SPORTS

Jacks are back

As the Odessa Jackalopes begin their first full season in the new millennium, this will be the first time they'll start a season with an entirely new system./**1C**

LOCAL

Cyber Scouts

Local Boy Scouts are getting a chance to learn their way around the Internet thanks to the "Computer Venture Crew."/**1B**

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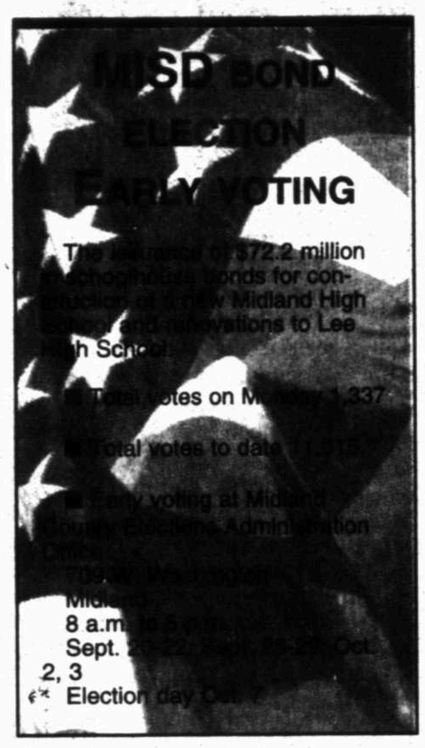
CFR reports $7,871 in funding



By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Citizens for Fiscal Responsibility (CFR) has reported $7,871 in donations from at least 21 contributors in its campaign to defeat Saturday's $72.2 million schoolhouse bond election that has been called by the Midland Independent School District.

CFR's treasurer, David J. Porter, reported a single expenditure of $737.41 for a voter list from Midland County.

Listed within CFR's total contributions is $501 in donations of $50 or less.

The financial report by the 1996-founded, multi-purpose political action committee (PAC) was required to be filed with the Texas Ethics Commission in Austin eight days prior to the election.

Its campaign contributions, which ranged from $70 to $1,000, are about one-fourth or 26.2 percent of the $30,041.04 in campaign contributions reported by the pro-bond PAC, Ours Kids, Our Schools, Our Future. Our Kids listed 168 contributions of $1 to $1,000.

"We try to get more bang for our buck in everything we do," said CFR President Wayne "Woody" Woodside, a Midland geophysicist. "We are just trying to get value for our dollars. And that's the same thing we are trying to do in this bond issue."

The MISD $72.2 million bond would finance the building of a new Midland High School and the remodeling and expansion of Lee High School.

From his vote-no perspective, Porter said "there are some remodeling and repairs that need to be done to both high schools."

However, the "fact that there are no more students in either school now than there were during in the '70s and '80s seems to indicate that we don't need to build a new one and don't need a great expansion on Lee, either."

Porter noted that the proposed location for a new MHS on 78 acres in northeast Midland also is cause for opposing the issue. For another, "a lot of people just don't think the school board is doing a good job, and they don't trust them with any more tax money."

Contributions and contributors to CFR follow:

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MLK road naming issue on hold until after bond election

By Ian Heald
Staff Writer

The community discussion to name a road after Martin Luther King Jr. is currently on hold. District 2 Council member James Bradford said he is postponing the issue until after the October 7 Midland Independent School District bond election.

Bradford has handpicked a 12-member committee to offer advice on the selection of a road to be named after the late civil rights leader. But the committee has yet to convene and won't do so until after Saturday's $72.2 million bond election. Bradford said the majority of his committee is currently involved with that campaign.

When elected in May, Bradford promised his constituents that he would seek council action to honor the late civil rights leader. The issue is hardly a new one.

Last year, former District 2 Council member Juluis Brooks lobbied to get Fairgrounds Road renamed Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard. Earlier that year, all evidence suggested that council members would support the idea.

Fairgrounds Road lies on the eastern edge of a town that is developing to the northwest. Businesses on the road are scarce and the area around the road is hardly developed.

But as the August meeting approached, an upswell of opposition — primarily from a segment within the Anglo community — muddied what had once been viewed as an noncontroversial issue for council members.

That constituency opposed the name change and said Midland needed to "preserve the historical significance" of Fairgrounds Road.

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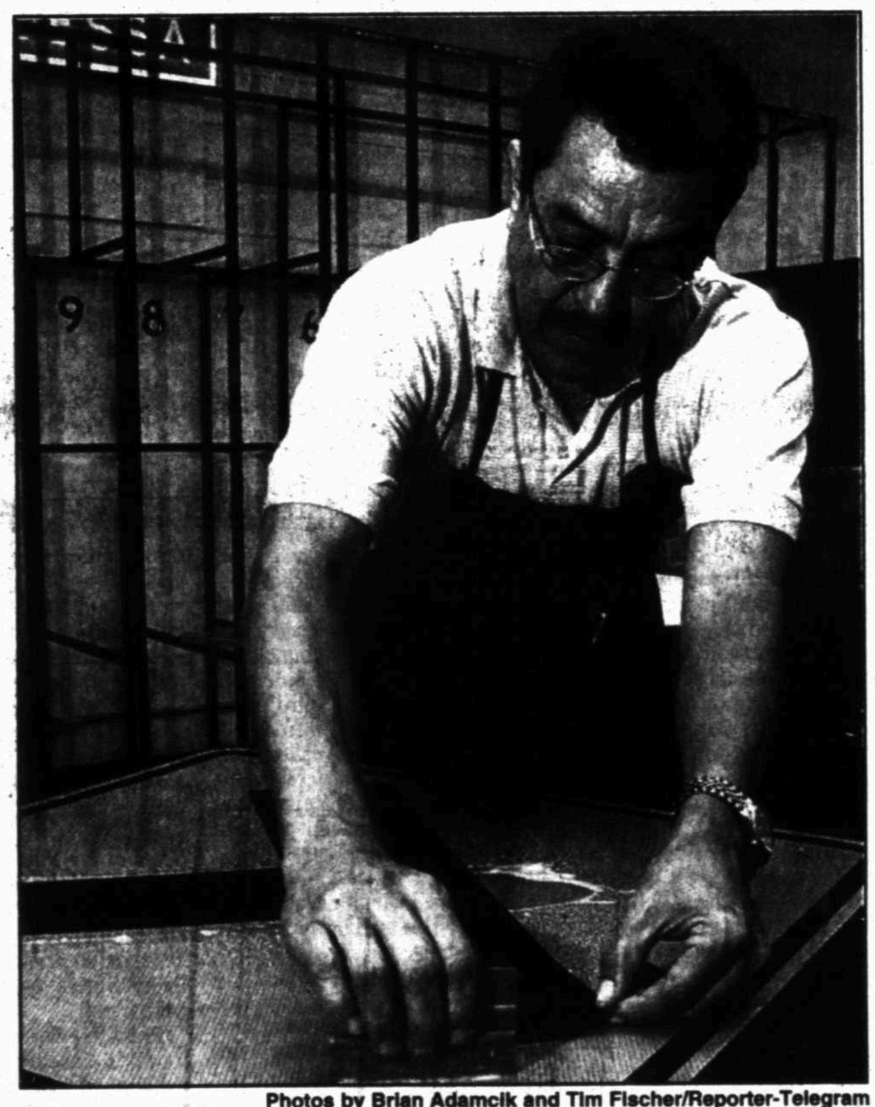


Photos by Brian Adamcik and Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram

Joe Robledo, sign shop technician with the Texas Department of Transportation, finishes making a street sign Monday afternoon at the TxDOT shop in Odessa. A TxDOT sign change would only be used in the event that the name of one of Midland's roads connecting to Interstate 20 or a state highway were changed. Midland is expected to revisit the possibility of naming a street in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., soon.

Bush Avenue? To be discussed after election

By Ian Heald
Staff Writer

Midland's recently formed Sky's the Limit Committee has been discussing ways to market Midland in the event that George W. Bush is elected president.

On Monday Mayor Bobby Burns, a committee member, said any solid project commitments to honor Bush won't be made until after the November elections.

Discussions have ranged from mapping where Bush lived, went to school and worked in Midland to having the committee purchase one or all three of the Bush homes.

In light of the community effort to name a road after Martin Luther King

Please see **STREET**/2A

Suspect in death of baby brought back to Midland

By Richard Acosta
Staff Writer

A Midland man remains in the Midland County Detention Center in lieu of a $500,000 bond in connection with the death of a 16-month-old baby.

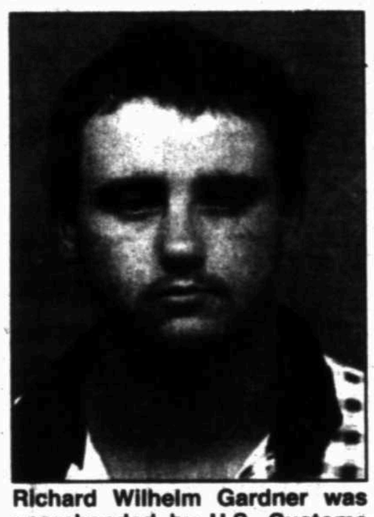
Richard Wilhelm Gardner was returned to Midland County early Monday morning after being arrested Sunday night by U.S. Customs agents in Del Rio. The arrest ended a five-day manhunt for Gardner who was wanted on charges of capital murder in the death of Jessie Veneta Parker, the daughter of Gardner's girlfriend.

According to Sheriff Department reports, Gardner was babysitting the child and her 6-year-old brother at the home of the children's mother, Sheri Lermer.

Gardner went to Ms. Lermer's place of work and told her the baby was sick and that he needed to use her car, according to sheriff's department officials.

That was the last time Gardner was seen before his arrest in Del Rio.

Lt. Rory McKinney with the Midland County Sheriff's Department said Gardner had made it into Mexico and it wasn't until after he took a taxi back into the United States that customs agents arrested him.



Richard Wilhelm Gardner was apprehended by U.S. Customs agents while returning to the United States after fleeing into Mexico.

Silburia Trevino has lived in the trailer park for two years and Ms. Lermer moved next door just two weeks ago, she said.

In an interview with the Reporter-Telegram on Monday, she said after the child's death she may be ready to pull up and move on.

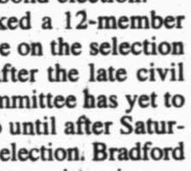
"I was keeping the kids in the house" (until Gardner was arrested), Ms. Trevino said. "My son told me to lock the front door. He (Gardner) had a lot of attitude ... you just can't trust people like that. I told my son that I want to move away from here."

Ms. Trevino said Gardner and Ms. Lermer had been living together next door for two weeks and that her grandkids would sometimes play at with Ms. Lermer's children.

On the day of the incident, one of Ms. Trevino's grandchildren

Please see **DEATH**/2A

A look inside



TODAY
Sunny with high in mid-90s.
Weather on 2A

Bridge 4B
Business & Oil . . 5C
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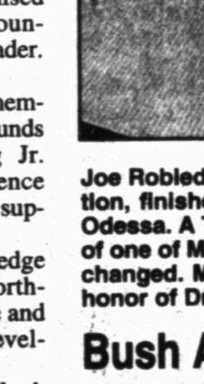
Gary Ott

Mickey Mouse and Captain Kangaroo started on this day in history./ **Local 1B**



Off the wire

- Napster back in court to argue merits of service./**Business5C**
- Riots rage in West Bank, Gaza Strip; death toll tops 50./**8A**

Bush, Gore get set for first campaign debate

By Stewart M. Powell
Hearst News Service

BOSTON — Republican George W. Bush and Democrat Al Gore square off in their first debate tonight but history shows that most undecided voters will wait until after the last presidential debate before making their decisions on which candidate they'll vote for.

If that holds true in the current election campaign, Gore and Bush may stay locked in their extremely close race until after their third and final debate on Oct. 17.

The two candidates will meet at 8 p.m. CDT at the Boston campus of the University of Massachusetts for their 90-minute debate. Most major television networks plan to provide live coverage.

Both the Bush and the Gore campaigns are hoping to score a breakthrough during one of the three presidential debates that will enable their candidate to gain momentum in the final three weeks before the Nov. 7 election.

Staffers in both campaigns say each debate will shape short-run tactical decisions on future candidate travel, the targeting of campaign advertising and the issues that the candidates will emphasize in hopes

Please see **DEBATE**/2A

Brandon Pinson puts signs together as Jim Compton stacks them in a corner Monday night as the Midland Republicans prepare to distribute their yard signs.

Tim Fischer/ Reporter-Telegram

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WEATHER

Midland forecast

3-day forecast

Today
Sunny
High 97
Low 61

Wednesday
Sunny
High 88
Low 61

Thursday
Partly cloudy
High 84
Low 59

Today's forecast calls for sunny skies with a high in the mid-90s with southerly winds blowing at 5-15 mph.

Tonight's forecast calls for clear skies with a low in the lower 60s.

Wednesday's forecast calls for partly cloudy skies with a high in the mid-90s.

Wednesday night's forecast calls for partly cloudy skies with a low in the lower 60s.

Thursday's forecast calls for partly cloudy skies with a high between 85 and 95.

Friday's forecast calls for mostly cloudy skies with lows at 45-50 and high at 70-75.

Yesterday's precipitation

Rainfall	0.00 in.
Rainfall	0.00 in.
Total for month	0.00 in.
Total for year	6.05 in.
Normal total (year to date)	11.97 in.

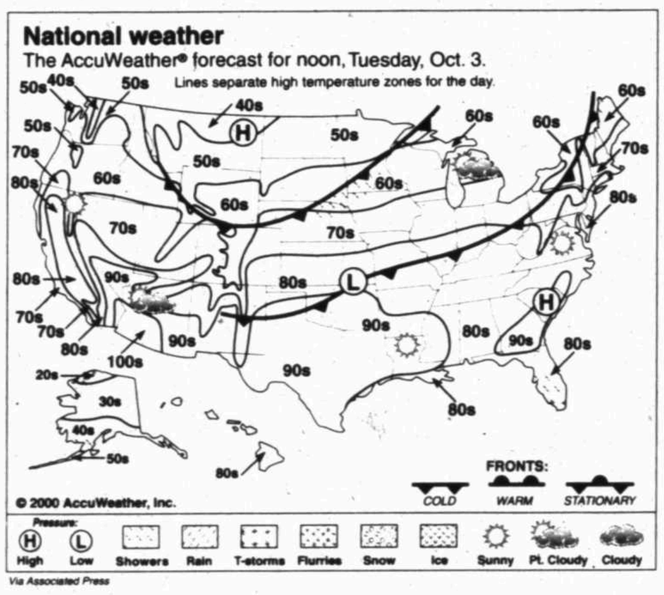
Yesterday's temperatures

High	101
Low	61
Normal high	81
Normal low	56

Sunrise ... 7:44 a.m.
Sunset ... 7:31 p.m.

National forecast

National weather
The AccuWeather® forecast for noon, Tuesday, Oct. 3.



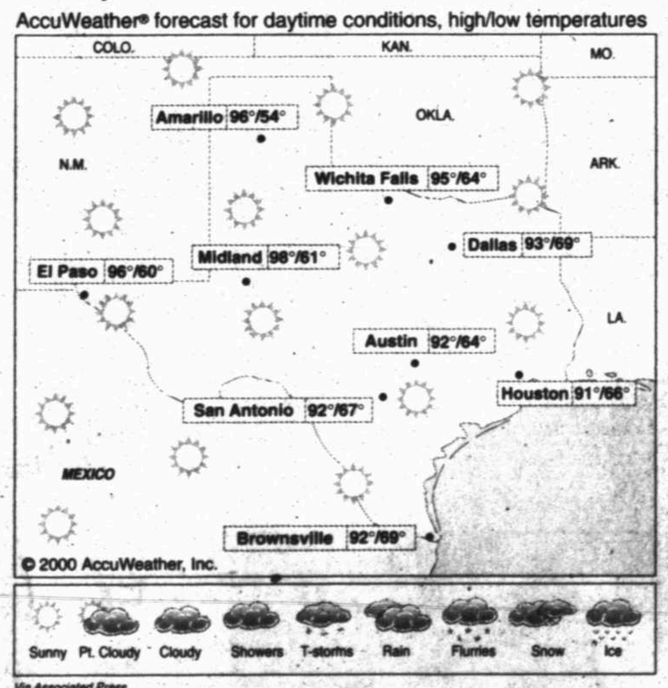
Via Associated Press

United States temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Akron,Ohio	76	52	clr	
Albany,N.Y.	68	47	cdy	
Albuquerque	88	58	clr	
Allentown,Pa.	73	46	cdy	
Anchorage	41	27	cdy	
Atlanta	79	57	cdy	
Atlantic City	75	53	cdy	
Baltimore	76	50	clr	
Baton Rouge	89	60	cdy	
Billings	64	49	cdy	
Birmingham	86	62	cdy	
Bismarck	70	46	cdy	
Boise	66	48	clr	
Boston	62	51	clr	
Bridgeport	68	51	cdy	
Buffalo	76	52	cdy	
Charleston,S.C.	80	59	clr	
Charlotte,N.C.	78	51	clr	
Chicago	81	69	cdy	
Cincinnati	80	59	cdy	
Cleveland	79	60	clr	
Colorado Springs	84	49	cdy	
Columbus,Ohio	82	56	clr	
Daytona Beach	83	67	cdy	
Denver	81	46	cdy	
Des Moines	74	57	cdy	
Detroit	79	59	clr	
Erie	78	58	cdy	
Evansville	83	60	cdy	
Fairbanks	34	23	clr	
Fargo	67	41	.01	clr
Flagstaff	77	48	cdy	
Flint	77	60	clr	
Fresno	92	64	clr	
Goodland	79	48	clr	
Grand Junction	87	51	cdy	
Green Bay	67	57	.01	cdy
Helena	61	47	.08	cdy
Honolulu	86	76	clr	
Indianapolis	81	58	cdy	
Juneau	42	24	mm	
Kansas City	82	60	cdy	
Knoxville	79	52	clr	
Las Vegas	98	76	clr	
Lexington	80	58	cdy	
Lincoln	77	53	cdy	
Little Rock	88	61	cdy	
Los Angeles	78	64	cdy	
Macon	82	51	clr	
Memphis	90	66	clr	
Miami Beach	81	79	2.52	m
Milwaukee	75	68	clr	
Mobile	86	61	cdy	
Montgomery	84	56	cdy	
Nashville	85	60	cdy	
New Orleans	87	65	cdy	
New York City	70	58	cdy	
Newark	72	54	cdy	
Oklahoma City	94	63	cdy	
Omaha	75	53	cdy	
Orlando	86	69	cdy	
Peoria	80	65	cdy	
Philadelphia	75	55	cdy	
Phoenix	100	77	cdy	
Pittsburgh	75	48	cdy	
Portland,Ore.	63	47	cdy	
Providence	71	47	clr	
Pueblo	89	51	cdy	
Rapid City	69	40	.18	cdy
Reno	85	51	clr	
Sacramento	83	60	clr	
St Louis	88	61	cdy	
Salt Lake City	75	51	clr	
San Diego	73	67	cdy	
San Francisco	67	56	clr	
San Jose	75	59	clr	
Santa Fe	85	46	clr	
Seattle	62	48	cdy	
Shreveport	91	59	cdy	
Sioux City	70	53	.02	m
South Bend	81	64	cdy	
Spokane	59	39	cdy	
Springfield,Ill.	84	62	cdy	
Syracuse	75	46	cdy	
Tucson	98	68	cdy	
Tulsa	92	68	clr	
Washington,D.C.	76	58	clr	
Wichita	89	62	cdy	
Yuma	100	78	cdy	

State forecast

Tuesday, Oct. 3
AccuWeather® forecast for daytime conditions, high/low temperatures



Via Associated Press

Texas temperatures

	High	Low	Pcp.
Abilene	99	70	
Alice	98	63	
Amarillo	93	55	
Arlington	94	63	
Austin	94	65	
Beaumont	90	67	
Burnet	92	61	
Childress	101	61	
College Station	94	69	
Conroe	93	67	
Corpus Christi	95	61	
Corsicana	92	68	
Dalhart	90	55	
Dallas	93	68	
Del Rio	96	64	
Denton	94	65	
Dryden	97	58	
El Paso	95	59	
Fort Stockton	101	70	
Fort Worth	95	68	
Galveston	86	76	
Guadalupe Pass	92	68	
Harlingen	96	64	
Hondo	96	55	
Houston	91	67	
Junction	93	56	
Kingsville	95	61	
Laredo	95	70	
Longview	92	59	
Lubbock	99	58	
Lufkin	90	63	
Marfa	91	50	
McAllen	96	67	
McKinney	92	65	
Midland	101	61	
Mineral Wells	98	51	
Navy Corpus	91	68	
New Braunfels	93	59	
Odessa	101	67	
Palacios	89	69	
Paris	91	57	
Rockport	89	69	
San Angelo	99	64	
San Antonio	92	66	
San Marcos	91	57	
Shreveport, La	91	57	
Terrell	91	64	
Texarkana, Ar	88	63	
Tyler	92	63	
Victoria	95	64	
Waco	92	69	
Wichita Falls	102	62	
Wink	105	54	

Tim Fischer/Reporter-Telegram
Silburia Trevino, neighbor of Richard Wilhelm Gardner and Sheri Lermer, talks Monday about what she knew of the couple who had just moved in two-weeks ago.

'I was keeping the kids in the house (until Gardner was arrested). My son told me to lock the front door. He (Gardner) had a lot of attitude ... . you just can't trust people like that. I told my son that I want to move away from here.'

— Silburia Trevino
who lives next door to victim's family

DEATH: Neighbor was worried

(From 1A)

was at Ms. Lermer's home.

She said her grandchild said Gardner had been drinking and continued to drink after Ms. Lermer left for work. Soon after, the baby began to cry and Gardner was unable to make her stop which was making Gardner angry, Ms. Trevino's granddaughter said.

Later that evening, when Ms. Lermer returned from work via taxi, she noticed that her cleaning was not disturbing her baby.

When she went to check on the child, Ms. Lermer found her bruised. She then wrapped up the baby in a blanket and took her next door to call 911.

Ms. Lermer was told to try to give the baby mouth-to-mouth, but after realizing the baby was dead she just sat and waited for sheriff's officials.

SIGN: Two streets could be named

(From 1A)

The August 24, 1999 council meeting was a fractious endeavor. Proponents and opponents were split down the middle of the Midland Center. The meeting carried on with 20 minutes of arguments for and 20 minutes of arguments against the renaming.

The meeting ended with council members failing to even vote on the issue. Brooks' motion for a name change did not receive a second. Mayor Bobby Burns said he would have seconded it but couldn't due to a legal restriction that prevents the mayor from doing so.

Today, Bradford is trying to find a solution that appeases both groups. How that plays out will be revealed in the coming months.

At a July forum, Bradford informed District 2 voters that he does not have council support to rename any road. It's too controversial, he said.

Instead, Bradford has said the likely alternative would be to name one of two new city roads. In early 2001, a drive leading into Beal Park on the west side of town will be completed. That could be named after King. Or, in 2002 the Scharbauer Sports Complex, also on the west side of town, will have a new road. The council may also name that after King.

Bradford's 12-member committee will soon explore those and any other road-naming options. In order to ensure that the issue remains on hold, Bradford declined to name the persons on the committee. "I can't give names at this point," he said.

Bradford's calculated approach to the King issue has drawn criticism from his former District 2 City Council seat opponent, Robbyne Hocker Fuller. She said Bradford hasn't encouraged enough open discussion on the issue. She also opposes the way in which he privately selected a committee that will decide the best way to honor King.

In response, she and the Black Chamber of Entrepreneurs will be sponsoring a forum to discuss honoring the late civil rights leader, tentatively scheduled for October 26.

"How can you have an invisible committee?" Ms. Fuller said of Bradford's 12-member committee. "We're going to form a committee also ... . That's why we're going to have our black chamber meeting because we want to see what the African-American community wants. We want to keep all the doors open so people can speak about what they want."

Bradford couldn't predict when or if his committee would select a way to honor King. No date has been established for the first meeting and Bradford is undecided on whether the public will be invited to attend the committee meetings.

STREET: Committee to decide on action

(From 1A)

Jr., Burns, when asked by the Reporter-Telegram, said there has been no talk to name one of Midland's thoroughfares after the presidential candidate. Other Texas cities have named roads or freeways after presidents. Dallas has the LBJ Freeway, for example.

"It may have come up but it has not been seriously discussed," Burns said. "I think people always mention the Loop (250). But neither the council nor the Sky's the Limit campaign have talked about that. There really has not been a plan. Most people on the Sky's the Limit Committee are waiting to see how the election turns out. Midland is proud of George W. Bush and something like that would be worthy of discussion. He is a two-term governor and a presidential candidate and without a doubt, a favorite son of Midland, Texas."

Burns said the committee may try to honor both George W. and his father George H.W., a former president, simultaneously.

"Once the election is over we'll begin to look at ways to capture that history and honor Midlanders who have meant a lot to our state and our nation," Burns said.

The goal of the committee is to take advantage of natural tourism points, including Midland International Airport and Interstate 20. Currently, there is no signage calling attention to the fact that Midland is the former home of George and Barbara Bush, Florida Gov. Jeb Bush and the current Texas governor.

Members of the Sky's the Limit Committee are Joe and Jan O'Neill, Robert Rendall, Berry Simpson, Grant Billingsley, Mike Conaway, Jose Cuevas, Marvin Wynn, Keith Stretcher, Meta Minton, Glen Hackler, Lucy Woodside, Roy Nelson, Tina Coleman, Linda Bond, Nancy Wantuck and Jane Phares.

DEBATE: Bush expects surprise from debates

(From 1A)

of seizing an advantage.

Bush stopped in West Virginia en route to Boston Monday to underscore his hopes of winning a Democratic bastion that has voted Republican in only three presidential elections since the 1920s.

He told a rally in Huntington, W. Va., that they should expect an Election Day surprise.

And the one to be surprised "is not going to be me, it's going to be my opponent," he said.

Earlier, before he left his ranch in Crawford, Bush appeared eager for the final push. "We've got five weeks to go," Bush said. "Three weeks of debates and two weeks of turning out the vote."

Bush campaign chairman Don Evans of Midland, told NBC News' "Today" that while Gore has devoted "the better part of his career to debating," Bush has spent his career "leading."

Bush campaign spokeswoman Karen Hughes sought to boost expectations for Gore's performance. She said that the vice president "clearly memorizes and scripts his statements" in a "test of memorization — not the free-flowing exchange that a debate is intended to be."

Gore planned to fly into Boston today from four days of debate preparation in Florida, a battleground state that Gore hopes to capture on Nov. 7. Tipper Gore, the vice president's wife, told ABC News' "Good Morning America" that her husband would "work very hard to just be himself" in his encounter with Bush, as well as discuss "what he feels is important to do for the country."

Meanwhile, Green Party candidate Ralph Nader mapped plans to make good on a pledge that he made to 10,000 supporters at a rally in Boston on Sunday that he would "see you down at the debates." Nader and Reform party candidate Pat Buchanan have been excluded from the encounters staged by the unofficial bipartisan Commission on Presidential Debates, because the third party candidates have not garnered a 15 percent showing in six nationwide polls. The commission, created by the Democratic and Republican parties, set the 15 percent requirement for other candidates to participate in the debates.

Protesters, including Nader supporters, plan to march from downtown Boston to the site of the two-man presidential debate at the 175-acre University of Massachusetts campus overlooking Boston harbor. The site also includes the John F. Kennedy presidential library.

The latest Gallup Poll shows Bush and Gore each have 45 percent of the popular vote. The latest electoral count survey, compiled Monday by the National Journal's Hotline political newsletter, showed state-by-state polls giving Gore the lead in 23 states with 282 electoral votes. Bush held the lead in 26 states with 223 electoral votes. A candidate needs to win enough states to garner 270 electoral votes to win the White House.

Nationwide surveys indicate a vast audience will be watching the televised debates. Paul Kirk, co-chair of the debate commission, forecast more than 80 million Americans may tune in.

A Marist College poll released Monday showed that 76 percent of likely voters planned to watch the debate — the first face-to-face encounter between Bush and Gore since the candidates first laid preparations for their presidential bids nearly two years ago.

The Poughkeepsie, N.Y.-based Marist survey also found that likely voters were evenly divided on whether the debate would count "a great deal" in their decision or "not at all." Of those questioned, 24 percent said the debate would make a great deal of difference and 25 percent said the showdown would have no effect at all.

Gore, who has taken part in at least 45 televised campaign debates since 1984, was expected to prevail by 38 percent of respondents in the Marist survey; Bush who has taken part in 10 GOP primary debates and two debates in his campaign for governor was expected to win by 32 percent of likely voters questioned in the Marist poll.

Frank Newport, of the Princeton, N.J.-based Gallup poll, said the three presidential debates over the next 14 days may be "the most significant factor" that helps voters make their final decisions about the candidates because "at this point it is either candidate's election to win or lose."

But a study of past presidential elections conducted by the Gallup poll shows that no matter who wins or who loses an individual debate, voters usually do not reach a final decision about the candidates until well after the final campaign debate.

In the last five presidential campaigns, candidates suffered their largest gains or largest losses in public opinion polls after the final presidential debate rather than during the series of debates.

The most dramatic example came in 1980 when then-California Gov. Ronald Reagan gained 11 of the 12 percentage points of his winning margin over President Jimmy Carter after his debate with Carter. Reagan and Carter had been locked in a tie heading into their one and only debate against each other.

Continental Flight makes emergency landing in Alabama after cockpit fire

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP) — An airliner was forced to make an emergency landing Sunday after an electrical fire erupted in the cockpit and injured a crew member, an airline spokeswoman said.

Continental Airlines flight 1579, en route from Atlanta to Houston, landed at Birmingham International Airport at about 5 p.m., Erica Roy told the Birmingham News Sunday. There were 141 passengers and six crew members on board, she said.

Passengers said the crew on the McDonnell Douglas DC-9 told them there was a small explosion in the cockpit while the plane was flying over Alabama. There were no other injuries reported and the fire was out when the plane landed, Roy said.

The blaze, which originated from an electrical problem, burned a crew member sitting behind the pilot. The crew member was taken to University of Alabama at Birmingham Hospital and treated for minor burns, Roy said. The crew member's name was not released.

Pick 3 Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — The Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Thursday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

9-3-3

Cash Five

AUSTIN (AP) — The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery:

4-7-10-28-35

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■ Bush, Gore get ready for debates

With briefing books and stand-in opponents, Al Gore and George W. Bush are rehearsing for their great debates. Neither candidate is new at debating, but Gore has the experience edge. He faced Republican vice-presidential nominees in the 1992 and 1996 campaigns, in settings like those of the 2000 debates, which begin today. Bush debated Democratic rivals in the 1994 Texas gubernatorial campaign and before his landslide re-election in 1998. Each nominee debated in-party challengers 10 times during the primaries. But the stakes, the pressure and the huge audiences are different in these debates, when a single slip can become a fall. Hence the briefing books and preparation sessions.

■ Past candidates warn: Don't overdo it

Practicing for the presidential debates is essential, but shouldn't be overdone, according to candidates who have been there before. "If I had to do it again, I would not go through as much of that rehearsal stuff," said Michael Dukakis, who faltered against George W. Bush's father in 1988. "I think it kind of took away from my spontaneity." Other debate veterans, Ronald Reagan among them, blamed overdone briefings for their worst moments. Bob Dole said his 1976 assertion that all the wars of the 20th century were "Democrat wars" was Republican boilerplate from a stack of briefing papers. "I guess I should have exercised my own judgment," he said. Said a weary Reagan after his 1984 debate with Walter Mondale: "I just had more facts and figures poured at me for weeks before than anyone could possibly sort out and use."

■ Gore practices with special guests

Al Gore has been doing his debate prep in Florida, a state that, until recently, Republicans counted on. He either practiced debating at the Mote Marine Laboratory or conferred privately at an oceanfront condominium on nearby Longboat Key. On Sunday, he lunched with 12 of his special guests, then invited them to the laboratory to critique him during a mock debate. "I don't envy you a bit trying to find that balance between, I guess, the more technical side of the debate and the human side of the debate," said Atlanta firefighter Matt Moseley at lunch. "So you think the key is to handle it like a conversation with a small group of people?"' Gore asked. Others around the table agreed.

■ Lieberman feels like he's in boxing camp

Joe Lieberman, in Lexington, Ky., preparing for his Thursday night debate with Dick Cheney, warned his opponent to "watch out." Lieberman said he felt like he was in a boxing training camp. Using the famous words of boxer Muhammad Ali, a Kentucky native, Lieberman said: "We're going to float like a butterfly, sting like a bee. Watch out Richard Cheney, I've arrived in Kentucky." He admitted that his joke was "not quite up to Ali's standards, but I'm trying." Meanwhile, Lieberman's wife, Hadassah, mingled with voters Monday, serving coffee at a downtown eatery called Menu on Main.

AP Photo

Republican presidential candidate George W. Bush speaks at a rally Monday in Huntington, W Va.

■ Auto workers not buying GOP claims

Republicans are working hard to make Al Gore unpalatable to auto workers, many of them swing voters expected to help decide the presidential election in Michigan, a crucial battleground state. But flush with overtime pay and on track for another year of record vehicle sales, auto workers don't seem to be buying Republican Gov. John Engler's message that Gore's environmental views threaten Michigan's economy. Good times in the auto industry and the national economic boom make workers less likely to buy the doom-and-gloom Republican message, said Craig Ruff of Public Sector Consultants, a think tank in Lansing, Mich.

■ Protesters gather at Lieberman's home

Peace activists and Arab-Americans gathered in front of Joe Lieberman's New Haven, Conn., home Sunday to urge him to help stop the upsurge in Israeli-Palestinian fighting. Lieberman, who was home to celebrate the Jewish New Year, did not address the protesters and left later in the evening without making a statement. "We are gathered here because we are very distressed about what's happening in the Middle East," said Mazin Qumsiyeh, an associate professor at Yale University and a member of the American Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee. "We besiege Senator Lieberman to please help bring an end to this."

■ In New Jersey, Bush losing votes to Nader

Al Gore holds a double-digit lead over George W. Bush in New Jersey even though most voters favor Bush's plan for a partially privatized Social Security, according to a Quinnipiac University poll released today. On the eve of the campaign's first debate, Gore led Bush 49-35 percent among 820 likely voters surveyed from Sept. 26 to Oct. 1. The poll, which has 3 percentage point margin of error, gave Green Party candidate Ralph Nader 6 percent and Reform Party candidate Pat Buchanan 1 percent. A similar survey in August had Gore leading Bush 49-37 percent, with Nader at 4 percent and Buchanan at 1 percent.

■ Bush Sr. endears son to Oregon voters

Rejected by Oregon voters in both of his own presidential campaigns, former President Bush said he's hoping the third time will be the charm for a Bush seeking the presidency. The senior Bush, making a campaign stop in Portland on behalf of his son, George W., said he's heartened by polls showing Bush and Al Gore in a virtual tie in a state that has gone Democratic in recent presidential elections. The elder Bush, in the state to attend a private fund-raiser, said, "People will see, I hope, the warmth and the personality that George has," he said.

■ Bush makes final stop in West Virginia

George W. Bush planned to relax, maybe even nap, in the hours before tonight's presidential debate after boning up on foreign policy and rehearsing with a stand-in for Al Gore — Sen. Judd Gregg of New Hampshire —over the weekend at his ranch in Crawford. Bush said he sees the rest of the election campaign as a sprint: "We've got five weeks to go. Three weeks of debates and two weeks of turning out the vote. I like to come here to this place to get my batteries recharged. It helps clear my mind." Bush made one stop Monday, Huntington, W.Va., on his way to Boston for the debate. The Bush campaign was touting polls in West Virginia and in Al Gore's native Tennessee showing the two statistically tied, as they are nationwide.

■ Election spending exceeds $2 billion

The price tag of politics keeps getting bigger. Candidates, parties and special interests spent more than $2 billion by Labor Day in pursuit of the White House and Congress, according to an Associated Press analysis of campaign spending statistics. This year already has seen new marks set for the most money raised by a presidential candidate (more than $100 million by George W. Bush) and spent on a Senate campaign ($35 million by Democrat Jon Corzine in New Jersey). Party treasuries are swelling and political action committees, the donating arms of special interests, are raking in record amounts of money. The net effect has obliterated the boundaries Congress set in the wake of Watergate in an effort to restrain the influence of money on politics.

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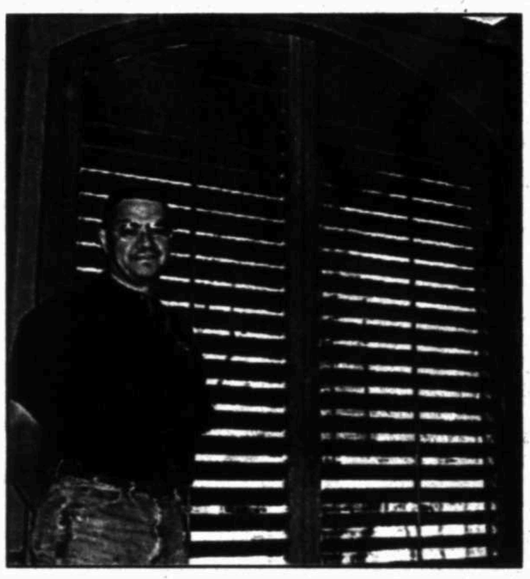

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5. Treat and remove all stains as soon as possible. The longer they stay, the harder stains are to remove (same reasoning as for number four).
6. Clean your clothes frequently. Soiled clothing invites insects.
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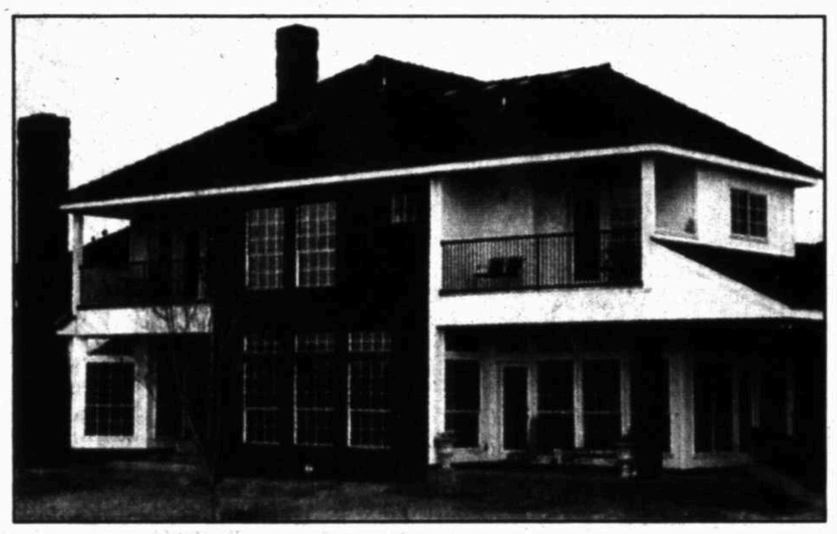

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Voters establish inspiring level of electoral energy

Today is the final day for early voting in the Midland Independent School District's $72.2 million bond initiative.

