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Smoking continues to be banned in public as well as private work places. Have we gone too far in banning smoking in this country? We'd like to know your views. Call Cityline's Community Pulse Poll at 560-2400 and enter category 7655. To register a "yes" vote, press 1; to vote "no," press 2. You also are invited to leave comments concerning increased smoking restrictions. We ask that you leave your name, but that is optional. The unscientific poll will remain open until noon today. Results will be published in Wednesday's edition.

President Clinton throws his weight behind gun-ban bill.

Clinton renews call

WASHINGTON — In an emotional appearance at the White House on Monday, President Clinton renewed his longstanding call for a ban on assault weapons, pledging to enlist his Cabinet in the lobbying battle when the ban comes up for a House vote early next month. 7A

Tornado strikes

DALLAS — At least one tornado struck Monday night south of Dallas as a powerful thunderstorm shelled the northern part of the state with baseball-sized hail. The tornado struck about 9:30 p.m. along Interstate 35 between DeSoto and Lancaster, according to amateur radio operators at the scene. Damage included toppled cars and power lines downed across the highway. COMPLETE WEATHER/2A

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Judge's rule sends hit-man-hiring teen back into custody of state youth facility

By Tonie Miller-Uzzel
Staff Writer

A Midland County judge ruled Monday in a release hearing to return Clay Colby Sellars to the custody of the Texas Youth Commission for at least one more year in connection with his attempted capital murder conviction.

Sellars, 17, was sentenced to confinement in a TYC facility until his 18th birthday and

then to the Texas Department of Corrections, the adult prison system, for a total of five years for an attempted capital murder conviction.

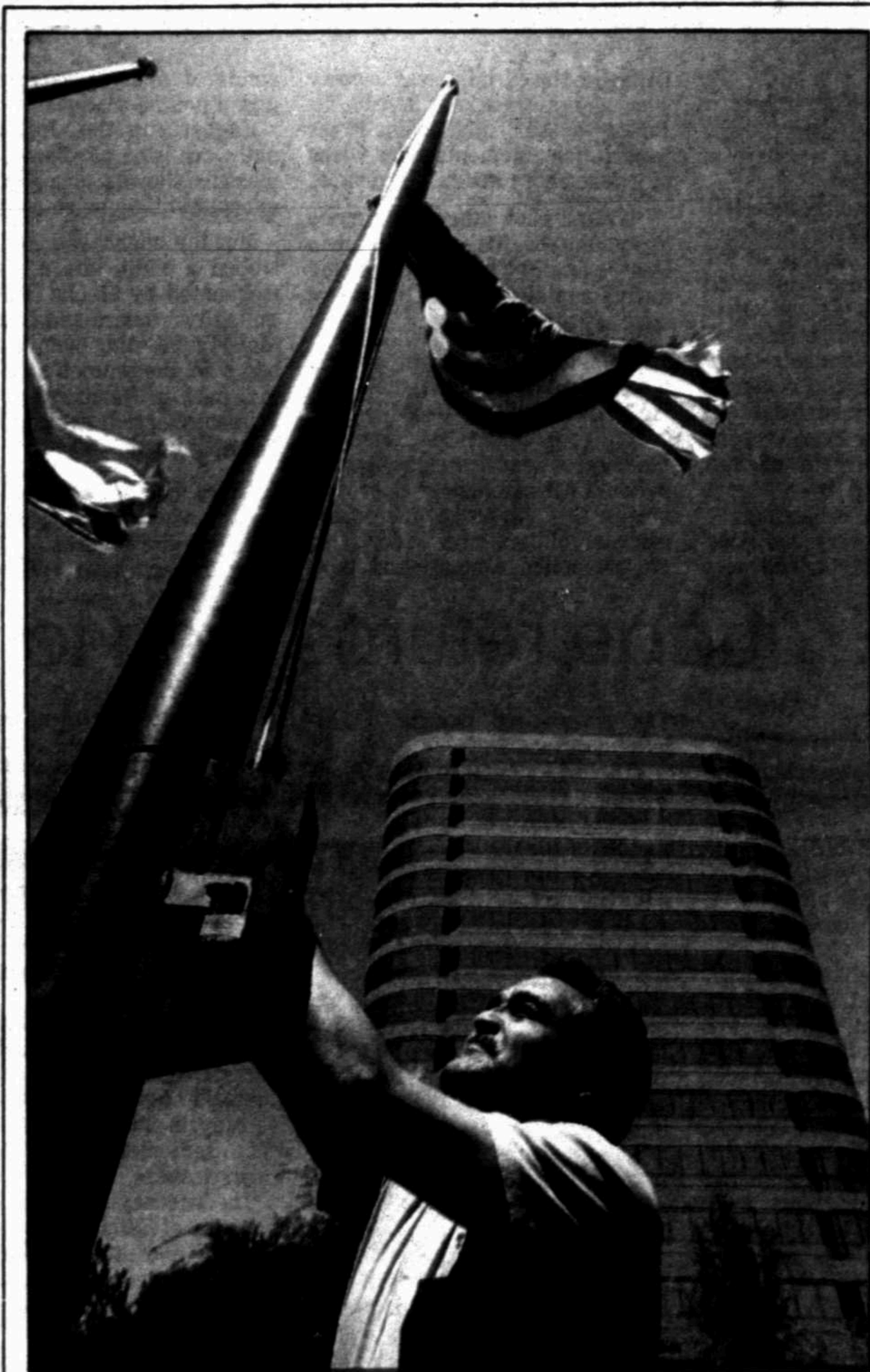
The teen had been convicted of hiring a hit man to kill a schoolmate and make his death by gunshot appear suicidal. The supposed Dallas-based contract killer, whom Sellars had paid \$80 of a promised \$500 on Nov. 7, 1992, was an undercover lawman who had

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Clay Sellars sits before the judge in Midland County Court house at his hearing Monday. The judge ruled to return Sellars to TYC.

Curt Wilcott
Reporter-Telegram



Midland Center employee Mac Vidal lowers the U.S., Texas flags at Centennial Plaza to half staff Monday in honor of former President Richard Nixon.

Nixon death may speed airing of White House tapes, papers

By Tim Weiner

N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — Richard M. Nixon's heirs plan to continue his 20-year-old fight to control more than 3,000 hours of White House tapes and 150,000 pages of presidential papers, his lawyer said on Monday.

But legal experts said Nixon's death may speed the release of the records, which are locked away at the National Archives and have never been made available to scholars or journalists.

The tapes and papers were a crucial battleground in Nixon's struggle to re-establish his reputation. Starting two months after he resigned as president in 1974, he filed lawsuits to stop the release of the records. The last lawsuit was filed

about 10 days ago.

But unless his family fights as hard and as well as he did, historians may soon be mining rich new veins of Nixon's hidden history.

"We can safely assume that Richard Nixon's tenacity in fighting this for 20 years does not mean that these materials will exonerate him," said Stanley Kutler, a University of Wisconsin historian who has sued to release the records. "They will solidify and enhance his complicity in the Watergate affair and in the whole record of what his attorney general, John Mitchell, was fond of calling 'the White House horrors.'"

Only 63 hours of the tapes, provided to the federal grand jury in the Watergate affair, have been made

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Bombers cut bloody swath on vote's eve

N.Y. Times News Service

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa — Bombs exploded across South Africa on Monday, hitting mainly black taxi stands and polling places in a crescendo intended to demoralize the new South African electorate on the eve of its first vote.

A few hours after the worst attack, a horrific morning blast that killed 10 and sprayed human body parts and mangled minivans across a taxi park in suburban Germiston, police said they were questioning a suspect and hoped for a breakthrough.

More than a dozen explosions were reported Monday, after a car-bomb detonated Sunday in downtown Johannesburg and killed nine people.

The explosions, most of them minor but ominous in their message, sent some panicky residents into a new frenzy of stockpiling household goods but seemed only to harden the resolve of black voters to exercise their first franchise.

Bolstered by the united condemnation of politicians and by their own lifetimes of being denied, even blacks who had been in the line of fire said they would not be frightened from voting.

"Someone is trying to scare us away

'Someone is trying to scare us away from the election. They are wasting their time. We are going.'

— Zole Mntsi,
South African
taxi driver



Candidate Nelson Mandela is greeted by supporters in Johannesburg.

from the election," said Zole Mntsi, who was sitting in his baby-blue minibus chatting with a friend when the Germiston blast suddenly lofted his vehicle into the air and smashed all the windows.

Swathed in bandages but unbowed, he returned from the hospital to retrieve his taxi and accept the condolences of whites who stopped to commiserate.

"They are wasting their time," he said of the spoilers. "We are going."

The first voters will be going today, to 500 select polling stations opened for the

Please see SWATH/2A

Coming soon to a theater near you: popcorn buffs' high-fat horror story

By Jeff Nesmith

N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — Theater popcorn is so full of artery-clogging saturated fat that you might as well take a bag of quarter-pound hamburgers to your next movie, the Center for Science in the Public Interest warned Monday.

CSPI nutritionists said they collected popcorn samples sold by six theater chains in Washington, Chicago and San Francisco and had them analyzed for calories, fat content and that worst fat of all, saturated fat.

The result: A typical 20-cup large tub of popcorn has as many as 1,100 calories and 77 grams of fat — including 55 grams of cholesterol-building saturated fat.

Add "butter topping" and you've got yourself 1,600 calories — as much heart-hurting fat as nine McDonald's Quarter-Pounders, said writers Jane Hurley and Stephen Schmidt in CSPI's newsletter, Nutrition Action.

Bill Cartozian, a spokesman for the National Association of Theater Owners, said the popcorn is made with butter.

Please see POPCORN/2A

District 3 City Council candidates differ sharply on priorities

Editor's note: This is the second of a four-part series on contested races in the May 7 city election.

By Michael Kashgarian

Staff Writer

Although both expressed concern about the spending of tax dollars, the two candidates running for City Council, District 3, are broadly separated in their priorities for the people and city of Midland.

The candidates vying to represent central Midland are Ed A. Vogler, 78, a consulting geologist and former airport advisory board chairman, and

Tom Dollahite, 61, a corporate aircraft pilot.

The incumbent, L.D. "Buddy" Sipes Jr., is not seeking re-election. He has held the seat for three years.

The two contenders to replace Sipes have expressed different thoughts on economic development, the plans for the new airport terminal, and qualifications for the job.

"I just think I have a different outlook. My motives are strictly to save money for the taxpayer (and work toward) more efficiency in government," Dollahite answered when asked why he thinks he's the better of

the two candidates.

Dollahite, a pilot for 35 years, said he wants to stop or modify the plans for a new air terminal that already have been approved by the council.

"I think it would just be frills if we built another airport," he said.

Dollahite said the present building is adequate and only requires renovation and some long overdue maintenance. He said the public should have voted on whether to build a new terminal.

And the candidate criticized a \$297,000 1992 airport study conducted

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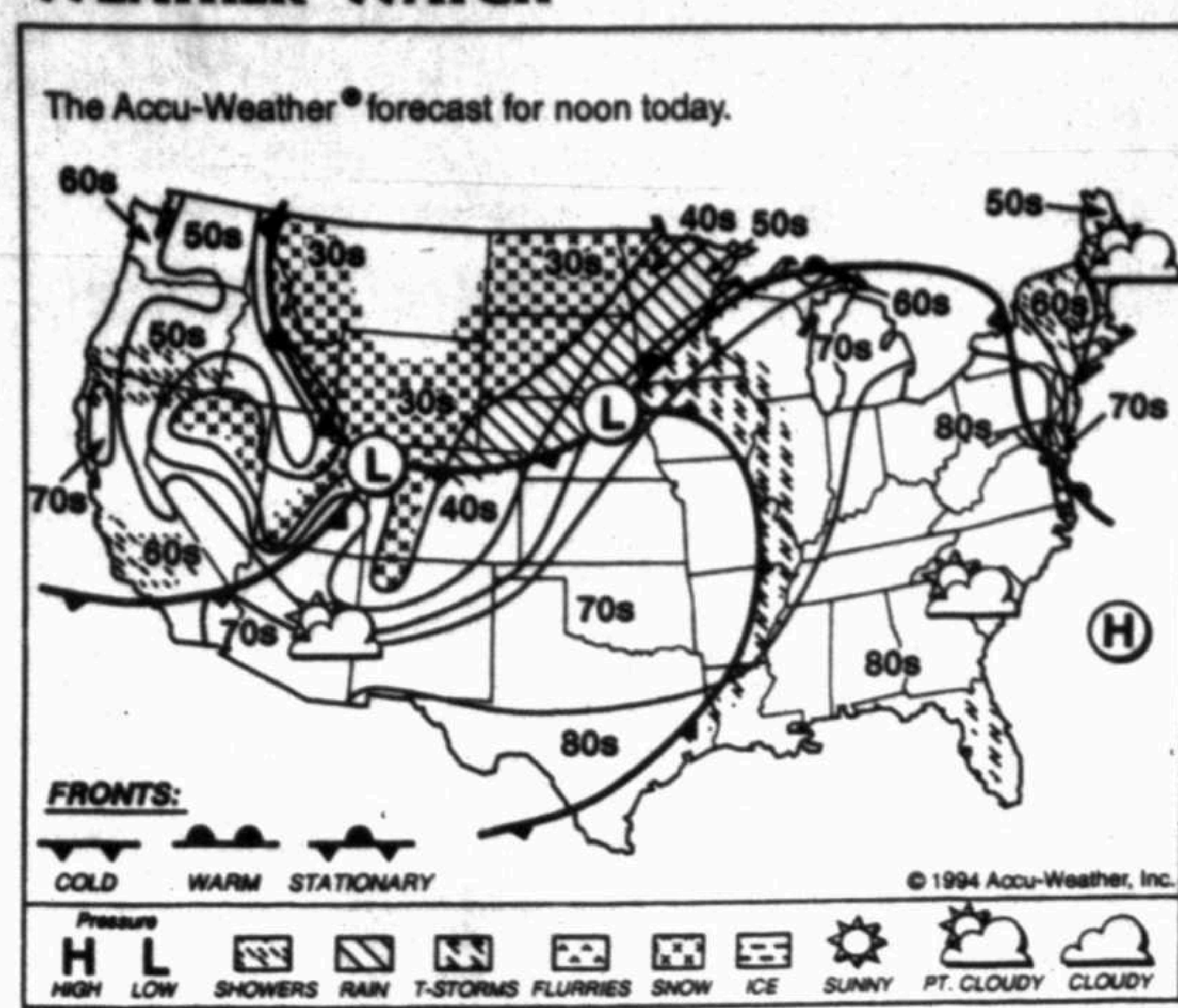


Ed A. Vogler



Tom Dollahite

WEATHER WATCH



Brace for more winds, 80s

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for sunny skies with a high in the mid-80s and southwest winds at 15-25 mph. Tonight should be fair with a low in the lower 50s, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Wednesday should be partly cloudy with a high around 80.

After an overnight low of 65, Monday's high reached 82, compared to the record high for that date of 98 set in 1943. The record low was 37 set in 1946.

STATE

About a dozen people were injured Monday when at least one tornado struck and a powerful thunderstorm shelled the northern part of the state with baseball-sized hail.

The tornado struck about 9:30 p.m. along Interstate 35 between Dallas suburbs DeSoto and Lancaster, according to amateur radio operators at the scene.

Damage included toppled cars and power lines downed across the highway. There were no fatalities reported as of 11:30 p.m., although Midway Park Medical Center had more than a dozen patients in its emergency room.

"We've got a lot of disaster victims," a hospital switchboard operator said. "I haven't seen any extremely bad traumas, but we're extremely swamped. Some people are very badly injured, but we don't know how badly."

Another hospital official said the injuries ranged from "minor to very severe." Ambulances were still bringing people in just before midnight. The twister developed from a violent storm system that tracked across North Texas starting at mid-afternoon. Based on hail damage alone, the insurance industry was braced for huge losses.

NATION

Thunderstorms and hail battered parts of the Midwest on Monday, while wintry weather chilled the West and high winds whipped blinding dust across sections of the Plains.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

Today: sunny, high in the mid-80s, southwest winds at 15-25 mph.
Tonight: fair, low in the lower 50s.
Wednesday: partly cloudy, high around 80.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High: 82 degrees
Overnight Low: 65 degrees
Sunrise today: 6:26 a.m.
Sunset tomorrow: 7:07 a.m.
Precipitation: 0.00 inches
Last 24 hours: 0.00 inches
This month to date: 0.00 inches
Year to date: 0.15 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

Time	Temp	Time	Temp
6 a.m.	68	6 a.m.	67
7 a.m.	72	7 a.m.	70
8 a.m.	76	8 a.m.	70
9 a.m.	79	9 a.m.	75
10 a.m.	73	10 a.m.	77
11 a.m.	71	11 a.m.	78
12 noon	69	12 noon	79
1 p.m.	68	1 p.m.	79
2 a.m.	69	2 a.m.	80
3 a.m.	69	3 a.m.	81
4 a.m.	69	4 a.m.	81
5 a.m.	69	5 a.m.	81
6 p.m.	69	6 p.m.	82

Area forecast

West Texas: Partly sunny. High in the mid-80s. Tonight, fair. Low around 60. Wednesday, partly cloudy. High around 80. Wednesday night, mostly clear. Low in the lower 50s. Thursday, partly cloudy and cooler. High in the mid- to upper 60s. Friday, partly cloudy. High in the upper 40s to near 50. High in upper 40s to lower 70s. Saturday, fair at night, mostly sunny during the day. Low in the mid- to upper 40s. High in the lower 70s. Concho Valley - Edwards Plateau - Today, sunny. High in the upper 80s. Tonight, fair. Low in the mid-50s. Wednesday, partly cloudy. High

POPCORN: Want a scare?

(From 1A)

ers, said CSPI was a "respected group" and its study would be sent to members, in case they wish to consider alternatives.

Still, he said, eating theater popcorn is not a daily habit of most people, just "an occasional indulgence."

"You buy a soft drink and some popcorn and sit down to watch a movie, you're not really on the Pritikin Diet or the Mayo Clinic Diet," Cartozian said. "You're just enjoying one of life's small indulgences."

The culprit in theater popcorn, says CSPI, is coconut oil, which most movie houses use to pop popcorn because it tastes so good. The trouble is that coconut oil is full of saturated fat, the kind that raises cholesterol.

The National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute's Cholesterol Education Program recommends that healthy Americans limit their daily fat intake to no more than 30 percent of total calories. The saturated fat portion of daily fat intake should be restricted to 8 to 10 percent of total calories, the government program says.

That means a 2,000-calorie diet should contain no more than 200

calories — or about 22 grams of saturated fat a day. A small, five-ounce order of "butter-topped" popcorn, about the least you can buy, was found to contain 22 grams of saturated fat in the CSPI survey. Eliminate the topping and you still get 14 grams of saturated fat, CSPI said.

The solution, CSPI said, is to start demanding air-popped popcorn, because even theaters that proclaim that they are using other popping oils, such as canola, may be using shortenings made from those oils — and all shortenings, regardless of source, contain a lot of saturated fat.

The Popcorn Institute, which represents America's popcorn processors, says Americans consumed a little over a billion pounds of popcorn in 1992. Popped, that comes out to 18 billion quarts, a spokeswoman said.

However, the institute could not say how much of this is eaten in movie theaters. About 30 percent is consumed "outside the home," in stadiums, movies and on the streets, she said.

Clarification

The Midland Celebration of the Arts Festival Days will be held May 7-8 at Midland Center and Centennial Plaza. Hours on May 7 will be 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. On May 8, hours will be noon to 5 p.m. The street dance, featuring Rick Trevino, is planned for 8 p.m. to midnight on May 7.

RECORDS: Nixon's heirs to continue fight

(From 1A)

public. Their famous passages include Nixon's advice that his aides "stonewall" federal investigators and his response to demands for hush money from the men arrested in the June 1972 break-in at Democratic Party headquarters in the Watergate office building: "You could get a million dollars. And you could get it in cash. I know where it could be gotten."

Patti Goldman, a lawyer representing Kutler, said "the struggle is over who will control the tapes, who will control what the public will see and hear." She added: "Nixon really didn't want the tapes out. I don't know if his goal was to delay their release until he died or longer. It may be that he accomplished what he wanted."

But Nixon's lawyer, R. Stan Mortenson, said the battle will not end with Nixon's death.

"The suits will continue," he said. Mortenson said Nixon had a right to privacy even after death, although he could not cite a legal basis for that concept. Other legal experts said the claim of privacy would diminish after Nixon's demise.

"Nixon's death weakens the privacy claim substantially," said Burt Neuborne, a professor at law

at New York University. Laurence H. Tribe, a professor of law at Harvard University, has said that while there has been no definitive ruling by the U.S. Supreme Court on privacy after death, other courts have held that the claim for privacy does not follow substantially beyond the grave.

Mortenson also said delays in the release of the materials were the fault of the National Archives, which "failed to do what it promised for 20 years" — segregate Nixon's private and purely political words from the records and return them to him. A spokesman for the National Archivist, Trudy Peterson, said she could not comment on matters in litigation.

Nixon incurred "a substantial cost" in fighting the release of the records, Mortenson said, but he would not be more specific.

A 27,000-page index of the tapes prepared by the National Archives shows they hold at least 200 more hours of conversations about the Watergate affair and hundreds of discussions of foreign policy, the foundation upon which Nixon's reputation as a statesman rests.

Topics covered in the 150,000 pages of presidential papers include former Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger's discovery that the Joint Chiefs of Staff had

sent an officer to spy on him; Nixon's 1977 presidential campaign, which many believe was shot through with dirty tricks and illegal contributions; the president's comments on members of the Supreme Court and a wealth of foreign-policy matters, Kutler said.

"If foreign policy is now to be the bedrock for the reinvention of Richard Nixon, then historians have a long, arduous task ahead," said Kutler, the Fox Professor of American Institutions at the University of Wisconsin and the author of "The Wars of Watergate" (Knopf, 1990).

"Our history is largely what Nixon and Kissinger have chosen to give us," he said. "Historians have to go far beyond the first draft of history. They live by documents. It's time to say: 'The envelope, please.'"

The struggle over the records began in October 1974, when Nixon sued for complete control, saying only he could make the delicate judgments on what should be kept secret and what should be made available to scholars and others.

Congress responded with a law ordering the National Archives to maintain the records and "provide the public the full truth, at the earliest reasonable date, of the abuses of governmental power

popularly identified under the generic term 'Watergate.'"

But it took until 1991 for the Archives to release the first full set of tapes given to the Watergate grand jury. Nixon had sought to block the release of 70 passages. An independent panel found that 42 of the passages should be made public, others should be kept private and still others were utterly unintelligible, maintaining that certain personal Nixon papers should remain confidential.

In litigation and negotiations over the papers, Nixon sought to bar their publication until the Archives withdrew files he found to be personal or purely political. Then he sued to block release of the remaining 200 or more hours of Watergate tapes, saying passages that might violate his privacy had to be spliced out of the tapes before they were released.

He also demanded that no tapes be made public until all had been edited and transcribed, which would likely delay their release until well into the 21st century.

This month, after the Archives proposed alternative ways to release the tapes, Nixon sued again. It turned out to be his last stand in the long battle to control the record of his presidency.

SWATH: Wave of bombings hits S. Africa

(From 1A)

elderly, the disabled and the imprisoned, followed by two days of universal suffrage.

Although no one took responsibility for the explosions, evidence mounted that the authors of the terror campaign were disaffected whites embittered about the loss of white control in South Africa.

One survivor of Sunday's explosion, in the commercial center of Johannesburg, told reporters he had seen two white men wearing the uniforms of private security guards running away from a beige Audi shortly before it blew up.

The survivor, Cherry van Heerden, 18, said he and a friend were

sitting on the curb five yards away when the men parked the car, according to the South African Press Association. Moments later wisps of smoke arose inside the vehicle.

"We tell each other, let's move away, maybe it's a bomb," van Heerden said. They were walking away rapidly when the blast knocked them flying.

This victim, too, said he still planned to vote, at the mobile polling station that will pass his bed.

The government has promised the biggest peacetime deployment in South African history to protect voters. Gert Myburgh, the deputy minister of Law and Order, said 100,000 police officers and thou-

sands of army reservists would guard polling stations.

Except for the Johannesburg and Germiston car bombs, the explosions showed no clear pattern except for the choice of targets.

Monday night two young men lobbed a bomb into a restaurant frequented by blacks in Pretoria, killing two diners and injuring 29. Monday morning someone left a bomb in the women's toilet at a taxi park in Randfontein, west of Johannesburg; it exploded without harming anyone.

Small bombs went off Sunday and Monday at polling stations in conservative suburbs of Johannesburg, in farm towns of the Trans-

vaal and in the great Karroo desert.

In Germiston, 200 pounds of explosives packed into a car trailer went off at 8:45 a.m., in the morning rush hour. Most of the 10 dead and 36 injured were blacks using the taxi park, but the blast also devastated a Portuguese-run convenience store and blew out windows in a home for homeless Afrikaners.

Germiston, which borders two volatile black townships, is to merge with them into a single municipality under the new order. The white local government has accepted the merger, but many white residents are furious.

RULE: Judge returns teen to youth center

(From 1A)

been notified of Sellars' scheme after Sellars had sought a friend to kill the classmate.

Instead the friend called law-enforcement officers, who then set out to check Sellars' plot and recorded telephone conversations with him.

Testimony in Sellars' determinate sentence trial in February 1993 indicated that Sellars, who had no previous problems with the law, was jealous of the intended victim and wanted to date the victim's girlfriend who had rejected his advances.

Sellars has been serving his sentence in the Giddings unit of the TYC. Because Sellars will turn 18 in June the judge was given the role of determining whether he should be returned to TYC, sent to

TDC or released outright in a release hearing.

Midland County Attorney Mark Dettman submitted a summary of a report prepared by TYC representatives to the judge. In the summary, Dettman said, was the recommendation by TYC counselors not to release Sellars because of a number of psychological factors which need to be addressed.

The report recommended Sellars be returned to the TYC for further counseling and that he not be released earlier than February 1995. Dettman told the judge he agreed with the report.

Sellars' counsel, Tom Morgan, told the judge he agreed the TYC recommendation would be appropriate.

Judge Al Walvoord complimented the TYC report calling it very thorough in covering every aspect

of the crime, treatment and observation of Sellars.

The judge asked both attorneys if there was anything else for him to consider before making his decision.

Dettman said the victim's family had been notified of the hearing and elected not to attend. Morgan pointed out to the judge that Sellars' family was present in the courtroom.

Morgan also informed the judge that while in Giddings, Sellars has completed his high school studies and will be the class valedictorian in May in addition to completing nine semester hours of college courses there.

The attorney also told the judge because of Sellars' "excellent demeanor and attitude" he was selected as a tour guide for the TYC facility when guests visit.

Walvoord said he reviewed the report and file from TYC and said he was thankful the state had not suggested sending Sellars to TDC because he felt that was "not appropriate."

He ruled to return Sellars to TYC for the officials there to consider his final date of release.

The judge told Sellars he reviewed his experience, characteristics, nature of the offense and manner it was committed in and said he was "confident you can contribute to society."

"I feel the victim's family is protected by the rehabilitative process you are going through. I feel it is appropriate for you to be returned to TYC," the judge said.

Sellars spent the night in Culver Youth Center and will be returned to the Giddings unit today.

RACE: Two vie for District 3 council seat

(From 1A)

by a Tulsa, Okla., company

as a "flawed report." He said the report repeated findings of an earlier study and "just went overboard in predictions."

On opposite ground, Vogler said he has supported the new airport terminal from a "business standpoint." An objective view of the facts concerning the airport warrant the new terminal, he said.

In addition to spending dollars on a new airport, Dollahite also has taken issue with the city's allocation of dollars to the Chamber of Commerce. State law permits the City Council to give up to 1 percent of the general fund to organiza-

tions for economic development.

"I feel we are not getting a fair return on our money," Dollahite said. He suggested not spending the money and cutting taxes with the savings, or put the funds to another use.

Vogler, on the contrary, said he supports the Chamber of Commerce and Forward Midland in their work with the city in economic development.

In fact, economic development and diversification are on top of the list of priorities for Vogler in his election bid.

"Between the two of us (candidates), I favor economic development, whereas my opponent

doesn't," Vogler said.

Dollahite said economic development should be in line with the growth of the city and not pushed prematurely.

Vogler emphasized that: "We must look forward. We cannot look backward."

He criticized Dollahite's views and goals as unrealistic. The place on the council only allows for one vote, Vogler said.

"He's making promises he cannot keep. He should be in Washington," Vogler said.

In addition to economic development, Vogler expressed a concern for tax dollars expenditures. He describes himself as always being "an outspoken critic" of tax dollar

waste.

Vogler said he is better qualified for the position "because I've spent more time working with the various taxing entities — the hospital, county and the city."

Vogler has served on several civic organization boards and has been commended by the city of Midland and the Texas Legislature for his community services, he said.

"I feel like I've worked making Midland a better place to live," he said.

General election day will be May 7. Swearing-in ceremonies are scheduled for June 6 at the City Council chambers.

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3-4-8

Haitian soldiers massacre at least 23 Aristide backers following raid

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — Soldiers massacred at least 23 fishermen and merchants in a west coast slum loyal to ousted President Jean-Bertrand Aristide, witnesses and human rights advocates said Monday. It followed a wave of attacks on Haiti's pro-democracy movement.

The soldiers raided a seaside neighborhood in the west coast city of Gonaïves on Saturday, firing shots in the air but causing no reported injuries.

Hours later, they returned and began shooting indiscriminately at people gathering firewood on the beach. The troops also commandeered rowboats and attacked fishermen off shore. The weekend attack was first reported

Monday.

The killings come as Washington has toughened its stance against the military, which has dominated Haiti since ousting the elected Aristide in a 1991 coup.

Up to 3,000 people, many of them Aristide supporters, have been killed since 1991 in political violence.

"I think this is a continuation of the effort to decapitate the democratic movement in Haiti," Ira Kurzban, the U.S. counsel for Aristide's government, told The Associated Press from his office in Miami.

The seaside Raboteau slum where the attack took place has been the scene of struggles recently between Aristide

supporters and militants of a neo-Duvalierist paramilitary movement, the Front for the Advancement and Progress of Haiti (FRAPH).

Residents and the pro-Aristide Haitian Information Bureau said the attack began with a raid on the slum in Gonaïves, 100 miles north of the capital Port-au-Prince.

Soldiers who said they were looking for armed Aristide partisans shot into the air, roused people from their beds and roughed them up, witnesses said.

The soldiers returned at dawn Saturday, firing at embarking fishermen. They commandeered rowboats and hunted down fishermen and merchants bringing in goods.

The bodies washed ashore gradually: three on Saturday and at least 20 from Sunday to early Monday afternoon, said the witnesses, speaking on condition of anonymity.

By Monday, many Raboteau residents had left their homes for fear of further attack.

There was no immediate comment from state radio or from the military.

Gonaïves led the struggle to topple the 29-year Duvalier family dictatorship in 1986, and the city was a stronghold of support for Aristide in his overwhelming electoral triumph in 1990.

On April 17, a FRAPH militant, Pierre Paul Camille, was beaten, presumably by Aristide partisans, the inde-

pendent Tropic F.M. radio reported. The next day, FRAPH militants set up barricades of flaming tires, the radio reported. Soldiers raided Raboteau and beat up its residents.

About 500 soldiers subsequently participated in regional sweeps, demanding ransoms from peasants to escape arbitrary arrest and raping women and young girls, the pro-Aristide Haitian Press Agency reported.

The U.S. Coast Guard, meanwhile, shipped back 98 Haitian boat-people who had been intercepted trying to flee their troubled homeland. U.S. Embassy spokesman Stanley Schrager said 18 of the refugees were detained by Haitian authorities after being repatriated.

Socialists walk away from Japan's governing coalition

N.Y. Times News Service

TOKYO — Tsutomu Hata took office on Monday as Japan's 51st prime minister, but his fractious governing coalition disintegrated Tuesday morning as the largest party in the group bolted and left Hata heading Japan's first minority government in four decades.

The decision by the Socialist Party to back out of the coalition stripped Hata of his narrow majority in Parliament and immediately cast into grave doubt his ability to enact a series of steps sought by the United States.

These measures include an economic stimulus program, deregulation of the economy, steps to open Japanese markets to imports and a solid stand against North Korea in the effort to force it to accept nuclear inspections.

