nicaraguans themselves will now have to expose their native Marxists' high living, as East Germans exposed the opulence of Erich Honecker and Romanians the gilded palace of Nicolae Ceausescu.

Though inaugurated just last month, Mrs. Chamorro's first days in office are being challenged by the departing Sandinistas, as witness the public workers strikes earlier this week. To placate Sandinista demands, Chamorro has decided to keep defense minister Gen. Humberto Ortega as army chief (she will be defense minister). His brother, defeated dictator Daniel Ortega, appeared in *The Los Angeles Times* perpetuating this fiction: "The majority of Nicaraguans, it seemed, voted for the U.S.-backed freedom fighters. And he warns Mrs. Chamorro's new government that, "Privatization attempts will be very dangerous."

In fact, Nicaraguans voted the same way as have Poles, East Germans and Czechs — against socialism. Even though Eastern Europeans haven't been at war for 45 years, like Nicaraguans their economies have been ruined by socialism. And Nicaraguans need only look to more prosperous El Salvador to see that, however ruinous and ongoing civil war may be, even partial capitalism makes things somewhat tolerable, while socialism (as in Nicaragua) makes things much worse.

Yet the Sandinistas' threats are not as great as they once might have been. They can no longer look to aid from Eastern Europe, the Soviets are broke, and Fidel Castro's days may be numbered in Cuba.

Chamorro's task now is to seize the moment. Her tasks: Privatize everything the Sandinistas didn't steal. Neutralize Gen. Humberto Ortega's control of the army by dissolving it (the model should be Costa Rica, which has no army). And liberate the people from the Sandinistas' stifling bureaucracy.

If Chamorro can institute such reforms, Nicaragua will prosper, and her long-suffering people will look back on the Sandinistas' regime as a distant nightmare.

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Barbara the Beautiful Lady

WASHINGTON — We were going through a stack of magazines the other day, my wife and I, and she said: "People magazine has a piece on the 50 most beautiful people in the world."

I said: "If Barbara Bush isn't on the list, the list is no good. Toss it."

Out it went. A few days later the story broke of the Wellesley College seniors. It appears that 150 of them, representing about one-fourth of the graduating class, had signed a manifesto protesting the choice of Mrs. Bush as commencement speaker on June 1.

"To honor Barbara Bush as commencement speaker," said the complainants, "is to honor a woman who has gained recognition through the achievements of her husband, which contradicts what we have been taught over our years at Wellesley."

The manifesto touched off a splendid furor. Let us pass over the dubious proposition that by inviting her to speak, Wellesley was honoring Mrs. Bush. My own thought is that by accepting the invitation, Mrs. Bush was honoring Wellesley, but let it go. The incident prompts reflections on the underlying theme of the Changing Role of Women in the Century Ahead.

Implicit in the seniors' manifesto are a couple of notions that are plainly absurd. One is the notion that a woman who does not "work," by which is meant work for salary or wages in the labor force, is somehow an inferior woman. A second implicit notion is that a woman is a successful woman only if she has Made It on Her Own.

I don't mean to set up straw men and batter them fearlessly to earth, but I don't see how this earnest protest can be read in any other sense.



James J. Kilpatrick

Wellesley's class president, 21-year-old Julia Porter, put it this way: She and her classmates intend to follow a path different from Mrs. Bush's path "It's not going to be the traditional role of getting married and having a family. We want to work and we have ambitions."

Now there is nothing whatever wrong in a Wellesley woman's aspiring to become a lawyer, a judge, an architect, a television anchor, an astronomer or an admiral in the Navy. More power to them! No law decrees that a woman must marry, must have children, must go to meetings of the PTA and must be a den mother for a pack of Cub Scouts.

What is so patently wrong about the women's movement, from which the Wellesley manifesto springs, is the corollary notion that the function of wife and mother is less honorable, less worthy of public acclaim and less elevated than the function of the executive. This is balderdash, the merest rubbish, and it ought to be disdained.

Barbara Bush strikes me as a perfect role model for the young women of any era. She is indeed a success, as great a success in her chosen field as

Barbara Walters of TV or Barbara Mikulski, the Maryland senator, are successful in their fields. To stand by your man in good times and bad, to rear children, to be responsible for running a household — these are achievements of the highest order. In the sum total of human experience, which woman makes the greater contribution to society — the good mother or the good stockbroker?

The Wellesley dissenters would object, I suppose, that they don't really mean to knock the "traditional role" of women. They mean to say only that they prefer a different role. If that is indeed the case, there remains nothing to argue about. As Mrs. Bush remarked, "Vive la difference." Go in peace.

But there is a little more to the controversy. The uncomfortable truth — uncomfortable to us chauvinists — is that women have in fact been victims of discrimination in the marketplace. Those who aspire in the Wellesley fashion to professional careers have it tough. When Sandra Day O'Connor was graduated with honors from Stanford, her first job offer was to serve as a legal secretary.

The situation steadily improves, but it is beyond cavil that women are paid less than men for substantially equal work. The working woman who marries takes on a double burden. If her husband is a couch potato, an insensitive Archie Bunker who won't change a diaper or dry a dish, she is likely to experience the worst of both worlds.

In the next century, as in this one, a woman's choice does not have to be either/or. There is room to applaud both the hard-edged talent of editor Gloria Steinem and the serene beauty of grandmother Barbara Bush. Thirty years hence the Wellesley graduates may agree.

Today in history

By The Associated Press

Today is Friday, May 18, the 138th day of 1990. There are 227 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

Ten years ago, on May 18, 1980, the Mount St. Helens volcano in Washington state exploded. The blast took 13,000 feet off the top of the mountain, left 57 people dead or missing, devastated 150 square miles of forest and blew an ash cloud around the world.

On this date:
In 1642, the Canadian city of Montreal was founded.

In 1804, the French Senate proclaimed Napoleon Bonaparte emperor.

In 1860, the Republican Party convention in Chicago nominated Abraham Lincoln for president.

In 1910, Halley's Comet, as seen from Earth, moved across the sun.

In 1911, composer Gustav Mahler died in Vienna, Austria. His last word: "Mozart."

In 1926, evangelist Aimee Semple McPherson mysteriously vanished while visiting a beach in Venice, Calif. (McPherson reappeared a month later, claiming she had been kidnapped.)



'Hidden tax' will be a whopper

When any government bureau wants to sock it to you, announcement is made a year in advance.

This way you and I ventilate our righteous wrath. The bureaucrats sit by quietly and wait. They are aware that our attention span on any subject is limited to less than three weeks.

Example:
Fearing the media might lynch the postmaster the next day, the U.S. Postal Service does not rudely announce an immediate increase in the price of a postage stamp from 25 to 30 cents.

Instead, the Post Service announces its intention 10 months in advance.

Americans are less inclined to worry about something that's "still in the future."

And any and all criticism of the Postal Service by then will have become tiresome.

Example:
The General Accounting Office notes that the postal rate increase is sought "to cover increasing expenses."

Those "expenses" include some lavish trips for postal officials.
Last year the Postal Service spent some \$10



Paul Harvey

million on "conferences." They scheduled "conferences" for themselves in Florida and Hawaii.

Meals were \$100 per person.
One reception cost \$12,000.

Two hundred postal executives "conferencing" at a resort in Scottsdale, Ariz., ran up a bar tab of more than \$12,000.

But all this extravagance, plus much mention of the disproportionate pay scales and benefits for postal workers — far in excess of the average for private sector workers — gets hashed and rehashed and gradually forgotten.
Then quietly next fall you will start paying 5

cents more per postage stamp.
But any postal rate increase is more ominous than it sounds.

Example:
Say you mail a hundred letters a year. The increased cost of \$5 seems nominal, tolerable.

But the extra cost your bank must pay for mailing out statements — that cost will be passed along to you.
It will add at least 5 cents to every bill you get from the credit card company.

When any doctor, lawyer or merchant sends anything through the mail, he will pass along the increased postage cost to his patients, clients and customers.

Magazines, catalogs, whatever — will cost more.
A postal rate increase is a new, higher, hidden tax on just about everything.

Suddenly the \$5 additional it will cost you to mail a hundred letters is insignificant compared to the hundreds of dollars extra that you will be charged for anything mailed to you.

The Postal Service now has competition from electronic mail services, but if the Postal Service is allowed arbitrarily to keep hiking its rates, there will be no incentive for the competition to moderate theirs.

Should John Poindexter be pardoned?

