Water proposal on ballot

Rural county voters concerned about underground-water quality to vote on land annexation

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Panel mulls trade pact

Backers, critics of proposed free trade agreement involving Canada, Mexico, U.S. testify

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Veterans get NFL axings

Dexter Manley, Dave Duerson and a host of other one-time heroes were sent packing on Monday

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TUESDAY NEWS WATCH

School enrollment

Midland schools — pre-kindergarten through 12th grade — had an enrollment of 20,750 students on the first day of class Monday, said Ted Miller, coordinator of communications for the Midland Independent School District.

That figure is 97.5 percent of the anticipated peak enrollment of 21,673 for the year. Some Midland schools reached the anticipated peak on the first day of class, Miller said.

In comparison, last year's first day enrollment total was 20,077 with an actual peak of 21,132 students, reached four weeks after school began.

This year's student count is the largest to date, Miller said.

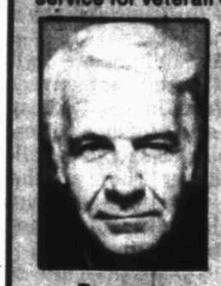
"We have continued to increase enrollment consistently since 1982. There has not been a drop, not even during the bust," said Miller, who added that in the last two to three years the increase has been the most dramatic.

Copter crashes

NEW ORLEANS — One person died and 12 suffered various injuries when a helicopter carrying workers to an offshore oil rig crashed into the Gulf of Mexico, about 170 miles south of Lafayette. "It was on landing approach about a quarter-mile from the platform," said Neill Osborne, vice president of operations for Petroleum Helicopters Inc., owner of the aircraft.

Reasoner service

NEW YORK — A memorial service for veteran CBS correspondent Harry Reasoner will be held Sept. 5 at Lincoln Center's 930-seat Alice Tully Hall, CBS said Monday. Reasoner died Aug. 6 of a heart attck.



Reasoner

Those eulogizing Reasoner will include jazz pianist Hank Jones, a longtime friend of Reasoner; ABC sportscaster Jim McKay, and three of Reasoner's "60 Minutes" colleagues — executive producer Don Hewitt, humorist Andy Rooney and correspondent Mike Wallace.

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Republics spurn unity

Leaders: Soviet Union is disintegrating

Codes issue raises security concerns

MOSCOW (AP) — The disclosure that the Soviet coup plotters seized the codes for launching the country's nuclear weapons raised questions Monday about the security of the vast arsenal in times of turmoil.

One major point of concern emerging from the bungled takeover that briefly toppled Mikhail Gorbachev is the fate of tactical nuclear weapons deployed in the Soviet republics now striving for independence.

A Gorbachev aide, Anatoly Chernayev, said Sunday that plotters who approached Gorbachev at his Crimean dacha seized a briefcase containing the launch codes, but apparently could not have used them without the Soviet president's help.

Richard Woff, editor of the book "Jane's Soviet High Command," published by the respected British defense analyst Jane's

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■ 'The whole of the center is dead,' official says.

N.Y. Times News Service

MOSCOW — The Soviet Union is rapidly disintegrating, President Mikhail Gorbachev and Soviet leaders admitted Monday.

At a grim session of the Soviet parliament, Gorbachev seemed to be struggling to reverse the process, while others indicated it was speeding up.

Perhaps as soon as next month, the Soviet Union, the only country other than the United States to earn the post-World War II title of "superpower," could cease to exist.

"People are saying that I came back to a different country. I agree with this," a broken and dispirited Gorbachev told the parliament, which listened, but did not offer the customary welcoming or farewell applause.

Please see **SOVIET**/2A

Midlanders debate tax increases for hospital

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Midland citizens decried the general trend of rising taxes and the failings of medical care just as others minimized a tax increase and lauded health care Monday evening in a public hearing on a proposed 8 percent increase in Midland County Hospital District's tax rate for the 1992 fiscal year.

"Somewhere these taxes have got to stop," W.J. Richmond said.

Richmond said he has no quarrel with the district's seven-member board, "which is trying to do its job."

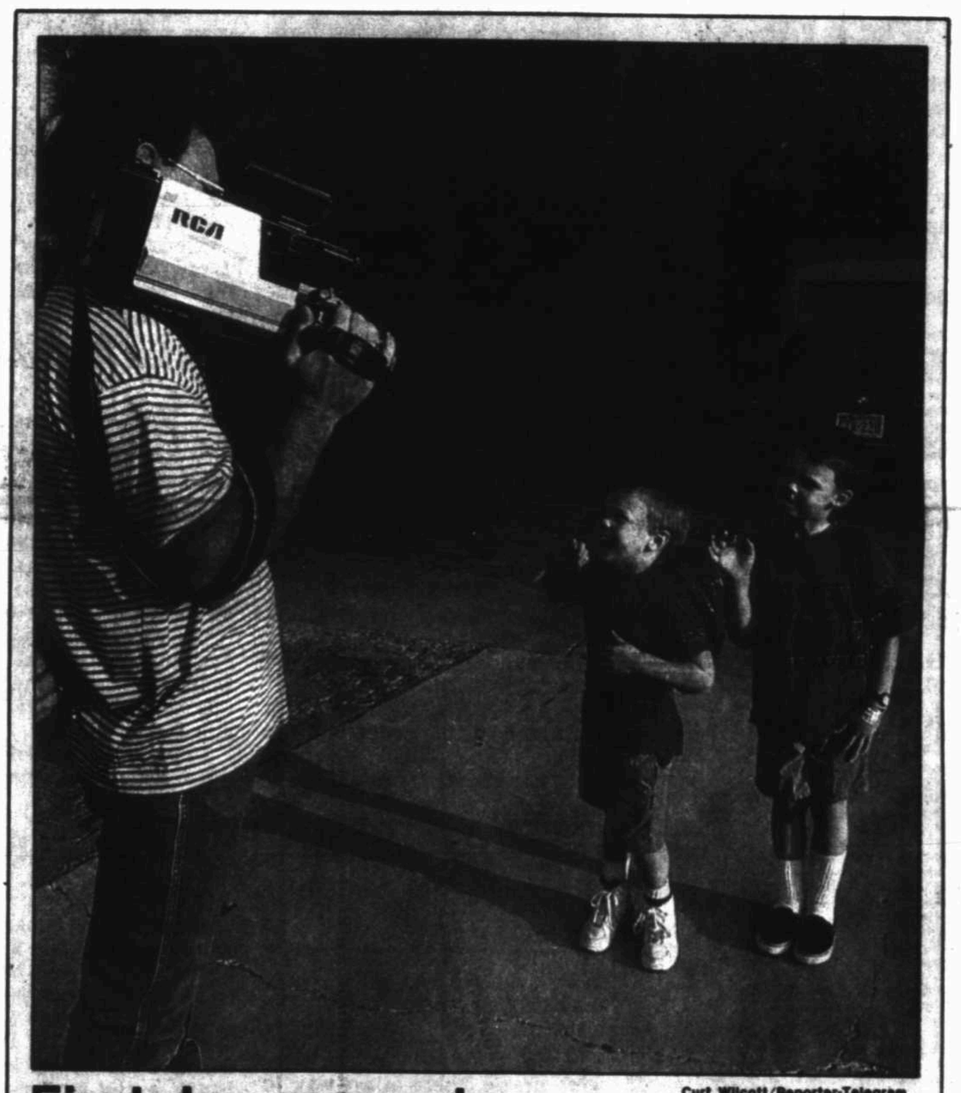
But soaring taxes that place more demands on living costs — particularly for those on fixed incomes — have got to stop, he said.

The board oversees the hospital's budget and medical care, and is charged with setting a tax rate to generate revenue to fund hospital medical services for the indigent — the poor who are unable to pay for medical care.

The hospital is to adopt the tax rate and Midland's Memorial Hospital and Medical Center budget for the 1992 fiscal year beginning Oct. 1, at 5:30 p.m. Thursday in the hospital.

Edna Walger, a 70-year-old self-

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Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

First day memories

Midlander Denny Snelson captures that "special moment" with a camcorder as his sons, Tyler, left, and J. Tom, leave for their first day of school.

Remapping plan draws Craddick's criticism

Associated Press

LUBBOCK — Several West Texas Republicans on Monday called a redistricting plan approved by state lawmakers an "obvious attempt to solidify Democratic votes" and vowed to fight the plan which slices up many of the major cities reaching from the Panhandle down to the Permian Basin.

The plan cuts up Midland County three ways, with part of the county in Combest's district and the rest divided between District 17, now served by U.S. Rep. Charles Stenholm, D-Stamford, and District 23, now served by U.S. Rep. Albert Bustamente, D-San Antonio.

"It's one of the worst plans ever passed in Texas history as far as redistricting goes," said Rep. Tom Craddick, R-Midland. "It's total political gerrymandering. I think it's going to have a tough time in court."

Craddick already has filed a lawsuit in federal district court in Austin challenging the redistricting plans proposed by the Texas House and Senate.

"The gerrymandering is so bad, the Legislature has wasted their right to conduct the redistricting," Craddick said. "When this plan is

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Board: Verbal scores on SAT hit all-time low

NEW YORK (AP) — Scholastic Aptitude Test averages sank to an all-time low for verbal skills in 1991, continuing a six-year slide that many blame on failure of schools and families to coax students into rigorous studies.

Math averages also declined for the first time in 11 years: down 2 points from last year to 474, according to figures released Monday by The College Board.

Scores on the verbal section averaged 422 — the weakest showing since national data were kept in 1969. Verbal averages had risen from 424 in 1980 to a recent peak of 431 in 1985, but have since eroded steadily.

"The simple fact is that even our best students generally don't know enough and can't do enough to assure success in tomorrow's world," said U.S. Secretary of Education Lamar Alexander.

Board President Donald M. Stewart warned that the

Please see **SCORES**/2A

KKK printed materials are distributed in city

The Reporter-Telegram received a number of calls Sunday and Monday after subscribers found various pieces of Ku Klux Klan printed material in their yards, in some cases near the Sunday and Monday editions of the newspaper.

That caused some to consider that the materials may have been distributed with the newspaper. The materials were not inserted in the newspaper but were sometimes found nearby. As a result, speculation is that distributors of the material hoped it would be more likely picked up if it was with The Reporter-Telegram, as opposed to being an outright effort to directly associate the two.

"Either way," said Reporter-Telegram Publisher Charles Spence, "the newspaper in no way was involved in the distribution of the Ku Klux Klan materials, nor would we permit such publications to be inserted in or distributed with The Reporter-Telegram."

The printed material, apparently distributed Sunday, included what appeared to be back issues of Klan tabloid newspapers as well as single-sheet informational flyers. Much of the material bore the slogan, "Support the local Christian patriots who distribute this newspaper" along with the address of the Klan in Waco.

Copies of the printed material appeared to be most heavily distributed in, but not restricted to, an area from Garfield Street west to Midland Drive and from Illinois Avenue north to Wadley Avenue.

The flyers, signed by "Michael D. Lowe, grand dragon, Realm of Texas," referred to a rally in Midland that the literature said was scheduled for 4:30 p.m. Sept. 7 in Windland Park on Wadley Avenue. The Midland Parks Department confirmed that a permit request for the rally had been made and approved.



AP Laserphoto

Wanda Webb Holloway

'Cheerleader hitman' trial testimony begins

■ Murder-for-hire plot set up by scheming brothers, defense says.

HOUSTON (AP) — A woman accused of trying to hire a hitman to kill the mother of her daughter's cheerleading rival was the victim of brothers scheming to take her children away from her, defense lawyers said Monday.

Lawyers on both sides promised to show how tangled family relationships and a bitter divorce resulted in the solicitation of capital murder and kidnapping charges against the suburban homemaker.

Authorities claim Wanda Holloway contacted Terry Lynn Harper, her ex-husband's brother, after her 13-year-old daughter, Shanna, lost a spot on the cheerleading squad a second time to Amber Heath.

"She kept saying, 'I hate this girl,'" Harper, 36, testified. "She said, 'I want to get rid of her. I hate her mother. I want to get rid of her, too. I want these people done away with."

Authorities allege that Mrs. Holloway, who lives in nearby Channelview, hoped Amber Heath would be so upset about her mother's death she would drop out of the next cheerleading competition, improving Shanna's chances of winning.

Verna Heath testified Monday that she was startled to hear about the murder-for-hire plot, but said Mrs. Holloway's jealously did not surprise her.

"When they told me her name, I said, 'Does this have anything to do with cheerleading?' because it all kind of fell into place," Mrs. Heath said.

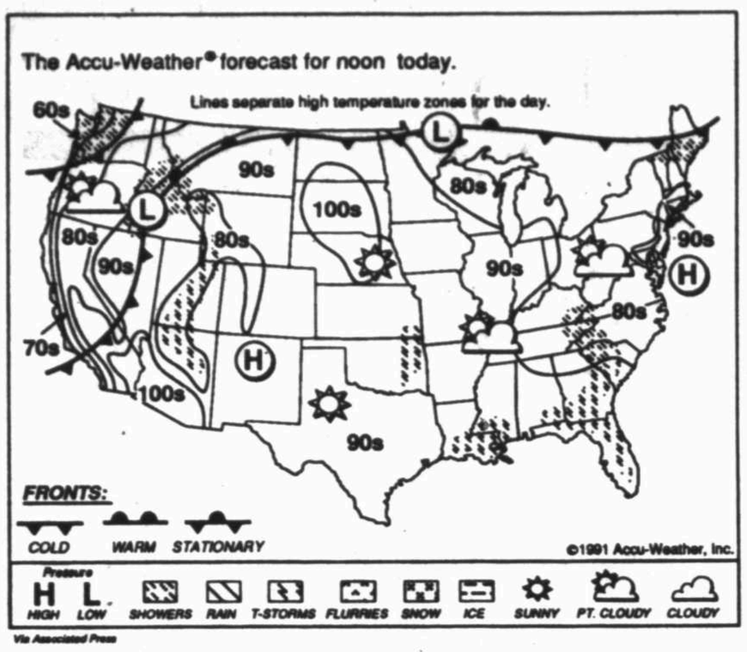
Harper described in detail his first conversation last fall with Mrs. Holloway in which she asked him if he could arrange for Mrs. Heath or Amber to "be done away with."

"She asked me what I would do. I said you could get one of these Colombian drug lords and have her taken to Colombia and have her sold into white slavery."

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WEATHER SUMMARY



Via Associated Press

Clouds, upper 80s on tap

Today's forecast calls for partly cloudy skies with a high in the upper 80s and southeast winds at 5 to 15 mph, according to the National Weather Service in Midland.

Tonight will be partly cloudy with low in the mid-60s and a less than 20 percent chance of isolated thunderstorms.

Wednesday is expected to be partly cloudy with a high in the upper 80s.

After an overnight low of 65, Monday's high was 88 compared with the record high for that date of 103 in 1964. The record low for today's date was 61 set in 1961.

STATE

Scattered thunderstorms swept across parts of South, West, north cental and northeast Texas Monday.

The thunderstorms dampened areas along the southeast Gulf coast and portions of West Texas, including the Permian Basin and the Big Bend area. Partly cloudy skies prevailed over other areas of West Texas.

Temperatures across North Texas were below seasonal normals with readings only in the mid-80s and lower 90s as of 3 p.m. In South Texas, readings were in the 80s and 90s, while temperatures across West Texas ranged from 80 degrees at Marfa to 91 degrees at Wink.

NATION

Thunderstorms were scattered from the southern Plains to the East Coast on Monday. Temperatures soared past 100 on the northern Plains while the Northwest chilled to record lows.

At midday, showers and thunderstorms extended from eastern Texas and eastern Oklahoma over southeastern Missouri and the lower Mississippi Valley to the southern half of the Atlantic Coast.

Heavier rainfall during the six hours up to 1 p.m. CDT included 1.17 inches at Blytheville, Ark..

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Midland statistics

FORECAST:

Today: Partly cloudy, high in the upper 80s, southeast winds 5-15 mph.

Tonight: Partly cloudy, low in the mid-60, less than 20 percent chance of rain.

Wednesday: Partly cloudy, high in the upper 80s.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE READINGS:

Yesterday's High	88 degrees
Overnight Low	65 degrees
Sunset today	8:20 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:21 a.m.
Precipitation:	
Last 24 hours	0.00 inches
This month to date	1.58 inches
Year to date	16.18 inches

LOCAL TEMPERATURES:

6 p.m.	82	6 a.m.	67
7 p.m.	82	7 a.m.	66
8 p.m.	79	8 a.m.	66
9 p.m.	76	9 a.m.	70
10 p.m.	72	10 a.m.	75
11 p.m.	72	11 a.m.	80
midnight	70	noon	84
1 a.m.	69	1 p.m.	85
2 a.m.	69	2 p.m.	83
3 a.m.	68	3 p.m.	85
4 a.m.	69	4 p.m.	87
5 a.m.	68	5 p.m.	87
		6 p.m.	87

POLLEN COUNT:

Trees	6 L
Weeds	58 H
Grasses	46 H
Molds	841 M
Dust	Moderate

Warning: Weeds, grasses
Provided by office of Dr. John D. Bray

Area forecast

West Texas: Isolated to widely scattered mainly afternoon thunderstorms through Wednesday Edwards Plateau, Big Bend, and Far West. Otherwise partly cloudy days and fair at night. Lows tonight mostly 60s with upper 50s in mountains. Highs today and Wednesday upper 80s and lower 90s except lower 80s southwest mountains and around 100 Big Bend river valleys.

Weather elsewhere

	Hi	Lo	Prc	Otlk
Albuquerque	91	63		cdy
Atlanta	86	72	.05	cdy
Atlantic City	79	62		cdy
Baltimore	82	64		clr
Boston	81	59		clr
Chicago	93	65		clr
Cleveland	88	69		clr
Denver	94	61		cdy
Detroit	88	68		cdy
Flagstaff	82	49	.06	rn
Indianapolis	88	68		clr
Kansas City	96	69		cdy
Las Vegas	99	75	.04	clr
Los Angeles	79	65		clr
Louisville	82	72		cdy
Memphis	88	73	.01	cdy
Milwaukee	94	71		clr
Nashville	82	71	.88	cdy
New Orleans	91	71		cdy
New York City	81	62		clr
Oklahoma City	92	70		cdy
Orlando	92	73	.07	cdy
Philadelphia	87	66		cdy
Phoenix	106	87		clr
Portland,Ore.	77	51		rn
Reno	86	51		clr
Sacramento	77	56		clr
St Louis	91	73		cdy
San Francisco	66	55		clr
Seattle	69	49		cdy
Shreveport	91	69	1.01	cdy
Spokane	80	46		cdy
Topeka	95	65		cdy
Tulsa	94	72		cdy
Wichita	95	68		cdy

Texas temperatures

	Hi	Lo	Ppn
Amarillo	90	63	
Austin	93	71	
Beaumont-Port Arthur	92	74	
Brownsville	95	74	
Bryan-College Station	94	71	
Corpus Christi	89	75	
Dallas	93	73	
El Paso	93	66	
Fort Worth	92	70	
Galveston	88	80	
Houston	92	71	
Laredo	103	73	
Longview	89	68	
Lubbock	91	62	
Marfa	81	54	
Presidio	95	69	
San Angelo	91	65	
San Antonio	95	69	
Victoria	93	71	
Waco	94	69	
Wichita Falls	92	68	
Wink	93	66	

DEBATE: Citizens voice concerns about tax trend

(From 1A)

styled political activist and president of the Citizens Against Taxpayer Abuse (CATA) in Midland, said that the elected board has "never ... represented the taxpayers of the (hospital) district.

Midland taxpayers, Mrs. Walger said, have "reached the limits of what we are willing to contribute to the charity that provides medical care for the needy," which is a "generous" $6.5 million a year.

However, tax revenue dedicated to paying for health care for the indigent is about $2 million short of costs and is absorbed by the hospital's so-called profits, according to hospital figures.

Mrs. Walger said the difference between the hospital's tax revenue and "whatever is needed to provide necessary health care for the poor of this community" can be "funded out of these profits," which she called spectacular.

She urged the hospital, which "seems to be trying to be the only game in town" in medical-care delivery, to become more of a quality-care center.

"The hospital is but a microcosm of what is wrong with the health-care system in this entire country, and something has to be done," said Mrs. Wagler, who received the loudest applause of the evening from approximately 150 taxpayer-citizens.

Among those attending were hospital administrators, nurses and physicians and members of Mrs. Walger's CATA group.

Robyn Kedzie, director of the hospital's Medical-Surgical Division, touted the hospital health care.

"People will use the hospital that provides the best care in the most economical manner," Ms. Kedzie said. The nurse said the apparent loss of faith in the hospital "is as puzzling to me as it is ill-conceived and ill-considered."

Maudie Rains, the hospital's director of nursing education, cited the hospital's crucial role in life-saving monitoring systems.

Dr. Paul Best, a hospital Emergency Room physician, added that, "If there is an emergency, this (Memorial Hospital) is the only show in town."

By law, the hospital is required to give care to all patients presented to the hospital, Best said.

In emergencies, said Midland pathologist Dr. Chris Hall, the hospital doctors and nurses "don't have time to take a financial history (to ascertain indigency). We have to act."

Leslie Hinds, a Midlander for 42 years, said the proposed increase in the tax rate is small.

"It doesn't amount to anything," she said.

The proposed tax increase on a Midland house appraised at $53,000 would be about $7 a year, according to a hospital spokesman.



Brian Adamcik/Reporter-Telegram

Hospital board members, from left, Jean Pittman, Dr. Stephen Wiesenfeld and Tom Bruner listen to public discussion of a possible tax increase at Midland Memorial Hospital.

Larry Lawrence, who agreed that Midland does have "good, quality health care," was critical of the board, which has blamed CATA for the $17,000 cost of the rollback election that CATA called for after the board in 1990 proposed a 19.6 percent tax increase. Had the board asked for more than a 20 percent tax increase, a rollback election would have been automatic, Lawrence said.

Adela Marmolejo, a member of the Midland Independent School District's board of directors, lamented that she "did not receive the loving care" she had expected at the hospital when she was a patient.

"I do not mind paying taxes," Ms. Marmolejo said, but "I didn't appreciate the way I was treated."

Midlander Bill Wilson, former mayor of Skellytown in the Texas Panhandle, said taxes are out of hand.

"If the taxing authorities around here don't stop raising taxes," he said, "they are going to see a revolution, and Russia can take notice."

SOVIET: Superpower soon could cease to exist

(From 1A)

Armenian President Levon Ter-Petrossian told the parliament: "The whole of the center (central government in Moscow) has completely outlived itself. It is dead. It committed suicide."

The country that Gorbachev ran for the last six years of more than seven decades of Communist Party rule appeared likely to split into as many as 12 to 15 separate countries. They would have common economic and defense interests, but would be tied together only by transport, communications and energy networks, and by any treaties freely arrived at among the independent states.

Most importantly, they would no longer be governed by a federal government in Moscow.

Leaders of all but two of the 15 republics — the small Central Asian republics of Tadzhikistan and Turkmenia — are hurrying their states toward independence.

Several said they would turn to Russian President Boris Yeltsin, head of the most powerful and populous Soviet republic, to organize the liaison among the new neighbors.

Yeltsin said Sunday that a new accord to replace the proposed union treaty would be hammered out by mid-September. It may turn out to be simply an agreement of cooperation among free states.

There was no more need for a national parliament or national government nor for a federal defense ministry, Kazakhstan's President Nursultan Nazarbayev said. Kazakhstan is the second largest and third most economically important republic, and until last week Nazarbayev was one of the strongest supporters of Gorbachev and the treaty.

"Today a moment of truth has come," he said.

Each independent state should have its own foreign policy and army, he said. They could combine armies if threatened and would control the Soviet Union's nuclear arsenal and reactors with a committee of representatives from each state, he added.

Nazarbayev recommended that the Baltic republics of Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia plus Georgia and Moldavia be granted their freedom immediately.

Communist Party hard-liners held Gorbachev under house arrest in the Crimea last week until a popular uprising personified by Yeltsin defeated their attempt.

They had launched the coup on the eve of the signing of a new union treaty in order to stop Gorbachev from yielding much of Moscow's power to the republics. Ironically, their lack of success appears to have left the Kremlin not just less powerful, but virtually powerless.

CONCERNS: Plotters seized codes, aide says

(From 1A)

Publishing Co. Ltd., said he believed the Soviet system for deploying the weapons rendered the coup plotters incapable of using them.

The launch system required the cooperation of the Soviet head of state, a top Defense Ministry official who holds the codes, and the military's General Staff, which actually launches the weapons, Woff said.

"He would then have had to coordinate the other two points of the triad," Woff said of those who held the codes. "And I don't think he'd have been able to do this.

"There would have been someone on the General Staff who would have sensed the madness of this and would have pulled the plug."

The new Soviet defense minister, Yevgeny Shaposhnikov, also denied that the coup plotters — some of whom may still be at large — ever had the ability to launch a nuclear strike.

But Woff, in an interview, said the seizure of the codes constituted a serious breach of security nonetheless.

"There was a very serious possibility of the codes falling into the wrong hands," he said. "If they did get hold of this case, why were they allowed to get hold of it?"

U.S. Defense Secretary Dick Cheney told NBC Television on Sunday that the codes were retrieved after the coup collapsed last Wednesday and were returned safely to the central government.

"Most of the strategic systems that we are most concerned about are located in the Russian republic," Cheney said. "They appear to be, at this point, clearly under the control of the government."

REMAPPING: W. Texas leaders react to plan

(From 1A)

thrown out, the Democratic party is going to have to take all the blame for it."

"Looking at the way the lines were drawn, there is no way to confuse the fact that the districts were drawn to solidify Democratic votes," said U.S. Rep. Larry Combest, R-Lubbock.

"Redistricting should be done in the best interest of the people, not what's best for the politicians," said Combest, representative for the 19th District, which encompasses the western half of the Panhandle along the New Mexico border south to Odessa.

Under the redistricting plan approved by the Legislature on Sunday, portions of Amarillo, which straddles the Potter and Randall county lines, would be realigned from District 13 to District 19.

The plan takes East Lubbock, an area populated by Democratic communities of blacks and Hispanics, out of District 19 and into District 13, now represented by U.S. Rep. Bill Sarpalius, D-Amarillo.

"There is no question that the driving force behind this redistricting plan was protecting Democratic incumbent congressmen. Everything else was secondary," said state Sen. Teel Bivins, R-Amarillo.

"West Texas cities were needlessly mutilated," Bivins said. "This plan totally ignores the number one concern of the public, which is keeping the communities of interest in one piece."

But Sarpalius, whose 13th District was extended eastward to pick up the eastern half of the Panhandle over to portions of Wise and Denton counties near Dallas, has said splitting Amarillo and Lubbock will benefit the voters.

"With parts of Amarillo and Lubbock in two districts there would be some real opportunity for congressmen to work as a team to help constituencies," Sarpalius said.

The Senate voted 18-13 Sunday to redraw lines for a House plan calling for 30 congressional districts, each with a population of 566,217, and the House agreed with those changes on a 73-58 vote.

Phil Duncan, spokesman for Sarpalius, said the Republicans are the ones to blame for any redistricting shortcomings.

"The Republicans are trying to cover up for the ineffectiveness of their efforts in the Legislature," Duncan said Monday. "Those are the people that should be called on for an answer. Those are the people that were allowed to vote on the redistricting plan, not the Democrats in Congress."

Each 10 years, after the census count, legislators are charged with redrawing district lines for the state House and Senate, the U.S. House and the State Board of Education.

Any redistricting plan also must be approved by the U.S. Justice Department under the Voting Rights Act, and when it is all over, the plan can still be challenged in court.

SCORES: U.S. averages continue a six-year slide

(From 1A)

SAT results signal a growing gulf between a top-scoring "educational elite" and an "underclass of students academically ill-prepared for the demands of college or the workplace."

Only 7 percent of the more than 1 million high school juniors and seniors who took the test in the 1990-91 school year managed verbal scores of 600 or better, according to board statistics.

Both sections of the multiple choice exam are scored on a scale of 200-800, with a combined 1600 being the highest.

The College Board, a private, non-profit organization representing more than 2,800 colleges and other educational institutions, sponsors the test; the Princeton, N.J.-based Educational Testing Service administers it.

Board officials attributed the decline to factors in and out of school.

Among them: the steadily increasing number of minority youngsters taking the test, said Robert G. Cameron, the board's senior research associate.

Minority students make up 28 percent of SAT test-takers, compared with 11 percent in 1973, the board reported. An additional 8 percent said English was not the first language they learned, and another 8 percent said they learned English and another language at the same time.

Though welcome news that more minority high school students seem to be aspiring to college, many continue to score far below national averages.

Blacks averaged 385 on verbal, 351 on math — 160 points below the combined national average of 896. Students identifying themselves as Mexican-Americans scored 377 on verbal, 427 math; Puerto Rican students averaged 361 verbal, and 406 on math.

Asian-Americans averaged better on math than any ethnic group, 530.

White students averaged 441 verbal, 489 in math for a combined 930 — 34 points above the national average.

Score declines also mean many schools aren't assigning enough homework, aren't stressing writing, and are offering students watered-down math, Cameron and others argue.

Outside of school, many blame excessive television viewing, parents who do little to encourage reading for pleasure, and peer cultures that play down achievement.

TRIAL: Accused was a victim, defense says

(From 1A)

Harper said as courtroom spectators giggled.

Harper said Holloway asked how much that would cost, and when she expressed surprise at his estimate of up to $20,000, he recalled telling her, "Lady, this ain't no five-and-dime burglary; this is a federal offense."

"I just wanted to get out of the car at that point," he said.

Harper testified he contacted police about the plot because "I wanted to cover me. If anything happened to this woman or little girl, I wanted them to have heard it from me, first."

Pete Rayes, a friend of Mrs. Holloway's son, Anthony Shane Harper, told jurors he recalled a Christmas party conversation with Mrs. Holloway.

"She asked me if I would kill Verna Heath. I laughed and continued the conversation," Rayes said.

Mrs. Holloway, who was arrested Jan. 30 and has been free on bond, was dressed in a red suit on the opening day of her trial. Her daughter did not attend the proceeding.

Harris County Sheriff's office Detective George Helton, who set up the meetings, testified that Harper and Mrs. Holloway met three times between Jan. 10 and Jan. 28. Helton said Harper gave him five tapes, a pair of diamond earrings valued at $2,200 and a savings account record from Mrs. Holloway's bank.

"She was very concerned with the cost," prosecutor Mike Anderson said in his opening statement.

But defense lawyer Troy McKinney said her thrift was evidence she wasn't serious about the crime. He said she and her current husband are worth $2 million and routinely keep up to $7,000 in cash in their house.

"Money would not have stood in her way," he said.

McKinney said Harper, having learned of Mrs. Holloway's disappointment about Shanna's cheerleading defeat, contacted her and said, "I can take care of that for you.' But Wanda said, 'That's crazy.'"

Several times in the taped conversation, Wanda demurred on the murder plot, at one point saying, "Blow it off! I don't want to do it," McKinney said.

"Why would Terry Harper do this? Because he was the black sheep in the family. His way to get back in the good graces of his brother was to call and say, 'I've got a way for you to get your children back."

Tony Harper lost custody of his children in a bitter 1980 divorce from Mrs. Holloway.

McKinney said a star witness would be Terry Harper's sixth wife, who would testify that the two brothers were setting up Mrs. Holloway. She also will testify that Harper told her he was contacted by Mrs. Holloway but told her, "No one thought she was serious," he said.

"She laughs and jokes and plays around throughout the tape," McKinney said.

Testifying early Monday were the assistant principal and cheerleading sponsor of Alice Johnson Junior High School, describing two years' of competition between Amber Heath and Shanna Harper.

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Soviet Legislature convenes in confusion, guilt

MOSCOW (AP) — When the Supreme Soviet legislature convened Monday, one week after the start of the failed coup by hard-liners, guilt was high on the agenda.

"We have much to talk about and much to ask ourselves. We must pay dearly for three days of silence when all of the country and all of Moscow was crying out," said Ivan Laptev, acting chairman of the parliament, in an address to his colleagues.

Unlike the Russian Federation parliament, which met in emergency session during the coup last week with menacing tanks nearby, the national legislature did not convene.

The lawmakers were trying to explain where they were during the coup — switching sides, searching for new allies or ducking for political cover.

Others who once played a key role in legislative debates — the leaders of the coup — were missing, dead or under arrest for their role in removing Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev from power for three days last week.