The Socialist Party's move

came after its members discovered what they called a plot by the rest of the coalition to freeze them out of the new government.

Only last Friday, the Socialists joined with other members of the coalition that has governed since last summer to designate Hata as the successor to Prime Minister Morihiro Hosokawa, who resigned over a financial scandal.

Their action plunges Hata's government into a crisis before he has had time to choose his cabinet or even move into the prime minister's residence. Without the Socialists, he commands only 182 votes in the lower house of Parliament, well short of the 256 he needs to pass legislation.

For his government to survive, he essentially faces three choices. He can try to set off another political earthquake that would allow him to pull in 70 or more defectors

from the defeated Liberal Democratic Party, which has 206 members. He can call new elections. Or he can attempt to lure the Socialists back.

The first option seems the most

likely. The Liberal Democrats ran the country without challenge for 38 years until they were ousted last summer in a coup Hata helped lead, and they have been disintegrating ever since.

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Burundi teeters toward anarchy, diplomats say

N.Y. Times News Service

BUJUMBURA, Burundi — Diplomats and government officials are concerned that Burundi, which reflects the same ethnic divisions as Rwanda, could follow its blood-drenched neighbor into anarchy.

The last few days have seen an intensification of fighting that broke out in the capital's suburbs last month between the army, which is dominated by the minority Tutsi, and militants of the majority Hutu.

On Sunday the army shelled Kamenge, a northern suburb where Hutu militants are holed up, and the Hutu issued a communique saying they planned to "liberate" the country.

More clashes have been reported in the countryside, where Hutu have barricaded themselves behind roadblocks and trenches intended to halt army vehicles. The influx of mostly Tutsi refugees from Rwanda has also touched off revenge killings against Hutu in Burundi.

The army says it plans to disarm the city and the country by force, but diplomats and relief officials say such an attempt would set off an all-out war.

The army also said Monday that on Sunday it had foiled an attempt by Tutsi paratroopers to oust the interim president, Sylvestre Ntibantunganya. The army chief of staff, Col. Jean Bikomagu, said several people had been arrested.

As one Western diplomat put it: "You have to be extremely optimistic to say that things will get better. We've had six months since the coup and things have just rotted."

"It can't stay in limbo forever. Something will have to give. There is no reason to think that there will not be many, many innocent people killed."

Thousands of residents have fled. Many business people and government officials, worried about security, sleep across the border in Zaire and commute to Bujumbura, 20 miles away.

Embassies have reduced their staffs and stand by for evacuation.

Diplomats say the fighting is not merely a spillover from the massacres in Rwanda but is rooted in ethnic and political tensions that have grown since last October, when Burundi's first democratically elected president, a Hutu named Melchior Ndadaye, was killed in a failed coup.

Ndadaye was the country's first Hutu leader; his election marked the end of centuries of Tutsi dominance. But neither Ndadaye nor his Hutu successor, Cyprien Ntaryamira, were able to end the Tutsis' hold on the military, the country's most powerful institution.

The killing of Ndadaye was part of a paroxysm of violence that left up to 100,000 dead and forced tens of thousands of Hutu into Rwanda.

Hutu and Tutsi militancy intensified in Burundi after the assassination, with both sides feeling they had been cheated of power. In January and February, Tutsi extremists paralyzed the capital with strikes.



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Bosnian Serbs block aid convoy; copters evacuate more wounded

■ Serbs appear to abide by cease-fire, to be withdrawing from Gorazde.

Associated Press

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina — Bosnian Serbs blocked a U.N. aid convoy headed for Gorazde on Monday despite pledges to allow free access, but appeared to be moving heavy weapons farther away from the Muslim town as demanded by NATO.

U.N. helicopters evacuated 91 more wounded people from the besieged Muslim enclave for treatment in Sarajevo. Hundreds more were waiting flights.

The Serbs mostly halted their assault on Gorazde on Sunday, more than a day after NATO threatened air strikes if they did not immediately cease fire and withdraw armor and artillery 1.9 miles from the town center.

NATO commanders sought U.N. permission to conduct air strikes Saturday, but the chief U.N. official for former Yugoslavia, Yasushi Akashi, refused. U.N. officials explained Monday that he did not want to jeopardize a truce agreement he had just worked out with the Serbs.

NATO officials said Monday the alliance received assurances its warplanes would be allowed to stage bombing runs if Bosnian Serbs ignored the NATO warnings.

The Serbs appeared to be abiding by the cease-fire and by the orders to withdraw.

"We have good news from Gorazde," said a U.N. spokesman, Maj. Guy Vinet. "The situation is quiet."

... There's some sporadic small-arms fire, but it's very little."

Cmdr. Eric Chaperon, another U.N. spokesman, said "all heavy weapons are believed to be out" of the exclusion zone. He said some Serb infantry were still on the right bank of the Drina River, which divides Gorazde, but it appeared they would withdraw.

Chaperon said indications were that the Serbs were pulling farther back to meet NATO's demand that their troops be at least 12.4 miles from Gorazde by early Wednesday.

As they pulled back Sunday, Serbs burned houses and blew up a water treatment plant, but U.N. officials said they were generally satisfied.

NATO has also demanded freedom of movement for U.N. personnel and unrestricted access for humanitarian convoys to Gorazde, Sarajevo and four other Muslim enclaves that the United Nations has designated "safe areas."

About 350 peacekeepers moved to Gorazde over the weekend and a humanitarian convoy delivered 90 tons of aid Sunday.

But Bosnian Serbs blocked a second aid convoy at the Yugoslav border Monday, claiming it had no clearance, aid workers said.

"Basically, they are delaying the convoy," said Peter Kessler, a U.N. spokesman. "There is no freedom of movement."

The deputy commander of Bosnian Serb forces, Gen. Milan Gvero, said Serbs had withdrawn outside the exclusion zone and fulfilled their agreement to allow humanitarian aid into Gorazde and medical evacuation operations.

Children exposed to radiation mark Chernobyl blast

JERUSALEM (AP) — About 200 Jewish children exposed to the world's worst nuclear plant accident marked the eighth anniversary of the Chernobyl explosion by releasing 1,000 balloons on Monday.

The balloons symbolize the children from Ukraine and Belarus who have been brought to Israel for treatment for radiation.

"My mother sent me here because she was afraid I would become sick and there would be no doctor to take care of me," said 12-year-old Zalman Chenov. "I'm glad to be here, but miss my mother and my friends. They are not as lucky to be here as I am."

Chernobyl reactor No. 4 exploded on April 26, 1986, releasing a cloud of radioactive particles. The explosion killed at least 32 people,

and thousands may have died from radiation exposure. The accident contaminated a huge area and forced the evacuation of tens of thousands of people.

According to the World Health Organization, thyroid cancer among children in the Chernobyl contaminated area is a thousand times above the norm and is expected to increase over the next 50 years.

Since August 1990, the ultra-Orthodox Chabad movement has brought 950 children to Israel. A group scheduled to arrive in June will bring the 1,000th child. Chabad is a movement of Lubavitcher Hasidim, followers of the New York-based Rabbi Menachem Schneerson.

In Moscow, a solemn memorial service for Chernobyl victims was

held Monday in the ornate Epiphany Cathedral.

In Kiev, only 50 miles south of the plant, Greenpeace announced plans to erect a model of the sarcophagus enclosing the damaged reactor Tuesday on St. Sophia Square.

French and German researchers have warned that the concrete and steel shell, eroding from severe weather, might not last more than five years.

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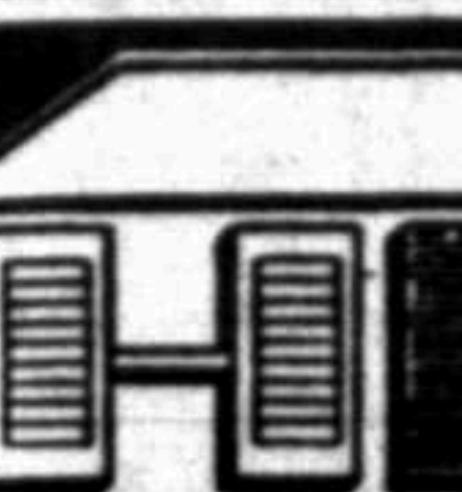
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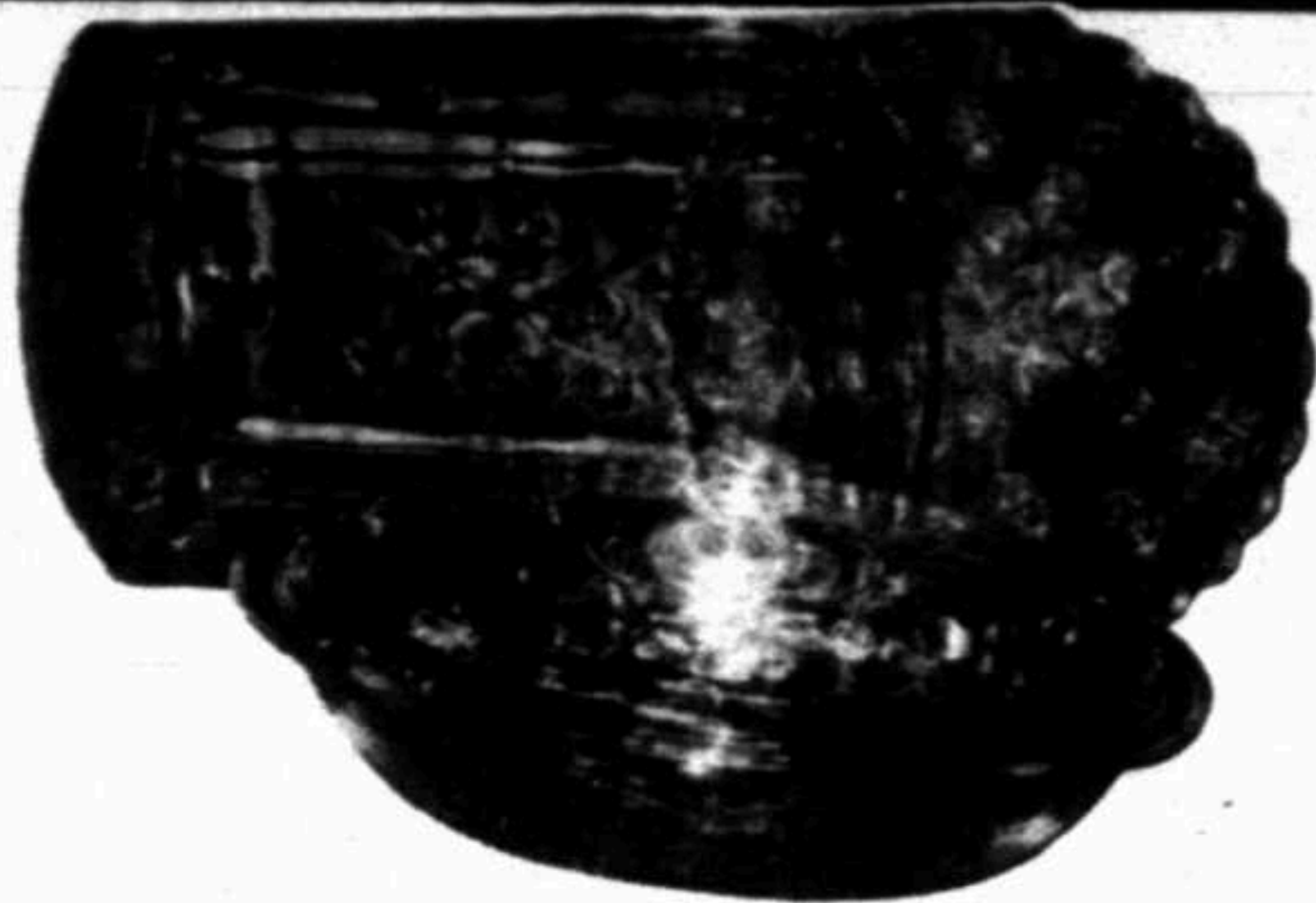


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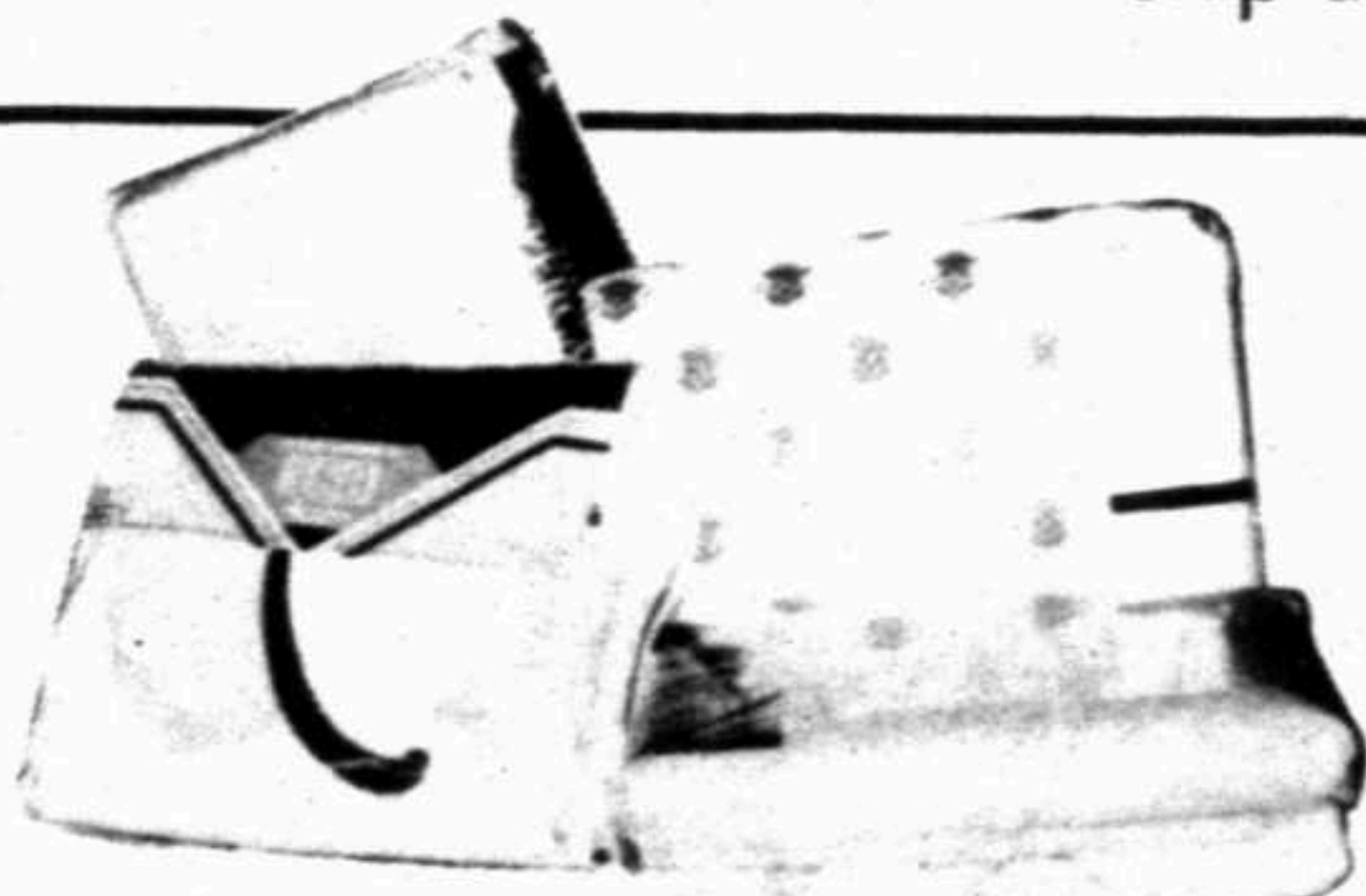
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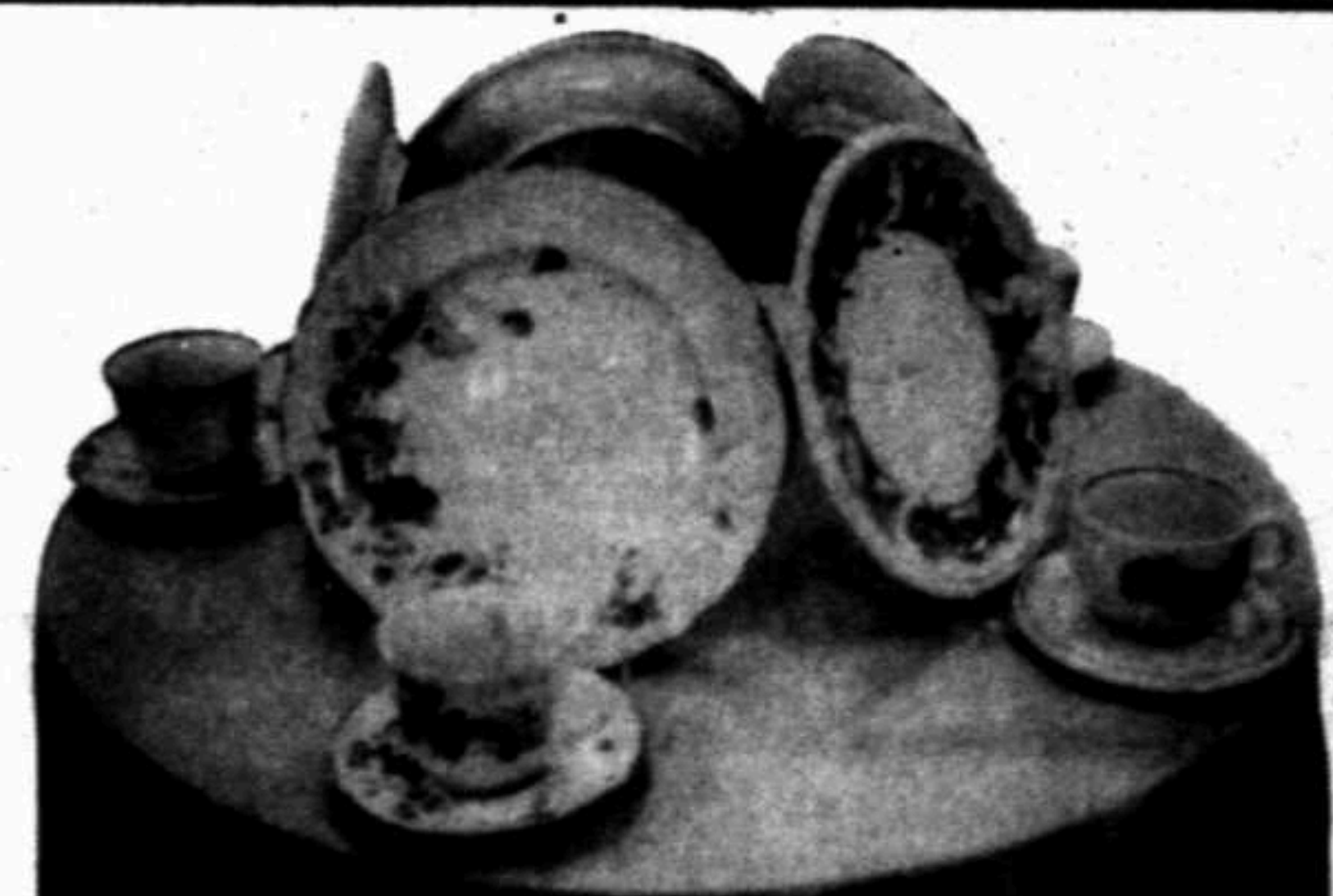


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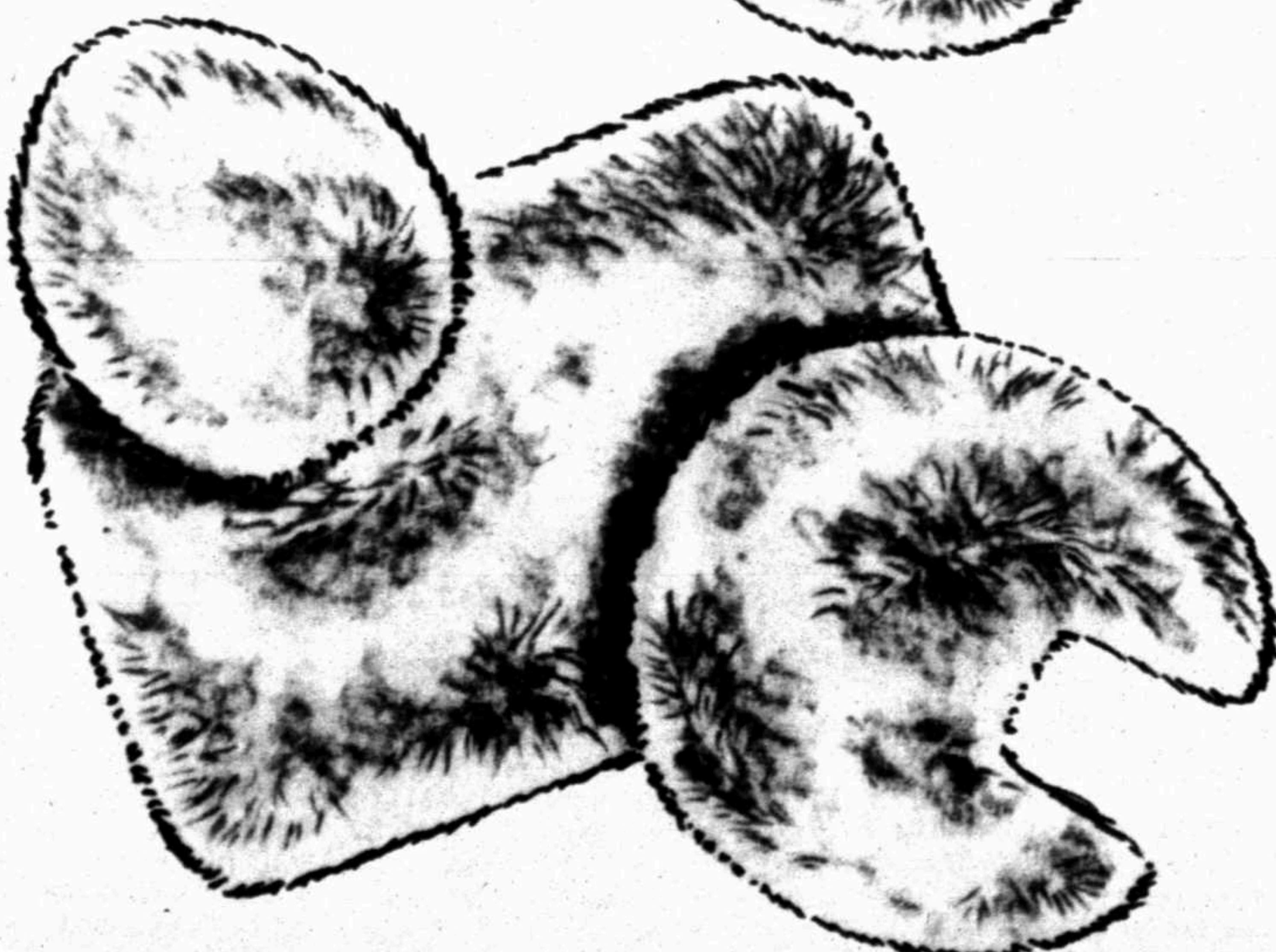
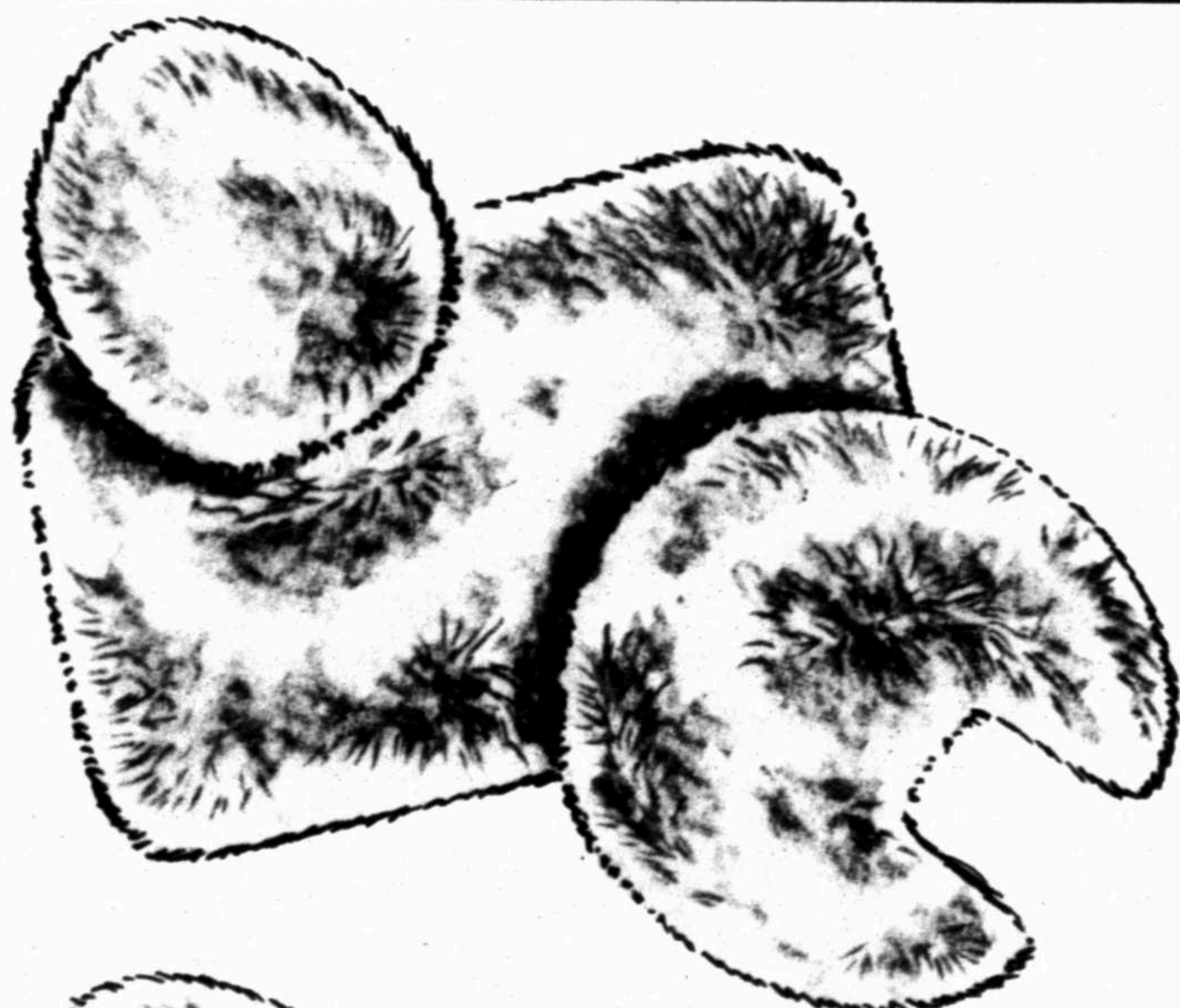
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D-Day memories will include Miller

In 1943 and 1944, Army Air Corps cadets training at Yale University marched to New Haven's town green every day behind an extraordinary band with an extraordinary leader, Capt. Glenn Miller.

It was wartime. Miller had broken up his phenomenally successful dance band to enlist, and the Air Corps had him assemble bands for its U.S. posts.

Miller picked the best musicians he could get for the band at Yale, which he then proceeded to conduct — on campus, where his music filled the cavernous dining hall daily at lunch time, off campus at War Bond rallies and hospitals, on network radio and, starting in the summer of 1944, for the troops in Europe.

To mark the 50th anniversary of D-Day this year, the Yale Concert Band has re-created the Miller band (officially the 418th Army Air Forces Training Command Band) complete with familiar Miller arrangements and authentic shoulder patches on their khakis.

The band leader, Thomas Duffy, a professor at Yale's School of Music, has taken off the beard he sported for 25 years and put on steel rimmed glasses to resemble the popular maestro.

The professor and his "troops" head for England and France next month and will be playing somewhere over there on June 6, the date Allied forces landed on the beaches at Normandy in 1944.

The Miller band went over after D-Day on the

Queen Elizabeth. The Duffy band will fly, earning air fare by painting the Yale Bowl's 17 miles of benches. A recent preview concert in New York City was a trip back in time — "St. Louis Blues March" time, "Buckle Down, Winssocki" time, "In the Mood" time.

According to band master Duffy, band master Miller was undaunted by Army regulations that said bands have 28 members and one officer. He wanted more, including 20 strings, so he assigned 28 men to the band and the rest to the training command. One of those 20 strings, Bob Ripley, plays cello today in the Boston Symphony.

The Yale senior Syam Gadde, a music major, is Miller's pianist, Cpl. Mel Powell, in the re-created band. Cpl. Ray McKinley, on drums, is played by Jim Allen, a graduate student working on a master's degree in percussion.

Sgt. Hank Freeman, lead alto sax for Miller, is the freshman Colby Keith, and Pfc. Steve Steck is the sophomore Else Festeren, one of a half-dozen women in the 1944 band. In civilian life, those 1944 non-coms had played with Benny Goodman, Tommy Dorsey and other big names of the big band years.

Glenn Miller was lost on a flight over the English Channel in mid-December 1944. A half century later, a band of young musicians pays tribute to his talent and embellishes memory with stirring melody on the anniversary of a heroic day.

CHARLEY REESE

Snakes: Some like them, many don't

The Alameda Newspaper Group, run by my old pal and former boss Dave Burgin, has banned pictures of snakes "until a snake actually holds up a bank, is nominated for a Cabinet post or wins the Super Lotto."

I'm not surprised. Dave doesn't like snakes. To put it mildly, he is like saying Stalin was not fond of political opponents. Actually, I'm not that fond of them myself, but Dave, besides being one of the last of the great newspapermen, is living proof of my theory that if we think intensely about something, we will attract it.

I've lived in Florida for over 30 years now. I hunt. I fish occasionally. I've camped a lot and hiked and gone canoeing. And honestly, I haven't seen that many snakes. I've gone years without seeing a snake. That's because snakes are shy.

But Dave has a genuine phobia about snakes. When he first came to Florida, he bought a house in the burbs. The very first day he took occupancy, he walked outside and there was a water moccasin relaxing in his swimming pool. The odds against that happening have got to be in the millions. You see, he attracted the snake.

On the other hand, the snake held no attraction for Dave, who retreated to the second floor of his home. He called the real estate agent who had sold him the house and in language I shall not repeat suggested that the agent come instantly and remove the snake or he, Dave, was backing out of the purchase. Even now, safely in California, Dave is convinced there are millions of snakes in Florida. Actually, there are now more Yankees.

In contrast to Dave, another old friend, Arthur Jones, the inventor of the Nautilus machine, loves snakes — poisonous snakes. Jones reminds me of Ambrose Bierce and Mark Twain.



Reese

He was fond of saying, in his growling voice, "You want to see the future? Go to Calcutta. That's the future."

His idea of a solution to the drug problem is make students line up by their lockers, check them with a drug-sniffing dog, and when you find drugs, shoot the student in the head on the spot. Another of his fond sayings was, "The only things worthwhile in life are bigger crocodiles, faster airplanes and younger women."

He also raised crocodiles, but his real love, next to younger women and airplanes, was snakes. He kept a large room full of poisonous snakes from all over the world. He had some rattlesnakes that were 10 feet or so.

It was a bit creepy to walk into the room with glass cages floor to ceiling and hear all the rattling and hissing, and to see all the cobras

with their hoods flared out. Once when he was being interviewed by a television lady, Arthur tossed the rattlesnake he was holding on the floor at her feet — just to see how fast she could move. Pretty fast, he said.

How conservative is Arthur? Well, he once decided to do some pilot TV shows at his studio with Gordon Liddy of Watergate fame, and invited me to be a test guest. When Liddy got off the plane, Arthur grinned his grim grin, stuck out his hand and said, "Hi, I'm Arthur Jones, and compared to me, Mr. Liddy, you're a (expletive) pinko liberal."

He and Dave are the two extremes on the snake question. I'm in the moderate middle.

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WILLIAM MURCHISON

Why can't decent people just get angry?

The longshoreman-philosopher Eric Hoffer expressed wonderment 20 years ago at the inability of decent people to get angry. Mr. Hoffer, call your celestial of-

fice: They're less able today than ever. Moral indignation, when it can be mustered, is what you level at smokers, gun owners and capitalists. Genuine moral evil less commonly gets people worked up — or anyway worked up enough to give the malefactors their deserts.

