Texas is home to wildlife

Texas is a great place to view wildlife, such as this great egret, taking wing at Richland Creek Wildlife Management Area

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MAA art show is on exhibit

Mary Kay Gwinn's pastel, 'Look at Me,' is among the winners at this year's Midland Arts Association Spring Show at the Museum of the Southwest

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Some opponents agree energy tax is needed

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the second in a weekly series on energy issues.

By James R. Owen
Hearst News Service

WASHINGTON — On the edge of Southern California's Mojave Desert, where steady gusts rushing through a mountain pass are harnessed to generate electricity, wind farmers like Bob Gates are walking a little taller these days.

After years of being dismissed as a source for energy, the tiny wind power industry, along with the solar power and geo-thermal industries, got a break from President Clinton last month. Those renewable energy sources would be exempt from the energy tax proposed by the president as part of his plan to cut the budget deficit.

'This tax ... helps the environment, yes, but we view it primarily as a tax which is part of an overall package that will cut the deficit.'
— Carl Pope, Sierra Club

"This favorable tax decision won't create a stampede of new wind farming, but it is a symbolic victory for our small industry," said Gates, senior vice president of Zond Systems Inc., headquartered in the California town of Tehachapi, an Indian word meaning "windy place."

Founded in 1981, Zond Systems operates 2,500 wind turbines that generate enough electricity to power the annual residential needs of Anaheim, Calif. Nationwide, wind operators generate enough juice for both San Francisco and Washington, D.C., every year.

It's difficult to find folks like Gates who are enthusiastic for the energy levy, a centerpiece of Clinton's economic plan.

According to a new Wall Street Journal/NBC News poll, only 35 percent of Americans support the tax,

Please see **ENERGY**/5A

SUNDAY NEWS WATCH

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President Clinton

Russia policy

WASHINGTON — President Clinton on Saturday rejected criticism that his policy toward Russia was too dependent on the survival of Boris N. Yeltsin, but he declined to say how he would react if the Russian president moved to suspend Parliament or resorted to military force. In his most detailed comments on the embattled Russian leader, Clinton also asserted that the Group of Seven major industrialized nations should play a more aggressive role in helping Yeltsin. He said countries with a stake in the future of Russia had given him "an inadequate response to date."/9A

Bus tour proposal

Tapping into the million-dollar motorcoach, or bus tour, business could be on the horizon for Midland. Not only is the Midland Hotel-/Motel Association looking into the idea, but the Lubbock Convention and Visitors Bureau has a tour in the works that includes Midland./1C

Bombay bombings

BOMBAY, India — While the Indian authorities sought suspects Saturday in the explosions that killed more than 250 people and wounded more than 1,000, large crowds and heavy traffic returned to the streets of India's business capital./7A

TOMORROW ...

Pictorial look at the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association rodeo hosted by Odessa College.

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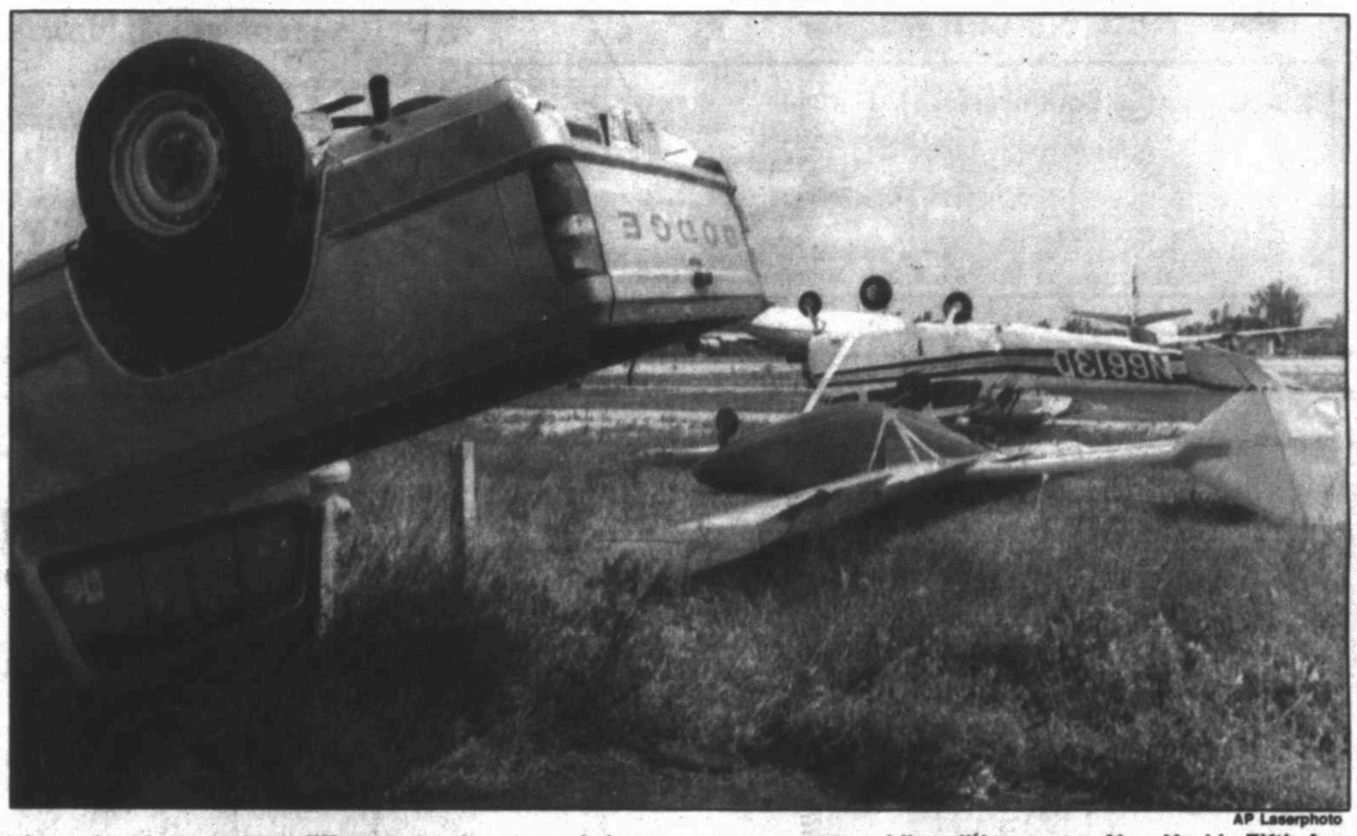

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A weekend storm has different results up and down the East Coast. Airplanes and a pickup truck were flipped upside down at the Opa Locka, Fla., airport, above, Saturday morning after severe storms crossed through the area, bringing tornadoes in its path. A cross-country skier glides across New York's Fifth Avenue Saturday as a pedestrian hides her face from the blizzard. Extremely high winds and dense snow caused hazardous driving conditions and all New York City area airports are closed.

Snow, tornadoes paralyze coast

■ Storms are blamed for at least 37 deaths.

Associated Press

One of the worst winter storms on record bombarded the East Coast on Saturday with 14-foot snowdrifts, wind over 100 mph and killer tornadoes. At least 37 people died, more than 3 million customers lost power, and thousands of travelers were stranded.

"This is like a hurricane with snow," said Devin Dean, a forecaster at the Atmospheric Science Research Center of the State University of New York in Albany.

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Sixteen of the deaths were in tornado-ravaged Florida, still recovering from Hurricane Andrew last summer. The dead included people killed in the wreckage of mobile homes, men who suffered heart attacks while shoveling snow, and homeless people who died of exposure.

"We are fighting a losing battle against the elements," Pennsylvania Lt. Gov. Mark Singel said.

Snow depths by early evening included 2 to 3 feet in western North Carolina; 2 feet in West Virginia and eastern Kentucky; 21 inches in eastern Tennessee; a record 15 at Birmingham, Ala.; and

Please see **SNOW**/4A

Local freeze may have damaged fruit trees

By Ed Todd
Staff writer

Fourteen hours of sub-freezing weather Friday night and early Saturday morning apparently damaged flowering fruit trees and possibly other flowering trees and shrubs in Midland.

"Any trees that are flowering more than likely will lose the fruit," said Russell Johnson, who manages Alldredge Gardens in Midland. However, "If the trees are just budding, it's pretty hard to tell" the extent of the damage until several days after the hard freeze.

"Any tree that had (young) leaves or blooms on it, you probably lost it regardless of variety," Johnson said.

The killing frost spanned 14 hours beginning at 8 p.m. Friday, according to forecasters with the National Weather Service at Midland International Airport. At that time, the temperature first hit the freezing threshold mark and dropped to 14 degrees just before 7 a.m., not returning to the 32-degree mark until 10 a.m. Saturday.

The 14-degree mark tied the record low temperature for March 13 in 1932, the weather forecaster said.

The season's average last killing frost for the Midland area falls on April 11, the forecaster said.

However, NWS records indicate that the season's earliest last killing frost came on March 5, 1953, and the latest last killing frost on record was on April 28, 1934.

Spring officially begins on

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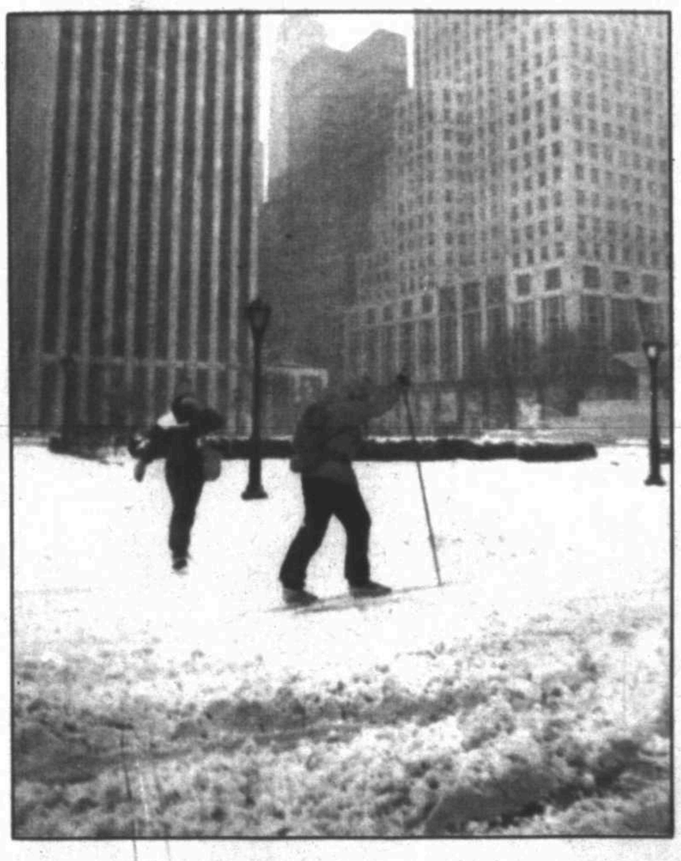

1888 blizzard is most notable

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Big as it may be, the Blizzard of '93, is, by far, not "the mother of all storms," as some prognosticators had hyped it.

And, perhaps surprisingly, that label cannot even be affixed to the legendary Blizzard of '88 — 1888, that is.

Paul Knight, a meteorologist at Penn State University, said Saturday, "There is no doubt that the biggest one in the record books for the metropolitan area, as far as snow accumulation, was Dec. 26, 1947, when 26.1 inches fell." That was enough, for those who can recall, for the rounded roofs of post-World War II cars to disappear under mounting drifts.

Please see **1888**/4A

Chamber invites residents to join in education forum

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff writer

It takes an entire community to educate a child, and the entire community of Midland is invited to invest some time in improving the future of education.

Parents, teachers, geologists, bankers, businessmen and homemakers, may one and all attend "Education Forum," a workshop intended to increase community involvement in the schools.

Sponsored by the Midland Chamber of Commerce, and organized by the local Education Partnership Committee,

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EDUCATION COMBINATION
IT TAKES AN ENTIRE COMMUNITY TO EDUCATE A CHILD.

Doctors: Cultists' injuries may be serious

WACO (AP) — Several members of a religious cult are suffering life-threatening injuries while leader David Koresh stays in his heated apartment at the group's compound, the FBI said Saturday.

As the cult's armed standoff with federal agents ends its second week, FBI Agent Bob Ricks said negotiators were prepared to stay indefinitely but added, "This needs to be ended and ended promptly."

Three more members of Koresh's Branch Davidian sect were expected to leave the cult Saturday, Ricks said. None had by evening, however.

Two who left Friday — Kathy Schroeder, 34, and Oliver Gyarfas, 19 — appeared before a federal magistrate Saturday afternoon and were ordered held without bond in the McLennan County Jail as material witnesses.

"These are not people who are considered to be weak links inside, but are very active participants in the ongoings of that compound," Ricks said. "So we're trying to figure out if this is intended as a signal of some sort."

Please see **CULT**/5A

Srebrenica townspeople prevent U.N. commander from leaving

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — Hundreds of refugees poured into Srebrenica on Saturday, and desperate crowds prevented a U.N. commander from leaving the war-battered Muslim enclave.

French Gen. Philippe Morillon was reportedly forced to remain by friendly but persistent crowds, although he said he had planned to stay in a gesture of solidarity with refugees and local people.

Bosnian radio quoted Morillon as saying via ham radio: "I decided to stay to encourage the people in Srebrenica. ... Don't be afraid, I will stay with you."

Radio reported a fierce Serb offensive on Srebrenica Saturday, following bombing by helicopters Friday night. It said 20 people had been killed and many wounded.

"There are hundreds of displaced persons arriving in Srebrenica, apparently from Konjevic Polje," said Larry Hollingworth, a spokesman for the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees. Konjevic Polje is an eastern village where an unspecified number of people were killed and wounded by Serb shelling Friday.

In a radio message relayed to Geneva, Hollingworth, who was with Morillon, said there were some 130 wounded in a nearby medical center, and locals estimated another 60 to 80 wounded were in outlying houses. He said the U.N. team was running low on water and rations.

Morillon, speaking over ham radio, told how he had decided earlier to base his headquarters in Sarajevo out of solidarity with the people there.

"Now eastern Bosnia is even worse," he said in remarks carried by Bosnian radio.

Morillon, the U.N. commander for all of Bosnia, said the Serbs had refused his entreaties to halt their offensive because of anger over finding a mass grave in Kamenica, 12 miles south of Srebrenica, which they said contained bodies of Serbs killed by Muslims.

Morillon said he had also demanded that the Serbs allow U.N. military observers into Srebrenica, permit food supplies to be brought in and civilians taken out, and let in a food convoy stranded near Zvornik.

The general was detained by refugees for several hours on Friday. After the crowd dispersed, he apparently decided to spend the night in Srebrenica.

It was unclear when Morillon would get out of the town.

German leaders agree on financial bailout package

BONN, Germany (AP) — Government leaders agreed late Saturday on a new financial package, including an increase in the personal income tax to help pay for the staggering costs of German unification.

The so-called "solidarity pact," reached after three days of marathon negotiations at Chancellor Helmut Kohl's office, is expected to pump $36.5 billion into eastern Germany starting in 1995 through tax increases and budget cuts.

Living standards are lower and unemployment is higher in the former Communist nation than in western Germany, which thrived during decades of industrial might.

Eastern Germans had widely hoped for prosperity to accompany unification. Their frustration over lingering poor conditions is seen as one of the factors behind last year's outbreak of violence against immigrants and refugees.

The opposition Social Democrats had wanted tax increases to take effect before 1995 to help rebuild eastern Germany and boost morale. But members of Kohl's governing coalition warned that immediate tax hikes could deepen Germany's recession.

The governing coalition promised unemployment programs would not be cut in the search for budget savings — apparently the concession that induced the opposition to agree to delay tax increases.

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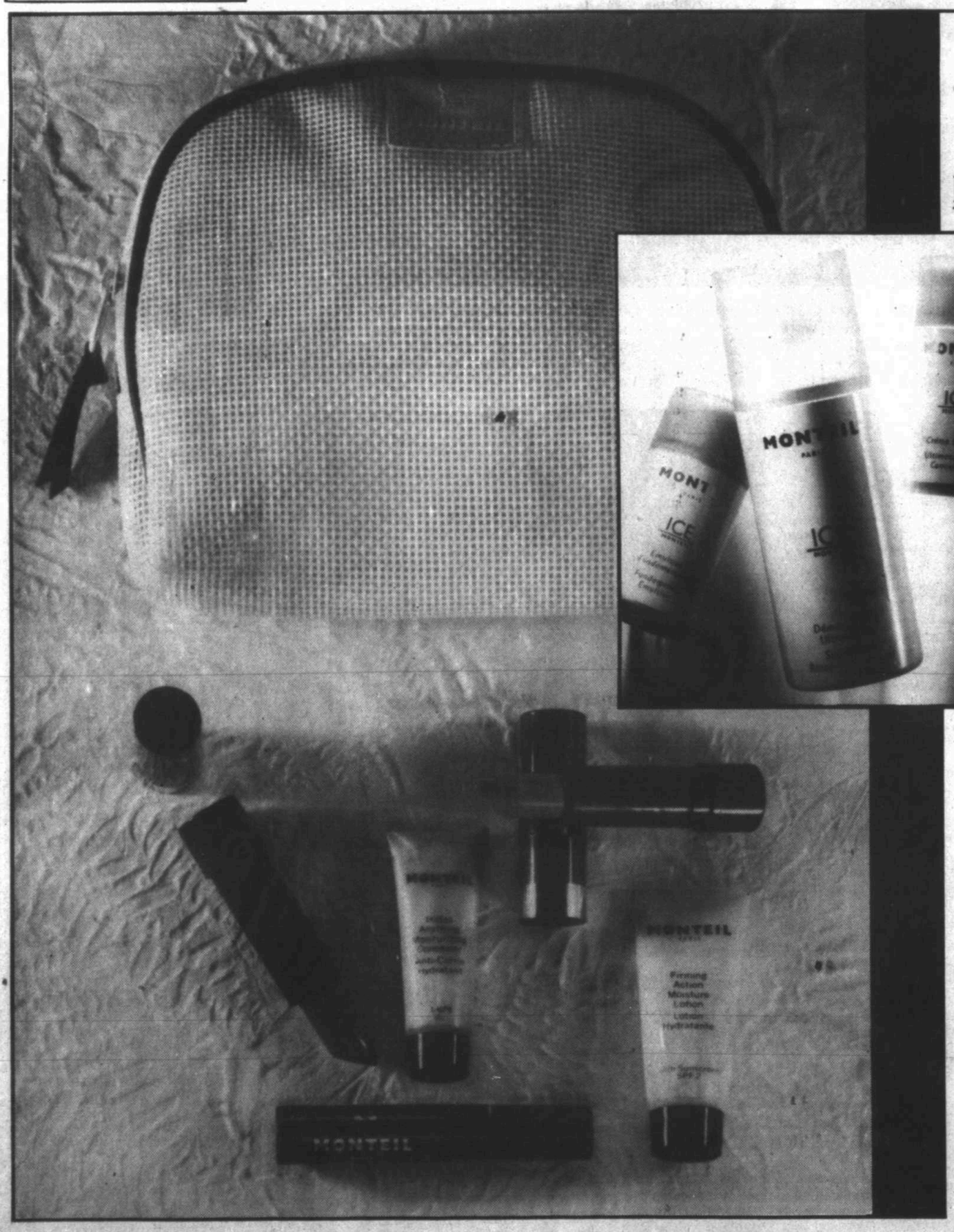

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First barge carrying supplies arrives in Juba

■ More World news/7A

JUBA, Sudan (AP) — In a 58-day journey down the White Nile, a convoy of food barges was looted eight times, shot at and stranded in swamps, mud and shoals.

The voyage is an example of difficult, but promising, efforts under way to get relief supplies to millions of people displaced by famine and Sudan's 10-year civil war.

"It was a great success," said Manuel Da Silva, director of operations for the U.N. World Food Program in Khartoum, capital of Sudan.

A dozen men on one barge finally brought it into the war-torn southern provincial capital of Juba on Thursday, a month late and looted of more than 80 percent of the food meant for the city's estimated 234,000 displaced people.

They were the first to get a relief barge through since war began in 1983 between the Muslim-dominated north and the rebel Sudanese People's Liberation Army in the south, where most people are Christians or animists.

An estimated 3.5 million people live in the south. Relief officials say 700,000 are at risk of dying unless they get food and medicine soon, and that another 800,000 need sustained care.

"We think we learned a lot about the river as well as a lot about the locations where there are people with problems," said Russell L. Ulrey of Stuart, Fla., who coordinated the trip.

Thirty-six crew members and relief workers pushed off Jan. 12 from Malakal, 590 miles north of Juba, for what they thought would be a one-month journey.

Their seven barges and two tugboats stopped at nearly two dozen points along the route, where relief workers disembarked to count the needy, then calculated rations and unloading them.

They began the voyage with 2,400 tons of wheat, oil and lentils, hoping to deliver 1,800 tons to Juba, but only 350 tons made it to the city. The rest was either stolen or distributed along the way.

Only one of the boats got through to Juba on Thursday. A few with cargo remaining had been hung up in rocky shallows about 18 miles to the north. Their cargo was to be brought down the river on smaller vessels.

Several other barges, as they were emptied during the trip, had been left along the route for pickup later.

U.N. relief agencies hope barge deliveries will replace some of the airlifts they have operated in the past three years at five times the cost.

The most serious unscheduled stop occurred about three weeks into the trip at an area called Lake Jur. More than 1,400 tons of food was carried off by people who boarded the boats.

U.N. officials had negotiated safe passage with the Sudanese government and two rebel factions, each of which controls territory along the route. After the looting, the United Nations held up the convoy for about three weeks, protesting to rebel leaders and seeking assurances of future safe passage.

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Korean troops on alert amid nuclear tension

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) — The rival Koreas placed their troops on high alert, sparking fear Saturday that nuclear disputes might shatter peace on the divided peninsula. One report said the North was massing troops on its borders. Communist North Korea, after balking at international inspections of two secret sites, said Friday that it was withdrawing from an international nuclear control accord.

The hard-line Pyongyang government insists its nuclear program is peaceful, but the abrupt announcement was seen as an apparent bid to stave off further nuclear inspections. Intelligence reports have said signs point to an effort to make atomic weapons.

Pyongyang's move to abandon the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty, which it joined in 1985, was met with criticism from around the world. A number of nations called on North Korea to reconsider, including South Korea, and tensions on the peninsula rose.

The North invaded its southern rival in 1950, starting a three-year war that left millions of casualties on both sides. The Koreas are still technically at war since no peace treaty was signed at the end of the conflict.

South Korea's Defense Ministry said Saturday that its 650,000 troops were on high alert, a status used only in times of extreme tension. North Korea said earlier that its 1.1 million troops were on a semi-war footing.

Officials in Seoul said tension was high along the 155-mile Korean border, but there were no reports of incidents.

Seoul's national Joongang Daily News, quoting unidentified high-level sources, said Communist troops had advanced to front-line positions along the borders with South Korea, China and Russia.

Government forces launch air attacks, relief workers say

LUANDA, Angola (AP) — The government launched all-out air attacks against rebels in the central highlands Saturday and grounded all relief flights for five days, relief workers said.

Angolan officials refused to comment on military action in the Planalto region, but international aid representatives said the government grounded relief flights until Wednesday and began saturation bombing attacks on UNITA rebel-held areas.

The government seeks to contain UNITA fighters in the central highlands, preventing them from reaching the coast where they could resupply easily and wage attacks on the capital, Luanda.

An Angolan military official, speaking on the condition of anonymity, said government forces recaptured the oil town of Soyo, about 185 miles north of Luanda, and encountered only light resistance from rebels.

There was no way to independently verify the report. Past information from military officials has often been misleading or inaccurate.

But if true, UNITA's evacuation of the coastal city might indicate the rebel movement's return to the guerrilla tactics that enabled it to successfully wage war against the bigger and better equiped army.

Since restarting the civil war last fall after an 18-month hiatus, UNITA has taken control of about two-thirds of the country. Last week, rebels took Huambo, the second-largest city, after a two-month battle.

The rebel offensive has blocked food supplies to many cities. Poor road conditions, land mines and the danger of rebel ambushes make overland relief deliveries impossible.

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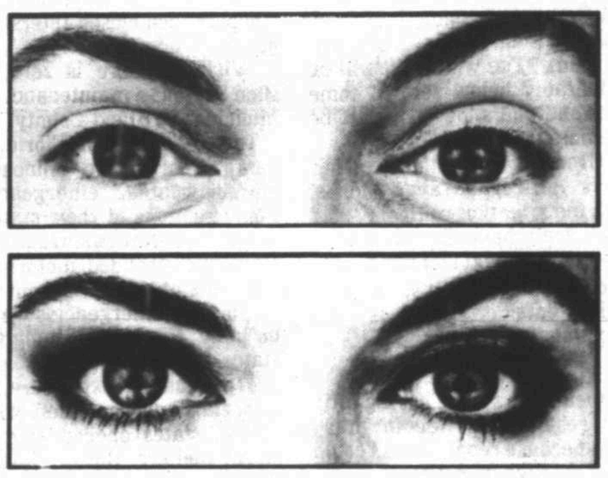

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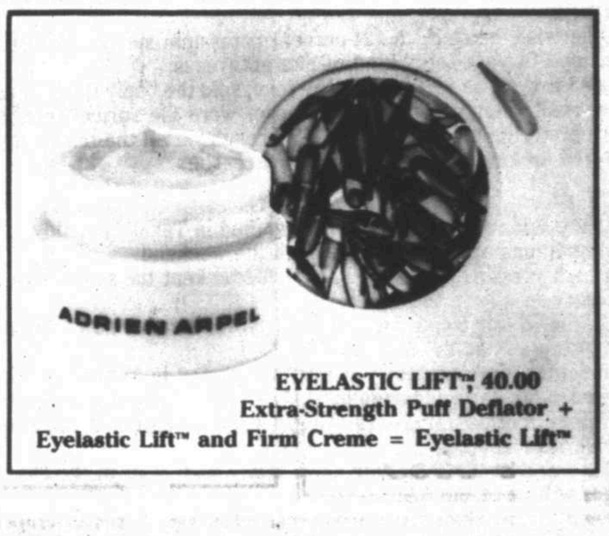

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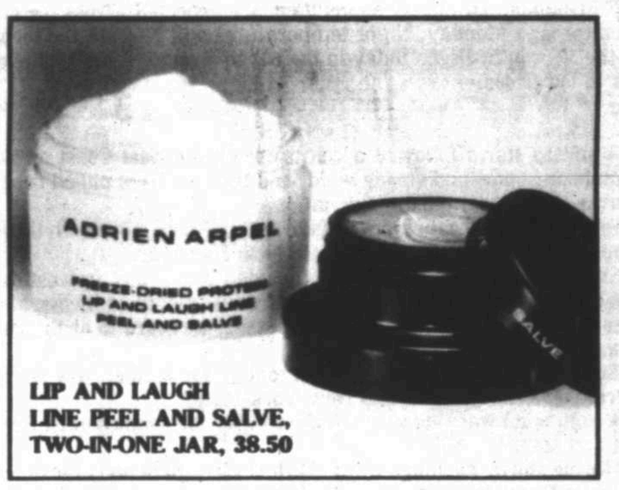

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WEATHER WATCH

TREES: Today's high may reach low 60s

(From 1A)

the morning of March 20.

The West Texas freezing temperature at onset of the weekend was brought about by an Arctic air mass streaming southward from Canada.

More sunny weather is to follow in the wake of the cold air mass. Today's high temperature is forecast to be in the low 60s with winds from the south at 10 to 20 mph. For tonight, the temperature is to dip into the upper 30s. Monday is expected to be fair and warm in the mid-70s.

While the killing frost may cause some fruit growers to forfeit their crop this year, pecans likely were unaffected by the early freeze, Johnson said.

Midland County commercial pecan grower David Harris said that the freeze, while not damaging his crop, would cause the trees to take "longer to bud out." And that situation would serve his crop well should another freeze be forthcoming.

"Healthy trees should survive," Johnson said. "As far as any permanent damage to trees or shrubs, I don't think so, but only time will tell."

The hardy soapberry tree, for example, is "almost like a native tree," Johnson said. And like the mesquite, the soapberry "knows better" than to bud before the last killing frost.

While the freeze could have damaged buds of willows, oaks, mulberry and other trees, those buds, if killed by the freeze, "will come back.

"Really, what people need to do right now is fertilize all of their trees and shrubs and start increasing their watering (to) help the plants overcome any kind of damage the trees might have sustained" from the freeze, Johnson said.

Before the freeze, Johnson said his workers sprayed most of their flowering trees with Frost Pruf, a sort of plant antifreeze, to protect them from the frost.

"That was such a hard freeze, I don't think (it) will save the blooms," Johnson said.

Bob Lanham of Lanham's Nursery & Landscape Supply said that "buds which were fully opened and fully bloomed generally are going to be killed by the hard freeze."

By their very form, buds are more insulated from the cold than are flowers, Lanham said.

Almonds and peaches "in full bloom do have lot of damage," he said.

Following the freeze, tree fanciers are "trying to figure out how to prevent damage to their trees that haven't bloomed" in any subsequent freeze, Lanham said.

"A lot of people will place Christmas lights in their fruits trees," Lanham said, "and the heat off of the lights will help protect the plants from the freeze."

Otherwise, he said, the 24-percent potassium spray in Frost Pruf on buds and flowers acts "kind of like antifreeze."

Lee Voss, manager of Wolfe Nursery, said the "only thing I heard that were really hammered (by the freeze) were the apricot trees," which were pretty much bloomed out. "I brought in all the tender stuff, and covered up anything I thought was borderline."

STATE

Sunny skies and cool climates prevailed in Texas Saturday, and similar conditions are predicted through the weekend.

A high pressure ridge over North Texas kept the skies clear and the mercury mostly in the 40s.

Continued fair conditions are forecast for North Texas, warming into the 50s today and mi- 30s tonight.

In South Texas northerly winds that gusted to 35 mph over the area earlier in the day had begun to diminish over all but the southeast. Gale warnings in effect for coastal waters were discontinued, but small craft advisories remained.

The forecast calls for fair skies today with lows in the 20s and 30s. Highs will be in the 60s.

Mostly sunny skies prevailed across all of West Texas as temperatures ranged from the lower 40s in the Panhandle to the lower 50s elsewhere.

Fair nights and mostly sunny days are expected across the entire region through Monday. Night temperatures will be from the teens north to the 30s south. Highs today in the 60s to lower 70s, lows tonight in the 30s to lower 40s.

NATION

A severe storm followed a cold front up the East Coast on Saturday with heavy snow and strong wind, and the cold front pulled record lows across the central part of the nation.

Snow fell from Alabama and the Florida Panhandle north through the Appalachians and Ohio Valley into New England.

Snow depths by midafternoon included 2 to 3 feet in western North Carolina; 2 feet in the mountains of West Virginia; 18 inches in eastern Kentucky; 21 inches in eastern Tennessee; a record 15 at Birmingham, Ala.; and 16 in northern Georgia.

Blizzard warnings were in effect tonday for Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Pennsylvania and New York state.

A high wind warning was in effect today for southeastern Pennsylvania and southern New Jersey.

Marine storm warnings were in effect through Sunday for much of the Atlantic Coast from Maine to South Carolina.

A rash of deadly tornadoes raced across Florida during the night, and thunderstorm winds of up to 92 mph caused scattered damage across much of the Florida Peninsula.

Hail the diameter of quarters fell at Barlow, Fla.

A freeze warning was posted into Sunday morning for much of southern Texas and a wind chill advisory was issued for all of Alabama and northern Florida.

Morning lows dropped below zero across western Wyoming, extreme southeastern Idaho, parts of Colorado, the Dakotas, much of Minnesota, northern Iowa, northern Wisconsin, northeast New York state and sections of Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST

Today: Mostly sunny, high in the lower 60s, winds south 10-20 mph.
Tonight: Mostly fair, low in the upper 30s.
Monday: Fair and warm, high in the mid-70s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	49 degrees
Overnight Low	14 degrees
Sunset today	6:56 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	6:59 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	00.00 inches
This month to date	00.22 inches
Year to date	02.32 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	37	6 a.m.	15
7 p.m.	35	7 a.m.	15
8 p.m.	32	8 a.m.	19
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		6 p.m.	48

Area forecast

West Texas: Panhandle, today, mostly sunny and warmer with increasing afternoon high cloudiness. Highs around 50 to the lower 50s. Tonight, partly cloudy. Lows in the upper 20s to lower 30s. Monday, partly cloudy. Highs in the mid to upper 60s. Monday night, partly cloudy. Lows in the lower to mid 30s. Tuesday, partly cloudy. Highs mostly in the 50s. Wednesday, fair. Lows in the mid to upper 20s. Highs from near 50 northeast to near 60 southwest. Thursday, partly cloudy. Lows in the 30s. Highs in the 60s. South Plains today, mostly sunny and warmer with increasing afternoon high cloudiness. Highs in the upper 50s to near 60. Tonight, fair to partly cloudy. Lows in the mid to upper 30s. Monday, fair to partly cloudy. Highs near 70 to the lower 70s. Monday night, fair. Lows in the mid to upper 30s. Tuesday, partly cloudy. Highs in the mid to upper 60s. Wednesday, fair. Lows in the lower to mid 30s. Highs around 65. Thursday, partly cloudy. Lows around 40. Highs around 70. Permian Basin today, mostly sunny. Highs in the lower 60s. Tonight, mostly fair. Lows in the upper 30s. Monday, fair and warmer. Highs in the lower to mid 70s. Monday night, fair. Lows in the upper 30s to lower 40s. Tuesday, mostly sunny. Highs in the lower 70s. Wednesday, fair. Lows, 35-40. Highs in the upper 60s to lower 70s. Thursday, partly cloudy. Lows, 40-45. Highs in the lower to mid 70s. Concho Valley/Edwards Plateau, today, mostly sunny. Highs in the mid 60s.

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alpine	55	18	
Amarillo	45	9	
Austin	51	32	
Brownsville	56	39	
Corpus Christi	52	36	
Dalhart	47	11	
Dallas	45	29	
Del Rio	55	32	
El Paso	56	26	
Fort Worth	45	30	
Houston	50	36	
Junction	49	21	
Lajitas	59	30	
Laredo	53	35	
Lubbock	47	13	
Marfa	52	21	
Presidio	60	31	
San Angelo	48	21	
San Antonio	54	28	
Waco	45	30	
Wichita Falls	45	24	
Wink	53	14	

Texas lottery

AUSTIN (AP) — Here are results of Lotto Texas winning numbers drawn Saturday by the Texas Lottery:

8-20-26-28-29-33

(Eight, twenty, twenty-six, twenty-eight, twenty-nine, thirty-three)

Estimated Lotto Texas jackpot: $3 million

Storm paralyzes southern states

By B. Drummond Ayres Jr.
N.Y. Times News Service

WASHINGTON — Southerners know a lot about bad weather, subject as they are to periodic lashings by hurricanes and tornadoes. But nothing in modern memory has equaled the bad winter storm that pummeled and paralyzed the South over the weekend before moving on to thrash the Mid-Atlantic states and New England.

At least 15 deaths in the South were attributed to the storm, which blew up out of the Gulf of Mexico. Most of the victims were Florida residents, killed by tornadoes generated by the storm system.

Down in the Dry Tortugas, off the tip of the Florida Keys, the wind gusted to 109 miles per hour.

In northern Alabama, where a few days earlier spring had just begun to pop out on the hillsides, there were six-foot snow drifts and the wind-chill factor was 10 below zero.

The city of Greenville, S.C., all but shut down, its puny force of 14 plows unable to handle the monster snowfall.

In parts of Virginia's Shenandoah Valley, the only vehicles moving were tracked personnel carriers, borrowed from the National Guard for rescue work.

The storm roared into the nation's capital, closing both National and Dulles Airports and prompting the authorities to urge residents to stay put unless absolutely necessary.

The Smithsonian closed its museums, and much of the downtown commercial district was eerily quiet. Traffic was sparse, and the fastest moving object on Georgetown's P Street on Saturday morning was a cross-country skier.

"We're looking at a number of record events in terms of snow accumulations, low temperatures and wind," said John Zimmerman, a National Weather Service forecaster in Atlanta.

Harold W. Sargent, a 44-year-old trucker en route from Miami to Hartford with a load of foam packing, agreed wholeheartedly with that assessment.

The snow slowed him to a slippery crawl when he reached Roanoke, Va., and he pulled off at truck stop that was so packed he could not even find a seat to order a cup of hot coffee.

"You can lock up out there on that road," he said. "You can slide. You can jackknife. You can take a lot of people with you. It's not worth it."

AP Laserphoto

A pedestrian walks through the snow Saturday to the Capitol complex in Atlanta near the downtown interstate highway connector.

Signs directing traffic to I-75 and I-85 were knocked down in the storm that hit the area.

High winds and huge snow buildup collapsed power lines throughout the region, leaving at least 2.5 million people without electricity and hundreds of thousands without heat.

"We're very concerned about people without power," Zimmerman said. "The wind-chill will be considerably below zero in some places and that's low enough to be extremely dangerous."

In Greer, S.C., another weather service officer, Wayne Jones, called the situation critical.

"We don't have the clothes or the winter survival kits like people up North," he said. "If someone is caught outside, this is not survivable."

Officials of Alabama Power Co. said their crews were having difficulty restoring power in many places because repair trucks could not get through drifts. More than a foot of snow piled up on the streets of Birmingham, a city that does not own a snow plow, and sand trucks struggled to keep main roads passable for city residents who absolutely had to move about.

In southwestern Virginia, road crews finally gave up their plowing efforts because 70-mile-an-hour winds kept pushing snow back onto the pavement. State troopers then closed Interstates 77 and 81.

"Visibility here is zero," said Olen Sexton, a maintenance superintendent in Bland County.

The governors of Florida, Alabama, Georgia and Tennessee declared weather emergencies in many sections of their states and ordered out National Guard troops to rescue stranded motorists and residents of homes without heat.

"In most emergencies we would be able to call on neighboring states for help, but they're in as bad a situation as we are," said Georgia's governor, Zell Miller.

Most states opened emergency storm shelters. But in some cases the weather was so bad that people in need could not reach them.

"We have shelters open in every county in north Georgia but people are having problems getting to them," said Jim Stockelman, the chief of operations for the Georgia Emergency Management Agency.

The worst hit state was Florida, which was still reeling from the damage caused by Hurricane Andrew.

At least 50 tornadoes touched down there, killing 12 people. Many coastal areas were subject to flooding. Snow, ice and freezing rain not only paralyzed many northern parts of the state but also threatened the state's citrus and vegetable crops.

Gov. Lawton Chiles talked with President Clinton about the possibility of federal aid.

"This is a time to use caution," he warned state residents in a five-minute radio and television broadcast.

But the weather picture across Dixie was not entirely bleak. In Simpsonville, S. C., Dean Langston, the owner of Simpsonville Hardware, had some good news to report.

"I sold out of the 20 to 30 sleds I had been stuck with for two years," he said.

SNOW: Nearly 3 million people lose power

(From 1A)

16 in northern Georgia.

Farther north, 15 inches fell at Philadelphia and 20 elsewhere in Pennsylvania; 10 inches at New York City's Central Park; and 24 inches in parts of New Hampshire.

"Nothing like this in recent history has struck the state of New York, or the Northeast for that matter," said Jim Ryan, spokesman for the New York state emergency office. "You're talking about a problem that's 600 miles across."

In West Warwick, R.I., where town government was shut down because of a fiscal crisis, all 10 town highway workers agreed to work without pay to clear snow. "I didn't expect them to do it," said Mayor Katherine O'Hare.

Shore residents were evacuated from Delaware to Maine.

Four Connecticut men who camped overnight along the state's highest mountain range were rescued Saturday, and 52 college rowers from New England were fished from South Carolina's Lake Marion after the storm swamped their boats. They were there seeking good weather to practice.

Late Saturday, highway crews with a bulldozer and road grader rescued 12 to 15 young people who spent 21 hours stranded in four-wheel-drive vehicles on High Knob Mountain in western Virginia. Authorities said they appeared uninjured.

At least five hikers were believed missing in West Virginia, said a spokesman for Gov. Gaston Caperton. National Guardsmen were searching for them.

Power outages were reported from Louisiana to Maine. Nearly 2 million customers lost electricity in Florida. "We have some people in trucks who can't go anywhere because the snow is too deep," said Alabama Power Co. spokesman Dave Rickey.

"I'm 6-foot-5 and I went outside a little while ago and was up to my knees in snow," said Jeff Higgenbotham in Dalton, Ga. "It's a pretty sight ... but I'd rather have somebody send me a postcard of it than be in it."

The southernmost part of the storm blacked out Havana, Cuba, according to news reports monitored in Mexico City.

Snow fell over parts of Mississippi and the Florida Panhandle early Saturday. Northern Alabama had snowdrifts up to 6 feet high; drifts up to 14 feet deep were reported in western Virginia.

States of emergency were declared from Florida northward to Maine.

The storm closed major airports at New York City, Washington, Baltimore, Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Atlanta, stopping hundreds of flights. A USAir jet skidded off the runway in Charlotte, N.C., but there were no injuries. Almost 3,000 people were stranded at New York's major airports, Port Authority officials said.

Snow squalls wrapping around the back of the storm caused 250 flights to be canceled at Chicago's O'Hare International Airport, and a 40-car pileup near Detroit. There were no serious injuries.

"It's an explosive, deep storm," said George Klein, a National Weather Service meteorologist in New York.

Most New York City-area commuter trains and buses shut down. Interstate highways throughout the East were closed.

"I can't even get back to my house," said John Sassak, a trucker who was stranded at a truck stop five miles from his home in Claysville, Pa.

Churches and armories were opened for stranded travelers and for people without heat. Police and National Guardsmen in some states were sent to rescue stranded motorists.

Wind along the North Carolina coast hit 80 mph at midday and ferry service to the Outer Banks was halted. Gusts reached 109 mph in the Dry Tortugas off the Florida Keys and 101 mph at Flattop Mountain in western North Carolina.

Flooding threatened all along the East Coast, where beaches already were eroded by a severe December storm. Some piers and coastal dunes were washed away in South Carolina. Thirty-foot waves were reported in Maine.

Fifty tornadoes were reported in Florida and one in North Carolina. Water was up to 6 feet deep in places along Florida's Gulf Coast.

The deaths included four in North Carolina, three in Georgia, two each in Tennessee, Pennsylvania, and New York state and one each in Alabama, Connecticut Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi and South Carolina.

1888: Blizzard killed close to 200 people

(From 1A)

There have been other huge snowfalls, like as the ones on Jan. 24, 1935, and March 8, 1941, both of which produced 18.1 inches; the storm of Feb. 6 and 7, 1978, in which 17.7 inches fell and the famous "Lindsay Blizzard" of Feb. 9 and 10, 1969, in which 15.3 inches fell. Though that storm would rank only 12th on the all-time list, it caused severe political headaches for the mayor at the time, John V. Lindsay, as drifts 6 to 10 feet high remained in Queens for days, long after Manhattan streets had been plowed.

But the blizzard of March 11, 1888, remains the most famous.

That one blew into town late on a Sunday, after a balmy Saturday followed by heavy rain had set New York to thinking of the spring that seemed just around the corner. There was no hint of the snow that would drop 20.9 inches in New York City and up to 50 inches farther north and east, or the 85 mile-an-hour gusts that would foster drifts that towered up to 20 feet.

About 200 people were found dead in the days and weeks following the storm, most of them frozen under mountainous snowbanks in the city, and an equal number were believed to have perished elsewhere. A hundred or more ships were wrecked.

The frigid weather shut down the Brooklyn Bridge, but a giant slab of ice, wedged in the East River, provided crossing for about 3,000 determined travelers. When the slab broke away, several people were rescued before they rode it to the Atlantic Ocean.

The storm knocked out telephone and telegraph lines, paralyzed trains and other transportation and left many people stranded in their homes. The elevated lines were backed up, and some people paid men who supplied ladders from the street, while others shivered for two days in the stalled trains. There were great difficulties in obtaining food when horse-drawn trucks could not get through the drifts, and food prices soared, with milk going from 2 cents to more than 10 cents a quart within three days.

There were moments of levity. One man, discovering a hard body buried in the snow, ran to a nearby saloon for help. After frantic digging, the rescue party unearthed a wooden cigar-store Indian that had been toppled by the storm.

A novel idea for snow clearance was reported in a northern New Hampshire newspaper, The White Mountain Republican. "The mayor," the newspaper jested, "has issued a proclamation requiring each citizen to eat 10 cubic feet of snow a day until to roads are cleared." And, reflecting New York City's irrepressible humor in times of adversity, "Keep Off the Grass" signs appeared atop great mounds of snow.

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ENERGY: Economist predicts Congress will pass tax

(From 1A)

while 62 percent oppose it.

The proposed tax, to be based on the heat content of fuels measured in British thermal units (Btus), is designed to raise $71 billion over five years. It would gradually raise the cost of nearly every fuel, including gasoline, natural gas, coal and heating oil.

By 1996, when the tax would be in full effect, the Energy Department said a typical family would pay about $120 a year more at the gas pump, oil tank and electric meter, and about $200 more in higher consumer prices, for a total of about $320 a year.

Once proposed, the tax was quickly attacked by the energy, agriculture and manufacturing sectors, along with lawmakers from many large, western states rich in energy resources and where driving long distances is a way of life.

Standing almost alone as champions of the energy tax are the environmental movement and deficit hawks from Wall Street.

The environmentalists are typified by Carl Pope, executive director of the Sierra Club's national office in San Francisco. Because the tax favors clean renewable energy sources such as Gates' wind farm, Pope said the tax is good environmental policy and even better economic medicine.

"This tax enjoys tremendous support from people who are looking at the economy thoughtfully and broadly," Pope said. "It helps the environment, yes, but we view it primarily as a tax which is part of an overall package that will cut the deficit."

Some business and investment leaders support the tax for the cash it would generate for the federal treasury and for its symbolism of the public's willingness to incur financial pain for the sake of reducing the deficit.

Take Lodwrick Cook, for example, the maverick chairman of Atlantic Richfield Co., who believes that the bitter pill of an energy tax must be swallowed to improve the long-term fiscal outlook.

Cook's view is not popular among other oil executives, who bitterly oppose the tax. "The chairman believes we need to get behind the president and attack the deficit, even though he doesn't like every detail in the tax," explained Arco spokesman Al Greenstein.

On Capitol Hill, the tax has been officially embraced by the Democratic leadership as part of the overall Clinton economic plan. But like most taxes, the proposed energy tax has many rank-and-file members running for political cover. Most lawmakers try to avoid talking about the tax at all, except as part of Clinton's overall economic package.

Nonetheless, with Democrats running the White House and both chambers of Congress, the energy tax now faces at least an even chance of being enacted.

If the Clinton plan isn't derailed before it reaches the House and Senate floors, "it will probably pass, because we need the revenue and no one has come up with a better alternative," said Philip Verleger, an economist with the Institute for International Economics here.

Rep. Craig Washington, D-Texas, grudgingly acknowledges his support.

"I'm leaning toward voting for it," said Washington, whose Houston congressional district is home to scores of energy firms. "The jury is still out in my mind, but if I had to vote today, I'd say 'yes,' because we just have to do something to reduce the deficit."

In the Senate, liberal Democrats Tom Harkin and Paul Wellstone from the Farm Belt states of Iowa and Minnesota, respectively, said they'll support a Btu tax, but there's a catch: They're asking Clinton for an exemption for ethanol, a fuel additive made from corn.

The White House already has proposed delaying by one year the energy tax on home heating oil, a carrot provided for northeastern lawmakers such as George Mitchell of Maine, the Senate majority leader.

Verleger warns that too many exemptions would "water down a tax that is just about the least objectionable of any that were on the menu."

And former Rep. Leon Panetta, the White House's budget director, said such a trend would "lead to the death (of the plan) by a thousand cuts."

Dennis Fitzgibbons, a senior aide to Rep. John Dingell, the Michigan Democrat who heads the House Energy and Commerce panel, agreed.

"If everyone starts chipping away at it, there'll be nothing left," he said. "Nobody wants this tax, or any other tax, but from both a fiscal and environmental standpoint, some kind of energy tax makes sense."

Dingell is "inclined" to go along with the tax, his aide said.

In the end, Congress will probably end up endorsing some kind of broad-based energy levy, conceded Rep. Michael Andrews, a Houston Democrat on the tax-writing Ways and Means Committee and opponent of the tax.

"With the treasury secretary and the president behind it, the reality is that we're not going to be able to eliminate the energy tax," he said. "We simply don't have the votes, but we'll try to modify the proposal to make it less burdensome for producers and refiners."

Ironically, the widespread sniping may help foster the tax's passage.

"The fact that everybody's bitching about this tax suggests that it really does spread the pain," Fitzgibbons said. "It has problems, yes, but this ain't a perfect world, is it?"

CULT: De-programmer believes peaceful end is at hand

(From 1A)

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms agents have surrounded the cult's compound, 10 miles northeast of Waco, since Feb. 28 when they were met by gunfire after trying to serve search warrants and arrest Koresh, an apocalyptic preacher who has claimed to be Jesus Christ.

Four agents and reportedly 10 cult members were killed during the gun battle. Federal agents say Koresh has amassed an illegal stockpile of high-powered weapons.

Since the standoff began, 21 children and four adults have left Koresh. He has told authorities 105 people remain, including 17 children.

Doctors spoke on the telephone Friday with those in the compound who said they were injured.

"We have doctors telling us their lives may be jeopardized, gangrene may be setting in. We need to get those people out," Ricks said.

But he said they refuse to leave. One woman, Judy Schneider, believed to have a critical hand injury, suggested to doctors she might cut off an injured finger, Ricks said.

"The doctor described that as barbaric," he said.

"Some believe that if they leave at this time they are in fact giving up their beliefs, and that they will be damned forever," he said.

Meanwhile, he said that subfreezing temperatures over the past two days have probably not disturbed Koresh.

"Mr. Koresh has always kept his apartment fully air conditioned and heated. It's our understanding that he probably is the only one in the compound that is allowed that privilege," Ricks said.

In another development, Rick Ross, a cult de-programmer who has worked with ex-Branch Davidians, said he believes a peaceful resolution can be reached.

He also discounted statements by a former Branch Davidian who said the group had practiced how to commit suicide.

On the "Donahue" television show last week, Kiri Jewell, 12, said she and other cult members at the compound were taught to put a gun in their mouth or take cyanide to commit suicide. She said the FBI should storm the compound because she feared a mass suicide.

"There was never any suicide practice going on inside the compound," said Ross in a telephone interview from Phoenix.

He was also encouraged by the exit of Schroeder and Gyarfas.

"I see a crack in the wall, and hope that the people will be coming out peacefully," he said.

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FORUM: Experts to lead workshops

(From 1A)

the event is designed "to make people aware that education is everyone's responsibility," according to Martha Manulik.

Ms. Manulik, volunteer coordinator for Midland Independent School District, is also a member of the education committee.

The event will kick off with a speech given by a nationally known educator, and will continue with several workshops.

George McKenna, superintendent of Inglewood Unified School District in California, will speak during the 7 p.m. buffet dinner Friday at the Petroleum Club. He will begin speaking at 8:15 p.m. McKenna is known for turning a troubled inner city school into a sought-after college preparatory school.

Daniel W. Merenda, president and CEO of the National Association of Partners in Education will open Saturdays workshops at 8:45 a.m. in the Allison Fine Arts Auditorium at Midland College.

Workshops will follow on "Site-Based Decision Making, "Teacher Recognition," "Reading On Grade Level By Third Grade," "Business and Education Partnerships," and "Texas Scholars."

Cost of attending the Friday night buffet is $10. The Saturday workshops are all being offered free of charge.

Marilyn Odum, Ph.D., principal of Anson Jones Elementary School, is organizing the reading-on-grade-level workshop along with Bill Franklin, a veteran Midland banker.

"If a child can read on level by third grade, the chances improve enormously that they will not be a drop out," Ms. Odum said. "And if a child is held back one time in elementary school, he or she is three times likely to drop out."

"That's expensive to the taxpayer," she said, noting that every child held back a grade is done so at the cost of about $3,700.

"Additional classrooms have to be built to house repeaters, and that's expensive, too," she said.

MISD's Reading Recovery program intervenes with children having difficulty reading in the first grade, before the child experiences significant failure.

Although the principal supports the program, she said, "We need to do more and we can with community involvement and support."

Linda Basham of Southwestern Bell and Lana Hines of Midland Junior League are organizing the workshop on Texas Scholars. The statewide program encourages students to complete courses that provide a sound academic education.

"Texas Scholars is the kind of program that prepares students for the expectations of the real world," according to Lionel "Skip" Meno, Texas Commissioner of Education.

Some Texas school districts hold annual ceremonies to honor high school graduates who have achieved the Texas Scholar requirements, and acknowledges them with publishing their pictures in newspapers. The program encourages eighth-grade students to begin taking full academic loads in school.

Midland High School Principal Jane Carrens and Beth Bull, a controller for Texas Instruments are organizing the workshop on "Site-Based Decision Making."

The program emphasizes decisions and planning made at the campus level, as well as encouraging the concept of total quality management.

Ms. Manulik and Joe Bush of Marathon are organizing the "Business and Education Partnerships" workshop. Participants will brainstorm to find ways to develop partnerships and to create awareness of existing programs.

Martee Stuart of Sylvan Learning Center and longtime school volunteer Gayle Dodson are organizing the "Teacher Recognition" workshop.

The workshop will build on programs such as the chamber's Teacher of the Month program.

"There are also other ways to help teachers develop," Ms. Manulik said. "For example, a teacher may need to attend a workshop, but the money for the substitute teacher sometimes comes out of the teacher's pocket. If we could find a corps of volunteer substitutes or another solution, it could give teachers the opportunity to attend career development workshops."

Conference attendees will meet with experts in business and education partnerships, then break off into one of the five workshops to discuss strategies.

Registration will begin for Saturday's workshop at 8 a.m. Merenda will speak at 8:45 a.m. Workshop groups will form at 10 a.m. and a complimentary lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m. Workshops will meet again at 12:30 p.m. and groups will report their findings and begin wrapping up the day-long seminar at 2:30 p.m.

For more information or a registration form call 683-3381.

Registration for Friday's banquet, along with the $10 fee, must be sent in to the chamber by Wednesday.

On The Border CEO dies in plane crash

LITTLETON, Colo. (AP) — Michael Fiori, chief executive of the Irving-based On The Border restaurant chain, and his son were killed and three others injured when a single-engine plane crashed on approach to Centennial Airport Saturday.

Authorities said Fiori and his son, Bill, were found inside the plane, which crashed about noon local time into a pond at an office park south of Denver.

The six-passenger Beechcraft Bonanza took off from Addison Airport north of Dallas between 8 a.m. and 9 a.m. Saturday, airport officials said.

A company release said chief financial officer Steven Fenstermacher also was on the plane, along with Dee Lidval, wife of company vice president Ned Lidval, and Julie Simpson, wife of company human resource director Hank Simpson.

The five, all from the Dallas area, were headed for the grand opening of a restaurant in Denver, according to the statement.

Fenstermacher, who suffered from hypothermia, and Ms. Lidval were taken to Swedish Medical Center in Englewood, Colo. They were listed in serious condition, said hospital spokeswoman Beatrice Kitchen.

Ms. Simpson was taken to University Hospital, where she was in serious condition with a bruised kidney, broken left rib, bruised liver and fractured vertebra, hospital officials said.

The plane crashed just south of the Centennial runway, said Lee Fryer, a spokesman for the Federal Aviation Administration in Seattle.

"The pilot reported a rough-running engine just before the crash," Fryer said.

A flight plan filed with the FAA identified the pilot as William Fiori.

National Transportation Safety Board investigators were at the scene and could not be reached for comment.

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Indian authorities seek suspects responsible for Bombay bombings

BOMBAY, India (NYT) — While the Indian authorities sought suspects Saturday in the explosions that killed more than 250 people and wounded more than 1,000, large crowds and heavy traffic returned to the streets of India's business capital, flowing past bombed-out buildings and cratered roads.

Top officials were careful not to link the blasts to any particular group, but they did say that the Tamil insurgents of Sri Lanka possessed the technical capability to assemble and use the plastic explosives that had hit the city.

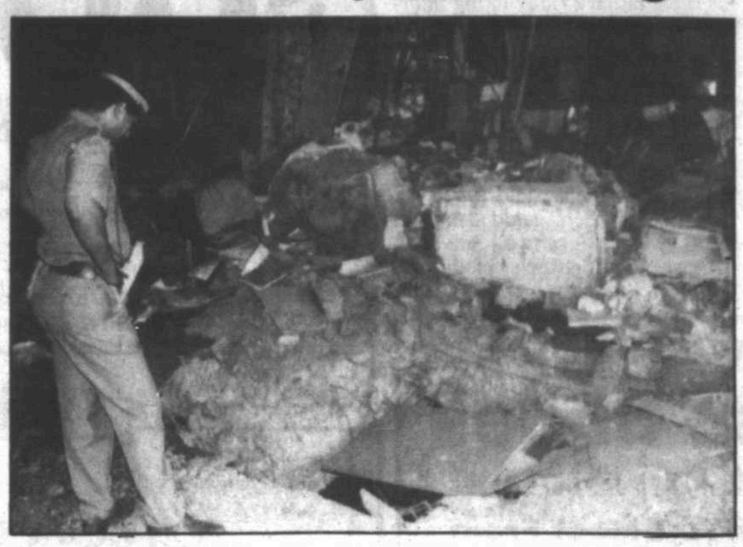
"The first suspicion naturally goes on them because they have the technology and they have already done it," said Amarjit Singh Samra, the police commissioner, apparently referring to bomb attacks on Sri Lankan officials in Colombo by the Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eelam.

The rebels are also accused of assassinating Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi in 1991.

Sharad Pawar, chief minister of Maharashtra state, also spoke Saturday of the expertise of the Tamil rebels and of unspecified "Palestinians" with plastic explosives. The top Tamil insurgent commander was recently killed in a sea battle with Indian navy ships.

Prime Minister PV Narasimha Rao, who made a brief visit to the bomb sites and met with victims Saturday, urged caution in speculation about the identity of the attackers.

"The investigation is going to be a very difficult task," Rao said. He told reporters that India was prepared to pursue those behind the attacks whether that trail led investigators "within the country or outside the country."



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A police officer looks at the crater of a car bomb outside the Bank of Oman office in Bombay, Saturday.

Murli Deora, president of the Bombay unit of Prime Minister Rao's Congress Party, described the attacks as "brutal economic terrorism." He has been organizing relief for the blast victims.

The authorities here said they were relieved that the fragile sectarian peace between Hindus and Muslims had held.

"There could have been repercussions but Bombay is lucky today," said Samra. The explosions in Bombay followed sectarian riots in December and January, when hundreds were killed in Hindu-Muslim fighting.

Samra said the police had "a good number of clues on which we are working."

Newspapers here have speculated that Pakistani intelligence agents and Iranian militant groups might have had a role in the blasts. Intelligence officials were quoted as saying that the explosions were caused by high heat-generating plastic RDX bombs.

At least three people are being sought in attacks on hotels and three more are suspected of hurling grenades at a colony of the Mahim neighborhood, where fishing families live. No casualties were reported in Mahim. The car was later found abandoned with rifles and a grenade lying in it.

In various parts of the city Saturday, people examined the wreckage of homes and offices.

Policemen seize poppy plantation

CAIRO, Egypt (AP) — Hundreds of army guards and policemen backed by a helicopter and tanks seized 500 acres of poppy plantations in the Sinai peninsula, a police officer said Saturday.

The officer, who spoke on condition of anonymity under Interior Ministry rules, said the plantations could have produced $45 million worth of opium.

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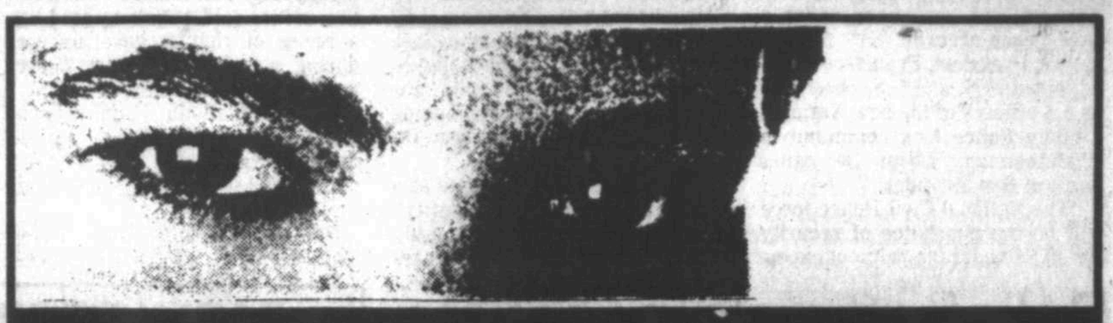

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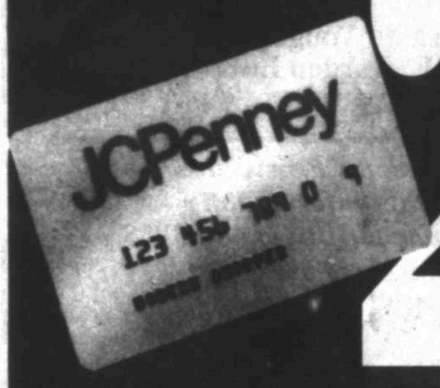

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Police force gets first peace accord assignment

CHALATENANGO, El Salvador (AP) — The once-feared National Police transferred power to a civilian force Saturday to begin a two-year process to disband under a U.N. peace accord.

Vice President Francisco Merino joined U.N. and U.S. observers as 415 officers of the new National Civilian Police took command in Chalatenango, about 30 miles north of San Salvador.

"The National Civil Police force will be the guarantee of security for all Salvadorans, without exception," said former rebel commander Facundo Guardado, who attended the ceremony on a central plaza.

Under terms of a February 1992 accord that halted fighting by leftist rebels and the U.S.-backed government, dozens of National Police units are to begin disbanding in coming months across the nation.

Merino hailed the new force as a completely "apolitical entity" whose creation would help solidify national reconciliation after years of bitter struggle.

The previous police force was widely accused of assassinations, kidnappings and torture — abuses that critics said were tolerated by a series of rightist governments during wartime. At least 75,000 Salvadorans died in the civil war.

An international commission formed under the peace agreement is scheduled to release a report Monday detailing wartime atrocities.

Defense Minister Gen. Rene Emilio Ponce, who is widely believed to be named in the report as a human rights violator, offered his resignation Friday citing international pressures and the interests of the nation.

It was not known if President Alfredo Cristiani would immediately accept the resignation.

But Peter Romero, a U.S. embassy official observing the Chalatenango ceremony, told reporters that Washington could suspend military assistance to El Salvador if those identified are not purged by the military.

Relief officials negotiate evacuation of orphans

ABIDJAN, Ivory Coast (AP) — Humanitarian agencies negotiated Saturday to evacuate about 800 orphans who are being held behind rebel lines in Liberia and are endangered by bombing raids.

Relief workers said they feared for the children's safety after bombs on Wednesday hit a hospital a few miles from the Cuttington University College campus, where the children are housed near the central Liberian town of Gbarnga.

Four civilians were wounded in the attack 100 miles northeast of the Liberian capital, Monrovia. Humanitarian workers have accused the West African intervention force, which carried out the raid, of endangering civilians.

Relief workers said they also feared the orphans might be abused by undisciplined rebel fighters enraged by the raids. The children have been behind rebel lines since October, and the guerrillas have been accused of raping some of them.

United Nations and Red Cross officials were trying to get the children out, said relief workers, who spoke on condition of anonymity because of the sensitivity of the situation.

Children have been the main victims of Liberia's 3-year-old war, which began in December 1989 when rebels tried to overthrow President Samuel Doe.

Doe was killed but Liberia disintegrated into fighting between opposing rebel groups and the West African force, which intervened to end the war.

The children behind the rebel lines are from three Monrovia orphanages that were in an area where fighting broke out last October during a rebel siege of the capital.

The U.S. Embassy and U.N. agencies negotiated with the West African force and rebel leader Charles Taylor for a cease-fire to get the children away from the fighting.

Taylor agreed on condition they were taken behind his lines.

6 Zulu children die in massacre

MBOYI, South Africa (AP) — On a field normally reserved for soccer games, this Zulu village buried six children Saturday who were killed in a massacre that brought impassioned calls to end black factional fighting.

"Must we as Zulus continue killing other Zulus?" Mangosuthu Buthelezi, leader of the Inkatha Freedom Party, asked the nearly 1,000 mourners.

"What kind of people are these who can just blow out the brains of young children with AK-47 rifles for political reasons?"

The children were gunned down in a minibus March 2 while returning from school to Mboyi, about 300 miles southeast of Johannesburg.

Three of the victims were children of a local leader for Inkatha, which has waged a bloody power struggle since the mid-1980s with Nelson Mandela's African National Congress. Three ANC members have been arrested in connection with the shooting.

Mandela said Friday he wanted to attend the funeral but his advisers said it was too risky.

At the funeral, about 100 young men, carrying spears, clubs and shields, danced and chanted traditional Zulu songs.

Buthelezi, wearing a dark suit and tie, arrived by helicopter in Mboyi, a village of mud huts where cows, goats, dogs and chickens roam freely.

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Clinton defends stance on Russia, supports Yeltsin's reforms

WASHINGTON — President Clinton on Saturday rejected criticism that his policy toward Russia was too dependent on the survival of Boris N. Yeltsin, but he declined to say how he would react if the Russian president moved to suspend Parliament or resorted to military force.

In his most detailed comments on the embattled Russian leader, Clinton also asserted that the Group of Seven major industrialized nations should play a more aggressive role in helping Yeltsin. He said countries with a stake in the future of Russia had given him "an inadequate response to date."

Clinton seemed to be sending a message to senior G-7 officials, who are meeting this weekend in Hong Kong to discuss Russia and prepare for their July meeting in Tokyo, which Clinton will attend.

"In terms of whether we're putting too much reliance on Yeltsin personally," Clinton said, "my answer to that is we will work with what we have to work with, whatever happens. But I think we should support him because he has been elected after all. There was an election. People voted for him."

But when asked if he would continue to support Yeltsin even if he suspended Parliament or sought to abolish the Soviet-era Constitution to regain power, he answered, "I don't think it would serve any useful purposes for me to try to interpret the Russian Constitution right now, what it does or doesn't mean or what we would or wouldn't respond to."

Clinton also did not address what he would do if Yeltsin resorted to military force.

In Moscow on Saturday, the power struggle between Yeltsin and the Congress of People's Deputies deepened as the Congress rejected Yeltsin's final bid for a national referendum on who should govern Russia.

'He's passionately committed to reform. And I'm going to keep working with him.'

—President Clinton

Clinton's comments came during an unusual series of interviews at the White House on Saturday with local reporters from three states, in which the president sought to promote his military conversion plan in areas affected by the closing of military bases.

Clinton has not held such sessions with regular White House reporters since taking office, but a reporter from The New York Times was permitted to attend the meeting with reporters from Connecticut, where Clinton was questioned about his relations with Yeltsin.

In his session with reporters from Florida, Clinton demanded that the Haitian government immediately release a military deserter who had been granted political refugee status by the United States, and he pledged to take a more active role in trying to restore democracy in Haiti.

"I'm very upset about what happened in Haiti," he said.

Clinton said he was counting on the Group of Seven nations to act more boldly to support Yeltsin's economic and democratic reforms.

"I think that if the major countries, the G-7 countries, that are in a position to support those movements would show a more coordinated and aggressive approach to the problems," he said, "it might be possible to build a consensus in Russia for how they would work with all of us. You know, every elected official has his or her political opponents. That's part of the way the system works."

Noting that he is scheduled to meet with Yeltsin in Vancouver on April 3 and 4, Clinton said, "I'll do my best I can to be ready on April 4th, which is just a few days from now, with my meeting with President Yeltsin."

Though Clinton did not address the issue directly, his comments appeared to support those of a senior administration official who said Friday that Washington would not oppose a move by Yeltsin to suspend Parliament.

But in detailed comments Saturday, Clinton explained why he thought that it was necessary for the United States and other countries to do more to support Yeltsin.

"I'm trying to do what I can to muster the support to do more," he said, "because I think it's very much in America's interests. And he's the person that I think I should work with. He is the elected president of Russia. That is a fact.

"But the United States has an interest in a Russia that is not hostile to us, that is not a military enemy, and that frankly has a whole lot more economic growth that the Russia that we know does now. And I'm just trying to respond to that."

Clinton went on to say: "No one knows what's going to happen. But the man is an honest democrat, small 'd.' And he's passionately committed to reform. And I'm going to keep working with him."

Russia, he said, "can still have a bright future as part of a peaceful coalition of nations in the world."

Smaller forces require fewer military bases

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon is suggesting some of the most wrenching changes in decades for its forces here at home. Yet the underlying philosophy is strikingly simple: "Smaller forces need fewer bases."

That was the explanation then-Defense Secretary Dick Cheney gave when he listed the military bases he would close in 1991. And his successor, Les Aspin, underscored the idea Friday, suggesting that 31 bases be closed and operations at 134 of the nation's 450 military sites be cut.

The simplicity of the notion does little to quell the pain and protest.

But the end of the Cold War and the demise of the Soviet Union means the administration is slashing yearly defense budgets from a Reagan-era high of $320 billion to about $250 billion and dropping 700,000 troops from its ranks by 1997, leaving a force of 1.4 million.

The Air Force was well on its way to consolidating its fighter, airlift and bomber forces, given that some of its premier elements — such as the B-52 bombers — were just getting old. Some 13 Air Force bases were slated for closure in the last round of cuts.

"We took some of the pain early," said Air Force spokeswoman Maj. Barbara Claypool.

The Army was faced with intense pressure to bring tens of thousands of troops back from Europe and eliminate entire divisions at a time. So it offered up such large bases as Fort Ord, Calif., in 1991 and is faced this year with only "refinements" instead of major cuts, said Army spokesman Maj. Rick Thomas.

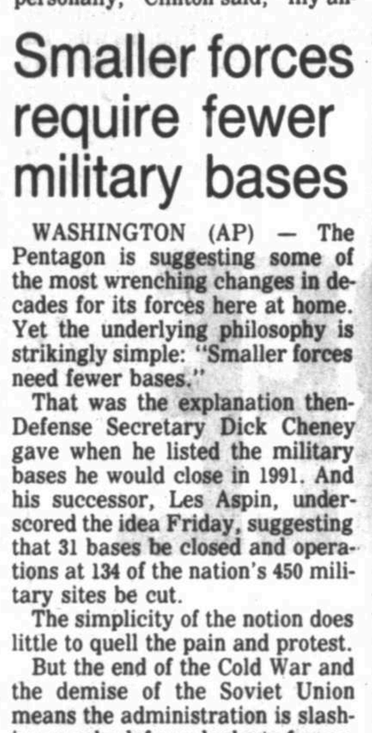
Other changes reflect that Gen. Colin Powell, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, has proposed closing seven or eight of the nation's 30 maintenance depots and consolidating the various service's flight training schools.

This year, the Navy has offered to take the biggest blow, suggesting consolidating its forces at major bases such as Norfolk, Va., Kings Bay, Ga., and San Diego.

But the Navy's suggested closures also hit hardest at coastal states such as California, Florida and South Carolina, which were part of the Reagan administration's vision of a 600-ship fleet. Those states will suffer now that plans call for only 350 vessels by the end of the decade.

"It's tough, but we have to do it," said Rear Adm. Kendall Pease, the Navy's chief of information. "It's the best way the Navy can become more efficient and complete its mission."

Another Navy spokesman, Cmdr. Craig Quigley, noted that the Navy finds "it's absolutely necessary to reduce the size of our shore support. . . . As the number of ships, planes and people is reduced, the assets on shore that support them has to be reduced."



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Abortion issue dominates lives of two men, leads to death of one

PENSACOLA, Fla. (AP) — Both grew up in middle-class, conservative, church-going families. Each was the father of two children, and each struggled with marital strife. Both were usually quiet and reserved, although each had a confrontational streak.

These two men — Michael F. Griffin and Dr. David Gunn — had this much in common, and one more thing: They were passionately involved in abortion.

But Gunn performed them and Griffin abhorred them, and that is why these parallel lives intersected, violently, at 10 a.m. Wednesday, just behind the Women's Medical Services clinic in Pensacola.

In an instant, these two men became symbols. Abortion foes said they deplored violence, but that Gunn had "killed" thousands by performing abortions; the other side decried what it called anti-abortion terrorism.

But to their families, these remain all-too-human beings — Gunn, 47, of Eufala, Ala., the polio victim who grew up in Kentucky, the son of an insurance agent; Griffin, 31, a chemical worker, son of a dentist and nurse in this Panhandle city.

One man is dead; the other could face a death sentence. The people who knew them were left to mourn and to ponder what happened to these two Southerners who were so much alike, but so different.

"It's hard," said Eugene Presly, Griffin's father-in-law. "Now we've got to take care of two grandchildren."

"We were quite shocked," said Pete Gunn III, a Benton, Ky., insurance agent, who did not know his brother was an active abortionist. "My brother never discussed it with anybody in the family. We were at a loss when we got the news."

Gunn

The men of the Gunn family gather each Thanksgiving for a retreat in Pickensville, Ala. Only once did David Gunn hint at what he did.

"We usually argue politics," his brother said. "We never discussed that. We were just wondering why he didn't tell us. He did say something last time about how he was doing his part with the population explosion, but that just went right over my head."

Gunn had come a long way. When he was just 27 months old, he was stricken with polio; one leg was paralyzed, and he wore a brace.

Raised in the conservative Church of Christ, he graduated from Vanderbilt University and the University of Kentucky's medical school. An early marriage that ended in divorce produced two children, David, now 22, and Wendy, 18.

He was in the process of divorcing his second wife, Mary Sibert, a Eufala pediatrician.

The doctor's services were in high demand in the Bible Belt, where few physicians are willing to do abortions. Gunn traveled regularly from one town to another in Alabama, Georgia and the Florida Panhandle to perform his specialty. The anti-abortion group Operation Rescue said he performed 5,200 abortions a year — a reasonable estimate for such work.

He usually was business-like and quiet, although abortion opponents made him a marked man, putting his face on a "wanted" poster.

Gunn routinely ignored the protesters that he encountered nearly every day at the clinics and even outside his home. Friends say, though, that he was rattled last January when a protester in Montgomery refused to move from Gunn's path and claimed the doctor hit him with his car.

A week later, on the anniversary of the U.S. Supreme Court's landmark Roe vs. Wade abortion ruling, Gunn drove his compact car into the Beacon Women's Center in Montgomery as usual, recalled Kohls.

He abruptly stopped in mid-lot, pulled out a megaphone and told the protesters he was going to sing for them. "Happy Birthday Roe vs. Wade," he sang. Then, he pulled out a boombox and began blaring what he introduced as "my new theme song" — rocker Tom Petty's "I Won't Back Down."

Gunn later repeated his act outside The Ladies Center, another Pensacola clinic, and "did a little jig," said Debbie Myers, a National Organization for Women activist.

"He was so happy after that," said Derzis. "For someone who had been so obscure, who had turned the other cheek for so long, he was telling them he was proud of what he did."

Griffin, of late, had joined the protesters against Gunn's work. Police were called to The Ladies Center a week before the shooting when Griffin blocked cars trying to get in the parking lot, said clinic director Linda Taggart. She said he stopped before officers arrived.

Griffin

Griffin grew up "privileged as Theo Huxtable and as straight as Wally Cleaver," boyhood friend Dave Flamand told the Northwest Florida Daily News.

He lived in a large house with a swimming pool, got a new bike every year and was active in the First United Methodist Church, Flamand said.

Griffin graduated from Woodham High School and served five years stateside in the U.S. Navy before returning home. He has worked at Monsanto Co. since February 1990 as a chemical operator in the casting of polymer for nylon carpet fiber, said company spokeswoman Lerissa Rowe.

Griffin's religious beliefs had grown more fundamental, but he generally kept a low profile, friends and neighbors said. He refused to send his children to public school, teaching them at home.

A year and a half ago, in August 1991, Griffin filed for divorce from his wife, Patricia, asking for joint custody of their two daughters, now 11 and 8.

Six children, one adult die in house fires

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Four children and their baby sitter were killed Saturday when a pan left on a stove started a fire in a house where authorities said a smoke detector had been disconnected.

The children, ages 6 to 9, apparently were overcome by smoke as they slept, said Fire Department investigator Todd Spear. The adult baby sitter's body was found on a living room couch.

"There was a working smoke detector when the house was built about five years ago, but the detector had been disconnected by the occupant a number of months ago," Spear said.

In Toledo, Ohio, two children were killed by a fire that authorities said started when a heater was knocked over. Their mother, who left them alone overnight, was charged with involuntary manslaughter.

One person in the Tampa house escaped the fire by breaking a window, Spear said, and was treated at a hospital for cuts and bruises.

The victims included three girls and a boy, and the baby sitter was a man, authorities said. Their names weren't immediately released.

Authorities said the Ohio fire ignited the bed that 9-year-old Victoria Sproles and her brothers, Christopher, 10, and Preston, 11, were sleeping on.

The older boy suffered burns to his hands and arms, police said. The girl and younger boy were killed.

Their mother, Helen Sproles, 35, was charged with two counts of involuntary manslaughter and one count of child endangering.

She had left the house around midnight and didn't return until about 7:30 a.m., said police Sgt. James O'Bryant.

Some Bush tapes missing, archives inventory reveals

WASHINGTON (NYT) — A report by the federal archivists who collected thousands of White House computer tapes in the waning hours of the Bush administration indicates that several sets of the tapes, ordered preserved by a federal judge, have been lost.

A Feb. 16 memo from the National Archives panel that gathered the material said "many dates are missing" from the piles of computer tapes hastily collected in the final 18 hours of the administration.

A lawyer involved in the case that led to the judge's order said it appeared that "several sets of tapes had been erased, perhaps inadvertently."

The lawyer, Cheryl Walter, also said some hard disk drives that were removed from White House computers when the Bush administration left office may have been damaged by sloppy handling in the transfer.

She said the drives, which also contain data, were "thrown in a box with no padding" as the archivists hurried to gather the material before the Clinton administration took over on Jan. 20.

All told, 4,000 to 5,000 backup tapes from the Bush and Reagan administrations were collected; such tapes were made every night. The recent losses, reported Saturday in the Washington Post, might amount to a few days' worth, Ms. Walter said. The loss is in addition to about two weeks of Reagan administration tapes that were found to be missing or erased in an inventory last fall.

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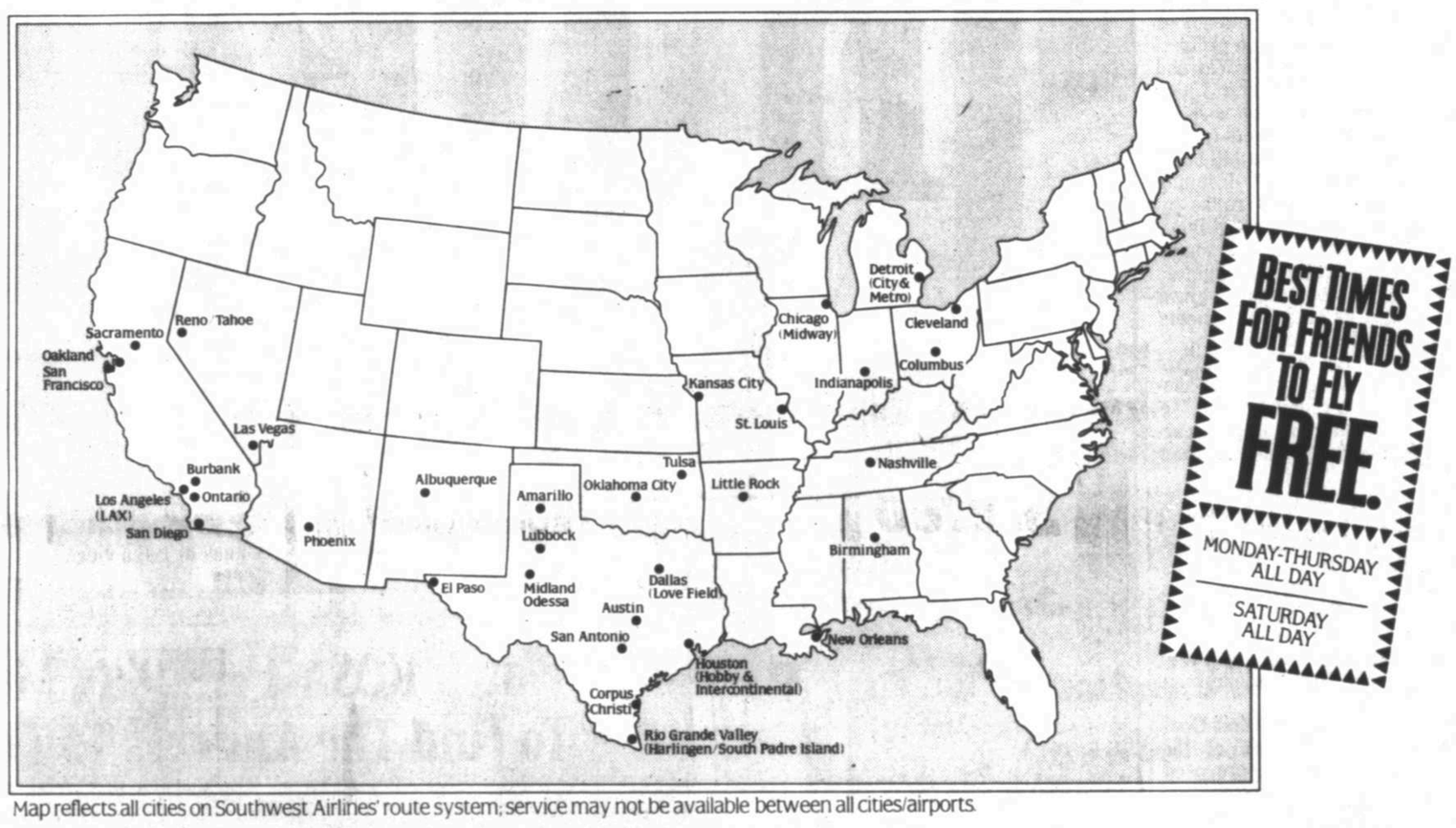

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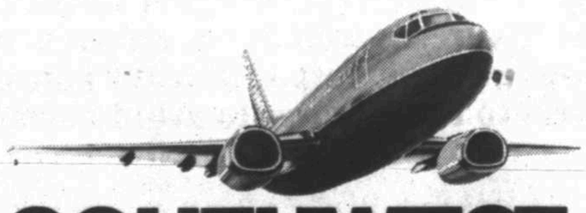

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Mrs. Clinton travels nation to hear 'crying needs' of health care

TAMPA, Fla. (AP) — Elderly people wanted relief from staggering drug bills. Druggists demanded a break from cutthroat competition with mail order houses and health maintenance organizations.

Doctors griped about Medicare's payments, paperwork and hassles. Advocates for the disabled asked for home-based care.

The litany of demands at a forum on health care reform here Friday was nearly endless, and Hillary Rodham Clinton observed: "I don't know that it is possible to satisfy every need that was heard today."

The session helped focus attention on a sometimes overlooked side of the health debate. It isn't just about the 36 million Americans without insurance, whose needs are obvious.

So are the needs of millions of more Americans whose coverage falls apart if they suffer a chronic or crippling illness, and whose long lives lead them increasingly in need of long-term care.

Ira Magaziner, a White House official involved with Mrs. Clinton's task force on health care policy, has estimated it will cost $30 billion to $90 billion to cover the uninsured.

But unless President Clinton finds ways to wring every cent of waste and bureaucratic excess out of the existing $939 billion system, it is going to cost billions more to address the crying needs, Mrs. Clinton heard at the symposium.

None of the complaints and cries for help were new.

Experts repeated the familiar refrain that Medicare annually spends 40 percent of its $130 billion on caring for the elderly in their last year of life, when the high-tech U.S. medical system throws everything it has at insured patients, regardless of their prospects for survival.

A doctor in the audience stood up to offer a disclaimer. Too many times, he said, he's had patients he was certain would die within a week. But "I haven't given up — and they've been around as a productive citizen for four or five years. It's almost an insolvable problem."

Beverly Chapman, an Orlando, Fla., advocate for the disabled who has muscular dystrophy herself, complained about a system that will pay astronomical bills if she lands in a hospital, but not hire a $7- or $8-an-hour attendant to help her stay home.

Arlene Swartzman, who owns a Tampa book store, pleaded not to send her or other small businesses the bill for their employees' health insurance.

"It can't all be paid by businesses. Let's don't bite the hand that feeds us," said Swartzman, who has insurance herself but not for her five workers.

But Ramona D. Shedroff, a volunteer lobbyist for the Florida State Council of Senior Citizens, was in no mood to apologize for or lessen the demands of the elderly.

"We get pretty tired of being targeted out because we lived beyond the age of 62," she said, her voice rising. "We have no apologies to make. We have worked. ... We have paid for what we're getting."

There were other cautionary notes sounded for the administration as it pursues its goal of restructuring a system that by itself amounts to one-seventh of the U.S. economy.

Clinton wants doctors and hospitals to band together to compete for the premiums of large new groups of insured individuals and businesses. His proposal is expected to favor prepaid plans such as health maintenance organizations and to emphasize preventive care.

But Dr. Linda Ash-Jackson, vice president and medical director of CIGNA Healthplan of Florida, said people don't always listen to advice about how to stay healthy.

Last year, despite heavy publicity by the 150,000-member managed care network, only 30 percent of the women subscribers came in for Pap smears that cost $5, she said.

Ree Sailors, president of the Florida Health Access Corp., lamented that doctors and hospitals now are rewarded only when they treat an illness, not when they keep people well.

"If we all stayed healthy, they'd all go broke," she said. "We need to change that."

Computer users spy new method to learn language

WASHINGTON (AP) — The CIA is conducting operations in the Republic of Palanca.

Where is it, you ask? Nowhere. It's a figment of the spy agency's fertile imagination. And the operations? They're only on computer software.

Palanca is the mythical republic chosen as the locale for the CIA's new interactive system of language instruction. And unlike just about everything else the agency does, this system will be available to the general public.

The CIA has entered into a joint venture agreement with a private Washington-area firm, Analysas Corp., to market the program and develop it further. Royalties will be shared with the government under provisions of the 1986 Federal Technology Transfer Act.

The idea is to share with the public the unique program developed with taxpayer money, CIA officials say.

Left unsaid is the fact that with rapidly shrinking budgets — and the CIA isn't immune — commercial sales can help the government underwrite further development of the language system.

So far, the CIA has completed only a Spanish-language program, which it has been using since last year. Work is under way on a Russian training program, and within several years the CIA hopes to also have French and Arabic programs.

The CIA has drawn congressional criticism for its employees' lack of foreign language skills and for now, at least, the new system isn't designed as a cure-all. It only provides students with a basic "survival level" of proficiency — how to get through customs, check into a hotel, pay a cab, ask for directions.

For more advanced teaching, students must still rely on the time-honored method of classroom teaching, tapes and books.

But with the CIA's EXITO (Spanish for "Success") program, students acquire basic speaking skills much faster than with the traditional teaching programs.

For example, achieving Level 1 proficiency — the government's standards of language proficiency run on a scale of 0 to 5 — takes about two weeks of seven-hour days, say the program's developers. It used to take about two months.

A student sitting down at an EXITO computer work station starts out the day watching the local television news of Palanca — en espanol, of course.

The student then plunges into daily life in Palanca, picking out a wardrobe, getting dressed, helping the chef, going to cocktail parties. In short, the life of a typical spy — on a computer disk, at least.

The figures on the screen speak Spanish, the student repeats and records the words, plays them back to compare pronunciation, and goes on to the next item. The drill is repeated afterward with a teacher.

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Authorities continue search for 3 suspects in trade center bombing

NEW YORK (NYT) — The authorities are searching for at least three more suspects in the bombing of the World Trade Center and believe they narrowly missed arresting one of them Friday, law-enforcement officials said Saturday.

The three were said to be linked to two men already arrested through a Jersey City storage locker where chemicals believed to be similar to those used in the bomb were found.

New Jersey officials confirmed that an intense search was under way for at least one other man who was seen with two suspects now in custody, Mohammed A. Salameh and Nidal A. Ayyad, in the days just before the bombing, when a yellow rental van believed to have carried the bomb was seen around the storage locker. Authorities who spoke on the condition of anonymity said that on Friday, they had gone to a place where they believed the man would be, but failed to find him.

The blizzard sweeping through the region was hampering the hunt for the three, one senior official acknowledged, but he said federal surveillance teams were in place "so if they show up they won't walk away."

Several investigators described the three as important members of what they are calling a conspiracy, possibly people who helped devise the plot. "There are probably more significant people who haven't been arrested than have been," one investigator said.

Investigators said that while Salameh and Ayyad were tied to the bombing through the van and the chemicals, their ineptness in evading detection suggested a conspiracy in which others masterminded the attack.

Authorities tracing a wire transfer of funds from Germany into a bank account shared by Salameh and Ayyad and other accounts maintained by Salameh said they were also investigating other traces of financial backing that could shed light on the motive — so far undetermined — in the bombing.

There were other signs of progress in the investigation two weeks after the blast in the trade center's underground parking garage that killed at least five people, wounded more than 1,000 and knocked out the city's biggest office complex for weeks.

An official said that a meeting between Salameh and El Sayyid A. Nosair in Attica state prison had been surreptitiously recorded by the authorities and that the tapes were being reviewed for any information they might provide about the bombing.

Nosair was acquitted of the assassination of Rabbi Meir Kahane in 1990 but convicted of assault and gun charges.

Industries object to free-trade pact

WASHINGTON (AP) — It's hard to find people angrier about the proposed free-trade pact with Mexico than the nation's broom makers.

Well, maybe the nation's truckers, glass manufacturers, vineyard owners, union members or environmentalists, all of whom are expressing extreme distaste for the North American Free Trade Agreement, or NAFTA.

The pact, negotiated last year by the Bush administration, would phase out most tariff and non-tariff trade barriers between the United States, Mexico and Canada over the next 15 years, creating the world's largest free trade zone.

The Clinton administration has promised to negotiate side agreements to better protect workers' rights and the environment. But it quickly discovered that's not enough to placate opponents.

Industry after industry ticked off specific objections to the agreement during a hearing last week by a House Ways and Means subcommittee.

Environmental groups complained it would worsen already-squalid environmental conditions along the U.S.-Mexican border.

Teamsters President Ron Carey warned that as many as 250,000 U.S. truckers could lose their jobs to lower-paid Mexicans.

Representatives of the United Auto Workers, the Amalgamated Textile and Clothing Workers Union and the United Food and Commercial Workers Union made their own dire predictions about the potential for American jobs to slide south.

Management was represented as well. The U.S. flat glass industry was out in force, led by PPG Industries Inc.

Their complaint was that while U.S. tariffs on Mexican glass are already low and will be virtually eliminated once the agreement takes effect, Mexican taxes of 20 percent on American glass will be phased out slowly over a decade.

Rep. Clay Shaw, R-Fla., cited concerns raised by fruit, vegetable and sugar growers and told U.S. Trade Representative Mickey Kantor that "there is no question but my state is going to be hard hit by Mexican imports."

And what, Kantor was also asked, did he intend to do about the American corn broom industry?

Manufacturers of brooms made with corn fibers now are protected by 30 percent tariffs imposed on Mexican imports. The tariffs would be phased out by the NAFTA pact.

The change will devastate the U.S. industry and the 49 employees of the Quinn Broom Works of Greenup, Ill., said Kenneth Quinn, who has worked in his family's broom factory for 54 of his 73 years.

Negotiators will begin working on the side agreements starting Wednesday and Thursday in Washington.

Unions and environmental groups say the panels must have the power to force countries to take corrective actions.

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COLLEGE BASKETBALL — Men: Big East Championship, Syracuse vs. Seton Hall (joined in progress), noon, CBS.