By WILLIAM A. RUSHER

The conviction of former NSC director Adm. John Poindexter on five felony counts may well be the last chance the Democrats will get to see anybody actually spend time in prison as a result of misdeeds committed during the allegedly horrendous Iran/Contra affair.

Ollie North, to their dismay, was sentenced by Judge Gerhard Gesell only to perform a specified number of hours of "community service," and Gen. Richard Secord entered a plea of guilty to certain infractions in return for being let off with a fine. So you can be sure there are a lot of Democratic partisans praying that the judge will throw the book at Poindexter.

Interestingly, Poindexter's "guilt" is at once both clearer and even less culpable than North's. North acted, in the whole affair, on the perfectly legitimate (though incorrect) assumption that President Reagan knew and approved of his actions — because North had reported them all to

Poindexter, who stood squarely between Reagan and North in the chain of command.

North was so innocent of overreaching that special prosecutor Lawrence Walsh finally had to nail him for accepting from Secord a \$14,000 security fence for his house, paid for with arms sale proceeds — hardly a very great wrong in the circumstance.

But Poindexter had not in fact told Reagan about the diversion of arms sale proceeds to the Contras. He was confident that the president would be sympathetic to the idea, but wanted to protect Reagan from any charge of complicity if the facts came out, so he misled Congress all by himself. "The buck stops here," Poindexter courageously and cheerfully told the subsequent congressional inquiry.

So, he was technically guilty as charged, on those counts. And I have no doubt whatever that, if prison it must be, John Poindexter will do his time as philosophically and with as clear a conscience as any man ever

has.
But, from the standpoint of true justice, Poindexter must of course never spend a single night behind bars.

At a time when it seemed that the future course of history itself might stand in the balance, and in the midst of a great and perfectly legitimate constitutional controversy over the chief executive, Poindexter chose to uphold the policy and authority of the president, and to take the rap himself if he was wrong.

Neither George Bush nor any other president should let a high aide walk the plank for such a "crime." But I do think it is perfectly proper for Bush to wait until the judge's sentence, whatever it may be, is handed down, and until thereafter the conviction has been appealed and reviewed and the sentence affirmed.

For this is, after all, at bottom a political matter. The Democrats will cry out to heaven if Bush pardons Poindexter. Why give them the opportunity, if a pardon may not even

prove necessary?

If, however, one becomes necessary, Bush need lose no sleep over what to do. As the Washington weekly *Human Events* pointed out recently, three officials of the Kennedy State Department lied themselves blue in the face before the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee in 1963. (They denied having tapped the phone of a State Department security officer named Otto Otepka, who was considered too zealous in screening out communist sympathizers.)

Did Kennedy's fellow Democrats in Congress, on discovering the truth, scream for blood? Not at all; the three perjurers weren't even indicted. They were given the opportunity to "amend" their testimony, and the matter was quietly dropped.

The American people have never lost their perspective on the Iran/Contra affair, and they will not do so now, if in good time President Bush pardons those involved and puts it officially behind us.

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Berry's World





(AP Laserphoto)

Demonstrators gather outside the State Supreme Court in Brooklyn after learning of the guilty verdict handed down to Joseph Fama.

Jury convicts youth in shooting death of black teen by gang

By RONALD POWERS
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — A 19-year-old was convicted in the shooting death of a black teen-ager set upon by a white gang last summer, a murder that brought simmering racial tensions to a boil in the nation's biggest city.

Joseph Fama was convicted Thursday of second-degree murder by depraved indifference for the Aug. 23 death of 16-year-old Yusuf Hawkins.

A mob of 30 bat-wielding youths attacked Hawkins when he entered the mostly white Bensonhurst neighborhood of Brooklyn with three friends to buy a used car.

The Bensonhurst case has been watched closely by the city. It may have contributed indirectly to the election of New York's first black mayor, and many feared an acquittal in the case could have led to violent outbreaks.

Fama shook his head slightly, then stared at the floor as the jury convicted him of the murder charge and 12 lesser charges.

He was acquitted of second-degree intentional murder and criminal possession of a weapon in the second degree. Jurors said they convicted Fama despite a disagreement over whether he fired the gun.

Fama faces 25 years to life in prison when sentenced June 11 by Judge Thaddeus Owens.

A second panel deciding the fate of co-defendant Keith Mondello was to begin its 11th day of deliberations today. Mondello, also 19, is charged with two counts of second-degree murder, manslaughter and other crimes in the attack.

Four other youths face trial later. "We hope that this is the last time we ever have to try one of these cases," said Assistant District Attorney James Kohler.

"But something tells me that we'll be back here again trying another one of these cases, until people learn how to get along with one another, and stop all of this racial hatred."

Many said the shooting helped end the 12-year reign of Mayor Ed Koch, by convincing Democratic voters to select David Dinkins, his more softspoken opponent, in the September primary.

Dinkins went on to become the city's first black mayor.

Although Fama was accused of pulling a .32-caliber automatic pistol and firing four shots, two of them through Hawkins' heart, jurors said they were not convinced that he was the triggerman.

Baker holds talks with Gorbachev

By BARRY SCHWEID
AP Diplomatic Writer

MOSCOW (AP) — President Mikhail S. Gorbachev, accused of backtracking by the Bush administration, said today his side was doing its best to stitch together an agreement curbing nuclear weapons before the Washington summit.

As he held talks with Secretary of State James A. Baker III in the Kremlin, the Soviet leader said he did not know if the goal would be met, but told reporters: "I think we are moving closer."

Similarly mixed signals came from the U.S. side, where officials spoke both of continuing gaps and of hopes for accord.

Without a compromise on air and sea-launched cruise missiles and other disputed weapons, the summit will lack the dramatic centerpiece President Bush and Gorbachev anticipated.

After the Gorbachev meeting, Baker is seeing Prime Minister Kazimiera Prunskiene of Lithuania, thereby giving at least symbolic U.S. support for the independence drive.

Gorbachev is trying to keep the Soviet Union from splintering as he struggles to vitalize the economy and expand political freedom.

Asked to respond to analysts who say he is

having trouble keeping his head above water, Gorbachev shot back:

"They should follow closely what is happening in the Soviet Union, and they should objectively reflect on what is happening in this country."

"They should not panic more than the Soviets do," he said with a smile.

Turning to arms control, Gorbachev said he did not know if key issues in a Strategic Arms Reduction Talks (START) treaty could be concluded by the summit, which begins May 31 and concludes June 3.

"We are doing our best to make sure that we agree," Gorbachev said. "We have to do this together."

Baker's meeting with Mrs. Prunskiene drew no apparent objections from the Soviet leader.

"We are not seeking to send any message by meeting with her," a senior U.S. official said Thursday night. "It obviously gives us a chance to hear more about her concerns."

Baker and Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze are wrestling with arms control issues as the summit approaches.

"I can't tell you we are going to get there," the senior U.S. official said of Baker's attempt to forge an agreement on nuclear weapons cuts. "There are gaps between us still."

The official said Baker, who planned to fly home at midday Saturday, would stay on for further talks if there was a chance of an accord.

"The work is intense right now," said the official, who briefed reporters under rules guaranteeing anonymity. "We are really slogging through a lot. I think it is fair to say that if the gap was seen as being unbridgeable we wouldn't be working intensively."

When Baker told Shevardnadze that he would see Prunskiene, "his reaction was a non-reaction," the official said.

The prime minister saw Gorbachev in the Kremlin Thursday evening, reversing the Soviet leader's refusal to meet with the leaders of the secessionist republics of Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia.

Gorbachev had demanded that Lithuania revoke its March 11 declaration of independence, but on Thursday he asked merely for a suspension, Prunskiene told reporters.

Even so, the senior U.S. official insisted the Soviets had not met Baker's demand for a dialogue with the Baltic leaders.

"It is not enough simply to talk about a need for dialogue," he said. "You have to do something that makes it happen. And they are continuing to stick to a position that accepts dialogue, but only under certain conditions."

House OKs AIDS amendment to disabled rights bill

By ROBERT GREENE
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Hopes of easy congressional passage of major civil rights legislation for the disabled faded on a House vote that critics say shows the triumph of fear over fact about AIDS.

By a 199-187 vote, the House approved an amendment Thursday that lets employers reassign workers with "contagious diseases" to prevent them from handling food.

The vote came despite last-minute opposition to the amendment by the Bush administration. Both sides agreed during debate that the amendment refers mainly to people with AIDS, which spreads through sexual contact or other exchange of bodily fluids, or by sharing hypodermic needles.

Even supporters of the amend-

ment said they were responding to what they believed were public misconceptions about AIDS, and not what medical evidence has shown: that casual contact does not spread the disease.