Gorbachev was back, but he no longer commanded the same authority. That seemed to have been sapped when he appeared at the Russian Parliament in the coup's wake with a clearly stronger Russian President Boris Yeltsin.

Gorbachev spread the blame on everyone at Monday's session, including himself. The coup "did not come out of the blue," he said.

"There were portents in the hysterical publications by the rightists, in our press and at Central Committee meetings, and provocative statements by some generals, including from the rostrum of the Congress of People's Deputies, and open sabotage of many perestroika-related decisions by party-state structures," Gorbachev said.

Before the session began, Anatoly Lukyanov resigned as chairman because of accusations by Yeltsin that he was behind the junta. "Lukyanov was the priest and the Supreme Soviet was the parish," said Askar Akayev, president of Kirghizia and a lawmaker.

Lukyanov walked around the corridors dazed after lawmakers cheered a proposal to strip him of his parliamentary immunity so he could be prosecuted. Gorbachev's old law school classmate was unable to explain why if he opposed the coup, he didn't convene the legislature or speak out.

With Lukyanov no longer running the session, Gorbachev could not bend the legislature to his will as in the past.

In the vestibule of their Kremlin meeting hall, somber lawmakers walked past a row of black-and-white photographs taped to the wall that showed barricades around the Russian Federation's Parliament building, columns of tanks, and tens of thousands of protesters.

There were no pictures of the national Supreme Soviet.

"When the president was in captivity and city streets became tank grounds, we waited for commands," Laptev said.

Although Gorbachev appeared in better form than in the initial public appearances after the coup's end, he seemed unable to part with old allegiances. "I am in my soul a man of socialist ideas," he told reporters as he left the floor.

The very word "socialist" seemed out of tune with the democratic wave that was sweeping the 542-member legislature, composed primarily of conservatives.

Leaders of the hard-line Soyuz group, which had supported a bid in June to give extra powers to former Prime Minister Valentin Pavlov, one of the coup leaders, said they now backed Yeltsin.



AP Laserphoto

Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev, surrounded by his security guards, leaves the Kremlin Monday evening after addressing a lengthy session of the Supreme Soviet in Moscow.

Lithuania starts to reclaim its border; envoys arrive in Baltics

VILNIUS, U.S.S.R. (AP) — The first foreign diplomat to the Baltic states in 50 years arrived at his post Monday as a host of nations took moves to recognize the independence of the three breakaway republics.

In Lithuania, which has suffered the brunt of Kremlin-backed crackdowns this year, officials started to reclaim control over the border and started issuing visas.

"I said I would not return to Lithuania unless it is free," said Aldona Valis, who fled Lithuania for the United States in 1943 when she was 19. "Now it is free and it will be recognized by everybody."

Ms. Valis, of St. Petersburg, Fla., was one of the first people through Lithuanian passport control at the Vilnius airport.

Lithuanian President Vytautas Landsbergis and other Baltic leaders have appealed to the Supreme Soviet to officially reject the 1940 seizure of the three republics — Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia.

"We are free. It's a formal question only, but it would then be completely resolved. It would be easier for us," Landsbergis said.

Independence movements in the Baltics and other Soviet republics took advantage of the Kremlin power vacuum after last week's failed coup and the purge of hard-liners who opposed secession.

The Baltic republics, with a combined population of 8 million people, were independent between the world wars. They were swallowed by the Soviet Union under a secret agreement with Nazi Germany.

Iceland on Monday became the first nation to officially sign a diplomatic accord with the Baltics, and Denmark's Baltic ambassador, Otto Borch, arrived in Riga, Latvia. Bulgaria later became the first former Soviet bloc country to recognize Baltic independence.

Hungarian and French envoys arrived in Vilnius to discuss restoration of diplomatic ties.

Austria, Poland and Romania also said they were ready to recognize the Baltics. Denmark and Argentina announced Sunday they were establishing ties.

The 12-nation European Community plans to meet Tuesday to discuss Baltic recognition, and many other nations say they are moving toward forging diplomatic ties. Sweden, Finland, Belgium, Japan, Poland and Czechoslovakia were among them.

President Bush said the White House is "moving very, very close" to diplomatic recognition, but some questions, such as territorial boundaries, are unresolved.

And Canada said it had begun the process of establishing diplomatic ties with the Baltics. It, like the United States and most other Western nations, had never officially recognized Soviet authority in the three republics.

Speaking to the national parliament Monday, Soviet President Mikhail S. Gorbachev indicated the Baltics and the other 12 Soviet republics would be free to negotiate secession with the Kremlin.

"They must be given the right of independent choice," Gorbachev said.

In the past, the secessionist drives in the Baltics were fought by central authorities. In January, more than 20 people died in a Soviet crackdown, and Lithuanian border posts have been attacked by Interior Ministry forces.

Landsbergis said Gorbachev's views do not matter much any more, but diplomatic recognition was important.

"Of course, it is important for us as protection against possible aggressive actions," he said. "We don't expect now more aggression from the Soviet Union's side ... but now we are feeling more sure, more secure."

But Daiva Jaikaide, a spokeswoman for the Lithuanian parliament, said Soviet border guards were "acting in a threatening manner" at Lazdijai on the Polish border when Lithuania took control.

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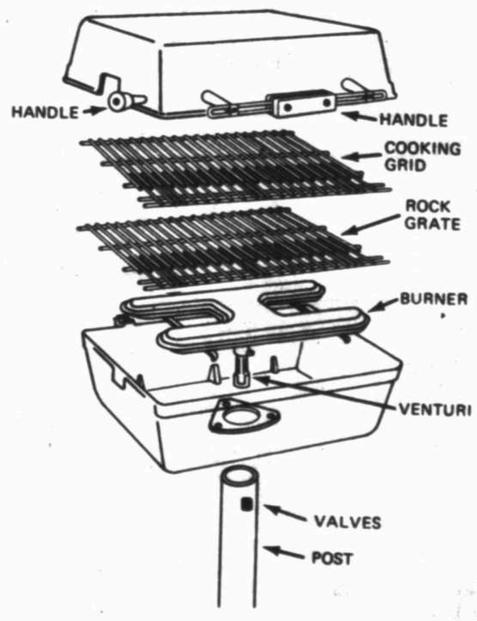
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Fighting intensifies as federal army, Serbs battle Croats

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — The Yugoslav army attacked outgunned Croatian forces with tanks and attack planes on two fronts Monday, and Yugoslav news media reported at least eight people killed in the fighting.

The leaders of secessionist Croatia, who are threatening a general mobilization to strengthen their security forces, said after an emergency session that President Franjo Tudjman may be given the power to rule by decree, according to Hina, the Croatian news agency.

Serb rebels in Croatia seemed to be making a major push — with army backing — to win control of territory before the threatened mobilization. The Serbs want their areas to remain part of Yugoslavia, which is increasingly dominated by Serbia, largest of the six Yugoslav republics.

More than 200 people have died in clashes pitting Croatian militiamen against Serb guerrillas and federal soldiers since Croatia declared independence June 25, in tandem with Slovenia.

The federal presidency ordered a cease-fire Aug. 7, but it did not hold.

Irfan Ajanovic, a key member of the cease-fire monitoring commission, resigned in desperation Monday, saying no truce was possible without the political will of Serbs and Croats.

The continuing violence — and the ostensibly neutral federal army's growing intervention on behalf of Serbs — fed growing foreign sympathies for Croatia and Slovenia.

Hungary announced Monday that it would open a consulate in Slovenia's capital, Ljubljana. The Hungarian news agency MTI called the move a preliminary step to full diplomatic recognition.



Italy joined Germany on Monday in warning they would recognize the secession of Croatia and Slovenia if the Yugoslav government failed to stop the fighting. Austria said it was ready to recognize the two republics' independence if other nations did so.

Croatia has demanded European military observers be sent to areas of conflict in Croatia. Serbia's president, Slobodan Milosevic, said Serbia welcomed "well-intentioned" mediation by other nations but would oppose the presence of foreign peacekeeping troops.

Federal planes, helicopter gunships and tanks teamed with Serb guerrillas in a push against the Croatian-held town of Vukovar in Slavonia, eastern Croatia, according to Belgrade television and Croatian media.

The loss of Vukovar would be a major blow to Croatian efforts to defend the breakaway republic against the Serb rebels, who now control about a fifth of Croatian territory.

Vukovar, a town of 80,000 people roughly divided between Serbian and Croatian inhabitants, is on the Danube River separating Croatia from Serbia.

In the self-proclaimed Serb autonomous region of Krajina, near the Adriatic coast, federal troops captured the village of Kijevo, a Croatian stronghold, after a six-hour artillery battle, Belgrade Radio said.

An air force statement said its planes were used in Slavonia and Krajina after federal troops came under "synchronized widescale attacks" by Croatian security forces. The army said federal soldiers were only responding to provocations.

Croatian Deputy Defense Minister Milan Brezak, in Zagreb, accused the army of "fully taking the military initiative."

Late Monday, Radio Zagreb reported that about a dozen villages across Croatia had come under attack by Serb insurgents. The report could not be independently verified.

The Yugoslav news agency Tanjug reported a Serbian mortar attack on Daruvar, a town 60 miles east of the Croatian capital of Zagreb. It said one man was killed and seven injured.

Earlier, news media reported seven killed in the day's fightiing.

Meanwhile, Slovenia's foreign minister, Dimitrij Rupel, said during a visit to Austria that he had information that more than 500 people had died so far in the Croatia fighting.

Croatia's 600,000 Serbs — about 12 percent of the republic's population — say they intend to keep territory under their control as part of Yugoslavia if Croatia leaves the federation.

Perez de Cuellar: Hostage talks are moving at a good pace

GENEVA (NYT) — U.N. Secretary General Javier Perez de Cuellar said Monday that "we are moving at a good pace," after discussing the hostage issue with his chief trouble-shooter who returned from a visit to Israel.

"I continue my hope that something very important will happen in seeing all the detainees set free," Perez de Cuellar said after his consulatations with Giandomenico Picco, his personal representative on the hostage crisis. "When, I cannot say, but things are moving and moving at a good pace."

When reminded by reporters that he had expressed hopes for an August breakthrough when he ended a previous visit to Geneva two weeks ago, he amended that position sligtly by saying, "The end of this month or perhaps early next month."

Neither Perez de Cuellar nor his aide would discuss what happened in Israel during Picco's weeklong visit there.

Israel has maintained that it must have information on seven of its soldiers missing in Lebanon before it will release any of the 375 Arab prisoners it holds. Pro-Iranian sources in Lebanon have insisted that some of the seven are dead and that they have no knowledge of the others. But they have declined to substantiate their claims. Reports that one of the seven, Ron Arad, a pilot, is alive and a prisoner of the pro-Iranian kidnappers have been denied by the hostage takers.

Israel said last week it would permit the International Red Cross to see its best-known prisoner, Shiite leader Sheik Abdul Karim Obeid, if the factions in Lebanon would allow the Red Cross to see the missing Israelis. Obeid was kidnapped by Israeli commandos in 1989 to be used as a bargaining chip in any future swap.

The International Red Cross said it had not been permitted to see prisoners or detainees in either Israel or Lebanon.

Perez de Cuellar said he planned to meet in Geneva on Tuesday with several Iranian officials, presumably to discuss the hostage issue. He declined to identify the officials.

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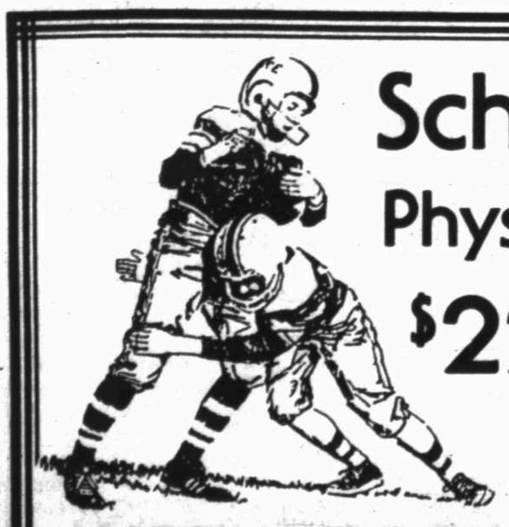
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Grand jury indicts teen-ager in Crown Heights stabbing

The Nation

NEW YORK (NYT) — A Brooklyn grand jury Monday indicted a black youth in the fatal stabbing of a Hasidic Jew in Crown Heights. At the same time another grand jury wrestled with the politically explosive issue of whether to charge the Hasidic driver of a car that killed a black boy last week, touching off four nights of racial violence.

At the funeral Monday morning for the boy, 7-year-old Gavin Cato, demands for the arrest of the Jewish driver, Yosef Lifsh, were a refrain of the crowd.

Over and over, among the hundreds of people packed into St. Anthony's Baptist Church for the service and listening on the street outside to radio broadcasts, people repeated the words they had been saying for days: that the driver should have been arrested and that if he had been black, he would have been.

"Whose kid? Our kid" came cries from the crowd as women wept, men muttered angrily and people surged forward to touch the motorcade on its way along Eastern Parkway to Cypress Hills Cemetery.

From the courthouse where the grand jury was sitting to the church where the funeral was held, the events of the day captured one of the central strains of the Crown Heights crisis: Blacks demanded what they described as equal justice while Jews expressed outrage that the two deaths — one a killing motivated by racial hate and the other a traffic accident — were being equated in any way.

Managing this complex and volatile brew of legal and political issues was Brooklyn District Attorney Charles J. Hynes, who late last week returned from a visit to Israel.

The turmoil in Crown Heights has pitted two communities against each other over issues based on emotional, deeply held perceptions and years of long-festering friction.

To the black community — a mixture of middle-class people living in well-kept homes sprinkled among the Hasidim and bitter, unemployed young people from nearby housing projects — the accident touched off resentments that the Hasidim had used political influence to gain special treatment.

To the insular Lubavitcher Hasidic community, where life revolves around the practice of an emotional form of Judaism, the rock-and-bottle-throwing attacks on Jews and their buildings were reminiscent of the anti-Semitic pogroms of Eastern Europe and the Nazi Holocaust.

"We in Crown Heights have seen a pogrom in 1991," said Rabbi Shmuel Butman, a Lubavitcher leader. "Words like 'Heil Hitler,' would you believe it? A banner that said, 'Hitler did not finish the job.' It brought out scars we were hoping were long forgotten. When they were stoning the homes, they were afraid they might stone a black home, so they were looking for the mezuzah on the upper right side of the door. It was reminiscent of Warsaw in 1940."

So tense were the feelings that Hynes took the unusual step of appearing on the popular black radio call-in program "The Breakfast Club," on WLIB, for a full hour Monday morning to respond to what he called the "tremendous amount of misinformation and misperceptions" of the case in the black community.

Answering questions about the handling of the accident, he said on the radio show:

"It's significant that within two hours an alcohol test was administered to the driver and it's finding was zero-zero-zero. What has to be examined by this grand jury is whether there are other factors — whether there was a burst of speed as the automobile entered the intersection, whether there was a distraction, caused by the driver, which contributed to his negligence and raises the case to a criminal-negligence level."

The focus largely shifted from the streets Monday to the Brooklyn District Attorney's office, which said that the grand jury had reported "affirmative action" against Lemerick Nelson Jr., 16. That meant an indictment had been returned and sent to the state Supreme Court.

Because the indictment is still sealed, the charges were not announced. But the youth had initially been arraigned on an accusation of second-degree murder, and Brooklyn authorities said the indictment would track the initial charges.

Nelson is charged with fatally stabbing Yankel Rosenbaum, a visiting Hasidic scholar from Australia, as groups of black youths went on a rampage after a car in the entourage of the Lubavitcher Grand Rebbe, Menachem M. Schneerson, struck two black children, killing one, on Aug. 19.

The district attorney's spokesman, Patrick Clark, said five assistant district attorneys, including two experienced homicide prosecutors, were working on the investigation of the accident itself. In addition, he said, an expert on accident reconstruction, James Pugh, has been retained.

The grand jury began considering the case last Thursday, Clark said, and had further sessions Friday and Monday.

Most fatal traffic accidents do not produce indictments, according to city records.

"The grand jury has to determine when the line is crossed from civil negligence to recklessness that becomes criminal liability," Clark said. This, he explained, requires two acts of negligent behavior.

Two such negligent acts that could lead to an indictment, he explained, might be a finding by the grand jury that the driver not only ran a red light, but also was speeding.

The highly charged political nature of the situation was hardly helped by the fact that several Lubavitcher officials are prominent on a Jewish citizens committee, one of nine ethnic or special-interest advisory councils organized by Hynes to consult with the district attorney.

Hynes has asked two of the Crown Heights Lubavitcher members to step aside temporarily because of a possible conflict of interest.

Dinkins, returning wearily to City Hall from the funeral of Gavin Cato, conceded that if the driver was not indicted, "it will certainly not be well received by the African-American community in that neighborhood."

But, he quickly added, "Whatever the grievances, the manner in which we redress these grievances is not through violence. This is not the answer."

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Best to answer Soviets slowly

As one after another of the Soviet republics declare their independence in the wake of last week's failed coup by hard-line communists, the United States and other Western nations are left to a much-needed reassessment of their relationship with the remnants of the Soviet giant.

The change has been so fast that already the leaders we were dealing with early last week are out and new leaders are in.

Already, the Ukraine and Byelorussia have declared their independence from the Soviet Union, joining the Baltic republics that have long maintained their independence, and Georgia, which seceded last year. The Baltic States — Latvia, Lithuania and Estonia — were forcefully brought under Soviet Communist rule in 1940 and have been declaring their independence again since the democratic movement has been under way.

Failure of the coup by hard-line communists and the resignation of Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev, as well as the virtual collapse of the Soviet Communist Party, have vastly altered the political equation in the Soviet Union.

There is a tendency on the part of some observers to want to throw open the doors and embrace the Soviet Union with vast amounts of American dollars and other gestures of goodwill. Even President Bush is said to be thinking along those lines, although he has made it clear that the United States will move tentatively and avoid bold moves on the diplomatic, economic and political fronts.

In Kennebunkport Monday the president said the U.S. would not rush in with money for the Soviet Union. "We Americans are so eager," he said. "We want it to happen right quick; we want to know all the answers."

That's good. Such moves at this uncertain stage would be a mistake. We're as excited over the apparent collapse of communism as anyone and of the prospect that a new government will be created which will permit improvement in the lives of the millions of Soviet residents who have lived in misery and want for decades. But bringing such a condition to pass in even a relatively short time will be next to impossible. It could take months for the new government to be defined to the point at which U.S. leaders can judge what type of relationship with the Soviet state is possible.

There will be countless ways in which U.S. leaders can help the Soviets to reshape their government into one that is responsive to the needs of the Soviet people. But there is no rush and it would be wise for U.S. government officials to move slowly until they know what type of government is being developed in the Soviet Union.

LETTER

Bed-and-breakfast plan will strengthen Midland

With the completion of the Confederate Air Force Museum scheduled for Dec. 7, a new focus for Midland will be established in the way of tourism. Additional personnel have been hired at the Midland Chamber of Commerce, many businesses are making changes and additions and, as a whole, most Midlanders are excited about the new tourist trade and the economic impact on Midland.

I am among those Midlanders looking forward to the new CAF facilities and the onset of tourism for Midland. With that in mind, several months ago I began the process of establishing "Bed and Breakfast" lodging in Midland. I have met with unbelievable support and encouragement, and want to thank all the people who have been involved in this endeavor.

There is still confusion regarding the location of "Bed and Breakfast" homes. Some Midlanders believe they will be established exclusively in the Historic District. This is not true. If the amendment to the zoning code passes the second reading today they will be permitted in *all* residential neighborhoods. The permit process, in brief, consists of an application request of the Planning & Zoning Commission, a public hearing at both the Planning & Zoning Commission and the city council, and upon approval, fire, city, and health inspections.

"Bed and Breakfast" homes in other towns have been very successful in drawing visitors, and the advertising of these accommodations only serves to enhance the city in which they are located.

Midland is located within a five- to six-hour drive from Dallas/Fort Worth, Austin, San Antonio, El Paso, and Amarillo making it a perfect overnight stopping place. This will benefit all businesses in Midland.

My intent in establishing "Bed and Breakfast" zoning was to do something new, progressive, and beneficial for Midland. My hope is that given the chance, the people involved with "Bed and Breakfast" will have the opportunity to extend that Texas hospitality we are known for and so proud of.

Marilyn Johnson
Midland

TODAY IN HISTORY

Today is Tuesday, Aug. 27th, the 239th day of 1991. There are 126 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Aug. 27, 1883, the island volcano Krakatoa blew up. Tidal waves resulting from the cataclysmic explosions in Indonesia's Sunda Strait claimed some 36,000 lives in Java and Sumatra.

Thought for Today: "True love says, 'Love me — or I suffer!' Infatuation says, 'Love me — or I'll make YOU suffer!'" — Helen Rowland, American journalist and humorist (1876-1950).

JACK ANDERSON

Billing agents get rich bilking Medicare

WASHINGTON — All it takes is an 800 number and a mail drop to cheat Medicare out of money. Medicare's own archaic reimbursement policy for medical supplies is an invitation to fraud.

A cottage industry has sprung up in small companies that operate as middlemen, arranging for the sale of supplies to nursing homes and other health-care agencies, and then billing Medicare.



Anderson

The Health Care Finance Administration that oversees Medicare allows states to set regional prices for medical supplies that are covered by Medicare. Take a wheelchair pad that costs $8 to make. In Tennessee, Medicare will reimburse $42 for it. In Pennsylvania, the price is $248.

It doesn't take a rocket scientist to figure out that laundering the Medicare paperwork through Pennsylvania will net more money, even if the sale was made in Tennessee. And that's exactly what a number of front companies are doing.

Companies calling themselves billing agents use a complex scheme of billing and delivery to ship medical supplies to elderly people across the country. The supplies are then billed to Medicare through the states that pay the highest reimbursement, no matter where the buyer and the seller are.

Some companies put actual offices in the states with the highest payback. Others simply use an 800 number or a mail drop to make it appear as though they are doing business in that state.

To make the system work, the billing agents have to find an insurance carrier who is lax in screening unreasonable claims. The HCFA contracts with carriers to review and process Medicare claims, and those carriers are supposed to weed out the bogus claims. This has led to a widespread practice known as "carrier shopping" among some billing agents. Once they find an insurance carrier who doesn't do a very good job of spotting unreasonable claims, they funnel all their bills through that carrier. "It's the hottest scam around," a former medical supply salesman told us. "Medicare has no laws, only guidelines, so it's easy to rip off the system."

Our associate Melinda Maas has obtained a draft copy of an internal report by the Health and Human Services inspector general. It estimates that in 1989, carrier shopping resulted in at least $26 million in excess Medicare payments.

One doesn't have to shop very far to find a carrier who doesn't pay attention to obvious padding of Medicare bills. A private government watchdog group, Citizens Against Government Waste, reports that in one case a Medicare carrier in Southern California allowed suppliers to bill Medicare $14.17 for a urinary drainage bag, while a carrier in Oklahoma was only allowing $6.02 for the same bag. And the bag could be bought in a drugstore for $2.59.

There is more than one way to skin Medicare. Some companies engage in "unbundling," or breaking up a piece of equipment such as a wheelchair and billing Medicare piece by piece so the total price is more than three times the value of the assembled wheelchair.

We learned of one billing agent in Texas who was sending nursing homes "free" samples of urinary catheters and then billing Medicare for them. Another in Georgia billed Medicare for supplies sold to dead people.

A spokesman for HCFA says the majority of the people billing Medicare are honest, but "a few bad apples have soured the system."

Sen. Jim Sasser, D-Tenn., has asked for a thorough investigation into these scams, which federal auditors say result in $12 billion a year in losses to Medicare.

Jack Anderson's and Dale Van Atta's column is distributed by United Feature Syndicate.



TOM WICKER

Hard-line takeover in Moscow no longer valid

The discontented hard-line apparatchiks of the old Soviet Union, the inflexible Communists, the disgruntled military men — all who resented external retreat and resisted internal change — gathered their strength, tried to seize power, and were rebuffed.



Wicker

Their coup d'etat was rejected partly owing to their own mistakes and miscalculations, but primarily because the Soviet people, having tasted freedom and found it to their liking, refused to go back to the old system of control from the top. And that popular determination is the most significant fact to have emerged from three dramatic days of life-and-death struggle.

In hindsight, the coup seems to have been doomed from the start; but it hardly could have been expected, in the beginning, that the plotters would prove so indecisive and inept. As only the most obvious example, leaders taking firm action to seize power surely would have moved early and effectively to silence Boris Yeltsin.

Even before the coup, as the elected president of the Russian republic, Yeltsin held a position nearly on the same level as Mikhail Gorbachev, and operated from an even stronger personal power base. Allowing him the freedom to provide a symbol, as well as the fact, of resistance was a fatal, almost incomprehensible error.

It also seems apparent that the coup-makers moved before they had indisputable control of the armed forces, whose equivocal support was perhaps as important to their failure as Yeltsin's bold performance. The breakdown of Soviet unity and the changing role of the military under Gorbachev should have made the plotters wary of its backing, and unwilling to move without it.

The timing was bad, too — as it usually is for last-gasp efforts. The imminent signing of a treaty defining new power relationships among the republics and with the central government was the triggering event of the coup; the hard-liners obviously felt that they had to act before the treaty went into effect. Yet the very fact that the treaty was about to be effected was bound to mean that the republics would not easily yield to a new central government clearly opposed to it.

In particular, the largest and most important republic, Russia, with the popular Yeltsin at its head, was sure to resist the coup — which meant that even Moscow, the capital city and the symbolic site of central power, could not be subdued easily, if at all. Without quick and decisive control of Moscow, the plotters could have had little hope for control of the vast territory of the Soviet Union.

Even after proclaiming their new government, the coup-makers did not or could not take another step essential to their purpose: they did not take swift command of broadcasting facilities, within the country or to the world. Word that resistance existed, continued and was growing came from Moscow from the start, and was not effectively silenced during the three days of the coup.

Above all, however, those who tried to seize power either underestimated or ignored the powerful force for freedom that obviously exists within the old U.S.S.R. The rest of the world misjudged that force, too, as few leaders or observers anywhere believed on the coup's first day that it would be rejected by a people unaccustomed to democracy and restive under the limited reforms attempted by the Gorbachev government.

That they did so should smooth the path of needed reform and reorganization within the Soviet system, whether Gorbachev is fully reinstated or if effective power now moves to Boris Yeltsin.

Tom Wicker's column is distributed by New York Times News Service.

WILLIAM MURCHISON

Lenin, Yeltsin and the power behind ideas

Boris Yeltsin played the hero's part, and the plotters behaved like stumblebums; but chiefly the coup failed because communism is as dead as a doornail — an idea whose time has gone. You can dress a skeleton in full armor, stuff a spear in his hand, and prop him up at the portal; a skeleton he remains. So with the dreary functionaries known to the Western media as "conservatives" — the Pugos, Kryuchkovs, and so on. The odor of the grave clung to their enterprise.



Murchison

How different from the early days! Communism, way back in 1917, was a living, vital idea. A horrible idea, mind you, and far from popular, even among the workers whose interests communism was supposed to exalt. Still, it was an idea about how life should be lived. It could be turned into slogans ("All power to the Soviets!") and programs (the abolition of private property, the strangling of religion). Men could kill, or be killed, to justify communism's strength and purity.

This is how history works. History is the succession, not so much of great men, as Thomas Carlyle thought, but of men committed to great ideas. A man who knows what he's trying to do, and sets out resolutely to do it, is worth 10,000 who don't have a clue.

In 1917, V.I. Lenin knew exactly what he was trying to do; he was trying to jerk Russia by the ears — out of czarist stupor into communist bliss. He was going to take an agriculturally based, hierarchical society, and by God (the God in whom he disbelieved urgently), he was going to make its teeth rattle. And he'd lie to do so; he'd rob; he'd kill. He was a very bad man, V.I. Lenin, but a very great one in his own way.

Clarity of vision, wicked as the vision might be, was the vital edge that Lenin possessed. The watery-willed democrats with their newfound notions about ballot boxes and trial by jury — what did they count for?

Thus it all started, and look where it finishes — in a watery-willed, and short-lived, coup designed to preserve the perquisites of communist magnificos, afloat in a sea of poverty.

The communist system had become its own justification. This was far from good enough for the victims of all the catastrophes caused by communism. But this was not the sole reason for the rapid collapse of the coup.

Boris Yeltsin turns out on closer acquaintance to be a kind of reverse Lenin: lacking Lenin's ruthlessness and brutality, fortunately, but crystal clear in his conviction that the handiwork of his malignant predecessors should be buried.

This conviction was new to Yeltsin, who seems not so many years ago to have been your average, everyday communist apparatchik. A Damascus road conversion may have taken place somewhere along the way. Jesse Helms has nothing more acidulous to say about communism than does Boris Yeltsin, who understands the system's failings in a way no American ever can.

Yeltsin is being called his country's man of the future. This is probably true. First, he has the requisite moral authority, earned in his heroic defense of the Russian parliament building. More important for the long haul, his ideas are larger and clearer than Gorbachev's.

We American anti-communists should finally give Gorbachev the due we long begrudged him out of suspicion and distrust. He opened the door to change in the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe. Still, his proposed changes amount really to sanitized communism — a less-than-enticing prospect. Yeltsin doesn't talk about rationalizing communism; he talks, to all intents and purposes, about junking it. For which splendid and world-changing task he may now have the mandate. The more-cautious Gorbachev probably can't meet the existing demand for radical change, for a new beginning.

Will the Soviet Union now break up into component parts, with Yeltsin leading the Russian fragment and Gorbachev doing God-knows-what? It sounds like destiny. Nationalism and freedom — such are the ideas abroad in the land on which Lenin wreaked his high-minded malice. As the foiled plotters might testify, there is immense danger in trying to derail a speeding express.

William Murchison's column is distributed by Heritage Features Syndicate.

Smith's attorneys want Judge Lupo to stay

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP) — William Kennedy Smith's attorneys said Monday his judge should remain on the rape case, rejecting as baseless prosecutors' demands that she disqualify herself.

Claiming the state is "judge-shopping," defense attorneys criticized the Aug. 20 motion by lead prosecutor Moira Lasch that Palm Beach County Circuit Judge Mary Lupo should leave the case.

Prosecutors accused Ms. Lupo of a lack of candor about her family's friendships with attorneys on the case and alleged she showed bias toward the prosecution with her rulings and facial expressions. Ms. Lasch accused Lupo of bias for postponing the trial until Jan. 13.

The state motion was supported by an affidavit by the 30-year-old woman who says Smith, 30-year-old nephew of Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., raped her March 30 at his family's Palm Beach estate.

Lupo hasn't responded.

Prosecutors had warned that Smith's attorneys could use the conflicts for a later appeal. Smith's attorneys said Monday they had in effect waived an appeal by failing to act on the information months ago.

Ms. Lupo's husband and prosecutor Ellen Roberts' husband are former law partners, which the defense was informed of in May.

The defense papers said the state has tried to goad the court with "inflammatory motions" and "an abusive tone." The papers said that ruling against one side in a case doesn't prove a judge is biased.

Prosecutors said Ms. Lupo's expressions had also been cited by defense attorneys in a 1989 personal-injury case that resulted in her being removed by a state appellate court.

Smith's attorneys replied that the appellate court's decision was based on Ms. Lupo's adversarial role in a hearing, not her expressions, and that the Florida Supreme Court ruled such expressions aren't grounds for removal.

The state also said Ms. Lupo's daughter and prosecutor Ellen Roberts' daughter are close friends, and that the judge disqualified herself in a civil lawsuit involving the family of an another friend of her daughter.

Smith's attorneys replied the other case was different.

Study: Hispanic child poverty worsened in '80s

WASHINGTON (HNS) — Poverty among Hispanic children increased more dramatically than for youngsters in other major racial and ethnic groups during the 1980s, a children's advocacy group said Monday.

Even though more black children remained poor overall, more than 1 million youngsters, or nearly half of all children added to the ranks of poverty between 1979 and 1989, were Hispanic, according to a study by the Children's Defense Fund, a Washington-based organization.

Nationwide, the study said, 2.6 million Hispanic children of all national origins were living in poverty even though their parents were more likely to be married or working steadily than those of other ethnic-minority groups.

"Many Latino children are poor despite their parents' best efforts to pull their families out of poverty and despite the fact that they are 'playing by the rules,'" said Leticia Miranda, principal author of the CDF study.

U.S. Census figures showed that the 1989 poverty rate among Hispanic married couples with children was 26 percent, while among blacks it was 20 percent, for example.