Big Eight Championship, Kansas State vs. Missouri, noon, ESPN.

Indiana at Wisconsin, 1 p.m., CBS.

Southwest Conference Championship, Texas Tech vs. Houston, 2 p.m., KPEJ.

Atlantic Coast Conference Championship, North Carolina vs. Georgia Tech, 2 p.m., ESPN.

Big West Championship (joined in progress), 4 p.m., ESPN.

Road to the Final Four, Tournament Selection Show, 5:30 p.m., CBS.

Southwestern Athletic Conference Championship, Jackson State vs. Southern U. (joined in progress), 6:30 p.m., ESPN.

UCLA at Arizona, 9:30 p.m., HSE.

GOLF — Honda Classic, final round, 2 p.m., NBC.

PRESEASON BASEBALL — Seattle Mariners vs. Chicago Cubs, 2 p.m., WGN.

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Texas Scores

PREP BASEBALL — Midland Lee 12, Del Rio 3, Del Rio Tournament final.

PREP SOCCER — Girls: Ector ISD 4, Midland High 0.

PREP BOYS STATE BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS —

Class 5A: Fort Worth Dunbar 74, Converse Judson 64.

Class 4A: Dallas Lincoln 46, Port Arthur Lincoln 45.

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Class A: Laneville 77, Weatherford Brock 68..

SWC BASKETBALL — Men's Tournament Semifinals: Houston 58, Texas 50.

Texas Tech 76, TCU 59.

Women's Tournament Final: No. 6 Texas Tech 78, No. 14 Texas 71.

SWC BASEBALL — No. 1 Texas 2, Lamar 0.

Rice 17, Houston 4.

EXHIBITION BASEBALL — Texas Ranger vs. Baltimore Orioles, ccd., rain.

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Odessa Permian	3	9			7	12
Abilene Cooper	3	9			8	12
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Saturday's Games

Midland High 1, Abilene High 0; Midland Lee 2, Abilene Cooper 1; San Angelo 3, Odessa Permian 1; Odessa High, idle. **End regular season.**

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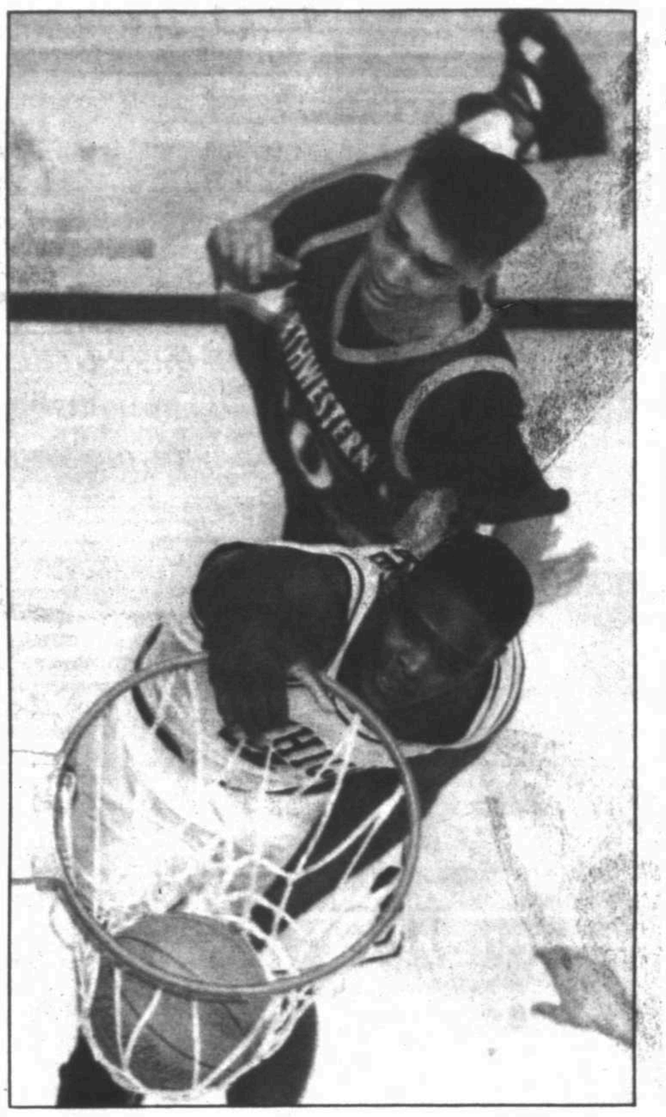

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Michigan's Chris Webber (4) towers over Northwestern's Kip Kirkpatrick (30).

Associated Press

Dean Smith got a landmark win, while two of his proteges got surprise losses.

Smith moved into sole possession of second place on the NCAA Division I victory list Saturday when his top-ranked North Carolina Tar Heels beat Virginia 74-56 in the semifinals of the Atlantic Coast Conference tournament.

But two of Smith's former assistants, Vanderbilt's Eddie Fogler and Kansas' Roy Williams — saw their Top 10 teams upset in conference semifinals.

LSU shocked fifth-ranked Vanderbilt 72-62 in the Southeastern Conference, while Kansas State stunned No. 7 Kansas 74-67 in the Big Eight.

North Carolina (28-3) won its 11th straight game and gave Smith his 768th career victory — 108 behind former Kentucky coach Adolph Rupp.

But the victory could be costly for the Tar Heels. Point guard Derrick Phelps was carried off on a stretcher after severely bruising his lower back on a breakaway layup with 1:52 left. It was unclear whether Phelps would be able to play in Sunday's ACC final against Georgia Tech, which beat Clemson 69-61.

North Carolina center Eric Montross said Virginia's Jason Williford should have been called for an intentional foul on Phelps. But Williford said he wasn't trying to hurt anyone.

"I was just going for the ball," Williford said. "I thought I made a hustle play. I don't want people to think I'm a dirty player or anything."

Jamie Brandon scored 20 points for LSU, and the Tigers harrassed Vanderbilt (26-5) into mistakes and bad shots.

"They hit a lot of big shots at big times," Fogler said. "They're going to be a dangerous team in the NCAA tournament."

LSU took control with a 17-3 run midway through the second half and advanced to the SEC final against No. 4 Kentucky, which beat Arkansas 92-81.

"We felt we had to make them think every time down the court, so we switched up defenses on them a lot," LSU coach Dale Brown said. "If you can stop Vanderbilt, you can play defense."

Vincent Jackson scored 25 points and Kansas State held taller Kansas to a standoff on the boards to reach the Big Eight final against Missouri, which downed Iowa State 67-63.

"We stayed aggressive on defense," Jackson said. "When they missed shots and turned the ball over, we got back in our offense and took our time."

Kansas (25-6) shot only 39 percent.

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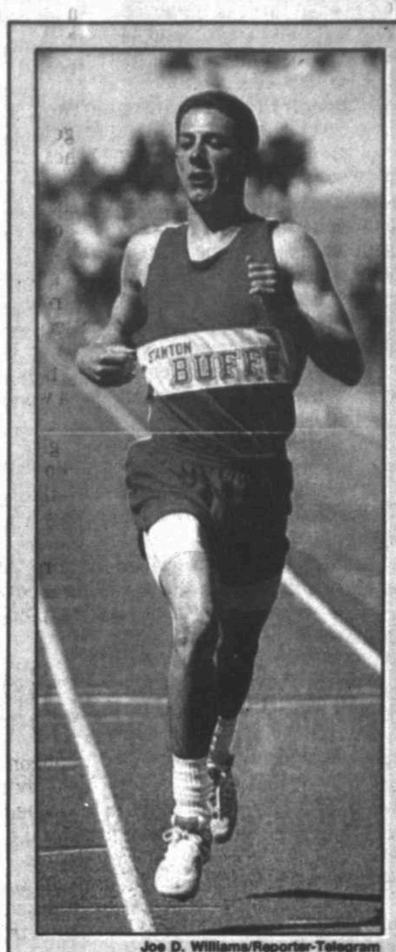

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Stanton's Jeremy Stallings

Stallings thrills at final WT Relays

By Terry Williamson
Sports editor

ODESSA — Stanton's Jeremy Stallings is taking his last laps around the tracks of West Texas and he didn't disappoint in his final performance at the West Texas Relays Saturday.

Stallings, who owns three state championships and who has been winning West Texas events since he was a freshman, broke the 3A Division 800-meter record with a 1:54.14, beating the old mark of 1:55.24 by Canyon's Korbin Reeves by more than a full second. He also broke the 3A Division 1600-meter mark with a 4:36.3, smashing the old mark of 4:39.3 by Al Smith of Odessa Permian's JV by three full seconds.

Stallings won the 800 by more than 13 seconds over second place Mykal Jones of Crane. But running by himself has become the norm for this Buffalo.

"I've done this so many years (running without major competition) that I can set a pace in my mind and come close to it," Stallings said. "I'm extremely happy with the time. I didn't expect to hit this time until the San Angelo meet, which is in two more weeks."

It was the weather, not the competition, that was the major threat to Stallings' record run.

"This kind of weather is tough to run in," Stallings said. "It's really tough to run the last 200 meters when it's cold. You really tighten up. The last two weeks I've been on a 1:52 pace after the first lap, but

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Swoopes on fire

■ Texas Tech senior Sheryl Swoopes scores 53 to lead the Lady Red Raiders to a 78-71 victory over Texas in the SWC women's championship game.

N.Y. Times News Service

DALLAS — A routine timeout gave Texas Tech forward Sheryl Swoopes time to sort her thoughts. Texas wasn't giving her easy shots, so she needed to be more creative.

Creativity proved to be another of Swoopes' many strengths, as she worked Texas inside and out to turn a slow start into a 53-point masterpiece.

Swoopes' effort lifted Texas Tech to its second consecutive Southwest Conference Women's Classic championship yes-

■ **SWC Men's Tournament**/8B

terday, a 78-71 victory against Texas. Swoopes received her second most valuable player award.

"(Swoopes) is one incredible basketball player," Texas Tech coach Marsha Sharp said. "That was one of the most incredible efforts I have ever seen, by a man or a woman. She's the most outstanding women's basketball player in the country."

Texas coach Jody Conradt could find little fault in her team's defensive effort. Swoopes rarely touched the ball without getting defensive pressure.

"I don't think we gave her a lot of easy baskets," Conradt said. "We made them work for everything they got."

But Swoopes worked overtime, playing all 40 minutes and grabbing a game-high 14 rebounds to go with her record-breaking point total.

Swoopes broke the conference record for points in one game. The previous high was 46 by Annette Smith of Texas in

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The 53 points scored by Red Raider senior Sheryl Swoopes, right, broke the Reunion Arena scoring record previously held by NBA great Larry Bird and former Washington Bullet Bernard King.

Lee ends with win

By Pete Herndon
MRT Correspondent

Midland Lee senior Matt Lawrence readily admits there was a measure of revenge in the Rebels'

■ **District 5 Soccer**

2-1 win over Abilene Cooper in the District 5 regular season soccer finale Saturday.

In the first meeting between the two teams, Cooper won its first league game in a shootout and knocked the Rebels from second- to fourth-place in the district. The Rebels, league champions a year ago, never quite recovered.

The Rebels finished the season 10-8, 6-6 in district and out of the

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Winter storm wrecks sports day

■ From South Florida to Massachusetts, numerous sporting events were either canceled or postponed due to what some forecasters have called the winter storm of the century.

Associated Press

The killer winter storm that bombarded the East Coast on Saturday produced one of the most disruptive days in sports.

Tennis, golf, auto racing, baseball, horse racing, basketball and even ice hockey felt the fury of the storm on a day better suited to sled-dog racing. There were 6-foot snowdrifts in the

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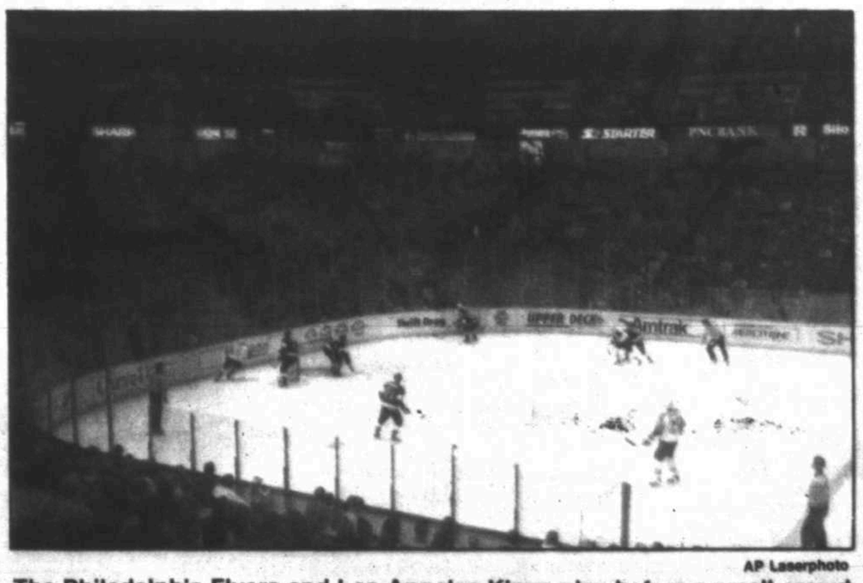

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The Philadelphia Flyers and Los Angeles Kings play before a small crowd Saturday in Philadelphia.

LOCAL SPORTS

Bulldog kickers topple Eagles

ABILENE — Ross Hunter scored in the 35th minute on an assist from David Farias to lead the playoff-bound Midland High Bulldogs to a 1-0 win over previously unbeaten Abilene High in District 5 soccer action Saturday.

The Bulldogs finish the regular season 16-2 overall, 10-2 in district. Abilene falls to 19-1, 11-1.

Goalkeeper Jeremy Hernandez recorded four saves, as the Eagles manages just five shots on goal. MHS also was able to shut out AHS' Teddy Hernandez, the league's second-leading scorer.

MHS finished the second half of the league season unbeaten after losing to Lee and Abilene in the first half of district play. The Bulldogs, with a second-place finish in District 5, will receive first- and second-round byes in the playoffs.

San Angelo, which defeated Odessa Permian 3-1 Saturday, will be the district's third playoff team.

In the playoffs all three District 5 teams receive a bye. AHS will play at Wichita Falls High March 23, while San Angelo faces Wichita Falls Rider on the 23rd at a site and time to be determined. MHS's second bye is in that round, then the Bulldogs will face Burkburnett in the third round. The date for that matchup, according to UIL rules, can be either March 25, 26 or 27.

In junior varsity play Saturday in Abilene, the Bulldogs notched a 1-0 victory.

Rebel nine win another tourney

DEL RIO — Midland Lee's baseball team claimed its second tournament championship in as many weeks, as the Rebels clouted host Del Rio 12-3 Saturday.

The win gave Lee (12-2) a 4-0 mark in the round-robin tournament, as the Rebels were the only team to go undefeated in the event.

Kirk Ulrich (3-1) went the distance on the mound to pick up the pitching victory, while Alex Hale, a junior pitcher/third baseman, smacked his third home run of the season. Hale was named tournament MVP, and Lee's Julian Urquidez, a senior righthander, was picked as the tourney's top pitcher. Ulrich and fellow Rebel Jason Baker were named All-Tournament pitchers, as well.

The Rebels also won last weekend's Tournament of Champions here in Midland. Lee, 1-0 in District 4-5A, returns to league play Tuesday when it travels to San Angelo. That game is set for a 4 p.m. start.

Midland Lee 12, Del Rio 3

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Ortiz and Garcia. Kirk Ulrich and Brian Graham. W-Ulrich (3-1). L-Ortiz. 2B-Del Rio: Martinez; Lee: Chris Connally, Sean McIntosh, Brian Henderson, Julian Urquidez. HR-Del Rio: Casillas; Lee: Alex Hale (3).

Andrews wins Angelo tourney

SAN ANGELO — Andrews seized first place and Midland Lee's split squad fourth here Saturday after the final round of the San Angelo Classic boys golf tournament at Riverside Golf Club.

The Mustangs' two-day team total of 629 outdistanced Odessa Permian by two strokes, while Amarillo High took third with a 638. The Rebels posted a score 647.

Andrews' Derrick Pursley claimed top medalist honors with two rounds of 76 for a 152 total. Mitch Spence posted the best Lee score with two-day total of 158.

Here Saturday's first division results after the final round of the San Angelo Classic boys golf tournament:

Team Standings: 1. Andrews, 327-302—629; 2. Odessa Permian, 325-306—631; 3. Amarillo High, 329-209—638; 4. Midland Lee, 339-312—647; 5. Lubbock Monterey, 343-310—653; 6. Abilene Cooper, 345-317—662; 7. San Angelo, 360-317—677; 8. Abilene High, 356-326—638; 9. Odessa High, 355-333—688; 10. Lubbock High, 368-329—697; 11. (tie) Lubbock Coronado, 366-337—703, and Amarillo Tascosa, 354-349—703.

Top Five Individuals: 1. Derrick Pursley, Andrews, 76-76—152; 2. Phillip Roberts, Permian, 79-74—153; 3. Chad Wellhausen, Cooper, 80-74—154; 4. Ronnie Lopez, Andrews, 83-73—156; 5. Christian Keener, Permian, 80-77—157.

Midland Lee Scores: Mitch Spence, 81-77—158; Matt Clements, 87-76—163; Eddie Hatch, 88-76—164; Chris Hale, 86-79—165; Brian Jeffreys, 85-80—165.

Other Andrews Scores: Manuel Hernandez, 84-76—160; Marcus Mainord, 84-77—171; JoeKirk Newbrough, 91-89—180.

'Dogs top field at Sweetwater

SWEETWATER — Midland High finished in first place and a Midland Lee split squad came in second here Saturday in the Sweetwater boys golf tournament.

The tournament was originally scheduled to be a two-day event, but was changed to a one-rounder after Friday's round was canceled because of weather. MHS finished with a team total of 317, while Lee came in with a 324. MHS's B squad was third with a 327.

Lee's Gene Ivie was top medalist after shooting a round of 74, and K.J. Sanchez, also of Lee, was second at 75. MHS' Jeremiah Luttrell (77) and Will Gray (78) were third and fourth.

Here are Saturday's results from the Sweetwater golf tournament:

Team Standings: 1. Midland High, 317, 2. Midland Lee, 324, 3. Midland B, 327, 4. Hereford 331, 5. Abilene High 348.

Medalist Standings: 1. Gene Ivie, Lee, 74; 2. K.J. Sanchez, Lee, 75; 3. Jeremiah Luttrell, MHS, 77; 4. Will Gray, MHS, 78.

Other MHS Scores: Jason Hewett, 83; Craig Kuiper 79; Brook Roberts, 89.

MHS B Scores: J.J. Castillo, 81; Josh Jacobs 81, Danny Hood, 84; Luke Mattorano, 81; Trey Thompson, 91.

Other Lee Scores: Cody Vaughn, 90; Rob Freeman, 86; David Holguin, 89; Aubrey Culley.

Andrews girls take golf win

ANDREWS — Andrews edged Midland Lee for the team title, 352-358, here Saturday in the weather-shortened Andrews Classic girls golf tournament, played at Andrews Country Club.

The one-day event, originally scheduled for two rounds before Friday's action was canceled because of bad weather, also saw Odessa Permian finish third and Midland High seventh.

Permian's Kristin Kight and Lee's Paul King finished regulation play tied for the medalist honors with scores of 78, and Kight pulled off the victory on the first playoff hole. Andrews' Tori Hester was third with a round of 80.

Team Standings: 1. Andrews A, 352; 2. Midland Lee A, 358; 3. Odessa Permian, 363; 4. El Paso Coronado, 382; 5. Abilene High 388; 6. Borger, 392; 7. MHS, 400; 8. Pampa, 408; 9. Andrews B, 411; 10. Snyder, 419; 11. El Paso Eastwood, 422; 12. Lamesa, 424; 13. El Paso Hanks, 433; 14. Pecos, 436; 15. Midland Lee B, 442; 16. Big Spring, 453; 17. San Angelo Lake View, 538.

Top Five Individuals: 1. (tie) Kristin Kight, Permian, 78, and Paula King, Lee, 78 (Kight wins in one-hole playoff); 3. Tori Hester, Andrews, 80; 4. Brooke Lowrance, Snyder, 81; 5. (tie). Andra Fleming, Andrews, and Jennifer Scott, El Paso Coronado, 86.

Other Lee A Scores: Kim Fisher, 90; Kami Fuller, 94; Kelly Thompson, 96; Heather Albright, 99.

Lee B Scores: Jennifer Dickson, 100; Christin Sutton, 100; Stacey Groce, 117; Leasha Cartmell, 125; Myra McIlroy, 128.

MHS Scores: Jennifer Reyes, 87; Clara Reyes, 96; Jennifer Gray, 105; Janis McDaniel, 112; Jackye Soper 119.

Other Andrews A Scores: Shannon Rollins, 92; Valarie Brown, 94; Amy McHorse, 95.

Andrews B Scores: Marissa Mainord, 99; Marissa Fleming, 100; Misti Cathey, 103; Kristi Kilgore, 109; Jennifer Bristow, 111. Ind: Ja'Ree Harper, 109; Karen Vogt, 113; Ashley James, 117.

Team Low Ball: Lee 70, Permian 70 (Lee wins scorecard playoff). **Longest Drive:** King, Lee. **Closest to Pin:** Clara Reyes, MHS.

Lady Bulldogs close season

ODESSA — Midland High's girls soccer team closed its inaugural season with a 4-0 loss to Ector County here Saturday.

MHS, which ends the season with a 2-10 record, was behind just 1-0 at the half after Becky Athey scored for Ector in the 19th minute. But in the second half Linda Castillejos recorded a hat trick against the Lady Bulldogs with goals in the 44th, 71st and 76th minutes.

"We were kind of outmanned from the get-go. We had no substitutes and just 11 players. You can kind of tell we were getting a little tired at the end of the game," said MHS coach Scott Hodkinson.

"When you look at our 2-10 record you can see why everyone might be a little bit down. But we have some girls that had never played before get some valuable experience. We're anticipating great things next year."

Ninth-graders win track meet

SNYDER — A combined boys track team from Midland Freshman and Lee Freshman high schools decisively won the junior varsity division of the Canyon Reef Relays track meet here Saturday.

The consolidated Midland team, all ninth-graders, amassed 223½ points, while Lamesa was next closest with 177½. Fernando Juarez (43) and Israel Boyd (40) were top point-winners for the 13-member Midland team, while Clay Johnston added 31, Leighton King 28 and Terrence McDaniel 20.

The teams were combined in order to give athletes at both schools another meet to participate in during spring break.

Here are the Midland ninth grade boys results from the Canyon Reef Relays junior varsity track meet, conducted in Snyder Saturday:

Team Totals: 1. Midland Consolidated, 223½; 2. Lamesa, 177½; 3. Levelland, 71; 4. Big Spring, 8; 5. Snyder, 5.

Discus: 1. Leighton King, 116-7; 6. Dickie Russell.

Shot Put: 5. Dickie Russell.

Pole Vault: Bo Garrison, 10-6.

High Jump: 1. Israel Boyd, 5-8.

Long Jump: Fernando Juarez, 19-2; 2. Clay Johnston.

Triple Jump: 1. Israel Boyd, 40-5; 2. Fernando Juarez; 5. Carl Hickey.

100: 1. Terrence McDaniel, 11.6; 2. Clay Johnston; 3. Leighton King.

200: 1. Clay Johnston, 24.1; 2. Leighton King; 3. Ricky Huber.

400: 1. Israel Boyd, 55.5; 2. Steve Wright; 4. Cody Lambert.

110 Hurdles: 1. Fernando Juarez, 17.0; 3. Bo Garrison.

300 Hurdles: Fernado Juarez, 47.5; 3. Bo Garrison.

400 Relay: 1. Midland A (Israel Boyd, Clay Johnston, Carl Hickey, Terrence McDaniel), 45.4; 2. Midland B (Ricky Huber, Steve Wright, Michael Van Dyke, Leighton King).

1,600 Relay: 1. Midland A (Steve Wright, Cody Lambert, Fernando Juarez, Israel boyd), 3:52.00; 3. Midland B (Ricky Huber, Bryke Russell, Carl Hickey, Michael Van Dyke).

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram staff reports.

Race enters Yukon stage

Associated Press

■ Iditarod

EAGLE ISLAND, Alaska — DeeDee Jonrowe reclaimed the Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race lead Saturday night as three teams left this single-cabin checkpoint, one behind the other for a dark and windy run up the frozen Yukon River.

Jonrowe left Eagle Island at 6:31 p.m. local time, followed by Jeff King at 6:33 and defending champion Martin Buser at 6:54. Four-time winner Susan Butcher was the other front-runner at Eagle Island, 732 miles from the race's start at Anchorage and 429 miles from the finish line at Nome.

The Iditarod was in its eighth day, maintaining what some observers said could be a record pace.

Perks so far have included silver ingots awarded at the halfway point at Iditarod, and a seven-course gourmet dinner at Anvik. Both were won by King.

Jonrowe claimed a birch basket on Friday for being the first woman musher into Grayling. Jonrowe, driving 16 dogs, said her team was healthy although she was complaining about a cold she couldn't shake and a sore knee injured in a European race.

But she said she talked with her dogs and sang to them while making the lonely, 65-mile run upriver from Grayling on Saturday.

"I stopped three times and I changed leaders three times," Jonrowe said. "That cut the boredom factor down."

Buser, who left Eagle Island with 15 dogs, said the race was beginning to tell on the leaders.

"I'm getting tired," Buser said. "We're starting to feel the lack of sleep accumulating, and our mood swings start taking over."

Five-time champion Rick Swenson has been running near the front of the pack since the 1,100-mile race began March 6.

Fourth into the Grayling checkpoint and second out on Saturday, Swenson said he was prepared for a soft, snowy trail as it followed the Yukon River north.

"It isn't what I would like, but it's what you expect," Swenson said. "It's a lot of open swamps and rivers and soft snow because the wind is always blowing, filling in the trail. Very seldom is it hard-packed."

Tim Osmar, who was running just behind Swenson, said he couldn't wait to leave the river at Kaltag and begin heading toward the Bering Sea Coast.

"I can't wait to get off of it," he said. "It's just miserable. You've got the wind in your face and it seems like you're going about 3 miles an hour — backward."

Race officials in Anchorage said a team driven by rookie David Branholm of Wasilla was disqualified after a dog escaped from his team Tuesday.

Al Marple, Iditarod race marshal, said Saturday that Branholm had used a snowmachine on the trail to hunt for the dog between Nikolai and Rainy Pass.

Race officials said it looks as if the dog was headed toward Knik, near Wasilla and not far from the race start.

Mushers are vying for $50,000 in first-place money.

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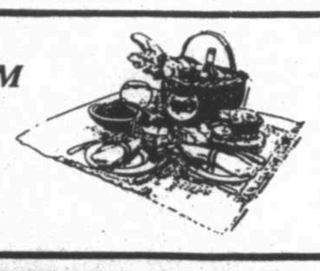

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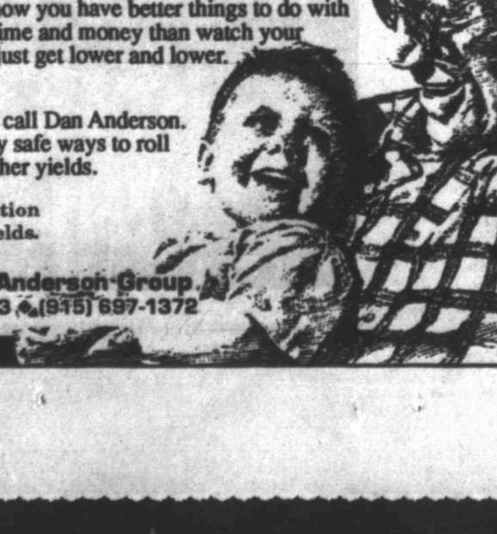

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Seattle	41	20	.672	5½
Portland	35	23	.603	10
LA Lakers	32	27	.542	13½
LA Clippers	30	31	.492	16½
Golden State	25	36	.410	21½
Sacramento	20	41	.328	26½

Saturday's Games
Denver at Philadelphia, ppd., weather
Cleveland vs. Washington at Baltimore, ppd., weather
Indiana at New York, ppd., weather
Miami 106, Seattle 102
San Antonio 108, Portland 99
Houston 104, Utah 95
New Jersey 124, Phoenix 93
Sacramento 122, Dallas 94
Sunday's Games
Chicago at Detroit, 11 a.m.
LA Clippers at Minnesota, 2:30 p.m.
Indiana at New York, 5 p.m.
LA Lakers at Atlanta, 6 p.m.
Seattle at Orlando, 6:30 p.m.
Charlotte at Boston, 7 p.m.

Boxes

Heat 106, Sonics 102

SEATTLE (102)
Kemp 5-9 1-2 11, McKey 11-15 3-3 25, Cage 1-1 0-0 2, Payton 3-8 1-2 7, Pierce 6-15 3-3 15, Johnson 12-18 3-4 27, McMillan 1-4 1-2 3, Perkins 4-8 0-0 8, Askew 1-2 0-0 2, Barros 1-8 0-0 2. Totals 45-88 12-16 102.
MIAMI (106)
Long 9-16 5-6 23, Rice 3-10 3-3 9, Seikaly 4-13 1-2 9, Shaw 4-11 2-2 10, Smith 5-16 6-7 16, Askins 2-4 0-0 5, Coles 7-11 2-3 18, Miner 5-10 2-2 12, Geiger 2-3 0-0 4. Totals 41-94 21-25 106.

Seattle	33	19	24	26—102
Miami	20	34	26	25—106

3-Point goals—Seattle 0-2 (Pierce 0-1, Barros 0-1), Miami 3-11 (Coles 2-3, Askins 1-1, Smith 0-1, Shaw 0-2, Rice 0-4). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Seattle 52 (Kemp 14), Miami 52 (Seikaly 12). Assists—Seattle 26 (Payton 12), Miami 20 (Smith 6). Total fouls—Seattle 27, Miami 20. Technicals—Seattle coach Karl 2, Seattle illegal defense. Ejection—Seattle coach Karl. A—15,008.

Spurs 108, Blazers 99

PORTLAND (99)
Murray 4-8 0-0 9, Williams 2-4 0-2 4, Duckworth 3-9 3-3 9, Strickland 4-12 5-5 13, Porter 10-19 4-5 26, C.Robinson 12-24 4-4 28, Elie 1-3 2-2 4, Kersey 2-6 0-0 4, Bryant 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 39-87 18-21 99.
SAN ANTONIO (108)
Reid 2-6 1-2 5, Elliott 9-15 6-9 24, D.Robinson 9-20 5-5 23, Ellis 7-15 0-0 18, A.Johnson 1-4 1-2 3, Carr 12-17 3-4 27, Daniels 3-6 0-0 6, Smith 0-1 0-0 0, Anderson 1-2 0-0 2, Del Negro 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 44-86 16-22 108.

Portland	25	21	24	29— 99
San Antonio	25	27	26	30—108

3-Point goals—Port.and 3-10 (Porter 2-4, Murray 1-3, C.Robinson 0-1, Strickind 0-2), San Antonio 4-6 (Ellis 4-5, Elliott 0-1). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Portland 48 (Williams, C.Robinson 10), San Antonio 51 (D.Robinson 19). Assists—Portland 26 (Strickland 14), San Antonio 25 (A.Johnson 14). Total fouls—Portland 22, San Antonio 22. Technical—Williams. Flagrant foul—Bryant. A—16,057.

Kings 122, Mavs 94

DALLAS (94)
Davis 9-15 3-4 21, White 2-3 2-3 6, Rooks 3-6 0-2 6, Wiley 4-8 0-0 10, Jackson 3-14 1-2 9, Iuzzolino 4-7 1-3 9, Smith 4-9 1-2 9, Hodge 1-1 2-2 4, Bond 1-5 0-0 2, Legler 2-4 2-2 6, Cambridge 5-8 2-2 12. Totals 38-80 14-22 94.
SACRAMENTO (122)
Simmons 11-13 2-2 24, Bonner 5-7 1-2 11, Tisdale 3-7 2-2 8, Williams 7-17 5-8 20, Webb 5-10 4-7 15, Rambis 3-3 2-2 8, Brown 5-8 5-5 15, Higgins 0-4 0-0 0, Chilcutt 2-8 0-1 4, Conlon 2-4 5-6 9, Les 2-4 2-2 8.Totals 45-85 28-37 122.

Dallas	21	21	26	26— 94
Sacramento	28	28	32	34—122

3-Point goals—Dallas 4-12 (Jackson 2-4, Wiley 2-5, Iuzzolino 0-1, Bond 0-1, Legler 0-1), Sacramento 4-8 (Les 2-2, Webb 1-2, Williams 1-4). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Dallas 48 (Smith 7), Sacramento 51 (Williams 10). Assists—Dallas 25 (Iuzzolino 7), Sacramento 30 (Webb 8). Total fouls—Dallas 28, Sacramento 21. Technicals—White, Sacramento illegal defense. Flagrant foul—Rooks. A—17,317.

Nets 124, Suns 93

NEW JERSEY (124)
Coleman 9-18 2-3 22, Brown 8-13 0-2 16, Dudley 0-2 0-0 0, Petrovic 12-21 4-4 29, Robinson 10-15 1-4 23, Bowie 4-7 2-2 11, Morris 5-10 1-2 12, Cheeks 1-2 0-0 2, Addison 1-3 0-0 2, King 3-4 0-0 6, George 0-1 0-0 0, Mahorn 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 53-96 10-17 124.
PHOENIX (93)
Barkley 6-12 3-3 15, Ceballos 5-12 3-4 13, West 0-1 0-0 0, K.Johnson 8-14 7-9 23, Majerle 3-10 0-0 6, Ainge 1-4 0-0 2, Chambers 6-14 2-4 14, F.Johnson 2-5 0-0 4, Miller 2-9 2-2 6, Mustaf 3-6 2-4 8, Kempton 1-1 0-0 2.Totals 37-88 19-26 93.

New Jersey	41	30	33	20—124
Phoenix	22	28	19	24— 93

3-Point goals—New Jersey 8-16 (Coleman 3-4, Robinson 2-2, Bowie 1-1, Morris 1-3, Petrovic 1-5, Brown 0-1), Phoenix 0-9 (Barkley 0-1, Chambers 0-1, Miller 0-1, Majerle 0-3, Ainge 0-3). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—New Jersey 56 (Coleman 12), Phoenix 52 (Ceballos, Chambers, Mustaf 7). Assists—New Jersey 34 (Robinson 10), Phoenix 18 (K.Johnson 6). Total fouls—New Jersey 22, Phoenix 20. A—19,023.

Rockets 104, Jazz 95

UTAH (95)
Benoit 3-7 0-0 7, K.Malone 4-8 7-9 15, Eaton 1-2 0-0 2, Humphries 7-18 0-0 14, Stockton 5-12 2-2 13, J.Malone 12-20 2-2 26, Brown 1-1 0-0 2, Corbin 5-11 1-1 11, Krystkowiak 2-7 1-2 5. Totals 40-86 13-16 95.
HOUSTON (104)
Horry 2-3 0-2 4, Thorpe 1-3 0-2 2, Olajuwon 13-26 12-16 38, Maxwell 5-11 6-6 18, Smith 7-11 2-2 21, Herrera 2-7 1-2 5, Bullard 3-5 0-0 8, Garland 2-2 0-0 4, Brooks 0-2 2-3 2, Rollins 0-1 2-2 2.Totals 35-71 25-35 104.

Utah	30	18	21	26— 95
Houston	24	20	26	34—104

3-Point goals—Utah 2-11 (Benoit 1-3, Stockton 1-5, Krystkowiak 0-1, Humphries 0-2), Houston 9-17 (Smith 5-6, Bullard 2-4, Maxwell 2-6, Horry 0-1). Fouled out—Stockton. Rebounds—Utah 45 (Eaton 8), Houston 50 (Olajuwon 14). Assists—Utah 22 (Humphries 7), Houston 22 (Smith 7). Total fouls—Utah 26, Houston 18. Technicals—Houston illegal defense, Olajuwon, Brown, K.Malone, Humphries, Utah illegal defense. Flagrant fouls—Krystkowiak, Herrera. Ejection—K.Malone. A—16,611.

NHL Roundup

Standings

All Times CST
WALES CONFERENCE
Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Pittsburgh	41	21	6	88	272	219
Washington	33	27	7	73	268	239
NY Rangers	31	26	11	73	260	251
New Jersey	33	29	6	72	248	244
NY Isles	32	29	6	70	270	242
Philadelphia	25	32	11	61	260	270
Adams Division						
x-Montreal	42	23	6	90	288	232
x-Quebec	38	22	10	86	297	254
x-Boston	37	24	7	81	271	238
Buffalo	33	26	9	75	290	246
Hartford	20	43	5	45	229	303
Ottawa	9	57	4	22	170	333
CAMPBELL CONFERENCE						
Norris Division						
	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Chicago	37	22	10	84	233	190
Toronto	36	24	9	81	243	200
Detroit	36	26	9	81	303	243
Minnesota	33	28	9	75	240	243
St. Louis	32	30	8	72	239	237
Tampa Bay	21	42	5	47	204	258
Smythe Division						
x-Vancvr	38	22	9	85	290	219
Calgary	35	24	10	80	271	238
Los Angeles	30	31	7	67	272	285
Winnipeg	30	33	6	66	255	267
Edmonton	24	38	8	56	202	272
San Jose	10	57	2	22	185	337

x-clinched playoff berth.
Saturday's Games
Los Angeles at Philadelphia, ppd., weather
Boston 6, Ottawa 3
Buffalo 3, Hartford 3, tie
Pittsburgh at New York Islanders, ppd., weather
New York Rangers at Washington, ppd., weather
Quebec 5, Montreal 2
Calgary 4, New Jersey 3
St. Louis 6, Minnesota 2
Sunday's Games
Philadelphia at Hartford, ppd., weather
Los Angeles at Buffalo, ppd., weather
Tampa Bay at Winnipeg, 1:10 p.m.
Chicago at Edmonton, 2:10 p.m.
Detroit at San Jose, 3:40 p.m.
Pittsburgh at New York Islanders, 4:10 p.m.
Washington at New York Islanders, ppd.
St. Louis at Minnesota, 7:10 p.m.
Vancouver at Calgary, 7:10 p.m.

Summaries

Bruins 6, Senators 3

Ottawa	1	1	1—3
Boston	3	1	2—6

First Period—1, Ottawa, Rumble 3 (Archibald, Lamb), 1:49. 2, Boston, Donato 11 (Juneau, Oates), 5:56 (pp). 3, Boston, Juneau 27 (Ruzicka, Douris), 8:04. 4, Boston, Ruzicka 19 (Donato, Roberts), 11:52 (pp).
Second Period—5, Boston, G.Murphy 4 (Bourque, Sweeney), 9:45. 6, Ottawa, R.Murphy 2 (Hull, McIver), 10:59.
Third Period—7, Boston, Reid 18 (Juneau, G.Murphy), 1:50. 8, Ottawa, R.Murphy 3 (Hull, Lamb), 3:50. 9, Boston, Poulin 14 (Bourque, Sweeney), 19:55 (en).
Shots on goal—Ottawa 8-9-4—21. Boston 13-9-9—31.
Goalies—Ottawa, Sidorkiewicz 7-39-3 (30 shots-25 saves). Boston, Moog 25-13-3 (21-18).

Whalers 3, Sabres 3

Buffalo	3	0	0	0—3
Hartford	0	3	0	0—3

First Period—1, Buffalo, Mogilny 68 (Smehlik, Wood), :37. 2, Buffalo, LaFontaine 46 (Mogilny), 9:46. 3, Buffalo, Audette 8 (Hawerchuk), 15:02.
Second Period—4, Hartford, Weinrich 5 (Yake), 6:24 (sh). 5, Hartford, Verbeek 32 (Cassels, Sanderson), 13:19 (pp). 6, Hartford, Kypreos 16 (Burt, Craven), 16:26.
Third Period—No scoring.
Overtime—No scoring.
Shots on goal—Buffalo 11-17-7-4—39. Hartford 14-7-10-1—32.
Power-play Opportunities—Buffalo 0 of 6; Hartford 1 of 6.
Goalies—Buffalo, Hasek 10-9-4 (32 shots-29 saves). Hartford, Goselin 0-1-1 (39-36).

Nordiques 5, Canadiens 2

Quebec	0	1	4—5
Montreal	0	2	0—2

First Period—None.
Second Period—1, Quebec, Kamensky 8 (Leschyshyn), :30. 2, Montreal, Leeman 15 (Odelein, Roy), 14:19. 3, Montreal, Bellows 33 (LeClair, Odelein), 16:45.
Third Period—4, Quebec, Sakic 45 (Hough, Gusarov), 1:16. 5, Quebec, Kovalenko 23 (Sakic), 4:12. 6, Quebec, Kamensky 9 (Foote), 11:45 (sh). 7, Quebec, Sundin 36 (Kamensky, Leschyshyn), 14:17.
Shots on goal—Quebec 10-8-13—31. Montreal 10-12-7—29.
Goalies—Quebec, Fiset, 13-8-4 (29 shots-27 saves). Montreal, Roy, 28-18-5 (31-26).

Flames 4, Devils 3

New Jersey	0	2	1—3
Calgary	0	1	3—4

First Period—None.
Second Period—1, Calgary, Ranheim 18 (Reichel, Makarov), 3:04. 2, New Jersey, Niedermayer 10 (Richer), 6:20. 3, New Jersey, Guerin 12 (Stevens, Richer), 14:20.
Third Period—4, Calgary, Stern 10 (Otto, Johansson), 3:01. 5, New Jersey, Zelepukin 13 (Lemieux, Semak), 7:07 (pp). 6, Calgary, MacInnis 7 (Fleury, Suter), 10:35 (pp). 7, Calgary, Nieuwendyk 31 (Fleury, Suter), 16:23.
Shots on goal—New Jersey 8-6-2—16. Calgary 8-13-6—27.
Goalies—New Jersey, Billington, 18-13-3 (27 shots-23 saves). Calgary, Reese, 11-3-1 (18-15).

Blues 6, Stars 2

Minnesota	0	1	1—2
St. Louis	3	1	2—6

First Period—1, St. Louis, Hull 48 (Janney, Brown), 9:32 (pp). 2, St. Louis, Brown 2 (Rich Sutter, Bassen), 16:20. 3, St. Louis, Shanahan 41 (Hull, Brown), 17:19 (pp).
Second Period—4, St. Louis, Rich Sutter 9 (Bassen, Miller), 9:54. 5, Minnesota, Modano 32 (Sjodin, McPhee), 18:06 (pp).
Third Period—6, Minnesota, Dahlen 27 (Churla, Tinordi), 4:34. 7, St. Louis, Miller 20 (Bassen), 12:38. 8, St. Louis, Rich Sutter 10, 17:30 (sh-en).
Shots on goal—Minnesota 14-13-16—43. St. Louis 10-3-8—21.
Goalies—Minnesota, Casey, 23-20-5 (20 shots-15 saves). St. Louis, Joseph, 24-23-6 (43-41).

Spring Standings

All Times CST
AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
New York	9	1	.900
Milwaukee	8	1	.889
Minnesota	7	3	.700
Texas	6	3	.667
Baltimore	5	3	.625
Oakland	6	5	.545
California	5	5	.500
Chicago	4	6	.400
Detroit	3	5	.375
Cleveland	3	6	.333
Kansas City	2	6	.250
Boston	2	7	.222
Toronto	2	7	.222
Seattle	1	8	.111
NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	5	2	.714
Florida	6	3	.667
Cincinnati	5	3	.625
Montreal	4	3	.571
St. Louis	4	3	.571
Houston	5	4	.556
Los Angeles	5	4	.556
San Diego	5	4	.556
Chicago	5	5	.500
Colorado	5	5	.500
Pittsburgh	4	5	.444
San Francisco	4	6	.400
Atlanta	3	6	.333
New York	2	6	.250

NOTE: Split-squad games count in standings, ties or college games do not
Saturday's Games
New York Yankees 11, Los Angeles 6
Toronto vs. Minnesota (ss), ccd., rain
Houston (ss) vs. Kansas City (ss), ccd., rain
Kansas City (ss) vs. Cleveland, ccd., rain
Montreal vs. Atlanta (ss), ccd., high winds
Chicago White Sox 10, Boston 4, 5 innings, rain
Detroit vs. Houston (ss) at Kissimmee, ccd., rain
Pittsburgh vs. St. Louis, ccd., rain
Philadelphia vs. Cincinnati, ccd., rain
Florida vs. New York Mets, ccd., rain
Baltimore vs. Texas, ccd., rain
Milwaukee 12, Seattle 6
San Diego 9, California 7
San Francisco 10, Oakland 2
Colorado 6, Chicago Cubs 1
Minnesota (ss) 1, Atlanta (ss) 0
Sunday's Games
Minnesota vs. Philadelphia at Clearwater, 11:05 a.m.
Cleveland vs. Chicago White Sox at Sarasota, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
St. Louis vs. Kansas City at Haines City, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Texas vs. Boston at Fort Myers, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Houston vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., 12:05 p.m.,
Toronto vs. Pittsburgh at Bradenton, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Atlanta (ss) vs. Florida at Cocoa, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
New York Mets vs. Los Angeles at Vero Beach, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
New York Yankees vs. Montreal at West Palm Beach, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Cincinnati vs. Baltimore at St. Petersburg, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Atlanta (ss) vs. Sultanas at Monterrey, Mexico, 2 p.m.
Milwaukee vs. Oakland at Phoenix, 2:05 p.m.
San Diego vs. San Francisco at Scottsdale, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.
California vs. Colorado at Tucson, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.
Seattle vs. Chicago Cubs at Mesa, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.

Line Scores

Yankees 11, Dodgers 4

At Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

LA	000	210	001— 4 7 2
NY(A)	006	200	12x—11 15 3

Hershiser, Astacio (4), Guetterman (7) and Piazza, Wakamatsu (4); Abbott, Heaton (5), Habyan (7), Farr (9) and Nokes, Leyritz (6), DeJardin (8). W—Abbott, 1-0. L—Hershiser, 1-1. HRs—New York, Maas (1), Silvestri (2).

Chisox 10, Bosox 4

At Sarasota, Fla.

Boston	021	01—	4 10 2
Chi (A)	025	03—10	15 1

(5 innings, rain)
Viola, Young (4) and Pena, Flaherty (4); McDowell, Radinsky (4), and Karkovice, Wrona (4). W—McDowell, 2-0. L—Viola, 0-2.

Brewers 12, Mariners 6

At Chandler, Ariz.

Seattle	020	000	031— 6 7 4
Milw	310	106	10x—12 17 0

DeLucia, Converse (3), Powell (4), Darwin (6), Barton (6), Fisher (7), Charlton (8) and Deak, Howard (8); Higuera, Manzanillo (3), Ignasiak (6), Novoa (8), Wishnewski (9) and McIntosh, Stefanski (6). W—Higuera, 2-0. L—DeLucia. HRs—Seattle, Buhner (2), Tinsley (2).

Padres 9, Angels 7

At Tempe, Ariz.

San Diego	000	001	02S—9 10 0
California	000	001	042—7 10 0

Seminara, Rodriguez (5), Agosto (7), Mason (8), Strong (9) and Geren, Lampkin (6); Langston, Sanderson (5), Nielsen (8), Percival (9), Musset (9) and Orton, Tingley (8). W—Mason, 1-0. L—Percival, 0-1. Sv—Strong (1). HR—California, C.Davis (1).

Giants 10, A's 2

At Scottsdale, Ariz.

Oakland	000	010	100— 2 7 2
SF	500	002	21x—10 14 1

Darling, Honeycutt (5), Nunez (6), Ojala (7), Boever (8), and Steinbach, Molina (8); Burkett, Jackson (6), Righetti (8) and Allanson, Reed (6). W—Burkett, (2-1). L—Darling, 0-1.

Rockies 6, Cubs 1

At Mesa, Ariz.

Colorado	001	020	300—6 12 1
Chi (N)	000	000	100—1 6 4

Henry, Moore (5), Frederickson (6), Ca.Jones (7), Parrett (8) and Ausmus, Sheaffer (8); Morgan, Wendell (5), Brennan (6), Assenmacher (8), Swartzbaugh (9) and Lake, Wilkins (8). W—Henry, 1-0. L—Morgan, 1-2.

Braves 1, Twins 0

At Monterrey, Mexico.

Atlanta (ss)	100	000	000—1 4 0
Minn (ss)	000	000	000—0 4 1

Avery, Barr (4), Holman (7), Wohlers (9) and Lopez; Banks, Tsamis (5), Casian (8) and Parks. W—Banks, 2-0. L—Avery, 0-1. Sv—Casian (1).

SWC Lines

Texas 2, Lamar 0

Lamar	000	000	000— 0 3 0
Texas	000	101	00x— 2 6 2

Brassington and Gafford; Spurck and Webb. 2B—UT: Larkin, Vasut. 3B—LU: Iapoce. HRs—None. W—Spurck (5-0). L—Brassington (2-2).

Rice 17, Houston 4

Houston	020	002	000— 4 8 2
Rice	011	063	51x—17 20 3

Wright, Tyson (5), Jones (5), Lewis (6), Hamilton (7) and Hatch, Galvin (7); Richardson, Binder (9) and Rodgers, Brannen (8). 2B—UH, Blair; Rice, Brooks, Davis (2), Choate, Cruz, Jr., Boni, Rodgers (2). 3B—Rice, Brooks. HRs—UH, Taylor (1); Rice, Aslaksen (5), Cruz (6). W—Richardson (5-0). L—Wright (3-1). A—1,548.

Conference Tournaments

Men

Conference Tournament Glances
All Times EST
Atlantic Coast Conference
At Charlotte Coliseum
Charlotte, N.C.
Semifinals
Saturday, March 13
North Carolina 74, Virginia 56
Clemson vs. Georgia Tech
Championship
Sunday, March 14
North Carolina vs. Georgia Tech, 3 p.m.
Atlantic 10 Conference
At The Palestra
Philadelphia
Championship
Thursday, March 11
Massachusetts 69, Temple 61
Big East Conference
At Madison Square Garden
New York
Semifinals
Saturday, March 13
Seton Hall 69, Providence 60
Syracuse 84, St. John's 72
Championship
Sunday, March 14
Seton Hall vs. Syracuse, 12 noon
Big Eight Conference
At Kemper Arena
Kansas City
Semifinals
Saturday, March 13
Kansas State 74, Kansas 67
Missouri vs. Iowa State
Championship
Sunday, March 14
Kansas State vs. Missouri, 1 p.m.
Big Sky Conference
At The Kibbie Dome
Moscow, Idaho
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Boise State vs. Idaho, (n)
Big South Conference
At North Charleston Coliseum
Charleston, S.C.
Championship
Saturday, March 6
Coastal Carolina 78, Winthrop 65
Big West Conference
At Long Beach Arena
Long Beach, Calif.
Semifinals
Saturday, March 13
New Mexico St. 82, UC Santa Barbara 77
UNLV vs. Long Beach State, (n)
Championship
Sunday, March 14
New Mexico St. vs. UNLV-Long Beach St. winner, 3:30 p.m.
Colonial Athletic Association
At Richmond Coliseum
Richmond, Va.
Championship
Monday, March 8
East Carolina 54, James Madison 49
Great Midwest Conference
At The Pyramid
Memphis, Tenn.
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Cincinnati 77, Memphis State 72
Metro Athletic Conference
At Freedom Hall
Louisville, Ky.
Saturday, March 13
Va. Commonwealth 85, Virginia Tech 71
Louisville 71, N.C. Charlotte 59
Championship
Sunday, March 14
Va. Commonwealth vs. Louisville, 1 p.m.
Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference
At Knickerbocker Arena
Albany, N.Y.
Championship
Monday, March 8
Manhattan 68, Niagara 67
Mid-American Conference
At Battelle Hall
Columbus, Ohio
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Ball State 79, Western Michigan 64
Mid-Continent Conference
At E.J. Nutter Center
At Dayton, Ohio
Championship
Tuesday, March 9
Wright State 94, Illinois-Chicago 88
Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference
At The Scope
Norfolk, Va.
Championship
Sunday, March 7
Coppin State 80, Delaware State 53
Midwestern Collegiate Conference
At Market Square Arena
Indianapolis
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Evansville 80, Xavier, Ohio 69
Missouri Valley Conference
At St. Louis Arena
St. Louis
Championship
Monday, March 8
Southern Illinois 70, Illinois State 59
North Atlantic Conference
At Campus Sites
Wednesday, March 10
Delaware 67, Drexel 64
Northeast Conference
At Campus Sites
Championship
Tuesday, March 9
Rider 65, Wagner 64
Ohio Valley Conference
At Rupp Arena
Lexington, Ky.
Championship
Saturday, March 6
Tennessee State 82, Murray State 68
Patriot League
At Campus Sites
Championship
Wednesday, March 10
Holy Cross 98, Bucknell 73
Southeastern Conference
At Rupp Arena
Lexington, Ky.
First Round
Semifinals
Saturday, March 13
Louisiana St. 72, Vanderbilt 62
Kentucky 92, Arkansas 81
Championship
Sunday, March 14
Louisiana State vs. Kentucky, 1 p.m.
Southern Conference
At The Asheville Civic Center
Asheville, N.C.
Championship
Sunday, March 7
Tennessee-Chattanooga 86, East Tennessee State 75
Southland Conference
At Ewing Coliseum
Monroe, La.
Championship
Sunday, March 7
Northeast Louisiana 80, Texas-San Antonio 66
Southwest Conference
At Reunion Arena
Dallas
Semifinals
Saturday, March 13
Texas Tech 76, Texas Christian 59
Houston 58, Texas 50
Championship
Sunday, March 14
Texas Tech vs. Houston, 3 p.m.
Southwestern Athletic Conference
First Round
Semifinals
At The Riverside Centroplex
Baton Rouge, La.
Saturday, March 13
Jackson State 85, Mississippi Valley State 75
Southern U. 93, Alcorn State 75
Championship
Sunday, March 14
Jackson State vs. Southern U., 6:30 p.m.
Sun Belt Conference
At Mississippi Coast Coliseum
Biloxi, Miss.
Championship
Monday, March 8
Western Kentucky 72, New Orleans 63
West Coast Conference
At Memorial Gym
San Francisco
Championship
Monday, March 8
Santa Clara 73, Pepperdine 63
Western Athletic Conference
At The Delta Center
Salt Lake City
Championship
Saturday, March 13
New Mexico 76, Texas-El Paso 65

Women

All Times EST
x-Denotes NCAA Automatic Bid to champion
x-Atlantic Coast Conference
Rock Hill, S.C.
Championship
Monday, March 8
Virginia 106, Maryland 103, 3OT
x-Atlantic 10 Conference
Washington, D.C.
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Rutgers 59, St. Joseph's 51
x-Big East Conference
Providence, R.I.
Championship
Monday, March 8
Miami 77, Providence 56
x-Big Eight Conference
Salina, Kansas
Championship
Monday, March 8
Kansas 64, Nebraska 60
x-Big Sky Conference
At Bozeman, Mont.
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Montana vs. Montana St. (n)
Big South Conference
Radford, Va.
Championship
Saturday, March 13
N.C.-Greensboro vs. Radford, ppd., weather
x-Big West Conference
Long Beach, Calif.
Saturday, March 13
UC Santa Barbara 80, Hawaii 77
x-Colonial Athletic Association
Norfolk, Va.
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Old Dominion 65, William & Mary 51
Great Midwest Conference
Memphis, Tenn.
Championship
Saturday, March 13
DePaul 70, Marquette 53
x-Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference
Albany, N.Y.
First Round
Championship
Sunday, March 7
St. Peter's 72, Loyola, Md., 64
x-Metropolitan Conference
Louisville, Ky.
Championship
Friday, March 12
Louisville 84, Southern Mississippi 73
x-Mid-American Conference
at Campus Sites
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Bowling Green 96, Kent 68
x-Mid-Continent Conference
Green Bay, Wis.
Championship
Saturday, March 13
N. Illinois 75, Wis.-Green Bay 58
Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference
Norfolk, Va.
Championship
Sunday, March 7
S. Carolina St. 65, Coppin St. 64
x-Midwestern Conference
South Bend, Ind.
Championship
Wednesday, March 10
Xavier, Ohio 82, Butler 72
x-Missouri Valley
at Campus Sites
Championship
Saturday, March 13
SW Missouri St. 54, St. Illinois 53
North Atlantic
at Campus Sites
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Vermont 62, Maine 45
Northeast Conference
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Mount St. Mary's vs. Fairleigh-Dickinson, ppd., weather
Championship
Sunday, March 14
Mount St. Mary's vs. Fairleigh-Dickinson
x-Ohio Valley Conference
Cookeville, Tenn.
Championship
Tuesday, March 9
Tennessee Tech 80, Middle Tennessee St. 73
Patriot League
at Campus Sites
Championship
Monday, March 8
Holy Cross 82, Fordham 63
x-Southeastern Conference
Chattanooga, Tenn.
Monday, March 8
Vanderbilt 78, Georgia 64
x-Southern Conference
Johnson City, Tenn.
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Furman vs. Georgia Southern, ppd., weather
Championship
Sunday, March 14
Furman vs. Georgia Southern
x-Southland Conference
at Campus Sites
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Stephen F. Austin 77, NW Louisiana 75
x-Southwest Conference
Dallas
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Texas Tech 78, Texas 71
Southwestern Athletic Conference
Baton Rouge, La.
Championship
Sunday, March 14
Miss. Valley St. vs. Southern U., 3:30 p.m.
x-Sun Belt Conference
Ruston, La.
Championship
Saturday, March 13
W. Kentucky 81, Louisiana Tech 73
Transamerica Conference
Miami
Championship
Saturday, March 6
Florida International 77, Mercer 52
x-West Coast Conference
Santa Clara, Calif.
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Santa Clara vs. San Diego (n)
x-Western Athletic Conference
Salt Lake City
Championship
Saturday, March 13
Brigham Young 53, Utah 50

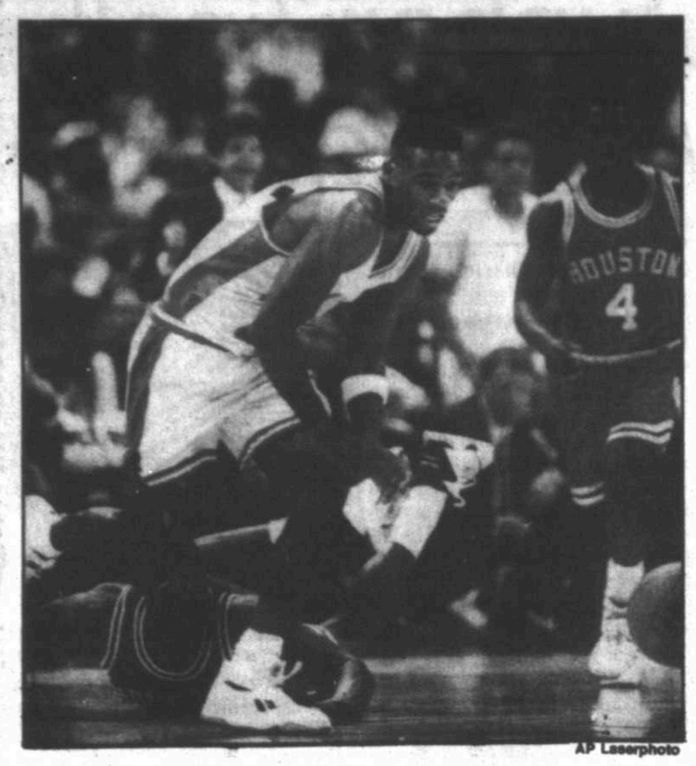
SWC Men

Tech 76, TCU 59

TEXAS TECH (17-11)
Sasser 4-8 3-7 13, Dale 3-3 0-0 6, Flemons 9-12 3-5 21, Hughes 3-8 4-6 10, Holley 4-6 0-0 9, Smith 5-8 0-0 13, Brown 0-0 2-2 2, Collins 1-1 0-0 2, Clayton 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 29-46 12-20 76.
TEXAS CHRISTIAN (6-22)
Tolley 2-6 1-2 5, Gordon 5-9 0-0 11, Dailey 11-16 2-4 24, Atwater 2-9 0-0 6, Moore 1-7 2-2 4, Waits 2-7 2-2 6, Williams 0-4 0-0 0, Ward 1-1 0-0 3, Aldrich 0-0 0-0 0, Lazor 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 24-59 7-10 59.
Halftime—Texas Tech 39, TCU 27. 3-point goals—Texas Tech 6-12 (Smith 3-5, Sasser 2-3, Holly 1-3, Hughes 0-1), TCU 4-13 (Atwater 2-4, Gordon 1-1, Ward 1-1, Moore 0-3, Williams 0-2, Tolley 0-2). Fouled out—Moore. Rebounds—Texas Tech 29 (Flemons 10), TCU 29 (Dailey 12). Assists—Texas Tech 21 (Holley 9), TCU 13 (Moore 4). Total fouls—Texas Tech 10, TCU 19. A—NA.

Houston 58, Texas 50

HOUSTON (21-7)
Drain 6-10 6-6 21, Smith 4-8 0-0 8, Outlaw 5-7 1-4 11, Goldwire 2-13 2-4 6, Diaz 1-6 6-6 8, Wiles 0-1 0-0 0, Carrasco 2-5 0-0 4, Grayson 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 20-50 15-20 58.
TEXAS (11-17)
Watson 7-20 0-0 18, Richardson 5-12 3-3 14, Houston 2-4 0-1 4, Rencher 2-13 2-3 7, Penders 1-3 0-0 2, Hill 1-4 0-1 3, Sandstad 0-1 0-0 0, Quarles 1-1 0-1 2, Coleman 0-1



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Texas guard Michael Richardson (23) chases down a loose ball as Houston center Charles Outlaw, on floor, and guard Anthony Goldwire (4) watch.

Tech, Houston meet in finals

Associated Press

■ SWC Tournament

DALLAS — Will Flemons had 21 points and 11 rebounds Saturday as Texas Tech advanced to the Southwest Conference tournament title game for the first time since 1986 with a 76-59 victory over Texas Christian.

The Red Raiders (17-11) will play either Houston or Texas at 2 p.m. Sunday for the SWC's automatic NCAA tournament bid.

No. 8 seed TCU, which provided the biggest upset of the tournament with a 72-71 victory over top-seeded Southern Methodist on Friday, ended its season at 6-22.

Hot-shooting Texas Tech shot 70 percent from the field while building a 39-27 halftime lead. The Raiders shot 62 percent for the game.

Flemons had 14 points and 9 rebounds as Tech dominated TCU, which got 11 points from Eric Dailey in the first 20 minutes.

Flemons got help in the second half from Koy Smith, who hit three 3-pointers. Smith and Jason Sasser each finished with 13 points.

The Horned Frogs were paced by Dailey, who had 24 points and 12 rebounds. Myron Gordon scored 11 points for the Frogs.

Texas Tech coach James Dickey said his team had the game under control most of the way.

"I didn't want us to have a false sense of security because we were playing a No. 8 seed," Dickey said. "TCU earned the right to be here. Our program is not at a point where we can take something for granted.

"We have to scrap and claw for everything we get. We knew TCU would make a run at us and we knew we had to respond. We've had a rabbit's foot as far as shooting against TCU. We've shot over 60 percent in all of our three games."

Added TCU coach Moe Iba, "Every time we've played them they've shot 60 percent. It says something about our defense. They executed well offensively. For some reason, we couldn't get the ball inside."

The rebounds were even at 29 each. Tech hit only 12 of 20 free throws to 7 of 10 for the Horned Frogs. Tech, however, had six 3-pointers to four for TCU.

Flemons said Dickey told the team to "buckle down" if it wanted a shot at the tournament championship.

"We played with a lot of fire and confidence," Flemons said. "That's what you need with tournament basketball."

Houston 58, Texas 50

DALLAS — Jessie Drain scored 21 points and the cold-shooting Houston Cougars held on to trip the Texas Longhorns 58-50 Saturday night in the Southwest Conference tournament semifinals.

Houston (21-7) will play Texas Tech in the tournament championship at 2 p.m. Sunday. Texas Tech knocked off TCU 76-59 in the other semifinal.

Houston's inside force, Charles Outlaw, fouled out with 12:42 to play after scoring only 11 points and pulling down 8 rebounds. Drain, was forced to take up the slack, hitting 6 of 10 field goals and 6 of 6 free throws down the stretch.

Tony Watson scored 18 points and Michael Richardson chipped in 14 for Texas.

SWC officials before the game declared Longhorns point guard B.J. Tyler ineligible. Neither the league nor Texas officials would comment on whether Tyler, who was told he couldn't play just before game time, had failed a drug test administered to all players.

Houston led 36-33 at halftime thanks to two 3-pointers by Drain in the last three minutes. Watson hit four 3-pointers for Texas in the first half.

The Cougars, who shot 27 percent in the second half, went through one span of 5:31 without scoring. But Texas, which also shot 27 percent in the half, couldn't capitalize.

MADNESS: Conference finals today

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"That's the poorest coaching job I've done in my five years at Kansas," Williams said. "I've never had a team lose its poise like that down the stretch. It was a total breakdown on my part."

In the Big East semifinals, No. 9 Seton Hall beat Providence 69-60 and Syracuse defeated St. John's 84-72.

In conference finals that determined automatic NCAA bids, Evansville beat No. 22 Xavier 80-69 in the Midwestern Collegiate and Ball State defeated Western Michigan 79-64 in the Mid-American.

In the Big Ten, which doesn't have a postseason tournament, No. 3 Michigan closed out its regular season with an 86-60 rout of Northwestern.

BIG EAST

At New York's Madison Square Garden, Seton Hall's Terry Dehere scored 28 points, including two key 3-pointers that helped hold off Providence. It was the 10th straight win for the Pirates (26-6), who won the league's regular-season title.

"Give all the credit to Dehere," Providence coach Rick Barnes said. "He hit the great shots when he had to and that's why he's the (Big East) player of the year. My guys can't defend him any better."

Lawrence Moten scored 26 points and Adrian Autry added 19 as Syracuse avenged two regular-season losses to St. John's. Winning the Big East tournament would be especially sweet for Syracuse (20-8) because the Orangemen are on probation and barred from the NCAA tournament.

"We'll be relaxed and confident because after this, the season's over," Autry said.

ACC

At Charlotte, Donald Williams scored 19 points as North Carolina cruised past Virginia for the third time this season. The Tar Heels led 43-39 early in the second half when the lights went out in Charlotte Coliseum because of a snowstorm. When play resumed, the Tar Heels went on a 14-2 run to break the game open.

James Forrest scored 26 points as Georgia Tech (18-10) advanced to its fourth ACC final. "I'm not shocked but I'm surprised," Tech coach Bobby Cremins said. "I can't say that we thought we were going to be in the finals."

SEC

At Lexington, Ky., LSU stifled Vandy with an aggressive zone defense. "The defense that they played was much more active than last time," Commodores forward Bruce Elder said. "They hit a lot of big shots down the stretch and we did not." LSU outrebounded Vandy 38-30, including 14 offensive boards that led to 22 second-chance points.

Kentucky took a 17-0 lead against Arkansas, then held on to beat the Razorbacks. "Whether you're up by 15 or down by 15, the game is never safe when you're playing Arkansas," Kentucky coach Rick Pitino said. Travis Ford scored 26 points for the Wildcats (25-3), including six 3-pointers.

BIG EIGHT

At Kansas City, Anthony Beane scored 19 points for Kansas State, including a 3-pointer that broke a 65-all tie with a minute left. "Anthony got it in a very good position, was lined up and knocked it down," Wildcats coach Dana Altman said. The victory snapped State's eight-game losing streak against Kansas.

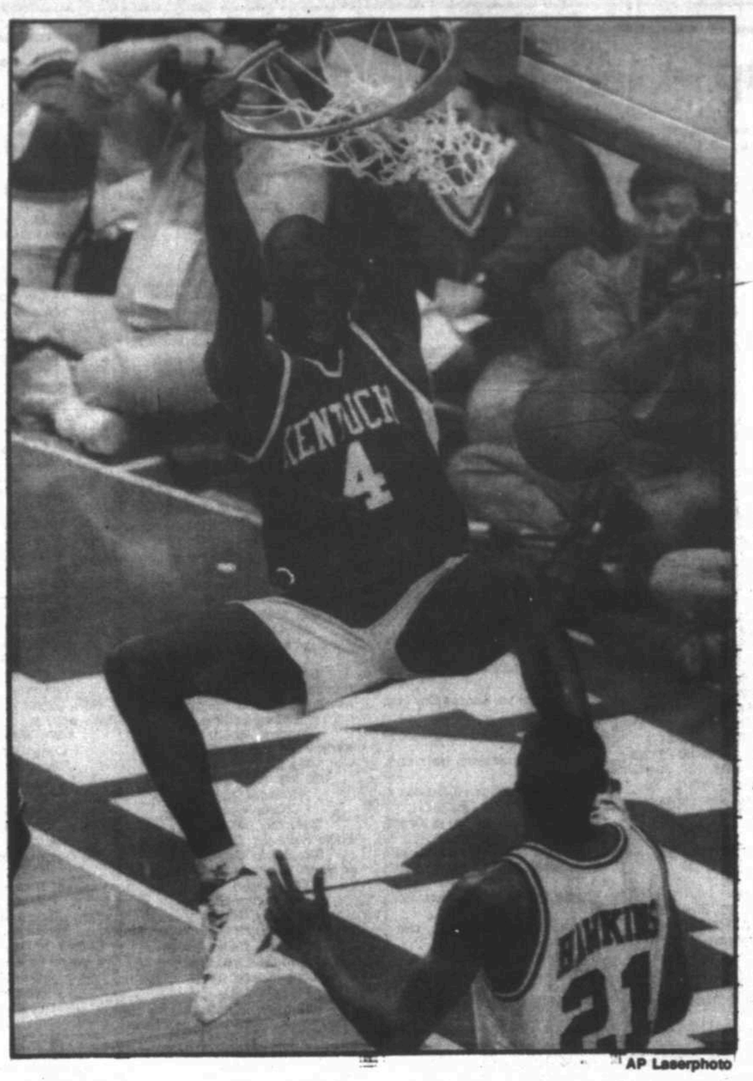
Chris Heller scored a career-high 20 points as Missouri beat Iowa State. The Tigers (18-13) finished seventh in the regular season, but can earn an automatic bid to the NCAA tournament with a win over Kansas State on Sunday.

MIDWESTERN COLLEGIATE

At Indianapolis, Parrish Casebier scored 26 points and Evansville held Xavier scoreless for more than eight minutes in the second half. It is the second straight league title for the Aces (23-6). Xavier (23-5), which beat Evansville twice in the regular season, still has a good chance for an at-large bid to the NCAA tournament.

MID-AMERICAN

At Columbus, Ohio, reserve Jamie Matthews scored a career-high 31 points as Ball State earned an NCAA bid for the third time in five years. Steve Payne added 18 points and Jeermal Sylvester 14 for the Cardinals (26-7), who have won 11 of their last 12. Leon McGee scored 21 for Western Michigan (17-12), which was playing in its first MAC final.



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Former Odessa College Wrangler Rodney Dent (4) slams home two of his four points for No. 4 Kentucky Saturday afternoon in a win over No. 14 Arkansas.

TECH: Swoopes scored 93 in tourney games

(From 1B)

1984. Swoopes also had the highest single-game scoring output of any woman in the nation this season.

She was effective from the field (18 of 31) and from the free-throw line (16 of 20). She made her only 3-point attempt and scored on two three-point plays while working inside.

"We're always in awe of Sheryl," Texas Tech forward Krista Kirkland said. "She's our first option on offense. Tonight, they couldn't stop her so we weren't about to go to our second option."

Texas Tech (26-3) needed to keep its options open early in the game as Texas (22-7) built a 26-11 lead. Swoopes had six points at that point and was having a hard time adjusting to the hands-on defense of Texas forward Joanne Benton.

Sharp called timeout and set up a series of screens designed to free Swoopes on the baseline.

Swoopes then scored 19 points in less than seven minutes as the Lady Raiders cut Texas' lead to 38-34 by halftime.

Texas seniors Cinietra Henderson (21 points) and Vicki Hall (20 points) did everything they could to turn the momentum, but there was no stopping Swoopes.

"Joanne played good defense on her, and I had a shot at her in the second half," Hall said. "When you breathe on her and it's a foul, that makes it kind of difficult. But she had 53 points, and you can't dispute that. The girl can play basketball."

As is her custom, Swoopes praised her coach and teammates and refused to dwell on her accomplishments. Swoopes pointed to the early time out and a subsequent 3-point goal by teammate Noel Johnson as the turning point.

"I got on a roll when coach called timeout," Swoopes said. "I was getting frustrated because my shots weren't falling. When Noel hit the three, that got us on a roll."

The win positioned Texas Tech to get a No. 2 seed when NCAA bids are announced today. The Lady Raiders, who earn the SWC's automatic bid, were ranked No. 6 in the country coming into the tournament and knew a loss would provide them tougher NCAA competition.

Texas, ranked 14th, is still a virtual lock to receive an NCAA bid.

The all-tournament team consisted of Swoopes, Kirkland, Hall, Henderson and SMU's Shanell Thomas.

Swoopes scored 93 points in three tournament games, breaking her record of one year ago, when she scored 70. She is also the tournament's career scoring leader, surpassing Bettye Fiscus of Arkansas, who scored 108 points from 1983 to 1985. Swoopes tied the tournament record for rebounds with 39. Jackie Reiter of Baylor also pulled down 39 rebounds in 1983.

Swoopes was least impressed when told she surpassed the Reunion Arena record of 50 points by Bernard King and Larry Bird. "I hope there's not any Dallas Mavericks fans here, but I don't really think it's that hard to beat a Dallas Mavericks record," she said. "It's not that big a deal."

Nichols, Murphy co-leaders in San Antonio

Associated Press

■ PGA Seniors

SAN ANTONIO — Bobby Nichols, who had five birdies for a 4-under-par 68 Saturday, shared the lead with Bob Murphy heading into the final round of the $650,000 Vantage at The Dominion PGA Senior tournament.

Both golfers stood at 2-under 142 after Saturday's second round on the 6,814-yard course at Dominion Country Club. Nichols said better weather conditions helped his putting game.

"It was obviously warmer and the wind was not as severe," Nichols said. "There were better putting conditions. I'm putting good. If I keep doing that I'll be okay."

Nichols' five birdies including one on the par-5 18th, where he hit a wedge and sank a 3-foot putt to tie Murphy. His longest birdie putt of the day was an 18-footer on the par-4 second hole.

Murphy, who started the day at even-par 72, shot a 70 in the second round. He had four birdies, but bogeyed the par-5 16th.

Tied for third at 144 were Dave Stockton, J.C. Snead and Gibby Gilbert. Stockton was the first-round leader at 70. In sixth place was Charles Coody, who shot a 72 Saturday for a 145 total.

Gay Brewer shot a 78 Saturday to win the Vantage Classics title for golfers age 60 and over. Brewer, who shot 150 over two rounds, earned $14,000 for the victory. Jim Ferree was second at 151.

Automatic bid policy still a controversy for NCAA

Associated Press

■ The Road to the Final Four, 5:30 p.m., CBS (KOSA-Cable Ch. 8).

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — The NCAA, before announcing the 64-team field for its national basketball tournament, will make sure some of the best 64 teams stay home.

Hit the road, Kansas State. Take a hike, Tulane. Make way for Penn, Coppin State and the 13-16 Pirates of East Carolina. Make way for teams whose bids are sometimes based not on ability but on birthright.

"The first charge of this committee is to select the 34 best teams," said Tom Butters, selection committee chairman.

There is no worry the bracket Butters' committee unveils at 5:30 p.m. CST Sunday will snub the elite. The Dukes, Kentuckys and North Carolinas will be present and accounted for.

But, with all due respect, so will the East Carolinas and the Coppin States.

It's a 64-team tournament. Why not the best 64 teams?

"When I was a young man I used to argue and discuss this frequently," Butters said. "But I think I was wrong then."

Every year on "Selection Sunday," coaches of many teams that worked hard and played pretty well must give disheartened youngsters the bad news. The NCAA bid that was their goal all year has gone to a collection of lesser athletes.

Kansas State and Tulane, ranked among the top 60-70 Division I programs in most power rankings, are just two of many "bubble teams" that went into weekend tournaments facing this danger.

Under the rules, the committee has 34 at-large bids to pass out as it sees fit. The other slots go automatically to the champions of 30 conferences, without regard to how skillfully their members performed.

Besides all the heavyweights, these include such lesser known leagues as the Mid-Eastern Conference and the Colonial Athletic Association.

Coppin State, ranked No. 131 in this week's Sagarin Ratings, beat Delaware state 80-53 to capture the Mid-Eastern's automatic berth.

East Carolina upset top-seeded James Madison in the Colonial Athletic Association title game this week and became the eighth team in history to drag a losing record into the NCAA field.

It's all a part of policy and tradition, say NCAA officials, that dates back to the tournament's humble beginnings in the 1940s when Walter Byers sold the radio rights out of his hip pocket. It creates excitement in places where the sport has never flourished, they say.

Yet, the NCAA tournament now sports a $1 billion television price tag and stands alongside the Super Bowl and World Series as a premier American sporting event.

Would anyone suggest that Major League Baseball reserve playoff spots for the Florida Marlins and Colorado Rockies? The NFL would be a laughingstock if it handed a wild-card to Tampa Bay because attendance at Buccaneer games had waned.

"I remember there being some discussion on the subject of automatic qualifiers about five years ago," said Tom Jernstedt, deputy executive director of the NCAA. "But I do not recall hearing a word about it since then."

The policy is riskier than ever since almost all conferences have gone to postseason tournaments to decide their automatic berths. When a team that would not have been considered for an at-large spot gets hot and wins a postseason tourney, the selection committee usually has to spend a valuable at-large on the league's regular season champ.

"The Cinderella element, the possibility every year that a team can come out of nowhere and win, is one of the tournament's greatest charms," Jernstedt said. "Nobody will ever forget a North Carolina State team just 10 years ago that wouldn't have had a chance for an at-large bid if it hadn't won the ACC automatic entry and then went on to win the championship."

"By having the automatic qualifiers we truly give the tournament a national flavor," Butters said. "I can't begin to tell you the importance of those automatic qualifiers. It brings a flavor to it that would be lost dramatically if you just tried to seed the 64 best teams."

Although he is in danger of being victimized by it, Kansas State coach Dana Altman defends the policy.

"Those conferences have a right to be in the tournament. They add something," Altman said. "I think the format they have is pretty solid. There's going to be some disappointed teams. There always are come selection day."

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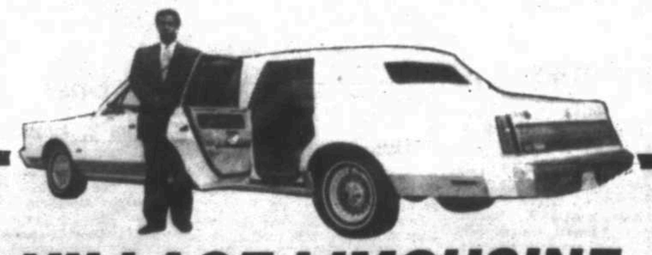
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RELAYS: MHS' Caston, Gonzales medal in shotput, 400

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haven't been able to keep it up and the weather has a lot to do with it."

And getting what he could in the 1600 was a second record of the day. And for good measure, just to get in a full workout, Stallings anchored Stanton's 1600 relay team to a second place finish.

Odessa Permian became the first Class 5A team in the 49-year history of the WT event to win four consecutive team titles in four consecutive years.

Permian won seven events, including a 3:17.5 in the 1600 relay, which is a state best in any classification going into this weekend. The Panthers scored 133 points, 14 more than second place Amarillo High, a team that only put its name in the West Texas hat Friday morning.

El Paso Hanks won the girls division by a 107-98 margin over El Paso Parkland and Permian was third with 91 points.

San Angelo Lake View defended its crown in Class 4A easily, scoring a 163-106 margin over Canyon Randall. The 3A title went to Canyon with 118 points; Lubbock Dunbar was second with 98 points.

Stallings set two of the four division records recorded during Saturday's action. Weather was a major factor in keeping times up.

Hanks' Karen Boone set a girls division mark of 15.14 in the 100 hurdles and Kirk Lawrence of Amarillo High set a 5A triple jump mark of 45-8.

The Midland High boys and girls could not produce a victory over the two days, but the MHS girls did land two medals with third place finishes. Michele Caston placed third in the shot put with a 32-10½ while Regina Gonzales won third in the 400 with a time of 1:02.74. MHS' Christie Redic also placed fourth in the shot put with a 32-0¼.

MHS' Dwight Allison placed sixth in the 100 with a 11.54 and Roy Ratliff was sixth in the triple jump with a 42-8.

The Stanton girls, who placed third in the state Class 2A 800 relay last year, placed third, losing to Hanks and Parkland, both 5A schools. Stanton has the same team back with Laura Herm, Krysten Wycoff, Stacy Tollison and Lupe Chapa.

The 800 is Stallings' race of choice even though he does own one state championship in the 1600.

"The 800 is my race," Stallings said. "The 1600 is just another event for me to enter. It is a good conditioning race, but the 800 is still the race that I think about winning. I get whatever I can in the 1600."

Saturday's medal winners in the 49th annual West Texas Relays held at Ratliff Stadium.

5A Division

Triple Jump: 1. Kirk Lawrence, Amarillo, 45-8 (New Division Record); 2. Vedris Williams, Palo Duro, 44-8 1/4; 3. O.T. Wilson, Permian, 44-0 3/4; 6. Roy Ratliff, Midland, 42-8.

Pole Vault: 1. Chris Aguilera, Soccoro, 14-0; 2. Toby Stevenson, Permian,13-0; 3. Craig Smith, Monterey, 12-6.

Discus: 1. Michael Williamson, Amarillo, 160-3; 2. Jeremy King, San Angelo, 152-7; 3. Matt Williams, Monterey, 147-6.

3200: 1. Joe Rivas, Hanks, 9:59.1; 2. Ryan Gauna, amarillo, 9:59.6; 3. Jesus Hernandez, EP Coronado, 10:06.1.

400 Relay: 1. Permian, 41.94; 2. Lubbock Coronado, 43.04; 3. Hanks, 43.64.

800: 1. Chase Berg, Amarillo, 1:55.84; 2. Quent Bearden, Monterey, 1:58.14; 3. Alex Mendez, EP Coronado, 1:59.64.

110 Hurdles: 1. Kendrick Parrett, Permian, 14.24; 2. David McCure, Amarillo, 14.54; 3. Brandon Berger, Permian, 15.04.

100: 1. Gerrod Berger, Permian, 10.94; 2. Demon Robinson, Permian, 10.94; 3. Russell Collins, Odessa, 11.24; 6. Dwight Allison, Midland, 11.54.

400: 1. Veris Dobbins, Permian, 49.34; 2. Michael Wood, Amarillo, 49.94; 3. Allen Strambler, Permian, 50.44; 6. Charlie Juarez, Midland, 52.14.

300 Hurdles: 1. Kendrick Parrett, Permian, 38.74; 2. David McCure, Amarillo, 39.04; 3. Braden Black, Amarillo, 39.84.

200: 1. Demon Robinson, Permian, 21.74; 2. Pat Gainey, Lubbock Coronado, 22.04; 3. Victor Mendoza, Hanks, 22.84.

1600: 1. Mayo Delgado, EP Coronado, 4:39.1; 2. Ryan Gauna, Amarillo High 4:40.7; 3. Jesus Hernandez, EP Coronado, 4:41.3.

1600 Relay: 1. Permian, 3:17.5; 2. Amarillo, 3:21.7; 3. Hanks, 3:23.8.

Team Totals: Odessa Permian 133, Amarillo High 119, Lubbock Coronado 30, El Paso Hanks 54, El Paso Coronado 51 1/2, Lubbock Monterey 38, Amarillo Palo Duro 32, Odessa High 24 1/2, El Paso Parkland 16, El Paso Socorro 14.

■ More Sports/8B

Girls Division

Shot Put: 1. Betty Foster, Tascosa, 36-3; 2. Nekedra Butler, Permian, 36-1 3/4; 3. Michele Caston, Midland, 32-10 1/2; 4. Christie Redic, Midland, 32-0 1/4.

Triple Jump: 1. Karen Boone, Hanks, 39-7 1/4; 2. Kim Austin, Parkland, 36-8; 3. May Harkins, Tascosa, 35-3.

3200: 1. Diana Monarrez, Hanks, 12:23.10; 2. Kathy Sherman, Hanks, 12:47.30; 3. Adrianna Llerna, El Paso, 12:51.10.

400 Relay: 1. Permian, 50.34; 2. Parkland, 50.44; 3. Austin, 51.84.

800: 1. Valarie Garza, Socorro, 2:29.34; 2. Ivonne Arias, Bel Air, 2:29.44; 3. Ashlee Ford, Lubbock Coronado, 2:30.44; 4. Sande Bundas, Stanton, 2:32.54.

100 Hurdles: 1. Karen Boone, Hanks, 15.14 (New Division Record); 2. Amy Harkins, Tascosa, 16.14; 3. Julie Snipes, El Paso, 16.79.

100: 1. Kim Austin, Parkland, 12.84; 2. Bridgette McClennon, Parkland, 12.94; 3. Esther Plaut, El Paso, 12.94.

800 Relay: 1. Parkland, 1:48.64; 2. Hanks, 1:48.74; 3. Stanton, 1:49.64.

400: 1. Kaneshia Bell, Permian, 59.24; 2. Yvonne Marquez, Bel Air, 1:01.74; 3. Regina Gonzales, Midland, 1:02.74.

300 Hurdles: 1. Kim Rackow, Odessa, 47.74; 2. Amy Harkins, Tascosa, 50.04; 3. Delores Mondragon, Austin, 50.44.

1600: 1. Diana Monarrez, Hanks, 5:49.1; 2. Kathy Sherman, Hanks, 5:52.1; 3. Lena Huereca, Socorro, 5:59.6.

1600 Relay: 1. Permian, 4:08.0; 2. Parkland, 4:08.9; 3. Hanks, 4:14.3.

Team Totals: El Paso Hanks 107, El Paso Parkland 98, Odessa Permian 91, Amarillo Tascosa 75, El Paso Austin 38, Odessa High 36, Stanton 24, El Paso High 23, El Paso Bel Air 16, El Paso Socorro 17, Midland High 16.

4A Division

Triple Jump: 1. Jerome Bryant, Lake View, 44-8; 2. Marlell Williams, Lake View, 43-8; 3. Jason Kinney, Estacado, 40-11 1/2.

High Jump: 1. Brian Campbell, Randall, 6-6; 2. Jason Caldwell, Randall, 6-4; 3. Justin Brown, Lake View, 6-2.

400 Relay: 1. Estacado, 44.54; 2. Levelland, 44.64; 3. Randall, 45.24; 4. Andrews, 45.54.

3200: Jeff Lewis, Lake View, 9:37.0; 2. Tarin Rios, Caprock, 10:25.2; 3. Armando Diaz, Caprock, 10:30.4.

800: 1. Jackie Lynn, Ruidoso, 2:01.8; 2. Rosendo Lopez, Andrews, 2:02.2; 3. Anthony Rodriguez, Lake View, 2:03.9.

110 Hurdles: 1. Brad Martin, Lake View, 15.54; 2. Gabe Lozano, Fort Stockton, 15.54; 3. Chris Blume, Randall, 15.94.

100: 1. Chris Hines, Sweetwater, 11.24; 2. James Kennedy, Lake View, 11.44; 3. Peter Puente, Levelland, 11.44.

400: 1. Terrence Norris, Lake View, 49.74; 2. Willie Mata, Pecos, 50.34; 3. Ron Black, Lake View, 53.54.

300 Hurdles: 1. Talion Scott, Estacado, 40.74; 2. Brad Martin, Lake View, 40.84; 3. Gabe Lozano, Fort Stockton, 41.54.

200: 1. Marcel Williams, Lake View, 22.44; 2. Tony Sisneros, Randall, 22.94; 3. Peter Puente, Levelland, 23.34.

1600: 1. Jeff Lewis, Lake View, 4:33.6; 2. Rogelo Lopez, Andrews, 4:47.8; 3. Rosendo Lopez, Andrews, 4:49.7.

1600 Relay: 1. Lake View, 3:28.3; 2. Estacado, 3:31.5; 3. Randall, 3:31.6.

Team Totals: Lake View 163, Canyon Randall 106, Lubbock Estacado 63, Levelland 59, Fort Stockton 39, Andrews 34, Amarillo Caprock 31, Ruidoso 18, Sweetwater 18, Pecos 16.

3A Division

Long Jump: 1. Chris Jeffery, Crane, 21-3 1/4; 2. Alex Rivas, Canyon, 20-11 1/2; 3. Todd Knight, Alpine, 20-5 3/4.

400 Relay: 1. Dunbar, 44.44; 2. Morton, 44.94; 3. Odessa JV, 46.04; 6. Stanton, 50.24.

3200: 1. Eric Cisneros, Muleshoe, 9:58.9; 2. Brent Murphy, Canyon, 10:40.4; 3. Jim Childers, Canyon, 10:44.1.

800: 1. Jeremy Stallings, Stanton, 1:54.14 (New Division Record); 2. Mykal Jones, Crane, 2:07.34; 3. Carlton Gillette, Wink, 2:08.24.

110 Hurdles: 1. Kyle Taylor, Wylie, 15.14; 2. Chris Jeffery, Crane, 15.14; 3. Aaron Carroll, Ozona, 15.84.

100: 1. Todd Knight, Alpine, 11.04; 2. Jess Pearson, Dunbar, 11.44; 3. Kelvin Ross, Dunbar, 11.44.

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400: 1. Dakari Lanear, Dunbar, 50.94; 2. Alex Rivas, Canyon, 53.94; 3. Chris Powell, Merkel, 54.14.

300 Hurdles: 1. Kyle Taylor, Wyle, 40.74; 2. Aaron Carroll, Ozona, 41.54; 3. John Keeler, Alpine, 43.34.

200: 1. Tavarez Fowler, Odessa JV, 23.34; 2. Michael Baynes, Dunbar, 23.44; 3. Jaime Garza, Crane, 23.74.

1600: 1. Jeremy Stallings, Stanton, 4:36.3 (New Division Record); 2. Eric Cisneros, Muleshoe, 4:42.3; 3. Brian Medrano, Canyon, 4:45.7.

1600 Relay: 1. Dunbar, 3:29.1; 2. Stanton, 3:31.1; 3. Wink, 3:34.1.

Team Totals: Canyon 118, Lubbock Dunbar 98, Crane 67, Abilene Wylie 53, Alpine 42, Stanton 38, Odessa High JV 28, Wink 28, Muleshoe 18, Ozona 18.

STORM: Some fans brave conditions

(From 1B)

South, gusts exceeding 100 mph in the Keys, killer tornadoes in Florida and hail the size of quarters on the Gulf Coast.

St. Louis Cardinals manager Joe Torre called it the worst weather he has seen since he began going to spring training more than 30 years ago.

"I hope it's the worst I ever see," he said after his team's game was called off at St. Petersburg, Fla.

Three NBA games were called off: Denver at Philadelphia, Indiana at New York and Cleveland's matchup against Washington at Baltimore.

The NHL also pulled a hat trick: Pittsburgh at the New York Islanders, the New York Rangers at Washington and Los Angeles at Philadelphia.

"It would be crazy to play on a day like this," Islanders general manager Don Maloney said.

The Flyers-Kings game in the Spectrum at Philadelphia already had begun but flying glass in the concourse brought a suspension after one period. The game, tied 1-1 when it was halted, will be replayed from the start. Fans booed the decision and threw cups of soda on the ice.

"We couldn't be sure the building was safe," said Ron Ryan, the Flyers' chief operating officer.

The 76ers' Jeff Hornacek had come over to watch the hockey game before the scheduled NBA game. He agreed with the decision to cancel.