Often enough, we shake our fists at murderers. The needle, give 'em the needle! is our cry. Then, having passed sentence, we drag our feet; excuses and fresh concerns wear down our collective resolution and, ultimately, our conviction that murder is a horrible thing, deserving, where circumstances warrant, the taking of the murderer's life.

Texas' top criminal court is today's case in point. The court, on a 5-4 vote, in effect flung open all the cells on death row, inviting the 375 inhabitants to step forward and assert once more their innocence.

The court said 30-year-old Gary Graham, who on eyewitness testimony was sentenced to

death for murder in 1981, is entitled to petition for a retrial. He must be allowed — 10 years after the same court affirmed his sentence — to showcase new testimony that he was somewhere else when the murder took place.

The court says he must show "that no rational trier of fact could find proof of guilt beyond a reasonable doubt" — a tall mountain to climb. But if he doesn't succeed with the trial court, back he can go to the criminal appeals court. And back and forth, back and forth, until the state wearies of trying to execute him. Meanwhile, other inmates resort to the same gambit.

Death penalty foes are ecstatic. Their tactics are Fabian: They mean to wear down the state until, its resolution lost, it substitutes long imprisonment for capital punishment. In that circumstance, the convicted murderer — poor lamb! poor victim of deprivation or bad genes or (as in another Texas case) "urban survival syndrome" — steals himself to the prospect of watching TV and eating taxpayer-funded meals for a couple of decades, pending his "re-entry" into society.

It is necessary to observe, before proceeding, that we don't want the opposite circumstance either — courts refusing obstinately to be fair; closing eyes and ears tightly to the prospect that this or that prisoner might actually be innocent.

We are very far from that. The nearer temp-

tation is belief in guilt but chiefly as an abstraction — not as something to be punished by "extreme" measures like capital punishment. Who is "we"? In Texas, that would mean the voters, who biennially decide on the court's membership. If the voters wanted the death penalty in fact as well as theory, they would insist on it.

Modern people, as Eric Hoffer noticed, have a hard time getting angry. This stands to reason. A century of beaverish effort by the left aimed at discrediting received norms of right and wrong, good and evil, has taken its toll. Maybe we've no right to get angry. Who's to say we're better — any of us — than the prisoner in the handcuffs?

Doubts of this sort, multiplied by news coverage, eat at our civic morale and our resolution to act, collectively at least, in defense of our own standards. One can sympathize too much with the hooded hangman; so can one sympathize too much with the convicted murderer — whose victim, amid all the furor about endangered rights, lies 6 feet under, deprived irrevocably of the most minimal human joys.

Gary Graham's victim was a Houston businessman, Bobby Lambert. Avenging Bobby Lambert doesn't look like the Texas justice system's highest priority.

William Murchison's column is distributed by Creators Syndicate.



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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Tuesday, April 26th, the 118th day of 1994. There are 249 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History: On April 26th, 1986, the world's worst nuclear accident occurred at the Chernobyl plant in the Soviet Union. An experiment involving the No. 4 reactor went awry, causing an explosion and fire that sent radioactivity into the atmosphere. At least 31 Soviets died in the immediate aftermath of the accident.

On this date: In 1607, an expedition of English colonists, including Capt. John Smith, went ashore at Cape Henry, Va., to establish the first permanent English settlement in the

Western Hemisphere.

In 1785, the American naturalist and artist John James Audubon was born in Haiti.

In 1865, John Wilkes Booth, the assassin of President Lincoln, was surrounded by federal troops near Bowling Green, Va., and killed.

In 1900, seismologist Charles Richter, who devised the earthquake-measuring scale that bears his name, was born in Hamilton, Ohio.

In 1937, planes from Nazi Germany raided the Basque town of Guernica during the Spanish Civil War.

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LETTERS

Mayor shows support for bird sanctuary

On behalf of the Friends of Eos Wildlife Refuge Center and Woody and Midge Erskine, I want to express my appreciation of Mayor J.D. Faircloth. At the March 8 City Council meeting concerning the bird sanctuary and rehabilitation center, Mayor Faircloth was the only one of the seven council members to speak or vote in the Erskines' favor.

The Friends of Eos are very concerned that the Erskines be allowed to continue their work as they have these past 23 years. "The Bird Lady" is a unique and valued asset to Midland, and we sincerely thank Mayor Faircloth for his support of her and her work. Hopefully she will be allowed to continue.

Nancy R. Anguish
Midland

Mayoral candidates must care for city

The mayoral race is beginning to have the earmarks of a dirty campaign. It is my opinion that anyone running for a position such as mayor, must really care for the city in which he resides, knowing that the "salary" won't

begin to cover the time that will be spent fulfilling the duties of that office. The candidate must realize that his personal life and business dealings will be scrutinized closely by persons wishing to throw a bad reflection upon the opponent.

Perhaps we should all sympathize with the "normal" people who can and occasionally do, overlook an error — instead of standing behind the type of candidate who will try to gain favor with voters by placing a negative image on the opponent.

It seems to me that any candidate, especially an incumbent, who stoops low enough to take up time digging up dirt on his opponent must not have much confidence in his ability to obtain votes otherwise.

Phyllis N. Peek
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City Council needs Vogler as member

Since the 1990s appear to be the decade of the environment, how fortunate it is that Ed Vogler is running for City Council.

As a certified professional geologist, Ed has been working with environments, both past and present, some 45 years.

Ed singlehandedly gathered

data, prepared maps, and made the presentation that demonstrated the Concho Valley Snake was not endangered by the construction of Stacey Dam and Lake Ivey. This reservoir will provide much of Midland's water supply for the foreseeable future. Already, irresponsible environmentalists are circulating rumors that the Concho snake will be endangered by shadows from a proposed bridge.

Ed Vogler is needed on Midland's City Council.

J. Keith Somerville
Environmental Chairman, Society of Professional Earth Scientists
Midland

Area voters choose conservative values

I am very proud to have the signs of winners displayed on my lawn, namely Jeff Norwood and Marvin Moore. The voters of Midland County have restored my faith in the people by voting for conservative values rather than being bamboozled by "high-powered" rhetoric.

I want to thank Larry McMillon and conservative Republicans for their letters of information about the candidates. The liberal wing of the Republican Party is doing its

best to go against the party platform and change it to include those liberal views. If this occurs, then the Republicans will not stand for anything different than the Democrats. The voters once again have desired to keep our great city and country in conservative hands and that is what makes this community so great for our families.

We must remember that we do have "very liberal" Republicans and also "very conservative" Democrats, and we have to look hard at the individual first, the party second. In the fall of 1994, I, and my family, will give our support to James Brooks for county commissioner, Precinct 2.

In the past, the sheriff and tax assessor-collector were singled out for large budget cuts while at the same time "non-elected" officials seemed to get budgets that reflected huge increases. Therefore, all the money removed from the two budgets did not reduce the county expenditures by one cent.

I welcome the fresh voices and faces to our county government and trust that each new official will first "serve the citizens" and not be "self-serving" to their own agendas. Good luck to Jeff and Marvin!

Mrs. Frances Sheffield
Former Tax Assessor-Collector
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Roman Catholic priest gets four life sentences for altar boy's rape

BROCKTON, Mass. (AP) — A retired Roman Catholic priest convicted of raping and sodomizing an altar boy was sentenced Monday to four life prison sentences. That wasn't enough for the victim.

"I still wish him dead. There is no forgiveness for what he did," William Wood, now 27, said after the sentencing.

The Rev. John R. Hanlon, 65, was ordered to serve three concurrent life sentences by Superior

Court Judge Courtland Mathers, making him eligible for parole in 15 years, when he would be 80. Mathers suspended a fourth life sentence.

Hanlon was convicted last month of sexually assaulting Wood at a summer cottage in Scituate in 1980 and 1981. At the time, Wood was an altar boy at St. Mary's Church in Plymouth, where Hanlon was the pastor.

"You had to be stopped at all

cost. The sentence you receive will be minuscule compared to mine," Wood, 27, said in a statement before the sentencing.

Wood, who gave the media permission to use his name, said he remains active in the Roman Catholic faith. "I'm not going to condemn a whole group for one person," he said.

In the courtroom in support of Wood were several victims of James Porter, a former Roman

Catholic priest convicted of molesting children while serving in the Fall River diocese in the 1960s.

Porter, who pleaded guilty in New Bedford under a plea bargain in December, and has acknowledged molesting dozens of children, received a sentence that requires him to serve a maximum of 20 years in prison, but could make him eligible for parole in six years.

Hanlon made no comment either

in court or after sentencing. He was convicted at the end of his second trial; the first trial ended last year with jurors unable to agree on a verdict.

His attorney, Marshall Johnson, said he would appeal the conviction. The judge rejected Johnson's plea to delay the sentence until after the appeal.

Cardinal Bernard Law, archbishop of Boston, said after the sentencing: "The way ahead is

one of reparation, healing and forgiveness. My prayers are with all those who have been touched by these events: those bringing charges, Father Hanlon, their families, the staff and parishioners of St. Paul's in Hingham."

Hanlon also may face a trial on child rape charges in Vermont in a case involving Wood's brother. A Vermont prosecutor was in the courtroom when the sentence was handed down.

Mourners inundate Nixon's hometown

YORBA LINDA, Calif. (NYT) — With the body of Richard M. Nixon expected to arrive here today to lie in state, nearly 15,000 mourners have already visited the birthplace of the former president, many bearing flowers and messages of condolence, the police said Monday.

Local officials and advance parties from Washington were busy throughout the day preparing for an influx of dignitaries, reporters and the public in advance of funeral ceremonies Wednesday, at which President Clinton is to be joined by all four living former presidents.

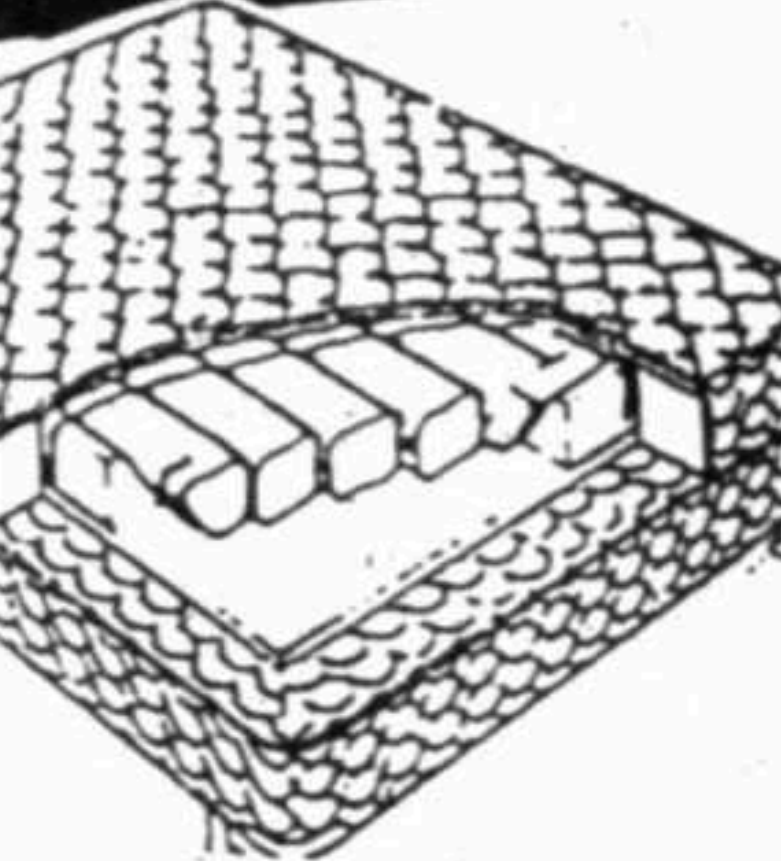
"I'd like to think we have things under control; we're just taking it a moment at a time," said Gayle Anderson, the chief of protocol for Orange County, who is coordinating transportation and accommodations for hundreds of official visitors in this town of 56,000 about 35 miles south of Los Angeles.

As of Monday morning, she could only guess at the number and official ranks of the dignitaries who will attend. Even as library officials rushed to organize security and seating, they said they did not yet know what heads of state or other dignitaries to prepare for.

"We're finding out," said Kevin Cartwright, a spokesman for the library, when asked how many visitors could be accommodated on the nine-acre site.

Nixon's body is to arrive today at El Toro Marine Corps Air Station in the company of his family and then lie in state overnight in the lobby of the library, where marines were already arranging flowers and testing the lighting Monday.

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DAY WATCH

Day of mourning

AUSTIN (AP) — Wednesday will be a state day of mourning in Texas out of respect for former president Richard Nixon, who died Friday. Gov. Ann Richards signed a proclamation Monday that noted President Clinton's request that Americans honor Nixon's half century of public service.

Richards proclaimed Wednesday "a day of mourning in state government." She said state offices, agencies and departments would be closed "as an appropriate tribute to our 37th president."

Jail funds

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Ann Richards says she has found \$1 million in her budget to help pay for additional jail cells for state prisoners.

Richards said Monday that the money will come from the governor's office budget, including savings in personnel expenses and reduced travel.

The money will help fund the 15,000 new emergency state jail beds approved in January.

"It is one way to tell our law enforcement officers who make the cases that send criminals to prison that we support them with more than just rhetoric. We will put our money where our mouth is," Richards said.

The state's prison system currently is filled to capacity, with some 30,000 state convicts backed up in county jails awaiting transfer. Texas is in the midst of a massive prison-building program designed to nearly double the system's size within the next few years to about 145,000 beds.

Burglary alert

Persons having information concerning burglaries in any area should contact the Police Department at 685-7108 or Crimestoppers at 694-TIPS.

TODAY'S AGENDA

The 710 Club of Alcoholics Anonymous meets Monday-Friday at noon, 5:30 p.m. and 8 p.m., 710 W. Ohio. For more information, call 682-8162.

The 710 Club of Al-Anon meets Tuesdays at 8 p.m., 710 W. Ohio. For more information, call 682-8162.

Sack Lunch/Parent Education Mtg. for answers and information, Alamo library, 12:00-1:00 p.m.

Overcomers Christian Recovery Support Group, Christ-centered 12-step support group, 7 p.m., 4405 Princeton, 697-3101.

Midland Chess Club, 7 p.m., Memorial Rehabilitation Hospital. Divorce Support Group, 7:00 p.m., 2103 W. Louisiana Ave., Timothy Center. First Baptist Church, Information 682-1646.

Battered Anonymous Support Group, 6:30-8 p.m., 689-8428.

PDAP, parents and relatives of young people with problems, 7:30 p.m., First Baptist, 685-0586, ages 14-17 room 260, ages 10-13 room 251.

Optimist Club of Midland, noon, Hilton Hotel.

Battered Women's support group, 6:45 p.m., 683-1300 or 1-800-967-8828.

Duplicate Bridge Club, 1 p.m., Allison Bridge Center.

Tx TOPS Morning Chapter, 8:30 a.m., Grace Presbyterian Church.

Morning Lions Club, 6:45 a.m., Carrows Restaurant, 2201 W. Wall St.

Pop-Up Toastmasters, 6:30 a.m., Ramada Hotel, 699-3408.

55-Plus Dance Club, 8 p.m., Eagles Club, 697-3131.

Midland West Rotary Club, noon, Furr's Cafeteria.

Midland Chapter No. 253, OES, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple.

Fraternal Order of Eagles Auxiliary, 8 p.m., at the Aerie Home, behind Rogers Ford, 697-3131.

Licensed Vocational Nurses Assoc 7:30 a.m., Trinity Towers.

Ranchland Hills Ladies Association, 7 p.m., Couples Bridge, RHCC.

Toastmistress Club 7:30 p.m., Memorial Christian Church.

National Association of Retired Federal Employees 2 p.m., Midland Senior Center.

Golden Park Independent Retirement Community, 3100 W. Kansas Ave. 699-0914 Senior Citizens Brunch, 10:30 a.m.

Novice duplicate bridge, Allison Bridge Center, 7 p.m. 682-4461

Midland County Young Democrats, 5:30-6:30 p.m., 3802 Avondale Dr. 684-5548 or 694-4152.

Knights of Columbus, Our Lady of Guadalupe, 69215, 7:30 p.m., Parish Hall, Cherry Lane & Tyler.

Inmates to clean county building

County commissioners hope to save money with plan for inmates to clean Law Enforcement Building.

By **Tonie Miller-Uzzel**
Staff Writer

Midland County commissioners hope to save the taxpayers some money by utilizing jail inmates to keep the Law Enforcement Building clean instead of contracting the service for an estimated \$16,000.

The commissioners were considering bids for janitorial services for county-operated buildings during their regular meeting Monday morning when they made the decision to use inmates to save county funds.

"The inmates are thrilled to get out there and work. I visited with the ones at the cemetery ... and they were doing a good job," Commissioner Louisa Valencia said.

She added having the inmates work also benefits the operation of the jail because inmates are on their best behavior so they can earn the privilege of being selected to get out and work.

While looking over the bids submitted, Ms. Valencia commented that \$16,000 could be saved annually under the new janitorial contract with American Building Maintenance Company if the inmates were in charge of the LEB.

The janitorial contract was awarded for \$97,000 for the cleaning services for the courthouse, library,

Culver Youth Home, the tax building and the extension service building.

The commissioners questioned the sheriff's chief deputy regarding if the sheriff would be receptive to the idea, and it was feasible for the jail.

Midland County Chief Deputy Jim Chancellor said he spoke with the sheriff and the jail administrator, both of whom were supportive of the proposal.

He also responded to commissioners' questions regarding the supervision of the inmates. He said having the manpower to supervise the workers in the LEB would not be a problem, and no extra supervisors should be necessary.

To begin with, he said, the inmates could use the

Please see **COUNTY/2B**

Sheriff's office considers idea of boot camps

By **Katherine Poteet**
Staff Writer

Law-enforcement officials, city leaders and legislators around the state are searching for answers to the ever-increasing problem of more criminals and fewer places to put them.

Regional jail facilities, decreased jail time and the changing of some felony crimes to misdemeanors have been some of the ideas put into place to ease jail overcrowding.

Another idea the Midland County Sheriff's Department has been looking at is boot camps — designed to put non-violent inmates from ages 17-26 through military-type discipline and offer the education and training for possible job opportunities later on, according to Midland County Sheriff Gary Painter.

The sheriff, who responded to questions concerning boot camps at a community meeting on Monday, emphasized that the camps were only an idea the department had been considering.

"This is strictly in the discussion phase," he said. "There is no proposal or plans to put this into place. And, there is no guarantee that it would pass the Commissioners' Court."

Lydia Evaro-Torres, secretary for the Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce and mediator for the discussion, said that although the boot camps were just an idea, it was important to get the community discussing it.

"Too often, we come in after the fact," she said. "I think it is important to have discussion on this idea before it is actually proposed and put into place."

Painter said a boot camp would differ

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Students study local teens' buying habits

Staff Report

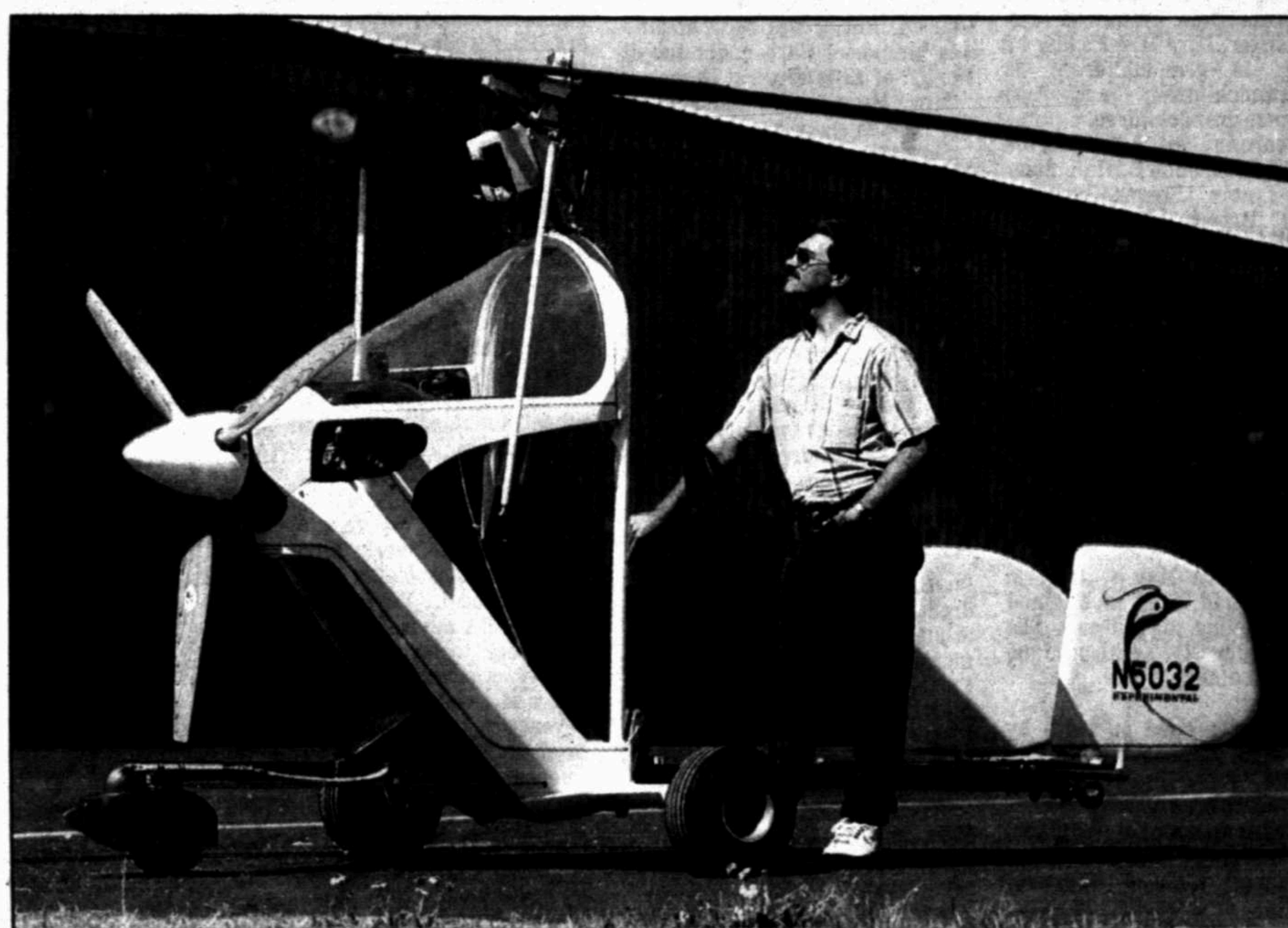
Three Midland High School students recently took the Midland Chamber of Commerce's Buy the Basin campaign to heart and launched a research study of their own.

Karrie Robertson and Leah Reed served as project chairpersons of a study of local teen shopping habits. Student Ruben Vargas Jr. later joined the project. The study was part of a DECA Chapter II Creative Marketing Research Project that won top state honors and is currently at the National DECA Competitive Events Program in Detroit.

Miss Robertson said, "In trying to select a research project for state competition, we decided to do a follow-up of a similar project presented by students in 1978 which addressed general retail issues on a broad target population. Because I was familiar with Buy the Basin

Please see **BUYING/2B**

INTRODUCING



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Midlander Mark Hallett will soon see the gyroplane he flew on display at the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C.

Midland pilot gets place in flying history

By **Tonie Miller-Uzzel**
Staff Writer

Years from now Midland pilot Mark Hallett may be able to take family and friends to the Smithsonian National Air and Space facility and show them the historic gyroplane he flew.

Hallett was contacted in 1988 by a gyroplane creator, David Gittens, about flying a plane he wanted to test market and sell.

The pilot said he was impressed with the gyroplane — the Ikenga 530Z — from the first time he flew it. He said only a few changes were made to the machine after it flew, but it "flew right off the drawing board which is amazing."

He said he spent two weeks studying the plane before he would attempt to get it off the ground. Hallett said he got a feel for the machine and made a few minor adjustments before taking it in the air.

Hallett said the Ikenga's design is unusual and caught people's attention at airshows across the country.

Hallett has been a professional pilot for about six years and has been around gyroplanes since he was a child. He said his father built gyroplanes and flew them every weekend.

The formal definition of a gyroplane is an airplane balanced and supported by the aerodynamic forces acting on rapidly rotating horizontal or slightly inclined airfoils.

The gyroplane flown by local pilot, Mark Hallett, is scheduled to go to the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C. in May and is tentatively scheduled to appear in an exhibit called 'A Dream to Fly.'

Hallett said gyroplanes can fly as high as airplanes, although the feel is much different. The engine is in the front, and the plane resembles a motorcycle with a windshield on the front but open-air from there on.

The Ikenga cruises at 80 mph, has a range of 320 miles and a service ceiling of 14,500. When it was created in 1988, it was made in kit-form and cost about \$10,000, Hallett said.

Hallett said he was "very proud the Smithsonian has an interest" in the plane.

"Airplanes are accepted by the Smithsonian every day," Hallett said.

The plane is scheduled to go to Washington, D.C., in May and is tentatively scheduled to be in an exhibit

called "A Dream to Fly."

However, Hallett said it will cost an estimated \$7,200 to transport the plane to the museum.

He said he hoped the Ikenga will be displayed with a Benson gyroplane, which was the first gyroplane marketed to the general public.

"I would like to see the old with the new," Hallett said. He added he had a "feeling of pride" that he has been the only pilot of the Ikenga, which will soon hang in the Smithsonian.

He said in addition to trying to generate interest and funds to send the Ikenga gyroplane to the Smithsonian, he hopes to earn his certification to train people how to fly gyroplanes.

Anyone interested in helping sponsor the gyroplane's trip to the Smithsonian can contact Hallett at 699-2449. He said he would also be willing to show the gyroplane to anyone interested in the flying machine.

GARY OTT

How many people care about Arnolds' marital woes?

More rambling thoughts ...
— You know America's future is on shaky ground when the most insightful question a young person can come up with for the president is whether he prefers boxer shorts or briefs.

— What's really scary, though, is that the rest of us actually care about his answer.

— Some people can wear flowery clothes and look good; others can't.

— I belong to the latter group.

— One of these days Americans are going to have to start caring about what is happening in Bosnia.

— Unfortunately, I don't think we're there yet.

— Money might not be the root of all evil, but I've seen it corrupt an awful lot of otherwise decent people.

— I hate Mondays.

— Does anyone still do yoga?

— I would think the scariest thing about becoming a parent is that you might have a child that you just genuinely don't like.



Ott

— I mean, it has to happen occasionally. You look at the kid and think, "Yuk."

— The fact I would think such a thing is probably reason enough for me to remain childless.

— Many individuals, usually men, try too hard to be cool.

— People should not blow their nose in public.

— Will wide lapels on men's sports coats ever make a fashion comeback?

— I hope not.

— Does anyone care if Roseanne and Tom Arnold get a divorce?

— It's hard to get too excited about a heavyweight boxing match these days, especially since the pre-fight hoopla is beginning to resemble the nonsense that surrounds professional wrestling.

— Are there any adults out there who really believe pro wrestling is on the up and up?

— Are there any children who believe it?

— Some people like to talk just to hear themselves talk.

— I have been accused of being such a person. Falsely accused, I might add. If you don't believe me, sit down and let me spend an hour and a half proving

my point.

— Am I the only person who has never heard of Kurt Cobain until he committed suicide?

— John Lennon was my favorite Beatle.

— I still get a slight knot in my stomach just seconds before an airplane takes off.

— Always expect the worse, and you'll never be disappointed.

— I like people who are generous with money without coming across as ostentatious.

— Are there any men still alive who actually wear pajamas to bed?

— It has been said many times before, of course, but grown men should not wear black socks with their sandals.

— Call me weird, but I like windy days.

— No matter how much I liked a particular candidate, there's no way I'd ever put up a sign in my yard.

— And today's final quote comes from Joni Mitchell, who once said, "They paved paradise and put up a parking lot."

Gary Ott is managing editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

DEATHS

Lorene Mullins

HASKELL — Services for Lorene Mullins, 86, of Lubbock will be at 2 p.m. today at First Baptist Church in Haskell with the Rev. Tim Turner officiating. Burial will be in Willow Cemetery in Haskell under the direction of Holden-McCauley Funeral Directors in Haskell.

Mrs. Mullins died Sunday.

She was born in Comanche County on April 23, 1908. She moved to Haskell County in 1922 where she married Johnnie Mullins on Sept. 29, 1926. She was employed at Personality Shop in Haskell for 25 years, retiring in 1983. She moved to Lubbock two years ago. She was a member of Fidelis Sunday School class at Haskell First Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Johnnie Haskell, in August 1975, two sisters, Mamie Welch and Ora Pennington, and three brothers, Marvin Welch, Arvil Welch and Mancel Welch.

Survivors include two sons, John W. Mullins and W. Royce Mullins, both of Lubbock; three daughters, Barbara Clarkson of Lubbock, Marie Brown of Farmington, N.M., and Norma Dale Linton of Midland; a sister, Lora Mae Mullins of Haskell; 16 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Royce Wayne Mullins, John D. Hall, John Dalton Linton, Steve Clarkson, Randall Brown, Eric Nelson, Steve Collins and Mike Curry.

Eloise Smith

ANDREWS — Graveside services for Eloise Blanch Smith, 85, of Odessa will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Resthaven Memorial Park in Midland under the direction of McNett Funeral Home in Andrews.

Mrs. Smith died Sunday at an Andrews nursing center.

She was born May 4, 1908, in Blum. She had lived in Midland prior to moving to Andrews. She married James D. Smith in June 1957 in Lamesa. She was a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by her husband, James Smith, in January 1975, and a brother, Jessie Hittson, in February 1992.

Survivors include a daughter, Betsy Wheat of Odessa; three sons, Harrol Kolb of Andrews, Doyce Kolb of Granbury and Carol Kolb of Paul, Ohio; 13 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Anna Torrance

ODESSA — Services for Anna Torrance, 88, of Odessa will be at 2 p.m. today at First Baptist Church in Odessa with John Rasco officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Memorial Gardens in Odessa under the

direction of Frank W. Wilson Funeral Directors in Odessa.

Mrs. Torrance died Saturday at an Arlington hospital.

She was born Dec. 28, 1905, in Stamps, Ark. She married Miller Torrance on Jan. 1, 1921, in Ranger. She moved to Odessa from Wink in June 1958. She was a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Miller Torrance, on May 12, 1965.

Survivors include two sons, R.H. Torrance of Houston and Don M. Torrance of Odessa; four daughters, Jo Ann McKissack of Pearlsall, Helen Speegle of Arlington, Dorothy Haden of Midland and Jerry Carruth of Arlington; a sister, Margie Charles of Greenfield, Ohio; four brothers, Billy Andrews, Ray Andrews and Claude Andrews, all of Breckenridge, and Clarence Andrews of Kearney; 12 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; and seven great-great-grandchildren.

Maria Madrid

Services for Maria V. "Pino" Madrid will be at 11 a.m. today at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. Burial will be in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Madrid died Saturday at her residence.

Survivors include her husband, Henrique Madrid of Midland; a son, Antonio Villa of Midland; three daughters, Ramona Samaniego, Olivia Bueno and Rita Bueno, all of Midland; a brother, Joe Villa of Arlington; four sisters, Benita Mendoza of Woodlake, Calif., Margarita Marmolejo and Isabel Romero, both of Midland, and Rachael Heredia of Visalia, Calif.; nine grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Mildred Gordon

Graveside services for Mildred J. Gordon of Midland will be at 2 p.m. today at Resthaven Memorial Park with the Rev. Bob Porterfield officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Gordon died Monday at a Stanton nursing-care center.

She was born Oct. 7, 1905, in New York state.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Albert H. Gordon.

Survivors include two stepdaughters, Dorothy Pezzette of Dallas and Gail Lehr of Houston; a stepson, Jimmy Gordon of Gordonville; nine grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Arthritis Foundation, Northwest Texas Chapter, 3145 McCart Ave., Fort Worth, 76110, or American Heart Association, 3525 Andrews Highway, Suite 111, Midland, 79703.

