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Laura Martinez-Herring discusses her nine-month reign as Miss USA 1985. The former Miss Texas is making a promotional

appearance today at Gordon's Jewels in the Midland Park Mall.

Miss USA: Pageant chance to do something with her life

By MARK LEWIS
Staff Writer

In 1982, Laura Martinez-Herring spent three months as a volunteer in India, where she hiked the Himalayas from village to village. "I was digging ditches, carrying rocks and planting trees," said the 21-year-old El Paso native, who later volunteered for a somewhat more glamorous job: Miss USA 1985. There is a school of thought which holds that some women dig ditches and some women enter beauty pageants, and never the twain shall meet. To Ms. Martinez-Herring, there's really no contradiction. "All these things really make you a stronger person," she said. "Being Miss USA means spending 96 percent of her time on promotional tours, such as the one which brought her to Midland, she said Friday. "Sometimes I'll go five weeks and never get one day off."

It's hard work, it's public relations-type work, it's not just go out and look pretty. You sacrifice many things in your social life for the title," she said. There's a big commitment. "But there are rewards as well. You gain confidence. This experience is making you mature," she said. Plus, it's not forget the fact that I'm \$175,000 richer. Indeed, not to mention a sponsorship for Paramount Pictures and four lucrative modeling contracts. Beauty pageants have more substance these days, with long interviews with the judges which the television audience never sees, said Ms. Martinez-Herring, who is clearly proud to be Miss USA and determined to take full advantage of her triumph. "You have one year to make something of yourself — to use the title," she said. "The pageant gave me an opportunity to do something with my life."

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Aquino ahead of Marcos

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — Challenger Corason Aquino, who had already claimed victory on the basis of her unofficial tally, jumped narrowly ahead of President Ferdinand E. Marcos in the government's own vote tabulations today. An aide said she was making plans to call on Marcos to arrange an orderly transfer of power. The Commission on Elections appointed by Marcos reported Mrs. Aquino had an edge of 1,622 votes of the 56,000 counted 21 hours after polls closed Friday. The commission said to have shown Mrs. Aquino with 24,417 votes to Marcos' 22,795, giving her 43.4 percent of the votes counted. The five-member commission is the official vote-counting body.

The figures represent about 1 percent of the total vote in Friday's balloting of 27 million voters as reported by 1 percent of the more than 8,000 voting stations. Final figures were not expected for days.

Mrs. Aquino, in a statement released 10 hours after polls closed at 10 p.m. Friday, said: "The trend is clear and irreversible. The people and I have won and we know it. The Marcos regime is broken. The truth of the Philippine machine has been shattered. Against the odds against his goals and against his and the Filipino people have prevailed."

Workmen at Marcos' Manila airport were not available for comment on the commission report. The airport has been closed to all air traffic, charges of election irregularities in the aftermath of two-day reports of election irregularities, including and taking out of the country. The airport is closed to all flights, including those of the Philippine Airlines, which is based at the airport.

back vote results from Manila, where Mrs. Aquino's strongest support is. She said she would be in Manila in order to "shape the returns."

My own political judgment is that the government should not be allowed to continue. It is the government's duty to determine in what way a fair and orderly transfer of power is required for a Marcos victory.

Marcos, who had said earlier that he preferred to win free elections, told Cable News Network that he would not be in Manila by 11 million to 11 million. He said he has reported anywhere from 11 million to 11 million. The supervisor of the official vote-counting body said in a telephone interview that he would not be able to get his figures.

Three non-government groups also were expected to report their figures, but they were not available.

The National Movement for Free Elections, which had put Mrs. Aquino ahead by 1,774 votes, 3.18 percent, in a poll at 9:40 p.m. EST. The poll's results were reported by the Roman Catholic Church.

Two other tallies showed Mrs. Aquino ahead with 1,622 votes and far fewer returns reported. A poll by the Manila Chronicle gave Mrs. Aquino 24,417 votes to 22,795 for Marcos. A government broadcaster's group reported Mrs. Aquino with 24,417 votes to 22,795 for Marcos.

Mrs. Aquino's headquarters said she would be in Manila, which spokesman Rene Sagunay said were expected to be the independent tally plus reports from Aquino operations. He said it showed her leading with 24,417 votes to 22,795 for Marcos.

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Snow forecast for Basin

From Staff and Wire Reports

Winter weather conditions are expected to be normal in the Basin, according to a forecast from the National Weather Service. The weather is expected to be normal in the Basin, according to the National Weather Service. The weather is expected to be normal in the Basin, according to the National Weather Service.

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The front caused a severe winter storm in the Texas Panhandle, bringing up to 12 inches of snow in wide areas, killing livestock and mauling several persons, said an Associated Press report.

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Near blizzard conditions were reported Tuesday in the Basin, where snow was whipped up by strong winds. The weather is expected to be normal in the Basin, according to the National Weather Service.

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Egyptian oil production cut again

CAIRO, Egypt (AP) — The ministers of Venezuela and Mexico disclosed Friday that they are traveling around the globe to urge cooperation by OPEC and non-OPEC producers to bring order to the world's chaotic oil market.

The Egyptian oil ministry, meanwhile, said Egypt had reduced its production for a third time in the past few weeks, to help ease the huge debt problems of the oil-rich, but production-cutting, countries, including Mexico and Egypt, which are members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries and Venezuela, which is a founding member of OPEC.

With OPEC battling to preserve its share of a shrinking oil market, combined production of its 11 members now barely exceeds its own production limits. Before it tries to limit production, it has been insisting that non-members cooperate by lowering output to help dry up an oil glut and support prices.

Officials in the Egyptian oil ministry, speaking on condition they not be identified, said Egypt had lowered its production to about 400,000 barrels of crude oil daily, 21 percent below its former output of 500,000 barrels. The drop yet to be officially announced was an option reserved under a two-step reduction that was disclosed Jan. 27 when output was slashed to 700,000 barrels.

Venezuelan Oil Minister Arturo Hernandez Grants the cut. The OPEC chairman announced he would meet with other OPEC members for almost two hours with the ministers of Mexico, Abastada, who is of Mexico, and Abdel-Hadi Kamel of Egypt.

The minister apparently grew out of a call for cooperation by a five-member OPEC committee that Hernandez chaired last week in Vienna, Austria. The panel called for a producers conference to discuss the "chaos" of the market.

He urged cooperation of all of them, OPEC and non-OPEC, to stabilize the market. Hernandez said he would be in Vienna, Austria, to meet with OPEC members and non-OPEC producers to stabilize the market.

Abastada said that while possible strategies are under consideration, it is not possible to specify them until after the reaction of other countries as well. The three countries mentioned here have some weight and influence in the market, but the behavior of the market does not depend on them. Other countries do not cooperate with us if it is not in their interest for us alone to stabilize the market. We are going to work together the wills of all.

Mexico and Venezuela announced price cuts last weekend after their presidents agreed at a summit to coordinate pricing strategies.

Egypt earlier had lowered prices of its oil, cutting grades of crude by between \$3.50 and \$4.85 a barrel.

Appeals court reverses decision, awards FDIC \$2.75 million

Judge rules FDIC entitled to full payment on defaulted loan

From Staff Reports

The Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. has won \$2.75 million on appeal, reversing a 1984 decision by a Midland federal judge. The U.S. Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans ruled this week that FDIC was entitled to full pay-

ment on a defaulted loan and not one-quarter as had been claimed by stockholders of a bankrupt drilling company in Hobbs.

On April 1, 1981, Rigco Inc. borrowed \$5.5 million from the former First National Bank of Midland with the loan being secured by two drilling rigs and guaranteed by three

stockholders: John B. Castle, Midland; Nolan Brunson, Hobbs; and Kenneth Marsh. The next year on November 8, 1982, the firm filed for federal bankruptcy and the following year First National Bank of Midland failed. The account was then assumed by FDIC which sued the Rigco stockholders for \$275,000, the

unpaid balance of the loan. In litigation that followed, Castle, Brunson and Marsh argued in U.S. District Judge Lucius Buntion's court they had a verbal agreement with First National Bank to repay only one-quarter of the loan in the event Rigco defaulted. The jury let stand the verbal agreement and FDIC was

awarded \$887,000 or one-quarter of the balance. Both FDIC and the stockholders appealed the decision. The FDIC requested full payment of the loan balance and the stockholders claimed that FDIC was entitled to \$887,000 or nothing.

Sexually explicit films, magazines seized from local house

From Staff Reports

Sexually explicit films and magazines, including some depicting children, were seized Friday afternoon from a Midland house suspected of being a distribution point for sending pornography through the mails, according to Midland Sheriff Gary Painter.

Executing a search warrant issued by U.S. Magistrate Darrell F. Smith, U.S. postal inspectors and Midland sheriff's investigators raided a house at 3809 Park Lane in southwest Midland about 1 p.m. Friday, Painter said. "We seized over 12 films and over 200 sexually explicit, X-rated magazines, some of which involved X-rated child pornography," he said. "One person was home at the time, but no arrests were made, and Sheriff's Sgt. Jim Newsum said no arrest warrants have been issued in the case."

Newsum said the house was suspected of being a distribution center for sending pornography materials through the mails, which is a federal offense. More possession of child pornography is a crime in Texas, but no state charges have been filed, he said. The sheriff's officers were assist-

ing the postal inspectors, who have been conducting an investigation into the alleged porn operation for at least a year, Painter said. Though no one was arrested Friday, the federal investigation is continuing, and more arrests were expected to follow.

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Foundation donates \$150,000 to MC

From Staff Reports

A gift of \$150,000 for Midland College's general scholarship endowment fund has been received from the Abell-Hanger Foundation of Midland.

"We are most gratified by this grant, the latest of several from the Abell-Hanger Foundation," said John H. Hendrix, president of the Midland College Foundation. "It provides a substantial boost to the capital fund drive currently being conducted by the Foundation to increase the endowment funds used

by the college for scholarships and grants."

"The college and its students will benefit greatly from the bequest."

According to Hendrix, the gift will be used to assist students in all areas of the college who need financial aid and will be handled through the Midland College Financial Aid Office.

"Students who qualify will receive grants to cover tuition, fees and books and will be designated as Abell-Hanger Scholarship recipients," said Bill Burns, financial aid director.

The foundation has made periodic

gifts to Midland College for more than 15 years. Some were directed toward specific projects including equipment for the science programs and scholarship grants for nursing and health services students. The Abell-Hanger Science Building is named in recognition of those earlier gifts, said Hendrix.

"With a slow-down in the local economy and the higher price of educational costs at four-year universities, more students are turning to Midland College for the first two years of their education," said Dr. Jess H. Parrish, college president. "The college has seen a large in-

crease in the number of qualified applicants for financial assistance during the past four years. This created a shortage in the scholarship endowment fund."

Parrish added that "a number of substantial gifts have been made."

"At this time, we feel that the college has the resources to handle the requests for financial assistance."

Burns noted that nearly 40 percent of MC's students receive some type of financial assistance and that trends indicate larger numbers of students will be making application for aid during coming years.

DEATHS

Dora Wilson
KERMIT — Dora E. Wilson, 77, died Thursday in a Stanton hospital after a lengthy illness.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday in Huff-Slay Funeral Chapel in Pilot Point with the Rev. Luther J. Slay officiating. Burial will be at the Bellevue Cemetery in Pilot Point. Local arrangements are being handled by Gilbreath Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wilson was born June 23, 1908, in Aubrey. She married Arthur L. Wilson on Jan. 30, 1926, in Denton. He preceded her in death on Aug. 24, 1965. She was a homemaker and a member of the Northside Baptist Church of Kermit.

Survivors include one son, Pete Wilson of Englewood, Colo.; four sisters, Effie Cain of Stanton, Mary Gillispie of Hurst, Ruth Haren of Phillips, and Corrine Phillips of Anaheim, Calif.; and one granddaughter.

granddaughter, Elizabeth Smith of Lafayette, La.; one brother, Hershel Shaw of Hammond, Ind.; one sister, Freida Earp of Danville, Ill.

Ona Wells

BIG SPRING — Ona Wells, 88, of Big Spring died Friday in her home.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at First United Methodist Church of Garden City. Burial will be at Garden City Cemetery under the direction of Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wells was born April 19, 1897 in Sherwood. She married Clay Wells. He preceded her in death in 1957. Her ancestors were pioneer ranchers in Glasscock and Reagan Counties. She and her husband ranched in Reagan County for many years.

Survivors include four sisters, Nettie McMaster, Lila Cool, and Myrtle McMaster, all of Big Spring, and Ver-na Sunday of Rosharon; and numerous nieces and nephews.



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Sheriff's funeral

Local law enforcement officers show respect as pallbearers carry the casket of Ed Darnell out of the First Baptist Church of Midland. Darnell, a former longtime Midland County sheriff, died earlier this week.

Mildred Slunaker

ROBINSON, Ill. — Mildred L. Slunaker, 70, died Tuesday, Feb. 4, in an Urbana, Ill. hospital.

Services were held Friday, Feb. 7, at the Pulliam Funeral Home in Robinson with Rev. Nolan Eubank officiating.

Mrs. Slunaker was born June 17, 1915, in Lawrence County, Ill. to Roscoe and Nellie Underwood Shaw. She married Kelly Slunaker on Feb. 1, 1935. She was a homemaker and member of the First United Methodist Church of Robinson.

Survivors include her husband, one daughter, Mrs. William (Eleanor) Smith of Midland; one grandson, Robert W. Smith of Austin; one

Larry Hyatt

Larry Richard Hyatt, 35, died Monday, Feb. 3.

Services were held Friday at 10 a.m. at South Park Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. J. Garland McKee officiating. Burial was at South Memorial Park Cemetery.

He was a veteran of the Vietnam War.

Survivors include his father, Charles Hyatt of Houston; his mother, Loretta West of Midland; his son, James Woodrow Hyatt of Pearland; his daughter, Katherine Marie Hyatt of Pearland; a sister Dawn Charisse Hyatt of Midland; and his paternal grandmother, Carrie Hyatt.

Ruling could cost revenues

By STEVE LEVINE
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday asked Attorney General Jim Mattox to decide whether oil companies must pay franchise taxes on the value of oil they trade with other companies.

Mattox' decision, Bullock said, could possibly cost Texas "tens of millions of dollars" in franchise tax revenues. An opposite ruling, he said, could increase the companies' percentage of Texas business and their franchise tax payments.

The state collects a franchise tax of \$5.25 per \$1,000 of capital value and surplus from most domestic and foreign corporations registered in Texas.

Bullock's question concerns two types of trades oil companies usually engage in to cut down on refinery and shipping costs. "Oil exchanges" involve two companies trading oil barrel-for-barrel with no cash transaction. The state has not included the value of that exchanged oil in the base for franchise tax collection.

The second type of trade, known as "oil matching buy/sell," involves two companies selling each other equal amounts of oil. Each company

pays for the other's oil. The state does tax the value of that oil.

Bullock said several companies have requested that his office treat both types of trades equally for franchise tax purposes. He asked Mattox to decide whether he should tax the value of oil involved in both or neither type of trade.

"Because the franchise tax must be reported by March 15, 1986, and these questions have significant revenue implications, I would ask for your prompt response," Bullock wrote Mattox.

In related action, Bullock announced Friday that he would not change his rules concerning franchise taxes and oil companies' intangible drilling costs even though an Austin appeals court ruled last year that an oil company may use an alternative accounting practice that allowed it to pay less in taxes.

Other oil companies have filed similar suits, Bullock said, and he will wait for either the courts to make a ruling that applies to all cases or for the Legislature to change the law. If all oil companies used the alternative accounting practice, Bullock said, the state could lose as much as \$80 million in this two-year budget period.

Teachers claim they are not getting second chance

By STEVE LEVINE
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — School administrators in Fort Worth and other Texas school districts are not giving teachers the second chance to pass a competency exam, the state's second largest teacher group charged Friday.

The Association of Texas Professional Educators filed a class-action suit in a Travis County district court against Fort Worth ISD and Education Commissioner William Kirby, asking the court to force the schools to follow the law concerning the Texas Examination of Current Administrators and Teachers (TECAT). They filed the suit on behalf of all Texas teachers and against all of the state's school districts.

The lawsuit alleges that Fort Worth and other districts have "stated their intention to obtain the results of the first administration of the TECAT...and non-renew or terminate the contract of any teacher who fails to pass the test upon its initial administration."

The current Fort Worth teaching contract allows the board of trustees to terminate a teacher's employment

for, among other items, "failure to perform satisfactorily on at least one examination as required."

All Texas teachers and administrators will take the reading-and-writing test March 10. Those who don't pass must take the exam again June 28.

The Texas Education Code states: "Each teacher must perform satisfactorily on the applicable examination on or before June 30, 1986." ATPE President Sue McGarvey called on Fort Worth and other schools to comply with that portion of the law.

"There are many reasons other than incompetency that might cause a teacher to fail the test the first time, but more important is the fact that the law provides a second chance," McGarvey said. "We fully expect local school districts to follow the law and the Texas Education Agency to make certain that they do."

TEA spokeswoman Terri Anderson said she could not comment on the lawsuit without seeing it.

Midland ISD spokeswoman Becky Ferguson said Midland has no plans to follow the Fort Worth example. "We're going by what they say, that the teachers must have passed it by June 30," she said.

LAURA

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What precisely that thing will be has yet to be determined. Ms. Martinez-Herring must wear the crown another three and a half months before passing it to her successor and plotting her next move.

"I'm not going to decide until then."

Born in Los Mochis, Mexico, in 1964, Ms. Martinez moved with her family to Marble Falls, San Antonio and eventually El Paso, where they

settled when she was 15. Her senior year in high school was spent at Aiglon College in Switzerland, and the summer after graduation was devoted to ditch-digging and other volunteer work, followed by extensive travel.

Returning home, she entered the Miss El Paso pageant "for adventure."

After she won the Miss Texas title, adventure gave way to ambition. Part of her motivation was a desire to become the first Hispanic to win the Miss USA title.

"I made up my mind. I starting exercising and working out," she said.

And on May 13, 1985, her hard work was rewarded. The Miss Universe title eluded her, but she'll settle for Miss USA, the \$175,000 and the chance of greater things to come. Judging from her past, it would be difficult to predict exactly what those things might be.

"I'm a flexible person," she said. "Maybe next year I'll do something totally different."

Ms. Martinez-Herring will be appearing at Gordon's Jewelers in the Midland Park Mall today from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Midlander jailed after marijuana seized

From Staff Reports

A 34-year-old Midland man was being held in county jail Friday night after sheriff's officers raided a house at 914 N. Dallas and seized about 10 pounds of marijuana, according to Midland Sheriff Gary Painter.

"The street value's roughly \$12,800," Painter said of the haul of contraband from the 7:30 p.m. raid.

The man arrested was expected to be charged with felony possession of marijuana. According to Painter, he was the 28th person arrested by sheriff's officers on drug-related charges since the first of the year.

In other reports, Lloyd Willingham, County Road 114 and County Road 1196, told sheriff's officers that someone had broken into his trailer while he was away from town

and took more than \$1,300 in household goods.

Entry was gained through a southeast corner window.

Stolen were an AM-FM radio, video-cassette recorder, television channel box and several VCR tapes, said reports. The items were taken from the living room and kitchen sometime between 2 p.m. Jan. 31 and 11:30 p.m. Thursday.

ELECTION — White claims to have appointed more blacks than his successors

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Saguisag said that gave her 54.4 percent of the vote, based on 18.9 percent of the 26 million votes cast.

Saguisag said Mrs. Aquino was planning to call on Marcos in the next day or so "to arrange an orderly transfer of power." He said it was not certain whether Mrs. Aquino, who said recently that she has never met nor spoken directly to Marcos, planned to telephone him or go to Malacanang Palace in person.

Nicanor Yniguez, speaker of the national assembly, told a television interviewer that the assembly would begin an official canvass of the votes on Monday.

"It seems to me everybody is canvassing votes when only the Batasan Pambansa (assembly) is authorized by the constitution," he said.

At least 30 people were killed in election-day violence and shots were fired at foreign photographers who said they were taking pictures of masked men stuffing ballot boxes.

and the Economic Development Commission.

Blacks played an important role in putting White in office, Price said. Now, "his credibility factor is nil" because of the governor's weak record on black issues and appointments, he said.

The Republican Party, the governor said, has worked against education reform, indigent health care and civil rights legislation — all important black issues.

"The difference between the parties is simple," White said. "The Democratic Party, as you see people go up that ladder of opportunity, the Democrats will reach back and pick up a hand and help pull someone else up that ladder of opportunity."

"The other option is they (Republicans) climb that ladder of opportunity and pull the ladder up."

White cited his appointment record and noted Texas now has 405 black elected officials, more than ever before. He also hailed the newly created Texas Commission on Human Rights.

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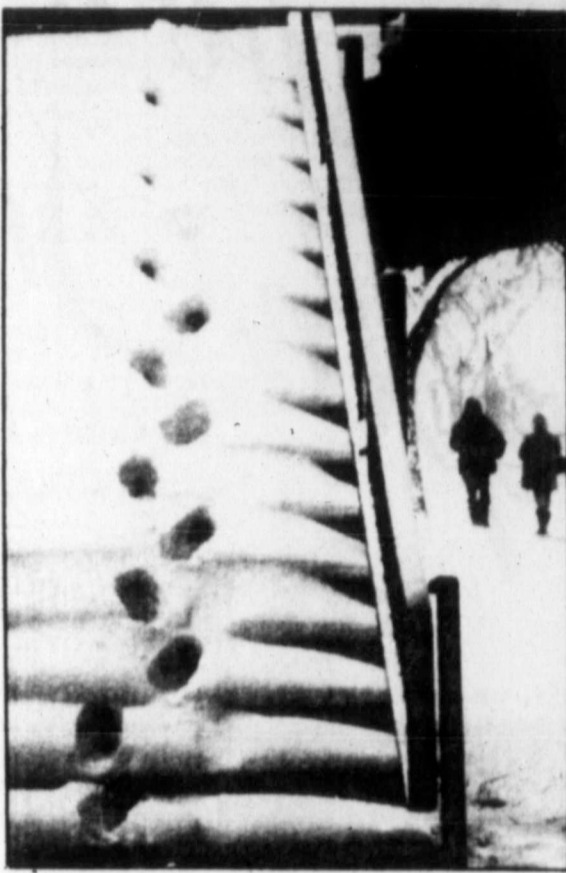


STATE

Snowy steps

A stairway at Amarillo College shows traces of footsteps in the snow. Amarillo was expected to receive 12 to 18 inches of snow Friday.

AP Laserphoto



State employees not happy with White

AUSTIN (AP) — The executive director of the Texas Public Employees Association said Friday that Gov. Mark White "has a very large hill to climb" to win the endorsement of the 20,000-member association.

Gary Hughes reminded a Capitol press conference that the TPEA would for the first time this year endorse political candidates for statewide office.

"TPEA and state employees are dead serious about the financial realities facing state government and not about to take a back seat to any expenditure," said Hughes.

