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Sprayberry case verdict expected today

By MARK LEWIS
Staff Writer

A verdict was expected to be reached today in the trial of a Midland justice of the peace accused of trying to force his secretary to perform oral sex on him while they were riding in his car.

Charlie Sprayberry, who did not take the stand in his own defense, faces a penalty range of two to 10 years in prison if convicted of attempting to sexually assault Wanda

Niblett on April 26, 1984. He also is eligible for probation.

"This defendant harassed her sexually," special prosecutor Andy Shuval told the six-man, six-woman jury during closing arguments this morning in the 142nd Judicial District courtroom. "He made obscene and lewd telephone calls" and gave her a vibrator which he referred to as "Mr. C."

"None of that has ever been challenged," he said. "What reason would Wanda Niblett have to lie

about the events of April 26, 1984? What can she gain?"

"I think I can answer Mr. Shuval's question," defense attorney John W. Smith told the jurors. "She got herself caught in a lie, and so here we are."

Ms. Niblett, 36, was sentenced to six months probation in 1984 for taking money from the Justice Court, and Smith suggested she started lying about Sprayberry to deflect attention from the theft.

Shuval ridiculed Smith's conspiracy theory, noting that the defense could have called Ms. Stephens as a witness but did not.

According to Ms. Niblett's Tuesday testimony, Sprayberry tried to assault her after taking her to lunch on April 26, 1984. She claimed he drove out into rural Midland County and exposed himself, then tried to force her head into his lap.

When she resisted, he grabbed her hand and forced her to touch him, she said. According to Ms. Niblett, she didn't report the incident at first because she was afraid of losing her job.

But defense witnesses testified

Wednesday that Ms. Niblett seemed friendly toward Sprayberry after she resigned her job at the Justice Court in August 1984.

"It appeared that she thought quite a bit of him," said Wayne Pinkerton, a Mobil Oil technician with whom Ms. Niblett worked in late 1984. Pinkerton described overhearing a telephone conversation in which Ms. Niblett, who is black, called Sprayberry and said, "This is your chocolate friend."

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Auctioneer Mark C. Thomas, left, opens bidding on merchandise at this week's two-day FDIC auction west of Midland. The auction concludes today, with more than 3,000 persons expected to attend.

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SOLD! FDIC auction draws buyers, curious crowd

By RON GILMORE
Staff Writer

A field of vehicles from Chevettes to Lincolns, hatchbacks to Macks, greeted more than 3,000 persons who showed up to shop and gawk at the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.'s two-day auction that started Wednesday.

Making their way through Midland's largest temporary used car lot, the visitors headed toward the hangar-like structure that has come to be the site of auctions held every three months by the FDIC.

"We've been having these auctions since early 1984," said spokesman Gene Shrode, a tall white-haired man who races around the site keeping order. "Overall, we've made \$10 to \$11 million collateral from them."

Shrode presided over a warehouse of unrelated goods — small, large, dusty and sparkling new — all going before the auctioneer's gavel. An equally diverse crowd pawed their way

through the sprawling merchandise.

A fashionably-dressed woman scrutinized an artificial Boston fern and then tried out one of several art deco chairs nearby. Running his hands along the smooth paint job of shiny yellow bulldozer, an elderly gentleman in a baseball cap pondered a purchase.

A jewelry case displaying a wealth of gemstones and gold caught the eye of a young mother as she jostled a child in her arms and tangled with two others at knee's height. In the center, a 3.5-carat diamond ring glistened un-

der the bright late morning sunlight streaming into the cavernous warehouse.

Outside the building, the metallic gleam of chrome and shiny black paint was just as alluring to two men dressed in motorcycle regalia. Their chains clinking as they got down on their knees to inspect the cycles, a louder sound — the ringing of the auctioneer's bell — signaled the beginning of the auction.

As the throng slowly pushed their way into prime positions, auctioneer Mark C. Thomas prepared to sell the wares in true West Texas fashion — from the back of a pickup parked in the middle of the building.

Thomas joked with the group to warm them up and then gave them stern warning that the FDIC was not in the retail business.

"If you buy something and when you get it home, it falls in half," he cautioned, "then you're the proud owner of two parts."

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Judge rules against FDIC; Millions in loans at stake

By ED TODD
Staff Writer

The Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. (FDIC) may stand to lose up to \$350 million in uncollected First National Bank (FNB) loans if a judgment by U.S. District Court Judge Lucius D. Bunton holds up in appellate court.

And many of the former FNB debtors whose guaranties are in possession of the FDIC are elated with prospects that they may not have to pay the FDIC on those notes.

In trying to collect on one of many soured loans which came into its possession when the First National Bank (FNB) of Midland failed on Oct. 14, 1983, the FDIC last year sued Aus-

tin attorney Daniel N. Matheson and Austin rare-book collector John H. Jenkins to recoup a portion of \$1.3 million still outstanding on loans to Trafalgar Drilling Co. of Midland to buy a \$1.4-million drilling rig from Weiss Corp. of Odessa.

Trafalgar President Woodrow W. Weir Jr. of Midland had signed FNB notes to secure loans for buying the rig and for working capital. An FNB document signed by FNB Vice President Stephens T. Harper indicated that 10 individuals, including Weir, Jenkins and Matheson, made up the Trafalgar partnership.

The FDIC already has collected about a third of the \$1.5-billion which it hopes to recoup.

Since FDIC was unable to get any

money from Trafalgar, it sought out Matheson and Jenkins, who in April 1981 had signed guaranties which ensured that they would pay their pro-rata share of the loan. Jenkins' percentage was 19.2 percent or \$252,693.07, and Matheson's share was 17.7 percent or \$232,951.43.

But Midland attorney Jim Boldrick, who represented Matheson, and Austin attorney Tom Watkins, who represented Jenkins, found a loophole in the guaranty form. And Bunton took the case from the jury. And in a directed verdict, he found in favor of the defendants, Matheson and Jenkins.

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Truly becomes shuttle director as Challenger probe widens

WASHINGTON (AP) — Former astronaut Richard H. Truly was named today to direct the battered space shuttle program. He immediately vowed to help find and fix the cause of last month's Challenger disaster so the manned space flight program can resume.

But he conceded, "I don't have the slightest idea" when a shuttle would fly again.

Truly's appointment was announced by acting NASA administrator William Graham, who said the former astronaut's duties would include directing the space agency's own internal probe into the Jan. 28 shuttle disaster.

"We have overcome very difficult times before," Truly, a two-time shuttle pilot, told a news conference.



Truly

Moore

Graham's announcement came as a presidential commission demanded all "documents, memoranda or personal notes" of NASA and industry officials who engaged in a hotly debated decision to launch Challeng-

er despite misgivings about cold weather.

An executive of the company that makes the space shuttle booster rockets said its managers initially opposed a cold weather liftoff but withdrew their objections the night before Challenger's ill-fated launch, despite the reservations of at least one engineer. Thomas Russell, an executive in Morton Thiokol's Chicago headquarters, said Wednesday that new, last-minute information persuaded top company managers to approve the launch. He declined to reveal exactly what prompted the company to withdraw its original objections.

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Iranian passenger plane attacked

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — Iran announced today that an Iranian passenger plane on a domestic flight between Tehran and Ahvaz was attacked by an Iraqi jet fighter and blown up in the sky.

The official Islamic Republic News Agency said the attack occurred about noon local time, but did not give other details or say whether it was a civilian or military aircraft.

"There are no immediate reports on the site of the crash and the num-

ber of passengers," the news agency said.

The dispatch gave no information on the type of plane, where it was shot down, or how many passengers it had been carrying. There was no immediate comment from Iraq.

In Bahrain, Persian Gulf aviation sources who spoke on condition they not be identified said the Iranian plane was a turboprop Fokker Friendship used by Iran for military purposes. A Fokker Friendship can

carry about 40 passengers.

Ahvaz is some 330 miles southwest of Tehran, and about 60 miles east of Iraq. Iran and Iraq have been fighting a border war for 5 1/2 years.

Both sides reported increased activity by their air forces Wednesday despite bad weather on the war front. Iran claimed to have shot down four Iraqi jetfighters, while Iraq said it downed one Iranian jet and a four-engine C-130 plane used as an airborne radar command post.

Reagan won't be sorry U.S. helped, he tells Grenadians

ST. GEORGES, Grenada (AP) — President Reagan said today he "will never be sorry" that he sent troops to oust the Marxist government of this tiny Caribbean island. Nineteen Americans died in the invasion.

Reagan also said the United States "must help those struggling for freedom in Nicaragua," but did not indicate any intention to intervene militarily in the Central American nation.

In a speech prepared for delivery in the Grenadian capital, Reagan recalled being awakened early in the morning of Oct. 23, 1983, and told that six members of the Organization of Eastern Caribbean States, joined by Jamaica and Barbados, had requested U.S. intervention after the overthrow and murder of Grenadian Prime Minister Maurice Bishop.

The United States invaded two days later. Today, Reagan said, "I

will never be sorry that I made the decision to help you."

The president added that, "in Nicaragua, we see a chain of events similar to what happened here. We hear the same excuses made for the Communists, while the people of Nicaragua see their freedom, slowly but surely, eaten away."

"That is why the United States must help those struggling for freedom in Nicaragua."

He said that, "in the cause of liberty, all free people are part of the same family. We should stand together as brothers and sisters."

"If we do, the Nicaraguan people will be able to free themselves from communist tyranny and win the liberty you now enjoy in Grenada."

Reagan also announced that the United States, under its Caribbean Basin Initiative, plans to triple funds for educational programs for the Caribbean.

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Aquino says she's determined to assume presidency soon

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — Corason Aquino met today with diplomats from more than a dozen European nations and Japan, and told them she was determined to assume the presidency of the Philippines at the "earliest possible time."

She also rejected suggestions that the bitterly contested Feb. 7 election won by President Ferdinand E. Marcos be annulled and another called, saying there was more at stake than the "petulance of a spoiled and aging

dictator who tried to cheat...and failed."

The opposition leader accuses Marcos, who has governed the Philippines for 20 years, of rigging the polls and robbing her of the presidency. The election has been widely criticized here and abroad as fraudulent.

In a statement issued after her meetings with the diplomats, Mrs. Aquino said that to annul the election would be "to forget how much

toil, sweat, tears and blood was involved in giving and attempting to protect the overwhelming vote I received at the polls."

Representatives from nine of the 12 European Economic Community members met with Mrs. Aquino for 45 minutes and discussed the "state of world opinion" regarding the National Assembly's proclamation Saturday that Marcos won the election, the statement said.

Mrs. Aquino then received the am-

bassadors of Austria, Norway, Switzerland, Finland and Sweden, and met separately with Japanese Ambassador Kiyoshi Sumiya.

"Mrs. Aquino reiterated her determination to vindicate the people's verdict and assume the presidency at the earliest possible time," during the meetings, said the statement.

A Common Market diplomat told reporters it seemed "more and more clear" that none of the member countries will send representatives

to Marcos' inauguration Feb. 25.

None has sent Marcos the usual congratulatory message, and the diplomat, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said that was because under the circumstances, "We don't deem it appropriate." The Soviet Union sent Marcos a congratulatory message Wednesday.

Meanwhile, in a telephone interview, Local Governments Minister Jose Rono today accused the U.S. Senate of acting prematurely by

passing a resolution questioning Marcos' re-election.

The Senate resolution, passed by a vote of 85-0 Wednesday, said the Philippine elections were "marked by such widespread fraud that they cannot be considered a fair reflection of the will of the people of the Philippines."

The Senate "prematurely made a judgment," Rono said, adding that it had not yet heard from a second observer group sent to Manila.

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'Debris field' could yield right booster

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Salvage experts say they are confident their seabottom search has found most of the wreckage of what could be a primary culprit in the destruction of the space shuttle Challenger — its right booster.

The search also has yielded parts of a 16-ton satellite launcher, but an 11-by-20-inch piece, a hydraulic reservoir, has convinced salvors they've found a "debris field" containing much of the solid-fuel rocket booster.

"I am confident we're going to find all of the right-hand SRB," Air Force Col. Edward A. O'Conner, head of shuttle search and recovery operations, said Wednesday.

The right booster is a prime suspect among investigators who believe that freezing temperatures deteriorated synthetic rubber O-ring seals in a bottom seam, leading to a leak that vented a spurt of flame which ignited the shuttle's external tank.

However, O'Conner said, "at this point, we don't have any identified debris from that area" of the suspected leaky seam.

He and Capt. Charles A. Bartholomew, the Navy's supervisor of salvage, said it would be a laborious process to locate and identify pieces of the booster for recovery, despite the urgency of an investigation by a presidential commission.

It could take as long as four to six months to recover all of the right booster, O'Conner said, but the process could be speeded up if the space agency determines it wants only certain parts.

O'Conner said nothing has been identified as the crew cabin and would not say if any human remains or personal effects of any of Challenger's seven crew members had been recovered.

A preliminary identification has been made of debris from the left booster at another search area several miles from the site of the right booster, O'Conner said.

The parts of the two boosters were tracked by radar until they hit the water 43 miles northeast of the launch site. Bartholomew said that area lies just outside of a 10-by-25-mile rectangle being searched for other wreckage.

"Every inch of ocean bottom" is being mapped by sonar and robot submersibles operating from five surface ships in those 250 square miles, he said.

PROBE

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Although NASA called the news conference to announce that Truly would replace Jesse Moore as shuttle director, many reporters' questions dealt with the probe into the Challenger accident.

Moore, who will become the new director of the Johnson Space Flight Center in Houston, said he had no knowledge in the hours before the launch that there had been a heated debate about whether cold weather posed a threat to the seals on the shuttle's solid rocket booster engines. If he had known, Moore said, "I would certainly have asked a lot of questions."

Truly's appointment means that Moore will move to Houston a few months earlier than originally expected.

Truly said he had virtually no firsthand knowledge of what went wrong last month, but suspected there was no single cause of the accident that destroyed Challenger and killed its seven member crew. He said he expected a chain of events would prove responsible, and said whatever the cause "we will take action ... to correct it."

Truly, a naval rear admiral who had a 14-year career as an astronaut, flew on the second shuttle flight in 1981 and the eighth flight — aboard Challenger — in 1983. "Welcome back, Dick," Graham said in announcing Truly's new duties.

Presidential commission chairman William P. Rogers announced the demand for the documents Wednesday

as other panel members said they were alarmed by NASA's handling of certain flight safety issues in the hours before launch — especially the right rocket booster that is a suspected cause of the accident.

One commission member said he found the process that led to the decision to launch the Challenger "horrrifying."

Speaking on the condition he not be identified, the commission member said there was information that the launch team would normally have that was "not given to them. ... That's the shocker, that they did not have the information you would normally expect them to have."

Rogers said in his statement that three senior NASA officials never were told of strenuous objections raised by some engineers working for Morton Thiokol, the firm that makes the shuttle's twin rocket boosters.

Similarly, one source also said the panel was "surprised" to find out that top space agency officials never knew of unusually low temperature readings of around 7 to 9 degrees Fahrenheit on the surface of the rocket booster.

One Morton Thiokol engineer, Allan J. McDonald, said in interviews that he continued to object to the launch even after his superiors had overruled him and given their assent.

Truly, a Navy fighter pilot during the early 1960s, made his first shuttle flight in November 1981 at the age of 43 and became the first grandfather to fly in space. He trained under the

Air Force's old Manned Orbiting Laboratory program, which has since been scrapped.

He was a Mission Control capsule communicator for all three of the Skylab space station missions and for the joint U.S.-Soviet manned space flight in 1975.

Moore has been head of NASA's internal investigation into the Jan. 28 Challenger explosion and has been the chief witness before the presidential commission. NASA had said five days before the Challenger tragedy that Moore would serve until May in dual roles as shuttle boss and as the Johnson Center director.

Seven crew members were killed when the Challenger exploded 73 seconds after liftoff from Cape Canaveral, Fla. Officials have said that the shuttle's problems appear to have started in the area of the right solid rocket booster, which emitted a black puff of smoke in the first second of the flight.

Several experts have expressed concern about the effect that cold weather might have had on the seals that join segments of the solid rockets. The temperature around the pad was 38 degrees at the time of launch.

In his statement Wednesday, Rogers announced that public hearings would resume next Tuesday and Wednesday.

His request to have all notes taken during the decision-making process delivered to the commission by the close of business Friday was a strong indication of the direction the probe has taken.

FDIC

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THE FNB GUARANTY said that benefits of the guaranty, were it transferred from the bank to another, would go to the new holder of the debt but only on the condition that "all indebtedness to the Creditor (FNB) shall first be paid in full."

The clause reads: "This guaranty shall inure to be benefit of the transferee, assignee, or holder of the principal debt; however, all indebtedness to the Creditor shall first be paid in full, before the assignee of any debt guaranteed shall receive any benefit of this contract of guaranty."

In his ruling, Bunton found that Trafalgar's indebtedness to the original holder, FNB, "has not been paid in full."

The FDIC-C in its corporate capacity had paid FDIC-R as receiver of the FNB about \$946 million for \$1.5 billion in FNB assets, which included the Trafalgar loan.

Payment was about 63 percent of face value.

"The FDIC-C paid less than book or face value for the assets which it acquired (including the note and guaranties in question) from the FDIC-R as part of the Purchase and Assumption transaction," Bunton ruled.

Bunton concluded that the guaranty's language that "all indebtedness ... shall first be paid in full" is a condition precedent to the enforcement of the guaranties.

"THE Y (FDIC-C) WANTED to collect \$1.5 billion," noted Boldrick. "This (the FDIC vs. Matheson-Jenkins case) is just the first time which this point was raised. They didn't pay 100 cents on this note. ... They (FDIC) admitted that they didn't pay off the (other) notes in full."

Bunton said that the conditions (the defunct FNB) under which FDIC acquired the note "does not alter its obligation to meet the requirements of the guaranties prior to its enforcement thereof."

Boldrick and Watkins admitted

"stumbling" onto the guaranty's clause which apparently frees Matheson and Jenkins and possibly several hundred others from liabilities.

Still outstanding are about 600 FDIC cases linked to similar guaranty agreements and which represent about \$350 million in loans, Boldrick said FDIC attorneys admitted in court.

"It's an unbelievable amount of money," he said. "The impact of what the FDIC will do will be diminished in this town if the case stands up (on appeal), and I have no reason to believe it won't."

Bunton today said FDIC attorneys told him in court that \$350 million in loans were secured from the FNB with guaranties which have the same clause as does the Matheson-Jenkins guaranties. "I don't think that the clause or phrase was in there for the benefit of the people that signed it (the guaranty)," Bunton said. "They (Matheson and Jenkins) found out about it after they got sued."

STANLEY CLARK, FDIC managing liquidator for the Midland Branch Office, declined to comment on the \$350 million figure or on its impact on the FDIC were the FDIC vs. Matheson-Jenkins case to be upheld by the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans. La. Clark said that FDIC estimates of the amount of loans affected by the particular guaranty do not agree with the \$350 million figure. He declined to say if the FDIC estimate was higher or lower than the \$350 figure.

However, Clark said he was "certain" that the case would be appealed.

FDIC attorneys, including Mitzi Turner of El Paso, opted not to comment. Ms. Turner said she "will not comment."

Watkins said he had heard rumors of the \$350-million impact, "but I don't know the magnitude of the problem."

"I felt very lucky to stumble across it (the loophole)," he said.

"I don't have any doubt that the FDIC, corporation, paid full (fair-market) value," Watkins said. "They paid as much as the assets were worth." The fair-market value of some of those energy notes was "zero," he said. Boldrick, too, admitted that some of notes were "worthless" despite their face value.

After FNB's collapse, RepublicBank Dallas secured the right to purchase \$200 million in FNB loans from FDIC, assumed the deposit liabilities of FNB, paid FDIC a premium of about \$51.1 million, purchased \$35 million in FNB tangible assets and open a new bank, RepublicBank First National Midland.

Bunton had told the jury that "Even the blind hog finds an acorn" in explaining the discovery of the loophole, Boldrick said.

"It's uncommon, but it's not unique," Boldrick said of the clause, which was not common to all of FNB's guaranties. "And no one else had bothered to protest. ... It's obviously going to have a substantial hit (impact) on FDIC."

BOLDRICK SAID a disbelieving lawyer told a client involved in FDIC litigation that he would "drop his drawers and run down the hall" were the FDIC vs. Matheson-Jenkins case to have such a possible domino impact.

He was assured that Bunton ruled against FDIC on the basis of the clause.

"He dropped his drawers and ran down the hall," Boldrick said.

"So, there's been a lot of joy in town to say the least," he said of possible ramifications of the case. "They are really getting excited about it. The FDIC just has not been the 'good guy' in the community," Boldrick said.

Boldrick said that defendants in cases similar to that of the Matheson-Jenkins have petitioned to "come back to court and raise that point (the loophole in the guaranty)."

"You're probably going to see some innovative cases," he said.

Public Notice

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in accordance with an order of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, hereby gives notice that on January 6, 1986, the Company filed a tariff to introduce a new service offering called INFORMATION DELIVERY SERVICE - Dial 976.

INFORMATION DELIVERY SERVICE - Dial 976 service consists of a serving arrangement for sponsor use to provide a recorded announcement or recorded interactive program services. A sponsor of DIAL 976 service is an information provider who wishes Southwestern Bell Telephone Company to transport and bill callers on their behalf for each call completed to the sponsor's recorded announcement or recorded interactive program and for whom the company agrees to provide such billing. Each caller to a 976 number is a "client" of the sponsor.

Callers to DIAL 976 service will be billed a sponsor established charge per call. It is expected that the net revenue effect of this new service will have a positive impact on company revenues.

The Commission has assigned this matter to Docket 6689. A hearing on the merits of this docket shall be held on Friday, May 16, 1986 at 10 a. m. in the Commission offices at 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard in Austin, Texas.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission within two weeks from the date of this publication, but, in any event, no later than March 17, 1986.

A request to intervene, participate or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.

Aviso Público

De conformidad con una orden de la Comisión de Servicios Públicos de Texas, Southwestern Bell Telephone por medio del presente aviso anuncia que el 6 de Enero de 1986 la compañía registró una tarifa para introducir un nuevo servicio denominado SERVICIO DE TRANSMISION DE INFORMACION - Marque el 976.

SERVICIO DE TRANSMISION DE INFORMACION - Marque el 976, consiste en un arreglo de servicio a ser usado por patrocinadores de manera de proveer un anuncio grabado o servicios de programas interactivos grabados. Un patrocinador del servicio MARQUE EL 976 es un proveedor de información que desea que Southwestern Bell Telephone Company transporte y cobre a las personas que llamen, en su nombre, por cada llamada completada al anuncio grabado o programa interactivo grabado del patrocinador y para quien la compañía acepta proveer dicha facturación. Cada persona que llame a un número 976 es un "cliente" del patrocinador.

A las personas que llamen al servicio MARQUE EL 976 se les cobrará un cargo por llamada establecido por el patrocinador. Se espera que el efecto de ganancia neta de este nuevo servicio tendrá un impacto positivo sobre las ganancias de la compañía.

La Comisión ha registrado este asunto bajo el Expediente 6689. Se llevará a cabo una audiencia para discutir los méritos de este expediente a las 10 de la mañana, el viernes 16 de Mayo de 1986 en las oficinas de la Comisión, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard en Austin, Texas.

Toda persona que desee intervenir o participar en el presente proceso debe notificar a la Comisión dentro de dos semanas de la fecha de esta publicación, pero en todo caso no después del 17 de Marzo de 1986.

Las solicitudes de intervención, participación o información deben dirigirse a Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Para obtener mayor información debe llamar a Public Utility Commission, Consumer Affairs Division, (512) 458-0223, ó (512) 458-0227, ó al (512) 458-0221 si requiere teletipo para personas con impedimentos de audición.

AUCTION

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"We're not concerned with the condition of the merchandise but we'll do everything we can do to protect that merchandise."

While Thomas gave a slight pause as though to draw a deep breath, the crowd visibly braced and the auction began.

Ringing out in a throat-wrenching yet melodious cadence, Thomas cast his spell over the gathering as they shouted out and waved their hands to indicate their desired price.

The lulling ramble of the auctioneer's voice came to an abrupt halt as the first deal of the day was made.

"Last call. Talk to me," shouted Thomas. "Sold. For \$1,900."

At day's end, an eerie silence swept through the room as the proceedings halted. Smiling buyers headed toward the large exits with the knowledge that they got a good buy on needed merchandise, while the FDIC counted \$700,000 for the first day's results.

With more than 1,150 registered buyers and twice as many curious lookers, the auction is expected to be one of the largest, volume-wise, ever for the FDIC, according to Shrode.

"We're shooting for \$800,000 to \$1 million," he said. "The largest we've ever had was \$1.2 million but we could go over that."

It's also one of the most publicized.

"ABC and NBC and McNeil-Lehrer are all here," said Shrode. "They're in town doing something on the oil price situation and decided to drop by here."

National network cameras took in the whole phenomenon — racks of brand new stereo equipment, used department store Christmas decorations, dairy case coolers, oil field mud pumps, typewriters, a Mercedes Roadster replica, mobile homes and coin collections and a group of store mannequins — all available for the right price.

The right price was on the minds of many attending the extravaganza.

"We're not looking for anything specific," said two buyers, Ben and Ruth Florey of Odessa. "Just whatever we can get the cheapest."

TRIAL

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"She spoke really highly of him," testified Tina Chatham, who worked with Ms. Niblett as a temporary office worker.

Ms. Niblett had testified Tuesday that Sprayberry frequently subjected her to sexual harassment at the office. But Linda Flow, who worked as a secretary for Sprayberry during the same period Ms. Niblett was similarly employed, testified Wednesday she was unaware of any tension between the two.

Ms. Flow also testified that she had discovered Ms. Niblett's theft of "between \$1,800 and \$1,700" and reported it. Ms. Niblett had testified that she reported the theft herself to Sprayberry. According to earlier testimony, she made full restitution and was sentenced to six months probation for theft under \$750.

Ms. Flow said there was a high rate of turnover among Sprayberry's female clerical employees. Shuval asked if she knew of any women apart from Ms. Niblett who had complained of sexual harassment by Sprayberry.

"I do," she said, but visiting Judge James H. Clack of Andrews sustained Smith's objection that such testimony was inadmissible as hearsay.

Dallas Smith, who was Midland County Sheriff during 1984, testified

he never heard of any reports to his office about the April 26 incident. But Ms. Niblett's sister, Barbara Barnes, had earlier testified that Ms. Niblett told her about it in June 1984.

"She said he (Sprayberry) was nasty and sick," Ms. Barnes testified Wednesday.

John Smith had questioned Ms. Niblett at length regarding exactly when she reported the alleged assault to law-enforcement officers. She said she didn't remember, but admitted having told Ms. Stephens about it when the Sprayberrys were going through divorce proceedings.

Ms. Stephens was never called to the stand. Both sides closed unexpectedly about 3 p.m. Wednesday without calling a number of rebuttal witnesses who had been subpoenaed.

After the state rested its case Wednesday afternoon, Smith had moved for a directed verdict of acquittal, but Clack denied the motion.

The jurors also had a lesser-included charge of false imprisonment, a Class B misdemeanor, to consider.

Midland courthouse officials have excused themselves from the case. Shuval was brought in from Austin to conduct the prosecution, and Clack, of the 109th District Court in Andrews, agreed to replace 238th District Court Judge Vann Culp.

Sprayberry, who took an unpaid leave of absence after being indicted in November, also faces two misdemeanor charges of telephone harassment and three misdemeanor

charges of barratry, or improperly soliciting cases for an attorney. Those charges were to be tried later at the county-court level.

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Prince tours Shell refinery, San Jacinto Monument

HOUSTON (AP) — Britain's Prince Charles headed for Austin today to help celebrate Texas' Sesquicentennial bash after busy days of touring in the state's two largest cities — Dallas and Houston.

Prince Charles was asked to host a ceremony on the Capitol steps that will include a 21-gun salute and a flyover by the Texas Air National Guard. Late this afternoon, the prince is to cut the world's largest birthday cake — 90,000 pounds and measuring 80 feet by 110 feet.

It took about 32 hours to bake the cake, with 20,000 three-pound layers and large enough to feed 300,000, and 24 hours to assemble it. Each slice was priced at \$1.50, or \$150 for a sheet, with proceeds earmarked for restoration of the Texas Capitol.

Duncan Hines, which is sponsoring the cake, provided 31,026 boxes of

yellow cake mix. The concoction required 93,108 eggs, 10,246 cups of vegetable oil, 25,796 cups of water, and 30,000 pounds of icing.

The prince, traveling without Princess Diana and their two sons, on Wednesday toured the Shell Oil Co. refinery in Deer Park, the San Jacinto Monument and a retirement home in Highlands named after his favorite uncle, Lord Louis Mountbatten.

About 300 people, many with cameras and American and British flags, withstood record-breaking temperatures in the upper 80s for several hours, waiting for the prince to arrive at the Mountbatten House, about 30 miles east of Houston.

The prince visited for about 30 minutes with Hazel Reilly, an 82-year-old resident at the home.

"He was very nice. I think he was



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handsome," Mrs. Reilly said. "He was just a nice young man."

Mrs. Reilly, who forgot to ask for an autograph for her granddaughter, said she didn't buy a new dress for the occasion, but did get her hair done.

"This is the most exciting thing that's happened in a long time," she said.

Earlier Wednesday, Shell President John Bookout took the prince

up an elevator to a 300-foot tower to get an overall view of the refinery and visited an automated control room where the industrial solvent phenol acetone is produced.

The prince met with about a dozen employees in the control room, inquiring about their duties and even asked one if working night shifts ever created problems at home with his wife.

"I explained that it didn't cause

any problems," Al Castaneda, 32, said.

After a lunch of tacos with about 25 Shell employees, the prince, next in line for the British throne, boarded the motor vessel "Sam Houston," going along the Houston Ship Channel toward the battlefield at San Jacinto where Texas forces under Sam Houston defeated the Mexican army in 1836 to win independence.

The battlefield, about 20 miles east of Houston, now is marked by a monument that is a virtual duplicate of the Washington Monument.

"I've learned a little bit about San Jacinto and oil refineries," Prince Charles said. "But not being a chemist, it's all very confusing."

The prince, saying he found it interesting, toured a museum at the base of the 570-foot monument, then

rode an elevator to an observation tower at the top.

More than 500 people waited outside the monument to catch a glimpse of the prince.

"If it's as hot as this in the winter, what is it like in the summer?" the prince asked.

Several of the people carried signs of welcome. Two or three signs were critical of the prince's visit, and people carrying the signs attempted to heckle the prince but were shouted down by the crowd.

"I touched him," squealed Mayda Rosales, 37, of Houston. "I kissed him. He is gorgeous. He is such a gentleman."

Wednesday evening, the prince attended a black-tie banquet hosted by Mayor Kathy Whitmire and attended by several hundred people who dined on quail, pheasant and salmon.

Hance: White should make cuts in his own office

LONGVIEW (AP) — Republican gubernatorial candidate Kent Hance said Gov. Mark White should have prefaced his call for reduced state government spending by announcing cuts in his own office.

White asked all state agencies Tuesday to cut 13 percent from their spending in response to a projected \$1.3 billion state budget shortfall.

"If he wants to have any feel on it, he should have come out and said, 'I today have cut so much and I ask agencies to do likewise,'" Hance said Wednesday during an East Texas campaign swing.

White seems to have less than a firm handle on state spending, Hance said in a speech to the Gregg County Women's Club.

"The governor, in the last budget, said it was a bare-bones budget, and there's no way we can find any more cuts. Now he's saying we are bound to be able to find another \$1.3 billion," Hance said.

"My question is, was he right then, or is he right now? He was probably wrong both times," he told the luncheon meeting.

Hance said he could not predict "how much effect" White's call for spending cuts will have.

"White doesn't have much legal authority other than just asking," Hance said.

The Republican challenger said the next state budget should include less spending in the governor's office, with much of it coming out of the governor's budget office. He said that office's proposed state budget is generally ignored by legislators, who draw the spending document.

Hance said a Texas governor can have more input in the budget process by preparing a brief, general spending plan and then using the threat of veto to get his point across.

"There's room to make some cuts. You may have to eliminate some programs," he said. "I would write letters to the appropriations committee and let them know what I would veto."

Hance, former Republican governor Bill Clements and U.S. Rep. Tom Loeffler of Hunt are seeking the GOP nomination to challenge White, who faces several candidates in the May 3 Democratic primary.

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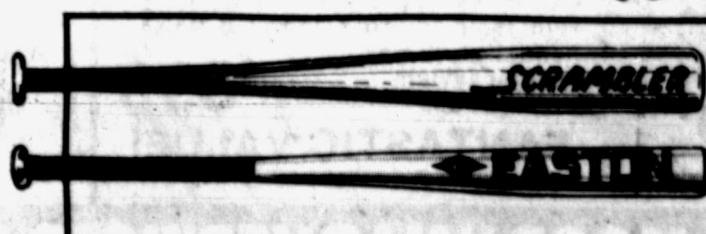


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Second child receives overdose of morphine

DALLAS (AP) — A 3-year-old boy received an overdose of morphine an hour after a 6-year-old girl was given a fatal dose of the drug at the same clinic, a clinic official says.

Jason Tarde survived the drug overdose after two days of intensive care at Children's Medical Center in Dallas. But the girl, Katoya Woods, died Jan. 22 at Methodist Medical Center.

A nurse gave both children morphine shots Jan. 21 at a CIGNA clinic after the two came in to receive stitches for cuts, said Dr. James Bowerman, medical director of CIGNA Healthplan in Dallas. CIGNA is a health maintenance organization.

Bowerman said Tuesday the nurse gave the children morphine shots after a CIGNA doctor had prescribed Demerol, another painkiller. He said both drugs are kept in the same locked cabinet.

Bowerman said the same doctor and nurse handled both cases, but would not name them.

Man jailed in slaying

ORANGE (AP) — A 19-year-old man has been jailed in connection with the strangulation slaying last Dec. 23 of a service station operator. Police arrested Robert "Bubba" King Conway Jr. Wednesday evening after an Orange County grand jury indicted him on a charge of capital murder in the death of W. Keister Hoke, 71.

Conway was arraigned Wednesday before Justice of the Peace Claude Wimberly, who ordered Conway held without bond.

Authorities said Conway worked as a mechanic in a business near Hoke's station and once worked for Hoke, who had operated an Exxon station on Interstate 10 in Orange for more than 20 years.

Police said it appeared Hoke had opened the door to a man, who then hit him with a soda pop bottle. Hoke was strangled with a telephone cord and a homemade weapon police recovered at the scene, police said.

Special session urged

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Public Employees Association on Wednesday urged Gov. Mark White to call

the Legislature into special session to deal with the projected \$1.3 billion budget shortfall.

Gary Hughes, the group's executive director, said in a letter to White that the Legislature should determine which state government programs should be cut.

White on Tuesday issued an executive order calling on state agency directors to cut spending 13 percent over the next 1 1/2 years.

"In my opinion, you do not have the right to speak for the Legislature or the authority to enforce your arbitrary executive ultimatum," Hughes wrote.

