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Grief to the chief

Starting with Nixon, Saturday Night Live has sketched presidents with humor — National Archives takes notice./**5B**



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Cy Young to Cone

David Cone bounces back to again beat out former teammate Jimmy Key in a close vote for the AL Cy Young Award./**2C**

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News Watch



Cleanup efforts

HOUSTON — Cooler weather Tuesday hampered oil-spill cleanup efforts in the San Jacinto River, and the Coast Guard said it would probably take most of the week to finish the job./**1B**

Simpson slayings

LOS ANGELES — A woman who expressed doubts that one person killed O.J. Simpson's ex-wife and a friend was thrown off a panel of potential jurors Tuesday, and defense attorneys were not happy. "The time frame is so close, I just can't see how a person could do all of that in such a short time," the woman said, referring to the 75 minutes during which prosecutors contend Simpson committed the murders. Defense attorneys were visibly angered by the release of the 42-year-old postal worker, whose answers and views on the case were generally favorable to Simpson./**5B**

On-the-attack ads

WASHINGTON — Sen. Richard Bryan airs a commercial tagging his rival as a "special interest lobbyist in Washington D.C." Democratic Sen. Bob Kerrey has an ad accusing his Nebraska challenger of sitting on a corporate board that "moved American jobs to Mexico." Neither man faces a tough re-election battle, but in a campaign season marked by negative ads even safe Democrats are on the attack./**7A**

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Fast chill

A barrel of burning wood provides warmth for Midlander Richard Soto while he worked outside on Tuesday. A sudden cold front moved through the city. Complete weather/4A

MISD gets pitch for new stadium

■ Backer presents petition with 2,053 signatures, says $500,000 worth of land has been offered at no cost.

By Myra Lee Salcedo
Staff Writer

Would Midlanders be willing to pay an additional $6.50 per year in property taxes for a new sports stadium? More than 2,000 Midlanders have already signed their names to the effort.

Former school-board member Ken Marks presented a petition, with 2,053 signatures, to Midland Independent School District trustees at Tuesday's meeting.

Marks said Clarence Scharbauer III has offered land west of Sam's, off of Highway 191 for the stadium. Marks said the land, offered at no cost, is probably worth $500,000.

He displayed photographs of Socorro Independent School District's $4.5 million football stadium, which boasts an eight-lane track.

Marks discussed a plan for a similar $4.5 million stadium, which would seat at least 15,000. The Socorro Stadium seats 12,000, but expands to a 20,000 capacity. Midland's Memorial Stadium, built in 1946, now seats about 10,500. Memorial Stadium also only has a seven-lane track, and an eight-lane is regulation for certain meets.

Marks said the average owner of a $65,730 home (with homestead exemption) would see a property tax increase of $6.10 per year if a bond election to build the stadium passed.

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Clinton launches six-nation Mideast tour amid hopes, security concerns

■ Determined to pursue 'new steps' toward Arab-Israeli peace, president touches down in Cairo.

Associated Press

CAIRO — President Clinton opened a fast-paced Middle East trip today, urging a united stand against "the desperate enemies of peace," as the United States demanded that PLO chief Yasser Arafat crack down on the Muslim extremist group Hamas.

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Just hours before Clinton was to meet with Arafat, Secretary of State Warren Christopher said the Palestine Liberation Organization leader must choose between peace with Israel or tolerance of Hamas.

Christopher suggested that Arafat use his 11,000-person security force against the Hamas militants blamed for last week's bloody bus bombing in Tel Aviv and the kidnaping and execution of an Israeli

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AP/Carl Fox

Urban blight takes blame for killing in neighborhood

By Shawn Donnan
Associated Press

BALTIMORE — Nathaniel Hurt was known for sweeping the curb twice a day outside his meticulous home in one of the city's most blighted neighborhoods.

In recent weeks, after police charged him with murdering one of a group of youngsters throwing rocks and bottles at his car, he became known instead as a symbol of good intentions driven to violence by kids who mocked his tidy ways.

Hurt doesn't deny shooting 13-year-old Vernon Holmes, Jr., a skinny foster child with crooked teeth who was new to the neighborhood and whom Hurt once hired to work at the snowcone stand behind his house.

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AP Laserphoto

Nathaniel Hurt, 61, claims he was driven to the shooting by teens who harassed him after he told them to stop throwing rocks at passing buses.

Council stamps approval on juvenile curfew

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

After hearing from two people calling for stricter curfew guidelines, the City Council on Tuesday approved on second and final reading a juvenile curfew effective Dec. 1.

The council in a 5-1 vote, with District 1 representative Pat Schneider dissenting, passed the ordinance without any changes from the first reading two weeks ago. On first reading, the curfew passed three in favor, two against — Ms. Schneider and District 2 representative Juluis Brooks — and District 4 representative Claudia Egan abstaining.

Brooks said he changed his vote in favor of the curfew after reviewing places where teen-agers frequent and being subjected to vandalism since the last council meeting.

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City seeks Vogler replacement

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

The Midland City Council will begin accepting applications today for a District 3 representative to replace the late Ed Vogler.

"We're going to interview on the 7th (of November) at 1:30 that afternoon. At the next day's council meeting, we'll probably take a vote then," Mayor Bobby Burns said.

The selected replacement — who must receive a majority council vote — will serve the remainder of Vogler's term which ends June 3, 1996.

Applications are available at the the City Secretary's Office, Room 430, City Hall and must be submitted no later than 5 p.m., Nov. 4.

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McCrary, Brooks battle for Precinct 2 seat

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Election '94

The two candidates for Midland County Precinct 2 commissioner in the Nov. 8 general election advocate fiscal responsibility and prudent expenditure of taxpayers' funds while maintaining quality services.

The incumbent, Republican Guy McCrary, 41, is into his eighth year on the five-member Commissioners' Court.

His opponent is Democrat James Brooks, 55, a Greenwood farmer-businessman who is in to his 28th year on the Greenwood Independent School District board of directors.

McCrary said the greatest challenge confronting county government is "assuring services to our community while containing the costs of county government and complying with unfunded legislative, judicial and regulatory mandates."

The commissioner is wont to apply free-enterprise economies to county government.

"There is so much government and, most especially, county government can learn from the private sector," McCrary said. "There are fundamental obstacles to change — not just attitudinal obstacles but statutory obstacles to change."

In reflecting on his years on the Greenwood ISD, Brooks said he is bringing a "wealth of experience and knowledge to bear on problems confronting local governments."

And the "main job of the county commissioners (is) to try to keep the

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File photo

Democratic challenger James Brooks has been on the Greenwood ISD board for 28 years.



File photo

Incumbent Guy McCrary is in his eighth year on the five-member Commissioners' Court.

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'Oil spill poses no serious threat,' officials say

MOSCOW (AP) — An oil spill from a broken pipeline has reached two rivers and drenched tundra in Russia's Far North, but Russian officials insisted Tuesday it poses no serious environmental threat.

The size of the spill was unclear. U.S. Energy Department officials said it could range from 4.5 million gallons to more than 80 million gallons. The higher estimate would be eight times the size of the 1989 Exxon Valdez disaster in Alaska.

The spill, first reported in Tuesday's New York Times, extends over the frozen ground like a ribbon about 3 feet deep, 40 feet wide and 6 to 7 miles long, Deputy Energy Secretary Bill White said Tuesday in Washington.

Alexander Avdoshin, a spokesman for Russia's Ministry of Emergency Situations, said the pipeline burst in February. He said he had no figure on the size of the spill but called it "considerably smaller" than 80 million gallons.

There have been several minor spills along the aging pipeline, about 1,000 miles northeast of Moscow, dating back to 1988, officials said.

Valery Ilyin, a spokesman for Komineft, which operates the line, said the most serious spill of crude occurred in late August, when 4.3 million gallons escaped. An estimated 4.9 million gallons of other contaminated liquids spilled, he said.

An emergency pipeline was built to bypass the area, and a 25-foot-high dike was built to contain the spill.

Heavy rain washed out the dike Oct. 1 near the town of Usinsk, and oil spilled into the Kolva and Usa rivers, tributaries of the Pechora, a salmon-spawning river which flows into the Arctic Ocean.

Avdoshin said regional authorities did not report the collapse until Oct. 4 because it was not "major."

"These oil spots presented no serious danger to the environment," he said.

A Moscow representative of the environmental group Greenpeace criticized the official response. "No real cleanup has been done," said Igor Blokov. "There is still a half-meter (1½ feet) of oil on the lower Pechora."

Spilled oil was 4 inches thick in creeks of the Kolva, according to the ITAR-Tass news agency.

The fragile permafrost above the Arctic Circle takes a long time to recover from damage, environmentalists noted. There are no villages on the two small rivers, Avdoshin said.

Ilyin, the Komineft spokesman, said workers were skimming oil from the water and washing plants and riverbanks with high-pressure hoses.

"It's all under control now," he said by telephone from Ukhta. "The Pechora is clean, according to local civil defense experts. The salmon is unaffected."

In Washington, Energy Department spokesman Bill Wicker said the spill from the 47-mile pipeline "has the potential of causing very serious harm to the life of the rivers" but that the extent of damage wasn't known.

"We know the Russians are taking this seriously," he said.

White said the United States offered to send expert assistance, but has not yet received a response.

White showed a 4-minute videotape that he said just arrived in the United States from Russia. It shows an earthen berm with a large lake of oil in the background and several places where someone had set oil afire in an attempt to burn it off.

He said the ice-covered ground and hostile weather made cleanup difficult.

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Treaty generates popular appeal in both countries

By Charles W. Holmes
Cox News Service

ZOFAR, Israel — The abundant vegetable fields of this tiny Jewish settlement stretch across the desert, brilliantly green and lush against the dusty hills of Jordan to the east.

With the stroke of a pen Wednesday, Israel and Jordan — with President Clinton and other international dignitaries as witnesses — will end 46 years of hostility. The peace treaty will redraw the border and in the process move half of Zofar's cultivated acreage into Jordan.

But a measure of the popular appeal of the Israeli-Jordan accord rests in its equitable details: the settlement of Zofar and a Jordan Valley farm town, Naharayim, will on paper lose their land. But Jordan will turn around and lease it back to Israel and, in theory, not affect the farms or their owners.

In turn, Jordan will receive much needed water from the resources Israel now takes from the Jordan and Yarmouk Rivers.

"I am very happy about the peace. It's a good feeling if everything is going to remain as it is now," said Hedva Schoener, a 43-year-old mother of three who moved to Zofar several months ago.

Peace with Egypt 15 years ago — the first and only other Arab nation to reconcile with the Jewish state — meant a traumatic Israeli withdrawal from the Sinai peninsula and the difficult dismantling of Jewish settlements there.

The Israeli-Palestinian accord signed in September 1993 has moved painfully slow, punctuated by violence and plagued with unanswered questions about the degree of power the new Palestinian authority should have and the ultimate fate of Jewish settlements in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip.

But peace with Jordan means a relatively slight exchange of land and water rights and, most importantly, normal relations between the two countries who have technically been at war since Israel's establishment in 1948.

Israel will return about 150 square miles of land it captured from Jordan in the 1948 and 1967 Middle East wars.

Most mainstream Israeli and Jordanians view the treaty as a reasonable pact filled with an implicit promise of increased trade, tourism and other economic prospects.

"We live so close, why not live together?" said Yaron Schikva, 18, who works in his father's grocery store in the palm-dotted Zofar settlement of 50 families.

Israeli attitudes toward Jordan are tempered by what they perceive as the rational disposition of Jordan's King Hussein, the British-educated monarch who has met over the years with Israeli leaders in secret encounters well-publicized in the Israeli press.

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Parker Bowleses still have their respect, wrapped in dignity, silence

■ **Analysis**

PARIS — "The only one to come out of this appalling affair looking like a gentleman is Camilla Parker Bowles," a London Times columnist, Simon Jenkins, asserted this week, referring to the longtime lover of Prince Charles.

Besides being sexist, the commentator's remark wasn't strictly accurate. One other person has emerged with reputation unscathed from the thundering collapse of the royal marriage of Charles and Princess Diana: Camilla's cuckolded husband Andrew.

Still, the Jenkins comment reflected a widely held British view.

The Parker Bowleses have won respect simply by keeping their mouths shut while virtually everyone else even remotely connected to Britain's royal family has sounded off volubly whenever a reporter or TV camera has sprung into view.

This week, as newspaper excerpts from a new, authorized biography of Charles revealed the full extent of an off-and-on, 20-year liaison between the heir to the British throne and the 46-year-old mother of a son and daughter in their teens, Camilla Parker Bowles reacted true to form. She retreated to her home in the fox-hunting countryside of Wiltshire and firmly closed the door to besieging journalists from around the world.

As has been his practice over recent years whenever his wife's affair with the prince of Wales has hit the headlines, Andrew Parker Bowles, an army brigadier — equivalent to an American brigadier-general — has maintained tight-lipped silence, coolly staring down pursuing reporters.

The couple's dignified behavior has earned them the grudging admiration of even Britain's raunchy tabloid press. She has shown "amazing coolness and self-possession," concedes the London Daily Mail which, as a vociferous supporter of Diana, might have been expected to come down hard on the "other woman."

As for the 55-year-old Parker Bowles, "not many men would have behaved with equal stoicism and restraint," according to the staunchly royalist Daily Telegraph.

Their discretion and loyalty have earned them credit from an unexpected source — Queen Elizabeth. Despite the scandal, they continue to receive regular invitations to Buckingham Palace. Parker Bowles retains his honorary court post as "Silver Stick in Waiting" to the monarch, which requires him to appear at certain royal ceremonies.

"They're typical products of their class, the British gentry: tough-minded, self-assured and trained from childhood to do the right thing," explains social historian Edward Leithwaite.

The "right thing" doesn't necessarily include marital fidelity, but it "absolutely prohibits speaking publicly about one's extra-marital affairs in any circumstances," he says.

Vatican forms ties with PLO

VATICAN CITY (AP) — The Vatican established official ties Tuesday with the PLO, strengthening its claim to a voice in the Middle East peace process and on the future of Jerusalem.

In 1982, Pope John Paul II drew sharp protests from Israel when he received PLO leader Yasser Arafat at the Vatican. At the time, Israel branded Arafat a terrorist.

But Israel and the PLO have since signed a peace treaty and the Vatican recognized Israel 10 months ago.

Tuesday's agreement calls for an office of representation of the Palestine Liberation Organization at the Holy See. The papal envoy in Tunisia, where the PLO has its headquarters, will be responsible for contacts with the PLO.

The move falls short of full diplomatic relations.

A joint statement, released by the Vatican, said the agreement will enable the Roman Catholic Church to carry out its "spiritual, educational and social service in favor of Palestinian Catholics and of all Palestinians" and help the two sides contribute to the "search for peace and justice."

The announcement came a day before Israel and Jordan are scheduled to sign a peace treaty. The Vatican also established relations with Jordan this year.

The statement said the two sides committed themselves to cooperate in preserving the "religious and cultural values" of the Holy Land, particularly Jerusalem.

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BATTLE: Brooks, McCrary vie for Precinct 2 commissioner slot

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tax rate down as much as possible and still maintain the quality of services that are due to the taxpayers," Brooks said.

In carrying out duties as an elected official, "You ought to treat other elected officials, employees or whatever like you'd want to be treated.

"You've got to be able to talk with people — listen to their side of the story," Brooks said. "If there is something you can help them with, you help them. And if you can't, give them a valid reason."

The four-year term of office sought by Brooks and McCrary pays an annual base salary of $27,132 and yearly travel expenses of $4,200.

McCrary's role as commissioner is to efficiently budget the county's projected $18.5 million general-fund budget, which is funded in part by ad-valorem or property taxes, to oversee the county's $1.727 million road-and-bridge fund, and to help manage the county's overall $28 million budget.

About 50 percent of the county's $18.5 million general-fund budget for 1995 is funded by the county's 26.43-cent tax rate per $100 valuation based on the countywide $3.728 billion tax base.

Each cent of the tax rate brings into the county's treasury approximately $372,000.

Property taxes are to generate almost $9.8 million, including $8.736 million for the general fund and $1.05 million for debt service. Other projected revenue sources include $5.4 million from the county's half-cent sales tax, which went into effect in 1988, and fines, fees, grants and other sources.

McCrary had voted to approve the county's 1995 budget in a unanimous vote.

But McCrary, joined by County Judge Charles W. "Bro" Seltzer, voted against adopting the Commissioners' Court's then-proposed 26.43-cent tax rate, which officially reflected a 7.99 percent tax increase, but which to the taxpayers meant a 12.18 percent tax increase. The 1993 tax rate was 23.56 cents.

"And I voted against that (tax) increase because I believe the taxes on assets in our community already are too high," McCrary said.

The proposal was adopted by a 3-2 vote.

Brooks said he is running for commissioner in part "because I'm concerned about the tax rate. I got my tax bill the other day from the county, and it has almost doubled from last year."

Brooks noted that the Midland County tax rate had increased from 16.5 cents in 1988 to 23.56 cents in 1993 and then to 26.43 cents in 1994.

"You're talking about a pretty good (tax) increase in five years."

Over that same period, Greenwood's taxes increased from $1.615 in 1988 to $1.915 in 1993 and then to $1.97 in 1994.

The Greenwood ISD property taxes are based on a $168-million tax base in the Greenwood portion of northeastern Midland County. Midland County's county-wide tax base is $3.728 billion.

Brooks acknowledged that Greenwood ISD taxes are "one of the highest" in the county at a $1.97 tax rate per $100 valuation. "But I can prove (the need for) the growth.

"When I got on the board (in 1967), there was less than a hundred kids" in Greenwood schools, Brooks said. Today, there are approximately 1,500 Greenwood ISD students.

In the 10-year period beginning in 1985, Greenwood property tax rates increased by 71.6 percent — from $1.1476 to $1.97. Greenwood taxes increased 2.87 percent from 1993 to 1994.

Greenwood ISD's $7.876 million budget for the 1994-95 school year reflects $3.7 million in Texas state funding, about $3.3 million in Greenwood property taxes, and funds from additional sources.

Midland County's property taxes increased 32.4 percent during that same 10-year period. However, the tax rate was contained in part by the introduction of the half-cent sales tax in 1988. Were it not for the sale-tax revenue, Midland County's tax-rate increase since 1985 would have been almost 105 percent were current revenues maintained.

But in both the county's and Greenwood's instances, the tax increases reflect a decline in the tax base in wake of the "bust" of the oil boom of the late 1970s and early 1980s. Midland County's tax base since 1985 declined by 30 percent — from $5.331 billion to $3.728 billion. Greenwood's tax base dropped by 40 percent from $282 million to $168 million.

In seeking to be fiscally responsible, McCrary said he is advocating a county purchasing agent as clearinghouse to ferret out the most economical purchase of goods and equipment requested by Midland County elected and appointed officials who oversee a 500-strong workforce.

"We need to improve our fiscal controls to be sure that the county's expenditures address public needs," McCrary said, "and that those funds are spent efficiently.

"It should be self-evident that where you've got 20-odd (elected) officials who are spending funds at will, there are no opportunities for economies of scale. Moreover, there are no assurances that those expenditures are appropriate."

Brooks, in considering the advantages of a purchasing agent, said "If we need it, then I'm for it" in order to frugally spend taxpayers' dollars. County commissioners approve departments budgets, Brooks noted, and said that appointed and elected officials "should live within their budgets."

A Democrat in a predominantly Republican county, Brooks said he entered the campaign "knowing we had an uphill battle."

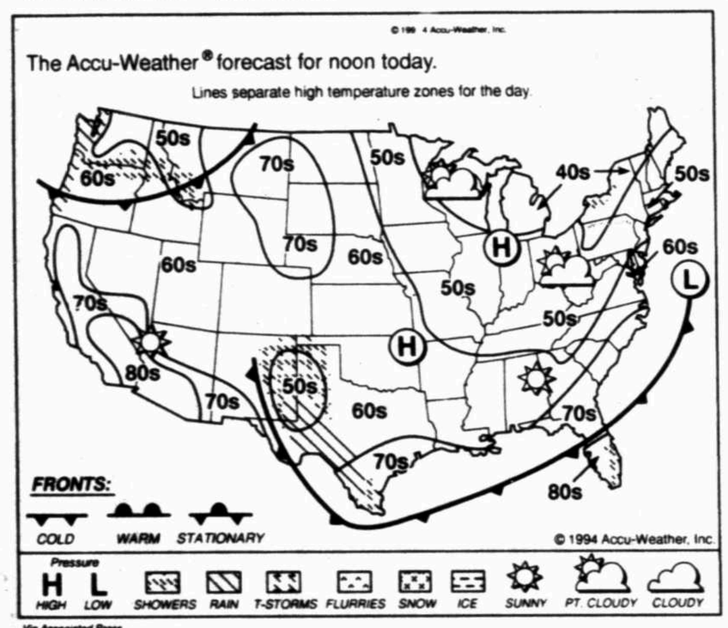
Brooks said building and maintaining county roads "is an issue today. Maintaining county roads "is a big part of the county commissioners' job."

Of law enforcement, Brooks said he is in favor of a "boot camp" for prisoners.

As a county commissioner, Brooks said he would work toward resolving conflicts in county government, would seek to lobby state and federal lawmakers to reduce the cost of "unfunded mandates," and would strive toward ensuring economy and efficiency in government.

McCrary cited his role and that of library "friends" in effecting a new and renovated public library, and noted his work in building a new jail, remodeling the courthouse, setting up a computerized MidNet library system between Midland County and Midland College, supporting the Midland County Judicial District, ensuring cooperation between city and county, studying a regional-jail concept.

WEATHER WATCH



Via Associated Press

Coolness, rain chances linger

Staff Report

Today's forecast calls for cloudy skies with a 30 percent chance of rain with a high near 55 and east to southeast winds at 5-15 mph. Tonight should be cloudy with 30 percent chance of rain and a low near 45, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Thursday should be mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of rain and a high near 70.

After an overnight low of 47, Tuesday's high reached 64, compared to the record high for that date of 90 set in 1950. The record low was 33 set in 1932.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

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NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	64 degrees
Overnight Low	47 degrees
Sunset today	7:06 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	8:00 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	trace inches
This month to date	.00.38 inches
Year to date	08.93 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	74	6 a.m.	52
7 p.m.	70	7 a.m.	50
8 p.m.	68	8 a.m.	50
9 p.m.	65	9 a.m.	48
10 p.m.	65	10 a.m.	48
11 p.m.	65	11 a.m.	49
midnight	64	noon	48
1 a.m.	63	1 p.m.	47
2 a.m.	62	2 p.m.	48
3 a.m.	61	3 p.m.	48
4 a.m.	55	4 p.m.	49
5 a.m.	54	5 p.m.	49
		6 p.m.	49

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Alpine	86	47	
Amarillo	60	43	t
Austin	85	67	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	85	63	
Bryan-College Station	81	63	
Corpus Christi	88	70	
Dallas	79	63	0.37
El Paso	85	57	
Fort Worth	78	59	0.83
Galveston	80	74	
Houston	86	64	
Laredo	90	72	
Lubbock	72	54	
Marfa	83	43	
San Angelo	79	60	
San Antonio	88	72	
Victoria	88	71	
Waco	83	60	0.03
Wink	85	50	

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	66	45		clr
Atlanta	77	52		clr
Atlantic City	68	41		clr
Baltimore	64	44		clr
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Chicago	46	41		clr
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Denver	63	27		cdy
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Orlando	85	68		cdy
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Portland,Ore.	66	43		rn
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Shreveport	66	51	.40	clr
Spokane	58	36		rn
Topeka	55	30		cdy
Tulsa	59	45		clr
Wichita	56	35		cdy

SEEKS: City takes applications

(From 1A)

Questions asked in the application include education, current employment, public service and work experience, and prior public offices served. The application also asks about perceptions of the role of the council, any prior business before the council, thoughts on main issues facing the city, goals for the city and reasons for seeking the position.

An applicant also may submit letters of recommendation and petitions of support.

Applicants will meet in the City Secretary's Office at 9 a.m., Nov. 7 to draw for the interview sequence. During the public interviews that afternoon, applicants will be given 15 minutes to make their presentations. That will be followed by questions by the council.

To be eligible to apply, an individual must: be a resident of District 3, be a qualified voter, be at least 18 years old, be a U.S. citizen and resident of the state, have not been determined mentally incompetent by a final judgment of a court, and have not been convicted of a felony unless pardoned or received a discharge from the state's pardons and paroles division or completed court-ordered probation and at least two years have passed since receipt or completion.

District 3 — which largely encompasses central Midland — is generally bounded by Wadley Avenue on the north and Big Spring Street on the east. The boundary essentially continues south along Industrial Avenue, up Garfield Street to Illinois Avenue then west to Midkiff Road. The district line continues north on Midkiff Road, then west at Golf Course Road to Midland Drive north to Wadley Avenue.

PITCH: MISD receives new-stadium petition

(From 1A)

"I would like to see this as a stand-alone issue in a bond election," Marks said. "This is not a contest between academics and athletics. If you have to make a choice, it's academics."

However, Marks said, at Midland/Lee games there are as many as 700 students on the field. "How many of those students are failing one course?" he asked. "Not a one. They have to pass to participate."

"Athletics is a great teaching tool," Marks added. "It teaches discipline and teamwork, and so does band."

School-board trustees asked Marks what he thought about the Reporter-Telegram's Community Pulse line that indicated 60 percent of 887 callers voted "no" to building a stadium.

Marks said he didn't give the poll much credibility. "I could have spent all day hitting that button redialing and hitting those numbers," he said. "The poll is very unscientific. People can vote more than once. With this petition, more than 2,000 people voted once by signing their names."

School-board trustee Jackie Hamilton said 2,000 didn't seem like an impressive number.

"Well, we just got these names in three weeks," Marks said, suggesting the entire community be allowed to vote "yes" or "no" in a bond election.

He said there has been "a lot of missed opportunities and missed revenue" from football games when seats sell out. "Then there are the parents and grandparents who can't get in to see their youngsters out on the field."

Marks said Memorial Stadium "is a great facility, but it's past its time."

"When Memorial Stadium was built in 1946, Midland's population was 25,000," he said. Now the city has a population of at least 100,000. "We need adequate seating and a stadium where people can get in and out."

Marks said neighbors who live in a five-block area surrounding Memorial Stadium have complained about the traffic and the noise during games.

"A new stadium would be great for our youngsters. And it would be a tremendous asset to the community," he said.

The stadium was a report item. Trustees did not voice their opinions on the issue and no citizens showed up to speak on the issue.

In other action, trustee James Fuller made a motion to discuss the district's progress on seeking unitary status in open session.

All school-board discussions on unitary status have been conducted in executive session, closed to the public. His motion failed 5-2, with Fuller and Adela Marmolejo voting in favor. It was the third time Fuller has called for public discussion on the district's status —— on moving out from under federal court-ordered desegregation —— in a board meeting. Tuesday night also marked the third time the motion was voted down with the board vote split along racial lines.

About 25 Midlanders joined in a "silent protest" at the board meeting. They wore black T-shirts with the words "Unitary Status" circled in red, with the universal slash cutting through the words. Several of the protesters said they didn't want the district to have unitary status and they resented that the legal process of seeking it is happening "behind closed doors."

Last week, at Fuller's request, the board approved adding the issue of unitary status to the agenda of upcoming community meetings.

Trustees voted 5-2 (with Ms. Marmolejo and Jack Hightower opposed) to allow Fannin Elementary School to implement a pilot program of teaching Spanish in the primary grades.

A report was given on fall enrollment. Trustees voted not to reschedule the Nov. 22 board meeting, even though it falls just before Thanksgiving vacation.

BLIGHT: Good intentions turn to violence

(From 1A)

But the 61-year-old janitor, who returned to work Tuesday for the first time in weeks, claims he was driven to it by teen-agers who started harassing him after he told them to stop throwing rocks at passing buses last month.

"He became a marked man for the kids in the neighborhood," said Stephen L. Miles, Hurt's lawyer. Hurt has been charged with murder and is free on $200,000 bail.

Over a period of several weeks, they cut his garden hose, threw garbage in the little paved backyard he keeps immaculate, and regularly knocked over his garbage cans, Miles said.

"They had him in such a complete flux of fear," said Miles, who is defending Hurt at no charge. "They created this situation, and one of them unfortunately paid the consequence for the social ills of the city."

Hurt, who has worked at the General Motors plant in the city since he was 17, was known in the neighborhood for keeping the area around his house spotless.

"Day in and day out he was out there cleaning up," said James R. Fleet, a neighbor who was cleaning up leaves in an alley near Hurt's home Tuesday. "He'd be out there early in the morning cleaning up. Mr. Hurt was out there more than anybody."

In the east Baltimore neighborhood dotted by boarded-up houses, Hurt's home stands in stark, immaculate contrast. The fire escape from which he fired the fatal shot carries a fresh coat of black paint.

Hurt would get down on his hands and knees and scrape chewing gum off the sidewalk.

TOUR: Clinton arrives amid hopes, threats

(From 1A)

soldier.

"I think it's one or the other," Christopher told reporters on Air Force One en route here. "Either get along with Hamas or get along with Israel and us."

Beginning a three-day, six-nation visit, Clinton and his wife, Hillary, arrived at 1 a.m. and were greeted by Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak and his wife, Suzanne.

Together, they made a late-night visit to the tomb of Egypt's unknown soldier and the tomb of Anwar Sadat, the Egyptian leader who made peace with Israel. Clinton bowed his head in silent prayer after placing a wreath at each monument.

The pyramid-like memorial stands across the street from the reviewing stands where Sadat was assassinated by Islamic extremists in 1981.

Clinton was to meet with Mubarak and Arafat later in the morning and then fly to Jordan for the signing of a historic peace treaty with Israel.

The most closely watched stop on the trip will be Clinton's visit Thursday to Damascus to meet with Syrian President Hafez Assad. Peace talks between Israel and Syria have dragged on inconclusively for three years, and Clinton hopes to nudge them along.

Christopher cautioned against any breakthrough, saying it may be six months before Clinton's visit bears fruit.

CURFEW: Council passes ordinance, 5-1

(From 1A)

Ms. Egan also backed the curfew after receiving reassurances from Midland Police Chief Richard Czech that statistics on the curfew would be presented to the council in six months.

Ms. Schneider held fast to her position opposing the curfew.

"We should be taking actions that are positive rather than negative," she said.

On the opposite side of the issue, two Midlanders spoke in favor of the curfew but called for stricter guidelines, especially concerning the hours.

The ordinance prohibits youngsters under 17 years old from being out between 1 a.m. and 6 a.m. unless meeting specific exceptions. In earlier drafts of a curfew ordinance, the hours were 11 p.m. on weekdays and midnight on weekends.

Velma Jackson told the council that 1 a.m. was acceptable on weekends for youngsters to attend ball games and other events, but 1 a.m. was too late on weekdays.

"They need to be home by 11 (p.m.) studying and doing whatever they need to be doing for school," Ms. Jackson said. "One o'clock for a 13-year-old, a 14-year-old, is entirely too late to be out."

"After 11 o'clock, there is nothing for a kid to do but get in trouble," she added.

William H. "Hank" Kirk also urged the council to "rethink this ordinance and put some teeth into it."

Kirk criticized the council for extending the hours to 1 a.m., which followed public discussions about a curfew beginning earlier.

"I think the way ya'll diluted this ordinance, it's not going to have any meaning at all," he said.

Exceptions include traveling to and from work, school and church, emergencies, being with a parent or guardian, and being married.

Each offense is punishable by a fine not to exceed $500.

In other action Tuesday:

■ The council increased several general fund service fees to be effective beginning Dec. 1. City officials said the increases are to help recover some of the costs the city incurs to provide such services.

The increases include: day-care inspection fees from $10 to $20; police fingerprinting from $5 to $10; police clearance letters from $3 to $5; and police background checks from $3 to $5.

Planning and development service fees increased for preliminary and final plats, and re-plats with no public hearing from $50 to $150; re-plats with a public hearing from $50 to $200; and dedications or vacations from $50 to $100.

Applications to apply to the Board of Appeals, and the Zoning Board of Adjustments rose from $40 to $100.

Planning and zoning fees increased as follow: zone change from $150 to $250; zone change for planned district from $250 to $400; site plan reviews from $100 to $200; specific use permits from $100 to $200; and temporary land use permits from $75 to $150.

The annual public swimming pool permit fee was increased from $50 to $75.

Taxi/chauffeur permits went from $2 to $15. This last date this fee was changed was in 1959, officials said.

The City Council deferred a vote on an ordinance to increase various permits for food establishments, health and general sanitation. The deferral was prompted by council members Claudia Egan and Juluis Brooks.

■ The council approved an ordinance on first reading for a zone change from planned district for a transition and office district to a planned district for a shopping center on a 3.89-acre tract generally located on the southwest corner of Loop 250 and Midland Drive. There was no opposition to the request.

■ The council passed a resolution giving the go-ahead for negotiations to acquire property to allow the construction of a right turn lane on the northwest corner of Cuthbert Avenue and Lamesa Road.

■ The council authorized the purchase of two utility easements and negotiations for a third as part of the continuing construction of a main sewer line from the water pollution control plant in southeast Midland to Rankin Highway. The $7 million sewer line will, in a second phase, continue to the waste water facility near Midland International Airport.

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S. African tragedy brings out mother's feelings

CAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP) — The murder of Amy Biehl was a tragedy spanning an ocean, enfolding families on both sides. But the racial explosion it might have portended did not come to pass.

Evelyn Manqina, mother of one of three young black men convicted Tuesday of killing the white American student, wept as she remembered the beating and stabbing murder of Biehl next to a gas station 200 yards from her Guguletu house last August.

"I am very worried about Amy Biehl's mother and the family because they lost their child," Mrs. Manqina said. "I am sorry about what my child did to her child."

Her words touched Linda Biehl, thousands of miles away in Newport Beach, Calif.

"I certainly appreciate her beautiful thoughts and that is very important for bridging gaps," she told The Associated Press in a telephone interview Tuesday.

"This is a tragedy for both families. It is not just our tragedy. Amy of all people did understand the conditions that (black) children grew up under," Mrs. Biehl said.

Blacks were raised in poverty and bitterness under white minority governments. Many feared that racial violence would consume the country, but the first all-race election last April that brought Nelson Mandela to power was peaceful, and racial and political violence has subsided since the vote.

South Africans, eager to turn away from the brutal past symbolized by Biehl's death, seem to have heeded Mandela's counsel that their best hope for the future lies in reconciliation. Even the militant Pan Africanist Congress has urged a more conciliatory line from its supporters.

Defense lawyer Justice Poswa urged High Court Judge Gerald Friedman to be lenient with his clients, all of whom are members of the Pan Africanist youth wing. He said young blacks lashed out at whites because of their deprivation under apartheid, and that the defendants had been "swept up" in the political emotions of the time.

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Absent official stalls choice of Haiti's prime minister

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — For evidence of President Jean-Bertrand Aristide's troubles in reassembling a government in Haiti, look no further than the naming of his new prime minister.

The president of Haiti's lower house announced Tuesday that Aristide had designated wealthy businessman Smarck Michel as premier-in-waiting. Frantz Robert Monde showed the Chamber of Deputies a letter from the newly returned president, and said Aristide was expected to convene the body within 48 hours to ratify Michel.

But the Constitution requires that Aristide consult with the heads of both houses before officially announcing his choice as prime minister. Monde said he met with Aristide on Monday; Senate President Firmin Jean-Louis has been nowhere to be found.

Sources told The Associated Press that Jean-Louis left for the northeast region Friday to campaign, and was expected to return to the capital Tuesday.

The fact that the absence of one prominent senator could bring the process of restoring democracy to a standstill illustrates the challenges Aristide faces in trying to form a functioning government from the ashes of three years of brutal military rule.

"Things are going in the right direction," said human rights activist Jean-Claude Bajeux, co-leader of the socialist Congress of Democratic Movements. "But they are going much too slowly."

The choice of Michel, a longtime supporter, as prime minister has been a delicate one for Aristide, criticized during his seven months as president in 1991 for appointing close associates with little experience without consulting political leaders.

PLO self-rule talks progress, both sides say

CAIRO, Egypt (AP) — PLO and Israeli negotiators ended two days of talks Tuesday on widening Palestinian self-rule in the Gaza Strip and West Bank, with both sides saying the talks went well.

Saeb Erekat, the chief PLO negotiator, said his team presented a paper outlining its view of the make-up and powers of the council to rule Palestinian areas. He expressed hope Israel would go along with the Palestinian view.

Israeli spokeswomen Hannie Jeshurun said her delegation was "very happy" with the Palestinian plan, but noted further study would be needed before Israel could formally present its views.

"The talks were in a very good atmosphere, there may be a progress .... progress takes a while," Ms. Jeshurun told reporters.

Neither side made public what was in the Palestinian plan. So far, the two sides have disagreed on the size and powers of the council.

The PLO wants a 100-man body akin to a parliament, which would appoint a Cabinet. Israel envisions a council of about 30 members with both executive and legislative powers.

Erekat, a West Bank philosophy professor and a minister in the temporary Palestinian Authority, said the Palestinian plan outlined "the nature, the concept and the structure of the council and the relationship between the executive and the legislative authorities."

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Judicial positions drawing attention

Texas voters will be electing a number of important members of the state judicial system when they cast ballots in the Nov. 8 General Election. Included among those officials will be the state Attorney General, three slots on the Supreme Court and two slots on the Court of Criminal Appeals.

Re-elect Morales

After taking office as Attorney General in 1990, **Dan Morales** underwent a period of adjustment during which he made a number of mistakes. Several of the people he chose for his staff were not well suited for government positions and obviously advised Morales incorrectly. He also indicated by his actions that he wasn't certain how to proceed on the question of changing the method of electing state district judges from entire counties or single-member districts. In another matter, Morales was properly criticized for moving too slowly to get Texas courts removed from federal jurisdiction in the Ruiz prison lawsuit settlement.

Regardless, we believe Morales shows promise and should get another term as Attorney General. Another of our reasons for endorsing Morales is the fact that his Republican opponent, Houston district court judge Don Wittig, has apparently not attracted a strong following of supporters. That concerns us.

Due to that fact, we encourage voters to give Morales another chance as Attorney General.

Elect 3 to high court

SUPREME COURT: Three positions on the Supreme Court are up for election, Places 1 and 2 held by Justice Raul Gonzalez and Nathan Hecht, respectively, and Place 3 in which Jimmy Carroll and Priscilla Owen are vying for the seat being vacated by Justice Lloyd Doggett.

Places 1 and 2: There is no question that both **Raul Gonzalez,** appointed to the Supreme Court by Gov. Mark White in 1984, and **Nathan L. Hecht,** elected in 1988, should be re-elected by voters. Gonzalez is a moderating influence between liberal voices and conservatives on the court and, in fact, was the one certainty when the court was suffering from charges in the 1980's that justice was for sale in Texas. Hecht, long recognized for his personal integrity and fairness, routinely gets the highest ratings in the legal system. He also has been a tireless voice calling for judicial reform and is heading a special court committee seeking ways to reduce frivolous lawsuits and move suits through the courts more efficiently.

Place 3: In the Place 3 race, **Priscilla Owen,** a Houston attorney with the law firm of Andrews & Kurth L.L.P., scored significantly higher in the Dallas Bar Poll than her opponent and is being supported by a wide range of organizations including the Texas Chamber of Commerce, Texas Civil Justice League PAC, Texas Association of Business PAC, Texas Farm Bureau, Texas Society of Engineers PAC and many others. Owen is highly regarded by others in the legal profession and should be a good addition to the Supreme Court.

COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS: Two places are open on the Court of Criminal Appeals — Place 1 now occupied by Judge Charles F. Campbell and Place 2 being vacated by Judge Chuck Miller.

Place 1: Charles F. Campbell, a 12-year veteran of the court, gets good marks from lawyers and judges who have watched his work over the years. On the other hand, Stephen W. Mansfield, the Houston attorney, seeking to oust Campbell is a newcomer with good ideas, but limited legal experience. Voters would be well advised to cast their ballots for Campbell in this race.