"State employees and retirees of Texas state government should be the very first priority in any legislative session for the governor and the Legislature. Unfortunately, that has not been the case of our current governor the last two sessions. We're out

to change that in this round of elections coming up in May and November," he said.

Asked if that statement meant the TPEA would oppose White, Hughes said the "decision has not been finally made" and will not be made until after the May primary elections. Hughes said the association's political action committee would select candidates to endorse at its June 14 meeting in Houston.

He said the TPEA had been approached by at least "four major candidates" — Republicans Bill Clements, Tom Loeffler and Kent Hance and Democrat A. Don Crowder — "and we were very pleased with the discussions and interest the candidates have in the association."

He said the TPEA had not heard from White.

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Parents would trash 'Garbage Pail Kids'

NEW YORK (AP) — A spoof of Cabbage Patch Kids called "Garbage Pail Kids" is the latest fad in schools, and it's driving parents and teachers crazy.

Like Cabbage Patch Kids, the Garbage Pail Kids have round faces and pudgy bodies, but that is where the similarities end.

The Garbage Pail Kids are ugly and nasty.

There is Acne Amy, a pimple-plagued adolescent with braces; Mad Mike, a savage in a leopardskin wielding a sword and an ax; and Wacky Jackie, in a padlocked straitjacket.

There are many others, like Greaser Greg, a juvenile delinquent with his death's head T-shirt and a cigarette; Dead Fred, who has a bullet in

his forehead; and Wrinkled Rita, a Miami matron who needs about a gallon of wrinkle cream.

The cards also offer citations for a variety of questionable, albeit humorous, behavior. For example, there is a "Bully License," and a permit which confers "full legal right to gorge yourself" on junk foods.

Topps Chewing Gum Inc., better known for baseball cards and Bazooka bubble gum, began selling Garbage Pail Kids last June. The company cannot manufacture the cards fast enough to meet demand.

The popularity of the cards has caused concern. Several schools have banned them, and parents have been writing to complain.

"Kids like them because their parents don't like them," said Rick An-

guilla, editor of Toy and Hobby World, a trade magazine.

"They're anti-everything," Anguilla said. "They're a spoof on Cabbage Patch dolls. For all the people who love the Cabbage Patch, there's a segment of society that dislikes the Cabbage Patch doll and like spoofing it."

In Greenwich, Conn., the cards were banned from the private Brunswick School because students were playing with them instead of doing their work.

Similar bans were enacted at elementary schools in Ossining and Montrose, N.Y., where principals were concerned with students swapping and selling the cards during class.

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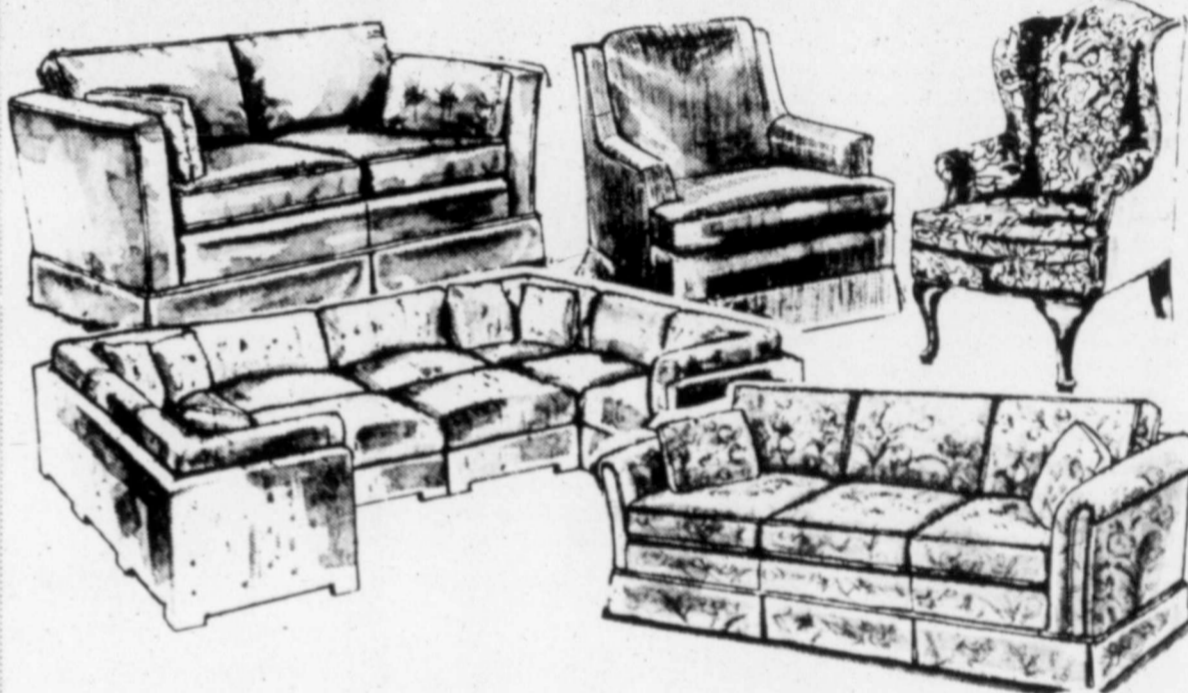
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Texas A&M economist says 1986 doesn't look brighter for farmers

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — More than 2,700 Texas farmers lost their businesses last year because of financial reasons beyond their control and 1986 doesn't look any brighter, a Texas A&M University agricultural economist says.

West Texas farmers were hardest hit, followed by those in the Rolling Plains and East Texas, said Carl Anderson, an economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Cotton and grain farmers suffered the most, he said.

"Many of the farmers who went out of business are clustered in the Lubbock region where the strong income base is cotton," Anderson said.

"Whether or not farmers survived was related to whether they were leveraged with credit they couldn't pay back."

The weather aggravated the problems of the \$33 billion-a-year Texas agricultural industry, which still suffered less than other states because of high diversification and lower land value fluctuation, Anderson said.

"We could have survived this financial crisis better if it hadn't been for the prolonged drought periods and other severe weather conditions we've been having," Anderson said. Although many farmers went out of business, Anderson says, very lit-

tle land went out of production. Instead, much of it was operated by producers who were financially stronger.

Anderson also blamed the farmer's plight on the prime interest rate implemented by the federal government which has forced rates up to 20 percent.

"That's totally incompatible with agriculture. We knew at the time agriculture could not borrow money and repay it at 20 percent interest because returns on investments in agriculture historically have been somewhere in the 3 percent level," he said.

Mother convicted for making son wear handcuffs, shackles

HOUSTON (AP) — A 51-year-old topless dancer and mother of a mentally ill son was convicted Friday for falsely imprisoning her son by making him wear handcuffs and leg shackles.

County Court-at-Law Judge Joe Terracina then sentenced Mirella Adelman to six months' probation. The conviction is the latest in the continuing saga of Ms. Adelman and her 25-year-old, 250-pound son, Daniel Adelman, who has been repeatedly hospitalized in recent years for schizophrenia.

Ms. Adelman wept after her sentence was read. The misdemeanor conviction, she said through tears, is part of a "big conspiracy to take away my guardianship."

"I thought God was with me, but I don't know," Ms. Adelman said. "I didn't break the law. I know I didn't break the law."

It took several minutes to get an answer from Ms. Adelman when the judge asked her if she wanted to appeal.

"I just don't want my son to go back to Austin State Hospital," she kept saying. Finally, assisted by attorney Ron Hayes, who was appointed to help Ms. Adelman defend herself, she said he wanted to appeal the conviction.

Daniel Adelman was returned to his mother about two years ago, and she solved the problem of his violent outbursts by simply placing bars on the door and window of his room.

Evidence showed her son was placed in handcuffs and leg shackles to control him whenever he left his room and that he was trained to place the restraints on himself.

Lawmaker wants Pickens to resolve white oil issue

AUSTIN (AP) — A legislator Friday urged Gov. Mark White to ask oil president T. Boone Pickens of Amarillo to negotiate a settlement in the "white oil" dispute.

Rep. Foster Whaley, D-Pampa, said he had already asked Pickens, president of Mesa Petroleum Co., if he would accept the job, and Pickens "responded in the affirmative."

Some Panhandle field operators have used refrigeration, or LTX, units to produce a water-white liquid called white oil by chilling vapors to as low as 20 degrees below zero.

The white oil is used by some operators to get their wells classified as oil wells, which has certain production, spacing and pricing advantages over gas wells.

A state district court in Austin has ruled that the Railroad Commission has the authority to retest wells with LTX units and, in effect, shut-in the wells if they do not meet the oil well standard of one barrel of oil to 100,000 cubic feet of gas.

The ruling is on appeal to the 3rd Court of Appeals here.

Whaley said Pickens had suggested three steps recently at a Pampa Chamber of Commerce meeting to resolve the white oil issue: establish a three-year moratorium and put the white oil wells back in production; redefine Railroad Commission rules; and negotiate a settlement.

"Mark, the thought came to me that Boone Pickens is the only person who can bring this problem to a satisfactory settlement. He is the world's best negotiator and has demonstrated this in his national dealings," Whaley told White in a letter Friday.

Whaley said he had tried to visit the governor once or twice and "have never gotten through more than one door. I've also tried to visit with you by phone on more than one occasion and have never been successful."

"I'm only asking one favor now. Call Boone Pickens at your earliest convenience and visit with him about this (white oil) problem."

"If you don't think this idea has merit, file the letter in file No. 13. No reply is necessary," Whaley said.

Authorities impound Oriental folk medicine

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston health authorities are impounding an Oriental folk medicine linked to two cases of lead poisoning.

Dr. Gordon Reeve, chief epidemiologist for the Houston Department of Health and Human Services, said Thursday the medicine is in white paper packages and carries labels written in Vietnamese or Chinese. The medicine is intended as a remedy for cough, colds, liver problems or other ailments, Reeve said.

But he said two Vietnamese men suffered from lead poisoning after taking the medicines. Such poisoning could cause gastrointestinal problems and long-term damage to the central nervous system.

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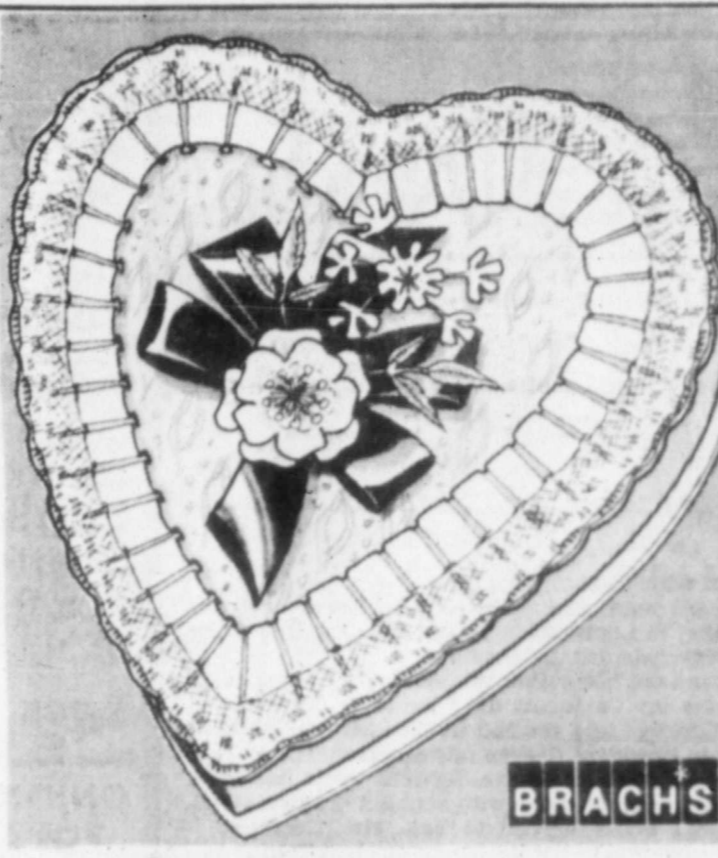
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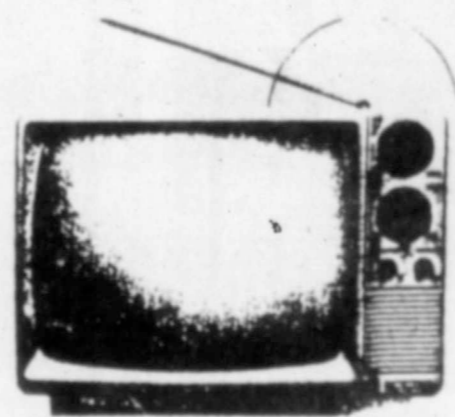
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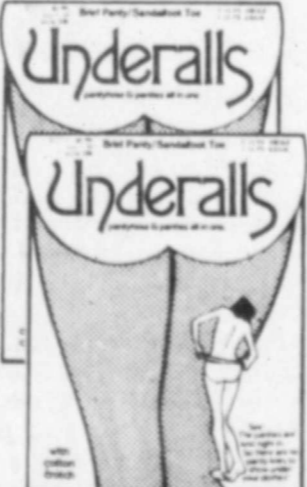
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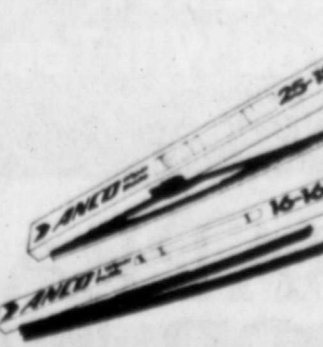
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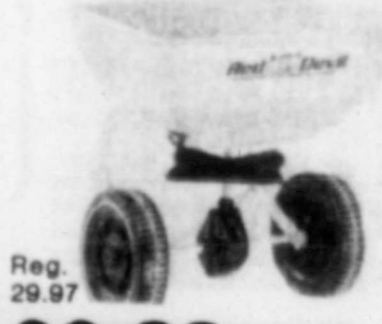
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Judge sets bond for Utah man charged in bombing deaths

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — A judge set bond at \$120,000 Friday for a Mormon documents dealer charged with murder in the bombing deaths of two people, clearing the way for his release from jail.

It might take until Monday for Mark W. Hofmann to raise the bond for his release from the Salt Lake County jail, said defense lawyer Brad Ruch.

Fifth Circuit Judge Paul Grant set bond at \$20,000 in cash and \$100,000

in property. The judge first set bond at \$250,000, but reduced the figure based on the recommendation of county officials who said they would supervise Hofmann.

Grant also scheduled an April 14 preliminary hearing for Hofmann, who has been in custody since his arrest Tuesday.

Hofmann, 31, appeared in court on crutches, still recovering from injuries he suffered when a bomb went off in his car.

Prosecutor Robert Stott argued against bail, saying the bombings had "very violent, very vicious, very turbulent" results and that Hofmann had been injured by a bomb he'd meant for someone else.

Ronald Yengich, another lawyer representing Hofmann, said Hofmann was a good candidate for bail because his face had become well-known and because he has had no passport since being indicted on an unrelated federal firearms charge.

"There is no indication that Mark is a flight risk or a danger to the community," Yengich said. "There's nowhere he could flee."

Hofmann is accused in the Oct. 15 deaths of stockbroker and documents collector Steven F. Christensen, 31, and Kathleen W. Sheets, 50, wife of former Christensen business associate, J. Gary Sheets.

The bomb that critically injured Hofmann a day later was believed by police to be accidental. Hofmann is

awaiting a transplant to replace a kneecap shattered in the blast.

Besides the murder charges, Hofmann faces one count of construction or possession of an infernal machine, two counts of delivery of an infernal machine, 13 counts of theft by deception and 10 counts of communications fraud.

In a hearing before Grant on Thursday, Yengich argued there was insufficient evidence to keep Hofmann in custody pending trial.

Prosecutors allege Hofmann was involved in fraudulent document deals, including some involving the Mormon Church, and was facing serious financial problems.

Before Hofmann was charged, local law enforcement agencies and the Salt Lake County attorney's office were criticized, often by Hofmann's attorneys, for their delay in filing an indictment after publicly branding Hofmann their prime suspect the day he was injured.

Woman reunited with son after 36-year separation

BOSTON (AP) — Last year, Florence Coolidge started writing a book about her life as an abandoned child, an unwed teen-age mother, a stripper, a drug addict and finally, at age 50, a Christian. But she could never finish the last chapter.

"I couldn't do it without finding Ernie first," she said of the son who was taken from her as a newborn 36 years ago. "I knew in my heart he would want to find me too."

Mrs. Coolidge and her son were reunited Thursday amid tears and cries of joy at the Salvation Army headquarters here, ending a cross-country search that made its way through Louisiana, Nevada, New Jersey and the halls of Congress.

"It is a miracle. It's like a dream or a fairy tale," said Mrs. Coolidge, hugging her son, Ernie Richardson. "But I never gave up hope. I never stopped praying."

Richardson said he, too, was stunned. "I was under the assumption my mother was dead. I spent years trying to accept that," he said. "Now we're going to go home and live together."

"We're going to start all over again."

Mrs. Coolidge, a resident of Willingboro, N.J., said she was forced to give up her son in 1950, when he was 3 days old. She was 15 at the time and a ward of the state at an institution for pregnant girls in Vineland, N.J.

"I named him Ernie Harry after my grandfather," she said. "I wanted him for my own, so I ran away (several times)...They put me in ice showers. They punished me pretty bad."

Not knowing where her young son was, Mrs. Coolidge moved to Newark, N.J., where she worked in a bean factory, and then settled in New York, got married, had another son and took a job as a night club dancer named "Honey Lee."

In the years that followed, Mrs. Coolidge was a stripper in Atlantic City, N.J., and Miami. She lived in hotel rooms, taking drugs to stay awake and fall asleep. But she never forgot the son that was taken from her.

"I lit a candle for Ernie every day," she said.

In the meantime, Richardson said, he was being raised by foster parents in Louisiana.

"All my life, I lived a lie. They told me that my mother had given me up because she couldn't afford to raise me," he said.

His childhood was very painful, he said. "They were extremely strict and at times, very abusive. I was never adopted. I was even considered retarded."

At 18, Richardson left home and drifted. "I had a



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— Florence Coolidge

problem with alcohol," he said.

In recent years, Richardson said, he has worked as a disc jockey in Louisiana and Mississippi and in a Salvation Army cafeteria in Boston.

He found out his mother was looking for him Jan. 25. "That was my Christmas day," he said.

Mrs. Coolidge said she had tracked her son down by writing to President Reagan late last year. The Department of Health and Human Services wrote her back, urging her to get in touch with Sen. Bill Bradley, D-N.J.

Bradley's office agreed to help Mrs. Coolidge. It searched the files of the institution she had lived in as a teen-ager and found the foster family that was given custody of Richardson.

Bradley's assistants said they finally reached a member of the foster family in Nevada, and she contacted Richardson in Massachusetts.

"My sister-in-law called me and said, 'Ernie, are you sitting down? Your mama is alive and she's looking for you,'" Richardson recalled. "It really knocked me over. I couldn't believe it."

Mrs. Coolidge called her son, and they were reunited in New Jersey late Thursday.

"My life was real rough and it sounds like his was terrible too," she said. "I have a beautiful home now and my son and I will be together there. I must have had a guardian angel watching over me."

Man rescued after being at sea six days

HONOLULU (AP) — A Florida man who spent six days on a 5-foot life raft after his sailboat capsized says he went through an "inch-by-inch ordeal" to save himself by freeing the raft from a submerged hatch.

C. Nicholas Dunn, a Key West, Fla., commercial pilot, arrived here Thursday aboard a Japanese cargo ship that rescued him last week. Dunn, 40, said he was down to one orange and half a can of chili when he used his last flare Jan. 28 to attract the attention of the crew of the 720-foot Venus Diamond.

Hunger, exposure and even a shark dogged him during his six-day ordeal.

Dunn, who has been sailing for the last year and a half, said he was asleep early Jan. 22 when his 26-foot boat L'Escargot hit a submerged object about 80 miles off Costa Rica and capsized.

He said he spent much of the next 12 hours working to free the partly inflated life raft from a submerged hatch. The effort required forcing the buoyant raft farther down into the water before it could rise to the surface of the Pacific Ocean, he said.

"It was an inch by inch ordeal," Dunn said. "I knew that if I didn't get it out, I was going to die."

Dunn tied the raft to the overturned L'Escargot and subsisted on the rations he was able to get out of the boat. Most of his provisions had spilled from a hatch and sank to the bottom of the ocean, he said.

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Farmer hopes 'peace fleece' improves relations

FBI captures Patty Hearst

The FBI on Sept. 18, 1975, captured Patricia Hearst, climaxing a 19-month search that began with her abduction by the Symbionese Liberation Army in February 1974.

BOSTON (AP) — A farmer has blended wool from Soviet and American sheep into "peace fleece," saying he hopes it leads to warmer, close-knit relations between the superpowers.

Peter Hagerty said Friday that he and his wife had been searching for a way they, as a farm family, could help promote peace when they hit upon the idea of importing the Soviet wool, mixing it with domestic wool, and weaving it into yarn.

He hopes Americans will buy the yarn and knit scarves and mittens as symbols of peaceful cooperation.

"There is not a lot of cause for mutual trust between the U.S. and the U.S.S.R.," said Hagerty, who shears sheep on his farm in Kezar Falls, Maine, which is near the foothills of the White Mountains. "What

I've found is this is touching a certain nerve in people."

Hagerty said several wool dealers warned him it would be difficult because as far as they knew, the Soviets never exported wool to the United States and, in fact, are large wool importers.

U.S. officials also were of little help. "The State Department knew nothing about wool in the Soviet Union," he said.

But during a farmers' tour of the Soviet Union last summer, Hagerty said he managed to arrange a meeting with the official in charge of the Soviet fiber trading group. The official was skeptical, but after a conversation about their wives and families, Hagerty talked him into selling him 1,200 pounds of Soviet wool.

"It might work out into something

that is very real," Hagerty recalled, telling the Soviet of his plans to promote peace. "He said, 'That sounds like my wife talking.'"

A shipper transported the wool to the United States for free, he said, though it was hit here with an import duty three times that levied on Australian or New Zealand wool because of the Soviet Union's trading status with the United States.

The wool has been blended with an equal amount of Maine wool and will be commercially dyed and spun into yarn, he said.

Hagerty said he wanted to mix the Russian wool with fleece from his own sheep, but his wool supply from this year was sold before the Soviet shipment arrived last month.

Hagerty, 40, said the wool will be sold through the mail.

Marty Tracy, Hagerty's wife, said the wool will be packaged in small kits that will include a history of the venture, a knitting pattern and some type of logo that could be sewn on the finished garment to show its origin "so that you're getting a sense of history along with the wool." The kits will sell for \$15 to \$20, Hagerty said.

Ms. Tracy, who hand dyes and spins wool as a hobby, said she and some friends planned to experiment with the wool and perhaps make some garments that could be sold in boutiques.

Hagerty said he hopes his venture not only proves that trade with the Soviets can lead to mutual understanding but also demonstrates that the Soviets are good trading partners.

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Third body unearthed on ranch

STRATTON, Colo. (AP) — Workers unearthed a third human skeleton and two bullets Friday at a ranch whose former owner is charged with murdering a truck driver, and investigators said they expect to find up to six more bodies.