The report pinned the widening Hispanic poverty on low hourly wages, shrinking federal assistance and job-related discrimination.

Child poverty rates for every race and ethnic group have climbed since 1979, the study said. In 1989, the most recent year for which figures are available, black children endured the most poverty, with 44 percent of black children living in poor families.

But the poverty rate of Hispanic children grew at a faster rate than that of white or black children, jumping by a third from 1979 to 1989, when 36 percent of all Hispanic children lived in poverty. Twelve percent of non-Hispanic white children were defined as poor in 1989, the study said.

The Nation

■ 1992 models coming; so is sticker shock

DETROIT — Automakers begin their annual blitz of unveiling new cars this week, and shoppers who have been out of the market for a while may suffer sticker shock.

Big Three automakers say 1992 prices will be up 1.5 percent to 3.7 percent from 1991. Prices from 1986 to 1991 rose nearly 25 percent, bringing the average price of a new car last year to about $16,200, according to the National Automobile Dealers Association.

Since few people buy new cars each year, getting back into the market can be sobering for someone who hasn't bought a new car since 1986, when the average sticker price was $12,950.

Among new offerings, Cadillac's Seville will cost $34,975, up 2 percent, while Lexus' new ES 300 sedan likely will cost $25,000, 16 percent more than the ES 250 it replaces.

General Motors Corp. says its 1992 prices will be up about 3.1 percent over 1991 prices. Ford Motor Co.'s are expected to rise about 3.7 percent. Chrysler Corp.'s are expected to be about 1.5 percent higher.

Nissan Motor Corp. announced Monday that prices on its 1992 models will rise about 3.4 percent, or $450.

■ Study: Many exit E.R. before treatment

WASHINGTON — Overcrowding of emergency rooms has become so severe that substanital numbers of seriously ill people are simply giving up and leaving before they are seen by a doctor, new studies have found.

The studies found that the most seriously ill patients, those with heart attacks, for example, were almost always seen immediately.

For the rest, many with serious conditions, the wait ranged from 15 minutes to 17 hours. Of the patients in this category, those who left the hospital before being treated were, as a group, just as sick as those who remained.

"For a long time, we have assumed in this country that if someone really needs health care they can get it, at least in the emergency departments," said Dr. David W. Baker, an author of one of the studies and professor at the University of California at Los Angeles.

"These studies show that is just not true. Even when we doctors think they need medical care, and they think they need medical care, sometimes they just don't get it."

Researchers who worked on the studies said Monday that they believed that more than a million people in need of care leave emergency rooms before being seen by a doctor each year.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Man tapped own telephone after numerous calls from evangelist

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Evangelist Marvin Gorman made so many calls to the home of one woman he was counseling that her husband tapped his own telephone, a witness said Monday in Gorman's $90 million suit against Jimmy Swaggart.

Ronald Goux's ex-wife, Lynnette Goux, is one of two women with whom Gorman acknowledges exchanging more than Christian kisses. Gorman testified that he petted with Mrs. Goux only once, when she tracked him down at a hotel.

Goux also said that Gorman told him that his wife's 16-year-old sister was being pursued by a lesbian, but a private detective hired to follow the girls saw only fast food lunches and non-sexual meetings in a park.

His sister-in-law's friend, Gail McDaniel, was among witnesses scheduled to testify, but her attorneys were said to be trying Monday to quash the subpoena. In opening arguments, lawyers said Gorman threatened to expose Ms. McDaniel as a lesbian unless she had sex with him.

Gorman claims that Swaggart and other defendants tore down his ministry with a rumor campaign that magnified two sexual incidents past all recognition.

In addition to the incident with Mrs. Goux, Gorman testified, he succumbed to Lynda Savage's seduction but stopped short of climax because of overwhelming guilt. Mrs. Savage testified that they had a 2½-year affair.

The defendants say that Gorman tried to get out of his predicament by lying about the extent of his exploits and blaming the women.

Gorman was counseling Mrs. Goux in 1980, and Goux said he made constant telephone calls to their home — "sometimes two or three times a day."

When he picked up the phone, Goux said, Gorman would ask where he was going to be at different times, whether he was leaving town and when he was going to return.

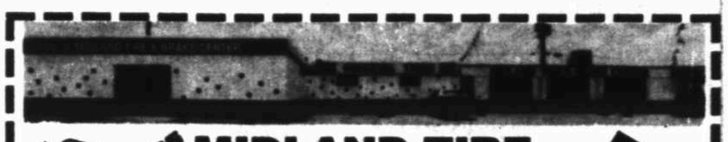
He tapped his own phone to find out what was going on, said Goux, who was divorced in February 1990.

Goux said his ex-wife grew up in a family that almost idolized Gorman. Whenever the preacher was in Gretna, he said, he would stay at her parents' hotel.

"He was the kingpin when he was in town. That set an image that these girls, not only Lynnette but all four daughters, thought Gorman could do no wrong," Goux testified.

Gorman was best man at the Goux's marriage in 1966, and they began attending his church, First Assembly of God, when they moved into New Orleans later that year.

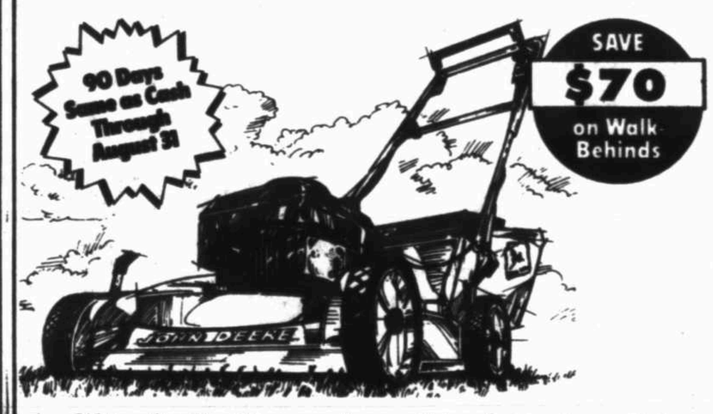
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FROM THE BUREAU

INSIDE WASHINGTON

Jim who for president?

The ranks of potential Democratic nominees for president next year are so thin that some unlikely new names are being floated. One is Jim Hightower, the populist Texan who was ousted last November as that state's agriculture commissioner.



Hightower

During a recent address to his state's annual AFL-CIO meeting, Hightower, known for his stinging oratory, provided a glimpse of what could become a campaign staple:

"I'm going to be sort of a Paul Harvey of the prairie, if I can get away with it," he said, chiding conservative and moderate Democrats for participating in a "Republican look-alike contest."

The Democrats, Hightower said, "have too many people who want to be in the union hall and the country club at the same time. ... Some people say we need a third party ... I say we need a second party, the Democratic Party."

Hightower has said that he has no plans to run. But he wouldn't rule out a race, either.

— James R. Owen

■ Low-budget birthday

The nation's capital turns 200 on Sept. 8, which would seem to call for fireworks, food, dancing in the streets — just like the Statue of Liberty's 100th birthday celebration in 1986 in New York.

But no. The city is broke, so it will mark the occasion by unveiling — get this — a commemorative stamp.

Then Mayor Sharon Pratt Dixon will hold an open house at the rundown district building, Washington's version of city hall. Restaurant and hotel taxes will cover the cost of the low-budget celebration, sponsors said.

— Faith Keenan

■ Those darn coup people

You're a professional tennis player. You know you must play with nerve and verve. To win, you know you've got to keep your eye on the ball and not get flustered. Last week, Natalia Zvereva couldn't.

The No. 2 ranked woman player in the Soviet Union blamed the turmoil in her homeland for her loss in the first round of the Virginia Slims tennis tournament in Washington.

"I was distracted (and) I was worried," said Zvereva, 20. She said her concentration was off because she spent the entire night before the match in an unsuccessful effort at getting through to her parents on the telephone.

— David Crosson

■ Taxing times at the IRS

All is not well at the Internal Revenue Service.

A survey of 2,700 agency employees by the General Accounting Office (GAO), the investigative arm of Congress, revealed that about one-third of them believe some upper-level managers are guilty of breaching ethical standards.

About 10 percent said they believe the level of integrity among our tax collectors is "generally low or very low."

And less than 25 percent of those responding to the survey believed that the IRS "encourages" employees to report misconduct or is "willing to ensure to a great extent that employees are not retaliated against for reporting misdeeds by fellow workers."

— Vic Ostrowidzki

■ A lonely embassy vigil

Li Lu, a Chinese student dissident staging a hunger strike from a beach chair in front of the Chinese Embassy, saw some good and bad in the news of the week.

The bad news: The attempted Soviet coup turned the world's focus on Moscow and away from Li. For six days, he fasted outside the media's glare in his show of support for two Chinese intellectuals imprisoned in Beijing. The two, Wang Juntao and Chen Ziming, began hunger strikes on Aug. 13 in an attempt to force improvements in prison conditions.

The good news: The coup's flop, Li believes, adds punch to the strikers' message that the United States should support moves toward democracy everywhere, especially in China.

Still, Li had only scant company on Friday afternoon — the seventh day of the strike.

He said he's not discouraged and that his cause is making headway.

"Before, it was impossible to talk to Chinese officials about prison conditions," said the barefoot Li. "Now they're at least willing to talk with relatives about visiting the prisoners."

— Faith Keenan

■ Barbs from Dallas

Wisecracking — an art form in Texas — was inevitable when Money magazine's annual "best places to live now" survey placed a number of Texas cities near the top of the list.

Bryan, Texas, a community next door to College Station, home to the football Aggies, ranked the third best place in the United States to live, while the West Texas city of Lubbock came in fifth.

Asked to comment on the survey, Dallas Times Herald columnist Molly Ivins said: "Bryan's a very nice place to live, if you don't mind hearing the Aggie fight song 600 times a day." Of Lubbock, the salty Ivins added, "Well, at least it's hard to be pretentious when you come from Lubbock."

Dallas, the Lone Star State's second biggest city, ranked only 42nd, by the way.

Also besting Dallas, which ranked 42nd, were Waco, Amarillo, Brownsville, McAllen and Laredo, which came in at 17th, 22nd, 24th, 26th and 29th respectively.

— James R. Owen

■ Major's safety pin

British Prime Minister John Major has acknowledged that he has something of an image problem when compared to his predecessor, the dynamic Margaret Thatcher.



Major

But the Conservative party leader suffered perhaps the biggest blow to his ego when his official photograph was taken recently.

At close examination, the photo showed something peculiar sticking out from the side of his pants. It was a safety pin — helping to hold them up.

— John P. Wallach

Compiled by the Reporter-Telegram's Washington bureau.

Worker error caused failure of Aries rocket, Pentagon official says

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Launch controllers loaded the wrong computer program into the guidance unit of a rocket that had to be destroyed last week when it veered sharply off course, a Pentagon official said Monday.

No one bothered to check printouts that showed the error, said Michael Griffin, deputy for technology at the Pentagon's Strategic Defense Initiative Organization.

"That's disheartening," said Griffin.

Another computer problem has grounded a similar rocket that is supposed to carry up more so-called Star Wars experiments as part of a target-tracking test. That launch, originally set for last Friday, is off until at least next week, SDI officials said.

The 29-foot Aries rocket was blown up Tuesday 23 seconds after being launched with Star Wars experiments from Cape Canaveral Air Force Station. Instead of heading northeast over the Atlantic, the rocket sped south.

The burning wreckage fell onto a remote area of the Air Force station. No injuries or property damage were reported.

The cost of the launch, not counting the experiments, was $5 million.

A technician accidentally hit the wrong key while loading software into the rocket's guidance and control unit just before liftoff, Griffin said. As a result, ground test software rather than flight software was sent into on-board computers, causing the steering nozzles to lock in place, he said.

Controllers never checked to make sure the proper computer program had been loaded, Griffin said. The mistake was evident on computer printouts, but no one looked at them, he said.

An SDI spokeswoman, Maj. Carolyn Channave, said top Pentagon officials "definitely are going to be looking into this."

The launch operations were conducted by rocket maker Orbital Sciences Corp. of Fairfax, Va. Orbital Sciences spokeswoman Laura Ayres said the company had no comment regarding the mistakes.

"The overall system needs to be evaluated," Griffin said.

After the accident, SDI officials delayed the launch of the second Aries to doublecheck that rocket's systems. Programmers discovered a logic error in the navigational computer system that would have caused the booster to go in the wrong direction, Griffin said.

That launch — also a $5 million-plus venture — is off at least until early next week.

ABC to begin scrambling signal

NEW YORK (AP) — ABC will begin next week scrambling the program signals it sends via satellite to affiliates to stop unauthorized reception by homes and bars, the network said Monday.

The scrambling will garble signals that previously could be received clearly on about 3 million satellite dishes linked to homes, and, in some cases, saloons in the United States.

ABC said the decision was made at the request of its affiliates, who have special devices to unscramble ABC's program transmissions.

CBS says it has scrambled its transmissions for more than 18 months. NBC says it doesn't scramble transmissions it sends on KU-band satellite signals, which serve the majority of affiliates. It does scramble the signals on a different system called C-band used by some affiliates.

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Water district seeks annexation election

■ The Permian Basin Underground Water Conservation District proposal includes about 80 percent of Midland County.

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Rural Midland County voters who are concerned about underground-water quality will be voting Nov. 5 whether or not to annex about 80 percent of Midland County into the Permian Basin Underground Water Conservation District.

The area would include virtually all of Midland County except the city of Midland and the county's northwest quadrant generally north of Interstate Highway 20.

"Cities have water supplies, and they don't really need us," Mark Hoelscher, manager of the water district, told the Midland County Commissioners' Count on Monday.

The water district went into operation in 1988 as the Martin County Underground Water Conservation District and takes in all of Martin and the Knott area in the northwest quadrant of Howard County.

The Commissioners' Court authorized Hoelscher to contract with Bettye Calvert, Midland County elections administrator, who will set up the election, which will coincide with the November general election. Cost of the water-district election will be borne by the district and not by the Midland taxpayers, noted Commissioner Guy McCrary.

Among other functions, the water district's staff will test water. And, in cases of poor-quality water that is high in chlorides, nitrates and other pollutants, the staff will seek out the source of the pollution and will work to stop the pollution and in hopes of bringing in clean, clear water.

"I fully support what you are doing," Commissioner Win Brown, who owns a ranch in the San Angelo area, told Hoelscher. "We need to give our rural people the opportunity to participate in this (election)."

Should rural Midland County voters agree to join the water district, it will cost them a tax — a property tax of two cents per $100 valuation — to operate and maintain the district.

The two-cent tax, which is the maximum allowed by the board, would amount to $20 a year on a $100,000 house.

"We (members of the water-district board) have made a commitment that we will operate on two cents or shut our doors," Hoelscher said. "We made the commitment on the ballot in 1985" when the water district, which is headquartered in Stanton, was established. The district went into operation in 1988.

By way of the courts, the water district has "the power to enforce" Texas water

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INTRODUCING ...



Curt Wilcott/Reporter-Telegram

Midlanders Pearl Watson, left, and Audrey Hays have become close friends at the Mabee Health Care Center.

Box of memories

Ancient cedar chest protects heirlooms, intangibles

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

The years have been rich in rewards. And they have left their lines both graceful and deep in Pearl Watson and Audrey Hays.

As the years wore on, the two women left their homes and brought their treasures — their savored memories — to the Mabee Health Care Center in Midland in yet another phase of their lives.

Mrs. Watson, a retired schoolteacher, and Mrs. Hays, the widow of a career military officer, Rowland Hays, have bonded their lives, as neighbors are prone to do, especially when they live across the corridor from one another.

"Pearl is a great girl," Mrs. Hays said of her 94-year-old friend.

Mrs. Hays is only 87.

As surely as their years have brought them experience, wisdom and memories, their latter years have meted out affliction.

Though in good spirits, the women are mostly confined to wheelchairs and are grateful to be able to get about.

"God is spirit," said Mrs. Watson. "God is everywhere."

As she often does, Mrs. Watson clearly sees that omnipresence in her old cedar chest that goes back to her childhood.

Mrs. Hays, who is recovering from a recent fall, is blessed with faith and hope for today and for better days tomorrow. She has recovered from broken bones in past years.

Mrs. Watson, whose knees give her fits, recently suffered a leg injury on the corridor's "freeway" when she bumped, "harumscarum," into a door jam.

"I just wore myself out praying about it," she said of the sore leg, "and I have a number of friends that are praying about it."

As she favors the leg, Mrs. Watson occasionally gives it a close look.

"You can just look at it cross-eyed, and it begins to hurt."

But the pain of the moment and the affliction of the years seem to fade when Mrs. Watson recalls her girlhood days in northwest Arkansas, where her father farmed and operated a general mercantile store in the Vaughn community near Bentonville.

Apples were the big crop in that farming community, where her father grew apples, wheat and corn and raised livestock.

It was those apples, or at least the threat of losing them, that led to the old cedar chest.

Back when her father, W.D. Hoback, was a schoolboy, he would trudge through "a little patch of woods" in his weekday trips between the farmhouse and the school.

"He carried his lunch to school in a little tin bucket," Mrs. Watson recalled from the telling of old family stories.

One day, the little boy who became her father spotted a "little sprout of a tree" among the cedars in the patch of woods and marked it. On another trip, "he dug up that tree and put it in his dinner bucket."

The sprout was planted in a corner of the family garden.

The years gained momentum, as did the sprout, which grew into a double-trunk tree of a 40-foot stature.

Then, a detrimental fungus that attacks cedar trees moved over to the apple orchards.

"The main fruit crop was apples in northwest Arkansas," Mrs. Watson said.

The disease caused by the fungus was making inroads into apple production. Apple trees were dying.

"And they (farmers) decided to cut down all of the cedar trees in the area," Mrs. Watson said. "Everybody was willing to cut the cedar trees down because they were ruining the fruit crop."

Among the fallen trees was that double-trunk cedar, from which her mother, Mattie, had hoped to make two cedar chests for her two daughters.

"Mother was very disappointed when they cut the tree down, and both of its trunks were hollow."

Since there was "just enough lumber" in the tree to build one chest, Mrs. Watson, the older of the two young daughters, became "the one that should have the cedar chest."

An Arkansas carpenter, Link True, turned lumber from that old double-trunk tree into a prized chest in which the family stored quilts.

When she grew up, Mrs. Watson decided to become a schoolteacher. She had been inspired by a teacher who had boarded with the Hoback family.

"If that teacher had an enemy, they

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Health official seeks increase in service fees

By Debbie Lincecum
Staff Writer

A city health official said proposed fee increases for some of the department's services will help offset increasing costs of its work.

"Our costs to operate have gone up," said Monette Burke, heRlth department administrator.

Fee increase proposals going before the City Council Tuesday include a slight increase in the cost of immunizing children during August, as well as higher permit costs for restaurants and public swimming pools. If approved, the increases would take effect Oct. 1, coinciding with the beginning of the city's new fiscal year.

Ms. Burke said the number of child immunizations given during the month of August has continued to greatly outnumber those given in other months. The department is proposing a slight increase in the per-child fee for that month as an incentive to parents.

"It gets to be a madhouse," Ms. Burke said. "Hopefully by raising the fee we can encourage parents to bring their kids in during another month."

The proposed increase would take the cost from $12.50 per child to $15 per child — only during August. The fee during other months of the year is $10 per child.

Restaurant permit fees, paid annually, are based on the size of the establishment. Food establishments with one to five employees, now paying $50 per year, would pay $75. Those with six to 10 employees, now paying $100 per year, would pay $125. Restaurants with 11 or more employees, which now pay $120, would be charged $150 per year.

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City council to consider b-and-b plan

Staff Report

Bed and breakfasts in Midland's residential areas? The City Council has left the door ajar, but the issue remains anything but an open and shut case.

At its regular meeting today, the council will consider finalizing an amendment to the zoning code to allow the facilities to operate in residential districts. Supporters and opponents have flocked to past meetings on the issue, and city officials said they expected today's session to be no different.

The measure was approved narrowly in a 4-3 vote at the council's Aug. 13 meeting. Its supporters included councilmen J.D. Faircloth, Tom Johnston, Buddy Sipes and Michael DeVaughn; those opposing were Mayor Carroll Thomas and councilmen John Castro and James

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Court retains Culp in sheriff's lawsuit

By Ed Todd
Staff Writer

Vann Culp, retired judge of the 238th Texas State District Court for Midland County, has been retained by the Midland County Commissioners' Court to represent the court in Sheriff Gary Painter's lawsuit against the Commissioners' Court.

Painter, sheriff since 1985, is contesting the Commissioners' Court's Aug. 12 order that seeks to curtail his out-of-county criminal investigations and sting operations that have taken his deputies throughout Texas and into several states since 1985.

The Commissioners' Court is "extremely happy that a man of his (Culp's) professional abilities and reputation is representing the Commissioners' Court in this litigation," County Judge Charles W. "Bro" Seltzer said Monday night.

"And we expect to litigate this case professionally and with dignity in a court of law rather than in the press or in the media," Seltzer said.

Following an executive session on Monday, the five-member Commissioners' Court unanimously voted to retain Culp.

The sheriff's lawsuit expressly names Seltzer, the court's presiding judge, and Commissioners Durward Wright, Guy McCrary, Louisa Valencia and Win Brown as respondents — defendants — in the lawsuit.

"While we are not free to discuss the terms of Judge Culp's representation," Seltzer said, "we would point out that the sheriff's lawsuit has forced the County Attorney (Mark H. Dettman) to disqualify himself" due to conflicts of interest.

Dettman is the official legal counsel for the sheriff and the

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Group endorses youth anti-drug program with check

■ NAB'D donates $5,000 to help D-FY-IT get started.

By Debbie Lincecum
Staff Writer

A Midland citizens group gave a youth drug resistance program a jump-start Monday in the form of a $5,000 check.

Representatives of Neighbors Against Burglary and Drugs (NAB'D) donated the money to help D-FY-IT kick off in local high schools. The anti-drug program, Drug Free Youth In Texas, rewards students who resist drugs by offering them discounts at area merchants and other benefits.

"We were impressed with the credibility of it," said Kingdon R. Hughes of NAB'D. "We hope it will free the youth of Midland from the drug specter that hangs over them."

Det. Dan Walkenshaw of the Midland Police juvenile division said the donation will help offset costs of beginning the D-FY-IT chapter. Both Midland high schools and Greenwood High School are expected to form chapters this year, joining several other schools throughout the state.

"We have met with students throughout the summer and they seem willing to participate," Walkenshaw said. He said support came from mayors of both Midland and Odessa, local school boards and a host of law enforcement agencies.

Deputy Phillip Buys of the Midland County Sheriff's Department said officers have set a goal of 2,000 students joining D-FY-IT this year.

"If funding comes in to the degree we had hoped, we can handle that many kids," he said. Cost estimates for fully implementing the program are in the $30,000 range, Buys said.

The two officers, along with Trooper Erwin Ballarta of the Department of Public Safety, are soliciting donations from other groups and companies. For information, potential donors can contact Walkenshaw at 685-7153, Buys at 688-1015 or Ballarta at 697-2211.

Walkenshaw said the program, which will use voluntary drug testing to recruit and maintain student members, is designed to reach "experimenters."

"We're hoping to get the ones who might try (drugs) on the weekends," he said. D-FY-IT uses "positive peer pressure" to influence teen-agers, Walkenshaw said.

Money raised for the program will fund drug tests, identification cards for members and advertisements for the program, officers said.

NAB'D, a coalition of local citizens aimed at reducing home burglaries, frequently donates money to programs aimed at combatting the drug problem, members said.

"We realize education is the long-term salvation of the drug problem," said Neal Meares. "We hope by coming forward in support of this program we will encourage others to do the same."

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WATER: District asks annexation vote

(From 1B)

laws, "but we don't carry a gun," Hoelscher said.

"Our ability to enforce (water laws) is strictly based upon our injunctive use of the courts," he said. "We do have power through the courts."

The effort to annex most of rural Midland County into the Permian Basin Underground Water Conservation District is being brought about by petitions of rural property owners, Hoelscher said.

The water district's rules and regulations will be drafted by the district's board, whose single-member district membership is to increase to seven members from five, and by citizen-committees. Currently serving on the board are John F. Campbell, Earl Dickenson, Guy Mabee Jr., Jimmie Sawyer, and Rufus Tom.

The basic benefit of the district is to allow property owners the "opportunity to know the quality of their groundwater water," Hoelscher.

Further, it will allow the district's property owners, rather than the state and the Texas Water Commission, more control of their water.

The concern for the quality of water, Hoelscher said, may be in "health ramifications."

The water may "just have aesthetic value" to some people. "It may be a question of taste, or how your clothes wash, or how quickly your faucets corrode, or it may be how long you live," he said.

"It may involve nitrates, which are bad for your health, or pesticides, which are bad for your health. Oilfield (brine) would be more chlorides than anything else."

The water district staff will test water throughout the district.

"You'll get your money back in a big hurry," Hoelscher said in alluding to the water-district tax.

In following up on tests, Hoelscher and his staff will "try to track down a source" of pollution.

"And if the source is not a natural source, then, perhaps, it can be stopped. If we can get it stopped — it may take years — then that water eventually will clear up," Hoelscher said.

"Now, it's not going to clear up in my lifetime ... or your lifetime. It's going to dilute out and clear up in a reasonable amount of time, which may be 50 or more years. If you don't ever get the source of the pollution stopped, it's never going to clear up."

In other business, the Commissioners' Court considered a report by Sheriff Gary Painter on the "parole-in-absentia" program of the Institutional Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice and on the personal-recognizance bond program. Painter addressed vulnerabilities of both programs.

The court also listened to a report by Ted Simmons, loss-control specialist for the Texas Association of Counties in Austin.

Simmons said that Midland County is "one of the better counties in the state of Texas" in handling its employees and in minimal use of its workers' compensation insurance.

The county's workers' compensation premiums are more than 40 percent lower than that the state average for other counties, "which means a cost-savings to the taxpayers," Simmons said.

"The employees of Midland County are obviously very conscientious and do a good job on preventing losses due to injuries, lost-time accidents, property losses, equipment damage," Simmons said. "It reflects an efficient operation by Midland County — the employees all the way up to upper management," which takes in the five-member Commissioners' Court.

CHEST: antique box holds more than blankets

(From 1B)

didn't let it be known," she said. "He was just a good teacher. I admired him."

So, she became a schoolmarm in northwest Arkansas and ended up marrying a former classmate in Bentonville, where she went to high school.

"I decided he would be a pretty good catch for a young girl."

Her husband, E.A. Watson, who was an Arkansas merchant, later became a cotton farmer at Morton up near Lubbock just south of the Texas Panhandle.

Mrs. Watson taught school in Morton, an agricultural community west of Lubbock, and then in Lubbock where she, in the 1930s, earned bachelor's and master's degrees in education at Texas Technological College, now Texas Tech University.

For 21 summers in the 1930s, 1940s, and 1950, Mrs. Watson taught leather crafts at Waldemar Camp, a girls camp at Hunt near Kerrville.

"I liked teaching, and I liked the people of Morton," Mrs. Watson said.

The students "loved their teachers in that day and time," she said. "You didn't have to do much discipline. They were good children."

Today, Mrs. Watson and Mrs. Hays are in their own community at the Mabee Health Care Center where they, like many people in retirement, while away the time in friendly conversation and engage in Bible study, games and creative arts.

"You are always doing something worthwhile for somebody," Mrs. Hays told her friendly neighbor. "You are a great human being."

DEATHS

Aleck Wunsch

Aleck H. Wunsch, 87, of Midland died Monday at a local hospital.

No services are planned at this time.

Wunsch was born July 30, 1904, in Galga, Russia and he came to the United States in 1914 with his family.

He married Kathryn Hardy in January of 1927 in Denver, Colo. They moved to Houston in 1949. His wife died in January of 1989.

Wunsch came to Midland in Febuary of 1989 to be near his family.

Wunsch was a member of the Faith Lutheran Church in Bellair.

Survivors include a son, David W. Wunsch of San Jose, Calif.; and two daughters, Jayne Dye of Lancaster, Ohio, and Margaret Semple of Midland.

He was preceded in death by three brothers.

Curtis Moore

Curtis T. Moore, 70, of Midland died Sunday in a local hospital following a lengthy illness.

Services are pending with Thomas Funeral Home.

Survivors include his wife, Olessie Moore of Midland; one son, Ronald C. Moore of Midland; one daughter, Carole L. Kersh of Midland; two brothers; two sisters and five grandchildren.

Robert Meyers

Services for Robert Meyers of Midland are pending with Ellis Funeral Home.

Meyers died Monday at a local hospital.

VOLUNTEERING

Call the Volunteer Center today and discover how you can help Midland area nonprofit agencies.

■ A local senior citizen agency needs a few hours of your time to call or visit homebound elderly individuals. This is a very flexible volunteer opportunity and the need is great. Call a friend and team up for this enjoyable volunteer opportunity.

■ An agency providing prevention, intervention, and follow-up care for sexual assault victims will begin it's volunteer training Sept 17. You will receive comprehensive classroom and on-site training from a variety of Midland area agencies. Please call the Volunteer Center today for more information.

■ A local agency dedicated to the prevention of alcohol and drug abuse needs a receptionist to greet visitors and answer phones. If you are available during the morning hours and would like to share your time to help this agency, please call the Volunteer Center today.

■ A local crisis intervention and suicide prevention hotline needs special volunteers to answer calls from persons experiencing crisis on it's hotline two evenings per month. Excellent training and supervision is provided. Join this team of caring professionals and volunteers to help others regain their sense of hope and direction.

For more information on how you can volunteer, please call the Volunteer Center of Midland 697-8781.

FEES: Charges may rise

(From 1B)

Food production business fees, now set at $25, would cost $35. Temporary food sales permits, now $20, would be $30.

"We're trying to meet the increasing costs of inspections," Ms. Burke said. Three inspectors are working to inspect all city restaurants at least eight times each year.

"Everything has gone up, the gas for our cars, all our costs," Ms. Burke said. "These fees have been the same for at least five or six years."

Public swimming pool fees would increase under the proposal as well. Pools permits now cost $35 per year, but would cost $50 per year under the new plan.

Ms. Burke said the fee increases would indirectly supplement the department's budget, although it does not receive the revenue from the programs directly.

VOTE: One change will reverse decision

(From 1B)

Devenport. One changed vote could reverse the earlier decision.

Bed and breakfasts — facilities for overnight lodging of guests — would be allowed to open in single-family zones under the proposal. Supporters say allowing them would capitalize on increasing tourism and encourage more, but opponents say the businesses would disrupt the tranquility of residential neighborhoods.

Each home to be considered for a bed and breakfast would undergo an individual public hearing with the planning and zoning commission as well as the city council.

Bed and breakfasts are currently allowed in the city's commercially zoned areas.

Officials, residents dispute fire report

HOUSTON (AP) — Authorites disputed claims by residents who say they were put on hold when they called 911 to report a fire in an apartment complex.

The five-alarm fire Sunday in north Harris County left more than a dozen families homeless. One person suffered burns on a hand while trying to save valuables from his apartment, firemen said.

Karen Guillory, a resident of Crosswinds Apartments, said she was placed on hold twice and her cousin, Vanda Guillory, also said a 911 operator placed her on hold when she called for help.

But Harris County Sheriff's deputy David Hansen, a communications supervisor, said neither caller was placed on hold.

He said the first 911 call was relayed by computer to an operator, which took two seconds. The operator was on the line for 14 seconds, and then it took three seconds to transfer the call to the sheriff's department, he said.

People sometimes think they are on hold during the transfers, and emergency situations make such times seem longer, Hansen said.

LOCAL/AREA REPORTS

House burns

Staff Report

The rear portion of a small house suffered heavy damage from a Monday afternoon fire apparently caused by children playing with matches, fire officials said.

Firefighters responded to the fire at 712 S. Raymond Drive about 3:35 p.m., officials said.

No injuries were reported at the home occupied by Jackie Copeland, officials said.

Boy hit by car

A 7-year-old Midland boy remained hospitalized in fair condition Monday night after being struck by a car on a Midland County road earlier that day, according to the Department of Public Safety and hospital officials.

Juan Rodriguez suffered a broken left leg, and bruises and lacerations from the pedestrian-vehicle accident that occurred on East County Road 135 near South County Road 1175 about 4:20 p.m., officials said.

The boy was struck while walking east on East County Road 135 by a 1965 Dodge four-door, driven by Michael Scott Halas of Midland, heading in the same direction, DPS reports stated.

Rodriguez was walking in the center of the road, noticed the oncoming car and moved to the south side of the roadway, the report stated. A bicyclist, with Rodriguez, moved to the north side of the roadway.