Place 2: Both the Democratic and Republican nominees in this race, **Betty Marshall** and Sharon Keller, respectively, are qualified and promising candidates. Voters would not go wrong by putting either into this position.

Marshall, however, gets slightly better comments from the law community and may have a slight edge in legal experience. We urge voters to cast their ballots for Marshall, and encourage Keller to offer herself as a candidate again because she is electable.

Thursday: Railroad Commission, General Land Office, Agriculture Commissioner.

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Wednesday, Oct. 26, the 299th day of 1994. There are 66 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On Oct. 26, 1881, the Gunfight at the OK Corral took place in Tombstone, Ariz., as Wyatt Earp, his two brothers and "Doc" Holliday shot it out with Ike Clanton's gang. Three members of Clanton's gang were killed; Earp's brothers were wounded.

On this date:

In 1774, the First Continental Congress adjourned in Philadelphia.

JACK ANDERSON

U.N. sanctions can't curb Saddam's will

WASHINGTON — When the Iraqi Republican Guard juggernaut was on its way to the border with Kuwait recently, one White House official was moved to ask no one in particular, "Where the hell did they get all that armament? I thought we took it away from Saddam!"



Anderson

This top official, who advises President Clinton on domestic issues, was voicing the question that many Americans were asking during the latest round of brinksmanship with Iraq.

The fact is that the military and economic sanctions imposed by the United Nations after the Gulf War were only intended to curtail Iraq's ability to build weapons of mass destruction. The loopholes in the U.N. resolutions have been large enough for Saddam Hussein to drive an army of tanks through.

U.N. negotiators presumed that the economic sanctions — including a stiff restriction on the sale of Iraqi oil — would prevent Saddam from rebuilding his tattered armed forces. Unfortunately, this has not been the case.

* The latest intelligence reports to reach President Clinton's desk indicate that Saddam — partly through embargo-evading sales of oil — has managed to rebuild as much as 85 percent of the military manufacturing capability it had before Operation Desert Storm.

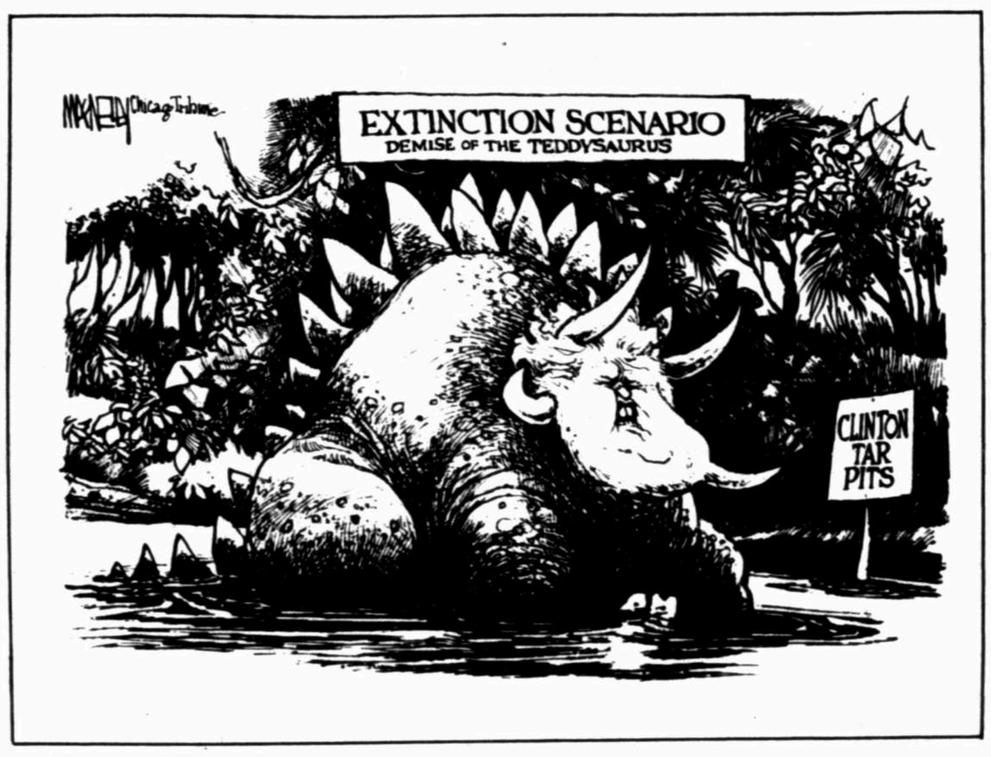
Iraq has been making T-72 tanks while the embargo has been on, as well as artillery munitions and even short-range ballistic missiles. It is currently operating more than three dozen major weapons plants, according to the intelligence reports. At the same time, Iraq has repaired and returned to service most of the 2,500 main battle tanks and 250 fixed-wing aircraft that survived Desert Storm.

American officials have long been aware of Saddam's ability to rebuild. During the Gulf War, then-National Security Adviser Brent Scowcroft once shook his head in disbelief as he was briefing a group of Jewish leaders in Washington near the end of the war. "We'd knock out a command and control facility, and the next day we'd find that another one had taken its place," Scowcroft said. "We'd hit that one, and he'd have yet another backup. Or we'd hit an ammunition bunker, or a fixed military facility, and fly back the next day only to discover it was still operational. The incredible expense and planning he put into building up his military capability is awesome."

Once the guns fell silent from Operation Desert Storm it became clear that the allies had put a severe check on Saddam's ambitions, but they had not blocked them altogether. Many more tanks, aircraft and chemical weapons survived the onslaught than was first believed. Key Republican Guard units stayed in Baghdad to protect the regime and allow it to fight another day. When Saddam wheeled around and ruthlessly suppressed Kurdish and Shiite rebellions in northern and southern Iraq, he had more than enough weaponry to do the job. This included hundreds of tons of deadly chemicals the allies claimed they had destroyed on the first day of the war.

One U.N. inspector who was sent to Iraq in 1991 tells the story of how Iraq rebuilt its electrical power base after the war. Arnold Hakkila, a scientist at Los Alamos National Laboratory, was told during briefings prior to arriving in Iraq that the allies had knocked out most of Iraq's electrical power and all of its bridges along the Tigris River during Desert Storm. "When I got there in October (1991), less than six months after Desert Storm, about 70 percent of the power was back, reinstated. And they were just finishing up rebuilding the last bridge. They were ready to open it."

Jack Anderson's and Michael Binstein's column is distributed by United Feature Syndicate.



WILLIAM SAFIRE

Clinton can make himself believe any deal is good

WASHINGTON — The problem with Bill Clinton's trip to Syria to seek an agreement about the Golan Heights is that he has persuaded himself that his cave-in last week to North Korea was "a very good deal indeed."



Safire

Examine that deal. Clinton's opening position was that untrustworthy North Korea must not be allowed to become a nuclear power; he soon trimmed that to say it must not possess nuclear bombs, and stoutly threatened sanctions if North Korea did not permit inspections of nuclear facilities at Yongbyon, where the CIA and KGB agree nuclear devices have been developed.

But as a result of Clinton's Very Good Deal Indeed, IAEA inspectors are denied entry to those plants for five years — when some excuse will be found for more secrecy.

Because Clinton backed down, North Korea's first two atomic explosives — which administration spinmeisters now dismiss as "low yield," but capable of obliterating everything within a three-quarter-mile radius — could menace Seoul and, in a few years, be deliverable in Tokyo.

That's enough of a mass-destruction threat to preclude a pre-emptive strike by us if North Korea, in the next U.S. president's administration, breaks its agreement to freeze additional bomb-making.

Well, let 'em have a couple, but see how they've promised to stop producing more plutonium: "the entire world will be safer," Clinton insists. In prepayment for that blackmail, the United States has agreed to supply the North with $100 million' worth of oil each year and arrange with allies to build — free — a $4 billion light-water reactor that apologists claim would make it terribly difficult to produce weapons-grade plutonium, though experts disagree.

But that substitute reactor won't be on-line for nine years. And the victorious North Korean negotiator, Kang Sok Ju, crows that "the complete elimination of the existing nuclear program will only come when we have the light-water reactor in our hands."

Meanwhile, the North's "existing nuclear program" goes on — including work in sites forbidden to IAEA inspectors.

These inspectors are seething at the U.S. cave-in and the precedent set for future blackmail.

Proliferation watchdog Gary Milhollin says: "We're about to rescue North Korea from its poverty, but they don't give up very much."

James Schlesinger, a former chairman of the AEC and later Jimmy Carter's energy secretary, has this judgment: "While it was not an unconditional surrender, it was a negotiated surrender."

Why pay North Korea billions while it retains a secret bomb capability for at least five years?

"What do you want," replies a Clintonite in a burst of candor, "a war?"

That explains it: Just as the credible threat of war by the United States forced out Haiti's junta and forced Saddam Hussein away from Kuwait, the threat of war by North Korea forced Bill Clinton to fold his hand.

But war was a false alternative: another choice was sustained diplomatic pressure, economic sanctions, with benefits to the North only after verified performance. That Reaganesque course was too hard for Clinton.

How does Clinton's willingness to pay dictatorships up front affect his coming visit to Hafez Assad in Syria?

We can hope it is not another advance concession. To visit a nation on our short list of terrorist states is to effectively remove it from that list.

Clinton's visit is an honor long sought by Assad, who spent 17 years undermining the Sadat-Begin initiative, who harbors Iran's Hezbollah in conquered Lebanon and who made Damascus the world capital of terrorism.

The reason for such substantial payment up front cannot be only to prop up political popularity, recalling Nixon's sad overseas tour after Watergate.

No astute dealmaker would throw away the valuable card of a presidential visit. Clinton should have an equally dramatic return concession in hand that would speed a territorial compromise on the Golan.

But that's where his recent, unbounded enthusiasm for the disappointing Korean negotiation is most worrisome. Clinton has just proved he can hypnotize himself into fervently believing that any deal at all — including one that puts his successor as president in a terrible box — is "a very good deal indeed."

William Safire's column is distributed by New York Times News Service.

ART BUCHWALD

Wrist-slapping is import ant position in CIA

I didn't know this until recently but the most influential position at the CIA, next to the director, is the Chief Wrist-Slapper. His job is to ensure that punishment is meted out impartially to CIA operatives who have screwed up and betrayed their country.



Buchwald

The agency prefers to keep his name a secret because every foreign intelligence service would love to know who he is. I was tipped off about his identity by a disgruntled public servant who had his wrist slapped by the CWS. He was punished for not identifying a mole who worked at the next desk, and who kept faxing top secret U.S. Army battle orders to Saddam Hussein.

I found the CWS (code name Deviled Ham) at a Popeye's restaurant a few blocks from the CIA headquarters.

At first he denied that he was Chief of the Wrist Slapping Department, but when I pointed to the scars on his fingers he admitted that it was indeed his job.

"What exactly do you do?" I asked.

"My duty is to severely punish those involved in intelligence snafus. Let's take the Aldrich Ames' case for example. Ames was a CIA executive and a paid double agent who worked for the Soviets. He lived high on the hog with his ill-gotten gains and had a life-style that would put Donald Trump's to shame. Many top people in the CIA noticed all this and didn't do a damn thing about it. They even awarded Ames promotions, put him in key positions abroad thereby allowing him to blow the identities of at least 50 secret agents who were working undercover for the United States.

"When all this came to light the CIA hierarchy was shocked, and when Ames was arrested the top people said, "This is a job for the Chief Wrist-Slapper." They called me in and gave me a list of those who had permitted Ames to go into space like a loose cannon.

"I took the list and went from office to office demanding that the suspects stick out their wrists so I could slap them. Some obeyed but others who wanted to keep their pensions stuck their hands in their pockets."

I said, "The CIA really plays hardball."

"We prefer to punish our own rather than let outsiders do it. That's why we gave our men promotions and awards. We don't want to have a morale problem on our hands."

I asked the Chief Wrist-Slapper if there were any more Ames' superiors he planned to slap over the Ames' case.

"Not if I can help it. Contrary to public opinion most CIA big shots can't withstand torture."

Art Buchwald's column is distributed by the Los Angeles Times Syndicate.

'Safe' incumbents are under attack, experts say

By David Espo
Associated Press

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Richard Bryan, a Democrat in no apparent re-election trouble in Nevada, airs a commercial tagging his rival as a "special interest lobbyist in Washington D.C."

Democratic Sen. Bob Kerrey, in a relatively easy race for re-election, shows an advertisement accusing his Nebraska challenger of sitting on a corporate board that "moved American jobs to Mexico."

And Sen. Paul Sarbanes, who seems comfortably ahead in his Maryland re-election campaign, has an ad saying his Republican opponent, as a lawmaker from Tennessee, "voted against the start of Medicare, the Voting Rights Act and the minimum wage."

Even some Democratic senators in relatively good shape are attacking their rivals in television commercials this fall.

'This is a year when voters are quick to believe the worst about politicians.'

— Geoff Garin, advisor to Sen. Richard Bryan, D-Nev.

"This is a year when voters are quick to believe the worst about politicians," says Geoff Garin, advising Bryan's re-election effort. "Incumbents and even the best-off incumbents can't afford to play these campaigns on defense."

"You have to make sure that your opponent doesn't spring to life," added Mark Mellman, an adviser to several Democratic candidates. "In general in a climate where people are hostile to incumbents and hostile to Democrats, any incumbent wants to make sure the race is not a referendum on him or her but a choice between him or her on the one hand and an opponent who has a lot of defects on the other hand."

In Bryan's case, polls suggest he holds a lead of 20 percentage points or more over Hal Furman. He had been airing commercials that depicted him as an independent-minded senator working to fight crime and cut government waste.

After Furman began attacking him, Bryan aired an ad saying records show Furman "is a special interest lobbyist in Washington D.C. In fact, Furman was a registered foreign lobbyist for all these foreign interests," the announcer says, as the screen shows a list: Kingdom of Thailand; Government of the Yemen Arab Republic; Korean Foreign Traders Association, Embassy of Bolivia and others.

Next comes a picture of the Washington phone book, with a blowup of Furman's address and phone number superimposed on top of it.

"Hal Furman, special interest lobbyist for hire," concludes the announcer.

In Maryland, Republican Bill Brock attacked incumbent Sarbanes on the issues of taxes and spending.

Sarbanes responded with a harsh assessment of Brock's former career as a member of Congress from Tennessee.

The ad accused Brock of attacking Sarbanes "to hide his own record.

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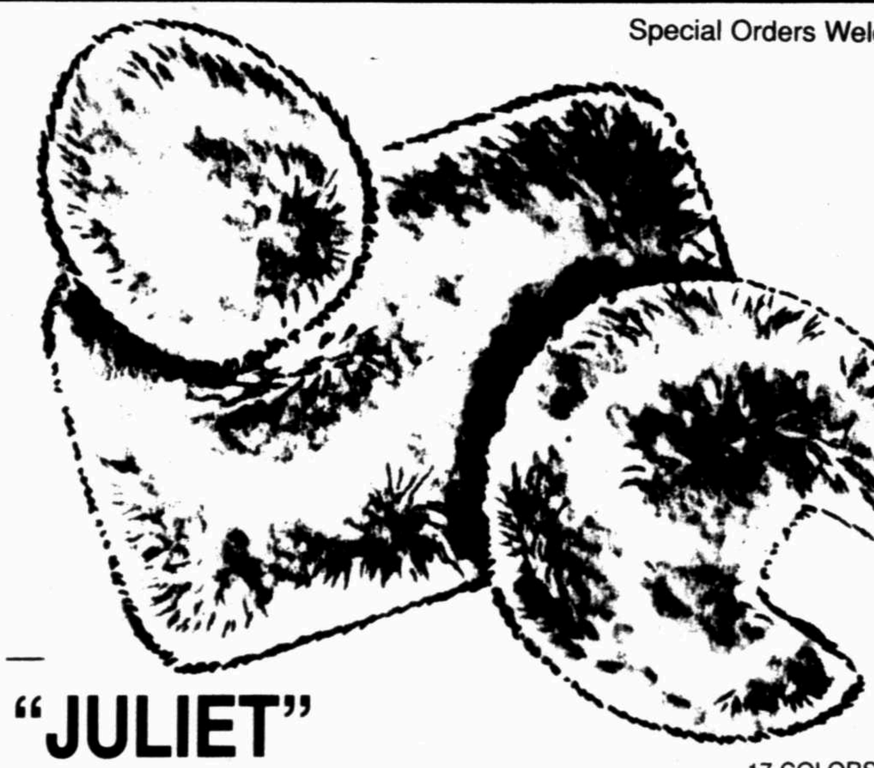
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Judge blocks departure of Guantanamo Cubans

MIAMI (AP) — A federal judge Tuesday blocked the United States from returning Cuban refugees to their homeland, intervening just one minute before a military plane with 23 of them was to leave for Havana.

An immigration official raced to a pay phone to stop the flight from the U.S. naval base at Guantanamo Bay after U.S. District Judge C. Clyde Atkins issued his order, pending a hearing Wednesday.

The order was sought by attorneys who filed a lawsuit Monday to win freedom for the more than 30,000 Cuban refugees held at Guantanamo Bay and in Panama.

President Clinton has refused to let the refugees into the United States, saying they must return to Fidel Castro's Cuba and apply for immigration through routine channels.

Attorneys for the refugees argued that the Cubans are being forced to return to Cuba by inhumane conditions in the U.S. camps.

Atkins agreed to halt all such departures while he hears lawyers' arguments.

"This is the last resort," said former Miami Mayor Xavier Suarez, one of the attorneys who filed the lawsuit. "All political solutions are not working. It's time for a legal solution."

Reynaldo Bello, a refugee at Guantanamo, said in a telephone interview that he would rather die than return to Cuba. He said most refugees at the U.S. base feel the same way.

"We are here not to go back," Bello said. "We want to be reunited with our families. What would we do in Cuba now? How would they guarantee us that if we return to Havana nothing would happen to us? ... You know how Fidel is."

The lawsuit seeks immigration hearings for the refugees, the release of minors and medical treatment for 250 pregnant women.

Military officials said 23,699 Cubans are at Guantanamo and 8,206 in Panama. So far, 42 Cubans have been returned voluntarily to their homeland, the officials said.

"They make them so miserable they want to leave," said Mark Jimenez, one of the attorneys suing. "That is not voluntary repatriation as far as international law and basic human rights principles go."

Justice Department spokesman Carl Stern denied the allegations.

"All these returns are voluntary," he said. "These are people who have been extensively screened to determine they want to urgently return to Cuba."

Thousands of Cubans fled their homeland in August and September on makeshift rafts and leaky boats, seeking freedom in the United States.

Study reveals link between abortion, breast cancer

SEATTLE — Abortion can increase a woman's risk of breast cancer, says a major new study conducted by Seattle researchers for the National Cancer Institute.

"There is a portion of breast cancer that is associated with abortion," said Dr. Janet Daling, an epidemiologist with the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center and the University of Washington's School of Public Health.

Daling's seven-year study of 1,800 Seattle area women under age 45 found that on average an induced abortion increased the risk of breast cancer by 50 percent. But for women under 18, the risk was increased by 150 percent and for women over 30 years old, 110 percent.

The risk also was higher for later-stage abortions, especially in younger women.

Births to teen mothers drop; first drop since '86, data says

The rate of births to girls 15 to 17 years of age declined 2 percent in 1992 — the first decline since 1986, according to data made public Tuesday by the National Center for Health Statistics.

Population experts said the decline, while slight, marked an important turning point from the 27 percent increase in births to young teen-age mothers that occurred from 1986 to 1991.

"It points to some encouraging news," said Susan Tew, a spokeswoman for the Alan Guttmacher Institute, a nonprofit group concerned with reproduction.

"We know that the abortion rates among 15- to 17-year-olds are lower, and the new findings show the birth rates are lower, too," she said. "We know from other survey data that young teen-agers are actually a little more likely to be sexually active than in former years, so the lower birth and abortion rates are probably due to increased use of condoms and other contraceptives."

In 1992, 187,549 babies were born to girls 15 to 17, down from 188,226 births among girls in that age group in 1991. And while birth rates for older teens increased slightly in 1992, the rate of increase was slower than in the previous five years.

Overall, births in the United States declined for the second consecutive year in 1992 to 4,065,014. In 1990, there were 4,158,212 births, the most since 1962.

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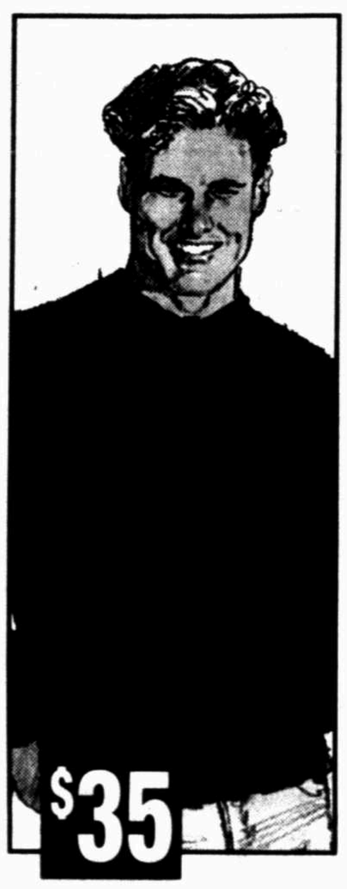
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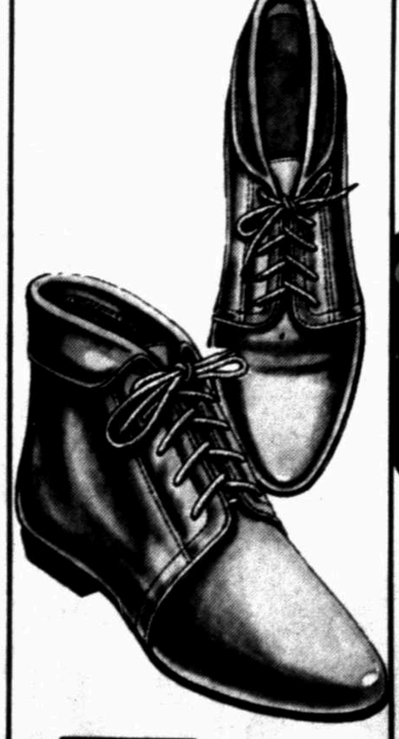

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City's jobless rate jumps

■ Unemployment in Midland rose to 5.7 percent in September, held steady in Odessa-Midland metropolitan statistical area.

By Mella McEwen
Staff Writer

Unemployment in the Texas Employment Commission's Odessa-Midland metropolitan statistical area held steady in September, according to figures released Tuesday by the TEC.

The unemployment rate held at 7.1 percent, the same rate as August and the same as September 1993.

In the city of Midland, however, the jobless rate rose to 5.7 percent from 5.3 percent in August. It was 5.2 percent in September last year.

Jackie Moseley, office manager of the TEC's Midland office, attributed Midland's increase to oil company layoffs.

"The rate would have gone down, but we'd been hearing about oil company layoffs all summer, and they finally ran out of severance pay, filed claims and have officially entered the ranks of the unemployed. We'd been expecting this, and it finally arrived," she said.

She stressed, however, that "The small increase in the city is nothing to be concerned about. We knew it was coming and it should correct itself statistically with holiday hiring. And we remain optimistic about new business and new job creation in Midland."

Midland's civilian labor force slumped to 48,611 from 48,861 in August and is below the year-ago tally of 48,968.

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WEDNESDAY DAY WATCH

Music festival

A music festival is set for 7:30 p.m. Saturday at Ector County Coliseum, Barn B, to benefit the Permian Basin AIDS Coalition. Advance tickets for the event, which will feature Texas-based bands, including Midland's Minstral Gravy, may be purchased at Hastings or Endless Horizons in Midland and Odessa. The cost is $5 per person. In addition to Ministral Gravy, other bands participating include Pumpjack, Headstrong and Ampheria. "Gravy is taking a journey back to its roots to help its hometown area in fighting this deadly disease," said Tracy "T-Bone" Neil, a member of the group that features Texas-style rock and alternative music.

Crack trial

A federal jury will hear closing remarks today in the "crack" trial of Robert James Morris. Morris was indicted on charges of possessing with the intent to deliver cocaine base, also known as crack, on May 7. His trial began Tuesday in U.S. District Court in Midland with El Paso federal Judge Loyal Ferguson presiding. U.S. prosecutors filed a notice of enhanced penalty that would, upon conviction, ask for a stiffer sentence for the crime because the amount of crack exceeded five grams.

Opportunities

The Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce is joining forces with the State of Chihuahua, Mexico, to promote business opportunities for people on both sides of the border through encouraging businesses to participate in the Paso del Norte 13th International Trade Show and First Maquila Inputs/Business Expo in Cuidad Juarez, Chihuahua, on Nov. 8, 9 and 10. The trade show will bring manufacturing companies and their executives from six Mexico border states: Baja, California, Chihuahua, Coahuila, Nuevo Leon, Sonora and Tamaulipas to conduct business with U.S. companies participating at the show. For information on how to participate in the trade show call Fernando De La Rosa at 682-2960.

TODAY'S AGENDA

Listings for meetings of Alcoholics Anonymous, Alanon, Palmer Drug Abuse Program, Codependents Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous and Adult Children of Alcoholics can now be heard on CITYLINE. Call 560-2400 and enter category 1860 for complete information.

Survivors of Incest Anonymous, 7 p.m., 406 S. "G" St., 561-9731.

Permian Basin Small Business Association, 7 a.m., 405 N. Marienfeld, 3rd Floor Conference Room.

Gamblers Anonymous, 4601 Neely Ave., Room 6, 7:30 p.m., 24-hour hotline 567-7916.

Midland Articulators Chapter of International Training in Communication (ITC), 4400 N. Big Spring St. 689-7875 or 682-8820

Tall City Toastmasters Club, 11:30 a.m., Permian Basin Graduate Center, 688-3193 (Bob Clohessey).

Singles Group, First United Methodist Church, 6:30-8 p.m., parlor.

Uptown Chapter of the Business & Professional Women luncheon meeting, The Petroleum Club 683-3000.

Midland Rape Crisis support for incest survivors, 11:30 a.m., call 682-7273 for confidential location.

ARCO Articulators, 11:30 a.m., ARCO Building, 688-5760.

Company D, 403rd MP BN, Company D, Texas State Guard 7:30 p.m. Texas National Guard Armory.

Overeaters Anonymous, noon, 408 South G. St. Information 570-8612

Midland Downtown Lions Club noon, Midland Center.

MCC Womens Golf Association 9 a.m.

Westside Optimist, noon, Granada Club.

Midland County Advisory Committee on Aging, 10 a.m., County Commissioners' Courtroom.

UTPB Alumni Writers' Forum, 7:30 p.m., 8719 Pica St., Odessa.

NARFE, PB Chapter 1281, 2 p.m., 3303 Illinois Ave., 699-5023.

American Business Club, noon, Holiday Inn West.

Midland Genealogical Society Volunteers available 1-4 p.m. afternoons, Midland Public Library, to help beginning genealogists.



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Coleman High School student Kelly Mueller helps classmate Larissa Sellars during an exercise in which students had to walk from lunch tray to lunch tray.

Working together

Daylong event builds students' self-esteem

By Katherine Poteet
Staff Writer

"I never saw teachers act that way before."

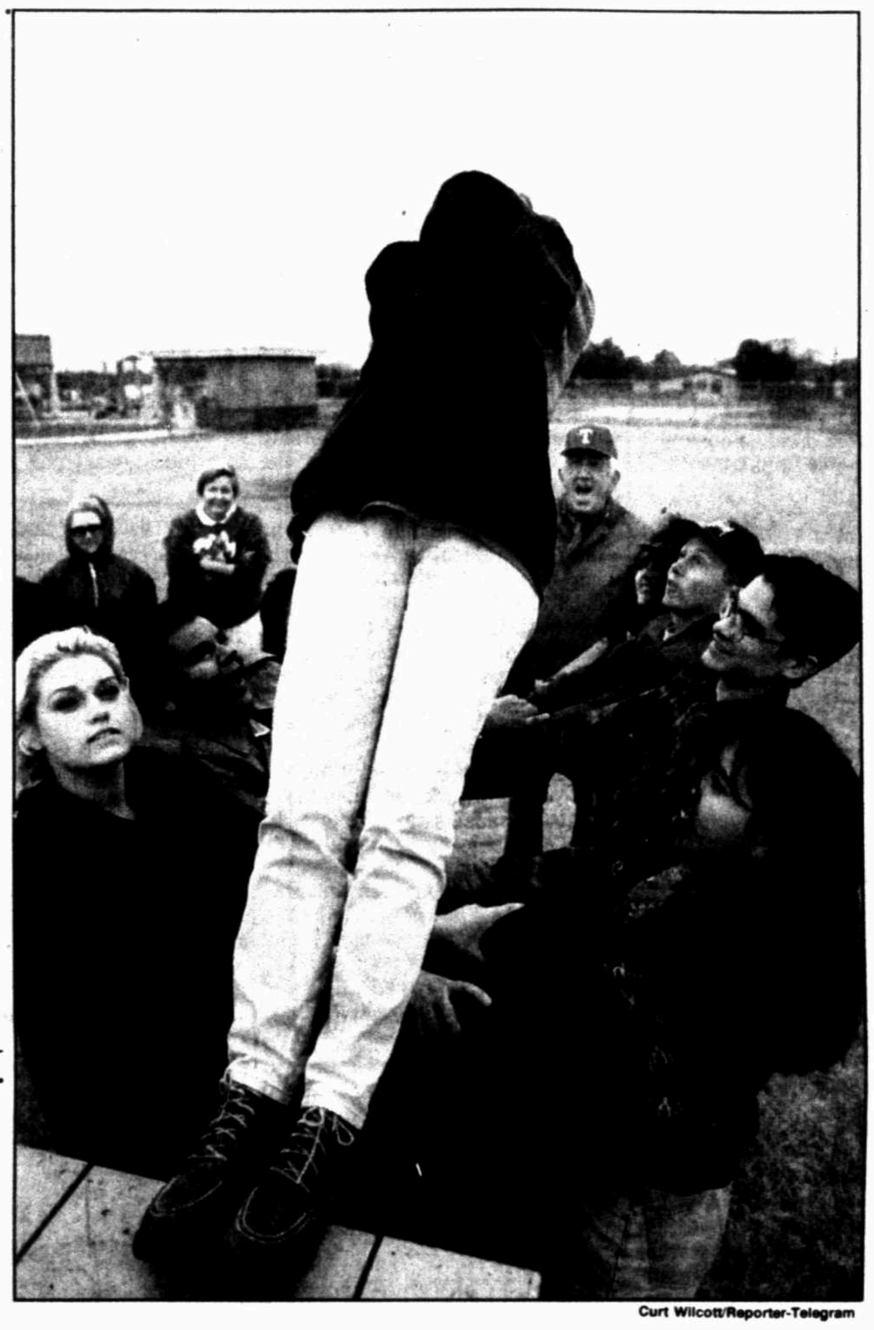
"I didn't think I could do things like that."

"I didn't think I could work well with people I didn't know."

That's how students at Coleman High School described a day-long program Tuesday designed to build self-esteem and relationships with others.

Students and teachers who spent all day weaving through spider webs

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Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Coleman High School student Larissa Sellars falls back in the arms of classmates during a Creative Leadership program activity Tuesday. The program is designed to help students work together as a team.

6 teen-agers face murder charges in woman's death

By Katherine Poteet
Staff Writer

ODESSA — Six Odessa teen-agers were still in custody Tuesday facing murder charges in connection with the death of an Odessa woman, whose body was found last Wednesday.

Capt. Eldon Blount said Ector County Sheriff's deputies were called to Red Green Enterprises, 6090 W. University Blvd., at about 7:57 a.m. last Wednesday in reference to a suspicious death. Officials found the body of 60-year-old Rachele Juanita Green at her garage apartment above the business, which she owned.

Blount said the body was sent to Lubbock for an autopsy and the results stated that she died of a gunshot wound to the head.

Officials then found Ms. Green's purse behind Quail Run Apartments, 5335 N. Grandview Ave., on Thursday.

Blount said through an investigation, officials learned several tenants at Quail Run Apartments had been evicted.

"Through investigation, we found out who they were," Blount said. "We questioned them and one thing led to another and there were some confessions about who shot Ms. Green. But, that's as much as I can say because the case is still under investigation."

He said five teen-agers were located at 2819 E. 11 St. and were brought in for questioning late Saturday. After questioning, Brandy Middaugh, 18, Dale Lee Streckfuss, 17, and a 15-year-old female — who had been living with Ms. Green — were arrested and charged with murder. Bond was set at $250,000 each.

Lincoln Keith and Jason Trent, both 18, were arrested later Sunday and also charged with murder. Bond was set at $250,000 for both teen-agers.

Blount said 19-year-old Joshua John

Please see **CUSTODY**/2B

German professors visit Midland to study multiculturalism

By Gary Shanks
Staff Writer

Two German professors were in Midland from Sunday to today studying multi-culturalism in Texas, gathering information that may be applicable to Germany's changing cultural climate.

Since the reunification of Germany, tides of people have been immigrating into that country, creating pockets of greatly diverse peoples in what once was almost a homogeneous culture, explained Friedrich Heckmann, professor of sociology at Bamberg University.

Since Texas has had diverse cultures living together for some time, these professors can study Midland and subsequently anticipate issues that may arise over the next five to 10 years in Germany, said Wolfgang Bosswick, also a professor of social science at Bamberg University.

"Texas is a kind of laboratory where we can study (interactions between differing cultures)," Bosswick said.

About 200,000 people are immigrating to Germany each year and have been since the reunification, Bosswick said.

Many of these are ethnic Germans from eastern European countries; some are seeking political asylum or are family members of those granted political asylum; others are migratory laborers from various countries, Heckmann said.

Even though Germans maintain a negative-growth

Please see **VISIT**/2B



Midland Mayor Bobby Burns presents James and Robbyne Fuller with a proclamation supporting the recognition of the role of African-Americans in American history.

Brian Adamcik
Reporter-Telegram

Mayor recognizes black heritage in nation's west with proclamation

By Michael Kashgarian
Staff Writer

Contributions made by African-Americans in the settlement of the nation's west were recognized Tuesday in a proclamation presented by Mayor Bobby Burns to Midland Black Chamber of Entrepreneurs' representatives James and Robbyne Fuller.

The chamber is part of a national network to publicize the "Coming Home to America's Roots" campaign to promote America's forgotten black heritage in the old West.

The campaign is led by the New York-based public relations firm Periscope Associates. "It was formed specifically to develop a national program that would promote the contributions of black American soldiers . . . who helped settle the west," Fuller said.

Please see **CHAMBER**/2B

Cool, cloudy weather hampers oil, flood cleanup along Houston river

HOUSTON (AP) — Cooler weather Tuesday hampered oil-spill cleanup efforts in the San Jacinto River, and the Coast Guard said it would probably take most of the week to finish the job.

Sunshine had helped oil evaporate into the atmosphere, but that process slowed under cloudy skies Tuesday. Some hard-to-reach shorelines also were taking longer to clean, Coast Guard Capt. Richard Ford said.

Ford previously had expected the cleanup to be done today, but he amended that prediction to Friday or Saturday.

About 600,000 gallons of petroleum products spilled last week after four pipelines in the rain-swollen river ruptured, causing a massive inferno. The fires had dwindled to a controlled burn that continued Tuesday.

Colonial Pipeline Co. said it lost 400,000 gallons of gasoline and diesel fuel, most of which either had evaporated or burned off in the fires.

Ford said about 200,000 gallons of light crude oil leaked into the river. A fleet of skimmers picked up more than 252,000 gallons of an oil-water mixture by Tuesday. Roughly half of that was oil, Ford said.

The pipeline breaks possibly were caused by heavy debris carried by the river, which was swollen by floodwaters that inundated Southeast Texas last week.

Also on Tuesday, state officials began the mammoth task of assessing the overall damage caused by the flooding by talking to officials in the stricken areas.

Please see **FLOOD**/4B



Art exhibits

Dayna Lyons and Jacob Clifton examine artistic exhibits made by Lee students for a recent gathering held to honor Foreign Exchange Students.

Brian Adamcik
Reporter-Telegram

DEATHS

H.M. Shirley

Services for H.M. "Whitey" Shirley, 73, of McCamey were Tuesday, 10 a.m. at Resthaven Cemetery in McCamey with James Tunnels officiating. Burial was under the direction of Richard W. Box Funeral Home.

He died Sunday in a Midland hospital. He was born July 3, 1921, in Attwood, Okla. He worked as a self-employed pipeline constructor and served in the U.S. Navy. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

He is survived by his wife, Geraldine Shirley of McCamey; two daughters, Vikki Bradley of McCamey and Debra Knightstep of Salt Lake City, Utah; a son, Ronald Shirley of Papillion, Neb.; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Doris Costey

STANTON — Services for Doris Costey, 81, of Austin, and formerly of Stanton, will be held at 2 p.m. today at First United Methodist Church in Stanton with the Rev. Curtis Cadenhead officiating. Burial will follow at Evergreen Cemetery in Stanton with Gilbreath Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers will be C.T. Hancock, Gary Clark, Bill Coggin, Corky Blocker, Spencer Blocker and Pete Hogue.

Mrs. Costey died Sunday in an Austin hospital following a brief illness.

She was born Dec. 15, 1912, in Madisonville. She had lived in Stanton for 31 years before moving to Austin in January of this year. She was a homemaker.

She married J.R. "Bob" Costey on Feb. 4, 1937, in New Mexico. He preceded her in death on Jan. 10 of this year.

Survivors include two sons, Robbie Costey of Austin and Bobby Spacek of Corpus Christi; one daughter, Dorris Rosary Clark of Boerne; two brothers, Leman Henson of Big Spring and Dwain Henson of Stanton; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Nick Manitzas

SAN ANGELO — A Trisagion evening service for Nick F. Manitzas, 92, of San Angelo, who had resided in Corpus Christi for the past eight years, will be held at 7:30 p.m. Friday at the Robert Massie Riverside Chapel in San Angelo. Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Fairmount Cemetery with the Rev. James Hademenos, pastor of the Greek Orthodox Church, officiating.

Manitzas died Monday in a Corpus Christi nursing home.

He was born in the village of Peramos in the province of Kizikou near Ismir at the base of the Sea of Marmara in what was Asia Minor. In 1919, his family emigrated to America when he was 17 years old. In 1928, he returned to Nea Ionia, Athens, Greece, and returned with his bride, Sofia, and they settled in San Angelo.

He was a restaurant owner.

He was a lifetime member of the Knights of Phythias. He was active in the March of Dimes and West Texas Boys Ranch.

He was preceded in death by his wife.

Survivors include two daughters, Marie Crumly of Corpus Christi and Mary N. Manitzas of San Angelo; three sons, Frank N. Manitzas of Coral Gables, Fla., George N. Manitzas of Freeport, N.Y., and Jimmy N. Manitzas of Little Rock, Ark.; and one brother, Steve F. Manitzas of San Angelo.

The family requests memorials be directed to a favorite charity.

Rosa Myers

CLEBURNE — Services for Rosa Lou Myers, 84, mother of a Midland woman, were held Tuesday in Cleburne.

Pallbearers were Curtis Curlee, Charles King, Mike Myers, Monty Rosser, Randy Myers and Kevin Timmons.

Mrs. Myers died Sunday.

She was born Feb. 2, 1910, in Sand Flat.

She was married to C.D. Myers. He preceded her in death in January of 1969.

Mrs. Myers was a member North Cleburne Baptist Church and the church's Sunshine Club.

Survivors include three daughters, Jimmie King of Midland, Gearldene Rosser of Cleburne and Gearlene Timmons of Burleson; two sons, Charles Myers of Fort Worth and H.W. Myers of Granbury; 16 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren.

Benjamin Puentes

BIG SPRING — Services for Benjamin B. Puentes, 34, of Big Spring will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church in Big Spring with the Rev. Chris Coleman officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Olive Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle and Welch Funeral Home.