"Seven, eight or nine" bodies are expected to be found on the 2,880-acre spread 20 miles from the Kansas border, where two bodies were dug up earlier this week, said Kit Carson County Sheriff Sharon Heinz.

The ranch was once owned by Thomas McCormick, 52, who is in the Jefferson County jail, charged with murdering a trucker who disappeared from a truck stop in 1983. The trucker's body was excavated last week from a field 100 miles west of Stratton after authorities were led there by McCormick's son, Michael.

The younger McCormick, 29, who is being held on stolen vehicle charges, including the theft of the slain trucker's tractor-trailer, told investigators where to dig for bodies at the ranch, which he said were buried over the past 15 years, officials said.

County Coroner Bob Hendricks said the two skeletons found earlier were the remains of men more than 25 years old. He said the death of one of the two men was "not accidental." Two bullets were found buried near the head of the skeleton found Friday.

Neither of the McCormicks has been charged in the deaths of the people buried at the ranch, and officials refused to say if they were suspects.

Thomas McCormick lived on the ranch as a boy and later as an adult with his wife and three children. In 1980, financial difficulties forced him into foreclosure and he moved to Aurora.

Michael McCormick is helping prosecutors under a "rather lengthy agreement" with authorities, details of which will probably be disclosed at his trial Feb. 18, said Jefferson County District Attorney David Thomas.

Jefferson County Sheriff George Hubbard acknowledged rumors have circulated for years about the disappearance of farmhands from the ranch run by McCormick, who was known for hiring homeless men from Denver shelters and streets.

"Somehow these fellows seemed to disappear and we never could find them," Hubbard said. "It made us wonder if they'd been the victims of foul play, but we never could get enough evidence to go out and dig."

The Denver Post reported Friday that the FBI once investigated a ring dealing in stolen auto parts in eastern Colorado believed to be tied to the McCormick ranch. The investigation, which also looked into the disappearance of homeless men from Denver, was dropped for lack of evidence, FBI sources told the Post.

Police Commander Ed Ray of Wheat Ridge, where the slain trucker was last seen, said the extent of what investigators uncovered has stunned many involved.

"I'm not surprised at anything in this business anymore (but) this type of crime sets anybody back," he said.

Woman wants prison sentence to kick drug habit

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — A surprised federal magistrate has granted a woman's request that she be sentenced to prison so she can kick a drug habit.

"This is sort of the reverse of what you're usually confronted with," Magistrate William Dale remarked Thursday as he sentenced Carolsue Weaver to nine months in a federal penitentiary. She had pleaded guilty to a misdemeanor charge stemming from a bank robbery.

"Is this what you want?" Dale asked. Ms. Weaver, 34, said it was.

Even the prosecutor had not urged a sentence for Ms. Weaver. Assistant U.S. Attorney James Collins' only recommendation was that she receive drug counseling because of her heroin habit.

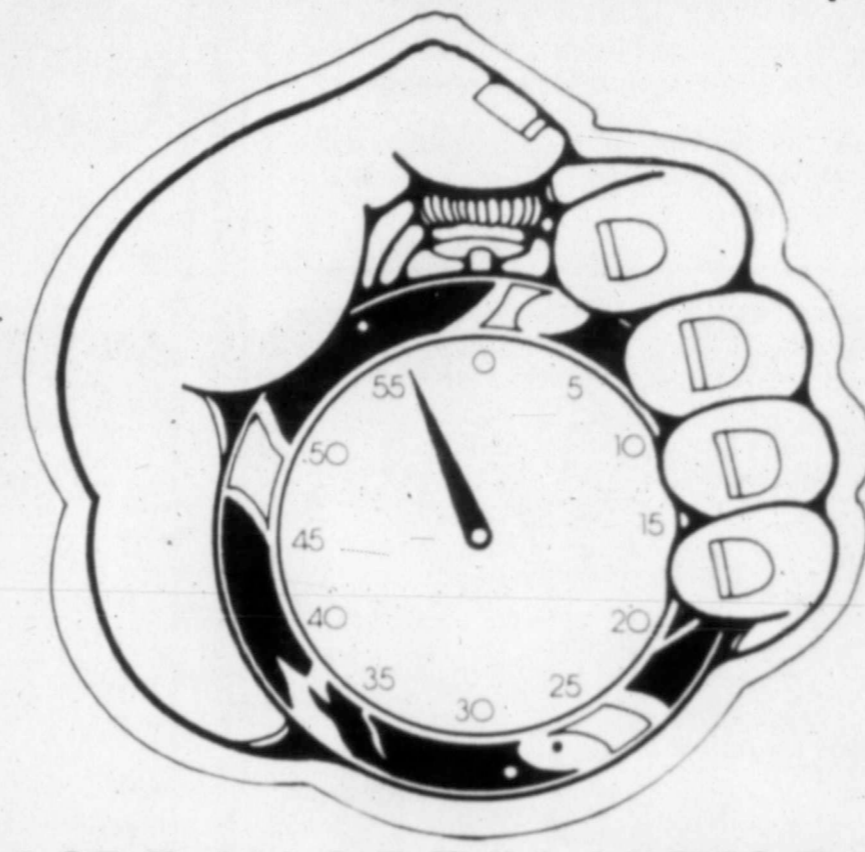
Ms. Weaver pleaded guilty to possession of less than \$100 in stolen money that had been taken during a robbery of a Salem savings and loan in November. Some \$3,200 was taken in the robbery, Collins said.

The prosecutor said Ms. Weaver admitted getting \$60 to drive the car used in the robbery. Robert Silva Jr., 30, is charged with committing the robbery and is awaiting trial next week.

Ms. Weaver told Dale that she believed she needed to be removed from the community to solve her drug problem.

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The practice of writing in the monthly Colorado School Journal about events before they occur "is something we will obviously talk about," CEA President Gordon Hea-

ton said Wednesday.

The 16-page newsletter features a front-page photograph of McAuliffe, the New Hampshire teacher chosen to be the first private citizen in space, and says millions of children listened as she gave a lesson from space.

The tabloid already was in the mail when seven astronauts, including McAuliffe, died in the Jan. 28 explosion of the shuttle Challenger.

The 16-page newsletter is sent by third-class mail to the CEA's 25,000 members and sometimes takes up to two weeks to reach its destination, said Deborah Fallin.

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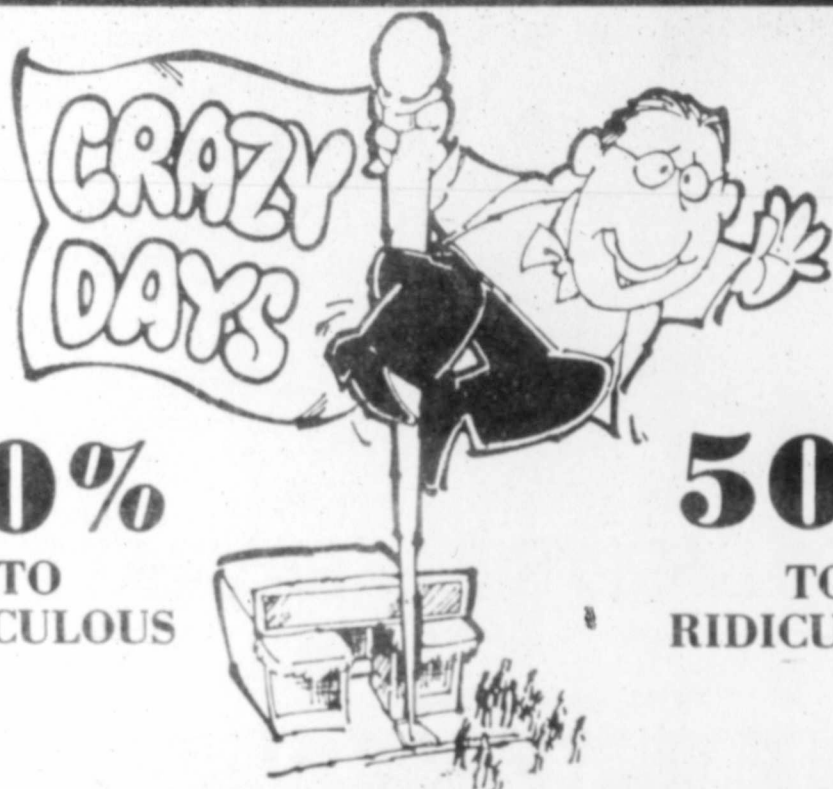
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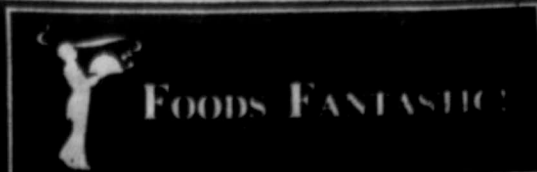
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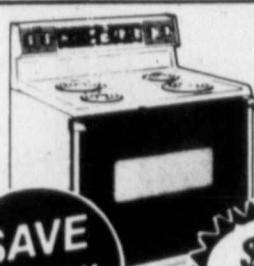


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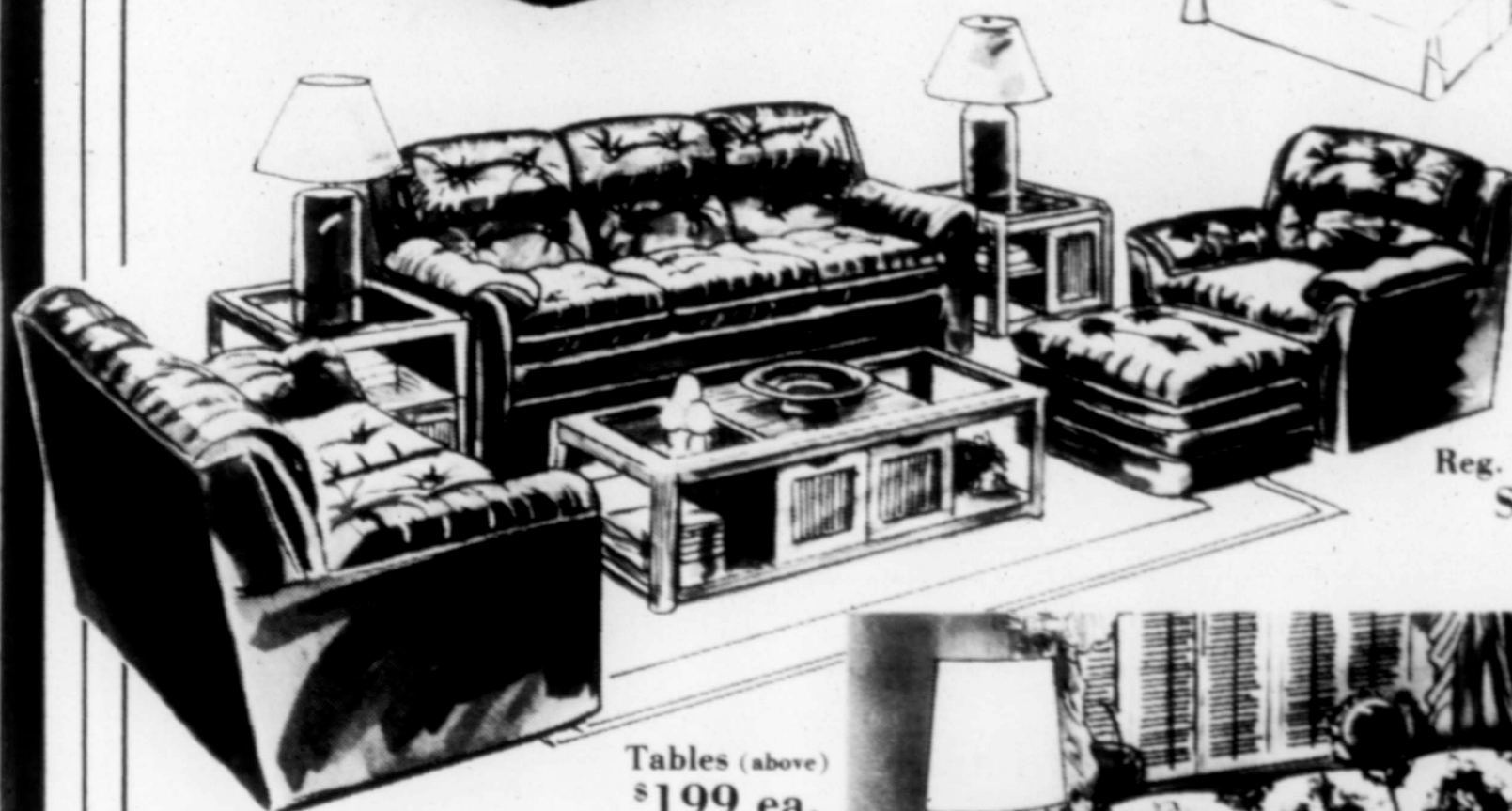
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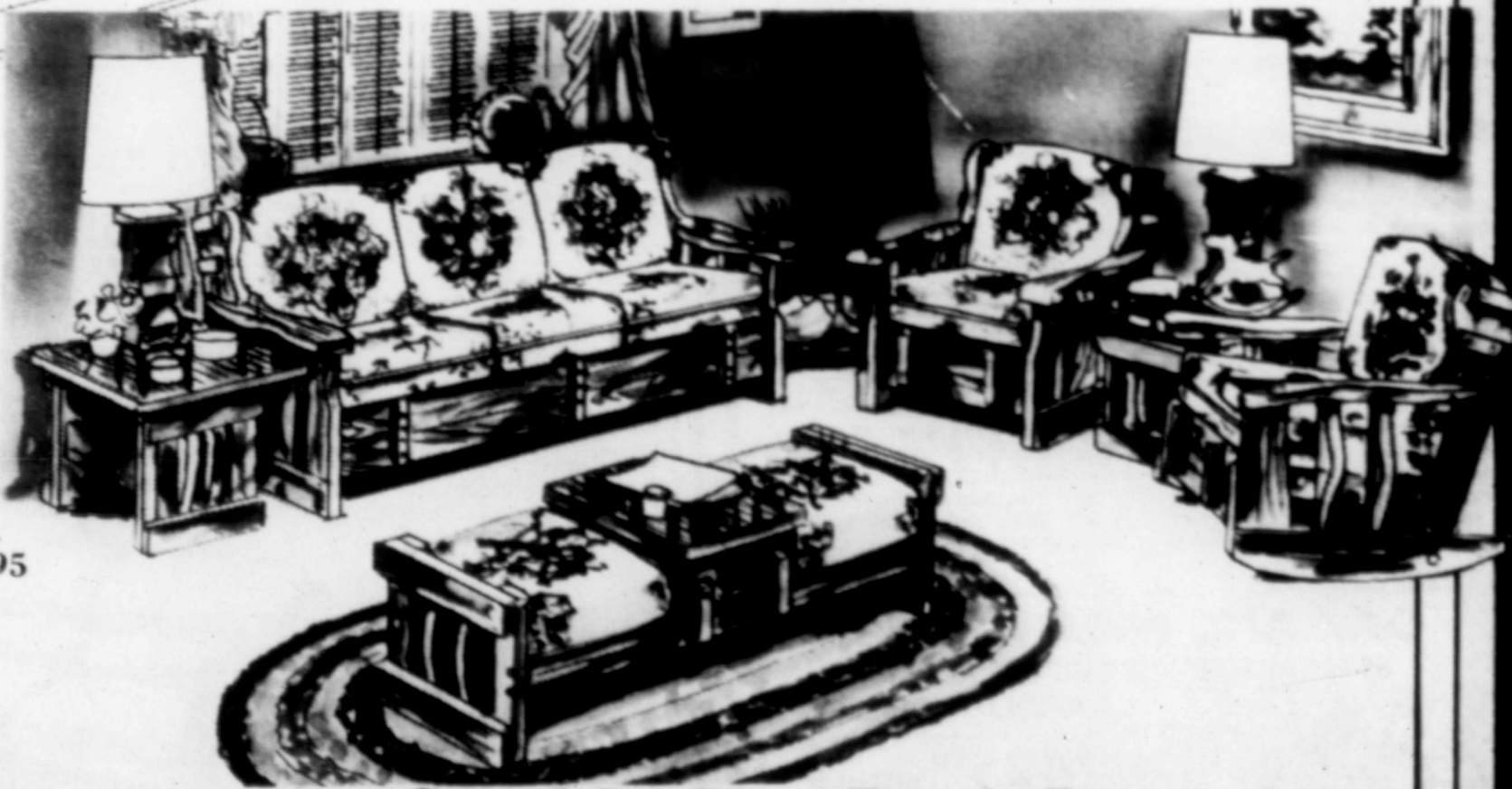
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Gorbachev: Sakharov can't leave because he knows state secrets

PARIS (AP) — Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev says dissident scientist Andrei Sakharov cannot leave his country because he knows strategic secrets that could harm Moscow if they were released to the West, according to an interview to be published today in a French communist newspaper.

Gorbachev, in the first such remarks by any Soviet leader about Sakharov, was quoted by the newspaper L'Humanite as saying the physicist under house arrest in the closed city of Gorky, "is still considered in the possession of state secrets of particular importance (and) cannot, for this reason, leave the USSR."

The paper quoted Gorbachev as saying there were no political prisoners in the Soviet Union because people are not prosecuted for "crimes of opinion."

But he added that there were "a little more than 200 people serving prison terms for having committed crimes against the state," including espionage and trying to undermine the government.

Gorbachev said Sakharov "committed illegal acts" and that normal legal measures "were taken in his case."

"At the present time," Gorbachev told the newspaper, "the situation is the following: Sakharov lives in Gorky under normal conditions. He is continuing his scientific activity. He is still a titular member of the Soviet Academy of Sciences. His health, as far as I know, is normal."

Over the years there have been repeated calls for Moscow to allow

Sakharov to emigrate to the West. His family in the West claims he is in poor health and has been force-fed while trying to stage hunger strikes.

His wife, Yelena Bonner, is in Boston now, receiving treatment for a heart condition.

Gorbachev also reiterated his longstanding opposition to President Reagan's proposed space-based nuclear defense system, known as the Strategic Defense Initiative, and commonly called "Star Wars."

He said that by continuing with the research program, "Washington is trying on purpose to wreck the negotiations in progress and erase with one stroke all the existing accords on the limitation of armaments."

"I admit that, personally, President Reagan believes in the salutary mission of Star Wars," he added. "But, if it's a matter of trying to end nuclear war, why won't the United States accept in principle the latest Soviet propositions?"

"They, in effect, envision a shorter, more direct, less onerous and, especially, less dangerous path for eliminating the nuclear menace: the total liquidation of nuclear weapons."

The interview was conducted in part through a series of written questions and responses between Gorbachev and L'Humanite editor Roland Leroy, who also traveled to Moscow on Feb. 4 and reviewed the answers personally with Gorbachev, the newspaper reported.

Leroy is a member of the Political Bureau of the French Communist Party, which traditionally has had close ties with the Soviet Union.

Fishermen rescued when ice breaks

MOSCOW (AP) — Rescuers using helicopters, ropes and makeshift bridges saved thousands of fishermen caught on a vast expanse of ice that suddenly broke loose from shore, a Soviet newspaper reported Friday.

Komsomolskaya Pravda, the newspaper of the Communist Party youth league, said no one was killed or injured in the incident, which occurred last Saturday on the shore of Sakhalin Island off Siberia.

About 10,000 people were fishing through the ice over an area of several square miles when a fissure several yards wide developed, separat-

ing many of them from the shore, the newspaper said.

Photographs published by the government newspaper Izvestia showed people trying to help one another across the rift with ropes and boards.

"The people made makeshift bridges from skis, sticks, whatever was at hand, and used ropes and pieces of ice as boats to get across," Komsomolskaya Pravda said. Three helicopters evacuated about 100 people in a two-hour shuttle rescue effort, it said, and others made it across by other means.