Hughes said lawmakers should make the decisions rather than agency heads, and he predicted that employees would be laid off to meet White's spending cuts. The governor has said he doesn't expect to lay any one off.

TDC warden suspended

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — Howard Mitchell, warden at the Texas Department of Corrections' Central Unit, has been relieved of his duties, spokesman Phil Guthrie said Wednesday.

Mitchell will receive full pay pending completion of an investigation into allegations by inmates, Guthrie said.

The department declined further comment on the suspension of Mitchell, 48, the department's first black warden.

Lepher Jenkins was appointing acting warden at the Central Unit, located in Sugar Land. Mitchell has been with the department since 1968, starting as a correctional officer. He had been assistant warden at three other TDC facilities before being named warden in 1981.

Plans for Democratic debate 'up in the air'

AUSTIN (AP) — A televised debate among the Republican candidates for governor has been scheduled in April, the Texas League of Women Voters says. But plans for a Democratic debate remain up in the air.

League official Modelle Brudner said Wednesday the GOP debate would be held April 14 from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

But the league remains unable to schedule a debate for the six Democratic candidates, she said, adding that time is running out to set up such a session before the May 3 primary election.

All three GOP candidates — former Gov. Bill Clements, U.S. Rep. Tom Loeffler and former congressman Kent Hance — are scheduled to participate, Ms. Brudner said.

"They were all willing to debate. We had a little problem finding a date, but it's set now," she said in a telephone interview from Houston.

Ms. Brudner said the debate will be televised by KHOU-TV. Broadcast coverage of the debate will be offered to television and radio stations statewide, and a Spanish translation will be provided, she said.

Ms. Brudner said the league is continuing to work with the six Democratic candidates, including incumbent Gov. Mark White.

"But if we don't get something settled in the next week or so, I'm afraid we'll have to drop it," she said.

The problem, she said, is "a date for Gov. White. We have not been able to come to any date at this point."

In the past, White said he would be willing to debate his Democratic

opponents, but two of those opponents said Wednesday that White is ducking them.

Mark McKinnon, White's campaign press secretary, said White remains willing to debate but that the governor's campaign staff wants the five other candidates to contact them about arranging a forum.

"We have encouraged all our primary opponents' campaign personnel to contact our people," McKinnon said.

Dallas businessman Andrew Briscoe, second cousin of former Gov. Dolph Briscoe, said he told the League of Women Voters he is willing to debate any time. White is the hangup, he said.

"He appears to be hedging on his promise to debate any opponent," Briscoe said.

"We've been in contact with the league, trying to finalize a debate. Modelle (Brudner) says the chances of having a debate if Mark White won't participate are slim."

Briscoe said he also contacted White's campaign staff, as they requested.

"We've tried desperately, three or four times, but have yet to hear anything from White's staff. I think they want it all to go away," Briscoe said.

McKinney lawyer A. Don Crowder also said he had contacted White's campaign staff, to no avail.

"They've never made contact with me — not once," Crowder said Wednesday. "Briscoe called me, and he was fed up, too."

Crowder said he is willing to debate "any time, any place, any form, any format."

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Iran, Iraq battle for control of port city

SOUTHERN MAJNOON OIL-FIELD, Iraq (AP) — Iraqi forces who recaptured Majnoon island after two years unleashed a barrage of howitzer, mortar and rocket fire in an effort to contain an Iranian offensive, and dug in for an expected counterattack.

Fierce air and ground battles, meanwhile, raged to the south Wednesday as the two sides struggled for control of the Iraqi oil port of Faw, captured by Iran during an offensive it launched Feb. 9.

Both sides reported increased air activity despite bad weather. Iran claimed it shot down four Iraqi jet-fighters, while Iraq reported down-

ing one Iranian F-5 fighter and a four-engine C-130 plane used as an airborne radar command post.

Foreign correspondents were taken by Iranian and Iraqi officials to opposite sides of the marshy front-line for the first time since Iran launched its offensive.

The two sides have been at war since September 1980.

Iraqi gunners pounded Iranian positions around the oilfield in an apparent attempt to prevent an expansion of the offensive. They deployed 40-barreled Soviet-built rocket launchers and a variety of howitzers and mortars in the barrage against the Iranian forces.

Col. Abbas al-Rawi, commander of Iraqi troops which routed Iranian forces from 90 percent of this 40-square-mile oil-rich terrain last week, said the Iraqis "expect the Iranians to attack any minute."

Majnoon was captured during an Iranian offensive two years ago. By recapturing the southern Majnoon oilfield, better known as the greater Majnoon, the Iraqis regained control of four oil wells whose proven reserves were estimated at about 8.5 billion barrels, Col. al-Rawi said.

The smaller northern Majnoon island, which has no oil, remains under Iranian occupation.

Iranians take media through captured city

EDITOR'S NOTE — An AP photographer joined other journalists on a tour of an area seized by Iran in the latest phase of the Gulf War.

By **ARISTOTLE SARICOSTAS**

FAW, Iraq (AP) — "Get moving! Get moving!" the Iranian helicopter crewmen shouted as they touched down in this captured Iraqi border town. Overhead, attacking Iraqi jets fired rockets.

The journalists dropped from the three choppers and ran for buses parked nearby. One rocket hit a mound of earth beside a road, spewing dust over them. Some struck only 50 yards away.

Wolfgang Steinbauer, Middle East editor of the West German magazine Der Spiegel, collapsed. Iranian officials said later he had died of a heart attack.

Iran claims to have captured more than 300 square miles of Iraqi territory around Faw, on the western shore of the Shatt al-Arab waterway that divides the two warring countries, but Iraqi jets appeared to attack with ease.

The 23 visiting journalists taken on a 3½-hour tour of Faw Wednesday saw or heard seven air strikes, and watched some of the planes sweep in at just enough altitude to avoid Iranian ground fire.

Iran took Faw on Feb. 11. That was two days after it began the latest offensive through the southern border marshes in the war that began in September 1980.

No Iraqis remained in the town's mud-brick houses, but Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini's Revolutionary Guards were everywhere. Some appeared to be only 14 or 15 years old. Revolutionary Guards, untrained

and inexperienced, have made up a large part of previous invasion forces that Iran's fundamentalist Shiite Moslem government has sent into the border wetlands.

Most of the buildings in Faw had suffered some damage. Iranian flags flew in several squares.

Revolutionary Guards carrying light automatic weapons and rocket-propelled grenades shouted: "Down with America! Down with France! Down with England!"

Their loudest chant was "Down with Saddam!" referring to Saddam Hussein, president of Iraq.

Hussein seeks a negotiated end to the war, which he started by invading Iran in an attempt to gain full control of the Shatt al-Arab, Iraq's only outlet to the sea. Khomeini has vowed to continue fighting until the Iraqi leader is driven from power.

Liberia temporarily rejects French request to take Duvalier

MONROVIA, Liberia (AP) — The government of this West African country rejected at least temporarily a request by France to give political asylum to former Haitian dictator Jean-Claude Duvalier.

also said Wednesday that France had turned down his client's request to remain there. Duvalier and his family have been living in a resort hotel in Tallioress, France since he fled Haiti on Feb. 7.

The French repeatedly have said they only accepted Duvalier temporarily at the request of the United States until he could find a permanent home.

Liberia had been the only country to indicate publicly that it might accept Duvalier, 34, and his family.

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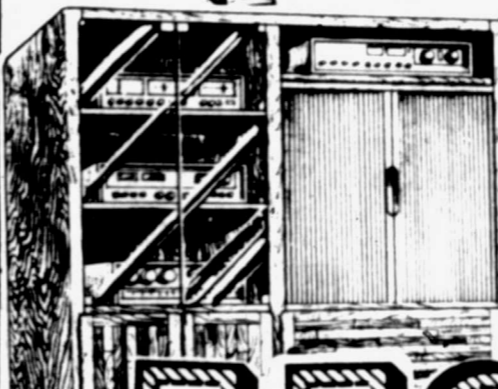
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'Prince' shouldn't make race close

PHOENIX — Politics is not a profession for people who crave solitude. However, John McCain, a Republican congressman seeking a Senate seat, has had enough solitude to last a lifetime. It was solitude handed out by Hanoi, which means it was interspersed with torture.



George F. Will

Halsey during World War II. So it was all in the family for the grandson to be flying an A-4 Skyhawk off a carrier and over Hanoi on Oct. 27, 1967. And it was natural for his captors to call him "the crown prince."

training from black leaders at a church lunch. Working the tables, he practices the tactile side of politics, shaking hands, slapping backs, gripping forearms, kneading shoulders.

Rep. John Rhodes, Gov. Bruce Babbitt, Sens. Dennis DeConcini and Barry Goldwater, who is retiring from the seat McCain is seeking are from families whose records of public service run deep into the state's pre-history, known here as "pre-air conditioning."

Strong-arm NASA

A dangerous precedent was set following the explosion in January of the space shuttle Challenger when officials of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) confiscated film of the fatal takeoff from news agencies present.

about 100 still cameras — 80 owned by news organizations. From the outset, news agencies had said they would cooperate by turning over original negatives to NASA after the film was processed and copied. NASA demanded the film first.

NASA seized and held the film as part of its investigation of the explosion that killed the seven astronauts. The space agency's intent was good, but it appeared to be operating on the premise that the ends sought justified its means.

In the wake of the unusually traumatic and shocking shuttle explosion, it's easy to comprehend how an agency such as NASA can forget its responsibilities to society and trample basic rights. But that fact doesn't make such strong-arm tactics any more acceptable in a free society.

The exposed film of the shuttle takeoff was impounded from

NASA should strive to ensure no future confiscations will occur.

LETTERS

Teach the children well

With all that is happening in the country, I feel I need to add my opinion of a suggestion for our youth — to parents, Mother or Dad.

gone, while they still feel a parent has a right to tell them what to do. We should be attentive to children and teach them how to feel confident, to believe what they do or say is right, to believe in themselves. They should learn courage, to be unafraid, to try our their new ideas, to venture, to take that chance to give someone or perhaps the whole world something new, something they can share, like we share with them.



George F. Will is a syndicated columnist for Washington Post Writers Group.

JACK ANDERSON

Reporter's commitment continues to live

WASHINGTON — It was two years ago that Jock Hatfield died at the age of 26, and we still feel his absence acutely. Jock was a talented and caring reporter who followed the basic rule of investigative journalism: Comfort the afflicted and afflict the comfortable.



Jack Anderson

It was in those final days of pain and debilitation that Jock showed courage of an even rarer sort. He never whined or bemoaned the lousy hand fate had dealt him. He retained his capacity for both outrage and amusement at the ethical frailties that he had set himself to expose. Never revealing the hopelessness of his situation, refusing to play his sources for sympathy, Jock poured all his energies into his chosen craft. He died without fuss or complaint.

use of the logo in advertising as a way of raising funds for the 200th anniversary celebration of the Constitution's adoption next year. But congressional critics of the plan are afraid we may soon be seeing official Constitution hamburgers or Bill of Rights beer. The pending legislation allows the commission to write guidelines that would prevent misuse of the logo.

MINI-EDITORIAL: That was a strange report from the mysterious East the other day. Secretary of State George Shultz wrote a letter to Japanese Foreign Minister Shintaro Abe using the salutation "Dear Shintaro" instead of "Dear Minister Abe" — and the Japanese were delighted.

Letters Policy

The Reporter-Telegram welcomes letters on various topics. We prefer typed or printed letters, handwritten letters must be legible. They should be signed and contain writer's address and telephone numbers, home and work, for possible verification.

ART BUCHWALD

There's more than meets eye in bathing suits!

As far as I am concerned, summer blows in when the Sports Illustrated bathing suit edition hits the stands. It must be the same for other people because the issue is always a sellout.



Art Buchwald

suit photographs," she said. "Leering is too strong a word. It is essential we both get a preview of what to expect this summer on the sands of Martha's Vineyard."

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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Thursday, Feb. 20, the 51st day of 1986. There are 314 days left in the year.

Today's highlights in history: On Feb. 20, 1962, astronaut John Glenn became the first American to orbit Earth after blasting off aboard the Friendship 7 Mercury capsule.

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South African creditors to reschedule debt

LONDON (AP) — South Africa's foreign creditors meet today to consider rescheduling \$14 billion in short-term debt, an action Anglican Bishop Desmond Tutu and other anti-apartheid clergymen urged them not to take.

Representatives of 30 banks will meet with Fritz Leutwiler, a retired Swiss bank executive who is mediating between the banks and the South African government.

A top official of the South African Reserve Bank, Director-General Chris Stals, was in London but was not invited to the meeting.

News reports say Leutwiler has worked out a repayment plan which will not please South African authorities, who are hoping for a long-term rescheduling of \$14 billion in short-term debt.

South Africa last August froze re-

payment of short-term debts that were being called in by international banks worried about the safety of investments because of racial unrest.

The American, British and European banks are expected to agree unanimously on Leutwiler's plan, which then would be presented to the government of President P.W. Botha on a take-it-or-leave-it basis.

The Financial Times reported last week that Leutwiler's plan involves pushing repayment of the loans back until March 31, 1987, except for 5 percent which the South Africans would have to start paying in quarterly installments.

Leutwiler also proposes adding 1 percent to the interest rates in force when the loans were frozen, the Financial Times quoting unidentified banking sources as saying.

The Swiss banker also will call for

a comprehensive review of South Africa's situation next February, the Financial Times said. Such a review would tend to press Pretoria to implement racial reforms.

The banks want evidence of reform from the South African government.

Last month, the banks firmly rejected a South African proposal for a moratorium until 1990 on repaying the frozen debt.

Tutu and other South African clergymen called in a letter to Leutwiler for rejection of plans to reschedule the debt. Joining Tutu, the black Anglican bishop who won the 1984 Nobel Peace Prize, were Beyers Naude, general secretary of the South African Council of Churches, and Allan Boesak, president of the World Alliance of Reformed Churches.

Soviets launch permanent space station

MOSCOW (AP) — The Soviet Union today launched a new space station that is designed to become the primary building block of a permanently manned orbital complex, the official Tass news agency said.

The space station, named Mir, or Peace, has six docking ports to accommodate other craft ferrying in cosmonauts and supplies, and also contains advanced equipment for flight control and research, Tass said.

Soviet television showed a brief film clip of the lift-off from the central Asian Cosmodrome at 12:29 a.m., but little detail of the new space platform was visible.

Cosmonauts will be sent up to work in the new space complex "after it is run in outer space," Tass quoted Gen. Alexei Leonov, deputy chief of the Soviet cosmonaut training center and a former cosmonaut, as saying.

The Soviet news agency called the Mir "a base module for assembling a multi-purpose permanently

operating manned complex." During the pilotless phase of its flight in low-earth orbit, Tass said "testing is planned of elements of its construction, on-board systems and apparatus."

The Mir also has separate cabins for cosmonauts and specialized research areas for experiments in medicine, biology, astrophysics and other fields, Tass said. No details were given in the Tass report of the station's size or weight.

Leonov said that with the Mir, "practical cosmonautics has now entered a new stage: the beginning of a transition from research and experiments to large-scale production activities in outer space."

The Mir is second Soviet space complex currently in orbit. The Salyut-7 was launched in 1982, and is also orbiting without a crew at present. Tass today said both the Mir and Salyut-7 are functioning normally.

The Mir has new equipment allowing completely automated flight, a function missing on the smaller Salyut-7, Tass said.

WORLD in brief

Moslem guerrillas claim they've killed Israeli soldier

TYRE, Lebanon (AP) — Vans toured Beirut's Shiite Moslem southern suburbs early today, blaring through their loudspeakers a recorded statement that Moslem guerrillas had killed one of two Israeli soldiers captured in southern Lebanon four days ago.

The statement said the Islamic Resistance Front "executed the captive," because Israel failed to end a search for the soldiers by late Wednesday. It described the killed captive as an "Israeli intelligence officer," but did not identify him.

About 1,000 Israeli soldiers continued to scour southern Lebanon for a fourth day today, searching Shiite villages for the soldiers seized in an ambush Monday at a checkpoint in Israel's buffer zone in southern Lebanon.

An anonymous telephone caller Wednesday night told the independent Beirut newspaper An-Nahar "the Islamic Resistance carried out the death sentence on one of the two Israeli hostages at 9 p.m."

The caller, who said he spoke for the Islamic Resistance Front, said a photograph of the slain Israeli would be released today.

Four arrested in disaster

SANTIAGO, Chile (AP) — A station master and three dispatchers have been arrested for routing two passenger trains into a head-on collision that killed at least 58 people and injured 510, authorities said.

The Monday evening collision of the trains, packed with more than 600 vacationers, was Chile's worst rail disaster.

Mayor Alejandro Vial of Limache, the nearest town, said two dispatchers at the Limache and Penablanca stations were arrested Monday night in a court-ordered investigation of presumed negligence.

Vast ancient palace found

PELLA, Greece (AP) — Rows of stone blocks and column bases trace the outline of a vast ancient palace that might have been the birthplace of Alexander the Great.

Constructed in the 4th century, B.C., on a hilltop overlooking the sea, the complex of colonnaded buildings and courtyards big enough to hold an army once sprawled over more than 15 acres.

"Nothing like it has ever been uncovered in Greece before. For sheer size it's amazing. It's one of the largest ancient architectural complexes ever found anywhere," said Mairi Sigandou, a Greek archaeologist who began excavating the site in 1981, in an interview with The Associated Press.

The discovery also adds weight to theories that the ancient Macedonian aristocracy, grown rich from battle spoils and a profitable export trade in timber and locally mined gold, enjoyed a sophisticated lifestyle in luxurious surroundings.

Pella, 24 miles from the northern Greek city of Salonica, was once the capital of the powerful Macedonian kingdom, which Alexander built into an empire stretching to Egypt and India.

Landmine kills 39 people

COLOMBO, Sri Lanka (AP) — A convoy of soldiers escorting farmers to market hit a landmine early Wednesday in an area of eastern Sri Lanka where Tamil separatist guerrillas are active. The government said 39 people were killed and more than 30 were seriously hurt.

National Security Minister Lalith Athulathmudali told The Associated Press that government forces killed two men involved in placing the landmine, which he called the worst guerrilla attack in several months.

"It shows the terrorists have not lost their murderous habits," he said. The dead included 35 civilians and four soldiers, he said.

Party's office sealed off

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — Lines of riot police sealed off the headquarters of South Korea's main opposition political party Thursday, hours before party officials planned a meeting on their campaign to change the constitution.

The country's two best-known dissident leaders, Kim Dae-jung and Kim Young-sam, remained under house arrest. Similar restrictions were put on other opposition officials in a crackdown against political dissidents opposed to the government of President Chun Doo-hwan.

The tougher actions by authorities to control the opposition began more than a week ago to stop a campaign to collect signatures on petitions demanding direct presidential elections rather than the electoral college system.

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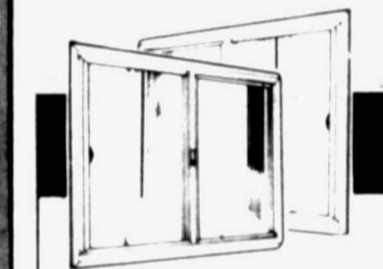


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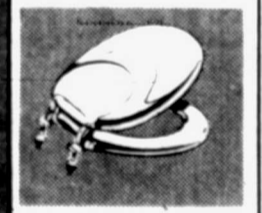
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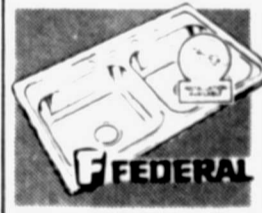
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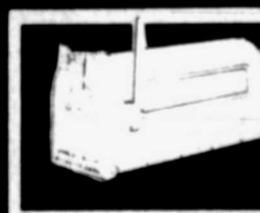
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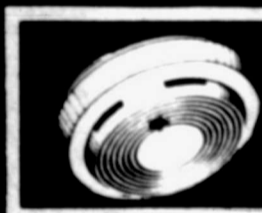
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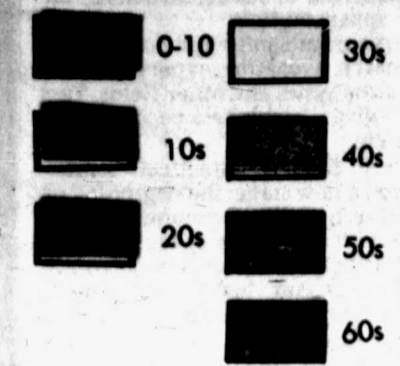
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WEATHER SUMMARY

Conditions forecast for 7 A.M. Friday

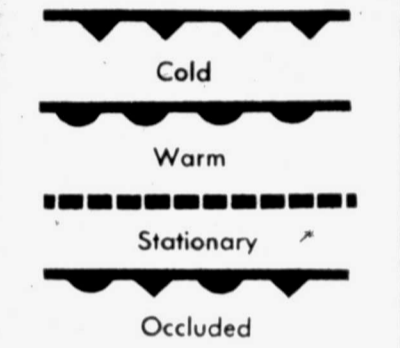
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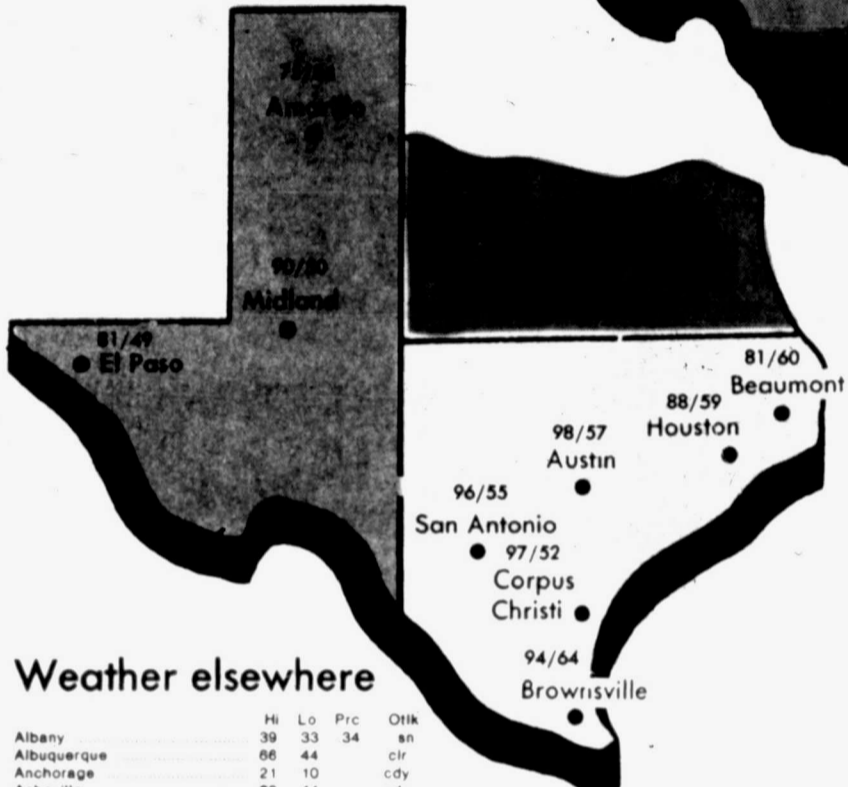
Decrease due in both winds, temperatures

From Staff and Wire Reports
 Friday will show a decrease in both high temperatures and winds, according to the National Weather Service at Midland Regional Airport. The expected high should be in the middle 60s with only light and variable winds.
 Tonight's forecast holds cool temperatures and increasing cloudiness. The low should be in the middle 40s with light and variable winds. Skies on Friday will be partly cloudy.
 Wednesday's high of 90 degrees tied the record high previously set in 1940. This morning's low of 46 was 28 degrees warmer than the record low set for this date in 1955.

STATE
 Visibility was less than one-half mile along the upper Texas coast this morning because of fog.
 Sea fog was reported over the greater portion of the coastal plains. High cloudiness prevailed over most of Northwest and North Texas. Skies were mostly clear elsewhere except for portions in the deep south which had low overcast clouds.
 Westerly winds at 10 to 20 mph breezed across the Panhandle, while light southwest winds were common in other portions of West Texas. Most of North and Southeast Texas had light south to southeast winds.
 Temperature readings were in the 50s and 60s over most of the state. Overnight temperatures varied from 38 at Marfa to 66 at Brownsville.

NATION
 Snow spread from the West into the Midwest today, rain continued in already-soaked sections of the West and from Virginia to New York, while a blast of cold air sent temperatures plummeting in the Plains.
 Snow extended from Wyoming and northeast Colorado through much of Nebraska and South Dakota into the upper Mississippi Valley.
 Snow and blowing snow prompted travelers' advisories for much of Wyoming, northern Nebraska, northwestern South Dakota, much of Minnesota and northwest Wisconsin.
 Winter storm warnings were issued for the Sierra Nevada and Lake Tahoe Basin.

Rain, with snow in the high country, covered much of the northern half of California, northern Nevada, southern Oregon, southern Idaho, Utah and western Colorado.
 Flash flood watches and warnings were in effect at lower elevations of the Sierra Nevada and much of northern California.



Weather elsewhere

City	Hi	Lo	Prc	Othk
Albany	39	33	34	an
Albuquerque	66	44		clr
Anchorage	21	10		cdy
Asheville	68	44		cdy
Atlanta	69	52		cdy
Atlantic City	41	38	13	rn
Baltimore	45	39	08	rn
Billings	06	00	11	cdy
Birmingham	76	46		cdy
Bismarck	02	21	03	cdy
Boise	42	31	70	cdy
Boston	32	31		rn
Buffalo	44	33	09	an
Casper	52	10	26	cdy
Charleston S.C.	67	57		cdy
Cheyenne	62	16	02	cdy
Chicago	40	32		an
Cincinnati	63	42		rn
Cleveland	48	32	46	an
Columbia S.C.	70	47		cdy
Dayton	60	37	01	rn
Denver	69	18	33	cdy
Des Moines	32	15		cdy
Detroit	43	33	14	an
Honolulu	81	64		cdy
Indianapolis	54	39		cdy
Jackson Ms	82	54		cdy
Jacksonville	80	62		cdy
Kansas City	42	32		cdy
Las Vegas	75	53		cdy
Little Rock	81	54		cdy
Los Angeles	69	54		clr
Louisville	68	43		cdy
Memphis	76	47		cdy
Milwaukee	37	33		cdy
Mpls-St Paul	30	09	12	cdy
Nashville	75	41		cdy
New Orleans	77	64		cdy
New York	40	33	39	rn
Oklahoma City	83	52		cdy
Omaha	29	11		cdy
Philadelphia	44	37	08	rn
Phoenix	76	62		cdy
Pittsburgh	52	38	49	rn
Providence	33	32		rn
Raleigh	72	46	34	cdy
Reno	46	36	62	cdy
Sacramento	61	52	14	cdy
St. Louis	56	39		cdy
Salt Lake City	56	39	29	cdy
San Diego	63	55	04	clr
San Francisco	60	56	25	cdy
Seattle	37	28		rn
Sioux Falls	21	01	03	cdy
Spokane	29	06		an
Syracuse	44	35	30	rn

Texas temperatures

City	Hi	Lo
Alice	100	56
Amarillo	75	54
Austin	98	57
Beaumont-Port Arthur	81	60
Beaville	102	59
Brownsville	94	64
Bryan College Station	99	56
Childress	83	50
Corpus Christi	97	52
Dallhart	76	41
Dallas	86	60
Del Rio	95	53
El Paso	81	49
Fort Worth	87	58
Galveston	86	59
Houston	88	59
Kingville	100	55
Laredo	100	58
Longview	84	62
Lubbock	83	45
Lufkin	85	56
Marfa	82	34
McAllen	97	61
Midland-Odessa	90	50
Palacios	70	61
San Angelo	90	53
San Antonio	96	55
Shreveport, La	84	55
Stephenville	89	52
Texasana	82	61
Victoria	95	59
Waco	88	53
Wichita Falls	96	53

Midland statistics

FORECAST
 Tonight: Increasing cloudiness, low in the mid-40s with light and variable winds. Friday: Partly cloudy, high in the mid-60s with light and variable winds.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS
 Yesterday's High: 90 degrees
 Overnight Low: 46 degrees
 Sunset today: 6:39 p.m.
 Sunrise tomorrow: 7:25 a.m.

Precipitation
 Last 24 hours: 0 inches
 This month to date: 17 inches
 1968 to date: 40 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

6 a.m.	59	6 p.m.	66
7 a.m.	58	7 p.m.	78
8 a.m.	58	8 p.m.	68
9 a.m.	61	9 p.m.	65
10 a.m.	66	10 p.m.	63
11 a.m.	76	11 p.m.	67
noon	80	midnight	66
1 p.m.	84	1 a.m.	63
2 p.m.	86	2 a.m.	59
3 p.m.	86	3 a.m.	62
4 p.m.	89	4 a.m.	59
5 p.m.	88	5 a.m.	54
		6 a.m.	51

Extended forecast

Saturday Through Monday
 West Texas: Partly cloudy with cool nights and warmer days. Panhandle and South Plains: Low Saturday upper 20s warming to 30s Sunday and Monday. High Saturday around 60 warming to mid 60s Monday. Far west, Concho Valley and Permian Basin: Low 30s and 40s. High: mid and upper 60s.



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MARKETS MONEY



Dollar, gold mixed

LONDON (AP) — The U.S. dollar turned in a mixed performance on foreign exchange markets early today in an atmosphere of uncertainty over U.S. monetary policy.

Gold bullion rose in Hong Kong, but drifted lower in Europe in what was described as trendless trading.

After a volatile session in Europe and New York on Wednesday the dollar was mixed but steady in Europe by midmorning today. It was up against the currencies of Japan, Switzerland and Britain but down against those of France, the Netherlands, Italy and Canada.

In Tokyo, where trading ends just as Europe's business day gets started, the dollar rebounded slightly, closing at 179.85 Japanese yen, up from 178.80 yen. Later, in London, the dollar was quoted at 179.70 yen.

Other midmorning dollar rates compared with rates in Europe late Wednesday:

- 1.9133 Swiss francs, up from 1.91175
- 7.0625 French francs, down from 7.065
- 2.5975 Dutch guilders, down from 2.611
- 1.565.50 Italian lire, down from 1.571.25



GOLD

London's five biggest bullion houses fixed a recommended gold price of \$339.25 a troy ounce at midmorning, down from \$342.80 late Wednesday.

In Zurich, the metal was bid at \$339.40, down from \$343.50.

Earlier, in Hong Kong, gold closed at a bid of \$340.23, up from \$338.44.

Silver was quoted in London at a bid of \$5.90 an ounce, down from \$5.975.

SPOTMARKET



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Latest quote \$15.10; previous quote \$14.80; year ago \$27.70.

W.T. SOUR

Latest quote \$14.25-30; previous quote \$14.00; year ago \$27.45.

Latest quotes are from Wednesday, February 19. Previous quotes are from the previous working day.

Source: Wall Street Journal

STOCKS

MARKET IN BRIEF
N.Y.S.E. Issues Consolidated Trading Wednesday, Feb. 19
Volume Shares
178,972,140

Issues Traded	2,071
Up	708
Unchanged	368
Down	1,009
N.Y.S.E. Index	128.75 - 1.36
S.&P. Comp.	219.78 - 2.09
Dow Jones Ind.	1,008.38 - 20.62

Businessmen skeptical about economic outlook

By FRANK TROMBLEY
Staff Writer

MIDLAND — A survey of West Texas business and civic leaders by ClayDesta National Bank to determine area economic/financial concerns for 1986 and beyond revealed "a trend that could be characterized as a kind of moderate optimism mixed with some restrained pessimism."

Dr. William R. Carden, president of the Carden Group, a market research-strategic planning consulting firm specializing in the financial services industry, told more than 150 persons attending ClayDesta's first economic outlook conference more than 90 percent of the survey questionnaires sent out in early January were returned and noted he and Dr. M. Ray Perryman usually consider themselves lucky to get back 10 percent of questionnaires sent out.

The response, said Carden, is "characteristic of an entrepreneurial kind of a city."

As Carden sees it, the "can do spirit" of Midland will help the area prevail through economically tough times expected to prevail at least through 1986.



William Carden



Ray Perryman

Perryman, who is Herman Brown Professor of Economics and Director of the Center for the Advancement of Economic Analysis at Baylor University, using an econometric model he developed, said uncertainty as to what will happen to the price of oil

makes it exceedingly difficult to determine the direction the Midland economy will take. However, Perryman said should the pattern of low oil prices continue, "the current recessionary phase of the Midland economy is likely to continue and

intensify."

According to Perryman, a forecast generated on what is described as the world's largest Texas Econometric Model, which he developed, indicates that the settling of the West Texas Intermediate Crude price at \$20 to \$21 a barrel would intensify recessionary impact on Midland throughout 1986 and produce "an overall drop in output of more than 6 percent from the most recent cyclical peak," with only "a very sluggish recovery" anticipated in 1987.

In looking at the short-term economic outlook for the Midland area, Perryman noted that "each dollar variation in the price of oil is responsible for a \$15-\$20 million loss with regard to real gross output in the Midland economy over the next two years."

But, Perryman observed, "were prices to stabilize at levels of \$24 per barrel or above, the present recessionary phase could be reversed and a period of modest economic growth would be observed."

Perryman further observed "Midland remains an extremely affluent economy which is a vital central core to a large and important geographic area."

Because oil prices are expected to

berelatively stable through the remainder of the decade, he said, "it will be many years before there is a substantial buildup in oil exploration activity in the area. Although some firming of oil prices in the 1990s is now anticipated by some observers," Perryman said, "Midland is a dynamic and aggressive city which will not simply sit back and wait."

Termining current efforts toward diversification and stabilization of the business and employment base of the area "commendable," Perryman said, "Intensified programs of this nature may very well hold the key to the long-term success of the Midland area."

Addressing the question of Third World debt, especially the debts of Mexico and other Central and South American countries, Carden described Mexico's economy as "a basket case" because decreased oil prices have wreaked havoc with an economy 90 percent dependent on oil exports.

As Carden sees it, the United States cannot afford to allow Mexico to go down the tubes. Because of the amount of Mexico's debt, much of it

Please see ECONOMY, Page 4C

Analysts say crude oil prices stabilize

NEW YORK (AP) — Technical factors and expectations of increased demand for heating oil have helped draw oil prices back above \$15 a barrel on futures markets, even though the overall trend remains down, analysts say.

The rebound on Wednesday followed a Tuesday plunge that had left the major U.S. grade of crude below \$15 a barrel for the first time in about seven years.

Also on Wednesday, Kuwait's oil minister was quoted as warning that prices could slide as low as \$5 a barrel if members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries and non-OPEC producers did not agree on production controls to strengthen prices.

Contracts for March delivery of West Texas Intermediate, the benchmark U.S. crude, closed on the New York Mercantile Exchange at \$15.10 a barrel, up 35 cents from Tuesday's \$14.77 close.

Among refined products, March contracts of home-heating oil rose 1.35 cents and unleaded gasoline was up less than a half cent.