The school district is asking voters to favor a massive renovation of Lee High School and to replace the existing Midland High School structure. Election day is Oct. 7.

An unprecedented number of voters have already cast ballots in early voting. We could set an all-time high for voter participation in Midland.

It is frequently said that the people of our community are focused on children and schools. The voter turnout thus far in this election is further proof that this is true.

The turnout during early voting has been inspiring. It's great to see so many people in our community stepping forward and joining in the electoral process.

All too often, we have been disappointed with voter turnout. We complain that citizens are too apathetic.

The question is, where do we go from here?

Wouldn't it be terrific if we set another standard for voter turnout in the November presidential election?

Americans take our freedoms for granted.

We forget that voting is a privilege. Too many times when election day dawns, we reason that we are too busy to take the time to visit our polling place and cast our ballot.

What difference does one vote make?

Ask our presidential candidates who are in a statistical deadheat in their race for the White House. Would George W. Bush and Al Gore argue that every vote is important? You bet.

We have established a new level of voter energy through this school bond election.

It would be a shame to see that energy dissipate. We need to demonstrate that we want to be involved in the decision-making process that will carry us forward in the years to come.

We urge citizens to get involved. Join a committee. Run for office. Stop being a back-bench critic. Help map out our plans for the future.

You start by doing something very simple. Vote.

Today in History

Today is Tuesday, Oct. 3, the 277th day of 2000. There are 89 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On Oct. 3, 1863, President Lincoln declared the last Thursday in November Thanksgiving Day.

On this date:

In 1226, St. Francis of Assisi, founder of the Franciscan order, died; he was canonized in 1228.

In 1929, the Kingdom of Serbs, Croats and Slovenes formally changed its name to the Kingdom of Yugoslavia.

In 1941, Adolf Hitler declared in a speech in Berlin that Russia had been "broken" and would "never rise again."

In 1942, President Roosevelt established the Office of Economic Stabilization.

In 1944, during World War II, U.S. troops cracked the Siegfried Line north of Aachen, Germany.

In 1960, "The Andy Griffith Show" premiered on CBS.

In 1974, Frank Robinson was named major-league baseball's first black manager as he was placed in charge of the Cleveland Indians.

In 1981, Irish nationalists at the Maze Prison near Belfast, Northern Ireland, ended seven months of hunger strikes that had claimed 10 lives.

Ten years ago: West Germany and East Germany ended 45 years of postwar division, declaring the creation of a new unified country. Iraqi President Saddam Hussein made his first known visit to Kuwait since his country seized control of the oil-rich emirate.

Five years ago: The jury in the O.J. Simpson murder trial found the former football star innocent of the 1994 slayings of his former wife, Nicole Brown Simpson, and Ronald Goldman. (Simpson was later found liable in a civil trial.)

One year ago: Sony co-founder Akio Morita, the entrepreneur, engineer and savvy salesman who helped give new meaning to the words "Made in Japan," died in Tokyo at age 78.

Thought for Today: "The worst disease in the world is the plague of vengeance." — Dr. Karl Menninger, American psychiatrist (1893-1990).

JACK ANDERSON

Students offer to become 'human billboards'

WASHINGTON — Luke McCabe and Chris Barrett, high-school seniors from Haddonfield, N.J., are looking for a corporation to sponsor their college careers. In return, they are willing to post corporate logos on themselves, their dorm rooms and their cars. They would also host promotional events on major college campuses. Their Web site reads: "Where we go, you go! Sponsor us. We will eat your cereal even if we're not hungry." They are human billboards.

Anderson

Luke and Chris are willing to promote any product geared toward college students except alcohol and tobacco. Luke will even go as far as getting a tattoo of a company logo. So far, the two have received offers from a handful of companies, most of them California-based dot-coms.

Carol Kaufman-Scarborough, associate professor of marketing at Rutgers University in Camden, N.J., says that any company seeking to sponsor students would need to draw up careful contracts: "They could get a lot of publicity, which would be advantageous for the company, but the downside would be control possibilities. Has everything really been thought through?"

She also has warnings for Luke and Chris, "If I were the student, would I be willing to conform my life to whatever the corporate wishes of the company would be? Maybe they wouldn't want me to be in a frat or would want me to have a certain major. They need to think about conformance. It's almost like the corporation would become the parent."

Many people are worried enough as it is about kids in schools being overexposed to corporate advertisers. In 1998, Mike Cameron was suspended from Greenbrier High School in Evans, Ga., for wearing a Pepsi shirt during Coke Day. The school was participating in a national competition for $10,000 from the Coca-Cola Bottling Company.

In a report published in 1998, Alex Molnar, director of the Center for the Analysis of Commercialism in Education at the University of Wisconsin in Milwaukee, found that between 1990 and 1997, the number of commercial activities in schools increased by 154 percent. According to Molnar, corporate sponsorship of athletic events opened the door. Now it is common to see marketing firms whose sole purpose is to negotiate contracts between companies and regional and state championships in all sports. And corporate sponsorship has moved far beyond sporting events.

The Denver school district, for example, through its Community Sponsorship of the Curriculum program invites local and national companies to fund education programs in return for advertising rights. Sunkist gave money for the district's Comprehensive Health Initiative in return for displaying its logo on school buses, scoreboards and print material sent home to parents. Another company, Cover Concepts, sells advertising space on textbook covers to such companies as Calvin Klein and Nestle.

Another example of corporate sponsorship in schools is the Family Education Network in Maryland. AT&T signed on to fund a program that would connect students in school and parents through the Internet. In return, the company has permission to post its corporate banners and sell long distance and Internet services on school Web sites.

In School District 11 in Colorado Springs, Colo., an administrator sent out a memo with his plan to increase the district's consumption of Coca-Cola to fulfill its contract with the soft drink provider: "If 35,439 staff and students buy one Coke product every other day for a school year, we will double the required quota." He also advised principals to allow Coke in the classrooms and put vending machines in accessible areas. The district has a 10-year, $8 million contract with the bottling company to consume 1.68 million bottles of Coke products every year.

Not everybody sees corporate sponsorship of schools as a good thing. "Is it proper for public institutions to become salespeople and build brand loyalty?" demands Andrew Hagelshaw of the Center for Commercial-Free Public Education. "Advertisers realize that schools are the perfect place to develop new markets. Kids can't switch the channel."

We agree that government entities such as school districts have no business being in business. They should be market neutral. But there is not and should not be such a restriction on individuals. In fact, for students it is a win-win situation. They earn money and learn entrepreneurship simultaneously.

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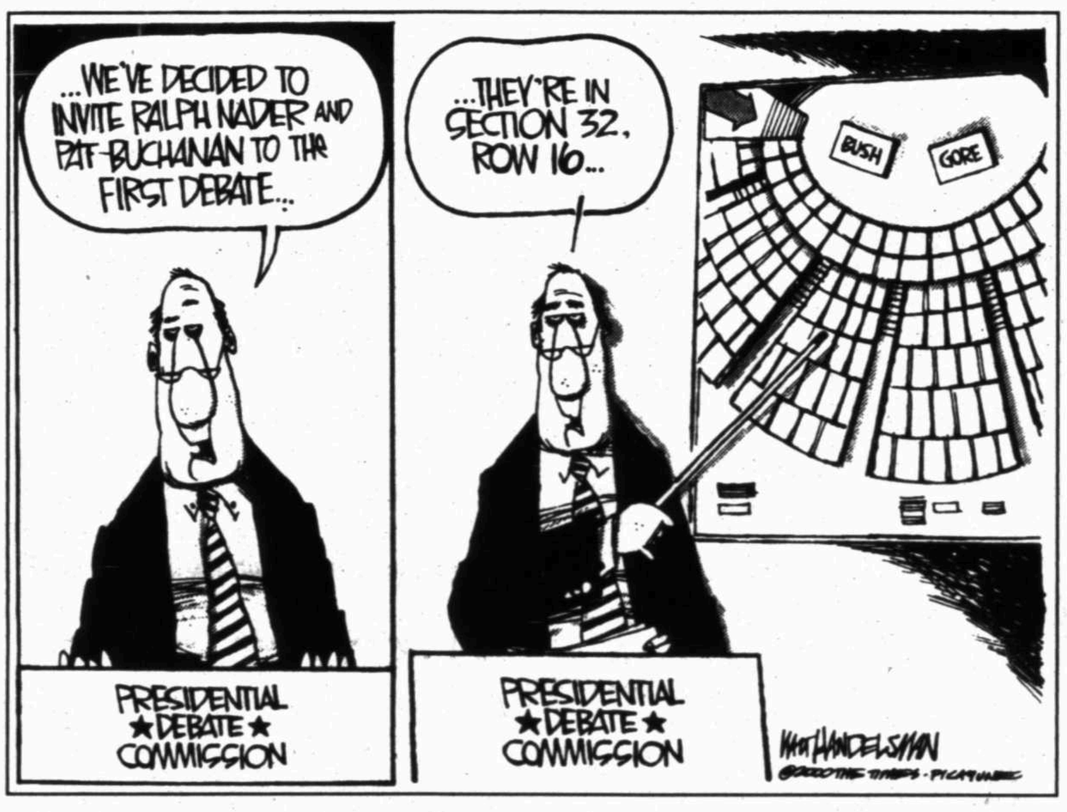

WILLIAM SAFIRE

Conservatives seek worldwide 'hat trick'

WASHINGTON — The leadership of three of the world's most vital democracies — close allies, all — could change hands by the coming spring.

What would it mean if George Bush and Dick Cheney replaced Clinton-Gore; if Britain's William Hague and Michael Portillo swept Tony Blair and Gordon Brown out of office, and if Israel's Bibi Netanyahu and Arik Sharon took over from Ehud Barak and Ehud Barak?

Granted, the odds are against such a worldwide conservative "hat trick." But the right's chances have been improving lately:

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In the United States, Bush has undergone a reversal of poll misfortune; if he strongly exceeds expectations in tonight's debate, he will become the king of swing voters.

In Britain, Blair's popularity took a plunge as the price of heavily taxed gasoline shot up and he arrogantly mishandled the reaction. But he had been riding for a fall as his mighty millennial pleasure dome, with half the expected customers, became a financial fiasco. His Labor Party is beginning to split over the issue of the wobbly euro while Hague's Conservatives are together in popular defense of the independent pound sterling.

In Israel, the respected attorney general decided not to join a political witch hunt and Netanyahu, unindicted, will re-enter politics with a popular lead over the self-isolated Barak. Palestinian violence after Sharon's pre-Rosh Hashana visit to the Temple Mount, unrestrained by Yasser Arafat, diminished the dangerous notion of divided sovereignty.

Assume for speculation's sake that all three parties of the right make it. How would relationships among their countries change?

Clinton and Blair struck up a fine friendship, and their nations have been close allies in the Persian Gulf and in the Balkans. But Blair's desire to scrap economic sovereignty and thereby integrate Britain with Europe — as well as his avid embrace and misplaced sponsorship of Russia's Vladimir Putin — put long-range policy strains on the English-speaking Atlantic partnership.

Bush and Hague would have no such conflicts in their world views. Hague envisions an expansion of the North American Free Trade Agreement to the European Union, presumably with Britain as the fulcrum. That suits the United States more than the goal of a "United States of Europe," dominated by Germany and France, that Clinton-Gore rhetoric tended to encourage.

What changes would a rightward swing make in dealings with Israel? With Britain, not much; Israelis say that both Blair and Hague have advisers trusted not to tilt toward Arab interests. With America, the possible change is a mystery.

Would Bush twist Netanyahu's arm to make previously unthinkable concessions, as Clinton and Indyk did with Barak? The jury is out on that because the memory of his father's gurus, James Baker and Brent Scowcroft, still rankles. But when George W.'s national security adviser, Condoleezza Rice, visited Israel last month, she seemed impressed with the strategic value of the Golan Heights. And if George Shultz continues to be the elder-statesman adviser to Bush the younger, White House arm-twisting on security would stop.

What are the odds against conservatives pulling off the hat trick in the United States in November, in Israel in January, in Britain in May? My local glitzy casino owner says nine to one at best.

Geopolitical realists will shorten the odds by choosing other combinations of right, left, and third way-out: Bush-Blair-Barak, for example, or a gridlocks-and-eggs special of Gore-Hague-Netanyahu.

Or are we headed toward no change at all? We cannot ignore the possibility of the liberal's trilateral trifecta: Gore-Blair-Barak. I don't want to even think about that.

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ART BUCHWALD

When the canary keels over, it's time to escape

The Air-Travel Answer Lady is here to help. Just send your queries to "Dear Airy," and she will favor you with a reply.

Dear Airy: I am taking a flight from Washington to Atlanta. We've been sitting on the runway for four hours. How do I know if I will have enough air to breathe until we take off? — Sue Nadeau

Dear Sue: Four hours is not too long a time to wait on a runway these days. What I do for my own safety is carry a canary in my pocket. When the canary keels over dead, I know it's time to slide down the emergency chute.

Buchwald

Dear Airy: I was told I could fly to San Francisco for $99. But when I arrived at the airport I was informed that that particular fare was only good on Columbus Day. I asked them if they had any other bargains, and they told me they had a red-eye special to El Paso with intermediate stops in Charlotte, N.C., and Billings, Mont., for $355. Is someone giving me the business? — Kathie Penney

Dear Kathie: Your airline is only charging you what the market will bear. Its fares must compete with other carriers on the same route. This is how the fare war works: Various airlines announce bargain tickets for the same destination, which are sold out just as you get to the counter. You then have the choice of paying the regular fare or canceling the flight, which carries a penalty of five years in prison.

Dear Airy: Are there any regulations spelling out the width of seats and legroom on American carriers? — Shelly Naperkowski

Dear Shelly: There are strict rules concerning the transport of pets and domestic animals in flight, but they do not apply to humans. For example, pets are not required to eat airline food, but human passengers are. The reason for this is that the FAA knows every pet is dear to someone, but the government still considers human beings to be excess baggage.

Dear Airy: When the flight I'm on has a near miss in the air, do the people on my plane wave to the passengers on the other plane, or should they wave to us? — Betty Roberts

Dear Betty: In a near-miss situation either side may wave first, but only the pilots are permitted to make rude gestures.

Dear Airy: Why do you see so many little kids flying on planes these days? — Kim Arthur

Dear Kim: More children are flying now than ever before because it's cheaper for a mother to travel with her kids than to put them in a day-care center.

Most of the mothers you see on planes have no particular destination in mind and are just killing time until their husbands can take them to Burger Chef for dinner.

Dear Airy: Do airborne pilots receive extra pay for telling you what cities you are flying over? — John R. Proffit

Dear John: No, they are all volunteers who delight in giving a tour of the Earth at 40,000 feet. These pilots believe a passenger will lose his sense of awe if he doesn't know he has just flown over Topeka, Kan.

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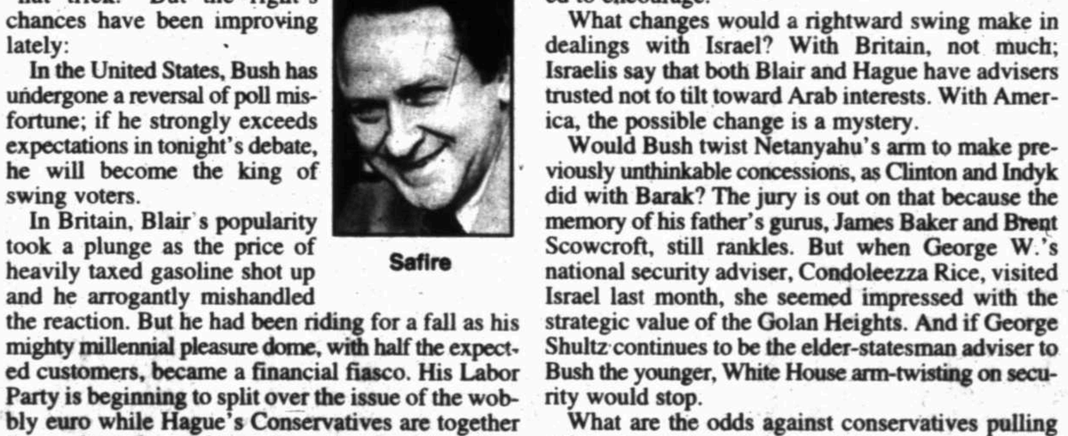

Rape defendants could face obligatory HIV tests under bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rape victims could demand HIV tests of their suspected assailants upon arrest, and adults could be jailed for 10 years for sending pornography to 17-year-olds or younger under a last-minute flurry of bills in the House.

Currently, rape victims have no legal right to demand that a suspect be tested to find out whether the person has HIV, the virus that causes AIDS, lawmakers said. Under the bill introduced by Rep. Dave Weldon, R-Fla., a person accused of rape must be tested for HIV or AIDS, if the alleged victim asks, within 48 hours of an indictment and the results given to the alleged victim.

"No longer will a victim have to wait for months or years for such a test of the accused," Weldon said. "No longer will the perpetrators of these crimes be allowed to bargain for lighter sentences in exchange for undergoing HIV testing. This bill puts the rights of the victim ahead of that of the sexual predator."

While Democrats say they support the idea — the bill passed the House 380-19 — Rep. Bobby Scott, D-Va., said Weldon's bill was rushed through without giving them a chance to study it and perhaps offer amendments he says would have made the bill better.

Under the bill, an accused person has no chance to prove innocence before having to take an AIDS test. "It requires a person to be subjected to an AIDS test, even if they're innocent," Scott said.

Also, the test results would be given immediately to the alleged victim and the victim's lawyers, who are not required under the bill to keep the results confidential. "Before you can say, 'It wasn't me,' ... it's spread across the world," Scott said.

The rush, Weldon said, is to take advantage of new AIDS drugs that can reduce chances by about 80 percent of getting the disease if taken shortly after the infection. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the infection-preventing AIDS drugs are useful only when taken shortly after HIV exposure, not days or weeks later.

The House also passed by a 397-2 vote a bill to prosecute people for sending pornographic material to 16- and 17-year-old children. Scott and Rep. Melvin Watt, D-N.C., voted against the bill.

The bill is aimed at closing a loophole in the 1998 Protection of Children from Sexual Predators Act, which specified 10 years in prison and fines for anyone who knowingly gives pornography by e-mail, telephone or mail to juveniles younger than 16. The age of consent normally is considered 18.

The Stop Material Unsuitable for Teens Act, or SMUT bill, introduced in March by Rep. Tom Tancredo, R-Colo., changes the definition of a minor in the bill to someone under the age of 18, instead of someone under the age of 16.

"We should make sure that those who would seek to spread this filth knowingly to our children be ready to pay the price of up to 10 years behind bars," Tancredo said.

Scott complained again that Democrats had been given too little time to study the bill, and it might have unforeseen consequences.

The crime bills' fate are uncertain in the Senate, which takes longer to consider and pass bills than the House. Lawmakers also are trying to get out of Washington as fast as possible to return home to campaign for re-election.

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Riots rage in West Bank, Gaza Strip; death toll tops 50

RAMALLAH, West Bank (AP) — Israeli troops rolled out tanks in a show of force and sent helicopter gunships aloft Monday to battle Palestinians wielding rocks and automatic rifles, as riots raged through the West Bank and Gaza Strip, leaving scarcely a Palestinian town or village untouched.

The spiraling violence, now in its fifth day, has killed at least 51 people and injured more than 1,000, nearly all the casualties Palestinian, and left hopes for a Mideast peace accord in tatters. Both sides acknowledged that talking peace was becoming untenable with a full-scale war being waged in the streets.

In an urgent bid to restore calm, U.S. Secretary of State Madeleine Albright announced she would meet Wednesday in Paris with Israeli Prime Minister Ehud Barak and Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat.

Even as pleas for restraint poured in from around the world, the climbing casualty count fueled Palestinian fury and spurred revenge attacks against Israeli civilians, particularly Jewish settlers.

Fighting also boiled over into Arab towns in Israel proper, rattling the nerves of Israelis who have long feared an intefadeh, or uprising, by Arab citizens of the Jewish state. Eight Israeli Arabs were killed in Monday's clashes alone.

Police and Arab rioters fought a three-hour battle in the alleyways of the Israeli town of Akko. Rioters trashed shops in the Israeli Arab town of Nazareth, Jesus' boyhood home. In the coastal city of Haifa — often cited as a model of harmonious coexistence of Jews and Muslims — Israeli Arabs staged a general strike in sympathy with Palestinian brethren.

The Palestinian lands, though, remained the epicenter of violence, with a shifting battlefront that hopscotched from north to south and back again. In the West Bank and Gaza, Israeli soldiers fought dozens of running battles — many with live ammunition — with Palestinian youths wielding stones and firebombs.

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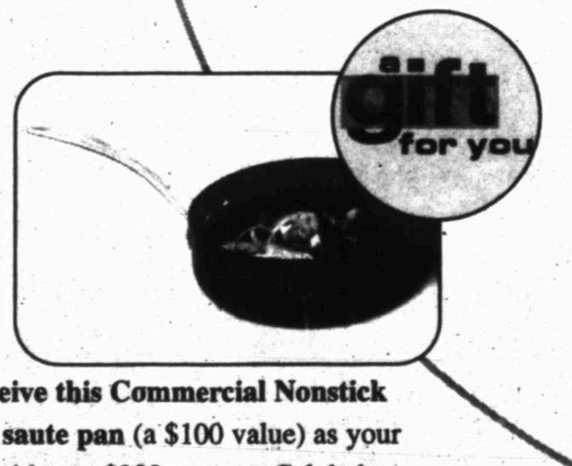
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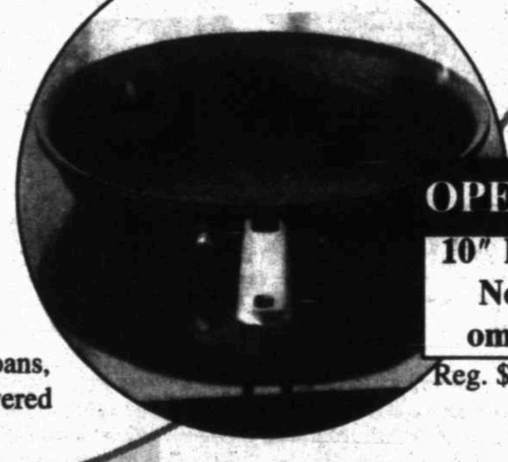
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There's no place like home...

Stephanie Krol, left, and Madison Ropp, both 11, play with Toto the dog Friday at Lone Star SPCA. The girls have started a campaign to raise money for PetSmart charities called 'Pennies for Paws'. Their goal is to reach $1000 by Make A Difference Day, Oct. 28. To date they have collected more than $300.

Stories by Johnnye Montgomery
Photo by U. Frank Williams Jr.

GEM students hope to make a difference by raising $1,000 for SPCA

Call it serendipity, cosmic timing, or plain good luck, but for "Toto," a little rag-tag dog now eating regularly at the Lone Star Society for the Prevention Cruelty Animals, a chance meeting with two girls in Midland's GEM program has made all the difference.

In a less than a month, the GEM students have gathered more than $300 to give to the Lone Star SPCA, and with money still pouring in, they hope to raise $1,000 in time for Make A Difference Day Oct. 28.

It all started when Madison Krol and Stephanie Ropp, both 11-year-old sixth-graders who attend Carver Center two days each week, found the dog on the street, malnourished and obviously lost or abandoned. They took it to the Krols' house, where they fed it, and Stephanie's mother, Linda Krol, placed an ad in the newspaper for a lost dog.

The Krols received a number of calls, but no matches for Toto, who, Ms. Krol said, "really does look like Toto in the Wizard of Oz."

Madison and Stephanie, after talking matters over with their respective families, had begun to face the fact that neither of them was going to be able to offer Toto a home because of environmental constraints in their own house. The best they could do was take him to Lone Star SPCA, where at least he would not be put down.

'I really think we'll have it all ($1,000 goal) by Make A Difference Day. At least we're doing something.'
— Stephanie Ropp
11-year-old GEM student

Meanwhile, the girls had applied for the GEM Scholarship program in recognition of exceptional achievements by GEM students. To achieve that honor, students must demonstrate a commitment to academic achievement, community service and personal initiative.

Madison and Stephanie had no problem with academic achievement or personal initiative, and after reading the GEM guidelines' list of examples of community service, they stopped at example No. 10: "Start a campaign to solve a problem that you have discovered."

They had worried and wondered about Toto's fate for several long days, when Madison came across a flier for PetSmart Charities, and they decided to take a proactive stance toward sup-

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Day of giving allows citizens to show love

With Make A Difference Day less than a month away, the good is already beginning to spread and coat all corners of the community, according to heads of local service organizations, who say they're already getting calls from citizens wanting to participate.

Oct. 28 is this year's designated Make A Difference Day, when Midlanders will walk, sing and play music, pick up trash, build a house and give blood, money, canned food, pet food and supplies in an all-out blitz that will leave Midland cleaner, more caring, more humane and could conceivably carry vestiges of human kindness through the upcoming holiday season.

According to Lael Cordes-Pitts, executive director at Casa de Amigos, that's what the Midland Association of Churches hopes for, although the message is subtle, maybe even subliminal.

"The whole idea is that there are alternative ways to give during the Christmas season that are less commercial and more caring," said Ms. Cordes-Pitts. "We felt that Make A Difference Day was a perfect time to emphasize our need to give in a more meaningful way, and we hope that the spirit will carry over through the entire holiday season.

She said Oct. 28 is actually an umbrella day, the culmination of the previous week during which agencies, groups and individuals will work on various projects to benefit the community.

"To wrap up the week of service, the Midland Association of Churches has served as the coordinating agency to bring all the agencies together with a multicultural celebration and alternative service fair, where churches can showcase their projects and offer crafts and food booths, with plenty of room for people to gather and discuss their projects."

Begun in 1992 by USA Weekend magazine and the Points of Light Foundation, Make A Difference Day is sponsored locally by the Reporter-Telegram, Wal-Mart, Sam's Club, Keep Midland Beautiful and Midland Association of Churches.

Cindy Lanning, executive director of Keep Midland Beautiful, said although KMB has targeted certain areas of the city for the Oct. 28 event, the field is wide open for others to join in these, or other clean-up projects.

"We're doing a fall clean-up similar to last spring's clean-up," she explained. "I read somewhere that work is love made visible, and we'd just like to encourage people to get out and show their love for their city. A couple of weeks ago, I got a call from a concerned citizen who wanted to get everybody organized to clean up the entire town.

"We'd like to hear from others who want to clean, either on the spots we've designated, or in their own neighborhoods, or like the woman who called, to clean up the town." She said those who sign on early for the clean up will have an extra incentive. "This year we have funding available for T-shirts, so we're giving them out as long as they last." Projects already in the works for Make A Difference Day include:

■ CROP Walk Oct. 22, 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. More than 250,000 walkers nationwide will walk or ride in wheelchairs to end hunger. Local participants will kick off Make A Difference Week, by walking the perimeter of Reyes Nelms Mashburn Park at the corner of Cuthbert and Fairgrounds Road from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Walkers are asked to bring canned food, and may also solicit cash pledges from

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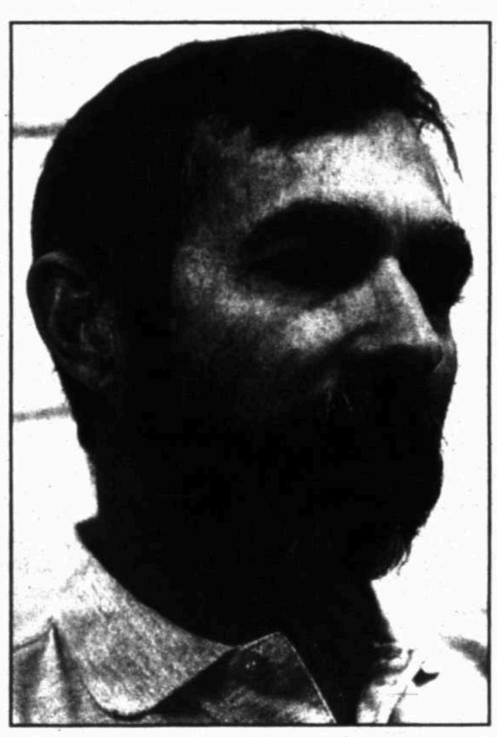

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ABOVE: This is, from left, Adam Ray, Ross Abel and Zack Setzler. They are Boy Scouts who design Web sites. They participate in the Computer Venture Crew program. The program is designed to give youth a better understanding of cyberspace. RIGHT: Scott Smith, a Boy Scout leader and an instructor in the program, speaks about the frequency of the program sessions .

'The program runs year round. We meet every week with the exception of school holidays.'
— Scott Smith

Program gives Boy Scouts a chance to explore cyberspace

By Judy Serbantez
MRT Correspondent

Local Boy Scouts are getting a chance to learn their way around the Internet thanks to the "Computer Venture Crew."

The program gives young adults an opportunity to learn about computer hardware and computer software, as well as how to surf the Web safely, said Boy Scout District Chairman Don Judson.

"This is a youth-run program, and the youth do the majority of the teaching," Judson said. "Teaching each other allows them to gain leadership skills, and learn communication skills. This is a great opportunity for anyone wanting to get into the field of computers."

The Computer Venture Crew will also have a chance to develop several community service projects throughout the year. Adam Rey, for exam-

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GARY OTT

Mickey Mouse and Captain Kangaroo started on this day in history

More rambling thoughts ...

— I hate to admit this, being something of a political junkie, but I'm not terribly excited about tonight's presidential debate ... in large part because I feel like I already know where the two contenders stand on all of the key issues.

— In other words, there is no sense of drama or anticipation.

— Speaking of politics, this quote was first uttered by George Bernard Shaw, who said, "He knows nothing and thinks he knows everything. This points clearly to a political career."

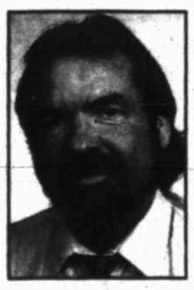
— Meanwhile, these wonderful words, which have nothing to do with politics, come from a fellow named Rex Stout, who was an American writer who died in 1975: "There are two kinds of statistics, the kind you look up and the kind you make up."

— On second thought, maybe he WAS talking about politicians.

— Don't you always feel just a bit guilty when you tell people you didn't receive their telephone message when, in fact, you did?

— Yeah, me too. But it's such a good excuse.

— For all the kiddies of the world, especially those born in the late 1940s and early 50s, this was a huge day in TV history. Both "Captain Kangaroo" and "The Mickey Mouse Club" premiered on Oct. 3, 1955.



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— I was a Captain Kangaroo kind of guy, myself, seeing as how I was particularly fond of Mr. Greenjeans.

— One thought on the upcoming school bond election: Can't we all agree to disagree in a civilized manner?

— Old rock 'n' roller Chubby Checker turns 59 today. For some reason, I would have figured him to be older.

— I've never wanted to be a landlord. Let other someone else deal with that busted hot water heater.

— Overheard: "The secret of a successful restaurant is sharp knives."

— Also overheard: "Matrimony is not a word, it's a sentence."

— For what's it worth, some men really shouldn't try to grow a beard.

— I still get very angry when I see O.J. Simpson, especially when he is on the golf course and has that little smirk on his face.

— One man's opinion: Even though the words ring true, the cliche — "If it ain't broke, don't fix it" — has become terribly overused.

— Does anyone REALLY plan his or her day around what his or her horoscope says?

— I'm not sure why, but Tony Danza is one of those entertainers who gets on my nerves.

— It is hard to believe that the ExxonValdez oil spill happened more than a decade ago.

— The year, by the way, was 1989.

— One of the best things about being past the age of 80, I am told, is that you can say outlandish things and no one holds it against you. People just roll their eyes and smile. It must be nice.

— I've always been jealous of people who could carry a tune when whistling, like the theme song from the old Andy Griffith TV show.

— Just wondering: Why are happy people on Cloud Nine, rather than Cloud Six or Cloud Eight or any other cloud for that matter?

— And today's final quote comes from Alexandre Dumas, who once said, "All generalizations are dangerous, even this one."

Gary Ott is city editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

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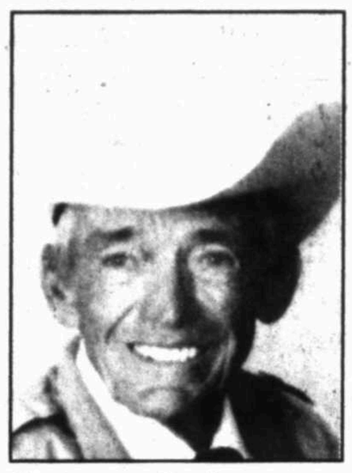


Buster Cole

Buster Cole was born May 24, 1923 in Midland, Texas to Morgan Edd and Jess May Cole. He married Mary Faye Ingham, and they would have celebrated 50 years of marriage this November 18. He served as a Staff Sergeant in World War II in the Quarter Master U.S. Remount Division of the Army where he also rode thoroughbred jumpers, worked polo ponies and trained mules.

Mr. Cole passed away on Sunday, October 1, 2000.

As a third generation rancher, Buster was not only an active Hereford and Quarter Horse breeder, but was instrumental in the founding of the AQHA and NCHA. He served as Chairman of the Board of the Sandhills Hereford and Quarterhorse Show & Rodeo for 40 years. He was also a strong supporter of the Odessa College Rodeo team. Buster was a certified judge for the AQHA, NCHA, PHBA, PHA, and Appaloosa Breeders Association.

Buster served on the Board of Agriculture and Soil Conservation Service for West Texas and was elected to the Ector County Soil Conservation Service. He was also a previous director of the Board at the Midland National Bank for 17 years.

Buster received numerous awards including: Stockman of the Month, Farm & Ranch Family of the Month, Family Land Heritage Award, Community Statesman Award for Ranching, Junior Calf Roping Champion in Fort Worth from 1936 to 1942, Sandhills Hereford and Quarterhorse Show was dedicated in his honor in 1990, and AQHA Honorary Vice-President.

A visitation will be held on Tuesday, October 3, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Ellis Funeral Home. Funeral services have been scheduled for 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 4, at the First Christian Church with Reverend Tommy Potter officiating. Graveside services will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Buster was preceded in death by his father, Morgan Cole; his mother, Jess May Williamson; and his sister, Eddye Gene Bell. He is survived by his wife, Mary, of Goldsmith, Texas; his two daughters, Susie Cole Byars and husband, Lon, of Vernon, Texas; and Annie Cole McBride of Flower Mound, Texas; his three sons, Roy Cole and wife, Ana, of Fort Worth, Ed Cole and wife, Suzetta, of Fort Worth, and Billy Cole and wife, Mary, of Goldsmith, Texas; and his eight grandchildren, Cole Byars and Matt Byars of Vernon, Texas, Joshua Cole and Christopher Cole of Fort Worth, Texas, Adam James and Ben James of Flower Mound, Texas, and Jessie Kate Cole and Cummins Cole of Goldsmith, Texas.

Memorials may be directed to the Odessa College Rodeo Scholarship Fund or one's favorite charity.

Jesues Vasquez Sr.

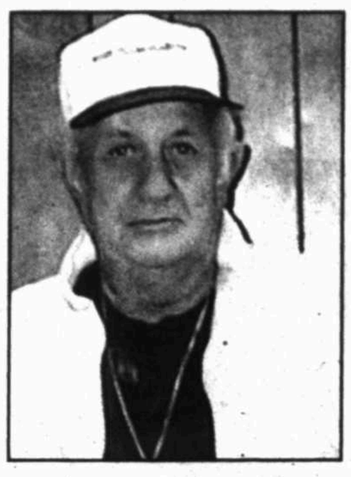
Jesues Wrisk Vasquez was born December 21, 1976 in Lubbock, Texas to Francisco Vasquez and Susan (Wrisk) Vasquez. He was reared and educated in Rankin and Midland, Texas. On July 21, 1995, he married Jessica Dee-Ann Morgan in Midland, Texas. He was a member of Mid-Cities Community Church.

Mr. Vasquez died in an Odessa hospital on Saturday, September 30, 2000.

A wake service has been scheduled for Tuesday, October 3, at 7:00 p.m. Funeral services are scheduled for 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, October 4, at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with Kevin York officiating. Interment will follow in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Jesues was preceded in death by his grandfather, Jay Wrisk; and his grandmother, Estefana Vasquez. Survivors include his wife, Jessica Morgan Vasquez of Midland; his parents, Francisco and Susan Vasquez of Midland; three sons, Jesues Vasquez Jr., Joshua Vasquez and Jacob Vasquez; a daughter, Alecia Vasquez; two brothers, Francisco Vasquez Jr. of Midland and Vicente Vasquez of Dumas, Texas; two sisters, Krictina Walters of Midland and Anjelia Paiz of Dumas; and his half-brother, Scott Martello.

Serving as pallbearers will be Vicente Vasquez, Sergio Gool, Lonnie Turpin, Leland Wood, Javier Guzman and Steve Walden.



Gene Madison

"Papa" Gene Madison died Saturday, September 30, 2000, in Odessa.

A memorial service will be Tuesday, October 3, 2000, at 10:00 a.m. at Fannin Terrace Baptist Church.

He was born June 4, 1932 in Big Spring, Texas.

Papa Gene was a member at Fannin Terrace Baptist Church of Midland. He was the owner of Wheels of West Texas. He was also a veteran and a longtime member of Midland Softball Association.

He was preceded in death by his father, Paul Madison of Big Spring; his sister, Mary Thomas of Big Spring; and a granddaughter, Kimilee Papasan of Midland.

Survivors include his mother, Ruth Madison of Big Spring; two sisters, Sue Earnest of Midland and Wanda Bradford of Grande Saline, Texas; the mother of his children, Deloris Madison of Midland; three children, Bruce Madison and his wife, Pat of Midland, Tammira Papasan and her husband, Dennis of Midland, and Tish Duncan of Fredricksburg, Texas; seven grandchildren, Andrea Madison Blair, Casi Madison Allen, Bruce Madison, Jr. (Bo), Nick Papasan, and Meredith Papasan, all of Midland, Kali Jo Duncan and Keagan Duncan, both of Fredricksburg, Texas; and one great-grandchild, Alexis Blair of Midland. He also leaves behind his companion, Louise (Weezie) Moree of Odessa, Texas.

