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'Lucky 13' could lead to fine, jail

By JOHN BROOKS
Managing Editor

Deaf Smith county District Attorney Roland Saul reconfirmed Wednesday that a popular chain letter being circulated through Hereford and other areas is illegal.

Saul said he has "been asked frequently" about the letter, "The Lucky Thirteen 24-hour Mad Dash to Riches."

According to the terms of the letter, a person must buy the letter for \$10, then send a \$5 money order to two persons listed on the letter. The participant then takes the first person's name off the list and adds their name to the bottom and sells the letter to other participants.

As the letter is sold to more participants, their name moves to the top of the list and eventually they are supposed to receive thousands of dollars when their name gets to the top of the list.

"Under the laws of the State of Texas these schemes are illegal," Saul said. He explained that the letter is an "endless chain." An endless chain is any scheme for the disposal or distribution of property whereby a participant pays a valuable consideration (in this case, \$10) for the chance to receive compensation (the \$5 money orders) for introducing one or more additional persons into participation in the scheme or for the chance to receive compensation when a person introduced by the participant introduces a new participant.

The state law says a person commits an offense if he contrives, prepares, sets up, proposes, operates, promotes, or participates in an endless chain.

Each offense is a Class B misdemeanor. The maximum punishment is 180 days in jail and a fine of up to \$1,000.

"Many callers have been told that our office has said this latest scheme is legal. That is not true," Saul said.

Several callers to the Brand on Wednesday said that they had checked with local attorneys and "the D.A. in Friona," and claimed they were told

by those attorneys that the letter was legal.

"I have checked with Johnny Actkinson, the district attorney in Farwell whose jurisdiction includes Friona. He has told me he has not told anyone that these schemes are legal.

"I have also been told by some of the local attorneys that they have supposedly been quoted as saying the scheme was legal. They also deny ever telling anyone that the scheme was legal.

"We must emphasize that if a person participates in this endless chain scheme he is committing a crime."

Several callers to the Brand on Wednesday charged that the Brand, Saul, the United States Postal Service and others were under pressure from certain individuals to "break the chain."

Many of the callers also said the letter was not illegal because the letters are being sold and delivered by hand, avoiding the mail.

However, a source told the Brand earlier this week that one person was making many copies of the letter to mail to a nearby city.

One caller, who would not give his name, said he was mad because "we have found a way to beat the system and the system doesn't like it. That's why they're cracking down on us."

"I intend to report any money I make to the Internal Revenue Service. We're not trying to be dishonest about it. I don't put any pressure on anyone that I sell the letter to. I offer them a chance to buy the letter, and if they don't want to, that's fine."

"It's the free enterprise system."

A female caller, who also did not give her name, said that legal efforts should be aimed "at the drug dealers, not people like us."

Several callers also pointed out that they had only invested \$20, the \$10 to buy the letter and the two, \$5 money orders to two persons listed at the top of the letter.

"If someone wants to make 1,000 copies and spend that much money, then more power to them," one caller said. "It's not everybody that's doing it that's trying to get rich or doing all that stuff."



Spring training
Jared Victor, a member of the Hereford High School baseball team, uses a batting tee to sharpen his eye during practice on Wednesday. The spring sports season is busy with baseball, tennis, track and off-season work in other sports.

Tax appraisals won't change

By ANDREA HOOTEN
Staff Writer

Property appraisals in Deaf Smith County will remain as is, said Chief Appraiser Fred Fox recently, despite his speculation that appraisals might have to be lowered based on the falling housing market.

"We got the report from the State (Property Tax Board) about Feb. 6 and it looks like we were on line on all areas," said Fox.

The board reported that the county appraisal district's property appraisals came within 92 percent of the Board's appraisals.

The State Board of Property Tax checks all property after the local appraisal district to put a check on valuations.

"One hundred percent appraisals is the ideal, but the state said we were at about 92 percent which, according to them, is pretty good."

Apparently the falling housing market did not affect the State Property Tax Board's appraisals because Fox said his office appraised one piece of property at \$21,000 and the state thought it should have been appraised at \$41,000.

If the state did mandate that appraisals were too high for single family residences, a home owner might see his appraised property value lowered and eventually pay less taxes on that property.

While this may sound good to the taxpayers' ears, lowered appraisals--the basis for the taxing entities' income--might have forced each taxing entity to raise its tax rate to compensate for the lost revenue.

"I'm really surprised to hear it because I thought they were gonna lower the value of houses, and if they had, we'd have to adjust the tax rate (higher)," said County Judge Tom Simons.

The areas in which the Property Tax Board thinks property was under-appraised include commercial and retail property--83 percent, and commercial personal property which includes a businesses' inventory--76 percent.

"We usually have lower appraisals than what the state comes up with, especially on retail inventory," said Fox. "We (appraisal district) usually appraise around Jan. 1 right after Christmas when inventory is way down. The Property Tax Board makes their appraisals in mid-summer when business' inventories are up."

The State Board did feel the appraisal district's appraised value was too high for utilities--108 percent--but this area was the only one above 100 percent.

Other areas evaluated were multi-family residences--99 percent; vacant lots--92 percent; farm land--100 percent; and farm and ranch improvements--92 percent.

FSLIC may be using 'experts'

By SCOTT MCCARTNEY
Associated Press Writer

In their rush to catch up to thrift industry fraud and mismanagement, federal regulators may have unknowingly hired some of the culprits responsible for the savings and loan debacle. The Associated Press has learned.

The Federal Home Loan Bank Board hired as many as 800 people - a "high percentage" of them from failed S&Ls - without performing background checks, government and industry officials said.

Two of them are now targets of criminal investigations. One is being prosecuted for alleged fraud committed last year at the Federal Savings & Loan Insurance Corp., the agency that insures thrift deposits.

The other has been transferred from a top regulatory job while the FBI pursues a probe requested two years ago when his old S&L went under. Regulatory officials in Washington did not know about that inquiry, which had been launched in Dallas, when he was hired last year.

The bank board made 6,000 such criminal referrals to the FBI from insolvent thrifts, asking the bureau to look into specific transactions and individuals.

When employees of failed thrifts are hired as regulators, "that's a risk, sure," acknowledged bank board spokesman Bill Fulwider.

Still, he added, "The assumption is it's generally not their fault the

institution went down. They understand the assets, and they have expertise that's valuable."

Most of the people hired to handle the billions of dollars' worth of property and loans seized from failed thrifts are honest, officials said. Yet they expect to find more bad apples.

"I would not be surprised to see one or two instances of that emerging as the (Justice Department's bank fraud) task force proceeds," said U.S. Attorney Marvin Collins, who has been working on S&L fraud since the mid-1980s.

Added one longtime industry official, who spoke on the condition of anonymity:

"I would imagine there would be one or two others when you hire 800 people. Maybe 80 or 50 or 30 people - some percentage that drops over the line. ... It will take a long time before it all gets out."

The collapse of the S&L industry is expected to cost some \$100 billion to resolve. A large portion of that cost, officials have said, results from mismanagement and outright fraud by S&L executives.

Some criminal activity is still going on, Collins said. "Some people feel they can take advantage because the system is currently overloaded by

Nose knowledge is limited

BOSTON (AP) - Scientists know a lot about smell. They know it weakens as we get older, it varies depending on a person's sex and ethnic background, and it involves more than just the nose. What they generally don't know is why.

"Within the scientific community, smell has always taken a back seat to the other senses, probably because we don't live in an olfactory world. We live in a visual world; a world of sounds," said Dr. John S. Kauer, a New England Medical Center researcher trying to determine brain function using the nose.

Last year he used video cameras and special dyes to trace the path of an odor impulse through the brain of a salamander. The work produced a "movie," or series of color-enhanced pictures, showing that the brain is "a parallel processor," handling many signals simultaneously - like a supercomputer.

The research may have implications for the study and treatment of brain tumors by helping differentiate between tumors and normal tissue.

Scores of researchers are poking their noses into such olfactory oddities as a link between premature decline in smell and Alzheimer's disease; a protein that ferries odor molecules through the nose; the fact that half of all people between ages 65 and 80 suffer major loss in the sense of smell;

and the trait peculiar to some nasal nerve cells to regenerate.

"They're the only neurons in the human body that undergo this spontaneous renewal and spontaneous decay," Kauer said.

Some of the research in the field of smell is aimed not at medical advancement but at the bottom line. In Union Beach, N.J., Dr. Craig Warren heads a research and development team for International Fragrances and Flavors Inc., a company that produces

Research suggests that the process of smelling involves more than the nose, Warren said. When blindfolded, "Most people cannot discriminate a lemon from a lime or an orange from a grapefruit."

IFF regularly brings in dozens of smell samples, usually women, to rate and react to fragrances, with emphasis on how the fragrances can alter mood. In the process, Warren has found that 10 percent and 15 percent of the subjects display a particularly acute

finally led to brain surgery in which her olfactory nerve was removed, ending her hallucinations but leaving her incapable of smelling.

"It can be very dangerous," she said. "I've already burnt things in the oven and I didn't know it and there are smoke alarms everywhere. But on the other hand it doesn't bother me not to smell because I still sense that I'm breathing and smelling the same as you are."

Brooks' doctor was Richard Doty, director of the University of Pennsylvania Smell and Taste Center. Patients include the aged and professionals like wine tasters, firefighters, police officers, gas company workers, inspectors and cooks whose lives and livelihoods can depend on the sense of smell.

"There have always been problems that people had and they've had no place to turn in the past," Doty said. "It's a frontier of science which really hasn't even been touched on."

Doty and colleagues in August reported in the journal *Neurology* a link between loss of smell and Parkinson's disease. A year earlier, a similar study linked the loss of smell to Alzheimer's disease. A new area of research will try to determine if the nasal passage serves as a pathway for viruses or chemicals that contribute to those maladies, Doty said.

investigations," he said. "We'll be very attentive to them."

When the Justice Department task force uncovers evidence against an S&L official now working for regulators, however, it can't tip off the agency because of confidentiality laws, he said.

A private attorney specializing in bank fraud told the AP of a case he encountered where a former S&L official was hired by the government to handle repossessed properties even though he has a financial interest in some of the properties - a probable conflict-of-interest violation.

"As many people as they had and as many problems as they had, I wouldn't believe that's the only problem," said the attorney, a former white-collar crime prosecutor who asked not to be named because the incident involved a confidential attorney-client relationship.

As the S&L industry was deregulated and high-flying thrifts took off into speculative and sometimes fraudulent endeavors, federal regulators found their agencies grossly understaffed and unable to keep up.

By the mid-1980s, a hiring push was approved, and the Federal Home Loan Bank Board found itself needing

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Local Roundup

Police arrest four

A 28-year-old man was charged with public intoxication and disorderly conduct in the 400 block of North 25 Mile Avenue; a man, 36, was charged with a warrant for failure to appear in the 300 block of Lawton Avenue; a 35-year-old man was charged with public intoxication at Deaf Smith General Hospital; a man, 25, was charged with no liability insurance (second offense), no driver's license and defective equipment.

Theft over \$20 was reported in the 1300 block of East First Street; Class C assault and disorderly conduct were reported in the 600 block of Stanton Street; disturbing the peace was reported in the 300 block of Adelito Calle; a license plate was reported stolen in the 100 block of Fuller Street and shoplifting was reported in the 500 block of South 25 Mile Avenue in which a package of gum was taken.

Eight citations were issued.

Sunny, warmer weather

Tonight will be fair with a low of 28. Southerly winds will diminish to 10-15 mph by midnight.

Friday will be sunny and warmer with a high of 65. Southwest winds will be 10-20 mph and gusty.

This morning's low at KPAN was 26 after a high Wednesday of 51.

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Auto insurance premiums to drop

AUSTIN (AP) - Automobile insurance premiums will drop about \$11.4 million statewide under a rate change adopted by the State Board of Insurance.

That figure means overall rates will decrease an average of 0.3 percent. But drivers who only purchase the required basic liability insurance will see a 13.1 percent increase.

"The presentations showed that was, in our view, the most suitable change," Board Chairman Edwin J. Smith Jr. said Wednesday after the 3-0 approval.

The new rates take effect June 1, and represent baseline rates, meaning insurance carriers can deviate up or down from the rates with board approval.

Insurance industry representatives, who had requested a 6.5 percent rate increase, were disappointed the board adopted its staff recommendation.

"It's disappointing that the board continues to ignore that their staff model is flawed," said Richard Geiger, of the Texas Auto Insurance Service Office. The model is used to calculate proposed rate changes.

But Kay Doughty, general counsel of the Office of Consumer Protection, praised the board's decision.

"I'm pleased that they didn't grant the full increase the industry asked for. We obviously didn't think it was justified," Ms. Doughty said.

The major dispute centered on the amount of expenses insurance carriers claim when calculating a rate change, and investment income earned by the carrier.

Insurance board staff members said they recommended the 0.3 percent rate decrease because insurance carriers

will be able to make up for the lower profits through investment earnings.

Chairman Smith and other board members said studying expense factors could possibly be considered at a hearing separate from a rate request.

"It would be a real plus for us and a real plus for the consumers of Texas if we can get them to take a real serious look at that issue," Ms. Doughty said.

Under the rate changes, liability coverage will increase 14.8 percent. Of that increase, the basic insurance coverage required by law would

increase 13.1 percent. But physical damage coverage will decrease 18.5 percent for a total liability and physical damage decrease of 0.3 percent.

Coverage for a low- to medium-priced car driven to and from work with no male driver under 25-years-old and no female driver under 21-years-old would cost the following under the new rates as compared with the current rates:

- In Houston, a comprehensive policy will cost \$677, down \$47. Basic liability will cost \$282, an increase of \$52.

- In Dallas, a comprehensive policy will cost \$733, down \$49. Basic liability will cost \$315, an increase of \$27.

- In San Antonio, a comprehensive policy will cost \$640, down \$19. Basic liability will cost \$277, an increase of \$38.

- In Amarillo, a comprehensive policy will cost \$524, down \$121. Basic liability will cost \$176, an increase of \$10.

North's lawyers blunt charges that North lied

WASHINGTON (AP) - Oliver North's lawyers in the Iran-Contra case are trying to blunt charges that he lied to Congress by suggesting that he had good reason to think lawmakers couldn't be trusted with government secrets.

But under cross-examination, Rep. Lee Hamilton, D-Ind., steadfastly defended the record of the House intelligence committee in protecting some of the nation's most well-kept secrets.