MOHRE representatives to attend AARP convention in California

Staff Report

Representatives from the Midland-Odessa Health & Retirement Endeavor will travel to Anaheim, Calif. the first week in May to attend the biennial convention of the American Association of Retired Persons.

MOHRE President Ray Stafford and MOHRE Executive Director Mary Larsson say they hope to educate AARP members about the benefits of retiring to Midland-Odessa. MOHRE will have a booth at the convention and talk to retirees about the quality of life in West Texas.

By attending the convention, MOHRE representatives can reach an anticipated 30,000 AARP members from across the nation attending the convention. The booth will include brochures about retirement in Midland-Odessa and will be staffed by MOHRE officials and community volunteers who will invite retirees to visit Midland-Odessa.

The MOHRE group hopes to better acquaint retirees on a national

level about the quality of life in West Texas.

POLICE REPORTS

Arrest

ODESSA — An Ector County Jail inmate was back in custody Monday after escaping from jail Sunday evening.

Sydney Hugh Padgett, 37, was arrested about 2 p.m. in San Angelo after allegedly stealing a vehicle in Odessa and robbing a convenience store in San Angelo, according to Odessa police officials.

Padgett was charged with eight counts of robbery — six in Odessa, one in Midland and one in San Angelo — and convicted and sentenced to 99 years in prison for one of the counts. Officials said Padgett escaped

COUNTY: Commissioners hope plan will save money

(From 1B)

jail's cleaning equipment until the county can see how well the project will work out. He said if the program is successful, then the county may need to purchase equipment such as a buffer and a vacuum cleaner.

"If ya'll are willing to try it, we are too," Chancellor said to the commissioners.

The Commissioners' Court, minus an absent Win Brown, all concurred to try using the inmate labor.

Ms. Valencia commented on the savings for the county if this proposed program succeeded.

"That's why I proposed the use

of the inmate labor — to save money," said Commissioner Henry Goulet.

In other Commissioners' Court actions, the court endorsed a resolution condemning federal and state unfunded and underfunded mandates.

County Judge Charles "Bro" Seltzer encouraged the commissioners to approve the resolution.

The resolution indicates the unfunded and underfunded mandates have increased in recent years, and although they may be needed, many restrict local decisions from being made and are inflexible.

The resolution also notes that the federal and state mandates

don't consider local resources and often entail a local tax increase.

Seltzer said by endorsing the resolution the county can keep state and federal officials better informed of how mandates affect the county. The judge also suggested passing on copies of the resolution to other local taxing entities for their approval.

Commissioner Guy McCrary questioned how the county could keep the state and federal entities informed of the impacts of their mandates without additional work, but said he agreed with the theme of the resolution, asking what the county could do differently.

Seltzer said simply by endorsing the resolution and sending it on to the federal and state legislatures would help. He said he would also send copies to state and U.S. representatives and senators.

"I'm tired of being told by the federal legislature and the state legislature how to do things and then have to come up with the money, too," Goulet said. "I don't mind telling them we don't appreciate it."

"We're sick of the mandates, but what can we do?" Ms. Valencia asked the court.

"If we don't complain, then they won't know we're sick of it," Seltzer said.

CONSIDERS: Decision process to include residents

(From 1B)

from a work farm in that the latter would consist of inmates over the age of 26 who had been convicted.

"A work farm is basically an extension of the county jail," he said.

"They would work on public and county projects. A boot camp is part of the probation department and is mostly for first-time offenders. They would be under military-type discipline all the time, would have educational programs, a GED program available to them

and alcohol and drug counseling.

Our goal with the boot camp would be to turn these kids into productive citizens who have a mature attitude and can enter the work force," he continued.

He said state criteria for the boot camp were the 17-26-year-age requirement and that the inmate has had no record of violent crimes or a violent background. Other criteria probably would be added, he said.

The sheriff and probation de-

partments would oversee the camp, which Painter said he would like to see as a maximum-security facility.

"If it is a minimum-security facility, I would like to see high fences and wiring," he said. "This type of facility would be for inmates who are not the type to cut and run, but it is still our responsibility to protect the community."

When asked if Midland residents would be included in the process for deciding if boot camp would

come to the city, Painter said yes.

"The citizens, I believe, would have ample input," he said. "It would be our goal to find a spot that would be neutral to everyone, that would not be a problem with any citizen."

Although Painter visited a site on Lamesa Road in conjunction with the boot-camp idea, he said the site was used only as a point of discussion.

"We are nowhere near choosing a site for a boot camp," he said.

BUYING: Students research Midland's teen market

(From 1B)

efforts, I thought it would be more relevant to look at the shopping habits of the teen market."

DECA or Distributive Education Clubs of America places high school students in work study environments to gain career experience. Miss Robertson works at the Midland Chamber office, Miss Reed works for Wal-Mart, and Ruben Vargas, Jr. works for Russell Freeman & Associates Interior Design. Ruben L. Vargas serves as their DECA advisor.

"I feel teens are often overlooked as a valid consumer market, and I wanted our research to reveal our purchasing power, the products we purchase, and the influence we have on our parents' purchasing habits," explained Miss Reed.

Five hundred surveys were distributed and 150 teenagers responded, which is considered an

excellent response percentage. Following are some of the findings:

■ More than half of teens surveyed work part time; they have money to spend.

■ Some 37 percent spend between \$50-100 per month, and another 27 percent spend over \$150 per month.

■ According to the teens surveyed, more than half of their parents spend between \$50-150 per month on their teens.

■ Forty-two percent of the respondents said they had some influence over their parents' shopping habits depending on the item, and another 18 percent said they almost always influence all items purchased within the household.

■ In responding to the merchandise purchased, 87 percent said clothing, 80 percent said entertainment, and 48 percent said special occasion items.

■ Almost half of the teens surveyed make 5 to 7 purchases each month.

■ In relation to shopping locally, 74 percent said that they often make purchases out of town, 11 percent said they always make purchases out of town while only 26 percent never make purchases out of town.

■ Of the teens surveyed, price and variety of selection were cited as the reason for shopping out of town. More than half of the teens surveyed desired more clothing and discount stores.

Miss Robertson said, "One of the biggest surprises in the survey results was the high number of teens saying they often or always shop out of town."

"We wanted to tie into the Buy the Basin campaign because we felt like this would be a positive way to educate teens about shopping locally because they in turn

became the adult buying market. In a much broader way, Buy the Basin stresses the importance of our community as a whole. That is another great message for teens," said Miss Robertson.

Midland chamber spokesperson Bruce Pertain said, "The project is valuable for two reasons. First, it shows local merchants the power of young shoppers, through the teens' own pocketbooks and those of their parents. Many businesses already treat these customers well; others will probably take notice now. Secondly, these DECA students exemplify the quality of young people interested in business. The chamber is proud to have been a part of this project."

Results of the DECA Creative Marketing Research Project were presented to both the Midland Chamber of Commerce and the Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce.

Governor assesses first term, looks to campaign

By Diana R. Fuentes
N.Y. Times News Service

AUSTIN — A confident Gov. Ann Richards said she relishes the prospect of a tough election challenge by George W. Bush, saying the former president's son ought to fix the Texas Rangers rather than run for the state's top political job.

Assessing her first term in office, sketching goals for a second term, and talking about campaign strategy, Richards appeared to be relaxed over lunch last week at the Governor's Mansion.

Meeting with editors and reporters from the San Antonio Express-News, she put aside her trademark humor to state her belief that Bush... well, that he does not belong in the same league.

Richards said one big first-term disappointment was her failure to win a pay raise for school teachers, an unkept campaign promise she said she intends to fulfill in a second term.

If voters return her to Austin, her goal is to continue a search for ways to reform Texas' public

schools and the way they are financed — without significant new revenues.

Richards appeared to be invigorated by the prospect of campaigning with U.S. Senate candidate Richard Fisher. Richards described it as "a good ticket."

"If we turn out our vote, we win," the seasoned campaign-trail rider flatly predicted of her race against Bush and Fisher's bout against U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison.

As the eldest son of the former president, Bush, general partner in the Rangers, has built-in financial and political support, she said, but she added that's not going to be nearly enough.

Bush's political experience consists mainly of a failed 1978 run for Congress and helping on his father's campaigns. The Richards-Bush contest pits an acknowledged master of political gamesmanship against name recognition and deep pockets.

Recalling her upset victory in 1990, Richards described setting the stage for some of Republican

frontrunner Clayton Williams' headline-grabbing gaffes, which some believe cost him the governor's mansion.

In a memorable election moment, Williams angrily refused to shake hands with Richards at a public function, making him look churlish and unstatesmanlike.

Richards readily admitted she offered him her hand because she knew he would reject it.

Casting about for an appropriate final comment on Bush's candidacy, she settled on: "He's a nice young man from a nice family."

Bush is trying to make education a major issue.

"Everybody wants a quick fix," she said. "There is none. Education is an evolutionary process. It takes time to make changes because it is such a mammoth institution, involving so much personnel."

Even before she took office, Richards said, she knew local districts had to have more power and flexibility. But knowing something and making it work are two very different things, she said.

Trust fund to help Odessa fire victims

Staff Report

ODESSA — A trust fund has been set up for a couple and their young daughter, whose trailer home burned down Saturday evening. Anyone wanting to make a contribution can at Bank One, account number 1882724246.

Earl and Bridgette Parsons and their 3-year-old daughter, Savannah, lost their home at 2409 Mockingbird in Odessa. Nothing was salvageable after the fire.

Anyone who wants to donate household goods, furniture, food or clothing are asked to call 580-0843 before bringing the items to 2617 San Andreas in Odessa.

Officials hope to line DFW with shops

GRAPEVINE (AP) — By this time next year, travelers may be able to buy more than a magazine and a beer at a Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport shop, officials said.

Under a plan adopted by the airport's board of directors last week, as many as 96 specialty shops will line the walls of the airport's four terminals by mid-1995.

Also available would be 100 food vendors, including five restaurants and six fast-food courts offering everything from name-brand hamburgers to local ethnic cooking.

"The goal is to change the perception of D-FW Airport, to make it the airport of choice," said Jeff Fegan, airport executive director.

"To do that, we have to make the airport into a pleasant experience for our customers," he said. About 36,000 square feet of the terminals already are allocated to 64 food and beverage vendors. At least 110,000 square feet will be needed for the new plan, airport officials said.

Pittsburgh International Airport and other major airports around the nation already offer name-brand food and high-quality merchandise in mall-type arrangements in their terminals.

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Dallas proposes city employee coverage for same-sex partners

DALLAS (AP) — A suggestion to extend city employee insurance coverage to same-sex domestic partners went nowhere before the Dallas City Council on Monday, officials said.

"If it doesn't bubble up to the top from the people who would be affected by it, I'm not going to pursue this in terms of political grandstanding," said council member Craig McDaniel, who asked city staff to research the issue.

So, for now, the matter apparently is on hold.

"We did what we were asked to do and we have no plans of pursuing it further," said Cliff Keheley, first assistant city manager.

Council members were briefed Monday on the budget impact of such extended benefits, which, although it did not explicitly address homosexual couples, Keheley said it would have applied to gay and lesbian partnerships.

Common-law spouses of city workers already qualify for benefits.

"All we're doing is informing the council of the nature of policies of other jurisdictions," Keheley said.

McDaniel, who said he is gay, said he and council member Chris Luna asked the staff in February to check into the budget impact of extending benefits to all domestic partnerships.

"It was raised as a 'what if' question," McDaniel said. "It doesn't look like there's much interest in it."

McDaniel said he did not see the issue as involving gay-rights concerns. Proponents disagree, while critics consider the idea an assault on family values.

"My immediate reaction is, it's about time," Jamie Schield, director of community center services at the Gay and Lesbian Community Center, said after hearing of the plan.

He said the benefits would especially be helpful for workers with partners suffering from AIDS.

"If they've got a spouse that's working, that's contributing tax dollars, why can't their partner take advantage of that, especially when it's so needed?" Schield said.

City research showed that AIDS-related claims would not necessarily increase program costs.

However, council member Donna Blumer opposed such a program, calling it "ill-timed."

"It will be a distraction and will polarize the city and the council," said Ms. Blumer, former president of the conservative Dallas Eagle Forum.

At a time when the council must focus on crime and budget problems, "we're going to have to go off on these rabbit trails on somebody's personal agenda," she said.

A similar plan recently was passed in Austin.

The Austin plan defines a domestic partner as an "individual who lives in the same household and shares the common resources of life in a close, personal, intimate relationship with a city employee."

Opponents of the Austin plan gathered more than 15,000 signatures to fight a proposed charter revision that restricts benefits to legally married couples and their children.

Keheley said Dallas already spends more than \$40 million on employee health benefits, the same amount as the city's anticipated budget shortfall for the fiscal year.

City officials estimate the cost of extending benefits to all domestic partners would add \$186,000 to the annual costs.

City staff members researched 18 cities, five of which provide domestic partnership insurance: Austin, San Antonio, New York, Seattle and Laguna Beach, Calif. About 70 major corporations provide similar benefits.

One of them, Apple Computer Inc., found itself in the middle of a controversy over the issue in Williamson County last fall.

County commissioners voted 3-2 in November to reject a \$750,000 package of tax incentives to lure an \$80 million Apple Computer customer support center to the county.

Commissioners who voted against the package cited Apple's benefits for same-sex domestic partners.

Fearing they would lose a potential 1,400 new jobs, the commissioners reversed themselves a week later and approved a tax rebate deal.

Convicted murderer faces lethal injection

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — Convicted killer Larry Anderson, described as concerned and nervous, huddled with his attorney and hoped for a reprieve Monday that would keep him from the Texas death chamber after midnight.

Anderson, 41, faced lethal injection early today for the March 1982 stabbing death of Zelda Webster, 28, a Houston bar manager. At the time of the slaying, Anderson was on parole from Arkansas.

"He knows this is serious. He knows his chances are not that great," attorney Clay Glover said.

The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals rejected a request Monday to halt the punishment, but appeals were still pending late in the day before the U.S. Supreme Court. If he is executed, Anderson would be the fourth Texas inmate to be put to death this year.

Defense lawyers challenged Texas' capital murder statute, contending it was vague when applied to Anderson's case. They also argued that prosecutors improperly instructed jurors and that Anderson's trial attorney was incompetent.

Ms. Webster, stabbed four times in the heart and 11 times in the chest, was found dead along a road in northwest Houston. Authorities said she had been abducted after closing the bar and robbed of about \$1,000.

Anderson was pulled over by state troopers while driving at night without lights. Police found him splattered with blood and carrying a hunting knife.

He told officers he had been skinning rabbits but police found several bank bags in his truck and he was arrested. Anderson eventually

told police where the woman's body could be found.

Anderson contended he had an argument with Ms. Webster stemming from a \$5,000 illegal drug deal and killed her after she threatened to file a rape complaint against him.

Prison records show Anderson was on parole from Arkansas for less than four months at the time of the slaying.

He'd had other run-ins with the law as well, coming to Houston in 1973 after serving two years of a 10-year Arkansas prison sentence for kidnapping, grand larceny and robbery.

His parole lasted just three months when he was returned to Arkansas with a 21-year term for possession of stolen property and robbery. He was paroled December 1981. The Webster killing was

the following March.

Anderson was one of two convicted killers set to die early today in Texas.

The second inmate, Hai Hai Vuong, 38, was convicted of killing two men at a Port Arthur pool hall in 1986. Three other men were wounded in the attack.

The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals Monday denied his request for a reprieve, but U.S. District Judge Howell Cobb in Beaumont halted the scheduled punishment. State attorneys had not opposed the request for a delay.

Since Texas resumed carrying out the death penalty in 1982, 74 inmates have received lethal injection, by far the most of any state. Two lethal injections, however, never have occurred in Texas on the same day.

Texas has low teen pregnancy rate, report says

WASHINGTON (AP) — Texas has one of the nation's lowest recorded rates of births by unwed teen-age girls, according to a national report on the well-being of youngsters.

Only New Hampshire and Utah posted lower rates of pregnancies by unmarried teens during the 1985-1991 period surveyed in the "Kids Count Data Book," funded by the Annie E. Casey Foundation.

Almost 20,000 births in 1991 in Texas were to unmarried teens under the age of 18 — accounting for 6.3 percent of all births in the state. The national average is 9 percent.

That doesn't necessarily mean Texas teens are giving birth at a lower rate than their peers nationally, a Kids Count coordinator said Monday.

The difference might be explained by the fact that Texas doesn't specifically ask a person's marital status when registering births, said Patrick Bresette, an associate director at the Center for Public Policy Priorities of the Benedictine Health Resource Center in Austin.

If a father's name is listed on the birth certificate, it is assumed the couple is married, Bresette said. "We've been really pushing the health department to get that changed," he added.

"I think it skews our numbers fairly dramatically."

Texas posted slightly lower infant mortality rates than the national average, with 7.7 deaths per 1,000 live births versus 8.9 deaths per 1,000 live births.

But the news wasn't all rosy for Texas' 4.8 million children under the age of 18.

Twenty-four percent of the state's children lived in poverty, compared with a national rate of 20 percent — placing Texas 42nd among states and the District of Columbia.

"One thing that I think is particularly troubling for us and has to be addressed is that while the national child poverty rate has shown some improvement, we're going in the other direction," Bresette said.

National rates have dropped almost 1 per-

cent since 1985, while Texas' child poverty rate has increased by 1.4 percent in the same period.

At the same time, 22.5 percent of the state's youngsters lacked health insurance coverage in 1991 — a ranking Bresette said was the worst in the nation.

Texas and five other states — California, Illinois, Michigan, New York and Ohio — also account for almost half of the nearly 3.9 million children living in the nation's worst neighborhoods.

"We can no longer be surprised by the terrible outcomes experienced by young people who grow up in environments where drugs, violence, welfare and teen pregnancy are far more prevalent than safe schools, high school diplomas and good jobs," said Douglas W. Nelson, executive director of the Annie E. Casey Foundation.

"These neighborhoods offer no real choices. We need to change that," he added.

Increase in number of dead sea turtles worries scientists

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — Biologists are worried about a jump in the numbers of dead sea turtles reported on Texas beaches this month, including the rare Kemp's ridley sea turtle.

Sixty-six sea turtles have washed up on Texas beaches so far this month, the most in any April in the past six years, turtle researchers say.

Even more troubling to them, they say, is that 40 of the stranded turtles found this month, or 60 percent, were Kemp's ridleys. The normal figure would be 40 percent.

"We don't like to see the loss of so many individuals in such a depleted population," said Donna Shaver, a biologist studying sea turtles at Padre Island National Seashore.

There are estimated to be only 400 adult female Kemp's ridleys in the world.

"Maybe it will just be a blip (in statistics)," said Ms. Shaver, who works for the National Biological Survey.

"But certainly, a lot of folks are concerned about this right now."

Collectively, when you start seeing losses like what we're seeing here, they can definitely be detrimental to efforts to increase the numbers of these animals," she said.

No one seems to know the reason for the surge or whether it is related to a recent spate of dolphin deaths along the coast, said Tony Amos, a research associate with the University of Texas Marine Science Institute in Port Aransas.

Sea turtle strandings are most common in March, April, July, August and September. Most turtles normally are found in the Galveston area, but of the 66 reported found on Texas beaches so far this month, 38 were on northern Padre and Mustang islands. The other 28 were in the Galveston area.

"Perhaps there's something in this (Corpus Christi) area that's

not conducive to their survival," Shaver said.

This month's turtle strandings are more than double the reports of recent years. In April of both 1992 and 1993, 28 turtle strandings were reported. Twelve were reported in April 1991, 45 in April 1990, and 43 in April 1989, according to the Sea Turtle Stranding and Salvage Network.

A total of 160 turtles were found on Texas beaches in 1992, 176 in 1991, 355 in 1990 and 255 in 1989, according to the network. Numbers for 1993 were not immediately available.

It is difficult to tell what has killed the sea turtles because they often are heavily decomposed by the time they are found, Ms. Shaver said.

In the past, shrimpers' nets were blamed for sea turtle deaths. However, Amos said, shrimpers recently appear to have been complying with a federal law requiring turtle excluder devices on their boats.

Sea turtles also have died after eating plastic garbage and fish hooks and after being hit by boat propellers.

Officials: Man kills wife, wounds deputies

NASH (AP) — A man killed his wife and wounded three Bowie County sheriff's deputies in a shootout at the couple's home before he himself was fatally wounded by a SWAT team, officials said.

Virgil Bettes, 64, and wife Shirley Bettes, 58, were killed in the shooting that began about 8 p.m. Saturday at their home near Nash, about 10 miles west of Texarkana, officials said.

Mrs. Bettes had left her home and was being accompanied by sheriff's Sgt. Lonnie Johnson and deputy John Delavan to retrieve some personal belongings when they were fired upon from a travel trailer next to the Bettes' home, said Capt. Gary Owens, sheriff's department spokesman.

"They were caught completely by surprise," Sheriff Mary Choate said.

Mrs. Bettes was killed and the two deputies both suffered head wounds. Johnson and Delavan

were moved from the intensive care unit of Wadley Regional Medical Center in Texarkana and their conditions upgraded today from serious, hospital spokeswoman Linda Clark said.

Deputy Joe Rochelle, who traveled to the Bettes' home in a separate vehicle, radioed for help. He suffered a small cut on the forehead, but was not severely injured. A special tactics team from Texarkana arrived and killed Bettes.

Butch Wooldridge, who lives near the Bettes' rural home, said he thought a neighbor was shooting at a dog when he heard the gunfire. However, about an hour after the shooting, Rochelle drove up to Wooldridge's home and urged him to leave the area.

Shots were still audible at that point, Wooldridge said.

"Nothing like this has ever happened here before to my knowledge," Wooldridge said.

Dallas police fire officer after allegations

DALLAS (AP) — A police officer who was once a high-ranking official in a state police officers' group has been fired amid allegations he was involved in several disturbances and an assault, officials said.

Greg Jhounkin, 30, was a former vice president of the Texas Peace Officers Association.

"What we have are five allegations that are sustained," said Sgt. Jim Chandler, spokesman for the Dallas Police Department. "The complaints just kept occurring, so we kept him on leave until he was fired Friday."

Chandler declined to detail the incidents that led to Jhounkin's dismissal. Jhounkin has not been charged with anything.

However, The Dallas Morning News reported that police documents showed the officer was investigated after complaints that he stalked a former girlfriend and was involved in a fire at his apartment.

The records also showed Jhounkin, who is black, made racial remarks to a fellow officer in March and failed to carry proper police identification at one time, The News said.

Jhounkin earned 24 commendations in his five years as a Dallas police officer, Chandler said.

Jhounkin's telephone number

was unlisted and he could not be reached for comment Monday.

Senior Cpl. Perro Henson, president of the Texas Police Officers Association, did not immediately return a telephone call Monday.

The Texas Police Officers Association is an affiliate of the National Black Police Association.

Before being placed on leave in February, Jhounkin had been suspended four times, including for 25 days in April 1993 after referring to white people as "devils" in a television interview, records showed.

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Super Collider incentive program gives students reason to excel

By Robert Miller
The Dallas Morning News

DALLAS — The Superconducting Super Collider may be history, but it spawned an excellence in education project whose impact will be felt indefinitely.

Carolyn Bacon, executive director of the O'Donnell Foundation, says that its five-year advanced-placement program is a direct outgrowth of the collider.

Dallas philanthropists Edith and Peter O'Donnell, who established the foundation, "realized that some of the top engineers and scientists in the world would be coming here, and they would want their children to go to good schools."

With that in mind, the foundation instituted the program in 1990-91 that offered cash performance incentives to students, teachers and schools in the collider vicinity for advanced-placement calculus, biology, chemistry, physics, computer science and English.

Even without the Super Collider, the importance of solid grounding in math, science and English is as

important as ever if this area, this state, this nation is to meet the demands of a high-tech world.

And there are valid data that the incentive program is working.

Nine school districts — four in Dallas County and five in Ellis County — were chosen in this pilot program.

They include Cedar Hill, DeSoto, Duncanville and Lancaster plus Ennis, Ferris, Midlothian, Red Oak and Waxahachie.

For the students, the incentives include:

- "A \$100 mini-scholarship for each advanced-placement exam score of three or over. (This May, those who make a five on their exam will receive a \$200 scholarship.)"

- "\$30 toward the cost of each exam."

- "The full exam fee, \$71, is reimbursed for each exam with a score of three or over."

- "Students scoring three or over on advanced-placement calculus receive a TI-85 graphing calculator."

For teachers, the incentives include:

- "A \$1,000 bonus when they

"It shows that hard work does pay off. It's amazing to see what they (the students) take on and can do."

— Debbie Lively,
chemistry teacher

teach their first advanced-placement course.

- "A \$250 stipend and all fees to attend the AP Summer Institute at Southern Methodist University. (University of Dallas also has a similar institute.) The training requires one two-day weekend and a week at the summer institute."

- "A teacher bonus pool: Schools receive \$100 for each exam score of three or over. These funds are pooled and distributed to teachers each year to reward their hard work and their students' achievements in advanced-placement courses."

- "Advanced-placement calculus teachers will receive TI-82 graphing calculators for their AP students as well as a TI-82 View

Screen."

For the schools, the incentive includes \$100 for each exam, with a score of three or over to be used to strengthen and expand the program.

In the 1989-90 school year preceding the incentives, Ms. Bacon reports, the percentage of juniors and seniors enrolled in advanced placement in the nine Super Collider-area school districts was 3 percent.

The first year saw 6 percent participation among juniors and seniors, 15 percent the second year and 23 percent during 1992-93. And this year, it has climbed to 34 percent.

The total number of juniors and seniors has remained relatively

stable, climbing to 5,247 today from 4,977 in 1989-90.

Ms. Bacon sees a rise eventually to about 50 percent among juniors and seniors.

Calculus, which requires rigorous preparation, finds many seniors without the proper math background.

Thus the O'Donnell Foundation has provided a set of incentives for math teachers to produce "Vertical Teams."

"The goal of Vertical Teams," Ms. Bacon explains, "is to prepare more students to pass the AP calculus exam" with the challenge "to have 50 percent of (the members of) each eighth-grade class pass AP calculus by their senior year."

The Vertical Teams of math teachers actually enlist teachers of math classes for the seventh through 12th grades — pre-algebra, algebra I and II, geometry, pre-calculus and AP calculus.

Since the College Board, which oversees SAT and PSAT programs, provides training for Vertical Team teachers, the O'Donnell Foundation has added cash incentives here also for students, teach-

ers, schools and principals.

Ms. Bacon, while citing the motivation from teachers, schools and peers, adds that some of the ultimate motivation comes from the fact that "the more you learn, the more you earn."

The O'Donnell Foundation has extended the incentive offer for the nine school districts through the 1997-98 academic academic year. Six have agreed.

Meanwhile, the foundation started an AP Arts Incentive Program in 12 schools at the beginning of this year.

The excitement generated by the O'Donnell Foundation's push for greater participation in advanced-placement programs and higher scores is contagious.

Austin has passed legislation to promote greater advanced-placement participation and higher scores. Funding is in the offing. State Comptroller John Sharp and former Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby have been avid supporters.

The O'Donnell Foundation has stacks of testimonials from teachers, students and schools.

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The stock market and interest rates: Weathering the current investment market

In the past month, interest rates have reached a 12 month high and the Dow Jones Industrial Average has experienced a 10 percent drop. Times such as these can test the nerves of even the most seasoned investors.

Van Percy, one of Midland's Edward D. Jones & Co. investment counselors, suggests that as these market conditions have a tendency to grab headlines, individual investors will no doubt have questions regarding their specific investments. Van advises that local investors should not hesitate to call their investment professionals for information during the nervous periods.

Percy, an investment broker with Edward D. Jones & Co. over the past six years in Midland, received his BA and MBA from the University of Notre Dame. Originally raised in the small West Texas town of Andrews, Van has built his Midland office to be one of the best in the Edward D. Jones system nationwide.

"If you have adopted the following

long-term investment strategies,"

Percy says, "there is no doubt your portfolio is well equipped to navigate the current market's stormy weather... or windy, sandy weather, like we are accustomed to here in West Texas!"

The following are Percy's suggestions:

- **Invest for the long term**—Regardless of what type of investment you choose, one thing is certain—the market will always rise and fall in the short term. Adopting and maintaining a long term investment strategy, however, will increase your investment success. When choosing between a buy-and-hold strategy and trying to time the market, there is no choice. As one Stanford University study showed, you would have to time the market correctly, 82 percent of the time to do as well as an investor who buys and holds stock. So remember, it is time in the market, not timing the market that is crucial.

- **Buy quality**—When selecting your investments, don't seek out the

"hottest" or most popular investment. Instead, look for individual stocks and stock mutual funds that have demonstrated consistent growth in earnings and dividends over an extended period of time.

- **Diversification**—By investing in a variety of investments, you can reduce the overall risk while potentially increasing your return. One study found that 90 percent of a portfolio's overall performance depends on how well diversified it is. Also, when diversifying your investment dollars, remember to diversify not only by investment type, but also by maturities as well as industry and geography.

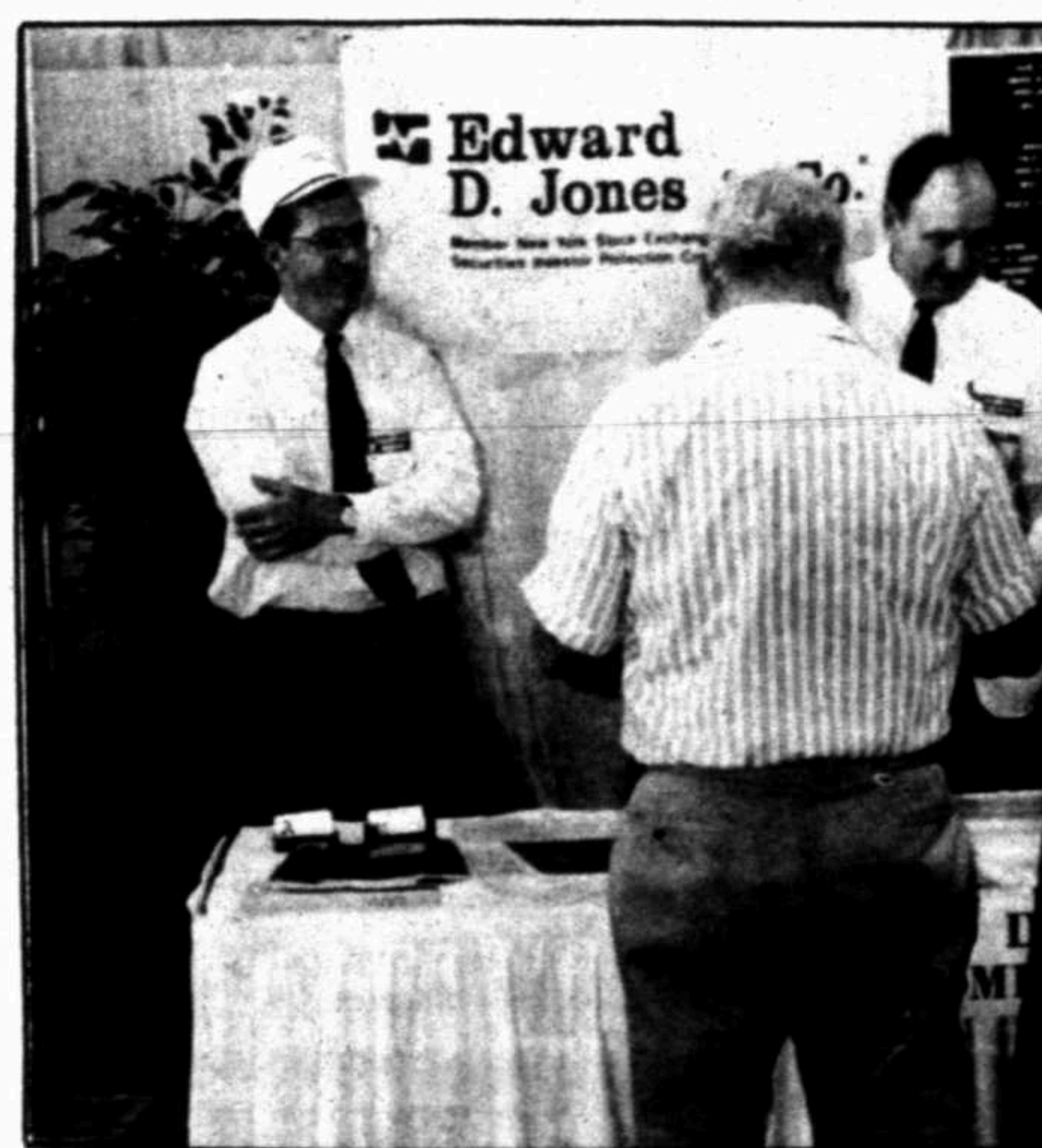
- **Invest systematically**—Another excellent investment strategy for smoothing the sometimes turbulent effects of the market is to invest a fixed amount at regular intervals. Also called dollar-cost-averaging, this strategy allows you to buy more shares when prices fall and fewer when prices are high. Over the long-term, systematic investing will result in an

average cost that's actually lower than the average price of the security.