Oil sold in the spot and futures markets represent about 25 percent of the total domestic market, but prices under long-term contracts have been following the downward trend that has seen prices drop by

about half since autumn. Contract prices now range between \$15 and \$21 a barrel.

Futures prices strengthened Wednesday as speculators bought oil to cover "short" contracts, said John Azarow, an analyst with the securities firm Shearson Lehman Brothers Inc. In a short sale, an investor sells borrowed oil in the hope that its price will fall before payment is due.

Analyst Peter Beutel, of Rudolf Wolff Futures Inc., said traders were anticipating weekly national figures on refinery inventories scheduled for release by the American Petroleum Institute after the market's close.

This led to "a combination of short-covering and a little bit of refinery interest," he said. "People were looking for lower refinery runs or for runs to stay at currently reduced levels. A feeling that there might be a drawdown in distillate (heating oil) stocks helped support the market."

Despite the gains Wednesday, however, Azarow said he still saw "a continuing downtrend."

"I think there's just a lot of crude around," he said.

Tuesday's price for West Texas Intermediate was the lowest since the New York Mercantile Exchange began trading that grade in 1983.

Coke announces preliminary agreement to buy Dr Pepper

NEW YORK (AP) — Coca-Cola Co., the nation's largest soft-drink company, today announced it had reached a preliminary agreement to buy No. 4 Dr Pepper Co. for \$470 million.

In a statement from its Atlanta headquarters which was released here, Coca-Cola said the agreement to buy Dr Pepper from its owners, the investment firm of Forstmann Little & Co. and senior company executives, included the repayment of \$170 million in debt owed by Dr Pepper.

The purchase is subject to the approval of the federal government

and the Coca-Cola board of directors, which was scheduled to meet today in Atlanta.

"The addition of Dr Pepper provides an excellent strategic fit for our carbonated soft drink business," said Donald R. Keough, Coca-Cola president and chief executive officer. "Dr Pepper is the premier product in the 'pepper' category and will enhance our existing product line."

The statement noted that about 40 percent of the Dr Pepper products sold in the United States — including Dr Pepper, Diet Dr Pepper, Pepper Free and Sugar Free Dr Pepper — were bottled and distributed by Coca-Cola bottlers.



Cody Bell Reporter-Telegram

J.B. Green and Thersa Greer, institutional food merchandisers, display a fare of meats for customers at Ben E. Keith food show. Pinto

beans, green beans, hominy and black-eyed peas are four items offered for sampling at this food booth.

Institutional show reflects food trends

By JOHN PAUL PITTS
Business/Oil Editor

Almost 400 restaurant owners and operators of institutional food services were on hand at the Odessa Holiday Inn Centre for a food show featuring the latest in institutional foods.

Among the items presented were pre-prepared fish, chicken, steak fingers, hot dogs, and burritos, along with a host of salad bar foods, and onion rings, french fries, vegetables and drinks.

One food vendor said the growth of the pre-prepared institutional foods now made it was now possible to open up a restaurant with only tables and chairs, a refrigerator, micro-wave and plastic silverware and paper plates, if one so chose. He added: "But it's not that way, many restaurants still like to prepare their menu from scratch and rely on pre-prepared foods for a portion of the menu."

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GNP growth sluggish 1.2 percent

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. economy slumped to a sluggish growth of just 1.2 percent during the final three months of 1985 as a soaring trade deficit continued to batter American industry, the government reported today.

For the second time, the Commerce Department revised sharply downward its estimate of economic growth as measured by the gross national product for the October-December quarter.

The revision did not change the growth figure for the year, a 2.3 percent increase, which was the weakest performance for the U.S. economy since a 2.5 percent drop in the recession year of 1982.

The sharp downward revision in fourth-quarter growth had been expected, given the fact that America's trade deficit soared in the final quarter. However, analysts said it did not change their belief that the economy has rebounded sharply in recent weeks.

Many private forecasters have revised their predictions for growth

this year, with some saying the economy is likely to reach the 4 percent growth rate projected by the Reagan administration.

The new-found optimism stems from the fact that oil prices have fallen sharply over the past month, dropping from \$25 per barrel down to \$15 per barrel.

Lower oil prices mean that the oil bill for American consumers will be less, freeing them to spend more on other goods. It also means inflation will be less, which also helps boost growth in inflation-adjusted terms.

Figures in the Commerce Department report were adjusted for inflation.

Two months ago, before the quarter had ended, the government estimated fourth-quarter growth at an annual rate of 3.2 percent. That figure was revised down to 2.4 percent last month and today was reduced further to the weak 1.2 percent rate.

The primary reason for the revision was the deteriorating trade picture. The government estimated that the trade deficit was running at an

annual rate of \$134 billion in the fourth quarter, \$6.4 billion higher than the deficit figure used a month ago.

The country has suffered all year from soaring trade deficits as American manufacturers have been battered by a flood of imports while their overseas markets have evaporated because of the strength of the dollar.

The Reagan administration in September began a coordinated effort with other countries to push the value of the dollar lower. But analysts say this effort may not bear fruit in lower trade deficits until later this year.

The economy was also pulled down by a plunge in inventory investment by businesses. That fell at an annual rate of \$6.7 billion in the final three months.

Inflation showed a modest increase in the final quarter, with prices as measured by an inflation gauge tied to the GNP rising at an annual rate of 3.6 percent compared to a 2.5 percent rise.

BUSINESS BRIEFS

RRC ends prehearing on Panhandle fields

AUSTIN (AP) — The Railroad Commission has concluded a prehearing conference on whether to consolidate 13 Panhandle oil and gas fields into a single field but no date has been set for the full hearing.

Hearing examiner Don Walker also left pending a decision on whether to allow parties with "unique situations," such as school districts, to become involved in the hearing.

According to a commission spokesman, the commission said it would not reconsider its "white oil" 1985 order to retest oil wells in the Panhandle Field that use refrigeration, or LTX, units to make the oil-gas ratio of one barrel of oil per 100,000 cubic feet of gas.

HLH Petroleum discontinues drilling activity

HOUSTON (SWN) — HLH Petroleum has reported the company's bank has foreclosed on its drilling rigs and has sold all of the drilling rigs at auction and that the company's Board of Directors had decided to discontinue drilling operations.

The company will continue in its oil and gas production operations. The company also announced that it has not been able to make principal or interest payments to its secured bank lender for the past five months.

Coca-Cola to buy Merv Griffin Enterprises

LOS ANGELES — In a move to add popular television game shows to its entertainment group, Coca-Cola said Tuesday that it has agreed in principle to acquire Merv Griffin Enterprises, the Los Angeles-based producer of "Wheel of Fortune" and "Jeopardy."

Greyhound will close a third of its terminals

Greyhound Lines said Wednesday it is closing one-third of its bus terminals across the country as part of a continuing cost-cutting effort brought on by declining passenger traffic.

The Phoenix, Ariz.-based bus company said that it will close 35 of its 125 terminals nationwide by Oct. 1 and the 393 employees affected would probably be laid off. The company said that it expected to receive between \$100 million and \$150 million through the eventual sale of the terminals.

Greyhound said that it did not plan to eliminate any routes as a result of the terminal closings. The company said that it would maintain bus service from independently operated facilities located near highways or in suburbs.

Volcker not worried about money supply

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal Reserve Board Chairman Paul Volcker, disagreeing with top Reagan administration economic officials, says there is no need to clamp down on the nation's money supply, but cautions that a collapsing U.S. dollar poses a far greater threat to the economy.

The head of the nation's central bank also said Wednesday that a tax increase might be needed as a last resort to help balance the federal budget, but that Congress should first try to slash the deficit with spending cuts alone.

And if Congress must decide on a

tax increase, it should consider something other than an oil import fee, Volcker told the House Banking Committee.

A fee on oil imports, suggested by many key lawmakers, would "offset the beneficial effects of reduced oil prices" to the economy, Volcker said.

OIL & GAS REPORT

EXPLORATION HIGHLIGHTS

Texaco finals 1,016 barrel well

From Staff Reports

TEXACO, INC. completed a prolific Yates oil producer in the Fort Stockton field of Pecos County with completion of the No. 2810 Fort Stockton South Unit.

On potential test, the well flowed 1,016 barrels of 29 gravity crude, 307 Mcf and 302 barrels of water on a 32/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 100 psi. The well is flowing from perforations 2,973 to 3,098 ft. The interval was acidized with 2,000 gallons of 15 percent NeFe and fractured with 14,000 gallons of gel, 19,600 lbs. 20/40 sand and 4,200 lbs. 12/20 sand. Gas-oil ratio is 302:1.

Drilled to 3,120 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing is set, the well is plugged back to 3,115 ft.

The well topped the Yates formation at 2,973 ft. on ground elevation of 2,904 ft. Pay was topped at 2,973 ft. Location is 10,593 ft. from north and 3,986 ft. from west lines of Section 9, Block 146, T&STL survey, four miles northwest of Fort Stockton.

Strawn well finished to flow 489 barrels

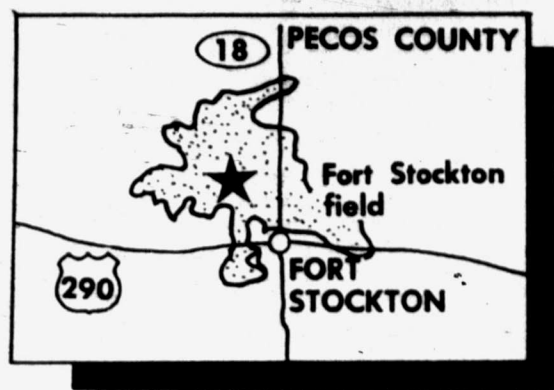
The Northeast Lovington (Penn) field of Lea County gained a Strawn producer as AMERIND OIL CO. completed the No. 1 CalMon "29" State.

The producer tested to flow 489 barrels of 43 gravity crude, 528 Mcf and no water on a 32/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 180 psi. Production is from perforations 11,299 to 11,353 ft., which had been acidized with 2,500 gallons of acid. Gas-oil ratio is 1,080:1.

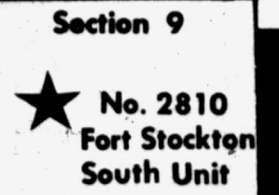
Total depth was 11,547 ft. and the well was plugged back to 11,491 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 11,528 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 3,804 ft., include Anhydrite at 2,125 ft., Salt at 2,193, Base Salt at 2,232, Yates at 3,181, Queen at 4,170, San Andres at 4,907, Golieta at 6,277, Paddock at 6,359, Tubb at 7,704, Drinkard at 8,822, Abo at 8,406, Wolfcamp at 9,902, Pennsylvania at 9,965, Cisco at 10,462, Canyon at 10,747, Strawn at 11,210, and the Atoka at 11,533 ft. Pay was topped at 11,299 ft.

Location is 510 ft. from north and 660 ft. from east lines of Section 29, T16s, R37e.



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Union Texas finals 160 barrel discovery

Eddy County gained a Bone Spring discovery, immediately northwest of the Shugart field.

UNION TEXAS PETROLEUM CORP. completed the No. 1 Federal to pump 160 barrels of 35.6 gravity crude, 294 Mcf and 9 barrels of water from perforations 7,564 to 7,610 ft. The interval was acidized with 11,000 gallons of 15 percent HCL acid. Gas-oil ratio is 1,837:1.

Scheduled as a 10,200 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to a total depth of 10,206 ft. and was plugged back to 9,130 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 10,206 ft.

The well topped the Wolfcamp formation at 9,936 ft. on ground elevation of 3,710 ft. Pay was topped at 7,564 ft.

Location is 2,060 ft. from south and 560 ft. from east lines of Section 5, T18s, R31e.

Glasscock producer flows 245 barrels

AMOCO PRODUCTION CO. has added a Wolfcamp producer in the Blalock Lake South field of Glasscock County with completion of the No. 4 E.L. Powell "C".

Amoco finalized the well to flow 245 barrels of 42.5 gravity crude, 115 Mcf and 280 barrels of water from perforations 8,252 to 8,251 ft., with no treatment reported.

Drilled to 11,118 ft., the well was plugged back to 8,380 ft. with seven inch casing set at 8,610 ft.

The well topped the Wolfcamp at 8,190 ft. on ground elevation of 2,573.2 ft. Pay was topped at 8,190 ft.

Location is 660 ft. from north and 782 ft. from west lines of Section 21, Block 35, T-3-S, T&P survey, 10 miles southeast of Garden City.

Midway field well pumps 236 barrels

BTA OIL PRODUCERS has added an Abo producer in the Midway field of Lea County with completion of the No. 1 Midway, potentialized to pump 236 barrels of crude, 230 Mcf and 146 barrels of water on a 32/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 90 psi.

Production is from perforations 8,962 to 8,962 ft., with no treatment reported. Pay was topped at 8,962 ft. Location is 2,050 ft. from north and 2,310 ft. from east lines of Section 13, T17s, R36e.

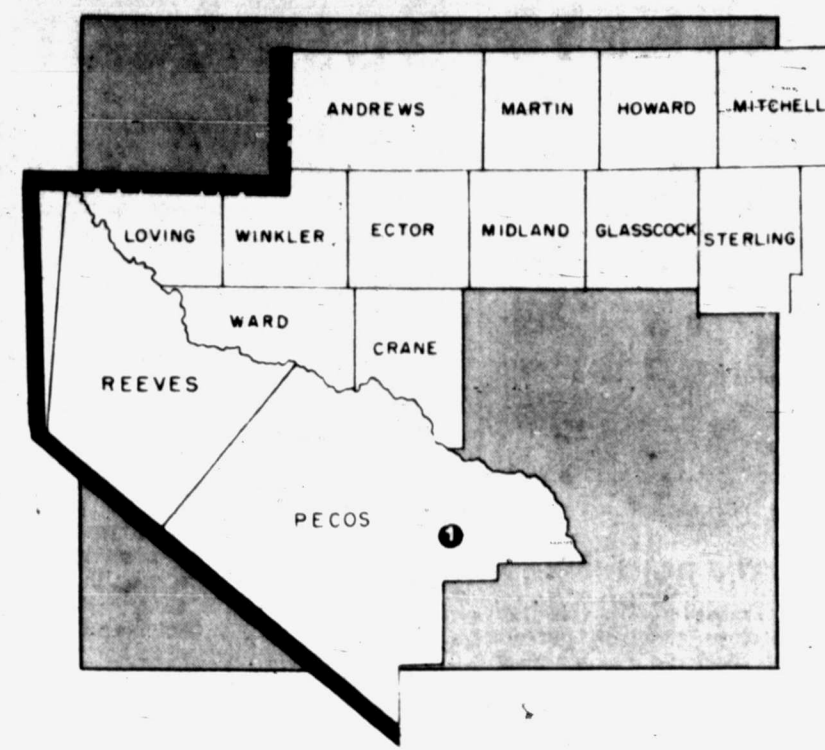
Abo find completed to flow 50 barrels

ELK OIL CO. completed an Abo discovery in Eddy County, southeast of the Paddock South field.

The No. 1 Phillips Federal tested to flow 50 barrels of 37 gravity crude and 50 Mcf on a 24/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 100 psi. Production is from perforations 7,298 to 7,304 ft., which had been acidized with 11,000 gallons of 20 percent NeFe acid. Gas-oil ratio is 1,000:1.

Planned as a 9,500 ft. wildcat, the well reached a total depth of 9,455 ft. and was plugged back to 7,360 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 7,584 ft. On ground elevation of 3,322 ft., formation tops include Anhydrite at 1,235 ft., Salt at 1,310, Yates at 2,720.

WILDCATS



San Andres at 3,654, Golieta at 5,206, Tubb at 6,154, Vivian at 6,510, Devonian at 7,455, Fusselman at 8,428, Simpson at 8,962, and the McKee at 9,310 ft. Pay was topped at 7,298 ft. Location is 1,980 ft. from south and east lines of Section 12, T23s, R37e.

Atoka producer tests to flow 139 barrels

EXXON CORP. has added an 11th Atoka producer in the Desperado field of Midland County with completion of the No. 22 Donald L. Hutt Fee.

The producer completed to flow 139 barrels of 47.3 gravity crude and 462 Mcf on a 20/64 inch choke with a flowing tubing pressure of 350 psi. The well is flowing from perforations 10,908 to 10,916 ft. The interval was treated with 288 barrels of oil. Gas-oil ratio is 3,325:1.

The well was drilled to 11,025 ft. with five inch casing set at 9,270 ft. Formation tops, on ground elevation of 2,615 ft., include the Spraberry at 7,304 ft., Wolfcamp at 8,858, Strawn at 10,380, and the Atoka at 10,545 ft. Pay was topped at 10,908 ft.

Location is 1,320 ft. from south and 3,958 ft. from west lines of Section 19, Block 38, T-3-S, T&P survey, 15.9 miles southeast of Midland.

Bone Spring strike pumps 10 barrels oil

UNITED PETROLEUM CORP. completed a modest Bone Spring discovery in Eddy County, approximately two miles southwest of the Corral Canyon field.

The No. 1 Exxon Federal "31" tested to pump 10 barrels of 40 gravity crude and 20 barrels of water from perforations 7,179 to 7,338 ft. The interval was acidized with 7,795 gallons of acid and fractured with 30,744 gallons of gel and 32,500 lbs. 20/40 sand.

Originally scheduled as an 8,000 ft. wildcat by Penta Oil as the No. 1 Exxon Federal, United drilled the well to 7,500 ft., where 4 1/2 inch casing was set, and plugged it back to 7,477 ft.

The well topped the Cherry Canyon at 4,322 ft., Brushy Canyon at 5,720, and Bone Springs at 7,175 ft. Pay was topped at 7,179 ft.

Location is 790 ft. from south and 660 ft. from west lines of Section 31, T25s, R30e.

TRC DISTRICT 8

1. PECOS WILDCAT PLANNED BY MOBIL. Mobil Producing Co. of TX & NM, Inc., Midland, plans to drill a 7,200 ft. wildcat in Pecos County. The No. 1 Gene Mays-State is slated 467 ft. from north and east lines of Section 18, Block 127, T&STL survey, and 40 miles southeast of Ft. Stockton.

2. BREWSTER TEST SET NEAR MARATHON. Watco Resources, Graham, will drill its No. 1 Guy F. Stovall in Brewster County, 60 miles southwest of Marathon. Location is 660 ft. from south and east lines of Section 17, Block G-15, GC&SF survey. Contract depth is set at 2,100 ft.

OIL & GAS DIGEST

UT opens engineering, petroleum building

AUSTIN — The University of Texas at Austin has dedicated its new Chemical and Petroleum Engineering Building, which covers 210,000 gross square feet of floor space and houses more than 100 laboratories for researchers in the Departments of Chemical Engineering and Petroleum Engineering, including a 500 ft. deep test well.

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DEVELOPMENT

FUHRMAN MASCHO FIELD DEVELOPMENT PLANNED. Development is scheduled to continue in the Fuhrman Mascho Field of Andrews County.

Shell Western E&P, Inc., Houston, has staked three wells in Block A-2, Section 10 of the PSL survey. The wells, situated 6.5 miles west of Andrews, will drill to a total depth of 6,000 ft.

CRANE COUNTY TO SEE DEVELOPMENT PROJECT. Hamco (Tubb) field in Crane County will have two additional wells when R.C. Banks, Midland, drills the 4,200 ft. development wells.

Location, which is 20 miles southwest of Crane, is in Block 1, Section 12 of the H&TC survey.

AMOCO CONTINUES COWDEN DRILLING. Amoco Production Co., Odessa, will drill two more wells in the Cowden, North field of Ector County. The wells are slated to drill to 5,000 ft. in Block 42, Section 18 of the T&P survey, 17 miles northwest of Odessa.

MOBIL TO DRILL TWO MORE SPRABERRY WELLS. Mobil Producing Co. of TX & NM, Inc., Midland, will drill two more wells in the Spraberry (Trend Area) of Midland County.

The wells will be drilled in Block 37, Section 29 of the T&P Survey and are about 20 miles south of Midland. The proposed depth is 9,300 ft.

NEW MEXICO FIELD ADDS FOUR WELLS. Mobil Producing Co. of TX & NM, Inc. will add four wells to the Vacuum field in Lea County, New Mexico.

Locations are in Section 23 and 26 of Township 17, Range 34 East and approximately two miles northwest of Buckeye.

QUERECHO PLAINS PROJECT SET. Mewbourne Oil Co. has scheduled a two-well project to add production in the Querecho Plains field in Lea County.

The two wells, scheduled for about 9,000 ft., are staked in Sections 22 and 27 of Township 18 South, Range 32 East and nine miles southeast of Maljamar.

ECTOR COUNTY Cowden, South (Canyon) Exxon Corp. No. 9 F.A. Henderson "B", 1920 fwi, 2087 fwi, sec 30, blk 42, T-2-S, T&P, 4 w Odessa, PD 9,250 Goldsmith (5600) Elaine Magruder Operating Co. No. 1 Amoco-Cowden 9, 1980 fwi, 660 fwi, sec 9, blk 45, T-2-N, 15 n Goldsmith, PD 5,900 Harper Atkins Petroleum Corp. No. 8 W E Cowden, 330 fwi, 2310 fwi, sec 30, blk 43, T-2-S, T&P, 9 w Odessa, PD 4,500

GLASSCOCK COUNTY WZB (Grayburn) 1 (MD Production Inc. No. 17 Blalock "B", 1875 fwi, 1800 fwi, sec 12, blk 36, T-3-S, T&P, 14 nw Garden City, PD 3,600

HOWARD COUNTY Moore Tri-Texas, Inc. No. 1 C.R. Russell, 990 fwi, 2310 fwi, sec 23, blk 34, T-1-N, T&P, 4 nw Big Spring, PD 4,000 Enduro Oil Co., Inc. No. 3 Playa "B", 990 fwi, 1650 fwi, sec 14, blk 34, T-1-N, T&P, 7.5 nw Big Spring, PD 3,600 Sara-Mag (Canyon Reef) A.K. Guthrie Operating Co. No. 2 Fern Winters "D", 487 fwi, 838.5 fwi, sec 9, blk 25, H&TC, 1/4 w Vincent, PD 7,800

MIDLAND COUNTY Agar (Lower Atoka) HCW Exploration, Inc. No. 1 Johnson, 1980 fwi, 1980 fwi, sec 35, blk 40, T-1-S, T&P, 2 w Midland, PD 11,292 Desperado (Atoka) Exxon Corp. No. 1 George Fraser, 1320 fwi, 1320 fwi, sec 39, blk 38, T-3-S, T&P, 17.5 se Midland, PD 11,400

PECOS COUNTY TGI, West (Seven Rivers) Four C Oil & Gas Corp. No. 1 Hart, 720 fwi, 2310 fwi, sec 18, blk 3, H&TC, 1 s Imperial, PD 2,000

CHAVES COUNTY Cato Harvey E. Yates Co. No. 1 Chevron 18 Federal, 660 fwi, 1980 fwi, sec 18, T9S, R30E, 13 se Elkins, PD 3,450

South Pecos Slopes Yates Petroleum Corp. No. 1 Ogle ADB Federal, 660 fwi, 660 fwi, sec 31, T10S, R29E, 9 s Roosevelt, PD 4,850

EDDY COUNTY Atoka Golieta H&S Oil Co. No. 7 Scripps, 660 fwi, 1980 fwi, sec 25, T18S, R26E, 7.5 se Artesia, PD 3,750 Shugart Southland Royalty Co. No. 2 Keohane D, 330 fwi, 990 fwi, sec 19, T18S, R31E, PD 3,850

Undes (East Avalon) The Superior Oil Co. No. 12 Government D, 1600 fwi, 1040 fwi, sec 1, T21S, R27E, 8 ne Carlsbad, PD 5,900

Undes (East Brushy Draw) J.C. Williamson No. 2 Sun-Ex Federal, 560 fwi, 680 fwi, sec 9, T26S, R30E, 15.5 se Malaga, PD 7,000

Undes (East Red Lake) Beach Exploration, Inc. No. 1 Cal-Mon State, 1850 fwi, 330 fwi, sec 19, T16S, R29E, 10 nw Loco Hills, PD 1,900

Undes (High Lonesome) Beach Exploration, Inc. No. 4 Exxon Federal, 1850 fwi, 1850 fwi, sec 16, T16S, R29E, 10.5 nw Loco Hills, PD 1,900

Undes (South Eunice) Hondo Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 State CF, 1980 fwi, 2275 fwi, sec 35, T17S, R28E, 10 sw Loco Hills, PD 10,850

Undes (West Henchew) McClellan Oil Corp. No. 3 Simmons Federal, 330 fwi, 330 fwi, sec 28, T16S, R29E, 8 nw Loco Hills, PD 2,300

LEA COUNTY Humble City Amerind Oil Co. No. 1 L. Citiles Service 15, 1980 fwi, 680 fwi, sec 16, T17S, R37E, 3 nw Humble City, PD 11,500

Saunders Texaco, Inc. No. 2 Amerada State, 2310 fwi, 1980 fwi, sec 2, T14S, R33E, 15 w McDonald, PD 10,000

Undes (Mesquero Escarppe) Midland Oil, Inc. No. 3 Caviness Federal, 660 fwi, 660 fwi, sec 11, T16S, R33E, 6.5 w Buckeyes, PD 9,200

Undes (West Range Lake) Tenneco Oil Co. No. 1 State OU 13, 660 fwi, 1980 fwi, sec 13, T12S, R34E, 8 nw Tatum, PD 13,000

COMPLETIONS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ECTOR COUNTY Cowden, North (Deep) Amoco Production Co. No. 125 J.M. Cowden R A "A", 1285 fwi, 2880 fwi, sec 34, blk 43, T-1-N, T&P, 19 se Odessa, Elev. 3,057.9, TD 5,405, PB 5,350, Completed 2/2/88, Potentialized 2/4/88, pumping 108 bopd, 5 Mctd, 252 bwpd, 39 API, GOR 46.1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 5,400, Perforations 5,121 to 5,280, Acidized 500 gals, 15 percent NeFe, Formation tops: Holt 5121, Top of pay 5,121

Lawson (San Andres) Odessa Exploration, Inc. No. 2 Parker Ranchland, 550 fwi, 1900 fwi, sec 4, blk 14, T-2-S, T&P, 12 w Odessa, Elev. 3,181, TD 4,500, PB 4,492, Completed 2/8/88, Potentialized 2/18/88, pumping 56 bopd, 23 Mctd, 41 bwpd, 35.1 API, GOR 41.1, Casing 4 1/2 inches at 4,500, Perforations 4,385 to 4,415, Acidized 3,000 gals, 15 percent NeFe, Formation tops: San Andres 4185, Top of pay 4,385

GLASSCOCK COUNTY Blalock Lake, South (Wolfcamp) Amoco Production Co. No. 4 E.L. Powell "C", 660 fwi, 782 fwi, sec 21, blk 35, T-3-S, T&P, 10 se Garden City, Elev. 2,573.2, TD 11,118, PB 9,390, Completed 12/27/87, Potentialized 2/9/88, flowing 245 bopd, 115 Mctd, 260 bwpd, 42.5 API, GOR 46.9, Casing 7 inches at 8,610, Perforations 8,252 to 8,251, Formation tops: Wolfcamp 8190, top of pay 8,190

HOWARD COUNTY Howard-Glasscock (Golieta) Mobil Producing Co. of TX & NM, Inc. No. 20 Chaik Estate, 538 fwi, 242 fwi, sec 114, blk 29, W&NW 6 e Foresan, Elev. 2,418, TD 3,200, PB 2,730, Completed 1/31/85, Potentialized 2/4/86, pumping 67 bopd, 2 Mctd, 114 bwpd, 28.8 API, GOR 30.1, Casing 7 inches at 3,200, Perforations 2,492 to 2,693, Acidized 2,400 gals, 15 percent NeFe, Frac 15,000 gals, gel, 49,000 lbs, 12/20 ad, Formation tops: Yates 1164, Seven Rivers 1249, Queen 1475, Grayburg 1742, San Andres 1649, Golieta 2573, Clearfork 2964, Top of pay 2,492

Moore Enduro Oil Co., Inc. No. 1 Clanton "A", 330 fwi, 330 fwi, sec 36, blk 34, T-1-S, T&P, 8 sw Big Spring, Elev. 2,493.1, TD 3,342, Completed 2/3/88, Potentialized 2/9/88, pumping 27.87 bopd, 24.21 bwpd, 29 API, Casing 4 1/2 inches at 3,356, Perforations 3,300 to 3,315, Acidized 1,000 gals, 15 percent NeFe, Frac 8,000 gals, gel, 16,000 lbs, 20/40 ad, Formation tops: Sand, Redbed 641, Redbed, Shale, Lime 1610, Shale, Lime, Anhydrite 2589, Anhydrite, Shale 2772, Shale, Lime, Anhydrite 3102, Dolomite, Shale, Lime 3342, Top of pay 3,300

Enduro Oil Co., Inc. No. 5 Leather "A", 330 fwi, 330 fwi, sec 22, blk 34, T-1-S, T&P, 5 nw Big Spring, Elev. 2,528.1, TD 3,300, Completed 2/4/86, Potentialized 2/11/86, pumping 12.8 bopd, 13.45 bwpd, 29 API, Casing 4 1/2 inches at 3,267, Perforations 3,208 to 3,220, Acidized 1,000 gals, 15 percent NeFe, Frac 8,000 gals, gel, 16,000 lbs, 20/40 ad, Formation tops: Sand, Redbed 1121, Shale, Lime 1710, Shale, Lime, Salt 2504, Anhydrite, Lime, Shale 3190, Anhydrite, Shale, Dolomite 3230, Lime, Shale 3,300, Top of pay 3,206

PLUGGED WELLS

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY Shafter Lake (Wolfcamp) AFRO Oil & Gas Co. No. 14 Shafter Lake (Wolfcamp) Unit, 3500 fwi, 4820 fwi, sec 13, blk 15, UL5, 10 nw Andrews, TD 9,858, Oil well, Completed 9/15/48, Plugged 2/1/86

HOWARD COUNTY Howard-Glasscock Foresan Oil Co. No. 2 Kloh-Rumsey, sec 3, blk 33, T&P, 3 w Foresan, TD 2,480, Oil well, Plugged 2/3/86

PECOS COUNTY Pecos Valley (High Gravity) Mineral Development, Inc. No. 45 Mag "F", 330 fwi, 490 fwi, sec 5, blk 9, H&GN, 8 sw Imperial, Elev. 2,409, TD 1,954, Completed 1/7/86, Potentialized 1/23/86, flowing 12.6 bopd, 23 Mctd, 3 bwpd, thru 12 1/4 inch choke, FTP 350 psi, GOR 332.1, Casing 5 inches at 9,270, Perforations 10,908 to 10,916, Frac 288 lbs gel, Formation tops: Spraberry 7304, Wolfcamp 8858, Strawn 10380, Atoka 10545, Top of pay 10,908

MIDLAND COUNTY Desperado (Atoka) Exxon Corp. No. 22 Donald L. Hutt Fee, 1320 fwi, 3958 fwi, sec 19, blk 38, T-3-S, T&P, 15.9 se Midland, Elev. 2,615, TD 11,025, Completed 2/7/86, Potentialized 2/7/86, flowing 139 bopd, 462 Mctd, 47.3 gravity crude, 20 1/8 inch choke, FTP 350 psi, GOR 332.1, Casing 5 inches at 9,270, Perforations 10,908 to 10,916, Frac 288 lbs gel, Formation tops: Spraberry 7304, Wolfcamp 8858, Strawn 10380, Atoka 10545, Top of pay 10,908

WARD COUNTY Caprito (Wolfcamp) Mobil Producing Co. of TX & NM, Inc. No. 2 West Caprito Unit, 1980 fwi, 1980 fwi, sec 37, blk 17, UL5, 5 nw Pyote, Elev. 2,660, TD 18,590, PB 11,940, Completed 2/1/86, Potentialized 2/11/86, flowing 48 bopd, 497 Mctd, 257 bwpd, 44.8 API, thru 22 1/4 inch choke, FTP 925 psi, GOR 10354.1, Casing 5 inches at 12,110, Perforations 11,613 to 11,770, Acidized 6,000 gals, 15 percent, Frac 36,000 gals, gel, 20,000 lbs ad, Formation tops: Wolfcamp 10650, Mississippiian 13923, Devonian 14925, Ellenburger 17212, Top of pay 11,613

Ward, South (Queen) Chevron USA, Inc. No. 92 Q.D. Burgin, 2060 fwi, 2300 fwi, sec 15, blk 34, H&TC, 7 nw Grandfalls, Elev. 2,549, TD 3,114, PB 3,071, Completed 1/31/86, Potentialized 2/13/86, flowing 712 bopd, 12 Mctd, 32.9 API, GOR 107.1, Casing 5 1/2 inches at 3,112, Perforations 2,679 to 2,693, Acidized 1,000 gals, gel, 1/2 percent NeFe, Frac 65,000 gals, gel, 164,000 lbs, 12/20 ad, Formation tops: Queen Sand 2676, Top of pay 2,676

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This afternoon's stock market report

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INVESTOR'S GUIDE GE has offer you can't refuse without losing investment

By BILL DOYLE
Q. I'm in the same predicament as many shareholders of RCA Corp. in which I have owned a substantial amount of common stock for many years. When RCA is merged into General Electric Co. I will receive \$66.50 a share. I keep a meticulous record of my finances and calculate this will give me a \$208,000 profit, with its corresponding capital gains tax.

That might seem to be a gold mine, but I would prefer to exchange my RCA stock for GE stock and avoid the tax bite. Can GE force RCA stockholders to surrender their shares for cash?
A. GE can't put a gun to your head to get you to turn in your shares. But this is much the same as the Godfather's offer you can't refuse' and is typical of 'all-cash' merger deals.

In a situation such as this, if you don't hand over your shares you will receive nothing and your investment will go into limbo. The merger's terms were approved by majority vote of RCA stockholders, which is binding on all shareholders.

Your only sensible choice is to surrender your shares and accept the huge check you'll receive when the merger is completed. That's expected to be later this year.

Questions such as yours come in just about every time there is an all-cash merger. The RCA/GE merger has resulted in more mail to this column than anything since the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. divestiture.

It's no fun to pay taxes, but you will come out with a bundle. Under present tax law, 40 percent of what you will be added to your taxable income. If that puts you into the 50 percent federal income tax bracket, you'll pay Uncle Sam a whopping 20 percent term capital gains tax — 50 percent of 40 percent.

Even after paying that bite, you'll have \$166,400 — 80 percent of your \$208,000 profit — plus the cost basis of your RCA shares.

Q. Besides RCA common stock my mother owns RCA preferred and preferred stock. As a result of the RCA merger into GE, she will get \$66.50 a share for her common stock. What will she get for her other RCA stocks?

A. That depends on exactly what she holds. The \$3.50 dividend preferred stock will receive \$40 a share. The \$3.95 dividend convertible preferred will receive \$42.50 a share.

RCA also has \$4 dividend convertible preferred stock, which will be paid \$100 a share before the merger becomes effective. Each share of that convertible preferred can be exchanged for 2.29 shares of common. If your mother owns any of that preferred, she should convert it into common before the all-cash offer she should sell it. As I write this, the convertible preferred is trading about \$40.