Rosary will be recited at 7 p.m. today at Rosewood Chapel.

Puentes died Monday at a San Angelo hospital.

He was born Nov. 13, 1959, in Mathis. He attended school in Seminole and moved to Big Spring in 1979. He married Maria Rivera on Feb. 8, 1994, in Austin. He moved to Austin in 1990 and returned to Big Spring in 1993. He was a self-employed mechanic.

Survivors include his wife, Maria Puentes of Menard; three sons, Francisco Puentes of Hobbs, N.M., Benjamin Joseph Puentes of Bastrop and Juan Pablo Puentes of Big Spring; two daughters, Andrea Puentes and Elizabeth Puentes, both of Hobbs, N.M.; two sister, Esmelda Rodriquez of Lubbock and Elva J. Gamboa of Big Spring; two brothers, Rodolfo Puentes of Big Spring and James Puentes of San Antonio; his parents, Juan and Lily Puentes of Big Spring; and his grandfather, Guadalupe Borjas of Beeville.

David Martin

Services for David Martin of Midland have been set for 11 a.m. today at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Steve Schorr of First Presbyterian Church officiating. Interment will be held at the Denver City Cemetery at 3 p.m. today. Ellis Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Honorary pallbearers will be Hospice Care Givers, Dr. David Snyder, Dr. Sheldon Viney and Dr. James Corwin.

Martin died Monday at his Midland residence.

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

POLICE REPORTS

Narcotics

ECTOR COUNTY — Two Fort Worth residents were taken into custody Tuesday by Permian Basin Drug Task Force officials after narcotics were found in their vehicle.

According to a report, officials stopped an 18-wheeler truck at about 2:40 p.m. for a traffic violation. A search of the vehicle turned up a gram of methamphetamine with an estimated value of $100.

Officials arrested Danny Wayne Hargrove, 33, and Tina Renee Vaughn, 29, and both were charged with possession of a controlled substance.

Monday

Burglary of a Residence: Rick Lowery reported a .22 rifle, five compact discs, a VCR and a television were taken from 3806 Fannin Ave., at 7:17 p.m. Entry was gained through the garage door.

Tuesday

Vandalism: Gayla Whitehouse reported damage done to a vehicle at 6203 Chickasaw St. at 8:52 a.m.

Burglary of a Vehicle: Dave Duncan reported a purse was taken from a vehicle at 1500 Douglas Ave. at 9:21 a.m. Entry was gained by cutting a hole in the convertible top.

Anyone having information concerning these incidents should contact the polcie department at 685-7108 or Crime Stoppers at 694-TIPS.

PROGRAM: Students work together on self-esteem

(From 1B)

made of rope, helping each other walk cable and building bridges with boards also pronounced the day "fun," "challenging," and worth doing again.

It was the second time this semester the high school has conducted the Creative Leadership program, which Bill Nance, the program's director, helped establish.

"I spent the last four years at the Texas Education Agency working with problem and pregnant kids," he said. "I got personally involved with a lot of these kids, some right here at Coleman High School. There was a crying need for a program like this. Most of these kids have low self-esteem and are lonely."

Through a series of activities relying on teamwork and mental reasoning, students are taught to trust each other and themselves in solving problems.

"We had a spider web that was made of rope in which they had to get from one side to other," he said. "However, they could not go through the same hole twice. They had to figure out how to get through the higher holes, picking up each other and putting them through."

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program director

The day's activities also included a rope maze that students had to maneuver through blindfolded with aid of their peers and building protective coverings for eggs that were later dropped.

"There was a little competition in seeing whose egg was best protected," Nance said. "We don't want there to be any competition, but a little came out. They really take it seriously."

Nance said the activities not only help the students relate to each other, but build better relationships with their teachers, who participate as part of each team.

"The teachers are on the same level with the kids," he said. "It really helps the student-teacher rapport. Suddenly, these teachers are real people."

Another program is scheduled for Coleman in April, said Principal Helen Lackey.

"We have had so much good feedback from this program," she said. "It was very successful the first time we did it, with just freshmen and sophomores, that we opened to everyone this time."

With only 20 spaces available each program, Ms. Lackey said it is first-come, first-serve to sign up and those who have already participated in the program cannot do it a second time.

"We want the students to encourage other students to do it without giving away what will happen," she said. "You can't place your trust totally in other people if you already know what the exercises will be."

Both Nance and Ms. Lackey agreed that the program helped the students develop a better self-esteem, which filters into their education.

"These kids have an 'I can do' attitude now," Ms. Lackey said.

"When you bring these kids together, you have broken a barrier, in themselves and with each other," Nance said. "They know they can accomplish something, which translates into being able to make it to graduation. And, that is our goal — to make productive individuals out of these students."

JOBS: Unemployment jumps slightly in Midland

(From 1B)

The labor force in the Midland-Odessa MSA was 117,500, down 900 from 118,600 in August and just below 117,700 a year ago. Ms. Moseley attributed the drop to people leaving the area or state seeking work, or to summer workers returning to school.

Of those in the Midland labor force, 45,850 were employed, down from 46,259 in August and from 45,909 in September 1993.

There were 1,000 fewer employed in the Midland-Odessa MSA, where total employment fell to 109,200 from 110,200 in August. In September a year ago, there were 109,400 employed.

There were more unemployed Midlanders in September, 2,761 as opposed to 2,602 in August. However, the number of unemployed Midlanders in September 1993 was 3,059.

On a positive note, unemployment in the Midland-Odessa MSA was down, to 8,300 from 8,400 in August. Unemployment was 8,300 a year ago.

Midland-Odessa ranked 17th among the TEC's 27 MSAs. The lowest unemployment rate was in Bryan-College Station, 3 percent, followed by Austin-San Marcos, 3.4 percent; Amarillo, 3.8 percent; Lubbock, 4 percent; and San Angelo, 4.4 percent. The highest rate was in McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, 16.1 percent.

The state unemployment rate fell to its lowest level since October 1990, 6 percent from 6.2 percent in August and down from 6.5 percent in September 1993.

"That's strong job growth," John Kruse, a labor market analyst with the TEC said Tuesday. "We're in a pretty strong recovery mode both nationally and statewide."

VISIT: German professors study Texas cities

(From 1B)

birthrate, the population of the country is expanding. Some of this growth is from illegal immigration, leading some Germans to call for stronger measures to control the influx.

Many of the ethnic Germans, from such countries as Kazakhstan, do not speak the language and have greatly differing cultures, Heckmann said. Since, however, all ethnic Germans are allowed into the country and offered citizenship, programs have been established to help in the transition to a Western culture.

The professors will be studying language issues, bilingual education, cultural assimilation between Anglo and Hispanic cultures, cultural differences and other facets of West Texas during their tour. They leave today for El Paso where they will study U.S. Border Patrol methods and effectiveness.

Part of the motivation for the study is finding a way to promote unity among people of widely differing cultures, Heckmann explained.

Germany is filled with pockets of people who identify themselves as Greeks, Italians, Turks and other nationalities. "Whereas here they would be perhaps hyphenated Americans — as you call it," Heckmann said.

How to foster ties and a common sense of nationality between these groups is a question the professors hope to find by studying Texas. "How do you develop a feeling of common identity?," Heckmann said.

"What does it mean to be an American with Hispanic background?" he said.

"What we are learning is a bit about the future for ourselves," Heckmann said.

Since their arrival in West Texas, Bosswick and Heckmann said they have been much impressed with the openness of area residents and the warmth of their reception.

On Tuesday, they were invited to a meeting with city council and chamber of commerce officials and were made honorary citizens of the city of Midland.

CUSTODY: 6 teens face murder charges

(From 1B)

Humphries — who reportedly was the boyfriend of the 15-year-old — was also arrested in connection with the murder. Humphries was taken into custody Monday and charged with murder. Bond was set at $250,000.

Blount said charges may be upgraded to capital murder pending further investigation.

CHAMBER: Mayor honors contributions

(From 1B)

Periscope Associates has promoted the Discovery Channel's making of the documentary "Buffalo Soldiers," which chronicles the "unsung black soldiers" of the 9th and 10th Cavalry, and the 24th and 25th Infantry regiments, who were stationed in the most isolated outposts of the western frontier following the Civil War. The show will air Nov. 18.

The local black chamber was responsible for the Discovery Channel filming part of the documentary in Texas, Fuller said.

"The Army gave them the worst living conditions and outdated equipment. Nevertheless, they excelled, with the lowest desertion rate, the least discipline problems and the highest rate of decorations. Between 1867 to 1898, the Buffalo Soldiers received 24 Congressional Medals of Honor, the nation's highest military award," it stated in a description from Periscope Associates.

Ms. Fuller said the development of the west by the Buffalo Soldiers and black cowboys has long been overlooked.

"It's not part of history books," she said.

Ms. Fuller said the documentary is just part of a larger effort to remember black heritage in Texas.

And on a local level, strides are being made to remember the past. That includes discussions on the possibility of developing the Lee Street area in southeast Midland to a "stockyard" themed setting to boost tourism and business, Ms. Fuller said.

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Spirit chains

Members of the seventh and eighth grade Honors American History classes at Abell Junior High pose by rings of paper they put together and called "spirit chains." Students paid 10 cents per ring and the money is being donated to the United Way of Midland.

Anti-drug group calls in Guard

TAYLOR (AP) — The Texas National Guard moved into Taylor on Tuesday to demolish crack houses at the request of a citizens' group organized to run drug dealers out of town.

The group Turn Around Taylor was formed to combat drug sales, drug use, gang activity and prostitution, which had become a fact of life for a part of Taylor called the Line, said Police Chief Fred Stansbury.

The buildings being knocked down are located in that area.

Turn Around Taylor officials said two structures were torn down Tuesday morning, with another dozen crack houses scheduled to be razed soon. Officials said about 100 vacant structures have been identified for possible future demolition.

The structures being torn down are buildings where police say crimes, most involving drugs, have been committed.

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Indian leaders refuse to quit casino battle

EL PASO (AP) — Tigua Indian leaders refused to concede defeat Tuesday in their battle to bring casino gambling to Texas, despite an appeals court ruling that swept away the tribe's most significant victory to date.

Tribal leaders were closeted with attorneys throughout the day, planning strategies to challenge a decision by the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals to strike down a lower court ruling favoring the Tiguas' casino bid.

"We are not giving up our fight. We will bring our casino to this reservation," said Tigua Gaming Commissioner Vince Munoz. "We may be a fallen warrior for the moment, but we are not through fighting."

Munoz said the case will either be appealed to the U.S. Supreme Court or be brought before the U.S. Department of the Interior for resolution.

The Tiguas have been engaged in a legal battle with the state since last year, when Texas officials first refused to negotiate a gambling compact the tribe needs to operate Class 3 games such as roulette and slot machines.

U.S. District Judge Lucius Bunton, ruling in a Tigua lawsuit, ordered Texas to strike a deal with the tribe after essentially agreeing with tribal arguments that the creation of a state lottery opened the door for casino gambling.

But Texas officials, contending state law does not allow casino gambling, appealed to the 5th Circuit Court.

A three-judge panel ruled unanimously Monday that the Tiguas, formally known as the Ysleta del Sur Pueblo, prohibited gaming on their reservation in exchange for federal recognition in the 1980s. The New Orleans-based appeals court ordered dismissal of the suit.

A spokeswoman for Gov. Ann Richards, who has opposed the Tiguas' casino plans, declined to comment Tuesday on the court's ruling. "We need to make a careful review of it," said governor's spokeswoman Leticia Vasquez.

In its ruling, the panel rebuffed the tribe's arguments that the 1988 Indian Gaming Regulatory Act, which allows tribes to operate casinos, supersedes the earlier restoration act that gave the Tiguas federal standing.

"We conclude not only that the Restoration Act survives today but also that it — and not IGRA — would govern the determination of whether gaming activities proposed by the Ysleta del Sur Pueblo are allowed under Texas law, which functions as surrogate federal law," the judges said in their ruling.

Munoz, expressing disappointment, disagreed. He cited a recent U.S. Supreme Court ruling in a similar case in Rhode Island.

In that case, the Supreme Court upheld a 1st Circuit Court ruling that the 1988 Indian gaming law supersedes a prior agreement between the Narragansett Indians and the state. The 1st Circuit ordered Rhode Island to negotiate a compact with that tribe.

"It's basically the same thing," said Munoz, expressing his hope the Supreme Court will resolve the seeming conflicts between the two decisions in favor of the tribe.

Meantime, Munoz said the tribe will continue its nascent gambling operations as planned.

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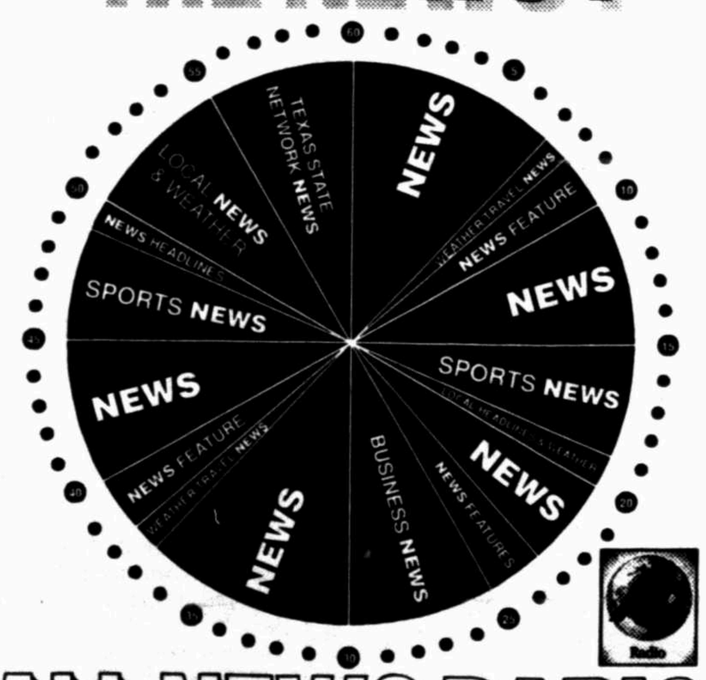
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FLOOD: Weather hampers river cleanup

(From 1B)

Moss, spokeswoman for the state's emergency management office, said authorities have not put a dollar figure to the damage yet because some areas are still flooded.

But the state's early estimates show that at least 2,600 homes and 200 businesses sustained some damage.

Those figures are expected to increase significantly since 17 of the 35 counties declared federal disaster areas have not provided any estimates and the reported tallies in some counties may rise once the floodwaters have completely receded, Ms. Moss said.

Montgomery County was one of the counties that had not yet provided any details to the state.

"I would say easily, we have 4,000 to 5,000 homes damaged," said Montgomery County Sheriff Guy Williams. "It's pretty bad. I feel so sorry for these people, some of them lost everything they had."

The flooding, spawned by several days of torrential rains, killed 19 people and forced an estimated 14,100 people from their homes.

Already, more than 11,000 people have applied for assistance from the Federal Emergency Management Agency, which has so far approved $275,000 in aid, FEMA spokesman Marty Bahamonde said Tuesday.

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Convicted killer skips bond hearing before sentencing

HARLINGEN (AP) — A convicted murderer on Tuesday skipped bond that was approved by a sheriff who is himself a convicted criminal awaiting sentencing on federal corruption charges.

Raul Guerrero Rosillo, 42, failed to appear in Edinburg for a sentencing hearing at which he faced five to 99 years in prison, his attorney said.

The jury sentenced him anyway to 30 years in prison and a $10,000 fine.

"I can't really tell you whether he skipped. He didn't show," said defense attorney Joe Esquivel, who added he didn't know his client's whereabouts.

"It's certainly disappointing to see a convicted murderer get away literally with murder," Edinburg Police Chief Quirino Munoz said. "Being so close to the border, it will be difficult to apprehend this individual now."

A day earlier, jurors had convicted the Edinburg man of murder in the shooting of Reynaldo Galvan Leal at a bar north of Edinburg on Oct. 26, 1993.

Rosillo was out on bond throughout the trial. Upon conviction, state District Judge Juan Partida ordered him held under a $100,000 bond.

Hidalgo County Sheriff Brig Marmolejo Jr. approved a signature bond that a Pharr woman put up Monday night, allowing Rosillo to be freed, Assistant District Attorney William McPherson said.

"I think it was a miscarriage of justice," McPherson said. "I've got witnesses that are scared to death now. They are afraid that this guy's going to do them in because they had to testify against him."

Rosillo is the third of four co-defendants in the case to skip court appearances, McPherson said.

Agustine Hernandez and Librado Hernandez are believed to have fled, possibly into Mexico, he said. The fourth defendant, Heriberto Lopez, has yet to go to trial.

"I wouldn't be surprised if he skipped, too," McPherson said.

The sheriff cited that the Pharr woman was a reputable person with assets worth twice the bond amount as his reasons for approving it, sheriff's department spokeswoman Mary Ann Martinez said.

Marmolejo has refused interviews since a federal jury in Laredo convicted him on July 27 of two counts of racketeering, two of bribery, three of money laundering, and one of interstate travel in aid of racketeering.

Prosecutors accused Marmolejo of taking $151,000 in bribes for allowing a drug trafficker to enjoy special privileges in jail, including the opportunity to have sex with his wife and girlfriend inside the sheriff's own office.

Five weeks after his conviction, Marmolejo took a leave of absence. He said he would relinquish day-to-day operations of the department to Chief Deputy Henry Escalon but continues to draw his $44,000-a-year salary.

Richards touts her experience

HURST (AP) — Democratic Gov. Ann Richards said Tuesday she has the know-how to move Texas' economy into the 21st century, while repeating her criticisms of George W. Bush's business record and political inexperience.

Meanwhile, her Republican challenger campaigned through south central Texas and continued to condemn penal code revisions passed under Richards' leadership.

"I am here to tell you this is a young and inexperienced man who needed a little break-in before he tried to hit the big time," Richards told about 300 employees at a rally at Bell Helicopter Textron Inc.

"Inexperience is expensive to the taxpayers of Texas," she said.

Richards promised the Bell employees that she would keep on track manufacture of the V-22 Osprey tilt-rotor aircraft, which is being produced by Bell and Boeing's helicopter division in Pennsylvania.

She reminded them that Deputy Secretary of Defense John Deutch, who had targeted the embattled project for possible termination, changed his mind following a tour of the plant with Richards last month.

About 1,000 Bell employees in the Dallas-Fort Worth area work directly on the V-22, while about 2,000 workers spend at least some time on the aircraft.

Richards said the project is just one that has boosted job growth in Texas. Texas Employment Commission figures released Tuesday show the unemployment rate is the lowest in nearly four years.

Richards also noted statistics released by the state comptroller this month showing the state has a $2.2 billion surplus for the first time since 1992, and announced the state was granted $71.4 million in federal funds for three new business projects.

"I am ready to fight anyone, including my opponent, who doesn't understand that in the last four years Texas is doing better economically," she said.

Bush has said the Texas-based companies with which he has been associated have a current market value of more than $400 million.

"For the past 18 years, George Bush has been meeting a payroll, creating jobs and working in the real world, while Ann Richards has been on the taxpayers' payroll," Bush spokeswoman Karen Hughes said Tuesday. "He's proud of the fact he hasn't held public office but clearly has diverse real-world experience that will help him in the governor's office."

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National Archives presents history of SNL

By Harry F. Rosenthal
Associated Press

WASHINGTON (AP) — It is a different Ronald Reagan. This president impatiently dismisses the Girl Scout cookie-sale champion of the year so he can get back to plotting intricate troop movements in Iraq. This Reagan gets Syrian President Hafez Assad on the telephone and chews him out in Arabic.

This president exists only on "Saturday Night Live."

So does this one. As press secretary (the real one) Ron Nessen tries to raise a problem in the Oval Office, this Gerald Ford is swinging at a golf ball with a tennis racket.

And this one: Bill Clinton, wearing an Arkansas Razorback sweatshirt, jogs into McDonald's with his two Secret Service agents and works the breakfast crowd, all the while pigging out on every hamburger and fry in sight.

He complains that the media are perverting Arkansas's record in education, which was rated 50th in the nation."I'm proud to say we shot ahead of Alabama last year," says the make-believe Clinton.

The august National Archives, whose next noontime luncheon series speaker will be the biographer of Hugo Black, gave over its stage Tuesday to plug a new history called "Saturday Night Live: The First Twenty Years." It's pushing things a bit because the NBC program is now in its 20th season.

Al Franken, a writer, producer and sometime actor on the comedy program took the easy way out. He showed clips from the show's presidential sketches and talked a little in between. That fit in with the Archives' "Humor and the Presidency" series.

The show started in 1975, the year after Richard Nixon resigned, so it didn't have Nixon to kick around. It made up for it in a 1977 skit that spoofed Nixon's in-depth, five-part interview with David Frost.

Dan Aykroyd, as Nixon, is asked about his childhood. The president recalls with pleasure and punctilious detail his introduction to a two-handled faucet. "You turn the right one and cold water would come out," he said. "You turn the left and it's warm." Said the actor playing Frost: "Nineteen hours of this should be fascinating."

Pool of potential jurors still under fire in Simpson trial

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A woman who expressed doubts that one person killed O.J. Simpson's ex-wife and a friend was thrown off a panel of potential jurors Tuesday, and defense attorneys were not happy.

"The time frame is so close, I just can't see how a person could do all of that in such a short time," the woman said, referring to the 75 minutes during which prosecutors contend Simpson committed the murders.

Defense attorneys were visibly angered by the release of the 42-year-old postal worker, whose answers and views on the case were generally favorable to Simpson.

"My blood is boiling," lead defense attorney Robert Shapiro said outside the courtroom.

The woman told Deputy District Attorney Marcia Clark that she felt police were too aggressive when they scaled the wall at Simpson's estate without a search warrant the morning after the slayings.

"I doubted that police were concerned about anyone being hurt in the Simpson home when they entered," she said. "It seemed they were looking for Mr. Simpson."

The woman acknowledged she formed her opinions based on media reports but said she could still be a fair juror. The judge dismissed her.

Earlier, a 60-year-old woman was kept in the jury pool after saying she watched only recorded movies and avoided TV at work since the judge's ban on all media and bookstores.

Her answers were much different than those from other prospective jurors a day earlier who were rejected after admitting they watched football on TV, read a newspaper sports section and listened to a radio traffic report.

"I appreciate you taking the court's order so seriously," said Superior Court Judge Lance Ito, who seemed disturbed that others disobeyed him.

The woman said she had seen "absolutely nothing" about the case since Oct. 18, when Ito halted jury selection for two days because of the release of a book about Simpson's former wife, Nicole Brown Simpson. At that time, Ito ordered a group of roughly 80 possible jurors to avoid all media and bookstores.

Simpson is on trial for the June 12 slayings of Ms. Simpson and her friend Ronald Goldman.

When asked about the book, the woman said she had seen very little. On Oct. 17, she saw a snippet of a news report about it while watching a soap opera, which she had recorded earlier in the day.

"I fast-forwarded past it," she said of the news report.

The woman, who was told to return for more questioning Nov. 2, said she has been watching only recorded movies and co-workers have teased her for refusing to eat lunch in a recreation room that has a TV.

Jury selection began Sept. 26. Trial is expected to last up to six months.

About 300 people who made it past the first screening were divided into three groups.

The first wave of about 80 people returned to court Oct. 12 for in-depth questioning about their beliefs, biases and exposure to publicity in the case.

Since then, the selection has been intermittently delayed because of pretrial hearings, illness and Ito's concern about the book, "Nicole Brown Simpson: The Private Diary of a Life Interrupted."

The two remaining groups have yet to appear for in-person questioning.

More than half those questioned so far — 25 out of 48 — have been dismissed, many because they disobeyed the judge's media ban.

"The jurors are doing their best, but the jurors, like everyone else, have been exposed to a tremendous amount of media coverage," Shapiro said as he entered the courthouse. "It's made the task very hard for all of us."

Shapiro has said he doesn't think Simpson can get a fair trial.

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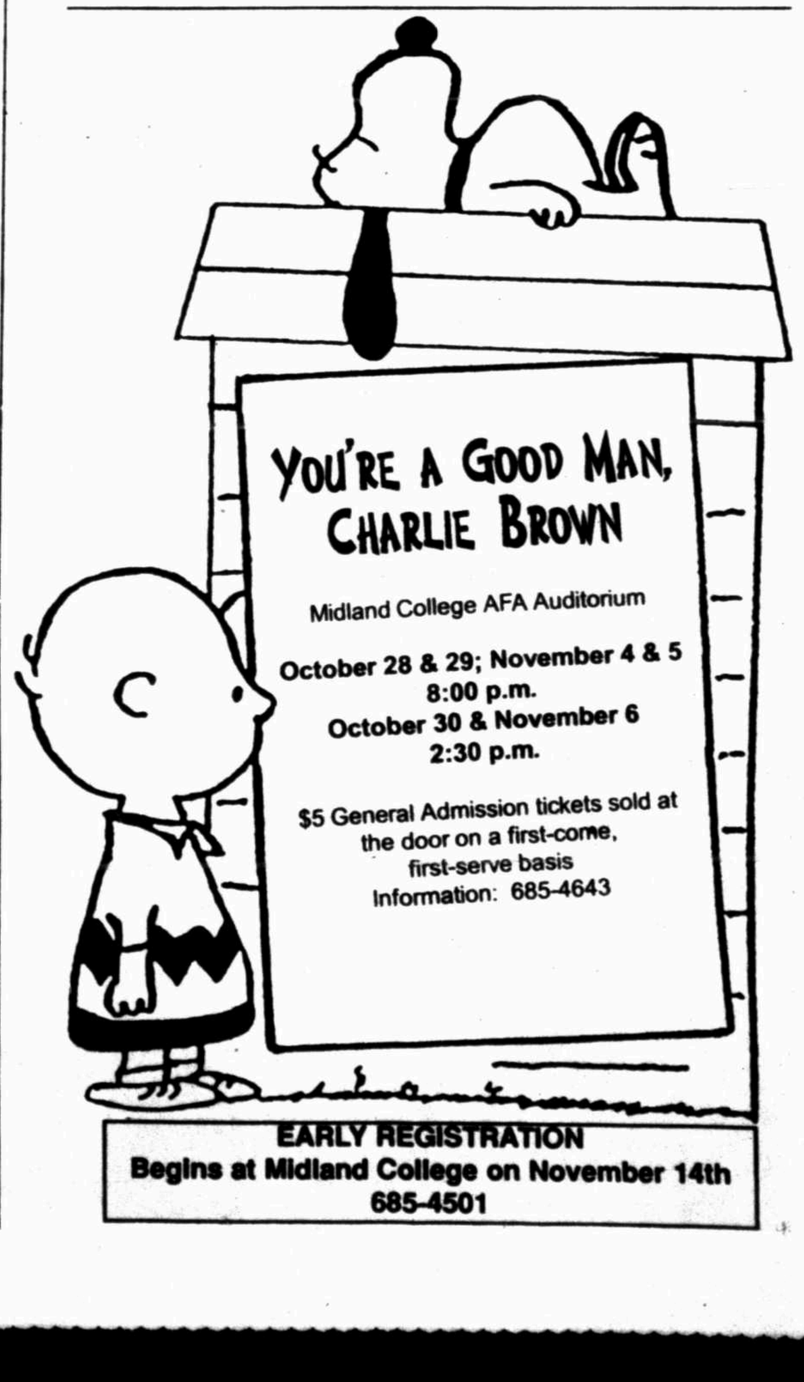
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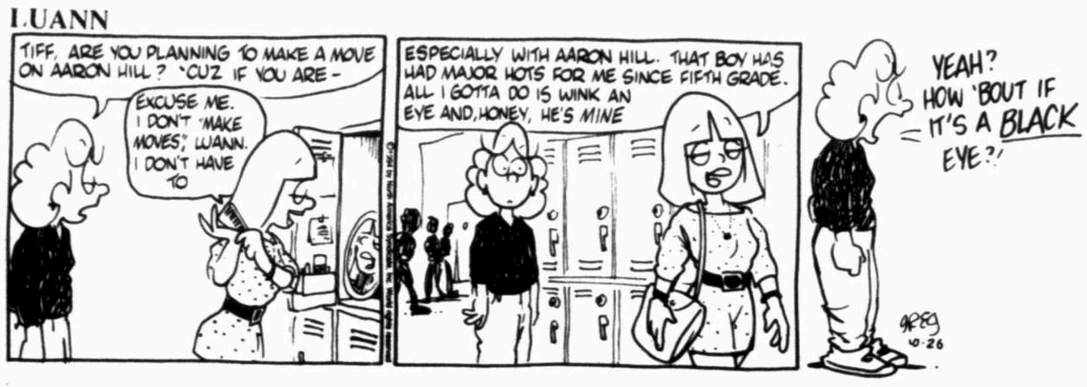
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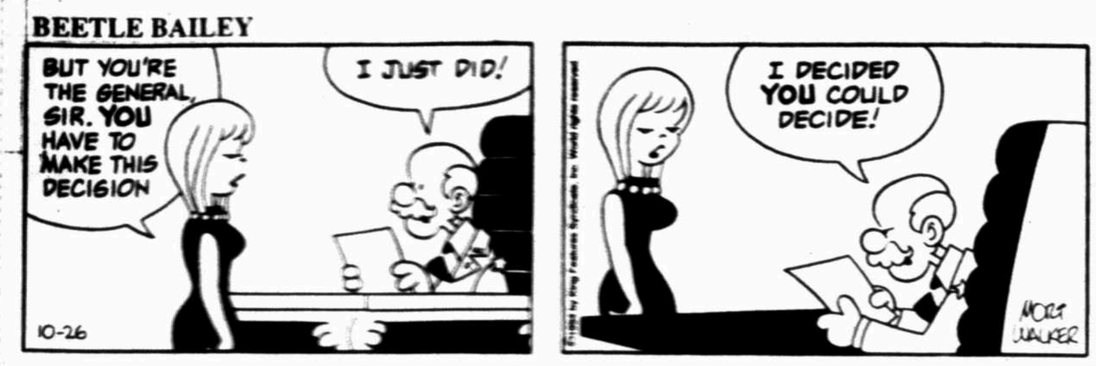
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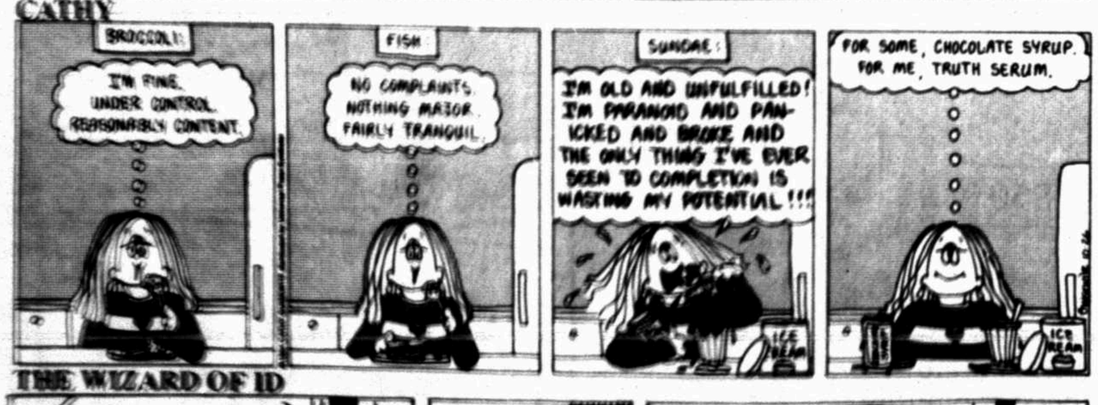
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CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: gospel singer Mahalia Jackson, first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton, actress Jaclyn Smith, TV game show host Pat Sajak.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Find a way to strengthen friendly relations with people who can give your fortunes a boost. The right romantic partner can also be a factor in your making friends in high places. Socialize tonight.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You or your partner may receive a surprising gift or legacy now. Be alert to possible obstacles and complications. A positive approach will work best when trying to convince children to do something. Avoid threats.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Your ambition takes a new direction now. Do not allow it to ride roughshod over more noble values. Acting in a selfish manner could backfire. Write overdue letters to family members or good friends.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): A situation may be more than you can comfortably handle. Seek assistance if necessary. Sign important business documents without further delay. You rise to the occasion when given new duties.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): The financial markets are unpredictable with few being able to say what will happen next. If you have a strong hunch, heed it! Take care of vital business correspondence.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Someone could let you down today. Look for new allies. An imaginative collaborator will have a stimulating effect on your thought processes. A person of mystery enters your life. Parents help out when least expected.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Today finds you in great spirits. Spread a little sunshine! Certain family members need your loving support; give it without being judgmental. Greater affection is developing between you and your mate or partner. Be considerate.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Taking a second job may be necessary now. Update your resume. Dynamic action will be needed to finish all projects. Teamwork enjoys highly favorable influences. Ask coworkers for help if you feel swamped.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Trust your head over your heart. Give fast talkers a wide berth. A restless mood encourages you to make overdue domestic changes. Shop for home furnishings when they go on sale. Brighter colors are favored.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Give a partner the kid glove treatment. Have a back-up plan for child care in case of an emergency. An unexpected visit from an out-of-towner could complicate your social plans. Be flexible.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Taking a sound and sensible attitude towards your personal responsibilities will set a good example for young people. Loved ones are counting on your leadership. People in authority will view your efforts with favor.

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♡ 5 2
◇ A Q J 10 7
♣ A J 5

WEST
♠ 2
♡ 10 9 7
◇ 8 6 5 4.
♣ 8 7 4 3 2

EAST
♠ K J 5
♡ A K Q J 8 3
◇ 2
♣ Q 10 9

SOUTH
♠ A 10 9 8 6 4
♡ 6 4
◇ K 9 3
♣ K 6

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EAST	SOUTH	WEST	NORTH
1 ♡	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
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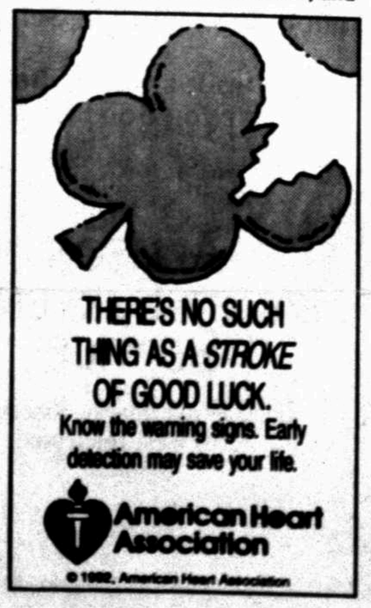
The auction would probably go the same way today. The vulnerable one-spade overcall showed good values, and the North hand is certainly worth a raise to game.

The 10 of hearts was the opening lead by West at both tables, and in each case East overtook with the jack to make the fine switch to the two of diamonds — an obvious singleton. At both tables declarer won in dummy and led the queen of spades, covered by the king and taken with the ace. Here the declarer's paths diverged.

Where Crawford sat East, declarer continued with a trump. Crawford won the jack and underled his heart honors. He was fortunate to find West with the nine of hearts, and the diamond return was ruffed for a one-trick set.

At the other table Sam Stayman found a pretty avoidance play. After winning the ace of spades, South continued with the king, ace and jack of clubs. When East covered with the queen, declarer discarded his remaining heart rather than ruff. Now there was no way for West to gain the lead, and declarer lost only one trump, one heart and one club.

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PEOPLE

Police arrest man who claims author King killed John Lennon

SANTA CRUZ, Calif. — A man who claims author **Stephen King** killed **John Lennon** was arrested at the last stop of King's cross-country motorcycle tour.

Steve Lightfoot, a 40-year-old unemployed cook, showed up at a bookstore Monday with a sign reading, "Stephen King is a murderer. It's true or he'd sue." He was arrested for investigation of trespassing and remained in jail Tuesday on $10,000 bail.

Lightfoot, who drives a van scrawled with accusations against King, has frequently turned up at events where King speaks. King vaguely resembles **Mark David Chapman,** the man in prison in New York state for murdering Lennon.

"Steve Lightfoot has been a stone in my shoe for a lot of years," King said.

King was at Bookshop Santa Cruz to promote his new book, "Insomnia." He wrapped up a 4,609-mile tour that began at his Maine home.

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Cindy Crawford, wearing a fake fur aviator cap, poses for a campaign against the use of real animal pelts in this early October photo. Copies of the fake fur aviator cap she is wearing, known as a chapka, will be sold to raise funds for PETA, People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals.



Cindy's in campaign against the use of animal fur.

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PONTIAC, Mich. — **Madonna's** brother **Martin Ciccone** is back in jail, apparently at his own request.

Ciccone, 37, of Rochester Hills was jailed on charges including drunken driving after a July 9 accident. A Detroit merchant posted his $2,500 bail Oct. 13, but he returned to the Oakland County Jail the next day and asked to be locked up, The Oakland Press reported Tuesday. He is being held on $5,000 bail.

Why Ciccone wants to stay behind bars is a mystery. He's allowed to call out on Wednesdays only, and he hasn't returned any messages.

His next court appearance on the drunken driving charges is set for Nov. 10.

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DALLAS — **The New Bohemians** are getting together after a three-year separation to do a benefit concert.

The Nov. 27 show will be the first for singer **Edie Brickell** and her former band since 1991, when they broke up because of frequent arguments.

Percussionist **John Bush** said he's "psyched about us playing together again, especially with the original five-piece group."

The lineup for the Nov. 27 show includes Brickell, Bush, guitarist **Kenny Withrow,** bassist **Brad Houser** and drummer **Brandon Aly.**

Proceeds will go toward a trust fund for 4-year-old **Jahliese Blount,** whose mother, **Jaydene Blount,** was found murdered Sept. 25. Mrs. Blount was a friend and fan of the band.

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TROY, N.Y. — An all-girls school got a boost from alumna **Jane Fonda.**



All-girls school gets boost from alumna Jane Fonda.

The actress agreed to give a dollar for every two donated by parents, alumnae and foundations to the Emma Willard School, up to $1 million. Fonda is a 1955 graduate.

"I had no sense of women's role in history. Not until I got to Emma Willard School, an all-girls' school, did I learn about the fight for women's education," Fonda said in a statement Tuesday.

The school, established in 1814, has an enrollment of 274.

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PHILADELPHIA — **Joni Mitchell** doesn't try to be melancholy.

"I just can't help myself," the singer said in Tuesday's Philadelphia Inquirer. "My music forces me to be a tragedian."

Mitchell's latest album, "Turbulent Indigo," arrives in stores this week. Its songs deal with teen-age pregnancy, battered women, AIDS and the ozone layer.

Her songs may be a bit gloomy, but Mitchell's own life has some romance in it. She said she's spending more time at home in Canada with new boyfriend **Don Freed,** a writer in Prince Albert, Saskatchewan.

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MILAN, Italy — Abracadabra! First you see **David Copperfield's** limousine, now you don't.

The car's manufacturer reported the $400,000 vehicle stolen from the Grand Hotel in Milan, Italian media reported Tuesday. The magician is staying at the hotel during performances this week but was in Paris at the time of the theft.