In lieu of flowers, please make contributions to Hospice of Odessa.

Arrangements are by Stanton Memorial Funeral Home & Chapel, 408 N. St. Peter, Stanton, Texas 79782.

Clara Busbee

Clara Bell Green Busbee was born November 7, 1933 in Jones County, Texas to James W. Gregory and Desta J. (Davis) Gregory. Clara attended school in Noodle and Loraine, Texas. She was store manager of Snowhite Laundry and Cleaners in Midland, retiring in 1994.

Mrs. Busbee was preceded in death by her parents; and a sister, Erma Horne. Survivors include her husband, Bob Busbee of Midland; a daughter, Cheryl Lackey and her husband, Rick of Midland; four sons, Bobby Busbee and his wife, Pam, Billy Wayne Busbee and his wife, Vicky, Larry Don Busbee and his wife, Debbie, and Steve Busbee, all of Midland; a brother, Jimmy L. Gregory of Odessa; three sisters, Charlene Vinson and her husband, Troy of Noodle, Jeanie Brashears of Odessa, and Janice Farnes of Abilene; her grandchildren, Shannon Lackey, Cody Busbee, Lindsay Busbee, Jessica Busbee Martin, Amanda Busbee Bryant, Rebecca Busbee, and Tara Busbee; four great-grandchildren, Bryan Lee Bryant, Sarah Dawn Martin, Trenton Culpepper, and Starr Lynn Bryant; and several nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Busbee died Saturday, September 30, 2000, in a Midland hospital.

Graveside services are scheduled for 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 4, 2000, in Resthaven Memorial Park with Reverend Bob Porterfield of West Kentucky Street Baptist Church officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Herschel Carter

Marvin Herschel Carter, 77, formerly of Midland, died Friday, September 29, 2000, at his home in Harlingen.

Military graveside services will be at 3 p.m. Tuesday at Resthaven Memorial Cemetery with the Rev. Lane Boyd of First United Methodist Church officiating.

Herschel was born April 11, 1923 in Cleburne to Clara Long and Marvin Carter. He joined the U.S. Navy in 1941 at the age of 18 and served in World War II.

He married Elsie Baker on January 4, 1947 in Midland.

He worked at Southwestern Bell Telephone Company for 36 and a half years. Upon retiring in 1981, he moved to Lake Brownwood where he lived for five years. He then moved to Lake LBJ and lived at Blue Lake Estates for 14 years.

He and his wife moved to Harlingen in March.

He was a member of First United Methodist Church in Marble Falls and a charter member of St. Paul United Methodist Church in Midland.

He worked with the Buffalo Trail Council of the Boy Scouts in Midland and was a member of the Order of the Arrow. He also was a lifetime member of the American Legion.

He was well like by everyone and loved by his family.

If life is measured by how many friends you have, he had a good life. He was a hardworking man and loved his family. He will be missed, but always remembered and loved.

He is survived by his wife, Elsie Baker Carter of Harlingen; four children, Cynthia Carter Cuny and her husband, Matthew E. Cuny, of Greenville, Carolyn Carter Wilson and her husband, Danny L. Wilson, of Midland, Rich E. Carter and his wife, Sherree Shields Carter, of Odessa, and Michael G. Carter and his wife, Kari Carter, of Grand Junction, Colo.; nine grandchildren, Mitzi Crabtree and her husband, Scott, of Grand Junction, Colo., Jeanna Cuny of Odessa, Laura Wilson of Midland, Allison Carter of Odessa, Daniel Wilson of Midland, Janice Cuny of Greenville, Cory Carter of Odessa, and Austin and Michael Carter of Grand Junction, Colo.; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to the American Legion Post 437 in Kingsland.

Arrangements are by Ellis Funeral Home.

Eleanor Repman

Eleanor M. Repman, 98, of Midland, died Saturday, September 30, 2000, at her residence. She was born to John and Mary Rickhoff on January 17, 1902 in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. She met and later married the late Francis J. Repman Sr. on September 1, 1919 in New Mexico. They later lived in Vaughn, New Mexico, and Slaton, Texas, where they reared their five children. Eleanor moved to Midland in 1949 and was employed by Julian Gold for many years. She was a member of San Juan Catholic Church.

Eleanor was preceded in death by her husband, Francis Repman Sr.; two young brothers; two sisters, Ruth Finch and Irene Lavato; a son, Frank Repman Jr.; and two daughters, Ruth Repman and Dolores Smith.

The Funeral Mass will be held on Tuesday, October 3, at 11:00 a.m. at San Juan Catholic Church with Father Thomas C. Kelley officiating. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park, under the direction of Reyes-Garcia Funeral Home.

Survivors include her son, Joseph "Joe" Repman of Midland; her daughter, Jude Ewen of Midland; 17 grandchildren, 55 great-grandchildren, 10 great-great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be Mike Mendez, Josh Shankel, Chris Repman, Patrick Repman, Terry Repman, and Luke Berbiglia.

Memorials may be directed to the St. Vincent De Paul Society, c/o Our Lady of San Juan Catholic Church, 1008 W. New Jersey, Midland, Texas 79701.

Cuca Rangel

Funeral Services for Cuca Rangel will be Tuesday at 1 p.m. at Templo Peniel, 1536 S. Lamesa Road, with Pastor Alma Castillo officiating. Burial will be at Fairview Cemetery, under the direction of Thomas Funeral Home.

Born in Big Spring on April 25, 1943, she died at her home on Friday, September 29, 2000.

She was an active member of Templo Peniel.

She leaves to cherish her memory her daughters, Angie Ramirez and Belinda Navarro; a son, Theodore Navarro; three grandchildren, Theodore Navarro Jr., Daniel Navarro, and Fabian Navarro; her brothers, Clemente Rangel, Lupe Cruz and Raymon Cruz Jr.; and her sisters, Precila Molinar, Josie Vasquez, and Mary Valdez.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Pallbearers will be Thomas Hall, Jesse Boisse, Michael Palomez, Ismo Garza, Miguel Perez, and David DeLeon.

DEATH NOTICES

Lydia Cordova

Lydia Cordova, 67, died Sunday, Oct. 1, at her residence.

Funeral services will be 10 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 5, at Primera Iglesia Bautista Church with the Rev. Ernesto Gil, Jr. officiating. Burial will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home. Visitation will be at Ellis Chapel North, 1002 W. Loop 250. Prayer services will be 7 p.m. today and Wednesday at Ellis Chapel North.

She was born Oct. 31, 1932 in Midland to Fidencio and Anna Marmolejo.

She was a homemaker, and a member of Primera Iglesia Bautista Church.

Survivors include her husband, Pedro C. Cordova of Midland; five sons, Pete Cordova Jr., Arthur Cordova, Roy Cordova and Fred Cordova, all of Midland, and Joe Cordova of Marfa; three daughters, Margarita Rangel of Dallas, and Mary Ann Martinez and Berlinda C. Aguirre, both of Midland; a brother, David Marmolejo Sr.; and a sister, Dolores Marmolejo, both of Midland; 32 grandchildren, and 28 great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Midland, P.O. Box 2621, Midland, 79702.

Willie Sweatt

Willie Cecil Sweatt, 87, formerly of Seminole, died Sunday, Oct. 1, at a Midland hospital.

Funeral services will be 4 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 4, at Community Chapel with Don Mitchell and Leo Copeland officiating. Burial will follow at Gaines County Cemetery South under the direction of Boyer Funeral Home of Seminole, 915-758-5440.

He was born Oct. 23, 1912 in Knox County.

He moved from Seminole, where he was a Gaines County resident since 1941, to Midland eight years ago. He was a farmer and worked in the oil field. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

He was preceded in death by a son, Weldon Ray Sweatt in 1933; and a sister, Ruby Faye Ford in 1997.

Survivors include his wife, Opal Faye Ray Sweatt of Midland; three daughters, Doris Taylor of Midland, Cleta Sander of Dallas, and Annette Burton of Yorba Linda, Calif.; a brother, Robert Sweatt of Burton; three sisters, Clara Wilcox of Springfield, Mo., Mildred Leverett of Hobbs, N.M., and Reba Grandrud of Phoenix, Ariz.; three grandchildren, six step-grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, seven step-great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Ruby Parrish

Ruby A. Parrish, 91, formerly of Brownfield, died Sunday, Oct. 1, at a local nursing home.

Services will be 2 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 4, at First Baptist Church in Meadow with the Revs. Ken Davis and Cletus Caswell officiating. Burial will follow at Meadow City Cemetery under the direction of Brownfield Funeral Home, 806-637-3555.

She was born Oct. 27, 1908 in Sunset.

She lived in Hollis, Okla., then California from 1936-64, Gentry, Ark. from 1964-67, Paramount, Calif. from 1967 until moving to Meadow in 1981, and to Brownfield in 1987, then to Midland. She was a member of Lubbock Seventh-Day Adventist Church.

Survivors include three daughters, Patsy Thomason of Midland, Doris F. Tarlton of Fayetteville, Ark., and Wanda L. Barr of Nacogdoches; two sons, Gail D. Parrish of Garden Grove, Calif. and Gary E. Parrish of Midland; a sister, Auvanell Parrish of Brownfield; six brothers, Charlie Caswell Jr. of Meadow, Olane Caswell, Norman Caswell, Earl Caswell and Rev. Cletus Caswell, all of Brownfield, and Neal Caswell of Muleshoe; 17 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren, and seven great-great-grandchildren.

Doug Richardson

BIG SPRING — Doug Richardson, 79, died Sunday, October 1, at a Midland hospital.

Graveside services will be 10 a.m. Wednesday at the Colorado City Cemetery with the Rev. Dr. Jimmy Watson officiating. Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Kiker-Seale Funeral Home of Colorado City.

He was born April 30, 1921.

He was a Big Spring resident for the past 30 years. He was a gas operations field representative for Texaco, before retiring. He was a member of the First Christian Church.

Survivors include his wife, Harriet Pritchett Richardson of Big Spring; three sons, Jim Richardson and Dean Richardson, both of Houston, and Dick Richardson of Sweetwater; a sister, Doris Crouch of Midland; five grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren.

PROGRAM: Youths learn to navigate cyberspace

(From 1B)

ple, a 16-year-old student at Lee High School, is introducing senior citizens to the Internet. For his Eagle project, he will teach senior citizens at Manor Park the basics on surfing the information highway.

Meanwhile, Ross Abel, also a student at Lee High School, designed a Web site for a major corporation, dealing in communications.

"I worked eight hours a day, five days a week for two months developing a Web site for UniTrak," Abel said, adding that "UniTrak is a corporation which collects data with wireless units. The corporation is very active in Peru, Australia and Japan."

The student added, "I designed the graphics, and entered data using Excel. The Computer Venture Crew has really taught me a lot about designing."

Family plays a role in developing the young adults' interests.

"My dad is into maintenance of computers, and my mother is a computer programmer," Rey said. "When I was 6 years old I wrote some simple software, and now I can strip a computer down, and rebuild it. I've learned a lot of trivia with this program."

Any young person between the ages of 14 and 21 is invited to attend.

"My friend who lives down the street from me was involved in the program, so I decided to get involved," said Zack Setzler, a 14-year-old student at Midland Christian. "I just joined the program a couple of weeks ago. It's a lot of fun."

The program also includes a seminar aimed at teaching rules about online safety. Parents can also benefit from the seminar, and gain an understanding of guidelines to help set up rules for their children.

Commercial online services have parental control, or "blocking," features that allow parents to keep the children out of certain areas of the World Wide Web. Internet Web browsers are developing controls and software packages designed to block Internet sites.

The Computer Venture Crew gives parents the chance to learn about the software, and gives parents guides to ensuring the safety of their children while online.

Some guidelines suggested for parents include:

- Tell your children never to agree to get together with someone they "met" online without first checking with you;
- Instruct your children to never give out identifying information without getting your permission;
- Tell your children never to send a person a picture of themselves or anything else without first checking with you.

Parents are also welcomed to attend the meetings.

"The program runs year round," said Scott Smith, a local Boy Scout leader. "We meet every week with the exception of school holidays."

The group meets every Monday night, at the International Business School located on Andrews Highway. Advisors include: Pam Lanchofer, Don Judson, and Scott Smith. For more information, contact Smith at (915) 699-0846.

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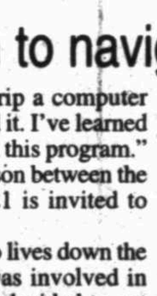

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PAWS: Students working to raise money for animals

(From 1B)

porting the shelter where Toto lived.

"We decided to collect money for PetSmart Charities," said Madison. "We decided not to ask people for a lot of money, but for their change, and we called our campaign 'Pennies for Paws.'"

At first, they collected door to door in their neighborhoods, and at KimberLea Park, where they both swim. But the door to door collections took time, and both of them are involved in school, with homework and sports and church, and the collections languished.

The obvious solution was to take their problem to school. Or more specifically, to Carver Center.

"This was good for us, because Madison and I go to Carver Center Monday and Tuesday and I go on Wednesday and Thursday," said Stephanie.

They made posters urging their classmates to "Be cool and collect for Pennies for Paws, our spare change collection effort to raise money for Petsmart Charities benefiting Lonestar SPCA in honor of Make A Difference Day."

They also wrote a letter to hand to the 600 Carver Center students. And to offset the cost, they went to Kinko's where the management agreed, in view of the worthiness of the project, to give them a break on the price of the copies. Meanwhile, a woman with a copier who had heard of their dilemma offered to make more copies if they would buy the paper. The letter went straight to the point.

"GEM kids number over 600 students. If each student collected only $1, we would raise $600," they wrote, explaining that collections buckets would be located in each classroom, and offering prize incentives for participation at a carnival to be held at PetSmart Oct. 28.

And if the start of the letter didn't grab their readers' attention, the closing surely did: "Seven million homeless dogs and cats need your help so please give to Pennies for Paws now!"

The girls plan to do more house to house collecting, and they have recently redoubled their efforts at school.

Cathy Ropp, Madison's mother, said when Madison first told the family she expected to collect $1,000, she was skeptical.

"But last week, we went by and emptied th[illegible]uckets and when we counted [illegible]e than $300, I was amazed. Now I'm not so sure they can't do it."

For Stephanie and Madison, it's not so much a question of whether they can do it, but when.

"I really think we'll have it all by Make A Difference Day," said Stephanie. "At least we're doing something."

DAY: Event allows Midlanders to show their pride in their city

(From 1B)

sponsors. Canned foods and 25 percent of cash donations are given to local food distribution agencies. For more information or to receive a CROP Walk pledge packet, call Jennifer Sise at 684-7821 or Dennis Bade at 694-2571.

■ Casa de Amigos, RSVP and AmeriCorps CAN-nect food drive. This is a weeklong project, ending on Saturday, Oct. 28, when the cans will be taken to the Make A Difference Day Service Fair. For more information or to participate, call Abeiah Betts at 682-9701.

■ Habitat for Humanity. Join in an anvil chorus of hammering with your friends on Oct. 28, or sooner. To join, or for more information, call 686-8877.

■ Keep Midland Beautiful. Citywide cleanup on Oct. 28. Bring your gloves and some fierce determination. Several sites have already been targeted, but if you have a cleanup effort you're planning for your neighborhood, you're encouraged. Call 688-4190 for locations and information or to sign up.

■ United Blood Services of the Permian Basin blood drive on October 28. A few minutes in a comfortable chaise lounge with a needle, then a nice person gives you juice and cookies and a tee shirt. There's a screening process on this one, but it doesn't take long. The location is Burnet Elementary School, 900 Raymond Road and hours are 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.. For more information or to preregister, call 561-5539.

■ Make A Difference Day Service Fair, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 28 at Midland Community Center, corner of Butternut and Scharbauer. This is where you go to celebrate when it's all over. There will be booths showcasing foods, crafts, etc., entertainment provided by Midland's churches and cultural groups, places to compare projects (or make plans for more alternative giving), and other things to do. Churches or organizations wishing to reserve a booth at the service fair call Abeiah Betts at 682-9701.

■ Pennies for Paws. Can you spare your change? GEM kids Stephanie Krol and Madison Ropp are collecting spare change for PetSmart Charities,, which benefits Lone Star SPCA. They had collected more than $300 by Sept. 28, and hope to have $1,000 by Oct. 28, when they will turn their cash in at a PetSmart Charities Carnival at PetSmart. For more information or to add your change, call Stephanie Krol at 699-0098 or Madison Ropp at 689-9884.

Man sentenced to life in prison for kidnapping child

FORT WORTH (AP) — A child molester convicted of kidnapping another girl was sentenced to life in prison Monday after a judge dismissed a juror's tearful claims that other jurors pressured her into returning a guilty verdict.

State District Judge Bob Gill upheld the aggravated kidnapping conviction for Richard Lee Franks, who faced the maximum penalty after a 1991 conviction of indecency with a child in nearby Wise County. Prior to Monday's sentencing, Franks' attorneys earlier in the day had filed a motion with the judge for mistrial.

But Audrey Sanderford, whose 6-year-old granddaughter Opal Jennings has never been found, said the life sentence did not ease her pain.

"The bottom line is, where's my baby?" she asked. "If he is guilty, maybe he'll tell us where Opal is."

Opal was last seen playing with two other children in a vacant lot near her grandparents' Saginaw house in March 1999. One child said a man in a dark car stopped by the curb, grabbed Opal and threw her inside.

Franks, who matched the suspect's description, later told police he picked up Opal that day and dropped her off. But since his arrest he has maintained his innocence, claiming he suffers from a low IQ and was coerced into the confession.

Franks' first trial ended in a mistrial in June after jurors were unable to reach a unanimous verdict during more than 11 hours of deliberations over two days.

In the second trial last month, jurors deliberated 16 hours over two days before telling the judge they were deadlocked 10-2. Gill then instructed them to listen to what the majority was saying. Ten minutes later they returned with a guilty verdict.

But after the Sept. 23 verdict, juror Kimberly Sawyer told defense attorneys she always believed there was "more than reasonable doubt," according to the affidavit asking for a mistrial.

Sawyer testified Monday that she was crying during deliberations because jurors intimidated and berated her. She said she caved in to the pressure and answered "yes," indicating a guilty verdict, when she and the other jurors were polled individually in the courtroom.

"I was broke down basically," Sawyer said. "I was tired of fighting. I just wanted to go home."

Defense attorney Leon Haley also said the state withheld evidence, including allegations of child pornography on Sanderford's computer, that could have helped the case.

Leigh Ann Schenk, a former Child Protective Services case worker, testified that after Opal disappeared she received reports of child porn and child molesters in the house. Schenk said she told police and then did her own investigation but found no evidence.

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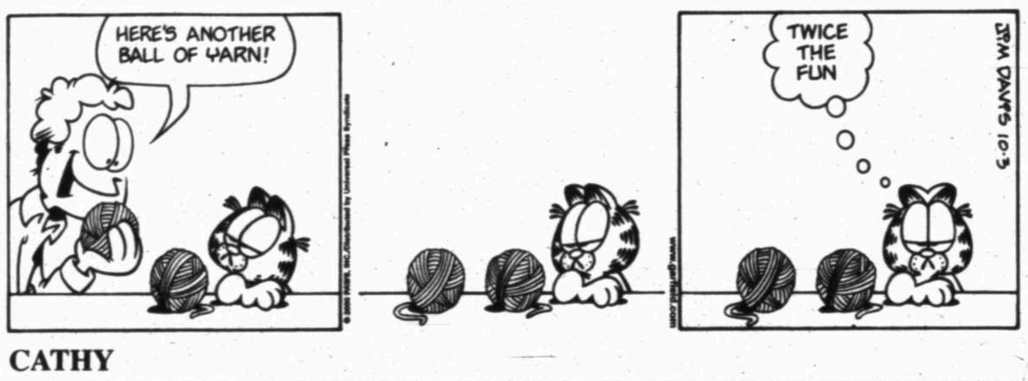

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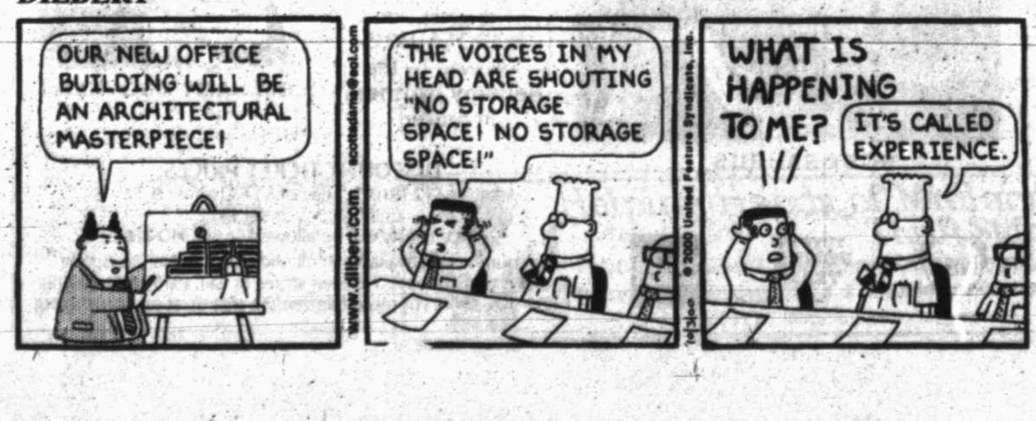

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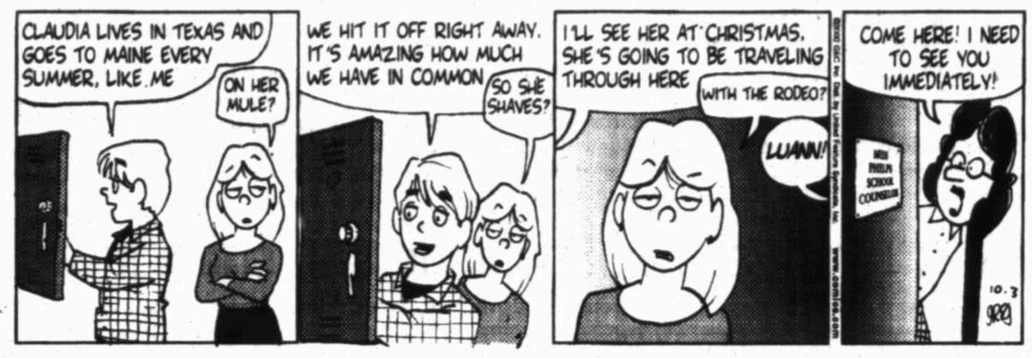

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ARIES (March 21-April 19)
★★★★ Unexpected developments trigger unusual ideas. News from an associate or friend might frustrate you on one level, yet delight you on another. Calls and messages allow you to get the big picture. Talk possibilities rather than limits. Grab an offer that feels too good to be true. Tonight: Rent a movie.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20)
★★★★★ Deal with co-workers one-on-one. Establish common ground. A child or loved one might create an uproar. Stay in touch with your long-term desires. Avoid a risk that could jeopardize your goal. Knowing what's important helps you maintain your focus. Tonight: Dinner for two.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20)
★★★★★ Your happy attitude flows into your work and day-to-day life. Understand what another wants, and you will gain. Avoid a power struggle with someone you care a lot about. Solutions appear as long as you tune in to your creativity. Realize that you do need to "court" another. Tonight: Where the crowds are.

CANCER (June 21-July 22)
★★★★ Dig into work. Just because you don't see eye to eye with a co-worker is not a reason to start a problem. Allow your sense of humor to come out. As a result, everyone will relax. Intuition serves you with family and co-workers. Take time for a personal matter. Tonight: Off to the gym.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)
★★★★ Tap into your resources for answers and ideas. Someone takes a strong stand. A confrontation over funds is likely. Use care though, so you do not lose your goal or focus. Another challenges you. Aim for greater success. Bring others with common interests together. Tonight: Flirtation adds to a relationship.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)
★★★★ Deal with your family, knowing that you are coming from a premise based on security. Others don't need to agree; however, you are likely to cause problems if they don't. You won't change anyone's mind, but you could intimidate someone. Be professional. Tonight: Work late if need be.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)
★★★★ Reach out for another. Good news surrounds communication once you get past an immediate reaction. Understand where you are heading. Discussions animate a situation, allowing you to see new vistas. Your personality and charm melt barriers. Tonight: Make a long-distance call.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)
★★★ Finances draw your attention. You find the right answers if you pursue your present course of action. You discover that money cannot buy you what you want. Regroup and head in another direction. A partner pitches in to make what you want possible. Tonight: Treat another to dinner.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)
★★★★ Your dynamic personality speaks, but at the same time it can cause you to collide with a boss or higher-up. Be smart with this person. Walk on eggshells. Eye the long-term results you seek as opposed to the momentary ego gain. You know what you ultimately want. Tonight: Whatever makes you smile.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
★★★★ Another has a totally different way of handling a problem than you do. Defer to someone in charge. Do research and discover where your thinking could be off. Another wants better communication. Put your best foot forward with a work-related project. Tonight: Curl up with a good book.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)
★★★★ Know what you want so that when you encounter someone's opposition, you aren't surprised. Recognize where this person is coming from. Spontaneity draws many unthought-of opportunities. Reach into your imagination, both professionally and personally. Tonight: Greet opportunity.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20)
★★★ Make the most out of another and what is happening. Taking charge adds to your success and potential. Don't settle and give in to a partner. Keep aiming for what you want. Don't minimize another's impact on you. Keep talking and looking for common ground. Tonight: In the limelight.

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◇ A K Q 9 6
♣ Q 5

WEST
♠ Q 10 7 6 3
♡ A
◇ 10 8 3 2
♣ 8 4 3

EAST
♠ Void
♡ Q J 10 9 8 6 5 2
◇ 4
♣ J 10 9 6

SOUTH
♠ K J 9 5 4 2
♡ Void
◇ J 7 5
♣ A K 7 2

The bidding:

NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
1◇	4♡	4♠	Pass
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Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: Ace of ♡

Some people never learn. Although everyone at the club was aware of Trump Coup Tommy's propensity for turning into a master technician on those hands where trumps broke badly, there were still some who could not resist doubling on a trump stack. Tommy made mincemeat of them all.

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The opening lead of the ace of hearts was ruffed by Tommy, and it was clear that the double had to be based on a trump stack. At trick two, therefore, Tommy led a low spade and, when West followed with the three, dummy's eight was inserted and won the trick. Tommy made light of the rest of the play. Diamonds were started and, when East showed out on the first round, four rounds were cashed, declarer discarding a club from hand.

Next came the three top clubs, as West followed helplessly. A spade to the ace put Tommy in position to complete his coup. He led a heart from dummy and ruffed with the nine. West could overruff with the 10 but, down to nothing but two trumps, was forced to lead away from the queen of spades into Tommy's K-J tenace. All Tommy lost was one trump trick.

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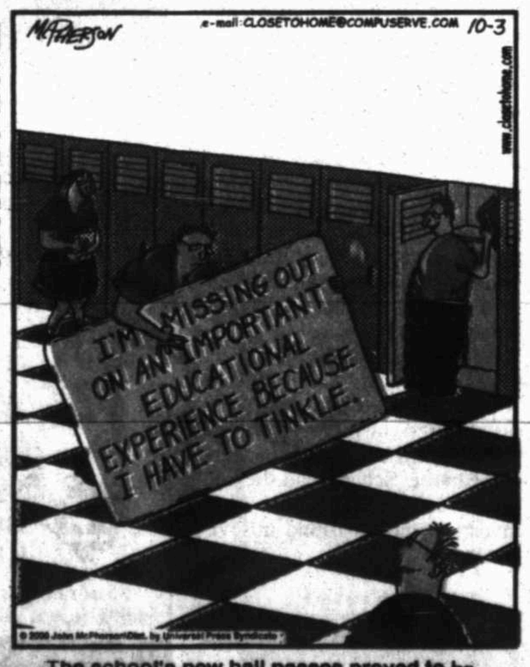

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Barker to rescue Big Brother hens

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Game show host **Bob Barker** has rescued five chickens that were part of "**Big Brother**."

"**The Price Is Right**" host and Nancy Burnet, an animal rights activist, went to Studio City, the site of the "Big Brother" house, on Sunday to collect the chickens, whose eggs were used by the show's participants for food.

Barker and Burnet told CBS they were concerned about the welfare of the chickens used on its just-completed show. The network agreed to turn over the chickens so that they could be put in a refuge.

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — **Garth Brooks** was a surprise performer as his longtime producer Allen Reynolds was inducted into the Nashville Songwriters Hall of Fame.

Also inducted Sunday were **Billy Edd Wheeler**, **Randy Goodrum** and **Mac Davis**.

Reynolds, 62, has written hits such as "Five O'Clock World," "I Saw Linda Yesterday" and "I Recall a Gypsy Woman."

Brooks, who has used Reynolds as producer on all of his country albums, performed snippets of "Five O'Clock World" and "I Saw Linda Yesterday" in tribute.

Davis wrote such songs as "In the Ghetto," "Memories" and "Don't Cry Daddy," all hits for **Elvis** Presley. Wheeler wrote "Coward of the County" for **Kenny Rogers** and "The Reverend Mr. Black" for **The Kingston Trio.**

Goodrum wrote "You Needed Me" for **Anne Murray** and "Bluer Than Blue" for **Michael Johnson**.

WORCESTER, Mass. (AP) — **Michael J. Fox** and **Elizabeth Hurley** were among the celebrities who played a benefit hockey game in honor of six firefighters killed last year in a warehouse fire.

The game Sunday raised $200,000, which will be split between the families of the victims and the Worcester Fire Department for new equipment.

The event, which also featured "Party of Five" actor **Scott Wolf**, actor **Tim Robbins**, "Cheers" star **George Wendt** and former Boston Bruins star **Bobby Orr**, was organized by comedian **Denis Leary**. Leary's cousin, Jeremiah Lucey, was one of the men killed in the Dec. 3 blaze.

The game pitted the Hollywood Hockey Team against the Boston Bruins Alumni, but the teams traded players at halftime and the Bruins edged the Hollywood stars, 15-14.

The crowd gave a standing ovation to Fox, who has Parkinson's disease and played only in short spurts.

Hurley, Hollywood's assistant coach, earned a roar from the crowd when she came onto the ice in a purple outfit. She acknowledged that she had never even watched a hockey game before.

"I feel guilty I didn't study more," she said. "Next time, I may even learn to skate."

BLOOMINGTON, Minn. (AP) — An auction of **Snoopy** statues has fetched $823,000 to help pay for memorials to "**Peanuts**" creator **Charles Schulz**.

"Peanuts" fans from across the country paid $200 each just for the right to bid on the 40 statues sold by Sotheby's at the Mall of America on Sunday.

The statues were among 101 Snoopys created and designed by local artists that graced St. Paul this summer as a tribute to the cartoonist and native son.

At the direction of the Schulz family, the proceeds will be used for a permanent bronze sculpture in St. Paul featuring the "Peanuts" gang, an endowed chair of illustration at the College of Visual Arts in St. Paul, and scholarships to the Art Instruction Schools, a Minneapolis correspondence school where Schulz studied and taught.

"To see such a welcome from people, to see the joy on the children's faces running up to Snoopy, there is nobody, and I'm certain of this, who would have had a bigger smile on their face" than Schulz, said daughter Jill Schulz Transki.

Schulz died of colon cancer on Feb. 12.

NEW YORK (AP) — **Loretta Lynn** is back on tour with a new album after being out of the spotlight for more than a decade.

The country star recently released "Still Country," her first new work since 1988.

She disappeared from public life while caring for her late husband, Oliver V. "Mooney" Lynn, whom she wed when she was 13. He lost both legs to diabetes and died in 1996 after being bedridden for six years.

Lynn also lost singing partner **Conway Twitty**, friend **Tammy Wynette** and her oldest son, Jack Benny Lynn, who drowned in a river accident.

Lynn is also working on "Still Woman Enough," a sequel to her autobiography, "Coal Miner's Daughter," published in 1976.

"I've lived now and know that I can write a book and tell the happy things and the bad things," she said.

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FAMILIES TODAY

Girls, boys are taught different lessons in life

By T. Berry Brazelton, M.D., with Joshua Sparrow, M.D.
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Not long ago, my 3-year-old granddaughter came to me and said, "Bapa, I'm in love with you. I want to marry you."

I was overwhelmed. "But I'm already married to your grandmother," I told her.

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Cocking her head, widening her eyes and holding out her hand delicately, she wooed me: "It don't matter if you're already married."

Her behavior was so seductive that it all but convinced me "it don't matter." At 3, she had already learned to use traditionally "feminine" behaviors to try to get her way.

This didn't surprise me. Girls in our society learn early on that they are expected to behave in certain ways. In her 1982 book "In a Different Voice," Carol Gilligan, a psychologist at Harvard University, wrote about the powerful messages young girls receive from those around them. Girls are expected to be compliant, quiet and introspective. They soon learn that they should suppress any open expression of aggression or even strong non-compliant feelings. They also learn, as my granddaughter has so precociously, to value relationships more than rules.

Parents play a big part in shaping such traditional gender roles. Though every baby has his or her own personality, there are subtle sex-linked differences in newborn behavior that can influence the way mothers and fathers respond to their children, reinforcing stereotypes.

For example, boy babies are more jerky and move about more vigorously than do girls. Girls' movements are often smoother, and girls may seem more "laid back" as they play. When a parent interacts with a girl baby, she will typically respond with a long, steady gaze. A boy will look away more quickly.

These behaviors lead parents to nurture girl and boy babies differently. A girl is more likely to get smooth, quiet songs and gentle rocking. A father who feels comfortable bouncing his boy baby around would most likely hold his daughter more tenderly and speak to her more softly.

Harvard psychologists Ed Tronick and Katherine Weinberg have shown that infants as young as 6 months have gender-related responses to frustration. They did a study in which mothers were asked to interact with their babies, then suddenly withdraw. Girls were more likely to respond to the withdrawal by looking away or distracting themselves by playing with their fingers. The boys tended to become angry and "violent" — fussing, kicking and pulling at their mothers.

While certain gender differences are innate, parents may reinforce and broaden these differences through their responses. For example, when a boy toddler bites, adults tend to flare up and respond excitedly — which can increase the aggressive behavior. But when a girl bites, a parent is likely to respond more calmly by holding and soothing the child to tone down any out-of-control behavior. This teaches a girl to handle her feelings in a more subdued fashion.

As girls mature, stereotypes become more powerful. By age 4 or 5, girls learn that they are valued for their appearances: "You look so pretty! You washed your hair today." The cost, detailed by Mary Pipher in "Reviving Ophelia," may not become apparent until puberty, when girls' focus on appearances and being attractive to boys often derails their development.

Though progress has been made, there are still biases in our society — both subtle and overt — which push preadolescent girls to suppress their true personalities. Changing this will take time and readjustments from all of us.

Here are a few things we can do to help girls avoid gender stereotypes and feel comfortable being themselves:

- Value a child's individuality above all else.
- Accept a girl's more challenging, aggressive feelings, even in infancy and early childhood — and be aware of your tendency to suppress these.
- Respond to girls for who they are and what they can do, not how they look.
- Provide and value athletics for females. Girls and boys may need separate sports opportunities if they are to discover their potential.
- Insist on equal time and attention for girls in the classroom — in all subject areas. Help teachers notice when boys are subtly dominating class discussions.
- Talk about gender roles and help children to think critically about the messages they see in the media.
- Be proud of mothers who are making "the split" to be nurturers and breadwinners. Provide acceptance and support for working mothers.

FURTHER READING

The following books may be of interest to parents of girls:

- "In a Different Voice" by Carol Gilligan (Harvard University Press, 1982)
- "The Girl Within" by Emily Hancock (Fawcett Columbine, 1989)
- "Reviving Ophelia" by Mary Pipher (Ballantine Books, 1994)

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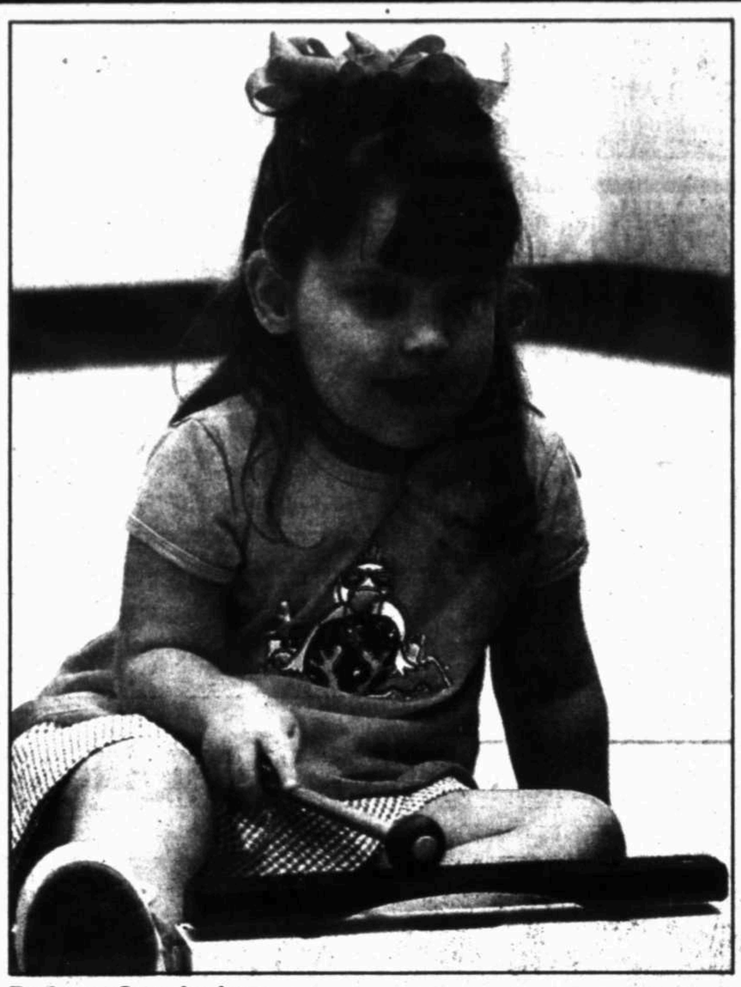

Music makers

Very young childen learn to 'make a joyful noise' in music programs

By Lana Cunningham

Golden curls encircled the face of the girl who picked up the wooden rattle and began shaking it in rhythm to the music. "Baa, Baa, black sheep, have you any wool?" A few minutes later, the girl and a toddler boy giggled and followed the teacher as she walked in a circle singing, "Walk as I am walking, follow, follow me."

Later that morning, two pre-school girls sat in a circle, matching a song's beat with two wooden sticks.