"Perception is reality," said Rep. Charles G. Douglas III, R-N.H. "We run election campaigns on perceptions. It's reality to our voters."

Douglas had introduced the amendment to the Americans With Disabilities Act in the House Judiciary Committee, where it was defeated. Rep. Jim Chapman Jr., D-Texas, offered it on the House floor.

Approval of the amendment means the bill must go to a conference committee to be reconciled with a Senate-passed version. Backers had expected to avoid that because the House and Senate versions were nearly identical.

Douglas said restaurateurs know the medical truth about AIDS, but don't trust their customers.

"We understand that you can't get AIDS because the cook cuts his finger and bleeds into the roast beef when he's preparing it," he said. "But the customers out there may not buy that. And when they all leave and the restaurant goes out of business, what have you done for the restaurants of America? Now you've put everybody that works there out of business."

The amendment was sought by the National Restaurant Association and the National Federation of Independent Business.

Opponents of the amendment argued that the same logic was used to fight equal employment opportunity for blacks a quarter-century ago. Rep. Steny H. Hoyer, D-Md.,

chief sponsor of the bill, called the change the "Jim Crow amendment of 1990."

"We ought to act on fact, not on perception," Hoyer said.

"The amendment is not about the reality of contagious disease. It is about the fear of contagious disease," said Rep. James A. McDermott, D-Wash., a medical doctor. "Let's be honest. It's about the fear of AIDS. This is what happens when you make public policy on the basis of fear and ignorance."

The disabilities act, which cleared the Senate in September on a 76-8 vote, aims to guarantee the rights of an estimated 43 million disabled people to equal employment, access to stores, restaurants and other commercial establishments, transportation and telecommunications service.

Marlon Brando's eldest son arrested in shooting death

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Marlon Brando's eldest son, Christian, may have killed his half-sister's boyfriend in self-defense, says lawyer William Kunstler, who will defend the younger Brando.

"I understand there may have been a struggle over the gun and some beating going on of Marlon's daughter," the attorney said Thursday.

Christian Brando, 32, was scheduled to be arraigned today in the slaying of Dag Drollet, 26, of Tahiti, who had been staying at the Brando estate.

Police said the shooting was sparked by an argument over Drollet's treatment of 20-year-old Tarita Cheyenne Brando, Christian's pregnant half-sister.

"There were allegations that

there was physical abuse, a beating," Lt. Ron Hall said.

"There was no indication there had been a physical altercation prior to the shooting," said police Detective Steve Osti.

The actor's son was arrested Wednesday night and booked for investigation of murder, said Hall. He was held without bail pending arraignment.

"He admitted to the shooting," the lieutenant said.

Drollet was a family friend who had been a guest in the home for 10 days, police said. He died instantly from a .45-caliber bullet to the head, police said.

Marlon Brando, 66, placed the 911 emergency call to report a shooting inside his Mulholland Drive estate Wednesday night, police said.

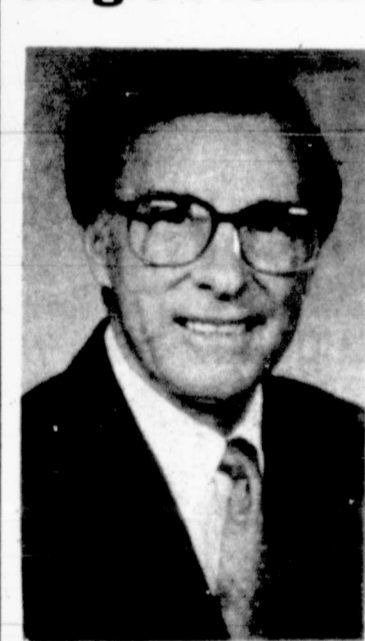
Christian Brando was alone with Drollet when the shooting occurred and the Oscar-winning actor, his wife

and daughter were in another wing of the sprawling mansion and didn't witness the shooting, Hall said.

Tarita Cheyenne is the daughter of Brando and his current wife, Tarita Teriipa, a Tahitian actress who played his love in the 1962 remake of *Mutiny on the Bounty*.

Christian is the son of the actor and his first wife, Anna Kashfi. The couple was divorced in 1960 and their troubled son was the subject of a bitter custody battle.

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At real Southfork, life's become a soap opera these days

By DAVE PEGO
Associated Press Writer

PARKER (AP) — They're dancing at Southfork Ranch these days, but not necessarily for joy.

The fancy footwork has come not only from high schoolers attending their spring proms but also from the ranch's owner sidestepping bill collectors.

The 41-acre spread that became an international symbol of Texas glitz and glamour as the home of the fictional J.R. Ewing on the TV series "Dallas" has filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection. The action temporarily has blocked the popular tourist attraction from being sold at auction.

Employees say events at the ranch sound as much like a soap opera as anything occurring on the TV series. They say:

- There have been two rounds of staff layoffs.
- Ranch house carpeting required replacement because pipes burst during a winter freeze.
- Two Texas Longhorns broke down part of a fence trying to get at a tourist who was irritating them by snapping photographs.
- And Buffie the ranch buffalo, is pregnant.

Yet, employees say they remain optimistic that all will turn out well in the end.

"But if they tell me to pack up my bags, I'll just go fishing," said a ranch caretaker as he fed one of several horses.

The ranch 25 miles north of downtown Dallas still gets a steady stream of visitors — especially foreigners who are attracted by the mystique that Texas oil money once held.

But even the neighbors know

that times are tough on the Texas oil patch — and maybe Southfork is no exception, even though oil has never been discovered in this area.

"J.R. Ewing would be welcome out here, if he needs to move," joked Nelda Burge, manager of the Southfork Mobile Home Park just down the road. "We have a J.R. Avenue and a Miss Ellie Lane."

Owner Terry V. Trippet did not return several phone calls made over two weeks by The Associated Press.

In August, Lorimar Distribution, producer of "Dallas," filed a law-

suit to cut off sales at the ranch of any souvenirs or other items related to the series. Lorimar contends Trippet didn't renew a licensing agreement and even wants him to remove the encircled SF from the front gate.

"It is Lorimar Television's policy never to discuss pending litigation," said Lorimar spokesman David Stapf in Culver City, Calif., when asked the status of the lawsuit.

Trippet, who like J.R. was once an oilman, bought the ranch in 1984 for \$7 million in a heavily financed transaction. In addition to

revenue from tourists who constantly are prowling the grounds and snapping photos, local organizations hold parties, dances and dinners at the ranch.

"We've had a couple proms already this year," said ranch tour guide Paul Smith said. "There are dinners maybe four nights a week."

The show is broadcast in more than 100 countries and has been translated into more than 30 languages.

On a recent afternoon, a family from Malaysia, a foursome from

Great Britain and a Swedish man toured the ranch and snapped pictures.

"I'm interested to see the entire world, but especially this," said Hans Helgemar, 40, of Uppsala, Sweden.

His only disappointment was the absence of the man he knows as "Yay-Are."

That is a constant disappointment for many other visitors.

Stapf, the Lorimar spokesman, said the season that ended Friday was the first in 13 years in which no episodes were filmed in the Dallas area.

Smith promised a group of tourists that the cast members would be back this summer for more filming. But Stapf said he does not know if that is so.

Ms. Burge said many foreign tourists knock on her door, asking for directions.

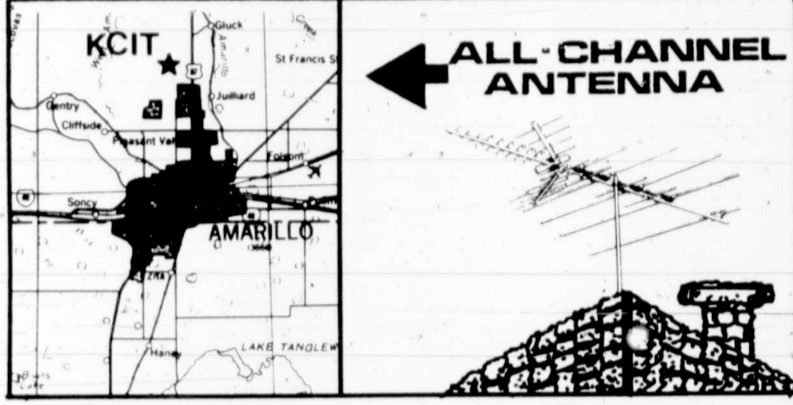
But Ms. Burge has wearied of the series herself. "To be honest, I've quit watching it," she said.