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Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

TODAY'S TV SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY PRIME TIME — October 26, 1994 — *For complete information check movie listings.*

Broadcast	O	C	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) KMID	2	3	News 775	Wheel of Fortune	Thunder Alley 8775	All-American Girl	Roseanne 7423	Ellen 6930	The Blame Game: A Country of Victims?		News 76688	Cheers 85336	Roseanne 4171	Nightline 93404
(5) KPEJ	24	5	Full House 58125	The Simpsons	Beverly Hills, 90210 36152		Models Inc. 12572		Lonesome Dove: Judgment Day 32336		Fresh Prince	In the Heat of the Night 653317		Northern Exposure
(7) KOSA	7	7	News 7171	M*A*S*H 8423	The Boys Are Back	The Far Side	Touched by an Angel 17828		48 Hours: One Last Chance 83404		News 2207607	Late Show With David Letterman (10:35)		Married ... Children
(9) KWES	9	9	News 3133	Coach 7713	The Cosby Mysteries 36510		Dateline NBC (Part 2 of 3) 12930		Law & Order 32794		News 9465084	The Tonight Show (10:35) 8652220		Late Night/ O'Brien
(12) KMLM	42	12	Prime Time Praise 977249			C.A. Dollar	Spiritual	Van Impe	Praise the Lord 11881				J. Savelle	Duplantis
(19) KOCV	36	13	MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour 408355		Celebrate Storytelling With ... 863133		The American Experience 872881		Love in Four Acts 869317		To Be Announced 133404			
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(8) CNBC		8	Mutual Fund	Money Tonight	Al Roker 4519249	Equal Time	Rivera Live 8748591		Tom Snyder 8768355		Real Personal	Equal Time	Rivera Live 6286133	
(10) WGN		10	Love Connection	The Jeffersons	World Winning (PG-13, '89) ★ (Mark Harmon, Madeleine Stowe) 184659				News: Sanders, Payne 115794		Night Court	Simon & Simon 688510		Woman in Question
(11) WTBS		11	Who's the Boss?	Who's the Boss?	Matlock: The Suspect 278201				Perry Mason: The Case of the Sinister Spirit ('87) ★★ (Raymond Burr) 985012				V.I. Warshawski (R, '91) ★ 985220	
(18) BRAV		18	Kind Hearts and ... (5)		The Golden Bowl		Kirov Ballet: Paquita		Rosemary's Baby (R, '68) ★★★★ (Mia Farrow) 851510					The Secret
(20) BET		20	Happen.	Out All ...	Roc	Comicview	Video Soul: Luther Vandross				Roc	Jazz Central		
(23) FAM		23	Evening Shade	Evening Shade	The Waltons: The Obstacle 852152		Rescue 911 838572		The 700 Club 858336		Father Dowling Mysteries 851423		Black Stallion	Big Brother Jake
(36) CNN		35	Moneyline 690249	Crossfire 674201	PrimeNews 230369		Larry King Live 230189		World News 335733		Sports Tonight	Moneyline 943978	Newsnight 316775	Showbiz Today
(38) ESPN		36	SportsCenter (5:30)	Bowling: Rochester Open 738133			Boxing: Alex Zolkin vs. Mike Hunter, Heavyweights 858201				SpeedWeek	SportsCenter	Up Close 129201	America's Horse
(37) USA		37	Wings 685317	Wings 609997	Murder, She Wrote 935797		Going Berserk (R, '83) ★ (John Candy, Joe Flaherty) 1561220				Wings: (10:15) Lifeboat 9539881		To the Ends of the Earth (11:15)	
(38) FX		38	Breakfast Anytime		Scrutiny	Home ...	Dynasty 4450355		In Color	In Color	Sound fX 4440978		Batman	Back Chat
(39) A&E		39	Rockford Files 781323		Biography: Vincent Price 418607		American Justice 427355		The 20th Century 407591		Law & Order: Sisters of Mercy 417978		Biography: Vincent Price 669539	
(41) NICK		41	Doug 898794	Looney Tunes	I Dream of Jeannie	Bewitched 878930	I Love Lucy	Bob Newhart	Mary Tyler Moore	Mary Tyler Moore	Dick Van Dyke	Get Smart 309510	Dragnet 772317	Hitchcock Presents
(43) LIFE		43	Designing	Designing	Unsolved Mysteries		Bay Cove ('87) ★★ (Pamela Sue Martin) 845862				Unsolved Mysteries		Mysteries	thirtysome.
(49) UNI		49	Volver a Empezar 38336		Agujetas de Color de Rosa 95620		Marimar 21268		Horangel 95684		Noticiero Univision	Central Camioneru ('88) (Lucha Villa, "El Mimo" Lalo) 554572		
(50) HSE		50	Boat Racing 74249	Speed Profiles	Women's College Volleyball: Texas Tech/ Texas A&M 408794		NBA's Greatest Games 409404		Baseball: Arizona Fall League: Peoria at Scottsdale 502959					Talking Baseball
(51) COM		51	The News Hole	Soap 6826423	Soap 9519152	Whose Line Is It?	Saturday Night Live 9213978		Politically Incorrect	Kids in the Hall	One-Night Stand	The News Hole	Mystery Science Theater 3000 1006201	
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(15) AMC		15	All I Desire ('53) ★★ 481959			Reflections	The Second Time Around ('61) ★★ 885355				Gene Autry: Melody ...		All I Desire 698317	
(16) TNN		16	Skyline	C'try News	Backstage		Music City Tonight 458171			Club Dance 712862		C'try News	Backstage	
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(21) TMC		21	What's Love Got to Do With It (R, '93) ★★★ (Angela Bassett) 705718				Bonfire Heights (R, '93) ★★ (Julian Sands, Sheryl Ferne) 8658162				The Lover (9:50) (R, '92) ★★ (Jane March) 48280880			Dark Half (11:35)
(22) MAX		22	Robin Hood: Men in Tights (5:15)		The Long Day Closes (PG, '92) ★★★ (Marjorie Bolton) 472884				Hot Shots! Part Deux (PG-13, '93) ★★ (Charlie Sheen) 374066		Freaked (PG-13, '93) ★★ (Alex Winter, Megan Ward) 7456152			Movie (11:25)
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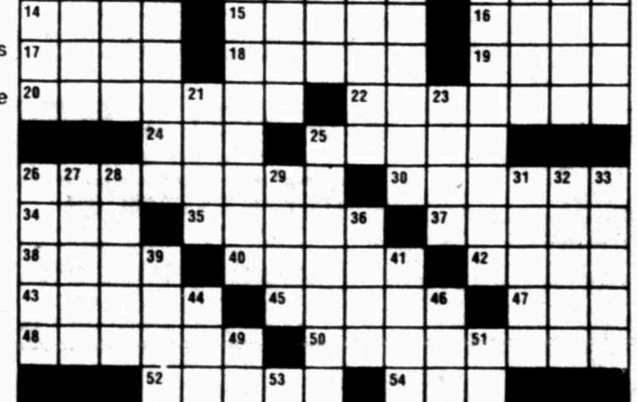
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Lady Dawgs clinch second

■ Midland High knocks off San Angelo and gets a little help from Odessa Permian to garner second place in District 4-5A volleyball.

By Amy Wolfenbarger
Staff Writer

Midland High volleyball coach Terri McColloch admitted before her team's District 4-5A contest with San Angelo Central Tuesday that she had been nervous about the match all day. After all, the Lady Dawgs still needed one more win to guarantee a bi-district playoff.

But Midland High eased McColloch's mind about 10 minutes into the match Tuesday with a devastating dismantling of the team which one short year ago was the dominating district champion.

Midland High, with an almost flawless performance, dominated the Lady Bobcats in all phases of the match to take a 15-3, 15-7 victory in the final regular-season match which lasted only 35 minutes Tuesday night at the MHS gym.

"They really took care of it," McColloch said. "The kids told me before the match that they were going to take care of it and they did."

With the win, the Lady Dawgs clinched second place, via a win by district champ Odessa Permian over Abilene Cooper, which was tied with MHS before Tuesday's matches. Odessa High defeated Abilene High and will play Cooper for the third-place playoff slot at 2:30 Saturday at Big Spring High.

Midland High will play Amarillo Tascosa, the District 3-5A third-place team in bi-district action. The match is tentatively set for Tuesday night in Brownfield. There is a possibility of a District 3 and 4 doubleheader in Brownfield so the Lady Dawgs will have to wait for the results of the Cooper-OHS playoff before a time will be determined.

More importantly for the Lady Dawgs, however, was their completion of the task they started last Tuesday night against Odessa High.

A week ago, MHS was in good shape for a playoff

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American League Cy Young Award

Voting for the 1994 American League Cy Young Award, with first-, second- and third-place votes and total points on a 5-3-1 basis:

PLAYER, TEAM	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
David Cone *Kansas City Royals*	15	10	3	**108**
Jimmy Key *New York Yankees*	10	14	4	**96**
Randy Johnson *Seattle Mariners*	2	2	8	**24**
Mike Mussina *Baltimore Orioles*	1	2	12	**23**
Lee Smith *Baltimore Orioles*	–	–	1	**1**

AP

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Williams DWI?

DALLAS — The Texas Department of Public Safety is pursuing a drunken-driving investigation against injured Dallas Cowboy Erik Williams, who remained hospitalized Tuesday following an automobile accident.

"We are proceeding with a DWI investigation," DPS spokesman Mike Cox said.

Parkland Memorial Hospital officials took a routine blood sample from the Pro Bowl offensive lineman on Monday, but they declined Tuesday to release results that would reveal whether Williams' blood alcohol level exceeded the legal limit of 0.10 percent, Cox said.

A DPS report of the early morning accident released Tuesday showed the 6-foot-6, 325-pound tackle was speeding. The report also said Williams was on his car phone at the time of the collision and driver inattention played a role in the accident.

Two other factors the report said may or may not have contributed to the wreck include the distraction in the vehicle and the fact that Williams had been drinking. The investigating trooper said Williams was not drunk and did not request a blood alcohol test.

Rangers fired

ARLINGTON — The Texas Rangers, who recently hired a new manager and general manager, will not renew the contracts of pitching coach Claude Osteen, first base coach Mickey Hatcher, dugout coach Jackie Moore and third base coach Dave Oliver.

The Rangers also announced Tuesday that batting coach Willie Upshaw and defensive coach Perry Hill have been offered other positions to be determined in the team's organization.

Hatcher, Moore, Osteen and Upshaw spent two seasons with Texas under manager Kevin Kennedy, who was replaced by Johnny Oates this month. Doug Melvin also was hired to replace Tom Grieve as general manager.

Hill, formerly the club's minor league infield instructor, joined the major league staff in July 1992.

4-5A Volleyball

Team	Dist. W	Dist. L	Overall W	Overall L
x-Odessa Permian	12	0	21	6
y-Midland High	8	4	17	10
Abilene Cooper	7	5	15	15
Odessa High	7	5	15	12
Midland Lee	4	8	8	18
San Angelo	3	9	10	17
Abilene High	1	11	6	20

x-clinched championship. y-clinched second.

Tuesday's Results

Midland High def. San Angelo Central 15-3, 15-7; Odessa Permian def. Abilene Cooper 16-16, 7-15, 15-12; Odessa High def. Abilene High 15-11, 12-15, 15-12; Midland Lee was open.

End of regular season.

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OC blows past MC golfers

■ The Wranglers rally from nine strokes back to capture the Odessa College Golf Tournament.

By Bill Petitt
Staff Writer

ODESSA — Midland College headed into the third round of the Odessa College Golf Tournament Tuesday with what seemed like an insurmountable nine-stroke lead.

But Odessa College coach Kyle Howard received a little help from Mother Nature. Temperatures dropped 33 degrees from Monday to Tuesday with the wind chill dipping to near freezing at the Club at Mission Dorado. That gave OC the door it needed to take a five stroke win in the two-day tournament.

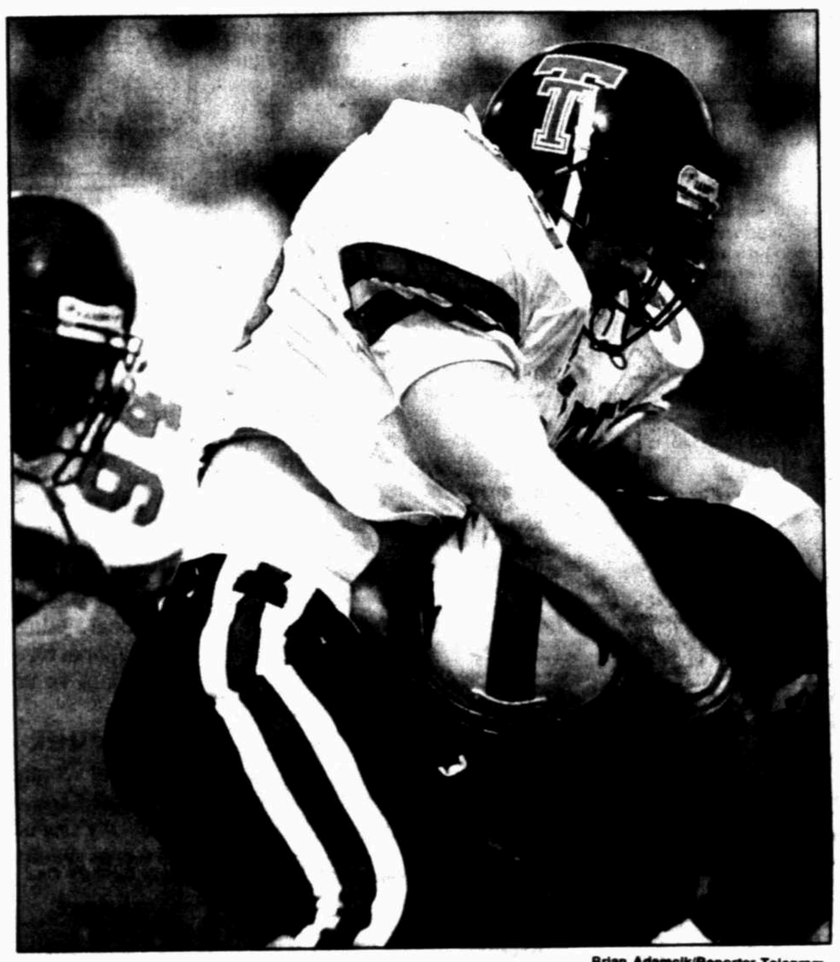
"We really needed to have something kind of like this happen," said Howard after Tuesday's round. "We almost needed some adverse conditions to make it where if we started playing good there was a possibility of making up some shots.

"Midland is such a good golf team that on a good day, I'll be honest with you, it would have been very hard to catch them."

But OC took advantage of the chance with a team round of 301, 14 strokes better than the Chaps. The Wranglers made up seven of the nine strokes on

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Tech's Thomas honored



Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Texas Tech linebacker Zach Thomas, here making a tackle against SMU last year, earned this week's Associated Press SWC Defensive Player of the Week award.

■ Rodney Thomas and Texas Tech linebacker Zach Thomas are AP Players of the Week.

By Michael A. Lutz
AP Sports Writer

Texas A&M fans leave games talking about how the defense performed or that flashy run by Leeland McElroy. When they read about the game the next day, they notice Rodney Thomas.

■ SWC Player of Week

Quietly, Thomas is a major force in most of the Aggies' victories, piling up impressive statistics.

He stood out Saturday when he scored the game's only touchdown on a 60-yard pass from Corey Pullig, giving the Aggies a 7-0 victory over Rice.

It earned the unassuming senior from Groveton The Associated Press Offensive Player of the Week honor. He rushed 136 yards on 21 carries and caught two passes for 71 yards.

Texas Tech linebacker Zach Thomas had 16 tackles and his fourth interception of the season in the Red Raiders 38-7 victory over Baylor, earning him the AP's Defensive Player of the Week honor.

Zach Thomas broke up one pass and his 24-yard interception re-

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Ex-Grand Prairie coach takes MHS baseball job

■ Former Grand Prairie junior varsity coach James Kennedy will take Rick Wood's place as head baseball coach at Midland High.

By Terry Williamson
Sports Editor

James "Lew" Kennedy, 35, is the new head baseball coach at Midland High.

Kennedy, who was approved by the Midland school board Tuesday night, will replace Rick Wood, who resigned that position in August to take an administrative position at Midland Freshman.

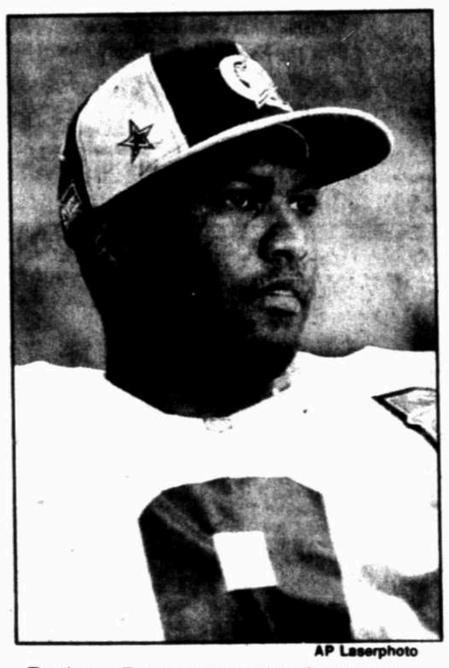
"I'm excited about him (Kennedy) joining our program," said Midland athletic director Tim Whalen. "He has a strong baseball background and will bring a fresh perspective to the Midland High baseball program.

"Everyone we have talked with says he knows baseball and gets a lot out of the kids. And he has a good baseball philosophy. He believes in repetition and that you build a team with defense first. Pitchers have to throw strikes and he wants disciplined hitters. He is aggressive on offense and will run. He feels like you make the defense make the play."

Kennedy comes to Midland High from Grand Prairie High School where he was the head junior varsity coach and varsity assistant. He was also the JV coach and varsity assistant in basketball at Grand Prairie.

Kennedy served as head baseball coa-

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AP Laserphoto

Rodney Peete gives the Cowboys a competent backup quarterback.

Dallas gets QB value

By Denne H. Freeman
AP Sports Writer

IRVING — The Dallas Cowboys bought themselves a $575,000 quarterback insurance policy in the off-season. Rodney Peete was worth every nickel.

"You talk about somebody stepping up and producing when we needed him," said Dallas running back Emmitt Smith. "It was nice to know that we have a backup who can come in and win."

Peete threw two touchdown passes as the Cowboys rallied for a 28-21 victory over the Arizona Cardinals after starter Troy Aikman suffered a concussion in the first quarter.

"Peete gave an exceptional performance," said Dallas coach Barry Swit-

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TERRY WILLIAMSON

Cooper playoff bound, but the rest...

If District 4-5A hasn't been crazy enough for you in 1994, consider the fact that five teams still have state playoff hopes for the loop's three playoff berths available with two weeks left to play.



Williamson

We reported in Saturday's paper that Odessa Permian had clinched a state playoff berth, but with foot-in-mouth there is one scenario where even Mojo could end up sitting at home.

In fact, only No. 1 state-ranked Abilene Cooper has solidified a playoff berth even if the Cougars lose in the last two games against Lee and Permian.

But back to the Mojo scenario. Permian can sit at home if the Panthers lose to both San Angelo (by seven or more points) and Cooper, but Lee must beat Cooper this week and San Angelo must then beat Midland High next week.

If that scenario unfolds, Cooper would be the district champion at 5-1. Lee, Permian and San Angelo would be tied for second place at 4-2. Lee would be one of the playoff teams by virtue of beating San Angelo by more than 18 points. San Angelo would have to beat Permian by seven or more points since Mojo has seven positive points in its 14-7 win over Lee. If Permian loses by six points or less, Mojo would still be in the playoffs under that scenario.

Also, Lee can still make the playoffs even if the Rebels lose to Abilene Cooper if either Permian or Midland High beats San Angelo. If that scenario develops, Lee, San Angelo and Odessa High could end up in a three-way tie for third place with Cooper or Permian in the No. 1 or No. 2 slot. Lee's 18 positive points against San Angelo would put the Rebels in while San Angelo would be out with 11 positive points over Odessa High. OHS would be out with only 10 positive points over Lee.

The only way for OHS to gain playoff entry is for Lee to lose to Cooper and San Angelo lose to both Permian and MHS. The Bronchos would then be in the playoffs by virtue of their head-to-head win over Lee.

Permian can still win the 4-5A championship with victories over San Angelo and a tie or win against Cooper.

Four-5A playoff teams face schools from District 3-5A, where Amarillo High has clinched the No. 1 playoff berth while Lubbock Monterey needs only one win in two games to clinch. Lubbock Coronado or Plainview will be No. 3 with the edge going to Coronado.

If Coronado is in, it would be in the Big School division with Amarillo High and Monterey in the Small School division. A Plainview entry would send Monterey to the Big School division.

Under any scenario, Cooper will be in the Small School division. If Lee and Permian are 4-5A's playoff representatives, Permian will go to the Big School draw and Lee would join Cooper in the Small School playoffs. If San Angelo makes the playoffs, the Bobcats will be in the Big School draw. If Lee makes the playoffs, the Rebels would be in the Small School division under any scenario. If Lee gets in, the Rebs would face Amarillo High in the first round. AHS has a win over Permian this year.

And if you are confused (as I am) after all this, don't feel alone. District 4-5A coaches, too, are putting the pencil to these possibilities. It's part of the yearly game plan in the land of the 18 positive point rule.

Terry Williamson is sports editor of the Reporter-Telegram.

Cone AL Cy Young winner

NEW YORK (AP) — A little older and maybe a bit wiser, David Cone learned the lesson that often eludes baseball's hardest throwers: Sometimes there are other ways to win besides strikeouts.

Rather than blowing away batters this year, Cone concentrated on getting outs with ground balls. Instead of fanning hitters with fastballs and hard sliders, he fooled them by changing speeds.

Cone's transition from the pure power pitcher with boyish looks to an all-around ace at age 31 for the Kansas City Royals was completed Tuesday when he won the AL Cy Young Award in a close vote over former teammate Jimmy Key.

"This award signals a change of style, a Jimmy Key-style," Cone said. "He's probably one of the most intelligent pitchers in the game."

Cone and Key, always a big winner with his soft stuff, toured Japan after the 1988 season as part of a major league All-Star team. They pitched together for the final two months of 1992 with the Toronto Blue Jays.

"That is a compliment," Key said after hearing Cone's comparison. "I think David, for whatever reason, has changed. He used to try to strike people out.

"Now he's just trying to get people out early in the count. He doesn't need to nit-pick as much as I do because he's got such great sutff."

Cone, coming off the worst season of his career, went 16-5 with a 2.94 ERA and did not lead the league in any category. Key, 17-4 with a 3.27 ERA for the New York Yankees, led the majors in wins.

Cone received 15 of 28 first-place votes and finished with 108 points in balloting by the Baseball Writers Association of America. Key got 10 first-place votes and 96 points.

"I thought either one of us would've made a deserving winner. I'm hoping to get a chance to call him and tell him that," Cone said.

"My first instinct is to feel this might be a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. I don't want to demean the award because of the strike. But when you look at the award, you're going to think about the despair of 1994."

Randy Johnson, 13-6 with a 3.19 ERA and a major league-leading 204 strikeouts for Seattle, received two first-place votes and finished third with 24 points. Mike Mussina, 16-5 with a 3.06 ERA for Baltimore, got one first-place vote and was fourth with 23 points.

Kidd jumper gives Mavericks win

DALLAS (AP) — Jason Kidd's 18-foot jumper with 34 seconds to play gave his team a 97-96 lead and Popeye Jones hit two clinching free throws with 12 seconds left, lifting the Dallas Mavericks to a 99-96 exhibition victory over the Cleveland Cavaliers Tuesday night.

Kidd's two free throws with 1:12 remaining pulled Dallas to within 96-95 after Cleveland had led by as many as nine early in the fourth quarter.

Kidd, the Mavericks top draft pick, finished with six points, four assists and two steals as Dallas won its third-consecutive pre-season game to improve to 3-2. The Mavericks haven't had a winning exhibition record since going 5-4 in 1986.

John Williams scored 18 points and Chris Mills had 16 to lead the Cavaliers, who fell to 5-2.

Mike Iuzzolino's 3-pointer with 2:00 left had given Cleveland a 96-91 lead but the Cavaliers didn't score another point.

Angels get franchise nomination

Staff Report

The Midland Angels have been nominated to receive the John H. Johnson President's trophy.

The prestigious national honor is awarded annually to the minor league baseball franchise judged to best exemplify the complete baseball franchise.

"This league has the reputation of being one of the best in all of minor league baseball," said Angels general manager Monty Hoppel. "It's tough to get recognition when you're matched against such top-notch franchises and operators, especially being in the league's smallest market. I'm proud of what we've accomplished overall as a franchise. Most of all, I'm happy for our staff and owners, who have all worked hard and who have been dedicated to the growth of the Angels."

Criteria for the award includes a franchise's contribution to league stability, long-term franchise stability, contribution to baseball in the community, overall success of the operation and promotion of the baseball industry.

Events such as the annual West Texas Sports Banquet and Memorabilia Auction (which has raised over $40,000 for local Special Olympics and Casa de Amigos), the annual Drud Awareness Day and "Juice the Moose's Grand Slam Program" (introduced last year at area schools) are examples of the Angels community service.

Angels ownership has also played a key role. Miles Prentice serves as a National Association board of trustees member and was a member of the expansion committee. Co-owner Bob Richmond has long been instrumental in the National Association business.

The winner of the trophy will be announced at the Baseball Winter Meetings in Dallas in December.

In addition, Angels business manager Nancy Swallow has been selected as the Texas League's nominee for the Rawlings Woman Executive of the Year award.

Sponsored by the national sporting goods company, the national award is given annually to the club official judged to have made the most significant contribution to her franchise's operation.

Swallow, in her seventh season, served as administrative assistant in 1988-89 before being promoted to her current position of business manager in 1990.

"She is the best public relations person the Angels have ever had," Hoppel said. "Not only has she dedicated her time and efforts in the past, but she is committed to the future of the Midland Angels."

Former Bear says he told FBI of fraud

HOUSTON — A former Baylor University basketball player says he has told the FBI about a case of academic fraud that was not uncovered by the Southwest Conference's investigation of the Bears' program.

Marcus Thompson, one of four Baylor players who sat out last season as a result of the SWC probe, said he told the FBI he received a junior college paper from former Baylor assistant coach Troy Drummond.

Thompson said he copied his version of the paper, which dealt with the issue of abortion, and used it to obtain a passing grade in an English composition course at Westark Community College in the spring of 1993.

Drummond was a part-time assistant coach at the Fort Smith, Ark., junior college at the time. He later was hired by Baylor coach Darrel Johnson as a member of the Bears' coaching staff. Baylor, located in Waco, Texas, is one of the nation's largest Baptist universities.

Thompson, who now attends Murray State University in Kentucky, said he disclosed the allegation when he was questioned by the FBI in July. He is the third former Baylor basketball player to allege publicly that members of the Bears' coaching staff were involved in academic fraud.

His allegations are similar to those made by former Baylor star Jerome Lambert, who also attended Westark. Lambert revealed last spring that he told SWC investigators he had been provided with a paper dealing with the Mike Tyson rape case by Drummond for an English composition class at Westark in 1993.

"I got one (a paper) for the same class as Jerome," Thompson said. "I just didn't tell about it when the Southwest Conference asked."

Baylor president Herbert Reynolds announced Oct. 7 he was placing the university's basketball program on two years' probation. He imposed sanctions that include a two-year ban on postseason competition.

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BASEBALL

American League

TEXAS RANGERS—Announced that they will not renew the contracts of Mickey Hatcher, first base coach; Jackie Moore, dugout coach; Dave Oliver, third base coach; and Claude Osteen, pitching coach. Announced that Perry Hill, defense coach and Willie Upshaw, batting coach, will be reassigned within the organization.

National League

CHICAGO CUBS—Announced that Eddie Lyons, major league advance scout, and Marv Foley, bullpen coach, will not be offered contracts for the 1995 season.

MONTREAL EXPOS—Agreed to terms with Joe Kerrigan, pitching coach, on a two-year contract.

NEW YORK METS—Claimed Bill Spiers, infielder, off waivers from the Milwaukee Brewers.

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Announced they will not renew the contracts of Joe Coleman, pitching coach, and Bucky Dent, third base coach. Named Bob Gibson bullpen coach and assistant manager; Mark Riggins pitching coach; and Gaylen Pitts third base coach.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

CHICAGO BEARS—Placed Tim Worley, running back, on the reserve non-football injury list. Signed Kenny Shedd, wide receiver, off the New York Jets' practice roster.

CINCINNATI BENGALS—Signed Erik Wilhelm and Todd Philcox, quarterbacks.

NEW YORK JETS—Signed Fred Lester, fullback, to the practice squad.

Arena Football League

MILWAUKEE MUSTANGS—Named Michael Trigg coach and Terry Gray director of player personnel.

Canadian Football League

BALTIMORE—Released Earnest Fields, linebacker; Mike Kerr, defensive end; and Diego London, offensive lineman, from the practice roster.

World League of American Football

LONDON MONARCHS—Named Bobby Hammond coach.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

NEW JERSEY DEVILS—Announced the retirement of Max McNab, executive vice president.

HORSE RACING

NEW YORK RACING ASSOCIATION—Named Kenny Noe Jr. president and general manager.

COLLEGE

COPPER BOWL FOUNDATION—Announced a two-year agreement with the Western Athletic and Big Eight conferences.

CALIFORNIA—Signed Todd Bozeman, men's basketball coach, to a contract extension through the 1998-99 season.

GANNON—Named John Bowen men's assistant basketball coach.

HARTFORD—Named John Millett assistant softball coach and Mike Morhardt assistant baseball coach.

MASSACHUSETTS—Named Mona Stevens associate softball coach.

Harrah's Odds

RENO, Nev. (AP) — The line for selected college and NFL games as provided by Harrah's Reno Hotel Casino:

College

Saturday

North Carolina minus 4½ vs. North Carolina State

Florida State minus 23 vs. Duke

Michigan minus 12 vs. Wisconsin

Miami, Fla. minus 14 vs. Virginia Tech

Florida minus 22 vs. Georgia

Penn State minus 14 vs. Ohio State

Michigan State minus 8 vs Indiana

Tennessee minus 6½ at South Carolina

Clemson minus 21 vs. Wake Forest

Boston College minus 19½ at Army

Maryland minus 13½ vs. Tulane

Pittsburgh minus 10 vs. Temple

Notre Dame minus 41 vs. Navy

Texas minus 2½ at Texas Tech

Brigham Young minus 8½ vs. Arizona State

Purdue minus 8 vs. Iowa

Auburn minus 12½ vs. Arkansas

Baylor vs. Houston, no line

Kansas minus 14½ vs. Oklahoma State

Wyoming minus 3 vs. Air Force

Iowa State pick vs. Missouri

Illinois minus 12 at Northwestern

East Carolina minus 17 vs. Cincinnati

Mississippi minus 2 vs. LSU

Oklahoma minus 1½ vs. Kansas State

Texas A&M minus 25 vs. SMU

Rice minus 2½ at Texas Christian

Utah minus 28 vs. Texas-El Paso

Nebraska minus 1 vs. Colorado

UCLA minus 1 vs. Stanford

Washington State minus 11 at California

Washington minus 15 vs. Oregon State

Arizona minus 7 at Oregon

Louisville minus 5 vs. Memphis

Southern Mississippi minus 12½ vs. Tulsa

Mississippi State minus 9 at Kentucky

San Diego State minus 3 vs. Hawaii

Fresno State minus 4½ vs. New Mexico

NFL

Sunday

Buffalo minus 3 vs. Kansas City

Dallas minus 15 at Cincinnati

New England minus 1 vs. Miami

New York Giants minus 1½ vs. Detroit

Philadelphia minus 6 at Washington

Los Angeles Raiders minus 8½ vs. Houston

Denver minus 3 vs. Cleveland

San Diego minus 6½ vs. Seattle

Minnesota minus 7 at Tampa Bay

Indianapolis pick vs. New York Jets

Arizona minus 1½ vs. Pittsburgh

Monday

Chicago minus 2 vs. Green Bay

Stockholm Open

STOCKHOLM, Sweden (AP) — Results Tuesday of the $1.72 million Stockholm Open tennis tournament:

Singles

First Round

Christian Bergstrom, Sweden, def. Todd Woodbridge, Australia, 7-6 (7-2), 6-1.

Lars Rehmann, Germany, def. Jonas Bjorkman, Sweden, 4-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Magnus Larsson, Sweden, def. Richard Fromberg, Australia 6-1, 7-6 (9-7).

David Wheaton, Lake Minnetonka, Minn., def. Jonas Svensson, Sweden, 7-6 (10-8), 6—2.

Jan Apell, Sweden, def. Henrik Holm, Sweden, 6-2, 6-4.

Andrei Chesnokov, Russia, def. Bernd Karbacher, Germany, 7-6 (8-6), 6-3.

Patrick Rafter, Australia, def. Jason Stoltenberg, Australia, 7-6 (7-3), 6-4.

Second Round

Yevgeny Kafelnikov, Russia, def. Guy Forget, France, 7-6 (7-4), 6-4.

Arnaud Boetsch, France, def. Thomas Muster, Austria, 7-6 (7-4), 6-1.

Andrea Gaudenzi, Italy, def. Richard Krajicek, Netherlands, 6-4, 1-6, 6-3.

Boris Becker, Germany, def. Richey Reneberg, Houston, 7-6 (7-3), 6-1.

Doubles

First Round

Alex O'Brien, Amarillo, Texas, and Sandon Stolle, Australia, def. Brad Pearce, Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla., and Dave Randall, Birmingham, Ala., 6-0, 6-4.

Mark Kratzmann, Australia, and Javier Sanchez, Spain, def. Mike Bauer, Emeryville, Calif., and Shelby Cannon, Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla., 6-1, 6-4.

NFL Standings

By The Associated Press
All Times CST

AMERICAN CONFERENCE	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
East											
Miami	5	2	0	.714	180	146	3-0-0	2-2-0	4-1-0	1-1-0	2-1-0
Buffalo	4	3	0	.571	134	143	2-2-0	2-1-0	4-2-0	0-1-0	2-2-0
NY Jets	4	3	0	.571	116	122	3-1-0	1-2-0	4-2-0	0-1-0	3-1-0
New England	3	4	0	.429	175	183	1-2-0	2-2-0	1-4-0	2-0-0	0-3-0
Indnplis	3	5	0	.375	167	186	2-2-0	1-3-0	3-3-0	0-2-0	1-1-0
Central											
Cleveland	6	1	0	.857	166	79	3-1-0	3-0-0	5-1-0	1-0-0	3-1-0
Pittsburgh	5	2	0	.714	124	117	3-1-0	2-1-0	4-1-0	1-1-0	3-0-0
Houston	1	6	0	.143	93	155	1-2-0	0-4-0	1-4-0	0-2-0	1-2-0
Cincnnati	0	7	0	.000	101	180	0-3-0	0-4-0	0-7-0	0-0-0	0-4-0
West											
San Diego	6	1	0	.857	185	126	2-1-0	4-0-0	5-1-0	1-0-0	4-1-0
Kan. City	5	2	0	.714	159	131	2-1-0	3-1-0	2-1-0	3-1-0	2-1-0
LA Raidrs	3	4	0	.429	163	178	1-2-0	2-2-0	2-3-0	1-1-0	1-2-0
Seattle	3	4	0	.429	153	124	1-2-0	2-2-0	2-4-0	1-0-0	1-3-0
Denver	2	5	0	.286	156	192	0-3-0	2-2-0	2-5-0	0-0-0	2-3-0
NATIONAL CONFERENCE											
East											
Dallas	6	1	0	.857	187	90	3-1-0	3-0-0	2-0-0	4-1-0	4-0-0
Phila	5	2	0	.714	161	112	4-0-0	1-2-0	1-0-0	4-2-0	1-2-0
NY Giants	3	4	0	.429	127	144	2-2-0	1-2-0	0-1-0	3-3-0	3-0-0
Arizona	2	5	0	.286	89	155	1-2-0	1-3-0	0-1-0	2-4-0	1-3-0
Washington	2	6	0	.250	169	211	0-4-0	2-2-0	1-1-0	1-5-0	0-4-0
Central											
Minnesota	5	2	0	.714	147	105	3-0-0	2-2-0	1-0-0	4-2-0	3-1-0
Chicago	4	3	0	.571	129	129	3-1-0	1-2-0	2-0-0	2-3-0	1-2-0
Detroit	3	4	0	.429	127	145	2-2-0	1-2-0	0-1-0	3-3-0	1-2-0
Green Bay	3	4	0	.429	117	97	3-1-0	0-3-0	0-2-0	3-2-0	2-1-0
Tampa Bay	2	5	0	.286	96	159	2-1-0	0-4-0	1-0-0	1-5-0	1-2-0
West											
San Fran	6	2	0	.750	237	150	3-1-0	3-1-0	1-1-0	5-1-0	3-0-0
Atlanta	4	4	0	.500	158	184	2-2-0	2-2-0	0-2-0	4-2-0	2-1-0
LA Rams	3	5	0	.375	135	156	2-2-0	1-3-0	1-0-0	2-5-0	0-4-0
New Orlns	3	5	0	.375	156	208	2-3-0	1-2-0	0-2-0	3-3-0	1-1-0

Sunday, Oct. 30

Dallas at Cincinnati, 12 noon
Detroit at New York Giants, 12 noon
Kansas City at Buffalo, 12 noon
Philadelphia at Wash., 12 noon
Miami at New England, 3 p.m.
Cleveland at Denver, 3 p.m.
Houston at LA Raiders, 3 p.m.
Minnesota at Tampa Bay, 3 p.m.
NY Jets at Indianapolis, 3 p.m.
Seattle at San Diego, 3 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Arizona, 7 p.m.
OPEN DATE: Atlanta, LA Rams, New Orleans, San Francisco

Monday, Oct. 31

Green Bay at Chicago, 8 p.m.