Hamilton, the panel's former chairman, testified Wednesday that for 18 months before the Iran-Contra affair became public, he relied on White House denials that North was secretly helping the Nicaraguan rebels despite a congressional ban on such aid.

"I relied on what Col. North told me," Hamilton said of an Aug. 6, 1986, meeting the intelligence panel had with North, then a National Security Council aide, in the White House Situation Room.

"I believed what Col. North told me at the meeting. I did not think there was any credible evidence to the contrary," Hamilton said.

The congressman also said that in 1985, he accepted as "accurate, honest and correct" then-national security adviser Robert McFarlane's assurances that North was not raising money for the Contras or giving them tactical military advice as prohibited by the so-called Boland Amendment of 1984.

North, a retired Marine lieutenant colonel, is charged with 12 felonies arising from the Iran-Contra affair that could result in 60 years imprisonment upon conviction.

Among other things, he is accused of obstructing congressional inquiries into his efforts to raise money for the Nicaraguan rebels. This allegedly included lying at the 1986 meeting and helping McFarlane, who has pleaded guilty to withholding information from Congress, draft false denials in response to congressional inquiries.

Cross-examining Hamilton, defense attorney Brendan V. Sullivan Jr. argued that North rightly feared Congress couldn't be trusted to keep secrets because it "leaked like a sieve."

"From 1984, 1985 and 1986 leaks occurred on Capitol Hill as a result of members and staff members who provided information," Sullivan said.

"(The late CIA Director (William) Casey told me he didn't know a single leak from the House intelligence committee," Hamilton replied. "I will not deny leaks, but neither can I prove any such leaks."

Asked about a newspaper report containing classified information that appeared "the very next day" after the panel was briefed by the CIA, Hamilton said he had only a "cloudy recollection" of the incident.

"I don't assume for a moment that the leak came from the Congress," Hamilton added. "There are some very experienced people in the administration who leak information after it comes to the Congress."

He also denied threatening to leak CIA information himself in a Jan. 16, 1985, letter to then-Secretary of State George P. Shultz.

"I did not threaten to leak anything," Hamilton said. "I was prepared to follow certain procedures of the House intelligence committee to try to release information."

"If I had succeeded in that, it would have been an authorized disclosure and not a leak," Hamilton said, describing an elaborate procedure by which the House would meet secretly to discuss releasing sensitive information.

The matter was dropped, Hamilton said, after Shultz met with him and said he "agreed with my point of view."

Hamilton conceded Sullivan's suggestion that North's prosecution "is a product in one sense of the controversy that existed between the Congress and the executive branch in 1984, 1985 and 1986."



Olson wins showmanship

Moriah Olson of Hereford was a winner in the junior division of the Texas Junior Angus Showmanship Contest at the Southwestern Exposition and Livestock Show at Fort Worth.

Other writers show support for author

By BILL STIEG
Associated Press Writer

Writers famous and obscure rallied nationwide in support of Salman Rushdie, with some daring Iran to kill them along with the author of "The Satanic Verses." Meanwhile, two large book chains reversed a decision to remove the novel.

Some of the nation's most prominent authors marched on the Iranian mission to the United Nations in New York and read excerpts from Rushdie's book, which has enraged Moslems and prompted Iran's fundamentalist government to put a price on the author's head and threaten those involved with its publication.

Rallies or readings also were held Wednesday in Washington, Los Angeles, Minneapolis, San Francisco and Boston.

At the New York reading, Norman Mailer said authors should "stand in his place" if Rushdie is killed - a challenge to Iran's Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini to kill them all.

"Join with me ... in such a vow, and we are relatively safe," Mailer told the gathering. "At least, we are safer to a considerable degree, and can feel honorable to ourselves. We will have struck a real blow for freedom."

Boston author James Carroll expressed similar sentiments at a gathering in Cambridge, Mass., where Rushdie had been scheduled to read from his novel Wednesday night. Rushdie's promotional tour was canceled when he went into hiding.

"We are here to be with Rushdie," Carroll told more than 100 people at a panel discussion on the novel. "The world should be with him and not permit harm to come to him. If you kill him, you have only begun - you will have to kill us all."

However, in Los Angeles, where Alvin Toffler, Betty Friedan and others gathered at a reading held by the PEN Center West, science fiction writer Ray Bradbury counseled calm in the face of the Iranian threat. He stressed the historic ties between Western and Middle Eastern culture.

"Let's guarantee that all of our libraries remain intact ... We've got Hitler and Genghis Khan and Lyndon Baines Johnson up there but we don't take them off the shelves," Bradbury said. "They're all monsters in their own way but we ... learn from the monsters of history."

In both Boston and New York, demonstrators rallied in front of B. Dalton,

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not only examiners but also real-estate and banking experts who could help handle the giant portfolios the government was seizing.

The people with experience and available for hire were the ones who had worked at the failed thrifts.

Until August 1986, they were hired under Schedule B, a government program that waives background checks to speed up the process, Fulwider said. After that, the bank board contracted with an agency to check new hires for criminal records. Checks have never been done retroactively.

Philip S. Noons was hired by the FSLIC in April 1986 after Mainland Savings, a Houston high-flier suspected of widespread fraud, was declared insolvent. Noons had been a project manager at Mainland, and he went to FSLIC managing Mainland assets.

On Feb. 8, the FBI arrested Noons and his 31-year-old twin brother, Thomas, and charged them with conspiring to embezzle money from the FSLIC by grossly undervaluing Mainland loans acquired by the FSLIC and then selling them to two Houston

companies on behalf of themselves.

One package of 16 loans was valued by Philip Noons at \$1,500, prosecutors said, while the FSLIC said the package is actually worth \$1.6 million. In another case, the brothers paid \$692,821 for a loan worth \$4 million, the FBI said.

The Noons' attorney, David Berg, says that his clients are innocent and that the government has overreacted and overstated the amounts involved because of pressure for S&L action following President Bush's new plan. Neither brother was implicated in any wrongdoing while at Mainland.

Hospital Notes

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Christine Caro Alexander, Infant Boy Alexander, Emma Cano, Marcela Cano, E.V. Carter, Helen Maxine Cherry, Jesus Chico, Marie D. Cornelius.

Timothy France Dran, Kristen Echevarria, Martin Galvez, Clarissa Garcia, Maria Gavina, Alicia Hernandez, Faye Holt.

Emma D. Iribeck, Ruben Lancon, Bessie Lawrence, Etoile H. Manning, Mary Manriquez, Jewel E. May, Jessica McDonald.

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Refugees say jail a risk for better life

BAYVIEW, Texas (AP) - Maria Olivia Berrillos woke up on Valentine's Day, kissed her three children goodbye and with her 16-year-old nephew, Facto Aristes, began a thousand-mile trek from her mountain home in El Salvador to the United States.

They crossed three countries, hitched rides, begged for food, avoided cops and robbers and met other Salvadorans headed for the United States.

But the joy that Ms. Berrillos felt when she entered the United States Tuesday turned into anxiety Wednesday upon learning she could be jailed and deported because of stringent new rules governing political asylum applications.

"After all that we've been

through, I can't believe we'll be turned back," said Ms. Berrillos, who along with five other Salvadorans were 100 yards from the entrance to the Port Isabel Service Processing Center, where Immigration and Naturalization Service officials were processing asylum seekers.

"We don't want to return to El Salvador," she said with tears in her eyes. "There are nights we haven't been able to sleep because of all the shooting that goes on around us."

"Many people can't even go to work because of all the shooting," she said, biting a sweet roll and periodically setting down a small, but apparently heavy bag in which she carried her belongings.

"We'll either be killed or we'll die of hunger if we go back," she said.

Mrs. Berrillos, 33, was dejected, but she proceeded to the INS detention center to await her fate.

INS officials could not be reached late Wednesday to verify if Ms. Berrillos' asylum claim was rejected or pending. Not one of the 51 applications processed Wednesday was accepted, the INS said.

Thousands of Central Americans have been tricking into South Texas seeking political asylum, but over the last several days the number of refugees trying to go the official route has diminished because of new rules that speed up asylum decisions.

Asylum-seekers whose

applications are denied may appeal to an INS administrative judge, but must remain at the federal compound unless they can secure a \$4,000 bond.

Most, like 20-year-old Freddie Marquez-Rodriguez of Managua, Nicaragua, arrived only with the clothes they're wearing and can't afford the bond.

"I came here because I did not want to go into the military in Nicaragua and now I don't know what's going to happen to my wife and children because I'm not working," he said.

Marquez-Rodriguez, clad in the bright orange prison uniform and wearing a green Oakland Athletics baseball cap, was one of three Central Americans detained at the

federal camp who agreed to talk to reporters Wednesday.

He said he would try to get word to his wife that he was in jail and would try to get bond money from a friend in San Francisco.

"Keeping us in this jail is destroying us physically and psychologically because we want to work to bring over our families or to send them money for food and we can't get out of here," said Marquez-Rodriguez.

He said he went to the detention center Monday seeking asylum before the new rules took effect, but he said INS officials closed early that day.

Lifestyles



Study of India displayed

About 35 local Girl Scouts attended the Global Awareness Fair held Saturday at the Tri-State Fair Coliseum in Amarillo. Each Girl Scout group researched a country and had a booth displaying the information. Hereford's Scouts focused on India; some of the youngsters were, front row from left, Amanda Gaitan, Diedra Zepeda, Angela Wilson, Jane Park, Melissa Bolen, Jillian Neville, and Amanda Rawlings. In back row from left is Connie Castaneda, Chasaidy Weddel, Meredith Denton, Lori Wilburn, Julie Arellano, Rachelle Denton, and Hema Gajiwala.

Public invited to attend Tole Roundup

La Fiesta Del Artista is the theme of Tole Roundup '89 to be held March 3-5 at the Hilton Inn of

NEW YORK (AP) - Carly Simon says her stage fright makes the prospect of appearing at the Academy Award ceremonies scary, so she's figured out a better way to claim her Oscar if she wins the award for best song.

"I intend to have a look-alike," Simon said Tuesday on ABC's "Good Morning America" program. "If they think it's the real me, that's even better. Only my hairdresser will know for sure."

Amarillo.

The Golden Spread Chapter of the National Society of Tole and Decorative Painters (NSTDP) is sponsoring the annual event.

Karen Hutching, publicity chairman, announced over 20 exhibits for free admission from 7-11 p.m., March 3; 9 a.m. to 7 p.m., March 4; and 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., March 5. Twenty-five nationally known instructors will give hourly demonstrations beginning at 10 a.m. on Friday, March 3. Mediums will include acrylic, oil, alkyds, fabric dye, silk dye and bronzing powders. Although admission to exhibits

are free, there is a charge for classes—a \$40 registration fee, which includes two meals and entertainment, plus cost of the individual class. The classes are available only to NSTDP members.

Registration may be made beginning Thursday, March 2, at 7 p.m. at the Hilton, or you may pre-register by calling Peggy Dunlap at 806-359-7556. Membership to the national organization as well as local chapter is available through Dunlap.

Free door prizes will be awarded at Tole Roundup '89. The public is cordially invited.

Ann Landers

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I am enclosing a copy of a pharmacy bill I received after a recent stay at Mercy Hospital of Sacramento. As you can see, I was charged \$7 for a single aspirin.

I believe this is ridiculous regardless of who pays—me or the insurance company. This sort of thing is happening to hospital patients all over.

Also, why would a doctor write a prescription for an over-the-counter drug as common as an aspirin?

I hope you consider this letter important enough to publish. Maybe if enough people raise the roof, this shameful practice will come to a halt. No name, please. Just sign me—Gougued in Sacramento

DEAR SAC: Sounds like an outrageous rip-off, but actually it isn't. I knew there was a logical explanation, but wasn't sure that I could explain it properly, so I called Donald S. MacNaughton, former chairman of the Prudential Insurance Company. This is what he said:

The \$7 aspirin has more to do with irrational hospital pricing than high profits. Actually, most hospitals are losing money.

That \$7 reflects the work time of the prescribing physician, the dispensing pharmacist, the administering nurse, compiling of medical records and so on.

But the major reason for this seemingly outrageous price of a single aspirin is due to the shortages produced by Medicare, Medicaid and patients who can't pay their bills. For example, Medicare pays only 65 percent of what is charged to the typical patient. Hospitals are forced to mark up everyone's charges to make up the difference.

It's crazy pricing, but it is the only way hospitals can stay in business. The more important concern of patients these days is the total cost of hospital services, not the \$7 aspirin.

In response to the question, "Why would a doctor write a prescription for an over-the-counter drug as common

as an aspirin?" Because your physician is required to control all your medications while you are in the hospital.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Eureka! I have found a solution to the problem that has plagued our modern society: what to call the person of the opposite sex with whom you are living but not married to.

The word, fan fare of trumpets, please: Liaisonnaire! Doesn't that sound wonderful? Just think about it. What a perfect fit! The word liaison means a close connection, bond or interrelationship. The ending "aire" has a genteel ring to it. And it fits all concepts. For example: "I am a liaisonnaire." "We are liaisonnaires." "Will you be my liaisonnaire?" The word can be used to describe homosexual and lesbian couples as well.

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In the story, Adams said Boggs made a racist remark about teammate Jim Rice, was extremely jealous of New York Yankees first baseman Don

Mattingly, and felt Red Sox pitcher Roger Clemens acted like "Mr. Perfect."

Adams also said Boggs believed Jose Canseco of the Oakland Athletics used steroids and thought Hall of Famer Ted Williams "was a guy that thinks he knows everything about hitting and doesn't."

She also graphically describes the sex lives of Boggs and several teammates she does not identify. She details incidents of threesomes involving unidentified Boston players and instances during spring training where players would have sex with girlfriends "down the hall from their wives or at a hotel down the street."

Boggs said he was not concerned about fan reaction.

"I'm the same person I've been and will continue to be," he said. "I'm not going to go into a shell because of adversity."

But Dwight Evans, the senior player on the Red Sox, disagreed.

"It doesn't really matter what I think," Evans said. "It's what the fans think. As far as I'm concerned, it's over. The man said he's sorry. That's all you can do. You go on with life."



Track workouts

These members of the Hereford High School girls' track team work out Wednesday in preparation for their first track meet of the season on Friday and Saturday at Fort Stockton's Comanche Belle Relays. The boys' team opens its season this weekend at the Frenship Tiger Relays at Wolforth.