"I mean, it's a game," he said.

A power outage halted the Atlantic Coast Conference tournament at Charlotte, N.C., throwing the semifinal between North Carolina and Virginia into darkness for 29 minutes.

At the Lipton Championships, the only 128-draw tennis tournament besides the four majors, 54 matches were postponed because of high winds at Key Biscayne, Fla. Top seed Steffi Graf and defending champion Arantxa Sanchez-Vicario were among those to have played.

Winds of more than 50 mph caused minor damage at the tennis complex late Friday and Saturday morning. When gusts continued, the day and night sessions were scrapped.

Sports Cancellations, Postponements

NEW YORK (AP) — Major sporting events postponed or cancelled this weekend due to weather conditions:

SATURDAY
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
Denver at Philadelphia
Cleveland vs. Washington at Baltimore, rescheduled for Monday
Indiana at New York, rescheduled for Sunday
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
Los Angeles at Philadelphia
Pittsburgh at New York Islanders, rescheduled for Sunday
New York Rangers at Washington
EXHIBITION BASEBALL
Toronto vs. Minnesota (ss) at Fort Myers, Fla.
Houston (ss) vs. Kansas City (ss) at Haines City, Fla.
Kansas City (ss) vs. Cleveland at Winter Haven, Fla.
Montreal vs. Atlanta (ss) at West Palm Beach, Fla.
Detroit vs. Houston (ss) at Kissimmee, Fla.
Pittsburgh vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg, Fla.
Philadelphia vs. Cincinnati at Plant City, Fla.
Florida vs. New York Mets at Port St. Lucie, Fla.
Baltimore vs. Texas at Port Charlotte, Fla.
WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Big South Conference Championship, N.C.-Greensboro vs. Radford at Charleston, S.C.
Northeast Conference Championship, Mount St. Mary's vs. Fairleigh Dickinson, rescheduled for Sunday.
GOLF
Honda Classic, third round, at Fort Lauderdale, Fla.
TENNIS
Lipton Championships at Key Biscayne, Fla.
AUTO RACING
Motorcraft Quality Parts 500 NASCAR stock car qualifying at Atlanta Motor Speedway, rescheduled for Saturday, March 20
HORSE RACING
Aqueduct at New York, Suffolk Downs at Suffolk, Mass; Garden State at Cherry Hill, N.J.; Mountaineer Park at Chester, W.Va.; Charles Town at Charles Town, W.Va.; Laurel at Laurel, Md.; Beulah Park at Ggove City, Ohio; Penn National at Grantville, Pa.; Philadelphia Park at Bensalem, Pa., and Tampa Bay Downs at Oldsmar, Fla.

SUNDAY
AUTO RACING
Motorcraft Quality Parts 500 NASCAR stock car race at Atlanta Motor Speedway. Race rescheduled for Saturday, March 20.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
Philadelphia at Hartford
Los Angeles at Buffalo
HORSE RACING
Aqueduct at New York
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
Washington at New York Islanders
Los Angeles at Buffalo
Philadelphia at Hartford

High winds knocked out the third round of the $1.1 million Honda Classic at Fort Lauderdale, Fla. Officials cut the tournament to three rounds, with Larry Mize holding a one-shot lead after two rounds.

No one in the 77-man field had teed off when the day's play was abandoned at 11 a.m. EST. Winds ripped down concession tents, sky boxes and hospitality tents at the Weston Hills Country Club course. The putting green and practice areas were evacuated because of the danger of wind-blown debris.

The NASCAR race at Hampton, Ga., scheduled for Sunday, was postponed after Saturday's second round of qualifying at Atlanta Motor Speedway was wiped out. The Motorcraft Quality Parts 500 race will now be run on Saturday, March 20, with practice Friday. The Busch Grand National also will be reset.

At spring training, nine of 11 exhibition baseball games in Florida were called off: Minnesota vs. Toronto at Fort Myers, Kansas City vs. Houston and Kansas City (split squad) vs. Cleveland at Haines City, Pittsburgh vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg, Baltimore vs. Texas at Port Charlotte, the New York Mets vs. Florida at Port St. Lucie, Philadelphia vs. Cincinnati at Plant City, Atlanta vs. Montreal at West Palm Beach and Detroit vs. Houston at Kissimmee.

"That's as bad conditions as I've ever played in," White Sox outfielder Michael Huff said after Chicago beat Boston 10-4 in a game shortened to five innings. "There were times that if they hit it to me, I wouldn't have seen the ball."

The Braves' minor-league complex sustained an estimated $20,000 in damage. But pitcher Mike Loynd, who was to make his first spring appearance, was upset by the decision not to play.

"Why did they cancel?" he asked. "This was my one chance to pitch."

Across the East, race cards folded like a lame horse: Among the tracks abandoning racing were: Aqueduct, Beulah, Charles Town, Garden State, Gulfstream, Ladbroke at the Meadows, Laurel, Mountaineer Park, Penn National, Philadelphia, Suffolk Downs and Tampa Bay.

In basketball, the men's NCAA Division II East Regional at Millersville, Pa., was rescheduled for Sunday.

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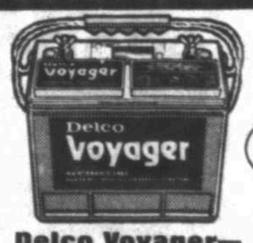

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Yeltsin must resist struggle for power

Russia's flirtation with democracy may be nearing an end — not because it has succeeded in its metamorphosis from a totalitarian government to a free-market economy, but because of a power clash between President Boris Yeltsin and forces in the Congress of People's Deputies.

On Thursday the Communist-dominated congress slashed Yeltsin's power in a struggle to determine who will wield supreme power — the president or parliament. That struggle could spark a power play that will lead to more fighting between pro-democracy forces and Communists.

While Yeltsin's supporters say the president could recover from the congress's action, others cautioned that the move by the Communists could mean the virtual end of Russia's desperate flight to free-market reforms in the past couple of years. If so, that would be tragic.

There is another possibility, however. Yeltsin, who continues to maintain popular support in that nation, could dissolve parliament and grab emergency powers, a move he had suggested as one alternative to German Chancellor Helmut Kohl last week. To do so, however, would signal the free world that even Yeltsin, who talks the democratic line, cannot operate by a democracy's rules in what is supposedly post-Communist Russia.

In America's own experience, a government in which no branch — the executive, legislative or judicial — is dominant has worked best, although at various times in this nation's history different branches have exerted a dominant influence on our society.

Yeltsin should not succumb to the easy solution of dissolving parliament. Rather, he should attempt to convince his opponents that to bring about the reforms necessary to break with Russia's dark past takes courage, commitment, and time.

That is the way, not a grab for power that would only result in the spilling of more Russian blood. Russia's dark days under a dictatorship should be over.

JACK ANDERSON

Military espionage is out, economic in

WASHINGTON — As the debate rages over the future role of the U.S. intelligence community, one thing is clear: In the 1990s, trenchcoats are out and pinstripes are in.

Anderson

That seems to be just about the only thing intelligence analysts can agree on these days. With the Soviet Union gone from the map, the cutting edge of American intelligence operations will be on the economic — not the military or political — front.

But that still leaves one burning question: Should U.S. intelligence agencies merely focus on defending American companies from foreign spies, or should they be helping to collect economic secrets from foreign corporations? At his confirmation hearings, new CIA Director James Woolsey called it the "hottest current topic in intelligence policy."

Henry T. Clements believes we should focus on the former. His company, Technology Security Planning Inc., is one of the few U.S. firms that train companies how to monitor the strategies of foreign competitors and avoid having their own trade secrets stolen. "We're getting creamed," he says. "The way the rest of the world plays the game, there is no level playing field. Being ahead of the curve, knowing what they're after and what they have to do to get it, that's the only security you can bank on these days."

Some Washington policy-makers believe economic intelligence is the perfect task for the CIA, which is currently groping for a post-Cold War mission. Sen. Dennis DeConcini, D-Ariz., the new chairman of the Senate Intelligence Committee, recently told an interviewer that information intercepted by the CIA should be passed on to U.S. companies in some situations if it would provide a competitive edge. "You'd be a fool if you didn't," he said. He has since retreated from that comment.

But former intelligence officials now working in the private sector want the CIA to stay out of the industrial espionage racket. Gerald P. Burke, a former official with the National Security Agency and now the head of a consulting firm that advises clients how to counter economic espionage, wants to preserve the status quo. "The government has always done macroeconomic intelligence for government customers. But when it comes to gathering tactical commercial intelligence for U.S. companies, I strongly disagree."

Several arguments stand in the way of CIA involvement in economic espionage, not the least of which is ethics. "The private sector does not want illegally obtained clandestine intelligence because it puts the company in legal jeopardy," says Jan Herring, a 20-year CIA veteran who designed the business intelligence program for Motorola Corp. "How many U.S. companies are going to act on illegally obtained information?"

The CIA would also run the risk of jeopardizing its secret sources and methods. Then there is the question of distributing the information fairly, when some economic secrets could be useful to several different industries.

Though our chief economic competitors like Germany and Japan have been in the economic espionage business for years, some believe an even bigger threat looms in the former Soviet Union.

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GEORGE WILL

Political agenda won't change behaviors

WASHINGTON — A reasonable surmise is that, about 50 years ago, in east and central Africa, some hunters and their families who ate monkeys became infected with a low-virulence (and for a long time quiescent) progenitor of what is now known to be the virus that causes AIDS. Thus on the continent where the human race may have begun, there began an epidemic.

Will

Its dynamics have now led some researchers to an encouraging conclusion: In America, the disease is largely concentrated in perhaps 30 neighborhoods nationwide.

When Dr. Stephen C. Joseph was practicing medicine in central Africa in the early 1970s he saw many cases of undiagnosed wasting syndromes, progressive infections and bizarre malignancies. By 1981 five gay men in Los Angeles had similar afflictions. By 1986, when Joseph became commissioner of health in New York City, he knew what was happening, and why.

As he writes in his harrowing book, "Dragon Within the Gates: The Once and Future AIDS Epidemic," an epidemic requires not only a microbe but also an appropriate social context. AIDS found two contexts in New York City. "The artistic, cultural and fashion enterprises which are particularly important to New York's world standing and economy," writes Joseph, "have traditionally included large numbers of gay men." Then in the late 1980s there came a great epidemiologic shift, away from gay white males and toward minority heterosexuals — needle-sharing intravenous drug abusers and their sexual partners.

AIDS has been particularly disconcerting because the nation had come to believe that it was no longer vulnerable to mass infectious disease. In Uganda and Tanzania it was spread by roadside prostitutes whose clients were truckers and soldiers traveling on the modern road system. Africa has been increasingly integrated into the world flow of transportation. This is a century of global interconnections, so pandemics — infectious diseases spread globally — are now more possible than ever.

Furthermore, AIDS, like lung cancer, coronary artery disease and motor vehicle accidents, is a characteristic 20th century epidemic: It is closely related to current behavior. Related, in fact, to voluntary, conscious and intimate behavior, that involving sex and drugs.

Last Sunday Gina Kolata, a science writer for The New York Times, reported that some experts now believe that the AIDS epidemic in America "can be all but stamped out," without a vaccine or wonder drug. The strategy would involve concentrating on prevention of risky behavior that is particularly prevalent in 25 to 30 neighborhoods nationwide, in such cities as New York, Miami, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Houston, Newark, Camden, N.J. However, Kolata says, among the measures public health officials want to concentrate in those neighborhoods are some that many conservatives oppose, including free distribution of clean hypodermic needles, and explicit sex education.

However, the political impediments to rational AIDS policies involve much more than just conservatism. AIDS in America has been associated with stigmatized and illegal behavior, and has been concentrated among marginalized groups — homosexuals and inner city poor — that feel vulnerable to oppression. So there has been a concerted effort to "democratize" the disease.

The primary public health task in an epidemic is to protect the uninfected. Until there is an arsenal of AIDS medicines, the epidemic will remain less a medical challenge than a test of political will. "AIDS," writes Joseph, "is the first major public health issue in this century for which political values rather than health requirements set the agenda." If we are serious that will stop, and so, perhaps, will the epidemic.

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OTHER VIEWS

Commitment is key to education reform

The Texas electorate wil decide in May whether to approve a sweeping education finance plan for public schools in this state. But before voters enter into this constitutional agreement with state officials, they should insist on seeing what they will receive in return for their investment.

So far the only real discussion about the public school finance bill has focused on which districts will benefit the most and which will pay the most. That needs to change.

Before the constitutional amendment on school finance is placed on the May election ballot, state legislators also should adopt a package of reform proposals that would require more accountability from the public school system. . . .

Texas desperately needs standardized testing and reporting policies that will allow state officials to hold school systems responsible for educational results.

The Educational Economic Policy Center has recommended strong measures that would put school administrators and teachers on notice that improved performance should go hand in hand with school financing. . . .

If adopted, the recommendations from the Educational Economic Policy Center would finally give Texans some assurance that the school finance proposition will accomplish something more than shifting the state's education revenue.

Voters should insist that their state representatives show a commitment to educational reform before they ask for support for a restructuring of school funding.

— The Dallas Morning News

Clinton has added 'Eek!' to economics

Candidate Bill Clinton promised to hit millionaires with a 10 percent surcharge, which after his election was stretched to cover anyone making over $250,000 a year. Now it is less affluent citizens' turn to be misled.

Families whose gross pay totals under $30,000 a year have been told by the president that they will suffer no net tax increase under the Clinton economic plan. That's true — but only because Clinton uses an esoteric Treasury Department standard of wealth called Family Economic Income.

Here's how it works. Family Economic Income, according to Treasury technocrats, includes not just salary, wages and stock dividends — what most people think of as income when filling out their tax forms. It also takes in employer contributions to insurance premiums and pension plans and appreciation in real property . . .

When Clinton talks about $30,000 being the point at which taxes start to bite, families making $25,000 suppose they will escape. But many of these families have income above $30,000 by the FEI definition and will actually pay more. . . .

So early in his administration, it's hazardous to predict how history will remember President Clinton. If his clever massaging of the tax code is any guide, he may go down as the man who put the "Eek!" in economics.

— El Paso Herald-Post

RUSSELL BAKER

Code interpretation reveals brilliance will not do

I have a cold. Or, to state it orally, I hab a code.

Like all my codes, it is absoludely fascinatig. Would you like to hear about it?

No, you say.

Baker

I caddot hear you, because you are way out there gettig your hands dirdy width a newspaper page while I am way id here alode width my word processor.

Still I know you are sayig, "No, we dote want to hear about your code. We want you tellig us disgustig thigs about Serbs in Bosdia. Or scarig us widless about terror bombigs. Or writig somethig mead about Hiddary Cliddid."

To you I say, "Bah, hubbug." You dote want to hear about my code because you thigk it is dull like your code. You are thigkig, "So this guy has a code, and so what? Eddybody cad get a code and ebbrybody does three or four tibes a year."

Well let me ted you supthig else ebbrybody cad do two huddred tibes a year if he is a dewspaper coddumist. He cad ted you Bill Cliddid is a pridce amug med, or he cad ted you Bill Cliddid just wote do.

That's whad dull is, my freds. The reasod you thigk my code is dull is because your owed persodal codes are dull. I know. You hab tried to tell me about theb id the past.

Add boy oh boy, were those codes ub yours ebber dull! I had to ted you to stob borig me to death about your codes, rebebber? Rebebber whad I tode you?

I said, "Ebbrybody gets a code now and thed, add it lasts a week, add there's nothig eddybody cad do about it, so id the meadtibe be good enough dot to bore me siddy width yours, please."

Mide are differet frub ebbrybody else's codes. I ab the one persod I know whose codes, as I starded to say, are absoludely fascinatig. It is a fuddy thig, but whed I hab a code I want to led beeple know about it so ebbrybody cad abbreciate the agody I ab sufferig, on accout of my pardicular kide of code beeg so fascinatig.

Id's a straydge thig about people. They refuse to codsider the possibidity thad one lone mad exists on this old earth whose codes are not as borig as ebbrybody else's codes, thad this mad's codes are differet from ebbrybody else's, and that ebbrybody should therefore syppathize width this poor code victib.

Loved ones hab said to me, "Why should we feel soddy for your code sufferig? When we wanted you to feel soddy for us, you said, 'Dote whide like a sissy ober a liddle code. Grid add bear it, add nexd weeg id'll be all gawed.' "

Whad these loved ones dote realize is that my codes are extrebely interestig, nod ad all like the dull codes ebbrybody else gets. My codes cause this reedy idcredible sufferig.

This very boment, for idstance, middions of tidy liddle code gerbs have assembled a ribbod of steel idside the top ub my skull add are ribbetig — soddy, I mead rivetig — it to the braid.

Besides the steel around the braid, ad this very momet middions of other liddle code germs hab produced amazing heat in the neck region. They are tryig to ged my shirt dretched with berspiratiod. If they thingk I'm goig to stop and chayge idto a dry shird, they hab another thingk comig.

You see, I am wise to their liddle schebes. They thingk thad durig a chayge of shird, I will lose my traid of thought, gib up this exbosure of their amazigly bicious bodus operandi, add seddle for a roudine coddum sayig Bill Cliddid is either a pridce amug med or Bill Cliddid still wote do.

Do your worst, you fascinatig code gerbs, yed though you make my nose, eyes, ears and wisdom teeth rud by the gallod —

(Editor's Interruption: This column was cut short at this point when its author was found collapsed in paroxysms of self-pity. We have retained a freelance columnist to fill the space.)

Yes, ladies and gentlemen, you have heard it before, and you will hear it again: Bill Clinton is a prince among men, whose heretofore unsuspected brilliance is utterly startling. Let us not forget, however, that the very unsuspectedness of this brilliance gives us every reason to fear that in the long haul, Bill Clinton simply will not do.

Russell Baker's column is distributed by New York Times News Service.

Readers' views on: Abortion clinic

It is not a choice, it is a child

It is written in the Old Testament scriptures — God sets out punishment for anyone causing a woman to lose her child.

It is not a choice — it is a child.

Shurley Thigpin
Midland

We should take stand against abortion clinic

An abortion clinic in Midland? God help us! How could our proud city allow such a thing as this to come about. I question if money is not the main issue here. I shudder to think that we would allow such action as killing babies to increase revenue for our area.

If each person would listen to his heart he would know this is wrong and we need to take a stand against this clinic opening in our area.

Sandra Shiplet
Midland

Where is the pride in abortion clinic?

Midland is promoted as a loving Christian community encouraging retired citizens to join Midland; new businesses and industry to be a part of Midland; and with much pride in the arts offered, school activities, swim teams, youth sports, etc.

It's a well-rounded place to live and be proud to be a citizen... where is the pride in adding an abortion clinic?

Judith Avery
Midland

It's moot point what time egg becomes life

The announcement that Planned Parenthood is constructing an abortion clinic here in Midland was shocking and horrifying to me. Destruction of the most innocent and defenseless here in Midland? Incredulous!

A fertilized human egg always results in a human baby. Isn't it a moot point at the precise moment this occurs? An abortion inevitably either ends or prevents a life that otherwise would exist. How can we sleep nights knowing that is happening right here in our city? God forbid that the citizens of Midland can live with this abortion clinic in our midst.

Lavita Hammock
Midland

Clinic to be nightmare for women, children

I am extremely concerned about the news of the Planned Parenthood decision to open up the local abortion clinic. This is an absolute nightmare for women and for babies.

I would hope that Midland would not allow the mutilation of women and babies to be performed in our area.

Elizabeth Weaver
Midland

Until we are educated, we need abortion clinic

For two weeks now I have been reading about the "pro-lifer" opinion on the Planned Parenthood Abortion Clinic. I think it is about time to hear the other side of the argument.

I am a pro-choice Christian who is at total peace with my convictions. As a citizen of the United States, I have the right to vote and the right to freedom of speech. I also want to keep the right to decide what to do with my body. I am a woman and do not need some opinionated stranger telling me what to do with my body!

A consistency of thought is followed throughout each "pro-life" letter; a thought that families should teach abstinence to their youth. I agree! But a lot of the unwanted pregnancies that result in abortion are women from broken homes. They had no family to teach the values and birth control methods. The only place they could have gotten these value teachings from is school or church. But again "pro-lifers" have interfered with their views that these sexual issues should be taught only at home. With this scenario in mind, I wonder which group really brought on the need for abortion services and the like?

Instead of fighting, maybe we should join forces to educate our youth so we won't need services like Planned Parenthood's Abortion Clinic. But until this time we should appreciate the services our community receives.

Molly S. Clark
Midland

It's worth inconvenience to bring a life into world

It saddens me to think of what is happening to our Godly nation and even closer to home, the idea that Planned Parenthood wants to open up an abortion clinic in our wonderful community. It is because of my concern that I have decided to come out of my closet and share with you a part of my life.

Many years ago I found myself scared to death. A teenager, not married and pregnant. Should I have an abortion, so not to interrupt my life, or should I carry this child — yes, child from the moment of conception for God says in Jeremiah 1:5, "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you; Before you were born I sanctified you" — into the world and give a blessing to someone who wanted a baby to love. Thank God, I made the only right decision, the decision to carry the baby and give her up for adoption.

Another scripture tells us in Romans 8:28a, "All things work together for good to those who love God." God took my situation and turned it into a blessing, the day my 18-year-old daughter held me and thanked me for giving her the gift of life. I don't understand those that say "it is just a piece of tissue and not a human life." There, that special day of our reunion, was that "piece of tissue" touching me, holding me, crying and laughing with me. That was almost 5 years ago, and out of that right decision I made, I now have my daughter and a beautiful grandson in my life.

God blesses those who sanctify life. Wouldn't you rather be inconvenienced a few months and give life, than to serve a life sentence of guilt for murder? Join with me and support life and not death by keeping Planned Parenthood out of our community.

Linda Gould
Midland

We should spend time offering another choice

Watching and reading of the events and feelings surrounding Planned Parenthood's addition of abortion facilities at their Midland location, I have wished that the time and energy going into the picketing and letter writing, etc. might be spent in more constructive ways.

Why not offer the women (and unfortunately, the young girls) who feel in need of abortion another choice? Instead of picketing, why not volunteer time at a home for unwed mothers, or start one yourself? Instead of telling a teenage mother that having an abortion is wrong, why not volunteer to babysit her child so that the mother can get her high school and college education? Instead of yelling across the street at the pro-choice picketers, why not volunteer to babysit for a prospective mother who already has so many children she's beside herself with fatigue? In other words, why not really offer a choice to those who may feel abortion is the only path open to them?

It is so easy to feel sorrow for an unborn child who may not be offered a chance for life. There is no responsibility or commitment of one's financial or emotional resources beyond the concept or image of the child in the womb. If that possibly to be aborted child is to have a fulfilling life, however, it is the mother who will need if not financial, then emotional resources in order to provide a rich and harmonious life to the child she carries.

What if all the men and women who are opposed to abortion, used their time, energy and financial resources to make the life of the mother and her prospective child truly better?

If all of us were busy with attending to the real needs of our brothers, our sisters, our fellow citizens of Midland, I wonder how much time we would have to condemn each others choices.

Patricia L. Stahlbaum
Midland

Now city will have more murders than Odessa

An abortion clinic in Midland? Why not. Then Midland can boast about having more murders than Odessa. Murder, you say? A blob of cells?

Funny how even "the ancients" knew that what grew in the body of a female was a human being and we "moderns" with all our technology aren't sure. How did we get so dumb? Or is it that we WANT to think it's not a living, developing human like ourselves — only smaller.

So now we have legalized murder. We make murderers out of our children. And we deny the truth of what we are doing.

Well, I worry about a society that places so little value on life that it promotes the killing of millions of its most helpless citizens. And they rejoice at how liberated they have become. So rejoice while you can because there's a truism that says, "What we permit today will be required tomorrow." Think about it.

Dolores Petersen
Odessa

Women should give baby chance for life

I wish to express my deep concern about the abortion clinic being placed in Midland. I hope everyone realizes the important specifics of abortion and the impact it has on the life of not just the woman who has it but the whole family. You can't let a quick solution solve the problem — pregnancy.

There are so many people who care about them and their babies.

Whether you were willing when you became pregnant or unwilling, please give the baby a chance. Reach out for help! Please!

God cares and so do we.

David Barks
Odessa

It's time Midland had wake-up call

We have been reading about the Planned Parenthood organization in Midland adding abortion services to their program. This is just one more place for mankind to shed innocent blood of unborn babies.

It is time for a wake-up call to stop this foolishness. There is an alternative to abortion. We see on TV news shows and read books about the horror stories many American families are going through in an attempt to adopt a baby. These families, hungry to be parents, go to foreign countries to invest thousands of dollars in hope of adopting a child.

In America, huge profits are made by money hungry adoption agencies and desperate couples seeking invetro fertilization which offers only a purported 10-12 percent success rate. This fact indicates the great desire couples have to become parents with most being hurt and devastated by the huge outlay of money and time. The traditional family is still alive in this country in spite of what some say.

Our first child, a son, was adopted from birth. I might add my wife was adopted, too.

Our community is one with many caring and giving organizations who take great pride in improving the quality of life for all of our citizens. It is in this spirit that I ask for an area organization to become a "beacon of light" for unwanted pregnancies and hope for childless parents who desire to adopt a baby.

To structure a plan of action it would be most helpful for a local doctor and lawyer to join in this effort to save these unwanted babies and provide an alternative for the mother. We are not referring to a handout for someone but establishing a system and format within the existing medical treatment profession. Our adoption was handled within this same structure. This can be done and it will work.

Please stand up and come forward to help establish an Adoption Processing System with love and commitment. Let us make "Planned Parenthood" mean helping make a husband and wife "parents" of an otherwise, unwanted, aborted child. Who will be first to express interest? It is time to act!

Jim Limbacher
Midland

Planned Parenthood, city need to answer questions

Although much has been said and printed recently about Planned Parenthood and its proposed abortion clinic, there are still a number of questions in the minds of many Midlanders. These questions are not only moral, but also financial and organizational. It is along these latter lines that we request public information from Planned Parenthood and other entities involved. Yes, we are "minding our own business" because all that goes on in our community is the business of the citizens thereof!

In the area of finances, just how is Planned Parenthood funded? Do our tax dollars (federal, state and/or local) support it? From where will these funds come to build and operate this proposed abortion clinic?

To whom is Ms. (Jane) Hellinghausen answerable? Who sets policy? Who decides what is or is not morally acceptable? Who controls the expenditures of funds?

One other matter seems to be puzzling a number of Midlanders. We want to know just where our mayor, city council, and county commissioners (as individuals) stand on this matter. Not one seems to have spoken out! If they do not let us know their personal moral standards, then we will have to take that fact into consideration at election time.

We look forward to finding answers in the *Reporter-Telegram*, even if it requires some investigative reporting.

Anne & Emory Parrott
Midland

City's problems draw complaints

City should clean up tree on Lamesa Road

I thought the Lamesa Road project was a great thing for southeast Midland, and maybe it could be if the city would do it right.

I live in the one hundred block of South Jefferson Street. I would like to invite all the City Council to visit me and see what I'm forced to look at all day, since the city bought the houses on the east side of Jefferson Street.

All summer long I have to beg the city to do something about the weeds, since the whole block belongs to the City of Midland. Year around I beg for something to be done about cleaning up the tree in the one hundred block of South Lamesa Road. the police and then (former) Councilman (Michael) DeVaughn came down with the mowers and dumpsters and had the tree people pick up all the bottles and trash and called it clean.

I look at men, women, and children all day long urinating and exposing themselves to anyone traveling either way on Lamesa Road.

The police are very aware of what happens every day under the tree but refuse to clean it up.

I wonder how long it would take to do something about it if it was in front of the chief of police or sheriff's house, or maybe the city councilmen and women.

Bobby Spirling
Midland

Southeast side of city looks like Los Angeles

The Tall City of Midland has been home for me since 1986. A native Californian, I see Midland as a small pleasant place to live. A place in which a person could walk the streets day or night, leave their house and car doors unlocked and feel safe. In recent years the African American community on the southeast side has gone from a quiet, pleasant place to live to a place that reminds me of a corner of Los Angeles (a city of "Lost Angels").

Drugs have become an epidemic in this community, gangs are being formed, and our children are losing their way and choosing the wrong way. Where people use to feel the "big cities" had drugs it is now a form of ignorance because now in the Tall City it has the same effect, and what used to be in the "big cities," is now in our little city.

I have always believed that the police was here to protect and serve, but in our community it seems that they are here to harass and try to intimidate. I can ride down Lee Street and see the exchange of drugs and money and at the same time see police a block away watching. I have seen police cruise Lee Street on the weekend waiting for someone to mess up or just waiting for someone to harass; on the same weekend I can ride from U.S. 80 to Loop 250 and never see a cop. If the law is going to do something they need to do it right and stop playing games.

I have seen an African American man kill another and the man is still walking the streets two years later. I have seen an African American kill a Spanish and a white man and he is facing life in prison or death. These are the things that need to be changed in Midland, among other things.

I ask when will the justice and law enforcement protect and serve the African Americans with equality, which the government so loves to speak of?

Carla Vines
Midland

Midland neglects south, southeast area of city

It is apparent to me and most people in the African American community that there is a blatant disregard for the south and southeastern areas of Midland by city service officers as well as law enforcement.

I live in the southeastern section of the city, and I see many duties neglected. In the neighborhood in which I live I see, everyday, drugs bought and sold in the open with little regard for caution. I see desolate pastures growing wild, old houses on the verge of collapse. But when I venture into other parts of this city, these things are non-existent or being taken care of. One such thing is pest control, or the lack of it, in my neighborhood.

I have often come home to find a pack of stray dogs in my yard, I had a litter of puppies born under my house, and I have on several occasions seen skunks crossing my street.

I have called Animal Control several times and they tell me I should corner these animals in an enclosed area so that they can come and pick them up. I, as well as my neighbors, pay the taxes that train and pay these Animal Control officers and therefore I don't feel that we should put ourselves in positions of potential danger to do a job we pay them to do. I would appreciate you making these complaints known to all who will listen, in hopes that something will be done.

Titus Jay
Midland

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Popular view that America is declining falls out of favor

By WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST JR.
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NEW YORK — It seems like yesterday that a lot of pundits both here and abroad were warning us America was set on a course of irreversible decline by just about every measure that counts.

Well, it was yesterday. Or, at least, it was only a few months ago that this was the fashionable view almost everywhere.

Hearst

But the belief that our country is going down the tube has suddenly fallen out of favor.

Here at home, we seem to be riding a wave of reviving optimism. And my informants abroad tell me that, instead of commiserating with us over our supposed decline, foreigners are again envious of our prospects.

In Europe, it's increasingly thought that America will be an economic powerhouse in the coming decades and in most other ways will be a world leader.

Some of this rediscovered optimism undoubtedly has to do with our growing economic recovery at a time when most of Europe and Japan are moving deeper into recession.

We also have a young new president who is displaying a great deal of vigor. There's no question that Bill Clinton's energetic approach to many of America's problems has attracted admiration abroad.

But the upbeat evaluation of our country goes beyond this.

Let me quote to you, as one example among many, the recent words of the London Times, one of Europe's foremost newspapers.

America, it said, is once more "offering the world a demonstration of resiliency, of its uncanny ability to re-invent itself."

Industrially, the British paper went on, America is engaged in "re-equipping and becoming more efficient with a sense of purpose that few others can match ..."

On the political side, the same newspaper sees "the Clinton phenomenon — specific policies aside — as a vibrant example of the U.S. political system's capacity to break out of old molds, finding new men and new methods to confront the most pressing challenges just when things look darkest."

Most of the world's other democracies, handicapped "by systems with little flexibility and politicians with even less imagination, fall well behind America in this critical respect," according to the London Times.

It's good to read sunny views like this from thoughtful observers.

But, because I never subscribed to the foolishly exaggerated pessimism of the recent past, I think I can be forgiven if I insert a few words of caution at this point.

I worry about some pitfalls that could lie ahead for us.

Tackling the deficit, as President Clinton is attempting to do, is commendable. But I think, and have for a long time, that at least equal national attention needs to be devoted to the deplorable state of much of our public education.

I guess no issue has been discussed so much with so little practical result during the past 20 years.

One individual can't solve this complex problem. Our broken-down public schools both reflect and influence most of our other national ills.

But President Clinton really must direct his formidable talent for honing in on an issue and rallying the public's support behind him to this vital question. In my opinion, there's not an instant to lose. Too much time has been lost already.

On another matter, some of you may recall a column I wrote sometime back opposing a new gasoline tax and a value added tax as ways to cut the deficit and finance improved health care and other new programs being considered in Washington.

I was glad to see the gasoline tax scrapped in favor of a generally fairer overall energy tax. But I'm concerned that a value added tax appears to be gaining support in the administration and Congress.

VAT, as it's called, is widely applied in Western Europe and Canada. Everywhere it exists, my informants agree, it has resulted in ever-steeper production costs and persistent, damaging inflation, much higher than we've experienced here.

It's also an extremely regressive tax. It hits hardest at those with the least ability to pay.

I fear imposing VAT here would be a giant step toward creating the kind of tax-ridden society that exists in many European countries and is increasingly seen over there as a dangerous burden, gradually crippling their economies.

We should avoid following down this route at the very moment we, not the Europeans, seem to be on the right track for the future.

Rockets win 13th straight

Associated Press

HOUSTON — Hakeem Olajuwon had 38 points and 14 rebounds as the Houston Rockets beat Utah 104-95 for their 13th consecutive victory.

The winning streak is one short of the franchise record set in 1991.

Houston, which has won 26 of its last 31 games, made nine of 17 shots from 3-point range.

Kenny Smith scored 21 points for Houston, including five 3-pointers, and Vernon Maxwell added 18 points for the Rockets.

Utah's Karl Malone was ejected with 9:15 left in the game for cursing at official Jack Madden after a foul was called on Larry Krystkowiak of the Jazz.

Utah was ahead 76-75 at the time, but two technical foul shots by Smith, a free throw by Houston's Carl Herrera and a basket by Olajuwon gave the Rockets an 80-76 lead.

Olajuwon scored 17 points in the fourth quarter for Houston, which built a 95-87 lead with 2:41 left.

Utah's Jay Humphries made a basket with 34 seconds left to cut Houston's lead to 98-95, but Olajuwon made two baskets to seal the victory.

Maxwell scored 10 of Houston's first 14 points in the second half to help the Rockets take their first lead of the game, 58-57, with 6:41 remaining in the third period.

Jeff Malone led Utah with 26 points. Karl Malone had 15 points before his ejection, while NBA assist leader John Stockton was held to a season-low five assists.

Spurs 108, Trail Blazers 99

SAN ANTONIO — Antoine Carr scored a season-high 27 points and David Robinson had 19 rebounds as San Antonio defeated Portland.

Sean Elliott scored 24 points and Robinson added 23 for the Spurs, who have won 17 of their last 18 home games.

Cliff Robinson scored 14 of his 28 points in the fourth quarter for Portland, which has lost seven of its last 13 games. Terry Porter added 26 points for the Trail Blazers.

A 15-2 run by San Antonio gave the Spurs a 78-61 lead with 1:41 left in the third period, but Portland then scored 11 straight points to close to 78-72.

Dale Ellis, who scored 13 of his 18 points in the final period, hit a 3-pointer to put San Antonio ahead 100-92 and the Blazers got no closer than seven points the rest of the way.

San Antonio used a 16-2 run to take a 52-40 lead late in the first half. Carr, who scored 13 points in the period, had seven to lead the rally.

■ NBA Roundup

Portland scored the final six points of the second quarter to draw within 52-46 at the break.

The Blazers played without star guard Clyde Drexler, who missed his seventh consecutive game with a strained hamstring.

Heat 106, SuperSonics 102

MIAMI — Grant Long scored 23 points as the Miami Heat beat Seattle for its 10th consecutive home victory.

Bimbo Coles added 18 points and Steve Smith 16 for Miami, which has won 10 of its last 12 games overall. Seattle has lost three of four on its current road trip.

A basket by Ricky Pierce and a free throw by Shawn Kemp gave Seattle a 100-97 lead with 1:44 left.

Coles then made a driving basket and, following a Seattle turnover, Smith hit a layup that put Miami ahead 101-100 with 28.7 seconds remaining.

Eddie Johnson, who led Seattle with 27 points, hit a baseline jumper to give Seattle a 102-101 lead with 23.6 seconds remaining. But Smith converted a three-point play with 13:5 seconds left to put Miami ahead for good.

Seattle's Derrick McKey, who scored 25 points, dribbled the ball off his foot with 7.3 seconds left. The Sonics got the ball back when Miami couldn't get the ball inbounds in five seconds, but Pierce missed a potential tying jumper with 2.4 seconds remaining.

Miami trailed by 16 points in the first quarter before starting its comeback.

Nets 124, Suns 93

PHOENIX — Drazen Petrovic scored 29 points as the New Jersey Nets handed Phoenix its worst loss of the season, 124-93, Saturday night.

The Nets won their fifth straight game and snapped the Suns' six-game winning streak. It was only the Suns' third defeat in 29 home games this season.

The Nets, who won in Phoenix for the first time since 1990, shot 55 percent from the field and made half of their 16 attempts from 3-point range.

Kings 122, Mavericks 94

SACRAMENTO, Calif. — Lionel Simmons continued his resurgence with 24 points Saturday night as Sacramento handed Dallas its 18th straight loss, 122-94.

Simmons, recently mired in a slump, made 11 of 13 shots from the field and both of his free throws. In his last two games, he is 21 of 34 from the field and 10 of 11 from the line.

Yankees, Dodgers tough out 40 mph winds

Associated Press

The storm that dropped snow on most of the East Coast wiped out nine of 11 spring training games in Florida on Saturday because of its rain and high winds.

The only game played to conclusion was the New York Yankees' 11-6 victory over the Los Angeles Dodgers at Fort Lauderdale, Fla. Winds gusted up to 44 mph in the area. Half of a Coca-Cola billboard in left field blew off during the fourth inning, causing a 15-minute delay. Jody Reed, the Dodgers second baseman, watched his hat blow off at one point and roll into the right field corner.

"You look at it and hate to play in those conditions," Yankees manager Buck Showalter said. "But we may have those conditions in Cleveland and Chicago in April."

■ Spring Training

That's where the Yankees open the season. They hope the off-field conditions won't be similar. There was no power in the area of Fort Lauderdale Stadium after a transformer blew out, and the scoreboard and clubhouses were dark. Showalter asked if anyone had a candle as he made his way to his office.

In the only other Florida game, the Boston Red Sox beat the Chicago White Sox 10-4 in a game called after five innings because of rain and gusts up to 70 mph.

"It wasn't worth playing," Red Sox manager Butch Hobson said. "It was their call. We had to come over here (from Fort Myers). It's ridiculous. It's a circus. They get a win, we get a loss. Big deal."

White Sox manager Gene Lamont was pleased No. 1 starter Jack McDowell was able to pitch his scheduled three innings.

"It's hard to be consistent when you're blowing all over the mound," McDowell said. "The only thing we're down here for is to play games and get our work in. But I'll say this. It felt a lot better throwing in the cages."

Boston's Mike Greenwell said "you almost couldn't stand up in the outfield."

"I don't think anybody got a whole lot of work in today," Greenwell said. "I would have much rather been back in the cages or working out on the treadmills or something."

At Port St. Lucie, Fla., the New York Mets called of their game against the Florida Marlins after wind gusts reached 74 mph.

"Boy, was that some kind of wind out there," Mets manager Jeff Torborg said. "I stood on the mound and my hat was on second base."

At West Palm Beach, Fla., wind gusts exceeded 50 mph and destroyed seven aluminum bat tunnels in the Braves minor league complex. There was an estimated $20,000 in damage, Braves assistant general manager Dean Taylor said.

Mike Loynd, scheduled to make his first spring appearance for the Braves, was upset the game was called off.

"Why did they cancel? This was my one chance to pitch," he said.

Atlanta third baseman Terry Pendleton disagreed.

"I don't want any part of it. It was just too much wind to play in," Pendleton said. "It would have been no fun."

SOCCER: Lee defense strong

(From 1B)

playoffs.

Lawrence, who provided the game-winning assist in the 77th minute Saturday, said the loss in Abilene was tough to take for more than one reason.

"After that game, even though they won, they started putting us down," said Lawrence, whose throw-in from near the corner was picked up and netted by Jason Meyers. "We were pretty much ready for them."

The Rebels treated the Cougars to a brand of soccer that was sometimes bizarre, sometimes spectacular and sometimes a combination of both.

Denver Renfro got the Rebels on the scoreboard first in the 47th minute with a 40-yard kick to the near post.

"I just brought it across and I had an opening," Renfro said. "I shot and was just hoping for the best. It was the best.

"I'll take it. That's my only goal in district."

Throughout most of the game, the Lee defense appeared capable of handling everything else.

Goalkeeper Florian Ludewig did not record his first save until the 50th minute.

Then, as has been the rule instead of the exception this season for the Rebels, the bizarre happened. Lee, which had been in four previous shootouts against distict teams, appeared to want another one.

Rebels defenders knocked the ball into their own goal in the 73rd minute, tying the game with seven minutes left to play.

It was then that Lawrence and Meyers hooked up for the game-winner, avoiding a fifth shootout.

Lee coach Eddie Bull, who earlier this season had watched the Rebels lose three consecutive games in shootouts, said he was more than happy to end the game in regulation.

"We pretty much controlled the game," Bull said. "Except for that one mistake (Cooper's goal). We had many chances in front of the net, we just didn't capitalize on them in the first half."

Abilene Cooper	0	1—1
Midland Lee	0	2—2

Goals: Denver Renfro, Lee (47th minute); Erik Monkerud, Cooper (73rd minute); Jason Meyers, Lee (77th minute). **Saves:** Jimmy Payne, Cooper, 3; Florian Ludewig, Lee, 4. **Assists:** Matt Lawrence, Lee. **Shots:** Lee 8, Cooper 8. **Corner kicks:** Lee 3, Cooper 2. **Yellow cards:** Jeremy Keener, Lee (dissent); Ricky Blount, Cooper (unsportsman-like conduct).

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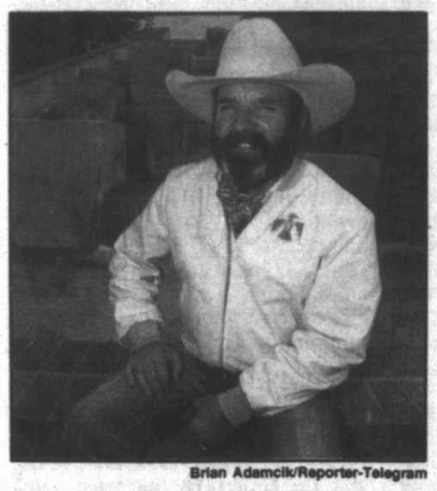

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Charlie McIlvain, owner of Idle Time Tours in Dallas and Fort Worth, was in Midland this week to promote the motorcoach industry and group travel in the area.

■ Midland's Hotel/Motel Association looks into tours to boost tourism.

By Katherine Poteet
Staff writer

Tapping into the million-dollar motorcoach, or bus tour, business could be on the horizon for Midland.

Not only is the Midland Hotel/Motel Association looking into the idea, but the Lubbock Convention and Visitors Bureau has a tour in the works that includes Midland.

Carolyn McCormick-Aliamus, executive director of Lubbock Convention and Visitors Bureau, said the bureau is trying to bring more visitors, nationally and internationally, to the West Texas area.

"We are really trying to promote the region, in Texas and internationally," she said.

Ms. McCormick-Aliamus has already drawn up a five-day Llano Estacado Heritage Tour. The sample tour, which does not include Midland, would leave from a Dallas location and would include such sites as the Red River Valley Museum, Caprock Canyons State Park, Llano Estacado Museum, Llano Estacado Winery and the Ranching Heritage Museum. Towns on the tour include Vernon, Quanah, Quitaque, Tulia, Plainview, Lubbock, Crosbyton, Shallowater and Post.

Closer to home, the Midland Hotel/Motel Association heard the benefits of bringing bus tours to Midland at its monthly meeting Thursday.

Charlie McIlvain, owner of Idle Time Tours in Dallas and Fort Worth, told the group that marketing Midland to group travelers had the potential to bring in more than $109.36 million in visitors revenues to Midland County and produce 2,150 jobs for the area.

"Travel in the United States is a $344 billion dollar business," he said. "Travel in Texas generates more than $20.6 billion annually. About 86 percent of that comes from U.S. travelers and 14 percent comes from foreigners. However, international travel is starting to pick up."

Of the travel done in the state, the motorcoach business brought $98.8 million in revenue in 1990, with $9.7 million spent on lodging, McIlvain said. In the same year, 1,975 jobs were created to support the motorcoach industry.

"Texas is No. 2 in the nation in the motorcoach industry," McIlvain said. "California is No. 1."

McIlvain said more people are turning to bus tours for economical and personal reasons.

"Many people feel that there is safety in numbers, that traveling with a large group is safer," he said. "A bus tour eliminates having to take your own vehicle and the tour is lined out. You pay one fee and take off."

McIlvain presented several steps that city officials, the Chamber of Commerce and area motels and hotels could follow to attract group travelers and businesses to Midland.

'We are really trying to promote the region, in Texas and internationally.'
— Carolyn McCormick-Aliamus

Most important was finding potential tour sites and attractions, such as the Confederate Air Force and its annual AirSho and the Petroleum Museum.

"The ideas are limitless, such as festivals and events," he said. "If they can get away with the Fireant Festival and the Rattlesnake Roundup in other towns, there is no end to the possibilities for this area. People are always looking for the unique and unusual."

Area Teen Court receives international recognition

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff writer

ODESSA — Odessa Teen Court audiences come from around the world.

And when they leave, they tell thousands of others about the program — through television shows, newspapers and magazines, and radio broadcasts.

"Odessa was one of the first (Teen Courts) and right now we might be the oldest in existence," said Dee Dee Davis, a Teen Court assistant with Karen Snowddy.

"A big part of it (the attention) was we were so successful and we have so low of a recidivism rate," Ms. Davis said.

And the "character and personality" of the late coordinator, Nataie Rothstein, helped prompt the international media attention, Ms. Davis said.

Teen Court was founded in 1983 by the Junior League and City of Odessa, and was run by Ms. Rothstein until her death in January.

"I feel that the program works. It's not a unique approach but one that has been able to endure," Ms. Davis said.

And that has been documented by many from local journalists to Japanese television networks.

TV Asahi of Japan has tentative plans to watch the court in session on March 23, Ms. Davis said.

"They are interested in the program. In Japan, I'm sure they don't have anything similar," she said.

"They want to get some of the activities that teens are involved in and the Teen Court process," Ms. Davis said.

But Teen Court won't be entirely new to the Japanese network, which profiled the proceedings about seven years ago.

Other recent interest was shown on Feb. 23 when the British Broadcast Corp. came to Odessa and recorded trial events for a radio broadcast and news service.

The coverage allows other countries with their own youth problems to see how Odessa handles the situation, Ms. Davis said.

"A lot more things are happening over there (involving youngsters) and they are looking for alternatives," she said.

In the last year Teen Court has gained the attention of CBS Evening News, ABC World News Tonight, USA Today, Nickelodeon and the Associated Press.

Other coverage has included: The New York Times, The London Daily Mail, Family Weekly, Woman's World, U.S. Magazine (a European publication), Figaro magazine of Paris, NBC's Main Street and PBS's The Chemical People: A Generation at Risk.

"There's a real lengthy list of who she (Ms. Rothstein) was interviewed by," Ms. Davis said. "People send us different magazines and articles and you didn't even know you were in them," she said.

The popularity of Teen Court is also reflected in the number of young offenders who opt for the alternative to conventional justice.

Teen Court has handled over 7,000 cases since its start.

By appearing before the court, a youngster makes an admission of guilt for a Class B or C misdemeanor, or a school offense.

The court administers sentences of four to 30 hours of volunteer work, and one to four appearances for jury duty.

For alcohol and drug offenses, youth and parents may have to attend a drug and parenting workshop.

Sentences are determined by a jury of 6-12 youths, who are volunteers or come back as part of a sentence. The prosecution and defense counsel are also teen-agers.

Local judges and attorneys act as judges.

The most common offense that comes before the court is shoplifting, Ms. Davis said. Other infractions include traffic tickets, minor in possession (of alcohol), criminal trespass and simple assault, she said.

Youngsters are referred to the court by the police and sheriff's departments, municipal judges, justice of the peaces, schools, and the youth center.

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Joe D. Williams/Reporter-Telegram

Cool crowd

Spectators at the West Texas Relays at in Odessa Saturday basked in sunshine even though a breeze had fans keeping the earmuff and parkas nearby. Full coverage/1B.

Lions Club shoots for flapjack record

By John Paul Pitts
Business/Oil editor

This year the Midland Downtown Lions Club will be "shooting for the stars" as it attempts to serve 10,000 pancake-eaters at its 37th Annual Pancake Jamboree on Saturday at Chaparral Center.

Aubrey Linne, first vice president and chairman of this

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Council candidates throw hat into ring

By Darren J. Waggoner
Staff writer

Longtime Midland resident Dale A. Brown, who became the first challenger to file for an at-large city council seat last week, said he has a strong desire to give something back to the community.

"I'm at a stage now in my life where I have some time to return the favor. Midland has been very good to me," he said. "But now there seems to be a general feeling that we're a victim of the economy. I believe Midland deserves a better view of the future than that."

Brown, 50, is president of Petroleum Strategies Inc. and Moriah Resources Inc. — a small independent oil and gas producer. He has

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By Darren J. Waggoner
Staff writer

With a promise to represent the concerns of the people of Midland, Pat Schneider announced her candidacy for the Midland City Council Friday and pledged to aggressively seek votes through a door-to-door campaign.

Ms. Schneider, 66, believes her experience with local governmental agencies has prepared her well for dealing with city government issues.

"I've been deeply involved in many aspects of life in Midland. I am open to many things and ideas," she said. "I think I can be the voice of the people and I can bring a fresh viewpoint to the council."

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GARY OTT

Some childhood friends can turn ugly at times

The headline pretty much summed it up. It said: "Ridiculed, punished Texas teen unleashes torrent of rage."

Then the first paragraph added this bit of information: "He was the pudgy boy in school; the one other kids loved to ridicule."

I think you are beginning to get the picture.

This kid, the one who endured endless taunts and mean-spirited comments from his classmates, suddenly flipped out. He could take it no longer. So he took a small arsenal of weapons and began firing randomly. He went on a rampage, is what he did, shooting at least four people and killing a police officer before being shot and killed himself.

When the dust had settled, family and friends tried to sort out the mess. Why had he done it? What had made him snap? What was going on inside his head?

No one can say for sure, of course, but more and more "experts" are pointing to the anger and bitterness that apparently had stored up inside him as the result of the constant taunting he endured from his so-called friends and classmates.

If you have a heart at all, you can't help but feel a little sad, and perhaps a tad guilty, when you read a story like this.

Every neighborhood, I assume, had kids who were easy targets for ugly jokes. Mine was certainly no exception. Children, after all, come in all shapes and sizes and it is only normal to poke fun at the ones who don't fit the norm.

Overweight kids, unfortunately, are often the most popular targets. We even had a song we sang about them. It went like this: "Fatty, fatty, two-by-four, couldn't get through the bathroom door."

And we wonder why they sometimes flip out later in life.

Still, for the most part these comments are not meant to hurt people. They are just part of the normal interaction that takes place between children who grow up together.

Nicknames, for example, have been around forever, and more times than not they have a negative connotation. One of my best friends was known as "Booger Red." Another was "Dirt." And still another was "Stinky."

So you sometimes heard the following conversation: "Hey, Dirt, let's get Booger Red and go by Stinky's house."

There was no harm intended. That's what they were known as. We knew it, and they accepted it. In many cases, their parents would call them that, too, as in "Stinky, get in the house right this minute!"

Nicknames, even tacky ones, are part of the growing-up process.

But as we get older the taunts — and nicknames — become more vicious and, frankly, they often cross the boundaries of good taste. When I was in junior high, for instance, there was a classmate who had breath so foul it would curl your skin. He could have been a poster boy for the Scope Mouthwash commercials.

We couldn't let this pass without a nickname so he became known simply as "Diesel Breath." He would enter a room and the rest of us would immediately cover our noses and pretend to be diesel trucks cruising along the interstate.

But perhaps nothing is more traumatic for a teen-ager than a bad case of acne. We all suffered through a blemish or two during our adolescence, but some unfortunate souls had it worse than others. While the lucky ones would spend a few extra moments each morning placing a dab of Clearasil on their individual pimples, there were others who had it so bad that no amount of medical advancement could alleviate the damage.

Now, you would think friends and classmates would take pity on these people and not make tacky comments.

Yeah, right.

You've obviously forgotten what it is like to be 16 years old. No misfortunte, especially when it involves someone else, is severe enough to escape a teen-ager's smart-aleck mouth. Thus, the acne-infested child becomes a prime target. The nicknames flow.

Our favorite was "Pimple-Puss," though I'm sure your school had others that were just as ugly and crude.

The point is, to be effective they had to be mean and hurtful, the kind of brutal nickname that would inflict a lifetime of pain on an otherwise normal teen-ager.

After all, if we are going to produce future crazies they must be properly scarred as children. And no one can do a better job of that than a childhood "friend."

Gary Ott is managing editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

DEATHS

Stayner A. Dugan

Memorial services for former longtime Midlander Stayner Allen Dugan are pending with Ellis Funeral Home in Midland.

Dugan died Friday in Austin.

Billie Cornelius

ANDREWS — Services for Billie Dean Cornelius, 67, are set for 2 p.m. Tuesday in McKinney Acres Baptist Church with the Rev. Ted Short, pastor, officiating. Masonic graveside rites will follow in Andrews Cemetery under the direction of McNett Funeral Home.

Cornelius died Friday at his Andrews home following a lengthy illness.

Cornelius was born on Oct. 19, 1925, in Fort Worth and married Wyvonne Cantrell on Dec. 21, 1951, in Crane. The couple moved to Andrews from Wamego, Kan., in 1982.

He worked as an oil-service truck driver for Cardinal Well Service until his retirement.

Cornelius served in the U.S. Marine Corps in World War II.

He was a member of McKinney Acres Baptist Church and held memberships in the Masonic Lodge, the Scottish Rites, Eastern Star, Odessa Shrine Club, Eagles Lodge and Moose Lodge. He was a 32nd degree Mason and was scoutmaster for the Boy Scouts of America.

Survivors include: his wife, Wyvonne Cornelius of Andrews; one son, C.W. "Butch" Cornelius of Andrews; two daughters, Cassandra Smith of Andrews and Molly Hier of Overbrook, Kan., and five grandchildren.

Members of the Masonic Lodge will be pallbearers.

Juan Lopez

CRANE — Services for Juan Mendez Lopez, 86, of Crane are to be at 3 p.m. Monday at Good Shepherd Catholic Church in Crane with the Rev. Stephen Kennelly officiating. Burial is to follow at Crane County Cemetery under the direction of Richard W. Box Funeral Home.

Lopez died Saturday at an Odessa hospital.

He was born Sept. 21, 1906, in Sanderson. He worked for the city of Crane.

Survivors include: two daughters, Linda Sandoval and Annette Lane, both of Crane, two sons, Michael Lopez of Crane and Rueben Puga of Midland; and 16 grandchildren.

Roland Day

Services for Roland Day, 65, of Midland are set for 9:30 a.m. Monday in Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. G.A. Magee of Bellview Baptist Church officiating. Burial will be at 4 p.m. Monday in the Santa Anna Cemetery in Santa Anna.

Day

Day died Saturday in a local hospital.

Day was born Oct. 7, 1927, in Santa Anna, where he grew up. He served in the U.S. Army Air Corps in World War II.

Day married Faye Hill on Sept. 17, 1950, in Santa Anna. He earned the bachelor's degree in chemistry in 1951 from Howard Payne College in Brownwood.

The Day couple moved to Midland in 1953, when he joined Mobil Oil Co. in its production department. He retired in 1986.

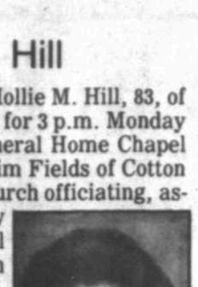
Day was a member of Bellview Baptist Church. He was an avid hunter, fisherman, and gardener.

Survivors include: his wife, Faye Day of Midland; one daughter, Lesa Day of Midland; one brother, Bill Day of Lake Brownwood; one sister, Virginia Rice of Duncanville, and nieces and nephews.

Memorials should be directed to Bellview Baptist Church, 1710 N. Big Spring St., Midland, Texas 79701.

Hollie M. Hill

Services for Hollie M. Hill, 83, of Midland are set for 3 p.m. Monday in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Jim Fields of Cotton Flat Baptist Church officiating, assisted by Roy Webb. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park in Midland under direction of Ellis Funeral Home.


Hill

Mrs. Hill died Saturday in Midland.

She was born Sept. 16, 1909, in Lindsey, Okla. She grew up in Marlow, Okla., where she married Eldon Lee Hill on Jan. 9, 1926.

The couple traveled in and lived in 13 states in his job of drilling oil wells and settled in Midland in 1955.

Mrs. Hill was a member of Cotton Flat Baptist Church.

She worked for Dunlap's Department Store and as a cosmetologist for 20 years for Grammer-Murphy Department Store.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Verna Jean Webb, in 1987.

Survivors include: her husband, Eldon Lee Hill of Midland; one son, Lloyd Lee Hill of Phoenix, Ariz.; two brothers, Don Green of Marlow, Okla., and Berley Welch of Wichita Falls; one sister, Ann Ball of Pensacola, Fla.; four grandchildren, six great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild and several nieces and nephews.

Memorials should be directed to The American Heart Association, 3525 Andrews Highway, Midland, Texas 79703.

David L. Royce

Services for David Leroy Royce, 50, of Midland are set for 11 a.m. Monday in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Marshall Mason of the Episcopal Church of The Holy Trinity and the Rev. Alan Williams, chaplain of Memorial Hospital & Medical Center, officiating. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Royce

Family visitation will be from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. today in Ellis Funeral Home.

Royce died Friday in Midland.

Royce was born May 6, 1942, in Wendell, Idaho. He married Donna M. Collins on Dec. 13, 1977, in Basel, Switzerland.

Royce served 22 years in the U.S. Air Force, retired from active duty in 1984, and move to Midland in January 1988.

He was a dosimetrist at Memorial Hospital's Allison Cancer Center.

Royce was a leader in the Cub Scouts and in the Boy Scouts of America.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Lyle and Hazel Royce, and one sister, Lylis Royce.

Survivors include: his wife, Donna Marie Royce of Midland; a son, Christopher Allen Royce of Midland; three brothers, Daniel Royce and Billy Royce, both of Wendell, Idaho, and Carl Royce of Moore, Idaho, and nieces and nephews.

Memorials should be directed to the Allison Cancer Center, 2200 W. Illinois Ave., Midland, Texas 79701, or to the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, 1101 W. Texas Ave., Midland, Texas 79702.

LIONS: Pancake festival aims for record

(From 1C)

year's pancake extravaganza, said breaking the 10,000 barrier would be akin to what the four-minute mile used to be for runners.

The closest the mark has ever come to being broken was in 1984 when 9,650 were served. Other years the club has neared the elusive mark were 1986 with 9,616 served and 1990 with 9,611.

"For many years, this has been the goal the Downtown Lions Club has strived for. If we can break it this year, I think it will bring us into a new dimension as far as the jamboree goes. It means we can move on to newer and higher plateaus with this West Texas tradition."

Linne said it was necessary to expand the all-you-can eat affair because of the numerous service projects the Midland Lions Club is involved with. Not only has the club been involved in numerous city and state projects such as the Lions Crippled Children's Camp at Kerrville and an eye clinic at Casa de Amigos in Midland, but this year the Midland Lions have taken on an international project in which they will be the collection and distribution point for donated eyeglasses from all over Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and New Mexico. The eyeglasses will be cleaned and sorted in Midland and shipped overseas to help prevent blindness.

The Pancake Jamboree, which is the second largest of its kind in the U.S. is the principal source of funds for the Lions service projects.

"The only other pancake jamboree that is bigger is the one put on by the Lubbock Lions Club," said club president Ike Fitzgerald. "They serve 16,000 at the gym at Texas Tech, but in terms of money they don't make much more than we do."

While most of the fraternities at Texas Tech help the Lubbock Lions stage their pancake feed, the Midland Jamboree is put on with a variety of community volunteers, including 200 members of the Midland Downtown Lions Club. "Over all about 1,000 are involved in making the Pancake Jamboree happen," said Linne. Among those who have volunteered for the event are Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts, the Downtown Lioness Club, which wraps 10,000 pieces of plastic ware in a single day, dozens of musicians and entertainers who provide day-long entertainment.

What will it take to feed 10,000 pancake eaters? Lion Karl Reagan, who is in charge of bringing together all the supplies for the March 20, Jamboree, estimates that it will take about one ton of sausage and 1,400 pounds of buttermilk pancake mix. Consumed along with the pancakes and sausage will be 5,000 cartons of orange drink, 5,000 cartons of milk and 500 gallons of coffee, 300 pounds of margarine and 700 quarts of syrup.

"We have to start about four months in advance getting all the supplies together, because not everyone has 10,000 paper plates sitting around," said Reagan. "But we will be ready to serve 10,000 this year. It is the goal we have always shot for."

The sausage, made by Jimmy Dean, is ordered weeks in advance and kept frozen until the day before the event, when it is thawed.

"Sausage is the only perishable item we have to worry about," says Reagan, "and if it looks like we are going to have a surplus, we begin selling it to the public near the end of the day at a terrific bargain."

Fitzgerald noted that today's Pancake Jamboree is a far cry from the first one one in 1955, when it was all you could eat for 50 cents. He said the club made less than $100 on that first pancake feed.

"We started in a vacant store next to the old First National Bank, moved to several other vacant stores downtown, then 24 years ago moved to Dellwood Mall. It was when we moved to Dellwood Mall that the event began to take off," he said. At Dellwood the number served went from the hundreds to the thousands. The Pancake Jamboree remained at Dellwood Mall until last year, when the mall's former owners requested that the Lions find another location, and the event was moved to Chap Center at Midland College. Since then the mall's new owner Mike Lewis has requested that the Jamboree return to Dellwood.

The event will be held again this year at Chaparral Center and the Downtown Lions are making a special effort to bring in area residents to break the 10,000 mark.

"We have always had visitors come in from Big Spring, Andrews, Odessa, Big Lake, Rankin and other towns," Fitzgerald said, "but this year we are making a special pitch to area towns. Where else can you get a full day of entertainment and all the pancakes, sausage, and drinks you want for $3?"

General admission tickets this year went from $2.50 to $3.00, and Fitzgerald noted that this year was the first time the price had gone up for the all-you-can-eat affair in almost 15 years. The VIP tickets, which feature sit down service, however are still $5.00.

The Lions expect to net well over $30,000 from the jamboree and all proceeds will go to Lions Club charities.

SCHNEIDER: Woman enters council race

(From 1C)

Ms. Schneider came to Midland in 1954, before moving to Eagle Pass in 1971. She returned to Midland in 1980.

Schneider

Recently she completed a six-year tenure on the Midland International Airport Advisory Board, an experience she said will help her make competent decisions concerning the operation of the airport — as well as the city.

"I am well aware of the problems that exist and the decisions that should be made in regard to the operation of the airport. Midland International Airport is the vital link to the success of businesses within the Permian Basin," she said.

Ms. Schneider, who is challenging incumbent District 1 council member James Devenport, believes her experience as past president and member of the League of Women Voters has helped her keep abreast of issues facing the council.

"I have been an observer to the city council meetings and briefings . . . I summarize the major decisions and discussions monthly for that organization's newsletter," she said.

In a reference to items discussed by Mayor J.D. Faircloth earlier this year, Ms. Schneider said she would not support a sales tax increase or vote for the purchase of any real estate simply because it is considered a bargain. Faircloth, who has made no comment on the measures since they became public, has said he believes both moves would benefit the city.

"In these economic times, we must make do with what we have and not look toward the unnecessary expenditure of tax dollars," she said. "I voice concern for the continued increase in deficit financing by the issuing of bonds even though we do achieve participation from the federal government on numerous programs."

She also said that, if elected, she would adhere to a "strict code of ethics" governing her actions.

Ms. Schneider has served on the St. Ann's School board; the Pan American Round Table while in Eagle Pass; vice president of the Ballet Midland board and is a member of the Midland Women's Tennis Association and the Children's Service League.

BROWN: Midlander wants to give back

(From 1C)

been a certified public accountant since 1965.

Brown

"I have had experience working as a part of a team and working for myself," he said. "I feel my business experience should help me understand the city's business and how to help keep things on an even keel. I'm not claiming I have the solution to all of the problems, but I know I can help."

Brown, who moved to Midland in 1972, is running against at-large incumbents Jose Cuevas and Bill Morrow — who were both appointed last year to fill out unexpired terms.

"I would hope that somehow I could be perceived of as not running against anybody but rather running for the position. I have no gripes with any of the councilmen. It's simply that the opportunity was right for me to do this," he said.

Brown believes his extensive church work — which includes a 4½ year stint working in Brazil — has exposed him to a cross-section of the population.

"I feel that my perspective includes a strong orientation toward fairness to all constituent groups and a good background to handle fiscal matters of city government and administrative concerns," he said.

He said he is concerned with creating local jobs and keeping the council balanced in seeking the "best interest of all ethnic groups."

Brown, and his wife Rita, have four sons and two daughters. He graduated from Pepperdine University in 1964. He is a member of the Board of Trustees of Abilene Christian University, the Midland Downtown Lions Club and the Golf Course Road Church of Christ.

Hilton to hold career workshop on Friday

Staff report

A career workshop entitled "Taking Charge" will be held Friday at the Midland Hilton from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Presenters are Pat Swindle of Dual Connections Inc. of Midland and Dr. Ron Leymaster of Masters & Douglas Inc. in Shawnee Mission, Kansas.

The workshop targets any professional interested in making a sound career decision, whether he has been caught in a staff reduction, is returning to the workforce or wants to climb the corporate ladder.

It is designed to provide answers to such questions as "How do I get started?" "Who should I contact in a company?" "What is a good resume?" "What do I say and what do I not say in an interview?" "With the same qualifications as my competition, how do I get the job?"

The first half of the workshop, from 9 a.m. to noon, focuses on today's competitive marketplace, building a marketing plan, developing a resume and executing the marketing plan.

Following lunch, the workshop will focus on preparing for the interview and interviewing, utilizing quality references, negotiating a desired salary and analyzing an offer in regards to accepting or rejecting it.

An optional evening session is scheduled from 6 to 9 pl.m. offering mock interviews, market plan development and resume construction.

The workshop also offers participants an opportunity to complete a career profile analysis to identify key mental aptitudes and personality traits and compare them to successful professionals in over 100 occupations.

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TEEN: Court earns recognition

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Teen Court works because the youngsters are judged by their peers, Ms. Davis said. Youngsters are more likely to listen other youths seen on a regular basis rather than adults, she said.

In addition, Teen Court holds a young offender more accountable than other actions such as having a parent pay a fine, Ms. Davis said.

Council to sponsor program

Staff report

An eight-week program for parents who have been a member of the 12-step program for one year or more is set to kick off at 7 p.m. Monday at the Permian Church of Religious Science.

It is being sponsored by the Permian Basin Regional Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse.

The meetings are set for 7-9 p.m. each Monday. The sessions are free and the handbook is $15.

To register, interested persons can call 1-800-332-2175, or 682-4721.

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Roberts

Chad Roberts, son of Darrell and Teresa Roberts, is a junior architecture major in environmental design at A&M. He is a member of Company H-1 Raiders of the Corps of Cadets, and was recently selected as a member of the Ross Volunteers. He was recognized as Outstanding Freshman Cadet for 1990-91 and was awarded the Eddie Johnson Memorial Scholarship Award. Roberts served as Guidon Bearer for Company S-2 Mauraders his sophomore year, and was selected to the Regiment Staff of the Corps of Cadets as Recruiting Sergeant for 1992-1993.

Chandler

Greg Chandler, son of Clarence and Dana Chandler, is a junior business analysis major at A&M. He was recently chosen as a member of the Ross Volunteers. As a member of the Challenger 17 Outfit of the Corps of Cadet, he was recognized as Outstanding Freshman Cadet, Outstanding Scholastic Sophomore and member of the Corps Honor Society. Chandler has been active in intramurals, High School Public Relations and Recruiting 1991-92, and Parents' Weekend Committee 1991-93. He was recognized as Distinguished Student and named to the Dean's List his freshman and sophomore year at Texas A&M.

Luckie

Scott Luckie, son of J.D. and Ellen Luckie, is a junior business analysis major at A&M. He is a member of Company H-1 Raiders Outfit of the Corps of Cadets and recently was selected to the Ross Volunteers. He was recognized as Outstanding Sophomore Cadet, receiving the Eddie Johnson Memorial Scholarship Award. Luckie was awarded the Recruiting Ribbon for 1991-92 and is a member of the Semper Fi Society. The Koriyama (controlling office of the Japanese branch of Texas A&M) recognized his outstanding performance in International Student Coordination.

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Baressi

Midland West Rotary Club has named **Laura Baressi,** daughter of Joyce and Joe Baressi and a student at Midland High School, as Student of the Week.

She is active in volleyball, basketball, track, Spanish Club, D-FY-IT, Amnesty International, and NHS. She received the Daughters of the American Revolution Citizenship Award, PTA Student Art Festival Award and won 1st place in the Gold Key in the West Texas Regional Scholastic Art Competition.

She plans are to attend the University of Chicago or Cornell University.

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Treece

Midland West Rotary Club has named **Chad Treece,** son of David and Connie Treece and a student at Midland High School, as Student of the Week.

He is active in baseball, football, Spanish Club, D-FY-IT, and National Honor Society. He has received the academic fitness and Louisiana State Literacy Rally awards.

He plans are to attend Baylor University to become a physician.

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Smith

Midland Downtown Lion's Club has named **Jenette Smith,** daughter of Larry and Janice Smith and a senior at Lee High School, as its Junior Lioness of the week.

She is active in band, Senior Girls, National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society and she has received the Optimist Club award for the marching band.

She plans are to attend Schreiner College to study genetic engineering and to major in premed.

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The University Graduate Women of Midland has selected as outstanding girls for February, **Melissa Lowder** from Midland High school and **Laura E. Lant** from Lee High School.

Lowder

Miss Lowder is the daughter of Mike and Debra Lowder and is active in art, band, golf, Spanish Club, Senior Girls, National Honor Society and D-FY-IT. She has received the Optimist Youth Appreciation award for Spanish, consecutive academic awards from the years 1989-90 to 1992-93 and has also made the Dean's List at Midland College.

She plans to enter The University of Texas next fall as a pre-med student.

Lant

Miss Lant is the daughter of Michael and Mary Lant and is active in the National Honor Society, Student Council, and Senior Girls.

She has received four academic letters and awards and earned the honor of Outstanding History and English Student.

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Cari Claiborne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Claiborne of Midland and **Rebecca Horn,** daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Horn also of Midland, both seniors at Hardin-Simmons University, will have their names included in the 1993 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

Campus nominating committees and editors of the annual directory selected these students based on academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for continued success.

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Roberts

Kirstin Roberts, daughter of Darrell and Teresa Roberts, and a 1992 graduate of Lee High School, was recently named to the Dean's List at Texas A&M University.

She is active in the Baptist Student Union, Campus Crusade for Christ, Inter-Varsity Bible Study, Fish Care Group Organizations at Texas A&M and is studying bio-medical sciences.

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Jordan

Danny Jordan, son of Gary and Karen Jordan, has graduated from Lubbock Christian University earning a BA in commercial art and a minor in kiniesology. He is a member of Phi Delta Theta Fraternity, Fellowship of Christian Athletes and was on the Deans List.

He attended school on a baseball scholarship and received All-Conference honors four years in a row. He had his art work displayed in both the Midland and Lubbock Art Galleries.

He is a 1987 graduate of Lee High School where he was on the varsity baseball team.

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Kuhn

Jennifer Kuhn, daughter of Lorine and Jim Kuhn, a member of Alpha Phi International Fraternity at The University of Texas at Austin, was recently elected Membership Extension Officer by her chapter.

She will hold office for the Spring and Fall semesters of 1993.

She recently attended the Alpha Phi International Leadership Conference in St. Louis, Mo. where ideas were exchanged with sisters in other chapters.

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Thailan Thi Hoang, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. My Van Hoang, has been awarded a $1,000 scholarship by the American Society of Clinical Pathologists (ASCP) for academic achievement as a medical technology student at Midland Memorial School of Medical Technology in Midland.

She was one of 50 scholarship recipients selected from more than 435 applicants throughout the U.S.

Miss Hoang plans to graduate from Midland Memorial School of Medical Technology this spring. She is a member of Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, Phi Beta Delta Honor Society, Golden Key National Honor Society, and Alpha Lambda Freshmen Honor Society.

She is also active in the American Society of Microbiologists, American Pharmaceutical Association, Vietnamese Student Association, Alpha Epsilon Delta Premedical Society, American Society of Medical Technologists, Hong Kong Student Association, and the Biology Club.

Purchasers to meet Tuesday

Staff report

The Permian Basin chapter of the National Association of Purchasing Managers will meet Tuesday at the Petroleum Club beginning at 11:30 a.m.

Guest speaker will be Herschel B. McDonald, who will speak on "Thread Compounds Plus the Environment Equals Change."

He is manager of research and development with Bestolife Corp. in Dallas, a leading manufacturer of thread compounds. He will discuss where where the changes are leading and how it will affect what purchasing managers purchase for their companies in the future.

McDonald earned a bachelor's degree in chemistry from Florida State University.

Cost is $10 per person and reservations can be made by calling 570-7742, 685-7235 or 332-8131.

SCHOOL MENUS

MIDLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Monday — Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, hot cereal or assorted cereals, fruit juice, milk. Lunch: Burrito or BBQ on bun/relish, whole kernel corn, cole slaw, chilled pears, cinnamon roll.

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Wednesday — Breakfast: Breakfast pizza or assorted cereals, toast/jelly, fruit juice, milk. Lunch: Oven baked chicken or braised beef tips, steamed rice/gravy, mixed vegetables, green salad, wheat roll, fruit slush.

Thursday — Breakfast: Pancakes/syrup or assorted cereals, toast/jelly, fruit juice, milk. Lunch: Nacho grande or chef salad/bread stix, refried beans, lettuce-/tomato salad, chilled fruit, peanut butter bar.

Friday — Breakfast: Breakfast taco or assorted cereals, toast/jelly, fruit juice, milk. Lunch: Hot dog/chili-/cheese or fish nuggets w/cornmeal roll, french fries, carrot/celery/brocolli w/dressing, fruit cup.

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Wednesday — Breakfast: Egg patties, biscuit, cereal, toast, juice, milk. Lunch: Corn dogs, french fries, combination salad, lime jello w/fruit topping, milk.

Thursday — Breakfast: Cinnamon rolls, juice, milk. Lunch: Country fried steak, buttered potatoes, brown gravy, green salad, hot rolls, vanilla pudding, milk.

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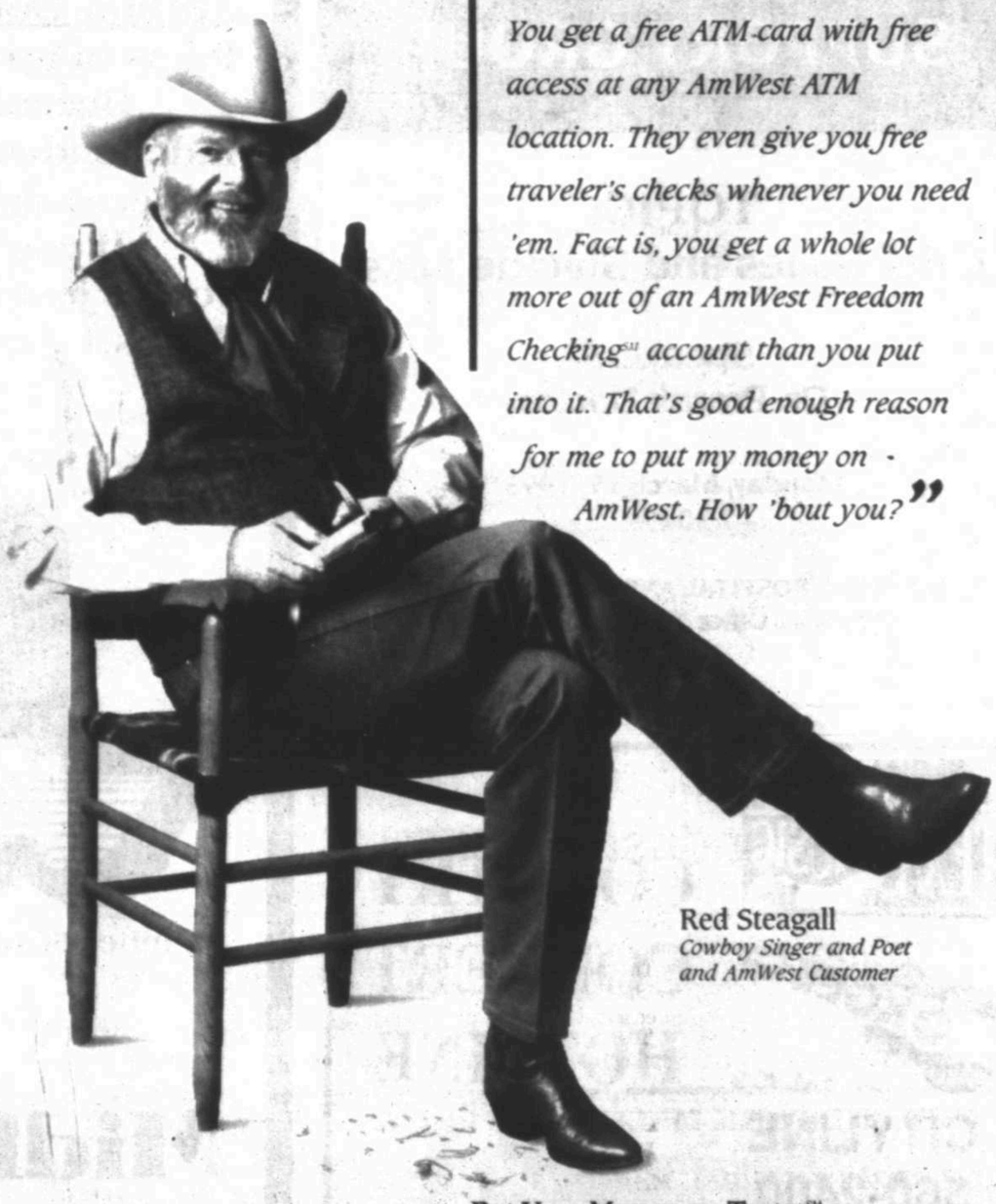

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The Dallas Children's Theater production of "The Reluctant Dragon" comes to Odessa's Globe Theatre for a 7 p.m. Friday performance.

Dallas Children's Theatre production makes area stop

Staff report

ODESSA — A dragon who prefers painting and writing poetry to fighting takes the stage at the Globe Theater, 2308 Shakespeare, Friday during The Dallas Children's Theater production of "The Reluctant Dragon."

Tickets to the 7 p.m. performance are $1 and may be purchased at the door. The performance is sponsored by West Texas Opportunities, Child Care Management Services, KOCV-TV, Public Broadcasting and the Odessa High Child Development Program.

As part of the Child Care Management Services Caregiver Training Plan, a follow-up workshop will be held March 20.

Artists from the Dallas Children's Theater will present "Creative Dramatics in Early Childhood Programs" for care givers and teachers.

There is no charge for the workshop but capacity is limited to 150 and reservations must be made by calling 580-6717. Reservations will be accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis.

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LETTER FROM COLLEGE

Midland College returns to regular schedule after break

By H.A. Tuck

After a week off for Spring Break, normal activity resumes Monday. There will be wonderful tales to be told of perfect snow for skiing in the mountains, perfect waves for surfing in the gulf, or just perfect weather for cleaning flowerbeds and painting houses.

Tuck

Which brings us to a question often asked about when Spring Break is scheduled. For the most part, Midland College stays close to the calendar for the Midland Independent School District. That's because a number of part-time instructors also work for MISD, a number of our students simultaneously attend a Midland high school and MC, and quite a number of MC students are parents of children who attend MISD.

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A new show of drawings by Karen Kitchel opens Saturday at the college's McCormick Gallery. Ms. Kitchel is a former art instructor at Kalamazoo College in Michigan who worked on the West Coast until moving to Montana a couple of years ago. Although she's been represented in major group and solo exhibits, her mural on a Los Angeles freeway must be her most-viewed work. She won the commission over hundreds of artists.

Her work for the MC show is entitled "Studies for a New Iconography; Drawings for Works in Progress". The show remains on display daily through April 14.

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An open show currently at Gallery 1114 (1114 N. Big Spring) in Midland features works by some Midland College faculty, former MC students, and current MC students. It's worth visiting.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Midland College Board of Trustees takes place Tuesday at 4 p.m. in the Board Room, Administration Building. This is the meeting which is most interesting to faculty members since their re-appointments are considered annually at the March meeting.

Not being held this Tuesday is the Small Business Breakfast that usually meets on the third Tuesday. This month only, it's been rescheduled for March 23.

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Chaparral golfers are in Galveston Monday and Tuesday for a tournament sponsored by Navarro Junior College and San Jacinto College. This counts as a Western Junior College Athletic Conference tourney. MC won the first WJCAC event a couple of weeks ago at Roswell. The golfing members of the WJCAC decided to start combining most of their tournaments with larger tournaments in order to cut down on extra travel.

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If you plan on being hungry anytime between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. Saturday, plan to attend the huge Downtown Lions Club's Pancake Festival and Health Fair at Chaparral Center. For $3, you get all the pancakes, sausage, and drinks you can consume. There's always lots of food, continuous entertainment and some valuable free health screening. With lots of free parking and proceeds going to the Lions' many worthy causes, it's a wonderful and traditional event in Midland.

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Session II of College Classics begins tomorrow. Briefly, College Classics are four-week classes designed especially for those at least 50 years of age. Classes are held in the afternoons, usually for an hour or two one day per week. The schedule is designed so it is possible to attend all 11 classes which are being offered this session and all nine in Session III without overlap.

Best of all, the fee is just $25 to attend one or as many as desired of the classes being offered in both Session II and Session III. The low cost is because college faculty and experts in the community volunteer to teach without pay.

Session II offerings are: Annie's Cooking, Early "Clintonomics", Flying Machines, Opera, Piano, Plumbing, Starting Your Own Business, Travel Trends, WordPerfect 5.1-II, World History, and You and Your Money.

Call 685-4518 early Monday to find out which classes still have openings and details about registration.

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Midland College has undertaken an ambitious course on Hydrogeology, Environmental Sciences, and Regulations. The 262-hour program includes experts from industry and universities teaching the class. It runs from April 19-June 19 with class sessions from 5:30-10 p.m. Monday through Friday and 8 a.m.-5 p.m. on Saturdays.

A one-week course for those who compete and wish certification by OSHA and the EPA follows. The registration fee is $1,750 for the nine-week class and $550 for the certification course.

Contact Dick Lodewick, chair of the MC Math and Science Division at 685-4613 for more information or a course brochure.

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Among the many Continuing Education classes starting this week you should be able to find one or several which interest you. Just look at the list, pick those you'd like to attend, then call 685-4518 and find out which still have openings.

You can pick from the following offerings: Computer and You, County and Western Dance II, Dreams and You, Financial Strategies for Retirement, Workbook for Mid-Life Women, Computer Survival Skills for Small Business, Tae Kwon Do for Adults or Youths, Woodcarving II, WordPerfect I or III, Doggy Manners, Financial Planning, Powderpuff Mechanics, Russian II, Silk Flowers II, Midland Birds in Migration, Grant Writing for Non-Profit Organizations, Sign Language II, Stained Glass II, and Real Estate MCE.

Registration for these classes is handled in the Continuing Education Office, Administration Building.

H.A. Tuck is public relations director of Midland College.

EDUCATION IN BRIEF

Rene Nunez, Education Development Liaison at El Paso Community College, has been appointed by Governor Ann Richards to the Southern Regional Education Board (SREB) - the nation's first interstate compact for the advancement of education.

Mr. Nunez has been a member of the State Board of Education since 1988. He is chairman of the Board's Personnel Committee and serves on the Board's committee for the Permanent School Fund.

He serves on the National Association of State Boards of Education's Board of Directors and the National Interstate Migrant Education Council. He is the founder and chairman of H.B. Alliance for Education, a scholarship organization that has awarded over $30,000 to El Paso students.

Mr. Nunez, who earned his bachelor's degree at the University of Texas at El Paso, is a past president of the UTEP Alumni Association. He earned his master's degree at Chapman College in California.

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On Wednesday, March 17, St. Ann's Monthly Hot Dog Day will coincide with the library's book fair.

St. Ann's students and families will be able to purchase books in the library during the lunch period. This is our library's only yearly fund-raiser and we appreciate the support.

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The Ladies Auxiliary for Christian Education (L.A.C.E.) of Midland Christian School will meet for its regular monthly meeting on Monday, March 15, 1993 at 7:30 p.m. in the school library. A presentation on interior decorating will be given by Susan McKinney with McKinney Interior Designs. Plans for the Arts and Crafts Fair to be held April 17th and 18th will also be discussed.

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Odessa and Permian High School members who are part of the Texas Alliance of Minorities in Engineering (TAME) will be teaching beginning computer classes to parents. The class will he held from 7 to 8:30 p.m. March 23 and 25 at the Elementary Magnet School at Zavala, 1201 Clifford. The classes will be taught in both Spanish and English.

These classes are being offered as part of the Ector County Independent School District SPARK (Self Esteem Project for At Risk Students) Program.

UIL honors 2 former Midlanders

Staff report

Musical groups conducted by Karen Walker, who is the orchestra director at Driscoll Middle School in San Antonio and formerly of Midland, took Sweekstakes honors at the recent UIL competition.

Mrs. Walker leads the 7th Grade Concert Ochestra and the 8th Grade Honors Orchestra.

In addition, Mrs. Walker oldest son, Christopher Walker, plays first chair cello with the McArthur High School Orchestra, which took Sweepstakes honors in the UIL competition.

Her youngest son, Derrick Walker, plays first chair viola in the Bradley Middle School Orchestra. It also won Sweepstakes honors.

Mrs. Walker has been a guest conductor for the Texas Music Educators Association Region XX Orchestra Concert, where she conducted the Junior High Symphonic Orchestra at Newman Smith High School Theatre.

She also has been guest clinician and conductor for the Omaha (Neb.) Public School's All-City Music Festival. She conducted the All-City High School Orchestra.

Mall presents annual Spring Home Show

Midland Park Mall will present its annual four-day Spring Home Show Thursday-Sunday. It will be staged throughout the main concourse area of the mall during regular business hours.

It is open to the public at no cost.

The event features information and displays regarding home products, construction and remodeling, landscaping, methods of energy conservation, and the latest cost-effective materials on the market today.

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Notice of Intention to Incorporate Going Business

Notice is hereby given that The NFL Man, transferor, heretofore a proprietorship composed of Michael E. Patton and Holly M. Patton, doing business at Midland, Texas, will be dissolved and that after February 26, 1993, the business will be conducted without change of firm name by The NFL Man, Inc., transferee, a Texas Corporation, at Midland, Texas. This notice is given pursuant to Article 1302-2.02 of the Texas Miscellaneous Corporation Laws Act, Section 6.103(7) of the Texas Business and Commerce Code, and Section 35 of Article 6132b of the Texas Civil Statutes.

CAP ROCK ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

NOTICE OF RATE CHANGE REQUEST

Cap Rock Electric Cooperative, Inc., on the 12th day of April, 1993, and pursuant to Sections 16, 17, 37 and 43 of the Public Regulatory Act (Article 1446(c), V.A.S.C.) and the Public Utility Commission of Texas Substantive Rule 23.23(c) will file a Statement of Intent and Petition for Authority to Change Rates effective June 12, 1993, with the Public Utility Commission of Texas and all cities exercising original jurisdiction over its rates and tariffs.

Prior to filing, copies of the proposed revised tariffs and other pertinent data may be inspected at the office of Cap Rock Electric Cooperative, Inc., P.O. Box 700, Loop 214, Stanton, Texas 79782, Telephone (915) 756-3381. Upon filing, copies of the proposed tariffs and supporting testimony and other pertinent data may be inspected in the office of the Cooperative.

A Member Rate Advisory Committee, made up of customer representatives of different rate categories are participating with the Cap Rock board in making this announcement. Cap Rock Electric has had no rate change since 1991 and the proposed 5% increase will align revenues more closely with rising inflation. Streamlining this rate filing process and addressing all intervening parties through the staff of Cap Rock will save you, the Cap Rock member, approximately $100,000, compared to traditional rate filing procedures.

All of Cap Rock's customers will be affected by the proposed change. The proposed change will increase Cap Rock's test year revenues for that class. The expected dollar increase by class is: General Service, $737,266; Small Commercial, $782,942; Irrigation, $121,947; Industrial Service, $123,266; Large Commercial, $6,735; Cotton Gins, $64,316; and Security Lights, $6,598.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify Cap Rock immediately at the above listed address and telephone number. Inquiries should be directed to Mr. John Parker.

NOTICE

The Housing Authority of the City of Stanton (hereinafter called the Local Authority) will receive multiple sealed bids for the following:

BID NUMBER ONE

Manufacturing and delivery of new heavy duty aluminum window screens for all windows in 78 dwelling units in Project Tex-190-002. Materials shall be delivered to the site within 28 calendar days.

BID NUMBER TWO

Removal of existing window screens and installation of new heavy duty window screens (furnished by Owner) on all windows in 78 dwelling units. All work shall be completed in 28 calendar days.

Seals bids will be received until 12:00 o'clock noon, March 30, 1993 at the office of the Housing Authority at 408 E. Carpenter in the City of Stanton, Texas at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposed forms of contract documents including specifications are on file and available for inspection at the office of the Housing Authority at 408 E. Carpenter, Stanton, Texas.

Attention is called to the provisions for Equal Employment Opportunity as set forth is these documents.

The Local Authority reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities in the bidding. Any bid shall be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days subsequent to the opening of bids without consent of the Local Authority.