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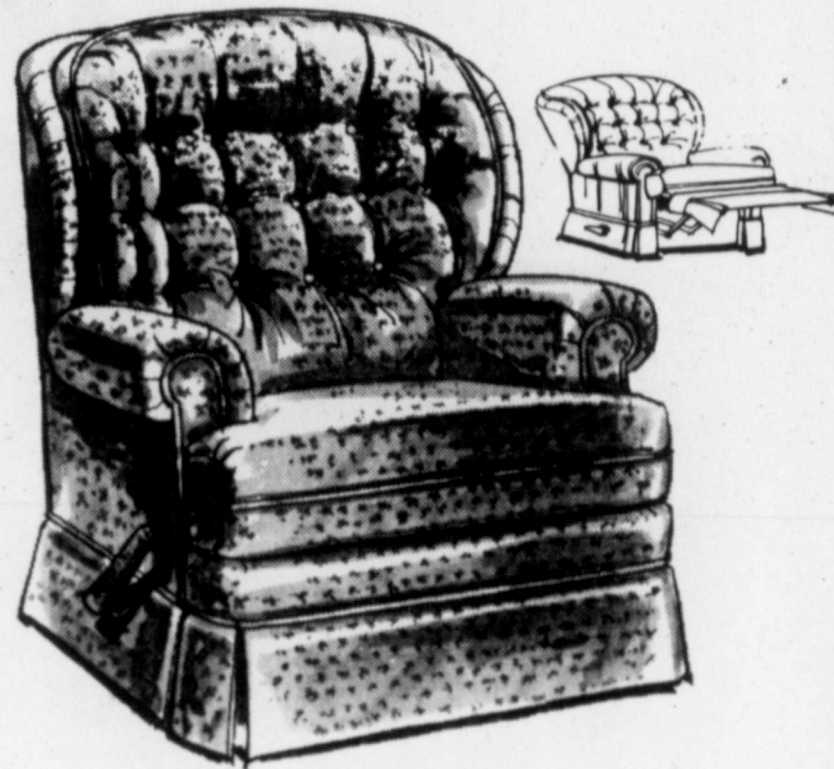
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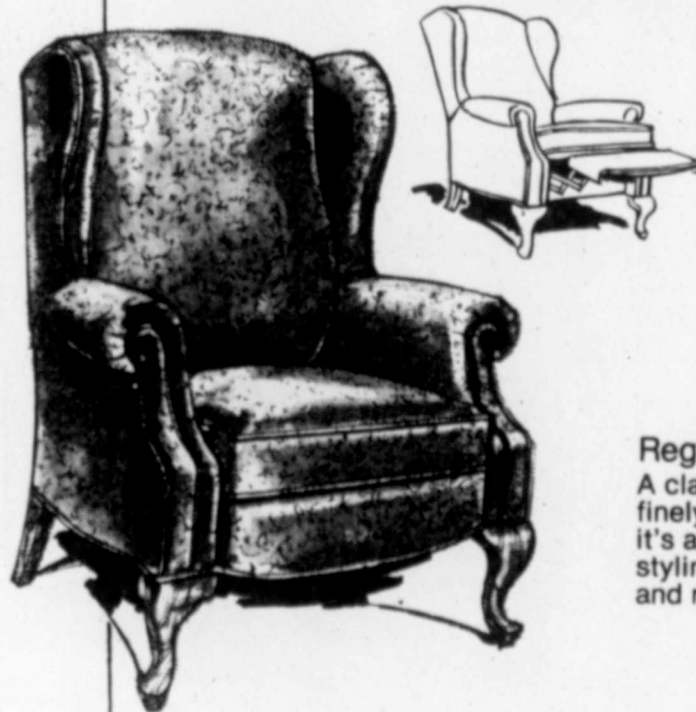
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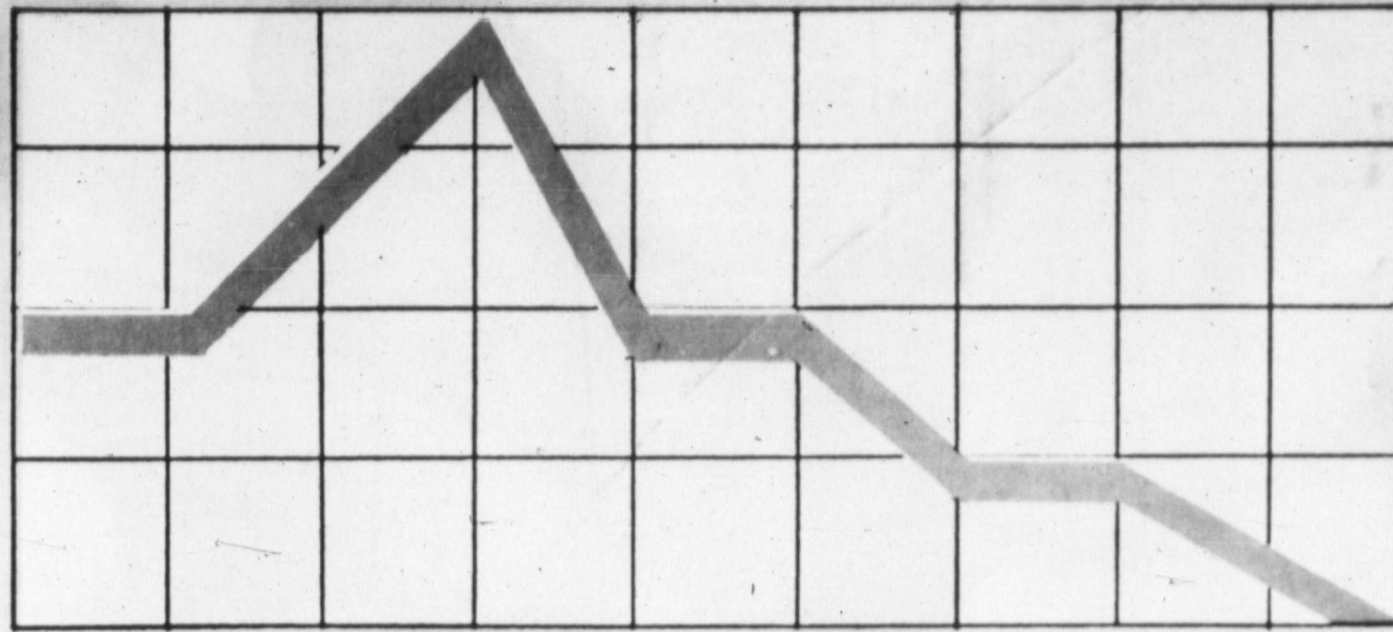


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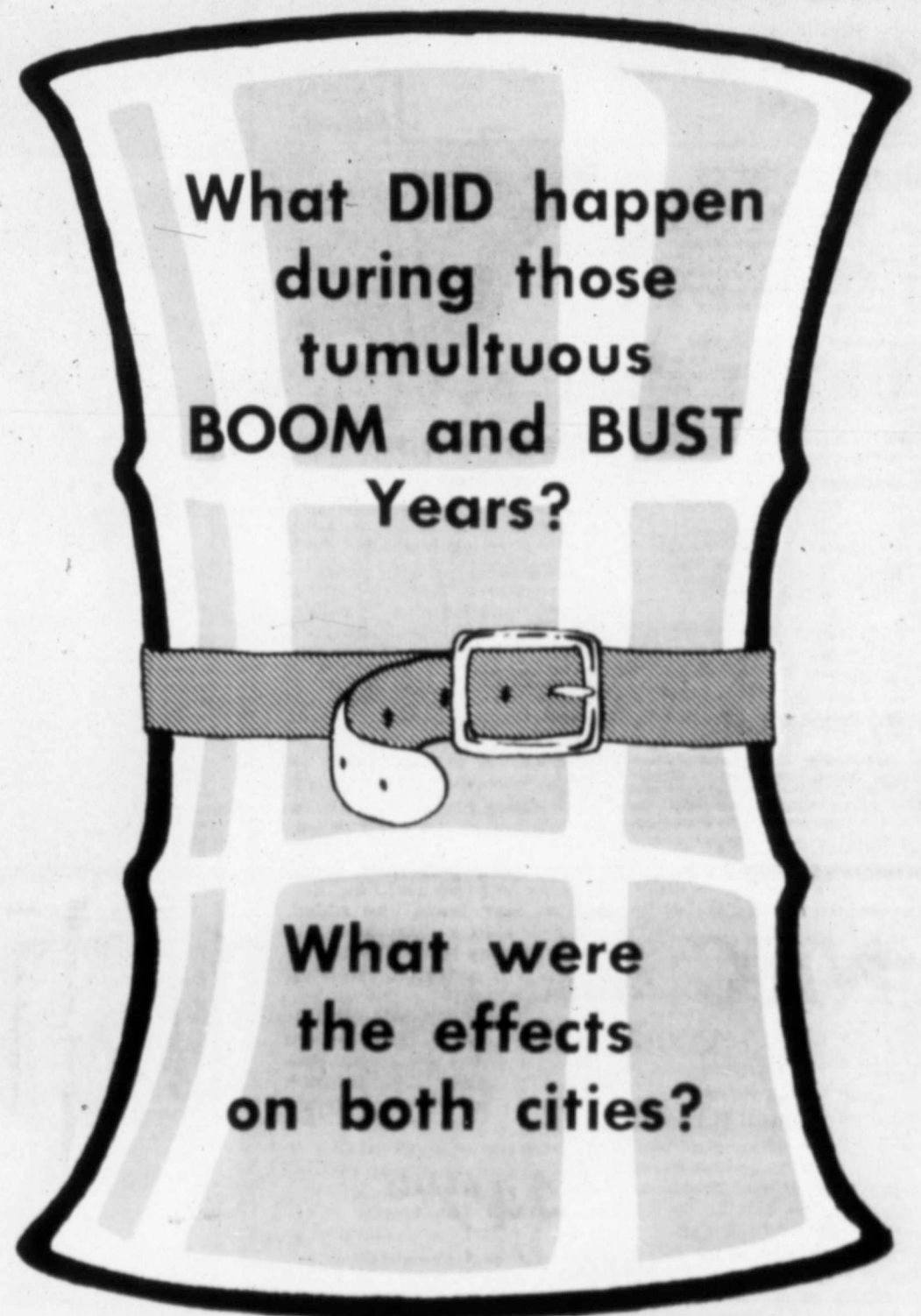
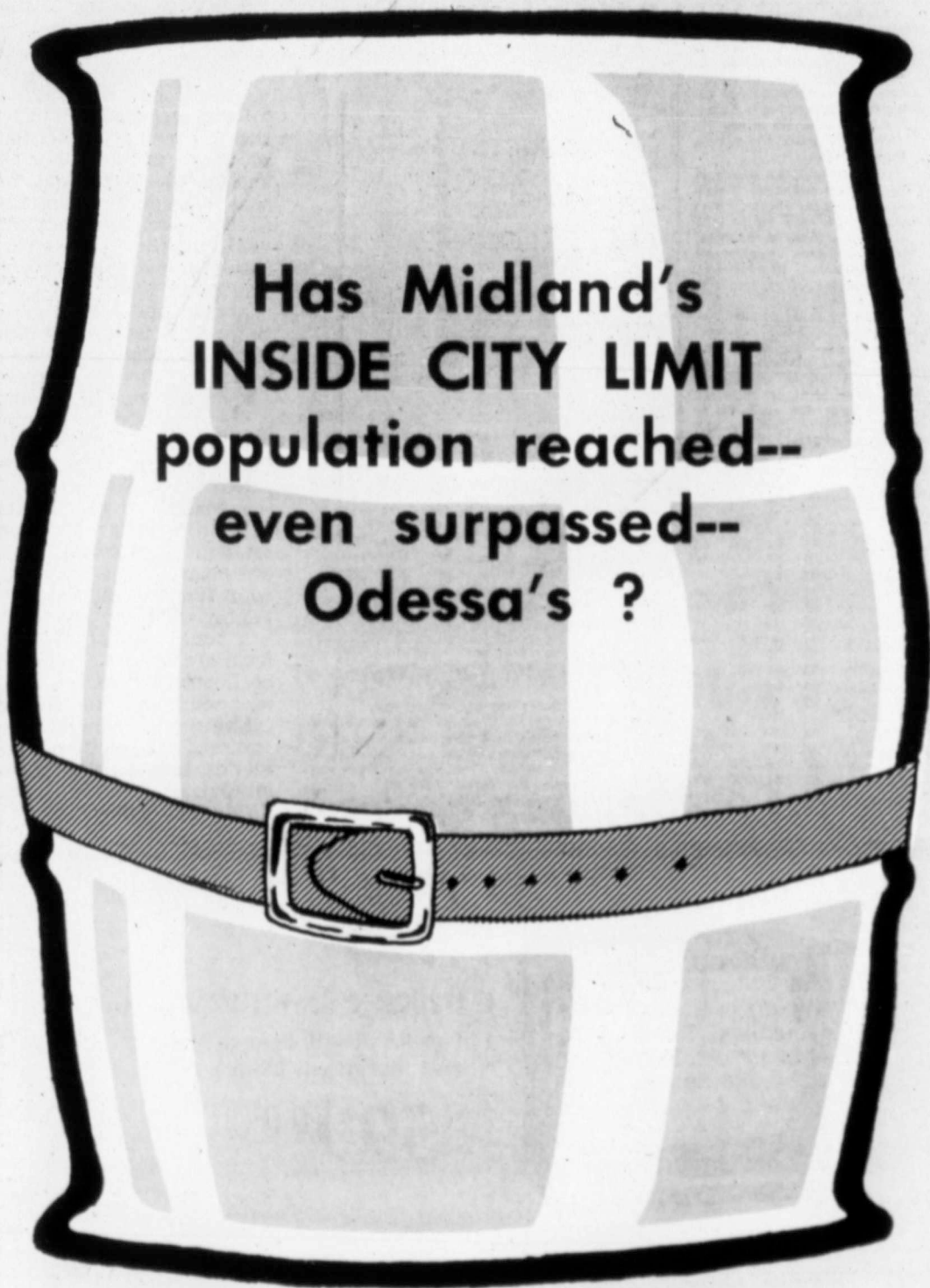
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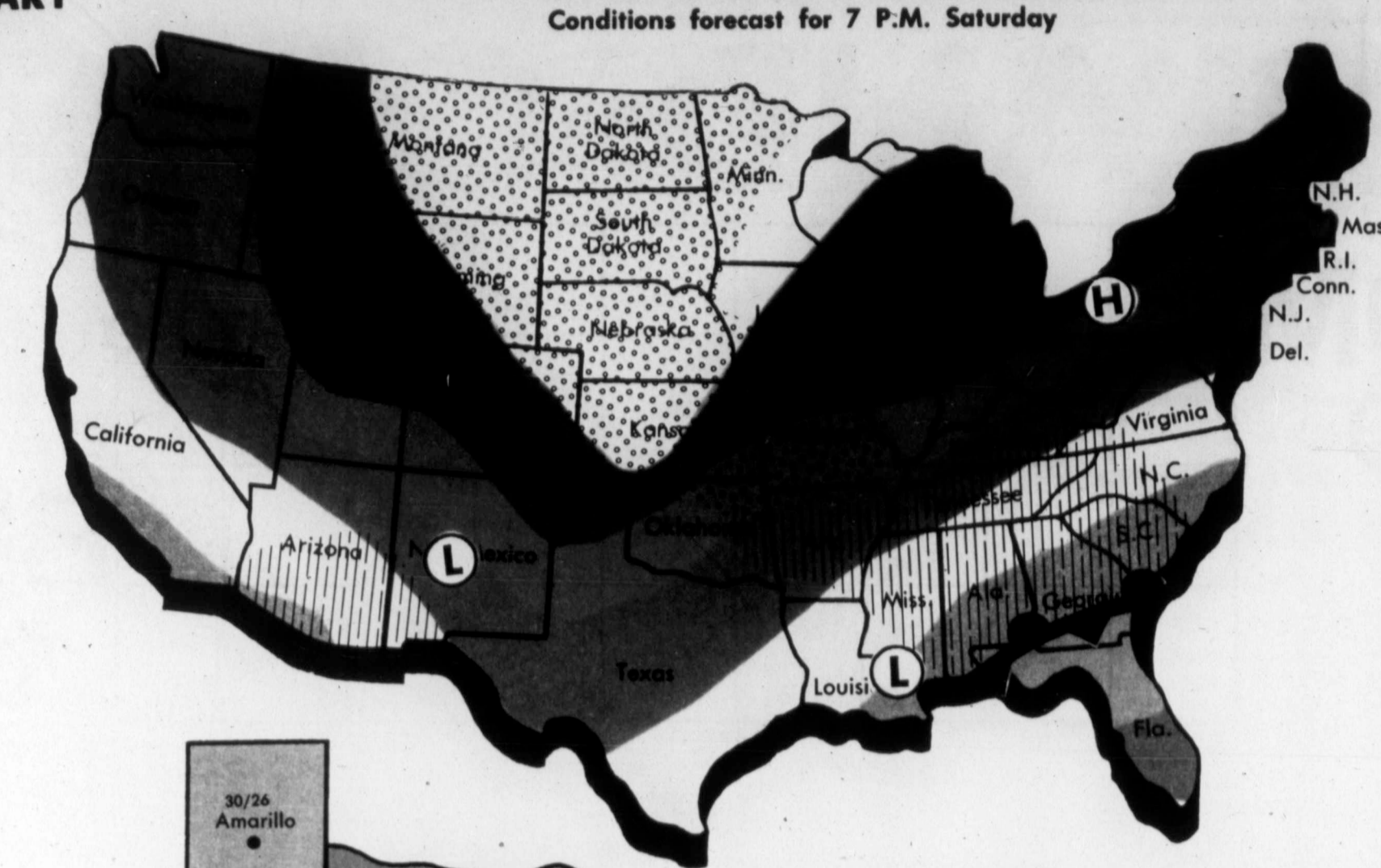
	10s		50s
	20s		60s
	30s		70s
	40s		80s

PRECIPITATION:

	Rain		Showers
	Snow		Flurries

FRONTS:

	Cold
	Warm
	Stationary
	Occluded



About foot of snow falls in Panhandle

Associated Press

About a foot of snow had accumulated in the Panhandle city of Amarillo and in nearby areas Friday night, making roads slick and packing them with snow while elsewhere in Texas conditions were much milder.

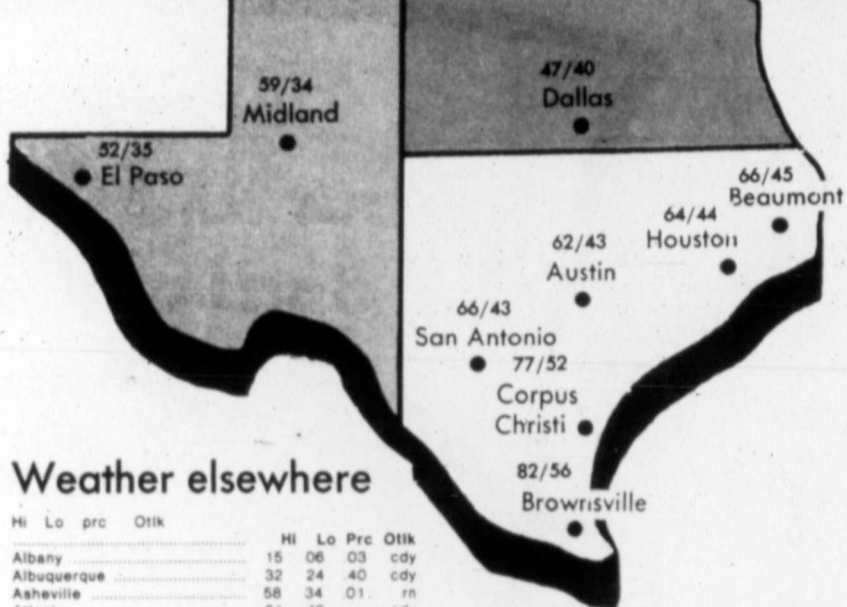
In other parts of the Panhandle, at least six inches of snow had fallen, and the National Weather Service issued a winter storm warning through Friday night.

Meteorologists said they expected an additional one or two inches of snow to fall during the night.

The weather service predicted the snow or freezing rain would taper off Friday night and Saturday in the Panhandle, but expected more snow to fall in North Texas while light rain or drizzle would fall in the south.

Officials predicted highs Saturday to reach only the 20s and 30s in the far north and in the 60s in the south.

Elsewhere, patches of rain were scattered over much of the western South Plains, while other light rain-showers dotted north Central and Northeast Texas.



Conditions forecast for 7 P.M. Saturday

In West Texas, becoming cloudy and cold through Sunday. Highs today mid 20s Panhandle to lower 40s Concho Valley and mid 50s Big Bend. Low tonight near 10 Panhandle to mid 30s Big Bend valleys. High Sunday mid 20s Panhandle to mid 40s Concho Valley and mid 50s Big Bend valleys.

In North Texas, rain ending today, cloudy and cold through Sunday. A slight chance of rain Sunday, possibly mixed with snow. Highs today 36 northwest to 51 southeast. Low tonight 27 northwest to 39 southeast. Highs Sunday 37 northwest to 50 southeast.

In South Texas, cloudy and colder today with occasional drizzle, a few showers Southeast Texas. Continued cloudy and cold tonight and Sunday with a chance of rain or drizzle. Highs today 40s northwest to the 60s extreme south. Low tonight 30s northwest to the upper 40s south. Highs Sunday 40s north to the mid 50s extreme south.

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppt
Amarillo	30	26	
Alice	50	80	
Alpine	28	58	
Amarillo	26	30	
Austin	43	62	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	45	66	
Beaumont	30	77	
Brownsville	56	82	
Bryan-College Station	41	61	
Childress	31	33	
Corpus Christi	52	77	
Dalhart	21	29	
Dallas	40	47	
Del Rio	46	74	
El Paso	35	52	
Fort Worth	36	46	
Galveston	55	61	
Hondo	42	67	
Houston	44	64	
Kingsville	51	79	
Laredo	54	83	
Longview	34	58	
Lubbock	33	36	
Lufkin	37	60	
Marfa	21	55	
McAllen	58	84	
Palacios	46	69	
Presidio	32	72	
San Angelo	38	67	
San Antonio	43	66	
Stephenville	37	46	
Texasarkana	41	51	
Victoria	48	72	
Waco	40	56	
Wichita Falls	33	37	
Wink	30	56	

Midland statistics

WEATHER FORECAST
Today: cloudy and colder with a low of 26 degrees this morning and a high near 40 degrees today. Possible snow flurries and northeasterly winds at five to 15 mph. Tonight and Sunday: cloudy and cold with possible snow flurries and northeasterly winds at five to 15 mph. Lows expected in the low to upper 20's and highs in the mid-30's.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS
Yesterday's high: 59 degrees
Overnight low: 34 degrees
Sunset today: 6:29 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow: 7:37 a.m.

Precipitation:
Last 24 hours: none inches
This month to date: 00.15 inches
1985 to date: 00.38 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 a.m.	50	6 p.m.	36
7 a.m.	53	7 p.m.	35
8 a.m.	48	8 p.m.	34
9 a.m.	45	9 p.m.	40
10 a.m.	44	10 p.m.	46
11 a.m.	44	11 p.m.	48
noon	43	midnight	54
1 p.m.	41	1 a.m.	56
2 p.m.	40	2 a.m.	57
3 p.m.	37	3 a.m.	58
4 p.m.	36	4 a.m.	57
5 p.m.	38	5 a.m.	56
6 a.m.		6 a.m.	51

County forecasts

Midland, Ector, Crane, Upton, Reagan, Glasscock, Andrews, Gaines, Howard, Martin, Borden and Dawson: Today, cloudy and colder with high near 40. Northeast wind 5 to 15 mph. Tonight and Sunday, cloudy and cold with snow flurries. Lows in upper 20s and highs in mid 30s.

Weather elsewhere

City	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otk
Albany	15	06	03	cdy
Albuquerque	32	24	40	cdy
Asheville	58	34	01	rn
Atlanta	61	40		cdy
Atlantic City	35	30	33	cdy
Baltimore	25	24	22	cdy
Bilings	21	10	02	cdy
Bismarck	13	07	02	cdy
Boston	33	21		clr
Boston	25	13		cdy
Buffalo	21	15	37	cdy
Charleston, S.C.	67	53		cdy
Charleston, W.V.	50	42	52	sn
Chicago	29	23	27	sn
Cleveland	34	28	34	cdy
Columbia, S.C.	68	46		cdy
Columbus, Oh.	37	32	32	cdy
Dayton	32	27	57	cdy
Denver	19	12	04	cdy
Detroit	26	21	50	cdy
Duluth	25	17		cdy
Evansville	39	36	01	sn
Flagstaff	35	02		sn
Grand Rapids	25	18	08	cdy
Great Falls	11	02		cdy
Hartford	21	12		cdy
Helena	24	03		cdy
Indianapolis	32	25	22	cdy
Jackson, Mo.	63	42		cdy
Kansas City	30	27	05	cdy
Las Vegas	51	32		cdy
Los Angeles	63	44		cdy
Louisville	39	39	14	cdy
Memphis	49	40		cdy
Milwaukee	27	25		cdy
Nashville	44	42		cdy
New Orleans	69	48		cdy
New York	24	19	25	cdy
Oklahoma City	35	26	35	cdy
Orlando	79	59		cdy
Philadelphia	25	22	65	cdy
Phoenix	56	37		cdy
Portland, Or.	49	26		clr
Providence	25	17	08	cdy
Raleigh	43	35	40	rn
Reno	36	19		clr
Richmond	34	30	40	cdy
Sacramento	55	35		cdy
St. Louis	33	31	01	cdy
Salt Lake City	34	23		cdy
San Diego	62	46		cdy
Seattle	47	35		cdy
Shreveport	56	36		cdy
Spokane	36	19		cdy
Syracuse	22	10	05	cdy
Tucson	55	31	19	cdy
Tucson	27	25	35	cdy
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Bulldogs edge Cooper in OT

From Staff Reports

ABILENE—Midland High came within a whisker of dropping out of first place in the District 4-5A basketball race on Friday, but a three-point play by Elvin Mackey with 13 seconds to go in overtime carried the Bulldogs to a 78-77 win over Abilene Cooper.