NFL Statistics

NFL Individual Leaders
By The Associated Press

AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

Quarterbacks

	Att	Com	Yds	TD	Int
Marino, Mia.	267	155	1972	17	6
Harbaugh, Ind.	169	109	1293	8	5
Montana, K.C.	280	181	2027	11	7
Humphrs, S.D.	193	117	1483	7	5
Elway, Den.	256	160	1771	8	6
Hostetler, Rai.	206	115	1466	10	7
Bledsoe, N.E.	325	183	2314	14	11
Richardson, Hou.	149	77	982	6	3
O'Donnell, Pit.	197	111	1344	7	6
Mirer, Sea.	221	124	1310	8	5

Rushers

	Att	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Faulk, Ind.	172	702	4.1	52	6
Means, S.D.	152	686	4.5	25	8
C. Warren, Sea.	143	621	4.3	41	5
J. Johnson, NY-J	122	548	4.5	90	2
Foster, Pit.	119	515	4.3	29	3
Thomas, Buf.	123	502	4.1	27	4
Allen, K.C.	100	378	3.8	36	4
Parmalee, Mia.	79	373	4.7	27	2
Morris, Pit.	81	372	4.6	20	3
G. Brown, Hou.	97	364	3.8	18	3

Receivers

	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Coates, N.E.	51	744	14.6	62	5
Blades, Sea.	41	473	11.5	45	4
Reed, Buf.	40	586	14.7	37	1
Byars, Mia.	39	332	8.5	34	4
Brown, Rai.	38	589	15.5	43	5
Davis, K.C.	36	505	14.0	46	2
Anders, K.C.	35	252	7.2	19	1
Milburn, Den.	33	271	8.2	29	1
Jeffires, Hou.	32	422	13.2	50	3
Martin, Sea.	32	376	11.8	30	1

Punt Returners

	NO	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Sawyer, Cin.	14	188	13.4	82	1
Metcalf, Cle.	18	235	13.1	92	2
Gordon, S.D.	13	168	12.9	90	1
Brown, Rai.	13	158	12.2	30	0
Burris, Buf.	14	168	12.0	57	0
Milburn, Den.	16	178	11.1	44	0
Martin, Sea.	13	118	9.1	16	0
Hughes, K.C.	18	162	9.0	43	0
Woodson, Pit.	21	188	9.0	42	0
Hicks, NY-J	18	150	8.3	21	0

Kickoff Returners

	NO	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Baldwin, Cle.	11	370	33.6	85	1
Dickerson, K.C.	11	291	26.5	62	0
Coleman, S.D.	14	359	25.6	52	0
Woodson, Pit.	14	345	24.6	54	0
By'Not'e, Den.	17	408	24.0	41	0
Humphrey, Ind.	18	427	23.7	95	1
Scott, Cin.	15	342	22.8	34	0
Ismail, Rai.	18	405	22.5	51	0
McDuffie, Mia.	17	378	22.2	46	0
Penn, K.C.	9	194	21.6	34	0

Scoring

Touchdowns

	TD	Rush	Rec	Ret	Pts
Means, S.D.	8	8	0	0	48
Faulk, Ind.	7	6	1	0	42
L. Russell, Den.	7	7	0	0	42
Thomas, Buf.	6	4	2	0	36
C. Warren, Sea.	6	5	1	0	36
Brown, Rai.	5	0	5	0	30
Butts, N.E.	5	5	0	0	30
Byars, Mia.	5	1	4	0	30
Coates, N.E.	5	0	5	0	30
Hoard, Cle.	5	2	3	0	30
Metcalf, Cle.	5	1	2	2	30

Kicking

	PAT	FG	LG	Pts
Carney, S.D.	15-15	20-21	49	75
Elam, Den.	15-15	13-16	54	54
Elliott, K.C.	15-15	12-15	49	51
Christie, Buf.	14-14	12-12	48	50
Bahr, N.E.	19-19	10-12	43	49
Biasucci, Ind.	20-20	9-11	50	47
Stover, Cle.	16-16	10-12	45	46
Kasay, Sea.	15-15	10-11	45	45
Jaeger, Rai.	19-19	8-11	46	43
Stoyanovich, Mia.				18-18 8-12 48 42

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Quarterbacks

	Att	Com	Yds	TD	Int
S. Young, S.F.	234	164	1847	15	7
Aikman, Dal.	174	112	1312	9	4
Kramer, Chi.	139	92	1071	8	5
Erickson, T.B.	165	94	1171	7	1
J. George, Atl.	271	183	1991	12	9
Everett, N.O.	287	181	1974	10	7
Friesz, Was.	133	81	1016	8	7
Cunnnghm, Phi.	244	136	1874	11	8
Favre, G.B.	269	163	1681	9	7
Moon, Min.	269	173	1874	7	10

Rushers

	Att	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Sanders, Det.	162	889	5.5	85	3
Bettis, Rams	200	723	3.6	19	2
E. Smith, Dal.	159	656	4.1	46	9
Allen, Min.	107	460	4.3	45	4
Watters, S.F.	112	421	3.8	23	4
R. Moore, Ariz	113	404	3.6	24	2
Tillman, Chi.	120	392	3.3	25	4
Brown, N.O.	111	340	3.1	16	2
Heyward, Atl.	77	338	4.4	16	4
Garner, Phi.	74	314	4.2	28	3

Receivers

	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Mathis, Atl.	55	584	10.6	41	5
Carter, Min.	55	536	9.7	44	4
Rison, Atl.	51	661	13.0	69	6
Rice, S.F.	49	681	13.9	69	6
Reed, Min.	43	499	11.6	23	2
Sharpe, G.B.	42	462	11.0	48	5
Bennett, G.B.	42	263	6.3	17	1
Early, N.O.	41	498	12.1	33	3
Haynes, N.O.	41	491	12.0	59	1
Ellard, Was.	40	788	19.7	73	4

Punt Returners

	NO	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Mitchell, Was.	14	243	17.4	74	1
Meggett, NY-G	13	166	12.8	68	1
Turner, T.B.	13	151	11.6	80	1
Sydner, Phi.	18	209	11.6	47	0
Gray, Det.	14	160	11.4	22	0
Hughes, N.O.	12	120	10.0	35	0
Carter, S.F.	16	153	9.6	26	0
Brooks, G.B.	29	263	9.1	85	1
J. Bailey, Rams	17	152	8.9	24	0
Robinson, Ariz	15	125	8.3	23	0

Kickoff Returners

	NO	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Gray, Det.	25	718	28.7	102	1
K. Williams, Dal.	11	315	28.6	87	1
Hughes, N.O.	41	1088	26.5	99	2
Ismail, Min.	15	395	26.3	61	0
Mitchell, Was.	29	742	25.6	86	0
Verdin, Atl.	11	270	24.5	51	0
Lewis, Chi.	10	231	23.1	52	0
Carter, S.F.	25	576	23.0	40	0
Conway, Chi.	9	195	21.7	34	0
T. Smith, Atl.	16	333	20.8	31	0

Scoring

Touchdowns

	TD	Rush	Rec	Ret	Pts
E. Smith, Dal.	9	9	0	0	54
Rice, S.F.	7	1	6	0	42
Rison, Atl.	6	0	6	0	36
Watters, S.F.	6	4	2	0	36
Mathis, Atl.	5	0	5	0	32
Sharpe, G.B.	5	0	5	0	30
Carter, Min.	4	0	4	0	26
Jones, S.F.	4	0	4	0	26
Allen, Min.	4	0	4	0	24
Drayton, Rams	4	0	4	0	24
Ellard, Was.	4	0	4	0	24
Harper, Dal.	4	0	4	0	24
Heyward, Atl.	4	4	0	0	24
Meggett, NY-G	4	3	0	1	24
Tillman, Chi.	4	4	0	0	24

Kicking

	PAT	FG	LG	Pts
Boniol, Dal.	22-22	11-13	47	55
Andersen, N.O.	14-14	12-19	48	50
Brien, S.F.	28-30	7-10	47	49
Murray, Phi.	18-18	9- 9	41	45
Reveiz, Min.	16-16	9-14	44	43
Zendejas, Rams	13-13	10-11	47	43
N. Johnson, Atl.	18-18	8-12	48	42
Lohmiller, Was.	18-20	7-11	47	39
Jacke, G.B.	10-10	9-11	50	37
Treadwell, NY-G	13-14	7- 8	41	34

TOTAL YARDAGE

AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
New England	2782	546	2236
Miami	2765	841	1924
Kansas City	2742	718	2024
San Diego	2465	998	1467
Denver	2402	676	1726
Pittsburgh	2311	1067	1244
New York Jets	2202	812	1390
Houston	2187	704	1483
Buffalo	2165	849	1316
Cleveland	2095	687	1408
Indianapolis	2386	1027	1359
Seattle	2053	848	1205
L.A. Raiders	2032	620	1412
Cincinnati	1813	675	1138

DEFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Pittsburgh	1938	724	1214
Houston	2113	878	1235
San Diego	2154	597	1557
Cleveland	2171	696	1475
New York Jets	2198	749	1449
L.A. Raiders	2293	699	1594
Buffalo	2302	705	1597
Cincinnati	2337	878	1459
Kansas City	2386	817	1569
Seattle	2395	800	1595
Indianapolis	2798	944	1854
Miami	2456	698	1758
New England	2585	829	1756
Denver	2617	818	1799

NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Philadelphia	2618	867	1751
Minnesota	2410	636	1774
Dallas	2402	882	1520
Atlanta	2741	711	2030
San Francisco	2735	877	1858
New Orleans	2557	567	1990
Detroit	2178	1028	1150
Green Bay	2137	519	1618
Chicago	2080	626	1454
Washington	2307	579	1728
Tampa Bay	1923	577	1346
L.A. Rams	2181	840	1341
Arizona	1895	628	1267
New York Giants	1772	626	1146

DEFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Dallas	1784	710	1074
Green Bay	1829	473	1356
Philadelphia	1840	511	1329
Arizona	1935	503	1432
Minnesota	1960	455	1505
San Francisco	2357	757	1600
New Orleans	2460	928	1532
Chicago	2261	999	1262
Detroit	2268	800	1468
L.A. Rams	2612	815	1797
New York Giants	2304	647	1657
Atlanta	2714	774	1940
Tampa Bay	2396	843	1553
Washington	2873	984	1889

AVERAGE PER GAME

AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
New England	397.4	78.0	319.4
Miami	395.0	120.1	274.9
Kansas City	391.7	102.6	289.1
San Diego	352.1	142.6	209.6
Denver	343.1	96.6	246.6
Pittsburgh	330.1	152.4	177.7
New York Jets	314.6	116.0	198.6
Houston	312.4	100.6	211.9
Buffalo	309.3	121.3	188.0
Cleveland	299.3	98.1	201.1
Indianapolis	298.3	128.4	169.9
Seattle	293.3	121.1	172.1
L.A. Raiders	290.3	88.6	201.7
Cincinnati	259.0	96.4	162.6

DEFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Pittsburgh	276.9	103.4	173.4
Houston	301.9	125.4	176.4
San Diego	307.7	85.3	222.4
Cleveland	310.1	99.4	210.7
New York Jets	314.0	107.0	207.0
L.A. Raiders	327.6	99.9	227.7
Buffalo	328.9	100.7	228.1
Cincinnati	333.9	125.4	208.4
Kansas City	340.9	116.7	224.1
Seattle	342.1	114.3	227.9
Indianapolis	349.8	118.0	231.8
Miami	350.9	99.7	251.1
New England	369.3	118.4	250.9
Denver	373.9	116.9	257.0

NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

OFFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Philadelphia	374.0	123.9	250.1
Minnesota	344.3	90.9	253.4
Dallas	343.1	126.0	217.1
Atlanta	342.6	88.9	253.8
San Francisco	341.9	109.6	232.3
New Orleans	319.6	70.9	248.8
Detroit	311.1	146.9	164.3
Green Bay	305.3	74.1	231.1
Chicago	297.1	89.4	207.7
Washington	288.4	72.4	216.0
Tampa Bay	274.7	82.4	192.3
L.A. Rams	272.6	105.0	167.6
Arizona	270.7	89.7	181.0
New York Giants	253.1	89.4	163.7

DEFENSE

	Yards	Rush	Pass
Dallas	254.9	101.4	153.4
Green Bay	261.3	67.6	193.7
Philadelphia	262.9	73.0	189.9
Arizona	276.4	71.9	204.6
Minnesota	280.0	65.0	215.0
San Francisco	294.6	94.6	200.0
New Orleans	307.5	116.0	191.5
Chicago	323.0	142.7	180.3
Detroit	324.0	114.3	209.7
L.A. Rams	326.5	101.9	224.6
New York Giants	329.1	92.4	236.7
Atlanta	339.3	96.8	242.5
Tampa Bay	342.3	120.4	221.9
Washington	359.1	123.0	236.1

PGA Money

PONTE VEDRA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Money leaders on the PGA Tour through the Las Vegas Invitational, which ended Oct. 23:

	Trn	Money
1. Nick Price	17	$1,442,927
2. Greg Norman	15	$1,258,907
3. Tom Lehman	21	$981,944
4. Jose M Olazabal	8	$969,900
5. Loren Roberts	20	$922,671
6. Corey Pavin	18	$825,305
7. Hale Irwin	20	$759,836
8. Scott Hoch	26	$747,559
9. Jeff Maggert	24	$712,475
10. Mike Springer	23	$710,717
11. Steve Lowery	29	$701,048
12. Bob Estes	26	$700,560
13. Fuzzy Zoeller	18	$692,804
14. Phil Mickelson	16	$688,316
15. M McCumber	19	$668,209
16. John Huston	23	$650,499
17. Ernie Els	10	$624,440
18. Tom Kite	22	$604,089
19. Ben Crenshaw	23	$587,852
20. Fred Couples	13	$577,354
21. Brad Faxon	24	$562,747
22. Bill Glasson	20	$557,110
23. David Frost	21	$539,683
24. Kenny Perry	29	$535,841
25. Rick Fehr	24	$509,163
26. Hal Sutton	28	$487,962
27. Jay Haas	28	$485,386
28. Bruce Lietzke	17	$483,926
29. Mrk Calcvcchia	26	$481,001
30. Brad Bryant	31	$480,803
31. Mark Brooks	32	$474,985
32. Craig Stadler	22	$474,831
33. Davis Love III	27	$474,219
34. David Edwards	23	$458,845
35. Lee Janzen	26	$442,588
36. Andrew Magee	25	$431,041
37. John Cook	24	$429,725
38. Kirk Triplett	26	$422,171
39. L Clements	22	$416,880
40. Mike Heinen	27	$390,963
41. Curtis Strange	23	$390,881
42. Larry Mize	22	$386,029
43. Tom Watson	15	$380,378
44. Robert Gamez	23	$380,353
45. Glen Day	30	$357,236
46. Craig Parry	19	$354,602
47. B McCallister	27	$351,554
48. Billy Andrade	26	$342,208
49. John Daly	17	$340,034
50. Steve Stricker	26	$334,409
51. Jim Gallghr	26	$325,976
52. Vijay Singh	20	$325,959
53. Dave Barr	28	$314,885
54. Gil Morgan	18	$309,690
55. Jay Don Blake	25	$309,351
56. Scott Simpson	21	$307,884
57. Dicky Pride	27	$305,769
58. Neal Lancaster	29	$305,038
59. Jeff Sluman	30	$301,178
60. Mike Sullivan	26	$298,586
61. D Hammond	25	$295,436
62. Steve Elkington	19	$294,943
63. Brian Henninger	21	$294,075
64. Steve Pate	29	$291,651
65. Clark Dennis	30	$289,065
66. Brett Ogle	21	$284,495
67. Fred Funk	30	$281,905
68. Chip Beck	27	$281,131
69. Greg Kraft	30	$279,901
70. Nolan Henke	26	$278,419
71. Duffy Waldorf	26	$274,971
72. D.A. Weibring	20	$255,757
73. Gene Sauers	26	$250,654
74. Ted Tryba	34	$246,481
75. Paul Goydos	31	$241,107
76. Guy Boros	30	$240,775
77. Russ Cochran	28	$239,827

Prep Tennis

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Class 5A Texas high school tennis rankings for the week of Oct. 25 as compiled by the Texas Tennis Coaches Association and the San Antonio Express-News:

1. Abilene Cooper
2. Plano
3. Richardson Pearce
4. Abilene High
5. Clear Lake
6. San Antonio Churchill
7. El Paso Coronado
8. Austin Westlake
9. Sugar Land Clements
10. San Antonio Clark
11. Wichita Falls Rider
12. Conroe McCullough
13. Odessa Permian
14. Spring Klein
15.

Oilers rush to take blame

HOUSTON (AP) — There was a time this season when the Oilers were pointing fingers at each other for their mistakes. Now everyone wants to accept the blame.

Gary Brown fumbled three times in the Oilers' 21-6 loss to Philadelphia on Monday night — including once at the Eagles' 2-yard line — and wanted to assume responsibility for the loss.

"I cost us the win, plain and simple," Brown said. "You can't make mistakes like that. It's the worst feeling I've had since I've been in this business."

But his teammates wouldn't permit Brown to take all the blame.

Cornerback Cris Dishman said it was his fault because he allowed a 53-yard touchdown catch by Fred Barnett that gave the Eagles a 14-6 lead in the third quarter.

Marcus Robertson said no, he should have been covering on the play.

"No, it was my fault, Marcus was just trying to help out," Dishman insisted.

Quarterback Billy Joe Tolliver took responsibility for Brown's fumble in the fourth quarter with the Oilers still trailing 14-6.

"It was just a miscommunication. I might have pitched the ball too high," Tolliver said.

In the face of another embarrassing loss on prime time television, the Oilers actually played better in many areas but they still made mistakes at the wrong time.

Like Brown's fumble. A touchdown and two-point conversion would have tied the game and given the luckless Oilers new hope.

But it wasn't to be a happy homecoming for Brown, who grew up in Williamsport, Pa. and often came to Veteran's Stadium to watch the Eagles. He rushed 67 yards on 21 carries in his first game since Sept. 25.

"My ankle was not the problem, my hands were," Brown said. "I don't have any excuses. I couldn't hold on to anything.

"I don't think I was pressing but maybe I was. I'm not the type to make excuses. When I screw up, I say I screwed up. I have to try to forget about this, but it won't be easy It was a rough night."

Brown caught three passes for 43 yards.

"I caught the ball well on the screens and swing passes," he said. "But the fumbles erase everything else. Nothing else matters. If we had scored, I believe we would have found a way to win."

PEETE: Dallas QB off roller coaster

(From 1C)

zer. "He started off a little slow but that's because he never got to execute the game plan in practice. As he got better the team got better."

Peete had played his entire five-year NFL career with the Detroit Lions before deciding to move on.

"In Detroit you were on a constant roller-coaster ride," Peete said. "I'd be the starter at the start of the season then they'd move somebody else in."

Peete and Erik Kramer were cast aside by the Lions in favor of Scott Mitchell. The Cowboys moved in for close to bottom dollar to get the experienced backup.

Peete said he needed a good game because his new teammates weren't sure what he could do.

"This gives them confidence that I can go in and make things happen," Peete said. "It was important for me to show them that I can get them into the end zone. Teammates never really have total confidence in you until you do something in the heat of battle."

Peete completed 12 of 19 passes for 186 yards. He took the Cowboys on three touchdown drives.

"We needed a game like this where we lost our general and had somebody backing up Troy who could win," said wide receiver Michael Irvin, who caught two touchdown passes. "We don't want to lose our general anymore but it's good to know what Rodney can do. It's good to know if the general goes down we're still not helpless."

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Owner Jerry Jones considers Peete's salary money well spent.

"He did a tremendous job under difficult circumstances," Jones said. "We thought he was the best backup quarterback in the market."

Peete admitted he was "a little shaky at first. I hadn't had a lot of reps in practice and it took time for me to get comfortable."

Offensive coordinator Ernie Zampese gave Peete high marks.

"He did the job," Zampese said. "It was pretty impressive considering he had to come off the sidelines cold."

LOCAL SPORTS

Lady Mustangs lose warmup

The Midland Christian Lady Mustangs lost to the Class 1A state-ranked Plains Cowgirls Tuesday in a volleyball match played in preparation for the TAPPS playoffs. The Lady Mustangs lost 15-10, 8-15, 15-13. They will play a bi-district playoff Tuesday at a site and time to be determined.

Rangerettes top Colorado City

Rhonda Mebane and JoAnne Pallenez each had five kills Tuesday to help lead Greenwood to a 17-15, 22-20 win over Colorado City in a District 8-3A volleyball game. Greenwood is now 2-3 in district and 11-16 overall.

Greenwood's Shannon Guillory had an ace and one kill, Karen Gasch had one kill, Allison Worthy had four kills, Lisa Nichols had six aces, Cassie Henkel had two kills and Lupita Guebara had two aces.

"The setting by Lupita and Shannon were definite factors in the outcome of the game," Rangerette coach Patti Purser said. Greenwood plays Crane on Saturday for its last district game. Greewood's junior varsity won 15-10, 15-10 to got 16-6 and its freshman won 15-6, 5-15, 15-7 to got to 16-10.

Sandstormers fare well in gym meet

LUBBOCK — The Midland YMCA Sandstormers competed here over the weekend in the Level 5-7 District Qualifying Gymnastics Meet.

Ashley Shannon, competing in the 8-9 year-old division, had the best showing with a second place finish. The Sanstormers had three other competitors to bring home a third place medal. They were Melissa Patton (8-9), Ashley Boggs (12-13) and Caramio Cason (11).

Level 7

8-9 Division: Melissa Patton: 3. vault, 8.6; 2. bars, 8.3; 3. beam, 5.5; 3. floor, 7.5; 3. All-Around, 29.9. **Ashley Shannon:** 5. vault, 8.95; 1. bars, 9.65; 1. beam, 9.3; 2. All-Around, 33.55.

10-11: Page Price: 3. vault, 9.05; 5. bars, 7.65; 4. beam, 8.1; 6. floor, 7.6; 6. All-Around, 32.4. **Casey Raney:** 6. bars, 7.65; 9. All-Around, 30.1. **Katie Blakely:** 3. floor, 8.1; 8. All-Around, 30.15.

12-13: Ashley Boggs: 3. vault, 7.9; 3. bars, 7.25; 3. beam, 7.05; 3. floor, 6.6; 3. All-Around, 28.8.

Level 6

8-9: Meghann Witts: 2. bars, 7.5; 10. vault, 7.8; 9. beam 7.25; 8. All-Around, 30.2. **Kacie Capra:** 6. barts, 7.1.

11: Lauren Logan: 6. vault, 8.1; 3. beam, 8.0; 1. floor, 8.75; 4. All-Around, 31.6. **Caramio Cason:** 1. vault, 8.65; 3. bars, 7.6; 4. beam, 7.6; 5. floor, 8.15; 3. All-Around, 32.0.

12-13: Melanie Trumbo: 4. bars, 7.95; 7. beam, 7.85; 5. floor, 8.65; 6. All-Around, 32.45. **Carly Tahr:** 3. vault, 8.7; 9. bars, 7.15.

Level 5

7-8: Amanda Wagner: 1. vault, 8.05; 9. bars, 7.5; 5. beam, 8.05; 9. floor, 7.85; 4. All-Around, 31.45. **Shannon Dunn:** 5. vault, 7.4; 4. beam, 8.25; 5. floor, 8.05; 6. All-Around, 30.75. **Megan Haynes:** 6. bars, 7.95; 10. floor, 7.4; 9. All-Around, 28.9. **Michelle Shannon:** 10. bars, 7.5; 1. beam, 8.5; 6. floor, 8.0; 7. All-Around, 30.0.

9: Kristian Gilbert: 4. vault, 8.2; 9. bars, 8.35.

11: Chrystle Mullens: 5. beam, 7.7. **Kara Roye:** 9. beam, 7.5.

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HONORS: Thomas repeats SWC honor

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turn set up a touchdown that broke open a 7-7 deadlock.

"Zach has got a great feel for the game," Tech coach Spike Dykes said. "He has natural instincts and is an instinctively good football player."

Thomas also won the SWC defensive honor after he made eight tackles and one interception in Tech's 37-31 victory over New Mexico on Sept. 3.

Rodney Thomas is no delayed reaction for Aggie offensive coordinator Steve Ensminger.

"He's the biggest part of our offense, our leader," Ensminger said. "I couldn't be more pleased with Rodney. He had a little bit of an injury last week but he told me 'don't worry, coach, I'll be ready to play.'"

He was ready to play and just as reserved after the game about his performance, giving proper credit to his teammates for his eighth 100-yard performance that boosted him into sixth place on the school rushing list with 2,811 yards.

"The offensive line has worked hard throughout the year to get better so most of the credit goes to them," Thomas said. "My job is just to run hard and do whatever I can to help the team."

The Aggies were 20-point favorites against the Owls, who haven't beaten the Aggies in 14 years.

"It doesn't mean the offense played a bad game," Thomas defended. "It just means we didn't capitalize."

McElroy, among the nation's top kick returners, gets more notice because of his flashy moves and exceptional speed. Thomas is almost as fast, but likes a more physical game.

"You'll see Rodney in there a lot on the goal lines because he likes to drive it in there," Ensminger said. "Leeland will make you miss out in the open field."

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- **Previous Close $17.45**
- **One Year Ago $17.51**

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- **Today $16.00**
- **Previous Week $15.50**
- **One Year Ago $16.00**

Prices gain

NEW YORK — Oil prices settled higher Tuesday at the New York Mercantile Exchange in quiet trading ahead of the release of weekly inventory figures.

West Texas Intermediate for delivery in December finished 13 cents per barrel higher at $17.58.

Local crude purchasers raised their posted price 25 cents to $16 a barrel.

After the market closed on Tuesday, the American Petroleum Institute reported a steep drop last week in gasoline supplies, a modest fall in crude oil inventories and a build in supplies of heating oil and other distillates.

Gasoline stocks fell 5.85 million barrels to 202.71 million, crude oil supplies dropped 921,000 barrels to 333 million and distillates rose 1.14 million barrels to 145 million.

Refineries decreased production to 90.2 percent of capacity from 90.5 percent.

Natural gas prices rose 1.3 cents per 1,000 cubic feet to $1.947.

Dollar mixed

NEW YORK — The dollar dipped to a postwar low against the Japanese yen Tuesday before partly recovering on renewed fears of central bank intervention and a steadying of American bond prices.

Gold prices finished slightly lower. On New York's Commodity Exchange, gold for current delivery fell 20 cents to settle at $389.40 per troy ounce.

In late New York trading, the dollar was quoted at 96.83 yen, down from 97.13 late Monday. Although higher than its intraday low, it was still the lowest closing quote for the dollar in New York.

The dollar also was changing hands in New York at 1.4953 German marks, up from 1.4940.

Other late dollar rates in New York compared with late Monday: 1.2475 Swiss francs, up from 1.2440; 5.1195 French francs, up from 5.1160; 1,529 Italian lire, unchanged; and 1.3489 Canadian dollars, down from 1.3512.

The British pound was quoted at $1.6372, up from $1.6320.

Silver prices declined. On the Comex, silver for current delivery fell 2.1 cents to $5.292 per troy ounce.

Stocks decline

NEW YORK — Uncertainty over the direction of inflation and interest rates overwhelmed generally positive corporate earnings reports, sending stocks mostly lower Tuesday.

While some major indexes broke briefly into positive territory at the close, the broader market remained weak the entire day.

The Dow Jones industrial average fell 4.71 points to 3,850.59.

Declining issues outnumbered advancers by about 9 to 5 on the New York Stock Exchange, with 1,408 down, 799 up and 687 unchanged.

Big Board volume totaled 326.10 million shares vs. 287.64 million in the previous session.

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Economic news is mostly grim

Consumer confidence falls, dollar hits all-time low, rates rise

Associated Press

NEW YORK — The economic news was mostly grim this week: Consumer confidence fell for the fourth straight month, the dollar hit an all-time low, worker wages are creeping up only slightly and interest rates are rising.

Taken together, the news suggested that the economy, which had been thought to be growing at the healthiest clip since the 1990-91 recession, isn't necessarily as robust as forecasters reckoned.

The freshest signals on the economy's direction came from the Conference Board, a New York-based research group. It found that consumer confidence dropped in October for the fourth straight month.

That's important because consumers who lack confidence in the economy spend less and borrow less. That, in turn, means merchants sell less, factories cut back on output and employers eliminate jobs. Consumers account for two-thirds of the nation's economic activity.

"I think the consumer confidence figures are among the first barometers that there's a sense of unease out there in the consumer heartland," said David Bostian, an economist at Herzog Heine Geduld, a New York investment firm.

The Conference Board attributed the drop largely to rising fear that there will be fewer jobs in the months ahead. Consumers also scaled back plans to buy cars, appliances and homes.

The results came against not only a backdrop of anxiety over jobs but a steady rise in interest rates — the cost of borrowing money — that began early this year when the Federal Reserve reversed a five-year era of lower rates.

In the bond market, a sensitive barometer of interest rate trends and anxieties about the future, the yield on the 30-year Treasury bond exceeded 8 percent Monday for the first time in 2½ years.

"The consumer doesn't have the wherewithal to continue spending. There is a day of reckoning out there," said Philip Braverman, an economist at DKB Securities Corp., a New York investment firm. "I don't mean it's all going to fall apart tomorrow. But after a number of tomorrows, this will be the story that will be written."

There was also evidence Tuesday that ordinary Americans aren't necessarily benefiting from a more prosperous economy. The Labor Department reported that wages and benefits rose at an annual rate of 3.2 percent in the July-September quarter. That is one of the smallest increases on record.

The news was viewed as a positive sign in the financial markets because it means inflation doesn't necessarily pose a hazard to the economy.

But many forecasters said they believe the Federal Reserve will still push rates higher later this year.

In a further disconcerting sign, the dollar, the most visible symbol of American economic might, hit an all-time low against the Japanese yen in early foreign exchange dealings Tuesday.

Although the U.S. currency later recovered somewhat, the forces motivating money traders to sell dollars are the same: uncertainty about inflation and the future value of U.S.-investments.



'Pregnant' test dummy

The World's first "pregnant" test dummy is now undergoing sled testing at the General Motors Technical Center in Warren, Mich. Data gathered from this testing will be used to instrument and calibrate both the the "pregnant" dummy and fetal insert.

Elcor re-elects two directors to board posts

Staff Report

Elcor Corp., at its annual shareholders meeting in Midland Tuesday, re-elected Robert M. Leibrock and W.F. Ortloff for a three-year term on the board of directors. Approximately 92.6 percent of the total shares outstanding were represented in person or by proxy.

Following the meeting, the board of directors reelected Roy E. Campbell, as Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer; Richard Rosebery, Executive Vice President, Financial Officer and Treasurer; Harold K Work, Executive Vice President; James L. Dow, II, Vice President, General Counsel, and Secretary; Leonard R. Harral, Vice President and Chief Accounting Officer; and James J. Waibel, Vice President Administration.

Elcor, which manufactures roofing products, has product facilities in Tuscaloosa, Alabama; Shafter, California; Dallas and Ennis, Texas, and industrial products facilities in Cleveland, Dallas, Lufkin and Midland.

Continental's CEO Ferguson resigns

HOUSTON (AP) — Robert R. Ferguson III, who led Continental Airlines through its second bankruptcy reorganization, quit unexpectedly Tuesday as chief executive officer and vice chairman.

The surprise resignation of Ferguson, a respected airline management veteran, came the same day the carrier announced disappointing quarterly financial results. No reason was given for Ferguson's departure except that he wished to pursue other career challenges.

But Ferguson's resignation was seen as ominous for Continental, which has come to symbolize the ups and downs of the U.S. airline industry.

Slim profits hurt Texaco earnings; Phillips boosts production

Associated Press

Slimmer profits from refining and selling gasoline hurt third-quarter earnings at Chevron Corp. and Texaco Inc., the companies said Tuesday.

The country's third- and fourth-largest oil companies reported higher net income, but the figures were distorted by extraordinary gains this year and one-time charges last year. Not counting the special items, Chevron's earnings were down 28 percent and Texaco's dropped 11 percent.

Lower natural gas prices also affected both companies.

Meanwhile, Phillips Petroleum Inc. said its profits tripled as it boosted production and kept expenses to a 1 percent increase.

Chevron Corp.

The San Francisco-based company earned $425 million, or 65 cents per share, on revenues of $9.5 billion. A year earlier, earnings were $420 million, or 64 cents per share, on revenues of $9.2 billion

Chevron said its chemicals business rebounded and higher crude oil prices helped its oil-pumping earnings.

In the first nine months, the company earned $1.07 billion, or $1.64 per share, on revenues of $26.6 billion. In the 1993 third quarter, earnings were $971 million, or $1.49 per share, on revenues of $28.2 billion.

Chevron's stock was 50 cents per share higher Tuesday afternoon at $43.50.

BUSINESS SCENE

Course puts students on fast language track

By Mella McEwen

Jan Vernon, a former Denver City resident who moved to Midland last year with her husband, has introduced Fast Track Foreign Language, a system designed to quickly teach businesses — or individuals — Spanish.



McEwen

She has 17 years' teaching experience in public schools, and after to moving to Midland wanted to get into adult corporate Spanish training, she said.

She works with busineses, assessing their needs and arranging the course to fit employee's schedules. She uses what she calls the Total Physical Response method, designed by a psychologist.

Vernon said TPR "comes from the fact that students are allowed to mimic the same steps they took to learn their first language."

The first step is teaching students to listen and respond non-verbally. The second step is giving the student questions that require a yes, no or a person's name, then building to longer and longer responses.

Vernon said she recently taught a course to the Midland Police Department and now is teaching a course at the Midland Chamber of Commerce. She is also building a bank of names and times for individuals interested in the course.

She targets businesses who want to market to the large and growing percentage of the population that is not proficient in English and who want to give long-time, capable employees that extra skill.

Though she teaches Spanish, she said she has people available to teach French and Italian.

Vernon can be reached at 520-5526.

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Set to open Nov. 1 at 4338 W. Illinois Ave. in the Westwood Village shopping center is **CRAFTS BY HAND**.

Manager Chandra Mullen said it is a craft and gift mall composed of individual booths inside the store that local entrepreneurs can rent and display their wares. Items range from country items to painted clothing, jewelry and gift items. The mall has 115 booths, with half of them now rented.

Mullens said renters are responsible for keeping the booths stocked, and she will sell the items for them and pay them monthly.

She worked at a similar mall in San Angelo for three years and, when she moved to Midland, the San Angelo store owner decided to open one in Midland.

Hours will be from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

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Three new businesses are set to open in Midland Park Mall this week.

Opening today is **AMAZON TRADING POST**, featuring imports from Ecuador. Also **FLIGHT SIMULATOR**, located in front of Beall's.

Opening Friday is **MUG SHOTS & STUFF**, located in front of The Buckle and featuring photo mugs, etc.

Now open is **DIPPIN' DOTS**, a cart offering specialty ice cream and located in front of The Buckle.

The mall will host a car show throughout the mall from Thursday through Sunday during mall hours. Also, the Midland College Lady Chaps basketball team will have an autograph session Saturday from 2 to 4 p.m. at the top of the Food Court.

And voters can cast early ballots at the mall through Nov. 4, next to Waldenbooks in the JCPenney Court.

The Midland Optimists Club will operate the West Texas Special train, now located in a new spot in the JCPenney court.

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TALK O'THE TOWN will host Adair Murillo, representative of Sarah's Attic on November 1 from 6 to 9 p.m. The shop is located in Oak Ridge Square, 2200 Wadley.

Katanna Zachary said Murillo will help introduce two new 1994 promotional figurines, "America" featuring a Liberty Girl and Uncle Sam boy.

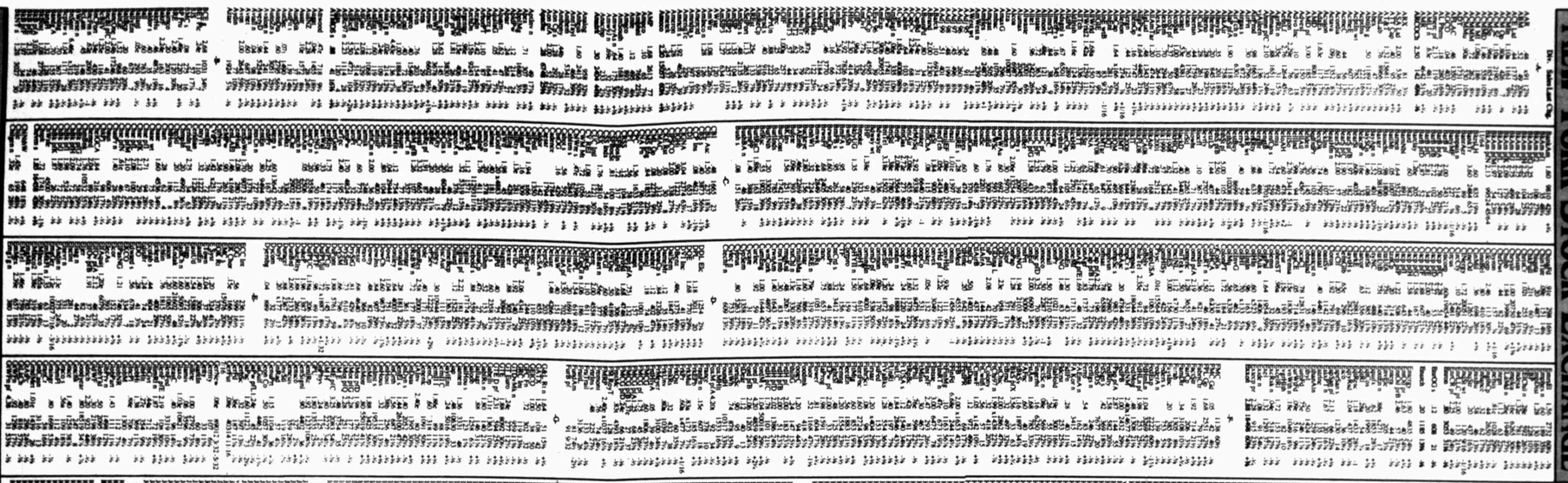
Also introduced will be a new group of figurines, "Saturday Night Roundup" featuring western figurines.

Sarah's Attic was founded bty Sarah Schultz in 1983 after she began selling her own original creations, stenciled slates, boards, pictures and dolls in her husband's pharmacy. She employs 100 factory workers and 45 sales represantives throughout the country and her figurines are available in 3,500 stores in the U.S. and Canada.