Aguirre gets welcome, keys Cavaliers' win

By BILL BARNARD
AP Basketball Writer

The Palace at Auburn Hills gave Mark Aguirre a royal welcome, and he responded with a princely performance.

The Detroit Pistons returned home after losing two games on the road following the trade with Dallas that saw Aguirre exchanged for Adrian Dantley, prompting one sign that said "0-2 without AD."

But Aguirre got a standing ovation from the sellout crowd of 21,454 at the Palace when he entered the game with four minutes remaining in the first quarter.

"That meant everything," Aguirre said. "It meant they're going to give me a chance, and I'm not going to

fumble it."

Aguirre scored five of his 16 points in a key second-quarter run as the Pistons beat the Portland Trail Blazers 105-94 Wednesday night.

"I was nervous," Aguirre said. "I didn't know what to think. I was afraid they might boo me because Adrian was so popular here. The ovation was a big relief."

In other NBA games, it was Chicago 130, Charlotte 102; Philadelphia 139, Miami 108; Cleveland 130, New Jersey 111; Golden State 118, San Antonio 107; Denver 109, Dallas 106; Utah 105, Los Angeles Lakers 79; and Boston 99, Sacramento 91.

Joe Dumars, who was Dantley's closest friend on the team, said the crowd's reaction to Aguirre was good

for him and the team.

"It's important to any person to be accepted," said Dumars, who led the Pistons with 19 points.

Aguirre scored eight points in the third quarter as the Pistons took a 75-60 lead. Portland got no closer than eight in the fourth period.

Sam Bowie and Terry Porter led the Trail Blazers with 19 points.

Jazz 105, Lakers 79
Utah won its fifth straight game and held Los Angeles to its lowest point total of the season.

The Jazz had a 50-32 halftime advantage with the help of a 9-0 run during a four-minute scoring drought by the Lakers.

Darrell Griffith led Utah with 19 points and Mark Eaton had 15

rebounds and four blocked shots.

Byron Scott was the Lakers' leading scorer with 14 points.

Celtics 99, Kings 91

Boston held Sacramento to 10 points in the second quarter and went on to snap a five-game losing streak.

Kevin McHale scored 25 points and Reggie Lewis added 22 points and 11 rebounds for the Celtics, while Harold Pressley led Sacramento with 19 points.

Cavaliers 130, Nets 111

Cleveland made 18 of 21 shots while grabbing a 42-22 lead in the first quarter of its rout of New Jersey.

Ron Harper scored 13 of his 21 points and Mark Price had 11 of his 22

in the first period.

Dennis Hopson scored 20 points for New Jersey.

Bulls 130, Hornets 102

Chicago hit 81 percent of its shots in a 42-point first period and rolled to victory over Charlotte.

Seven Bulls scored in double figures, led by Michael Jordan with 24. Rex Chapman led the Hornets with 22 points.

Nuggets 109, Mavericks 106

Denver beat Dallas for its seventh consecutive victory at home as Walter Davis scored 20 points and Alex English hit four straight free throws in the final 90 seconds.

The Mavericks got 33 points from Rolando Blackman.

Warriors 118, Spurs 107

Chris Mullin scored 11 of his 27 points as Golden State outscored San Antonio 27-13 in the final 7 1/2 minutes.

Mitch Richmond finished with 25 points and Manute Bol blocked a Warriors' record 12 shots for the Warriors.

Frank Brickowski, who led the Spurs with 26 points.

76ers 139, Heat 108

Charles Barkley hit 12 of 15 shots, including all six of his 3-pointers, and

scored 39 points despite sitting out the fourth quarter as Philadelphia won at Miami.

Mike Gminski added 22 points for the 76ers, while Jon Sundvold scored 26 points and Kevin Edwards 24 for the Heat.



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Arkansas, Tech win Wednesday

By The Associated Press

Arkansas coach Nolan Richardson credited a pressure defense for his team's easy victory over the Baylor Bears.

Lenzie Howell scored 19 points Wednesday night to lead the Razorbacks to a 89-54 victory over Baylor.

In other SWC games, Southern Methodist edged Houston, 88-85, Texas A&M defeated Rice, 72-58 and Texas Tech slipped past Texas Christian, 58-54 in overtime. Texas clobbered Miami, 123-104, in a non-conference game.

"Our defense forced Baylor's shooting percentage down," Richardson said. "We didn't force many turnovers in the first half, but our pressure worried them. They were so worried about not turning the ball over that they didn't shoot very well."

"We're happy to win," Richardson added. "We had to piece our team together. We have had some guys sick, including myself. I was afraid we wouldn't play very well."

Howell hit on six of nine while the Razorbacks as a team shot 53 percent from the field.

Keith Wilson added 14 points and Cannon Whitby made three late-game 3 pointers for a season-high 12 points.

Donald Thompson scored a game-high 27 points to lead Texas A&M to its fifth straight Southwest Conference basketball victory, a 72-58 decision over Rice.

Freddie Ricks scored 15 points and Tony Milton added 12 as the Aggies

upped their league mark to 6-7 and their overall record to 13-12. Kenneth Rourke had 20 points and D'Wayne Tanner 12 for the Owls who fell to 5-9 and 11-14.

Sean Gay connected on a 15-foot jumper with 19 seconds left in overtime to seal Texas Tech's 58-54 Southwest Conference victory over Texas Christian.

Texas Tech improved to 11-13 on the year and 7-6 in SWC play, while TCU falls to 15-11 on the year and 8-6 in league play.

Gay scored four of his 15 points in overtime, after the Horned Frogs battled back from a six-point deficit with 7:22 left in regulation.

TCU led, 50-49, with 37 seconds left in regulation, after Danny Hughes converted two free throws. But Tech forward Steve Miles hit the first of two free throws with 19 seconds left to tie the game. TCU failed to get off a final shot before the end of regulation.

Richard Antee led TCU with 14 points and Lewis scored 10 points and grabbed seven rebounds.

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Mizzou goes down fighting; OU, Hoyas win

By The Associated Press
Seventh-ranked Missouri went down fighting to Oklahoma State. Fighting and yelling and pushing and shoving.

The Tigers were called for a technical foul, an intentional foul and a flagrant foul in the final four minutes of their 82-71 loss Wednesday night to Oklahoma State. Mike Sandbothe was ejected for throwing Thomas Jordan to the floor.

After fans and players exchanged profanities, Missouri coaches had to

restrain their players from going into the crowd.

"I think it was more of a frustration-type thing," Oklahoma State's Richard Dumas said. "A lot of stuff was happening all night, a lot of pushing and shoving the refs weren't calling."

Missouri, 22-6 and 8-3 in the Big Eight, led 69-68 when Nathan Buntin scored from inside with 5:45 left, the Tigers' first lead since early in the first half. But Missouri didn't make a field goal the rest of the way.

Missouri assistant coach Rich Daly, filling in for ill head coach Norm Stewart, was given a technical when he protested a blocking call with 3:45 remaining.

Darwyn Alexander made two free throws, giving the Cowboys the lead for good. Alexander, who had 17 points, then made a 3-pointer for a 73-69 Oklahoma State lead with 3 minutes to go.

With three seconds left, Lee Coward of the Tigers was called for an intentional foul on Jordan, who

scored 19 points for Oklahoma State.

After Jordan made one of two free throws, Sandbothe sent Jordan to the floor by hitting his neck on the inbounds.

"I think everybody was getting hot under the collar and they just let it out at one time," said Dumas, who scored 16 points.

In other games, No. 1 Oklahoma beat Kansas State 86-82, No. 3 Georgetown beat Providence 76-74, No. 8 Louisville beat Southern Mississippi 96-83, No. 14 Iowa beat

Northwestern 89-84 and No. 20 Ball State beat Kent State 73-61.

Oklahoma State, 16-8 and 7-4 in the Big Eight, is 14-0 at home, including a victory over top-ranked Oklahoma three weeks ago.

No. 1 Oklahoma 86, Kansas State 82. Stacey King scored 23 points and made a three-point play with 1:01 left as the Sooners, 24-3 and 10-1 in the Big Eight, won their 28th consecutive home game.

Kansas State, 16-8 and 6-5, trailed 85-82 with 11 seconds left, but lost a chance to tie it with a 3-pointer when Steve Henson's pass to Tony Massop bounced off Massop's hands and out of bounds.

LaKeith Humphrey scored 24 points for the Wildcats.

No. 3 Georgetown 76, Providence 74. Charles Smith scored 18 points and Dikembe Mutombo 13 as Georgetown, 21-3 and 11-2 in the Big East, won its 19th consecutive home game.

Eric Murdock scored 20 points for Providence, 17-7 and 6-7, which has lost seven of its last 10 league games.

Georgetown had 17 blocked shots, giving the Hoyas 233 for the season, breaking the record set by Navy and David Robinson.

No. 8 Louisville 96, S. Mississippi 83

Pervis Ellison scored all 20 of his points in the second half, becoming the second player in Louisville history to score 2,000 career points.

Ellison has 2,004 points, second only to former All-American Darrell Griffith's 2,333.

Louisville, 19-6 and 8-2 in the Metro Conference, took a 61-44 lead with 13:12 left after Ellison scored 11 points during a 19-6 run. He got his 2,000th point on a dunk with 7:56 to go.

Darrin Chancellor scored 28 points for Southern Mississippi, 9-14 and 2-8.

No. 14 Iowa 89, Northwestern 84

Roy Marble scored 22 points and B.J. Armstrong and Ed Horton 21 points apiece for Iowa, 20-6 and 8-5 in the Big Ten.

Armstrong made a pair of 3-pointers in the opening minute of the second half and Iowa led the rest of the game. Walker Lambiotte scored 22 points for the Wildcats, 9-15 and 2-12. No. 20 Ball State 73, Kent State 61. Greg Miller scored 20 points as Ball State, 22-2 and 11-2 in the Mid-American Conference, overcame a 12-point first-half deficit.

Kent State, 15-9 and 8-5, took a 16-4 lead on Jim Mangapora's three-point play with 13:07 remaining in the first half. Ball State then went on a 21-9 run.

Curtis Kidd scored 13 points for Ball State. Glenn scored 15 points for the Golden Flashes.

NICE GUYS WIN

WICHITA, Kan. (AP) — That old line about nice guys finishing last has just been dropped into the waste basket. The nice guys who drive cars safely in this city are being rewarded with free tickets to the home games of the Wichita State basketball team.

The Wichita police department, in conjunction with the Wichita State Athletic Department, is distributing the tickets to drivers who demonstrate good driving habits.

NEW COLLEGE CENTER

CLEVELAND (AP) — Construction is underway at Cleveland State University for a \$47.3 million, 13,000-seat arena and multi-purpose center.

It will be used for basketball, physical education classes and other sports, including indoor soccer. In addition, the center will be utilized for non-athletic events. The center is expected to be completed by the spring of 1991.

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MIAMI (AP) - It's three days and 71 holes of golf away, but there are those in the field for the \$1.3 million Doral Open already thinking about that final hole.

It very well could be that the \$234,000 first prize will be at stake when the final threesome stands on the 18th tee at the Blue Monster course at the Doral Country Club.

And it's one of the hardest holes in golf, generally acknowledged as the toughest finishing hole on the PGA Tour.

Jack Nicklaus plays this tournament on an annual basis and has won twice. But it is an unusual occurrence for him

to go through four rounds without making at least one double bogey on the 18th.

"One of the most difficult in golf," British Open champion Seve Ballesteros of Spain said.

"Extremely tough," said Ben Crenshaw, who created a little bit of golfing history with his victory in this tournament last year.

He rolled in a 20-foot birdie putt on that double-tough hole and became the only man in the 27-year history of the tournament to birdie the 18th and win by one stroke.

More than 20 years ago, Doug Sanders won by one stroke. But that

was because Tommy Aaron, comfortably in the lead when he stood on the final tee, put up a double-digit score on the hole.

Tom Weiskopf left a Doral title in the lake in 1968.

"It's a challenge to us, but I don't see how amateurs can play it. Not as a par-4. It's got to be a par-5 for amateurs," Chip Beck said.

"I try not to think about it until I get to it," Paul Azinger said.

It's 425 yards long, a slight dogleg to the left. A lake extends along the entire left side. Palm trees are on the right. The long, narrow green is set on an angle to the fairway.

And it's usually played into the teeth of a brisk, gusty wind.

"I've hit everything from a 9-iron to a 1-iron in there," Crenshaw said. Ballesteros said his range was 6- to 1-iron. "Even very good players, usually a 3-, 4- or 5-iron," Seve said.

Despite their misgivings about No. 18, Azinger, Ballesteros and Crenshaw all rank high among the likely contenders in the tournament that began today.

Portions of the final two rounds Saturday and Sunday will be televised nationally by CBS.

Garvey might support claims

SAN DIEGO (AP) - Steve Garvey, whose reputation in baseball led some to call him "Mr. Clean," admits two women claim he illegitimately fathered their children, and says his wife of less than a week isn't mad about it, according to a broadcast report.

Garvey said he plans to support the children, one born here recently and the other as-yet unborn, if they prove to actually be his, NBC affiliate KNND reported Wednesday night.

A San Diego woman who recently delivered a child refused to be interviewed on camera. The second woman claiming paternity is Rebecca Mendenhall, an TV newswoman from Georgia, who was engaged to the former Los Angeles Dodgers and San Diego Padres first baseman.

Garvey didn't deny either woman's claim.

"I'll live up to my moral obligations, which I feel strongly about because I'm a Christian," Garvey said in the interview.

Garvey, who has stated hopes of launching a political career, said he didn't think the pregnancies would hamper his public service aspirations, judging that prospective voters would respect his decision to support any children he fathered.

Garvey's wife, Candace Thomas, 30, of Palos Verdes, Calif., was fully informed about the pregnancies, he said.

The couple was married Saturday in a private ceremony in Utah after a whirlwind romance of less than two months.

Garvey said his new wife showed her devotion to him by supporting his

decision to take responsibility for any children he fathered while single.

"I guess the true test when you love somebody, and I've told by wife about all the situations in my life - this, and others - and she said that if that's the case and one woman or both don't want the child, I'll take it.

"That's the philosophy she has. On the other hand, she said, 'It's a good thing I married you to get you off street.'"

Garvey, a Roman Catholic, said he thought birth control was in place to prevent accidental pregnancy, although he wasn't using any himself.