MHS remains in a tie on top of the district race with Midland Lee and Odessa Permian, both winners in district play Friday.

Mackey poured in 28 points to lead the way for the Bulldogs, all five MHS points in the extra period, while the big guns of Matt Sears, 20 points, and Anthony Deande, 13 points, helped carry the load.

"The Dogs were down by five with less than a minute to go in the extra period, but Mackey hit inside to cut the lead to two, and after a Cougar turnover, Mackey went low again with a basket to tie the score and was fouled.

The 64 post hit his free throw to give MHS the final margin of one point. A last second shot by Ter-

riance Bell missed the mark, as did a tip in attempt with three seconds on the clock.

MHS led by as many as 13 in the third quarter, but the Cougars figured out how to beat the Bulldog press and went ahead in the final period. Cooper led 73-71 when Sears sent the game into overtime with a sprawling, fall-away 15-footer with three seconds remaining.

Midland High (78): Matt Sears 8 4 4 20, Anthony Deande 4 5 2 13, Terry St. Peters 0 0 1 0, Elvin Mackey 11 6 3 28, Damon Thorpe 3 2 4 8, Earnest Jordan 3 1 9, Thomas Wilson 0 0 1 0, David Logan 0 0 1 0. Totals 29 20 17 78.

Abilene Cooper (77): Terrance Bell 8 3 4 19, Anthony Watkins 2 2 0 6, Lee Graves 1 0 4 2, John Kihberg 5 9 4 19, Ivory Carroll 3 2 3 6, Jay Estes 5 3 0 13, Byron James 2 2 2 6, Doug Starr 0 2 1 2, Scott Seamster 0 2 0 2. Totals 27 23 18 77.

Score by quarters: Midland High 21 14 20 18 8-77; Abilene Cooper 18 10 23 22 4-77.

Craig sets mark

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Justice Craig of Oklahoma State set a meet record Friday night in the 880-yard run during the first day of the Daily Oklahoman Track Classic at the Myriad.

The Franchise

The New York Knicks hoped that's what Pat Ewing would become when they made him the No. 1 pick in the NBA draft last spring, but he has a long way to go to match these other No. 1 picks.

Player's effect, in number of additional wins

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, Milwaukee Bucks	29
Elvin Hayes, San Diego Rockets	22
Akeem Olatuwon, Houston Rockets	19
Doug Collins, Philadelphia 76ers	16
Joe Barry Carroll, Golden State Warriors	15
Ralph Sampson, Houston Rockets	15
Kent Benson, Milwaukee Bucks	14
Bob Lanier, Detroit Pistons	14
Mark Aguirre, Dallas Mavericks	13
Earvin Johnson, Los Angeles Lakers	13

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MHS, Abilene in cage playoff

By BOB BRUNDAGE
Sports Writer

The race for the last District 4-5A girls basketball playoff berth has yet to be finished as the Midland High Bulldogs and Abilene Eagles crossed the finish line in a tie for second place.

Both teams closed the regular season Friday night with victories. The Bulldogs pounded out a 71-29 win over Abilene Cooper while the Eagles knocked off league champion and previously unbeaten Midland Lee 72-66.

With the final games in, Lee wins the district at 13-1, finishing one game short of an elusive first, an unbeaten 4-5A girls season. Midland and Abilene tied for second at 11-3 and will play each other Monday night at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum in Big Spring for the final league playoff berth.

"We're very evenly matched teams," said MHS coach Jane Young about Abilene. "We beat them by one point once and they beat us by one point. My kids are glad to be

here, we're all glad to be here."

To get where Midland High is now, tied for second, took about 12 minutes Friday. After trailing by two to 34, the Bulldogs ripped off 22 unanswered points in the first two quarters for a 28-8 advantage.

MHS carried a 31-10 lead into half-time, owning more points with two quarters played than Cooper would score in the entire game.

The Bulldogs came up with solid play on several fronts. The Bulldogs hit 48 percent of their field goal attempts, led by Sebronia Finch with an 8-of-12 performance for 18 points and followed by Brenda Rodriguez with 14, Amy Cummings with 12 and Laura Martin with 11.

Midland High also dominated the boards, outrebounding Cooper 34-25 with Cummings hauling in six boards.

But, overall, the real difference in the game came from the Bulldogs' press defense and a one-sided 27-8 ratio.

Please see GIRLS, Page 2B.

Andrews wins over Lake View to go 27-2

ANDREWS— Andrews defeated Lake View, 78-52, as Doodle Woods led the way with 21 points to give the Mustangs a 27-2 District 2-4A record.

Jeff McGeath led Lake View with 14 points. Andrews has a 12-2 district record with two games to go and has clinched a spot in the Class 4A playoffs. Tuesday Andrews travels to Snyder for a league game. Andrews two losses in district came at the hands of Lamesa, the first place team in 2-4A.

In JV action, Andrews made it a sweep with a 78-66 win.

Lake View (52): Jeff McGeath 7 0 14, Tom Lisbery 3 6 12.

Andrews (78): Doodle Woods 10-12, Bernard Williams 6-2-14, Danny Neighbors 3-6-12.

Score by periods: Andrews 18 22 19 19-78; Lake View 11 12 15 14-52.

Lee fires 343 in Odessa golf

From Staff Reports

ODESSA— Midland Lee shot a team score of 343 and Midland High had a 363 in the first round of the Odessa Invitational Golf Tournament at Odessa Country Club as high winds and cold weather caused scores to sky rocket.

Larry Bryan led Coach David Browning's Rebels with a 77 while Bobby Gee fired an 82, Donnie Feagan 93, Mike Abbot 91 and Derek Brown 108.

For Coach John Ford's Bulldogs, sophomore David Wilson led the way with an 83, followed by Wade Sales, 90; Mike Pettis, 92; Mike Johnson, 95; and Carl Brown, 97.

"We were shooting pretty good golf that first nine," said Ford, "but then the wind blew in and our scores went up."

UT rained out

CORAL GABLES, Fla. (AP) — The rematch of the final game of last year's College World Series will have to wait another day, as rains washed out Friday's contest between defending national champion Miami and runner-up Texas.



Slender Leader

Defending champion, Patty Sheehan watches her drive on No. 17 during second round action in the LPGA Sarasota. Sheehan leads the way with a seven-under 137. Story on Page 4B.

Cards eye Big Apple

Associated Press

NEW YORK (AP) — The St. Louis Cardinals of the National Football League, unhappy with the revenue generated by undersized Busch Memorial Stadium, have entertained offers to move the club to New York City, according to a published report.

The Cardinals general counsel, Thomas J. Guilfoil, told The New

York Times Friday that Cardinals owner William Bidwill "began to listen to people who were interested in bringing a team to New York City" because "of the stadium situation in St. Louis."

New York was left without a football team when the Jets moved to East Rutherford, N.J., home of the football Giants, for the 1984-85 season. The Giants moved to New Jersey in 1976.

Guilfoil said he believed that NFL bylaws regulating franchise movement had been invalidated by the courts when Al Davis moved the Raiders from Oakland.

Busch Memorial Stadium holds 51,392 for football, making it one of the smallest stadiums in the NFL. The Astrodome in Houston holds 50,495. There have been discussions regarding a new stadium in suburban St. Louis.



TED BATTLES

Rescuing the old ball parks

Back in the days of Ebbets, Braves, Crosley, Forbes fields; the Polo Grounds; Griffith Stadium; Shibe, Sportsmens, League parks; or Baker Bowl debates raged as much over the arenas in which they played as the respective abilities of the Bobby Doerr-Joe Gordons, Ted Williams-Joe DiMaggios, Willie Mays-Duke Sniders-Mickey Mantles in question.

Any advantage in statistics were discounted by the debater trying to alibi his star's shortcomings by the nature of the ball park.

"What would DiMaggio hit if he had that wall in Boston as a target?"

"Can you picture how many homers Williams would have if he had the right field porch in Yankee Stadium to aim at?"

"Hey, put either one of those bums in spacious Forbes Field and they'd get lost in the dugout. Neither one of 'em could beat out those line-drive hitting Waners."

The heated discussion usually wound up with the wishful, but far-fetched, never-to-be-realized thought that "wouldn't it be great if all ball parks were the same and no one had any home field advantages."

NOW, THAT it has happened, we have something called Nostalgia for old ball parks. People who remember, realize that sometimes they went to a ball park as much for some physical idiosyn-

crasy neuro described on the radio as the game itself.

Fenway, Wrigley, Tiger Stadium, and Comiskey are still around, but nowadays the most interesting ball parks are in the minor leagues.

When Dan Murphy joined the Midland Angels last season, mention was made that I had seen him the year he played for the Rangers at Asheville, N.C., one of the minors oldest and most picturesque ball fields, and he was on his way to the league's MVP.

Murphy made an instant fan when it was suggested the storied old park was a nostalgic buff's delight, but with its old plumbing, slow-drips showers and a grandstand that showed every one of its 80 years, players who had to play there every day might not feel the same way.

"No way," said Dan, "It's still my favorite ball park. I loved it." Of course, winning MVP may have colored his judgement.

Jim Prince, the old Midland ball player who played at Asheville during its middle aged years, had fond memories of the park built into the side of a hill.

"It didn't have any fences in the outfield in those days," recalled Prince of his time in the pre-WW II Piedmont League, "but it was always a treat to play at Asheville, up in the cool mountain air, after all those hot cities closer to the coast."

are gone, but Carl Schoen of Sulphur Springs, Mo., has been preserving their memory by reconstructing models of the old fields. He began in 1961 and now has 40 old parks in his collection.

Constructing the stadiums is the easy part. The research takes the time, sometimes a year of research, research that sometimes takes him to the Library of Congress.

It took him 30 days, working five to six hours a day to reconstruct Shibe Park.

He recently completed a model of Baker Bowl, home of the Phillies back in their days of abject futility before they moved to Shibe Park.

It's one of the parks, along with Crosley and League, that I never got to see, but the stories of the dents in the tin right field wall are legendary.

Outfielders complained about how difficult it was to play a carom off the barrier.

Once we encountered an outfielder who sure enough had played right field in Baker Bowl, Herschel Martin, who played for the Phillies and then the Yankees during the war years.

What was it like, playing a ball off the wall at Baker?

"It wasn't the balls that came off that old, beat up sheet of metal that were so bad," he said, "It was the balls that went through it that were the problem."

Ted Battles is the Sports Editor for the Midland Reporter-Telegram.

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any organized political party. I'm a Democrat."

TV Sports...

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NC-Charlotte-Western Kentucky, 8 p.m., ESPN.
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Frank Layden, Utah Jazz coach, "Utah is largely a Republican state, but I'm not a member of

Trivia Teaser...

An easy one today...The conference to which these nicknames belong and the college they represent...Bruins, Bears, Cougars, Wildcats, Webfoots?

Friday's answer: Southeastern Conference and the teams to go with the nicknames: Kentucky Wildcats, LSU Tigers, Auburn Tigers, Georgia Bulldogs, Mississippi State Bulldogs.

THE OLD major league ball parks, most of 'em

Scratchpad

Basketball

The refusal by Rick Bay, Ohio State's AD, to give coach Eldon Miller a multiyear contract led to Miller losing his job on Monday.

The Lakers' Kareem Abdul-Jabbar was picked as the best player in NBA history by a panel of 60 experts.

UT-San Antonio coach Don Eddy resigned and Larry Gatewood, assistant coach, was appointed interim coach.

Hockey

Edmonton Oilers center Wayne Gretzky, who scored 12 goals and added 31 assists last month, is NHL Player for January.

Toronto Maple Leafs left wing Steve Thomas, who scored eight goals and added 11 assists

in 15 games last month, was named NHL Rookie of January...

Football

The New York Jets will not be returning to the city from the New Jersey Meadowlands, as rumored. The Jets moved out in 1983, joining the Giants in New Jersey.

Baseball

The Palm Springs Angels and Ventura will field teams in the Class A California League's. The 10 teams will play a 142-game, split-season schedule.

McMullen, has moved to Ventura, which was a Cal League city for three years in the late 1940s...

Skiing

The weather-plagued World Cup season produced one of its most exciting downhill races of the year Friday when 27-year-old Anton Steiner of Austria won the first ski race of his career in 1:36.85 at Morzine, France.

Boxing

Cruiserweight Francis Sargent of Peoria, Ill., agreed to a six-month suspension of his Illinois boxing license after an investigation of his since-retracted "thrown fight" statement.

Johnson worked Magic on Hawk

By WILLIAM R. BARNARD AP Basketball Writer

Atlanta point guard Glenn Rivers says some off-season pointers he got from the Lakers' Magic Johnson helped make Dominique Wilkins an All-Star forward this year.

"I wanted to know how come James Worthy always seemed to take good shots," Rivers said. "What Magic said is that he takes responsibility when Worthy takes a bad shot. He said, 'James would take the shot if he had the ball, but I won't let him have it unless he's in a good spot to shoot it.'"

In Wilkins' first 19 games, when Rivers was injured, Wilkins hit 42.9 percent of his shots. After Rivers rejoined the team, Wilkins made 51 percent of his shots in his next 26 games and made the All-Star team as the NBA's third-leading scorer.

"You don't give 'Nique the ball 40 feet from the basket," Rivers said. "When he has it out there, the temptation is to spin and work to get free and a lot of times he winds up taking a long shot and is off-balance. But if he moves without the ball and I hit him 15 feet from the basket, then he can score."

NBA Notes

and scored 36 and 30 points, respectively.

SEATTLE SuperSonics Coach Bernie Bickerstaff says his team is the unluckiest he's seen in 13 years in pro coaching, and it's not hard to figure out why.

The Sonics are 0-6 in games decided by three points or less and 23 of their 32 losses have been by seven points or less. Despite a 17-30 record, Seattle has scored only five fewer points than it's allowed.

"We try to upset teams' offensive flow and take them out of their offensive sets," Bickerstaff said of the Seattle defense, which is allowing 102.2 points per game. "I think the key to defense is cutting off the passing lanes."

Asked if he thought the close defeats were more of a mental problem than a physical one, Bickerstaff said, "Winning close games is part of a positive thought process. We're basically a young team that needs maturity."

Sports Scoreboard

NBA

Table with columns: Conference, Division, Team, W, L, Pct, GB. Includes Eastern Conference Atlantic and Central Divisions, Western Conference Midwest and Pacific Divisions, and Thursday's Games.

San Diego Golf

Table with columns: Player, Score, Par. Lists scores for various players in the second round of the \$450,000 Shearson Lehman Bros. Open.



Hard Check

Paul Gagne of the Jersey Devils is checked by Edmonton's Steve Smith (5) in NHL action.

NHL

Table with columns: Conference, Division, Team, W, L, T, Pts, GF, GA. Includes Wales Conference and Patrick Division.

Sarasota LPGA Golf

Table with columns: Player, Score, Par. Lists scores for various players in the second round of the \$200,000 Sarasota Classic.

Sports Briefs

Madison, Wis. (AP) - Medical tests of a woman who said she was sexually assaulted by three University of Minnesota basketball players showed gonorrhea present, according to documents filed Friday in Dane County Circuit Court.

Transactions

BASEBALL: BOSTON RED SOX-Signed Steve Crawford, pitcher, Dave Stapleton, infielder, and Todd Beninger, outfielder.

Sunland

SUNLAND PARK, N.M. (AP) - The results of Friday's horse racing at Sunland Park racetrack.

Basketball

Warner Southern 83, Heritage 78; Winston-Salem 77, Livingston 78; Black Hills 78, Sioux Falls 69; Central 59, William Penn 48.

BYU suspends nine gridgers

PROVO, Utah - Nine members of the Brigham Young University football team have been suspended for allegedly drinking beer at a Florida Citrus Bowl party in Orlando, Fla., last December, school officials say.

Rozelle works on drug plan

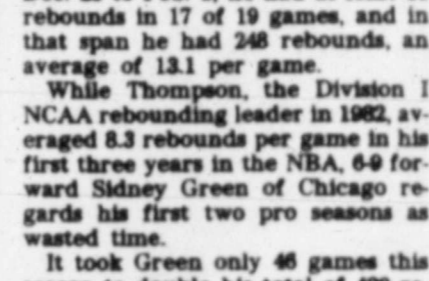
NEW YORK - Pete Rozelle, NFL commissioner, is working out details of a comprehensive drug plan that would go beyond the limited testing included in the current collective bargaining.

Paul Hackett joins Cowboys

IRVING - Paul Hackett, who in the last three years directed one of the NFL's most productive passing attacks in San Francisco, has been hired by the Dallas Cowboys as pass offense coordinator.

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There are some new faces among the rebounding leaders in the NBA this season. Six-foot-11 center LaSalle Thompson of Sacramento has put together an impressive streak in recent weeks, vaulting to eighth in the league with an average of 10.0.

THE PORTLAND Trail Blazers set an NBA season high for shooting percentage and points by hitting 62 of 89 shots in a 156-121 victory over Golden State Saturday night.

LEE (Continued from Page 1B) "I was really worried after that, I thought it was an omen," Stueckler said. "Sometimes when things aren't going well, something like that can really hurt you."

Lee junior varsity pushed their undefeated district mark to 13-0 with a 77-57 win over AHS.

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Table listing computer hardware and software products with prices. Includes Printers, Software, Monitors, and Storage.

Mize's birdie good for TPA lead

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Larry Mize birdied his final hole for a 68 that lifted him into sole possession of the second-round lead Friday in the \$450,000 Shearson Lehman Bros.-Andy Williams Open Golf Tournament.

The last-hole birdie put him one stroke in front of Danny Edwards and Bob Tway, tied at 136 at the tournament halfway point. Edwards had a 69, also on the South course, and Tway 68 on the North.

"I got a little break in the weather," said Mize, the first man off the tee on Torrey Pines' South course. "I got through most of the holes before the wind kicked up too much. A definite break," he said after compiling a 36-hole total of 134, 10 under par.

Mize, whose only victory came in the 1983 Memphis Open, was one of six tied for the first-round lead, but solved that tangle with a 2-putt birdie-4 on the 18th hole.

"A pretty solid round. I was pleased to get out of it with a 68," he said after his effort on Torrey Pines' South course, the longer and more difficult of the two layouts used for the first two rounds of this event.

Tony Sills, who scored his career-high finishes with a second and third in his last two starts, led a large group at 136, eight under par. Sills' 66 on the South included a



Larry Mize fires 68 to take stroke lead in Williams golf.

Williams Golf

monster putt of "at least 100 feet — all the way across the green," Sills said. And it marked his 14th consecutive round at par or better.

"I'm playing real solid. Everything is going good. I'm putting well, keeping the ball in play. And when I make a mistake, it's not a big mistake," Sill said.

He was tied with Masters champion Bernhard Langer of West Germany, John Cook, Bob Eastwood, Paul Azinger, Mark Wiebe, Brian Mogg and Rick Fehr. Eastwood had a 66,

Fehr 69, Azinger 69 and Wiebe 70, all on the South course, while Langer and Cook shot 66s and Mogg 69 on the North.

Tom Watson, a five-time British Open champion attempting to play his way out of a lengthy slump, finished birdie-birdie for a 69 that left him at 138, ... off the pace and very much in contention for his third victory in this event.

Mize, now in his fifth season on the PGA Tour, scored three of his five birdies with 20-foot putts, made it from 10 feet on the first and 2-putted for the go-ahead margin from 20 feet on the last.

308-pound back rare, but wait'll they see Spud

By ED SHEARER
AP Sports Writer

ATLANTA (AP) — If you think a 308-pound running back scoring a touchdown in the Super Bowl is unusual, just wait until Spud Webb shows up for the National Basketball Association's slam dunk competition in Dallas today.

Dominique Wilkins of the Atlanta Hawks will be there trying to defend his title with a series of spectacular slams, but he won't come close to being the crowd's favorite.

Webb, a 5-foot-7 rookie with the Hawks, sewed up that role as soon as the list of eight competitors was announced for one of the sideshows the NBA holds in conjunction with its annual All-Star game, which will be staged in the same Reunion Arena Sunday afternoon.

Webb's size will be the main reason the crowd should be on his side. He's the shortest player in the league this year and one of the smallest in the history of the NBA.

Not many people Webb's size can touch the rim which is 10 feet above the floor, but, thanks to a 42-inch vertical leap, this 5-7 person can dunk a basketball.

"I'm very excited about it," Webb said. "I just want to try to compete, try to go out and win. It's a competition type thing."

WEBB HAS been in competition a

Slam Dunk

long time, proving there is a spot for the little man in a sport dominated by men a foot or more taller. He played high school and junior college ball at Midland in his home state of Texas and then spent two seasons in the Atlantic Coast Conference at North Carolina State.

Webb decided to go for a pro career, and, after being cut by the Detroit Pistons, landed a spot on Atlanta's roster as a free agent. He's been averaging about six points and three assists per game.

"The six to 10 minutes I play each game is great," Webb said. "Some rookies don't even get to play and I get to play every night out. I've just been enjoying it. I'm glad to be a part of the team."

WEBB HAS become a fan's delight throughout the NBA. He recently drew a loud ovation in Boston, where fans tend to show such favoritism only for their beloved Celtics.

"When you get an ovation in Boston, it's great," Webb said. "I've heard not many (visiting) players get an ovation there."

Webb knows his size is the reason he's become such a favorite around the league, but he's tired of talking about it.

"I don't ever think about size, but everybody talks about it," he said. "I hear it every day. I hear it all the time. I hear it too much. I just go out and do the things I do."

"It's going to be fun," Wilkins said of the upcoming slam dunk competition. "He'll (Webb) have a lot of people behind him. Nobody ever sees a guy that little in a contest like that."

THE FIELD will also include Roy Hinson of Cleveland, Jerome Kersey of Portland, Paul Pressey of Milwaukee, Terence Stansbury of Indiana, Terry Tyler of Sacramento and Wilkins' younger brother, Gerald of New York, who replaces the injured Orlando Woolridge of Chicago. Pressey and Stansbury are the closest players in the field to Webb in size, and both of them are 10 inches taller.

The five judges will score the contest similar to diving and gymnastics, with the difficulty factor playing a role, so that should help Webb.

Jim Valvano, who coached Webb at North Carolina State, already has his mind made up about the outcome.

"Everybody said he wouldn't make his high school team and he did," Valvano said. "They said he was too small to play college ball, and he did. Then they said there was no way he could play pro ball, but he did."

"So, I predict that he will win the slam dunk competition."

Owens crosses up Seniors with 7-under 65 round

FORT PIERCE, Fla. (AP) — Charlie Owens, who plays golf cross-handed, shot a 7-under-par 65 Friday to take the first-round lead in the \$225,000 Treasure Coast Classic at the Tournament Players Club at Monte Carlo.

Owens holed out a 40-yard wedge shot for an eagle and made five birdies to take a one-stroke lead over Paul Harney and South African Harold Henning. Walter Zembriski, a rookie on the Professional Golfers' Association Senior Tour, is alone at 67 in the first regular event of the 1986 schedule.