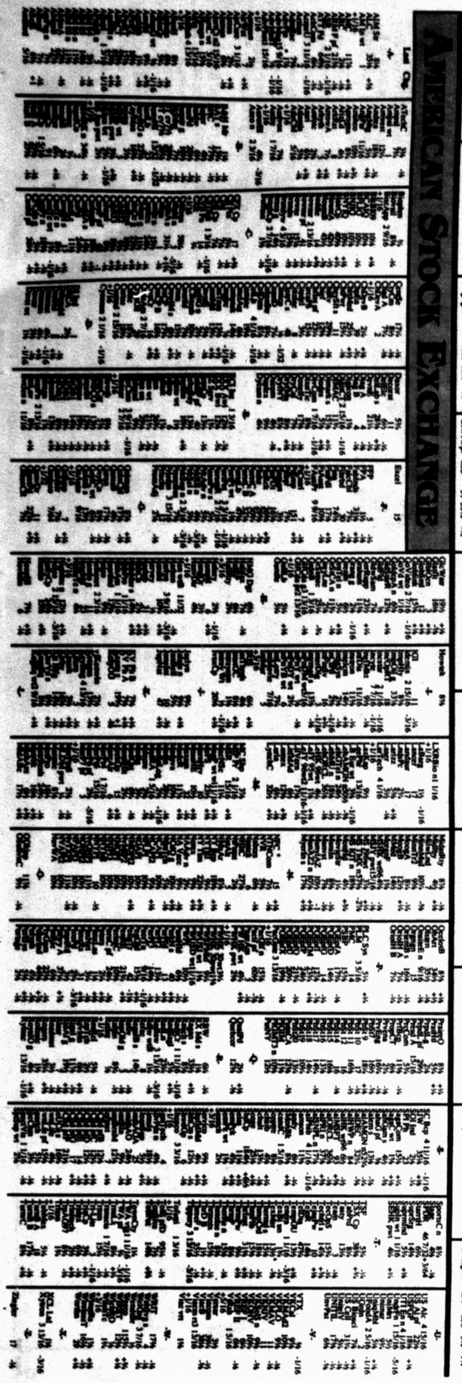
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GthInc	13.74	N.L.	—.08
HQ Bd	14.87	N.L.	—.01
TxFBd	16.60	N.L.	—.10
ABT Funds:			
Emrg p	13.42	14.09	+.03
FL HI	9.84	10.33	—.06
FL TF	10.46	10.98	—.06
GthIn p	10.62	11.15	—.02
UtiIn p	10.89	11.43	—.03
AHA Funds:			
Balan	11.80	N.L.	—.01
Full	9.27	N.L.	—.01
Lim	10.01	N.L.	
AIM Funds:			
AdjGv p	9.52	9.62	
Agrsv p	27.41	29.01	—.14
Chart p	8.71	9.22	—.01
Consr p	17.70	18.73	—.06
GoSc p	9.11	9.56	
Grth p	10.81	11.44	—.03
HYdA p	9.19	9.65	—.01
HYIdB t	9.18	9.18	—.01
Inco p	7.34	7.71	
IntlE p	13.28	14.05	—.08
LimM p	9.88	9.98	
MuB p	7.88	8.27	—.04
Sumit	9.50		—.02
TF Int	10.47	10.58	—.02
Util p	12.07	12.77	—.01
ValuB t	21.37	21.37	—.07
Valu p	21.51	22.76	—.07
Weing p	17.28	18.29	—.06
AMP Funds:			
AdjMtg	9.79	N.L.	
IntMtg	9.33	N.L.	
ShUS Gv	10.44	N.L.	
US GvMt	10.20	N.L.	—.01
ARK Funds:			
CapGr	10.10	N.L.	—.04
Grlnc	10.01	N.L.	—.03
Income	9.36	N.L.	
AVESTA:			
Income	15.22	15.22	—.01
Acomin	16.33	16.33	—.06
AcomF	13.22	13.22	—.04
AdvCBal p	10.01	N.L.	
AdvCRet p	9.18	N.L.	—.01
Advest Advest:			
Govt p	8.74	8.74	—.01
Gwth p	16.25	16.25	—.09
HY Bd p	8.59	8.59	—.02
Inco p	11.97	11.97	—.03
Aetna Select:			
Aetna	10.50	N.L.	+.01
GrwInco	10.85	N.L.	+.01
Alger Funds:			
Grwth t	20.29	20.29	
SmCap t	21.87	21.87	—.13
Alliance Cap:			
Alian p	6.71	7.01	
Balan p	13.13	13.71	—.02
BondA p	12.55	13.11	—.09
CpBB p	12.54	12.54	—.09
CpBC p	12.54	12.54	—.09
GIDGIB p	8.82	8.82	—.14
GlbSA p	11.52	12.03	—.09
GovtA p	7.58	7.92	
GovtB p	7.58	7.58	
GovtC p	7.58	7.58	
Grlnc p	2.30	2.40	
GwthC	20.78	20.78	—.01
GthF p	24.56	25.65	—.01
GwthB t	20.77	20.77	—.01
GrIncB p	2.29	2.29	
InBldC	9.56	9.56	—.03
InMA p	9.02	9.42	—.09
InsMtg	9.02	9.02	—.09
IntlA p	18.92	19.76	—.09
MrtgA p			
MrtgB p			
MrtgC p			
MtgTA p			
MtgTB p			
MtgTC p			
MMSA p	8.02	8.38	—.01
MMSB t	8.03	8.03	
MCAA p	9.47	9.89	—.08
MCAB p	9.47	9.47	—.09
MCAC p	9.48	9.48	—.08
MIICAA p	11.85	12.38	—.11
MINB p	9.42	9.42	—.08
MNYA p	8.75	9.14	—.09
MNYB p	8.76	8.76	—.08
NMuA p	9.42	9.84	—.08
NMuC p	9.42	9.42	—.08
NEur p	13.11	13.69	—.12
NAGvA	8.43	8.80	—.04
NAGlB p	8.43	8.43	—.05
NAGvC	8.43	8.43	—.04
PGthB p	11.46	11.46	+.04
QusrA p	22.17	23.15	—.25
ST Mla p	8.70	9.09	—.01
ST Mlb t	8.70	8.70	—.01
Tech p	30.84	32.21	+.03
WldIn p	1.88	1.88	
WldPrB p	10.68	10.68	—.05
AmSouth Funds:			
Balanc	11.61	12.16	—.01
Bond	10.20	10.52	
Equity	14.73	15.42	—.02
LtdMat	10.04	10.35	
RegEq	16.73	17.52	—.07
Ambassador Pld:			
BalncdA	9.63	N.L.	—.01
Bond	9.13	N.L.	
EstCoGr	15.89	N.L.	—.05
Grwth	12.80	N.L.	—.01
IdxStk	11.89	N.L.	+.02
IntBond	9.22	N.L.	
IntlStk	13.17	N.L.	—.05
SCoGr	13.69	N.L.	—.02
Ambassador Invr:			
EstCoGr	15.87	N.L.	—.05
Grwth	12.78	N.L.	
IncBd	9.74	N.L.	
IntBond	9.22	N.L.	
IntlStk	13.14	N.L.	—.05
TFBd	9.86	N.L.	—.04
TFIntBd	10.01	N.L.	—.02
Amcore Vintage:			
Equity	10.34	N.L.	—.01
PaInco p	9.50	N.L.	
Amer AAdvant Instl:			
Balan	12.18	N.L.	+.01
LadTr	9.67	N.L.	
Amer Capital:			
CmstA p	15.51	16.46	—.03
CpBdA p	6.41	6.73	—.01
EGA p	24.11	25.58	—.10
EGB p	23.57	23.57	—.10
EntA p	12.09	12.83	—.04
EntB p	11.97	11.97	—.04
EqInc A p	5.34	5.67	—.01
EqInc B p	5.33	5.33	—.01
FMgA p	11.98	12.26	—.01
GIEqA p	11.75	12.47	—.08
GIEqB p	11.53	N.L.	—.08
GlGvA p	8.05	8.45	
GlGvB p	8.08	N.L.	—.01
GvScA p	9.66	10.14	—.01
GvScB p	9.67	9.67	—.01
GvTIA p	8.07	8.47	—.02
GvTIB p	8.08	8.08	—.01
GrInA p	12.57	13.34	—.02
HarbA p	13.73	14.57	—.03
HarbB p	13.67	13.67	—.04
HiYldA p	6.02	6.32	
HiYldB p	6.02	6.02	—.01
MuBA p	9.72	10.20	—.04
PaceA p	11.25	11.94	—.03
TEHA p	10.61	11.14	—.04
TEHB p	10.61	10.61	—.04
TxEIA p	10.82	11.36	—.04
American Funds:			
A Bal p	12.12	12.86	—.01
Amcp p	12.22	12.97	—.01
AMutl p	21.27	22.57	—.01
Bond p	12.88	13.52	
CapIB p	32.24	34.21	
CapW p	15.45	16.22	—.04
CapWG p	18.08	19.18	—.08
Eupac p	22.24	23.60	—.14
FdInv p	18.09	19.19	
Govt p	12.80	13.44	—.01
Gwth p	26.76	28.39	
HI Tr p	13.77	14.46	—.01
Inco p	13.48	14.30	
IntBd p	13.09	13.74	
ICA p	18.56	19.69	—.02
LifTEB p	13.81	14.50	—.04
NEco p	14.80	15.70	—.03
N Per p	15.53	16.48	—.07
SmCp p	23.51	24.94	—.06
TxEx p	11.25	11.81	—.05
TECA p	14.90	15.64	—.06
TEMd p	14.45	15.17	—.07
TEVA p	14.92	15.66	—.06
Wsh p	17.43	18.49	+.03
A GthFd	9.45	10.03	—.02
A Hertg	1.03	N.L.	—.01
Amer Natl Funds:			
Grth	4.33	4.59	+.01
Inco	21.18	22.47	+.02
API Gr pf	12.69	N.L.	—.07
Am Perform:			
Equity	11.51	11.99	+.02
IntBd	10.02	10.33	
AmUtdFd	19.73	N.L.	+.01
Amway	7.24	7.46	+.01
Analyt	12.05	N.L.	
Aquilla Funds:			
AZ TF	9.94	10.35	—.04
CO TF	9.91	10.32	—.04
HI TF	10.83	11.28	—.05
KY TF	10.07	10.49	—.05
OR TF	10.04	10.46	—.05
ArielApp p	21.58	N.L.	—.02
ArielGro p	28.18	N.L.	—.15
Atlas Funds:			
CaMunA	10.44	10.76	—.07
GvtScA	9.56	9.86	—.01
GrolncA	13.80	14.23	—.14
NaMunA	10.48	10.80	—.06
BB&T Funds:			
GrolncT	11.21	N.L.	—.01
IntGovT	9.25	N.L.	
BBA Funds:			
EMktE	24.37	24.37	—.06
IntlEq	20.43	20.43	—.09
MuniBd	14.67	14.67	—.07
ShDurDi	4.91	N.L.	
StgFx p	15.69	15.69	—.08
USCPxIn	14.27	14.27	—.02
BNY Hamilton:			
EqInc	10.81	11.14	—.02
InGovt	9.15	9.43	—.01
NY TE	9.72	10.02	—.03
BT:			
InstAstM	9.42	N.L.	
InstEqIx	10.53	N.L.	+.01
InvEqIx	10.53	N.L.	+.02
InvIntEq	14.07	N.L.	—.14
Babson Group:			
Bond L	1.48	N.L.	
Enterp	17.13	N.L.	—.11
Gwth	11.91	N.L.	—.01
Intl	16.91	N.L.	—.07
UMB B	10.57	N.L.	—.01
UMB St	15.95	N.L.	
Value	25.65	N.L.	+.09
BallardBichl&Kaiser:			
Diversa	11.85	N.L.	—.04
IntlEq	6.14	N.L.	—.05
IntlFI	7.98	N.L.	—.01
Baird Funds:			
Adjlnc	9.02	9.32	—.01
BICInp px	19.21	20.38	
CapDv p	22.28	23.64	—
LTI			
BaronA	22.88	N.L.	—.03
Barrett Funds:			
BalVI	14.22	N.L.	—.04
FixedI	9.58	N.L.	
VI Intl	12.19	N.L.	—.12
BayFunds Instl:			
ST Yield	9.31	N.L.	
Bond	9.47	N.L.	—.01
Equity	10.61	N.L.	—.01
BayFunds Invest:			
STYield	9.31	N.L.	
Benchmark Funds:			
BondA x	18.39	N.L.	—.10
DivGrA	10.07	N.L.	—.03
EqIdxA	10.82	N.L.	+.02
FocGrA	10.00	N.L.	—.01
IntlGrA	10.66	N.L.	—.05
ShtDur	9.98	N.L.	—.01
SIBdA x	19.61	N.L.	—.08
SmCoIA	11.12	N.L.	—.05
Benham Group:			
AdjGov	9.42	N.L.	+.01
CaTFI	10.57	N.L.	—.03
CatfIn	9.31	N.L.	—.05
CaTFS	10.02	N.L.	—.01
CatfH	8.76	N.L.	—.06
CatfL	10.46	N.L.	—.05
EqGro	11.83	N.L.	
EurBd	10.94	N.L.	—.05
GNMA	9.91	N.L.	—.01
GoldIn	13.14	N.L.	—.04
IncGro	14.54	N.L.	+.03
NITFI	10.34	N.L.	—.03
NITFL	10.85	N.L.	—.06
Tg1995	95.11	N.L.	+.01
Tg2000	66.23	N.L.	—.08
Tg2005	44.46	N.L.	—.11
Tg2010	30.92	N.L.	—.07
Tg2015	22.16	N.L.	
Tg2020	14.72	N.L.	—.04
TNotc	9.87	N.L.	
UtiIn	8.93	N.L.	—.02
Berger Group:			
100 p	15.91	N.L.	—.07
101 p	41.41	N.L.	—.07
SmCoGp	2.76	N.L.	—.01
Bernstein Fds:			
GvSh	12.30	N.L.	
ShtDur	12.28	N.L.	
IntDur	12.40	N.L.	—.01
Ca Mu	12.92	N.L.	—.04
DivMu	12.86	N.L.	—.05
NYMu	12.83	N.L.	—.04
IntlVal	16.34	N.L.	—.15
BerwynFd	18.42	N.L.	+.02
BerwynInc	11.16	N.L.	—.02
Biltmore Funds:			
Balncd	9.97	10.44	—.02
Equity	10.43	10.92	
EqIndx	10.41	10.90	+.01
FixedIn	8.98	9.40	
STFixIn	9.62	10.07	
SCMuni	10.29	10.77	—.05
Blanchard Funds:			
FlexInc	4.63	N.L.	
GlGr p	10.11	N.L.	—.04
PrcMp	9.38	N.L.	—.04
ST Gl	1.75	N.L.	+.01
BdEndw	16.39	N.L.	
Brndyw	23.15	N.L.	—
1.59			
Brinson Funds:			
Global	10.54	N.L.	—.04
NUSEqt	9.83	N.L.	—.06
Bull & Bear Gp:			
GlbInc p	8.30	N.L.	—.03
SpEq p	18.68	N.L.	+.06
Burnhm p	19.97	20.59	+.04
C&SRlty	31.34	N.L.	
CGM Funds:			
CapDv	23.38	N.L.	—.30
Mutl	26.10	N.L.	+.03
California Trust:			
CalInc	11.69	N.L.	—.06
Calvert Group:			
GlobEq	17.98	18.88	—.11
Inco	15.50	16.10	—.01
Social p	28.54	29.96	—.04
SocBd	15.34	15.94	—.02
SocEq	20.01	21.00	—.18
TxF Lt	10.63	10.85	
TxF Lg	15.78	16.39	—.07
TxF VT	15.40	16.00	—.06
Cambridge Fds:			
GvInB t	12.61	12.61	—.02
MuInB t	14.17	14.17	—.08
Capstone Group:			
Grwth	12.88	13.52	+.03
GvtInc	4.85	4.85	
Cardinal Family:			
Fund	12.56	13.36	—.01
GvtOblg	7.88	8.25	—.01
Cnt Shs	22.37	N.L.	—.07
ChesGrth			
Chesmt	146.71	N.L.	+.06
Clipper	48.94	N.L.	+.02
Colonial Funds:			
CalTE A	6.77	7.11	—.05
ConTE A	6.96	7.31	—.06
FedSA	9.90	10.39	—.01
FundA	7.90	8.38	—.03
GrthA p	13.64	14.47	
HiYldA	6.41	6.73	—.01
IncoA p	5.97	6.27	
IntGrA	10.19	10.81	—.10
MATxA	7.27	7.63	—.06
NY TE A	6.58	6.91	—.06
OhTE A	6.84	7.18	—.05
StrIdeA	6.67	7.00	—.01
TxExA p	12.59	13.22	—.09
TxInsA p	7.68	8.06	—.05
USGrA	11.97	12.70	+.01
USGvA	6.31	6.62	
UtilA p	11.64	12.22	+.03
CATEB t	6.77	6.77	—.05
CTTEB t	6.96	6.96	—.06
FedSB t	9.90	9.90	—.01
FundB t	7.90	7.90	—.02
GlEqB	12.40	12.40	—.09
GwthB t	13.56	13.56	
HYMB t	9.56	9.56	—.06
HYSecB t	6.41	6.41	—.01
IntlGrB	10.12	10.12	—.10
MATxB t	7.27	7.27	—.06
NYTxB t	6.58	6.58	—.06
OHTE B t	6.84	6.84	—.05
StrIdeB t	6.67	6.67	—.01
TxExB t	12.59	12.59	—.09
TEInsB t	7.68	7.68	—.05
USGrB t	11.88	11.88	+.01
USGvB t	6.31	6.31	
UtilB t	11.64	11.64	+.03
Columbia Funds:			
Balance	17.26	N.L.	—.01
ComStk	15.19	N.L.	
Fixed	12.20	N.L.	—.02
Grth	26.11	N.L.	—.15
IntlStk	13.40	N.L.	—.10
Muni	11.56	N.L.	—.06
Spec	19.89	N.L.	—.08
Common Sense:			
Govt	9.94	10.66	—.01
GrInc	15.44	16.87	—.04
Grwth	14.92	16.31	—.05
MunB	12.95	13.60	—.06
Compass Capital:			
EqInc	12.53	13.02	—.06
FdaIn	9.89	10.28	
Grwth	11.18	11.62	—.04
IntlFI	10.41	10.82	—.02
NJ Mun	10.60	11.01	—.06
ShInt	10.12	10.51	—.01
Composite Group:			
BdStkA p	11.36	11.90	—.01
GwthA p			
IntStA p	8.30	8.65	—.01
NWSOA p			
TxExA p			
USGvA p			
Conestoga Funds:			
Equity	14.67	14.97	
Conn Mutual:			
Govt	9.83	10.24	
Grwth	14.90	15.68	—.02
Income	9.33	9.52	—.01
TotRet	13.93	14.66	—.01
CG Cap Mkt Fds:			
IntrFx	7.73	N.L.	
IntlEq	10.61	N.L.	—.06
IntlFx	8.44	N.L.	
LgGrw	9.81	N.L.	
LgVal	8.96	N.L.	
MtgBkd	7.45	N.L.	
Muni	7.65	N.L.	—.06
SmCGrw	12.98	N.L.	—.02
SmVal	8.46	N.L.	—.05
TxRtn	7.64	N.L.	
Copley	19.69	N.L.	+.05
CoreFunds:			
BalanA	9.95	N.L.	
EqIdx	21.24	N.L.	+.02
GrEqA	9.57	N.L.	—.01
IntBdA	9.55	N.L.	
IntlGrA	13.73	N.L.	—.12
Crabbe Huson:			
AstAll p	12.77	N.L.	—.03
Equity p	16.11	N.L.	—.07
Special	13.89	N.L.	—.02
CrestFunds Trust:			
Bond	9.20	N.L.	—.01
SI Bd	9.54	N.L.	
SpEq	10.84	N.L.	—.07
Value	10.92	N.L.	+.01
CuFnd Adj	9.86	N.L.	—.02
DG Investor:			
Equity	10.67	10.89	+.02
GvtInc	9.19	9.38	
LTGvt	9.56	9.76	—.01
Dean Witter:			
AmVl t	21.21	21.21	—.05
CalTF t	12.03	12.03	—.06
CapGr t	11.71	11.71	+.03
Convt t	10.59	10.59	—.04
DevGr t	17.45	17.45	—.06
DivGr t	29.75	29.75	
DivIn t	9.33	9.33	
Euro t	13.38	13.38	—.05
Glbl t	8.72	8.72	
GlbDiv t	11.41	11.41	—.03
GlobUt t	10.17	10.17	—.04
FedSec t	8.70	8.70	
HlthSc t	10.18	10.18	—.10
Hilnc p	9.74	9.74	—.01
HiYld	6.63	7.02	—.01
IntSm t	9.69	9.69	—.01
Intmd t	9.28	9.28	
LtdMun	9.24	9.24	—.06
MuAZ t	9.73	10.14	—.04
MuCA t	9.70	10.10	—.06
MUFL t	9.92	10.33	—.06
MUNJ t	9.76	10.17	—.07
MtPA t	9.85	10.26	—.06
NYTF t	10.99	10.99	—.05
NtlRs t	11.58	11.58	+.02
PacGr t	21.35	21.35	—.3
PrcM t	11.88	11.88	—.63
Premr p	8.76	9.03	—.01
SelMu p	11.43	11.43	—.07
Mngd t	10.63	10.63	
ST US p	9.77	9.77	
Strat t	14.33	14.33	—.01
TaxEx	11.10	11.56	—.06
USGvt t	8.40	8.40	—.01
Util	12.46	12.46	—.01
ValAd t	20.05	20.05	—.01
WWIn	8.56	8.56	+.02
WldW t	18.87	18.87	—.05
TC Bal p	9.33	9.33	
TCCor t	11.75	11.75	—.04
TC Inc	10.00	10.00	—.04
TCLat t	13.49	13.49	—.09
TCNor p	8.87	8.87	—.02
TCSCp t	9.26	9.26	—.02
Del Grp Inst:			
DlchI	6.21	6.21	
Delaware Group:			
TrendA p	12.03	12.76	—.02
ValueA p	19.86	21.07	—.09
DelcpA p	24.70	26.21	—.28
DelInA p	16.06	17.04	—.03
DeTRA p	12.65	13.42	—.03
DelawA p	17.75	18.83	—.05
DelEqA p	12.31	13.06	—.07
DelchA p	6.21	6.52	
USGvA p	7.76	8.15	
TreasA p	9.11	9.39	
TxUSA p	11.75	12.34	—.03
TxInsA p	10.74	11.28	—.04
TxPaA p	8.09	8.49	—.04
Dimensional Fds:			
IntlVal	10.44	N.L.	—.07
US Lrg	13.88	N.L.	+.03
US Sml	8.65	N.L.	—.04
DisEq	18.56	N.L.	+.01
DivIntl	12.24	N.L.	—.11
DivGth	12.55	N.L.	—.05
EmGr r	16.55	17.06	—.06
EmrMk r	19.18	19.77	—.07
Eq Inc	32.69	N.L.	—.07
EQII	19.03	N.L.	
Eqldx	17.07	N.L.	+.02
ErCapAp	11.22	N.L.	—.11
Europ	20.91	21.56	—.20
Exch	103.69	N.L.	+.21
Fidel	18.62	N.L.	—.04
Fifty	11.02	11.36	—.02
GNMA	9.99	N.L.	
GloBd	10.36	N.L.	—.07
GloBal	12.04	N.L.	—.08
GovtSc	9.21	N.L.	—.01
GroCo	28.42	29.30	—.05
GroInc	21.69	22.36	—.03
HiYld	11.51	N.L.	—.09
InsMu	10.80	N.L.	—.09
IntBd	9.88	N.L.	—.01
InterGvt	9.23	N.L.	
IntGr	17.32	N.L.	—.12
InvGB	6.94	N.L.	—.02
Japan r	14.15	N.L.	
LatAm r	15.99	16.48	—.08
LtdMun	9.10	N.L.	—.05
LowP r	16.67	17.19	—.07
MI TF	10.94	N.L.	—.08
MN TF	10.26	N.L.	—.08
MageIn	67.30	69.38	—.19
MktIn r	34.32	N.L.	+.05
MA TF	10.80	N.L.	—.08
MidCap	10.91	N.L.	—.07
MtgSc	10.28	N.L.	
MunBd	7.62	N.L.	—.07
NY HY	11.27	N.L.	—.09
NY Ins	10.77	N.L.	—.09
NewMkt	10.97	N.L.	—.14
NwMil	12.47	12.86	—.04
OTC	23.54	24.27	—.07
Ob TF	10.77	N.L.	—.08
Ovrsea	28.67	N.L.	—.23
PcBas	19.78	N.L.	—.09
Puritn	15.29	N.L.	—.02
RealE	12.82	N.L.	—.01
RetGr	18.30	N.L.	—.07
ShtBd	8.89	N.L.	—.01
ST Wld	9.27	N.L.	—.01
SmCap	10.46	10.78	—.02
SEAsia r	14.42	14.87	—.11
StkSlc	19.07	N.L.	—.06
Trend	56.65	N.L.	—.27
USBI	10.01	N.L.	—.01
Utility	13.85	N.L.	—.02
Value	43.78	N.L.	—.05
Wrldw	13.85	N.L.	—.05
Fidelity Selects:			
AGold r	22.75	23.45	—.09
Auto r	31.69	22.36	+.07
Biotch r	24.03	24.77	—.24
Chem r	35.04	36.12	—.32
Comp r	27.77	28.63	—.08
CstHo r	16.59	17.10	—.11
DvCm r	19.87	20.48	—.02
Electr r	17.71	18.26	—.06
Enrgy r	17.07	17.60	+.12
EngSv r	11.90	12.27	—.01
Envir r	10.62	10.95	—.01
FinSv r	49.15	50.67	
Food r	31.93	32.92	+.17
Health r	73.40	75.67	—.56
HomFr	24.75	25.52	—.17
InEqp r	20.04	20.66	—.05
IndMt r	23.00	23.71	—.19
Leisr r	38.89	40.09	+.03
MedDl r	22.69	23.39	—.11
NtGas r	9.33	9.62	+.02
Paper r	20.32	20.95	—.19
PrMet r	20.09	20.71	—.06
RegBk r	18.16	18.72	—.01
Retail r	24.88	25.65	—.15
Softwr r	25.88	26.68	—.16
Tech r	39.59	40.81	—.16
Telcm r	38.82	40.02	—.16
UtilGr r	34.30	35.36	—.01
Fidelity Spartan:			
AgrMun	9.40	N.L.	—.07
CAHY r	9.70	N.L.	—.07
CTHY r	10.37	N.L.	—.08
FL Mu r	10.08	N.L.	—.09
GNMA	9.35	N.L.	
GovIn	9.67	N.L.	
HighI r	11.43	N.L.	—.01
IntMun	9.54	N.L.	—.05
InvGrBd	9.39	N.L.	—.01
LtdGv	9.46	N.L.	
LTG	10.05	N.L.	
MunIn r	9.53	N.L.	—.09
NJHY r	10.59	N.L.	—.08
NYHY r	9.79	N.L.	—.09
PAHY r	9.93	N.L.	—.08
ShtInc	9.28	N.L.	—.01
SlstGv	9.29	N.L.	
ShtMu	9.72	N.L.	—.02
59 Wall Street:			
EuroEq	31.08	31.08	—.24
PacBsn	39.28	39.28	—.17
TxFSI	10.08	10.08	
FinHorG t	10.07	10.07	—.01
First Amer Fds C:			
AstAll	10.34	N.L.	+.01
Balance	10.46	N.L.	
EqIdx	10.65	N.L.	+.02
FxdInc	10.25	N.L.	—.01
IntInc	9.47	N.L.	—.01
IntlInst	10.18	N.L.	—.06
LtdInc	9.83	N.L.	
RegEqI	12.36	N.L.	—.15
SpecEq	17.02	N.L.	—.06
Stock	16.41	N.L.	+.01
First Amer Mutl C:			
MngInc	9.50	N.L.	
FstEag r	14.88	14.88	—.07
FrstFdE	10.59	N.L.	+.01
FstFdTot	9.23	N.L.	—.01
FtHawMu		N.L.	
First Investors:			
BlChp p	15.13	16.14	
Global p	6.26	6.68	—.02
Govt p	10.53	11.23	
HighY p	4.93	5.26	—.01
Inco p	3.86	4.12	—.01
InvGr p	9.28	9.90	—.01
NJTF p	12.21	13.02	—.07
NYTF p	13.87	14.79	—.06
SpSit p	17.71	18.89	—.13
TxEx p	9.49	10.12	—.05
TotRt p	11.48	12.25	—.03
Utilin p	4.98	5.31	
First Omaha:			
Equity	11.07	N.L.	+.03
FxdInc	9.26	N.L.	+.01
FPDAst p	12.36	12.94	—.01
First Priority:			
EquityTr	10.54	N.L.	—.02
FxdInvT	9.49	N.L.	—.01
LtdMGv	9.63	9.83	—.01
First Union:			
BalT	11.53	N.L.	+.02
BalC t	11.53	N.L.	+.01
FxInT	9.61	N.L.	
HiGdB p	9.91	10.40	—.05
MnBdT	9.37	N.L.	—.01
NCMC t	9.20	9.20	—.07
USGC r	9.10	N.L.	—.01
ValuB p	17.61	18.49	+.06
ValueC t	17.61	N.L.	+.07
ValueT	17.61	N.L.	+.07
Flag Investors:			
IntInc p	9.79	9.94	
MMun p	9.84	10.30	—.06
TxIIn p	12.77	13.37	—.05
TRTs p	9.17	9.60	
Value p	11.19	11.72	—.03
Flagship Group:			
AATEA p	10.18	10.63	—.05
AZTEA p	10.03	10.47	—.05
CTTEA p	9.77	10.20	—.05
FLTE p	9.99	10.43	—.05
GATEA p	9.83	10.26	—.05
GldRb p	16.67	N.L.	+.02
KYTEA p	10.22	10.67	—.06
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Cotton, Holiday Bowls announce agreement

DALLAS (AP) — The Cotton and Holiday bowls Tuesday announced a six-year partnership that gives them access to teams from the Big 12, Pacific-10 and Western Athletic conferences, as well as options on Notre Dame.

The agreement improves the postseason options for the Holiday Bowl while preserving tradition for the Cotton Bowl, which earlier this year lost a bid to keep a top New Year's Day television slot during a realignment of bowls by conference commissioners.

The Cotton Bowl historically has featured the champion of the soon-to-be-dissolved Southwest Conference.

John Crawford, president of the Cotton Bowl Athletic Association, said he was pleased to secure the relationship with the Big 12.

"From the start, the Big 12 has been our target to supply our home team," Crawford said. "We have wanted to develop a partnership with the Big 12 in much the same fashion as what we have enjoyed with the Southwest Conference."

DAWGS: Zachery leads Lady Dawgs with 8 kills

(From 1C)

berth and technically did not have to win all three games to make the playoffs. The Lady Dawgs, however, took care of their own postseason destiny by first knocking off OHS and then handling Abilene High and Central.

The Lady Bobcats literally didn't have a chance after the second MHS rotation. That's when Elisabeth Mathiassen worked her magic from the service line to boost the Lady Dawgs to a 8-1 lead.

Mathiassen, who has become a force at the line for MHS, set the Lady Bobcats on their heels with a powerful serve.

"Elisabeth did a great job serving," McColloch said.

Central, while managing to get the ball over the net on all but one of Mathiassen's bombs, never got to set up much of an offense. And when the ball did come back to MHS, near-flawless setting by Heather Klein and Elaine Salgado gave the Lady Dawg hitters all the room they needed to pound the CHS defense.

"Our setting tonight was better than it has been all year," McColloch said. "And not just Heather (MHS' primary setter) but Elaine Salgado also. She stepped in several times when Heather couldn't get to the ball and had beautiful sets. So I really have to compliment the setters tonight."

Setters, like offensive linemen in football, rarely get the glory of winning a point. Instead, they have to hope as long as they do their job the hitters will take care of the points or sideouts. And as 500 total yards is a mark of a good offensive line, 23 MHS kills to only nine for Central give proof of Klein and Salgado's excellent ball control in the match.

Toya Zachery led MHS at the net with eight kills and she and Deshawn Berry, who is suffering from pulled back muscles, did damage against the CHS defense while Mathiassen was serving to boost MHS to that big first-game lead. After Zachery and Berry rotated off the front line, Jamee Stennett worked to form a brick wall in blocking against the Lady Bobcats' hitters.

"We did a good job on the net," McColloch said. "We never let (CHS' Pam Tribue) really get into it. She's a great hitter. We pretty much kept them on the defensive with our hitting."

McColloch really utilized her bench as well, with all nine varsity players contributing. MHS got big plays from Jennifer Allen, who was second on the team with four kills, and Sara Pritchett, who served several points and played excellent backline defense. Elesceeya King also came off the bench and helped control CHS at the net with tough blocking.

"We did not really make any crucial errors where we just flat didn't give the effort," McColloch said. "The effort was tremendous by all nine players."

Statistics

Kills: MHS—Toya Zachery 8, Jennifer Allen 4, Elisabeth Mathiassen 3, Jamee Stennett 3, Deshawn Berry 2, Heather Klein 2, Elaine Salgado 1. CHS—Pam Tribue 3, Jessica Cajas 3, Stacy Moore 1, Erin Argo 1. **Service Aces:** MHS—Mathiassen 3. CHS—Becky Moreland 2, Kristi Marschall 1. **Service Winners:** Mathiassen 2, Salgado 1, Stennett 1, Sara Pritchett 1.

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Antidote

Your blood pressure typically rises as you get older. But it doesn't have to. Indeed, you may be able to keep a partial lid on such age-related blood-pressure increases that lead to cardiovascular disease, according to a new study by Jeremiah Stamler and colleagues at Northwestern University.

One way is to eat lots of antioxidants. In the study of 1,802 middle-aged men who were followed for eight years, blood pressure went up less in those with the highest intakes of antioxidant vitamin C and beta carotene, rich in fruits and vegetables.

For example, Stamler estimated that the rise in systolic (upper number) blood pressure was 2 mm Hg less in those getting the most antioxidants over a decade. That may sound trivial for an individual, say experts. But curbing even such a minimal rise in an entire population is significant and could keep thousands of persons out of the high-blood-pressure zone, preventing heart disease and death.

In fact, a lowering of systolic pressure by a mere 2 mm Hg among American adults could cut stroke deaths by 6 percent, heart disease fatalities by 4 percent and deaths from all causes by 3 percent, according to a recent government report.

VitaminD vs.cancer

Attention, men. Be sure to get enough of the sunshine vitamin as you get older. Vitamin D, previously tied to reducing the risk of breast cancer, may also help prevent prostate cancer, according to new evidence. You get vitamin D mainly from exposure to the sun and by eating oily fish and vitamin-D-fortified milk.

In laboratory and animal studies, moderate doses of vitamin D slowed the growth of human prostate cancer cells, according to David Feldman, M.D., of Stanford University.

In another study, Duke researchers noted that men diagnosed with prostate cancer had lower blood levels of vitamin D than similar men free of cancer.

Unfortunately, as you age, your body produces less of the active type vitamin D found to be anticancer in the studies. Richest in vitamin D are mackerel, salmon, sardines and especially eel. You also get an adequate dose of 400 IU in most multiple vitamin pills. In excess, vitamin D can be toxic.

Magnesium alert!

If you're a typical American, you are not eating nearly enough magnesium. And that could make you more susceptible to heart disease, diabetes, leg cramps, asthma and migraine headaches, according to recent research.

An alarming 72 percent of adult Americans don't consume the recommended dietary allowance (RDA) for magnesium, according to a new Gallup Poll. Further, older people, who need magnesium the most, are worst off. Fully two-thirds get less than 75 percent of the recommended amounts of magnesium in their diet.

Such a deficiency in the elderly could be particularly serious, warns Richard Rivlin, M.D., of Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center. He says magnesium is essential for muscles.

A lack of magnesium also impairs the body's proper use of the hormone insulin, say experts. This makes a magnesium deficiency a special threat to diabetics.

You get magnesium in cereals, whole grains, nuts, dried beans, green vegetables, dried apricots and fish.

A new face

Plastic surgeons at The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas are using a sophisticated computer-imaging system that has been refined to help patients see how they may look after reconstructive or cosmetic surgery.

"It is extremely helpful to the patients to make informed decisions about their surgeries," said Dr. Rod J. Rohrich, professor and chairman of plastic surgery at UT Southwestern.

After viewing an enhanced image on a computer screen, rhinoplasty patients, for example, can make a better choice about the type of nose they prefer.

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Ibuprofen, similar drugs linked to high blood pressure

By Brenda C. Coleman

CHICAGO (AP) — Drugs taken to combat arthritis, gout and other painful conditions may cause high blood pressure in the elderly if taken at high doses for long periods of time, researchers found.

"The effect is most important for people with a history of high blood pressure and people taking antihypertensive medication," said Dr. Jerry H. Gurwitz, a geriatrician at Boston's Brigham and Women's Hospital, which is affiliated with Harvard. "These are people with probably the greatest risk."

It has been known for years that drugs like ibuprofen and naproxen can lead to small increases in blood pressure, Gurwitz said. But no one has studied whether the increases were great enough to affect health, he said.

The drugs, known as NSAIDs, or nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs, are sold by prescription and over-the-counter under the brand names Advil, Nuprin, Motrin, Aleve, Naprosyn and Indocin.

The researchers studied 9,411 Medicaid patients over age 65. Those who had been given prescriptions for NSAIDs were significantly more likely than others to have been treated later with an anti-high blood pressure medication, the researchers found.

The greater the NSAIDs dose, the greater the person's likelihood of getting treated later for high blood pressure, the researchers reported in the Sept. 14 issue of The Journal of the American Medical Association.

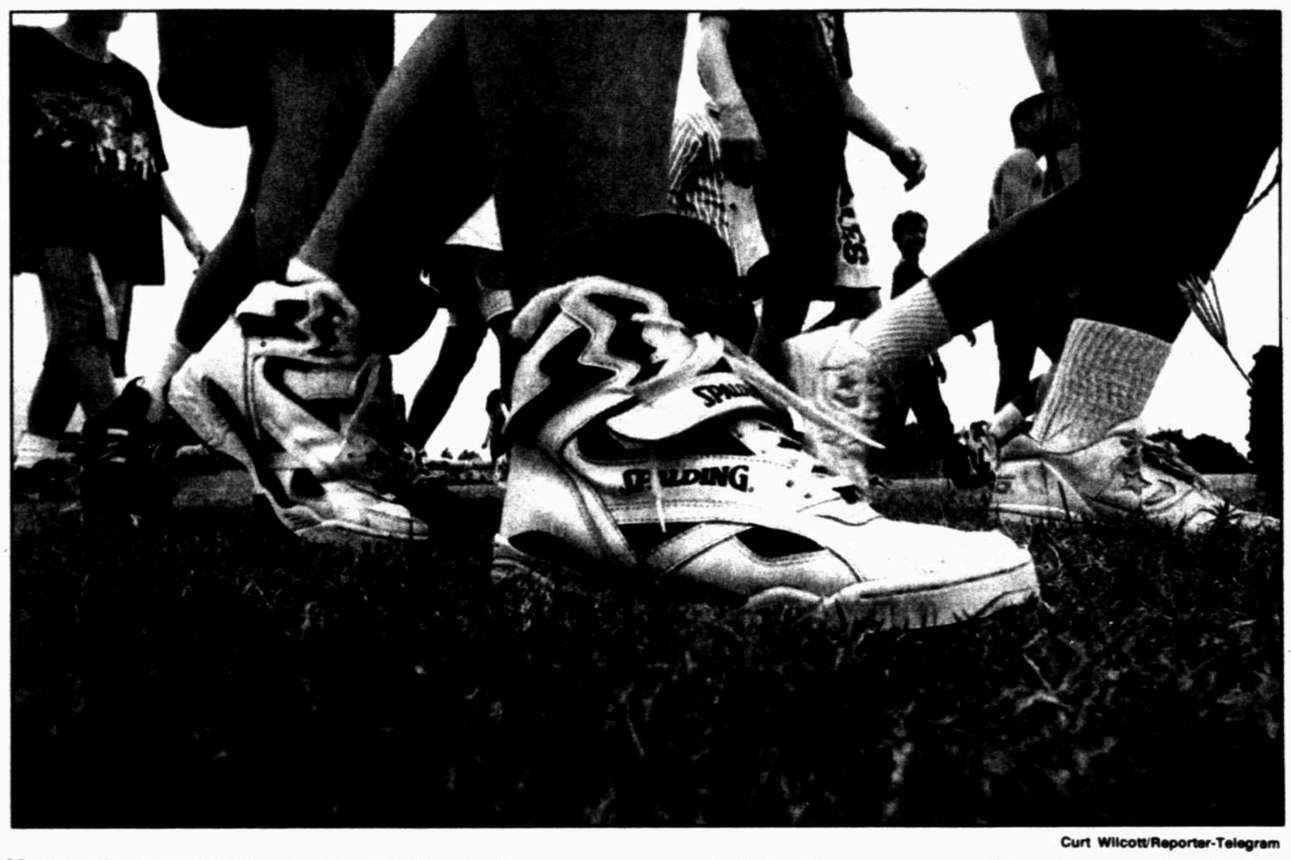
The maker of Advil said in a statement that, "Research has shown that over-the-counter ibuprofen does not significantly affect blood pressure even among patients with pre-existing high blood pressure.

"The study in question appears to deal exclusively with prescription NSAIDs, which are typically prescribed in a high dose for extended periods of time" to relieve conditions such as arthritis, said Whitehall Robins, the division of American Home Products Corp. that makes Advil.

But Gurwitz, who led the study, said many over-the-counter drug users take excess amounts, often reaching prescription-dose levels.

His team suggests that doctors detecting new cases of high blood pressure ask patients whether they are taking NSAIDs. If the NSAID is absolutely necessary, then the researchers suggest "the lowest feasible dose be used for the shorted period of time."

Alternative pain relievers such as acetaminophen, sold under the brand name Tylenol, may work for some patients, he said.



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

More and more people, young and old, are discovering the health benefits of walking for exercise. Here, the feet of several students at Midland Baptist Temple School are shown walking for exercise during physical education class.

Sportsmen can combat fall allergies

Hearst News Service

Allergies can turn a sportsman's fall holiday into a watery-eyed, sniffling, sneezing misery — but there are steps that can be taken to alleviate this.

Ragweed, Michael Segell wrote in an article in the current issue of Sports Afield, tricks the sufferer's immune system into recognizing ragweed dust as a threat and sets off a chain reaction.

An antibody called IgE is dispatched to coat the mast cells present in the skin, lungs and respiratory passages. The interaction of IgE and the allergen on the surface of these cells causes the cells to release powerful chemicals, the best known of which is histamine.

Histamine causes blood vessels to dilate and become leaky, releasing fluid into surrounding tissue. The result — inflammation of the eyes and upper airways, sneezing, mucous secretions and a lot of general unhappiness.

This mechanism evolved to fight parasites and it still provides some utility to people in third-world countries, where the incidence of allergy is very low but the incidence of parasitic infection is high.

Perhaps in several hundred thousand years the human immunological system will adjust to the realities of modern hygiene, learn to distinguish parasites from pollens and act properly.

There is much that can be done to counter allergies. With luck you can eliminate them altogether, through either modern- or folk-medicine therapies. At worst you can control them with preventive medications, many of which have been fine-turned to eliminate side effects.

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Study shows walking may be best health care move

By Ira Dreyfuss

WASHINGTON (AP) — While Washington wrangles over costly and complex health care reform proposals, Brown University researchers have found one that's not only cheap, it's simple — walking.

If sedentary adults walked for exercise, the improvements in coronary heart disease costs alone would be so striking that America would save billions of dollars a year on health care, lost wages and related expenses, the researchers said.

In fact, even if people who dislike exercise were paid to walk, the nation could still wind up with a net savings in the billions, said the study in the journal Archives of Family Medicine.