"The most important thing to remember during uncertain times in the market is not to panic," Percy advised. "If you have chosen quality, long-term investments and your investment needs and objectives haven't changed, there is probably no need to modify your investment strategy."

"Also keep in mind that market corrections actually provide an excellent investment opportunity," said Van. "With the help of a licensed professional, you may be able to invest in some quality investments at bargain prices."

If you are interested in visiting with a qualified investment professional who will work with you to help you reach your long-term investment and retirement goals, you may call Van Percy's investment office at 683-1516. His office is located at 2020 West Cuthbert, directly across the street from the high school football stadium. There is no fee for consultation.



"Van Percy discusses the major market risks and the reason for investment diversification during market ups and downs in one of his recent luncheon seminars."

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Cornell's campus housing splits along racial lines by student choice

By Michael Winerip
N.Y. Times News Service

ITHACA, N.Y. — Often in recent years, the Cornell administration has tried improving racial and ethnic integration in its undergraduate dorms.

Cornell's West Campus has always been overwhelmingly white, while two-thirds of its minority students living in dorms are on North Campus. This is by choice. Incoming freshmen state their housing preference. "I wanted a black residence," says Allison Myatt, a black freshman from Houston who lives on North Campus in an all-black dorm.

Two years ago, to improve integration, the administration tried switching to random housing assignments for freshmen. The result? Intense resistance and defeat. Four of five students (ranging from politically active blacks to white frat brothers) voted against the change. Someone spray-painted "NRH" around campus. No Random Housing.

Since 1971, there has been an all-black residence (Ujamaa). In 1991 an American Indian dorm (Akwe-

kon) opened. But a year ago, Cornell's president Frank H.T. Rhodes, drew the line, turning down a gay dorm. "We're increasingly fragmenting the campus," he warned.

The line didn't stay drawn long. Last November, Hispanic students occupied Day Hall. In March Cornell's board of trustees approved a new Hispanic residence, to open this fall.

"It's a sad commentary, the way we're all separated here," said Gabe Jacobson, a Jewish sophomore who lives at Zeta Beta Tau, a mainly Jewish fraternity. "But it's funny. Because we live like this, I think Cornell's a happier place."

Like the fictional Ivy League president in Doonesbury battling futilely to desegregate his campus, at times it seems the only ones pursuing integration at Cornell are Rhodes and his deans.

"Yes, people do send me the Doonesbury strips," Rhodes said. "But I don't feel as helpless as that. This takes patience." As an example of progress, he points out that the new Latino residence will be located on the primarily white

West Campus.

'By the end of the day at a school like this, you're tired. This school is so English, so white, day in and day out you're a little more comfortable with your own. I'm the norm in this house.'

— Ruth Ramos, a Chickasaw Indian and Akwe:kon house resident

West Campus.

Twenty-five years ago this week, a group of black students took over Willard Straight Hall. After fraternity members tried to eject them, the students sneaked in guns. Photographs of the students armed with rifles, marching out of the Cornell student union, were seen round the world.

From that protest came Ujamaa on North Campus and the beginning of current living patterns. In the last five years, the situation has grown more pronounced, as Cornell has increased its minority population, from 19 percent of 12,800 undergraduates to 25

percent.

One Monday at Jansen's, the main dining hall on the heavily white West Campus, a reporter counted two blacks among 100 whites eating lunch. None of the whites interviewed said they picked West because they wanted to live among whites. They typically said West Campus has a reputation for being a friendly social place. Many selected it after consulting with older friends or alums.

"Some of my parents' friends were alums and they said West Campus is the place to live," Chip Harding said. Asked about the

alums, he paused, then said, "Yes, I guess they all were white."

Rebecca Propis, a freshman from the Fort Lauderdale, Fla., area, knew West would be predominantly white, "but I didn't know it would be this white." She went to Nova High School, which selected children from all over Broward County to achieve racial balance. "There wasn't much mixing," she said. "The ESL kids were in another building, the African-American kids stayed in one area of the school. To me, Cornell is just a larger version of our high school."

Ming He, a Chinese-American freshman from Farmington, Conn., chose West because he didn't want to be "isolated" on North Campus. "Up North you see a lot of Asians," he said. But he hasn't much liked West and met his closest Cornell friends at a Chinese Bible study group.

Minority students on North said it is less tense to live there. "By the end of the day at a school like this, you're tired," said Ruth Ramos, a Chickasaw Indian who lives in the Akwe:kon house. "This school is so English, so white, day

in and day out you're a little more comfortable with your own. I'm the norm in this house."

Usually she eats lunch at Caldwell Hall with a large group of American Indians. "It helps you survive this place," she says. "I know no one's going to be quizzing me on the recipe for corn soup."

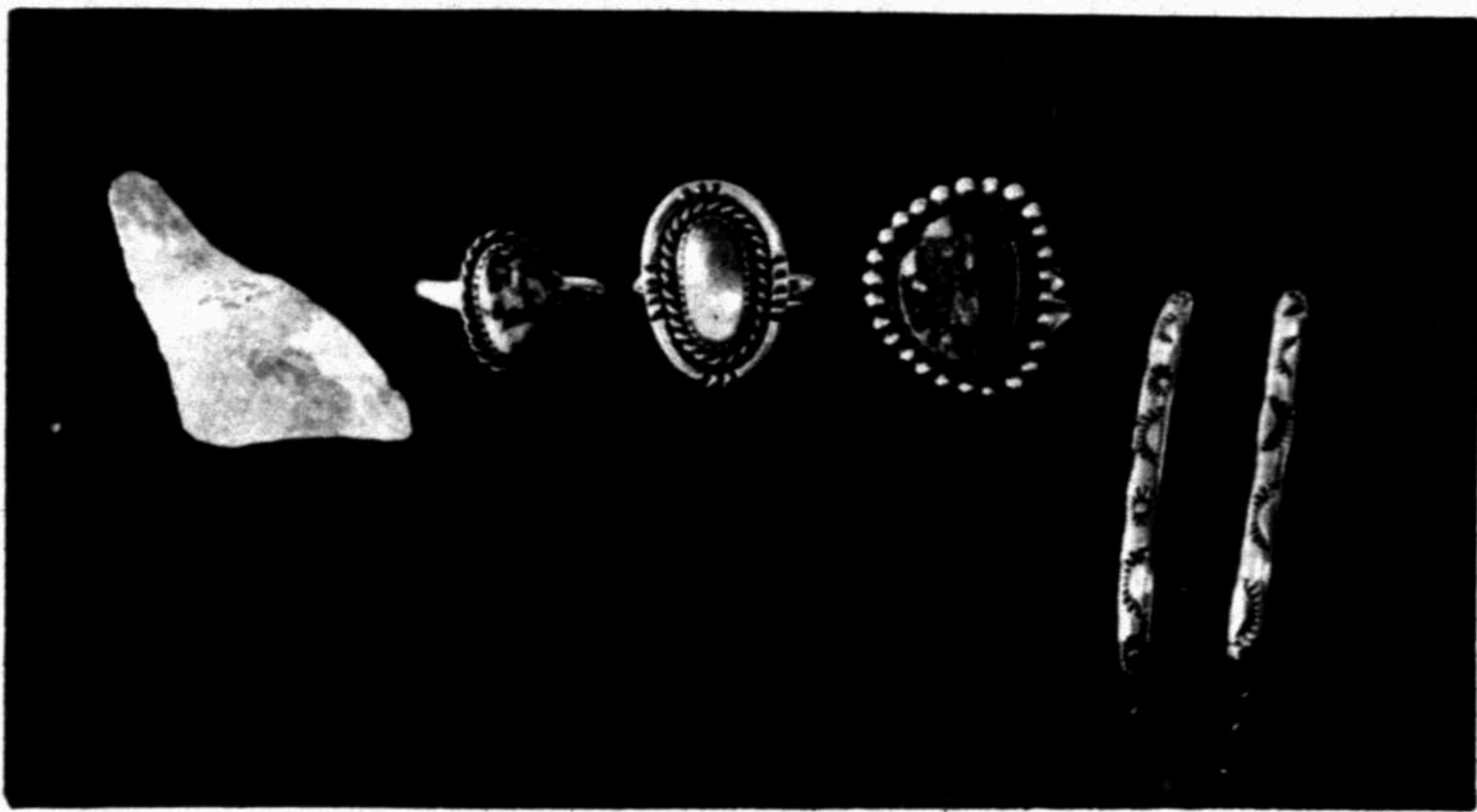
"I know no one's going to be asking me why I wear my hair this way," says Ms. Myatt, the black freshman who lives in Ujamaa and wears her hair braided. "It gets tiring explaining yourself to white people all the time. Here I can come home and I know it will be music I like to listen to."

Ms. Myatt attended a white high school and chose Ujamaa because she wanted to try a black environment. Torrey Gragg grew up in a mainly black Oklahoma City high school and chose Ujamaa because he wanted to stay in a black environment.

Gragg is taking a dual major of African studies and pre-med, and it's grueling. "It's hard being around people who don't understand you," he says.

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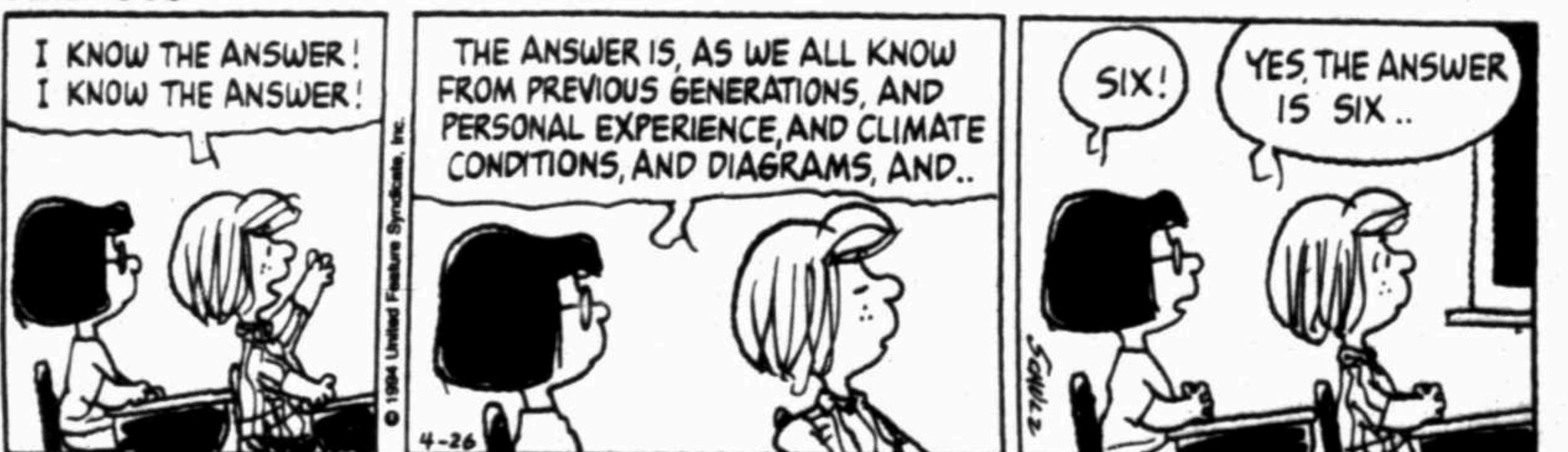
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Your Horoscope

By Jeane Dixon

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1994

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: You gain a new lease on life. Favorable career developments are due in June; gather your forces. In September, the love bug will bite! A new business partnership increases your financial security by late fall. Real estate deals surface in December. Expect public recognition early in 1995. Next April is ideal for a wedding or family reunion.

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ARIES (March 21-April 19): The goods or services you sell should be of the highest possible quality. The competition may not be as scrupulous as you are. Customers will notice the difference.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): An aura of success will draw people to you. The more generous you are to the opposite sex, the better the impression you will make. Entertaining business associates at home should be especially successful.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Your persuasive words are like an "open sesame" to abundance. You find a way to get over a heartbreak. Analyzing your dreams may help you find your right place in the world. Write them down.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Your artistic and creative powers are going full tilt. Let your charisma win you new professional and social allies. Rewards for past efforts are at hand. Host a small celebration with loved ones.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): A practical knowledge of what is needed will offset an associate's immoderate actions. Promote harmony among co-workers. Be more discriminating when choosing confidants.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Friction is possible between you and a close associate. Remember the good times you have had together. Public reaction to your efforts may be lukewarm. Show that you are willing to share the limelight.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Consider any propositions you receive but resist getting involved in anything that does not measure up to your high standards. Business travel should be postponed until more facts and figures are available.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): A business agreement may have to be revised as well as strengthened. A

competition should liven up the day nicely. Concentrate on the tasks at hand. Remember the past when planning for the future.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Your concerns about security are in the spotlight. Recognize the difference between superficiality and true quality. Shortcuts could prove costly.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Facing a difficult situation in a forthright manner is best; otherwise, complications and disillusionment are possible. Be especially thoughtful of someone who feels under the weather.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Acting too eager could make someone think that you are overreaching your authority. Keep your cool and you will get above-average results. Your grip on practical matters is fantastic.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): A good time to carry out ambitious plans. An investment you make now will eventually turn a profit. A letter or phone call brings inspiring news. Follow up on employment leads. Research pays off.

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West led the ace of spades and continued with the seven, ruffed by declarer. Warned that hearts were probably not breaking, declarer tried the jack of hearts at trick two and West slipped by not covering. Next came the ace of hearts to reveal the unfortunate break.

Declarer led the king of clubs, losing to East's ace. The spade return was ruffed in the closed hand, three rounds of diamonds were

cashed, ending in dummy as declarer discarded a club from hand. A spade was ruffed with the king of trumps for declarer's eighth trick. The queen of clubs was cashed and another club completed the defenders' discomfiture. If West ruffed with the queen, dummy's ten of trumps would be high; if West did not ruff, declarer would ruff with the ten for the game-going trick.

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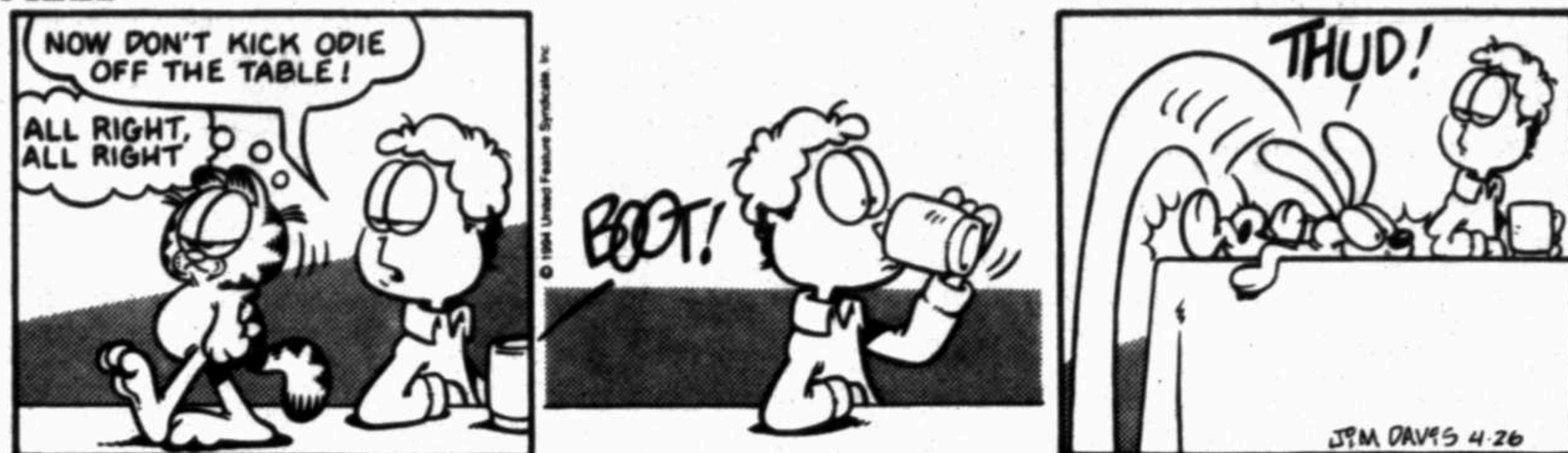
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'Surprised' Dreyfuss thinks he's too young for 'master' accolade

DALLAS — Richard Dreyfuss thinks he's a little young to be getting an accolade as a master screen artist.

"I'm 46. ... Am I supposed to be getting this yet?" Dreyfuss asked as he accepted the USA Film Festival's Master Screen Artist Award.

Preceding Sunday's ceremony was a screening of Dreyfuss' Academy Award-winning performance in the 1977 comedy "The Goodbye Girl" and a lengthy sampler of his other work.

"Most of the films — no, all of the films — that you saw tonight I have not seen since I made them," Dreyfuss said.

Martha Coolidge received the festival's Great Director Award. Among her credits is "Lost in Yonkers," which starred Dreyfuss.

"Dottie Gets Spanked" won the festival's short film and video competition.

LOS ANGELES — At age 11, Carrie Fisher protested when mother Debbie Reynolds threw out her baby clothes.

"What will my baby wear?" she demanded.

Now 37, Fisher has a daughter of her own — 20-month-old Billie. And like Reynolds, she is a single mom.

"I'm sorry to be in that situation because I know what it's like to be that child," Fisher said. Reynolds and Eddie Fisher divorced when their daughter was young.

Fisher's most recent book, "Delusions of Grandma," chronicles the breakup of her long relationship with agent Bryan Lourd. It ended before Billie was born. The baby spends a couple of days a week with Lourd.

Fisher also has been married twice, and her mother was married three times.

"I feel very happy she has the baby. I just don't think marriage is in the cards — for

Carrie or for me," Reynolds said.

LOS ANGELES — It didn't take much for Richard Karn to immerse himself in his character as handyman Tim Allen's sidekick on "Home Improvement." All he had to do was remember his days managing an apartment building.

"I was taking the shower apart so I'd know what to do in case a tenant had a problem," Karn recalled. He had turned the water off beforehand — or thought he had — so imagine his surprise when it came blasting out of the wall. He had to turn off the water to every tenant to get things under control.

"It was terribly embarrassing, but I learned from it and became a pretty good handyman," Karn said.

So handy that Karn did the work himself when he recently added a room to his Studio City home.

"And now I've come full circle," he said of his role on ABC's hit television show.

MONESSEN, Pa. — Not many mothers want to see their son beat somebody up. But Paulette Moorer couldn't have been happier when her son beat Evander Holyfield for the world heavyweight boxing championship.

"I guess I have a title, too," the mother of Michael Moorer said after Friday's fight.

Mrs. Moorer has attended 33 of her son's 35 professional fights but had to skip Friday's because she was recuperating from surgery. Her son called after it was over.

"He told me, 'Ma, I did it.' And I said, 'I know, baby, you did.' I cried on the phone, and I think he did, too."

Mike Walker, gossip editor of the National Enquirer — a job akin to being sports editor of Sports Illustrated — reveals to Gerald Rivera on Tuesday's installment of "Gerald" that a "raging newsroom debate" resulted in the decision to take the high road: The Enquirer did not publish a photo of Kurt Cobain in his coffin.

The editors of the publication that claims to have pioneered the celebrity-in-a-coffin tradition with its 1977 photo of Elvis Presley, and continued it most recently with a shot of a boxed River Phoenix, decided that a picture of Cobain would be "too much."

Walker says he is wistful. "Like him or not, this kid was an idol to millions and millions of American teenagers. They would have loved to have seen that picture. It would have been a souvenir memento for them."

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

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15	WGN	Designing Women	Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Cincinnati Reds 856713										
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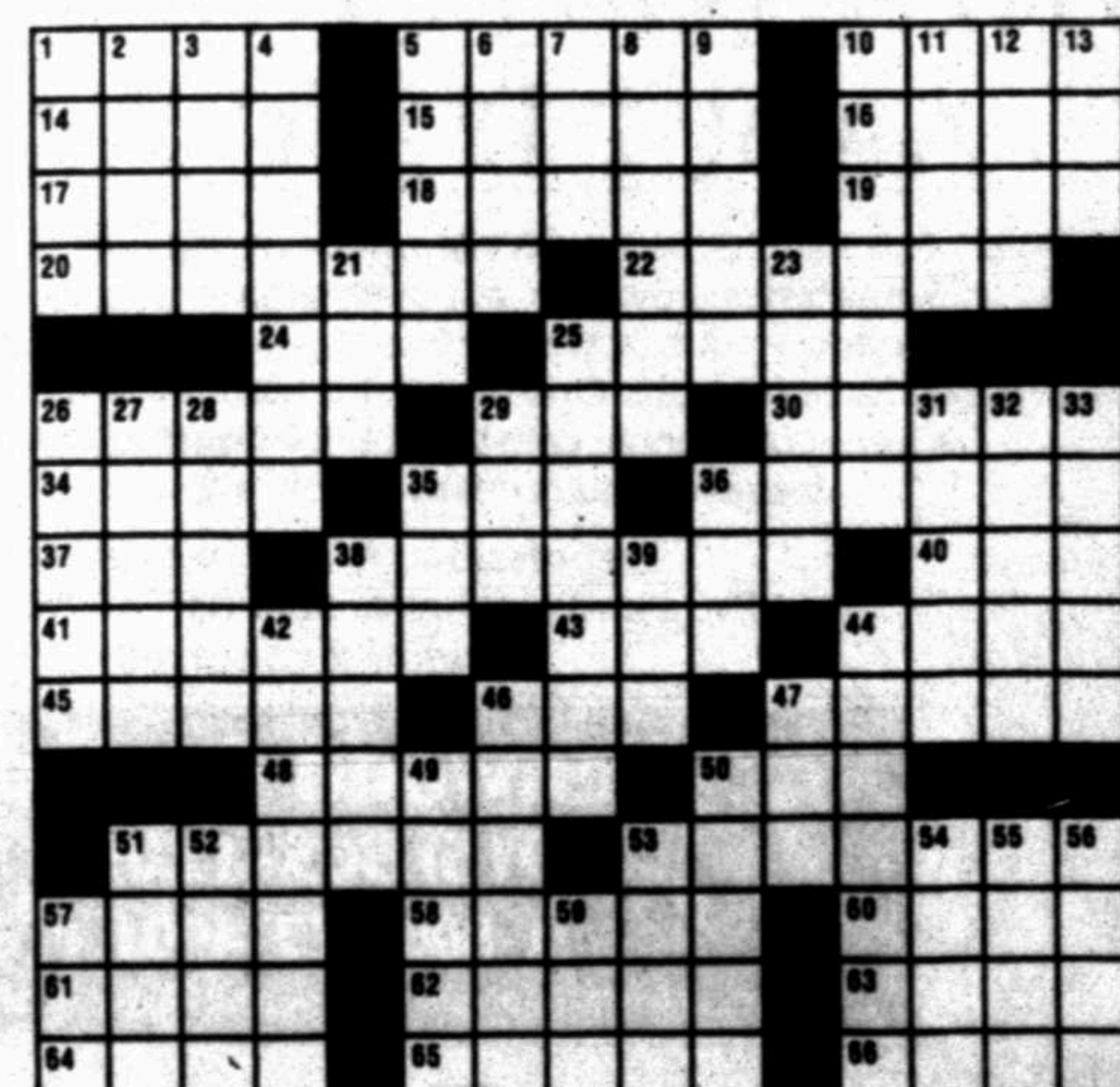
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San Francisco police face lawsuit by victim of stalker

By Jim Herron Zamora
N.Y. Times News Service

SAN FRANCISCO — Edward Khoury was upset and needed help — fast. So he called San Francisco police.

Three minutes after phoning, he got exactly what he needed from the Police Department.

Trouble is, the police helped Khoury commit a felony: stalking an ex-girlfriend who had fled the Bay Area to avoid him.

At Khoury's request, a police officer ran an illegal computer check on the license plate of a car owned by a man dating Nicole Abagnaro. Once he learned the owner's address in San Bernardino County, Khoury went there — in violation of a court order — and allegedly threatened to kill both the man and Abagnaro if they continued their relationship.

Khoury's five-year pursuit and harassment of his ex-girlfriend eventually landed him in jail. He is serving a one-year sentence after pleading no contest to felony stalking charges April 4 in San Bernardino County. Khoury, 32, faces similar charges in Riverside County, where Abagnaro lives in the city of Corona.

In San Francisco, meanwhile, police are facing a lawsuit in which Abagnaro accuses the department of adding to her trauma by allowing its computers to be used to help Khoury find her and her friends. It also accuses the department of failing to stop leaking information to Khoury, although Corona police say they tipped San Francisco to the leaks more than a year ago.

The civil suit seeks unspecified damages from the city.

The data leaks are illegal, and are the subject of an internal police investigation.

Police Chief Tony Ribera said he planned to institute a password system within the next 60 days that would limit access to database information and make it easier to trace each user's computer footprints.

So far, however, the identity of Khoury's SFPD contact remains unknown.

Stories of obsessive men stalking women have become increasingly common, and changes in the law in the past few years have made such cases easier to prosecute.

'This guy is very slick. He was able to find out all sorts of secure, unlisted numbers — the phone company doesn't even know how. He used other people's phone card numbers and phones to call her. He had other people spread rumors about her. He would conceal his identity and find out all her secrets.'

— Ron Anderson,
Corona detective

But Khoury's case stands out because he was able to manipulate police, courts, credit agencies and phone companies, as well as many unwitting individuals, into helping him obtain information on every aspect of Abagnaro's life — and keep her living in fear.

"This guy is very slick," said Corona Detective Ron Anderson, who has spent nearly two years investigating Khoury. "He was able to find out all sorts of secure, unlisted numbers — the phone company doesn't even know how. He used oth-

er people's phone card numbers and phones to call her. He had other people spread rumors about her. He would conceal his identity and find out all her secrets."

Abagnaro, through her attorney, declined comment. Khoury's criminal defense attorney has not returned phone calls from the San Francisco Examiner.

One of his civil attorneys, Charles Dorsett of San Francisco, has denied any wrongdoing by his client, saying only that

laws, a tightly knit clan.

Khoury immediately fell head over heels for Abagnaro, and she was charmed by him.

Khoury began earnestly courting Abagnaro, frequently visiting her in Southern California and calling her almost daily. Their long-distance relationship continued until she graduated in January 1991 and moved to the Bay Area. By then, they were engaged.

But soon after she moved up here, the relationship soured. Within three months, Abagnaro had moved out of Khoury's parents' house in South San Francisco. In order to leave without a scene, she told Khoury's family she was going to stay briefly with her pregnant sister in Corona.

"She had no intention of returning," said Paul Zellerbach, an assistant district attorney in Riverside County who is prosecuting Khoury. "She felt so threatened at that point that she had to have her mother fly up from Southern California and get her."

When he learned she was not going to return, Khoury called Abagnaro and asked her to reconsider. And he called and he called and he called.

"Initially, he just said, 'I love you, I want you back,'" Zellerbach said. "When he realized that wasn't getting anywhere, it gradually became more malicious, more aggressive, more threatening and more obsessive."

Abagnaro filed the first of what was to become hundreds of reports with Corona police in September 1991. Initially, she did not want to file criminal charges against Khoury, said Detective Anderson — she just wanted to be left alone.

But from then until his arrest last No-

vember, Khoury made life miserable for her. And he did it with the help of at least one person within the San Francisco Police Department who helped Khoury obtain addresses of Abagnaro, her family and friends from a statewide Department of Motor Vehicles database only legally accessible by law enforcement officials.

Khoury followed Abagnaro around San Bernardino and Riverside counties, sometimes calling her 50 to 100 times a day at work or home, telling co-workers she was a thief with AIDS, obtaining credit reports on her, faxing nasty letters to her office. He even paid a co-worker \$1,000 to keep an eye on her. Abagnaro quit her job at Nordstrom's because he appeared or called so often it was impossible for her to do any work. But he tracked her to her next job, at a temp agency.

After a court ordered him to stay away, he hired a private detective and allegedly told Abagnaro the investigator was a hired hit-man who would kill her if she was seen with another man, police said.

Phone records from Khoury's personal cellular phone and the telephone at his family's Burlingame delicatessen indicate that he called Abagnaro's work or home more than 1,500 times in 1992 and until his arrest in 1993.

His phone records also show more than 30 calls to San Francisco police stations, the San Francisco Fire Department and a police office at San Francisco General Hospital. A printout from the State Department of Justice indicates 10 DMV inquiries were run on six friends or associates of Abagnaro. The computer inquiries all were made soon after Khoury's cellular phone calls to police.

San Diego teacher receives recognition as teacher of year

By Carole Feldman
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON — Teacher Sandra McBrayer's first job is making sure her students have what they need to live another day. Her second is convincing them that she loves them. With a student body composed exclusively of children living alone on the streets, it's not always easy.

For her work educating — and caring for — homeless children in San Diego, McBrayer has been named the 1994 Teacher of the Year.

"My goal as a teacher is for all kids to feel that whether the world isn't caring for them or the dysfunctional parents aren't caring for them, there's a school and there are teachers that believe in them and love them," McBrayer said in an interview.

The Teacher of the Year program is sponsored by the Council of Chief State School Officers in partnership with Encyclopaedia Britannica. McBrayer, the 43rd winner, was chosen from among more than 2.5 million elementary and secondary school teachers.

Her philosophy is that every child has a right to an education and that all children can learn. It is similar to one of the national education goals signed into law by President Clinton.

To other teachers, she offers

this advice: "They're not there to teach subject matter, they're there to teach children. They need to be respectful. They need to be understanding. They need to be creative and innovative."

McBrayer, 33, founded the Homeless Outreach School for homeless and unattended youth six years ago. Some 300 to 400 children in grades seven through 12 attend the school each year. One wall in McBrayer's room is lined with the diplomas they have earned. "Where else would homeless children hang a diploma?" she asked.

She said her success should be measured by the number of her students who have been able to "break the cycle of dependency" by becoming productive members of the community.

"In a time when the nation, as never before, is focusing on what education must do, Sandra McBrayer is showing that every student, no matter what obstacles stand in their way, can succeed," said Gordon Ambach, executive director of the council.

A former student, Christina Knapp, described McBrayer this way: "I have struggled through my life, struggled through many problems. Sandy has taken the time to show me how to get through them."

Woman gives cats chance to live other 8 lives

By Michael T. Kaufman
N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — The cats were everywhere. Some rested in cages, but most moved freely through the fifth floor walk-up on the West Side. They climbed on the empty bookshelves and stalked each other through the empty kitchen cupboards or slinked over the upholstered furniture.

"I think we must have about 120 here," said Pat Haldeman, the tall, 48-year-old woman who secured and outfitted the apartment as something of a clandestine sanctuary for the stray cats she and her accomplices have rescued from streets and alleys.

"See that one," said the graphic designer, pointing out a sleek orange and black cat sitting on the windowsill. "She was saved from pit bulls in the Bronx," Ms. Haldeman said.

"One of the members of our Cat Gang, Ernestine, a Brazilian woman, saw two dogs being led into a courtyard to kill the cats. She threw pots of water down on the dogs and then rushed down to pick up the cats."

As Ms. Haldeman walked among the cats in the apartment, picking them up, introducing them and telling their often harsh life stories, a hired man cleaned the cages and two volunteers opened dozens of cans of cat food.

Overhead fans whirled in every room to ventilate the apartment, chasing smells that could upset neighbors and alert them and unsympathetic officials as to what was going on inside.

The volunteers keep the place quite clean, and they take turns sleeping over at the safe house so that someone is always present. A veterinarian visits twice a week and closely inspects and vaccinates each new arrival.

"Look at this poor creature," Ms. Haldeman, said speaking of a gray cat with mangled ears, spiky fur and a spooked expression.