Rodriguez then attempted to cross the road, walking into the car's path, the report said. The driver unsuccessfully tried to aviod hitting the youngster.

Man arrested

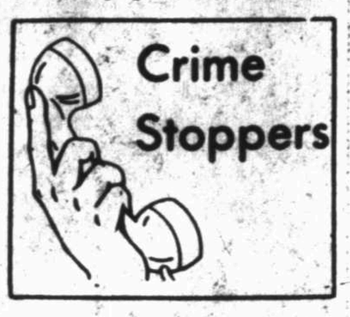
A man arrested in El Paso for possession with intent to deliver 17.02 pounds of cocaine on May 3, 1991, in Ward County was denied bond by U.S. Magistrate Robert Sykes on Monday, federal officials said.

Luis Carlos Iglesias remained in the Midland County Central Detention Facility Monday.

Iglesias was charged after his son, Victor Iglesias, was apprehended with the drug in his car, officials said.

The case is expected to be handled in U.S. District Court in Pecos, officials said.

Crime Stoppers seeking help in Henry girl's disappearance



This week Crime Stoppers is seeking help in solving the disappearance of Elizabeth Henry.

On Aug. 19, officers were dispatched to 3610 Apollo Court in reference to a 911 distress call. Upon arrival, about five minutes later, officers found no one home and no signs of a struggle. Officers then checked with neighbors, who were asked to advise the Henrys of the situation after they arrived home.

Later that afternoon, Elizabeth's parents arrived home and found their daughter and her vehicle missing. Other indicators at the scene, including the dogs being left inside, led the Henrys to believe that Elizabeth was taken against her will.

The next day, Elizabeth's vehicle, a dark and charcoal gray 1987 Ford Bronco, was located at Midland International Airport in long term parking lot G-1. Investigators believe the vehicle was parked sometime between 1 p.m. on Aug. 19 and 1 a.m. on Aug. 20. Investigators are interested in talking with anyone who might have seen the vehicle being parked.

Crime Stoppers will pay up to $1,000 this week only for information which leads to the arrest and indictment of the person or persons responsible for this offense. Anyone with any information on this crime can call Crime Stoppers in Midland at 694-TIPS or in Odessa at 333-TIPS. Callers may remain anonymous.

VANN: Court hires former judge

(From 1B)

Commissioners' Court.

Seltzer noted that Midland taxpayers will be "required to pay the bill" for Culp's counsel in the lawsuit.

Culp, who had been a state district judge from the late 1970s until the end of 1990 when he retired and was succeeded by Judge John Hyde, is a member of the Midland law firm of Stubbeman, McRae, Sealy, Laughlin & Browder Inc.

The sheriff's lawsuit was filed on Aug. 20 the 238th Texas State District Court over which Hyde now presides.

Painter has retained Hal Upchurch, a Monahans attorney and former Ward County district attorney, to represent him in the litigation.

The sheriff is asking the district-court judge who hears the case on the sheriff's jurisdiction to order the Commissioners' Court to pay his cost of pursuing the lawsuit.

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Judge keeps murder trial on schedule

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — A state district judge rebuffed attempts by defense attorneys Monday to delay the serial murder trial for a man accused of killing six women and girls and burying their bodies in desert graves.

A Sept. 5 trial date for convicted rapist David Leonard Wood remained on the 171st District Court schedule. Defense attorneys had asked that it be delayed, but Judge Peter Peca pushed through several legal motions and appeared determined to start jury selection as scheduled.

Jury selection is expected to last about six weeks.

The bodies of the victims Wood is accused of killing were found between September 1987 and March 1988. The serial murder charge falls under the state's capital murder statutes. If convicted Wood could be sentenced to death by lethal injection. He already was serving a 50-year rape sentence when he was indicted in the murders.

On Monday, eight people who were to be part of the prospective jury pool were given exemptions, most because they were 65 years of age or older. Peca excused the jury candidates despite objections from Wood's court-appointed attorney Dolph Quijano.

Quijano said he was out of town when a list of jurors wanting exemptions was sent to his office and he didn't see the list until Monday morning.

"We object to the court making us come to court here today and making us listen to claimed exemptions of potential jurors," Quijano said.

He argued that the exemptions denied his client a fair trial because he would not have a jury made up of a cross section of his peers.

Quijano has complained several times about the speed with which the case is going to trial and said he has been unable to give his client fair representation.

He threatened to quit the case last week after arguing he wasn't given enough time to investigate information recently handed over by the district attorney's office. Among the information was a Crime Stoppers tip that one of the victims was killed by a shotgun blast.

But a report published in Monday's El Paso Herald-Post quoted unidentified sources who said the tip was bogus.

The newspaper said the 2-year-old tip about the death of Dawn Smith may have been invented to throw police off the trail of a suspected accomplice, who has not been charged in the case.

Court records show Crime Stoppers was contacted in 1988 and told that three children witnessed Dawn Smith's death.

Lawmaker questions PUC link with reception

AUSTIN (AP) — A state lawmaker on Monday questioned the Public Utility Commission's involvement in a Southwestern Bell Telephone reception announcing a new program for low-income customers.

"It's just not appropriate for a state agency to host a soiree with a company that it regulates," said Rep. Al Price, D-Beaumont.

He sent out a copy of an invitation to Thursday's reception and information briefing about Lifeline Service, which offers residential telephone service at a reduced rate to eligible low-income Texans. The invitation says it is issued by the commission and the telephone company.

Southwestern Bell spokesman Bob Digneo said the company simply was trying to publicize a service that could help people.

"It's not a party. It's a media briefing," he said. Refreshments provided by Southwestern Bell will include rolls, juice and coffee, he said.

Representatives of human service agencies and consumer groups also were invited, Digneo said. Price said lawmakers and the governor were asked, but Digneo said they were not.

PUC spokesman Guillermo Garcia said the commission is providing only a room for the event, which he called "an informational kickoff."

Utility Commissioner Marta Greytok and Rich Dietz, Southwestern Bell assistant vice president for rates and revenues, are scheduled to speak.

The Lifeline program was required under a rate case settlement approved by the PUC.

Price said the event's timing looks bad. It is scheduled the day after a PUC hearing concerning Southwestern Bell's request to begin charging for directory assistance calls from pay phones, and to charge more for such calls from home.

The hearing is not on the request itself, but it includes how much documentation the telephone company must provide in the case.

"Our state's system of regulation is designed for impartial regulation, and the regulators should not give the impression of being chummy with those they regulate," Price said.

Garcia said that the event would have no bearing on Southwestern Bell's pending case.

Cantaloupe growers blame CDC while crop rots

COYANOSA (AP) — Benny Hall expected to get $5 a carton for his 400 cartons of fresh market cantaloupe this harvest. But now much of his crop is rotting on the vine, unwanted by consumers afraid of getting food poisoning.

"It's history," Hall said of his crop, grown on 120 acres in this town about 300 miles southeast of El Paso. "There's people starving to death and the problem is, I'm fixin' to be one of them."

Hall and other Texas farmers have been hit hard since the federal Centers for Disease Control reported that more than 400 people in 23 states and Canada became ill from eating cantaloupes this summer, most in June and July.

This region of Texas is known for its flavorful cantaloupe. The fruit is celebrated every year in Pecos at the annual Cantaloupe Festival.

But like so many other cantaloupe growers in the West, Texas growers suffered when federal inspectors blamed contaminated cantaloupes for the food-poisoning outbreak.

Hall said at least 50 percent of his crop remained in the field.

"It was irresponsible reporting," he said of the salmonella reports.

The CDC has since said that people who purchase cantaloupe for home consumption are not at risk.

Pecos Cantaloupe, one of the area's largest producers, usually harvests and ships through the end of the month, but quit soon after the report.

Thursday members of the Texas Department of Agriculture were in Pecos and Reeves counties collecting melon samples.

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Bexar County jail guard faces rape charge

SAN ANTONIO — A Bexar County Jail guard was arrested Monday on assault charges after being accused of pulling a gun on a couple then raping the woman, authorities said.

Ruben Barron, 28, of San Antonio was in the Bexar County Jail Monday afternoon charged with aggravated sexual assault and aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, jail officials said.

He was held on bonds totaling $20,000, said a sheriff's department spokeswoman who did not want to be identified. Barron, who had been a jail guard for a year, was placed on administrative leave without pay, the spokeswoman said.

Police said Barron approached a man and woman standing on a corner north of downtown early Monday morning with his 9mm automatic pistol and flashed his badge. He then told the 27-year-old woman she was under arrest and ordered her into his car, officials said.

He took her to another location and allegedly raped her before letting her go, police reports said.

Jury selection in drowning-death trial begins

FORT WORTH — Jury selection began Monday for a man accused of drowning his daughter to cash in on a life insurance policy purchased eight days before her death.

The murder trial of Wendell Lindsey, 33, was expected to last two weeks after a jury is seated. If convicted, Lindsey could face up to 99 years in prison.

Jury selection began at 9 a.m., said Dimple Junior, bailiff for 213th District Judge George S. Kredell.

Lindsey, a pharmaceutical laboratory worker, is charged with killing his 10-year-old daughter Jeanette. She drowned while on a family fishing trip to the Fort Worth Nature Center on Feb. 27, 1990.

Police said Lindsey, who took a day off from work to take his daughters fishing, told them one girl fell from a log and drowned. He told investigators she struggled out of his arms when he attempted to rescue her.

But detectives said they believe Lindsey killed the girl to cash in on a $100,000 policy he hoped could solve his financial problems and save his troubled second marriage.

Officials investigate reports of abuse

CORPUS CHRISTI — The Department of Human Services on Monday was investigating reports of abuses at an unlicensed boys' home, one day after 20 teen-agers were removed from the facility.

The boys, ranging in age from 14 to 17, were being cared for in licensed facilities after being taken from the Grace of God Youth Home, said Pete Peralta, a spokesman for the Nueces County sheriff's department.

Officials would not comment on the nature of the reported abuses.

There was no listing in the Corpus Christi phone director for the Grace of God Youth Home.

The DHS' licensing division and the state Attorney General's Office are conducting a separate investigation to determine if the home was operating illegally, said Nancy Gibbons, a DHS spokeswoman.

The allegations surfaced when four boys who ran away from the home told sheriff's deputies Saturday that they left because they were being abused, Peralta said.

Remorseful 'Gentlman Bandit' to give up

HOUSTON — A man remorseful over the arrest of another person in several "Gentleman Bandit" robberies plans to surrender to police Tuesday in connection with nearly 100 holdups in Texas and Louisiana, his attorney said.

An apparent gentleman to the end, the 49-year-old man decided to admit to the crimes after another man was charged this summer with crimes attributed to the bandit, attorney Allen Isbell said Monday.

"His conscience couldn't let him (the other man) be tried for something he didn't do," Isbell said. "He said, 'I can't let somebody suffer for what I've done.'"

Isbell's partner, Rick Brass, said Monday he had nearly completed an agreement to clear about 90 robberies in some 17 counties in Texas and Louisiana.

Compiled from Reporter-Telegram wire services.

Shooting leaves 2 men, boy dead

ARLINGTON (AP) — An argument over money apparently led a 26-year-old man to kill his brother-in-law and 6-year-old nephew before he turned the gun on himself, police said.

Aamir A. Butt shot Muhammed Tariq Ameen, 46, and his son, Adil Ameen, in their home after a heated argument Sunday, police said. Both were shot in the head. The victim's wife, who is the sister of the assailant, was wounded.

Butt was found dead in the driver's seat of a car at another relative's home 30 minutes later.

Samina Ameen, 37, the assailant's sister, was shot in the left arm.

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Flowerland, 413 Andrews Hwy., has been a part of the Midland community for 35 years. Its major focus is quality and service. It has enjoyed steady growth by paying close attention to detail — from the smallest to largest order. In fact, Flowerland has brought its skillfully elegant touch to some of Midland's most elaborate weddings and parties.

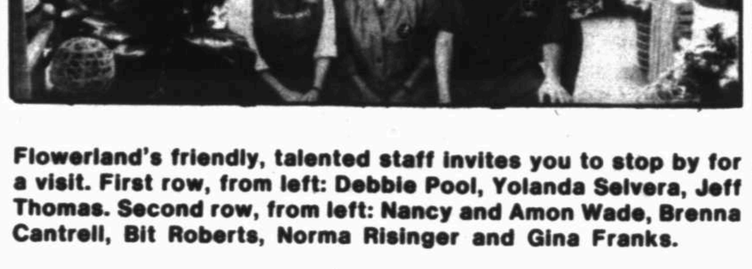
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Bit Roberts has been with Flowerland since it opened in 1956, and the community has depended on her throughout the years. Norma Risinger, a Texas Master Florist, has managed Flowerland for 23 years. Debbie Pool, a 17-year member of the staff, started to work for Flowerland when she was a senior in high school.

Flowerland is pleased to announce additions to its staff: Amon and Nancy Wade. Nancy and Amon owned and operated two outstanding flower shops in Fort Worth for 28 years. They are delighted to be in Midland — it was in West Texas that their floral careers began. Realizing the importance of church and community involvement, the Wades are eager to become involved with Midland's volunteer force. They are new members of Midland's First Baptist Church and Amon has joined the Downtown Lions Club.

Flowerland invites you to stop by and see their new look and visit with their employees. Take a look at Flowerland's ad in today's Business and Industry pages.

Flowerland hours are from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday. Enjoy close-up parking, delivery availability and major credit card acceptance. Please call 682-1634 or 1-800-451-2496 for more information.



Flowerland's friendly, talented staff invites you to stop by for a visit. First row, from left: Debbie Pool, Yolanda Selvera, Jeff Thomas. Second row, from left: Nancy and Amon Wade, Brenna Cantrell, Bit Roberts, Norma Risinger and Gina Franks.

Lifetime Siding and Window announces summer savings



Neil Letkeman, owner of Lifetime Siding and Window Company, stands in front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dawson. The home was updated with vinyl siding and storm windows.

There couldn't be a better time for home improvement. Because Neil Letkeman of Lifetime Siding and Window Company is now offering 20 percent savings on vinyl siding and soffit and fascia systems. The sale will continue to the end of September. Storm windows, installed, up to 90 united inches, are priced at just $75 each.

Storm doors are just $180 each installed, for full view or operators (standard sizes).

"Our superior installation methods contribute largely to the success of Lifetime Siding and Window Company," says owner Neil Letkeman. "Today's homeowners are looking for the highest quality products at the lowest prices."

With that in mind, many siding companies are resorting to lower quality materials and faster installation methods such as stapling and nailing in order to keep costs down. These methods are standard in the industry. But are they the best? Neil Letkeman doesn't think so.

"We start by replacing any rotten and warped boards," Letkeman said. "And we refasten loose boards. We make sure that all the wood on the house is in good shape before we start installing our siding."

When installing siding, Lifetime Siding specialists use screws and rivets in all critical areas of installation because screws and rivets secure siding more effectively than staples and nails.

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That's what Mr. and Mrs. Roger Robinson of 4616 Ric St. did. Then Lifetime Siding and Window Company installed steel siding, soffit, fascia, storm windows and a storm door.

"Neil did some excellent work, we have no complaints," Robinson said. "He was prompt and did really good work for us. We took the advice of some of my co-workers and we also looked over some of Neil's work in the neighborhood."

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dawson, residents of the home in today's photo said, "We got two estimates and Neil's prices were much lower. Also, our neighbors recommended him. The work was fantastic, and Neil is friendly and dependable."

For energy efficiency, protection for your home and family, noise and dust reduction, as well as overall savings, Letkeman recommends storm and replacement windows for your home.

Storm windows, which are great for insulation, can come with tinted glass. And replacement dual glass thermal break windows are solid investments for the long term.

If you have ever considered siding your home or installing new windows, this is the best time of year to get a free, no obligation estimate. Call Lifetime Siding and Window Co. at 689-0307.

"We would like to thank all of our customers for putting their trust in us and making our success possible. Thank you," Letkeman said.

Midlanders visit Chaparral Wash & Lube before holiday drives

As the Labor Day weekend approaches, many Midlanders are planning trips. And before taking off, many will check in with Chaparral Wash and Lube Center for the convenient combination of a free car wash with the purchase of a quality, quick oil change and preventive maintenance check.

Since opening in 1984, Chaparral Wash and Lube Center has enjoyed a well-earned reputation as the best car wash and oil-change service in Midland. A strong commitment to quality and meticulous attention to detail from long-time employees are Chaparral trademarks.

Owner Leon Jeffcoat, a Texas Tech graduate and Midland businessman, and his employees share a commitment to excellence.

That's noticeable on the first visit to Chaparral, which is located at the corner of Big Spring and Scharbauer streets.

"I really enjoy meeting people and looking after their cars," said lube technician C.C. Banks. He's been with Chaparral since 1985.

"Checking the automobiles out, keeping them up — this is a good place to be. Great to work here, and we have a great bunch of customers."

The Chaparral Lube Center carries major brands of oil, including Pennzoil, Quaker State and Havoline. Prices for the oil change and lube range from $18.50 to $23.50. For those who prefer using Mobil One, the price is $36.50.

Also included with the oil change is a complete examination under the hood. Technicians check batteries, tires, belts, hoses and fluid levels. As a part of this service, these fluids are replenished, if needed. For an additional charge, technicians install transmission oil, freon, light bulbs and windshield-wiper refills.

Customers get a free car wash with each oil change. Customers who are in a rush or come in on a cloudy day, receive a car wash rain check voucher.

"After a car is washed, I go over it carefully. I touch up anything that may have been missed," said Guillermo Portillo, who's been with Chaparral since 1984."We want to make our customers happy, and the way to do that is do the best possible job."

Peté Franco, an employee since 1986, echoes Portillo's sentiments. "My responsibility is vacuuming the vehicle thoroughly. Once I'm done, I check everything again — ashtrays, under the seats and so on."



Chaparral Wash and Lube employees take great pride in the quality of their work. From left, owner Leon Jeffcoat, Gilbert Guiterrez, C.C. Banks, Pete Franco and Guillermo Portillo. They represent over 20 years' experience at their work.

Gilbert Gutierrez cleans automobiles' exteriors. "After I'm done, I take another look at my work," he said. "If there are any spots left on the vehicle, we try our best to remove them. We use different cleaners, that kind of thing. I've been doing this for seven years and I really enjoy my job. I like to see happy customers."

Having vehicles checked on a regular maintenance schedule at Chaparral Wash and Lube Center is good insurance against expensive trouble. Owner Jeffcoat recommends a minimum maintenance schedule of every 3,000 miles or every three months. A reminder sticker will be placed on the inside of your windshield.

When you visit Chaparral Wash and Lube Center, not only do you get professional service, but you get personal service from people who care about you and your car.

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Workers rally for more money

AUSTIN (AP) — Nearly 100 state employees rallied Monday, seeking a 3 percent pay raise that state officials say cannot be funded from the $50 billion state budget approved earlier this month.

The Legislature passed the employee raise contingent on Comptroller John Sharp finding the money for it.

But Andy Welch, Sharp's spokesman, said the $584 million to fund the pay hike for the next two years isn't available.

"What the Legislature did was authorize a pay raise, but yet no funds were appropriated for it," Welch said. "We have scoured the budget, and we cannot find any money for it."

Protesting state workers said they are facing a "desperate situation" and a falling standard of living. State employees last received a raise Sept. 1, 1989, when they were given a 5 percent pay hike.

Sylvia Meyer, president of the Texas State Employees Union, said lawmakers "found money for everything except a state employee pay raise."

"The 3 percent pay raise mentioned in the appropriations bill is not enough, and it's an insult that now we are having to fight desperately for crumbs," Ms. Meyer said.

"Today, our message is this: We've earned a pay raise, we've fought for it, we want it — where is it?"

Workers and several lawmakers said they were angered because they thought money for the raise was included in the record state budget.

"We made all kinds of false promises, and in the final analysis, the very meager 3 percent pay raise that everybody thought we were giving state employees ended up being a hoax," said Rep. Glen Maxey, D-Austin.

But the Legislature ended its second special session of the year Sunday, and Gov. Ann Richards said she may not call lawmakers back to Austin until their next regular session in 1993.

Bill Cryer, Richards' spokesman, said the governor could veto certain budget items or shift funds to try to raise the money. But he said it was doubtful she could produce enough.

"That doesn't seem likely, that she could come up with the hundreds of millions of dollars that they're talking about," Cryer said.

However, Cryer said that if the economy improves, the state may collect more taxes than expected — enough for some sort of pay raise, if not the full 3 percent. He said legislators did fund increases in state employee insurance.

"It could be worse. The state employees did get their insurance covered, and that was one of their biggest demands," Cryer said. "We're sympathetic, but there is not a whole lot that they can ask (the governor) to do."

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Blue Gem expands art availability with modern technology

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Laser-disc technology is expanding the range of art available to West Texas art lovers. "Our gallery recently acquired the latest development in the art industry," Davis said. "We have a laser-disc player that projects images of art on a high resolution screen. At your convenience, you can see thousands of works of art, just about all that are available, very accurately and almost life-sized."

Customers may view all the works of a favorite artist or search for a previously elusive subject or style. And, thanks to the latest disc acquired by Blue Gem, those who are undecided as to artist, style, subject or motif can view sample frames of just about any genre.

"The company that provides this system for us spent thousands of dollars and years in research to develop this product. In our gallery, you can view virtually all of the popular affordable art available in this country," Davis said.

Originals, sculpture, limited-edition contemporary, and wildlife art can be viewed and reviewed as computerized research saves hundreds of hours of time.

"We can search through our extensive library in seconds, locating the art that matches what you are looking for," Davis said. "Like an affordable original oil that matches a color scheme and is a certain size, or pictures of horses, for example."

In addition to the art available from the major publishers in this country, The Blue Gem Shop and Gallery is part of an exclusive nationwide dealer association, and it makes more than 30,000 popular items available to the shop that are sold out elsewhere and no longer available through the publisher.

For a more personalized presentation, Davis said she can take the monitor and player to a home or office.

"We suggest that you call us and make an appointment, so we can prepare a special presentation to suit your personal taste. Also, this way we know that the equipment will be available, and that we will not be interrupted," she said. "If this is not possible, please stop by The Blue Gem Shop and Gallery at your convenience and we'll show you more art than you have ever seen."

Besides introducing the latest in technology, the folks at Blue Gem Shop & Gallery are expanding their children's art section to include more books, stationery, prints, coloring books and even some early Christmas items.

And, speaking of Christmas, Blue Gem Shop and Gallery announced that all Christmas cards purchased from them in the month of October can be imprinted at no extra charge. Some cards are in already, for those really early shoppers.

Whether it's fine art, quality Native American art and jewelry, children's art or more, Midlanders have counted on The Blue Gem Shop and Gallery for years. The Blue Gem Shop and Gallery has an excellent reputation for carrying fine art and prints by talented and well-known artists.

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Woman realizes dream, establishes arts center

By Rebecca DeLong
Waco Tribune-Herald

WACO, Texas (AP) — Mildred Johnson is building a community. Music, dance and drama are her tools.

With them, she'll carve a niche for young talent at the Paul Quinn Multipurpose Center, where two rooms have been turned into a center for the arts.

"There are some children who receive a kind of refinement from being exposed to, say, a music appreciation class," said Johnson, director of the Joyce Stamps Day Nursery in East Waco.

In 1989, she received a $4,400 Community Development grant from the city to help her build her fine arts dream. An open house tea is planned from 5 to 8 p.m. Aug. 18.

"I knew from being involved in the arts that this program is a possibility," said Johnson, music teacher, choir director and church organist. "We're trying to involve the communities and families in developing a means for children who show abilities."

Others see it as means of putting young lives back on track.

"I think it's exciting, especially for the youth in the neighborhood," said Marvin Johnson, Mildred's son and a Waco pastor.

"It helps build character. It helps them to have a second chance at life.

"We hope and pray that something good comes out of it that will help our people and our community."

So far, Johnson has commitments from three area women who want to teach piano and art. They will be paid if Johnson finds money to pay them. She has bought a piano for $300 and is looking for more used instruments.

"We're out begging to start the program," she said. "It's a lot of work to get open, I'll tell you that."

She also is negotiating with the Dallas Black Dance Theater to come share its talent and expertise. She plans to take her students on field trips to major cities.

"It has always been a part of my life to try and do things for young people," said Johnson, who for 12 years was director of McLennan County's Head Start program. "This has been a dream of mine for a number of years."

She worries a lot about the kids she meets these days — kids who seem to have no direction.

"One of the problems I found is having something constructive to do with their leisure time," Johnson said. "Teenagers are having such trying times."

Her 18-year-old grandson, Ronald McLennan, learned early to heed his grandmother's lessons. He plays the organ, the piano, the French horn and more.

He said other teens likely will be receptive to the program.

"There aren't many people who use their talents because they don't have anywhere to go," he said. "There's a lot of talent in Waco — it's just nobody knows about it."

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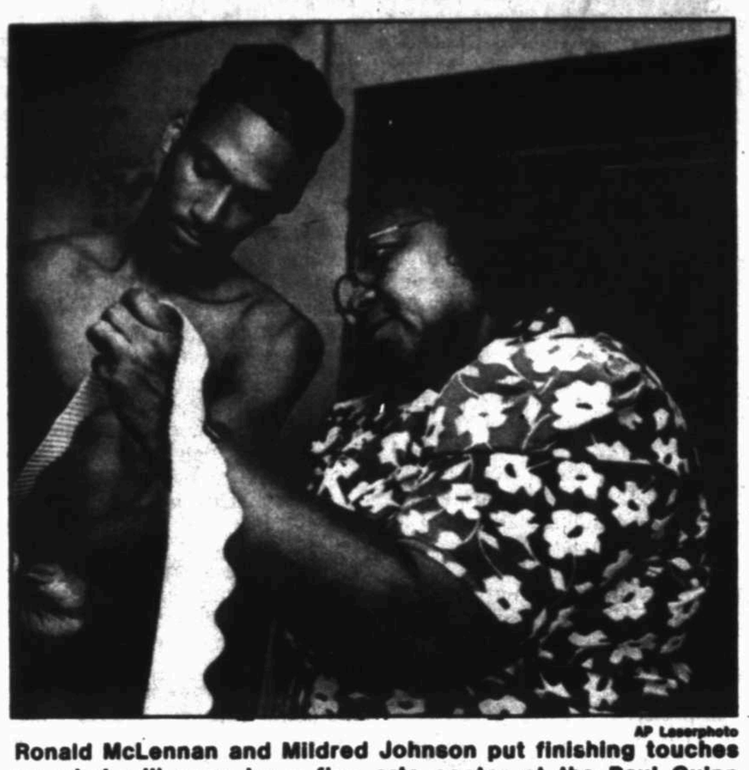
Besides, he said, "there's nothing else to do in Waco."

Children who apply must be 18 or younger and show an interest in voice, art, drama, dance or a musical instrument. And if one interest doesn't suit them, perhaps something else will.

"Someone who comes in wanting to sing might have a talent in art," Johnson said. "Rather than turn a child away who doesn't measure up, we'll have a place for everyone."

She hopes to serve about 50 kids through individual, weekday lessons. Group classes will be available on weekends.

Cost per lesson should run about $10 — considerably cheaper than most private lessons. Still, she is working on a scholarship, or perhaps a sponsorship program. No youngster, she said, will be turned away.



AP Laserphoto
Ronald McLennan and Mildred Johnson put finishing touches on what will soon be a fine arts center at the Paul Quinn Multipurpose Center in East Waco.

Glen Rose artist discovers satisfaction in simpler life

By Rodger Mallison
Associated Press writer

GLEN ROSE, Texas — In the hills of Somervell County, along the meandering Paluxy River and among the people of Glen Rose, artist Jack Bailey said he has found his subject.

"It's right around me and I don't need to go anyplace," he said. "It's endless."

But like the river he often paints, Bailey's road to Glen Rose has been a bit meandering itself.

Bailey, 48, said he dates the beginning of his artistic career to the seventh grade, when an art teacher assigned him to paint portraits of the Texas governors and he exhibited a flair for painting.

He studied art at Baylor University and was drafted into the Army in 1968, where he wound up in West Germany as an ordnance captain assigned to paint portraits of generals and retiring officers. "I went on to do a lot of portraits," he said.

After the Army he studied in Dallas with Perry Nichols, who painted some of the State Fair murals for the Works Progress Administration. After six months with Nichols, Bailey (who signs his work with the name Bailey Williams because Jack "didn't look right,") sold his first $1,000 painting.

He spent the next nine years painting portraits of wealthy Dallasites, moved to Colorado for two years and then returned to Dallas. All the while, he painted portraits and landscapes. Occasionally he would experiment with abstract and impressionist work, but he always returned to his main subjects. "I get a lot more satisfaction by painting scenery and portraits," he said.

In 1986, Bailey, who is single, decided to "gear down everything" and simplify his life. He decided to move to Glen Rose.

"I've known Glen Rose all my life," he said, "I remember going to the river and swimming as a child."

His first memory of Glen Rose was at age 2 when he went along to pick up his mother at one of the mineral water sanitariums the area was known for at the time. She was being treated for goiter and an ailing gall bladder. Bailey recalls the drive up to the clinic on a cliff in the family's 1942 Chevy with a door that had to be wired shut.

"I remember the look on her face," he said, and since then, "Glen Rose has always been associated with healing and therapy ... in my mind."

Not long after his move here, Bailey bought an old house on the north edge of town, in what used to be a district of speak-easies and gambling joints in the wilder days of Prohibition.

Now it's a house on a hill surrounded by live oaks, serenaded by wind chimes and invaded by a non-poisonous snake intent on eating all the goldfish in the pond he built.

His studio is a small renovated shack with a skylight and double French doors that face east. The morning sun and the rising moon shine in. "The moonrise here is indescribable," he said.

Amid such peaceful surroundings Bailey mixes oils for his next painting, a river scene of three limestone boulders.

He squeezes out several dabs of white, generous portions of cobalt blue, cadmium yellow and cadmium red, a little ocher (yellow clay) and raw umber (dark greenish brown).

With those few colors he mixes a basic palette of grays in various shades and degrees of warm and cool.

Working quickly, he paints in the light and dark areas, devoid of detail yet, just to get the basic composition. In successive layers he adds detail and texture. A little red is used underneath bluebonnets to make them stand out. He uses a little white to highlight details in the shadows and direct the viewer's eyes through areas of the picture.

Bailey said most of his paintings take a few days to complete. "You're either fast and good or slow and broke," he said.

So far, Bailey has painted 18 to 20 portraits of Glen Rose people and dozens of landscapes. He recently showed a collection of his work at a gallery on the town square and gave residents, and himself, a chance to see a portion of his work in one place.

He called it a satisfying experience and said, "It confirmed to me I was going in the right direction.

"Life never was interesting until I moved here. I was always looking for something," he said, " and when I got here I found it."

Texas craftman carves wooden toys of his youth

TYLER, Texas (AP) — Sumpter Kelley picked up the wooden toy wagon and recalled buying his first wagon to "set out on his own."

The toy replica matched in every detail the wagon Kelley fondly remembered — same type cover and harness. The only difference is size.

Kelley, 90, isn't worried that his toys aren't in trendy toy stores, or any store at all. He makes them, he said, not to get rich, but because he enjoys it.

Kelley has made intricate toy wagons, windmills, dollhouses and rocking chairs from white pine for about eight years.

"I learned it on my own," he said, as he looked over his work. "That's the only way to learn anything."

Claiming to be a late riser, Kelley said he awakes about 7 a.m. to begin his day working with wood. With saws, drill, wood file and his long-fingered hands, Kelley makes toys he dreamed of owning as a child.

The retired Tyler carpenter is not sure how long it takes to make one toy because he gets too tired to finish one at a sitting.

"I work until I get tired," Kelley says matter-of-factly. "Then I rest awhile."

A 5-inch wagon wheel, he said, takes about three hours.

Kelley said he tried to pass on his woodworking skills to his family's younger generation, but there was no interest. But he will keep on making toys until he is no longer able to use his hands.

"At my age, I don't know how long I can keep doing this. My hands are getting pretty shaky," he said, looking down at a 2-inch detailed chair he made in his earlier years.