A. No! You're very wrong. When you sell stock or any other securities at a profit, you're required to report that profit as a capital gain on your income tax return and pay whatever tax applies. It makes no difference what you do with the proceeds from the sale. You're obligated to pay tax on the profit.

It's hard to guess what 'in like kind' rule you're talking about. You might be confused by the section of the Internal Revenue Code that prevents you from taking a capital loss when you sell at a loss and invest the proceeds in 'substantially identical' securities.

For example, if you sell XYZ Corp. common stock at a loss and buy XYZ Corp. convertible preferred or XYZ Corp. convertible bonds, you're prohibited from taking a tax loss on your common stock sale.

Q. I am a widower and will leave an estate of approximately \$400,000. If I die this year, will everything I leave be free from federal estate tax?

A. Yes. Besides tax-free gifts from one spouse to the other, the size of an estate exempt from federal estate tax has been increasing in six annual steps. For 1986, it's \$500,000.

Bill Doyle is a syndicated columnist for King Features. He welcomes written questions, but will be able to provide answers only through the column.

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MUTUAL FUNDS

Table of mutual fund data including various fund names, prices, and performance metrics.

FOCUS on BUSINESS

Rigs nag reefs

The value of obsolete offshore oil and gas platforms as artificial reefs that attract both sport and commercial fish has been proven repeatedly.

But utilization of platforms for that purpose has been complicated by a lack of standardization among coastal states and lack of national regulations, according to Petroleum Engineer International magazine.

Oil companies, the magazine says, are justifiably concerned about problems of liability during transport and installation of obsolete platforms. And there also is concern about who is liable for mishaps connected with reefs once they have been installed.

Environmental enthusiasts push to have platforms transported to sites where they can function as artificial reefs. But, platform operators lack incentives to justify the additional costs.

Canning gas

One day motorists may not have to inhale such a high level of automobile hydrocarbon emissions.

Amoco Oil Co. has improved evaporative canisters, currently used to control the fumes. Company officials say this solution can be implemented quickly by making slight changes to the canisters. One difference is an improved charcoal with a greater specific working capacity used in the canisters.



International Hearth French Bread is baked at home.

Bake your own

Getting fresh, hot, french bread at home has always been a problem, but now a Dallas baking company has come up with a solution.

Earth Grains, distributed by Rainbo Baking Co., has introduced International Hearth French Bread, the first, authentic French bread consumers bake at home.

The bread is partially baked in a hearth oven, then packaged in a sealed bag to maintain freshness. Consumers complete the baking process in their oven for 15 to 20 minutes.



Manpower Inc. filed over 460,000 W-2 forms in just 120 hours, as part of a "mass filing" campaign.

Mass filing

Next time paperwork piles up on your desk, you may want to call on some "mass filing experts."

Manpower, Inc., filed 460,348 W-2 forms with the U.S. Internal Revenue Service and sent a cable to the "Guinness Book of World Records" seeking recognition for the feat.

The mass filing and employee W-2 mailing, believed to be the largest of its kind by a private employer in history, was accomplished on the firm's IBM master computer at its world headquarters in Milwaukee, Wis. It took just 120 hours of processing, printing and packaging time. The employee copies will reach the 460,348 people, who worked for Manpower in the U.S. in 1985, by mail this week.

It's fat genes

No one irritates overweight people more than thin friends who gorge on pizza and cheesecake, never seeming to gain an ounce.

A new study is not going to make them feel any better, but the findings, based on a survey of 540 adopted adults in Den-

mark, offer a better explanation of why some people have a harder time than others shedding pounds.

The report, in last week's issue of The New England Journal of Medicine, contends that heredity, not the "family environment," governs the tendency to be fat or thin.

The researchers, headed by Dr. Albert J. Stunkard, a University of Pennsylvania psychiatrist, came to this conclusion after discovering that for adults adopted in infancy an index computed from weight and height resembled that of the subjects' biological parents. Contrary to the findings of at least one previous study, the team found no relation between the weights of adopted children and adoptive parents.

In an editorial accompanying the study, Dr. Theodore B. Van Itallie, an obesity specialist at St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center in New York, called the findings "unequivocal."

"As members of a sedentary and food-laden society," Van Itallie wrote, "obesity-prone persons who wish to control their weight must learn to maintain a relatively high level of physical activity and to eat defensively."

ECONOMY

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owed to American banks, Carden suggested that rather than allowing Mexico to default, the U.S. should, or could, initiate a long-term (20 to 30 year) contract, under which the U.S. would agree to buy a specific amount of Mexican oil at a specific guaranteed price, perhaps \$20 a barrel, that would allow Mexico to retire its debt.

Stressing the importance of Mexico to the United States, Carden speculated that should Mexico declare a moratorium on its multi-billion dollar debt, other Latin American countries would be encouraged to follow suit and this could the United States to restructure its currency because the U.S. could not allow its major banks to fail.

Rather than allow U.S. banks to fail, Carden speculated, the Federal Reserve would probably opt to increase the money supply, which would result in increased inflation, perhaps on the order of 80 percent.

Speaking at a news conference Wednesday afternoon in the Claydesta Bank board room, Carden said he anticipates a "significant number" of bank failures in 1986 among banks with energy and agricultural loan portfolios. Some agri-business-oriented banks will fail, he said, "in spite of superb management."

Carden, who considers himself a historian rather than an economist, indicated many of our economic problems today have evolved out of the transition from an industrial-oriented society to one increasingly dependent on information and services.

One of the problems growing out of this revolution, he said, involves a redefinition of what constitutes capital assets. The assets of the information-services era are likely to be ideas and, he asked, how do you convince a banker how much an idea is worth when you want to borrow capital to start a new business or expand an existing one?

SHOW

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The three main factors in having a successful restaurant are a good location, edible food and consistency," said Jody Woolrich of Dubco Food Service in Lubbock. "What the institutional food company provides is consistency in the quality of foods. To a customer consistency is more important than quality."

Two food trends that have proven a boon to the institutional food companies are the salad bar and a move from red meat to fish and poultry. Pre-made salads for salad bars are delivered to restaurants in big plastic tubs or milk carton containers with a shelf life of about one week.

Breaded fish and poultry are also big winners. Representatives for Crystal Creek Catfish Farms, a cooperative of catfish farmers, said the demand for catfish growing by leaps

and bounds. Frionor, a firm selling Norwegian Cod, also reported strong sales increases. A machine filets the fish, which are then placed in large aluminum tubs and compressed into 16 pound blocks to shipment to the U.S. The fish remains frozen from the time of catch to the time it is processed, breaded and sold to the customer.

Puddings and pie fillings requiring only hot tap water for preparation were also featured, as were a wide assortment of paper, plastic and foam silverware and packaged sauces.

"Generally a restaurant owner can save money and time by buying institutional foods, because of his labor costs. It is cheaper to let others do it for him in a manufacturing process," said Tom Clemens, institutional foods merchandiser for Ben E. Keith Foods sponsor of the institutional food show.

January construction rate best in two years

WASHINGTON (AP) — New home construction surged 15.7 percent in January, the biggest increase in almost two years, the government reported today.

The Commerce Department said new homes and apartments were started at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 2.09 million units in January, compared to a December rate of 1.8 million units.

The monthly increase was the largest since a 17 percent jump in housing starts in February 1984.

The big increase in housing construction last month followed a strong 9 percent December gain and was likely to be cited as evidence that housing developers are finally responding to the sharp declines in interest rates of the last three months.

Fixed-rate, 25- to 30-year mortgages are now averaging around 10.75 percent, the lowest rate in almost seven years.

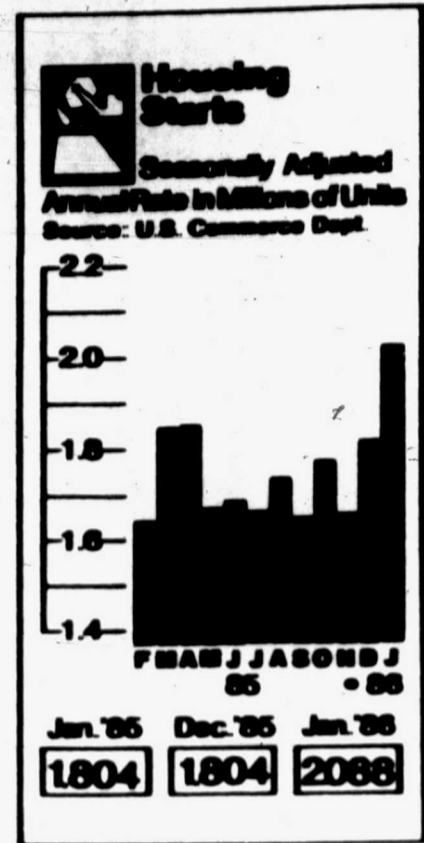
The big January improvement came from a sharp 24.5 percent jump in construction of single-family homes, which were built at an annual rate of 1.35 million units last month.

Construction of multi-family units rose a smaller 2.5 percent to an annual rate of 735,000 units.

The overall advance to 2.09 million units at an annual rate put the January performance at the highest level since 2.21 million units in February 1984.

Many analysts are predicting that the housing industry will be one area contributing to strength in the economy this year as both sales and construction activity are expected to show strength in response to the low mortgage rates.

The department also revised its estimate for total construction for 1985, putting construction activity at 1,736,400 units, down a small 0.7 percent from 1984. The 1985 decline had originally been put at 1 percent.



Construction activity rose 22.1 percent in the Midwest and 17.2 percent in the South. Construction rose 1.8 percent in the West.

Permits for future construction were issued at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 1.87 million units in January, down a small 0.2 percent from December.

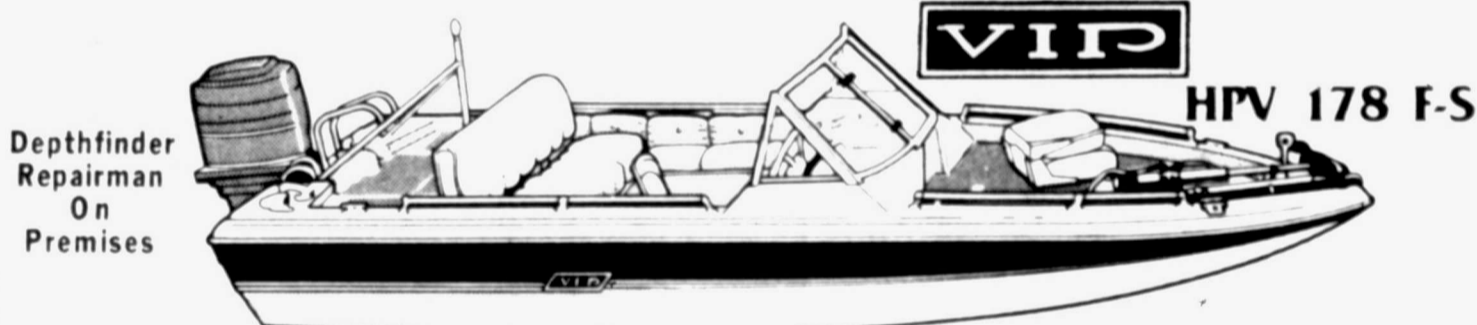
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Legal battle may postpone MISD board elections

By JULIE HILLRICHS
Staff Writer

A year-long legal battle between the Midland Independent School District and two minority organizations may cause a delay in the local school board elections tentatively planned for this spring.

U.S. District Judge Lucius D. Bunton ruled in January that the MISD must switch from an at-large method of electing trustees to the single-member district system, saying the at-large system "is in violation of the Constitution." He prohibited the school district from holding any future at-large elections.

Further, the judge held that MISD's compromise proposal for a 3-4 plan (three at-large and four single-member) was unacceptable and "is unconstitutional in that it impermissibly dilutes the votes" of the minorities represented by the League of United Latin American Citizens and the Black Advisory Council.

But MISD maintains that its original proposal "offers minorities a constitutionally fair opportunity to be elected" to the Board.

Three weeks ago, the Board asked Bunton to reconsider or clarify his decision and to allow the election to proceed on schedule. The board also proposed a revised dual-election system that would include two minority (single-member) districts and a third district in which five board members would be elected at-large.

MISD Superintendent Dr. Joseph P. Baressi said any plan to call for an election this spring would "depend on the judge's decision."

"I would assume that at this point we're not going to have one (an election)," Baressi said. "My assumption is that we are prohibited from calling for an election until we get this thing resolved."

LULAC and the Black Advisory Council last week urged Bunton to strike down the MISD's proposal and to hold the April election their way.

The two minority organizations asked the judge to "impose a remedy" for the April school-board election by imposing the 7-0 single-member district plan.

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— Judge Lucius Bunton

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In their rebuttal, the organizations said that "then, after the elections, the seven newly elected board members can, if it is precleared (by the U.S. Department of Justice) adopt the dual-election system."

Or, if they (MISD) so wish, "they can choose to adopt the court-ordered 7-0 plan or some other plan," the rebuttal said.

The LULAC-Black Advisory Council rebuttal added that under the 7-0 plan for single-member districts, the "newly elected board members will have a renewed mandate from the community and (would) be able to deal with the issue objectively."

The rebuttal urged the judge to stand by his ruling and to "allow the future of the Midland ISD to be decided by a constitutionally elected school board."

Bunton said he plans to render his final decision early next week. He predicted, however, that the election "could be delayed somewhat" because "either way, some changes (in boundaries) will have to be made."



ABC Nightline correspondent Marshall Frady interviews (left to right) Joe Pevehouse of Adobe Resources Corp., Tom Wageman of Republicbank First National, W.D. "Moots" Bates of Bates

Well Service and Clayton Williams Jr. of ClayDesta Corp. on falling oil prices and their effect on the spirit of Texas. The segment will be aired at 10:30 p.m. Friday.

Midlanders interviewed for 'Nightline'

By RAMONA NYE
Staff Writer

"We're not going to have an economic Alamo because the United States cannot afford for us to have one," Clayton Williams Jr. told ABC's Nightline television correspondent Marshall Frady Wednesday evening.

Williams' statement may have disappointed the Nightline crew in Midland Wednesday to film the possible beginnings of an economic disaster for the state with oil prices dropping to \$15 per barrel.

"One is not accustomed to seeing Texas as an economic invalid," Frady said before the taping began.

Williams of the ClayDesta empire, along with Tom Wageman of Republicbank First National, Joe Pevehouse of Adobe Resources Corporation and W.D. "Moot" Bates of Bates

Well Service were interviewed by Nightline for a segment titled "The State of the State of Texas." About a six-to-eight minute story is expected to air on Channel 2 at 10:30 p.m. Friday.

"I think you're all vultures and you're all here in the same week. Why are all you guys here?" Wageman asked Frady. The three major networks are in Midland this week filming segments on the effects of declining oil prices.

The Nightline piece will focus on how oil prices are affecting the spirit of Texas, Frady said. So far, Frady said he has seen concern among the state's oil and gas men interviewed in Beaumont, Houston, Port Arthur and Midland. The Nightline crew travels to Austin today.

"I don't think we're frightened, but we're damn well nervous," Williams said during the taping.

All four businessmen agreed they were nervous, but insisted the oil industry will survive.

"We'll live. There will be a Midland. Some folks are not going to own what they own today. These fields will be worked. You can't walk off and abandon fields," Wageman said.

"We'll be able to make money in the oil business until it runs out and something else comes along," he said.

Williams said, "If you weren't an optimist, you wouldn't be in the oil business in the first place."

An impending shortage after cheap supplies are depleted and exploration is curtailed is one reason the men say they are optimistic about a turnaround.

"We're using more reserves than we're finding. The whole world is in

liquidation when it comes to oil and gas," Wageman said.

Williams said, "It's like selling off a little bit of farm land everyday without buying more."

Pevehouse added, "The consumers love cheap prices, but they don't understand reserve and demand...eventually they will have a shortage."

The interview also got into stereotyped images of the state's large open spaces and its independent spirit...a spirit that some say is being constrained by the Saudis and their low oil cartel prices.

"We're at their mercies," Pevehouse said.

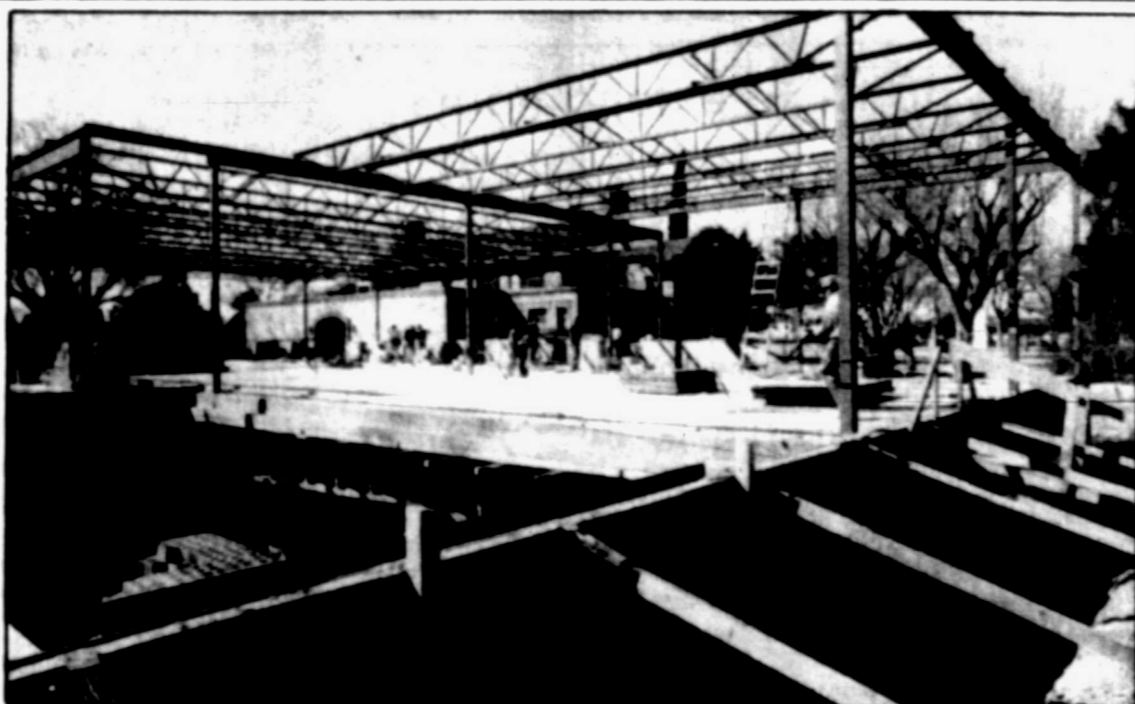
"Only they know what is going to happen. So we're down here in the trenches waiting," he said.

Williams said, "Until you have some development of order in the world market, there will be chaos. The stability is what I yearn for."

Museum addition

Construction workers, including welder Ruben Samson, below left, and Antonio Hernandez, below right, work at the site of a new addition to the Museum of the Southwest, right. The \$1.2 million structure will house a gallery, an education area and storage for collections.

Jerry Mensenga/Reporter-Telegram



Charges dismissed against man with wolf

By RAMONA NYE
Staff Writer

Reckless conduct charges against a Midland man whose pet wolf allegedly attacked a girl in October were dismissed Wednesday by Municipal Court Judge Robin Smith.

Mike Nickell, 4618 Cherokee Drive, was charged with violating a city code by allowing his pet to run loose during an October accident.

On Oct. 11, 18-month-old April Lamb was playing in her grandmother's backyard when she was allegedly attacked by Nickell's pet wolf. She received nine bites and required 12 stitches to her leg.

The city will refill the charges, said David Clyde, assistant city attorney.

"We're not going to let it die," Clyde said.

The charges did not allege Nickell's reckless action, said his defense attorney Cliff Hardwick.

"They have got to specify what you did that was reckless," Hardwick said.

Nickell would have had to deliberately let his pet loose or refuse to repair any holes in his fence to be charged with reckless conduct, Hardwick said.

However, Assistant City Attorney Mike Wheeler said Nickell was reckless by allowing a dog he owned to be at large.

The dog had slipped from its collar and escaped from a chain link fence before the biting incident, Clyde said.

If convicted of the class C misdemeanor, Nickell may violate the terms of probation he is serving for illegally shooting wild sheep.

In May 1983, Nickell pleaded guilty to shooting a wild game animal from a helicopter. U.S. District Court Judge Lucius Bunton gave Nickell a five-year probation and fined him \$2,000.

Contest gave people chance to tell why they love Texas

ODESSA (AP) — Wide-open spaces, armadillos and friendly people are just a few of Texas' virtues, according to native and transplanted residents who love the Lone Star State.

A Sesquicentennial contest held in this West Texas city gave 88 people the chance to explain why, if they were born elsewhere, they moved to Texas or, if they are native Texans,

why they never left.

Kim D. Law, a native Texan, gave her answer in 22 words.

"Jalapenos, oil, armadillos, cowboys, chili, jackrabbits, cactus, country music, rodeos, gila monsters, cattle, cowboy boots, dust devils, bluebonnets. Need I say more?"

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ED TODD

Favoritism toward football team causes resentment

The no-pass, no-play school rule doesn't stir any ruffles in me. More than anything, it most of all seems quite fair to the student and would tend to encourage him to put more than a half-hearted effort into his studies.

I've had the notion, without being told, that school's primary functions are in academics and discipline. Teachers teach, students learn, and principals exact discipline. That was my impression and my experience. My earthly father was a principal-teacher back in the 1940s and 1950s and certainly impressed me over and over again.

I do recall some aberrant behavior in at least one high-school teacher, whose name I won't mention out of deference to the dead and out of fear her spirit might

return and she might expel me again.

In class prior to football games, the civics teacher would make this pronouncement: Were the football team to win the Friday night game, she would sweeten up the grades of those football players in the class by a few points. Even then, I couldn't figure out what one had to do with the other. And I could sense a rush of resentment boiling within me. What I deemed as her favoritism seemed unfair, and it was particularly poignant since I didn't dress out in armor and play football with the boys or, as it turned out, with the teacher.

Now, I never "told" on the teacher. Right or wrong, she was the captain at the helm. And I never mentioned the favoritism, which today might be viewed as dis-

crimination, to the principal, who by this time wasn't Dad. (He was into another line of work which was financially more rewarding but, to him, was far less fulfilling than teaching.)

Eventually, the civics teacher and I got into some sort of classroom squabble. I suspect that it was fueled in large measure by my resentment stemming from the favoritism which she extended to the victorious football players. Naturally, she won. I was expelled from class and stood outside the classroom for awhile.

Punishment by ostracism was an awkward feeling and an humbling experience. Of course, I felt wronged, I suppose, and I imagine she, too, felt somewhat offended. I suppose I apologized; I don't know. But if I did, it wasn't sincere, for that resentment still lingers.

Someday, I should like to go to her grave and make amends. She really was a good person.

Admittedly, I can see how a student might get "hard" and "hurt" feelings over being denied to play school games or being denied participation in other extra-curricular activities because he flunked a course or a grading period. Still, the student is a student, possibly a scholar in the making, and still is under the rule of the teacher, just as the child is under the rule of the parent.

Foremost, the student is in school to learn in both an academic and practical atmosphere. And learning takes many forms.

Ed Todd is a staff writer for the Reporter-Telegram.

A&M researchers completing weather study

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — Two Texas A&M meteorologists are nearing completion of a three-year study of weather patterns they call "moisture bursts" that create torrential rains like those now flooding the West Coast.

The weather pattern is marked by the movement of great quantities of moisture from the tropical regions of the Pacific Ocean to North America. The researchers believe the pattern is repeated over other oceans as well.

Alymer Thompson and James P. McGuirk are working on a NASA contract to develop satellite observation techniques for tracking the "moisture bursts," university officials said Wednesday.

The weather patterns have been studied closely for only the past three or four years, McGuirk told the Bryan-College Station Eagle, "because they're forming over equatorial oceans, and people don't live there."

The moisture bursts can only be

observed by satellite. McGuirk said the storm systems form lines of clouds from 1,000 to 10,000 miles long, and behave in a matter totally different from hurricanes, so they have been difficult to understand and predict.

McGuirk and Thompson said they feel they have learned a lot about the typical appearance of the weather systems as they develop. In the next six months, they said, they will concentrate on how the moisture bursts behave, or misbehave, as they

move "downstream" in the air currents, toward land.

As evidenced by the floods in California this week, the moisture bursts can be dangerous.

McGuirk said study of the phenomenon can help meteorologists spot the weather bursts as they are forming at sea, and predict their movements and potential for harm. The researchers intend to continue their study of the tropical storm systems even after their NASA contract expires, McGuirk said.

DPS trying to find 1,500 traffic ticket payments

COTULLA (AP) — The Department of Public Safety said it is trying to determine what happened to fines paid in LaSalle County for about 1,500 traffic tickets.

DPS Trooper Rudy Rodriguez said he is attempting to trace revenues from the hundreds of tickets issued in an 18-month period from the middle of 1983 until the end of 1984, the Laredo News reported.

Subpoenas are being obtained for LaSalle County deposit slips during

the period, Rodriguez said.

Several people provided proof of payment for the tickets but no records or payment receipts were recorded, LaSalle County Sheriff Darwin Avant said.

The tickets were filed in the court of former Justice of the Peace Pilar Martinez Jr., the News reported.

"I just forgot to record the money in the books," Martinez said.

Martinez took over as justice of the peace in 1983 when Glen Mat-

thews resigned before the completion of his term. Martinez made a bid for the post in the spring of 1984 but lost to current Justice of the Peace Juan Ortiz.

Avant said Ortiz came across the apparent unpaid tickets shortly after taking office and issued 1,073 warrants.

Averaging the estimated revenues, Avant said, each violator appeared to owe the county about \$40 for the violation and another \$40 for failing

to appear. The warrants were circulated in a statewide computer and several people were arrested and ordered to pay, Rodriguez said.

An investigation was initiated two weeks after the DPS received several complaints from citizens, Rodriguez said.

"In several instances," Rodriguez said, "they showed proof of payment by producing canceled checks and receipts of money orders."

DEATHS

Ralph Skelton

Ralph Skelton, 79, of Midland died Wednesday in a local hospital.

Services will be Friday at 3:30 p.m. in the North "A" and Tennessee Church of Christ with Colquitt Nash, pastor, officiating. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Skelton was born Oct. 10, 1906, in Colorado City. He later lived in Van Horn, where he owned and operated a tanking firm. While living there he met Nettie Geaslin and they were married Sept. 6, 1935, in Las Cruces, N.M. They moved to El Paso where he worked with the post engineers at Fort Bliss from 1941 to 1945. In 1946 they moved to Midland. He was a master mechanic and heavy equipment operator for a number of oil companies in the Permian Basin. He was a member of the North "A" and Tennessee Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, two sons, Ralph C. Skelton of Red Oak, and Jack L. Skelton of Burkburnett; one daughter, Wilma D. Box of Channelview; three brothers, Raymond Skelton of Alpine, Del Skelton

of Midland, and Cliff Skelton of Snyder; three sisters, Vera Esteppe of Arkansas, Edith Towery of Odessa, and Clara Bailey of Albany; five grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Tara Mobbs

Tara Mobbs, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mobbs of Midland, died in her home Wednesday morning.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Friday at the Temple Baptist Church with the Rev. Curtis Hollis, pastor, officiating. Burial will be at 5 p.m. at Monahans Cemetery in Monahans under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home with Gordon Cox officiating.

She was born Oct. 21, 1985, in Midland. She attended Temple Baptist Church.

Survivors include her parents, one sister, Jessica Lu Mobbs of Midland; her paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D.J. Mobbs of El Paso; her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Pierson of Monahans; great-grandparents, Mrs. Christine Mobbs of Coleman, Okla., E.J. Griffiths of Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Lee LeBlanc of Carrizo Springs, Mr. and Mrs.

O.J. Pierson of Seminole, and James Liffett of Seminole.

The family requests memorials be directed to Hospice, P.O. Box 2621, Midland, 79702.

Jewel Gollihar

SAN ANGELO — Jewel Gollihar Neal, 89, of San Angelo, mother of Dollie Neal Bailenger of Midland, died Tuesday.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Robert Massie Riverside Chapel with the Rev. James Andrews officiating. Burial will be in Fairmont Cemetery.

Ms. Neal was born in Hill County on Jan. 14, 1897. She was a member of Gleaners Sunday School class, the Garden Club, the Pythian Sisters, and First Baptist Church of San Angelo.

Other survivors include four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

for 2 p.m. Friday at the DeLeon Church of Christ in DeLeon with Charles Lindley, pastor of the East-side Church of Christ in Kermit, officiating. Burial was to be in the DeLeon Cemetery under the direction of Nowlin Funeral Home.

Ms. Joiner was born March 4, 1905, in Comanche County. She was a member of the Church of Christ. She had lived in Kermit four years, moving there from DeLeon, where she had lived for 16 years.

She was married to Herbert S. Joiner, who died in 1984.

Survivors include two sons, Herbert Lloyd Joiner of Midland and Odys Harvey Joiner of Big Spring; a daughter, Mrs. Calvin Workmon of Kermit; a sister, Edith Clary of Toast; and six grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Lena McMinn

Mrs. Lena McMinn of Albuquerque, N.M., died Wednesday in an Albuquerque hospital.

Services are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

Stella Joiner

KERMIT — Stella Joiner, 80, of Kermit, died Wednesday in a local hospital. Services were scheduled

CRMWD board to consider Stacy

From Staff Reports

BIG SPRING — An update on the status of Stacy Dam preliminary work will be on the agenda when the Colorado River Municipal Water District board of directors meets here Feb. 27.

General Manager O.H. Ivie will give a report on the district's application of a 404 (environmental impact) permit from the U.S. Corps of Engineers and possible authorization to execute agreements if and when reached. The board will consider land, mineral rights and rights-of-way agreements.

In addition, the board will consider a request by the City of Coleman for 2,000 acre feet of water in the Stacy Reservoir. If the Coleman request is granted and an agreement executed, this will make the fourth city with an interest in Stacy water apart from the district member cities. Abilene, Midland and San Angelo each previously contracted for 15,001 acre feet yield annually.

The board will consider an appropriation of up to \$4,000 for a new waterflow meter on the Snyder pipeline, a resolution to replace a lost or misplaced bond and hear reports from Ivie and the legal counsel.

Man pleads guilty to embezzlement

From Staff Reports

A Midland private investment counselor pleaded guilty Wednesday to embezzling \$3,100 from one of his clients.

Bob Hammond, 41, of Florida, was ordered by District Judge Pat Baskin to pay \$13,100 to the Midland man he defrauded. Hammond was also placed on a two-

year probation for his third-degree theft conviction.

On Oct. 26, 1984, Hammond received \$3,100 as a down payment for stocks he never purchased, said District Attorney Al Schorre. The sale involved Petroplex Bank stock, which the victim never received, Schorre said. The case also involved a contract Hammond did not fulfill, he said.

Area TDHR offices form group

From Staff Reports

The Activity Directors Association of Region 12 was formed Feb. 4, at the Texas Department of Human Resources in Midland with 19 charter members present. Members were from Andrews, Lamesa, Big Spring, Crane, Alpine and other surrounding towns.

The association was formed as a result of the Texas Department of Human Resources no longer being able to offer continuing education

programs as required by the state for social activities directors.

A committee was formed and officers were installed. Officers are: president, Rosie Langston of Four Seasons Nursing Home, Odessa; vice president, Beverly Grant of Golden Plains Nursing Home, Big Spring; secretary-treasurer, Cleo Wolf of Terrace West Nursing Center, Midland.

The chapter will conduct its first meeting in April. There will be approximately four meetings a year.

Washington Y to extend hours

From Staff Reports

The Midland Metropolitan YMCA Washington Branch has extended its weekend hours of operation to 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturdays and 3 p.m.-7 p.m. Sundays. Members and guests may participate in basketball, free weights and Nautilus circuit training.

The Washington YMCA will be

hosting the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation Men's Regional Basketball Tournament Friday and Saturday. Teams from Midland, Odessa and Kermit will be competing for a berth to the State T.A.A.F. Basketball Tournament March 14. Games begin at 7 p.m. Admission is free.

For more information, call 682-0633.

Number of mules in U.S. down to 250,000

Mules once were vital to the development of U.S. agriculture, particularly in the South's cotton fields. At the peak of mules' popularity, in 1925, government census figures listed more than 6 million of them. Today their number is estimated at 250,000. There's no longer an official mule census.

for: "I'm proud to live in Texas because of the wide open spaces and the pioneer spirit."

CONTEST

(Continued from Page 1D)

Writers saluted just about everything, and one entrant wrote that "even sand between your toes (makes) you proud and happy to spend your life here."

The winners of the contest, sponsored by the Odessa-Ector County Sesquicentennial Committee, were honored at a ceremony Wednesday at an Odessa mall.

First-place winners in two categories will get to ride for a day on the Sesquicentennial wagon train when it winds its way through Odessa. Second and third-place winners got gift certificates at stores sponsoring the contest.

Joye Huff, co-chairman of the committee, said the committee came up with the contest idea as members

discussed plans for Sesquicentennial activities. Most of the activities were aimed at native Texans, she said.

"We felt there was so much hoopla going on about the celebration and history of Texas," she said. "Someone said, 'Wait a minute, there's a lot of people who are Texans by choice. Let's do something for them.' We wanted to make them feel like they're part of the celebration."

Entrants wrote essays of 25 or fewer words. There were two categories: essays written by Texas natives and ones written by Texas immigrants. Entrants received 2-inch-diameter buttons that read, "Native Texan," or "Texan By Choice."

Teresa Evans of Crane, the first-place winner in the native Texan category, won with, "Everything in Texas is bigger, better and lots more

fun. Texans do all things a little differently than other people: BEST!"

Maxine E. Parr, who moved to Texas from California, won first place in the Texan by choice category with: "Enthusiasm and determination for quality in living sold me on Texas. Even at its worst, Texas is still a better place to call home."

Mariene J. Turner, born in Indiana, won second place in the transplanted Texan category for: "Wide open spaces to mountaintops, friendly, gracious people, beautiful sunsets — even sand between your toes — make you proud and happy to spend your life here."

Ms. Law won second place in the native Texan category.

Eight-year-old Matt Babb won third place in the native category

Gymnastics class slated

From Staff Reports

The Alamo YMCA will host a Class III O and Class II Gymnastics meet Saturday and Sunday, beginning at 10:45 a.m. both days.

More than 45 girls from El Paso, Lubbock, San Angelo, Big Spring and Midland will compete in Hubert E. Collins Gymnastic Center, 901 N. Midland Drive.

There is no admission and a YMCA membership is not required.

City Council candidates' slate finalized

From Staff Reports

With the 5 p.m. Wednesday deadline passed, the candidates in the City Council election are finalized.

Entered in the mayor's race are Councilman Steve Davidson, former Councilman Carroll Thomas and Barbara Harris.

Seeking election to District 3 position, being vacated by Davidson, are Lawrence Connolly and Kelly Fish.

Unopposed for the District 4 seat, being vacated by Bart Hotchkiss, is Robert Rendall.