"I'd like to think that with any relationship, one of the two people assume responsibility for birth control

and ... one will say, 'I'll be responsible.'"

"In both cases, I was led to believe that I wasn't responsible for birth control."

Garvey said he didn't think either woman named him out of bitterness or spite.

"I'd hate to think that something like this would come out of a broken relationship," he said.

Garvey, 40, was a ten-time All-Star first baseman when he retired in January 1988 after 17 years in the big leagues - 12 years with the Dodgers and the last five with the Padres.

Garvey has two daughters by a former marriage to television personality Cyndy Garvey.

Sutton reported to be out

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) - Eddie Sutton will be out and Lee Rose will be in as basketball coach of the Kentucky Wildcats in a few weeks, according to a published report.

The Columbus (Ohio) Dispatch, in a copyright story today, quoted a source close to the Kentucky program as saying "Sutton is going to be told he's gone in 10 days to two weeks. The new coach is picked and it's Rose. He's (C.M.) Newton's choice for the job."

Newton will become athletic director at Kentucky on April 1, replacing Cliff Hagan, who resigned last year. Newton refused to discuss the Kentucky coaching situation with the newspaper.

"I'm not AD there until April 1," said Newton, Vanderbilt University's head basketball coach.

Two Kentucky officials, however, told The Associated Press that no decision has been made on the coaching position.

"I'm not going to answer that stuff," said Joe Burch, the school's interim athletic director. "It's just pure speculation and rumor."

Adolph Rupp coached basketball for 41 years at the University of Kentucky and his teams won a record 875 games.

The Los Angeles Lakers began the 1988-89 season with 11 first-round draft picks on their roster, the most in the NBA.

Bernie Vonderheide, a UK spokesman, said, "As far as I'm concerned, there's no basis to that report."

The Dispatch said its source had spoken on condition of anonymity.

Rose, contacted by the newspaper before Wednesday night's New Jersey Nets-Cleveland Cavaliers NBA game, was asked if he would be a candidate if the Kentucky job opened. Rose has been an assistant coach with the Nets since last summer.

"Until there is a position open, no one is a candidate because the job is still in the hands of the man who has it," Rose said. "My mother lives in Lexington and I have a lot of ties there. And that's no secret."

Rose said he was one of "four or five" people interviewed for the Kentucky job when Sutton accepted it in 1985. "So I'm well acquainted with the situation in Kentucky," Rose said. "Basically, that's all I'm going to say."

Rose was coach at Purdue from 1978 to 1980. His team was third in the NCAA tournament in 1980 and runner-up in the National Invitation Tournament in 1979. He also has coached at Transylvania University in Lexington.

Rumors have circulated about Sutton's job since the NCAA levied 18 allegations of wrongdoing against UK's basketball program, including improper recruiting and charges that a player cheated on his college entrance exam.

Sutton, whose team on Wednesday night broke a six-game losing streak, the longest at Kentucky in 64 years, could not be reached for comment. Sutton has maintained throughout the investigation that he wanted to remain at Kentucky.

On Monday he told reporters, "I'm not planning to leave. I'm out there recruiting as hard as I can and coaching as hard as I can."

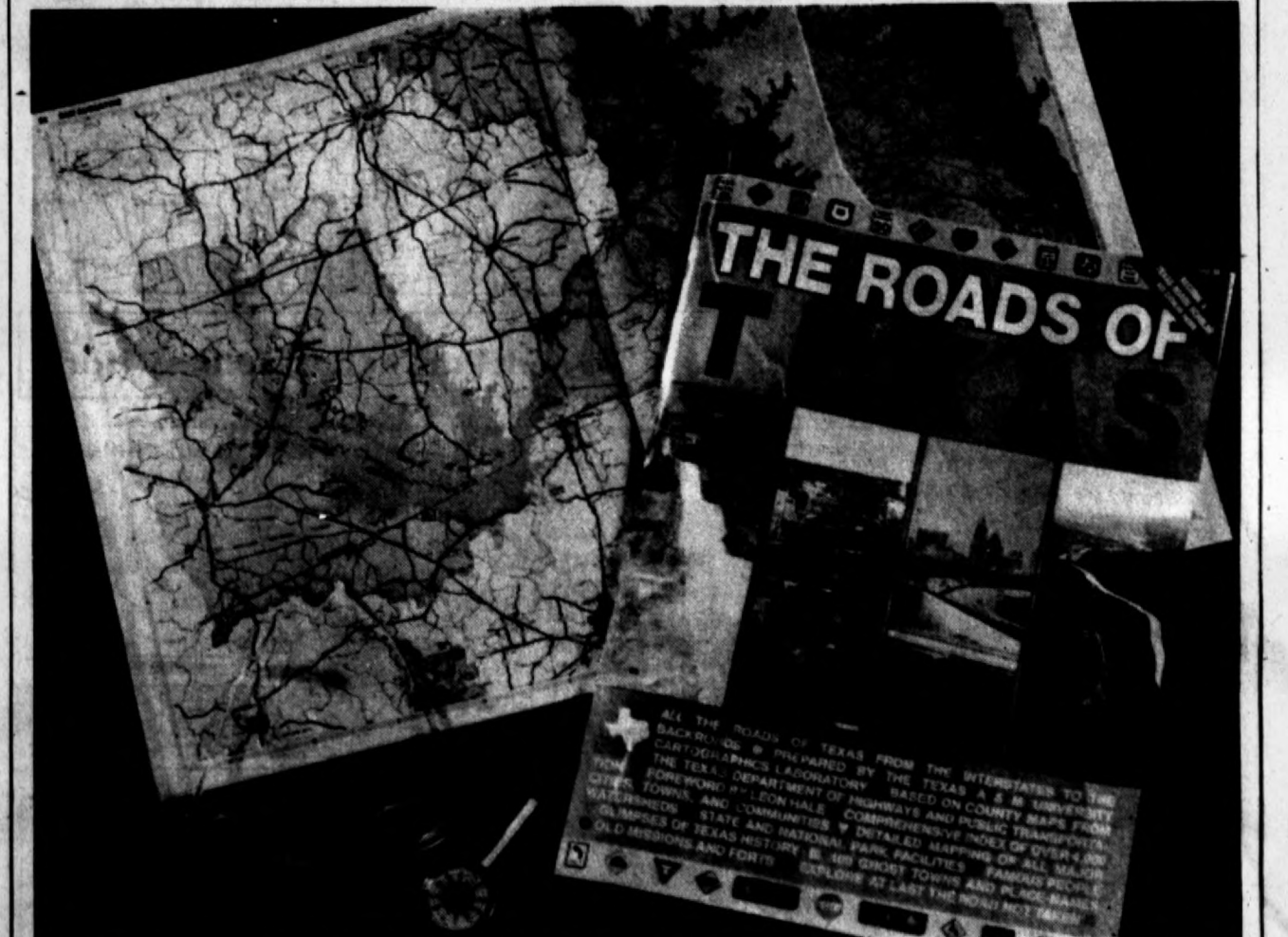
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"Wade went around to each individual and everything appeared fine," Gorman said. "He apologized and denied the statement attributed to him, saying he has the greatest respect for me. The general feeling in the clubhouse was 'Let's put this behind us, let's go out and play ball.' I haven't read the article, but you've got to remember she's the one saying things, not Boggs. He and I get along very well."

In the story, Adams said Boggs made a racist remark about teammate Jim Rice, was extremely jealous of New York Yankees first baseman Don

Mattingly, and felt Red Sox pitcher Roger Clemens acted like "Mr. Perfect."

Adams also said Boggs believed Jose Canseco of the Oakland Athletics used steroids and thought Hall of Famer Ted Williams "was a guy that thinks he knows everything about hitting and doesn't."

She also graphically describes the sex lives of Boggs and several teammates she does not identify. She details incidents of threesomes involving unidentified Boston players and instances during spring training where players would have sex with girlfriends "down the hall from their wives or at a hotel down the street."

Boggs said he was not concerned about fan reaction. "I'm the same person I've been and will continue to be," he said. "I'm not going to go into a shell because of adversity."

But Dwight Evans, the senior player on the Red Sox, disagreed.

"It doesn't really matter what I think," Evans said. "It's what the fans think. As far as I'm concerned, it's over. The man said he's sorry. That's all you can do. You go on with life."



Track workouts

These members of the Hereford High School girls' track team work out Wednesday in preparation for their first track meet of the season on Friday and Saturday at Fort Stockton's Comanche Belle Relays. The boys' team opens its season this weekend at the Frenship Tiger Relays at Wolfforth.

Aguirre gets welcome, keys Cavaliers' win

By BILL BARNARD
AP Basketball Writer
The Palace at Auburn Hills gave Mark Aguirre a royal welcome, and he responded with a princely performance.

The Detroit Pistons returned home after losing two games on the road following the trade with Dallas that saw Aguirre exchanged for Adrian Dantley, prompting one sign that said "0-2 without AD."

But Aguirre got a standing ovation from the sellout crowd of 21,454 at the Palace when he entered the game with four minutes remaining in the first quarter.

"That meant everything," Aguirre said. "It meant they're going to give me a chance, and I'm not going to

fumble it." Aguirre scored five of his 16 points in a key second-quarter run as the Pistons beat the Portland Trail Blazers 105-94 Wednesday night.

"I was nervous," Aguirre said. "I didn't know what to think. I was afraid they might boo me because Adrian was so popular here. The ovation was a big relief."

In other NBA games, it was Chicago 130, Charlotte 102; Philadelphia 139, Miami 108; Cleveland 130, New Jersey 111; Golden State 118, San Antonio 107; Denver 109, Dallas 106; Utah 105, Los Angeles Lakers 79; and Boston 99, Sacramento 91.

Joe Dumars, who was Dantley's closest friend on the team, said the crowd's reaction to Aguirre was good

for him and the team. "It's important to any person to be accepted," said Dumars, who led the Pistons with 19 points.

Aguirre scored eight points in the third quarter as the Pistons took a 75-60 lead. Portland got no closer than eight in the fourth period.

Sam Bowie and Terry Porter led the Trail Blazers with 19 points. Jazz 105, Lakers 79

Utah won its fifth straight game and held Los Angeles to its lowest point total of the season.

The Jazz had a 50-32 halftime advantage with the help of a 9-0 run during a four-minute scoring drought by the Lakers.

Darrell Griffith led Utah with 19 points and Mark Eaton had 15

rebounds and four blocked shots. Byron Scott was the Lakers' leading scorer with 14 points.

Celtics 99, Kings 91
Boston held Sacramento to 10 points in the second quarter and went on to snap a five-game losing streak.

Kevin McHale scored 25 points and Reggie Lewis added 22 points and 11 rebounds for the Celtics, while Harold Pressley led Sacramento with 19 points.

Cavaliers 130, Nets 111
Cleveland made 18 of 21 shots while grabbing a 42-22 lead in the first quarter of its rout of New Jersey.

Ron Harper scored 13 of his 21 points and Mark Price had 11 of his 22

in the first period. Dennis Hopson scored 20 points for New Jersey.

Bulls 130, Hornets 102
Chicago hit 81 percent of its shots in a 42-point first period and rolled to victory over Charlotte.

Seven Bulls scored in double figures, led by Michael Jordan with 24. Rex Chapman led the Hornets with 22 points.

Nuggets 109, Mavericks 106
Denver beat Dallas for its seventh consecutive victory at home as Walter Davis scored 20 points and Alex English hit four straight free throws in the final 90 seconds.

The Mavericks got 33 points from Rolando Blackman.

Warriors 118, Spurs 107
Chris Mullin scored 11 of his 27 points as Golden State outscored San Antonio 27-13 in the final 7 1/2 minutes.

Mitch Richmond finished with 25 points and Manute Bol blocked a Warriors' record 12 shots for the Warriors.

Frank Brickowski, who led the Spurs with 26 points.

76ers 139, Heat 108
Charles Barkley hit 12 of 15 shots, including all six of his 3-pointers, and

scored 39 points despite sitting out the fourth quarter as Philadelphia won at Miami.

Mike Gminski added 22 points for the 76ers, while Jon Sundvold scored 26 points and Kevin Edwards 24 for the Heat.

Arkansas, Tech win Wednesday

By The Associated Press
Arkansas coach Nolan Richardson credited a pressure defense for his team's easy victory over the Baylor Bears.

Lenzie Howell scored 19 points Wednesday night to lead the Razorbacks to a 89-54 victory over Baylor.

In other SWC games, Southern Methodist edged Houston, 88-85, Texas A&M defeated Rice, 72-58 and Texas Tech slipped past Texas Christian, 58-54 in overtime. Texas clobbered Miami, 123-104, in a non-conference game.

"Our defense forced Baylor's shooting percentage down," Richardson said. "We didn't force many turnovers in the first half, but our pressure worried them. They were so worried about not turning the ball over that they didn't shoot very well."

"We're happy to win," Richardson added. "We had to piece our team together. We have had some guys sick, including myself. I was afraid we wouldn't play very well."

Howell hit on six of nine while the Razorbacks as a team shot 53 percent from the field.

Keith Wilson added 14 points and Cannon Whitby made three late-game 3 pointers for a season-high 12 points.

Donald Thompson scored a game-high 27 points to lead Texas A&M to its fifth straight Southwest Conference basketball victory, a 72-58 decision over Rice.

Freddie Ricks scored 15 points and Tony Milton added 12 as the Aggies

upped their league mark to 6-7 and their overall record to 13-12. Kenneth Rourke had 20 points and D'Wayne Tanner 12 for the Owls who fell to 5-9 and 11-14.

Sean Gay connected on a 15-foot jumper with 19 seconds left in overtime to seal Texas Tech's 58-54 Southwest Conference victory over Texas Christian.

Texas Tech improved to 11-13 on the year and 7-6 in SWC play, while TCU falls to 15-11 on the year and 8-6 in league play.

Gay scored four of his 15 points in overtime, after the Horned Frogs battled back from a six-point deficit with 7:22 left in regulation.

TCU led, 50-49, with 37 seconds left in regulation, after Danny Hughes converted two free throws. But Tech forward Steve Miles hit the first of two free throws with 19 seconds left to tie the game. TCU failed to get off a final shot before the end of regulation.

Richard Antec led TCU with 14 points and Lewis scored 10 points and grabbed seven rebounds.