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Music floats into these young children's minds, starting softly and slowly, then building over the years as they learn to read music, play an instrument, sing a song. Too young now to understand why they beat sticks together, throw a scarf into the air and mimic the teacher's sounds, these youngsters think they are playing games. But these musical games are opening their minds and stimulating the brain cells. Music is brain food.

"Music," said singer Gloria Estefan in the opening to the video, "Music of the Heart," "is not just art, but a science."

Increasingly, parents are seeking ways to expose their children to music at younger ages, hoping to see their efforts climax in better discipline and higher test scores. Some parents find it at places such as the Fine Arts School at First Presbyterian Church. Others seek music exposure through lessons on a variety of instruments.

"Music is vitally important," said Rebecca Sawyer, associate director of music at First Presbyterian Church and a music instructor in the Fine Arts School. "It's so vital to have a child involved in music at an early age. Up to the age of 10, children are increasing their aptitude for learning. After age 10, they're just expanding their knowledge. The scientific community has discovered this type of learning is a big boost to a child's language arts and math skills."

Music instructor Virginia Huchton contended, "I'm a teacher of life. I'm not just a music teacher. My basic feeling about music education is that every child should have some. It does increase a child's ability to learn math. Patterning for music is the same as for writing or science or math.

"Music is a life art," she continued. "It is a universal language."

The Fine Arts School starts with infants and builds on a Musikgarten program that progresses until age 7. It also offers Suzuki violin instruction starting at the age of 3 and piano lessons for older children. Ms. Huchton teaches at Trinity School and also private lessons. She specializes in violin and viola and has employed the Suzuki method for 20 years.

"Research has shown that ears are developed by six months in utero," said Ms. Sawyer. "That's why we start with newborns."

The first class at the Fine Arts School, called Family Music for Babies, is designed for newborns through 16 months of age. This is followed by Family Music for Toddlers ages 17 months through 3 years.

"We've had children by 5 or 6 months of age who are responding physically. They pick up the scarves or beat a stick in rhythm with the music. They can't clap, but they will do something physical," she said.

Toddlers, such as the class with the young girl and boy, also learn to mimic the teacher's sounds as she sings three notes at a time — pum, pum, pum.

"The toddlers get up and wander around and the parents want them to sit and listen. We have to remind the parents the child is listening even though he's walking around," said Ms. Sawyer.

The Cycles of Seasons class for children 2-1/2 to 4-1/2 teaches more songs, interaction with the teacher and beating the sticks in rhythm and learning to beat the resonator bars along with songs, such as "Kumbaya." They begin to sing along with the songs.

Madison Hankins, 3-1/2, has been going to a music class at the Fine Arts school since she was 18 months old. "She loves it," said mother Leslie Hankins. "She didn't know how to take turns or sit in a circle. She was shy about participating. Now she jumps right in. When she sings, she is matching pitch. There are no expectatations that they have to be doing certain things by a certain age. As they grow, it just comes out.

"These classes have made a big difference," said the mother who is expecting twins next year. And when the babies arrive, Mrs. Hankins said, she's bringing them to the first class.

The next age class in the Fine Arts School is for children ages 4-7: Music Makers at Home. The continuation is Music Makers Around the World.

"The Musikgarten Program grew out of the Montessori concept of development of the total child," Ms. Sawyer explained. "It's conceptual. Later, it will translate into private music lessons.

"Our goal is to develop children into people who can enjoy music for a lifetime," she added.

The Fine Arts School and Ms. Huchton teach the Suzuki method of violin to children as young as 3.

"I've always loved working with children and I love pre-schoolers. I had one student who just graduated from high school and I took him all the way on the violin. That student was very, very disciplined," Ms. Huchton said.

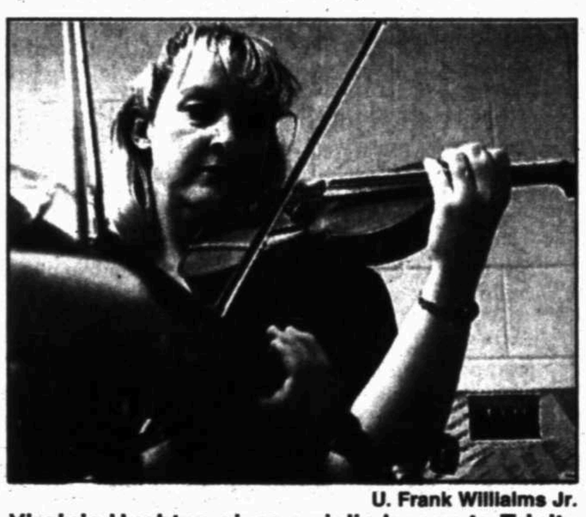
Music has been the focus of Ms. Huchton's life and she expresses that passion in her teaching. She plays in several area symphonies, including Midland-Odessa, Big Spring, San Angelo and Abilene.

She first heard of Dr. Shinichi Suzuki while a high school student. But it was 20 years ago that she encountered the Method during a seminar in Lubbock. "I knew I had found my niche. I knew that his philosophy was the way anyone learns. He believed talent equals desire plus repetition. If you are providing a good environment of being around good music, you are breeding that desire. I do believe the ability can be developed."

That philosophy involves student and parent working together on the approach that combines listening, practicing and performing. First, the student listens to a recording of the song over and over. Then, the child begins playing simple pieces before he is taught to read music, by depending on his ear. "The Suzuki Method breaks it down to small steps," Ms. Huchton said. "And we keep breaking it down to smaller steps until the child can master it. That's the key to success."

When a child practices the violin each night, so does the parent, Ms. Huchton said. And the parent must attend all lessons. "Suzuki is not for a child whose parent is not going to get involved."

She once had a pre-school student who was so shy he would hide under furniture during his lesson. Ms. Huchton never said anything, just worked with the mother. One day Ms. Huchton had finished playing some notes and turned to put her violin down when she heard the same notes played back to her. But this time, it came from the young boy. "He played perfectly what I had just played."


U. Frank Williams Jr.
Virginia Huchton gives a violin lesson to Trinity School seventh-grader Travis Ice.

After teaching violin for more than 20 years, Ms. Huchton has seen a change in students. "I've had tutors come to me and say their student is able to focus better and write better. Music helps develop fine motor skills. Patterning for music is the same as for writing or learning math."

Ms. Sawyer also has noticed problems in speech or motor development in young children in the music classes. "Learning to sing is a good help for a child who has a speech problem," she said.

Both teachers agreed that children are not ready for piano until the age of 7 or 8, when they can begin to read music. "Most children are about 8 before they can understand reading music," said Ms. Sawyer. "In Musikgarten, we start teaching reading notes on the staff about the age of 6. Before the age of 6, they are just memorizing things. By 8, they understand the symbolism. Piano also requires a level of coordination and fine motor skills that comes easier at 8 than at 5."

Turning young children into accomplished musicians is not the goal of these teachers. "Our goal," said Ms. Sawyer, "is to turn children into people who can enjoy music for a lifetime."

It's the grand finale.

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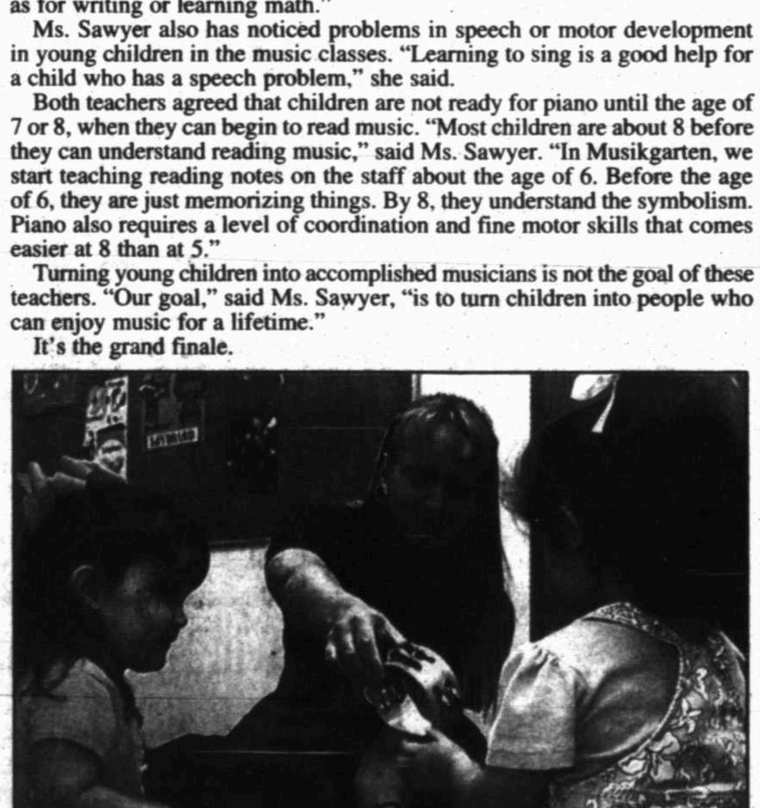

Top photo: Madison Hankins, 3-1/2, keeps the beat on a tone bar at First Presbyterian Church's music class. Top inset photo: Sally Agar and her son, Gib, 20 months, watch Rebecca Sawyer, foreground, lead a toddlers' music class at First Presbyterian Church. Upper left photo: September Kirk and daughter, Annan, 22 months, use sticks to keep the beat during music class. Right photo: Alana Tims, center, hands out music instruments to Madison Hankins, left, and Alexa Mamoulides during preschool music class.

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MHS, Lee volleyball meet again in big match

By Jay Peden
Sports Writer

The volleyball teams from Midland High and Midland Lee both suffered important, emotional losses to Abilene teams on Saturday, but they don't have much time to wallow in despair. They have to play each other tonight, meeting at Midland High for a match that will start around 7:15 p.m.

Midland High may have lost its lead in District 4-5A — the team's 9-15 15-11, 15-9 loss at Abilene High knocked MHS into second place — but the Lady Bulldogs haven't lost everything.

"We haven't lost our confidence," MHS coach Terri McColloch said. "I believe without a doubt that we'll bounce back, and I think they (her players) believe that too."

Saturday was a frustrating day for the Lady Bulldogs. They lost the match despite winning the first game and despite seeing AHS lose one of its best players to injury very early in the match.

"We talked about our mistakes in the dressing room," McColloch said after a team meeting before practice on Monday. "It will make us mentally tough, and more alert, and we'll be ready for the next time."

The Lady Bulldogs will still get a next time, since Abilene High will have to come to play in Midland to close the regular season. Saturday's match made AHS 6-0 in district play while MHS fell to 5-1 (23-3 overall).

If the Lady Bulldogs play as well in the second half of the 4-5A season as they did in the first half, that match could be for the district championship.

"We still believe that we can be tied with them at the end of the season and have a playoff for the title," McColloch said. "We haven't lost any belief that we can be district champions. We knew that was going to be a tough match. Their crowd was totally into it in the last game, and that can be intimidating."

Tonight, Midland High may have the crowd on its side, since the game is in the MHS gym, but the visiting fans won't have far to travel.

Lee is coming off a loss in its own gym against Abilene Cooper, 12-15, 17-15, 15-8. That match knocked Lee out of third place in 4-5A; Cooper improved to 4-2 in district while Lee fell to 3-3 (and 9-12 overall).

Still, with six games left, Lee has as good a chance to claim a playoff spot as Cooper, even though it might mean having to beat Cooper in Abilene in the final regular-season match. Lee must at least duplicate its record from the first five matches of the first half of district play: wins over San Angelo Central and both Odessa schools. And certainly, an upset over Abilene High or Midland High would be a big step towards the playoffs for Lee, which won district championships the last two seasons.

Before Midland High ran into Abilene High, Lee was the closest match in district play for the Lady Bulldogs. MHS beat the Lady Rebels, 15-3, 15-12, back on Sept. 9 in the Lee gym. The 15 points Lee scored against MHS were more than MHS allowed in any of its other four district wins; in fact MHS gave up a total of 23 points in wins over Cooper, Central, Odessa Permian and Odessa High.

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ODESSA JACKALOPES HOCKEY

Jacks continue new era tonight

By Lee Passmore
Sports Writer

ODESSA — For much of the 1999-2000 Western Professional Hockey League season, the Odessa Jackalopes looked like a work in progress, and one which never quite reached completion.

The Jacks effectively restarted their season after 19 games last year when they fired head coach and director of hockey operations Joe Clark, who had been with the team since its inception in 1997. Don McKee took over for Clark, and the results were largely positive, as the Jacks showed more signs of life the remainder of the season and made the playoffs for the second straight year.

Now, as the Jacks begin their first full season in the new millennium, this will be the first time they'll start a season with an entirely new system. McKee, who led the Jacks to a 25-19-7 mark during his regular season stint, is returning to lead the team again this season.

But that doesn't mean that everyone will be back with McKee. Only eight players from last season's roster were invited back for this year's preseason workouts, which began informally last week.

"Donny's brought back the core guys he wanted and all these guys have played for him at some point," said Jacks defenseman Jacque Rodrigue, one of the eight returners and the current longest standing Jack. "You couldn't ask for a better guy to run this organization."

How much the Jacks buy into McKee's system will be on display for the first time tonight, when Odessa plays its first exhibition game at the Ector County Coliseum against the Central Hockey League's San Antonio Iguanas at 7 p.m. The Jacks begin their regular season Oct. 14 at 7:05 p.m. against their rival San Angelo Outlaws.

In half-cleaning house, McKee also applied the rule of addition by subtraction. At the end of last season, Paul Vincent, the team's most reliable scorer, reportedly said he wasn't going to return to Odessa if McKee was retained as coach. And perhaps to the satisfaction of everyone involved, Vincent's name isn't on the preseason roster.

"We're looking to build team chemistry and identify certain things our team is lacking," said Derek Laxdal, a Jacks player-assistant coach who is the team's elder statesman at 34. "We want to find out who our leaders are and we have a lot of guys who are capable of being leaders."

Certainly one of those leaders is Laxdal, who came to Odessa after McKee took over last season. When McKee had to go to Dallas for WPHL meetings late last week, Laxdal took over running the team's workouts.

Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram
Odessa Jackalopes' goalie Joe Harris awaits a shot from a teammate during a workout last week. Harris is one of only eight returning players from last year's team. The Jacks open their exhibition season tonight at Ector County Coliseum against the San Antonio Iguanas.

Although he's being groomed to become a head coach someday, Laxdal still isn't ready to hang up his skates.

"I still love to play," said Laxdal. "When I'm on the ice I'm a player, but when I'm off, I'm an assistant coach."

Laxdal and Rodrigue are among the recently familiar Jacks faces, but old familiar name will be back on the ice at Ector this season. Don Margettie, who was on the inaugural Jacks squad, recently signed a contract and will return at forward.

Margettie spent last season with Arkansas in the WPHL and also had tours of duty with Oklahoma City and Columbus of the CHL, but found himself drawn back to the Permian Basin.

"Every year I've been coming in and doing a camp for inline hockey in Midland," said Margettie. "A good friend of mine named John Andrews built a rink and I know a lot of people here.

"This is a great place. It's really grown on me."

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Midland won't be watching

■ While Abilene and Odessa schools have week off before 4-5A openers, MHS and Lee will play Friday.

By Stewart Doreen
Assistant Sports Editor

■ 4-5A Report

We know that teams are undefeated during the off weeks, but for four District 4-5A teams (Abilene High, Abilene Cooper, Odessa Permian and Odessa High) the week off gives them much, much more.

The most important thing is time — time to rest injuries, time to work on fundamentals, even time to prepare for an opponent two weeks away, which in this case will be start of district play.

So, while Midland High travels to Amarillo to take on Amarillo High and Lee buses out to El Paso for its game with Coronado, there will be four taking it easy.

"This was the best case scenario (when making the schedule)," Abilene High head coach Steve Warren said. "We could play a real rough non-district schedule, step back and take a breather."

Yeah, the coaches wanted this date, even in Midland.

"I would have loved to have the open week this week, but couldn't work it out schedule-wise," Midland High coach David Browning said.

In the case of the Midland teams, not playing this week would have meant not playing 10 total regular season games. This was not an option. So, the Bulldogs and Rebels play this week and have only one week to prepare for next week's game.

Abilene High will have two weeks to prepare when it faces Midland High on Oct. 13.

"I feel like it will give out kids an advantage," Warren said.

Odessa High will have that same advantage when it hosts Lee.

Cooper and Permian's advantage will be determined by who best uses the time off. They play each other in the first week of 4-5A.

"It has worked better for me the week before district," said Permian head coach T.J. Mills, referring to his coaching experience at Sealy. Mills won four state titles at Sealy.

In almost all cases of those who have the weak off, resting the injured will be another huge priority.

Permian might need it as much as anyone. Both of Permian's starting running backs (Mark Gonzalez and Justin Donaldson) missed the team's last non-district game with Lubbock Monterey because of bruised ribs. Other injured Panther starters include defensive end Chris Patton (injured knee), nosebacker Jason Claire (injured ankle), Blake

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The Legend Grows

■ Permian product is off to auspicious start as Texas receiver.

By Jim Vertuno
AP Sports Writer

AUSTIN — It didn't take long for freshman receiver Roy Williams to make an impact at Texas.

After just a few days of practice, a local newspaper columnist dubbed him a "legend in the making." The legend tag caught on quickly in Internet chat rooms. Since then, Williams has played himself into the Longhorns record book and created expectations of a superstar career.

In Texas' 42-7 win over Oklahoma State, Williams set a Long-

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Roy Williams

Shaud Williams to get closer look this week

By Pam Easton
Associated Press Writer

LUBBOCK — Texas Tech coach Mike Leach is considering expanding the role of sophomore running back Shaud Williams after the Red Raiders managed only 23 yards rushing in their loss to Texas A&M.

That could mean a reduced role for the other Williams, the better-known Ricky.

With Ricky Williams out because of an injury to his left knee last season, Shaud Williams, a product of Andrews High, ran for 658 yards, including a Tech freshman single-game record with 230

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STEWART DOREEN

Solid line play 1st step in Lee building offensive momentum

Midland Lee's 44-7 victory over El Paso Franklin might have some Rebel fans breathing a bit easier this week. After all, the Rebels won, so things are back to normal.

Heaven knows a loss to El Paso Franklin would have sent many of Lee's faithful leaping the top row of Memorial Stadium. But no need to worry. Another streak can be started, and is looks as though it will not be a losing streak.

Doreen

Interest of the Rebel fans aside, we think the game's outcome was more important for a different reason. Lee, a program needing a shot in the arm after the road trip from hell, got one from its offensive line.

Friday night, the Rebels' offensive front showed signs of life after being blitzed Cajun style one week earlier. It was a performance Lee head coach John Parchman wanted to see, and for good reason.

The West Monroe game exposed three major differences between last year's Rebel team and this year's version — at least offensively.

One was the glaring lack of production in the passing game. The second was the lack of established weapons to help take pressure off Cedric Benson. Last was the offensive line, which may have been the biggest surprise.

Lee's supposed to produce linemen like West Texas produces oil. Unfortunately, in Louisiana, there was no boom, just bust (as in busted assignments).

We think the lack of experience played a part of this. Coming into the season, Lee's front five had none, so a bad game was bound to happen.

And it was bad. The line looked like a slow, confused group, a fry cry its performance this past weekend.

Against Franklin, things were better. They hit harder, graded out better, and opened more holes. Lee rushed for 270 yards on the night, and Benson, who became the state's all-time leading rusher in Class 5A, gained 209 of those.

We are not going to blame all of Lee's problems in Louisiana on the line, just like we will not credit the group entirely for Lee's offensive successes this past week.

After the Louisiana nightmare, Parchman, who is 59-9-1 as Lee's head coach, said the game would give his team a place to build upon. We think the line was the first place to start.

It is easier for Lee coaches to sell the idea of "Rebel Tradition" to offensive linemen than to quarterbacks. Friday's performance now allows the coaches' attention to move on to the team's other problems, and there are still other problems.

The passing game still lacks everything. Lee has completed three passes in 22 attempts in its last two games. That equals the number of interceptions thrown during the same time.

It goes without saying that nobody has stepped forward to make anyone forget Jon Rogers at quarterback, and no one has emerged to lead the receiving corps, like Eric Clodfelter or Clint McNutt.

Tight end Eric Winston might the answer to the latter problem. We like Winston, and are not going to get on this guy's bad side (he is one bad dude), but while a 6-foot-7, 280 pounder can lead the team in catches and maybe receiving yards, he should NOT lead in yards per catch. It is time for someone else to step up.

Friday's game was definitely good, and something Rebel fans needed very much. We just believe that with the battles of 4-5A one week away, filling win quotas are just part of the entire picture.

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4-5A: Permian aims to recover from injuries

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Absher (injured groin) and Taylor Warren (injured ankle).

"We are all banged up," Mills said. "We held kids out the other night and played with some who are hurt. We need a little break. Two weeks will help all those things a bit."

Here is a roundup from last week's District 4-5A action.

At Abilene High, the Eagles, 5-0, needed a 17-yard touchdown pass from Kevin Goodman to Robert Spells on fourth and 10 with less than one minute to play to escape being upset by San Angelo Central.

For the night, Goodman and Spells connected three times for scores to keep AHS perfect on the season. For the season, they have hooked up nine times. Spells has 10 total touchdowns and leads the district.

At Abilene Cooper, the Cougars, 3-2, broke a two-game losing skid with an impressive 51-0 win over Amarillo Tascosa. Quarterback Jordan Neal was his usual himself, throwing for 246 yards and four touchdowns. Even more impressive, Neal was 21-of-25 passing.

Tremaine Diles added 102 yards rushing and two scores, and receiver Justin Harper caught 10 passes for 148 yards and two touchdowns.

At Midland High, the Bulldogs posted the program's first shutout since 1995 and did so with some impressive numbers. MHS (2-2) allowed 85 yards rushing and 46 passing.

The Bulldogs also continued their trend of winning in the even weeks (weeks 2 and 4) while losing in the odd weeks (weeks 1 and 3).

At Midland Lee, the Rebels (3-1) were expected to follow their first loss in 26 games with a vengeance, and they didn't disappoint. Lee trounced Franklin 44-7.

During the game, Cedric Benson, the all-time leading rusher in District 4-5A, became the all-time leading rusher in Class 5A history. He has 6,194 career rushing yards.

At Odessa High, the Bronchos found out how to break a losing skid — schedule an El Paso team. The Bronchos (2-3) ended their non-district campaign with a 28-14 victory over El Paso Coronado, Lee's opponent this week.

It was a quality game for the Bronchos, who committed one turnover and were flagged for just one penalty.

At Odessa Permian, injuries and a pretty good Lubbock Monterey team did in the Panthers. Monterey outgained Permian by only 13 yards overall, but won the turnover battle. Monterey took the ball from Permian three times and didn't hand it over once.

The loss means that Mills finished his first pre-district schedule with a 3-2 mark.

"I don't know how you can feel comfortable about being 3-2," Mills said. "We lost two games where we were behind by three points going into the fourth quarter. We are not playing to the level our kids are capable of playing at. That is what bothers me right now."

4-5A Quiz: Midland High played in its first 3-0 game since 1972 (a 3-0 win over Abilene Cooper). When was the last time Lee played in a game which finished 3-0?

4-5A Notes: Lee's Cedric Benson became the first 4-5A runner to break the 6,000-yard barrier for a career. He has 6,194. He also had his 11th game with 200 yards rushing or more and his 17th game with three touchdowns or more... San Angelo Central was 2-2 in its four games versus 4-5A teams. Lubbock Monterey was 2-1. Lubbock Coronado was 0-3 and was shut out three times... Abilene High has the longest winning streak in the district (five games)... AHS quarterback Kevin Goodman is fourth on 4-5A's career list with 39 passing touchdowns. He also moved from fifth to third on the district's yardage list. He has 3,413... Wide receiver Robert Spells of AHS leads the district with 10 touchdowns. Benson is second with nine...

4-5A Answer: Lee has never played in a game which ended with a 3-0 score.

District A-List

Rushing
(100 yards or multiple touchdowns)

Cedric Benson, Lee	209 yards, 3 TDs on 25 carries
Jonathan Johnson, AHS	131 yards on 21 carries
Tremaine Diles, Cooper	102 yards, 2 TDs on 16 carries

Passing
(200 yards or multiple touchdowns)

Jordan Neal, Cooper	246 yards, 4 TDs on 21 of 25 passing
Kevin Goodman, AHS	218 yards, 4 TDs on 18-of-37 passing

Receiving
(100 yards or multiple touchdowns)

Justin Harper, Cooper	10 catches for 146 yards, 2 TDs
Matt Stewart, Permian	4 catches for 100 yards
Robert Spells, AHS	8 catches for 97 yards, 3 TDs

Special Teams and Defense

James Gripp, MHS	44-yard field goal vs. Lubbock Coronado
James Fazenbaker, OHS	55-yard interception return for a TD
Justin Rossister, Lee	33-yard interception return for a TD

City MVPs
Midland High

Offense

James Gripp, Jr., P/K: It is not everyday that a kicker is named the player of the game, but it is not every day MHS is involved in a 3-0 game. Gripp, whose 44-yard field goal helped MHS beat Lubbock Coronado, is starting to follow in the long line of standout kickers at MHS.

Gripp

Defense

The whole MHS defense: For its first shutout since 1995, it was decided that the Bulldogs' defensive 11 gets the nod. MHS held Coronado to 85 yards rushing and 46 passing. The Bulldogs also recorded four sacks, seven tackles for losses and 11 hurries.

Midland Lee

Offense

Chad Owens, Jr., OT: Owens, who is listed on the roster at 6 foot and 230 pounds, led a Lee Rebel line which showed some fire in the demolision of El Paso Franklin. Owens graded out at a stellar 91 percent and recorded five pancake blocks. It was, without question, his best game of the season.

Owens

Rogers

Defense

Robert Rogers, Sr., LB: Rogers, a 5-foot-11-inch and 190-pound senior, was a big contributor Friday night, recording 10 tackles and one for a loss. Rogers also had two quarterback pressures and more than pulled his weight for what has been a solid Lee linebacking corps.

More Baseball/1D

Astros look to have better days in 2001

By Michael A. Lutz
AP Sports Writer

HOUSTON — The Houston Astros were so eager to forget about their dismal 2000 season, they changed plans and started preparing for 2001 before the current year was even over.

Owner Drayton McLane had announced he would evaluate his team after the season ended and make appropriate adjustments. Then, he abruptly decided with two games to play that manager Larry Dierker will return next season.

"It's always good if you can settle anything that is uncertain before the end of the season," general manager Gerry Hunsicker explained. "There has been a lot of speculation and this is obviously an unsettling time for a lot of people."

This isn't what the Astros expected. They'd won three straight NL Central Division titles and despite a poor playoff record, thought the run would continue.

Instead, it broke down.

"We had high expectations, being in a new stadium, won the division three times and we thought here we go again, but things surely didn't work well in April, May and June. It has improved in August and September. I said we'd evaluate at the end of the season, the issues that had happened, and where to go for next year."

The Astros held the worst won-loss record in baseball through much of the season, rallying modestly (42-33 in second half) after the All-Star break to finish fourth in their division.

It was a season of statistical extremes: home runs and pitching losses in the Astros' first season at intimate Enron Field, with an inviting 315-foot left field fence.

The Astros hit an NL record 249 homers, 135 of them at Enron, both club records. The Astros also allowed the most home runs 234, breaking the record of 154 homers allowed in 1996.

"The season didn't go well for them. A lot of adversity came about but they continued to play hard, particularly in the last couple of road trips, they played particularly well," McLane said.

Answering the Dierker question isn't even the biggest issue facing the Astros after their shocking fall from playoff contention this season.

Will Jeff Bagwell, entering the final year of his contract, re-up and close out his career in an Astros uniform, or seek a championship elsewhere? Will Craig Biggio make a full recovery from knee surgery? What will happen with third baseman Ken Caminiti, whose injury-filled season ended when he checked into substance-abuse clinic?

The Astros traded their best hitter of 1999 (Carl Everett) and their best pitcher (Mike Hampton) and expected to win their fourth straight NL Central Division title anyway. Adding to their unfortunate game plan were injury-induced dive by closer Wagner and a home-run record losing streak by fan-favorite but bigtime loser Jose Lima.

Lima became the NL's all-time friendliest pitcher for home run hitters, allowing a league record 48 homers. He finished the season 7-16, far below his 21-10 finished last season. Fittingly, the last hit he allowed was a home run.

Chris Holt finished with a 8-16 record and Shane Reynolds, a longtime mainstay, finished the season on the disabled list.

"It's pretty obvious pitching was a disaster," Hunsicker said. "Pitching will certainly be under the microscope both in the bullpen and the rotation. We have to ask whether the pitchers on this team just had a bad years and will bounce back to past performance, or do we need to make some major changes."

The Astros drew a record 3,056,139 fans but Enron Field took some adjusting for the Astros pitchers, accustomed to the spacious Astrodome.

"I'm glad it's over and I'm glad we finished the way we did," Dierker said. "I think we finally got over the hump at home. That was the biggest thing we could have salvaged from the season after the way we started."

Rangers didn't need playoffs to slump

By Stephen Hawkins
AP Sports Writer

ARLINGTON — The Texas Rangers made sure to avoid another postseason slump this year.

They were bad all season, including an American League-worst 29-48 record after the All-Star break, and became only the fourth team in major league history to go from a division title one year to last place the next.

"It's been a very hard experience and a very tough season," said Rangers first baseman Rafael Palmeiro. "I'm glad that it's over."

It will be the Oakland Athletics, not the Rangers, playing the New York Yankees in the first round of the AL playoffs. The Yankees swept Texas out of the playoffs the last two years.

Oakland clinched this year's AL West title on the final day of the regular season Sunday beating the Rangers 3-0. That completed a three-game sweep that included a 23-2 victory on Saturday.

The Rangers were left trying to ponder their free fall. They went from a franchise record 95 wins in 1999 to a 71-91 record that was their worst since going 70-91 in 1988.

It will be a different kind of offseason for manager Johnny Oates. General manager Doug Melvin and owner Tom Hicks have both assured Oates he'll be back.

"In the past, it's been a one-minute conversation about who we want or what we need," Oates said. "This year, we've got so many things to look at."

The Rangers had the worst ERA in the majors — and worst in team history — at 5.51, for which pitching coach Dick Bosman was fired three days before the season ended.

Texas also didn't have a qualified .300 hitter for the first time since 1992. The Rangers played the last 2 1/2 months of the season without catcher Ivan Rodriguez, who was again putting up MVP-like numbers (.347, 27 homers, 83 RBIs in 66 games) before breaking his thumb July 24.

Rusty Greer, Ruben Mateo and Gabe Kapler — the Opening Day starting outfield — all had their seasons cut short by injury.

Tom Evans was the starting third baseman, but was out for the season by May 15 with a torn right rotator cuff. That gave the job to Mike Lamb, a Double A the season before, who hit .278 but made 33 errors.

Only Rick Helling (16-13) and Kenny Rogers (13-13) remained in the starting pitching rotation all year. Closer John Wetteland, who is eligible for free agency, had 34 saves while being hampered by a bad back that has him contemplating retirement.

"There are a lot of disappointing things about this year, but there's something to really get excited and look forward to next year," Oates insists. "I think with just a little bit of tinkering, we can go from what has been a very disappointing year to a very good year."

Oates figures that the best two moves will be getting Rodriguez and Greer back into the lineup.

Greer (.297-8-65) played in just 105 games, and missed 52 games because of injury after missing an average of nine the previous three seasons. He had ankle and foot problems early, and then missed the last two weeks with inflammation in both feet.

Kapler (.302-14-66) played just 116 games, and had the longest hitting streak in the majors at 28 games. He was on the disabled list early with a quadriceps injury and missed the final week of the season with a similar injury. Mateo was hitting .291 when he broke his leg June 2, just 32 games into his rookie season.

JACKS: Eight return from last year

(From 1C)

The other Jacks returning from last season include defensemen Adam Doyle and Scott Hillman, forwards John Bossio, Jason Heywood and Mike Sanderson and goalie Joe Harris.

While those returning players bring back some experience (none of them is younger than 26), some youth has been added as well. How well they blend in will determine the ultimate make-up of the roster.

"We've got a few kids who've been surprises, so there are going to be some tough decisions," said Laxdal.

That could be the case for most of the WPHL as well. With 15 teams as opposed to the 18 last year, the talent should be more concentrated. The league has drawn attention around North America, and in its fifth season, the WPHL might have its best quality yet.

"You see some younger kids coming in fighting for spots and the players have gotten bigger and stronger," said Margettie. "This league is very competitive."

The Jacks appear to be ready to go after being off for the summer.

"You can ask my wife and she'll tell you I've been chomping at the bit to get going the last two months," said Rodrigue. "It means I get out of having to actually go to work."

Odessa Jackalopes Roster

Forwards

Name	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Home*	'99-'00 Club
John Bossio	6-0	180	26	Ontario	Jacks
Scott Campbell	5-11	180	26	New York	Lubbock
Tim Hill	6-2	212	26	Ontario	Shreveport
Jason Heywood	6-3	200	26	Ontario	Jacks
Matt Hoffman	6-3	215	29	Mich.	Sheffield (BSL)
Derek Laxdal	6-1	210	34	Manitoba	Jacks
Don Margettie	5-10	190	24	Ontario	Arkansas
Mike Sanderson	5-11	195	30	Sask.	Ft.Worth/Jacks

Defensemen

Jason Disher	6-3	210	25	Ontario	Fort Worth
Adam Doyle	6-1	195	26	Ontario	Jacks
Scott Hillman	5-7	170	26	Ontario	El Paso/Jacks
Jacque Rodrigue	6-1	205	29	New Hamp.	Jacks
Mike Rusk	6-2	205	25	Ontario	Topeka (CHL)

Goalies

Joe Harris	5-9	180	25	Ontario	Jacks
Marty Phillips	6-2	190	25	New York	Trenton/Knoxville
Grant Sjerven	6-0	195	30	Brit. Col.	Sheffield (BSL)

*Home state (province if Canadian).

Don McKee	Head Coach and Director of Hockey Operations
Derek Laxdal	Player/Assistant coach
Jason Disher	Player/Assistant coach
Greg Andis	Athletic Trainer
Joe Harrell	Equipment Manager

ROY: WR remembers Lee-Permian

(From 1C)

horns freshman record with 175 yards on five catches and tied for second for the longest play from scrimmage with a 96-yard touchdown in the third quarter.

"Without much experience, he played outstanding on Saturday," said Texas coach Mack Brown. "I thought he came a million miles since the season started."

The 6-foot-5, 210-pound Williams leads Texas with 318 yards on 13 catches with two touchdowns. That means he'll be a marked man when No. 11 Texas (3-1, 1-0 Big 12) plays No. 10 Oklahoma (4-0, 1-0) Saturday in one of the region's most bitter rivalries.

Williams shrugs off the rivalry as if it didn't matter. Asked if he understands the history and emotion behind the game, which evenly divides the 75,000-seat Cotton Bowl at the 50-yard line, Williams says it's probably a lot like the annual West Texas tilt between his high school, Odessa Permian, and Midland Lee.

"It's the same thing, just not as many people (in high school)," Williams said. "My teammates just told me to get ready."

He doesn't even know much about the Sooners and their passing offense, which leads the Big 12 with 325 yards per game.

"Do they still throw the ball?" Williams asked.

Statements like that draw a chuckle from Williams' coaches and teammates, even though most know he can't be totally ignorant of what's at stake. Williams was at the game last year when Texas rallied from a 17-0 deficit to win 38-28.

He said the victory helped with his decision to become a Longhorn.

"Everybody has a different motor they play with. Roy doesn't seem to worry that much," Brown said.

"Roy's a different sort of dude," said tailback Hodges Mitchell. "If you stopped him on the street, you might not even know he plays football."

Williams' numbers have been gaudy but his personality decidedly low-profile at Texas. Unlike his high school days when he wore fuzzy gorilla slippers around the state track meet, the collegiate Williams makes a statement with his big-play ability.

A gifted athlete who won the state long jump with a record leap of 25 feet, six inches, Williams also placed second in the high jump at 6-10. He was favored to win the 100 meters but finished third at 10.48 seconds.

The leaping ability launched him to a diving, 40-yard catch in Texas' first game of the season against Louisiana-Lafayette. The speed allowed him to blow by the Oklahoma State secondary for his long touchdown. Williams says he's never been caught from behind.

"I won't say I never will. Let's just say the chances are slim," he said.

But just when he had the chance to make himself truly a Texas legend, he faltered.

In the first half against Oklahoma State, Williams caught a long pass on the sideline before stepping out of bounds at the Cowboys 3. He was headed straight for the Longhorns mascot Bevo, a real farm animal with horns and all.

"I told people if I scored close to him, I'd jump on him," Williams said. "He stood up real fast and I got scared and turned around."

TECH: R. Williams hobbled by knee

(From 1C)

against Colorado. Now Ricky Williams may be back on the sideline after gaining only 27 yards on 12 carries against Texas A&M, which beat Texas Tech 33-15 on Saturday.

Leach said his star running back appears a step slower than he was before he was hurt. His longest run this season is 13 yards.

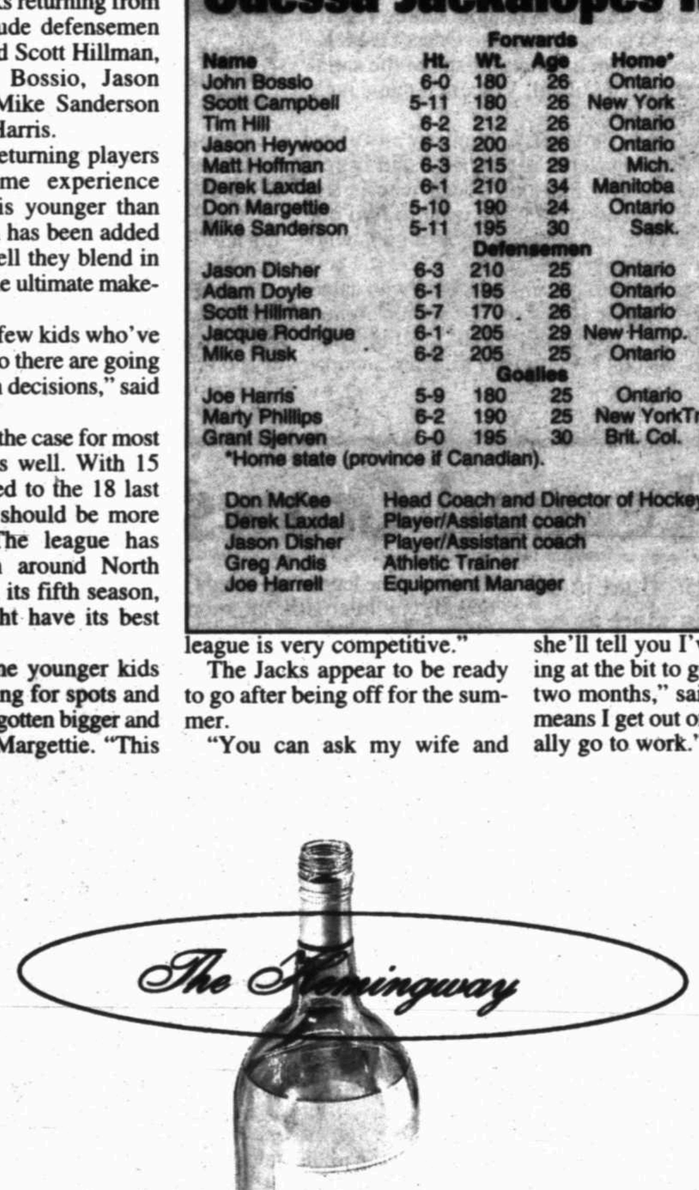
The player said he has been slowed by a knee brace, and that his performance will be greatly improved once it is removed this weekend against Baylor. Ricky Williams also re-injured the knee this year, suffering a hyperextension against North Texas when a player landed on it.