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF STANTON
Josephine Jones, Executive Director
Telephone 915-756-2812
EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

BID INVITATION

The Greenwood Independent School District will accept sealed bids for a 1993 seven passenger van until 2:00 March 24, 1993. The bids will be received at the Administration Building 2700 FM 1379, Midland, Texas 79701. All forms and specifications may be obtained at the Administration Building 685-7803. GISD reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

NOTICE OF SALE

STATE OF TEXAS
BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE
MIDLAND COUNTY
DATED MARCH 5, 1993

and issued pursuant to judgment decree(s) of the District Court of Midland County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date, in the hereinafter numbered and styled suites and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on March 5, 1993, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in April, 1993, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the North Door of the Courthouse of said County, in the City of Midland, Texas, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. on said day beginning at 10:00 A.M., proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suits in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the county of Midland and the State of Texas, to wit:

#1-5359
Midland County vs. L.B. Pope, et al
Lot 1, Block 13, South Park Addition, an Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas, according to the re-plat thereof of record in Volume 112, page 9, Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. (Account #80400-013-0010)

#1-6307
Midland County vs. Fermin Romero, et al
Lot 19, Block 2, Progress Park Addition to the City of Midland, being more particularly described in a deed of record in Volume 562, page 670, Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. (Account #71820-002-0190)

#1-6573
Greenwood Independent School District and Midland County vs. Donald W. Darries, et al
1.0 acre, out of East third (E/3) of the West half (W/2) of Section 32, Block 36, T-2-S, T&P RR Co. Survey, Midland County, Texas, being the Southern most 1.0 acre of Lot 1, Block 1, Posy Farms Subdivision, being more particularly described by a deed of record in Volume 757, page 616, Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. (Account #3620-032-0060)

#1-6557
Midland County vs. B&S Development
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, Block "C", Garnett Place, an Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas, according to the map of plat thereof of record in Volume 104, page 203, Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. (Account 37400-003-0010)

#1-6691
Greenwood Independent School District and Midland County vs. Alfred Steven Law, et al.
2.22 acres, more of less, out of the West part of Section 35, Block 38, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey, Midland County, Texas, being more particularly described in a deed of record in Volume 649, page 194, Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. (Account #3810-035-2030)

#1-6674
Greenwood Independent School District and Midland County vs. Tony Navarez, et al
2.12 acres, more or less, out of the Northwest Quarter (NW/4) of Section 34, Block 38, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey, Midland County, Texas, being more particularly described by a deed of record in Volume 869, page 634, Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. (Account #3810-034-5800)

#1-6927
Greenwood Independent School District and Midland County vs. Morris Paul Howard
417 acres, more or less, being known as Lot 4, Block 5, Eastwood Subdivision being out of the Southwest Quarter (SW/4) of Section 38, Block, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey, Midland County, Texas, being more particularly described in a deed of record in Volume 792, page 308, Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. (Account #33000-005-0040)

#1-6974
Midland County vs. Elroy Arrendondo
East 43.28 Feet of Lot 12 and the West 16.72 feet of Lot 13, Block 1, Davis Heights Addition, an Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas. (Account #29200-001-0124)

#1-7068
Midland County vs. Barbara Ann Hester
Lot 12 Block 2, Loma Linda Addition, 1,455 for sale, County Texas, being more particularly described by a deed of record in Volume 507, page 377, Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. (Account #56200-002-0120)

#1-7266
Greenwood Independent School District and Midland County vs. Tim Hardin, et al
2.13 acres, more or less, out of the Northwest part of Section 12, Block 37, T-2-S, Abstract 1308, T&P RR Co. Survey, Midland County, Texas, being more particularly described by a deed of record in Volume 709, page 160, Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. (Account #780-372-5100)

#1-7268
Tract 1
Greenwood Independent School District and Midland County vs. Orr Investment Corporation
TRACT 1: Lot 21, Block 2, Green View Estates, Phase 1, an unrecorded subdivision out of a 30.00 acre tract in Section 48, Block 38, T-1-S, T&P RR Co. Survey, said 30.00 acres, being more particularly described in Volume 743, page 663, Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. (Account #43000-002-0210)

#1-7268
Tract 2
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#1-7345
Midland County vs. Goodfellow Civic Club
Lots 7 and 8, Block 9, Greenwood, Midland County, Texas, being more particularly described by a deed of record in Volume 589, page 685, Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. (Account #42800-009-0070)

#1-7375
Tract 1
Midland County vs. G. Dwayne Cassbeer, Trustee
TRACT 1: The South 50' of the Northwest Quarter (NW/4) of Block 12, Original Town, City of Midland, being more particularly described in a deed of record in Volume 746, page 560, Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. (Account #66800-012-0040)

#1-7375
Tract 2
Midland County vs. G. Dwayne Cassbeer, Trustee
TRACT 2: The North 115.62 feet of Lot 10, Block 1, South 349 Acres Addition, City of Midland, Midland County, Texas being the remainder of Lot 10 described in Volume 751 page 159, Deed Records, SAVE AND EXCEPT the south 200 feet of the East 125 feet of Lot 10, as described in Volume 883, page 341, Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. (Account #80700-001-0100)

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or upon the written request of said defendants of their attorney, a sufficient portion of said property(s) in order to satisfy said judgment(s), interest, penalties, and cost; any property sold shall be subject to the right of redemption of the defendants or any having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date the purchaser's deed is filed for record in the manner provided by law, and shall be subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of Art. 3772 said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment(s) rendered in the above styled and numbered cause(s), together with interest, penalties, and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sales, to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Midland, Texas, March 5, 1993.

Gary Painter
Sheriff, Midland County, Texas
Charlie M. Hodges
Deputy

NOTICE

"Public Auction....1 Cosworth Engine, 1985 for sale, being more particularly described by a deed of record in Volume 507, page 377, Deed Records, Midland County, Texas. (Account #56200-002-0120)

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TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
CONTRACT NO. 0633081008
REMOVAL & REPLACEMENT OF FOUR EXISTING OVERHEAD DOORS AND NEW INSTALLATION OF SEVEN OVERHEAD DOORS

Sealed Proposals for the removal & replacement of four existing overhead doors at the following location:

(2) Odessa District Shop Wash Bay & Grease Bay located at 3901 E. Highway 80 in Odessa, TX.
(2) Iraan Maintenance Service Shop located 1 mile west of Iraan on SH 190.

New installation of Seven overhead doors at the following locations:
(2) Balmorhea Welding Shop located 1 mile north of Balmorhea on FM 2903.
(2) Monahans Welding Shop located 1/2 mile south of IH-20 on SH 18 in Monahans, TX.
(3) Kermit Welding Shop located 1 mile west of Kermit on SH 302.

Bid proposals and specifications will be available at the office of Arnulfo Valdez, 3901 E. Highway 80, Odessa, Texas. Telephone Number 915/332-0501, Ext. 296. Bids on this contract will be received until 10:00 AM, Monday, March 22, 1993 and then publicly opened and read.

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TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
PRE-DECORATED GYPSUM WALLBOARD SYSTEM
FOR THE MODIFICATION OF OFFICE WALLS
CRANE MAINTENANCE OFFICE
CRANE, CRANE COUNTY, TEXAS
CONTRACT N. 0633081007

Sealed Proposals for installation of new vinyl covered gypsum wallboard at the Crane Maintenance Office Building, located 1 mile north of Crane on US 385, will be received by the Texas Department of Transportation until 10:00 AM, Monday, March 22, 1993 and then publicly opened and read.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
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KERMIT MAINTENANCE OFFICE
KERMIT, WINKLER COUNTY, TEXAS
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Sealed Proposals for installation of new vinyl covered gypsum wallboard at the Kermit Maintenance Office Building, located 1 mile west of Kermit on SH 302, will be received by the Texas Department of Transportation until 10:00 AM, Monday, March 22, 1993 and then publicly opened and read.

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Pat Homola
Love: Diane, Valarie, Joe "Tut", Scooter

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The City of Midland finds that the properties located at the following locations & addresses:

2408 E. CALIFORNIA AVE
GREENWOOD
BLK: 042
LOT: 012
M C A D TRUSTEE
P O. BOX 908002
Midland, TX 79708-0002

2414 E. CALIFORNIA AVE
100' x 110' SE/4
Sec. 36
MORRISON, CLIFFORD L
6708 W. County Rd 69
Midland, TX 79707-0727

929 N. DALLAS
EDWARDS
BLK: 002
LOT: 018
GARCIA, FRANK F.
%BEN GARCIA
221 HURON
CLEBURNE, Tx 76031-2134

500 E. GARDEN LN
HOLLOWAY
BLK: 006
LOT: 005
RAMIREZ, J.G.
% RODOLFO RAMERIZ
1300 S. MARSHALL ST
MIDLAND, TX 79701-8223

107 & 109 S. MADISON ST
MOODY
BLK: 031
LOT: 009
MORALES, R.J.
507 S. MADISON ST
MIDLAND, TX 79701-7551

200 N. MADISON ST
MOODY
BLK: 021
LOT: 007
GREEN, MAY LEE
200 N. Madison St
MIDLAND, TX 79701-4943

201 N. MADISON ST
MOODY
BLK: 022
MARTINEZ, RAY M.
3516 THOMAS
MIDLAND, TX 79703-6229

203 N. MADISON ST
MOODY
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LOT: 005
BRUNSON, JAMES W., SR.
RT 1, Box 50
FROST, TX 76641-9713

500 S. MADISON ST
PARK AVENUE HEIGHTS
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LOT: 001
RITTENHOUSE TRUST
P.O. BOX 765
MIDLAND, TX 79702-0765

504 S. MADISON ST
PARK AVENUE HEIGHTS
BLK: 055
LOT: 003
ALDERAN INC.
P.O. BOX 10444
MIDLAND, TX 79702-7444

403 E. MAGNOLIA AVE
LOMA LINDA
BLK: 012
LOT: 012
JETER, JAMES LYNN
1015 EAST SCOTT AVE
PAMPA, TX 79065-8225

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6600 FT. WORTH AVE
ODESSA, TX 79762-2961

in the City of Midland, Texas, have become a public nuisance and health hazard in as much as they have become overgrown with weeds, tall grass and brush, become strewn with litter, or become a collection point for stagnant water. The owner of the above named properties are hereby ordered to abate the nuisance within ten (10) days and notify the City of Midland Property Code Administration of the same. Otherwise, the City of Midland will then enter the property, abate the nuisance thereon, and charge the cost of so doing as a lien against the property. You may appeal the decision of the City of Midland to enter your property and assess a lien against it by contacting the City Manager's office at 300 North Loraine, Midland, Texas 79701, phone number 685-7200 within nine (9) days of this notice.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS:
The Board of Trustees of the Midland Independent School District, Midland, Texas is requesting bids on Hollow Doors. Bid #3-0060. Bids will be received, open and read on March 15, 1993 at 2:00am at the Purchasing Office located at 7201 W. County Road 60, Midland, Texas 79707. Bid specifications and regulations may be secured from the Director of Purchasing 7201 W. County Road 60, Midland, TX 79707. Phone 689-1750.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS:
The Board of Trustees of the Midland Independent School District, Midland, Texas is requesting bids for Re-Roofing of Carver Cultural Center. Bid specifications and regulations may be secured from James W. Riggen, AIA, Director of School Plant Services, 801 S. Moran Building #1, Midland, Texas, phone 689-1503. A Pre Bid Conference is scheduled for 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 9, 1993, at the Carver Cultural Center, 1300 E. Wall Ave. Project Bid Date is 2:00 p.m., March 17, 1993.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The Board of Trustees of the Midland Independent School District, Midland, Texas is requesting bids on Athletic Equipment. Bid #3A-0001. Bids will be received, open and read on March 16, 1993 at 2:00pm at the Athletic Office of Memorial Stadium, Midland, Texas. Bid specifications and regulations may be secured from Director of Athletics, Mr. Jack Taynten, Athletic Office, Memorial Stadium, Midland, Texas 79701. Phone 689-1041.

BID INVITATION

The Greenwood Independent School District will accept sealed bids for labor and materials for installation of carpet until 2:00 April 16, 1993. The bids will be received at the Administration Building 2700 FM 1379, Midland, Texas 79701. Bid forms and specifications may be obtained at the administration building 685-7803. GISD reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

ORDER OF NOTICE
STATE OF CONNECTICUT

Maria del Carmen Green
v.
Kennon Green
Superior Court, Judicial District of New Haven
at New Haven, March 4, 1993

NOTICE TO KENNON GREEN

50 Legal Notices

UPON THE COMPLAINT of the plaintiff in the above entitled action praying for reasons therein set forth, for a dissolution of marriage and other relief on the ground of irretrievable breakdown, returnable before the above named Court to be held at NEW HAVEN on March 30,1993, and upon a motion in said action for an Order of Notice, it appearing to and being satisfied by the subscribing authority that the defendant is absent from this State and

1. Gone to part unknown, and that notice of the institution of this action most likely to come to his attention is that hereinafter ordered, it is

ORDERED, that the notice of the institution of said action be given the defendant by some proper officer or indifferent person causing a true and attested copy of this Order of Notice to be published in the Midland Reporter-Telegram, a newspaper circulated in the area where the defendant is most likely to be, once commencing on or before March 18, 1993, and that return of such service be made to the above-named Court.

Stephen J. Zehalko
Assistant Clerk of the aforesaid Superior Court

NOTICE

"NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF JOSEPH MICHAEL WOLFE, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that the original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Joseph Michael Wolfe, deceased, were issued in Cause No. 10,389 in the County Court of Midland County, Texas, on the 4th day of March, 1993, by Norma M. Wolfe.

The residence and post office address of the Independent Executrix, Norma M. Wolfe, is 3112 Shell, Midland, Texas. All claims should be submitted by certified mail to the post office address of the Executrix.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated the 5th day of March, 1993.

Michael D. Cropper,
Attorney for the Estate"

"STATE OF TEXAS
CASE NO. 21,655

TO: Michelle Denise Demaray, and to all whom it may concern, Respondent.

"A Motion to Transfer Venue to Travis County, Texas has been filed. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a controverting affidavit with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration of 20 days after you were served this notice, the proceeding will be transferred to Travis County, Texas. The date and place of birth of the children who are the subject of the suit:

Jeremiah Karl Demaray, 10-16-83, Midland, Texas
Brinna Colby Demaray, 4-6-85, Midland, Texas
Jessica Mathers Demaray, 5-20-88, Midland, Texas

"The court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the children's interest which will be binding upon you, including the transfer of venue.

"Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Midland, Texas, this the 5th day of March, 1993.

"VIVIAN WOOD
Clerk of the District Court of Midland County, Texas
by Donna Shipman, Deputy."

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The Board of Trustees of the Midland Independent School District, Midland, Texas is requesting bids on Rebinding Library Books. Bid #3-0065. Bids will be received, open and read on March 31, 1993 at 2:30pm at the MISD Purchasing Department, 7201 W. County Road 60, Midland, Texas 79707. Bid specifications and regulations may be secured from Director of Purchasing.

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Mr. Leon Harter, 7201 W. County Road 60, Midland, Texas 79707 Phone 689-1750.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The Board of Trustees of the Midland Independent School District, Midland, Texas is requesting bids on Magazine Subscriptions. Bid #3-0064. Bids will be received, open and read on March 31, 1993 at 2:00pm at the MISD Purchasing Department, 7201 W. County Road 60, Midland, Texas 79707. Bid specifications and regulations may be secured from Director of Purchasing, Mr. Leon Harter, 7201 W. County Road 60, Midland, Texas 79707 Phone 689-1750.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The Board of Trustees of the Midland Independent School District, Midland, Texas is requesting bids on Lockers. Bid #3-0065. Bids will be received, open and read on March 30, 1993 at 2:00pm at the MISD Purchasing Department, 7201 W. County Road 60, Midland, Texas 79707. Bid specifications and regulations may be secured from Director of Purchasing, Mr. Leon Harter, 7201 W. County Road 60, Midland, Texas 79707. Phone 689-1750.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The Board of Trustees of the Midland Independent School District, Midland, Texas is requesting bids on Diskettes, and Printer Ribbons. Bid #3-0062. Bids will be received, open and read on March 29, 1993 at 2:00pm at the MISD Purchasing Department, 7201 W. County Road 60, Midland, Texas 79707. Bid specifications and regulations may be secured from Director of Purchasing, Mr. Leon Harter, 7201 W. County Road 60, Midland, Texas 79707. Phone 689-1750.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public Notice is hereby given that on March 4, 1993, there was filed with the Federal Communications Commission in Washington, D.C., an application on FCC Form 314 for Commission consent to the assignment of licenses of KMID, Midland, Texas (Facility ID 60 land, Texas (Frequency 1510 KHZ) and FM Broadcast Station KHFM, Midland, Texas (Frequency 92.3 MHZ) from Dennis Elam, Chapter 7 Trustee

50 Legal Notices

for Balcar Broadcasting, Inc. and Bobbe Communications, Inc. to Midland Odessa Broadcasting LLC.

The proposed Assignor is Dennis Elam, Chapter 7 Trustee for Balcar Broadcasting, Inc. and Bobbe Communications, Inc.

The proposed Assignee is Midland Odessa Broadcasting LLC. The sole principal of Midland Odessa Broadcasting LLC. is Thomas O. Hicks.

A copy of the Assignment Application, any amendments thereto and related materials are on file for public inspection at 2911 La Force Blvd. at the Midland International Airport during normal business hours.

110 Lodge Notices

Acacia Masonic Lodge #1414
Regular stated meetings second and fourth Tuesdays 7:30 pm. Floor school 7:00 pm each Monday night.
Ron Moore W.M. Al Talbot Sec.

Midland Shrine Club, 2019 Trade Dr. 682-5509.
Reg stated mtng 3rd Thurs. each mo. Hosp.6:30 pm. Catered dinner 7pm. bus. mtng 8pm. All nobles & their ladies invited. Don Kennedy, Pres, Joe Agan Sec.

CENTENNIAL LODGE #1448
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Include plan number, your name, address, city, state & zip code.

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How To Place Your Ad In The Meeting People Feature:

Fill out the attached information form and mail it along with your ad (60 words or less) to: MEETING PEOPLE c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram P.O. Box 1650 Midland, TX 79702

Your ad will appear in 2 Sunday editions. There is absolutely NO CHARGE for running your ad, however, we do reserve the right to edit any copy submitted.

All replies received with proper forwarding fee will be forwarded to you.

How To Reply By Mail

People who place Meeting People Ads may be contacted by mail. Simply do the following:
1) Read the advertisement and mark those to which you wish to reply
2) Write a letter to those and include something about yourself, your interests. REMEMBER to include how the advertiser may get in touch with you. You may answer as many ads as you wish.
3) Put each letter in a separate envelope with the MP# printed in the bottom left hand corner of the envelope. Put a stamp on each envelope and seal it
4) The forwarding fee for each response you mail is five dollars ($5.00). If, for example you have written two letters, you will need to send $10.00, etc. Send a check or money order.
5) Enclose your envelopes and payment in a larger envelope, seal it, and affix stamp.

ADDRESS THE ENVELOPE WHICH CONTAINS YOUR REPLY ENVELOPES LIKE THIS:
MEETING PEOPLE
c/o Midland Reporter-Telegram
P.O. Box 1650
Midland, TX 79702

We will send your letters on to the advertiser for you.
The advertiser can then contact your directly.
We regret we can not forward letters which are not accompanied by the correct remittance.
We will keep all letters sent without the proper forwarding fee for eight days, after which time they will be destroyed.

For further information call 682-6222

Please run my ad in "Meeting People" for 2 Sunday editions at no charge to me. I understand that you have the right to edit the submitted copy and will forward all replies that meet forwarding fee requirements directly to me at the mailing address below. I understand that all information is confidential.

Name:_____
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110 Lodge Notices

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115 Announcements

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THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES AERIE 2982

We wish to thank the entire community for their outstanding support of our circus, this year. Without this support, it would be impossible to bring a show of this magnitude, to Midland. We welcome your comments, and look forward to bringing it back, in 1994.

Thanks again
Edward E. Kelley
President

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THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES AERIE 2982

We wish to thank all the Chili and Barbecue teams who participated in our 18th Annual cookoff this past weekend. With your help and the help of the following sponsors; Snowhite Laundry, Cycle E-xtra's, Clean Air Systems, Clark Wholesale Meats, Kelly Welding Service, Ken Large, Team Midland and Team Midland Too, it was a huge success. We look forward to a bigger and better cookoff, next year.

Thanks again
Edward E. Kelley
President

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING CALL 682-6222

Weekdays 8 am to 5 pm. (except Wednesday)

Deadline for word ads to run Wednesday is 3 pm Tuesday

Corrections and cancellations may be made on Saturday mornings between 8 am and 10 am.

Please check your ad the first day it runs. The Reporter-Telegram is responsible only for the first day for errors that nulify the value of an ad

WORD & SPACE DEADLINES

5 pm Friday for Sunday
5 pm Friday for Monday
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DISPLAY DEADLINES

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470 Musical Instruments
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495 For Free
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720 Homes for Sale
730 Suburban Property
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760 Farms and Ranches
770 Resort Property
780 Business Property
790 Investment Property

120 Public Notices

BAD CREDIT - NO CREDIT Build new credit. Secured Visa in 9 days. NO processing fee. Credit Auditors of Midland, 699-1234. 3411 Andrews Highway.

COMPANION CARE of the Permian Basin will cease all operations in this area. Effective 3/14/93. For questions please phone 1-800-658-6061.

130 Personals

FOR truly personal service on your Toyota vehicle - Permian Toyota 3110 W. Wall, 694-3691

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ADOPTION: Please let us help each other. We long to be Mom & Dad and provide love & laughter for your baby. Imagine large extended family, cousins, picnics, barbecues and a neighborhood filled with future best pals. Expenses paid. Call Bonnie & John 1-800-453-2796.

I VOLUNTEERED, I DIDN'T hollar heck no I wouldn't go. Texie Myrick, USMC 560168, USAF 18446692.

150 Lost & Found

LOST: Chihuahua, male, brown and tan, flea collar. Please call if seen or found!!!!!!. 694-1115.

REWARD - LOST six month old white Toy Poodle, wearing black collar. Lost in 4300 block of Dengar. 697-8114.

$200 REWARD - Lost small reddish brown and white female Sheltie. Lost March 2, 1993 near Quannah Parker. 694-5031.

FOUND:
GOLDEN RETRIEVER: male
LAB: Black, male wearing orange plastic collar
DOBERMAN: Old, black and tan, wearing red nylon collar
GERMAN SHEPHERD: Black, male, wearing red nylon collar
Please call 685-7420
Midland Animal Control

FOUND: Cocker Cross Scottie type, neutered male, 4 to 5 years old, black, found 3 weeks ago in the 3500 Block of Neely. Call SPCA 684-7582.

Lost between Midland Dr. and Andrews Hwy. White, soft leather purse with brown / grey patchwork. Black wallet. 694-2619

Lost an Alaskan Malamute, in the vicinity of 3812 SCR 1192, Saturday. Answers to the name of Broncho. Please call 684-7507 or 520-7327.

LOST black with white front paws with blue spots on the white. Half Border Collie/ half Australian Shepherd, 3 months old, has collar, no tags, answers to the name Susie. Lost in the vicinity of S. County Road 1185. Call 570-5612.

FOUND on Caldera female Doberman has stitches on stomach. Call Animal Control. 685-7420.

FOUND on Caldera male Schnauzer wearing orange nylon collar. Call Animal Control 685-7420.

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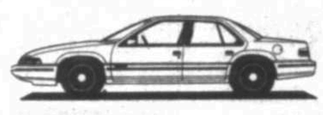

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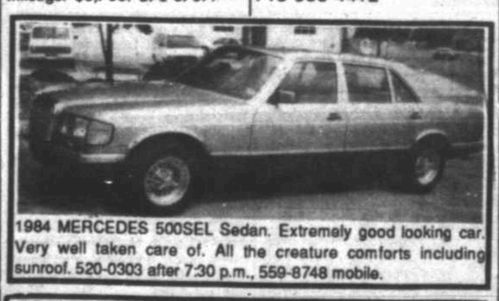

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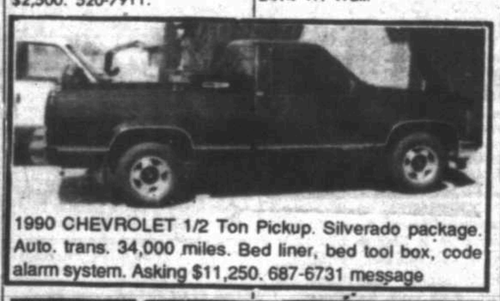

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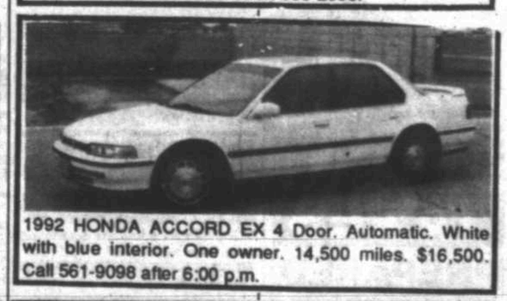

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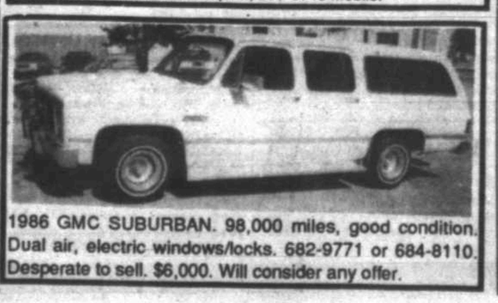

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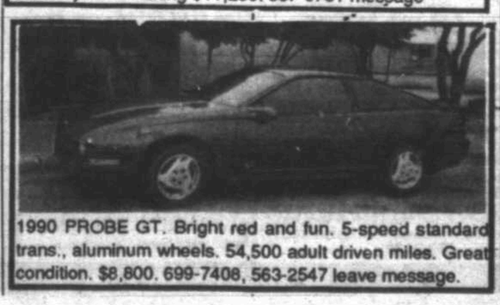

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The following ads have been placed by females looking to meet males.

Divorced, Hispanic Female, 5'4", 29 years old. Enjoys sports, dancing, movies, and lots of love and affection. Looking for sincere employed male 29-37 years old. Non-smoker, social drinker, and who believes in the basics of love! Must be humorous and an honest personality! Don't mind boot and jeans Guy. All replies welcome. MP-854

I'm 35, white, attractive, and mother of 2. Seeking tall, attractive, professional, non-smoking businessman 35-50. Secure, believes in honesty, sense of humor, loves people, life, animals (esp. horses), C & W music, outdoors, and sports. I'm a lady who enjoys life, cooking, dining out, pampering my man, and being pampered also. Let's get together! Send photo with reply. MP-856

20 year old single, Christian woman seeks a 20-30 year old single man for a possible romantic relationship. I am 5'9", 130 lbs., light brown hair, and brown eyes. Prefer a guy like me; sincere, honest, trustworthy, no children, drug-free, not a heavy drinker. If you're who I am looking for, send me a picture and your phone number. All replies answered. MP-858

DIVORCED CAUCASIAN female 45 years old, tall, slender, secure financially, would like to meet tall, slender, Caucasian male, 45 - 52, financially stable, no drugs, smokers, or drinkers; who enjoys family, good music, travel, water sports, quiet evenings at home, dining out, good conversation, and long walks; interested in serious relationship, maybe marriage. Please send photo and phone number. All replies answered. MP-860

33 YEARS old, single caucasian female, brown hair and eyes, 5'4", 106 lbs. Enjoys watching movies, having quiet evenings together, spending time in the outdoors together, and many other simple pleasures we could enjoy. I am sincere. Looking for companionship or romance with a nice man! Will answer all replies! MP-862

SINGLE BLACK female, 5'8", 175 lbs. Attractive, fun-loving, sincere, looking for an honest man. Age, size, color unimportant. Must be mature. Single fathers, smokers, light drinkers O.K. Sports fans O.K. Druggies - no good. Last chance at one of the best! Send phone and photo. Let's talk. MP-865

MALE PERSONAL ADS

The following ads have been placed by males looking to meet females.

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Divorced, Caucasian, male, 5'11", 210 lbs. Non-smoker, age 45. Looking for a Hispanic or Caucasian Catholic woman who desires a long lasting relationship with a Catholic man. She should be between 30 to 40. All replies will be answered. Prefer a non-smoker. Must be serious about their Catholic faith. MP-855

Single white male, 31 years old, college educated w/degree in engineering, father, and single parent of 10 year old daughter. Seeks gorgeous female w/fit body for possible lasting relationship! Must have sense of humor. Looking for fun-loving female between 21-37. Please send photo. MP-857

Single Caucasian Male, 30's, 5'9", 160 lbs. Blue eyes, longish blond hair, but neat. I'm not a party animal and enjoy a variety of activities. I'm honest, sincere, and stable. Alcohol/ drug/ disease free. Would like to meet a slender, attractive, marriage-minded lady, under 32 years of age, with good moral values. Please include photo and be sincere. MP-859

EDUCATED, FINANCIALLY O.K. Caucasian male, 5'9", 180 lbs., brown eyes and hair, (some). 60 something, employed, articulate city boy. I like reading, waltzing, talking, travel, beaches, dining-out, T.V., entertaining, and most things in moderation. I drink sparingly, smoke politely. Would like trim, attractive, tolerant, educated, easy-going, bright lady. Early 50's or less. Lets discuss it over a cup of coffee. MP-861

SINGLE CAUCASIAN male, 39, 6 ft., 180 lbs. Blue eyes, blonde hair. Just moved here from Denver. Seen alot of pretty Texas cowgirls, haven't met any yet. Can't wait for an introduction. Springtime is right around the corner and so am I. Send photo and phone number with anxious reply to Nick Nolte look-alike. MP-863

SINGLE CAUCASIAN, 37 years old, self-employed, looking to find that true love of my life. She needs to have a good sense of humor, and love to travel. Adventurous and willing to explore new things are a plus. Must like the outdoors and be willing to get up and go at the drop of a hat. Send photo and number. MP-864

I AM A green-eyed, 21 year old writer and artist. 6 foot 4 inches tall and 170 pounds. I do not smoke or drink, and consider myself kind and respectful. Some of my interests include: reading science fiction, computer games, star gazing, hiking and adventuring. I am looking for an intelligent lady who shares similar interests to form a romantic friendship with. So if you like what you've read so far, write me a letter and I'll give you a call. MP-866

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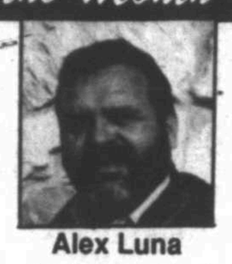

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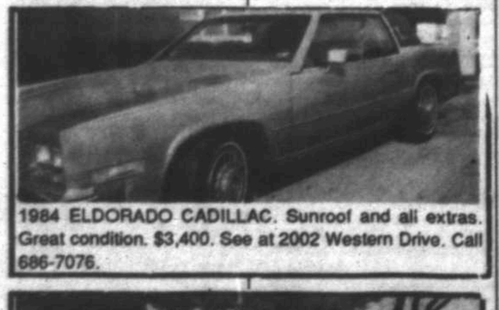

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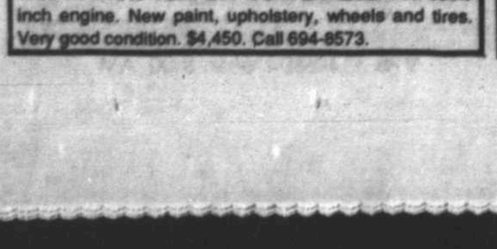

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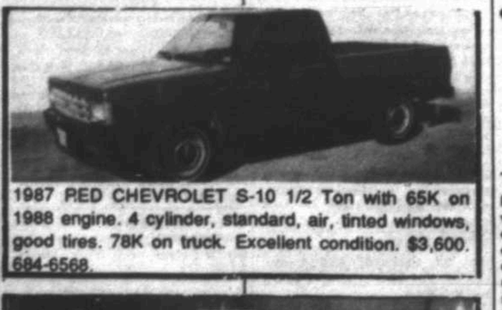
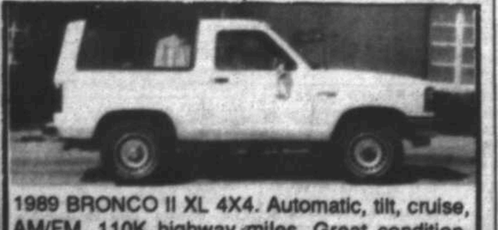
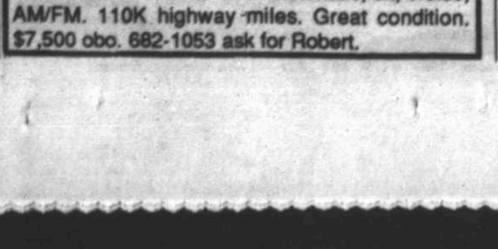


1990 RED DIAHATSU ROCKY 4X4 with hard top. 50,000 miles. Transferrable extended warranty. $8,000. Day 694-8873, night 520-5630.



1985 CHEVY SUBURBAN. 70,000 miles. Clean. $5,995. After 5:00 call 694-5150.



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311 Medical Help Wanted

PEDIATRIC DENTIST is now taking applications for appointment coordinator, must have good telephone skills and experience in dental terminology. Excellent benefits. Send resume to 4519 N. Garfield, Suite 16, Midland, Texas 79705.

STAFF DEVELOPMENT/ EDUCATION COORDINATOR
Major responsibilities include ability to present inservices, staff orientation, ability to provide accountability for state and federal regulations, and quality assurance. Requirements include license nurse, people and organizational skills. Please contact Parks Good Samaritan Village 7801 San Macell Dr., Odessa, Tx. 563-5707.

CUSTOMER SERVICE
orientated people person for progressive dental office. Chair side assistant and front desk opening. Experience preferred.
Send replies to BOX C-03 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

PARADMEDIC AND EMT positions available. Part-time and PRN. WestStarr Ambulance 580-8100.

Kimberly Quality Care has openings for livein companions to provide nursing care. Must be able to pass skill test, drug screen, and criminal background checks. Please call 520-5273 to schedule an appointment for an interview.

Now taking applications for LVNs and State Certified Nursing Assistants. Only those with good work history need apply. Please contact David Fisher, DON or Theresa Ward, ADM. Stanton Care Center, Stanton, Texas. 1-756-2841.

R.N. - Excellent management opportunity in the expanding long term care field for energetic self motivator who likes to teach and implement new and innovative nursing approaches. Outstanding salary and benefits package including sign on bonus. Send resume to BOX F-10 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

REGISTERED NURSE

RN needed in our Outpatient Clinic in Odessa, Texas to assist in the delivery of medication services to clients. Will coordinate medial and non-medical aspects of a client's treatment. Will interview clients, provide counseling, give injections, screen psychiatrists calls, dispense medications, maintain drug inventory and provide security and procedures of medication room. Client documentation, prepare client charts, provide medication education, crisis intervention and some on-call duties. Must be licenses RN in the state of Texas. A minimum of one year psychiatric nursing experience is preferred. $2,207.83 per month with excellent benefits.

Applications available at PERMIAN BASIN COMMUNITY CENTERS, 401 E. Illinois, Suite 301, Midland, Texas. Resumes without completed applications will not be accepted.

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To visit Medicare/ Medicaid eligible clients in their home. Licensed personal need one year Med/ Surg. experience. Home health experience preferred but not required. Paid on per visit basis. Flexible hours and paid mileage.

Contact:
Kathy Bailey, RN
(915) 683-2273 Ext. 495

CASE MANAGEMENT SUPERVISOR

Requires a Bachelors Degree in social, behavioral, psychological or human services field with a minimum of 4 years experience in the mental health field, one year of which must be in a supervisory capacity, and at least one year working as a case manager. Will provide supervision and monitoring of Case Management Services, develop program goals, objectives, evaluations, etc. regarding individuals served. May participate in scheduled rotation of night, weekend, and holiday coverage. $2,210 per month.

CLINICAL SPECIALIST

Requires Master's Degree in Psychology, Education, or Social Work and a minimum of one year experience working with mentally retarded population. Will work with customers in resolving behaviors. Intervene with referred customers and demonstrate and model for staff positive methods of verbal and physical intervention, consultation to staff, customers, and families. $2,333.00 per month will excellent benefits.

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310 General Help Wanted

TEXAS COMMERCE BANK
Midland

is seeking qualified individuals with cash handling and customer contact experience for the following part-time teller position:
Paying and Receiving Teller - 28 hours per week, flexible hours including Saturdays. Applicant must work well under pressure.

Please apply in person:
Monday through Friday 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.
Texas Commerce Bank - Midland, N.A.
400 W. Illinois
Midland, Texas

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311 Medical Help Wanted

LICENSED DENTAL HYGIENIST needed for full time position. Provide resume to Dr. Tannich- 1804 W. Wall.

PART TIME LVN, 8 to 10 hours/ week. Flexible. Evenings or weekends. Apply 2806 Arrowhead Trail by 5 pm- March 18, 1993.

RN POSITIONS available for flight program. Prefer emergency/ critical care experience, flexible scheduling. WESTSTARR ambulance, (915) 580-8100.

CERTIFIED DIETARY MANAGER, excellent skills in management and clinical nutrition, wishes to relocate in this area. Small hospital or nursing home. Call 915-336-7039.

PERMIAN GENERAL HOSPITAL is accepting applications for an Operating Room/ Recovery room registered nurse. Experience in ACLS certification preferred. Applications should be directed to Sandy Butler. Personnel Department. Permian General Hospital, P.O. Box 2108, Andrews, Tx, 79714. Applications will be held in strictest confidence. EOE.

PART TIME RN/ LVN

In home patient education for medical equipment company. Flexible hours. Great opportunity for go getter.
1-800-468-TENS (8367)
Ext. 110.

Part-time Registered Nurse/ L.V.N. to work in Family Planning/ Prenatal Clinic. Must be certified in the State of Texas. One year experience in obstetric care preferred. Inquire at Texas Tech University Regional Academic Health Center, Maternal/ Infant Health Services, 80 W. Fourth, Odessa, TX 79763 or call 335-5132.

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT or Nurse Practitioner looking for challenge to work beside a busy family practitioner in Andrews Texas. Please call (915) 523-6624 or (915) 523-2200 extension 103 for additional information.

RN AND LVN
RN relief and 2pm - 10pm LVN openings at Terrace West Nursing. Comparable wages and benefits. Apply at 2800 N. Midland Drive.

Part-time Advanced Women's Health Care Nurse Practitioner, AWHONN certified to work in a Family Planning/ Prenatal Clinic. Inquire at Texas Tech University Regional Academic Health Center, Maternal/ Infant Health Services, 800 W. Fourth, Odessa, TX 79763 or call 335-5132.

312 Professional Help Wanted

KOSA TV Odessa, Texas seeks a leader to take our News Department to the top. This is a hands on job. Applicants should have a minimum of 5 years television news experience and a journalism degree. Assignments in anchoring skills important. Send resume to Sheryl Jonsson, GM, KOSA TV, P.O. Box #186, Odessa, Texas 79760 EOE.

PETROLEUM ENGINEER

Aggressive Midland Independent is seeking a Petroleum Engineer with 5-10 years experience. Primary duties will include prospect analysis, property acquisition evaluation, and other mineral property evaluations. Computer and PC skills such as spreadsheet presentation, mainframe access, and working knowledge of commercial economic evaluation software (Impress/ Prophet) are required. Experience in production operations and well completions also desired. Successful candidate will have an opportunity for involvement in evaluation of technological advances such as horizontal drilling and 3-D seismic projects. Position will be considered on a contract or permanent employment basis. Salary dependent upon experience and qualifications.
NON- SMOKER

Submit resume to:
Send replies to BOX C-04 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The Housing Authority of the City of Odessa, Texas is seeking an Executive Director. Under the policy direction of a five member board of commissioner, the Executive Director plans, develops, organizes, coordinates, directs and implements all the programs of the Public Housing Authority which consists of 216 Section 8 New Construction Multi-Family, 108 Section 8 New Construction Elderly, 73-Public Housing, and 871 Section 8 Certificates and Voucher Units.

The authority is seeking candidates who have at least 5 years of progressively responsible experience in Federal programs and administration and a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration, Public Administration, management or a related field, or any combination of equivalent education and experience.

The salary range is $42,000 - $50,000 per year. Applications/ resumes will be accepted until April 15, 1993, and should be sent to:
Odessa Housing Authority
Executive Director Search Committee
P.O. Box 154
Odessa, Texas, 79760

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- Professional attitude/ Appearance
- Demanding position/ self-starter
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- Benefits/ Rewarding position
- Salary to $21,500

V.I.P. Permanent Division
(915) 686-9717

MIDLAND RESTITUTION CENTER, semi- secure facility, needs a bilingual GED instructor. Must have Texas teaching certificate, must pass an extensive background investigation, a criminal history check, and oral interview process. Call Patty Slaton at 688-1280 between 8 am and 5 pm Monday thru Friday for an appointment.

The City of Big Spring is now accepting applications for the position of Staff Accountant. Will assist in the planning, organizing and administration of the financial activities, of the City. Qualified applicants must have a degree in Business Administration in Accounting. Must have progressively responsible experience in governmental accounting or closely related field. To apply and to obtain further details contact City Hall Personnel at 4th and Nolan, Big Spring, Texas, or call 263-8311. Excellent benefits are provided. Applications must be received by 5:00 pm Friday, March 26, 1993. The City is an equal opportunity employer.

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DETENTION WORKER
Midland County Juvenile Probation has 2 positions open in the Detention Center. All applicants must be at least 21 years of age and have graduated from high school. College hours and/ or experience in Social Work helpful. Degreed persons will be considered. Interested applicants willing and able to work in various shifts can apply at 3800 N. Lamesa Road by March 16th. No phone calls please. Non-smoker.

BAND OPERATIONS position available. Must have a minimum of 3 years experience. Must have a strong working knowledge of general ledger accounting, payroll, and accounts payable. Please send resume and salary requirement to BOX F-14 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

CHIEF TREATMENT PLANT OPERATOR/WW
Graduated from an accredited college or university with a 4 year degree, major in engineering, science, management or related field; or an equivalent combination of training and experience. Must have 8 years experience in wastewater, plus 3 years experience in a supervisory role. Must possess a valid Class A Wastewater Certificate or be able to obtain within one year after employment. Salary: $2,187 - $2,734/ Monthly. (DOQ) AA/EOE.
CITY OF TYLER
PERSONNEL DEPT.
212 N. BONNER
P.O. Box 2039
TYLER, TX 75710
(903) 531-1125

CHIEF TREATMENT PLANT OPERATOR/W
Graduated from an accredited college or university with a 4 year degree, major in engineering, science, management or related field; or an equivalent combination of training and experience. Must have 8 years experience in surface water treatment, plus 3 years experience in a supervisory role. Must possess a valid Class A Water Operators Certificate or be able to obtain within one year after employment. Salary: $2,734/Monthly. (DOQ) AA/EOE.
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PERSONNEL DEPT.
212 N. BONNER
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TYLER, TX 75710
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- Staff Development

We have a variety of schedule options from full time to per visit. This is a monetary incentive plan for per visit employees. Excellent benefits package including medical/dental insurance, TDA, sick/vacation leave and more for salaried employees.

To inquire about these positions call 1-800-952-8511 or forward resume to VNS, 3301 Sinclair, Midland, Tx. 79707.

Visiting Nurse Service of the Permian Basin

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312 Professional Help Wanted

WEST TEXAS OPPORTUNITIES, INC. is taking applications for a Child Protective Specialist I. Must have a Bachelor's Degree and be available for 24 hours a day, 7 days a week for crisis intervention. Anyone interested may pick up an application at 2301 West Wall, suite 200, Midland, Texas 79701. WTO, I is An Equal Opportunity Employer.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
Physicians and Surgeons Hospital provides opportunities for professional growth in a progressive acute facility featuring state-of-the-art equipment.

** Admitting Nurse, must be LVN full time Monday thru Friday, 8 to 5, responsibilities include taking physician order for in patients and 23 hour patients. Making room assignments, verifying & pre-certifying insurance.

We offer competitive salaries, medical/dental insurance, tuition reimbursement, 24 days paid time off per year, shift/speciality/weekend differential, 20% PRN-RN differential, credit union membership, 401K. Special medical benefits (no out of pocket expense) for medical procedures done at this facility. Inquire for details. Interested persons should contact.

P.O. Box 51070
Midland, TX 79710
Attn: Patsy Bright
(915) 686-3837
EOE

Physicians & Surgeons Hospital

LAN SUPPORT SPECIALIST
The Texas Employment Commission has an opening at the State Office in Austin, TX for an experienced LAN support specialist. Monthly salary is $2816 to $3212, depending on experience, with state benefits. Applicants must meet standard minimum qualifications. Preferred experience includes token ring networks, IBM LAN Server, and OS/2.
Interested applicants may apply at any TEC local office through 03/19/93.
Refer to Systems Programmer I/II job order #6855233.
EOE.

The City Of Midland has an opening for:
Customer Service Supervisor

Requires 5 years in managing the utilities billing and collection in a City, including Water, Sewer, and Sanitation. Will manage employees including meter shop, meter readers, cashiers, mail room and Customer service clerks. Candidate must posses strong customer service skills. Salary $2,824.00 per month. EOE.

Drug screening through urinalysis is mandatory for employment with the City of Midland. A negative result is a prerequisite for being considered for employment.

The successful completion of a physical capacity screening will be required to determine that the applicant is able to perform the essential functions of this job with or without reasonable accomodation..

Interested applicant may contact the City of Midland, Administrative Services, P.O. Box 1152, Midland, Texas 79702.

City Of Midland has an opening for:
CIVIL ENGINEER II

Will perform general and advanced municipal civil engineering work. Applicant must have experience in water, waste water, streets and drainage design work. Strong background in design and analysis of water and waste water systems most desirable. Must be able to supervise designers and drafting personnel in the preparation of plans and specifications. Applicant should have good computer skills and be able to use the computer as an effective tool for engineering design and drafting. Background in use of K Pipes, Cybernet, AutoCad and Softdesk software a definite plus. Must have civil engineering degree from accredited college or university and must be licensed as a professional engineer in the State of Texas or be able to be licensed in Texas within 5 months from date of hire. Salary Range: $2,569.00 to $3,424.00 per month. EOE.

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MIDLAND COLLEGE
PART - TIME
Aviation Maintenance Technology Instructor

Teaching assignments will be in the areas of aircraft hydraulic systems and reciprocating/ turbine aircraft powerplant operation and troubleshooting. Required qualifications: Associate degree or equivalent experience in a related technical field, airframe and powerplant mechanic license, five years experience as an airframe and powerplant mechanic, including work on complex aircraft and systems. Send letter of application, resume, three (3) letters of reference, and official college transcripts to:

Personnel Department
Midland College
3600 N. Garfield
Midland, Texas 79705
685-4532

EOE/ AA

CORPORATE RISK MANAGER
Town & Country Food Stores Inc., a San Angelo, Texas based Convenience Store/ Supermarket chain, is seeking an insurance professional to manage all aspects of self-insured and third party insurance plans. Responsibilities will include direct management of all insurance, claims administration, safety programs/ accident prevention, and program development. Moderate travel required. Qualified applicants should have a minimum of five years in related insurance fields and/ or direct Risk Management experience. Salary commensurate with qualifications. Continuing education and certifications are a plus.
Apply in writing to:

PRESIDENT
Town & Country Food Stores, Inc.
P.O. Box 5581
San Angelo, TX 76902

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The Visiting Nurse Service can fit your employment needs. We have positions available in our Private Care Department.

LVN's for staff relief and PVT duty

To inquire about positions call 563-2733.

Visiting Nurse Service of the Permian Basin

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312 Professional Help Wanted

DRIVERS ED classroom instructor needed. Must have endorsement on Texas Teaching Certificate. Call 694-9310, Monday - Friday, 8 AM - 12 Noon.

REGIONAL DIRECTOR
Major voluntary health agency needs field representative to service an 18 - county area with regional office in Midland. Responsibilities include community organization, fund raising, programs and public relations. Excellent planning and interpersonal skills. Local travel. Willingness to work long hours. College degree. Experience preferred. Non-smoking environment. Salary high $20's, plus benefits and company car. Send resume to: Senior Regional Director, 3403 73rd, Lubbock Texas 79423
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TEXAS WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION
SAFETY SERVICES INSPECTOR I (93-273)
MIDLAND ODESSA FIELD OFFICE
Performs technical consultive services to Tx. employers. Identifies safety hazards and recommends corrections. Assists in developing safety / health programs. Prepares written technical reports. Provides safety / health training. BA/BS degree in Science, Engineering or related field (experience may be substituted for degree.) Prefer PE, CSP, CIH, or OHST. Should have 3 year safety / health hazard identification experience. Extensive knowledge of OSHA gen. / const. standards, experience using testing equipment. Ability to address / make speeches to large audiences. $2389./mo. Application or resume must be received by March 22, 1993 and include job title and posting number.

Send to: Personnel Management, TWCC
Southfield Building
4000 S. IH-35
Austin, Texas 78704-7491
EOE

The City of Hereford has a job opening for one (1) certified D.A.R.E. instructor / police officer. Starting salary $1,903.00 / month. Send resume to Captain Pat Michael, HPD, P.O. Box 2277, Hereford, TX 79045. Applications will be accepted through Saturday, March 27th, 1993.

All applicants must report to the Hereford Police Department, 212 N. Lee, Hereford, Texas, on Saturday, March 27, 9:00 A.M., for a physical agility test. Loose clothing and comfortable footwear is recommended.

WEST TEXAS OPPORTUNITIES INC.
Child care management services is now accepting applications for one vendor management specialist (child development or special education degreed preferred, plus experience with special needs children). - Bookkeeper one to 3 years experience preferred. Applications will be accepted until 3/19/93 may call 915-366-3788 or pickup an application at 2525 N. Grandview, Suite 600, Odessa, Texas 79761, W.T.O., I. is an equal opportunity employer.

314 Skilled Trade Help Wanted

ENTRY LEVEL Service/ Sales. Banking equipment. Must be mechanically inclined. Dependable automobile. Low base plus commission plus miles.
1-800-221-9179, ask for Danny.

NEED RELIABLE Air Conditioning/ heating mechanic with at least 3 years working experience. Must be knowledgeable in large commercial units. Detailed application and reference required. Call 915-689-2151 for appointment.

Beautiful West Texas.
The Rehabilitation Hospital of Midland-Odessa shines bright with the spirit of friendship and hospitality. Opportunities currently exist for the following caring professionals:

DIRECTOR OF OUTPATIENT SERVICES
To qualify, you must possess strong management and customer service skills coupled with excellent interpersonal and communications abilities. Previous management, speech, occupational and physical therapy experience preferred.

DIRECTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY
We're looking for an individual to manage the PT Department and all staff members to ensure quality patient care. Qualifications include a Bachelor's degree coupled with staff PT and supervisory experience. The individual we seek is licensed and registered in the state of Texas and has completed an accredited PT program.

COTA
The selected individual will instruct patients in routine motor activities and daily living by identifying appropriate treatment goals. To qualify, you must possess an Associate's degree as well as OTA certification.

CLINICAL DIETITIAN
Responsibilities include monitoring nutritional care, managing physician ordered therapeutic diets and providing nutritional education to patients in addition to directing, supervising and coordinating diet office activities. Must be ADA registered and have completed an ADA approved dietetics internship. Previous experience in dietetics and knowledge of foods/nutrition, preparation and production required. A supervisory background and a Bachelor's degree are preferred.

NURSE LIAISON
The selected individual will develop and maintain avenues of communication between the hospital, families, community support groups, physicians, allied health professionals and the insurance industry. Duties also include performing pre-admission assessments of all patients, handling crisis situations and providing some emergency care. Successful candidates will be registered in the state of Texas, possess 2 years of nursing experience in a rehabilitation or acute care facility, have the ability to conduct thorough clinical assessments, and be familiar with hospital admission/UR procedures. A Bachelor's degree and 2 years of rehabilitation and marketing experience preferred. Some travel required.

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Sign-On Bonus!
The selected individuals will enjoy a Monday-Friday work schedule. The individuals we seek require a Texas license and at least 2 years of experience.

Join our new facility and make a difference in peoples lives. We offer a competitive salary and comprehensive benefits package. For confidential consideration, forward your resume to: The Rehabilitation Hospital of Midland-Odessa, Attn: Human Resources Dept. MR/ 314, 1800 Heritage Blvd., Midland, Texas 79707. Equal Opportunity Employer, M/F/D/V.

The Rehabilitation Hospital of Midland-Odessa
NME Rehabilitation Hospital Division

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RN's & LVN's

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REQUIREMENT:
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316 Clerical Help Wanted

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PRODUCTION CLERK
Immediate opening for mature production clerk. Must be experienced in Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas forms. Please bring resume to Vickey.
TEMPORARY RESOURCES
1601 W. TEXAS
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314 Skilled Trade Help Wanted

ALPINE Air Conditioning Co. is now taking applications for an H.V.A.C.R. technician. With at least five years experience in commercial/ residential service. If you think you've got what it takes to be part of the Alpine team, please call 697-5210. All inquires are confidential, some of the benefits include an employee pension plan, stock ownership in an Employee Owned company, wages and vacation time that's above average for our area.
Will expect a good attitude and good effort, both will be recognized. This position will be filled before 4/ 1/ 93.

316 Clerical Help Wanted

Clerical Position open, knowledge of Medicare billing preferred. Full time position. Send replies to BOX C-06 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

RECEPTIONIST/ SECRETARY
position, good communication skills, accurate typing, computer knowledge. Must be detailed oriented. Non-smoker. Professional appearance a must. Excellent company benefits. Apply in person at Resthaven Memorial Park, 4616 N. Big Spring.

FULL TIME POSITION available in buy Pediatric Dental office. Need someone with working knowledge in accounts receivable, accounts payable, payroll and quarterly tax reports. Computer experience essential. Excellent working environment and benefits. Please bring resume by 100 N. 'N' Street.

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** RN's Full-time and Part-time and PRN, all shifts.
** LVN's Full-time and Part-time and PRN, all shifts.
** Operating RN, full-time position with full-time benefits & sign-on bonus. Hours are Monday thru Friday 6:45 a.m. til 3:15 p.m. and scheduled call to cover after hours, weekends & holidays.
** Certified Phlebotomist, part-time Monday thru Friday, 2 p.m. - 6 p.m.
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P.O. Box 51070
Midland, TX 79710
Attn: Patsy Bright
(915) 686-3837
EOE

Physicians & Surgeons Hospital

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STAFF ENGINEER
B.S. in Petroleum, Chemical or Mechanical ENGINEERING. 4-7 years varied industry experience in reservoir engineering; production and/or drilling. Exposure to working in team environment and reservoir simulation techniques preferred.
Duties include: evaluating & analyzing reservoir data; evaluating log, core and pressure data; and assisting with reservoir simulation studies.
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P.O. Box 1650
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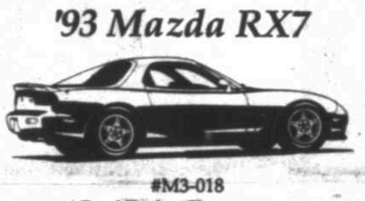

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LOTS OF CLOTHING, including large and extra large womens. John Deere riding mower, 12.5HP with rear catcher, push mowers, edger, Megaflex workout machine, wedding dress and many miscellaneous items. 8 - 7 TODAY! 1619 E. Maple.

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2 FAMILY SALE. Northgate. Sofa and love seat, dresser, dishwasher, kitchen items, clothes galore, and miscellaneous items. Friday thru Saturday 8 - 3. Sunday 8 - 1. 4906 Canadian.

4105 WESTMINISTER- Saturday, Sunday 8-. Multi-family, vacuum cleaner, Wonder horse, lawn fertlizer, Magnavox console T.V with remote, toys, clothes, books, miscellaneous.

AREA SALES

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SECOND ANNUAL SPRING ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW
March 27th & 28th
Ward County Coliseum
For BOOTH INFORMATION
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SEE MORE OF SUNDAY'S CLASSIFIED IN SECTION D

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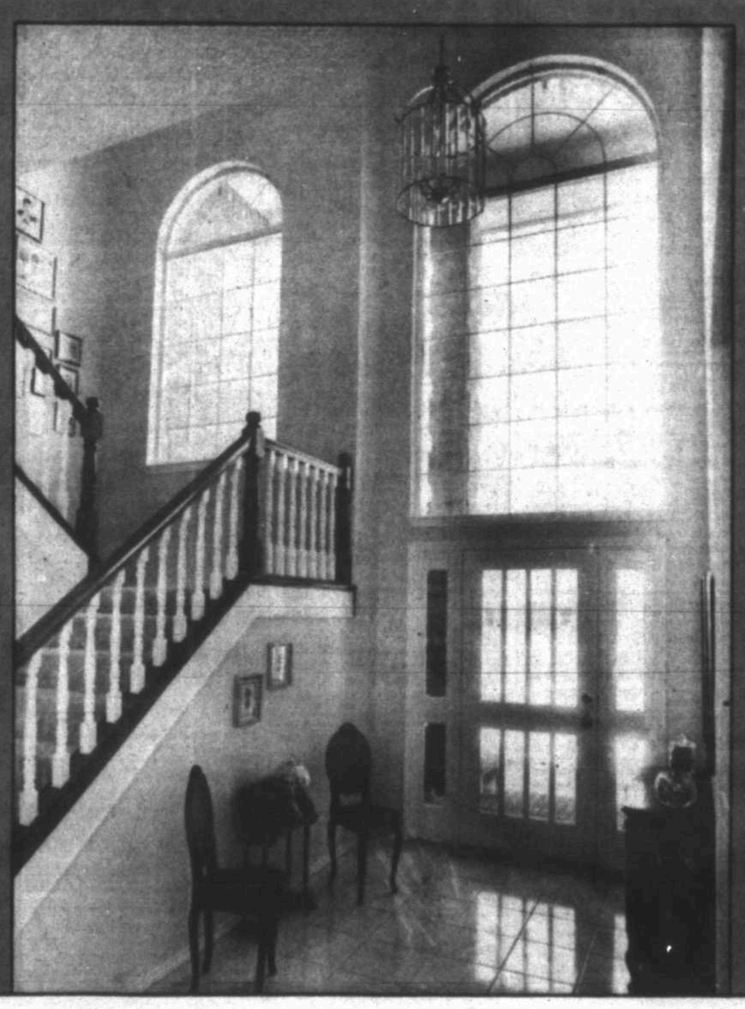

COVER DESIGN BY
MARK STROTER
STAFF ARTIST

Majestic Settings

An impressive brick-lined walkway winds its way to a stately two-story home overlooking the lush fairways of the Greentree North Estates.

The entry offers a glimpse of a luxurious interior through massive windows overlooking the front lawn. Enter through a beveled glass door into a smooth tiled foyer that is open and light.

Tall ceilings draw a stairway and landing to the upstairs domain on the right, while a crown molded ceiling to the left adds elegance and luster to the formal dining room.

Majestic floor-to-ceiling windows illuminate the tall ceilings and marble fireplace of the formal living room. Wood columns and built-in shelves add the crowning touch to this magnificent room.

An oversized gourmet kitchen and breakfast area provides the perfect setting for family gatherings. While the chef enjoys the luxury of an island with stovetop, ample lighting and abundant whitewash cabinetry, family members enjoy a view of the golf course through bay windows encircling the breakfast area.

The kitchen opens into a huge den where a fully loaded wet bar is designed to accommodate informal entertaining. Built-in bookcases surround a brick fireplace that extends into a high vaulted ceiling. A liberal use of windows draws natural light into this casual setting.

Guests enjoy the convenience of a private bedroom with adjoining bath that is ideally located next to the den. Another door from the guest bedroom leads to a separate work area that adjoins the laundry room. This luxury addition to the laundry room offers a built-in desk and bookshelves, convenient for preparing shopping lists.

A grand sized master suite on the other side of the living room shares the cozy comfort of a pass-through fireplace in a separate sitting area, complete with a built-in wet bar. This elegant retreat includes access to a private veranda overlooking the fairways.

Adding to the luxurious element of the master suite, a king size master bath includes a separate exercise room, shower with attached drying off room, steam room, double sinks with dressing area and a marble whirlpool tub. Extra large walk-in closets with built-in shelves are convenient for today's lifestyle.

An additional study with private entry from the front porch is easily converted to an office or bedroom. The private bath is an added bonus!

The stairway leads to an upstairs domain with two bedroom suites, each with its own full bath, and a gameroom that overlooks the living room. Nestled at the top of the landing, this cozy environment is perfect for family fun and entertainment. A French door opens to a large covered deck overlooking two lakes and a golf course.

This 4-bedroom, 5-bath custom home offers many luxury amenities such as an intercom system, custom window treatments, ceiling fans throughout, 4-car garage with openers with electronic gate openers. It is listed for $395,000.

For additional information on this exceptional home, please call Karen Foster of Don Harvey Realtors at 683-5333 or 697-4434.

Text by Sherry Freeman

Jerry Young Homes feature distinctive personalities inside and out

Jerry Young has been in new home construction for the past 8 years, and has been active in the building industry both residential and commercial for the past 17 years. He builds in Midland and odessa and prefers to make each home special. When asked what makes his homes unique, Young replied "the interior moldings and cabinetry are not decided until each home is in the final stages. This permits me to sense th personality of the home and finish it accordingly."

Architect Gary Wilson and builder Jerry Young point out the features and aspects of the new home located at 69 Augustine in San Jose Courts at Mission Dorado to relocation and new construction specialist Marilyn Wier.

Jerry Young teamed up with architect, Gary Wilson eight years ago to provide a service that is not offered by any other builder in the Permian Basin. Usually the first question anyone asks is where do I start? Wilson's answer, "with us, just bring us your notes and sketches and we'll design and build your home "turnkey". "We'll revise your plans until its right at no extra costs to the buyer." Add professional interior designer Debbie Cherry of Chesapeake Interiors to this "team approach" and it is almost like "one stop shopping". By "teaming up" it allows the builder, architect and realtor to better control pricing, design, and timetables for different stages of completion. This provides peace of mind and a terrific savings to the buyer.

Currently, Young and Wilson have 11 homes in the construction and planning stages. They are being built in Midland and Odessa and range in size from 2450 square feet to 11000 square feet.

Jerry Young and Gary Wilson inspect the exterior finishing on the new home just completed at 69 Augustine in Mission Dorado.

Marilyn Wier, New Construction Specialist with RE/MAX of Midland, became associated with Jerry Young and "his team" and other area home builders because she "wanted to help customers find the home that fit their needs, personality and lifestyle." Also, she educates the buyer on the ease of building a new home and communicates with the builder on a design to fit their budget and personality.

Mission Dorado is only about 10 minutes from Loop 250 and FM 191 in Midland. The Mission Dorado COuntry Club is affiliated with Club Corporation of America (CCA). This sets them apart from other country clubs. The champi-onship golf course at Mission Dorado will again host the Nike Tour in August '93 (Formerly Ben Hogan Tour). "It's an exciting time at Mission," says Wier. "The lots were tied up in litigation for several years, and thanks to the recent acquisition of most of the lots at Mission by developer, Jack Mousa, lots are now available and affordable." The developer envisions Mission Dorado as one of the Permian Basin's most coveted upscale neighborhoods in the Petroplex.

The home featured is located at 69 Augustine in San Jose Courts at Mission Dorado and will be open today from 2PM-4PM for your visit. It is priced at $168,000.

WCR RoundUp

Marilyn Leonard, owner of "Woman Time Management" was featured speaker at this month's meeting of the Midland Chapter of the Women's Council of Realtors at the Plaza Club. Marilyn shared principles of life management she has deve oped and taught over the years. It was an exciting and important progran..

Other news...

Melisa Herndon of **Langston Realtors** has earned her Graduate of Real Estate Institute Designation (GRI) in 1992. Additionally, she received the "Multi-Million" production award for 1992. Melissa serves as president-elect of the Woman's Council.

Kathleen Owen, immediate past-president of WCR Midland attended the National Association of Realtors mid-winter meeting in New Orleans. She was actively involved in the credentials committee, financial development, investment opportunity and by-laws committees of the National Woman's Council of Realtors. While in New Orleans, Kathleen participated in the International Property Specialist and Commercial Investment Managers meetings.

Dolly Calhoun of **Amwest Savings** and WCR secretary, announced that Amwest savings has new low mortgage rates available.

Lee Culver, president of WCR, announced that our next meeting will be held in conjunction with the March 9th, meeting of the Midland Association of Realtors. WCR will put on its Italian version of our annual St. Patrick's Day feast. It will begin at 11:00 at the Association office. Advance tickets will be available the week before at a cost of $5.00. Attendance at the association meeting is not mandatory, so we welcome non-board members to come eat with us also.

Pat Howard, Broker/Associate with **The Carriage Company, Realtors**, has recently assisted Dave and Jill Roberson in relocating from Houston. Dave is starting his second stint in Midland with Exxon. Dave and Jill and their 2 children, John and Julie, will be a real asset to our community. The closing of their lovely home marked their third home purchase transaction with Pat.

Selling Your Home? Get An Economic Boost!

by Vicky Garrett
Chaparral Realtors

Vicky Garrett

There's a lot of talk about the economy in the news media today. Much of it is negative -- jobs lost, slow growth, trade imbalances, and so on. Is there a bright side?

Inflation has subsided. Remember back in the '70s, and early '80s, when homes increased in value by 15% - 20% a year? If you were selling a home then you really made out well, but where did you go after the sale? Did you move into a tent, or buy another highly inflated home in a new location?

What you gained on the sale, you probably put right back into your next, over-inflated home. Things have changed. Home values are now relatively stable. Homes priced fairly are purchased, while those with unrealistic price tags are not.

With all the negative talk about the economy, one very positive side is evident. You can purchase a home right now at a reasonable price, and benefit from the lowest interest rates in almost 20 years.

The stage is set for the strongest economic recovery in years. Many first-time buyers who thought they could not afford a home -- can.

Thirty year, fixed rate mortgages are often below 8%, making payments very affordable.

As existing homes are purchased, more will be built. New jobs will be created as manufacturers of household furnishings begin to reap the benefit.

Times are changing and, if you are planning to sell, the price you receive will reflect this change. Ask your real estate agent for details about the prices buyers are currently willing to pay, then price your home competitively.

You, too will benefit from current home prices. As a purchaser, compare homes carefully measuring the value offered against the price asked. Then, take advantage of the lowest interest rates in two decades. You may find yourself in a home which exceeds your greatest expectations.

Property Owners Rights Threatened

by Ruth Young
The PRUDENTIAL Adobe, Realtors

As a realtor, I urge you to think about the consequences of this economic/tax stimulus package.

"It seems we are constantly having to fight to keep some tax deductions for homeowners and middle class," says Ruth Young. If the Clinton administration has their way our largest tax advantage to own a home could be seriously threatened. Out-of-state bankers and the banking industry in general are the only ones to profit from the loss of the Homestead Law. Our homestead is now the only thing they cannot foreclose on with loss of job or bankruptcy as long as you meet your mortgage payments.

Private property owners rights are threatened again. Many homeowners could opt to rent. The National Association of Realtors has great concern over probably loss of the mortgage interest deduction due to the Clinton administration's tax/economic stimulus package. All homeowners should write their Congressman and Senators immediately and let their feelings be known. The addresses are as follows:

Senator Phil Gramm
370 Russell
Washington, D.C. 20510
(202) 224-2934

Senator Bob Krueger
703 Senate Hart Building
Washington, D.C. 20520
(202) 224-5922

Congressman Lamar Smith
2443 Rayburn H.O.B.
Washington, D.C. 20515
or
201 W. Wall, Ste. 106
Midland, Texas 79701

(915) 687-5232
(202) 225-4236
(915) 687-5234 (FAX)
(202) 225-8628 (FAX)

Congressman Larry Combest
1511 Longworth H.O.B.
Washington, D.C. 20515
or
P.O. Box 10667
Lubbock, Texas 79408
(915) 687-0926
(202) 225-4005

Congressman Henry Bonilla
1529 Longworth
Washington, D. C. 20515
(915) 686-8833
(202) 225-4511

Ruth Young

Representative Tom Craddick
408 Wall Avenue
Midland, Texas 79701
or
P.O. Box 2910
Capitol Station
Austin, Texas 78768-2910
(915) 682-3000
(512) 463-5408 (FAX)

Representative George E. "Buddy" West
P.O. Box 2910
Capitol Station
Austin, Texas 78769

420 Good Things To Eat

GARDENDALE PECAN Processing, wants to buy your pecans, also custom shelling, pecan shells, holiday shipping, pecan pickers, electric crackers, honey butter, burlap bags and more. Monday thru Saturday, 9 - 12 and 1 - 6. FM 554, Gardendale, 366-9793.

CUSTOM PECAN SHELLING 55¢ Free pickup and delivery. Also selling shelled pecans $4/ pound. 682-4887.

★ COOKING FOR LARGE CROWD? Send for figures used in determining the quantity of food needed. Also 8 excellent recipes for large groups. Send $5 to Cooking P.O. Box 7042, Midland, Tx, 79708-7042.

FRESH SHELLED Pecans $5 per pound. Call J. Davis. 684-7693.

EASY CHOLESTEROL
Free Coke Recipe.
Send $3 & Self Addressed Stamped Envelope To:
WALKER
P.O. Box 2682
Odessa, TX 79760
Bonus - Free Easy Pizza Recipe.

430 Household Goods

7' TAN SOFT leather sofa, excellent condition. 520-4031.

GIBSON- 18 cu.ft. chest freezer, 3 years old, $175. Call 694-6664 or see at 4414 Roosevelt after 5:30 pm.

★ NICE, heavy duty, washers and dryers for sale. 580-6405,337-4222.

BRAND NEW! Still in plastic. Any size mattress or boxsprings. 5 - 20 year warranties. 580-3514

Couch, love seat. Blue, gray, & white. 3 yrs. old. $425. OBO. 694-8215

64 SQ. YARDS of beige carpet. Very good condition. $250. 4 drawer student desk $50. 682-7267

NEED GOOD USED FURNITURE. Buy, sell, trade. Rowe's New & Used. 1211 S. Big Spring. 687-5966.

Complete waterbed set, including dresser, mirror, nightstand, comforter and sheets. Microwave and small desk. 58 gal. aquarium with all accessories includes fish. 697-9681 after 6 pm.

430 Household Goods

NEW: Toy boxes, bunk bed, vanities, children's rockers & chairs, bedroom suites, living room sets, dinette sets, bedding all sizes. Full sets start at $139 per set.
USED: chest, desk, electric stove, couches, chairs, bookshelves.
BUY - SELL -TRADE
JOHN'S SWAP SHOP
600 E. FLORIDA 683-7872

GOOD USED refrigerators, washer and dryers reasonably priced with warranty. Will pickup non-working appliances. Also Washer and dryer repair. 1900 West Front. 685-1433.

★ I BUY & SELL and repair washers- dryers. Delivery and warranty. Perry at Perry's Appliances 580-6405.

FOR SALE: 22 cubic feet Sears Coldspot Refrigerator $125. Call 689-6849 or come by 612 Waverly- Midland.

HEAVY DUTY washer, good condition, $125. Call 699-0257.

GOLD AND BROWN western sofa with cushions, two matching chairs, one is rocker, coffee table, lamp table. $500. - Dining table with pull out ends, five chairs and buffet. $600. 520-4016.

Good light brown La-Z-Boy recliner, $50. 2 Avacado occasional chairs, $25 each. 697-5667. 3532 Hyde Park.

Culligan water softener and RO unit. Call after 6 pm 570-1628.

MOVING MUST SELL- 7' Bassett sofa, country blue Lazy Boy recliner, rose rocker recliner, oak/ brass coffee/ end tables, solid oak desk, large oil painting. 686-1933.

Fruit wood finished, solid cherry dining table, 6 chairs, coffee and end table. Chair with ottoman, 684-8805

COMPUTER DISCS, file cabinet very well made, 10 drawer $75. 570-8737.

CONTEMPARY COUCH and Loveseat in neutral colors. $300 for the set. 694-2928

LOVE SEAT, sofa, 2 Governor chairs, one full size bed. Make offer. Call 520-2817.

ONEIDA STAINLESS - Julliard Pattern- Eight 5 piece place set plus Hostess set & serving set. All new in boxes. Dillards $428 yours for $250. 699-6535.

WE HAVE two blue Lane rocking recliners, good condition, 5 years old, $250. Call 697-2899.

430 Household Goods

COUCH AND LOVESEAT- earth tones with wood trim $400; queen size waterbed with mirrored headboard $200. 683-7402.

Whirlpool side-by-side refrigerator $700, G.E. electric range $350, 8' brown velvet sofa $200, 2 brown chairs $75 each, 2 gold swivel rockers $35 each, 6 solid maple bar stools $30 each, 2 glass top lamp tables $50 each, 1 glass top coffee table $75. Call 694-4303.

OAK BABY BED. With bedding. Excellent condition. $125 firm. 699-0798.

RAINBOW SE Vacuum with power head shampooers, deluxe kit and mini power head, little use- $800. (806) 872-2376.

ANTIQUE white and brass day bed, pop- up frame, complete, like new $250 cash. 697-7685.

BROWN VELVET Lane Recliner, 3 months old, paid $400, will sell for $250. Call 682-8028.

FOR SALE nice solid wood bunk beds, bunkie boards and ladder, needs two twin size mattresses. $75. 520-6520.

WANTED: ANYONE interested in home catalog shopping. Call 520-6223 for more information.

FOR SALE: Matching couch, loveseat and chair $75. or best offer. Call 520-4709.

WILL HAUL off old refrigerators, washers, dryers, furniture and anything else free. Call 520-4709.

6', TWO shelf bookcase, like wood. 4307 Anetta. Call 694-7122.

FOR SALE mint condition, beautiful velvet sofa and loveseat, 685-4185.

WANTED- used rot iron patio table and chairs, good condition. Call 687-4548.

440 Firewood

DENNIS FIREWOOD- oak and mesquite. Call 699-4719.

FIREWOOD: Mesquite, Oak and Pecan. Call Larry Tucker 689-7151, Midland, Texas.

✔ HONDO VALLEY FIREWOOD. Pinon, Juniper, Cedar, Oak, Mesquite, Pecan. Promptly delivered. Native Midlander. 694-4818, 694-8753.

440 Firewood

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450 Sporting Goods

JUMBO DRIVERS- Custom Club Fitting. Dick's Clubs- 2605 W. Kentucky, 683-2614.

JIM'S GOLF CLUB REPAIRS. Custom clubs. PING - ZING clones; jumbo drivers. Best quality - low prices. 3115 Haynes. 694-1334

MIDLAND GUN & KNIFE SHOW- March 27 & 28 at The Midland Center. For tables call Don or Kim at (210) 257-5844.

LYNX, left handed golf clubs 1-3-4-5 woods, 2-SW irons, new grips, excellent condition, $200. 697-7020.

FULLY EQUIPPED bodybuilding set. Benches, free weights, etc. 30¢ a pound or best offer. Can see at 1601 N. Midkiff, Apt. 206 by appointment only. 699-5532, 685-0861.

460 Antiques & Art

THE Cats Meow antique mall. 408 Andrews Highway, Monday - Saturday, 10 - 6. We buy and sell antiques. 687-2004.

Beautiful antique cast iron bed. $2,000. 682-7267.

COTTON PATCH COLLECTIBLES Spring Cleaning Sale 20% OFF: Jelly cabinet, country cupboards and shelves, oak table. Section of hand painted items reduced to $5. Southwest minis $2.00. 15% OFF: Melhart Design T's & Sweats. Much, much more! Courtyard Loop 250 - Midkiff 10 - 6 Monday - Saturday.

JUST RECEIVED furniture from an estate. Housekeepers cupboard, bookcase and chest combination, pine entry table, quilts and etc. All priced to sell, beautiful Easter bunnies, eggs, baskets and throws and etc. The house is full. 1025 N. Dixie, Odessa, 332-7490.

Spring Clearance, 15% off all antiques and collectibles. 1607 N. Big Spring.

25% OFF ENTIRE STOCK through March 31st. Ellen Boyd Antique at Lucky Dog Antique, 3712 W. Wall.

485 Radios, Stereos and TV's

GENERAL ELECTRIC- VCR- 4 head, like new, asking $150. Call before 11 pm- 520-8742.

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Satellite dish with General Instrument Video Cipher II, 2400R receiver/descrambler, $1500. 697-7364, leave message.

Pair of Jensen home speakers. Excellent condition. $100. Call 686-0602.

490 Computers & Accessories

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FREE TO GOOD HOME, Mixed Puppies, 6 weeks old. 689-6919

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Adorable, black miniature baby bunnies. 682-6778 after 4.

MALE half Black Lab, and half Rottweiler puppy, five months old. $40. 520-8121.

ROTTWEILER PUPPIES for sale. Good looking dogs, big for size, parents on premises. $200. Call 570-4505.

CUTE, LOVABLE and protective, AKC Schnauzer puppies, have 2 left. If interested call 570-6240.

MINIATURE SCHNAUZER puppies, AKC registered. Cute and adorable. $125. 561-5133.

500 Pets & Supplies

AFFORDABLE Vet clinic, reasonable price - spay - neuter - vaccinations - House calls available. Arlis Baze DVM 682-3524, for appointment.

BASSET HOUND PUPPIES, 4 weeks old, 2 male, 2 female, 520-3622.

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These and many more animals are up for adoption at the Big Spring Humane Society. $35.00 dogs and puppies, $25.00 cats and kittens, includes spaying and neutering. 267-7832.

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2 AKC registered Maltese puppies. Born 12-29-92. $150 each. 699-8026 before 1:30 pm. or after 6 pm.

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Registered English setter puppies. Excellent hunting dogs, $250. Black, white and tri colors. 332-1920.

MOVING CAN'T TAKE- 2 year old registered female Shar-pei, $100. 685-0603.

AKC Sheltie puppies, sable and white, 6 weeks. 689-3728.

CHOW PUPPIES. 2 Black females. Full blood, no papers, $75 each. 694-9874

POODLE PUPPIES, AKC Chocolate toy, one male, three female, ready now. $200. Call 687-0737.

MINIATURE Schnauzers, 2 AKC, 9 weeks old, $225 each. 1 Registered older female $150. 687-2822.

Lab puppies, chocolate and black. $25. 683-6440

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505 Livestock / Poultry

Move to city, must sell nice, stakes place producing thoroughbred mare. To foal late March. Call 915-366-8094.

PIPE FENCE, corral pens and other custom welding. Free estimates, reasonable rates. References. 686-9704.

REGISTERED BLACK Angus Bull, 20 months old. 687-1245 after 6 PM.

REGISTERED Throughbred Brood Mare- 16.5 hands. Large, 9 months Filly colt, half throughbred, half Lipizzan, probably be gray. Phone 685-3977.

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550 Portable Buildings

We Move, buy, sell, and rent portable buildings.
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563-1860

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P & H Brand welding machine, trailer mounted, older model, 4 cyclinder Walk-A-Shaw gasoline engine, runs great, uses some oil. $950. 694-9873.

570 Oilfield Supplies

FOR SALE: 1984 2 ½ ton International Winch truck with full roustabout bed, 6.9 diesel engine, working now. $13,500. 520-3644.

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Reconditioned 2⅛ & 2½ Plastic COATED TUBING. Absolutely no nicks, no chips, not even a scratch. Tested 7000PSI. 694-0236.

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580 Farm Equipment

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Looking for 2 roommates to share house. $300 each monthly. You pay your grocery and phone and I'll pay utilities. Male/ female. Call 687-5228.

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Midland Apartments At A Glance!

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3/2	$650	$650
4909 Ballegrove		
3/2	$800	$800
406 Carol Lane		
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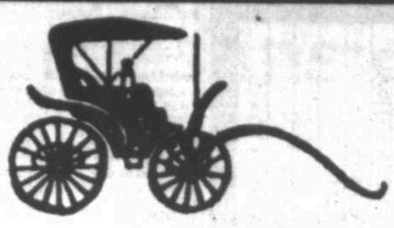

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DRIFTWOOD-Great 4 BR, 2 LA family home! Greentree C.C., 3 car garage, reduced! $129,000
C.R. 130E-3 bedroom with pecan trees on 2.5 acres, A-frame home $129,900
CRESTGATE-Super 4 BR, 3 LA home with beautiful pool, low maintenance yard...REDUCED!! $122,500
GREENWOOD-Hwy. 307, 3 bedroom on 5+/- acres, 3 car garage! $122,500
LAFAYETTE-Elegant 2 bedroom, 2 living area 2 story townhome, 2 car garage $120,000
PINE-Wallace townhome, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, very private, will lease $117,000
METZ COURT-Totally redone, professionally decorated, huge pool, study, gameroom, only $115,000
STUTZ-Totally remodelled 4 BR in great neighborhood, low maintenance yard $112,900
CHATHAM-Lovely 4 BR, 2 LA on quiet cul-de-sac, priced to sell, Reduced to $107,000
PECAN-Townhome, 3 BR, 2 1/2 BA, light, bright, just move right in $105,000
ARROWHEAD-Super light & bright 4 bedroom in Vista West! Each bedroom has a bath, ... SALE PENDING
ARROWHEAD-Unique 3 bedroom home with huge master, formal dining, sprinklers, great cul-de-sac location $90,750
WINFIELD-Lovely 4 bedroom with great cul-de-sac location, lovely landscaping $89,750
LOCKHEED-Skyline Heights, 4 BR, 2 LA, pool sized yard, great space $86,500
OHIO-Large house with 2 big living areas, pool, oversized garage, 4 bedrooms $85,000
WEDGEWOOD-Super nice 3 BR townhome in prestigious Trinity $79,500
CIMMARON-California Contemporary! 3BR, 2LA, beautifully landscaped ..... SALE PENDING
PRESTON-Custom built townhouse with all of the extras, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath, lo-maintenance yard $75,000
BEDFORD-Lovely "Old Midland", 3 bedroom, 2 bath, newely decorated $74,500
DENTCREST-Non-qualifying assumption, lots of new! 3 bedroom $72,500
SPARKS-Super family home, beautiful yard, 3 bedrooms, 2 living areas ..... REDUCED $69,500
HUNTINGTON-Large family home, 5 BR, 3 LA, great buy for the area ..... REDUCED $65,000
CIMMARON-Great workshop comes with this 3 BR, 2 car garage home, great condition $64,800
NEELY-Sparkling 3 bedroom with pool, 2 car garage, low maintenance yard $62,500
CIMMARON-Super family home, big trees, workshop, 2 car garage, formal dining and a great bargain at $64,800
MICHIGAN-Terrific 3 BR, 1 3/4 BA, 2 car garage, Lee High area, great quiet neighborhood and only $61,500
OHIO-Gorgeous 3 bedroom, 3 living area home with spa room! 2 car garage, lots of space $61,500
GULF-Old Midland beauty with nice trees, 3 BR, 2 LA $58,500
STANOLIND-REDUCED! Great 3 BR, 2 LA, lovely neighborhood, don't miss! ..... SALE PENDING
BELAIRE-Super Buy! Lots of space, 3 car garage, workshop ..... SALE PENDING
OHIO-Immaculate 2 or 3 bedroom, huge living area, super nice - Reduced ..... REDUCED $52,500
PLEASANT-Very nice 3 BR, 2 LA, 2 car garage, sprinkler $49,950
SPENCE-Very comfortable three bedroom home. Nice large yard $49,900
FM 715-34+/- acres on paved road in Midland county $48,000
MICHIGAN-reduced! Wonderful family floorplan, 3BR, 2 LA, convenient location ..... SALE PENDING
C.R. 160W-20+/- acres in Midland county $42,500
LEDDY-Assumable loan, 3 BR, 2 BA, ideal for young family, affordable payment $39,500
MERCEDES-Freshly painted 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, non-qualifying assumable loan ..... SALE PENDING
GARDEN CITY HWY.-Commercial warehouse w/office, good visibility $38,900
BOWIE-Non-qualifying assumption, low payment, 3 BR, 2 BA, new roof $37,725
COLORADO-Offers wanted! 3 BR, 2 BA, formal dining, water well $37,500
ILLINOIS-Great fixer-upper for the first time buyer, 3 BR, 2 BA only $39,000
NOBLES-Non-qualifying assumption, large bedrooms, workshop, quiet neighborhood $35,000
KENTUCKY-Cream puff! New carpet, new siding, 3BR, 2BA ..... SALE PENDING
WILSHIRE-Super cute 3 BR, fresh paint in and out! Large patio, priced to sell! ..... SALE PENDING
ILLINOIS-Great 3 BR/2 BA starter home, close to schools & shopping ..... REDUCED $28,400
C.R. 1241-2.52 acres, restricted building site, permanent water available $19,070
C.R. 1105-9.73 acres in Greenwood, good farm land $18,000
SPARTAN-3 lots on the corner of Neely $18,000
C.R. 56W-2.5 acres w/septic system & water well $17,000
C.R. 53W-Water well, 3+/- acres, owner wants offers $15,000
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C.R. 1128-Greenwood acres, great water well, restricted area, security light $10,000
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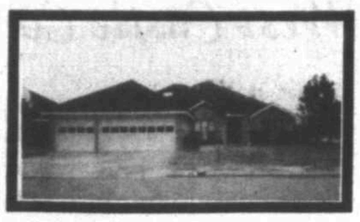

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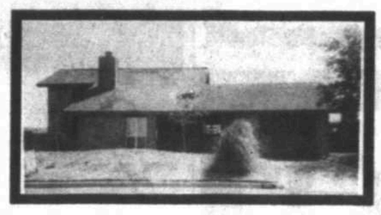

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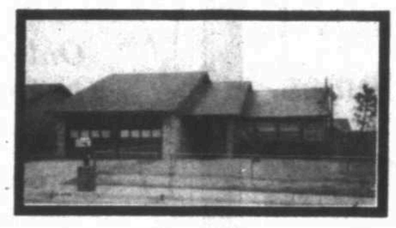

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3203 Whittle Way 3/2.5		$54,500
110 E. Dakota 3/1		$24,050
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RESIDENTIAL - CITY

BAYBROOK-Beautiful new construction by Bill Brown, 4 BR, formals, 3 1/2 bath. In Mockingbird Heights 214,900
ST. ANDREWS-Trinity Estates, 4br, 3 ba, workshop, water well, lg. lot 200,000
TRINITY MEADOWS-Inescapable beauty, custom designed 4 br, 3 ba, formals, professional decor, POOL 169,500
TRINITY MEADOWS-Lovely marble entry, 4 to 5 br, 2 liv areas, formal dining, 5ba, sprinklers ..... SOLD
BRADFORD-Beautiful Ripplinger home with generous size rooms, 4 br, 2 1/2 ba, light and bright 149,500
NORTHFIELD-Lovely home in Trinity Meadows, lg bkyd for children, 4 br, 2 3/4 ba, formals, 3 car gara 141,500
CAROL LANE-Lovely garden/sunroom, marble tubs, 4 br, 2 ba, Jacuzzi in master ba, 1/2 acre 114,250
CULVER-Two story w/4 lg. br, 2 1/2 ba, formals, above ground pool & hot tub 89,900
PRINCETON-New carpet, inground pool, 4br, formal dining, 23/4 ba, workshop 89,500
FREDNA-Very nice 2 story w/lots of sq. ft. 3BR, equal assumption, fresh paint 84,900
HAYNES-Nice family home w/3 br, 2 ba, formal dining w/blt-in china cabinet 84,500
DOUGLAS-Custom built 3 br w/sequestered master, 2 ba, formal dining, 1 living area w/fp 83,000
COMPTON-Qualifying assumption in Skyline Terrace Addition, 3 br, 2 ba, formal dining 81,500
WHITNEY-New exterior paint, 4 br, 2 1/2 ba, 2 living areas, qualifying assumption 75,000
ST. ANDREWS-airy floor plan, lots of sq. ft. for the money, 3 br, formal dining, sprinkler system 72,000
MARK LANE-Three br brick home w/formal din, liv. area w/fp, sprinkler, storm windows $65,000
DENGAR-Duplex w/3 br, 2 ba DOWN, 2 br, 1 ba UP, workshop, low-maintenance yard 64,000
BRAZOS-Cute house, 3 br, 2 ba, liv. area w/fireplace, VA assumption 51,700
PRESTON-"As is", 3 br townhouse, 2 1/2 ba, fp, 2 car gar 46,000
ILLINOIS-Owner needs to sell this 3 br, 2 ba brick, ref a/c, liv w/fp 45,000
WADLEY-Chandelle condo has 2 br, 2 ba, overlooks pool, liv area w/fp 40,000
PRINCETON-Beautiful carpet, 3 br, 2 ba, ref a/c, 1 car gar, sprinkler sys 40,000
HARVARD-Lovely home w/3 br, 2 ba, 1 car gar, ref a/c, good condition 37,500
ILLINOIS-Wonderful kitchen opens to dining area, 3 br, sprinklers 39,000
McDONALD-Remodeled kitchen, many trees, 3 br, 1 3/4 ba, ref a/c ..... SOLD
ROOSEVELT-Must see!! Lovely 2 br patio home w/2 ba, liv. area w/fp. sprinkler sys, qualifying assump 36,500
CIRCLE-Duplex, each has 2 br, 1 ba, owner may carry 35,000
CARRIZO-Wonderful landscaping. 2 br, 1 ba, 1 car gar, fp 31,000
CIRCLE-Good rental property, 2 br, 1 ba, formal dining 27,500
FRANCIS-Six residential lots w/3 br, 1 ba home, water well, outside storage 25,000
SPRABERRY-Assumption!! Big workshop, 2 br, 1 ba, frame ..... SOLD
CIRCLE-Investor's delight, 2 br, 1 ba, 2 liv. areas, 1 carport 20,000
E. ESTES-Good investment property, 2 br, 1 ba brick ..... SOLD
BAIRD-Starter home with 2 br, 1 ba, a car garage, owner anxious 16,000

RESIDENTIAL - COUNTRY

CO. RD. 1243N-Too many extras to list, 3 br, 2 1/2 ba, 2 liv. w/fp, workshop, 3.76 acres 143,000
CO. RD. 1244-Spacious 3 BR, 2 1/2 BA, formal dining, located on 1 acre with barn 129,900
CO. RD. 68W-Three br brick home on 5 acres, liv. area w/fp, ref a/c 75,000
MARY CIRCLE-Greenwood, extremely well-kept 3 br brick, non-qualifying assumption. 1/2 acre 57,000
CO. RD. 1125 N-Greenwood School area, 3 br, 1 ba, garden room, 10.22 acres 45,000
CO. RD. 148E-Great property! 2.29 acres, 2 br, 1 ba, ref. a/c, lots of trees 45,000

LOTS AND LAND

CARDINAL LANE-3.2 acres w/corral and storage bldgs 60,000
OFF HWY. 80 E-17.75 acres w/great commercial potential 49,700
E. MAGNOLIA-11 residential lots nest to the YMCA 25,000
CO. RD. 1241N-Zoning is residential, 3 acres - good location 21,000
JOHNSTON ST-Double size lot, very clean & well kept, fenced, ready for mobile home 7,500
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HIGHWAY 80W-Office, industrial or retail - on approx 1 ac w/parking 101,750
NORTH "C"-Presently doctor's office, over 4400 sq. ft., high traffic 90,000
SCHARBAUER DRIVE-Commercial bldg w/3000+ sq ft, overhead door, owner negotiable 80,000

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1216 S. DALLAS	3/2		$14,250
418 SWEETBRIAR DR	3/2		$29,000
208 HOLLY	2/1		$19,500
1519 S. JEFFERSON ST.	3/2		$16,250
5203 BELAIRE DRIVE	3/2		$45,000
5001 BRAZOS AVE.	3/2		$50,000
1311 W MICHIGAN AVE	3/2		$27,550
4000 ROOSEVELT AVE.	4/3		$34,000
3510 TRAVIS AVE.	3/1		$16,150
3203 WHITTLE WAY	3/2.5		$54,500

MORE GREAT BUYS

GETTING A REFUND THIS YEAR??? Then why not use it to assume this non-qualifying loan. Located on Illinois, 3 br, 2 ba brick, ref a/c. $45,000 ..... CALL DENE KELLY
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SALE PRICED! Wonderful Gratis built home, high ceilings, 4 bedrooms, 2 formal areas and family room, built-ins, bright kitchen, $139,500. Call Norma today.
NON-QUALIFYING OUR NEW LOAN!!! Great 4 bedroom, 3 bath, 2 living area home, only 4 yrs. young in Crestgate, $110,000. Call Kay.