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Mizzou goes down fighting; OU, Hoyas win

By The Associated Press
Seventh-ranked Missouri went down fighting to Oklahoma State. Fighting and yelling and pushing and shoving.
The Tigers were called for a technical foul, an intentional foul and a flagrant foul in the final four minutes of their 82-71 loss Wednesday night to Oklahoma State. Mike Sandbothe was ejected for throwing Thomas Jordan to the floor.
After fans and players exchanged profanities, Missouri coaches had to

restrain their players from going into the crowd.
"I think it was more of a frustration-type thing," Oklahoma State's Richard Dumas said. "A lot of stuff was happening all night, a lot of pushing and shoving the refs weren't calling."
Missouri, 22-6 and 8-3 in the Big Eight, led 69-68 when Nathan Buntin scored from inside with 5:45 left, the Tigers' first lead since early in the first half. But Missouri didn't make a field goal the rest of the way.

Missouri assistant coach Rich Daly, filling in for ill head coach Norm Stewart, was given a technical when he protested a blocking call with 3:45 remaining.
Darwyn Alexander made two free throws, giving the Cowboys the lead for good. Alexander, who had 17 points, then made a 3-pointer for a 73-69 Oklahoma State lead with 3 minutes to go.
With three seconds left, Lee Coward of the Tigers was called for an intentional foul on Jordan, who

scored 19 points for Oklahoma State. After Jordan made one of two free throws, Sandbothe sent Jordan to the floor by hitting his neck on the inbounds.
"I think everybody was getting hot under the collar and they just let it out at one time," said Dumas, who scored 16 points.
In other games, No. 1 Oklahoma beat Kansas State 86-82, No. 3 Georgetown beat Providence 76-74, No. 8 Louisville beat Southern Mississippi 96-83, No. 14 Iowa beat

Northwestern 89-84 and No. 20 Ball State beat Kent State 73-61.
Oklahoma State, 16-8 and 7-4 in the Big Eight, is 14-0 at home, including a victory over top-ranked Oklahoma three weeks ago.
No. 1 Oklahoma 86, Kansas State 82
Stacey King scored 23 points and made a three-point play with 1:01 left as the Sooners, 24-3 and 10-1 in the Big Eight, won their 28th consecutive home game.
Kansas State, 16-8 and 6-5, trailed 85-82 with 11 seconds left, but lost a chance to tie it with a 3-pointer when Steve Henson's pass to Tony Massop bounced off Massop's hands and out of bounds.
LaKeith Humphrey scored 24 points for the Wildcats.
No. 3 Georgetown 76, Providence 74
Charles Smith scored 18 points and Dikembe Mutombo 13 as Georgetown, 21-3 and 11-2 in the Big East, won its 19th consecutive home game.
Eric Murdock scored 20 points for Providence, 17-7 and 6-7, which has lost seven of its last 10 league games.
Georgetown had 17 blocked shots, giving the Hoyas 233 for the season, breaking the record set by Navy and David Robinson.
No. 8 Louisville 96, S. Mississippi 83

Armstrong made a pair of 3-pointers in the opening minute of the second half and Iowa led the rest of the game. Walker Lambiotte scored 22 points for the Wildcats, 9-15 and 2-12. No. 20 Ball State 73, Kent State 61
Greg Miller scored 20 points as Ball State, 22-2 and 11-2 in the Mid-American Conference, overcame a 12-point first-half deficit.
Kent State, 15-9 and 8-5, took a 16-4 lead on Jim Mangapora's three-point play with 13:07 remaining in the first half. Ball State then went on a 21-9 run.
Curtis Kidd scored 13 points for Ball State. Glenn scored 15 points for the Golden Flashes.

'Blue Monster' is waiting

MIAMI (AP) - It's three days and 71 holes of golf away, but there are those in the field for the \$1.3 million Doral Open already thinking about that final hole.
It very well could be that the \$234,000 first prize will be at stake when the final threesome stands on the 18th tee at the Blue Monster course at the Doral Country Club.
And it's one of the hardest holes in golf, generally acknowledged as the toughest finishing hole on the PGA Tour.
Jack Nicklaus plays this tournament on an annual basis and has won twice. But it is an unusual occurrence for him

to go through four rounds without making at least one double bogey on the 18th.
"One of the most difficult in golf," British Open champion Seve Ballesteros of Spain said.
"Extremely tough," said Ben Crenshaw, who created a little bit of golfing history with his victory in this tournament last year.
He rolled in a 20-foot birdie putt on that double-tough hole and became the only man in the 27-year history of the tournament to birdie the 18th and win by one stroke.
More than 20 years ago, Doug Sanders won by one stroke. But that

was because Tommy Aaron, comfortably in the lead when he stood on the final tee, put up a double-digit score on the hole.
Tom Weiskopf left a Doral title in the lake in 1968.
"It's a challenge to us, but I don't see how amateurs can play it. Not as a par-4. It's got to be a par-5 for amateurs," Chip Beck said.
"I try not to think about it until I get to it," Paul Azinger said.
It's 425 yards long, a slight dogleg to the left. A lake extends along the entire left side. Palm trees are on the right. The long, narrow green is set on an angle to the fairway.

And it's usually played into the teeth of a brisk, gusty wind.
"I've hit everything from a 9-iron to a 1-iron in there," Crenshaw said. Ballesteros said his range was 6- to 1-iron. "Even very good players, usually a 3-, 4- or 5-iron," Seve said.
Despite their misgivings about No. 18, Azinger, Ballesteros and Crenshaw all rank high among the likely contenders in the tournament that began today.
Portions of the final two rounds Saturday and Sunday will be televised nationally by CBS.

Pervis Ellison scored all 20 of his points in the second half, becoming the second player in Louisville history to score 2,000 career points.
Ellison has 2,004 points, second only to former All-American Darrell Griffith's 2,333.
Louisville, 19-6 and 8-2 in the Metro Conference, took a 61-44 lead with 13:12 left after Ellison scored 11 points during a 19-6 run. He got his 2,000th point on a dunk with 7:56 to go.
Darrin Chancellor scored 28 points for Southern Mississippi, 9-14 and 2-8.
No. 14 Iowa 89, Northwestern 84
Roy Marble scored 22 points and B.J. Armstrong and Ed Horton 21 points apiece for Iowa, 20-6 and 8-5 in the Big Ten.

NICE GUYS WIN
WICHITA, Kan. (AP) — That old line about nice guys finishing last has just been dropped into the waste basket. The nice guys who drive cars safely in this city are being rewarded with free tickets to the home games of the Wichita State basketball team.
The Wichita police department, in conjunction with the Wichita State Athletic Department, is distributing the tickets to drivers who demonstrate good driving habits.
NEW COLLEGE CENTER
CLEVELAND (AP) — Construction is underway at Cleveland State University for a \$47.3 million, 13,000-seat arena and multi-purpose center.
It will be used for basketball, physical education classes and other sports, including indoor soccer. In addition, the center will be utilized for non-athletic events. The center is expected to be completed by the spring of 1991.

Garvey might support claims

SAN DIEGO (AP) - Steve Garvey, whose reputation in baseball led some to call him "Mr. Clean," admits two women claim he illegitimately fathered their children, and says his wife of less than a week isn't mad about it, according to a broadcast report.
Garvey said he plans to support the children, one born here recently and the other as-yet unborn, if they prove to actually be his, NBC affiliate KNSD reported Wednesday night.

"I'll live up to my moral obligations, which I feel strongly about because I'm a Christian," Garvey said in the interview.
Garvey, who has stated hopes of launching a political career, said he didn't think the pregnancies would hamper his public service aspirations, judging that prospective voters would respect his decision to support any children he fathered.

decision to take responsibility for any children he fathered while single.
"I guess the true test when you love somebody, and I've told by wife about all the situations in my life - this, and others - and she said that if that's the case and one woman or both don't want the child, I'll take it.
"That's the philosophy she has. On other hand, she said, 'It's a good thing I married you to get you off street.'"
Garvey, a Roman Catholic, said he thought birth control was in place to prevent accidental pregnancy, although he wasn't using any himself.

and ... one will say, 'I'll be responsible.'
"In both cases, I was led to believe that I wasn't responsible for birth control."
Garvey said he didn't think either woman named him out of bitterness or spite.
"I'd hate to think that something like this would come out of a broken relationship," he said.

Garvey, 40, was a ten-time All-Star first baseman when he retired in January 1988 after 17 years in the big leagues - 12 years with the Dodgers and the last five with the Padres.
Garvey has two daughters by a former marriage to television personality Cyndy Garvey.

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A San Diego woman who recently delivered a child refused to be interviewed on camera. The second woman claiming paternity is Rebecca Mendenhall, an TV newswoman from Georgia, who was engaged to the former Los Angeles Dodgers and San Diego Padres first baseman.
Garvey didn't deny either woman's claim.

Garvey's wife, Candace Thomas, 30, of Palos Verdes, Calif., was fully informed about the pregnancies, he said.
The couple was married Saturday in a private ceremony in Utah after a whirlwind romance of less than two months.
Garvey said his new wife showed her devotion to him by supporting his

relationship, one of the two people assume responsibility for birth control

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Sutton reported to be out

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) - Eddie Sutton will be out and Lee Rose will be in as basketball coach of the Kentucky Wildcats in a few weeks, according to a published report.
The Columbus (Ohio) Dispatch, in a copyright story today, quoted a source close to the Kentucky program as saying "Sutton is going to be told he's gone in 10 days to two weeks. The new coach is picked and it's Rose. He's (C.M.) Newton's choice for the job."

Bernie Vonderheide, a UK spokesman, said, "As far as I'm concerned, there's no basis to that report."
The Dispatch said its source had spoken on condition of anonymity.
Rose, contacted by the newspaper before Wednesday night's New Jersey Nets-Cleveland Cavaliers NBA game, was asked if he would be a candidate if the Kentucky job opened. Rose has been an assistant coach with the Nets since last summer.
"Until there is a position open, no one is a candidate because the job is still in the hands of the man who has it," Rose said. "My mother lives in Lexington and I have a lot of ties there. And that's no secret."
Rose said he was one of "four or five" people interviewed for the Kentucky job when Sutton accepted it in 1985. "So I'm well acquainted with the situation in Kentucky," Rose said. "Basically, that's all I'm going to say."
Rose was coach at Purdue from 1978 to 1980. His team was third in the NCAA tournament in 1980 and runner-up in the National Invitation Tournament in 1979. He also has coached at Transylvania University in Lexington.

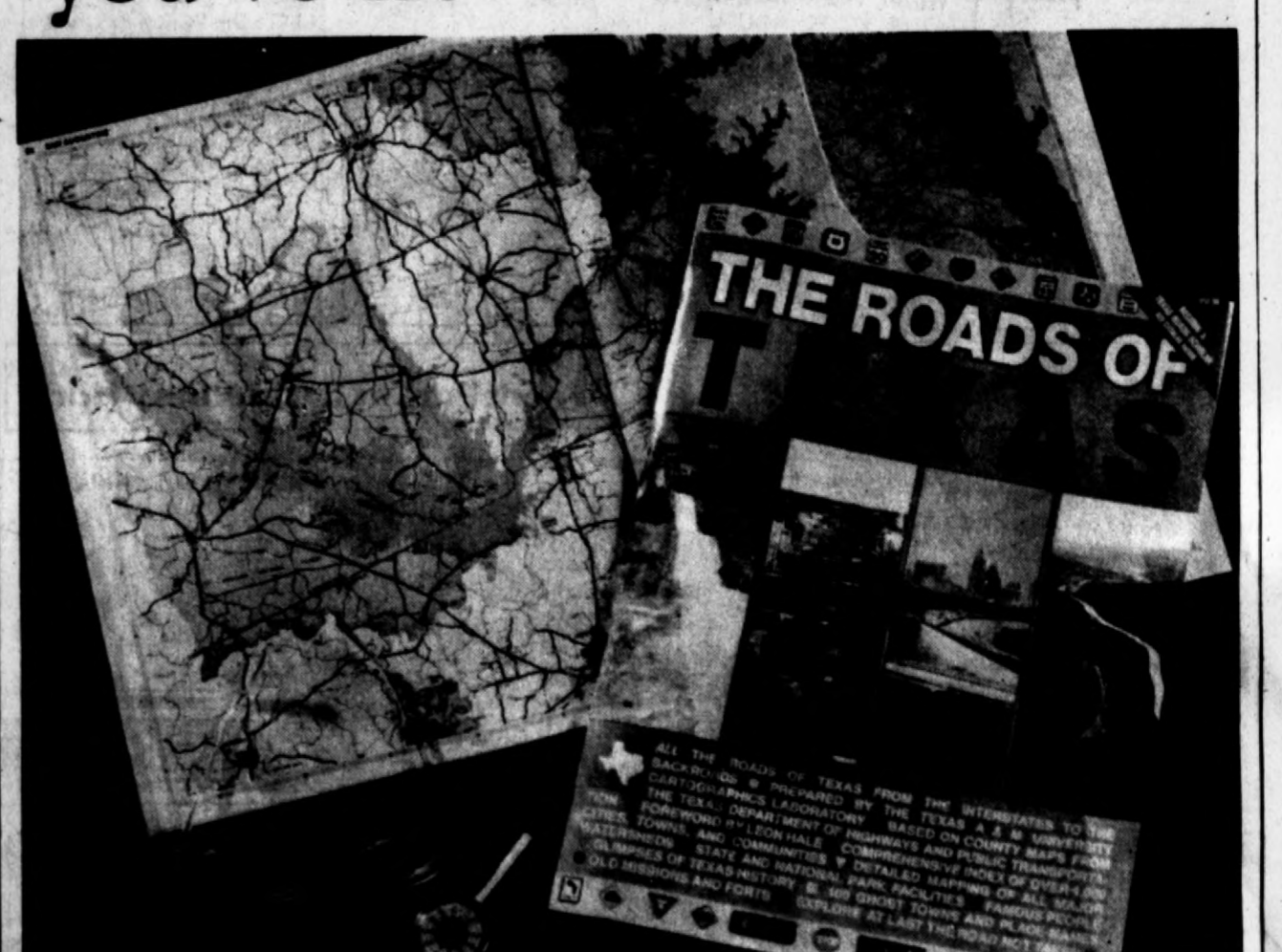
Sutton, whose team on Wednesday night broke a six-game losing streak, the longest at Kentucky in 64 years, could not be reached for comment. Sutton has maintained throughout the investigation that he wanted to remain at Kentucky.
On Monday he told reporters, "I'm not planning to leave. I'm out there recruiting as hard as I can and coaching as hard as I can."