"Ricky has gotten banged up some this year and for depth purposes, it's important to develop some people," Leach said Monday.

As a sophomore two years ago, Ricky Williams was fourth nationally in rushing, averaging 143 yards per game. He is gaining just 51 yards per game in Tech's revamped pass-based offense.

Shaud Williams is averaging 14 yards rushing and 25 yards receiving per game in limited action. Leach said his decision to consider Shaud Williams for more playing time is not because he is critical of the play of Ricky Williams.

"We're just going to take a hard look at (Shaud) this week," Leach said. "I thought he did some good things in the A&M game, and we're just going to split up the reps depending on who's hot."



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SPORTS SCOREBOARD

Lee, MHS Football Statistics

4-5A Standings

Season Standings

Team	W	L	PF	PA	Pct.
Abilene High	5	0	128	44	1.000
Midland Lee	3	1	132	62	.750
Abilene Cooper	3	2	170	55	.500
Odessa Permian	3	2	153	83	.600
Midland High	2	2	55	69	.500
Odessa High	2	3	55	87	.400

Friday's Results

Midland Lee 44, El Paso Franklin 7; Abilene High 26, San Angelo Central 23; Lubbock Monterey 31, Odessa Permian 13; Abilene Cooper 51, Amarillo Tascosa 0; Odessa High 28, El Paso Coronado 14.

Saturday's Result

Midland High 3, Lubbock Coronado 0.

Friday's Games

Midland High at Amarillo High, 7:30 p.m.; Midland Lee at El Paso Coronado, 8:30 p.m. All other District 4-5A teams are open.

Lee Statistics

Midland Lee (3-1)

RUSHING

Player	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Cedric Benson	70	642	9.2	9
Jernard Lee	20	119	6.0	1
Jacoby Kendrick	9	88	9.8	3
Shawn Murphy	13	82	6.3	0
Nick Hand	19	50	2.6	0
Freddie Jones	9	34	3.8	0
Cody Grasmick	3	10	3.3	0
Fletcher Pendergrass	6	6	1.0	0
Josh Chapman	1	-11	-11.0	0

PASSING

Player	Att.	Com.	Int.	Yds.	TD
Nick Hand	26	7	3	174	1
Cody Grasmick	4	4	0	63	1
Fletcher Pendergrass	7	1	1	24	0

RECEIVING

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Eric Winston	4	111	27.8	1
Cedric Benson	2	52	26.0	0
Jody Walser	2	36	18.0	1
Jernard Lee	2	34	17.0	0
Jacoby Kendrick	1	21	21.0	0
Shawn Murphy	1	7	7.0	0

PUNTING

Player	Att.	Yds.	Avg.
Michael Wynn	12	491	40.9

INTERCEPTIONS

Player	Int.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Ashley Jackson	2	58	29.0	1
Tim Rossiter	1	33	33.0	1
Tim Norman	1	24	24.0	0

SCORING

Player	TD	PAT	FG	TP
Cedric Benson	9	0	0	54
Michael Wynn	0	14	2	20
Jacoby Kendrick	3	0	0	18
Jenard Lee	2	0	0	12
Jody Walser	1	0	0	6
Ashley Jackson	1	0	0	6
Eric Winston	1	0	0	6
Tim Rossiter	1	0	0	6

David Dakil credited with two-point safety. Lee team also credited with two-point safety.

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Player	T	S	TFL	FC	FR
Mark Gonzales	61	2	3	2	0
Robert Rogers	36	1	3	0	0
Paul Gonzales	31	0	1	0	0
J.R. Brown	30	3	3	1	0
David Dakil	24	1	5	0	0
Dwight Washington	22	1	2	0	0
Fred Thrweatt	21	2	4	0	1
Matt Pillado	20	1	0	0	1
Tim Norman	13	0	1	0	1
Ashley Jackson	12	0	2	0	0
Pete Bryant	9	1	2	0	0
Paul Greene	6	0	0	0	0
Marcellus Roberts	5	1	0	0	1
Landon Little	5	0	0	0	0
Damon Johnson	3	0	0	0	0
Scott Young	3	0	0	0	0
Brad Fryrear	3	0	0	0	0
Jeff Hughes	2	0	0	0	0
Chad Owens	2	0	0	0	0
Justin Rossiter	1	0	0	0	0
Michael Wynn	1	0	0	0	0
Daniel Suchil	1	0	0	0	0
Matt Miller	1	0	0	0	0
Cory Lemons	1	0	0	0	0
Lavance Grambrell	1	0	0	0	0
Eric Winston	1	1	0	0	0
Cedric Benson	1	0	0	0	0
Jared Dangerfield	1	0	0	0	0
Heath Jones	1	0	0	0	1
Jacob Jansen	1	0	0	0	0
Jacoby Kendrick	1	0	0	0	0
Nathan Billingsley	1	1	0	0	0

MHS Statistics

Midland High (2-2)

RUSHING

Player	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Tony Joseph	91	442	4.9	1
Troy Barber	36	137	3.8	1
Chris Howard	23	73	3.2	2
Colter Lange	7	30	4.3	2
Cody Connell	2	23	11.5	0
Andre Strambler	2	13	6.5	0
Ryan Rowland	2	7	3.5	0
Lamar Hickey	2	-1	-0.5	0

PASSING

Player	Att.	Com.	Int.	Yds.	TD
Chris Howard	77	43	4	362	1
Colter Lange	5	1	1	19	0
Ray Johnson	2	1	0	18	0

RECEIVING

Player	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Lamar Hickey	9	64	7.1	0
Colter Lange	7	94	13.4	0
Ray Johnson	6	46	7.7	0
Tony Joseph	5	27	5.4	0
Troy Barber	5	20	4.0	0
Anrae Taylor	4	60	15.0	1
Joe Rigney	4	36	9.0	0
Will Smith	2	14	7.0	0
Chris Howard	1	18	18.0	0
Cody Connell	1	16	16.0	0
Tye Orr	1	4	4.0	0

PUNTING

Player	Att.	Yds.	Avg.
James Gripp	15	621	41.4

INTERCEPTIONS

Player	Int.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
Cody Connell	2	0	0.0	0
Ray Johnson	1	9	9.0	0
Colter Lange	1	0	0.0	0

SCORING

Player	TD	PAT	FG	TP
James Gripp	0	7	2	13
Chris Howard	2	0	0	12
Colter Lange	2	0	0	12
Tony Joseph	1	0	0	6
Troy Barber	1	0	0	6
Anrae Taylor	1	0	0	6

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

Player	T	S	TFL	FC	FR
Matt Bose	55	0	3	0	0
Michael Forrest	48	1	5	0	1
Rolando Salgado	30	.5	0	0	0
Michael Glassock	26	1.5	2	2	0
Adrain Lopez	21	1	2	1	0
James Smith	20	0	1	0	0
Colter Lange	14	0	0	0	0
Ray Johnson	15	0	0	0	0
Aaron Robison	16	0	0	0	0
Rusty Mitchell	12	0	0	0	0
Cody Connell	12	0	0	0	0
Larry Esparza	5	.5	0	1	0
Herb City	2	0	0	0	0
Anrae Taylor	1	0	0	0	0
Ollie Fitts	1	0	0	0	0

NFL Standings

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AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
N.Y. Jets	4	0	0	1.000	88	66
Miami	4	1	0	.800	90	38
Indianapolis	3	1	0	.750	119	82
Buffalo	2	2	0	.500	73	76
New England	1	4	0	.200	79	91
Central						
Baltimore	4	1	0	.800	110	55
Tennessee	3	1	0	.750	81	64
Cleveland	2	3	0	.400	64	104
Jacksonville	2	3	0	.400	103	113
Pittsburgh	1	3	0	.250	64	75
Cincinnati	0	4	0	.000	23	105
West						
Oakland	3	1	0	.750	109	80
Kansas City	3	2	0	.600	117	93
Denver	2	3	0	.400	152	130
Seattle	2	3	0	.400	91	106
San Diego	0	5	0	.000	86	156

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
N.Y. Giants	3	2	0	.600	88	85
Philadelphia	3	2	0	.600	121	70
Washington	3	2	0	.600	87	82
Dallas	2	3	0	.400	112	148
Arizona	1	3	0	.250	71	108
Central						
Minnesota	4	0	0	1.000	95	71
Detroit	3	2	0	.600	84	96
Tampa Bay	3	2	0	.600	127	67
Green Bay	2	3	0	.400	93	80
Chicago	1	4	0	.200	75	130
West						
St. Louis	5	0	0	1.000	217	145
Atlanta	2	3	0	.400	95	159
San Francisco	2	3	0	.400	142	159
Carolina	1	3	0	.250	78	73
New Orleans	1	3	0	.250	55	82

Sunday's Games

Dallas 16, Carolina 13, OT
St. Louis 57, San Diego 31
Indianapolis 18, Buffalo 16
Minnesota 31, Detroit 24
Tennessee 28, N.Y. Giants 14
Baltimore 12, Cleveland 0
Pittsburgh 24, Jacksonville 13
Miami 31, Cincinnati 16
New England 28, Denver 19
San Francisco 27, Arizona 20
Chicago 27, Green Bay 24
Washington 20, Tampa Bay 17, OT
Philadelphia 38, Atlanta 10
Open: N.Y. Jets, Oakland, New Orleans

Monday's Game

Kansas City 24, Seattle 17

Sunday, Oct. 8

Buffalo at Miami, noon
New Orleans at Chicago, noon
Pittsburgh at N.Y. Jets, noon
Green Bay at Detroit, noon
Tennessee at Cincinnati, noon
Indianapolis at New England, noon
Washington at Philadelphia, noon
N.Y. Giants at Atlanta, 3:05 p.m.
Denver at San Diego, 3:15 p.m.
Oakland at San Francisco, 3:15 p.m.
Seattle at Carolina, 3:15 p.m.
Cleveland at Arizona, 3:15 p.m.
Baltimore at Jacksonville, 7:20 p.m.
Open: Kansas City, Dallas, St. Louis

Monday, Oct. 9

Tampa Bay at Minnesota, 8 p.m.

Chiefs 24, Seahawks 17

Seattle	7	7	3	0	— 17
Kansas City	0	7	7	10	— 24

First Quarter

Sea—Mili 1 pass from Kitna (Lindell kick), 1:34.

Second Quarter

KC—Gonzalez 15 pass from Grbac (Stoyanovich kick), 6:59.
Sea—S.Alexander 7 run (Lindell kick), :48.

Third Quarter

Sea—FG Lindell 27, 6:24.
KC—D.Alexander 17 pass from Grbac (Stoyanovich kick), 2:15.

Fourth Quarter

KC—FG Stoyanovich 27, 11:42.
KC—Cloud 15 run (Stoyanovich kick), 4:26.
A—78,502.

	Sea	KC
First downs	20	18
Rushes-yards	33-189	26-136
Passing	100	242
Punt Returns	3-46	2-27
Kickoff Returns	4-82	4-101
Interceptions Ret.	0-0	1-0
Comp-Att-Int	17-28-1	16-27-0
Sacked-Yards Lost	6-40	2-14
Punts	6-39.3	6-43.3
Fumbles-Lost	4-1	0-0
Penalties-Yards	7-45	12-77
Time of Possession	34:52	25:08

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Seattle, Watters 16-97, S.Alexander 11-74, Kitna 6-18. Kansas City, Richardson 11-53, Anders 7-45, Cloud 6-36, Grbac 2-2.

PASSING—Seattle, Kitna 17-28-1-140. Kansas City, Grbac 16-27-0-256.

RECEIVING—Seattle, Jackson 4-51, Fauria 4-25, Dawkins 3-24, Mayes 2-20, S.Alexander 2-13, Strong 1-6, Mili 1-1. Kansas City, D.Alexander 5-153, Morris 3-40, Gonzalez 3-34, Drayton 1-11, Lockett 1-8, Richardson 1-6, Cloud 1-3, Anders 1-1.

MISSED FIELD GOALS—Kansas City, Stoyanovich 37 (WL).

Baseball Roundup

Playoff Schedule

DIVISION SERIES

American League

Chicago vs. Seattle

Tuesday, Oct. 3

Seattle (Garcia 9-5) at Chicago (Parque 13-6), 3:07 p.m. (ESPN)

Wednesday, Oct. 4

Seattle (Abbott 9-7) at Chicago (Sirotka 15-10), 12:07 p.m. (ESPN)

Friday, Oct. 6

Chicago (Baldwin 14-7) at Seattle (Sele 17-10), 3:07 p.m. (ESPN)

Saturday, Oct. 7

Chicago at Seattle, 3:18 p.m. (FOX), if necessary

Sunday, Oct. 8

Seattle at Chicago, 3:07 p.m. (ESPN) or 8 p.m. (FOX), if necessary (8 p.m. if Giants-Mets and Athletics-Yankees are over)

Oakland vs. New York

Tuesday, Oct. 3

New York (Clemens 13-8) at Oakland (Heredia 15-11), 7:08 p.m. (NBC)

Wednesday, Oct. 4

New York (Pettitte 19-9) at Oakland (Appier 15-11), 7:18 p.m. (FOX)

Friday, Oct. 6

Oakland (Hudson 20-6) at New York (Hernandez 12-13), 7:08 p.m. (NBC)

Saturday, Oct. 7

Oakland at New York, 6:38 p.m. (NBC) or 1:07 p.m (ESPN), if necessary (becomes day game if series is 2-0 after two games)

Sunday, Oct. 8

New York at Oakland, 7 p.m. (FOX), if necessary

National League

San Francisco vs. New York

Wednesday, Oct. 4

New York (Hampton 15-10) at San Francisco (Hernandez 17-11), 3:07 p.m. (ESPN)

Thursday, Oct. 5

New York (Leiter 16-8) at San Francisco (Estes 15-6), 7:18 p.m. (FOX)

Saturday, Oct. 7

San Francisco (Ortiz 13-12) at New York (Reed 11-5), 12:07 p.m. (ESPN) or 3:18 p.m. (FOX) or 6:38 p.m. (NBC) (becomes night game if Athletics-Yankees is 2-0 after two games; becomes 4:18 p.m. if Athletics-Yankees 1-1 after two games and White Sox-Mariners is a sweep)

Sunday, Oct. 8

San Francisco at New York, 3:07 p.m. (ESPN) or 7 p.m. (FOX), if necessary (becomes night game if Athletics-Yankees is over)

Monday, Oct. 9

New York at San Francisco, 7:18 p.m. (FOX), if necessary

St. Louis vs. Atlanta

Tuesday, Oct. 3

Atlanta (Maddux 19-9) at St. Louis (Ankiel 11-7), 12:07 p.m. (ESPN)

Thursday, Oct. 5

Atlanta (Glavine 21-9) at St. Louis (Kile 20-9), 3:07 p.m. (ESPN)

Saturday, Oct. 7

St. Louis (Stephenson 16-9, An.Benes 12-9 or Hentgen 15-12) at Atlanta (Ashby 12-13), 12:07 p.m. (ESPN) or 3:18 p.m. (FOX) (becomes 3:18 p.m. if Athletics Yankees is 2-0 after two games and White Sox-Mariners is sweep)

Sunday, Oct. 8

St. Louis at Atlanta, 12:07 p.m. (ESPN), if necessary (becomes night game if all other series are over)

Monday, Oct. 9

Atlanta at St. Louis, 3:07 p.m. (ESPN) or 7:18 p.m. (FOX), if necessary (becomes night game if Giants-Mets is over)

LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

American League and National League

(NBC amd Fox)

Oct. 10-19

WORLD SERIES

(FOX)

Oct. 21-29

Baseball Leaders

By The Associated Press

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BATTING—Garciaparra, Boston, .372; Erstad, Anaheim, .355; MRamirez, Cleveland, .351; CDelgado, Toronto, .344; Jeter, New York, .339; MJSweeney, Kansas City, .333; JaGiambi, Oakland, .333; Segui, Cleveland, .333.

RUNS—Damon, Kansas City, 136; ARodriguez, Seattle, 134; Erstad, Anaheim, 121; Durham, Chicago, 121; Glaus, Anaheim, 120; Jeter, New York, 119; CDelgado, Toronto, 115; Thomas, Chicago, 115.

RBI—EMartinez, Seattle, 145; MJSweeney, Kansas City, 144; Thomas, Chicago, 143; JaGiambi, Oakland, 137; CDelgado, Toronto, 137; ARodriguez, Seattle, 132; MOrdonez, Chicago, 126.

HITS—Erstad, Anaheim, 240; Damon, Kansas City, 214; MJSweeney, Kansas City, 206; Jeter, New York, 201; Garciaparra, Boston, 197; CDelgado, Toronto, 196; Dye, Kansas City, 193.

DOUBLES—CDelgado, Toronto, 57; Garciaparra, Boston, 51; DCruz, Detroit, 46; Olerud, Seattle, 45; Lawton, Minnesota, 44; Higginson, Detroit, 44; Thomas, Chicago, 44.

TRIPLES—CGuzman, Minnesota, 20; AKennedy, Anaheim, 11; Damon, Kansas City, 10; Durham, Chicago, 9; TNixon, Boston, 8; Alicea, Texas, 8; THunter, Minnesota, 7.

HOME RUNS—Glaus, Anaheim, 47; JaGiambi, Oakland, 43; Thomas, Chicago, 43; TBatista, Toronto, 41; ARodriguez, Seattle, 41; CDelgado, Toronto, 41; Justice, New York, 41.

STOLEN BASES—Damon, Kansas City, 46; RAlomar, Cleveland, 39; DeShields, Baltimore, 37; Henderson, Seattle, 31; Lofton, Cleveland, 30; McLemore, Seattle, 30; CGuzman, Minnesota, 28; Erstad, Anaheim, 28; Cairo, Tampa Bay, 28.

PITCHING (17 Decisions)—Hudson, Oakland, 20-6, .769, 4.14; PMartinez, Boston, 18-6, .750, 1.74; Burba, Cleveland, 16-6, .727, 4.47; DWells, Toronto, 20-8, .714, 4.11; Parque, Chicago, 13-6, .684, 4.19; Pettitte, New York, 19-9, .679, 4.35; Baldwin, Chicago, 14-7, .667, 4.65; Mercedes, Baltimore, 14-7, .667, 4.02.

STRIKEOUTS—PMartinez, Boston, 284; Colon, Cleveland, 212; Mussina, Baltimore, 210; CFinley, Cleveland, 189; Clemens, New York, 188; Nomo, Detroit, 181; Burba, Cleveland, 180.

SAVES—DLowe, Boston, 42; TBJones, Detroit, 42; Sasaki, Seattle, 37; MRivera, New York, 36; Foulke, Chicago, 34; Wetteland, Texas, 34; Koch, Toronto, 33; Isringhausen, Oakland, 33.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

BATTING—Helton, Colorado, .372; Alou, Houston, .355; VGuerrero, Montreal, .345; Hammonds, Colorado, .335; LCastillo, Florida, .334; Kent, San Francisco, .334; Vidro, Montreal, .330.

RUNS—Bagwell, Houston, 152; Helton, Colorado, 138; Edmonds, St. Louis, 129; Bonds, San Francisco, 129; AJones, Atlanta, 122; Hidalgo, Houston, 118; CJones, Atlanta, 118.

RBI—Helton, Colorado, 147; SSosa, Chicago, 138; Bagwell, Houston, 132; Kent, San Francisco, 125; VGuerrero, Montreal, 123; Giles, Pittsburgh, 123; Hidalgo, Houston, 122.

HITS—Helton, Colorado, 216; Vidro, Montreal, 200; AJones, Atlanta, 199; VGuerrero, Montreal, 197; Kent, San Francisco, 196; Cirillo, Colorado, 195; SSosa, Chicago, 193.

DOUBLES—Helton, Colorado, 59; Cirillo, Colorado, 53; Vidro, Montreal, 51; LGonzalez, Arizona, 47; Green, Los Angeles, 44; Hidalgo, Houston, 42; Abreu, Philadelphia, 42.

TRIPLES—Womack, Arizona, 14; VGuerrero, Montreal, 11; NPerez, Colorado, 11; Abreu, Philadelphia, 10; Belliard, Milwaukee, 9; Goodwin, Los Angeles, 9; 7 are tied with 7.

HOME RUNS—SSosa, Chicago, 50; Bonds, San Francisco, 49; Bagwell, Houston, 47; Hidalgo, Houston, 44; VGuerrero, Montreal, 44; Sheffield, Los Angeles, 43; Helton, Colorado, 42; Edmonds, St. Louis, 42.

STOLEN BASES—LCastillo, Florida, 62; Goodwin, Los Angeles, 55; EYoung, Chicago, 54; Womack, Arizona, 45; Furcal, Atlanta, 40; PWilson, Florida, 36; Glanville, Philadelphia, 31.

PITCHING (17 Decisions)—RDJohnson, Arizona, 19-7, .731, 2.64; Estes, San Francisco, 15-6, .714, 4.26; Elarton, Houston, 17-7, .708, 4.81; Glavine, Atlanta, 21-9, .700, 3.40; Kile, St. Louis, 20-9, .690, 3.91; KBrown, Los Angeles, 13-6, .684, 2.58; GMaddux, Atlanta, 19-9, .679, 3.00.

STRIKEOUTS—RDJohnson, Arizona, 347; Park, Los Angeles, 217; KBrown, Los Angeles, 216; Dempster, Florida, 209; ALeiter, New York, 200; Vazquez, Montreal, 196; Ankiel, St. Louis, 194.

SAVES—Alfonseca, Florida, 45; Hoffman, San Diego, 43; Benitez, New York, 41; Nen, San Francisco, 41; Graves, Cincinnati, 30; Veres, St. Louis, 29; Aguilera, Chicago, 29.

Relief Man

By The Associated Press

Final

National League

	W	L	Sv	TS	BS	Pts
A. Alfonseca, Fla	5	6	45	0	4	125
A. Benitez, NY	4	4	41	3	5	116
R. Nen, SF	4	4	41	0	5	115
T. Hoffman, SD	4	7	42	2	7	111
D. Graves, Cin.	10	5	30	4	5	94
D. Veres, StL	3	5	29	8	7	77
R. Aguilera, Chi	1	2	29	2	8	71
J. Jimenez, Col	5	2	24	2	6	68
J. Shaw, LA	3	4	27	1	7	66
J. Rocker, Atl	1	2	24	1	3	65

American League

	W	L	Sv	TS	BS	Pts
T. Jones, Det	2	4	42	4	4	118
D. Lowe, Bos	4	4	42	2	5	118
M. Rivera, NY	7	4	36	3	5	107
K. Foulke, Chi	3	1	34	6	5	102
B. Koch, Tor	9	3	33	1	5	102
K. Sasaki, Sea	2	5	37	3	3	102
J. Isringhusn, Oak	6	4	33	2	7	91
J. Wetteland, Tex	6	5	34	0	9	86
T. Percival, Ana	5	5	32	0	10	76
R. Hernandez, TB	4	7	32	1	8	75

Team

	W	L	Sv	TS	BS	Pts
Atlanta	19	18	53	10	14	143
New York (NL)	31	23	49	3	17	132
Florida	31	20	48	1	20	127
Detroit	25	18	44	4	17	116
Boston	29	23	46	2	19	114

FORMULA — 4 points for a tough save; 3 points for a save; 2 for a relief win; minus 2 for a relief loss and blown save.

Manager Changes

Teams that have made managerial changes since the end of the season with former manager and replacement:

Arizona Diamondbacks — Buck Showalter, TBA

Cincinnati Reds — Jack McKeon, TBA

Philadelphia Phillies — Terry Francona, TBA

Pittsburgh Pirates — Gene Lamont, TBA

Sports on TV

Today

BASEBALL PLAYOFFS — Division Series, game 1, Atlanta Braves at St. Louis Cardinals, noon, ESPN.

Division Series, game 1, SeattleMariners at ChicagoWhite Sox, 3 p.m., ESPN.

Division Series, game 1, N.Y. Yankees at Oakland Athletics, 7 p.m., NBC.

What's on Deck

Today

PREP TENNIS — Big Spring at Midland High, 4 p.m.

WPHL EXHIBITION — San Antonio Iguanas at Odessa Jackalopes, 7 p.m., Ector County Coliseum.

PREP VOLLEYBALL — Midland Lee at Midland High, approximately 7:15 p.m.

Prep Poll

Here is The Associated Press Schoolboy Football Poll with records, first place votes in parentheses and points based on 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1, through games of Sept. 30:

Team	Rec	Pts	Pvs
Class 5A			
1. Garland (16)	4-0	195	1
2. Austin Westlake (3)	4-0	168	2
3. Katy (1)	4-0	162	3
4. Aldine Eisenhower	4-0	144	4
5. (tie) Midland Lee	**3-1**	**93**	**5**
5. Converse Judson	4-0	93	5
7. Lewisville	4-0	81	7
8. Tyler John Tyler	3-1	65	8
9. Abilene	**5-0**	**43**	**9**
10. San Antonio Marshall	4-0	19	x

DROPPED OUT: Duncanville.

Also receiving votes: Duncanville 17, The Woodlands 11, Aldine 2, Allen 2, Bryan 2, SA Holmes 2, Arlington Lamar 1, Harlingen 1.

Class 4A			
1. Wichita Falls (18)	5-0	194	1
2. Stephenville (2)	3-1	172	2
3. San Marcos	4-0	147	3
4. Hereford	3-1	129	4
5. Brownwood	3-1	108	5
6. Wolfforth Frenship	**3-1**	**90**	**6**
7. Highland Park	4-0	79	7
8. Nederland	4-0	66	8
9. Port Arthur Lincoln	4-0	35	10
10. Ennis	3-1	30	9

Also receiving votes: Houston Forest Brook 20, Mesquite Poteet 11, West Orange-Stark 8, Bay City 3, Texas City 3, Corsicana 2, La Marque 2.

Class 3A			
1. Aledo (8)	5-0	179	3
2. Lamesa (9)	**4-1**	**174**	**2**
3. Diboll (1)	4-0	131	7
4. Crockett	4-1	119	1
5. Abilene Wylie (1)	5-0	93	9
6. Gatesville	4-0	88	10
7. Daingerfield (1)	4-0	53	x
8. Cuero	3-1	48	4
9. La Grange	3-2	29	x
10. China Spring	4-0	26	x

DROPPED OUT: Everman, Lindale, Newton.

Also receiving votes: Commerce 23, Lindale 20, Everman 19, Madisonville 19, Barber's Hill 13, Muleshoe 10, Gonzales 8, Marlin 8, Elgin 7, Crandall 6, Luling 6, Hamshire-Fannett 5, Hardin-Jefferson 5.

Class 2A			
1. Mart (16)	4-0	195	1
2. Celina (2)	5-0	180	2
3. Refugio (1)	4-0	155	3
4. Sonora	5-0	131	4
5. Olney (1)	5-0	129	4
6. Pilot Point	5-0	78	6
7. Rogers	4-0	69	7
8. Lone Oak	4-0	61	8
9. Alto	3-1	27	10
10. Arp	4-0	12	x

DROPPED OUT: **Stanton.**

Also receiving votes: Jarrell 10, **Stanton 9,** Comfort 8, Holliday 6, Thorndale 6, Goldthwaite 5, Leon 5, Corrigan-Camden 4, Friona 2, Hemphill 2, New Waverly 2, Sundown 2.

Class A			
1. Shiner (12)	4-0	170	1
2. Stratford (4)	4-0	165	2
3. Beckville (3)	4-0	152	3
4. Paducah (1)	4-0	144	4
5. Iraan	**3-1**	**128**	**5**
6. Celeste	4-0	102	6
7. Rankin	**5-0**	**99**	**7**
8. Roscoe	5-0	44	10
9. Windthorst	4-0	26	x
10. (tie) Bremond	3-1	12	8
10. Charlotte	5-0	12	x

DROPPED OUT: Wortham.

Also receiving votes: Mildred 10, Nazareth 10, Wortham 8, Burton 6, High Island 5, Munday 2, Wheeler 2, Menard 1, Rotan 1.

Sports Briefs

Mavs waive Mills; sign two others

DALLAS — The Dallas Mavericks waived veteran forward Terry Mills on Monday, a day before training camp begins.

Coach Don Nelson said Mills requested the move. Mills, a 10-year pro, never played a game in Dallas.

Mills was acquired from Detroit by the Mavericks in an Aug. 29 trade in which Dallas also got Christian Laettner in exchange for Cedric Ceballos, John Wallace and Erick Murdock.

Also Monday, the Mavericks signed guard Mike Jones and forward Jamal Kendrick to free agent contracts. Terms were not disclosed.

Jones, a 1998 Texas Christian graduate, played the last two years in China. Kendrick, who played Midwestern State in Wichita Falls, competed in the IBA last season.

Trail Blazers' Schrempf retires

TUALATIN, Ore. — Detlef Schrempf, a versatile and consistent forward, retired Monday after 15 NBA seasons.

The 37-year-old German, who played last season with the Portland Trail Blazers, averaged 14.2 points, 6.3 rebounds, and 3.4 assists for his career. He was an All-Star three times.

Schrempf, a first-round draft pick of the Dallas Mavericks in 1985, and also played for the Indiana Pacers and Seattle SuperSonics. Last season, his first with Portland, Schrempf averaged 7.5 points and 4.3 rebounds.

Schrempf said he was looking forward to spending more time with his family and building some businesses he's involved in.

"I would especially like to thank the Blazers organization," Schrempf said in a statement. "They are a first-class organization and gave me the opportunity to play for a championship-caliber team."

From 1989-99, Schrempf never averaged fewer than 15 points or more than 19.2. He played in the NBA Finals in 1996, when Seattle lost to the Chicago Bulls in six games.

Big 12 Football Statistics

Team Statistics

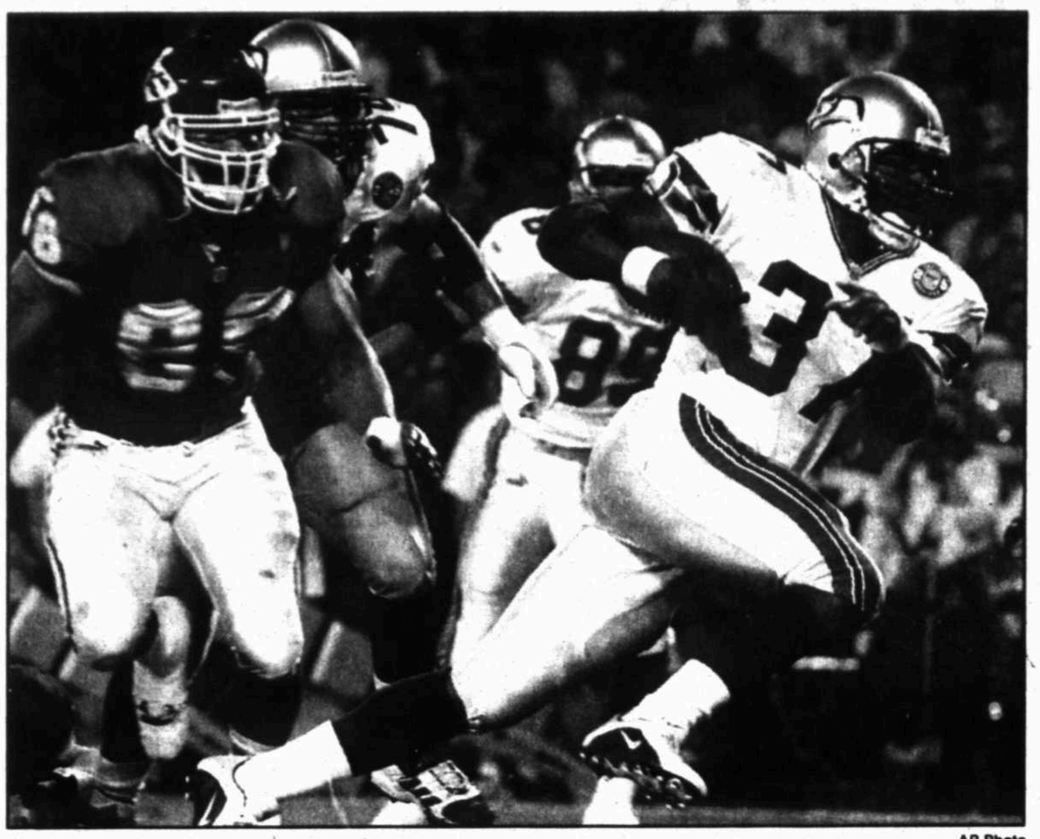
BIG 12 FOOTBALL STATISTICS

Rushing Offense

	Car	Yds	Yds Pg
Nebraska	223	1421	355.3
Kansas St.	239	1180	236.0
Iowa St.	181	908	227.0
Oklahoma St.	153	741	185.3
Texas A&M	156	676	169.0
Oklahoma	129	617	154.3
Kansas	168	615	153.8
Colorado	153	567	141.8
Missouri	146	532	133.0
Baylor	138	418	104.5
Texas	127	401	100.3
Texas Tech	140	350	70.0

Passing Offense

	Att	Cp	Yds	Yds Pg
Oklahoma	152	102	1301	325.3
Texas	156	86	1285	321.3
Texas Tech	248	153	1491	298.2
Colorado	127	77	980	245.0
Kansas St.	111	65	1185	237.0
Iowa St.	111	62	888	222.0
Missouri	124	60	835	208.8



AP Photo

Seattle Seahawks running back Shaun Alexander (37) picks up seven yards and a touchdown during the second quarter against the Kansas City Chiefs Monday at Arrowhead Stadium in Kansas City, Mo. At left is Chiefs defensive end Eric Hicks (98).

Big play helps give Chiefs a boost past Seahawks, 24-17

By Doug Tucker
AP Sports Writer

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — There's nothing like a 73-yard play to snatch momentum away from one football team and give it to the other.

The Kansas City Chiefs, trailing 17-7 and backed up to their own 5-yard-line late in the third period, got a giant spark from Elvis Grbac's big completion to Derrick Alexander and scored 17 straight points to beat the Seattle Seahawks 24-17 Monday night. Both teams had won their last two games after losing their first two.

The Seahawks were in control for 2 1/2 quarters. They took a 17-7 lead on a 27-yard field goal in the third quarter by rookie Rian Lindell, who was making his first NFL start.

But four minutes later, Grbac stepped back from his own 5 and hit Alexander streaking down the right side, beating Shawn Springs and going 73 yards before Reggie Tongue dragged him down from behind. One play later, Alexander beat Springs in the end zone on a 17-yard pass, giving the Chiefs a 3-play scoring drive, with Grbac-to-Alexander accounting for 90 of the 95 yards.

After Eric Hicks' third sack of Jon Kitna forced the Seahawks to punt a few minutes later, the Chiefs drove to the Seattle 8 and Pete Stoyanovich tied it at 17-all with a 27-yard field goal with 3:18 into the fourth quarter. Then, with all the momentum belonging to the Chiefs, Dante Hall sped 22 yards with a Seattle punt and the Chiefs took their first lead of the night with 4:26 left when Mike Cloud beat Willie Williams to the end zone on a 15-yard touchdown run.

Aided by six penalties against the Chiefs for 32 yards, the Seahawks burned nine minutes off the clock with their first possession.

Hicks, after sacking Kitna for a 10-yard loss, was flagged 15 yards for taunting. Then, a penalty against defensive tackle Dan Williams for having his hands to the face turned Seattle's fourth-and-5 into a first down at the Chiefs 40.

On first and goal from the 1, Itula Mili got behind two defenders in the back of the end zone for a 7-0 Seattle lead.

In the second quarter, Grbac was 5-for-5 for 69 yards in an 8-play, 78-yard touchdown drive. On the 15-yard touchdown pass, the ball went through the hands of linebacker George Koonce and into the hands of tight end Tony Gonzalez.

In what almost amounted to a one-man, 75-yard drive that gave Seattle a 14-7 lead in the second quarter, rookie Shaun Alexander carried six times for 55 yards and caught an 11-yard pass. He reeled off 17-yard gains on consecutive plays and finished with a 7-yard dash into the end zone, cutting back to his right and going through a huge hole in the Chiefs' line.

Between Hicks and his own center exchange, Kitna had trouble all night. Hicks had three sacks, increasing his season total to an AFC-leading seven. And Kitna fumbled the exchange three times, each time falling onto the ball to avoid the turnover.

The Chiefs failed in their attempt to set an "on-site" NFL attendance record when only 4,391 showed up in adjacent Kauffman Stadium to watch the game on the giant video board. Combined with the sellout crowd of 78,502, the total attendance of 82,893 fell almost 8,000 short.

Mavs seriously thinking playoffs

By Dwain Price
Fort Worth Star-Telegram

DALLAS — "It's Payback Time" is the Dallas Mavericks' newest slogan. But it might as well be "No Excuses."

With the opening of training camp Tuesday, the Mavericks, a franchise in the midst of a 10-year-old playoff drought, might not have an excuse to miss the playoffs this season.

"It's Payback Time, No Excuses, Let's Win Some Games," forward Gary Trent said. "Whatever slogan you need to have a motto, the bottom line is I like the (Oakland) Raiders' 'Just Win Baby' (slogan).

"And that's what we've got to do. We've got to just win."

Guard Michael Finley said regardless of what the slogan is, he expects the Mavericks to advance to the playoffs this season.

"I guess it's payback time simply from the fact that we've been doormats for the last couple of years," Finley said. "Now it's time for us to make other people doormats.

"But my slogan is 'Playoffs Or Nothing.'"