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WEDGEWOOD-David Pine TH featuring paneled LR, hot tub, loft, lg storage room ..... SALE PENDING
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CLAREMONT-NO loan, 3BR/2BA, recently painted, very clean 72,000
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HUMBLE-Coveted neighborhood 3/2 extra garage, pretty yard 68,500
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FREDNA-Darling 3BR w/lots of new, cul-de-sac location great closets 66,500
WHITTLE WAY-Charming customized home w/extra liv space, storage, sprinklers, orig. owners ..... SALE PENDING
STANOLIND-Beautiful traditional one owner home. 4BR/2BA ..... SALE PENDING
SHANDON-Fabulous! Great tile floors, great kitchen - all new cabinets 61,500
TENNESSEE-One owner doll house, fabulous kitchen-den hardwood firs, convenient location 59,900
OSAGE-Pretty home w/2LAs, 2 dining, xtra room for hobbies or computer 58,000
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AMISTAD ..... SALE PENDING
SIESTA -3 great duplex buys ..... SALE PENDING
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SUBURBAN

W. CO. RD. 42-Sprklered, crossfenced 40 ac w/charming home, stables, barns, shop, bunk house, super bldg site 365,000
W. HIGHWAY 158-Fabulous country property, great barn w/2 apts, lovely grounds w/mecan trees 319,000
W. CO. RD. 57-Pretties den in town! 4BR/5BA, garden room, workshop ..... SALE PENDING
N. CO. RD. 1244-Super suburban! Shop + RV PK, crown molding, beautiful LA, tons of new 142,500
E. CO. RD. 110-Very adaptable floor plan, set-up for a large family, open & airy 129,900
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S. CO. RD. 1110-Lg. bedrooms, screened porch, 15 acres 39,900
S. CO. RD. 1185-Huge updated kitchen & dining, new carpet, 2 side pastures, new barn w/pens 45,000
N CO. RD. 1110 ..... SALE PENDING

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Beautiful M. Payne. Open kitchen/den very light & neutral, fabulous master.
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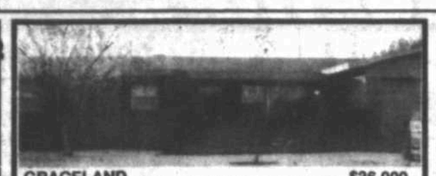

GRACELAND $36,000
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N. CO. RD. 1244-Super suburban! Shop + RV PK, corown molding, beautiful LA, tons of new 142,500
NORTHFIELD-Quiet cul-de-sac, custom, pastel colors, lg. pool, one of kind, close the schools, Offers Please 139,900
BRADFORD CT-New Leonard construction due for Late May compl. $800 landscaping allowance 124,9000
SEABOARD-Charmingly updated "Old Midland" home, great yd, wonderful flow for entertaining 120,000
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SINCLAIR-Attractive 5BR home in "Old Midland" next to Warwick 109,000
BEDFORD-Updated traditional in great neighborhood, beautiful hardwood floors, lovely kitchen 96,000
DOUGLAS-Gorgeous view of park, exquisite landscape and terraces, custom 3BR, 2 Liv, super price forthis location and quality 84,500
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RIDGLEA-3/2, Fireplace, excellent condition. Beautiful location 54,500
PARKWOOD-Beautiful 2 story traditional, quiet street, bay window breakfast room 52,950
OAK-Cozy and inviting! Huge den plus living room 48,000
NOBLES-Personality plus! Wonderful 2 story, perfect for 1st time buyers 47,500
PLEASANT-New home, close to Loop 250, fireplace, nice kitchen 45,500
S. CO. RD. 1120-Owner carry, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, buy as is 40,000
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SIESTA-Fully leased duplex! ..... SALE PENDING
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SHANDON-Good investment property 45,000
BENTWOOD-Well kept home on quiet street, new roof, wide open LA w/fireplace ..... SALE PENDING
NORTHRUP-Spacious Santa Fe style! Lots of charm! Great neighborhood 44,500
DELLWOOD -Quick sale needed settling estate. Paying all BUYER'S CLOSING COST 42,000
CUTHBERT-Darling non-qualifying loan. Good condition, 3/2 ..... SOLD
MISSOURI-2 BR w/1BR rental, great investment home 40,000
CRENSHAW-A Charmer! Very clean. Possible NQ assumption, call for details ..... SALE PENDING
DORMARD-Perfect dollhouse 3BR/2BA 39,900
HOPI-New roof and fence lite, brite, open plan 3/2 38,000
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PECOS-Totally redone! New carpet, paint, appliances. Needs a new owner! 35,500
ILLINOIS-Terrific buy! Creme puff 3BR. 2 great LA, lovely backyard ..... SALE PENDING
WILLOWOOD-Great for 1st time buyers or investment property, workshop 35,000
ANETTA-Wow! Lots of sq ft for the money. All new kitchen cabinets & carpet 35,000
COLLEGE-Investor's special! Duplex with efficiency in rear 35,000
GASTON-Handy man special, qualifying assumption, very large 32,000
SIESTA-One side of duplex for sale great price! ..... SALE PENDING
ILLINOIS-Big corner lot, nice area, has apartment 27,500
A - Cottage home w/new paint and carpet 25,000
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ISLAND CIRCLE-New MR Lary home due compl Jun 93, den/living plus study, view of course 362,000
CUTHBERT-Space & location - Charming Cont/Spanish custom home for family 349,500
SINCLAIR-Spectacular home in heart of Warwick, gourmet kitchen, gorgeous pool 349,500
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BLAKEMORE-Fabulous James Morris custom. 5/5. Cul-de-sac location in coveted area 269,500
STANOLIND CT-Welcome to Santa Fe. Mexican tile, lots of windows overlooking pool/hot tub 259,500
SADDLE CLUB LAKES-Beautiful 2 story townhome, owner ready to sell - landscaping allowance, possible lease purchase, terms negotiable 250,000
TEAKWOOD TRACE-Excellent quality and condition. Many amenities 247,500
BAYBROOK ..... SOLD
ISLAND CIRCLE-Beautiful custom w/2 living areas plus study. On golf course next to water ..... SALE PENDING
OAKLAWN PARK-The perfect condo in prestigious Oaklawn Park, lovely condition, spacious plan 235,000
PALAMINO-Stunning townhouse exclusive Saddle Club North, pool, 3 living areas 229,000
STANOLIND-Gorgeous traditional family home! Bright & cheerful, big kitchen w/island ..... SALE PENDING
TEAKWOOD-Many extras in this beautiful home - stained glass, plantation shutters, 2 wet bars ..... SALE PENDING
BAYBROOK-Exclusive Mockingbird Hts. Super plan by Gil Bates! Move in condition!!! ..... SALE PENDING
SPRINGFIELD-Beautiful Bill Brown home ..... SOLD

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$100,000 TO $200,000

RADCLIFF CT.-Stunning style and a kitchen/den to die for, plantation shutters, 5 bedrooms 200,000
DOUGLAS-All the fresh of new yet the charm of "Old Midland". Hardwood firs, vaulted ceilings, window walls, gorgeous patios and no grass to mow ..199,750
SADDLE CLUB'S FINEST-New professional interior decor, luscious landscape, 4BR with 2 master suites, hardwood floors, exquisite! 199,000
SINCLAIR-Tons of charm, 4BR, 2 story in Warwick area 199,000
WEDGEWOOD-Custom quality in coveted Trinity Estates, 4BR/3BA, balcony, great yd 197,500
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DOUGLAS-Gorgeous home, lovely yard, classic "Old Midland" ,well maintained, wonderful loc. 195,000
CULPEPER-Faboulous 4BR custom. Quality everywhere, superb kitchen, townhome feel, teak firs 195,000
POLO-Dramatic 4/3 w/3-car garage. Stunning entry, balcony gameroom, tomals, Seq. master suite 188,900
COUNTRY CLUB-Charming 5 BR 2 story in gracious "Old Midland". Lots of new, fresh decor and great space! 187,500
BOYD ..... SOLD
PRINCETON-One of a kind. 5 BR in super nieghborhod. Loads of new & fresh 184,500
OAKLAWN PARK-Elegant Oaklawn home w/4-car carport, formal dining, fabulous storage room 180,000
SUNRISE CT-Just over 1 year old on the golf course, excellent condition, study off MBR 176,700
LOS ALAMITOS-Lots of New! Wonderful colors, pool. Don't miss this one! 174,900
DUKES-J. Young bit '90. Great master suite w/FP thru to bath, open kitchen/den concept ..... SALE PENDING
TEAKWOOD-Lott gameroom, lots of amenities, 4BR/5BA 169,500
RUSTIC TRAIL-Great new Resnick home on course, 2 story charmer..169,000
EDGEBROOK DR.-Fantastic new Gilbert Bates construction w/all the usual amenities and more 168,500
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DRIFTWOOD-Great flowing floor plan, features you want in a home. Lovely condition 159,900
GREENTREE-Lovely home, 3/5, study, 2 living areas 159,000
WOOD DR.-Spacious ranchstyle home in the city 158,900
DUKES DR-Beautiful M. Payne. Open kitchen/den very light & neutral, fabulous master 154,900
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CASTLEFORD-Delight to entertain in! Huge main LA w/extensive tile floors! Big adjacent den 147,500
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NORTHFIELD-Quiet cul-de-sac, custom, pastel colors, lg pool, one of kind, close to schools, Offers Please 139,900
HEATHER-Warm family home in coveted neighborhood. Lots of new. Good plan for entertaining 139,000
DRIFTWOOD-Huge master suite, xtra large master bath w/jacuzzi 135,000
ILLINOIS-Gracious 4 BR only 3 blks from Hospital, perfect for gracious family home or dr/clinic conversion. Extensive parking ..... CALL
SENTINEL-Must see inside! View pool thru FR drs, all bdrms large, master w/fireplace 134,900
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DEVONSHIRE-Lovely 4BR in coveted Polo Park, cul-de-sac, great plan, good condition 132,900
KANSAS-Charming Georgian two story, built-ins, tile firs, much updating 132,500
CULPEPPER-Totally updated, fabulous kitchen, 4 BR/3BA, plantation shutters, new throughout 129,900
CRESTRIDGE ..... SOLD
ANDOVER-Lary built wonderful house, 3 car garage, office, huge game rm ..... SOLD
JUNIPER CT-Great entertaining in Greentree. Cont. beauty w/hot tub & lots of xtras ..... SALE PENDING
CANTERBURY-Lovely custom home w/lots of new & fresh. Good flow for entertaining ..... SOLD
HARVARD-Charming, immaculate, great location, beautiful condition 125,000
BRADFORD CT-New Leonard home due compl Mid-May, mini-blinds ..... SALE PENDING
HAYNES-Wonderfully large TH, 2 LA, 3/4 124,500
GOLF COURSE-Very spacious patio plan w/good flow for entertaining. Close to hospital & doctors 124,500
BRADFORD CT-New Leonard home, mini-blinds, lndscp allowance, for completion mid February 123,900
DEVONSHIRE-Lovely Polo Park location. Private cul-de-sac, exclusive pathway to clubhouse, etc 122,500
WESTERN DR-Unique townhome, carefree lifestyle. Sparkling light & bright, high ceilings 122,000
CRESTRIDGE-Beautiful home w/pool, every room oversized, master has 2 baths ..... SOLD
WESTERN-Great buy in a spacious patio hm, RV parking 119,900
BRADFORD CT ..... SALE PENDING
DAVENTRY-Beautiful corner lot in Saddle Club South. Non-qualifying assumpt, nice family area 116,000
MAMAR ..... SOLD
HEREFORD ..... SALE PENDING
CRESTRIDGE-Priced to sell! Great plan, light & bright, beautiful landscaping 115,000
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TANFORAN-Great arrangement on acreage. 4BR, strg., wkshp 114,900
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STANOLIND-Coveted area, charming home, workshop, office, beautifully landscaped 109,000
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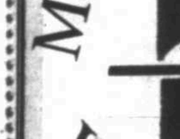

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McDonald-3/2, Super clean, ready to move into. Non-Qualifying assumable $65,000
Auburn-4/4, Wonderful family home, updated floor, paint, carpet, Heater $106,000
Melton-2/2. Neat townhouse, low maintenace yard, super area $49,000
Crenshaw-3/2, new roof, fresh paint, corner lot, great floorplan $54,000

OPEN HOUSE

2828 Durant ..... 2 to 4 pm
2413 Apperson ..... 2 to 4 pm
2102 Wellington ..... 2 to 4 pm
4955 Rustic Trail ..... 2 to 4 pm
2407 Whittle Way ..... 2 to 4 pm
4620 Andrews Hwy ..... 2 to 4 pm
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WADLEY HEIGHTS...really nice 3 bedroom home with 3 living areas..."truly a family home" $69,500
PROVIDENCE PARK...very lovely 3 bedroom home with 2 living areas...and an office...close to shopping $65,000
IMPERIAL HEIGHTS...NQ assumption...low equity...3 bed rooms...2 baths...2 car garage $59,500
TREND ADDITION...NQ assumption...low equity...3 or 4 bed rooms...2 baths...2 living areas $60,000
BEL AIRE...This is the perfect house for a family with young children...built-in desks in both extra bedrooms...sequestered master bedroom for mom and dad $49,900
PERMIAN ESTATES...One of the only 5 bedrooms in the price range...2 living areas and beautiful corner fireplace!! $47,000
WEST END...Handyman special...great rental property...2 bed rooms...1 bath $20,000

AND...THE "OUT-OF-TOWN"!!

CO. RD. 54W...this is an executive home in the country...only 4 years old...beautiful pipe fencing on 10 acres...MUST SEE!!! $129,900
FM 1788...need access to Midland and Odessa?...this is for you...large house on 2.2 acres...large living areas...massive kitchen $115,000
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shown by: **Carolyn Boyd (Model Home)**
4975 Rustic $129,900
shown by: **Marilyn Wier**
4500 Westminister $122,000
shown by: **Bobette Starnes**
801 Canonero $225,000
shown by **MAY BARBER**
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4302 Nelson 3-2-2 Priced at $68,900
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3214 Lockheed .....
shown by: **Kirk French**
4001 Crestgate...4BR, 3BA $117,000
shown by: **joyce brickey**
4904 Sherwood $104,900
shown by:
711 Shell $49,000
shown by: **Marie Walters**
3604 Humble $68,000

Properties For Sale

WESTERN	4	7	995,000	TERRACE	3	2	73,500
N.C. RD. 1120	3	3		CRESTMONT	3	2	70,000
CUTHBERT	4	5	260,000	QUAIL RUN	3	3	69,900
ISLAND DR.	4	3	239,900	CASCADE CT.	3	2	69,900
CANONERO CIRCLE	4	3	225,000	SHELL	4	2	69,900
GREENTREE	4	4	215,000	TAMMY COVE	4	2	69,900
STANOLIND	4	4	199,900	COUNTRY CLUB	4	2	69,500
RUSTIC TRAIL	5	3	189,900	McDONALD	4	2	69,000
DUKES DRIVE	5	4	182,500	NELSON	3	2	68,900
GARFIELD	4	6	179,900	HUMBLE	3	2	68,000
AUGUSTINE CT.	3	3	168,000	GODDARD	3	2	67,300
WOODHAVEN	4	3	164,000	MICHIGAN	3	2	67,000
CARDINAL LANE	4	3	159,000	CAMARIE	4	2	66,900
DRIFTWOOD	3	3	136,000	GERALDINE	3	2	65,257
RUSTIC TRAIL	3	2	129,900	NEELY	2	3	65,000
CYPRESS CT.	3	2	125,000	NASSAU	2	3	64,500
CULPEPPER	5	3	124,500	C	2	2	63,500
WESTMINISTER	4	4	122,000	BRAZOS	3	2	62,900
EMERSON	4	3	121,950	SHANDON	3	2	62,900
KNIFFEN	3	2	119,900	LOCKHEED	3	2	62,000
CRESTGATE	4	2	119,900	LOUISIANA	4	2	62,000
CRESTGATE	4	3	117,000	KERTH	3	2	61,500
NORTHTOWN PLC.	4	4	116,000	SAN ANTONIO	3	2	59,900
BISHOPS CASTLE	4	3	114,000	SHELL	3	2	58,000
DARTMOUTH	4	2	112,900	FAIRGROUNDS RD.	4	2	58,000
MAXWELL	4	4	108,500	CIMMARON	3	2	56,000
NORTHTOWN	4	2	107,000	PINE	4	2	55,900
CO. RD. 1120	3	2	106,000	PINE	3	2	55,500
KESWICK	3	3	105,500	WHITTLEWAY	2	3	55,500
AUBURN	4	3	105,000	CULVER	3	2	55,000
SHERWOOD	3	2	104,900	CO. RD. 57	3	2	54,900
PINEMONT	3	3	104,500	CO. RD. 1085	3	2	53,500
CO. RD. 54	4	2	102,000	PECAN ROAD	3	2	53,000
WHITMAN	4	2	99,900	PRESTON	3	3	52,900
CO. RD. 124	4	3	99,900	CRENSHAW	3	2	52,000
DAVENTRY	3	2	99,900	STOREY	3	2	49,900
FAIRVIEW LANE	4	3	99,600	"G"	3	2	49,900
CO. RD. 110	4	3	99,500	SHELL	3	2	49,900
FM 307	3	2	99,000	OHIO	3	2	48,000
PRINCETON	3	3	95,000	SINCLAIR	3	2	47,900
EMERSON PLACE	4	3	94,600	LEISURE	3	2	47,900
NEELY	3	2	94,500	BAUMANN	3	2	45,000
DENTCREST	4	2	94,500	2611 S. CRD. 1221	3	2	45,000
PINEMONT DR.	3	2	94,500	MICHIGAN	3	2	44,900
IRVIN	3	2	94,500	LEISURE	3	2	42,000
ANGELINA	3	2	94,500	KESSLER	3	2	40,000
WEDGEWOOD	3	2	94,000	PARKDALE	3	2	39,900
MAXWELL	3	3	94,000	STOREY	3	2	39,900
DENTCREST	4	2	93,600	TENNESSEE	3	1	39,900
SPRINGMONT	3	2	92,000	DEWBERRY	3	2	38,500
TODD DRIVE	2	1	90,000	FRANKLIN	2	1	37,500
FAIRHAVEN	3	3	89,500	RIC DRIVE	3	2	36,500
COMPTON	3	2	89,000	SWEETBRIAR	3	2	35,780
SHANDON	3	2	87,500	DEWBERRY	3	2	34,500
METZ	4	3	86,700	WOODCREST	3	2	34,500
SENTINEL	4	3	86,500	LOUISIANA	2	1	33,500
FM 2035 SWEATWTR	2	2	83,500	MICHIGAN	2	1	32,000
BOYD	3	2	82,000	LAKE SPENCE	2	1	29,900
CO. RD. 126	4	3	79,900	CO. RD. 62	3	2	29,500
LOCKHEED DR.	4	3	79,900	BROOKDALE	3	1	27,500
WEDGEWOOD	2	2	79,900	COTTONFLAT	3	2	26,500
GULF	3	2	77,500	GREENTREE LOT			25,000
LINDORA WAY	3	2	76,500	CALDERA	1	1	23,500
SUNSHINE PKWY	4	3	76,500	PINE	3	1	22,500
PRESTON	3	2	75,000	COLLEGE	3	1	21,900
I ST.	4	2	74,500	ILLINOIS #32	1	1	15,500
DOWNING	3	2	73,900				

JOEL OLDHAM
682-8820 or 689-9696

ROOM GALORE Charming 4 BR in Emerson Heights. Extra large bedrooms with 4 baths. 2 living areas and 2 dining areas. Enclosed patio with hot tub. Great location and priced to sell at $116,000. See today with Joel Oldham, call 682-8820 or 689-9696.

CALLING FIRST TIME BUYERS Non-qualifying. FHA Assumption. Cute 3 BR with 1-1/2 Baths. Large Kitchen. Family room with fireplace. Near elementary school. Priced to sell at $40,000. See today with Joel Oldham at 682-8820 or 689-9696.

MARILYN JO SMITH,
RELOCATION SPECIALIST
MULTI-MILLION $ PRODUCER
684-0377 689-0144

NEW LISTING ON WHITMAN-Better than new - less than one year old. Seller transferred, and anxious for offers. 3/2 ..... $91,900

ANOTHER NEW LISTING ON EMERSON-Impressive square footage. Secluded hide-a-way deck & hot tub in private courtyard off master 4 BR, 3 LA. Beautiful home..... $121,900

BOBETTE STARNES
687-2558 or 682-8820

ALMOST NEW ON DUKES DRIVE-(Polo Park) includes HOW Warranty, 5 bedrooms, 3 living areas. Lots of room for kids. Call Bobette 687-2558 or 682-8820. ..... $177,900

4703 RIC-3 bedrooms, 2 full bath with big backyard. Great for starter, Call Bobette 687-2558 or 682-8820..... $36,500

COUNTRY LIVING-3100 N. Fairgounds Rd. - 4 BR, 3 living areas, lots of space. Call Bobette 687-2558 or 682-8820 ..... $58,000

BARGAINS OF THE WEEK

ANGELINA-Lge 3 bdrm, 3 bath w/front courtyard, small lush backyard, lots of storage $94,000

SENTINAL-2 story, 4 or 5 bdrms, 3 baths, formal dining, fireplace in breakfast nook..... $86,500

3401 W. LOUISIANA-4 bdrm, 2 baths, 2 living areas. NON-QUALIFYING LOAN-Pmy $720., 12.5% int, 22 yrs remaining on note, $9,000. equity, OFFERS.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CALL CLEMMIE EXT. 142

MAY BARBER, GRI
687-5203 or 682-8820

WHILE THE INTEREST RATES ARE LOW, MAKE A LONG TERM INVESTMENT! CALL ME TO SEE THESE FAMILY HOMES.

CRENSHAW...Attractive 3 BR, 2 BA home with fireplace, sitting area in the master BR, new roof, water heater, a/c. Priced to sell!..... $52,000

CANONERO...Townhouse w/pool size back yard. Large 4 BR, 3 BA with formals, playroom, study, atrium. A steal of a deal at only..... $225,000

PAT CARL, BROKER ASSOCIATE
Off. 682-8820 Home 682-4000
Serving Midlanders for 15 years

4-2-2 MADE-FOR-YOU! Uncramp yourself in this new-to-the-market beauty with recent interior paint, carpet, other improvements. You'll love the sequestered master and its awesome closet. Gourmet kitchen! Manicured yard! Only $69,000

CUSTOM BUILT TO THE HILT! You'll fall in love with this fresh-as-spring, 2 1/2-year-old by Greg Frazier! Sequestered master suite has sitting/office area, a Texas-size closet and a separate tub and shower. Loaded with extras for $94,500

THINKING OF SELLING? Call me for a free market analysis of your home. No obligation, of course!

CAROLYN BOYD
520-4900

AFFORDABLE PIZZAZZ!!
Skylights, vaulted ceilings, atrium doors open onto beautiful patio and deck. Kitchen would be any cooks delight, w/genaire range, microwave, self cleaning oven, refrig. to stay, great master bedroom, & bath. This townhome has all the bells and whistles. Call for an appointment!!! CAROLYN BOYD 520-4900

POLLY HODGE
Expert Guidance
683-2215 or 682-8820

I Sell the X's, List the Dots and Completely Service All of the White Space.

BILLIE PERRY 694-1886
Broker, Assoc.

CRESTGATE-Fabulous 4 bdrm, Fantastic patio area. Lush landscaping master suite w/fireplace, Lee high $119,900

METZ-Owner wants offers on this very special 3/4 bdrms or study. Drastic reduction $86,700

SHELL-Immaculate 3 bdrm home, 2 full baths. Sequestered master suite - Reduced.....$58,000

MICHIGAN-Delightful 2 bdrm cottage near hospital, Midland High & Downtown Reduced $32,000

COLLEGE-Lovely 3 bdrm. New outside paint, some strom windows NEW PRICE $21,900

E. CO. RD. 126-A Cure For Country Fever - 4 bdrms, 2 story above ground pool w/deck, approximately $25,000 in updating - 1.25 ac ..... Only $79,900

Vicky McWilliams
Res. - 697-5108
Office - 682-8820

COUNTRY HOME IN THE CITY! Pretty 4 bdrm on 4 acres. Fenced with barns for horses plus pool for kids $159,000

SUPER HOME with 2 living areas on W. Shandon 3-2-2 with pool and green house that could be a cabana priced in mid 80's. **Open Sunday.**

DO YOU LIKE TREES? Then you will love this 4 bdrm home with 2 living areas, All Redone!!!

Norma Barnes
Multi-Million $ Producer
Res. 683-1334
Ofc. 682-8820

COUNTRY ESTATE-Close in! 30 acres, FM 1120 N. with 40x60 barn, 3 bedrooms, executive home with 2 fireplaces, 2 1/2 baths, tile roof, pool and so many extras its a must to see.

4 BEDROOM-Lee, Bush area - Priced in the 60's and it's as pretty as a picture. Quiet cul-de-sac location, nice trees, landscaping, won't last long!

NON-QUALIFYING 4 bedroom, 2 living areas, workshop, really pretty $61,500

NANCE BOYD
697-2728
"Reputation for Honesty"

PARADISE POOL! Privacy fence, 1/2 bath, 2 patio areas, romantic lighting! Perfect Party Home! Party room over-looking pool. Sequestered master bedroom to Die for! Unbelievable price of $105,500
Listed 1 Week!

GOLFERS-Here it is! Greentree on the course - custom built, light & bright, 2 large living areas, reinforced for additon on top! Quality everywhere! Priced at $125,000 Call Nance for showing!

PRESENT LISTINGS UNDER CONTRACT:
MONTY - $39,900 PRESTON - $75,000
KESWICK - $105,500

BILL SCOTT
682-8820 or 686-8323

MANUFACTURING OR WAREHOUSE FACILITY
Over 19,000 square feet of manufacturing or warehouse space, with approximately 3,900 square feet of office space. Heavy electrical, 2 bridge cranes, 6 jib cranes, 3 with hoists. Located on Interstate 20, just East of 158. On 5.4 acres with partial fencing. Priced at $155,000.
Call Bill Scott for package and inspection
682-8820 or 686-8323

RUTH DENISON GRI
682-8820 OR 697-5360

NON-QUALIFYING ASSUMPTION Wydewood addition. 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath. $633 mthly pmt. Large kitchen and breakfast room w/bay window, skylite. Fresh paint, wallpaper.

Call Ruth Denison, 682-8820 or 697-5360.

SANDRA McGILL, CRS, GRI
697-1717 or 559-0078

NEW LISTINGS

LEISURE DR.-3 br, 2 ba, 3 lvg., 1 cg. hot tub, storage building. This property is only $42,000

CASCADE CT-3 bd, 2 ba, 2 cg, hot tub, newer home that has been well-kept. Superior addition only..... $69,900

LIST YOUR HOME WITH A REALTOR WHO CARES ABOUT YOU AND GETTING THE MOST MONEY FOR YOUR HOME. CALL SANDRA McGILL 697-1717.

JAN MELTON
682-8820 OR
684-3864
Broker/Owner

COUNTRY CLUB-Spacious 3 bedroom, 2 bath well-built home with lovely patio and separate maids quarters. Beautiful location in older Midland. Call Jan Melton 682-8820 or 684-3864.

Space available in MISSION SQUARE Call 682-8820 for details.

PATSY BRICE
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19 Years of Moving Midlanders.

JUST LISTED 46 acres of good farm land with 25 acres of cotton allotment. Over 1500' fronts IS20 service road just West of Stanton. Perfect homesite and easy drive for the gentleman farmer who works in Midland $55,000

WONDERFUL CHANGE FROM THE ORDINARY! Impressive two story English Tudor on gorgeous corner lot! Four bedroom, 3 baths, 2 fireplaces, country kitchen, gazebo hideaway, big closets, See it today! .$99,600

Let Sheet Shoot You into a New House!

3214 BOYD-Mamar Beauty. Hot area! Cool house! Good Condition, 3/2/2 with formals, den, fireplace! Comfy & ready for YOU!

My Favorite Word is Sold!
699-4228 or 684-5893

BILLIE SHERMAN, GRI
687-5545 or 682-8820, ext 140
GREAT PROPERTIES!

NEW LISTING...DENGAR...Sleeper on the outside; charmer on the inside! 3/2/2 with huge workshop in back! $63,500

ZERO EQUITY!...Qualify for loan balance of $68,000. 20 yrs. remaining, 8% interest, $755.75 payment. FANTASTIC DEAL! Hurry! New paint, new carpet, looks marvelous! $68,000

PRINCETON...Big, BIG house on 1.25 acres. Excellent curb appeal! Austin stone set way back with large circular drive. 2 story. It's waiting for you..... $95,000

GRASSLAND...4 BR, beauty by Troy Hunt...SOLD

I ♥ FIRST TIME HOMEBUYERS!

SANDY SCOTT
682-8820 or 684-8370

NEW LISTING
Spacious 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living area home in Central location near Midland Christian School. New interior & exterior paint $55,000

LEISURE-New this week - 3 BR, 2 BA, spacious living area and super large kitchen plus sequestered master and 2 car garage $47,900

FORECLOSURE-Special financing on 4 BR, 2 1/2 BA, 2 living area home on 5 acres w/barn & pool $99,500

SUBURBAN FOR SUBURBAN: Trade you 8-11 acres for a Suburban! Nice acreage near Greenwood! This is serious!! Call me.

LIVE/MAKE MONEY: Roomy home with two bedrooms, and two efficiency apartments attached! You'll be amazed at the quality and looks!

NON-QUALIFYING! A little cash, and you're in this two-bedroom near Midkiff. Payments under $470 Equity $2,000; 19 years. 12%.

NEAR NEELY AND A: Neat, ready for move-in! $55,000 for 3 bedrooms with vaulted ceiling, skylight.

KAY HORCHLER, GRI
682-8820 or 682-6637

joyce brickey, CRS, GRI
682-3191 OR 682-8820 EXT. 127

TRINITY MEADOWS- w/beautiful pool gorgeous 4BR w/privt. stdy $164,000

GREENTREE- on the 3rd green! 2-storey; 3BR + study & extra BR $136,000

CRESTGATE- 4BR, 3 full Ba. & tiled game-room $117,000

MAXWELL- 3BR, 21/2 BA, pretty swimming pool..... $94,000

TERRACE- pretty 3BR near Fannin school $73,500

NEAR EMERSON- 3BR, Lg painted paneled LR, wood shutters/french drs $67,300

CAMARIE- Lg. 4BR, Mirrored Din.....$66,900

GREENWOOD- 3BR + 10 acres $99,000

MARIE WALTERS
682-8820 ext. 166 or 686-0501

SHELL..3 bedroom, 1.75 baths, 2 living areas, fireplace, 2 car garage with freshly painted interior. Central air & heat, water well for yard a must to see at Open Sunday $49,000

NORTHTOWN..Need room for the Children??? Don't miss this 4 bedroom, 2 baths, 3 living areas with a open flowing floor plan. Large and bright kitchen and utility room. Zoned colling for 3rd living area. All of this and more for..... $107,000

CALL MARIE WALTERS TODAY FOR YOUR OWN PRIVATE SHOWING

SELLING MIDLAND'S REAL ESTATE IS MY BUSINESS

KIRK FRENCH, GRI
"Don't Buy or Sell without me"
682-8820 or 699-0969

NEW ON MARKET- 2 or 3 BR/2BA in beautiful Old Midland. NEW carpet throughout. Gorgeous backyard with covered patio. Located on N "C" St. Low 60's.

LOCKHEED- Don't Miss this 4BR/3BA home. Hospital clean and well maintained. All you have to do is move in. Priced in the 70's.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY!
1. Low interest rates, minimum points.
2. motivated sellers.

NOW IS THE TIME TO LIST YOUR PROPERTY
1. Motivated Real Estate Agents
2. Special Marketing programs.

SPECIALS TO TAKE NOICE OF:

2203 NEELY...Reduced, new carpet, paint, spanish tiled kitchen, formal dining, 2 living, Nice yard..... $92,500

5108 DAVENTRY...Saddle Club pool and tennis. Owner will repaint, lovely Southwest decor, Will talk!..... $99,900

3416 BAUMANN... Newer roof, new paint, move-in condition corner lot with sprinkler. Poss owner carry!..... $45,000

CALL DENNIS RAMBO FOR INFORMATION "SPECIAL MARKETING PROGRAM"....683-7147 OR 682-8820 ext. 131!!!!!!

MARILYN WIER
520-SELL
"New Construction & Relocation Specialist"

RUSTIC-Bring your golf clubs!! Affordable & like new!! Loads of Light!! Make Offer!..... $129,900

CRESTMONT-Low Price in Fairmont..3 Bedrooms plus story..Excellent condition, Landscaped and sprinklered. CALL for appt. Today! Before its Gone$70,000

CULPEPPER-5 Bedrooms, 3 baths, 3 living areas & pool - Lots of space for the Bucks..... $124,500

LARRY & DEBBIE HATFIELD

SHOWS LIKE A MODEL
This home features: Grand piano-size living room bright and airy gourmet kitchen spacious formal dining-master suite plus two bedrooms in the children's wing-softly decorated with over 2200 sq. ft.-lush landscaped yard with sprinkler system. A must to see. 104,900

$O MUCH FOR $O LITTLE!
Berber carpet and beautiful hardwood floors can be found in this updated 3 bedroom large living area - formal dining - new ref. air - 16 X 20 workshop - cinder block fence. Only $49,900.

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BROKER/ASSOCIATE

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OWNER SAYS SELL NOW!

Fabulous James Morris custom home in coveted Trinity Meadows. Gorgeous custom kitchen, 2 spacious living areas, formal dining, 5 bedrooms, 5 bathrooms, 3 car garage, 2 generous yards. Call for your private showing! This is your opportunity to buy this dream home and take advantage of these low interest rates.

Roberta Aldridge
683-3424
Langston Realtors 682-9495

Classified Can 682-6222

740 Out of Town Property

40 ACRES, fenced, ½ of mineral rights included, southeastern part of Oklahoma, 687-2397.

OWNER FINANCE, $5,000 Down, nice modular home, 3 bedrooms, 2 bath on 1 ½ acres. Fenced with garden area, fruit trees, close to Lake Buchanan. Hill Country Real Estate 512-793-6497.

REDUCED- BY OWNER- Colorado City Lake- Lake front home, 3 bedrooms, 1 ¾ bath, large eat-in kitchen, den with fireplace, new fishing dock croppie house, garage, 4 carport, all on very pretty well maintained lot, can be seen by appointment by calling 550-0155 days, 570-8033 evenings/ weekends. Must see to appreciate!

750 Lots and Acreage

4510 COMANCHE - 5307 Rio Grande - 1 acre tracts on CR 1244 North. Owner finance. Charlie Goss 694-8662.

½ ACRE LOT, 56 Mary Circle near Greenwood Schools. Public water supply. $3,500. Paul Wilhite 687-3545 or 687-4598.

750 Lots and Acreage

Janier & Co.

INVEST IN LAND

CO.RD. 54 $7,500
12 x 12 wellhouse, 2.5 acres, paved road- off Hwy 1788.
GREENWOOD $14,500
2.39 acres, great for building dream house. Horse barn, plumbed water.
CO.RD. 1218 S $20,000
11 acres southwest of Hill House & Skyview estates.
Seller will consider trade.

682-1144

SACRIFICE 8 lots for quick sale. 3 Zoned, C-3 (Commercial) 5 residential. All for $15,500 or best offer. 682-0470 Owner - Broker.

4.5 ACRES with water well, South off of Cotton Flat on CR 137. $500 down, $125/ month. 694-6104.

LOT FOR SALE 1500 S. Dallas, best offers. Call 1-512-572-3439.

¼ ACRE LOT, FRANCIS Street and County Road 1205, Commercial area, $4,500. Call. 683-4295.

SELL ALL 4 continuous lots near Lee Freshman School located at 1201-03-05-07 East Magnolia. $5,000 or best offer. Call collect 9 am- 6 pm (512) 729-6638.

750 Lots and Acreage

WANTED Approximately one acre, must be reasonably price, close in to Midland, on paved road and mobile home ready. 697-2500.

2 Acres, ECR 130. Set up for mobile home, fences, wellhouse. $10,000. 685-3000

½ ACRE in Greenwood district has water well, septic tank, natural gas, $1,500. 699-0691 days, 699-1890 after 6.

50 X 140' LOT Zoned for mobile home location. 1704 Belmont.

5, 20, 40 ACRE TRACTS, partial financing. Thomas B. King- Realtors. 682-6000.

3-15 ACRE TRACTS County Road 120 and 1140 South, water well on 2 tracts, owner finance. Larry Gryder Realtors 699-1514.

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BUILD YOUR DREAM HOME!

RANCH ESTATES $2,200
Hyge lot on Shawnee, owner will finance.
GREENTREE Country Club $6,000- ea
2 townhouse lots on Greentree Blvd.
SADDLE CLUB LAKES $35,000
Great lot in beautiful addition.
682-1144

750 Lots and Acreage

LOTS IN WINDMILL ESTATES near Greenwood School. FHA approved. Public water supply. $9,000 each, owner financing at 8%. Paul Wilhite. 687-3545 or 687-4598.

760 Farms and Ranches

HUNTERS. Own your own 100 acre west Texas ranch south of Midland near Del Rio. Deer, turkey, quail, dove. $495 down. $161 per month. Owner financed. No credit check. 210-921-6476.

THE BEST BUY OF 1993
LLANO SPRINGS RANCH. 5,130 acres, 20 miles south of Junction. Beautiful water, scenic country. Excellent improvements and terms. Dont wait , call now!
Lee, Lee, & Puckitt
(915) 655-6989 days,
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770 Resort Property

LAKE SPENCE/ REDUCED 3 bedroom, 2 bath, total electric, central air and heat, fully carpeted, fireplace, city water, fully furnished, two lots, by owner, 682-8913.

770 Resort Property

NICE HOME
3 bedroom, 1¾ bath on Stamford Lake for sale or trade for house in Midland. 817-864-8063.

CEDAR COVE DEVELOPMENT at Lake Spence, ½ acre lot, boat ramp on development. Priced $4,000 to $13,000. Financing available. Call for brochure. 366-8425.

IVIE RESERVOIR LOTS - Several Midland area people have been purchasing Ivie Lake front property and paying 6, 8, and 10 thousand dollars per acre for these small lots (2 - 5 acres).
I am a rancher, not a developer. My family has been in Concho County since 1879. I would like to sell 3 tracts of land to persons interested in acreage, water and privacy at $2,000 per acre.
Here is what I have: 50 acres high on a hill (you can see for miles) with probably a quarter mile of water frontage on two sides for $100,000; two other tracts, 20 and 23 acres with 300 ft. of frontage each for $40,000 each. You can subdivide them if you want. I don't want to mess with it.
These are cash prices. Call San Angelo, 915-944-8730.

770 Resort Property

UROWN SPRING FED LAKE, Frio river frontage; large house; Leakey area; will trade for income producing property in Midland. Owner/ Broker. 682-0204.

One of the best on big lake Buchanan, 3 bedroom, 2½ bath, fireplace, wet bar in game room, boat dock with electric lift. Hill Country Real Estate. (512) 793-6497.

LAKE SPENCE MOBILE HOME with central air on deeded 2 acre lot $12,500 with financing available at 10% interest- 687-3013.

LAKE SWEETWATER
Get away from it all to this beautiful 2 bedroom lake home on 35.5 acres with view of water and woods. REDUCED to $83,500. Call Sandy Scott.
RE/MAX of Midland
684-0370,682-8820

780 Business Property

HUGE PRICE REDUCTION SALE-2900 W. Front- The Big Purple Building. 32,000 sq. ft. masonry, fenced, paved. Net cash $159,000. 684-8222.

HUGE PRICE REDUCTION SALE-1200 S. Big Spring, 12,500 sq. ft. Brick, paved, fenced. Net cash $59,000. 684-8222.

780 Business Property

HUGE PRICE REDUCTION SALE-1802- 1804 S. Rankin, 2 adjoining stores, 3,300 sq. ft. Masonry, refrigerated. Net cash $49,000. 684-8222.

HUGE PRICE REDUCTION SALE-The most beautiful commercial building in Midland. #26 Village Shopping Center, 8,400 sq. ft. Net cash $159,000. 684-8222.

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BIG SPRING STREET
Over 4,000 sq. ft. Excellent for retail business. High traffic area. Owner will consider financing....$62,900.
682-1144

790 Investment Property

30 ACRES for single or multi-family adjacent to Greenwood Schools. Public water supply. $135,000. Paul Wilhite 687-3545 or 687-4598.

Don Harvey, Realtors

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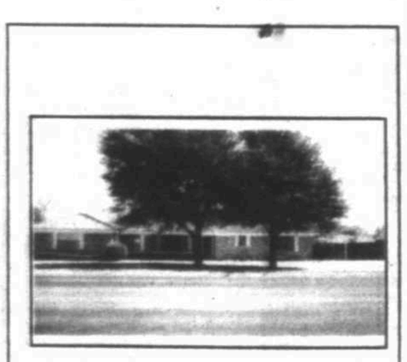
STANOLIND-3br, 3.5ba, kb, fd, 2la, fpl, 2-car garage..$250,000
CHOATE - 5br, ld, 2frpl, 3 car garage,4ba, 2La,PRETTY$225,000
TEAKWOOD - 3br, fd, 2LA, 2frpl, 2-car garage, 3.5ba....$238,000
ORIOLE.....UNDER CONTRACT.....Corporate
GREENTREE-4br,5ba,2LA,beautifulview,quality+$219,000
SEQUOIA-4br,3ba,2la,fd,kb,custom built.....$199,999
GARFIELD-4br,7ba,2la,ld,kb,fpl,pool,3-cargarage....$187,500
SUNRISECT-4br,3ba,2La,fd,kb,3-cargarage,fpl...$179,000
SUNRISECT-4br,3ba,2la,fd,2-fpl,2-cargarage...$174,900
RADCLIFF-4br,4ba,2la,fd,kb,2fpl,3-cargarage...$184,500
CARRINGTON-4br,3.5ba,2la,fd,fpl,3-cargarage..$168,500
DRIEXEL-4br,3ba,2la,fd,kb,fpl,3-cargarage.....$167,500
CARRINGTON.....UNDER CONTRACT.....KarenFoster
PRINCETON-4ba,3ba,2la,fd,kb,fpl,2-carcarport.$154,900
COVENTRY-.....UNDER CONTRACT...KarenFoster
NORTHFIELD-4br,3ba,2la,fd,kb,fpl,2-cargarage..$149,900
ROSEWOOD-4br,3ba,2la,kb,fd,fpl,3-cargarage...$145,000
WOODHOLLOW.....UNDER CONTRACT....KaySutton
CORD30-2br,2ba,la,fd,kb,fpl,4acres,pool,Goldenrod$135,000
CASTLEFORD-4br,3ba,la,fd,kb,2fpl,plankfloor...$133,700
BEDFORD-3br,3.75ba,2la,2-cargarage,fpl.....$132,900
CORD1185-3br,1.75ba,2la,fd,bb,fpl,2-cargarage...$125,000
PRINCETON-4br,3ba,3la,ld,kb,fpl,2-carcarport...$129,500
MTVERNON-4br,3ba,2la,kb,ld,2fpl,2-cargarage...$119,500
NORMANDY.....UNDER CONTRACT....Corporate
METZ-4br,2.5ba,2-cargarage,bb,kb.....$117,500
PRINCETON-4br,2.75ba,2la,kb,ld,fpl,2-cargarage...$117,00
HEATHER-4br,3.5ba,3la,kb,fd,fpl,2-cargarage.....$109,900
CRESTWOOD-4br,fpl,2-cargarage,3ba,1LA.....$109,000
PECAN-3br,fd,bb,fpl,2-cargarage,2ba,1la.....$108,500
ST ANDREWS- duplex, 3br, la, 3ba, fd.....$105,000
CASTLEFORD.....UNDER CONTRACT....KarenFoster
OAKMONT-4br,kb,fd,fpl,2-cargarage,2ba.....$100,000
BRIGHTON-3br,2ba,la,fd,kb,2fpl,2-cargarage...$97,500
METZ.....UNDER CONTRACT.....Kay Sutton
BRIGHTON-3br,2ba,ld,fpl,2-cargarage,waterwell.$94,900
CORD1090-2br,2ba,la,fpl,2-cargarage,Greenwood...$92,500
MELVILLE-2br, 2ba, la, kb, fd, fpl, 2-car garage...$92,500
COMMUNITY-3br,3ba,2la,fpl,kb,2-carcarport....$87,500
BRUNSWICK-3br,2ba,la,kb,bb,fpl,2-cargarage...$87,700
CRESTMONT-3br,2ba,la,fpl,2-cargarage,custombuilt.$86,500
PRINCETON-3br,2LA,fpl,2ba,mintcondition!.....$85,000
PURPLESAGE-3br,2ba,la,fpl,2-cargarage,skylights...$83,500
DAVENTRY.....UNDER CONTRACT.....KaySutton
LEHIGH.....UNDER CONTRACT....Corporate
PECAN-4br,2ba,2la,bb,kb,fpl,2-car garage.....$79,900
BROADWAY-4br,2ba,3la,fd,OldMidlandCharm..$79,900
ST ANDREWS-4br, 2.5ba, 1la, fpl, fd....$79,900
LEHIGH-.....UNDER CONTRACT.....Karen Foster
PRINCETON-3ba, 2ba, kb, fpl, 2-car garage.....$76,100
STANOLIND-3br,1.75ba,2la,2-cargarage,fpl.....$74,500
LEHIGH-4br, 2ba, la, fpl, 2-car garage.....$73,900
WARD-.....UNDER CONTRACT.....Corporate
LANHAM-OldMidland,3br,2ba,2cargarage,pool.....$69,900
WINDSOR-3br,2ba,2la,ld,kb,fpl,2-cargarage...$67,500
NEELY-.....UNDER CONTRACT....KaySutton
BELLGROVE.....UNDER CONTRACT.....KaySutton
LASALLE-3br,2ba,la,kb,fpl,2-cargarage,tobebuilt..$63,500
HOYA-3br,2ba,lafpl,2-cargarage,beautifulyard...$62,900
CANADIAN.....UNDER CONTRACT.....KathyPhillips
SPRUCE.....UNDER CONTRACT.....Corporate
MARCIE LANE.....UNDER CONTRACT....Corporate
WOODLAWN-3br,2ba,2la,kb,cf,oldMidland...$55,000
DENGAR-3br,1.75ba,la,fpl,largebackyard.....$53,000
STANOLIND-3br,2ba,2la,fd,fpl,nicefamilyhome...$52,500
CANADIAN-3br,2ba,la,fpl,kb,fd,2-cargarage.....$51,500
CANADIAN-3br,2ba,la,ld,fpl,seq master.....$51,500
MARYCIRCLE.....UNDER CONTRACT..KathyPhillips
LOUISIANA-3br,2ba,la,1-cargarage,prigpad,dogrun..$48,000
HARVARD-3br,1.75ba,2la,fpl,1-cargarage....$46,500
TANNER-3br,2ba,la,fpl,2-cargarage,nicefirplan...$46,000
ILLINOIS-3br,1.5ba,2la,kb,ld,1-cargarage.....$45,000
DENGAR-WonderfulDuplexorLargefamilyhome...$45,000
RAYMOND-3br,ld,fpl,2ba,2LA.....$45,000
FM715-2br,2ba,2la,fd,kb,cf,2-cargarage.....$44,900
PRINCETON-3br, 2ba, la, fpl, immaculate....$44,000
SHELL-3br, 2ba, la, kb, 2-car garage....$43,900
EISENHOWER-3br,2ba,la,fpi,2-cargarage.....$41,500
OHIO-3br, 2ba, la, kb, ld, fpl.....$39,900
WADLEY-2br, 2ba, la, fpi, 2-car carport.....$39,500
EISENHOWER-3br,1.75ba,kb,bb,la,1-cargarage..$39,000
SENTINEL-3br, 2 ba, la, fpl.....$36,900
RIC-3br, 2ba, la, bb, kb, 1-car garage.....$35,000
WILSHIRE.....UNDER CONTRACT....Kathy Phillips
KESSLER-4br,2ba,la,kb,ld,greatstarterhome..$32,000
TANNER-3br,1 ba, la, 1-car carport, clean.....$29,900
ERIE-3br, 1.75ba, la, 1-car garage.....$29,500
DELMAR-3br, 2ba, la,1-car garage.....$29,500
ILLINOIS-3br,2ba,1LA,bestlittlebrickhome.....$29,000
CUTHBERT-3br,1 ba,la,nicestarterhome.....$28,900
KENTUCKY-3br,2ba,la,kb,CLEAN.....$28,000
MISSOURI-2br, 1ba, la, 1carport, fpi.....$27,500
TENNESSEE.....UNDER CONTRACT.....Corporate
KENT-3br,1-cargarage,1ba,1 la.....$25,000
DALLAS-3br, 2ba, la, kb, 1-car garage.....$23,500
HOLLOWAY-2br, 1ba, la, ld, 1-car garage.....$23,000
MCMORRIS-3br,ba,la,fd,kb,1c,Stanton.....$22,000
ERIE-3br, 2ba, 2la, ld, kb, 1-car garage.....$22,000



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LOOKING FOR A CONDO?? Nice condominium available at Chandele Condos. Unit is located on a corner with easy access to parking. Light unit with lots of privacy. Two bedrooms, 2 baths, and is priced under $40,000. Call KAY SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

TOTALLY DIFFERENT, TOTALLY UNIQUE!! If you like modern contemporary and really differnt this is one to see! Stucco exterior with tile roofing, extremely high ceilings with huge expanse of glass. Triangular shaped rooms, indoor atrium, quarry tile flooring, four bedrooms, 7 baths, inground pool privately surrounded by house. Gotta see it!!! Call KAY SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

WONDERFUL CUSTOM PLAN ON GOLF COURSE! This beautiful 3 bedroom, 3 bath, 2 living area home can be yours for $165,500. Has formal dining, gourmet kitchen for the gourmet chef of your family, 3rd bedroom can be a study, wet bar, sprinkler system, covered patio for the hot West Texas afternoons, lots of bookcases, plus much much more....Call MARTHA GALYEAN, Associate, evenings, 689-0776.

LOVELY COMFORTABLE HOME! This home features 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 living areas, fireplace, covered patio, nice yard with mature trees, sprinkler system. Convenietly located close to shopping and schools, 1-car garage with extra parking pad. For more information, please call MARTHA GALYEAN, Associate, evenings, 689-0776.

SPECIAL FEATURES

A WORLD OF LIVING in this 4 bedroom, 3 bath home. Living room and separate formal dining. Big paneld den with fireplace and wet bar. You will love the enclosed sunroom with hot tub. Within walking distance to schools and convenient to shopping. Call for an appoinment to see--KAREN FOSTER, Associate, evenings, 697-4434.

OLD MIDLAND-URBANDALE: Listed at $87,500, 3 bedrooms, 2 living areas, nice condition with neutral carpet, hardwood floors, big backyard, pretty landscpaing, sprinkler system. two outdoor storage buildiongs, garden space, outdoor grill, big patio, all ready for you to use as Spring and Summer approach!! Call KAY SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

GREAT AREA, SUPER PRICE! Very nice 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, 1 living area home. Great kitchen with eat-in dining areas, large laundry room and a 1-car garage. Front and back yards are immaculate with a storage building in back. Don't miss this one!! For more information, call KATHY PHILLIPS, Associate, evenings, 699-6287.

RECENTLY REDUCED: STYLE THAT REMINDS YOU OF GRANDMA: in Old Midland this home has a veranda style front porch enhanced with nice bay windows sitting on a wonderfuly sized lot. Lots of character in this type plan, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, small room off living room with lots of windows, suitable for hobbies or sunroom. Just what you need for a complete "country look". Call KAY SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

PRICE REDUCED AND A 2% BUYER INCENTIVE. Call us now for details. This 3 bedroom, 2 bath home is well located. Large open living area with a fireplace and formal dining. Kitchen and breakfast area. Owner transferred. Call KAREN FOSTER, Associate, evenings, 697-4434.

ONE OF A KIND, DOLL HOUSE!! This home is ready to move into. Immaculate 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Light and bright kitchen with alot of updating. New carpet, new paint and vinyl. You will be delighted. Priced in the 20's. Please call KATHY PHILLIPS, Associate, evenings, 699-6287.

ATTENTION INVESTORS--Income property or home with support of a rental. Duplex in great location, walking distance to school, each unit has 3 large bedrooms, 3 baths, kitchen with built-ins, huge living area with fireplace, 2-car garage. Renters paradise. Call KAREN FOSTER, Associate, evenings, 697-4434.

BETTER THAN NEW IN VISTA WEST: Three bedroom, 2 bath, large single living area, separate formal dining. Immaculate and beautiful with style and character. Established landscaping, lots of windows, high ceilings, built-in bookcases, window seats in bedrooms, 2-car garage, sprinklers, convenient to schools and shopping. Call KAY SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

GREAT OPPORTUNITY! Own this brick comfortable home in a neighborhood of nice homes. Six feet concrete block fence, updated bath, large kitchen and formal dining room. Three bedrooms and 1-car garage. Don't miss this one. Call ANNE BREEDING, Associate, evenings, 682-1809.

OWNER IS CALIFORNIA BOUND!! Take this opportunity to own a 3 bedroom, 2 bath house north of Thomason. New paint, new carpet, fenced yard. Brick home with modern floor plan. You'll love this one! Call ANNE BREEDING, Associate, evenings, 682-1809.

MOCKINGBIRD HEIGHTS....Invest in the future! Plenty of room of this acreage in the prestigious Green Tree area. Let us tell you about the advantages of this property. Call ANNE BREEDING, Associate, evenings, 682-1809.

BEST KEPT SECRET is this home for under $30,000. Two living areas or living and formal dining, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, and extra parking in the back. A brick home with lots of charm. Owner will look at all offers! Call BEVERLY DWYER, Associate, evenings, 682-5903.

COUNTRY HOME BUILDING SITE--Acreage in country, perfect location for building your new ranch house. Enough land to include orchard, pens, corrals, vegetable garden, alfalfa, grazing or just wide open spaces. All you country folks can call K.C. OFFIELD, Associate, evenings, 684-7241.

LAST CHANCE TO ASSUME $350 PER MONTH--Call me now to obtain details on assuming 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, gorgeous home in Wilshire Heights. Owner must have offers soon. Home is in great condition, on corner lot, nice backyard, 1-car garage and new paint throughout. K.C.OFFIELD, Associate, is always the one to call, evenings, 684-7241.

PRIVACY IN THE COUNTRY!! Tires of living right next door to those neighbors? Can you look out your kitchen window and into the neighbors dining room and tell what the're having for lunch? Relaese yourself from the restrictions of city life and move into a beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath country charmer. Enjoy evenings, by the fire in the grand family room, don't overlook the formal dining, updated kitchen and childrens playroom or study. Mature trees and room for horse? YES!! Workshop? YES!! Priced right? YES!! Call K.C.OFFIELD, Associate, evenings, 684-7241.

$23,000 BEAUTY WON'T LAST LONG--Redone inside and what a surprise, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths ready for a new family. Big ktichen for more than one cook, large dining room, some hardwood flooring the rest is carpet. Sequestered master bedroom is oversized and has private bath, 1-car garage. Don't wait--call K.C.OFFIELD, Associate, evenings, 684-7241.

CUTE NEAT HOME!! Newly painted inside and ou, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath home in nice area near schools and shopping. Reduced recently to only $23,000. For miore information and a special showing, please call KATHY PHILLIPS, Associate, evenings, 699-6287.

NEW HOME ON A CUL-DE-SAC: In Plantation Hills, gorgeous red and white brick; 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, 2 living areas with double sided fireplace to both rooms. Family room adjoins with kitchen that is spacious and neat! High ceilings with character, sequestered master has large bath with jacuzzi tub and big his 'n' hers closets. Big backyard and all the amenities of new construction. Lived in less than a year, a MUST SEE!!! Call KAY.SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

IT'S UNBEATABLE! Another Jim Rasnick home in Polo Park featuring 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, single living area with a formal dining room, gourmet kitchen. For more details, please call KAREN FOSTER, Associate, evenings, 697-4434.

GREAT DEAL IN WILSHIRE PARK: Priced at 41,500. Will make good investment for a rental, or a super home for you!! Three bedrooms, 2 full baths, 2-car garage, heating and air conditioned, has a fireplace too. Call KAY SUTTON for your tour, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

TRIED AND TESTED: LIVED IN LESS THAN A YEAR: Pristine condition, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large living area, beautiful and stylish kitchen with neutral colors. Two-car garage, sprinkler system, established landscaping. Located in Vista West and a great neighborhood. Call KAY SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

LUXURY LIVING in this distinctive home in Green Tree. Three or 4 bedrooms, large master suite with fireplace and private courtyard leading into backyard with a pool and hot tub. Gourmet kitchen for the lady of the house, balcony overlooks massive living room. Call to see today, KAREN FOSTER, Associate, evenings, 697-4434.

PRICE REDUCED on this elegant family home an excellent location. A 4 bedroom, 2 bath, large open living and dining areas. New carpet. Priced at $79,900. Call KAREN FOSTER, Associate, evenings, 697-4434.

REDUCED!! NOW $29,500, reduced $4,000. Does that help you? With the lower interest rates you may need to look again.....Three bedrooms, 2 baths, sigle living areas. Has attached garage with front drive. Close to schools, available now, call KAY SUTTON, Associate, evenings, 694-8640.

A GREAT INVESTMENT DEAL. Fannin Disctrict, Three bedrooms, 2 baths, and amazingly clean and neat. Beautiful neutral tone decor. Extras everywhere. Large heated double garage. Sink in utility, telephone jacks in every room. Carport workshop a plus. Call ANNE BREEDING, Associate, evenings, 682-1809.

NEW ON MARKET...Completely redecorated home with large kitchen / dining area. New paint, cabinets. Yard looks like Spring. Three bedrooms, 2 baths and 1-car garage. Call ANNE BREEDING, Associate, for more information, evenings, 694-8640.

READ TO DEAL....Make an offer on this clean / neat well-decorated home. Perfect for youn couple or retirees. Big trees, nice fenced yard. What a bargain!!!! Call ANNE BREEDING, Associate, for your personal tour, eveings, 682-1809.

THIRTY THOUSAND SOMETHING--An especially spacious home with 3 bedrooms and 2 baths. One of my personal favorites--has long stone fireplace, vertical blinds, nice carpet, unusual shelving, living / dining combination. Backyard is sizable, bricked patio ready for your summer barbeques. Plenty of space in bedrooms, nice closets, some recent paint. Call K.C.OFFIELD, Associate, evenings, 684-7241.

FOUR BEDROOMS AT $117,000--Beautiful Old Midland home with fabulous room arrangement. Two living areas, traditional fireplace, loads of space. Don't forget the bonus room for an office or hobby spot. Front entry garage on really quiet street close to First Baptist, stadium and hospital. Call K.C. OFFIELD, Associate, for all the information, evenings, 684-7241.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO GO TO ARUBA--Blue waters and suntans can be had, right in your own backyard. A deap blue pool comes with 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, a huge gameroom perfect for pool table (500+ square feet, formal dining, den and roomy kitchen / breakfast area. Security system for family protection. Could be updated with minimal cost. If you want a classic call K.C.OFFIELD, Associate, evenings, 684-7241.

WOULDN'T IT BE BETTER to buy an "almost new" home that has established landscaping and love by decoarating. This wonderful home is in one of the best areas of town with a great school cluster. Come see this nice family home and get BEVERLY DWYER, Associate, to show you how to get financing on it, evenings, 682-5903.

THREE CAR LOTS EACH WITH DIFFERENT APPEAL--Two on Wall Street, one on Florida could be just the place to start really making some good revenue and turning those deals. Priced to sell! Call K.C. OFFIELD, Associate, evenings, 684-7241.

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COMMERCIAL

WALL-car lot	$250,000
BIG SPRING - one half city block	$135,000
WALL....car lot	$100,000
FLORIDA-car lot	$85,000
WALL-car lot	$55,000

LOTS AND ACREAGE

HWY 307-40acres	$160,000
FM 715	$44,900
FM 307	$26,500
SAN CLEMENTE-Odessa	$25,000
CR 120 E-10 acres	$25,000
MCMORRIS	$22,000
CO RD 1243	$16,900
CO RD 1247	$12,900
CO RD 56 W	$7,500
WEDGEWOOD-8 Lots	$7,500
CO RD 125	$6,000
PINION	$4,500
HARVARD	$3,500
SIESTA	$1,800
HICKORY-6 Lots	$1,000

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LOUISIANA-$48,000
NICE LOCATION!
3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, Living / Dining Combo, Nice Big Kitchen, Nice Big Yard, Dog Run in the Back for Sparky!
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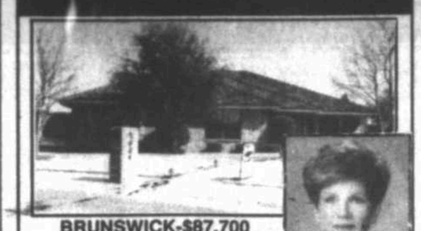

BRUNSWICK-$87,700
QUIET CUL-DE-SAC: BIGGER LOT
3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, Single Living / Dining Combo, Breakfast Area
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CHOATE-$225,000
BEAUTIFUL YARD!
5 Bedrooms, 4 Baths, 2 Living Areas, 2 Fireplaces, 3-Car Garage, A Must See...
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BEDFORD-$132,900
JUST REDUCED!!
4 Bedrooms, 4 Baths, 2 Living Areas, Hardwood Floors, Beautiful Yard...
Talk to K.C. OFFIELD-682-7241

TEAKWOOD-$238,000
WELL MAINTAINED HOME
3 Bedrooms, 4 Baths, 2 Living Areas, 2 Fireplaces, Pool, Lots of Storage
Talk to KAREN FOSTER- 697-4434

OHIO-$39,900
CUTE WITH CHARACTER
3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, Living / Dining Combo, Sunroom, Recently Reduced.....
Talk to KAY SUTTON-694-8640

DENGAR-$53,000
GREAT FLOORPLAN
3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, Living Area, Fireplace, Big Yard....
Talk to MARTHA GALYEAN-689-0776

STANOLIND-$74,500
CUTE HOUSE!!
3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, 2 Living Areas, Fireplace, Big Trees, 2-Car Garage..
Talk to BEVERLY DWYER-682-5903

CANADIAN-$51,500
NEAT, CLEAN HOME
3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, Living Area, Fireplace, 2-Car Garage....
Talk to MARLENE GROCE-697-0927

HOYA-$64,500
GREAT FOR THE GROWING FAMILY
3 Bedrooms, 2 Baths, Living Area, Fireplace, Formal Dining, 2-Car Garage
Talk to KAREN FOSTER-697-4434

TANNER-$29,900
PERFECT STARTER HOME
3 Bedrooms, 1 Bath, Living Areas, Ceiling Fans, 1-Car Carport
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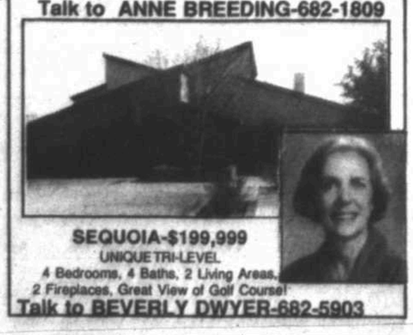

SEQUOIA-$199,999
UNIQUE TRI-LEVEL
4 Bedrooms, 4 Baths, 2 Living Areas, 2 Fireplaces, Great View of Golf Course!
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OIL REPORT

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BRIEFING

Gas flares

Gas prices flared this week, increasing to $1.94 on the futures market as the week drew to a close.

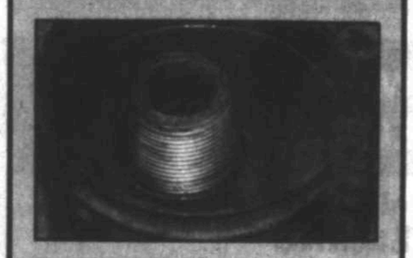
Oil prices, after hitting a five-month high late last week, had retreated to $20.13 on the futures market by the end of the week, while the posted price fell to $18.75.

Please see GRAPHIC/7E

Pipeline value

WASHINGTON, D.C. — For the third year in a row, there was a significant increase in the dollar value of the natural gas pipeline and gas storage projects that were completed or underway during 1992, American Gas Association President Michael Baly said today.

"Together with a substantial increase in compression, these developments and other previously reported expansion projects could led to more than 23 billion cubic feet per day (Bcf/d) in additional pipeline capacity," said Baly, announcing the release of an annual A.G.A. pipeline construction report. "Such a major investment by the industry shows that we are committed to meeting the changing needs of all our new and existing customers."



Rig counts

Both the Permian Basin and U.S. rig counts fell during the week ended March 5, according to Baker Hughes Inc.

In the Permian Basin, the rig count fell six to 110 but remains abovethe year-ago level of 98 rigs.

Nationally, Baker Hughes said the rig count slumped 43 to 620 rigs, well below the year ago count of 660.

Among the major oil producing states, Louisiana posted the sharpest drop, 11 rigs, followed by Oklahoma with nine rigs and Texas with seven rigs. No state posted an increase.

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Safety award

DALLAS — Two Permian Basin well service companies have been honored for outstanding safety in well service operations by the Association of Oilwell Service Contractors (AOSC)

Receiving the Silver Award was Globe Well Service of Big Lake and Iraan and receiving the Bronze Award was Charles J. George Inc. of Odessa. Winners were awarded in five groups according to the number of manhours worked.

More money

Mitchell Energy & Development Corp. says it will substantially increase capital outlays for oil and gas drilling in fiscal 1994, which began Feb. 1.

Exploration and Production Division consolidated capital spending for drilling has been budgeted at $35 million, compared with outlays of $24.4 million last year. Separately, the division will manage an additional $70 million of capital expenditures planned by MEC Development, Ltd., a drilling partnership operated by Mitchell Energy. Last year, MEC Development's expenditures totaled $50 million.

Pemex getting softer

■ Mexico's national oil company moves to modernize, seeks outside help.

N.Y. Times News Service

MEXICO CITY — After decades of isolation from foreign influence, Petroleos Mexicanos is reaching out for all sorts of help from foreigners as it tries to make itself into a modern oil giant in the image of an Exxon or a Shell. But the transformation has run into an unusual self-imposed barrier that is sidelining the company as a major source of export revenue for a nation that badly needs to earn more dollars.

Pemex, as the state-owned company is known, is offering petrochemical plants for sale to foreigners, hiring American companies to drill wells, shedding tens of thousands of workers and selling off many secondary operations like those making valves, pumps and ships. And it has even come close to doing the unthinkable under Mexican law: pledging oil as collateral for foreign loans — a practice outlawed after Mexico nationalized the industry in 1938.

In Mexico's grand vision, the most important goal is to greatly increase exports of manufactured goods to pay for a huge influx of American products. Until that happens, Pemex remains the nation's biggest export earner, bringing in 30 percent of all the dollars that Mexico received in 1992 from its sales abroad.

But ask Pemex officials what they are doing to increase production and sell more oil to foreigners — thus helping to keep the nation's finances afloat — and the answer comes back that Pemex has no intention of raising exports.

"We do not want a policy of greatly expanding production, or anything like that," Francisco Rojas, general director of Pemex, said in an interview, setting forth a policy not so bluntly stated before by a high government official. "For the moment," Rojas added, "the

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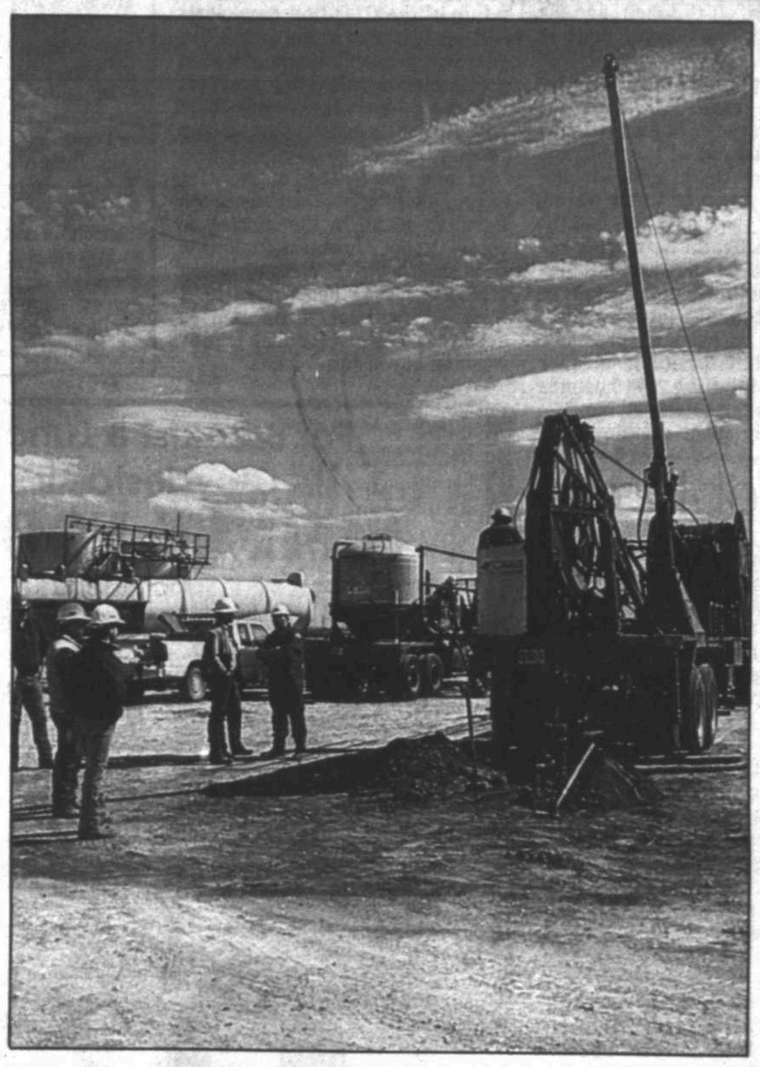

Left, officials of the Texas Railroad Commission and Chevron production engineers observe the unique coiled tubing unit on a well-plugging job near Greenwood. Above, TRC Region Director Mark Henkhaus examines the power wheel of the unit.

Coiled tubing unit plugs wells

■ Coiled tubing unit is setting new standard in well plugging operations.

By John Paul Pitts
Business/Oil editor

A fabricated coiled tubing unit (CTU) could set the pace for well-plugging in the Permian Basin.

Built by Triple N Services Inc. of Midland, the unit is specially designed to plug wells around 5,000 feet deep, in which the casing has been left in the hole.

"It is not an application to fit all plugging purposes," said Jim Newman, a principal in the family-owned service company, "but there are plenty of applications where it can be put to work. About half the wells we plug are 5,000 feet and under."

Fred Newman, another owner of the company, said Triple N began design of the CTU in September 1991, completed fabrication in October 1992, and has since plugged 45 wells with the unit. "It works great and saves time and money."

He said the technology combines speed with simplicity, making it possible for three men to do in five hours what 10 guys take all day to do.

Newman enumerated the savings: "A major plugging job takes lots of people, lots of time and lots of equipment and that translates to lots of money."

He said the CTU automatically eliminated the need for a $100 an hour pulling unit, the need for a work string to be trucked in, the need for a forklift to unload it, and the need for a wireline unit in

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OIL & TAXES

Independents ponder tax choices

By Mella McEwen
Staff writer

Last year, Congress enacted legislation that offered relief to oil and gas producers under the Alternative Minimum Tax.

Trott

Independent producers, however, must make several key decisions in planning the income tax results they desire, caution energy tax experts.

The biggest change independents will find, said Don Trott, president of Trott & Co. certified public accountants, is in handling of statutory depletion.

He explained that statutory depletion in excess of the lease tax basis, once depletion claimed has exceeded lease costs, has be come a tax preference item and added into the figures used to compute alternative minimum taxable income.

After 1992, statutory depletion in excess of the taxpayer's income tax basis in an oil and gas property will not be a tax preference item. Trott added that, additionally, for corporate taxpayers, adjusted current earnings adjustment figures as a component of AMTI will not have to include statutory depletion or intangible drilling costs after 1992.

"What I've seen with our clients," said Trott, "is that their income has been improving over the last few years, but the annual limitations on claiming statutory depletion has been 65 percent. As their income rose, they were able to carry over depletions for years. Now they can take the depletion, but it wasn't providing much benefit because it was added back in computing the AMTI. AMTI was 24 percent and the regular tax rate was 31 percent, so at best they were getting only a 7 percent deduction. Now they're getting a 31 percent deduction."

John Swords of Dallas, national director of energy taxation for Coopers & Lybrand, noted that intangible drilling costs remain a preference item for AMT "to the extent they exceed 65 percent of net income from oil and gas. The 1992 special energy deduction gives partial relief for this preference at a rate of 15 percent for development wells and 75 percent of exloratory wells."

He added that "In 1993, the IDC pref-

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Depletion rate rises

By Mella McEwen
Staff writer

Oil and gas producers have been reminded that the percentage depletion rate for marginal production for 1992 is 18 percent. The rate change results from tax law changes made in the Revenue Reconciliation Act of 1990.

Don Trott, president of Trott & Co. certified public accountants, said that this depletion rate on stripper wells and heavy oil is for 1992 only.

"The Internal Revenue Service determines the representative price for oil each year. If the representative price is less than $20, then for each full dollar below

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JOHN PAUL PITTS

Confusion plagues Clinton energy team

Pitts

If the Clinton energy camp seems in disarray, perhaps it is because the Clinton energy camp is in disarray. At least that is what some would make of the confusion, discontent, incompetence and shallow planning surrounding the new president's policy and policymakers.

Sources say there is serious shortage of brain power and experience among Clinton's energy appointments, that the president is finding it extremely difficult to fill positions below the cabinet level, and the problem is nowhere near being solved.

When Secretary of Defense Les Aspin was hospitalized recently, it was reported that the next in command at Defense was a Bush apointee nine levels below Aspin.

Why is Clinton finding it so difficult to find good help? Several theories are offered for this drought of expertise:

Theory 1. — The Democrats have been out of power for so long on the administrative side that they have not had opportunity to develop hands-on political leadership.

Theory 2. — Because the Democratic Party is basically liberal and because business leaders are generally conservative, there is a drought of high-level business expertise in the Party from which to choose, leaving basically attorneys, social activists and professors from which to choose.

"The Democrats apparently have a very shallow talent pool from which to fish," said the executive of a regional oil and gas association.

Theory 3. — Those with expertise are not anxious to serve in the Clinton administration because (a) they don't agree with Clinton's policies, or (b) they don't want to endure the hassles that go with public office.

Theory 4. — One broad consensus theory is that expertise and qualifications are not the top priorities of the Clinton administration — that he is more social agenda orientated. Certainly, his appointments todate of liberal ideologues-lawyer-activist-environmental-minority-classmate types, has not nothing to discourage that theory.

The appointment of Hazel O'-Leary, an executive of a northern power company, to be Energy Secretary still has many scratching their head in wonderment. No heavyweight by any stretch of the imagination, her only previous qualifications for the job were that she helped administer the failed energy policies of Jimmy Carter.

Then there are the recent FERC appointments: Robert Sussman, a Washington attorney and former Harvard classmate of Clinton's who will become an assistant administrator at FERC and David Gardiner, former legislative director of the Sierra Club who will direct policy, planning and administration at FERC.

The "shallow pool" theory began to grow in ernest in February when sev-

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RIG: Innovative CTU rig plugs wells

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certain cases.

But in addition to savings in equipment, the CTU plugging unit also works faster.

"We can run in the hole at 100 feet an hour and out of the hole at 400 feet an hour, whereas it will take a pulling unit an hour to rig up and up to two hours to run in 4,000 feet of tubing."

Newman said the company got the idea for the simple and efficient unit because the oil patch was looking for ways to do things cheaper with fewer people and less money.

"Efficiency is easy to sell in the oil patch because of the high cost of employees — the cost of workmen's comp, health insurance and other employee costs."

Newman said the CTU reduces the typical plugging bill by 20 percent, but could go lower once the firm recovers its research and development costs.

He also noted that it answers the environmental problem of spillage.

Mark Henkhaus, District 8 director of the Texas Railroad Commission, along with several officials of Chevron, was on site to observe the unit, and noted that his office was pleased with the operation of the unit and said it would probably find wide application in the Permian Basin.

"Units like this have been used in East Texas, but to my knowledge this is the only unit of its kind in the Permian Basin," Henkhaus said.

Newman confirms that it is a one-of-a-kind unit and says that the entire unit was fabricated by Hojo Machine Shop in Midland using off-the-shelf hardware. All the sprockets are off-the-shelf, and the hydraulic fittings were supplied by Rolltex Inc., but Newman noted that innovation had to be used for some of the parts.

"The powerwheel which runs the tubing in and out of the well was from an old Alpha pumping unit which was manufactured during the boom of the early '80s, and the bladder which inflates with air and puts tension on the coiled tubing string is nothing more than an eight-foot section of three-inch fire hose. Using 100 psi of air pressure, the make-shift inflatable bladder is capable of putting 20,000 pounds pressure on the tubing string."

The supply spool contains 6,000 feet of 1½ inch tubing, which sells for about $1.80 a foot. Newman says the string, which is constantly being bent and spooled, should last for about 500,000 running hours.

One innovative addition that has paid off is the installation of a wireline unit on the back of the CTU. Said Newman: "It permits us to go in the hole and set a bridge plug or perforate the casing for squeezing. With the CTU you can do anything you want in five hours or less."

So convinced is Newman of the future of the CTU that he expects half his business at the end of this year will probably be the result of the specialized plugging machine, and he said he will probably build another unit to accomodate deeper wells.

"I think you will see an increase of coiled tubing applications in the Permian Basin in the months to come. Nobody wants to take the time to screw two joints of tubing together if they don't have to. I think you will see them used on deep gas wells and for such jobs as washing out disposal wells."

DEPLETE

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$20, producers get an additional percentage point depletion on stripper well and heavy oil production. The IRS determined in April of 1992 that the reference point for all of 1991 was $16.50; that's three full dollars below $20, so producers got three percentage points ore. Chances are for 1993 — they won't publish the reference price for 1992 for another month — but it won't be $16.50; it may be $19 so at best we're looking at 16 percent or, if they determine it was $19.02, it will be a flat 15 percent."

An additional provision in the act permits independent producers and royalty owners to reduce their alternative minimum taxable income by an amount equal to half the preference depletion on marginal production.

Marginal poduction is defined as crude oil and natural gas produced from domestic stripper wells and heavy oil — a gravity of 20 degrees API or less.

PEMEX: Moves to modernize

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official policy that has been defined for Petroleos Mexicanos is to produce enough oil to supply the internal market while maintaining exports at their present level."

Pemex has been an instrument of Mexican policy from its birth in the late 1930s, after the government threw out foreign oil companies as exploiters.

PITTS: Clinton problems

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ral oil and gas associations were called to the White House for a briefing on the proposed energy tax. O'Leary was not present, instead a low-level environmental type, that did not know the difference between a wellhead and a pipeline was left in charge of telling the nation's top energy experts about the Btu tax.

Many of those leaving the briefing were baffled not only at the lack of expertise, but the lack of clear-thinking that should have come with the forumulation of issue as important as a national energy tax. No details were available at this first briefing, because no details were available. Nobody had yet bothered to think about all the problems, costs and inequities that would be associated with a Btu tax.

One reader called to say that he heard the Btu tax was a dusty, democratic tax scheme that languished on the utopian book shelf for many years and was hurridly dusted off and tossed into the arena, and that assessment may not be far from accurate.

Even later when details of the tax were finally released they still did not suggest great measures of clear-thinking. Politics clearly reigned over reason in many areas. One such area was the selection of tax collection points for crude oil and natural gas. Anyone with a working knowledge of the oil and gas industry would have recognized immediately the inequity of collecting a tax at the wellhead.

Yet, that is where the Clinton energy people put it — because, in their words, they didn't want it to show up on the monthly gas bill.

Because of the lack of qualified personnel, confusion has become a trademark of Clinton's energy team, "it has been hard getting details on the energy tax or anything else, because no one has been nominated or approved below the cabinet level," said Grier Brunson, chairman of National Association of Royalty Owners. "There is just no one there."

Also indicative of a serious drought of energy expertise has been the inability of the Clinton administration to find qualified speakers to carry his message into the oil industry camp.

When the West Central Texas Oil & Gas Association tried to find a speaker for its annual meeting in February, the closest thing they could find to a Clinton energy expert was Bill Burton, an Austin attorney, a Clinton friend and energy advisor.

However, at the last moment Burton canceled as speaker, and was replaced by Perot's former campaign manager Tom Luce.

It was the general understanding that Burton canceled, because the Clinton people were afraid to send him into an organized oil camp for fear he might have to answer hard questions about the Btu tax. But he was not allowed to officially cancel, because the White House did not want to have to admit this.

Even Secretary of Energy Hazel O'Leary, has been noticably silent on the energy tax, and some feel it is because she does not have the expertise to comment.

As one energy lobbyist put it: "O'Leary has no background in fossil fuels. She doesn't know what she is doing, and has been overwhelmed by the tax proposal."

An attempt was made this week to fill the number two slot at DOE with a fossil fuel man, Michael Beatty, a Houston attorney for Coastal Corp., but that choice may not stand because of Coastal Chairman Oscar Wyatt's controversial dealings with Libya. Wyatt a Clinton backer, was an outspoken critic of the war to remove Iraq from Kuwait, says the Houston Chronicle.

Also, the fact that Hazel O'Leary may have had her own man in mind for the post, and felt Beatty was shoved down her throat may only add to the confusion.

There is no question that Clinton has problems. At this point Clinton's most competent energy advisor appears to be Bob Krueger, former Texas Railroad Commissioner appointed by Gov. Ann Richards to take Sen. Lloyd Bentsen's seat. But the snag there is that Krueger doesn't even agree with Clinton's Btu tax.

Secretary of Treasurer Lloyd Bentsen, could have been the voice of energy wisdom, but because of his cabinet level position and the need to present a solid front, has had to reluctantly sign on to the Btu tax. Some suspect, however, that he may now be trying to modify his position on the tax, which hits the oil industry and Texas hardest.

Texas Gov. Ann Richards has also been amazingly silent on the issue of Clinton's Btu tax, which the Texas energy industry has almost universally condemned. But, that will change this week when Texas energy officials meet for the Texas Railroad Commission's annual State of the Industry meeting.

Grier Brunson, NARO chairman, has already informed the governor's office that he intends to "hold her feet to the fire" and ask her say if she is "fer or agin" the Btu tax. Whatever her answer, it will not be politically correct.

When one begins to put all the pieces together, the picture of the Clinton energy camp is not one harmony, organization or competence. The picture is one of a ship in trouble. With strife and confusion growing on the inside, and state, industry, and consumer pressure mounting on the outside against the Btu tax, Clinton's energy tax ship appears to be in for some rough sailing when it hits Congress, and could be headed for the rocks.

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erence (subject to an overall limitation) is essentially eliminated. For an independent in an AMT position, accelerating income into 1992 to maximize the net income offset to tax preference IDC looks like the best option."

The overall limitation, according to Trott, is that, beginning with this year, the IDC was not really eliminated as a tax preference item. "On the one hand," he said, "the government can say it has eliminated IDCs as a tax preference item similar to statutory depletion. But they really didn't eliminate it. What they decided was the operator has to compute what his AMTI would be under the old rules, including the IDC preference as always, and whatever that AMTI is, he can reduce it by the lesser of 30 percent of that number in 1993 or 40 percent in 1994 and thereafter or by the amount of the IDC preference, whichever is less."

Last month, President Clinton threw another question mark into the equasion when he proposed raising the highest marginal tax rate from 31 percent to 36 percent.

The good news in this proposal, Trott said, is that it will attract outside investors to the oil and gas industry, giving independents badly-needed capital.

"Since 1982, I'd say, investors have gone elsewhere. They sat on the sidelines and didn't have much interest in the oil and gas industry. Oil and gas investing in the 1970s was tax-driven and a lot of people got burned, but people today are seeing some stability in pricing finally and oil and gas investing probably has a lot of incentives."

While the enactment of PAL and elmination of investment tax credits under the Tax Reform Act of 1986 substantially eliminated tax sheltered activities, the requirement for "tax shelter" registration was not eliminated. Many oil and gas investments are subject to tax shelter registration.

"Since oil and gas investments now provide the opportunity for tax shelter when made and, at last, a true tax shelter in the form of statutory depletion deductions, the "tax-wiseness" of participating in oil and gas will be substantially enhanced."

It is not known what impact President Clinton's proposed energy tax will have on producers' income. Said Swords: "The energy tax is going to cost money. The question is whether or not it will be totally passed on to consumers; if not, it will hurt oil and gas producers because it reduces the money they're receiving, which is not necessarily at an all-time high."

He said questions remain as to where and how the tax will be collected, cross-border dealings, imports and exports and various international treaties.

He said the energy tax was chosen because it is broad-based — it impacts almost everything used in this country from furniture to food to construction materials.

But an alternative that is increasingly being discussed is the value-added tax which is also broad-based but less targeted toward energy. It's benefits are that it is widely used in Europe, and most trade treaties would allow it in cross-border transactions.

Swords is concerned about the impact of the proposed energy tax on marginal wells and the impact of any kind of produce reduction on those wells.

"One of the things we would hope to get is some form of relief, whether or not an energy tax is enacted, that would help keep marginal wells in production," he said. If the nation can keep marginal wells in production, he said, it would keep that much more imported oil out of the country, maintain jobs created by the well's producer, contractors and suppliers and continue creating tax revenues to state and federal governments.

He went to so far as to say that, if the country can keep marginal wells in production — and there are enough of them in one area, he would hope for some tax incentives to prompt producers to consider secondary or tertiary methods to keep the marginal wells alive even longer. Currently, producers receive tax credits for 15 percent of qualified enhanced oil recovery costs.

Swords recommended that independent producers, as they review their tax options, work with what they know but keep an eye on action in Washington.

For all their options, he said, "the only correct answer is that there is no one correct answer. Each oil and gas producer has to go through the exercise, identifying all cost and income events, and determing which combination of elections and options works best, given his or her specifics."

MEETINGS

PBPA, PESA host Phillips president

Allen

W.W. (Wayne) Allen, president and chief operating officer of Phillips Petroleum Co., will be the guest speaker at a joint luncheon of the Permian Basin Petroleum Association and the Petroleum Equipment Suppliers Association. The luncheon will be at the Petroleum Club Thursday beginning at 11:30 a.m.

Allen will speak on "Industry Outlook '93." He joined Phillips in 1961 and held various staff engineering positions before moving to the company's corporate headquarters in Bartlesville, Okla. in 1964 where he specialized in international operations. In 1980 he was named director of drilling and production for the Europe-Africa division followed by being responsible for the Ivory Coast region, then becoming the United Kingdom regional manager in London. He was elected to his present post in 1991 after serving as senior vice president of exploration and production.

Cost is $15 per person and reservations can be made by calling 684-6345.

PASPB hosts COPAS committee meeting

The Petroleum Accountants Society of the Permian Basin will host the national COPAS materials sub-committee meeting Thursday at the Midland Hilton beginning at 9 a.m.

Guest speaker will be Susan Richardson, Midland attorney with Cotton, Bledsoe, Tighe and Dawson. Her topic will be material pricing and historical price multipliers.

The materials sub-committee is a sub-committee of the national COPAS joint interest committee.

Industry image topic for SPE meeting

Ronald L. Morris, operations manager for Texaco Panama Inc. in Angola will be the guest speaker at Tuesday's meeting of the Permian Basin section, Society of Petroleum Engineers. The meeting will be at the Ranchland Hills Country Club beginning at 11:30 a.m.

Morris will speak on "Oil Industry Public Relations: Why Does the Myth Overshadow the Reality?"

During the last 19 years, Morris has held engineering, operations and offshore project technical and management positions with Texaco in the U.S., Colombia, Denmark, England and Scotland.

Cost of the luncheon is $12 per person.

SPE group to study loss prevention

The Drilling Study Group of the Permian Basin Society of Petroleum Engineers will meet Wednesday at the Midland Center beginning at 11:30 a.m.

The theme for the meeting will be "Application of Loss Prevention Technology in the Permian Basin." This technology has been successfuoly used by an operator to eliminate an additional string of casing across known circulation zones while drilling to deeper horizons with high mud weights.

Featured speakers will be Samantha Shephard and Eric Anderson with Conoco Inc.

Cost is $10 and reservations should be made by Monday afternoon by calling 686-7329.

Well Logging group to discuss TCRT tool

The Permian Basin Well Logging Society will meet Thursday at the Petroleum Club beginning at 11:30 a.m.

Guest speaker will be W. Banning Vail, president of ParaMagnetic Logging Inc. of Woodinville, Washington. His talk is entitled "An Introduction to the Through Casing Resistivity Tool."

The TCRT employs a three-electrode array to compensate for casing conductivity and accurately measure formation resistivity behind pipe.

Cost is $10 for members, $12 for non-members. Reservations can be made by calling 688-2099.

SPE section offers two-day short course

The Permian Basin section, Society of Petroleum Engineers will host a two-day short course on hydraulic fracturing and pressure analysis March 30-31 at the Petroleum Club from 1 to 9 p.m.

The course will be instructed by Michael B. Smith of NSI Technologies Inc. of Tulsa.

Cost is $145 for Permian Basin and Trans-Pecos section members, $250 for SPE members and $300 for non-members. The fee includes lunch. Registrations postmarked after March 17 or on-site will be $40 higher. Information is available by calling 688-2954.

Safety Engineers hear from DPS trooper

David Doyle, Trooper IV with the Texas Department of Public Safety, License and Weight Service, will speak at Thursday's meeting of the Permian Basin chapter, American Society of Safety Engineers. The meeting will be at the American Red Cross, 120 E. 2nd in Odessa at 7 p.m.

Doyle will discuss the federal motor vehicle transporation regulations, including the commercial drivers license.

An optional meal will be served at 6:30 p.m. Reservations for the meal should be made by noon Tuesday by calling 368-1082.

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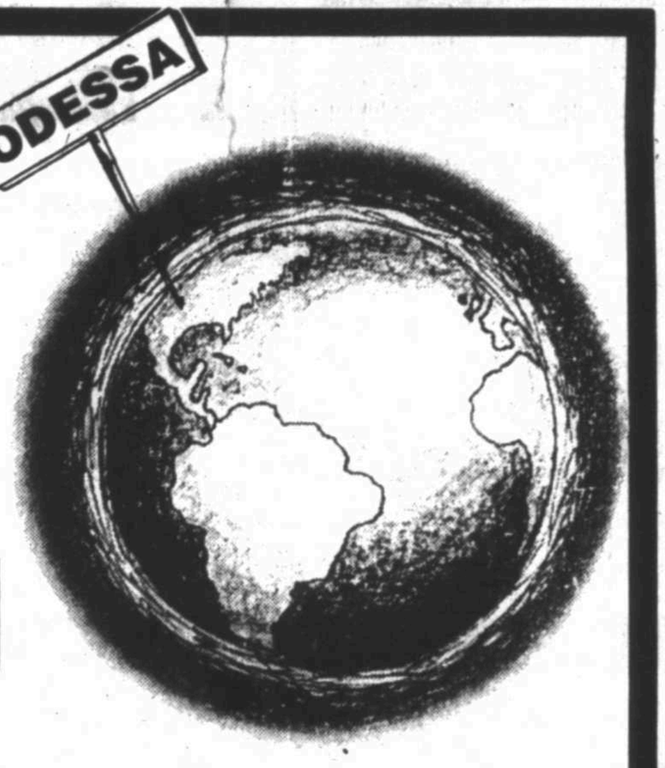

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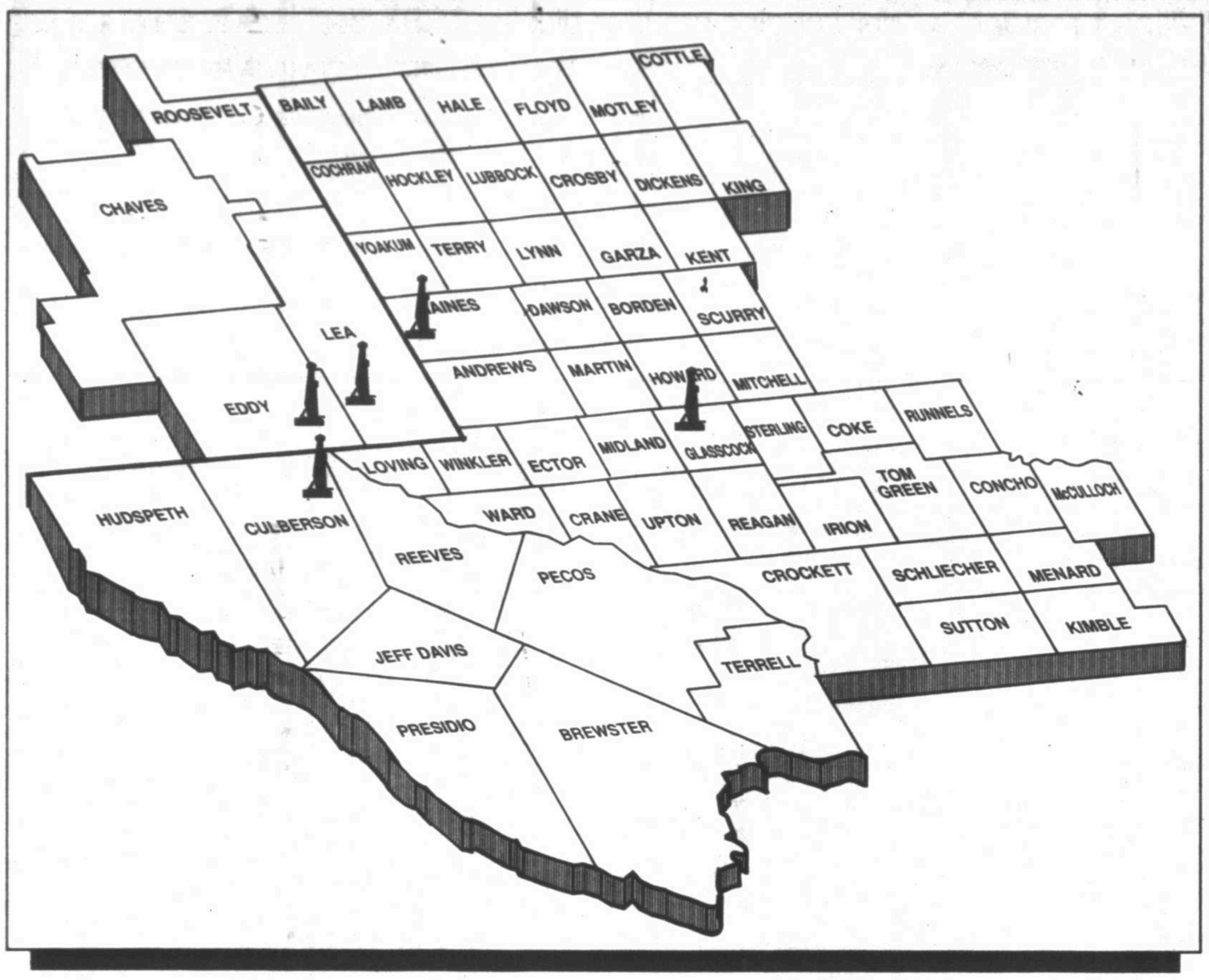

Lea County yields Delaware strike

Staff report

A Delaware discovery has been completed in Lea County, N.M., three miles north of Delaware production in the Hat Mesa field, nine miles southeast of Halfway.