A drawing will be at 10 a.m. Monday in the City Secretary's office at City Hall to determine the order in which the candidates' names will appear on the ballot in the contested races.

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State Sen. J.E. "Buster" Brown and his wife Jill are appealing to the Texas Supreme Court the decision not to allow his name on the ballot for state attorney general.

High Court to soon rule on Brown case

By JIM WARREN
Reporter-Telegram Austin Bureau

AUSTIN — The Texas Supreme Court should rule soon on state Republican Party Chairman George Strake's motion to keep Sen. J.E. "Buster" Brown off the ballot in the GOP attorney general's race.

Strake took the case to the state's highest civil court to ensure Brown is ineligible to run. The state Constitution prohibits a mid-term senator from running for an office that received "an increase in emoluments" from the Legislature.

Brown's attorney, Robert Blumenthal of Dallas, argued Wednesday that a rider in the appropriations bill that raised the attorney general's salary by 3 percent would roll back the raise if Brown wins the position.

The constitutional provision simply assures a legislator doesn't increase the salary for an office and then run for financial gain, Blumenthal said. Brown would not receive the raise, he said, and the salary increase was only a cost-of-living adjustment.

"We ought to look at the provision in the Constitution and the purpose behind it and read it knowledgeably," Blumenthal told the court.

Leonard Davis, Texas Republican Party attorney, said the 3-percent increase the Legislature gave to the attorney general represented a real raise in pay and makes Brown ineligible. The Legislature cannot get around the Constitution with a rider designed to provide an out for senators wanting to run for another office, he said.

"I think the Legislature is circumventing an expressed prohibition

against a person running for an office in mid-term when that office received an increase in emoluments," Davis said.

Justice Raul Gonzales asked Davis if the GOP seriously wants Brown off the ballot or if the case represented some kind of backroom agreement between the party and Brown or other candidates.

Davis said, "We would be pleased to have him on the Republican ticket" but Brown must first prove his eligibility for the office.

Former Williamson County District Attorney Ed Walsh, San Antonio District Judge Roy Barrera and Plano District Judge John Roach also seek the Republican nomination for attorney general.

Blumenthal concentrated most of his arguments around the Supreme Court's ability to mandamus, or order, a lower appeals court to change its opinion. After the Supreme Court refused to hear the case last month, a Houston Court of Appeals ruled Brown can run.

"We've been here before and you didn't listen to us much, but there's 133 years of precedents that say you can't mandamus a lower court of appeals," Blumenthal said.

Chief Justice John Hill said the Supreme Court can always correct any lower court. "We're here to interpret the Constitution of Texas. All courts must abide by the Constitution," said Hill, a former attorney general.

After the arguments, Brown said he felt the court would rule quickly, perhaps within several days. The facts of the case, he said, show the 3-percent raise, in a time when inflation is 4 percent, does not represent a real salary increase.

person to validate miles walked. Persons not participating in groups may serve as their recorder (on the honor system).

All entrants will receive a commemorative patch. Caps and visors will be awarded to the largest group and the group traveling farthest to participate. A special prize will be awarded to the oldest individual completing 150 miles. Participants do not have to complete the 150 miles to receive a patch, but they must comply with all rules listed on the record sheet.

For more information or entry forms contact Marge Holland at 699-5023.

Sesquicentennial Stroll planned

From Staff Reports

Waco Parks and Recreation Department Senior Services Division is sponsoring a Texas Sesquicentennial Stroll for persons 55 or over and senior citizens throughout the state are invited to participate.

Supporting this event are the Midland Senior Center and Parks and Recreation Department.

The Sesquicentennial Stroll begins on March 1 through May 30. Strollers may walk anywhere (gyms, in their neighborhood, malls, walk trails or other regular walking areas). Miles must be recorded and initiated by an official. Each group must select one

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St. Ann's school science fair winners advance to regional fair

From Staff Reports

St. Ann's Catholic School in Midland recently held its annual Science Fair. Fourth, fifth and sixth grade students who placed first, second or third in each category are eligible to attend the Permian Basin Regional Science Fair March 7-8 at UTPB. Following are the individual results of the fair:

Sixth Grade
Chemistry — Matt Buckingham, second place.
Microbiology — Kristina Krehbiel, second place; Ashley Glennan, third place.
Health and Medicine — Jennifer Granda, first place; Kim Garcia, second place; Nicole Martinez, third place; Yvonne Dutchover, honorable mention.

Physical Science — Brian Martin, first place; Clint Brown, second place; Anh Nguyen, honorable mention.
Botany — Heather Logan, third place.
Earth and Space Science — Todd Meade, second place; Vanessa Dixon, third place; Stephanie Spratt, honorable mention.
Engineering — Max Stuart, first place; David Reisinger, second place; Robert Florer, third place; Alyson Nichols, honorable mention.

Fourth and Fifth Grades
Chemistry — Cara Carney, first place; Patty Summers, second place; Catherine Leps and All Langley, third place; Kim Baggett, honorable mention.

Microbiology — Peter Reisinger, first place; Desiree Matchen, second place; Shannon Martin and John Benfatti, third place; Deanna Hebrick, honorable mention.
Health and Science — Carolina Breachetta and Amy Brasher, honorable mention.
Physical Science — Louis Brezina, first place; Paul Fuentes and Matt Mullin, second place; Marlon Kirwin and Adria Hall, third place; Holly Moore and Michelle Reyes, honorable mention.
Botany — Tiffany Pehl, first place; Jack Cramer, second place; Tammi Brown, third place; Paul Snyder and Max Wimmer, honorable mention.
Earth and Space Science — Lisa Kopacsi, first place; Bryan Skrzynecki, second place; Carrie Elliott and

Meredith Morgan, third place; Richard Hernandez and Regina Medawar, honorable mention.
Engineering — John Earles, first place; Sharon Kirwin, second place; Cecilia Wollschlager and Patricia Blumentritt, third place; Clara Reyes, Josh Kemper and David Holguin, honorable mention.

EDUCATION

MC short courses to be offered on floral selection, watercolor

From Staff Reports

The Midland College Department of Continuing Education will offer four short courses beginning Monday. Courses include "Floral Selection Workshop," "Petroleum Land and Leasing," "Quilting II," and "Watercolor."

"Floral Selection Workshop" will meet from 7 to 8:30 p.m. on Monday through March 3. The two-session course will present information concerning basic floral designs, facts on the interesting use of colors, and tips concerning the care of fresh flowers. Also included will be suggestions on how to place orders with local florists in order to make effective selections and to use various types of flowers to their best advantage. The course fee is \$8.

To create an understanding of how the petroleum industry leases and develops oil and gas reserves, "Petroleum Land and Leasing" provides instruction in land ownership, leasing and agreements. The course will meet from 7 to 10 p.m. on Monday through May 12. Texts are available in the Midland College Bookstore. The course fee is \$55.

"Quilting II" will meet from 7 to 9:30 p.m. on Thursday through March 20. The course teaches the more intricate pieced and curved seams while working on Drunkard's Path, Grandmother's Flowergarden, and Dresden Plate. Scissors and thimble are needed the first night of class. Supply information is available at the Office of Continuing Education. The class size is limited to 15 students and the course fee is \$16.

Taught from 7 to 9:30 p.m. on Thursday through April 17, "Watercolor" instructs in the use of transparent and opaque watercolor with development of different techniques using a variety of subject matter. No drawing background is needed.

Demonstration and explanation of materials are planned for the first night of class. Material costs vary according to individual student selection. The class is limited to 16 students and the course fee is \$25.

Further information on continuing education short courses may be obtained by contacting the Continuing Education Department in the Administration Building, or by calling 685-4518.

Teachers being assigned sites to take TECAT

From Staff Reports

AUSTIN — More than 200,000 educators who will take the Texas Examination of Current Administrators and Teachers March 10 are now being assigned testing sites in 253 Texas counties.

Texas Education Agency officials say efforts are being made to assign test takers to examination sites in their own school districts if at all possible.

No educator will be required to leave his or her county to take the TECAT, except in the case of Loving County, where no schools are located and no test site is needed.

Computer errors or mistakes made by educators on TECAT registration forms may cause some teachers and administrators to inadvertently receive assignments to out-of-county testing locations.

Those who feel they have been mistakenly assigned should call the toll-free TECAT hotline at 800-553-5553.

UT tower may be open for student tours

AUSTIN (AP) — The University of Texas administration indicated it may allow graduating students a brief farewell view of the campus and Austin from the UT Tower observation deck — closed to the public since 1975 as a guard against suicide attempts or other forms of violence.

UT President William Cunningham met Wednesday with students to discuss the proposal, but he said his concerns about safety would have to be satisfied.

The 27th-floor observation deck was a popular tourist attraction until it was closed to the public by UT regents. The regents decided 11 years ago that closing the area was the best way to make it secure against people intending suicide.

On Aug. 1, 1966, sniper Charles Whitman barricaded himself on the observation deck and shot at passers-by below. Whitman killed 16 people and wounded more than 30 others before a police officer ran onto the observation deck and shot him to death.



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Calorie counts subject to interpretation

By SONJA HEINZE

Q. I can't understand why all companies don't print the caloric content of their products on the labels along with the ingredients. Many companies do, but many don't, and I won't buy a product anymore that doesn't provide this information. Kenneth MacCombie, South Bend, Ind.

A. The reason caloric content is absent from most labels is that government regulations do not require it. All that is required is the product's name, the manufacturer's name and address and a list of ingredients in descending order by weight. So a manufacturer would be cutting his own throat if he volunteered information on his label that would turn consumers off, such as 500 calories per serving of cake.

Some calorie labeling, although it's given voluntarily, can be misleading. For instance, if you take a quick glance at a can of condensed soup, it says "Calories — 100." That doesn't seem like much at all until you study the label and realize that in the man-

ufacturer's opinion there are two and three quarters servings per can. Now, even though I'm not a heavy eater, when I open a can of soup, I eat the whole thing.

A product labeled "reduced calorie" doesn't necessarily mean low calorie either. It just means, as defined by the Food and Drug Administration, that it has one-third fewer calories than it would have in its standard form.

A food labeled "low calorie" is supposed to have no more than 40 calories per serving, but again, check the label to see how many servings the manufacturer has decided the package contains.

Q. Will you please comment on the process and quality of the beef used for beef sandwiches by Hardee's Restaurants? I find it spongy, as if frozen. Heleine Vullch, Clinton, Iowa.

A. Several attempts on my part to elicit a response from Hardee's Restaurants to your question proved fruitless. Most fast-food chains contend that the way their food is pro-

cessed and the ingredients they contain is privileged information, a corporate secret.

When the Center for Science in the Public Interest, which is a non-profit public interest organization, tried to get ingredient listings from Hardee's, among others, they were told that this information was confidential. "Company policy," said Hardee's, "dictates that the specific ingredients of our products cannot be made public."

Arby's Restaurants is one fast-food chain that tells you anything you want to know. Their roast beef is not simple roast beef but, says CSPI, "a processed meat to which water, salt and sodium phosphates have been added."

Your guess is as good as mine, then, as to why Hardee's roast beef seems to have a spongy quality. But I think that consumers should definitely have access to this information.

Q. Since corn on the cob tastes best when it's picked that same day during corn season I go to a produce market that displays a sign that says,

"Picked This A.M." Sometimes I wonder how true this is. How do I know he isn't taking his leftover corn and mixing it in the morning with the fresh corn?

A. At the end of the cob, where the corn is broken off from the stalk, it should be whitish in color if the cob is fresh. After a day it starts to turn brown and become dry.

The fresher the corn, the sweeter it is. As soon as corn is picked, the natural sugar in the kernels starts turning into starch. Keeping the corn cool retards this process. Joe Carcione, in "The Greengrocer," states also that "the ears should never be piled high because even this tends to generate heat and 'cook' the ears."

Have a consumer-oriented question? Write to Sonja Heinze, care of this newspaper.

Sonja Heinze is a columnist for King Features Syndicate Inc.

BETTER BUSINESS



Con artists limited

By JOHN K. SCHMIDT

The California State Legislature has passed a "Boiler Room Bill," otherwise known as Assembly Bill 776, aimed at curbing telephone sales activities of the con artists operating out of that state but well-known to us locally as "WATS-line hustlers." The new law went into effect Jan. 1.

The law will require persons and firms who solicit sales over the telephone to register with the California Department of Justice at least 10 days before they begin dialing consumers.

Failure to register and provide information about ownership, products and sales practices could be punished with up to six months in jail and a \$2,500 fine for a misdemeanor violation, and up to a year in prison and a \$10,000 fine for a felony. The definitions and exemptions in

the bill are thorough — most experts believe it is targeted precisely enough that it will not be burdensome for legitimate telemarketing enterprises.

The key is the belief that con artists and scam operators will not register. The hope is that the new law is strong enough to prevent their schemes from being profitable in California.

Now for the bad news. In the past, whenever California has taken action to rid its borders of such con artists, they pack up and move — many to Nevada, Arizona or Texas to set up shop all over again. We can expect that many will do just that.

John K. Schmidt is president of the Better Business Bureau of the Permian Basin Inc.

CONSUMING INTERESTS



Low-sodium soups missing more than salt

By LINDA ANDERSON

Proper nutrition seems to be on everyone's mind these days and sometimes it's hard to know who to believe. Every year or so we learn of some other food that is hazardous to our health, and food companies are always eager to introduce new products to help us avoid some unnecessary risk.

For a long time now doctors and other health officials have been warning about the dangers of too much salt. In light of this fact, Campbell Soup Company offers a line of low sodium soups. Regular canned and dried soups are reported to be extremely high in salt.

In the interest of better health, the taste-testers tried three of these low-salt soups for taste, price and advertising accuracy. The flavors were Chunky Chicken Vegetable, Chunky

Beef and Mushrooms and Chunky Vegetable Beef. The other flavors available are Chicken Broth, Chicken with Noodles, Cream of Mushroom, French Onion, Split Pea and Tomato with Tomato Pieces.

The soups are marketed in single-serving, 10 1/2-ounce cans and, unlike regular canned soups, do not need added water or milk. Price for one can is between 43 cents and 86 cents, depending on the flavor. Ordinary, high-sodium, canned soups usually cost between 35-65 cents per can, depending on the flavor, and make two to three servings. Which means the low-sodium soups are much more expensive than regular canned soups, ounce per ounce. (Prices listed are from a local supermarket. Prices at other locations may vary.)

Nutrition information on the label of the chicken vegetable soup gives the calories in one serving (which, in

this case, is the whole can) to be 240 and sure enough, the sodium to be only 100 gm per serving.

The label also lists the soup as containing 20 percent of the protein, 130 percent of the vitamin A and 25 percent of the sodium suggested in the U.S. Recommended Daily Allowance — as well as other important nutrients.

Ingredients listed for the chicken soup included chicken stock, chicken meat, carrots, potatoes, sweet peppers, Sherry wine, water, celery, chicken fat, yeast extract and other ingredients. Salt isn't listed on the label anywhere. In fact, the only thing that sounded unusual was oleoresin paprika, whatever that is.

Now for the critical taste-test. All three flavors flunked. Royally. When the first can — probably the vegetable beef — was opened, I took a taste and promptly threw it away

— I figured I had a bad can. So I opened the beef and mushroom, which proved to be at least as bad, if not worse, than the first.

One of the teenagers tried the chicken vegetable variety and was so disgusted she could not eat it. She did fix it by adding other ingredients so that it became palatable, but by itself the soup was horrible, she said.

The absence of salt is no excuse for food tasting that bad. One of my co-workers said she liked the low-sodium tomato soup — which we did not taste — but the flavors we tasted we do not recommend. Unless you are very brave.

Linda Anderson is a Reporter-Telemag Lifestyle writer.

Coons named Woman of the Year

Pam Coons has been named Woman of the Year by the Petropolis chapter of the American Business Women's Association. Mrs. Coons is group manager-operator services for Southwestern Bell.



Pam Coons

She began working as a directory assistance operator in 1973 in Tempe, Ariz. In 1976 she was promoted to construction materials clerk in Mesa, Ariz. She transferred into the directory assistance unit in Midland in 1980 and was promoted to service assistant the same year. She attained her current position in 1981.

Mrs. Coons is a volunteer for the M.S. Society and is a member of C.P.A. wives and Midland Community Theatre's ACT IX, and is active in community relations for Southwestern Bell. She is currently ABWA vice president and was the ways and means chairman last year.

She is eligible to compete for the 1986 Top Ten Business Women of ABWA and American Business Women of ABWA awards. The winners of the national awards will be announced at ABWA's 1986 national convention in October.

Each year each ABWA chapter elects one of its members for the Woman of the Year award based on the member's achievements in

her field of business, education, community activities and participation in ABWA.

The group brings together business women of various backgrounds to provide opportunities for them to help themselves and others grow personally and professionally through leadership education, networking support and national recognition.

DEAR ABBY



Wife's condition may cost man his friendships

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: I recently split up with my wife. I will pseudo-name her "Alice," who has genital herpes. A number of my male friends are interested in dating her, and I know she's interested in dating them.

If I tell them she has herpes, I may be violating her rights. If I don't, and they catch it from her, I may not only lose my friends, but face a lawsuit. Others may be facing the same dilemma, so if you print this, please withhold my identity. Call me — ALICE'S HUSBAND.

DEAR HUSBAND: Be certain that your wife takes seriously her responsibility to warn those she could infect. I assume that you, too, have herpes, and are aware that a person with herpes can live quite normally with it between occasional outbreaks. But before you make any announcements to your friends,

search your conscience for your motives — and don't try to pass off your anger as altruism.

DEAR ABBY: In a recent column, "Modern Mom," said that a child's bedroom should be a private, comfortable place to call his own and, unlike most mothers, she did not believe in screaming at a child to clean up his room. Then you said, "I agree. Keep the door closed and go in once a week to rake it," and added, "If there is any snacking in the room, insist that all dishes and leftovers should be taken to the kitchen before bedtime." Thanks for that, Abby, but most child psychologists advocate training children to keep neat and orderly rooms. They say parents who allow their children to live in messy rooms are abdication their responsibilities as parents.

How do you justify your answer, Abby? — SCREAMING MOTHER.

DEAR MOTHER: I think the child

who learns by experiencing the consequences of his actions learns faster. Example: Johnny forgets his lunch. No problem. Mother brings it to him. Susie can't find her favorite blouse. No problem. Mother searches her room and finds it under her bed wrapped in a pair of jeans.

When Mother doesn't rush in to rescue a forgetful or disorganized child, the child "remembers" and gets organized faster.

I have harvested a lot of mail on that one. Score readers against Abby, 110: for Abby, 36.

DEAR ABBY: A couple of years ago you were asked by a schoolteacher what you would say if you could give young people just one piece of advice. What was it? — ANOTHER SCHOOLTEACHER.

DEAR TEACHER: It was, "If I could give young people one piece of advice, it would be, read, read, read! In reading, you will open up new

worlds, real and imagined. Read for information, read for pleasure. Our libraries are filled with knowledge and joy, and it's all there — free for the taking. The person who does not read is no better off than the person who cannot read."

DEAR ABBY: I have an apartment neighbor who goes outside all hours of the day and night to whistle for his cat. He sometimes does this as much as five or six times an hour. This is getting on my nerves. What are you supposed to do about harmless eccentrics who do nutty things? — WHISTLER'S NEIGHBOR.

DEAR NEIGHBOR: Whistling for his cat every 10 minutes? Perhaps your neighbor is lonely and could use some human companionship. Why not invite him in for some tea and sympathy? The poor fellow may be just whistling for attention.

Abigail Van Buren is a columnist for Universal Press Syndicate.

Home 'repairs' often rip-offs

Associated Press

From termite control to water-proofing a basement or fixing a roof of driveway, home "repairs" are too often schemes by fast-talking, fly-by-night operators. They lure unwary consumers into spending money on home repairs and improvements that are unnecessary, shoddily done, never finished, or that worsen a problem, says the spring issue of Better Homes and Gardens Remodeling Ideas magazine.

To protect yourself, follow these precautions:

■ Don't agree to anything on the spur of the moment. Be wary of the fellow who stops by because he "just noticed" that your driveway needs resurfacing and he happens to have enough material left over to do the job cheaply. Resist the high-pressure salesperson who says his offer is a one-day-only special. Double-check the person who alludes to some sentimental capacity and suggests you may be liable to a fine if a certain repair isn't made.

■ Get at least three estimates for any job. Make sure the bids are for identical work and materials so you can compare prices.

■ Obtain all contract terms and promises in writing.

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Cellular telephones latest things in adult toys

Copley News Service

They may be the hottest items since Cabbage Patch Kids, but cellular phones aren't kid stuff.

They're definitely adult toys — at adult prices, with most cellular phones starting at about \$1,500 and going as high as \$4,000.

While driving your car, you can reach out and touch someone by cellular phone, basically a new kind of mobile phone run by computer electronics.

The chicest of the chic have them.

But it's not only hotshot limo types who have cellular phones. The snazzy-looking, high-tech, computer-age gadgets often find homes in the grungy trucks of hardworking plumbers, contractors and landscapers who are on the go and don't have any office other than the front seat of their truck.

Salespeople and real estate brokers, always on the go, find having a phone in their cars helps them stay in touch with prospective clients and customers.

There are cellular phones that can be installed in boats as well as cars. There also are cellular phones that run on batteries and can be stashed in a briefcase.

Businessman Steve Rothschild of San Diego takes his battery-powered cellular phone when he travels to Los Angeles and San Francisco. He makes calls from restaurant booths with it. On Thanksgiving, while driving to pick up a pie, he phoned his father in New York to wish him a happy holiday.

Just about anywhere people go,



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cellular phones can go. One San Diego real estate broker who is a paraplegic recently had a cellular phone installed on his wheelchair.

"It's not just a toy or a fad," said Ken Willis, general manager of CellularLand, one of San Diego's first cellular phone dealers. "We estimate that cellular phones will be in 40 percent of all business cars two years from now."

It seems that anything is possible — technology and pocketbook willing.

Bruce Jacobson, who runs his own sales business, Bar Supply Specialists, paid \$1,750 for the popular NEC 5000 cellular phone model. He spent an additional \$300 for the phone's "hands-free" option, basically allow-

ing him to have a speaker box with the phone so he wouldn't need to hold the handset as he drove and spoke.

Because there was a mechanical problem with the phone, Jacobson wound up taking it back to the dealer several times, which irritated him.

Jacobson was aghast recently when he received his first cellular phone bill. The total, covering the first two and one-half months of use, came to \$450.

For an attorney billing a client for phone time spent on the road, that money is easily recouped. For someone like Jacobson, who owns a small business, it is not.

Before buying the cellular phone, Jacobson owned a mobile phone, and he feels a little nostalgic for it, he said.

"In retrospect, I'd go back to the old system," he said.

One thing Jacobson does like about the cellular phone is its sound quality, which is better than that of mobile phones.

Basically, mobile phones are two-way radios and operate much more simply than cellular phones. But mobile phones are not capable of as many functions as cellular phones.

Mobile car phones have a more limited range, and the lines are almost always busy when a caller tries to dial. Besides, an operator has to intervene to connect the call.

Instead of having a single antenna covering an entire city, the cellular system uses many low-power antennas scattered about a city covering individual geographic honeycomb-

like cells — thus the "cell" in cellular. Calls are switched from antenna to antenna by computer as the vehicle travels.

Each cell covers an area 1 to 8 miles in radius.

Cellular phones have 696 channels available for communications, compared with about 30 channels for mobile phones. And more channels means more conversations are possible at the same time.

The Federal Communications Commission, which regulates cellular phones, decided to split the number of channels and authorize two different providers of cellular service in each market area to provide competition and, optimally, better service for consumers.

Because the cellular phone market is very hot right now, consumers pretty much have their pick of where to shop and what to buy. You can buy a phone from electronics outlets or take your pick from dealers who sell nothing but cellular phones.

The dealers are particularly eager to sell. If you can't come into the showroom, some will send a salesperson right to your home to show the phones.

But don't forget as you're being wooed by the technology and slick look of the phones that you're buying a sophisticated piece of equipment that doesn't come cheap.

"This is a high-ticket item," said Betty Bienstadt, a Pacific Telephone mobile access information officer. "A salesperson isn't going to sell 10 a day so there's quite a bit of competition out there for sales."

Options available for phone fanatics

Copley News Service

For the moment it seems that the "cell" in "cellular" should be spelled "sell" because cellular phone stores have been popping up throughout the United States.

Cellular phones come with "a lot of bells and whistles for different prices and options, just like a car," said Myron Peck, deputy chief of the Federal Communications Commission's cellular division in Washington, D.C.

Here is some information you may want to consider before you buy one:

You don't have to buy a cellular phone if you're not sure it is something you really need to own. You can also rent one for \$80 to \$90 a month.

Make sure you will be able to use the phone in the areas where you work.

It is best to buy a cellular phone at a business that will not only install the phone for you but will also provide service if something goes wrong.

The phone isn't the only thing you have to buy. If you are having it installed in your car, you will need an antenna and a mount.

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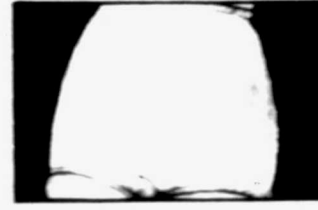
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Nutrition lost

By MARIAN FARR

Cooking ahead, heating and reheating foods in a microwave has become a way of life in many busy families, but the savings in cooking time can be at the expense of nutrients. Storing fresh vegetables and then heating or reheating them causes vitamin C to be lost.

Vegetables have about three-fourths as much vitamin C after one day in the refrigerator as when freshly cooked and about two-thirds as much after two days.

Cooked vegetables reheated after two or three days in the refrigerator will supply one-third to one-half as much vitamin C as when freshly prepared.

Eating heated and reheated vege-

tables shouldn't cause concern if your meals include other more dependable sources of vitamin C each day such as citrus fruits and juices.

Freshly squeezed, canned or reconstituted frozen orange juice can be held in the refrigerator for several days before any vitamin C is lost. Even a few hours outside the refrigerator won't cause any serious loss in vitamin C from orange juice, although it may impair the flavor.

It's not necessary to take vitamin C tablets if you're eating a balanced diet that includes vegetables and citrus fruits.

Marian Farr is Midland County Extension Agent, Home Economics.

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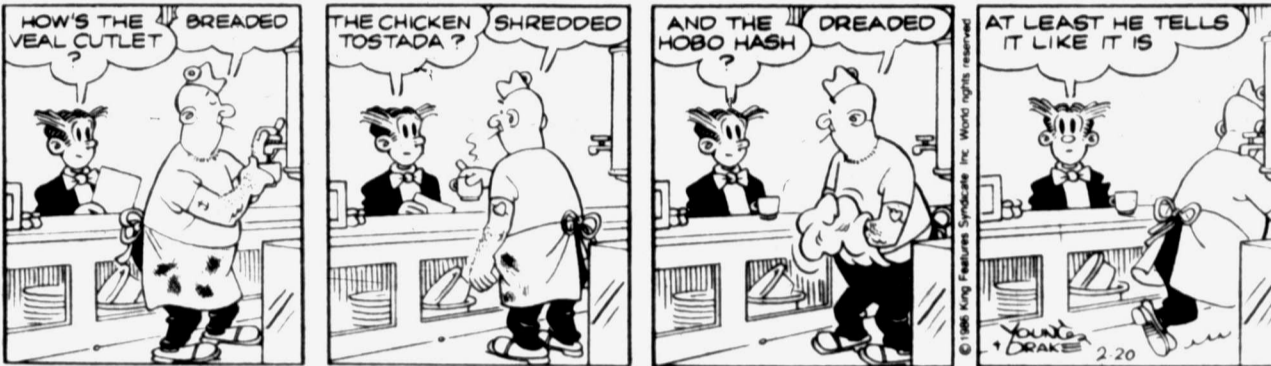
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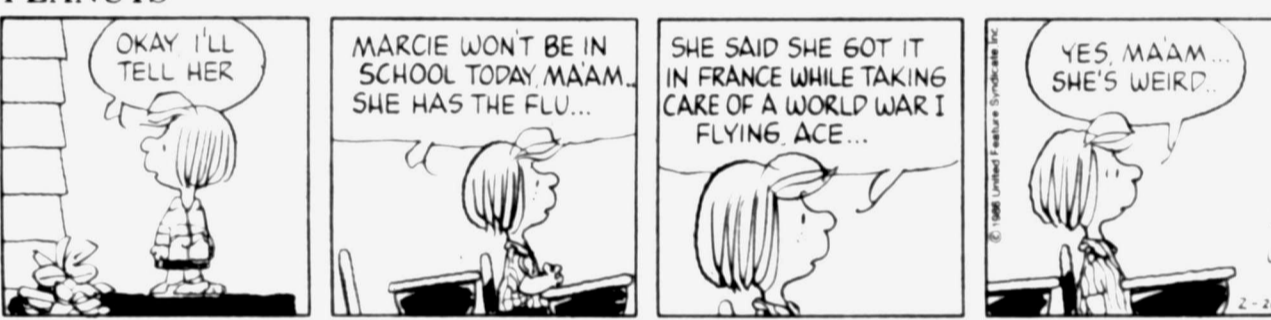
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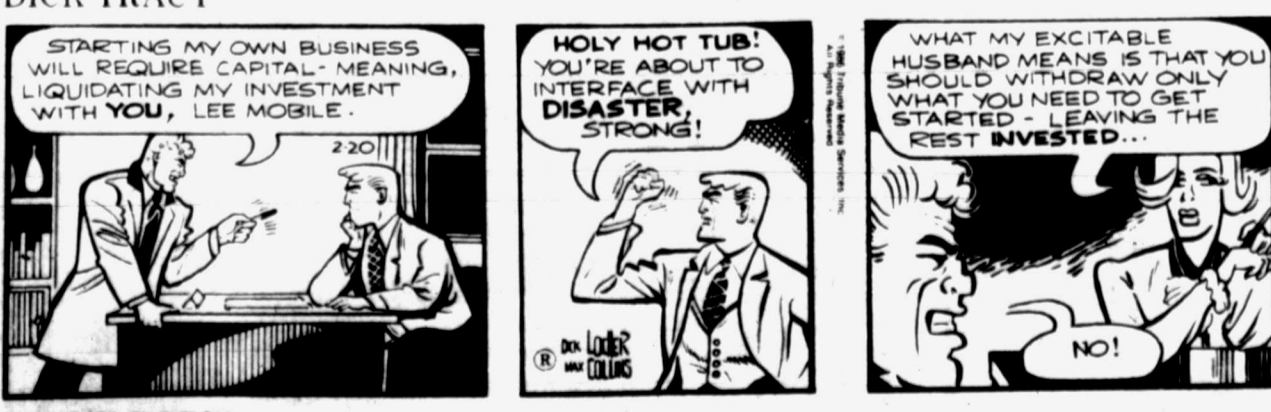
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JEANE DIXON'S your horoscope © 1986 Los Angeles Times Syndicate

Friday, February 21, 1986 YOUR BIRTHDAY TODAY: Your satisfaction with a job or relationship continues to grow. Those embarking on a new romance see the world through rose-colored glasses. Spring finds you ready to make long-term plans. A compromise draws family members closer together. Review the terms of a trust. You may be able to get a better return from certain investments. Consult experts. A business venture pays big dividends. CELEBRITY BIRTHDATES: Poet W.H. Auden, director-writer Sam Peckinpah, fashion designer Hubert Givenchy, humor columnist-author Erma Bombeck, Jack Coleman of 'Dynasty,' Rep Olympia Snowe (R-Maine), Rue McClanahan of 'Golden Girls,' Texas politician Barbara Jordan. ARIES (March 21-April 19): Tend to unfinished business so that you can leave for the weekend with a clear conscience. Showing more initiative is the best way to impress someone influential. Protect your image. Be discreet. TAURUS (April 20-May 20): A personal project goes according to plan. Welcome ideas that will streamline work procedures. A long-distance call brings welcome

news. Curb a tendency to sound "flip" -- you could unknowingly insult someone. GEMINI (May 21-June 20): A friend offers you a valuable tip on bolstering your finances. Follow through! Money and friendship prove to be a volatile mix. A quiet family discussion leads to new peace of mind. CANCER (June 21-July 22): Be careful not to take unnecessary risks with your money. Partners could ask tough questions. Welcome new responsibilities. A raise or promotion could follow. Follow your heart where romance is concerned. LEO (July 23-Aug 22): You may not know exactly where you stand with an influential person. Patience serves you well. Postpone asking for favors. VIRGO (Aug 23-Sept 22): A friend or former co-worker could play a major role in your career advancement today. Pay attention to detail and you will avoid making costly mistakes. LIBRA (Sept 23-Oct 22): Someone who is shy should be handled with kid gloves. Your charm and diplomacy serve you well. Rethink a budget and you will undoubtedly come up with something more practical. Double check

costs. SCORPIO (Oct 23-Nov 21): Postpone serious business negotiations until next week and you will get better results. Keep any promises you make to loved ones and small fry. A business function proves very enjoyable. SAGITTARIUS (Nov 22-Dec 21): You cannot afford to postpone action on a financial matter. Move at once! Control an impulse to reveal a mistake you made long ago. An unexpected visitor brings you great pleasure. CAPRICORN (Dec 22-Jan 19): Business travel could prove disappointing. Exercise more caution than usual when handling money. Limit credit card purchases. Romance is somewhat sensitive. Be very discreet. AQUARIUS (Jan 20-Feb 18): Do not show resentment if someone gets a promotion or raise, even if she does not deserve it. This person could end up being your boss. Swallow your pride and accept a generous offer. PISCES (Feb 19-March 20): Getting involved in a friend's romantic problems could lead to embarrassment. Keep your distance. Reduce spending by leaving your credit cards at home. Your expertise in a certain area receives new recognition.

GOREN BRIDGE

BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

FIND THE DISTRIBUTION

East-West vulnerable. South deals. NORTH: ♠ 86, ♣ 97, ♠ A J 9 8, ♣ K Q 9 5 2. WEST: ♠ J 10 7 2, ♣ K Q 10 5 4 3 2, ♠ Void, ♣ 10 8. EAST: ♠ Q 9, ♣ A J 8, ♠ 7 6 5 4 3, ♣ J 6 4. SOUTH: ♠ A K 5 4 3, ♣ 6, ♠ K Q 10 2, ♣ A 7 3.

The bidding: South West North East 1 ♠ 2 3 ♠ 3 4 Pass 5 Pass 6 Pass Pass Pass. Opening lead: King of

suggested a crossruff. That, in turn, meant declarer would have to cash his winners first. The crossruff would succeed if East had started with at least two spades and three clubs. Declarer could only hope for the best. When the ace-king of spades and the three top clubs went through, the rest was simple. Declarer ruffed two clubs in hand and three spades on the table as East fol-

lowed helplessly with his low trumps. In all, declarer collected his five black-suit winners and seven trump tricks. Note that it is essential for declarer to take his tricks before embarking on the crossruff. If he ruffs a card in either black suit before cashing all his winners, East will be able to discard in the other black suit and ruff one of South's high cards for the setting trick.