The savings is possible because heart disease strikes many people and exercise is a powerful way to ward it off. Each year, there are 1.5 million heart attacks and 500,000 deaths, the study said. And other research indicates sedentary people have 1.9 times the risk that exercisers do of having a heart attack, the article said.

The researchers came to their conclusions by plugging statistics into a model of health care costs. The higher risk of coronary heart disease in sedentary people is one; another is that 40 percent of the population is sedentary.

The resarchers selected adults 35-74 years of age as their study group and 1991 as the year for which they would draw health cost and population data.

They assigned some costs to walking. One is that the new exerciser would buy walking shoes at $80 per pair and that the shoes would last about 4 years.

Another is that 10 percent of the cost of an annual physical examination could be considered exercise counseling and labeled as a cost of starting a walking program.

The study also considered the costs created by people who hurt themselves while walking and needed medical care. Depending on how the researchers varied the estimates of the injury rate, these costs ranged from less than 1.5 percent to 5 percent of the annual savings in health costs.

The researchers also had to figure how much people should walk. In one scenario, they counted on an hour a day, 5 days a week at a level of exertion within federal guidelines for a comfortable and sustainable exercise program.

If every sedentary American started to walk this much for exercise, the annual savings for America would be about $20 billion, said Dr. Charles B. Eaton, director of the Heart Disease Prevention Center at Brown University School of Medicine in Pawtucket, R.I.

However, because it's unrealistic to expect everyone to exercise, the researchers focused on participation rates that could be possible based on results of previous programs that

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Choose athletic shoes wisely

By Dr. Gerard Varlotta
Associated Press

Teens and children wear athletic shoes for sports and for style — and the variety of styles available can make a parent's head swim. But knowing what to look for can help make sense of the selection.

It is possible to spend a small fortune on a pair of athletic shoes, but that isn't necessary to get your child into suitable footwear.

But to help minimize the potential for injuries on the field, it is important to select shoes that are specifically designed for the sport a youngster will play, regardless of price.

Soccer shoes, for example, should have nubs on the soles to help grip the ground and aid in running.

All athletic shoes should also be padded, provide support, have a firm sole, and good arch and heel supports. Shoes that lack these qualities can make a youngster's ankles and knees vulnerable to stretch injuries.

Some parents and children may elect to buy high-top athletic shoes that cover the ankles and provide additional support. That support can decrease the number of ankle injuries in basketball players.

Athletic shoes that can be pumped up with air to support the foot also can provide additional support as long as the athlete uses them with the laces tied. The fad of pumping the shoes up and failing to tie the laces eliminates the extra support the shoes are designed to provide.

Parents and coaches should also bear in mind that proper athletic shoes are only one aspect in the prevention of sports injuries.

It is important that children be properly trained and warmed up before participating in any athletic activity.

A certain amount of flexibility and strength is required for most athletic activities, so young athletes should be involved in programs that will help stretch muscles and build stamina.

Finally, to avoid placing undue stress on a child's developing body, be sure that the athletic activities are tailored to his or her age and ability.

Dr. Gerard Varlotta is clinical assistant professor of rehabilitation medicine at New York University Medical School.

Liver disease not curable

By Dr. Hillel Tobias
Associated Press

The liver is one of the body's largest and most complex organs, a powerful chemical plant that converts everything we eat into life-sustaining substances. One of its many important jobs is to manufacture bile to digest fats in our diets.

In some people, however, a rare disease known as primary biliary cirrhosis can adversely affect the ability of liver ducts to remove bile from the organ. When bile is not expelled properly, the liver may retain toxic substances that may eventually cause it severe and life-threatening damage.

Primary biliary cirrhosis results when the body creates — for unknown reasons — an immune response against itself. As with other autoimmune diseases, such as lupus and rheumatoid arthritis, the body acts as if foreign cells are present and attacks them. The result is inflammation and destruction of the liver ducts that transport bile.

The back-up of liver bile can cause patients to develop severe skin itchiness and may eventually cause jaundice, a condition best known for its yellow skin pallor and a sign of liver dysfunction.

Most common in women in their 50s and 60s, primary biliary cirrhosis is often detected through medical examinations that include liver function tests. The condition is also sometimes diagnosed when patients complain of inexplicable itchiness. Whatever the method of detection, primary biliary cirrhosis should be treated as early as possible.

Although primary biliary cirrhosis is not curable, a recent medical study indicates that one medication, ursodiol, can help some primary biliary cirrhosis patients by slowing progression of the disease. Ursodiol is a bile acid that improves bile flow and decreases the inflammation and destruction of the bile ducts. Previously drug therapies either caused serious adverse effects or did

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Music is new part of surgical technique

By Carol Lawson
N.Y. Times News Service

NEW YORK — "Heartbreak Hotel" is on the radio, and Dr. Roy M. Schoen is ready to perform a hysterectomy.

Dr. Schoen, a Manhattan gynecologist and an attending physician at Lenox Hill Hospital here, firmly believes that hummable tunes are as essential as sutures in the operating room.

"Music is relaxing," says the doctor, a self-described "older guy" who likes to listen to the rock-and-roll of his youth when he operates.

"It relieves a lot of pressures and makes things seem easier. Sometimes I hum along."

Many other surgeons, while claiming to refrain from humming, agree that music is an occupational asset. In operating rooms across the country, surgeons are letting loose with varying musical tastes.

They are replacing the mechanical beep-beep-beep, long the standard sound of surgery, with Elvis Presley, Mozart, the Beatles, Beethoven, jazz, country-western and even a dose of heavy metal.

These surgeons' faith in music was

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Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) will host a workshop Nov. 3 at Midland College.

The workshop, "Conflict Resolution: Building Better Relationships," will provide training in conflict resolution in everyday situations, such as the workplace or the home.

Registration fee is $40. Continuing education credits are available. For more information call 689-6693...

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...LEE HIGH School's class of 1985 is planning its 10-year reunion for the weekend of June 24, 1995. Addresses and/or telephone numbers of 1985 LHS graduates are being sought. Contact Reunion Committee, 314 Rocky Lane, Midland, Texas 79703 or call 697-0160. The next reunion committee will be

MUSIC: Some surgeons are more comfortable with quiet

(From 1D)

'I don't want people to think the music is blaring and everybody is laughing and singing and it's a big party in the operating room. We play the music softly.'

— Dr. Frank P. Cammisa Jr. attending spinal surgeon

bolstered recently by the results of a study recently published in The Journal of the American Medical Association. The study concluded that surgeons were likely to do a better job when working to the accompaniment of music they liked. The 50 doctors tested had lower blood pressure and pulse rates and performed better on nonsurgical mental exercises while listening to their favorite musical selections.

"I totally agree with the study," said Dr. Frank P. Cammisa Jr., an attending spinal surgeon at the Hospital for Special Surgery in Manhattan.

"I play music all the time. It relaxes me. I do very delicate work, and I concentrate better when I'm relaxed."

Cammisa, who likes to play Jimmy Buffet CD's when he operates, stopped himself.

"I don't want people to think the music is blaring and everybody is laughing and singing and it's a big party in the operating room," he said quickly. "We play the music softly."

But for many other surgeons, arguments for the virtues of music fall on deaf ears.

"Some surgeons would die if they had one distracting noise in the operating room" said Dr. Ronald C. Merrell, a general and endocrine surgeon and chairman of the department of surgery at the Yale University School of Medicine. Merrell, who likes to operate to Mozart or jazz, estimates that about half of his colleagues play music during surgery.

"Some of the doctors are adament about country-western music, but I don't do well with it," he said.

Some surgeons say that opinions for and against music in the operating room reflect a generation gap in their profession. Dr. Howard L. Beaton, the chief of surgery at New York Downtown Hospital in Manhattan, said that for a long time his previous hospital had a no-music policy.

"The chief of surgery felt music was distracting," Beaton said. "That was an older way of thinking. The policy gradually changed as more young surgeons came along and wanted music."

Surgeons who like music point out that the operating room is not a democracy. If someone else on the surgical team dislikes the music, the head surgeon's wishes prevail.

Dr. Alisan B. Goldfarb, a Manhattan breast surgeon and an assistant professor of surgery at the Mount Sinai School of Medicine, said that about 25 years ago, some irate surgeons at Mount Sinai went so far as to rip speakers off the walls and even jump on them.

"That was in the days of the prima donna surgeons, the ones with the we-need-silence attitude," said Dr. Goldfarb, who likes what she calls easy-listening music.

Dr. Jeffrey Wisoff, a pediatric neurosurgeon at New York University Medical Center, orchestrates an operation, varying the music according to what is happening during surgery.

"I open and close with folk rock or oldies," he said. "Opening and closing in neurosurgery is relatively lengthy and not technically difficult in most cases, so I use something upbeat. But when I work under the microscope, I play Mozart or Vivaldi to remove brain tumors."

He brings what he calls his own "boom box" to the operating room. "The residents know it's part of my standard equipment," Wisoff said. "It's part of their education."

Whenever an emergency arises, some surgeons are quick to demand silence. "I turn it off and don't turn it on again until things are under control," said Dr. John Sanders, the acting chief of cardiac surgery at Northwestern Memorial Hospital in Chicago, where operating rooms are equipped with car stereos.

Other doctors keep the music on, no matter what.

"If something goes wrong, I just ignore it — I filter it out," Wisoff said. "It's like driving a car and listening to music. If you get into a skid, you don't think about the music. You just concentrate on getting out of the skid."

Wisoff considers music to be soothing for patients as they are being put under anesthesia, so he asks for special requests as they are wheeled into the operating room. "I take care of a lot of teenagers, and listening to acid rock gives them a sense of normalcy in a very tense situation," he said.

But Schoen sees no point in inquiring about the musical preferences of his patients moments before they go under the knife.

"Most of them come into the operating room so nervous that they are not even aware there is music," he said.

DEAR ABBY

Self-addressed postcards bring grandma's thanks

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I wish people would quit complaining about children (or adults) who do not write thank-you notes. How many of these people asked for a present? None! You decided to send it; now you want them to fall all over themselves thanking you.


Van Buren

Abby, I have five grown children, 10 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren, and whenever I send any of them a gift, I enclose a postcard, addressed to myself.

On the back I have written:

"Please check one:

"I received the package.

"I loved the present.

"It was OK.

"I didn't like it."

Abby, I send these cards so I will know if my present arrived. Everyone loves the idea. All they have to do is drop it in the mailbox. — GRANDMA

DEAR GRANDMA: I'm curious: What kind of response do you usually get? Regardless of how easy you make it, there will always be a few who will fail to respond.

DEAR ABBY: My precious father died unexpectedly about a year ago. I am an only child. My husband and I have no children. My mother is still living. Daddy was everything to our family — our rock of Gibraltar.

Mother and Dad had a telephone answering machine for which Daddy had recorded a message. Abby, Mother calls that number several times a day, just to hear his voice. She finds it comforting, and I have not discouraged her — but there are several people who have told her it was "sick" and creepy to want to hear the voice of someone who is no longer living. Like "Big Brother Tom" who went to the mortuary and took pictures of the deceased laid out in his coffin, she has been severely criticized for wanting to hear my father's voice.

I am still of the opinion that everyone must deal with grief in his or her own way.

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ALLERGY: Some remedies old-fashioned

(From 1D)

Among old-time remedies is taking a tablespoon of wildflower honey every morning and night. Unfortunately, no controlled study has shown this regimen to be more effective than a placebo.

Many former hay fever sufferers also swear by bee pollen, which is more likely than honey to contain the pollen or ragweed that your body finds offensive. Don't try bee pollen if you are allergic to bee stings.

The honey therapy is similar to the more expensive immunotherapy administered by allergists. Once the specific allergen is identified, you receive small doses of it, by injection, every week for three to six months, then once or twice a month for three to five years.

Many people are willing simply to medicate their symptoms for the four to six weeks of hay fever season each year, and for them there are several new drugs. Gone are the days when your only hope was to take an antihistamine and receive relief in the form of drowsiness and general lethargy. The new drugs, such as Seldane, Hismanol and Claritin, have eliminated the sleepiness.

Medications also have been developed that attack the symptom where it is manifested, avoiding systemwide drugging. These prescription drugs include eye drops and nasal sprays that work best if used before you are exposed to the allergen. The limited exposure also is a good plan for those worried about the recently reported link between antihistamines and cancer in research animals.

Sportsmen with allergies can keep their symptoms at bay by avoiding rigorous exercise when pollen levels are extreme, such as on windy days with high temperatures and low humidity.

They should change clothes after lengthy outdoor exposure and shower and shampoo immediately. Pollen adheres to hair, clothing and furniture.

Avoid wearing contact lenses when you know they will be exposed to ragweed or other allergens.

Wear protective goggles and a dust mask, Sports Afield advised, while gardening or cutting the grass.

WALK: Exercise is healthy, inexpensive

(From 1D)

encouraged people to start exercising.

If only a quarter of the sedentary population began to exercise — a level that Eaton considers reasonable with proper public education and encouragement — the savings would be nearly $5.6 billion a year, the report said.

The researchers realized that some people just don't like exercise, so they looked into what would happen if these exercise refusers were paid to take part. The researchers assigned them half the 1991 average hourly wage of $10.34.

If all sedentary people walked because people who otherwise would have refused were being paid to do so, the nation's annual savings would still be $4.3 billion, the study said.

The study did not examine the costs of public education and other efforts to encourage people to exercise. But Eaton believes such programs would be good investments in health care.

"Money should be spent on prevention," Eaton said. "That seems to be cost effective."

Another expert thinks that, although the study's figures are only theoretical, the research is on the right track. "It's a fairly well done analysis," said Carl J. Caspersen, a physical activity epidemiologist at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta.

However, the costs of programs to encourage walking should be factored in, Caspersen said. Also, not all people can exercise even if they want to, he said. Some people considered sedentary in the Brown model could have been disabled and unable to walk, and some could be in neighborhoods where walking is not safe, he said.

LIVER: Relief may be surgical

(From 1D)

not significantly alter the course of the disease.

Because primary biliary cirrhosis is not curable, patients may eventually need a liver transplant. Ursodiol may prolong the amount of time before an operation is needed — and increase the likelihood of a successful transplantation.

Dr. Hillel Tobias is a clinical associate professor of medicine at New York University School of Medicine.

CONSUMING INTERESTS

Dessert mix wins tasters' approval

By Linda Anderson

Well, I did it again. I saw a box of Chocolate French Silk dessert mix — part of a line of Creamy Chilled Desserts from Betty Crocker — and had to try one. Of course, the fact that the dessert also is "No-Bake" is a plus in its favor.


Anderson

My kids and I are big chocolate fans anyway, so I had no trouble picking the Chocolate French Silk flavor over the Lemon Supreme or the Banana Cream, which are the other two flavors in the Creamy Chilled Dessert line.

One 12.25-ounce box of dessert mix cost $2.65 and fills either an 8x8x2-inch pan, a 9x9x2-inch pan or a regular pie plate. The mix is supposed to make eight servings, but you can always make them bigger or smaller, depending on what you want.

Label advertising is almost not there, except for the "New!" on the front and "Betty Crocker Creamy Chilled Desserts are great for any occasion!' on the back.

You have to make three different layers — the crust, the filling and the topping — so the mix requires three steps. And let me warn you about something — logic has nothing to do with it. The steps are easy enough — add melted butter to the crust mix and press it in the bottom of the pan; add milk to filling and topping mixes and put them in the pan — but read the directions carefully. We made the mistake of *assuming* that first you made the bottom layer (crust), then the middle layer (filling) and then the top layer (topping).

Wrong! First you make the crust, then you make the *topping*, and finally you make the chocolate filling, so instead of going 1-2-3, you actually go 1-3-2. We didn't add enough milk to the filling and had to back up and try again.

But even after we goofed and corrected our mistake, the Chocolate French Silk dessert turned out to be very tasty. The young taster said it's "difficult to make, but wonderful to taste."

I'd like to go back and try the Lemon Supreme one now.

One question I have though — why do they call it "French Silk?" It's basically a chocolate crumb crust with chocolate mousse filling and creamy whipped topping.

Oh well. Tastes good, no matter *what* country it's from.

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Linda Anderson is a Reporter-Telegram *staff writer.*

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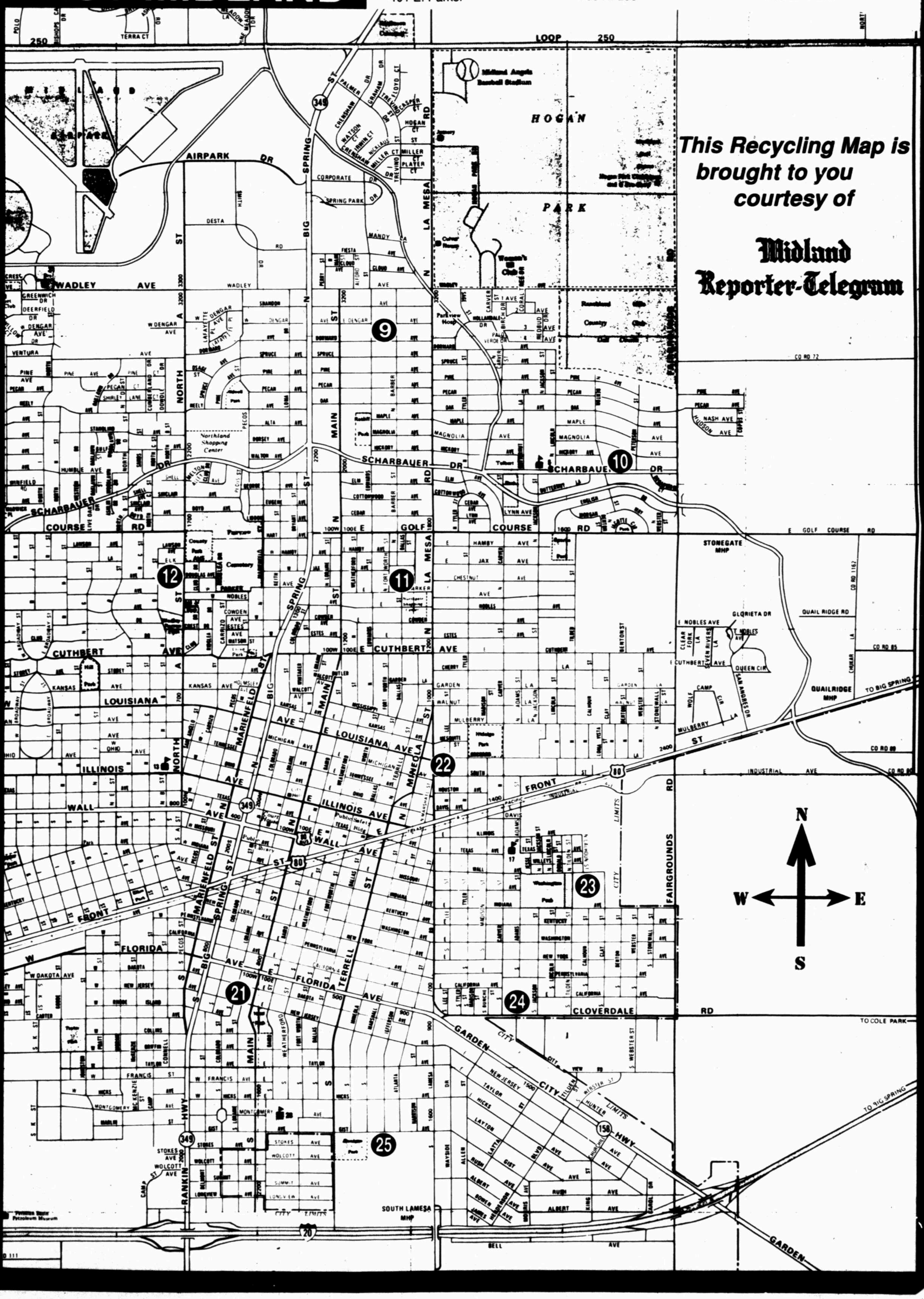
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SWM, 19, 5'5", into dancing, rodeos, movies, family time. Seeking petite, sincere, slender female, 19-22, must like children. VMB 6888

Spoil me!
SBF, 25, 5'9". Seeks SBM, 25-35, 6ft.+, nonsmoker, nondrinker. Enjoys church activities, working out, having fun, romantic quiet times. VMB 1718

Hopeless romantic
SWF, 18, 5'3", 115lbs., green-eyed brunette, enjoys having fun. Seeks fun-loving guy, 20-23, for friendship, possibly more. VMB 3222

SWF, 34
5'4", blue-eyed blonde, enjoys family life, bingo, movies, reading. Seeking dependable, good-humored S/DWM, 28-38, with similar interests. VMB 0687

Big, beautiful
Single woman, 31. Seeking B/HM, 31-40, employed, drug-free, good communication skills, for candlelight dinners, quiet walks in park. VMB 1881

SWM, 39
Student, nonsmoker, single parent, enjoys life, movies, fishing. Seeks S/DWF, fun-loving, down-to-earth, family-oriented, kids o.k. VMB 1401

SWM, 34
Very confident, spontaneous, financially secure. Enjoys music, cooking, movies, quiet times. Seeks SWF, 35-45, social drinker, children okay. VMB 4956

Classy, blue-eyed. . .
Blonde DWF, early 50's, enjoys dance, travel, relocation possible. Prefer healthy, handsome DW gentleman, 45-59, secure, commitment-minded. VMB 4740

Handsome Dallasite
Becomes Midlandite DWCM, 40, tall, healthy, outgoing executive. Desires attractive, humorous lady, 20's-30's, to pamper, for monogamous relationship. VMB 7005

Happy-go-lucky DWF
5'3", blue-eyed brunette, fun, enjoys life, laughter, baseball, dancing, movies. Seeking honest, drug-free SWCM, 38-45, for fun and friendship. VMB 6627

Professional SWM
Educated, athletic. Enjoys snow-skiing, romantic evenings, quiet times. Seeking SF, 24-40, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2433

DWM, 34
6'1", 178lbs., likes running, biking, partying. Seeking slim, attractive, athletic, independent, self-confident, normal SW/HF, 25-35, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 1724

SWM, 21
5'11", 200lbs., brown-haired, brown-eyed, enjoys movies, dinner, kids, sports. Seeking S/DWF to spend time with, who has similar interests. VMB 3996

The blacker the berry
SBF, 24, seeking tall, light, handsome, employed, drug-free S/DH/WM, for romance. The sky's the limit. VMB 0328

Low-keyed DWM, 38
6ft., blue eyes, brown hair, medium-built, 215lbs., good career, casual dresser, nondrinker. Seeking medium-built, professional SWF. VMB 0201

Pretty DBCF, 45
Nicely-built, sincere, loves God, church, dining, movies, poetry. Seeking mature, sincere, secure S/DCM, older preferred. Possible relationship. VMB 6506

Can't dance
But loves romance, hearts and flowers filled with lonely hours. Blue-eyed, 6'1", kinda cuddly DWM, 39, seeks S/DWF, 25-45. VMB 5876

Classy DWF, 43
Intimate, shapely Austinite. Seeks distinguished, financially secure, sincere, professional WM, 40-55, for friendship, companionship. VMB 6226

Fun-loving SWM, 28
5'11", professional, enjoys outdoors, movies, dancing. Looking for that special S/DW/H/AF, 21-31, to share friendship, possible relationship. VMB 3959

With respect
Seeking respectful lady, S/DW/HF, who still awaits, deserves proper treatment. Call and see! DHM, 29, 5'8", light brown eyes. VMB 0224

SWM, 38
Black hair, green-eyed, 5'8", enjoys fishing, camping, bowling, motorcycle riding. Seeking honest, down-to-earth SF, 35-38, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2135

SWHF, 19. Brown-haired,
brown-eyed, outgoing, funny, likes to have fun, enjoys music, conversation, clubs. Looking for SH/WM, similar interests, for friendship. VMB 0306

Heart of gold
DWCM, 42, easygoing, professional, secure job, smoker, likes outdoors, not into games. Seeks S/DCF, 30's-40's, race unimportant. VMB 2829

Half-fast DWF
Seeking half-slow DWM, 40-55, to make life complete. Give it a try, there's half a chance you'll like me. VMB 5592

Attractive SBF, 26
Enjoys books, movies, music. Seeking attractive, honest SBM, 25-32, for fun times, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2726

Good friend wanted
Energetic, easygoing SWF, 39, 5'3", 120lbs., welcomes good friend in sincere, honest, caring SWM, 35-4, nonsmoker, nondrinker. VMB 6636

DBF, 44
Sound mind, well-adjusted person, enjoys traveling, movies. Seeking S/DM, 44-50, with similar interests, for possible relationship. VMB 0294

Fun-loving SWM, 34
Enjoys all outdoor activities, movies, car shows, fishing, camping, music and reading. Seeking S/DW/HF, 30-45, for serious relationship. VMB 2500

Personable DWF
50's, 5'8", optimistic, interesting, enjoys traveling, dancing, movies. Seeks DWM, 48-60, with similar interests, for companionship. VMB 4559

SWM, 34. 6 ft., 160 lbs.,
professional, financially independent, athletic, enjoys movies, outdoor activities, traveling. Seeking S/DWF, 28+, for friendship, relationship. VMB 1505

A real cowboy
DWM, financially secure, dark hair, dark eyes. Seeking S/DWF, 28-40, who enjoys western dancing, sports, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 2506

DWM, 38
5'7", 160lbs., single parent, two children. Likes football, softball, bowling, fishing. Seeking sincere WF, 34-42, for possible relationship. VMB 0169

SWF, 24. Attractive, slim,
energetic, mother of two with zest for living. Seeks sincere, monogamous, financially secure, nonsmoking, drug-free WM, 24-30. VMB 0220

Party doll
SWF, 45, desires love with someone special, nonsmoking SWM, good conversationalist, 30-50, enjoys country music, romantic evenings, endless possibilities. VMB 0971

Why be lonely. DWM, retired,
financially secure. Wants slim, trim lady, 45-60, to go steady with, later marry, must enjoy traveling. VMB 2149

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10-25-94 #326

DWM, 54
5'11", 175lbs., brown hair, eyes, enjoys reading, movies, staying at home. Seeking muscular, humorous SWM, 30+, relationship. VMB 0204

Country charm
Distinguished, tall SWF, 50's. Seeking sincere, nonsmoking SWM, 51-58, 6ft.+, for friendship, enjoyment and possible relationship. VMB 6324

DWM, 33
5'10", 162lbs., enjoys country, Christian music. Loves the Lord, dining, movies, outdoor activities. Seeking WCF, 28-36, interested in relationship. VMB 4329

DWM, late 40's
Classy, slim, blond. Seeks attractive, slender SF, who might enjoy dining, dancing, travel, friendship, possible relationship. VMB 1976

Widowered WCM, 61
5'11", 175lbs., retired teacher, who loves Christ, Bible studies, Christian tapes, seeks petite, widowed WCF, mid-50's, nonsmoker, nondrinker. VMB 6786

Older man
SWCM, 68. Seeks S/DBCF, who loves God, church, dining, movies and having good times. Sincere ladies need only apply! VMB 3577

DWF, 42
5'10", attractive, professional, fun-loving, nonsmoker, independent, spontaneous. Seeks attractive, professional, tall S/DWM, 35-45, for candlelight, dancing, outdoors, movies, companionship. VMB 0025

DHM, 34. Nonsmoker,
enjoys dancing, traveling, dining, quiet evenings. Seeking S/DW/HF, for possible relationship. VMB 6337

DWCM, 38
Desires friendship, companionship with honest, sincere S/DWCF, 35-45. Life is supposed to be fun, I intend to enjoy it. VMB 1947

SBF, 34
5'5", enjoys walking the park, dining out. Seeking attractive S/DWM, 30-40, 6ft.+, for a long-term relationship. VMB 2496

SBF, 26
5'7", 145lbs., mom, nonsmoker, nondrinker, romantic, enjoys cooking. Seeks attractive S/DWM, 30-40, 6ft.+, for long-term relationship. VMB 5466

SWF, 50's
Energetic, loving, caring, loves country music and dancing, family gatherings. Seeking tall, cowboy-type man, 38-48, with same interests. VMB 2749

SWF, 23
Large, lovely, senior elementary education major, loves working with children, talkative, fun-loving, spontaneous. Seeking stable S/DM, 23+, possible commitment. VMB 5746

Professional DWCF
40's, honest, sincere, loving mom. Seeks degreed, tall, attractive DWM, 40-55, financially, emotionally secure, loves children, friendship, relationship. VMB 7693

DWM, 31
5'7", 145lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, nondrinker, drug-free, enjoys camping, fishing, skiing. Seeking attractive, slender S/DWF, 25-35. VMB 2389

Lonely knight
SWM, 31, seeking slim, attractive, health conscious, professional fair damsel, to help him out of dark dungeon of despair. VMB 6185

DWCF, 49
Energetic, shy, soft-hearted, nonsmoker, nondrinker. Seeks honest, sincere S/DWCM, who enjoys outdoors, walks, camping, travel, laughter. VMB 4072

New to area
Very loving SBM, 26, likes all sports, fishing, very versatile. Seeking attractive S/DB/HF, 24-28, same interests, possible relationship. VMB 1915

SWM, 21
5'11", 165lbs., enjoys country music, dancing, looking at evening sky and talking, quiet evenings. Seeking SWF, 20-25, similar interests. VMB 5396

DWM, 60
Energetic, financially secure, enjoys traveling, country dancing, outdoors. Seeking slim, petite, unencumbered, energetic S/DWF, to share life with. VMB 3830

Good-looking SWM
Professional, athletic, romantic, 5'10", blue-eyed. Seeks sincere, honest, slim, attractive S/DWF, 25-35, for friendship, dating. VMB 2339

Attractive DWF
5'3", 135lbs., enjoys most things in life. Seeking S/DWM, 55-65. VMB 2779

Sincere DWM, 34
Enjoys weekend getaways, camping, movies, dining out, quiet evenings, walks. Seeks S/DWF, 25-40, with similar interests, possible relationship. VMB 4537

DWCM, 32
6'2", 200lbs., red hair, green eyes, active. Enjoys camping, fishing, mountains, dancing. Seeking S/DWF, 22-39, for friendship, possible relationship. VMB 7883

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75 Legal Notices

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed bids will be accepted in the office of the Midland County Purchasing Coordinator, First Floor, Suite 101 of the Midland County Courthouse, or P.O. Box 421, Midland, Texas 79702 until 4:30 o'clock P.M., Thursday, November 10, 1994 to be opened by the Commissioners' Court, Monday, November 14, 1994 at the 9:00 o'clock A.M. meeting for the following:

TWELVE (12) POLICE PACKAGE CARS
AND
ONE (1) 12-PASSENGER VAN FOR THE SHERIFF
AND
ONE (1) POLICE PACKAGE CAR FOR THE CONSTABLE

Midland County reserves the right to reject any bid or any part of the bid and to waive all formalities.

Specifications and bid information may be obtained from the County Auditor's Office, First Floor, Suite 101 of the Midland County Courthouse.

James D. Ross
County Auditor

LEGAL NOTICE

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Bid #20-95 for:
Airport and Hangar Keepers Liability Insurance for Midland International Airport and Midland Airpark, Midland, Texas for the Administrative Services Department.

Bid #21-95 for:
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Information for Bidders, Proposals Forms, Specifications and General conditions for bidding may be obtained from the office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, 300 N. Loraine, Midland Texas.

Purchasing Division
City of Midland, Texas

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF INTENT TO SELL

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Bids must reference NUMBER S-111, ONE (1) 1990 MOTOR GRADER, on the outside of a sealed envelope containing same.

James D. Ross
County Auditor

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF DOROTHY FREE ELMORE

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Dorothy Free Elmore, Deceased, were issued to the undersigned, J.L. Elmore, on October 14, 1994, in the proceeding indicated below, which is still pending, and that they now hold such Letters. All persons having claims against said Estate which is being administered in Midland County, Texas, are hereby required to present the same to the undersigned in care of Hal Kempf, P.O. BOX 10927, Midland, Texas 79702, before suit upon same is barred by the general Statutes of Limitation, before such Estate is closed, and within the time prescribed by law.

J.L. Elmore
Independant Executor of the Estate of Dorothy Free Elmore, Deceased
Cause No. 10,931 in The County Court of Midland County, Texas.

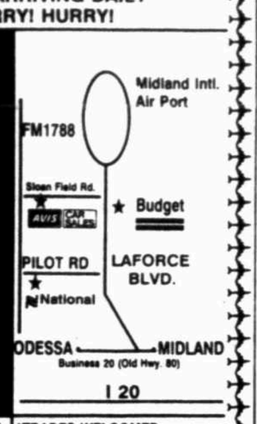
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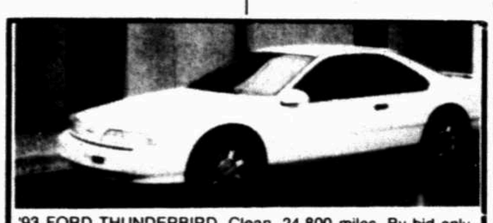
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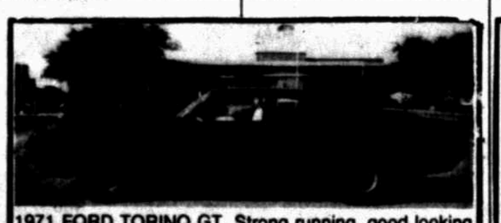
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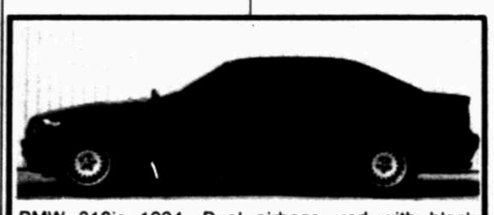
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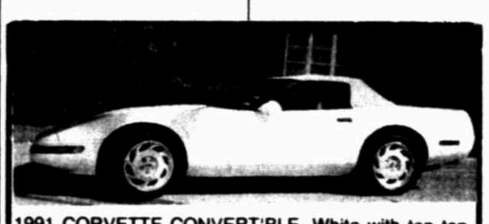
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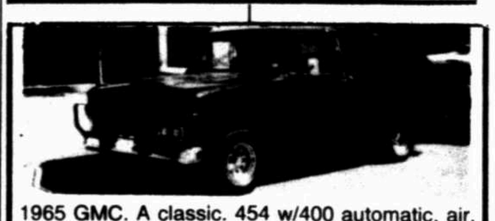
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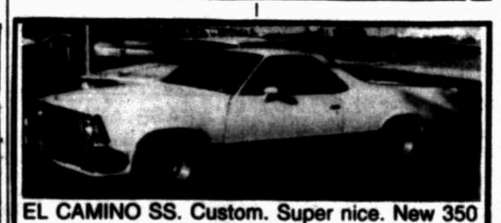
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NOW HIRING! Michael's Charcoal Grill. Full time/ part time. Counter Help & Cashiers. Apply in person ONLY at 4317 W. Illinois. No phone calls please.

SALES
EARN Extra $$ for the Holidays! Fun, rewarding-sell Discovery Toys! 1-800-484-9415 Code 9100.

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Now accepting applications at 3614 W. Wall. Applicants must have verifiable references. Looking for Evening & Midnight Clerks.

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ADVERTISING
Full and part time positions available. Must be reliable, self motivated and wanting to have fun while earning $10 plus per hour. Apply in person at 3322 N. Midkiff. No phone calls please.

RESTAURANT
NOW Accepting applications. All positions. Day shifts and Night shifts available. Sonic Drive-In. 2310 N. Big Spring.

NIGHT CLUB
NOW hiring Bar Backs and waitresses. Must be TABC certified. Apply Tuesday through Friday 12-2 pm at 1006 S. Midkiff, Cactus Moon.

DRIVER
MORNING and weekend driver needed. Must be at least 21 years old, clean driving record. Call 563-5911 for appointment.

MECHANIC'S HELPER/ Local Driver needed. Must have CDL license. Pay will depend on experience. Excellent benefits. Tom Thorp Livestock Trucking. 1621 Old Ballinger Hwy. San Angelo, Tx 915-655-5152.

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LIFEGUARD wanted. Current WSI, First Aid and CPR. No phone calls. Apply at 2300 Butternut-YMCA.

MANAGER
KIDS MART. Assistant Manager. Minimum 2 years management experience necessary. Benefits. Apply in person, Midland Park Mall.

HOUSEKEEPER
PERMIAN BASIN Center For Battered Women has an opening for a part time housekeeper, to work 8 pm to 8 am, Saturday-Sunday nights each weekend. Call 683-1300 for an application.

HOTEL
THE MIDLAND Holiday Inn is accepting applications for the following positions: Breakfast Cook and Working Chef. Experience a plus. Benefits for full time employee. Apply in person. 4300 W. Wall.

APARTMENTS
COUPLE to manage small complex. 2 Bedroom apartment and small salary for management and light maintenance duties. Send resume to: Manager, 405 Sunset Apt. #5, Midland, TX 79701.

310 General Help Wanted

DRIVER
WANTED: Truck driver for short hauls in the Permian Basin. Call Mon.-Fri., 689-6161.

311 Medical Help Wanted

MEDICAL SECRETARY is needed for doctors office. Send resume to: BOX B-06 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

EMTS
WANTED Certified EMTs only. Experience a plus but not necessary. Bring resume and apply in person at Texas Employment Commission, 501 N. Loraine, Midland Texas, Job Reference No. 7083545. An equal opportunity employer. Paid for by employer.

CERTIFIED NURSE AIDE & CERTIFIED MEDICATION AIDE. Qualifications: High school graduate or GED, able to follow oral instructions, registered in Texas or consider in an approved training program. Complete application or mail resume to: Midland Presbyterian Homes/ Manor Park, 2208 N. Loop 250 W., Midland, TX 79707. EOE M/F.

CERTIFIED Nursing Assistant 6-2 position available. $5.25 per hour. Apply in person Rockwood Manor, 2000 N. Main.

DENTAL Assistant. Experience preferred. Benefits. A cover letter that reflects your personality and desire should accompany your resume. Send to Suite #165, P.O. Box 3, Midland, TX 79702.

312 Professional Help Wanted

GEOLOGIST/ Mudlogger's. Top pay for experience. Computerized units. Send resume to: BOX A-10 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

SYSTEM ADMINISTRATOR to maintain an Oil & Gas Company's Engineering/ Geology and Accounting Computer software and hardware systems. Send Resume to: P. Libby, 2807-74th St., Lubbock, TX 79423.

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Tax Accountant

Independent Oil & Gas Company is seeking a highly motivated Assistant to the Tax Manager, with primary responsibility for State Tax compliance and reporting. Qualified applicant must have two years experience in oil and gas taxation, computer spreadsheet applications, and possess the ability to adapt to increased responsibility. Competitive salary and benefits. Please send resume in confidence to:

BOX B-08
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CASEWORKER

Buckner Baptist Children's Home seeks caseworker. This position is responsible for the coordination and provision of services to families and children through our Family Preservation Program. Bachelors' Degree in social work or related field required. Must be able to work evenings, flexible hours. Experience preferred, bilingual a plus. Excellent benefits. EOE.

SEND RESUMES TO:
Betty Ribordy
129 Brentwood Avenue
Lubbock, Texas 79416-1601

LAND SECRETARY
Long term indefinite assignment. Must be experienced with all phases of Oil & Gas leases, Division Orders, etc. Heavy WordPerfect 5.1 required. Bring resume to Fran A.S.A.P. No Fee.
TEMPORARY RESOURCES
1601 W. Texas

312 Professional Help Wanted

OIL INDUSTRY

MICROBES, INC.,

world leader in bioengineering and microbial enhanced oil recovery, is expanding in the Permian Basin and has openings in the Midland District office for the following:

● Technical manager-responsibilities include managing oilfield analytical lab and liaison between R&D and operations. Chemistry or Chemical Engineering degree required. Minimum 5 years oilfield lab experience.

● Microbiologist-analytical lab technician. Petroleum industry experience helpful. Minimum masters degree in microbiology.