MITCHELL ENERGY CORP. potentialed the No. 2 Comanche "17" State to pump 39 barrels of 43 gravity crude and 215 Mcfd. The well produced from perforations 8,753 to 8,786 ft., which had been acidized with 2,500 gallons of 15 percent NeFe acid and fractured with 33,900 gallons of gel and 121,000 lbs. 20/40 sand.

Permitted as a 9,500 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 8,980 ft. and plugged back to 8,930 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 8,979 ft.

Formation tops, on ground elevation of 3,804 ft., include the Rustler Anhydrite at 1,765 ft., Base Salado Salt at 3,653, Yates at 3,890, Delaware Sandstone at 5,636, and Bone Spring at 8,838 ft.

Location is 1,980 ft. from north and 660 ft. from east lines of Section 17, T21s, R33e.

The well is an offset to the company's No. 1 Comanche "17" State, which was completed to produce from Morrow perforations 14,103 to 14,168 ft.

Enron completes undesignated well

An undesignated Delaware completion has been completed in Eddy County, N.M., 10 miles southeast of Malaga.

ENRON OIL & GAS CO. has completed the No. 1 Rustler Bluff Federal to pump three barrels of crude and 129 barrels of water from perforations 6,362 to 6,398 ft. The interval was treated with 71,000 gallons of gel and 20/40 sand.

Total depth was 6,696 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, and the well was plugged back to 6,470 ft.

The well topped the Delaware at 2,808 ft., Cherry Canyon at 3,857 and Bone Spring at 6,549 ft. on ground elevation of 2,943 ft.

Location is 1,195 ft. from south and 935 ft. from west lines of Section 29, T24s, R29e.

Glasscock well flows 417 barrels

New production has been added to the Cobra field of Glasscock County, 13 miles northwest of Garden City.

MATADOR DRILLING CORP. finaled the No. 1 Powell "A" to flow 417 barrels of 43.2 gravity crude and 327 Mcfd on a 14/64 inch choke with flowing tubing pressure of 950 psi. The well flowed from Wolfcamp perforations 7,941 to 7,968 ft., which had been acidized with 250 gallons of acid.

Permitted as an 8,400 ft. wildcat, the well was drilled to 8,077 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set, and plugged back to 8,025 ft.

The well topped the San Andres at 3,150 ft., Clearfork at 5,100 and Wolfcamp at 7,880 ft. on ground elevation of 2,516 ft.

Location is 467 ft. from south and 1,290 ft. from east lines of Section 3, Block 35, T-3-S, T&P survey, Abst. 313.

Gaines field gets new producer

PRIMERO OPERATING INC. continues to add production to the Stockyard (Upper Clearfork) field of Gaines County.

On potential test, the No. 8 Branex/American pumped 43 barrels of 36 gravity crude, 13 Mcfd and 218 barrels of water from perforations 6,474 to 6,543 ft. The inteval was acidized with 6,500 gallons of 20 percent NeFe acid.

Permitted as a 7,700 ft. test, the well was drilled to 6,671 ft. and plugged back to 6,617 ft. with 5 1/2 inch casing set at 6,666 ft.

On ground elevation of 3,541 ft., formation tops include the Rustler at 1,896 ft., Yates at 3,036, Queen at 3,993, San Andres at 4,542, Glorieta at 5,916, and Clearfork at 6,523 ft.

Location is 2,173 ft. from south and 760 ft. from east lines of Section 2, Block A-10, PSL survey.

Culberson field gets new gas well

New Olds gas production has been added to the Geraldine South field of Culberson County, 11 miles southwest of Orla.

SIETE OIL & GAS CORP. tested the No. 1 Shoshone for a calculated absolute open flow of 1.9 Mmcfd from perforations 2,330 to 2,360 ft. The interval was acidized with 1,500 gallons 15 percent HCL and fractured with 23,000 gallons of gel, 9,000 lbs. 20/40 sand and 9,000 lbs. 12/20 sand.

Drilled to 4,065 ft., the well was plugged back to 2,550 ft., where 5 1/2 inch casing was set.

Formation tops, on kelly bushing elevation of 3,197 ft., include the Lamar at 2,270 ft., Ramsey at 2,297, Olds at 2,327, and Cherry Canyon at 3,262 ft.

Location is 1,980 ft. from south and 660 ft. from east lines of Section 43, Block 58, T&P survey.

WILDCATS

NEW MEXICO

CHAVES COUNTY

Wildcat (Wolfcamp)
■ YATES PETROLEUM CORP: PATHFINDER AFT STATE #WP - PLUG BACK; 10S-27E-31; se nw, 1980 fnl 1980 fwl Summary Original Drill: Well: PATHFINDER AFT STATE #6. Field: DIABLO FUSSELMAN. Compl: on 03/05/90 OIL PZone: -6407 (Siluro-Ordovician) IP: (Siluro-Devonian -6407) 1 hr test: F 7 BO grav 40; 104 MCFG on 16/64 ck; FTP 1700 – F 166 BOPD grav 40; 2050 MCFGPD on 16/64 ck; FTP 1700 – oil grav estimated, wtr not measured; Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1430 w/700 – 5 1/2 @ 6900 w/785 Tops: L/T San Andres 1436 Glorieta 2618 Yeso 2700 Abo 4890 Wolfcamp 5568 Cisco/Bough C 6110 Pennsylvanian clas 6238 Mississippian 6287 Siluro-Ordovician 10228 Pre-Cambrian 10723. PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 3853 GR. NL: 12/21/89. API# 30-005-62751. ID# T-430102. Notes: (Possible new pool discovery)

EDDY COUNTY

Wildcat (Delaware)
■ YATES PETROLEUM CORP: ADELINE ALN FEDERAL #15; 24S-31E-6; sw se, 810 fsl 1980 fel, 24 mi NE of Loving. EL: 3461 GR. Obj: 8200 (Delaware). NL: 03/01/93. API# 30-015-27328. ID# T-452669.

LEA COUNTY

Wildcat (Glorieta)
■ RAND OIL & GAS CORP: HOOPER #1; 18S-38E-1; se se, 591 fsl 498 fel EL: 3650 GR. Obj: 6500 (Glorieta). NL: 03/01/93. API# 30-025-31909. ID# T-452641.

TRC DISTRICT 7C

MENARD COUNTY

Wildcat
■ RIO TEX INC - MENZIES #1-B; WILLIE ROBERTS sur sec 58, A-1710, 1979 fsl 1975 fwl of sec, 660 fnl 660 fel of lse. 168.25 acre lse. 9 mi NW of Menard. EL: 2244 GR. Obj: 2000 test. NL: 03/01/93. ID# T-452638.

TRC DISTRICT 8

CRANE COUNTY

Wildcat
■ ARCO OIL & GAS CO - UNIVERSITY 37 #1 - RECOMPLETION; UNIVERSITY LAND sur blk 31 sec 37, 660 fsl 1980 fwl of sec, 660 fsl 660 fwl of lse. 80 acre lse. 5 mi NW of Crane. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 11600 test. NL: 03/01/93. API# 42-103-11213. ID# T-452656.

ECTOR COUNTY

Wildcat
■ AMOCO PRODUCTION CO - W F COWDEN C #71 - PLUG BACK; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A sec 7, 1325 fnl 2625 fel of sec, and lse. 1436.14 acre lse. 7 mi NW of Goldsmith. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 3000 test. NL: 03/02/93. API# 42-135-34681. ID# T-452682.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Wildcat
■ TRAIL MOUNTAIN INC - BULLSEYE #1; T & P RY CO sur blk 41 twp 4S sec 7, 660 fnl 1980 fwl of sec, 5940 fnl 1980 fwl of lse. 1627.5 acre lse. 24 mi SW of Midland. EL: 2890 GR. Obj: 4600 test. NL: 02/24/93. Permit# 408842. API# 42-329-32770. ID# T-452584.

PECOS COUNTY

Wildcat
■ AVRA OIL CO - BIG SKY #1; H & T C RY CO sur blk 2 sec 6, 1880 fnwl 1650 fswl of sec, and lse. 655 acre lse. 13 mi SE of Imperial. EL: 2342 GR. Obj: 4000 test. NL: 03/02/93. ID# T-452677.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

GARZA COUNTY

Wildcat
■ RENAUD OIL CORP - RATTLESNAKE CREEK #1A; W C YOUNG sur sec 1218, A-751, 990 fsl 2261 fel of sec, 990 fsl 467 fwl of lse. 170.1 acre lse. 2.5 mi N of Post. EL: 2618 GR. Obj: 3250 test. NL: 03/02/93. ID# T-452686.

KENT COUNTY

Wildcat
■ LUNAR OIL CO - WALLACE 48 #1; H & G N RY CO sur blk 5 sec 48, A-1280, 467 fsl 900 fwl of sec, 2173 fnl 900 fwl of lse. 160 acre lse. 3.5 mi NW of Polar. EL: 2168 GR. Obj: 8000 test. NL: 02/25/93. Permit# 408949. API# 42-263-31492. ID# T-452601.

TERRY COUNTY

Wildcat
■ YATES HARVEY E CO INC - PERRY 31 FEE #1; S K & K RY CO sur blk D-11 sec 31, 1913 fsl 1775 fel of sec, 727 fnl 865 fwl of lse. 160 acre lse. 10 mi NNW of Gomez. EL: 3444 GR. Obj: 9500 test. NL: 03/02/93. ID# T-452685.

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DEVELOPMENT WELLS

NEW MEXICO

CHAVES COUNTY

Coyote (Queen)
■ TOPAT OIL CORP: PATRICIA FEDERAL #2; 11S-27E-20; nw sw, 2310 fsl 890 fwl, 15 mi E of Roswell. Obj: 900 (Queen). NL: 03/01/93. API# 30-005-62948. ID# T-452666.

EDDY COUNTY

Cabin Lake (Delaware)
■ YATES PETROLEUM CORP: FELINE ALF FEDERAL #3; 21S-30E-34; sw nw, 1650 fnl 660 fwl, 25 mi NE of Loving. EL: 3126 GR. Obj: 7500 (Delaware). NL: 03/01/93. API# 30-015-27110. ID# T-452671.
■ YATES PETROLEUM CORP: FELINE ALF FEDERAL #6; 21S-30E-34; nw sw, 2180 fsl 860 fwl, 25 mi NE of loving. EL: 3132 GR. Obj: 7500 (Delaware). NL: 03/01/93. API# 30-015-27331. ID# T-452672.

Cemetary (Morrow)
■ FASKEN BARBARA: SKELLY FEDERAL #2; 21S-24E-9; se nw, 1604 fnl 1912 fwl, 18 mi NW of Carlsbad. EL: 4140 GR. Obj: 10200 (Morrow). NL: 03/01/93. API# 30-015-27326. ID# T-452667.

Dagger Draw South (Upper Pennsylvanian)
■ YATES PETROLEUM CORP: CONOCO AGK FEDERAL COM #14; 20S-24E-15; sw sw, 660 fsl 660 fwl, 30 mi SW of Artesia. EL: 3699 GR. Obj: 8200 (Pennsylvanian). NL: 03/01/93. API# 30-015-27329. ID# T-452670.

Herradura Bend (Delaware)
■ FORTSON OIL CO: PINNACLE STATE #14; 22S-26E-36; se ne, 1980 fnl 990 fel EL: 3129 GR. Obj: 6500 (Delaware). NL: 03/01/93. API# 30-015-27334. ID# T-452674.

Loving East (Delaware)
■ POGO PRODUCING CO: NEL #9; 23S-28E-9; sw ne, 1980 fnl 1650 fel, 2 mi N of Loving. EL: 3046 GR. Obj: 6450 (Delaware). NL: 03/01/93. API# 30-015-27327. ID# T-452668.

Los Medanos (Delaware)
■ YATES PETROLEUM CORP: MEDANO VA STATE #13; 23S-31E-16; se ne, 1980 fnl 660 fel EL: 3377 GR. Obj: 8200 (Delaware). NL: 02/24/93. API# 30-015-27321. ID# T-452592.
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■ YATES PETROLEUM CORP: MEDANO VA STATE #15; 23S-31E-16; nw ne, 660 fnl 1980 fel EL: 3352 GR. Obj: 8200 (Delaware). NL: 02/24/93. API# 30-015-27323. ID# T-452597.
■ YATES PETROLEUM CORP: MEDANO VA STATE #14; 23S-31E-16; ne ne, 660 fnl 660 fel EL: 3369 GR. Obj: 8200 (Delaware). NL: 02/24/93. API# 30-015-27322. ID# T-452594.
■ YATES PETROLEUM CORP: MEDANO VA STATE #17; 23S-31E-16; nw nw, 660 fnl 660 fwl EL: 3348 GR. Obj: 8200 (Delaware). NL: 02/24/93. API# 30-015-27325. ID# T-452600.
■ YATES PETROLEUM CORP: MEDANO VA STATE #12; 23S-31E-16; sw ne, 1980 fnl 1980 fel EL: 3362 GR. Obj: 8200 (Delaware). NL: 02/24/93. API# 30-015-27320. ID# T-452590.

Parkway (Bone Spring)
■ CHI OPERATING INC: STATE 23 A #1 - PLUG BACK; 19S-29E-23; nw sw, 1980 fsl 660 fwl PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 3133 GR. NL: 02/03/93. API# 30-015-22814. ID# T-452248.

Turkey Track (Seven Rivers Queen Grayburg San Andres)
■ ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORP: CONTINENTAL STATE #12; 19S-29E-10; se sw, 330 fsl 1980 fwl EL: 3362 GR. Obj: 2400 (Queen). NL: 03/01/93. API# 30-015-27332. ID# T-452673.
■ ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORP: DICKEY SULLILVAN #3; 19S-29E-15; ne nw, 660 fnl 1650 fwl PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 3354 GR. Obj: 2400 (Seven Rivers Queen). NL: 03/01/93. API# 30-015-27333. ID# T-452675. Notes: (old TD not available)

Undesignated (Delaware)
■ POGO PRODUCING CO: MOBIL FEDERAL #8; 23S-31E-29; sw se, 330 fsl 1980 fel, 18 mi E of Loving. EL: 3358 GR. Obj: 8100 (Delaware). NL: 02/24/93. API# 30-015-27319. ID# T-452589.

LEA COUNTY

Eumont (Yates Seven Rivers Queen)
■ WARRIOR INC: FEDERAL D #13; 20S-36E-26; sw sw, 1300 fsl 1300 fwl, 7 mi SW of Monument. EL: 3571 GR. Obj: 3950 (Queen). NL: 02/25/93. API# 30-025-31908. ID# T-452616.

Fowler (Upper Paddock)
■ AMOCO PRODUCTION CO: SOUTH MATTIX UNIT FEDERAL #4 - PLUG BACK; 24S-37E-15; se nw, 1980 fnl 1980 fwl PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 3268 KB. Obj: (upr Paddock). NL: 02/24/93. API# 30-025-11113. ID# T-452587.

Red Tank (Bone Spring)
■ MERIDIAN OIL INC: CHECKERBOARD 23 FEDERAL #1; 22S-32E-23; nw se, 1980 fsl 1980 fel, 26 mi W of Eunice. EL: 3721 GR. Obj: 9000 (Bone Spring). NL: 02/25/93. API# 30-025-31906. ID# T-452615.
■ MERIDIAN OIL INC: CHECKERBOARD 23 FEDERAL #2; 22S-32E-23; sw se, 330 fsl 1650 fel, 26 mi W of Eunice. EL: 3730 GR. Obj: 10050 (Bone Spring). NL: 02/25/93. API# 30-025-31907. ID# T-452614.

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Mitchell earnings off 42 percent

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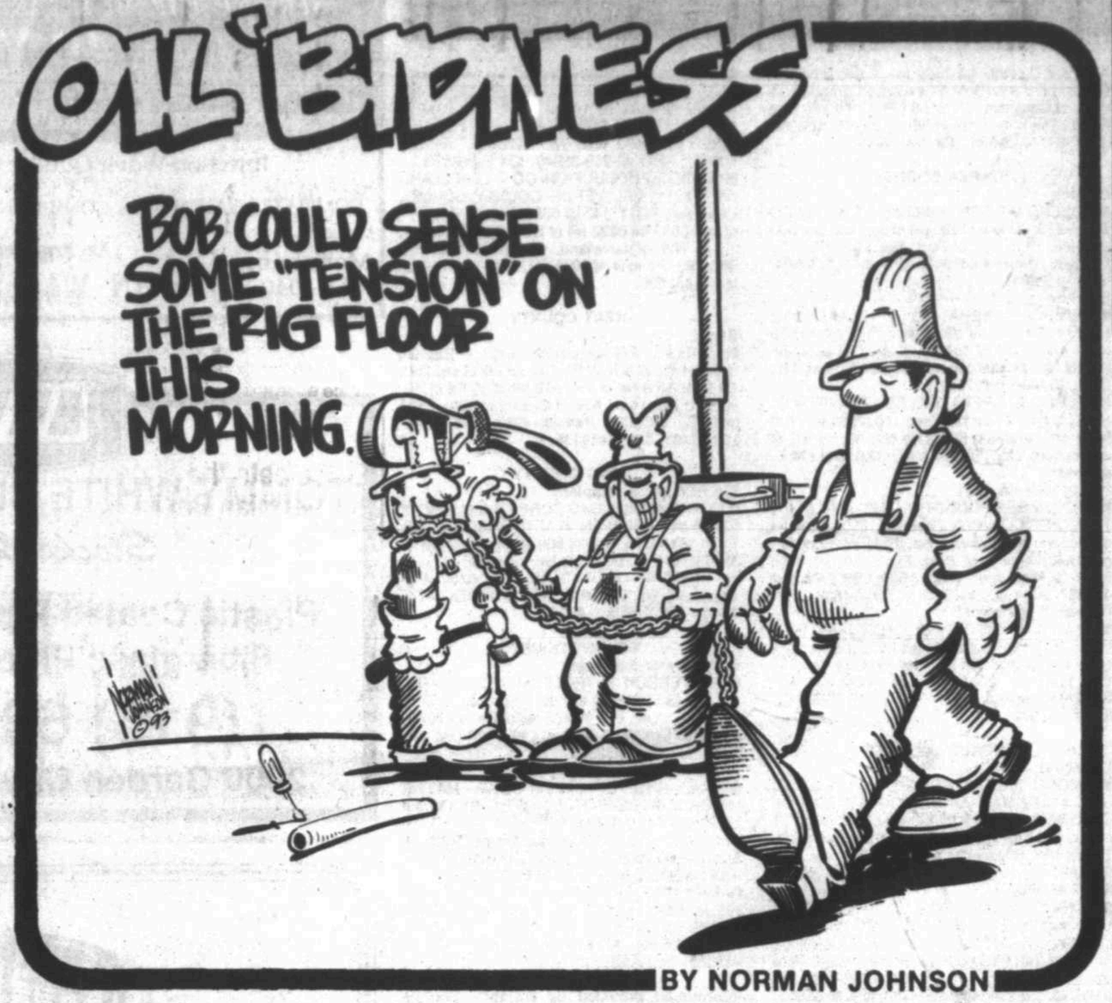
The independent energy company, based in the north Houston suburb of The Woodlands, said per-share earnings amounted to 41 cents, up from 28 cents per share in the three months ending Jan. 31, 1992.

For the fiscal year 1993, Mitchell posted earnings of $18.5 million, a 58 percent drop from 1992, when Mitchell earned $44.3 million dollars, or 95 cents per share.

Mitchell said the charges it took in fiscal 1993 included a first-quarter $13.7 million charge for restructuring the company's exploration and production division, an early retirement of debt charge of $7.3 million, and a $10.6 million cumulative effect of a required change in accounting methods concerning retiree benefits.



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TRC DISTRICT 7C

CONCHO COUNTY

Cow Killer
■ VERDAD OIL & GAS CORP - GRAY #1; T & N O RY #166 sur, A-1931, 467 fnl 467 fwl of sur, and lse. 340 acre lse. 9 mi SW of Eden. EL: 2127 GR. Obj: 4000 test. NL: 03/02/93. ID# T-452676.

CROCKETT COUNTY

Bachelor Hill (Grayburg)
■ VINSON OPERATING CO - UNIV 35-29 #2; UNIVERSITY LAND sur blk 29 sec 35, 1283 fni 2174 fel of sec, and lse. 160 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception applied for) 23 mi W of Ozona. EL: 2676 GR. Obj: 1750 (Grayburg). NL: 02/24/93. ID# T-452574.

MENARD COUNTY

Lela (King)
■ BROOKER-TSE OPERATIONS - E G WILKINSON #2 - RE-ENTRY; W J WILKINSON sur blk 94, 467 fnl 467 fel of blk, and lse. 80 acre lse. 8 mi NW of Menard. Summary Original Drill: Oper: WALSH & WATTS INC Well: WILKINSON #2, P&A on 06/27/80: PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 1600 (King). NL: 02/26/93. API# 42-327-00002. ID# T-452625.

UPTON COUNTY

Heluma (Pennsylvanian)
■ ORYX ENERGY CO - JACOBS LIVESTOCK D #2; WILLIAM PATTERSON sur sec 98, A-1270, 1600 fsl 600 fwl of sec, and lse. 80 acre lse. 9.4 mi SE of Crane. BHLoc: PROPOSED: 853 fsl 600 fwl of sec, and lse. EL: 3120 GR. Obj: 9000 (Pennsylvanian). NL: 03/02/93. ID# T-452684.

McElroy
■ CODA ENERGY INC - STATE OF TEXAS #3; S F 12967 sur, A-1593, 520 fsl 50 fel of sur, and lse. 38.03 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception applied for) 3 mi NE of Crane. EL: 2594 GR. Obj: 5000 test. NL: 02/25/93. ID# T-452608.

Spraberry (Trend Area)
■ PARKER & PARSLEY DEV CO - PRESTON SPRABERRY UNIT #4011A; T & P RY CO sur blk 37 twp 4S sec 39, A-1593, 660 fnl 1980 fwl of sec, 660 fnl 3287 fel of lse. 17,038.36 acre lse. 14 mi S of Spraberry. EL: 2726 GR. Obj: 8800 test. NL: 02/25/93. ID# T-452605.

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Andrews (Pennsylvanian)
■ UNION OIL CO OF CAL - J E PARKER E UNIT #2 - PLUG BACK; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-44 sec 6, 2035 fsl 610 fwl of sec, 605 fnl 610 fwl of lse. 80.28 acre lse. 1 mi SW of Andrews. PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 3199 GR. Obj: 9800 (Pennsylvanian). NL: 03/02/93. API# 42-003-31775. ID# T-452683.

Dollarhide East (Ellenburger)
■ MOBIL EXPL & PROD US INC - COWDEN ESTATE ET AL #12; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-55 sec 11, 1296 fnl 100 fwl of sec, 1296 fnl 2740 fwl of lse. 1281.29 acre lse. 32 mi SW of Andrews. Obj: 12700 (Ellenburger). NL: 02/25/93. ID# T-452610.

Fullerton (San Andres)
■ RUST OIL CORP - ARCO-UNIVERSITY 213 #2; UNIVERSITY LAND sur blk 13 sec 2, 2173 fni 2173 fwl of sec, and lse. 200 acre lse. 2 mi NE of Frankel City. Obj: 4700 (San Andres). NL: 03/02/93. ID# T-452679.

Triple North (Grayburg)
■ MCSHANE J INC - STATE OF TEXAS CX #1 - PLUG BACK; UNIVERSITY LAND sur blk 9 sec 28, A-5100, 660 fni 1980 fel of sec, 660 fni 660 fwl of lse. 320 acre lse. 10 mi S of Andrews. Geomap: 4-18N-21W Summary Recompletion: Field: TRIPLE N (GRAYBURG). PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 4500 (Grayburg). NL: 11/06/89. API# 42-003-07431. ID# T-428983.

CRANE COUNTY

Cordona Lake
■ EXXON CO USA - CORDONA LAKE UNIT #41 - RECOMPLETION; JUAN CORDONA sur, 3479 fsl 5160 fel of sur, 7854 fnl 116 fsel of lse. 2085.49 acre lse. 12 mi SW of Crane. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 5560 test. NL: 02/24/93. API# 42-103-02687. ID# T-452583. Notes: (Plan to convert from water injection well to producer)

Costa (Tubb)
■ COSTA RESOURCES INC - EUDALY #1; H & T C RY CO sur blk 3 sec 24, 467 fsel 1750 fnel of sec, and lse. 240 acre lse. 20 mi SW of Crane. Obj: 4400 (Tubb). NL: 02/26/93. ID# T-452628.

HOWARD COUNTY

Coahoma (Mississippian)
■ E O G INC - READ 20 #2 - PLUG BACK; T & P RY CO sur blk 30 twp 1N sec 20, 2050 fnl 2173 fel of sec, 590 fsl 467 fwl of lse. 160 acre lse. 4.5 mi NE of Coahoma. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 8750 (Mississippian). NL: 02/25/93. Permit# 172188. API# 42-227-32907. ID# T-452613.

Middleton
■ COBRA OIL & GAS CORP - FISHER 46 #1; T & P RY CO sur blk 33 twp 3N sec 46, 1742 fsl 956 fwl of sec, and lse. 428.13 acre lse. 5 mi N'LY of Knott. EL: 2728 GR. Obj: 9500 test. NL: 03/02/93. ID# T-452678.

LOVING COUNTY

Jeanita (Cherry Canyon)
■ J R P RESOURCES INC - JOHNSON B 42 #10; T & P RY CO sur blk 56 twp 1 sec 42, 1880 fsl 660 fel of sec, and lse. 640 acre lse. 30 mi NW of Mentone. Obj: 6000 (Cherry Canyon). NL: 02/25/93. ID# T-452617.
■ J R P RESOURCES INC - JOHNSON B 42 #11; T & P RY CO sur blk 56 twp 1 sec 42, 660 fsl 660 fel of sec, and lse. 640 acre lse. 30 mi NW of Mentone. Obj: 6000 (Cherry Canyon). NL: 02/25/93. ID# T-452618.

Pinal Dome
■ MANZANO OIL CORP - TXL 1 #3; T & P RY CO sur blk 53 twp 2 sec 1, A-20, 1667 fnl 467 fwl of sec, and lse. 640 acre lse. 14 mi NE of Mentone. Obj: 6875 test. NL: 03/02/93. Permit# 409361. API# 42-301-31000. ID# T-452680.

MARTIN COUNTY

Phoenix South (Grayburg)
■ DURHAM INC - BARBARA #6; T & P RY CO sur blk 36 sec 16, 2173 fsl 973 fwl of sec, and lse. 320 acre lse. 3.5 mi NW of Lenorah. EL: 2847 GR. Obj: 4100 (Grayburg). NL: 02/26/93. ID# T-452627.

Spraberry (Trend Area)
■ PARKER & PARSLEY DEV CO - CLARENCE #1 - PLUG BACK; LA SALLE COUNTY SCHOOL LAND sur, 660 fsl 660 fel of lab 2 lge 324 of sur, and lse. 88.56 acre lse. 9 mi SW of Tarzan. Summary Original Drill: TD: 13020. Compl: on 02/22/93 OIL PZone: 8077-9819 (Spraberry/Dean) gross interval IP: (Spraberry-/Dean 8077-9819) P 54 BOPD grav 39.6; 41 MCFGPD; 210 BWPD Casing: 13 3/8 @ 390 w/375 – 9 5/8 @ 5400 w/750 – 5 1/2 @ 13,020 w/1290 Tops: L/T upr Spraberry 8074 lwr Spraberry 8690 Dean 9360. PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2848 GR. Obj: 10020 test. NL: 11/13/92. API# 42-317-33923. ID# T-450784.

MIDLAND COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)
■ HENRY PETROLEUM INC - MCCLINTIC A #5; JANE LACY sur blk 37 sec 12, A-1087, 467 fnl 567 fel of sec, and lse. 430.11 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception applied for) 6 mi SE of Greenwood. EL: 2648 GR. Obj: 9000 test. NL: 02/25/93. ID# T-452609.
■ PARKER & PARSLEY DEV CO - PRESTON SPRABERRY UNIT #1605A; T & P RY CO sur blk 37 twp 4S sec 18, 660 fsl 1980 fwl of sec, 4623 fnl 7259 fwl of lse. 17,038.36 acre lse. 12 mi SW of Spraberry. EL: 2742 GR. Obj: 9000 test. NL: 02/24/93. ID# T-452579.
■ PARKER & PARSLEY DEV CO - PRESTON SPRABERRY UNIT #1707A; T & P RY CO sur blk 38 twp 4S sec 13, 660 fnl 1980 fel of sec, 660 fnl 330 fwl of lse. 17,038.36 acre lse. 12 mi SW of Spraberry. EL: 2761 GR. Obj: 9000 test. NL: 02/24/93. ID# T-452580.
■ PARKER & PARSLEY DEV CO - PRESTON SPRABERRY UNIT #1708A; T & P RY CO sur blk 38 twp 4S sec 13, 1980 fnl 660 fwl of sec, and lse. 17,038.36 acre lse. 12 mi SW of Spraberry. EL: 2761 GR. Obj: 9000 test. NL: 02/24/93. ID# T-452581.
■ PARKER & PARSLEY DEV CO - PRESTON SPRABERRY UNIT #2702A; T & P RY CO sur blk 38 twp 4S sec 24, 660 fsl 660 fwl of sec, 9925 fnl 660 fwl of lse. 17,038.36 acre lse. 13 mi SW of Spraberry. EL: 2787 GR. Obj: 9050 test. NL: 02/25/93. ID# T-452607.
■ PARKER & PARSLEY DEV CO - PRESTON SPRABERRY UNIT #2907A; T & P RY CO sur blk 37 twp 4S sec 28, 1980 fsl 1980 fel of sec, 1980 fel 2084 fnel of lse. 17,038.36 acre lse. 13 mi S of Spraberry. EL: 2694 GR. Obj: 8850 test. NL: 02/24/93. ID# T-452582.
■ PARKER & PARSLEY DEV CO - PRESTON SPRABERRY UNIT #3415A; T & P RY CO sur blk 38 twp 4S sec 36, 660 fsl 660 fwl of sec, 5970 fsl 660 fwl of lse. 17,038.36 acre lse. 15 mi SW of Spraberry. EL: 2752 GR. Obj: 8950 test. NL: 02/25/93. ID# T-452606.

WARD COUNTY

W A Estes (Holt)
■ CHEVRON U S A INC - W A ESTES #131; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk B-19 sec 25, 600 fni 2150 fwl of sec, and lse. 20,604.5 acre lse. 3 mi SW of Monahans. Obj: 6000 (Holt). NL: 02/24/93. ID# T-452576.

DEVELOPMENTS/6E

COMPLETIONS

NEW MEXICO

EDDY COUNTY

Carlsbad South (Morrow)
■ COLLINS & WARE INC: BOEING FEDERAL 2 COMM #1; 23S-26E-2; sw nw, 1980 fnl 814 fwl, 3 mi SW of Carlsbad. EL: 3280 GR. Obj: 12000 (Morrow). NL: 03/21/91. API# 30-015-26682. ID# T-439972. Contr: Peterson #5. Spud: 06/08/92. TD: 11940 on 06/11/92. PB: 11902. Compl: on 08/10/92 GAS (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 11733-11846 (Morrow) gross interval IP: (Morrow 11733-11846) CAOF 681 MCFGPD Notes: (Operator chngd from Pacific Ent Oil Co USA) Casing: 13 3/8 @ 520 – 9 5/8 @ 5400 – 5 1/2 @ 11,940 w/1215

Cotton Draw (Brushy Canyon)
■ HANAGAN PETROLEUM CORP: BET-NET FEDERAL #2; 24S-31E-25; se nw, 1980 fnl 1650 fwl, 40 mi SE of Loving. EL: 3550 KB. Obj: 8650 (Canyon). NL: 10/08/92. API# 30-015-27151. ID# T-450034. Contr: Wek #2. Spud: 11/06/92. TD: 8400 on 11/21/92. PB: 8375. Compl: on 01/28/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 7115-7155 (Brushy Canyon) gross interval IP: (Brushy Canyon 7115-7155) P 118 BOPD grav 38; 57 MCFGPD; 209 BWPD Casing: 13 3/8 @ 700 w/595 – 8 5/8 @ 4300 w/1300 – 5 1/2 @ 8400 w/1250

Dagger Draw North (Upper Pennsylvanian)
■ SOUTHWEST ROYALTIES INC: DAGGER DRAW A #1; 19S-25E-17; sw ne, 1650 fnl 1980 fel EL: 3551 KB. Obj: 8200 (Pennsylvanian). NL: 10/09/92. API# 30-015-27159. ID# T-450075. Spud: 11/05/92. TD: 8000 on 11/21/92. PB: 7956. Compl: on 01/16/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 7751-7782 (Cisco/Canyon) gross interval IP: (Cisco/Canyon 7751-7782) P 30 BOPD grav 48; 34 MCFGPD; 292 BWPD; FCP 40 Casing: 9 5/8 @ 1201 w/1272 – 7 @ 8000 w/1550

Dagger Draw South (Upper Pennsylvanian)
■ YATES PETROLEUM CORP: JOHN AGU #6; 20S-24E-14; nw ne, 710 fnl 1980 fel EL: 3616 GR. Obj: 8200 (Canyon). NL: 06/10/92. API# 30-015-27027. ID# T-447669. Spud: 01/04/93. TD: 8175 on 01/21/93. PB: 8130. Compl: on 02/05/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 7625-7836 (Canyon) IP: (Canyon 7625-7836) P 180 BOPD grav 42; 328 MCFGPD; 212 BWPD; FTP 80, FCP 120 Casing: 9 5/8 @ 1075 w/1300 – 7 @ 8175 w/1700

Ingle Wells (Undesignated)
■ POGO PRODUCING CO: SAND DUNES 34 FEDERAL #1; 23S-31E-34; ne ne, 660 fnl 660 fel, 20 mi E of Loving. EL: 3453 GR. Obj: 8500 (Delaware). NL: 12/23/92. API# 30-015-27255. ID# T-451522. Spud: 12/29/92 Mud drlg. TD: 8338 in Delaware. PB: 8291. Compl: on 01/24/92 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 8114-8182 (Delaware) IP: (Delaware 8114-8182) F 309 BOPD; 575 MCFGPD on 26/64 ck; 107 BWPD; FTP 220, SICP 1140 Casing: 13 3/8 @ 806 w/1000 – 8 5/8 @ 4220 w/1650 – 5 1/2 @ 8338 w/1485

Nash Draw (Brushy Canyon)
■ STRATA PRODUCTION CO: NASH DRAW #10; 23S-29E-13; sw ne, 1750 fnl 1850 fel, 9.5 mi E of Loving. EL: 2998 GR. Obj: 7000 (Delaware). NL: 04/20/92. API# 30-015-26992. ID# T-446945. Spud: 12/07/92. TD: 7198. PB: 7165. Compl: on 01/03/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 6846-6864 (Delaware) IP: (Delaware 6846-6864) F 173 BOPD; 123 MCFGPD on 22/64 ck; 52 BWPD; FTP 480 Notes: (Details confidential) Casing: 13 3/8 @ 310 w/475 – 8 5/8 @ 3015 w/1250 – 5 1/2 @ 7198 w/1125

Sand Dunes South (Delaware)
■ YATES PETROLEUM CORP: ADELINE ALN FEDERAL #2; 24S-31E-6; ne ne, 660 fnl 760 fel, 24 mi NE of Loving. EL: 3404 GR. Obj: 8200 (Delaware). NL: 12/15/92. API# 30-015-27241. ID# T-451367. Contr: Grace #353. Spud: 01/13/93. TD: 8090 on 01/29/93. PB: 8046. Compl: on 02/12/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 7776-7931 (Delaware) IP: (Delaware 7776-7931) P 143 BOPD grav 38; 120 MCFGPD; 285 BWPD Casing: 13 3/8 @ 522 w/475 – 8 5/8 @ 4038 w/177 – 5 1/2 @ 8090 w/835

Sand Dunes West (Delaware)
■ ENRON OIL & GAS CO: POKER LAKE 32 STATE #3; 23S-31E-32; se ne, 1980 fnl 660 fel EL: 3371 GR. Obj: 8050 (Delaware). NL: 08/31/92. API# 30-015-27095. ID# T-449204. Contr: Grace #356. Spud: 01/06/93. TD: 8050 on 01/18/93. PB: 7989. Compl: on 02/04/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 7804-7881 (Delaware) IP: (Delaware 7804-7881) P 280 BOPD grav 47; 415 MCFGPD on 16/64 ck; 272 BWPD; FTP 450, FCP 1005 Casing: 13 3/8 @ 732 w/600 – 8 5/8 @ 4155 w/375 – 5 1/2 @ 8049 w/840
■ ENRON OIL & GAS CO: POKER LAKE 32 STATE #7; 23S-31E-32; nw nw, 660 fnl 760 fwl EL: 3347 GR. Obj: 8050 (Delaware). NL: 11/04/92. API# 30-015-27177. ID# T-450627. Contr: Grace #356. Spud: 12/23/92. TD: 8038 on 01/04/93. PB: 7990. Compl: on 01/26/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 7752-7842 (Delaware) IP: (Delaware 7752-7842) F 390 BOPD grav 47; 377 MCFGPD on 21/64 ck; 233 BWPD; FTP 400, FCP 990 Casing: 13 3/8 @ 709 w/600 – 8 5/8 @ 4100 w/1725 – 5 1/2 @ 8037 w/705
■ ENRON OIL & GAS CO: POKER LAKE 32 STATE #6; 23S-31E-32; se nw, 1980 fnl 1980 fwl EL: 3360 GR. Obj: 8050 (Delaware). NL: 08/31/92. API# 30-015-27096. ID# T-449205. Contr: Grace #356. Spud: 12/09/92. TD: 8050 on 12/21/92. PB: 7940. Compl: on 01/26/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 7732-7822 (Delaware) gross interval IP: (Delaware 7732-7822) F 441 BOPD grav 47; 524 MCFGPD on 16/64 ck; 156 BWPD; FTP 575, FCP 1015 Casing: 13 3/8 @ 701 w/600 – 8 5/8 @ 4067 w/1400 – 5 1/2 @ 8049 w/853

Turkey Track (Seven Rivers Queen Grayburg)
■ ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORP: CONTINENTAL STATE A #10; 19S-23E-10; se se, 660 fsl 660 fel EL: 3364 GR. Obj: 2400 (Queen). NL:11/17/92. API# 30-015-27190. ID# T-450866. Spud: 11/21/92. TD: 2400 on 11/26/92. PB: 2366. Compl: on 01/25/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 2197-2311 (Queen) gross interval IP: (Queen 2197-2311) P 108 BOPD grav 33.8; 38 MCFGPD; 75 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 299 w/200 – 5 1/2 @ 2399 w/475
■ ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORP: CONTINENTAL STATE A #11; 19S-29E-10; sw se, 330 fsl 1980 fel EL: 3366 GR. Obj: 2400 (Queen). NL: 11/17/92. API# 30-015-27191. ID# T-450867. Spud: 01/08/93. TD: 2400 on 01/16/93. PB: 2349. Compl: on 02/04/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 2232-2288 (Queen) gross interval IP: (Queen 2232-2288) P 64 BOPD grav 34.8; 32 MCFGPD; 64 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 320 w/490 – 5 1/2 @ 2386 w/800

Undesignated (Delaware)
■ ENRON OIL & GAS CO: RUSTLER BLUFF FEDERAL #1; 24S-29E-29; sw sw, 1195 fsl 935 fwl, 10 mi SE of Malaga. EL: 2943 GR. Obj: 8000 (Delaware). NL: 08/20/92. API# 30-015-27082. ID# T-448962. Contr: Grace #189. Spud: 08/28/92. TD: 6696 on 09/12/92. PB: 6470. Compl: on 12/03/92 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 6362-6398 (Delaware) IP: (Delaware 6362-6398) P 3 BOPD; no gas; 129 BWPD Casing: 13 3/8 @ 600 w/635 – 8 5/8 @ 2808 w/1000 – 5 1/2 @ 6696 w/850

LEA COUNTY

Corbin South (Wolfcamp)
■ SANTA FE ENERGY OPER PAR: KACHINA 8 FEDERAL #3; 18S-33E-8; sw ne, 1980 fnl 1980 fel, 10 mi SE of Maljamar. EL: 3895 GR. Obj: 11500 (Wolfcamp). NL: 11/19/92. API# 30-025-31802. ID# T-450914. Spud: 11/29/92. TD: 11525 on 12/27/92. PB: 11290. Compl: on 02/06/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 11157-11229 (Wolfcamp) IP: (Wolfcamp 11157-11229) 20.5 hr test: F 451 BO grav 43; 404 MCFG; no wtr; FTP 260 – choke size ranged from 22/64 to 25/64; – () F 528 BOPD grav 43; 473 MCFGPD; no wtr; FTP 260 – choke size ranged from 22/64 to 25/64; Casing: 13 3/8 @ 475 w/500 – 8 5/8 @ 3108 w/1200 – 5 1/2 @ 11,525 w/775

Eunice Monument (Grayburg San Andres)
■ AMERADA HESS CORP: N MONUMENT GB SA UNIT BLOCK 14 #19; 19S-36E-36; ne nw, 81 fnl 1505 fwl EL: 3610 GR. Obj: 5100 (San Andres). NL: 04/27/92. API# 30-025-31587. ID# T-447046. Contr: Grace #2. Spud: 07/25/92. TD: 5150 on 08/17/92. PB: 3958. Compl: on 02/07/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 3747-3920 (Grayburg) gross interval IP: (Grayburg 3784-3943) P 916 BOPD; 78 MCFGPD; 37 BWPD Notes: (Permitted as water supply well, completed as oil well) Casing: 13 3/8 @ 1185 w/915 – 9 5/8 @ 3641 w/925 – 7 lnr @ 3482-5248 w/203
■ AMERADA HESS CORP : N MONUMENT GB SA UNIT BLOCK 11 #18; 19S-37E-29; nw ne, 1260 fnl 1500 fel EL: 3626 GR. Obj: 5100 (San Andres). NL: 01/08/92. API# 30-025-31505. ID# T-445370. Contr: Grace #2. Spud: 06/23/92. TD: 5150 on 07/22/92. PB: 3977. Compl: on 02/21/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 3820-3955 (Grayburg) gross interval IP: (Grayburg 3820-3955) 1 BOPD; 29 MCFGPD; 42 BWPD Notes: (Permitted as water supply well, completed as oil well. Casing: 13 3/8 @ 2650 w/875 – 9 5/8 @ 3637 e/900 – 7 lnr @ 3467-5147 w/380
■ AMERADA HESS CORP : N MONUMENT GB SA UNIT BLOCK 15 #10; 19S-37E-31; nw se, 1915 fsl 1980 fel EL: 3569 GR. Obj: 3980 (San Andres). NL: 01/08/92. API# 30-025-31506. ID# T-445372. Contr: Grace #2. Spud: 8/20/92. TD: 4352 on 09/06/92. PB: 3812. Compl: on 02/21/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 3779-3802 (Grayburg) IP: (Grayburg 3779-3802) P 21 BOPD; 34 MCFGPD; 195 BWPD Casing: 13 3/8 @ 460 w/500 – 9 5/8 @ 3574 w/1500 – 7 @ 4351 w/275

Hat Mesa (Delaware)
■ MERIDIAN OIL CO INC: HAT MESA STATE #2; 20S-33E-32; se sw, 660 fsl 1980 fwl EL: 3635 GR. Obj: 8550 (Delaware). NL: 10/30/92. API# 30-025-31774. ID# T-450517. Spud: 12/20/92. TD: 8350 on 01/10/93. PB: 8282. Compl: on 02/20/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/01/93)PZone: 6696-8091 (Delaware) gross interval IP: (Delaware 6696-8091) P 154 BOPD grav 39.1; 100 MCFGPD; 142 BWPD Casing: 13 3/8 @ 400 w/415 – 8 5/8 @ 3280 w/1550 – 5 1/2 @ 8350 w/1325

Quail Ridge (Delaware)
■ READ & STEVENS INC: MARK FEDERAL #3; 20S-34E-3; sw se, 330 fsl 1900 fel, 33 mi S of Hobbs. EL: 3849 GR. Obj: 6600 (Delaware). NL: 11/13/92. API# 30-025-31790. ID# T-450790. Contr: W E K #1. Spud: 12/26/92 Mud drlg. TD: 6498 on 01/13/93. PB: 6087. Compl: on 02/05/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/01/93) PZone: 5628-5680 (Delaware) gross interval IP: (Delaware 5628-5680) P 86 BOPD; tr gas; 49 BWPD Casing: 13 3/8 @ 1590 w/1250 – 8 5/8 @ 4975 w/1700 – 5 1/2 @ 6132 w/650

Wantz (Grainte Wash)
■ HANSON OPERATING CO INC: MAX GUTMAN #11; 22S-38E-19; ne nw, 990 fnl 1650 fwl EL: 3345 GR. Obj: 7650 (Granite Wash). NL: 10/06/92. API# 30-025-31745. ID# T-449962. Spud: 12/31/92. TD: 7507 on 01/20/93. PB: 7423. Compl: on 02/21/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/26/93) PZone: 7283-7399 (Pennsylvanian gran wash) IP: (Pennsylvanian gran wash 7283-7399) P 75 BOPD grav 39.0; 225 MCFGPD; 1 BWPD Casing: 13 3/8 @ 379 w/300 – 8 5/8 @ 2540 w/1175 – 5 1/2 @ 7504 w/780

Wildcat (Delaware)
■ MITCHELL ENERGY CORP: COMANCHE 17 STATE #2; 21S-33E-17; se ne, 1980 fnl 660 fel EL: 3804 GR. Obj: 9500 test. NL: 06/16/92. API# 30-025-31620. ID# T-447743. Spud: 12/31/92. TD: 8980 on 01/21/93. PB: 8930. Compl: on 02/14/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 8753-8786 (Delaware) gross interval IP: (Delaware 8753-8786) P 39 BOPD grav 43; GNM; 215 BWPD Notes: (Possible new pool discovery) Casing: 13 3/8 @ 520 w/525 – 8 5/8 @ 3750 w/1275 – 5 1/2 @ 8979 w/1150

TRC DISTRICT 7C

CONCHO COUNTY

Halloran (Goen)
■ VERDAD OIL & GAS CORP - CRAWFORD #1; H & T C RY CO sur blk 8 sec 74, A-1684, 470 fnl 470 fel of sec, 470 fnl 470 fel of lse. 965 acre lse. 9 mi SW of Eden. EL: 2239 KB. Obj: 4000 test. NL: 12/07/92. Permit# 406963. API# 42-095-31522. ID# T-451192. Contr: Win Tex. Spud: 12/08/92. TD: 3860 on 12/29/92. PB: 3836. Compl: on 01/30/93 GAS (Last Info: 02/26/93) PZone: 3790-3809 (Goen) gross interval IP: (Goen 3790-3809) CAOF 2300 MCFGPD – F 15 BOPD grav 44; 870 MCFGPD grav .721 on 14/64 ck; no wtr; FTP 960, SITP 1255, BHSIP 1363, BHT 122 F @ 3799, SLOPE 0.721 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 293 w/125 – 4 1/2 @ 3858 w/200

CROCKETT COUNTY

Davidson Ranch (Pennsylvanian 7890)
■ AMAX OIL & GAS INC - MCDONALD 15 #7-L; G C & S F RY CO sur blk MN sec 15, A-2621, 2500 fnl 2600 fel of sec, and lse. 646.7 acre lse. 4.7 mi S of Ozona. EL: 2310 GR. Obj: 8500 (Pennsylvanian 7890). NL: 11/05/92. Permit# 405469. API# 42-105-36241. ID# T-450650. Contr: Wes Tex. Spud: 12/19/92. TD: 7950 on 12/29/92. PB: 7854. Compl: on 02/09/93 GAS (Last Info: 03/01/93) PZone: 7687-7725 (Pennsylvanian 7890) IP: (Pennsylvanian 7890 7687-7725) CAOF 3523 MCFGPD – F 14 BCPD grav 56.9; 1228 MCFGPD grav .65 on 12/64 ck; no wtr; FTP 1669, FCP 1690, BHP 2086; SITP 1990, BHSIP 2467, BHT 164 F @ 7706, SLOPE: 0.905 Notes: (Plan to dually complete) Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1211 w/400 – 5 1/2 @ 7950 w/550
■ AMAX OIL & GAS INC - MCDONALD 18 #4-L; G C & S F RY CO sur blk KL sec 18, A-4704, 1980 fnl 2050 fwl of sec, and lse. 323.55 acre lse. 5 mi SE of Ozona. EL: 2463 GR. Obj: 7800 (Pennsylvanian 7890). NL: 10/26/92. Permit# 405183. API# 42-105-36234. ID# T-450365. Contr: Wes Tex. Spud: 12/11/92. TD: 8110 on 12/18/92. PB: 8077. Compl: on 02/08/93 GAS (Last Info: 03/01/93) PZone: 7840-7977 (Pennsylvanian 7890) IP: (Pennsylvanian 7890 7840-7977) CAOF 3328 MCFGPD – F 12 BCPD grav 54.8; 1222 MCFGPD grav .656 on 12/64 ck; no wtr; FTP 1727, FCP 1742, BHP 2414; SITP 2108, BHSIP 2628, BHT 177 F @ 7909, SLOPE 0.886 Notes: (Plan to dually complete) Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1208 w/400 – 5 1/2 @ 8110 w/605

Hunt-Baggett West (Strawn)
■ AMAX OIL & GAS INC - ROY HENDERSON 32 #7; G C & S F RY CO sur blk M sec 32, A-4495, 660 fsl 1200 fwl of sec, and lse. 640 acre

COMPLETIONS/6E

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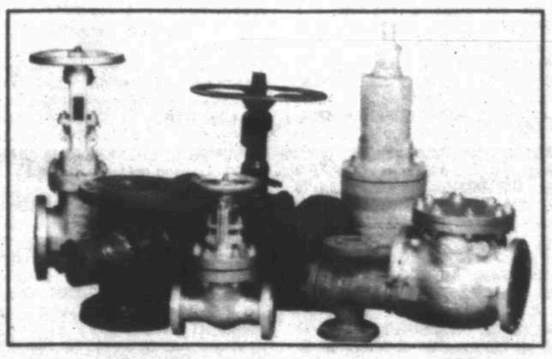

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DEVELOPMENT WELLS

(From 5E)

■ CHEVRON U S A INC - W A ESTES #132; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk B-19 sec 25, 1900 fnl 3450 fwl of sec, and lse. 20,604.5 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception applied for) 3 mi SW of Monahans. Obj: 6000 (Holt). NL: 02/24/93. ID# T-452577.

■ CHEVRON U S A INC - W A ESTES #133; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk B-19 sec 25, 600 fsl 4900 fwl of sec, and lse. 20,604.5 acre lse. 3 mi SW of Monahans. Obj: 6000 (Holt). NL: 02/24/93. ID# T-452578.

TRC DISTRICT 8A

DAWSON COUNTY

Ackerly (Dean)

■ CONOCO INC - EAST ACKERLY DEAN UNIT #80; T & P RY CO sur blk 34 twp 3N sec 4, 660 fnl 150 fwl of sec, 4620 fsl 5130 fel of lse. 4780 acre lse. 4 mi NW of Ackerly. Obj: 8900 (Dean). NL: 03/02/93. Permit# 409140. API# 42-115-32749. ID# T-452692.

GAINES COUNTY

Flanagan (Clearfork Cons)

■ SHELL WESTERN E&P INC - FLANAGAN UNIT #271; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-23 sec 3, 1213 fsl 1443 fel of sec, 4067 fnl 6477 fwl of lse. 5280 acre lse. 11.6 mi SW of Seminole. EL: 3309 GR. Obj: 7350 (Clear Fork cons). NL: 03/01/93. ID# T-452644. Notes: (Plan to commingle with Harris field)

■ SHELL WESTERN E&P INC - FLANAGAN UNIT #301; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-23 sec 2, 1523 fnl 640 fwl of sec, 3757 fnl 6600 fel of lse. 5280 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception applied for) 10.8 mi SW of Seminole. BHLoc: PROPOSED: 1320 fsl 2640 fel of sec, 3950 fnl 6600 fel of lse. EL: 3309 GR. Obj: 7350 (Clear Fork cons). NL: 03/01/93. ID# T-452645. Notes: (Plan to commingle with Harris field)

■ SHELL WESTERN E&P INC - FLANAGAN UNIT #311; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-23 sec 2, 1216 fsl 1320 fel of sec, 4064 fnl 5280 fel of lse. 5280 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception applied for) 10.8 mi SW of Seminole. EL: 3308 GR. Obj: 7350 (Clear Fork cons). NL: 03/01/93. ID# T-452647. Notes: (Plan to commingle with Harris field)

■ SHELL WESTERN E&P INC - FLANAGAN UNIT #321; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-23 sec 2, 1420 fsl 200 fel of sec, 3860 fnl 4160 fel of lse. 5280 acre lse. (Rule 37 exceptin applied for) 10.8 mi SW of Seminole. BHLoc: PROPOSED: 1320 fsl 25 fel of sec, 3960 fnl 3985 fel of lse. Obj: 7350 (Clear Fork cons). NL: 03/01/93. ID# T-452639. Notes: (Plan to commingle with Harris field)

■ SHELL WESTERN E&P INC - FLANAGAN UNIT #421; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-23 sec 9, 310 fnl 1320 fel of sec, 5590 fnl 3960 fel of lse. 5280 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception applied for) 11 mi SW of Seminole. EL: 3307 GR. Obj: 7350 (Clear Fork cons). NL: 03/01/93. ID# T-452650. Notes: (Plan to commingle with Harris field)

■ SHELL WESTERN E&P INC - FLANAGAN UNIT #501; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-23 sec 9, 1200 fnl 1320 fwl of sec, 6480 fnl 9240 fwl of lse. 5280 acre lse. (Rule exception 37 applied for) 11 mi SW of Seminole. EL: 3327 GR. Obj: 7350 (Clear Fork cons). NL: 03/01/93. ID# T-452653. Notes: (Plan to commingle with Harris field)

■ SHELL WESTERN E&P INC - FLANAGAN UNIT #511; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-23 sec 9, 1438 fnl 640 fwl of sec, 6718 fnl 6600 fel of lse. 5280 acre lse. 11 mi SW of Seminole. Obj: 7350 (Clear Fork cons). NL: 03/01/93. ID# T-452655. Notes: (Plan commingle with Harris field)

■ SHELL WESTERN E&P INC - FLANAGAN UNIT #591; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-23 sec 9, 2610 fsl 2951 fwl of sec, 7950 fnl 5575 fwl of lse. 5280 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception applied for) 11 mi SW of Seminole. EL: 3341 GR. Obj: 7350 (Clear Fork cons). NL: 03/01/93. ID# T-452658. Notes: (Plan to commingle with Harris field)

■ SHELL WESTERN E&P INC - FLANAGAN UNIT #611; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-23 sec 9, 2640 fnl 1320 fwl of sec, 7920 fnl 5280 fel of lse. 5280 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception applied for) 11 mi SW of Seminole. EL: 3340 GR. Obj: 7350 (Clear Fork cons). NL: 03/01/93. ID# T-452661. Notes: (Plan to commingle with Harris field)

■ SHELL WESTERN E&P INC - FLANAGAN UNIT #621; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-23 sec 9, 2544 fnl 2611 fel of sec, 7824 fnl 6577 fel of lse. 5280 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception applied for) 11 mi SW of Seminole. Obj: 7350 (Clear Fork cons). NL: 03/01/93. ID# T-452654. Notes: (Plan to commingle with Harris field)

Stockyard (Upper Clearfork)

■ PRIMERO OPERATING INC - BRANEX-AMERICAN #9; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-10 sec 2, 1857 fnl 2308 fwl of sec, and lse. 646.20 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception granted) 19 mi W of Seminole. EL: 3558 GR. Obj: 6800 (upr Clear Fork). NL: 02/25/93. Permit# 408966. API# 42-165-34556. ID# T-452604.

GARZA COUNTY

Buenos

■ HUBER J M CORP - KING #2; B S & F RY CO sur, A-288, 1980 fsl 1930 fwl of sur, and lse. 500 acre lse. 10 mi NW of Post. Obj: 9000 test. NL: 02/25/93. Permit# 408943. API# 42-169-33164. ID# T-452603.

Dorward

■ PRIMROSE OPERATING CO - BLAKEY #31; H & G N RY CO sur blk 5 sec 110, 1390 fsl 660 fwl of sec, 1390 fsl 150 fwl of lse. 625 acre lse. 6.5 mi SE of Justiceburg. Obj: 2800 test. NL: 03/01/93. ID# T-452642.

■ PRIMROSE OPERATING CO - BLAKEY #32; H & G N RY CO sur blk 5 sec 110, 2230 fsl 1700 fel of sec, and lse. 625 acre lse. 6.5 mi SE of Justiceburg. Obj: 2800 test. NL: 03/01/93. ID# T-452643.

Happy (Ellenburger)

■ BROTHERS PRODUCTION INC - PLK 41 #7; T & N O RR CO sur blk 2 sec 41, 1980 fsl 330 fel of sec, and lse. 160 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception granted) 10 mi S of Post. EL: 2429 GR. Obj: 8500 (Ellenburger). NL: 03/01/93. Permit# 408357. API# 42-169-33161. ID# T-452640.

Rocker A Northwest

■ HAT OIL & GAS INC - DOCTOR JEKYLL #1; G H & H RY CO sur blk 5 sec 35, 2508 fnl 1271 fwl of sec, 933 fsl 596 fel of lse. 80 acre lse. 7 mi E of Post. EL: 2334 GR. Obj: 8500 test. NL: 03/02/93. Permit# 408981. API# 42-169-33165. ID# T-452691.

HOCKLEY COUNTY

Levelland

■ AMOCO PRODUCTION CO - LEVELLAND UNIT #1075; VAL VERDE COUNTY SCHOOL LAND #211 sur, 1348 fnl 841 fwl of lab 12 lge 71 of sur, 2737 fnl 5009 fwl of lse. 16,342 acre lse. 27 mi NW of Levelland. Obj: 5100 test. NL: 03/02/93. Permit# 409027. API# 42-219-35951. ID# T-452693.

■ AMOCO PRODUCTION CO - LEVELLAND UNIT #1076; VAL VERDE COUNTY SCHOOL LAND sur, A-211, 1304 fnl 345 fel of lab 12 lge 71 of sur, 6859 fnl 6598 fwl of lse. 16,342 acre lse. 27 mi NW of Levelland. Obj: 5100 test. NL: 03/02/93. Permit# 409026. API# 42-219-35953. ID# T-452694.

■ AMOCO PRODUCTION CO - LEVELLAND UNIT #1079LU; STATE CAPITOL LAND sur, 859 fnl 56 fel of lab 17 lge 733 of sur, 1919 fsl 1445 fel of lse. 16,342 acre lse. 10 mi N of Levelland. Obj: 5100 test. NL: 02/24/93. Permit# 408921. API# 42-219-35949. ID# T-452575.

■ AMOCO PRODUCTION CO - LEVELLAND UNIT #211; VAL VERDE COUNTY SCHOOL LAND sur, A-211, 143 fsl 665 fwl of lab 19 lge 71 of sur, 6802 fnl 6222 fwl of lse. 16,342 acre lse. 23 mi NW of Levelland. Obj: 5100 test. NL: 03/02/93. Permit# 409025. API# 42-219-35952. ID# T-452695.

KENT COUNTY

Beggs

■ DALLAS PRODUCTION INC - BEGGS RANCH #1; W & N W RY CO sur blk G sec 200, 1566 fnl 2466 fwl of sec, 910 fnl 1130 fwl of lse. 90 acre lse. 14 mi NW of Clairmont. Obj: 8500 test. NL: 02/24/93. Permit# 408991. API# 42-263-31491. ID# T-452585.

KING COUNTY

Big RRR (Mississippian)

■ CITATION OIL & GAS CORP - S B BURNETT EST D #17 - DEEPEN; R M THOMSON sur blk T sec 18, A-525, 600 fnl 600 fel of sec, 3300 fnl 3300 fel of lse. 2000 acre lse. 12 mi SE of Guthrie. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 6250 (Mississippian). NL: 02/26/93. Permit# 408896. API# 42-269-10022. ID# T-452626.

SCURRY COUNTY

Kelly-Snyder Southeast

■ PATTERSON PETROLEUM INC - UNITED #1; H & G N RY CO sur blk 3 sec 181, 850 fnl 1870 fwl of sec, 850 fnl 400 fwl of lse. 43.70793 acre lse. 1 mi W of Snyder. Obj: 7100 test. NL: 02/24/93. ID# T-452586.

Sharon Ridge (Clearfork)

■ ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORP - MATTIE MINOR #16 - RE-ENTRY; H & T C RY CO sur blk 97 sec 131, 1037 fsl 1499 fel of sec, 1037 fsl 1141 fwl of lse. 160 acre lse. 2.3 mi W of Ira. Summary Original Drill: Oper: LAKEWOOD OPERATING LTD Well: PRAIRIE DOG #2. Field: DIAMOND M (CANYON LS). TD: 7000 in Canyon ls. P&A on 12/21/92. PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2268 GR. Obj: 3300 (Clear Fork). NL: 10/26/92. API# 42-415-33212. ID# T-450385.

Information provided by Dwight's Energydata, Inc.

COMPLETIONS

(From 5E)

lse. 11 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2496 GR. Obj: 10200 (Strawn). NL: 11/05/92. Permit# 405466. API# 42-105-36244. ID# T-450649. Contr: Wes-Tex. Spud: 12/30/92. TD: 9547 on 01/09/93. PB: 9443. Compl: on 02/10/93 GAS (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 9328-9432 (Strawn) IP: (Strawn 9328-9432) CAOF 503 MCFGPD -- F 483 MCFGPD grav .570; no oil; no wtr; FTP 375, SITP 1915, BHSIP 2324, BHT 196 F @ 9380, SLOPE 1.000 Notes: (Plan to dually complete) Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1212 w/450 -- 5 1/2 @ 9545 w/700

Ozona (Canyon Sandstone)

■ AMAX OIL & GAS INC - FRIEND C #4; G C & S F RY CO sur blk OP sec 2, 1987 fsl 371 fwl of sec, and lse. 283.85 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception granted) .25 mi SE'LY of Ozona. Geomap: 5-6N-10W EL: 2424 GR. Obj: 8500 (Canyon ss). NL: 08/06/91. Permit# 390649. API# 42-105-35988. ID# T-442558. Contr: Wes Tex. Spud: 12/22/92. TD: 6650 on 12/30/92. PB: 6581. Compl: on 02/13/93 GAS (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 6407-6559 (Canyon) IP: (Canyon ss 6047-6559) CAOF 6203 MCFGPD -- F 20 BOPD grav 71.6; 1021 MCFGPD grav .756 on 16/64 ck; no wtr; FTP 773, FCP 836, SITP 896, BHSIP 1109, BHT 158 F @ 6483, SLOPE 0.915 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1211 w/400 -- 4 1/2 @ 6649 w/250

■ AMAX OIL & GAS INC - J W HENDERSON C #3; G C & S F RY CO sur blk M sec 17, A-2125, 2675 fsl 1978 fel of sec, 2675 fsl 661 fwl of lse. 320 acre lse. 15 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2322 GR. Obj: 8000 (Canyon ss). NL: 09/22/92. Permit# 403601. API# 42-105-36181. ID# T-449634. Contr: Wes Tex. Spud: 12/11/92. TD: 7000 on 12/17/92. PB: 6935. Compl: on 02/05/93 GAS (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 6204-6845 (Canyon) gross interval IP: (Canyon 6204-6845) CAOF 4068 MCFGPD -- F 56 BCPD grav 72.5; 1130 MCFGPD grav .743 on 12/64 ck; no wtr; FTP 1645, FCP 1617, SITP 1745, BHSIP 2323, BHT 159 F @ 6525, SLOPE 0.743 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1209 w/470 -- 4 1/2 @ 6985 w/450

■ QUESTA OIL & GAS CO - PIERCE 43 #1; T C RY GO sur blk A sec 43, A-2963, 830 fsl 1973 fel of sec, 830 fsl 660 fwl of lse. 320 acre lse. 25.4 mi SW of Ozona. EL: 2308 GR. Obj: 7200 (Canyon ss). NL: 12/21/92. Permit# 407378. API# 42-105-36295. ID# T-451462. Contr: Cardinal. Spud: 12/21/92 Mud drlg. TD: 6600 on 12/31/92. PB: 6365. Compl: on 02/01/93 GAS (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 5956-5994 (Canyon ss) IP: (Canyon ss 5956-5994) F 42 BCPD grav 66.6; 1364 MCFGPD grav .718 on 18/64 ck; tr wtr; FTP 880, BHP 1935; SITP 1750, BHT 149 F @ 5975, SLOPE 0.523 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1290 w/420 -- 4 1/2 @ 6600 w/350

■ TEXACO EXPL & PROD INC - C E DAVIDSON JR D NCT-1 #6; G C & S F RY CO sur blk KL sec 9, A-3677, 660 fnl 2475 fel of sec, 660 fnl 2861 fwl of lse. 647.27 acre lse. 6 mi SE of Ozona. EL: 2053 KB. Obj: 6450 (Canyon ss). NL: 07/08/92. Permit# 401019. API# 42-105-36098. ID# T-448086. Contr: Wes Tex. Spud: 09/20/92. TD: 6450 on 09/24/92. PB: 6378. Compl: on 11/18/92 GAS (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 6167-6294 (Canyon ss) IP: (Canyon ss 6167-6294) CAOF 1243 MCFGPD -- F 2 BCPD grav 60; 797 MCFGPD grav .745 on 12/64 ck; 0.2 BWPD; FTP 839, FCP 1018, SITP 523, BHSIP 1608, BHT 125 F @ 6104, SLOPE 0.917 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1200 w/630 -- 4 1/2 @ 6450 w/310

IRION COUNTY

Sugg Ranch (Canyon)

■ IP PETROLEUM CO INC - SUGG E #63-7; H & T C RY CO sur blk 7 sec 65, 810 fsl 1980 fwl of sec, and lse. 1920 acre lse. 16 mi SW of Sterling City. EL: 2365 GR. Obj: 7900 (Canyon). NL: 11/17/92. Permit# 406071. API# 42-235-33152. ID# T-450845. Contr: FWA #12. Spud: 12/23/92. TD: 7660 on 12/31/92. PB: 7612. Compl: on 02/07/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/26/93) PZone: 7275-7487 (Canyon ss) IP: (Canyon ss 7275-7487) F 54 BOPD grav 43.4; 370 MCFGPD on 20/64 ck; 25 BWPD; FTP 580, FCP 880 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1790 w/1225 -- 4 1/2 @ 7660 w/1800

■ IP PETROLEUM CO INC - SUGG F #6214; H & T C RY CO sur blk 7 sec 62, A-812, 660 fsl 660 fwl of sec, 5940 fsl 660 fwl of lse. 3200 acre lse. 13 mi SW of Sterling City. EL: 2400 GR. Obj: 7700 (Canyon). NL: 10/16/92. Permit# 404759. API# 42-235-33138. ID# T-450166. Contr: FWA. Spud: 11/12/92. TD: 7600 on 11/20/92. PB: 7558. Compl: on 02/07/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/01/93) PZone: 7209-7444 (Canyon) IP: (Canyon 7209-7444) P 3(BOPD grav 43.2; 210 MCFGPD; 6 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1780 w/1400 -- 4 1/2 @ 7600 w/1850

■ IP PETROLEUM CO INC - SUGG F #6513; H & T C RY CO sur blk 7 sec 65, A-352, 660 fsl 1980 fel of sec, and lse. 3200 acre lse. 13 mi SW of Sterling City. EL: 2472 GR. Obj: 7700 (Canyon). NL: 10/29/92. Permit# 405305. API# 42-235-33147. ID# T-450482. Contr: FWA #21. Spud: 12/26/92. TD: 7650 on 01/04/93. PB: 7602. Compl: on 02/07/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/26/93) PZone: 7341-7490 (Canyon ss) IP: (Canyon ss 7341-7490) P 37 BOPD grav 43.2; 195 MCFGPD; 15 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1810 w/1225 -- 4 1/2 @ 7650 w/1800

■ IP PETROLEUM CO INC - SUGG F #6514; H & T C RY CO sur blk 7 sec 65, A-352, 1980 fsl 660 fel of sec, and lse. 3200 acre lse. 13 mi SW of Sterling City. EL: 2511 GR. Obj: 7700 (Canyon). NL: 10/30/92. Permit# 405394. API# 42-235-33151. ID# T-450505. Contr: FWA #40. Spud: 12/07/92. TD: 7650 on 12/17/92. PB: 7602. Compl: on 02/14/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/01/93) PZone: 7432-7472 (Canyon) IP: (Canyon 7432-7472) P 39 BOPD grav 44.1; 125 MCFGPD; 16 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1800 w/1225 -- 4 1/2 @ 7650 w/1800

■ IP PETROLEUM CO INC - SUGG F #6515; H & T C RY CO sur blk 7 sec 65, A-352, 660 fsl 1980 fwl of sec, and lse. 3200 acre lse. 13 mi SW of Sterling City. EL: 2441 GR. Obj: 7700 (Canyon). NL: 10/30/92. Permit# 405393. API# 42-235-33150. ID# T-450506. Contr: FWA #6. Spud: 11/23/92. TD: 7630 on 12/01/92. PB: 7582. Compl: on 02/15/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/26/93) PZone: 7276-7472 (Canyon ss) IP: (Canyon ss 7276-7472) P 27 BOPD grav 44; 135 MCFGPD; 135 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1756 w/1225 -- 4 1/2 @ 7630 w/1800

■ IP PETROLEUM CO INC - SUGG F #6516; H & T C RY CO sur blk 7 sec 65, A-352, 810 fsl 660 fel of sec, and lse. 3200 acre lse. 13 mi SW of Sterling City. EL: 2525 GR. Obj: 7700 (Canyon). NL: 10/30/92. Permit# 405392. API# 42-235-33149. ID# T-450504. Contr: FWA #40. Spud: 12/29/92. TD: 7650 on 01/07/93. PB: 7602. Compl: on 02/14/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/26/93) PZone: 7351-7517 (Canyon ss) IP: (Canyon ss 7351-7517) P 37 BOPD grav 44.9; 135 MCFGPD; 20 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1812 w/1225 -- 4 1/2 @ 7650 w/1800

RUNNELS COUNTY

Briley (Gardner Sandstone)

■ E W D OIL - BRILEY-BREDEMEYER #3 - RE-ENTRY; H & T C RY CO sur blk 64 sec 321, 2117 fsl 467 fel of sec, 467 fsl 467 fel of lse. 180 acre lse. 5 mi NE of Winters. Summary Original Drill: Oper: ANDERSON JAMES K INC Well: BRILEY #3. Compl: OIL Casing: 8 5/8 @ 130 w/75 -- 4 1/2 @ 4355 w/160 Tops: L/T Palo Pinto 3610 Capps ls 3932 Gardner ls 4242 Gardner ss 4321. PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 4355 (Gardner ss). NL: 12/29/92. Permit# 407624. API# 42-399-30560. ID# T-451575. Resume: 12/28/92. TD: 4355. PB: 4200. Recomp: on 02/02/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 3932-3946 (Capps ls) IP: (Capps ls 3932-3946) P 25 BOPD grav 44; 22 MCFGPD; 110 BWPD

SCHLEICHER COUNTY

Velrex (Upper Henderson)

■ VERDAD OIL & GAS CORP - ELDORADO #2; T C RY CO sur blk TT sec 58, A-1322, 550 fsl 554 fel of sec, and lse. 327.7 acre lse. 12 mi NW of Eldorado. Geomap: 4-16N-7W EL: 2529 KB. Obj: 6800 test. NL: 10/06/92. Permit# 404236. API# 42-413-31820. ID# T-449969. Contr: Cleere. Spud: 11/24/92. TD: 6800 on 12/05/92 in Canyon. PB: 6720. Compl: on 02/06/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 6578-6682 (Canyon) IP: (upr Henderson 6578-6682) F 49 BOPD grav 40.8; 460 MCFGPD on 22/64 ck; 13 BWPD; FTP 150, FCP 610 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 773 w/300 -- 4 1/2 @ 6780 w/300

SUTTON COUNTY

Sawyer (Canyon)

■ AMERICAN EXPL CO - KELLY 115 #7; H E & W T RY CO sur blk C sec 115, A-437, 910 fnl 2400 fel of sec, and lse. 640 acre lse. 10 mi S of Sonora. EL: 2221 GR. Obj: 7150 (Canyon). NL: 10/16/92. Permit# 404787. API# 42-435-33928. ID# T-450168. Contr: Tucker. Spud: 12/28/92. TD: 6650 on 01/02/93. PB: 6561. Compl: on 02/05/93 GAS (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 5248-6376 (Canyon ss) gross interval IP: (Canyon ss 5248-6376) CAOF 275 MCFGPD -- F 1.6 BCPD grav 64.3; 264 MCFGPD grav .713 on 16/64 ck; 54 BWPD; FTP 223, FCP 722, BHP 251; SITP 1077, BHSIP 1182, BHT 188 F @ 5812, SLOPE 1.000 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1020 w/425 -- 4 1/2 @ 6624 w/490

■ AMERICAN EXPL CO - KELLY 126 #8; H E & W T RY CO sur blk C sec 126, A-1750, 485 fr W'ly sl 2000 fel of sur, 485 fr most N'ly sl 2000 fel of lse. 586 acre lse. 10 mi SW of Sonora. EL: 2098 GR. Obj: 7200 (Canyon). NL: 11/09/92. Permit# 405899. API# 42-435-33934. ID# T-450695. Contr: Tucker Drlg. Spud: 01/12/93 Mud drlg. TD: 6700 on 01/16/93. PB: 6426. Compl: on 02/14/93 GAS (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 5113-6274 (Canyon) gross interval IP: (Canyon 5113-6274) CAOF 290 MCFGPD -- F 0.3 BCPD grav 63.5; 260 MCFGPD grav .716 on 14/64 ck; 48 BWPD; FTP 350, BHP 403; SITP 1034, SICP 514, BHSIP 1210, BHT 185 F @ 5694, SLOPE 1.000 One Point: 260 MCFGPD on 14/64 ck in 4320 min, FFP 350, BHP 403 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 840 w/425 -- 4 1/2 @ 6497 w/440

UPTON COUNTY

Pegasus (Devonian)

■ MOBIL PRODUCING TX & NM - PEGASUS FIELD UNIT 3 #1503 - PLUG BACK; T & P RY CO sur blk 40 twp 4S sec 31, A-1354, 1980 fnl 660 fwl of sec, 12,540 fnl 5940 fwl of lse. 11,330 acre lse. 18 mi SE of Odessa. Geomap: 7-14N-18W Summary Original Drill: PZone: 9814-10089 Casing: 13 3/8 @ 477 -- 9 5/8 @ 4842 -- 7 5/8 @ 9145 -- 5 1/2 @ 12,735 Summary Recompletion: Well: PEGASUS ELLENBURGER UNIT #1503. Field: PEGASUS (ELLENBURGER). Recomp: on 03/29/90 OIL PZone: 12735-12993 (Ellenburger) IP: (Ellenburger 12735-12993) GL 12 BCPD grav 50.2; 3 MCFGPD; no wtr PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2872 GR. Obj: 12380 (Devonian). NL: 03/10/89. Permit# 406948. API# 42-461-03305. ID# T-424237. Resume: 12/12/92. TD: 12993. PB: 12480. Recomp: on 02/08/93 GAS (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 11485-11790 (Devonian) IP: (Devonian 11485-11790) CAOF 5541 MCFGPD -- F 25 BOPD grav 47; 1542 MCFGPD on 8/64 ck; FTP 1557, SITP 1866, BHSIP 2828, BHT 196 F @ 11750, SLOPE 1.000 -- casing pressure TSTM

Spraberry (Trend Area)

■ PARKER & PARSLEY DEV CO - CONNELL #4 - PLUG BACK; T & P RY CO sur blk 39 twp 5S sec 36, 1390 fsl 2172 fel of sec, and lse. 672 acre lse. 25 mi N of Rankin. Summary Original Drill: Field: SPRABERRY (TREND AREA). Compl: OIL PZone: 7356-8261 (Spraberry) Casing: 8 5/8 @ 385 w/250 -- 4 1/2 @ 8320 w/320 PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2753 GR. Obj: 7297 test. NL: 02/05/93. Permit# 408768. API# 42-461-10278. ID# T-452304. Resume: 11/16/92. TD: 8320. PB: 7297. Recomp: on 12/15/92 GAS (Last Info: 02/26/93) PZone: 6952-6977 (Clear Fork) IP: (Clear Fork 6952-6977) CAOF 81 MCFGPD -- F 0.60 BOPD grav 47; 64 MCFGPD grav .892 on open ck; 0.10 BWPD; FCP 49, SICP 144, BHSIP 189, BHT 257 F @ 6965, SLOPE 1.000

TRC DISTRICT 8

ANDREWS COUNTY

Andrews South (Wolfcamp)

■ CITATION OIL & GAS CORP - UNIVERSITY G #1 - PLUG BACK; UNIVERSITY SCHOOL LAND sur blk 1 sec 17, 330 fsl 330 fel of sec, and lse. 328.9 acre lse. 10 mi S'LY of Andrews. Summary Original Drill: Field: ANDREWS SOUTH (DEVONIAN). Compl: OIL Casing: 13 3/8 @ 431 w/350 -- 8 5/8 @ 4698 w/1930 -- 5 1/2 @ 12,577 w/600 PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 3149 GR. Obj: 8816 (Wolfcamp). NL: 02/02/93. Permit# 408653. API# 42-003-05292. ID# T-452227. Resume: 02/03/93. TD: 12598. PB: 9122. Recomp: on 02/21/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 8616-9110 (Wolfcamp) IP: (Wolfcamp 8616-9110) P 80 BOPD grav 35.6; 8 MCFGPD; 66 BWPD Notes: (May dually complete at a later date with previous production in Andrews South (Devonian) field)

Lowe (Strawn)

■ TEXACO EXPL & PROD INC - J E MABEE A NCT-1 #228 - PLUG BACK; G & M M B & A RY CO sur blk 40 sec 42, 1995 fnl 1974 fel of sec, 7275 fnl 3291 fwl of lse. 12,800 acre lse. 22 mi SSE of Andrews. Summary Original Drill: Field: LOWE (MISSISSIPPIAN). Compl: OIL PZone: 11145-11275 (Mississippian) Casing: 13 3/8 @ 325 W/300 -- 9 5/8 @ 4900 W/3495 -- 7 @ 13,291 W/1055 PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2928 DF. Obj: 11000 test. NL: 11/05/92. Permit# 405578. API# 42-003-10141. ID# T-450630. Resume: 01/04/93. TD: 13291. PB: 10990. Recomp: on 02/01/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/26/93) PZone: 10490-10501 (Strawn) IP: (Strawn 10490-10501) P 47 BOPD grav 42; 34 MCFGPD; no wtr

CULBERSON COUNTY

Geraldine South (Olds A)

■ SIETE OIL & GAS CORP - SHOSHONE #1; T & P RY CO sur blk 58 sec 43, 1980 fsl 660 fel of sec, and lse. 486 acre lse. 11 mi SW of Orla. EL: 3197 KB. Obj: 4100 test. NL: 10/19/92. Permit# 404824. API# 42-109-32182. ID# T-450222. Contr: Tinsley & Sons. Spud: 12/28/92. TD: 4065 on 01/04/93. PB: 2550. Compl: on 01/18/93 GAS (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 2330-2360 (Olds) IP: (Olds 2330-2360) CAOF 1900 MCFGPD -- F 289 MCFGPD grav .600 on 9/64 ck; GTSTM; 120 BWPD; FTP 945, BHP 1071; SITP 1120, BHSIP 1185, BHT 90 F @ 2345, SLOPE 1.000 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 515 w/400 -- 5 1/2 @ 2550 w/540

ECTOR COUNTY

Foster (Grayburg)

■ AMOCO PRODUCTION CO - E F COWDEN B #97 - PLUG BACK; T & P RY CO sur blk 43 twp 2S sec 14, A-589, 1736 fsl 2716 fel of sec, and lse. 1952 acre lse. (T & P Ry Co sur also known as R D Hunter) (Rule 37 exception granted) 1 mi W of Odessa. Summary Original Drill: Field: COWDEN SOUTH (CANYON 8790). Compl: OIL PZone: 8468-9016 (Canyon) PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 4060 (Grayburg). NL: 07/17/92. Permit# 401249. API# 42-135-34489. ID# T-448288. Resume: 12/28/92. TD: 9277. PB: 4280. Recomp: on 02/04/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 3952-4204 IP: (3952-4204) P 71 BOPD; 13 MCFGPD; 451 BWPD

Mosswell (Strawn 8720)

■ MARIAH ENERGY CORP - TXL AT #2; T & P RY CO sur blk 45 twp 2S sec 27, A-394, 1980 fsl 1980 fel of sec, and lse. 640 acre lse. 16.1 mi SW of Odessa. Geomap: 9-15N-21W EL: 2958 GR. Obj: 9000 (Strawn 8720). NL: 11/15/91. Permit# 393977. API# 42-135-36556. ID# T-444428. Contr: J S & M Drilling. Spud: 12/19/92. TD: 8799 on 01/04/93. Compl: on 02/01/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/01/93) PZone: 8524-8676 (lwr Pin) IP: (lwr Pin 8524-8676) P 28 BOPD grav 40; 25 MCFGPD; 4 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 2830 w/1725 -- 4 1/2 @ 8799 w/1250

GLASSCOCK COUNTY

Cobra

■ MATADOR DRLG CORP - POWELL A #1; T & P RY CO sur blk 35 twp 3S sec 3, A-313, 467 fsl 1290 fel of sec, and lse. 160 acre lse. 13 mi NW of Garden City. EL: 2516 GR. Obj: 8400 test. NL: 01/20/93. Permit# 408148. API# 42-173-32286. ID# T-451951. Contr: Wes-Tex #11. Spud: 02/01/93. TD: 8077 on 02/16/93. PB: 8025. Compl: on 02/21/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 7941-7968 (Wolfcamp) IP: (Wolfcamp 7941-7968) F 417 BOPD grav 43.2; 327 MCFGPD on 14/64 ck; no wtr; FTP 950 Casing: 13 3/8 @ 345 w/345 -- 8 5/8 @ 3205 w/750 -- 5 1/2 @ 8077 w/350

Conger (Pennsylvanian)

■ WAGNER & BROWN - ALLEIN A #3128; T & P RY CO sur blk 32 twp 5S sec 28, A-838, 1980 fsl 660 fel of sec, 1980 fsl 4649 fwl of lse. 1970.10 acre lse. 15 mi SW of Sterling City. EL: 2630 KB. Obj: 8700 (Pennsylvanian). NL: 12/18/92. Permit# 406590. API# 42-173-32277. ID# T-451459. Contr: Wes Tex #3. Spud: 01/07/93. TD: 8550 on 01/19/93. PB: 8478. Compl: on 02/15/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/01/93) PZone: 7997-8423 (Cisco/Canyon) IP: (Cisco-/Canyon 7997-8423) P 14 BOPD grav 47.4; 259 MCFGPD; 3 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 2008 w/855 -- 4 1/2 @ 8550 w/895

■ WAGNER & BROWN - ALLEIN A #35-34; T & P RY CO sur blk 32 twp 5S sec 34, 1930 fnl 660 fwl of sec, 3386 fsl 660 fwl of lse. 1970.10 acre lse. 15 mi SW of Sterling City. EL: 2602 KB. Obj: 8709 (Pennsylvanian). NL: 12/01/92. Permit# 406555. API# 42-173-32274. ID# T-451089. Contr: Wes-Tex. Spud: 01/05/93. TD: 8550 on 01/16/93. PB: 8468. Compl: on 02/15/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/01/93) PZone: 7952-8005 (Cisco-/Canyon) IP: (Cisco/Canyon 7952-8352) P 28 BOPD grav 49.4; 197 MCFGPD; 4 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1996 w/905 -- 4 1/2 @ 8550 w/750

HOWARD COUNTY

Middleton (Canyon Reef)

■ COBRA OIL & GAS CORP - ADAMS UNIT #1; T & P RY CO sur blk 33 twp 3N sec 42, 2357 fsl 2890 fwl of sec, 654 fnl 549 fel of lse. 80 acre lse. 4 mi N of Knott. EL: 2713 GR. Obj: 9100 test. NL: 07/31/92. Permit# 401832. API# 42-227-34708. ID# T-448609. Contr: Patterson #3. Spud: 01/14/93. TD: 9034 on 02/05/93. Compl: on 02/22/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 8992-9034 (Canyon reef) IP: (Canyon reef 8992-9034) F 105 BOPD grav 41; 86 MCFGPD on 15/64 ck; no wtr; FTP 200 Casing: 12 3/4 @ 347 w/440 -- 8 5/8 @ 3596 w/1470 -- 5 1/2 @ 8992 w/1060

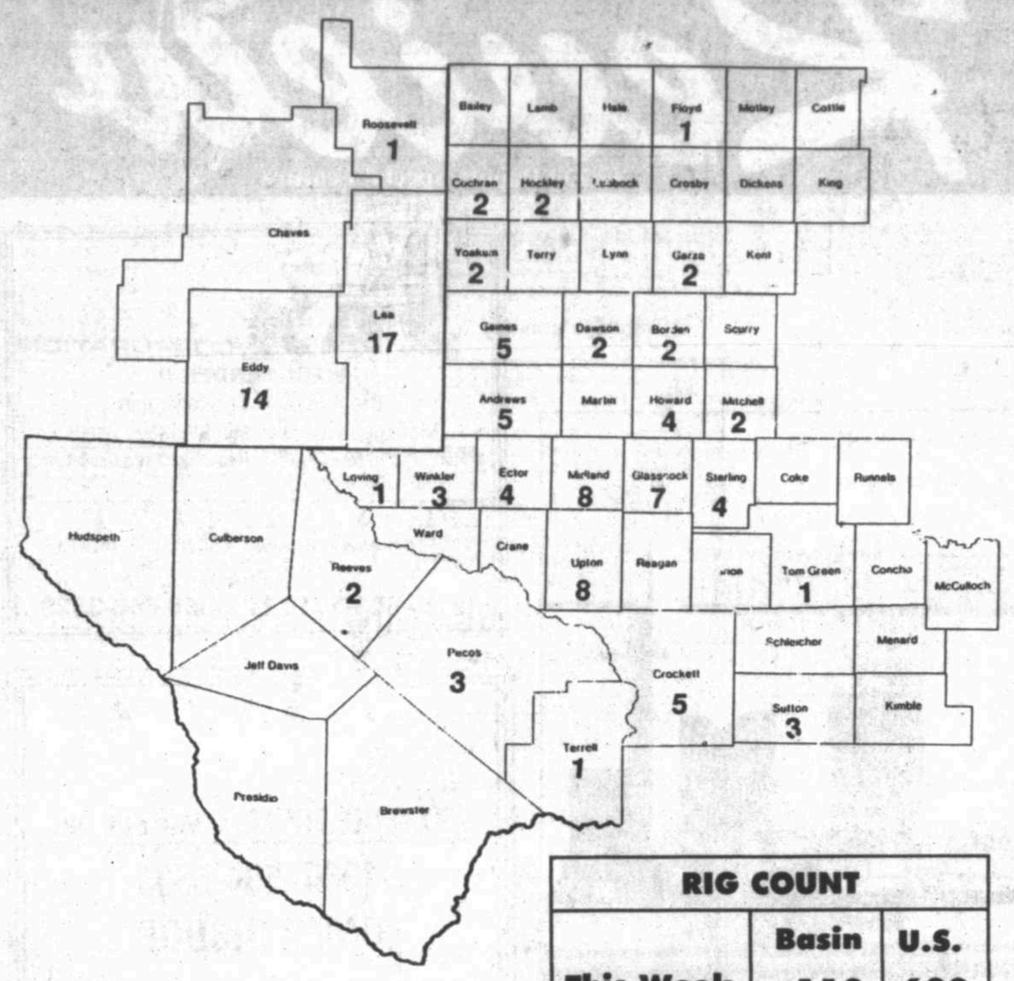
MIDLAND COUNTY

Spraberry (Trend Area)

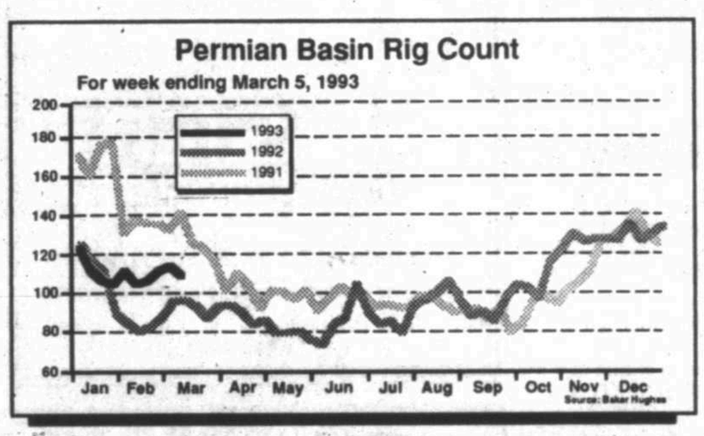
■ PARKER & PARSLEY DEV CO - SHACKELFORD SPRABERRY UNIT #128A; T & P RY CO sur blk 37 twp 3S sec 27, A-137, 660 fsl 1980 fel of sec, 4625 fnl 1980 fel of lse. 28,731 acre lse. 5 mi S of Spraberry. EL: 2870 KB. Obj: 8925 test. NL: 11/23/92. Permit# 406399. API# 42-329-32707. ID# T-450986. Contr: FWA #5. Spud: 12/21/92. TD: 8950 on 01/04/93. Compl: on 02/19/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/01/93) PZone: 7099-8818 (Spraberry/Dean) gross interval IP: (Spraberry/Dean 7099-

ACTIVITY INDICATORS

RIG COUNT PROFILE



RIG COUNT	Basin	U.S.
This Week	110	620
Last Week	116	663
Year Ago	98	660



Permian Basin Rig Utilization	
This week	Last week
35.5 %	35.5%

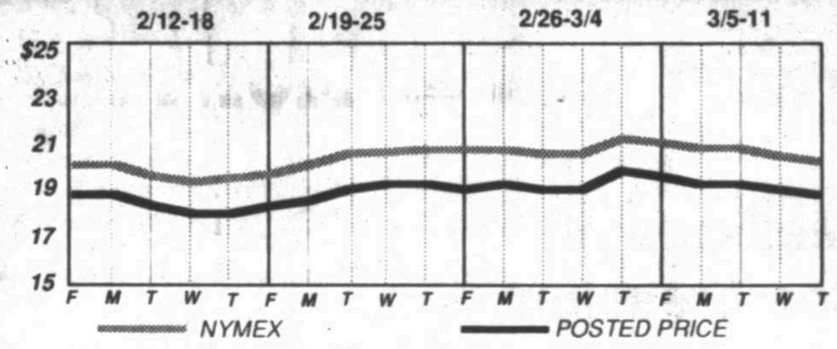
U.S. Rig Utilization	
This week	Last week
22.8%	23.4%

Crude Oil Prices

This Week's Average:

NYMEX $20.56

POSTED $18.75



Current Posted Prices

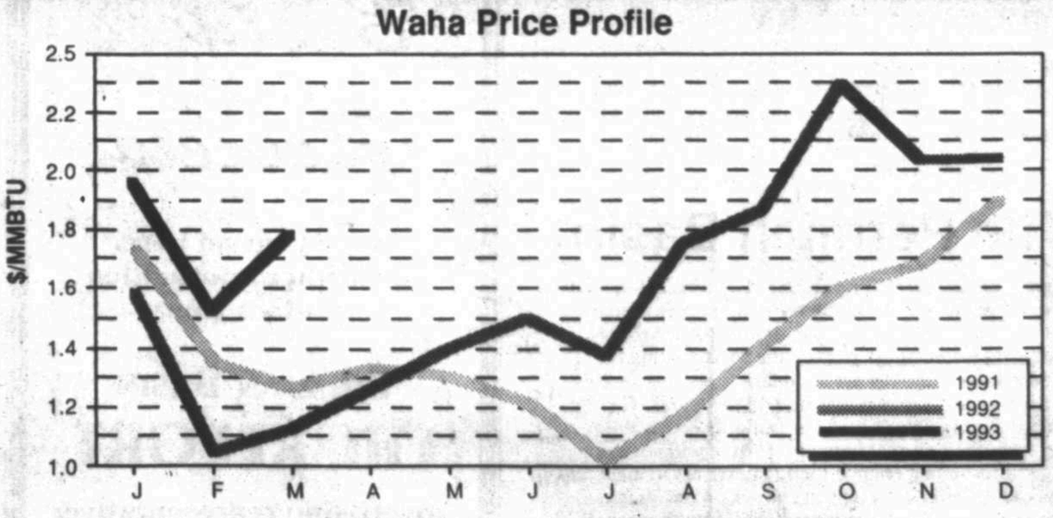
Amoco*	$19.75	Fina*	$18.75	Scurlock Permian*	$18.75
Arco	19.00	Koch	18.75	Shell*	19.75
Chevron	20.00	Marathon*	19.00	Sun*	19.00
Citgo*	19.00	Mobil*	19.25	Texaco	18.75
Conoco	18.75	Navajo*	18.75	Unocal	19.25
E.O.T.T.	19.00	Phibro*	19.00		
Exxon	20.00	Phillips*	18.75		

Note: Prices are effective Thursday afternoon prior to publication

*Net price without transportation charges

Spot Gas Price Comparison

Waha Price Profile



*Waha is a major natural gas collection header for the Permian Basin located in Pecos County.