The first reaction of the average player to a bad trump break is panic. Instead, he would be better advised to consider whether there is any distribution that would enable him to make his contract. Despite the interference bidding by their vulnerable opponents, North-South reached a good six-diamond contract that would have been relatively easy with normal breaks. However, when there has been activity by the defenders despite a minimum point count, beware of bad breaks. West led the king of hearts and continued with a heart to the ace. Declarer ruffed and laid down the king of trumps. West's heart discard was a distinct shock. A change in plan was called for—declarer could no longer afford to draw two rounds of trumps and then play on the club suit. The fact that all declarer's trumps were high

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Michener in stable condition after quintuple heart bypass operation

AUSTIN (AP) — Author James Michener, whose most recent best-seller is the novel "Texas," is recuperating in stable condition at Seton Medical Center after undergoing a quintuple heart bypass operation.

Michener, 79, author of more than 30 books, was hospitalized Saturday after arriving at the emergency room complaining of chest pains, hospital spokeswoman Linda McFarland said Wednesday.

Doctors performed the surgery Sunday night to bypass five blocked arteries, she said.

"He did not have a heart attack. They did detect some blockages, and the doctors decided now was as good a time as any to perform the bypass surgery," Ms. McFarland said.

She said the surgeons encountered no complications during the operation.

Michener was resting comfortably Wednesday and was scheduled to be transferred out of the hospital's intensive care unit, Ms. McFarland said.

"He seems to be doing very well. He's resting well. He got up and moved around yesterday," she said.

During bypass operations, surgeons remove veins from another part of the body and use them to replace clogged arteries, Ms. McFarland said. She described the procedure as fairly common.

She said Michener likely will undergo a typical recovery program, including exercise and diet consultation.

Among Michener's books is the best-selling "Texas," published last autumn. That project brought him to Austin in 1982 at the invitation of then-Gov. Bill Clements, and he spent 2½ years researching the book.

"Texas" tells the history of the state and its people from the earliest times to the present.

Michener's first book, "Tales of the South Pacific," won the Pulitzer Prize for fiction in 1948. In 1949, it went to Broadway as the long-running musical "South Pacific."

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Astronaut Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin will appear on NBC's "Punky Brewster" show to help young viewers cope with the deaths of the seven astronauts aboard the space shuttle Challenger, the series' creator says.

Executive producer David Duclon, who wrote the episode scheduled for broadcast March 9, said he was inspired by news coverage of how children who saw the shuttle explosion on television were affected by it.

Aldrin, who made man's first visit to the moon's surface with Neil Armstrong in 1969, will appear as himself. He tells Punky, played by Soleil Moon Frye, about the risks that all explorers take.



"Buzz" Aldrin

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Johnny Paycheck and Tanya Tucker are among more than three dozen country music stars lined up for the 10-hour "Thunder Across America" benefit concert for the American Indian on March 22.

"We have a long way to go," country singer Bobby Storm said Wednesday. Storm, a full-blooded Cherokee, heads Save the Original Red Man Inc., the fundraising group sponsoring the event in the 9,900-seat Municipal Auditorium.

Other performers scheduled to appear include Johnny Rodriguez, Faron Young and Gus Hardin, Storm said. Tickets cost \$10 and concertgoers are asked to bring canned food for needy Indians.

Storm would not estimate how much will be raised, but said, "If we raise just \$10, it's worth the effort."

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Entertainer Danny Thomas, who founded St. Jude Children's Research Hospital 25 years ago, has urged the Legislature to keep its promise to boost medical school research into children's diseases.

Thomas told Tennessee lawmakers Wednesday that the state's promise to boost research funding at the University of Tennessee medical school kept St. Jude from leaving Memphis for St. Louis in February.

"When our doors opened in 1962, children went there to die," Thomas said of St. Jude, a leading research institution in such childhood diseases as leukemia. "Now, we're pushing 60 percent cured, better than 50 percent."

Gov. Lamar Alexander later said the state has pledged to spend \$50 million over the next five years to upgrade research at the UT medical school, also in Memphis. At least \$10 million would go toward research on children's diseases.

BOWIE, Md. (LAT) — Bowie State College has established a Sharon Christa McAuliffe Scholarship-Fellowship Fund to honor the memory of fallen space traveler Mrs. McAuliffe, who received her Masters Degree in Education from the college in 1978. The fund will provide assistance to students in teacher education at both undergraduate and graduate levels.

WASHINGTON (LAT) — Self Magazine will be presenting its third annual National Fresh Start Awards Thursday at a congressional luncheon in the Caucus Room of the Cannon Building. The awards this year go to a 42-year-old medical student, a high-quality-fleece sheep farmer, a cellist who started her own quartet and three women who set up their own fitness training, nutritional planning and wardrobe design firm.

Among his other major works are "Hawaii," "The Source," "Chesapeake," "Centennial," and "Space." Michener and his wife spent part of last year in Sitka, Alaska, where he is doing research for a new book.

He has said that book will focus on Alaska and the northern Pacific Ocean. The couple keeps a home at Austin, where Michener is a professor emeritus at the University of Texas.

DEVONPORT, England (AP) — Prince Andrew celebrated his 28th birthday away from his current flame, Sarah Ferguson, with his fellow officers on board the Royal Navy ship HMS Brazen.

Andrew, a helicopter pilot in the Royal Navy, was busy below decks as the frigate arrived Wednesday at this southwestern English port after exercises in the North Sea.



Prince Andrew

In London, the press was busy trailing Ms. Ferguson, the woman widely touted to be the prince's future bride. She refused to comment to reporters about her relationship with the second son of Queen Elizabeth II.

MIAMI (LAT) — Dame Margo Fonteyn, one of ballet's all time greats, is coming out of retirement to play the part of the queen in Sleeping Beauty with the Sadler Wells Royal Ballet Company in Miami. The 67-year-old dancer made her U.S. debut as Princess Aurora in 1949 with the same company.

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5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	The Lord	Carol Burnett	Mad About	Tennis Mag.		
6:00	News	News	Price & Night	Prase The Lord	M.T. Moore	Cristal	SportsCenter	Animals	GI Diary
6:30	Wheel Fortune	M*A*S*H	Sanford				SpeedWeek		
7:00	Ripley's	Magnum, P.I.	Cosby Show	The Scenes	Movic	Juana Iris	College	Fisher Hole	Bull's Eye War
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11:30					"El Coyote Y		"Pat Garrett	Cap Sking	Dave Allen
12:00	News	"The	Letterman	The Scenes	Movic	La Bronca	And Niby The	Fisher Hole	Management
12:30		Average"	News	John Winler	"Boyzoo"				

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6:00	Fauna Tale	Movic	"The Wild	Adventures"	Animals	You Can't Do	Chinese	Detective	Allen Smith
6:30	Theatre			Can Be A Star	Funhouse	1990	Dangerouse		And Jones
7:00	Movic	Movic	Country	Best Of Farm	Nashville Now	College	Rly 3 Sons	Bolet Masts	Wackiest Ship
7:30	"Rocky"	"Blood	Theatre	Aid		Basketball	Danna Reed	Rechnmanoff	In The Army
8:00		"Sleight"	Movic	"My Favorite	The Moon	Now Country	LSU at	Part I	700 Club
8:30						Wonderball	"Scarlet		
9:00	Honeymooners	Movic	"Yes"	Season"	VideoCountry	Patrol	Street"	Bolet Masts	News
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11:30		"The Flamingo		"The Brother		Edge Of Night	Television	Rechnmanoff	Bill Cosby
12:00	Movic	"Easy Rider"	Movic	From Another	Now Country	That Girl	Rly 3 Sons	Part I	Dubin Gills
12:30						Tractor Pull	Danna Reed		Father Knows

DAILY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

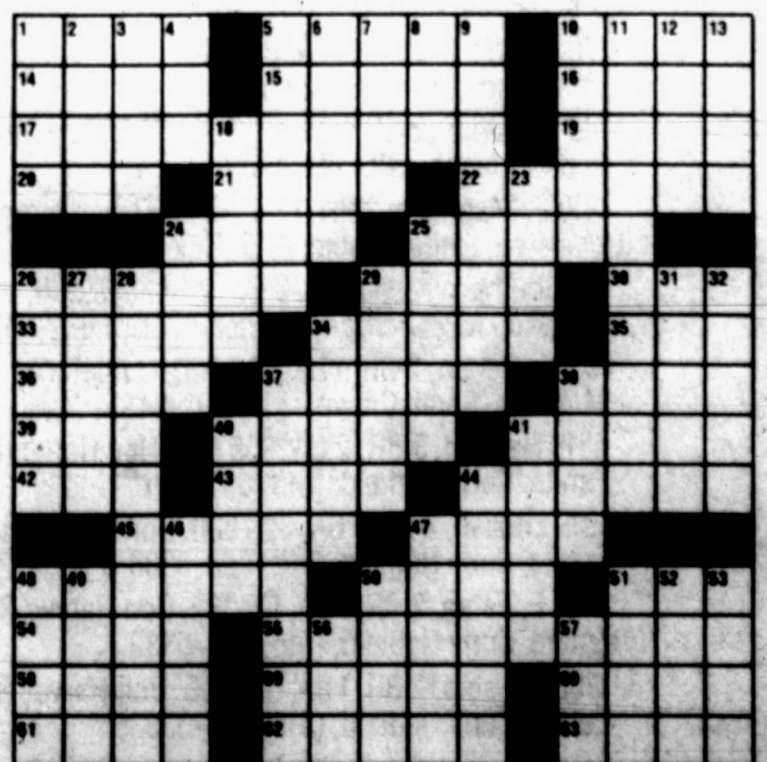
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San Angelo twists 4-5A athletic traditions

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Assistant Sports Editor

BIG SPRING — San Angelo school officials, using its broad veto power given by the University Interscholastic League two years ago, helped changed District 4-5A athletic tradition here Wednesday morning as the 4-5A Executive Committee met to determine sports schedules for the next two years. With Big Spring dropping out of the league under the UIL's new realignment, 4-5A is left with seven teams and forcing all teams to have an open date during the league season. None of the teams wanted to be saddled with the open date during the ninth and tenth weeks of the football season. That started the war.

Ablene athletic director Shorty Lawson first proposed that the current schedule be retained with the teams scheduled against Big Spring being open that week.

San Angelo vetoed the motion as is its right under the UIL guidelines. San Angelo always faced Big Spring on Week No. 10 and refused to accept that open date slot without a new schedule draw.

"The UIL says that if we don't like the schedule, we can ask for a blind draw," said San Angelo superintendent Bill Graves. "We veto that proposal, but we will compromise. We want to have the first open date, and in return, we will allow other district schools to draw in pairs so each city with two schools can insure having one team on the road and one at home every week."

Midland officials then balked at that compromise, feeling that San Angelo shouldn't automatically get the first open date on Sept. 26. Midland athletic director Gil Bartosh asked that San Angelo first draw for positions one, three, five or seven for the open dates, giving the Bobcats a one in four chance at Week No. 1 and the same odds for Week No. 7 of the district schedule. San Angelo again vetoed the motion.

Midland tried again as Midland superintendent Joe Baresi proposed that San Angelo take Week No. 1 during this two-year span and then progress through Week No. 7 over the next eight-year period. San Angelo would not bite, knowing they held the loaded gun.

Midland, Abilene and Odessa all feared the blind draw more than San Angelo for obvious reasons. In a blind draw, it was possible for cities with two schools to be at home on the same weekend and on the road on the same weekend. It was a situation that gave San Angelo the upper hand.

With no other choice left by the rest of the league, San Angelo had its way, earning the off week on Sept. 26, the first of the seven open dates available, ending for at least two years the tradition of city rivals playing each other on the last weekend of the season.

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Midland Lee's Eddie Riley pumps for a jump shot in last Friday's meeting against Midland

High. The Rebels play Amarillo High Friday in Levelland in bi-district play.

Rebels hoping to reverse past bi-district fortunes

By TERRY WILLIAMSON
Assistant Sports Editor

Riding the crest of an emotional 67-61 District 4-5A playoff victory over Midland High Tuesday night, Midland Lee's Rebels are gearing for Friday's bi-district playoff game against Amarillo High at 8 p.m. in Levelland's high school gym.

This is a trip the Rebs and coach Paul Stueckler are hoping that turns out better than the last bi-district trip the team made.

Lee was last in the basketball state playoffs a year ago and fell in the bi-district round to Amarillo Palo Duro by one point in overtime. That game was one of the wildest finishes in Lee basketball history.

Anthony Dickens hit what appeared to be the game winning basket as time ran out with a 15-foot jumper. The referee signaled two points, but was then called to the scorer's table and was informed that the shot was taken after the game's official gun, a track pistol, had misfired and the shot was not taken in time. Video shows that the shot was taken before the gym horn had sounded.

AT ANY rate, the two points were taken away and Palo Duro was given the victory after Lee's team and fans had already gone through a game winning celebration on the court. That game was played at the Lub-

bock Coronado gym and Stueckler made sure that wasn't repeated on this trip to bi-district.

"If we played again in the Lubbock Coronado gym, our kids would be 20 points down emotionally before they ever hit the floor," Stueckler said.

Actually, the two teams preferred a neutral site and Levelland was to both's liking, fitting the halfway point nicely. But an alternative site might have been hard to come up with since girls and boys state playoffs are in full swing. There aren't many gyms available.

The Class A girls region tournament is being held in Levelland's Texan Dome, so it was the high school gym that was left for Friday's date. That's a plus for Amarillo High.

AHS WAS the benefactor of another Midland tragedy two years ago at this site. Amarillo High defeated Midland High in overtime at the Levelland gym in 1984.

But Amarillo basketball coach Alan Simpson, who is 1-0 in playoff games in Levelland says, "What happened two years ago really has no bearing on this game. It's not even the same team we're playing."

Simpson, whose Sandies won the District 3-5A title with a 14-2 record, got to view the Lee-MHS war Tuesday while his team was idle, waiting for the right opponent to step forward.

According to Simpson, he didn't like what he saw in Lee. "I think Lee is awesome, especially for us. They have great quickness and they shot over 50 percent from the field. No one in our district does that very often."

How does Simpson feel his team matches up against Lee?

"NOT VERY well," he replied. "We play a fairly slow-type of game with a man-to-man defense. We don't press much because we don't have much quickness. Lee poses a big problem for us. It's going to be two opposite teams on the floor. If Lee shoots and rebounds as well as they did against Midland High, we'll be in a lot of trouble."

Stueckler said Tuesday night that he knows absolutely nothing about Amarillo High, but would start solving that problem Wednesday.

"I really don't know anything about Amarillo High. Jesse Benavides scouted them for us last week, but I haven't had a chance to look at his scouting report. I've had a few other things to consider since then," said Stueckler, who flipped out a 26-page scouting report on Midland High in what he termed a "record number of pages for me on a scouting report."

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Fracture sidelines Dixon for season

From Staff Reports

The news was not all good for Midland Lee on Wednesday in the wake of its 67-61 playoff clinching win over Midland High on Tuesday night — shooting guard Lee Dixon will miss the playoffs due to an injury suffered Tuesday night.

Dixon fractured his right, shooting, hand behind the middle two fingers early in the second quarter of the MHS-Lee game. He tried to come back but the pain was too much.

"They put a cast on it and that usually means it will be at least six weeks," Lee coach Paul Stueckler said. "He will be out for the season, but it's not something he won't recover from."

Dixon was the Rebels leading scorer all season with an 18.9 per game average. Though Dixon was able to bend the fingers slightly after the game, but the cast was put on the hand Wednesday, sealing his fate for the remainder of the play-

offs, no matter how far the Rebels can advance.

"It is very disappointing that I can't play, but I'm just hoping my teammates can go out there and give the best they can," Dixon said.

Stueckler added, "I just told the rest of the kids what Darrell Royal used to say. When one of the wagons breaks, we'll just circle them a little tighter."

Lee travels to Levelland Friday night to meet Amarillo High in a bi-district game.

SportScan

TV Sports...

Thursday
COLLEGE BASKETBALL
—Indiana at Illinois, 7 p.m., WGN.
Maryland at North Carolina, 8 p.m., ESPN.
Midland College at Odessa College, 8 p.m., KCRS radio.

Sports Today...

COLLEGE BASKETBALL
—Midland College at Odessa College, 8 p.m., OC Gym.
BOYS BASKETBALL—Kermit-Seminole, Class 3A bi-district game, 8 p.m. at Chaparral Center.

Trivia Teaser...

Wednesday's answer: Only NHL goalie to win the Vezina Trophy while playing for another club at the end of the season...Bunny Lerocque, who shared the trophy with Denis Herron and Richard Sevigny, Montreal. Lerocque was traded to Toronto before the 1980-81 season ended.

Thursday's question: The Boston Celtics have the all-time best winning percentage in NBA playoff competition (.608), but no NBA team has a .500 record in playoff games on the road. Which team comes the closest? a-LA Lakers, b-San Francisco Warriors, c-New York Knicks, d-Milwaukee Bucks, e-Cleveland Cavaliers.

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Desperate Wranglers welcome 27-0 Chaps

OC hopes to avenge 5-point loss

By TED BATTLES
Sports Editor

ODESSA—Midland College beat Odessa College, 79-74, just five points, when the teams met in Midland a month ago and the Wranglers weren't nearly as desperate as they will be tonight in the 8 p.m. rematch at the Odessa College Student Activities Center.

After the loss to Western Texas College Monday night, OC fell a game and a half behind in the race for third place in the Western Junior College Athletic Conference and finds itself in a dogfight for fourth with New Mexico Junior College.

Only the top four teams go to the Region V tournament.

Midland College and South Plains College have a hammerlock on the top two positions. MC, the nation's No. 3 ranked team, clinched a share of the title, at worst, by beating Frank Phillips College in Borger Monday night to lead by three games with three to go.

SOUTH PLAINS is second, but describing the Texans' hold as a "hammerlock" may be a bit strong. SPC, with three losses is barely staying ahead of WTC.

Frank Phillips is at Western Texas tonight and NMMI at NMJC in other games.

Before the week is out, Clarendon plays at WTC and OC goes to SPC Saturday, both very important games in the race for the Final Four. Western comes to Midland Monday and the fate of the Westerners down the stretch is of more than passing interest to MC since the Region V tournament will be played at Snyder March 6-8.

In addition to its pursuit of the Region V title, Coach Jerry Stone's Chaparrals are within reach of the all-time MC winning streak, 29 in a row in 1962-83. The Chaps are 27-0 going into tonight's game against the 18-10 Wranglers.



MC'S BIG chore tonight will be to keep 6-8 Greg Lazard under control. Lazard averages 18.3 points a game and leads the WJCAC in rebounds with 13.2 a game and blocked shots, 83. MC's Derrick Lewis, 67, and Eddie Frazier, 55, are second and third in blocked shots. Combining with Dwayne Scott's 17.0 a game, Lazard provides a potent one-two offensive punch.

MC counters with Daron "Mookie" Blaylock who averages 17.4 points a game, Ricky Grace, 15.5, Lincoln Minor, 11.4 and Eddie Frazier, 10.7.

Blaylock with 106 and Grace 85 are one-two in steals while Minor's 67 swipes puts him among the leaders as well.

In assists, Grace has 11.2 a game and OC's Eric Chinn is second with 7.5.

Teams	WJCAC Standings	Conf	Season	PF	PA
Midland	13	0	27	0	86
So. Plains	9	3	20	7	75
WTC	8	4	17	8	69
Odessa	7	5	16	10	73
NMJC	6	5	18	8	67
CC	4	7	9	13	72
Howard	3	10	9	17	70
NMMI	3	10	12	13	69
FPC	1	10	6	18	74

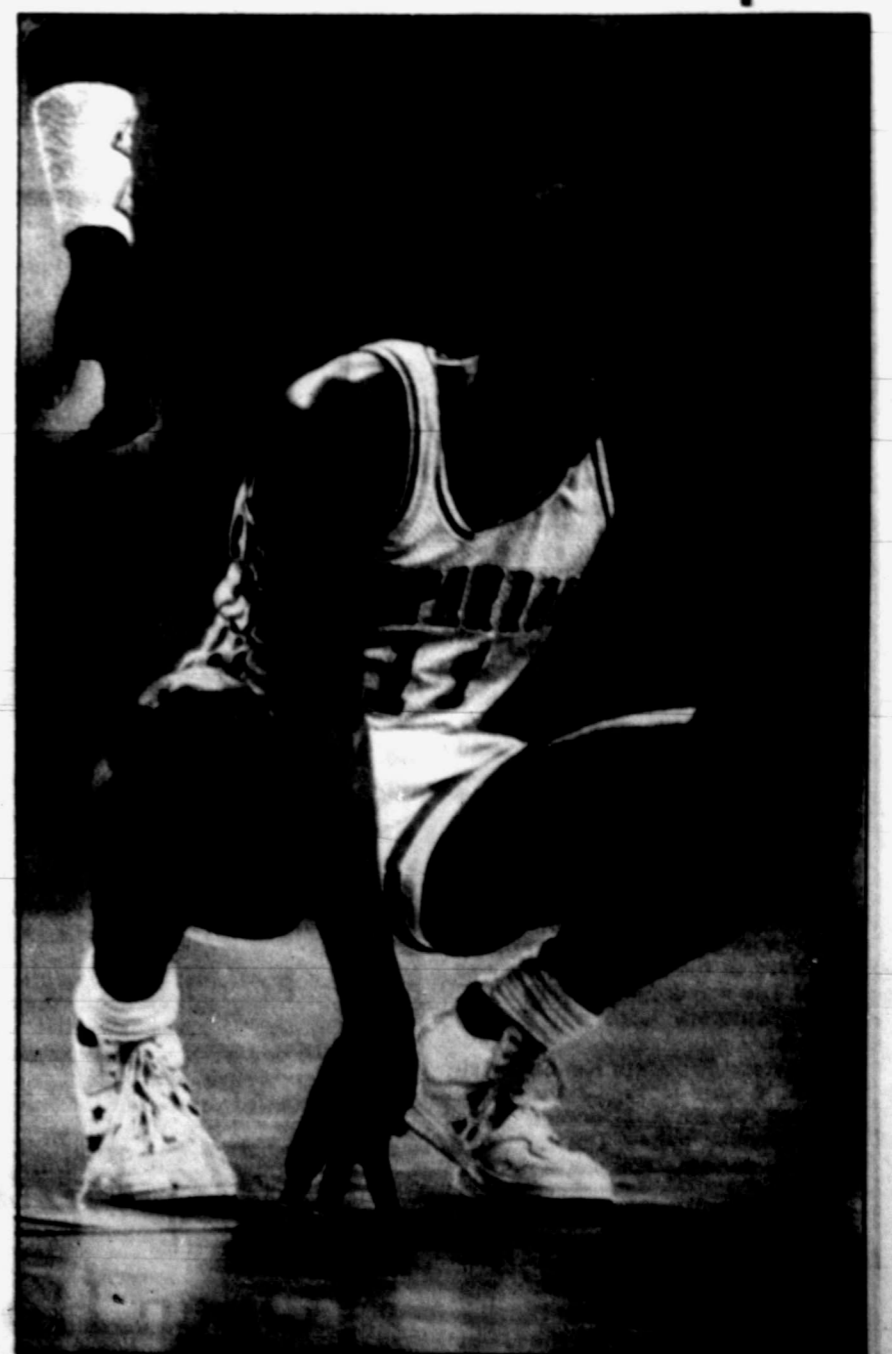
Player	Team	GP	Tot	High	Avg
Howard	NMJC	15	305	41	20.3
Blaylock	MC	10	174	25	17.4
Grace	MC	10	155	25	15.5
Chinn	OC	10	112	12	11.2
Minor	MC	10	114	11	11.4
Frazier	MC	10	107	11	10.7
Lazard	MC	10	183	25	18.3
Scott	OC	10	170	25	17.0
Rudolph	SPC	10	106	11	10.6
Phillips	WTC	10	106	11	10.6
Benavides	WTC	10	106	11	10.6
Amundson	FPC	10	106	11	10.6
Langford	WTC	10	106	11	10.6
Adams	NMJC	10	106	11	10.6
Walker	NMJC	10	106	11	10.6

Assists—Ricky Grace, MC, 280; Eric Chinn, OC, 172; 7.5, Shelby Reeves, NMJC, 153; 6.4, Garret SPC, 145; 5.6, James Dahn, WTC, 138; 5.4, Alesh Hicks, WTC, 52; 5.3, Lane Worlman, NMMI, 134; 5.0, Blaylock, MC, 117; 4.7.

Blocks—Lazard, OC, 83; Derrick Lewis, MC, 67; Eddie Frazier, MC, 55; Walt Reynolds, HC, 40.

Steals—Blaylock, MC, 106; Grace, MC, 85; Reeves, NMJC, 78; Walker, NMJC, 72; Garret, SPC, 76; Rudolph, SPC, 71; Minor, MC, 67.

Team	WJCAC	South Plains	NMJC	NMJC	Mesa Shootout
110	Jacksonville	84			
78	Grayson County	52			
80	South Plains	65			
98	Odessa College	61			
94	Seward, Kan.	90			
78	Barton County, Kan.	69			
93	Garden City, Kan.	73			
101	Trinidad, Colo.	77			
77	Western Texas	76			
73	Odessa College	56			
	WJCAC				
80	South Plains	65			
90	NMJC	81			
70	NMJC	57			
	Mesa Shootout				
73	Taft, Calif.	67			
84	Ricks, Idaho	79			
71	Mesa, Ariz.	56			
	Howard Classic				
109	Murray State, Okla.	75			
	WJCAC				
74	Howard	65			
101	Frank Phillips	65			
70	Odessa College	74			
99	Western Texas	81			
95	Clarendon College	58			
78	South Plains	73			
88	New Mexico JC	55			
71	New Mexico Military Inst.	58			
86	Frank Phillips	57			



Lincoln Minor pauses to catch his breath before the unbeaten Chaparrals go for their 28th victory of the season on the road at Odessa College tonight.

Weltlich nips SMU, grabs 1st place

Associated Press

AUSTIN — Bob Weltlich has his first victory in four years against Dave Bliss, a fellow assistant to Bob Knight at Army and Indiana, and Weltlich's Texas Longhorns are all alone atop the Southwest Conference basketball race.

Karl Willock sank a free throw with 25 seconds left to play to give the Longhorns a 58-57 victory over Southern Methodist to move ahead of idle TCU.

The Longhorns are 12-2 in the conference and 17-8 overall. SMU is now 8-5 in SWC play and 16-8 overall.

SMU, led by clutch shooting from guard Butch Moore, held a 43-37 lead with 16:51 left in the game. Patrick Fairs tossed in eight points by the 11:38 mark to help pull Texas within two, then Raynard Davis tied it at 45-45 with 10:38 left.

The Longhorns then took a 47-45 lead on Fairs' layup.

Moore, hitting his third basket of the night with time running out on the shot clock, tied the game again at 57-57 with 1:06 left to play.

Moore, averaging just 8.9 points a game, scored 16 points. Terry Lewis, SMU's leading scorer with a 19.9 average, was held to 12 points. Mustangs set up for the last shot, but instead of taking the shot himself, Moore dished off to reserve center Glenn Puddy, who missed a 12-footer with three seconds left.

"No one person was supposed to

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shoot the shot...just whoever was open with less than 10 seconds left," said SMU coach David Bliss. "We had a good shot and nearly got the tip in. I'm sorry we didn't win it, but it was a great game and a great win for (Texas coach) Bob (Weltlich)."

Texas A&M 71, Texas Tech 58 COLLEGE STATION— Don Marbury scored 19 points and three other Aggies were in double figures as Texas A&M stayed off a second half Texas Tech rally to beat the Red Raiders.

Jimmie Gilbert scored 14, Gary Lewis 11 and Todd Holloway 10 as the Aggies broke a three-game losing streak. A&M now is 9-4 in SWC play and 15-10 overall.

Texas Tech fell to 6-7 in league play and 11-13 for the year.

A tight man-for-man defense helped the Aggies gain a 31-13 half-time lead as Tech hit only six of 25 field goal attempts.

With 15:07 left in the game, A&M held a commanding 40-21 lead when Marbury went to the bench after committing his fourth foul.

The Red Raiders, led by Tony Benford and Sean Gay, then ran off 12 straight points to draw within seven at 40-33 with 10:36 left, but it was as close as Tech could get.

"Tech didn't shoot very well that first half, but boy, Benford and Gay lit it up the second half. This was a good win," A&M coach Shelby Metcalfe said.

Texas Tech coach Gerald Myers called the first half his team's worst offensive showing of the season. "Our percentage was bad and our points per possession was real low."

But he said he was proud of the way his players came back in the second half.

"They came out and played hard and didn't give up," he said.

At the half, Myers said, "we just talked about trying to cut it to 10 points and then go from there. We really had our chance when we cut it to seven and had the ball. We could have cut it to five. And really, that was our last chance because they got in the 1-and-1 after that and hit the free throws."

Arkansas 60, Rice 59 FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. — Rice's Jeff Crawford swished a 25-foot jumper with nine seconds left, but misfired on a 30-footer at the buzzer and Arkansas escaped with a victory over the Owls.

After Crawford nailed his long jumper, Rice fouled Kevin Rehl on the in-bounds pass before any time could expire. Rehl, who had hit his first four free throws, missed the front end of the 1-and-1, allowing the Owls their last-ditch effort.

Rehl had put the Razorbacks

ahead to stay with 55 seconds left in the contest when he rebounded a missed Mike Ratliff free throw and scored for a 68-57 Arkansas lead.

Rice's Greg Hines led all scorers with 28 points and Terrance Cashaw added 13 for the Owls. William Mills had 16 points for Arkansas and Ratliff added 11.

Arkansas, winning for only the second time in seven Southwest Conference games at Barnhill Arena, raised its record to 12-13, 4-10 in the SWC. Rice dropped to 9-15, including 2-11 in the league.

Sooners upset

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — Brian Carr scored 18 points, including a 10-foot jumper with four seconds left, to give Nebraska a 66-64 victory over No. 10 Oklahoma in Big Eight college basketball Wednesday night.

Oklahoma had a chance to tie the game after Carr's final basket, but could not get a shot off before the final buzzer.

Nebraska led 43-33 early in the second half, but the Sooners rallied after Cornhusker Bernard Day picked up his fourth foul and left the game with 16:47 left.

A basket by Harvey Marshall gave Nebraska a 64-61 lead with 2:29 left, but three straight points by Oklahoma's Darryl Kennedy tied the game with 28 seconds remaining.



SMU's Butch Moore tries to crash through a pick set by Texas' Reynard Davis (54) in Southwest Conference action Wednesday night.

Fort Stockton meet marks thinclad opener again

By TERRY WILLIAMSON

Assistant Sports Editor

The 1986 track season opens in Fort Stockton with the annual kickoff running of the Comanche Relays and four Midland teams are hoping that the spring-like February weather holds through this meet.

Even though the Comanche run is always a highly anticipated event for the thinclads, it can be a brutal experience if the weather doesn't cooperate.

Midland Lee's Eddie Wolski will be making his debut as the Rebel track coach, becoming only the second head coach in the school's 25-year history. Sam Volpe retired last year after winning the District 4-5A track title.

Jane Young will also be making her debut with the Midland High girls while Johnny Williams will again guide the MHS boys and Janice Baulch the Lee girls.

All four teams will compete in Fort Stockton Saturday as field event finals and running preliminaries will begin at 2 p.m. Saturday's running finals have a noon start.

IN AN effort to defend its 4-5A title, Lee has some returning talent to start with, but Wolski expects to bring his squad along slowly.

Comanche Relays

"Losing sophomore Joe Woodard to shoulder surgery has hurt us. I hope he can compete before the district meet," said Wolski. "We're going to do some experimenting early to find out just where we need everyone."

Hurdler Quintus Hampton, a region qualifier a year ago, is back along with district 800-meter champion David Almand and 1600 champ Mike Garza, who qualified for region in two events. Hampton is back from the state qualifying 1600 relay as is Brad Cooper, a 400-meter threat this year.

Chris Kenney, who has relay experience, and sophomore Dennis Sterling are expected to help in the relays along with Odell Samuels and Kevin Witt. Samuels was third in the district high jump last year at 6-4.

Some Lee newcomers to watch for include sprinter Raymond Goodley, distance runners Teddy Ruiz and Rodney Clark, both juniors.

COACH WILLIAMS at MHS is looking for a much improved team. His junior varsity teams have won the district championship the last three years in a row and some of that talent may be ready to pay off.

"We don't have a lot of strength in the field events, but I feel pretty good about the team," said Williams. "Our sprint relay team has already posted a 42.9 and that's better than we ran all last year. Our 1600 team has a 3:28 and that's pretty good right now."

"The district is going to be pretty strong. San Angelo, Abilene and Lee all have a lot of kids back and Permian has enough talent in key places to be a big factor."

Wolski thought San Angelo, Odessa High, Abilene and Midland High were the teams to beat, but this is the annual put the monkey on someone else's back time of year.

THE REASON the MHS relays are ranked so high are Mike Eaden, Anthony Adkinson and Tyrone Oliver, all returning and if one more runner can come through, it could be a big boon for the Bulldogs. John St. Germain returns in the hurdles and Brent Barton in the discus, but that about takes care of the proven talent outside Eaden, Adkinson and Oliver.

However, there are some good newcomers to watch, including Terry Robinson in the sprints, sophomore vaulters Donnie Doan and Mark Lane.

MHS should be strong in the distance races with five juniors and a sophomore. Junior Sammy Venegas has been looking impressive in the long races while the sophomore Junior Natividad is believed to be another

distance prospect. Phillip Suchil, Roy Salinas, Rocky Sanchez, Jose Hernandez and Brad Clark are all battling for distance positions. Charles Comer, a senior but a newcomer to the team, has looked good in the discus. Sophomore Sterling Warren could be a shot put prospect.

THE HIGHLY touted Ethel Edwards will be back in the sprints after gaining a state 200-meter berth as a sophomore. Great things are expected from her.

The MHS girls also have junior Amy Cumings, a two-event region qualifier in the distance races. Amy Hubbard is the only senior on the team and Faye Daugherty is back for relay help. Chandra Govan was third in the district shot put last year.

The Lee girls also have some excellent talent back. Tami Woodberry, who was undefeated until the region meet in the hurdles a year ago, returns and district champion Tangi Carter is back in the 100. Piette Mayfield is also back in the hurdles and sophomore Carrie Roach appears to be a sprinter of note.

More will be known about these teams after Saturday and the first taste of competition. We know what some of them can do, but who will be the surprises in 1986. Track is always full of surprises. Now if only the weather can surprise Saturday.

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GENERAL

FORT WORTH — Golfer Scott Verplank of Dallas was voted Amateur Athlete of the Year in Texas by the Texas Sports Writers Association, it was announced Wednesday.

Verplank, who is a senior at Oklahoma State University, became the first amateur in 31 years to win a professional tournament when he won a playoff in the Western Open last year.

Verplank had 850 points in the preferential balloting to beat out all-America pitcher Greg Swindell of Texas, who had 700 points, and all-Southwest Conference cager Bubba Jennings of Texas Tech, who had 675 points.

Verplank is the first out-of-state collegian from Texas to win the award.