The series' contract with CBS has one more year. The network hasn't said if it would renew the contract. Last week's episode ranked 30th in the A.C. Nielsen Co. ratings.

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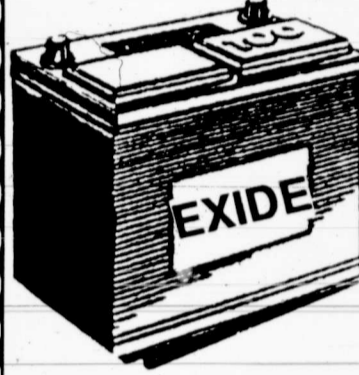
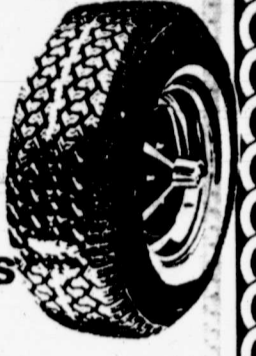
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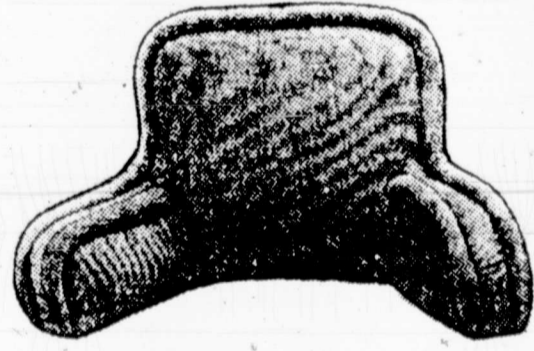
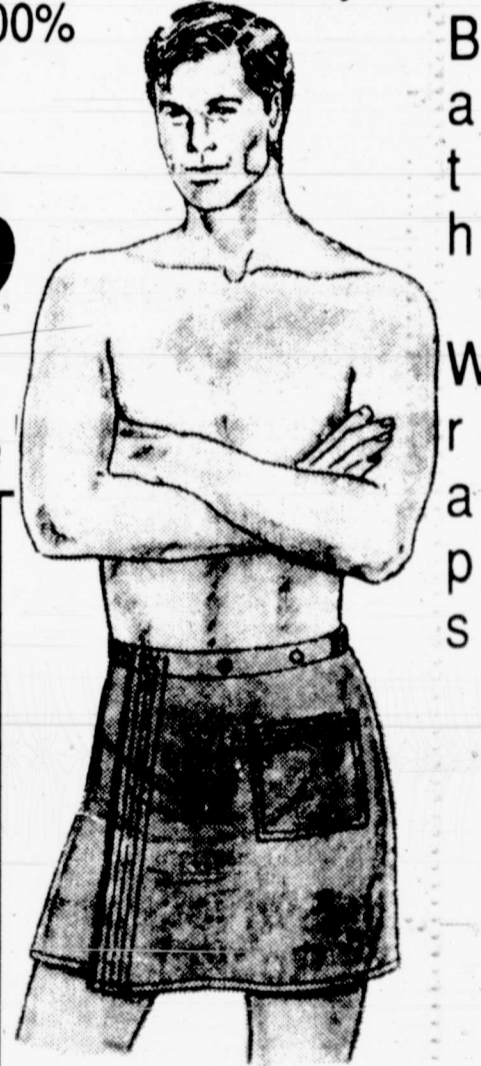
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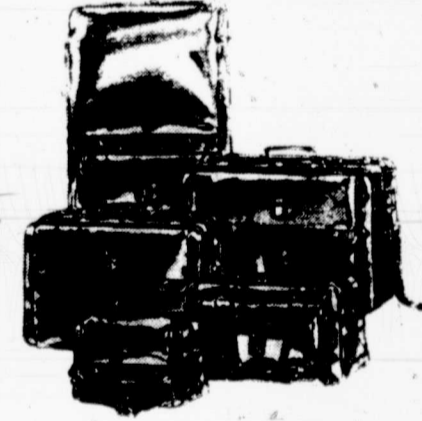
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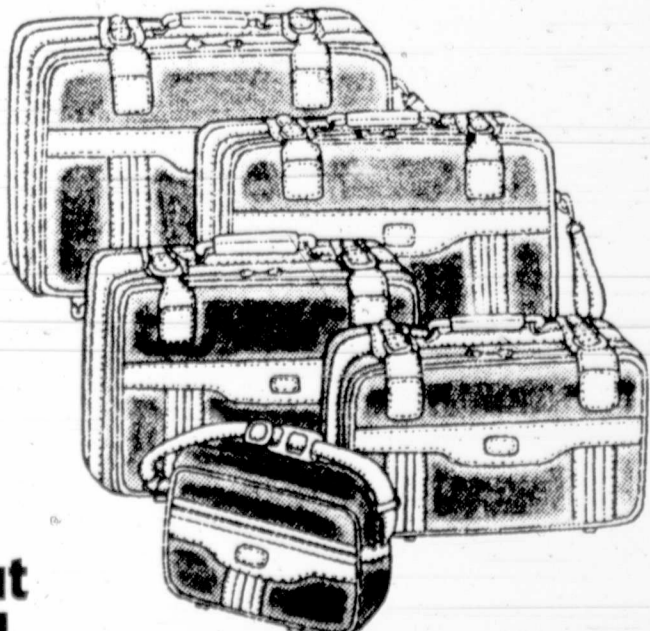


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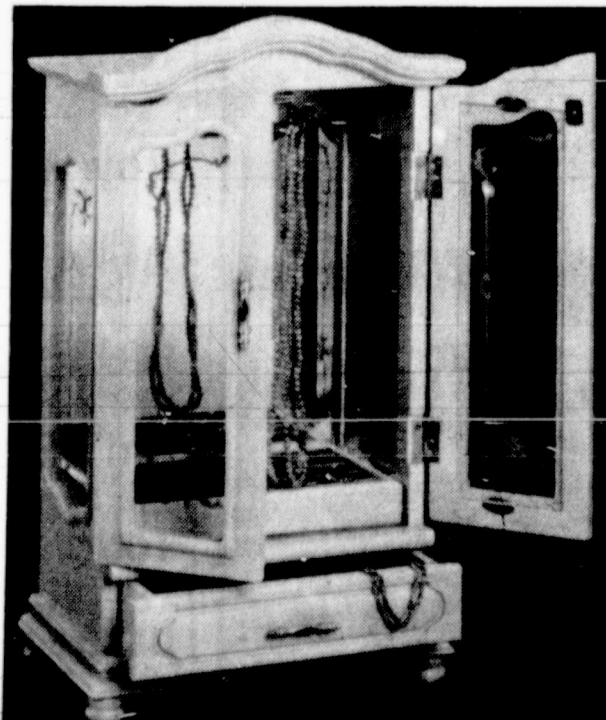
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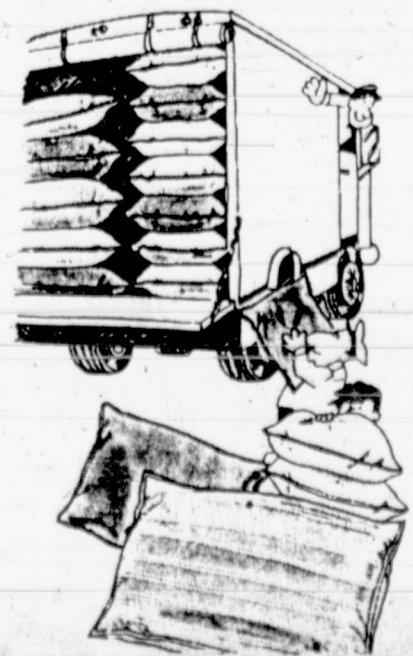