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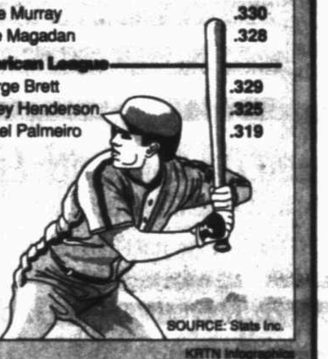
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National League	Average
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Eddie Murray	.330
Dave Magadan	.328
American League	
George Brett	.329
Rickey Henderson	.325
Rafael Palmeiro	.319



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Ace for football

The Greenwood Football Booster Club is holding a hole-in-one fund raiser at Hogan Park from Aug. 31 to Sept. 2.

Competitors can compete for a truck with a donation of $1 a ball. The event will last from 8:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday and Sunday and from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Monday.

Stoudt is out

IRVING (AP) — Cliff Stoudt knew what could be coming Monday and like a blindside blitz there was no way to dodge.

With Sunday's trade for Steve Beuerlein as the primary backup quarterback for Troy Aikman, Stoudt, a 12-year veteran, and rookie Bill Musgrave of Oregon, a fourth-round draft pick, were less valuable to Cowboys coach Jimmy Johnson.

So they were among the 13 cuts he announced. One of them could be back as insurance on Tuesday, depending on waiver wire claims.

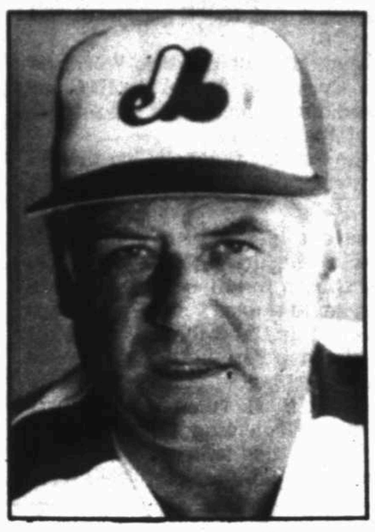
The Cowboys also cut safeties Vince Albritton, an eight-year veteran, and Stan Smagala, a 1990 fifth-round pick; kick returner and wide receiver James Dixon, a three-year veteran; and wide receiver Derrick Shepard, a four-year veteran. Dixon had been impressive in preseason return kickoffs.

No-hitter

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Bret Saberhagen, whose career has been punctuated by great awards, pitched his greatest game Monday, a no-hitter that led the Royals over the White Sox 7-0.
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Buck Rodgers... new manager in California

Angels boot Rader, pick Rodgers

ANAHEIM, Calif. (AP) — The Angels, who fell from first place to last in the AL West in a month, fired manager Doug Rader and replaced him with Buck Rodgers.

Rodgers, fired as manager by the Montreal Expos on June 2, signed a three-year contract on Monday to take over a team that has failed to win a division title under Rader despite the acquisition of such stars as Dave Winfield, Mark Langston and Gary Gaetti.

"This is kind of a dream come true, coming back to a place where you were born-type thing," said Rodgers, a member of the original Angels in 1961. "There's always bitter-sweet to every managerial change. I got the bitter about three months ago. It's sweet for me today.

"I'm going to come in here, listen to my coaches, and keep a wide-open mind. I think there are some outstanding players on this club. Why it's not a contender I don't know. I don't expect to be a quick fixer. I'm going to be around here for a while."

The Angels moved into first place by one percentage point over the Twins with a 44-33 record on July 3, but then lost 19 of their next 27 games to fall into last place on Aug. 4 with a 52-52 record.

California has been in last place since, with a low point coming last Thursday when a 2-1 loss to Oakland put them 15 games behind the Twins.

Rader, under contract through the 1992 season, was let go despite the Angels' three-game sweep of the Red Sox that left them 13 games behind Minnesota entering Monday night's game against the Tigers.

The 47-year-old Rader is the seventh manager to be fired this season, while Rodgers is the first of the group to be rehired.

Springer cuffs Angels

■ San Antonio beats Midland as El Paso catches the Angels in the Texas League West standings.

By Joe Wyatt
Staff Writer

There was a bounce in Dennis Springer's step Monday night.

Springer, San Antonio's knuckleball specialist, gave up just four hits in nine innings as the Missions dropped the Angels 2-1 in a pitcher's duel that skirted perfection and sent Midland back into a tie for first place in the Western Division.

Don Vidmar, bidding to become Midland's first 14-game winner since 1987, was perfect through 4⅓ innings. But Chris Morrow's one-out bloop single to rightfield gave San Antonio its first baserunner, and his leadoff walk in the seventh became the deciding run as Vidmar's six-hitter was also his fifth loss of the year.

With El Paso's 6-1 win over Wichita, the Diablos and the Angels find themselves deadlocked atop the West standings with 32-29 records.

"This is the third or fourth game I've pitched against Vidmar, and I knew it was going to be a low-scoring game from the start," said Springer, who evened his record at 10-10 while keeping the Missions alive in the West, just four games behind the leaders.

Wichita sits two games back with seven games left in the ever-tightening regular season race.

The Angels, who began their final 10-game homestand with a five-game lead in the West, are 2-6 since returning to Midland.

"Vidmar pitched a good game and so did Springer," Midland manager Don Long said. "You have to give Springer as much credit for holding us down as you give Vid for holding them down...giving up a couple of runs is all.

"We've lost three one-run games in this homestand. We've got to start turning those into wins, and I feel confident that we will."

The Angels had their eyes on a win early as Marcus Lawton's ground ball pushed Tim Salmon home with the game's first run because Vidmar looked as if he could make that lead hold up.

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NFL's one-time heroes get ax

■ The NFL's unkindest day sends once proud veterans packing to reach 47-player limit.

Associated Press

Dexter Manley, Dave Duerson and a host of other one-time heroes were sent packing on Monday, the NFL's unkindest day of all.

The league's 28 teams got down to the 47-player limit by ridding themselves largely of two types — rookies and free agents and veterans who tried to hang on for another season.

"The toughest decisions I have to make are always with veterans that have contributed to the success we've had in the past," said Miami coach Don Shula, who cut linebacker Barry Krauss and cornerback Paul Lankford, who combined for 22 years of NFL experience.

For some like Manley, trying to come back from a drug suspension, it could be the end of a career.

For others it may be a day off — many are cut and brought back later in the week after teams place players they want to keep around on injured reserve.

"It's like playing poker. You're trying not to show your hand," said Denver coach Dan Reeves. "You've got to bluff somewhat."

For still others, it's a temporary interruption before they're signed by another team. Bubba Paris, left tackle for the 49ers before being cut last week, was signed by the Colts on Monday.

And for rookies, it may be a few days in limbo before they go to a developmental squad. That means they can practice but can't play unless they clear waivers again.

Some big-name holdouts continued to trickle in, including San Diego running back Marion Butts and Buffalo linebacker Darryl Talley.

Some veterans who lost their jobs:

— Manley, who joined the Cards last year after being reinstated by commissioner Paul Tagliabue following a year's suspension for substance abuse. Released by Washington after the suspension, he was the often outspoken hub of the Redskins' defense during the mid '80s and is fifth on the NFL's all-time sack list with 91.

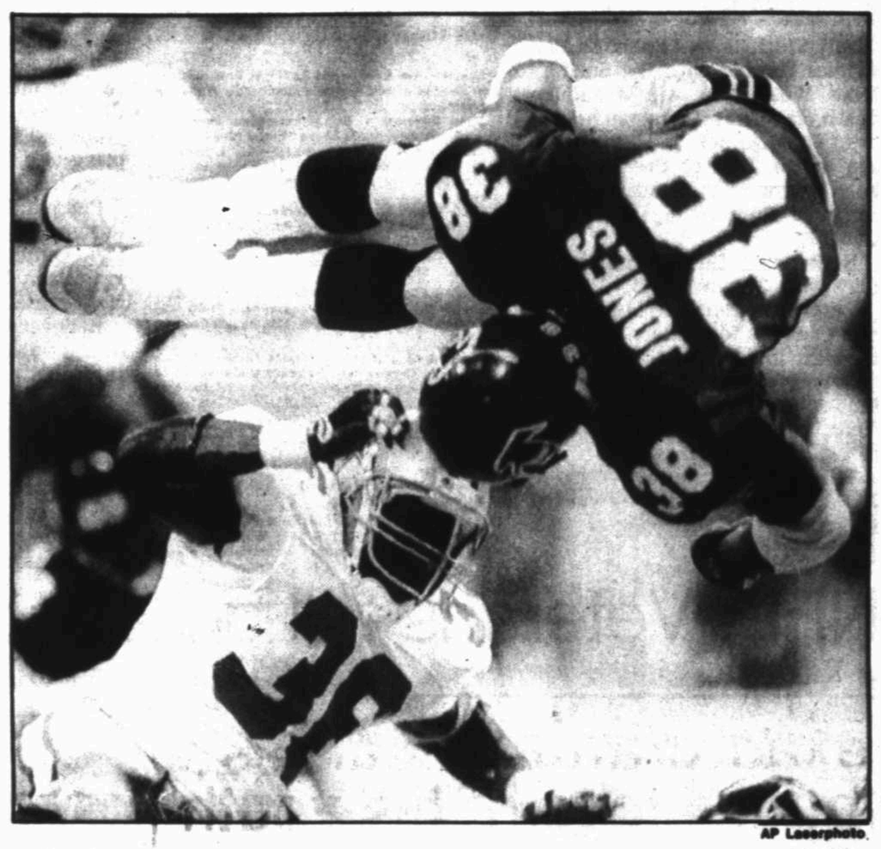
— Duerson, who won Super Bowl rings with both the Bears and Giants and was a Pro Bowler with the Bears and was cut by New York.

— Donald Igwebuike, who was accused of heroin smuggling last October and found innocent in April, was cut by the Vikings, meaning Fuad Reveiz will be the kicker. The Vikings also cut receiver Leo Lewis, an 11-year man, and running back Darrin Nelson, a 10-year man who had returned after being dispatched in the Herschel Walker deal.

— Linebacker Jerry Robinson, a 13-year-veteran cut by the Raidaers. He goes all the way back to the Eagles' 1980 Super Bowl team

— Defensive lineman Andre Townsend, 29, a part-time starter on the Broncos' three Super Bowl teams in 1986, 1987

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Atlanta running back Keith Jones (38) flies into the end zone over Dallas safety Vince Albritton (36) Friday. Albritton, an eight-year veteran, was one of the NFL veterans to be cut Monday.

Accolades roll in for Lewis

■ World record 9.86 seconds makes Carl Lewis the undisputed king among track sprinters.

Associated Press

TOKYO — Carl Lewis knew that for all his world championships and Olympic gold medals, he had to prove himself again.

He may have proved that he's the best of all time.

At age 30, eight years after sprinting to his first world championship gold medal, he ran the greatest 100 meters in the history of track and field Sunday. A crowd of 60,000 that included the Emperor of Japan went wild and acclaimed him as the hero of the World Track and Field Championships.

Lewis goes into the books as the world record-holder in the men's 100 meters after winning in 9.86 seconds. He's also the first winner of an individual gold medal in each of the three world championships.

"It feels great to be 30 and run the race of my life," he said.

Lewis' Santa Monica Track Club teammates Leroy Burrell and Dennis Mitchell, who took second and third, hailed him as the best of all time.

"He's probably the greatest track athlete that ever graced the planet," said Mitchell, who was third in 9.91. "He's the epitome of competitors."

In 14 events in three world championships and two Olympics, Lewis has 13 gold medals and a silver. His only loss was to Joe DeLoach in the 200-meter final in the 1988 Seoul Games.

It was an incredible final — the fastest ever, with six runners under 10 seconds. Lewis, who was fifth halfway through the race, was so excited after rallying to pass Burrell in the final five meters that he flipped his arms around his head in disbelief after realizing that he had won.

"He passed us as if we were standing still," said Burrell, who surpassed his world-record time of 9.90 seconds by finishing in 9.88. "It was the greatest 100 meters of all times. Carl was the best and he deserved to win. I am glad I was part of it."

Lewis, wrapped in an American flag, got a standing ovation as he took a victory lap. Emperor Akihito left the royal box to personally congratulate him after the awards ceremony.

After watching Burrell set the world record at the U.S. championships on June 14 in New York, Lewis admitted his confidence was shaky coming to Tokyo, but stressed he had yet to run the best race of his life and he planned to do it in the championships.

"It was the greatest day in my life, really unbelievable," he said.

Linford Christie of Britain, the Olympic silver medalist, was fourth in 9.92, the world-record time at the start of the year. Ray Stewart of Jamaica ran 9.95 and Frank Fredericks of Namibia 9.96 for an African record.

"Fredericks was sixth with 9.96. Who would have imagined that?" Burrell said.



AP Laserphoto

Track star Carl Lewis smiles as he is hugged by his countrymen Leroy Burrell, left, and Dennis Mitchell after world record 9.86 in the 100 meters.

Agassi suffers ambush

NEW YORK (AP) — Finalist one year, first-round flop the next, Andre Agassi spun out of control and away from the U.S. Open, the victim of another stunning ambush.

Aaron Krickstein, Agassi's tormenter on Monday, displayed none of the power and little of the precision that Pete Sampras showed in beating Agassi for the championship last year.

Krickstein didn't need to be that good against a player who self-destructed in the heat and glare on the stadium court. It was only the second match of the tournament, less than four hours had passed since the first ball was struck, and one of the glamorous names in the game suddenly was gone in straight sets, 7-5, 7-6 (7-3), 6-2.

"I don't know what's harder, to lose in the first round or to lose in the finals," said the eighth-seeded Agassi, who has more experience in the latter after falling twice in French Open finals. "But it's not the worst thing that happened. No one died out there."

Agassi came dressed for a funeral in black and red. He looked thinner and paler after a summer of sickness. Three weeks ago, he vomited on court during the ATP championships at Cincinnati. A week later, he did the same in an early loss in the U.S. Hard Courts Championships at Indianapolis.

"It was a virus that gets affected by heat and exhaustion," he said, adding quickly, "But I don't want anyone to

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ANGELS: Springer stops Howie's 15-game hit streak

(From 1C)

The 24-year-old righthander sat down the first 12 13 Missions he faced, then recovered from Morrows single to take the shutout into the sixth.

But Rex Peters drew one of Vidmar's three walks to start the sixth, and Tim Barker's RBI single knotted the game at 1-1. Vidmar, just as he would have to do after Morrow scored in the seventh inning, had to get out of a bases-loaded jam to end the sixth. He did it in the sixth by getting Mike White to hit into a double play. He fanned Eric Young and got Barker to ground out to escape the bases-loaded problem in the seventh.

Walt McConnell drew two-out walk off Springer in the ninth, and Ramon Sambo came in to run. But Springer struck out Tim Salmon to end the game and give the Missions a 2-1 series lead.

Game 4 is scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. today.

ANGEL DUST: Mark Howie's 15-game hit streak was snapped by the knuckleballer, but not easily. Raul Mondesi made a fine running catch of Howie's potential gap shot in left-center field in the sixth inning, and a good play by Barker at shortstop denied Howie of an infield single in the ninth by about a heart beat. ...First baseman Don Barbara, who had two of Midland's four hits, made a diving stab along the line that robbed Lance Rice of extra bases in the third inning. At the time, it kept Vidmar's no-hit bid alive.

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Barker ss	4	0	1	1	Flora 2b	4	0	1	0
Mondesi cf	3	0	0	0	Howie dh	4	0	0	0
Magnuson lf	2	0	0	0	McConnell 3b	3	0	0	0
White rf	2	0	1	0	Sambo pr	0	0	0	0
Morrow rf	3	1	1	0	Salmon rf	3	1	0	0
Alvarez 3b	4	0	0	0	Barbara 1b	3	0	2	0
Baar dh	4	0	1	0	Lawton lf	3	0	1	1
Peters 1b	3	1	0	1	Easley ss	3	0	0	0
Rice c	3	0	2	0	Billmeyer c	3	0	0	0
Totals	31	2	6	2	Totals	29	1	4	1

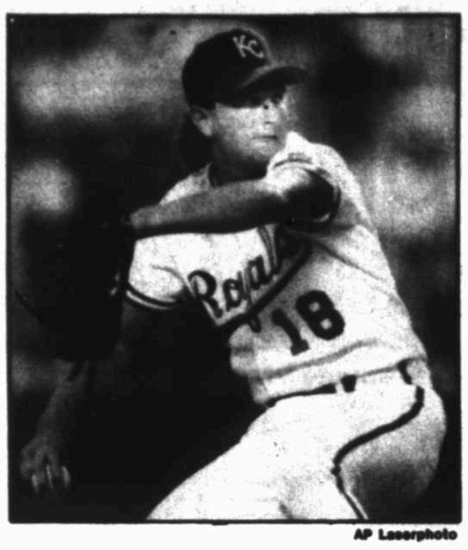
San Antonio	000	001	100—2
Midland	010	000	000—1

E—Easley. DP—San Antonio 1, Midland 2. LOB—San Antonio 5, Midland 4. 2B—Baar (16), Barbara (12). SB—Williams (19). CS—Flora (8). Sac.—Young.

San Antonio	ip	ho	r-er	bb	so
Springer W 10-10	9.0	4	1-1	3	3
Midland	**ip**	**ho**	**r-er**	**bb**	**so**
Vidmar L 13-5	9.0	6	2-2	3	3

T—2:26. Attn.—1,403.

Saberhagen hurls first no-hitter



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Kansas City's Bret Saberhagen ...no-hitter against the White Sox

Associated Press

KANSAS CITY — Bret Saberhagen, whose career has been punctuated by great awards, pitched his greatest game Monday, a no-hitter that led the Royals over the White Sox 7-0.

Saberhagen, MVP of the 1985 World Series and a Cy Young winner in 1985 and 1989, mowed down Chicago for the seventh no-hitter of the season.

The White Sox hit few balls hard as Saberhagen struck out five and walked two. There was, however, one close call.

With one out in the fifth inning, Dan Pasqua hit a line drive that sliced away from Kirk Gibson in left field. Gibson ran back on an angle toward center, jumped at the last second and had the ball graze off his glove, allowing Pasqua to reach second base. After watching several replays, official scorer Del Black ruled it a two-base error on the poor-fielding Gibson.

Ron Karkovice then followed with a long fly that hooked foul into the left-field seats.

American League

Rangers 10, Yankees 2

NEW YORK — Rafael Palmeiro, Kevin Reimer, Geno Petralli and Julio Franco hit home runs, powering the Texas over New York.

Texas won for the fourth time in five games. New York has lost four of five.

Twins 5, Indians 3

CLEVELAND — Kevin Tapani won his seventh straight decision and Minnesota hit three home runs and remained perfect against Cleveland.

Blue Jays 5, Orioles 2

BALTIMORE — Jimmy Key finally won his 100th game and Toronto retained at least a share of first place in the AL East by beating Baltimore.

Devon White homered for Toronto, which entered the game in a first-place tie with Detroit.

Grimes, Weaver take crown in Best of Rest VIII tourney

Staff Report

BIG SPRING — Lubbock's Bob Grimes teamed with Big Spring's Mike Weaver to win a sudden death playoff and take top honors over John Arrick and Steve Corson at the Best of the Rest VIII golf tournament Sunday at Big Spring's Comanche Trails Golf Course.

Both teams finished regulation play with 36-hole totals of 124.

Best of the Rest VIII is a tournament strictly for golfers with double-digit handicaps.

Grimes, a former Big Spring resident, and Weaver birdied the first playoff hole, the par-3 No. 1, to cinch the victory.

The teams of Randy Crockett-J.D. Reyes and Riley Wyatt-Al Fudge were one stroke off with 125s.

Johnny Tedford and Don Belew won the First Flight with a 125.

Results from Best of the Rest VIII, held Saturday and Sunday at Big Spring's Comanche Trails Golf Course:

Open Division: 1. Bob Grimes-Mike Weaver 61-63—124; 2. John Arrick-Steve Corson 60-64—124; 3. Randy Crockett-J.D. Reyes 63-62—125; 4. Riley Wyatt-Al Fudge 59-66—125; 5. Jon Ray Hernandez-Luven Flores 65-62—127. * Grimes-Weaver won one-hole playoff.

First Flight: 1. Johnny Tedford-Don Belew 64-61—125; 2. Mike Poyner-Doug Parker 64-63—127; 3. Randy Lynn-J.D. Hemblee 63-65—128; 4. Bobby Lawson-Don Cantrell 68-61—129; 5. John Swinney-Bobbie Patterson 65-64—129.

Second Flight: 1. Powell-Arhibald 69-63—132; 2. Smith-Smith 71-62—133; 3. Williams-Klatt 71-64—135; 4. Bodine-Dyer 71-65—136; 5. McCullough-Pack 69-67—136.

Third Flight: 1. (tie) Dyer-Chrane 72-66—138; Newell-Newell 72-66—138; Sanders-Underwood 72-66—138; 4. Leonard-Jimenez 72-67—139; 5. Sanchez-Tano 72-67—139.
* Dyer-Chance won scorecard playoff.

Fourth Flight: 1. (tie) Hoffman-Hoffman 81-67—148; Miller-Wash 77-71—148; Slaton-Brown 81-67—148; 4. Atkins-Atkins 78-70—148; 5. Decker-Decker 78-70—148. * Hoffman-Hoffman won scorecard playoff.

Fifth Flight: 1. (tie) Wright-Langston 84-74—158; Brown-Leal 82-76—158; Askew-Brown 83-75—158; Lanaperry-Redding 87-71—158; Hasty-Moore 82-76—158. * Wright-Langston won scorecard playoff.

Dodgers, Braves stay on pace

Associated Press

CHICAGO — Juan Samuel had a decisive two-run double as the Dodgers did all their scoring in the ninth inning of a 4-3 victory over the Cubs on Monday night.

Mike Scioscia led off the inning with a single and advanced to second when Lenny Harris reached on a throwing error by third baseman Chico Walker. Pinch-hitter Dave Hansen grounded out to advance the runners and bring on Chuck McElroy (5-2) in relief of Rick Sutcliffe.

Pinch-hitter Mitch Webster bunted to first to score Scioscia, and Brett Butler doubled to right-center to score Harris and bring on Les Lancaster. He allowed Samuel's double to the right-center field wall.

Reliever Jim Gott (3-3) pitched one-hit ball over two innings. Jay Howell got the final three batters for his 14th save.

Braves 14, Expos 9

ATLANTA — Jeff Blauser's first career grand slam and Dave Justice's two-run homer rallied Atlanta over Montreal as the Braves overcame an early six-run deficit.

Rookie Mark Wohlers (1-0) pitched two scoreless innings, allowing one hit while striking out two and walking two. Bill Sampen (6-4), who relieved Montreal starter Chris Haney following Blauser's slam, took the loss as the Braves rallied from a 7-1 deficit in the fifth inning.

National League

Cardinals 7, Giants 6

ST. LOUIS — Ozzie Smith's two-run homer keyed an early St. Louis burst, helping the surging Cardinals withstand two homers and five RBIs by Will Clark.

Clark's two-homer game was his second in a month and eighth of his career. The San Francisco first baseman, the National League's RBI leader with 101, has 27 homers.

St. Louis won its fourth consecutive game, matching its longest winning streak.

Padres 7, Pirates 5

PITTSBURGH — Tony Gwynn's two-run homer off Bob Kipper won the game in the 10th inning after Jack Howell's two-out pinch single tied it in the ninth.

Gwynn's homer, his fourth, followed Tony Fernandez's one-out single off Bill Landrum (1-4). Kipper then replaced Landrum and promptly allowed his sixth homer in 50⅔ innings.

The Pirates were within one out of winning it in the ninth, when Landrum, who entered with one out and none on, allowed Howell's run-scoring single.

Reds 5, Phillies 4

CINCINNATI — Chris Sabo hit a decisive two-run homer, his first ever against Philadelphia, rallying Cincinnati in a game that may have cost the Phillies outfielder Lenny Dykstra.

Sabo's fifth-inning homer off Mike Hartley (3-1) was his first in 134 career at-bats against the Phillies, the only NL team he'd fail to homer against. It was his 19th homer of the season and 61st of his career.

Mets 6, Astros 4

HOUSTON — Mackey Sasser had three hits, including a 10th-inning double that drove in the decisive run, leading New York over Houston.

John Franco (3-7) pitched two scoreless innings. Dwayne Henry (3-2) allowed the Mets' 10th-inning runs.

NFL: Veterans fall on last cut day

(From 1C)

and 1988.

— Guard Billy Ard, a starter on the Giants' 1986 Super Bowl team. He was cut by Green Bay, could be reactivated after the roster is set. The Packers also cut Mark Lee, a starting cornerback for the Packers for most of his 12-year career.

— Eddie Johnson, an 11-year veteran who was once part of one of the NFL's best linebacking corps with the Browns.

— David Galloway, once the Cards' best defensive linemen, cut by the Broncos.

— Disgruntled strong safety Terry Kinard and kick returner Gerald McNeil by the Oilers.

— Running back Stanford Jennings of the Bengals, best known for his 93-yard kickoff return for a touchdown that nearly won the 1989 Super Bowl with San Francisco.

— Ron Brown, 30, a gold-medal winner in the relay in the 1984 Olympics and once the league's best kick returners with the Rams. He was cut by the Raiders. Linebacker Anthony Bell, the fifth overall pick in the 1986 draft, was cut by the Cardinals. Bell was a symbol of the bad drafts that have left Phoenix at the bottom.

Other former No. 1s to go included wide receiver Kenny Jackson by Philadelphia; defensive lineman Jason Buck by Cincinnati, Terrance Flagler by San Francisco and defensive end Bob Buczkowski by the Seahawks.

The Eagles cut Anthony Toney, their starting fullback the past five years.

The Browns cut three former starters, linebackers Johnson and David Grayson and center Greg Rakoczky.

The Seahawks cut wide receiver Paul Skansi, a third-down specialist during his 9-year career.

The Saints cut Lonzell Hill, who had 66 catches in 1988 and 48 in 1989. But he played little and had only three catches last season.

Anthony Dilweg, who was the NFC player of the week a year ago after throwing for three touchdowns in the Packers' 1990 opening day win over the Rams, was cut by Green Bay.

"I still think I'll be a starter in this league some day," he said.

OPEN: Krickstein first hero

(From 1C)

say I'm making excuses."

Rather than suffering from any illness, Agassi said he was simply "very flustered."

"I didn't expect him to fire those kinds of shots that early," he said.

Krickstein's upset overshadowed the usual verbal battle John McEnroe waged with an umpire during a 6-4, 6-3, 6-3 victory over Glenn Layendecker, and Michael Chang's easy 6-3, 6-0, 6-2 win against Mark Woodforde. The top women seeds also had little problem winning, No. 2 Monica Seles beating Nicole Arendt 6-2, 6-0, No. 3 Gabriela Sabatini beating Nicole Provis 7-6 (7-3), 6-3 and No. 7 Jennifer Capriati dumping Eva Pfaff 6-1, 6-0.

Krickstein kept the ball deep in the first set and close enough to the sidelines to prevent Agassi from attacking. Agassi tried powering balls from the baseline, but his accuracy was off and he sprayed shots wide and deep.

"Nothing seemed to be going my way," lamented Agassi, who wound up with 55 unforced errors and six double faults, compared to Krickstein's 28 unforced errors and one double fault.

The crowd that had cheered Agassi so much last year switched allegiance early and whistled for Krickstein as it sensed an upset in the making.

"In the first set, I was trying to get a lead because I know he's such a good frontrunner," Krickstein said. "It would be good if I could slow him up."

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CHICAGO — KANSAS CITY

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Raines rf 4 0 0 0	Mcrae cf 4 2 1 0
Cora 2b 4 0 0 0	Gibson lf 4 3 2 1
Vlhos 1b 4 0 0 0	Brett dh 4 1 1 0
Vstorz 3b 3 0 0 0	Sierich rf 3 0 1 1
Fisk dh 3 0 0 0	Bonilla 1b 4 1 1 0
Perez c 2 0 0 0	Pecota 3b 4 0 1 1
Lshon cf 3 0 0 0	Mayne c 4 0 1 0
Nettles s 3 0 0 0	Howard ss 4 0 0 0
Merullo c 0 0 0 0	Shnpzt 2b 4 0 1 0
Quillen ss 3 0 0 0	
Totals 30 0 0 0	Totals 34 7 10 7

Chicago 000 000 000—0
Kansas City 300 004 00x—7

E—Patterson (2), Kittleson (3). LOB—Chicago 3, Kansas City 3. 2B—Bonilla (20). HR—Gibson (6). SB—Ellsinger (13). SF—Brett, Stanicolan.

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Chicago					
Hough L,7-9	2 2-3	8	5	5	1
Patterson	1	2	2	2	1
Pall	3 1-3	2	0	0	1
Mcdowsky	1	0	0	0	0
Kansas City					
Wblogs W,10-6	9	0	0	0	2

HBP—by Patterson (McRae). WP—Pall. PB—Karkovice. T—2:30. A—26,164.

Rangers 10, Yankees 2

TEXAS — NEW YORK

ab r h bi	ab r h bi
Dunng dh 3 0 1 1	Wlkms cf 3 1 0 0
Franco 2b 6 2 2 3	Slax 2b 3 0 0 0
McDvs 2b 0 0 0 0	Mnghy 1b 4 0 1 1
Pinero 1b 3 1 2 2	Hall rf 4 0 1 0
Bnby 1b 1 0 0 0	Nlsky lf 4 0 0 0
Sierra rf 4 0 0 0	Nokes c 4 0 0 0
Petts cf 4 0 0 0	Mass dh 4 0 0 0
Jeffcat cf 0 0 0 0	Espnza ss 3 0 1 0
Palmer lf 4 2 2 1	Pdsky 3b 3 1 0 0
Palmer lf 0 0 0 0	
Sschelo 3b 3 2 2 0	
Petrelli c 4 2 2 1	
Harrah ss 4 2 2 1	
Totals 37 10 12 10	Totals 31 2 5 2

Texas 000 000 334—10
New York 000 000 002—2

E—Petrelli (8). DP—Texas 1. LOB—Texas 6, New York 4. 2B—Hernandez (13). 3B—Palmeiro (3). HR—Franco (12), Palmeiro (22), Reimer (14), Petrelli (1). SB—Petrelli (10). S—Hernandez. SF—Downing.

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Texas					
Kbrown W,9-10	6	5	2	2	1	5
Rosenthal	1	0	0	0	0	1
New York						
Plunk L,3-5	6	10	7	7	1	7
Montelsone	2 2-3	2	3	3	2	2
Gusterman	1 1-3	0	0	0	0	2

Plunk pitched to 3 batters in the 8th. T—2:53. A—17,149.

Twins 5, Indians 3

MINNESOTA — CLEVELAND

ab r h bi	ab r h bi
Gdden lf 4 0 0 0	Gtell cf 4 0 0 0
Knbich 2b 4 1 2 0	Browne 2b 4 1 1 0
Puckett cf 4 0 0 0	Baerga 2b 4 1 2 0
Davis dh 4 0 0 0	Belle lf 3 0 1 2
Harper c 4 1 2 2	Whiten rf 4 0 0 0
Mack rf 1 1 1 1	Alomar 1b 3 0 1 1
Larkin 1b 4 0 1 0	Oaldtne dh 3 0 3 0
Gagne ss 4 0 0 0	Cota ph 1 0 0 0
Gagne ss 3 0 0 0	Skinner c 3 0 0 0
	Lopez ph 1 0 1 1
	Fermin ss 1 0 0 0
	Cmore ph 1 0 0 0
Totals 36 5 10 5	Totals 34 3 9 3

Minnesota 000 102 020—5
Cleveland 000 000 210—3

LOB—Minnesota 3, Cleveland 7. 2B—Gladden (13). HR—Puckett (14), Harper (7), Mack (10). SB—Gladden (30), Larkin (2).

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Minnesota					
Tapani W,12-7	8	6	2	2	1	3
Aguilera S,34	1	1	1	1	1	2
Cleveland						
Otto L,1-4	4	6	10	5	5	0
Hillegas	4	4	0	0	0	4

HBP—by Tapani (Belle). WP—Tapani, Aguilera. T—2:17. A—6,003.

Jays 5, Orioles 2

TORONTO — BALTIMORE

ab r h bi	ab r h bi
White cf 5 1 1 0	Devrux cf 3 1 2 1
Wlkr 2b 5 1 1 0	Segui lf 5 0 2 0
Carter rf 4 1 1 1	O'Brien rf 4 0 0 0
Olerud 1b 4 1 1 1	Davis dh 4 0 0 0
Castillo lf 4 1 2 1	Milligan 1b 4 0 0 0
Fielder dh 4 0 0 0	Ripkn ss 4 0 0 0
Gruber 3b 3 0 2 1	Gomez 3b 4 0 1 0
Mlwsk ss 4 0 0 0	Tettlton c 3 0 0 0
Myers c 3 0 0 0	Ripkn 2b 3 1 1 0
Waters c 2 0 0 0	Chldmz ph 1 0 0 0
Wilson ss 4 0 1 0	
Totals 37 5 11 5	Totals 35 2 5 1

Toronto 000 311 000—5
Baltimore 001 010 000—2

E—Gruber (11), Key (3). LOB—Toronto 7, Baltimore 10. 2B—Gruber (11), Horton (18). HR—White (12), Devereaux (16). SF—Tettleton.