The Mavericks have perhaps their best collection of talent since the late 1980s. They also are coming off a season in which they produced their best record (40-42) since their last playoff appearance in 1989-90.

Also, the Mavericks won 16 of their final 21 games last year and produced the NBA's best record in April at 13-1. Whether that finish, coupled with a windfall via the draft and free agency, translates into a playoff berth is the billion-dollar question.

"It's nice to be in a position when you look down the roster and see 12 guys who can play in an NBA game and contribute," Mavericks owner Mark Cuban said.

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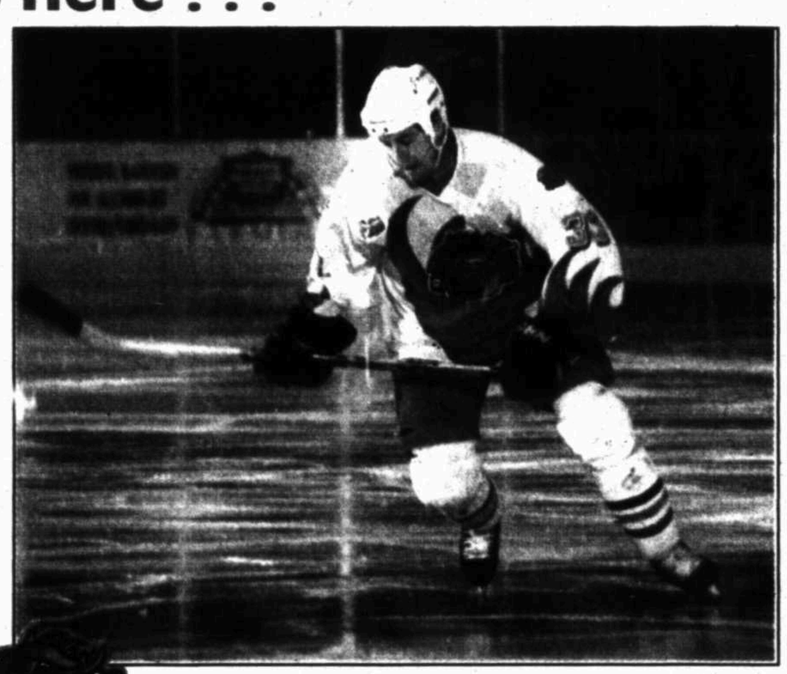

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Cowboys not giddy, but take win

By Stephen Hawkins
AP Sports Writer

IRVING — While a 2-3 record may not come as a complete relief for the Dallas Cowboys, at least they head into their bye week coming off a victory and only one game worse than the three teams ahead of them in the NFC East.

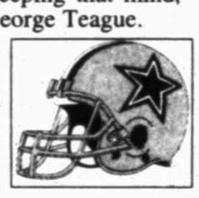
"The overall tenor of the thing is that we were very pleased to go down there and win. Our guys handled themselves well," Cowboys coach Dave Campo said Monday, a day after a 16-13 overtime victory at Carolina.

"Now what we need to do is put it together and try to get a run going here."

The Cowboys head into their bye week with an opportunity to continue what they started last week, focusing on themselves.

Despite the win, they also know it's too early to feel too good about themselves. After all, the Cowboys followed an impressive 27-21 victory at Washington with a 41-24 loss at home to San Francisco, which had won just one of its previous 15 games.

"We put another game together, but until we have some kind of consistency, I think we just need to feel the same way we did after the 49ers game, concentrating on ourselves, worrying about the basics, keeping that mind," said safety George Teague.



"If we get too far ahead of ourselves, we'll start taking a couple of steps backwards again anyway. We need to practice the same way we practiced last week, thinking we're not the team we thought we'd be."

After a Sunday off, the Cowboys play their next two games against NFC East opponents. They play Oct. 15 at the New York Giants, the only division team they haven't played, and then return home Oct. 22 against Arizona a team they lost to 32-31 in the season's second week.

New York, Philadelphia and Washington are all 3-2. Arizona is 1-3.

"I wouldn't say a big relief or amazing, I wouldn't use any of those words," said quarterback Troy Aikman. "We are 2-3 and we're not happy with where we are at, but considering that we went into last week 1-3, then this was the best we could hope for.

"We have got 11 games left. We need to play better, but there is still a lot of football. I don't think there's anybody in here relieved that we are 2-3 and feel like we have accomplished something. We haven't accomplished anything yet."

At least they've kept their heads above water in a division that isn't being dominated as expected by the Redskins, which underwent a $100 million off-season makeover. And there is still hope this season, even for those not as optimistic as owner Jerry Jones, who said last week that this team could still win the Super Bowl.

MATCH: MHS dominates 4-5A on Tuesday nights

(From 1C)

And Tuesday is Midland High's night, the Lady Bulldogs having given up only 13 points in wins over Cooper, Permian and OHS on the last three Tuesdays.

Lee coach Connie Alexander knows her team will have to play better than it did against Cooper to beat Midland High. But she said the Lady Rebels will bounce back.

"We'll put it back together," Alexander said. "We'll be ready to play Tuesday. We will be, and we know Midland High will be."

4-5A Stats

Averages In District
Midland High
Kills: Page Price, 7.2; Jessi Hollums,4.7.
Assists: Becky Valdez, 12.7.
Blocks: Price, 4.2; Aja Brooks, 3.8.
Digs: Valdez, 7.7; Hollums, 7.2; Price, 4.3.
Midland Lee
Kills: Shelley Sledge, 6.3; Natalie Taylor, 5.2; Bella Cordero, 4.8; Stephanie Easter, 4.0.
Assists: Jill Holly, 14.2; Taylor, 9.5.
Blocks: Jamie Thomas, 3.0; Wykia Wallace, 2.8.
Digs: Wallace, 5.5; Taylor, 4.5.

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Crude rises

NEW YORK — Crude oil and products prices surged higher Monday at the New York Mercantile Exchange, staging a comeback from last week's retreat on rising supply concerns.

Analysts said last week's selloff, which followed President Clinton's decision to release 30 million barrels of crude from the country's strategic reserve and pledges from oil producing nations to increase output, was too severe, opening up a good opportunity to buy at lower prices.

Crude for November delivery gained $1.34 on Monday to $32.18 per barrel, still well below the 10-year high crude had reached last month, when it climbed above $37 a barrel.

The fear of supply disruptions helped push prices higher on Monday after a report that Kuwait accused Iraq of stealing large quantities of its oil through a pipeline laid during Baghdad's occupation of Kuwait in 1990-1991. Kuwait's deputy prime minister said Kuwait had satellite pictures and field evidence to support its claim.

The Kuwaiti allegation came two weeks after Iraq made a similar claim, accusing Kuwait of stealing its oil.

Tensions between Palestinians and Israelis contributed to market concerns about getting oil out of the Middle East.

Heating oil and gasoline futures also made significant gains on Monday. November heating oil prices rose 3.49 cents to 96.05 cents a gallon, while November's unleaded gasoline was up 3.66 cents to 88.31 cents a gallon.

In October, heating oil futures lost about 11 cents a gallon, in part because of the planned release of oil from the U.S. Strategic Petroleum Reserve.

Prices have come back a little, however, because some analysts are skeptical that all the oil will be bid upon by refiners, many of whom are already running at very high capacity or have maintenance scheduled for the fall.

Heating oil and gasoline futures also rallied on fears that Hurricane Keith and Tropical Storm Joyce could disrupt operations in the Gulf Coast.

November natural gas rose 1.66 cents to $5.352 per 1,000 cubic feet.

Dollar mixed

LONDON — The U.S. dollar was mixed Monday against other major currencies in European trading.

The euro was quoted at 88.24 cents, unchanged from late Friday.

Other dollar rates included 108.25 Japanese yen, up from 108.10; 1.7269 Swiss francs, down from 1.7275, and 1.5040 Canadian dollars, up from 1.5025.

The British pound was quoted at $1.4745, down from $1.4762.

Based on euro rates, the dollar was unchanged at 2.2152 German marks, 7.4296 French francs, 2.4960 Dutch guilders and 2,193.08 Italian lire.

Gold up

Gold in London was trading at $274.30 per troy ounce, up from $273.00 on Friday.

In Zurich the bid was $274.00, up from $273.20.

Complaints flood Ameritech

By Nicole Ziegler Dizon
Associated Press

CHICAGO — Tom Ramunno has a long list of complaints against Ameritech — and he's sharing them via cell phone.

Ramunno has been waiting so long for the phone company to install a new line and two Internet connections that he has given up and gone wireless.

"These guys just don't have a clue as to how to handle the demand," said Ramunno, a 48-year-old consulting director from the Chicago suburb of Palos Park who relies on the Internet to communicate with his office in Colorado.

Complaints like his have been piling up in the year since Chicago-based Ameritech's $74 billion merger with SBC Communications created the nation's largest local phone company.

Ameritech had promised the merger would mean better service for its 20 million business and residential consumers in Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Michigan and Ohio.

Instead, customers are waiting longer for new phone lines and for repairs, leaving regulators in the five Ameritech states wondering whether they were sold a bill of goods.

"They're putting us in a tough position. I think what we're going to end up having to do is every bit of authority we can glean, we're going to have exert on Ameritech," said Terry Harvill, a commissioner with the Illinois Commerce Commission who voted against the merger of the two Baby Bells.

In Michigan, for example, it took Ameritech almost five days on average to restore phone outages in August. Illinois customers were waiting an average of 12 business days — and sometimes several weeks — to get new phone service that same month. Wisconsin regulators say the company is telling customers it will take anywhere from 12 to 30 days for new service.

"When you call Ameritech you might as well give up your afternoon. It's almost impossible to get a live person, let alone someone who cares about you," said Gary Satterfield, a limousine company owner in Howell, Mich., who told regulators there that his service was disconnected for three days.

The company faces state and federal fines if it fails to live up to its merger conditions.

Ameritech blames its problems on increased demand and a smaller, less experienced work force.

The company replaced its top executive last month and has promised to add 562 technicians to an existing 26,000 in the region by year's end, with an additional 3,300 planned for next year.

Ameritech also announced a six-month plan to get the vast majority of outages repaired within 24 hours and shifted 615 technicians from construction to installation and repairs.

"We've been in business more than 100 years. We know what it takes to satisfy customers, and we know we're not doing it today," said David Pacholczyk, an Ameritech spokesman.

Tina Rotter, office manager for Rubloff Residential Properties in Chicago, heartily agrees. She said her real estate company's phones are constantly on the blink, costing the company customers and agents. Ameritech, she said, has done little to help.

"It's like going to a doctor who does not have a bedside manner," Rotter said. "If someone tells you you're dying and just walks out of the room, it's a little hard to swallow."

Rotter said the problems have been worse since the SBC merger.

But Pacholczyk called the post-merger timing a coincidence. An unexpectedly high number of technicians retired last year as the company was experiencing exponential growth in customers, he said.

Regulators from the five Ameritech states joined forces last week to demand better service.

Ohio already has ordered Ameritech to spend $8.7 million to satisfy customer complaints and threatened a $122 million fine if service doesn't improve by January 2002. Illinois expects to fine the company $34 million this year because of slow repairs.

But those fines are a drop in a bucket to the mammoth company, some regulators say. San Antonio-based SBC earned $1.92 billion in the second quarter of this year.

As a result, some states are pushing for more power over the company. A bill that would slap phone companies with a fine of up to $1 million for long delays in installation or repair is pending in Michigan. And Harvill said Illinois regulators will renew their call for more authority next legislative session.

Those plans are little consolation for JoAnn Pipkorn, who told Wisconsin regulators that Ameritech's problems prevented her from calling her mother when her grandfather died. Her parents had been waiting for service in Cedarburg, Wis., for four months.

"I heard excuse after excuse but never anything close to an apology," Pipkorn said.

Napster Redux

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Hilary Rosen, president of the Recording Industry Association of America, speaks during a news conference at an appeals courthouse in San Francisco, Monday. A three-judge panel of a federal appeals court appeared troubled today by a lower court's order that would have temporarily shut down music-swapping service known as Napster.

Napster back in court to argue merits of its service

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A federal court began hearing arguments Monday in the recording industry's copyright infringement case against Napster Inc., the joy of more than 22 million music-trading users but the bane of major record labels who say it cheats companies and artists out of sales.

The company was spared in July from a court order that would have shut down the site until the Recording Industry Association of America's lawsuit against the online service is resolved.

Only hours after a federal judge issued an injunction against Napster, saying it was encouraging "wholesale infringing" against music industry copyrights, the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals stayed the order.

The two sides headed back to court Monday, each getting 20 minutes to argue their case before a three-judge panel of the federal appeals court.

The three-judge panel has already expressed concerns about the injunction and will try to determine whether it was overly broad, said Marcie Mihaila, an appellate lawyer who has followed the case.

Company lawyer David Boies argued Monday that the lower court's injunction was "unprecedented" against a company "supplying the technology that is capable of a ... non-infringing use."

A decision isn't expected for at least a month.

Both sides say they are fighting for their survival.

"This service is causing serious injury to songwriters," said Carey Ramos, an attorney for the recording industry. "It really needs to be restrained. We urgently need relief."

Napster, started in a Northeastern University dorm room last year, pioneered the concept known as peer-to-peer computing in which people share files from their own computers rather than a central server. In Napster's case, users can download music from each other that is stored in the format known as an MP3 file.

The company claims its 22 million users are violating no law. It bases its defense on the Audio Home Recording Act of 1992, which it says grants immunity when music is shared for noncommercial use.

Another company, MP3.com, allows users to listen to songs stored on its own computers. It has settled lawsuits brought by four record labels and in September lost a copyright-infringement case brought by Universal Music Group. That case is likely to reach the Supreme Court.

In a statement released Friday about Monday's Napster hearing, Hilary Rosen, president and CEO of the recording industry's organization, said she hoped for "increased cooperation between innovation and industry so legitimate business models can make more music available online."

Stocks end day mixed; tech stocks unloaded

NEW YORK (AP) — Stock prices were mixed Monday as investors worried about corporate profits and the moderating economy once again unloaded technology issues.

Blue chips fared somewhat better, but were unable to rally the overall market because of ongoing fears that third-quarter results for many of Wall Street's highest profile and most expensive stocks will be disappointing.

The Dow Jones industrial average closed up 49.21 at 10,700.13.

Broader indicators were lower.

The Nasdaq composite index fell 103.92 to 3,568.90 after moving higher earlier in the day. The Standard & Poor's 500 index was off 0.28 at 1,436.23.

Investors are nervous because of increasing indications that the economy is slowing, the latest being an industry report Monday that suggested the nation's manufacturing activity contracted for the second straight month.

The market has fallen into a pattern of selling stocks that appear vulnerable or warn of poor performance. On Monday, that anxiety focused on technology issues, which have traded at especially high levels in recent years.

Chipmaker Intel fell $1.44 to $40.13, extending a decline triggered by a profit warning last month. Microsoft was down $1.13 to $59.13 and Web portal Yahoo! dropped $4.94 to $86.06. Computer maker Dell dropped $1.56 to $29.25.

Boeing fell $4.69 to $58.44 after Lehman Brothers downgraded the stock from "outperform" to "neutral."

Xerox warned late Monday after trading that its earnings would be below expectations, an announcement likely to trigger volatility in its own stock Tuesday.

But there was some positive news.

Investors looking for good buys Monday bid Electronic Data Systems up $2.31 to $43.81 after a Goldman Sachs analyst upgraded the stock to "Recommended for Purchase" from "Market Outperformer."

Meat processor IBP rose $3.44 at $21.75 on news it was being acquired by the investment unit of Donaldson, Lufkin & Jenrette for $2.4 billion in cash.

Shares of Merrill Lynch traded higher, up $3.50 at $69.50 on rumors the financial services company might be a possible target for a takeover.

Energy issues were higher on persistent worries about higher oil prices and conflict in the Middle East. Exxon Mobil was up $2.31 at $91.44. Schlumberger rose $2.63 to $84.94.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

Do homework before deciding to trade in stock options

By Eric Tyson

Q: What do you think of the Web site mystockoptions.com? I am a worker in a company.

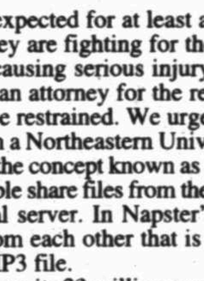
A: So many sites on the Internet, especially in the investing and personal-finance arena, cover the same issues and have a similar approach. Most Web sites are geared toward addicting users to check stock prices frequently, and such sites make their money from advertising.

Mystockoptions.com is a unique site that seems more focused on delivering useful stock-option information and tools to users. While I can't vouch for the accuracy of all that is on the site, I found the articles I read and the tools that I tried helpful and informative. For those who have stock options and want to learn more, I recommend this site.

Q: I've been working for my current employer, a leading technology company, for almost two years, and the first group of my stock options have matured. The stock value is three times the options price at this point, and I expect the stock value to increase. I have 10 years to exercise the options before I lose them. Is it better to wait until nearer the end of the option's life to exercise them, or is it better to exercise them yearly, as they mature?

A: Keeping too much of your net worth in your employer's stock is cause for concern. Your future employment and employment income are already dependent upon the financial health of your employer.

Clearly, your employer's stock has performed tremendously in recent years, and you have benefited from that. Now, the question is how will the stock perform in future years. The overall stock market tends to appreciate over time, so the fact that you expect your employer's stock to increase isn't a good enough reason to hold all those options. You should only hold if you expect the stock to continue significantly outperforming the market. Read the latest Value Line report on your company and do some oth er homework such as reviewing the company's annual report and 10-K.



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If your stock options are incentive stock options (ISOs), you might qualify for the lower long-term capital gains tax rate if you hold on to the stock for more than one year. (Be aware that you may be subject to alternative minimum tax on your ISO's profit at the time of exercise.)

Q: On the advice of my adviser, last year I bought 300 shares of DIA (Dow Jones Industrial), 100 shares of HHH (ML Internet), 600 shares of MDY (S&P Midcap) and 240 shares of SPY (S&P 500 Index). I am 67 years old, married and plan to use our savings (IRAs) to live on. This investment represented approximately 20 percent of our portfolios. We are disappointed to date. What is your evaluation of these particular investments?

A: The biggest problem with your adviser-recommended investments has been the Internet fund, which plunged more than 40 percent earlier this year. The other funds (actually exchange-traded investment trusts) you've gone into are well diversified and invest in medium- and larger-company U.S. stocks.

The Internet trust is poorly diversified as it focuses upon stocks in a narrow industry sector. Internet stocks were extremely highly valued late last year when you bought. I have to question the judgment of your adviser for recommending such a risky investment, especially to a 67-year-old such as yourself.

The other trusts you're in are fine — they give you exposure to market sectors you should be in and the fees are reasonable. What's missing in your portfolio (which you shared with me) are international and small-company stocks, as well as bonds.

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THE MARKET IN REVIEW

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Div	Name	Last	Chg
A B C			
.34	AAR	12.50	+1.06
1.88	ABN plA	22.69	+.19
.52f	ACE Ltd	39.00	–.25
.78	ACMIn	7.63	+.06
.78	ACM Sc	7.31	+.06
.60	ACMSp	6.13	+.06
...	ACNiels	23.50	–.38
...	AES Cp su	70.63	+2.13
3.38	AES plCu	105.00	+1.50
.34	AFLAC	65.44	+.81
.04	AGCO	11.56	–.31
1.08	AGL Res	19.56	–.50
.50	AK Steel	9.50	+.13
1.48	AMB Pr	24.00	–.19
...	AMF Bowl	.25	+.11
...	AMR s	32.75	...
.41e	APT Sat	4.06	...
...	APW Ltd n	47.00	–1.75
.88	AT&T	29.00	–.13
...	ATT Wrls	n21.56	+.69
.14	AVX Cp s	25.25	–.81
2.10e	AXA	66.13	+1.44
.10	AXA Fn	51.94	+1.00
...	Aames s	1.50	...
.76	AbtLab	47.94	+.38
...	AberFitc	18.69	–.38
.40	Abitibi g	9.06	–.31
.06	Actuant s	4.25	...
...	Acuson	22.75	...
2.45e	AdaEx	38.31	–.31
...	Adminstf	73.86	–1.84
...	AMD s	23.25	–.38
.58e	Aegon s	38.31	+1.19
.80	Aetna Inc	59.81	+1.75
...	AffCmpSv	49.31	–.56
...	AffMgrs	55.88	–1.06
...	Agilent n	50.56	+1.63
.11	Agrium g	10.31	+.06
.49e	Ahold	28.00	–.19
.76	AirProd	35.81	–.19
.16	AirbFrt	9.69	–.50
...	Airgas	7.06	+.25
1.84	AlaPC pfQ	23.00	+.13
...	AlaskAir	23.38	–.63
.44	Albemar	19.00	–1.19
...	AlbrtE g	43.06	+1.44
.78	Albertsn	21.44	+.44
.60	Alcan	28.69	–.25
.39e	Alcatel	83.00	+.13
.50	Alcoa s	24.50	–.81
1.72	AlgEngy	38.38	+.38
.80	AliagTch n	18.19	+.06
...	AllenTel	16.88	–.06
.32	Allergan s	79.56	–4.88
1.07	Allete	22.06	–.06
2.90e	AlliCap	50.69	+.56
1.02	AlliWrld2	9.06	...
2.00	AlliantEgy	29.50	+.13
.69e	Allirish	20.38	–1.50
...	AldWaste	9.38	+.19
.25e	AlmrFn	85.44	+1.50
.68	Allstate	u35.25	+.50
1.28	Alltel	51.25	–.94
.18	Alpharma	63.50	+2.38
...	Alza	84.00	–2.50
.13p	AmBev	22.31	+.19
.44	AmbacF	74.81	+1.56
14.22c	AMCOL	5.19	+.31
...	Amdocs	82.44	+.06
.40	AmerUs	25.00	–.75
.60	AmHes	66.69	–.25
2.54	Ameren	42.50	+.63
...	AmOnline s	55.25	+1.50
...	AmWest	d11.19	–1.00
...	AmAxle	11.13	+.38
2.40	AEP	39.06	...
.32	AmExp s	u63.00	+2.25
1.00	AFnclGp	23.06	–.13
1.76	AGenCp	79.94	+1.94
.84	AGreet	17.81	+.31
.92	AHomeP	56.69	+.25
.15	AmIntGp s	96.56	+.88
...	AmStd	44.19	–.25
1.28	AmStWatr	31.75	+1.50
...	AmTower	37.63	–.06
.90	AmWtr	26.56	–1.00
...	Americdt	28.25	–.56
...	AmeriSrc	u49.19	+2.19
...	Amphenl s	56.69	–.25
.80	AmSouth	12.44	–.06
.20	Anadrk	68.01	+1.55
...	Analog s	84.00	+1.44
1.37e	Angiogid	18.00	–.38
.66	Anheus s	41.75	–.56
...	Anixter	29.19	+.06
...	AnnTayl	38.94	+.50
1.16	AnthCap	8.06	–.06
.88	Aon Corp	39.75	+.50
.28	Apache	60.25	+1.13
2.80	Aptinv	44.75	–1.31
...	Applica	d5.44	–.75
...	Apria	14.25	+.31
.20	Aptargp	23.44	–.50
59e	Aracruz	16.50	–.06
.80	ArchCh	18.88	+.63
20b	ArchDan	9.13	+.50
1.54	ArchstnC	24.06	–.50
1.86	ArdenRlt	26.19	–.63
...	Argosy	u18.44	+.31
...	ArmorH	15.00	...
1.92	ArmstHld	d11.38	–.56
...	ArrowEl	34.19	+.13
.88	ArvMerit n	15.38	+.69
...	Ashanti	2.63	+.06
1.10b	Ashland	33.19	–.50
...	AsiaPR	1.19	–.06
...	AsiaPlp	1.75	...
.26	AscFCap	39.00	+1.00
78e	AstraZen	51.06	–1.50
...	AtlasAir	41.13	–1.13
1.14	ATMOS	20.50	–.13
...	AtwdOcn	41.38	–.31
...	AuroraF	3.50	+.19
68t	AutoNatn	6.00	...
44	Autoliv	19.94	+.44
35f	AutoData	64.81	–2.06
...	AutoZone	22.13	–.56
2.24	AvalonBay	46.56	–1.13
...	Avaya n	20.19	–2.75
.43e	Aventis	75.88	+.56
1.08	AveryD	48.63	+.25
...	Aviation	5.50	+.25
...	Avis A	30.56	+.94
.48	Avista	21.13	–1.38
.30	Avnet s	28.88	+.50
.74	Avon	41.25	+.38
...	Aztar	15.25	–.13
...	Azurix	4.13	+.56
.92	BB&T Cp	30.50	+.38
1.20b	BCE gs	22.63	–.75
...	BJS	62.06	+.94
...	BJs Whls	34.13	–.38
.06	BMC	7.00	+.13
1.33	BPAmoc s	53.81	+.81
2.47e	BP Pru	14.13	+.13
1.70b	BRE	31.00	–1.00
.46	BakrHu	37.81	+.69
.48	Baldor	20.25	–.06
.60	Ball	30.94	–.75
...	BallyTotF	24.63	–.38
.60e	BncoFrn	20.69	–.06
.46e	BGndo pr	d2.75	–.38
.31e	BcoSnCH	10.88	–.06
.62	Bancwst s	19.69	+.25
1.18	Bandag	u36.56	+.63
.84m	BankOne	37.69	–.94
2.13	BkOne pfU	25.25	–.06
2.00	Bk of Am	53.06	–.69
.08e	BkTokyo	12.19	+.50
.64	BkNY	56.56	+.06
.10	BkAtlA	4.25	+.13
2.87	BarB pfD	25.69	–.06
.84f	Bard	41.13	–1.13
...	BarnNbl	19.06	–.63
...	BarrLab s	65.19	–1.13
...	BarrettRs	38.50	+.88
.22	BarrickG	14.94	–.31
...	BatlMt	1.69	–.06
1.04	BauschL	38.88	–.06
1.16	Baxter	78.06	–1.75
.40	BayView	10.00	–.75
2.44	BayVw pf	18.00	–2.75
.60b	BearSt	67.25	+2.25
1.88	BearS pfY	22.69	...
.64	BeckCoult	76.25	–.88
.37	BectDck	26.56	+.13
.20	Beiden	22.50	–1.13
1.76	BellSouth	41.44	+.94
.26	Belo	18.19	–.25
.96	Bemis	31.75	–.38
...	BenchEl	51.19	–.81
.04	BergBr	11.06	–.63
...	BerkHa A	63700.00	–700.00
.40	BerryP	17.75	–.31
...	BestBuy	62.50	–1.13
1.06	Bestfds	u72.81	+.06
...	BethStl	2.94	–.06
...	Beverly	8.19	+.25
.08f	BindlyW	33.19	+1.19
...	Biovail s	u66.88	+5.44
3.38	Biovail pf	u78.81	+3.81
...	BirStl	2.50	–.19
.48	BlackD	33.94	–.25
1.06	BlkHlCp	28.19	+.13
.05	Blk2001	9.31	+.06
...	Blackrck	33.00	+1.00
.56	BlkIT	6.44	+.06
.30	BlkTT	9.88	...
.48	Blanch	20.44	–.31
1.20f	BlckHR	36.88	–.19
.02e	Blockbstr	8.81	...
.20e	Blyth	23.00	–.44
.56	Boeing	58.44	–4.69
.60	BoiseC	25.63	–.94
...	BordCh	1.88	+.13
...	Borders	13.38	–.56
.60	BorgWarn	33.56	+.44
...	BostBeer	9.00	...
2.12	BostProp	41.88	–1.06
...	BostSci	16.00	–.44
.80	Bowatr	45.50	–.94
.22	Bowne	9.50	–.25
1.46m	BoykinL	10.31	–.06
1.60	Brandyw	20.44	+.19
1.28e	BrasilTel	55.94	–2.31
1.24f	BrigStrat	38.19	+.38
...	Brinker	32.06	+1.94
.98f	BrMySq	57.00	–.13
3.69e	BritTel	107.00	–.06
...	Broadwing	25.94	+.38
3.38	Brdw pfB	47.75	+1.13
1.24	BrwnFA	53.38	–.56
1.24	BrwnFB	53.88	–.88
.40	BrwnShoe	8.75	–.44
.50	Brunswick	18.06	–.19
...	BuckTch	20.44	–.31
...	Burlinds	1.31	+.06
.48	BurlNSF	21.31	–.25
.55	BrlRsc	37.38	+.56
.40m	BurnPP	6.00	–.06
.06	C&D Tch s	57.69	+.94
...	C–Mac gn	57.75	+.25
1.72e	CANTV	24.88	+.44
2.04	CBL Ass	24.63	–.44
...	CDI	d15.31	–.69
...	CEC Ent	31.56	–.44
1.24	CIGNA	u108.76	+4.36
.69	CIGNA Hi	5.00	+.06
.40	CIT Gp	17.31	–.19
.08b	CKE Rst	2.94	–.13
.06	CMI Cp	1.50	–.06
1.46	CMS Eng	28.19	+1.25
.40	CNF Tran	22.06	–.19
2.50	CNF Tr pf	38.00	+.75
.55	CNH Glbl	10.00	...
2.06	CP&L Egy	u42.38	+.69
1.20	CSX	20.63	–1.19
.12	CTS	49.81	–.81
.23	CVS Cp	46.69	+.38
77e	CabiStWrls	41.88	–.69
...	CabiDsg s	23.00	–1.31
...	Cablvsn	69.00	+2.25
...	Cablrn	28.88	–.63
.44	Cabot s	18.94	+.75
.16	CbtOG	20.75	+.38
67e	CadbyS	23.88	–.19
...	Cadence	25.75	+.06
.20	Calgon	7.00	+.19
.28	CallGolf	15.13	–.25
...	Calpine	u101.63	–2.50
.12	Cambrex	37.25	+.25
2.25	CamdnP	30.25	–.75
.90	CampSp	25.56	–.31
.70	CdnRy g	28.88	–.44
.56	CdnPc g	26.31	+.31
16e	Canon Inc	43.94	–.31
11	CapOne	70.50	+.44
.12	CardnlH	91.00	+2.81
...	CaremkRx	11.00	–.25
80f	Carlisle	40.56	–.94
...	vjCarmike	75	+.06
.42	Carnival	24.50	–.13
1.32	CarpTech	29.38	+.25
.05	CashAm	6.63	–.69
...	CatalMkt s	38.38	+.75
...	Catelus	17.19	–.38
1.36f	Caterpillr	34.25	+.44
.16	CavalrH	1.38	–.13
...	Celestic gs	70.50	+1.25
79e	Cemex	20.63	+.56
...	Cendant	10.63	–.25
.16	Centex	u33.00	+.88
1.36	CentBk	37.63	–.69
.18	CntryTel	27.06	–.19
...	Ceridian	u27.19	–.88
...	ChmpE	d3.94	–.31
...	ChrRvLab	n31.56	–2.44
...	Chart	5.06	–.06
.72	ChartOneF	23.75	–.63
1.28	ChaseM s	47.50	+1.25
...	Chaus	50	–.06
.01	Checkpnt	7.50	–.06
.88	Chspk	19.13	–.23
...	ChesEng	7.56	+.38
2.60	Chevron	86.69	+1.44
...	ChileTel	16.94	–.44
...	ChinaMbl s	31.88	–.56
...	ChinaUnic	n21.50	–.31
...	Chiquta	d3.13	...
96	Chittenden	25.50	–.19
...	ChoiceH	10.31	–.69
...	ChoicePt s	44.94	–.94
1.82f	ChrisCr	82.00	–.38
10e	Chrmcft	8.06	–.06
1.32	Chubb	81.00	+1.88
28	ChurDwr	17.25	–1.13
...	Chyron	2.38	–.13
...	CiBER	8.25	...
1.80	CINergy	32.31	–.75
.07	CirCtyCC	22.69	–.31
...	CirCCar	4.88	+.31
56	Citigrp s	55.38	+1.31
...	CitzComm	13.38	...
.70	CityNC	38.50	–.13
.16	ClairesSt	17.69	–.31
47f	Ciarcor	19.38	–.13
.06	ClaytnH	9.38	–.63
...	ClearChan	d51.88	–4.63
1.30	ClvCif	d21.75	–1.13
84f	Clorox	40.13	+.56
.25	Coastal	74.50	+.38
1.86	CstlpfI	42.25	+.63
.68	CocaCl	57.00	+1.88
.16	CocaCE	16.44	+.50
...	Coeur	1.31	...
.63	ColgPal	46.98	–.22
44	ColBgp	10.13	–.25
2.40	ColonPT	25.56	–.13
.90	ColumEn	u71.31	+.31
10	Comdisco	17.56	–1.50
1.80	Comeric	59.81	+1.38
98b	CmcBNJ	59.06	+.88
1.16	CmceGp	29.13	+.19
.26	CmcFdl	19.31	+.19
1.24	CmcINL	10.25	–.13
...	ComScop	24.13	–.38
...	CmtyHlt nu	33.31	+1.19
.10e	CBD–Pao	38.25	+1.06
10	Compaq	28.29	+.69
.07	CompAs	24.88	–.44
...	CompSci	73.88	–.38
.05	CmpTsk	3.00	–.13
.50	Compx	20.94	–.06
...	ComstkRs	11.13	–.25
90f	ConAgra	20.44	+.38
.88	Conectiv	17.50	–.38
3.20	Conectv A	19.38	+1.63
.76	ConocoA	26.75	+.63
.76	ConocoB	27.88	+.94
.25j	Conseco	7.63	...
1.12	ConsolEgy	17.00	+.94
2.18	ConEd	34.69	+.56
1.03t	ConsPdts	7.75	–.25
...	ConStor	13.13	–.38
...	ConstellA	53.06	–1.25
1.68	ConstellEn	49.94	+.19
...	CtlAir B	45.06	–.38
...	Cnvrgys	37.75	–1.13
...	CoopCam	75.50	+1.81
.08	CooperCo	34.63	–.75
1.40	Cooper	35.38	+.13
.42	CooprTr	10.44	+.38
.74	Coors B	63.00	–.19
.24e	Copel	9.00	+.13
...	CoreLab	24.38	–.19
.32	CornPdts	22.56	–.19
1.11	CornerRst	10.63	...
.72	CorningIn	n294.75	–2.50
1.43	CpHYIII	10.19	...
...	CorrecCp s	1.13	–.19
...	Corrpro	4.06	+.06
.16p	CorusGr s	7.56	–.19
.40	CntwCrd	38.75	+1.00
1.80	CousPr	42.25	–.81
...	Covance	7.94	–.25
...	CoxCom	39.56	+1.31
...	CoxRadio s	17.69	+.25
.40b	Crane	22.63	–.25
.10e	Credicp	7.13	–.13
2.20	CresRE	21.75	–.56
...	vjCrimiM	1.50	–.06
.20	Crompton	7.63	–.25
.04	CrosTbr s	20.56	+1.38
1.72e	CrosTim	16.06	...
.83	CrwnAm	6.00	–.06
1.00	CwnCork	d10.44	–.25
.78	CullenFr	34.13	+1.63
1.20	CumEng	31.06	+1.13
...	CypSem	39.00	–2.56
...	Cytec	33.00	–.44
D E F			
96	DLJ HIY	7.31	–.06
.94	DPL	29.88	+.13
1.60	DQE	40.38	+.25
.16b	DR Horton	16.69	–.50
...	DST Sys	u120.00	+2.50
2.06	DTE	38.31	+.06
2.22e	DaimlrC	44.69	+.30
.88	DainRausu	93.19	+.19
...	Dal–Tile	u12.50	...
.13	DallSemi s	32.06	–.81
1.24	DanaCp	21.56	+.06
.08f	Danaher	49.50	–.25
.08	Darden	21.00	+.19
...	DeVry	37.88	+.25
.90	DeanFd	33.00	–.25
.79	DebtStrt	6.13	+.06
.96	DebtStr2	7.31	+.06
.88	Deere	32.31	–.94
...	DelMnte	5.69	–.50
.58	DelhaizeA	17.56	+.13
.57	DelhaizeB	16.94	+.19
.28	DelphiA	14.88	–.25
...	DelphiFn	39.63	–.88
.12	DeltPne	25.31	–.38
.10	DeltaAir	d43.69	+.56
...	DeltaW s	1.56	+.44
1.48	Deluxe	20.00	–.31
...	Denbury	7.75	+.75
.58e	DeutTel	34.63	+.38
1.44	DevDv	12.75	...
1.40e	Diageo	35.56	+.25
.48	DiagPd	u59.88	+6.38
.32	Dial	11.19	–.44
.50	DiaOffs	41.94	+.94
.62	Diebold	25.63	–.94
.16	Dillards	10.25	–.38
.32	DimeBcp	22.31	+.06
.36	Dimon	3.13	–.13
.21	Disney	38.63	+.38
...	DisneyInt	n10.06	–.56
.33e	Dist&Srv	16.00	–.31
.40	Dole	14.00	–1.00
.10	DollarG s	16.00	–.75
...	DollarTh	20.25	+.50
2.58	DomRes n	57.19	–.88
.28	Donldson	21.81	–.19
.25	DonLufJen	89.38	–1.13
...	DLJ Dir	7.06	+.19
.92f	DonlleyRR	24.25	–.31
...	DotHill	d4.63	–1.88
.50f	Dover	46.69	–.25
.18	DoverD	12.88	–.56
1.16	DowChm	s24.94	...
1.00	DowJns	60.44	–.06
.36	DowneyFn	38.38	–1.13
1.15	DryHYSt	7.75	+.06
...	DrilQuip	40.50	+.63
1.40	DuPont	41.63	+.19
...	DuaneR	25.06	+.81
78a	DufPlUtil	9.69	–.06
2.20	DukeEngy	86.94	+1.19
1.72f	DukeWks	23.19	–.94
.74	DunBrad	u36.19	+1.75
...	DunBrd wi	u17.88	+.88
...	Dycom s	42.44	+.81
11e	Dynegy s	53.25	–3.75
...	E4L	.19	–.05
...	EEX Cp	5.00	+.19
...	EMC s	99.25	–.25
1.61e	ENI	54.69	+1.75
.14	EOG Res	39.69	+.81
24f	Earthgr	16.63	–1.81
1.72	EastEnt	u63.94	+.13
1.76	EastChm	37.13	+.19
1.76	EKodak	41.31	+.44
1.76	Eaton	62.31	+.69
.38	EatnVan	50.00	–1.00
.92	EV Srlnc	9.56	+.13
.48	Ecolab	35.88	–.19
1.12	EdisonInt	20.00	+.69
...	EdwLSci n	20.19	–1.63
.64	Edwards	52.31	...
.82	ElPasEn	62.25	+.63
...	Elan	58.63	+3.88
.20	Elcor	14.25	–.25
.60	EDS	43.81	+2.31
.11e	EBrAero n	29.38	–1.63
.27e	Embratl	17.94	–.56
1.65	EMInco2	12.25	+.13
1.43	EmrsnEl	67.19	+.19
1.28	EmpDist	26.31	+.06
...	Encompss	7.25	–.88
58e	Endesa	18.94	+.19
68f	Energen	29.94	+.19
...	Energizr n	22.75	–1.75
.88	EgyEast	22.56	–.06
...	Enersis	17.38	–.44
.40	EnglCp	16.13	–.13
.24	Enhance	12.88	–.13
.50	Enron	86.44	–1.19
2.00	EnrLLC pf	24.38	–.06
.10	ENSCO	39.38	+1.13
...	Entercm	29.88	–.06
1.20	Entergy	u39.88	+2.63
2.10f	EntPrPt	u28.38	–.56
1.76	EnterPT	10.56	–.06
...	Entrade	d3.38	–.44
...	EnzoBio	53.38	+4.88
1.90	EottEng	15.19	+.19
...	Equant	35.19	–1.50
.37	Equifax	26.69	–.25
1.18	EqtResc	u63.56	+.19
1.00	EqtyInn	6.44	–.19
1.68	EqOffPT	30.81	–.31
3.24f	EqtyRsd	47.13	–.94
2.13	EspSn prB	24.13	–.25
2.20	EssexPT	55.19	–.19
.20	EsteeLdr	36.63	...
3.80	ELaudTrst	65.06	+.19
5.40	ELaudT2	70.69	–.56
...	Esterline	u21.44	+1.75
.11	EthanAl	28.13	–.19
.19j	Ethyl	1.56	+.13
24	EverestRe	49.31	–.19
...	EvgrnResu	34.75	...
.08	ExideCp	9.63	+.56
...	ExtStayA	11.75	–1.50
1.76	ExxonMobu	91.44	+2.31
54e	FEMSA	39.00	...
...	FMC	65.75	–1.31
2.16	FPL Gp	u68.25	+2.50
...	FairchldS	27.94	–.19
...	FairfCmts	10.06	–.06
.22	FamDlr	18.50	–.75
1.12	FanniMaeu	73.75	+2.25
...	FedExCp	43.45	–.69
.12	Fedders	d3.56	–.31
.12	FeddersA	3.31	...
.01	FedMog	5.88	+.44
1.80	FedRlty	19.13	...
.76	FedSignl	19.94	+.06
...	FedrDS	25.88	–.25
.15	FedInvst s	25.94	+1.19
2.20	FelCor	22.81	–.31
.58	Ferro	19.81	+.75
.40	FidelFin	24.50	–.06
...	FinlFedl	23.38	–.81
.72	Finova	6.50	–.75
.24	FstAmCp	21.75	+.88
.08	FstData	40.44	+1.38
2.48	FstInRT	30.38	–.38
...	FstRepBku	31.13	+1.00
.88	FstTenn	20.94	+.56
1.92	FstUC	32.94	+.75
1.48	FtVaBk	43.19	+.56
1.95	FWshRT	25.31	–.06
.65	Firstar	22.56	+.19
1.50	FirstEngy	27.81	+.88
1.20f	FleetBost	38.50	–.50
.76	FleetEn	12.81	–.75
.08	Flemng	13.50	+.44
2.22	FlaProg	52.81	–.13
.53	Flowers	19.31	–.69
.56	Flowserv	16.25	–.19
1.00	Fluor	30.19	+.19
...	Footstar	32.56	+.25
...	FordM n	26.06	+.75
...	ForestLab	112.31	–2.38
...	ForestOil	16.06	–.13
.60	FtJames	30.56	...
.96f	FortuneBr	26.50	...
.24	FostWh	7.25	...
...	FoundHS	17.13	+.50
...	4KidsEnt	16.69	–.19
.11	FourSH g	74.00	+.81
...	Fox Ent	25.25	–1.25
2.12	FranFin	22.13	–.38
.24	FrankRes	45.34	+.91
.80a	FrkUtny	7.81	+.19
.68	FreddMac	55.06	+1.00
...	FMCG	8.94	+.13
.16m	Fremont	2.94	–.50
...	FGoldmn	7.38	+.31
...	FriedBR	8.88	–.44
...	Frntrins	.69	+.06
...	FurnBrds	16.50	–.13
G H I			
1.20	GATX	41.56	–.31
2.18	GPU	32.69	+.25
1.08a	GabelliET	11.63	+.13
3.70e	GabGlobl	13.06	–.44
2.27f	GablRsd	26.38	–.81
.36	Galileo Int	15.00	–.50
.92	Gallaghr s	58.06	–1.06
.88f	Gannett	52.31	–.69
.09	Gap	d19.44	–.69
...	Gartner	11.94	+.31
...	Gateway	48.78	+2.03
.48r	GenCorp	8.38	+.25
...	Genentc	180.00	–5.69
5.10e	GAInv	41.69	–.13
.20	GnCable	7.38	–.19
...	GnCbem	1.00	+.06
1.04	GenDyn	62.75	–.06
.55	GenElec s	58.31	+.50
2.04	GnGrth	32.31	+.06
1.81	GGrth plA	22.38	+.19
1.10	GenMills	35.63	+.13
2.00	GnMotr	67.13	+2.13
...	GM Hs	36.55	–.63
...	GenSemi	11.88	–.31
...	Gensco	17.50	+.56
...	GnRad	10.94	–.06
1.10	GenuPrt	19.00	–.06
.32	GaGulf	12.50	+1.06
.50	GaPcGP	22.69	–.81
1.00	GaPTimb	26.81	–.06
.60	GettyRlty	11.31	–.19
.65	Gillette	31.06	+.19
...	Glamis	d1.38	–.06
.70	Glatfelter	11.81	–.31
1.27e	GlaxoWel	59.63	–.81
1.68	GlenRT	17.63	–.38
...	GlobM	31.19	+.31
...	GlbTele	4.06	–.44
.10p	GoldStBc	23.38	–.25
.21	GoldWF su	54.38	+.75
.48	GoldmanS	115.38	+1.44
1.10	Goodrch	38.31	–.88
1.20	Goodyear	18.29	+.34
...	Grace	6.88	...
.68	Graingr	26.63	+.31
...	GrantPr n	22.13	+.19
.40	GtAtPc	d10.56	–.50
.32	GtLkCh	28.94	–.38
1.00	GreenptFn	29.75	+.13
...	GpoASur n	15.19	...
...	Gpolusacll	11.81	–.06
.07	GTelevsa	56.56	–1.13
...	Gtech	16.25	–.31
...	Guess	10.25	–1.00
...	Guidant	68.38	–2.31
.22j	Guilford	d1.63	–.25
...	GlfCda g	4.75	–.63
...	GulfIndoR	10.94	+.06
...	HA–LO	3.81	–.19
.08	HCA Hlth u	39.25	+2.13
.20	HCC In	19.94	–.38
80m	HRPT Prp	7.00	–.13
...	HS Rsc	34.00	+.38
1.76	HSB Gp	40.25	+.13
1.98e	HSBC	70.85	–.55
.50	Hallibtn	50.38	+1.44
.70e	HancBT	7.88	–.13
...	Handlm	12.00	–.38
...	HangrOrth	4.00	+.25
...	HanovC s	32.56	–.38
.84b	HaroGn	59.20	+.20
.30	Harlnd	14.81	–.50
.10	HarleyD s	49.19	+1.31
.10	Harman s	38.24	–.86
...	HarrahE	26.88	–.63
.20b	Harris	28.50	+.06
.94	Harsco	21.31	–.75
.08	HarteHnk	u27.88	+.63
.96	HartfdFn	u76.50	+3.63
...	Hartmx	2.88	–.13
.24	Hasbro	11.38	–.06
2.48	HawEl	34.63	–.25
...	Head NV	nd7.50	–.50
...	HltMgt	20.81	...
2.24f	HltcrRty	20.88	–.25
...	Hlthsth	u8.44	+.38
...	HrstAmT	20.06	+.06
...	HeciaM	.75	...
1.47	Heinz	37.25	+.19
.28e	HelinTel	9.44	+.19
.40	HellrFn	28.50	–.06
.30	HelmPayn	36.69	+.56
.32m	Herculs	14.38	+.25
1.12f	Hershey	52.50	–1.63
.20	Hertz	31.88	+.13
.64b	HewlettP s	93.81	–3.06
...	Hexcel	13.19	–.19
.48	Hibern	12.63	+.38
1.01a	HilncoOp	8.94	...
.60	HiYld	5.38	...
2.28f	HighwdP	23.06	–.56
.80	Hilienbd	u44.88	+.13
.08	Hilton	11.19	–.63