Newton will become athletic director at Kentucky on April 1, replacing Cliff Hagan, who resigned last year. Newton refused to discuss the Kentucky coaching situation with the newspaper.
"I'm not AD there until April 1," said Newton, Vanderbilt University's head basketball coach.
Two Kentucky officials, however, told The Associated Press that no decision has been made on the coaching position.
"I'm not going to answer that stuff," said Joe Burch, the school's interim athletic director. "It's just pure speculation and rumor."
Adolph Rupp coached basketball for 41 years at the University of Kentucky and his teams won a record 875 games.
The Los Angeles Lakers began the 1988-89 season with 11 first-round draft picks on their roster, the most in the NBA.

Rumors have circulated about Sutton's job since the NCAA levied 18 allegations of wrongdoing against UK's basketball program, including improper recruiting and charges that a player cheated on his college entrance exam.

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"Celebrate With TCU" event set

"Celebrate With TCU," a sharing of memories and traditions, will be held March 2 for Panhandle-area alumni and friends of Texas Christian University as well as parents of current students.

The reception will be at Tascosa Country Club beginning at 5:30 p.m., according to John K. Kritzer, president of the TCU Amarillo/Panhandle Association.

Speaker for the informal occasion will be Dr. Kirk Downey, dean of TCU's M.J. Neeley School of Business. Chairperson of the

University's management department before assuming his current leadership role in 1987, he is a consultant to such international organizations as Chemical Bank of New York, Citibank, Security Pacific of Los Angeles and Seattle First National Bank. His other consulting activities include Phillips Petroleum Company and Westinghouse Electric Corporation.

Downey, professor of management at Oklahoma State University before joining the TCU faculty in 1983, is former editor of the Journal

of Management and continues on its editorial board and the editorial board of the Academy of Management Review. He is author of some two dozen studies in such leading publications as *Human Relations*, *Journal of Business Research* and *Administrative Science Quarterly*.

An alumnus of Kansas Wesleyan University, Downey concentrates his research in the areas of organizational behavior and administrative theory as well as policy and decision making.

One of TCU's six major schools and colleges, the Neeley School of Business offers the Bachelor Business Administration in six major fields and advanced study in three master's programs. Since 1963 its undergraduate and graduate studies have been accredited by the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business.

Due by Feb. 27, reservations can be made by calling Kritzer at (806) 373-0909 or 355-4240.

Make soup in a flash

Microwave soups and stews can be hearty or light, homey or elegant, chunky or smooth. But best of all, they can be quick. Here are some tips for making delicious homemade soup in your microwave.

TIME AND POWER

Soups or stews that contain less-tender meats cook best on 70 percent power (medium-high); the lower power and longer cooking help tenderize the meat.

SOUP MAKINGS

For even cooking, cut vegetables and meat in uniform pieces.

Choose American or process cheese for microwave soup-making. It melts smoothly and quickly. Shred

it or tear slices into pieces before adding to soup.

MICROWAVE SOUP POTS

Make sure the container you use is large enough to allow the soup to bubble up but not over. Because many recipes call for covering soup during cooking, a microwave-safe covered casserole is ideal.

Reheat chilled or frozen soups in individual bowls or mugs.

REHEATING SOUP

Reheat chilled or frozen soup on high.

Allow about 2 1/2 minutes for 3/4 cup frozen soup, 3 to 4 minutes for 1 cup, 8 minutes for 1 1/2 cups, and 10 minutes for 2 cups. Stir once or twice for even cooking.

To reheat chilled soup in the microwave, allow 2 minutes for 3/4 cup, 3 minutes for 1 cup, 3 to 4 minutes for 1 1/2 cups, and 5 minutes for 2 cups. Stir twice for even cooking.

Reception for Ryans set Saturday

A reception is scheduled for Ted and Dicie Ryan of Hereford on Saturday from 2-4 p.m. in the Friendship Room of Hereford State Bank.

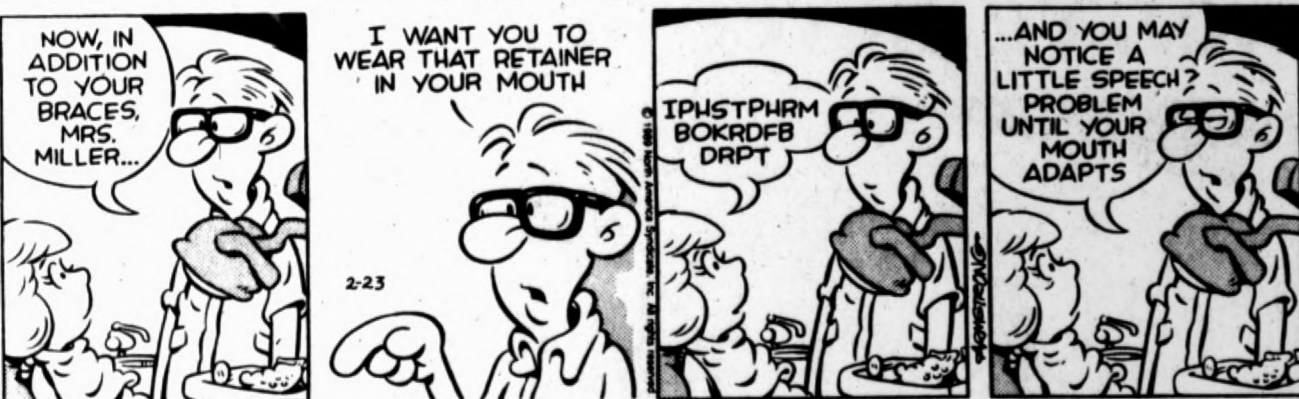
Friends and relatives are invited to the observance of the couple's 50th wedding anniversary.

Comics

BLONDIE by Dean Young and Stan Drake



Marvin By Tom Armstrong



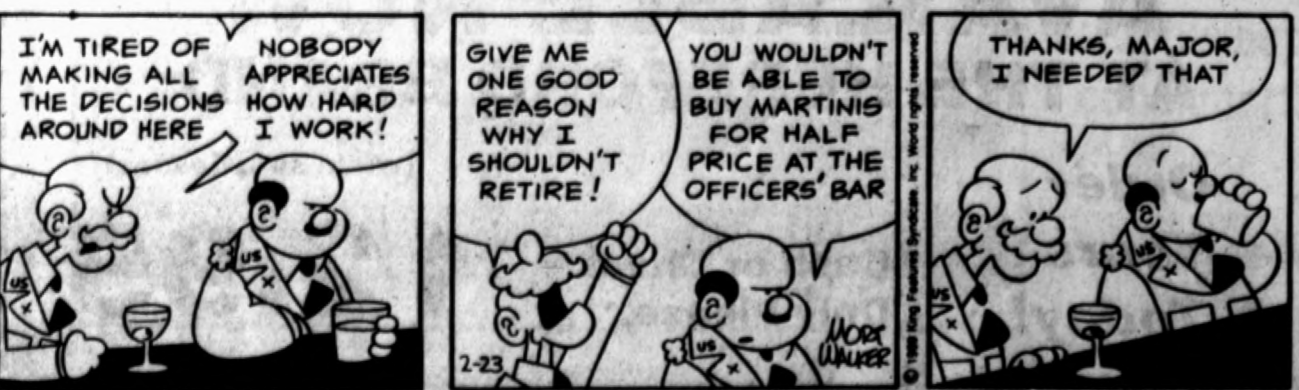
The Wizard of Id By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart



Barney Google and Snuffy Smith By Fred Lasswell



BEETLE BAILEY By Mort Walker



Television

THURSDAY

- 6:00** MOVIE: Jack and the Beanstalk
 News
 Fishing Michigan
 Our House
 Cheers
 College Basketball
 Family Ties
 Inspector Gadget
 Miami Vice
 (HBO) Encyclopedia: The W Volume (1988) NR
 (MAX) MOVIE: Hud ****
 Fandango
 World Monitor
 Chronicle
 Spenser: For Hire
 James Robison
 Senora
- 6:05** Andy Griffith
- 6:30** Cosby
 Michigan Outdoors
 Wheel of Fortune
 Night Court
 USA Today
 Newhart
 Looney Tunes
 (HBO) MOVIE: The Gate *
 Crook and Chase
 Global Village
 World of Survival John Forsythe
 Marilyn Hickey
- 6:35** Sanford and Son
- 7:00** The Best of Walt Disney Presents NR
 The Cosby Show
 The Old House
 A Fine Romance
 MOVIE: Swan Song **
- 7:05** MOVIE: One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest ****
 48 Hours
 Simon and Simon
 Mr. Ed
 Murder, She Wrote
 MOVIE: Amazon Women on the Moon **
 Nashville Now
 Safari
 The Edge and Beyond
 Cagney and Lecy
 Camp Meeting USA
 Primavera Gigi Zanchetta, Fernando Carillo
- 7:30** MOVIE: Forced Vengeance **
 A Different World
 Autograph
 Patty Duke
 Wild World of the East
- 8:00** MOVIE: Minstrel Man ****
 Cheers
 Mitchell/Lehrer NewsHour
 Dynasty
 Paradise
 College Basketball
 MOVIE: Arthur ****
 My Three Sons
 MOVIE: Getting Furan **
 (HBO) MOVIE: Missing in Action 2: The Beginning **
 (MAX) MOVIE: Moving **
- 8:30** Dear John
- 8:35** Beyond 2000
 Rigoletto John Ramsley, Arthur Davies
 MOVIE: Combat High *
 Heritage Today
 Encadenados
- 8:50** Donna Reed
 Super Dave (1987) NR
 VideoCountry
- 9:00** L.A. Law
 Mystery!
 HeartBeat
 700 Club
 News
 Knots Landing
 Saturday Night Live
 MOVIE: Eddie Murphy Raw **
 Crook and Chase
 Profiles of Nature
 Richard Roberts
 Noticias Univision
- 9:05** MOVIE: Death Wish II 1/2 While trying to start a new life in Los Angeles, Bronson's daughter is raped and killed, forcing him to take the law into his own hands again. Charles Bronson, Jill Ireland (1982) R Profanity, Nudity, Adult Situation.
- 9:30** SCTV (MAX) MOVIE: Police Academy 4: Citizens on Patrol
 New Country
 Along Nature's Routes
 America
- 10:00** The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet Ozzie Nelson, Harriet Nelson NR
 Light House
 Good Neighbors
 Remington Steele
 Honeymooners
 SportsCenter
 Newhart
 Laugh In
 Miami Vice
 (HBO) America Undercover: Kids in Crisis (1986) NR

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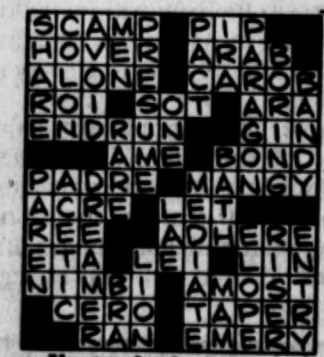
FRIDAY