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Toronto					
Key W,13-9	6	7	2	1	1	2
Timlin	2	2	0	0	0	1
Ward S,2	1	2	0	0	0	0
Baltimore						
Bluhorn L,4-6	5	9	5	5	0	3
Tibolt	3	1	0	0	1	1
Stanicek	1	1	0	0	0	0

J.Johnson pitched to 2 batters in the 8th. T—2:48. A—29,083.

LPGA Money

1991 LPGA Money Leaders
By The Associated Press
The money leaders on the 1991 LPGA Tour through the Chicago Shootout, which ended Aug. 25:

	Trn	Money
1. Pat Bradley	20	$656,040
2. Beth Daniel	16	$480,736
3. Meg Mallon	20	$443,870
4. Deb Richard	21	$344,570
5. Patty Sheehan	19	$337,776
6. Ayako Okamoto	19	$329,029
7. Betsy King	21	$307,662
8. Dottie Mochrie	22	$307,039
9. Jane Geddes	21	$285,304
10. Colleen Walker	21	$281,884
11. D.Ammaccapane	18	$246,971
12. Amy Alcott	19	$240,492
13. Judy Dickinson	22	$202,077
14. Tammie Green	20	$196,634
15. Rosie Jones	20	$196,123
16. Cindy Rarick	24	$186,338
17. Juli Inkster	21	$183,650
18. Nancy Lopez	11	$153,772
19. Caroline Keggi	22	$152,857
20. Elaine Crosby	23	$150,661
21. Barb Bunkowsky	22	$138,404
22. Martha Nause	24	$136,945
23. Shar Steinhauer	23	$135,153
24. Chris Johnson	21	$130,551
25. Dawn Coe	20	$129,805
26. Tina Barrett	21	$128,900
27. Ok-Hee Ku	18	$122,825
28. Laura Davies	17	$122,091
29. Sally Little	22	$121,729
30. Kris Tschetter	22	$120,211
31. Lynn Connelly	21	$117,309
32. Brandie Burton	18	$113,781
33. Michii McGann	23	$112,727
34. Laurel Kean	24	$112,473
35. Kristi Albers	24	$112,326
36. Hollis Stacy	17	$111,215
37. Jody Rosenholtz	18	$108,490
38. Kris Monaghan	20	$106,925
39. Miss McGorge	22	$104,125
40. Vicki Fergon	19	$103,036
41. C. Figg-Currier	20	$98,453
42. Alice Miller	21	$97,020
43. Nancy Scranton	24	$94,334
44. Penny Hammel	24	$88,827
45. JoAnne Carner	17	$86,661
46. Amy Benz	20	$85,588
47. Missie McNamra	19	$82,617
48. Alice Ritzman	19	$82,326
49. Shirley Furlong	22	$78,416
50. Dana Lofland	21	$75,741

WTA Money

WTA Money Leaders
By The Associated Press
The Women's Tennis Association money leaders through Aug. 25:

1. Monica Seles	$1,037,756
2. Gabriela Sabatini	$882,671
3. Steffi Graf	$807,330
4. A. Sanchez Vicario	$626,940
5. Jana Novotna	$486,694
6. Mary Joe Fernandez	$465,622
7. Martina Navratilova	$373,539
8. Jennifer Capriati	$364,917
9. Natalia Zvereva	$346,152
10. Gigi Fernandez	$306,303
11. Larisa Savchenko	$270,190
12. Helena Sukova	$247,949
13. Zina Garrison	$221,490
14. Katerina Maleeva	$184,118
15. Nathalie Tauziat	$178,122
16. Conchita Martinez	$166,386
17. M. Maleva-Fragniere	$154,278
18. Leila Meskhi	$147,336
19. Lori McNeil	$139,915
20. Patty Fendick	$134,673
21. Laura Gildemeister	$133,287
22. Elizabeth Smylie	$131,282
23. Helen Kelesi	$119,056
24. Anke Huber	$107,854
25. Rachel McQuillan	$107,406
26. Elna Reinach	$103,769
27. Kathy Rinaldi	$102,530
28. Brenda Schultz	$102,003
29. Sandra Cecchini	$101,731
30. Judith Wiesner	$99,381

Baseball Standings

All Times CDT

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Toronto	69	57	.548	—	6-4	Won 2	39-28	30-29
Detroit	68	58	.540	1	7-3	Won 2	42-22	26-36
Boston	62	62	.500	6	5-5	Lost 1	33-30	29-32
Milwaukee	60	64	.484	8	6-4	Won 1	32-32	28-32
New York	57	67	.466	11½	4-6	Lost 2	30-32	27-35
Baltimore	52	73	.416	16½	4-6	Lost 1	24-38	28-35
Cleveland	41	83	.331	27	2-8	Lost 1	22-40	19-43
West Division								
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Minnesota	76	51	.598	—	7-3	Won 1	39-23	37-28
Oakland	69	58	.543	7½	4-6	Lost 3	37-25	31-33
Chicago	67	59	.532	9	1-9	Lost 7	34-27	33-31
Texas	66	60	.524	10	5-5	Lost 1	34-27	32-33
Kansas City	64	60	.516	10½	2-8	Won 1	31-30	33-30
Seattle	64	61	.512	11	2-2-8	Lost 6	36-25	28-36
California	61	65	.492	13½	5-5	Won 3	28-34	33-31

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Pittsburgh	72	51	.585	—	7-3	Won 1	39-23	33-28
St. Louis	68	55	.553	4	2-7-3	Won 1	40-24	28-31
Chicago	62	62	.500	10½	5-5	Lost 3	37-27	25-35
New York	61	63	.492	11½	4-6	Lost 1	32-30	29-33
Philadelphia	60	64	.484	12½	2-8-4	Lost 1	35-25	25-39
Montreal	50	73	.407	22	4-6	Lost 1	26-34	25-39
West Division								
	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Los Angeles	69	55	.556	—	2-8-4	Won 1	39-21	30-34
Atlanta	69	56	.548	½	2-8-4	Won 1	39-22	30-34
Cincinnati	61	63	.492	8	2-8-4	Won 1	31-31	30-32
San Diego	61	64	.488	8½	4-6	Won 3	29-32	32-32
San Francisco	60	64	.484	9	4-6	Lost 1	33-27	27-37
Houston	51	73	.411	18	3-7	Lost 3	31-33	20-40

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AMERICAN LEAGUE
Monday's Games
Late Games Not Included
Texas 10, New York 2
Toronto 5, Baltimore 2
Minnesota 5, Cleveland 3
Kansas City 7, Chicago 0
Boston at Oakland, (n)
Milwaukee at Seattle, (n)
Detroit at California, (n)
Tuesday's Games
Texas (Guzman 4-2) at New York (Perez 1-1), 6:30 p.m.
Toronto (Guzman 4-2) at Baltimore (Rhodes 2-0), 6:35 p.m.
Minnesota (Morris 15-9) at Cleveland (Swindell 7-12), 6:35 p.m.
Chicago (Navarro 1-1) at Kansas City (Aquino 6-2), 7:35 p.m.
Boston (Gardner 5-6) at Oakland (Welch 11-8), 9:05 p.m.
Detroit (Cerutti 2-4) at California (Finley 15-7), 9:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (August 9-5) at Seattle (DeLucia 10-6), 9:35 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Monday's Games
Cincinnati 5, Philadelphia 4
San Diego 7, Pittsburgh 5, 10 innings
Atlanta 14, Montreal 9
Los Angeles 4, Chicago 3
St. Louis 7, San Francisco 6
New York 6, Houston 4, 10 innings
Tuesday's Games
Los Angeles (Martinez 15-8) at Chicago (Castillo 4-2), 1:20 p.m.
San Diego (Bones 1-2) at Pittsburgh (Smith 11-6), 2:05 p.m.
Philadelphia (Ruffin 3-4) at Cincinnati (Scudder 4-6), 6:35 p.m.
Montreal (Hesketh 2-6) at Atlanta (Leibrandt 12-11), 6:40 p.m.
New York (Whitehurst 5-9) at Houston (Kile 9-6), 7:35 p.m.
San Francisco (McClellan 3-1) at St. Louis (Tewksbury 8-9), 7:35 p.m.

U.S. Open Tennis

NEW YORK (AP) — Results Monday of the $7.25 million U.S. Open at the National Tennis Center (seedings in parentheses):

Men
Singles
First Round

Michael Chang, Placentia, Calif., def. Mark Woodforde, Australia, 6-3, 6-0, 6-2.

Henrik Holm, Sweden, def. Roberto Azar, Argentina, 6-3, 7-5, 6-3.

Derrick Rostagno, Pacific Palisades, Calif., def. Patrick Baur, Germany, 6-0, 6-2, 6-3.

Jonas Svensson, Sweden, def. Andrei Cherkasov (13), Soviet Union, 7-6 (7-2), 6-2, 6-2.

Christian Bergstrom, Sweden, def. Jo Durie, Britain, 6-2, 6-4, 6-4.

Jo Durie, Britain, def. Carrie Cunningham, Livonia, Mich., 6-4, 6-2.

Kimiko Date, Japan, def. Tami Whitlinger, Neenah, Wis., 7-6 (7-3), 6-4.

Sara Gomer, Britain, def. Stephanie Rottier, Netherlands, 6-3, 6-1.

Naoko Sawamatsu, Japan, def. Linda Ferrando, Italy, 6-4, 6-2.

Radka Zrubakova, Czechoslovakia, def. Renata Baranski, Rock Hill, S.C., 6-2, 7-6 (7-3).

Emanuela Zardo, Switzerland, def. Katarina Nowak, Poland, 7-5, 6-1.

Gabriela Sabatini (3), Argentina, def. Nicole Provis, Australia, 7-6 (7-3), 6-3.

Jennifer Capriati (7), Saddlebrook, Fla., def. Eva Pfaff, Germany, 6-1, 6-0.

Barbara Paulus, Austria, def. Sabine Hack, Germany, 6-7 (1-7), 6-4, 6-4.

Karina Habsudova, Czechoslovakia, def. Maya Kidowaki, Japan, 6-1, 6-4.

Petra Ritter, Austria, def. Ros Fairbank-Nideffer, Escondido, Calif., 6-4, 7-6 (7-1).

Gigi Fernandez, Aspen, Colo., def. Silke Frankl, Germany, 6-0, 6-4.

Helen Kelesi, Canada, def. Noelle van Lottum, France, 6-3, 7-5.

Dana Faber, Hilton Head, S.C., def. Ginger Helgeson, San Diego, 6-4, 6-4.

Erika de Lone, Lincoln, Mass., def. Halle Cioffi, Loudon, Tenn., 6-2, 6-7 (1-7), 6-3.

Kathy Rinaldi, Amelia Island, Fla., def. Mercedes Paz, Argentina, 6-7 (4-7), 6-4, 6-4.

Manuela Maleeva-Fragniere (10), Switzerland, def. Sandra Birch, Huntington Bay, N.Y., 6-3, 6-1.

Leila Meskhi (13), Soviet Union, def. Pascale Paradis-Mangon, France, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Susan Sloane Magers, San Diego, def. Eugeni Maniokova, Soviet Union, 5-7, 6-4, 6-4.

Patty Fendick, Sacramento, Calif., def. Petra Thoren, Finland, 6-1, 6-4.

Steffi Graf (1), Germany, def. Andrea Temesvari, Hungary, 6-1, 6-2.

Julie Halard, France, def. Amanda Coetzer, South Africa, 7-5, 6-1.

Eva Svigelcrova, Czechoslovakia, def. Cathy Caverzasio, Italy, 6-4, 6-1.

Shaun Stafford, Gainesville, Fla., def. Cristina Tessi, Argentina, 6-3, 6-3.

Barbara Rittner, Germany, def. Susan Sloane, Lexington, Ky., 6-4, 6-1.

Catherine Mothes, France, def. Marion Maruska, Austria, 6-3, 6-4.

No-hitters

1991 No-Hitters
By The Associated Press
May 1 — Nolan Ryan, Texas vs. Toronto, 3-0.
May 23 — Tommy Greene, Philadelphia vs. Montreal, 2-0.
July 13 — Bob Milacki, Mike Flanagan, Mark Williamson and Gregg Olson, Baltimore vs. Oakland, 2-0.
July 26 — x-Mark Gardner, Montreal vs. Los Angeles, 0-0.
July 31 — y-Dennis Martinez, Montreal vs. Los Angeles, 2-0.
Aug. 11 — Wilson Alvarez, Chicago vs. Baltimore, 7-0.
Aug. 26 — Bret Saberhagen, Kansas City vs. Chicago, 7-0.
x-Gardner allowed two hits in the 10th inning and was the losing pitcher in the Dodgers' 1-0 victory.

NL Box

Mets 6, Astros 4

NEW YORK	ab r h bi	HOUSTON	ab r h bi
Boston cf	5 1 1 0	GYong cf	5 0 1 0
Franco p	0 0 0 0	Biggio c	5 0 1 0
Mrzone rf	5 0 2 0	Oseno p	1 0 1 2
McReyld lf	1 1 1 0	Henry p	0 0 0 0
Gnzlez lf	3 0 0 0	Cgnozi 3b	4 1 2 1
Pena p	0 0 0 0	Ortiz lf	2 0 0 0
Kidfter lf	0 1 0 0	Finley rf	2 0 0 0
Jhnson 3b	5 1 1 1	Simns rf	2 0 0 0
Sasser rf	4 0 3 2	Lnich lf	3 0 0 0
Mrphy 1b	4 0 1 0	Bnnett ss	4 0 1 0
Clzmo c	4 0 1 1	Cedeno ss	4 1 1 0
Tnpln ss	5 1 1 0	Hnisch p	2 0 0 0
Wlkins p	2 0 0 0	Dnels ph	1 0 0 0
Dnels ph	1 0 0 0	Tolnto 1b	2 1 2 2
Carr cf	2 0 0 0		
Totals	39 6 11 6	Totals	36 4 9 4

New York 000 230 100—6
Houston 000 000 004—4

E—Hornisch (1), Harnisch (1), Harnisch (1). DP—Houston 1. LOB—New York 5, Houston 4. 2B—Maggers 2 (30), Sasser 2 (10), Cedeno (8), Tolentino (3). HR—Cedeno (11), Tolentino (1). SB—Strawberry 2 (11). SF—Sasser.

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
New York					
Wlkerson	6	5	2	2	0	6
Pena	2	2	1	1	0	0
Franco W,5-7	2	1	1	0	0	2
Wilkins	1	1	0	0	0	0
Harnisch	7	7	4	3	3	4
Gwte	1	1	0	0	0	0
Lary L,3-2	1	3	3	3	2	1

WP—Franco, Harnisch. PB—Biggio. T—3:24. A—7,720.

NL Boxes

Dodgers 4, Cubs 3

LOS ANGELES — CHICAGO

ab r h bi	ab r h bi
Butler cf 5 1 1 1	CWlker 2b 4 2 1 0
Samuel 2b 4 0 2 2	Grace 1b 4 1 2 0
Strwbrr lf 4 0 2 0	Sndbrg rf 4 0 1 0
Shell p 0 0 0 0	Dawson cf 4 0 1 1
Hrshsr ph 1 0 0 0	Gilkey lf 4 0 1 1
Murray 1b 3 0 0 0	Wilkns ss 4 0 0 0
Scioscia c 4 1 1 0	Bosley p 0 0 0 0
Lnsford 3b 4 0 0 0	Dwbert ph 1 0 0 0
Gllmns ss 3 0 0 0	Dunne ss 0 0 0 0
Hamltn p 0 0 0 0	Maddux p 2 0 0 0
Shpnss ss 0 0 0 0	Stuttle p 0 0 0 0
Walker p 0 0 0 0	Wilson p 0 0 0 0
Totals 33 4 7 4	Totals 31 3 6 3

Los Angeles 000 000 004—4
Chicago 100 000 002—3

G—Murray (8). CWalker (4), Dawson (17). DP—Los Angeles 3, Chicago 2. LOB—Los Angeles 6, Chicago 5. 2B—Butler (8), Samuel (16), Grace (26). S—Hamiltonn.

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Los Angeles					
Hamltnn	6	7	3	3	0	5
Crews	1	0	0	0	0	0
Gott W,3-3	2	1	0	0	0	0
Howell S,14	1	0	0	0	0	0
Chicago						
Maddux	8 1-3	4	2	1	5	4
Mcllroy L,6-2	0	2	2	2	0	0
Lancaster	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bosley	0-3	0	0	0	0	2

McElroy pitched to 2 batters in the 9th. Lancaster pitched to 1 batter in the 9th. HBP—by Hershiser (Wilkins). T—3:05. A—31,149.

Braves 14, Expos 9

MONTREAL — ATLANTA

ab r h bi	ab r h bi
DShdds 2b 4 0 1 0	LdSmth lf 3 3 1 0
Grssom cf 4 0 0 0	Blaston p 1 0 1 1
Sndbrs cf 1 0 0 0	Avery p 0 0 0 0
Wlkins rf 3 2 2 2	Slaught c 4 2 1 2
Bnlnfnt c 2 1 2 2	Sanit cf 4 2 1 1
Wlliams 3b 4 1 1 1	Pendltn rf 4 1 1 0
Dwnng lf 4 0 0 0	Hunter 1b 4 2 0 0
Fletchr p 0 0 0 0	Gant rf 0 0 0 0
Rijo p 0 0 0 0	Bllard ss 4 1 0 0
Fossas p 0 0 0 0	Cbrera c 5 1 2 2
Bnes ph 1 0 0 0	Lmons 2b 4 1 2 2
Rjo p 0 0 0 0	Rynoso p 1 0 0 0
Nabhlz ph 1 0 0 0	Mrdzlo p 0 0 0 0
Rayes c 1 0 0 0	TCastlo p 0 0 0 0
	Gregg ph 1 0 1 0
	Mcmchl p 0 0 0 0
	Nixon lf 1 0 0 0
Totals 37 9 15 9	Totals 36 14 12 12

Montreal 300 220 020—9
Atlanta 001 083 30x—14

E—Hallbach 2 (14), Wilkins (5), Gant (4). Cabrera (3). DP—Montreal 2, Atlanta 3. LOB—Montreal 7, Atlanta 8. 2B—Bonilla (6), Lemke (7). 3B—DeShields (4), Owen (6). HR—Calderon (16), Wallach (11), Walker (18), Lemke (13), Slaught (10). SB—DeShields (47), Calderon (27), LWalker (11). S—Haney, Nixon.

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Montreal					
Haney	4 1-3	7	6	4	4	2
Sampen L,6-4	1 2-3	3	3	2	1	2
Fletcher	1 1-3	3	3	2	0	1
Fassero	2-3	1	0	0	0	0
Atlanta						
Reynoso	4	7	5	5	2	0
TCastillo	1	3	2	2	0	0
Mercker W,1-0	1	1	0	0	0	1
Stanton S,5	2	1	2	2	0	1

HBP—by Rueter (Lofton), by Reynoso (Caldwell). WP—Rueter, Reynoso. PB—Bell—Sampen. T—3:27. A—12,660.

Padres 7, Pirates 5

SAN DIEGO — PITTSBURGH

ab r h bi	ab r h bi
DrJhsn cf 4 0 1 0	Merced lf 4 2 2 0
TFrndz ss 5 1 2 0	JBell ss 4 1 1 1
Gwynn rf 4 1 2 1	Lavalle rf 4 0 1 0
PMrtin 1b 4 0 1 1	Bonilla 3b 5 0 1 0
Bntlago c 5 2 2 0	Bonds lf 5 0 2 0
Ward 3b 4 0 0 0	Espy rf 4 0 1 2
Howard lf 1 0 0 0	Redus ph 1 0 1 1
Hmrkr lf 1 0 0 0	Wshngt 1b 3 1 1 2
Parrish c 3 0 0 0	LVlleve c 3 0 1 0
Fariss 2b 3 0 0 0	Mcphee ph 1 0 0 0
Rdrign p 0 0 0 0	Mcclnd ph 1 0 0 0
Hurst p 0 0 0 0	Lind 2b 1 0 0 0
Gthers p 2 0 0 0	Tomlin p 2 1 2 0
Shlley 2b 3 1 1 0	Drabek p 0 0 0 0
Ansocr ph 1 0 0 0	RdRdgz p 1 0 0 0
Lfferts p 0 0 0 0	BLeder p 0 0 0 0
	Kipper p 0 0 0 0
Totals 38 7 11 7	Totals 38 5 9 5

San Diego 000 000 601—7
Pittsburgh 110 000 201—5

DP—San Diego 1, Pittsburgh 2. LOB—San Diego (20), Shipley (2), Bonilla (37), Tomlin (1). 2B—Tbrgue (4), Ward (1), Tmlnd (7), Redus (5). SB—Bell (6). CS—Shipley (1), Jbell, Tomlin. SF—Merced.

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
San Diego					
Gthers	6	7	4	1	2	5
RRodrigez	2	1	1	1	1	0
Lefferts W,1-6	2	1	0	0	0	2
Hurst						
Tomlin	7	5	4	4	1	7
Drabek	1	2-3	3	0	0	0
RRodrigez		2-3	0	0	0	0
Candelari L,1-4	1	1	1	0	0	1
Kipper		2-3	2	1	1	0

Tomlin pitched to 1 batter in the 8th. T—3:13. A—27,366.

Reds 5, Phillies 4

PHILA — CINCINNATI

ab r h bi	ab r h bi
Dykstr cf 4 1 1 0	Wsghm cf 3 1 1 0
Jrdnez rf 4 0 0 0	Morris lf 3 1 1 0
Mrnddz 2b 3 0 1 0	Larkin ss 3 2 2 2
Chlds lf 4 0 0 0	Sabo 3b 4 0 1 0
Kruk 1b 4 0 1 0	Sabo 3b 4 1 2 3
Murphy rf 4 1 1 0	Doran 2b 3 0 0 0
Dlbrnk c 3 0 0 0	Dibble p 0 0 0 0
Hollins ss 4 1 1 1	Oliver c 4 0 1 0
Ofstine 3b 4 1 1 1	Cdrnzz lf 4 0 1 0
Thurm p 0 0 0 0	Rijo p 0 0 0 0
Bnkhead p 1 0 0 0	Sanford p 1 0 0 0
Hartley p 1 0 0 0	CJones ph 1 0 0 0
Ryan p 0 0 0 0	Charlton ph 1 0 0 0
Boever p 0 0 0 0	Dnnstn 2b 1 0 0 0
Totals 34 4 6 4	Totals 31 5 9 5

Philadelphia 100 300 000—4
Cincinnati 000 005 00x—5

DP—Cincinnati 1. LOB—Philadelphia 6, Cincinnati 7. 2B—Larkin (10). HR—Dalton (5), Sabo (10), Larkin (21). SB—Morandini (8), Larkin (21). CS—Chamberlain (3).

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Philadelphia					
DeJesus	2	3	3	3	0	2
Hartley L,3-1	2	2	2	2	1	1
Ryan	2	1	0	0	0	2
Cincinnati						
Sanford	4	4	4	4	3	5
KGross W,6-4	3	0	0	0	1	1
Dibble S,28	2	2	0	0	0	2

WP—Sanford. T—2:26. A—10,883.

Cardinals 7, Giants 6

SAN FRAN — ST. LOUIS

ab r h bi	ab r h bi
DLewis cf 4 1 1 0	Lnkhrd cf 5 1 0 0
Kmblsh ph 1 0 0 0	Sndrsn rf 3 2 2 2
Kmblsh p 0 0 0 0	Zeile 3b 4 2 3 1
Wtchtr rb 5 2 3 0	Gnzlez 1b 2 0 1 1
Bass lf 4 0 0 0	Gllspie lf 4 0 0 1
McWlln 2b 3 0 2 0	Hudler rf 3 0 2 1
Rthmp ph 1 0 0 0	Pagnzz ss 4 0 1 0
Rthmp p 0 0 0 0	Ozando 2b 4 0 0 0
Kreedy c 4 0 0 0	Terry p 0 0 0 0
Black p 1 0 0 0	Lindeb p 0 0 0 0
Bloch p 1 0 0 0	Bllnth p 2 1 1 0
Mrphy ph 1 0 0 0	Mcdnld p 0 0 0 0
Kngsry ph 1 0 0 0	Allces ph 1 0 0 0
Hcbrsn p 1 0 0 0	Cooper p 0 0 0 0
Mcdnld p 0 0 0 0	Jones rf 1 0 0 0
Bnnnn pr 0 0 0 0	
Totals 32 6 13 6	Totals 33 7 9 6

San Francisco 010 000 500—6
St. Louis 200 200 03x—7

E—Bass (3). DP—St. Louis 1. LOB—San Francisco 6, St. Louis 10. 2B—Wtchtr (24), Zeile (28). 3B—McWilliams (4). HR—Wtchtr 2 (25), Rthmpsn (10), Olbrnk (2). SB—Olbrnk (32), Zeile 2 (16). CS—Urbne (2). SF—DPrsn.

IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
San Francisco					
Black L,9-13	1 1-3	5	5	4	1	0
Bech	1 2-3	0	0	0	2	0
Hcbrsn	2	2	1	1	0	1
Brantley	1	1	0	0	2	1
St. Louis						
Bllnth	4 1-3	3	0	0	1	2
Frasor	2-3

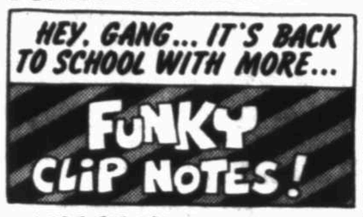
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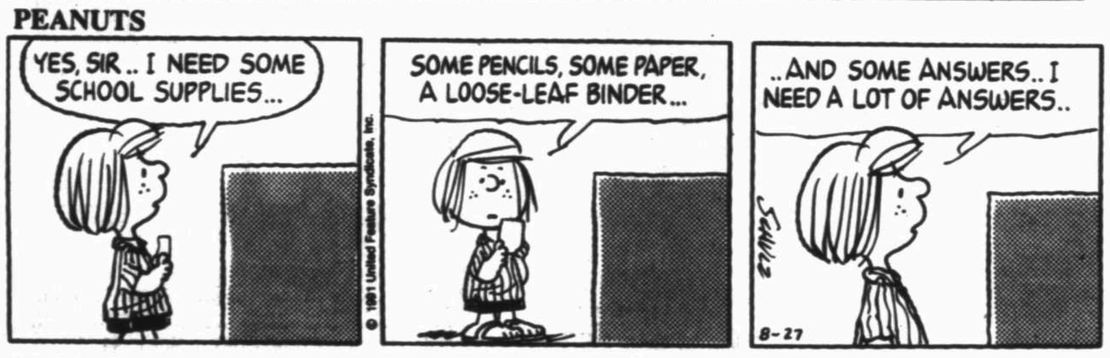
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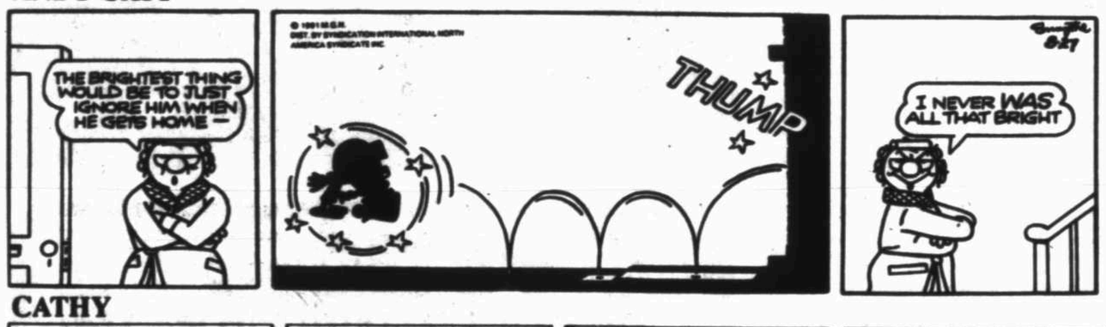
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By Jeane Dixon

TUESDAY, AUGUST 27, 1991

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Someone who once took care of you now needs help. Give generously of your time. High-tech skills will play an essential role in a business success in December. Clear communication on the job is all-important next January. A legacy or windfall in spring of 1992 means greater financial security. Next June will be a golden time for both romance and money matters. Trust your instincts when choosing between two attractive proposals.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DATE: Mother Teresa, actress Barbara Bach, actor Douglas Sheehan, President Lyndon Johnson.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Your career moves into high gear. Do not be afraid to ask for assistance. Your distinctive style appeals to an attractive member of the opposite sex. Strengthen the bonds between you and loved ones.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): When you really put your mind to it, you will discover a formula that is worth its weight in gold. Avoid saying anything that sounds sexist. Listen to a woman's sound advice.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Something that is going on behind the scenes could cause your stock to rise sky-high! Avoid seeking publicity. Use any spare time to reorganize your desk, files and bookshelves. Pursue romance tonight.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): A mistake of omission is possible today. Be careful not to overlook the obvious. Sharing information boosts your career. Congenial companions will make this evening especially pleasant.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): A generous and just attitude will draw people to your side. Do not bear your troubles alone. Seek the company of someone whose words or presence gives you comfort. Romance takes on new luster.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): It may be necessary to dig deep to discover the cause of a troublesome condition. Think carefully about seeking the services of a well-known counselor. Do not let false pride hamper progress.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): A surprise ending, one that should send your spirits soaring, seems to be in the making. Do not argue with doubters. Keep your own counsel. Love will help you move mountains!

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Play your trump card as soon as you get an opportunity. Financial matters should be discussed privately. Play the role of peacemaker in family squabbles. Avoid mentioning past mistakes or grievances.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Do not yield too easily to the demands of your friends and loved ones. It is time they gave some thought to your needs and wishes. Be magnanimous with the less fortunate.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Be on the lookout for ways to boost your income. Recycling an old project could bring new profits. Welcome the views of a younger person. There is nothing wrong with being ambitious!

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): A fond friend is a priceless asset when you are ill or troubled. What you did for others yesterday you will receive today. Avoid a tug-of-war with your loved ones.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Well-conducted negotiations should turn out profitable for everyone involved. A confidential agreement could be part of the picture. Do not allow friends to impose on you. Romance is sweeter the second time around.

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♠ 8 5 2
♡ A 10 3
◇ A Q 8
♣ 9 6 4 2

WEST
♠ K 10 6
♡ J 9 7 5 2
◇ 9 7 6 4 3
♣ Void

EAST
♠ Q J 9 7 3
♡ K 6
◇ J 2
♣ Q J 8 5

SOUTH
♠ A 4
♡ Q 8 4
◇ K 10 5
♣ A K 10 7 3

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 NT	Pass	3 NT	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Opening lead: Five of ♡

"Your Honor:

"North's claim for damages due to negligence by my client, South, is frivolous in the extreme. Follow the play with me and you will see that the contract of three no trump went down because of a bad break and good defense.

"West led a fourth-best heart, declarer played low from dummy and East took the king and shifted to the queen of spades. West signaled with the ten and a spade continuation forced the ace. Declarer now had to bring in the club suit without loss and, since a singleton club honor with West or an even break was a far greater probability than the actual distribution, my client laid down the ace of clubs. When West showed out the contract was beyond redemption. The defense fails to see how South could possibly be held guilty as charged."

"Your Honor, learned counsel's skill at oratory is exceeded only by his lack of ability as a bridge player. It is plaintiff's contention that South went wrong at the very first trick!

"Consider what might have happened had declarer simply risen with the table's ace of hearts at the first trick to deny the defenders a chance to shift to spades. With five fast tricks in the other three suits, South now needs only four club tricks for game, and can make sure of the contract while keeping East off lead for a possibly fatal return through the queen of hearts. Declarer simply leads a club from dummy and covers any card that East plays. If West can take the trick no return is damaging, so South runs the rest of the suit. As the cards lie, declarer wins the trick and brings in the whole club suit by crossing to the board in diamonds for repeat finesses to make an overtrick."