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Div	Name	Last	Chg
	A-B-C		
	ACT Mf	53.25	+.50
	ADC Tel s	27.19	+.50
	ASM Intl s	67.88	+7.6
	ASM Lith s	29.88	-2.44
	AT&T Can	30.44	-.06
	AT&T LAs	8.50	+.06
	AXT Inc	40.13	-1.69
	Aastrom	2.78	-.03
	Abgenix s	72.13	-8.89
	AbleTel	3.13	...
	About.com	27.63	-4.75
	AcaciaR	34.56	-1.45
	AccNetw n	9.75	...
	AccrueS	11.56	-.38
	Actel	36.50	+.56
	Actuate s	34.94	+.39
	Acxiom	33.44	+1.69
	Adaptec	20.00	...
	AdpTBrd s	19.25	-.25
	Adelphia	10.13	-1.69
	Adelph h	27.69	+.13
.10	AdobeSy su	163.00	+7.75
	Adtran	43.25	+.70
	AdvPara su	40.75	-1.44
	AdvDigi s	14.50	-.69
	AdvEngd	31.88	-1.13
	AdvFCm	37.56	-.31
	AdvLight	11.19	-1.19
	AdvRadio	7.75	-.75
	AdvTiss	7.69	+.25
	Advent s	68.63	-1.25
	Aeroflex su	50.06	+1.44
	AethrSys n	93.56	-11.94
	Afymet s	47.06	-2.81
	AgileSft	87.31	-2.63
	AkamaiT n	48.88	-5.64
.99e	Akzo	42.75	+.63
	Alamosa n	15.19	-1.00
	AlbnyMic s	49.23	-6.95
	Alkerm s	37.50	-1.13
	Allaire s	8.03	-.47
	AllegTel s	d32.44	-4.81
	AllianPh	15.73	+.48
	AllianSemi	19.13	-.75
1.84f	AllCap	20.69	-.06
	AllFlsair n	5.94	-.69
	AlloyOnl	8.53	+.03
	Allscripts n	13.75	-.38
	AlphaInd s	32.13	-1.94
	AlteonW	112.88	+4.48
	AlteraCp s	48.44	-1.31
	Amazon	35.88	-2.56
	AEagleO	32.56	+1.06
	AmBkTr	.50	-.03
	APwCnv	18.38	-.81
	AmrTrdg	16.63	-1.13
	AmesDS	5.88	+.09
	Amgen s	65.75	-4.06
	Amkor	25.00	-1.13
	Amsg A	u15.00	+1.00
	Anadigc s	20.25	-1.88
	Anaren su	128.75	-8.88
	Andrew	24.75	-1.44
	AndrxGp n	86.94	-6.44
	anasthink	14.69	-1.56
	Antec	28.63	-2.88
	ApolloG	39.81	-.06
	AppleC s	d24.25	-1.50
	AplDig n	3.75	-.03
	AppliMat s	56.69	-2.63
	AMCC s	191.81	-15.25
	ApdSci	17.25	+2.50
	Apropos n	d7.94	-1.06
	ArchWriss	4.50	-.50
	ArmsSft n	39.13	+1.63
	Ariad	12.38	-.19
	Ariba	127.06	-16.20
	ArmTech	81.88	-12.88
	Artesyn	28.50	-.63
	ArthroC s	19.44	...
	AsiaInfo n	18.38	-.56
	AskJvs	16.81	-2.38
	AspenTc	45.75	+.63
1.04	AstoriaF	38.81	+.19
	AsystTch s	19.50	-.75
	AtHome	d12.56	-1.56
	AtRoad n	d8.50	-.69
	Atmel s	14.38	-.81
	AudioNet	1.31	+.13
	AudCdes	87.13	+2.00
	Audvox	15.13	+.06
	AuroraBio	63.50	-4.50
	Auspex	12.63	+.25
.24	Autodesk	25.00	-.38
	Autoweb	1.50	+.16
	AvadoBrd	28.75	...
	Avanex s	111.94	+4.25
	Avanti	17.69	-.56
	Avantfmm	10.19	-.63
	AvantGo n	19.75	-.25
	Avenue A n	d4.19	-.81
	AviciSys n	d80.38	-14.75
	AvidTch	14.88	+.88
	Aviron	u56.44	-1.88
	AvocetCp n	58.06	+.94
	Avocent n	d11.19	-.69
	AvtrPallas	1.06	-.09
	AvtrT	20.38	-1.19
	AZEA Sys su	78.38	+.50
	BMC Sft	18.06	-1.06
	BackWb	10.63	+.48
	BallardPw	104.06	-5.20
	BnkUntd	51.06	+.38
	Banknorth	18.13	+.25
	BasExpl	20.75	+1.25
	BeFree s	4.19	-.06
	BedBath s	22.69	-1.70
	BellMic s	28.88	-2.56
	bymd.com n	1.00	-.02
	BindView s	7.50	-.06
	BioPharm	22.44	+.50
	Biogen	59.19	-1.81
	Biomet s	35.31	+.31
	Biopure	17.25	-.81
	BioTcG	10.69	-.75
	BlueMart n	34.88	+1.00
	Bluestne	17.00	-.38
	Bookham n	42.00	-.88
	BttmInT	41.44	+4.13
	Breakwy s	7.88	-1.03
	Brightpt	5.16	+.13
	BroadVis s	21.81	-3.88
	BrdbsSft	13.69	+.13
	Brdcom s	233.69	-10.06
	BrodeCm s	224.38	-11.84
	BrooksAu	29.88	-3.25
	Brooktrt	30.19	-2.75
	BrownTom	23.00	-1.50
	BusnObj s	113.75	+.69
	CCORNet s	14.69	-.63
	C-CubeM n	d20.19	-.31
	CBRL Grp	13.94	-.44
	CDW Cpt s	63.13	-5.88
	CMGI	d25.25	-2.69
	CNET	25.38	+1.02
	CNS	4.00	-.13
	CSG Sys	29.88	+.88
	CabotMic n	49.00	+1.00
	CacheFl n	142.38	-.63
	CalAmp	21.56	-1.44
	CalMicr	12.50	-1.50
	CalPizza n	25.75	-2.25
	CambHrt	4.19	-.19
	CambTch	4.25	-.13
	Cambrick n	5.06	-.03
	Camreker u	20.19	+.69
	Carrier 1 n	7.00	-.25
	CarrAcc	19.94	+.13
	CatlSemi n	9.44	...
	Celgene s	59.00	-.50
	CellGens	26.94	-3.06
	CellPath	7.34	-.78
	CellTch	64.63	-2.06
	CentilIm n	95.75	-.25
	CentraSft	3.38	-.13
	CentBusn	d1.25	-.06
	Cephln	45.00	-3.50
	Cerner	u48.38	+1.94
	ChartCm n	17.13	+.86
	ChrtSm n	55.00	-5.69
	ChikPoint su	168.50	...
+11.00			
	ChkFree	40.81	-1.08
	Cheeseck su	43.00	-.25
	Chicos s	33.06	-.94
	chndlcm s	12.31	-1.00
	Chiron	43.44	-1.56
	ChoeOne n	12.38	+.19
	Chordnt n	7.69	-.06
	ChromCS	.78	+.16
	CienaCp s	121.38	-1.44
	CIMALb	u57.31	+5.25
	Cintas s	42.50	-1.06
	CiphrBio	u35.69	+3.69
	Ciprico	10.13	...
	CircleInti	29.06	-1.19
	Cirrus	39.75	-.56
	Cisco s	55.50	+.25
	CitadlC	17.81	+.81
	CitrixSy s	19.50	-.56
	Clarent	38.63	-.75
	Clarus	12.31	-.50
	ClayEng	28.63	-.88
	CobaltN n	55.63	-2.25
	Coherent	81.25	-8.75
	Comcast	43.00	+2.31
	Comcast	43.00	+2.06
	ComOne s	7.25	-.31
	Comintel	2.75	+.50
	CompsBc	19.88	+.38
	Compostch	22	...
	Cpthwk	u31.19	-3.19
	Compuwre	8.13	-.25
	Comwerx	s105.63	-2.38
	CodCamr	s26.00	+.38
	ConcEFS	34.06	-1.45
	ConcOn	18.63	-.38
	Conexnt s	39.13	-2.75
	Connetics	23.75	-.38
	CopMintn	d34.50	-3.00
	CorlTher s	55.00	-7.31
	CoreCom s	8.13	+.19
	CoreCp	3.69	...
	Corsair	8.00	+.19
	Corvas	u23.13	-.13
	CorvisCp n	62.31	+1.27
	CosineCm	39.13	-2.69
	CostPlus s	28.69	-1.44
	Costco s	32.94	-2.00
	CottCp	8.03	+.03
	CovadCm s	d12.00	-1.38
	Crayfish n	92.75	-.63
	CredSys s	28.38	-1.63
	Cree Inc	110.00	-8.25
	CrtPatn	56.19	-4.56
	Crssrda n	8.38	-.13
	CrwnCstl	29.88	-1.19
	Cryptiqc n	d11.38	-1.69
	CubistPh	48.13	-3.94
	CumMed	4.94	-1.19
	CuraGen s	48.38	-4.91
	Cybear n	1.19	-.13
	CyberCare	5.78	-.58
	Cygnus	9.00	-2.00
	Cymer	29.00	-1.69
	CyprCom n	d2.56	-.09
	Cysive s	6.69	...
	Cytogn	6.31	...
	Cytyc s	39.50	-3.63
	D-E-F		
	DDi n	43.00	-1.25
	DMC Strtx	16.88	+.81
	DSL.net	3.03	-.03
	DSP Gp s	35.63	-1.75
	Danka	d1.06	-.47
	DataKnt	12.97	-.22
	DataRat n	18.25	-2.00
	Datatec	4.50	+.09
	DataRice	5.09	-.47
	Dawson	10.06	-.56
	DBeer	29.63	+1.94
	DelanoT n	15.00	-.75
	DellCptr	d29.25	-1.56
	DesePc	5.03	-.59
	DescSys	48.44	-3.06
	Digex	43.25	-3.63
	DigCourier	1.96	+.17
	DigIsld	18.81	+.06
	DigLght	69.00	-3.63
	DisplayTc	d1.50	-1.13
	DitechCo s	37.75	-3.25
	Docent n	17.25	-1.06
	Documnt	78.13	-3.06
	DiwTree s	40.00	-.56
	DobleClick	29.63	-2.38
	drkóop	1.25	+.09
	drugstre	d3.00	-.38
	DrySpers	d.19	-.09
	DuraPh	u38.25	+2.88
	DurbanRo	1.06	+.03
	DurctCp n	14.63	-.38
	DyaxCp n	u49.06	+5.31
	ETrade	15.88	+.50
	EStamp	.94	+.03
	E-loan	4.75	+.56
	e.spire	2.97	+.03
	eBaylnc s	66.88	-1.81
	ECI Tel	30.81	+.19
	EGL Inc	31.00	+.75
	eLot Inc	1.53	-.09
	EXFO gn	42.38	-1.19
	EarthShll	1.28	+.03
	EarthLink n	d8.63	-.50
	eBenX n	d10.75	-.56
	EchelonC	29.81	+.44
	EchoStar s	54.13	+1.38
	EdenBio n	u40.25	+7.25
	EduMgt	26.00	+1.06
	EfthNtwf	36.63	-.69
	eGainCm	8.25	-1.16
	Elantec s	98.38	-1.25
	ElctcNet n	13.75	-.19
	ElcFuel	10.00	-.77
	ElectSci s	35.88	+.75
	ElecArts s	49.06	-.31
	EFII	24.89	-.56
	Elctarc	4.50	+.13
	eMachns n	1.06	+.03
	EmrgVis n	1.13	-.09
	EmrMfgC s	23.50	-1.25
	Emulex s	109.63	-12.88
	Emusic	d1.50	-.09
	Engage s	7.50	-.63
	Enlegris n	9.69	+.13
	Entropin n	4.94	-4.69
	Entrust	27.56	-.06
	Enzon	60.00	-6.00
	Epiph	59.50	-17.56
	EpicTel s	15.19	+.38
	eToys	1.00	-.09
	Exabyte	12.00	+.75
	eXcelon	11.25	-1.13
	ExchApp s	d3.56	-.97
	ExodusC s	46.25	-3.13
	Expdint	44.19	-.88
	ExtNetw s	100.50	-14.00
	F5 Netw	30.25	-3.75
	Factory2U	28.38	-2.19
	FfthThrd su	57.25	+3.38
	FileNet	17.63	-.56
	Finet.com	.50	+.03
	Finisar s	46.81	-1.56
	FirePd n	14.38	-.13
	FrstFdB n	13.06	+.25
	FstHlth	35.06	+2.81
	FSecCp	16.56	+.25
	FstMerit	23.56	+.63
	FrstWrld n	d2.06	+.06
	Fiserv	58.00	-1.88
	FlagTlc n	10.50	-.50
	Flextrn s	82.00	-.13
	FoolCom	14.88	-.56
	ForrestR s	50.81	-12.94
	Fortel	1.03	-.03
	ForwrdA	35.00	-.19
	Foundry s	64.81	-2.13
	FreeMkt n	46.94	-10.19
	Fritz	11.63	-.38
	FrontrAir	u19.94	+.50
	FrozenFd	2.44	-.13
	FuelCell s	d22.00	+6.77
	FulrHB	28.94	+.19
	FusnNet	1.28	-.59
	FtreLink n	d2.78	-.28
	Ftrmdia	.53	...
	G-H-I		
	GSI Lum	15.06	-1.44
	Gadzoox	6.31	-.81
	GalileoT	33.13	+1.38
	Gasonics	12.19	-.06
	GelTex n	46.00	-.81
	Gemstar s	84.75	-2.44
	GenaisPh n	23.06	+2.38
	GeneLgc	20.38	-2.63
	GeneLTc	5.78	-.19
	GMagic	5.28	-.59
	GenBiotc n	12.75	+.31
	Genome	19.81	-.75
	GenmcSi n	18.44	+1.25
	Genmica n	19.06	-.38
	Genta	9.25	-.31
	Gentex	25.25	+.25
	Genuity n	d6.25	-.28
	GenzymGn	65.63	-2.56
	GenzyT s	92.75	-2.50
	Geoworks	7.06	-.31
	GeronCp	24.63	-3.75
	Gettylm	29.19	-1.25
	Gilead	104.13	-5.56
	Glenayre	9.66	-1.22
	GlbCrss	29.06	-1.94
	Globlnd	12.38	-.13
	Globalstr	8.50	-.13
	GlbeSpn s	118.88	-3.13
	GlobixCp s	20.81	-2.50
	Go2net	49.75	-4.52
	GoTo.com	14.00	-2.50
	GricCm n	d6.06	-1.19
	H PwrCp n	29.13	-4.31
	HMTTch	3.00	-.47
	HNC Sft s	16.25	+.31
	Hndsprg n	68.44	-10.63
	Harmonic s	22.94	-1.06
	HavasAd n	15.19	+.56
.48	HelixTech	28.63	-1.25
	HSchein	u22.13	+2.19
	hifn Inc	59.00	-9.13
	HibrnFd	5.25	+.03
	HbrnF wtC	d2.25	+.19
	HighSpd n	3.56	-.06
	Hywdc	7.38	-.06
	HómeStore	46.06	-.69
	Howtek	3.03	+.09
	HuntGen s	163.69	-9.44
80b	HuntBnk	15.25	+.56
	HybrdNt n	15.75	-2.81
	HyperSolu	25.50	-.38
	I Tech s	189.88	-17.19
	ICG Com	47	+.03
	ICOS	52.00	-2.13
	IDEC s	157.00	-18.38
	IdexxLb	24.44	-2.31
	iGateCap	5.19	-.19
	ITC Dlt s	10.69	-.81
	IXL Entp	4.03	-.34
	iBasis n	13.19	-2.69
	iBeamB n	d6.03	-.78
	IlexOnco	29.00	-1.13
	imatrn	2.48	+.17
	Imcine	109.25	-7.81
	Imungn	31.50	-2.69
	Imunex s	41.31	-2.19
	Imunmd	18.00	-2.94
	Impath s	u55.13	-8.00
	Inamed	29.00	+.88
	Incyte s	39.75	-1.38
.23	IndpCmtyu	14.63	+.63
	InfoSpce s	27.44	-2.81
	infoUSA	d4.44	-.56
	InFocus	u58.50	+5.50
	Informat s	87.88	-5.38
	InfoArch	3.38	+.06
	Informix	4.03	-.09
	InhaleTh s	50.88	-5.50
	Inkine n	9.44	-1.31
	Inktomi s	106.69	-7.31
	Innovex	13.50	-.13
	Inprise	5.16	-.19
	InrangeT n	d46.75	-6.25
	Insight s	24.00	-3.25
	Insmed	15.00	+1.81
	IntgCirc n	17.63	-.88
	IntgDv	89.44	-1.06
	ISSI	14.19	...
	IntegSrg	d.32	-.03
.08	Intel s	40.13	-1.44
	Intelect	1.38	-.06
	IntekDta	5.75	+.52
.04	InterTel	d10.13	-1.25
	InterDig	12.44	-1.56
	Intrliant	d7.69	-.38
	IntmdCm	28.94	-.56
	IntrNAP s	29.31	-3.00
	IntrFibcm	14.31	-.31
	ItrntCap s	18.44	-1.00
	IntnetPict	d4.31	-1.13
	Intersil n	41.56	-8.31
	Intspeed	d5.19	-1.69
	IntrtrstT s	d10.63	-1.44
	InterWorld	3.94	+.13
	Intrwyn s	104.13	-8.94
	IntnetSol	48.00	-2.00
	Intrawre	8.06	+.59
	Intuit s	54.06	-2.94
	Invitrogn	71.13	...
	Irvine	2.69	-.31
	Isis	11.00	-.50
	iVillage	3.50	-.38
	IxysCp s	22.00	-4.13
	J-K-L		
	JD Edwr	24.44	-1.44
	JDS Uni s	89.94	-4.75
	JNI Corp n	81.50	-7.50
	JkksPac s	d9.50	+.09
	Jazztel n	22.13	-.38
	JnprNtw	206.13	-12.81
	JunoOnl	3.94	-.06
	JupitMed	14.94	-1.00
	KLA Tnc s	38.00	-3.19
	KanaCm s	21.25	-1.00
	Kasper	34	-1.53
	Keynote	24.25	-2.50
	kforce.com	d3.06	-.44
	KnghtTrd	34.38	-1.63
	Komag	3.38	-.63
	Kopin s	17.31	-.69
	KoreaThr n	5.19	-.69
	Kulicke s	13.19	-.13
	LCC Intl	12.13	-2.38
	LTX	17.94	-1.00
	LaJolPh	9.38	+.06
	LamRsch s	22.75	+1.81
	LamarAdv	d37.19	-.69
	LrgScale n	30.25	-2.50
	Lattice	52.44	-1.31
	LeapWr	60.13	-2.44
	Learn2.com	1.97	-.13
	Legato	11.81	-1.63
	LndTree n	d3.75	-.75
	LerHaus s	14.06	+.94
	Level3	72.38	-4.75
	LibteTch	28.69	-.25
	LibDigtl	17.94	-2.31
	LifePtH	35.69	+.19
	Ligand B	13.13	+.31
	LightP	46.31	-1.19
	Lincare	26.19	-.50
	LinsarT s	62.31	-2.44
	LkSmart n	d10.44	-.75
	Liminant n	2.94	-.03
	Lycos	67.00	-1.77
	M-N-O		
	M-SysFD s	36.13	-2.06
	MIPS Tc n	44.06	-1.94
	MKS Inst	23.00	-4.38
	MMC Nt	117.00	-9.50
	MP3.cm	3.88	-.06
	MRV Cm s	46.25	+.94
	Macrmdia	80.63	-.19
	Macrvsn	80.38	-.63
	Madgen	8.75	+.13
	MainAssc	60.00	-1.25
	Manugist	92.94	-5.19
	MarchFrst	15.06	-.63
	MarvellT n	79.25	+2.13
	Mathsft	2.13	+.06
	MatriaH n	3.44	-.06
	MatrixO n	35.25	-4.75
	Mattson	14.00	-.88
	Maxim s	78.38	-2.06
	Maxtor	9.75	-.13
	Maxygen n	49.75	-2.13
	McAfee n	14.25	-.63
	McLeod s	13.06	-1.25
	McData n	104.56	-18.33
	Medimun s	56.75	-20.50
	Medarex	105.19	-12.13
	MedPlex n	3.88	-.25
	MedLgic n	3.94	+.38
	MentGr	22.63	-.94
	MercltBk	35.75	-.55
	Mercator	15.44	-1.13
	Mercintr su	151.44	-5.31
	MertMd	6.75	+.44
	Merix Cp s	57.19	-7.63
	MessgeMd	2.72	+.19
	MetalMgt	.31	+.03
	MetaSolv n	34.06	-6.81
	Methanex	5.06	...
	MethdA	43.88	-.44
	Metrcm	22.06	-3.69
	Metrocall	3.06	-.06
	MtrmdF s	22.44	-1.88
	MichStr	38.94	-1.06
	Micrel s	65.94	-1.06
	Microcll n	29.25	+.19
	Microchp s	37.19	+4.13
	Micromse s	192.38	-8.56
	MicronEl	9.00	...
	Microsft	d59.13	-1.19
	MicroStr s	27.25	-.06
	MillPhar s	135.81	-10.25
	MiniMed s	87.00	-2.38
	MitekS n	d2.59	-1.59
.10	Molex s	54.44	...
.10	MolexA s	41.50	+.06
	Mrtg.cm	.88	-.13
	Mottient	12.75	-1.38
	MpwrCm s	8.00	-.72
	MyPoints	5.25	-.25
	Myriad s	83.00	-3.38
	MyTurn n	6.00	-1.28
	NBC Int n	6.75	+.19
	NCO Grp	12.69	+.81
	NPS Phm	52.38	-4.19
	NTL Inc s	49.25	+2.94
	NaProBio	8.19	-.94
.42	NCmcBc	20.25	+.31
	Natl Info	4.00	+.03
	NTeam	3.56	+.44
	NatlMicr s	57.25	+3.45
	NavisSite s	24.64	-2.30
	NeoRx	24.25	-.25
	Neoform n	3.31	-.41
	NetPrcp	5.03	+.31
	Net2Phn	23.75	+1.25
	NetIQ	61.25	-4.44
	Netcntys n	9.00	+1.34
	Netegrity s	84.38	-5.63
	Netmng	2.00	-.13
	Netopia	d9.81	-1.19
	Netplnce n	d1.47	-.03
	NetfloCp	56.88	-2.38
	NtScout	24.38	+.63
	NetwkAp s	122.19	-5.19
	NetwkAsc	23.00	+.38
	NtwkPeri	16.44	-.56
	NtwrkPl	8.06	-.56
	NetZero	2.44	+.31
	NewEra	21.25	-3.06
	NewFoc n	82.81	+3.75
.02	Newport s	183.63	+4.36
	NextLevl n	71.50	+5.38
	NextCrd	9.38	+.26
	NextelC s	42.19	-4.56
	NextlPrt n	27.94	-1.19
.54	Nextlink s	32.06	-3.13
	NikuCp n	23.50	-.88
	NorTrst s	87.25	-1.63
	NorthPnt	8.47	-.41
	NwstAirl	24.81	+.25
	Novell	9.88	-.06
	Novlus s	43.00	-3.56
	Novyen	41.81	-.94
38t	NuHoriz	27.31	-2.50
	NuanceC n	125.50	+3.81
	Nvidia s	79.94	-1.94
	NxNetwrk	5.00	-.63
	ONI Sys n	75.31	-11.00
	OSI Phrm	68.13	-1.88
	OakTech	26.63	-.75
	ObjSys	8.75	+.06
.48	OhioCas	6.50	+.16
	OmniSky n	17.94	-2.38
	1-800Cont	s44.94	-3.06
	Onvia.cm n	d3.94	-.50
	OnyxPh	24.69	+.06
	OpenMkt	d5.00	-1.28
	OpenTV n	33.19	-.06
	Optika	d2.75	-.75
	OptnCr	7.63	+.31
	Oracle	78.75	...
	OratcInt n	13.38	+1.13
	Orbotch s	52.56	-2.13
	Osteotech	8.31	-1.25
	OxfordHlt	31.44	+.70
	P-Q-R		
	P-Com	6.13	-.50
	PC Cnnct s	47.63	-9.38
	PMC Sra s	212.75	-2.50
	PRI Auto	d17.63	-.63
	PSINet s	8.91	-.72
	PSS Wrld	d3.41	-.22
	PTEK Hld	2.94	-.16
1.20	Paccar	d38.13	+1.06
	PacSun	19.13	-.38
	PacifCr	37.44	+2.63
	PckrdBio n	17.81	-1.69
	Packetr	37.94	...
	Palm n	51.06	-1.88
	PanAmSat	30.38	-1.56
	PapJohn	24.45	-.61
	Pradyne	5.81	+.41
	ParPet	4.47	-.03
	ParmTc	11.63	+.69
	Parexel	8.19	-.31
	Pathmrk n	12.44	+.13
	Pthmrk wt	d2.63	-.13
	PattEng	34.88	+.50
.24	Paychex s	51.63	-.88
	pcOrder	4.19	+.63
	Pegasus s	17.25	-2.31
	PenNGamu	15.75	+.53
	Peoplesoft	27.88	-.06
	PrSeTch	10.81	-1.88
	Peregrne s	18.50	-.44
	Pericom su	42.75	+5.19
	Perrigo	7.00	+.16
	Pharcop	26.25	+.75
	PhnxTc	15.25	-.69
	Phne.cm	110.44	-3.19
	Photon	33.44	-4.31
	PhotrIn	21.69	-.13
	PicTel	6.91	-.13
	PncleHld	26.56	-.06
	Pxlwrks n	48.00	+.31
	PinetRx	.44	...
	Plexus s	87.75	-2.75
	Polycom s	85.19	-1.78
	Polymed	44.50	+1.63
	PopMail n	d.38	-.09
.64	Popular	25.94	-1.13
	PortalSft	33.94	-6.06
	Powrlntg s	12.75	-1.19
	Pwr-One s	52.00	-8.52
	Powertel	77.13	+1.06
	Powrwv s	38.44	+.47
	PraecisP n	42.25	-.25
	PrecSft n	39.75	-3.38
.52	PriceTR	47.13	+.19
	priceline n	10.88	-1.00
	PrmEgy	8.00	...
	PrmsKn	d10.88	-3.94
	PrimusT	d9.25	-.25
	PriHlthc	u71.94	-4.31
	Prodigy	5.69	+.56
	ProDfNg	u80.00	+23.00
	ProdRec	9.38	-.50
	ProGnSft s	13.63	...
	ProjSft s	d11.25	-4.30
	ProfDsg s	110.50	-10.00
	PrtnEng n	29.50	+.88
.96	ProvFncl	28.63	-.75
	ProvHlth su	40.50	+.56
	Proxicm s	d18.63	-.88
	Proxim s	41.63	-2.88
	PumaT s	19.25	-1.06
	PrchPso s	80.50	-7.38
	QLT s	69.38	-1.50
	QXL.com s	3.69	...
	Qlogic s	87.31	-.69
	Qualcom s	71.31	+.06
	QuestSft s	61.75	-.38
	Quintiles	15.56	-.38
	Quintus n	8.50	-.63
	Quokka	3.69	-.28
	QuormH	13.19	+.19
	RCN Cp	19.88	-.88
	RF MicD s	30.06	-1.94
	RSA Sec	40.56	-2.56
	RSL Com	2.06	+.06
	RdntSys s	25.38	+4.00
	RdioOne s	d7.13	-1.19
	ROneD n	6.59	-.47
	Railwrks	3.38	-.06
	Rambus s	83.00	+4.06
	RmpNtw	2.06	-1.47
	RareMed	6.59	-.84
	RatnSft s	67.75	-1.63
	Rzrfish s	9.88	-.45
	ReadRt	10.81	-.44
	RealNwk s	37.56	-2.19
	RedHat s	16.63	-.44
	Redback s	151.25	-12.75
	Regenrn	29.56	-3.06
1.08	RegionsFn	23.50	+.81
	Register n	8.38	-1.13
	Relnec s	27.00	-2.44
	Remedy	d17.44	-1.44
	RemOG	10.00	-.44
	RenaisW	1.56	...
	RenalCre	17.25	-1.38
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LOCAL SPORTS

Joe Lilley makes team

Joe Lilley, a graduate of Midland Lee, has been selected to the 2000-2001 NCJAA Region V All-Star baseball team, which will play the Region XIV All-Stars in Waco on Oct. 6-7.

Lilley, a sophomore a Frank Phillips College, led the team in homers as a freshman.

Football

Junior Varsity

Lee 33, Odessa High 22. For Lee (4-0 and winner of 29 straight): Offense: Eric Gutierrez, 134 yards rushing, two TDs (24, 60); Cliff Goyang, four-yard TD run, two-point conversion; Clint Kyle, 54 yards receiving; Coby Gleghorn, 3 PATs; Aaron Timmerman, 4-yard TD pass to Jeff Votaw. Defense: Gutierrez, 79-yard interception return for a touchdown; Josh Chapman, an interception; Kelly Doolittle, fumble recovery; David Chavez and Price Thompson, quarterback sacks.

Sophomores

Lee 20, Odessa High 13. For Lee (2-0-1): Roderick Conally, 168 yards rushing, 3 TDs, two-point conversion; John Roberson, 102 yards rushing; Mike Johnson, fumble recovery. Lee came back from a 13-0 deficit.

Volleyball

Eighth Grade

Goddard White def. Alamo Gray, 15-9, 15-8. For White (4-3): Kianti Jackson, 12 points, four aces, 4 kills; Lacee Edwards, five points, three aces, two kills. For Gray (5-2): Amanda Eden, four points; Kristen Carrillo, four points. Rebecca Ulmo, three kills.

Goddard Black def. Alamo Red, 10-15, 15-11, 15-6. For Black (4-3): Kelsie Poe, 20 points; Megan Haynes, six points; Lindsey Ewing, six points.