- 6:00** MOVIE: Love Leads the Way **
 News
 Off the Record
 Our House
 Cheers
 SportsCenter
 Family Ties
 Inspector Gadget
 Miami Vice
 Fandango
 World Monitor
 Chronicle
 Spenser: For Hire
 Marilyn Hickey
 Senora
- 6:05** Andy Griffith
- 6:30** Cosby
 Detroit Week in Review
 Wheel of Fortune
 Night Court
 USA Today
 Speedweek NR
 Newhart
 Looney Tunes
 Crook and Chase
 Scotland's Story
 World of Survival
 James Robison
- 6:35** Sanford and Son
- 7:00** Father Dowling Mysteries Martin Hewitt
 D.C. Week in Review
 Perfect Strangers
 MOVIE: Wild Times, Part I **
 MOVIE: Private Benjamin ***
 Beauty and the Beast John McMartin
 U.S. Pro Figure Skating Championship
 Simon and Simon
 Mr. Ed
 Murder, She Wrote
 MOVIE: Pass the Ammo 1/2 A young couple sets out to expose the church in this satire on televangelism. Bill Paxton, Linda Kozlowski (1988) R Profanity, Adult Themes.
 (HBO) MOVIE: Switching Channels (MAX) MOVIE: Uzana's Raid ****
 Nashville Now
 World in Conflict
 The Eagle and the Bear
 Cagney and Lecy
 Camp Meeting USA
 Primavera Gigi Zanchetta, Fernando Carillo
- 7:05** NBA Basketball
- 7:30** Wall Street Week
 Full House
 Patty Duke
 Winston Churchill: The Valiant Years NR
- 8:00** MOVIE: Rusalkas 1/2
- 8:00** MOVIE: NBC Movie of the Week The Karate Kid II ** 1/2 Daniel must defend himself and his mentor against bitter foes determined to destroy them in Okinawa. Ralph Macchio, Noriyuki (Pat) Morita (1986) PG Profanity, Violence, Mature Themes.
 MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour
 Mr. Belvedere
 Dallas
 Great American Event
 MOVIE: Red Sun **
 My Three Sons
 Professional Golf
 Martin Luther King, Jr.
 MOVIE: Equus ****
- 8:30** Just the Ten of Us
 Donna Reed
 VideoCountry
- 8:45** Comedy Club Network (1987) NR
- 9:00** World at War
 20/20
 700 Club
 News
 Saturday Night Live
 Brothers Robert Walden, Brandon Maggart NR Adult Themes.
 (HBO) MOVIE: The Squeeze ** An artist who designs sets for discos inadvertently gets mixed up with murder and a lottery scheme when his ex-wife leaves a mysterious box with him. Michael Keaton, Rae Dawn Chong (1987) PG13
 (MAX) MOVIE: Best Seller ** A novelist cop gets more involved than he bargained for when a deadly hit man chooses him to write his life story. James Woods, Brian Dennehy (1987) R Profanity, Violence, Adult Situation.
 Crook and Chase
 Race to Space
 Richard Roberts
 Noticias Univision
- 9:20** Inside the NBA
- 9:30** SCTV
 It's Garry Shandling's Show Garry Shandling NR
 Rock 'n' Roll Palace
 Leading Edge
 Tres Generaciones Carmen Montijo, Angelica Maria
- 9:50** Night Tracks: Power Play Dancin'
 The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet Ozzie Nelson, Harriet Nelson NR
 News
 Never the Twin
- 10:00** Remington Steele
 Honeymooners
 Yachting: Aussie World Championship
 John Chandler
 Laugh In
 Miami Vice
 Super Dave (1987) NR
 You Can Be a Star
 World Alive
 Spenser: For Hire
 Goin' Places
 MOVIE: Rebelion de las Hijas A Garcia, L. Gallardo
- 10:30** MOVIE: The Man Who Shot Liberty Bells *** An outlaw terrorizes a small town and the only man who will stand up to him are the town hero and an idealistic lawyer who's new to the West. John Wayne, James Stewart (1962) NR
 Tonight Show
 Austin City Limits (1988)
 Cheers
 Hill Street Blues
 Pat Sejak Show
 SportsCenter
 Freddy's Nightmares NR
 Car 54 Where Are You?
 MOVIE: Planes, Trains & Automobiles ** 1/2 An advertising executive and shower curtain salesman are unlikely companions thrown together as they try to get home after their flight is diverted. John Candy, Steve Martin (1987) R
 American Magazine
 In Search of Paradise
 Today in Bible Prophecy
- 10:35** (MAX) MOVIE: Hard Ticket to Hawaii A man is commissioned by government to break a multi-million dollar drug operation and enlists the help of two beautiful and capable female agents. Ron Moss, Donna Speir (1986) R Nudity, Violence, Adult Situation.
- 10:50** Night Tracks
 Entertainment Tonight (1988)
 MOVIE: Wild Times, Part I ** A fact based novel about a cavalry scout, Hugh Cardiff...a sharpshooter, fugitive, lover, and buffalo hunter, who dramatized his own wild times. Sam Elliott, Ben Johnson (1980)
 AWA Championship Wrestling
 Make Room for Daddy
 Camp Midnite
 (HBO) MOVIE: Glory Glory (Part Two) An investigative reporter faces a dilemma when he must decide between exposing a deceitful TV evangelist or ruining the life of a sexy rock singer. Ellen Greene, Richard Thomas (1988) NR Profanity, Nudity, Adult Situation.
 Nashville Now
 Orphans of the Wild
 The Eagle and the Bear
 Lady Blue
 Fletcher Brothers
- 11:30** Late Night with David Letterman
 World of Survival
 Nightline
 MOVIE: Poltergeist II: The Other Side ** 1/2 Years later and miles away, the Freeling family is once again terrorized by restless spirits, obsessed with taking Carol Anne for their own. JoBeth Williams, Craig T. Nelson (1986) PG13 Profanity, Violence, Mature Themes.
 Monsters
 Mr. Ed
 Wildlife Chronicles
 Winston Churchill: The Valiant Years NR
 Jerry Bernier
 No Es un Juego Vivir
- 11:50** Night Tracks
- 12:00** Lonesome Pine Specials (1988)
 Arsenio Hall
 MOVIE: CBS Late Movie Alamo Bay ** 1/2 Lovers' relationship is strained when a small Texas fishing community protests the arrival of Vietnamese refugees. Ed Harris, Amy Madigan (1985) R Profanity, Nudity, Violence.
 Pro Bowling
 Police Story
 Patty Duke
 World Monitor
 MOVIE: Equus ***** A psychiatrist tries to help a violent, obsessed young boy who blinds six horses after being seduced by a stable girl. Excellent acting is featured. Richard Burton, Peter Firth (1977) R Profanity, Nudity, Adult Situation.
 Self-Improvement Guide
 Heritage Today
- 12:05** MOVIE: Lady Chatterley's Lover 1/2 The passionate, tempestuous love of forbidden love between a sensitive, married lady of means and the uncommon lover she takes. Sylvia Kristel, Nicholas Clay (1981) R Nudity, Adult Themes.
- 12:15** (MAX) MOVIE: Student Affairs On location to shoot a teen comedy, a movie company finds bigger laughs off screen than on. R Profanity, Nudity, Adult Situation.
- 12:30** Friday Night Videos
 Saturday Night Live
 MOVIE: Basket Case The tenant in Room 7 is very small, very twisted and very mad. A truly gruesome tale of horrible revenge. (1987) R Violence.
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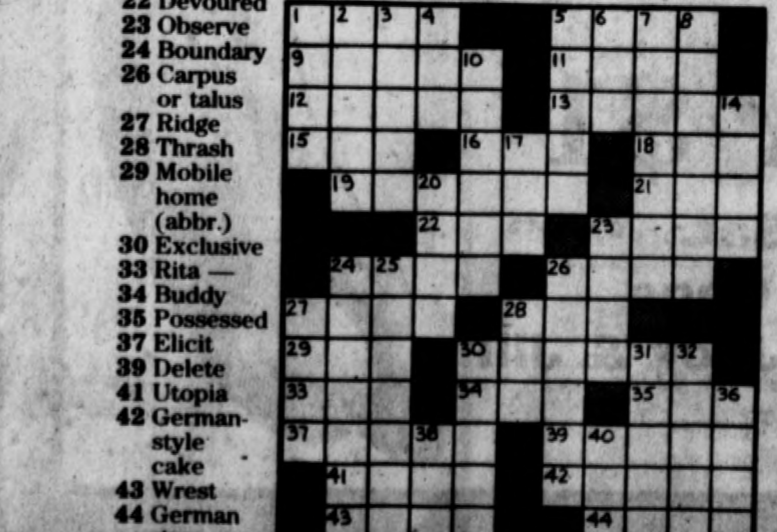
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Now You're Cooking

By GAYE B. REILY
Staff Writer

"I am a 'from-scratch' cook and I've always wanted to pass along my knowledge of cooking to help others," said Pet Ott, who has been a member of Wyche Extension Club for the past 58 years.

Such a helpful attitude characterizes the spry 78-year-old, who answers to the honorary title of 'aunt' or 'grandma' by several Hereford residents. Various friends and neighbors are delighted that yeast breads are her specialty as she gives them cinnamon rolls, loaves of bread, and other treats. In fact, Ott has a rule that, when she bakes bread, she makes six loaves at a time and gives one away.

"I learned to cook at home and as a member of a 4-H Club I joined in 1924," she said. "I think that modern mixes have their place but since I learned to cook from scratch, I continue to do so and I'm not afraid to experiment. But it takes years of cooking to know when and how much to change a recipe."

Such experimentation has brought rave reviews from local 'taste testers' and Ott admits that some of her best recipes were developed through accident. "I was making a coconut cream pie from a recipe that gave the wrong amount of flour so I added canned milk and everyone liked it. (Her recipe for this coconut pie can be found below, along with recipes for a never-fail pie crust and no-weep meringue.)"

One cooking secret Ott divulged enhances an apple pie. "I discovered that adding three or four tablespoons of butterscotch pudding to the top of an apple pie, then baking the pie according to directions makes a tasty dessert."

Born in Chillicothe, she was the fifth child among nine sisters and a brother. She received the name 'Pet' since family members argued over what to call her and her grandmother remarked that she was "such a precious pet." The name stuck and she went through some trying times as a result. "It wasn't such a bad name when I was little, but it did cause problems as I got older. Boys I dated in high school felt uncomfortable calling me 'Pet'," she laughed.

She attended Childress High School but quit before graduating. "Times were tough back during the Depression so I quit school. But I never thought that was the end of learning. I've always tried to improve myself in such subjects as grammar. That's why Extension Club has been so important to me: it helped me gain confidence and prepared me to go on to other organizations."

Ott moved to Wyche in 1928 with her family and has lived within Deaf

Smith County for 60 years and in Hereford for 21 years. She and Ira married in 1930 and farmed for 36 years.

They are both lifetime members of the American Legion and its Auxiliary and are members of the First Presbyterian Church. She belongs to La Aflatus Estudio Club and was selected Club Woman of the Year in 1953 while representing Wyche Extension Club.

While sewing has been among Ott's hobbies, she noted that she once collected salt and pepper shakers. Ott said she really enjoys dealing with people as she has done much volunteer work in the community.

As for working outside the home, Ott said that her one experience proved to be a disaster. "I worked one day during the cotton referendum election and gave the money to the Extension Club, but Ira and I had to pay taxes on the money. I decided then that I wouldn't work outside the home again!"

Several of Ott's recipes appear in a family cookbook. One such recipe that she has developed over the years is a Chicken Pie recipe and One-Two-Three Biscuits. "It's a great recipe to use for leftover turkey or chicken and the biscuits are simple and never fail."

Ott's recipes are as follows:

NEVER FAIL PIE CRUST

3 c. flour
1 1/2 c. shortening
1 tsp. salt
1 egg, well-beaten
6 Tbsp. water
1 Tbsp. vinegar
Cut shortening into flour and salt. Combine egg, water and vinegar. Add to dry mixture all at once. Blend with fork just until flour is moistened. Cook at 400 degrees until brown.

This will keep in the refrigerator a long time and is easy to handle. (Makes 4 crusts).

COCONUT PIE SUPREME

1 c. sugar
5 Tbsp. flour
2 c. milk, scalded
pinch of salt
3 eggs, separated
1 c. flaked coconut (approximately)
1/2 tsp. vanilla
1 small can (5 oz.) evaporated milk
1 baked pie shell

Mix sugar and flour, add milk, salt, and beaten egg yolks. Cook in double boiler until thick; will be very thick. Add canned milk slowly (you may not need the entire can).

Add coconut, reserving some for top of pie. Pour into baked pie crust, cover with meringue and cook until brown at 350 degrees.

MERINGUE FOR PIE

2 Tbsp. cornstarch
1/3 c. water

1/4 c. sugar
3 egg whites
1/4 tsp. cream of tartar
1/8 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. vanilla

Combine cornstarch and water in small pan. Cook over low heat until thick and clear. Cover with wax paper; set aside.

Beat three egg whites (at room temperature), with cream of tartar and salt until soft peaks form.

Add the cornstarch mixture and 1/2 tsp. vanilla to the beaten egg white mixture; beat until firm peaks form. Put on top of cream pie and bake at 350 degrees for 10-12 minutes.

CHICKEN OR TURKEY PIE

2 c. chicken (or turkey), cut into bite sized pieces
1 onion, chopped

Cover chicken or turkey and onion with water and cook until very tender.

Season with your favorite seasoning. (I use salt, pepper, and celery salt or chopped celery).

Add the amount of liquid, such as chicken broth, gravy, and milk, needed for your amount of chicken or turkey; thicken with flour to a thin gravy consistency. Cook all together for a few minutes.

Pour all into a large pan and cover with biscuits (recipe follows). Bake at 450 degrees until biscuits are done and browned as you desire.

ONE-TWO-THREE BISCUITS

2 c. self-rising flour
3 Tbsp. mayonnaise (not salad dressing)
1 c. milk

Mix and roll out. Cut or drop into muffin tins or on top of Chicken Pie. Bake until done and browned at 450 degrees.



PET OTT

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Program on Korea heard by club

Members of La Plata Study Club met Tuesday evening in the home of Dorothea Prowell with Margaret Schroeder serving as co-hostess.

Club collect was read by members and Lois Matchett, secretary, read the minutes.

During the business session conducted by President Yvonne Simpson, Prowell suggested that members bring personal items to the next club meeting to be donated to the Rape Crisis Center. She also encouraged members to donate used clothing or household goods to Operation Good Shepherd.

Program chairman Mildred Fuhrmann introduced Brad and Haeseung Park of Seoul, Korea who gave an informative program on the country. It was explained that the name Park means "big egg" and that many names originate from China, but not Park.

Korea was established as a country between the eighth and ninth centuries. The speaker said he thought that there would come a time when South and North Korea would be united. North Korea is Communist but Park stated that he is hoping it is not 100 percent Communist and they will learn to come together and take realistic steps to unite as one country. There is no religion allowed in North Korea.

Buddhism, a popular religion in South Korea since 200 BC, is not the only religion practiced by the people. Confucius brought in other ideas. The Catholic religion was introduced and Christianity is popular; all Protestant denominations are growing in numbers.

The Korean peninsula points toward Japan, thrusting out from the mainland of Asia between the Sea of Japan and the Yellow Sea. Its ancient name is Chosen, meaning "land of morning calm." In 1950 Korea became a battlefield of Communism and democracy. The capital, Seoul, was the site of the 1988 Summer Olympics.

Mr. Park explained, "Since 1945, we had such turmoil that by 1973 my father decided to take the family to America." Park was a sophomore in college in Korea and school would turn out two months at a time to "throw stones." He attended Iowa State University and went back in 1977 to get his sweetheart from college in Korea. She came to

the United States and the couple married in Iowa City in the non-denominational church his father had founded. His entire family came to the U.S. but his wife's family still resides in Korea. His mother is visiting his brothers in Denver.

The Parks are the only Koreans in Hereford. He studied animal science and interviewed with Excel and was employed at the plant in Friona for over eight years. He is currently seeking employment and is considering returning to school to obtain his masters degree.

Mrs. Park showed some of the colorful cloths for their children, ages seven and nine, sent to her by her mother but she explained that the children preferred to wear designer jeans and sweatshirts to school. The native costumes of the country are worn Jan. 1 and other traditional holidays.

Mr. Park believes strong morality and understanding are very important in the family structure and that U.S. citizens need to stress this more.

A refreshment plate was served to guests and members as they continued to talk about Korea with the Parks. Those attending the meeting included Clara Brown, Fuhrmann, Julie Helms, Lois Matchett, Mozelle Neill, Lavon Nieman, Prowell, Schroeter, Rose Mary Shook, Simpson, Suzanne Stevens, Betty Taylor and Avis White.

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Sealed proposals for 0.000 miles of preventive maintenance for bridges on various highways in Potter, Deaf Smith, Oldham, Carson & Randall Counties, covered by CPM 904-00-15 will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 P.M., March 8, 1989, and then publicly opened and read. Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available for inspection at the office of W.E. Bryan Resident Engineer, Amarillo, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder. Usual rights reserved. Th-161-2c

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Names In The News

VIEUX FORT, ST. Lucia (AP) - Hundreds of flag-waving schoolchildren greeted Prince Charles as he arrived for a three-day visit in honor of this former British Caribbean colony's 10th independence anniversary.

Charles, 40, who will represent the British monarchy during Wednesday's celebrations, was accompanied Monday by a 12-member delegation including exiled King Constantine of Greece.

The prince traveled here from Wellington, Fla., where he spent the weekend playing polo.

About 3,000 onlookers and 600 children cheered the smiling prince on his arrival at Hewanorra International Airport.