FOOTBALL

NEW YORK — The United States Football League approved the Houston-New Jersey merger that brings together the league's three highest-profile

stars and injected new money into the league champion Baltimore Stars.

The action solidified the USFL teams in the league's only markets outside the Sun Belt. In another move, the Jacksonville Bulls officially absorbed the defunct Denver Gold.

BOXING

ALBANY, N.Y. — Unbeaten heavyweight Mike Tyson, who stopped Jesse Ferguson Sunday for his 18th consecutive knockout, will fight three times in March, according to his co-manager Bill Cayton.

Cayton said the 19-year-old Tyson, who has registered 12 first-round knockouts in a pro career that began here last March 6, will fight James "Quick" Tillis on March 29 at RPI's Houston Field House, the site of his sixth-round triumph over Ferguson. Like the Ferguson bout, the Tyson-Tillis fight will be televised live by ABC.

Cayton also said that Tyson will fight here at the Colonie Coliseum

March 1 against an as yet unconfirmed opponent, and is already scheduled to fight Steve Zouski March 10 at the Nassau Coliseum on Long Island.

BASEBALL

CLEVELAND — Services have been held for Charles "Red" Ruffing, former New York Yankees pitcher, who won seven World Series games in the 1930s and 1940s.

Ruffing, 80, died Monday at Hillcrest Hospital in the suburb of Mayfield Heights. His career record was 273-225, including four consecutive 20 win seasons from 1936-1939. He was elected to the Baseball Hall of Fame in 1967.

BASKETBALL

LOS ANGELES — Walt Hazzard, nearing the end of his second year as UCLA's basketball coach, signed a one-year extension to his contract last July, it was confirmed Wednesday.

UCLA Athletic Director Peter T. Dallis, who originally had signed Hazzard to a three-year contract

in the spring of 1984, confirmed the contract had been extended after Hazzard's first season, so that "we again have three years." The contract now extends through March 31, 1988.

Hazzard said he did not know why his extension was not announced. The Bruins were 21-12 last season, beating Indiana in the championship game of the NIT. This season, entering a game against California Thursday night, UCLA is 6-6 in the Pac-10 and 11-10 overall.

TENNIS

BOCA RATON, Fla. — Jimmy Connors defeated Yannick Noah 5-7, 6-4, 7-6 (9-7), 6-4, to advance to the semifinals in the \$1.8 million Lipton International Tennis Championships.

In other matches, top-seeded Ivan Lendl of Czechoslovakia beat 10th-seeded Joakim Nyström 6-1, 6-1, 6-4, fifth-seeded Stefan Edberg scored a 6-1, 6-0, 6-2 win against unseeded Milan Srejber and second-seeded Mats Wilander shook off a first-set scare to beat unseeded Guy Forget

Paterno claims East 'runs clean programs'

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. (AP) — Penn State Coach Joe Paterno, describing himself as "very uncomfortable with big-time college football these days," says the East runs the cleanest programs.

"I think of all the areas of the country, the Eastern part of the United States — particularly the Northeastern part — is closer to what intercollegiate football should be all about," Paterno said Wednesday night as he was honored as Eastern Coach of the Year by the Football Writers Association of New York.

Paterno said he could not recall any Eastern team ever being on probation, adding:

"People ask me about the cheating that goes on and I say, honestly, I can't tell you because I don't think we have that in our section of the country. We're not simon-pure... but we don't have people who are cheat-

ing in the sense that it's bad. We don't cheat the way other people do and we don't have the academic abuses in the East that I think we have (elsewhere)."

"I don't think we feel that winning is worth that to us. Even though we've got coaches who have lost jobs, I don't think that anybody has felt that it's that important that you would sacrifice some of things that an institution would stand for."

Paterno said he made the "uncomfortable" remark "because of all the things that are going on. Some of the things that have come out in the last couple of years make me uncomfortable."

"I think all the people who are being turned in, the situation in the Southwest Conference, obviously if there are people who are putting pressure on people for preferential treatment with grades (the recent Georgia court case), they're not helping anybody."

Gopher coaches to be disciplined

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Former head basketball coach Jim Dutcher and acting head coach Jimmy Williams will be disciplined for their alleged role in efforts to raise funds for the defense of University of Minnesota basketball player Mitchell Lee on a rape charge, university officials said.

An investigation has shown that, contrary to previous statements by both coaches, Williams and Dutcher not only knew about the fund-raising effort, but that Williams, at Dutcher's instruction, suggested it to a member of the Gopher booster club, Athletic Director Paul Giel said Tuesday.

Williams, when asked about the university announcement, said only, "The events of today are incredible, to say the least."

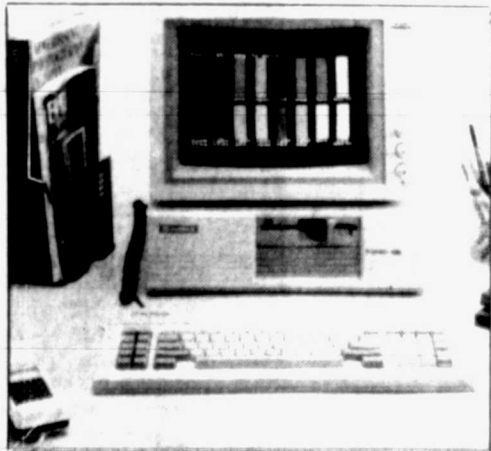
Lee was acquitted in January of rape in connection with an alleged attack a year earlier on a woman who lived in the same dormitory as he did. Lee was defended in the trial by Minneapolis attorney Philip Resnick.

University President Kenneth Keller, citing state privacy statutes, refused to specify what actions were being taken against Dutcher and Williams pending completion of an investigation.

Keller said the range of penalties could be "from a letter of reprimand to dismissal."

But Giel said Williams, who was named acting coach after Dutcher resigned Jan. 28 following the arrest of Lee and two other Gopher basketball players on sexual assault charges in Madison, Wis., will continue in that position for the team's six remaining games.

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Area playoff fever reaches Chap Center

By ERIC SCHURER Sports Writer

A busy week at the Chaparral Center continues tonight when boys basketball playoff action pits District 3-3A champion Seminole against 4-3A runner up Kermit in a bi-district game at 7:30 p.m.

State playoff action will heat up all around the area this weekend, including a battle between District 2-4A champion Lamesa and 1-4A runner up Levelland, 14-14, tonight in Lubbock Coronado's Gym. The Tors, ranked No. 4 in the state, begin their return march to the state tournament with a 26-4 season record.

Here in the Tall City, 3-3A champ Seminole puts its 23-6 record on the line relying on heavy production from Kirby Brooks, 18.4 average, and Randy Jones, 15.5. The Yellowjackets, 16-9, count on Bubba Jones, 13.0, and juniors Dan Michel and Scott Higden, each at 10.0, to do the scoring.

On Friday, Andrews will travel to Lubbock Coronado for a bi-district game against 1-4A champ Borger, 24-3. The Mustangs, runners-up to Lamesa in 2-4A, are 29-2 and ranked No. 10 in the state.

The Stanton Buffaloes are hoping they can turn around a late-season skid and return to early season form in a bi-district game against Clint Friday in Pecos.

On the girls side, Reagan County remained undefeated at 26-0 after a 64-55 Area victory over Haskell on Tuesday night. Reagan County's diminutive scoring sensation Leslie Gooch scored 20 points in the victory. The District 8-2A champion Owls, ranked No. 6 in the state, now advance to Regional play this weekend in Big Spring.

Garden City's girls also advanced to the Regional tournament this weekend in Levelland. The Lady Bearcats, champions of District 16A, are 18-7 this season.

scorer, guard Lee Dixon, is averaging 18.4 points per game, but injured his hand Tuesday against Midland High and will not play on Friday. Dixon was said to have fractured two fingers on his shooting hand.

Forward Eddie Riley is averaging 13.3 per outing and is a good rebounder. Wing Greg Johnson averages only 6.3 per game, but has scored 30 total points in his last two outings to become a needed offensive threat.

Lee

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THE 25-5 Sandies have a young squad that has 10 of the 13 team members who are either juniors or sophomores. The juniors on this team own a 106-6 record since they started organized basketball in the seventh grade.

Junior Sammy Simpson, a 6-1 guard, leads the team in scoring with a 14.3 average while senior 6-3 post Sherman Ray averages 12.5 per game and 8.5 rebounds per outing. Six-foot senior post Craig Brown owns a 9.5 average while 5-11 Dod Clapp averages 6.0 and 6-0 junior Ashton Wood owns an 8.0 average in the three-guard attack.

Another thing that worries me about Lee is the fact that they've played in two big pressure games while we've been sitting around. We had our district title wrapped up for almost two weeks. It could be hard to get the kids back in gear for a pressure type game," said Simpson.

LEE WILL depend heavily on 6-5 post Anthony Dickens, who is averaging 16 points per outing and has had playoff experience. Leading

playing for pride or a playoff berth. It's a whole different game then." Perman and Odessa High drew the almost fatal open dates on the last two weekends of the season. That was something Odessa athletic director John Wilkins tried to prevent before the draw. He knew the possibility and asked that two teams from the same town wouldn't be saddled with both of the last open dates. No schedule could be worked out to completely avoid that possibility with San Angelo hanging onto the first open date.

The schedule will remain the same for two years, but 1986's visitors will become the home team in 1987.

In other 4-5A matters, the committee also set the starting dates for the basketball and volleyball seasons. Those schedules will mirror the football schedule. The district volleyball season will begin Sept. 16 while girls basketball will start Dec. 19 with the second game on Jan. 2. The boys will begin district action on Jan. 6.

Girls basketball remains the step child in District 4-5A as another proposal to have the girls varsity play prior to the boys varsity contests on Tuesday and Friday nights was defeated. San Angelo again was the major opponent with Odessa being lukewarm. Midland and Abilene both wanted the switch.

Abilene High superintendent Wayne Blevins was elected by the committee to serve as the 4-5A chairman, beginning at the end of the current school year. He will replace Big Spring superintendent Lynn Hise, who is taking his Steers to District 2-4A next fall under the new UIL realignment.

Correction

The Midland Lee basketball player defending in a photograph that appeared on page 1B of Wednesday's paper was Greg Johnson, not Mark Van Cott as reported. We regret the error.

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Naturally when the draw began, Lee and Midland High drew each other to open the 4-5A district season on Sept. 26. The news was even worse for Midland High as the Bulldogs went on to draw a district opening schedule of Lee, Odessa Permian, San Angelo and Abilene High in order to open the district campaign. All four teams are considered contenders in 1986.

Lee's schedule appears to be better, but does feature a season ending schedule that is murder with Permian, San Angelo and Abilene High in consecutive order.

"Obviously, this isn't the schedule we would draw up if we had our way," noted MHS coach Doug McCutchen. "It sure didn't work out to our advantage, but still, you have to play them all sooner or later, and in this league, you're playing someone tough every week. If we were an experienced team, this schedule might work in our favor, but we will be inexperienced."

"Also we drew the No. 8 open week and we have to wonder now if we want to fill that date or leave it open. I don't even know if we can fill it with a non-conference game."

New Lee coach Earl Miller felt his Rebels came out with a schedule he could live with.

"There are some problems for us, but I feel pretty good about our schedule," Miller noted. "We have Permian and San Angelo back-to-back, but we do have an open date before the Permian game. We're open Oct. 17 and we'll have to decide quick if we want to fill that date with a non-conference opponent or keep it open with a nine-game schedule. Right now, I would say we will try to fill that date if we can find someone to play on our open date."

The emotional rivalry battle between Lee and MHS coming on Sept. 26 instead of the season ending Nov. 26 also drew mixed reviews from McCutchen and Miller.

"I think you build up more excitement for the teams by playing each other the last game, but it would be a great district opener. I guess we'll just have the excitement early this year," said McCutchen.

Miller offered, "The Lee-MHS game is always close and it will continue to be close, but we are going to have to change our thinking on that game. We can't put the same emphasis on the game as we have in the past because it's the first district game. You don't want your kids getting so pumped up that they think they're out of it if they lose. That was a different case when we played last."

"I'm not saying that every district game isn't important, but you're not out of it when you lose that first game. You just can't place the major emphasis on the first district game like you can the last. Then you're

Spud: 'They outmanned us'

Only four Hawks left at end

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After Atlanta committed 42 fouls and finished with four eligible players, 5-foot-7 Hawks guard Spud Webb said it best: "They just outmanned us at the end."

The Utah Jazz, after making 49-of-56 free throws in an NBA game that took 2 hours, 53 minutes to play, defeated the Hawks 109-106 in overtime Wednesday night that saw Atlanta assessed three technical fouls with seven seconds left.

The first technical was called when the Hawks called timeout when they had none remaining, then Glenn Rivers was whistled for a technical for arguing. Rivers also was ejected, and with five players already on the bench after fouling out, the Hawks got another technical for having only four eligible players left.

NBA rules say a disqualified player is allowed to come back as the fifth man on the court, but a technical is assessed.

CLIFF LEVINGSTON, one of the Hawks who fouled out, returned to the game and made a three-point play to make the score 107-106, but Utah's Rickey Green led the victory with two free throws with two seconds left.

"It was like a 15-round heavy-weight championship fight," said Green, who was 9-for-9 from the foul line and had 17 points and nine assists. "Bodies were flying everywhere. I didn't notice they had fouled out so many people. It seemed to me that they just kept running bodies in and out."

"I've never seen a whole team foul out of a game in all my years of basketball, at any level," Utah guard John Stockton said.

Adrian Dantley, who scored 10 of his 31 points in overtime for the Jazz, was 17-of-19 from the free throw line. He said he wasn't surprised when the Hawks started fouling anyone who got near the basket with the ball.

"That's their reputation," said Dantley, who didn't miss from the

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free throw line until he missed two of the three late technicals.

"We had no other choice than to foul them down the stretch, hoping they would miss their foul shots," Atlanta Coach Mike Fratello said. "As a good experienced team, they made their foul shots down the end."

Thurl Bailey had 19 points for Utah, while Randy Wittman led Atlanta with 23. Webb scored a career-high 21 points for the Hawks, who were already short-handed before the game because Dominique Wilkins has an injured knee.

Bucks 124, Mavericks 107
Milwaukee won its sixth straight game while handing Dallas only its third loss in 13 outings.

Paul Pressey scored 26 points to lead the Bucks, who clinched the victory by outscoring the Mavericks 21-4 over the first five minutes of the fourth quarter to extend a 10-point lead to 116-89.

Rolando Blackman paced Dallas with 26 points.

76ers 153, Trail Blazers 133
Philadelphia notched its highest point total since the 76ers posted 159 in a game against Phoenix in 1970.

Moses Malone had 38 points and Charles Barkley 31 points and 17 rebounds for the 76ers, who played without injured guard Julius Erving.

Portland, which got 28 points from Kiki Vandeweghe, had an 18-1 spurt to lead by eight points after one quarter. But the 76ers led by two at halftime, outscored the Trail Blazers 21-12 in the first six minutes of the second half and turned the game into a rout with a 15-4 streak at the start of the fourth period.

Celtics 115, Warriors 100
Larry Bird had 36 points, 12 rebounds and 11 assists as Boston defeated Golden State without injured forwards Kevin McHale and Scott Wedman.

Bird, who has scored 20 points in 26 of his last 27 games, had 13 points

in while the Celtics were outscoring the Warriors 28-18 in the third period. A 17-4 spurt erased a 71-69 Golden State lead and put Boston ahead to stay.

Robert Parish added 22 points for Boston despite having to leave the game to have stitches taken in a cut eye. Joe Barry Carroll had 29 points and Purvis Short 25 for the Warriors.

Lakers 90, Pacers 81
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar and Earvin "Magic" Johnson scored 21 points each and keyed streaks that carried Los Angeles over Indiana.

The Pacers, who got 24 points from Herb Williams, led 43-42 early in the third period before Johnson scored six points during a 16-2 streak that gave the Lakers the lead for good. Los Angeles led 73-55 in the first minute of the fourth quarter, but hit only 7-of-20 shots in the period as Indiana closed the deficit to 79-73 with 5:12 left.

But Abdul-Jabbar hit three consecutive sky hooks, helping the Lakers rebuild their advantage to 85-75.

Pistons 118, Sonics 113
Detroit beat Seattle to set a team record with its 10th consecutive victory at home.

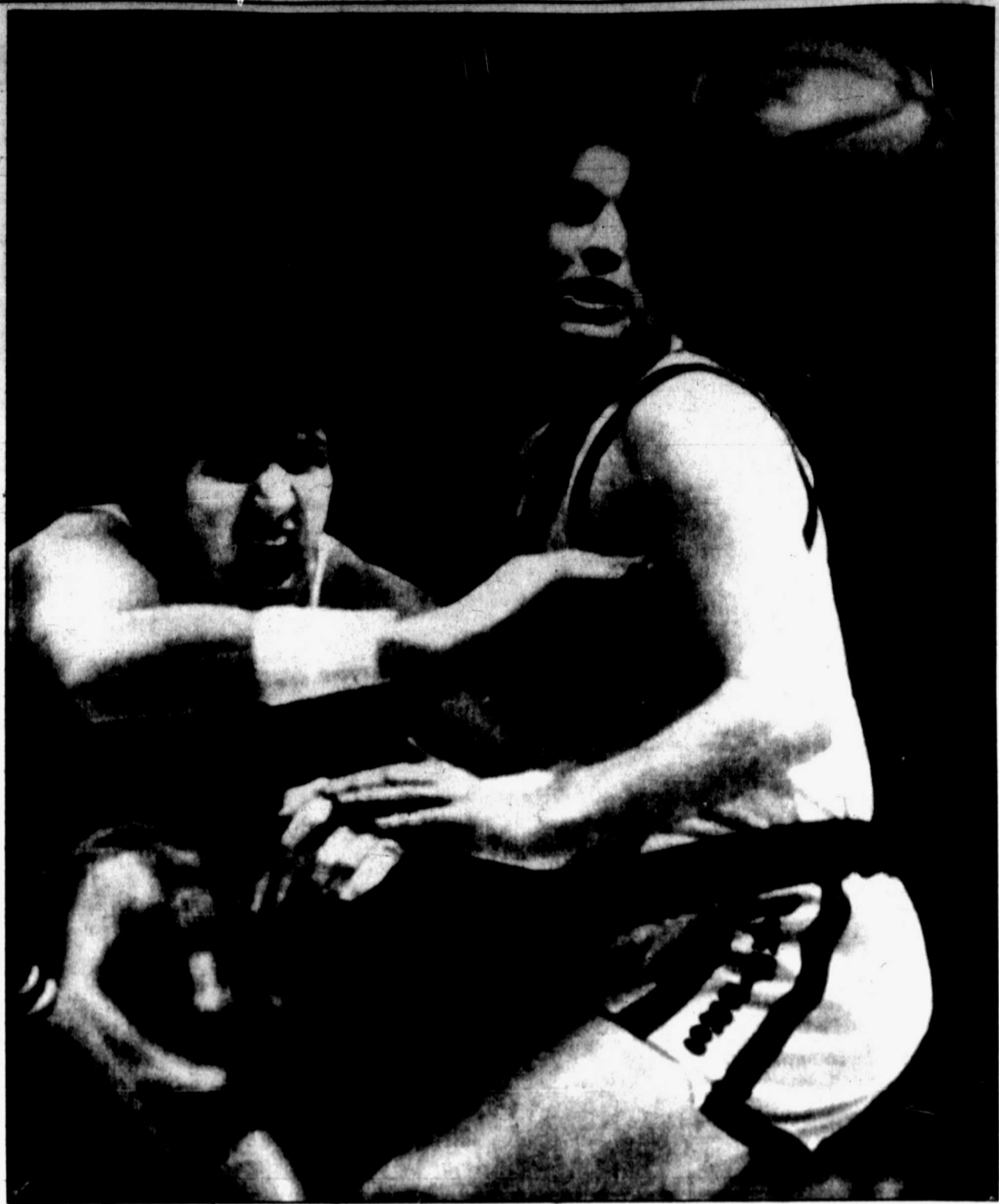
Isiah Thomas had 23 points and Bill Laimbeer and Kelly Tripucka 21 each for the Pistons to offset 31-point games by Tom Chambers and Xavier McDaniel by the SuperSonics. Chambers, however, was ejected from the game with 7:02 left for fighting with Detroit's Rick Mahorn.

The previous Pistons homecourt winning streak was nine in 1976.

Bulls 99, Nets 96
Michael Holton, playing with Chicago on a 10-day contract, scored 18 points, including a tiebreaking jumper in the final minute against New Jersey.

Holton's 16-footer with 45 seconds left snapped a 96-96 tie and snapped a seven-game losing streak for the Bulls, while the Nets have lost six of seven.

Albert King and Mike Gminski led New Jersey with 28 points each.



Boston's Bill Walton scowls as he and Chris Mullin of Golden State watch the ball go out of bounds in an NBA game Wednesday night in Oakland, Calif.

Reshaped Reds point to improved starting rotation

Associated Press

With a reshaped pitching staff that now includes John Denny and Bill Gullickson, Player-Manager Pete Rose is looking forward to big things from his Cincinnati Reds this season — starting today.

"While I thought we had a solid ballclub at the end of last year, I think we're even better now," Rose said as he looked forward to the opening of spring camp today.

"The addition of John Denny and Bill Gullickson, both proven winning pitchers, gives us a very strong starting rotation."

The Reds will have 25 pitchers and catchers in training camp today, including Denny and Gullickson whom they acquired in off-season deals. Denny and Gullickson will join Mario Soto and Tom Browning in a starting rotation that helped the Reds finish with an 89-72 record last season, second to the Los Angeles Dodgers in the National League West.

MEANWHILE, THE NL champion St. Louis Cardinals will have 17 pitchers and six catchers in camp today as most major league baseball teams open their spring training facilities in preparation for the 1988 season.

Most of the teams will have their first workouts for battersmen Friday with the rest of the players reporting Feb. 25 and working out the following day.

In the first spring training game, the Chicago White Sox take on the Detroit Tigers on March 6 at Lakeland, Fla.

The Tigers and San Francisco Giants began workouts for pitchers and catchers today, while the American League East champion Toronto Blue Jays will be the last team to get players in uniform next Tuesday.

Among the first to arrive in St. Petersburg, Fla., for the Cardinals' workouts will be left-hander John Tudor, second last year in the NL Cy Young voting, and catch-

er Mike Heath, obtained in trade last December from Oakland.

IN OTHER camps:
— The Chicago Cubs open for battersmen Sunday, but veterans Scott Sanderson and Rick Sutcliffe, both pitchers, and Bob Dernier and Gary Matthews, both outfielders, already were in Mesa, Ariz. Also due to report today were pitchers Steve Trout and Dennis

Eckersley, both coming off injuries.
— In Mesa, Ariz., the California Angels have 25 pitchers and six catchers due in camp for the first workout Saturday. Manager Gene Mauch and his coaching staff flew to Mesa Wednesday.
— The Atlanta Braves have 22 pitchers and seven catchers, three of each being nonroster players, reporting to camp at West Palm Beach, Fla.

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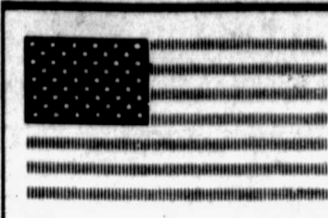
'Whole town just drowned' in relentless California rain

GUERNEVILLE, Calif. (AP) — Cars and trucks bob like bathtub toys in the muddy Russian River and homes that stood 30 feet from the bank a week ago now dip awkwardly into the water.

Hundreds of acres of vineyards and orchards lie submerged in a lake that fills the surrounding farmland. A week of relentless rain in this small town 70 miles north of San Francisco bloated the river to its highest level in 31 years here, forcing 1,500 residents from their homes.

"We used to live on Neeley Road," said 80-year-old Leonor Gray on Wednesday, smiling a little after a restless night in an overcrowded evacuation center. "Now we live on Neeley River."

Mrs. Gray was one of the refugees from the area airlifted by helicopters and taken to shelters. Their departures left their communities looking lifeless except for National Guardsmen, sheriffs' deputies, firefighters and other rescue crews slog-



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ging through the streets.

Some of her neighbors were ferried to safety in small boats. About 25 residents were plucked from the river by rescuers or dug out from mud and caved-in houses. Hundreds refused to leave, anxious to protect their homes or pets.

"The whole town just drowned," National Guardsman Mark McLaughlin said. "You could see redwood decks and pieces of roofs floating down the river. The houses that were close to the banks, there's nothing left of them. There's nothing left for those people to go home

to." The Russian River rose to a record 49.5 feet at its worst Tuesday, before receding Wednesday to 43.5 feet. But the rain kept coming, and the threat of more flooding remained.

At dusk Wednesday, the sun peeked through rain clouds and gave a silver sheen to the wet streets. In a dry spot in the midst of flooded farmland, a boy and his father, who had chosen to stay, shot a basketball at a hoop by their home.

"It was terrible," said Fran Collins, 66, who gathered with other evacuees at the Veterans Memorial Audito-

rium in Santa Rosa, about 20 miles to the southeast. "Everything was flooded. The main street was washed out. There's nothing left of our town."

Gov. George Deukmejian visited the shelter Wednesday, then returned to Sacramento to add nine counties to three he previously had declared as being in a state of emergency. Sonoma, where Guerneville and neighboring Rio Nido, Monte Rio and Guerneville Park are located, was one of the nine.

"My house was about 10 feet under water last night," said Angelo Dieli, 27. "There was 5 feet of water in the front room when we left this morning."

Dieli fled with his wife and 2-year-old son. He said he'd lived in the house 30 feet from the banks of the Russian River for 17 years and never saw the river rise to such dangerous levels.

But he vowed to return: "I'm going back when this is all over. That's my home."



Flood survivor Ed Hausmann paddles his canoe through what used to be a road intersection in flood-soaked Guerneville, Calif., Wednesday.

Dropout rate worst in District of Columbia

WASHINGTON (AP) — The District of Columbia, Louisiana and Alabama have the worst problems with students dropping out of school, while Minnesota, Nebraska and North Dakota have the best graduation rates, new federal rankings show.

Secretary of Education William J. Bennett today released his department's third annual chart ranking the 50 states and the District of Columbia on a host of school statistics, including dropouts, college entrance test scores, teachers' salaries and class size.

The chart showed improvements in college admission scores in 35 states since 1982.

"The news is good — our schools are improving again, our children are learning more," Bennett said in a statement. "To the American people I say: Good show, now let's stay at it."

New Hampshire, Oregon and Vermont led in Scholastic Aptitude Test scores in the 22 states where most college-bound seniors take that test; Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota set the pace in the 28 states where the American College Testing Program is dominant.

By contrast, at the back of the SAT pack were South Carolina, North Carolina and Georgia, while Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas and West Virginia pulled up at the rear on ACT scores.

The chart said 70.9 percent of public school students graduated from high school in 1984, which was a revision downward from the Education Department's previous assessment of a 74 percent graduation rate for that year.

Boston dropouts outnumber grads

BOSTON (AP) — More Boston public high school students quit school than were graduated last year, officials said.

"It is obviously the school system's single biggest problem," said John Nucci, School Committee president.

In 1985, 3,026 students dropped out, and 2,978 were graduated, the School Department reported Wednesday.

The dropout rate rose from 11 percent of the student body in 1982 to 15 percent last year and school officials blamed the increase partly on economic pressures, with youngsters as young

as 12 seeking papers to work at minimum wage jobs in fast food restaurants.

"More families are being pushed under the poverty line," said Yohel Camayd-Freixas, School Department research director. "It puts pressure on poor kids to find jobs."

Richard Allen, head of the school system's attendance division, said the number of teenagers applying for working papers has doubled in two years.

"Our workload has increased 1,000 percent," Allen said. "With McDonald's and Burger King. We've had 12-year-olds ask for work papers."

The department also computed a new graduation rate for 1982 of 69.7 percent. That means the dropout situation improved between 1982 and 1984 even while many states were imposing more rigorous diploma requirements, Education Department officials said. The graduation rate improved in 39 states between 1982 and 1984.

"Some have said that we can't have both excellence and equity in our schools, but the 1985 (report)

shows otherwise. It proves that, contrary to the usual thinking, test scores can be increased and dropout rates decreased at the same time," Bennett said.

The chart also showed 37 states provide or pay for in-service training for veteran teachers, and 31 require new teachers to pass certification exams.

Alaska paid public school teachers the most: an estimated \$39,751 average in 1985, followed by the District of Columbia, \$28,621; and Michigan, \$28,401.

Lowest teacher pay in 1985 was estimated at \$15,971 in Mississippi.

The first such chart in 1984 drew brickbats from some state school superintendents and other educators, particularly for the SAT and ACT rankings.

FairTest, a Boston-based group that is critical of standardized tests, issued a statement in advance of today's Education Department release charging that the chart "violates professional guidelines for proper test use and warps school curricula."

John Weiss, the group's executive director, said this "scoreboard approach forces educators in all 50 states to teach to the limited content of what a multiple-choice test can measure."

President Reagan has challenged each state to raise its graduation rate to 90 percent by 1990. He has also exhorted schools to shoot for regaining half the drop in SAT and ACT scores by then. SAT scores fell steadily from 1963 through 1980, but have inched back up in recent years.

Teen-ager missing in Utah avalanche

ALTA, Utah (AP) — A massive avalanche sheared from a mountainside and crashed onto a ski slope, killing a 16-year-old boy who was swept away as his father watched, authorities said.

Up to 150 searchers using long metal probes and trained dogs searched the area more than four hours after Wednesday's avalanche, but found no other victims.

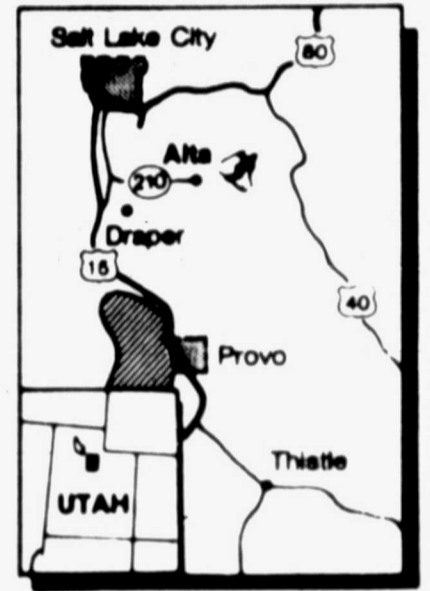
Another sweep of the slide area was planned for this morning, said Cpl. Lane Larkin of the Salt Lake County Sheriff's office.

The avalanche began at Sugarloaf Peak and crashed into the side of the Devil's Elbow ski run at the Alta resort on top of Little Cottonwood Canyon, about 30 miles southeast of Salt Lake City, burying Paul Moscovitch, of Wenham, Mass.

The boy, who was skiing with his father, had been buried 2 1/2 hours before being dug out. He died Wednesday night at LDS Hospital from hypothermia and cardiac arrest, said Tim Madden, a hospital spokesman.

Witnesses said the slide, which measured at least 100 feet wide and 100 feet deep and toppled trees up to 40 feet tall, barely missed several other skiers.

Al Taylor, who was skiing near where the avalanche occurred, said it struck without warning.



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"There was no sound," he said. "It hit the trees and just — bang!"

"The kid... had no time," Taylor said. "It was just on him."

When the search began, rescuers feared that others may have been buried, but two youths whose whereabouts were unknown for a time later were found safe at Alta Lodge. Larkin said.

Safety of nuclear-powered payloads debated after Challenger explosion

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Challenger explosion is prompting new concerns about plans for using the space shuttle to send nuclear-powered payloads into orbit, with Congress asking about the potential for contamination from an accident.

The shuttle had been scheduled to carry two interplanetary probes powered by plutonium generators in separate missions this spring. The Challenger accident has postponed the missions for at least 18 months, but now some members of Congress are questioning whether the shuttle should be used for such a task at all.

"Clearly, the Challenger accident itself raises the important question of risk to the public from future missions containing a nuclear-powered plutonium generator," said Rep. Edward J. Markey, D-Mass., chairman of the House energy conservation and power subcommittee.

In a letter Wednesday to Energy Secretary John S. Herrington, the congressman raised his concern about safety and protested the department's failure to provide an analysis of how many people might be contaminated by radioactive particles if an explosion occurs during flight.

Gail Bradshaw, a spokeswoman for the Energy Department, said the document cannot be released until it is declassified, a process that she said has been started.

National Aeronautics and Space Administration and Energy Department officials acknowledge that the future of the two missions carrying the probes Galileo and Ulysses into space is linked to the outcome of the Challenger investigation under way by a presidential commission.

"Everybody is again looking at their plans," said Ms. Bradshaw.

According to documents made available to the House Energy and Commerce Committee, the shuttle missions on which the nuclear-powered space probes were to be carried already were the subject of extensive debates about safety even before the Jan. 28 explosion of Challenger that killed all seven shuttle crew members.

In a report in January 1985, NASA's Aeronautical Safety Advisory Panel noted disagreement over how great an impact the nuclear-powered generators might withstand in an accident and said:

"The concern is with the possible spread of radioactive material if there is a catastrophic destruction of the (shuttle's) SRBs (solid rocket boosters) or ETs (external tank) during pad or ascent phases or during the landing as the result of an aborted mission."

Other documents estimated the expected radioactive release from the nuclear-powered payload during an explosion at between 56,000 curies to 111,000 curies, depending on which stage of the flight the accident occurs and which of the missions are involved.

An Energy Department study assumes that two to 10 microcuries — a microcurie is one millionth of a curie — of plutonium would produce cancer in the lung or bone if inhaled.

The expected release of plutonium in a launch accident such as the one that occurred with the Challenger was put by the Energy Department study at about 57,000 curies, with a "worst case" possibility of about 90,000 curies.

While none of the available documents describe how many people might be contaminated, the documents recommend that actions be taken to shelter people "or evacuation might be considered" if there is an accident on or near the launch site.

Markey said documents "raise more questions than they answer" about the safety issue.

For example, he said, risk estimates for the shuttle missions carrying the nuclear-powered payloads are based on an assumed low probability of an accident — something that the Challenger explosion has changed.

The Ulysses space probe is designed to orbit the sun after flying past Jupiter. Galileo is an interplanetary spacecraft that will orbit Jupiter and send a probe into its atmosphere. Both missions were to be launched this May during a period that occurs once every 13 months, when Earth and Jupiter are properly aligned.

Gerber probes report of glass in baby food

Associated Press

Gerber Products Co. says the public has no reason to shun its baby foods but acknowledges it is investigating reports from seven states of broken glass inside its products.

The latest reports came Wednesday from Maryland, where two women said they found slivers of what appeared to be glass in jars of Gerber strained peaches they were feeding their infants.

"Current test findings indicate consumers should have no cause for concern, as evidenced by the overwhelming majority of the nation's grocers and other baby food outlets that continue to stock and sell Gerber products," Gerber said in a statement Wednesday night.

Ronald Lovasz, Gerber's director of quality control, said the Fremont, Mich.-based company was investigating reports from seven states.

The statement referred to cases in Florida and Georgia. Earlier, Gerber had acknowledged contamination reports in New York, but the statement did not identify the other states and Gerber refused other comment.