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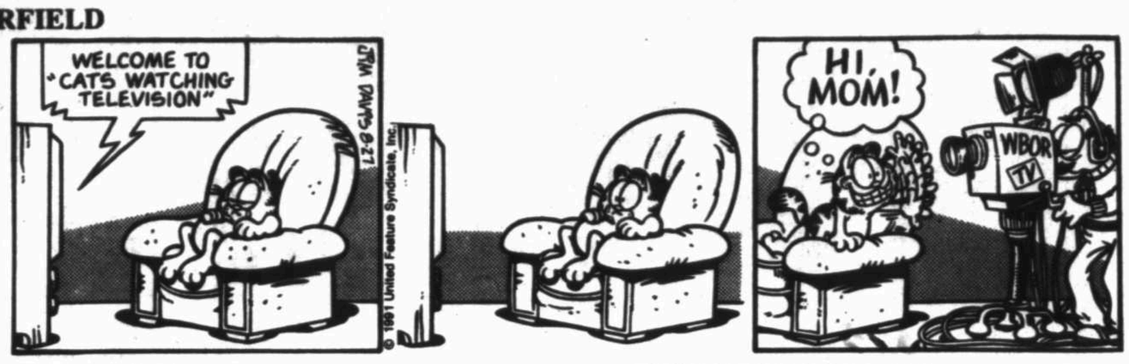
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TUESDAY AUGUST 27, 1991

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7:00	Good Morning America	This Morning	Today	Muppets	Flintstones	Brady Bunch	Maria	Banana Splits	Nation's Bus.	Body Electric	
7:30				Chipmunks	Popeye	Jeannie	Vida	Bozo	SportsCenter	Reading	
8:00	"	"	"	Menace	Flying Nun	Little House	La Movida	"	Baseball	Sesame Street	
8:30	"	"	"	Flintstones	Hazel	on the Prairie	"	Chip 'n' Dale	Jet Skiing	"	
9:00	Sally Jessy Raphael	Designing W.	Wheel-Fortune	Highway to	700 Club	Movie:	"	Trapper John,	American	Mister Rogers	
9:30		Family Feud	Concentration	Heaven	"	"Fluffy"	"	M.D.	Muscle	Reading	
10:00	Home	Price Is Right	Full House	Live -- Regis &	Sheila Walsh	"	El Lobo	Joan Rivers	Getting Fit	3-2-1 Contact	Body by Janis
10:30	"	"	Cover	Kathie Lee	Paid Program	"	"	"	Basic Training	Hometime	Sports Forum
11:00	Hard Copy	Young and	Joker's Wild	Jeannie	Paid Program	CHiPs	Cristal	Geraldo	In Motion	Painting	Tennis: Ham-
11:30	News	the Restless	Closer Look	B. Hillbillies	Healthy Kids	"	"	"	Bodyshaping	Cooking	let Challenge
12:00	All My Children	The Judge	Days of Our	Love Connect.	Movie: "The	Movie: "Mys-	Simplemente	News	Baseball:	MacNeil/	Cup
12:30		Bold, Bea.	Lives	It's a Living	Young in	terious Two"	Maria	"	American Le-	Lehrer	"
1:00	One Life to	As the World	Another World	Robert Tilton	Heart"	"	"	Lead-off Man	gion Cham-	Mystery!	"
1:30	Live	Turns	"	"	"	"	El Arbol Azul	Major League	pionship	"Poirot"	"
2:00	General Hospital	Guiding Light	Santa Barbara	700 Club	Father Knows	Tom & Jerry's	"	Baseball: Los	"	Lawrence	"
2:30		"	"	"	Father Knows	Funhouse	Hola America	Angeles Dodg-	"	Welk Show	"
3:00	Geraldo	Oprah Winfrey	Challengers	Chip 'n' Dale	Batman	"	"	ers at Chicago	USWA Wres-	3-2-1 Contact	"
3:30	"	"	Trump Card	Peter Pan	Augie Doggie	Flintstones	Cristina	Cubs	tling	Mister Rogers	Tennis Mag.
4:00	Donahue	Growing Pains	Daily Journal	Tale Spin	Popeye	Laverne	"	"	Trucks	Reading	MuscleSport
4:30	"	Night Court	People's Court	Tiny Toon	Popeye	Happy Days	Vida	M.A.S.K.	Harness Race	Sesame Street	USA
5:00	Cosby Show	Jeopardy!	News	Ninja Turtles	Rin Tin Tin	Bewitched	Maria	Andy Griffith	Running	"	Motorsports
5:30	ABC News	CBS News	NBC News	ALF	Zorro	Andy Griffith	Noticiero Uni.	Jeannie	Up Close	Secret City	Karate: Nat'l
6:00	News	News	News	Who's Boss?	Scarecrow	Jeffersons	Alcanzar una	Night Court	SportsCenter	MacNeil/	Champs.
6:30	Wheel-Fortune	Golden Girls	Current Affair	Mama	and Mrs. King	Major League	Estrella II	Andy Griffith	Major League	Lehrer	Horse Racing
7:00	Full House	Rescue 911	Matlock	Movie:	Movie: "Sailor	Baseball: Mon-	En Carne P.	Dugout	Baseball:	Nova	Sportstalk
7:30	Who's Boss?	"	"	"S.O.B."	Beware"	treal Expos at	Dona Beija /	Major League	Teams to Be	"	Major League
8:00	Roseanne	Movie: "Kill-	In the Heat of	"	"	Atlanta Braves	Dona Bella	Baseball: Chi-	Announced	National Au-	Baseball: New
8:30	Coach	ing in a Small	the Night	"	"	"	Amor de N.	cago White	"	dubon Society	York Mets at
9:00	thirtysome-	Town"	Law & Order	Hunter	700 Club	"	Desde Holly-	Sox at Kansas	"	P.O.V.	Houston As-
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10:00	News	News	News	Arsenio Hall	Scarecrow	fast at Tif-	La Movida	"	Baseball:	"	"
10:30	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Tonight Show	"	and Mrs. King	fany's"	"	News	Teams to Be	Telecourse	Rodeo: Chey-
11:00	Ent. Tonight	U.S. Open	"	Love Connect.	Movie: "Sailor	"	"	Twilight Zone	Announced	Telecourse	enne Frontier
11:30	Nightline	Exile	Olympic Show-	Ron Reagan	Beware"	"	"	Scotland Yard	"	Telecourse	Days
12:00	Into the Night	"	case: Track	"	"	"	Llave Exito	Investigator	"	Sign-Off	"
12:30	"	Night Heat	and Field	Party Machine	"	Movie: "The Great Race"	Hola America	"Exposed"	SportsCenter		Triathlon

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7:00	Henry's Cat	Movie: "Ring-	Donald Duck	Movie: "The	Baber		Jem	Insp. Gadget	Survival World	Dale Evans	Popeye
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8:30	course"	Movie: "Bring	Dumbo	Movie: "Ap-	Hunter, Black	"	"	Maya the Bee	"	Joy	Pink Panther
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10:30	Movie: "Speed	Movie:	King of Beasts	"1941"	Johnny Kill?	"	nis: Men's and	Penner's	"	D. Whitaker	"
11:00	Zone!"	"Funny Girl"	Lunch Box	"	Movie: "How I	Cookin' U.S.A.	Women's	David-Gnome	Movie: "San	Debra Paget	Movie: "They
11:30	"	"	Music Box	"	Got Into Col-	Remodeling	Opening	Little Koala	Demetrio, Lon-	MacLeod	Got Me Cov-
12:00	"	"	Electrical Par-	"The Devil	lege"	Top Card	Rounds	Noozles	don"	Behind Scenes	ered"
12:30	Movie: "The	"	ade	Commands"	Movie: "Spies	Be a Star	"	Maya the Bee	"	J. Swaggart	"
1:00	Adventures of	Ain't Misbe-	Umbrella Tree	Movie: "The	Like Us"	Country Stan-	"	Littl' Bits	O'Hara, U.S.	Robison	Movie: "The
1:30	Baron Mun-	havin'	Mouse Factory	Toy"	"	dard Time	"	Lassie	Treasury	Benny Hinn	Cowboy and
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3:00	Skating Rink	Movie: "The	Care Bears	Movie:	Out"	Club Dance	Press Yr. Luck	Heathcliff	"	Another Life	Movie: "The
3:30	"	Glenn Miller	Donald Duck	"Sylvester"	"	"	High Rollers	Yogi Bear	"	M. Hickey	Underworld
4:00	OWL/TV	Story"	Kids Incorp.	"	Movie: "Who's	VideoPM	Just Ten of Us	Mork & Mindy	Fugitive	Praise the	Story"
4:30	Movie: "I Own	"	Mickey Mouse	"	That Girl?"	"	Kotter	Hey Dude	"	Lord	"
5:00	the Race-	Movie: "Eddie	Lose or Draw	Movie: "Steel	"	"	Cartoon Ex-	Crazy Kids	Avengers	"	Gilligan's Isle
5:30	course"	and the Cruis-	Movie: "The	Magnolias"	"	"	press	Get Picture	"	"	Bugs Bunny &
6:00	Thumbelina	ers II: Eddie	Chipmunk Ad-	"	Movie: "White	"	Kotter	Insp. Gadget	Survival World	James Ken-	Pals
6:30	Henry's Cat	Lives"	venture"	"	Hunter, Black	Be a Star	U.S. Open Ten-	Looney Tunes	World War I	nedy	"
7:00	Movie: "Speed	Movie: "Great	Disneyland	"Hollywood	Heart"	On Stage	nis: Men's and	Mork & Mindy	Biography:	Behind Scenes	Movie: "Guys
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12:00	Comedy Club	"	"	Movie: "Hard-	"	"	U.S. Open Ten-	Patty Duke	Jazz on a Sum-	Behind Scenes	"
12:30	London Fun	"Old Gringo"	Flame-Arr.	ware"	Crypt Tales	Crook	nis	My 3 Sons	mer's Day	E.V. Hill	Barbary Coast

PEOPLE

Tennis star Seles follows inseams of Rice, Maples

NEW YORK — Following in the inseams of **Donna Rice** and **Marla Maples**, tennis star **Monica Seles** will pitch No Excuses sportswear, the company said Monday.



Seles

"We are all very excited to have Monica on our team. Besides, she looks great in our jeans," said **Neil Cole**, president of New Retail Concepts Inc.

The 17-year-old Seles appeared at a news conference and said: "What teen-age girl wouldn't want the chance to model a great pair of blue jeans?"

Maples was the 1990 No Excuses spokeswoman. The Seles ad campaign will air this fall.

Seles made headlines earlier this year when she dropped out of Wimbeldon and was fined for not supplying a valid excuse. Seles said she had shin splints. While recuperating, she stayed at the Florida mansion of developer **Donald Trump**, who is engaged to Maples.

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NASHVILLE, Tenn. — Bluegrass legend **Bill Monroe**, recuperating from a double heart bypass, appeared on the Grand Ole Opry over the weekend and waved to the crowd as he leaned on a cane and held his mandolin.

Monroe, 79, was assisted by a paramedic Saturday night and didn't perform.

"It's great to be here," Monroe said.

He was released from Baptist Hospital last week following surgery Aug. 9.

Monroe is a member of the Country Music Hall of Fame. Known as the father of bluegrass, his hits include "Blue Moon of Kentucky."

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MALIBU, Calif. — "Wonder Years" stars **Jason Hervey** and **Danika McKeller** paddled into the not-so-wild surf in support of the environment.

"I don't think they could've found anyone as bad as me," 19-year-old Hervey said as he pulled on a wetsuit Saturday and prepared to tackle 2-foot ankle-slappers rolling in at Surfrider State Beach.

Hervey, who portrays Wayne Arnold on the ABC show, and Miss McKeller, who plays Winnie Cooper, were joined in the water by a pair of Gregs: "Family Man" star Gregory Harrison and Olympic diving gold medalist Greg Louganis.

After surfing, Hervey said: "I did OK. I got up a couple of times, then fell."

The celebrity American Oceans Campaign was staged during a break in competition at the 7th Annual Bud Pro Surfing Tour.

American Oceans Campaign, an environmental group dedicated to ocean preservation, assembled the celebrities for public service announcements to be shown on cable television.

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NEW YORK — Tossing around **Arnold Schwarzenegger** was a "genuine thrill" for lean, mean cybervillain **Robert Patrick**.

Patrick plays a T-1000 sent to destroy Schwarzenegger's young human charge in the summer blockbuster "Terminator 2."

Patrick, 32, said in the Sept. 2 issue of People magazine that there were a few flubs in all the on-set body-slamming. He accidentally stomped on Schwarzenegger's finger once.

"He didn't flinch," said Patrick, who at 6 feet and 155 pounds isn't exactly Schwarzenegger's physical equal. "He was like, 'Rob-uht, dat vas my finguh."

Patrick has only 20 lines but a beefy role.

"Throwing him around was a genuine thrill," he said of his co-star.

Patrick said he perfected his chilly, blue-eyed gaze by studying the movement of eagles on a television nature show.

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NEW YORK — Actress **Lynda Carter** will put her career on hold while her husband, ensnarled in a bank scandal, testifies before Congress.



Carter

"I'll be front row center. The truth will come out and we will win. So I'll hold on for the ride," Carter said in the Sept. 2 issue of People magazine.

Television's "Wonder Woman" is married to **Robert Altman**, president of First American Bankshares, which federal officials say had a secret relationship with the Bank of Credit and Commerce International.

Agha Hasan Abedi, founder of BCCI, gave Carter an expensive car as a wedding present in 1984.

"That's right, a car," Carter said. "He said I could have any one I wanted. Well, I picked a black Jag, but he would have given me a Mercedes, a Ferrari, anything."

Carter, 40, commutes to acting jobs on the West Coast from her home outside Washington, D.C. Her husband is scheduled to testify before Congress on Sept. 11.

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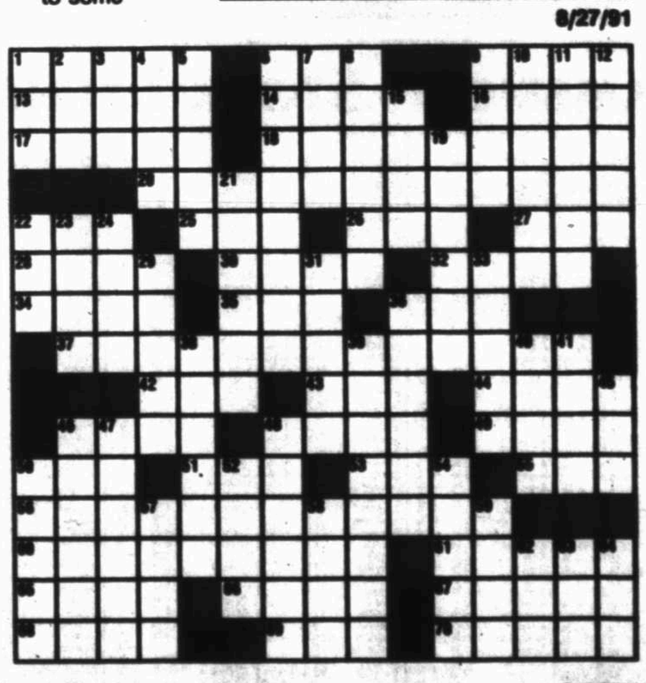
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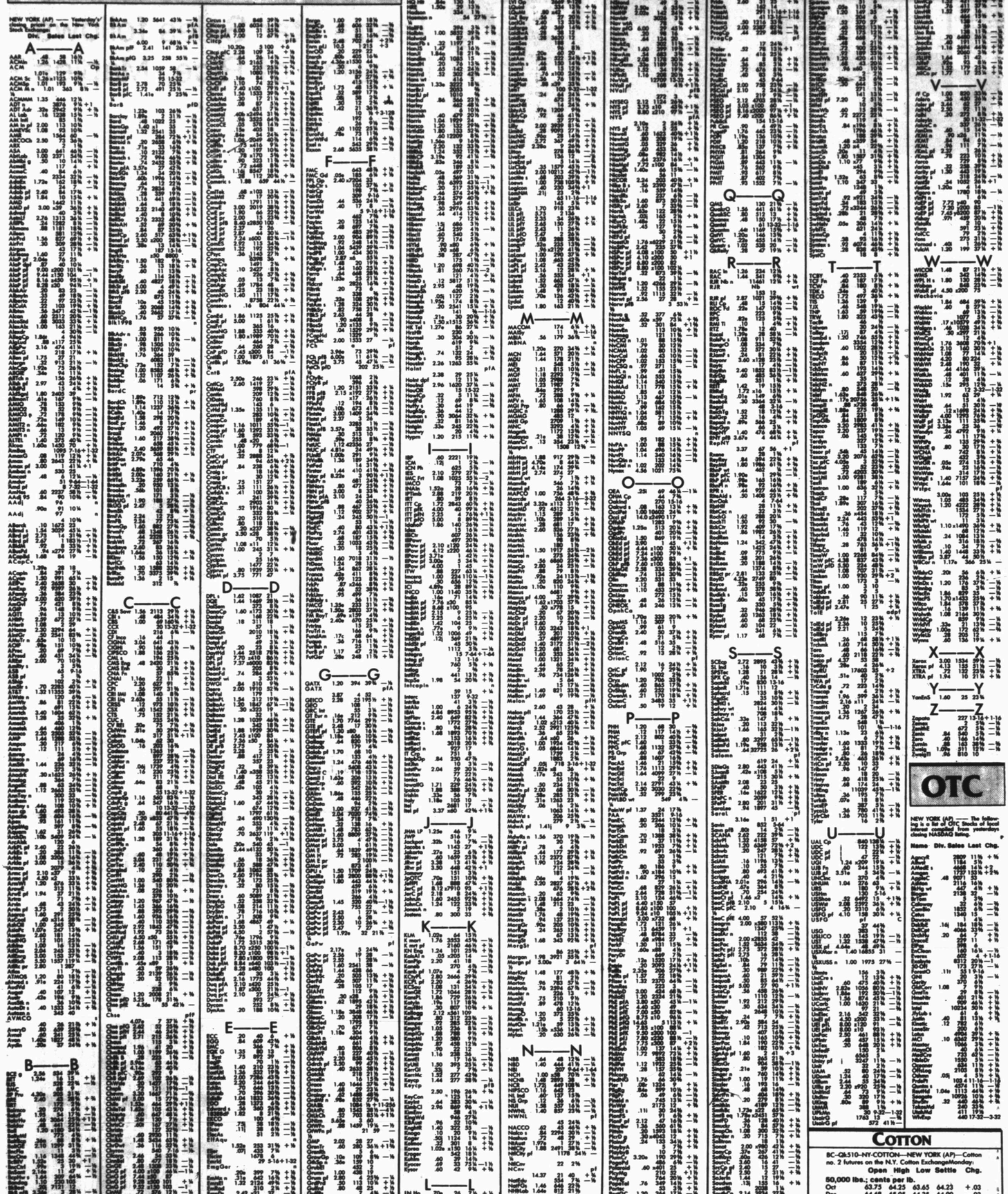
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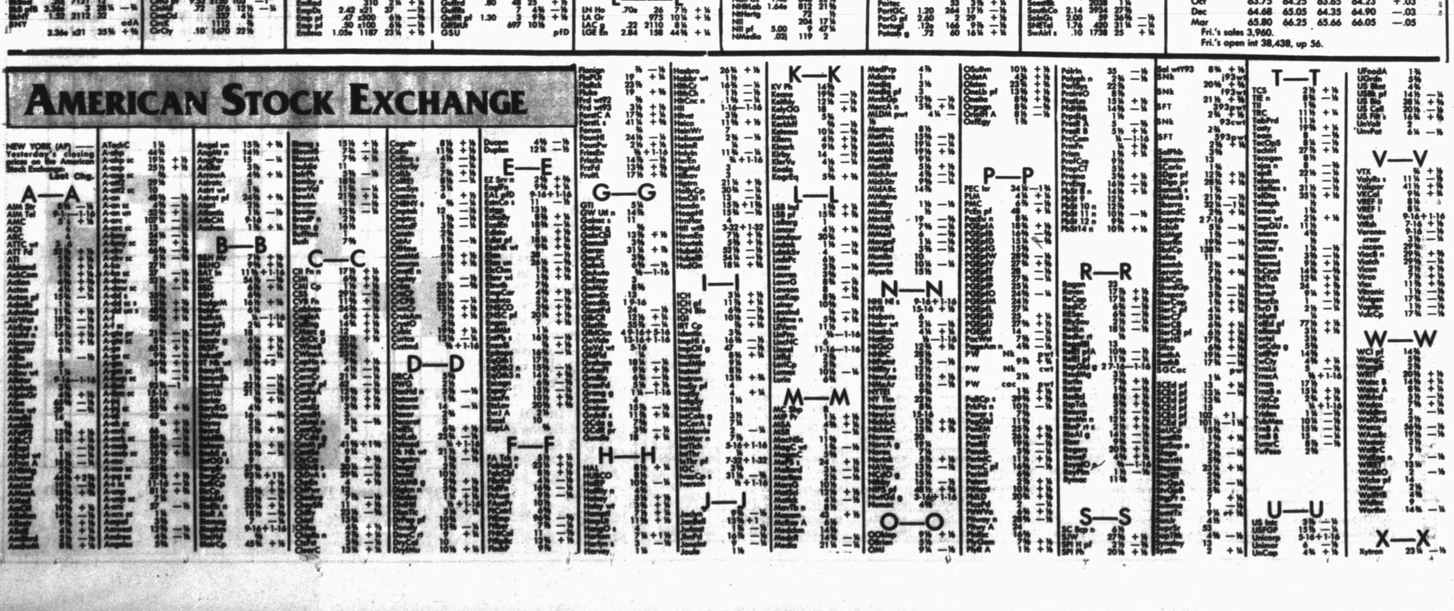
COTTON

BC-QB510-NY-COTTON—NEW YORK (AP)—Cotton no. 2 futures on the N.Y. Cotton Exchange Monday:

50,000 lbs.; cents per lb.	Open	High	Low	Settle	Chg.
Oct	63.75	64.25	63.65	64.23	+.03
Dec	64.68	65.05	64.35	64.90	—.03
Mar	65.80	66.25	65.66	66.05	—.05

Fri.'s sales 3,960.
Fri.'s open int 38,438, up 56.

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MUTUAL FUNDS

NEW YORK (AP) — The following quotations, supplied by the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc., are the prices at which these securities could have been sold (bid or net value) or bought (value plus sales charge) Yesterday.

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GblInc 26.44 N.L.+.06
HQ Bd 15.30 N.L.—.03
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TUESDAY

BUSINESS WATCH

SPOT MARKET
W.T. INTERMEDIATE
- Monday Quote $21.97
- Previous Quote $21.81
- One Year Ago $31.93

POSTED PRICE
- Monday $20.75
- Friday $20.50
- One Year Ago $30.25

Oil advances

NEW YORK — Oil prices rose for a third straight session Monday, moving back toward levels reached a week ago in response to the Soviet coup attempt.

Natural gas futures posted healthy gains, while prices for refined petroleum products turned in a mixed performance.

West Texas Intermediate crude oil for delivery in October settled at $21.97 per barrel, up 16 cents, at the New York Mercantile Exchange.

That puts crude for next-month delivery just 50 cents below the settlement price reached last Monday, when the market jumped on fears the coup would cause a disruption in Soviet oil exports.

The oil market sold off when the coup collapsed Wednesday, but prices have moved up since then in what analysts described as a technical rebound from the wild swings.

Gas prices up

LOS ANGELES — Motorist demand and higher wholesale prices pushed up the price of gasoline at the pump by more than 1 cent a gallon during the past two weeks, according to an industry survey released Sunday.

The average price for all grades of gasoline at full- and self-service stations rose 1.22 cents to little more than $1.25 a gallon as of Friday, according the Lundberg Survey of 13,000 stations nationwide.

The price increase reflects a modest rise in wholesale prices for retailers, and traditionally strong seasonal motorist demand, analyst Trilby Lundberg said.

Gasoline prices on Aug. 23, including taxes, ranged from $1.04 per gallon for regular leaded at self-service stations to $1.54 per gallon for premium unleaded at full-service stations.

Furr's sale

PORTALES, N.M. — Albuquerque-based Furr's Supermarkets Inc., which operates 70 stores in New Mexico and West Texas, has bought three stores in Portales, Clovis and Tucumcari from Lubbock-based Furr's Inc.

Joe Layland, manager of the Portales Furr's, declined to comment on the sale, which took effect Saturday. He said employees were told to refer all questions to the Albuquerque headquarters.

Jan Friederich, chairman and chief executive officer of Furr's Supermarkets, said he anticipates an orderly transition from the old to the new ownership.

The Lubbock chain last week announced the sale of five of its supermarkets in Amarillo, Canyon and Hereford, Texas, to Homeland Stores Inc. headquartered in Oklahoma City.



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Federal panel mulls free trade pact

Texas political, business figures support agreement in testimony

HOUSTON (AP) — Backers of a proposed free trade agreement involving Canada, Mexico and the United States said Monday the pact would provide huge business and economic growth opportunities, but critics complained it will result in job losses and environmental problems.

"Clearly, we wouldn't be doing the agreement if we thought it was a loser," Robert Fisher, the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative's director for Mexico, said as the office began a two-day hearing on the proposed North American Free Trade Agreement. "Our experience shows it does lead to jobs. We think this is a real winner."

Political and business figures from Texas and the state's major cities also supported the proposed agreement in testimony before a 10-member panel representing federal departments of the Treasury, Labor, Commerce and Energy, among others.

"I anticipate that once a free trade agreement is negotiated, we will see a quantum leap in the amount of trade between all three countries, as a result of open and unrestricted markets," Houston Mayor Kathy Whitmire said.

Texas Secretary of State John Hannah said the pact could be a "win situation" for all, especially for Texas, but he put in a pitch for federal help to build highways and bridges to help ease the anticipated increase in road traffic, plus expanded airports and seaports.

Monday and today's hearings in Houston marked the second of six stops for the Trade Policy Staff Committee, which opened its sessions last week in San Diego. More hearings were planned for later this week in Atlanta, then next month in Washington, Cleveland and Boston.

The agreement is to end restrictive tariffs and other barriers that hinder trade between the countries. It still must be approved by Congress.

Continental Air discusses merger plan

N.Y. Times News Service

Continental Airlines has held discussions with Northwest Airlines and USAir about a possible merger, a spokesman for the Houston-based airline said Sunday.

Art Kent, the Contentintal spokesman, while confirming that talks had taken place, said, "These are not negotiations, these are very preliminary discussions."

Officials at Northwest and USAir could not be reached for comment.

In a message to employees, Continental's new president and chief executive, Robert R. Ferguson, said the company was having discussions with potential investors.

Continental filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection in December 1990. The ailing airline has recently cut flights and laid off workers in an effort to trim expenses.

Kent would not comment on when the talks took place or whether they were continuing.

Ferguson, who was named president of Continental last week, said in a taped message to employees that if the carrier could not stop its losses and find a large investor, it might be necessary to sell the airline. He added that further layoffs were necessary.

Soviet ag credits part of package promised in June

WASHINGTON (AP) — The $315 million in agricultural credits that President Bush made available to the Soviet Union on Monday are part of $1.5 billion in loan guarantees the United States promised in June.

Bush announced in June that the government would guarantee loans from private banks for Soviet grain purchases in three stages, the first $600 million immediately, the second $500 million on Oct. 1 and $400 million on Feb. 1, 1992.

The first $600 million has been exhausted or nearly so for wheat, corn and soybean purchases by the Soviets, said Roger Runningen, the chief Agriculture Department spokesman.

He said the president was responding to a specific request from the Soviets.

"They requested the $315 million be made available at this time," he said.



AP Laserphoto

Owner Alice Waters stands in the kitchen of her enormously successful restaurant, Chez Panisse, in Berkeley, Calif., Thursday as a cook tosses a pizza into the oven behind her.

Fresh philosophy alters U.S. eating habits

By Elisabeth Dunham
Associated Press writer

BERKELEY, Calif. — The restaurant that changed the way Americans eat turns 20 this weekend. Prices are not what they were at Chez Panisse, but Alice Waters' philosophy behind the fare remains the same: simplicity and quality.

The high priestess of California cuisine still sounds a little baffled by the enormity of her success. With an apologetic tone, she recalls a conversation she had a while ago on receiving a business leadership award in Chicago.

"I asked the guy who was giving the award, 'Why me?' He looked at me and said, 'See that green? We wouldn't have had that green on that plate 10 years ago.' That was pretty surprising to me, that connection was being made.

"I do feel very strongly about salad."

Greens will figure prominently at Chez Panisse's 20th birthday party this weekend as growers flock to a block-long farmers market Waters organized to celebrate the beginnings of California cuisine.

Chez Panisse is still in the same house on Shattuck Avenue where the first meal was served Aug. 28, 1971.

The casual feel endures. The Japanese-style wood interior, simple furniture and open kitchen barely denote what many say is one of most influential restaurants outside of Paris.

Her philosophy translates into carefully chosen and prepared meat and vegetables presented in a straightforward way. Those ideas, borne of Waters' journeys through the French countryside, proved so appealing that many restaurateurs around this country borrow from them.

"Alice has been the catalyst for the most profound change in the way we eat in this country," said New York-based food and restaurant consultant Clark Wolf.

"She made fresh and sophisticated, not refined, common expectations. Fresh used to mean newly opened. Alice has helped make farm food fashionable again.

"You can't really be in the food business without knowing about France or about Chez Panisse," Wolf added.

Her influence was spread in part by the many chefs and founders of top restaurants in this country who once worked under Waters. But it's more than a food philosophy at work.

"There's something within Alice herself that is so genuinely dedicated," said Marion Cunningham, author of "The Fannie Farmer Cookbook."

"She has the ability to be inspiring to others."

The inspired include Jeremiah Tower of Stars in San Francisco, Mark Miller of the Coyote Cafe in Santa Fe, N.M., Joyce Goldstein, founder of Square One in San Francisco, and Deborah Madison, cookbook author and founding chef of Greens in San Francisco and now head of Cafe Escalara in Santa Fe.

The first Chez Panisse meal was pate en croute, duck with olives, salad and fresh fruit. It cost $3.50.

"Most of what I remember is that I was still tacking the rug as the people were walking in the door," Waters said. "And I remember running out of food, that awful sinking feeling when you don't have enough. I remember that the crust on the en croute broke and we were patching it up."

On Thursday night, the menu was salmon in potato crust with basil oil and garden lettuces in vinaigrette, summer chanterelle soup, rack of pork roasted on a spit with wild fennel, a mix of tomatoes, eggplant, squash and peppers, and dessert of Grand Marnier creme caramel. It cost $55.

INVESTORS' GUIDE

'Treasury Direct' brings current interest

By Bill Doyle

Q. I have been kicking around ideas for using U.S. Treasury notes in an investment program and I came up with the following.



Doyle

I would buy a two-year Treasury note every month for six months. That way, an interest payment would be made to my bank account each month. With automatic reinvestment as the Treasury notes mature, I would be getting fairly current interest.

What do you think of my proposal?

A. It's excellent and a well-planned method for obtaining steady and safe income. Obviously, you intend to use the "Treasury Direct" program, via which investors buy Treasury securities through their district Federal Reserve Banks and branches — without local banks or brokerage firms acting as middlemen and collecting fees.

One big advantage of going the Treasury Direct route is that Treasury security interest and discounts, as well as face amount when a security matures, is sent by wire to the bank account each investor designates. That happens on the very day the money is due and is immediately available to the investor. There never is any delay, as often is the case when securities are left with brokerages.

Treasury notes and Treasury bonds pay interest semiannually — beginning six and 12 months after the issue date of each note and bond. So, your "note-a-month plan" will result in you receiving an interest payment each and every month.

There might be a small glitch as each note matures. You can sign up for automatic reinvestment of Treasury bills — for up to two years — at the time you make your original investment. However, there is no provision for automatic reinvestment of Treasury notes and bonds.

You can overcome that problem by arranging to use the money from a matured note to purchase a new two-year note. The U.S. Treasury Department sells two-year notes every month.

Q. I have six children and intend to list a different child on each of the U.S. Treasury notes I buy. I plan to have each note registered in my name or a child's name.

Upon my death, will the child become sole owner, or will the notes have to pass through probate?

A. With the word "or" between the names, the notes will be in co-ownership form. That's an acceptable form of registration for U.S. Treasury securities. It creates "conclusive right of survivorship," meaning the person named as co-owner will be the sole owner when you join the choir silent. Things in co-ownership form, joint ownership form, and trust form do not go through probate.