Waha Averages	
This month	Last month
$1.84	$1.56

Current Exchange Prices

- **MidContinent** (Arkoma) $1.82
- **Gulf Coast** (Louisiana) $1.91
- **Rocky Mountains** (Wyoming) $1.80

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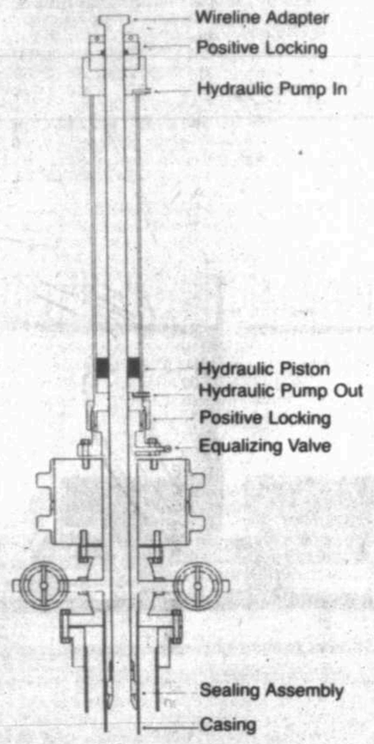

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Mandrel I.D.	*2.75"*	*3.50"*	*3.50"*	*1.25"*	*1.50"*	*1.50"*	*2.875"*	*2.875"*	*2.875"*
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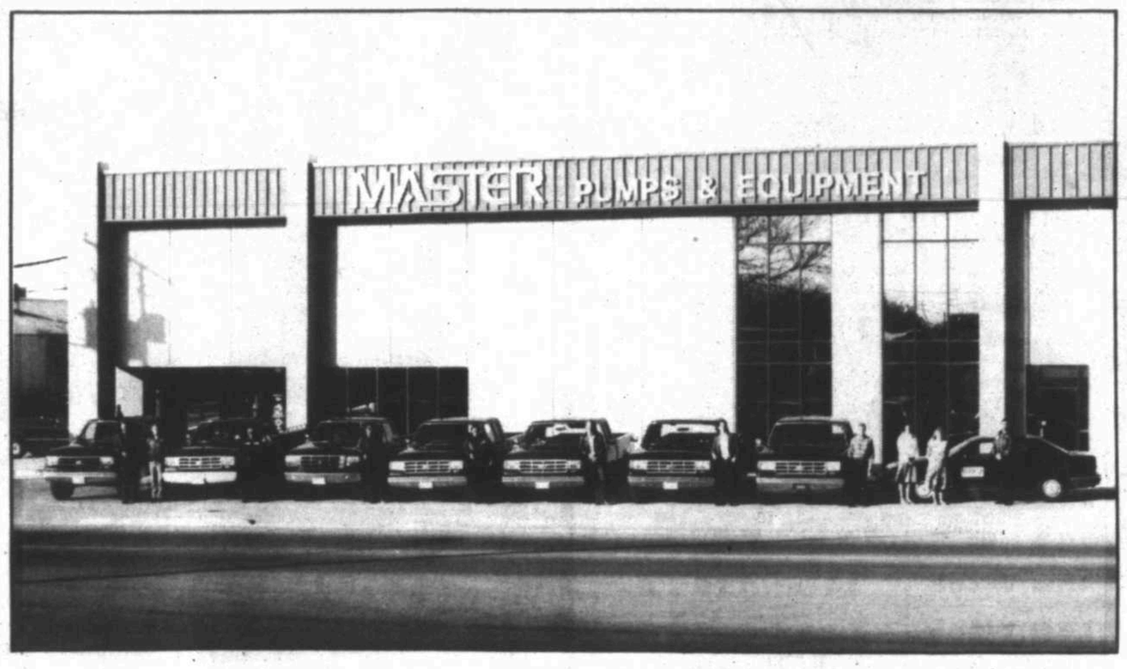

Chemical Blending Services, Inc. provides variety of services to industry

Chemical Blending Services, Inc. is a subsidiary of Benchmark Research and Technology, Inc. Established in 1981, Chemical Blending Services was originally intended to meet the specific needs of the oil well industry by providing for the proprietary blending and packaging of liquid and dry chemicals. However, the 1983 purchase of a regional chemical distribution company greatly expanded Chemical Blending's product and service capabilities.

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The Most Economical Methods of Artificial Lift and Gas Compression

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COMPLETIONS

(From 6E)

8024 (Mississippian) gross interval IP: (Mississippian 8006-8024) P 15 BOPD grav 42; 12 MCFGPD; 15 BWPD Notes: (Operator chngd from Cox Oil & Gas Inc)

STERLING COUNTY

Conger (Pennsylvanian)

■ WAGNER & BROWN - GLASS F #212 - RE-ENTRY; T & P RY CO sur blk 32 twp 5S sec 12, 660 fnl 660 fwl of sec, and lse. 640 acre lse. 15 mi SW of Sterling City. Summary Original Drill: P&A on 01/15/79. Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1849 Tops: L/T San Andres 2047 Cisco 7746 Canyon 8018. PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2480 KB. Obj: 8700 (Pennsylvanian). NL: 12/21/92. Permit# 407413. API# 42-431-30734. ID# T-451477. Contr: Wes-Tex. Resume: 01/07/93. TD: 9400. PB: 8320. Recomp: on 02/15/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/26/93) PZone: 7693-8146 (Cisco/Canyon) gross interval IP: (Cisco/Canyon 7693-8146) P 40 BOPD grav 43.4; 148 MCFGPD; no wtr Casing: 4 1/2 @ 8320 w/1310

Sugg Ranch (Canyon)

■ IP PETROLEUM CO INC - SUGG A #1712; T & P RY CO sur blk 2 sec 17, A-520, 660 fsl 1980 fwl of sec, and lse. 800 acre lse. 16 mi SW of Sterling City. EL: 2575 GR. Obj: 8200 (Canyon). NL: 11/24/92. Permit# 406392. API# 42-431-32592. ID# T-451025. Contr: FWA. Spud: 12/27/92. TD: 8185 on 01/05/93. PB: 8134. Compl: on 02/06/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/26/93) PZone: 7888-8078 (Canyon ss) IP: (Canyon ss 7888-8078) F 65 BOPD grav 43.8; 330 MCFGPD on 24/64 ck; 16 BWPD; FTP 220, FCP 1000 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1800 w/725

■ IP PETROLEUM CO INC - SUGG G #45-5; H & T C RY CO sur blk 7 sec 45, 660 fnl 1980 fwl of sec, and lse. 640 acre lse. 20 mi SW of Sterling City. EL: 2532 GR. Obj: 7700 (Canyon). NL: 11/23/92. Permit# 406350. API# 42-431-32591. ID# T-450993. Contr: Wes Tex. Spud: 12/06/92. TD: 7610 on 12/14/92. PB: 7563. Compl: on 02/08/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/26/93) PZone: 7308-7464 (Canyon ss) IP: (Canyon ss 7308-7464) F 36 BOPD grav 46.9; 1020 MCFGPD on 18/64 ck; 5 BWPD; FTP 960, FCP 1080 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1758 w/1225 -- 4 1/2 @ 7610 w/1800

WARD COUNTY

W A Estes (Holt)

■ CHEVRON U S A INC - HUTCHINGS STOCK ASSOCIATION #1542; G & M M B & A sur blk N sec 73, A-109, 500 fsl 300 fwl of sec, 500 fsl 16,140 fwl of lse. 29,320 acre lse. 5 mi SW of Monahans. EL: 2597 GR. Obj: 5500 (Holt). NL: 12/02/92. Permit# 406162. API# 42-475-34141. ID# T-451130. Contr: V & B #4. Spud: 12/08/92. TD: 5200 on 12/17/92. PB: 4817. Compl: on 02/01/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/24/93) PZone: 4744-4788 (Holt) IP: (Holt 4744-4788) P 67 BOPD grav 35.4; 7 MCFGPD; 55 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 750 -- 5 1/2 @ 5200

TRC DISTRICT 8A

BORDEN COUNTY

Jo Mill (Spraberry)

■ AMOCO PRODUCTION CO - T J GOOD A #23 - RECOMPLETION; T & P RY CO sur blk 33 twp 4N sec 36, A-784, 1853 fsl 1950 fwl of sec, 2103 fnl 1729 fel of lse. 13,442.41 acre lse. (Rule 37 exception granted) 5 mi N of Vealmoor. Summary Original Drill: Field: GOOD. Compl: OIL Casing: 13 3/8 @ 409 w/350 -- 9 5/8 @ 3115 w/2000 -- 7 @ 8227 w/250 PRESENT OPERATIONS: Obj: 7350 (Spraberry). NL: 12/28/92. Permit# 406905. API# 42-033-00830. ID# T-451547. Resume: 12/28/92. TD: 8268. Recomp: on 02/05/93 (Last Info: 03/01/93) PZone: 7111-8268 (Spraberry) IP: (7111-8268) P 56 BOPD grav 38; 67 MCFGPD; 25 BWPD -- Commingled with previous Good field; Notes: (Commingled with previous Good field, Oil ID #02408)

COCHRAN COUNTY

Levelland

■ PARKER & PARSLEY DEV CO - MASTEN C #3 - COMMINGLED; ARMSTRONG COUNTY SCHOOL LAND sur, A-106, 696 fsl 696 fwl of lab 3 lge 133 of sur, and lse. 858.3 acre lse. 8 mi SW of Lehman. EL: 3823 GR. Obj: 5100 test. NL: 01/14/93. Permit# 408089. API# 42-079-32649. ID# T-451844. Contr: BRW. Spud: 02/01/93. TD: 5016 on 02/07/93. PB: 5004. Compl: on 02/23/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 4931-5002 (San Andres) IP: (San Andres 4931-5002) P 20 BOPD grav 30; 19 MCFGPD; 30 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 416 w/275 -- 4 1/2 @ 5016 w/1500

DAWSON COUNTY

Ackerly North (Canyon Reef)

■ MINERAL DEV INC - WILLIAMSON #2; T & P RY CO sur blk 34 twp 4N sec 26, A-556, 1735 fnl 767 fwl of sec, 905 fsl 767 fwl of lse. 160 acre lse. 5 mi N of Ackerly. EL: 2864 KB. Obj: 9821 test. NL: 01/05/93. Permit# 407519. API# 42-115-32744. ID# T-451684. Contr: Robinson. Spud: 12/30/92. TD: 9821 on 01/19/93. PB: 9223. Compl: on 02/20/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/24/93) PZone: 9199-9223 (Canyon reef) IP: (Canyon reef 9199-9223) P 26 BOPD; no gas; 40 BWPD Casing: 13 5/8 @ 345 w/370 -- 8 5/8 @ 3720 w/400 -- 5 1/2 @ 9199 w/433

GAINES COUNTY

Boydell South (Lower Clearfork)

■ SAGE ENERGY CO - ALLEY 23 #2; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-27 sec 23, 660 fsl 660 fel of sec, and lse. 159 acre lse. 16 mi SW of Seminole. EL: 3419 KB. Obj: 8000 (lwr Clear Fork). NL: 11/13/92. Permit# 406102. API# 42-165-34532. ID# T-450783. Contr: Rod Ric. Spud: 01/15/93. TD: 7222 on 01/27/93 in Clear Fork. PB: 7199. Compl: on 02/15/93 GAS (Last Info: 03/01/93) PZone: 6984-7093 (lwr Clear Fork) IP: (lwr Clear Fork 6984-7093) P 40 BOPD grav 37; 57 MCFGPD; 18 BWPD; FCP 20 Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1661 -- 4 1/2 @ 7222

Stockyard (Upper Clearfork)

■ PRIMERO OPERATING INC - BRANEX/AMERICAN #8; PUBLIC SCHOOL LAND sur blk A-10 sec 2, 2173 fsl 760 fel of sec, and lse. 646.20 acre lse. 19 mi W of Seminole. EL: 3541 GR. Obj: 7700 test. NL: 11/30/92. Permit# 406581. API# 42-165-34534. ID# T-451062. Spud: 01/13/93. TD: 6671 on 02/05/93. PB: 6617. Compl: on 02/15/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/24/93) PZone: 6474-6543 (Glorieta/Clear Fork) gross interval IP: (Glorieta/Clear Fork 6747-6543) P 43 BOPD grav 36; 13 MCFGPD; 218 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 1930 w/650 -- 5 1/2 @ 6666 w/1300

HOCKLEY COUNTY

Levelland

■ ANADARKO PETROLEUM CORP - TEXACO COBLE #3; HARDEMAN COUNTY SCHOOL LAND sur, 949 fnl 1829 fel of lab 10 lge 67, 440 fsl 440 fel of lse. 44.275 acre lse. 4.5 mi S of Petit. EL: 3610 GR. Obj: 5000 test. NL: 12/21/92. Permit# 407455. API# 42-219-35944. ID# T-451471. Contr: Norton. Spud: 01/27/93. TD: 4832 on 02/03/93. PB: 4830. Compl: on 02/26/93 OIL (Last Info: 03/02/93) PZone: 4756-4805 (San Andres) IP: (San Andres 4756-4805) P 22 BOPD grav 31; 13 MCFGPD; 12 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 459 w/300 -- 5 1/2 @ 4832 w/1675

Linker (Clearfork)

■ WHEELER OPERATING CORP - HAMILTON UNIT #4; ATASCOSA COUNTY SCHOOL LAND sur, 1128 fnl 440 fwl of lab 26 lge 29 of sur, and lse. 138 acre lse. 5.5 mi S'LY of Levelland. EL: 3512 GR. Obj: 8400 (Clear Fork). NL: 06/16/92. Permit# 400165. API# 42-219-35887. ID# T-447720. Contr: Norton #5. Spud: 01/08/93. TD: 7998 on 01/21/93 in lwr Clear Fork. Compl: on 02/18/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 7100-7998 (lwr Clear Fork) IP: (lwr Clear Fork 7100-7998) P 40 BOPD grav 29; 23 MCFGPD; 70 BWPD Notes: (Operator chngd from Wheeler Properties) Casing: 8 5/8 @ 430 w/250 -- 5 1/2 @ 7100 w/1800

LYNN COUNTY

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■ CONOCO INC - JACK HAIRE #3 - PLUG BACK; J R BOWLS #1422 sur, 1198 fnl 2270 fwl of sur, 1198 fnl 370 fel of lse. 160 acre lse. 10 mi N of Grassland. Geomap: 8-27N-13W Summary Original Drill: Field: PHD (GLORIETA). Compl: on 12/18/90 OIL PZone: 4289-4303 (Glorieta) IP: (Glorieta 4289-4303) P 4 BOPD grav 36.2; 1 MCFGPD; 94 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 346 w/20 -- 5 1/2 @ 4500 w/580 Tops: L/T Glorieta 4289. PRESENT OPERATIONS: EL: 2978 GR. Obj: 3200 test. NL: 05/09/90. Permit# 408298. API# 42-305-30404. ID# T-432895. Resume: 01/27/93. TD: 4500. PB: 4200. Recomp: on 02/02/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/26/93)PZone: 3595-3710 (San Andres) gross interval IP: (San Andres 3595-3710) P 15 BOPD grav 36.5; 1 MCFGPD; 262 BWPD

TERRY COUNTY

Wellman Southwest (San Andres)

■ SNYDER OIL CORP - SW WELLMAN UNIT #34; JOHN H GIBSON sur blk D sec 61, 1350 fsl 1475 fel of sec, 3950 fsl 3810 fwl of lse. 1500 acre lse. 3 mi S of Wellman. EL: 3228 GR. Obj: 5550 (San Andres). NL: 01/28/93. Permit# 402505. API# 42-445-31661. ID# T-452135. Contr: Norton. Spud: 12/19/92 Mud drlg. TD: 5550 on 01/03/93. PB: 5516. Compl: on 02/05/93 OIL (Last Info: 02/25/93) PZone: 5477-5500 (San Andres) IP: (San Andres 5477-5500) P 106 BOPD grav 30.3; 17 MCFGPD; 50 BWPD Casing: 8 5/8 @ 389 w/265 -- 5 1/2 @ 5517 w/1650

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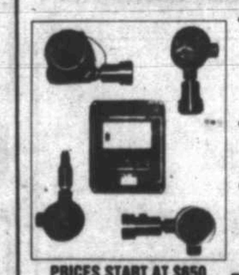

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Wildlife Viewing In Texas

Stop, look and listen. You will be amazed at what you will see and hear, whether in a crowded room or in the wilderness. And if you're in the Texas wilderness, there is a recently published book to help you know where to stop and look, and what to listen for.

The book, titled "Texas Wildlife Viewing Guide," identifies 142 sites in 10 regions of the Lone Star State where wild creatures can be seen in their natural surroundings, including state parks and wildlife management areas, country parks, national parks, Nature Conservancy of Texas preserves and even a few privates ranches. These published sites were selected as the best in the state from almost 300 sites suggested by state agencies, conservation groups, local park departments, chambers of commerce and others. The guide is part of a nationwide effort to develop wildlife viewing networks and companion guides in every state, according to information from the Texas Parks & Wildlife (TP&W).

"Many people may not know where or when to view wildlife or even what species to look for," said Dr. Gary Graham, Texas project manager and guide author. "Our goal is simple: to help preserve wildlife and wildlands by tying wildlife-related recreation to conservation education and to the economic benefits of ecotourism.

"Texas has some of the most spectacular wildlife viewing events in the world, and people come from all over to enjoy them," he said. "At the same time, there are many people in and around the state who might enjoy such experiences but aren't aware of the opportunities — where or when they can view wildlife or even what species to look for. Hopefully this book will help change that."

The 160-page "Texas Wildlife Viewing Guide" divides the state into 10 regions which are bar color-coded on the edge of each page for easy reference. The contents pages lists each region and its sites as well. The 10 regions are High Plains, Rolling Plains, Cross Timbers and Prairies, Blackland Prairies, Post Oak Savannahs, Pineywoods, Mountains and Basins, Hill Country, Lower Rio Grande Valley and Plains and Gulf Islands, Marshes and Prairies.

The guide also contains a letter from Governor Ann Richards, a short introduction that includes viewing tips, a section about how to use the guide complete with an explanation of the abbreviations and symbols used, and eight illustrated pages explaining about the biodiversity in Texas.

Covering 266,807 square miles, Texas offers a large area in a geographic location that contributes to an extreme habitat diversity.

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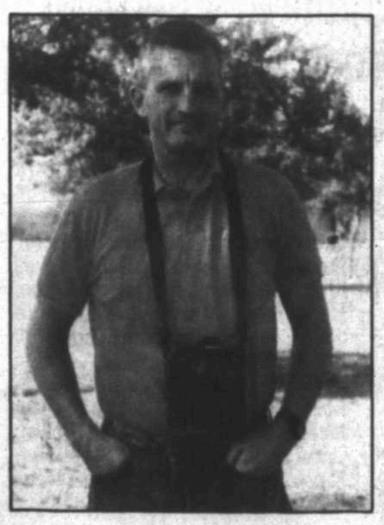
Text by Elizabeth Edwin

Photos courtesy Texas Parks and Wildlife



Dr. Gary Graham (left), is the author of the "Texas Wildlife Viewing Guide," and chief for the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's endangered resources branch. Among the animals featured in the "Guide" and where they can be seen are: (top photo) the Texas horned lizard, a state-listed threatened species, at the Chaparral Wildlife Management Area north of Laredo; (second row, left) the Whitetail fawn in the grass at Gus A. Engeling Wildlife Management Area southeast of Dallas; (second row, right) the desert bighorn sheep at Elephant Mountain Wildlife Management Area in the Trans-Pecos; (third row) a great egret takes wing at Richland Creek Wildlife Management Area southeast of Dallas; and (bottom row) an alligator at the Brazos Bend State Park southeast of Houston.

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HAVE YOU HEARD?

Midland College group entertains

By Marilyn McKnight Harrison

From ragtime to blues to Broadway show tunes, the Midland College Brass Quintet provided delightful lunch time entertainment for Ranchland Hills Country Club Ladies Association at its March meeting.

McKnight-Harrison

The group is composed of Will Baker on tuba, Scott Listiak on trumpet, Bill Elmer and Mike Sherrod, both on trombone, and Charles Neely on horn. Director is Walter Osadchuk.

Among the selections they played were Scott Joplin's "Pineapple Rag," "Tie a Yellow Ribbon Round the Old Oak Tree," "Alexander's Ragtime Band," "Edelweiss," "Five Foot Two, Eyes of Blue," "Comedy Tonight" and "Get Me to the Church on Time."

The meeting began with a margarita social period, followed by the luncheon featuring Chicken Cordon Bleu and Strawberry Mousse.

Clusters of red balloons and baskets of red carnations and yellow chrysanthemums, interspersed with miniature musical instruments, decorated the tables.

Hostess for the social hour was Anne (Mrs. James F., III) Bickham.

Among those seen in the crowd were Martha (Mrs. Jim) Rogers, Mary (Mrs. N.A.) Sax, Melva (Mrs. C.W.) Sizemore, Helen Tinnin, Cathryn (Mrs. Arch) Lair and Charlene (Mrs. Mike) Michaelson.

FOUR-MONTH-OLD Hannah Grace Overly, great-great niece of Dottie and Jack Fox, was honored at a "Peekaboo" party at the Fox home during a recent visit to Midland. Hannah was accompanied by her grandmother, former Midlander Gail Heister of Houston.

Guests at the party included both former school chums of Hannah's grandmother and friends of Dottie. Those attending were Jeanne (Mrs. R.C.) Leonard, Ann Goetz, Thelma (Mrs. Overton) Black, Ann Gett, Nell York, Toya (Mrs. Charles) Moncrief, Joy (Mrs. Jim) Allega, Ginny Kelton, Retha Dougherty, Carol (Mrs. Roland), DePaul, Jo Stroker, Sadie Swinehart and Harriet (Mrs. Don) Cameron.

While here, Gail made a difficult visit to her childhood home to see the damage that was caused by a fire, so that she could report to her siblings. Her parents, the late Eleanor and J.J. Black, built the home in 1938 at the corner of North A Street and West Kansas Avenue.

HIGH SCHOOL senior girls and their mothers are invited to the Midland Panhellenic Association's annual Spring Rush Forum on March 21.

To be held at 2 p.m. at Junior League Headquarters, 902 W. Dengar Ave., the sorority information and registration party will have as an added attraction, a fashion show by The Gazebo.

The girls will learn what to expect during rush and also what a sorority has to offer, including enriched college education, lifetime friendships, service to others and leadership training.

Patsy (Mrs. Michael) Hochman, Panhellenic rush chairman, can be contacted for further information.

QUOTABLE QUOTE: Classic Guitarist Terrence Farrell, who appeared before the Midland Community Concert Association recently, on his first impression of our fair city: "Midland, for me, has redefined the word 'flat.' But I will also remember it for its wonderful Texas hospitality."

Marilyn McKnight-Harrison is social columnist for the Reporter-Telegram.

TEXAS: Guide offers viewing tips

(From 1F)

For each site, the guide offers a description of the wildlife that can be found at that site, viewing information as to where and when the wildlife can be seen, directions to each site, who owns the site, how large it is and what the closest town is to the site.

The routes to each site will be identified by a road sign that has been adopted as the official wildlife viewing symbol by the Federal Highway Administration. This brown sign with white binoculars will be seen on statewide roadways blazing a trail into most of the 142 sites in Texas.

The Texas guide is the 11th to be published in a series that is planned to eventually cover wildlife viewing sites in every state. However, as Texans always claim to have "the biggest and the best," the guide helps prove that point as far as wildlife is concerned. Graham notes that Texas has almost 1,200 native species of vertebrates (animals with backbones), more than any other state.

And while these backboned critters are popular species for viewing, birds are what Texas is most famous for as far as wildlife watching. There are nearly 600 species of native birds that have been identified in the state, and about 390 kinds of birds have been recorded within the Aransas and Laguna Atascosa Wildlife Refuges alone, more than any of the other national refuges.

SOME OF TEXAS' animals are rarely seen, such as the mountain lion and the black bear. Others appear frequently for viewing in the areas they are known to inhabit, such as the white-tailed deer and the coyote.

It also seems that Texas is home to an unusually large bat population: 32 of the 42 species of bats known from the United States can be found in Texas. Graham notes that millions of bats can be found hill country caves, abandoned tunnels and even from the Congress Avenue Bridge in Austin, and that the exit flights of the bats from the hill country caves is a special wildlife phenomena.

Other winged species in abundance in Texas are butterflies and moths; Big Bend National Park has over 1,200.

"The 'Texas Wildlife Viewing Guide' showcases the fact that we have more habitat and wildlife diversity than any other state," said Andrew Sansom, executive director of the TP&WD.

The guide lists several sites that are in close proximity to the Permian Basin. Midland is located in the southern section of the High Plains region in the guide.

THE CLOSET SITE to Midland in this region is the Muleshoe National Wildlife Refuge, located about 75 miles northwest of Lubbock. In this grassland refuge, there are often more than 100,000 lesser sandhill cranes can be found wintering — one of the largest concentrations of the bird in North America. There also are thousands of ducks and geese that use the refuge during the winter.

Some of the creatures, such as shorebirds and a large diversity of songbirds, migrate through the area. During fall and winter, golden eagles are common, and occasionally a porcupine, badger, coyote or bobcat can be seen.

However, the closest site to Midland is listed in the Rolling Plains region and it is just east down I-20 at the Big Spring State Park. The 370 acre park is described as: "A mixture of species from three ecological regions can be viewed in this region. A small prairie dog town attracts hawks and burrowing owls (which also use the mounds) during early mornings and late afternoons. A nature trail offers bird and lizard-watching and is a good introduction to native plants. Great horned owls, scaled quail, roadrunners and scrub jays are present all year. Painted buntings and blue grosbeaks nest here in the summer. Mountain bluebirds, solitaires, three species of towhees, at least eight species of sparrows, and juncos winter in the park. Birds and small mammals can be viewed while driving or walking the Scenic Mountain Trail. Comanche Trail Park, just south of the state park, is the site of the "big spring" and offers good wildlife viewing."

JUST A LITTLE farther east — a short trip southwest of Colorado City — is Lake Colorado City State Park. It is a 500 acre park that features viewing opportunities surrounding the lake for gray foxes, coyotes, striped skunks, ringtails, raccoons, white-tailed deer, cottontails and jackrabbits, armadillos, ground squirrels and songbirds.

Another close site is Monahans Sandhills State Park, listed in the guide's Mountain and Basins region.

Here, the author writes that "The tracks in the sand offer interesting insights about the behavior and ecology of animals that are seldom seen."

Some of the animal tracks Graham refers to include those of coyotes, skunks, bobcats, jackrabbits, roadrunners, lizards, mule deer, owls, songbirds and a diversity of insects.

"Texas is in the forefront in involving more and more people with wildlife, and the 'Guide' is just a part of the effort," said Graham, who was intensely involved with the project from early 1991 to publication in October.

"It was fun to do and I feel very fortunate to have been involved, along with a lot of other people who worked very hard," he said.

While the guide is educational and entertaining, wildlife viewing sites also are proving to have tremendous economic benefits. About $18 billion was spent in the U.S. in 1991 on wildlife watching. And the most recent U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service survey data shows that Texas wildlife viewers spend $1.4 billion each year on travel, food, lodging and equipment.

So the next time you hear a bird chirp or see a sudden movement in the brush, remember that with just a little research in the "Texas Wildlife Viewing Guide" you could probably at least have a hint of what type of creature it was.

The "Texas Wildlife Viewing Guide" can be purchased by mailing a check or money order for $9.50 to "Wildlife Viewing Guide," Texas Parks & Wildlife Dept., Austin, Texas 78744. The guide also can be purchased at TPWD's Austin headquarters. A portion of the retail price goes to watchable wildlife programs; the author receives no income from the sales. For more information, call 1-800-792-1112.

SEEDS FOR THOUGHT

Trees, shrubs need proper maintenance

By Deborah A. Benge

Landscapes are important to Midland home gardeners and that means healthy trees and shrubs are important as well since they are an integral part of an attractive landscape. Good maintenance and care is essential for healthy landscape plants. Adequate soil fertility is important in keeping your plants healthy.

Benge

Fertilizers are not panaceas. They will not overcome poorly adapted varieties, poor planting techniques, inadequate soil drainage, thin rocky soils, soil compaction and incorrect watering practices. In fact, when a tree is struggling, a good dose of fertilizer might just finish it off.

In many yards a good lawn maintenance program may eliminate the need for supplemental fertilization for trees and other woody plants growing in the lawn. But on the other hand there are trees with restricted root systems and in areas other than the lawn that can benefit from a fertilizer application.

Plant signs that indicate the need for fertilization include lack of terminal growth, pale green or yellow leaves, mottled leaves, dead branches, stunted leaves and early loss of leaves.

General tree vigor is determined by comparing the length of twig growth during the past three or four years. Young trees should have at least nine to 12 inches of terminal growth per year. Large mature trees usually average six to nine inches of growth. Shrub vigor is determined the same way. Growth varies from season to season and from variety to variety.

To evaluate the past three to four years of growth, you need to look at a branch starting at the tip and move back along the branch. Each year's growth will be marked by a series of closely spaced lines called bud scars. These will be located at the base of the branch where the previous season's growth started.

The best time to be fertilizing is just prior to the spring growth. If you have a very sandy soil you may want to split the fertilizer recommendation and apply one half in late February or early March and apply the other half in early May. If you have a soil high in clay particles, you can fertilize in the fall after leaves have dropped. To avoid winter injury (typically seen as bark peeling of southwest side of the tree and/or dead limbs) don't apply nitrogen fertilizers after July.

If your ornamentals have inadequate growth, you may need to fertilize them. Determine the amounts of fertilizer needed by staking off a square or rectangular area that includes the entire branch spread of the tree or shrub. If a portion of the limb spread is covered by paving, subtract that space from the area. Apply four to six pounds of actual nitrogen to each 1,000 square feet of staked space (limb spread). This may need to be done in more than one application to avoid burning grass or ground covers.

Another method of determining fertilizer for trees is to determine the trunk diameter at three and a half feet from the ground and add one-third pound of actual nitrogen per inch of trunk diameter.

Regardless of how you determine the fertilizer amount, you can apply fertilizer to the soil surface rather than punching holes in the ground. Broadcast the fertilizer by and or in a fertilizer spreader under the limb spread and dripline. To get an even distribution of fertilizer apply one-half the amount in one direction, the remaining amount in the other direction.

Tree growth is limited by nitrogen deficiency more often than by a lack of phosphorus or potassium. For this reason, it is recommended that a fertilizer with a 1-0-0, 2-1-1, 3-1-1 or similar ratio be used. Examples of the first two ratios would be 21-0-0 and 12-6-6.

Evergreen trees and shrubs have a lower fertility requirement than deciduous plants. One-eighth to one-fourth pound of actual nitrogen per inch of trunk diameter would be better for junipers, pines, magnolia, photinis and other narrow and broadleaf evergreens, using the higher rate for broadleaf evergreens. Organic fertilizers, like cottonseed or soybean meal, are ideal for fertilizing evergreens. Once every two years should be adequate for fertilizing narrow leaf evergreens.

Plants having problems with micronutrients, like iron, are best treated with foliar sprays of chelated iron early and repeatedly in the growing season. If the problem (interveinal yellowing of leaves) is not too severe, you can apply iron sulfate plus sulfur in a 1:1 ratio to the soil prior to bud break.

Pecan trees often have a zinc deficiency and this is best treated with foliar sprays of chelated zinc, also early in the growing season.

Fertilizing your trees in excessive amounts, frequency or at the wrong time of year can lead to problems or fertilizer waste. Use it when it is needed, in the right amounts, at the right times and in the right location. Remember to apply fertilizers to moist soil and follow applications with deep irrigations. And always keep your woody ornamentals adequately watered or not amount of fertilizer will help.

For more information on fertilizing trees and shrubs, go by your local county extension office and ask for publication L-1097, "Fertilizing Woody Ornamentals."

Deborah Benge is the extension horticulture agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Midland and Ector counties.

BRIDGE WINNERS

The following are bridge winners for the week of March 1.

MONDAY
1. Bill Fahrig, Clarence Marley
2. Fred Kester, Jayne Kester
3. Al Gifford, Lydia Wilkinson
4. Gloria Crites, Marie Morris

TUESDAY
1. Ginna Potts, Tommie Strack
2. Ruby Lee Castle, Thelma Black
3. Dixie Gifford, Mary Hammond
4. Sue Gardiner, Robert Myers

WEDNESDAY
1. Marie Morris, Leonora Slusher
2. and 3. Tie: Robert Baker, Gloria Crites, Robert Myers, Joe Salman
4. Aggie Anguish, Jimmie Branch

THURSDAY
1. Dixie Gifford, Bonnie Hubbard
2. Mildred Skidmore, Florence Aldridge
3. Ruby Lee Castle, Betty Austin
4. and 5. Tie: Corrinne Recer, Fern McGuigan, Fina Berry, Betty George

Novice
NORTH-SOUTH:
1. and 2. Tie: Nancy Kinney, Fred Midleford, Debbie Cato, Marti Cloy
3. and 4. Tie: Peggy Leston, Glenda Simmons, Ed Judson, Marilyn Judson

EAST-WEST:
1. Elizabeth Bretches, O.D. Bretches
2. Belle Harris, Linda Jerman
3. Jim Merriman, Freda Reed
4. Larry LaFleur, Bill Schmidt

FRIDAY
1. Joyce Mitchell, Marcella Cure
2. Elle Kerr, Betty Crooker
3. Wyoma Whitlow, B.J. Norwood
4. Beulah Prichard, Janet Stoltz

SATURDAY
1. Nancy Andrews, Alan Copeland
2. Robert Baker, B.J. Filley
3. Jayne and Fred Kester
4. Sue Gardiner, Aggie Anguish

SUNDAY
NORTH-SOUTH:
1. Betty Crooker, Jerry Crooker
2. Clarence Marley, Belvin Redus
3. Gloria Crites, Jean Pistole
4. Mark Stark, Alan Copeland

EAST-WEST:
1. B.J. Filley, Helen Owen
2. Craig Thompson, Jimmy Cox
3. Maydell Johnston, Marian Matthews
4. Mary Renton, Ken Hall

Club's meeting scheduled

Woman's Wednesday Club will host the meeting of Midland Woman's Club scheduled for Thursday at the clubhouse in Hogan Park. Social time will be 11:30 a.m., followed by lunch at noon.

Don and Joann Merritt will present a program on "Butterflies of Midland County."

The Merritts are volunteers at Sibley Environmental Center, members of Midland Naturalists, Midland chapter of The Native Plant Society of Texas and the newly-formed Butterflies of North American Association.

For the past six years they have participated in Midland's Fourth of July Butterly Count, a nationwide annual census of butterflies.

Don and Joann Merritt

'Frenchies Cajun Jamboree' set

SAN ANTONIO — Frenchies Cajun Jamboree — presented by Fox 35 — will be 2 p.m.-midnight at San Antonio Rose Palace. A portion of the proceeds will benefit the Santa Rosa Children's Hospital. The Cajun-themed day will include events, artisan booths, live music, children's Cajun Carnival and authentic food from Acadiana Cafe. Admission is $10 in advance, $12 at the door and children 12 and under are free. For more ticket information, call (210) 684-0035.

CLUB NEWS

MIDLAND STUDY CLUB

Midland Study Club met in the home of Mary Lou Hogan with Norma McGrew as co-hostess. Club voted to contribute to VAN (Visual Aid Newsmobile) and Christmas in April, in addition to the ongoing project of helping staff at the Airport Information Desk. C.M. Hood, master gardener, was guest speaker.

CHAPTER DD, P.E.O. SISTERHOOD

Chapter DD of the P.E.O. Sisterhood met in the home of Mary Jo Sawyer with Terye Robertson as co-hostess. New officers are Cindy Wilson, president; Kay Brockman, vice president; Ms. Robertson, recording secretary; Leah Ross, corresponding secretary; Mary Ann Benton, treasurer; Donna Eby, chaplain; Candy Johnson, guard; Dee O'Neill, delegate to convention; and Ms. Wilson, alternate delegate.

UNIVERSITY WOMEN INTERNATIONAL

University Women International had its annual luncheon at the home of Paulette Sole, with 24 members attending. Dr. Larry D. Griffin of Midland College gave a program on Rome. New and prospective members are Larisa Cherkasow from Russia, Vera Duffy from England, Brigitta Hoehm from Germany, and Billie Taubman who lived several years in Africa and Asia.

AARP

American Association of Retired Persons, Midland chapter #256, met at Dellwood Senior Center with 72 members and five guests attending. Raymond Smith presided. Larry Smith gave the invocation and Frank O'Donnell led the Pledge of Allegiance. Marie Knight read the minutes and John Atchison gave the treasurer's report. Birathdays and anniversaries were observed. Lavelle Herring led the birthday song. Illnesses were reported. Table games were played after the meeting.

ALTRUSA INTERNATIONAL

Altrusa International Inc. of Midland met at the Plaza Club for its annual Lucy Mashburn Woman of the Year dinner. Beverly Dyer welcomed members and guests, and Francine Weaver gave the invocation and benediction.

Liz Bush-Ivey introduced Sharla Hotchkiss, last year's recipient, who spoke on "Trash" and recycling.

Nan Holmquest introduced Jane M. Wolf, executive director of United Way of Midland, as 1993 Woman of the Year. Guests included Ms. Wolf and past recipients Ms. Hotchkiss, Dorothy Perkins, Bertha Starks, Dr. Dorothy Wyvell, Helen Reid, Elizabeth Glenn and Aida Dunlap.

Other guests were emeritus member "Tup" Ferguson, honorary member Anne Gunther, Lynn Mashburn, Patricia Hines, Ken Richards, Porter Wallis, Vernon Shock, Hap Howard and Clyde Ivey.

LT. WILLIAM BREWER CHAPTER, DAR

Lt. William Brewer chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met at Midland Woman's Club. Patti Carter introduced Bruno Hanson, past president of AAPG, who gave a program on "Demise of an Oil Company." Dr. Dorothy Wyvell gave the National Defense Report. Maneeta Heckathorne accompanied members on the piano in "The Star Spangled Banner." Betty Lloyd Ross served refreshments.

MIDLAND GARDEN CLUB

Midland Garden Club met at Midland Woman's Club with Mrs. J.P. Cappadonna presiding. April meeting of Midland Woman's Club, which Midland Garden Club will host, was discussed. Special yearly project was discussed. New officers elected are Mrs. Alan Crawford, president; Mrs. Otice Z. Helmer, first vice president; Mrs. Mark Hannifin, second vice president; Mrs. Walter Putnam, recording secretary; Mrs. Gene Smith, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. D.B. Williams, reporter. Russell Johnson of Alldredge Gardens gave a program on "What's New." Hostesses were Mrs. C.E. Bissell and Mrs. John M. Fitzgerald.

MIDLAND PORCELAIN ARTS CLUB

Midland Porcelain Arts Club met at Midland Woman's Club with Evalina Simmons presiding. The club's annual tea and exhibit was discussed. Ms. Simmons demonstrated the painting of a bird and discussed painting lace on china. Louise Jones invited members to her home to decorate items for the tea. Woman's Club served lunch to members Alene Lane, Edna Bond, Martheyl West, Ima Jean Cook, Dolly Hunter, Lois Collier, Edyth Talley, Ms. Jones, Marlyn Malone, Ferrol Voliva, Lois Rogge, Sherrel Bohanan, Ann Merck, Lou Long, Nancy Pipkin, Carolyn T. Dingus, Ms. Simmons, Kay LaForge and Lula Belle Klingler.

Adolescents need adults' 'straight talk'

By Dr. Lawrence M. Kutner
N.Y. Times News Service

The phrase "Do as I say, not as I do" may ring especially hollow for many of today's parents, who came of age during times of sexual and drug experimentation in the 1960s and 70s.

The concerns and risks are very different now from what they were a generation ago. Convincing today's young people of that, however, can be a difficult problem, particularly for parents who don't wish their children to follow in the footsteps they made during their own teen-age years.

"My son asked me directly about whether I'd used drugs," said Dr. Alan Marlatt, the director of the Addictive Behaviors Research Center at the University of Washington in Seattle. He and other child development experts advise parents to tell their children the truth about their youthful experimentations, but to temper that truth with discretion and perspective.

"If you talk to your children about what you've done in the past but no longer do," Marlatt continued, "you're not giving them permission to do the same things."

Sexual experimentation can be another difficult topic for many parents to discuss if they don't want their children to do what they did as adolescents. Researchers who study sexuality generally agree that sharing accurate information with teen-agers about the biology and emotions of sex is one of the best ways of preventing unwanted pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases.

"Television has become the leading sex educator of teen-agers today," said Dr. Victor Strasburger, the chief of the division of adolescent medicine at the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque and author of "Getting Your Kids to Say 'No' in the '90s When You Said 'Yes' in the '60s" (Fireside Books, 1993). "That's a scary proposition, because it's not teaching them about abstinence, contraception or responsibility. It's teaching that everyone's having sex but them."

Discussions of sexuality may include some information from parents or other adults about how they reacted to the emotional and physical changes of puberty when they were adolescents. This sort of disclosure can be very reassuring to children who feel confused or embarrassed by their changing bodies and feelings.

"It's inappropriate to lie to children about sexual issues, because then they learn that you're not a credible source of information," said Debra Haffner, the executive director of the Sex Information and Education Council of the United States (Siecus), based in New York. "But you don't have to tell everything if you feel you may hurt the child. Also, it's perfectly OK to say that you made mistakes. Your children will listen to your advice more closely than if you pretend you never did anything wrong."

The nature of the way adolescents think contributes to the overall problem of engaging in risky behavior. As their brains mature, they are able to see situations from new perspectives. The world is no longer black and white to them. They can now see a drug, for example, as having both benefits and risks. But this insight doesn't necessarily give them the ability to evaluate those benefits and risks without guidance from adults.

'Never' can be dangerous word

N.Y. Times News Service

Debra Haffner says that her mother taught her a rule about trying out new things during adolescence that she will pass on to her daughter. "I should ask myself how upset my mother would be if she knew I was doing this," said Ms. Haffner, the executive director of the Sex Information and Education Council of the United States. "If the answer was a little bit, it was probably OK; if it was a lot, I should probably stop."

Here are some other things you should bear in mind when talking to your children about risky behavior:

■ Don't rely on simple slogans for older children and adolescents. "Just say no," for example, doesn't take into account children's need to experiment and the increased peer pressure to fit in that they feel. A child who is offered drugs or sex and who wishes to maintain a friendship with the person involved needs the social skills to say no and to come up with another way of maintaining the relationship.

"The efforts to get children never to experiment with these things may backfire because those who have tried them may feel that they no longer have anything to lose," said Dr. Alan Marlatt, the director of the Addictive Behaviors Research Center at the University of Washington in Seattle.

■ Don't rely on fear. Although the thought that your children may contract AIDS or become pregnant through unprotected sex may terrify you, remember that teen-agers don't see those risks the same way you do.

"Parents need to resist the temptation to try to scare the hell out of their kids," said Dr. Victor Strasburger, chief of the division of adolescent medicine at the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque. "If you try to scare them, it doesn't work and it may influence their views about what human sexuality is all about."

■ Share your values. Children need to know what's really important to you. Sometimes your messages may appear to be contradictory. For example, let them know that you don't want them to engage in sexual intercourse, but if they do, you want it to be safe sex. Tell them you don't want them to drink alcohol, but if they do drink at a party, they should call you to pick them up rather than driving home themselves. "Let your children know that their lives are more important to you than their strict adherence to your values," Ms. Haffner said.

DEAR ABBY

Couple's deck litter really cat's meow

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I couldn't help but laugh when I read the letter from the woman who said her laundry had been stolen from her clothesline — right in her back yard.

Van Buren

We have two adult cats who live in our back yard and sleep on the lawn furniture on our deck. They are affectionate pets, and we love them.

Lately, they have been stealing small items of clothing (boys' underwear, socks, small stuffed toys, rags, etc.) and leaving them on our lawn furniture on our deck.

We have no idea why our cats have become kleptomaniacs; they are healthy, well-fed, neutered and spayed male and female cats. They began this "off" behavior a few months ago. Will you please check with your animal experts for an explanation of this odd behavioral problem? — PUZZLED CAT OWNERS, BONITA, CALIF.

DEAR PUZZLED: According to my animal expert, veterinarian Dr. Erwin David, these little gifts presented to you by your cats are exactly that — "gifts."

A cat has no conscience ... so let's just say that your cats "found" these items instead of stole them. They meant to pay you the ultimate compliment: presenting you with their newfound treasure. You were fortunate; cats have been known to present their owners with dead (or dying) rats. Have a nice day.

DEAR ABBY: While driving on a very busy highway, I hit a raccoon. Being an animal lover, this upset me so much, I cried all the way home.

What should I have done in that situation? Should I have stopped and checked to see if the animal was still alive? And if I had done that, and the animal had been still alive, I would have had to locate an animal shelter — or hospital in the next town — which would have taken more time than I could have spared, as I was in a hurry to get where I was going.

What is a person supposed to do in a situation like that? — ANIMAL LOVER

DEAR ANIMAL LOVER: Although it may seem callous and uncaring, I would say don't stop. According to California Highway Patrol Officer William Preciado, a wounded wild animal could be rabid, vicious or both.

DEAR ABBY: Regarding noisy roosters: If a rooster cannot raise his head and stretch his neck, he cannot crow!

This information can solve the problem of the noisy crowing rooster that bothers neighbors of the rooster owner. A coop with a low roof is the solution. — MR. R.P. GARNETT

DEAR MR. GARNETT: Thank you. Your letter brings to mind a letter I published many years ago. A reader asked, "Does a rooster have a male organ?" "Yes," I replied, "but it's nothing to crow about."

DEAR ABBY: In response to obscene hand gestures, namely the "one-finger salute": My children were shocked to see a driver display such rudeness toward me in traffic one day. But they were even more shocked to see their mother blow the young man a kiss!

I explained that to treat people with kindness under such circumstances usually jolts them out of their stressed-out frame of mind and calms them down.

I say, "Kill 'em with kindness!" — DEBBIE LEWIS-DEEL, NEWPORT NEWS, VA.

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AT WIT'S END

Generation gap revealed in gifts given

By Erma Bombeck

You'd have to have lived on another planet not to notice how priorities have changed during the last 25 years. One of the most glaring areas is gift-giving.

Bombeck

OK, off the top of your head — what did you get for wedding presents? If you answered three toasters, a mixer-juicer, an electric knife, five silver candy dishes, a steam iron, and hand-crocheted doily covers from your Aunt May, you're probably over 40.

According to giftware specialists who register today's brides, the top gift choices now are: custom picnic baskets, monogrammed bathrobes, his and her mountain bikes, and season tickets to sports or theater events. (Or if you want to be creative, a couple of vending machines and a cookbook for the domestically impaired.)

Graduations used to be a time for giving a matching pen and pencil set, a dictionary or a globe. The No. 1 request of today's graduates is money.

This isn't a generational clash on which gifts are better. It's a reflection of what is different.

My generation was into "practical." A gift had to be something you needed. We got a toolbox for a wedding present, a trailer hitch for our anniversary, and on my birthday one February when I was pregnant, my mother-in-law gave me a maternity top. My husband got the skirt to it for his birthday in March. The only time I ever got a check for my birthday, I used it to pay the electric bill, which was overdue.

Quite simply, our kids are coming from another direction. Recently, a fellow teacher at my son's school was having a baby and they gave her a shower. I said, "What did you get her? Booties? Receiving blankets? A little sweater?" He said, "I gave her a dart board."

"Why?"

"Mom, it's the only thing she can do. She can barely move."

It's the fun, fun, fun generation. Who am I to ask what they will have to show for being impractical in 10 years? When I come to think of it, what have I got to show for the occasion? My steam iron is no longer used, the candy dishes have tarnished, the hand-crocheted doilies are packed away, and the toolbox is like new and stored in the garage.

On my parents' 40th wedding anniversary, we bought them matching bicycles with training wheels on them. We were still being practical.

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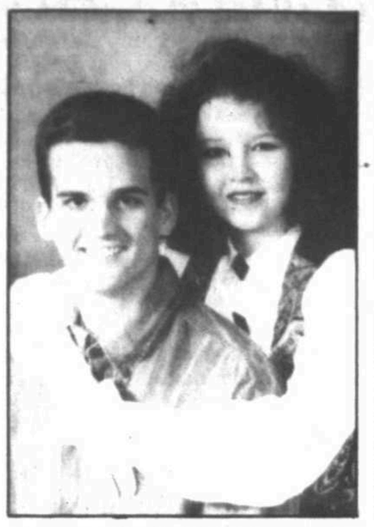
ENGAGEMENTS

SLATON-CATON

Susan Elizabeth Slaton of Abilene and Russell Wesley Caton of Buffalo Gap are planning to be married 4 p.m. April 24 at St. Nicholas' Episcopal Church in Midland. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mrs. Joseph B. Rubin of Fort Worth and James O. Slaton of Midland. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. James Russell Caton of Midland.

Miss Slaton is a 1989 graduate of Lee High School. Her fiance, a 1988 graduate of Midland High School, is employed with Texas Department of Criminal Justice.



Susan Elizabeth Slaton and Russell Wesley Caton

SCHMIDT-LOCK

Holly Anne Schmidt and Kyle Reaves Lock of Austin are planning to be married 2 p.m. July 17 at First Presbyterian Church in Midland. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Hubert and Judy Schmidt of Midland. Parents of the future bridegroom are George and Alba Lock of Houston.

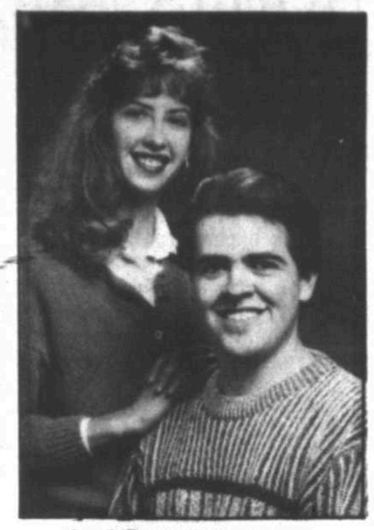
Miss Schmidt graduated from the University of Texas at Austin in December 1992 with a bachelor of arts degree in history. She will graduate from UT-Austin in August with a degree in public relations. Her fiance will graduate from UT-Austin in May with a bachelor of business administration degree in marketing.

Holly Anne Schmidt and Kyle Reaves Lock

BILLECK-MITCHELL

Lorie Beth Billeck and and Larry Don Mitchell, both of Lubbock, are planning to be married June 5 at Northside Church of Christ in Temple. Parents of the bride-to-be are Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Billeck of Temple. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Mitchell of Midland.

Miss Billeck graduated from Academy High School in 1988 and is a management information systems major at Lubbock Christian University. She is employed with CompuAdd. Her fiance is a 1986 graduate of Lee High School and a senior architecture major at Texas Tech University. He is employed with United Supermarkets.



Lori Beth Billeck and Larry Don Mitchell

JAMES-MARKER

Tiffany Lee James and Edward T. Marker, both of Midland, are planning a 5 p.m. Aug. 21 wedding at First Baptist Church in Midland. Parents of the bride-to-be are Mr. and Mrs. A.D. James of Midland. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Marker of Pasadena, Calif.

Miss James attended Bauder College in Atlanta, Ga. She is a manager at Margo's. Her fiance earned an associate's degree from Midland College, and plans to graduate from the University of Texas of the Permian Basin with a degree in criminology. He is loss prevention supervisor for JCPenney.

Tiffany Lee James and Edward T. Marker

BAKKE-SMITH

Maria Elizabeth Bakke and Scott Smith, both of Midland, are planning to be married 2 p.m. June 12 at First Presbyterian Church in Midland. The bride-elect is the daughter of George and Judie Bakke of Midland. Parents of the future bridegroom are Fred and Peggy Smith of Abilene.

Miss Bakke is a 1986 graduate of Midland High School and a 1990 graduate of Texas Tech University. She is a member of Alpha Delta Phi and is a kindergarten teacher at Travis Elementary School. Her fiance graduated from New Mexico Military Institute in 1986 and from Texas Christian University in 1990. He is a reporter/photographer with KMID-TV.

Maria Elizabeth Bakke and Scott Smith

KIRKPATRICK-MILLER

Kathleen Dawn Kirkpatrick and Paul Damon Miller of Midland are planning to be married 2 p.m. April 24 at First United Methodist Church in Midland. The bride-elect is the daughter of former Midlanders Edward and Gloria Kirkpatrick of Virginia Beach, Va. Parents of the future bridegroom are Bill and Geneva Thomas of Orange and the late Merlin Miller.

Miss Kirkpatrick is a 1989 graduate of Lee High School and a 1992 graduate of Midland College. She is employed with Office of the Attorney General-State of Texas. Her fiance graduated from West Orange Stark High School in 1983 and from Texas A&M University in College Station in 1988. He is employed with Conoco Inc.

Kathleen Dawn Kirkpatrick and Paul Damon Miller

FERGUSON-SMITH

Janess Jerrie' Ferguson and Randy Edward Smith of Memphis, Tenn., are planning a 2 p.m. April 17 wedding at Bellview Baptist Church in Midland. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Guinn and Barbara Ferguson of Midland. Parents of the future bridegroom are Richard and Judy Smith of Noxapater, Miss.

Miss Ferguson is a 1985 graduate of Lee High School, where she was a member of band, choir, National Honor Society and Senior Girls, and a 1990 graduate of Iverson's Court Reporting. She is employed with Alpha Reporting Corporation. Her fiance, a 1988 graduate of Noxapater High School, is serving in the U.S. Navy.

Janess Jerrie' Ferguson and Randy Edward Smith

EBERLY-PITZER

Karen Elizabeth Eberly and Jay Robert Pitzer of Fort Worth are planning a 7:30 p.m. May 29 wedding at Midland Lutheran Church. Parents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Lyle D. Eberly of Midland. The future bridegroom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Walter Pitzer of Lawrence, Kan.

Miss Eberly graduated from Lee High School in 1983 and from Texas Christian University in 1987 with a bachelor of science degree in advertising and public relations. She is a Kappa Alpha Theta alumna and a member of National Society of Fundraising Executives. She is financial development director for Arthritis Foundation's Northwest Texas Chapter. Her fiance is a 1985 graduate of Kansas State University, where he earned a bachelor of science degree in electronics engineering technology. He is senior engineer with Lockheed Corporation, formerly General Dynamics.

Karen Elizabeth Eberly and Jay Robert Pitzer

EISEMAN-HARRIS

Robyn Renee Eiseman and Jason Doyle Harris, both of Dallas, are planning to be married 2 p.m. June 12 at Pulaski Heights Baptist Church in Little Rock, Ark. Parents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Byron M. Eiseman Jr. of Little Rock. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Harris of Midland.

Miss Eiseman graduated from Baylor University and is a member of Campus Crusade for Christ and Kappa Delta sorority. She is employed with Dillard's Department Store in Dallas. Her fiance is a student at Southern Methodist University, where he is scheduled for May graduation. He is a member of Campus Crusade for Christ and is employed with SMU.

Robyn Renee Eiseman and Jason Doyle Harris

COHLMIA-BETCHER

Kimberly Anne Cohlmia and Michael Carrol Betcher, both of Lubbock, are planning a 7:30 p.m. June 12 wedding at First United Methodist Church's Glass Memorial Chapel. Parents of the bride-elect are Mickey and Mary Ruth Cohlmia of Midland. Parents of the future bridegroom are William and Jo Ann Betcher of Kermit.

Miss Cohlmia is a 1987 graduate of Lee High School and a 1991 graduate of Texas Tech University, where she earned a bachelor of science degree in psychology and was a member of Raider Recruiters. She is employed with Lubbock Independent School District. Her fiance graduated from Kermit High School in 1987 and from Lubbock Christian University in 1992, where he earned a bachelor of science degree in animal science and was a four-letterman in varsity baseball. He is employed with DeKalb Swine Breeders.

Kimberly Anne Cohlmia and Michael Carrol Betcher

ALLEN-CASTON

Dr. and Mrs. Francis Arnold Allen of Midland announce the engagement of their daughter, Erin Frances Allen of Austin, to Bob Caston, also of Austin. The future bridegroom is the son of Dottie Faye Dustin of Houston and the late Bobby Caston. The wedding is planned for 11:30 a.m. April 17 at Caswell House in Austin.

Please see **ENGAGENMENTS**/5F

Couples' pageant to be staged

Sylviane Sydney-Kitchen, executive director of America's Perfect Couple, has announced the search for the nation's perfect couple. This is the first pageant of it's kind to spotlight the positive aspects of marriage and family.

There will be three areas of competition. Couple will judged in personal interviews, sportswear and evening wear. Couples also will write essays on what makes their spouse special.

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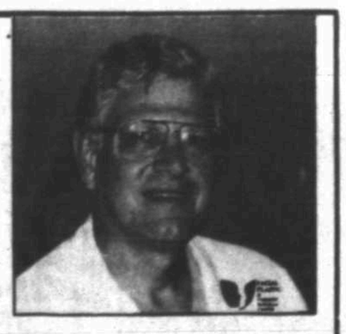

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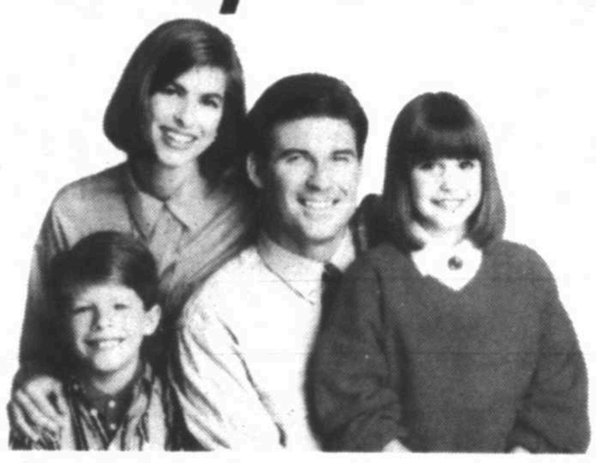

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ANNIVERSARY

Couple celebrates golden anniversary

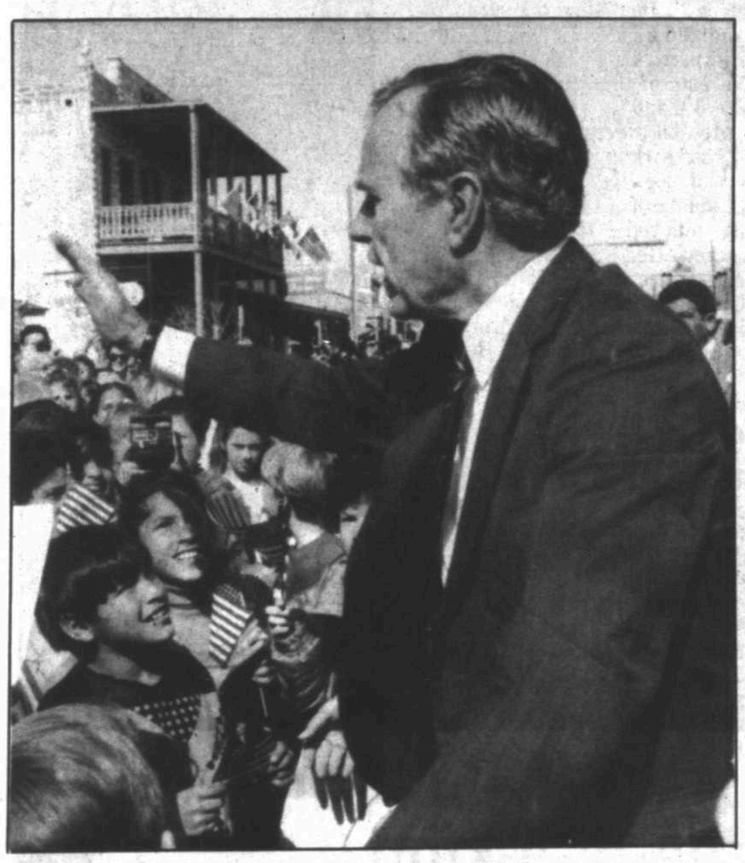
Kathleen and Henry Wurtz of Midland were guests of honor at a cocktail buffet March 6 at the Plaza Club, in celebration of their golden wedding anniversary. Hosts were Charlene and Hank Wurtz, Suzi and Doran Reynolds, and Emilie and David Erwin.

Wurtz and the former Kathleen Agey were married March 3, 1943, in Tyler. They have three children — Hank Wurtz and Emilie Erwin of Midland, and Suzi Reynolds of San Angelo — as well as five grandchildren.

Wurtz served in the U.S. Army during World War II, during which time the couple lived in Corvallis, Ore., and Rolla, Mo. He served overseas in the European Theater of Operations, and after the war the family lived in Monahans until moving to Midland in 1975.

Wurtz retired from Bass Enterprises Production Co. after 36 years. His wife worked for First National Bank in Midland and retired from NCNB. She is a member of Altrusa International Inc. of Midland and Beta Sigma Phi sorority. Wurtz is a past master of the Masonic Lodge of Monahans. Both are active members of First Presbyterian Church.

Kathleen and Henry Wurtz



George Bush waves to a crowd of schoolchildren as he arrives in Fredericksburg to visit the Admiral Nimitz Museum.

Plans for new gallery underway

Staff report

FREDERICKSBURG — Plans for the new George Bush Gallery of the Pacific War were unveiled by representatives of the Admiral Nimitz Museum and Historical Center. The new gallery is estimated to cost $4 million and should provide a significant boost to the Texas economy. It will be built adjacent to the current facility, the only museum in the world dedicated exclusively to the World War II Pacific theater.

Life-size exhibits in the new 22,000 square foot gallery will allow visitors to step off a landing craft ramp onto a Pacific beach strewn with the debris of war, enter a Japanese cave, walk onto a Guadal canal airstrip by night and view a section of aircraft carrier under Japanese attack, to name only a few of those planned.

"This exciting enhancement project should generate international recognition of world-class Texas Historic Site," said Ygnacio Garza, Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission chairman. "It is a great example of the kind of partnerships we need to form to help to maintain a quality state park system with private financial support."

The expansion will help the museum educate all Americans about World War II according to Marshall Steves, president and chief executive officer of the Admiral Nimitz Foundation, the museum's nonprofit support organization. "By employing state-of-the-art interactive museum technologies, we will be able to bring the Pacific war alive for today's young people and for future generations, for whom the war will be a remote historical fact, said Steves.

Interpretive Exhibits Inc. of Salem, Ore., designed the conceptual plans for the new gallery using the latest computer-assisted design technology. The company is nationally recognized as a premier exhibit design firm, and its lengthy project list includes work for Grand Canyon and Yellowstone national parks.

"The current museum gives visitors the big picture of the geography and history of the Pacific war. The new gallery will show the personal experience of war by transporting visitors to actual scenes of conflict," said Bruce Smith, museum director.

One exhibit at the new gallery will tell the story of George Bush as a young World War II pilot. Sept. 2, 1944, Bush was dispatched to bomb an enemy communications center on the island of Chi Chi Jima near Iwo Jima. Bush's plane was hit by anti-aircraft fire from the island, setting the aircraft ablaze. Bush kept the burning plane on course to drop his bombs before pulling out to parachute into the sea, where hi was pulled aboard the "USS Finback" submarine. Bush later received the Distinguished Flying Cross for this action.

President Bush's involvement with the project is a historic milestone for several reasons. Bush is likely to be the last U.S. president who fought in World War II, the last in an unbroken line of presidents who served in World War II stretching back to Franklin Roosevelt. Bush fought under Adm. Nimitz in the Pacific, and the museum has recently restored a TBM "Avenger" torpedo bomber, the same type of plane Bush flew in combat.

"I am proud to be a part of this project and honored that it will bear my name," Bush said. "Americans who lived through World War II know all too well the lessons of war, which have moved all of us to work toward world peace. This gallery of exciting exhibits will involve younger generations in learning about a part of the 20th century that shaped human history like no other major event."

In all, the gallery will feature World War II stories of 10 U.S. presidents, including Presidents Roosevelt and Truman as commanders-in-chief, and President Lyndon Johnson as one who was instrumental in the founding of the Nimitz Museum.

The boyhood home of Chester Nimitz in Fredericksburg was converted into a museum and archival center through the collaborative efforts of President Johnson, the National Park Service, the Texas Legislature, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department and the Admiral Nimitz Foundation. Almost one million people have visited the facility since it opened in 1983.

WEDDINGS

TALBOTT-FINNELL

BULLHEAD CITY, Ariz. — Colorado River Wedding Chapel in Bullhead City was the setting for the Feb. 25 wedding of Trina Talbott and Ronald Finnell, both of Midland, Texas. The Rev. Crystle Pender officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Joe and Sharon Boyd of Anson, Texas. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Ronald G. Finnell of Midland.

The couple was attended by Tim Finnell, brother of the bridegroom, and Carlos Caballero, both of Phoenix.

The bride is employed with Permian Court Reporter. Her husband is employed with The Lake Apartments in maintenance.

After a honeymoon in Laughlin, Nev., the couple lives in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Finnell

GUILL-SEAWRIGHT

ODESSA — Regina Lynette Guill of Odessa and Carl James Seawright II of Midland were married at Parker Heights Christian Church in Odessa. The Rev. David Vandever officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Lynda Guill and Gene Whitling of Odessa, and Dale and Janie Guill of Arlington. Parents of the bridegroom are Tom and Patsy Seawright of Midland.

The bride was attended by Liz Copeland, Debra Harvey, Erin Hicks, Lori Whitmire and Melanie McGaha. Flower girls were Alisha and Jennifer Green. The bridegroom's attendants were Gerald Mallow, Randy Seawright, Devan Adams, Bill Cruse and Shannon Gaylor. Bryant Daniel was ring bearer.

After a wedding trip to Las Vegas, Nev., the couple lives in Midland.

HOPKINS-HOOPER

THE WOODLANDS — Camille Jayne Hopkins of Midland and Leslie Dean Hooper of Spring were married 10 a.m. Feb. 20 at The Woodlands. Don Hooper, brother of the bridegroom, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hopkins of Borger. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hooper of Fritch.

Karen Cook of Midland was matron of honor. Scott Hooper of Katy, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

The bride is a graduate of Texas A&M University. She is employed with Mobil E&P U.S. Inc. in Houston. Her husband attended Texas A&M and graduated from the University of Houston-Clear Lake. He is employed with Harris County Department of Education in Houston.

The couple lives in The Woodlands. They plan a summer honeymoon.

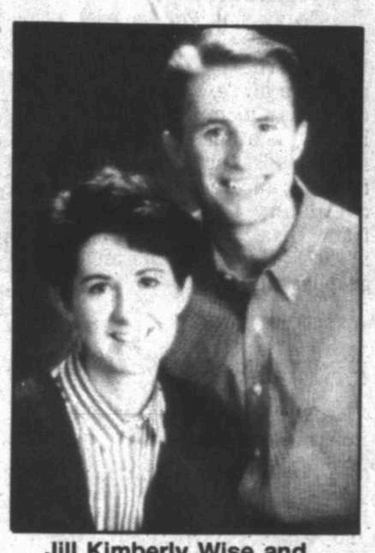
ENGAGEMENTS

(From 4F)

WISE-BELLOMY

William B. and Jacqueline Wise of Midland announce the engagement of their daughter, Jill Kimberly Wise of Dallas, to Jason Frank Bellomy of Grand Rapids, Mich., son of Jim and Barbara Bellomy of Garland. The wedding is planned for 2 p.m. June 5 at First Baptist Church in Dallas.

Miss Wise is a graduate of Lee High School and Texas A&M University, where she was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta, Cap and Gown Mortar Board Honor Society and Kappa Alpha Southern Belles. She is employed with Highland Park Independent School District. Her fiance graduated from South Garland High School and Texas A&M. He was a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity. He is employed with Ingersoll Rand.



Jill Kimberly Wise and Jason Frank Bellomy

KUYKENDALL-LEWIS

Rachel Leigh Kuykendall and Steve Lewis, both of Lubbock, are planning a 3 p.m. May 29 wedding at Westmont Christian Church in Lubbock. The bride-elect is the daughter of John D. Kuykendall and Mary K. Kuykendall, both of Austin. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lewis of Midland.

Miss Kuykendall is a 1988 graduate of Westlake High School in Austin. She is scheduled for May graduation from Texas Tech University, where she is a member of Alpha Phi sorority. She is employed with Santa Fe Restaurant. Her fiance graduated from Lee High School in 1984 and from Texas Tech in 1988. He is a board member of Lubbock Restaurant Association and is employed with Black-Eyed Pea Restaurant.

Rachel Leigh Kuykendall and Steve Lewis

LIFESTYLE POLICIES

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Engagement announcements must appear at least two weeks before the wedding date. Wedding announcements must appear within one month of the event. Anniversary announcements — 25th or higher — must be published within one month of the anniversary date.

Announcements of pageant winners will only be published for teenage pageants and older. Photographes will be published for winners only, not runners-up. These annoucements are published Thursdays. Deadline is 5 p.m. Monday.

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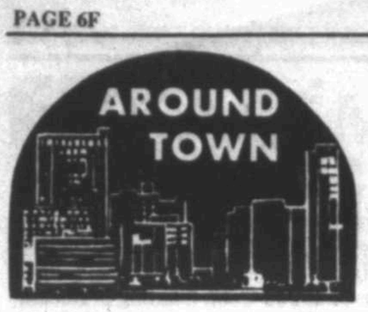

West Texas Gluten-Free Support Group, "Celiacs Helping Celiacs," will meet 2-4 p.m. Saturday at Memorial Hospital and Medical Center, Room E-12.

Marilyn Howell, dietitian, will speak on preparing for a hospital visit. Members are asked to bring gluten-free goodies with recipes.

For information call 563-4847 after 5 p.m., call 684-4671 or write to Gluten-Free, HC-31 Box 51-S-46, Midland, Texas 79707...

...**ASTHMA OUTREACH**, a support group of American Lung Association, will meet 7-8:30 p.m. Thursday at Golf Course Road Church of Christ Family Center Building for a program on "Kids on the Block: Asthma Puppets." For more information call 694-1040...

...**ALTRUSA INTERNATIONAL** Inc. of Midland will host its annual Celebrity Fashion Show and Luncheon 11:30 a.m. Saturday at Green Tree Country Club. Door prizes will be awarded. Tickets are $12.50 each and may be purchased from members or by calling 686-3103...

...**PERMIAN AIMEES** will have a luncheon meeting 11:30 a.m. Tuesday at Midland Woman's Club. Tickets are $9 per person. Russell Johnson of Alldredge Gardens will present the program. All members and prospective members are invited to attend. Wives of members of Texas Permian Basin Section of AIMMPE are eligible for membership. For more information call 694-4603 or 689-7012...

...**BANDS AND** orchestras from all high schools, junior high schools and freshman high schools in Midland will perform at the 25th annual Chili Supper 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Saturday at Midland High School, 906 W. Illinois. Tickets are $4 each and can be purchased from band or orchestra students or at the door...

...**WEST TEXAS** Bluegrass Association will have a jam session 1 p.m. today at Gardendale Community Center, 4226 Larkspur St., corner of Gardendale St. and Larkspur. All persons interested in listening to bluegrass music are invited to attend...

...**MEMORIAL CHRISTIAN** Church, Disciples of Christ, 1001 Andrews Highway, will have a church-wide garage sale 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday at the church. The public is invited to attend. Proceeds will help in the remodeling of the parsonage...

...**ADDAPT** (Attention Deficit Disorder Association of Parents and Teachers) will meet 7:30 p.m. Thursday at Cerebral Palsy Center, 802 Ventura. David Koch, Ph.D., psychologist, will speak on "ADD in Adolescence: Discipline Rules, etc."...

...**UNITED OSTOMY** Association, Midland-Odessa chapter #590, will meet 2:30 p.m. March 21 at Memorial Hospital and Medical Center's auditorium...

...**NEWCOMERS' CLUB** of Midland will meet for luncheon 11 a.m. Thursday at Ranchland Hills Country Club. Judith Shamp will present a program on her original creations and other works of art. Anyone new to Midland is invited to attend. For information and reservations call 689-6899 or 682-5872 by Monday...

...**BENEFIT CONCERT** featuring country music performer Kurt Weston and The Storm will be 8 p.m.-midnight Saturday at Midland Center. Partial proceeds will benefit Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Midland. Advance tickets are $8 and are available at Luskey's Western Wear in Midland and Odessa. Tickets at the door will be $10...

...**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION** of Retired Persons, Midland chapter #256, will meet 6:30 p.m. Monday at Dellwood Senior Center for a covered dish supper. Persons aged 50 and older are invited to attend. National AARP members are invited to join the local chapter. For more information call 684-8419, 682-0315 or 699-7565...

...**ALLISON CANCER** Center, 2200 W. Illinois, will present American Cancer Society's educational program "I Can Cope" 7 p.m. Monday at the center. Judy Bolf, R.N.; Charlie Doan, dietitian; Bobby Larry, professional chef; and Lynn Coleman, R.T., will discuss "Dealing With Daily Help"...

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Children suggest cures for hiccups

MIDDLETOWN, Conn. (AP) — How do you cure a hiccup?

Current Science, a national newspaper for middle school students published by Weekly Reader, posed that question recently. Students came up with a variety of suggestions. Some were old standbys; others were much more offbeat.

Mentioned most often: holding your breath and drinking water. Other popular solutions: having the hiccuping person eat sugar or peanut butter, scaring the hiccuping person and having the person breathe into a paper bag.

There was also an outpouring of truly wacky suggestions. Obviously, these are not solutions and should not be tried, Current Science editors said. However, the editors said, they show amazing creative thinking on the part of students.

For example, Michaela Miller, a seventh-grade student at Akok Middle School in Greensboro, N.C., said her favorite hiccup cure is "when you stick out your tongue, then swallow, blink your eyes twice, then hop once and hit your foot."

Other suggestions: swallowing as much ketchup as possible and turning 100 times; putting a pencil in your mouth across your teeth, biting down on it and then drinking water; squeezing the juice of grapes into your mouth.

Emily Burge, a science teacher at Marengo Academy in Linden, Ala., takes this approach: "I firmly place two of my fingers on the sternum (breastbone) and ask the person to breathe slowly."

"The students first thought I had a new cure for hiccups," Mrs. Burge said. "Actually, I was checking to see if a student really had the hiccups." Imagine her surprise, she said, when 80 percent of the students stopped hiccuping within four breaths.

Ladies association to meet

Staff report

Green Tree Country Club Ladies Association will meet March 23 at the club. Social time will be 11:30 a.m. with luncheon to follow at noon.

Gloria Hocking of Dallas will present a program on "Gone With The Wind Letters," based on letters received by Margaret Mitchell, author of the famous novel.

Guests are welcome to attend the luncheon. For reservations call 694-8413 no later than March 19.

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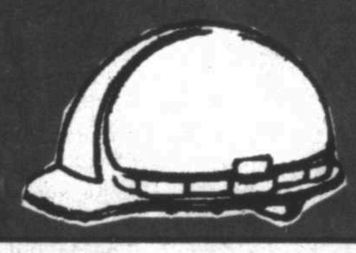

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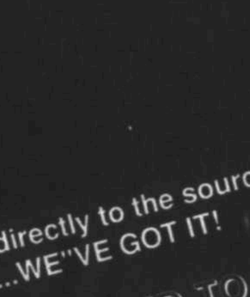

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MAA Spring Art Show

Entries 'wonderful, explosive, colorful'

Artists Betty and Howard Carr had some difficulty judging the Midland Arts Association Spring Show.

"We were both very surprised at the variety and diversity of subject matter, and very, very impressed with the quality of work, which isn't good for a judge because we had to pick," said Carr, a former actor whose credits include a supporting role in "Leave it to Beaver."

Out of 140 entries in the MAA show, the Carrs could "only squeeze in barely 100. So, we did have to pick out of that the best. It was very hard to do, being they were all so darn good. There wasn't anything that was elementary. All quality work."

The best of show award went to Charles Pruitt for his oil Hyde Park, which the jurors described as a "little gem."

OTHER WINNERS in the show, which is hanging at the Museum of the Southwest through April 18, were:

— Oil, first, second and third went to, respectively, Doris Spires, Mary Rasmussen and Nelda Cooper;

— Watercolor, first, second and third went to, respectively, Mary Lou King, Charlotte Seay and Ann Elise McCoy;

— Graphics, first, second and third went to, respectively, Kathryn Smith, Leslie D'Allesandro Hill and Mary Kay Gwinn;

— Photography, first place went to Olivia Hill.

"We looked for technique, but not so much that as passion and enthusiasm and some sparkle in the work that shows energy from the artist."

"YOU CAN learn technique, but it comes from the heart when you can really paint a good mood and feeling in your work, and a lot of the work exemplified that."

The Carrs awarded numerous honorable mentions. In the oil division honorable mentions went to Doris Spires, Ms. Cooper, Don Parks, Greg Price, Pruitt and Tim Dicey. Other honorable mentions went to Dan Haller, Ms. Spires, Ms. Cooper, Sylvia Le Doux, Dicey, Parks, Price, Pruitt and Katie Walne.

Special honorable mentions in the watercolor division went to Ms. Cooper, Janet Haney, Sally Mogford, Dorothy Baird and Cynthia Wolfe. Other honorable mentions in this division went to Max Perry, Ms. Haney, Joyce Jones, Ann Elise McCoy, Mackay Jackson, Ms. Rasmussen, Ms. Baird and M.E. Jackson.

Special honorable mentions in the graphics division went to Dennis Stratton and Ms. Cooper. In addition, Ms. D'Allesandro Hill received an honorable mention.

No honorable mentions were awarded in the photography division.

Also receiving an award was Dicey, who received the Paint & Palette Award for Realism for his oil entitled "Roses."

SPEAKING OF the rapport he and Betty have when judging an art show, he said, "we work so well together. We're such a good team as artists, we critique each other's work. Our whole life together had been spent going to galleries and museums and opinionating work. I think everybody does that, but we've fine-tuned it.

"Not that we both agree, but, if Betty might disagree with a decision I made, I just knock her over the head with a mallet and . . . Just kidding.

"I'll explain why I feel one piece might be stronger than another, and if she feels that way about one, she'll bring out how she feels. Quite often we come to terms."

As for coming to terms on the MAA show, Carr said, "There wasn't anything in the show that we disagreed on after discussing it, so it became a mutual agreement on everything."

Carr's speciality is oils. Mrs. Carr's speciality is watercolors. Both have degrees in art and are teachers with the Valdez Art Workshops in Santa Fe, N.M., in addition to working full-time as artists.

"IT WAS just a real joy the way that we were both accepted into the community and how basically the art community rolled out the red carpet for us," Carr said. "The last time I had a good feeling like that was when everybody showed up for a surprise birthday party."

The Carrs, who said they would "be honored to do this again," found Midland to have a surprising amount of artistic talent.

"We applaud the community and the artists," Carr said. "Betty and I were talking about how Midland is a secret oasis of emerging artists that are going to be making some notice of themselves in the art world before long."

Their first impression of Midland, Carr said, was as a "kind of sleepy little town." Thus, the "wonderful, explosive, colorful variety of art was overwhelming."

Text by Georgia Todd Temple

Photos by Brian Adamcik

Sylvia Le Doux's oil "Picking Flowers," left, provides a backdrop for the first-place winners in Midland Arts Association Spring Show. The winners are, clockwise from lower left, Kathryn Smith, graphics; Doris Spires, oil; Mary Lou King, watercolor; and Charles Pruitt, best of show. Not pictured is Olivia Hill, photography. Charlotte Seay's watercolor "Carajari," above, won second place in the watercolor division.

Tim Dicey's oil, "Yellow Rose," above, and Nelda Cooper's oil "First Day at Camp," left, received special honorable mentions.

Real Casablanca bears little resemblance to city in movie

By Hugh A. Mulligan
Associated Press writer

CASABLANCA, Morocco — You must remember this: Modern high-rise Casablanca bears scant resemblance to Humphrey Bogart's intrigue-shrouded metropolis of narrow alleys and nefarious cafes.

Bogey's Casablanca rose 50 years ago on the Warner Bros. lot with sets left over from the musical "Desert Song."

Today's real Casablanca is a city of 3.5 million to 5 million people, with palm-shaded boulevards, splashing fountains and flower-carpeted squares.

Welcome to Africa's second-largest city, which this year marks the 50th anniversary of both the film classic "Casablanca" and the historic World War II conference at which President Franklin D. Roosevelt and Prime Minister Winston Churchill adopted the policy of unconditional surrender for Germany and Japan.

That conference opened only eight weeks after American armored and infantry units under Maj. Gen. George S. Patton stormed ashore in Casablanca's treacherous high surf, and in four days of bitter fighting liberated the city from the Vichy French.

TODAY, ANNE Cary, the American consul general, resides in Villa Mirador up on Anfa hill, which was Churchill's headquarters. Her three children do their homework in Churchill's "map room," where British and American generals and admirals planned the invasion of Sicily.

Mrs. Cary is not sure which was the famous Churchill bedroom where, as Harold Macmillan noted in his dairy, the British prime minister "spent most of the day conducting the war from his bed." His butler, Sawyer, served meals and highballs, while his secretary, Patrick Kinna, took shorthand notes in between lighting his cigars from a candelabrum.

But Churchill was "up most of the night," Macmillan noted, "making it very trying for the staff. He ate and drank enormously, settled huge problems, played bagatelle and bezique by the hour and generally enjoyed himself."

Mrs. Cary surmises that "the biggest bedroom, which we now use as a guest room, most likely was his. Anyhow, that's where I'd have put him."

Close by is Dar Saada, where Roosevelt resided during the conference and one night entertained Sultan Sidi Mohammed ben Youssef at dinner. The sultan brought along his 13-year-old son, who now reigns as King Hassan II.

FDR promised to pursue independence for Morocco, which guide Faz Laticen today tells passengers on his sightseeing bus "was a delayed reward for Morocco being the first country to recognize your United States as a new nation."

The villas occupied by Charles de Gaulle, Adm. Lord Louis Mountbatten and Dwight D. Eisenhower remain, but the Hotel Panoramique, where the plenary sessions were held, is long gone.

CASABLANCA REMAINS the city "of sunshine, oranges and fresh eggs" that Churchill rated as "one of the the best places I have ever struck."

Just a block or two from the luxury hotels and glass-sheathed banks, the old Berber town of Dar el Beida — which, like Casablanca, means the white house — still pulsates with exotic music and the noisy, haggling salesmanship of busy market stalls.

For some never-explained reason, the Office of War Information banned the film "Casablanca" in Morocco, but it was shown to the American troops who captured the city. To this day, the movie has never been seen on Moroccan television.

"For the film's 50th anniversary, the U.S.I.S. library had a showing here, and there are several copies floating about town," said Mrs. Cary.

Taxi drivers glibly point to any dingy bar as "the original Rick's Cafe Americain," and the penthouse of the Royal Mansour Hotel, or whatever hotel they happen to be passing, as Ingrid Bergman's suite during the filming of the movie.

Their grasp of facts is as fanciful as the movie's scriptwriters. Just as no German military units occupied Casablanca during the war, and no Gestapo officers like Conrad Veidt's Maj. Heinrich Strasser goose-stepped about town, no one involved in the 1942 filming of Warner's epic got farther from the Burbank lot than the airport at Van Nuys, where some shots were taken of the runway.

Shooting on "Casablanca" was completed on Aug. 22, 1942. Jack Warner planned to release the film in late summer of the following year, but a Nov. 8 Associated Press story changed his mind. American troops had landed at Casablanca.

TO CASH in on the headlines, Warner premiered the film at the Hollywood Theater on Thanksgiving Day and ordered a nationwide release on Jan. 25, which brought another dividend. Front pages the next day told of the Roosevelt-Churchill meetings. Ticket sales jumped 50 percent in the following week. Roosevelt screened the film before leaving Washington and Charles de Gaulle viewed it at his London headquarters.

The Allies' code name for the conference was "Symbol." Probing the sudden activity on Anfa hill, Spanish spies reported to Berlin that Churchill and Roosevelt were coming to Casablanca, but translating the name from Spanish, German intelligence concluded the meeting would be at the White House. A furious Fuehrer blamed "that fat well-fed pig Goering" for botching a prime target.

Over the years, a number of Rick's bars and Cafe Americains have come and gone. The most popular now is the Bar Casablanca off the lobby of the Hyatt Regency. The waiters are all arrayed in Bogey's snap-brim fedora and trench coat. The bartenders affect the French gendarme's belted uniform and kepi that Claude Rains wore as Capt. Louis Renault. Against a background of "Casablanca" posters and photographic blowups, a Lebanese pianist croons "As Time Goes By" in a raspy voice. He obligingly will answer to the name Sam and play it again. And again.

In the Dar el Beida, beggars, pickpockets, snake charmers and fortunetellers work the crowds in the Arab coffee shops and French patisseries. Donkey carts rumble through the narrow, winding streets.

Sitting at low wooden tables beneath the Moorish arches of an ornately tiled building, marriage counselors listen to the problems of clients who wait in line like penitents at an outdoor confessional. Arranged marriages are a sideline.

Everywhere throughout the city, miniskirts and faded jeans are more common feminine attire than veils, leather masks and the all-enveloping black haik.

"Only 20 percent of the women here wear veils and mostly only on Friday, the Muslim holy day," reports merchant Abou Noussir, who has a stall in the Casbah (the native quarter).

THIS IS the same Casbah that a U.S. security officer urged Churchill to avoid lest he pick up some bug that might endanger Roosevelt's frail health. Churchill's reply became instant legend: "Young man, I have no intention of visiting the Casbah. If I had, it would not be for the purpose you had in mind. And if I were to visit the Casbah for that purpose, my relations with the president of the United States are not such that any disgrace so contracted would be passed on to him."

Africa's first McDonald's opened a few weeks ago out on the Corniche, the palm-lined boulevard along the Atlantic where Saudi princes and oil-rich Gulf Arabs have their beach houses and private brothels. Since Lebanese and Iranian casinos up on the Caspian Sea are no longer available for weekend swinging, Casablanca's more liberal lifestyle has made it the new "sin city" of the desert set.

There are many gourmet restaurants, featuring French, Moroccan, Chinese and Vietnamese specialties. Dozens of discotheques boom out a combination of rock and folk music, with lyrics extolling the pleasures of booze, sex and fast cars.

Along the same golden strand where veiled servants attend bikini-clad sun worshipers, the Hassan II Mosque rises 575 feet in the air. Its minaret tops the Great Pyramid at Giza by 125 feet and St. Peter's dome by 131. Nearing completion, the earthquake-proof mosque wad financed by house-to-house solicitations for the king's 60th birthday in 1989.

The king maintains a magnificent palace downtown, and grouped around Place des Nations-Unies are the prefecture (city hall), the Palais de Justice, the post office and the national bank, striking neo-Moorish edifices with mosaic tiled courtyards and wrought-iron balconies designed by French architects.

Like many colonies and protectorates that struggled to free themselves from French rule, Morocco seems reluctant to cast off French culture and cuisine. The affluent in this nation's commercial capital send their children to private schools, then off to university in France. The city map is seamed with Gallic threads: Boulevard Emile Zola, Avenue Pasteur, Place de la Fraternite, Boulevard Bordeaux.

THE CITY comprises many ethnic enclaves — Spanish, English, Italian — each with its own churches, clubs and schools. Jews still reside downtown in Mellah, close to the palace, where they first huddled for royal protection after fleeing the Spanish Inquisition.

After World War II, the rural population began migrating to the city, and settled in vast shanty towns, called bidonvilles, where bloody bread riots have erupted several times in recent years. Food seems plentiful but the minimum daily wage is around 75 cents.