Trinity def. Andrews, 13-15, 15-1, 15-6. For Trinity (5-5): Kalin Harvard, 16 service points, 2 aces, 3 kills; Jordan Torres, 13 service points; Katie Rogers, 5 service points, 4 assists; Sarah Britt, 5 service points, 2 kills; Taylor Rutter, 4 kills.

Seminole def. Midland Christian B, 15-2, 7-15, 15-6. For Midland Christian: Angela Darden, 8 service points; Dallas Hill, 5 service points.

Abell White def. San Jacinto White, 9-15, 15-10, 15-11. For White (2-5): Miranda Hocutt, eight points, three kills, eight blocks; Meaghan Swinney, five points; Heather Crausse, five blocks, one kill.

Midland Christian A def. Seminole, 15-5, 15-9. For MCS (18-0): Haley McMinn, eight points; Sherry Deeds, eight points.

Abell Blue def. San Jacinto Green, 15-2, 12-15, 15-10. For Blue (6-1): Meghan Davidson, 10 points, nine digs, three kills; Caitlin Treider, seven points, five aces, 15 digs, four kills, one block; Rachel Redman, six points, 10 digs; Sara Schneider, six points, four aces; Kellye Robertson, five points, three aces, seven digs, three kills, two blocks.

Seventh Grade

Trinity def. Andrews, 15-6, 15-11. For Trinity (8-2): Jane Sullivan, 10 service points, 1 ace; Stevanie Womble, 4 service points.

Goddard Black def. Alamo Red 15-7, 10-15, 15-11. For Goddard: Michelle Davis, 8 service points; Jana Bradley, 7 service points; Katie Hammit, 7 service points. For Alamo: Lauren Truitt, 17 service points; Celeste Carruth, 6 service points; Jenny Hannah, 5 service points.

Alamo White def. Goddard White, 15-13, 7-15, 15-9. For Alamo: Lillian Castro, 22 service points; Whitney Calhaun, 7 digs.

Goddard Red def. Alamo Maroon, 15-7, 13-15, 16-14.

Alamo Gray def. Goddard Purple 15-7, 11-15, 15-13. For Gray (7-0): Marcie Marino, 14 points; Liz Montgomery, 10 points.

Midland Christian A def. Seminole, 9-15, 15-10, 16-14. For MCS (10-11): Kresha Adams, 6 points; Natalie Swanner, nine points; Dayna Epley, 11 points; Susie Shelton, nine points.

Midland Christian B def. Seminole, 15-12, 4-15, 15-8. For MCS: Sara Suvick, 15 points; Courntey Roberts, 5 points.

Abell Blue def. San Jacinto Purple 15-1, 8-15, 15-8. For Blue (6-1): Cydney Cumbest, 16 points, three aces; Hanna Foreman, six points, aces; Malerie Almager, six points.

Goddard Red def. Alamo Maroon, 15-7, 13-15, 16-14. For Maroon: Jacolyn Leonard, 11 points, two digs, one ace; Brittney Enriquez, eight points, one ace; Amanda Copeland, six serves, two aces.

Abell White def. San Jacinto White, 10-15, 15-4, 15-2. For Abell: Mari Williams, 12 points; Lorelei Willett, eight points; Anna Neal, six points; Rakisha Williams, six points.

Midland Tennis Club Results

Antwine Smith defeated Don Stephens, 6-1, 6-3, to win the Midland Tennis Club's men's singles title this past weekend.

Lauren Wilson defeated Gloria Brun to win the women's bracket.

Here are Midland Tennis Club results from the men's and women's singles event held this past weekend.

Men's Singles

Open: Antwine Smith def. Don Stephens, 6-1, 6-3. Consolation: Bill Mills def. Brad Brock, 6-0, 6-1.

A-1: Adam Vavrek def. Brett Rodgers, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4; Michael Monroe def. Bryan Rutherford, 6-2, 6-2.

Women's Singles

A Bracket: Lauren Wilson def. Gloria Burn, 6-0, 6-0; Consolation Bracket: Glenda Adams def. Peg Woody, by default.

B Bracket: Minnie Satyavada def. Narissa Mahaklan, 6-3, 6-1; Consolation: Jamie McGowan def. Brittany Rodawalt, 7-5, 7-6.

Some superstars look to turn things around in postseason

By Ben Walker
AP Baseball Writer

Barry Bonds, Roger Clemens and Mike Piazza have spent their whole careers winning awards, making All-Star appearances and posting Hall of Fame stats.

In October, though, their numbers don't always add up.

Bonds and Piazza have barely hit .200 without much power, and Clemens is merely a .500 pitcher in the postseason. They get a chance to change that this week.

Rick Ankiel is scheduled to throw the first pitch of the playoffs Tuesday afternoon when St. Louis takes on Greg Maddux and the Atlanta Braves.

Cardinals manager Tony La Russa, a master of gamesmanship, pulled the first surprise of the postseason Monday. With 20-game winner Darryl Kile expected to pitch Game 1, La Russa instead said his starter would be Ankiel, a 21-year-old rookie.

"I think it's going to be a conversation stopper," La Russa said.

Said Braves manager Bobby Cox: "Is he going to do that?"

Maddux, a four-time Cy Young winner, is 10-10 in 23 career postseason starts. He'll get a break, as will the other Atlanta pitchers — Cardinals slugger Mark McGwire will only be a pinch-hitter, slowed by tendinitis in his right knee.

"There's nothing I can do about it," McGwire said.

Later in the day, the best-of-5 AL playoffs begin. The Seattle Mariners will visit the Chicago White Sox and Clemens will start for the New York Yankees at the Oakland Athletics.

On Wednesday, Piazza and the New York Mets will visit Bonds and the San Francisco Giants.

Clemens earned his first World Series victory last year when he finished off the Yankees' second consecutive sweep. The Rocket's strong outing against the Braves left him 3-3 in 12 lifetime starts in the postseason. All in all, a record not quite befitting the pitcher who has won a record five Cy Youngs.

Clemens struggled after being hit in the right hamstring by a hard grounder off the bat off Detroit's Brad Ausmus in late September. The Yankees stumbled, too, losing their final seven games of the regular season — the worst skid ever for a team entering postseason play.

Clemens and the Yankees did not seem too worried.

"I think you'll see the intensity there," Clemens said.

Against the Athletics, Clemens will return to the site of one of his postseason lowlights. In Game 4 of the 1990 AL playoffs between Boston and the A's at the Coliseum, Clemens jawed with umpire Terry Cooney and wound up becoming the first person in playoff history to be ejected for arguing with an umpire while still in the game.

At Comiskey Park, the Mariners find themselves in a surprising position — in the playoffs without Ken Griffey Jr. Freddy Garcia will start for Seattle against Jim Parque of the White Sox.

After trading Randy Johnson in 1998, Seattle sent away its greatest player in franchise history to Cincinnati for a package that included center fielder Mike Cameron and pitcher Brett Tomko.

The result? The Mariners won a team-record 91 games and the wild card spot.

"Regardless of how you slice it, we're going to the playoffs and the Reds are going home," Tomko said.

At Pacific Bell Park, Bonds and Piazza will be the main focus when the Giants and Mets meet. Piazza is only 12-for-57 (.211) with two homers and seven RBIs in postseason series with the Mets and Los Angeles.

Bonds, in contention for his record fourth MVP award, has played in four postseason series and has never won one. He's 16-for-80 (.200) overall with only one home run and five RBIs.

Bonds praised Mets left-handers Mike Hampton and Al Leiter, who will start the first two games. Hampton, 9-0 lifetime against San Francisco, will start the opener against Livan Hernandez, MVP of the 1997 NLCS and the 1997 World Series.

"Just giving them the respect they deserve," Bonds said. "All lefties are giving me trouble, but those guys are especially tough."

Three managers get pink slips

By Josh Dubow
AP Sports Writer

Cincinnati manager Jack McKeon and Arizona's Buck Showalter were fired Monday after finishing seasons that didn't duplicate last year's success despite adding high-priced star players.

"Expectations were high," said McKeon, who couldn't lead Ken Griffey Jr. to the playoffs. "If there's got to be a fall guy, I'll be glad to take the responsibility."

After no in-season managerial changes for the first time in 58 years, skippers are finding the offseason not so secure. Pittsburgh's Gene Lamont was also fired — one day after Terry Francona was cut loose in Philadelphia — and others could follow soon.

Los Angeles' Davey Johnson and Toronto's Jim Fregosi will hear about their fates in the coming weeks. Minnesota's Tom Kelly, the senior manager in the majors at 14-plus seasons, will meet with Twins president Jerry Bell on Tuesday to discuss his future.

Tampa Bay's Larry Rothschild won't join the list of unemployed skippers, although three coaches were fired. Houston's Larry Dierker and Montreal's Felipe Alou were already given reprieves last week.

Three high-profile managers could control their own fates after the postseason. San Francisco's Dusty Baker, Seattle's Lou Piniella and the Mets' Bobby Valentine will be free agents and will be at the top of many teams' lists.

Showalter, the only manager in Arizona's three-year history, won the NL West in 1999, but lost in the first round of the playoffs to the Mets and fell to third place this season.

"We think that it's time to move in another direction. Kind of time to work on what we need to do to move on," owner Jerry Colangelo said.

With an $80.8 million payroll, baseball's sixth-highest, expectations were high in Arizona.

On May 10, the Diamondbacks were 26-10 and led the NL West by 6 1/2 games but they slumped after that. Not even the acquisition of Curt Schilling from Philadelphia in late July provided a spark.

Schilling went 5-6 for Arizona and Randy Johnson, 14-2 before the All-Star break, went 5-5 in his final 16 starts as the Diamondbacks finished 85-77, 12 games behind the division-leading Giants.

Reds general manager Jim Bowden said he will wait until the playoffs conclude to choose a replacement for last year's NL Manager of the Year.

Ken Griffey Sr. has one more year on his contract as the team's bench coach and is a candidate to replace McKeon. Piniella, who won the 1990 World Series with Cincinnati, also could be in the running if he leaves Seattle.

"The process is going to be long and drawn-out," Bowden said. "There are some good managers in the postseason that might be available."

The Reds created much of the preseason buzz last February with the acquisition of Griffey. The perennial All-Star outfielder was traded from Seattle, making a return to his hometown and joining his father with the Reds.

Griffey batted .271 this year with 40 homers, 118 RBIs and 100 runs. He objected when McKeon decided to rest him and had a blowup in the dugout with his father when McKeon pulled him from a game because he had hurt his knee.

McKeon conceded that some of the veterans on the club didn't like his style and wanted to see him fired.

"There's a few that will like it and there's a lot that won't like it," McKeon said. "That always happens."

The Pirates (69-93), who finished fifth in the NL Central, 26 games behind St. Louis, will head into new stadium with a new manager.

"I'd like to think PNC Park will help the Pirates," Lamont said. "Look at Cleveland. They're a small-market team, and they were able to do it. It's never easy in a small market."

Owner Kevin McClatchy had said he wanted to take a winning team into the ballpark. Before the 2000 season began, he said the Pirates could win 90 games behind Kendall, Brian Giles and Kris Benson — a prediction he now regrets.

There has been widespread speculation the past month that Rothschild, who has one year remaining on his contract, would not return in 2001. But general manager Chuck LaMar decided to bring him back for a fourth year.

However, bench coach Bill Russell, bullpen coach Orlando Gomez and hitting coach Leon Roberts were fired.

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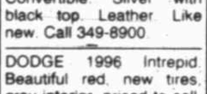

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410 Miscellaneous Sales

7' GLASS DISPLAY case $150 or Best offer 570-6809.

1999 MODEL ELECTRIC Wheel Chair. Jazzy 1103 Mini Power Chair, barely used. Paid $5,350, asking $3,500. Can be seen by appointment only, Monday- Friday between 8 & 5. Call 915-520-6943.

LOVESEAT Comfortable antique. $625. Round wooden table and chairs $450. Recliner $100., O.B.O. Call 6875748.

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BEAUTIFUL WEDDING DRESS
Traditional off the shoulders. Size 12. Slip included. $400. Call 694-4412.

WHIRLPOOL. No Frost Refrigerator- $150; Hotpoint upright freezer $60; Whirlpool washer/ dryer- $150; antique stereo $70; queen size bed with bedding- $300; dresser- $50; high chair $30; dog house- $30; BBQ pit $35; file cabinet- $20; 4 book shelves- $30 each; 3 piece book shelf- $60; entertainment center- $40; couch- $45; coffee table- $30; chair- $35; couch- $20; area rug- $20; pantry cabinet- $65. 689-6825.

QUALITY EXECUTIVE DESK. 7 drawers, solid oak, manufactured by Stow of Grandrapids. Must see to appreciate. Cash only By appointment only. Please call 684-5853.

★ BIBLE TALK. "How are we saved by Abrahamic faith?" 915-520-0381. Free recorded message.

CLASSIC POOH bumper and dust ruffle. Excellent condition! $50. Call 570-4804.

2 ONLY- 12'x24' garage/ workshop- slight damage. Will deliver. 915-563-3108.

WHY PAY Rent? 10'x16' storage buildings $36 a month- most colors remaining. Delivery/ financing. 915-563-3108.

WESLO Easy Stride exerciser. New, never used. $50. 520-8526.

3 PERSON Spa/ hot- tubs- $53.00 a month. Three remaining. Delivery/ financing. 915-563-3108.

OVERSTOCK REDUCTION- 8'x16' storage buildings $29.00 a month- 7 remaining. Delivery/ financing available. 915-563-3108.

8' GLASS DISPLAY case $150 or best offer 570-6809.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

RECESS Mount 3 Building fluorescent fixtures with 277 volt ballast. $15 O. B. O. 697-8376.

COUCH & CHAIR, $150. Golf clubs, 3/4 air impact wrench/ sockets, tire/ wheel 750-16LT. 694-9871.

HEALTH RIDER. (name brand). Good condition. $125. 686-7561.

SOFA Sectional Black with pin stripes. $350. Call 697-8990.

FOR SALE One share of Greentree Country Club stock. $1,000. Call 563-2802.

BERBER CARPET & pad, 30 square yards. $100 obo. 699-0963.

→NEW TODAY←
LARGE DRESSER with mirror and shelves $400. Hall tree $150. Electric Range top $100. 522-2659

→NEW TODAY←
FORMICA table and 6 chairs, $200. 19" TV, $75. Console stereo with 8 track tape player, radio, and record player (45 and 33), $150. 697-4036.

COWBOY TICKETS. 2 options with gold parking, $11,000 firm. 41 yard line, Section 10, Row 41, Lower Level, near aisle, usually shady. Great neighbors. 2000 Season tickets available at cost. Call 570-6515.

BIG SCREEN TV for sale. Take on small payments. Good credit required. 1-800-398-3970.

MORGAN SPAS Hot Tub 82"X82"X35" octagon shape, brand new motor, heater and cover. 380 gallons. Needs cabinet work & TLC; good handyman project; $1,200. Call 687-1823.

ELECTRIC Radiator heater- Safe heat for cool days. A real bargain for $30. Call 694-7524.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

→NEW TODAY←
BINGO. American Legion, 501 Airpark Road. Friday nights, games start at 8. Food. Refreshments. 682-5511.

BIG SCREEN 52" RCA Television. $900. Rare antique blumel 1862 grand piano. $5,275. O.B.O. Call 682-7751.

413 Jewelry & Furs

LADIES WEDDING/ Engagement ring: Platinum with yellow gold, marquis with tapered baguettes (diamonds). 1.90 total weight. Appraises of 6750. asking 5500. 682-0135.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets or other airline mileage awards wanted. Will pay top dollar. 687-5039.

→NEW TODAY←
GINGERBREAD HOUSE Makers Wanted for the Museum of the Southwest- Christmas at the Mansion contest. For information call 683-2882, ask for Cindy.

PINNOCHIO'S EXCEPTING Applications for cashiers and drivers. Apply in person at 3303 N Midkiff.

WANTED TEXAS A&M and UT Football tickets for Thanksgiving day. 694-4269.

432 Household Furniture

BLUE/ WHITE striped sofa and matching chair, $75 for both. 682-7676.

CHERRY WOOD dinette table with 4 regular chairs, 2 queen chairs. Purchased new at Carter's in 1999. Paid $2,600, asking $1,495 obo cash. Must see! Very good condition. 683-5504.

432 Household Furniture

Call Classified to add *NEW TODAY* on your Classified Specials for only $3.00 Extra 682-6222

SLEEPER SOFA excellent condition. $150 or best offer. 684-6772, leave message.

→NEW TODAY←
QUEEN, BLACK, 3 Cushion sleeper couch and matching chair; new Healthrider. 699-5412.

STRATA LOUNGER Queen Sofa sleeper, loveseat, recliner set. Taupe colored, good condition. $350. Call 684-0860.

LIVING Room PIT Sofa. $100. Please call 699-4219.

DARK WOOD 3 Piece wall unit- Entertainment Center with shelves on sides, $400 obo. 683-6879.

SLEEPER SOFA, Set of armchairs, recliner. Sold separately or together. Perfect for first apartment. 697-0033.

8 MONTH OLD Couch, like new, multi colored pastel. $300. 915-686-7479.

435 Household Appliances

★ FREE REMOVAL Of appliances 550-6540. Sale- washers, dryers, refrigerators, freezer. $75- up. Free delivery 90 day warranty.

RECONDITIONED APPLIANCES- Washers, dryers, refrigerators, stoves. Warranty and free delivery. Removal of old appliances. 683-7040.

435 Household Appliances

WHIRLPOOL WASHER and dryer, extra large capacity, nearly new. $400. Matching hide-a-bed couch, love seat and dining table, $400/ all. 694-1562.

FREE REMOVAL- Of unwanted Appliances/ Evaporative Coolers. Will pick-up 45 minutes or less. 631-3920 anytime.

CHEST FREEZER- 23 cubic feet. Signature brand. $150. 689-2285.

EXTRA large capacity Kenmore washer/ dryer. Like new. $300. 687-4418.

MAGIC CHEF No frost Refrigerator. 16.5 cubic feet, good condition. $125. Please Call 694-9572.

REMODELED KITCHEN- GE range with built in microwave, white, $100. 686-8667.

440 Firewood

DICK'S FIREWOOD. Oaks, Mesquite, Pecan & Cedar. We deliver. 1-(915) 453-2151, Fax 1-(915)-453-4322.

↓SOLD↓
FIREWOOD For Sale. Approximately one cord. Call 6894551.

450 Sporting Goods

JIM'S GOLF CLUBS. "Tri-Metal" woods, $75. Hawk Eye Irons, $184/ set. (clones). Reshaft, Regrip, low prices. 3115 Haynes. 694-1334.

460 Antiques & Arts

THE CATS MEOW- 4000 sq. ft of fine merchandise- we buy & sell antiques. 408 Andrews Highway. (915)687-2004.

JUDY JACKSON'S Estate Sales. An experienced professional working for you! 689-3536, 682-6147.

460 Antiques & Arts

INDIVIDUAL WILL pay fair prices for your antiques and collectibles. No furniture please. 571-3222/ 694-7508.

ESTATE Sales by JOSEPH'S. Let our experienced team liquidate your estate. 687-3040, 687-2868, 694-5034.

490 Computers/ Accessories

PACKARD BELL -64 mb 6.4 gb, high speed computer. Monitor, speakers, keyboard, printer only 18 months old. $900 or best offer. 570-4574.

SERVICE AFTER THE SALE Computers- New and used, upgrade and repair. Night Owl Computers. 10am- 8pm. 1015-B N Midkiff. 520-5917, 686-8835.

495 FOR FREE

1/2 Doberman mix. Spade with shots, 8 months old, needs lots of love. 520-5992.

FREE MATURE kittens Liter box trained. Call 684-0843.

FIVE KITTENS and momma cat need good home. Call 499-1748.

NEEDS NEW Home- black male kitten 15 weeks old stray! Can not keep him. 683-7399.

BORDER COLLIE AND GOLDEN RETRIEVER. 3 years old. Great dog. Needs a good home. 684-5996.

↓FOUND↓
BEAUTIFUL 8 week male Pitt Bull. Only responsible owner considered. xxx-xxxx.

YELLOW LABRADOR Retriever. Sweet and lovable. 697-2818.

DALMATIAN- year old female, full blooded to good home. 694-8564.

495 FOR FREE

"TOTO" 7 month old male Cairn Terrier mix. very cute shots current. very friendly. 699-0098/ 683-7387.

BLACK MALE puppy- will be big dog. very sweet 687-2699.

PUPPIES- Border Collie mix and ? 6 Weeks old 682-1185.

500 Pets and Supplies

WESTIE PUPPIES- By Graham. Males $375, Females $400. Call 697-4639.

AKC RED DACHSHUND Registered Male, eleven months old, $100. Call 697-4530.

MEDIUM Size fiberglass dog house. New, cost $45. Will sell for $20. 685-0851.

FULL BLOODED tri-colored Beagle Puppies. 6 Weeks old, beautiful markings. $200 each. 520-7182.

ENGLISH SETTER puppies, three males, registered. Excellent hunting stock! $200. Call 687-6336.

2 AUSTRALIAN FINCHES with cage and accessories. $50. Call 620-8610.

→NEW TODAY←
JACK RUSSELL TERRIER puppies, beautiful markings. 522-7466.

SIX WEEK old Brittany puppies. Three males, two females, orange and white. Shots, papered and wormed. Call 520-3098, leave message.

AKC WEST Highland White Terriers. First shots. Excellent bloodline. Adorable. male- $350 female- $400. 683-6263.

505 Livestock & Poultry

AWARD WINNING Registered Arabian- good lines, great disposition. $3,500. Call 683-7577.

505 Livestock & Poultry

REGISTERED BOER Goat Billy. 5 months old. 620-0276 (leave message).

530 A/C Heating

→NEW TODAY←
CENTRAL HEAT and refrigerated air unit, downdraft evaporative cooler. 5500. 697-5617 after 5:00 pm.

550 Portable Buildings

We move, buy, sell and rent portable buildings. MORGAN (915) 563-1860.

FOR SALE or Trade 14'x26' portable office or playhouse with restroom, heat, a/c. Heavy duty built. $12,000. Call 694-7603.

560 Machinery/ Tools

→NEW TODAY←
FOR SALE: Attention tile setters: One Fielders wet saw. Has a 10" blade, stand. $550. 915-553-1400.

570 Oil Field Equip & Supplies

WANT TO BUY and Echo Meter (fluid level machine) 694-7095.

LUFKIN MARK 456- 305-120. $40,000 each. Parkerburg 640- 304- 144 with gas engine. $35,000. Vulcan 640- 305- 168. $30,000. Call Bob 699-6960.

HEADACHE RACK, long rails for Ford F-250. Paid $1,000., asking $400. Call 697-6348, leave message.

→NEW TODAY←
WILL BUY used valves, all types/ all sizes, to recondition in our shop. Call Universal Valve Co., Inc. 689-6341.

Let "Sure Sell" Work For You! Call 682-6222

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GARAGE SALES

Hidden treasures? Junk? Recycle your unwanted items!
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79701

★1001 S. Weatherford (one block off Florida). May be on the south side but have lots of nice items. Lots of antique glassware, furniture, clothes, bike, cellular phone. Lots of other miscellaneous items. Wednesday- Thursday 10 am- 4 pm.

79703

416 SWEETBRIAR- Trailer sale! Electric Dr. Pepper box, air conditioner, many more items. Thursday 9:00- 4:00, Friday 9:00- 12:00.

79705

The Deadline to place an Ad in our Saturday Garage Sale Section is Noon Friday. Call 682-6222 to place your ad today.

2200 STANOLIND. Huge Multi Family Garage Sale! Thursday 4- 7 pm; Friday 8- 3 pm. Kimball office furniture, jewelry, treadmill, sporting equipment, furniture, children's toys, washer & dryer, clothing.

GARAGE SALE SERVICES

$20.50 $20.50 $20.50 $20.50

GARAGE SALE AD PACKAGE $20.50

★ 7 Lines (approx. 28-35 words)
★ 2 Days
★ ■✓●♥ Stand Out Emblem
★ Garage Sale Kit
(includes Signs, Stakes, Marker, Balloons, Helpful Hints. $6 Value!)
★ Package of Flavored Drink Mix
(for the Kids to Open a Drink Stand!)
★ $3 Off Classified Coupon
(Place an ad to sell those left-over garage sale items & get $3 off!)

Or Get 3 Days for Only $24.50!

Call 682-6222 Today!

$20.50 $20.50 $20.50 $20.50

DON'T MISS OUT!
The deadline for a Saturday Garage Sale ad is Friday at Noon.
Please be sure to call 682-6222, before noon, to ensure your ad will be in Saturday's paper.

610 Apartments Unfurnished

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ATTRACTIVE PROPERTY. *309 Willowwood 3 bedroom, 2 bath,2 garage, $675 per month. Deposit $350. *4005 Cedar Springs- $495 per month, $300 deposit, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath. Owner agents. Contact Realty Unlimited, 550-5609.

2605 A HAYNES- SPACIOUS Duplex near Goddard and Emerson- Three bedrooms, two baths, recently redecorated. Available immediately. No pets! $750 monthly. 682-8453.

NICE 2 BEDROOM, 1 bath duplex. Available October 1st. Refrigerator, washer and dryer, dishwasher, range, disposal, ceiling fans, fireplace, fenced yard, storage, carport, on cul- de- sac. See at: 4802 "B" Country Club. $440/ month. $500 Deposit. 683-5683.

BRICK, THREE Bedroom, two bath, refrigerated air, single garage, block fence, light and bright. New white ceramic tile throughout. $535 monthly, $500 deposit. 4415 Versailles for viewing. 520-4585.

610 Apartments Unfurnished

2 BEDROOM - 2 BATH
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Sports Court•Patio/Balconies •Swimming Pool•Multiple Floor Plans
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3704 AMELIA- 2 bedrooms, $375; 304 N. Crestview- 3 bedrooms, $425; 3123 W. Ohio- 3 Bedrooms, $450; 3315 Andrews Hwy- 3 bedrooms, $600. Deposit and references, no pets. 694-4648/ 570-1730.

EXTRA CLEAN- 1 & 2 Bedroom Duplexes in quiet neighborhood- $375 to $475. Call 697-3484.

3 BEDROOM 2 BATH, Fireplace, 2 car garage, new carpet, $875/ monthly. 570-6418 or 687-3387.

3222 CAMARIE- $800 per month, $800 deposit. 3 or 4 bedrooms, 3 living areas. Denise at Real Estate One- 682-1111.

NEW CERAMIC Tiles/ carpet/ paint, duplexes $375- 1 bedroom, $475- 2 bedrooms, carport, yard. 689-3053.

WESTSIDE 5104 Sunnyside. Drive, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, 2 car garage, $650/ $400. Call 699-6174.

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THREE BEDROOM, two bath, brick, central air & heat, near Midland Freshman. $400, $150 deposit. 210 East Peck. 685-1378.

→NEW TODAY←
207 ACKLEN. 3 Bedrooms, 1.5 baths, central refrigerated air, appliances. Near Kingsway Mall. $490/ monthly $300 deposit. 694-7876.

SEVERAL nice homes & apartments, $250-$725. Jeannie Printz, Agent 684-8202.

→NEW TODAY←
LARGE 3- bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living, double garage. New carpet, ceramic tile in kitchen, fresh repainted inside. 24'x30' garage and workshop in back, $750/ month. 684-8151.

NICE TWO bedroom, one bath. 400 West Spruce. $300 monthly, $200 deposit. Call 683-4386.

3 BEDOOM, 1 bath, near downtown, $400 monthly, $200 deposit. Call 684-7535 or 697-2724.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, single garage, $525 monthly, pet?, 5112-A Shadylane, Call Cammie at 684-8202.

ATTRACTIVE PROPERTY. *1217 Century- 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1 garage, $595 per month. Deposit $350. *4005 Cedar Springs- $495 per month, $300 deposit, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath. Owner agents. Contact Realty Unlimited, 550-5609.

VERY LOVELY three bedroom, two bath, two living areas. Lots of new tile. Spiffy clean! Available now. Nice covered porch in back, sliding glass doors. No pets! Nonsmoking environment. Quiet neighborhood. Walk to Lee High and Rusk Elementary. 3506 Camarie. $800 monthly. $800 deposit. 699-0111.

1803 N. Main- 3 bedroom, 2 bath, $575 monthly, $300 deposit. References required. 520-3529.

VERY NICE 2 bedroom 2 bath condo with garage, 422 A W. Pecan, $450, $400 deposit. 520-8630.

THREE BEDROOM, one 3/4 bath, 2- story duplex. Appliances furnished. Washer/ dryer connections. Fireplace, private backyard, carport, near Midland College. No pets. $600 monthly plus deposit. 4247 Siesta. 694-2811.

→NEW TODAY←
404 SOUTH "K" Street- Cute one bedroom, one bath, $300/ month, $150/ deposit. 687-3640

CUTE Small starter home- 2 bedrooms, 1 bath. $300/ $150 deposit. No pets, References. 694-2047.

4407 HARLOWE- NICE 3 bedroom, 1.75 bath, 1 car garage, central A/ C/ heat with brand new carpet, fresh paint. Large fenced yard with water well, covered patio, 2 storage buildings. $625 monthly, $500 deposit. 915-641-9735, 915-522-2548.

610 Apartments Unfurnished

↓RENTED↓
COME SPLASH in the pool/ spa of this 3 Bedroom, 2,700 sq. ft. home. Lush landscape shades this large cul-de-sac lot near Goddard Junior High. $1,150 per month. XXX-XXXX.

→NEW TODAY←
2 BEDROOMS, 1 bath, carport, central heat, evaporative cooling. No washer/ dryer connections, 410 E. Oak, 520-8191 or 528-3382.

NEW CONSTRUCTION! 3 Bedroom, 2 bath in Crestgate Addition. Neutral decor. Lots of amenities. Low maintenance yard. 684-9888 or 528-3442.

ONE BEDROOMS from $200 to $250 plus deposit. Two bedroom duplex with garage $250 monthly, near hospital. Call 684-7535 or 697-2724.

1603 HOLLOWAY- 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath, 2 story, 3,300 square feet, $975 monthly or $1025 water paid. $975 deposit. 559-2394 or 683-5738.

2826 FRONTIER. Large 4 bedroom, 2 living, 2 bath, 2 garage. Fannin. $895 Broker 684-7788.

★★★★★★★★★★
DUPLEX for LEASE- 3304 Moss Court
3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, 2 car garage, fireplace. New paint. $700 per month.
697-4306
★★★★★★★★★★

630 Houses Furnished

FOR LEASE two rooms and a bath, carport, redecorated. Deposit required. Call 697-1045.

640 Condo Townhome Unfurn.

3 BEDROOM, 2 1/2 Bath, 2 car garage, fireplace, fans, high ceilings, 1,700 square feet, Northwest Midland, $800/ monthly plus deposit. 685-1980.

2 BEDROOM, 1.5 BATH. Private patio, laundry facilities, security gates. $400 per month, deposit. 682-7885.

LOVELY One bedroom condo, close to hospital. Must see to appreciate. $325/ month. Call 425-3507.

FAIRGATE Townhomes, northwest side, 6 and 12 month leases, 2 and 3 bedrooms 1600 sq. ft. livable; all appliances, fans, fireplaces and garages. 697-9566.

LAFAYETTE PLACE. West Texas most elegant townhouse complex, 2 bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths, $1,300. 684-0996.

655 Mobile Homes Unfurn.

NICE LARGE 3 bedroom, 2 bath in town. $400/ $200 Deposit. Call now and get October 1/2 Off. No pets. 694-2047.

SPACE D- 3415 Cottonflat Rd. 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom, fenced yard. $300 monthly, $100 deposit. 682-1608 leave message.

GREENWOOD SCHOOLS- Free cable TV, two & three bedrooms, rent or sale, with or without land. (915)352-8026

3415 COTTONFLAT ROAD Space H-1. Two bedroom, one bath, fenced yard, $250 monthly, $100 deposit. Call 682-1608 leave message.

200 EAST Pecan- 2 bedroom, 1 bathroom, 1 car garage. $300 monthly, $150 deposit. 682-1608 leave message.

NOW AVAILABLE, 2/ 3 Bedroom mobile homes, all appliances, fenced yards, extra clean! Deposit required. No vicious dogs. 687-6324.

WATER PAID. $225/ $150 Deposit. Fenced yard, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, 12x60. No pets. 694-2047.

A NICE three bedroom, two bath. Fenced yard, storage building, refrigerated. No pets. $300/ $150. 550-7505.

660 Mobile Home Space for Rent

FALL'S Coming- Settle in at Airline Mobile Home Park. Grocery Store, Beauty Salon, Massage, Tanning, and more!! 694-2534.

→NEW TODAY←
MOBILE HOME and/ or RV spaces. Large shade trees, laundromat, convenient location. 332-4976.

MOVE IN Special- $59 monthly/ 1 year- regularly $100. Lee District, paved, speed bumps. 550-7505.

665 Bus. Prop./ Office Rent.

4,000 S.F. Nice free standing office building downtown. Call Don Roderick, Langston Realtors, 682-9495.

OFFICES, single or multiple. With Executive suites available. Suites ranging from 1-6 offices. 4500 West Illinois, Midland. Call 620-1500.

APPROXIMATELY 5,000 sq. ft. office space or 18 offices. Free parking. $2,000 per month. 4500 W. Illinois. Call 620-1500.

ONE ROOM EXECUTIVE offices for lease, first floor, 312 North Big Spring, covered parking. Call 687-0781.

EXECUTIVE SUITE- 3 offices with reception area, file room, 3108 N. big Spring. Contact Larry at 683-4619.

667 Commercial Property

→NEW TODAY←
OFFICE WAREHOUSE, showroom with fenced yard. Lease or sale, 320103 Commercial Drive, Midland. 50x80 $600, 40x80 $500. Call 520-6740 after 5pm.

FOR LEASE: all sizes and types of properties, office, warehouse, retail. 800 to 40,000 sq. ft. Some with fenced yards. 683-8681.

FOR LEASE- 2,500 sq. ft. warehouse, $350 to $500 per month. 5002 Basin Street. 683-7002 or 561-1984.

668 Retail/ Stores

LEASE SPACE Available- Best rates in town. Right off Loop 250. 1,200 sq.ft. 2,500 sq.ft., 3,000 sq.ft and 4,000 sq.ft. 1-800-583-6732 or 915-334-9904.

2,000 SQUARE Feet Plus. 11B Meta Drive- West of new expanded Walgreens. $550/ monthly. 682-7323 Roy Carley.

LEASE/ SALE 2,000 sq. ft. retail space- Includes large garage with overhead door entry. Call 697-0595.

670 Warehouses/ Storage for Rent

2000 SQ. FT. YARD, block building, air and heat, close in. $450 monthly. 683-5697, 682-4789.

STORAGE UNITS for lease, 12X30s, 24X30s, 48X30s and 120X30s all with 10' wide doors and 14' side walls. 694-6711.

675 Recreation Resort

RUIDOSO Cabin's, Houses, Condos for rent nightly. Some with hot tubs, Don Harmon, Four Seasons Real Estate. 800-822-7654.

RUIDOSO Rentals nightly. Cabins, condos, some hot tubs. Century 21, Aspen Realty. 800-657-8980.

685 Hunting Leases

❤ LEASE HOME- 3 bedrooms, upgrade appliance package, shingle roof, perfect hunter's lease or lake house- must sell!- only $17,999- 520-2178.

DAY BIRD Hunting for lease on approximately 10,000 acres. Call Lawayne Fagan, 915-574-8118.

NEW MEXICO- Mule Deer and elk hunts for sale on private ranches. Call (505)849-1217.

COME HUNT with the rancher on 1,200 acres, 3 1/2 hours south of Midland near Junction, TX. 4 three day guided hunts between December 3rd & January 2nd. Eight point or better white tail buck, two does, one exotic, $1,650. Lodging and meals included. Other dates available. Call (915)520-5325 or (915)557-2477 and leave message.

700 Mobile Homes

DIVORCED! MUST Sell 32'- wide Doublewide!- 520-4411.

MUST SELL!!! Triplewide, only one left, $466 per month. 563-9000. 10% down, 8.75% APR, 360 mos. WAC.

ABANDONED Doublewide- 563-9000.

MOBILE HOME Credit Hotline! E- Z Qualifying! Call 550-4033, (800)725-0881.

CUTE 2 + 2. 563-9000.

GREAT DEAL!! Home & land. Remodeled, 2 bedroom, 1 bath $5,000 cash Call Nancy 620-9885.

FREE CREDIT Approval Hotline. 563-9000.

BY OWNER- 1984 Mobile Home, Excellent condition, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, $7,000. 530-2558 or 694-2980.

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810 ECR 121	$110's
2407 Maxwell	$88's
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2409 Terrace	$75's
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1402 NCR 1105	$58's
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BY OWNER- 2510 Dartmouth. Across from college entrance, end of cul-de-sac. 3,486 sq. ft. home, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, large living room, formal dining room and den. Plantation shutters throughout, enclosed patio, workshop with storm shelter. $159,900. 684-4702 or 682-2843 for appointment.

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13200 ECR 110	3/2	$87k
2409 Terrace	3/3/2	$75k
2604 WCR 112	4/3	$66k
4502 Spence	3/2/2	$63k
1401 NCR 1105	3/2	$58k
3303 Cuthbert	3/2/2	$49k
4009 Avondale	3/2	$38k
504 Watson	3/1	$36k

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✔ 2608 KESSLER, Fantastic Redo! 2 bedroom, 2 bathroom with formal dining room, central air and full brick exterior. Call Scott at: 520-2777 or 238-2462. Owner/ Agent.

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STONERIDGE SUBDIVISION- Beautiful 4 bedroom (or 3 bedroom and study), 3 1/2 baths, 2 living areas, workshop/ barn, 1.79 acres, sprinkler system, Greenwood School District, far too many extras to list here, motivated seller. See at 5700 ECR 98. More information on sign in yard. 683-3700. Open House Sunday 1- 4pm.

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4702 LEISURE: $43,900. Remodeled, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths. Will arrange financing. Mary 694-2920 or Darrell McDonald Realtors.

730 Suburban Property

2 BEDROOM, 1 BATH mobile home with carport and apartment in Greenwood. $24,000 obo. 458-3589.

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3 BEDROOM trailer, 1.76 acres, sprinkler system, shop, $20,000 cash. 684-1157.

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750 Lots & Acreage

2 ACRES fenced, trees, electricity and water, horse coral, just South of Greentree, $47,500. Call 684-3713.

FOR SALE- 200 Mineral Acres in Howard County, Texas Sales - Price $37,500. Call 915-267-3126.

1/2 ACRE & 1 Acre Lots. County Road 60, past High Sky Childrens Ranch. $3,000. 10% Down. 689-2429.

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