Owens, Harney and Zembriski

played in the morning before afternoon winds made the 6,650-yard course play longer. Henning was the only player with a late starting time to make a run at Owens.

Defending champion Miller Barber had a 73 in the afternoon, but he noted that his score was three strokes lower than his opening round last year.

Owens, 56, had his left leg fused at the knee about 20 years ago after injuring it in a parachute accident. He hits all his shots cross-handed because that's the way he learned to play the game as the son of greenskeeper in Winter Haven, Fla.

Patty Sheehan flies on eagle ignited 69

SARASOTA, Fla. (AP) — Defending champion Patty Sheehan, ignited by an eagle that turned her performance around, shot a 3-under-par 69 Friday that gave her a one-stroke lead over Stephanie Farwig after two rounds of the \$200,000 LPGA Sarasota Classic.

Sheehan's 36-hole total of 7-under-par 137 on the par 72, 6,124-yard Bent Tree Country Club course left her ahead of Farwig, who stalked the leader with a 68 that featured five birdies and one bogey.

Allison Finney, who like Farwig is chasing her first victory as a professional, also closed in on Sheehan, the 14-time tour winner who's hopeful of becoming the first two-time champion in the 11-year history of this event.

Finney emerged from a pack that shot first-day 71s to post a 68 for a two-day total of 139. That left her two shots behind Sheehan and two ahead of Patti Rizzo, Barb Thomas and Jane Geddes.

Geddes carded a 66, the low score of the day, while Rizzo and Thomas both shot 70 after opening-round 71s to stand at 141 midway through the race for Sunday's \$30,000 first-place check.

Amy Benz, Rosie Jones and Lori

Sarasota Golf

Gardacz followed at 142. Pat Bradley, Becky Pearson, Kim Shipman, Lisa Young and Val Skinner were all six shots off Sheehan's pace at 143.

Sheehan, playing the backside of the course first, started the day with a two-stroke lead over Farwig. She bogeyed No. 12 — her third hole of the day — to slip to 3-under-par but turned things around with her eagle on the par 4, 336-yard 16th.

The veteran of seven LPGA seasons drove her tee shot to within 98 yards of the pin and used a pitching wedge to cover the rest of the distance. She said the shot hit one foot left of the cup, bounced three feet past and spun back.

"I was as surprised as anybody that it went in," said Sheehan. "But I knew when I hit it that it would be close."

Sheehan also sank birdie putts of 12 feet on No. 17 and 18 feet on the par 4, 340-yard eighth to head into the clubhouse early in the afternoon with what appeared to be a comfortable advantage.

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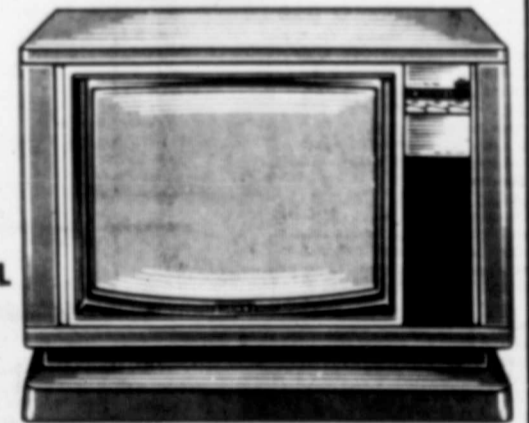
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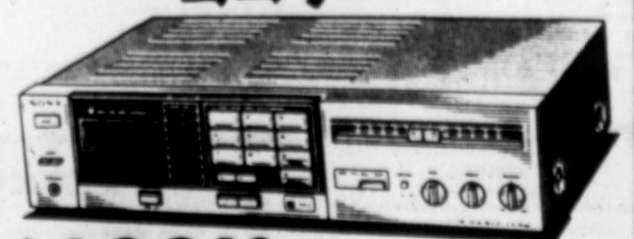
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West Texas Sports

Baseball

A Special Valentine Breakfast is scheduled Tuesday morning at the Holiday Center in Odessa, coffee at 6:30 a.m. and breakfast at 7 a.m. Texas Rangers manager Bobby Valentine and Mark Holtz will be on hand to talk about the baseball season. The general public is invited. Tickets are \$6.50 at the door...

Racing

Truck Racing comes to Twin Cities Speedway at 2:30 p.m. today in a feature competition between diesel tractors over the 1/4-mile oval and Brr Robinson will attempt to jump six cars with a Kenworth diesel tractor. The event features 21-year-old Shawna Robinson, who is the only woman who races trucks in the nation. Four local drivers will be invited to race in the event and trucks will be provided for them. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children, six through 12.

Baseball

The Midland Baseball Camp, supported by the Parks & Recreation Dept., will offer instruction for boys and girls. A one-day camp for tee-ball players, 5-7, will be held March 1-2; the Little League camp, 8 to 12, will be March 8-9. Tuition fee for each camp \$28 with a \$5 deposit required with the preregistration form. A late registration of \$30 will be taken the day of the camp. Registration is from 8 to 9 a.m. at Ulmer Park. Instruction begins at 9 a.m. with an hour lunch break. Lunches will be provided.

The coaching staff includes Jim Basilone, Steve Burke, Tim Basilone and Eddie Portillo. For information call 683 4281. Registration forms are available at the P&R Dept. or area athletic stores.

Soccer

The West Texas Soccer Referees Association will sponsor a Basic Referee Clinic for all interested. The clinic starts 6:30 p.m. Feb. 20 in Room 208 of Western Bank and will continue Friday evening and all day Saturday, and Sunday afternoon at Texas American Bank's Community room. Registration fee is \$30 for those wishing to become certified. For information call David Stall 683 5101 (work) or 684 0222 (home).

The Permian Basin Soccer Association Coed Division begins its spring season March 2 and ends April 27. Deadline for team entries is Feb. 16. The Coed division is open to all men and women over 18 years of age, regardless of skill level or experience. Contact Dave Stall (684 0222 home or 683 5671 work).

Basketball

Meadowlark Lemon and the Shooting Stars will perform at Midland's Chaparral Center on Feb. 17. The touring troupe is

making the Tall City its first Texas stop on a five-city tour.

The former Harlem Globetrotter leads a group of comedians including Larry "Gator" Rivers and Jerry "Love Bug" Venable. Tickets are available at Endless Horizons and Chaparral Center box office for \$8.50, \$7.50 and \$6.50 and \$5.50 for children under 12.

Softball

The Midland Softball Association's organizational meeting and team sign-up for the 1986 Spring/Summer leagues at 6:30 p.m., Feb. 26, at the Midland Center, Main and Wall.

Sign-up is for women, men and coed teams. The 1986 sponsor fee will be \$350 for a 21-game schedule. This is \$25 less than the 1985 Spring/Summer fee. Player fee remains at \$15 for each team member. Feb. 26 is the cutoff date for registration of Sponsor/Team sign-up, unless previous arrangements have been made with the MSA.

Early registrations can be mailed to MSA, P.O. Box 2862, Midland, 79702, or by contacting Karl Reagan at 684-8386 after 6 p.m. All player registration fees must be paid by March 31.

Ballots will be distributed at the meeting for the election of 1986 officers and team roster registration forms will be available.

Marathon

The Marathon of the Great Southwest is scheduled for March 15 in Abilene and will offer 5000 meter, half marathon and marathon races. Contact Mike Osborn, Abilene YMCA, Box 3137, Abilene (677 8144).

Tennis

A monthly tournament for boys and girls will be held by the City Parks & Recreation Dept. in divisions from kindergarten through high school. Matches will begin 8 a.m. Saturdays at the Midlander. Entry fee is \$5 per person. Contact Barry Stephens 682 0613 or 686 7755.

The recreation division of the P&R is seeking used racquets for youngsters interested taking up the sport. The Midland Junior Tennis Association is promoting the program for Midland youth. For information 683 4281.

The Midlander will host a girls and boys A&B singles tournament at 8 a.m. Feb. 22. Entry fee is \$5 and entry deadline is Feb. 20. To sign up, call Barry Stephens at 682-0613, or drop by the Midlander pro shop. Trophies will be given for winners and runners-up.

Bowling

A Sweetheart Doubles Tournament will be held Feb. 14 at 11 p.m., at Dellwood Lanes. Nine pins down will count as a strike, no tap. The handicap will be 85 percent of average, as of Feb. 7, 200 base. Entry fee is \$18 a couple. For information call 687 7871.

Bears-Eagles made for prime time

By RALPH BERNSTEIN

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The heated verbal exchange between Chicago Bears Coach Mike Ditka and his former assistant, new Philadelphia Eagles Coach Buddy Ryan, could make next season's Bears-Eagles game a candidate for Monday night television.

The Eagles haven't been on Monday night TV since 1981, but battle of words between the two men who led the Bears to their Super Bowl vic-

tory gives the Bears-Eagles matchup in Chicago added attraction.

Val Pinchbeck, director of broadcast for the National Football League, said Friday the Ditka-Ryan feud would give such a game a built in story line and enhance its chance for national TV exposure.

"It certainly goes into your thinking," Pinchbeck said.

Pinchbeck cautioned, however, that "basically the priority for the 21 prime time games is how the teams finished the previous year."

While the Bears are NFL champs, the Eagles finished at 7-9, fourth in their division.

"But there are some exceptions," Pinchbeck said.

"For example, a Houston-Dallas battle for the championship of the state of Texas or some player or coach angle."

If the Bears-Eagles were not considered for a Monday night game, it might get additional regional or national coverage on a Sunday, Pinch-

beck noted.

Ditka criticized Ryan, whose defense led the NFL and powered the Bears to an 18-1 record, in an interview with The Associated Press Thursday.

"I'm not happy he's gone — I'm grieved," Ditka said. "Never again in history will an assistant coach get as much credit as Buddy did. I handled it well. It will be interesting to see how he handles it now that he's the head coach."

Mariners' Bradley scales arbitration barrier

Associated Press

Outfielder Phil Bradley of the Seattle Mariners, the eighth-best hitter in the American League last year, became the first major-league player to win his salary arbitration case Friday, earning an increase of nearly \$350,000.

Bradley, who batted .300 with 26 home runs, 88 runs batted in, 100 runs scored and 33 doubles in 1985, in his second full season in the majors, was asking for \$475,000 after earning \$126,370 last season. The Mariners had offered \$375,000.

It was the second straight year that Bradley had hit .300 or better — his 1984 average was .301, but

Baseball

he failed to hit a home run and knocked in only 24 runs.

The Mariners' remaining arbitration cases involve pitcher Mike Moore, catcher Bob Kearney and pitcher Mark Langston.

Earlier this week, his teammate, first baseman Alvin Davis, the 1984 AL Rookie of the Year, along with outfielder Kevin McReynolds of the San Diego Padres and catcher Alan Knicely of the Philadelphia Phillies had lost their arbitration cases.

Georgia lawsuit trial headed for arguments

ATLANTA (AP) — A "student who wasn't there" was the dominant figure in federal court Friday as attorneys in the trial of a lawsuit against the University of Georgia tried to discredit each other's witnesses in final rebuttal testimony.

Final arguments are scheduled for Monday morning, and U.S. District Judge Horace Ward said the five-week-old case should go to the jury Monday afternoon.

Jan Kemp, a former assistant professor of English in the university's Developmental Studies program,

claims she lost her job for protesting special treatment given to athletes. She is seeking reinstatement, back pay and an unspecified amount of damages.

She is suing program director Leroy Ervin and Vice President for Academic Affairs Virginia Trotter, who say Kemp was fired for insubordination and failing to conduct adequate scholarly research.

The "student who wasn't there" came up as defense attorneys challenged Kemp's testimony about a student she identified as Alphonso

Davis.

She had testified that he was sent to her by William Deal, formerly reading coordinator in Developmental Studies, because he was too busy researching and writing a book to help.

In rebuttal, Deal testified that the incident never took place, that he had never had a student by that name or with any similar name, and that he never sent any student to Kemp.

Associate Registrar William Marshall testified that a computer

search of university records from 1970 to the present failed to turn up any record of any such student.

Kemp's attorneys, however, hinted that the "student" was the boyfriend of one of Deal's students, who was sitting in on a class with the girl and had gone to Kemp with a fabricated story to get help.

Deal also testified that a textbook Kemp told the jury she was writing was more a workbook than a textbook. He said it contained more exercise material and less instructional material than a textbook.

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WASHINGTON (AP) — The General Dynamics Corp. has regained the right to obtain military contracts and, in an unusual agreement, was assured the Defense Department will not impose any further contract suspensions for past misconduct, a top Navy official said Friday. The unprecedented agreement is based on the extent of management improvements made over the past year by General Dynamics and the company's agreement to set aside a \$50 million escrow account to cover potential liabilities resulting from its recent fraud indictment and other ongoing investigations, said Everett Pyatt, the assistant Navy secretary for shipbuilding and logistics. Pyatt disclosed that General Dynamics is facing at least three federal grand jury investigations and "10 to 15" separate Defense Department probes. Despite that, the Navy has agreed that in the event those probes of past activities result in any indictments, the company will retain its right to receive Pentagon contracts, Pyatt said. The agreement will not shield the company from court actions or prevent any judge or jury from imposing fines or other penalties. Nor will the Navy or any other military service be precluded from collecting refunds for any past mischarges. And should any other misconduct be found to have occurred after Friday — or in the event the Pentagon discovers that General Dynamics is not living up to other parts of the new agreement — the firm will once again face contract suspensions or other discipline. Pyatt said the agreement has been cleared with Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger, and he defended the pact during an often contentious briefing with reporters.

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Lowe loathes critics' label of 'Brat Pack'

CULVER CITY, Calif. (AP) — Mention "The Brat Pack" to Rob Lowe, and his boyishly beautiful face turns sour. "Will it ever end?" he sighs. You've heard of the Brat Pack. It's that 1980s juvenile version of Humphrey Bogart's Rat Pack of the 1950s, a handy term to encompass the bevy of young performers currently making the rounds in Hollywood's youth-themed movies.

Rob Lowe is one of the leading members, along with Sean Penn, Ally Sheedy, Judd Nelson, Emilio Estevez, Molly Ringwald and Anthony Michael Hall.

"It's a romantic notion that we all hang out together, but it's not true," says Lowe, the dreamy-eyed and rosy-cheeked star of "Oxford Blues" and "St. Elmo's Fire."

"It's like saying that musicians hang out together, as if Tom Petty would call up Bruce Springsteen and say, 'Hey, what're ya doin' tonight?' It doesn't happen with them, nor with us. ('Brat Pack') is just a phrase that is handy for critics."

Rob Lowe reported dutifully to MGM Studios for a series of interviews to call attention to his latest release, "Youngblood." Like many of his acting generation, he is not overly fond of the publicity business.

"I'm getting used to it," he said. "I know what the purpose is: to get people to see your movies...it's easier for directors and producers; they can talk about the film. But I end up talking about myself. Boring."

Lowe had come to talk about "Youngblood," in which he plays a talented skater trying to carve out a career in professional hockey. Written and directed by onetime member of the Yale University hockey team, Peter Markle ("Hot Dog"), the film also features Cynthia Gibb, Patrick Swayze and Ed Lauter.

"It's the hardest movie to shoot that I've done," said Lowe, who has appeared in seven. "We worked for 29 days in the interior of an ice rink in Toronto. The temperature was 50-60 degrees while it was 95 outside. I spent three months in preparing for the picture — three hours a day of strenuous skating, an hour and a half of weight-lifting."

Rob Lowe was born 22 years ago in Charlottesville, Va., and his family moved to Dayton, Ohio, where he amazed his family by becoming an actor at 9.

Lowe had appeared in 30 stage plays by the age of 12, when his family moved to Los Angeles. Finding little non-professional theater, he turned to athletics. A few years later, he returned to acting with appearances in two ABC After-School Specials, "A Matter of Time" and "Schoolboy Father."

"Then I did a brief series with Eileen Brennan, 'A New Kind of Family' — how's that for creative titling?"

Then the big break: Francis Coppola's "The Outsiders."

"I had my 18th birthday on the third day of shooting my first movie," he recalled. "Imagine being directed by Francis Coppola in your first film." A dream with an awakening — some of his best scenes were cut from film.

Then came "Class" with Jacqueline Bisset; "Hotel New Hampshire" with Nastassja Kinski, Jodie Foster and Beau Bridges; "Oxford Blues" with Ally Sheedy, and "St. Elmo's Fire" with Sheedy, Nelson, Estevez and other Brat Packers.

"After 'St. Elmo's,' I took a year off," Lowe said. "I just finished making 'Sexual Perversity in Chicago,' based on the David Mamet play. It's the best script I've ever read. I play a working stiff coping with the first time he has living with a girl. The character could be any age, my own or 35-40 years old."

"You can't play the kid forever. It's not good for your career, and physically it's impossible — unless you're Mickey Rooney."

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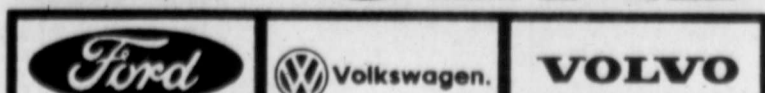
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Democracy's future rests on religion, study says

By GEORGE W. CORNELL

NEW YORK (AP) — A study by a noted "think tank," the Brookings Institution, has concluded that the stability and future strength of American democracy depends on the underpinnings of religion.

Without it, "democracy lacks essential moral support" to sustain it, the report says.

After three years of examination and analysis of basic ingredients holding society together, the report concludes that secular value systems fail "to meet the test of intellectual credibility" for doing the job.

Representative "government depends for its health on values that over the not-so-long run must come from religion," the report says.

Through religion, "human rights are rooted in the moral worth with

RELIGION

which a loving Creator has endowed, each human soul, and social authority is legitimized by making it answerable to a transcendent moral law," the report says.

The Washington institution, one of the country's largest and most prestigious independent organizations for scholarly research, generally has been regarded over the years as liberal in its appraisals.

The new 380-page report, entitled "Religion in American Public Life," takes several positions regarded as conservative.

It advocates allowing a "moment

of silence" that could be used for voluntary prayer in public schools, making school facilities available for student religious meetings and giving tax credits for tuition paid to religious schools.

Rejecting arguments of strict church-state separationists that barring all expressions or symbols of religion from public life would mean government neutrality about religion, the report says:

"Banishment of religion does not represent neutrality between religion and secularism; conduct of public institutions without any regard to

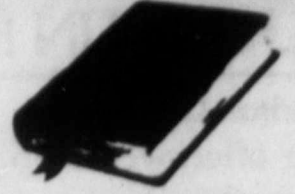
religion is secularism...

"A society that excludes religion totally from its public life, that seems to regard religion as something against which public life must be protected, is bound to foster the impression that religion is either irrelevant or harmful."

The report was written by A. James Reschley, a government specialist, in consultation with other Brookings scholars. He formerly was an editor of Fortune magazine and legislative adviser to former Pennsylvania Gov. William Scranton.

Exploring various non-religious value systems, such as those based on self-interest or social interest, the report says they would leave human rights at the mercy either of "selfish interests" or "established secular authority."

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"How frail is man, how few his days, how full of trouble! He blossoms for a moment like a flower—and withers; as the shadow of a passing cloud, he quickly disappears. If a man dies, shall he live again? This thought gives me hope, so that in all my anguish I eagerly await sweet death!" (Job 14:1-2, 14)

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Men's spiritual retreat to be held in Lubbock

LUBBOCK — A Men's Spiritual Life Retreat will be held Feb. 21-22 at the Koko Inn and Koko Palace, 5201 Avenue Q in Lubbock.

Theme for the retreat is "Cultivating Thoughtful Discipleship...Monday to Sunday." Lead speaker at the three general sessions of the 24-hour retreat is Dr. Joel B. Green, formerly of Lubbock, now from California.

Green is assistant professor of New Testament at New College for Advanced Christian Studies, Berkeley, Calif. ("New College Berkeley") — a graduate school offering master's degrees for men and women wishing to explore the relationship between their Christian faith and

values and the complex challenges of their vocational, intellectual and social world.

Green received his bachelor of science degree in agricultural education from Texas Tech University; his master's of theology from Perkins School of Theology, Dallas; and his doctorate in New Testament studies from the University of Aberdeen Scotland, where his mentor was the noted evangelical New Testament scholar, I. Howard Marshall.

Green has published numerous articles and reviews for the church-at-large as well as for scholars, pastors, and seminarians. He is the author of one published book, "How to Read

Prophecy" with "How to Read Gospels and Acts" forthcoming. He has presented scholarly papers on Biblical and Wesleyan studies at various professional meetings. He is a member of the Society of Biblical Literature, the Tyndale Fellowship, and the Wesleyan Theological Society.

Green is an ordained minister in the United Methodist Church who has served churches in Texas and Britain. He is committed to theological and church renewal in the United Methodist Church.

Since 1980, he has been the managing editor of Catalyst, an evangelical resource publication for United Methodist seminarians. He is

a frequent preacher, teacher and conference speaker in local churches and other groups of many denominations.

Green was born in Lubbock in 1966. While he was studying at Texas Tech in the School of Agriculture he worked at KCBT-TV as the assistant farm director and served in churches in the West Texas area.

Since 1979 he has been married to the former Pamela Jane Kelley of Bridgeport. They are the parents of two children, Aaron and Allison.

Music and worship for the retreat will be led by the Rev. Millard Bucholz of the Bedford UMC, Bedford.

The public is invited to attend by pre-registration. Places are available for the retreat sessions only; cost is \$10.

To register, send registration information with check or money order to Men's Spiritual Life Retreat; First UMC, Box 438, Lamesa, 79331.

New Wednesday Night Live sessions begin

The continuing education committee of First United Methodist Church has started a new series of Wednesday Night Live classes. All classes are open to the public.

Wednesday Night Live begins at 5:15 p.m. with a fellowship meal served in the Fellowship Hall at a nominal cost. Classes follow at 6:15 to 7:15 p.m. During class time child care is provided and there are three children's graded choirs in rehearsal and a discussion/recreation group for youth.

The adult classes include:

- "Out of the Saltshaker," a film series with discussion in Room 15;
- "Winning in the 80s," a video tape series by Dennis Waitley presenting his "Seeds of Greatness" that provide useful information for work, family life, and all personal relationships, discussion is led by Scot Skidmore, Room 103;

— Horticulture sessions in Room 13, this week "Native Plant Materials for West Texas" led by Ernest Kiker of the County Extension Service, Feb. 19 session is on "Caring For Your Garden: Watering, Fertilizing, Pruning," and the Feb. 26 session on "Getting Rid of the Bugs" led by Richard Minzenmayer, entomologist;

— Country and Western dance lessons for couples or singles will be given in the Recreation Hall by Jim and Barbara Cox;

—"Making Sets and Props" led by Brad Kisner is in Room 208 and includes working with saws, hammers and paints while making props for the forthcoming musical, "Cool in the Furnace."

Registration fee for the series of classes is \$3 per person or \$5 per family, payable on arrival. All classes are open to the public.

Texas Conference of Churches to hold meeting

AUSTIN — The 17th Assembly of Representatives of the Texas Conference of Churches will be held in San Antonio at the El Tropicano Hotel Feb. 17-19.