"He was one of 30 cats I picked up in a basement in the winter after they had been hosed with cold water and left to freeze to death. Some died before we could save them, but most recovered and some were adopted," said the woman who for the last four years has devoted more and more of her time and more and more of her income to finding street cats and caring for them while searching for people to adopt them.

"I did not set out to save cats," said Ms. Haldeman, who had developed a successful greeting bal-

loon business. "I never felt particularly strongly about cats. I had a beautiful apartment with antiques, and if anybody had told me I would ever endanger my things by allowing cats to wander freely, I would have said they were crazy."

"But four years ago I found a cat trapped under a car on 57th Street and I pulled it out. Some homeless people saw what I did and told me about starving kittens in an alley. I found them and looked for someone who would take care of them. After that, one thing led to another. My antiques didn't seem so important anymore. Four months ago we set up the apartment as a shelter."

"Still, almost every day I think I have to stop this. I have to get on with my life. There are design projects I want to start and ideas I want to develop. Some days I am quite irritable when people I never met call and assume I am supposed to find some cat they have

seen and take care of it.

"But then when I do see another frightened or tortured cat, I do what I have to do. The regular animal shelters will not keep them. They destroy animals."

Despite her admitted sour periods, Ms. Haldeman's reputation as a cat heroine has spread widely, and last week callers from Miami asked if she would accept a few Florida cats that have been homeless since Hurricane Andrew. After some hesitation, she agreed to accept three that are about to be flown here.

At the apartment where the Miami cats will join the others waiting for adoption, Ms. Haldeman picked up a young cat and stroked it.

"Sometimes I meet people who tell me I should be saving people instead of cats. I don't think it's an either-or question. Love is not something you can use up or squander."



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Rafferty era begins

■ Drake assistant coach Pat Rafferty was named as the men's basketball coach at Midland College Monday.

By Bill Pettit
Staff Writer

Aspiring to take the Midland College basketball program to the next level, Drake assistant coach Pat Rafferty was hired as its sixth men's basketball coach Monday.

"We have had excellent group of people from all over the country to choose from," said Midland College athletic director Joe Williams. "We came down to a very tough decision, but I think we made a great decision and every one involved feels that way."

Rafferty was selected from a pool of over 50 applicants for the position.

Rafferty spent the past two seasons as an assistant and recruiting coordinator with coach Rudy Washington at Drake, compiling a 25-29 record.

Prior to Drake, he spent two seasons as a college scout for the Minnesota Timberwolves of the National Basketball Association, two seasons as the head coach at Division I-AA Northern Arizona and was the head coach at Casper (Wyoming) Junior College from 1986-88.

In 1987-88, Casper finished 30-6 and finished sixth at the national tournament.

"This is a tremendous opportunity for me," said Rafferty at a Monday press conference. "Reflecting back on my career, for the reasons I got into coaching, I feel this is the purist level to coach at anymore. You get into coaching because you want to have a relationship

with the players, you want to help prepare people for the future, you want to help educate them and yet you still have the chance to compete for a national championship. I got into coaching because I love the game. I got into it for the relationships.

"The NCAA limits the time you can spend with the athletes. If a guy that says 'Coach Rafferty, I want you to help me on my jump shot,' I want to be able to do that with him, regardless if it's September or May. I want to be able to go and help somebody who wants to get better. Right now the NCAA restricts the time you can spend. It gets back to the relationships and having the chance to interact with the players. They keep you young and keep you going."

The hiring ends a month-long search following the resignation of former coach Steve Green March 18, less than a week after guiding the Chaparrals to a 31-6 record and a sixth-place finish at the National Junior College Athletic Association Men's Tournament in Hutchinson, Kan.

"I really think this is one of the dynamic coaching opportunities in the coaching profession," Rafferty said. "Earlier I compared this to the Duke or North Carolina of junior college basketball and I truly feel that we can offer the whole package, not only from a basketball standpoint, but from an academic standpoint, citizenship and help prepare to go out into society."

Rafferty inherits a team that returns five freshmen as the Chaps averaged 98.1 points per game and ranked in the top five nationally in scoring earlier in the year.

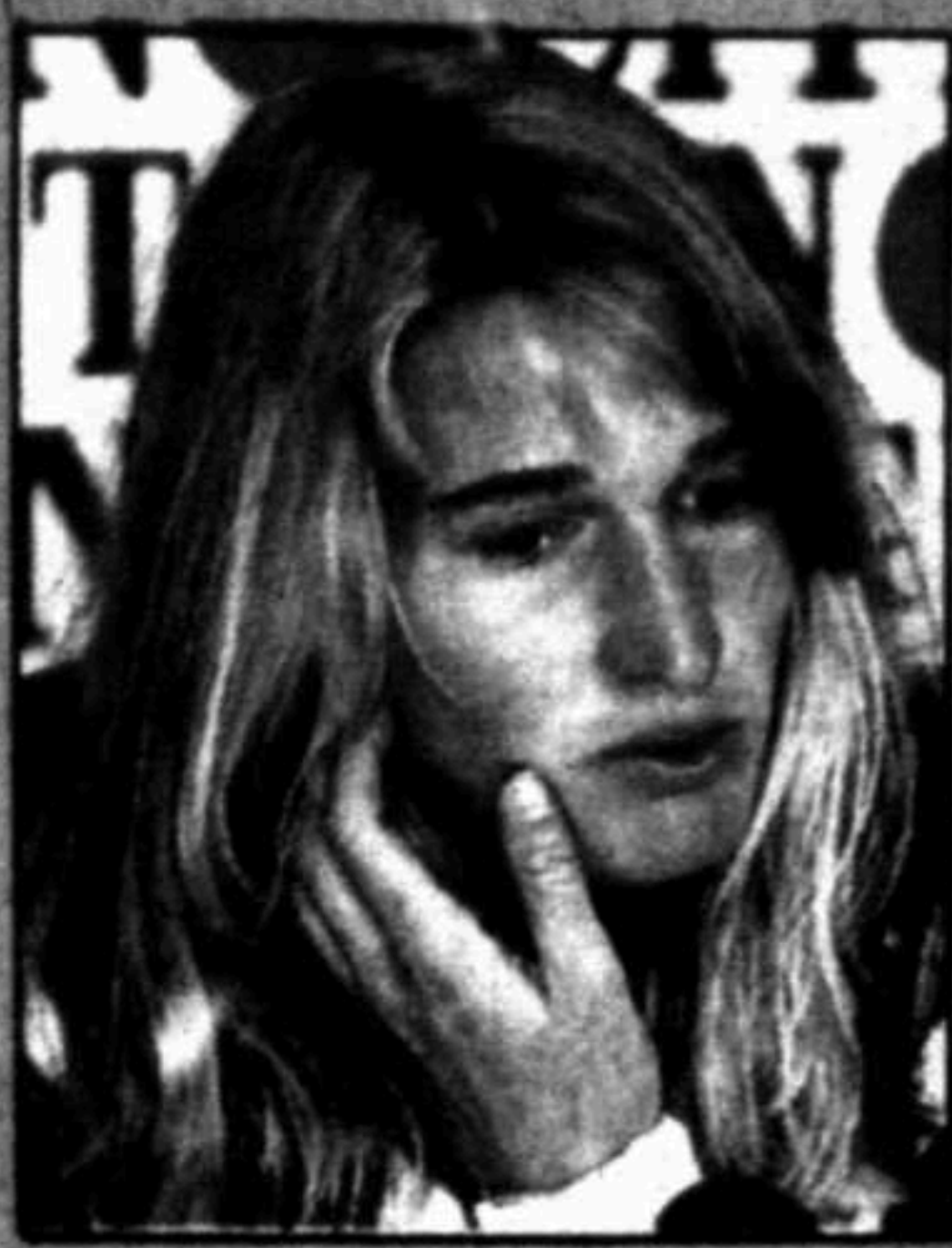
"I really think to be a championship basketball team, you have to play at various tempos," said Rafferty. "I don't think you can be a fast break

Please see COACH/4C



Drake assistant coach Pat Rafferty was named Monday as the men's head basketball coach at Midland College, ending a month-long search.

SPORTS WATCH



Steffi Graf
...given attack threat

Graf threat

HAMBURG, Germany — Steffi Graf said today she intends to play in the Hamburg tennis tournament despite threats to be attacked at the same event where her rival Monica Seles was stabbed last year.

"I am not afraid," Graf said after practicing on the center court of the Rothenbaum club. "By playing here I want to show that I am not worried about an attack."

The police received an anonymous letter Friday, which threatened that Graf will be attacked if she plays in the tournament.

"If Steffi plays in Hamburg, there will be another attack," said the handwritten letter, a copy of which was published by the Hamburg newspaper Morgenpost.

"But this time the slimy Graf will be the target ... and we are not playing with kitchen knives."

"Graf was the beneficiary after the attack on Monica Seles, but she was also the background figure for this attack."

Seles was stabbed in the back by an obsessed Graf fan last April 30, and has not played since. Meanwhile, Graf has regained the No. 1 ranking from Seles.

TV Sports

(Subject to Change)

TENNIS — SWC men and women's championships, noon, HSE.
BASEBALL — Cubs vs. Reds, 6:30 p.m., WGN.

Braves vs. Marlins, 6:30 p.m., WTBS.

Pirates vs. Astros, 7 p.m., HSE.

NHL PLAYOFFS — Blackhawks vs. Maple Leafs, 6:30 p.m., ESPN.

BOXING — Samson Po'Uha vs. Tony Tubbs, Heavyweights, 8 p.m., USA.

Texas Scores

BASEBALL — Texas Rangers vs. Detroit Tigers, p.p.d. rain.
Houston Astros 7, Pittsburgh Pirates 3.

TEXAS LEAGUE — San Antonio Missions 6, Midland Angels 2.
See SCOREBOARD/3C

Moody hired

LUBBOCK — Former Rice defensive line coach David Moody has been hired to coach receivers at Texas Tech, Tech football coach Spike Dykes said Monday.

Moody, 42, replaces Ivy Williams, who resigned for a job at Alabama.

Moody spent the past four years at Rice.

Sports Today

4-5A BASEBALL — Abilene High vs. Midland High, Zachary Field, 4:30 p.m.

Midland Lee at Abilene Cooper, 4:30 p.m.

NASCAR — Dale Earnhardt at Jack Sherman Chevrolet, 5-7 p.m.

TEXAS LEAGUE — San Antonio Missions vs. Midland Angels, 7 p.m., Angels Stadium, KCRS (550 AM) radio.

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Spurs' David Robinson
...NBA's scoring champ

NBA playoffs ready to roll

By Bill Barnard

AP Basketball Writer

Four players — David Robinson, Hakeem Olajuwon, Shaquille O'Neal and Patrick Ewing — made 1993-94 the Year of the Center.

We'll have to wait, however, until the two Big Four face off in the playoffs.

Please see NBA/4C



Midland hurler Pete Janicki brings a pitch home.

1994 REGION I -5A TENNIS

Terrazas hits hard road

By Amy Wolfenbarger
Staff Writer

Everything is falling into place for Midland High's Bonnie Terrazas. And it couldn't have come at a better time as the senior heads into her first Region I-5A Tennis Tournament Friday and Saturday in Lubbock.

Terrazas had to get to regionals the "hard way," according to her fans, but MHS coach Tom Heiting said that method could be just what she needed as she enters unfamiliar territory. Terrazas lost in the semifinals to eventual District 4-5A champ Stephanie Sidney of San Angelo.

But through the playback rule which was instituted last season, Terrazas fought her way back through the "loser's bracket" to beat the finals runnerup, Odessa Permian's Amber Hutson, and earn the second regional berth in the girls singles draw.

"It's more of a mental improvement," Heiting said. "...And the positive way we've seen it is in tournament play. That's unusual because usually you've done all your work before the tournament. But she actually improved between her four matches at the district meet. I'm a lot more confident in her chances at regional."



Midland High's Bonnie Terrazas will compete Friday and Saturday in the Region I-5A Tennis Tournament's girls singles in Lubbock.

Terrazas had to get over two humps to improve her game and earn the coveted regional tournament spot and both were taken care of as she fought her way back from the semifinal loss.

The first block was a physical one

and it began long before the 1994 district meet. A few weeks before the 1993 tournament, Terrazas sprained her ankle and had to suffer through watching the rest of the

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Missions rip Angels

■ San Antonio hands Midland its first three-game losing streak.

By Amy Wolfenbarger
Staff Writer

The bats of the Midland Angels had to cool off some time. After all, its an unwritten law of baseball that a team cannot keep up the blistering pace the Halos started in the first few weeks of the season.

Monday at Angels Stadium, the San Antonio Missions pitching staff continued to stymie the Angels at the plate and led the whole way to come away with a 6-2 win, their third-straight, and hand Midland its first three-game losing streak of the 1994 season. San Antonio improved to 5-13 while Midland dropped to .500 for the first time all year at 9-9. However, Midland is now 6-7 at home.

But one of Midland's hottest hitters, first baseman Chris Pritchett, who is in his second

season with the Angels, said when the slump signs start showing, it's important to put it in perspective.

"The first thing, you've got to give the pitcher a lot of credit," he said. "Then you've got to realize how long the season is. We're not going to score 11 or 12 runs every time we play."

Angels starter Pete Janicki (0-3) performed admirably on the mound as well, striking out nine and walking two. But the control was not there as Janicki hit two batters and threw four wild pitches, including two in the third inning which allowed San Antonio shortstop Juan Castro to advance two bases and give the Missions a 1-0 lead.

Then after Janicki hit Mission right fielder Michael Moore and designated hitter Chris Demetral got to first on a fielder's choice, San Antonio catcher Chris Abbe hit a one-hopper to the wall for a two-RBI double to increase San

Pritchett, who is in his second

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Mr. Heisman Ward left without NFL home

NEW YORK (AP) — The first NFL draft of the free-agent salary cap era turned out not to be so unpredictable after all.

Except for Charlie Ward, who became the second Heisman Trophy winner to be ignored by the NFL — teams apparently stayed away from the Florida State quarterback because he has options that include the NBA and the Canadian Football League.

"I want to concentrate on one sport and be a professional," said Ward, the point guard for Florida State's basketball team and a possible first-round draft pick in that sport. "It seems that it's going to be basketball."

The only other undrafted Heisman winner was ignored because he had another alternative — the military. That was Pete Dawkins, who won the Heisman in 1958 playing for Army and wasn't drafted in 1959 because of his service commitment. He rose to general before retiring.

The Vikings said they would offer a contract to Ward; Warren Moon's only backups are Gino Torretta — the 1992 Heisman winner — and Brad Johnson, and neither has thrown a pass in an NFL game.

Otherwise, things this year didn't look much different, although most of the nine quarterbacks chosen were taken late. That's based on the theory that teams in the free agent era need rookies who can play right away and most of the quarterbacks take

time to develop.

Some trends in this draft, predictable and otherwise:

—Predictable: Bill Parcells added a third tight end and traded for Marion Butts from San Diego to ensure that his offense in New England will be as plodding as the one that won two Super Bowls in the Meadowlands. He also took Max Lane, a tackle from Navy, the school that produced Phil McConkey, one of his favorite Giants.

—Unpredictable: The Buffalo Bills eschewed their long-time infatuation with Chadron State, Central Missouri State and Anderson College for Notre Dame, Florida State (twice) and North Carolina. They also created mass confusion in the broadcasting industry by drafting a Bucky Brooks to pair with Billy Brooks at wide receiver.

The team that may have come out the best is the Vikings, in part because of their pre-draft dealing. Not only did they (finally) add a real quarterback when they traded for Warren Moon, but they got opened up a lot of salary cap money and dumped a discontented 33-year-old by dealing Chris Doleman to Atlanta on Sunday. That not only was addition by subtraction, but it got the Vikings an extra No. 1 next year.

Moreover, they had two No. 1 picks who may start immediately — cornerback Dwayne Washington and offensive tackle Todd Steussie and got first-round value in wide receiver David Palmer,

Jones says Johnson approves of Cowboys' top draft pick

IRVING, Texas (AP) — Dallas Cowboys owner Jerry Jones says former coach Jimmy Johnson praised his work in the NFL draft.

Jones, unable to pull off a draft day thunderbolt in Johnsonian fashion, called Johnson in Florida on Monday for a grade.

"I spoke to Jimmy and he congratulated us," Jones said. "It was a good visit. He congratulated us on getting Shante Carver. Jimmy thinks he's a good player."

It was the first conversation between the two since a split in which Johnson got his freedom and \$2.5 million and Jones got total control of the team, including the draft.

Carver, chosen 23rd in the first round, arrived at Valley Ranch on Monday and sounded confident that he can help right away.

"I'm not going to be a flop," the defensive end from Arizona State said. "I'll be the first person on the practice field every day and I'll live up to expectations."

Carver will be expected to give the Cowboys a pass rush and fit quickly into the

seven-man defensive front rotation.

Dallas coveted Willie McGinest of Southern California but couldn't make a trade to get him.

The Cowboys ranked 18th in the NFL last year in sacks and the passer. Carver had 10 sacks last year and holds the school's career record with 41 sacks.

However, Carver wasn't even among the 13 players the Cowboys invited to Valley Ranch for physicals and one-on-one interviews.

Dallas needs defensive line help because it lost Tony Casillas and Jimmie Jones to free agency.

The Cowboys spent the second and third rounds drafting large offensive linemen to help protect their \$50 million investment in quarterback Troy Aikman.

They took 315-pound Larry Allen of tiny Sonoma State in the second round and 355-pound tackle George Hegamin of North Carolina State in the third round.

Both Allen and Hegamin are considered projects, but the Cowboys need help be-

cause they lost John Geseke and Kevin Gogan to free agency.

Allen is recovering from a tear in his left rotator cuff.

Although the Cowboys kept Alvin Harper, they took wide receiver Willie Jackson of Florida with the 109th pick in the fourth round. The 6-foot, 205-pound Jackson was Florida's second all-time receiver with 162 catches for 2,172 yards and 24 touchdowns. He was clocked at 4.55 in the 40.

Another fourth-round pick Monday was linebacker DeWayne Dotson, a 6-foot, 250-pounder from Mississippi. Dotson made 92 tackles last year and could fill a need on the inside where the Cowboys lost Ken Norton to San Francisco.

In the sixth round, the Cowboys took West Virginia quarterback Darren Studdstill, who will be tried as a defensive back.

In the seventh round, Dallas drafted 6-3, 270-pound defensive end Todd McIntosh of Florida State.

Yankees rip Angels, but Fabregas singles

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Matt Nokes hit a grand slam and drove in five runs and Paul O'Neill went 5-for-5 Monday night, leading the New York Yankees over the California Angels 11-1, but former Midland Angel Jorge Fabregas had his first hit and first RBI in the majors.

Jimmy Key (3-1) gave up three hits in seven shutout innings. He lowered his ERA from 4.32 to 3.38.

Key allowed three singles, walked two and struck out four. Bob Wickman pitched the last two innings and gave up an RBI single to Fabregas with two outs in the ninth.

The Angels lost their fourth straight game and fell to 8-12 in the AL West. They began the day as the only team ever to lead a division with a record three games below .500.

Mariners 4, Red Sox 2
SEATTLE — Randy Johnson outdueled Roger Clemens, and Ken Griffey Jr. homered as Seattle beat Boston, ending their six-game winning streak.

Johnson (2-1) pitched a five-hitter, giving up solo home runs by Andre Dawson and Scott Fletcher. He struck out nine and walked one in his second complete game of the season, and 28th of his career.

Clemens (2-1) allowed three runs, only one of them earned, on six hits in seven innings. He struck out six and walked three.

It was only the second time the two strikeout aces have met. On May 31, 1992, Clemens outpitched Johnson for a 7-1 victory.

Griffey went 3-for-3 against Clemens, making him 15-for-33 (.455) lifetime against the Red Sox star.

Twins 9, Indians 7
CLEVELAND — Dave Winfield reached another milestone by hitting one of Minnesota's four doubles in a five-run seventh inning and the Twins beat error-prone Cleveland.

Albert Belle homered twice and drove in three runs for the Indians.

AL Roundup

Carlos Baerga and Kenny Lofton also connected for Cleveland.

Winfield's double was the 525th of his career, tying him with Ted Williams for 22nd on the career list.

The Twins hit six doubles in the game, four in the seventh. Matt Walbeck, who drove in three runs, and Kirby Puckett each had three hits.

The Indians committed two errors that gave the Twins two unearned runs. The worst fielding team in the American League last year, Cleveland has committed 10 errors in the last four games.

Reliever Mike Trombley (2-0) won despite yielding an RBI single by Lofton in the sixth and Belle's fourth home run in the seventh.

Belle hit a two-run homer off Larry Casian in the ninth before Rick Aguilera got the last out for his fifth save.

Dennis Martinez (0-3) yielded eight runs, two of them unearned, and 10 hits in six-plus innings.

Royals 4, Blue Jays 3
KANSAS CITY, Mo. — David Cone struck out 10 and overcame two home runs by Paul Molitor as Kansas City beat Toronto.

Molitor hit an inside-the-park home run to center in the first inning and hit a drive over the left-field fence in the fourth.

Cone (3-1) gave up eight hits and walked one. Jeff Montgomery, who tied for the league lead with 45 saves last year, pitched the ninth for his first save of the season.

Dave Stewart (2-1) also struck out 10. He had won six straight decisions since last Aug. 26.

Molitor hit a drive off the wall in center in the first inning, and the ball came down on Brian McRae's foot and skidded along the warning track towards left. Molitor circled the bases for his first homer of the season.

After Molitor homered in the fourth, the Blue Jays got another run in the sixth when Roberto Alomar walked, Joe Carter singled and John Olerud hit a sacrifice fly.

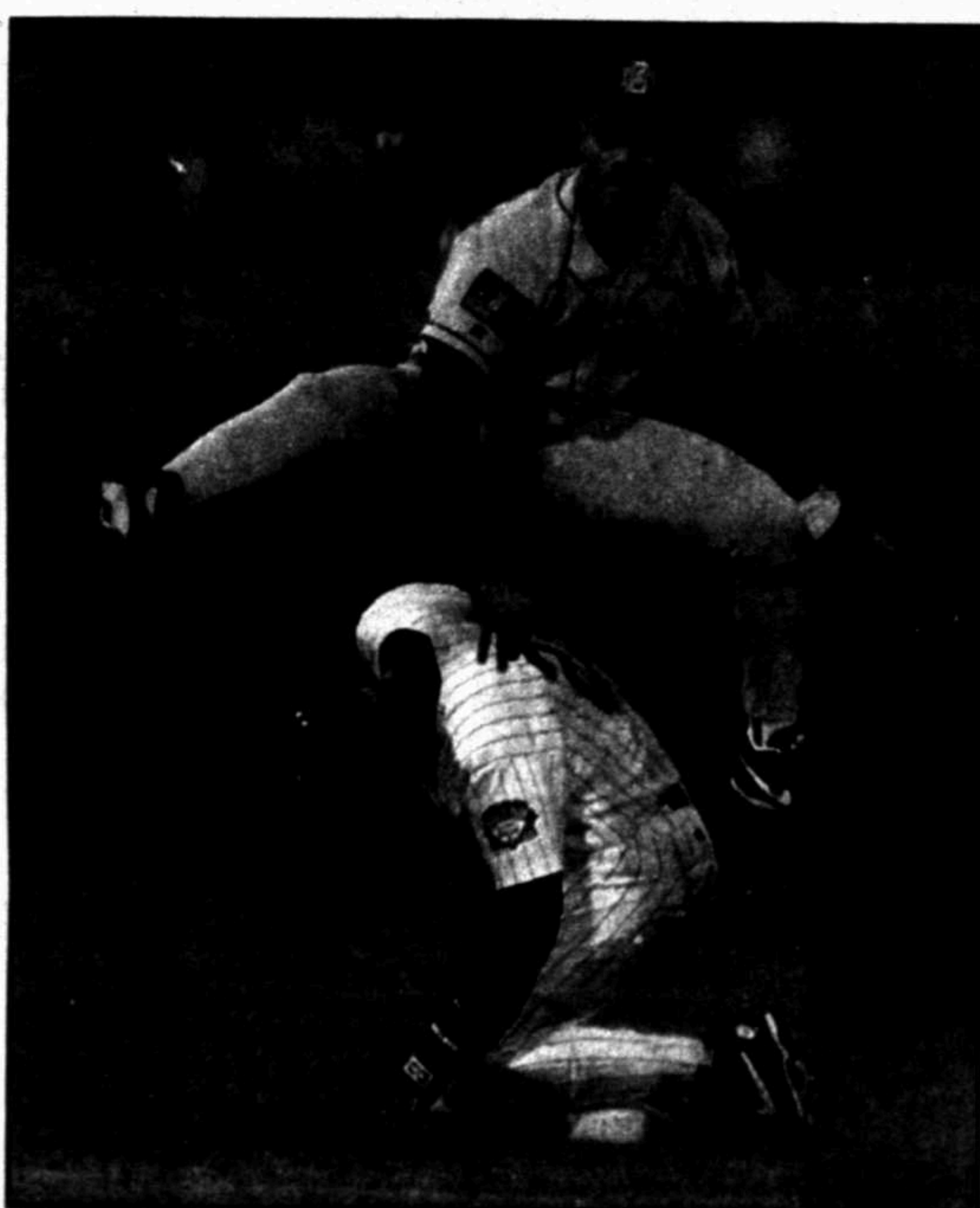
whom they chose with a second-round pick they got in the Doleman deal.

Give the New York Jets, New Orleans and San Francisco a tentative plus, too.

Or as 49ers coach George Seifert said: "We didn't win the championship, and that's what we're supposed to do. So, now we're trying to do everything we can to get ourselves back in that position."

Dick Steinberg and Pete Carroll of the Jets went away from their needs at wide receiver on the first round when defensive back Aaron Glenn was still there. He was rated in the top eight, and they traded up from 13 to 12 to get him.

Then they got Ryan Yarbrough, who set a couple of major receiving records at Wyoming on the second round, then got a deep threat on the fourth in Orlando Parker of



Milwaukee shortstop Jose Valentin, top, leaps over Chicago's Darrin Jackson to complete a double play Monday night.

Vince Coleman led off the Royals' first with a single, stole second, took third on a wild pitch and scored when shortstop Alex Gonzalez bobbled McRae's grounder. McRae went to third on Wally Joyner's single and scored on a sacrifice fly by Bob Hamelin.

Orioles 8, Athletics 6
BALTIMORE — Cal Ripken doubled for the only hit in a five-walk, four-run rally in the sixth inning that sent Baltimore over Oakland, the Athletics' seventh straight loss.

Mike Mussina (4-1) retired 18 consecutive batters after allowing six runs in the first two innings. He went 7½ innings before Alan Mills snuffed an uprising in the eighth.

Lee Smith pitched the ninth for his 10th save. Smith reached the mark in 18 games, faster than anyone in major league history; Mark Davis got his 10th save in 21 games for San Diego in 1989.

Brewers 13, White Sox 4
CHICAGO — Teddy Higuera pitched six strong innings for his second victory in three seasons, and Milwaukee beat Chicago for its fifth straight win.

Kevin Seitzer, who drove in three runs, and Alex Diaz each had four of the Brewers' season-high 18 hits.

Cy Young winner Jack McDowell (1-3) was tagged for six runs on 11 hits in 4 2-3 innings. He has allowed 26 runs and 38 hits in 31 1-3 innings, and has a 6.60 ERA after five starts.

Higuera (1-1) gave up one run on four hits.

Troy State, who needs polishing, but could develop. Foley could be a sleeper at quarterback.

The Saints shored up the aging defense with defensive end Joe Johnson and linebacker Winford Tubbs, who could replace Vaughn Johnson or Sam Mills — if he stays healthy. They got offensive help in running back Mario Bates on the second and a developmental quarterback in Nussmeier,

rated a future all-Madden choice by one scouting report.

Who lost?

Maybe Detroit.

The Lions, who need defensive backs more than receivers, started with Johnnie Morton of Southern Cal — a receiver. They got their defensive back in Van Malone on the second round but he's considered more a safety and special-teamer than a corner.

Stankiewicz blast sparks Houston

Associated Press

HOUSTON — Andy Stankiewicz hit a three-run homer and Craig Biggio connected for a two-run shot Monday night, leading Pete Harnisch and the Houston Astros past the Pittsburgh Pirates 7-3.

Harnisch (1-2) gave up six hits in his first complete game of the season. He struck out eight and walked three in the 15th complete game of his career.

Denny Neagle (1-3) struck out a career-high eight in six innings. He allowed four earned runs on four hits.

Stankiewicz hit his first home run since June 27, 1992, while with the New York Yankees. His home run capped a four-run second inning that started with a triple by Jeff Bagwell and a single by Luis Gonzalez.

Pittsburgh closed to 4-3 in the sixth. Jay Bell walked with one out and Andy Van Slyke singled. Orlando Merced doubled home one run and Don Slaught followed with a two-run single.

The Astros scored three times in the eighth. Biggio homered and Ken Caminiti had an RBI double. Notes: Houston is 6-1 in series-opening games this season, and 4-7 in other games. ... Bell has hit more home runs (five) at the Astrodome than other park he plays in as a visiting player.

Marlins 4, Braves 3
MIAMI — Bryan Harvey gave up his first two runs of the season and left in the ninth inning with an apparent injury but Florida held on to beat Atlanta, the Braves' first loss in 11 road games this year.

Harvey relieved starting the ninth and gave up a walk and single. After the trainer visited the mound, Harvey left the game.

Javier Lopez hit a two-run double off Jeremy Hernandez, who then retired three straight batters for his first save this season. First baseman Jeff Conine caught Deion Sanders' liner to end the game with Lopez on second.

Dave Weathers (3-1) pitched 7 1-3 strong innings, and Gary Sheffield hit a two-run homer for the Marlins.

Tom Glavine (2-2) tied a major-league high this season with 11 strikeouts but departed after six innings trailing 3-1. He allowed six hits and walked six and threw 118 pitches as the Braves lost for the fifth time in six games.

Sheffield ended a 2-for-19 skid in the first inning with a two-run homer, his sixth.

Weathers gave up six hits, struck out three and walked three. Atlanta scored on a leadoff homer in the fifth by Lopez, his fourth.

NL Roundup

Rockies 7, Cardinals 6

ST. LOUIS — Andres Galarraga and Ellis Burks each hit their eighth homers in the fifth inning off Tom Urbani (0-2). Galarraga's three-run shot tied the score and Burks put the Rockies ahead with his third consecutive hit.

Howard Johnson added his first homer in the first inning for Colorado, which has hit eight homers in three games.

Marvin Freeman (2-0) allowed six runs — three earned — and six hits in six innings and struck out five. Darren Holmes finished for his second save in five chances. Gregg Jefferies flied out to the warning track for the final out with a runner on second.

Reds 4, Cubs 3
CINCINNATI — Anthony Young once again couldn't get a break, remaining winless in four starts for the Cubs even though he handed a one-run lead to the bullpen.

Tony Fernandez homered on Randy Myers' first pitch in the ninth to tie it, and the Reds won an inning later on Roberto Kelly's two-out single.

Fernandez's hit was the first Myers (0-1) allowed this season, and it was the left-hander's first blown save after a club-record 20 straight.

Myers (0-1) walked Barry Larkin opening the 10th, then let Hal Morris' bunt roll under his glove for an error. Two outs later, Kelly singled home the winning run.

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NHL Playoffs

Pittsburgh.

Mario Lemieux, playing on the fifth anniversary of his five-goal, three-assist playoff game against Philadelphia, was held without a goal for the third straight game. He had never before gone longer than one postseason game without scoring until this series.

The Penguins, upset losers to the New York Islanders in a second-round series last spring, are 2-1 in Game 5 of playoff series since 1991.

The crowd of 15,044 was 2,423 less than capacity and was Pittsburgh's smallest of either the regular season or the playoffs.

Devils 5, Sabres 3
EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — Claude Lemieux scored a spectacular goal early in the third period to break a tie, and New Jersey pushed Buffalo to the brink of playoff elimination.

Canadiens 2, Bruins 1, OT
BOSTON — Kirk Muller scored with 17:18 gone in overtime and

Patrick Roy stopped 60 shots as Montreal defeated Boston to take a 3-2 lead in their playoff series.

Muller backhanded a rebound of a Patrice Brisebois shot over prone Boston goalie Jon Casey, who like Roy was brilliant for most of the game. Casey stopped 34 shots for Boston.