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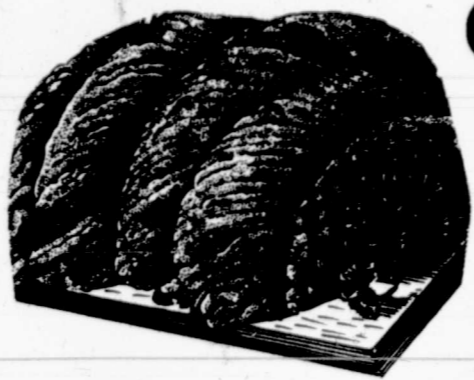
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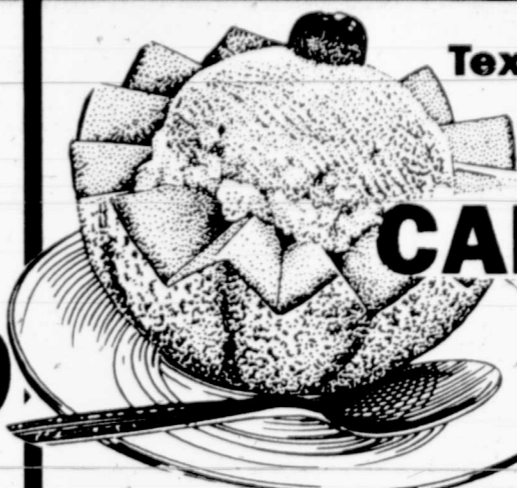
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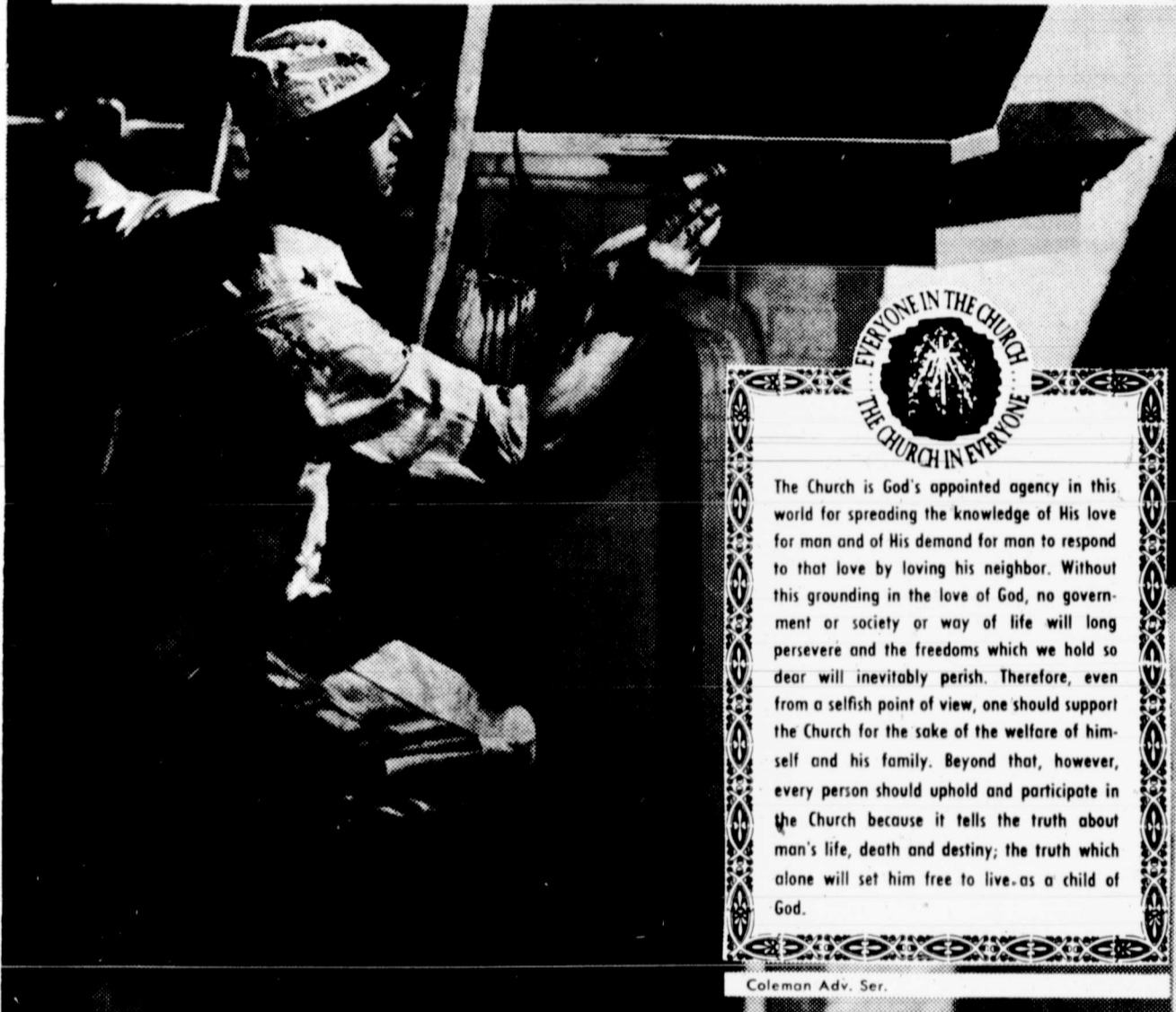
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By Charlotte Barbaree

Scripture: *Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved, a workman who does not need to be ashamed and who correctly handles the word of truth.* (2 Timothy 2:15 NIV)

When one of my daughters had just turned school age, she played often with the son of our friends. Cleve had Down's syndrome and went to a special school for mentally retarded children. My daughter was looking at starting school and, although she was excited, she was also scared.

One day I found my little girl sitting alone in the back yard crying. When I asked what was wrong, she answered, "I think I need to go to Cleve's special school." Surprised, I asked her why. "Because I don't know all that hard stuff they learn in school," she answered.

I spent the next three months until school started trying to convince her she wasn't supposed to know all the "hard stuff" before she ever got there. I told her the teachers were there to teach her the hard stuff, and I assured her she would learn just fine.

And my daughter did do very well in school. However, every year before school started, she stewed and cried because she didn't know all the "hard stuff" in the fourth grade or the fifth grade or ... She was still suffering a form of the same malady when she entered college.

Too many Christians are afraid to grow in the Word and in faith because we don't know all the "hard stuff." Our apprehension of "showing our ignorance" has produced a generation of Christians who are spiritual illiterates.

God doesn't require us to know all the hard stuff before he saves us, and he doesn't expect us to be "know it all" Christians before we've even had a chance to learn.

He only expects us to take the opportunities given us to learn. The Bible is our textbook and word book and our churches are our schools of learning.

We can relax, take our time, enjoy the spiritual cultivation, God gives us each an eternal lifetime to indulge our souls in an education of heavenly quality!

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'Super Sunday' set at church

Community Christian Center, 801 E. Campbell, is hosting a "Super Sunday" celebration beginning with Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Sunday.

The public is invited to attend the services to see and enjoy a 10-foot banana split.

Religion roundup

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) - The Religious Public Relations Council has honored journalists at NBC News, Newsweek magazine, The Charleston (W.Va.) Gazette, The Detroit News and Detroit Free Press for "outstanding communication of religious values."

They received "Wilbur" awards, named for a longtime leader in religious public relations, the Rev. Marvin C. Wilbur.

CHICAGO (AP) - The Interreligious Coalition for Breakthrough on Hunger, including Protestant, Roman Catholic and Jewish bodies, is urging television viewers to tune in to a four-part series on the subject.

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Booming use of deadly poison fuels new gold rush - and new anxieties

By TOM LACKEY
Associated Press Writer

HELENA, Mont. (AP) - Cyanide, infamous darling of mystery writers, murderers and madmen, is every bit as deadly as its reputation. A speck the size of a grain of rice will kill an adult in seconds.

But it is a workhorse as well. Gold miners are buying it by the barrel, by the truckload, by the ton - an estimated 25 million pounds in Montana alone last year.

Cyanide has become the crucial ingredient in the newly booming, worldwide quest for gold. In Montana, it's being used in nine big mines and at least 10 small ones.

And it is making a lot of people very nervous.

The anxiety stems from the booming practice of cyanide leaching. Dissolved in water, cyanide will melt gold and silver out of ore that

once was too poor to be profitable, rock holding perhaps two- or three-hundredths of an ounce of gold per ton.

In essence, miners pile up a lot of ore, pour dilute cyanide through it and collect the gold-laden solution below.

Cyanide leaching was used widely, but crudely, by small mine operators in Montana from the 1890s until about the 1930s. That's part of what's making people nervous now.

"They left ponds full of cyanide, and ore full of cyanide, in many, many locations," said Kevin Keenan, an investigator for Montana's Water Quality Bureau.

The boom began about 20 years ago after research by the U.S. Bureau of Mines showed how the leaching process could be refined.

"The technology made it feasible to remove small amounts of gold from ore," said Keenan.

Montana has adopted stringent environmental protections, and modern miners face requirements their predecessors did not. Nevertheless, spills have occurred, pouring millions of gallons of cyanide solution into the earth.

The Montana Department of State Lands estimates that three-fourths of all cyanide leaching operations have had leaks, and recovering a spill is a major problem.