But do not take that to mean they automatically escape estate and inheritance taxes. If what you leave is large enough, it will be nipped by federal estate tax and state inheritance and/or estate taxes.

Q. Is it true I will not have to pay state income tax on interest from U.S. Treasury securities after six months?

A. Sooner than that. Interest received from securities issued by our federal government — U.S. Treasury bonds, notes and bills and U.S. Savings Bonds — is never subject to state and local income tax.

Furthermore, U.S. Treasury securities and U.S. Savings Bonds are exempt from state and local intangible property taxes.

Q. What is the smallest denomination in which U.S. Treasury securities can be purchased?

A. It's $10,000 for Treasury bills, which have maturities of 13, 26 and 52 weeks. Notes with maturities of four to 10 years and all Treasury bonds, which come in 10- to 30-year maturities can be bought in $1,000 denominations. Two and three-year notes are issued in $5,000 minimums.

Q. I want to open a Treasury Direct account to buy U.S. Treasury securities. You explained this is done through the Federal Reserve Bank or branch "serving your part of the country" and added, "Your local bank can give you the address."

That's what you think. I asked at my bank and could not get that information — from two tellers and the branch manager. I think they want me to keep my money there.

Any suggestions?

A. You can get the address you want to writing to Director, Division of Consumer Affairs, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System, Washington, DC 20551.

And withdraw your money from your present bank, which is run by people who are either noncooperative, stupid or both.

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'In-lines' rolling up points with skaters

By Anton Riecher
Associated Press writer

COLLEGE STATION, Texas — David Gerow, a Texas A&M University senior, tried on his first pair of Rollerblade in-line skates without learning the most basic lesson in safety: how to stop.

He was doing about 25 mph on a downhill slope and approaching a busy intersection when this oversight dawned on him.

"There was grass to the right and grass to the left," Gerow said. "I said to myself 'Time to bail out.'"

It was Gerow's single worst crackup. Now he thinks nothing of spending as much as two hours on his skates touring the Texas A&M campus.

"Any more than that and you're in training," Gerow said.

Industry spokesmen predict that in-line skates will become the sporting goods boom product of the 1990s. One magazine described in-line skates as being "to their clunky predecessors what the Maserati is to the Model T." Already big in California and many northern states, these specialty skates are making inroads in Texas. And not just with college students.

In-line skates bear more relation to hockey skates than to conventional roller skates. Instead of two sets of metal wheels per skate, an in-line skate has one line of four polyurethane wheels. The shape of the wheels puts the skater's weight down along two narrow "blades."

The most expensive brands offer ski-type buckles, ankle supports and precision bearings. Recommended safety gear includes gloves, wrist guards and knee pads. The space-age materials are done up in fluorescent colors bright enough to blind a rock star.

John Eppes, 23, a Texas A&M senior, bought his first pair in January and has so far convinced five of his friends to buy pairs.

"I should be selling these things," Eppes said.

Speed is the main difference between in-line skates and regular skates. A fellow Texas A&M student with conventional skaters who challenged Eppes was "left in the dust," Eppes said.

Eppes and his friends, Gerow and Angie Schnackenberg, use Texas A&M University Research Park as their outdoor in-line rink. One morning, the trio set up a homemade ramp at the water's edge to see how far and how high someone could jump before landing in the drink fully clothed. Eppes hasn't repeated the experiment because the water "messed up my bearings."

The care and tending of in-line skates is almost as precise as Maserati maintenance. Brake pads wear out. Owners rotate the wheels every 60 to 80 miles for even wear, and replace them every 400 miles. Bearings must be changed periodically.

An experienced water skier, Eppes found in-line skating to be quite rigorous.

"I thought I was in shape," Eppes said. "Then I noticed that my calves were really shaping up. These skates are a total workout."

Gerow said he was drawn to in-line skates because spending Friday night at the roller rink was one of his favorite activities growing up in Houston.

Jeff Yanko, a 21-year-old Canadian attending Texas A&M, said he got his first pair of in-line skates in 1988 after his family moved from Calgary, Alberta, to Midland. Like Calgary, Midland is an oil town with many transplanted families from other states.

"We'd all get together and clear out enough space in a church basement to set up a roller rink," Yanko said. "Everyone who grew up north of Oklahoma missed playing ice hockey."

At Texas A&M, Yanko and his friends would gather at The Grove outdoor theater every Friday afternoon last spring for a non-contact game of "shinney" or street hockey. Street hockey is a "heads-up game" that gets the adrenalin pumping, Yanko said. Unlike in Midland, many of the street hockey regulars here were southern kids.

"If I said I was heading back to Canada for the weekend, you'd always have someone say 'Hey, pick me up some sticks or gloves or pucks.'"

The only difference between ice skating and in-line skating — other than the ice — is how you stop. On ice, skaters simply turns to one side and grind to a halt. In-line skates have a single brake on the heel of the right skate. The skater leans back on the right foot to stop.

Melissa Culberson, a Texas A&M senior, was a conventional roller skate enthusiast before she tried Rollerblades. With regular skates, the skater "feels every bump." A crack in the sidewalk or even a pebble is enough to trip the skater.

"On Rollerblades, you go over the tops of the cracks," Culberson said. "You don't have to worry."

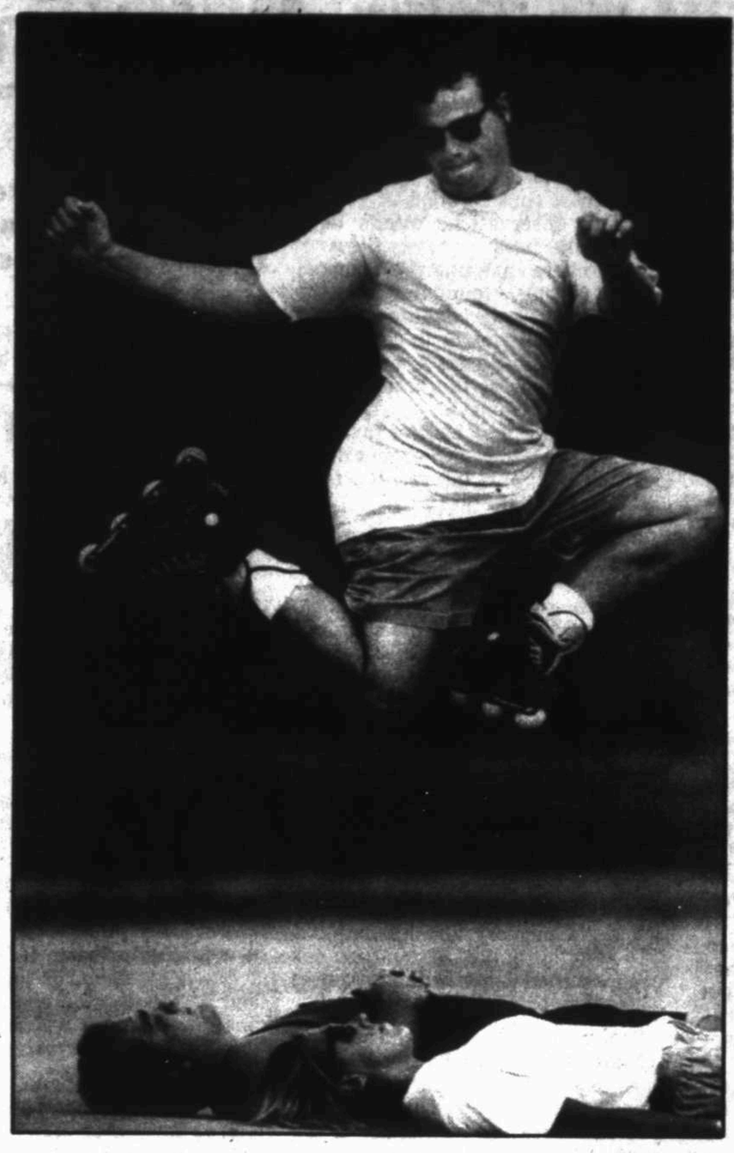
Not everybody has welcomed the in-line skate phenomenon. The Rolling Thunder skating rink in Bryan does not allow in-line skates because exposed nuts and bolts sometimes score the expensive floor. Industry spokesmen say that new designs emphasize "recessed hardware."

Trey Jefferies, sales clerk with M&M Scuba, said many of the in-line sales he makes are to Texas A&M students who use the skates as a solution to the campus parking problem. Students park farther from campus to avoid parking fines and then skate to class. M&M offers a free safety lesson with every pair sold.

Christy Aranda of Academy Sporting Goods said her in-line skate customers range in age from 28 to 50. Rather than a recreational fad, people are buying in-line skates for their exercise value.

"They feel completely different — more natural," Aranda said, comparing in-line to conventional skates. "You don't ruin your knees and ankles."

Tom Suplizio, sales manager for California Pro, a Rollerblade competitor, said in-line skates originated as an off-season training device for skiers and hockey players. Other serious athletes picked up on the skates as a cross-training tool.



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Texas A&M student John Eppes jumps over his friends using 'in-line' roller skates, with which skaters can move as fast as hockey players on ice.

Somehow the craze skipped popularity among the general population in a decade obsessed with running, cycling and triathalons.

Today, that is changing. California Pro began operations only 10 months ago with an eye on the $80 to $150 middle ground of the market. The company is now projecting $5 million a year in sales with only 5 percent of the market.

Suplizio said he has heard estimates of nearly $300 million in retail sales for the entire in-line market in 1991, double what the industry earned in 1990.

"We're already bigger than the tennis racket industry," Suplizio said.

Rollerblade, founded in 1980, controls 70 percent of the in-line skate market — to the point that "rollerblading" is the accepted street name for the sport. Two Minnesota brothers, Scott and Brennan Olson, founded the company. They sold their first skates out of the back of a truck. Other companies that are big players in the field include First Team Sports Inc., Roller Derby Skate Corp., Variflex and Bauer Inc.

The Olsons sold their company in 1984. They have since founded a new in-line skate company — Innovative Sports Systems, known by the brand name Switch-It.

The various companies joined in July to form the International In-Line Skate Association. Executive director Joe Janasz said the primary mission of the association is to promote competition and safety.

In Chicago and Minneapolis, 10-kilometer races held by the association drew nearly 800 competitors apiece.

The association has also sponsored roller hockey tournaments in Toronto and Minneapolis. Camps to teach in-line skating are set for Los Angeles and San Francisco.

Suplizio with California Pro said the dramatic rise in injuries as the sport becomes more popular worries manufactures. The association is urging the use of helmets, knee and elbow pads and, especially, wrist guards. Hurt wrists have become the most common in-line injury.

Neither Eppes, Schnackenberg nor Gerow use the any of the accessories. Eppes and Gerow have even removed the brakes from their skates.

Enthusiasts agree that only one thing hinders the popularity of in-line skating on the Texas A&M campus: the rough pea-gravel paving there. Still, the in-line skates handle campus travel better than conventional skates.

"If you've got regular skates, just leave them behind," Eppes said.

At Wit's End

I plan to take it with me, empty hat boxes and all

By Erma Bombeck

I live in one of those mystery houses where for years, delivery trucks have dropped off large boxes of furnishings, kids have lugged in cartons of records and clothes, and adults have dumped bags of food and supplies.



Bombeck

Now, here's the spooky part: Nothing ever leaves the house.

If the handle breaks off a cup, it is put on a shelf to be glued back on. If a coat goes out of style, it is put in a garment bag until it comes back in again. If it's a bicycle carton, it is saved in case we should mail a bicycle somewhere. To throw something away is akin to undergoing major surgery without an anesthetic.

From time to time I think about what's going to happen to this treasure house when I am gone. Will strangers pore over its contents at a garage sale? Will the kids put up card tables at Park 'n Swap? Will they bring in some illiterate sow to conduct an auction who will see only an empty box and not realize it's from Bergdorf Goodman?

I said to my family, "Look around you, and if you see something you lust after, tell me now before I go."

"Where are you going?" asked my son.

"Just speak up," I continued. "If there's anything you've had your eyes on, I'll put a little sticker on the back with your name on it."

My daughter said: "Just don't leave me that unfinished rug you're needlepointing. In fact, don't leave me anything I have to finish."

My mother piped in: "Don't leave me anything I have to dust. One more pig or rabbit or an Eskimo with a candle coming out of his parka and I'll go crazy."

My son said: "Don't leave me anything I have to make payments on or spend a bundle in upkeep — like a car that dies at the traffic light. I already have one."

I couldn't believe what these people were saying. Here they were surrounded by 35 years of empty boxes and secondhand ribbons, jewelry boxes containing 40 wpm typing pins and religious medals, bowling pin lamps, candle stubs, broken umbrellas, a fur coat from a prehistoric animal, their spelling papers from grade school and the treasures of my lifetime — and they were turning their backs on all of it.

That settles it. I'm taking it all with me when I go — along with the 200 plastic margarine tubs.

Dear Abby

Dead wife's memory haunts romance

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Abby is on a two-week vacation. Following is a selection of some of her favorite past letters.)

DEAR ABBY: I met a very attractive, eligible widower last winter, and we've been keeping steady company since.

My only complaint is the way he keeps talking all the time about Mildred, his deceased wife. I never talk about my deceased husband. Outside of that, he is a decent man, and we get along just fine.



Van Buren

He has asked to marry me, but this is the way he proposed to me: "How would you like to take Mildred's place?" — UNDECIDED

DEAR UNDECIDED: If he has a sense of humor, tell him that since Mildred is in the cemetery, you don't want to take her place. But if he wants a new life and a new wife, you'll consider it — providing he quits talking about Mildred.

DEAR ABBY: Our 24-year-old son is engaged to a beautiful but spoiled 21-year-old girl. She has broken two engagements (one after the wedding invitations were mailed), and now she has asked our son for more time to "think things over." Meanwhile, the invitations are supposed to go out next Monday.

We have counseled with our minister, and he is all for letting her "think it over," but our son is trying to talk her into going through with the wedding on the scheduled date.

Her parents are no help at all and are pushing for the wedding as planned because they would like to get this spoiled, flighty girl married and out of the house. Also, they are very fond of our son.

What should we do? — DETROIT DILEMMA

DEAR DILEMMA: I agree with your minister. I would give the bride all the time she needs to think it over. There are worse things than a late wedding. And one of them is an early divorce.

DEAR ABBY: I know the libraries are full of books on the subject, but you seem able to put so much into a few words. What makes some kids good and some bad? In other words, is there a formula for raising good kids? Is it heredity or environment? — TRYING HARD

DEAR TRYING: That battle has been going on for a long time, but I'm inclined to be on the side of environment.

All kids need discipline. ("Discipline" does not mean punishment; it means "teaching.") Kids need to know how far they can go. And they don't really want everything they ask for.

Reward them when they're good, and deprive them of something they enjoy when they misbehave.

I don't believe in hitting a child. A little slap on the wrist (just enough to hurt his dignity) is all right.

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Pain and learning may be close cousins in chain of evolution

By Natalie Angier
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As the school year draws nigh, students who loathe the thought of confronting organic chemistry and the complete works of Thucydides may not be surprised to hear that learning and pain could have a common evolutionary origin.

Scientists studying the nervous system of a slimy marine mollusk have found that the snail's nerve cells display the same physical changes when they are injured as they do after the creature has learned a new behavior.

The results suggest that the brain uses a similar biochemical mechanism for mastering a task as it does to avoid further harm after injury.

By this notion, the brain's ability to learn and remember may have evolved from the more primitive sensation of pain, a critical reaction to injury that helps assure an animal will zealously guard its wounds until they are healed.

"Our hypothesis is that the simple mechanisms for responding to cell injury are expressed in other forms as a mechanism for learning and memory," said Dr. Edgar T. Walters of the University of Texas Medical School at Houston, who reported the new results in a recent issue of the journal Science.

Other researchers studying the molecular basis of learning said they were intrigued by the new report, but not yet entirely convinced by the evidence that there was an evolutionary link between pain and learning.

"Walters is a rather creative guy, and he is very thoughtful," said Dr. Eric R. Kandel of the Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York, one of the nation's leading neurobiologists, who had been Walters's graduate thesis adviser. "But some of the things he does are a little bit further out than others, and this is one of them."

Walters was led to his unorthodox theory by a consideration of several disparate observations others have made in the past.

Researchers analyzing the brains of cats and rats have found that after the creatures have been conditioned to respond to stimulation or to complete a task, like running a maze, nerve cells in some regions of the brain exhibit characteristic changes.

Most notably, they become far more likely to fire off electrochemical signals that help pass information from one neuron to the next.

In unrelated work, doctors have noticed that in people whose peripheral nerves have been injured, the healthy nerve cells surrounding the wounded nerves form what is called a neuroma, a cluster of neurons that is extremely sensitive to the slightest sensation or motion.

"People who have neuromas can hardly stand to have anybody touch the skin near it," said Walters. "If they're touched, the pain is excruciating."

Walters wondered if there was any connection between the hyperexcitability of cells in a neuroma, and the electrical vigor of nerve cells that participate in memory and learning.

To test the notion, he and his colleagues turned to a snail called Aplysia californica, or the sea hare.

The creatures — which have only a vestigial shell and thus resemble giant slugs more than they do snails — are found around West Coast beaches, where they feast so voraciously on seaweed that they can reach up to 15 pounds and two feet in length.

"They spend all their time eating and copulating," said Walters. "Their only real problem appears to be avoiding neurobiologists."

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> — Dr. Eric R. Kandel, New York

Because its nerve cells are large, accessible and relatively few in number, Aplysia has become a favored experimental organism for the analysis of the molecular basis of learning and memory.

Kandel and others have demonstrated that the mollusk can learn to respond to outside stimulation in a distinct manner depending on the nature of the stimulation.

The neurobiologists study a particular snail behavior, its reflexive withdrawal of its protruding siphon, an organ used for expelling water and feces.

In general, a mollusk does not like to have its siphon molested, and it will instinctively pull in the little flange-like projection when it is poked.

But if its siphon is touched gently and repeatedly, the mollusk becomes habituated, and it will stop bothering to respond by a reflexive drawing in.

If, on the other hand, a mild shock or a hard pinch is applied to the siphon a few times, the Aplysia will become sensitized: it will start yanking in its siphon quickly and violently, even at the tiniest and most harmless of nudges.

Not even death ends crusade against pollution

WASHINGTON (NYT) — Concern about the environment now reaches even beyond the grave and is troubling the cremation and cemetery business.

More than two million people die each year in the United States. Those responsible for disposing of the remains say their work is increasingly constrained by federal, state and local laws aimed at protecting air, land and water quality.

Some environmentalists have questioned the effect of the industry upon the living, wondering, for instance, if buried bodies might contaminate underground water or if cremation could be a source of toxic air pollutants.

"As an industry, we are concerned because environmental issues generally are the issues of the 90s," said Stephen L. Morgan, executive vice president of the American Cemetery Association. "We don't anticipate any serious environmental problems now, but we follow issues such as reauthorization of the Clean Water Act to see if there are any changes that could affect us."

Because of concerns about underground water pollution, questions have been raised about formaldehyde and other chemicals in embalmed bodies seeping into local water tables.

In addition, blood and other body fluids removed during embalming, which may contain infectious agents or toxic chemicals used to treat cancer and other diseases, are usually flushed into the regular sewer system.

No one is sure how many cemeteries there are in the nation, but Morgan said industry estimates put the number at 75,000 to 100,000.

Federal officials have been discussing plans to do test drilling in some cemeteries to check water quality, but industry spokesmen said they did not expect any adverse findings.

Most graves are lined with concrete, brick, metal or other materials that should separate caskets from any ground water in places where it could be a problem, they said.

In addition, they said, as yet unpublished findings from test borings done in cemeteries in Canada indicate no ground water problems.

The cremation industry is facing its biggest environmental challenge from states passing air quality laws that are tougher than federal standards.

California and Florida, states with large death and burial industries because of their large populations of the elderly, have the strictest laws affecting crematoriums, said Roger E. Goodman, a congressional aide who follows laws affecting the industry.

"I don't see anything in federal environmental law that will be a big problem for the industry, but state laws will be the most stringent," said Goodman, who is legislative director for Rep. Bob Wise, D-W.V.

Clean Water Action, Greenpeace and other environmental groups raising cautions about emissions from crematorium smokestacks are encouraging tougher monitoring and regulation.

Greenpeace, for instance, has accused medical officials and federal regulators of not keeping close track of people with plutonium-powered heart pacemakers.

If people are cremated with those devices, the groups say, dangerous radioactive particles could be released into the air.

The Cremation Association of North America, which sponsored a workshop this month on environmental regulations and the cremation industry at its annual meeting in Toronto, says crematoriums comply with air quality laws and are not major sources of pollution.

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LOST in Midland, one Keepsake Diamond Necklace. Was in vicinity of Hilton, Westlake and Sams. If found, please call 827-3373 or 827-3404, Goldsmith. Substantial Reward.

LOST: Help find our family dog! "Sebastian", male Sheltie Collie wearing tags. Last seen vicinity of Angel's Stadium, August 6th. We miss our dog and must find him. Large reward offered!!! 520-0055.

150 Lost and Found

REWARD or information or return of hand held Motorola Cellular phone, last seen on Motorcycle at about 9:30 pm on 8/20/91. Call 697-0305 days, 694-4900 nights.

LOST: Brittany Spaniel mix answers to Nicole, Please call 699-7479.

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LOST around Bonham Elementary male Basenji "Rascal" wearing tan collar, no tags. Please call 697-6635.

LOST From Wydewood area: Redish Brown Pomeranian, wearing brown collar. Call 694-0761.

FOUND: Declawed, Calico Kitten. Is a house cat. Vicinity of Upland and Baumann. Call 699-0509.

★ LARGE REWARD!!! ★ Help us find our very much Loved & Missed Miniature Collie. Rocky needs medication. 5 yrs old, tri-colored: black, white, and tan, blue collar. Lost/ 1300 Block. Manor Ct. Call Cindy 697-9508 682-1626 work/ ANYTIME!!

FOUND: Male Sheltie mix, brownish white / black, no collar, found in the 2600 block of Cuthbert. Saturday August, 24. Very playful. Call after 6 pm 694-3246 or 682-5648.

FOUND: 4600 Block of Bowie, Border Collie black/ white, 11 months old, no tags. Taken to the Animal Control, please call 685-7420.

LOST: Male Beagle, black and white, eight months old, lost in Emerson School area. Call 684-6653 or 694-3044 after 5. Reward.

LOST: Vicinity of Haynes/ Garfield. Gray Tabby, some striping, female, semi long hair with bushy tail. Odessa tag/ red collar. 570-1109.

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341 Child Care Providers

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CLEAN ONE bedroom efficiency with stove and refrigerator, garbage paid. 201 Waverly (Rear) $195 month. 694-0937.

625 Houses Unfurnished

TWO bedroom house, 904 Canyon in Midland. $300 plus deposit. 1-366-5594.

DUPLEX: Large two bedroom, two bath, garage, refrigerated air. Fireplace. New carpet, fresh paint. $475/ month. 694-9663.

1212 W. OHIO. 2 bedroom, 1 bath, carpet, built-in stove, very nice. $325 monthly. $300 deposit. Also 1 room apartment in rear for rent. Call 694-6037.

NORTHGATE 3 bdr, 2 bath, dishwasher, garbage disposal, microwave, stove, fireplace, 2 car garage / opener, nice porch/ patio, 6 month lease, then month to month. $750/ $400 deposit. Non Smokers. Available 9/10/91. 694-6364

640 Condos and Townhouses Unfurnished

FAIRGATE Townhomes. 2 and 3 bedroom 2 bath, 1600 sq. ft. liveable - with garage, fireplace, two private patio areas. Northwest Midland. Call 697-9566. 4411 Fairgate Drive.

TOWNHOUSE off Bradley. Two bedroom, three bath, freshly painted. Atrium, double garage. Ceiling fans, good water well. Workshop & storage building. Alamo / Bonham schools. $450 monthly, $400 deposit. Call 697-6061, evenings for appointment.

WYDEWOOD TOWNHOUSE 3 bedroom, 2½ bath, refrigerator, microwave, fireplace, two car garage. Available Now. $595 monthly. 697-9402.

650 Mobile Homes Furnished

COUNTRY, nice two bedroom, appliances, air, fenced, quiet family neighborhood. Greenwood school. No pets! 684-7549.

655 Mobile Homes Unfurnished

GREENWOOD School 2 bedroom, 1 bath, semi-furnished. Off 158 and 1140. 683-7608 after 6.

NICE 1 BEDROOM Mobile Home. No water bill, nice location, fenced yard. $195 per month. 682-5798.

660 Mobile Home Spaces For Rent

$39 Monthly, for 1 year, nice park, cable available, 563-3510/ 550-7505.

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665 Business Property/Offices

ONE room office, $70. Midland Executive Center. Contact Beverly Vaughan. 686-2008.

TWO ROOM Office, 3106 North Big Spring. Pull up parking. $225 monthly. Call 686-2008.

YOGURT & snack shop, most equipment, tables and chairs provided, good location. Call 699-1208.

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OFFICE SPACES for lease. 3600 Square feet, Northland Shopping Center. Call 699-1208.

2,200 SQ FT. Will remodel to suit tenant. 204 N. Midkiff (formerly Dunbar), across from Dunlaps). 682-0901.

OFFICE and warehouse combination. Great West Side location. 3025 Princeton. 697-2685.

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670 Warehouse and Storage Rental

OFFICE and warehouse combination. 1200 - 2000 - 4000 - 4800 - 7000 - 8600 square feet. Some with fenced yards. 683-6927.

TWO Offices with warehouse, 1,500 sq. ft., near Community Bank. 16 ft. ceiling, $300. 683-8260.

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10 × 20s, 10 × 12s & 10 × 10s
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675 Recreational and Resort Rentals

RUIDOSO CABIN, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, available thur September 2, sleeps 8. 682-7718.

RUIDOSO Cabins, Condos, houses for rent nightly, weekly. Some with hot tubs, Don Harman, Owner Sonsons Real Estate, 1-800-822-7654.

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685 Hunting Leases

DEER LEASE between Sheffield and Dryden with good Deer, Turkey, javelina, Quail. 815-445-2004.

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DOVE LEASE. St. Lawrance/ Garden City area. Please call 397-2281.

DOVE LEASE has plenty of food/ water holes. North of St. Lawrence. 397-2658 (915)

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690 Oil and Gas Leases

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720 Homes For Sale

FOR SALE or lease- 2206 Culver, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, study, storm cellar will consider trade for Dallas home, assumable loan at 9¼%. 694-9940, (214) 613-2686

CHARMING two bedroom, brick home and two living areas. Perfect condition. $43,500. Non-assumable. 689-8425.

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NON-QUALIFYING ASSUMPTION. $6,000 equity. 3 bedroom, 2 bath in SUPERIOR ADDITION. Hot tub with deck, fireplace. 694-0618.

OLD MIDLAND 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living areas, updated kitchen, guest house, huge corner lot. 2013 Country Club. $82,000. 682-8138.

HISTORIC DISTRICT, unique, 2 living areas, over 1,900 sq. ft., assume payments under $700, plus $2,000 equity or $58,700. 1403 Holloway. 686-0923.

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Three bedroom, two bath houses on the West Side.
$35,000 - $65,000
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NON-QUALIFYING Assumption, brick, 3/2, approximately 2300 sq. ft. + double garage, fireplace, skylights, hot tub, pretty shrubbing. $85,000. Call 520-6707.

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BY OWNER. 4 bedroom, 2 bath, ceramic tile, 2 living areas, stain master carpet, much more. Owner pays closing costs, $36,000. 703 Beckley. Call for appointment 694-2667.

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Approximately $27,800 balance, 10% interest, less than 18 years left, total payment $438 monthly, $3,000 equity negotiable.
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Rentals

600 Rooms For Rent
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601 Hotel/Motel Rooms For Rent

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BILLS PAID, downtown, refrigerated air, 1 bedroom, electric kitchen, laundry, pool. Villa Apartments, 500 W. Tennessee. 682-3589.

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4406 PRINCETON small one bedroom home, utilities and cable paid. Acre yard, trees. Quiet, private responsible adult. NO PETS. 694-4768 after 3.

610 Apartments Unfurnished

THORNWOOD APTS. 2601 N. "A" 682-5381

GARDEN COURT APARTMENTS
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EFFICIENCY all bills paid, ceiling fans, microwave. On West Cavalcade, near Big Spring Street. Call Gil 687-0033.

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2 BEDROOM, 1 living room, 1 bar in dining room, 1 car garage, large yards, large kitchen, some appliances furnished. $400 monthly, $200 deposit. 2308 W. College. 699-9839.

3 BEDROOM, 1 bath, 1 living area. Attached garage. Ceiling fans, good water well. Workshop & storage building. Alamo / Bonham schools. $450 monthly, $400 deposit. Call 697-6061, evenings for appointment.

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CLOSING DATE FOR RECEIPT OF OFFER IS **4:30 P.M. SEPT 4, 1991**

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PMH NUMBER	ADDRESS	CITY	ZIP	PRICE	BED/BATH /GARAGE	REQUIRED STATEMENTS
24338	3701 CEDAR SPRINGS	MIDLAND	79703	25000	3/2.0/0	SR 2
586092	2510 EMERSON	MIDLAND	79702	58000	3/2.0/2	SR 1
31554	5259 W BLAIR	ODESSA	79764	28000	4/4.5/0	SR 2 7 11

SR-1 Qualifies for GI/FHA financing or VA will repair to qualifying condition. VA will also repair defects in the plumbing, heating and electrical systems if reported to the VA Management Broker within 30 days of loan closing.
SR-2 No repairs by VA. Strictly "AS IS" NOT ELIGIBLE FOR GI/FHA FINANCING.
SR-7 Sewer service - septic tank - VA does not warrant system.
SR-11 Water service is by community system. Purchaser must pay all fees, deposits, etc.

ACCEPTABLE OFFERS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED ON THE FOLLOWING PROPERTIES

PMH #	ADDRESS	CITY	ZIP	PRICE	OFFEROR/BROKER
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The offer which best serves the interest of VA will be processed for acceptance. We will accept cash offers up to 10 percent below the advertised term sales price. VA also will pay reasonable loan discount points and buyers' closing costs on cash offers when requested on the Cash Sale Addendum to Offer to Purchase. However, the combined loan discount points, buyers' closing costs to be paid by VA and the discount for cash may not exceed 10 percent of the term list price. Offers must be submitted at term listed prices when buyers request a new GI loan with $1.00 move-in. Interest rate of available vendee financing is 9 percent (APR 9.25 percent). Purchase offers requesting VA vendee financing (Term Sales) must have VA Form 26-6705B, Credit Statement of Prospective Purchaser. The underwriting of offers requesting VA vendee financing will be completed by VA staff at no cost to the purchaser. To expedite the underwriting process, brokers are encouraged to submit a complete package to VA with the Offer to Purchase. This includes: a) recent copies of pay stubs, a completed, signed copy of last year's federal tax return and a copy of the latest IRS Form W-2, Wage and Tax Statement (or) a Verification of Employment, VA Form 26-8497, completed by the employer b) signed SR statements required by the sales listing c) verification of self-employment to include completed, signed copies of the last two year's federal income tax returns, including all schedules, and a year-to-date profit and loss statement which has been prepared and signed by an accountant d) current schedule of all real estate owned, to include all current rental/lease agreements e) past three months of bank statements, and f) any other information pertinent to the underwriting of the offer. Purchase offers not accompanied by this required information MAY BE REJECTED FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY.

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Prior to signing the offer, the broker must deposit in the broker's trust account the $500 earnest money deposit. The $500 earnest money deposit will be remitted to the closing agent upon acceptance of the offer. Once a purchase offer has been accepted for processing by VA and subsequently cancelled at the request of the purchasers, the earnest money WILL NOT be refunded and the purchaser will be required to forfeit the earnest money to VA as liquidation expenses. **There will be no exception to this policy.** Therefore, the VA suggests that all brokers interview their buyers to assure that they want the property prior to submission of an Offer To Purchase. Prospective purchasers will have the option to select the title company or attorney of their choice to close the sale of VA-acquired properties. The address, telephone number, FAX number, tax ID number and name of person to contact should be included with all Offers To Purchase. The closing agent will be responsible for document preparation and sales closing. The purchaser or sales broker will be responsible for the payment of all costs charged by the closer. Offers are subject to the provisions of VA Form 26-6705. Offer to Purchase and Contract of Sale, on which all offers must be submitted. VA pays 6 percent sales commission. VA Form 26-6705 must be submitted in duplicate to:

VA Property Management Section
P.O. Box 7635
Waco, Texas 76714

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