"So Great a Cloud of Witnesses," from Hebrews 12, will be the theme of this sesquicentennial session. The assembly will focus on the contributions of Texas religious leaders throughout the history of the state and some expectations about the future.

Speakers will include: William Fogleman, executive of Presbyterian Synod of the Sun; the Most Rev. John McCarthy, auxiliary bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Galveston-Houston and newly named the third bishop of the Diocese of Austin; and the Rev. Zan Wesley Holmes, United Methodist pastor of St. Luke Community Church in Dallas as well as professor of preaching at Perkins School of Theology,

Southern Methodist University.

Fogleman and McCarthy will address the assembly regarding the contributions of various Christian leaders and groups in Texas' history. Holmes will address the theme text devotionally in several worship events.

Ecumenists Callan Graham, Roman Catholic lay leader, and Harold Kilpatrick, Presbyterian lay leader, both instrumental in developing the Texas Conference of Churches as the first of its kind in the world as an official ecumenical body including Roman Catholics, will be honored at a luncheon on Feb. 18.

Bishop Ernest Dixon, United Methodist of San Antonio, will complete his two-year term as president of the Texas Conference of Churches. Monsignor Robert Rehkemper of the Dallas Diocese will be installed into office for a term as president. The incoming and outgoing presidents

will be honored at a breakfast Feb. 19.

Central American issues and refugees, issues surrounding proselytization in the Hispanic communities, the farm crisis, gambling, hunger and just forms of revenue for meeting the state's needs will be some of the matters considered.



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Samaritan Counseling Center offers workshops

The Samaritan Counseling Center of West Texas is offering two workshops this month. "Gifts Differing" is offered from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. today. The one-day workshop uses the Myers-Briggs Type Indicator to help individuals in understanding, accepting and appreciating the unique strength of their personality. The workshop will offer practical ways of using the personality in communicating, managing stress and decision making. The Rev. Norman D. Godfrey will lead the workshop. The fee is \$40 per person. A four-week personal growth group for men will meet from 7-9 p.m. beginning Monday. The Rev. Jerry Kelly will direct the group, which will focus on the inner self, emerging images of maleness and discovering ways in which men can be more the person they were created to be. The fee is \$100, including text. For registration information on the workshops, call Debbie Roberts at 563-4144.

Tulsa group to perform

The Followers of Christ will be in concert at the Downtown Midland Hilton at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 15. A music ministry based in Tulsa, Okla., The Followers of Christ have performed for audiences throughout the world for over 10 years. Their many appearances include PTL, with Jim Bakker; Oral Roberts University; The Bobby Jones Show; 10 Huntly Street, Toronto, Canada; and Word of Faith Satellite with Robert Tilton.

"The group combines vocals, strong harmonies and a contemporary sound with an anointed ministry filled with healing, evangelism, and redemption," said a Followers of Christ spokesman.

Tickets may be purchased at Rudd Christian Bookstore and Sunshine Corner Christian Bookstore in Midland and The Odessa Scripture Shop. Tickets will also be available at the door.

MCF honors new pastor

Midland Christian Fellowship, 2301 W. Indiana, invites the public to a special day of celebration Sunday as they officially introduce their new pastor and his family.

Dan Schiel and his family moved to Midland from the Tyler area in January to assume pastoral duties. He has been in full-time ministry for 17 years, spending 14 of those years establishing and pastoring local churches.

Sunday school begins at 9:30 a.m.; children's church and the morning worship with Schiel speaking begins at 10:30 a.m. A nursery is provided for all services. Everyone is welcome to enjoy a fellowship meal following the morning service.

Schiel can be heard at 1:45 p.m. daily on radio station KKKK-99FM with his teaching program, "Knowing Him."

Church sets special service

A special worship service will be given at Grace Presbyterian Church at 7 p.m. Wednesday in preparation for the season of Lent.

A stew and cornbread supper will be served at 6 p.m. followed by Patrick Willson's sermon at 7 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

Nation needs 'moral vision'

WASHINGTON (AP) — Vice President George Bush says that while there may be a "wall between church and state," there should be none between religion and politics. He told a gathering of the Rev. Jerry Falwell's newly organized Liberty Federation that America urgently needs "moral vision...The country needs a message of hope, love, rebirth of freedom and love of God."

FBC plans Europe trip

First Baptist Church is planning a trip to Switzerland and Britain June 19 through July 5. Basic tour includes London, the English countryside, Scotland and seven days in Switzerland, including the five-day Baptist Senior Adult Conference in Grindelwald at the north face of the Eiger.

Registration and deposit are due now. Call Virginia Liles, 694-4340, for brochure and complete information. The last meeting planned for registration and information is set for 10 a.m. Feb. 15 at the First Baptist Church's Activities Building, Garfield Street at Michigan Avenue.

Registration fee is \$45. The basic tour is \$2,196. Due at the Feb. 15 meeting is \$1,500 of the tour price plus the registration fee.

Betsy Brown to perform

Heartsong Ministries Inc. will present Christian music vocalist Betsy Brown in concert from 7:30-9 p.m. Thursday at the Yucca Theatre, 208 N. Colorado. The free concert is open to the public.

Ms. Brown is planning a coast-to-coast bicycle concert tour from Providence, R.I., to Newport, Ore. Over 3,000 miles, the "Backroads Glory Ride" is expected to begin June 1.

A resident of Midland, Ms. Brown has released two albums, "My Special Place" and "The Gift." She is currently taping a third, expected to be released by late spring.

Church sets men's day

The Macedonia Baptist Church, 201 S. Carver Street will have its 37th Annual Men's Day Program Feb. 16.

The program will begin at 2:30 p.m. with featured speaker Raymond Hardison, deacon at the Mount Olive Baptist Church in El Paso. Theme for the program is "The Mission and Message of Jesus."

Hardison is the Brotherhood President of the Lovely Sunset District Association.

Ash Wednesday rites set

Ash Wednesday services will be held at 6:15 p.m. Wednesday in the chapel at First Christian Church, located at Louisiana and G Streets.

Special music will be provided by the Chancel Choir under the direction of John Palmer, choirmaster. The Rev. Gregg Smith will lead the service.

UMC director to speak

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She will address "Christian Service."

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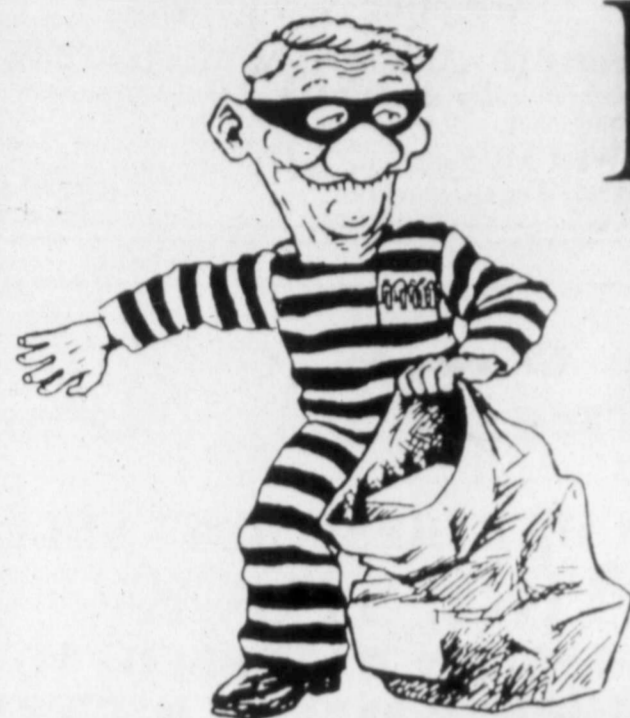
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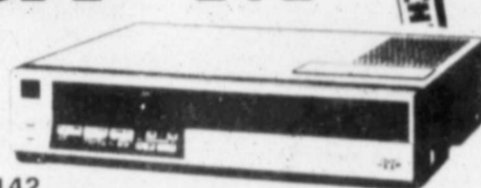
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In a telephone interview from their hideout, gang leader Jerry Dyer said that gang members from across the state had arrived to split up the loot. All Texas Dyer hideouts will be participating according to the don of discounting.

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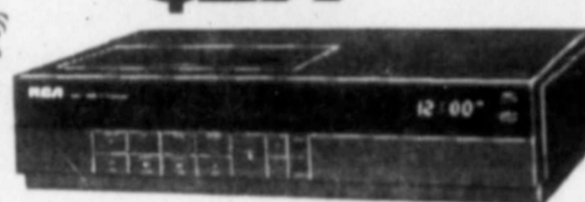
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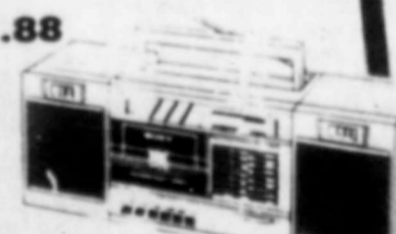
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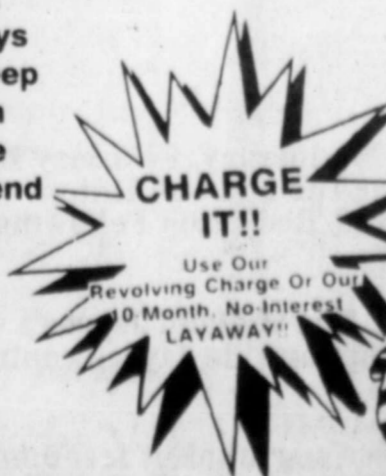
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Lake shore community's renegade residents fight fishing rules

By ROY BRAGG

WILSON SHOALS, Texas (AP) — When game wardens Bill Matzke and Wes Clotston are spotted boating down the Trinity River, an air raid siren here sounds the alarm.

The noise echoes through the backwoods and bottom land, alerting fishermen up and down the river and its tributaries that the law is on its way.

The siren is one of the many tools used by residents of Wilson Shoals, a tightly knit community of 25 fishing families living on the banks of the Trinity, in a war fought with bait, boats and brains.

State game officials say the town — actually a collection of dwellings ranging from ramshackle huts and gutted buses to mobile homes and prefabricated houses — is a sanctuary for poachers working the 25-mile stretch of river between the Texas 21 and Texas 19 bridges.

While legal fishermen in Texas resign themselves to casting with rod and reel off the end of a pier or from a boat, many of these riverside

dwellers use nets, trotlines and even current from car batteries to catch thousands of fish a day, officials say.

Shoals fishermen clean their fish in makeshift kitchens on the river banks, piping the leftovers back into the river. Some of the fish is sold directly from the Shoals to people wanting enough for dinner.

The majority is sold, fresh or frozen, to stores, restaurants and markets throughout East Texas, always a step ahead of game wardens.

It is illegal to sell Texas white bass, considered a sport fish. Sports fishermen downstream say their commercial counterparts at the Shoals are part of the reason the white bass population at Lake Livingston has declined in recent years. Even a ban on net fishing hasn't slowed the decline.

Wilson Shoals does, however, have its defenders.

The absentee owner of the land says his tenants are victims of a rough economy who've got nowhere else to go and no other means of support.

And Madison County's chief law enforcement officer, Sheriff Ed Fannin, who works part time for the owner collecting rent, says the river people are decent folks who don't give him trouble.

"We're just hard-working people trying to make a living," said Sherman Miles, 46, a former Texas City pile driver operator who gave up the city to live on the river. "We don't bother anyone, and we don't want anyone bothering us."

The fishing isn't as good as it used to be. The rent, topping out at about \$600 a year, is higher than it was five years ago. The place is dotted with garbage, with the entry marked by a major appliance graveyard where washers, stoves and refrigerators rust in peace.

As the fishing gets more difficult because of upstream pollution or unfavorable weather, some residents admit to using nets occasionally or exceeding the limit on trotlines.

But they deny using electric current, a technique called telephoning, to kill fish. That, they say, is done by

weekend tenants who come up from Houston, 80 miles to the south.

The game warden disagrees.

"They're professional criminals," says Matzke, who's been stationed in Madison County for 14 years. "Make that professional poachers. The siren is just one thing they use. They use walkie-talkies, scanners, look-outs and everything you can think of to outsmart us."

Now that hunting season is drawing to a close, Matzke says he and Clotston will spend 85 percent of their time searching for nets by day and trying to catch netters red-handed by night.

Set under a clump of shade trees, Wilson Shoals began in the last century as a picnicking spot on Samuel Calhoun's plantation. Calhoun's descendants still own the land.

People began camping and fishing

there in the early 1900s, says S.C. Wilson, 77, who now lives in Huntsville and co-owns the land with his brother.

It got so popular that the family

executed a deal with Madison County Commissioners Court in the 1940s to lease the land to the county. The county charged a nominal annual fee for rental and kept half the rent.

Texas, Australian state both celebrate 150th anniversaries

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas and South Australia have joined in numerous exchanges, including traveling delegations and schoolchildren's letters, to celebrate their 150th anniversaries.

More than 140 cities in Texas are paired with a like number of South Australian towns, and more than 400 elementary and secondary schools in Texas are exchanging letters, slide-tape shows, scrapbooks and art work with Australian students.

Delegations will be traveling each way during 1968, and several travel agencies are planning special package tours as part of the observances.

For example, 30 students in the choir at Morialta High School in Campbellton, South Australia, will arrive in Texas soon for a month-long tour, including visits to Fort Worth, Dallas, Houston, San Antonio and Austin, according to the Texas Tourist Development Agency.

The agency sketched other goings-on in a release this week.

The George Winters Chamber Orchestra, composed of members of the San Antonio Symphony Orchestra, will visit San Antonio's sister city, Glenelg.

A group from San Marcos carried a proclamation of friendship from Texas Gov. Mark White to South Australia's Proclamation Day activities on Dec 28.

Five Australian beauty queens will visit Texas, and Reg Lindsay, Australian country and Western singer, will give concerts in Texas for most of the year.

Orange has scheduled commemorative events and has invited the mayor of its sister city, Port Lincoln, to participate. Similar arrangements are under way between Boerne and Angaston, South Australia.

Hahndorf in South Australia is hosting a series of reunions of families of German settlers and, noting the larger number of Germans who came as pioneers to Texas, has invited Texans to these reunions.

A group from Abilene is going to its sister city, Elizabeth, and delegations from Plano, Austin and El Paso also are headed for South Australia.

Texas' sesquicentennial marks 150 years since it won its independence from Mexico. South Australia, according to the Tourist Development Agency, was first proclaimed a province in 1836, and is now an Australian state. Its celebration is called Jubilee 150.

The tourist agency said the Australian state has perhaps one-tenth of Texas' 15 million population but the two states have similarities.

For example, the agency said, both are in the south central states of their countries. The Lofty Ranges in Australia are similar to the Texas Hill Country, and the Aussie's Flinders Ranges have been compared with Texas' rugged Big Bend country.

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Oil prices blamed for peso falling to lowest level since November

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Mexico's peso currency Friday plunged to its lowest levels since November in a slide that private analysts blamed on investors' fears about the effect of lower oil prices on the troubled economy.

Private exchange houses in Mexico City in late morning offered 500 pesos for each dollar on the free market and demanded 515 pesos to buy one. A few hours later, they lowered the rates to 485-500.

Along the U.S.-Mexico border, U.S. banks were quoting rates of 470-491.

The free market rate for the peso is used in tourism and for most border and private transactions.

A government-regulated rate, used for 80 percent of commercial transactions, stood at about 411 on Friday.

The peso had held fairly steady in recent weeks despite the sharp

falls in international oil prices that have put in doubt Mexico's plans for bolstering the economy.

"I'm shocked we haven't seen it (the peso's fall) before," said Don Shuffstall, vice president at MBank of El Paso.

"I think we're going to see this jumping up and down in the days ahead," he said.

A currency trader in Mexico City, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said that tumbling oil prices was the most important factor influencing the deterioration of the peso.

Mexico's sales of crude to foreign buyers brings in 70 percent of its foreign exchange, badly needed to make payments on its \$96.4 billion foreign debt and buy such imports as spare parts.

With lower oil prices, Mexico will have less money to pay its debts and may have to impose more belt-tightening measures to offset the shortfall. This could

mean, analysts have said, the economy will be even weaker than expected and inflation will be higher. Consumer prices rose 63.7 percent in 1985, ahead of the pace a year earlier.

A weakening of a nation's currency usually reflects a lack of confidence in the economic outlook. Investors often want to trade in their weaker currency for a stronger one like the dollar to protect their assets.

On Tuesday, Mexican finance officials met in New York with international bankers and said they might need \$9 billion in new money this year to help with their financial problems.

If so, it would be nearly double the \$4.8 billion they had expected to seek from bankers and international financial organizations.

Up until Thursday, when it began slipping, the peso had not reflected the economic turbulence.

Seven children without homes six months after adoption ring broken

JUAREZ, Mexico (AP) — Six months after officials rescued them from an international adoption ring, five baby boys and two young girls are still without families.

The children, who may have been sold by their parents or were kidnapped, were in the process of being adopted by couples in the United States when officials of this border city raided two homes and took them into custody in August 1985.

Since then, Mexican citizens from as far as Acapulco and Vera Cruz have come to Juarez to see if the children are their own.

"We're battling to find people who have actual proof of parenthood," said Juana Quintera, director of the Juarez Child Welfare Department.

Most of the people who have come

to look at the children have brought proof that they were missing a child, Quintera said.

But most also admit they are not the parents after seeing the children, she added.

There are four couples who are trying to prove they are parents of some of the children among the seven.

The children include 7-year-old Elizabeth and her 5-year-old sister, Lupita, both of whom are attending school near the welfare center.

The boys, ranging in age from 10 months to one year, are Julio, Ricardo, Alberto, Raphael and Oscar.

Officials said they may remain orphans in the care of the city for another year while the search for their parents continues before they are

put up for adoption. Ms. Quintera says she does not agree that it may have been better for the children to allow the U.S. adoptions to go through.

"Well, it's not just adoption, since these U.S. couples were paying money, too," she said.

"And what about the mothers, if these children really were stolen? Our country may be having difficult times, but that shouldn't mean the rights of children are violated," Ms. Quintera added.

Deborah Rae Tanner of Arizona, accused of being the ring leader, was sentenced in Utah federal court to three years in June 1985 for bilking U.S. couples in 40 states out of \$750,000 in connection with illegal adoptions.

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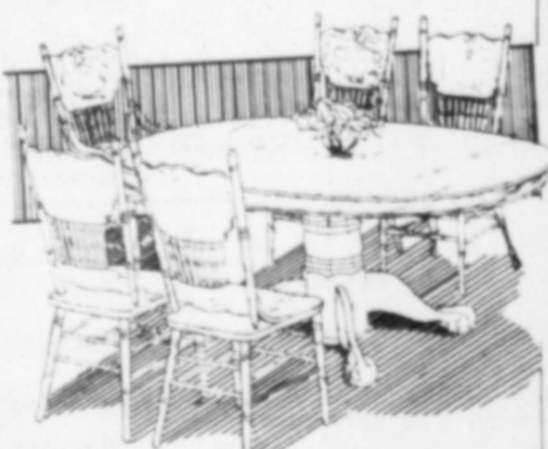
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I JUST DOES 'EM. I DON'T WRITE 'EM.

HAGAR THE HORRIBLE

THE MEN SAY IF WE SAIL WEST WE'LL FALL OFF THE WORLD'S END

OH, YOU JERKS! THAT'S JUST A STUPID LEGEND!

BESIDES, WE HAVE NO CHOICE - THERE ARE SEA SERPENTS TO THE NORTH AND SEA DEVILS TO THE EAST AND SOUTH!

FUNKY WINKERBEAN

ED, A PARENT CALLED TO COMPLAIN THAT THEIR CHILD WAS WAITING FOR THE BUS...

BUT THAT YOU DROVE RIGHT BY AND NEVER GAVE HIM A CHANCE TO GET ON!

THAT'S A JOE! THE DOOR WAS OPEN THE WHOLE TIME!

STEVE CANYON

QUIZ JAMS THE WHEELCHAIR INTO THE SHINS OF ONE MUGGER! - HE FALLS TOWARD STALKY...

I DID THAT?

BLONDIE

YOU MUST BUY THIS SLICER... IT'S A CITY ORDINANCE

YOU MUST BUY ONE OR PAY A FINE

WHAT?!

YOU JUST MADE THAT UP, DIDN'T YOU?!

YES

MARY WORTH

PEOPLE WILL BE HERE IN A HALF HOUR, CALL...

MAYBE I SHOULD RUN A RAZOR OVER MY FIVE O'CLOCK STUBBLE!

JUST THINK, DARLING! ...IN TWO WEEKS YOU CAN START TO GROW A BEARD!

AND WEAR LEISURE CLOTHES EVERY DAY!

BEEBLE BAILEY

WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE, BEEBLE?

LET'S SEE... I'M GOING INTO TOWN LATER...

SO I HAVE TO STAY AWAY FROM SHARP ABDOMINAL PAINS OR SEVERE STOMACH CRAMPS...

BETTER JUST GIVE ME A MILD CASE OF HEART-BURN

PEANUTS

I ALWAYS HAVE THE VANILLA ON THE BOTTOM AND THE CHOCOLATE ON TOP

YOU LIKE TO HAVE THE VANILLA ON TOP AND THE CHOCOLATE ON THE BOTTOM?

THAT'S INTERESTING...

IT TAKES ALL KINDS TO MAKE A WORLD!

SHOE

YOUR STORY ABOUT THIS WAREHOUSE ARSON CASE IS HORRIBLE.

I KNOW WHAT YOU MEAN.

CAN YOU BELIEVE THE WANTON, SENSELESS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY?

NO, I CAN'T BELIEVE THE WANTON, SENSELESS DESTRUCTION OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE...

ANDY CAPP

YOU PROMISE?

DEFINITELY, DEFINITELY

FUNNY HOW SOME BLOKES WHO LAUGH AT HAIR RESTORERS BELIEVE THIS LAD WHEN HE PROMISES TO PAY BACK TOMORROW

GENTS HAIRDRESSING

ATHY

LOOK, DEAR... THERE'S ANDREA AND THERE'S HER BABY! HI, BABY!

HI, BABY!

MAYBE WE CAN FEEL THE BABY KICKING!

I HAVEN'T FELT A BABY KICK SINCE YOU WERE PREGNANT WITH CATHY!

I CAN'T WAIT UNTIL WE CAN HOLD THE BABY!!

WE WANT TO HOLD A BABY!

ARE YOUR PARENTS OK, CATHY??

YEAH... THEIR BIOLOGICAL GRANDFATHER CLOCK JUST WENT OFF.

WE LOVE BABIES!

OH, HOORAY, WE'RE GOING TO KNOW A BABY!

CAN WE BABY-SIT?!

DICK TRACY

OUR FUSION PLANT WILL BE UP AND RUNNING TOMORROW - DESPITE QUIVER TREMBLY'S ATTEMPT TO FAKE A NUCLEAR DISASTER.

"EXTORTION AND TERRORISM," WENDY MUSES. "CAN WE EVER HOPE TO PREVAIL AGAINST A MARRIAGE LIKE THAT?"