"There is no apparent pattern in the reports," Lovasz said. "It is important to emphasize that none of the reports involved injury to any child or adult."

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration said Wednesday that customer complaints of glass in Gerber baby food remained unconfirmed and a recall was unjustified based on present evidence.

"These are isolated cases," said Emil Corwin, FDA spokesman in Washington. "On the basis of current information, there have been no recalls. We are looking and still investigating."

The rash of reports began last week in New York. This week, claims of glass contamination were made in Swainsboro, Ga.; Miami and Lakeland, Fla., and Cecil County, Md.

In one Maryland case, Flora Rowles said she found slivers of green glass in a jar of Gerber strained peaches she was feeding to her son. Rowles said she wasn't sure whether she bought the jar in Elkton, Md., or in nearby Delaware.

Maryland health investigators picked up her supply of baby food to examine it for signs of tampering or contamination.

"Consumers should be aware of the possibility of tampering with food and drug products and should take the necessary steps to avoid a potentially dangerous accident," Adele Wilzack, secretary of the Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, said Wednesday.

The second contaminated jar of baby food was found in Baltimore County, state officials said.

FDA spokesman Jim Greene said, "Consumers, as a precautionary measure, would be wise to use a little extra care in buying packaged foods. Look for any discoloration, any missing or torn wrappings or any torn boxes."



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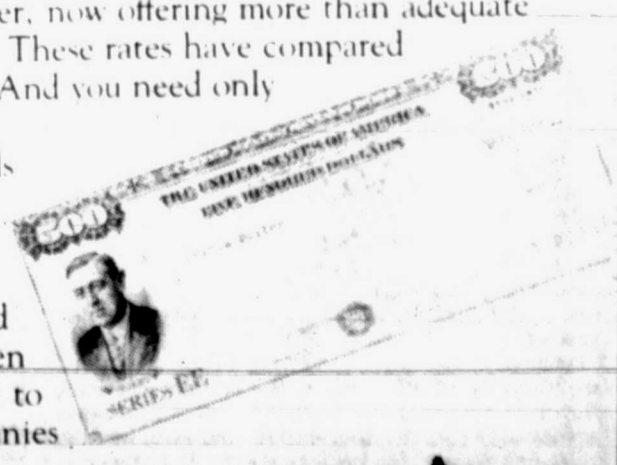
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Shultz: U.S. values democracy more than Philippine air bases

WASHINGTON (AP) — With anger still building over the Philippine election, a plan to curb American aid to the government of President Ferdinand Marcos won key converts while the Reagan administration said it prized democracy more than two strategic U.S. military bases in that country.



Shultz

"We have a big stake there," Secretary of State George P. Shultz told the Senate Budget Committee Wednesday, referring to Clark Air Base and Subic Bay in the Philippines, the largest American bases outside the United States.

But he added: "We have a stake in freedom. We have a stake in democracy. Let's put that first, over and above the bases."

The desire to punish Marcos quickly was reflected in the Senate's overwhelming approval Wednesday of a resolution declaring the presidential election results were "marked by such widespread fraud that they cannot be considered a fair reflection of the will of the people of the Philippines." The vote was 85-9.

The administration urged caution on a more substantive proposal to curb American aid, which amounts to \$245 million for fiscal 1986. Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger warned that cutting off military aid could play into the hands of communist insurgents.

At the same time, it was known that the White House hopes special envoy Philip C. Habib will find some way in which Marcos and his challenger, Corason Aquino, can share power. Habib, who was sent to Manila by President Reagan, has been silent about his talks there and is not expected to return home before the weekend.

But on Capitol Hill, momentum was building behind a proposal by Rep. Stephen J. Solarz, D-N.Y., to put most aid funds into an escrow account until Marcos was replaced by another government.

The Marcos-controlled National Assembly declared Marcos the victor over Mrs. Aquino, although she also has declared victory.

Solarz, chairman of the House subcommittee on Asian and Pacific Affairs, said Wednesday he had reached "a kind of agreement in principle" with the chairmen of the House and Senate foreign affairs committees to place in escrow this year's unspent U.S. security assistance and \$197.7 million requested for fiscal 1987.

Solarz said under the agreement with Rep. Dante Fascell, D-Fla., and Sen. Richard Lugar, R-Ind., the funds would be released with "the establishment of a legitimate government in the Philippines that has the confidence of the Filipino people."

Lugar said in testimony before Solarz' committee Wednesday that "perhaps placing U.S. military aid in an escrow account would be an appropriate action." He also said the Marcos government is "not fit to run the Philippine economy" and urged that economic aid be channeled through groups independent of the government.

Lugar, who was co-leader of Reagan's election observers, said, "The result was incredible" and was based on a completely fabricated vote tabulation.

"The final tallies have no relevance at all because they simply were conjured in many cases with no check and balance and have no relation" to other vote counts by an independent group known as Namfrel and the government election commission," Lugar said.

Shultz said the fraud and violence that marked Marcos' contested re-election was "mostly by the government in power" and "only provides fuel" for communist insurgents.

But, Shultz said, "We shouldn't be doing anything about aid levels right at this moment," and he urged lawmakers to await the return of Habib. "We feel we have on our hands a very difficult and delicate situation," Shultz said. "We don't want to jump at it with precipitous action."

Weinberger told the House Foreign Affairs Committee that "the only real beneficiary of a delayed or diminished military aid program would be the (communist) New People's Army, and that is an outcome we cannot support."

American-based Filipino journalist received death threat at newspaper

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The slaying of an American-based Filipino journalist after he received a threatening note had the mark of a professional killer, says his publisher, whose newspaper opposed the Marcos government.

Oscar Salvatierra, 41, was killed by a gunman who entered his suburban Glendale home and shot him several times, just a day after he received in the mail a note threatening his life. The FBI is investigating the slaying.

Salvatierra was the Los Angeles bureau chief of the San Francisco-based Philippine News, a weekly that had frequently editorialized against the government of President Ferdinand Marcos.

The note he received, with words cut from publications and pasted onto paper, said, "Philippine News is a disgrace to the Filipino community in the U.S. Through your paper, you unwarranted accusations and lies you have attacked your own countrymen. You should be ashamed to call yourselves Filipinos. So for your crimes, you are sentenced to death by execution."

Stan Aragon, sales manager for the newspaper, also received a mailed threat on Tuesday. It read only: "You're next."

Alex Esclamado, publisher of the newspaper, which has a circulation of 77,000 in the United States and Canada, said, "The preliminary report indicated that the man went through the window, that he shot Mr. Salvatierra in the head and then that he locked the door to the bedroom."

The locked door "was the mark of a professional killer," he said.



Alex Esclamado, editor and publisher of the Philippine News in Los Angeles, holds a copy of the assassination threat received by journalist Oscar Salvatierra before he was shot to death Wednesday.

The FBI entered the investigation Wednesday and Fred Reagan, an FBI spokesman in Los Angeles, said agents would attempt to determine if the killing was a terrorist act.

In July 1985, the Los Angeles police bomb squad removed an unexploded grenade from Salvatierra's desk.



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Bill toughens U.S. stance on terrorism

WASHINGTON (AP) — With the Reagan administration warning it still is considering military action against Libya, the Senate overwhelmingly passed a new law giving the United States the power to bring charges against terrorists who attack Americans anywhere in the world.

The 92-0 vote Wednesday makes it a crime for terrorists to hit Americans and "will enable us to deal effectively with this growing problem," said Sen. Arlen Specter, R-Pa., the bill's chief sponsor.

The bill was sent to the House, where a similar measure is pending. The Reagan administration strongly supports the bill, Specter said.

"There's been a great deal of tough talk, but very little tough action," Specter told his colleagues. "This will enable the U.S. to act."

The bill expands on a 1984 law that made it a crime when Americans are involved in hijackings or are taken hostage.

For example, the new law makes it a crime for terrorists to murder Americans, an action not covered by the 2-year-old measure, Specter noted. The

new bill also defines terrorism in a way that eliminates cases in which Americans are robbed or killed overseas in common crimes.

The Senate action came shortly after Robert Oakley, head of the State Department anti-terrorism office, told the Senate Judiciary terrorism subcommittee that a military strike against Libya was still an option.

President Reagan and top administration officials repeatedly have charged that Libyan leader Moammar Khadafy is a key backer of international terrorists.

The administration has said the Dec. 27 attacks at the Rome and Vienna airports were carried out by terrorists led by Abu Nidal.

The administration has conducted naval exercises off the Libyan coast in recent weeks and has tried to enlist U.S. allies in a series of economic sanctions against Libya.

Oakley said, "Consideration of the careful use of force in such circumstances has not been ruled out in the accordance with our right of self-defense."

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Ellis architect quits in protest

NEW YORK (LAT) — John Burgee, the architect asked by Lee Iacocca to develop a master plan for Ellis Island, said Wednesday he was withdrawing from the project to protest Iacocca's dismissal from the commission overseeing work on the Statue of Liberty.

"I don't want any part of it," said Burgee, 52. "The way they treated Mr. Iacocca was enough for me."

A spokesman for the Interior Department, which has authority for Ellis Island and the Statue of Liberty, called Burgee's departure unfortunate but said the architect's resignation "would not deter the work of the commission."

Burgee, one of the nation's most prominent architects and partner of the renowned Philip Johnson, said he was resigning his post as chairman of the architectural engineering committee of the Statue of Liberty-Ellis Island Centennial Commission — the advisory agency previously headed by Iacocca.

Iacocca, chairman of Chrysler Corp., was fired last week by Interior Secretary Donald P. Hodel, who cited potential for conflict of interest because Iacocca also ran the foundation that is collecting donations to pay for restoration of the statue.

Truman's genocide treaty passes

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate has finally approved a treaty that makes genocide an international crime, more than 37 years after the pact was signed by President Harry Truman.

The 83-11 vote Wednesday made the United States the 97th nation to ratify the pact first drafted by the United Nations in reaction to the Holocaust, when millions of Jews were slaughtered by

the Nazis.

The pact was signed by Truman on Dec. 11, 1948. But ratification had been delayed chiefly because of opposition by Senate conservatives, who argued that it would infringe on U.S. sovereign rights and could lead to charges against the United States for America's handling of blacks or its actions in the Vietnam War.

The ratification vote was a victory for Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., who had taken the floor daily since Jan. 11, 1987, to urge Senate ratification of the treaty.

Proxmire, who made more than 3,000 speeches over the 19-year period, said after the vote, "I'm absolutely elated."

The treaty makes it a crime to systematically kill or injure members of national, racial, ethnic or religious groups and provides that the World Court shall hear alleged violations.

Autopsies probed for Tylenol link

WHITE PLAINS, N.Y. (AP) — The re-examination of 14 autopsies done in the Yonkers-Bronxville area have uncovered no further suspicious deaths, says the medical examiner searching for clues in the recent cyanide-capsule killing.

In all, 166 deaths will be reviewed, County Medical Examiner Millard Hyland said.

He said Yonkers police asked his office to conduct the countywide review in an effort to determine whether "any cyanide cases might have slipped through the cracks" before the death of Diane Elsworth.

Miss Elsworth, 23, of Peekskill, died Feb. 8 in Yonkers after taking two Tylenol capsules that had been contaminated with cyanide. Three other capsules in the bottle she used and five capsules in another bottle also were contaminated.

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ROBERTO'S Luggage and Gifts, a quality luggage and leather goods store in Midland Park Mall, is now accepting applications for full-time employment. Good company benefits. Training provided. 1-612-938-6870. Mon-Fri. 8am to 5pm CST.

RETAIL OPPORTUNITIES

Handy Dan's, one of Texas' fastest growing retail centers, and a thriving part of Grace Home Centers west, voted 1985 Retailer of the Year, has the following openings:

FULL TIME
 We have full time positions for a Building Materials Dept. Head with some retail experience.

Also available is a Garden Nursery Dept. Head, and both full and part time positions are available in Garden Sales.

Join our friendly team and find at Handy Dan's what your seeking in retail opportunity!

We recognize that it's our employees who make the difference, and reward them with flexible hours, employee discounts, and an excellent pay/benefits package. Please see our Store Manager Monday-Friday, from 8:00am-5:00pm at:

HANDY DAN'S
 1004 Andrews Hwy.
 Midland, TX
 Equal Opportunity Employer

300 Automobiles-Domestic

Look! Good Buys

1983 ELEC-CPE V8 Eng-Low Mileage PRICED TO SELL \$8495⁰⁰	1982 Buick Park Ave 4 Door Nice Car PRICED RIGHT \$6495⁰⁰
1980 BUICK CENTURY LTD. 4Dr., 28,000 Miles \$3995⁰⁰	1984 JEEP WAGONEER Completely Loaded Come Look \$14,250
1983 OLDS 98 REGENCY Low Mileage Loaded - Nice \$9495⁰⁰	1982 PONT J2000 Nice Small Car \$3495⁰⁰
1982 BUICK RIV. Low Mileage Nice \$8495⁰⁰	1984 CHEV BLAZER Loaded - Low Mileage \$12,500⁰⁰

COME SEE US
SLOAN-BROTHERS BUICK
 2616 W. Wall 683-2761

300 Automobiles-Domestic 300 Automobiles-Domestic 300 Automobiles-Domestic 300 Automobiles-Domestic 300 Automobiles-Domestic 300 Automobiles-Domestic

Location: 204 Pilot Rd. Midland Air Terminal 563-0110 333-9333

Hertz

Fleet Reduction Sale!

Yes, Hertz Used Car Sales, the world's largest retailer of late model, quality used cars is coming to Odessa/Midland.

Dates: Friday, February 21st Saturday, February 22nd
 Time: 10:00am-8:00pm

SPECIAL USED 1985 FORD MUSTANGS
 Was \$7299
NOW \$6999

SPECIAL USED 1985 BUICK REGALS
 Was \$8999
NOW \$8199

SPECIAL USED 1985 TOYOTA CAMRYS
 Was \$9999
NOW \$8999

60 cars to choose from. Financing available to qualified buyers.

CHECK THESE OTHER VALUES USED 1985's

Toyota Tercels	Was \$7299	NOW \$6699	Ford T-Birds	Was \$9299	NOW \$8999
Toyota Corollas	Was \$7499	NOW \$6999	Buick Electras	Was \$11,999	NOW \$10,999
Mercury Marquis	Was \$7899	NOW \$7399	Lincoln Town Cars	Was \$14,999	NOW \$12,999

USED 1984's

Ford Tempos	Was \$4999	NOW \$4399	Plymouth Reliants	Was \$5999	NOW \$5699
Ford LTD's	Was \$5999	NOW \$5399	Lincoln Continentals	Was \$13,999	NOW \$12,999

MORE PEOPLE BUY USED CARS FROM HERTZ THAN ANYONE ELSE IN THE WORLD.

MOST VEHICLES fully equipped with: Air conditioning, automatic transmission or stick, power stick, power steering, power brakes, bucket seats, tinted glass, AM/FM radio, radial tires.

- Each car comes with its own SERVICE/MAINTENANCE RECORD you can check before you buy.
- Each of these cars is specially selected from the Hertz rental fleet and comes with the HERTZ LIMITED POWER TRAIN WARRANTY covering both parts and labor against defects in engine, transmission, drive shaft, and differential for 12 months or 12,000 miles, whichever ever comes first. Ask for full details.
- Ask about the V.I.P. Warranty.

Some models higher due to additional equipment. No other discounts applicable on special prices.

Hertz Car Sales

403 Garage/Yard Sales

1407 Lankam, furniture, drapes, shaggy peacock, clothes and miscellaneous. Thu. 7-9 a.m. Thursday through Saturday.

FIVE Family garage sale Sun-4pm, Friday and Saturday, February 21 and 22, 4208 Cretwood. Heavy baby items, clothing, toys, assorted furniture including couch and love seat, stereo cabinet, refrigerator, costume jewelry, etc. and more.

GIANT garage sale Furniture, clothes, appliances, shelving, lots of everything, must see, Saturday only till gone. 3107 Elm.

MIDLAND FLEA MARKET

Open Every Fri.-Sat. Sun.

Dealers, Buyers, Lookers Welcome

682-0594 684-3039

Off Rankin Hwy. on Co. Rd. 114, Follow Signs

Garage sale 711 Sprayberry, Saturday and Sunday, bedspreads \$10, curtains \$15, bar \$60, other stuff.

COPY AND RESTORATION

Of Your Old Photos Done Locally

MAX'S STUDIO

683-2143

MOVING Sale Saturday 9 am to 5 pm, 1901 W. Michigan, large and small appliances, seasoned firewood, tools, furniture and much more. Cheap prices.

THREE Family Sale, 707 Magford, Friday and Saturday only. Accessories galore! Don't miss this one.

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410 Miscellaneous Sales

STANDING, On Easy Plan by Easy Plan 500, 915-738-2045. Wayne, Running horses for sale.

415 Miscellaneous

WANTED, Clean used baby bed, Mattress included. Call 687-3178 after 5pm and anytime weekdays.

WANTED, Good used kitchen cabinets with double sink. Call 687-4983.

420 Good Things To Buy

BEAUTIFUL and delicious Wedding cakes and all occasions cakes. Call 687-1222. In your life. Call Eddie at 684-6070, 12 years experience.

20% discount on Phynox gold. 682-3259. Easter, use or dress. 682-3259.

BIRTHDAY PARTIES, SKATING PARTIES, WE HAVE LIVE PONY RIDES! Baby animals, old fashioned games, homemade ice cream, middle facilities, our birthday parties are a dream with 10% off after school parties through February.

ROCKIN HORSE FARMS 697-4701

PLUMB CRAZY? If the apple of your eye is fresh fruit in season, look to classification 420 as a peach-keen eye to find them. You can sell your fresh fruits and produce. To place your ad dial 682-2022.

430 Household Goods

RENT WITH OPTION TO BUY Living room, dining room and bedroom groups. Whirlpool washers, dryers, refrigerators and freezers. Call Furniture, 902 S. Main. 685-3074.

GOOD SELECTION of used refrigerators, side by side, top and bottom freezers, used washers, dryers, and ranges completely reconditioned and guaranteed.

WOOD & SON APPLIANCE 3310 Bankhead Highway 697-2563

FOR SALE, Ethon Allen bedroom suite full size bed, dresser, chest of drawers, night stand, new Sealy mattress and box springs. \$800. Call 694-1110.

440 Computer and Accessories

COMMODORE 64 plus 1541 Drive, \$225.00. Call 687-5911.

450 Pets and Supplies

AKC Chow Chow puppies, all colors, 697-2878.

460 Antiques and Art

SATURDAY ANTIQUES - ART OBJECTS OF INTEREST. OPEN SATURDAY ONLY 10 AM - 4 PM. 2034 W. Culbert. (915) 682-5454.

OUR ONCE-A-YEAR SALE STARTS TODAY! Prices reduced on practically everything. This represents a real bargain considering our always low prices!

OLDIES BUT GOODIES! If collecting antiques is your bag, then our classification 460 for relics is for you. You can sell them here. To place your ad call 682-3222.

ANTIQUE furniture, oriental furniture and other miscellaneous antique items. Call 689-9905 after 9 pm.

ANTIQUE with brass horn, 686-1070 and 686-1071.

470 Musical Instruments

FIDDLER Unique, 3118 Franklin. Now open. Make violins, repair bows, buy, sell, trade. Call 687-3849.

480 Antiques and Art

ANTIQUE, excellent, original condition. Small and table. \$69. Wood framed mirror. \$125. 682-0811.

490 Computer and Accessories

COMMODORE 64 plus 1541 Drive, \$225.00. Call 687-5911.

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510 Office Supplies

JUST RECEIVED: Office Building full of used furniture. Steno chairs, filing cabinets, secretarial desk, executive desks, calculators, credenzas, typing tables, side chairs, love seat, executive desk, will be sold cheap. Call or come by Ector Office Equipment, 1021 N. Texas. 337-8339.

520 Farm Equipment

NEW Massey-Ferguson 1010 Tractor with Loader. Call Darvin Almond 699-1780.

530 Rooms For Rent

ROOMMATE wanted March 1st. Autumn Wood Apartments, 2439 Whitman Ave. \$2-D. \$130 negotiable. Call 682-0978.

540 Building Materials

DECORATING and framing lumber, doors and windows and tile block. See at Midland Motel or call 267-6456 after 4:00.

550 Portable Buildings

SALE new & used portable offices. Call 563-1807.

560 Machinery and Tools

ROTARY Water well drilling rig. Part or all. \$1300 series for sale or trade for anything of value. 684-8835.

570 Offroad Supplies

MASSEY-Ferguson skid loader with bucket & fork attachment. \$6,000. Lincoln Welding Machine. \$600. SAZ00F153. \$1500 or best offer. Call 687-2200.

580 Apartments Unfurnished

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WARWICK APARTMENTS 4408 N. GARFIELD 682-1669

600 Apartments Unfurnished

2 bedroom, 1 bath, 1,050 sq. ft., view of pool, mini blanch, convenient to downtown. Call Doreen. 5374 a month. Call 682-2423.

610 Apartments Unfurnished

LARGE one and two bedroom unfurnished apartments for working families. \$185 / \$215, water and gas paid. 685-3327.

620 Apartments Unfurnished

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FOR Rent One bedroom, furnished apartment. Apts. \$220, bills paid. 682-0978.

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Sat. 10:00-5:30
Sun. 1:00-5:00

*to qualified applicants

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\$199.00

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DUPLEXES

Twelve month lease. Two and three bedrooms. Extra storage rooms, utility rooms, fireplaces, built-in ovens and ranges. Rents start at \$325. Call Ken Riley, Dottie Wagner at 686-3013, 686-8126, or 683-7490 before 9pm.

711 McDonald, March 15, \$475. 3604 Apache March 1, \$365. Purchase option 699-4461 or 1-446-2361.

LARGE 3 bedroom, 2 bath in Greenwood. Microwave, mini blinds, sprinkler system, 6200 Sequoia. Call 689-4802 or 497-0220.

NEAR CLAYDESTA: Fresh, 4 year old duplex, 2 bedrooms, appliances, double carport, storage. \$425. Water paid. 685-3327.

LEASE with option to buy: 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, brick, central heat and air. Two car garage, nice yard, good neighborhood. \$325 monthly. Call 687-6974.

DUPLEXES FOR LEASE

4807-A Cuthbert 1 bedroom-\$325. 4805-A Country Club 2 bedroom with fireplace \$425. 497-2639.

CARPETED 2 bedroom, 1 bath. Stone fireplace, garage, fenced. Harlowe Street. \$450 month. Deposit 694-6642.

CLOSE to Anson Jones Elementary, a 2 bedroom, 2 bath with carpet, central heat and air, garage and fence. Rent reduced to \$450 per month with a \$200 security deposit. 694-6291.

NICE 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Fireplace, sunroom, dining. \$500. 2714 Kessler. 689-0150 or 697-2153.

1 bedroom, 1 bath available for short term lease \$200 deposit required and \$300 more IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. Call 689-8031.

2403 WEST Kentucky 2 bedroom, one bath, formal dining. \$295 plus \$100 deposit. Barragan Property Management. 682-0097.

911 W. COLLEGE-Rear One bedroom, efficiency house with private fenced yard and off street parking. \$195 plus \$100 deposit. Barragan Property Management. 682-0097.

APARTMENTS PARA RENTAR

Hablamos Español
La Hacienda-Corner 5. Colorado and Giel across from Midland Freshman School. 1 1/2 and 3 bedrooms from \$150 to \$350 with \$75 deposit. Water paid. Some with new paint and carpet. Family complex with manager on duty. Barragan Property Management 682-0097.

FOR LEASE 1 bedroom apartment \$200 monthly. Deposit 1800 1/2 W Illinois. 683-6868.

VERY nice 1 bedroom duplex, carpeted, stove & refrigerator furnished, no pets. Call 697-1580.

CLEAN 3 bedroom, 2 bath, garage, fenced yard. Fully carpeted. \$400 deposit. \$450 monthly. 3600 Fairmont. Call 332-4226 after 2 weekdays.

NEAR Greenwood School. Three bedroom, 2 bath, large yard, garage. \$400. Call Milton 684-9030 or 687-0045.

1212 West Ohio, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, built in range oven, excellent condition. \$385 a month. 694-6037.

3 bedroom, den, 2 bath, fenced yard, \$500. 412 Healy. 683-6053 before or after 6.

TWO story studio home, storage, fenced, new carpet, rustic beams, appliances, 694-3751.

CARPETED 2 or 3 bedroom 1 bath with refrigerator and stove has washer/dryer connections and fenced yard. 684-4137.

2400 Sq Ft House with basement. Excellent condition. \$1100 monthly. 697-2639.

NO CREDIT CHECK

No down payment, no closing costs. Just \$430 per month buys you a two bedroom, one bath home. Or \$450 per month, buys you a three bedroom, one bath with carport. 1318 Jax, 1315 Estes, 1318 Cowden. 687-2099 or 687-3202.

NICE 2 bedroom, Duplex, remodeled, close to hospital. \$250. 694-0602.

ONE Bedroom Cottage for working families. \$195 Water and Gas Paid. 685-3327.

REDECORATED 3 room bath cottage, totally furnished. Single permanent person only. Bills paid. \$295. 684-9828.

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SHORT TERM LEASE
2 bedroom, 1 bath with fireplace in west Midland. Extra clean. \$250 deposit and \$400 month. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. Call today at 689-8031.

THREE bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, two living areas, on Princeton Street. \$375 monthly. \$300 security deposit. Contact Clemmie Sarge, of Regency Realty. 699-6417. eves. 697-1848.

SEVERAL houses for rent. \$350 per month and up. Some with lease purchases. Call David Howard Realty. 687-3222.

DUPLEXES FOR LEASE

2 & 3 BDRM UNITS
Each has Garage, fenced yard, CH/A, fireplace, built-ins. Fresh paint. Water provided. \$500/mo range. 694-9663.

4709 block of Harvard, Two bedroom, two bath, fireplace, carport. \$400 month. \$250 deposit. For information call Ray. 682-7391.

706 NORTH "C" Street 1 bedroom, 1 bath, fenced yard and carport. 685-4095 evenings, and weekends 685-6025 weekdays.

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RENT AND LEASE PROPERTY
2705 Delano 2BR 1BA \$350
605 Raymond 2BR 1BA \$350
2601 Brunson 3BR 1BA \$375
103 E Oak 3BR 1 1/2 BA \$425
4608 W Steary 3BR 1 1/2 BA \$450
4207 Ric 3BR 1 1/2 BA \$475
1104 Delmar 3BR 1 1/2 BA \$500
421 Spruce 3BR 2BA \$525
4022 Monty 3BR 1 1/2 BA \$550
419 Spruce 3BR 2BA \$550
418 Sweetwater 3BR 2BA \$575
4720 Country Club 3BR 2BA \$650
3414 Michigan 3BR 2BA \$675
1604 Hedge 4BR 2 1/2 BA \$750

OTHER DETAILS: 689-0021
(2) 2 bedroom house for rent, carport backyard. Call 682-7359 or 683-8839 after 6.

WESTSIDE Large very clean brick house with 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, 1 car garage and large fenced backyard. Recent new carpet and both remodeling, new kitchen flooring, ceiling fan and air conditioner. \$450 month. \$175 deposit. 6 months lease, references required. 697-4606 after 6, or 682-6854.

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3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick house, 1 car garage with fenced yard, covered porch, central air and heat. 4409 Erie \$500. \$300 rent plus deposit. Call 697-3952 ask for Tim.

3 bedroom, 2 bath brick house 2 car garage, fenced yard, close to shopping centers. 4302 Roosevelt \$550 a month rent plus deposit. Call 697-3952 ask for Tim.

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1 MONTH FREE
\$50 FREE GROCERIES

Lease Purchase Option
\$400 Mo. Newer homes off Fairgrounds. But best location. 21 \$625 3/1 available. Immediate occupancy.

Days: 687-5202. Eves: 687-2099.

2 bedroom, 1 bath DUPLEX \$295 \$200 deposit. Call 682-8286.

THREE nice three bedroom, two baths, two car garage, with fireplace on Crestview. Close to Claydestra \$600 to \$675 monthly. 694-9853.

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FOR lease: Two bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, large rooms, stone, dishwasher, washer/dryer hookups. Call Charles at May Barber. 697-1091 or 687-5203 after 6pm.

3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick home, fireplace, refrigerator air, garage, fenced yard, landscaped. \$550 per month. 699-0881.

THREE bedroom, one bath, carpet, carport. 697-2323.

3 BEDROOM brick, 2 bath, attached garage, fenced backyard. \$400 month, deposit required. 4611 Greenwood. Call 682-3578.

THREE or four bedrooms, two baths, carport, garage. 697-2323.

50% OF LEASE PAYMENT! Apply to purchase price! Will lease my 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, brick home Skyline Terrace, with an option to buy. Will apply 50% of monthly payments to purchase price of \$112,000. Home on appraisal of \$112,000. Home has 2,350 sq feet, enclosed Spanish tiled porch, vaulted ceiling, ceiling fans, fireplace and very large master bedroom. Both and wood floor. Low maintenance yard concept 2 car garage. Call Mr. Moore at 682-6311 or 686-0951.

A walk to town, wood-paneled, 3 bedrooms, range, washer and dryer connections. \$385. 685-3327.

IN Greenwood nice three bedroom two bath, two car garage, and yard with fireplace, ceiling fans, sprinkler system and stone. \$370 month. Call between 4:00 and 7:00 pm. 687-6022.

FOR Lease or Lease Purchase Beautiful 82 Parada Home 3-2-2 Den and game room. Lots of extras. \$1000 month plus deposit. 697-5340.

3 BEDROOM, 1 1/2 BATH 1 CAR GARAGE REFRIGERATED AIR, CENTRAL HEAT, ELECTRIC OVEN AND COOK TOP. \$450 MONTHLY. REFERENCES AND DEPOSIT REQUIRED. 694-9990.

1802 W WASHINGTON 2 bedroom 1 bath, \$350 monthly. Deposit required. 683-5161.

CHARMING HOME ACROSS FROM DUCK PARK. 3 bed, hardwood floors. 807 Cuthbert. \$395. 686-8382.

GREAT LOCATION NORTH WEST AREA, LOVELY HOME FOR RENT. 3 BDRM, 2 BATH \$800.00 MONTHLY. \$300 DEPOSIT. CALL: Carolyn Nickell if interested. RE/MAX of Midland 697-8232 or 685-4186.

RENT 2626 Marianna. Three bedroom 1 1/2 bath, large storage. \$425 per month. \$300 deposit. Call 697-8232 or 685-4186.

FRESH paint large 2 bedroom \$350 per month. 304 W Parker. Call 685-1193.

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DUPLEX for rent available March 1 2 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car carport, central heat and air, fireplace, washer/dryer connections. \$425 per month. 427 Healy. Call 697-1943 after 6:00.

UNFURNISHED 3 bedroom fireplace, fenced yard, covered patio. \$625 per month with \$300 security deposit. Location near loop 250. Contact Mary. 694-7920.

\$450 MONTHLY
3 bedrooms, 2 baths, a newer home at 1515 S. Weatherford Drive by and then call
LINEBARGER
Realtors Insurance
699-1234

3 BEDROOM, 1 3/4 bath, 2 living areas, 2 car garage, carpeted, finished basement. Call Regency Realtors. 699-6417 evenings. Alton Urban. 684-8299.

CUTBERT near Petropolis Springs 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1 1/2 car garage, throughout washer/dryer connections, fenced front & back yards. \$375 a month. Call 684-5631 after 4 pm. Weekdays.

TWO bedroom, one bath, large living area, nice carpet, no appliances. See at 2703 Franklin. \$250 rent. \$100 deposit. Call 697-3827 or 697-3806.

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635 Townhouses Condos & Spaces For Rent

640 Townhouses Unfurnished

FURNISHED Duplex, nice and clean, quiet, water paid, mature couple preferred. Near downtown. 684-8944. Leave message.

For rent 2 bedroom Duplex. For more information call 694-9957.

Two bedroom townhouse, vaulted ceiling, breakfast bar, appliances, washer/dryer connections, fenced court yard. \$360 month. Please no calls after 8 pm. 121 N. Glenwood. 697-0785.

650 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

2 bedroom mobile home, washer/dryer and dishwasher, south Midland road. \$300 per month. deposit \$150, no pets. 697-3823.

CLEAN furnished 1978 model 8x40. Bills paid. \$230 month. \$50 deposit. Call 682-4539.

TWO bedroom, washer/dryer, carport. Fenced yard. \$150 deposit. \$275 month. 684-4539.

3 bedroom, \$325 month includes yard. 697-4478.

FOR rent: Three bedroom, partially furnished, carport, single or double. \$889.

FOR rent: \$40 weekly. Bills paid. 684-0889.

655 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

2 bedroom, 2 bath, refrigerated air, new carpet, wood stove. \$250 per month. \$100 deposit. No children. 683-4666.

FOR Lease 3 bedroom 2 bath \$350. Call 682-8818 Terra Realtors.

2 bedroom 1 bath \$300 per month. \$200 deposit. Free cable TV. 563-3341. No stevens. 694-0851.

MOBILE home for rent 2 bedroom. Call 694-5007 for more information.

VERY nice mobile home 10x50, new carpet, large yard with chain link fence. Free water. \$250 per month. \$100 deposit. Call 683-9408.

14X80 Three bedroom 2 bath \$200 deposit. \$375 monthly. Includes space heater, premium cable tv, sprinkler system. 563-3341. If no answer. 694-0851.

TWO bedroom, stove, refrigerator, East Loop Mobile Home Park. Deposit \$275 per month. 683-0083.

660 Mobile Home Spaces For Rent

\$75 per month
FREE MOVING AND SET UP

Free Cable TV
Underground Sprinkler System
Efficient Streets
*Pools, Sidewalks throughout
*Off Street 3 Car Parking
*Large Landscaped Lots
*Mini-Warehouse Storage Available
*Very Neat and Clean appearance
COUNTRY VILLAGE M.H. ESTATES
563-3341

QUARTER RIDGE Mobile Home Park, 4001 E Hwy 80. Large spaces, paved streets, pool, swimming pool, inside city limits. City water, sewer and trash pickup furnished. 687-5051.

TRAILER Spaces 800 Greenwood Water furnished. 685-6639.

PONDEROSA Park FHA approved. Fenced Carport. Paved Water. Free parking, convenient. 2004. 0909. 687-4711.

The Finest Mobile Home Park in Texas. Airline Mobile Home Park. West Highway 80. 694-2334. Check with us for our move in special.

MOBILE home lots for rent. \$65 a month with garden space. Will move in. Call 563-2165. Ext. 1967.

VERY nice large lot in quiet 10 space park. Storage, tree shade and garage. Excellent location. \$90 month. 682-7246.

665 Business Property Offices For Rent

213 or 3 room office for rent. 684-4084.

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Executive Suites. Retail space. Office space available. We have the solution for all your business needs. Free parking, convenient. 2004. 0909. 687-4711.

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On North Hwy. 80. Spacious, open floor plan. Free parking, convenient. 2004. 0909. 687-4711.

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