"It's like spilling a dump truck full of marbles and then trying to pick them all up by hand," Keenan said. "You're looking at an extremely complicated process. The marbles may be simpler, in fact, because you can see them."

The industry quickly notes that there is no known case of cyanide causing a mining-related death. And, as deadly poisons go, cyanide is oddly benign.

It doesn't accumulate in body tis-

sues as most poisons do, so the body quickly recovers from less-than-lethal doses. It occurs naturally in many forage plants and breaks down quickly in sunlight and oxygen. Common soil organisms convert it to harmless substances in most instances.

Cyanide solutions used in gold leaching, after being neutralized as much as possible, are often disposed of by spraying them onto surface soil.

The Du Pont Co., the largest U.S. producer of cyanide, says U.S. production last year totaled about 160 million pounds. About 80 million pounds went to Nevada, which produces 65 percent of this nation's gold.

"So there's a lot of cyanide out there, and with that kind of exposure there have been no significant environmental problems at all," said Tim Fitzpatrick of Denver, Du

Pont's environmental manager for mining.

But environmentalists say the growing number of cyanide operations raises the odds that a major accident will occur.

"The technology to do heap leaching developed much faster than the technology for handling the materials," said Jim Jensen of the Montana Environmental Information Center in Helena.

And while cyanide on the surface quickly breaks down, environmentalists note, cyanide below ground - away from sunlight, oxygen and microorganisms - can last indefinitely.

The question of cyanide poisoning involves more than humans.

"Cyanide is so toxic that a concentration of less than one-tenth of a part per million, though it would have no effect on a human, it would on aquatic organisms," said Frank

Munshower of Montana State University. "So if it gets into a groundwater system feeding into a fishery resource, it's potentially a major problem."

Mine operators place their confidence in protective measures.

The Mineral Hill Mine at Jardine, Mont., just north of Yellowstone National Park, is set in the most environmentally sensitive area of the state. Its environmental safeguards may be the most elaborate of all.

Mineral Hill is an underground mine, and it leaches the ore in vats, not in open-air heaps, said administrative superintendent John Hoak, himself a wildlife biologist.

The mill was purposely over-designed "with the primary consideration given to protection of the environmental qualities," Hoak said. That includes safeguards against earthquakes.

'Smile!' - DPS cars now have video cameras

By MICHAEL HOLMES
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) - For some Texans, drunken driving arrests are becoming a version of "Candid Camera."

In a new bid to get drunks off the road, some Department of Public Safety patrol cars are being equipped with video cameras so troopers can record drunken driving arrests.

Such film has proven to be powerful evidence at the drivers' trials, officials said.

"The main thing we hope it will do is deter people who may drive and drink. Nobody wants to be a TV star under these circumstances," said Dudley Thomas, the DPS traffic enforcement chief.

In Houston, some 90 driving while intoxicated cases were handled recently in just nine hours of total court time - with 88 guilty pleas and two convictions in trials, Thomas said.

"It's fantastic," he said of the reactions of both defendants and juries when they see the film.

Thomas said DWI cases are difficult to prosecute and juries often are reluctant to convict drunken drivers.

"I think the thought is that - except for the grace of God, there sit I being tried - is the thought in the minds of most juries. This system may show jurors that yes, you might be tried someday, but hopefully you're never the condition that you're seeing," he said.

In a program sponsored by Mothers Against Drunk Driving and Aetna Life & Casualty, 24 video cameras will be installed in state troopers' cars in the three-county Austin area by the Memorial Day weekend later this month.

Bill Fife, an Aetna marketing manager, said the insurance company is funding MADD's purchase of the video cameras because of the damaging impact drunk drivers have on all Texans.

"Every citizen here pays a high price for drunk drivers. That price is human tragedy, accidents and higher insurance costs," Fife said.

"Video cameras will provide critical evidence needed to convict drunk drivers... We also expect this new form of evidence to help reduce the backlog of court cases and to improve the effectiveness and morale of the DPS officers," added Susan von Rosenberg, MADD chapter president.

While breath and blood tests have been the predominant methods used to determine whether a driver is drunk, police officials increasingly are relying on the video evidence to help prosecute such cases, officials said.

Thomas said the DPS has been experimenting with 10 camera-equipped patrol cars in Houston and two in the Bryan-College Station area and the technique is both effective and popular with troopers.

The 40 Houston area officers, he said, "continue to want to trade off and drive the cars that have the cameras in them. They think that much of them."

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Lifestyles

Lawyer requests counsel on marriage case

DEAR ABBY: I'm a 36-year-old, self-supporting female lawyer. Married once, now divorced. (Divorced is better.) No children. I like my life the way it is, and I'm no bowwow.

I recently met a man who is drop-dead gorgeous. He's 42, has had two failed marriages — no children — and he's also a lawyer. We met in court. This man is a real challenge, and I'm totally fascinated by him.

On our first date, he took me to dinner. And both our dinners got cold because we did nothing but talk. He took me home and we talked all night.

On our second date, he said, "You are the woman I want to marry, but there are three conditions. No kids,



Dear Abby
Abigail Van Buren

no dogs and no in-laws!" Abby, I can live without kids, and I suppose I could get rid of my two dogs, but what am I supposed to do with my

parents?
This man has never met them and says he doesn't care if he never does, because the only people he's ever had trouble with were his in-laws.

I could bend your ear for hours about this man, but maybe this is enough to go on. He says I am the first woman he's ever proposed marriage to. (The two he married asked him.) How do you size him up, Abby?

"POWERHOUSE" (HIS NAME FOR ME)

DEAR "POWERHOUSE": I think he's very persuasive, but I would be in no big hurry to marry this man. He sounds very opinionated. (How dare he prejudice your parents?) Get to know him better — much better. If he stands the test of time and closer scrutiny, you can marry him later.

If possible, have lunch with one of his ex-wives. (Both would be better.)

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DEAR ABBY: I work with Paula, a single woman in her early 40s. She lives with Nancy — her "sister" — or so she says. Nancy is also a single woman in her early 40s. Paula brings her "sister" to all business and social affairs instead of a date. Actually, these two women behave more like a couple than sisters. Nancy even dresses in an obviously masculine manner. When anyone has even suggested trying to fix up Paula or Nancy with a date, they emphatically refuse — saying they're too "old."

Abby, I like Paula and Nancy, but I feel they are trying to masquerade as sisters when they are obviously lesbian lovers. I suppose it must be difficult for them to live like this, when it would be much easier for them simply to admit that they are lovers, which everyone in the office already knows.

It's gotten to the point where I don't feel comfortable pretending they are sisters. I would like to take Paula aside and ask her to tell me the truth. Since we are friends, I feel that I am part of this charade now, and I refuse to continue living this lie, even though they seem comfortable with it.

What should I do?
HAD ENOUGH

DEAR HAD ENOUGH: Since you asked, I think you should mind your own business.

Jr. Olympiad '90



(Staff photo by Kayla Pursley)

Brooke Pope practices a routine on the balance beam during class in preparation for Jr. Olympiad '90, a performance by students from Gymnastics of Pampa. The public is invited free of charge to the year-end performance on Saturday, May 19, beginning at 7 p.m. Gymnastics of Pampa is located on Loop 171 N.



(Staff photo by Kayla Pursley)

College girls, home for the summer, will be visiting with graduating seniors who plan to attend college about sorority life on campus during the Panhellenic coke party set for Sunday, May 20 at 2384 Chestnut at 3 p.m. Seated front from left are Betsy Chambers and Michelle Hess, Texas Tech sophomores. Seated back from left are Erin Osborne, Southern Methodist University sophomore and Keitha Clark, Tech sophomore.

Senior girls invited to Panhellenic party

Senior girls planning on attending college in the fall and their mothers are invited to attend a Panhellenic Coke Party on Sunday, May 20 to discuss various aspects of sorority life on their respective campuses.

College sorority girls and the Panhellenic ladies, a sorority alumnae association, will be available to answer questions about rush, recommendations, parties and wardrobe.

Every year the Panhellenic association sponsors this get together to give local seniors an opportunity to study different sororities and give them an advantage when going to

pledge. Panhellenic provides rush forms for about 14 different sororities that the seniors can fill out to be kept on file.

Even if the senior is not planning to join a sorority at this time, she is encouraged to fill out the forms.

"So many girls change their minds during the summer," explains Margaret Williams, one of the organizers, "and all they have to do is call and have their forms activated if they are already in the files."

An informal style show to show the girls what to wear to rush parties is also planned.