WE DID TODAY, THAT'S A START!

STEVE ROPER

MY MEN SAY YOU WERE SPYING ON THE HOUSE!... I ASSUME THERE IS AN EXPLANATION!

I SUGGEST YOU DELIVER IT... BEFORE IT IS NECESSARY FOR YANG TO... ER... "PROMPT" YOU!

JEANE DIXON'S
your horoscope

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Sunday, February 9, 1986

YOUR BIRTHDAY TODAY:

Good luck affects your financial fortunes. You find ways to make your work more rewarding. Open new channels of communication and frustration will disappear. A love relationship becomes everything you have wanted. New living arrangements bring greater peace of mind. The best investments are those that will produce regular dividends for years to come.

CELEBRITY BIRTHDATES:

Newsreader Roger Mudd, actress Mia Farrow, singer Carole King, actress Kathryn Grayson, actor Ronald Colman, poet Amy Lowell, President William Henry Harrison.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Set business aside for the day and spend time with your family and friends. An older person gives you valuable insights regarding a difficult situation. A financial problem seems less serious.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Straighten out a domestic matter during early morning. You feel much better after clearing the air. Events at a distance could prove very surprising. Keep your own counsel. Self-improvement activities are favored.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You get a spiritual lift when you need it most. A social occasion gives you an ideal opportunity to make new friends. A romantic relationship deepens when you avoid talking shop.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Your choice of companions determines how enjoyable your day will be. Be selective. Career demands could interfere with family life. Mate will be understanding if you explain the situation.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Romance and an invitation add special zest to your day. A social outing with friends could turn sour if money becomes an issue. Mate reveals a different side of his/her nature.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Not a good day to contact influential people. They will resent any intrusion on their weekend privacy. Try new ideas out on your family and friends. An objective opinion provides valuable insights.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Take a good look at your priorities. Welcome ideas from mate and close family members. Loved one could suggest something you never thought of. Use any quiet time to

tie up loose ends.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Something that happens today will put you in a wonderful mood. You look forward to the coming week. Go along with family members' ideas. Carry out plans to beautify your property.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Those seeking new living quarters could strike it lucky today. Domestic life is a source of satisfaction, particularly when you hear from offspring at a distance.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): A great day for reaching financial agreements with family members. Deal with a romantic problem in a positive way and you can salvage the relationship. Continue to keep a close eye on spending.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Ignore a neighbor's nosy questions. This is no time to take unnecessary risks. Keep your valuables in a safe place and check to be sure you have adequate insurance coverage. Romance soars.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): A newspaper ad could give you a wonderful idea involving your career or finances. Move ahead with confidence. An old friend offers to back a pet project. An unconventional approach may work best.

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

WEEKLY BRIDGE QUIZ

Q.1—East-West vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠A J8762 ♣QJ9543 ♠8
The bidding has proceeded:
West North East South
1 ♠ 1 ♣ Pass ?
What do you bid now?

What action do you take?

Look for answers on Monday.

Have you been running into double trouble? Let Charles Goren help you find your way through the maze of DOUBLES for penalties and for takeout. For a copy of his "DOUBLES" booklet, send \$1.85 to "Goren-Doubles," care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 4426, Orlando, Fla. 32802-4426. Make checks payable to Newspaperbooks.

Q.2—East-West vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠743 ♣AQ6 ♠A109 ♠AJ65
The bidding has proceeded:
West North East South
1 ♠ Pass Pass Dble
Pass 1 NT Pass ?
What action do you take?

Q.3—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠K9765 ♣K5 ♠7 ♠K10983
The bidding has proceeded:
West North East South
1 ♠ 2 ♣ 2 ♣ ?
What action do you take?

Q.4—As South, vulnerable, you hold:
♠8 ♣AJ107 ♠A1095 ♠AKQ6
The bidding has proceeded:
South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♠ Pass
2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠ Pass ?
What action do you take?

Q.5—Neither vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠852 ♣KQ1093 ♠10982 ♠A
The bidding has proceeded:
North East South West
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♠ Pass
1 NT Pass ?
What action do you take?

Q.6—Both vulnerable, as South you hold:
♠Q9 ♣K10 ♠AQ1076 ♠7652
The bidding has proceeded:
North East South West
1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣ Dble
Rdble 2 ♣ ?

WATCHES

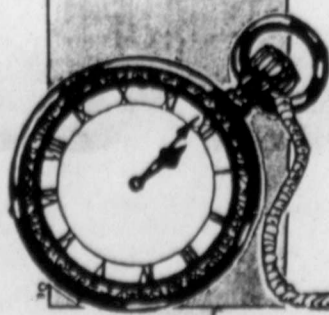
Mr. Sears and Mr. Roebuck got together because of a classified ad!

In the late 1800's, Richard W. Sears had a pretty good business going selling watches and needed someone to handle his watch repairs. He placed a classified ad in the newspaper and Alvah C. Roebuck got the job. That's how the nation's biggest retailer got started... through a classified ad!

If you need a good helper, try advertising in our classifieds. Who knows? You may spark the beginning of something big!

Call 682-6222

Midland Reporter-Telegram Classified Department



GARFIELD



DENNIS THE MENACE



"I LIKE RAIN YOU DON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT STAYIN' IN THE SHALLOW END."

THAT DAILY SCRAM-LETS WORD GAME

Scram-Lets word game section with scrambled words (NANABY, EMPLI, LOCCI, TAPOEI) and instructions for rearranging letters.

SCRAM-LETS ANSWERS: Banyan - Impel - Copic - Operate - POLICEMAN

MARMADUKE



"This happens every time we have a windy day."

FAMILY CIRCUS



"I know who those who trespass against us are - Billy and Jeffy and PJ..."

DOONESBURY



PEOPLE

Kennedy appears on Soviet TV

MOSCOW (AP) - In a surprise move by the Kremlin leadership Sen. Edward M. Kennedy was allowed to appear on Soviet television Friday night.



Kennedy

Kennedy, who discussed arms control with Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev on Thursday, said he believed Gorbachev is ready to negotiate a real reduction in nuclear weapons and he knew that President Reagan is prepared to do the same.

The appearance by the Massachusetts Democrat which has an estimated 180 million viewers, was not announced in advance.

A television announcer said a full version of Kennedy's speech would be broadcast on Soviet television Sunday evening.

That was in line with the low profile Kennedy has maintained during a three-day visit as a guest of the Soviet Parliament, but it is highly unusual for an American politician to appear on Soviet television.

Soviet television viewers were shown a film of Reagan last November, during a speech he gave at the summit conference with Gorbachev in Geneva. Since then, Reagan has been shown once again when he exchanged New Year's greetings with Gorbachev and both leaders' speeches were televised.

Speaking in English barely audible through a voice-over Russian translation, Kennedy began by saying he came to Moscow "at a moment of sorrow in my own country" over the destruction of the spaceship Challenger.

He thanked the Soviet government and people for their expressions of sympathy and said the United States, like the Soviet Union, would nevertheless continue "the most exciting and ennobling voyage in the annals of human endeavor," exploring space.

Kennedy then said he was visiting Moscow at a moment of hope in superpower relations, following the November summit, and added:

"There are great issues which have divided us before and will divide us again. But there are also chords of memory and history which should draw us together. We dare not misuse our unavoidable disagreements as an excuse for neglecting our undeniable common interests - the overriding imperative of nuclear arms control."

Kennedy said both Gorbachev and Reagan have spoken of a world without nuclear war. Making that dream a reality requires that both sides compromise to cut through the negotiators' Gordian knot."

Earlier Friday, Kennedy met briefly with a group of Soviet citizens trying to join their American spouses and told them he raised their cases with Soviet officials.

A member of the group, who requested anonymity, said the meeting took place in the U.S. Embassy and was attended by about 18 people.

Kennedy also met with Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze and other leaders, but the source said the senator did not say with whom he had discussed the "divided families."

In the group that met with Kennedy were more than a dozen Soviets seeking permission to join their husbands or wives in the United States and the American wife of one of the Soviets.

American-born Abe Stolar also was reported to have attended. Stolar was brought to the Soviet Union as a child. Soviet authorities have given him permission to leave but refused to issue an exit visa to his son's wife, a Soviet citizen.

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Both singer Lionel Richie and his manager seem to be following the lament of the pop star's Grammy-winning album "Can't Slow

Down." Ken Kragen, Richie's personal manager, said he and the singer have parted ways because "I have one of the most demanding projects I have ever undertaken, 'Hands Across America,' coming to fruition May 25."

He said the fund-raising project "literally takes as much time as a dozen management clients. Lionel has a new album and the planning of a world tour coming in the same time frame. The load is more than I, and my firm, can handle in a manner that's fair to Lionel."

Richie, whose "Can't Slow Down" sold 8 million copies, is under pressure from the Motown label to complete his next album, which originally had been planned for Christmas release. The singer has set aside this month for studio work and was unavailable for comment Friday.

Richie was instrumental in organizing Kragen's USA for Africa charity effort, including co-writing with Michael Jackson "We Are The World," recorded a year ago by 45 pop stars.

HONOLULU (AP) - "Magnum, P.I." star Tom Selleck says his detective series has improved because of competition from NBC's blockbuster comedy "The Cosby Show."



Selleck

"I don't deny the fact that 'The Cosby Show' is setting ratings records, but this only has made our show better," Selleck said, adding that there has been a rigorous behind-the-scenes effort to upgrade CBS' "Magnum" scripts and production values.

"We're spending \$1.5 million per episode in Hawaii now," he told The Honolulu Advertiser in an interview published Friday. "That's a lot of money and a lot of jobs."

Selleck said talk that the Hawaii-based series, in its fifth year, might be canceled was without foundation. "I just don't honestly have a clue how such awful things start, but left unchallenged, they get out of hand," he said.

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Actor Tom Laughlin is recovering at home from a concussion and neck injuries suffered while filming a fight scene in a "Billy Jack" sequel, a publicist said Friday.

Doctors had at first feared that Laughlin, 47, suffered a hairline skull fracture last week when he was hit three times over the head with a breakaway prop that failed to break. He was released Wednesday from Cedars-Sinai Medical Center after a two-day stay, spokesman Al Newman said.

Laughlin will be recuperating at his Los Angeles home "for as much as another week," Newman said.

"The Return of Billy Jack," being filmed in Toronto, is the latest in the series that began with "The Born Losers" in 1967, followed by "Billy Jack," "The Trial of Billy Jack," and "Billy Jack Goes to Washington."

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - Lady Bird Johnson, who took a tumble and fainted in separate incidents this week, will remain in the hospital at least until Sunday, her office said.

"She had a good night," Betty Tilton, Mrs. Johnson's press secretary, said Friday.

Mrs. Johnson, 73, widow of President Lyndon B. Johnson, entered St. David's Community Hospital late Wednesday for observation after she fainted while attending a funeral. She also injured her left knee in a fall Tuesday evening.

"The doctor is recommending that Mrs. Johnson be hospitalized until Sunday because of fatigue and weakness and her knee is causing some distress," a statement from her office said Friday.

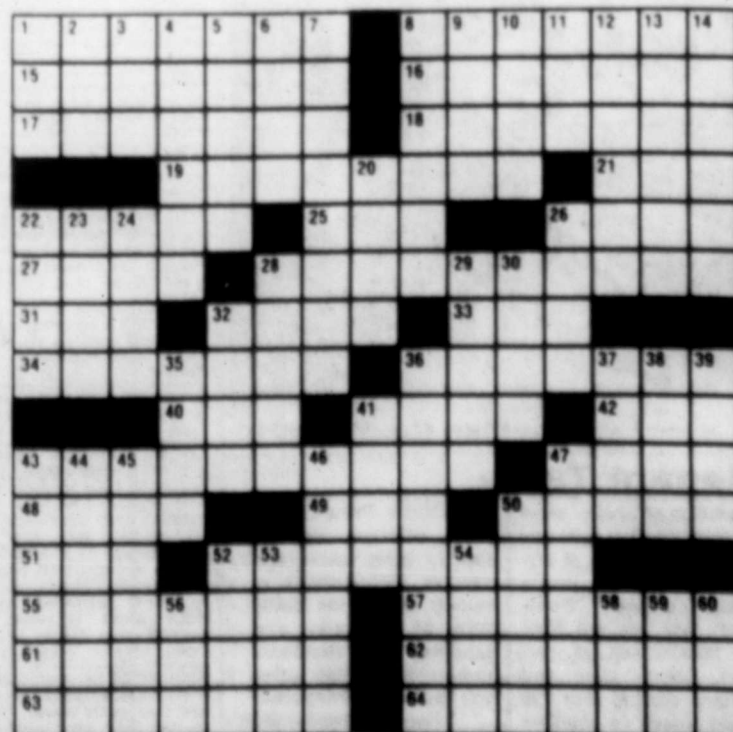
DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Edited by Trude Michel Jaffe

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ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

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Evening TV Schedule

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 8, 1986 Programs subject to change without notice

Table with columns for Networks (KMD, KOSA, KTPX, TBN, WTBS, SN, WJW, ESPN, KERA) and Basic Cable (CABLE 3-13). Rows show time slots from 5:00 to 12:30 with program titles.

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Table with columns for Premium Services (SHOWTIME, TMC, DISNEY, HBO, TNN, USA, NICK, A&E, CBN) and Expanded Cable Services (CABLE 5, 17, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 31). Rows show time slots from 5:00 to 12:30 with program titles.

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LODGE NOTICES: Midland Lodge No. 623 A.F. & A.M., 1600 W. Wall, 682-3292. Stated meetings 2nd, 4th, 6th, 8th, 10th, 12th, 14th, 16th, 18th, 20th, 22nd, 24th, 26th, 28th, 30th Saturday morning.

PERSONALS: MARY Kay Cosmetics. Call Helen Moler, 694-7354. "UNITY" meetings for inner peace and well-being. Sundays, 9:30am Eastern Methodist Church. All welcome.

LOST & FOUND: LOST: Black Female Poodle. In the vicinity of East Wadley and Fairgrounds. Call 682-3399. "REWARD" Reddish-brown & white female. Lost vicinity of Midland Drive & Thompson. Call 697-1630 or 683-6285.

LOST & FOUND: LOST: John's Pink hand held radio. In the vicinity of Midland, Midland # 0589, serial # 32759. Reward offered. Call 697-3171. LOST: Male black Persian, yellow eyes. Victim of old Alabaster's. Reward offered. 697-6904.

LOST & FOUND: LOST: Male black Persian, yellow eyes. Victim of old Alabaster's. Reward offered. 697-6904. REWARD: Alabaster breed male dog. Chain collar, Wyoming tag, no question asked. Call 684-9459 nights/weekends.

LOST & FOUND: LOST: Injured, gray, female cat on Highway 25. Call 683-6391 or 694-3145. FOUND: Male Doberman, 2 years old at N. Midland Drive and Loop 250 intersection, wearing red bandana collar. Call 697-8162 or 689-9999. FOUND: Black & tan Doberman. Call 687-4522.

LOST & FOUND: 160MONEY LOANS WANTED: BENEFICIAL will purchase first and second lien notes on residential property. For information please call 694-9639. CASH paid for first and second lien notes. After 5pm, 806-799-0924. PERSONAL LOANS: From \$100 to \$500. Also from Loans to \$100 on Diamond Jewelry. CIC Finance, 903 S. Main, 685-3074.

General Help Wanted: COMPANION - Housekeeper for sick mother needed. Some knowledge of nursing care helpful. \$500 per month. Call after 5:30 on weekends 563-3539. SHAKEY'S: Needs hard working public oriented person to work as bartender. No experience necessary. We will train. Apply in person to 3305 Andrews Hwy after 2 pm. NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE.

General Help Wanted: SPEECH Therapist at MHRM Odessa. Infant Stimulation Program. Applicant must be a licensed Speech Language Pathologist. Prefer a Masters Degree and CCC or eligible to receive. Experience with birth to 3 years and mental retardation preferred. Salary \$29,200 including benefits. E.O.E. Contact Chad Spears, 563-0288. "Your Own Boss" Lease station available for hairdresser with established clientele. G. Webster's Hair, 687-1571. Hair stylists and manicurist's needed. The Hair Gallery, 697-6676 ask for Norma.

General Help Wanted: PANTRY - SALAD WORKER: The Midland Hilton is accepting applications for a pantry/salad worker. This position requires at least 5 years of quality experience in salad preparation with first class restaurant. Apply in person in the personnel office. The Midland Hilton, 117 Wall, E.O.E. M-SYSTEMS BAKERY: Now taking applications for experienced baker, apply in person to Bakery Manager before 2 pm or call 694-1317 for appointment. 400 N. Midland Dr. REVENUE CLERK: 2 to 3 years experience preferred. NO PHONE CALLS: Send resume to: Flag-Redfern Oil Company, Monte Hamblin, P.O. Box 11050, Midland, Texas 79702.

General Help Wanted: INTRODUCING Comprehensive Discount Travel Business to area. Need part-time help. Call 817-349-2242. PLAYMATE: I'm looking for a mother who has 2-4 year old girls to take personal care of my two girls, full-time during the week, occasional Saturdays. Needs to be loving and set good examples. My children are good natured. I would like to keep them that way. Please call 683-0427. PERMIAN BASIN MHRM seeking individuals to be care providers for mentally retarded adults, responsibilities include: Providing room and board, supervision and training. We provide supportive services, financial, training, and family support. For information call Alicia Hudson, 563-0288.

PERSONALS: BIG BUCKS!: Have you been told you should be in "business"? Learn direct sales quickly through our extensive training program. Top products, no cold calls, fabulous commissions & bonuses, plus unlimited advancement opportunities. To learn more about this challenging & exciting sales opportunity call collect for Mr. Cole at (806) 792-6351. HAIR SAFARI: Work area for rent in one of Midland's finer salons. Friendly atmosphere. Centrally located. Towels, telephones, vacation furnished. 694-2517. PINOCCHIOS: Pizzeria of Midland is now accepting applications, for part-time and full-time positions. For information, call and apply at 3303 N. Midland, in San Miguel Square. No phone calls please.

PERSONALS: Full-time or Part-Time HAIR STYLIST OR BARBERS: Guaranteed Salary THE HAIRLINE 697-7010. HAVE opening for congenial production clerk familiar with Oil Gas operations including experience in RRC and NMOCC forms other duties require accurate typing pleasant telephone manners plus initiative in maintaining a steady workflow. Position offers salary and salary history to: PO Box 80954, Midland Texas 79709. SEND resumes to: 1100 Western Union Life Building, Midland, TX 79701. Attn: Division Order Department. Land experience, typing skills, and math skills.

General Help Wanted: REAL ESTATE BROKER: Active investor seeks to hire Real Estate broker for captive Real Estate company. We acquire distressed lots and houses across West Texas. Excellent Opportunity. Send Resume to: G. Cardua, 114 East 2nd St, Big Spring, Texas 79720. OCCUPATIONAL Therapist position available with PCCC MHRM contact Chad Spears 563-0288. NEED dependable movers for short term assignments. Call 683-5677 for appointment. OLSTEN TEMPORARY SERVICE. FRY COOK: Dallas Nights is accepting applications for immediate opening. Apply in person 12 to 3 p.m. Tuesday through Friday.

General Help Wanted: LAND ADMINISTRATOR: Must have heavy land experience and be capable of working with minimum of supervision. Will be responsible for processing operating agreements, AFE's, correspondence with operators, preparation of oil and gas leases, plus additional duties depending upon your capabilities. Position is with locally owned Independent Oil and Gas Producer. For interview contact: Richard Moore, 682-1681. CHILI'S: Is interviewing for cooks, all positions. Apply in person, 1 to 3pm, Monday through Thursday. At Loop 250 and Garfield.

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PERSONALS: J.C. PENNEY: Is now accepting applications for: Parttime Custodian, Parttime Cosmetic Sales, Fulltime Shoe Sales, experience preferred. Benefits include: *Discount privilege *Paid Holidays *Medical/Dental Plan *Life Insurance *Sick pay *Profit sharing plan *Excellent working conditions. Apply in person, J.C. Penney Co., Inc. Midland Park Mall, E.O.E./M/F.

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General Help Wanted: COUNTRY Burger, downtown. Taking applications for part-time help Monday through Friday, 310 W. Texas, Suite 101. APPLICATIONS being taken for part-time evening Cook. Hours 5-10, Monday-Friday. Apply at Holiday Inn T-Dome at 3904 W. Wall. HOUSE PARENTS for Girls Home in West Texas. Husband/wife team preferred. High school diploma. Husband may work outside home. Salary, room and board. (915) 373-3223 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. P.O. Box 722, Snyder, TX 79549. INFANT Stimulation Coordinator for Ft. Stockton. Bachelor Degree in education with special education certification preferred. 1 year experience in mental retardation or with developmentally delayed infants. Bi-lingual required. Salary \$21,800 including benefits. E.O.E.W. Contact Chad Spears, 563-0288.

General Help Wanted: SERVICE TECHNICIAN: We have a opening for a experienced copier service man. Electronics background needed. Must have vehicle. Salary commensurate with experience. Excellent benefits. Call 683-3336. MONROE SYSTEMS FOR BUSINESS INC. 2318 West Ohio Midland Texas 79701 EOE. ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY/PERSONNEL RECORDS: Buy personnel office seeking person to perform secretarial functions for marketing & personnel. Duties & requirements include: accurate typing-60 wpm, xerox memorywriter 640, NCR 7910 computer usage, personnel reception, personnel record keeping, assisting employees, benefit processing. Salary \$6.30 to \$7.50 per hour. Please submit resume to: BOX1908 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

General Help Wanted: IMMEDIATE POSITION: Mature, experienced person to work with preschoolers. Must be able to work split shift and full time. Will need high school diploma and be 18 years of age. Call for appointment. Day Presbyterian Day Care Center 801 West Illinois 682-0076. TEMPORARY FULL-TIME POSITION: March 15-June 15. Midland Park Mall is seeking to fill a MALL SECRETARY OFFICE MANAGER position to replace an employee on maternity leave. QUALIFICATIONS: 55 WPM min. typing skills. 4-5 years secretary experience, personal computer experience and strong organizational/supervisory skills. Qualified applicants should send a resume with salary history to: Midland Park Mall, 4511 N. Midland Drive, Midland, Texas 79705. ATTN: Mall Manager. TELEMARKETER wanted experience necessary. Call 563-0765 for appointment.

General Help Wanted: OIL field supply person needed, 3-5 years experience. Send resume to: Carter Supply, Inc. P.O. Box 628, L. George, Texas 78945. OPPORTUNITY for bright, energetic person in clerical position. Requires non-smoker, high school diploma, 50 WPM typing, and desire to learn and advance. Will train on IBM computer, involves office routine and use of phones. Send resume to: P.O. Box 5747, Midland, Texas 79704 by March 1.

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ACCOUNTING ASSISTANT
Accounting Assistant needed in Corporate Tax Department. Applicants should have bookkeeping experience or accounting education. Salary commensurate with experience. Good benefits. Send resume & salary history in confidence to:

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I will clean houses empty or occupied. 697-5050

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