With the Persian Gulf War and the recession, American tourism to Casablanca declined sharply.

"Italians, Spanish, French, Germans and English come here mostly now,' Mrs. Cary said. "Americans are pretty far down the list."

Elsie returns as Borden's 'spokescow'

NEW YORK (AP) — Elsie is back as Borden's main spokescow.

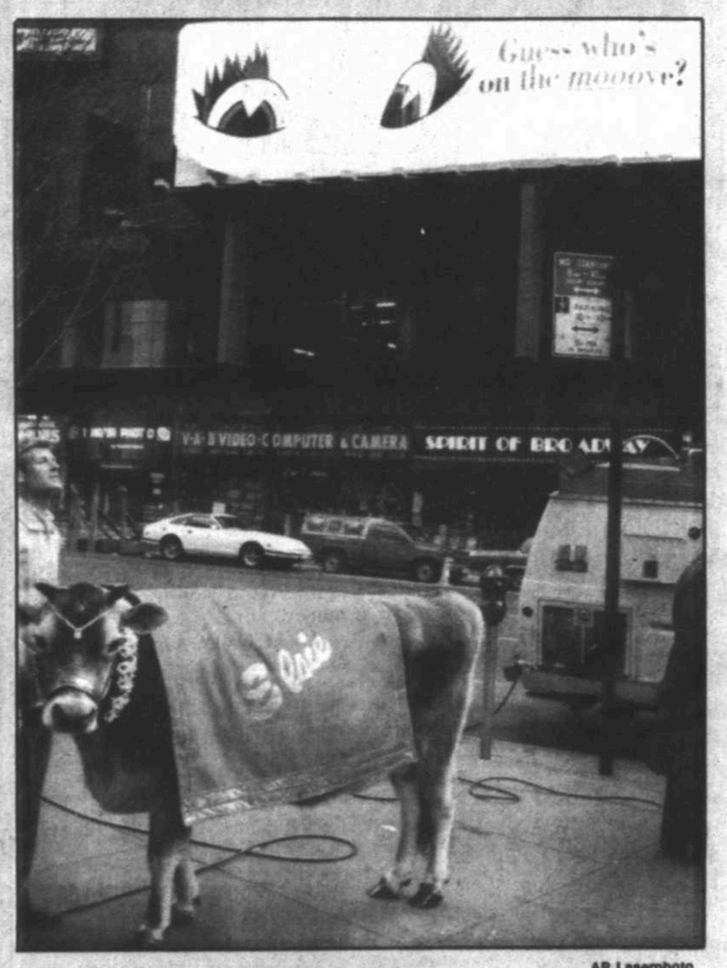
The fiftysomething Elsie was given a makeover by the food and household products company, which plans to use her in ads and on packages for its entire line of Borden and Meadow Gold dairy products.

The new Elsie's horns are smaller, her eyes are bolder, and she wears slacks rather than dresses as she tends to her own supermarket in a new ad campaign for Borden's milk, cheese and frozen desserts.

"She brings a warmth to Borden dairy products that our competitors cannot match," Anthony S. D'Amato, chairman and chief executive of Borden Inc., said Wednesday in outlining plans for Elsie.

The new commercials, which employ Roger Rabbit-style combinations of animated characters and real actors, also feature more modern depictions of Elsie's husband Elmer and their teen-age children Bea and Beau.

Elsie first appeared in Borden's ads in the late 1930s but had been used only sporadically and not very prominently in the past 20 years, according to Borden spokesman Nicholas Iammartino.



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Elsie the Borden cow was herded by several cow-wannabees at last week's unveiling of a New York Times Square billboard announcing the bovine's return as the dairy company's "spokescow." Elsie will be prominent in Borden ads for the first time in 20 years, according to a company spokesman.

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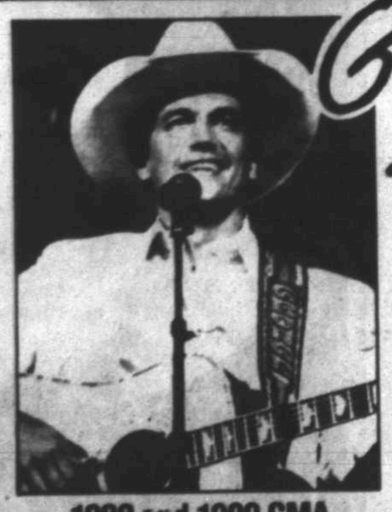

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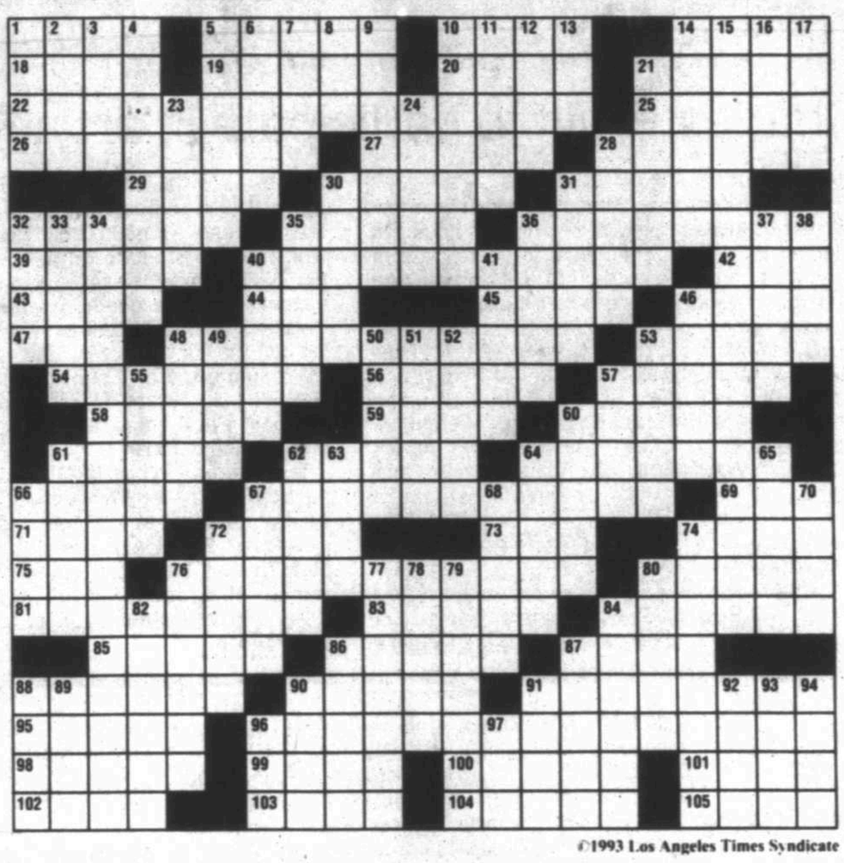

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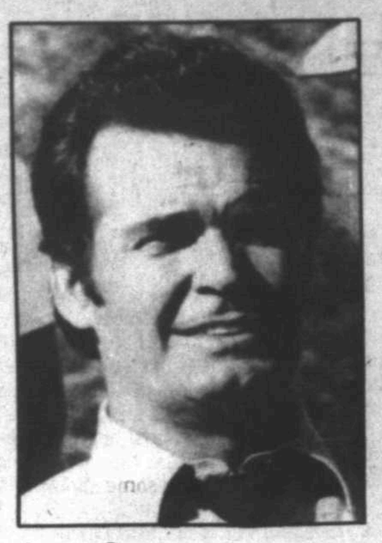
Garner refutes assertion that he's 'good ol' easygoing Jim'

By Steve Pond
N.Y. Times News Service

LOS ANGELES — James Garner was sleeping when he heard the voice. He had dozed off several hours earlier, the television set in the bedroom of his Brentwood home blaring away. But about 4 a.m. a voice coming from the set jolted him awake.

"It was my voice," he remembers now, grimacing. "It's really strange, having *you* wake you up. I don't even remember what show it was, but I said, 'Oh, God, that's me,' found that remote and shut it off."

Garner recalls the incident with bemused distaste, but for him it's an occupational hazard. When your onscreen career began in the mid-1950s with an episode of "Cheyenne," when you made your first movie in 1956, when you've starred in series as beloved and long-running as "Maverick" and "The Rockford Files," and when your movies include "The Great Escape," "Support Your Local Sheriff," "Murphy's Romance" and some three dozen others — well, you're bound to encounter yourself on late-night television every so often.



James Garner

And now, at age 64, Garner is adding a few more lines to a long resume. Rebounding from a failed 1991 series, "Man of the People," he has two projects making debuts this month. In the feature film "Fire in the Sky," which opened last week, he plays a skeptical Arizona lawman confronted by a young man who claims to have been abducted by aliens.

He calls it "a good little movie," but insists that his role is barely more than "a guest shot." Then he adds, with typical disregard for the rules of Hollywood publicity, "Paramount wants to make more out of it, and they're wrong."

FOR TELEVISION there is "Barbarians at the Gate," which uses a light touch to explicate a complex tale of the high-flying 1980s: the multibillion-dollar battle for control of RJR Nabisco. The two-hour film aired Saturday on HBO, with Garner very much center stage as the man who was chief executive officer of Nabisco, F. Ross Johnson.

The two projects offer sharply different roles. In "Fire in the Sky," Garner is the doubting Thomas and the instrument of conflict, while in "Barbarians" he is far more active, physical and voluble than usual, driving the film along. In both cases, though, the film makers are banking on one thing: audiences like, and trust, Jim Garner.

"The voice of reason, that's old Jim," he says with a grin. "If only they knew."

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HOROSCOPE

SUNDAY, MARCH 14, 1993

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Use your psychic gifts when deciding what to do next. An older, wiser person will play a key role in the choices you make. Travel and career opportunities are highlighted in early summer. July finds you determined to make a fresh start in a personal or professional relationship. Autumn features more travel. To stay healthy for the winter holidays, stick to a regular diet-and-exercise regimen.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: actor Michael Caine, physicist Albert Einstein, comedian Billy Crystal, Monaco's Prince Albert.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Certain family members may try to stifle a project they do not approve of. Stick to your guns if you know you are right. An old flame reappears, hoping to rekindle romance.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Family relationships are somewhat topsy-turvy now. A long-term arrangement could be jeopardized by incorrect information. Loved ones act as a buffer until the situation cools.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Choose carefully from the options available. Base your decisions on logic, not emotion. Give a warm welcome to someone who desires a reconciliation.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Sharing your true feelings with your loved ones prevents misunderstandings. You need to find a tactful way to help someone with personal problems. Avoid lending or borrowing money.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Be skeptical if your mate or steady date gets carried away with grandiose ideas. Although loved one may call you a wet blanket, your instincts are excellent. Visit old friends later today.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A personal breakthrough is featured this morning. Be careful if you decide not to follow the rules while pursuing a special goal. Discretion pays big dividends.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Your helpful, dependable attitude shows romantic partner that you are serious about your relationship. Although festivities beckon, you will also find time for job networking.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Curb an urge to flaunt your authority. You want to retain the image of a team player and sustain the special rapport that prevails. A platonic relationship intensifies when you share secrets.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Get in the social swim today! Companionship is energizing and could turn up a wealth of information about things you need to know. Take notes that will jog your memory next week.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Joint ventures are good for both your pocketbook and psyche today. They make tough tasks fun and strengthen your alliances. Go ahead and bare your soul to your loved ones.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You find it easier to live up to your ideals now. Friends have special enthusiasms that can stir you, too. Speak up and champion the rights of the needy.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Take things one at a time today. You will get the help you need from someone older and wiser. Joint funds and household needs are discussed. Be willing to compromise on minor issues.

GOREN BRIDGE

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A KNAVISH TRICK

East-West vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH
♠ K 10 9
♡ Q 10 5 3
◇ 9 3
♣ Q J 8 6

WEST
♠ J 8 4 2
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♣ K 10

EAST
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♡ A K 6 4
◇ 2
♣ 9 7 4 2

SOUTH
♠ A 3
♡ 9 7 2
◇ A 10 8 7 4
♣ A 5 3

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ◇	Pass	1 ♡	Pass
1 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: King of ◇

Bridge columns usually feature hands where game or slam contracts are reached. However, sometimes blossoms of rare beauty are found in relatively innocuous partscore contracts such as this.

The auction was unremarkable. With the points split evenly, it was obviously going to be touch and go which side would prevail, but the pendulum appeared to swing to declarer when West selected the king of diamonds for the opening lead.

Declarer won in hand with the ace and immediately returned the four toward dummy's nine. Sitting West was veteran French internationalist Claude Delmouly. He won with the knave and found the only return to defeat the contract. Can you do the same, looking at all the hands?

Delmouly shifted to the jack of spades! Had he led a low spade, declarer would have come to three tricks in the suit by simply playing for split honors. The jack, however, sealed declarer's fate. Whether South won in hand or on the board, the defenders were assured of two tricks in the suit.

With careful play, the defense had to prevail. Declarer had only six tricks available—three diamonds, two spades and a club. Before a seventh could be established in either clubs or hearts, the defenders would come to two spades, two hearts, two diamonds and a club.

This fine effort won the prize for best defense at the European Community Championship.

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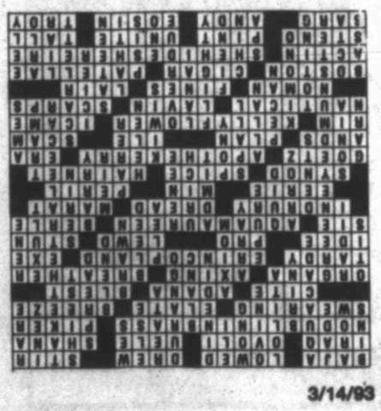

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Ballenger art's at Pages & Prints

Staff report

Paintings by Dollye Ballenger will be on display at Pages & Prints, Plaza Shopping Center, Wadley Avenue at Garfield Street, Thursday through april 17.

The exhibit opens with a 7 to 9 p.m. reception on Thursday.

Mrs. Ballenger's work exhibits many styles, subjects and moods.

Her paintings may be viewed from 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday. For more information call 570-5173.

In addition, Pages and Prints hosts poetry readings on the second Thursday of every month. The event, organized by Midland College, is supervised by Glenda Hicks.

For more information on the poetry readings call Ms. Hicks, 685-4627.

MIDLAND MARQUEE

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Information on Midland cultural groups listed in this column is provided by Arts Assembly of Midland, Midland's umbrella organization for the arts.

To be included in the Midland Marquee or to receive information on Midland arts organizations which are not among those listed today, please call Arts Assembly of Midland at 687-1149.

SUNDAY, MARCH 14

American Airpower Heritage Museum: EXHIBIT: "A Sleeping Giant Awakens," through October '93, And: EXHIBIT: "Cactus Remembered," The Air War for Guadalcanal, A Photo-Essay Exhibition presented by the Admiral Nimitz Museum, through March, 9600 Wright Drive, Midland International Airport, Monday-Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday noon-5 p.m., call 563-1000.

Art Institute for the Permian Basin: EXHIBITION: "Permian Basin Collects I" through March 14, And: Odessa Art Association Juried Show" through March 14, And: Ector County Independent School District Secondary Student Art Show, March 17-28, 4909 University, Odessa, Hours: Tues.- Sat. 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 2-5 p.m., call 550-3811.

Fredda Turner Durham Children's Museum: EXHIBITION: "Adventures in Archaeology: Ancient People of the Permian Basin," through April 18, Tuesday-Thursday noon-5 p.m., Friday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 2-5 p.m., for more information call 683-2882, FREE.

Gallery 1114: EXHIBITION: "Seventh Annual Open Show," through April 1, 1114 N. Big Spring St., Thursday-Sunday 1-5 p.m.

Marian Blakemore Planetarium: SKY SHOW: "The Voyager Encounters," 2 and 3:30 p.m., 1705 W. Missouri Ave., call 570-7770, Admission Charged.

McCormick Gallery, Midland College: EXHIBITION: 3600 N. Garfield St., Monday-Thursday 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday 1-5 p.m., call 685-4556 for more information, FREE.

Midland Community Theatre: MUSICAL: "My Fair Lady," Davis Theatre One, 2:30 p.m., 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for more information or reservations call 682-4111.

Museum of the Southwest: EXHIBITION: "Midland Art Association Spring Exhibition," through April 18, And: "The Spirit Sings: The Sculpture of Doug Hyde" through April 18, And: "Art in the Parks: The National Park System," through March 14; And: "Karl Bodmer: Prints from the Collection" through April 4, 1705 W. Missouri Ave., call 683-2882. Regular hours: Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 2-5 p.m., FREE.

Permian Basin Petroleum Museum: 1500 I-20 West, Monday-Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 2-5 p.m., call 683-4403, ADMISSION CHARGED.

MONDAY, MARCH 15

Arts Assembly of Midland: EDUCATION: KidsArts & Company, free art classes for school aged children, 4:30-6:30 p.m., Casa de Amigos, 1101 E. Garden Ln., 682-9701.

Midland Fine Arts Center and Gallery: EXHIBIT: Fiber exhibit, Judith R. Shamp, fiber artist through March 18, 921 W. Wadley Ave., Monday-Friday 11 a.m.-4 p.m., Weekends by appointment, 687-4924.

Nita Stewart Haley Memorial Library: EXHIBITION: the works which did not sale in the 15th annual Nita Stewart Haley Library Art Show and Sale are on display through March, 1805 W. Indiana Ave., 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, call 682-5785.

Tumbleweed Smocking Arts Guild: MEETING: "Smocked Garments Construction, Technique," Grace Presbyterian Church, 2801 N. garfield, 7 p.m., call 699-4351, FREE.

University of Texas of the Permian Basin: EXHIBITION: Kathy Ward & Kitt Beck: Paintings, Drawings and Ceramics," through March 25, Hours Monday-Thursday 9 a.m.-9 p.m., Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., 4901 E. University, Odessa, call 1-367-2136, FREE.

TUESDAY, MARCH 16

Marion Blakemore Planetarium: SKY SHOW: "West Texas Skies," 7:30 p.m., 1705 W. Missouri, call 570-7770, ADMISSION CHARGED.

Museum of the Southwest: VIDEO: 12, 2 & 4 p.m., 1705 W. Missouri, 683-2882, FREE.

Presidential Museum: Tues.-Sat. 10 a.m.-5 p.m., 622 N. Lee, Odessa, call 1-332-7123.

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Art Institute for the Permian Basin: VIDEO: "Uffizi: Florence's Treasure House of Art," 12-1 p.m., And: EXHIBITION: Ector County Independent School District Secondary Student Art Show, March 17-28, 4909 E. University, Odessa, Tues.-Sat. 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 2-5 p.m., call 1-368-7222, FREE, .

THURSDAY, MARCH 18

Midland Community Theatre: MUSICAL: "My Fair Lady," Davis Theatre One, 8 p.m., 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for more information or reservations call 682-4111.

West Texas Songwriters Association: MEETING: 7-9 p.m., Coors Distributing Co., call 689-0213, FREE.

FRIDAY, MARCH 19

Midland Community Theatre: MUSICAL: "My Fair Lady," Davis Theatre One, 8 p.m., $10 and $12, And: "Alls' Well That Ends Well," Shakespeare's classic comedy, Mabee Theatre II, tickets $6 and $8, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for more information or reservations call 682-4111.

SATURDAY, MARCH 20

Midland Community Theatre: MUSICAL: "My Fair Lady," Davis Theatre One, 8 p.m., $10 and $12, And: "Alls' Well That Ends Well," Shakespeare's classic comedy, Mabee Theatre II, tickets $6 and $8, 2000 W. Wadley Ave., for more information or reservations call 682-4111.

Midland Women's Club: GARAGE SALE: Midland Women's Club, Hogan Park, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., call 684-6811.

McCormick Gallery, Midland College: EXHIBITION: Karen Kitchel, Drawings, March 20-April 14, 3600 N. Garfield St., Monday-Thursday 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday 1-5 p.m., call 685-4556 for more information, FREE.

Museum of the Southwest: EXHIBITION: "The Fluid Line: Paintings and Etchings by Randall Davey," March 20-May 30, 1705 W. Missouri Ave., call 683-2882. Regular hours: Tuesday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday 2-5 p.m., FREE.

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GARNER: Actor has reputation of being stubborn

(From 3G)

But as he sits in a Los Angeles hotel suite and looks forward to his first afternoon of golf since a recent attack of tendonitis, Garner does seem to be an eminently reasonable sort. He has the no-nonsense air and the self-deprecating humor of many of his characters, though he is less taciturn and more outspoken than his audience might expect.

Consider, for instance, his view of the two main antagonists in "Barbarians," Johnson and Henry R. Kravis of Kohlberg, Kravis, Roberts & Co., the Wall Street specialists in leveraged buyouts.

"These people, how dare they do what they're doing!" he says. "The sheer gall of these people, ripping these companies apart. And I hate it: Kravis is an Okie. He's from Tulsa, and I'm from Oklahoma. I'm almost embarrassed to say it."

GARNER WAS born in Norman, Okla., lied about his age to join the merchant marine as a youth, then moved to Los Angeles while still in his teens. After serving in Korea and trying various jobs, he began acting professionally after a friend got him a tiny part in a stage production of "The Caine Mutiny Court-Martial."

"It never occurred to me that I'd be famous," he says. "I was just trying to get a job as an actor, because they paid pretty good by the hour. My goal was just to keep working. When I was 25 years old, I said, 'If you're not making a living in five years, you better find something else.'"

By the time he was 30, he had a small featured role in the film "Sayonara" with Marlon Brando and had begun the series "Maverick," starring as Bret Maverick, a charming cardsharp of the Old West. He gave himself another five years in the business, by which point he had been in such hits as "The Great Escape" and a few romantic comedies, like "The Thrill of It All."

By the time he was 50 — the point, he says, when he realized he was established — he was working as the low-rent detective on "The Rockford Files" and reinforcing an indelible image as a level-headed, mildly grouchy, low-key fellow who makes his job look easy.

"You can't see him act," says Robert Patrick, one of the young stars of "Fire in the Sky." "You can't tell the difference between James when he's just being James, and James when he's acting. And when you're doing a scene with him, it's almost like you're just talking to him — and the next thing you know, you're done. He's that good."

Many of those who have known Garner for years agree. "If there's anything better than pure delight, that's what he was," says the veteran writer and producer Larry Gelbart. Thirty years ago Gelbart co-wrote the story for "The Thrill of It All," but he worked most closely with the actor after adapting "Barbarians at the Gate" from the book by Bryan Burrough and John Helyar.

"He is the most consummate acting professional I've ever met. He's got a 360-degree vision of everything that's going on, without ever giving anyone the sense that he's being anyone but the character he's playing."

HE ADDS: "It's all too rare that your material is in the hands of someone who wants to serve the material — not a Clark Gable, who refused to go down with the submarine in a movie because Gable doesn't sink. Jim'll sink."

While no one would say that Garner's signal quality as an actor is his range, he asserts that there is more to his acting than meets the eye.

"To make it look as natural and easy as anything in the world, that's not easy at all," he says. "But everybody thinks it is for me. They think, 'Oh, that's just the way Jim is. Good ol' easygoing Jim.' Well, good ol' easygoing Jim ain't no easygoing Jim. Talk to my wife, she'll tell you. But I try — and I guess I've succeeded fairly well, because I have that image."

The image was, if anything, heightened by a memorable series of commercials for Polaroid in the early 1980s in which Garner sparred affably with the actress Mariette Hartley. If some colleagues sniffed at the idea of an accomplished actor sullying himself as a pitchman, Garner didn't care.

"It's the same thing that they had from Broadway to movies," he recalled. "Anybody who went from Broadway to movies, they sold out. You went from movies to television, you sold out. You went from television to commercials, you really sold out.

"Well, I've managed to do everything except Broadway — and never really lost anything by doing it, any prestige or whatever. McQueen, Clint Eastwood, myself, we jumped from television to movies. They were saying 'That's really tough to do,' but the three of us did it without any trouble." He added, "It's your talent; it's not the medium you work in."

AS GARNER suggests, he's not all sweetness and light. He speaks scathingly about Hollywood's accounting practices, which he got to know intimately when he successfully sued Universal Pictures to obtain his 38 percent share of the profits from "The Rockford Files." "I was after them for almost 10 years before they admitted there were profits," he says proudly. "They'll be paying me for the rest of my life."

Garner's way of life befits his down-to-earth approach to acting. He and his wife, Lois, have been married for 36 years; he drives himself around town and to movie locations in a Ford Explorer truck; he has lived in the same house in quietly fashionable Brentwood for 26 years. Now that his two daughters are grown, he is planning a move to a house he's having built in the Santa Inez Valley, two hours north of Los Angeles.

When it's suggested that he has a reputation for being stubborn and sometimes even antagonistic on the set, at first he demurs. "I've always gotten along with everybody I worked with, pretty much," he says. But then, as a small grin crosses his face, examples to the contrary begin to trickle out. "A couple of little set-to's . . . One with Charlie Bronson, one with another actor, I forget his name . . . " And he recalled telling off a famous film director "because I never could stand a bully."

Despite such remarks, and even after his assertive performance in "Barbarians," it's unlikely that the perception of Garner as "good ol' easygoing Jim" will change. It's also unlikely Garner will worry much about that.

ENTERTAINMENT IN BRIEF

■ Choral concert slated

The Midland-Odessa Symphony & Chorale will offer its only choral concert of the season with "Music of the Americans" March 30 and April 1.

Sponsored in part by FLEXBAR INC., and Dr. and Mrs. Don Williams, the concert will feature selections from Mexico, Brazil, Argentina, Canada and the United States.

Highlighting the performance will be a solo performed by baritone Michael Jordan. Guest conductors will be Kathleen Atteberry and Lester Ackerman.

The concert will be at 8 p.m. March 30 at Midland's First Presbyterian Church, 800 W. Texas Ave., and at 8 p.m. April 1 at Odessa's Crescent Park Baptist Church, 3002 E. University.

Tickets are priced at $20 for reserved seating and $12 for general admission. Special discounts are available for senior citizens, students and groups. For more information call the symphony office, 563-0921.

■ Blackwoods to sing

The Blackwood Brothers Quartet will perform a free concert at 6:30 p.m. today at Bellview Baptist Church, 1710 N. Big Spring St.

The concert will be filled with songs that made the group famous from 1934 to the present. The group's new "Parade of Songs" spans the 55-year history and includes "Turn Your Radio On," "How Great Thou Art," "Because He Lives," "Learning to Learn" and the new single, "Turning the Soil."

■ Ex-Midlander has film

Former Midlander Ronnie D. Clemmer is among the executive producers of "Lethal White Female," a new television movie that is to be broadcast at 8 p.m. Tuesday on CBS.

Clemmer, the son of Dale and Helen Clemmer of Midland, is a partner in Longbow Productions along with Bill Pace and Richard Kughn. Longbow Productions also produced the movie "A Mother's Justice," starring Meredith Baxter, which aired on NBC Nov. 25, 1991.

"Lethal White Female" is based on the true story of a Baltimore man who is brutally murdered by a woman he meets through a personal ad. The movie stars Tim Matheson, Tracy Pollan and Christine Eversole.

■ Holbrook to do Twain

FORT WORTH — Casa Manana Theatre presents Hal Holbrook in his one-man show "Mark Twain Tonight" at Will Rogers Auditorium at 8 p.m. Friday.

Holbrook

Tickets range from $15 to $35 and are available through Casa Manana at 1-817-332-2272 or any Rainbow-TicketMaster outlet.

With an extensive award-winning career in film, stage and television, along with a continuing roles on the CBS sitcom "Evening Shade," Holbrook keeps doing "Mark Twain."

Choosing from scores of anecdotes from Samuel Clemens' journalism career, fiction and memoirs, Holbrook has toured "Mark Twain Tonight" since 1954. The characterization grew out of an honors project at Denison University in the 1940s.

"It was so well-received that we played it for five years in 330 schools," Holbrook has said. "I feel more restful playing him, more free to say things through him about what's going on in the world."

■ Pianist to perform

Tim Baley, a pianist and artist, performs at 7:15 p.m. Wednesday at Christian Church, 2608 Neely.

Baley, who has cerebral palsy, has performed abroad, at the Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C., at the White House and on various documentaries and television talk shows.

Baley, who is in his late 30s, is also bringing 30 pieces of his own artwork, one of which was on display at Rose Kennedy's 100th birthday celebration at the Kennedy compound in Hyannis Port, Mass.

A nursery will be provided during the performance.

■ Chorale to sing

The Meadows Chorale of Southern Methodist University will be featured in concert at First Presbyterian Church, 800 W. Texas Ave., at 7 p.m. today.

Among the members of the chorale are Midlanders Joe Harper and Tony Lackland, former director of music at First Christian Church here.

No admission will be charged.

The SMU Meadows Chorale is a 30-voice ensemble which features the best vocal and musical talent in the Meadows School of the Arts.

■ Opera to be aired

Richard Strauss' "Ariadne auf Naxos" will be broadcast live from the stage of the Metropolitan Opera House Saturday at 12:30 p.m. over KCRS, 550.

Jessye Norman is Ariadne, Ruth Ann Swenson is Zerbinetta, Sysanne Mentzer is the composer, American tenor Thomas Moser is heard in his Met broadcast debut as Bacchus and Thomas Stewart is the music master.

■ Art work is at bank

The works of Jane Gayle Brigl are on display this month at Texas Commerce Midland National, Marienfeld Street at Texas Avenue.

Ms. Gayle is a member of the Palette Club and the Midland Art Association.

■ Dance lessons slated

■ ODESSA — The Texas Country Western Dance Association will host dance lessons at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Moose Lodge, 2711 N. Dixie.

Cost is a $1 donation to the Moose Lodge.

For more information call 580-4525. The TCWDA is a non-profit organization whose primary purpose is to promote country western dancing, said a release from TCWDA.

■ ODESSA — The West Texas Singles Association will host dance lessons at 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 22 and 29, at the Eagles Lodge, 7th and Muskingum.

The lessons are being offered at no charge. All who want to learn the latest country-western dances and know more about the WTSA are invited.

For more information call Verla Spaw, 520-5535.

■ Bush exhibit closes

PECOS — The 1993 presidential exhibit at the West of the Pecos Museum closes March 20.

The exhibit features President Bush and was prepared by Dorinda Venegas, assistant curator.

■ Peanut butter has fans

ALBANY, Ga. (AP) — Looking for something stimulating to read while you wolf down a peanut butter sandwich? How about "Spread the News," the newsletter of the Adult Peanut Butter Lovers Fan Club.

Americans are expected to eat enough peanut butter this year to fill the Grand Canyon, the newsletter claims.

The newsletter's latest edition also features a story on a Chinese doctor who gives insomniacs a teaspoon of peanut butter a day to make them sleep soundly.

In six years, the Adult Peanut Butter Lovers Fan Club has grown to more than 60,000 members, the newsletter says.

Per capita consumption has climbed to 3.36 pounds, which should boost total U.S. consumption to 857 million pounds this year, said the newsletter, published by the Peanut Advisory Board, an industry group in Atlanta.

Country music jam to benefit St. Jude hospital

Staff report

DALLAS — The 1993 Country Music Fan Jam for the benefit of St. Jude Children's Research Hospital is set for May 21-23 at the Historic Arts District in downtown Dallas.

During the three-day event, presented by Paramount 21/KTXA in association with Mercer-/Jett Productions, country music artists will be signing autographs and/or performing on stage.

More than 35 stars have committed to the 1993 Jam, including: Lynn Anderson, Tracy Byrd, Razzy Bailey, Cactus Brothers, Jeff Chance, Earl Thomas Conley (autographs only), Rob Crosby, Davis Daniel, Dixiana, Dixie Chicks, Don Edwards, Darryl and Don Ellis, Skip Ewing, Hank Flamingl, The Gibsons, Gibson-/Miller Band, Ricky Lynn Gregg, Great Plains, Marty Haggard, Jeff Knight, Chris LeDoux (autographs only), Matthews, Wright & King, John Euen, Tim McGraw, Moore & Moore, Waddie Mitchell, Michael Martin Murphey, Dude Mowrey, Palomino Road, Pearl River, Ronna Reeves, Sammy Sadler, Doug Supernaw, Michael Twitty, Rhonda Vincent, Clay Walker, Jason D. Williams, Jim Wise and Zaca Creek.

Fan Jam, sponsored by American Airlines, Budweiser, Chervon, Jeep/Eagle, Kroger Food Stores/Dr Pepper and KPLX radio, is a country music extravaganza featuring live showcases, autograph and vendor booths, Old West gun fights and a street festival.

Tickets, priced at $5 a day for adults, with children under 12 admitted free, may be purchased at all Dallas/Fort Worth-area Kroger Stores or at the gate. When purchasing tickets at the gate, patrons can present a can of Dr Petter or Budweiser to receive $1 off the regular admission price.

Special overnight accommodations are available from the Dallas Grand Hotel, the official hotel of fan Jam. For more information call 1-800-421-0011.

Fan Jam hours are from 7 p.m. to midnight May 21, 11 a.m. to midnight May 22 and 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. May 23.

For more information call the Fan Jam Hotline, 1-214-340-7844.

Charles Pruitt to participate in art auction

Staff report

Artist Charles M. Pruitt of Midland has been selected by a three-man jury to participate in the 25th anniversary of the C.M. Russell Auction of Original Western Art, which begins Friday.

Sponsored by the Great Falls Advertising Federation and held for the benefit of the C.M. Russell Museum in Great Falls, the Ad Federation has contributed more than $1.4 million to the museum since the inception of the auction.

Jurists for the more than 600 works of art submitted from across the United States and Canada were Paul Dyke, Arizona artist; Steve Rose, Arizona art dealer; and Ted Meridith, Iowa art collector. Only 250 pieces are accepted in each auction.

A $1,000 cash award will be presented to the winner of "Best in Show," jurists choice. Engraved plaques will be presented to the winners of "People's Choice" awards for the best painting and best sculpture. Also to be presented is the "Second Annual Tuffy Berg" award to a first-time artist in the Russell Auction. The winner is chosen by the jurists and will receive an engraved plaque donated by the Berg family.

Artists are permitted to submit two pieces of art for the jury process. The two pieces of art work submitted by Pruitt to be sold during the Russell Auction are "McDonald River, Glacier National Park," and "Swiftcurrent River, Glacier National Park."

In addition, Pruitt has been invited to be a participate in the 17th annual "Quick Draw" Friday. Starting at 5:45 p.m., along with 15 other artists, Pruitt will have 30 minutes to complete frame and title his work. The finished work is then auctioned off at 6:30 p.m.

For more information about the auction call 1-406-761-6453.

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Leticia Quezada

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Leticia Quezada, a la edad de trece años, se traslado de Juarez, México, a Pitsburg, California. Esta fue una de las experiencias mas traumáticas en su vida. Acostumbrada a obtener solamente "A" en sus clases, de pronto Quezada se encontró que estaba reprobando sus clases mientras luchaba por entender el Ingles.

Esa experiencia en su juventud motivo la ambición y compromiso de Quezada para mejorar la educación de los niños inmigrantes, una meta por la cual trabaja cada día en su posición como miembro del Consejo de Educación de Los Angeles, la primer mujer Hispana nombrada ante dicha Junta, el segundo distrito escolar mas grande de la nación.

Desde su elección en 1987, Quezada ha ambicionado mejorar la educación de todos los niños, teniendo muy alto en su lista de prioridades, la educación bilingüe y las oportunidades educativas para los niños inmigrantes. Entre sus logros, ella ha ayudado a su distrito escolar a reclutar un mayor numero de maestros bilingües proporcionando bonos en los salarios e inauguro la primera escuela bilingüe en el país para estudiantes talentosos. También ha fomentado mayor participación de los padres de familia en las escuelas de su distrito.

Después de graduarse con honores en 1975 obteniendo una licenciatura en Psicología de la Universidad de California, Santa Cruz, el siguiente año Quezada saco una maestría en educación en la Universidad del Estado de California en Sacramento. Tiene cartas credenciales vitalicias para enseñar en California y credenciales como especialista en el campo bilingüe y bicultural.

Quezada ha recibido numerosas condecoraciones reconociendo sus contribuciones y está incluida ente las "100 Influyentes" por la revista Hispanic Business Magazine y reconocida como una "Heroína sin Reconocimiento" por el periódico Los Angeles Times.

Quezada trabaja también como gerente de mercadeo Hispano y relaciones comunitarias para la Compañía Carnation, donde es responsable por el establecimiento de estrategias para el mercado Hispano a nivel corporativo.

Hispanic-American Leaders

Thirteen-year-old Leticia Quezada's move from Juarez, Mexico, to Pittsburg, California, was one of the most traumatic experiences of her life. Used to getting straight As in school, Quezada suddenly found herself failing her studies as she struggled to understand English.

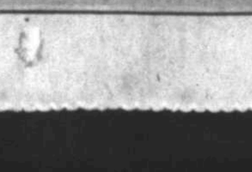
That early experience helped fuel Quezada's commitment to improving immigrant children's education, a goal she works towards each day as the first Hispanic woman to serve on the Los Angeles Board of Education, the nation's second-largest school district.

Since her election in 1987, Quezada has sought to improve education for all children, with bilingual education and educational opportunities for immigrant children high on her list of priorities. Among her accomplishments, she has helped her school district recruit more bilingual teachers by providing salary bonuses and opened the country's first bilingual school for gifted students. She also has encouraged greater parental involvement within the schools in her district.

Graduating with honors in 1975 with a bachelor's degree in psychology from the University of California, Santa Cruz, Quezada earned her master's degree in education the next year from California State University at Sacramento. She has a lifetime California teacher credential and bilingual/bicultural specialist credential.

Quezada has received numerous awards recognizing her contributions and has been listed among the "100 Influentials" by *Hispanic Business Magazine* and recognized as an "Unsung Hero" by the *Los Angeles Times*.

Quezada is also manager of Hispanic marketing and community relations for Carnation Company, where she is responsible for establishing a company-wide strategy on Hispanic marketing.



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El Sueño de un Niño se Hace Realidad en las Ligas Mayores

Por Jeffrey McDonald

Hay algunos que dicen que el beisbol es solo un juego, mientras otros dicen que es un negocio. Pero hay algunos que creen que el beisbol es mas que eso. Que esto es una gran tradición Americana, una religión, jugada por jovenes discípulos, cada verano, en iglesias llamadas estadios.

Por un joven seguidor, Randy Velarde jugador con los New York Yankees, el camino al éxito en las ligas mayores del beisbol empezó en Midland, Tejas. Sus primeros pasos sobre el camino empezaron a muy temprana edad.

"Yo acostumbraba ha decir que el había nacido con esto en la sangre," dice Olivia Velarde de Midland, la madre de Randy. "Tengo esta fotografía de el cuando el tenia, o, dos, tal vez dos y medio años, y el estaba deteniendo un palo, era solo un palo. Pero el lo estaba deteniendo como un bate, como una cosa muy natural."

De acuerdo a Olivia, el interés de Randy en el juego, y su dedicación por jugarlo, vino mucho antes de los muchos intereses que un muchacho pudiera tener.

"El no salía mucho, no salió con muchas muchachas," recuerda ella. "El solo jugaba beisbol. Todo el tiempo era Beisbol. El comía, dormía, beisbol."

El padre de Randy, Lee Velarde, también recuerda la dedicación de su hijo por el beisbol."

"Yo lo recuerdo cuando niño, que siempre dormía con el guante y el bate," dice el. "Cuando el tenia seis o siete años de edad, todo el tiempo se la pasaba pensando en el beisbol."

Era muy fácil para Lee de entender la pasión de su hijo por el juego, ya que el mismo había sido una vez jugador de bola.

"Yo jugué bola por, o, como por veintiséis años," recuerda el. "Yo jugué profesional en la Liga Longhorn, la Liga de Tejas."

Pero sus propios años como un joven seguidor de el juego le enseño a Velarde quien ahora es Jefe de Mantenimiento de los campos para el grupo de beisbol de los Midland Angels, que solo muy pocos encontraran el éxito en las ligas mayores de beisbol.

"He estado trabajando aquí por veintidós años. He mirado muchísimos muchachos beisboleros yendo y viniendo," dice Lee. "Mas o menos uno entre mil personas logran llegar a las grandes ligas."

En sus días, tal vez Lee seria uno de estos, si las circunstancias hubieran sido diferentes.

"El era un jugador de bola, y era muy buen jugador. Pero en sus tiempos no había las oportunidades," dice Olivia. "Y así, Randy creció con este sueno, y esta desilusión. El miro esta desilusión (la

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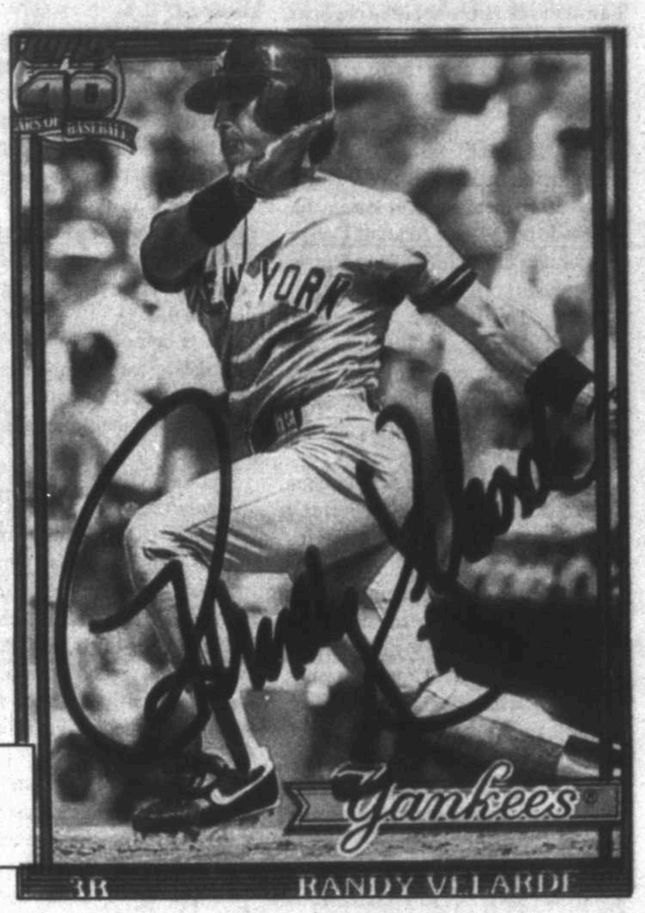

Topps 1990 Yankee, Randy Velarde baseball card. Soon to be collectors item.

A Little Boys Dream Becomes a Reality in the Big Leagues

By Jeffrey McDonald

There are those who say that baseball is just a game, while others say it's a business. But there are those who believe that baseball is much more than that. That it is a great American tradition, a religion, played by young disciples, every summer, in churches called stadiums.

For one young disciple, New York Yankees infielder Randy Velarde, the road to success in major league baseball began in Midland, Texas. His first steps upon that road began at a very early age.

"I used to say he was born with it in his blood," said Olivia Velarde of Midland, Randy's mother. "I have this picture of him when he's, oh, two, maybe two-and-a-half, and he's holding a stick, just a stick. But he's holding it like a bat, like some kind of natural."

According to Olivia, Randy's interest in the game, and his dedication to playing it, came before many of the other interests that a young man might have.

"He didn't go out much, didn't go out with a lot of girls," she recalled. "He just played baseball. All the time, it was baseball. He'd eat, sleep baseball."

Randy's father, Lee Velarde, also remembers his son's dedication to the game.

"I remember him once, as a kid, he'd always sleep with a glove and a bat," he said. "When he was six or seven years old, he was always thinking of baseball."

It was easy for Lee to understand his son's passion for the game, since he himself had once been a ballplayer.

"I played ball for, oh, about twenty-six years," he recalled. "I played professional on the Longhorn League, the Texas League."

But his own years as a young disciple of the game taught the older Velarde, who is now Chief Groundskeeper for the Midland Angels baseball team, that only a few would find success in major league baseball.

"I've been working here for twenty-two years. And I've seen a lot of baseball guys coming or going," said Lee. "About one out of a thousand people make it to the big leagues."

In his day, Lee might have been one of them, had circumstances been different.

"He was a ballplayer, and he was very good. But in his age, there weren't the opportunities," said Olivia. "So, Randy grew up with that dream, and that disappointment. He saw that disappointment (which included a career-ending injury to Randy's older brother, Rudy, who was also a gifted player). He wanted to fulfill his dad's dream."

"Really, what he said was, 'Mom, I'm going to try.' That's what he'd say. 'I'm going to try!'"

"My goal was already set when I was six-years old. I really knew that I wanted to play baseball as a professional," Randy Velarde said in a 1991 interview. "He (his father) came

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Photo Courtesy of The Big Spring Herald

David Estep, a professional handler for MI MO JO at the 1992 Big Spring Rattlesnake Roundup.

Big Spring Anfitrióna su 31ave. Anual Recogimiento de Víboras de Cascabel

Por Jeffrey McDonald

Para algunas personas, solo de mirar - o el solo ruido - de una víbora de cascabel, es bastante para mandarlos corriendo hacia la otra dirección .

Pero por tres días en Marzo, los entusiastas de víboras de cascabel irán corriendo hacia Big Spring para el 31avo. Anual Recogimiento de Víboras de cascabel. Estarán viniendo desde todas las comunidades de todo el alrededor del Oeste de Tejas, desde Dallas y Weatherford en el Norte de Tejas, y desde Roswell y Hobbs en el Sureste de Nuevo México. Y ellos vendrán por víboras de cascabel.

La mas común cría de víboras de cascabel en el Oeste de Tejas es la Espalda de Diamante

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Chicanos y Mexicanos en Nueva York:

Notas de "El Norte"

Por Josué M. González

Algún día, Nueva York puede llegar a ser exactamente otra ciudad Mexicana no muy diferente que Los Angeles, San Antonio o Guadalajara. Todavía no hay cifras oficiales disponibles, pero los estimados fluctúan con tanta altura como 200,000 Mexicanos que viven en Nueva York y sus alrededores. Puesto que hay aun solo unos cuantos chicanos, tiendo a contarme a mi mismo entre los Mexicanos — al menos por el momento. A los Mexicanos no parece importarles y nadie mas parece conocer la diferencia.

La cocina Mexicana hace furor en Gotham. Los restaurantes que alegan ser Mexicanos están surgiendo en todas partes: Montezumas (sic) en el Bronx; Nacho Mamas en Upper West Side y Pancho Villa en la parte central. Hay también media docena de taquerias que sirven a los "yuppies" de Wall Street. Estas cierran a las cinco de la tarde, cuando los "yuppies: (profesionales jovenes) se van a sus casas de Nueva Jersey o Connecticut.

En caso de que usted se sienta tentado de probar un taco de Nueva York durante su próxima visita a Ford o Carnegie, necesita saber que tiene que estar dispuesto a perdonar la interpretación culinaria. En estos lugares, toda clase de cosas pasan por Mexicanas. La autenticidad no es el punto fuerte. Empero, recomiendo los burritos de berenjena en Nacho Mamas. ¡Son excelentes!

Algunas cosas son muy auténticas, solo que no son autenticamente Mexicanas. Después de oír un informe de un amigo anglo sobre la presencia de tamales extraordinarios en Washington Heights,

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Chicanos and Mexicans in New York:

Notes from ""El Norte"

By Josué M. González

Someday, New York may become just another Mexican city not unlike Los Angeles, San Antonio or Guadalajara. There are still no official numbers available but estimates range as high as 200,000 Mexicans living in and around New York City. Since there are still only a few Chicanos, I tend to count myself among the Mexicans — at least for now. The Mexicans don't seem to mind and no one else seems to know the difference.

Mexican cuisine is all the rage in Gotham. Restaurants claiming to be Mexican are springing up all over: Montezuma's (sic) in the Bronx; Nacho Mama's on the Upper west Side and Pancho Villa downtown. There are also a half dozen taquerias catering to the yuppies on Wall Street. They close at 5 p.m., when the yuppies go home to New Jersey or "Connecticut.

In case you're tempted to try a New York taco during your next visit to Ford or Carnegie, you need to know that you have to be very forgiving of culinary interpretation. All kinds of things pass for Mexican in these places. Authenticity is not the forte. Still, I recommend the eggplant burritos at Nacho Mama's. They're superb!

Some things are very authentic, they're just not authentically Mexican. After getting a report from an Anglo friend about the presence of outstanding tamales in Washington Heights, my wife and I decided to investigate. The tamales were great, but they were Salvadoran, not quite the same as those from Nuevo León or Chihuahua.

Like everything else, Mexican food costs a lot more in New York than it does anywhere else. At one place on the East Side, tacos of fast-food caliber are $5 each. No beans on the side. On Amsterdam Avenue there's a place that offers $10 burritos as a special Sunday brunch. I've not been there yet; maybe when the tax refund arrives.

Although the influx of Mexican restaurants has come at the same time as the arrival of Mexicanos, there may not be a direct cause and effect relationship. Few Mexican restaurants in New York City are actually owned by Mexicans. They seem to be owned by nearly everyone else.

My favorite story about this concerns the Texas Tortilla Factory. A local newspaper has it that this taqueria was started by a Jewish New Yorker after a visit to

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Big Spring Hosts It's 31st Annual Rattlesnake Roundup

By Jeffrey McDonald

For some people, the very sight - or just the sound - of a rattlesnake, is enough to send them running in the other direction.

But for three days in March, rattlesnake enthusiasts will be running to Big Spring for the 31st Annual Rattlesnake Roundup. They'll be coming from communities throughout West Texas, from Dallas and Weatherford in north Texas, and from Roswell and Hobbs in southeastern New Mexico. And they'll be coming for rattlesnakes.

The most common breed of rattlesnake in West Texas is the Western Diamondback, but a few Flat-Tails and Prairie Rattlers have also been found, though rarely. The snake hunters will be outfitted in snake leggings, made from a nylon-reinforced material that protects the hunter from bites. A pair of long-handled tongs allows the hunter to pick up the snake. Experts vary on what is best for carrying the captured snake; some prefer the canvas sack, while others prefer a bucket.

The record harvest of snakes for the Roundup occurred three years ago, when more than 6,500 pounds of snakes were captured. Some are prepared and cooked at the Roundup. Experts say the rattlesnake has the taste of

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Negocio Hispano... es Buen Negocio

Por Amarante Cordova

Tal vez, no ha conocido a Lupe Gutierrez, o llevado su carro a su taller para servicio. Pero si usted ha manejado por la Calle Segunda, en el Centro de la Ciudad de Odessa, usted ha mirado el letrero sobre su negocio, la disimulada figura de 'la implacable segadora mecánica'. Ha sido un taller en Odessa por mas de treinta años.

"Es una señal," agrega Gutierrez, dueño de Ok Radiator, Brake & Alignment. El recuerda que el letrero fue diseñado por Margie Jones de Dallas, quien fue la sobrina de Delbert Morris, un fundador original de el taller.

"La 'Implacable Segadora Mecánica'? Ellos la usan porque reparan frenos realmente en mala condición," dice el. Esto quiere decir, si tu no compones tus frenos, entonces tu puedes morirte! "

Componiendo frenos es solamente parte de los servicios que Gutierrez y su personal han realizado sobre los años.

"Nosotros nos especializamos, ahora, en todo. Primero, hacíamos radiadores, frenos, y delanteras," explica Gutierrez. "Ahora, hacemos toda clase de trabajos. Voltear puntas, delanteras, CV uniones, transmisiones, lo que sea. Lo que necesite, nosotros lo hacemos. Esto es lo que se llama un centro de servicio para su carro."

Gutierrez empezó ha aprender su destreza hace 35 años, de otros profesionales en su negocio.

"Yo he trabajado en otros talleres de radiadores en San Antonio," recuerda el. "Una persona tenia un taller de frenos y delanteras, y cuando no tenia nada que hacer, me iba ahí y pláticaba con el. Y me enseñaron como alinear la delantera, y a hacer frenos y cosas así."

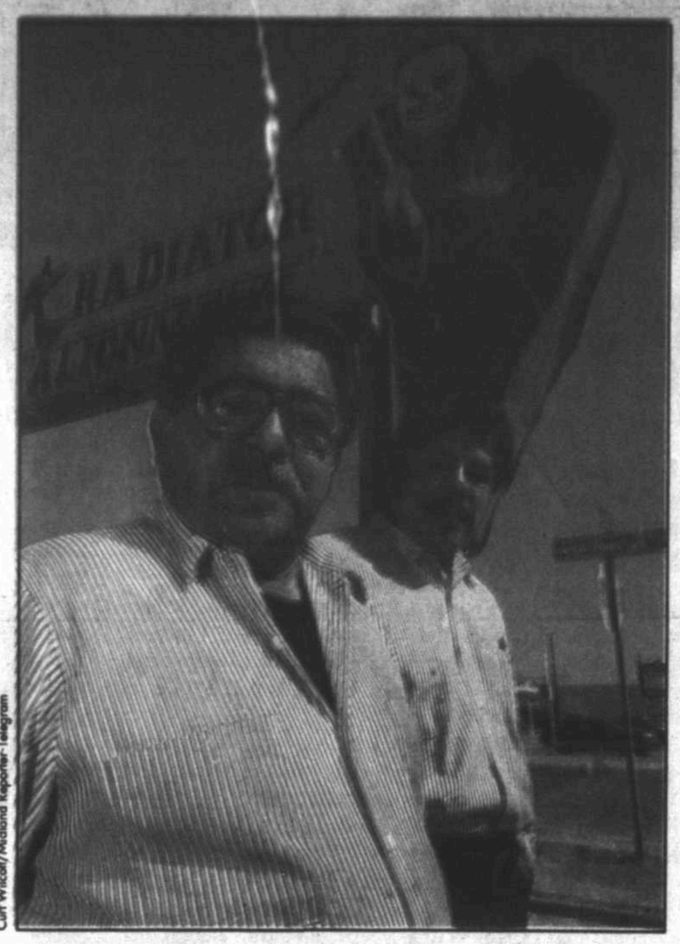
Pero Gutierrez previene que hay mas que aprender sobre este negocio cada año, a como los automóviles se van convirtiendo mas sofisticados.

"Es muy , muy complicado bajo el cofre, ahora. Digo, tu tienes que ser un genio, o ir al colegio y tener un certificado de graduación del colegio, actualmente, para poder sacar cualquier cosa de entre los carros nuevos, dice el.

Y así como los automóviles van cambiando, así es también la cantidad de trabajo que cada vehículo requiere, y la clase de trabajo que cada vehículo necesita.

"Es todo computarizado. Todo es computarizado, todo," dice Gutierrez. "Así que, es muy, muy interesante trabajo. Muchos de las personas no les gusta el trabajo de la mecánica. Pero ya casi llega ahí, tu sabes, ya no es mas el 'chango grasoso'. Algo como esto se toma mucho tiempo. Antes se acostumbraba ha sacar el motor en una hora y media. Ya no necesitas hacer esto."

Pero mientras los automóviles han cambiado, y sus partes han cambiado. Y mientras la cantidad de trabajo que cada automóvil necesita ha cambiado, Gutierrez ha encontrado que hay una cosa sobre su negocio que ha permanecido constante, y esta es la satisfacción de un trabajo muy bien hecho. Y esto es un orgullo que el y su personal tienen cuando componen ya sea un radiador, encontrando un corto en el sistema eléctrico, o tratando con un problema en un automóvil nuevo con el sistema de computadora.



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"It's very, very complicated under the hood, now. I mean, you've got to be a genius, or go to college and have a college degree, actually, to get anything out of the new vehicles." (L) Lupe Gutierrez, owner of OK Radiator, Brake & Alignment, with (R) Henry Ramirez.

"Muy, muy satisfechos, " agrega Gutierrez. "No nos gusta que tenga que, regresar, no. Somos muy buenos en esto. No me gusta ser vanidoso sobre esto, pero lo hemos hecho por un largo, largo tiempo!"

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Hispanic Business... is Good Business

By Amarante Cordova

Now, you may not have met Lupe Gutierrez, nor taken your car to his shop for service. But if you've driven down Second Street, in downtown Odessa, you've seen the sign over his business, the cloaked figure of 'the grim reaper'. It's been a fixture in Odessa for over thirty years.

"It's a landmark," agreed Gutierrez, owner of OK Radiator, Brake & Alignment. He recalled that the sign was designed by Margie Jones of Dallas, who was the niece of Delbert Morris, an original founder of the shop.

"The 'grim reaper'? They used it because they fixed bad brakes," said Gutierrez. That means, you know, 'If you don't fix your brakes, then you might die!'"

Fixing brakes is only part of the services that Gutierrez and his staff have performed over the years.

"We specialize, now, in everything. First, we were just radiators, brakes, and front ends," explained Gutierrez. "Now, we do all kinds of work. Struts, front ends, CV-joints, transmissions, whatever. Whatever you need, we do it. This is what you call a car service center."

Gutierrez began learning his trade 35 years ago, from other professionals in the business.

"I had worked in other radiator shops in San Antonio," he recalled. "A guy had a brake and front end shop, and when I didn't have anything to do, I'd run next door and talk to the brake man. And they taught me how to align a front end, to do brakes and stuff."

But Gutierrez cautions that there is more to learn about the business each year, as the automobiles become more and more sophisticated.

"It's very, very complicated under the hood, now. I mean, you've got to be a genius, or go to college and have a college degree, actually, to get anything out of the new vehicles," he said.

And just as the automobiles are changing, so is the amount of work that each vehicle requires, and the type of work each vehicle needs.

"It's all computerized. Everything's computerized, everything," said Gutierrez. "So, it's a very, very interesting job. A lot of guys don't like mechanic work. But it's getting where, you know, it's no more 'grease monkey'. Something like that takes a lot of time. You used to pull a motor in an hour-and-a-half. You don't do that no more."

But while the automobiles have changed, and their parts have changed. And while the amount of work each automobile needs has changed, and the type of work it needs has changed, Gutierrez has found that there is one thing about his business that has remained constant, and that is the satisfaction of a job well done. And this is a feeling he and his staff gets whether it's fixing a radiator, tracking a short in the electrical system, or dealing with a problem in a new automobile's computer system.

"Very, very satisfied," agreed Gutierrez. "We don't like to have it come back, no. We're pretty good at it. I don't want to brag about it, but we've been doing it for a long, long time!"

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cual incluye la terminación de la carrera de su hermano mayor, Rudy, quien también fue dotado con el don de jugador). El quería realizar los sueños de su padre."

"Realmente, lo que el decía era, 'Mama, le voy hacer la prueba.' Esto era lo que el acostumbraba decir. 'Le voy ha hacer la prueba!'"

"Mi meta fue realmente fijada cuando yo tenia seis años de edad. Realmente supe que quería jugar beisbol como un profesional," dijo Randy Velarde en una entrevista en 1991. "El (su padre) llega tan cerca como casi para poder firmar con grupo de beisbol profesional. Yo personalmente nunca lo mire jugar. Pero por lo que otros me han dicho, y por lo que he leido, el era material para la liga mayor. El es mi ejemplo e inspiración."

Como el iba persiguiendo su carrera en el beisbol, Randy conocería a muchos que lo ayudarían a lograr su ambición por jugar el juego., y de jugarlo bien. Entre estos estaba el maestro de beisbol de Midland-Lee, Ernie Johnson, ahora retirado, quien entreno a Randy en los tempranos ochentas.

Johnson tuvo bastantes oportunidades de mirar la determinación que Lee y Olivia Velarde habían guardado sobre los años.

"Así esta la cosa sobre Randy. Randy ha hecho de el mismo un gran jugador de la liga mayor. Tu no podrías haberme dicho , en high school, que el tenia las habilidades para ser un jugador de pelota de la liga mayor," recuerda el. "No hay modo de que tu me pudieras haberme convencido de esto. El tenia la destreza adecuada física y habilidad."

"Pero la cosa que el tenia, que la otra gente no tiene, es el corazón, la determinación, y la disciplina para hacerse así mismo un gran jugador de bola de la liga."

Johnson es rápido para indicar que el fue una parte pequeña de el desarrollo de Randy Velarde, una historia que va desde los campos de pequeñas ligas de Midland a los estadios de ligas mayores de beisbol profesional.

El felicita a Lee Velarde por inspirar a Randy, y introducirlo en el juego. Y Tim Whalen, entrenador de beisbol de Midland High, y Asistente Atlético del Director por ayudar a Randy con el desarrollo de sus habilidades básicas.

"El tenia destrezas básicas fundamentales, de jugar, así como de pegar,

de campo, de tirar. El hacia todas estas cosas muy bien cuando el vino a mi," recuerda Johnson. "Y el Entrenador Whalen lo entreno a el como un 'JV ' (Jr. Universidad) y como un novato. Coach Whalen era realmente un buen fundamentista. Y pienso, que si algo, probablemente el ayudo a Randy mas, como un novato, para ayudarle a pulir sus fundamentos mucho mas de lo que el lo necesitaba para cuando el fuera un junior y un casi graduante."

"El era fundamentalmente, un buen jugador. El nunca tuvo ni un habito que quebrar para cuando el llego al colegio, y para las ligas mayores del beisbol."

Después de la high school, la vereda hacia las ligas mayores lo llevaron lejos de Midland. Había el Colegio Christian de Lubbock, el cual tenia un programa muy fuerte de beisbol. Bajo el mando del entrenador Larry Hayes, quien ahora entrena a la Universidad Texas Tech, Randy se convirtió en el segundo-grupo Todo Americano en las tres diferentes posiciones.

Las ligas menores le siguieron. Y luego se llego el día que a Randy le llego 'la llamada' , diciéndole que se movía hacia arriba en las ligas mayores para jugar por los New York Yankees. No fue solamente un gran momento para el, pero también para estos quienes lo conocían y lo admiraban.

"Bueno uno se siente muy bien sobre esto. Se siente muy orgulloso de que tu conociste a este muchacho," dice Johnson. "¿Porque cuanta gente conoce a un jugador de pelota de la liga grande? ¿Cuanta gente llega a entrenarlos, y llega ha conocer a su familia y sea asocia con ellos por un gran numero de años? Realmente me hace sentir orgulloso!"

Es este orgullo que esta compartido con Olivia, quien cuida un libro completo de los recortes de la carrera de su hijo, y sus logramientos, y Lee, quien sabe que tan especial, que tan extraordinaria realización en verdad es.

"Bueno, fue un tremendo sentimiento, tu sabes' cuando el me llamo y me dijo, 'Papa, voy a las ligas mayores," dice Lee Velarde. "Y como digo, solo uno de entre mil personas logran llegar a las ligas mayores. Realmente estoy orgulloso de el!"

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(L to R) Coach Ernie Johnson, Lee and Olivia Velarde, proud parents, all played important roles in Randy's baseball dreams.

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as close as one could get to signing on with a professional baseball team. I never personally saw him play. But from what others tell me, and what I've read, he was major league material. He is my role model and inspiration."

As he pursued his own career in baseball, Randy would meet many who would help him along with his ambition to play the game, and to play it well. Among them was Midland-Lee Baseball Coach, Ernie Johnson, now retired, who coached Randy in the early eighties.

Johnson had plenty of opportunities to see the determination that Lee and Olivia Velarde had observed over the years.

"Here's the thing about Randy. Randy has made himself a big league ballplayer. You could not have told me, in high school, that he had the skills to be a big league ballplayer," recalled Johnson. "There's no way you could have convinced me of that. He had adequate physical skills and ability."

"But the thing that he had, that the other people don't have, is the heart, the determination, and the discipline to make himself a big league ballplayer."

Johnson is quick to point out that he was a small part of the development of Randy Velarde, a story that goes from the Little League fields of Midland to the major league stadiums of professional baseball. He credits Lee Velarde with inspiring Randy, and introducing him to the game. And Tim Whalen, Midland High Baseball Coach, and Assistant Athletic Director, for helping Randy develop his basic skills.

"He had the basic fundamental skills, you know, of playing, as far as hitting, as far as fielding, as far as throwing. He did all these things pretty good when he came to me," recalled Johnson. "And Coach Whalen coached him as a 'JV' (junior varsity) and a sophomore. Coach Whalen was a real good fundamentalist. And I think, if anything, he probably helped Randy more, as a sophomore, to help him polish his fundamentals more than I ever needed to when he was a junior and a senior."

"He was, fundamentally, a very good player. So he never had any bad habits to break when he got to college, and into major league baseball."

After high school, Randy's path to the major leagues took him away from Midland. There was Lubbock Christian College, which had a strong baseball program. Under Coach Larry Hayes, who now coaches at Texas Tech University, Randy became second-team All American at three different positions.

The minor leagues followed. And then came the day when Randy got 'the call', telling him that he was moving up to the major leagues to play for the New York Yankees. It was not only a great moment for him, but also for those who knew him and admired him.

"Well you feel real good about it. You feel real proud that you even know the guy," said Johnson. "Because how many people know a big league ballplayer? How many people get to coach them, and know their family and associate with them for a number of years? It made me real proud!"

It's a pride that is shared by Olivia, who keeps a complete scrapbook of her son's career, and his accomplishments, and Lee, who knows just how special, how unique, Randy's achievement truly is.

"Well, it was a tremendous feeling, you know, when he called me up and said, 'Dad, I'm going to the big leagues,'" said Lee Velarde. "Like I said, about one out of a thousand people make it to the big leagues. So we're real proud of him.!"

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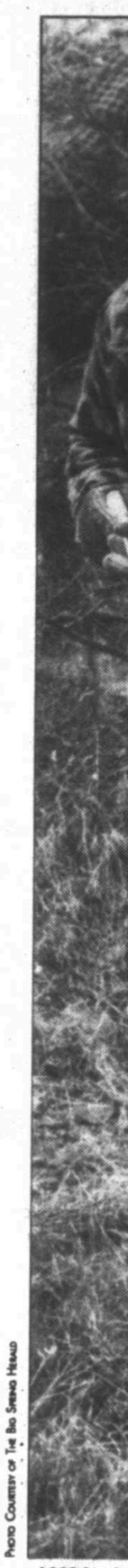

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Recogimiento de Víboras de Cascabel

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del Oeste, pero unas cuantas Colas-Planas y Víboras del Campo han sido también encontradas, muy raramente. Los cazadores de víboras se vestirán en pantaloneras de víboras, hechas de un nilón reenforzado para proteger a los cazadores de las mordidas. Un par de largas pinzas con agarradera permitirán a el cazador ha levantar la víbora. Expertos varían en lo que es lo mejor para cargar la víbora capturada; unos prefieren los costales de lona, mientras otros prefieren una cubeta.

La cosecha récord de el recogimiento de víboras de cascabel ocurrió tres años pasados, cuando mas de 6,500 libras de víboras fueron capturadas. Algunas son preparadas y cocinadas en el evento. Expertos dicen que la víbora de cascabel tiene el sabor de la gallina. Lo sobrante del levantamiento es vendido a el comprador, quien procesa las víboras, haciendo uso de cada parte de la víbora, incluyendo la piel, los huesos para joyería, y la carne, la cual aparece en las listas de algunos mas exóticos restaurantes de la región.

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1992 Big Spring Rattlesnake Roundup, (L to R) David Lafever, Jody Day, Dennis Day, Big Spring AMBUCKS.

El recogimiento también tendrá carreras de víboras, exhibiciones educativas, y demostraciones de como manejar una víbora, así como entrar o salirse del saco de dormir en el que tiene una víbora de cascabel dentro de el! En adición, habrá un show de artes y decoraciones, una pulga al campo abierto, y una competición de cocinar barbacoa.

El evento es patrocinado por Coors Distribuidores, y es presentado por American Business Club de Big Spring, también conocido como AMBUCS, una organización de hombres y mujeres de negocios y profesionales unidos por medio de capítulos locales para construir mejores comunidades, y para ayudar el funcionamiento de los incapacitados.

Esto hecho por medio del desarrollo y educación de los terapistas de América. Desde 1955, mas de 8,000 estudiantes recibieron becas de AMBUCS en los campos de terapia física, ocupacional, del habla y del oído, música y recreacional.

El capitulo de Big Spring de AMBUCS levanta fondos monetarios en una gran variedad de formas, ya sea sacudiendo azúcar en el Restaurante Branding Iron, o ya sea cazando víboras de cascabel en los llanos del Oeste de Tejas.

Los beneficios del recogimiento de víboras ira ha beneficiar la fundación de Becas AMBUCS para terapistas, y el Centro de Rehabilitación Dora Roberts.

El 31avo. Anual del Perseguimiento de víboras de Cascabel empieza el viernes, Marzo 26, en el Howard County Fairbarns, en Big Spring, y continuara hasta el Domingo en la tarde, de Marzo 28. Premios de dinero en efectivo y trofeos serán otorgados a la mayor cantidad de libras de víboras que sean traídas, y la víbora individual mas pesada, y a la víbora con mas cascabeles.

La competición de cocinar barbacoa tomara lugar el Sábado, mientras el show de artes y decoraciones y la pulga al campo abierto tomaran lugar los tres días. Para mas información en cualquiera de estos eventos, llame al 267-5201, en Big Spring.

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Annual Rattlesnake Roundup

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chicken. The remainder of the harvest is sold to a buyer, who processes the snakes, making use of every part of them, including the skin, the bones for jewelry, and the meat, which appears on the menus of some of the nation's more exotic restaurants.

The Roundup will also feature snake races, educational exhibits, and demonstrations of snake handling, like how to get in and out of a sleeping bag that has a rattlesnake in it! In addition, there will be an arts & crafts show, an outdoor flea market, and a barbecue cook-off.

The event is co-sponsored by Coors Distributors, and is presented by the American Business Club of Big Spring, also known as AMBUCS, an organization of business and professional men and women joined together through local chapters to build better communities, and to aid the functionally handicapped.

This is done through the education and development of America's therapists. Since 1955, over 8,000 students have received AMBUCS scholarships in the fields of physical, occupational, speech and hearing, music and recreational therapy.

The Big Spring Chapter of AMBUCS raises funds in a wide variety of ways, whether it's tossing sugar at the Branding Iron Restaurant, or hunting rattlesnakes on the West Texas plains. Proceeds from this year's Roundup will benefit the AMBUCS Scholarship Fund for Therapists, and the Dora Roberts Rehabilitation Center.

The 31st Annual Big Spring Rattlesnake Roundup begins Friday, March 26th, at the Howard County Fairbarns, in Big Spring, and continues through Sunday evening, March 28th. Cash and trophy prizes will be awarded for the most pounds of snakes brought in, the heaviest individual snake, and the snake with the most rattles.

The barbecue cook-off takes place Saturday, while the arts & crafts show and the outdoor flea market take place all three days. For more information on any of these events, please call 267-5201, in Big Spring.

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Trabahando Juntos: La Meta Primaria para el Primer Alcalde Hispano de la Ciudad de Alpine

Por Jeffrey McDonald

Sobre los años, la vida de Ernesto Gallego lo llevaría a muchos lugares, haciendo muchas cosas, primero como un miembro de las Fuerzas Armadas de los Estados Unidos, luego como uno de los líderes de América en la industria de la transportación, y un defendedor para las acciones de los veteranos.

Pero el nunca olvido su ciudad natal en el Oeste de Tejas, y su meta de convertirse en un activo líder en esa comunidad.

"Soy originario de Alpine. Nací y crecí aquí, con excepción qué me fui al servicio militar por treinta años. Yo serví en la Fuerza Area," dice Gallego.

"Bueno, después del cumplimiento de el servicio, fui ha trabajar para United Airlines, en San Francisco. Y trabaje por siete años. Luego me hice director de el American GI Forum, para ayudar a veteranos."

"Después de esto, regrese a Alpine. Volví a Alpine con el solo propósito de correr para representante de una oficina. A este tiempo mire la oportunidad de correr para candidato para comisionado del condado. Y lo hice, y fui elegido."

Esto fue en 1980. En los años que siguieron, la experiencia ganada de su servicio como Comisionado del Condado de Brewster' animo a Gallego ha correr por la candidatura de la Oficina de Alcalde.

"Bueno, fui comisionado del condado por ocho años, y siempre estuve interesado en las políticas locales." explico Gallego. "Esto, y el; hecho de que nunca había habido un Alcalde Hispano en el pasado. Y yo sentía que yo estaba muy bien calificado para ese trabajo."

En Mayo de 1990, Gallego se hizo el primer Hispano elegido a la oficina del alcalde en la ciudad de Alpine. Y el detuvo esta posición por dos años.

Gallego admite que entre los desafíos que el enfrento como Alcalde, fue el prejuicio que algunos sentían hacia Hispanos, un prejuicio que solamente se podía vencer trayendo a toda la gente unida ha resolver los problemas enfrentando a la comunidad.

"Solo para probarle a la gente que Hispanos y Anglos se pueden llevar bien en esta nueva sociedad," dijo Gallego. "Donde no hay diferencia en las razas. Si tu calificas para el trabajo, no importa de que raza eres."

"Yo traje a la gente a unirse aquí, en la ciudad. Una ciudad que estaba a punto de caerse a ese tiempo," agrego el. "Volví a unir a la gente una vez mas. Y forme varios comités que se dirigían hacia embellecer la ciudad, en traer una Wal-Mart, y K-mart, y algunas otras tiendas grandes a la ciudad."

Yo en verdad creo que hice una cuantas cosas aquí de las que estoy muy orgulloso. También empecé los distritos-individuales, los cuales ellos nunca los habían tenido."

Mirando atrás sobre sus años de servicio a el Condado de Brewster, y en la ciudad de Alpine, Gallego espera que otros sigan su ejemplo, y se conviertan mas activos en su comunidad, y mas envueltos en las instituciones que córren la comunidad.

"Mi consejo para ellos seria que se relacionen en todo lo que puedan," dijo el. "Aprendan tanto como puedan sobre la gobernatura de la ciudad y el estado. Y realmente lleguen ahí, y hagan el esfuerzo de ser elegidos en algunas de las posiciones aquí."

"No hay ninguna razón el porque no nos podamos llevar bien, y trabar unidos!"

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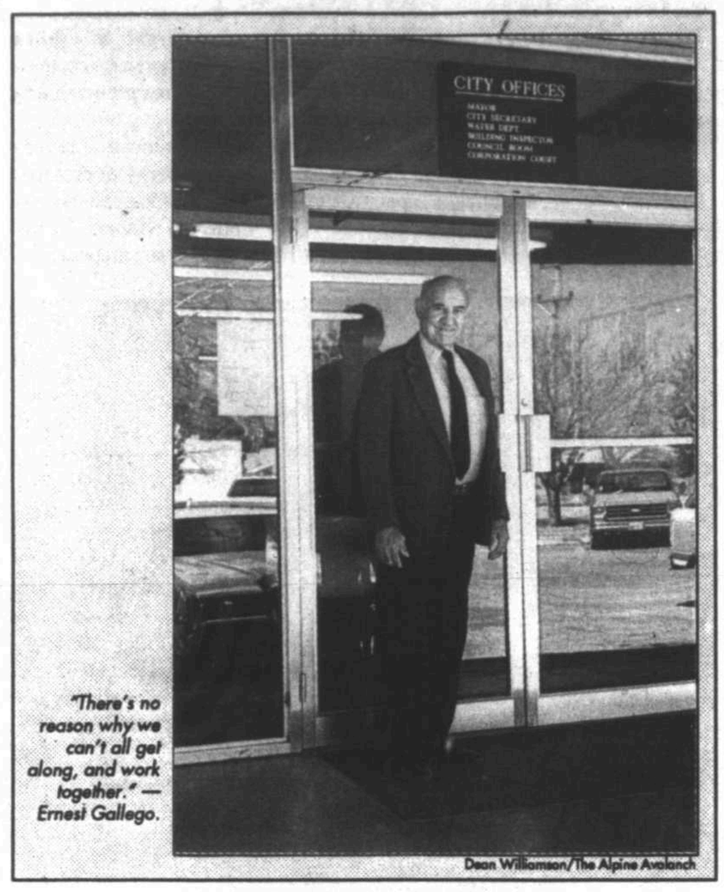

"There's no reason why we can't all get along, and work together." — Ernest Gallego.

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Working Together... #1 Goal for Alpine's First Hispanic Mayor

By Jeffrey McDonald

Over the years, Ernest Gallego's life would take him to many places, doing many things, first as a member the United States armed forces, then as part of one of America's leaders in the transportation industry, and an advocate for veterans' affairs

But he never forgot his home in West Texas, and his goal of becoming an active leader in that community.

"I'm a native of Alpine. I was born and raised here, except that I went into the military service for thirty years. I served in the Air Force," said Gallego. "Well, after the discharge from the service, I went to work for United Airlines, in San Francisco. I worked there for seven years. I then became director of the American GI Forum, for veteran outreach."

"After that, I came back to Alpine. And I came back to Alpine for the sole purpose of running for office. At the time, I saw the opportunity of running for county commissioner. And I did, and I was elected."

That was in 1980. In the years that followed, the experience gained from his service as a Brewster County Commissioner encouraged Gallego to run for the office of mayor.

"Well, I was county commissioner for eight years, and I had always been interested in local politics," explained Gallego. "That, and the fact there had never been a Hispanic mayor in the past. And I felt that I was well qualified for the job."

In May of 1990, Gallego became the first Hispanic elected to the office of mayor of the city of Alpine. He would hold that position for two years.

Gallego admits that among the challenges he faced as mayor, was the prejudice that some felt towards Hispanics, a prejudice that could only be overcome by bringing all people together to solve the problems facing the community.

"Just to prove to the people that Hispanics and Anglos could get along in this new society," said Gallego. "Where there's no difference in the races. If you qualify for the job, it doesn't matter what race you're from." "I brought the people together here, in town. The town was kind of falling apart at the time," he added. "I brought the people back together. I formed several committees that looked into beautifying the city, of bringing Wal-Mart, and K-Mart, and some big stores to town."

"I guess I did quite a few things here that I'm very proud of. I also started single-member districts, which they had never had."

In looking back upon his years of service to Brewster County, and the City of Alpine, Gallego hopes that others will follow his example, and become more active in their community, and more involved in the institutions that run the community.

"My advice to them would be to get involved in everything they can," he said. "Learn as much as you can about the city and state government. And really get in there, and make an effort to get elected to some of the positions here."

"There's no reason why we can't all get along, and work together!"

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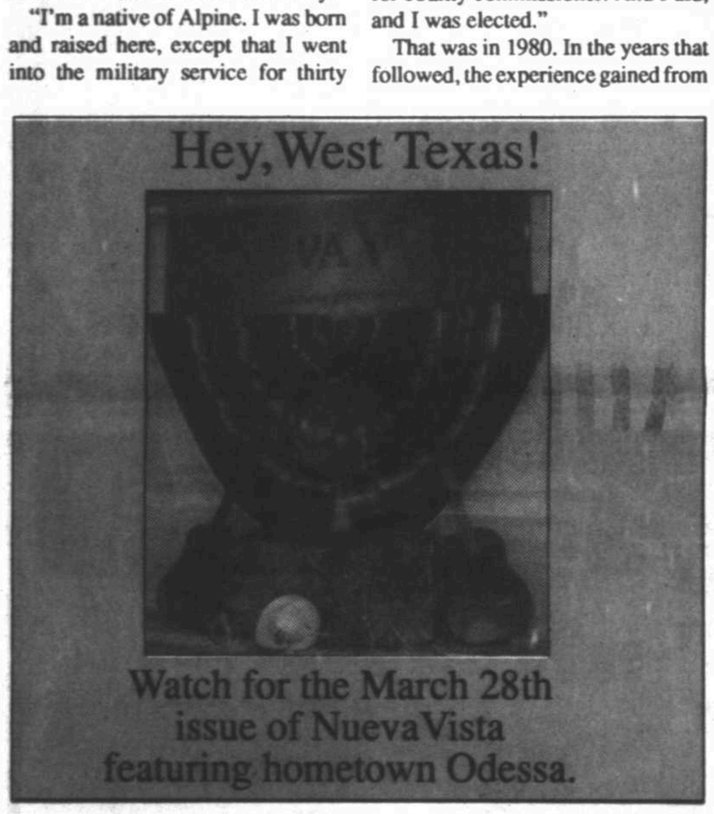

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mi esposa y yo decidimos investigar. Los tamales eran muy buenos, pero eran salvadoreños, que no son iguales que los de Nuevo León o los de Chihuahua.

Como todo lo demás, la comida Mexicana cuesta mucho mas en Nueva York que en cualquier otro lugar. En un sitio del East Side, los tacos del calibre de los platos rápidos valen $5 cada uno, sin frijoles al lado. En la Avenida Amsterdam hay un lugar que ofrece burritos a $10 como "brunch" especial para el Domingo. No he ido allí aun; quizás iré cuando reciba el reembolso de los impuestos sobre ingresos personales.

Aunque el influjo de los restaurantes Mexicanos ha ocurrido al mismo tiempo que la llegada de los Mexicanos, puede que no haya una relación directa de causa a efecto. Pocos restaurantes Mexicanos de la ciudad de Nueva York son realmente propiedad de Mexicanos. Los dueños parecen ser de casi todas las demás nacionalidades.

Mi relato favorito sobre esto se refiere a la Fabrica de Tortillas de Tejas. Un periódico local dice que esta taqueria fue establecido por un neoyorquino judío después de una visita a Tejas. El contrato a varios ayudantes chinos y abrió el negocio. A su debido tiempo, los trabajadores se imaginaron que podían hacer tacos sin el y se fueron para abrir otra taqueria. El hombre contrato entonces a varios vietnamitas para sustituirlos. Cuando llame para enterarme a que horas estaban abiertos, no pude comunicarme. Ninguno de ellos hablaba ingles y mucho menos español. No importa. Las tortillas de harina de trigo eran excelentes, mucho mejores que las que me enviaron por "fax" recientemente desde Phoenix.

La mayor fabrica de tortillas de maíz esta aparentemente en Yonkers: si, en Yonkers, y no, no se por que. Una nueva fabrica de tortillas ha entrado recientemente "en línea" en Brooklyn, pero sus tortillas no están disponibles con suficiencia en la ciudad. Están embarcándolas actualmente a Quebec, completas con etiquetas bilingües en Francés e Ingles.

Montezumas es propiedad de un Dominicano. Algún día, todos los negocios Hispanos de la ciudad llegaran a ser propiedad de Dominicanos. Este grupo esta empeñado en una batalla campal con los coreanos por la supremacía de las tiendas con frente a la calle.

Los comerciantes coreanos están conscientes de la importancia del idioma en el mercado. Para competir mas eficazmente contra los dominicanos, algunos de ellos emplean a Mexicanos para trabajar en sus puestos de frutas. Algunos cínicos se burlan de que esto no tiene nada que ver con el mercado; se trata sencillamente de que nadie mas trabajara 18 horas al día sin que le paguen tiempo extra.

¿Quien sabe? Yo no podría decirlo. Pero miro al lado positivo — muchos tenderos coreanos venden ahora chile chipotle y chocolate Ibarra, que yo acostumbraba importar desde San Antonio.

Un detalle bueno sobre la comida Mexicana de Nueva York es que no hay que enfrentarse a las abominaciones tales como las "ensaladas de tacos." En mi tiempo había tacos y había ensaladas, pero nunca se les combino en una misma cosa.

Es difícil encontrar ensaladas de tacos en Nueva York, a menos que el dueño del restaurante haya pasado algún tiempo en California. Nosotros, los Mexicanos, no comemos brotes de frijol. Comemos frijoles. Los neoyorquinos pueden haberse imaginado lo que los latinos han sabido durante todo el tiempo: Que se puede sacar mas frijoles de una planta si se le deja que crezca y no se le desarraiga para hacer brotes de frijoles para las ensaladas de tacos.

¡Vamos a lonchar!

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Texas. He hired several Chinese helpers and opened for business. In due time, the workers figured out they could make tacos without him and went off to open another taqueria. The man then hired several Vietnamese to replace them. When I called to find out their business hours, we were unable to communicate. None of them spoke English, much less Spanish. No importa. the flour tortillas were excellent — much better than the ones that were faxed to me recently from Phoenix.

The biggest corn tortilla is apparently in Yonkers. Yes, Yonkers and no, I don't know why. A new tortilla factory has recently come "on line" in Brooklyn, but their tortillas are not widely available in the city. They're currently shipping to Quebec complete with bilingual labels: French and English.

Montezuma's is owned by a Dominican. Someday, every Hispanic business in the city may be owned by Dominicans. The group is in a pitched battle with the Koreans for storefront supremacy.

The Korean merchants are conscious of the importance of language in marketing. To compete more effectively with the Dominicans, many of them employ Mexicanos to work in their fruit stands. Some cynics sneer that this has nothing to do with marketing; it's simply that no one else will work 18 hours a day without overtime pay.

¿Quién sabe? I couldn't say. I look at the positive side — many Korean grocers now carry chile chipotle and Ibarra chocolate, which I used to have to import from San Antonio.

One nice thing about eating Mexican in New York is that you don't have to put up with abominations such as taco salads. In my day there were tacos and there were salads but they were never combined into one and the same thing.

It's hard to find taco salads in New York unless the restaurateur has spent time in California. We Mexicans don't eat bean sprouts. We eat beans. New Yorkers may have figured out what Latinos have known all along: you can get more frijoles from a bean plant if you let it grow up and don't pull it up by the roots to make bean sprouts for taco salads.

Come on over. We'll do lonche!

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Buscando Consuelo a Través de el Hospicio del Suroeste

Por Amarante Cordova

Ofreciendo asistencia en tiempos críticos, cuando familias tienen una necesidad particular, es parte de la misión del Hospicio del Suroeste. Pero antes del servicio, debe venir la información y educación sobre el Hospicio, y esta disponible para todos los miembros de la comunidad.

"La misión del Hospicio es de ayudar a los individuos terminamente enfermos que tienen una prolongada enfermedad, y que el doctor piensa que no hay esperanza, o curación para la enfermedad que esta persona tiene," explica Iris Correa, Directora de relaciones de la Comunidad para el Hospicio del Suroeste. "Así, a este punto, el doctor los recomienda a el Hospicio, o es una alternativa para ellos a este punto, para ellos buscar cuidado de confortacion."

"El Hospicio ni retrasa ni apresura vida en ningún punto. Nosotros solamente la hacemos confortable para el paciente así como para la familia."

Esto es hecho por medio de una interdisciplina, o un acercamiento en grupos, en las cuales especialistas de una variedad de campos dan un paso adelante para asistir al paciente - y a la familia del paciente - entre el tiempo dificultoso. Estos especialistas incluyen trabajadores sociales y expertos en leyes, enfermeras y ayudantes de salud del hogar, y clérigos. Y el apoyo continua para la familia después de la muerte del paciente. "Nosotros manejamos el caso. Nosotros cuidamos de ellos, de todos ellos, de la familia entera," dice Correa. "Ofrecemos apoyo de dolor en la perdida del ser querido un año después, hasta un año después de la perdida del ser querido. Ofrecemos apoyo en las perdidas para la comunidad entera, ya sean o no sean pacientes del Hospicio."

El Hospicio del Suroeste, el cual esta establecido en Odessa, fundado en 1984 por la Junior League de Odessa. 1992 fue un año de crecimiento y desarrollo, y el Hospicio ahora sirve a trece comunidades, incluyendo el Condado Ector, Pecos, Fort Stockton, Balmorrhea, Stanton, y Colorado City. Una proposición para proveer servicios en los condados de Lamesa y Dawson es ahora bajo revisión. Servicios en Midland son ofrecidos por una separada organización - Hospicio de Midland - el cual no esta afiliado con el Hospicio del Suroeste.

Pero Correa advierte que el Hospicio no puede ser enteramente efectivo a menos que la comunidad - particularmente la comunidad Hispana - se entere de la organización, y los servicios que esta provee.

"Bueno, lo que estamos tratando de hacer a este tiempo es tratar de educar a toda la comunidad, especialmente sobre lo que el Hospicio se trata. Muchos Hispanos no están familiarizados con los servicios que el Hospicio ofrece," dice ella. "Por ejemplo, estos que tienen Parte A Medicaid no saben que les paga el hospicio, Y hay muchas personas que no estamos ayudando porque no saben nada sobre nosotros."

"A este punto, estamos tratando de estar al corriente entre la comunidad. Tratando de educarlos, tratando de hacer algunas presentaciones. Tenemos una coordinadora educacional, también, en el personal. Estamos trabajando mano en mano, tratando de hacer presentaciones por toda la comunidad, y en diferentes comunidades que servimos."

Correa también dice que el Hospicio esta buscando levantar fondos monetarios y apoyo, así como conocimiento, entre la comunidad. Donaciones memoriales, por ejemplo, contribuciones hechas al Hospicio en la memoria del ser perdido, por sus familias, son un recurso muy importante para los fondos del Hospicio, y da alguna indicación de sus gratitudes por los valiosos servicios dados a estas familias en su tiempo de necesidad especial. Levantamiento de fondos asegura que los servicios del Hospicio serán disponibles para todos, incluyendo estos que no pueden pagar, ya sea directamente, o por medio de agentes de aseguranzas.

" Nosotros tenemos pacientes necesitados en nuestros casos de acción, también. Lo que estamos haciendo es, levantamos fondos monetarios para ayudar a estas personas ha seguir aquí," explica Correa. "Muchas de las veces, bueno, como cualquier otra cosa. Somos una organización sin-ganancia. Así que realmente tenemos que tocar en algunas puertas para poder continuar esto!"

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"Hospice neither postpones nor hastens life at any point. We merely just make it comfortable for the patient as well as the family." — Iris Correa, Community Relations Director.

Hospice of the Southwest is Here to Serve Those Who Seek Comfort

By Amarante Cordova

Offering assistance at a critical time, when families have a particular need, is part of the mission of Hospice of the Southwest. But before the service, must come information and education about Hospice, and it's availability to all members of the community.

"The mission of Hospice is to help the terminally-ill individuals that have a prolonged illness, that a doctor feels there's no hope, or cure for the disease that the individual has," explained Iris Correa, Community Relations Director for Hospice of the Southwest. "So, at that point, the doctor refers them to Hospice, or it's a choice for them at that point, for them to seek comfort care."

"Hospice neither postpones nor hastens life at any point. We merely just make it comfortable for the patient as well as the family."

This is done through an interdisciplinary, or team approach, in which specialists from a variety of fields step forward to assist the patient - and the patient's family - through a difficult time. These specialists would include social workers and legal experts, nurses, home health aides, and chaplains. And the support continues for the family after the patient's death.

"We case manage. We take care of them, all of them, the whole family," said Correa. "We offer bereavement support a year after, up to a year after the death of a loved one. We offer bereavement support for the entire community, whether they are a Hospice patient or not."

Hospice of the Southwest, which is based in Odessa, founded in 1984 by the Junior League of Odessa. 1992 was a year of growth and expansion, and Hospice now serves thirteen communities, including Ector County, Pecos, Fort Stockton, Balmorrhea, Stanton, and Colorado City. A proposal to provide services in Lamesa and Dawson County is now under review. Services in Midland are provided by a separate organization - Hospice of Midland - which is not affiliated with Hospice of the Southwest.

But Correa warns that Hospice can not be entirely effective unless the community - particularly the Hispanic community - becomes aware of the organization, and the services it provides.

"Well, what we're trying to at this time is educate all the community, as far as what Hospice is all about. A lot of Hispanics are not familiar with services that Hospice provides," she said. "For instance, those that have Medicaid-Part A don't know that Hospice is paid for. So there's a lot of folks that we're not helping because there's a lot of folks that don't know about us."

"So, at this point, we're trying to tap into that community. Trying to educate them, trying to do some presentations. We have an educational coordinator, too, on staff. She and I are going to work hand-in hand, and trying to do some workshops all over the community, and different communities that we serve."

Correa also said that Hospice seeks to raise funds and support, as well as awareness, within the community. Memorial donations, for example, contributions made to Hospice in the memory of departed loved-ones, by their families, are an important source of funds for Hospice, and give some indication of their gratitude for the valuable services Hospice provided to those families in their time of special need. Fund-raising insures that Hospice service are available to all, including those who may be unable to pay, either directly, or through an insurance carrier.

"We carry indigent patients on our caseload, too. So what we do is, we raise money to keep these folks going," Correa explained. "And a lot of times, well, it's like everything else. We're non-profit. So we really have to knock on some doors to keep that area going!

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