Game 6 of the series is Wednesday night in Montreal.

John LeClair sent the game into overtime when he tied it with 5:01 left in the third period. LeClair wrapped the puck around the Boston net and it went in off a Bruin's skate, skidding past a helpless Casey.

Jozef Stumpel had given the Bruins a 1-0 lead with 2:12 gone in the third period when he scored off the rebound of a Glen Murray shot. Roy went to the ice to stop Murray's shot and Stumpel flipped the puck over the goalie.

Casey had his best game in several weeks for the Bruins.

Associated Press

PITTSBURGH — Jaromir Jagr and Kevin Stevens scored their first playoff goals to reignite Pittsburgh's offense and the Penguins staved off playoff elimination by beating the Washington Capitals 3-2 Monday night.

Playing before their smallest home crowd of the season, the Penguins rallied from a 2-1 second-period deficit to avoid what would be their second straight early round ouster.

Washington, which gambled and lost again by playing rookie goaltender Byron Daboe instead of Don Beaupre, takes a 3-2 series lead into Game 6 of the Eastern Conference quarterfinals Wednesday at Landover, Md.

The Capitals are fighting to avoid blowing a 3-1 playoff series lead for the third time in franchise history. They also blew two-game leads in 1987 to the New York Islanders and just two years ago to

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OU tags Sampson to replace Tubbs

NORMAN, Okla. (AP) — Oklahoma ended its two-week search for a new basketball coach Monday by announcing that Kelvin Sampson of Washington State was the choice to replace Billy Tubbs. It turned out to be an easy pick.

The 38-year-old Sampson, along with his wife, Karen, wowed athletic director Donnie Duncan and others on the search committee during an interview Saturday.

"They (committee members) walked out and the only question they had was, 'Can we get this guy?' because of his feelings for Washington State," Duncan said. "This is an individual, wherever he is, he makes a difference with people."

That was apparent Sunday night, when the phone at his hotel room wouldn't stop ringing. One after another, his players at Washington State called to find out what was going on.

"This is a man that loves his players like he loves his family," Duncan said. "By caring that much for them, he has an entree to be very demanding about what kind of people they are, what kind of players they are, what kind of students they are."

Sampson departs a program that he turned around during his seven years. The Cougars had losing seasons in his first three seasons, but none after that. They reached the NIT in 1992, and last season finished 20-11 and went to the NCAA tournament for the first time since 1983.

Sampson said the seven years he spent rebuilding the program and

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building relationships in Pullman, Wash., made it difficult even to board the airplane Friday.

"Part of me wanted to do it, part of me did not," he said.

Sampson said he became impressed by the university, its academic support services and most of all the people he met during the weekend. At the top of the list was Duncan.

"I don't know how great an athletic director he is, but I think he's a great person and that's important to me," Sampson said. "It became a very easy decision to accept this job because of him and his commitment to this university."

Sampson will receive an annual salary of \$115,000. The deal also includes a shoe contract, summer camps and radio and television shows that could raise that figure significantly. Duncan would only say it is "competitive with the rest of the Big Eight."

Sampson, who is expected to bring his Washington State staff with him, takes over an Oklahoma program that has been in decline during this decade. Tubbs took the Sooners to the NCAA tournament eight straight years, including the championship game in 1988. But they wound up playing in the NIT three of the past four years, and the 15-13 record last season was Oklahoma's worst since 1980-81.

"I think you win basketball games when you get good enough to win," Sampson said. "Is Okla-



Wash. St.'s Kelvin Sampson ...now a Boomer Sooner

homa good enough to win? I'll tell you in October. If I didn't think Oklahoma was good enough to win, I wouldn't be here, I'll tell you that."

The Sooners' top scorer last season, Jeff Webster, was a senior. Sampson will have only one player back who could be considered a full-time starter last season, forward Ryan Minor, although the Sooners have four highly regarded high school recruits scheduled to join the team.

"I lost before I won at Washington State. I know how to build something that's solid," Sampson said. "I'm not into quick fixes. Doing things with integrity and being around those kinds of people have always been very important to me."

NBA: Post battles key to playoffs

(From 1C)

All four of their teams made the postseason, but the earliest meetings would be in the conference finals.

WESTERN CONFERENCE

No. 1 Seattle vs. No. 8 Denver

HEAD-TO-HEAD: Series tied 2-2.

KEY PLAYERS: Denver: center Dikembe Mutombo, guard Mahmoud Abdul-Rauf, forward LaPhonso Ellis and reserve Robert Pack. Seattle: forward Shawn Kemp, guard Gary Payton, forward Detlef Schrempf, reserve Ricky Pierce.

OUTLOOK: Seattle is loaded, with nine tough players at coach George Karl's call. Ricky Pierce has looked good in limited action since he returned from an injury, giving the defensive-minded Sonics an extra offensive weapon they might not have needed. Steals champion Nate McMillan is Pierce's defensive twin off the bench. The Nuggets have made a remarkable turnaround from three years ago, but they have little chance against Seattle.

PREDICTION: Seattle in 3.

No. 2 Houston vs. No. 7 Portland

HEAD-TO-HEAD: Houston 4-0.

KEY PLAYERS: Portland: guards Clyde Drexler and Rod Strickland, center Clifford Robinson, reserve Chris Dudley. Houston: center Hakeem Olajuwon, guards Kenny Smith and Vernon Maxwell, reserve Sam Cassell.

OUTLOOK: The Rockets' depth was comparable to Seattle's in the first half of the season before injuries to Maxwell, Mario Elie, Matt Bullard and Carl Herrera limited the options of coach Rudy Tomjanovich. But Olajuwon still should be too much for the Trail Blazers, although an upset is possible if Chris Dudley, recently returned from a season-long ankle injury, can help on defense.

PREDICTION: Houston in 5.

No. 3 Phoenix vs. No. 6 Golden State

HEAD-TO-HEAD: Phoenix 3-2.

KEY PLAYERS: Golden State: forward Chris Webber, guard Latrell Sprewell, forward Chris Mullin, center Chris Gatling. Phoenix: forward Charles Barkley, guards Kevin Johnson and Dan Majerle, reserve A.C. Green.

OUTLOOK: The Suns are vulnerable to teams with dominating big men, so at first glance they caught a break there. But it's a double-edged sword as Golden State is similarly vulnerable. In what could be a shootout, Phoenix has homecourt advantage, more weapons in reserve and playoff experience to put them over the top.

PREDICTION: Phoenix in 5.

No. 4 San Antonio vs. No. 5 Utah

HEAD-TO-HEAD: Utah 5-0.

KEY PLAYERS: Utah: forward Karl Malone, guards John Stockton and Jeff Hornacek, reserve Tom Chambers. San Antonio: center David Robinson, forwards Dale Ellis and Dennis Rodman, reserve J.R. Reid.

OUTLOOK: The Jazz, despite being the lower seed,

have that big sweep to give them confidence. But the playoffs are a new season, and the 5-0 sweep will mean nothing if Utah can't contain Robinson and Ellis starts hitting from outside again after a late-season injury and slump. The Jazz ended the season with a 10-game winning streak followed by a 2-8 slump followed by a 9-2 finish. So the series will ride on whether good Utah or bad Utah shows up.

PREDICTION: Utah in 4.

EASTERN CONFERENCE

No. 1 Atlanta vs. No. 8 Miami

HEAD-TO-HEAD: Atlanta 3-1.

KEY PLAYERS: Miami: center Rony Seikaly, forward Glen Rice, guard Steve Smith, reserve John Salley. Atlanta: forwards Kevin Willis and Danny Manning, guard Mookie Blaylock, reserve Craig Ehlo.

OUTLOOK: The Heat looked very strong after the All-Star break, winning five straight road games at one stretch, but fell apart late in the season, nearly losing the last playoff berth when Seikaly sprained an ankle. He got back in time to salvage Miami's second postseason appearance, but the Hawks are playing too well to become the first top seed to lost to an eighth seed.

PREDICTION: Hawks in 4.

No. 2 New York vs. No. 7 New Jersey

HEAD-TO-HEAD: New Jersey 4-1.

KEY PLAYERS: New Jersey: forward Derrick Coleman, guard Kenny Anderson, center Benoit Benjamin, reserve Armon Gilliam. New York: center Patrick Ewing, forward Charles Oakley, guard Derek Harper, reserve Charles Smith.

OUTLOOK: This is the matchup fans in the New York area were looking forward to. The Nets' 4-1 advantage in the regular season is intriguing, but the perceived matchup advantages for New Jersey should disappear when the Knicks are able to concentrate on them exclusively. Benjamin has played well lately, scoring 20 or more points in three recent games. If he could keep it up, the upset possibility is there.

PREDICTION: Knicks in 4.

No. 3 Chicago vs. No. 6 Cleveland

HEAD-TO-HEAD: Cleveland 3-1.

OUTLOOK: The Cavaliers have been eliminated by the Bulls in four of the six previous years, with Michael Jordan hitting series-ending shots twice. Jordan is gone, but so are Brad Daugherty and Larry Nance. Cleveland did remarkably well to win 47 games, but Chicago did remarkably well to win 55. The Bulls look that much better right now.

PREDICTION: Chicago in 4.

No. 4 Orlando vs. No. 5 Indiana

HEAD-TO-HEAD: Series tied 2-2.

OUTLOOK: The Pacers are playing better than any Indiana NBA team, finishing the season with a club-record eight straight victories. Many observers will take the position that the Pacers are soft until proven otherwise, regardless of how many times Smits scores 40 points in a game. The two Davises and Derrick McKey are doing a lot to reverse that perception.

PREDICTION: Indiana in 4.

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COACH: Rafferty set for Chap job

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team or a half court, pound it inside-type team, both offensively and defensively. I want our guys to feel free and understand shot selection, shoot the ball when you're open, understand time and possession of a game. Not just be players but become students of the game where they understand how the game is supposed to be played.

"I believe in man defense, and hopefully, we will get after folks," Rafferty added. "I think if I could have other coaches say, 'They really guard the devil out of you, you don't get any easy shots on them and they make you work for everything you get.' I think you have got to defend people and re-

bound. I think if you do those things, you have a chance to be a championship team."

The top rebounder this year, 6-foot-8 center John Brown, is among those expected to be back. Brown was named the Starburst Junior College Tournament most valuable player after leading the Chaps to the Region V championship and a national tournament berth. At Hutchinson, Brown was named to the all-tournament team.

Also returning will be starting guard Kevin Rice and reserve point guard Earl Tyson. Forwards Tallas Lampley and David Wilson of Midland Lee will be back and backup center/forward Ben Rad-

ford is also expected to return.

Rafferty's duties will begin immediately, and he is expected to move to Midland by May 31.

"I want to spend the next couple of weeks before the athletes go home for the summer, so that I can get to know them and learn about them. I am going to be watching film to see their strengths and weaknesses so that I know where we can improve and what we want to do offensively and defensively."

Rafferty said he will begin to contact recruits over the next several weeks. Assistant coach Mike Daniels served as the recruiting coordinator during interim between head coaches.

TENNIS: Terrazas region bound

(From 1C)

girls play in what could have been her most successful season to date. She finished third in district as a sophomore and was one of the top players to watch as a junior.

"It was real hard to sit and watch all those other girls and I wondered whether I should even go watch," Terrazas said. "I felt like I had just as much of a chance to do well and I was shooting on having a successful junior year or at least have something to build on for my senior year."

But she rebounded well and had a successful summer, and in a way, Terrazas said, "it helped me to take some time off."

That journey completed, Terrazas then had to get over a hurdle that was far more daunting — understanding and countering the slow-ball technique, which many of her opponents have used successfully to beat her. That is until Terrazas patiently took apart Hutson's game plan in the play-back for second place.

After Hutson took the first set rather easily, Terrazas had her back against the wall. Then Hutson, a junior, resorted to lobbing the ball either over Terrazas' head or just deep into her court to force Terrazas to take her time, something she's not used to doing.

"That's how I lost to her in the past," Terrazas said. "But I felt pumped after I was able to take her lob as an overhead (shot) and put them away. Coach has told me lots of times to keep the ball in play, and for

me that was more of a mental battle to play the ball and not the person. I usually try to force things."

And the method Terrazas had to use to get her regional berth was also a boost to her confidence and her mental game, Heiting said.

"All the comments after the match were, 'Hey, you did it the hard way.' And that's definitely the hard way to go and to do that and make it out (of district) is a real confidence builder."

Terrazas agreed, "I proved a lot to myself."

Terrazas will not know how she will be seeded until Thursday when the coaches meet before play starts on Friday. Heiting feels like she might get the No. 4 seed but he said it really wasn't a big issue. Heiting's boys doubles team last year was unseeded and ended up making the finals after knocking off the No. 4 and No. 2 seeds.

Terrazas would like to be placed in the same side of the draw as Sidney and Lubbock Coronado's Erica Simmons, two players she has played before and feels she can beat them if she faces them again. Also in the tournament field of 16 players is El Paso Coronado's Hallie Cohen, a player Heiting feels is the "top contender for state. She's that good."

"I'm expecting the competition to be real tough," Terrazas said.

But that could be just the challenge Terrazas needs to keep her mental game sharp and earn a coveted berth to the state tournament in May.



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Stocks rally sharply with bonds

Investors shift attention from interest rates, inflation to good 1st-quarter earnings.

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Stocks rallied sharply with the bond market on Monday as investors shifted their attention from interest rates and inflation to some good first-quarter corporate earnings reports.

The Dow Jones industrial average rose 57.10 points to 3,705.78.

Advancing issues outnumbered declines by about 7 to 3 on the New York Stock Exchange.

Volume on the floor of the Big Board came to 262.24 million shares as of 4 p.m., down from 295.74 million in the previous session.

Stocks began the day just modestly ahead but moved sharply higher once bonds recovered from a weak start,

depressing interest rates.

As the Dow average marched through the 50-point mark, it triggered the Big Board's "downtick rule," which restricts a form of computerized trading known as index arbitrage.

Also encouraging to stock investors, analysts said, were several strong earnings reports, including those from Boeing, Clark Equipment, DuPont and Goodyear Tire.

Boeing gained 1 to 44¢ after announcing earnings of 86 cents a share vs 96 cents in the same three months last year, but still higher than the 72-cent forecast.

Clark Equipment jumped 9¢ to 66¢ after posting earnings of \$1.54 cents a share, far above the estimate of 67 cents a share.

DuPont rose 3½ to 58½ after reporting earnings of 94 cents a share in the first quarter, up from 73 cents in the same quarter last year and above the projection of 74 cents.

U.S. Healthcare lost 4½ to 38½ after posting first-quar-

ter earnings of 55 cents a share vs 39 cents in the same three months last year, but below expectations.

At noon there were two minutes of silence on the New York and American Stock Exchanges for former president Richard Nixon who died Friday night at age 81. The stock market and most other U.S. financial markets will be closed on Wednesday, which President Clinton has declared a national day of mourning for Nixon. Early this century the NYSE began a tradition of closing after the death of a president.

In Tokyo, the 225-issue Nikkei Stock Average lost 1.3 percent, while in London, the Financial Times-Stock Exchange 100-share index dropped 0.9 percent. Stocks fell 0.5 percent in Frankfurt and 0.9 percent in Paris.

Among other major market indicators, the Standard & Poors index of 500 stocks rose 5.08 to 452.71, while the NYSE's composite index rose 2.52 to 250.47. The Nasdaq composite index, meanwhile, rose 8.24 to 730.80 and at the American Stock Exchange, the market value index rose 2.66 to 435.97.

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Prices rise

NEW YORK — Crude oil futures settled higher on the New York Mercantile Exchange in a late technical rally.

Traders said the market was volatile. Some traders took profits after recent gains. Others who had bet that prices would decline were forced to buy to cover their positions as prospects increased for higher prices.

These short sellers sell borrowed oil contracts, anticipating the price will go down. If all goes well, they buy contracts at the lower prices, repay the loan and pocket the difference as a profit.

But when prices go up, these traders must buy to minimize their losses and their purchases drive up prices in what's known as a short-covering rally.

Crude oil rallied back from a 29-cent loss to post a 10-cent gain.

West Texas Intermediate for June delivery ended 10 cents higher at \$17.24 a barrel.

June natural gas rose 0.1 cent to \$2.152 per 1,000 cubic feet.

T-bills rise

WASHINGTON — Interest rates on short-term Treasury securities rose in Monday's auction to the highest level in about two years.

The Treasury Department sold \$11.4 billion in three-month bills at an average discount rate of 3.85 percent, up from 3.76 percent last week. Another \$11.4 billion was sold in six-month bills at an average discount rate of 4.25 percent, up from 4.21 percent.

The three-month bill rate was the highest since they sold for 3.95 percent on April 6, 1992. The six-month bill rate was the highest since they averaged 4.27 percent on April 27, 1992.

The new discount rates understate the actual return to investors — 3.94 percent for three-month bills with a \$10,000 bill selling for \$9,902.70 and 4.40 percent for a six-month bill selling for \$9,785.10.

In a separate report, the Federal Reserve said Monday that the average yield for one-year Treasury bills, the most popular index for making changes in adjustable-rate mortgages, rose to 4.90 percent last week from 4.70 percent the previous week.

Dollar retreats

NEW YORK — The dollar declined slightly in foreign exchange dealings Monday, failing to draw buyer demand despite strong gains in the U.S. stock and bond markets.

Gold prices ended higher. On the Commodity Exchange in New York, bullion for current delivery fetched \$373.40 a troy ounce, up \$2.80 from Friday.

In New York, the dollar fetched 103.05 yen, down from 103.25 yen late Friday.

The British pound rose in New York, fetching \$1.4915, more expensive than its \$1.4885 exchange rate late Friday.

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Xerox-AT&T venture

Alex Mandl, left, AT&T vice president, stands with Paul Allaire, CEO of Xerox Corp., by the Xerox DocuTech Publisher 135 machine at the Jacob Javits Center in New York Tuesday. The two companies announced plans to market

and develop services that would enable customers to create high-volume, production-length documents, transmit them over telecommunications lines and produce and deliver them locally in finished form.

Apple hopes alliance will help in corporate market

CUPERTINO, Calif. (AP) — Apple Computer Inc., seeking a bigger piece of the corporate market, on Monday announced an alliance with Novell Corp., the leading maker of software for computer networks.

Novell is developing its NetWare software to run on Apple's new line of servers based on the PowerPC microprocessor. The new program will let Apple's machines work with rivals' computers that use different base software, such as Windows.

"It gives us more market reach into the world of mixed environments," Michael Spindler, Apple's president and chief executive officer, said at a news conference.

Apple also announced three new servers — computers that manage networks of personal computers — based on the new PowerPC microprocessor.

The company said the new servers are two to four times faster than current models.

The announcements signal Apple's attempt to build a larger presence in the huge corporate computing market, which is increasingly moving away from large mainframes to networks of personal computers.

Apple, the No. 2 maker of PCs, historically has been strong in the home and education markets but not among business users, except in desktop publishing and video editing.

But analysts said Apple could now make some inroads into that business market, which is dominated by Compaq Computer Corp. and International Business Machines Corp. in hardware and Microsoft Corp.'s Windows in software.

"Apple can now provide client-server architecture that's acceptable to corpo-

rate America," said Tim Bajarin, president of Creative Strategies Research International in San Jose, Calif. He called the new servers a good product and said the prices were competitive.

"That along with Novell allows them to deliver serious ... technology to hook up hundreds of PCs," he said.

The new servers, ranging in price from \$4,219 to \$10,269, will be available starting May 2. Spindler declined to reveal Apple's sales projections.

Novell's NetWare 4 software for the new servers would be available by the end of the year. The companies did not disclose the price.

Robert J. Frankenberg, Novell's president and CEO, said the new NetWare would let users work with different "platforms," standards based on IBM-compatible or Macintosh computers.

Demand, rates concern spark sales of homes

WASHINGTON (AP) — Pent-up demand and concern about future mortgage rates drove sales of previously owned homes up 5.7 percent in March, reversing a two-month decline attributed to bad weather, a real estate trade group said Monday.

Sales totaled 4.06 million at a seasonally adjusted annual rate, compared with a revised 3.84 million a month earlier, the National Association of Realtors reported. The February rate initially was estimated at 3.83 million.

Every region except the Northeast participated in the rebound.

"The recent up-tick in mortgage interest rates combined with pent-up demand has triggered more buyers to make a move now into home ownership for fear that rates might continue upward," said Robert H. Elrod, president of the Realtors' association.

Fixed-rate, 30-year mortgages averaged 7.68 percent in March, compared with 7.15 percent a month earlier, according to surveys by the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.

Rates have continued to climb, reaching 8.49 percent on Thursday, the highest since they averaged 8.54 percent in June 1992.

"We are experiencing some catchup in the market from sales that had been deferred during the winter," Realtors economist John A. Tuccillo said.

Existing home sales had peaked at a record 4.35 million rate in December, but then dropped 2.3 percent in January and 9.6 percent in February because of the harsh winter. Other areas of the housing industry — sales of new homes and housing starts — also slowed.

Strong demand, coupled with rising consumer confidence, should keep the housing market healthy, Elrod said. "We anticipate that home sales will hit near-record levels this year."

The Realtors are forecasting sales of 3.92 million this year, up 3.2 percent from 3.8 million in 1993, which had been the highest since 3.83 million in 1979. Sales in March were up 18.4 percent from a year earlier.

The median price of an existing home in March was \$107,400, up 0.5 percent from \$106,900 in February and 2.2 percent from \$105,100 in March 1993. The median means half of the homes cost more and half cost less.

Regionally, sales in the Midwest shot up 9.8 percent, to a 1.01 million annual rate. The median price was down 0.9 percent from a year ago, to \$84,600.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Directing deposits to new bank can be chore

By Bill Doyle

Q: Like lots of other investors, I have my dividend and interest payments made directly into my checking account by those corporations offering that service.

While this direct deposit has many advantages, such as convenience and safety, there appears to be a problem when one decides to switch banks.

I recently opened a checking account at a second bank and inquired about having my direct deposits switched there. The woman who handled my account said I probably would have to deal individually with each payer of dividends and interest.

I don't want to ask about this at the bank that currently receives my direct deposits, as it has a reputation for charging for everything except the time of day and probably will start doing

that soon.

How can this switch be accomplished, without dealing individually with each paying corporation?

A: It's unlikely it can.

You authorized — in writing, no doubt — each payer of dividends and interest to make direct deposits into your bank account. Those authorizations would have to be revoked; otherwise, your dividends and interest will keep going to your old account. Then, you must authorize each dividend and interest payer to make direct deposits in the account at your new bank.

Don't despair. That might not be too big a chore. Your new bank might ease the process by handling the necessary paperwork and dealing with all the dividend and interest payers, as well as your old bank. Ask about that at your new bank, which should bend over backward to please you.

Q: When a 4 percent certificate of deposit I had at a credit union matured, I promptly went in to renew it. The woman there told me the interest on a one-year CD would be at the same rate. So, I renewed it for another year. She wrote

"4 percent" and the new maturity date, and I signed the renewal slip.

About two weeks later, I received a notice in the mail that my CD had been renewed at 3.75 percent interest. Can they do this without consulting me?

A: No, indeed! There is something very wrong. Based on the information in your letter, that CD should have been renewed for one year at 4 percent interest.

In your shoes, I would insist the interest on that CD be set at 4 percent. If you get no satisfaction, take your story to the National Credit Union Administration in Washington.

Q: I have always considered commercial banks safer places to have deposits than savings and loan associations, because commercial banks have Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. coverage.

Now, I see the "thrifths" advertise "Insured by FDIC." How long has this been going on?

A: Since passage of the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989 — FIRRE for short, and better known as the S&L bailout bill.

Before that federal legislation was enacted, deposits at thrifths were covered by the Federal Savings & Loan Insurance Corp., which went broke and was scrapped.

FIRRE gave the FDIC the responsibility of insuring deposits in banks through its Bank Insurance Fund and deposits in savings associations through its Savings Association Insurance Fund.

Perhaps more important, FIRRE put the full faith and credit of the U.S. government behind both BIF and SAIF. Before that, FDIC coverage was backed by congressional resolutions, but was not written into law.

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ANGELS: Mission arms cooling Angels' timber

(From 1C)

Antonio's lead to 3-0 in the fourth. Midland managed a run each in the fourth and eighth innings but could never really put together a serious scoring threat when the Angels had runners in scoring position.

ANGEL NOTES: Righthander Keith Morrison (2-1) will be on the mound for Midland today in the fourth of the current five-game series with San Antonio. Starting for the Missions will be righthander Felix Rodriguez (0-1). San Antonio's Chan Ho Park, who joined the Missions from the Los Angeles Dodgers, is still scheduled to pitch Wednesday night in the final game of the series vs. Midland's Korey Keling (2-1). The Angels' 43 in-

nings without an error came to an end as Midland piled up three miscues in the field.

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Raven	4	0	0	0	Kirkpatrick	1	0	1	0
Wofford	4	0	1	1	Moore	1	0	1	1
Smith	3	0	0	0	Demetree	4	1	0	0
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Ramirez	3	1	2	0	Klass	3	0	0	0
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LOCAL SPORTS

AAU team wins another tourney

LUBBOCK — Midland's 14-under AAU basketball team posted a perfect 4-0 record to win the Lubbock Outlaw AAU Classic. The Midland team has now won two basketball tournaments this year and own a 9-0 record overall. They will compete next in the state AAU tournament with hopes of landing a national tournament berth.

Team Members: Aaron Erdwurm, Camar Jackson, Ross Nobles, Kirby Lemmons, Kevin Crawford, Robert House, Brian Massey, Brian Bagwell, Joey Schaffer, Jake Lacey and Anthony Colvin. Coaches: Joe Nobles and Pat Erdwurm.

Baughman wins two feature races

PENWELL — Penwell's Mike Baughman won both the Bomber Class and Pro Stock feature races over the Weekend at the I-20 West Speedway.

Monahans' John Schroeder took the New Car Class feature race over Midland's Bob Jones. Steve Davenport of Midland won the Spectator Drag.

I-20 West Speedway Results
Bomber Class: 1. Mike Baughman, Penwell, \$175; 2. John Walraven, Odessa, \$75; 3. Tote McGowan, Monahans, \$50; 4. Bret Bush, Odessa, \$25.
Pro Stock: 1. Mike Baughman, Penwell, \$325; 2. Bud Evans, Odessa, \$150; 3. Chris Sabo, Odessa, \$75; 4. Ronnie Ornel Jr., \$25.
New Car Class: 1. John Schroeder, Monahans, \$250; 2. Bob Jones, Midland, \$125; 3. Toby Bell, Colorado City, \$50; 4. Jeff Roland, Midland, \$25.
New Car Class Trophy Dash: Jeff Roland, Midland.
Mini Stock Dash for Cash: 1. Steve Huse, Odessa, \$225; 2. Joel Hagerty, Midland, \$100.
Spectator Drag: Steve Davenport, Midland.

Ritchie captures 14 boys singles

ABILENE — Spencer Ritchie of San Jacinto won the boys 14 singles title here over the weekend at the Northwest ZAT tennis tournament, beating Abilene's Wesley Longacre, 6-1, 6-1, in the finals.

Ritchie also had victories over Aaron Patterson of Abilene, 6-0, 6-0; Cody Chapman of Abilene, 6-1, 6-0; Jordan Payne of Lubbock, 6-2, 6-0; and Kurt O'Connor of Wichita Falls, 6-0, 6-0, on the way to the finals.

Vo, Valdez win

Liulien Vo and Becky Valdez won the Midland Tennis Club's Women's Doubles tournament over the weekend with a 6-4, 4-6, 6-2 win over Meryl McClung and Sonia Valdez.

Other MTC Results
A-1 Consolation: Jean Simpson-Karen Capps took the title, 6-6, 6-3, 6-3.
B-1: Sherry Davis-Jeanne Larrance def. April Robinson-Diane Salisbury, 6-3, 6-3. Consolation: Halie McClung-Ginny Wilkinson def. Chrissy Mares-Marissa Prude, 6-1, 6-0.
C Division: 1. Alaina Boldworth-Alayna Johnston; 2. Alison Gervais-Sasha Hollar; 3. Laren Mercer-Sena Hart; 4. Lindsay Epley-Crysta Rangel.

Correction

Bill Heck and Dave Griffiths won the seventh flight of the Rusty Swing golf tournament Sunday instead of Heck-Heck as reported. The Reporter-Telegram regrets the error.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram staff reports.

Baylor hires Hogg as coach

WACO — Sonja Hogg, who led Louisiana Tech to two national championships, was hired Monday as women's basketball coach at Baylor.

She replaces Pam Bowers, who was fired last month and has filed a \$4 million lawsuit against Baylor. She was denied an injunction on the hiring of a new coach.

Hogg spent the last several years in business since leaving the Lady Techsters in 1985.

"Sonja brings a national reputation, both on and off the court, with her as we move into a new era of women's basketball here," athletic director Dick Ellis said.

Hogg founded the Louisiana Tech women's basketball program in 1974 and won the AIAW national title in 1982 with a 34-0 record. The next season the Lady Techsters won the first NCAA women's title.

Her teams hold national records for consecutive victories (54) and most victories in a season (40 in 1980). Her 307-55 record in 11 sea-

sons gives her a .848 winning percentage, the second highest among active Division I coaches.

Louisiana Tech has remained among the nation's top programs, losing this year's national title to North Carolina on a buzzer-beating 3-point shot.

Since leaving Tech, Hogg has been involved in several sports-related business ventures.

She was an assistant athletic director for marketing and development at the University of Texas from 1988-90, was vice president for resource development for the Women's Basketball Hall of Fame and most recently worked for Pinnacle Marketing in Little Rock, Ark.

Hogg also spent three years at Deer Park High, posting a 74-17 record and two district titles.

Her link to Texas is ironic because the Lady Longhorns will be among the top foes Hogg will face in the Southwest Conference and then the Big Eight.

Baseball...

The Midland Lee Baseball Booster Club will meet each Thursday during the baseball season at 7:30 p.m. in the Lee cafeteria.

The Midland Baseball Umpires Association needs summer umpires, experience not necessary. Call Mike Marcom at 563-2401.

Benefits...

The Midland High football team is raising money for new weight equipment and activities of other organizations at the Bulldog Lift-A-Thon April 28. The players collect pledges for weight lifted. All pledges are greatly appreciated. Call Gary McCright (570-5633) or Coach Ronnie Reeger (689-1195).

Golf...

The following tournaments are set for the Martin County Country Club in Stanton: April 30, 3-person scramble, 27 holes; May 21-22, 2-person scramble; June 4, 2-person scramble, 27 holes; June 18-19, 4-person scramble; July 23-24, 2-person scramble; Aug. 6, 2-ladies scramble; Aug. 20-21, 4-person scramble; Sept. 10-11, Jack & Jill scramble.

The following tournaments are set for the Iraan Golf Club: The Allen Terry Memorial, May 7-8, \$120 team, partnership lowball. Four-man select shot, June 25-26, \$240 per team. Two-couple select shot, Aug. 13-14, \$240 per team. Two-lady select shot, Sept. 17, \$80 per team. Call Paula Miller at (915) 639-2295.

McCahey Country Club is holding the following April golf events: April 30, 3-lady, 18-hole select shot with 10 a.m. tee time at \$30 per person. Contact 1-652-8904 (after 2 p.m. Tuesday-Friday).

Midland West Rotary Club will host a scholarship four-person scramble tournament May 13 at Hogan Park. Entry fee \$50. Call Raymond Nicholas at 682-0958 for information.

WEST TEXAS SPORTS

Hogan Park 2-Person Scramble

May 14 at 11:30 a.m. Players put together their own 2-man teams with handicaps within six strokes of each other. Deadline is May 11 at 6 p.m. Entry fee is \$30 per person, plus green fee and cart. Call 685-7360 for information.

West Texas Junior Championships is at Andrews Country Club June 6-8 with age divisions of 15-15 and 16-17 for boys and 15-18 for girls. To enter call 1-523-2461.

Tennis...

Upcoming tournaments for the Midland Tennis Club are Mixed Doubles, April 30-May 1; May 7-8, 25 & over Women's Singles and Junior Girls; May 14-15, Men's Singles and Junior Boys; May 21-22, Women's Doubles; May 28-29, Mixed Doubles. For information call 694-0476.