Mrs. David McDaniel will host the event in her home at 2384 Chestnut beginning at 3 p.m.

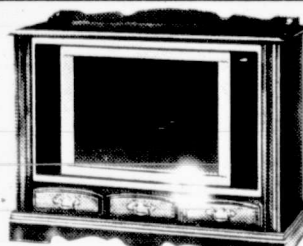
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Senior girls will need to bring 14 photographs to attach to each rush form.

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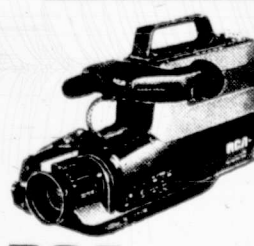
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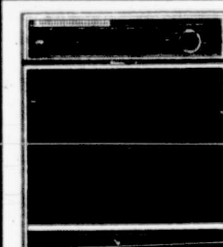
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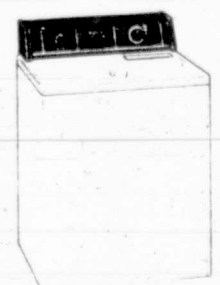
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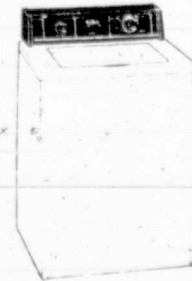
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Astro-Graph

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TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Because you'll be able to deal with the realities of life effectively today, you might be called upon to help a friend solve a dilemma that's a bit too much for him/her. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) This is one of those unusual days when you are likely to function better under a bit of pressure than you will if everything is going smoothly. Don't be afraid of challenges.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) An old friend who presently resides at a considerable distance from you might try to get in touch with you today. He/she has something to tell you that's of mutual interest.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Success in your endeavor is likely today, but in order to achieve it may require a second or even a third effort. Be persistent and consistent.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Others may be talking behind your back today, but don't let this upset you. If you could tune in on their conversations, you'd be flattered by what's being said.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Your most ambitious objectives have excellent chances of being fulfilled today. Dedicate your efforts to these primary targets, because tomorrow you might not be as lucky.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) If you have a business matter to discuss with another today, don't do it in businesslike surroundings. It'll work out better if you conduct your affairs in a social setting.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Make an attempt today to finalize matters that are meaningful to you financially. If you let things dangle until a later date, it could affect the profit picture.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) This could be one of your better problem solving days and this will quickly become obvious to persons with whom you'll be involved. That's why your suggestions will carry a lot of weight.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) A venture in which you're presently involved that appears to be working rather well can still be improved upon to produce additional benefits.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You could be extremely lucky today through an arrangement you have with a friend. Although it will accomplish a material purpose, it will be achieved in a round about manner.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Don't discount your hunches today, especially in matters that could enhance your reputation or status. Your intuition might be able to provide you with a better game plan than you practically can.

Sports

Spurs force 7th game with win over Blazers

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer

SAN ANTONIO — Portland, it's your serve.

The No. 1 homecoming series of the NBA playoffs returns to the Memorial Coliseum court of the Portland Trail Blazers on Saturday at 2:30 p.m.

The survivor of this best-of-seven semifinals series between San Antonio and the Blazers earns a shot at the Phoenix Suns in the Western Conference finals.

Willie Anderson's career playoff high 30 points gave the Spurs their third victory in HemisFair Arena, a 112-97 drubbing of the Blazers who are 3-0 at home.

"San Antonio hasn't won in our place in a couple of years," said Portland's Terry Porter. "The pressure is on them now."

San Antonio begs to differ. "Forget the homecourt," Anderson said. "If we start good against them they will fold in Portland."

David Robinson of the Spurs said "Portland has got to be tired of us by now. We have a lot of young guys. We just need to translate the way we play here to the way we play in Portland."

Robinson scored 24 points and Terry Cummings added 18 for the Spurs. Portland was led by Jerome Kersey with 22 points and Cliff Robinson with 20.

Anderson, who had averaged only 15 points against Portland, had a hot shooting night despite a dislocated left thumb. He said he owed it all to a pep talk from Cummings.

"I was worried about my left thumb but Terry told me a story about a big night he had playing with Milwaukee one time with a dislocated thumb," Anderson said. "That made me feel better. I couldn't hold the ball but I had a good shooting night."

Anderson hit 13 of 19 shots and four of four free throws.

He also was involved in an altercation with Portland's Clyde Drexler, who was ejected for hitting Anderson on the chin with an elbow. "Clyde is always giving out those cheap shots," Anderson said. "He was getting frustrated because he was having a bad night. He was doing a lot of crying and whining out there. I'll get him back someday."

Drexler was ejected from the game by referee Mike Mathis with 3:01 left in the third period for hitting Anderson.

Drexler said he didn't know why.

"I was just knocking his hands off and the next thing I know I'm in the locker room," Drexler said.

The incident provoked a verbal exchange between Portland coach Rick Adelman and San Antonio coach Larry Brown.

Brown said "I was on the court because I was upset over a blatant cheap shot. I wasn't mad at Rick."

All Adelman would say about the incident was "It makes it tough when you have two centers out with injuries then they throw out our best player."

Adelman said he's glad the Blazers have the homecourt edge for the final game.

"In HemisFair Arena the Spurs are on another level," Adelman said. "Now it all comes down to one game in our place. That's where we want it."

Drexler, who scored 35 points in Portland's 138-132 double overtime victory on Tuesday night, scored only four points.

"Right now our thoughts are on game seven," Drexler said. "We've played each other six times now and everyone knows what each other is going to do. We get tired of seeing each other."

Special Olympics team members earn letters



Five members of the Pampa High School Special Olympics Team were awarded letter jackets Monday night at the all sports awards banquet in M.K. Brown Auditorium. Modeling their jackets are (from left) Raul Soriano, Tina Hinson, Jennifer Roden, Trent Loter and Debbie Ellis. These athletes compete in bowling, basketball and track throughout the year and are scheduled to travel to San Marcos for a track meet next week.

(Staff photo by Sonny Bohanan)

Briefs

Trail Ride Clinic

A competitive trail ride clinic is scheduled for June 2 and 3 at the Lake Vincent Public Hunting Reserve located in Oklahoma and near Higgins, Texas.

The clinic — which offers three novice classes, two adult and two youth — is designed to introduce competitive riding to this area. Classes are open to anyone over 10 years of age on the clinic date and any horse four years of age by clinic date. Any breed or size of horse, pony or mule, registered or unregistered, may take part, although youths cannot ride stallions.

Horses will be judged by a veterinarian on soundness (40%), condition (40%), manners (15%) and way of going (5%).

Riders are judged on horsemanship sk of trail riding and the care of the horse. A saddle is required, but there are no other restrictions on equipment or clothing worn by the rider.

For more information about the clinic, contact ride secretary Yvonne Blau at 806-653-2141 (Follett) or ride manager Wayne Paul at 806-862-4573 (Lipscomb).

Golf Clinic

With the new Hidden Hills course opening soon, golfers can sharpen their game by enrolling in a golf clinic, taught by PHS coach Frank McCullough.

The clinic starts next Monday at

Clarendon College-Pampa Center. It will run Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of that week from 6 to 8:30 p.m. daily.

Cost is \$45 per student. Golf's basic fundamentals (grip, stance, alignment, etc.) will be covered during the clinic.

Instructional films will also be presented and individual videos of each student will be taken.

Clubs will be furnished, if necessary.

Interested persons may call Clarendon College at 665-8801 or McCullough at 665-7367 to enroll.

Optimist Roundup

Cabot defeated Celanese, 6-4, in the Bambino League (11-12 age division), but they had to forfeit the game due to a substitution error by the coaches.

Ryan Davis pitched six innings for Cabot, allowing four hits while striking out 16 and walking four.

A single by Cabot's John Porter tied the game at 4-all in the fifth inning. David Gamblin hit a two-run homer in the sixth to put Cabot on top, 6-4.

Ross Watkins had a triple while Floyd White and Aaron Wiseman each had a double to lead Celanese in hitting.

Warner-Horton exploded in the third inning, scoring 29 runs for a 36-6 win over Randy's in a Girls' Senior League softball game played Monday.

Leading hitters for Warner-Horton were Jessica Whitney with five hits, Misty Plunk, four; Meredith Horton, three and Tonya Brown, three, including an inside the park home run. Michelle Casados had two hits, followed by Elasha Hanks and Heidi Phetteplace with one each. Phetteplace had an inside the park grand slam homer.