LONDON (AP) - Actress Vanessa Redgrave, who has been criticized by Jewish groups for supporting the Palestine Liberation Organization, is sponsoring the first Western performances by the Moscow-Jewish Theater Shalom.

Redgrave appeared at west London's Lyric Hammersmith Theater Monday to introduce members of the Shalom company, which will present Arkady Khyte's "The Train To Happiness (Scenes From Jewish Life)" beginning tonight.

The play, presented by Vanessa Redgrave Enterprises, will be performed in Russian with simultaneous translation by actresses Frances Barber and Kika Markham and American playwright Martin Sherman.

Redgrave, 52, called Shalom's Western debut "a very profound historical and emotional experience," and said her career was influenced by seeing the Jewish actors Stella Adler and Joseph Schildkraut in the United States in the 1950s.

The Shalom's artistic director, Alexander Levenbuk, denied suggestions that the actress was anti-Semitic.

"She's a wonderful woman," Levenbuk said. "If such supposed anti-Semites were doing the sort of thing she's doing, everyone would be better off."

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP) - Former U.S. astronaut James B. Irwin gave President Daniel Ortega a tiny Nicaraguan flag taken to the moon in the 1971 Apollo 15 space mission.

Irwin, a 58-year-old retired Air Force colonel who travels worldwide preaching Christianity, called the flag "a gift of love to the people of Nicaragua."

"Just like you took this flag to the moon, relations between our two countries must return to normalcy," Ortega said at Monday's ceremony. "You are making a contribution toward that, and for this I thank you."

Irwin's trip was sponsored by Christian Embassy, an international ministry of politicians, diplomats and business people, said Barry Bowater, who started a chapter in Ottawa.

RADNOR, Pa. (AP) - Victoria Principal, trying to move beyond her image as a "Dallas" glamour girl, wears short hair and a boxy, off-the-

rack suit to portray a female assistant district attorney in the TV movie "Naked Lie."

In an interview in the Feb. 25 issue of TV Guide, Ms. Principal said she found herself patronized as nothing more than a beautiful woman and typecast after nine years of playing "Dallas" sweetheart Pam Ewing.

"I realized there was a certain tone of voice someone would use to me because of the way I looked," the 43-year-old actress said. "He would not give me the benefit of the doubt that I could understand what was being said or had the ability to create or produce a project. It offended me, and there still is great rage."

Ms. Principal, who is executive producer of the CBS movie as well as its star, observed female assistant district attorneys to prepare for her role.

"None of them had longer than shoulder-length hair," she told the Radnor-based magazine.

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Actor Martin Sheen led about 300 demonstrators in a protest outside police headquarters against the recent arrests of day laborers waiting on street corners for job offers.

Sheen was joined by a half-dozen representatives of church groups as he attempted to deliver a letter to Police Chief Daryl Gates Monday calling the arrests "a totally undemocratic, imposing and racist action."

Police have said they were enforcing the 1986 immigration laws, which prohibit employment of undocumented aliens.

Sheen told Sgt. Bryce Houchin that the demonstrators were there specifically to protest the arrests of 50 laborers at an intersection last Thursday. Houchin did not permit the demonstrators inside, but said the letter would be delivered to one of Gates' representatives.

Sheen, 48, has participated in numerous anti-nuclear protests and demonstrations on other issues.

Cholesterol counts

There are HDLs and LDLs and fish oil; there is "good" and "bad" cholesterol.

Most recently, there is anti-cholesterol medication. At times, the language of cholesterol control resembles a game board whose configurations send confusing, even contradictory messages.

After all, one hears of those native diets. The Eskimos and African Masai, for example, violate heart-healthy recommendations for dietary cholesterol, and yet they show amazingly low incidence of cardiovascular disease.

And there is everyone's Uncle Joe. He is the rugged individualist who ate and drank with wild abandon, smoked fat cigars and lived to be 96. With all the unknowns, one might wonder, is cholesterol indeed a problem and is cholesterol control really worth the effort?

Cardiology researchers such as Claude R. Benedict, MBBS, D.Phil., an Associate Professor of Internal Medicine at The University of Texas Medical Branch (UTMB) at Galveston, advises that it is. They point to the statistics. Despite the many unknowns, there is enough information to support cholesterol control as a way to improve and lengthen one's life.

The National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute, a focal point for cardiovascular research nationwide, reports that high serum (blood) cholesterol is one of three main controllable risk factors for coronary heart disease. The other two are high blood pressure and cigarette smoking. Excess body weight and lack of exercise are other major, controllable risk factors. Being male and having a family history of heart disease are also risk factors.

Any of the big three—high cholesterol, high blood pressure or smoking—greatly increases the chances of developing cardiovascular disease, the institute reports. All three combined can increase that likelihood by up to 10 times.

Like so many other things, cholesterol isn't all bad. In fact, it's essential to life. The white waxy substance is

produced routinely by the liver in sufficient amounts for body needs. Additional cholesterol comes from animal-based foods.

"Cholesterol is found in all living cells, particularly in cell membranes. It's found in very high levels in brain tissue. It is also involved in the sex hormone synthesis and in formation of bile salts, which are necessary for digestion of fats," Dr. Benedict says.

Cholesterol becomes a problem, however, when it adheres to the blood vessels. In the condition known as atherosclerosis, the cholesterol along with scar tissue and other debris build up, narrowing the arterial opening. This sets the stage for a blockage of vital blood flow to the heart, usually by a blood clot lodging in the narrowed artery, which results in a heart attack. Blockages of the vessel to the brain lead to a stroke.

Researchers don't know exactly what triggers the accumulation of cholesterol. However, they do know that some types of cholesterol are more troublesome than others.

Because it is not water soluble, cholesterol is carried in the blood in protein "packages" called lipoproteins. There are two varieties, the high density lipoproteins (HDLs), and the low density lipoproteins (LDLs). For some reason, the HDLs move more easily through the cardiovascular system, attending to their work and returning the excess cholesterol to the liver for disposal. The LDLs, however, have an affinity for the arterial walls and pose the greater danger.

Cholesterol is measured in milligrams per deciliter (mg/dl) of blood. A level of 215 mg/dl is considered average for a middle-aged adult in the U.S. A general goal is less than 200. A 250 reading is considered moderately elevated and a medical problem.

Physicians look also at the ratio of HDLs to LDLs, with the higher HDLs preferred. Women tend to have higher HDL levels, as do people who exercise regularly and those who use alcohol moderately. This beneficial ratio is found also in Eskimos and some Japanese who consume large amounts of fish.

Even though cholesterol is produced by the body, the amount in the blood can be reduced by about 20-25 percent by limiting high cholesterol foods. This means more chicken, fish, fruit and vegetables, and less meat, eggs and dairy products. The newly popular fish oil supplements, Dr. Benedict says, have yet to be proved necessary and are expensive. "It is more prudent and probably more pleasant to just eat fish," he said.

Guidelines for cholesterol control are:

*Eat no more than 300 mg. of cholesterol per day. An egg yolk, for example, contains approximately 270 mg. Red meat contains more than lean chicken and fish. Beef liver and kidney have some of the highest amounts.

*Keep fat at 30 percent of total calories. Choose polyunsaturated fats, such as safflower, sunflower or corn oil, instead of saturated fats as lard, beef fat, butter and palm or coconut oil. Saturated fats tend to raise blood cholesterol.

*Exercise regularly.

*Make the cholesterol blood test an annual health check.

New drugs have proven useful in managing cholesterol, but Dr. Benedict advises them only for people who don't respond to dietary controls. As with any therapeutic drug, there can be side effects. Besides, healthy eating can be fun.

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Jun	81.15	81.25	81.00	Jun	274.00	274.50	273.50	Jun	297.00	297.50	296.50
Jul	80.15	80.25	80.00	Jul	273.00	273.50	272.50	Jul	296.00	296.50	295.50
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Senator Bivins Reports

After spending the day working under the hot High Plains sun, it's easy to understand the value of the Ogallala Aquifer. But, given the comfort of modern day air conditioning, that underground water supply may slip our minds on occasion.

This is a reminder: water is the lifeblood of this state. Keeping our water supply safe for ourselves and our grandchildren is the duty of every Texan. Keeping the Ogallala safe is certainly the duty of every member of Senate District 31—including myself.

In his book, *The Golden Spread*, B. Bobby Price illustrates the value of the Ogallala to the early settlers of this region. "In 1885 hundreds of windmills dotted the plains landscape drawing precious sustenance from the vast and seemingly inexhaustible aquifer that lay beneath," he writes.

The Ogallala's worth became most apparent during the severe drought of the early 1950's. In 1950, there were 14,000 irrigation wells in the high plains, by 1954 that number had doubled to 27,500 as the Ogallala provided irrigation to 3.5 million acres.

Now it can easily be argued that the Ogallala accounts for 50 percent of the business in Senate District 31. The Region I represent in Austin—produces 35 percent of the agricultural products of the entire state. Water is the key element to that production.

Without the Ogallala, many, if not all, of the towns that are scattered throughout this region could not exist. It's feasible that pipelines could carry

water from some other area to the major towns in this region, but certainly not all of them could be serviced at a reasonable expense. Clearly, the Ogallala Aquifer is vital to the future of this region.

However, the future of the Ogallala and the other aquifers of Texas does not look bright. It is being threatened by leaking underground gasoline storage tanks and the exorbitant cost of cleaning them up. Between Sept. 1, 1986 and the end of 1988, the Texas Water Commission was notified of 1,332 leaks or releases from underground storage tanks. Of those, 441, or about one-third, were confirmed to have affected groundwater.

Based on the growing age of the nation's underground storage tank population, Congressional studies indicate leaks will continue to escalate at a staggering rate. The Environmental Protection Agency estimates that 30 percent of the nation's underground storage tanks are leaking or will leak in the near future. Closer to home, several communities throughout the district are struggling with contaminated wells and identifying the source of the contamination.

The federal government responded to the problem by passing the 1984 Resource Conservation and Recovery Amendments to the Solid Waste Disposal Act, which establishes standards for the operation, inspection, testing and closure of underground storage tanks. Under those guidelines, the 70th Texas Legislature was forced to enact similar standards under the direction of the Texas Water Commission. One of the primary considerations of the federal legislation is a requirement that individual tank owners maintain a minimum of \$1 million in pollution insurance for on-site and third party damages that may result from accidental releases.

The cost of cleaning up a leaking

underground storage tank can run more than \$1 million, but estimates put the average cleanup cost at \$80,000. The average businessman, the Mom and Pop corner gas stations and the business that has a tank for convenience sake cannot shoulder that type of expense. They need insurance to meet both the regulatory requirements and the financial obligations.

However, pollution insurance is very limited and very expensive. The State Board of Insurance tells me that Texas has only three carriers of pollution insurance. And if the insurance is available, the premiums are cost prohibitive. One example of a policy premium costing \$47,930 for six months of coverage at \$500,000 is offered by the Texas Oil Marketers Association. And that amount of pollution insurance is only half of what is required by the federal government. During 1988, liability coverage, which is normally carried in addition to the pollution coverage, cost \$16,480 for one year of coverage at \$1 million. Additionally, a business must pay the cost of a site assessment before the insurance company will approve the insurance—that can cost more than \$10,000. Again, the small businessman cannot afford those expenses.

It's a catastrophic dilemma we face: set the standards of compliance so high that hundreds of businesses must close their doors, or ignore the potential for contamination and see our most precious natural resource polluted. The question of financial responsibility for cleaning up the messes of underground storage tanks does not lend itself to an easy solution. But, as my friend Mel Phillips is fond of saying, "All the easy problems have been solved. Only the tough ones remain."

I urge the people of Senate District 31 to give me their thoughts on this pressing issue by writing to me at P.O. Box 9155, Amarillo, 79105.

Draper reviews book

Los Ciboleros Chapter NSDAR met recently in the Community Center parlor.

Regent Violet Reinauer opened the meeting with the ritual assisted by Mildred Sheffy, chaplain pro-tem. Mary Williamson led the group in reciting the Pledge to the Flag, American's Creed and Preamble to the Constitution.

Mildred Drake presented the President General's February message. The National Defense report by Helen Rose was on the Electoral College from an article by Edwin Yoder in the National Defender.

Kathryn Ruga introduced Argen Draper who gave a book review on "Presidential Wives" by Paul F. Boler, Jr.

Hostesses were Joan Euler and Wanda Jones. Others present were Juanita Brown, Margaret Durham, Pat Faulkner, Ruth Newsom and Nell Norvell.

SURVIVAL FACTOR

HARTFORD, Conn. (AP) — By the year 2000, a company's ability to manage change may be a key survival factor, according to Badi G. Foster of the Aetna Institute for Corporate Education.

Foster says, "Changing demographics will give U.S. companies a work force and a customer base that will consist of a significantly greater percentage of women and minorities."

"Add to those factors market globalization and the increasing complexity of business problems, and you have a business environment that demands greater tolerance for and appreciation of individual and cultural differences."

Hints from Heloise

DEAR HELOISE:

My husband bought me one of those new compact disc (CD) players. They sure are different from the old type of record players. Do you have any hints on ways to take care of the discs? I would like them to last a long time because they are rather expensive. — Martha Ramos, El Paso, Texas

To best protect your compact discs when not playing them, keep them in their protective plastic boxes.

When handling the discs, hold them only by the center or the outer edge.

Be sure not to bump or jar the CD player because this can cause the laser to be knocked off track, resulting in possible damage of the disc and the player.

Hope you enjoy your new player and long life for your discs. — Heloise

ATTRACTIVE CUBE

Dear Heloise: To add some extra decoration to regular ice cubes, I do the following.

When I fill the ice-cube tray with water I add a maraschino cherry to each cube. When they are frozen and placed in drinks, they make very attractive cubes. Try it and surprise everyone! — Billie Jean Barnard, Washington, D.C.

BREAKFAST CEREALS

Dear Heloise: Most breakfast cereals are sealed in a wax paper envelope inside the cardboard boxes. I used to simply throw the box and the wax paper away. I have found a use for the wax paper and thought I would pass it along.

It comes in handy when freezing hamburger patties. I cut it to size and place a couple of the sheets between each patty. These are reusable and I like them best since they are free! — Virginia Brandt, Omaha, Neb.

Send a money- or time-saving hint to Heloise, P.O. Box 795000, San Antonio, TX 78279. I can't answer your letter personally but will use the best hints received in my column.

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