● Sales position-Permian Basin sales representative. Minimum 5 years experience in petroleum industry sales. Salary plus commission.

Compensation depends upon qualifications. Non-smokers only. Send resume to: 731 Wadley, Bldg. O, Suite 130, Midland, Texas, 79705. ATTN: Personnel Manager. Replies confidential.

316 Sales Help Wanted

SUPERVISOR
Sheet Metal Dept.
Needs (5 to 10 Years) experience in brake shear and roll-former. Must be able to make good work decisions. Company Manufactures, sells, and rents custom structures to the commercial and residential markets. Overtime available. Holiday Pay, vacations, and good benefits. Please apply in person or send resume to: 7020 Old Katy Rd., Houston, TX 77024.

314 Clerical Help Wanted

LEGAL ASSISTANT wanted. Good secretarial skills and willingness to travel to extended periods a must. Legal experience not required. Litigation experience helpful. Salary depends on qualifications. Cal 684-5517.

SECRETARY for insurance office. Computer, phone skills, filing, customer service. Salary D.O.E. Send resume to BOX B-12 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

SECRETARY
BOBBY COX Company, Inc. Winnermaker Farm. Secretary with some accounting and PC skills. Office located in Gardendale. Please send resume to P.O. Box 301, Gardendale, Texas 79758.

LEASE ANALYST
Company seeking Lease Analyst for possible temp to perm position. Must have experience with rentals and shut in royalties. $8.00/hr. No fee. Call Tana.
V.I.P. Temporaries
915-686-9722

DATA COLLECTION SUPERVISOR
Retail management position. Grocery store environment a plus. Will be auditing shelves and products, and supervising 4-6 people. Salary DOE. No fee. Call Tana.
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A/R CLERK/ COLLECTOR
(Part-time Position)
Major company seeking Accounts Receivable/ Collection Clerk. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. required. $6.00 per hour. Duties would include contacting customers regarding past due accounts and light typing. Outgoing personality and exceptional customer service skills required.
CALL VICKEY AT
TEMPORARY RESOURCES
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OPPORTUNITY with large, well established independent oil company. We are seeking an eager self-starter to work in a fast paced, smoke free environment. Requires good telephone and typing skills, and some word processing and spreadsheet abilities. At least 1 year of office/ clerical experience is preferred. Send resume to: Human Resources Dept., P.O. Box 3609, Midland, TX 79702.

SECRETARY/ Receptionist. General office duties including computer. 520-1500.

BOOKKEEPER/Secretary
Needed immediately. Must be self-motivated and computer knowledge essential. Send resume to:
P.O. Box 7006
Midland, TX 79708

SECRETARY for small Midland manufacturing business, phone skills, word processing, light accounting required. Send resume to: BOX B-11 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

RECEPTIONIST
Temporary assignments available for receptionists with minimum of 1 year experience.
Call 697-6710 for appointment.
CAREER PATH TEMPORARIES

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Assignments available for secretaries proficient in WordPerfect, Microsoft, Lotus, or Excel. Windows is a plus.
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CAREER PATH TEMPORARIES

** LEASE ANALYST **
Immediate opening for Lease Analyst/Royalty Clerk. Must have experience in monitoring of rental and shut-in royalties. Computer a plus. $8 per hr. for this long term assignment. No fee. Bring resume to Fran.
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(Part time temp. to perm.)
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320 Skilled Trades

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PLUMBERS
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SERVICE Technician. Duties include: repair & calibration of electrical monitoring and chemical feed equipment; inventory monitoring, plumbing for chemical feed systems. Send resume to P.O. Box 2241, Midland, 79702.

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LEADS. Leads. Leads. Leads. Single need in-home sales experiance required. 1-800-925-8000, ext. 8154.

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Midland, Texas
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$25 to $50K/Per Year
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All the benefits plus a tremendous bonus opportunity.
For a personal and confidential interview, contact Sales Manager @ 684-5462. Must have dependable transportation.
E.O.E.

335 Adult Care Needed

LIVE-in Person to care for elderly man with Alzheimers in Odessa. Refernces required. Salary negotiable. 570-6516.

336 Adult Care Providers

24 HOUR Adult care service. Excellent home-like environment. Competent staff. Permanent residence for your elderly loved one or weekend retreat. 699-6945.

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MALE nurse, private duty. 16 years experience. 686-8319.

340 Child Care Needed

RESPONSIBLE Babysitter to keep my children in my home. Some evenings, some weekends. Retainer considered. References required. 570-0199.

SEEKING RESPONSIBLE Caring individual for routine house care and after school care. Excellent driving record & references required. Please leave a message. 699-2410.

341 Child Care Providers

QUALITY child care in my home. Any ages. Monday thru Friday, 6 am-6 pm. Very reasonable rates. Lots of activities. 699-6042.

LICENSED Child Care Home. Open 7 am-5:30. Snacks and lunches provided. Call 697-4479.

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CHRISTIAN lady would like to care for your children in my home. 6 am-10 pm. 3 meals per day plus snacks. References. 520-6769.

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CHILD Care; specializing in infants only. Newborns-12 months old. Lots of love and individual attention. Monday-Friday. 520-9357.

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Evening shift, approx. 32 hrs. per week. Pleasant personality, cashier experience necessary. Postal experience a plus. Pick-up an application at customer service center. Midland Park Mall.
EOE

OILFIELD RELATED, part-time work. Some nights & weekends. 30 Hours, $5 hourly. 580-5800. Terrell Employment.

CUSTOMER SERVICE Person. Full time. Recycling Center. Local references and high school diploma a must. Applications taken at 26 W. Industrial Loop, Midland. Call 687-4225.

FULL TIME Employment at Recycling Center for warehouse/ yard worker. Applications taken at 26 W. Industrial Loop, Midland. Call 687-4225.

JANITOR/ Maintenance. Part time work. Work 20-25 hours weekly. General maintenance, inside and outside. No phone calls. Apply at 2300 Butternut-YMCA.

JANITORIAL
J C PENNY
Is now accepting applications for janitorial position. 25 hours per week. Apply in person 10 am-6 pm, Midland Park Mall.
EOE M/F

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SALES
EARN EXTRA Christmas money working your own part-time hours. Apply in person, 710 W. Scharbauer, ask for Roy or Denna.

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Among the Public.
Install equipment to cable and phone lines. Must have neat appearance, excellent people skills, logical thinking, dependable vehicle. Send resume to: BOX A-07 c/o The Midland Reporter-Telegram, P.O. Box 1650, Midland, Texas 79702.

CHILD CARE PROVIDER
✔ MRS. IRENE'S Christian Daycare, full & part time positions open, experience preferred, non-smoker. Apply in person, 1007 Austin. 689-6309.

HOST/ HOSTESS
Mr. Reuban's Restaurant, 3205 W. Cuthbert, apply in person. Mon.-Fri. 1:30-2:30, Saturday 1-2:30.

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Now hiring a phone operator. Part time, flexible hours. Computer experience helpful. Apply in person, 3303 N. Midkiff (San Miguel Shopping Center).

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341 Child Care Providers

Want your child in a good clean, Christian home? Room for 2-3 (6 mos to 4 years). Will provide hot meals, flexible hours, will work Saturdays. Located between Cottonflat & Midkiff. 682-0181.

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410 Miscellaneous Sales

RESTHAVEN Memorial Park space for sale. Garden of Meditation Lot 499, Space 3. Call 683-2586.

CAMPER SHELL for Toyota 4x4, carpet kit for bed included, $500. 394-5411 After 5.

COST JMES For rent. Call Nita or Shirley at 694-4815 or 520-0116.

REDWOOD hot tub and all equipment, used one season. New condition. $1,250 takes all. 563-5114.

BARGAINS on vacuum cleaners. New and rebuilt. All makes. Rainbow, Kirby, Hoover, Eureka, Panasonic, Royal- you name it. Repair all makes. 903 S. Midkiff, 520-6464.

★ COSTUME Rental- Large selection-New-Unusual and all time favorites. Flintstones, purple dinosaur-lions and many more. Costumes by Dorothy. 694-7687.

COMPRESSORS, guaranteed appliances, TV's, barstools, piano, antique refinished china cabinets, tables, chairs, water softener. 570-4851.

WHITE WEDDING Dress, long-sleeve, with train, worn once, size 7, excellent condition. $300. 520-8263.

SATELLITE SYSTEM, Receiver de-scrambler with remote, $1,500 or best offer. Nintendo with accessories, 17 games, $125. Call 683-8039 or 448-1030 after 6 pm.

ELECTRIC hospital bed, commode chair, both in perfect condition. 337-7422 Odessa.

CLOTHES racks, shelving, displays, accessories, show cases, clothes hangers, much more. 570-4408.

HERBALIFE Independent Distributor. Call me for products or opportunity. Beverly 520-8222 (Midland).

90' SOFA, navy & white plaid $250; 2 shotguns-Remington 870 Magnum Express, Ithica model 37, 12 guage-$200 each; 2 unopened cases 1989 NBA HOOPS Cards, 2 unopened 1990 SCORE NFL FOOTBALL Cards best offer. 684-9044.

USED white siding shingles $1 each; 48" Florescent lamps $4.50 a dozen; computer terminals & line printers. Call 687-8839, 332-2262.

BLUE EVENING Gown. Worn 2 hours. Cost $500. Sell $150. 685-3020 After 7 pm.

DOG Houses $35-$45, Child's playhouse 6'x8' new $400, bookcases $35, porch swings $35, gliders. 563-0452.

BEAUTIFUL clothes, shoe collection. 6 closets full. Sport, career, evening. Come try on. Bargains! 699-4461.

REGINA Steamer/Carpet cleaner/Shampooer. 2 spd. $40 or best offer. Call 697-8295.

WALNUT coffee table, 2 end tables, TV stand, and misc! 520-3753.

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ATTENTION serious antiquers & collectors! One day only Thursday October; 27, 8 am-noon, alley of 3205 Highsky. Oak dresser, chest, table, secretary. Mahogany library table, walnut fern stand. Love seat & chair, wicker rocker. Illustrated books & pictures by Fisher, Christy, etc. Postcards, miscellaneous. ALSO new coffee table & sofa.

PFAFF 145 Industrial sewing machine with walking foot, $750. 520-3204.

LIKE new Posh baby bed with Ultra II mattress, $175. Baby's Southwest 9 piece comforter set, $150. 699-1290.

WE'VE GOT it! Moved, nowhere to put it. Antiques-glass & china. English saddle, Pioneer stereo, TV, crib, beds, furniture, Solo Flex, bikes, etc., etc. 683-9455, Leave mess.

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410 Miscellaneous Sales

NEED GOOD USED FURNITURE. Buy, sell, trade. Rowe's New & Used. 1211 S. Big Spring. 687-5966.

★ A & B Appliance. Buy. Sell. Repair. Washers, dryers, refrigerators, stoves, freezers. Warranty-Delivery. 550-6540.

SPECIAL dinette sets, bunk beds, daybeds and Futon couches. Reasonable prices. Also catalog orders available. Credit Cards and Layaways welcome. Wood & Son Appl., 2811 W. Wall, 699-1224.

CLEAN 19' Kenmore Frost Free refrigerator. $225. Also nice Frigidaire upright freezer, frost free. $225. 520-6464.

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BRAND NEW, still in plastic, any size mattress and box set with frames. Free delivery. 550-5123, 550-4232.

KENMORE microwave-like new condition. Large capacity, works perfect. $190 O.B.O. 699-2360.

PLUSH sofa Henry Don, kilm design with burgundy, teal and olive tones. Call 806-497-6739.

I BUY FURNITURE, 1 piece or a Housefull. Please call 570-0747.

BEER Keg cooler with keg & accessories, $200. Large 2 piece pit sofa, $150. 2 Solid maple twin bed footboards & headboards $100. 570-5755, leave message.

COMBINATION double oven-broiler, glass doors, continuous cleaning, exhaust and counter-top burners. $250. 563-0627.

CUSTOM LIVING Room set plus draperies, also king size bedroom set for sale. 689-2937.

3,000 SQ. FT. used light green carpet, lots of drapes. 684-7930.

COUCH & love seat, light brown pigskin, good condition; 2 antique chairs, leather seats and backs, very good condition; marble table, white, excellent condition. Call 686-3734.

★ BASSETT Hutch, couch, bookcases, collectors plates, Norman Rockwell. Reasonably priced. See at 4312 Parkdale. 520-8202.

KENMORE Washer/ dryer, $115 set. Kenmore, 16 cu. ft. freezer, $115. All 3 for $200. 683-0040 After 5.

KING Bedding set, frame and headboard. Excellent condition. Cash 682-9688 before 2 pm.

GOOD Used carpet 150 sq. yds. $2/ yd. o.b.o., kitchen sink. 688-0114 or 694-5949.

SOFA, love seat, 2 chairs, 2 ottomans-off white, all $125; 2 gold chairs $15 each; 2 computer tables $30-$50; Apple IIe computer with printer $300; after 5pm 697-0087.

COFFEE Table and two matching end tables made out of Redwood trees from California. One of a kind. Asking $700 for the set. Call 689-2643, leave message.

QUEEN Waterbed, motionless mattress, only used 1 year, heater included. 520-3701.

KING size bed with matching triple dresser. Asking $200. Call 697-2831

3 MONTH old black/green marble look dresser with mirror, queen headboard with mirror, from Lack's. Asking $300. Call 694-9973.

DINETTE SET, table, 6 chairs, good condition. Call 697-6888 after 6 pm.

SPAS-Daytona 400 and Laguna 400. Seats 5, 7 jets. Financing, warranty, and delivery available. Starting at $2,995. Call 563-1807. After 3:00 call 550-5225.

BEAUTIFUL 2 piece sofa set; excellent condition, white and southwest colors. Call 697-0523 and leave message.

410 Miscellaneous Sales

RESTHAVEN Memorial Park space for sale. Garden of Meditation Lot 499, Space 3. Call 683-2586.

CAMPER SHELL for Toyota 4x4, carpet kit for bed included, $500. 394-5411 After 5.

COST JMES For rent. Call Nita or Shirley at 694-4815 or 520-0116.

REDWOOD hot tub and all equipment, used one season. New condition. $1,250 takes all. 563-5114.

BARGAINS on vacuum cleaners. New and rebuilt. All makes. Rainbow, Kirby, Hoover, Eureka, Panasonic, Royal- you name it. Repair all makes. 903 S. Midkiff, 520-6464.

★ COSTUME Rental- Large selection-New-Unusual and all time favorites. Flintstones, purple dinosaur-lions and many more. Costumes by Dorothy. 694-7687.

COMPRESSORS, guaranteed appliances, TV's, barstools, piano, antique refinished china cabinets, tables, chairs, water softener. 570-4851.

WHITE WEDDING Dress, long-sleeve, with train, worn once, size 7, excellent condition. $300. 520-8263.

SATELLITE SYSTEM, Receiver de-scrambler with remote, $1,500 or best offer. Nintendo with accessories, 17 games, $125. Call 683-8039 or 448-1030 after 6 pm.

ELECTRIC hospital bed, commode chair, both in perfect condition. 337-7422 Odessa.

CLOTHES racks, shelving, displays, accessories, show cases, clothes hangers, much more. 570-4408.

HERBALIFE Independent Distributor. Call me for products or opportunity. Beverly 520-8222 (Midland).

90' SOFA, navy & white plaid $250; 2 shotguns-Remington 870 Magnum Express, Ithica model 37, 12 guage-$200 each; 2 unopened cases 1989 NBA HOOPS Cards, 2 unopened 1990 SCORE NFL FOOTBALL Cards best offer. 684-9044.

413 Jewelry

ROLEX, Mens President daydate 18K gold, diamond face watch. $6,800. 366-2835.

415 Miscellaneous Wanted

SOUTHWEST Company Club tickets or other airline mileage awards wanted. Will pay top dollar. 687-5039.

ELVIS items from the 1950's wanted. Send list: Sean O'Neil, 815A Foxsprings, Chesterfield, MO 63017.

WANTED to buy: game table set. Call 684-5350.

420 Good Things To Eat

TOMATOES 80¢/ pound, egg plant 70¢/ pound, peppers 70¢/ pound. 697-3612.

CUSTOM Pecan Shelling. Shelled Burketts for sale, $3.75 lb. Pickup & deliver. 682-4887.

LARGE TOMATOES, Blue Lake Green Beans & all vegetables, 49¢ a pound! Organically grown. You pick. Closed Sunday. No peddlers. 14678 N. Pecan Ave., Gardendale. 362-5708.

430 Household Goods

APPLIANCES reconditioned with 6 month plus warranty. Wood & Son Appl., 2811 W. Wall, 699-1224.

440 Firewood

DICK'S FIREWOOD. Oaks, Mesquite, Pecan & Cedar. We Deliver. 1-453-2151.

THE WOODLOT-Firewood for sale-any amount, any time. (915) 524-9878 or (915) 523-8268.

MIXED FIREWOOD for sale. Very large stacks, $55.00. $15 To deliver. 699-7358.

TEXAS FIREWOOD. Seasoned oak and pinon. Come by 3004 Front St. or call 689-2231.

GOOD seasoned firewood; oak or mesquite. Call Larry Tucker, 689-7151.

OAK, MESQUITE, & Pecan. Delivered & stacked. Jarnagin's Home & Garden Center, 701 Fairgrounds Rd. 686-8107/ 683-2522.

FIREWOOD for sale. Oak, pecan and mesquite. Call 699-4719.

HONDO VALLEY FIREWOOD and General Store, 3501 Garden City Highway. Full service dealership. Energy Efficient "Earth" stoves, fireplaces, inserts. Complete line of accessories. Chimney inspections and cleaning. All types of firewood. 694-4818, 687-0904, 694-8753.

450 Sporting Goods

MASTER Gun Smith. Service, repair, & engraving. By appointment only. 684-0809.

DICK'S CLUBS - Repairs, Grips, Custom Fitting, Clones, Junior Clubs, Used Clubs. 2605 W. Kentucky. 683-2614.

JIM'S GOLF CLUB REPAIRS. King Cobra clone irons, $200; Tommy Armour clone irons, $200; Big Bertha clone, $60. Custom fit. 3115 Haynes. 694-1334.

ATTENTION Hunters: Golden Eagle Compound Bow with accessories. Used 1 season, $150. 694-4300, leave message.

WEIGHT Bench and cast iron weight set-155 pounds. Bench-$90, weights-$100. Cross Country Skier/ Glider $100. Call 694-6312.

NEW LYNX Parallax irons for sale, 2-SW, $650. Call 550-4400 after 5 pm.

NORDIC Track Sequoia Skier-$300. Life Styler 2000 Airstepper-$100. In good condition. 684-0025, weekdays after 6:30.

460 Antiques & Art

ANTIQUES ETC. more than just antiques. Over 30 dealers with 17,000 sq. ft. of space. More choices than you can imagine. 2101 W. Wadley, Suite 9. Monday thru Saturday 10:30-6, Sunday 1-5. 682-9257.

Matteucci's Antiques, 19th and early 20th century paintings, furniture and accessories. 4400 N. Big Spring. 683-8155.

VISIT The Doll House - Antiques Etc., Plaza Center, Wadley & Garfield. 682-9257.

Yesterdays News...Antique Mall, 3712 West Wall Street 689-6373 Open 7 days "We sell memories"

COLLECTIBLE SIGNS. Dr. Pepper, Coca-Cola, Royal Crown, El Paso Natural Gas. Also, newer style chest type Coke box. Call 520-6119.

3 PIECE Antique wicker with love seat & 2 chairs; upholstered club chair with claw feet; antique brass bed (double modified to queen size); double size iron & brass bed. Call 682-6716 after 5 pm.

BEAUTIFUL antique pine armoire-6 1/2'x4'x23", German, bun footed. $625. 694-6314.

MAKING space for new items. Most items 1/2 price. Lamar's Booth, located at Craft Bizarre, 3712 W. Wall. Furniture, collector items and glassware.

ATTENTION serious antiquers & collectors! One day only Thursday October 27, 8 am-noon, alley of 3205 Highsky. Oak dresser, chest, table, secretary. Mahogany library table, walnut fern stand. Love seat & chair, wicker rocker. Illustrated books & pictures by Fisher, Christy, etc. Postcards, miscellaneous. ALSO new coffee table & sofa.

THE Cats Meow antique mall. 408 Andrews Highway, Monday - Saturday, 10 - 6. We buy and sell antiques. 687-2004.

470 Musical Instruments

PRE-INVENTORY Sale. All Gibson guitars in stock 40% Off! Roland keyboards 30% Off! Caldwell Music - 697-0852.

YAMAHA Organ, great condition, 2 keyboards, foot pedals, and many various instrument sounds, rhythms, and options. Paid $3,000, make offer. 563-2723 After 5 pm.

BALDWIN Fun Machine Organ without bench. Great for beginners. Excellent condition. $600. 682-2204.

ALPINE Casette stereo 7135, 2 Concord 70 watt amps., Alpine graphic equalizer. $125 for all, wires included. Call 368-4105 or come by 4641 Oakwood Dr.#43.

490 Computers & Accessories

✔ GEOMACS- everything for your Macintosh computing needs and more. Try a Macintosh today! 682-3026.

COMMODORE and Amiga software and games. For more information call 561-9826.

VERSATECH 8900 Series Color Plotter - plots up to 44 inches wide at 400 dots per inch. Model #8944-4E. Call 686-3757.

386 SPECIAL No Book And PCs $599. Digitizers as low as $75. Multimedia kits $299. 689-4322.

HULETT Packerd 286, 20 meg with AT PLUS memory expansion board, 3 1/2" & 5 1/4" disk drive, Winfax Lite 3.0, Logitech Mouse 6.04, EGA monitor, DOS 6.0, Windows 3.0. Also, 40 meg IDE I / O harddrive. $375 or make offer. Call 570-1139.

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BLACK Cocker mix female, sweet disposition, good with kids. Shots. 684-6143.

1 each male & female kittens, Siamese markings, would like to keep together, inside cats. 699-6748 after 6.

RED male Heeler, 4 years. Blue female pregnant Heeler, 3 years. 687-2923.

Classified Can! 682-6222

500 Pets & Supplies

DOG Training in your home. Obedience/ problem correction. Local references available. 23 years experience. 697-9943.

AKITA AKC, OFA 2 month old puppies. Champion line. $380. 697-0904.

AKC BRITTANY puppies; orange and white, parents on premises. $150 each. 682-1525.

PARTI-Colored AKC Cocker Spaniel puppy. Black & white. Personality plus. Written guarantee. 683-9199.

LONELY Dalmatian needs good home. AKC, good papers. $150. Call 686-9515 leave message.

AKC puppies. Pomeranians, Chihuahuas, Papillions. All shots, vet checked, J & L Kennels. 334-8946.

BLUE Heeler puppies, 2 females left! $50. 806-497-6739.

AKC Registered Japanese Chin puppies. 7 weeks old. First set of shots. 2 brown and 2 black. $250. 682-8265.

AKC Snow White German Shepherd puppies. Bred for size and protection. Males $325, females $300. Also black and tan available. 915-928-3301 Abilene.

AKC Rottweilers. 2 females, 8 weeks, shots. Call 699-6421 after 6.

LABRADOR Retriever Puppies. Now taking deposits. Adorable, champion bloodlines, 3 yellow females, 1 yellow male, 2 black males. Born 9/30/94. $250. 697-5744.

1 AKC MINIATURE Pinscher puppy and 1 AKC Yorkshire Terrier puppy. Shots and wormed. 915-758-6441.

NEEDS HOME. 1 1/2 Yr. old Dalmatian. Spayed, current shots. Very loving & playful. To good home ONLY. 520-5069 Leave message.

Checkers..Black/white male Boston Terrier.
Bridget..Red/white female, spayed Springer Spaniel-longhaired, docked tail.
Ike..Neutered male, Basset Hound-black/brown/white coat.
Tea..Beautiful, symetrical, female Calico kitten.
Opal..Large, loving, spayed female Russian Blue with peach markings-longhaired.
Adorable kittens! Calico, tuxedo, white longhaired, brown tabby, tortoise shell, black and many more.
These plus many more animals are up for adoption at the Big Spring Humane Society. Dogs/puppies are $45, Cats/kittens are $35. Covers spay/neuter, vaccinations, leukemia test and rabies shot. 267-7832.

505 Livestock / Poultry

1 MINIATURE Donkey, registered, 4 1/2 years old. Good dog chaser! $500 firm. 683-4169.

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Year end sale on 94's.
Open Saturday 8-5,
Sunday 1-5.
4 Miles past I-20 on Garden City Hwy. 158, on the left.
684-7001 or 683-2215.

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HORSE QUALITY Coastal Hay. Round bales, $55 a roll. Small square bales, $4.75 each. Call 1-800-457-4358.

510 Office Supplies

SALE-SALE-SALE! Walnut finish executive desk $145, 4 drawer legal file $50, 5 drawer legal file $75, executive high back swivel chairs $50, secretary chairs $25, side arm chairs $15, drafting table $75, many more choice bargains. The Paper Clip, 1201 So. Big Spring, Monday-Friday, 8-5.

HERMAN MILLER Partitions, 6'-$200 each (have 78); 2 Times 2 File cabinets, excellent condition; 1 American Security office safe. Call 686-3734.

ROYAL TQ620 portable electronic typewriter, almost like new! $225 or best offer. Call David 689-2302.

KIMBELL Light oak executive desk, credenza, and book case with swivel chair, 2 side chairs. Excellent condition. $600. Call Hal Gill at 683-5474 daytime or 694-3941 evenings.

DRAFTING Table - Excellent condition. $150. Cannon Copier-NP 3825, new drum. $1,000. 682-1782.

520 Store, Shop & Cafe' Equipment

CLOTHES racks, shelving, displays, accessories, show cases, clothes hangers, much more. 570-4408.

550 Portable Buildings

WE move, buy, sell and rent portable buildings.
MORGAN
563-1860

570 Oilfield Supplies

FOR SALE: Structural rods and pipe of all sizes at bargain prices. Call 682-1546

WANTED pipe and sucker rods. Call 684-6405.

FOR SALE: oilfield electric motors. Rebuilt/guarantee from 5 horsepower 1,200 - 1,800 RPM. 685-0636, 559-4167, 682-1546.

570 Oilfield Supplies

11,000' 2-7/8", 6.4#, N-80 SealLock tubing, National J-165 Triplex Pumb AL-BR fluidend. Contact Ed Armstrong in Pecos, 915-447-9010.

6,100 FEET, 2 7/8" tubing, drifted and tested 7,000 lbs. $1 per ft. Call 915-694-2081.

BETHLEHEM 228-256-74 electric motor and panel, portable base. FOB Crane County. $6,500. 366-1841.

TUBING: 2 3/8 J-55, 2 7/8 J-55 & N-80, Pumping Units and Sucker Rods. Call 915-682-3131.

1983 PERMIAN 500 barrel tank battery (2-500 welded, 1-285 open top fiberglass, 1-4x20 heater treater). 1980 PERMIAN 300 barrel tank battery (2-300 welded, 1-250 fiberglass, 1-4x20 heater treater). 1-750 BARREL welded gun barrel with epoxy lining. Days 683-3033/ evenings-Jay 697-3747 or Rick 694-2047.

MICROFISCHE logs & 2 log cabinets, logs cover Texas Districts 7, 8, & 8A, New Mexico (Southern, Township 1 South thru Range 37E). $15,000. Call 686-3779.

GENERATOR HOUSE with 2 85 KW Detroit generator sets, gas compressor-Joy with 817 Waukesha late style engine and air fin cooler; 456 Lufkin pump jack, 228 American pump jack. 915-570-6216.

603 Roommates Wanted

ROOMMATE wanted to share 2 bedroom, 2 bath, double car garage townhouse. References required. 697-8566.

605 Apartments Furnished

ALL Utilities Paid! 1 & 2 bedroom apartments. Deposit required. 501 W. Louisiana. Call 685-0911 or 683-5161.

REDUCED Rates. Spacious 1 or 2 bedrooms now available. All utilities paid. Refrigerated air. Swimming pool. Laundry. Carports. Imperial Apartments, 405 Sunset, 694-9978.

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TOWNHOUSES, Garages, patios, pool, spa, & tennis. One bedroom, $369. Two bedrooms, $449 or $469. Three bedrooms, $549. Country style living in the city limits. LEI SURE ESTATES, 682-5622.

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PATIO Townhouses. 1710 North A. Two bedrooms - private patio, covered parking. One bedrooms available. 682-4783.

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CRESTLAWN APARTMENTS - ONE bedroom $200; Two Bedroom $225 with water paid. 601-A Watson. 683-2535.

TRELLIS Apts. features 1 bedroom apts., 2 bedroom townhomes and Corporate rentals. Call for information 697-0177.

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NOW leasing: One & Two bedroom. $100 Off first months rent. Senior Citizens Discount. 699-7246.

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1 BEDROOM Duplex available. Gas & water paid. Starting at $200. 304 A & B W. New Jersey. 683-6450.

FOR RENT: Nice 2 bedroom, 2 bath, 1 car garage. 685-1240.

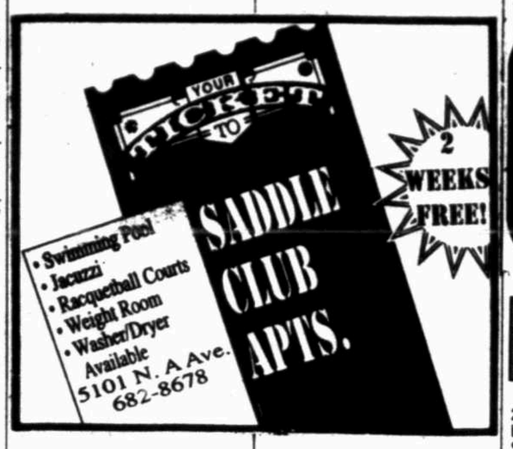
LARGE 1, 2 & 3 BEDROOM. Starting at $230. Westpark Apartments, 2928 W. Louisiana. 687-4514.

LOW, Low Rent! 3 Bdrm - $375 monthly. We pay water. Available Nov. 1. 505 W. Nobles (Downtown). 567-7965.

LOW, Low Rent! 2 Bdrm - $275 Fenced yard. 508 W. George. Near Scharbauer & Big Spring. 567-7965.

★ WINDSOR PLACE. Park-like setting, peaceful, clean. Studio-3 bedrooms, $165-$450. Available now! 694-6696.

610 Apartments Unfurnished



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$719.00 A MONTH for a one of a kind, three story, two bedroom, two & 1/2 bath, Southwestern townhome, Mexican tile & berber carpet. Las Colinas, 697-8770.

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A really nice place to live! Extra large 1 bdrm apts. Year round pool w/beautiful Sundeck. Refrigerated air/heat. Dishwashers, laundry, cable TV. No pets. Only $225/mo., $100 deposit.
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LARGE 3 bedroom, with stove, laundry hook-ups. 504 West Parker. $375 monthly. 2 bedroom with stove, refrigerator, laundry hook-ups. 502 West Parker. $300 monthly 694-1508 after 5.

ALL bills paid. 1 and 2 bedroom apartment homes, excellent location. $305-$385. Abby Court, 694-2549.

620 Houses Furnished

2 BEDROOM furnished. $250 monthly. All bills paid. $100 deposit. 686-8067.

ATTRACTIVE Small 1 bedroom, living room, kitchen. Private entrance. 694-3623 or 697-4502.

625 Houses Unfurnished

4726 STOREY; 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1 car garage. $550 monthly, $450 deposit. No pets. 505-839-9687.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, 2 car garage, hot tub. Bush/ Abell/ Lee. $750/ monthly. 683-4130.

NICE, clean 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage. John Underwood Real Estate, 682-9378.

2 BEDROOM, 1 bath, washer/ dryer, appliances furnished, completely remodeled. $450. Must be approved by HUD. 3509 Cunningham. 520-0604.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, double garage, fireplace, refrigerated air, fully carpeted. Excellent neighborhood, near all schools. Available Nov. 1st. $750 Monthly plus deposit. Call 682-3185. Leave message.

4809 SHADYLANE; 3 bedroom, 2 bath. $525 a month, $400 deposit. ERA Carriage, 684-5881.

3520 IMPERIAL; 4 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, 2 car garage, sequestered master bedroom. $750 a month/ $750 deposit. Lynn Walker, Coldwell Banker 689-7700.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, sunken living, fireplace, formal dining, laundry room, (about 1,850 sq. ft.,) double garage, fenced yard. $775/ $775 deposit. 4101 Compton Dr. 570-8965.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, fireplace. Lee/ Bush District. Quiet cul-de-sac. $700 month. Available Dec. 1st. Call 687-0699.

IN Country (1788 S.) between Midland & Odessa, clean 3 bedroom, 2 bath. 563-0249.

3 BEDROOM, 1 bath, 2 living areas, $475 plus deposit. Henderson school district. 570-5643.

3 BEDROOM, 1 3/4 bath, fireplace, fenced yard, central air/ heat, 4614 W. Wilshire. $475 Monthly/ $300 deposit. 697-8668 After 5 pm.

4802 A BEDFORD; small 1 bedroom duplex. Carport, backyard, westside. $265 monthly. 520-8903.

VERY nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath duplex. Preferred non-smoker. $600 deposit/ $600 monthly. Call 689-2573 or after 5 520-0025.

SMALL 1 bedroom cottage near downtown, $200 monthly plus deposit. Call 686-9617.

FANNIN Schools. 3 Bedrooms, fireplace, formal dining, available now. $800 Per month. Call Kay Pederson 682-4922/ Chaparral 686-7000.

2602 DELANO. 2 Bedroom, 1 bath, ceiling fans, washer/ dryer connections, $350 monthly/ $250 deposit, drive by then call 697-1708, leave message. Available Nov. 1st.

615 Apartments Furn & Unfurnished



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2 EXCEPTIONALLY nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath. $450 and $485 per month. Agent 694-9853.

DUPLEX. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace. Across from Anson Jones Elementary. Available November 1. $500 per month. 689-8653.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, 1 car garage, large storage/ workshop in back. $575 monthly. $500 deposit. 4304 Mercedes. Available November 15th. Call after 6 694-6860.

2 BEDROOM duplex. Appliances optional. $300 monthly. $150 deposit. No pets. 214-B Mitchell. 687-4198.

SEVERAL nice homes and townhomes, $350-$850 monthly. Small office $100. Jeannie Printz, Agent 699-5636.

1000 CANYON, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths. $450 monthly, $225 deposit. Call 520-4935.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath, 2 car garage, fireplace, fenced yard. Westside. $625 a month. $300 deposit. 682-0559.

WON'T Last Long! Great family neighborhood! 4 bedroom, 2 bath, sunroom, fenced in patio and storage building in backyard. Fannin area; 2506 Frontier. $875. 520-8012.

2628 MARIANA. Large 3 bedroom, 2 bath , 2 living areas. Fireplace, country kitchen, dishwasher, disposal, ceiling fans, built-in bunk beds. Large patio, fenced yard. $595 plus $375. 699-7538.

625 Houses Unfurnished

DOWNTOWN OFFICE Space. Individual room or suites from $65/ month. No extra charges. 682-6000.

OFFICES from $100 monthly. Receptionist/ secretarial services $100 monthly. Large office suites also available. 4500 W. Illinois, 520-1500.

RETAIL Space For Lease - 2400 sq. ft., 3000 sq. ft., & 6000 sq. ft. Reasonable rates & terms. Call 915-235-8290.

ACCOUNTANTS, ARCHITECTS, INSURANCE Professionals or others who desire highly visable signage Wall Street, close-in Downtown, 3 or more offices available. 682-5305 or nights 682-0123.

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FAIRMONT Park; 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage. Deposit $700, monthly $850. 697-4160, leave message.

635 Condos & Townhouses Furn.

BEAUTIFUL Large Executive suite overlooking pool & palms. Immediate possession. $585/ bills paid. 699-4461.

640 Condos & Townhouses Unfurn.

NOW Leasing - Autumnchase Condos-1 and 2 bedrooms. Microwaves, washer/ dryer connections, fireplaces, covered parking, basic cable, no pets. 3814 Holiday Hill Rd. 520-0722

FAIRGATE Townhomes-4411 Fairgate Drive. 2 bedrooms $650, 3 bedrooms $700 per month. 1,620 sq. ft. livable, appliances furnished, fireplaces, washer/ dryer connections, garages. Northwest side. 697-9566.

2 BEDROOM CONDO. Upstairs/ downstairs. All electric. Beautiful courtyard. Nice atmosphere. $400 Monthly/ $200 Deposit. 689-0784, 697-5074.

DELUXE 1 & 2 bedroom townhomes. Garages, fireplaces, washer-dryer connections. Quiet and spacious. 689-8116.

650 Mobile Homes Furnished

LARGE 2 bedroom, 2 bath completely furnished including washer, dryer, appliances and furniture. Also, 3 bedroom, 2 bath furnished with washer, dryer, refrigerator and stove. 684-5920. Greenwood District.

660 Mobile Homes Space Rental

CLEAN large mobile home park. Dumpsters, paved roads, free water, cablevision. $39 monthly. 563-3510, 550-7505.

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665 Business / Prop. Office Space Rental

ONE ROOM Office, $70. Two room office $120
MEC Building. Call Beverly Vaughan. 686-2008.

AVAILABLE For lease, 2,500 to 3,500 sq. ft. at Regency Center. Highly visible, heavy traffic. 2205 N. Big Spring & 2209 N. Big Spring. Call 682-5204 or 699-1265, Dr. Domingo.

RETAIL/ OFFICE. Various sizes. Fairmont Park Shopping Center. 3323 N. Midland Drive, B & J Plaza, 206 N. Midkiff. Call 683-8681. Owner managed.

BEAUTIFUL architecture. High visability corner. Perfect, Prestigious, Professional Offices. 1301 W. Illinois. Both Buildings $950! 699-4461.

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OFFICES from $100 monthly. Receptionist/ secretarial services $100 monthly. Large office suites also available. 4500 W. Illinois, 520-1500.

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667 Commerical Property for Lease

16,000 + Sq. Ft. OFFICE/ Warehouse on approximately 3 acres, paved access and yard, fenced, 5 ton crane. McKENZIE-OWEN 684-6278.

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WAREHOUSE with office, restroom. 800 to 2,000 sq. ft. Midkiff Business Center, Midkiff and Industrial. 683-8681.

MIDLAND INDUSTRIAL WAREHOUSE, 2601 W. Industrial. 1800 sq. ft. and 4500 sq. ft. units available. Dock height and ground access. Security gate - secure units. Contact Terry Hancock, The Bonner Group, Inc. 686-3622.

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RUIDOSO Cabins, Houses, Condos - nightly, weekly. Some with hot tubs. Don Harmon, Four Seasons Real Estate 800-822-7654.

RUIDOSO Rentals nightly. Cabins, condos, some hot tubs. Century 21, Aspen Realty. 800-657-8980.

RUIDOSO: 3 bedroom-2 bath and 2 bedroom-2 bath. Very nice, completely furnished. 2 night minimum. 697-1337.

685 Hunting Leases

DOVE and quail lease. Coyanosa, Texas. Call 697-7371 leave a message.

DOVE and quail leases over 100,000 acres Frying Pan ranch. Dane 337-0921, 366-4932, Larry 561-8636.

$30 PER DAY, deer and quail, 13,000 acres, Howard and Borden county. 915-399-4884.

GREENWOOD Feed & Supply. Deer Corn, $4 a bag. Deer stands with 55 gallon drums, $120. Call 570-7333.

DOVE and quail hunting by day lease in Fisher County. Call 915-776-2605.

WEST Texas Mule Deer Hunting. 5 hunters only. Days 445-2398, evenings and weekends 447-3921.

LARGE Deer. Game managed. 3,300 acres Robert Lee. Turkey, dove, quail. Yearly lease. 689-2022.

LOOKING for Colorado Hunter to haul small Jack to Monta Vista, Colorado. Will pay part of gas. Robert Sigmon, 915-639-2424.

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