Julie Forman paced Randy's with one hit and an inside the park home run. Misty Summers, Christa Kendrid and Tammy Chelser each had one hit.

Julie Forman took the mound loss, giving up 21 hits and 13 walks while striking out one.

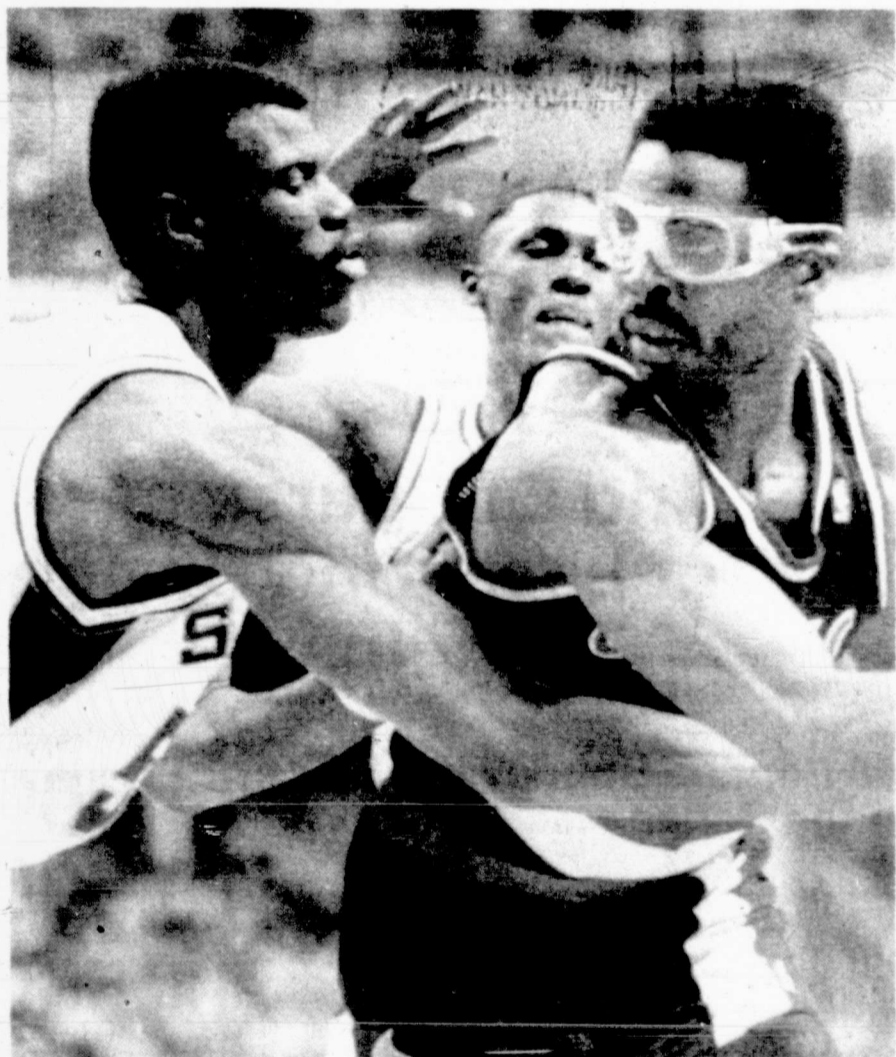
Kristen Becker's performance at the plate and on the mound led Warner-Horton to a 25-6 win over Energy Service Thursday night.

Becker had six hits in six times at bat while limiting Energy Service to four hits while striking out 12 and walking four.

Meredith Horton had four hits and a home run along with Rhonda Been, who homered and had three hits. Elasha Hanks had two hits while Jessica Whitney, Jennifer Medley, Michelle Casados and Heidi Phetteplace had one hit each.

Veronica Santacruz, Charline Quillen, Marissa Bailey and Danette Hoover each had a hit for Energy Service.

Warner-Horton extended its perfect record to 6-0. They remain in first place in the Senior League.



(AP Laserphoto)

Portland's Buck Williams (right) holds the ball out of reach of San Antonio center David Robinson.

Major League Standings

By The Associated Press All Times CDT AMERICAN LEAGUE				NATIONAL LEAGUE				
East Division				East Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	W	L	Pct.	GB	
Milwaukee	19	12	.613	Pittsburgh	22	12	.647	
Boston	18	14	.563	Philadelphia	19	14	.576	
Toronto	20	16	.556	Montreal	18	17	.514	
Cleveland	17	16	.515	New York	16	17	.485	
New York	13	18	.419	St. Louis	16	18	.471	
Baltimore	14	20	.412	Chicago	15	19	.441	
Detroit	14	22	.389	West Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
				Cincinnati	23	8	.742	
				Los Angeles	17	17	.500	.712
				San Diego	16	18	.471	.812
				San Francisco	14	20	.412	101/2
				Houston	13	21	.382	111/2
				Atlanta	12	20	.375	111/2
				Thursday's Games				
				St. Louis 3, Cincinnati 0				
				Atlanta 6, Pittsburgh 1				
				Houston 5, Chicago 4, 11 innings				
				Only games scheduled				
				Today's Games				
				St. Louis (Mathews 0-3) at Cincinnati				
				(Robinson 1-1), 6:35 p.m.				
				Pittsburgh (Walk 3-3) at Atlanta (Clary 1-1),				
				6:40 p.m.				
				Chicago (Harkey 3-1) at Houston (Gullickson 2-2),				
				7:35 p.m.				
				New York (Viola 7-0) at San Diego (Hurt 2-4),				
				9:05 p.m.				
				Philadelphia (Ruffin 2-3) at Los Angeles				
				(Belcher 2-3), 9:35 p.m.				
				Montreal (Boyd 2-2) at San Francisco				
				(Reuschel 2-4), 9:35 p.m.				
				Saturday's Games				
				Montreal at San Francisco, 2:35 p.m.				
				St. Louis at Cincinnati, 6:05 p.m.				
				Pittsburgh at Atlanta, 6:10 p.m.				
				Chicago at Houston, 7:05 p.m.				
				Philadelphia at Los Angeles, 9:05 p.m.				
				New York at San Diego, 9:05 p.m.				
				Sunday's Games				
				St. Louis at Cincinnati, 1:15 p.m.				
				Chicago at Houston, 1:35 p.m.				
				Montreal at San Francisco, 2:35 p.m.				
				Philadelphia at Los Angeles, 3:05 p.m.				
				New York at San Diego, 3:05 p.m.				
				Pittsburgh at Atlanta, 7:05 p.m.				

Cochran takes one-shot lead

By MIKE COCHRAN
Associated Press Writer

FORT WORTH — Arriving in town on a wounded wing and a prayer, and feeling just a "little silly," left-hander Russ Cochran says he was woefully unprepared for this week's PGA adventure.

"The first time I hit a ball in a few weeks was Monday," he grinned. "I didn't expect much."

"So it was a slightly astonished Cochran who took a one-shot lead into today's second round of the Colonial National Invitation golf tournament, one of the tour's premier events.

"I was really happy and a bit surprised," Cochran said Thursday after firing a 5-under-par 65 to stake an early claim on his first victory in eight years on the PGA circuit.

Playing with a mysterious "rib injury," Cochran rolled in a treacherous 25-30 foot birdie putt on the 17th hole and dropped a 15-footer at 18 to seize his cushion over former Colonial champion Corey Pavin.

"I kinda had a prayer answered at 17," he laughed. "I hit a bad putt ... I had no idea where it was going to go. It went in."

Five players were two shots back

at 67: Scott Hoch, John Mahaffey, Tom Purtzer, Richard Zokol and Billy Mayfair.

Curtis Strange opened with a 68, Ben Crenshaw a 69 and Payne Stewart a 70. But some of the other top players did not fare well despite the absence of a blustery Texas wind that Colonial veterans have come to know and hate.

Colonial Golf

Tom Kite, with a 3-under-par 32 going out, shot a stunning 41 on the back side. His 73 left him eight strokes off the lead and tied with defending champion Ian Baker-Finch.

Tom Watson carded a 71, Lanny Wadkins a 72, Larry Mize a 73, Ray Floyd a 74 and Mark O'Meara a 75. Mark Calcavecchia and Bob Tway posted 76s.

Although a non-winner, Cochran, 32, a rangy, personable Kentuckian, recorded his best showing ever in his last tournament, the USF&G Classic in New Orleans where he injured his rib swinging a 6-iron on the next-to-last hole.

"I felt a little silly," he confessed. "How can you hurt yourself playing golf? And playing well?"

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