Wheelchair Tennis Exhibition is May 14 from noon to 2 p.m. at The Midlander.

Dunlop Junior Summer Camps and Clinics are at The Midlander tennis club. Dates and times for all ages and level clinics are available from Jon at The Midlander (682-0813) or Luis (683-5360). Call the same numbers for info regarding June 13-17 and July 18-22 junior camps. For camp discount register by May 20.

The Tennis Association of Midland will begin Junior Circuit tournaments April 30 through May 1 at Midland Lee. There will be four tournaments with points awarded for each round won and will count toward the TAM Masters Invitational Tournament to be held at the end of the season. Call the TAM office at 682-2255 for information.

Softball...

The Bud Light West Texas/New Mexico Triple Crown Softball Tournament is April 30-May 1 in Amarillo. Men's, women's and mixed all divisions pay a \$160 entry fee. Call (303) 224-2502 ext. 164.

Deadline for registration for

the Spring Slowpitch Season is April 28. Call Verna Doan at 683-8741 for information.

Bud Light Classic is April 30-May 1 at UTPB Complex in Odessa. Entry fee is \$110 for Class C and under. Call 561-6601 or 337-2660 for information.

The Alpha Phi Mu softball tournament is in Stanton May 6-7. Entry deadline is May 4 by 8 p.m. Entry fee is \$100. Contact Terry Anderson 699-0029 or Darren Sorley at 687-2500.

Fishing...

The Couples Association of Sport Tournaments (CAST) will hold the following fishing tournaments: May 22, O.H. Ivie; June 12, Proctor; July 24, Hubbard; Aug. 14, Lake Leon. You must be a member by March to participate in any of the tournaments. Call Tommy Busbee at 687-2522 for information.

The 1994 McBee Bass Tournament dates have been set. You must compete in two of the seven tournaments to qualify for the season ending Classic where the winner will earn an LS 175 Hydra-Sports boat and trailer. Tournaments are May 29, June 26, July 31, Aug. 28, Sept. 11 and Oct. 23 (Classic). Call Ron McKnight, 695-3323, or Tommy Busbee, 687-2522, for information.

Camps...

Reservations are being accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis for the 1994 Texas Tech Quarterbacks/Receivers Football Camp June 5-7 in Lubbock. Cost of the overnight camp is \$225. Instructions will be given by Texas Tech coaches. To register for the camp, contact the Texas Tech Football Office at (806)-742-3355.

Motocross...

West Texas Motocross Park has the following race dates with sign-up at 8:30 a.m., practice at 10 a.m. and races at 11:30 a.m.: May 15, June 19, July 17, Aug. 21, Sept. 18, Oct. 16, Nov. 20 and Dec. 18. Call 697-9606, 530-3311 or 580-4108 for event

information...

Soccer...

The Techniques Soccer Camp and British Soccer Camp are this summer in Midland. Former pro Bobby Moffat conducts the Techniques Camp June 13-17 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. for ages 6-14 at the Windlands Complex for \$80. Team discounts available. The British Soccer Camps are Aug. 1-5 as follows: Minikickers, mornings, \$80; Level 1, mornings or afternoons, \$80; Level 2 and goal keepers, 1-5 p.m., \$90; Level 3, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., \$125 dollars. Early sign-up discounts available. Call 570-4949 days and 697-4204 nights.

Manu Sanon's half day intermediate and advanced soccer camp will be held June 6-10 and July 4-8. Fees are \$75 for 10-under and \$100 for 10-over. Family discounts are available. For more information call 685-1018.

Racquetball...

The Midlander will host a racquetball tournament on April 30. Class A, B and C tournaments will be held. The cost is \$10 per person and participants must bring own balls. For more information call Cristi at 682-0813.

Volleyball...

The Ulmer Park Coed Sand Volleyball Tournament is May 7 with 4-on-4 (at least one girl) with \$50 entry fee and 6-on-6 (at least 3 girls) with \$60 entry fee. Entry deadline is May 2. For information, call Lisa Whiting at 571-1515.

Swimming...

The Midland County Chapter of the American Red Cross is offering a Water Safety Instructor class May 16-27. Classes are at the Midland High pool. Class times are 5 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. and fee is \$50. Interested persons must be 17 or older, have lifeguard training or emergency water safety and have swimmer level skills. Call 684-6161 for information.



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By Elizabeth
Lifestyle Editor

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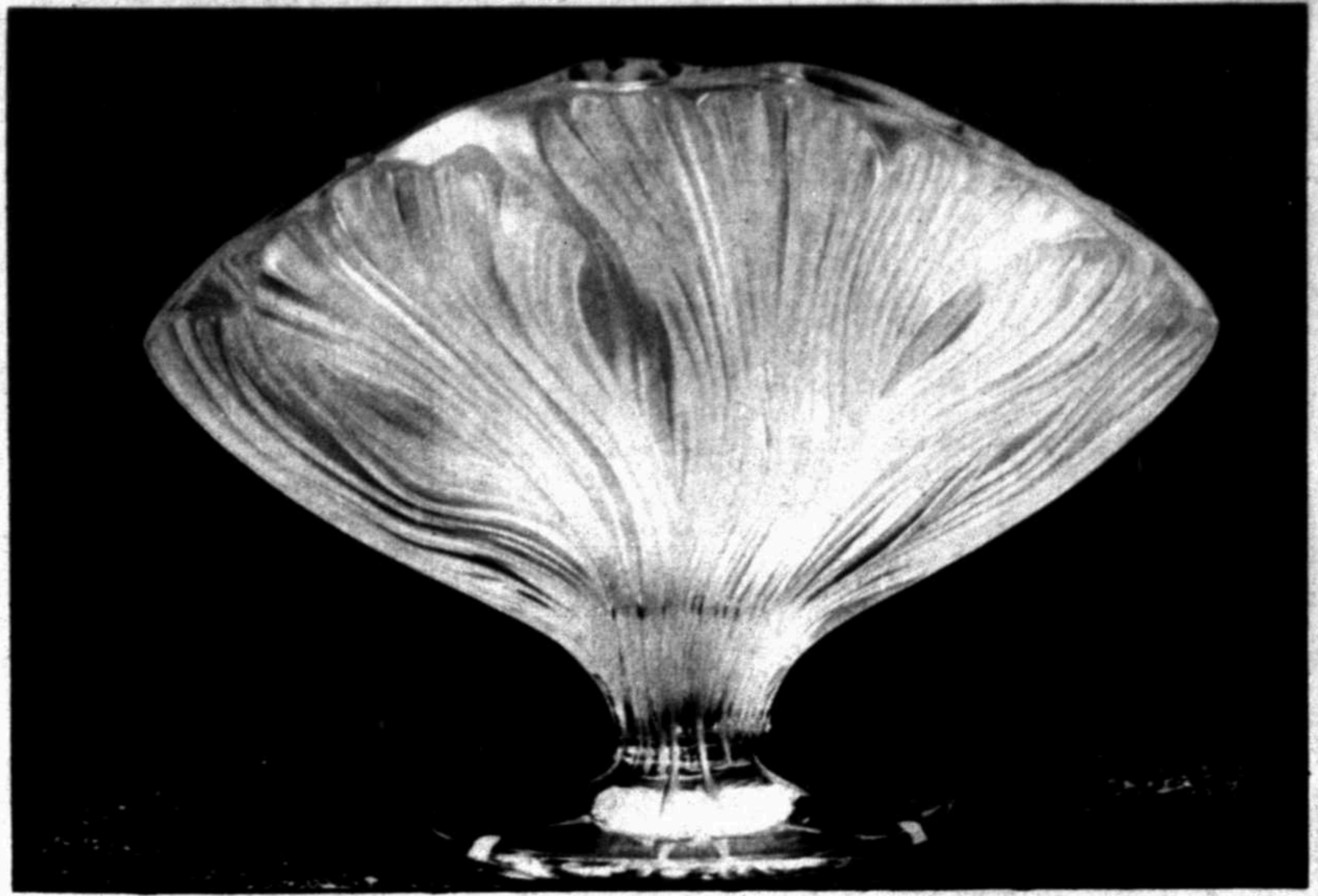
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This Baccarat lion is one of 19 pieces of crystal for auction during the Crystal Ball and Auction Saturday at Midland Country Club.



One of the top-bid items during the Crystal Ball and Auction benefiting High Sky Children's Ranch was this Lalique Ichor Vase.

Crystal Ball has rainbows, smiles with touch of glass

Over 400 attend 20th annual benefit auction to raise \$164,000 for High Sky Children's Ranch

By Elizabeth Edwin
Lifestyle Editor

It's funny how children and rainbows can bring smiles to peoples' faces. And Saturday, while the children were tucked safely back at the Ranch, a rainbow formed in the sky as over 400 guests made their way to Midland Country Club to attend the 20th annual Crystal Ball and Auction to benefit the children at High Sky Children's Ranch.

The rainbow that graced the West Texas sky seemed appropriate as it is High Sky's symbol of hope.

The glimmering smiles and sounds of laughter at Midland Country Club, which even overshadowed the glittering sequins and beads of the ladies' evening gowns, were because these people were attending this black-tie affair to help raise funds for a cause they hold dear to their hearts.

The event raised approximately \$164,000 gross, according to Laurie Boldrick, development director for High Sky. After paying expenses, the funds raised will go toward the operations of High Sky Children's Ranch, a 100-acre, 24-hour residential treatment facility which works with and cares for abused, neglected and troubled children in Texas. The Ranch houses children ages 6-17 and is located six miles west of Midland.

Upon arriving at Crystal Ball, guests' first view was the display of a new BMW convertible from Broncho Chevrolet that was a part of the silent auction. By the end of the evening, one lucky guest was the proud owner of the car.

AS GUESTS mingled, they viewed the other silent auction items, as well as the crystal pieces on display for the live action. Waiters and waitresses were kept busy serving cocktails and hors d'oeuvres.

Beautiful floral centerpieces arranged in tall glass vases adorned ribboned tables. Decorations were under the direction of Rusty Freeman and Ron Huse.

Many guests headed to the dance floor to take advantage of music provided by The Project, while others headed to the Grill for listening music by LaCroix Quartet, both produced by Wemus Entertainment.

Before the live auction began, Paula Douglas and Polly Davis were introduced as chairman and co-chairman respectively, of the ball, and thanked for their time and effort.

In keeping with the rainbow symbol, the rainbow award is annually presented to a dedicated worker for High Sky who serves as

a goodwill ambassador for the Ranch.

Because of the wonderful support of so many people in the Permian Basin, High Sky broke from the tradition of naming one Rainbow award winner and presented two outstanding people with the honor. Winners were David G. Griffin and Sherwood N. McGuigan.

Before the bidding began, Griffin, chairman of the Board of Governors and master of ceremonies said, "When you go outside to your pickup truck, I want you to look at each other and know you have been a part of something very special... Know that you have made a difference in the life of a little child."

With spotters at the ready all around Midland Country Club, auctioneer Smith Thomasson began the live auction with a Waterford carafe, but the lively atmosphere often made it hard to keep track of the fast-paced bidding.

TOP-BID ITEMS for the evening were a Lalique Sylvie vase, a Baccarat galloping horse, a Waterford Master Cutter Collection centerpiece bowl, a Waterford signed vase and a Lalique Ichor vase.

Other crystal auction items included a seashell, a Woodland Fawn, a quail and a water bird all by Steuben; a pair of bookends, a lamp, a rose bowl and candleholders all by Waterford; an eagle and

a lion by Baccarat; an elephant and a Martinets vase by Lalique; and a bowl by Orrefors.

Following the live auction, silent auction items were distributed. Items — in addition to the BMW — included a week in a condo in Vail, Colo., from Paula and Ruff Ahders; a crystal train from Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Grafa; a painting from Charlotte Seay; a 1994 signed Super Bowl Dallas Cowboy football from Mr. and Mrs. Bill Montgomery; silver jewelry with semi-precious stones from Alice and Bob Johnson; an art deco Poul vase from Russell L. Freeman & Associates; a fly-fishing trip near Aspen for two from Greg Wisener of Mark Justin Outfitters in Aspen; and a Nicole Miller blazer from James Borron.

Other items in the silent auction were four-days accommodations in an A-frame cabin near Durango from Sherwood and John McGuigan; a watercolor portrait from Jena Rawley Whitaker; a family portrait from Lisa Froch photography; a crystal necklace from Julian Gold; a quail hunt from Trey Robbins; two nights at Fenn Galleries' guest house in Santa Fe from Nedra Matteucci Galleries; two weekend passes for the Legends of Golf Tournament & Events at Barton Creek Country Club in Austin from BCCC and Major Medical Homecare Services Inc.; and two bronze belt buckles from Mary Griffith.



David Griffin (left) and Sherwood McGuigan (right) were presented the Rainbow Award from Jackie Carter (center), High Sky executive director.



Joe Hruska, with his wife Jody, was given a special recognition award for his volunteer service at High Sky Children's Ranch.



Ron Sponberg, Cathy Holland and Barbara Sponberg look at the crystal on display.

A **BUFFET BREAKFAST** fit for a king, complete with chefs cooking made-to-order omelets, and more dancing completed the evening.

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AT WIT'S END

New machine may hear Catholics' confessions

By Erma Bombeck

Confessions have never been easy for Catholics.

We form a line facing the altar with our backs to the confessional. Slowly, we inch backward to the booth. The cubicle is small and dark inside as we assume our position on the kneeler and ask absolution for our sins from the shadow on the other side of the screen.

We worry. We worry that the priest will recognize our voice. We worry that our confession will take so long, people in line will speculate we're terrorists. We worry what the priest will say when we admit our last confession was when Truman was president. We worry that our sins will prompt the priest to raise his voice and say, "That's disgusting!"

A guy with a great sense of humor is trying to change all this. He figures if you can send faxes to God for favors and place them in the Wailing Wall in Jerusalem, the world is ready for "Greg Garvey's Automatic Confession Machine."

This is the way it would work. After you say, "Bless me, father, for I have sinned," a menu appears on the computer screen. You tap in the number of days since your last confession, and the number of venial and mortal sins.

Once the sin tally is recorded, the machine calculates your penance — possibly a dozen Hail Marys and six Our Fathers — on a printout.

Garvey, a Catholic, takes confessions seriously and says it is not his purpose to make fun of a particular sacrament or religion. He is just ahead of the curve on the possible advantages of technology.

I don't rule out anything anymore. Ever since I heard a Perry Como recording of "Ave Maria" at my friend's wedding, I believe in anything.

Like it or not, human contact has been sacrificed on the altar of do-it-yourself technology. Coffee vendors, bank tellers, telephone and elevator operators, gas station attendants, retail and grocery clerks are increasingly ghosts of the past. The world is wandering around looking for a button to push.

Greg Garvey may be opening a high-tech Pandora's box. I foresee a wedding where the bride presses 1 if she needs a groom, 2 if she needs witnesses, 3 if she wants a caterer and 4 if she requests music. If she needs counseling to feel good about her decision, she should stay on the line.

As for the confessional, Garvey did say his plan cannot possibly replace a priest because the software has not been ordained. Not yet.

Erma Bombeck's column is distributed by Universal Press Syndicate.



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DEAR ABBY

Indiana enacts new anti-child-molester law

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: On March 2, Indiana Gov. Evan Bayh signed a bill that will require convicted child molesters to register with local law enforcement in this area.

This law, called "Zachary's Law," was named for Zachary Snider, a Cloverdale, Ind., boy who was sexually molested, then murdered. It was signed by Gov. Bayh on what would have been Zachary's 11th birthday, and will go into effect July 1, 1994.

The signing of this law was televised statewide. Gov. Bayh signed it through his tears, then he hugged Zachary's mother. There wasn't a dry eye in the place.

This law sends the message that

society will no longer sit back and do nothing while children are sexually abused, and murdered to silence them.

These are senseless crimes, and many families suffer while the alleged perpetrator enjoys the protection of the law with regard to their rights. — MRS. SALLY TROUTMAN-MCINTOSH, MOORESVILLE, IND.

DEAR MRS. TROUTMAN-MCINTOSH: Hats off to the state of Indiana and its able governor, Evan Bayh. According to the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, 29 other states already have laws on the books similar to the Indiana law, and I am informed that other state legislatures are moving in that direction.

DEAR ABBY: I cracked up when I read this in Letters to the Editor in the Ventura (Calif.) Star-Free Press. If you think your readers will enjoy it, here it is. — LOYAL READER



Van Buren

Florida ranks squarely at top of best-beaches list

By Bob Dart

Cox News Service

COLLEGE PARK, Md. — Florida is home to over half of the nation's top 20 beaches — including Grayton Beach, the best spot in America for sun, sand, surf, safety and solitude, according to an annual rating by a leading beach expert.

Located beside the Gulf of Mexico on the Florida Panhandle, Grayton Beach replaced Hapuna, Hawaii, on the 1994 Best Beaches Survey by Stephen Leatherman, director of the University of Maryland's Laboratory for Coastal Research.

"Grayton Beach is kind of the perfect beach, if there is one. It's a well maintained state recreational area, has good facilities for visitors, sugar white sand, a lake nearby and beautiful, clean aquamarine water," said Leatherman, a geologist who has been dubbed "Dr. Beach" by his colleagues.

Leatherman has studied beaches for over 20

years, visited all 650 of the nation's public beaches, and written or edited nine books about beaches. He has released a springtime "Best Beaches Survey" for the past five years.

Each beach is rated on 40 criteria — including width; softness of sand; water temperature, color and clarity; number of sunny days; pollution; crowdedness; noise; wave size and currents; seaweed and jellyfish; and lifeguards.

The professor concedes the survey reflects his preference for natural, nearly deserted beaches over crowded, highly developed ones.

"The most popular beaches aren't necessarily the best beaches," said Leatherman, whose office door has a sign proclaiming "Science Can Be a Day at the Beach."

Beaches in Hawaii or Florida have always topped Leatherman's list. In declaring Grayton Beach this year's winner, he cited its wide stretch of soft sand, warm water, good fishing, and its lack of condominiums, crime and pollution.

Twelve of this year's top 20 beaches are located in Florida, four in Hawaii, two in New York and one apiece in North Carolina and Massachusetts.

Leatherman dismisses California beaches as overcrowded and polluted. He said the Pacific water on the U.S. West Coast is often too chilly, even in summer, and the big waves and strong currents are dangerous to average swimmers.

Unlike his past surveys, Leatherman did not publish a list of America's worst beaches this year. However, he said most beaches face growing problems with erosion, development and pollution.

"Ninety percent of all beaches are eroding — on all three coasts," he said, with the biggest losses of sand coming along the Atlantic and Gulf coasts.

Meanwhile, the fragile coastline is being urbanized at twice the rate of the rest of nation, warned Leatherman, saying, "You've got to keep development in balance with nature."

Sick hire lawyers who force insurance firms to pay for treatments

By Gina Kolata

N.Y. Times News Service

Pamela Schmale, a 39-year-old bookkeeper, says she felt that her only hope of surviving advanced breast cancer was to have a bone marrow transplant. But her insurance company said it would not pay for the expensive and risky procedure, which is still undergoing clinical testing.

In desperation, Mrs. Schmale and her husband, Arthur, mortgaged their house in Boring, Ore., to raise the \$100,000 or more they would need for the transplant. And her doctors recommended lawyers who might fight their insurance company for them.

The Schmales hired Sheldon Weinhaus, a lawyer in St. Louis who persuaded Mrs. Schmale's insurance company to pay the full cost of the transplant, which Mrs. Schmale had in January.

Although Mrs. Schmale said her doctors told her it was too soon to know whether she would be helped, she was confident she had done the right thing. "I think it saved my life," she said.

In the last several years, patients have been increasingly turning to lawyers to pressure insurance companies to pay for claims that were initially denied, and some of the claims are even for treatments specifically excluded under their insurance plans.

While this practice can help critically ill patients get access to treatments they desperately want, it raises issues of fairness, because the rewards go to those with the means to hire a lawyer.

Weinhaus said that lawyers charged, on average, about \$10,000 for an insurance case and that they were not hired in such a case on a contingency basis.

The larger problem for society, some health-care experts say, is that when litigious patients have their way, they hinder an important part of the effort to control health-care costs: the attempt to stop paying huge sums for therapies that have no proven value.

The insurance companies usually agree to pay because of the cost of litigation and the chance that juries will impose large damage awards in favor of the sick.

But to litigious patients, no case is too advanced, no treatment is too expensive or too much of a long shot to be tried when the insurance companies pay the bill. And the companies, of course, merely pass the cost to the other policyholders by raising the insurance premiums.

The insurance companies usually agree to pay because of the cost of litigation and the chance that juries will impose large damage awards, said Dr. John Cova, a consultant on health insurance to the Health Insurance Industry Association.

Even when a contract explicitly says the company need not pay for an experimental treatment, a jury often sides with the dying patient. The companies "are getting weary," Cova said. "They keep losing."

Dr. Arthur Caplan, director of the Center for Bioethics at the University of Minnesota, said the process favored the rich over the poor and the assertive and the articulate over the reticent and reluctant. "Squeaky wheels get rewar-

ded," he said.

This kind of litigation became popular a few years ago, said Karen Gallinari, a New York lawyer who represents patients against insurance companies. Now, Ms. Gallinari said, it is common.

She said she rarely had to go to

ter they hired a lawyer.

Dr. Thomas Spitzer, who directs the bone marrow transplant program at Massachusetts General Hospital, said that insurance companies came around after "a succession of women took their claims to court and won."

Now, he said, "in the cases I am familiar with, they didn't even go to court." Just getting a lawyer was enough.

Dr. Curt Freed, who directs a program at the University of Colorado offering fetal tissue implants for patients with Parkinson's disease, said that insurance companies automatically refuse to pay for the \$40,000 operation, but he added that five of eight patients who hired lawyers persuaded the companies to reverse their decisions.



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110 Lodge Notices

Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Rd. 682-5508.

Reg. meet. 3rd Thurs. each mo. 8:30 pm. Dinner 7 pm. Bus. meet. 8 pm.

Mary Anderson, Pres., Bob Elwood, Secy.

CENTENNIAL LODGE #1448
1000 Upland at Culbert.
Reg. stated meeting 1st & 3rd Sat. mornings 8:30 am. Breakfast 7:30 am. Gary Painter, W.M. Bob Elwood, Secy.

Acacia Masonic Lodge #1414
1000 Upland at Culbert.
25 Year Award Tuesday, April 26th, 7:30 PM.
Leonard Wood, W.M. (P.T.) Al Talbot, Sec.

Midland Masonic Lodge #223
1600 W. Wall.
Reg. stated meeting 2nd & 4th Thurs. 7:30 pm. 682-3292.
W. Dean Porter, W.M. Robert G. Kiker, Sec.

115 Announcements

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200 Automobiles Domestic

FLEET REDUCTION SALE!

Over 60 cars to dispose of
Priced thousands below new
30 available for viewing
Most have factory warranty
Cadillacs, Minivans, Convertibles
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Hurry for best selection
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Midland Reporter-Telegram

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Call **682-6222**

120 Public Notices

PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held by Midland College to provide interested parents, students, special populations and agencies with the opportunity to consult with the college regarding its proposal for 1993-94 Carl Perkins Federal Vocational Education Funds.

The hearing will be held in the Vocational Career Center, located in the NE corner of the Student Center on Wednesday, April 27, 1994 at 4 p.m.

130 Personals

MARY KAY COSMETICS
Sylvia Wallace 684-5484
Debbie Maxson Lawrence 683-0040

1-800-442-7080, Ext. 220, Toll Free. Midland Singles.

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Helen 685-1423, Joyce 689-3025.

FEEL LESS HUNGRY, HAVE MORE ENERGY using natural, guaranteed weight loss product. Beverly 520-8222.

150 Lost & Found

LOST: BLACK Male Chow, 3/27 in the vicinity of Midland Dr. & Illinois. 697-0934.

LOST: Long haired Siamese male cat vicinity of Country Club and football stadium. 682-1955.

LOST: "Ginger" a small apricot Poodle on 4-8-94. Please call 682-3753.

LOST: Grey male Tabby cat with very short hair and big ears vicinity of Quaker Park Elementary. Reward. 694-1807.

\$300 REWARD! No questions asked! For information/return of large gray plastic tool box containing Medical Equipment. Left in driveway Sunday April 10th on Haynes Road. 683-6803, 683-4671, 689-0049.

LOST: black, female Lab named Roxie, wearing choker chain, 6 months old. Call 694-8487, 570-7717.

FOUND: SIAMESE Male cat, on Bowie street. 699-7465.

LOST: Black & white cat, Wadley & Ward area. 684-5364.

FOUND: Yellow Lab, male, north of Fire Station on Lamesa Hwy. SPCA, 684-1582.

FOUND pet snake. Caller may identify. Call Dick 697-0427.

FOUND: Yellow male Lab vicinity of Cowden Park. 682-8225.

FOUND children's prescription eye glasses. Front St. in front of McCoy's. Kim, 683-3092.

WILL the person who picked up red folding table in the area of Kentucky, So. Garfield, and Carter Streets please call 694-4158.

LOST: In downtown Midland, gold & diamond link bracelet. Call evenings. 683-5509.

REWARD:

FOUND: Large Collie & 2 blonde Cocker Spaniels. 697-0357.

FOUND: SHELTY male, about 2 years old. Found 4/22 in Emerson Court area.

AKITA 2 year old female wearing blue nylon collar found 4/25 5100 block Andrews Hwy. Contact Midland Animal Control, 685-7420.

162 Mortgages Wanted

COLONIAL FINANCIAL SERVICES pays cash for owner carried real estate notes. 550-2025 (Odessa).

163 Money to Loan

NEED business capital? We have courses of move money for profitable, legitimate businesses. Write: Bridge Fund, P.O. BOX 80181, Midland TX 79708.

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210 Automobiles Import

LITTLEFIELD AUTOMOTIVE
Best Complete Service for Imported Autos! 1810 W. Front, Midland. 683-8611.

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VOLVO 1993 940 Turbo Wagon. Red with black leather, 29K miles. \$22,500. 806-497-6739, leave message.

FIAT 1979 Brava. Good tires, runs good, needs T.L.C. \$500 firm. Patrick, 689-3401.

NISSAN 1990 Sentra. 2 door, red, 4 door, great paint, great condition. \$4,995. 520-8714/694-3115.

NISSAN 1987 Stanza GXE. 1 owner, 64,000 miles, loaded, good condition. \$4,995. 520-8714/694-3115.

NISSAN 1990 Sentra. 2 door, black, standard, 50,800 miles, \$4,000. 694-8732/683-3494.

NISSAN 1993 240SX. Loaded, 21,000 miles, must sell, sacrifice for \$14,000. Call 362-9250.

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CHEVROLET 1993 C1500 Shortbed, 11,000 miles, automatic, V8, custom wheels, AM/FM cassette, tilt, cruise, warranty. Extra sharp. \$13,200. Call 694-2228.

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FORD 1984 1/2 Mustang, 8 cylinder, 3 speed, air conditioning, AM radio, 79,000 original miles, excellent condition. 687-5204.

PLYMOUTH 1936 Coupe. Street Rod. Restored, V8, show winner. \$20,000. 694-7401.

CHEVROLET 1977 Corvette, black, good mechanical condition. \$8,500 cash. 684-5403 or 684-2264.

CHEVROLET 1976 Corvette Stingray. 4 Speed, completely rebuilt, needs interior. \$9,000. 1-824-3212.

CHEVROLET 1955 Belair. 4 door, 6 cylinder, 68,000 original miles, runs & drives good. \$1,700. 520-4857.

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1991 INFINITI G20-Low mileage, new tires, power sunroof, tinted windows, 7 year or 100,000 mile warranty, one owner, garaged. 687-7521 (W) 694-1537 (H). \$12,000 FIRM.

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BMW 1982 320i. Beige, sunroof, AM/FM cassette, automatic, high mileage, great car. \$15,500. 682-5428.

NISSAN 1989 300ZX. Grey, 1-top, Cream puff! Always garaged, 45,000 miles, warranty. 694-0898.

VOLKSWAGEN 1974 THING, needs restoration. \$1,850. Call Lamesa, 806-872-3470, 806-872-2103, 806-872-8094.

BMW 1978 630 CSI. 78,000 miles, excellent condition. 694-7457.

INFINITI 1990 Q45. 17,000 miles, 83,000 miles left on 3 year extended warranty. Pearl white, with dark brown and tan interior, chrome rims. \$26,500 cash only, no trades. Call 915-569-5207.

NISSAN 1984 Maxima. Sunroof, 4 door, great paint, great condition. \$2,800. 699-1619.

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DODGE 1983 Grand Caravan SE. 7 passengers, full power, air conditioning, tilt, cruise, factory warranty. #2982. Charlie Sprayberry \$14,900 +T.T.L. 520-2122

SUBURBAN 1976. Lots of extras. 683-1947 or 567-0233.

GMC 1986 Single Cab. Short-wheel, red, custom wheels, new transmission, new stereo, new upholstery, lots of chrome. Runs good! 685-1304.

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FORD 1980 CL 9000 truck/tractor. 290 Cummins, 9 speed, tandem, single axle, sleeper, good rubber, runs good. \$4,500. 694-1479/683-7954.

DODGE 1987 Caravan SE V6, air, automatic, AM/FM Cassette, low mileage, good condition. \$5,950. 685-8108.

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CHEVROLET 1979 1/2 Ton Pickup. 350 V8, air, power, automatic transmission, red. "Nice." #5182. \$2,500 +T.T.L. 520-2122

FORD 1993 F-150 Single Cab (XL package). 302 V8, air, power, tilt, cruise, AM/FM, Factory warranty. 2 Tone brown, low mileage. #3009. Doyle Cassel \$13,990 +T.T.L. 520-2122.

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Automatic, sunroof, ski rack. 45,000 miles. Like new. \$15,300. 694-1401.	220 Trucks & Vans MAZDA 1989 pickup. \$2,950. Contact Larry at Midland Teachers Credit Union 683-2238.  1993 CHRYSLER LEBARON 2-Door. Power windows, stereo cassette, V-4, cruise, air bag. 8,000 miles. Perfect condition. Take over payments + equity. 620-9350, 520-1622 after 5 p.m.	220 Trucks & Vans KEN'S Pickup Sales. New vehicles daily. Short-wide Chevy Pickups our Specialty. 5904 W. Highway 80. 687-6447.  1990 NISSAN PATHFINDER SE. 4X4 4-Door. V-6. Automatic, sunroof, ski rack. 45,000 miles. Like new. \$15,300. 694-1401.	230 4-Wheel Drive Vehicles FORD 1987 F-150 Lariat. 4 wheel drive. 351, power windows, locks, locking hubs, good tires. Asking \$5,200. Call 687-2923.  1990 NISSAN PATHFINDER SE. 4X4 4-Door. V-6. Automatic, sunroof, ski rack. 45,000 miles. Like new. \$15,300. 694-1401.	250 Recreational Vehicles Don't Miss It!  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Midland area parents have come to rely on this directory as a guide to good, safe, quality childcare. This section focuses on just that and gives the basic "who, what, where and when" of the quality providers in our area. As a provider you can reach parents with more information about the services that you provide by placing an ad in this Childcare Directory on Sunday, May 15th.

We offer advertising packages that range from 8" to 65" and include not only your advertisement but a photo about of your facility, a story about your facility and a dot on the area map that indicates where you are located. We also offer rates for an advertisement only without the package plan. Plan to advertise your childcare facility on May 15th. To reserve space please call:

687-8813

Deadline for this section is May 9, 1994

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Thank Mom On Her Special Day - Personally

Surprise Her with a "To Mother With Love Message" on Mother's Day, Sunday, May 8.

Mom's done so much for you - here's your chance to personally (and publicly) thank her. Sending a message will show Mom how much you really care.

Simply fill out the form below with your special message insert a photograph and mail or return it to Mother's Day Notes, Classified Department,

Midland Reporter-Telegram 201 E. Illinois, Midland, Texas 79701 Be sure to include your name, addresses and telephone number.

If you prefer, charge your Mother's Day Note to your VISA, MasterCard, by calling our friendly classified representatives at 682-6222. The deadline is 4 p.m. Wednesday, May 4

"To Mother With Love"

Payment must accompany your order

First 3 lines and photo \$15.00

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Check M.O. _____

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MINOLTA Maxxum 3000i auto focus with a 35-80 Minolta zoom lens and dedicated flash. Mint condition. Call after 5 pm 684-3942.

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